## **Caroline MacKenzie - Director of Facility Operations**



Caroline was born and raised in Bowness and had it instilled upon her at a young age that this is an exceptional community filled with exceptional people. She fell in love with the small town feeling in the middle of the big city and the idea that neighbours actually cared about each other. Her community involvement started early as she never shied away from an opportunity. She would volunteer to run the time clock at the arena for tournaments, face paint the younger kids at BCA events, take tickets at the Christmas dinner, or any other opportunity that her age wouldn't stop her from. Eventually, in high school her and a couple friends decided to take it to the next level and create the not-for-profit organization 'Teens Uniting Bowness'. Their little organization worked together primarily with the Boys and Girls club to host an annual battle of the bands competition and a few other smaller scale events. Fast forward 15 years and Caroline has settled into the community once again after a brief hiatus in Chestermere, with her young family in tow, ready to show them why Bowness is where they need to be.

She is excited to utilize her marketing and financial background and is committed to re-establishing the Bowness Lions and Scout hall as a community asset and a place for all Bownesians to gather once again.

"This hall was made by Bownesians, was paid for by Bownesians, and is operated by Bownesians. So stay tuned for new exciting events that will bring families and this amazing community together to make lasting memories, much like the memories we carry in our hearts from the original Scout Hall."