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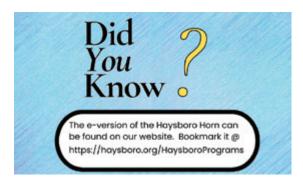
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HCA, as a volunteer run organization, thoughtfully and constructively shapes our neighbourhood. We are innovative. We provide social and recreational programming; encourage and develop unique projects; and foster open dialogue with residents and stakeholders.

OUR VISION STATEMENT:

A friendly, safe, and vibrant community of active and engaged residents.





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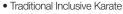
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Happy New Year, Haysboro!

I trust everyone had a great holiday season and an opportunity to bring in the new year in style. As always, the outdoor rinks were busy. This is always a welcome sight over the holidays.

I must say, I am happy that 2024 is behind us. It was a busy year as the Board worked hard to engage members on key matters affecting the association and community such as afterschool care and pre-school, large developments in the area such as Glenmore Landing, an updated Local Area Plan, a noise barrier, and a bicycle and pedestrian pathway project being undertaken by the City. It has been rewarding to hear your voices and perspectives.

For me personally, our engagement revealed the importance of dialogue and striving for common ground. Our community is evolving; we have more people moving in and a strong community of folks who have been here since the beginning of Haysboro. Through this evolution, our community will be shaped by how well we maintain a welcoming dialogue. With this thought, I think it fitting to share the HCA mission statement. It reads "The Haysboro Community Association, as a volunteer run organization, thoughtfully and constructively shapes our neighbourhood. We are innovative. We provide social and recreational programming; encourage and develop unique projects; and foster open dialogue with residents and stakeholders".

Please feel free to join the conversation. If you have suggestions as to how we can achieve our mission, we'd love to hear from you. Our board meetings are held at the Social Lounge of the Hall every third Wednesday of the month (7:00 to 9:00 pm). We hope to see you.

Regards,

Andrew Forsyth

HCA President



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Equipment

- Always ensure your toboggan, or sledding device, is in good repair. Inspect it for any damaged or missing parts before each use.
- Be certain the operator is fully capable of staying in control of the sled at all times.
- Wear a ski helmet, designed for use in cold weather and high speeds.

Hazards

- Avoid hills that are too steep or too icy.
- Choose hills free of all obstacles such as trees, rocks, utility poles, benches, or fences.
- Beware of loose scarves, or clothing containing drawstrings, which could present a strangulation hazard if they become caught or snagged.
- Look out for others. Move quickly to the side after finishing a run and stay to the side of the sliding path when walking up the hill.
- Children should be supervised by an adult; never toboggan alone.
- Sledding at night is not advised.

Plan Ahead

- Anticipate weather changes and plan accordingly.
- Wear warm, insulating layers closer to the body, and wind/waterproof layers on the outside.
- Consider bringing extra sets of gloves and toques to exchange wet garments for dry ones.
- Take breaks out of the cold to warm up.
- Even when properly protected from the elements, the fingertips, toes, ears, the tip of the nose, and other high points on the face such as the forehead and cheek bones can be affected by frostbite; therefore, attempt to cover up any exposed skin.

- If frostbite has occurred, treat it by first getting out of the cold environment, or at least sheltered from any wind chill.
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From ceramics to pottery, handmade arts to skincare, there was something for everyone. We heard from many customers, who enjoyed the high quality and beautiful items from our vendors. Many vendors were familiar faces right from our very own neighbourhood.

There are so many pieces that have to come together to make for a successful event. Thank you to Kaitie Brodeur (Sourdough Susan) and Mary Miller for their generous donations of cookies and coffee. Thank you to Cheryl for running her infamous book sale. Last but not least, we'd like to thank all our volunteers and our market organizers for helping to make such a wonderful day for our community.

Until next year, we hope you have a wonderful holiday season!

Haysboro Winter Market Committee





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