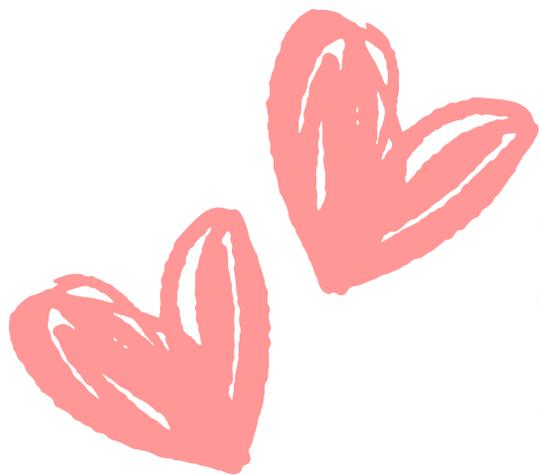


# JANET'S CORNER

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This week is all about celebrating both love and families! I can't think of a better message from EDSS and I often think of the caring work that takes place at EDSS all because of you... our families. We at EDSS, staff and volunteers, truly feel that the mission we are here to fulfill is a labour of love and our organization is an extension of your family as we support you in your journey. This weekend, please take time to connect with your family, and maybe find something special to do that will create a new memory with your loved ones.



*Janet Tryhuba*

Executive Director

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# EDSS STAFF FAMILIES

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As you celebrate Family Day with your family we would like to introduce you to ours. Many of you have met our family members when you have come to events, and here at the office but with EDSS growing we thought we would introduce you to some of our families again or for the first time.



# FAMILY DAY ACTIVITIES AROUND EDMONTON

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Family Day at the Art Gallery of Alberta

When: Monday, February 19, 2024

Time: 11:00 am – 5:00 pm (last admission is 4:00 pm)

Cost: Free

Where: Art Gallery of Alberta

Address: 2 Sir Winston Churchill Square, Edmonton

Website: [www.youraga.ca](http://www.youraga.ca)



Family Day at the Legislature

When: Monday, February 19, 2024

Time: 11:00 am – 4:00 pm

Cost: Free

Where: Legislative Assembly of Alberta

Address: 10820 – 98 Avenue, Edmonton

Website: [www.assembly.ab.ca](http://www.assembly.ab.ca)



Family Day Fireworks Celebration in Meadowlark

When: Sunday, February 18, 2024

Time: 4:00 pm – 7:30 pm

Cost: Sleigh rides and food available for purchase

Where: Jasper Place Jubilee Park

Address: 9200 160 Street NW, Edmonton

# FAMILY SERVICES

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We would like to introduce our new Speech Language Pathologist



Genevieve Roberts is a Registered Speech-Language Pathologist who is passionate about empowering children through speech, language, and literacy. Over the years she has gained valuable experience working with children in a wide variety of settings including school, home, preschool, early education/Head Start, daycare, and community settings.

# UPCOMING EVENTS & VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

It is shaping up to be a full year with a flurry of activities. We look forward to working with many of you to make our events and organization a success.

World Down Syndrome Day  
March 21



Wonder Years  
April 20

Musical Theatre Performance  
June 1

Walk For Down Syndrome  
June 9  
Event Day  
Volunteers Needed



Uniquely Me Gala  
Oct 10  
Event Day  
Volunteers Needed

Member Holiday Party  
Early Dec



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Watch for more events and volunteer opportunities!

# OFFICE INFORMATION

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## Hours

Monday - Thursday  
9:00am - 5:00pm

Fridays  
9:00am - 12:00pm



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