

# **CALGARY 55 PLUS 2017 PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**AUGUST 10 -12, 2017**

**BROCHURE INFORMATION: TIMES, PLACES + EVENTS**



**CALGARY 55 PLUS GAMES ASSOCIATION  
WELCOMES YOU TO CALGARY!!!**





Premier of Alberta

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**Message from Honourable Rachel Notley  
Premier of Alberta**

*On behalf of the Government of Alberta, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Calgary 55 Plus 2017 Provincial Summer Championships.*

*As you come together from around the province I hope you enjoy the thrill of competition and the fun, friendship, and festivities that are an integral and essential part of these summer games. Whether you are new to competitive sports, or a life-long athlete, be very proud of your accomplishments during these championships.*

*Special thanks to the organizers, volunteers, and community partners whose efforts and hard work contribute to making this event possible every year.*

*I wish all competitors the best of luck in your events.*

**Rachel Notley**

*August 10, 2017*



August 2017  
**A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR  
NENSHI**

On behalf of the citizens of Calgary and my City Council colleagues, it is my pleasure to welcome you to the Calgary 55 Plus 2017 Provincial Championships.

These games provide a tremendous opportunity for athletes from across the province to come together in the spirit of friendly competition. With a wide variety of events, from cycling to hockey to swimming, I have no doubt these championships will be exciting to watch and to compete in.

I commend the Calgary 55 Plus Association, Alberta 55 Plus and all those taking part in these games for continuing to demonstrate the importance of physical, mental and emotional health at all ages. I hope you all have a wonderful time at this year's Calgary 55 Plus 2017 Provincial Championships.

Sincerely,  
Naheed K. Nenshi  
MAYOR

**A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN**

Calgary Zone 3 decided to take the plunge when the Sport Connection backed out of holding the Provincial Games this year. I said we have got to keep these Games going every second year as we have since 1980, when they started. So as President of Zone 3 I said let's do it. A pretty big undertaking, "BUT BIG CHALLENGES MAKE BIG PEEOPLE". We will be holding 11 sport events this August 10 to 12 in Calgary. We will have 11 sports: track and field, slo-pitch, swimming, hockey, cycling, badminton, pickleball, golf, horseshoes, bowling and tennis.

We set up an Organizing Committee with Coordinators in each sport. It will be an exciting 3 days of competition, and of course invite everyone to come out to see us. Locations are shown in this brochure. - See you there, Doug Kyle, Chairman. [www.calgary55plus.com](http://www.calgary55plus.com)

## Venues

### **Athletics / Track & Field:**

**Glenmore Athletic Park** at 50 Ave. and 16 St. SW, Calgary  
55, 60, 65, 70, 75, and 80 in Men's and Women's 9 events, plus Predicted 2x 400 & 2x1,000

### **Slo-Pitch**

The Slo-Pitch championships will take place in Strathmore on August 10,11 & 12. RV parking is available adjacent to the **Strathmore AG Diamonds** 33 Wheatland.

55, 65, 70 in Men's and women's, and 55 in Mixed

To reserve a camping spot, email: [carolin@strathmorestampede.com](mailto:carolin@strathmorestampede.com)

Group Camping, which includes power hook-up, shower and washroom facilities, is available @ \$20 per day.

**Registration check-in will take place at the Strathmore AG Diamonds @ 8 AM on Thursday, August 10** just prior to the start of the tournament.

Your team should plan on arriving at the Venue on Wednesday evening. The Medal Games will take place on Saturday morning, and should be completed by early afternoon.

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### **Tennis:**

**Mt. Pleasant Tennis Club** at 117- 4 Ave. NE, Calgary

55,65, 70 in Men's and Women's Mixed and Doubles

### **Swimming and Badminton:**

**Calgary Winter Club** at 4611- 14 St. NW, Calgary

Badminton: 55, 65, 75 in Men's and Women's Doubles and Mixed

Swimming: 55, 60, 65, 70,75,80, and 85 in Men's and Women's in 8 events + Predicted 2 x 100 & 2 x 200

### **Hockey:**

**Fish Creek Arena** at 333 Shawville Blvd. SE #100, Calgary

55, 60, 65, 70,75 in Men's and 55 in Women's

### **Cycling:**

Thursday August 10: Time Trial- Meet at the **Springbank Park for All Seasons** 32224A Springbank Road, Calgary. Sign on open from 9:15 to 9:30

Friday August 11: Road Race- Meet at the **Madden Community Hall** Rocky View #44, Madden. Sign on open from 9:30 to 9:45

55,65,70 in Men's & Women's Recreational 10 km. TT (Time Trial) & RR. Also, Men's & Women's Competitive 20 km, TT + RR

**Pickleball:**

**Oakridge Community Centre** at 9504 Oakfield Dr. SW, Calgary  
55, 65 and 70 in Men's and Women's Doubles and Mixed

**Golf:**

**Fox Hollow Golf Course** at 1025- 32 Ave. NE, Calgary  
55, and 65 in Men's and Women's Gross and Calloway

**Horseshoes:**

**Calgary Horseshoe Club** at 4310- 78 Ave. SE, Calgary  
55 and 65 in Men's and women's Singles in Classes: A to D (Ringer Percentages)

**5 Pin Bowling**

**Paradise Lanes** at 3411-17 Ave. SE, Calgary  
55 and 65 in Men's and Women's singles, and mixed Team of 4 in POA

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## Opening Ceremony

**Thursday, August 10**

**Thornccliffe Greenview Community Association**  
5600 Centre St N, Calgary, AB T2K 0T3

**Itinerary:**

5:00pm – Meet & Mingle

6:00pm – Opening Ceremonies

6:30pm – Grace / Dinner

8:00pm – Entertainment

9:00pm – Finish

**Cost: Free to registered Participants and \$25.00 for Guests**

**Dress: Casual**

## Qualifications

You qualify for these Games by qualifying through your own Zone playoffs. All winners will automatically qualify to come to the Provincials. We will also take some silver and bronze

winners, depending on the entries from all Zones. These Provincial Games will qualify you for the Canada Games in August 21<sup>st</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in St. John, New Brunswick.


If you have any questions about anything in this brochure you may contact the Games Chairperson, Doug Kyle at 403-255-7932 or dougalugadonuts@shaw.ca



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**Organizing Committee**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Position/Executive</b>
Doug Kyle	Chairman/President of Calgary 55 Plus
Carolyn Alway	Secretary
Ram Achal	Treasurer
Yvonne Armstrong	Registrar
Robert McKinnon	Publicity/Sponsorship
Gloria Spielman	Social
<b>Name</b>	<b>Position/Coordinators</b>
Lawrence King	Athletics

Maurice Lakness	Slopitch
Paul Dateau	Tennis
Richard Martin	Tennis
Keith Shaw	Swimming
Harvey Poon	Hockey
David Lawson	Cycling
Ken Parent	Badminton
Mirka Saraconi +Arlerne Green	Pickleball
Doug McIntyre	Golf
Gertie Collins	Horseshoes
Norm Thomas	5-Pin Bowling
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