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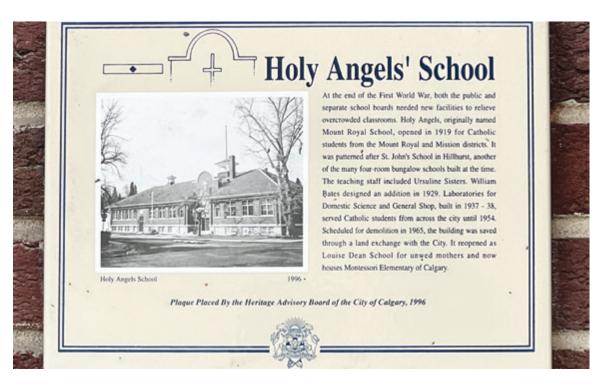


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- **A8 Financial:** 305 2204 2 St SW (Holy Cross Centre), 10% off tax and bookkeeping services.
- Clear Float Spa: 105 –1800 4 St SW, 10% discount (except for the Theta Membership).
- **Economy Glass:** 112 17 Ave SE, \$10 off auto glass excluding rock chips and 10% off residential glass.
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- Mission Wine & Liquor Merchants: 2100 4 Street SW, 5% off regular priced items.
- Momentum Health Mission: 909 2303 4 St SW, \$25 off initial assessment (includes massage), 15% off all products they sell, free gait assessment.
- Peking Dragon: 105 601 17 Ave SW, 15% on pick Up items on orders over \$30.
- **Rideau Pharmacy:** 1801 4 St SW, 15% off front store items (excludes prescriptions).
- The Spa Wellness: 2206 2 St SW, 10% off members for all treatments.
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- Without Co: 103 2115 4 St SW, 10% discount.
- Yann Haute Patisserie: 329 23 Avenue SW, 10% off patisseries.

Do you own or manage a business and would like to be part of this program? Please contact cbmca.editor@gmail.com. Residents may purchase a membership by using the membership form in this newsletter or online at our website www.cliffbungalowmission.com, click on "Get Involved."

Cliff Bungalow-Mission Community Association

TIME TO RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP!

Your membership not only supports the CBMCA but it gives you access to discounts at participating businesses through the Membership Affinity Program (details elsewhere in this newsletter.) Our membership year is AGM to AGM. Last year's AGM was Wednesday, November 23, 2022. However, you can purchase a membership any time during the year.

To purchase or renew your membership, just fill in this form and mail it with your cheque to 462, 1811 4 Street SW, Calgary, Alberta. T2S 1W2.

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The Mission Statement

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Look for us on Facebook, not to mention X (Twitter) and Instagram (CBM CA)!

We value your contributions

The Mission Statement exists to facilitate communication among residents of Cliff Bungalow-Mission. We welcome your story ideas, articles, letters, announcements and photos. Submissions may be emailed to cbmca. editor@gmail.com in .doc, .pdf or .jpg formats. You may also mail (or drop off) your submission to us at the UPS Store: 482, 1811 4 Street SW, Calgary T2S 1W2. Please put Mission Statement on the envelope and be sure to include your name, address and telephone number.

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Keep up to Date - Sign Up for Email Updates

Things can and do change, and quickly. The newsletter is not frequent enough to communicate things that are changing on short notice in regards to the community association, the community centre, and community events.

For us to keep you up to date, please register your email address near the bottom of the first page of our website. Our email list is then updated to include your email address. The website address is www. cliffbungalowmission.com.

Vice President Position Candidate Identified

At the time of writing, someone has come forward expressing interest in the Vice President position. The board will consider appointing that person at the March Board meeting.

Recruiting a New Social Director

Lucy Arellano has stepped down as Social Director due to work time pressures. Thus, we are recruiting a replacement. This position is what I call the "fun" board position. Details are elsewhere in this newsletter. If anyone is interested in exploring this position, please contact me at cbmca. president@gmail.com. I will sit down with you to explain what is involved to ensure you feel comfortable in taking on this opportunity. We can also explore other volunteer options. Lucy is staying on as Treasurer.

Spring Fling Cancelled

Unfortunately, we have had to cancel the Spring Fling scheduled for Saturday, April 20. We lost some members of our Social Committee due to work and family time pressures and we do not have enough time to do what is needed for the event this year. We will start the planning process earlier next year.

Mission Possible Still in Planning Stage

The annual Mission Possible, our version of Neighbour Day, is scheduled for Saturday, June 15. We need to identify three small music groups to do one set each. Contact me if interested. We would provide the sound person. This would be a great way to promote your group to the community and the general public. There is a modest honorarium.

We will arrange for food trucks. There will be a beverage area. We need help setting up. Contact me at cbmca. president@gmail.com.

Jazz and Potlucks Are Still Popular

Our ongoing events of Jazz and Potlucks are popular. Jazz features local jazz musicians and is quite inexpensive. Potlucks are a great way to meet and get to know people, just bring something to share.

History Book Available at Community Events

We have sold over 650 copies of our award-winning history book. Learn about the history of your community in a very readable text with lots of pictures and maps. Cost is still \$30 (basically cost recovery). Copies are available at all events at the community centre.





COMMUNITY CALENDAR

All events are at the Cliff Bungalow – Mission Community Centre (2201 Cliff St SW) unless otherwise noted.

The following is the latest information we have at time of writing (March) and is subject to change. Updates will be sent out by email. Please register for these emails on our website at www.cliffbungalowmission.com (registration is located at the bottom of the first page).

Jazz Nights - First Wednesday from September to June (Second Wednesday in January). Doors open at or before 7:15 pm. Music starts at 8:00 pm.

- Wednesday, April 3 Ben Tizzard Quartet
- Wednesday, May 1 Andréa Petrity Trio
- Wednesday, June 5 Wendy Lomnes Quartet

Potlucks - Regular potlucks are held in the hall. They start at 6:00 pm but we need help with set up at 5:00 pm. Bring something to share and get to know your neighbours.

- Sunday, April 14, 6:00 pm
- Sunday, May 5, 6:00 pm One week earlier due to Mother's Day

Save the Date – Spring Fling

This has been cancelled.

This schedule can change. We will update as new information is available. To receive updates via email, register your email address online near the bottom of the first page of our website, www.cliffbungalowmission.com.





Recruiting a New CBMCA Social Director

The Social Director plays a key role in bringing the community together to celebrate our community. It is the "fun" portfolio of the board.

Our Social Director has stepped down. So, we are recruiting a replacement. If you would like to explore taking on this important role, please contact Bob Lang at cbmca.president@gmail.com.

The Social Director:

- Is part of the Board of Directors of Cliff Bungalow
 Mission Community Association.
- Is a position that is elected annually at the Annual General Meeting or is appointed by the board in between AGMs.
- Leads the Cliff Bungalow Mission Community Association's efforts to provide community-oriented social event programming.
- Utilizes the community centre as a hub for social event programming.
- Supports awareness raising of the community's social events through various means.
- · Chairs the Social Committee.
- Keeps the Board of Directors updated on social event related matters.
- Presents a social report at the Annual General Meeting.

Call to Local Musicians Cliff Bungalow - Mission Community Association is on the lookout for local talent for paid musical opportunities at our community centre. Please reach out to cbmca.editor@gmail.com

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CBMCA 2201 CLIFF ST SW

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WED APR 3
Ben Tizzard Quartet
WED MAY 1
Andréa Petrity Trio
WED JUNE 5
Wendy Lomnes Quartet

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Recruiting a New CBMCA Heritage Director

Cliff Bungalow – Mission is a historic community, and the Heritage Director plays a key role in raising awareness of the community's history.

Our Heritage Director has stepped down. So, we are recruiting a replacement. If you would like to explore taking on this important role, please contact Bob Lang at cbmca.president@gmail.com.

The Heritage Director:

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- Leads the Cliff Bungalow Mission Community Association's efforts to identify, recognize, and protect the community's heritage built and natural environment including its people, places, and history.
- Identifies and encourages implementation of heritage-related guidelines in the City of Calgary's planning documents as they relate to Cliff Bungalow – Mission.
- Supports the addition of historic resources to the Municipal Inventory of Evaluated Historic Resources.
- Promotes awareness of the community's heritage through various means such as heritage plaque installations and articles in the community newsletter.
- Chairs the Heritage Committee.
- Provides support to other CBMCA committees on heritage-related matters such as the Planning and Development Committee.
- Keeps the board of directors updated on heritage-related matters.
- Presents a heritage report at the Annual General Meeting.

What's Up with Mission Bridge?

by Robin Thompson

Buckle up: it's going to be a challenging time for Cliff Bungalow-Mission residents as Mission Bridge undergoes much-needed repairs over the next year.

The bridge was opened to traffic in 1915 and comprises four concrete arches spanning the Elbow River. It last underwent a major rehabilitation in 1987 and is now in need of upgrading to extend its service life and improve mobility and safety for pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists.

The project will include repairing bridge components such as the railing, approach slabs, piers, and abutments, and will mainly address the concrete deterioration across the structure. It will also redesign the bridge cross-section and make it safer for pedestrians and cyclists.

The rehabilitation work on the bridge structure will include:

- General concrete repairs.
- Construction of multi-use pathways on each side.
- Life-cycling the traffic signals at the north intersection.
- Redesigning the three traffic lanes and improving the connections at each end.
- Repairing the retaining wall and sidewalk northwest of the bridge along the elbow river.
- Enhancing lighting to improve visibility and accessibility.
- Updating the aesthetics of the bridge's cross-section.

The project is set to stretch into 2025, so while it will be hugely inconvenient for those of us who use the bridge regularly, the project will greatly improve this critical link in Calgary's transportation network, not to mention the crumbling sidewalks and railings along Elbow Drive.

Here is the link to see a rendering of how the bridge will look and for more information about the project as it progresses: www.calgary.ca/planning/projects/mission-bridge.html.



Mission Bridge by Robin Thompson



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SUNDAY, MAY 5, 10 AM TO I PM

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