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## MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

**Happy New Year** from all of us at the Evergreen Community Association Board of Directors to all our residents, stakeholder, partners!  
Here's to a great year in 2020!

Please keep safety in mind and do not drive while impaired.

### 6th Annual Evergreen Christmas Lights contest!

The winners are not yet known at the time this has to be submitted but will be announced this month and in the February newsletter.

### Evergreen Community Ice Rink

The Evergreen community ice rink started early December. Thanks to all of the volunteers that lent a hand to make it work. Please remember to be safe around the edges of the rink as there is still some liner on the berms and can be very slippery. We will have put up some signage. Enter the rink from the benches on the south end. Remember to make this rink happen we need your help. Please consider donating some of your time to shovel snow off the rink and/or donate money towards the replacement cost of the liners and flooding and service of the rink. One of our future goals for this rink is to make this a permanent rink. One that can be used for other events and activities during the warmer months. This requires a big fundraising campaign. We someone to come forward and champion this. Email [info@myceca.ca](mailto:info@myceca.ca) for more info or to help out.

### Evergreen Winterfest!

The Evergreen Winterfest will be next month on Saturday, February 15th from 1-3pm. This will be at the Evergreen Community Park, 1150 Everridge Dr. SW. There will be skating, hot chocolate, snowman building, puck

toss 50/50 contest and the ever-popular wagon rides! Check the website and elsewhere in the newsletter for more details.

### Events and Programs

Some events and activities happen every month. To find out more about what is happening in Evergreen check out the events list, our website [www.myceca.ca](http://www.myceca.ca), and/or follow us on social media. [www.facebook.com/myceca](https://www.facebook.com/myceca) or [www.twitter.com/myceca](https://www.twitter.com/myceca)

### Board Vacancies

We still have some vacancies on the board and really could use the help of the community to come forward to help. If we want to have a permanent ice rink, other amenities and continue to be able to fund our events and programs, we need people on our Funding Committee. This looks after our casino application, grants and working with our sponsors. If our funds dry up, so does the community association. For more information please contact us at [info@myceca.ca](mailto:info@myceca.ca).


### Board of Director meeting

First Thursday of every month. Held at the Cardel Rec South in the Jets Room. 333 Shawville Blvd SE. 7-9 pm. All Evergreen residents are welcome to attend. With a tight agenda we may not get to all issues but will try. Contact us at [info@myceca.ca](mailto:info@myceca.ca)

If you ever have any questions, comments or concerns about what you see in Evergreen, please contact us at [info@myceca.ca](mailto:info@myceca.ca) or talk to a board member at one of our events.

Sincerely,

*Paul Bushell, CECA VP, on behalf of the board.*




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## Evergreen Community Outdoor Rink

### Evergreen Community Park, 1150 Everridge Dr. SW

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## CECA UPCOMING EVENTS

### Seniors' Hobnob Social

CECA and Swan Evergreen will be hosting a seniors' social event at Swan Evergreen on the last Tuesday of the month: January 28, 2020 from 6:00pm – 7:00 pm. It's FREE!

**Swan Evergreen, 2635 Eversyde Ave SW.**

Come join CECA's senior group for a meet and greet. Get to know other seniors in your community and find out what other senior exclusive programs are offered in the area! For more info please e-mail [seniors@myceca.ca](mailto:seniors@myceca.ca).

### 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Evergreen Christmas Lights Contest

Winners to be announced online and in the February newsletter.

### Winter Festival

February 15, 2020 at 1pm-3pm

CECA is excited to announce our annual 2020 Winter Festival! Bring your family members and enjoy a horse drawn sleigh, participate in ice skating, and a snowman building competition! Snowshoe coordinators will be participating to help traverse through snow with snowshoes. Hot beverages and food will be served to all participants. Keep cozy near the fire pit at the festival! Spin the wheel for a chance to win awesome prizes! Test your luck with a puck toss at the ice rink as 50% of the money will go to one lucky winner! Fun for the community and all! Please bring a donation for the Calgary food bank. Note: horse drawn wagon rides are free for CECA members and \$10 per family for non-members. For more info contact [events@myceca.ca](mailto:events@myceca.ca).

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### Evergreen Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 11, 2020. 10am – 12 noon.  
Everwillow Circle Park, 235 Everstone Dr. SW  
Volunteers are needed. Contact [volunteers@myceca.ca](mailto:volunteers@myceca.ca)



## CECA MEMBERS ONLY

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*The Calgary Evergreen Community Association does not guarantee the service, or the products offered by the aforementioned businesses.*

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### Evergreen Community Association Board of Director Meetings

First Thursday of every month (no meeting in July)  
Jets room, Cardel Rec South, 333 Shawville Blvd SE  
Meeting of the board to plan events and programs for the community.

All residents of Evergreen are welcome to attend.



**PLEASE SLOW DOWN, DRIVE SAFELY AND WATCH OUT FOR EACH OTHER!**

## TRAFFIC

### Happy New Year!

This is the time of year when the temperatures really get cold. I hope I am wrong and that we will find ourselves with a fairly mild winter. Regardless when it gets cold make sure you plug your block heater in, and when it warms up and we have a chinook, make sure you have lots of windshield washer fluid. Also make sure you put your winter tires on and turn on your headlights during dawn and dusk so that your taillights are seen.

### School Traffic

Please slow down! We all need to be cautious and watch out for each other and each other's kids around the school. Your hurriedness to get to work because you are running late, should not jeopardize the safety of anyone! I have met with each of the three schools in Evergreen, school transportation, city traffic engineers to discuss school traffic safety. There is work in progress. To put it bluntly, the onus is on the drivers in the community and on our parents.

### Traffic Speed

Evergreen continues to have a speed problem with the number of cars shortcutting through Evergreen via Fish Creek Blvd. and Everridge Dr. to get to and from 37th St. If you witness ongoing traffic issues during your travels, please take the time to log a traffic service request and email the concerns to me. The link is below. The more frequently we speak up about the traffic issues, the more that can be corrected.

## Traffic Safety Forum

We are still looking to hold a traffic safety forum, and a few have contacted me to let me know that they are interested in attending. Our hold up is finding a suitable location that people will readily attend and won't break the bank. We will keep you posted. The forum will be to discuss traffic issues in Evergreen, what is being done, and we will invite those that can tell us what can be done.

## SAFETY

Safety comes in many forms, whether it be looking your doors, keeping valuables out of sight, watching out for your neighbour and even shovelling your neighbour sidewalk!

This year, a suggestion would be to get to know your neighbours, if you don't already know them. Also continue to be a good neighbour. A safe community is one where the residents know each other and look out for one another.

Once again, if you witness any traffic issues on an ongoing basis, please take the time to both report it to me at [traffic@myceca.ca](mailto:traffic@myceca.ca) and also via the Traffic Service Request directly to the police. This can be done at <http://www.calgary.ca/cps/Pages/Traffic/Traffic-Service-Requests.aspx>

Please report road and sign issues to 311. This can be done online at <http://www.calgary.ca/CS/CSC/Pages/311.aspx> or at the app website <http://spot311.calgary.ca>

If you have any traffic questions or concerns, or wish to comment on anything I have written here, you can email me at [traffic@myceca.ca](mailto:traffic@myceca.ca)

Thanks

*Paul Bushell, Traffic Director*

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(E.g. January 5th for February newsletters.)

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# Seniors of Evergreen



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## CECA MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM

***A community association membership is an excellent gift for the whole family! Get a Calgary Evergreen Community Association membership and these are the benefits that your family will enjoy for the whole year!***

**Member Discounts:** Our community partners provide discounts to CECA members. Check out the CECA Members Only section in this newsletter or online under Member Benefits.

Cardel Rec South also extends discounts for community association members for partner communities.

**Events:** Calgary Evergreen Community Association organizes and sponsor the following annual events and programs: Winter Festival, Easter Egg Hunt, Parade of Garage Sales, Community Clean Up, Member-Only Movie Screening, Christmas Lights Contest, seniors' events and

programs, kids' programs, and community engagement opportunities.

Join or renew your membership at <http://www.myceca.ca> or complete the form below and mail along with a cheque for \$20 payable to "Calgary Evergreen Community Association": PO Box 24007 RPO Evergreen, Calgary, Alberta, T2Y 0J9.

All this and more, for only \$20 per year for the whole immediate family! Annual membership expires at the end of the month one year from the when it was purchased.

### **Join Us Today!**

Calgary Evergreen Community Association (CECA) is actively involved in current and future development for the community. This includes developing the Evergreen Community Park (1150 Everridge Dr. SW), community land use, playgrounds and the community outdoor ice rink.

We also advocate for the community on concerns of traffic, safety, and awareness.

Join today and help us plan future community amenities that would benefit ALL EVERGREEN residents. Possible amenities may include permanent ice rink, community centre, rink house, outdoor stage, natural playground, community garden, and park landscaping.

The Calgary Evergreen Community Association is different than the Evergreen Residents Association. Visit the [evergreenresidents.ca](http://evergreenresidents.ca) website to learn more and see if your home is within their boundary. If you are, their \$100 membership is mandatory and is affixed to the title of your property. That fee only goes toward some garden maintenance and landscaping and does not come to the community association.

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To purchase a membership in your Community Association, please fill in this form, attach a cheque for \$20.00 made payable to **Calgary Evergreen Community Association** and mail to:  
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**Congratulations Maya Watt (11)!**  
**Thanks to Elise S., Avon Representative,**  
**for sponsoring the prize.**

# November Colouring Page Winners

Some of the happy faces of the November coloring page winners who were rewarded with a special Holiday gift bag for their submission. Again, big thanks to the generous donors who made this possible: Brian Jones from our local Shoppers Drug Mart, Elise S. Avon Rep. and Olga, the Newsletter Editor.





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### SECA BOARD REPORT

Happy New Year!

By the time you read this update our first ever **Community Campfire** will have happened. Hopefully the weather was fine, and a good-sized group gathered on December 29th at the Evergreen Drive park. Watch for more campfire events at different locations, perhaps even monthly, as part of our work to build a more neighbourly community.

Our **Beautification Committee** has launched. They are starting off by exploring the wrapping garbage bins and utility boxes. If you have additional ideas and are interested in this work, please let us know as with more energy, this committee could accomplish more. Remember to come out to **Neighbour Nights** at the Coach and Horses Ale Room near Sobey's on January 16th from 7 to 9 PM. We are generally there the third Thursday of the month. Watch our e-newsletter and Facebook page for updates as we do skip some months due to holidays, etc.

Our **children's programming** is forging ahead with great success and will grow in 2020 thanks to an energetic volunteer spearheading this work ([play@shawneevergreen.ca](mailto:play@shawneevergreen.ca)). We have received several requests for **adult and senior programs**. SECA is keen to support programming for these groups and with a volunteer or two to assist with coordination, we could make it happen.

**SECA's 2020 plans** include the Stampede Breakfast, Community Clean-up and Fun Day. The 2nd annual Fun Day is a joint event with surrounding communities. One event that won't happen in 2020 is the Easter Egg Hunt.

Instead, we invite you and your family to connect with neighbours at our Community Campfires to enjoy some hot chocolate, smores and soak-in the magical atmosphere that a campfire creates.

**Graywood Developments** has made an application to rezone part of their land near the Beacon Hill condos. Originally zoned for townhomes, they are seeking zoning that would permit rental apartments, a senior's home and commercial spaces which could include a gas station and convenience store or strip mall. Parts of their land may be sold off to a third party. At this time (December 10), the SECA Board has not been provided with details related to lot coverage, size and height of buildings, commercial lighting, etc. and without this information it is difficult for us to provide informed feedback to Planning at the City of Calgary. A public engagement session has been promised and SECA will keep residents informed about this rezoning application as it progresses.

**We can serve you best when we are connected!** Receive our electronic newsletters by emailing [info@shawneevergreen.ca](mailto:info@shawneevergreen.ca) and like our Facebook page, @ShawneeEvergreenYYC. Please consider becoming a SECA member for just \$20 at [shawneevergreen.ca](http://shawneevergreen.ca). Membership runs April 1 to March 31 each year. Membership dollars fund our operations. Our Board meetings are open. Please let us know you plan to attend.

We hope to see you at our events and programs this year!

*Lynn Jobe, Vice President*

# MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM



To purchase a membership in Shawnee-Evergreen Community Association, please go to our website at **shawnee-evergreen.ca/membership**. Alternatively, fill in this form and mail or deliver to Shawnee-Evergreen Community Association c/o Maigul Wickham, 130 Shawnee Common SW, Calgary, AB T2Y 0P9

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Please mark (✓) your choice as a volunteer: ☐ Board of Directors member  
☐ Stampede Breakfast helper  
☐ Don't know, ask me!

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## HERE IS WHAT YOUR COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION (SECA) DOES:

- Hosts the June Stampede Breakfast at South Gate Alliance Church (free for SECA members)
- Sponsors the Annual June "Community Parade of Garage Sales"
- Sponsors Community Cleanup in September at South Gate Alliance Church
- Provides input and authorizes monthly Community Newsletters delivered to all 3000+ households
- Provides a director for the Board of the South Fish Creek Recreation Association (Cardel Recreation Centre South)
- Provides SECA members with a 10% discount on Cardel Rec Centre South programs
- Provides a director for Trico Centre for Family Wellness
- Works with Cardel Homes, Graywood Developments and the City to try to ensure that Shawnee Park is developed in a way that melds with our existing community as well as is possible
- Diligently alert to the future development of lands surrounding Fish Creek Lacombe LRT station
- Involved with the City in transportation issues (e.g. SW Ring Road, traffic and safety issues, etc.) that impact our community
- Address speeding and other traffic issues within our community (e.g. Shawnee Drive SW and 6th Street SW intersection)

### MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS


- You are entitled to one vote per membership at the Shawnee-Evergreen Community Association AGM in September.
- You and residing members of your family can participate FREE

at the Annual Shawnee-Evergreen Stampede Breakfast in June.

- CARDEL REC SOUTH COMPLEX. SECA Members receive a reduced fee rate. See inside this newsletter for program info.
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Emergency Medical Services (EMS) would like to remind parents and children of a few toboggan/sledding safety tips as the winter season continues. Injuries may result from collisions with stationary objects on the hill, such as trees or rocks, or even collisions with other people. Unprotected falls can also result in more serious injury if you lose control at high speeds. However, everyone can be safe and have fun on the toboggan hill by following these reminders.

### Equipment

- Always ensure your toboggan or sledding device is in good repair. Inspect it for any damaged or missing parts before each use;
- Be certain the operator is fully capable of staying in control of the sled at all times;
- Children should wear a certified, properly fitted helmet designed for other high impact sports such as hockey, cycling, or climbing.

### Hazards

- Avoid hills that are too steep or too icy;
- Choose hills free of all obstacles such as trees, rocks, utility poles, or fences;
- Beware of loose scarves or clothing containing draw-strings which could present a strangulation hazard if they become caught or snagged.

### Plan ahead

- Dress warmly in layers and anticipate weather changes;
- Consider bringing extra sets of gloves and toques to exchange wet garments for dry ones;
- Take breaks, out of the cold, to warm up;
- Cover any exposed skin;
- Even when properly protected from the elements, the finger tips, toes, ears, the tip of the nose, and other high points on the face such as the forehead and cheek bones can be affected by frostbite;
- If frost bite has occurred, treat it by first removing the individual out of the cold environment;

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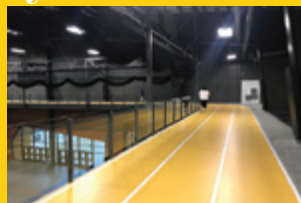
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