

Windsor Park Community Newsletter

June 2012

Message from the President... Every Day, In Every Way, It's Getting Better and Better (repeat)

Finally, it has started. The city and utility contractors are busy digging up the north-east corner of Windsor Park, and, over the next two years, will work their way through our soon-to-be-even-lovelier neighbourhood, replacing sidewalks and light standards, and otherwise rehabilitating infrastructure. After that, they have promised not to return for another sixty years. Whew!

There will be considerable discomfort during the construction phase. Vehicle access and parking will be difficult to nigh-on-impossible at times. If you have questions on construction matters, please contact Avi Thiessen at 780.495.9963 or avi.thiessen@edmonton.ca.

Infrastructure Consultation Updates

The city's plans for infrastructure redevelopment gave rise to a number of contentious issues requiring further consultation with affected residents and the city:

Saskatchewan Drive between 118th and 116th Streets will become a one-way, east-bound roadway and left-turns to, and right turns from, Emily Murphy Hill will be banned. The main reason for the change is the fact that the present intersection does not meet current standards. At the same time, the roadway will be narrowed, from 11823 Saskatchewan Drive east, to reduce the potential impacts on existing trees and landscaping arising from the installation of a multi-use trail along the drive. My thanks to the residents of this block for their patience and help while we worked to find an acceptable compromise.

The city has agreed not to construct a sidewalk on Edinboro Road between 118th Street and 93rd Avenue, if that is what the residents therein request. The

city now agrees with the league that this is not an essential sidewalk and that the sidewalks on 93rd Avenue and 118th Street serve as a through-route.

The city will be adding some parking spaces on 92nd, 91st and 89th avenues. These new parking spaces have not been greeted with unalloyed joy, but the league and city both agree it is a reasonable compromise to help offset the complete loss of parking on 116 Street due to the installation of new bike lanes.

Break-ins and Thefts

After March's spate of break-ins and thefts, it is once again quiet in our neighbourhood. The two arrests seem to have done the job. Our thanks go out to everyone who kept their eyes open and the police lines humming. Don't stop now! Report any suspicious activity to the police non-emergency line at 780.423.4567.

Park Re-Development Update

The end of the school year will be the start of phase two of our park redevelopment. This will see the construction of a shelter, teaching area, granular paths through to the north park and back, sledding hill next to the basketball courts and the rehabilitation and realignment of the soccer fields to meet current standards. Thankfully, our new playground will remain open, and there will be a city-run, "green shack" program for children during the summer.

Even more exciting news is that we have been approved for the city's portion of funding for a spray deck in 2013! I double-checked, and it is indeed legal for older people, such as myself, to scamper through a spray deck, too!

Summer Sizzler and Park Celebration

This year, we will not be holding a summer sizzler in June. Instead, we will be

having a celebration on a Saturday afternoon in early September to open phase two of our park redevelopment. Watch your mailboxes toward the middle of August for more details. Come on out to meet your neighbours and enjoy the new park features.

Your Community, Your Volunteers

I am so very grateful for the volunteers in our community. Everything from the playschool to soccer to this newsletter depends on their labours on our

behalf. Bigger issues tend to grab the limelight, but it is the day-to-day work that makes our community such a wonderful place to live. Thank you so very, very much!

If you have any question or concerns on these, or any other, issues, please feel free to contact me at
jbcollier@shaw.ca
780.433.1270.

John Collier

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Windsor Park Community League

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field trips a week and much more.

Children must have completed grades
one through six to register.

Fees are \$150/wk or \$500/month.

For more information and registration
contact Ava or Ruth
780-439-1456

windsorparkafterschool@shaw.ca

Art Through The Eyes of Seniors

Jeff Allen Art Gallery (JAGG}
Strathcona Place Senior Centre
10831 University Ave

June 1, 2012 to June 27, 2012
Reception Wednesday June 13, 2012
6:30 – 8:30 PM

Throughout the month of June, Seniors
will celebrate their years by sharing their
talents with the general public in several
venues around the city. The Jeff Allen Art
Gallery will also highlight seniors during
June. Many from all parts of the city are
putting on an excellent art exhibit. It will
be a mixed media show with everything
from brush to pallet knife. There will also
be pottery, woodwork, fibre art, sewing
and quilting. This impressive exhibit is a
must see. Everyone is welcome.

**Best viewing hours for the general
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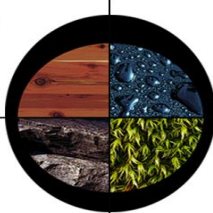




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Mark plans to be our neighbourhood pharmacist for a very long time to come. About 25 years, he says.

So drop in and say hi.

PS: While you're at it, ask Mark why there's almost no difference in drug pricing between the big chain stores and warm, friendly, personal-service neighbourhood pharmacies like Mark's.



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Lister Hall's Rezfest Saturday September 15th, 2012

The Lister Hall Students' Association is planning and preparing for our annual charity concert event, Rezfest. Each year, the Lister Hall Students' Association hosts a large outdoor concert and barbeque in our "front yard" between the residence towers. This event usually kicks off the year for students. Traditionally, all proceeds have gone to the Cross Cancer Institute and in the past 4 years, our event has raised over \$30,000! The LHSA takes pride in hosting such a successful event and we hope to raise even more money for the neighboring Cross Cancer Institute this September!

As this concert is an outdoor event for 1,300 students, it's important to note that the level of noise will be greater than usual in the Windsor Park area between 6 p.m. and 12 a.m. on Saturday, September 15th. In the

past, we've been very appreciative of the understanding we've received from the Windsor Park Community League regarding this event and we look forward to working with the WPCL in making this year's event as successful and inobtrusive to the community around us as possible. As in the past couple years, we will direct the stage east so that minimal noise reaches the surrounding residential area.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding Rezfest or Lister Hall in general, please feel free to contact Eric Martin at 780-492-8867 or by email at president@lhsa.ualberta.ca. If any concerns arise at the time of the event on September 15th, you can reach Eric at 780-965-1533. Thank you for your time and have a safe and enjoyable summer!





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**Lobster Roll Lunch, Saturday, June 23,
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If you are a connoisseur of seafood,
then this is an open invitation to join us for
our annual Ashbourne Assisted Living Place
fundraiser to enjoy fresh Nova Scotia
lobster rolls. Chicken rolls are always there
for the faint of heart. Tickets (\$20.00) are
available from robthechaplain@gmail.com
or at 780-695-2737. Event takes place on
the Ashbourne patio, mosquitoes and
weather permitting; otherwise in the
Assembly Hall.

Garneau United Church and the Ashbourne
Assisted Living Place are both located at
11148 84th Avenue.

Canada Day Road Race

Sunday, July 1

Runners/walkers participating in the
Annual Canada Day Road Race will be
passing through your Windsor Park
neighborhood between 7:30 – 9:00am.
There will be no road closures in your area.
We do ask that you are careful and
courteous if you are in a vehicle during that
time. We will have volunteers stationed
throughout the race route, to ensure a safe
experience for runners and residents. We
would greatly appreciate it if this information
could be communicated to the residents in
this area through your community league.

We appreciate your understanding and
thank you for your cooperation. If you have
any questions, please do not hesitate to
contact me at 432-6696 or 407-7299.

Joan Radford
Race Director, Canada Day Road Race,
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HERITAGE AMPHITHEATRE EVENTS AND PERFORMANCES – 2012



Event	Time	Date
JUNE		
Pecha Kucha 13	6 – 10 pm	June 6
Leduc Composite Band Concert	5 pm – 10 pm	June 7
Open Sky Music Festival	5 pm – 10 pm Fri	June 8
	12 pm – 10 pm Sat/Sun	June 9 & 10
Vernon Barford School Band Concert	6 pm-9 pm	June 12
McNally High School Band Concert	4 pm-9 pm	June 13
Freewill Shakespeare Festival	8 pm Tues-Sun & 2 pm Sat-Sun	June 14–July 22
JULY		
Freewill Shakespeare Festival	8 pm Tues-Sun, 2 pm Sat-Sun	June 28–July 22
Edmonton ITU Triathlon	All day within park	July 6 - July 8
Intersellar Rodeo Music Festival	5 pm-10 pm Fri	July 27-July 29
	2 pm-10 pm Sat-Sun	
AUGUST		
Heritage Days	All day	August 3 – 6
Shea International Music Festival	12 pm – 10 pm	August 11
Edmonton Rock Music Festival	4 pm-10 pm Fri	August 17
	11 am-10 pm Sat	August 18
Blues Festival	4 pm-10 pm Fri	August 24
	1 pm-10 pm Sat Sun	August 25-26
Symphony Under the Sky	7 pm-10 pm	August 31
SEPTEMBER		
Symphony Under the Sky	2 pm-10 pm	September 1, 2
	2 pm-6 pm	September 3
U of A Students' Union Pep Rally	3 pm-10 pm	September 4
Sing to Make Dreams Come True	10 am – 10 pm Fri, 12 – 10 pm Sat	Sept. 14 – 15
Santa's Anonymous Toy Run	9 am-4 pm	September 30

NOTE: Events and times may be subject to change; events added throughout the season.

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