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We now have new office hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday hours: 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Monday and Friday by appointment only. Board meetings are held every fourth Wednesday each month in the Lower Hall Board Room from 6:00 to 8:00pm. Meetings are open to all Braeside community members. If you have issues or concerns you would like to raise at a board meeting, please call our office or email us to be added to the agenda.

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MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

Dear Braeside,

May is a most wonderful month for us! It's the month we get to honour mothers, to finally plant our gardens, and also when we can usually be assured that we've seen the last snow until at least October (despite there being a few exceptions over the years!).

This month you are invited to step into the joy of spring! Please join us on May 10 between 9:00 and 11:00 am for Communi-tea and Coffee, where you can also get involved in this year's Community Litter Pickup. Paul Finkelman is once again leading the community in this event that begins at 10:00 am.

You are also invited to join us for a BCA Garden Gathering and Market on May 31. We will be doing another birdhouse build, have local vendors on site, a bouncy castle, face painting, and a beer garden. This family-friendly event will also give you the opportunity to hear about the amazing 2025 plans in place for our garden!

We hope to see a lot of you this spring!

Sincerely,

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Upcoming Dates!

Saturday, <u>May 10th</u> 'Celebrating Mothers' Saturday, <u>June 21st</u> 'Neighbour Day Gathering'

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We are launching a social history project that is designed to capture the heart and soul of our community. While we'll be digging into the city archives to support us, we know that many of the stories still live here in Braeside.

We are going to begin building a dedicated historical archive that will ensure these memories live on, inspiring both current residents and future generations. We are aiming to collect local photos and gather information about the area through written stories, conversations, and recorded memories. Together, these contributions will help paint a rich picture of our community's journey over the years.

To participate or learn more about the project, please contact Catherine at braesidebeacon@braesideyyc.ca.

Thank you for being such an important part of our community's past, present, and future.



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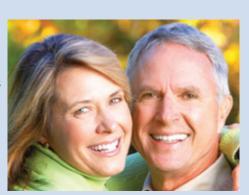
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February	25	12	8	\$399,850	\$399,500	
January	25	9	5	\$639,000	\$580,000	
December	24	6	8	\$504,950	\$509,450	
November	24	7	8	\$492,444	\$483,500	
October	24	10	10	\$473,900	\$463,500	
September	24	14	8	\$574,900	\$577,450	
August	24	10	15	\$499,888	\$490,000	
July	24	10	11	\$376,763	\$384,000	
June	24	16	12	\$559,950	\$581,875	
May	24	16	15	\$429,900	\$445,800	
April	24	13	11	\$469,900	\$480,000	

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SIX WAYS TO PLAN AHEAD TO BUY A HOME

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- Avoid making any major purchases prior to buying a home, e.g. a new car, boat or RV.
- Calculate the maximum monthly mortgage payment you can afford. Then, anticipate higher interest rates; recalculate your mortgage payment can you really afford it?
- Determine your cash flow at the time of purchase, taking into account fees involved in closing a deal, e.g. appraisal fees, insurance, utilities, taxes, legal, etc.
- Check your credit and get your financing paperwork in order. Lenders will often need to see tax documents, pay stubs, and current loans to secure a rate for a mortgage.
- Get pre-approved for a loan. Approach a lender or mortgage broker to see if you can be approved for a mortgage and how much you can really spend on a home.
- If you currently own a home, confirm your estimated equity by having a market evaluation done.

Contact us for more helpful tips.

BRAESIDE 2025 Y-T-D MARKET STATISTICS

Single Family Homes:

3 active listings – average list price \$811,567 with 39 days on market 8 sold listings since Jan 1, 2025 – average sale price \$760,388 with 80 DOM

Condos/Townhouses/Attached:

4 active listings – average list price \$388,700 with 20 DOM

10 sold listings since Jan 1, 2025 – sale price \$381,000 with 31 DOM

Apartments:

O active listings 4 sales since Jan 1, 2025 – sale price \$195,125 with 84 DOM







(Statistics based on CREB MLS System listings on April 2, 2025)

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