

June 2010

# 4<sup>th</sup> Street News

## Congratulations 4th St. Businesses

**Best Of Calgary Awards presented by FFWD Weekly**

**Casablanca Video** – Best Video Store    **Henry** – Best Men's Clothing Store

**Milk Tiger Lounge** – Coolest hole-in-the wall    **Mercato** – Best Italian

**Ducky's Pub** – Best Place For Karaoke    **Aida's** – Best Middle Eastern

**Vin Room** – Most intoxicating wine list

**"Lilac Festival won BEST FREE EVENT"**

## 4<sup>th</sup> St. Pancake Showdown

Thursday July 8<sup>th</sup> will be the first ever 4<sup>th</sup> St. Pancake Showdown from 9:00 AM until 1:00 PM. The 4<sup>th</sup> Street restaurants participating are:

**Reds    Rose & Crown    Original Joes    Purple Perk    The Joyce On 4th**

If any other restaurant is interested, you have until Wednesday June 23rd to contact the 4<sup>th</sup> St. BRZ office to be added to our list of competitors.

The 4<sup>th</sup> St. BRZ will be hosting this event with support from our community partners in the District 1 Calgary Police Service. The main event area will be outside Hillsboro Tower located at 1800 4<sup>th</sup> St. SW. Activities will take place from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM and include interactive games, face-painting, vendors, balloon artist and live entertainment with performances by The Keister Family Fiddlers, Prairie Heat and Sarah Beth Keeley.

Special guest appearances by Simon The Bear from the Calgary Police Service, local delegates and celebrities. **Please stop by and say "hi."**

## The 2010 4th Street Lilac Festival

A huge thanks to all the 4<sup>th</sup> Street Businesses, sponsors, volunteers, the numerous entertainers and vendors who participated in the Lilac Festival on Sunday May 30th. The event was once again a success even in the rain.....check out the photo.

We would love to hear your comments and feedback so that we can improve for next year. Please call the office and speak with Jennifer or Monique. You can also send an email message to [info@4streetcalgary.com](mailto:info@4streetcalgary.com)

**The 4<sup>th</sup> Street BRZ will start planning the 2011 Lilac Festival beginning in September 2010!**



# Memorial Park Library – 1221 2<sup>nd</sup> St. SW – 260-2600

## Upcoming programs for July

### Painting Spring Watercolours for Seniors

Learn to easily paint dragonflies, butterflies, and flowers. Please bring \$20 for supplies to the first class. Ages 50 and up  
Saturdays, July 10 to July 24 1:00 - 3:00pm Registration required

### Central Memorial Park Walking Tour

Let Heritage architect, Lorne Simpson, lead you on a walking tour of the historical features and new plantings in the recently restored Central Memorial Park. Meet on the front steps of Memorial Park Library.  
Tues. July 27 7:00 - 8:30pm No registration required

### Yours for Life: 125 Years of Courage, Compassion and Service from the Calgary Fire Department by Judy Monchuk

Learn about its history from author Judy Monchuk and representatives of the Fire Department in this talk and slide show.  
Thurs. July 29 7:00 - 8:30pm No registration required

### 2010 Kids Summer Reading Adventure

“Lost in Time” is the 2010 Kids Summer Reading Adventure, presented by the Alberta Beverage Container Recycling Corporation. Collect all five game pages from your local Library branch until the end of August, read great books and enter to win fantastic prizes!

## 2004 – 4<sup>th</sup> Street Community Update

The 2004 – 4<sup>th</sup> Street development team is committed to providing the public and stakeholders with project updates. The following is a brief summary for the month of June/July:

- Construction activity is temporarily suspended as the 2004 – 4 Street project is being re-envisioned.
- The construction site will continue to be maintained on a daily basis with daytime supervision and after hour's security.
- Conditions of the construction site are being monitored by engineers for safety.
- The crane has been dismantled and removed from the site.
- The hoarding, along 21 Avenue, has been relocated to open the sidewalk for public use.

Strategic Group is committed to the successful completion of this project and would like to thank all residents and businesses for their continued patience and understanding.

For questions and/or concerns, please e-mail [questions@strategic-group.ca](mailto:questions@strategic-group.ca)

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