

## Youth rise to honour Mayor

Mayor Mandel will be honoured for his work on the Rising Youth Program by over 100 members of the Somali community at an appreciation event. Youth and other community members will reflect on how this program has changed their lives and talk about Mayor Mandel's legacy.

Harry Oswin, Director of Community Services Northeast District, and Mana Ali, Rising Youth Advisory Committee Member, will be available to speak to media.

Date: Friday, September 27, 2013
Time: Ceremony will start at 6 p.m., representatives will be available to speak at 6:25 p.m.
Location: Northmount Community League, 9208 - 140 Avenue

The Rising Youth Program, part of the City of Edmonton's Youth Programs, is aimed at encouraging young people in the Somali community to make positive lifestyle choices. The program offers opportunities for youth to give back to their community, develop leadership skills, enhance their employment readiness and participate in recreational activities.

For more information visit:

www.edmonton.ca/risingyouth

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