

# Greendell Park Community Centre Newsletter

## The Falcon E-News

### Sports Fans .... Here We Come



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It never ceases to amaze me how busy this time of the year is. Hard on the heels of the back to school rush for supplies and clothes comes the fall sports registrations. No sooner, it seems, we have closed our cheque books on that financial rollercoaster comes the emotional hi and lows of new schools, new friends and team tryouts. Throw in equipment purchases and sports schedules and you've got the perfect recipe for feeling like you just went 10 rounds with the current World Heavyweight Champion.

Well fear not, somehow your bank account will rebound, your children will adjust to their new school, friends and team mates. and your mind and body will adjust to your new schedule.



Soon you'll become that every popular sports fan you've come to know and love every year. That positive, ever zealous, supporter of your children's extra curricular activities.

It is always a good idea, at this time of the year, to remind ourselves why we encourage our children to participate in sports and what we, as parents, expect them to learn from their involvement in sports.

It is also a good time to reflect on our own childhood sports experiences and remember it's the fun times and good friends that, more often than not, come to mind and not how many wins or awards we accumulated.

Winnipeg Minor Hockey Association has developed a formal policy, this year, on behavior for coaches, officials and spectators (see "WMHA Rink Behavior Policy" on page 2) While these particular policies have been written for hockey by the WMHA the ideals they are promoting apply to all sports and well worth a quick read prior to us dawning our sports fan uniforms for another season.

## Guess Who Turned One?

It was one year ago this month that the Falcon E-News took flight. The newsletter has been a fun exercise and provided us with not only a great way with which to communicate information to our membership but also a terrific way in which we can showcase our young athletes.

So a big thanks to our coaches and proud parents for submitting your team photos and to anyone that has offered ideas or provided items of interest for our readers and members to enjoy.

As always your comments and suggestions are greatly appreciated so keep them coming in.

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#### Greendell Mission Statement

Our goal is to provide affordable, quality programs for all ages; equal access and participation; and a safe enjoyable environment.

We will strive to be sensitive to the expectations of members and residents; and open and accountable in our administration.

We encourage active participation by our members as volunteers.

We advocate Fair Play.

# WMHA "Rink Behavior Policy"

The intent of the "Rink Behavior Policy" is to ensure the environment in which minor hockey activities take place is as positive as possible for all participants. The "Rink Behavior Policy" follows the Hockey Canada philosophy that "it is a privilege to play minor hockey, not a right".

## OBJECTIVES:

The basic objectives of the program are:

1. To foster and enhance mutual respect, understanding and the principles of good sportsmanship and Fair Play amongst all participants during minor hockey events.
2. To promote safety and respect, ensure fun, enjoyment and good competition at any minor hockey event.
3. The elimination of behaviors and actions which detract from a positive environment in which minor hockey games should take place.
4. Zero tolerance of any forms of abuse and/or harassment during minor hockey events from any participants.

## EXPECTATIONS:

### Coaches:

- Respect all facilities and their staff.
- Respect the officials and their decisions.
- Respect opposing team players, coaches and other participants.
- Take responsibility for the actions and behaviors of their teams on and off the ice.

### Officials:

- Respect all participants of the game.
- Maintain open and positive communications with players and coaches.
- Promote the rules of the game to all team participants.
- Keep the integrity in all games.
- Maintain professionalism on and off the ice.

### Spectators:

- Remember that players are not participating in the game to entertain the parents.
- Spectators should not judge players by professional standards.
- Spectators should maintain their self-control at all times.
- Spectators should demonstrate respect for all officials and their decisions.
- Spectators should demonstrate respect for all participants of the game.
- Spectators should encourage sportsmanship, effort and positive attitudes of all participants.

### Players:

- Players should respect all facilities and their staff.
- Players should respect the officials and their decisions.
- Players should respect the opposing team players, coaches and other participants.
- Players should take responsibility for their own actions and behaviors on and off the ice.
- Players should respect their own team mates.

**Failure to abide by this policy can result in loss of privileges.**

# Greendell Park Community Centre - Board of Directors

## Greendell Executive 2009

POSITION	NAME	HOME NUMBER
President	Fred Schneider	257-2921
Treasurer	Gabrielle Marrin	255-2600
Vice Pres. (Facilities)	Dwayne Joseph	256-1933
Vice Pres. (Indoor)	Monika Carswell	254-7299
Vice Pres. (Publicity)	Kerri Sutherland	254-5854
Vice Pres. (Summer)	Dwayne Falk	253-7789
Vice Pres. (Winter)	Rene Poluyko	253-5274

## Greendell Convenors/Contacts 2008/2009

ACTIVITY	NAME	HOME NUMBER
Badminton (Seniors)	Norman Remedios	253-9112
Baseball	Ken Goodwin	254-0760
Baseball Equipment	Joanne & Len Warelis	257-2379
Basketball	Fred Schneider	257-2921
Baton/Dance	Joyce Ormshaw	253-2737
Canteen	Laura Veitch	253-6526
Carnival	Committee	

## ACTIVITY

## NAME

## HOME NUMBER

Football	Yvonne Hansen	253-6713
Hockey (Female)	Roland Vercaigne	253-6966
Hockey (House)	Ken Sutherland	254-5854
Hockey (9 Yrs. & Up)	VACANT	
Hockey Equipment	Marc Arcand	255-7214
Magic Club	Carey Lauder	772-8837
Ringette	Kevin Deibert	255-3435
Soccer (Boys)	Linda Kozakewich	253-7601
Soccer (Girls)	VACANT	
Soccer (Mini)	Lorne Palmquist	254-6193
	Shellie Hatch	257-7128
Soccer (Tots)	Tracy Bertschinger	793-9660
Soccer Equipment	Stan Kern	257-3086
Softball	Glen Unryn	338-1967
Tae Kwon Do	Matthew Onyschak	256-0360
Tiny Tots	Julie Jacquet	257-2121
Tiny Tots Treasurer	Shelley Giesbrecht	669-4200
Sewing	Carol Williams	257-2921
<b>Building Manager</b>	Reg Bresch	269-8998 799-5727 (Cell)
<b>Administrator</b>	Janis Desrochers	257-1211 (Office) 257-6883 (Club)

## Greendell October 2009 Calendar of Events

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 Executive Board Meeting Greendell Park CC 7:00 PM	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

# GRENDELL PARK COMMUNITY CENTRE APPRECIATION AWARDS

## GRENDELL VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

PRESENTED BY OUR MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE, THIS AWARD RECOGNIZES THE CONTRIBUTION MADE BY A MEMBER OF OUR COMMUNITY CENTRE OVER A PROLONGED TIME FRAME AND GENERALLY IN MORE THAN ONE ASPECT OF THE PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE CLUB.

## CITY OF WINNIPEG AWARD

PRESENTED BY OUR CITY OF WINNIPEG COUNCILLORS, THIS AWARD RECOGNIZES THE OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION MADE BY A MEMBER OF OUR COMMUNITY CENTRE, AS A LONG TERM VOLUNTEER, WHEREIN HIS/HER DEDICATION ENABLE PROGRAMS AND/OR ACTIVITIES TO CONTINUE TO BE VIEWED POSITIVELY BY PARTICIPANTS AND THE COMMUNITY AT LARGE.

## KEN HEIN MEMORIAL AWARD

IN MEMORY OF KEN HEIN, COACH AND MEMBER OF G.P.C.C., THIS AWARD RECOGNIZES THE VOLUNTEERISM OF TEENAGERS AND YOUNG ADULTS. THE RECIPIENT OFTEN COMBINES EDUCATION, PART TIME WORK AND THEIR VOLUNTEER WORK. THIS DEDICATION BENEFITS THE CHILDREN OF OUR COMMUNITY.

## BENNY DNES COACHING AWARD

IN MEMORY OF BENNY DNES, COACH AND MEMBER OF G.P.C.C., THIS AWARD RECOGNIZES THE ROLE MODEL VALUE OF THE COACH. THE BELIEF THAT TEACHING CHILDREN THE RULES OF THE GAME, GIVING PROPER INSTRUCTION AND PROVIDING EVERYONE ON THE TEAM AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY TO PLAY, IS THE OPTIMUM ROLE MODEL.

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN NOMINATING SOMEONE FOR ONE OF THE ABOVE AWARDS**

**PLEASE CONTACT: Janis Desrochers - 257-1211**

**E-Mail - [grendel@mts.net](mailto:grendel@mts.net)**

**Drop Off - 75 Woodlawn Avenue**

Please include a brief biography of the person with your nomination. Deadline for nominations - Tuesday, October 13, 2009 - Awards to be presented at Volunteer Appreciation Night - Saturday, November 7, 2009.

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Contact Information



**"Windows on Christmas"  
Craft Sale**

Hosted by Greendell Baton and Dance

Sunday, November 15th

11:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Greendell Park Community Centre Gymnasium

Crafters wishing to book a table are asked  
to phone Joyce at 253-2737

(Tables are \$25. each)



*Greendell Park Community Centre - Team of the Month  
We Need Your Team Photo Here!*



Dear coaches and parents, the Falcon E-News is once again in desperate need of your Greendell Falcon team pictures. You can email your team photos along with the players, names as they appear in the photo, to [administrator@greendell.ca](mailto:administrator@greendell.ca)