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CONNECTING THE CLASSROOM TO COUNCIL CHAMBERS

Submitted by Lac Ste. Anne County

Local Grade 6 classes visit the County Administration Office
Lac Ste. Anne County of-

fers annual educational tours for Grade 6 students to help them learn first-hand about municipal government. These tours are designed to align with the Grade 6 social studies cur-

riculum, providing practical insights and experiences related to the functioning of local government.

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PARKLAND RCMP INVESTIGATES VEHICLE VERSUS YOUTH PEDESTRIAN HIT AND RUN

Submitted by Parkland RCMP

On June 14, 2026, at approximately 11:13 p.m., Parkland RCMP responded to a call involving a vehicle and a youth pedestrian

on Larrys Road near Range Road 15 in Parkland County. Through investigation, police determined that between 8:30 p.m. and 10:00 p.m., a vehicle described to be an older dark colour Chevrolet pickup with a

grey canopy and a burnt-out headlight was travelling down the gravel road when they hit a male youth pedestrian and fled from the scene. The youth was located on the road, assessed

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WHITECOURT TOWN COUNCIL UPDATE

Submitted by Town of Whitecourt

The Government of Alberta is expected to submit a proposal for the West Coast Oil Pipeline

project by the end of June. The project would significantly increase market access of Alberta's oil products to Asian markets. Whitecourt has agreed to participate in a joint

letter of support for the project with Woodlands County and other regional municipalities.

The Whitecourt Fire Department presented its 2025

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Provide students with a hands-on learning experience about the roles and responsibilities of municipal governments.

Civic Engagement: Encourage students to understand the importance of civic participation and how local government decisions

affect their communities.

Real-World Connections: Help students make connections between classroom lessons and real-world governance.

Students from Darwell and Sangudo schools participated in the visit. This included a tour of the Administration Office with a

stop at Council Chambers during the June 11 Council Meeting, interactive sessions on vegetation management, water treatment, equipment exploration, and more. Wrapping up the activities with a hot dog lunch and visiting with Council & Administration.

Parkland RCMP Investigates Vehicle Versus Youth Pedestrian Hit And Run

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and treated by EMS for injuries.

“Those involved may be scared; however, fleeing the scene and leaving a victim behind is egregious and unacceptable.” Said Constable Butcher of the Parkland RCMP. “We urge those in-

involved to turn themselves in to the RCMP.”

Parkland RCMP is requesting any witnesses, or anyone with dashcam video near Larrys Road and Range Road 15 between the hours of 8:30 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. with dash camera video of any vehicles matching

description of the pickup contact the Parkland RCMP non-emergency line at 825-220-7267.



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An older, tired-looking dog wandered into my yard. I could tell from his collar and well-fed belly that he had a home and was well taken care of. He calmly came over to me; I gave him a few pats on his head. He then followed me into my house, slowly walked down the hall, curled up in the corner and fell asleep. An hour later, he went to the door, and I let him out. The next day he was back, greeted me in my yard, walked inside and resumed his spot in the hall and again slept for about an hour. This continued off and on for several weeks. Curious I pinned a note to his collar: 'I would like to find out who the owner of this wonderful sweet dog is and ask if you are aware that almost every afternoon your dog comes to my house for a nap.' The next day he arrived for his nap, with a different note pinned to his collar: 'He lives in a home with 6 children, 2 under the age of 3 - he's trying to catch up on his sleep. Can I come with him tomorrow?'

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Whitecourt Town Council Update

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Annual Fire Report, and provided the following highlights:

- The Whitecourt Fire Department responded to 433 calls in our region.

- Members logged 12,317 hours responding to incidents, and attending public events, meetings and training.

Whitecourt recently completed the 2025 FireSmart Alberta Community Scorecard which is a self-assessment tool that provides guidance on how our community can strengthen our resilience to wildland fire. Whitecourt's overall score was an A-, up from the previous score of B- in 2024, and insights gained from the process will help identify new opportunities to strengthen wildfire mitigation and preparedness.

The Pembina Gas Infrastructure Aquatic Centre at the Allan & Jean Millar Centre will be getting new in-pool water features. The new in-pool fountain feature will be installed during the scheduled facility

closure in August 2026.

The rates for the Canfor Culture & Events Centre have been adopted, and bookings are being scheduled. The Centre is scheduled to open in the fall of 2026 and more information can be found on our website.

E Construction has been awarded the contract do the 2026 Street Improvement Program. Work this year includes overlay and concrete work at various locations throughout town, as well as utility cut restoration, catch basin replacement, pathway construction and an intersection reconstruction. Construction schedules are being finalized, and further information will be provided to the community once confirmed.

The 2025 Collision Report has been prepared and will be forwarded to the Whitecourt Protective Services Committee and Alberta Transportation and Economic Corridors as information. Overall, traffic incidents are comparable to 2024 statistics, despite an increase

in traffic volumes. The number of collisions continue to remain lower than the 5-year average.

Council scheduled a workshop on June 9 to review the 20 Year Capital and Life Cycle Plan.

Whitecourt will be sponsoring the dinner and a hole at the "Swinging for a Cause" Charity Golf Tournament. The tournament is scheduled for August 27 and is raising funds for the

CT Scanner campaign led by the Friends of Whitecourt Society.

Council has authorized entering into an agreement with 489007 Alberta Ltd. for the purchase of Lot 6, Block 1, Plan 132 4870 and Lot 1, Block 1, Plan 012 5578.

Council has authorized entering into an agreement with Ember Limited Partnerships for the conditional sale of the Town Office property.

PARKLAND RCMP CHARGE IMPAIRED SUSPENDED DRIVER TRAVELLING OVER DOUBLE THE SPEED LIMIT

Submitted by Parkland RCMP

On June 7, 2026, at approximately 2:13 a.m., a Parkland RCMP officer on patrol observed an older Ford truck fail to stop for a red light while making a right turn at the intersection of 44 Avenue and Southpark Drive in Stony Plain. The vehicle then proceeded westbound at a high rate of speed.

Police followed the vehicle and observed it travelling at 120 km/h through Stony Plain, which is double the posted speed limit of 50 km/h

in that area. At the time, Stony Plain was hosting an event near the area, resulting in increased vehicle and pedestrian traffic, as well as patrons leaving local establishments in the area.

The vehicle was subsequently stopped at the intersection of 48 Street and 49 Avenue. During the investigation, police determined the driver was impaired and operating a motor vehicle while under suspension.

As a result, the driver was issued:

- A violation ticket for careless driving;
- A 24-hour Imme-

diate Roadside Suspension due to impairment; and

- A summons for driving while unauthorized.

The vehicle was also seized for 30 days under Alberta's Suspended Driver Program.

"Driving impaired and at excessive speeds is a serious danger to everyone on the road," said Inspector McGillivray of the Parkland RCMP. "This type of reckless behaviour puts motorists and pedestrians at risk, and the outcome could have been far more serious."

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STRENGTHENING SURGICAL CARE IN ALBERTA

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta is expanding surgical capacity and modernizing funding to improve access to timely procedures for patients across the province.

Alberta's government is investing \$809 million to strengthen surgical services by increasing operating room availability, expanding the use of chartered surgical facilities, and upgrading hospital infrastructure. With this investment the first phase of patient-focused funding implementation will begin to modernize how surgeries are delivered and funded.

Patient-focused funding will tie the number of patients treated to hospital funding, taking into consideration the complexity of care provided. This ensures funding follows the patient rather than traditional block funding, helping improve access to surgery and reducing wait times for procedures that can significantly enhance quality of life.

"Behind every surgery is a person waiting to get back to their life. By expanding surgical capacity and modernizing how we fund care, we are strengthening our health system so Albertans can access the care they need to return to what matters most."

Danielle Smith, Premier

First announced last year, the initial phase of patient-focused funding is now in place across 12 hospitals, applying to high-volume procedures, such as hip and knee replacements, cataract surgeries and select shoulder procedures.

Patient-focused funding has been introduced gradually in other jurisdictions over several years, including the U.K., Germany, Australia and Norway. In these cases, implementation occurred in successive stages as impacts were assessed so systems could adapt. In Alberta, future phases will be introduced following careful assessment of early results, supporting a stable and measured transition to a model that works for patients and the health system.

"Patient-focused funding is about making sure resources follow the patient and the care being delivered. We continue to learn from leading jurisdictions around the world so we can improve access, strengthen the system and deliver better care for Albertans."

Adriana LaGrange, Minister of Hospital and Surgical Health Services

Through Budget 2026, Alberta is investing \$525 million over three years in the Acute Care Action Plan. This will support up to 50,000 additional surgeries by expanding

operating room capacity in public hospitals and increasing the use of chartered surgical facilities for lower-complexity procedures. This will help free up hospital capacity for more complex cases, which will reduce wait times and improve patient flow.

"We are focused on turning capital investment into real results for patients. By upgrading and expanding operating room space in our hospitals, we are improving access to surgical care and building a stronger, more resilient system."

Martin Long, Minister of Infrastructure

In addition, Alberta is investing \$284 million over three years through the Alberta Surgical Initiative Capital Program to renovate operating rooms, upgrade surgical infrastructure and purchase new equipment in publicly owned hospitals. These investments will improve efficiency and expand long-term surgical capacity across the system.

"These targeted investments, combined with the implementation of patient-focused funding, will expand access, improve transparency and drive efficiency in surgical care across the province."

David Diamond, interim chief executive officer, Acute Care Alberta

"The implementation of

patient-focused funding is occurring in a thoughtful and intentional manner to ensure that over time, Albertans can experience the full benefits of an activity-based model, including better access, greater efficiency and improved transparency."

Dr. Aaron Low, chief medical officer, Acute Care Alberta

Alberta completed a record number of surgeries last fiscal year, performing 332,847 procedures and exceeding both its annual target and the previous year's total. Surgical volumes continued to climb throughout the year, reaching a record-high monthly total of 24,676 surgeries in March 2026. Alberta's government is continuing to build on that momentum to ensure Albertans receive care within clinically recommended timelines.

Together, these initiatives strengthen Alberta's publicly funded health care system by expanding capacity, modernizing infrastructure and improving how surgical care is delivered.





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DIVISION, GRADUATIONS, AND HOPE

Submitted by MLA Shane Getson

I am so glad to be out of the legislature. Premier Klein was very correct when he stated that if you stayed in there too long, you would contract “Dome Disease.” I wonder what he would have said about social media or the mainstream media, given the state it is in today. I personally think it’s a little like walking through the barnyard with your favorite pair of boots—you want to wash them off very carefully before you head to church. You never know what you stepped in, you can’t smell it, but those around you sure can.

One of the highlights of getting out of session is the Rainmaker Rodeo for my staff and I. For the last several years, great folks from around our constituency have made a horse available for me to ride, and it has expanded to include the MLA from St. Albert—Morinville, as well as a number of our staff. I usually have a pickup, some great volunteers to drive it, and folks to walk along handing out candy to the kids. It’s a rodeo parade after all—lots of fun all around. As tradition dictates, we take all the horses and the volunteers through the DQ drive-through for ice cream afterwards!

As usual, we had a great time, and I’d say 99.99 percent of the people in the crowd did as well. St. Albert

may be a little polarized in its politics, but as elected officials, our duty—there and in our constituency offices—is to represent the folks in our area, not the party we may belong to.

I was thoroughly disappointed to see some negative posts online claiming that I was in a “separatist truck” in the parade, especially when the post was made by a former provincial minister. A little light-hearted correction was in order, and we pointed out that we were on horses, not trucks. It didn’t stop there, however, and this is where I am, quite honestly, a little angry and disappointed in the rhetoric and mob-like mentality that is becoming too common.

A great locally owned business that offers riding programs for seniors, kids, single moms, and veterans—one that provided a horse for me to ride—was attacked online, with calls to boycott their business because they were “supporting separatists.” This company does so much for the community at the east end of the constituency. Some real good comes from giving folks—who often need a mental break—a bit of light in their lives, and what better way than with horses?

When did it become OK to go after one another like this? Who said it’s acceptable to dox, shame, call names, and outright slander someone or their busi-

ness because you don’t like who over 68 percent of the constituency elected? So, the idea is that because they can’t get to me, they go after my kids, my wife, and now family-owned businesses. It is deplorable, despicable behavior, and I’ve had enough—and I hope you have as well.

With that, I am asking for your help in taking some of the oxygen out of these types of behaviors. There is an infestation of bots online, and trolls for sure—deal with these appropriately: block and delete. When it comes to people with different opinions, agree to disagree, and take a big step away from the phone or computer. Your spouse, kids, or even your pet will appreciate the attention far more than an invisible individual on the other end of a keyboard.

When it comes to the referendum questions in the fall, well, that too shall pass. Please have respectful conversations about the concerns—the solution to the problem tends to be where most opinions differ. There have been attempts to take my views and paint me into one corner or another, and I can say this: if the last seven years of my life haven’t shown you who I am, a simple “yes or no” answer certainly won’t.

I’m about correcting problems, expanding our horizons, and building a strong Northwest Canada. While many are fighting

over “yes” or “no,” I’ll continue working on what’s possible, the future, and what matters to you.

I was invited to attend a conference by the German government in Berlin to discuss energy policy, energy transitions, and sub-national relationships. Given Germany’s recent agreement for gas from our west coast, trade concerns with the EU and the USA, and conflict in the Middle East, I’m pleased to let them know we have an abundance of safe, reliable, ethical energy to supply for generations. Let’s not get distracted by present noise, but instead, take advantage of the tail winds it provides for the future.

Unfortunately, I will miss several local high school graduation celebrations due to this trip, which genuinely makes me sad. I truly enjoy hearing from students, teachers, coaches, and fellow elected officials at these events. It’s a time to celebrate the success of hard work as another fine group of Albertans takes flight.

A huge congratulations to all the graduates, and a heartfelt thank you to everyone who supported them along the way. Your efforts were well worth it, and I will continue doing everything I can to ensure they have a great place to call home, work, and raise a family.

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ALBERTA'S SUMMER SPORT SEASON IS UNDERWAY

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Communities across Alberta are welcoming thousands of athletes and fans as a full lineup of major sport events unfolds for summer 2026.

Through the Major Sport Events grant program, Alberta's government is supporting 12 national and international competitions held between February and August 2026. Funding will help communities across the province host major events that drive tourism, showcase Alberta on the national and international stage, and drive the local economy.

Alberta's government has invested \$1.3 million through the program to support events in Calgary, Canmore, Grande Prairie, Edmonton and St. Albert across a wide range of sports, including climbing, triathlon, wrestling, curling, BMX, softball and taekwondo.

"Alberta continues to lead the way as a premier destination for major sport events, attracting top competitions, welcoming athletes and delivering real economic benefits for communities across our province. We are proud to support events that strengthen our reputation on the world stage while creating jobs and supporting local businesses."

Andrew Boitchenko, Minister of Tourism and Sport

In the first half of 2026, seven supported events were successfully hosted in Alberta between February and May, attracting more than 103,000 athletes, coaches, officials and spectators from across Canada and around the world. These events generated significant tourism and economic activity for host communities while showcasing Alberta's ability to deliver first-class competitions.

Looking ahead, five upcoming major events will take place through the summer. Together, all 12 supported events are projected to welcome more than 115,000 attendees and

generate over \$82 million in local economic activity.

"We are proud to host athletes from across North America. This event allows us to further develop the sport of competitive climbing in Edmonton and across Alberta. We love to see the excitement that a large-scale sport event generates in the community."

Adam Luciuk, founder and CEO, Climb YEG

Alberta communities will welcome five more events through the summer months, including the Edmonton Athletics Invitational, the World Triathlon Cup, the U17 Wom-

en's Canadian Fast Pitch Championships in Calgary and the Canadian BMX Championships in St. Albert. These events are expected to attract more than 12,000 athletes, coaches, officials and spectators.

"Burson Global ranks Edmonton as Canada's number one sports city, and these events bring athletes, families and fans here to experience it for themselves. Sporting events drive visitation, support local businesses and generate economic activity. Together, they directly impact Edmonton by creating a vibrant and connected city."

Traci Bednard, CEO and president, Explore Edmonton

The Major Sport Events grant program provides up to \$250,000 per event to eligible hosting organizations. Funding can be used for venue rentals, infrastructure enhancements, marketing and promotion, broadcasting, and accommodations for athletes and attendees.

Applications for the next round of funding open in fall 2026. Event organizers interested in bringing major sport competitions to Alberta are encouraged to apply.

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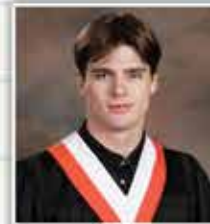
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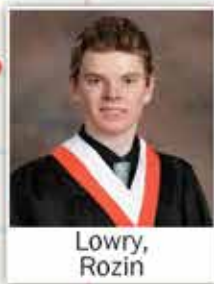


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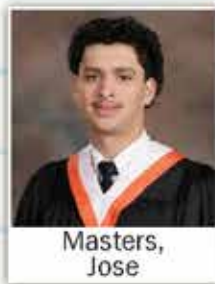
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MAYERTHORPE HIGH SCHOOL

Class of 2026



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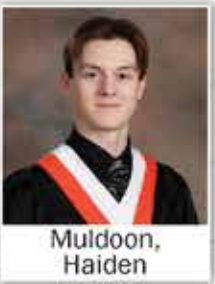
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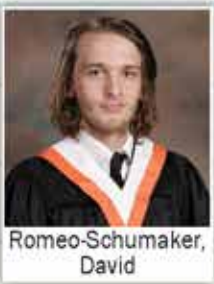
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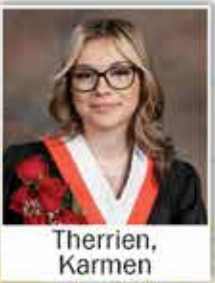
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Damian



Soichuk,
Aria



Therrien,
Karmen



Wegewitz,
Julian



White,
Parker



Wigley,
Kayla

The following businesses wish you success in all your future endeavors!

Mayerthorpe Registries
786-2033

Horzion Ag & Turf
-Mayerthorpe

786-2253

Rexall
-Mayerthorpe
786-2044

Crockett Automotive Repair Ltd.
786-2216

Pembina West Co-op
786-2093

 co-operators
Co-operator's
-Mayerthorpe
786-2750

Paddle River Concrete
786-2666

Town of Mayerthorpe
786-2416

Paddle Plastics Ltd.
786-4408

Hub Hotel
-Mayerthorpe
786-2688

 Fas Gas
Mayerthorpe
786-2523

Pure Style Hair Design
786-2271

Mayerthorpe Value Drug Mart
786-0185

Wardley Storage Co.
305-8899

Thyme For Health 'n Herbs
786-4422

Park Memorial Ltd.
-Funeral Home & Crematorium
786-2533

Vandenberg Collision Ltd.
786-2614

Peter and James Painting Ltd.
777-6051

Demers Contracting & Maintenance Ltd.
983-0872

Mayerthorpe Family Dental
786-2878

Tim Horton's
-Mayerthorpe
786-2101

Hoont Enterprises Ltd,
786-4698
cell
268-3104

Mayerthorpe Legion Br. #126
786-2470

Burger Baron
-Mayerthorpe
786-2411

Paddle Valley Parts & Supplies
786-0244

The following businesses wish you success in all your future endeavors!

**TD Bank
-Barrehead**
674-2216

**Mane
Attraction
Feed & Ranch
Supply**
780-
340-2199

**Calyx
Cannabis
Ltd.**
786-0003

**The Shaggy
Dawgs**
674-0520

**Gibbs
Contracting**
785-4002

**43 Equine
&
Mechanical**
284-3402
403-
901-6556

**Sasss Color
& Clips**
305-9044

**Suchocki
Accounting
Ltd.**
786-2131

**Barsi
Enterprises**
786-4014

**Grigg
Insurance
Brokers
(1947) Ltd.**
786-2347

**Smyl
Chevrolet
Ltd.**
778-2202

**Bilyea
Horse &
Tack Sales**
786-1977

**Ron
Prokipchuk
Trucking
-R.P.T.L.**
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**Eagle River
Chrysler
Ltd.
-Whitecourt**
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778-6668

**ATB
Financial
-Sangudo**
785-2737

**Jaded Chef
-Sangudo**
257-5304

**Ray's Auto
Repair &
Towing**
785-2251

**Community
Health
Pharmacy**
785-3784

**Sangudo
Custom
Meat
Packers**
785-3353

**Sangudo
Veterinary
Clinic**
785-2200

**Sonny's
Stucco &
Drywall**
785-2022

**Jay Day Water
Services
[www.jayday
water.ca](http://www.jaydaywater.ca)
674-0104**

**Harapchuk
Trucking Inc.**
785-2655

**Stuber's
Cat Service
Ltd.**
785-2173

**C-5 Chadd
Contractors
Ltd.**
785-2548

ALBERTA STUDENTS RANK TOP IN CANADA

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta students are among Canada's top performers in math, reading and science, according to the latest Pan-Canadian Assessment Program (PCAP) results.

The 2023 PCAP results

show Alberta Grade 8 students ranked among the top performers nationally, placing first in science, second in reading and third in mathematics.

These results highlight the strength and consistency of Alberta's education system, as well as the

dedication of students, teachers, support staff and parents in achieving academic excellence.

"Alberta's strong performance on PCAP is, above all, a reflection of student success. Students are gaining the critical skills they need in mathematics, reading

and science, thanks to the support of educators, staff and families. We will continue investing in high-quality education to ensure every Alberta student is set up for success."

Demetrios Nicolaides, Minister of Education and Childcare

Alberta Grade 8 students achieved the highest average score in science at 513, ahead of Ontario at 511 and well above the national average of 501. In reading, Alberta ranked second with a score of 508, above the national average of 505. In mathematics, Alberta ranked third with an average score of 513, above the national average of 510.

"These results affirm the strength of Alberta's Kindergarten to Grade 12 system in building the foundational skills students need to thrive in STEM pathways. I see first-hand how strong literacy, numeracy and scientific thinking translate into confidence, curiosity and readiness for post-secondary and career opportunities."

Lara McClelland, board chair, STEM Collegiate

Alberta's government will continue to work with school boards and teachers to close gaps in learning outcomes and ensure Alberta's education system remains world-class.

Lac Ste. Anne County 56521 Range Road 65, Box 219 Sangudo AB T0E 2A0 Phone 780 785 3411 Toll-free 1 866 880 5722 Email LSAC@LSAC.ca

County News Highlights

MEETINGS & HEARINGS

[LSAC.ca/meetings](https://www.lsac.ca/meetings)
Meetings and public hearings are held at the County Administration Office near Sangudo, they are open to the public and available remotely. Explore the County's online calendar for agendas, minutes, and meeting details.

Council Meeting
Thursday, June 25, 2026 at 9:30 am

MPC Meeting
Wednesday, July 8, 2026 at 9:30 am

HOW EXCESS WATER AFFECTS TREES

[atstgroup.ca](https://www.atstgroup.ca)
Trees play an important role in managing water. Their canopies and root systems capture rainfall, reduce runoff, filter pollutants, and slowly release water back into the environment. While Alberta trees often face drought conditions, periods of excessive rainfall and flooding can also create challenges.

When soil becomes saturated, tree roots are deprived of oxygen, making it difficult for trees to absorb water and nutrients. Prolonged flooding can weaken roots, damage soil health, and increase the risk of disease and insect infestations. The severity of damage depends on several factors, including how long water remains, the depth of flooding, water temperature, and the time of year.

Common signs of flood stress include:

- Yellowing or smaller-than-normal leaves
- Early leaf drop or premature fall colouring
- Wilted and scorched leaves
- Branch die back, especially at the top of the tree
- Exposed or darkened roots
- Increased susceptibility to pests and disease

Some species are naturally more tolerant of wet conditions, including willows, cottonwoods, balsam poplar, Manitoba maple, American elm, green ash, black spruce, and tamarack.

To help protect trees during wet periods:

- Plant species suited to local drainage conditions
- Improve drainage in low-lying areas where possible
- Avoid soil compaction from vehicles and heavy equipment
- Inspect trees for root damage and potential hazards
- Prune dead or damaged branches
- Monitor for signs of disease or insect activity following flooding

While most Alberta trees can withstand short periods of wet soil, prolonged flooding can have lasting impacts on their health and stability.

This article adapted from content provided by Toso Bozic, Certified Arborist. For further information please contact Toso via the ATTS Group website.

BUILDING A THRIVING LAC STE. ANNE COMMUNITY THROUGH PROPERTY TAXES

[LSAC.ca/property-tax](https://www.lsac.ca/property-tax)
Property taxes play a fundamental role in supporting and sustaining a viable community by providing a stable and predictable source of revenue for local government. They are the foundation of our community and a key component of our long term strategic plan, ensuring we can maintain essential services, invest in future growth, and respond to emerging needs responsibly.

What your property taxes do for Lac Ste. Anne County:

- Keep roads safe and passable — grading and graveling rural roads, repairing culverts, clearing snow so residents can get to work, school, and appointments.
- Support emergency response — funding volunteer fire departments, first responders, and local policing so help arrives quickly when it's needed.
- Maintain water and wastewater systems — ensuring clean drinking water and reliable sewage services for hamlets and subdivisions.
- Protect and improve public spaces — caring for parks, trails, boat launches, and the lakefront that draw families, anglers, and visitors.
- Sustain community facilities and programs — libraries, community halls, arenas, and seniors' programs that keep social life and local events thriving.
- Plan for the future — investing in infrastructure renewal, bylaw enforcement, and land-use planning that preserve property values and guide responsible growth.

Why local control matters:

- Because property taxes are collected here, decisions about spending reflect the County's priorities — whether that's fixing a troublesome stretch of road, upgrading a waterline in a hamlet, or supporting a community festival that brings neighbours together. Those investments make our county safer, more resilient, and more attractive for families, farmers, and small businesses.

A shared investment in our quality of life:

- Property taxes aren't just a bill — they're a collective community investment. When we fund reliable services and maintain the places we love, the County remains a place where people want to live, work, and visit.

Together, by investing through property taxes, we ensure the County remains a safe, vibrant, and welcoming place today and for generations to come.

Discover more online! Visit [LSAC.ca](https://www.lsac.ca) for the latest County news, events, and resources.

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DISCRETIONARY DEVELOPMENT PERMITS

LSAC.ca/permits

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

Anyone who claims to be affected and who wishes to lodge an appeal against any of these developments must do so in writing, using 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 T0E 2A0
Email: appeals@LSAC.ca

or

Land and Property Rights Tribunal (LPRT)

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

26-D0063

NE 13-57-06 W5M; 5526A TWP RD 572A

Ground Mounted Solar Panels, 10.5' x 25.7' (269.85 sq. ft.) and 10.5' x 25.7' (269.85 sq. ft.) and 10.5' x 12.9' (135.45 sq. ft.)

Appeal to SDAB by June 29, 2026

26-D0073

Lot 53, Block 4, Plan 9926332; Lakeview Place
NE 26-54-03 W5M; 310, 54425 Ste Anne Trail

Shipping container to be used for storage, Main 8.0' x 40.0' (320.0 sq. ft.) 9.6' walls

Appeal to SDAB by June 29, 2026

26-D0094

Lot 19A, Block 3, Plan 966MC; Jones Beach
SE 27-53-06 W5M; 311, 53414 RGE RD 62

Shed: 12.0' x 24.0' (288.0 sq. ft.) 10.0' walls with two front yard variance requests
Regulation: 10.0m, Requested south west setback: 4.9m, Variance: 5.1m, and Requested south setback: 2.1m, Variance: 7.9m

Appeal to SDAB by June 29, 2026

26-D0043

SE 01-54-04 W5M

45 meter Communication Tower, Base 3m x 3m

Appeal to LPRT by July 6, 2026

26-D0048

Lot 4, Block 1, Plan 3956MC; Mortenson Beach
NE 22-57-03 W5M; 129, 3215 TWP RD 574

Detached Garage, Main 16.0' x 24.0' (384.0 sq. ft.) 10.0' Walls; Front set back Garage on west side Required: 32.81' Requested: 2' Variance of: 30.81'; Side Set Back Garage on South Side Required: 19.69' Requested 5' Variance of: 14.69'

Appeal to SDAB by July 6, 2026

26-D0075

Lot 13, Block 1, Plan 939MC; Chrystyna Beach
NE 22-57-03 W5M; 24, 3215 TWP RD 574

Seacan Pool 8.0' x 40.0' (320.0 sq. ft.) 9.0' sides; Side Yard Variance Regulation: Required 6.0m, Requested: 0.5m, Variance: 5.5m

Appeal to SDAB by July 6, 2026

26-D0093

Lot 5, Block 1, Plan 0623018; Belle Vista Estates
SE 09-56-01 W5M; 5, 56110 RGE RD 13

Shipping container to be used for storage, Main 8.0' x 20.0' (160.0 sq. ft.) 8.0' walls

Appeal to SDAB by July 6, 2026

LOCAL GRADE 6 CLASSES VISIT COUNTY ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

LSAC.ca/news

Lac Ste. Anne County offers annual educational tours for Grade 6 students to help them learn firsthand about municipal government. These tours are designed to align with the Grade 6 social studies curriculum, providing practical insights and experiences related to the functioning of local government.

These tours involve:

Hands-On Learning: Provide students with a hands-on learning experience about the roles and responsibilities of municipal governments.

Civic Engagement: Encourage students to understand the importance of civic participation and how local government decisions affect their communities.

Real-World Connections: Help students make connections between classroom lessons and real-world governance.

Students from Darwell and Sangudo schools participated in the visit. This included a tour of the Administration Office with a stop at Council Chambers during the June 11 Council Meeting, and interactive sessions on vegetation management, water treatment, equipment exploration, and more – wrapping up the activities with a hot dog lunch and visit with Council & Administration.



Congratulations 2026 Graduating Class Of Hilltop Jr. Sr. HIGH SCHOOL



Bennett, Paige



Benson, Wyatt



Blake-Fingle, Teagan



Boudreau, Lucas



Frick, Jason



Bull, Brayden



Bonanni, Enalee



Cameron, Aiden



Caneto, Alexander



Cardinal, Maurissa



Coringal, Alyza



Casanas, Sam



Choniposki, Brincke



Collins, Rylan



Cato, Tessa



Craft, Lena



Langluk, McKenna



Day, Mason



Deonencio, Mia



DeVeau, Ali



Dickson, Kennedy



Doble, Jessica



Erdman, Nate



Duchesne, Avery



Ebert, Owen



Evans, Abigail



Fast, Chyanne



Fell, Trinity



Ferguson, Jimmy



Fox, Kelsey-Lee



Gadwa, Alexander



Gathwaith, Lina



Gallant, Ethan



Gibbons, Emma



Gundersen, Cayden



Gundersen, Dylan



Hamilton, Sydney



Harris, Alissa



Haug, Aeton



Hogan, Carter



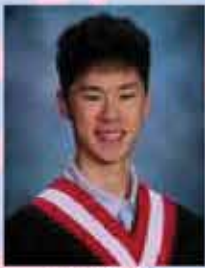
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Hollowell, Jack



Jahnke, Taylor



Jeon, Kevin



Johnson, Kaitlen



Jones, Amica



Kallham, Connor



Kendall, Malia



Kennedy, Andie



Khun-Khun, Sarina



Kumar, Arpit



Leclercq, Lily-Anna



Luccare, Landon



Letendre, Kaydeno



Letendre, Riley



Lourenco, Saige



Lowen-Rocha, Ava



MacDougall, Ethan



Machuk, Garner



Marin, Bradley



Martin, Ethan



McDonnes, Bodhi



McMalley, Hayden



Melnychuk, Finley



Merrifield, Kyoje



Merrill, Blason



Milburn, Marisa



Millington, Ella



Matko, Jacob



Myshak, Lannah



Osborn, Eden



Quorem, Jason



Parker, Liam



Parr, Gordon



Patel, Diti



Paul, Connor



Paulson, Edessa



Pelkey-Reynolds, Miley



Petrichuk, Kasha



Pfeifer, Jacob



Phillips, Graydon



Pierce, Lilli



Parnuk, Kaylee



Puddicombe, Abby



Ransawa, Ramey



Reeves, Tyson



Remillard, Jayden



Repas, Wyatt



Ricallon, Joey



Roberts, Shawn



Robertson, Hayden



Robinson, Kas



Robinson, Marley



Rock, Sophia



Rodger, Kaylan



Ross, Sydney



Sadowsky, Sara



Sanderson, Abigail



Souwry, Mikah



Schack, Cameron



Schultz-Dupuis, Keshawn



Sorigow, Jayden

Congratulations 2026 Graduating Class Of Hilltop Jr. Sr. HIGH SCHOOL



Smith, Lachlan



Smith, McKenna



Summan, Suhani



Swan, Daisy



Taylor, Cash



Tonorio, Sam



Thomas, Nathaniel



Thomas, Kayne



Thompson, Rebecca



Tustin, Paige



Tamm, Luca



Trenchard, Oliver



Trenchard, Sophia



Tysorud, Keira



Vanderwolf, Caleb



Vaughan, Ethan



Velden, Lachlan



Walker, Daniela



Walker, Peyton



Walsh, Jaxxon



Watson, Kaylen



Wood, Nathan



Wells, Eriksen



Wesenberg, Seth



Western, Ryley



Whitworth, Ryley



Wilson, Brady



Wilson, Lucas



Wilson, Luella



Woodfine, Shayla

Congratulations Hilltop Jr. Sr. High School

From the following buisnesses

RF

Reschke Fritz
LLP
Chartered
Professional
Accountants
778-3981

Smyl
Chevrolet
Ltd.
778-2202

Hadley, Asher
and Elliot's
Candy
Emporium
778-3770

CIBC
-Whitecourt
778-2268

Whitecourt Auto
Sales
(2004) Ltd.
778-8808

Just Peachy
Arts
and Crafts
778-1051

Hydro Haven
Ltd.
706-5414

Affinity
Funeral Service
-Whitecourt
778-3330

Pretty &
Polished Nails
779-9998

Boston Pizza
-Whitecourt
778-2500

EMCO
Plumbing &
Heating
EMCO CORPORATION
706-2459

Fountain
Tire
-Whitecourt
778-4401

CJ's
Liquor
778-8989

Hilltop Flowers
Ltd.
780-
396-5570

Pembina West
Co-op
-Whitecourt
778-3239

Carpetown
Interiors
778-4144

Northern
Metalic Sales
(WTC) Ltd.

779-4900

Forever Lasting
Flowers
706-0644

Stone R.V.
(New & Used
Sales & Service)
706-2223

Eagle River
Chrysler Ltd.
778-2844

A.T.B. Financial
-Whitecourt
778-2442

Whitecourt
Veterinary
Clinic
778-5767

Cloud
9 Inn
778-3133

Gold
Nails
778-4879

Matrix Group
LLP
-Chartered
Professional
Accountants
778-3091

Congratulations Hilltop Jr. Sr. High School

From the following buisnesses

Platinum Fuels Ltd.



780-396-4354

Whitecourt Sentinel Storage



706-8880



Pizza Hut -Whitecourt

778-4900

U.F.A. Cardlock -Whitecourt

706-2102

Doucette Exteriors

706-5539

1st Choice Truck & Car Wash

778-3377

Whitecourt Machine & Welding

778-3331

Scotiabank -Whitecourt

706-4017

Kim's Nails

778-8680

Original Joe's Kitchen -open til' midnight 7 days a week

778-1981

TRL Gas Co-op -Whitecourt

779-9990

Canadian Tire -Whitecourt

778-6591

Whitecourt Ford Inc.

778-4777

BarBurrito -Whitecourt

780-706-2222

Carlan Services Ltd.

778-4998

Birdsell Grant LLP -Whitecourt Office

1-800-963-8181

Park Memorial Ltd. Funeral Home & Crematorium

779-2533

Caine's Jewellers Ltd.

778-3302

Hydro Plumbing & Mechanical Ltd.

778-5520

Baron Oilfield Supply -Whitecourt

779-5222

RBC Royal Bank

778-6895

Greystone Electric

706-4440

The Garage Brewhouse and Pub

780-746-2010

Affordable Cremation & Funeral Services Ltd.

780-268-2237

Schaffer's Custom Welding

778-5611



Classified Ads - Call 962-9228

Obituaries



Hope Olga Blahun It is with great sadness and love that the family announces the passing of their beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother, Hope Olga Blahun, on May 30, 2026 at the age of 89 years after a battle with cancer. Hope will be deeply missed and lovingly remembered by her five children, Patricia Russell (Alan), Victoria Patten (Darcy), Greg (Jackie), Anna, and David (Jennifer); sixteen grandchildren, Kim Benesch (Brad), Michelle Willett (Steven Livingston), Brandy Bunt (Jeff), Clayton Russell (Lyndsay), Candice Russell (Dustin Wilkie), Meagan Lockhurst (Matt), Jayson Russell (Linnea), Darren, Mark (Barb), Scott (Samantha), Jordon (Vicky), Shawn (Paige), Nadia, Monica, Dalton, Lillian; numerous great-grandchildren and a great-great-grandchild; sister Ann Blahun; sisters-in-law Sylvia Blahun, Anne Wahlund (Bob) and Ann Werenka;

brothers-in-law William Blahun (Kerri) and Mike Yakiwczuk (Thyra). She was predeceased by her husband, Joe, her parents John and Agrepena Werenka; daughter Susanne Slemko; two infant great-grandchildren; brothers Orest and Russell; sisters Vera, Tillie, Florence and Love; and numerous sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law. She was a loving wife, mother, Baba, G-Baba, Great-Great-Baba and a wonderful friend to so many. She will be dearly missed. The family would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff at the Mayerthorpe Hospital for taking such great care of Mom.

Hall Rentals

Alberta Beach AglipleX, abagsociety@gmail.com

Anselmo Community Hall, Phone 780-786-4280

Barrhead Royal Canadian Legion: Janet @ 403-938-0012

Onoway Heritage Center - Gym/Classrooms, 967-1015

Onoway Legion, 780-973-5361

Park Court Community Hall, 727-4476

Stettin Nakumun Comm. Hall, 967-9198

Wildwood Senior Citizens Hall - Bookings - Tammy 780-667-4841

(text or phone)

Whitecourt Senior's Circle Hall 780-778-4950

For Rent

Completely renovated Motel in Onoway, AB. offering daily, weekly or monthly rentals. All utilities included, 55 inch tv with Satellite. Double beds, furnished bachelors with full kitchen and furnished 1 bedrooms with full kitchen available. Starting at \$1050 + tax. Please call for viewing, 780-967-4420 www.onowayinnandsuites.com

2bdr available at 4932 50a ave. Entwistle, AB Rent \$970 DD \$485 Including heat, water, parking, laundry. Tenant pays electricity. Put new flooring, painting. Cats are allowed. Smoking free building. you hoping to make changes too? Please contact Ivka 780 807-1300 or Elma 780 234-4504

For Sale

Firewood for sale Seasoned Split Firewood Birch Tamerack Spruce/Pine and Poplar 1/2 Cord and Full Cords Pickup/Delivery 780-951-1076

Seed Oats, 98 % germination,

Fusarium tested, No wild oats, Glyphosate free, greenfeed/silage & milling varieties, Can deliver On farm scale, jamesbeniuk@gmail.com. Woodland Lumber 780-621-2229

Collectables

I BUY GUNS / GUN COLLECTIONS, AMMUNITION AND WWI & WWII COLLECTABLES. CALL JAY @ 780-686-1350

Wanted

Pasture for rent. Must have water and befenced. 80 to 360 acres. 780-916-2333

Services

Stump Grinding for Hire - Alberta Beach & surrounding area. Call 780-779-3589

Cleaning

Ceiling & Wall Cleaning *Stipple & California Knock Down *Smoke and Odor Removal *15% Discount with this ad *We travel to acreages & farms Call Nano Clean 780-914-0323 Edmonton & Area

SUDOKU



of the week

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: Last Weeks
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!

3	5	6	8	9	2	1	4	7
7	8	1	6	4	3	9	5	2
4	9	2	5	7	1	6	3	8
1	6	5	4	2	7	8	9	3
9	3	7	1	8	5	4	2	6
2	4	8	3	6	9	5	7	1
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6	2	4	7	5	8	3	1	9
8	7	3	9	1	4	2	6	5

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8	9			7		3		

COMMUNITY 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).

St. Peter's and St. Paul's Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Onoway, Saturday, July 4, 10:30am Divine Liturgy, Blessing of paska, graves and luncheon to follow

Darwell Seniors Crib Tournament on June 20/26. Please register with Debra 780-785-2907

Darwell Crib Tournament June 20 Reg 10 play all Darwell Seniors Hall Register 780-785-2907 Debra

Your Land? Property Rights, Land Use, and Constitutional Authority in Canada, Sat June 27 12:30pm - 5pm Onoway Community Hall 4920 - 49 Ave, Onoway, Alberta Admission by Donation Live-stream: NHPPA.org/live

FARMERS MARKETS

ALBERTA BEACH: Sundays, 11:30 - 3pm. Contact Colleen 587-534-2236 *May - 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 7th.

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

STONY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-1PM, Community Centre Downtown, Stony Plain. 587-982-8303. *April - Dec.

WHITECOURT: Tuesdays 11AM-4PM, Whitecourt Curling Rink, 779-3062. *May - Sept.

BINGO

RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO: on June 17 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. Chase the Ace, \$25 Gift card & 50/50. Light lunch and fun.

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

DARWELL MARKET & MEAT DRAW 4th Sat of the month. till 4:30 (year round) All is welcome Lisa @ 780-233-0700

GUNN HALL Wednesdays during the Jamboree Doors Open @ 6:30pm

JUNGLES BAR AND GRILL Saturday's 3-6pm Alberta Beach 3rd Sunday a 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 PM Meat 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 hnbourke@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: 2nd Sunday of month. \$6 lunch served. Info 780-991-3001

DUFFIELD: Oct 26 \$20, Entertainers \$10. Doors open @ 4pm Dinner @ 5pm, late lunch and 50/50.

*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

CUNN HALL Wednesdays Doors Open @ 6:30pm Music starts @ 7pm

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.

3 day event Sept 17,18,19,20 catered meals, free camping

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

STONY PLAIN: Thurs evening at 5:30PM, Stony Plain Library. Susan (780) 968-0869

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

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

SPRUCE GROVE: Wed at 8:45am at Peace Evangelical Lutheran Church, 303 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 - 1st 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.

SPRUCE GROVE ELEVATOR TOURS, Tues-Sat, 9:00-3:00PM. Info 960-4600.

UNITED CHURCH THRIFT SHOP: North end Curling Rink, Onoway. Open Fri & Sat, 10AM-2PM.

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.

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Come play Darts: Thursday @ 6:45pm. Come join us for a laugh and fun.... oh and the darts.

COME PLAY CRIB: Fridays, 7:00PM at Darwell Seniors Hall; lite lunch is served. 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 Darwell.com or Facebook

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

ONOWAY & DISTRICT QUILTING GUILD: Every Wed, 9-4pm at Onoway Golden Club 5023 49ave. 967-4485

ONOWAY GOLDEN CLUB: Cards

Tuesdays, 1PM. 5023 49 Ave. 780-967-3436.

ONOWAY HAVE FUN & GET FIT! Exercise 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

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

SANGUDO 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.

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

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 6:30PM. Youths 12-18, 963-0843

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

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.

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 780-424-5900

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 Fieldstone Dr Church Library

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

ALBERTA BEACH & DIST LIONS CLUB meets every 4th 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 3rd Wed, 6:30PM at Admin Bldg 780-346-8030

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: The Journey of Hope Group, Mondays 8PM, 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 Mon of the month. All members invited

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

CHERHILL LEGION BR 184: is now operating under Cherhill Community Hall Meeting 1st Thursday of the month except July & August. Pancake Breakfast 9am-noon on 3rd Saturday of month for Jan, Apr, July & Oct. Contact 780-305-6399 Jim

CHERHILL SILVER & GOLD 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

DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY MEETINGS, 7:00PM, 1st Monday, Darwell

DDRA MEETING, 7:00PM, 2nd 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.

Girl Guides Embers, Guides and Pathfinders Saturdays 2-4pm Onoway Heritage Center On-line Registration www.girlguides.ca

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

GUNN COMMUNITY HALL every Wednesday Doors Open 6:30pm Music Jamb. with "Passin Through" @ 7:00pm Also Meat Draw Sales, 50-50 Sales, Nevada Sales, Food Concession & Bar.

KINETTE CLUB OF MAYERTHORPE, 7:30PM at Kinsmen Hall, 1st Tues of month. Contact: mayerthorpekinettes@gmail.com, Tracy: 780-786-0161.

LAC STE ANNE ARMY CADETS, Thurs, 6:30-9:30PM at Onoway Museum (780) 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 MANAGEMENT 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: 4th Wednesday of the month, 7:00 PM. Lake Isle Community Hall, Hwy 633 Range Rd 55. email: lakeislefarmersassociation@gmail.com. Find us on Facebook@Lake Isle Community Hall

MAYERTHORPE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY ASSOC, every 4th Mon, 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 SOBRIETY: 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

Onoway & District Historical Guild: Second Wednesday each month, 5PM, Onoway Heritage Centre

RICH VALLEY AG 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.

SANGUDO PAINTING GROUP: 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 960-5258

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