



August 2018

BONAVISTA DOWNS BEAT

THANK YOU

On behalf of Calgary Community Standards & Waste and Recycling Services

“Thank you Bonavista Downs!

Congratulations on a successful Community Cleanup on May 12th, 2018.

The weights collected for this year:

Garbage: 15,590 kg

Organics: 2500 kg

Total: 18,090 kg

Truck Loads Hauled: 3

Thank you to the Community Association and residents for your commitment to keep our communities healthy, safe and vibrant.”

THANK YOU ALSO

To all who helped with painting walls in our Community Centre. We have a new fresh look.

GUESS WHAT WE ARE GETTING?



Little libraries. Now we can share books and read new ones. Leave a book, take a book.

A new playground !!! Yes, a second new playground for Bonavista Downs. Watch for update on our website.

A Message from your Vice President

Hello neighbours! Hope your summer has been relaxed and enjoyable so far. For those of you who don't know me, my name is Jeremiah Morrison and I've been a part of the BDCA Board for 3 years, worked closely with the board for 4 and I currently hold both the Vice President and Maintenance positions. Due to changing economic conditions I need to take a step back from my volunteer commitments so I'm looking for some friendly, motivated neighbours to step up!

Over the past few years your BDCA Board has made some exciting new changes to our community. We've seen the Gathering Garden community gardens installed, two new playgrounds, an overhaul of the Multi-Use Park serving bikes, skateboards and scooters, an expansion of the skating rink, Pickle Ball added to the tennis courts and planting of trees around the playground. We've also added a new and much improved ramp to the hall, painted the interior and installed beautiful new handrails.

I'm proud of what we've accomplished, and now we're looking to add to the team. If you're looking to be a larger part of our community, are enthusiastic, motivated and work well with others we'd love to have you! Current open positions include a Social Director, Vice President, Treasurer and Maintenance person.

GATHERING GARDEN

Our gardens look wonderful this year. If you are interested in joining us next year by renting a garden plot, please contact us at: admin@bonavistadowns.com Or phone us 403-615-2212.



RECREATION



Summer has been busy so far in the recreation department and more exciting things are to come. With permanent lines and multiple courts being added to our tennis court this spring our pickleball nights are more popular than ever! We have equipment available if you'd like to come give it a try. The gang plays Tuesday and Thursday at 7pm. The 4th and final court will be added next year and then there'll be no stopping us. Email us at bvdrecreation@gmail.com to be added to our email list for game notifications.

While winter is a long way away yet we did just receive confirmation that we have received a grant from the city to host a winter festival. Preliminary plans for this event include a maple taffy station, skating and real dog sled rides! Thanks to Gwen for your hard work to make this grant happen. Stay tuned for more news on that as winter arrives. If anyone is interested in fall activities for youth or adults please email bvdrecreation@gmail.com and we'll see what we can do to make your activity a reality. Thank you for participating and enjoy the rest of your summer!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Family Fun Day

September 23

12:00 – 3:00

Come and join us for great food, music and fun

& famous Cake Walk

Go to bonavistadowns.com for reserved seating

COMMUNITY MEMBERSHIPS

Community Memberships are free. Membership enables you to receive discounts on rental packages on Bonavista Downs community hall.

Email us at:

admin@bonavistadowns.com.

or visit our website:

www.bonavistadowns.com.



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COMMUNITY HALL RENTAL PACKAGES

PACKAGE A

Daily Rate – Hall rental only

BDCA RESIDENTS: \$100/day + \$90/day cleaning fee

NON-RESIDENTS: \$225/day + \$90/day cleaning fee

PACKAGE B

Wedding or Party Rentals – Weekends

This package includes a 3 hour setup time Friday evening.

BDCA RESIDENTS: \$100/day + \$30 setup night before + \$90/day cleaning fee

NON-RESIDENTS: \$225/day + \$30 setup night before + \$90/day cleaning fee



PACKAGE C Hourly Rate

BDCA RESIDENTS: \$10/hour + \$90 cleaning fee

NON-RESIDENTS: \$30/hour + \$90 cleaning fee

DAMAGE DEPOSIT

There is a \$350 refundable damage deposit on all rentals.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

PRESIDENT – Gwen Bruvold

VICE PRESIDENT – Vacant

TREASURER - Vacant

SECRETARY – Whitney Mason

HALL RENTAL – Gayle Matthies

NEWSPAPER – Betty Gilbert

SOCIAL – Vacant

RECREATION – Ryan Koleyak

MEMBERSHIP – Mercedes Jimenez

GARDEN – Les and Esther Rojek

TRICO CENTRE – Lee Rankel

HALL MAINTENANCE – Vacant

MEMBERS AT LARGE – Jackie Boyle, Alison Miller, Adam Hill

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For complete and up-to-date news from Richard Gotfried (MLA) and Peter Demong (Councillor), please check our website under Community Partnerships