

The Spirit of Burnewood

Burnewood community's motto is "**Life's Good in Burnewood**" and it's hard for the majority of us to disagree with this statement. We have great schools, plenty of green space for recreation and a strong community spirit that provides a safe environment for our children to thrive in. There are still some opportunities, however, that are beyond the reach of some of our families. We believe that every child should have the opportunity to have a healthy and active life! To help achieve this goal, the League has established a program sponsorship initiative called the "**Spirit of Burnewood**". This initiative will allow children from families who have limited financial resources to participate in sports and recreational activities.

The scope of this initiative will provide free registrations in the children's programs. To qualify, children must be 18 years of age or under and a resident of **Burnewood**. Asking for help is sometimes hard so our aim is to make the registration process as unintrusive as possible.

If you would like to take advantage of this program, please contact pres@burnewood.ca or by mail at **4118 – 41 Avenue, Edmonton, AB, T6L 5Y6**.

**Burnewood Community League reserves the right to refuse an application without explanation and without recourse.*

"Together we can make a difference in a child's life."

Community Boundaries

Burnewood is located in South East Edmonton.

Our boundaries are: Whitemud Drive to the North, 34th Street to the East, Mill Creek Ravine to the South and 50th Street to the West.

Burnewood Executive Committee

The Committee is created strictly by volunteers, with the one exception of the Board Administrator. They strive hard to coordinate events, assist and support programs within the community, as well as, respond to needs or concerns.

Just like you, they are residents with families and friends who come together to donate their time to this wonderful community. Some members of this Committee have been contributing their time and efforts to the **Burnewood** community for over 16 years.

New volunteers are always welcome! "Time is valuable, but volunteering is invaluable".



VOLUNTEERS – a precious resource we cannot afford to lose!

MISSION STATEMENT

To promote social interaction and recreational activities/opportunities in a safe environment, and act as a voice for the residents of the **Burnewood Community**

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The overall objective of the

Burnewood Community League

is to enhance the quality of life for all residents by promoting recreational, leisure and social opportunities, and to be responsive to community needs and concerns.

Burnewood Community Hall
4118 – 41 Ave, Edmonton, AB T6L 5Y6
Ph: 780-465-9814

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Buy your Membership Today!

A Community League membership offers many great benefits to people of all ages and lifestyles.

What do I get when I purchase a membership?

- Opportunity to accumulate program credits through volunteering for bingos and casinos. These credits can be used to pay for a wide variety of programs and activities that are run by, or authorized by, the Community League
- Adult/Child/Teen programs
- Playground and “green shack” programs
- **FREE** skating at our rinks and all outdoor City of Edmonton rinks
- **FREE** swims at the Meadows Recreation Centre
- A forum to have your voice heard and to help make a difference in your community

How much is a yearly membership, and how can I purchase one?

A yearly (Sep 1 – Aug 31) membership is \$25, and is available for purchase at the **Burnewood** community hall on the first Wednesday of every month @ 6:30pm during the Executive Meeting downstairs (some meeting dates may change periodically – check our website for any changed/postponed dates). You may also contact our Assistant Membership Director at members@burnewood.ca or call the hall.

Community League Wellness Program

All current members of an Edmonton Community League with a valid membership card are eligible to participate in the Community League Wellness Program.

Present your valid Edmonton Community League membership card at any one of the City of Edmonton's sports and fitness facilities and choose from the following Community League Wellness Products:

Annual Pass* - 10% discount on Adult, Family, Child, and Youth/Senior Annual Passes

Multi Admission Pass* - 10% discount on already discounted multi admission pass (10+ visits)

Continuous Monthly Pass* - 10% discount off an on-going monthly membership pass using the convenient pre-authorized debit program.

Visit the City of Edmonton website for more information:

<http://www.edmonton.ca>

Program Support

Burnewood is proud to provide financial assistance to our 3 area schools to enhance learning, and also subsidizes our yearly Community Campout, Halloween parties and the Skate with Santa activity. **Burnewood** also provides a supervised/maintained ice rink during the winter months.

In the spring, the Community League hosts an annual “Big Bin Event” where area residents may dispose of large items at no cost, as well as, coordinating the Annual Community Clean-Up Event. We are always looking for volunteers to come out and help! (gloves and garbage bags provided).

Burnewood Seniors

As an ongoing commitment to serve all the residents of the **Burnewood** community, our Seniors Liaison advises and assists seniors in our community on where they can find services to meet their needs. Our Seniors Liaison can be contacted at:

seniors@burnewood.ca

For the Mill Woods and Meadows area, there is a Seniors Centre called the Mill Woods Seniors Activity Centre (MWSAC) located on the 2nd Floor of the new Mill Woods Public Library, 2610 Hewes Way. The centre offers a number of educational, recreational and social programs/activities for seniors to socialize and lead an active and healthy lifestyle.

The centre is open from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM, Monday to Friday, 780-496-2997 or visit

www.mwsac.ca

Bingos & Casinos

Bingo fundraising events for **Burnewood** Community League are run regularly throughout the year and are held at Parkway Bingo. Contact the Gaming Director for more information on how you can get involved:

bingo@burnewood.ca

Casinos are held once every year and a half to two years and represent one of the best ways for our Community League to increase revenue. Our next casino date will be announced on our website when available. For more information about how you can support **Burnewood's** casino:

casino@burnewood.ca.

These fundraisers can earn you “points” to off-set children’s sporting events or school fees.