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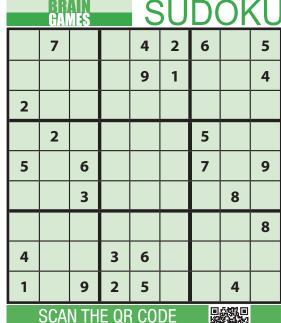
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Tuxedo Park Community Association meetings are held on the second Thursday of every month, except July and August (no meetings). Meetings start at 7:00 pm and are being held in person at the community hall. All community residents are welcome to meet some of their neighbours, express their concerns, or sit in and hear what's happening in and around the community. For more information, please email president@tuxedoparkcommunity.ca. For Hall rentals, email hallrentals@tuxedoparkcommunity.ca.



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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Ah, summertime in Tuxedo! Usually, this is when I tell you that your TPCA Board will be taking a break to recharge and relax, but this year, we have big things happening.

Specifically, two big projects that have taken years to come to fruition—our mural and fence art installation! Thanks to our dedicated Arts Procurement Manager, Dustyn Richardson, this summer the mural will be created on the west end of our hall and the art installation will be installed on the fence along Centre Street. We can't wait to see them! Keep up to date on their progress and the unveilings on our socials.

Thank you to all the volunteers who have stepped forward this year to improve our community—it's been truly heartwarming to see so many neighbours helping out at our events and fundraisers! A big thank you to Marina Kerr, our Social Chair and VP, for organizing and running the 2025 TPCA Summer Festival! She has built that event into a flagship for us and it just keeps getting better every year.

Anne Johnson

president@tuxedoparkcommunity.ca

# **Tuxedo Park School Future Use Planning Website is Live**

The Tuxedo Park School planning website has now been launched. They will continue to update the website as they have more information on the project. Scan the below QR code for details and to stay up-to-date on progress.



## **TUXEDO PARK CLASSES AND EVENTS**

Please check the website for up-to-date information on programs and events.

#### Walk15 Fitness

Walk15 fitness classes offer a low impact cardio workout suitable for all ages and fitness levels. The walking-based moves are easy to learn and set to music engineered to measure distance through the beat – no devices required. You'll be led by a Master Walk15 Instructor who will coach you along the way for your comfort and safety. Come walk with us!

Upper Hall. Date: Mondays.

Time: 9:00 to 10:00 am. Cost: Free for members.

#### **TPCA Seniors Fitness with Pat**

Join this gentle, guided fitness class to get moving, have fun, and get to know your neighbours!

Upper Hall. Date: Tuesdays.

Time: 10:30 to 11:30 am.

Cost: Free, all are welcome, space is limited. Arrive 10 minutes early to sign waiver.

Instructor/Host: Pat.

#### Hatha Yoga

This class will help you recharge, strengthen, stretch out tight areas, and calm and focus the mind. Sessions will include standing and balancing postures, connection to physical alignment, attention to breath to steady the mind, hip and shoulder opening, meditation, and deep rest.

Upper Hall. Date: Mondays. Time: 6:15 pm.

Cost: Free, all are welcome. Instructor: Jennifer Clarke.

#### **Budo Martial Arts\***

Budo Martial Arts offers a dynamic karate program, focusing on discipline, confidence, and physical fitness. Led by experienced Senpai Eric, classes provide structured training in a fun and supportive environment.

Location: Upper Hall. Date: Monday to Thursday. Time: 5:30 to 6:30 pm. Instructor: Senpai Eric. Contact: 403-650-8445 or eric.budomartialarts@gmail.com. Program: Kids Karate (Ages 4 to 18).

More information: www.budomartialartscalgary.ca.

#### Do Re Mi Babies Music Classes\*

Do Re Mi Babies provides an engaging and joyful early childhood music program for children ages 0 to 5 and their caregivers. Through songs, movement, and interactive activities, families bond while developing a lifelong love of music.

Location: Upper Hall.

Date: Mondays (on break for summer).

Time: 4:30 to 5:30 pm.

Cost: \$130 for 8 weeks (siblings 50% off).

Instructor/Host: Christina.

Contact: doremibabies@gmail.com. More information and registration: www.doremibabies.wordpress.com.

#### Free Zumba with Aspire to Inspire\*

Join a fun and high-energy Zumba session designed to get you moving while having a great time! Open to all fitness levels, this free class blends dance and fitness for an energizing workout.

Location: Upper Hall. Date: Wednesdays.

Time: 7:30 to 8:30 pm (arrive early to sign waivers)

Instructor/Host: Mihwa.

Contact: 403-975-5817 or mihwa40s@gmail.com.

\*This is a third-party rental and not affiliated with TPCA.



# **TPCA Wants You to Become a Member!**

Become a Tuxedo Park Community Association (TPCA) member and give back to your community as much as it has been giving back to you! The current membership fees are \$10 for individuals and \$20 for families. The benefits of joining include:

- Ability to vote at the Annual General Meeting and Special General Meetings
- Opportunity to share opinion on what programs/ events should be offered
- Discounted rate on facility rentals, events, classes and at local businesses
- And, so much more!

If you are interested, please fill out the below form and mail it with payment to:

Tuxedo Park Community Association and Hall 202 29 Ave NE Calgary, AB T2E 2C9

Additional details and the option to pay online can be found at TuxedoParkCommunity.ca.







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## **Rent the Tuxedo Park Hall**

Have an upcoming birthday party, meeting, or celebration? Our Hall has been updated and ready to host you and your guests!

At full capacity our Upper Hall can fit 100 people. It has a bar, a full kitchen, rectangular, round, and cocktail tables, and new grey banquet chairs. Our prices are very affordable and it's a great, central location.

Our Lower Hall is bright and modern and fits 50 people at full capacity.

Both spaces have modern wood flooring and modern paint colours.

Spaces are great for weddings, family gatherings, birthday parties, anniversary events, training events and all those social events that we have missed so much of!

For more information contact our Hall Manager at hallrentals@tuxedoparkcommunity.ca or call 403-277-8689 or visit www.tuxedoparkcommunity. ca/hall-rentals.





# That's a Wrap on Summer Fest 2025!

Big thanks to all of those in the community—volunteers, vendors, and Social Committee Chair Marina Kerr—that made the third Annual Tuxedo Park Summer Festival on June 7 another great success.

The Social Committee organized an exciting day with everything from a bouncy house castle and fire truck visit for kids to live music and a beer garden for adults on the Community Hall deck. The sunshine held out for the day, while the community was able to look at goods and sample foods from an assortment of local businesses and artisans. Many participated in Zumba demonstrations, obstacle courses, and learned more about TPCA memberships and upcoming community happenings.

We hope you enjoyed spending time with neighbours at the festival!

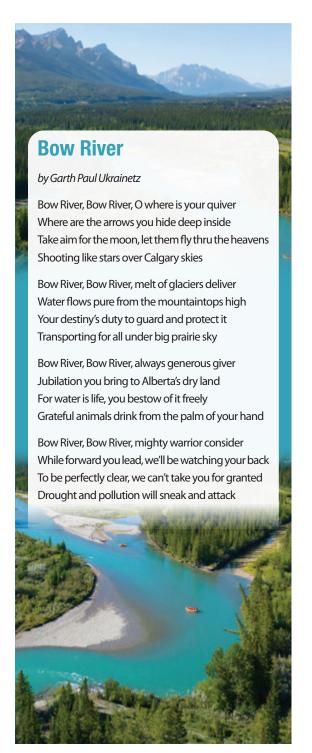




# Reminder to Report Street Light Issues

Call 3-1-1 if you notice any outages or dimly lit areas.

As the weather warms up, more Tuxedo Park residents will be heading outside to enjoy the longer spring and summer days. Let's make our community as safe as possible by remembering to call 3-1-1 to report street light issues, such as outages or dimly lit areas. Your help on this matter is greatly appreciated!



# The City of Calgary's Park n' Play and Stay n' Play is Coming to Tuxedo Park This Summer!

TPCA is thrilled to be partnering with the City of Calgary this summer, hosting two programs: the Park n' Play program (ages 6 to 12) and the Stay n' Play (ages 3 to 5 accompanied by an adult) in July.

Type of programs: Park n' Play and Stay n' Play

Time: 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Dates: Monday, July 21 to Friday, July 25

Location: Tuxedo Park Hall and Park, 202 29 Ave NE

Looking for some high-quality activities for your kids? We offer programs that are open to everyone for free. These programs are for children ages 3 to 12 years and are available in various community locations across Calgary.

Learn more here: https://www.calgary.ca/parks-rec-programs/park-n-play-stay-n-play.html.



# Mark Your Calendars: Upcoming Summer Art Activities

If you are looking to express your creativity this summer, we've got a few artistic events happening in the community that we'd love for you to take part in:

### Mural Artists: Meet and Greet Sunday, July 13 from 2:30 to 4:30 pm

Location: West side of hall building (facing playground) or lower hall (if raining).

We're proud to announce that we will be receiving the grant funding that we need to move forward with the mural project that will live on the southwest side of the Tuxedo Park Community Association Hall. Come say hello to Kerzeka—the artist duo that will be creating the mural, ask questions about the process and offer feedback on the design.

## Mural Artists: Hands on Mural/Graffiti Workshop Friday, August 22 from 6:30 to 8:30 pm

Location: West side of hall building (facing the playground) or lower hall (if raining).

Come participate in a live hands-on mural and graffiti art workshop with Kerzeka! Attendees will have the opportunity to collaborate with the artists in the creation of a 4x8 foot piece of art and learn about the techniques used in the creation of the TPCA mural. Free for all who attend, and supplies will be provided. Please RSVP to arts@tuxedoparkcommunity.ca by Friday, August 15.

We hope to see you at one of these events or around the neighbourhood this summer.

# BOPORO THO BOATLOS

John Lennon, Paul McCartney, and George Harrison are well-known for their incredible roles in the English rock band *The Beatles*. But did you know that it wasn't the first band these three talented musicians were in together? First, they were in a band called *The Quarrymen*!

## YOUR CITY OF CALGARY

# **Downtown Summer Festivals and Events**

by The City of Calgary



Calgary's Summer Festival Season is in full-swing and downtown is where you'll find the electric energy as people come to experience the ultimate celebration of community, creativity, and culture. With over 100 festivals and events happening downtown this summer, the heart of our city will be bursting with fun and entertainment for everyone.

Whether you are a resident or a visitor, this is your invitation to immerse yourself in the vibrant spirit of our Downtown Summer Festival Season. Downtown is home to some our proudest landmarks and our biggest celebrations, like Canada Day, Stampede, Carifest, and the Calgary Folk Music Festival. The best of our city is reflected in these festivals and events, as people come together to have fun, celebrate, and enjoy life's moments.

With a wide variety of entertainment, the Downtown Summer Festival Season has something for everyone and this year, we want to make sure you're just a click away from staying connected. That's why we've created the Downtown Summer Festival Itinerary; a guide to keep you informed about the festivals and events happening downtown from now until the end of September.

Mark your calendars, gather your friends and family, and get ready for an unforgettable Downtown Summer Festival Season. Ready, set, explore! To learn more about the exciting festivals and events happening downtown, visit calgary.ca/exploredowntown.



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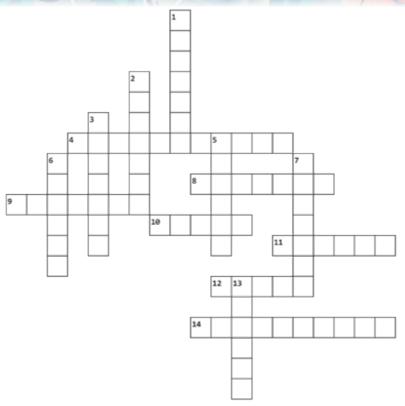
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# **July Crossword**





#### Across

- 4. Harper Lee's Southern Gothic novel, *To Kill a* , was published on July 11, 1960.
- 8. In July 1930 this South American country hosted the first FIFA World Cup.
- 9. The revolutionary portable audio player made by Sony launched in July 1979.
- 10. Gymnast \_\_\_\_\_ Comăneci scored a perfect ten on July 18, 1976, at the Montreal Olympic Games.
- 11. The name "Canada" comes from this Huron-Iroquois word for "village".
- 12. Talented Calgarian Tate \_\_\_\_\_ celebrates her 22nd birthday on July 1.
- 14. Lucy Maud \_\_\_\_\_\_, author of *Anne of Green Gables*, got married on July 5, 1911, in Park Corner, PEI.

#### Down

- 1. On July 30, 1935, this well-known publishing company, named after an Antarctic animal, published their first books.
- 2. The action thriller *Die Hard* starring Bruce Willis and Alan \_\_\_\_\_\_ premiered on July 22, 1988.
- 3. The popular mobile game, \_\_\_\_\_ *GO*, launched in July 2016.
- Starring Canadian actor Ryan Gosling, this positively pink film premiered on July 9, 2023.
- Founded by Canadian musician Sarah McLachlan, the first \_\_\_\_\_\_ Fair, an all-female music festival, occurred on July 5, 1997.
- On July 8, 1996, the Spice Girls released this song as their debut single.
- 13. This North American country made their national anthem official on July 1, 1980.

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#### Happy July!

It's wonderful to be back in Calgary full-time, taking in the joy of community events and the sunshine! I'm looking forward to connecting with all of you in all three quadrants of Calgary-Klein. Keep an eye on my social media for events happening all summer.

Neighbour Day celebrations are always so meaningful as I remember the challenges of the 2013 floods and how Albertans took care of one another. A heartfelt thank you to everyone who hosts, volunteers, and attends the events across our lovely constituency. Your service to community is an example to us all. This year Neighbour Day fell on the same day as Indigenous Peoples Day, one day out of many that I reflect on the importance of our role as Treaty People and how to honour that.

Summer is also AGM season and a time when community associations share their work over the previous year. I'm grateful for your local advocacy, information, and passion. I learn so much from all of you and am honoured to be welcomed to your discussions. Please reach out if your community association or organization needs help with navigating grants or letters of support. Our office is here to help!

I look forward to seeing you at Stampede pancake breakfasts and barbecues. Please do say hello! If you're organizing an event and would like me to attend or support you in any way – please reach out to our office.

In the meantime, I will continue advocating for resources in our communities, classrooms, access to public healthcare when we need it, affordability issues, and all the things we hold dear as Albertans and Canadians! And if you're reading this after July 1 – I hope you had a wonderful Canada Day.

As always, my constituency office is here to help whether you're navigating provincial programs, looking for resources, or simply have a question.

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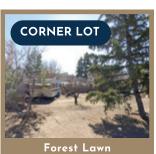


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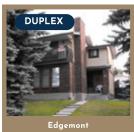
















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