

ATHLONE/DUNVEGAN COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Athlone Community League Programs

Interested in having a say in the types of programs that could take place in Athlone and Dunvegan? The Athlone Community League would like to hear from you! Please visit the website or Facebook page to complete a brief survey about your household and the types of programs you would like to see in our community. The survey should only take about 5 minutes and your input is greatly appreciated.

Survey can be found at: athlone.ca or on the Athlone Community League Facebook page.

Annual General Meeting

The Athlone/Dunvegan Annual General Meeting (AGM) has been pushed back a month from May 19th to June 16th due to gathering restrictions. But don't let that delay you in the way if you're looking to get involved with the community! There are still vacancies for the following positions, so if you have experience or interest (or both!) in any of the following areas, please reach out to Melanie (president@athlone.ca) for further information:

Information Tech
Fundraising Coordinator
Casino Representative

All other positions (list available on page 2) will be open and subject to vote at the AGM on June 16th.



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Athlone Community Hall

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Hall Rentals: 780-952-3866

hall@athlone.ca

Memberships: 780-886-7488

membership@athlone.ca

Newsletter: newsletter@athlone.ca

Website:

athlone.ca

Your Athlone/Dunvegan Community

League Leadership:

President: Melanie Limb

Vice-President: Ron Glesby

Treasurer: Shirley Frost

Secretary: Rachel Ironmonger

Membership: Laurie Fisher

Grants: Melanie Limb

Maintenance/Repair: Shane Limb

Newsletter: Scott Ironmonger

Information Tech: Vacant – interim –
Shane Limb

Programs Director: Emily Graca

Community Safety: Rachel
Ironmonger

Area 1 Representatives: Shirley Frost
& Ron Glesby

Casino: Vacant – interim – Shirley
Frost

Fundraiser: Vacant

Equipment: Ron Glesby

Hall Rentals: Shane Limb

Karate: Dan Jaud

President's Message

Hello Everyone!

I am enjoying the weather as it gets warmer, and I hope we all are as well. I would like to ask you all to take some time to fill out our survey and let us know what type of programs we can look to provide this year and in the future. Also, it is almost Annual General Meeting time again and we are always looking for more board members in our community. If you are not sure if you are the right fit for a role, come to the meeting listen to what the role entails and perhaps try it for a year. You don't know if you will like it until you try it.

Melanie

president@athlone.ca



Search for:
"Athlone Community League"



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Nextdoor

Future Athlone/Dunvegan Community League Meetings:

Sunday, May 16, 2021 at 2:00 pm

Sunday, June 13 at 2:00pm

Annual General Meeting: Wednesday, June 16, 2021 at 7:00 pm

All Athlone/Dunvegan Community League meetings are held at the Athlone Community Hall when permitted by health regulations.

For more information contact Melanie Limb at president@athlone.ca

To become a member of the community league contact membership@athlone.ca.

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Spring is in the Air

As we head into spring and the warm weather that comes along with it, some things to remember:

Cyclists will be returning to the road, from the spandex clad enthusiasts to those still learning with training wheels. Please be mindful and respectful of one another, whether you're on four wheels or two.

Playgrounds will undoubtedly be utilized to their utmost this spring. Please ensure you and your children wash their hands before and after use and practice physical distancing as much as possible.

Street sweeping is underway in the city to clear sand and debris that has accumulated over the winter. Be sure to watch for signage in the neighbourhood for when Athlone/Dunvegan will be cleaned. When crews are scheduled, please move your vehicles off the street so they may do a thorough job.

Edmonton Waste Cart Rollout

The City of Edmonton has launched its new cart-based waste collection program. The cart rollout has begun across the city, however residents of Athlone and Dunvegan will not see any changes until summer 2021.

What residents of Athlone and Dunvegan need to know:

Cart Delivery: June 29 – July 27

First Collection: August 3

For more information, visit:

https://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/garbage-recycling-waste.aspx



As a reminder, the City of Edmonton is launching its new bus network on **April 25, 2021**. The network promises to connect you to where you need to go with more direct routes. For residents of Athlone and Dunvegan this means less stops within the interior the neighbourhood, but faster access to the main transport hubs.

The new system will only see buses running along 132 Avenue, Dunvegan Road up to Dunvegan Loop, and along 127 Street.

For more information, including maps of the new routes, please visit:

www.edmonton.ca/projects_plans/transit/bus-network-redesign

Community Garden

A Community Garden is a group of people coming together to nurture, develop and sustain a growing space in their community. There are over 80 community garden sites now operating in Edmonton promoting local, organically grown food; healthy and active lifestyles; and safer, more vibrant and connected communities.

Do you have interest in an Athlone/Dunvegan community garden? Would you like to be involved in setting up the site or stake a plot out for your vegetables? Then contact us at info@athlone.ca. Or, for more information, visit:

https://www.edmonton.ca/residential_neighbourhoods/gardens_lawns_trees/community-gardens.aspx

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COVID-19 Vaccination Locations

The following nearby locations offer the COVID-19 vaccination. But please visit albertahealthservices.ca to learn about eligibility and booking:

- Dolar Drugs: 13211-132 St
- Kai Health (Kensington Pharmacy): 12620A-132 Ave
- Shoppers Drug Mart: 13040-137 Ave
- Safeway Pharmacy: 12950-137 Ave
- Palisades Pharmacy: 12802-137 Ave
- Loblaw Pharmacy (Superstore): 12350-137 Ave
- Glengarry Pharmacy: #115 12222-137 Ave
- Medicine Shoppe Pharmacy: 14020-127 St

You can also find more information by visiting:
<https://www.ab.bluecross.ca/news/covid-19-immunization-program-information.php>



Edmonton Public Library – Calder Branch

The Calder Branch of the Edmonton Public Library remains temporarily closed for in-branch visits, but you can still access library materials using the contactless holds pickup service, Library Takeout!

Using your MyEPL account you can reserve your books/movies, and receive an email when they are ready for pick-up.

For more details visit:

<https://www.epl.ca/reopening>

Jan's Tutoring

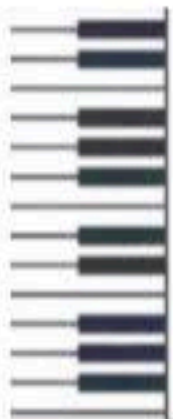
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