

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SPEAK AT THE INFILL PUBLIC HEARING?

The Public Hearing is tentatively scheduled for February 9 from 1:30 to 9:30 pm. We will keep you posted and advise when the date is confirmed. If you are not on the e-newsletter list, you may want to consider registering.

If you would like to speak at the meeting, please register now using the link below.

Each registered speaker has 5 minutes to speak to Council, and then may be asked questions by Councillors and the Mayor. It is anticipated that there will be a number of registered speakers, so speakers should be prepared to commit to the full time.

The order of speakers at the meeting is generally determined by those who register the earliest to those who register the latest.

Residents can use the following link to register: <http://webproxy.edmonton.ca/forms/requesttospeak/default.aspx>



January 2015

ASPEN news

Making the neighbourhood you want to live in!

AGCL Building Subcommittee Update

The Building Subcommittee continues to meet regularly, to explore the feasibility of a new community league hall. We have visited three Edmonton community leagues so far to gather valuable information regarding their approach to hall development and/or hall utilization.

We welcome any AGCL members to join our group as we continue this interesting process.

Please contact Greg Meimar at gmeimar@gmail.com for more information.

SOCCER REGISTRATION

for 2015 Outdoor season will take place in FEBRUARY!

Don't miss out on registering your child for this GREAT community activity.

The In-Person registration dates are as follows:

Feb 2, 10 & 19 from 6:30-8:30 pm at the Aspen Gardens Community League Building

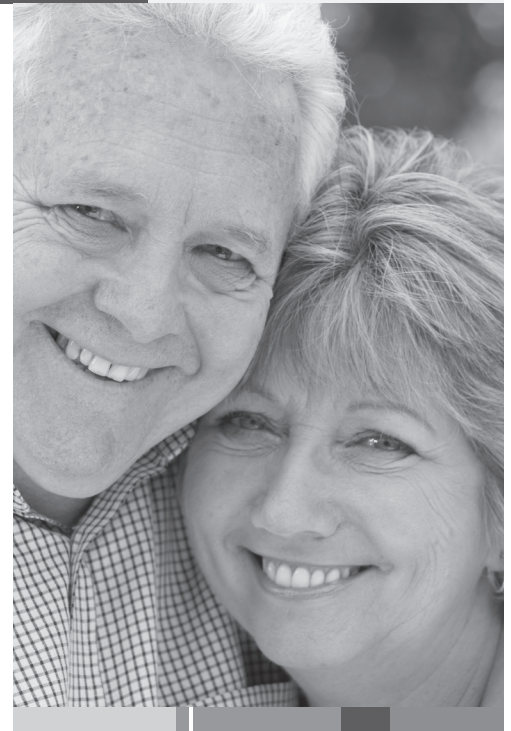
Feb 7 from 1-3 pm at the Aspen Gardens Community League Building

Instructions and pricing to follow. Watch for this info coming to you soon!



Thanks to all who attended Winterfest!

The winter festival was a great success. The weather was perfect, and the roaring fires kept everyone toasty warm. Thanks to the Long Riders for coming out and bringing their beautiful team of horses; the sleigh bells helped set the mood. The winning sled was decorated with gold garland and multi-coloured Christmas balls. Please contact Shannon at jtyson@telus.net to receive your prize for the "best dressed" sled. Thanks to everyone for coming out!



Aspen Adult Shinny

We're keeping a watchful eye on the ice conditions. Aspenite Greg Meimar is once again coordinating adult shinny. It will take place at 8:30pm Tuesday nights - all AGCL members welcome. For more information, contact Greg Meimar at gmeimar@gmail.com



Ski Aspen

(we're sure more snow is coming)!

Tracks are set once again around the schools and snow covered soccer fields of Aspen Gardens, thanks to local nordic ski and snowshoe enthusiasts. Lovingly referred to as the "Aspenbeiner" (a tongue-in-cheek nod to the local Canadian Birkebeiner race), this little collection of trails provides an easy-to-access option for recreation and exercise. Nordic skiers and snowshoers in the area are encouraged to make use of this community asset. Thanks to input from a local biologist, the layout of the Aspenbeiner trails is designed to protect islands of untrampled ("api") snow around select clusters of trees. The trail design also encourages snowshoeing in a manner that leaves helpful paths for students walking across the field to local schools.

For more information, and a detailed map, go to AspenB.dldarnell.org.



Petrolia Seniors'

Group (55+)

Invites YOU to come to enjoy Lunch and a Program (\$15)

The **third Tuesdays (except July and August)** 11:45 a.m. (sharp) to 2:00 p.m. at **Greenfield Community Hall 3803-114 Street**

January 20th, 2015 –Paula Streaan
Laugh your stress away with Laughter Yoga!

February 17th - Rev Travis Enright
Indian Residential Schools, to be confirmed

In addition enjoy another "outing" during most months. For more information or to **CONFIRM** your attendance by the Friday **preceding** the lunch meeting please **Call:** Nick 780-435-1045 or Betty 780-434-0711. We look forward to your participation!

Free Drop-In Learn to Skate Program

Aspen Gardens Community League
12015 39A ave

For participants of all ages! Children 5 and under require a parent or guardian to attend.

Fun and basic skill are the focus of this **free drop-in** skating program. Participants will be exposed to various skating skills while participating in stations and games. Children will learn basic skating skills at their own pace. The program will be adapted to the age and skill level of the participants dropping into the program.

Fridays, January 16 – February 27

Time: 4:00-7:00

Preschool Ages 4-6 4:00- 5:00

Children Ages 7-12 5:00- 6:00

Family All Ages 6:00-7:00

Participants can stay for the full time for their age group or drop in for a short while!

*The program will cancel at -20 degrees Celsius with the wind-chill

Participants must have their own skates. A CSA approved helmet is mandatory for participation





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The deadline for submissions to the newsletter is the 20th of each month.
Send submissions to Jan Archbold at **communications@aspengardens.ca**.

In the event of a building emergency at our community hall,
please contact **Harold Bens at 780.434.6073**.