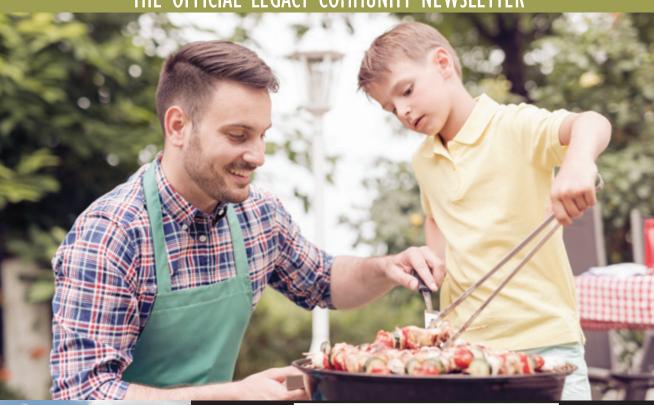
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My Legacy Story: Ellen

It is important to share with you how fear and disappointment can lead to absolute joy.

I was born and raised in Nova Scotia, on the East Coast, and I never travelled far from home. However, my two grown children relocated: my son to Kumamoto, Japan and my daughter to Alberta,



Canada. It was most important to me to make frequent visits. Over the years, I became blessed with five amazing grandchildren.

My visit to Calgary in 2019 would prove to be ultimately life changing. It was in the month of August that I purchased a one-way ticket to enjoy precious family time. I was living on my own and it was time to re-evaluate my life. A house approximately a three-minute walk from my daughter's offered a small bedroom for me to rent during my temporary stay.

COVID-19 struck with devastation worldwide, shocking and terrifying many. Government restrictions were set in place in Canada which meant I was not permitted to visit my daughter's home. This was heartbreaking for us.

The community of Legacy made great efforts to reassure and support one another. The spirits of residents were lifted by happy birthday drive by parades with horns honking. This brought cheer and heartfelt waves exchanged by all. Also, if groceries, etc. were needed, they would be placed at one's door by their kind and caring neighbours.

It astounded me to be contacted to go to the front door of where I was renting. I found on the step a gift basket of goodies with a message from a Ninja. This saved me from getting lost in loneliness and despair. It also inspired me to write true stories about acts of kindness and the comfort of never forgetting the warm feelings I have had of gratefulness throughout my life!

It was then I made the decision to live in Legacy. In late December 2020, I experienced the care and expertise of Legacy residents Christie and Steve, who made it a most pleasurable experience to find and buy my first home! Living within walking distance of my precious family and nearby Township's multi-business establishments is a dream come true.

I am pleased to say that the outstanding community of Legacy inspired me to write my first book which has been published; entitled ... and That's the Way My Cookies Crumble. For many years, I gifted my tasty homemade cookies to show my gratitude for kindness given to me which contributed to my needed personal growth and welfare. Its many chapters are of travel, diversity, highs and lows, joy, and believing in yourself. These true stories culminated into a 'legacy' of my life to be shared with my children, grandchildren, family, friends, and anyone who chooses to read my book.

Perhaps our paths have crossed at Legacy's fun-filled festivities; if not, I look forward to it!

Sincerely,

Ellen Waterfield



Top Three Winning Strategies for Calgary Real Estate Sellers: Maximize Value and Attract Buyers

by Max Malychev, Legacy Realtor

As a seller, you want to maximize your chances of a successful sale and get the best possible price for your property. Here are three tips to help you achieve that.

Price Your Property Realistically: Setting the right price for your property is crucial. Overpricing your home may deter potential buyers, while underpricing could lead to a loss of value. To determine a competitive price, consider factors such as the current market conditions, the location of your property, its size, condition, and comparable sales in the area. Consulting with a real estate agent or conducting a professional appraisal can provide valuable insights to arrive at an appropriate listing price.

Enhance Curb Appeal and Staging: First impressions matter, and this applies to real estate as well. Boost the curb appeal of your property by tidying up the exterior, landscaping the garden, and making necessary repairs. Inside, declutter and depersonalize the space to make it more appealing to potential buyers. Consider staging the property to showcase its full potential and make it easier for buyers to visualize themselves living there. A well-staged home can create an emotional connection and drive higher offers.

Utilize Effective Marketing Strategies: To attract potential buyers, you need to market your property effectively. Take advantage of online platforms, social media, and real estate websites to reach a wider audience. High-quality photographs and virtual tours can give potential buyers a better idea of the property's features. Additionally, traditional marketing techniques like flyers and signage can still be effective in some cases, especially for attracting local buyers. Partnering with a skilled real estate agent can also help expand your marketing efforts and provide access to their network of buyers.

Remember that the real estate market can be dynamic, and local conditions may influence the effectiveness of these tips. Flexibility and adaptability are essential qualities for sellers, so be prepared to adjust your strategies if necessary.



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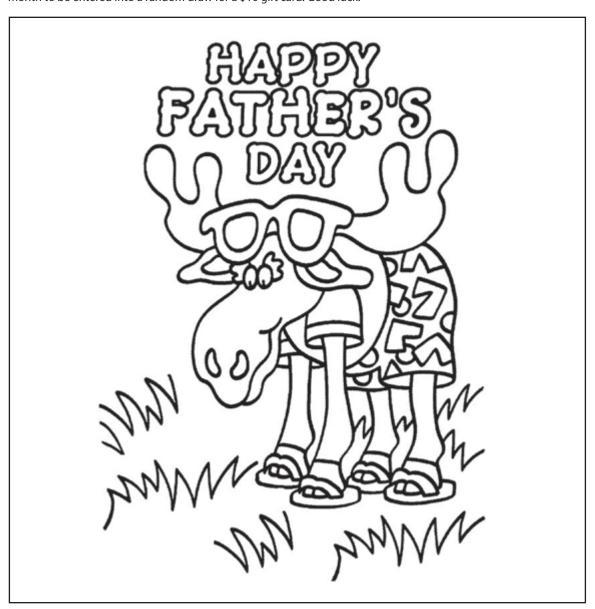
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Name..... Age..... Age.....

Pets of Legacy

Meet Winifred!

We know that the people who live in Legacy are amazing, but we can't forget about our furry friends! Each



month, we are showing off our Legacy pets. If you have a beloved animal whether it's a fluffy kitty, a prickly porcupine, or a scaley lizard, we want to meet them!

Name: Winifred (Winnie) Wrinklebottom Larkin

Age: Nine months **Breed:** English Bulldog

I'm new to the community and absolutely love my new family and doggie neighbours. I'm a real couch potato but will cause just enough trouble every now and then to remind my family I'm definitely still a puppy. My favourite things are sleeping, snuggling, chasing my ball, rolling around in the snow, and bathing in the sun, followed by even more sleeping and snuggling.

Want to see your pet featured? Please send an email to christie.crawford@calgarylegacy.ca to find out more.

GAMES & PUZZLES Guess That Artist!

- 1. Born on May 11, 1904, in Spain, this artist is probably best known for their work titled "The Persistence of Memory".
- 2. This Italian artist is often called the founder of the High Renaissance, and identified as one of the greatest painters of Western art.
- 3. Born in 1853, this artist famously cut off his left ear.
- 4. This artist is one of the most famous American visual artists for his pop art pieces.
- 5. Based in England, this street artist and political activist is well known across North America, with one of their popular artworks titled "Balloon Girl".
- This Spanish painter and sculptor is best known for his cubism and surrealism.



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