

FALCONRIDGE/ CASTLERIDGE COMMUNITY NEWS



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FALL EDITION 2022



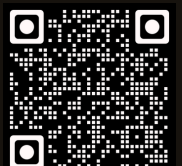
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT



President Dhruv Sharma

Dear Falconridge/Castleridge and Westwinds Community,

As we adapted and responded to the challenges the COVID virus imposed, we are pleased to announce our new projects and community that demonstrated strength and courage even amidst the most challenging circumstances and times. We had a successful 40th anniversary event for the community hall in June that brought the residents together. Last month, we installed our fit park that was in discussion for over ten years. Finally, I am pleased to announce our upcoming event, Breakfast with Santa, so please join us on December 10th .

We are mission-driven community that puts people first. As I reflect on what our community has accomplished this year coming out of a pandemic, I believe that we have every reason to feel greatly encouraged by our achievements. "The best way to see depth in yourself is to lose yourself in the service of others," Dhruv Sharma.

With sincere appreciation,

Dhruv Sharma

**AGM
ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING**

YOUR OPINION MATTERS. JOIN US

Thursday, October 20, 2022

6:30PM - 9PM

AT COMMUNITY CENTRE
95 FALSHIRE Dr NE, CALGARY,
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FCCA Board Of Directors for 2020/2021

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**BREAKFAST
WITH SANTA**
DECEMBER 10, 2022



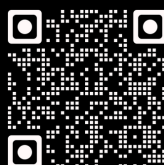
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UPDATES FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

 Old Age Security (OAS) pension is increasing by 10% for seniors aged 75 and over

 The Canada Child Benefit went up for eligible families

 Up to \$1,300 over the next two years for dental care for children under 12

 \$500 for qualifying low-income renters this year

 Up to \$234 for single Canadians & up to \$467 for families by doubling the GST Tax Credit



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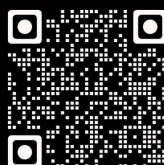
Programs run Tuesdays until May 30, 2023.

Registration is on-going.

sireland@canlearnsociety.ca

or

403-701-1660



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FCCA PROGRAMS



We are now open with full capacities available! Bookings are very busy right now as people have rescheduled events that were postponed due to Covid-19. To arrange bookings and/or viewings call the office as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

Bartenders, set-up or cleanup, and corkage packages are available as well as podium, PA system and projector rentals. Hourly and day rates are also available.

**FOR HALL RENTAL INFORMATION CALL FCCA OFFICE MONDAY TO FRIDAY 9:00 AM TO 4:00 PM
CALL: 403-280-4422 EMAIL: FCCAINFO@TELUS.NET**

SMALLER MEETING ROOMS
ALSO AVAILABLE

OTHER ORGANIZATIONS OPERATING WITHIN FCCA

- 1955 Army Cadets Supports Society
- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Atlas Driving Academy
- Bab-Ui Hawij Islam Centre Of Calgary
- ESL- Centre For Newcomers
- Girl Guides (Brownies/Sparks)
- Global Mission Fellowship Church
- Impact Church
- Opendoor Phillipino Church Of Calgary
- RSS Radha Soami Society Church
- SIEC Sufi Islamic Education Centre
- Zai Ul Islamic Society

For Contact information on these programs, call FCCA office:
403-280-4422

FCCA PRESCHOOL

**Now Accepting Registrations For
September 2022 to June 2023
Classes**

2 - Day Classes

- PURPLE CLASS 9am - 11am
- ORANGE CLASS: 12pm - 2pm

3 - Day Classes

- GREEN CLASS: 9am - 11am
- YELLOW CLASS: 12pm - 2pm

Weekend Class (Sat / Sun)

- GOLD CLASS 9am - 11am
(This class is subject to number of registrations)

MISSION STATEMENT

"Our mission is to be one-of-a-kind, to inspire, to challenge, to teach, to learn, to make a difference in the lives we touch."

CALL FOR MORE INFO!
403-280-4422

All children must be at least 3 years old and TOILET TRAINED to attend these classes.



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club

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Ages: Kindergarten to Grade 6

Sessions are
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We are fully licenced under the Alberta Children & Youth Services Child Care Licensing Act.



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FCCA COMMUNITY UPDATE



With your help, we collected 13,580 kg of garbage, 1198 kg of electronics and two truckloads of metals and appliances at our community cleanup. Thank you volunteers!



Our new fit park is installed and ready to use!



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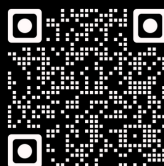


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WARD 5 COUNCILLOR

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AS YOUR CITY COUNCILLOR
IN WARD 5.**

It's hard to believe it's already been one year since the election. I continue to be humbled that you entrusted me with the duty to represent you at city hall. There's no shortage of work to do to make Ward 5 the best place to live in Calgary and I've loved every second of it. The best way to keep track of what I'm up to is through my personal website. It's regularly updated with stories from my meetings and visits with residents, the events I attend around the city, and the work I do with my fellow councillors. Also, take a moment to visit and subscribe to the monthly newsletter so you can have my updates sent directly to you. Thank you!



Raj

Contact
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FALL EDITION 2022

VOLUNTEER-LED ESL

English as a Second Language classes; beginner level; learn the basic language to support the settlement and integration process here in Calgary

TUESDAYS & FRIDAYS
9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

LOCATION:
Falconridge-Castleridge Community Association
95 Falshire Drive NE

To register please contact

Elaine • 403-539-5854 • e.mew@centrefornewcomers.ca

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Falconridge/Castleridge Community Association

(Established 2017)

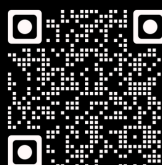
ALL SENIORS WELCOME

- ✓ Meet new friends
- ✓ Group activities
- ✓ Peer support

Mondays 1 – 3 pm

(Closed stat holidays)

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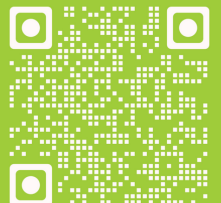
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