

North Edmonton Family Day Home Agency

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2017 Statutory Holidays

Monday	January 2	In lieu of New Years Day
Monday	February 20	Family Day
Friday	April 14	Good Friday
Monday	May 22	Victoria Day
Saturday	July 1	Canada Day - Observed on Saturday, no day in lieu
Monday	August 7	Heritage Day
Monday	September 4	Labour Day
Monday	October 9	Thanksgiving Day
Saturday	November 11	Remembrance Day - Observed on Saturday, no day in lieu
Monday	December 25	Christmas Day

Providers are entitled to statutory holidays off with pay. If you will be taking additional days off before or after these holidays, as a courtesy, please inform your provider well in advance of your planned holidays.



Child Development Professional

AWARDS OF EXCELLENCE 2016

On December 2nd, Alberta Human Services presented the 2016 Child Development Professional Awards of Excellence at Government House.

It is with great pride that we congratulate **Sylvianne Robinson**, one of our day home providers for receiving an INDIVIDUAL AWARD OF EXCELLENCE.

Sylvianne was one of three child care professionals chosen from all of Alberta to receive the individual AWARD OF EXCELLENCE. The awards were presented by the Minister of Human Services, Irfan Sabir, to professionals who excel in their work with children and families.



CONGRATUALATIONS SYLVIANNE

Account Information:

- ❖ In order for the office to process any changes to your account, including bank account changes, the information needs to be brought to the attention of the office by the 20th of the month. After the 20th of the month changes will be processed the following month.
- ❖ There is a charge for all NSF cheques of \$25.00.
- ❖ Credits on an auto account will be refunded at a parent's request.
- ❖ Credit Questions – We are only able to answer your questions regarding credits to your account after your provider has submitted her final timesheet and it has been checked, which is after the fourth business day of the month.
- ❖ A late fee is applied after the fourth working day of the month.
- ❖ Parents are responsible for paying full fee if subsidy is not in place on the first day of the month.

Account questions can be directed to Lori for further information.



If you receive subsidy it is important that you are aware that anytime you take extended holidays and have no hour you must let subsidy know so that your file does not get closed.

For example if you were to go away from January 1 until January 31 and subsidy was not informed, your account will be closed.

Up Coming Parent & Child(ren) Workshop

Register by calling the agency at 780-478-3376



JANUARY 28th 2017

THE SCIENTIST IN ALL OF US

presented by Wendy Perverett from the
Center for Literacy

Are you ready to explode volcanoes, watch flowers grow and hear the world in a whole new way. Children explore their world with excitement everyday and learn the language and mechanics of how things work with your help.

This workshop encourages everyone to make some discoveries with activities that can be done at home to enrich science and literacy skills.

This Parent/Child interactive workshop. It is limited to only 15 families and the child/children must be over 3 years

DATE: Saturday January 28, 2017

TIME: 10:00am - 12:00pm

LOCATION: North Edmonton Family Day Home

Office: 12704-101 street

Reuse Centre



Our staff had an opportunity to visit the Reuse Centre and encourages providers to make a visit to see the many reusable items that are available at a very reasonable cost.



The Reuse Centre accepts various items from Edmonton residents free of charge and makes them available to organizations and individuals for reuse. The Reuse Centre is unique as it deals with items that are not accepted for reuse elsewhere.

The Centre has three main goals:

- To promote the idea and benefits of reuse
- To provide affordable items to organizations

and individuals

- To divert waste from landfill

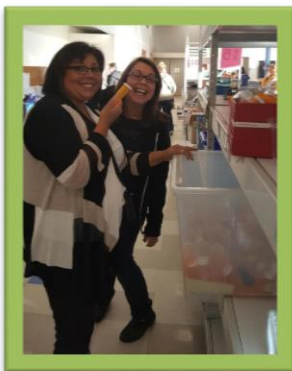


Organizations and individuals can purchase items at the Reuse Centre for a nominal fee and may take as many items as they require.

- \$5 per purchase (up to 50kg)*
- \$50 annual membership (non-profit organizations only,

25 punches, one punch for up to 50kg)*

** Customers may purchase more than 50kg - the charge will be \$5 (or one punch for annual memberships) for each up to 50kg amount.*



Payment Options

We accept cash, debit, Visa, MasterCard and American Express.

6835 83 Street (corner of 83 Street & Argyll Road)

780-442-4380

<https://www.facebook.com/edmontonreusecentre>





Community Events

January 14 – 15: Deep Freeze: A Byzantine Winter Festival This **FREE** festival celebrates diverse cultures and the magic and beauty of winter. On 118 Avenue, between 90 and 94 Street deepfreezefest.ca



January 28: Lunar New Year and Chinatown Celebration includes a parade and festivities starting at noon Yegchinatown.ca / Chinatownarea.ca

January 26 – 29 and February 2-5: Ice on Whyte Festival An ice carving competition, an ice slide and more! Iceonwhyte.ca

