Community Survey

The Dovercourt Community League is a not-for-profit, volunteer organization, serving to connect our dynamic, family-oriented community together with the overarching goal of bringing our Dovercourt neighbours together for recreation and socializing. We accomplish this goal by providing social and recreation programming in the facilities in Dovercourt Park.

The Dovercourt neighbourhood has gone through a number of significant changes over the last few years, new families moving in from other parts of Edmonton, out of province and out of country.

To best represent the needs of all residents, the league has created a short survey to develop a better understanding of what residents prefer for programming. We want to make sure our communication methods, programs, events are in the best interest of those in the community. The league wants to ensure that we stay current and continue to evolve with the changing needs of residents in the area.

We encourage all members of your family to participate in this survey. It's a great chance to get children and youth involved in expressing their needs for recreation and programming. If you would like us to email you a PDF survey, contact info@dovercourtcl.com.

We need YOUR help to create a better community. Make your voice heard!

ow long have you lived in the community?
hat is your postal code? *

Check all the boxes that apply to the ages of the members
household
Check all that apply.
Under 4
<u></u>
<u>13-19</u>
20-30
31-39
<u>40-55</u>
55-65
☐ 65-79
Over 80
Are you a member of the community league?*
Mark only one oval.
Yes

Please carefully read the following passage.

With the collaboration of a strong and established board, the Dovercourt Community League offers:

- A hall available for rental, equipped with a professional kitchen, bar area, stage, and meeting rooms
- An outdoor ice rink and Zamboni that is ranked one as the best in the city
- Baseball diamonds and nets, soccer fields, and equipment for public use
- A children/teen friendly spray park and skateboard park
- A community garden
- A summer green shack program offered through the City of Edmonton, with many opportunities to participate in outdoor sports and activities
- Dogs off leash area in our outdoor rink in the summer
- Weekly Community Swim at Commonwealth Recreation Center on Sundays from 1-3 pm
- Seniors and Parent and Tot drop in at the hall
- Ceramics programming

The following benefits are also available with a purchase of the community league membership:

- Free skating at the outdoor rink (includes public skating and shinny hockey nights)
- Additional 15% discount for a Multi Admission Pass for City of Edmonton recreational facilities (new purchases only)
- 20% discount on Adult, Family, Child, and Youth/Senior Annual Memberships for City of Edmonton recreational facilities
- 20% discount on an on-going monthly membership for City of Edmonton recreational facilities
- 25% discount on Microsoft and Adobe courses through the University of Alberta Technology Training Centre

6.	Were you	aware of the amenities and services available to you as a
	member o	of the Dovercourt community?
	Mark only	one oval.
	Yes	Skip to question 8
	○ No	Skip to question 7

Maybe

Skip to question 7

Amenities and Services

7.	What can we do to help build awareness of what we offer? Dovercourt also has many other amenities and services available for our residents to use. Please tell us how we can make this information available to you.
S	uggestions and Volunteering
8.	What programs are you interested in seeing at the community league? What would you like to do with your neighbours at the hall?
9.	What amenities are you interested in using that is not offered by the league
	yet?

Volunteering Opportunities

Dovercourt Community League celebrated it's 69th Anniversary in 2024. Over those 69 years the league volunteers have been keen to connect with residents for feedback on the programs and services offered by the league.

Our League relies on the invaluable work and collective effort of volunteers to ensure a smooth running of our beautiful and vibrant hub of activity in the community. The league would be happy to welcome you to this exciting entity.

10.	Would anyone in the household be interested in volunteering with the Community League?				
	Mark only one oval.				
	Yes Skip to question 11				
	No Skip to question 16				
	Maybe Skip to question 11				
	to question 16				
Po	otential Volunteers				
Ple	ease kindly provide your name, email, and available months to join our volunteer team. ease separate each name and email with commas. A separate email would be sent out to form all potential volunteers of upcoming opportunities.				
11.	Name *				
12.	Email *				

Please separate details in 'other' with commas or semicolons. Check all that apply. Small events - Once a month tasks (ex. Volunteering to help at events) Medium events - Regular, recurring tasks (ex. Delivering newsletters) Large events - Leading, organizing, and promoting events (ex. Parent & Tot Seasonal - Please specify in Other Certain months only - Please specify in Other I want to help in other ways - Please specify in following question Other: If you want to help in other ways, please describe below.	Hov	w much time are you willing to help the league?*
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Communication

The league aims to use the most effective communication methods to inform community members of upcoming announcements, news, events, and programs. We are planning to enhance our current communications plan with the aim to better meet the needs for every member in the community.

16.	What are the best ways for the league to share information with you?*
	Check all that apply.
	Facebook
	Instagram
	Tiktok
	Printed Newsletter delivered to your home
	Lawn Signs
	Phone - please provide phone number in Other
	Electronic Newsletter
	Website
	Email
	Other:
17.	Do you have any interests or talents you would like to share with our community? The league is looking for potential hosts/contributors to our vibrant and diverse list of
	community events and programs. We are also looking for volunteers or eager residents who would like to share their talents and contribute to the events and programs hosted by the league.
	We could host programs and events for fine arts (ceramics, painting, etc.), trades, cooking, gardening, sports, and special hobbies as examples.

18. Additional Comments

Please use this space to share any additional questions, comments, or concerns that you fee
the league needs to consider when planning for events or programs.

Thank you!

Thank you for taking your time to complete the survey. Your contribution is essential in helping the league plan and host events desired by the community. The Community League aims to share survey results with the community in the fall. Please follow our Facebook and Instagram account for updates!

Facebook: <u>Dovercourt Community League</u>

Instagram: <u>@dcl_yeg</u>

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