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## UKRAINE'S PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION 2004 - UCC-APC OBSERVER PROJECT OVERVIEW

The call to the community for Observers for Ukraine's Presidential Election 2004 began as far back as November 2003. A Committee was formed and a brochure was sent out in February 2004 inviting members of our Ukrainian Community to register as potential Election Observers for the anticipated election in October 2004. A number of Alberta citizens registered with the UCC National Office and participated in the first and anticipated run-off round. There were many aspects to the efforts of the Canadian observers but the net result of the project cannot be underscored. The observers exposed much of the falsification done during the election. Moreover the evidence by the observers of wrong doing was used in the Supreme Court of Ukraine. The Court agreed with the overwhelming evidence and ordered the repeat voting of round two.



Mr. Andrew Hladyshevsky, Vice-President of the Ukrainian Canadian Congress, presents Mr. Krishan Joshee, Chairman of the Wild Rose Foundation, a glass sculpture

Following the November 21 Run-off election, the people of Ukraine gathered on mass in the streets of Ukraine in protest to the fraudulent processes in balloting and major unjust activities denying the people of Ukraine the right to choose their President democratically. The protests grew to a national uprising known as the Orange Revolution. The eyes of the world turned to Ukraine. In Canada, Ukrainians responded in like manner. In Alberta, our youth, with the support of the UCC-APC, quickly organized a rally on the steps of the Legislature on November 23 to convey to our Provincial Government and the Premier that our Ukrainian Community wanted our government to support the people's opposition to the fraudulent Presidential Election process. Following the Rally a Divine Liturgy was celebrated at St. John's Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral, praying for Ukraine's freedom in its elections. On Thursday, November 25 a 'Candlelight Rally' was held at the City Hall Square in Edmonton, followed by a Divine Liturgy at St. Josphat's Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral. On November 26, the students at Jean Vanier Catholic School organized a fundraiser in support of Democracy in Ukraine.

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UCC-APC reconstituted a Ukraine Presidential Election Observer Committee on December 4<sup>th</sup>. Catherine Chichak, Past-President of the UCC-APC was selected chair of the Committee, with co-chairs Dr. Roman Petryshyn and James Jacuta. Following a meeting with Community leaders at the Chateau Louis Hotel, the organizing committee was expanded and a series of events were organized and fundraising began to support sending election observers from Canada to Ukraine. A goal of \$100,000 was set.

Events included "A Night at Maidan", organized by local musicians at St. John's Cultural Centre on December 11. Admission was by donation, and the community responded collecting nearly \$3,000. On December 13, a "Media Launch" was held at City Hall, followed by a "Business Breakfast" and a Fundraiser Banquet on Democracy Day - December 15, at the Chateau Louis *continued on page 2...*



Pictured here are 18 of the 28 UCC-APC sponsored Election Observers at the Democracy Celebration and Community Update Meeting held on Feb. 6, 2005. For a complete list of Observers see page 6.

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Irena Karpenko

*The Board of Directors and staff of*  
**Ukrainian Canadian Congress**  
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 wish you and  
 your families  
**a Happy Easter!**

Hotel and Conference Centre. With local business support, over \$6,000 was raised at breakfast, and 200 people attended the \$250 per plate banquet that raised over \$47,000.

Approximately 200 Albertans applied to be Observers in Ukraine.



*Diane Francis, editor for the Financial Post, was our Special Guest for the Democracy Day Breakfast and Banquet*

Two training sessions were held at our office with a total attendance of some 78 potential Observers. Upon completion of determining the number of Observers that could be covered in our fundraising, we are very proud that we had 28 UCC-APC sponsored Observers who traveled to Ukraine.

Our valiant Observers and their families gave selflessly of themselves during a very special time of the year, the celebration of the birth of Christ. Their commitment to their Homeland and desire to assist in the process of freedom of choice and democracy is what makes our Nation strong. Their willingness to cover all costs without any assurance of financial recovery is commendable. We are proud of all of them.

We must acknowledge the tremendous amount of planning carried out by our UCC National Office both in Canada and the logistical arrangements in Ukraine.

On behalf of our Community in Canada we want to acknowledge and thank the Canadian Government for their commitment to the process of democracy in aid of the people of Ukraine who sacrificed their lives in opposition to fraudulent elections. The Government's three and a half million dollars supported the many Observers (of which approximately 45 were from Alberta) so crucial to witness a transparent and fair election.

**We thank and commend our Alberta Government and the Wild Rose Foundation for responding to our financial appeal to help cover costs of our Alberta Observers in their mission to Ukraine. We are grateful for the grant of \$125,000, which requires us to match from our fundraising events.**

Ukraine's Presidential Election 2004 was a historic event both for Ukraine and all Ukrainians in Canada, as well as for all freedom loving peoples. It is important for us to realize the monumental task that was accomplished in a very short few weeks. You, the community, individuals, organizations, businesses, the media, and government responded very strongly to our appeal.

**We thank all of you!**

On behalf of the Election Observers Project Committee

*Catherine Chichak, Chair*

With excerpts from a report by  
*Yarema Shulakewych, Observer*

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**We apologize if we have overlooked anyone - you are all VERY important to us!**

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**Please Note**

Calendar of Events information has been obtained from the community. We cannot take responsibility for its accuracy or completeness. We will be happy to publish your news and events. We reserve the right to edit submissions for brevity, accuracy and grammar. Our newsletter is distributed to Ukrainian organizations, donors and sponsors and community members in Alberta.

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## Спогади Романа Кучера Вибори Президента України 2004 р.

Про боротьбу українського народу за свою самостійність оповідав мені мій батько Михайло, колишній доброволець дивізії Галичина, який воював за її свободу в часі Другої світової війни. Також вчили мене про ці змагання вчителі Рідної школи і Курсів українознавства в Едмонтоні. Крім цього навчання я мав нагоду відвідати і бачити місця боїв де воював мій батько і цвинтарі, де спочивають вічним сном його товариші. Під час цих відвідин зродилося в мене бажання допомогти Україні, як на це прийде нагода. Ця нагода трапилася у грудні 2004 року, тоді мали відбутися перевибори на президента України між Віктором Ющенком, демократичним кандидатом і Віктором Януковичем, наставником президента Кучми і фаворита президента Росії Путіна.

Мені пощастило бути спостерігачем на цих виборах. Прибув до Києва, завезли мене до готелю "Спорт". По відсвіженні і короткому відпочинку я з групою 10 чоловік пішли вечеряти до ресторану "Домашня кухня". По вечері пішли на "Майдан"— Площу Незалежності, щоби побачити як і що там робиться.

Слідуючий день я був вільним і я з групою спостерегачів ходили на оглядини Києва. У наступні два дні ми збиралися у Києво-Могилянській Академії, там давали нам інструкції, що маємо робити і як поводитися у місцях нашого призначення. Я дістав призначення їхати до міста Луганськ. Їзда автобусом забрала нас 12 годин. У Луганську кожному з нас дали "cell phone" і "camcorder" і спеціальні інформації про місця до яких ми мали їхати як обсерватори. Я дістав призначення їхати до містечка Альчевськ, бути переводчиком для двох міжнародних спостерегачів—німців, які говорили трохи по російськи. Ми мали спостерігати за переведенням голосування у 85 виборчій окрузі.

У день виборів ми запримітили у кількох місцях дечого, що не було згідне з демократичними вимогами виборів. Не було вказівок — афішів, як голосувати, фотографії кандидатів не поміщені на належних місцях. В одному приміщенні "охоронці" сиділи на коробках, в які голосуючі кидали свої голоси і перешкаджали голосуючим, а як ми набирали це на відео то міліція перешкаджала нам це робити. Вони весь час слідили за нами, притримували в дорозі до місць голосування, так би мовити для перевірки документів. По зверненні їм уваги, що це незгідне демократичним правам усе було змінене згідно припису. Люди вітали нас, дякували нам за нашу участь у нагляді за переведенням виборів. Процедура числення голосів дуже повільна—ручна, кожен голос переходив з руки до руки.

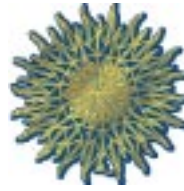
До Києва повертали з молодими хлопцями, які у веселому настрою співали українські пісні, яких до цих пір там не можна було співати. По дорозі до Києва зістрів Тараса і Максима, синів мого кузина д-ра Зеновія Кучера, та мою давню знакому з подорожей до Англії і Австрії Дарку Солодху, яка працює там перекладачем в англійській амбасаді. Ходили вечером на "Майдан", щоби послухати реприси та спів учасників "Помаранчевої революції", які зібралися там, щоби відсвяткувати перемогу В. Юценка. Як почали співати "Ще не вмерла Україна" у мене зродилося душевне піднесення, наче камінь спав з грудей і в той час сльоза потекла з очей.

## 2005 AUDA Summer Dance Camps

Looking for a fun way to spend your summer? You should consider Altanets. This summer, the Alberta Ukrainian Dance Association (AUDA) has prepared 5 workshops designed to meet the needs of dancers of all ages and abilities. These sessions are guaranteed to be informative, interesting, and jam-packed with dancing. For info...

Tel: (780) 422-9700 Email: [info@abuda.ca](mailto:info@abuda.ca) [www.abuda.ca](http://www.abuda.ca)

## Ukrainian Online Encyclopedia



The Encyclopedia of Ukraine can now be found on the Internet at

[www.encyclopediaofukraine.com](http://www.encyclopediaofukraine.com)

hosted by the Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies. Once completed, the Internet Encyclopedia of Ukraine (IEU) will be the most comprehensive source of information in English on Ukraine, its history, people, geography, society, economy, and cultural heritage. At present, less than eight percent of the contents of the five-volume Encyclopedia of Ukraine is displayed on the site. Enjoy your journey to discover Ukraine and its heritage!



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Our students achieve academic excellence in all subject areas!</li> <li>• Our students develop multilingual language skills in English, Ukrainian and French!</li> <li>• Our students explore the richness of Ukrainian culture!</li> <li>• Our students will be positioned for success in the global community of the 21st century!</li> </ul> <p><b>REGISTER NOW!</b></p> <p>The Ukrainian International Bilingual Program is open to all students. No previous knowledge of Ukrainian is required for kindergarten or grade 1 entry.</p>	<p><b>April 6/7</b> Holyrood School (K-6) 7920 - 94 Avenue 466-2292</p>
	<p><b>April 14</b> Delwood School (K-6) 7315 Delwood Road 476-3969</p>
	<p><b>March 17</b> M. E. Lazerte High School (10-12) 6804 - 144 Avenue 408-9800</p>
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1st Round Oct. 31, 2004	2nd Round Nov. 21, 2004
Bell, Luba Bell, Michael Feduschak, Luba Golinowski, Jason Humeniuk, Nick Jacuta, James Moskal, George Tywoniuk, Nick Vorotilenko, Ivan Wasarab-Rolland, Darcia	Goldring, Peter MP Golinowski, Jason Jacuta, James Moskal, George Tywoniuk, Nick Vorotilenko, Ivan Viksich, Ruslan
3rd Round, Sponsored by UCC-APC Dec. 26, 2004	
Aronetz, Ksenia Bell, Luba Bell, Michael W. Bell, Michael Bossak, Jaroslav Dejneka, Gene Eshenko, John Fialka-Eshenko, Christine Grytsiv, Peter Gulka, Darcy Hantzsch, Michael Horich, Bohdan Kozicki, Mike Kucher, Roman	Masiuk, Oriana Nedashkivska, Alla Nykyforuk, Andrij Petryshyn, Walter Roman Petryshyn, Demian Puszkar, Barbara Semotiuk, Mark Shulakewych, Illarion Shulakewych, Yarema Swiatylo, George P Viksich, Ruslan Wasarab-Rolland, Darcia Yereniuk, Emil Zakordonski, Natasha

### Upcoming BINGOS

Tues, April 5, Matinee  
Mon, April 25, Evening  
Fri, May 27, Matinee  
Wed, June 15, Matinee

### BINGO VOLUNTEERS

Beauchamp, Gerry	Moskal, Yuri
Beauchamp, Vicky	Mykyte, Art
Broda, Dave	Mykyte, Maureen
Brodniansky, Lucy	Paziuk, Rose
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Dziedzic, Peter	Rudiak, Fred
Fasek, Elmer	Rudko, Dan
Gray, Sylvia	Ruzycki, Olga
Grykuliak, Helen	Sereditch, Nick
Hohol, Harry	Sirman, Helen
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Kowal, Steve	Yewchuk, Eileen
Makowsky, Mitch	Zuzak, Will

## H E T M A N

### VOLUNTEER RECOGNITION AWARDS

Нагорода Гетьмана була започаткована КУК-ПРА у 1998, щоб відзначити добровольців Альберти за значний вклад у розвиток української громади. Щорічні нагороди вручаються у трьох категоріях: молодь, дорослі, і старші.



The **Hetman Volunteer Award** was established by the Ukrainian Canadian Congress-Alberta Provincial Council (UCC-APC) in 1998 to recognize outstanding Alberta volunteer leaders who have made a significant contribution to the Ukrainian Canadian community. The awards are presented annually in three categories: youth, adult, and senior.

*Nominations for Hetman Awards 2005 are now being accepted. Nomination forms are available on our website at [www.uccab.ca](http://www.uccab.ca) or through the UCC-APC office.*

**Submission Deadline: June 15, 2005**

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Korpan, Eugene .....	50.00
Kuc, Luba & Chester .....	25.00
Kucher, Michael .....	25.00

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Ukrainian Orthodox Cathedral of St. John .....	250.00
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Werenka, Bill & Cheryl .....	100.00
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Zazula, Olga .....	20.00

**Correction from last Newsletter**

Alberta Ukrainian Commemorative Society .. 2,000.00



**UKRAINIAN DAY**

Sunday, August 14, 2005

at the

**Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village**

**CONCERT**

Enjoy a variety of traditional entertainment including colorful Ukrainian dancing, vocalists, musicians, choirs and more! World-renowned Ukrainian Dance band from Toronto

**RON CAHUTE & BURYA**

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**"A TASTE OF UKRAINE" FOOD FAIR**

Join us for the 4rd annual "Taste of Ukraine" featuring *pyrohy, pyrishky, kovbasa, borshch & more*, hosted by the Friends of the Ukrainian Village Society.

**UKRAINIAN COMMUNITY SHOWCASE**

Includes cultural exhibits & displays

**CENTENARY PIONEER RECOGNITION**

A salute to centenary pioneers of east central Alberta in honor of the dedication, spirit and accomplishments of their ancestors in the shaping and settlement of East Central Alberta 100 years ago.

**CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES**

Includes games, crafts, free face painting, & the Thistle Hill Petting Zoo.

Everyone is welcome to attend Divine Liturgy Services at 10 am, and the Legion Memorial Service at 12:30 pm

Site Hours: 10 am – 6 pm  
 Divine Liturgies: 10:00 am  
 Taste of Ukraine: 11 am – 5 pm  
 Legion Memorial: 12:30 pm  
 Concert & Awards: 1pm – 5 pm

Location: only 25 minutes east of Edmonton along Hwy. 16

Phone: (780) 662-3640

Website: [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

Admission: Admission charged.

(For free admission, show your current Village Friends Society membership or Great Alberta Pass)

**Wear A Ukrainian Shirt or Costume**  
**Bring a lawn chair**



**OFFICE LOCATION DONOR RECOGNITION**

<b>PATRON</b>	<b>\$10,000 and over</b>
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Julian Nahnybida, on behalf of the Ukrainian Canadian Benevolent Society of Edmonton presented UCC-APC Executive Director Ludmila Sereditch with a cheque for \$5,000 towards the UCC-APC Office Building Fund. We thank you for your support!



Due to the urgency of the Election Observer Project, General Donors and Donors towards the Building Fund will receive income tax receipts for 2005. We sincerely thank all donors and apologize for any inconvenience.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

## 2005

*Sun Apr. 10, 2:30 pm, **Prominent Ukrainian Women of Edmonton (1905-2005)*** presented by the Committee of Ukrainian Women's Organizations (UCWLC, LUCW, UWA, UWO) commemorating Alberta's 100th anniversary; tea, displays, programme honouring our pioneers and Ukrainian Women of Edmonton, at the Ukrainian Youth Unity Complex, 9615 - 153 Ave, Edmonton, (780) 469-4890.

*Thurs Apr. 14, 7:00 pm, **Kindergarten Open House*** hosted at St. Martin Ukrainian Bilingual School. Presentation on program curriculum and extra-curricular activities. Boyan Yarovenko, (780) 434-4848. [www.stmartin.ecsd.net](http://www.stmartin.ecsd.net)

*Sat Apr. 23, 7:00 pm, **The Dance is Everything***, presented by the Tryzub Ukrainian Dance Ensemble. Tickets available through Ticketmaster or through contacting Tryzub, (403) 720-4839. [www.tryzub.ab.ca](http://www.tryzub.ab.ca)

*Thurs May 5 - Sun May 8, **Annual Festival of Ukrainian Dance in Yorkton*** hosted by Yorkton Kalyna Ukrainian Dance School, Saskatchewan, (780) 662-3640, [www.yorktonkalyna.com](http://www.yorktonkalyna.com)

*Tues May 10, 5:00 pm, **Registration Deadline for Osvita*** Ukrainian Language and Cultural Program and Travel to Ukraine, (780) 439-2320. [www.stjohnsinstitute.com](http://www.stjohnsinstitute.com)

*Thurs May 12, 5:30 pm - 9:30 pm, **Kyiv Konnection 2005***- 12th Annual banquet sponsored by the Ukrainian Foundation for College Education at the St. Basil's Cultural Centre, 10819 - 71 Ave, Edmonton; guest speaker- Peter Shostak; tickets are \$75 each, Alice Chumer at (780) 497-4374, or Bill Dymianiwiw at (780) 434-1219.

*Sun May 15, **Zorianka Dancers Year End Show***. Instructed by Volodiya Makarov, Vaganova Ballet Master and Kiev Virsky Dancer. Tickets: contact Gerald (780) 478-6580.

*Sun May 22, **AUUC Edmonton*** Celebrates Alberta's 100th at Festival Place Sherwood Park, Edmonton, (780) 424-2037.

*Mon May 23, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm, **Celebration of Spring*** at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village. A Ukrainian Dance Extravaganza! Premier dance groups and local dance schools offer traditional Ukrainian dancing throughout the day. Take in the sights and celebrations as our historic settlers prepare the fields and welcome the new spring season. Children's activities, exhibits and entertainment! (780) 662-3640, [www.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Fri June 3, 7:30 pm, **Cafe Ivasiuk*** presented by the Ukrainian Music Society of Alberta. Music of Ivasiuk, Bezkorovayny, Vesylowsky, and other pop composers. Ukrainian Youth Unity Complex, 9615 - 153 Ave, Edmonton, (780) 469-4890.

*Sat June 4, **Hopak in the Park*** presented by the Alberta Ukrainian Dance Association, (780) 422-9200, [www.abuda.ca](http://www.abuda.ca)

*Sun July 10, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm, **Centennial Pioneer Day*** at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Villaga, (780) 662-3640 [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Sat July 23 - Sun July 24, 11:00 am & 2:00 pm, **Doors Open*** - Behind the Scenes Tours of the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village. Come on a special tours and learn first-hand the important role our collections and conservation staff play in preserving Alberta's history. Please register in advance. [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Sun July 31, 11:00 am & 2:00 pm, **Historic Garden Tours*** at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village. Discover planting secrets of the day, a little bit of folklore, and have a visit with a settler or two. Who knows what seeds you'll discover? Please register in advance for this popular tour. (780) 662-3640, [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Sun Aug. 14, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm, **Ukrainian Day*** at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village is co-hosted by the Ukrainian Canadian Con-

gress - Alberta Provincial Council, (780) 414-1624, [www.uccab.ca](http://www.uccab.ca), (780) 662-3640, [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Wed Aug. 24 - Sun Aug. 28, **54th National CYC Convention*** hosted by CYC National in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

*Sun Aug. 28, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm, **Friends' Ukrainian Music Fest*** at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village. A spectacular showcase of Alberta's finest Ukrainian folk musicians! (780) 662-3640, [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Sun Sept. 18, 10:00 am - 6:00 pm, **Harvest of the Past & Heritage Food Festival*** at the Ukrainian Cultural Heritage Village. (780) 662-3640, [www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv](http://www.cd.gov.ab.ca/uchv)

*Fri Oct. 14 - Sat Oct. 15, **SUS Provincial Annual Fall Zyizd***. Alberta CYC, including TYC, UWAC, and CYMK will hold its annual meeting at St. Michael's Parish Auditorium, 12104 - 129 Ave, Edmonton.

*Sat Oct. 15, 6:00 pm, **SUS Alberta Provincial Executive Banquet***. Banquet to mark the anniversary of the establishment of SUS Alberta. To be held in conjunction with the Alberta SUS Annual Fall Meeting at St. Michael's Auditorium, 12104 - 129 Ave, Edmonton.

*October, 5th Annual **Hetman Awards Banquet*** organized by Ukrainian Canadian Congress - Alberta Provincial Council, (780) 414-1624.

*Submissions edited for length*

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**Thursday, May 12, 2005**  
**is the**

**12th Annual**  
**Kyiv Konnection Banquet**

St. Basil's Cultural Centre  
10819 - 71 Avenue  
Cocktails: 5:30 pm  
Dinner: 6:30 pm  
Tickets: \$75 per person  
Tax receipts available

**PROGRAM featuring:**

- Guest Speaker Peter Shostak
- Entertainment
- Auctioning of an original Shostak painting

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