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Kilkenny Community League Family Day

Date: February 16, 2025 - Sunday

Time: 11am - 2pm

Please join us for Family Day!

Sunday February 16, 2025 from 11 am to 2 pm.

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If you are interested in a vacant position please reach out to the President

Venue Rentals at Evansdale Community League

Looking for a venue for your next event? Our main hall and sports building can accommodate a variety of capacities for your gatherings. For more information including booking please contact Teri Muiselaar by phone at (780) 222-0474; or by email at hallrentals@evansdale.ca



Main Hall – Capacity 230	Rates	Damage Deposit
Hourly Bookings	\$75/Hour	
Individual Weekday/Weeknight (Monday-Thursday)	\$400/day	\$400
Single Day Over Weekend (Friday-Sunday)	\$500/day	\$500
Full Weekend (3 Days)	\$700	\$700
Use of Dishes	\$100	

Evansdale Community League Swim

Show your valid 2024-2025 Evansdale Community League membership card at any of the following City of Edmonton Leisure Centres and enjoy FREE swimming during the times listed.

Facility	Day and time
Grand Trunk Fitness and Leisure Centre 13025 112 Street	Friday 7:15-9:15PM Sunday 4:15-5:45PM
Londonderry Leisure Centre 14528 66 Street	Sunday 4:15-5:45PM
*Londonderry Pool is scheduled for a maintenance shutdown from November 8, 2024 to January 9, 2025	
O'Leary Leisure Centre 8804 132 Avenue	Saturday 4:15-6:15pm

Community Swims do not take place on statutory holidays or days the facilities close early (Easter Sunday)

Pickleball at Evansdale

The 2024 Evansdale Pickleball Season has come to a close.


Please visit our website for up-to-date information about our off-season hours of operation. <https://evansdale.ca/programs-events/pickleball/>



Community League Memberships

Get your community league membership anytime! Membership makes you part of an amazing community of people who care and help look after our community. Free community swimming times at local City of Edmonton facilities, discounts on community programs and on Edmonton City wellness programs along with hall/sports building rentals and the enjoyment of ice skating in the winter and pickleball in the summer at outside of our hall! Your Community League membership is valid for

one year from September 1st to Aug 31st.
 • \$25 Family, \$15 Single Family/ Senior Couple, \$10 Single Person
 Contact Elaine Sarac at membership@evansdale.ca or 780-476-7442 to get your Evansdale Community League membership. Please leave a voice message if you cannot reach Elaine.
 If you are in a rush, you can buy memberships at the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues website: www.efcl.org




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President: Anna T. email (president@kilkenny.ab.ca)

1st Vice President of Administration: Vitor

2nd Vice President of Sports: Vacant.

If this is something you are interested in, please contact Anna:

president@kilkenny.ab.ca

Treasurer: Amanda

Publicity Director: Louise

Webmaster Manager: Anthony

Gaming & Grant Director: Donna

Softball/Baseball Director: Vacant

If this is something you are interested in, please contact Anna:

president@kilkenny.ab.ca

Soccer Director: Amber

Area 17 Representatives: Amanda / Donna

Secretary:

Equipment Director: Steven

NRC: Kirstine

Thanks to everyone who attended the AGM for Kilkenny Community League. To everyone who chose to volunteer for a position thank you for your service. Without the dedication of the volunteers of the Kilkenny Community League, lots of events wouldn't happen. If you weren't able to volunteer this time around, consider it for next year, it's a super way to offer service to community.

Community Swim Events

Community Swim Times:

Londonderry Pool (14528-66th)

Sundays – 4:15pm– 5:45pm

Grand Trunk (13025-112 Street)

Fridays - 7:15pm – 9:15pm

Sundays – 4:15pm – 5:45 pm – every other Sunday

O'Leary (8804-132 Avenue)

Saturdays – 4:15 pm to 6:15 pm

Community Swims do NOT take place on statutory holidays or days the facilities

close early (Easter Sunday)

Did you know?

Kilkenny Community League is partnered with TGP or Wholesale Market (The Grocery People – 11628 -142nd Street). When you shop there, tell the cashier that you would like your purchase to go towards Kilkenny and TGP will donate 5% of your purchase to Kilkenny Community League. Funds donated help us build towards bringing you more community events!

Kilkenny Community League Hall Rental

Times	Main	Meeting Room	Both
Weekday/Weeknight	\$200.00	\$100.00	N/A
Friday (after 5pm)	\$400.00	\$100.00	\$500.00
Saturday	\$550.00	\$100.00	\$650.00
Sunday	\$400.00	\$100.00	\$500.00
Two Day Wedding – Sat/Sun	\$750.00	\$850.00	
Full Weekend -			
Friday@6pm to Sunday 6pm	\$1000.00	N/A	\$1100.00
Hourly Rate (4-hour min.)	\$50.00	\$25.00	N/A

Kilkenny Community League Soccer Registration

Thursday, February 27, 2025 - 6:30pm to 7:30 pm

Thursday, March 6, 2025 - 6:30pm to 7:30 pm

Saturday, March 8, 2025 – 11am to 1 pm

Kilkenny Community League Craft Sale

Date: Saturday, April 12, 2025

Time: 10 am to 3 pm

For table registration: Call Anna 780 478 3269

or email her: president@kilkenny.ab.ca.

The cost of a table will be \$20.00



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Can physiotherapy help you?

Physiotherapy can provide many benefits for anyone of any age. The goal of this treatment is to make daily tasks and activities easier and can help with recovery after some surgeries. Your healthcare provider may suggest physio therapy for injuries or long-term health problems such as arthritis or chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD).

Physiotherapy may be used alone or with other treatments. It can help you move better and may relieve pain, along with improving or restoring your physical function and fitness level.

What does a physiotherapist do?

Your physiotherapist will examine you and talk to you about your symptoms and your daily activity. Your therapist will then work with you on a treatment plan. The goals are to help your joints move better and to restore or increase your flexibility, strength, endurance, coordination, and/or balance.

First, your therapist will try to reduce your pain and swelling. Your physiotherapist

also may use manual therapy, education, and techniques such as heat, cold, water, ultrasound, and electrical stimulation.

You'll want a therapist who has experience with your health problem. Some physiotherapists are certified in areas such as orthopedics, sports, and neurology and may offer more specialized care. Physiotherapists can also specialize in certain types of care, such as:

- Back and neck pain.
- Cardiac rehabilitation (rehab).
- Wound care.
- Cancer-related problems.
- Treatment of children or older adults.

When can physiotherapy help?

Physiotherapy and recovery from injury

- Physiotherapy can help you recover from an injury and avoid future injury. Your physiotherapist can help you reduce pain in the soft tissues (muscles, tendons, and ligaments), build muscle strength, and improve flexibility, function, and range of motion.

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Community League Wellness Program

The City of Edmonton Recreation Centres and the Edmonton Federation of Community Leagues continues to offer discounted memberships and admissions through the Community League Wellness Program.

Present your valid Edmonton Community League membership card, showing expiry date (payment receipts

will not be accepted) at any City of Edmonton Recreation Centre and receive the following discounts:

20% off annual memberships*

20% off continuous monthly memberships using our convenient Pre-Authorized Debit Program*

15% off multi admission (5+) passes. Community League members that

purchase these passes will be issued a photo access card which is to be swiped at each admission

*Members will be asked to verify their eligibility for the discounted membership on an annual basis. Failure to do so may result in a suspension of the discounted membership rate until valid documentation is presented

Facilities and amenities include swimming pools, whirlpools, fitness studios, cardio areas, weight rooms, racquetball, badminton, indoor running tracks, gymnasiums, and indoor playgrounds. For more information and facility specific amenities, please visit edmonton.ca/activities-parks-recreation or call 311



At Londonderry Public Library

Please Note: All EPL locations are open from 1:00-5:00 PM on Family Day, February 17.

Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn (Baby & Toddler):

Sundays | 11:00 AM – 11:45 AM
Mondays | 10:15 AM – 11:00 AM,
1:30 PM – 2:15 PM

Tuesdays | 10:15 AM – 11:00 AM,
1:30 PM – 2:15 PM

Wednesdays | 10:15 AM – 11:00 AM
Fridays | 10:15 AM – 11:00 AM

Saturdays | 2:30 PM – 3:15 PM
You and your child from birth to age three are invited to join us for songs, rhymes, and signs.

Baby Laptime (0-12 months):

Fridays | 1:30 PM – 2:00 PM
Enjoy stories, songs, and rhymes especially for babies. Cuddle with your baby and connect with other caregivers.

Read, Code, Play! (Preschooler):

Monday, February 3 & 10 | 4:30PM - 5:00 PM

Through stories, rhymes, songs and activities your preschooler will be introduced to the vocabulary and concepts commonly used in computer coding.

Preschool Problem Solvers (Preschooler):

Thursdays | 4:30-5:00 PM

Looking for opportunities that help build school skills and encourage independence? Preschool Problem Solvers introduces shapes, numbers, colours and classroom behaviour to children aged four to five. In this class, they will dance, sing, investigate and have fun!

Discovery Club (Ages 6-8):

Tuesdays | 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM
Full STEAM ahead! Explore all things Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math in this club for young scientists and makers.

Dungeons and Dragons for Kids - 3 Weeks (Ages 9-12):

Thursday, February 20, 27 & March 6 | 6:00 – 7:30 PM

Calling all adventurers! Always wanted to play Dungeons and Dragons but

not sure where to start? We've got your back. Sharpen your swords, spark your magic, and prepare to do battle with monsters in order to save the realm with the roll of your dice. This THREE WEEK campaign is designed for beginners who want to learn simplified Dungeons and Dragons.

Youth Talk (Teen):

Fridays | 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM
Practice your communication skills and gain familiarity with Canadian society and culture in this conversation-based program designed for newcomer youth.

LACE English Conversation Circle (English Language Learners – Adult):

Thursdays | 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
Practice your English with others. A group of amazing volunteers are ready to assist with your learning as you discuss topics of interest in a comfortable and friendly environment.

Tech Time (Adult, Senior):

Fridays | 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Need some one-on-one tech help? Bring your device (or use one of ours) and come prepared with a tech-related question or challenge you would like to explore with a savvy staff member.

Seniors' Drop-In (Adult)

Thursday, February 27 | 2:00-3:00 PM
Hang out, meet other seniors, and join in some fun activities like playing cards, watching a film, listening to a guest speaker, or learning about resources in the Library or in your community.

One-off Events:

Cricut Club for Adults (Teen & Adult):
Wednesday, February 12 | 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Want to learn how to design your own vinyl stickers, greeting cards, t-shirt graphics and more? This is the club for you!

Computer Skills: Introduction to Using Email (Adult):

Thursday, February 13 | 1:00 PM – 3:00 PM

This is a class for those who are new

to computers including English language learners and seniors. You will learn about receiving and sending emails, including attaching files, as well as email safety. You should already know basic computer parts and terms, how to use a mouse and keyboard, how to launch a program in Microsoft Windows and how to navigate an internet browser. A laptop and mouse will be provided for this class.

NOTE: Registration required.

Pop-Up Makers Space (Ages 4-12)

Monday, February 17 | 1:30-4:30 PM
Come make and create with us at the Library. Join us for activities and let your imagination soar.

Book Clubs of EPL: Chop Suey Nation (Adult):

Wednesday, February 26 | 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Explore books and engage in lively discussions with fellow book lovers.

At McConachie Public Library

Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn (Baby & Toddler)

Sundays | 10:30 AM – 11:15 AM
Mondays | 1:30 AM – 2:15 PM
Fridays | 10:30 AM – 11:15 AM
Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn is a fantastic opportunity for babies and toddlers to enjoy songs, rhymes, and learn

basic sign language in a playful and supportive environment.

Baby Laptime (Baby & Toddler)

Wednesdays | 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM
Join us for Baby Laptime, a fun and interactive storytime for babies and toddlers.

Day Home Rhyme Time (Baby & Toddler)

Mondays | 10:30 AM – 11:00 AM
Day homes are invited to join us for 30 minutes of interactive music, movement, songs and more.

LEGO at the Library (Family)

Tuesdays | 3:30 PM – 4:30 PM
Calling all LEGO lovers! Come to the library to design and build a LEGO creation. Share your building tips and tricks with others.

Seniors' Drop-In (Adult)

Monday, February 4 | 1:00-2:00 PM
Hang out, meet other seniors, and join in some fun activities like playing cards, watching a film, listening to a guest speaker, or learning about resources in the Library or in your community.

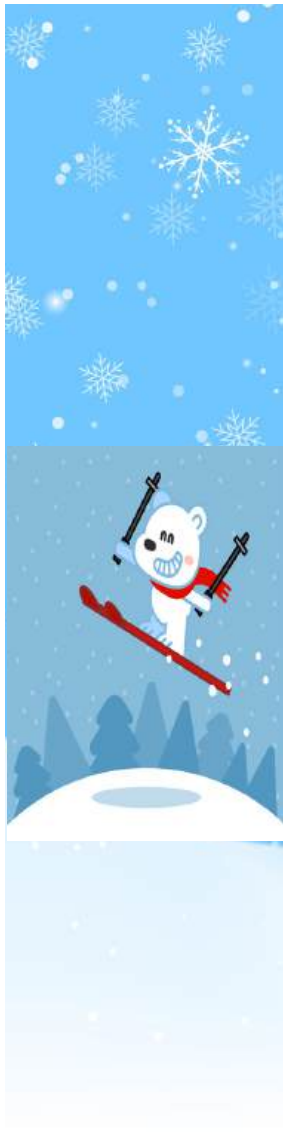
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Hope and Growth Guide ECSD Forward

Edmonton Catholic Schools Board of Trustees reflects on faith, renewal, and the exciting journey ahead

As we continue on in 2025, the Board of Trustees of Edmonton Catholic Schools is filled with hope for what this year will bring to our Division and schools. January has set the tone for an exciting second half of the school year, and your Trustees are pleased to share our focus moving forward.

On Christmas Eve, Pope Francis opened the Jubilee Year by unlocking the Holy Doors at St. Peter's Basilica, calling us to reflect on renewal, mercy, and hope. These themes inspire our work this year, as we embrace our Division theme, "People of Hope." We are committed to fostering these values in meaningful ways, supporting our students and staff in their journeys of faith and growth.

We are in the midst of Open House season at Edmonton Catholic Schools. Our schools proudly welcome families to explore the



Trustee Laura Thibert, Trustee Alene Mutala, Board Chair Sandra Palazzo, Vice-chair Lisa Turchansky, Trustee Debbie Engel, Trustee Terry Harris

Christ-centred learning environments and diverse programming we offer. Whether it's starting Kindergarten, transitioning to Junior High or High School, or seeking specialized programs, Open Houses provide an opportunity to witness our faith-based education in

action. Families can find a directory of Open Houses at ecsd.net/openhouse. We look forward to hosting families as they take this important step in their child's education.

As always, advocating for the needs of our Division remains a top priority for the Board.

We are focused on securing modern, welcoming schools to support our growing student population and championing enhanced services and programming for all. With rapid enrolment growth, we face an unprecedented demand for teachers and support staff. Partnering with others, we are working to attract and retain exceptional educators dedicated to nurturing student learning and well-being.

We are deeply grateful for the trust families place in us, the enthusiasm of our students, and the dedication of our staff. As we navigate this period of growth, we remain steadfast in our mission to provide a faith-filled, Christ-centred learning environment that nurtures every student's potential

Let's embrace the opportunities that lie ahead and continue working together to support the success of our students, families, and staff. Should you have any questions, please contact us at boardoffice@ecsd.net.

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