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June 2023

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July 4 - August 24

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July 4 - August 24

Get in touch with us:

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ERMINESKIN COMMUNITY LEAGUE

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NOVEMBER 7 & 8

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Neil Thompson and David Long

erminesteinhauerw@gmail.com**PROGRAMS****Edmonton Girl Guides:** edmbettymartindc@girlguides.ca<https://www.girlguides.ca/WEB/AB/>**59th Greenfield Scout Troop:**scouts.orange@59thedmontonscouts.com**Soccer:** DD3.Kaskitayo@swemsa.ca**Quilting & UFO Crafts:** Pat Vos - (780) 886-7838 and
Arlene - (780) 437-6786**Craft Fair:** eclcraftfair@gmail.com**PRESCHOOL:****Dani Lang** erminekinpreschool@gmail.com**ECL Office Host:** Kalie den Besten - eclinfo1@gmail.com**Community Services:** City of Edmonton (311)**NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING RATES****February** issue submit by **Dec 20****April** issue submit by **Feb 28****June** issue submit by **Apr 30****September** issue submit by **July 30****November** issue submit by **Sept 30**

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Payment due before the submit deadline above.

For more information visit our website at
www.erminekincommunity.ca

The Erminekin Board of Directors meets the second Tuesday of every month at 7:00 PM

All are welcome to attend however only ECL members have voting privileges.

Upcoming Board Meetings:

June 13th
September 12th

If you have a special concern, please call the office (780-438-6623) or email (eclinfo1@gmail.com) to have it added to the agenda.

Message from your Neighbourhood Watch

As the weather gets warmer and the days get longer, it's time to break out the flip flops, sunscreen, and funny-looking hats. But before you head out to soak up the sun, let's talk about some important summer safety tips to keep in mind in the Steinhauer neighborhood.

First things first, lock up! Yes, we know you're excited to get out there and enjoy the beautiful summer weather, but don't forget to lock up your home and car before you leave. Because let's face it, the only thing worse than a hot summer day is coming home to find out your belongings have been swiped by a sneaky thief.

Next up, keep an eye out for suspicious activity. If you see someone lurking around your neighbor's yard or acting oddly, don't hesitate to contact the authorities. It's always better to be safe than sorry, and besides, the more eyes on the street, the less likely anyone is to cause trouble.

And speaking of eyes on the street, let's talk about pets. If you're lucky enough to have a furry friend to enjoy the summer with, make sure they're leashed or in a fenced area. We don't want any runaway pets causing chaos in the neighborhood. Plus, if they get too hot, they might try to steal your popsicle. Trust us, it's happened before.

Now, let's talk about staying cool. We know it's tempting to spend all day outside, but remember to stay hydrated and avoid prolonged exposure to the sun. And if you do decide to spend the day lounging by the pool, don't forget the sunscreen. Nobody wants to be the person with a bright red nose and shoulders for the rest of the summer.

Lastly, let's talk about being vigilant while enjoying your favorite summer activities. Whether you're biking, hiking, or swimming, always keep an eye out for hazards and stay safe. And if you happen to fall off your bike or trip while hiking, just remember to play it cool and act like you meant to do that.

By following these simple summer safety tips, you can enjoy a safe and happy summer in Steinhauer. Just remember to stay alert, lock up, and never underestimate the power of a good popsicle.

Neil Thompson, your neighbourhood watch ambassador

CONTACT ME

I am here to help you - no problem is too big or too small.

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FOR MORE UPDATES

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Check out the digital newsletter on our website for an intro from Councillor Jennifer Rice, along with information about new safe crosswalks, safety concerns and other updates.

The Ermineskin Community League office will be closed during the summer, July and August. Phone and email messages will be checked periodically. Office reopens September 4.

FREE VACATION BIBLE CAMP

For K to Grade 6

July 17 to 21, 2023

8:45 am to 4:30 pm

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Starting June 1, 2023:
for more information and to register
go to www.risenlord.ca.
Additional questions may be directed to
Connie Head, VBC Coordinator
Email: risenlord@telus.net
Phone: 780.440.6476



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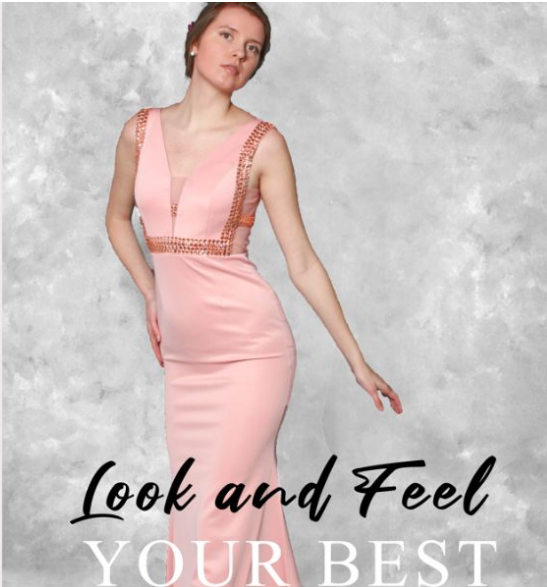
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Thank you to the scouts for their community project, completing a two-hour clean-up around Ermineskin in April. Great job!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

- Newsletter Distributor
- Soccer Director

Contact ECLinfo1@gmail.com

Community Wellness Program

Present your valid Edmonton community league membership card at any on of the City of Edmonton's sports and fitness facilities and choose from the following Community League Wellness Products:

- **Annual Membership** - 20% discount on Adult, Family, Child, and Youth/Senior Annual Memberships
- **Multi Admission Pass** - 15% discount on our already discounted multi admission pass (5+ visits)
- **Continuous Monthly Membership** - 20% discount off an on-going monthly membership using our convenient Pre-Authorized Debit Program

Community league members who purchase one of the options will be issued a photo access card to be swiped at each admission



Petrolia Seniors Group (55+) invites seniors in Greenfield and surrounding neighbourhoods to attend a social outing the third Tuesday of each month (except July or August) to enjoy a tasty buffet lunch and an educational or entertaining program Occasionally, a field trip or other activity is offered.

3rd Tuesday of the month

11:45 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Please be seated no later than 11:40 a.m.

Cost: \$25

Greenfield Hall – 3804 – 114 Street

June 20th – Musical Entertainment.

For more information or to CONFIRM your attendance PLEASE CALL:

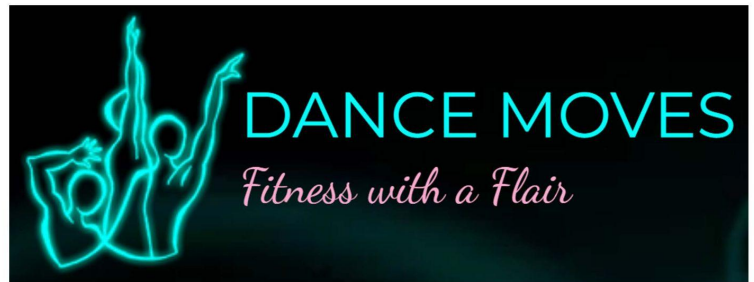
Claire - 780-435-3051 or Betty - 780-434-0711

An additional “outing” is offered each month for your enjoyment

For information call Joyce - 780-435-6388

All Seniors are very welcome

Come to enjoy lunch, fun, door prizes, and an interesting program!



In Person | Online | Hybrid | VIP Dance Mover

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- All Ages (8 – 80+)
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Southside Church of the Nazarene

10712 29 Ave NW 780-437-2217




RENEW YOUR COMMUNITY LEAGUE MEMBERSHIPS

MEMBERSHIP RATES:

SINGLE/SINGLE PARENT FAMILY: \$25

FAMILY: \$35

SENIORS (65 YEARS AND OLDER): NO CHARGE

MEMBERSHIPS CAN ALSO BE PURCHASED
ONLINE (WWW.EFCL.ORG) OR THOUGH OUR OFFICE
WITH CASH OR CHEQUE.

SCAN ME!



FOR MORE INFORMATION

**SOUTHSIDE CHURCH
OF THE NAZARENE**

Sunday mornings
at 10:30 both
in person and online



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PASTORS JONNY AND JEN BLAKE



FOR MORE
INFORMATION

THE ATRIUM

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Would you like to see your original artwork, cartoon or poetry in our newsletter? We are looking for hand-drawn artwork, cartoons or poetry to showcase in our newsletter.

Submit your creation to star in our Enlightened Entertainment section to ECLinfo1@gmail.com with your name and age, and you may see your creative talent shared in our next newsletter.

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<https://www.facebook.com/groups/ermineskincommunity>

ERMINESKIN/STIEHNHAUER NEIGHBOURHOOD WATCH:

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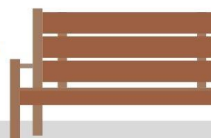
5 times a year? We are looking for **newsletter carriers** for the following routes:

- 4E near 104 Street and 24 Ave (52 homes)
- 8E near 104 A Street and 27 Ave (65 homes)
- 9E near 104 Street and 26 Ave (66 homes)
- 10E near 105 Street and 24 Ave (67 homes)
- 13s near 108 Street and 31 Ave (62 homes)
- 14s near 110 Street and 32 Ave (40 homes)

We also need a **newsletters distributor** to sort and deliver the newsletters to carriers

Please contact ECLinfo1@gmail.com if you are interested.

Newsletters are delivered February, April, June, September and November



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Ermineskin Community League Board has decided to not host the Community Craft Fair in November 2023.

We will host the event in November 2024 when our key volunteers are in place and the construction in our community has decreased.

Expressions of Interest to participate in the 2024 will be sent out in January 2024. Email the office (ECLinfo1@gmail.com) to be added to the list.



April 30th 2023

INTRODUCTION

Hello, my name is Jennifer Rice, and I'm the City Councillor for Ward Ipiihkoohkanipiahtsi. I'm excited to use this space to share with you the latest city updates and discuss topics that matter to you. I thought I'd start with sharing a little bit about myself...

- **Favourite food:** Anything spicy.
- **A song that always gets me dancing:** Gimme! Gimme! Gimme! By ABBA.
- **Favourite colour:** Red, because it's vibrant and festive.
- **Favourite hobby:** I have accumulated a small collection of indoor plants, and some have followed me to City Hall! If you are planning a trip to City Hall, let me know so you can get a tour to see the plants (and me) in person.

SAFETY CONCERNS

As we begin to enter a new month, I would like to address worries about personal safety in Ermineskin that have been brought to my attention. Over the past month I have received an increasing amount of emails filled with concerns regarding drug usage and crime in the neighborhood and what could be done about it.

Listening to your concerns, I had taken actions to ensure the Ermineskin community's concerns can be properly addressed. I discussed community safety issues with an Edmonton Police Service officer responsible for the Ermineskin. My office facilitated communication between the Edmonton Police Commission and Ermineskin constituents.

FINAL NOTE

It is an honour and privilege to be your representative. I am available to discuss the issues that are important to you, answer any questions you may have, and assist with any concerns about city services. My door is always open.

CONTACT ME

I am here to help you - no problem is too big or too small.

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FOR MORE UPDATES

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NEW SAFE CROSSWALKS

In coordination with the City, Ermineskin will receive new safe crosswalks! Here are the locations set for construction in 2023 and 2024-2026:

2023

| Location | Type of Enhancement |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| 109 Street and 29A Ave | Rapid Flashing Beacons |

2024-2026 Locations

East of 108 ST on 29 Ave

ADDITIONAL UPDATES

Potholes:

- As of April 23, City of Edmonton have filled 48,884 potholes.

Encampments:

- City of Edmonton teams working with civic and community partners have cleaned 388 vacant encampments, removing 243,000 kg of waste.

Residential Parking Program

- The public will be invited to share perspective on the Residential Parking Program on a public survey open until May 2nd available at engaged.edmonton.ca/ResidentialParking.