The CASS Report

July 2023

July 7th-16th is the Calgary Stampede

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Calgary Stampede Safety Tips

1. Stay hydrated
While beer is a common choice for many Stampede-goers, frequently consuming good ol' H20 during your Stampede activities will keep you hydrated .

2. Wear sunscreen
It's summertime and the sun is out! Be sure to protect yourself from harmful UV rays – even on cloudy days!

3. Locate the emergency exits
When attending events in bars and nightclubs, be sure to know where the emergency exits are located.

4.Don't carry large amounts of cash
Keep money and valuables in a secure location on yourself, rather than in a backpack or purse that can be easily stolen.

5.Go with a friend/family or a support worker

6.If you feel unsafe, report it
Report suspicious people or activities to the Stampede security staff or guest services.

Enjoy yourself!

Canada Day

Canada Day is Saturday June 1st, Monday June 3rd is an office closure

Fireworks

Canada Day will end with a fireworks show at approximately 11 p.m. launched from Stampede Park. The display will light up the sky in the downtown core and surrounding areas.

Watch the fireworks from Fort Calgary or from one of many other great viewing areas in the city. The Stampede grounds will be closed to the public and is not a viewing location due to the set up of the 2023 Stampede. Vehicle access into West Ramsay (Scotsman's Hill) and Crescent Road will also be restricted.

Go to

https://www.calgary.ca/events/canada-day.html

for more events around Calgary

STAFF TRAINING

Check out the CASS Website – www.c-a-s-s.org for all your training requirements. Once logged in, go to Training in the Staff Quick Links section for a complete list of required (and, some optional) training.
If you have questions email training@c-a-s-s.org

Please let your coordinator know your training days so schedules can be altered to accommodate your client.

Abuse Awareness Training – on the CASS Website - expires every three years

Open Future Learning (OFL) – Two modules of OFL are mandatory for all CASS Staff – "Challenging Behaviours" and "Introduction to Your Role". Email training@c-a-s-s.org to register for OFL. No expiration.

Challenging Behaviours – Part II – on the CASS Website - no expiration

Medication Administration – If you need Med Admin for your position with CASS, email training@c-a-s-s.org to register for this course. When you have completed the course, please email linda.mcnaull@c-a-s-s.org to arrange a time for the practicum.

Health and Safety – on the CASS Website – no expiration

First Aid/CPR – First Aid/CPR – Staff needing to update their First Aid/CPR need to be sure the trainer is Government of Alberta OH&S Approved. The following link gives a list of the approved training providers: http://humanservices.alberta.ca/working-in-alberta/1348.ht
Boundaries Training via Open Future Learning (No Expiration - Mandatory for all CARS and CADO frontline staff)

Mental Health First Aid (MHFA)
Call reception @ 403-283-0611
 Is now available in a Standard (Virtual) Format!
Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) is the support provided to a person who may be experiencing a decline in their mental well-being or a mental health crisis.

STAFF TRAINING

CPI Training

Updated Process: 1) E-transfer the CPI course payment of $75 CAD (tax included) to cpi@c-a-s-s.org

2) Signup for CPI by selecting your preferred date using Calendly link

https://calendly.com/sarah-mcmillen-cpi/cpi-training

3) DAY 1 CPI Training (Online) - Complete online component no later than the Monday before selected CPI date (link emailed 2 weeks before chosen date). If not completed by then, participant can't attend the next portion

DAY 2 CPI Training (In Person)

4) DAY 2 CPI Training (In Person) – 09:00 to 15:30 at the old CASS office on the CPI date that was selected.

DAY 2 CPI Training includes review/discussions of the online portion and the physicals

5) The instructor will email the CPI blue cards to training@c-a-s-s.org upon the completion of the entire CPI training for updating. The original blue cards will be emailed to the participant
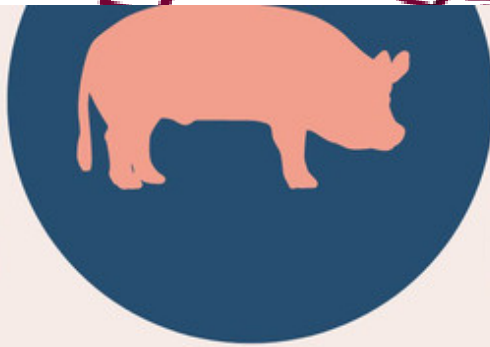
CASS DINNER CLUB

IHOP
#282, 100 Anderson
Road SE
(Southcentre Mall)

July 5, 2023

Please RSVP To Dinner-club@c-a-s-s.org or
403-283-0611 By July 4, 2023
Don't arrive before 5:45pm
Hope To See You All There