# EARL GREY NEIGHBOURHOOD SAFETY ASSOCIATION EGNSA



Contact Us For Little Things: (204) 477-1513 or egnsa@mts.net FOR REPORTING THE BIG THINGS CALL POLICE NON EMERGENCY (204) 986-6222

## **Property Crime Statistics**

Two interactive maps are available to viewers on the Winnipeg Police Service website. The Crime Map format features a rolling 12 month total, with a three month data lag to ensure accurate reporting. The Calls For Service format shows activity within the past 10 weeks.

You can access statistics for any Winnipeg community on the Crime Map or Calls For Service format. Results are only accurate if residents report the occurrence. Please continue this practice.

Anecdotal comments from neighbours suggest that property crimes have been increasing over the last 2 years in Earl Grey, but not so much in Ebby Wentworth. The Crime Maps for our area suggest the same.

Homeowners can take steps to lessen the occurrence of property crimes.

Here Is One Way

# **WPS Community Safety Presentation**

Date - Sunday, May 26 from 2 to 4 PM Location - Earl Grey Community Centre



Officers from the Community Relations Unit of the Winnipeg Police Service will present on personal safety for yourself and your property, including safety tips when travelling via bus or car. Best practices on scams, panhandlers, ATM banking and crime reporting will be discussed. Ample time is allotted for Q&A after the presentation.

Something for everyone. You will be glad you came.

DOOR PRIZES (courtesy of EGNSA and FOODFARE)

4 FOODFARE on Lilac food vouchers (\$100 each)

2 "BLINK " Doorbell cameras

Please register in advance by email (egnsa@mts.net) or phone (204) 477-1513 The number of attendees is helpful for presenters and organizers.

Our sincere thanks to FOODFARE for donations of food vouchers.

### **Positives and Negatives**

- Scams seem to be ever increasing in numbers by phone and on the internet.
- Kudos go out to the timely construction of new homes after fires or replacing derelict buildings.
- Potholes on our streets in the spring are likely never going away.
- Trees Winnipeg is making progress in tree replacement.
- Security needs seem to be increasing at many more sites.
- Police personnel have a tough job and we thank them for their service.

MAY 2024



## SENIOR CARDS EARL GREY COMMUUNITY CENTRE EVERYONE WELCOME



### Woohoo, I won again

**Whist**: Monday from 1 to 3:30 PM. Cost is \$2.00 per person. Small cash prizes are given out. No whist activity during July and August.

**Bridge**: Wednesday from 1 to 4 PM. Cost is 50 cents per person. Bridge activity is all year long. More information? Call (204) 452-7024

# Community Collection, Friday June 21, Family Fun Night EARL GREY COMMUNITY CENTRE

#### Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Waste (free service)

Household waste ( cleaning products, herbicides, pesticides, paint) must be in the original container. Batteries, fluorescent lights, propane tanks (empty), video equipment, phones, cell phones and microwaves are all accepted as electronic waste. Our volunteers will be accepting these items from **5 to 8 PM**. The items collected will be transported to the 4R Depot on Pacific for recycling.

#### **Document Shredding (free service)**

The Access shredding truck will be available from **5 to 7 PM** for document shredding. Take advantage of this opportunity.

ACCESS has been our go to company for many years and we are grateful for their service.

#### **PROPERTY NUMBERS**

The EGNSA is continuing to supply 3 inch peel and stick property numbers for identification of your residence. Fire department, police, service personnel and your neighbours who may have occasion to report an emergency, find back lane property identification of critical importance when the need arises. Give us a call or email and we will be glad to deliver the free numbers to your home.

### CHANGES

Our website at www.egnsa.net will be discontinued shortly. Some information on EGNSA activities will be available on the Earl Grey Community Centre website at www.earlgreycc.ca

We appreciate the opportunity of posting on the community centre site.



#### **September Tree Banding**

The importance of doing everything possible to preserve our boulevard trees cannot be overstated. Tree banding for cankerworm control is one way residents can help.

The EGNSA is continuing our tree banding service this year. We are asking block organizers to poll the residents to determine if at least 70% of residents on the block wish to contribute \$10 each to have all boulevard trees banded for cankerworms on their block. The block organizer would also be expected to make the appropriate collections. We order our supplies for the year the first week in August and begin tree banding the first week in September.

In 2023 our EGNSA volunteers banded 16 blocks. If you care to be a block organizer this year or want to know if your block is being organized for tree banding please call or email. We need confirmation that your block is being organized by August 1 for the ordering of supplies.



#### Father Time continues to tick



The EGNSA has supplied a safety service in Earl Grey and Ebby Wentworth for 32 years. Some of our volunteers have moved away and others are now limited in their activities. We do need more volunteers to step up and help.

It is important to have Directors from the community appointed to carry on the activities of the EGNSA. As you can see community safety is not our only priority. Environmental concerns such as boulevard tree

stewardship and proper disposal of hazardous and electronic waste are other very important issues. Give us a call or email and we will send out an invite to our next meeting or event.



Thanks for your support



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