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Gold Bar Pancake Breakfast

Sunday, July 19, 10 am - 1 pm

Gold Bar Community Hall 4620 - 105 Ave

Sponsored by Gold Bar Community League

- Free pancakes & sausages with coffee & juice
- Fun activities for the kids
- Silver collection / food bank donations welcome

In case of rain, the breakfast will be served inside. **Help needed - please call Trudy 780-465-2243**

Gold Bar Green Shack is Back!

The *Green Shack* has been delivered to Gold Bar community park so summer must be here!

Our community sponsored program is aimed at children aged 6 – 12. The fun has begun and runs through to the end of August. Monday-Thursday 9:30-5:30, Friday 1:30-5:30. Focus on pre-schoolers Tues & Thurs 10-noon. Please note there will be no wading pool this year.

Join in on July 16th for a Sandcastle building Competition!

Fund-raising at a glance

Community League:	\$452,008.23*
Community League	
Member Donations:	\$9,145.00
Community Groups:	\$1,330.00
Community Fundraising Events:	\$3,937.50
Grand Total:	\$466,420.73

*Money invested in GIC's from casinos & bingos over the years

Free Swim at Outdoor Pools for Community League Members

The City of Edmonton and Gold Bar Community League is offering community league members the opportunity to enjoy swimming at the City of Edmonton's three outdoor Pools: **Borden Park, Oliver** and **Mill Creek**. Community League members can access:

Borden Park & Oliver

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays
May 17 to September 3

Mill Creek

7:00 – 9:00 pm everyday of the week

May 17 – September 1

Members of our community need to show their valid Community League membership for 2007/08 at any of the three outdoor pools and receive free admission during those times. As always Community League members can also access outdoor pools at a discounted rate through the Community League Wellness Program. If their members show a valid Community League Membership Card, they get 20% off an annual pass and 15% off a multiple admission pass.

**Summer is here and mischief is up!
Please make sure to lock and club your vehicle and empty it of ALL valuables.
Be aware of suspicious behavior.**

Our Condolences

Our condolences go to Eric and the family of **Mrs. Marie Albrecht** who passed away June 7. Marie and Eric were married for 52 years and were long-time residents of Gold Bar.

Our condolences also to Margaret, who lost her husband **John Kowalski** on June 8 after 62 years of marriage.

Also, our first-ever President of Gold Bar Community League, **Mr. Reg Roberts**, passed away in March.

70th Gold Bar Scouts Group

The 70th Gold Bar Scout Group will be holding their Registration Nite and BBQ on Tuesday, August 23, 2009 @ Fulton Place Hall, 6115 Fulton Road, Edmonton from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. Registration fees are \$165 per youth until the end of August. Starting September 1, 2009 fees are \$180 per youth. 70th Gold Bar is a co-ed Group.

Beavers - ages 5 - 7

Cubs - ages 8 - 10

Scouts - ages 11-14

Come and join us and meet Leaders and Group Committee and enjoy a hamburger or hot dog. For more info call Lorna @ (780) 465-5594 or Sally @ (780) 465-7009.

Babysitting Registry

Our Community League has a babysitting registry with a roster of local young people willing to babysit on a casual basis. Call Lil at 780-466-4060 and she will put you in touch with someone offering babysitting services.

What are the Dog Gone Rules?

Are you uncertain what the rules are for walking dogs in the City of Edmonton? The City of Edmonton has very specific rules for dogs set out in the Animal Licensing Bylaw and the Parkland Bylaw. **Dogs are absolutely not allowed on the school grounds.**

Rules for dogs are in place for the safety of your community and the safety of your pet.

www.edmonton.ca/parks

Visit and click on "Off Leash Park Sites" for more information. 2009 Parks for Paws pamphlets are also available at any of our office sites.

Canvassers Needed...

Canvassers are needed for the Gold Bar Community League Fall Membership Drive.

A huge "Thank You" to all those who sold memberships door to door last fall. We were able to canvass most of the neighbourhood! Please consider donating a few hours to canvass a route. A route has, on average, only 25 homes.

For more information or to sign up for a route, please contact Karen at 780 465-7294 or bklball@telus.net.

Neighbourhood Scrapbooking

Mark your calendars for September 15th, October 20th and November 17th, from 6:30 – 10:00 pm and come out to join your friends and neighbours for some scrapbooking fun! Beginners are more than welcome and will receive any help needed to get started. Punches and a cutting system will be available for all to use. The cost to Community League Members is \$5.00 (membership cards must be presented when attending) and \$8.00 for Non Members.

To reserve your spot, please contact Dawn Kehoe at 780-469-6080 / 780-983-4241 or e-mail at sdlkehoe@shaw.ca

A Heartfelt "Thank You"

- to everyone who helped with the Gold Bar Seniors' Tea on June 5: Lise Allman, Karen Ball, Diane Brauer, Pat Cork, Stacey Herbrik, Deena Hopkinson, Nicole Kraychy, Isabella Pierce, and Diane Ryan & family. From grocery-shopping to decorating, from serving coffee to cleaning up, your help was sincerely appreciated. Without you there is no way this annual event could take place.
- to Mrs Yakimishyn and students from Gold Bar School for your impressive gift of music. Your time, talents, and smiles were very much appreciated by all!
- to Marshall Chemy who spearheaded a project to recognize 50-year Gold Bar residents with certificates prepared by Hugh MacDonald (MLA Edmonton-Gold Bar) and his office staff. Recipients who attended the tea took their certificates home while the rest have been (will be) delivered. Congratulations!

Plan Ahead for BINGO...

Please consider volunteering for these upcoming Bingo dates:

PARKWAY

Thursday, July 9, 2009
Wed., Aug. 12, 2009
Wed., Sept. 23, 2009
Sunday, Oct. 11, 2009
Monday, Nov. 9, 2009
Tuesday, Dec. 8, 2009
Sunday, January 31, 2010
Thurs., March 11, 2010
Friday, April 9, 2010
Saturday, June 12, 2010
Wed., July 14, 2010
Saturday, August 14, 2010

FORT ROAD

Sunday, August 30, 2009
Saturday, Oct. 17, 2009
Saturday, Dec. 5, 2009
Thursday, Jan. 7, 2010
Saturday, Feb. 13, 2010
Tuesday, March 30, 2010
Wed., April 14, 2010
Saturday, June 26, 2010

As always, your help is appreciated by the Gold Bar Community.

Gold Bar Preschool

There is a fantastic 3 and 4 year-old preschool that runs out of Gold Bar elementary school and it is now accepting registrations. It's a morning program and you can register your child for 2 or 3 days per week. The ages that it accommodates are 4 year-olds through to children who turn three before Sept. 1, 2009. All children must be toilet-trained. The teacher is certified and more importantly, wonderful! Please pick up a registration form in the school office (open August 24), or phone Gold Bar Preschool president Sondi Gross at 780-468-2237.

McNally Reunion August 29

Hi Everyone! I hope this finds you enthusiastic about joining us for the McNally Reunion ('67 - '72), **August 29, 2009**, at **The Lodge at Snow Valley** (Rainbow Valley). We only have room for 225 people and responses are picking up as people finalize their summer plans. To be sure you can be included, please act promptly by sending your cheque and updated information to: McNally Reunion

65 Crocus Crescent,
Sherwood Park, AB T8H 2K1

Time: 5:00 PM - 2:00 AM

Includes: Appetizers, buffet dinner, dessert, photo CD of the evening (to be mailed after processing)

Cost: \$60/ person or \$115/ couple Cash Bar

Accommodations: Camping - <http://www.rainbow-valley.com/association.aspx>
Motels and Hotels - We have not made any arrangements with motels and hotels since there are so many.

Wednesday Morning Ladies Curling

Please join us for a fun league at the OTTEWELL CURLING CLUB, 4205 - 102 AVENUE
For Information Call Marie at 780-929-5473
or e-mail marie.sather@yahoo.ca
No experience necessary, individuals or teams welcome. **REGISTRATION September 09, 2009 9:30 am** at the Curling Rink

Gold Bar Building Committee Update

We are pleased to announce that the successful bidder for the building project is **Sherry Shorten Architect Inc.**

Also, community-based North SEERA Hockey Association has confirmed their commitment as a financial partner in the project.

We are excited that this project has seen so much progress in the past year, and we thank the entire community for your ongoing support. Any questions or concerns over the summer? Give me a call at 780-468-1272 or e-mail scottlb@telus.net

Thank you
Laurie Scott, Project Chair

Cycling Mommas

Adults of all ages and fitness levels are welcome to join us in exploring the river valley, getting some exercise, and enjoying the fall weather. We will ride until it snows. Quality childcare is provided for those with little ones! Meeting & registration Thursday, **Sept 3 9:30 am** sharp, Grace United Church 6215-104 Ave. Fees include childcare (space limited) We cycle on Tuesdays & Thursdays mornings from 9:30-10:30, followed by coffee. Cycling starts on Tuesday Sept 8. For more information call Stacey 465-0486 or Jenn 988-2488.

Fitness, Fun & Fellowship

Enjoy the fellowship of this great group of women while becoming fit in one of Edmonton's best, most affordable fitness classes. Meeting & registration Wed., **Sept 9** at 9:30 am sharp, Grace United Church 6215-104 Ave. Monday class begins on Sept 14 Fee: \$35 Wednesday class begins on Sept 16 Fee: \$45 (Childcare provided on Wednesdays only) Classes run from 9:30-10:45 am followed by coffee.

For more information call Sandra @ 466-9542

Gold Bar Communications

If you have a submission for the Gold Bar Newsletter, please call Stacey at **780-465-0486** or e-mail me at: stacey.goldbar@hotmail.com The next newsletter deadline is **9:00 pm, Monday, September 7.** You can also contact me if you need to post a message on the community sign located at 106 Ave. & 47 St.

You can access community information and events on the Gold Bar website at: www.goldbarcl.com

If you need to send any correspondence regarding the Community League, or to send a donation to the Building Committee, please mail to: Gold Bar Community League
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