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The Mission Statement

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Community Events are popular

We had another sell out crowd on October 7 with the Lorna MacLachlin Quintet. We expect another large attendance on November 4 that features Cheryl Fisher. She is a well known composer and lyricist. Why not come a little early to get a prime seat. Enjoy a coffee, tea, wine, beer or pop prior to the show.

Our community potlucks have been great also. We have had a wonderful variety of good food coupled by interesting conversations. The ambiance of our wonderful community centre adds to the enjoyment of the evening.

The September movie night was very interesting featuring a documentary, We The Tiny House People. There is also free popcorn and pop on these evenings.

On October 30 we had our first Board Games night. We will evaluate where we go from there.

History Book Launch

After five years of effort, our history book entitled "Cliff Bungalow - Mission, A Heritage Community" is now available. There was a special launch event on Saturday, September 19. It was a wonderful celebration of the completion of this project. Special thanks to Judith Theroux who spearheaded this project.

The book will be available at any of our community events. It is a beautiful hard-covered book full of pictures and stories of our historic community. You will be proud to display it and will be able to tell people more about your community. It is great for gifts also.

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting is on Wednesday, November 25. Doors open at 6 pm. The meeting starts at 7 pm. Come early for the reception prior to the meeting and buy/renew your membership, see displays, see and buy the history book and meet other community people.

Besides the normal AGM stuff, we use this opportunity to celebrate our community and what we have achieved during the last year which is a lot. Come help us Celebrate our Community.



Dr. Dieter Einsporn

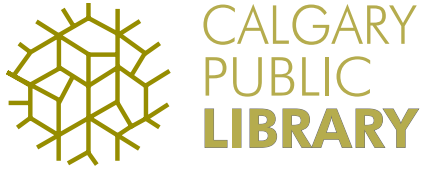
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National Child Day

On Friday, November 20, celebrate National Child Day and A Child's Right to Learn with Calgary Public Library!

Mad Science at the Library

Participate in hands-on science experiments.

10:30 a.m. at Crowfoot and Signal Hill libraries
12:30 p.m. at Fish Creek, Louise Riley, and Saddletowne libraries
2:30 p.m. at Forest Lawn, Judith Umbach, and Shawnessy libraries

School's Out All Day

Drop in for science-themed activities anytime during your PD Day on November 20 at Bowness, Central, Signal Hill, or Crowfoot libraries.

For Parents and Educators:

Celebrate a Child's Right to Learn on National Child Day with an inspiring presentation by David Bouchard.

The Gift of Reading

David Bouchard, OC, is a Métis author and educator, and true champion of literacy. In this dynamic presentation for parents and educators, Mr. Bouchard will share his passion for the importance of literacy and how to inspire children to love reading.

Friday, November 20, 9:00 – 11:00 a.m.

John Dutton Theatre, 2 floor Central Library

616 Macleod Trail SE

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. Coffee & snacks ~continued on page 14~



All events are at the Cliff Bungalow – Mission Community Centre (2201 Cliff St SW) unless otherwise noted.

Jazz Concerts

Featuring talented local artists in our historic venue. Discount for CBMCA members.
Wednesday, November 4, 8 pm – Vocal Jazz Night with Cheryl Fisher
Wednesday, December 2, 8 pm - The John McCaslin sextet

Potlucks

Bring something to share and meet your neighbours. Next potluck is Sunday, November 8, 6 pm. The December date is Sunday, December 6, 6 pm.

Movie Nights

Next movie night is Sunday, November 29, 7 pm. There is no movie night in December. The following movie night is Sunday, January 31, 7 pm.

Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, November 25 – Doors open 6 pm, meeting starts 7 pm. Come early for the reception, displays and history books sales as there will be line up closer to 7 pm.

Check out our website regularly for new events and other information not available at time of newsletter publishing.

www.cliffbungalowmission.com

Deadline for Mission Statement submissions

First of each month prior to month of publication. The Mission Statement is published monthly. E-mail to cbmca.editor@gmail.com.



Notice

Cliff Bungalow – Mission Community Association

Annual General Meeting

Weds, November 25, 2015

Community Centre
2201 Cliff St SW
(1 block 5th St at 22nd Ave SW)

Doors open at 6 pm

- Snacks & Refreshments
- Committee Displays
- History Book Sales

Meeting begins at 7 pm

Meet you neighbours
Learn about the community
Renew your membership
Elect the Board
Get involved

Let's Celebrate
Our Great Community And its People

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The Annual General Meeting on Wednesday, November 25, marks the time to renew your CBMCA membership. You do not get a new card every year, as the plastic membership card is permanent. You will, however, receive a new date sticker to place on your membership card.

Having a CBMCA membership has become more popular as of late, at least partly due to the Membership Affinity Program. This has created additional work for the volunteers who have been dealing with memberships on top of their other volunteer duties. We would like to hand off this task to a new volunteer who would focus on keeping up to date on renewals and new memberships. As a stand-alone job it would be a once a month effort that would include sending out new cards and new date stickers as well as keeping the database up to date. So if you can spare some time once a month to take on this important task, please contact Bob Lang at cbmca.president@gmail.com.

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Use your membership card to save!

Did you know that you can save money by showing your Cliff Bungalow – Mission Community Association membership card at local businesses? The shops and restaurants listed below offer discounts and special offers to CBMCA members. Just show your card!

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- Expedia Cruise Ship Centres: 615A – 17 Ave SW, \$50 discount towards a \$1500 Travel Package
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- Lorenzo's Pizza: 515 – 17 Ave SW, 10% off on pick up orders and 5% off on delivery orders
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Do you own or manage a business and would like to be part of this program? Please contact cbmca.editor@gmail.com. Residents may purchase a membership by using the membership form in this newsletter or online at our website www.cliffbungalowmission.com, click on "Get Involved".

NOVEMBER MOON CALENDAR



in & around your community

Bylaws Related To Snow & Ice

The City enforces bylaws related to snow and ice control on sidewalks. It is your responsibility to remove all snow and ice from sidewalks and pathways in front of or on the side of your property. Sidewalks and pathway surfaces should be bare and completely clear of snow and ice.

Snow Angels


Keeping sidewalks shoveled, ice-free and safe can be very challenging for older adults and other Calgarians who have limited mobility. Snow Angels is a campaign that encourages Calgarians to help neighbours in need with snow removal.

Safe snow shoveling techniques

- Space your hands on the shovel to increase leverage.
- Stand with you feet apart, knees bent and back straight.
- Place your front foot close to the shovel.
- Put weight on your front foot. Step forward and use your legs to load a small amount of snow onto the shovel. Remember the wetter the snow, the heavier it is.
- Lift with your legs; do not bend at the waist.
- Keep the shovel close to your body.
- Walk to where you want to dump the snow. Turn your feet in the direction you are throwing the snow. Do not twist the waist.
- Pace yourself. Take appropriate rest breaks.
- Apply road salt/de-icer wherever necessary.

Book Trivia

Rhodopis is the Greek/Egyptian version of the Cinderella story, and could possibly be the oldest one ever (though the Chinese and Native American versions are pretty old as well). This story tops other Cinderella versions, however, because it is not merely a story of breaking through social class barriers, but also through racial ones.




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Community Potluck Dinners in your Neighbourhood

Many people have been gathering to share good food and conversation at our community potlucks for several years and we invite everyone to come out to join us. It has been interesting to meet those who are new in the neighbourhood and those who have lived here for decades, if not since birth! Tables in our community hall are set with candlelight, often some flowers, and a little music contributes to the ambience. The dishes that find their way to the table are as varied as the people who come. Dishes from Thai shrimp, to corn chowder, Caesar salad, homemade bread, lentil stew, vegetable curry, scalloped potatoes, Mexican chili, roast chicken thighs & wings, yummy pastas and more. And, then, the desserts, some of which include chocolate zucchini cake, pumpkin cheesecake, strawberries dipped in chocolate, cranberry cornmeal bread, ice cream, Nanaimo bars and more.

Come join us at our community hall for the next potlucks on Sunday, November 8 and Sunday, December 6 at 6 p.m.



S2G+ Our Elbow River Forests

An autumn stroll through the golden aspen and poplars that line the lower Elbow River got me thinking about the fragility of native forests within our urban context. This fall spectacle, set off by vibrant red dogwoods, silvery buffalo berry, sparkling water, and a brilliant blue Alberta sky is something Calgarian's treasure.

Stands of trembling aspen, found in moist areas shelter birds, deer, hares, and meadow voles. Native to riverine ecosystems, Balsam Poplar forests, along with healthy underbrush and nearby wetlands and grasses provide critical habitat, especially for migratory and nesting birds. These trees span 80 to 100 years and are reliant on natural flooding and drying cycles in order to thrive. Because water levels are controlled by releases from the Glenmore Dam, lack of natural flooding except in extreme years is preventing the rejuvenation of the Balsam Poplar forests. Stands are gradually being replaced by conifers, other trees, and shrubs; many having "escaped" from area gardens.

Along our Elbow River park trails, Balsam Poplar forests are also at risk because of recreational use. For example, the establishment of the off-leash dog area at the end of Riverdale and along lower Britannia Slopes in the 1980's damaged the riparian area populated by this forest, leading to erosion of the river bank, and sediment deposits in the river that hinder brown trout spawning.

Remaining stands, whether on private or park land should be preserved by minimizing disturbance by humans and dogs. Active planting of new stands is en-

couraged. Park access should be limited to narrow designated trails.

Another threat to tree loss is beavers. Beavers are, at times, considered "problem wildlife" in parks due to their appetite for aspen and poplar tree bark. However beavers are integral to an ecosystem and efforts can be made to co-exist. You may have noticed wire wraps around the base of the trunks of many trees along the Elbow. These cylindrical "cages" should be high enough to prevent the beaver from felling the tree (up to 1.25 meters) taking into account the depth of the snow in winter. The wire cages should be anchored to the ground and allow a minimum 15 cm between the cage and trunk to avoid strangling the tree. Some of the beaver cages along the lower Elbow need replacing and additional cages should be installed. Contact S2G+ if you would like to volunteer for a beaver cage event.

Reference: City of Calgary, River Park/Sandy Beach/Britannia Slopes Combined Park Management and Design Development Plan, 2011

For information on beavers and the ecological services they perform read, "The Beaver Manifesto" by Glynnis Hood, Associate Professor of Environmental Science & Studies, Augustana Campus, U of A.

Formed in 2004, S2G+ Preservation Society collaborates to enhance the environment and natural history of the lower Elbow River, its valley and contiguous bench lands from the Glenmore Dam to Fort Calgary. To join our stewardship network or for information contact: Robin McLeod, ramcleod@telusplanet.net or Karen Paul, karenpa@telusplanet.net

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Letter of thanks to Judith Theroux

Judith Theroux is the real reason we have our wonderful book on the history of the Cliff Bungalow–Mission community. Here is a letter from someone who knows her, thanking her for her efforts and the history book. We echo these sentiments. Thank you Judith.

Hi Judith,

I want to say to you Judith, that I'm so happy that you alerted me to the existence of the book on the history of the Cliff Bungalow/Mission. I love having the book and I've enjoyed what I've already read. I find it very interesting. The book itself is physically beautiful. I am so glad to have the book in my life.

Also, a great thanks to you for all the work you did to ensure that the book was produced and that people came to know of it. You have done a great service to this very early part of our city and to the city as a whole. To the province as well, for that matter. You personally have my gratitude for what has come into existence. I truly prize having this book.

Tim Hofmann



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Daylight Saving Time

ends Sunday, November 1st at 2:00 a.m.

When changing the time on your clocks, copiers, recording equipment, etc., change the batteries in your smoke detectors at the same time to keep your family safe.

History Book Launch held on September 19

Almost two months after the original planned date, the launch of our new history book, *Cliff Bungalow – Mission, A Heritage Community*, took place on Saturday, September 19. The weather cooperated, making it a very pleasant day for people attending this celebration. It took five years of hard work and many volunteers to complete this special project. For one special person, Judith Theroux, it was her day to not only celebrate but to breathe a sigh of relief having completed this big task. There were moments of nail biting before September 19, as the books did not get delivered to us until the day before. Without Judith stepping up to the plate and taking on this project, this great accomplishment might never have happened.

The event started off with entertainment. Rob Lennard played guitar and sang a song he wrote on Rouleauville. Dorothy Aukland played many old time tunes on our community piano. There was tasty food whipped up by our own Jan Pugh, plus an assortment of beverages

available. Many of those attending reconnected with old time friends and schoolmates.

There was a ceremony marking this accomplishment and recognizing some of those who helped make it happen. Brandy Payne, MLA for Calgary Acadia, brought greetings from Peter Eggen, Minister of Culture and Tourism. We presented her with book copy number two for the Minster. Gary Krivy who went to Holy Angels School and St Mary's School reminisced on growing up in the community. David Mittelstadt who wrote the book did a reading from the book, *The Battle of Mission Hill* (page 135 – 136). Councillor Evan Woolley auctioned off book copy number 1. Successful bidder was Maureen Doherty. Finally well-deserved recognition was given to Judith Theroux who shepherded this major project.

After the ceremony David Mittelstadt autographed books for many of the attendees. Judith also signed books and was given private thanks from those in attendance. Mingling and book sales continued. During the event 77 books were sold. Pre-sales of books totalled 90. Plus more books have been sold since September 19. Judith has been a super salesperson on top of coordinating this project. She has even been selling books from the trunk of her car after church.

Bottom line, well more than one half of the first printing has been sold. So if you are interested in getting one of these books, don't procrastinate. The books are available at any community event at the community centre including the Annual General Meeting on Wednesday, November 25.

This book is a tremendous achievement. It helps to document the history of our community, is very readable, has many interesting photos and other documents and overall is extremely attractive. It is something that all of us can be proud to have



CALGARY PUBLIC LIBRARY cont'd

9:30 – 11:00 a.m. Presentation by David Bouchard
RSVP online: <http://tinyurl.com/n9zktmo>, or call 403.260.2600.

For special children's sessions (ages 8-12), join David Bouchard at Signal Hill and Fish Creek libraries on November 19. For details, visit: calgarylibrary.ca.

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Elbow River Pedestrian Bridges finishing touches complete

Three pedestrian bridges in the neighbourhoods of Rideau/Roxboro, Elbow Park and Britannia, were damaged beyond repair in the flood of 2013. After the flood, residents and other Calgarians said they wanted their bridges back as quickly as possible. The City delivered on that, re-opening the bridges just 18 months after the flood, ahead of schedule in November 2014.

Landscaping was completed in the spring and summer of 2015. During September, the final finishing touches – the panels commemorating the old bridges at each bridge entrance – were installed.

When the bridges opened to the public in November of 2014, the commemorative panels were not ready, so temporary panels were installed. Now that the landscaping is done and the final panels have been put in place, the project is truly complete.

Calgarians can expect the new bridges to last for at least 100 years, with special features to help them withstand any damage from future floods. For example, the bridge decks are higher than the old bridges, which allows a greater volume of water to flow underneath; the concrete bridge decks are able to withstand debris impacts; and the bridge supports are armoured with rock. In general, the bridges are much more durable because they are built to today's engineering standards, which were much different when the first bridge was built in 1934.

View more photos of the finished bridges at www.calgary.ca/elbowbridges.

Reconstructing 17 Avenue South - Project Update

After 30 years of serving Calgary's uptown area, The City of Calgary is reconstructing 17 Avenue S., between Macleod Trail S.E. and 14 Street S.W. It's an investment in the long-term success of the street - one of Calgary's most popular destinations to meet friends, shop, visit and do business.

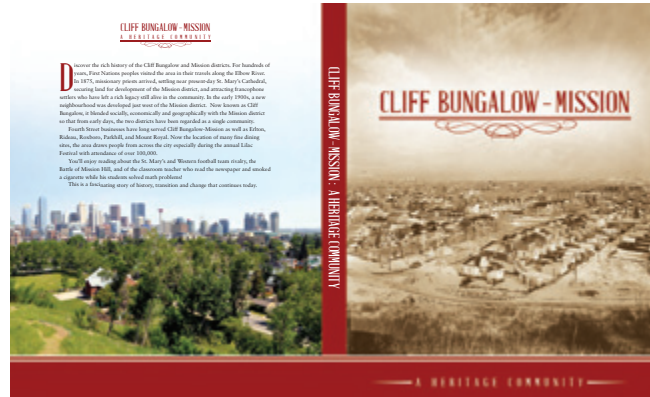
With the street reaching the end of its life-cycle in this area, 17 Avenue S. needs to be reconstructed from "dirt to pavement". The reconstruction involves underground utility work, building a new foundation for 17 Avenue S. and then paving and marking the surface.

In October, The City hosted three information sessions that provided an overview of the project and an update on the design progress including the recommendations from the Road Safety Review. If you weren't able to make it, you can see the latest information at www.calgary.ca/17avenue. The next project update will be available in early 2016, when we'll talk about construction staging and how we'll manage people travelling through the area during construction. If you have questions about the project, feel free to email cityofcalgary17@calgary.ca.

IN & AROUND YOUR COMMUNITY

Share Your Thought on Sport Ramps

The City wants to hear from all Calgarians on whether to allow sport ramps on private property or not. The team will be looking for feedback and concerns on ramp size, noise, and any land use concerns, in order to amend both the Community Standards Bylaw and the Land



Cliff Bungalow – Mission a Heritage Community History book on sale

at the Annual General Meeting
Wednesday, November 25, 6 pm

With 140 photos and illustrations, this hard-cover book examines one of Calgary's most vibrant communities. This is a must have for community residents to learn more about the history of the community in which they live. It is a beautiful book, one that you will be proud to display. It is also a great gift. More than half of the first printing has been sold, so pick up your copy soon before they sell out. If we do a second printing (no guarantee), those books will be much more expensive.

We hope that David Mittelstadt, the book's writer, will be able to attend the annual General Meeting to sign your book. At the time of writing, he thinks he will be able to attend.

The book will also be available for purchase at all community events at the community centre. \$25 cash or cheque per copy. Make cheques payable to Cliff Bungalow – Mission .

Use Bylaw to address the aforementioned concerns.

There are a variety of ways that all Calgarians can offer their feedback – open houses, an online survey, and a telephone survey. These engagement events will begin in late October.

Visit Calgary.ca/sportramps for engagement opportunity dates and locations to ensure your voice is heard.

The Cliff Bungalow - Mission Jazz Series presents: Vocal Jazz Night with Cheryl Fisher

Wednesday November 4, 8 pm
Cliff Bungalow - Mission Community Centre
Cover: \$15 cash (\$10 for seniors, students, and CBM-CA members)
Doors open at 7:30 pm; music starts at 8 pm
No reservations taken; rush seating only

Cheryl Fisher vocals
Eric Allison woodwinds
Sheldon Zandboer piano
John Gray bass
Jon May drums

Hailed by the Montreal Jazz Festival as "one of the greatest female singers in the history of Canadian jazz", Cheryl Fisher is also a composer and lyricist who has recorded six CDs under her own name. This concert will be featuring her original compositions, her lyrics to Jazz standards, and her unique approach to jazz singing and improvisation. Cheryl will also include material from her upcoming CD. Her work features the stories in her original compositions that read like a biography of the life of a jazz singer. Her sojourns into the European jazz scene, the time she spent in America playing and recording with the likes of Sir Roland Hanna, Oliver Jones, John Stowell, all have left their imprint on the stories she tells and the way she tells them. Growing up in Alberta's jazz scene with the likes of Tommy Banks, PJ Perry, Al Muirhead, Bob Erlendson on the stage and in the studio with her was an amazing learning curve that contributed to her original approach to jazz. Toronto's cream of the crop; Terry Clarke, Neil Swainson and Reg Schwager have all recorded with Fisher. Fisher's originality caught the attention of Freddie Hubbard who asked her to write lyrics and was she given consent by the NAACP to record the original Dorothy Parker Poetry to

Thank you History Book Volunteers

A big project like the history book takes a lot of people to make it happen. We want to recognize people who helped during the five years it took for the history book project. Everyone made an important contribution and deserves a rousing hip, hip, hooray!

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If we have missed anyone, please let us know and we will recognize you in a future newsletter.

her original score. Her lyrics to Charlie Parker standards were also recorded after they had been carefully vetted by his estate. In short, her work sits very comfortably in the jazz idiom and has been recognized by her peers in doing so. Her live performances and recordings continue to receive glowing reviews for their originality, emotional depth and outstanding technical excellence. Her last CD, "Moments Like This", paired her with two genuine international jazz legends: Five-time Grammy Award nominee Ira Sullivan and the Canadian Juno award-winning pianist Oliver Jones. Cheryl is set to release her latest CD early 2016 with an international cast of players including renowned jazz guitarist John Stowell from Portland with his trio SCENES from Seattle.

Next Jazz night is on December 2 with The Jon McCaslin sextet.

Community Clean Up

September 13

The weather wasn't overly great but the Community Clean Up held on Sunday, September 13 was great. The venue changed to behind the Cliff Bungalow – Mission Arts Centre (former Holy Angels School), due to weather.

This event was a convenient way for people to get rid of items that would ordinarily go to the dump. The dump trucks came to the community. There were also lots of still useful items brought to the event for others to pick up. At the end of the day, lots of items were donated to Women in Need. To round out the event, there were recycling bins for electronics, which is very important in this technological age.

Our MLA, Kathleen Ganley, stopped by for a visit. Thanks to Brendan Baines and all the volunteers for making this event a great success.



Utility box public art installation

Cliff Bungalow-Mission residents have noticed there is a new public art installation on a utility box near the bridge on 4th St SW south of 25th Ave SW. This was made possible by the City of Calgary and artist Derek Michael Besant.

"I have had different opportunities to place art into the public domain. Always, it has been important for these integrations to hold a directed context to site, as far as having some connection to its past, where it resides and where it lives, or to transform the consideration of the moment of encounter for passers-by. I appreciate the accidental encounter for art by the collective public walking down a street, looking out a car window, traveling a train or following one's daily living patterns," said Besant.

The utility box art installation is part of a City-led program that began in 2010. Since then, more than 140 utility boxes across Calgary have been covered in art done by local artists.

A full gallery of all the utility box art in Calgary is available on the City of Calgary's website.



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November is Budget Month!

At the end of November, City Council will release a productivity report that will discuss the successes of the first year of Calgary's Action Plan 2015–2018. The Action Plan outlines how we are able to implement our long term priorities and goals into everyday actions, as well as how we will continue to provide a diverse and superior set of services while maintaining affordable tax rates for all Calgarians.

The Action Plan considers two key sections of our budget:

Operating Budget: the funding gained through tax dollars and user fees that go towards providing fundamental services to everyone in the City.

Capital Budget: government grants, reserves, and new borrowing that is invested into infrastructure and city capital.

With the changes in the operating budget released in September, Council will be focusing on the Capital Budget. Here the finances of all projects that will commence or continue in 2016–2018 will be evaluated.

Visit www.calgary.ca/actionplan to learn more about project statuses and Council priorities. Citizen engagement sessions are held throughout the year, and we encourage you to attend and voice your opinions on what direction you want to see Calgary and Ward 8 go.

Lastly, every November we should take a moment to remember those who have sacrificed for our country. I encourage you to attend one of the many Remembrance Day ceremonies that take place across the city on November 11.

If you have any questions about anything going on in Ward 8, please contact me by email (ward08@calgary.ca), phone (403-268-2430) or on my website (www.calgary.ca/ward8).

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YOUR COMMUNITY business of the month

Taste Cliff Bungalow - Mission Community

Taste is a small space that packs a big punch in food, service and design. The menu focuses on regional, seasonal, chef-driven small plates and a creative business lunch during the week, as well as a delicious and boozy weekend brunch. The cozy 1st SW restaurant opened in 2009 as the recent addition to Hotel Arts. The space is modern and comfortable highlighted by polished concrete floors, barn board wall, iron I beams, custom filament lighting and open kitchen.

The original operating partner, Brendan Bankowski, moved on at the end of 2014 to open The Beltliner - a bustling modern diner a block away. Bankowski's wife, Erin Maguire, took over operations at Taste at that time, putting her 17 years of experience in the restaurant industry to good use in the space. One of the first things Maguire implemented at Taste was reservations.

Previously walk-in only, you can now reserve your spot online or on the phone for lunch or dinner and make it a sure thing. Despite urgings to change the name of the popular menu item "The Big Bankowski" (every menu item and board for \$250) to "The Entire Maguire", she has resisted. "The Big Bankowski" it stays.

With the help of Chef Chris Lorenz (formerly of Workshop and Charcut), Taste is producing all charcuterie, cured meat, conservas and sausages entirely in-house. Chef Lorenz's charcuterie with our in-house pickled and fermented local vegetables has proven so popular, Taste is now offering larger scale charcuterie/cheese board pick-ups for at home events or dinner parties starting at only \$100 a board. Chef Lorenz also offers a Sunday night sausage making class where you can learn to make sausage, eat sausage and snacks and drink bourbon based cocktails. You also bring home the sausage you make so you can humble-brag to your family. What could be better? Further information on the take out boards and sausage class can be found on Taste's website: www.taste-restaurant.com.

In the wine department, Taste has come up with an ingenious plan to keep things interesting in the small space with almost no storage capabilities. The wine list completely changes every two months under the very capable watch of Jesse Willis, co-owner of Vine Arts and Proof in Victoria Park. Each list has its own theme, usually tongue-in-cheek. This month the theme is "Critter wines that don't suck!" (These all may have animals on the label, but there's no yellow tails or midget penguins to be found.) Humour is a big part of Taste's appeal. Between their popular twitter account (@tastecalgary), whimsical wine descriptions, Suzanne Somers obsession and witty washroom corkboard, Taste is very much a restaurant that delivers serious food and drink, but doesn't take itself too seriously.

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