

LENDRUM LIVING

March/April 2016



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April 4



Lendrum Community League AGM

Lendrum Hall 7-8:30 pm
social to follow

Party for our Park & Silent Auction Silent Auction Items Needed!

Lendrum's Park Redevelopment Committee is seeking donated items for our **April 23** silent auction. If you work for a company that would be willing to donate something or if you have a new item or service that you are willing to donate please contact Michaela at Michaela.k@shaw.ca. All donors have the choice between two tickets to the event or an ad in the May newsletter.

Thank you for your support! We look forward to seeing you at the auction.



Greetings

President's Message - January 2016

Lendrum Community League's Annual General Meeting will be held from 7-8:30pm on Monday, April 4th at the Lendrum Community Hall. Come find out what's happening in your community, give input and maybe even take on a volunteer roll (social coordinator anyone??). The formal part of the evening will be followed by a social gathering of neighbours. It's always great to see new faces (and familiar ones) at these meetings so come join us!

All annual reports will be posted at: <http://www.lendrum.org/agm.html> once available. If you have any questions please feel free to contact me - president@lendrum.org or 780.450.0927.

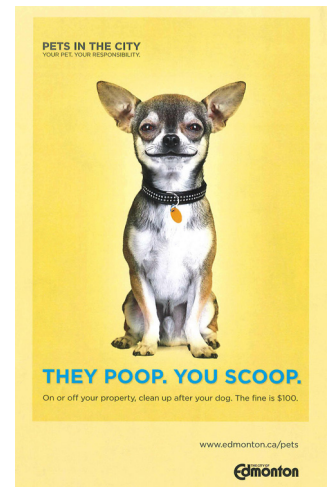
Gary Goulden

Civics

In November 2015, the University Board of Governors approved farm lands that can be transferred to the new University of Alberta Property Trust. The farm lands between Grandview and Lansdowne were included in the Board's decision. The Alberta Government Cabinet now has to approve the list of lands. If Cabinet approves, the University can sign 99-year leases between itself and the University of Alberta Property Trust. The Trust can then develop the lands for profit and according to the City's planning processes. Profits of the Trust go to the University. The Trust must adhere to the Long Range Development Plan and currently has no projects under consideration. The Trust has a Board to set strategic directions but has not yet hired an Executive Director to run its operations.

The University of Alberta Dean of Physical Education announced on March 4 that the University secured funding to put a roof on Foote Field. He also announced a 2017 completion date for the project.

The City ended the new pilot Pleasantview traffic calming measures four months after they were installed. The pilot ended several months earlier than planned. A large number of Pleasantview residents were displeased with the measures and quite vocal in their displeasure. The measures helped a small number of heavily impacted residents but were an inconvenience to the majority of residents. The City is undertaking a study to understand how these unpopular measures got implemented.



Not yet a member of Lendrum's Community League?

There are many benefits to joining: access to hall rentals, skate tags for the outdoor rinks, five free swims a year, community soccer, and more!

Find the membership form online or contact our membership rep, Joanne at membership@lendrum.org.

- Looking for an opportunity to
- volunteer an hour or two a
- week close to home? If you are
- interested in working with long
- term care patients at South
- Terrace, contact Kyla Romanchuk
- at (780) 434-1451.

TOWN HALL

WITH

HONOURABLE LORI SIGURDSON

You're invited! Come have a conversation with your MLA for Edmonton-Riverview
All welcome - Hope to see you!



Location: Lendrum Hall 11335-57 Ave NW

Date: Tuesday, March 22nd

Time: 7:00PM-9:00PM

Light refreshments will be provided

Community Bulletin Board

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Join the LEC



Lendrum Energy Committee

Wherein we research and discuss ideas for the future of Lendrum's energy sustainability

Email pam@zaw.com if you are interested

This is a casual discussion group, no experience necessary, come to listen, learn, or instruct. Come share the dream. It's green!



Casino volunteers still needed!

Our Lendrum Community League Casino is scheduled for Saturday April 30 and Sunday May 1 at the Baccarat Casino in Edmonton. We are still in need of a few volunteers to help run this event. You will be given a free meal and snacks, and all the on-the-job training you require. Newcomers are more than welcome, it's a great way to meet Lendrum neighbours.

To view the shifts remaining and to sign up visit: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0a44aeaa22a64-lendrum> or contact Catherine Rostron - casino@lendrum.org or crostron@telus.net, or by phone 780.434.3839. Extra volunteers are always needed in case of illnesses, etc so please email Catherine if you are able to be an alternate.



Advertising in the Lendrum Newsletter: No charge: classified ads from Lendrum residents, ads from non-profit organizations benefitting the Lendrum area. Paid ads: all other ads - business card \$15; 1/4 page \$25; 1/3 page \$35; 1/2 page \$50; full page \$95 (sizes are approximate). Contact newsletter@lendrum.org.



Moving? Downsizing? Decluttering?

I can help you with that. I will take your unused items and sell them for you on Kijiji on a commission basis.

Please contact Charlene at 780-257-1813 or shesellsyourstuff@gmail.com for details.



Lendrum Pottery Group

Mother's Day Sale
Saturday April 30, 2016

10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Lendrum Hall

Pottery for all tastes at reasonable prices.

Dishwasher, oven and freezer safe.
Free coffee

Hello people of Lendrum! Lendrum Mennonite Brethren Church (11210 59 Ave) is hosting a benefit concert on Saturday, April 2 at 7 p.m. The Excentrica Women's Chamber Chorus (<http://www.excentrica.ca/>) presents "Sing me a Story."

This eclectic, auditioned chamber ensemble choir is admired for its seriously beautiful singing (without taking themselves too seriously) and will share the stage with invited guests to inspire and entertain.

Admission (by donation) goes to support Canadian Peacemakers International (<http://www.canadianpeacemakers.org/>), a charity that helps create educational opportunities in rural Honduras. All are welcome!

- Brent Wittmeier (vice-chair of CPI)

School News

Avalon Junior High

EPSB Pre-Enrollment for the 2016/2017 school year runs from March 14-April 14. Avalon is an “Open Boundary” Junior High, offering both English and French Immersion Programming.

Avalon 50th Anniversary Open House

On Thursday, May 5th, École Avalon School will celebrate it’s 50th anniversary. Doors open at 6:30pm for alumni and community to come look around and meet with former classmates and familiar places. At 7:00 pm there will be a program featuring former school administrators, students, and teachers. Please come take a stroll and help celebrate 50 years of excellence.


Spring Concert

Avalon Junior High Music program presents the annual Spring Concert, Wednesday, May 11. Come hear the students as they demonstrate their award winning performances. The concert begins at 7:30 pm in the Avalon gym.

Lendrum School

Lendrum is accepting pre-enrollment for students in K-Grade 6 (English) and K-Grade 2 (French) for the 2016/2017 school year from March 14-April 14.

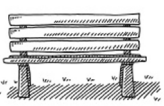
Traffic safety continues to be a concern. We have students running between parked cars and into traffic, while vehicles are making u-turns in the middle of the road. Please ensure your child is using a designated crosswalk and that you are following and modeling the rules of the road. We thank you for your cooperation in keeping our school community safe.



ANNUAL GARAGE SALE
Saturday, May 7
9am till 2pm

SOUTHMINSTER-STEINHAUER UNITED CHURCH
10740-19 Ave.

Hundreds of Items to choose from: Attic treasures; games, puzzles and toys; books; art; housewares; cds and dvds; sporting goods; electronics; bake sale; gardening; furniture; women’s clothing boutique and jewelry. Refreshments will be available.



Lendrum is seeking donations of park benches

The City’s Benchmark program was established to offer individuals and groups the opportunity to honour friends and loved ones, or to celebrate special events through the refurbishment of an existing park bench, or the installation of a new bench. A bronze plaque will be placed on the bench to serve as a lasting tribute. Opportunities also exist for park tables.

Type of Bench	Cost	Includes
New Park Bench/Location	\$3500	Installation of new bench, plaque and installation of concrete pad
New Bench on Existing Concrete	\$2500	Purchase and installation of new bench and plaque.

For more details, check out: http://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/tribute_honour/benchmark-program.aspx or contact Harvey Guhl at 780.504.7046.

Park Redevelopment

Mark Your Calendars!

Many thanks to all who have donated and volunteered on the park redevelopment project!

We are getting close – the project is 72% funded. With the funding deadline less than one year away the kickoff for our final summer of fundraising will be a Party for our Park & Silent Auction Saturday, April 23 from 7-9 pm at St. John's Church at 11111 57 Avenue. Tickets will be available at the door or from Christine (780.249.3240). They are \$10 each (which includes snacks and one drink) and children are free. They will also be available at the AGM, where you will also find more info on the park redevelopment project. It will be a fun night of socializing with plenty of items up for auction like gift cards, wine, children's music lessons, etc. If you have been thinking of buying a name brick this would be a good opportunity for that as well. We are still collecting items & services for bidding so please consider making a donation. All donors are offered two free tickets to the auction or a busoness card size ad in the May newsletter. Contact Michaela at Michaela.k@shaw.ca to donate.

The next Lendrum Bottle Drive will be Saturday, May 28, watch for more details in May. We are also planning our Annual Summer Garage Sale (Date TBD) and we are looking for donated items to sell. Items should be clean and in good repair: furniture, baby stuff, household items, craft supplies, games, tools, sports gear, etc.

More information will follow on where to drop items off. Please contact Jo at jo_grelowski@hotmail.com or 780.463.7079 with any questions or to volunteer.

The Book Sale to benefit the park will be part of the Summer BBQ on Sunday, June 26. Books can be dropped off the evening before.

Allison
playground@lendrum.org



A black and white poster for a book sale. At the top, the word "Lendrum" is written in a cursive font. Below it, the words "BOOK Sale" are written in large, bold, sans-serif letters, with "BOOK" on the top line and "Sale" on the bottom line. On either side of "BOOK" is a simple line drawing of an open book. Below the main title, the text "benefitting the Spray Park" is written in a smaller, sans-serif font. A thick black banner with a white border contains the date "June 26" in white, bold, sans-serif letters. At the bottom of the poster, there is a block of text: "The Committee is now taking donations of gently used books and DVDs Contact Jo to arrange your donation. If it helps, we will pick up! jo_grelowski@hotmail.com or (780) 463-7079".

All charitable donations to this project over \$20 will receive a tax receipt. To receive a tax receipt, please make your donation cheques payable to 'The City of Edmonton' with 'Lendrum CL Parkland Redevelopment' in the memo line. The City prepares tax receipts annually. Cheques can be dropped at 5807 113a Street along with the required donation form which can be found at www.lendrum.org.



EDMONTON

Summer Daycamp

Let's Get Together in Lendrum

Get creative with your preschooler! Each day will be a new theme: crafts, cooking, make-believe, and fun games are all a part of this active camp. Leaders will engage both parents and participants in a variety of activities that will be fun for all!

Please note that the adult attending with the child is expected to fully participate in the program with them. Only children registered in the program may attend.

- Monday August 15 to Friday August 19, 2016
- 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.
- Lendrum Community League Hall
11335 – 57 Avenue
- Ages 2 to 4 with parent/guardian
- Cost: \$80
- Course code: 559695

Registration opens **March 16, 2016**.
Register early to avoid disappointment!
Browse all camps at edmonton.ca/daycamps

To Register

- Call 311
- Online at eReg.edmonton.ca
- In person at any City of Edmonton Recreation & Leisure Centre



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FREE Neighbourhood Summer Drop-In Programs

Join in the fun at your neighbourhood park! Outdoor recreation programs are led by City of Edmonton staff that activate the park for kids ages 6 to 12 years and youth ages 13 to 17! Play new games, create crafts or participate in music and drama activities... all within a few blocks of your home!

- Green Shack Playground Program
- Flying Eagle
- Youth Hubs and events
- Skateboard Parks
- Water Play/Splash Parks
- Pop-Up Play

Get the full details in the **2016 Neighbourhood Summer Drop-In Programs** guide — available at schools, public libraries, City recreation centres, and online!

Programs open weekdays July 4 – August 25, 2016

For more details visit edmonton.ca/dropincommunityprograms or call 311



IS IT TIME FOR A HEARING TEST?

TAKE THIS QUIZ TO FIND OUT...

YES	NO	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you have trouble understanding the voices of women and small children when they are speaking?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you feel that people mumble or do not speak clearly?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do family or loved ones comment on your inability to hear properly?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you turn the TV up louder than others need to?

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Edmonton - Lendrum

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Lendrum Happenings

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Winter Fair Recap
A great day was had at Lendrum's annual Winter Fair! The sun was shining, the sky was blue, and so many Lendrumites came out to enjoy themselves. The horses & sleigh ride were a hit, as always, and the well-tended ice rinks were enjoyed to their fullest. Big, huge thanks to Ben Willing, Gary Goulden and Brynn Jones for all their hard work this winter!!

Kids painted murals to decorate the hall, and sprayed snow paint to their hearts' content. The snowshoes were used for a tramp around the playground, and the pot luck snacks and hot chocolate were the perfect addition to a great community gathering. We had visits from MLA Lori Sigurdson, and City Councillor Michael Walters. And most importantly, more than a hundred community members came out to enjoy themselves. It was such a lovely afternoon, made all the better by spending it outside with neighbours.

Anniversary Sale

Come help us celebrate another year!
Spring savings on new glasses.
See store for details!



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LENDRUM EYECARE

Dr. Kelsey Ford | Dr. Bob Champion

5822 - 111 Street

www.lendrumeyecare.com

780-437-1409

Social Events Coordinator Needed!!!

Lendrum Community League is looking for a new Social Events Coordinator, starting in July 2016. This role is a lot of fun, and can be as busy or as relaxed as you want to make it! Take this chance to hold the events that you and your family and friends will enjoy. It is a great opportunity to meet other members of the community, and bring people together.

This role could also be broken up so if you really enjoy one of the Lendrum events, why not volunteer to run it? Or if you have an idea for an event then suggest it at the AGM and take it on. Many hands make light work!

Get in touch with me (ghawkeye@gmail.com) for more information.

I look forward to hearing from you!
Cheers,
Georgina

WEEKLY SPECIAL



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Website: www.NailitSPA.ca

Time to purge and gather your donations
for Lendrum's

Annual
GARAGE SALE

date
TBD

benefitting the
Spray Park

Please contact Jo at jo_grelowski@hotmail.com or
780.463.7079 with any questions or to volunteer!

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ATTENTION SENIORS (55+)!!!
PETROLIA SENIORS' GROUP
Invites YOU to come to enjoy lunch and a
program (\$15) the third Tuesday of the month
11:45 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
at Greenfield Community Hall
3803 - 114 Street

April 19 - Joachim Hengge - "Reflections of
Syria, Its People, Its Culture"
May 17 - Gary Faulkner, Glenrose
Rehabilitation Hospital, "Rehabilitation of ill
and injured patients" TBC

Play Bridge, Wednesdays, 12-3pm.
Call Joan at 780.436.1434

In addition enjoy another "outing" during the
month. 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!

Lendrum Neighbourhood Safety

March is Fraud Prevention Month!

The Edmonton Police Service has compiled a number of resources to help keep your identity and personal information safe. For more information please visit: <http://www.edmontonpolice.ca/CrimePrevention/PersonalFamilySafety/Fraud%20Prevention.aspx>

Crime Stats for Lendrum

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2016	7	2	1										10
2015	2	3	5	7	6	2	2	3	2	3	2	3	40
2014	3	1	2	1	4	3	3	1	3	3	5	3	32
2013	2	0	3	2	11	1	8	5	0	1	1	0	34

<http://www.edmontonpolice.ca/CrimeFiles/NeighbourhoodCrimeMapping.aspx>

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Community Programs

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Lendrum Ladies' Coffee Time:

First Monday each month, 1:30pm at Sunterra Market. For more info, please call Betty-Anne Stromsmoe at 780.437.7942

Sparks, Brownies, Guides and Pathfinders:

For girls ages 5-18. Call 780.435.5068 for more info. Join anytime, always accepting new girls in all levels!

Lose Weight -TOPS:

(Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Meets Tuesdays from 10-11 am at Cross of Christ Lutheran Church, 11460-60 Ave. For support in weight loss related programs contact Betty-Anne at 780.437.7942.

Crafters of Lendrum:

The Lendrum Craft Group welcomes all residents and friends who enjoy doing handicrafts. We meet the 2nd and 4th Mondays from 11:00-4:00 with the exception of holidays and share a potluck lunch at the Community Hall.

Upcoming dates:

2016 - April 11, 25; May 9, 30; June 13, 27.

For more information, call Peggy Folinsbee at 780.436.9322.

Line Dancing:

Every Thursday from 10:00 –11:30 am at Lendrum Community Hall.

For info contact Don or Rita at 780.434.5885.

Lendrum Pottery Group:

Please call Joy Schlaut for info at 780.434.1997.

Blue Chair Tai Chi:

Mondays 9-10:30am
Malmo Hall
Fridays 9-10:30am
Lendrum Hall.

Sorry, we do not offer beginner classes. If you know the 108-move Moy-style set, please join us in practicing at an intermediate level. Call Kathy at 780.435.0738.

Lendrum Parents Meetup

Are you a parent in Lendrum? Are you interested in connecting with other parents in Lendrum for nights out, playdates and meetups? Join our Facebook page - Lendrum Parents. We are hosting a weekly meet-up at St. John's Anglican Church on Wednesdays from 10am-11:30am.

Little Explorers

Find new ways to play using upcycled and unique materials. Come explore with the Southwest Family Resource Centre staff at Lendrum Community Hall, Tuesdays, April 12- June 14, 10-11am. Ages 2-6 (siblings welcome).

Music and Motion

Enjoy songs, parachute play and action games with the staff of the Southwest Family Resource Centre. Mondays, April 11 - June 20, 10-11am at the Pleasantview Community Hall. Ages 2-6 (siblings welcome).

Lendrum Men's Night

We are hosting a Lendrum Men's group at the Community Hall the last Friday of each month between 4:30 and 7:00 p.m. There will be beer and snacks. You are welcome to come for a few minutes or the entire time. Drop by with a few dollars to socialize and have a beer. Meet new people and get to know your neighbours or talk about old times with your old neighbourhood friends.

**Next Community League Meetings
AGM - Monday, April 4, 2016, 7-9pm
Monday, May 2, 2016, 7-9pm
at the hall**

**Please contact Gary Goulden
with any ideas for possible
new programs
780.450.0927**

Calendar of Events

Apr. 4	Annual General Meeting, 7-8:30pm
Apr. 23	Silent Auction for the Spray Park, 7-9pm, St. John's Anglican Church
May 2	Lendrum Community League Meeting, 7-9pm
May 28	Bottle Drive - watch for details
June 26	Annual Summer BBQ, Soccer Windup and Book Sale

All events at Lendrum Hall unless otherwise noted

Abundant Community Initiative

What's your vision for our neighbourhood? This is a question that is being asked of Lendrum residents through the Lendrum Abundant Community Initiative. The most common answers thus far cluster around the idea of neighbourliness: "friendliness" "knowing your neighbours" and "community".

One way that we as a neighbourhood in Lendrum have been encouraging neighbourliness is through our Community Conversations initiated by our Lendrum Abundant Community Block Connectors. A blog post on "Make Something Edmonton", by project manager Mary Sturgeon, described what we are up to:

"The Abundant Community conversation is based on the belief that every individual in the neighbourhood has a contribution to make, and uncovering, sharing and the harnessing of those contributions creates neighbourliness, and also addresses issues as diverse as social isolation, crime, and physical and mental health. The notion is at the same time ridiculously commonsensical and ridiculously powerful."

Lots of people are interested in doing something tangible to create a great neighbourhood. Our plan seems to make some sense: we identify a volunteer or two on each block to initiate a casual conversation with the other households on their block. In these conversations, we learn about our neighbour's vision for the neighbourhood; their activities and interests; and the skills, gifts and experiences they might share.

Some of the good that comes of our Community Conversations include:

- A greater sense of connection and belonging within each block & within our neighbourhood as a whole (eg, welcoming new residents);

- More of our neighbourhood life can be shaped according to our own resident's vision for our neighbourhood (e.g., more parties and activities designed to connect residents);
- Linking residents to groups, those already existing & also newly formed, within the neighbourhood (e.g., hockey, gardening, historic society, biking); &
- We can better care for neighbours and the neighbourhood (e.g., snow shoveling, car pooling, meals shared in times of loss).

What we are up to in Lendrum is being done in several other Edmonton neighbourhoods too, and really is nothing new. The basis of a good neighbourhood has always been neighbours listening to one another in good conversation. We are just taking the time to make it happen.

If you are interested in becoming a Block Connector on your block or would like more information about the Lendrum Abundant Community Initiative, please contact or just drop by to see us! Stew and Anola Carson, 780.432.9115, 5507-113 Street, stewcarson@shaw.ca



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There are many ways to stay connected to the community!

- 1. Check out the newly redesigned website at www.lendrum.org.**
- 2. Follow us on twitter @LendrumYEG**
- 3. Join our Facebook page www.facebook.com/lendrumyeg**

Although today is a blustery, sleety day, spring is coming! Already tulips are poking their tips out of the soil and the lilac bushes have buds on them. My family enjoys investigating the garden to see if anything new has emerged. It's a pretty special time of year.

With spring comes the community's emergence from our winter cocoons. There are more and more neighbours walking outside and this leads to more opportunities to connect. One great opportunity to connect is Lendrum's AGM. We are always looking for extra hands to help out around the community. If you love gardening or doing outdoor work then consider volunteering with Peggy, Harvey and Bonnie. Or if you have been enjoying going to the great events hosted by the league (Thanks so much for all your hard work Georgina!) then consider acting as a coordinator for one (or all of them). Without volunteers these events won't take place and it is a pretty small group of dedicated volunteers that have been pulling them off. Is this the year you choose to volunteer in Lendrum? I hope so!

Enjoy the warmer temperatures (for the moment),
Erin