



BGCC Newsletter



Boys & Girls Clubs
of Calgary

DATES TO REMEMBER!

Meet Our Staff!

Trina Keenan—Coordinator
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Programmer

Nov. 30 – Winter Programs, Teacher's
Convention Day Camp Registration
Begins
Dec. 14-19 – Last week of Fall
Programs End
Dec. 21 – Jan 3 – Programs Closed for
the Holidays
Jan. 11-16 – Winter Programs Begin!

Feb. 11&12— Teacher's Convention Day
Camps
Feb. 22—Stampede Recruitment Talk
March 8—Stampede Job Skills Talk
March 15—19— Winter Programs End-
March 22—April 2— Spring Break Day
Camps

Did You Know?

- If you are picking your child up, please be on time as we are not able to offer child care
- Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary have been providing programs to children, youth and families for over 70 years!
- The club is always willing to accept donations of bottles and cans. Call today for a free pickup!
- In 2008, the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary served over 40,000 children youth and families.
- Staff do not answer the phones during programs (to better attend to your children).

CLUB UPDATES

Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary Expands to South West Calgary!

For over 70 years, Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary has been providing services to children, youth, and families in the city of Calgary. Current locations in the city are in the North East, South East, North West of Calgary. Many years ago we had a club in the South West in the community of Glenbrook, so we are pleased to once again be back offering quality programs and services!

New Program! Great Escapes at Glenbrook, Strathcona, and Lincoln Park!

Going outside to find what's inside! This program will introduce your child to outdoor and indoor activities and skills. Through leadership and teamwork activities your child will participate in activities such as hiking, biking, wall climbing, games and more! We are excited to offer this program at three different locations this Winter; Glenbrook, Strathcona and Lincoln Park. Each week your child will escape for fun and adventure on our brand new Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary bus.

Glenbrook & Lincoln Park Youth Day

The Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary is here for YOUTH too! This Winter we're proving it by running an all youth program on Tuesday's after school. Youth from Glenbrook and Lincoln Park will come together to participate in this action packed program. Each week youth will be picked up in the brand new Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary bus to enjoy fun activities including outdoor adventure, active living, leadership opportunities and much, much more!

PROGRAM UPDATES

Rosscarrock Homework Help & Kid Power

New and improved! We are happy to continue to offer our Homework Help program to residents of Rosscarrock on Wednesday's after school. Each week your child will experience support with getting their homework done and learning new homework skills.

Additionally your child will work towards goals chosen at the beginning of the program so that you and your child can watch their learning growth! But don't worry, it's not *all* homework. Once their homework is done your child will be able to participate in fun activities such as games and crafts.

Stampede Work Experience Program 2010!

Come join us to celebrate 38 years of work experience with the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary and the Calgary Stampede 2010. Club members who will be 12 and older before July 8, 2010 are eligible to apply for summer employment at the Calgary Stampede through the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary. Recruitment and Job Skills workshops are held at the Clubs to relay Stampede information and teach youth about the application process, resume writing and interview techniques. The youth will be able to apply these skills now and in any future job! Please contact Club staff for more information!

Shaganappi Youth Jr. Chef's

This Winter the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary is bringing a new program to youth at Shaganappi, Jr. Chef's. Your son or daughter will have fun mastering their skills in the kitchen, while at the same time learning healthy and nutritious recipes that they can make at home!



SOUTH CALGARY SERVICES

We are on the web!

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STAFF AND VOLUNTEER NEWS

South Calgary staff are pleased to be running programs in the communities of Lincoln Park, Strathcona, Glenbrook, Rosscarrock, and Shaganappi! We are pleased to help out in any way we can, so do not hesitate to contact us and let us know how we can better serve the community!

Volunteers are always a welcome addition to any program at the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary! If you are a youth or adult with a special skill, gift, or free time and would like to volunteer in a program, please call Trina Keenan at 403-520-1601!

PROGRAM SCHEDULE



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SOUTH CALGARY — Winter 2009

| Time: | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat |
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| | BGCC Bus available for Glenbrook Programming | BGCC Bus available for Youth Day Programming | BGCC Bus available for Strathcona Programming | BGCC Bus available for McKenzie Lake Programming | BGCC Bus available for Lincoln Park Programming | |
| Afternoon | <p>Glenbrook CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Great Escapes</p> <p>Strathcona CHC/COC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Kid Power 1 staff</p> <p>Shaganappi CHC/WINS 7-10 years 3:30-5:30 *Girl Talk Jr.</p> <p>Sir James Lougheed 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Kid Fit *Club.com *Jr. Chef's</p> | <p>Glenbrook CHC/COC 6-10 years 4:00-6:00 *TBA</p> <p>Glenbrook CHC 12-17 years 3:00-6:00 *Youth Day</p> <p>Lincoln Park CHC 12-17 years 3:00-6:00 *Youth Day</p> <p>McKenzie Lake CHC 12-17 years 3:00-6:00 *Summit</p> | <p>Rosscarrock CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Homework Help *Kid Power</p> <p>Shaganappi CHC 12-17 years 3:30-5:30 *Junior Chefs</p> <p>Strathcona CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Great Escapes</p> | <p>Glenbrook CHC/COC/Y 7-11 years 4:00-6:00 pm *Afterschool</p> <p>Lincoln Park CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Girls Homework Help *Girls Summit</p> <p>Strathcona COC 12-17 years 3:00-6:00 *Youth Program</p> <p>McKenzie Lake CHC 12-17 years 3:00-6:00 *Great Escapes</p> | <p>Glenbrook CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *TBA</p> <p>Shaganappi CHC/COC 10-17 years 3:30-5:30 *Boys Rock</p> <p>Lincoln Park CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Great Escapes</p> | <p>Programs begin the week of Jan 11—Jan 15 and end the week of Mar 15—19 (unless noted otherwise)</p> |