

April Holidays and Observances 2024

April 1 – April Fools Day

April 1 – Easter Monday

April 2 – World Autism Awareness Day

April 8th – New Moon

April 9th – Vimy Ridge Day

April 22 – Earth Day

Why is April so Special?

It's the first full month of spring, the weather is warmer and there are even a couple of holidays to celebrate such as April Fools Day and Earth Day. It's a time of revival after a cold winter season, so it's no surprise that this month is full of energy in the air — out with the old and in with the new!

April birth flowers are daisy and sweet pea. The birthstone for April is the Diamond.

Beware of CRA Phone Scams!

The CRA will not:

- Demand immediate payment by:
- Interac e-transfer
- Cryptocurrency (Bitcoin)
- Prepaid credit cards
- Gift card from retailers such as iTunes, Amazon, or others.
- ask for a fee to speak with a contact centre agent.
- use aggressive language or threaten you with arrest or sending the police.
- leave voicemails that are threatening or give personal or financial information.

Infrastructure Improvements 2023/2024

The Edgewood Internet Society is completing upgrades to the infrastructure at Goat Mountain. This also includes backup power system for emergency purposes. This project was made possible through Northern Development Initiative Trust (NDIT), Columbia Basin Trust (CBT), British Columbia Broadband Association (BCBA), BC Hydro and Telus.

Other projects in the works are:

We are looking for funding to convert one of our solar access points to electricity. This will eliminate the fluctuation in the internet feed during the fall and winter months.

The Edge is looking to upgrade our office furnishings and fittings. We have registered with Green Standard. Green Standard is a charitable organization who recycles office furniture.

<https://greenstandardsltd.com/>

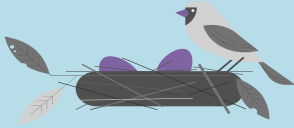
Registered charities in Canada perform valuable work in our communities, and Canadians support this work in many ways.

The Edge's Registered Charity #86745 4522 RR0001. We welcome regular givers.

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Edgewood Bird count for January 2024



Northern flicker – 3
BC chick-a-dee – 10
Red Tailed Hawk – 1
Bald Eagle – 7
Starling – 15
Dippers – 2
Common Golden Eyes – 4
Crows – 3
Canada Geese – 6
Wild Turkeys – 12
Song Sparrow – 1
Steller Jay – 3
Raven – 16
Hairy woodpecker – 1
Common Redpoll - 75

Upcoming

May 7 – New Moon
May 12 – Mother's Day
May 20 – Victoria Day
May 23 – Full Moon



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The April Birthstone Diamond.

Thank You for your continued support!

Be sure to Contact The Edge with YOUR Events to be included in our monthly Newsletter and Calendar. To view newsletters and calendars visit our website.

Website: <https://edgegateway.ca>