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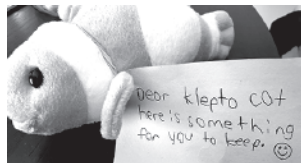
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Have You Seen This Feline?
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Langley Meadows' Notorious
"KLEPTO KITTY"
AKA Sophie

Member's of our LMCA FB Group may already be familiar with Klepto Kitty... The furry, 4-legged Meadows resident has been caught by security cams prowling yards under cover of darkness in search of unattended gardening gloves or the like. Sophie's human has kindly placed a basket near the corner of Willow Pl and Woodland Dr where the mystery items are placed, hopefully to be reunited with their owners. Sophie has garnered quite a fanclub with her mischievously cute antics.



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Halloween is not far away and BC Health officials have released guidelines to help us all decide what type of celebration works best for our families. Here are some of their tips, read the full info bulletin from the BC Centre for Disease Control here: www.bccdc.ca/health-info/diseases-conditions/covid-19/social-interactions/halloween

No matter how you celebrate Halloween this year...

- Turn off porch light & stay at home if you are sick or self-isolating
- Try including a non-medical mask as part of your costume
- **Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer often!!!**
- Skip Halloween parties this year (or keep them to 6 guests or less)
- Celebrate with your favourite Halloween movie
- Don't pass around snacks, drinks (or other "shareables")
- Be more outside than inside wherever this is possible/open windows if not

Trick-or-treating can be done safely by following these tips:

- Respect homes by staying away if the lights are out
- Keep to your local neighbourhood
- Trick-or-treat in a small social group, stick to six people or less
- Leave space between you and others, avoid crowding on sidewalks, etc.
- Wash your hands before, after you get home and before eating treats
- You don't need to clean every treat, instead wash your hands after handling treats and do not touch your face

Get creative handing out treats:

- Use tongs, a baking sheet or make a candy slide to give more space
- Only hand out sealed, pre-packaged treats, individually - no share bowls
- Wear a non-medical mask when handing out treats.
- Hand out treats outdoors wherever possible

These tips were offered by the BCCDC on Oct 5, 2020 but as things are constantly changing right now, always check for up-to-date info when making your plans!

A Great Big THANKS!

...To the following people for delivering the newsletter for April 2020: Lorenzo, Carmello, Emma, Izzy, Grace, Hannah, Amelia, Keilan, Rylan, Connor, Caylin, Lexi, Emmerson, Teagan, Saxon, Bradley, Mikayla, Jaxon, Kiara, Faith, Fynlee, Peyton, Avery, Micah, Caleb, Joe, Claire, Ben, Paige, Jakob, Norm, Shelia
 If you would like to help deliver our next newsletter and earn treats please email: LangleyMeadowsCommunity@gmail.com

GREAT ONLINE RESOURCES FOR COMMUNITY INFO re: COVID 19

Want up-to-date info about BC's response to COVID-19? Find guidance in regard to our 4 phase Restart Plan including links to Public Health Orders and Financial Assistance. <https://www2.gov.bc.ca>

The Langleys have regular updates for local residents as well, including facility closures:
 Langley Township <https://www.tol.ca/covid19/>
 Langley City <https://city.langley.bc.ca/covid-19>

LMCA Community Connection

All the Scoop

LANGLEY MEADOWS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

OCTOBER 2020

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE COMMUNITY FROM LMCA

Dear Langley Meadows... **WE MISS YOU!**

During the past months as we have all been adjusting to life during pandemic times we have been unable to host some of our Community's most popular events -- the Monster Garage Sale, the Fall Fair and our Summer Family Movie Nights to name a few. Now, it's more important than ever to find ways to come together preserving that strong community spirit that has always made Meadows so special!

Our amazing LMCA Community Coordinators are working hard to create ways for us to connect safely, and in many cases, celebrate together virtually with some new programs and even some of our old favourites delivered in a whole new way!

Among others the LMCA has been working on rolling out a new Book Club, On the Table: coffee chat, Halloween Family BINGO, Night's Alive and our Winter Craft Fair online!

You will find some information about upcoming programming in these pages but your best places for the changing up-to-date information will be the community Facebook group at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/mylmca> or our website: www.LangleyMeadows.com

Our LMCA Coordinators may also be reached through email Joanne Robinson at Joanne@langleymeadows.com and Erin Yachuk at Erin@langleymeadows.com

LMCA wants to connect with all of our residents, if you are not "online" and want information or require help accessing our virtual programming, please feel free to give Charlene a call at 778-551-1982 and she would be happy to assist you.

warmly,



- OCT 15th: On The Table – Coffee Date 10:00am
- OCT 16th: Virtual NIGHT'S ALIVE 6:30pm
- OCT 21st: LMCA Zoom meeting 7:00pm
- OCT 30th: Halloween Zoom BINGO! 6:30pm
- NOV 18th: LMCA Zoom meeting 7:00pm

Thursday, October 15th

LMCA hosts an 'On the Table' event!

Anyone living in our community is welcome to join us online at 10am for a virtual neighbourhood coffee visit.

Come out to chat with old friends, meet new neighbours and share ideas on how to keep Langley Meadows supportive and connected.

To learn more visit: www.onthetablebc.com

or LMCA's Facebook group

vancouver foundation | on the table.

fall mini-portrait sessions

Friends, I'm doing a fundraiser for our Langley Meadows community and hope you'll join in...

These Fall mini-portrait sessions by JoLynn Photography include:

- 15-20 min mini-session in my backyard
- 2 Background themes to choose from
- 2 fully edited digital copies of your choice

Location: 2873 Woodland Drive (the house with the decorated tree)

Lighting is best between 10am-3:30pm I will wear a mask and keep easily two meters apart and ask you to please do the same except during photoshoot.

Cost is \$30 with payment to be made via e-transfer upon booking session, a portion of which goes to LMCA.

Contact Jodi Marsh at 778-899-1473 www.facebook.com/jodimarshphotos





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LANGLEY MEADOWS OCTOBER NEIGHBOURHOOD CHALLENGE!

LMCA is inviting all Langley Meadows residents to decorate their windows in the spirit of the Fall season. Show off your community pride and let's get our neighbourhood decorating (and searching!) for an Autumn blowout!

We thoroughly enjoyed all the spring windows, the hearts and the Easter eggs so let's keep the fun going!

Cut out, decorate and hang a pumpkin in your window so our walking neighbours can enjoy finding, and counting, pumpkins.

While you enjoy the window displays throughout the month **FIND THE SECRET LMCA ITEM**, (you'll know it when you see it!) and email Erin Yachuk (erin@langleymeadows.com) the address where you found it and you will be entered to

WIN a PUMPKIN SURPRISE!!

DEADLINE:
October 30, 2020 11:59pm



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LMCA PROGRAMMING...
COMMUNITY PROGRAMS:

- **Drop in Walking Group** Oct 2nd we are starting the walking group back up Tues & Fri 9 -10 am, meet near the crosswalk in front of Langley Meadows Elementary, we request that walkers wear masks.
- **On the Table** (using zoom as our platform) 10 am... all community members are invited to join us for a chat over coffee to share ideas that will help keep our community strong, engaged and connected.

Register at <https://onthetablebc.com>



- **Nights Alive on Zoom** Fridays 6:30-7:30pm Erin & Joanne are taking our group games and activities for grades 5 thru 7 online for some safe virtual good times with friends! Starts Oct 16th watch the FB group for details.

- **Halloween Family Bingo** October 30th 6:30pm meet us on Zoom for a fun, holiday themed version of our virtual family BINGO! Meeting details and link to printable bingo cards will be found on our FB page.

• **LMCA Book Club**

Hey, Langley Meadows' reading fanatics... we are starting an online book club and are welcoming anyone who is interested. Our book for October is *A Spool of Blue Thread* by Anne Tyler. We have ten copies available to borrow... so please email joanne@langleymeadows.com if you would like to join in and we will get the book to you asap!



This year, for the first time ever, we are moving our popular craft sale on-line! Covid-19 has affected small businesses greatly and LMCA wants to support those in our community while encouraging residents to shop locally this holiday season. We are inviting Langley Meadows' Craft and Small Business Vendors to join us for our online Winter Craft Fair. If you have wares to sell and are interested in joining us, please email by Oct 16th to Erin@langleymeadows.com or Joanne@langleymeadows.com and we will send you more information. Shoppers watch our FB group for more information and links to the virtual "booths" coming soon!



LMCA Halloween Treat Contest...

Try to count the number of candies in this jar and send your best guess via email to: joanne@langleymeadows.com The person guessing closest to the correct number wins all of the spooky sweetness inside!



DEADLINE FOR ENTRY:
October 30, 2020 11:59pm



EASY CAKE MIX APPLE BREAD

A simple and delicious way to capture the flavours of fall in a quick bread, topped with just the right amount of cinnamon-sugar crunch

- Ingredients:**
- 1 box Betty Crocker™ Super Moist™ golden cake mix
 - 2 cups coarsely shredded, peeled tart apples (2 medium)
 - 1/2 cup vegetable oil
 - 3/4 cup milk
 - 3 eggs
 - 1 tbsp ground cinnamon
 - 3/4 tsp ground ginger
 - 1/4 tsp ground nutmeg
- TOPPING:**
- 2 tbsp sugar
 - 1/2 tsp ground cinnamon



- Directions:**
- Heat oven to 350°F. Grease and flour two 8x4-inch loaf pans.
 - In large bowl, beat all ingredients except apples with mixer on medium speed 2 min, scraping bowl occasionally. Stir in apples
 - Divide batter evenly between pans. In small bowl, mix topping ingredients. Sprinkle over batter in pans.
 - Bake 45-50 min or until toothpick inserted in centre comes out clean
 - Cool 10 minutes. Remove from pans to cooling rack.
 - Cool completely, about 1 hour.

- Expert Tips**
- Add more sweetness with an icing a sugar glaze. To make glaze, in small bowl, beat 1 cup icing sugar, 2 tbsp milk and 1/2 tsp vanilla until well blended. Use fork to drizzle over tops of loaves.
 - Granny Smith apples were used in this recipe -- choose your fave baking apple, such as McIntosh, or Braeburn.
 - Recipe and photo from <https://www.lifemadedelicious.ca>