

Spruce Cliff Community Association

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Engaged & informed communities are great places to live and play, all good reasons to be a member of your Community Association.

If you are like your board volunteers you are thinking of spring, and top of mind for us is to encourage you to purchase or renew your membership. Visit our web site: “sprucecliff.org” or the “Streetbeat.ca” site to purchase or renew online or you can mail/ drop off your payment at the Centre with the form on page 2. Please encourage your neighbours and friends living in Spruce Cliff to join & engage in building community.

Your membership support is the foundation of the societies work. With the energy of volunteers, and some successful grant applications in the last year we were able to entice some of you out to mix and mingle in our parks and participate in a little “care” of the community’s public spaces.

We did not take on any major infrastructure work like past projects for the construction of basketball courts or the child play structure on Poplar Road, but we were able to attract some sponsored events to offer a break in a covid isolating year.

In the theme of Beautification, with the generous support of member donations and time, we lined the community gateway and the Centre parking lot with flowers and lit trees for the darker winter days.

The Community Association needs volunteers to continue to help connect the community with information and opportunities. If you have expertise, experience, just keen to meet people or learn something new and want to contribute to making Spruce Cliff a great place to live and play – we need to hear from you. As little as four hours a month for meetings on CA activities, contributing on a committee for responses to redevelopment proposals, or volunteering on a day of an event: it all makes a positive difference in the community. Email sprucecliffassoc@gmail.com

Community Clean-Up May 8th 9 AM to 1 PM The City with volunteers from the Spruce Cliff & Wildwood communities are hosting a “**Drop off only clean-up event**” @ 4411 Spruce Dr. A free opportunity to save you a journey to the dump. See posters , sprucecliff.org or SM for details & a list of accepted materials. Volunteer> events@sprucecliff.org

Upcoming Activities

March

Community Association
Awareness Month

May 8th 9 AM to 1 PM
Community Clean Up

May 11 7 PM
Annual General Meeting

May - Beautification Projects
Adopt a Planter and more.

June Neighbour Day –
Spruce-Up Spruce Cliff

Summer - Pop ups



GET INVOLVED & BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!

Often the work the CA undertakes is not immediately visible, we encourage you to join us in 311 service requests for things like graffiti cleanup, shopping cart pickup, and asking for assistance to address things like social disorder in our park spaces and trip hazards on uneven sidewalks. The adage See something – Say something applies not just to reporting crime. To help our emergency responders, if you live in a property with a lane, please add your address numbers to your rear fence or garage.

Good news - Spruce Cliff Crime Activity was Down in January 2022

Spruce Cliff experiences an average of 6.2 crimes per month. On an annual basis, Spruce Cliff crime statistics are down 14% compared to January 2021. Total Spruce Cliff crimes are calculated as the sum of break & enters (dwelling, commercial, and other premises), theft from vehicles, theft of vehicles, assaults (nondomestic), commercial robberies, street robberies, and non-domestic ‘other’ violence.

To break down January 2022, there were 2 street robberies, 1 non domestic violence, 1 theft from vehicle & 1 theft of vehicle. Over the last year, there were 16 Break & Enter crimes & 39 vehicle related crimes. Keep vehicles locked!

How does Spruce Cliff compare to neighbouring communities? Very well! In January 2022, there were 5 crimes reported in Spruce Cliff, 10 in Wildwood, 19 in Rosscarrock & 23 in Killarney/Glengarry.

How To Report Crime In Spruce Cliff: Dial **911** for emergencies or crimes in progress. For non-emergencies dial **(403) 266-1234**. To report a crime anonymously, contact Crime Stoppers at **1-800-222-8477** (Talk, Type or Text), submit tips online at crimestoppers.ab.ca or text tttTIPS to 274637.

What Else Can I Do To Secure My Home and Property? The Calgary Police Service encourages Calgarians to establish a 9 PM Secure Your Home and Property Routine before heading to bed. The routine recommends: Removing valuables from vehicles | Ensuring vehicles are locked, windows are closed and if possible, parked in a garage | Closing garage doors and windows | Locking any person-doors in the garage, including those leading into a house | Checking that all house doors – front, back, side and garage – are locked | Ensuring all windows are shut | Turning on an exterior light.



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Be Part of it – Don’t have time to Volunteer – support your Community with a membership purchase to the SC Community Association (SCCA)

Name
18 years or older.....?

Email phone

*We do not sell or share your phone /e-mail information.

I consent to receive emails -membership info & community newsletters from the Spruce Cliff CA yes ... no ...

Address (incl. postal code)

Have you held a SCCA membership? New or Renew
Membership Type Single/Seniors (\$10) Family (\$30) Associate (\$30)

Number of People in Household:

Comment or interested in volunteer opportunities?

Payment may be dropped off or mailed to **3375 Spruce Drive SW., Calgary, AB, T3C 3A3** (cheques made payable to S.C.C.A.) Spruce Cliff Community Association or pay online through the web site: sprucecliff.org/membership (Square). **Thank you for your support**

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