

ANNUAL *Banff* WINTER SPORTS

NATIONAL PARK
Banff, Alberta

IN THE CANADIAN ROCKIES



QUEEN
SHIRLEY

MISS SHIRLEY HILL PARKES, "MISS CALGARY" OF CALGARY, ALBERTA

DECEMBER 26th, 1945 to MARCH 3rd, 1946 (Inclusive)

ADVANCE PROGRAM 1945-46



THIS Programme, the highlight of a wonderful Winter Season, is made possible through the generous contributions of Calgary and Banff business men and the co-operation of the Federal Government, Department of Mines and Resources.

QUEEN CONTEST

Nominations for the honour of reigning over the Canadian Rockies during 1947 are invited. Nominees, who must attend the 1946 Programme of Winter Sports, will be extended many privileges and given special attention. Judging will take place during the final week-end, March 2nd and 3rd, 1946. Points will be awarded for Sportsmanship, Personality and Winter Sports Attire. The Candidate who gains the highest number of points will be adjudged Queen of the Canadian Rockies for 1947 and will be the guest of Sunshine, Skoki and Temple Ski Lodges for six days in unrivalled ski terrain in the heart of the Canadian Rockies.

Detailed programs of week-end events will be issued each Thursday.

DECEMBER 26th, 1945

**1:15 p.m.—OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE WINTER SPORTS
SEASON IN BANFF BY THE
QUEEN OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES
SHIRLEY HILL PARKES**

**MAYOR-ELECT J. C. WATSON, CALGARY
PARK SUPT. P. J. JENNINGS, BANFF**
will welcome all visitors to the winter-long festivities.

2:15 p.m.—QUEEN'S BANQUET

Following the opening ceremony at the King Edward Hotel.
Everybody welcome. Make reservations at Hotel Desk not
later than 11:00 a.m. Tickets \$1.25.

**2:30 p.m.—JUDGING SNOW SCULPTURING ON BANFF
AVENUE.**

SKI-ING

SKATING

TOBOGGANING

SWIMMING

DANCING IN CASCADE HALL

SPECIAL SLEIGH RIDING SUPPER PARTIES

DECEMBER 29th

BRINGING IN THE NEW YEAR

SPECIAL NEW YEAR CELEBRATIONS FEATURING

Music, Community Singing, Curling Games, Outdoor Rink Skating,
Ski-ing on Mt. Norquay, Swimming in Cave and Basin and Upper Hot
Springs, Dancing in Cascade Hall.

GALA NIGHT ON TOBOGGAN SLIDE

HOCKEY MATCH

DECEMBER 30th

Special New Year's Services in All Churches

9:00 a.m.—Mass in St. Mary's Church.

11:00 a.m.—St. George's Anglican Church.

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church.

Rundle Memorial United Church.

SWIMMING IN UPPER HOT SPRINGS AND CAVE & BASIN
SKI-ING ON MT. NORQUAY
SKATING AT OUTDOOR RINK
TOBOGGANING

DECEMBER 31st

2:00 p.m.—SPECIAL SKI EVENTS ON MT. NORQUAY

8:00 p.m.—BUFFALO BARBECUE

Everyone a guest of the Queen and the Winter Sports Association

Community Singing

Novelties

Dancing in Cascade Hall

JANUARY 19th - 20th

This entire week-end will be under the direction of the

KINSMEN CLUB OF BANFF

Who will present a Special

PROGRAMME

Featuring numerous special events including
COMPETITION FOR THE DINOSAUR TROPHY

HOCKEY MATCH

OPEN DINNER PARTY

SKATING
SKI-ING
TOBOGGANING
CURLING
SWIMMING
BROOMBALL
DANCING IN CASCADE HALL

Services in all Churches Sunday, January 20th

FEBRUARY 2nd-3rd

The principal events of this week-end will be sponsored by

THE ROTARY CLUB OF BANFF

THESE WILL INCLUDE A

MIXED BONSPIEL

Service Club Competitions in

SKATING

SKI-ING

SWIMMING

and other Special Events

An Outstanding Feature Will Be

TUNNEL MT. DESCENT RACE

SLEIGH RIDING AND TOBOGGANING PARTIES
WILL BE ARRANGED.

Feb. 2.—ROTARY CLUB DINNER PARTY.

Feb. 2.—DANCING IN CASCADE HALL.

Services in All Churches Sunday, February 3rd

FEBRUARY 9th - 10th

The chief events of this week-end will be under the direction of

THE IMPERIAL ORDER DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE OF BANFF

Who will Present among other Features,

OLD HOME TOWN AMATEUR NIGHT

SURPRISE CELEBRATIONS, Etc.

HOCKEY MATCH

SKATING

SKI-ING

TOBOGGANING

SWIMMING

CURLING

DANCING IN CASCADE HALL

SLEIGHING PARTIES ARRANGED

SPECIAL SKI-JORING RACES

By Stony Indian Chiefs and Sports Princesses

Services in all Churches Sunday, February 10th

FEBRUARY 11th - 15th
38th ANNUAL BONSPIEL OF THE
BANFF CURLING CLUB
FIVE MAIN EVENTS

FEBRUARY 15th - 17th

**Feb. 15, 16—ALBERTA OUTDOOR SPEED SKATING
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Skating Races will take place during the intervals between periods of the hockey games and during Skating Frolic.

Hockey Matches

Feb. 15—MASQUERADE BALL

Feb. 16—BANFF SKATING CLUB WINTER ICE FROLIC

Exhibitions during the afternoon by outstanding Skaters assisted by 60 members of the Banff Skating Club under the direction of Mrs. James Simpson.

Feb. 17.—Ski Runners of the Canadian Rockies

MEMORIAL TROPHY

GIANT SLALOM

Presentation of Trophy at Mt. Norquay Ski Lodge by Queen Shirley.

Services in All Churches Sunday, February 17th

FEBRUARY 23rd - 24th

2:00 p.m.—CALGARY SKI CLUB RACES AND FIELD DAY

Championship Ski Jumping Competition

at Mt. Norquay

TUNNEL MT. DESCENT RACE

HOCKEY MATCH

SUPPER PARTY

at Mt. Norquay Ski Lodge

SWIMMING

CURLING

SKATING

TOBOGGANING

SLEIGH RIDING

DANCING IN CASCADE HALL

Services in All Churches Sunday, February 24th

MARCH 2nd - 3rd

GRAND FINALE

March 2-3—SKI RUNNERS OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES CHAMPIONSHIPS

Queen Shirley and the Princesses Officiating.
Special Events for Sports Princesses

March 2.—OPEN DINNER PARTY.

(Make reservations early)

March 3.—JUDGING OF CANDIDATES FOR 1947 QUEEN OF THE CANADIAN ROCKIES

SKATING
CURLING
SWIMMING
TOBOGGANING
DANCING IN CASCADE HALL

March 2.—HOCKEY MATCH.

Services in all Churches Sunday, March 3rd

Winter Sports of the Canadian Rockies

DECEMBER 26th, 1945 TO MARCH 3rd, 1946

1945-46 Queen, SHIRLEY HILL PARKES, Calgary, Alberta

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