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May 3, 2016

MAYERTHORPE RCMP LAY ARSON CHARGES Submitted by Mayerthor- tive Sections as well as the residents in relation to these active investi-

Submitted by Mayerthorpe RCMP

The Mayerthorpe RCMP have arrested and charged one person in relation to the recent rash of fires in the area, of which includes the CN trestle bridge fire.

RCMP arrested and charged 19 year old, Lawson Michael SCHALM of Mayerthorpe Alberta with eighteen (18) counts of Arson.

Lawson has been held in custody and will make his first court appearance in Stony Plain Provincial Court on May 4th, 2016.

Mayerthorpe RCMP would like to thank the CN Police ,the Edmonton and Whitecourt General Investigative Sections as well as the residents of Mayerthorpe for their assistance in this investigation.

Previous Releases:

Mayerthorpe RCMP Investigation Into Additional Fires

Mayethorpe Alberta-Mayerthorpe RCMP have responded to several suspicious fires since the CN Trestle Fire that took place on April 26, 2016. Mayerthorpe RCMP have engaged the services of the CN Police as well as both the Edmonton and Whitecourt General Investigative Sections to assist in the ongoing investigations. RCMP are investigating the possible relation of these files.

Should you have any information

STOLEN PROPERTY SEIZED

EXCEEDING \$300,000.00

FOLLOWING SEARCH WARRANT

EXECUTED ON RURAL PROPERT

in relation to these active investigations, please contact the Mayerthorpe RCMP at (780) 786-2291 or Crime Stoppers.

Mayerthorpe RCMP Confirm Trestle Bridge Fire Is Suspicious

Mayerthorpe, Alta. – Mayerthorpe RCMP have confirmed that they are investigating a suspicious fire at the CN rail trestle bridge located on the northwest edge of the town limits of Mayerthorpe. Provincial fire Investigators along with CN Rail authorities are at the scene investigating what may have caused the fire in support of this RCMP led investigation.

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Great New Restaurant (Taverna PATIO OPENING SOON Meat Draw Saturdays 4pm-6pm Weekly & Weekend Specials Weekend Entertainment, VLT SATURDAY MAY 21 Show starts at 9:00 Drink Special Show starts at 9:00 Drink Special CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOR

Plain/Spruce Grove/Enoch

2016-442998 Onoway, Alberta -On April 15, 2016, at approximately 2:30 PM members of the Spruce Grove/ Stony Plain/ Enoch RCMP responded to a complaint of a possible Fraud at the Onoway Feed and Seed. A male was reporting that his credit card had been used that morning at the Onoway Feed and Seed to purchase numerous ranch supplies. RCMP obtained a description of the male suspect who had used the card

Submitted by RCMP Stony

and the vehicle with trailer that he was driving at the time.

Later that day a vehicle and trailer matching the description of the suspect vehicle was stopped by police near a rural residence, both the truck and trailer were found to be stolen. The male driver and female passenger were both arrested in connection with the fraud and possession of stolen property.

Following further investigation of the suspects and the rural property, a search warrant was executed on April 16, 2016. As a result, stolen vehicles, ATV's, livestock, livestock feed and various other property exceeding \$330,000.00 was seized.

28 year old, Devon SALISBURY of Parkland County, Alberta is now facing twenty charges including numerous counts of possession of stolen property over \$5,000.00, altering a Vehicle Identification Number, possession of a controlled substance, and fraud.

28 year old Kayla SORIA, also of Parkland County, Alberta, is facing seven charges in relation to the occurrence.

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May 3, 2016 THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ASSISTED IN MAYERTHORPE TRESTLE FIRE

Submitted by Kate Patrick, Mayor, Town of Mayerthorpe

On behalf of the Town of Mayerthorpe we would like to thank all who assisted in the trestle fire that occurred on April 25th, 2016:

Mayerthorpe Fire Department Anselmo Fire Department Woodlands Fire Department Lac Ste. Anne Fire Department Mayerthorpe Peace Officer RCMP CN Rail Alberta Forestry ESRD - Airtankers EMT Town Staff EOC Members & any other service involved We truly are "Everybody's Community"

Pictures courtesy of the Town of Mayerthorpe









GARAGE & ANTIQUE SALE

SATURDAY, MAY 14TH SUNDAY, MAY 15TH

10 AM - 8 PM 4720 – 48 St., Onoway, Alberta RAIN OR SHINE

Husky, Sunoco, Harley Davidson & Indian Gas Pumps, Coke table & chairs, Nostalgic Coke machine, Coke collectibles, Motorcycle Desk Lamps and Signs, exhaust pipe bender, 20 ton Hydraulic Press, hand and power tools, engine stands, pipe wrenches, small drill press, various fans, 4 stroke weed wacker, kerosene & propane heaters, 220 construction heaters,

Antique lamps, crocks, egg cups, Motorcycle/ATV Jack stand, Porcelain pump plates, petroleum collectibles, Nascar jackets & hats, Air compressor on trailer & small sandblaster,16 ft. Cargo Trailer with motorcycle chocks, Small Bubble Trailer, and much more.

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Submitted by RCMP St Albert

File: 2016 – 285927

St. Albert, AB - On April 14, 2016, as a result of a drug investigation, the St. Albert RCMP Drug Section conducted a drug search warrant on a residence in Heritage Lakes in St. Albert. As a result of that search, the RCMP seized:

• approximately 2 ounces of cocaine,

• over 3 pounds of marijuana,

• multiple ounces of THC resin – commonly known as "shatter" on the street, • hundreds of pills packaged for illicit sale. The pills still have to be analyzed to determine which drugs they contain.

• A stolen grey 2009 GMC Sierra truck, and

• A stolen red 2008 Honda quad.

A 22 year old female resident of St. Albert was arrested at the scene of the Search Warrant and is facing pending charges.

Bradley Thomas Cooper, age 37, of St. Albert, Alberta has been charged with several crimes including Possession of Drugs for the Purpose of Trafficking and Possession of Stolen Property. Mr. Cooper has not

START YOUR DAY REAT.



STE. ANNE NATURAL GAS CO-OP LTD.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING & CALL OF DIRECTOR NOMINATIONS

The Annual Meeting of the Ste. Anne Natural Gas Co-op Ltd. will be held at 7:00pm on August 18, 2016 at the Co-op office located west of the Onoway turn off on Highway #43. The purpose of the meeting is for interested Members to hear the Auditor's report on the previous fiscal year's financial statements as well as reports from the Board and Management on various facets of the Co-op's operations. There are 3 - 3 year Director's terms open for election at that time. As per Supplemental Bylaw #8, the Secretary of the Association will accept nominations for the position of Director for any member in good standing up to close of business (4:30 p.m.) on June 10, 2016 at the Co-op office. **NO NOMINATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THAT TIME.** More details on the Annual Meeting as well as the list of candidates nominated will be available in July.

Nomination Process

Nominations to the Board must have the signature of the candidate and certifying that he/she is a member in good standing. As well as the person or persons making the nomination must also sign indicating that they are also a member(s) in a good standing.

been located and a warrant for his arrest has been issued. He already has outstanding warrants from Edmonton and St. Albert for previous alleged violence related charges including Aggravated Assault and Assault with a Weapon.

St. Albert RCMP is looking for your help on these crimes. If you have any information about the location of Mr. Cooper or any crime, call the St. Albert RCMP at 780-458-7700, or if you wish to remain anonymous, call Crime Stoppers. At Crime Stoppers, you do not need to reveal your identity. Crime Stoppers does not subscribe to Call Display, Call Trace or tape any phone calls. If your information leads to an arrest, you may qualify for a cash award up to \$2,000.00. We want your tip, not your name. Call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS).



Page 6 Community Voice May 3, 2016 **UPDATE NEW ONOWAY JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL**











Onoway Ball and Soccer Association is hosting a softball day camp on Saturday June 4, 2016

"Swede Moren Ball Park" Free T-Shirt

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***Extended Registration until May 11, 2016 (Cash or Cheque accepted) contact: Catherine@golite.ca

Come out and learn all the positions and fundamentals of the game, plus have fun III

Ball cap & glove are required Bring your Helmet if you have one Hot dogs juice box/water will be provided For more information contact Catherine Bennett at 780-940-2417 or catherine@golite.co

*** This event is rain or shine. (In the event of lightning, down pour or snow the event will be concelled

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May 3, 2016 Community Voice Page 7 PARKLAND POSSE LACROSSE 2016 LAX DAY



Submitted by Kristen Lindstrom, Promotions -Parkland Posse Lacrosse

Parkland Posse held their season opening LAX day on Saturday April 16 at Glenn Hall Arena in Stony Plain.

Multiple events were planned for the day to engage players and community. 21 team photos were taken for Parkland Posse and Posse apparel, featuring their new logo, was on sale. In addition, CAN LAX had a booth set up selling lacrosse merchandise and stringing heads for players. Volunteers were busy barbequing burgers and hot dogs to raise money for the club. A shout out to Stony Plain Co-Op for their great service, having all the food ready for pickup early Saturday morning and supplying the BBQ.

To tie up a great day 3 games were played. Posse Peewee B1 played Westlock Rock and Posse Midget A played Sherwood Park Titans in exhibition games. The third game was the first season game between Posse Bantam A's and Saskatchewan Swat. All posse teams secured wins in their games – what a great start to the season for our players and coaches!

A huge thank you to all the volunteers who helped to make this day a success.



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BULLYING Tips for Dealing With Bullying

1) Take complaints of bullying seriously. Do not dismiss your child or expect your child to work through the situation alone.

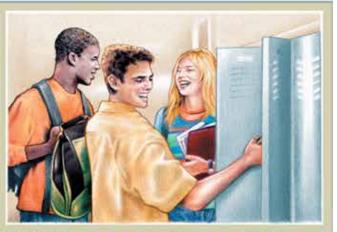
2) Praise your child for reporting bullying situations to you and assure your child you will take action.

3) Talk to your child's teacher, counselor, or other caregiver about reports of bullying.

4) Work together to address the bullying situation. Don't confront the parents of the bully directly.

5) Ask your child specific questions about how your child is treated by peers, who he or she eats lunch with, and how other children are treated.

6) Teach your child to be assertive. Your child should be able to express feelings and needs clearly, without shouting or other aggressive behavior.



7) Provide opportunities for your child to make friends. Identify some of your child's interests and encourage your child to pursue them through sports, clubs, or other group activities.

8) Teach your child to identify bullying behaviors. These include hitting, damaging possessions, threatening, name calling, & excluding someone



RURAL CRIME AWARENESS

Protect machinery from theft by leaving valuables locked in a shed or storage facility and by marking equipment with your drivers licence and province of issue (an engraver can be borrowed free of charge from most local police detachments).

Protect livestock by checking herds regularly and keeping accurate records of livestock born, sold or purchased.

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Submitted by Onoway SDA Church

Summary: A raw vegan cooking seminar comes to Onoway on May 15

You've heard of raw and vegan "cooking" and you've probably thought to yourself, I could never do that! But did you know incorporating just some healthy un-cooking practices can help you with conditions such as high cholesterol, high blood pressure, diabetes and obesity?

You can learn how on May 15th when the Un-Cooking Seminar, presented by lifestyle guru Janet Thomsen, shows attendees how to turn down their stove and turn up their health, without sacrificing taste.

This is a great way to learn some new things you can make in your kitchen that your whole family will love. In fact, switching to a raw vegan diet has been a lifesaver for many people, one of which attends the Onoway Seventh Day Adventist Church. This member was on insulin for over thirty-eight years. He was always health conscious, eating a vegetarian diet, walking for exercise, and even ate a vegan diet most of those years, but the need for insulin was always there. A huge reversal came when he stopped cooking his healthy meals and went raw vegan. After only two weeks on the raw food lifestyle he had to stop

SIMPLY RAW UN-Cooking Seminar

This raw foods seminar will discuss the delicious and health-restoring benefits of live raw food and how this way of eating enhances your health.

Breakfasts, lunches, suppers, desserts – all prepared in a manner that promotes abundant and radiant health.

Come on out, enjoy the food demonstration & sample delicious live raw foods recipes.

WHAT: Live Raw Food Un-Cooking Seminar

> WHEN: Sunday, May 15, 2016 3:00pm – 5:00pm

WHERE: Onoway Seventh-day Adventist Church 2026 Hwy 37 Onoway

> Registration: \$15.00 per person

Must pre-register by May 10, 2016

Phone: Evangeline @ 780-967-5461

all his insulin. His blood sugars normalised and he has been insulin free since 2010!

The Onoway Seventh-day Adventist church (www.facebook.com/OnowaySDAChurch) wants to reach out to the community with information that could help others regain their health, and also for those that would just like to learn something new. Whether you would like to go raw vegan or simply incorporate a few healthier recipes into your menu planning, this seminar is for you.

It is now known then when you heat foods to over 118 degrees, most of the enzymes are destroyed. Thomsen demonstrates the most delicious meals and delectable desserts, all of which retain all their phytonutrients by simply "un-cooking" them. You won't believe your eyes – or your taste buds.

Please pre-register for this seminar by May 10. The cost is only 15.00 to help with food expenses. Call Evangeline at 780-967-5461 to register and for more information – and warm up your taste buds by checking out Thomsen's Pinterest boards at www.pinterest.com/thomsen3/ raw-desserts/ and https://www. pinterest.com/thomsen3/rawbreads-and-crackers/.

Source: Onoway SDA Church Contact: Evangeline, 780-967-5461





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CELEBRATE SPRING WITH THE LAC STE. ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR

Submitted by Jean Moses

Members of the Lac Ste. Anne Community Choir, under Director Debbie Rosen, with help from accompanist R.J. Chambers, have been polishing the wide range of popular, ethnic and classical harmonies that make up the season's music. "That sounded really good, but let's go again from B on page 3, making sure you observe the dynamics." Direction like this from Debbie tells the members that the finishing touches are going on, just in time for the spring concert season of this almost

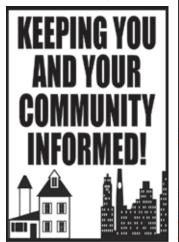
50-member group.

The first performance for this popular community group is at 7 p.m. on Sunday, May 15 at the Lac Ste. Anne Catholic Mission. Admission is free, but donations will be gratefully accepted.

On Wednesday, May 18, the choir will entertain residents at the Chateau Lac Ste. Anne Seniors' Centre (5123 49 Ave,) Onoway. Although this 6:30 p.m. performance is primarily for residents, the general public is also welcome.

The next local performance is 7 p.m. on Wednesday, May 25 at St. John's Anglican Church (4803-50 St.) in Onoway. Admission is \$10, with tickets available from choir members, church members or at the door.

On Sunday, May 29 the Lac Ste. Anne Community Choir has



been invited back to to sing at Hope Lutheran Church in Edmonton, (5104 - 106 Ave.). The performance begins at 7 p.m., and also features the Hope Lutheran Men's Choir. Again, admission is free but freewill donations will be accepted.

The final performance of the season will be a joint concert with the Joe Saumer Big Band on Saturday, June 4. Beginning at 7 p.m., it will be at Immanuel Lutheran Church of Rosen-

thal (52401 – Range Road 13). That's just west of Stony Plain on Hasse Road. A reception after the concert gives friends and family a chance to socialize with members of both the choir and the band. Tickets are \$15 each, available from members of both the Lac Ste. Anne Community Choir and the Joe Saumer Big Band, as well as at the door.

The Lac Ste. Anne Community Choir is open to anyone over 18, whether experienced singer or not. Since it began, the choir has grown from the original five members to almost 50 singers. No auditions are required, and there's no need to read music or have choir experience. All that's needed is a love for singing, and a wish to meet other like-minded people. The next season will begin after Labour Day. Watch for details in August.

Questions? Call Eunice at 780-892-3159 or Judey at 780-924-3478.



VOLUNTEERS "SPRING CLEAN" ALBERTA HIGHWAYS

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Young volunteers will be on the road Saturday, May 7, during the Annual Highway Cleanup event.

Motorists will see volunteers wearing safety vests and picking up garbage along roadsides across the province as they earn money for their community or-

ganizations. In the event of bad weather, the cleanup will take place the following Saturday, May 14.

The annual highway cleanup was established as a fundraiser for non-profit and community organizations and to help clean up provincial highway right-ofways. The event is held each year on the first or second Saturday of May, depending on weather.

Last year, the Alberta government contributed \$1,032,282 to 650 volunteer organizations as 16,245 volunteers helped clean up more than 11,400 kilometres of Alberta roadways.

Volunteer organizations include 4-H clubs, Scouts, Girl Guides, Rotary clubs, sports teams and various non-profit groups. Groups must register with the province as non-profit organizations to participate. Organizations can earn between



\$81 and \$101 per kilometre cleaned, with the higher amount going to those groups cleaning highways closer to urban centres, which tend to have more trash accumulated.

Anyone over the age of nine is welcome to participate in the cleanup and more information can be received by calling 310-0000 toll-free or by visiting the Annual Highway Cleanup website.

Motorists are asked to slow down, obey signs and be cautious when passing cleanup crews. Pedestrians are discouraged from randomly walking the highways, and anyone involved in the cleanup is asked to be aware, make sure they are visible, and obey all traffic signs.

Volunteers will be wearing bright orange safety vests and will be out from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. They must attend a safety training program and be under adult supervision.



GLENN VAN DIJKEN, MLA Barrhead - Morinville - Westlock Constituency A strain of the May 3, 2016

CELEBRATE KIDS ONOWAY HEALTH & WELLNESS FAIR

The 7th year of the "Celebrate Kids Onoway Health & Wellness Fair" at the Onoway Heritage Centre had the best turn out yet. All kids received a gift bag at the front entrance. People from the community brought in donations for the food bank, the admission was free of charge. There was lots of learning and activities for the kids to participate in. The goal was to have a day full of fun for the kids. This included various activity stations. Some activities that were provided was the story time reading, washable tattoos, giant Jenga, Play-Doh, etc. There were lots of kids participating in the healthy eating booth where they were taught about healthy smoothies for every day nutrition. Another learning experience that they were engaged in was the harmful aspects of the E- Cigarette from the tobacco reduction booth. A Big thank you to all the sponsors who helped make this event possible; ATB Financial, Pembina Gateway Parent Link Centre, the County of Lac. Ste. Anne, and Alberta Health Services.

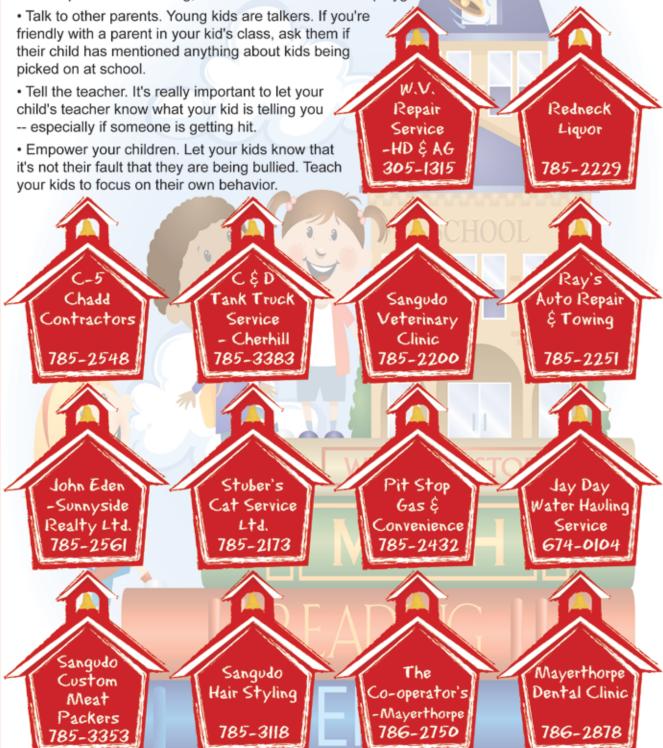
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• Take it seriously. It's easy to say, "Kids will be kids" and assume it will pass. But if your child is coming home upset and is suddenly anxious about school because of the way a kid (or kids) are treating him, you should pay attention.

• Drop your kid off at school or stand on the sidelines during recess. Bullying tends to occur when adult supervision is lacking, so before school or on the playground at recess.



May 3, 2016

RCMP BEATS

Submitted by Stony Plain/ Spruce Grove RCMP

Occurrences for the week of April 18 to April 24, 2016. Total Calls for Service Spruce

Grove/Stony Plain Detachment: 460

Total Calls for Service for the Victim Service Unit: 30 Persons Crimes: 48 Property Crimes: 79

Impaired Driving Complaints reported: 7

Impaired Driving Charges Laid: 1

Roadside Suspensions: 1 Motor Vehicle Collisions At-

tended: 28

Property Crimes:

Spruce Grove

1. April 20 – Area of Linkside Boulevard – Break and Enter to Garage, Honda generator, welder stolen

2. April 21 – Area of Bristow Crescent – Break and Enter to Garage, bike, ski equipment, snowboard, tools stolen

3. April 21 – Area of South Avenue – Theft from Vehicle, tires and rims removed

4. April 21 – Area of Spruce Ridge Drive – Theft from Vehicle, tools stolen

5. April 21 – Area of Century Road – Theft of Vehicle, 2012 black GMC Sierra

6. April 21 – Area of Calahoo Road – Theft of Vehicle, 2006 white Ford F250

7. April 24 – Area of Meadowview Court – Break and Enter to Garage, chainsaw stolen

Stony Plain

8. April 21 – Area of Brickyard Place – Theft from Vehicle, purse stolen

9. April 21 – Area of Genesis Drive – Theft from Utility Trailer, tools stolen

10. April 23 – Area of 49 Avenue and 47 Street – Theft of Bike, blue BMX Mongoose

11. April 24 – Area of Willowdale Place – Theft from Vehicle, keys and engine tuner stolen

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AUCTION SALE

For the Business of Van Netten's Auto - Repair Inc. SATURDAY MAY 28, 2016 at 10:30 am Industrial Area 75H Shep Street Spruce Grove Viewing sale day only

<u>Vehicles:</u> 1972 GMC 1 ton tow truck new 6-cly engine 4 spd transmission comes with Holmes 10 ton wrecker, 2002 Dodge Caravan Sport 225,000 km pw pl ps air duel sliding rear doors [comes with mechanical inspection], 1999 Toyota RAV4 4-cyl 5 speed [comes with mechanical inspection], 1998 Toyota RAV4 4-cylinder Auto will come with a separate replacement transmission [might be installed], 1979 GMC ³/₄ Ton pickup truck 2 wheel drive standard cab 350 Auto 125,000 km [comes with mechanical inspection], 1980 Ford class C motorhome 21' 351M Auto sleeps six 122,000 km nice shape[comes with mechanical inspection]



Hoists: Bend PAK 9000lbs 4 post hoist comes with 6000lbs wheel lift, ALM 9000lbs 2 post car lift, BRAD PAK scissor jack 3000lbs,

Shop Tools: FMC brake lathe [drums and rotors], Drum Brake lathe [drums and rotors], De VILBLISS air compressor 5 hp 120 gallon tank, Westward 8" ³/₄ Hp bench grinder, Wynns air conditioning recover/recharge system, Wynns coolant filter system, 4 heavy duty car stands, 3 Ton floor jack, 5 Ton floor jack, fanbelt measuring tool, air power tire machine, tire rack, transmission jack, spring/strut compressor, 10 Ton port-a-power, electric wheel spinner, 3 hp single stage air compressor, fluid evacuator, parts washer, Record # 6 vise, Lincoln 225 arc welder, sandblaster, engine hoist with balance bar, diesel engine compression gauge – new, ½ inch drive sockets, ¾ inch drive sockets, various hand tools, shop vac.

<u>Misc</u>: 16 foot work bench, office desk, various fan belts, tires, steel, 400 litre tank with stand, new oil (various), shop cabinets, new body panels for a 1979 GMC truck, 1 meter paper dispenser, paint cabinet (fire proof), air hoses, regulators, bolt bin, grease pails comes with pump, shop cart, 230-volt air compressor, electronic time clock, 12 ft step ladder, scaffolding, wall mount fan, shop manuals, misc auto parts, canoe 12- ft wood-canvas, & microwave.

Mr. Ted Van Netten has been at this location 30+ years there are manuals for many of the large items.

This is a brief listing and <u>no</u> additional items have been consigned to this sale. This list is a guide only; please inspect items before bidding. Not responsible for description or condition of items sold. Listing is subject to additions and deletions. GST will be added to all applicable items and there is **no** buyer premium, cash or cheque only. Viewing is Sale day only.



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ST ALBERT RCMP AND MUNICIPAL ENFORCEMENT JOIN FORCES WITH EDMONTON POLICE TO CATCH SPEEDERS

Submitted by RCMP St Albert

The Alberta Selective Traffic Enforcement Program(STEP), Traffic Safety Calender lists Speed, Aggressive Drivers and Motorcycles as the target for enforcement activities in the month of April. 4 Edmonton Police West Division Traffic officers, 2 St Albert RCMP Traffic Unit officers and 2 St Albert Municipal Enforcement officers took part in a Joint Forces Operation for speed enforcement on April 22, 2016 that resulted in 35 traffic tickets being issued and 1 Suspended Driver being charged under the Criminal Code.

This Targeted traffic enforcement activity was held on LeClair Way just west of Sir Winston Churchill and near the exit from the Anthony Henday towards Ray Gibbon Drive. "Aggressive drivers and speeding drivers cause collisions and endanger all of us." warns Cpl. Tim Gaultois, Non-Commissioned Officer in charge of the St. Albert RCMP Traffic Unit. "Plan your day to give yourself extra time to get to your destinations and help keep everyone safe this spring."



COMMUNITY WALKTHROUGH OF ONOWAY JR/SR HIGH SCHOOL

Submitted by John Lobo, Acting Principal, Onoway Jr/Sr High School

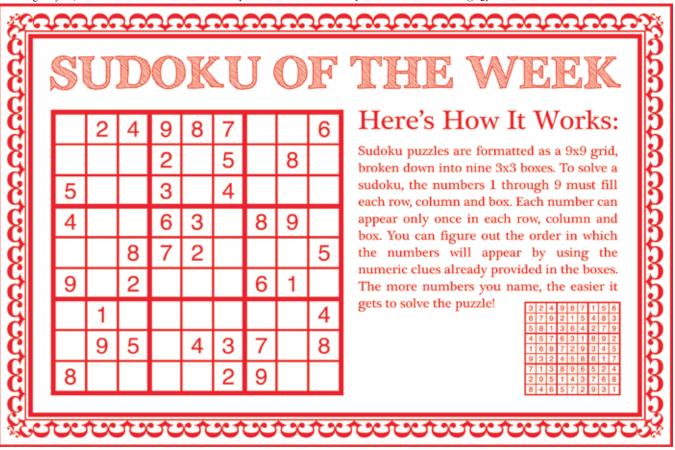
On SATURDAY May 28 from 1-5 OHS is welcoming the community to celebrate the current school. As we will not have access after June 6 to the Cafeteria, Band Room and Large Gym, this will the last time for previous staff / students and community members to walk through whole school.

We will have the following items available

1. Ceremonial book- pics of murals/ doors/ select stories - collated by Mr Chiumento and Mrs Pederson. This book will be sold for \$20. We have 400 copies ordered. 2. Door Murals- We have made an agreement with the builder and demolition company to have all the painted door made available to OHS as of June 28-29. On May 28, people will have an opportunity to leave a sealed bid on any of the doors they wish to have .Students who have painted a specific doors may contact the school ohs@ngps. ca or 780967-2271 to discuss a binding bid prior to May 28. They must pick up the door between June 28/29 as part of this fundraiser.

3. Opportunity to leave a memory statement - typed

4. There will be more information about online posting of memories and book orders closer to May 28



PEMBINA PIPELINE PROJECT SCHEDULED TO START IN JUNE

Submitted by Tara Gallant

The Town of Whitecourt is pleased with Pembina Pipeline Corporation's recent announcement that it has received approval from the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER) to proceed with construction of the Fox Creek to Namao Pipelines.

The project, valued at \$2 billion, involves the construction of two 270 kilometre pipelines between Fox Creek and Namao. It is the largest capital project in Pembina's history. Construction of the pipelines is expected to generate 160 jobs to the local economy, and the economic benefit to our service industry is valued in the millions of dollars. Construction is scheduled to start mid-June, with an in-service date anticipated in mid-2017.

Pembina Pipeline has committed to housing non-local workers and contractors in local hotels, and is not planning to develop a camp for project employees. This is fantastic news for the local hospitality industry, as well as other businesses in our service sector.

"The impact this project will have on our community is substantial – not only in the short term during construction, but well into our future. It will ensure that resources from our region can reach processing facilities to meet current market needs, and will have the potential to be expanded as demand grows," stated Whitecourt Mayor Maryann Chichak. "I'm also extremely pleased with Pembina Pipeline's decision to support the hospitality industry to house workers. This decision alone will add hundreds of thousands of dollars to White-court's economy."

Representatives from Pembina Pipeline will be discussing the Fox Creek to Namao project at the May 18 Business Support Network meeting. The meeting, which is free to attend, is scheduled from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Forest Interpretive Centre. For more information on the Business Support Network visit www.whitecourtbsn.ca.

RCMP Beats

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Rural

12. April 18 – Area of Township Road 540 and Range Road 42 – Theft of ATV, 2007 red Honda TRX500

13. April 19 – Area of Township Road 522 and Range Road 27 – Theft of Vehicle, 2006 white Ford F250

14. April 19 – Area of Township Road 511 and Range Road 261 – Break and Enter to Residence, television and food items stolen

15. April 20 – Area of Township Road 511 and Range Road 261 – Break and Enter to Garage, kids green 70cc ATV, pressure washer, weed whacker, and chainsaw stolen

Stony Plain/Spruce Grove RCMP remind you not to make it easy for thieves. Many vehicle thefts are crimes of opportunity – never leave a vehicle running when it is unattended.

The Spruce Grove / Stony Plain Drug Section Information Tip Line is 780-968-7212. Anyone with drug information is asked to call and leave a message.

If you have information regarding any of these crimes, or any other crime, please call the RCMP At 780-962-2222 or 780-968-7267. You can also call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477or text the keyword TIP205 (TIP250 for Edmonton Metro) & your Tip to CRIMES (274637)

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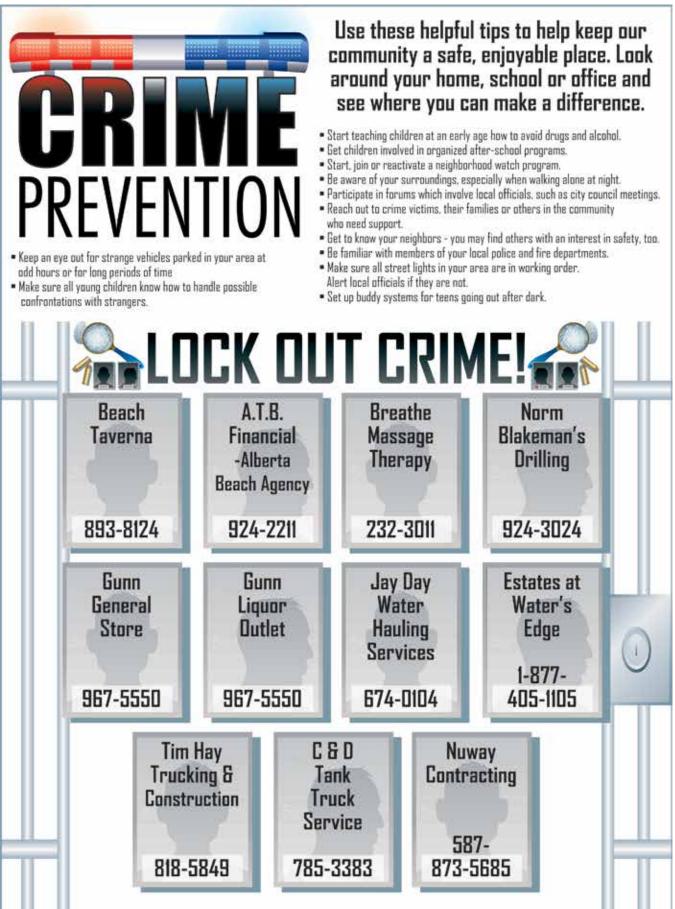
TIPS TO SPOT AN IMPAIRED DRIVER

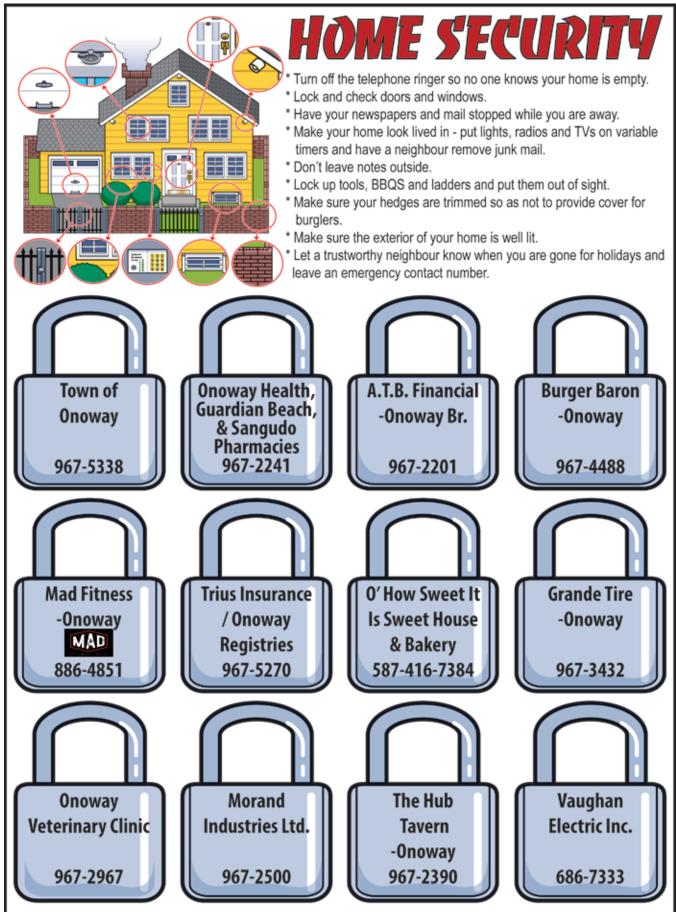
Drivers who are impaired by fatigue, drugs, alcohol or other distractions such as cell phones, are a danger not only to themselves, but also to the innocent drivers around them. If you witness any of the behaviors below, call 911 and tell the operator that you are calling to report an impaired driver. Be prepared to describe the make, model, color and license plate number of the vehicle, and provide its exact location.

Signs of impaired driving include:

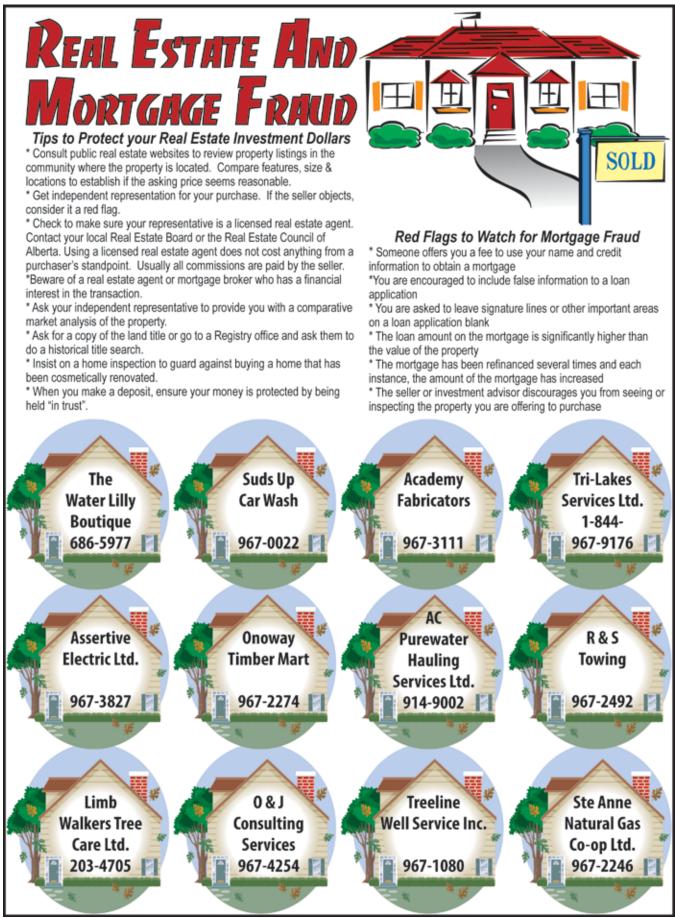
• Failure to turn on headlights at night. • Illegal or sudden turning. • Turning within an unusually wide radius. • Nearly striking other cars or objects. • Sudden or erratic braking. • Drifting, swerving or weaving. • Driving with the face close to the windshield. • Drinking alcohol in the vehicle. •Driving much slower than the posted speed limit. • Rapidly accelerating. • Tailgating. • Driving in the middle of the road, or with the left tires on the center line. • Responding slowly to traffic signals

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Leann Knysh Diamond Realty (2007) Ltd.	Chico's Vacuum Service Ltd.	Dianne's Tri Village Pizza	Lanman Landscapes	Jungles Bar & Grill		
963-8832	924-2435	924-3132	977-6586	924-2242		
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The Hey Loft	Norm Blakeman's Drilling	Jack's Auto Body Ltd.	Breathe Massage Therapy	ATB Financial -Alberta Beach Agency		
924-3133	924-3024	967-5850	232-3011	942-2211		





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Submitted by Lorinda Mc-Cool

Greetings from the Onoway Legion.

Did you know, according to the Edmonton Humane Society calendar, that the first week of May is Be Kind To Animals Week? Please give your critters an extra pat or two to show your appreciation for the joy they bring into our lives.

Congratulations to Cory Gyman and Peter Menzel for placing fifth at the 8-Ball Pool team finals held at the Drayton Valley Legion on April 15 & 16. They competed hard on both days and we greatly appreciate their representation of the Onoway Legion at the Alberta/NWT Provincial Finals.

The Tuesday Night Darts were attended by two members that hadn't been there in a very long time. It was really nice to see Gordon Ness and Spencer Wall for the first time this year and hope they enjoyed their evening as much as everyone else seemed to.

The Roast Beef Supper on April 22 was completely sold out and unfortunately we had to turn some customers away at the door. Bob, Ron, Marcelle, Cheryl, Kyle and Kristina did a great job in the kitchen and our Scouts Harvey, Samantha and Marshall once again cleared and cleaned the tables. Victoria Williams won the free meal voucher, the meat draw was won by Shane Brown-Lefebvre and the 50/50 draw was won by Lisa Johnson. The popularity of the meals has increased to the point that reservations are recommended if you would like your meal guaranteed. Please phone Bob Clark @ 780-967-3640 before 3:30 on the Friday or call the Legion @ 780-967-5361 after 3:30 to place a late request for a plate. Answering machines are on both phones and if you would like a call back to confirm your reservation please leave your message and include your phone number. We try to keep some plates for walk in customers and are now opening up for meal sales at 4:30 instead of 5:30 to allow for a more comfortable and less hurried evening. Thank you for your support as our Friday Night meals contribute greatly to the success of the Onoway Legion.

VE Day Celebration Ceremonies to honor our veterans start at 2:00pm on Saturday, May 7th and are free to the public. If you wish to join us for a roast beef supper at 4:30pm please purchase your meal tickets at the Legion. Everyone is welcome and you do not have to be a Legion member to attend.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

May 3 – Tuesday Night Darts May 4 – Wednesday Night Pool and Games

May 6 – Chicken Cordon Bleu Supper

May 7 – VE Day Celebrations @ 2:00 PM followed by a Roast Beef Supper @4:30 PM

May 10 – Tuesday Night Darts May 11 – Wednesday Night Pool and Games

May 13 – Pork Steak Supper The Legion phone number is 780-967-5361. Please contact Ted Latimer @ 780-967-4980 for hall rentals, Bob Clark @ 780-967-3640 to reserve your plate for the Friday Night Supper, for meal inquiries/suggestions or to volunteer in the kitchen, Cheryl Sadler @ 780-967-4146 for membership and Lorinda McCool @ 780-967-3640 to place information in the Legion newsletter. See you at the Onoway Legion and have a great week!





INVASIVE AND THREATENING SPECIES

Introducing chemicals or pollution into the environment can compromise an ecosystem. However, seemingly harmless non-native plants and animals can do an equal share of damage as well. Many people might be surprised to learn that invasive species can cause turmoil in the environment, even contributing to the destruction of certain ecosystems. Certain invaders are more virulent than others.

Non-native species of animals and plants are like enemy marauders. They may look like the other wildlife around, but they do not quite meld with the environment. When the ecosystem is not equipped to handle a non-native species, these species can quickly consume all of the resources and multiply so quickly that they effectively obliterate the native species.

Many non-native species of

plants and animals become problematic when they are put into an environment inadvertently, such as when they hitch a ride on other items. Plant life may be brought home from a vacation abroad, or new animals can be introduced to the environment if they escape as pets. Shipping vessels can bring back microscopic sea creatures, and insects have been known to hitchhike on various modes of travel. Although efforts are made to prevent new species from invading an area, it's impossible to catch everything.

Because these plants and animals likely have no natural predators in their new surroundings, they can reproduce much faster and take over. The following are just a few of the globally invasive plants and animals that can threaten local ecosystems.

Asian tiger mosquito: Spring and summertime outings have re-



mained forever changed thanks to this highly invasive mosquito. Its distinctive black and white stripe pattern helps the Asian tiger mosquito stand out from others. Native to tropical and subtropical areas of Southeast Asia, scientists believe it has quickly become one of the planet's most widely-distributed animal species, spreading to at least 28 countries in a matter of 20 years. It's believed these mosquitoes hitch rides on imported tires.

Asian carp: There are many different species of carp, which are native to Russia and China. Large fish with voracious appetites, carp take food right out of the mouths of native fish. These fish also stir up sediment in lakes and riverbeds, changing clear water to murky water, thus pushing out some species that can no longer survive.

Burmese python: These tropical snakes have been introduced into many warm areas, including Florida. Many were taken as pets only to outgrow their indoor habitats. They can live in the water and climb trees. With their massive size (20 feet in length), the pythons have few predators and require a lot of prey. Florida wildlife experts estimate 30,000 Burmese pythons reside in Everglades National Park alone. They even feast on alligators.

· Soapbush: Sometimes referred to as Koster's Curse, this is a perennial shrub that is highly invasive in many tropical regions of the world. Originally from Mexico and the Caribbean, soapbush was introduced to Hawaii in the 1940s and quickly began taking over.

• Kudzu: This vine is native to Japan and can grow upward of a foot per day in the right conditions. It was brought to the United States to help prevent soil erosion and has never left. Since its introduction, Kudzu has been spreading across the United States at a rate as fast as 150,000 acres annually, according to environmentalists.

• Cane toads: Cane toads were introduced to many countries with warm climates as a method of naturally controlling crop pests. However, the toads' own defense mechanism of secreting toxins makes them deadly to predators outside of their normal habitats. Therefore, there's nothing to keep these cane toads in check, and they have wreaked havoc on native animal and plant species, especially in Australia.

• Asian long-horned beetle: Another invasive insect, the beetle does most of its damage in the larval stage. This is when it burrows through and feeds on tree wood beneath the bark. In large concentrations, the larvae can destroy a tree. The University of Vermont Entomology Research Laboratory says the beetle is currently infesting trees in Ohio, Massachusetts and New York. Trees must be removed, chipped and burned to destroy the invader.

Non-native plants and animals can destroy environments, and men and women must always be careful when dealing with such species.





WHY HIRING A LANDSCAPER MAY BE FOR YOU

The majority of homeowners want their properties to appear as appealing as possible. While many homeowners want to be proud of their properties and come home to a welcoming home each night, the benefits to maintaining landscaping go beyond the notion that well-cared for lawns make for more comforting retreats.

Because numerous variables, including landscaping, influence property values, it's difficult to assess just how much the property values of homes with impressive landscapes are influenced by those very landscapes. Indeed, studies have produced varying results regarding the effect of well-landscaped homes on property values. But what many studies have shown and what many realtors indicate is that impressive landscaping adds a significant amount to property values, with estimates suggesting landscaping increases home values by anywhere from 5 to 20 percent.

Such estimates are good news for homeowners, and they also highlight

the stakes involved when making landscaping decisions. Homeowners with green thumbs may embrace the challenge of revitalizing their lawns and gardens, but many, especially those pressed for time, can benefit greatly from working with professional landscapers.

Why hire a professional landscaper? Maintaining a property requires more than just mowing the lawn every couple of weeks. Even homeowners committed to making their properties as pristine as possible can run into problems when adverse weather conditions pose a threat to lawns and gardens. The following are just a handful of reasons why homeowners may find working with landscaping professionals is the best thing for their properties and their bank accounts.

• Professionals understand the local climate. Experienced professional landscapers will understand the local climate and the challenges it presents to your lawn. Experience can prove invaluable as lawns battle adverse conditions that threaten its survival. While homeowners going it alone may struggle through a trial and error period as they try to address problems threatening their lawns, experienced professionals are more likely to identify the problem immediately, providing a ready solution that can prevent potentially costly repairs down the road.

· Professionals can provide inspiration. In addition to maintaining properties, many landscaping professionals have vast experience improving properties through landscape design. Professional landscapers may have a host of ideas for your property that you would never think of. Homeowners with little to no lawn and garden experience may not realize all the things they can do with their properties, and those who go it alone may end up with unappealing landscapes that do not attract buyers' attention when the home hits the market. Professionals typically have a wealth of ideas and, perhaps more importantly, they understand which ideas will and won't work on a

given property.

Professionals can remove some of the stress of managing landscaping projects. Homeowners know that home improvement projects, whether they are addressing home interiors or exteriors, can be stressful. Professional landscapers typically have a network of professionals, including contractors, who they have worked with in the past. Such connections can ensure more complex projects that require both landscapers and construction contractors go as smoothly as possible. In addition, homeowners who receive contractor recommendations from their experienced landscapers tend to rest easier knowing the people working on their properties have already developed a rapport and established a successful track record working together.

Professional landscapers can be just what homeowners need to turn their properties into appealing oases no buyer can resist.





Saturday May 7, 2016 at 10:00 AM Shady Acres Subdivision | Location: #7, 52215 Range Road 270, Spruce Grove, AB Directions: 6 miles South of Hwy 16a on Sandhills Road to Shady Acres Subdivision

Dispersment for Robert Pezzot of Stony Plain, AB

Ferguson tractor, 3PT hitch, live hydraulics – 3PT hitch 2 bottom plow (Ferguson) – 3 PT hitch tiller – set of harrows, 3 sections – snow blade (mounted on tractor – Scoup for dirt... - electric cement mixer – 2 air tight heaters – 32 volt generator (off an aircraft)-<u>Cars. Trucks & Accessories:</u> 2006 Ford Escape (112,000Kms) – 1982 Toyota 4x4 c/w Warn winch – Trailer axle - Aluminum ramps – Chain & boomers -<u>Lawn & Garden</u>: Massey Harris Tractor 8845 loader c/w live hydraulics & log splitter –Toro 22 HP riding mower, c/w hydraulic roto tiller - 8/26 MTD snow blower – Husqvarna chain saw – Rigid 2 in 1 blower, vac. – Lawn wagon – Honda push mower – 3 water tanks – Electric weed eater - <u>Shop Equipment & Tools</u>: Miller mig welder – Air jack – Drill press – Jack stand – Metal lather – Floor jack – Table saw – grinder – Chop saw – Labor manuals – Large assortment of hand & power tools -<u>Building</u>: Large assortment of glass windows – assortment of lumber –nuts/bolts/screws - Step ladders – <u>Furniture</u>: 3 way fridge – Wall unit – Hide-A- Bed – Couch – 8x12 Snooker table – <u>Miscellaneous</u>; Fireplace wood – Dog ramps – BBQ – 2 wheeled bike



Saturday May 14 2016 – 10:00 AM-Rainbow's Annual Spring Consignment Sale, Hwy 16A & RR 11, Stony Plain, Estate of Dale & Maureen Armstrong plus lots other Consignors and lawn & garden contractor

Lawn & Garden: John Deere riding mower-2 snow blower-snow blades-roto tiller-2 lawn sweeps-2 craftsman push mower-4 wheel barrows-china cabinet-book cases-table& chairs-fridge - Cars. Trucks & accessories: 2012 Mazda 3-1997 Dodge Dakota cap-Shop tools & equipment: Industrial lights-oil barrel on stand-Lawn & Garden: John Deere worksite pro VR72-Sweeper Tour 72X11076-Billy goat compact power rake-Billy goat malt vac.- Billy goat K series- self-propelled vac.-rain barrels-tarps-Herman Nelson heater

Saturday May 21 2016 @ 10:00AM –Estate for Kevin Russel –Location: West of Evansburg on Hwy 16 (Yellowhead) to Hwy 22 and go 1km north tyo location

Trucks, backhoe's & Tools; Case 580, 4x4 backhoe – D3B Cat GP – IH tractor-Bobcat skidsteer c/w all attachments-IH 5ton Truck Van Body-16ft. flatbed car trailer-utility trailers-32001 Dodge 1 ton Dually (diesel)-Ford 3 ton van body-1253 Terra gator-rocket launchers-1995 Ditch witch-NON RUNNING: Ford 1ton c/w steel box & hoist- 1970 GMC truck(collector) – <u>Shop Equipment & Tools;</u> Oman 500 watt power plant – Industrial power plant-Yamaha plant-Journey 200 amp welder- Plazma cutter-Milling machine -Concrete saw-2 pressure washers-acetylene tanks- 3 bolt bins-4 large tool boxes c/w tools-<u>Building;</u> fence posts-aluminum ladders- <u>Lawn & Garden;</u> Ford LT riding mower- <u>Furniture;</u> -4x8 Brunswick slate pool table- china cabinet- <u>Misc.;</u> 1 20ft C-can – 1 53ft C-can – Irg, selection of warehouse racking

GIANT 2 DAY SALES -

Thursday May 26 2016 @ 10:00AM-Location: Darewell, AB Retirement sale for Wikstrom & Assoc. of Darwell, AB

Construction Material & Equipment: 2007 Genie 3H/50 Model TZ50, tow & self-drive manulift – Tennsmith 10ft brake Model H312116, capacity 16 gauge mild steel – Rigid 13" planer c/w 3 blade cutterhead – Suzuki 9000 watt generator (still in box)- 20 compartment tool & assessor cabinet-3 sets of slings 20ftx30ft – 30ftx60ft tarps (2 in box)-A huge selection of construction material for metal buildings.

Saturday May 28 2016 @ 10:00AM- Location: From Hwy16 (Yellowhead) turn north on Range Road 52, go 8 km –turn on Hwy 633, left on TWp Rd 541A into Summer Village of South View

Estate Sale for Oscar Wikstrom – Campground & RV Park – plus the remainder of Wikstrom Construction <u>Recreational</u>: Aluminum boats-motors & accessories-fishing equipment – decks & sheds from RV park- 2005 660 Grizzly Quad c/w snow blade (new tires) – 24ft Pontoon boat, fully self contained – <u>Vehicles</u>: 2001 Dodge Quad cab- 20ft t/a trailer (Industrial trailer with Industrial tools & Equipment) <u>Lawn & Garden</u>: Toro Lawn mower

Real Estate #1: Lakefront at South View! This is an exceptional 1.6 acres of lakefront property in the Summer Village of South View at Lake Isle. With plenty of mature trees there is privacy and almost 700ft of waterfront to enjoy in this peaceful setting! The 1456 sq.ft. bungalow has plenty of living space, a woodstove for cozy warmth, and large windows to take in the panoramic views! Options abound for year-round use; boating fishing, snowmobiling and much more!

Real Estate #2: Hillside with Lake view! This year-round hillside bungalow enjoys1800 sq.ft. on a double lot! With a 36ftx15ft covered deck with lake view! A large kitchen, accented with pine, skylight and vaulted ceiling, flowing into livingroom. Large master bedroom, with jazzuci tub and rounding out the main floor another bedroom & 3-piece bath. The lower level 2 bedrooms – Irg family room exits on to huge front patio. Carport for 2 vehicles. A Irg workshop. Enjoy Lake activities year-round and room to roam!

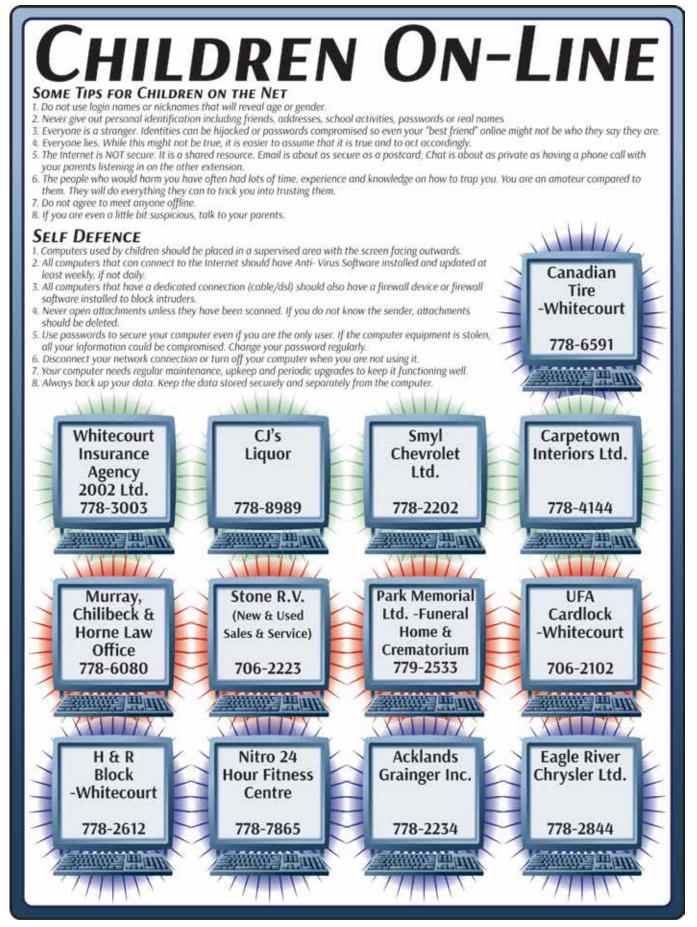
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ASSIST POLICE TO IDENTIFY A MALE SUSPECT INVOLVED IN ROBBERY

Submitted by RCMP Spruce Grove/Stony Plain/ Enoch

File # 2016-491670

Stony Plain, Alberta -Spruce Grove/Stony Plain/Enoch RCMP are seeking the public's assistance to identify a male suspect responsible for a Robbery at the Shoppers Drug Mart pharmacy in Stony Plain.

On April 25, 2016, at approximately 7:45 PM, The Spruce Grove/Stony Plain/Enoch RCMP responded to a robbery that had just occurred at the Shoppers Drug Mart pharmacy in Stony Plain. The Culprit entered the pharmacy and walked directly to the back counter and handed staff a note demanding drugs.

The male obtained an undisclosed amount of narcotics before leaving the pharmacy, he then fled in a blue 2007 Pontiac G5. The lone male suspect is described as....

- 6'6"
- Medium build
 - Caucasian

• Full beard (light brown) He was last seen wearing a camo hat, orange t-shirt, gloves, a black coat and dark colored shorts.

No one was injured during the incident. No weapons were produced or threatened.

If you have any information about this, or can ID the male suspect please call the Stony Plain RCMP Detachment at 780-968-7267 or if you want to remain anonymous, you can contact Crime Stoppers by phoning 1-800-222-8477.



SPRUCE GROVE SAINTS AWARDS

Submitted by Gord Montgomery

The Spruce Grove Saints wrapped up a successful 2015-16 junior A hockey season on April 21 with their volunteer appreciation and awards night. This year the Saints once again captured the Dave Duchak Trophy as the top regular season team in the AJHL with 102 points as well as winning the Top Goaltender and Top Team Goaltending awards and the Most Dedicated Player honour.

Following are the team award winners for the Saints:

Top Scorer: Tyler Busch

Top Defensemen: Cole Nichol-

son

Rookie of the Year: Ian Mitchell Most Improved Player(s): Colton Lieter, Trey Fix-Wolansky MVP (regular season): Tyler Busch

MVP (Playoffs): Brandon Biro Coaches' Award: Austin Hunter Volunteer Award: Conner Lukan The Saints annual Spring Camp is now underway and will run for the next three days (April 22 -25) at the TransAlta Tri Leisure Centre. Over 200 players will be looking to make an impression on the coaching staff, seeking to fill one of the 10 vacancies left by graduating players or those moving onto the college ranks.



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 Be very careful to whom you give your credit card. Don't

2. Be very careful to whom you give your credit card. Don't give out your account number over the phone unless you initiate the call and you know the company is reputable. Never give your credit card info out when you receive a phone call. (For example, if you're told there has been a 'computer problem' and the caller needs you to verify information.)

 Never respond to emails that request you provide your credit card info via email -- and don't ever respond to emails that ask you to go to a website to verify personal information.
 Never provide your credit card information on a website that is not a secure site.

- 5. Sign your credit cards as soon as you receive them.
- 6. Shred all credit card applications you receive.
- 7. Never leave your credit cards or receipts lying around.

 Don't write your PIN number on your credit card -- or have it anywhere near your credit card (in the event that your wallet gets stolen).

Shield your credit card number so that others around you can't copy it or capture it on a cell phone or other camera.
 Keep a list in a secure place with all of your account numbers and expiration dates, as well as the phone number and address of each bank that has issued you a credit card.
 Only carry around credit cards that you absolutely need. Don't carry around extra credit cards that you rarely use.

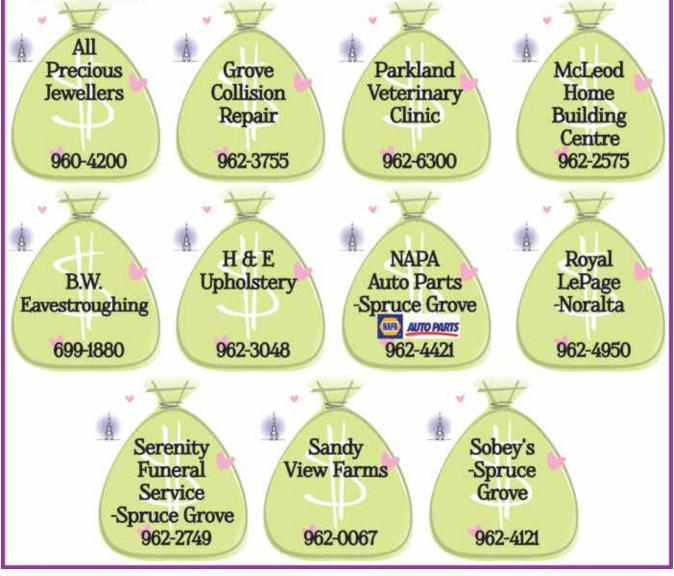
12. Open credit card bills promptly and make sure there are no bogus charges. Treat your credit card bill like your checking account -- reconcile it monthly. Save your receipts so you compare.

If you find any charges that you don't have a receipt for
 or that you don't recognize -- report these charges promptly (and in writing) to the credit card issuer.
 Always void and destroy incorrect receipts.



INVESTMENT FRAUD Tips on how to avoid investment fraud:

1) Investigate before you invest. Ask a lot of questions. Make sure there is a market for your investment. Ask the seller for references and accounting statements. Find out if a government or industry regulatory body supervise the seller. 2) Be wary of unexpected phone calls, letters or visits from strangers who offer get-rich schemes. 3) Be wary of exaggerated claims of profit in a short period of time. Ask about how you can sell your investment when you decide to seek your investment return. 4) Be cautious when someone offers you a time-limited investment opportunity and demands that you invest on the spot. Don't make snap decisions. If it's good now, it will be there tomorrow. 5) Beware of claims that there is little or no risk. All investment opportunities involve some risk. Never invest money you cannot afford to lose. 6) Beware if you are told you were chosen as one of only a few potential investors. 7) Beware when someone hesitates about promptly delivering the goods or services in which you invest. 8) Beware if you are given only a glossy brochure about the company. Always ask for a prospectus and other professionally prepared disclosure documents, especially wheninvesting in securities. such as stock in a company. And make sure you read the small print. Some stocks cannot be resold without the permission of the directors of the company. The information you are given should tell you about the stock and the company issuing it. 9) Before making a commitment, get a professional opinion. Ask about your advisor's qualifications. If necessary, phone the government department or industry association that licenses or registers him or her. Confirm that the individual is qualified to advise you. 10) When in doubt, don't make promises or commitments. It's better to be safe than sorry! Remember, the golden rule to investing: If it sounds too good to be true - it probably is!



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Submitted by Tara Gallant

Whitecourt Town Council recently adopted the 2016 Capital and Operating Budget at its April 11 Regular Meeting, and adopted the 2016 Tax Rate Bylaw on April 25.

"We know that people are feeling the pinch from our current economy – food and other household costs have increased, and at the same time incomes have been affected. In recognition of this, we made it a priority to not burden taxpayers at a time when every penny counts and have maintained our commitment to a 0% budget tax increase," said Mayor Maryann Chichak.

Even though the Town has maintained a 0% budget tax increase, residents and businesses of the Town will see an increase for the education and seniors foundation requisitions. The education requisition applied to property taxes increased 11.1% in the 2016 Provincial budget; and the seniors foundation requisition increase 4.9% over last year. Further details on the budget, how taxes are calculated, and how tax dollars have been allocated for the 2016 budget year are outlined in Whitecourt's 2016 Budget Report which is now available online at www.whitecourt.ca.

Property owners can expect to receive combined assessment and taxation notices in mid-May. If you have questions about your tax notice, or the 2016 Budget, please contact the Town Office.

Whitecourt Town Council approved the 2015 Financial Statement for the year end of December 31, 2015. A presentation was made by the Town's auditor, Curtis Friesen from Hawkings Epp Dumont LLP, who reported that the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of the Town of Whitecourt as of December 31, 2015.

Council received an update on the odour mitigation strategy for the Wastewater Treatment Plant. In consultation with Stantec Engineering, the Town of Whitecourt will be completing a Wastewater Treatment Plant Master Plan over the next several weeks that will involve a technical review of the plant's design, capacity and operations, as well as a public consultation and education component which will assist the Town in receiving feedback and input from area residents. Details on the consultation process are being finalized, and information will be advertised on how the community can participate in the process.

Development continues in the Athabasca Flats East area with the award of a surface works contract to Knelsen Sand and Gravel Ltd. in the amount of \$1.98 million. Work includes concrete curbs, pathways, approaches where required, the extension of Mink Creek Road, and the construction of McIlwaine Drive.

2016 Enhancement Grants have been awarded to the groups listed below. The Whitecourt Enhancement Grant Program was established to offer community arts, culture, and recreation organizations assistance to start-up or develop new community events or assist with existing programs. Another call for applications will be made in the fall of 2016. • Whitecourt Motocross Association - \$800 for overnight recreational campground

• Whitecourt Minor Ball Association - \$6,248 for equipment enhancement

• Whitecourt Minor Hockey Association - \$4,118 for rink dividers/mini goals

• Mountain Bike Association -\$3,834 for the Mountain Bike Park – Phase 1

Council has approved the Whitecourt Slo-Pitch Association's request to allow temporary, short term camping at Graham Acres Recreation Area for tournament use. Approval was granted for a trial basis and is subject to approval from Alberta Health and development of an operating agreement. Camping will only be available for locally hosted tournaments, to a maximum of 30 teams.

Whitecourt Town Council has approved the purchase of the following:

• A replacement ice resurfacer for the Scott Safety Centre;

- A replacement Dial A Bus;
- A new compact wheel loader.



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Bright Bank Hall, 780-963-6835

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Cherhill Community, Taryn 305-9022

Darwell Hall, 780-721-2690

Darwell Seniors, 892-2457

Glenevis Hall, 785-4144 or 721-6188 Gunn Hall (G.A.R.S.) 780-967-2215

Hathersage Community Centre, Noreen at 786-2946

Lake Isle Hall, 892-2998.

Magnolia Hall, 727-2015

Manley Goodwill Community Hall, 963-9165 or 916-0146

Mayerthorpe Diamond Centre, Charlotte at 786-4659

Mayerthorpe Legion, 786-2470.

Onoway Community Hall, 967-4749.

Onoway Legion, 967-4980

Onoway Museum Gym classroom, 967-5263 or 967-1015

Park Court Community Hall, 727-4476

Parkland Village, 960-5556

Ravine Community Hall, 325-2240

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

Rosenthal Community Hall, 963-7984

Sandy Beach Rec Hall, 967-2873

Sangudo Community Hall, 785-3221 or 785-3118

Stettin Nakumun Comm. Hall, 967-9198

Business Opportunities

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Employment Opportunities

Local food truck seeking mature responsible help for the summer. Must be available weekends, be physically able to work in a fast paced and demanding environment. Please email resume to info@ bluegiraffecreamery.ca or send by mail to PO Box 382 Alberta Beach T0E0A0 (2) 03-05

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2015-25 Round Bales For Sale. Timothy grass hay bales w/ little bit of alfalfa. Entwistle Area, Daytime Calls 780-898-0830 (1) 03-05 Red Clover Seed For Sale, Germ 93%. Call 780-727-4275 (3) 26-04

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Seed Grain For Sale: Wheat, Barley and Oats. Call 780-967-3075. For Hay/Pasture seed, Phone 780-967-5375 (13) 23-02

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Black polled 3 yrs old reg. Simmental Bull. Easy calving. 780-967-5682, Bill @ Onoway. (4) 26-04

Red Poll Bulls, reg. yearlings, 2 yrs old, easy calving, naturally polled calves. 780-892-3447 (13) 05-04

Firewood

Firewood For Sale: Birch, Spruce, Pine, Poplar. Cords, Partial Cords, Bundles, Split, Seasoned, Cleaned. Pickup or Delivery, Woodchuck Firewood. Call 780-288-7247 (13) 03-05

HIS HELPING HANDS FIREWOOD. Birch, tamarack, pine, poplar. Pick up or delivery, All profits go to charity. Call 780-218-4177. **OPENING SPECIAL:** Large bags of firewood for \$5.00 (4) 19-04 OG

Miscellaneous

Top Soil, \$30 per yard, limited quantity. Also Burning & Rain Barrels, \$15 each. Black Poplar Firewood, \$150 per stack. Call Steven 780-967-2779 (13) 05-04

Wanted

Elliptical Exercise Machine Front Fly Wheel. Please phone with make/model, 780-967-2291. (2) 26-04 Handicapped Senior is looking for a small lightweight Aluminum Fishing Boat, with Oars (No Motor), so we can go fishing this summer, looks and condition not important, as long as it doesnt leak. Limited funds to spend as I live on a pension, so best price possible. Call 780-785-2862 (leave message and return phone number). (2) 03-05



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Beautiful and Qiet! 2 bedroom house on acreage near Alberta Beach, c/w 5 appl and fireplace, \$1250/month + utilities. Available July 1st. 780-886-0736 (9) 03-05

2 Cabins For Rent. One is \$850, other is \$950. Utilities included, Evansburg Area. Call 780-239-0553 (4) 03-05

Room for rent in Alberta Beach, \$650/month, all included, N/S, N/P. Call 780-893-7679 (4) 26-04 OG

Enclosed Storage For Rent. Call (780) 910-5472 (50) 22-09-15

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COMMUNITY	SUNDAY 1 8 Mother's Day	2 9	3	4 11	5 12	6 13	-
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EVENTS 2016			24	25	26	27	28
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If you are a LICENSED, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, you are welcome to submit your announcement FREE of charge, space permitting. You are required to submit your non-profit number. Call (780) 962-9229. Please note that all submitted announcements will be edited to fit the 2 line limit. Deadline 12 noon Friday prior to publication (Thursdays on long weekends).

MAY 4 - "GREATER THAN GOLD" A MUSICAL DRAMA, Presented by the Whitecourt Community Choir. Admission: FREE. 7:30 p.m. Onoway Anglican Church. Contact: Judy Rhese,

Warden, 780-785-2816,284-5008 (cell). MAY 7 - GARAGE SALE at Rich Valley Community Hall, 10am-3pm. Tables \$10/each, Call 780-967-5710

MAY 7 - MOTHERS DAY MADHATTER TEA PARTY is inviting vendors to take part in our Womens' Event celebrating Mothers' Day! If interested call Crystal @780-294-8316 for more info. MAY 7 - MY DOG SAM CONCERT, Stony Plain Community Centre, 7pm. Tickets \$20 each. Info:

MAY 7 - SPRING TEA AND PLANT SALE at St Augustines Parkland Anglican Church (131 church Rd Spruce Grove), 10am-1pm. Pie, ice cream and beverage \$5, Children under 4 are free. Treat

MAY 7 - COUNTRY MEETS CLASSICAL: A Gala Affair to help build a home for a destitute family MAY 7 - COUNTRY MEETS CLASSICAL: A Gala Affair to help build a home for a destitute family in Honduras. 7-9:30pm @ Immanuel Lutheran Church, Stony Plain. Tickets at Church: \$15/ person, \$20/couple, \$25/family (\$5 more @ Door).

FARMERS MARKETS

ALBERTA BEACH: May - Sept., Contact Joeanne 780-

BARRHEAD: Open Saturdays, May - Dec. 10am - 1pm. Sherry 780-674-6802 MAYERTHORPE & DISTRICT FARMER'S MARKET: Thurs

11-2pm, except late market last Thurs of every month, 4-8pm, Mayerthorpe Diamond Center

ONOWAY FARMERS' MARKET presented by the Onoway & District Ag Society, Fridays 4pm-3pm at the Community Hall. Starts May 1st. Rhea Jorgensen, (780) 717-8614.

onowayfarmersmarket@gmail.com SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 9:30-2:30, tables avail. 780-240-5821

STONY PLAIN: Sat, 9am-1pm, Downtown, Stony Plain. 780-962-3993 WESTLOCK: 11-3pm, Bargain Shop Mall, Dave 780-954-

WHITECOURT: Legion, Tuesdays from 11am - 2pm, May -

Oct. 779-7002. Little Market - Big Heart

BINGO

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Doors 5:30pm games start 7pm. Games: #7, Jack Pot, Mini Jack Pot, Loonie #1 & #2.

CHERHILL BINGO: Tuesdays at Cherhill Community Association. Doors Open at 6:30pm, Games at 7pm. CHERHILL LEGION: First Sunday of Month. Doors Open

MAYERTHORPE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Tues, doors

6:30pm, bingo 7:30pm RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO: 7:30pm. Loonie

Pots. Next bingos May 4 & 18, June 1, 15 & 29. STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN CENTRE, public bingo

every Tues, 7pm. All ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-6685 **JAMBOREES**

CALMAR: Wilton Park Community Hall, Every 4th Sat of Every Month. Starts at 7:30pm. Phone 780-985-2478 or 780-985-3200. CHIP LAKE: Ravine Comm Hall, 1st Sat 325-2119 or 325-

2201

SANGUDO: Sangudo Community Hall, 1st Sat of month 7pm, Oct.-May. Everyone welcome. 785-4105 or 305-3688. SPRUCE GROVE: at Sandhills Community Hall, 3rd Sunday, 1-5pm, Sept - June. Info Florence 780-962-3104 Margaret 780-962-3051 STONY PLAIN: Stony Plain Seniors Drop In Center, 5018 -

51 Ave. Every 2nd & 4th Thurs of the month @ 6:30 pm, Cost \$2. Everybody Welcome. Contact 823-0035 or 963-7920.

MEALS ON WHEELS

ALBERTA BEACH & AREA: call (780) 910-0034. DARWELL & AREA: For info on volunteering or eligibility,

call Lorraine, 892-2967. ONOWAY & DIST: Frozen & hot meals available. Call 967-2338 or 967-5244

MEAT DRAWS

Alberta Beach Museum: Every Sat 4pm, Alberta Beach

Alberta Beach: 4pm, Every Sun. Jungles Bar & Grill Barrhead Royal Canadian Legion: very File Source and Source And Royal Canadian Legion: very Fri 6pm. Also have Queen Of Hearts draw & 50/50. Nevada on sale at the bar. Snacks provided.

Darwell: Put on by Alberta Beach & District Lions Club,

4:00pm, bi-weekly, Darwell Lounge & Restaurant Onoway Royal Canadian Legion: every Fri Ph. 780-967-

5361 Whitecourt Legion: Every Sat, 4pm. Located downtown behind the CIBC.

SOCIAL EVENTS

50+ YOUNG AT HEART LUNCHEON for Parkland County Seniors. 12 Noon at Stony Plain United Church Basement, \$8/plate. 3rd Wed of Each Month, Sept - June. For rvations: Audrey 780-963-1782

ALBERTA BEACH & DISTRICT ACTIVE 50+ Club activities: Monday, Wed, Fri 10:15 am Aerobics/Fitness (Walking Segment starts October 5th, all Fall & Winter): Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Crib (year round); Wednesday 1:00 p.m. Bridge

(year round). BADMINTON: Wed, 7-10pm, Barrhead High School Gym. Jamie (780)674-8974 or (780)674-6974. BARRHEAD PHOTO CLUB:1st & 3rd Wed - email barrheadphotoclub@gmail.com for location or call 780-674-3314 or 780-674-4663

CARDS, POOL & OTHER GAMES: Tues. & Fri. 1:30 p.m. Sangudo Golden Club. Newcomers welcome. Join us for coffee & socializing. 785-2368 or 785-3736

coffee & socializing. 785-2368 or 785-3736 **COUNTRY QUITERS** in Stony Plain house a "Sew in Tuesday", 2nd Tuesday of every month, from 10-3pm. Drop in 55/member, 56/non-members. Bring your own projects to work on, coffee will be supplied, cutting mats, rulers & irons supplied. Contact Cindy 780-963-7170. JR. SCRAPBOOKING Wed 4-6pm. Kids ages 10+ are invited to come & complete a project. Pre-register by Tues evg. Mayerthorpe Public Library www. mayerthorpelibrary.abc.a(780)786-2404 LC STE ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR, accepting all voice ranges. Meets every Wed. 7pm, Sept-June, at the Alberta Beach Heritage Centre.Lois 780-924-3126

Beach Heritage Centre, Lois 780-924-3126

Deach mentage center.tb 1 rdv-24-3120 ONOWAY GOLDEN CLUB: Bethal United Church. Coffee & Muffin Mondays, 10-12. Cards Tuesdays, 1:00. Crafts Thursdays 10-12. Much Socializing. ONOWAY HAVE FUN & GET FITI Excercise Class with

Video La Blast, Dancing with the Stars Choreographer Louis van Amstel. Fridays 10:30am at the Drop in Centre, 5023-49 Ave. Walk ins Welcome. More info, 780-967-2056. ONOWAY MUSEUM: Gym & classroom 780-967-1015 or

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION open Tues 7:30pm & Fri 3pm - Friday's Family Friendly Dinner starts at 5:30pm (open to the public)

PANCAKE/BREAKFAST SOCIAL: Parkland Village Community Centre - 3rd Sunday (except June, July, August) 9-11:30am

RIVER TALKERS TOAST MASTERS CLUB, every thursday from 7-9pm. 32 Whitecourt ave. Hilltop Community Church. Info Lorainne 286-5040.

SANGUDO ART GROUP: Every Wednesday from 9:00am-12:00pm at Sangudo Community School. Would you like to Learn to paint? Teacher come in once a month

for workshops. Potluck. For more information call 780-

SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN INSPERATIONAL CINEMA & DISCUSSIONS at PERC Building (5413-51 St. Story Plain). 2nd Friday of the month at 7pm. Popcorn provided, donations appreciated. Contact 780-940-3032 SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN GATHERING at PERC Building (5413-51 St. Stony Plain). Every 2nd & 4th Sunday of the month. Meditation at 10am, inspirational sharing at 10:30am, Children's activities. Contact 780-

WRITERS PROGRAM: Mayerthorpe Library, 1st & 3rd

MAY 7 - SUPPER & JAMBOREE at Sangudo Community Hall. Doors open at 4pm Supper 5pm. \$18/person for Supper and Jamboree (Entertainers free). Jamboree only (after pm) \$8/person. Info call 785-4105 or 305-3688.

6pm) MAY 11 - SANGUDO GOLDEN CLUB MEETING 1:30 p.m. New members always welcome. Info call 785-3736 or 785-4105.

MAY 14 - STAND UP FOR ALBERTA: BILL 10, at Alberta Legislature, 2:00pm. Sign Petitions Here! Have your voice heard

MAY 23 - CANADIAN FIDDLE CHAMPION SCOTT WOODS & HIS BAND at Stony Plain Community Centre, 7pm. Adult \$25/Child \$10. 780-962-2089 or 780-968-2030.

MAY 28 - COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE at Sangudo Community Hall Joan to 3pm. To book a table for \$10.00, call Donna @ 785-3118. Alternatively, saleable items can be donated for the Community Hall table. MAY 28 - SANGUDO HORTICULTURAL CLUB ANNUAL PLANT SALE at Sangudo Community

Hall (4924-50str) 10am to 3pm. Annuals and Perennials for sale.

Wednesday at 1pm. VOLUNTEER TUTOR ADULT LITERACY PROGRAM (VTALP): Need assistance with reading/writing, English language (ESL) or Basic Computer skills? We offer free one-on-one tutoring! Info: Carla Burkell, 780-554-2940, email: literacy@lsac.ca

MEETINGS

1ST ONOWAY SCOUTS: Registration, 6:30-8pm, Mon Beavers 5-7; Cubs 8-11; Scouts 12-14. Kim 967-4339. 3053 ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY CADETS. Onoway Historical Centre, Wed, 6:45pm-9:30 for youths 12+. 967

755 PARKLAND AIR CADETS Thurs, 6:30-9:30pm Muit Lake School, ages 12-18. Info call 405-6585 or www aircadet.com/755.

526 Barrhead Air Cadets, Wednesdays 6:30 - 9:30pm, High School Ages 12-18 are welcome. 780-674-4058 or 780-674-9003

AA - Mayerthorpe, Kingsmen Hall, Thurs, 8pm. (780) 786-2604 or (780) 786-1927

AA -Sangudo Golden Club, Tues 8pm call 786-4402/785-9214/785-3599

AL-ANON: Tues 7pm, Onoway Anglican Church (4809-50 St.) 780-967-3356 or 1-800-4AI -ANON.

AL-ANON Wed Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Dr, 8pm. 962-5205 ALBERTA 55 PLUS: Villenvue Hall at 10a.m. New

Members Welcome. Meetings on second Tuesday of the month. Info from Donna 780-962-5933

ALBERTA BEACH & DIST LIONS CLUB meets every 4th

Tues 7pm, Alberta Beach Agliplex. ALBERTA BEACH AG SOCIETY meets on the 4th Thurs. of

month, 7pm, Agliplex ALBERTA BEACH MUSEUM meets the 2nd Wed, 7pm at Heritage House 924-3167

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS IF Drinking is a Problem, call

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, general meeting

very 2nd Thurs, 7pm at the Legion Hall CHERISHED MEMORIES, PARENTS & TOTS Wed & Fri, 10-12pm, Alberta Beach Agliplex. Sept-June. Info call Andrea 780-924-8323 or Melissa 780-297-1892.

Citizens Helping In Life's Defence (C.H.I.L.D) Join our Pro-Life meetings for the Spruce Grove/Stony Plain area once a month. Call Chris 780-963-6997.

CITIZENS ON PATROL: The Pembina Community Watch

Patrol Meets 2nd Thurs of each month at 7:30 pm, at the West Central Forage Association Office 5009 45th Avenue, Entwistle. Contact 780-727-2000

DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY MEETINGS, 8pm, 1st Mon, Darwell DDRA MEETING, 7pm, 2nd Mon (except Jul/Aug/Dec),

Darwell 892-3099. GIRL GUIDES, BROWNIES & SPARKS Thurs, 6:30pm.

Onoway Heritage Centre. Info Laura, 780-967-1004. GLENEVIS COMMUNITY meets first Wed. Info 785-4144 or 721-6188

GREENCOURT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION meet second Tuesday, monthly at 7:30pm at the hall. Info W. Jager (780) 786

KINETTE CLUB OF MAYERTHORPE, 7:30pm at Kinsmer Hall, every 2nd Tues. Want to volunteer? Marilyn (780) 786-9168 or mayerthorpekinettes@gmail.com

Onoway Museum (780) 967-0443

LAC STE ANNE WRITERS GROUP, ages 14 & up, Alberta Beach Library, 1st Tues of month, 6:30-8pm starting May 13. Info Sheree 967-6450

LAKE ISLE HALL BOARD: 3rd Tues, 7:30pm, Lake Isle Hall. MAYERTHORPE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY ASSOC, every 4th Mon. 5pm in Hospital Basement Education Room.

MS SOCIETY PARKLAND COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP Are you diagnosed with MS and have questions? This group is for you! Last Tues of month, Sept-June, 7-9pm, Westview Health Centre (4405 South Park Dr.) Contact Cassy 780-471-3034

NA MEETING Tues, 7pm Poplar Valley Church (780)514-6011

ONOWAY & DIST HERITAGE SOCIETY: 2nd Wed of each month, 7:30pm, Chateau Lac Ste Anne ONOWAY & DISTRICT HISTORICAL GUILD: 3rd Wed 7pm,

Onoway Museum, 967-5263 or 967-2452 ONOWAY QUILTERS, 2nd & 4th Thurs, 10am-4pm, Lac Ste

Anne Chateau Activity Room. ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION General Meetings, first Mon, 7pm (Sept-June)

ONOWAY MASONIC LODGE #138, 4th Wed, 7:30 Onoway

ONOWAY OSPREY JUNIOR FOREST WARDENS Ages 6-18 Develop environmental awareness & outdoor skills. Every Mon 6:30-8pm Onoway Heritage Centre & monthly outings. Martin 780-963-1646

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

RICH VALLEY AG SOCIETY BOARD MEETINGS: at the Agriplex on the second Wednesday of the month. 7:00pm. RIVER TALKERS TOASTMASTERS CLUB Build your confidence, your speaking & listening skills in a friendly and supportive environment. Drop in as a guest. Thursdays 7-9m at the Hillop Community Church, 30 Whitecourt Ave (downstairs). Or contact Carla Burkell, VP Membership, (780)268-3653.

SANGUDO PAINTING GROUP: Every 1st and 3rd Wed from 9:30am-12:00pm at Sangudo Community School. Would you like to Learn to paint? Teacher come in once

a month for workshops, For more information call 780-

(85-2112. SUNDOWNERS TOASTMASTER CLUB: Mon (excl. Holidays) 7:30-9:30pm. St. Matthew's Church, Spruce

WEIGHT WATCHERS Alberta Beach Agriplex - Mondays, weigh in 6:30pm. Meeting at 7pm.

TOPS Meetings (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

ALBERTA BEACH: Tues Alberta Beach Lutheran Church, Hwy 633. Weigh-in 6-6:45. Meeting 7. 967-5009. ENTWISTLE: Thurs 6:45pm, upstairs in Lions Hall. Darlene 727-3992 EVANSBURG: Thursday Mornings 9:30am at Evansburg Legion Hall (Back door), 727-2155

SANGUDO: Tues, United Church, 6:00pm. Sharon 785-2095 or Marlene 786-4646.

ALBERTA BEACH BADMINTON: Tues,7-9pm Grasmere

School. Tim 924-3337 SEA CADETS: 299 Mackenzie, Stony Plain Comm Center,

SPRUCE GROVE ELEVATOR TOURS, Tues-Sat, 9-3pm. Info 960-4600.

UNITED CHURCH THRIFT SHOP: North end Curling Rink,

Onoway. Open Fri & Sat, 10am-4pm. WATER SAMPLE DROP OFF: Tues Onoway Aspen Health

785-2112

Grove Judy 960-5258

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Services. Drop off 1-2:30 pm.

Wed 6:30 for youths 12-18, 963-0843

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