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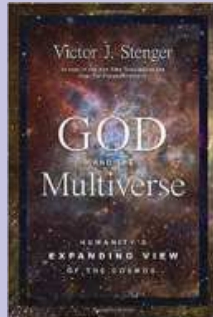
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The Society of Edmonton Atheists fosters a community among atheists, agnostics and freethinkers through discussion, constructive activism, education and philanthropy.

UPCOMING SEA EVENTS

Book Club

Second Cup
9236 - Oliver Square
11640 - 104 Ave.



GOD and the Multiverse
by Victor J. Stenger

Nov 2
7pm

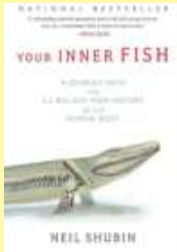
We will be discussing up to Chapter 7

Nov 16
7pm

We will be discussing Chapters 8 - 13

Nov 30
7pm

We will be discussing to the end of book



* Please Note *

The SEA Book Club will only be meeting on **December 14** during the month of December and will **resume again on January 4, 2015.**

Dec 14
7pm

We will be reviewing "Your Inner Fish" by Neil Shubin - entire book
We would like to thank those who have been coming out and enjoying our Book Club, and hope that more will participate in 2015.

Monthly Roundtable



Guest Speaker - Lara Apps

- *Atheism as Activism in the 18th Century* -

PhD Candidate History & Classics from the U of A will be coming to discuss this interesting topic with us!

Stanley Milner EPL - 7 Sir Winston Churchill Sq. - Centennial Room (basement)

Afterwards we head to Rose and Crown Pub for a more informal chat. Hope to see you there!

Nov 4
7-9pm

Sunday Brunch



Albert's Family Restaurant Bonnie Doon Mall


Everyone is welcome to join us!

Sunday morning, and everyone you know who's up at this time is going to church. Why not come eat some bacon with a bunch of atheists at Bonnie Doon Mall?

Nov 26
9am

Society of Edmonton Atheists Donate a toonie towards SEA event costs

TOONIE and a TIN

Bring a non-perishable donation 

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BLOOD DRIVE


If you are a member or friend of the SEA and have given blood lately, **Count Yourself In** at our website edmontonatheists.ca

GODLESS IS GOOD!

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Quote of the Month

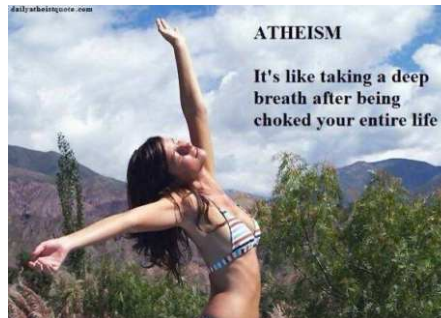


"For me, it is far better to grasp the Universe as it really is than to persist in delusion, however satisfying and reassuring."

Carl Sagan

ATHEISM

It's like taking a deep breath after being choked your entire life



SEA ETS Bus Ads


We are in the final stretch!

We are slowly getting to our goal of \$8000. So far we have raised just over \$7000 and would like to thank all of those that have generously donated toward this.

Donations can be made on our website *Membership and Merchandise* page (available for Paypal users), or at one of our functions.

Help us make this happen. The bus ads will run for a month on many ETS buses.

CREATING A COMMUNITY OF ACCEPTANCE



Happy Carl Sagan Day!


November 9 2-5pm

Come watch a few episodes of the *original Cosmos* on November 9th to celebrate Carl Sagan Day.

Karen Lumley-Kerr's house in St. Albert. PM her for details and location. See **SEA Events**.

Every kid starts out as a natural-born scientist, and then we beat it out of them. A few trickle through the system with their wonder and enthusiasm for science intact.


Carl Sagan



Please bring a small snack for sharing.

DO YOU KNOW THE BIBLE?

Follow along with the **Atheist Bible Study** group! From June 2014 - November 2015, they are reading the Bible objectively as a work of literary and historical significance, not as a sacred text. Feel free to ask questions, ponder interpretation, share information, suggest resources and links, and generally support one other as they tackle this challenging task. Read along with the weekly assigned passages, or just follow the comments and postings. It's fun and educational.




Member Submission

Hi, I'm **Kat McLeod**, long time atheist, first time submitter. This is a photo of one of my oil paintings, called "**Inner Strength**" which I felt some "out of the closet" atheists could relate to, because it takes a lot of courage to be open about our lack of belief.


When I painted this abstract, I was imagining rising up from the ashes and finding freedom. Some of my paintings and art work will be exhibited at the **Art from the Unknown** show **Nov 7-9***. This is a free event, if you come out please pop by and say, "hi" as it is always wonderful to meet fellow heathens from the area.

*Old Strathcona Centre for the Performing Arts
Cosmopolitan Music Society
located at 8426 Gateway Boulevard



Atheist Humour Comix Section

CAN YOU HEAR THEM DOWN THERE? EVERY VISITOR ASKS THE SAME QUESTION. WHY SUCH A GREAT BODY AND SUCH A LITTLE THINGIE!



SEARCH ME! ASK MICHELANGELO. AND WHILE YOU'RE AT IT, FIND OUT WHY I'M IN A WHITE BEARD AND A PINK DRESS! AND WHO ARE ALL THESE OTHER GUYS?

You first!

No No No Sir! You go first! I mean!



Lot and His Daughters



First Church
WE ACCEPT ALL DENOMINATIONS, PREFERABLY TWENTIES & FIFTIES

ed Church of Christ

In Warminster

WORSHIP 9&11 AM CHURCH SCHOOL 10 AM

TO ERR IS HUMAN
TO ARRRRR IS PIRATE

Call Out for Talent

We are looking for talented members (or non-members) that would be willing to take the time to write a short essay, story, poem, photos, or original artwork for our SEA Newsletters.

These must be **original** works created by the individual, not taken from the web or other sources.

The submissions need not be religious/atheist based, we would just like to highlight some of the talented people within our community.

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