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**April 16, 2025** 

## 2025 EVENTS PROMOTIONS PEGG

Submitted by Lorraine Taylor, George Pegg Botanic Garden, Glenevis

Summer Season at Pegg Garden

Gardeners are looking

forward to getting going in their yards and we feel the same way at the George Pegg Botanic Garden. Plans are well under way for hiring summer staff, hosting summer events, and digging into some exciting projects.

We are often asked "What is there to see and do at Pegg Garden?" Anyone with an interest in the Garden is invited to attend the

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#### WHITECOURT COMPLETES ENERGY UPGRADES AT JDA PLACE

Submitted by Town of Whitecourt

The Town of Whitecourt is pleased to announce that it has completed an energy project at JDA Place that will create operational cost savings and efficiencies.

The project, which received \$192,140 in funding through the Community Energy Conservation Program and the Government of Alberta-funded Municipal Climate Change Action Centre, involved the replacement of the

McLeod Arena roof, and installation of a REALice System. The REALice water treatment system eliminates the need for hot water when building and resurfacing the ice. Through both completed upgrades, it is estimated

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#### PARKLAND RCMP REQUESTING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IN A HIT AND RUN INVESTIGATION

Submitted by Parkland RCMP

The parkland RCMP are investigating a hit and run collision in the Brookwood drive area of Spruce Grove on April 5th, 2025 involving

three vehicles one of which fled the scene before the driver could be identified. A driver of one of the vehicles later attended a hospital with minor injuries believed to be sustained in the collision. The vehicle that fled is described as a red or maroon Dodge Ram towing a white Starcraft travel trailer.

Parkland RCMP is looking to identify the driver of the Dodge Ram.





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annual meeting on Tuesday, April 22 to see a colorful virtual tour of this historic site in Lac Ste. Anne County. Join us at the Onoway Heritage Centre at 6:30PM for coffee, sweet treats from The Table, and a chance to win a door prize.

Two more dates to save

are Thursday, July 24 for the annual Tea Party in the Garden and Sunday, August 17 for a combined Open Farm Days celebration and Art in the Garden Show and Sale. The Garden opens for the summer on June 2nd. We are excited to show off the newly restored machine shed. Check out the Garden website for event updates

and volunteer opportunities.



#### Whitecourt Completes Energy Upgrades At JDA Place

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that a greenhouse gas reduction of 11

% will be achieved, which equates to a reduction of 1,818.37 tonnes of carbon dioxide over the lifetime of the components.

"The facility enhancements will greatly impact recreational users and visitors to our community, while at the same time making an impact on our environment," added Whitecourt Mayor Tom Pickard.

"We know how important arenas are to our communities, and how much energy they can use," said Rebecca Schulz, Minister of Environment and Protected Areas. "Upgrades can carry a high price tag, which is why we're pleased to help fund this project. The new arena roof and other upgrades will help lower utility costs for Whitecourt while supporting more fun at the rink."

The Municipal Climate Change Action Centre is a partnership of Alberta Municipalities, the Rural Municipalities of Alberta, and the Government of Alberta. Funding for the Community Energy Conservation Program was provided by the Government of Alberta.









## MORE MONEY FOR READING, WRITING AND MATH SKILLS

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's government is providing \$7.5 million to school boards to help students with reading, writing and math skills.

Reading, writing and math skills are important for lifelong success in and out of the classroom. This year, schools started screening students in kindergarten to Grade 3 more often to ensure no student falls behind in reading, writing and math. To help young students that need extra support, Alberta's government is providing a one-time grant of \$7.5 million to ensure schools have the resources and staff needed to support students in developing these important skills.

"Basic skills like reading, writing and math are key to student success. This funding will help schools identify students that need help the most and get them the extra help they need."

Demetrios Nicolaides, Minister of Education

The additional \$7.5 million in grant funding builds on the \$10 million that is being provided for reading, writing and math support for this school year. Budget 2025, if passed, also invests more than \$40 million into school boards

for reading, writing and math support over the next three years.

"Today's announcement solidifies Minister Nicolaides' ongoing commitment to address learning difficulties in our province. This is a strong statement of support to school divisions, teachers and researchers as they work collaboratively to ensure that our students have the resources they need to succeed."

George Georgiou, professor, Faculty of Education, University of Alberta

"Alberta School Boards Association welcomes the government's additional investment in supports and interventions for literacy and numeracy. This grant will help Alberta's locally elected school boards provide essential early learning resources to support the unique needs of our youngest learners."

Marilyn Dennis, president, Alberta School Boards Association





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Online auction will start soft closing on Friday, April 25, 2025 at 12 noon
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Closed Sunday, April 27, 2025

Monday-Wednesday, April 28-30, 2025 from 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Retirement sales for:

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#### **MEETINGS & HEARINGS**

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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.

#### **County Council Meeting**

Thursday, April 24, 2025 at 9:30 am

#### MPC Meeting

Wednesday, May 7, 2025 at 9:30 am

#### ROADSIDE VEGETATION MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

LSAC.ca/weeds

The County manages roadside and subdivision vegetation through a combination of mowing and selective herbicide application. Spot spraying typically occurs between May and September, while mowing takes place from June through October.

To control the spread of noxious and prohibited noxious weeds and brush, selective herbicide treatments and other integrated vegetation management practices are used throughout the district. These efforts follow the guidelines set out in Alberta's Weed Control Act, which identifies specific species that must be controlled on both public and private property.

Those who wish to manage weed and brush control along the right-of-way adjacent to their land can apply for the County's No-Spray Program. Please note that these participation agreements must be renewed each year.

#### DID YOU KNOW? THE CANADIAN FEDERAL ELECTION AND THE MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION ARE TOTALLY SEPARATE

LSAC.ca/election

We want to clear up any confusion—the Federal Election and the Municipal General Election are completely separate events, each run by different organizations and held on different dates.

#### The Federal Election

Run by: Elections Canada

Vote for: Members of Parliament (MPs) who represent us at the national level For information, visit; elections.ca or call 1,800,463,6868

#### The Municipal General Election

Run by: Lac Ste. Anne County Vote for: County Councillors

For information, visit <u>LSAC.ca/election</u> or contact the County's Returning Officer Reanne Springer at 780.305.9162 or email <u>returningofficer2025@LSAC.ca</u>.

#### TRAPPING SEASON IS NOW UNDERWAY

LSAC.ca/beavers

The County has begun setting beaver traps in problem areas such as ditches and ravines

Residents are strongly encouraged to keep pets on a leash when walking near these areas. If you come across a beaver trap, do not approach or touch it—these devices are dangerous and should only be handled by trained personnel.

If you are trapping beavers yourself, please ensure you are following the Code of Responsible Trapping, available at <u>albertaregulations.ca</u>.

As stated in the 2024-25 Alberta Guide to Trapping Regulations — "Furbearing animals must be trapped using methods that are proven to avoid unnecessary pain and suffering. The manner in which animals are trapped is a concern of many Albertans, including trappers."

Attention Non-profits! Apply today for the Alberta Highway Clean-up for local area roads—Saturday, May 3.

Send your letter of application including the name of group, county division, and contact name and number via email to publicworks@LSAC.ca today. Application is deadline April 30.

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## UPDATE ON MEASLES SITUATION IN ALBERTA

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's Chief Medical Officer of Health Dr. Mark Joffe issued the following statement on the measles situation in Alberta and how Albertans can protect themselves:

"Measles outbreaks are occurring in Canada, including Alberta. As of April 11, we have seen 58 confirmed cases in the province, and we are paying close attention to rising cases within the south and central zones. While the number of cases is concerning, I want to let Albertans know that public health officials are managing the cases and contacts as well as working with local leadership to support affected communities.

"As of April 11, an estimated 48 confirmed measles cases are likely to be past their period of communicability (the time the person can transmit measles to another person). However, it's important to note that this does not necessarily reflect risk in the community as there may be people with undiagnosed measles, including people coming into the province from other places where it's circulating, nor does it reflect the number of persons who have been exposed to measles.

"Measles is more serious than other common child-hood illnesses. It can cause pneumonia, brain swelling and even death. Early symptoms of measles include a fever, cough, runny nose, red eyes and a blotchy red rash that appears three to seven days after the fever starts. If you are showing symptoms of measles, stay home and call 811 for further direction.

"In light of the measles outbreaks across the province, I want to remind all Albertans that these outbreaks are highly preventable. Albertans can protect themselves and those around them by ensuring their measles immunizations are up to date. Immunization with measles-containing vaccine is the single most important public health intervention to prevent measles. This is especially true for parents of children aged two and younger, who are more susceptible to severe outcomes as a result of contracting measles.

"The measles vaccine is safe and highly effective at preventing infection and complications and is readily available to eligible Albertans. To see if you are eligible to get the vaccine, for the Calgary or Edmonton Zone you can call the Immunization Booking Line at 811 between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. If you live in another zone in Alberta, contact your local public health or community health centre.

"Alberta Health is providing regular updates to measles cases at alberta.ca/measles, including expanded data for age groupings, estimated data for those who are outside of their period of communicability and information related to immunization status of cases and number of immunization doses administered.

"It's important that Albertans do their part to prevent the spread of measles. For more information, please visit alberta.ca/measles."

#### **LIVE AUCTION**

#### Bill and Mary Pisarewski Saturday May 3 at 1pm

**Located:** From Grassland - 3mi E to RR 181. Then 3 S to Bend in Road. Proceed Directly E for 1.5mi to 180010 TWP RD 671.5.

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#### DISCRETIONARY DEVELOPMENT 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

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

OR send to:

Land and Property Rights Tribunal (LPRT)

2nd Floor, 1229 91 Street SW, Edmonton, AB T6X 1E9 Email: |prt.appeals@gov.ab.ca

Please contact LPRT to receive the applicable form.

#### 25-D0006

SE 03-57-03 W5M: 3212 TWP RD 570

Secondary Detached Garage, Main 30.0' x 40.0' (1200.0 sq. ft.) 14.0' Walls with attached lean to 14.0' x 40.0' (560.0 sq. ft.)

Appeal to LPRT by April 28, 2025

#### 25-D0023

Lot 5, Block 5, Plan 9023655, Lakeview Place NW 26-54-03 W5M; 208, 54425 Ste, Anne Trail

New stick build home on basement with covered deck, Main 30.0' x 40.0' (1200.0 sq. ft.) 8.0' walls, Basement 30.0' x 40.0' (1200.0 sq. ft.) 8.0' walls, Deck 8.0' x 30.0' (240.0 sq. ft.) with Rear Yard Variance Request for proposed development - Regulation: 7.5 m, Requested: 5.0 m, Variance: 2.5 m

Appeal to SDAB by April 28, 2025

#### 25-D0021

Unit I. Plan 1323364, Lake Arnault NW 31-54-05 W5M; 5519 TWP RD 550

Shower Shack 20.0' x 14.0' (268 sq. ft.) 8.0' walls

Appeal to SDAB by May 5, 2025

#### 25-D0034

NW 06-55-05 W5M: 5529 TWP RD 551

Additional Residence: New Stick Built Home: Main (1138.0 sq. ft.) 9'1" walls. Second (555.0 sq. ft.) 8'1" walls, Basement (1061.0 sq. ft.) 9' walls, deck (512.0 sq. ft.)

Appeal to SDAB by May 5, 2025

#### **DUST SUPPRESSION** PROGRAM RETURNS

LSAC.ca/dust

Submit your Dust Suppressant Application by April 30!

Reduce the impact of dust on your property with the County's Calcium Dust Suppression Program. The purpose of this program is to assist in the reduction of the impact of dust on residential rural properties adjacent to County roadways.

If you wish to purchase, the application and payment deadline is April 30. To qualify for the program, have your municipal address sign posted prior to applying.

Visit the website to download the application and review program details including payment options.

Have an upcoming community activity you'd like to promote? Post it on the

Community Events Calendar! Visit LSAC.ca/events to submit.

Solid Waste Utility Bills are in the mail. If you have not yet received your bill please contact the County Administration Office.

Poll Workers Wanted—work the 2025 Municipal Election! Visit LSAC.ca/election to apply today.

County crews continue to work on Frozen Culverts! To report a flooded road or blocked culvert please call the County Administration Office or visit LSAC.ca/report.



#### SPRING IS CONSTRUCTION TIME!

Submitted by MLA Shane Getson

I like spring, always have, always will. It is that time of year where we round the corner out of the darkness and cold into light and hope It's Easter, for most of us, the most holy time of year. The Easter bunny, little kids on egg and chocolate hunts, it's the time of year where the seeds for the garden are getting lined up and that old "Honey Do List" that's been collecting dust gets dug out for all to see. It's the time of year for getting the equipment serviced and ready to go. Construction projects are funded, discussed, contracts are out for proposal, and time to plan as soon as the frost is out of the ground to turn dirt, and burn diesel. I love this time of year.

We just made it through the heavy lifting part of the budget for the province as well, meetings upon meetings where all parties get to grill the ministers on their proposed budget for the year. Unfortunately, this year it's a deficit budget, due to the price of oil, and that we had to carry some contingency based on the potential trade tariffs.

In short, it looks like we are going to need to spend more than we are bringing in, and had to set some aside in case things go sideways with our largest trading partner. We have managed to balance the budget for the last few years in a row, and it's a real gut check to deal with this one, but we also passed a law a few years back that forces governments to get back to balance, and that is what we will work to do.

I was asked recently about what did we get out of the budget, and for me I usually go back to make sure we have infrastructure funding for transportation, money for schools, money for health care, and money to take care

of folks who need it who fall on hard times. We also need to make sure we are allocating time and effort to make sure we get things back to being affordable.

So, to bring it back to the local level, the work on Highway 43, 44, 42, 37, 22, 16, Nikoodi Road, and the interface of 16A and range road 20 are all still a go. Maintenance will still continue as the crew chase the pot holes, cracks, and intersection improvements

Highway 22 near the Lazy S Ranch will be getting the repairs it so greatly needs done as soon as the frost comes out.

Nikoodi Road will be underway for planning and consultation. The great news is that we will be utilizing this section of road for a test section of closed form geo cell, which will give us a very solid road, and manage the localized soils conditions while proving that it can be used elsewhere more cost effectively to reduce aggregate volumes. That means, the budget will go further, and it will get more roads built faster.

Highway 60 overpass and road improvements will be going to contract. Design is nearing completion, the last settlements with landowners seem to be coming to a close, and utility relocation discussions are well advanced. Long and short, we have never been closer, the budget is there, and it soon can become a reality, mitigating safety and transportation concerns in the area.

In regards to education funding, there have been some statistics floating around about how we are the lowest in the country. I, like many, have struggled with this, since I've been elected, education never had a cut, they held the line for funding, the last couple of budgets they received increases. This last year we have about 8 billion allocated over the next

few years to build around 100 schools for the needs we've seen because of our population increase. So the other thing that we have here in the province of the Strong and Free is freedom of choice. This includes where you as a parent, yes that's right parental choice again is a key foundation of a strong society, can decide where and how to have your children educated.

The expectations, the standards are the same with provincial testing, but it allows flexibility, and during the "Covid" years, as well as the ripple effect from it, many school divisions, kids, and parents are taking full advantage of it. Other provinces don't nearly have the same choices, and I believe because we have funded choices, it's why we are right now leading the nation with educational results either being the top, or in the top 3, because we have the choice in education, which is adequately funded.

Healthcare, well, this one is another hot topic, some folks figure if you just keep doing the same thing, throw more cash at it and put up more buildings, you will get different results. Einstein, by all accounts a real smart fella one time said doing the exact same thing repetitively and expecting results was insanity. I'm inclined to agree, so what are we up too then?

De-bottlenecking, than just throwing up new muti billion dollar buildings, looking at how many beds are in the overall inventory, and determine how we can get folks moving again through the system. Strategically funding construction for new beds where needed, point in case for the Stollery Hospital. Because we are matching funding for 200 additional beds, it will free up 2 to 4 times more capacity elsewhere. With the restructuring of the AHS organization, which in cross jurisdictional analysis, says we are bloated worse than a heifer cut loose in a heavy crop of alfalfa.

Instead of letting the gas out of the system, like you would with the proverbial heifer, we are instead breaking it up into bite sized manageable groups with a focus under a few different ministries. In addition, carving back a ton of scope creep, so that the AHS group can focus on what they are good at. Health "Corridors" will address how folks actually live, changing the arbitrary boundaries that have crept up over the years, to allow for access and funding to be directed where people need it most. The big one that just came out, is that the funding will follow the patient, this model has been used for decades in Australia, and in Europe. What it allows is that there is choice in where the surgery can take place, based on what the best and fastest service that can be provided to the patent! When Australia implemented this, wait times went down by 53 % in the first year!

There are a number of other items that the budget addresses, it's not my favorite one by a country mile, but it does address many of the items that matter to us right now, in our area, and in our province. We have a few uncertainties that are out of our control, but we are looking at mitigating that risk, and have allocated contingency. We are actively working on the things we can, making the changes where needed, putting families, parents, and kids first. We are dealing directly with folks across the border, and because of that, so far, we've managed to mitigate hundreds of millions of dollars in tariffs. Common sense isn't dead, its been on life support for a while, and we are nursing it back to life, putting policy in place that will ensure it makes a full recovery here in the province of the strong and free. Voters made it loud and clear to me, it's what matters to you.

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## RCMP OFFICERS CHARGED WITH DANGEROUS DRIVING

Submitted by Government of Alberta

On March 5, 2020, the Alberta Serious Incident Response Team (ASIRT) was directed to investigate a possible dangerous driving offence while on duty by Parkland County RCMP officers on February 25, 2020.

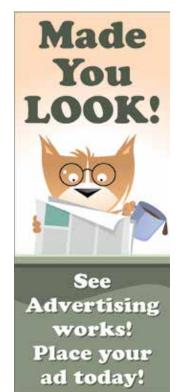
The evidence gathered during ASIRT's investigation provided reasonable grounds to believe that an offence had been committed. As required by the Police Act, the investigation was forwarded to the Alberta Crown Prosecution Service (ACPS) to determine whether the evidence

met the standard for prosecution.

Following a review of the investigation and having been advised that the ACPS was of the opinion that the evidence met their standard for prosecution, ASIRT Executive Director Michael Ewenson determined that the involved officers should be charged. On April 7, 2025, Const. Debra-Ann Wash and Const. Dorian Tooze were charged with operating a conveyance in a manner that was dangerous to the public under Sec. 320.13(1) of the Criminal Code. They were released on an appearance notice and are scheduled for first appearance on May 21 in the Stony Plain Court of Justice.

As this matter is now before the courts, no further information will be released.

ASIRT's mandate is to effectively, independently and objectively investigate incidents involving Alberta's police that have resulted in serious injury or death to any person, as well as serious or sensitive allegations of police misconduct.



FEDERAL MONDAY, APRIL 28



#### There are ways you can vote early.

#### You can vote:



At your assigned advance polling station from Friday, April 18, to Monday, April 21, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.



At any Elections Canada office until Tuesday, April 22, 6 p.m.



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Check your voter information card or visit elections.ca for all the ways you can vote.



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Maximizing natural light in a home is a smart and sometimes low-cost renovation. Homes that are dark and drab can drain energy levels and reduce productivity. In addition, dark rooms may not be inviting places to gather as a family or when entertaining.

Certain factors contribute to a dark home. Houses that face north or east may not get the same level of sunlight as those that primarily face south and west. Geographic location

also plays a role in the amount of natural sunlight. Mountains, buildings and even latitude can affect the amount of natural light that enters a home.

The style of a home and its attributes also may create dark conditions. Deep house eaves as well as small windows or too few windows also can contribute to a deficit of light indoors. A major remodel certainly can remedy the situation. However, there also are other less-extensive

strategies to improve natural light.

Assess the situation before renovating.

Walk around the house and determine which rooms get the most

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light and which conditions may be contributing to the problem in other areas. Dark floors and walls may be absorbing natural light and compounding the situation. You may find that only one or two rooms need attention, saving you the cost and effort associated with a major home overhaul.

· Lighten up window treatments. Heavy drapes or thick blinds can be replaced with translucent alternatives.

Translucent shades will allow light into the room without compromising privacy, say the experts at HGTV.

- · Use mirrors strategically. A mirror placed opposite a window will reflect light all around the room. This can make a small room seem larger and a dark space instantly brighter.
- · Install new windows and doors. If the budget allows, installing larger windows in a home will allow more natural light in. French

doors or sliding doors also may make a home's interior more bright. Think about adding windows to a side of the house that has none, or increase the size of the windows on the side of the house that gets the most light.

· Maximize sunlight from above. Skylights will bring light into a home as the sun passes overhead. Tubular skylights can bring natural sunlight into spaces where you

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may not expect skylights to be practical. According to Houzz, a design and architectural resource, tubular daylighting devices, or TDDs, can make a big difference. TDDs are reflective pipes installed between the roof and ceiling, with a clear plastic dome.

· Use reflective decor. Reflective surfaces, including glass and metal, can brighten up a room and diffuse light around a room. Glossy

backsplashes, pendant lighting and shiny metal that reflect light can increase the natural light, balancing out dark spaces.

- Prune trees regularly. Cut back branches and keep trees tidy to maximize sunlight. Avoid planting tall shrubbery in front of windows.
- · Routinely clean windows and glass doors. Dirt and other grime can prevent light from getting through. Regularly give windows a thorough washing.

Natural light is an important commodity in a home. Sunlight can improve mood and go a

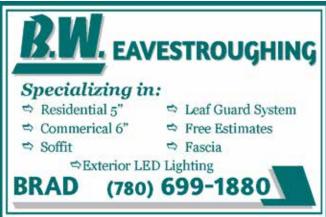
long way toward keeping home occupants healthy and happy.











#### **ONOWAY LEGION NEWS**



Submitted by Onoway Legion

April 25-Cost \$25- Italian Feast Fundraiser for OHS Class of 2025. Minestrone Soup, Italian garden salad, chicken parmigiana, fettu-

cine alfredo, baked penne with meat sauce & cheese, fresh Italian buns, gelato with fresh berries. There will be a silent auction, dinner music by OHS band and Karaoke after dinner. Veterans Table sponsored by William Trefry. For reservations contact 780-967-5361 by Wed, Apr 23,

Dinner starts at 6 pm.

May 11- Mother's Day Brunch more details to

**UPCOMING ACTIVITIES** May 5- General Meeting, 7 pm. All members in good standing are welcome to attend.

May 16- Closed for Victoria Day Weekend

May 31- Jitney Style-Fun

Dart Tournament- Breakfast available at 8:30, Play Begins at 9:30, \$20 registration includes lunch.

Club Activities:

Tuesday- Dart League Tuesday night. Cost \$3 each week. Registration 7 pm. Play 7:30 pm.

Wednesday - Join us for Pub Night-Musical Jam and our meat draw.

Doors open 6:30 pm, jam starts at 7 pm. Weekly meat draws every Wednesday, in conjunction with pub night. Tickets will be 3 for \$5.00. We will have four rounds with a fifth special all-in round. Tickets will go on sale starting at 6:30 pm.

Thursday - Pool League Thursday nights. Cost \$5, play begins at 7 pm so arrive early.

Friday- Every second Friday is our new game night. Come out and play some classic games such as cribbage, euchre, darts, pool or join in some fantastic board games. Next GAME NIGHT is May 2, bar will be open at 5 pm, games begin at 7 p.m.

Calling all local Non-profit Organizations! Are you part of a non-profit in our community. The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 132 is now accepting requests for support to help you achieve your goals. If you need assistance or funding for your organization's initiatives, we want to hear from you! Mail your letter of request to Box 471, Onoway AB, T0E 1V0 or email to secretary132@outlook.com by April 30,2025.



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## ALBERTA FINALIZING FLOOD MAPS AT LIGHTNING SPEED

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's has finalized more flood maps in the past five years than in the previous thirty-five years combined.

Flood maps help keep people safe and play a critical role in informing local emergency response plans and guiding future Indigenous community and municipal development decisions. In the past five years, flood mapping has launched in 100 municipalities and Indigenous communities.

Now, seven new flood map studies are underway for the communities of: Carbon, Chateh, Crowsnest Pass, Lethbridge Rycroft, Thorsby and Two Hills. Work will begin immediately, with results expected before the end of next year.

In addition, Alberta is soliciting feedback on four flood map studies nearing completion, including: Hinton, Vegreville, Stettler, Red Deer County and Markerville. Mapping from these studies covers about 250 kilometres of rivers and creeks through seven municipalities. Albertans can provide feedback at floods. alberta.ca until May 12.

All rivers, streams and lakes in Alberta have the potential to flood. Knowing where the water will flow during a flood is critical to understanding where it's safe to farm, safe to build, and how to best prepare for emergency situations.

"Our government is committed to creating more than

3,000 kilometres of new and updated flood mapping by 2028. So far, we've completed 1,600 kilometres. This commitment has resulted in more flood maps being finalized in the past five years than in the previous thirty-five years combined. Alberta's proactive work will help protect communities, families and businesses in the decades to come."

Rebecca Schulz, Minister of Environment and Protected Areas

"The Rural Municipalities of Alberta appreciates the Government of Alberta working to create new flood mapping in recent years. Floodwaters do not recognize jurisdictional boundaries, and rural municipalities must plan carefully how to use their limited resources

to best protect their residents, businesses and the environment. Having access to the data provided by these flood maps will enable rural municipalities to plan appropriately and mitigate the impacts of flooding for years to come."

Kara Westerlund, president, Rural Municipalities of Alberta

"Alberta Municipalities congratulates the provincial government for accelerating its flood mapping for communities of all sizes throughout Alberta. Our members count on accurate, up-to-date flood maps to guide their communities' development and assist with their emergency management planning."

Tyler Gandam, president, Alberta Municipalities

#### 2025 Rimbey Spring Machinery Consignment Auction

Edson Area - Grazing Lease Sale Starts on April 18th, 2025 Grazing Lease (Located in the Cattle Handling Ring) - April 21st, 2025

Selling a 1244.43 Acre M/L Grazing Lease Just West of Edson Area - Grazing Lease #38603

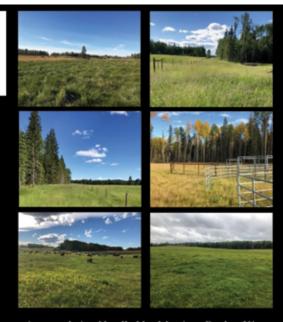
Consisting of Approx. 8 Quarters of Land in 1 Block, On 10 Titles with a Carrying Capacity of 366 AUMs (Animal Unit Month). There are four separate pastures; three with dugouts. There are three springs, one is fenced off. The fourth pasture

has water holes in a wet year but cattle can access the pasture # 3 dugout.

#### Legal Descriptions:

- 1. NW 11-53-19 W5M 114.5 Acres M/L
- 2. SW 11-53-19 W5M 19.5 Acres M/L
- 3. SE 10-53-19 W5M 8.24 Acres M/L
- 4. NE 11-53-19 W5M 160 Acres M/L
- SE 14-53-19 W5M 23.5 Acres M/L
- SW 12-53-19 W5M 160 Acres M/L
   NW 1-53-19 W5M 156 Acres M/L
- 8. NE 1-53-19 W5M 142.34 Acres M/L
- 9. SE 12-53-19 W5M 160 Acres M/L
- 10. NE 12-53-19 W5M 160 Acres M/L

North side of lease borders Hwy 16 for easy access with four separate entrances to the lease (2 are metal gates), only 10 min from Edson. \$1200.00 Altagas revenue and huge swath of new pasture cleared, broke and seeded from Trans-Mountain Pipeline.



Real Estate Transactions are being Handled by Morrison Realty Kim Hughes (403) 704-3141 & Allen Olson (403) 783-0556

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## Classified Ads - Call 962-9228

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Anselmo Community Phone 780-786-4280

Bright Bank Hall, 780-968-6813

Cherhill Community Assoc. Hall, Kevin 780-785-8153

Darwell Centennial Hall, 780-892-3099

Darwell Seniors, Phone Debra 780-785-2907

Glenreagh Community Hall, now with free wifi Bookings call 780-674-4995 Baukje 780-674-1349 Darren

Goose Lake Hall, Contact Ellen 780-584-2452

Gunn Hall (G.A.R.S.) 780-951-

Hathersage Community Centre, Noreen at 786-2946

Lake Isle Community Hall, HWY 633 lakeislefarmerassociation@ gmail.com,contact:780-725-2533

Magnolia Hall, 727-2015

Manley Goodwill Community Hall, 780-920-3217

Mayerthorpe Diamond Centre, Charlotte at 786-4659

Mayerthorpe Legion, 786-2470.

Onoway Community Hall, 967-

Onoway Heritage Center - Gym/ Classrooms, 967-1015

Onoway Legion, 780-973-5361

Park Court Community Hall, 727-4476

Village Community Parkland Centre. 780-298-9155 **PVCCentre** 

Pioneer Cantre, Spruce Grove 780-962-5020 or email.

Ravine Community Hall, Dawna @ 325-2460

Rich Valley Community Hall, 967-5710 or 967-3696

Rosenthal Community Hall, 963-

Sandy Beach Rec Hall, 967-2873

Sangudo Community Hall, 780-785-3221 or 780-785-2259

Stony Plain Seniors Drop in Centre hall available for rent. Capacity 125. Address 5018 51 Ave, Stony Plain. Phone 780-963-4707 or email stonyplainseniors@ gmail.com for info.

Stettin Nakumun Comm. Hall, 967-9198

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Acreage for sale, 3.66 acres with 3 brd 2 bathroom home in Parkland County, 15 mins west of Stony Plain, \$379,000 please call 780-968-9266

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Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. ANSWER:

You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already

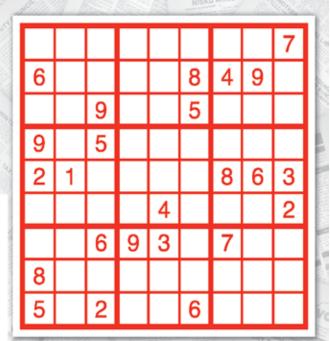
provided in the boxes. The

more numbers you name,

the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Last Weeks

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9	1	2	7	6	4	5	8	3
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## **MUNITY EVENTS**

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).

#### **FARMERS MARKETS**

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

September
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

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

Starts May 1st.

SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 10:00-1:00PM, Info (780)288-6174 \*April

- Dec.
STONY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-IPM,
Community Centre Downtown, Stony
Plain. 587-982-8303. \*April - Dec.
WHITECOURT: Tuesdays IIAM-2PM,
Whitecourt Legion Hall, 779-7002. \*May
- Oct.

#### **BINGO**

RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO: on April 9 & 23 at. 7:30PM STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN CENTRE, public bingo every Tues, 7PM. All ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-

WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE. Every Tuesday. Open @ 5pm, 1<sup>st</sup> 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.

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JUNGLES BAR AND GRILL Saturday's 3-6pm Alberta Beach 3rd Sunday a month at Wally's Bar and Grill, Onoway

month at Wally's Bar and Grill, Onoway ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Fridays, Ph. 780-967-5361
STONY PLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION 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

#### **JAMBOREES**

CARVEL: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of month. \$6 lunch served. Info 780-991-3001
DUFFIELD: Oct 26 \$20, Entertainers \$10. Dinner @ 6pm, late lunch and 50/50.
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Sept - May. except dec. 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

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

RICH VALLEY JAMBOREE: Jan 11 1-5pm

#### TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

SANGUDO: Tues 5pm at Golden Club. Toni (780)786-4612

STONY PLAIN: Thurs evening at 5:30PM, Stony Plain Library. Susan (780)

SPRUCE GROVE: Mon at 4:30pm at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Betty (780)962-3857

SPRUCE GROVE: Tues at 6:15pm at at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Sharron (780)962-2722

SPRUCE GROVE: Wed at 8:45am at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Christiane (780)960-1109

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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 – 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of month 5-8PM. Everyone welcome. For more info please call 780-

786-2470.

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION:
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#### **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

welcorne. **BADMINTON:** Wed, 7-10рм, 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.

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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.

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

SCRAPBOOKING Wed 4–6PM. Pre-register by Tues evg. Mayerthorpe Public Library www.mayerthorpelibrary. ab.ca (780)786-2404

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-

ONOWAY GOLDEN CLUB: Cards Tuesdays, 1PM. 5023 49 Ave. 780-967-

3436.

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5023-49 Ave. PH: 780-967-2056.

5023-49 Ave. PH: 780-96 PANCAKE/BREAKFAST SOCIAL: 3rd Sunday 9:00-11:30AM, Parkland Village Community Centre. \*except June, July,

August
RIVER TALKERS TOAST MASTERS
CLUB, Thursdays, 7-9PM. 32 Whitecourt
Ave. Hilltop Community Church. Info
Lorainne 286-5040.

SANGUDO ART CLUB meets every Thursday morning at 9AM at the Sangudo Community School. New members welcome. For further nformation call Brenda at 780-785

2402.

SANGUDO LIBRARY Board Games
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2025. All ages welcome! More details at
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WRITERS PROGRAM: Mayerthorpe Library, 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 1PM.

#### **MEETINGS**

1ST ONOWAY SCOUTS: Registration, Mondays 6:30-8pm. Beavers 5-7; Cubs 8-11; Scouts 12-14. Kim 967-4339. 2716 ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY CADETS, Wednesdays 6:30-9:00pm at Mayerthorpe Legion. Youths 12-18yrs, Call 780-515-1842

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

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

**526 BARRHEAD AIR CADETS,** Wed 6:30-9:30PM, High School. Ages 12-18. 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.

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AA - MAYERTHORPE, Community
Service Bldg 4909-49Ave, Thurs 8pm.
(780) 648-3903 or (780) 779-0155

AA - SANGUDO GOLDEN CLUB, Tues
8pm call 786-4402/785-9214/785-3599

AA - WHITECOURT, united church side
door, Mon, Wed, Fri 8pm call 780-424-

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 meets every 4<sup>th</sup> Tues 7:00PM, Alberta Beach Agliplex.

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

the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed, 7:00PM at Heritage House 924-3167

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS:

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: The Journey of Hope Group, Mondays 8PM, Colden 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.
CHERHIL 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

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CHERHILL SILVER & COLD SENIORS
CLUB Regular Meetings 1<sup>st</sup> 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 780999-7622. \*Sept-June.
DARWELL & DISTRICT AC SOCIETY
MEETINGS, 7:00PM, 1<sup>st</sup> Monday, Darwell
DDRA MEETING, 7:00PM, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon,

Darwell Centennial Hall 780-892-3099.
\*except Jul/Aug/Dec
CriefShare: 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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ASSOCIATION meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday,

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ASSOCIATION meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday, monthly at 7:30PM at the hall. Info W. Jager (780) 786-4648.

KINETTE CLUB OF MAYERTHORPE, 7:30PM at Kinsen Hall, 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesofmonth. Contact: mayerthorpekinettes@gmail.com, Tracy: 780-786-0161.

LAC STE ANNE ARMY CADETS, Thurs, 6:30-9:30PM at Ponway Museum (780).

6:30-9:30PM at Onoway Museum (780)

LAC STE ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR, LAC SIE 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 MANAGEMENT SOCIETY:
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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: 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs of each month, 7:00рм, room 3 of the Heritage Centre

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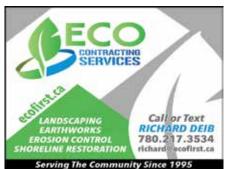
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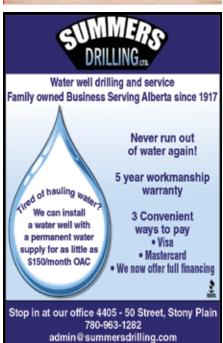


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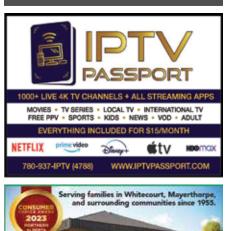














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