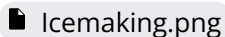


Type of Information	Information	Contact Information (Website, email, phone number, etc)
News and Updates	<p>Thanks to everyone who submitted applications for the <b>Neighbourhood Micro Grant and Neighbourhood Connections Grant program's September batch intake</b>.</p> <p>Applications are now under review, with final funding decisions communicated on or after November 1st, 2023.</p> <p>Visit the <a href="#">Neighbourhood Micro Grant</a> and <a href="#">Neighbourhood Connections Grant</a> websites for more information.</p>	<p>If you have any questions or need additional information, please connect with your Neighbourhood Resource Coordinator (NRC).</p>
News and Updates	<p><b>Leaves &amp; Branches in Autumn.</b> Now is the season of leaves and branches and apples and harvest. Here are some easy options:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Let nature do the work. Leave some leaves around, leave the clippings on the lawn, mulch on top of your soil. Your soil will thank you.</li> <li>2. Take it to the Eco Station ... for FREE. Grass, leaves, branches, plants, and local apples are FREE at the Eco Station. All year. 4 locations. Open 7 days/week, 9 am to 7 pm. Visit <a href="http://edmonton.ca/EcoStations">edmonton.ca/EcoStations</a></li> <li>3. Fall Yard Waste Collection. Set out bags of grass, leaves, and branches. 2 pick-ups, this fall. Early October &amp; early November. Use paper or see-through bags. Visit <a href="http://edmonton.ca/YardWaste">edmonton.ca/YardWaste</a></li> <li>4. Top up your Food Scraps Cart. Make sure that your lid closes completely.</li> </ol>	<p>Visit <a href="http://edmonton.ca/compost">edmonton.ca/compost</a>  Visit <a href="http://edmonton.ca/YardWaste">edmonton.ca/YardWaste</a>  Email <a href="mailto:compost@edmonton.ca">compost@edmonton.ca</a></p> <p>Call: 780-668-0217</p> <p>For a flyer visit: <a href="#">Leaves &amp; Branches Handbill</a></p>
News and Updates	<p>This <b>Fire Prevention Week</b>, from October 8 to October 14, learn simple and effective tips to keep your family fire safe in the kitchen and take part in local events.</p>	<p>To learn more: <a href="http://edmonton.ca/fireprevention">edmonton.ca/fireprevention</a></p>

News and Updates	<p>Did you know? <b>Beginning in December, all organizations are expected to stop using plastic shopping bags and Styrofoam plates, cups, containers, etc.</b></p> <p>This includes charities and businesses that were previously exempt from the Single-use Items Bylaw. The Bylaw will be amended in December to align it with the federal government's restrictions on some single-use plastics.</p> <p>To help your organization prepare, please see the business resources at <a href="https://www.edmonton.ca/SingleUse">edmonton.ca/SingleUse</a> &gt; Businesses and Events, and watch for updated resources to support charities in the coming weeks.</p>	<p>For more information:</p> <p><a href="https://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/garbage_waste/single-use-items-charities">https://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/garbage_waste/single-use-items-charities</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/garbage_waste/single-use-items-business-resources">https://www.edmonton.ca/programs_services/garbage_waste/single-use-items-business-resources</a></p>
Workshops and Training	<p><b>FREE 2023 Ice-Making Workshop</b></p> <p>Is your community group interested in building and maintaining your community ice rink? Receive training and tips from an experienced community ice maker. Learn how to make great ice and do routine maintenance of outdoor rinks.</p> <p>When: Tuesday, November 14, 2023. From 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm</p> <p>Where: South Clareview Community League Hall at 3250 132a Ave NW</p> <p>Please register before November 8, 2023, by emailing <a href="mailto:shannon.murray@edmonton.ca">shannon.murray@edmonton.ca</a></p> <p>Indicate in your email the name (s) of the people you are registering and the Community League, Home Owner Association, Resident Association or Community Group they represent.</p> <p>*Please note registration is limited to two people per organization. Dress for the weather as part of the in person training will be outdoors. No food or beverages will be offered this time.</p>	<p>For questions or to register please email: <a href="mailto:shannon.murray@edmonton.ca">shannon.murray@edmonton.ca</a></p> <p>Advertisement:</p> <p></p>
Contests and Competitions	<p><b>Home Fire Safety Challenge.</b> How fire safe is your home? Take part in the home fire safety challenge to find out! Between October 8 and October 31, Edmontonians can make their homes and families safer by testing their home fire safety knowledge and practices through Edmonton Fire Rescue Services' online home assessment.</p>	<p>For more information:</p> <p><a href="https://www.edmonton.ca/residential_neighbourhoods/fire_safety/fire-safety-where-you-live#stack93398">www.edmonton.ca/residential_neighbourhoods/fire_safety/fire-safety-where-you-live#stack93398</a></p>

	Participants who complete their assessment by October 31 may be entered into a draw for unique prizes!	
Community Programs	<p><b>Strong-HER</b> is a program designed for girls ages 12-17 to learn exercise fundamentals, proper technique and programming in a private training studio. Participants will get a Youth In Action card, which grants independent use of the fitness centre, upon completion of the Strong-HER program.</p> <p>Starting October 13th at The Meadows, running every Friday from 7:15-8:45 PM (omit Nov 10) for 6 weeks.</p>	<p>For more information:</p> <p><a href="https://movelearnplay.edmonton.ca/COE/public/booking/CourseDetails/731602#gsc.tab=0">https://movelearnplay.edmonton.ca/COE/public/booking/CourseDetails/731602#gsc.tab=0</a></p>
Community Programs	<p><b>Trees provide many mental and physical health benefits for us!</b> In a joint effort, Trees for Life and Root for Trees are collaborating to plant native species of trees and shrubs in celebration of Edmonton's healthcare workers. Join us on October 5 at Tawa Park from 10 AM - 2 PM for a public tree planting and activities to show appreciation for both nature and our healthcare workers.</p>	<p>For more information:</p> <p><a href="http://www.edmonton.ca/city_government/initiatives_innovation/root-for-trees-events">www.edmonton.ca/city_government/initiatives_innovation/root-for-trees-events</a></p>
Community Programs	<p><b>Youth After School programs</b> have returned across City of Edmonton rec centres! Youth ages 8-17 can attend a variety of free drop-in and registered programs during the weekdays after school until 6pm. Check out the <a href="http://edmonton.ca/afterschool">edmonton.ca/afterschool</a> webpage for details.</p>	<p>For more information:</p> <p><a href="http://edmonton.ca/afterschool">edmonton.ca/afterschool</a></p>
Surveys and Public Engagement	<p><b>District Planning's</b> last chapter of its multi-phase public engagement on the revised <a href="#">district plans</a> and <a href="#">list of geographic plans proposed to keep, change or retire</a> is scheduled from October 23 to December 1, 2023 — it's important to engage because district plans will impact you when:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- A property owner wants to change how their property is used (for example, replace a house with a shop or an apartment building)</li> <li>- The street you take to work is being renewed, your district plan will include policies that will inform the street design</li> </ul> <p>To prepare for engagement:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Read the <a href="#">Overview of Changes</a> to learn about the changes made following the project's 2022 public engagement</li> <li>- Review the <a href="#">List of geographic plans proposed to keep</a>.</li> </ul>	<p>For more information visit:</p> <p><a href="http://www.edmonton.ca/districtplanning">www.edmonton.ca/districtplanning</a></p> <p>E-mail:</p> <p><a href="mailto:districtplanning@edmonton.ca">districtplanning@edmonton.ca</a></p>

	<a href="#">change or retire</a> to see whether a plan in your area is proposed for change (amendment) or retirement - <a href="#">Sign up</a> today for a public information session	
Surveys and Public Engagement	<p>Share Your Thoughts: The City is reviewing and renewing the <b>Animal Licensing and Control Bylaw</b>. We know that there's lots to be said about the bylaw, now is the time to share your thoughts and ideas as we strive to ensure the bylaw reflects the most current animal practices and trends within the City and we need your input.</p> <p>You can also come visit us at the Lauderdale Dog Park on October 14 from 1-3pm.</p>	<p>Check out our Engaged Edmonton page to share your thoughts and feedback:  <a href="https://engaged.edmonton.ca/animalbylaw">https://engaged.edmonton.ca/animalbylaw</a></p>

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