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## **Upcoming Events:**

**December 1:  
Breakfast with Santa -  
SOLD OUT!!!!**

**December 10:  
Adult Fitness class registration begins -  
see inside for details**

**December 14:  
Jelly Bean Dance**

**January 17: SSCA AGM**

**January 26:  
13th Annual Lego Competition**

**December 21 - January 6:  
Office is closed for the holidays**



# Silver Springs Community Association



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**SSCA Vision:** To maintain a beautiful and vibrant community by supporting the evolving needs of our residents through communication, leadership and engagement.

**SSCA Mission Statement:** To enhance quality of life by fostering community spirit, participation and engagement.

**Article Submissions:** Get Involved with Silver Springs today! The Silver Springs Spirit DEADLINE is the first Friday of every month. Space is limited.

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Office hours 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday - Friday.  
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## In Our Community

### Facilities To Rent

Silver Springs Community Centre has a wide variety of rooms to rent. We are able to accommodate almost all your meeting and function needs, whether it is a wedding, party, family reunion, workshop, seminar or meeting. A/V equipment for rent for Sunset and Board Room. More information and photos on our website or call 403-288-2616 to see how we can accommodate you.

### Community Website

I bet you didn't realize... You can read the latest newsletter, get all the information you need and even register for programs on our website at [www.silverspringscommunity.ca](http://www.silverspringscommunity.ca).



### SILVER SPRINGS ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Thursday, January 17, 2019

At the community center

5720 Silver Ridge Drive NW

7:30 p.m.

Be a part of your community!



## Silver Springs Community Association

### Membership Application

Please fill out this form and include payment by cheques, VISA or Mastercard and mail or drop off at the Silver Springs Community Centre, 5720 Silver Ridge Dr. NW, Calgary, AB T3B 5E5

Parents Names: \_\_\_\_\_ SURNAME \_\_\_\_\_ FIRST NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

Children's Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

(Family \$25 / Senior \$10/household / Associate \$35)

Amount Paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Cheque:  Visa:  Mastercard:

Credit Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

You can also purchase your membership online at [www.silverspringscommunity.ca](http://www.silverspringscommunity.ca)

All memberships expire Aug. 31 of each year, regardless of when in the year you purchase them.



## Snow Angels Wanted!

We are looking for anyone interested in helping out local seniors with snow removal this season. If you would like to help, give the office a call and we can match you up with a local senior. 403-288-2616



## Need Snow Removal Help?

Are you a local senior needing help with snow removal this season? If you are interested, please give the office a call and we will match you up with a volunteer.

## Classifieds

- **Permanent Hair Removal** by NEW YOU ELECTROLYSIS: Certified Electrologist in Silver Springs, Member of ESA FCEA with over 33 years experience. Free consultation & Flexible hours Call: (403) 286-2299
- **Nick Reynolds Plumbing:** 'Your Community Plumber' Local plumber with 26 years experience available for all your plumbing needs. No job too big or small. And bathroom renos! Fully insured & very reasonable rates. 403-618-2707 or email nick.reynolds@shaw.ca
- **Craftsman with 40 years experience** living in Silver Springs available for your home repair needs including preparing your home for move out or move in. For more information or to book your free estimate please call Rudy @ 403-540-8571.
- **Butterfly Dayhome:** Experienced, quality love and care in Silver Springs. Age-related activities. Group piano lessons. Snacks and hot meals. 403 288-3390 butterflydayhome@hotmail.com
- **Wholistic Clinic:** Located in Silver Springs. I offer reflexology, cupping, energy work, intuitive consults/ counselling. Home based business since 2007. Specializing working with Women who deal with anxiety and/or chronic stress. www.omwellbeingservices.com Stacey@omwellbeingservices.com. 403.815.5811
- **Christmas Lights Installation, Snow Removal, Electronics Repairs, Painting, Carpentry and Household Repairs.** Also eaves trough cleaning, repositioning of sidewalk blocks. Many satisfied, repeat customers in Silver Springs. Fast and affordable, reliable, quality workmanship, friendly service. Please call Mehryar at 403-923-6441 or Loree at 403-286-6308.
- **"Anna Liza's Dayhome"** is a fun, active, nurturing, loving and safe dayhome in Silver Springs. Lots of indoor and outdoor activities. Provides school drop off and pick up. For more information email me at mosang\_18@yahoo.com or call/text me at 403-861-8727
- **Snow Removal:** Starting from \$100.00/month. Prompt and reliable with 5yr. exp. in Silver Springs and area. Call/Text Derek #403-826-4169 Email: dbstew63220@gmail.com **Call 403-288-2616 or e-mail ssc@shaw.ca with your ad of 40 words or less. The cost is \$10 and you must be based in Silver Springs and have a current Silver Springs Community membership.**

## Councillor Report

Christmas can be a stressful, anxiety-filled time, especially for families in need. If you are in a position to help this year, please consider making a donation via a gift card to the Boys and Girls Club in Bowness. If you donate a gift card and drop the card and receipt at the Bowness Club (36-7930 Bowness Road NW), you will receive a gift-in-kind tax receipt.

Not sure what type of gift card you want to donate? Gift cards from Walmart, Superstore and local stores like The Bownesian Grocer are suitable as they can be used for Christmas dinner. However, if there is another type of gift card you would like to contribute, feel free to drop it off. Any gift card in any domination is greatly appreciated. Need more information? Contact the Bowness Club at (403) 571-0517 or my office at (403) 268-2430.

I have worked with Boys and Girls Club since I was elected in 2013. I can vouch for the valuable work they do with youth. The Bowness Club is a safe place that helps build a positive sense of self, through supportive adult mentors and engaging activities that challenge and enrich the mind, body and spirit of each member. Club programs focus on building life skills, and social and emotional competencies.

With the holidays approaching, I would like to wish you a Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah, Joyeux Noel, Feliz Navidad, and a Happy New Year! I cherish this time of the year and I sincerely wish you a safe and happy holiday with your friends and family.

*Ward Sutherland, Councillor, Ward 1*

## Silver Springs Annual General Meeting

The date for the AGM for the SSCA is **January 17, 2019**. At the AGM, the SSCA Board of Directors Nominating Committee shall recommend to the Board candidates to fill any vacancies on the Board and shall nominate a full slate of candidates for election to the Board. The Board of Directors of the SSCA is seeking nominations for eligible Members of the SSCA who are interested in serving on the Board. Interested parties should provide an expression of interest and list of qualifications or resume to the following address by no later than **December 28, 2018**, after which nominations will be closed:

The SSCA Board of Directors  
Nominating Committee  
c/o 5720 Silver Ridge Dr. NW  
Calgary, AB T3B 5E5  
ssca@shaw.ca

### Silver Springs Edible Garden Group

Work wrapped up in the Silver Springs Community Garden on Saturday October 20th with a long-awaited Fall Clean-up. With our early October bout of snow, the garden group was sure the clean up would have to wait until spring, but Mother Nature graciously allowed us a few more weeks of fall this year. The garden group was able to get back to work and clean things up in the garden before the winter months. Tasks completed include: distributing compost in each allotment box; adding peat moss to the perimeter garden beds; adding a layer of straw mulch to the rose bushes and strawberries; and restacking / sifting the compost piles. Amending your soil with organic matter like compost and peat moss is a great idea for fall since organic soil amendments are not immediately available to plants. This way, it gives the amendments an entire winter and spring to become biologically active and therefore available to your plants come spring time. Tilling the soil is another great task for fall as it opens the soil to incorporate amendments, relieves compaction, increases oxygen, and improves drainage. Mulching with straw helps to hold in moisture, shade out weed seedlings come spring, and add nutrients to the soil. Straw is a great mulch option as it is clean, light, and breaks down relatively easily.

A brief meeting with coffee and Timbits helped to recap the 2018 season (a successful year!). Planning is well under way for the 2019 Speaker Series as well as a few special projects for the new year, such as investigating the possibility of a garden shed on site. A reminder to all current members that your box rental fee is due by March 1st, 2019.

Wondering what to get the gardener on your list this Christmas? Try gifting some indoor gardening supplies! Sun-loving edibles can easily be grown indoors in containers supplemented by LED lights. Choose some easy seeds, like salad greens, herbs, and strawberries, to start an indoor winter garden. Visit your local garden centre or hardware store for a beginner indoor growing kit that includes containers, soil, grow lights, and seeds. There's no need to give up gardening in the winter months as long as you have the right equipment to get started.

Happy Holidays from the Silver Springs Edible Garden Group!

### Ecole St. Sylvester School

*Meilleurs Vœux!* Season's Greetings, from the staff and students of St. Sylvester.

Each year, we are blessed with the opportunity to join as a community on Faith Day. This event is a chance to reconnect, celebrate the gift of Catholic education and discover new inspiration. We'll welcome the Most Reverend Bishop McGrattan to preside over Morning Prayer and Father Rob Galea—a Maltese-Australian priest—to give our keynote speech. This year Faith Day was on November 1st.

Last month, our school community enjoyed the likes of Family Movie Night and participating in "Rocks and Rings" which gave students a glimpse into the world of Curling. We also like to thank the parents and students for their generous donations for Walkathon to support our Playground reconstruction.

In the coming weeks, students will be busy preparing for our Christmas performance featuring a concert version of Handel's 'Messiah' arranged for children's voices

We like to take this time to thank the parents, volunteers, and school council, for all of the work they do to assist the students and staff here at St Sylvester. We wish all of you a very happy and safe Christmas!

St Sylvester... it's a great place to be!

### Grassroots Hockey Program 2019

Jan 9 to Mar 6, 2019

Ages 4-5 - \$50

Ages 6-8 / 9-11 - \$100

Programs offered Wednesday nights at 5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m. (4-5 yr. olds), 6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (6-8 yr. olds) and 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (9-11 yr. olds. and Saturday mornings 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. (6-8 yr. olds) and 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. (9-11 yr. olds) on the main rink. Register online at [www.grassrootshockey.ca](http://www.grassrootshockey.ca)

**Silver Springs Community Association  
wishes everyone a Merry Christmas!  
The office will be closed from 4:00 p.m.  
on December 21 and reopening at  
9:00 a.m. on January 7th.**

## Adult Fitness

2019 class registration opens December 10th.

**Mon – Thur 9:15 a.m. classes and Pickleball are \$5 dropin**

### **Mondays:**

- **Cardio Pump:** 9:15 – 10:15 a.m. This class incorporates cardio drills with strength and core training for a total body workout. Instructor: Judi Weaver
- **Senior Yoga:** NEW INSTRUCTOR - NOTE NEW TIME 10:25 -11:25 a.m. Note this is a registered class. Classes will focus on gentle stretching, breathing exercises and meditation. It does not matter how flexible we are as long as we keep moving and do what we can.  
Jan 7 – Mar 18 (9 weeks) \$72  
No class Feb 18, Mar 11, Mar 25  
Apr 1 – June 10 (9 weeks) \$72 No class Apr 22, May 20  
Instructor: Alicia Backman-Beharry (Drop-ins welcome if space is available)

### **Tuesdays:**

- **Active Older Adult:** 9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. This class offers a variety of class formats. Usually choreography based for the cardio component. We then move on to weights and mat work. There might also be appropriate interval workouts. There will always be balance practice. Instructor: Judi Weaver
- **Qigong:** 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Note this is a registered class. Drop ins welcome if minimum class registrations are reached. A simple, efficient and effective method for helping you experience optimal health, wellness and happiness. Helps you heal physical and emotional pain and enhances the quality of our life and the lives of others.  
Jan 8 – Mar 26 (12 weeks) \$96  
Apr 2 – June 11 ( 11 weeks) \$88  
Instructor: Marcy Jespersen
- **Pickleball:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. \$5. Pickleball is a racquet sport that combines elements of badminton, tennis, and table tennis.

### **Wednesdays:**

- **Bootcamp:** 9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. Cardio, strength and core, usually working in timed segments or a circuit. Stability Ball class- this class is offered on the last Wednesday of the month. It has a strong core focus. Instructor: Judi Weaver
- **Fusion Fitness:** 10:30 a.m.– 11:30 a.m. Note this is a registered class. Get your mind/body in harmony in this class incorporating a selection of Yoga, Pilates and Fitness conditioning. This is a mat based class – please bring your own Yoga mat. Call to find out when the next class is beginning. Instructor: Judi Weaver  
Session: Jan 16 – Feb 27 ( 7 weeks) \$56
- **Zumba:** 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Note this is a registered

class. One hour of body-energizing, calorie-burning, heart-racing, muscle-pumping, awe-inspiring movements that will captivate you for life. Instructor: Ariana Rodriguez. Jan 16 - March 27 (11 weeks) \$55  
Apr 3 - June 12 (11 weeks) \$55

### **Thursdays:**

- **Active Older Adult:** 9:15 – 10:15 a.m. This class offers a variety of class formats. Usually choreography based for the cardio component. We then move on to weights and mat work. There might also be appropriate interval workouts. There will always be balance practice. Instructor: Judi Weaver
- **Pickleball:** 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. \$5. Pickleball is a racquet sport that combines elements of badminton, tennis, and table tennis.

### **Fridays:**

- **Barre Above:** 9:15 a.m.– 10:15 a.m. Note this is a registered class. Barre Above blends the latest exercise science with the principles of Barre exercises, delivering a fusion of ballet, pilates, yoga and strength training in each workout. Workouts are designed for a wide range of fitness levels, ages and bodies, complete with progressions so that those new to fitness will feel successful and seasoned Barre enthusiasts will always feel challenged. Participants are asked to bring a yoga mat. You may work in running shoes or bare foot. Instructor: Judi Weaver  
Session: Jan 18 – Mar 1 ( 7 weeks) \$56
- **Seniors Yoga:** 11:00 a.m. – noon. Note this is a registered class. Classes will focus on gentle stretching, breathing exercises and meditation. It does not matter how flexible we are as long as we keep moving and do what we can. Note this is a registered class. Instructor: Marcy Jespersen (Drop-ins welcome if space is available) SCENT FREE  
Jan 11 – Mar 29 ( 12 weeks), Apr 5 – June 14 ( 11 weeks)  
No class Apr 19
- **Pickleball:** 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. \$5 Pickleball is a racquet sport that combines elements of badminton, tennis, and table tennis.

## Jelly Bean Dances

**Next dance: December 14**

Mark your calendar with this season's Jellybean Dance dates: December 14, March 8, and June 7. Jellybean Dances are dances for grade 4, 5 and 6 students. Dances are chaperoned by teen volunteers who help with the set-up/ take down of the event and Parent volunteers. We offer a concession at the dances, everything is \$1.50. Dance tickets are available at the SSCA office two weeks before the dance date. Tickets are \$5 each.



## Seniors Help Wanted

Silver Springs School is looking for volunteer readers Monday through Thursday mornings. If you have 1 to 2 hours please contact the school. A security check is required.



## Silver Springs Preschool

### Important Upcoming Dates For the 2019/2020 School Year:

- January 14: Backpack Registration Opens Online (6:00am)
- January 16: Grandfather Registration Opens Online (6:00am)
- January 21: Pre-Registration (SS residents) Opens Online (6:00am)
- January 24: Open House 6:30pm- 8:00pm
- January 25: Open Registration Opens Online (6:00am)

We invite all parents to come check out our incredible preschool and see why families have been raving about us for the past 35 years. We are flexible with pick-up and drop-off times due to elementary school bell times. If that is a concern for you please let us know and we will make it work for your schedule.

We have a few spots available for the 3YR afternoon class (1:15pm - 3:15pm) for the 2018/2019 preschool year. We are taking a waitlist for the 3YR AM & 4YR classes. If you are interested in one of these spots please contact us today!

*The preschool is overseen by the Silver Springs Community Association (SSCA) and operates as a non-denominational and non-profit organization.*

## Babysitters Available

The following youths have successfully completed the Red Cross Babysitters course and are waiting for your phone calls. If your child has taken the course and would like their name added to the list, call the office.

- Luna: 16 yrs, 403-286-1118
- Claire: 15 yrs, 403-700-7205
- Abi: 16 yrs, 403-247-6227
- Mariyke: 16 yrs, 403-828-8278
- Olivia: 13 yrs, 403-455-5554
- Sarah: 15yrs, 403-247-3808
- Mikaela: 16yrs 403-401-8403, Babysitter/catsitter/dog walker
- Sophia: 13 1/2 yrs 403-481-1963 Babysitting & dogsitting
- Erica: 14 yrs 587-832-0623
- Leana Schulz: 13yrs 403-475-4869
- Hayley Huston: 15yrs 403-547-4171
- Echo Hutchins: 12yrs, 587 435-1393 has Red Cross
- Noah Wright: 403-284-0626, 12 Years Old, Babysitting. Babysitting course and CPR course
- Adanna Age 13 1/2 403-809-7632
- Jocelyn H. 14 years old 403-202-1951
- Jasmine: 13 yrs. 403-999-9811



## Bowness School News

Please go to the school website for more details and information. We hope to see you at these events!

- **Dance Show:** December 4 – 5 (Tuesday-Wednesday) at 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
- **Music Concert:** December 11 (Tuesday) at 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
- **Winter Break:** December 24 – January 4 (Monday-Friday) We wish all our students and staff a wonderful winter break!
- **Classes Resume:** January 7 (Monday)
- **Bowness High School Open House:** January 17 (Thursday) at 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

## Food Bank Donations

This holiday season, SSCA will once again be accepting Food Bank Donations for the Mayor's 30th Annual Food Drive. Drop off your donation of non-perishable goods anytime during office hours, before end of day December 7. Not sure what to donate? Food Bank Wish List: Canned tomatoes, fruit, soup, vegetables, proteins and fish. Peanut Butter, pasta and pasta sauce, rice and cereal are always in demand. Gluten-free pancake, bread and biscuit mixes. Baby food and baby formula and diapers are also in great need. Pet food is always appreciated! Food Bank clients are our neighbours. Think about what you and your own family enjoy or use and donate those items.

### Programs Offered at the Silver Springs Community Centre

The following are SSCA run programs from mid-September to mid-June:

**Adult Aerobics Classes:** Mon. - Thurs. at 9:15 a.m.

**Barre Fitness:** Fridays 9:15 a.m.

**Zumba:** Wed. at 1:00 p.m.

**Seniors Yoga:** Mondays at 12:15 p.m. Fri. at 11:00 a.m.

**Mah Jong:** Thurs. 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Call for more info.

**Qigong:** Tues. 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**Dance Foundation:** Mon./Wed./Fri. A variety of children's dance classes including: Ballet, Jazz and Musical Theatre.

**+55 Seniors Club:** Mon. afternoons

**Drop-in Pickleball:** Tues. 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., Thurs 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. and Fri. 1 :00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

#### Other Programs Offered by outside groups:

- **Girl Guides:** Contact ajaenen@shaw.ca
- **159th Silver Springs Scouts:** (Beavers, Cubs and Scouts). Contact silverspringsscouts@gmail.com
- **Calgary Karate:** Call 403-338-0558 for more info.
- **Tai Chi:** Call 403-240-4566 for more info.
- **Praise Ablaze Church:** 2-4pm Every Sunday. Please contact Henry or Debbie @ 403-830-0702
- **YogArt:** yogartfun@gmail.com. Call 647-232-7309 or visit www.yogartfun.com
- **Seedlings Spanish Preschool:** contact Judith at 403-210-0604
- **Sportball:** Saturdays Ages 18 months - 5 years. Contact Sam at 403-975-2936 or www.sportball.ca/calgary

### Parent & Tot/Baby Rhyme Time!



Please join us at the  
Silver Springs Community Center on the  
FIRST & THIRD Wednesday of EACH MONTH  
(commencing November 7th)  
From 10:30-11:30 for a fun-filled hour of song, play  
and social time.  
All families' welcome, recommended ages from 0-4  
years of age.

**\$2 cost for each family in attendance.  
Coffee & Tea will be provided!**

### W.O. Mitchell School News

¡Feliz Navidad from W.O. Mitchell School!

It is hard to believe that just a few short months ago we were welcoming the children back to school after a nice warm summer, and now the countdown in on for winter break!

Firstly, we would like to thank everyone in the community (school and otherwise) for their generous donations to the Calgary Food Bank and the "Jacket Racket". We are always humbled by the generosity of our community and are thankful that we can continue to "give back" on a regular basis.

Our choir and handbells concert will be held on December 12th at 7 pm and our grade 1 & 2's have their Christmas performance on December 20th at 7pm. Both groups have been working diligently to make sure these are both presentations that will entertain and put you in a festive mood. We invite (and even encourage) all community members to attend!

#### DATES TO REMEMBER

December 7 - No School - PD Day  
December 24 - January 4 - Winter Break  
January 7 - Classes Resume

Los mejores deseos para una temporada festiva feliz y saludable y un maravilloso año nuevo.  
(Best wishes for a happy and healthy holiday season and a wonderful new year).

W.O. Mitchell School

<http://school.cbe.ab.ca/school/WOMitchell/Pages/default.aspx>

## Calling all LEGO enthusiasts!!

Silver Springs Community Association will be hosting its 13th Annual LEGO Competition on January 26, 2019. We have age categories for 2 yrs to 102 yrs! Call to get your-self registered!

Contestants create their LEGO entry at home in one of our 4 categories: Structures, Transportation, Cool Scenes and Space (spaceships, aliens, planets, etc)- and then drop them off at the Silver Springs Community Association for judging by our local volunteer judges. All entrants receive a participation ribbon and first place winners in each category receive a small prize. The event is open to the public for viewing of all entries. Get creative and get entered!

For registration forms and more information on the event check out our website or give us a call to register. [www.silverspringscommunity.ca](http://www.silverspringscommunity.ca)  
403-288-2616

## Crowchild Hockey News

They say time flies if you are having fun so we must be having a great time because the first half of our hockey season is almost done. Teams have been busy taking part in games and practices. You can really see how much they have learned and improved over the months. At the beginning of the season we had Timbit players that were using skate coaches and now they are whipping around on their own.

The month of December is packed with hockey fun. The seeding round games are coming to an end at the beginning of the month. Teams are very excited to see what lies ahead in the regular round.

Our arenas will be a buzz of activity with many of our teams hosting Christmas tournaments. What better way to enjoy the days leading up to Christmas than by enjoying a hockey game. We invite you to come watch some hockey that could rival the NHL!

As the holiday season approaches we would like to take the time to wish everyone a Very Merry Christmas with a home filled with love and laughter. Enjoy your family and friends, and the special times you share during this season, and all year long.

Merry Christmas

*The Northwest Warriors & Crowchild Hockey*

## Lego Building Entry Form 2019

(one form per entry)

\$5/ entry Max. 3 entries/person

Age: (Please circle) 2 – 7 8 – 12 13 – 17 18+

Category: Structures Space  
Transportation Cool Scenes

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: \_\_\_\_\_

Community of Residence: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount paid: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please advise if your entry is oversize. (over 15"x15" grey baseplate) (return with entry fee)*

### Rules:

- Make sure you enter into the correct age group!
- No kits please! All entries must be original creations. Please use Lego products (not megablocks).
- Maximum of 3 entries per person at a fee of \$5.00 per entry (to cover cost of ribbons and prizes)
- Entry forms are available in the office, in the newsletter, and on our website ([www.silverspringscommunity.ca](http://www.silverspringscommunity.ca)) – feel free to photocopy or pick up as many as you need.
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize ribbons will be awarded for each category.
- Judging will take place by our local Volunteers and begin promptly at 10:00 am – late entries will not be judged!

### ENTRY FORMS AND FEES DUE BY FRI. JAN 18th.

Please bring your Lego creation to the Silver Springs Community Center for display on Fri, Jan. 25 between 6:00 and 8:00 pm (only bring those items that were entered by Fri. Jan 18th)

All creations must be taken home Saturday afternoon between 2 – 3pm (we'd love to keep them on display for longer, but don't have room!). Entries can be phoned, faxed, mailed, emailed or dropped off at Silver Springs Community Centre.

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