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March 5, 2025

MAYERTHORPE RCMP INVESTIGATE **BREAK AND ENTER TO LAC STE.** ANNE COUNTY FIRE HALL

RCMP

On Feb. 17, 2025, Mayerthorpe RCMP responded to a report of a break and enter which had occurred at the Lac

Submitted by Mayerthorpe Ste. Anne Fire Hall in Sangudo. Firefighters arrived to the Hall in response to an unrelated call to service, and when they entered the building they immediately saw evidence that a break in and theft had oc-

curred.

Through the course of the investigation, it was learned that the Lac Ste. Anne Fire Hall had been broken into sometime between approximately

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WORLD DAY OF PRAYER 2025

Submitted by Zion United Church

On Friday, March 7th at 2:00 PM all community members are invited to join friends and family for an inter-denominational World Day of Prayer service at Zion United Church. A committee of Christian women of Cook Islands have prepared the service this year. The service includes a video led by women across Canada and a

time of fellowship with a light lunch. Join with us as we pray together and reflect on the theme 'I made you wonderful' based on Psalm 139: 1-18.

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UPCOMING 2025 FEDERAL ELECTION

Submitted by MP Gerald Soroka

Dear Friends and Neighbours.

As the next federal election approaches, I want to take a moment to share some personal news with you. Following the Conservative nomination process this past summer, I was not selected to represent the Yellowhead riding once again. As a result, I will not be

running in the upcoming federal election for Yellowhead. While this means my time as your Member of Parliament will soon come to an end, I remain deeply grateful





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March 25, 2025	At this year's Annual General Meeting, four director nominees are seeking election	chainsaws, mechanical tools, all of the hand too			
6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	for five vacant positions to EQUS' Board of Directors. In accordance with EQUS' bulleurs and the election of directory these	the work benches, lapto a drone.			
Heritage Park, 5100 41 Avenue, Stony Plain, AB, Spruce Grove Room	by-laws and the election of directors, these four director nominees will be acclaimed by motion at the 2025 Annual General Meeting.	The investigation is c and RCMP request the assistance with checkir			
Other dates and locations at: equs.ca/agm	Call: 310 EQUS (3787) Website: equs.ca/agm Email: events@equs.ca	cameras around the an anything suspicious.			
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OKE of the week

Walking down the street, a man hears a voice: "Stop! If you take one more step, a brick will fall down and kill you." The man stopped; a big brick fell in front of him. The astonished man continued walking to the cross walk. The voice shouted, "Stop! If you take one more step, a car will run over you and you will die." The man stood still; a car came careening around the corner, barely missing him. "Where are you?" the man asked. "Who are you?" "I am your guardian angel," the voice answered, "Oh yeah?" the man asked, "Where the hell were you when I got married last week?"

from Station 4. One of which was a set of tools commonly referred to as the Jaws of Life. This discovery occurred upon our members response to the station for a motor vehicle collision in the early hours of

livery is not interrupted," said Fire Chief Randy Schroeder. The Fire Hall is still tallying items that were stolen, but some of these include: the jaws of life, hydraulic pump hoses, forestry power saws, ventilation power saws, a generator,

with tools from other stations,

along with response adjust-

ments will assure service de-

various tools meant for forcible entry into vehicles and houses, a medical trauma kit, chainsaws, mechanical hand tools, all of the hand tools from the work benches, laptops, and a drone.

The investigation is ongoing and RCMP request the publics assistance with checking their cameras around the area for anything suspicious.

Celebrates Purim Jewish or Christion / Young or Old Welcome Evening of March 13 7-9pm **Onoway Heritage Center** Limited Seating Book Now Call: 780-995-2013



March 5, 2025 World Day Of Prayer 2025

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World Day of Prayer (WDP) is an international, ecumenical movement which enables us to hear the thoughts of women from all parts of the world: their hopes, concerns and prayers. The Day of Prayer is celebrated in over 120 countries. Offerings received through the WDP transform our prayers into action in the form of project grants empowering women and children in Canada and throughout the world. In Canada, the WDP is coordinated by the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada, one of the original founders of this prayer movement.

This year's service is hosted by members of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Wabamun and Zion United Church, Alberta Beach. We are meeting at Zion United Church, southwest of Alberta Beach in Paradise Estates, lot #15 on Township Road 542 between Range Road 35 and 40. For information call Betty at 780-902-1850.

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for the incredible privilege of serving you over the past fiveplus years.

Since 2019, my goal has always been to ensure the voices of Yellowhead were heard loud and clear in Ottawa. Whether advocating for our farmers, protecting the energy sector that powers our economy, pushing for a low-tax, highgrowth economy, or standing up for rural communities, I have taken on this role knowing how vital it is to represent the values and concerns of the people who call this incredible region home.

Public service has been a defining part of my life for decades, first as a Councillor, then as Mayor, and most recently as you Member of Parliament. Every step of the way, I have been inspired by our resilience, kindness, and determination. Together, we have faced challenges and celebrated successes, and I am incredibly proud of what we have accomplished. To each of you who shared your stories, voiced your concerns, or simply offered a kind word along word along the way – thank you. You have not only guided my work but have reminded me why this community is so special. Representing you in Parliament and fighting for what matters most to our families, businesses, and future generations has the greatest honour of my life.

I also want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to my partner, Susan, and my family for their unwavering support and sacrifices. They have stood b me, offered advice, attended events, and have been my greatest supporters. Their encouragement has meant the world to me, and I cannot thank them enough.

A special thank you as well to my office teams, both in the Riding and Ottawa, for their incredible dedication. Jeannette and Annette, who have been with me from the very beginning, and Bonnie and

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Aidan, who have continued to support me in my work your efforts in assisting constituents, managing schedules,

and ensuring effective communication have been invaluable. I am truly grateful to have worked with such an outstanding team.

MP after the next election, it has been an incredible experience for me. Representing the riding, has been an extraordinary honour and privilege. Although I will not be your Along the way, I have built

lasting friendships and formed meaningful relationships that I will always treasure. With sincere gratitude.

CULTURE & EVENTS CENTRE CONSTRUCTION IS ON SCHEDULE & ON BUDGET

Submitted by Town of Whitecourt

Construction on the Cul-

ture & Events Centre continues. The project is on



time and within budget, and is expected to be complete by the fall of 2026.

The building's steel construction is 85% complete. and the exterior wall framing is scheduled to start in April 2026.

Construction on the Culture & Events Centre started in the summer of 2024. The facility will be a landmark for the community, and will include three components:

· Arts, Culture and Convention Centre - A venue designed to host a variety of concerts, trade shows, festivals, events, conventions, and celebrations.

• Library - The new library will provide increased floor area and space to better serve the region. It will provide a safe and accessible place for the community to learn and gather, and increase operating efficiency.

 Town Administration Office - The new office space will enhance customer service and accessibility, and provide an administrative facility that can grow with the community.

Sponsorship opportunities for the Culture & Events Centre are in the process of being finalized, along with sales packages for the listings of the current Town Office and Library buildings.

March 5, 2025 CommunityVOICE Page 5 KITCHEN TABLE DIPLOMACY IS UNIVERSAL

Submitted by MLA Shane Geston

It's funny the things you learn growing up from your elders if you pay attention. I have my Grandma to thank for a number of the things that I learned over the years, her passive teachings have paid off a number of times. Mentors at work, gents that took me under their wing to teach me what I was willing to learn, and quite honestly, many friends and neighbors who invited you into their house to the kitchen table for a coffee.

It sounds simple right? Too easy, take the time to sit down and talk to someone about what is going on in their world, get an idea who they are, where they are coming from, and to take the time to let them get a read on you as well. Then, maybe, going forward, when something doesn't quite go as planned, or in case they hear from someone else, something about you, or what they said you said, it may be taken with a sober second thought. If you have built up a personal connection, they may just give you a shout on the phone or invite you to pop on over or to meet up to discuss "Something I heard, and I want to hear it from you directly". If you have taken the time, and the risk of sharing with that other person something genuine of yourself, it goes a long way, in making sure you get a friendly wave, and not the Trudeau salute when you are passing each other on the road. Moreover, that person in all likelihood will come to your defense, and your character in their circles, or it will help influence their decision-making process on how things may impact you.

Good friends, neighbors,

and business partners may be hard to come by, and if you are lucky enough to have them, you had better make sure you put in the time to keep them. Relationships are a 2-way street, it's about give and take, and also knowing that anyone can have a "Bad Hair Day", and knowing when the other party is potentially taking advantage of your good nature and needs to be checked here and there as well. That's a healthy respectful relationship, and when you have a few thoroughbreds in the relationship, a few stall doors can get kicked as well. However, when those friends, partners, and thoroughbreds are pulling together as a team, well, that is a thing of beauty.

The USA and Canada have had an amazing relationship over the years when you look at it, so good in fact from day one, when they were working out the terms and conditions with the British when the War of Independence was ending, good old Ben Franklin himself asked for Canada to be part of the USA. That item, as we know didn't get across the table, but many of the items that he and his colleagues had asked for who were doing the negotiating with the British did. They received most of their northeastern states from what was considered "Canada" at that time.

I have been on the road lots over the last few months leading up to and after President Trump's inauguration, of which, I was very honored to have been invited personally by Senator Roger Victory from Michigan. The Senator only had a couple of passes he could give out; it was an MLA (MPP) from Ontario and myself who got the call. He called in his Canadian

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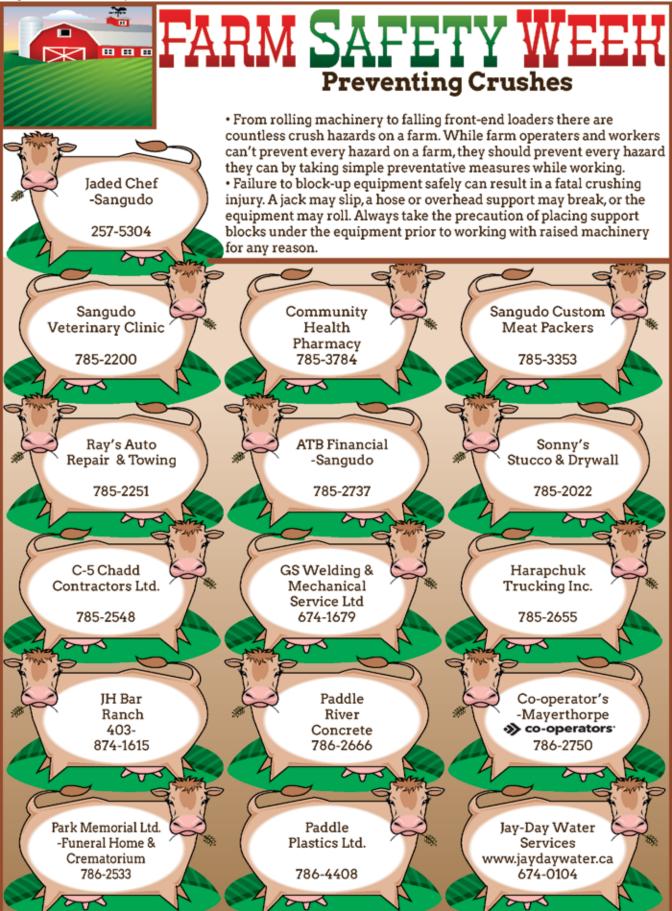
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friends to be part of a very, very important American event. As it turned out the weather went sour, and as fate would have it, the Canadian Embassy opened its doors to welcome our American friends in out of the cold, so we in turn got to play host to the Senator, that invited us and so many others.

I had many "Kitchen Table" conversations that day, and over the several days that I was there meeting with folks, literally from all around the world, but for obvious reasons a strong focus on our American friends. The best part about that type of conversation, is that it's real. I had a chance to be at the table with our Premier for a few round tables, and I can tell you full well, it was because of her grounded style of diplomacy, that she was received so well, and that the communication lines have been kept open.

There are a number of subsequent conversations, text messages, and impromptu meetings I had when the tariff concerns were looming that I can't give details on, but it was because of the last several years of developing these relationships that we are still working without a big tariff war. The ask was simple, fix your border issues, and spend what you said you were going to on your military, show us, don't just say you are going to do it...because that tune does not play any longer.

The "Other" political leaders that were talking about our friends, rather than to them, quite honestly they were putting us on a path that we could not afford to travel. Funny how a number of the "Talk Tough" crowd were also going to use us to be their negotiating stick, throw us under the bus to save the team while kicking our friend, rather than addressing the concern of borders and military. Thank goodness they changed their tune, and went down to DC as a group, with our Premier to share a few cups of coffee.

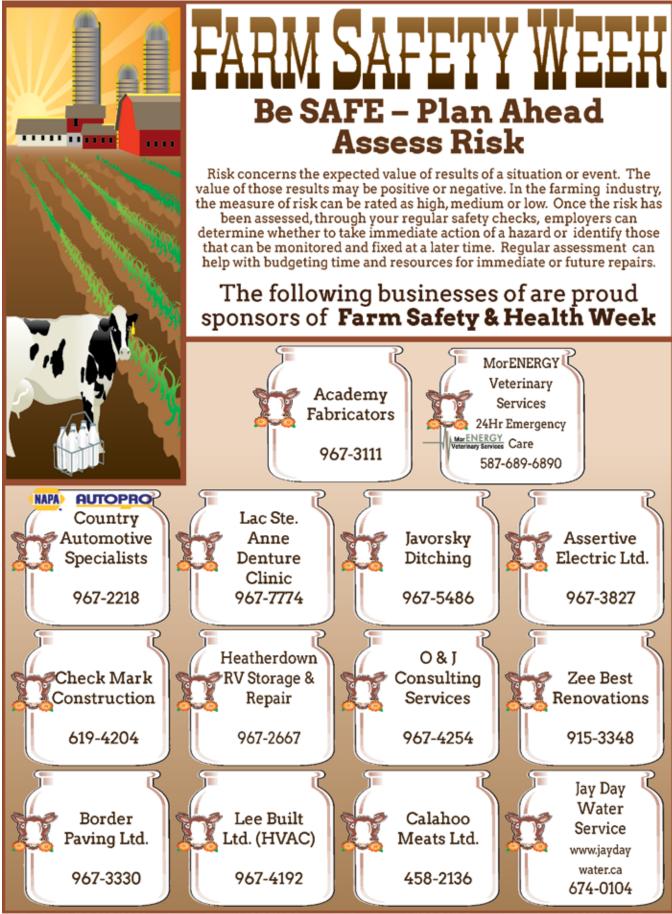
I have so many updates to share with you, I'm terribly sorry I have not been able to get out an article in a while, I can honestly say this is about the tenth one I have started to write, but this is the first one I've been able to complete. Things on the USA / Alberta file have been moving fast, and our other international files are picking up steam as well, due to the "Awakening" of a need to build infrastructure in Canada again, and to get our products to alternate markets. Coincidentally, this is the model I've been pitching for a number of years, and now, we are starting to gain traction. In future articles I'll let you know about India, the Arctic, Northern Europe and the Balkans. Further I'll bring it back into perspective on how that is a benefit to all of us back here in God's Country. I look forward to having a town hall, or heck, just even a coffee with you at one of our local coffee shops, or who knows, perhaps at a kitchen table, to find out, what matters to you.





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MEETINGS & HEARINGS LSAC.ca/meetings

Meetings and public hearings are held at the County Administration Office near Sangudo; are open to the public and available remotely. Explore the County's online calendar for agendas, minutes, and meeting details.

MPC Meeting

Wednesday, March 5, 2025 at 9:30 am

County Council Meeting

Thursday, March 13, 2025 at 9:30 am

ROAD BANS COMING SOON

CountyRoads.ca

A friendly reminder that spring thaw is just around the corner! Each year, the County implements road bans by placing weight restrictions on all roadways. These bans are weatherdependent but are typically enacted between mid-to-late March and lifted between mid-May and early June.

Road bans help protect our infrastructure by minimizing damage caused by heavy traffic during the thawing period. As frost leaves the ground, roadways retain higher moisture levels, reducing their load-bearing capacity. When heavy vehicles travel on weakened roads, costly repairs—funded by taxpayer dollars—become necessary. By enforcing weight restrictions, we help reduce both the financial and time burden of these repairs.

If you have significant hauling to complete, now is the time to do so before road bans take effect.

As we move into spring, the County wishes our farming community a safe and prosperous season!

DOES THE COUNTY HAVE YOUR MAILING ADDRESS? LSAC.ca/address

We send important mail to ratepayers throughout the year. Sometimes this correspondence goes astray due to an incorrect or out-of-date mailing address on file.

Those living in rural areas can have two addresses: a mailing address and a municipal address. Your municipal address is the blue sign at the end of the driveway. While a municipal address helps emergency responders or courier services find your property, it is not a valid mailing address.

Not receiving County notices by mail? Better call 780.785.3411 or email LSAC@LSAC.ca to ensure the County has your correct mailing address on file.

DISCRETIONARY DEVELOPMENT PERMITS

LSAC.ca/permits

The development permits below have been conditionally approved under the provisions of the Land Use Bylaw. This list does not include permitted uses. Please contact County Planning & Development to request additional information on permits listed.

Those who claim to be affected and wish to lodge an appeal against a discretionary development permit must do so in writing to the applicable appeal body prior to the deadline listed.

Anyone who claims to be affected and who wishes to lodge an appeal against any of these developments must do so in writing on the applicable form on or before 4:30 pm on the noted date(s) to the appropriate appeal body.

Subdivision & Development Appeal Board (SDAB)

Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board Box 219, Sangudo, AB TOE 2A0 Email: appeals@LSAC.ca

24-D0011

Lot 1, Block 1, Plan 0925073 SW 10-55-02 W5M; 55101 RGE RD 23 Detached Garage, Main 80.0' x 42.0' (3360.0 sq. ft.) 18.0' Walls, with garage height variance regulation: 19.7 ft requested: 24.5 ft variance: 4.8 ft.

Appeal to SDAB by March 17, 2025

The 2025 co-ed softball season hits the field April 28, and registration is now open for local communities! Stay tuned for more details, or visit **LSAC.ca/softball** for updates and registration info.

Stay in the know on the upcoming Municipal Election! Visit LSAC.ca/election for all the details!

Discover more online! Visit LSAC.ca for the latest County news, events, and resources. LAC STE. ANNE COUNTY



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Lac Ste. Anne County 56521 Range Road 65, Sangudo Tel. 780 785 3411 Toll-free 1 866 880 5722 Email LSAC@LSAC.ca

LAC STE. ANNE COUNTY FCSS IS OFFERING THE COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX PROGRAM

The Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP) is a partnership between the Canada Revenue Agency and community organizations which arrange for volunteers to prepare income tax and benefit returns for eligible individuals.

Volunteers are ready to assist you in preparing your 2024 Income Tax Returns between February 28 and April 15.

Qualification Guidelines for this FREE service are:

Family Size

Total Family Income

- 1 Person
 2 Persons
- \$35,000 \$45,000
- ns \$47,500
- 3 Persons \$47,50
- 4 Persons \$50,000
- 5 Persons \$52,500

More than 5 persons \$52,500 plus \$2,500 for each additional person

Returns cannot be completed by our Volunteers if any of these situations apply:

are self-employed or have employment expenses

have business income and expenses (unless income is in box 048 on a T4A slip and less than

- \$1,000 with no related expenses)
- have rental income and expenses
- have interest income over \$1,000
 - have capital gains or losses
 - have foreign property (T1135)
 - filed for bankruptcy
- are completing a tax return for a deceased person
 - are foreign workers

We require the following information in order to complete your return:

Personal information (address, birthdate, Social Insurance Number, marital status)

Dependents' information (spouse/children's names, birth dates)

All "T" slips (T4, T4A, OAS, etc)

All forms, schedules and labels you have received from Revenue Canada

Receipts for any expenses, such as medical, moving, tuition, sporting activities, etc.

Previous year's tax return, if available

To book an appointment or for more information, please contact:

Taryn Monteith, Community Services Coordinator 780.785.3411 or 1.866.880.5722





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Submitted by Town of White-court

Whitecourt will be applying to the Province for a Ministerial Order to continue the Whitecourt Protective Services Committee. Changes made by the Government of Alberta to the Police Act have mandated mechanisms for municipal input into policing. The Whitecourt Protective Services Committee, which includes Town of Whitecourt, Woodlands County and Public Members, has been established for several years and meets the intent of the Provincial changes.

The Community Services Department presented its 2024 annual report to Council at the February 24 Council meeting. A complete copy of the report is available online.

• There were over 197,622 scanned visits at the Allan & Jean Millar Centre in 2024.

• 2,099 participants registered in swimming lessons and aquatic courses in 2024.

• Whitecourt Transit provided service to 33,644 passengers in 2024.

• The Whitecourt Food Bank served 2,626 people with regular food bank fi lls in 2024.

• The Dial-A-Bus Program provided transportation to over 3,493 passengers in 2024.

Whitecourt has secured \$2,364,587 in funding through the rural Transit Solutions Fund for the replacement of the Dial-A-Bus, purchase of one transit bus, addition/replacement of bus stops and shelters, replacement of traffic signals, and replacement of sidewalks/ pathways leading to stops. The Canada Public Transit Fund also awarded Whitecourt with \$697,030 in funding for transit capital projects which will be provided in annual allocations for the next 10 years. The funding for both programs will assist with capital costs related to offering Transit service in Whitecourt.

Council was provided an update on the Culture & Events Centre. The project is on schedule and on budget. A press release was distributed on February 25, 2025 with further details and is available to view on our website.

Whitecourt Town Council has passed a Land Use Bylaw amendment that has changed the zoning of land in the hilltop residential area from "Municipal Reserve" to "Future Urban Development". The land, located within the Southland Estates Area Structure Plan, was held as Urban Reserve for school development; however, local school divisions indicated recently that they do not require this land. The zoning change will allow a developer the opportunity to purchase the land and propose a designation they feel is compatible with the built-our area in accordance with the Area Structure Plan.

Land Use Bylaw 1577-4 has been adopted. The amendment has changed the definitions for "Professional Office Services" and "Health Services", and "Health Services" are now permitted in Hilltop Commercial and Urban Services districts.

Council has scheduled a Special Meeting for April 2, 2025 at 4pm to discuss the 2025 Budget.

Street closures have been approved for the Whitecourt & District Chamber of Commerce's Annual Carnival. The Carnival is scheduled for May 2-4, 2025 in downtown Whitecourt.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

Submitted by The Road to Home Program

The Road to Home program is seeking volunteer drivers to transport cancer patients to their appointments in Edmonton and Barrhead. What is required:

Provide a Clear Drivers Abstract Provide a RCMP Criminal Record Check

Provide Proof of Vehicle Insurance Signed AHS Confidentiality Agreement Reimbursements: Volunteers

Reimbursements: Volunteers will be reimbursed for parking, meal per diem if required. Drivers will be paid .59/km starting and returning from their home. For more information please contact Road to Home Trip Coordinator Violet Schriever, 780-282-0152

Upcoming Spring Farm & Real Estate Auction Sales

Schut Farms (Real Estate) - Saddle Hill County/Bonanza March 28th to April 1st

> Dale & Donna Gartner - Usona Area March 28th to April 2nd

Kelvin & Debbie Riley - Rimbey April 18th to 21st

Neat Stuff Antiques - Drumheller April 25th to 28th

JC Drilling, Welding & Fabrication - Lacombe May 1st to 5th

> Harold & Alice Stumpf - Eckville May 2nd to 6th

Realignment Auction - Camrose May 9th to 12th

Larry & Leanne Walton - Real Estate & Farm - Tees May 9th to 13th

Estate of Denis Mercier & Laureen Morek - Round Hill May 9th to 13th

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Estate of Lewis Andrew - Fort Saskatchewan June 6th to 9th

> Estate of Ernie Glasel - Buck Lake July 11th to 15th







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Delivery 780-951-1076

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Collectables

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If you are a LICENSED, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, you are welcome to submit your announcement FREE of charge, space permitting. You are required to submit your non-profit number. Call (780) 962-9228. Please note that all submitted event listings must be limited to 25 words or less (including spaces). DEADLINE: 12 noon Friday prior to publication (Thursdays on long weekends).

Crib Tornament March 15/25, Doors open at 10am, Games begins at 11am. 12 games, 50/50 draw, Nevade Tickets Available. Lunch Served, Admission 25 per person. More Info Call 780-967-5710

FARMERS MARKETS

ALBERTA BEACH: Sundays, 11:30 - 3pm. Contact Hali 780-666-1604 *May -

BARRHEAD: Saturdays, 10AM-1PM at Barrhead Agrena. Sherry 780-674-6802 *May - Dec.

EVANSBURG FARMERS MARKET:

Every Saturday 10am - 2pm located right beside Evansburg Tipple Museum 780-505-0905 Mav-Sept

May-Sept ONOWAY: Thursdays, 5-8PM at Onoway Community Hall. 780-667-6327 or onowayfarmersmarket@gmail.com. *

Starts May 1^a. SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 10:00-1:00PM, Info (780)288-6174 *April Dec

SIGNY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-IPM, Community Centre Downtown, Stony Plain. Nancy 780-962-3933. *April - Dec. WHITECOURT: Tuesdays 11AM-2PM, Whitecourt Legion Hall, 779-7002. *May - Oct. STONY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-1PM,

BINGO

RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO: on March 12 & 26 at. 7:30PM STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN CENTRE, public bingo every Tues, 7PM. All ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-6685

WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE, Every Tuesday. Open @ 5PM, 1st call @ 6:45PM, Nevadas, Concession. 780-778-4950 ***Sept - June**

MEAT DRAWS

ALBERTA BEACH: Lac Ste Anne Community Choir & Museum Meat Draw/Prizes - Every Sundays, 3:00PM at Jungle's Bar & Grill. BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Fridays 6:00PM. Queen Of Hearts draw & 50/50.

C.A.N. COMMUNITIES OF ALBERTA NETWORKING FOR SENIORS, Spruce Grove At Pioneer Center. first market March 25 1 - 5:30 pm

DARWELL MARKET & MEAT DRAW 4th Sat of the month. till 4:30 (year round) All is welcome Lisa @ 780-233-

JUNGLES BAR AND GRILL Saturday's

3-6pm Alberta Beach 3rd Sunday ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION:

Fridays, Ph. 780-967-5361 STONY PLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: EGION BR# 256: Saturdays @ 3:00PM.-5:00 PMMeat Draw & 50/50 MAYERTHORPE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: June -Fridays from 4 - 8 pm Pub Night//Meat Draw & 50/50 WHITECOURT LEGION: Saturdays 3:00PM. Located downtown behind the CIBC

MEALS ON WHEELS

ONOWAY: LSAC Div 1 & 2, East of Hwy 43. Hazel Bourke: 780.967.2338 or bhbourke@icloud.com WEST END: Sangudo, Mayerthorpe & west end of LSAC. Jill: 780.785.2924 or Donna: 780.785.3118 or email: westendmow@outlook.com

JAMRODEES

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CARVEL: 2nd Sunday of month. \$6 lunch served. Info 780-991-3001 DUFFIELD: Oct 26 \$20, Entertainers \$10. Dinner @ 6pm, late lunch and 50/50. .*Sept - May. except dec. SANGUDO: Sangudo Community Hall Jamborees are on hold until further notice 780-785-4105. Edmonton Northwest Senior's Center: 12963 - 120st NW, Every Wed

From 1-3:30pm Aug & Sept Admin: \$5 non members \$2 members Yearly membership \$30

Thernbersnip \$30 STONY PLAIN: Stony Plain Seniors Drop In Center, 5018 - 51 Ave. Every 1st & 3rd Thurs of month, 6:30PM, \$2. SUMMERDALE 2nd Sunday of month. Bring a snack. Watch FBS Summerdale jamboree for updates. 780-674-0263.

RICH VALLEY JAMBOREE: Jan 111-5pm

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

SANGUDO: Tues 5pm at Golden Club.

Toni (780)786-4612 STONY PLAIN: Thurs evening at 530PM, Stony Plain Library. Susan (780)

968-0669 SPRUCE CROVE: Mon at 4:30pm at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Betty (780)962-3857 SPRUCE CROVE: Tues at 6:15pm at at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Sharron (780)962-2722 SPRUCE CROVE: Wed at 8:45am at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Christiane (780)960-1109 WILDWOOD: Thurs at 10am at Wildwood Hall, Bea (780)727-2129

YOUR COMMUNITY

MAYERTHORPE LEGION BR. #126: Seniors' Floor Curling – Thurs @ 1pm. Fun Darts – Thurs @ 7pm. Wings Night – Every Wed 5-8pm. Steak & Fish Night – 1ª Friday of month 5-8pm. Everyone welcome. For more info please call 780-786-2470

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Open Tuesdays 7PM to 10PM for "Games" (pool, shuffleboard, darts, cards, etc.) Fridays 3PM-10PM, Friday's Family Friendly Dinner, 5:30PM (open to

the public). PROBLEMS WITH DRUG OR ALCOHOL ADDICTION in a loved one? Contact Drug Rehab Resource free confidential consultation. 1-866-649-1594 or www. drugrehabresource.net.

drugrehabresource.net. SPRUCE GROVE ELEVATOR TOURS, UNITED CHURCH THRIFT SHOP: North end Curling Rink, Onoway. Open Fri & Sat, 10ам-2рм.

WATER SAMPLE DROP OFF: Tues Onoway Aspen Health Services. Drop off 1:00-2:30PM.

SOCIAL EVENTS

ALBERTA BEACH & DISTRICT ACTIVE 50+ CLUB ACTIVITIES: Mon 7PM Darts; Tues 7:30PM Crib; Wed 1PM Bridge. Thurs 7:30PM Euchre; Mon, Wed, Fri 8:30AM Aerobics/Fitness. Everyone Welcome

BADMINTON: Wed, 7-10PM, Barrhead High School Gym. Jamie (780)674-8974 or (780)674-6974.

COME PLAY CRIB: Fridays, 7:00PM at Darwell Seniors Hall; lite lunch is served. All ages!

All ages! **COUNTRY QUILTERS** in Stony Plain house a "Sew in Tuesday", 2nd Tuesday of every month, from 10-3pm. Drop in \$5/member, \$6/non-members. Contact Cindy 780-963-7170.

Darwell Public Skating 7-days weel 8am - 8pm, more details on Darwellag, com or Faceboook

com or Faceboook JR. SCRAPBOOKING Wed 4-6PM. Pre-register by Tues evg. Mayerthorpe Public Library www.mayerthorpelibrary. ab.ca (780)786-2404 "ME, YOU, & EVERYBODY" Fun new local program for people of all ages with disabilities. Thursdays @ Alberta Beach Agliplex from 10:00-11:00AM starting May. Funded Lac Ste Anne FCSS. ONOWAY & DISTRICT HISTORICAL GUILD: Every Wed, 9-4pm at Onoway Golden Club Onoway Museum. 967-4485

ONOWAY COLDEN CLUB: Cards Tuesdays, IPM. 5023 49 Ave. 780-967-

ONOWAY HAVE FUN & GET FIT! Excercise Class with Video La Blast.

Fridays 10:30AM at the Drop in Centre, 5023-49 Ave. PH: 780-967-2056. PANCAKE/BREAKFAST SOCIAL: 3rd Sunday 9:00-11:30AM, Parkland Village Community Centre. *except June, July, August

August RIVER TALKERS TOAST MASTERS CLUB, Thursdays, 7-9PM. 32 Whitecourt Ave. Hilltop Community Church. Info Lorainne 286-5040. SANCUDO ART CLUB meets every Thursday morning at 9AM at the Sangudo Community School. New members welcome. For further information call Brenda at 780-785-2402.

2402. SANGUDO LIBRARY Board Games 7 to 9:30 PM, on first Tuesday every month, October 2024 through March 2025, All ages welcome! More details at sangudolibrary.ca THE ALBERTA WILDLIFE WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE DROP IN CRIB 1st & 3rd Sundays 1:00PM. 780-778-4950

WRITERS PROGRAM: Mayerthorpe Library, 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 1PM.

MEETINGS

IST ONOWAY SCOUTS: Registration, Mondays 6:30-8PM. Beavers 5-7; Cubs 8-11; Scouts 12-14. Kim 967-4339.

CADETS, Wednesdays 6:30-9:00PM at Mayerthorpe Legion. Youths 12-18yrs, Call 780-515-1842

299 ROYAL CANADIAN SEA CADETS CORPS MACKENZIE: Stony Plair Comm Center, Wed 6:30PM. Youths 12-18 963-0843

3053 Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps- Wednesday 6:45pm Onoway Heritage Centre contact: 3053army@ cadets ac ca

BARRHEAD AIR CADETS, Wed)-9:30PM, High School. Ages 12-18. |-305-7233 526 6:30 780-

(780-305-7233) 755 PARKLAND AIR CADETS Thurs, 6:30-9:30PM Muir Lake School, ages 12-18. Info call 405-6585 or www.755aircadets.com.

www.755aircadets.com.
 AA - MAYERTHORPE, Community Service Bldg 4909-49Ave, Thurs BPM.
 (780) 648-3903 or (780) 779-0155
 AA - SANCUDO GOLDEN CLUB, Tues BPM call 786-4402/785-9214/785-3599
 AA - WHITECOURT, united church side door, Mon, Wed, Fri Bpm call 780-424-5900
 WOMEN'S CROUP (MICH.

AA - WOMEN'S GROUP (NEW), Whitecourt United Church - use side door at 5201-50St. Saturday 11:00 Call (780)424-5900

AL-ANON Wednesdays, 8PM. Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Dr. 780-962-5205

Hope and Help for Family and Friends, New Al-Anon meeting in Spruce Grove Wed @ 11am. 1A Fireldstone Dr Church

ALBERTA 55 PLUS: Villenvue Hall at 10AM. Meetings on 2nd Tues of month. Info: Donna 780-962-5933

ALBERTA BEACH & DIST LIONS CLUB Reach Advisory 4th Tues 7:00PM, Alberta

ALBERTA BEACH AG SOCIETY meets Alberta Beach Ad Societt meets on the 4th Thurs of month, 7:00PM, Alberta Beach Agliplex. ALBERTA BEACH MUSEUM meets on

the 2nd Wed, 7:00рм at Heritage House 924-3167.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: Journey of Hope Group, Mondays 8PM, Golden Club 5023-49Ave

Golden Club 5023-49Ave BARRHEAD & AREA CANCER SUPPORT GROUP: 4th Thurs. 6.30-8:00PM at Barrhead United Church. BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, meeting every 2nd Thurs, 7PM at the Legion Hall. CHERHILL COMMUNITY ASSOC.

Monthly Meeting 1st Wednesday, 8PM at the Hall. 785-2825 *Except Jan, July, Aua. Sept.

Aug, sept. CHERHILL LEGION BR 184: is now operating under Cherhill Community Hall Meeting 1st Thursday of the month except July & August. Pancake

Breakfest 9am-noon on 3rd Saturday of month for Jan, Apr, July & Oct. Contact 780-305-6399 Jim

CHERHILL SILVER & COLD SENIORS CLUB Regular Meetings 1st Tuesday of month, Cherhill Seniors Hall. Call Rosamy 780-785-2625

CHERISHED MEMORIES, PARENTS & TOTS Wed & Fri, 10-12PM, Alberta Beach Agliplex, Info call 780-902-4879 or 780-999-7622. *Sept-June.

Agliplex. Into Call 780-902-4879 of 780-999-7622. *Sept-June. DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY MEETINGS, 7:00PM, 1^{et} Monday, Darwell DDRA MEETING, 7:00PM, 2rd Mon, Darwell Centennial Hall 780-892-3099. *except Jul/Aug/Dec GriefShare: Weekly grief support group on Tuesdays 6:30 - 8:30 pm, starting Sept. 17 at Crossroads Community Church, 4419 44 Ave, Mayerthorpe. \$35 for 12 sessions. Pre-registration required by calling Fran at 780-786-2533. Cirl Guides Embers, Guides and Pathfinders Saturdays 2-4pm Onoway Heritage Center On-line Registration www.girlguides.ca

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GREENCOURT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION meet 2nd Tuesday, monthly at 7:30PM at the hall. Info W. Jager (780) 786-4648. KINETTE CLUB OF MAYERTHORPE, 7:30PM at Kinsmen Hall, ¹⁴ Tuesofmonth.

Contact: mayerthorpekinettes@gmail. com. Tracy: 780-786-0161

com, Tracy: 780-786-0161. LAC STE ANNE ARMY CADETS, Thurs, 6:30-9:30Pм at Onoway Museum (780) 967-0443

967-0443 LAC STE ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR, Wednesdays 7PM at the Heritage Centre in Alberta Beach (50+ Club behind the hotel). Further info, call Sandra @ 780-966-5678 LAC STE, ANNE & LAKE ISLE WATER QUALITY MANACEMENT SOCIETY: 3rd Fri, 7PM, Alberta Beach Council Chambers

LAKE ISLE HALL COMMUNITY HALL Quilting: every Mon 9-3pm. Drop in fee \$10. More info call or text 780-819-7907 LAKE ISLE HALL COMMUNITY HALL BOARD MEETINGS: 3rd Wed of each month @ 7:30PM at the Lake Isle Hall (Hwy 633 and RPS5) Ph # 780-892-3121 MAYERTHORPE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY ASSOC every 4th Mon 5PM in Hospital ASSOC, every 4th Non, 5PM in Hospital Basement Education Room. MAYERTHORPE LEGION BR. #126: Meetings 2nd Mon of month at 7:30PM. For more info please call 780-786-2470.

MEN FOR SOBRETY: Wednesdays at 7:30PM, FCSS Building (#105, 505 Queen Street, Spruce Grove). Mike (780) 965-

9991. MS SOCIETY PARKLAND COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP Are you diagnosed with MS and have questions? Last Tues of month, 7-9PM, Westview Health Centre. Cassy 780-471-3034 *Sept-June NA MEETING, Tuesdays 7:00PM Poplar Valley Church (780)514-6011

ONOWAY & DIST HERITAGE SOCIETY: 3rd Thurs of each month, 7:00PM, room 3 of the Heritage Centre

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION General Meetings, 1st Mon, 7PM. *Sept-

June RICH VALLEY AC SOCIETY BOARD MEETINGS: at the Agriplex on the 2nd Wed of the month. 7:00PM. RIVER TALKERS TOASTMASTERS CLUB Build confidence, speaking, leadership & listening skills. Thursdays 7-9PM at Eagle River Casino. Call Melinda Tarcan, (780)778-1180. SANCUDO PAINTING CROUP: Every Thurs, 9AM-12PM at Sangudo Community School. Info, call 780-785-2112.

SUNDOWNERS TOASTMASTER CLUB: Mon (excl. Holidays) 7:30-9:30PM. St. Matthew's Church, Spruce Grove. Judy

Withow's Charter, sprace crove, Judy 960-5258 WHIST DRIVE, MEADOWVIEW COMMUINTY CENTER, 1st & 3rd Thursday of Month @ 1:30pm \$5 Admission

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