

SPRING 2010 SOUTH PROGRAMS



BGCC Newsletter



Boys & Girls Clubs
of Calgary

DATES TO REMEMBER!

Meet Our Staff!

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Mar 15 – Spring, Summer and Camp Registration Begins

March 17 - Area Captain Applications Due

Mar ch26 - Last day of Winter Programs

March 29-Apr 1—Spring Day Camps (at select locations)

April 6-9—Spring Day Camps (at select locations)

April 12—Spring Programs Begin

April 21– Stampede Applications Due

May 1—Annual Highway Clean-up

June 12-13—Spruce Meadows "Show Your Spirit" Event

June 11—Last Day of Spring Programs

July 5-August 19—Summer Day Camps (at select locations)

Did You Know?

*Our Mission Statement - To provide a safe, supportive place where children and youth can experience new opportunities, overcome barriers, build positive relationships and develop confidence and skills for life.

*There are over 100 Boys and Girls Clubs across Canada!

*There are Eight Community Clubs in Calgary.

*Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary now offers Licensed Out of School Care at Six Calgary Community Club Locations. Contact your local Club for more information.

*We are always looking for Youth and Adult volunteers to help with Club programs and events. We offer various types of involvement that require different time commitments, skills and experiences. If you are interested in getting involved please contact your local Club or e-mail :

volunteer@bgcc.ab.ca

CLUB UPDATES

STAMPEDE WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAM

Come join us to celebrate 38 years of work experience with the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary and the Calgary Stampede 2010. This is the 38th anniversary of the Stampede Work Experience Program. The Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary have been hiring youth for 37 years to give them valuable work experience and gain money in the process.

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!

Important application deadlines:

Area Captain Applications are due to any of the Clubs by Wednesday March 17, 2010.
 General Applications are due to any of the Clubs by Wednesday April 21, 2010.

Club	Job Skills Workshop
Bowness 403-571-0517 #36 7930 Bowness Road NW	Wednesday March 10 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Falconridge 403-543-9672 #95 Falshire Drive NE	Monday March 8 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm
Forest Lawn 403-543-9669 1717 41 st Street SE	Wednesday March 10 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Penbrooke 403-543-9675 6098 Penbrooke Drive SE	Friday March 5 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Pineridge 403-543-9678 6012 Rundlehorn Drive NE	Saturday March 6 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm
Thorncilife 403-543-9681 6625 4 th Street NE	Monday March 8 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm
Aboriginal 403-520-1502 731 13 th Avenue NE	Thursday March 4 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm
Bellline 403-263-7934 221 12 Ave SW	Saturday March 6 7:00 pm -8:30 pm
SCRIPT 403-235-5722 3800 Memorial Drive NE	Tuesday March 9 5:00 pm -6:30 pm
South Programs 403-520-1601 Shaagananappi Public Library	Friday March 5 6:00 pm –7:30 pm

PROGRAM UPDATES

SPRING/EASTER BREAK DAY

CAMPS

Spring and Easter Break day camps will be offered at **Glenbrook** and **Lincoln Park**.

Registration for these day camps will be on a first come first served basis.

MARCH 29 – APRIL 1, 2010

APRIL 6 – APRIL 9, 2010

9:00 AM to 3:00 PM each day

Please speak to program staff for more information or to sign up!

Please note: There are no fees for attending day camp, however we do invite parents to “pay

what they can”. Any payment made for day camp attendance will go directly towards activities that your child participates in.

Annual Highway Clean Up

Each year, on the first Saturday in May, youth across the province take to the ditches to make Alberta's highways cleaner. This event raises over \$1,000 for the Club, but we need your help to do it! We are looking for groups of children 9 and up to come out and make the highway sparkle, as well as adult volunteers to supervise and help out! Training, safety gear and meals will be provided to all participants. Help the environment and help your club! Contact the staff to sign up.

Spruce Meadows – Show Us Your Spirit Event – Sunday, June 13

Can you cheer really loud? Do you love coming to the club? Did you ever think that you would hear us asking you to “keep the volume up” or use your “outdoor voice”? If the answer to any of these is “YES” then you're invited to join us at Spruce Meadows to cheer on a competition and enjoy a day of horse jumping. The bonus: the group that cheers the loudest can win \$10,000 for the Boys and Girls Clubs of Calgary!!! We hope that you'll come, raise your voices and help us make some money for the club! Contact the club to sign up for this great event!



South Programs

We are on the web!

www.boysandgirlsclubsofcalgary.ca

CONTACT US AT:

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STAFF NEWS

- This Spring Juliana will be taking a break from programs to embark on an exciting adventure to home—Venezuela!! We will miss her but look forward to having her back for the Summer at Glenbrook and Lincoln Park!
- Congratulations are due to two staff members who are finishing exciting post-secondary programs from Mount Royal University this Spring. Nadia will graduate with a Child and Youth Care Counsellor Diploma and Shaista graduates with a Human Resources Certificate. Hats off to both of you!

PROGRAM SCHEDULE



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SOUTH CALGARY — Spring 2010

Time:	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	BGCC Bus available for Glenbrook	BGCC Bus available for Glenbrook	BGCC Bus available for Strathcona	BGCC Bus available for McKenzie Lake	BGCC Bus available for Lincoln Park	
Afternoon	<p>Glenbrook CHC 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 *Great Escapes</p> <p>Shaganappi CHC/WINS 6-10 years 3:30-6:00 *Girl Talk Jr.</p> <p>Sir James Lougheed 6-12 years 3:00-5:00 *Kid Fit *Club.com *Jr. Chef's</p>	<p>Glenbrook CHC/COC 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 *Drop In</p> <p>Glenbrook CHC 12-17 years 3:30-6:00 *Routes</p> <p>McKenna Kids CHC 12-17 years 4:00-6:00 *Drop In</p>	<p>Rosscarrock CHC 6-12 years 3:30-5:30 *Homework Help *Kid Power</p> <p>Shaganappi CHC 13-17 years 4:00-6:00 *Babysitting</p> <p>Strathcona CHC 6-12 years 3:00-6:00 *Great Escapes</p>	<p>Glenbrook CHC/COC/ YMCA 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 pm * After School</p> <p>Lincoln Park CHC 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 *Girls Homework Help *Girls Summit</p> <p>McKenzie Lake CHC 11-17 years 4:00-7:00 *Routes</p>	<p>Glenbrook CHC 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 *Radical Science</p> <p>Shaganappi CHC/COC 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 *Boys Rock</p> <p>Lincoln Park CHC 6-12 years 3:30-6:00 *Great Escapes</p>	<p>Programs begin the week of April 12—16 and end the week of June 7—11 (unless noted other- wise)</p>
Evening		<p>Shaganappi CHC 9-12 years 6:30-8:30 *Soccer</p>				