

PRINCE RUPERT

YOUR FREE QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



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IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD



Hello friends and neighbours. As we move from fall to winter, it's time for a community update before the holiday rush. We are excited to showcase a new look to our website and invite you to check us out on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter. Stay tuned in the coming months for prizes as we share our journey on social media. Everyone is welcome to attend our monthly Board meetings on the second Tuesday of the month. Check our website for dates.

Our volunteer community league is working with the City of Edmonton to come up with a plan for the vacant school site on Tower Road. While there is no timeline set, the city has indicated if we do not develop the land, it will be returned to the city. After completing surveys with residents, we created a small committee to help with engagement and to come up with a plan. Last year, most of you responded with a desire to update our playground and to build a community hall. We aren't sure how much it will cost to upgrade our playground. It was built in the 1980s and it needs some work. Other ideas included an enhanced open green space, an ice rink, and a family BBQ area. Once a plan is drafted, the committee will take it back to the Board and to residents and the work of fundraising begins.

THANK YOU

As always, we want to thank our volunteers. Despite the damp weather, we had a very successful Big Bin event, which helped clean up our community. We also celebrated our partnership with the city during our Root for Trees event. We saw generations come together to beautify our space by planting trees and flowers. We are fortunate so many dedicated people make such programs possible.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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@PRINCERUPERTCOMMUNITY

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@LEAGUEPRINCE

Stay tuned for prizes you can win by following us!

CONTACT INFORMATION

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CHRISTMAS PARTY



Save
the Date



We know its only November but we are eager for the holiday season. We want to celebrate with your families before it gets too hectic in December. We have planned an incredible, fun, family-friendly event filled with door prizes, crafts, games, dinner and refreshments. The party is free but we encourage you to bring a contribution to Santa's Anonymous or Edmonton's Food Bank.

Please RSVP by Sunday, November 25, 2018. Contact Ralph at 780.240.5900 or Katherine at treasurer@princerupertcommunity.ca.

We will see you Friday, November 30, 2018 at 5:30pm at Central Lions Senior Centre, 11113-113 Street.



HAVE YOUR SAY

We want to hear from you. Do you have a great story? Why did you choose to make Prince Rupert your home? This is a great opportunity to share with us and others. To kick things off, Dianna Bowes is sharing why she moved to the neighbourhood from St. Albert. To read the full blog, head to our website.



YOUR MEMBERSHIP

Your membership is important! Funds generated through memberships are used to organize community programs, produce a newsletter, show good neighbourly spirit and make the community a more pleasant place to live. Benefits include:

- Free skating on outdoor and some indoor rinks
- Admission discounts at any City of Edmonton sports and fitness facilities.
- A voice and a vote on community issues.

DIANNA BOWES

My husband and I moved to Prince Rupert from St. Albert ten years ago. I grew up in the Norwood community, so I felt like I had come home. Living here gives us access to almost everything and I rarely drive anymore. Local restaurants, grocery stores, recreation centres, and shopping are all within walking distance from my home. I cross country ski all winter and cycle all summer. Being close to downtown, the river valley, and 124 Street creates a wonderful lifestyle for us. I love living in a diverse community for all ages that beats with the pulse of a vibrant city.