

GOLD BAR

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Dog Owners Reminded to Act Responsibly

Keeping dogs under control in public is important; especially now that the weather is warmer and children will be outside more. Dogs are not allowed to be loose, unless they are on your property or in a designated off-leash area.

Dogs are not allowed on school grounds, sports fields (including inside the rink area at the hall), playgrounds, and golf courses.

There are over 40 sites in Edmonton where your dog can run and play without having you on the other end of the leash. Further info can be found at www.edmonton.ca/pets or call 311.

Dog Show in the Neighbourhood

The Ottewell Curling Club and Golf Driving Range will once again be host to the Northern Alberta Canine Association dog show.

Friday, June 3 to Monday, June 6

We welcome all neighbours to drop by for a visit and watch the dogs “strut their stuff”. There is no charge for the public to attend this show but, as you are probably aware, there will be no parking available. And, as per rules set out by our governing body and the Department of Agriculture, dogs that are not entered in the show are not allowed.

We welcome your questions and comments at our information booth and look forward to seeing dog lovers in the Gold Bar district.

Hope Lutheran Garage Sale

The community is invited to a Garage Sale at Hope Lutheran (5104 – 106 Ave).

**Friday, May 27 and Saturday, May 28
9am – 4pm.**

For more information, call 780-466-8502 or email hope-lutheran@shaw.ca

For the Well of it

Solis Health and Birth Source, 2 local businesses, are hosting a wellness event with wellness vendors, live relaxing music, refreshments, and free mini therapy sessions. This is a free event with all proceeds going to the WIN House.

**Sunday, May 29
11 AM to 6 PM**

Located in the same block as the Gold Bar Sobeys, at 50 Street and 106 Avenue.

Seniors Fair

**Tuesday, June 14
10 am - 3 pm
Capilano Mall**

Come celebrate because older is the new better! Tons of booths with information on health and wellness, programs in your community and senior focused organizations; interactive seminars, speakers and fun entertainment; and giveaways and door prizes.

Thank you!

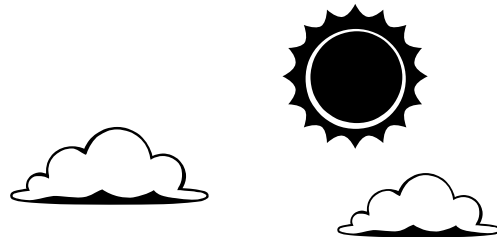
The 70th Gold Bar Scout Group would like to thank all Gold Bar, Capilano and Fulton Place residents for their generous donations of bottles, cans, etc. The money raised is used to pay for camping trips, field trips, badges, etc. Thank you for your support.

Spring Art Show and Sale

at the Japanese Cultural Center (6750-88 Street)

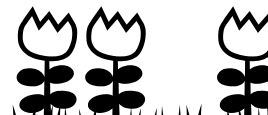
May 27, 28 & 29, 2011

Hosted by the Edmonton Art Club.



I love spring anywhere,
but if I could choose
I would always greet it in a garden.

~Ruth Stout



Need a Babysitter?

Our Community League has a babysitting registry with a roster of local young people willing to babysit on a casual basis.

Call Lil at 780-466-4060 and she will put you in touch with someone offering babysitting services, or add your name to the registry if you would like to babysit.

Scout Leaders Still Needed

70th Gold Bar Scouts requires Leaders for the 2011-12 Scouting Year.

Leaders required for Beavers (ages 5 - 7) and Scouts (ages 11 - 14).

The Group is co-ed. For more information call Bernie @ 780-461-8936.

Green Shack Doughnut Social

Mark it on your calendar! Come meet our leaders and visit with neighbors and friends.

Thurs July 7 from 1 - 3

Gold Bar Community Park

Big Bin Event Reminder

The City of Edmonton is hosting Big Bin Events for household items that can't be set out for regular waste collection.

Accepted Materials

- Couches, chairs, mattresses and other household furniture items too large for curbside pickup
- Fridges, freezers, washers, dryers and other large household appliances
- Computers, televisions and other household electronics (will be recycled)

Events will run from 9am to 5pm.

June 18 & 19 Northlands, 11203 - 73 St.

Upcoming Bingo Dates

BINGO WORKERS NEEDED!

We have tried to trade **Saturday, July 2, 2011** at Parkway but have been unable to do so (because it is a long weekend). I would ask that anyone who can help out for that bingo, your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Please call Lorna @ (780) 465-5594.

Fort Road Bingo Hall

Thursday, June 23- evening only

Wednesday, August 10 - afternoon & evening

Parkway Bingo Hall

Monday, June 6 - evening & late nite

Saturday July 2 - Evening & late nite

Sunday, August 28 - evening & late nite SPECIAL

Our Condolences

Charles Lee, late of 47 St. and 106 A Ave., passed away at the end of April. Charles, a community spirited man, was President of the Gold Bar Community League from 1976 - 78. We send condolences to his daughter, Sherry McKay, who currently resides in Gold Bar, and to the rest of the his family.

Also, on behalf of the Suttons, Peter and family would like to say thank you to the Gold Bar community for the wonderful tribute paid to Iris in the last Gold Bar newsletter.

Hello everyone,

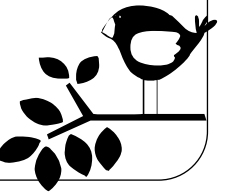
I'd like to offer a short update on the progress at the hall. We have come up against a few more obstacles with respect to our project to repair and renovate our hall. Our architect has been working very hard to get conceptual plans approved and passed through the various city departments, but there have been some issues involving these different departments and until we have this step completed, we are unable to proceed with the repair of the roof. We have a meeting on Friday with the various concerned parties as well as the necessary department representatives for the City, which should give us a better idea of where we stand. Once this step is accomplished, it leads to another issue, the original hall construction involved materials which are now considered hazardous, this means all demolition will require specially trained contractors to remove and dispose of the products safely and will definitely add to the costs, but at this point we don't know how much. On the funding front we are doing quite well and we should find out more about provincial grants on Friday, May 13 and more on the municipal funding after May 17. Things should be a little clearer after these meetings and we will provide another update in the June newsletter with hopefully some much more positive news. If you have any questions feel free to contact us.

Regards,

Murray Badger

President, Gold Bar Community League

Community Hall Update



June Newsletter will be the last one until fall

If you have an event this summer or early September that you feel would benefit our community, please submit the info by June 13 so that it will be included in the June newsletter. There will not be community newsletters in July or August.

Gold Bar Communications

Please e-mail **newsletter submissions** to: sondi@telus.net or call Sondi at 780-468-2237 by **June 13**. Next SEV deadline is June 9.

To post a message on the **community sign** located at 106 Ave. & 47 St., please e-mail Stacey at stacey.GoldBar@hotmail.com or call 780-465-0486.

To send a donation to the Building Committee, or any correspondence, please mail to:

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