

Empathy Week Group Art Show

Eau Claire Market
Main Floor, Unit B03
June 1 - June 7

PROSPECT

Break barriers. Employ change.

Knowing Me

Prospect Human Services is proud to present Knowing Me, a series of brand new works in collaboration with Humainologie's Empathy Week 2018! Clients from Prospect's Alternative Arts Persons with Developmental Disabilities program have created a self-portrait painting exhibition while reflecting on the question "What should other people understand about you?" We were inspired by encouraging a sensitive and discerning exploration into personal identity, as well as the barriers that can keep individuals or groups from acting compassionately.

Exhibition Hours*

Fri, June 1 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Sat, June 2 11:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Sun, June 3 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Mon, June 4 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM
Wed, June 6 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM
Thu, June 7 11:30 AM - 6:00 PM

Opening Reception:

Sat, June 2, 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Closing Reception:

Thu, June 7, 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

*subject to change



RESET Art Exhibition

The public perception of women facing sexual exploitation is shaped by many influences: media, myths and Hollywood stories. The truth is that these women are our mothers, daughters, sisters and friends and they deserve the opportunity to rebuild their lives after exploitation and trafficking. Step into the hopes, fears and dreams of these women, through their art created as part of the programming at RESET Society of Calgary.



Labelled: The Exhibition

Fourteen Calgarians share their real stories about labels they have held that may have defined, reduced or wounded them. This portrait exhibition encourages us to question the role of labels in our lives and, in particular, the way definition and judgment impact our identity, sense of self and relationships.



Making a Life in Central Alberta: Voices of Immigrant Women

Photographs and stories about the experience of women who have recently immigrated to Canada and settled in Central Alberta. A participatory research project conducted by Red Deer College and Central Alberta Immigrant Women's Association.

EMPATHY WEEK

By HUMAINOLOGIE
June 1-7, 2018

humainologie.com/empathyweek

Humainologie is a division of the Calgary Centre for Global Community.

"Empathy is the ability to stand in the shoes of another, to imagine what they may be thinking and/or feeling. It helps us create strong relationships and healthy communities."

Empathy Week Calendar

June 1-7, 2018 - Calgary

Puppet Power 2018: Story

A Conference on Applied Puppetry, June 1-3, 2018
University of Calgary



Explore the transformative power that puppetry has to tell stories, inspire dialogue and make meaning of our world today! Puppet Power 2018 features award-winning local and international presenters and master puppeteers, sharing their stories and skills in an educational, engaging and fun environment through hands-on workshops, talks, panels, and special networking events. Sparking the imagination, the conference is for anyone inspired to express themselves creatively and promote positive social change.

More information and tickets at <https://wppuppet.com/puppet-power-2018/>



Strength in Art

Friday, June 1, 2018 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Vecova Centre for Disability Services and Research
3304 - 33rd Street NW

Vecova's inaugural Strength in Art show celebrates our community and the incredible talent of persons with disabilities! Artists with disabilities will display and sell their artwork to the public, and speak with attendees about their creative process and inspiration. This event will feature artists from Vecova as well as other community organizations, and any funds raised by the sale of the artwork will be kept directly by the artists.

Calgary DI BBQ Lunch and Art Exhibit

Wednesday, June 6, 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM
Calgary Drop-In Centre, 2nd Floor
1 Dermot Baldwin Way SE



Showcasing grassroots musicians and artists with a public display of their craft, alongside a free community-style outdoor BBQ, our Empathy Week Event will bring together the downtown public, our staff and clients who call the Calgary Drop-In Centre their home.

Basics of Sikhi



Langar Service
The Alex Community Food Centre, 4930 - 17 Ave SE
Breakfast: Friday, June 1, 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Dinner: Monday, June 4, 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Lunch: Wednesday, June 6, 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Langar is a core institution of the Sikh faith, dating back over 300 years. It is a way to deliver on the promise made to the Creator that we will serve all, serve selflessly, and serve equally. Please join us at The Alex CFC as we serve a meal to each other and break down barriers of gender, race, religion, and social status. As always, this is free of charge and open to all.

Growing Companies, Raising Children

The Bridge Co-work Space
300, 718 8 Ave SW
June 7, 6:30 PM



How can we create professional spaces that are child and parent-preneur friendly, actualizing a culture of empathy in entrepreneurship and moving toward work-life integration instead of segregation? Join us on June 7th to discuss Growing Companies, Raising Children. Speakers include: Ernest Barbaric, Podsummit; Kylie Woods, ChicGeek; Maggie Lam, Combined Insurance. Last speaker TBA. Tickets available at: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/growing-companies-raising-children-panel-discussion-tickets-44329977155>



The Unity Project

Saturday, June 2, 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Sunday June 3, 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
The Rise on St. Patrick's Island

An interactive public art project consisting of 32 posts, each with identifiers such as, "I am a parent; I speak English as a second language; I identify as LGBTQ," etc. Participants wind colourful yarn around the posts that reflect their identities. Their yarn intertwines with others' to create a web of interconnectedness.

Growing Empathy

June 2, 3, 6, 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Stephen Avenue, between 1st and 4th Street SW



An interactive art piece where participants will be invited to write their experiences of giving and receiving empathy onto leaf-shaped sticky notes and add them to the blossoming Empathy Tree. As more leaves are added, the tree will become a visual representation of how they are helping Empathy grow through their reflection and willingness to share.



Awkward Conversations

Calgary Public Library Main Branch, Meeting Room 2
Monday, June 4, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Awkward Conversations is a moderated round table conversation on the topic of gender identity. Two individuals will lead the conversation and discuss their unique experiences as this topic pertains to them. Other participants will then be encouraged to share and challenge their own personal bias and views by having these awkward conversations within this safe space. The goal is to cultivate empathy and understanding for those whose experiences are different from our own.

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