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Please allow us to introduce ourselves! We are  
**RAINBOW ELDERS CALGARY**  
*A support group for 2SLGBTQ+ seniors*



- Friendships*
- Social Events*
- Picnics*
- Role Models*
- Companionship*
- Coffee & Cookies*
- Movie Nights*
- Connecting with Youth*
- Making a Difference*
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- Celebrations*

Rainbow Elders Calgary is a volunteer-run organization determined to make a significant difference in the lives of 2SLGBTQ+ seniors. We work to provide support and address issues such as social isolation, housing, and loneliness.

As seniors, we also believe that we have a responsibility to connect with and be role models for our vulnerable 2SLGBTQ+ youth.

We invite you to get to know us as we make major differences in the lives of both young and older members of our queer community.

*To discover more, please contact us!*

email: [rainbowelderscalgary@gmail.com](mailto:rainbowelderscalgary@gmail.com)

[www.rainbowelderscalgary.ca](http://www.rainbowelderscalgary.ca)







## What's Up at the ARC February 2023



HOME  
OF THE

Acadia Community Association  
Bow View Ringette Association  
Wolverines Hockey Club  
Isha Yama Judo Club  
Acadia Curling Rink - 10 Sheets

### Acadia Community Association

#### ACA Memberships

Memberships are available online at [acadia.community/](http://acadia.community/) membership or in-person at the ARC.

Family: \$25 | Individual: \$15 | Non-Acadia Residents: \$25

#### ACA Winter Carnival

Come out to the annual Winter Carnival on Saturday, February 11, from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. Indoor and outdoor activities including carnival games, bake sale, glitter tattoos, horse-drawn wagon rides, and smores around the fire pit! Free for ACA members to attend. Visit [www.acadia.community/events](http://www.acadia.community/events) for additional details.

### Facility Rentals

#### Rose Hall Banquet Room, Meeting Rooms, Curling Arena, and Lounge

ACA members receive 15% off room bookings! For rental inquiries and more information, contact Tannis at [tannis@acadiarec.com](mailto:tannis@acadiarec.com) or 403-255-1252 ext. 222.

### Courts

#### Pickleball

Come out and try pickleball! No experience necessary. You just need a minimum of 2 people to play and a maximum of 12 people. 2 courts, paddles and balls supplied. To book a court, please visit [acadiarec.com](http://acadiarec.com).

**Rental Rates:** \$15 per hour for ACA members | \$20 per hour for non-members

**Drop-In:** Monday to Thursday | 9:00 am to 12:00 pm  
\$5 a person per session

### Squash/Racquetball Courts

**Drop-In Prices:** \$15 per hour for a court for ACA members | \$20 per hour for a court for non-members

Purchase punch cards (buy 4 hours, get an extra hour free) at our front desk during regular office hours.

**Rental Rates:** \$60 for ACA members | \$80 for non-members

All prices include GST. Call us at 403-255-1252 or book courts online at [acadiarec.com](http://acadiarec.com).

### Curling

#### ARC Curling Practice Ice Punch Card

You can now purchase a practice punch card! 10 practices for \$70. Please contact Tannis at [tannis@acadiarec.com](mailto:tannis@acadiarec.com) or 403-255-1252.

### Arena and Skate

#### Hockey Arena Ice

For rental inquiries and more information, contact Maddy at [maddy@acadiarec.com](mailto:maddy@acadiarec.com) or 403-255-1252 ext. 223.

#### Sticks & Pucks

Monday and Thursday (and holidays) | 12:00 to 1:00 pm  
Practice your shots and dangling skills! Two to three nets set up on the ice. Maximum 20 participants. Must wear helmets with face shield and gloves.

\$5 per session. Book online at [acadiarec.com](http://acadiarec.com).

#### Parent & Tot Skate, Public Skate

Tuesday and Friday | 9:30 am (and holidays) — Free Parent & Tot Skate

Sunday | 12:00 to 12:45 pm — Free Public Skate

All participants must wear helmets.

### Other Happenings

#### Keepin' It Country Line Dance Club

Wednesdays - Dance Program | 5:45 to 9:00 pm.  
Contact Geraldine for more information at 403-256-4150.

#### Sports Card Show

**Saturday, February 11 | 10:00 am to 4:00 pm**

**Sunday, February 12 | 10:00 am to 3:00 pm**

Contact Julie for more information at 403-990-6312 after 6:00 pm, please.

#### Blood Services

**Thursday, February 2 | 2:00 to 7:00 pm**

Book now at [blood.ca](http://blood.ca) or phone 1-888-2-Donate.

*Check out our new website at [acadiarec.com](http://acadiarec.com).  
Online bookings and requests now available.*



# Acadia Community Association Contacts

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 🌐 www.acadia.community  
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## Executives

Malcolm Jubinville	President	president@acadiaca.com
Keith Simmons	Vice President	vp@acadiaca.com
Ashley Chapman	Secretary	secretary@acadiaca.com
Vacant	Treasurer	treasurer@acadiaca.com

## Directors

Brent Harding	Board Director	brent@acadiaca.com
Greg MacQuarrie	Board Director	greg@acadiaca.com
Minh Badau	Board Director	minh@acadiaca.com
Sharla Stoffman	Board Director	sharla@acadiaca.com

## Coordinators

Good Food Box	Helen Tubrett	goodfoodbox@acadiaca.com
Newsletter	Vacant	helloacadia@acadiaca.com

## Committees

Membership	Ashley Chapman	membership@acadiaca.com
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## Acadia Recreation Complex Management and Staff

General Manager	Jorge Da Silva	403-255-1252 ext. 224   gm@acadiarec.com
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Acadia Community Garden	Melissa Paquette	587-777-0527   info@growingacadia.ca
Acadia Community Social Worker	Viviana Reinberg	403-476-7280   viviana.reinberg@calgary.ca
Girl Guides of Canada – Calgary Area		403-283-8348   gginfo@calgarygirlguides.com
Scouts Canada – Chinook Council		403-283-4993   253rdsouthheritagegroup@gmail.com
Community Development Facilitator, Elder Friendly Communities	Sandra Scott	403-651-5868   sandras@caryacalgary.ca



# YYC Squash Academy: Free Junior and Adult Squash Programs

Location: Acadia Recreation Complex

We are excited to be able to offer, at no cost, beginner group lessons for women and girls. This is made possible through the IDEA Encouragement Fund, which is designated for underrepresented people in squash. Lessons include racquets, eye guards, court rental, and our fabulous instructors. This program is separate from our regular programs at YYC Squash Academy.

**February Sessions:**

**Friday Nights**

6:00 to 7:00 pm - Beginner girls only, ages 11 to 14  
 7:00 to 8:00 pm - Women only

**Saturdays**

2:00 to 3:00 pm - Beginner girls only, ages 14 to 17  
 3:00 to 4:00 pm - Women only

**March Sessions:**

**Friday Nights**

6:00 to 7:00 pm - Beginner girls only, ages 11 to 14  
 7:00 to 8:00 pm - Women only


**Saturdays**

2:00 to 3:00 pm - Beginner girls only, ages 14 to 17  
 3:00 to 4:00 pm - Women only

To register, please contact Arthur Hough at 403-689-5013 or [houghl@shaw.ca](mailto:houghl@shaw.ca).



**9 PM**  
**ROUTINE**



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- Remove valuables & garage door openers from vehicles
- Lock vehicles
- Close overhead garage door
- Lock door between garage & house
- Close & lock all external doors
- Ensure windows are shut
- Turn on exterior light

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# MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

Hello fellow Acadians!

We made it through January, and 2023 is well under way. We entered this year really excited about all the initiatives planned for Acadia!

### New ACA Membership Benefits

We're so happy to share that we have been able to partner with some local Acadia businesses to provide benefits to our ACA members! Check out the list of participating businesses and their exclusive offers for ACA members at [www.acadia.community/membership](http://www.acadia.community/membership).

ACA members must present their membership card in order to receive the benefit. Your membership card can be found in your membership login page.

### Annual Winter Carnival

This year's annual Winter Carnival is on Saturday February 11 at the ARC. We are so appreciative of the many folks who have stepped up to volunteer for this event! You have helped us with creating some amazing decor elements as well as building some equipment that we will have access to use for years to come. Our volunteer shifts for the event are also filling up fast, and that gives us the confidence that it will be an amazing time that will be pulled off without a hitch!

In addition, we are overwhelmed by all the bake sale donations so far! We feel so fortunate that people have been so generous with their time and efforts and cannot wait to feature your amazing creations. All funds generated from the bake sale will go back into the ACA to provide the ability to bring more events and programming to the community of Acadia this year.

We are continuing to look for additional volunteers and bake sale donations right up until the event date. Please visit [www.acadia.community/volunteer](http://www.acadia.community/volunteer) to sign up for a shift!

### Our First ACA Social Night!

We would like to give a big thank-you to everyone who came out to our first ACA Social Night last month at the ARC Social Lounge! It was so refreshing to be able to connect with our neighbours face-to-face. We appreciate hearing about issues that are important to our fellow Acadians.

ACA Social Nights are held every second month. Mark your calendars to join us for our next one on Wednesday, March 8. We hope to continually see more people come out and share their perspectives about what makes Acadia the best community in Calgary.

### We Need Your Help!

Have you seen the line up of events that the ACA has planned for 2023? Check them out on page 13 or at [www.acadia.community/events](http://www.acadia.community/events). Each event requires a planning committee to pull off successfully, so reach out to us to get in on the fun!

Don't forget to also catch the summary of available volunteer roles on page 11. If you are available to help with any of the available opportunities, please email us at [volunteer@acadiaca.com](mailto:volunteer@acadiaca.com).

### We're Seeking a Treasurer

We are still in need of permanently filling the treasurer vacancy on our board. Our vice-president, Keith Simmons, graciously continues to fill this role in the interim. See page 10 for details of this role. If you are interested in this position, or know someone who would be a great fit, please contact us at [volunteer@acadiaca.com](mailto:volunteer@acadiaca.com).

Please make sure that you are following us on our Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter social media channels for the latest updates on all things happening with the ACA. Our social media handle is @acacalgary.

*Your Acadia Community Association*

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# Winter Carnival

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& MANY MORE

Bake Sale  
\$5/BOX

ENTRY IS FREE FOR ACA MEMBERS  
\$5/NON-MEMBERS | \$2/NON-MEMBER CHILD (0-12)

Cake Walk  
\$2/ROUND

FOR MORE INFORMATION: [WWW.ACADIA.COMMUNITY/EVENTS](http://WWW.ACADIA.COMMUNITY/EVENTS)



# Acadia: Now A Good Food Box Depot!

Thanks to community support for the Good Food Box Program (<https://www.ckpcalgary.ca/goodfoodbox>), the Acadia Community Association has successfully established the Acadia Recreation Complex as a monthly Good Food Box Depot. This means that individuals and families in Acadia can now purchase boxes of fresh fruits and vegetables at an affordable price – approximately \$1 per pound of produce – and have those boxes delivered to the ARC for pick up.

Due to seasonal availability, there is no knowing in advance what combination of fruits and vegetables each Good Food Box will contain, but all boxes contain the maximum produce to ensure clients get the most value for the price. Clients can choose from three different box sizes (see below), and the program is available to everyone regardless of income level.

Box Size	Price	Weight
Small	\$25	15 to 20lbs* of fruits and vegetables
Medium	\$30	25 to 30lbs* of fruits and vegetables
Large	\$35	35 to 40lbs* of fruits and vegetables

\*Please note weights are approximate.

If you are interested in purchasing a Good Food Box for pick up at the ARC on Wednesday, March 8 (between 11:00 am and 2:00 pm or 4:00 and 6:00 pm), please contact Helen Tubrett at [goodfoodbox@acadiaca.com](mailto:goodfoodbox@acadiaca.com) by end of day on Friday, February 24 to place your order. Payment by e-transfer or cash is required at the time of ordering. A minimum of five boxes ordered is required each month to run the program. If fewer than five orders are received by the deadline, clients will be notified and money will be refunded.

## 2023 Upcoming Good Food Box Order and Delivery Dates

Order Date (Friday)	Delivery Date (Wednesday)
February 24	March 8
March 17	March 29
April 21	May 3
May 19	May 31
June 9	June 21

## REASONS TO BECOME A MEMBER OF



### Acadia Community Association



#### VOTE

Have a say and influence on issues that are most important to you. Have a passion project you want to see executed in Acadia? A new playground, public art, or more programming? Joining the ACA is how you get involved in shaping the community where you live!

#### COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS



Keep up to date with all the happenings in the community, including new infrastructure developments, planning, traffic, events, programs, townhall meetings, ward news, and City news.



#### MEMBERS ONLY PERKS

ACA members get discounts on various local area food and retail outlets. In addition, members get access to the ARC Social Lounge and 15% off room and ice bookings at the ARC for private events!

#### FREE EVENTS



Most of our events are free or at a very reduced rate for members. The ACA hosts some great events each year, such as the Winter Carnival, Stampede Breakfast, Neighbour Day, and more!



#### BE PART OF A COMMUNITY

Research shows that being part of a community and its association is vital to making sure your community is a great place to live, work, and play.

### ANNUAL MEMBERSHIPS ARE \$15-\$25

FIND OUT MORE AND PURCHASE AT  
[HTTPS://ACADIA.COMMUNITY/MEMBERSHIP](https://acadia.community/membership)  
 OR EMAIL [MEMBERSHIP@ACADIACA.COM](mailto:MEMBERSHIP@ACADIACA.COM)

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**Acadia  
Community  
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WE ARE LOOKING FOR A  
**TREASURER**  
TO JOIN OUR TEAM!

**KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- responsible for accurate financial records of the association
- present regular account of revenues and expenditures to the board
- supports and ensures preparation of audited financial statements
- holds signing authority
- member of the executive team with additional responsibility for business admin affairs

**HELPFUL SKILLS:**

- accounting/finance experience
- familiarity with accounting apps

**ACA BOARD ROLES:**

- time commitment of approx. 10 hours per month
- 2-year term
- open to Acadia Residents only

*\*\*Board experience can be used towards annual professional development hours for many professions\*\**

EMAIL [VOLUNTEER@ACADIACA.COM](mailto:VOLUNTEER@ACADIACA.COM) FOR MORE INFO  
AND TO APPLY!

# ACA Volunteer Callout – We Want You!

Community volunteers are an essential part of the Acadia Community Association. As a volunteer, you will make a tremendous impact on your community while gaining new skills and building new connections. We need your help to keep our organization and programs running smoothly. We have a variety of ways for you to get involved. Please see below for what our current volunteer needs are and reach out to us if you can envision yourself in those positions making a difference in the community you live in!

To learn more about the following roles and to apply, please contact [volunteer@acadiaca.ca](mailto:volunteer@acadiaca.ca).

## Events Committee

We are looking for passionate and creative volunteers to join our Events Committee. 2023 is going to be an exciting year for Acadia and the ACA. We have a robust roster of events planned to bring value to our membership and Acadians. Some of these events include the upcoming Winter Carnival, Stampede Breakfast, Beerfest, Parade of Garage Sales, Movie in the Park, Bike Parade, Neighbour Day Block Party, Fall Fair, Kids' Christmas Party, and so much more! The success of these events heavily relies on our amazing community volunteers. We hope that you will consider joining us!

## Winter Carnival – Saturday, February 11

We have big plans for the Winter Carnival this year and there is no way we can pull it off without the help of wonderful volunteers! We are in need of volunteers to decorate the Rose Hall, run carnival games, serve food, guide kids at the crafts tables, oversee the various outdoor activities, work the bake sale, and apply glitter tattoos. There are lots of shifts available, so contact us today to inquire about these and how they might suit your schedule!

In addition to volunteers needed to facilitate the event's activities, we are also looking for people to provide entries into the chili cookoff, as well as to donate cookies and cakes for the bake sale. Get in touch with us to find out more details about this and how you can contribute.

## Treasurer

We are in need of a treasurer to join our board. The responsibilities of the role include maintaining accurate financial records for the ACA, ensuring a detailed account of revenues and expenditures is presented to the board, overseeing preparation of audited financial statements, overseeing preparation of the annual budget, supervising spending, and holding signing authority. This position is a two-year term, and general board duties are also required, such as attending monthly board meetings and voting on vision and direction of the ACA. If you are a detail-oriented person and want to build your professional skills while giving back to the community where you live, please reach out to us!

## Board of Directors

The ACA needs a variety of people with limitless creativity and determination to create a vision of building an inclusive, safe, and vibrant community for Acadians. If you are full of Acadia pride, are committed to change, development, and community engagement, we could use your help on the board! Contact us to discuss the specific board roles that are available and to find out more.

## Communications Committee

The ACA is seeking volunteer social media managers to help execute our annual communications strategy through management of posts on our Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and Tik Tok accounts. Familiarity with these platforms and their different engagement styles is an asset.

## Grants/Fundraising Committee Chair

The ACA board is looking for an enthusiastic volunteer to lead our Fundraising Committee. This person would be responsible for the coordination of and writing of our grant applications, keeping up to date on grants and fundraising options available to the ACA, coordinating the casino fundraiser and other smaller fundraisers throughout the year with the Volunteer and Events Committees, and attend board meetings once a month. Fundraising is a crucial part of our operational health and longevity. Every dollar amount raised helps the Acadia Recreation Complex fund building upgrades, program equipment, social activities, and helps the Acadia Community Association bring more events, programming, and value to our members!

We are searching for  
**Volunteers**

Acadia Community Association is bringing some great events to the Acadia community in 2023!

Email [volunteer@acadiaca.com](mailto:volunteer@acadiaca.com) to express your interest in supporting events such as:

**WINTER CARNIVAL  
STAMPEDE BREAKFAST  
BIKE PARADE | MOVIE IN THE PARK  
NEIGHBOUR DAY | BREWFEST  
KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY  
AND MANY MORE!**



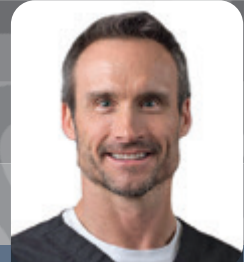


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## WINTER CARNIVAL

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Feb  
11



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## 2023 EVENTS

## EASTER EGG HUNT

Kids can hunt for eggs filled with fun treats at one of Acadia's many parks.

Apr  
8

## NEIGHBOUR DAY

Bringing Acadians together for a fun block party!

Jun  
17

## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The ACA Board and ARC staff will update the community on their activities, accomplishments & goals.

TBD

## PUMPKIN PARADE

After Halloween, bring your carved pumpkins to the ARC to line them up for everyone to enjoy. We will dispose of them afterward. Food trucks & hot cocoa included.

Nov  
1-4

## PARADE OF GARAGE SALES

Shop for unique treasures as the entire community opens shop!

TBD

## COMMUNITY CLEANUP

Acadians can get rid of their unwanted items for free

TBD

## VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION BBQ

Celebrating the selfless and amazing people who make what the ACA plans possible.

Aug  
27

## FALL FESTIVAL

Welcome fall with a fun festival. Food trucks, kids' business fair, glitter tattoos. Local Acadian businesses on site to showcase their offerings.

Oct  
7

## SOUTHEAST BREWFEST

Back by popular demand! Local craft breweries serve up their offerings for you to taste!

Nov  
4

## ACA SOCIAL NIGHTS

Come meet & greet with the ACA board members over drinks in the ARC Social Lounge. Occurs every second month.

## BIKE PARADE

Decorate your bike with streamers & balloons & join the ride.

May  
TBD

## STAMPEDE BREAKFAST

Pancake breakfast with live music & line dance lessons.

Jul  
9

## MOVIE IN THE PARK

Enjoy a fun family movie under the stars as we activate an Acadia greenspace!

Sept  
9

## KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY

Visit with Santa, decorate cookies, make crafts & eat fun Christmas treats.

Dec  
9

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTS CONTEST

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Dec



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# Your community plan is ready

## Hey Heritage Communities!

That's you Kelvin Grove, Eagle Ridge, Chinook Park, Kingsland, Haysboro, Southwood, Willow Park, Maple Ridge, Acadia, and Fairview.

The Heritage Communities Local Area Plan is ready.

Wondering what the Plan's all about?

- ③ The Heritage Communities Local Area Plan sets the vision for the evolution of your community over the next 30 years, including direction on future development and investment.
- ③ A few of the key ideas in the plan include:
  - Foster vibrant transit station areas
  - Connect the Heritage Communities
  - Increase housing choice
  - Enhance parks, open spaces, and natural areas
  - Revitalize the Macleod Trail South area

Change is gradual, but having a plan in place to guide change – from proposals for new homes and businesses to future investment into community spaces – helps ensure change is aligned to the future vision for the area.

Visit [calgary.ca/heritagecommunities](http://calgary.ca/heritagecommunities) to:

- ③ Review the final draft Heritage Communities Local Area Plan.
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