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May 24, 2016

# THEFTS FROM MOTOR VEHICLES IN ALDER FLATS

### Submitted by Thorsby/ **Breton RCMP**

On May 15, 2016 between 0200hrs and 0700hrs Thorsby/ Breton RCMP received numerous complaints in the Alder Flats area in regards to thefts from motor vehicles. Numerous motor vehicles in the area were entered and belongings stolen.

Majority of the vehicle that were entered were found unlocked. Numerous items including : Identification, fuel cards, tools, and wallets were stolen from the vehicles.

If you observed anything suspicious in the area please call the Breton RCMP at (780)696-3520.

The RCMP want to remind person in the area to lock their vehicle. These thefts are often crime

of opportunity. As well belonging should be removed from the vehicle when not occupied.

If you have any information that could assist in this investigation, please contact the Breton RCMP at 780-696-3520; or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or www. crimestoppers.ab.ca if you wish to remain anonymous.

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If you have any information that

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please contact the Breton RCMP at 780-696-3520; or Crime Stop-

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# PERSONATION OF PEACE **OFFICERS NEAR BUCK CREEK**

Submitted by Thorsby/ Breton RCMP Detachment

File number: 2016605033 On May 18th, 2016, Breton RCMP received a complaint of a suspicious vehicle on Range Road 60 nearby Township road 474.

A resident of the area located the black Chevrolet Tahoe parked on the side of Range Road 60 and approached it in an attempt to identify a license plate for the vehicle. When the resident got close to the vehicle, the occupants turned blue flashing lights on. The tactic was to mimic the lights of a police vehicle. The resident approached the vehicle and spoke with 2 males who advised they were police officers and that they were on an investigation. The suspects showed police badges to the resident.

Suspect vehicle

- Black Chevrolet Tahoe;
- · Rusty looking front bumper

that looked after market;

- Silver received with 3 size ball:
- · Blacked out back window;
- Was clean at the time.
- Suspect #1, Driver
- Bald;
- Wearing a red T-shirt;
- Was wearing green latex gloves;
- Around 35 years old;
- Caucasian;
- Male.
- Suspect #2

· Longer hair, sticking out of his ball cap;

• Wearing a ball cap and a jacket;





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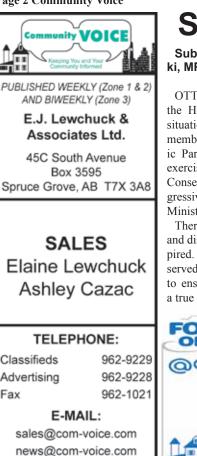
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### SHENANIGANS IN THE HOUSE Submitted by Jim Ealinscurred

ki. MP - Yellowhead

OTTAWA - May 19, 2016 in the House, a very unfortunate situation took place when a member of the New Democratic Party (NDP) was unable to exercise her right to vote and a Conservative member was aggressively escorted by the Prime Minister toward his seat.

There will be many opinions and discussions as to what transpired. As I was there and observed what took place, I want to ensure my constituents have a true understanding of what oc-



NDP and Conservative members were standing in the centre area of the chamber when both party Whips entered the House. Traditionally, members are to be seated when the Whips enter. The reason why they were not in their place was to demonstrate their objection to Government Motion 6, an unconstitutional move by the Liberal government to curtail the privileges of Members of Parliament. Opposition members were very concerned with the Liberal government's attempt to gain more power over Parliament and stood standing as an act of solidarity and unified objection.

I clearly observed the Prime Minister quickly getting out of his chair, appearing very angry and rushing toward the Conservative Caucus Whip, Gordon Brown. During this advance, the Prime Minister accidentally pushed aside an NDP member. He then took the arm of MP

Brown and aggressively guided him toward his chair in the House. Members of the opposition objected, at which point the Prime Minister returned to his seat. He remained there for a very brief moment. He then rose and crossed over to the NDP side of the floor and a verbal confrontation ensued with the NDP leader and others. Members of Parliament from all sides of the House started to leave their seats, at which point the Prime Minister then returned to his.

May 24, 2016

Today, the Liberal government removed Motion 6 from the Order Paper and the actions of the Prime Minister were referred to the Procedure and House Affairs Committee.

At times, tempers do flare, but as your Member of Parliament, I was appalled by the inappropriate actions that took place. I hope all members have learned that we are all accountable for our actions. We should and must act appropriately at all times.



# PHASED RE-ENTRY INTO FORT MCMURRAY EXPECTED TO START JUNE 1

### Submitted by Government of Alberta

A voluntary, phased re-entry for the safe return of Fort Mc-Murray residents will begin June 1 if future wildfire conditions do not delay restoration efforts.

Re-entry should be complete by June 15, to coincide with full restoration of Northern Lights Regional Health Centre.

We will be directing that schools in the area that were closed during the evacuation will not be conducting formal classes until September.

Residents of homes lost to the fire will have the opportunity to inspect their property and collect any surviving items before cleanup begins.

"Many hazards remain in Fort McMurrary. We need to address them before it's safe for residents to return home. We've developed a phased and voluntary re-entry plan with the Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo that begins with the least damaged areas."

Premier Rachel Notley

"I want to thank both the Premier and the Minister for working and consulting with us on a timetable for re-entry. Safety remains paramount before we can return home, but today's announcement will bring comfort to all evacuees looking to start rebuilding their lives."

Brian Jean, MLA, Fort Mc-Murray-Conklin

Residents can only return when five key conditions are met:

• Wildfire is no longer an imminent threat

• Critical infrastructure to support essential services is repaired and restored to provide a basic service level.

• Essential services are restored to basic level, including:

- Emergency Services (Fire, EMS, Police, 911)

- Open, safe transportation to, and within, the community (includes traffic controls)

- Access to emergency medical care and patient transport

- Access to potable water, electricity and gas

- Access to food, pharmaceuti-

cals, banks and other essentials - Access to mental health supports

• Hazardous areas are secure

• Local government is re-established

"Safe re-entry is essential to any timing and will not be compromised," said Mayor Melissa Blake. "It is helpful to have a plan that covers both a high need to respect citizens' wishes to return with only basic services, as well as an extended range that provides a more comfortable re-entry timeline."

Melissa Blake, Mayor, Regional Municipality of Wood Buffalo

The re-entry of residents will occur by zone number to allow for efficient and safe traffic flow up Highway 63. Phased re-entry also ensures that limited services will be available to residents. The re-entry schedule and details for residents will be available online. (www.emergency.alberta.ca)

Re-entry Schedule

• Zone 1 – Lower Townsite,

Anzac

• Zone 2 (a) – Parsons Creek, Stone Creek, Timberlea North of Confederation

• Zone 2 (b) – Eagle Ridge, Timberlea south of Confederation, Dickensfield

• Zone 3 – Thickwood, Wood Buffalo

• Zone 4 (a) – Gregoire, Saprae Creek Estates

• Zone 4 (b) Waterways, Abasand, Beacon Hill

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# JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup> AUCTION FOR: 4 RETIRING SENIORS Located: BARRHEAD RODEO GROUNDS

Wednesday Evening, June 1<sup>st</sup> at 6:00р.м.

HILITES \* Oak Table w 6 Chairs \* Oak Style China Cabinet \* Wall Display Unit \* TV \* Nice Blue Recliner Chesterfield \* dresser & C of D \* Washers & Dryers \* Fridge \* deep freeze \* Large Dog Pet Carrier \* Usual Household \* Tools & Garage Misc \* 3 6x8 Metal/Wire Free Stand Panels PLUS: \* Large Trailer Van Full of Estate Items, to packed to see or list. Other items also coming from other consigners

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# JUNE 3<sup>RD</sup> AUCTION FOR: WILLIAM JONES

Located: (From LEGAL – Go W to Hwy 2 then continue W on Hwy 651 for 6 miles to RR 263 then 3 mi S) (From BUSBY – Go E to Hwy 44 then 2 mi E on Hwy 651 to RR 263 then 3 mi S)

### Friday Evening, June 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:00р.м.

GRAIN EQUIP: \*4 Good Westeel Rosco 6 R Hopper Bins \* Air Fan \*3 Butlar 3R Bins on Wood Floors \* Like New 55x8 Wheatheart BH 855 Auger w self propelled moving, Kohler Pro 30 motor MACHINERY: \*50' Flexicoil System 92 w coil packers and a Wallmar Air Flo Att \* Good 14' Mel Cam 9810 DT Cult \* 14' Disc w grass, fert, rubber packers \* Degei Man Rock Picker w pto drive, Batt Wheel P/Up \* Cockshutt 1850 Tractor w cab, Ezee On Loader \* Woodys Whammer Trail Post Pounder w hyd to pump \*2 of 111-15 Tires & Bims

pto pump \* 2 of 11L-15 Tires & Rims **GOOD HORSE TACK:** \* New Western Saddle \* Roping Saddle \* Mid Size Saddle \* Kids Saddle \* Packing Saddle \* Ankle Protectors \* Saddle Bags \* Bridles \* Leather Chaps \* Lots of Tack \* Spurs \* Hoof Care Eg \* Lariets \* Sleeping Bags \* Camping Gear

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# LARGE ITEM PICKUP SCHEDULED FOR WEEK OF MAY 23

### Submitted by John R. Statton

Once again, the City of Leduc is helping residents effectively manage large items they want to dispose of by offering the large item pickup, scheduled for the week of May 23-27.

"Spring cleaning often involves disposing of items a family can no longer use," said

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Walking down the street, a man hears a voice: "Stop! If

you take one more step, a brick will fall down and kill

you." The man stopped; a big brick fell in front of him.

The astonished man continued walking to the cross

walk. The voice shouted, "Stop! If you take one more

step, a car will run over you and you will die." The man

stood still; a car came careening around the corner,

barely missing him. "Where are you?" the man asked. "Who are you?" "I am your guardian angel," the voice

answered. "Oh yeah?" the man asked. "Where the hell

Kerra Chomlak, environmental sustainability co-ordinator with the City of Leduc. "This special pickup helps residents dispose of items that are otherwise difficult to transport."

Residents are invited to place a maximum of two large items at the curb with their regular carts on their scheduled collection day.

Items eligible for this special

service include appliances (other than fridges and freezers), water heaters, furniture, doors and lawn mowers. Lawn mowers must have oil and gas removed from them before pick up. Items must be a maximum of 60 inches wide (five feet) and 150 pounds (68 kilograms) to be eligible for pick up.

Fridges and freezers can be taken to the Leduc and District Regional Waste Management Facility for proper disposal. A fee of \$25 applies. In 2015, Leduc residents disposed of 16 tonnes of material during the large item pickup.

For more information about Leduc's environmental initiatives and special services, check out Leduc.ca, call the Eco-smart Hotline at 780-980-7107 or e-mail ecosmart@leduc.ca.

# DAMAGE TO MAIL BOX

Submitted by Thorsby/ Breton RCMP

File number: 2016552782

On May 7, 2016, Thorsby RCMP received a complaint of damage to a mail box near Wizard Lake.

Sometime between 10PM on May 6 and 8AM on May 7 the Township Road 480 was damaged in an attempt to steal mail. Several locks were cut to gain entry.

If you have any information that could assist in this investigation, please contact the Thorsby RCMP at 780-789-3951; or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or www.crimestoppers.ab. ca if you wish to remain anon-



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Before returning to the community, residents are advised to:

• Check the status of your property with the Fire Assessment Tool. Updated maps are expected soon.

• Call your insurance company about what it requires from you regarding information about your property and any damage it may have sustained

• Speak with your mortgage holder/lender about mortgage/ payment options

Residents with the following medical conditions or situations should not return to the community until the Northern Lights Regional Health Centre is fully operational:

• A chronic or acute medical condition, such as asthma

• Anyone requiring regular primary care, specialist care, laboratory or diagnostic services

• Anyone requiring counselling or mental-health services

• Anyone more than 36 weeks pregnant or with a high-risk pregnancy

• Anyone receiving cancer treatment, dialysis or other specialized medical services

• Anyone requiring home care, home oxygen or home health supports

• Anyone recently discharged from hospital or who has had a transplant

What to expect when you return to the community:

• Most critical infrastructure has been restored, but several services will not be fully restored immediately.

• A number of fires are still burning in the region. If weather conditions change, there is a possibility of smoke in the air. The smoke may not necessarily be cause for alarm.

• Essential contact information will be provided to assist with issues such as utility connections and protective services (i.e. gas, power, water, phone, police, fire, EMS).

• Community Information Centres will open in various locations to provide a variety of services and information, including mental-health supports. Locations will be listed online before May 31.

What residents returning home should bring:

• If possible, bring a three- to seven-day supply of food for you and your pets – including drinking water – as a "boil-water" advisory will remain in place. Your fridge/freezer may not be usable so it is advisable to bring non-perishable goods. You may wish to bring a cooler for perishable items. • Some pharmacies and the hospital will be functional at basic levels; however, please fill prescriptions before returning to your community.

• Bring long-sleeved shirts, long pants and rubber boots

• Bring flashlights and batteries • Bring a camera and/or video camera to document any damage to your property for insurance purposes

• Bring hand soap and/or hand sanitizer (at least 60 per cent alcohol) Transitional Housing

• If your home was destroyed or severely damaged, government is working on a plan to support your housing needs on an interim basis.

Damage Assessment Stats:

• 19,244 structures have been assessed

• 1,921 have been destroyed

• 17,156 are OK to occupy

• 121 are limited to restricted use

39 are unsafe to occupy/enter
Seven are still to be inspected

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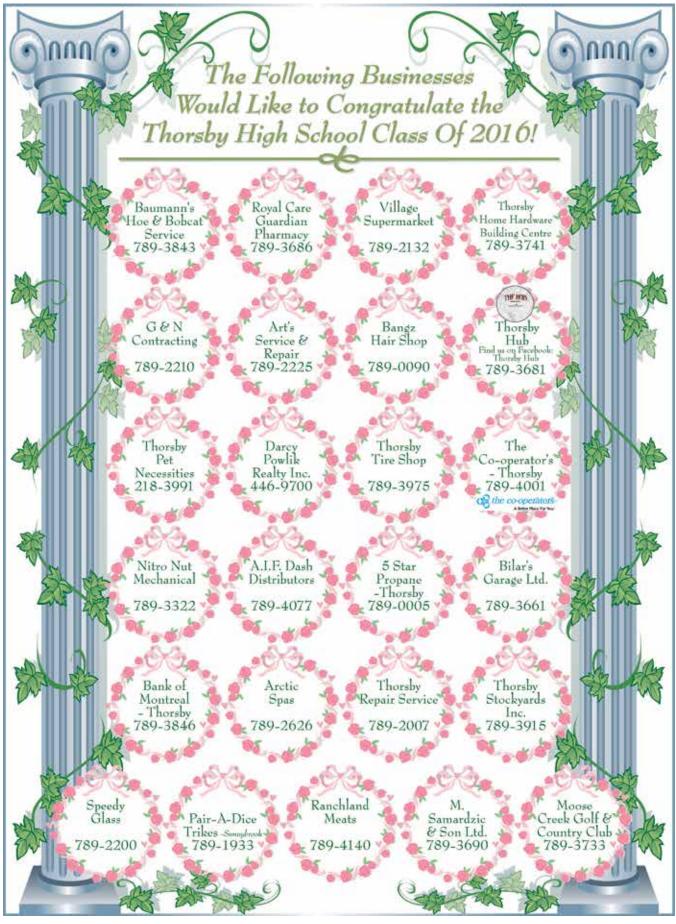
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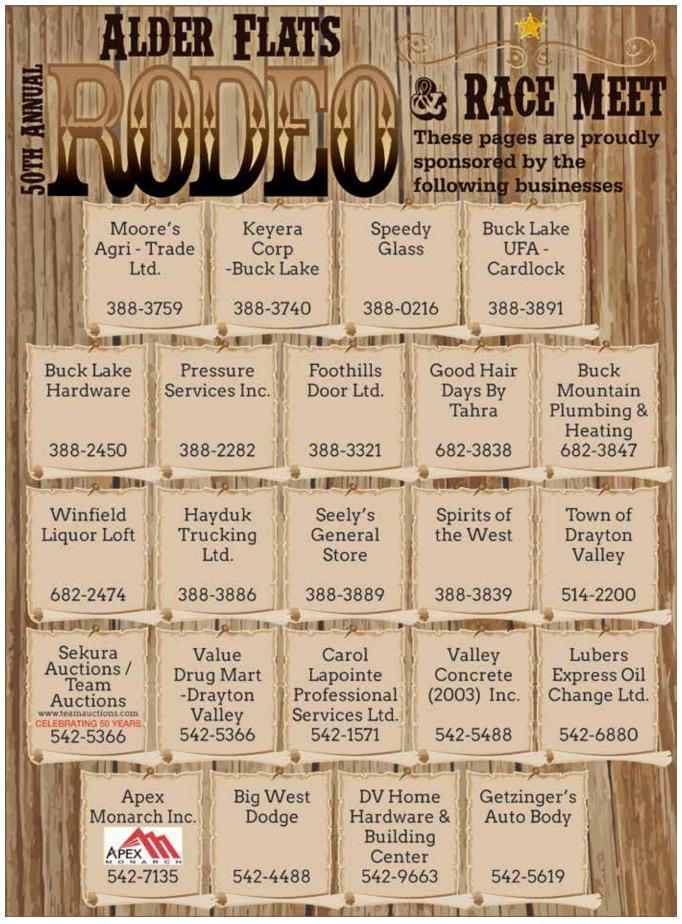
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ALDER FLATS REPORTED	
& RACE MEET FRIDAY MAY 27	
6:00 p.m. RODEO Featuring Wild Pony Race & Ladies Cow Riding Fri only Gate Admission \$5 Adults, \$1 Kids Trade Fair, Concession, and Beer Gardens SATURDAY MAY 23 8:00 a.m. PANCAKES \$7	3 DAYS RAIN OR SHINE
10:30 a.m. <b>PARADE</b> Judging at 10 a.m. Noon <b>RODEO &amp; RACE MEET</b> Featuring all horse racing and added events FIND US ON FACEBOOK or www.alderflats.ca Gate Admission \$6 Adults, \$2 Kids Trade Fair, Concession, and Beer Gardens	RODEO ENTRIES One day only! May 18 4 to 10 p.m.
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8:00 a.m. PANCAKES \$7 10:00 a.m. COWBOY CHURCH 11:00 a.m. APC & CA CHUCKWAGONS & CHARIOTS Gate Admission FREE	RACING SINCE 1967



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# May 24, 2016 **MP EGLINSKI ON MEDICAL ASSISTED DYING LEGISLATION**

### Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP - Yellowhead

Bill C-14, Medical Assistance in Dying was introduced in Parliament on April 14th.

The legislation states that there should be a choice of medically-assisted death for adults who are suffering intolerably and

for whom death is reasonably foreseeable. Those eligible to seek that help must be mentally competent, 18 or older, have a serious and incurable disease, illness or disability and be in an advanced state of irreversible decline in capability.

The dissenting report by Members of Parliament from the Con-

servative party included recommendations to exclude minors, include stringent safeguards to protect those with underlying medical health challenges; and recognize the risks involved with advanced directives. All of these recommendations were included in Bill C-14.

I will be studying the complex-

ity of this legislation, particularly the protection of vulnerable populations bearing in mind the responses I have received from many of my constituents. I look forward to participating and listening to the debate at second reading.

# **BREAK & ENTER TO THE OLD MEAT PLANT IN WARBURG**

### Submitted by Thorsby/ **Breton RCMP**

File number: 2016546651 On May 6th, 2016, the Thorsby/Breton RCMP received a complaint of a break and enter and vandalism to the old Meat Plant on 50 Street in Warburg.

Sometime during the night of May 5th the building was entered by kicking open a door at the back of the building. Inside the building skids were knocked

over and items were tossed around. Paint was also used and spread about inside the building.

If you have any information that could assist in this investigation, please contact the Thorsby RCMP at 780-789-3951; or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or www.crimestoppers.ab. ca if you wish to remain anonymous.



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10:00 am at the Trade Fair

TRADE FAIR

conditions

at the Leduc Recreation Centre Fieldhouses

in the Leduc Recreation Centre parking lot Midway operation dependent on weather

9:00 am - 11:00 am in the Curling Rink Foyer

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in the Leduc Recreation Centre parking lot

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RODEO PERFORMANCE Doors Open at 5:30 pm Starts at 7:00 pm at Sobeys Arena in the Leduc Recreation Centre lickets available at the door

MIDWAY RIDES AND AMUSEMENTS in the Leduc Recreation Centre West parking

lot Midway operation dependent on weather renditions

### FRIDAY, JUNE 3, 2016

**RODEO OF "SMILES"** Closed event, registered guests only. 9:00 am At the Leduc Recreation Centre

TRADE FAIR FREE Admission 12:00 pm - 8:00 pm

at the Leduc Recreation Centre Fieldhouses Saloon and Entertainment on Site

MIDWAY RIDES & AMUSEMENTS in the Leduc Recreation Centre parking lot Midway operation dependent on weather conditions

THREE BUCK BBQ 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm Lion's Burger 88Q at Co-op Grocery Parking Lot

LEDUC REGIONAL FAMILY **FUN FAIR** 4:30 pm - 8:00 pm Games and activities for children and families at the Curling Rink FREE ADMISSION

### **BIG VALLEY ROAD TO MAIN** STAGE CONTEST On the Trade Fair Stag

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**RODEO CABARET** (Must be over 18 years of age to enter) 9:00 pm - 2:00 am (Doors open at 8:30 pm) Entertainment: Kory Wlos At the Corling Rink Tickets are \$20, available at the door

SUNDAY, JUNE 5, 2016 Leduc Reo INSPIRING YOUNG ARTISTS COMPETITION & SHOW Leduc Art Club, at Leduc Recreation Centre

10:00 am - 3:00 pm **RODEO PERFORMANCE** Doors Open at 12:30 pm

Starts at 2:00 pm at Sobeys Arena in the Leduc Recreation Centre Tickets available at the door

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More information and vendor application forms can be found online at www.blackgoldrodeo.com

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# Page 14 Community Voice **E-BILLING WILL NOW BE OFFERED TO ALL LEDUC UTILITY CUSTOMERS**

### Submitted by Mariann Mc-Laughlin

Leduc utility customers will now be provided the option in how they wish to receive their bill – by email or in their mail box.

"E-billing is a proven environmentally-friendly option to help reduce the number of monthly hard copy bills required for this distribution," says Jennifer Cannon, director of Finance with the City of Leduc. "Our new and improved e-billing program is a quick and convenient service we're now able to provide our customers, which delivers the utility bill right to their email inbox."

When utility account holders register for e-billing, their household will be automatically entered into a random draw for one of three prepaid credit cards of \$100.

Utility customers can register for e-billing one of four ways:

1. Online at http://leduc.fluidsurveys.com/s/e-billing/

- 2. Email: utilities@leduc.ca
- 3. Phone: 780-980-8416

4. In person at the Leduc Civic Centre (1 Alexandra Park)

E-billing is a service offered, similar to other municipalities and provides the opportunity to help save money and it aligns



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BE YOU. BE FLAWLESS. www.elaine1.jeunesseglobal.com with the city's overall environmental strategy.

"If 50 per cent of our customers sign up for e-billing, it would reduce our printing and paper costs, which is the equivalent of saving 15 trees per year or 4,000 kWh of electricity that equals powering 12 refrigerators," says Cannon.

For more information, visit Leduc.ca or call 780-980-7177.

### THEFT OF PESTICIDES Submitted by Thorsby/

Breton RCMP On May 10th, 2016, Thorsby

RCMP received a report of a theft of farm chemicals on Range Road 10 approximately one mile north of Highway 39. The chemicals are used to control weeds and are known as "Heat" and "Prepass," valued at approximately \$8000-\$10,000.

If you have any information that could assist in this investigation, please contact the Thorsby RCMP at 780-789-3951; or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or www. crimestoppers.ab.ca if you wish to remain anonymous.

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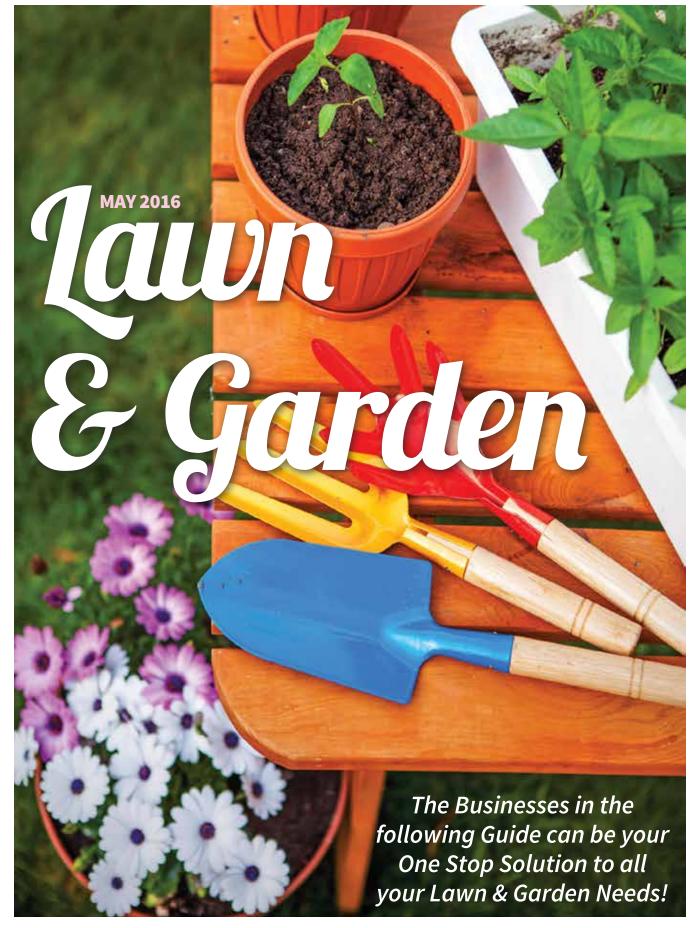
Submitted by Thorsby/ Breton RCMP

### File number: 2016577635

On May 13, 2016, the Thorsby RCMP received a complaint of a theft of a chainsaw at a rural cabin near Twp Rd 505.

Sometime between May 9 and May 11 the property was entered and a lock was cut. The cabin was broken in to and a Stihl M 5291 Chainsaw was stolen.

If you have any information that could assist in this investigation, please contact the Thorsby RCMP at 780-789-3951; or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or www. crimestoppers.ab.ca if you wish to remain anonymous.





# **HOW TO SPOT AN UNHEALTHY TREE**

Perhaps because they can live for so many years, trees have a way of falling down homeowners' landscaping priority lists. Trees also tend to be big and strong, so it's no surprise that they often are overlooked in favor or other areas of a lawn and garden that don't seem so strong in the face of Mother Nature.

But trees are susceptible to damage and disease, and homeowners who learn to recognize symptoms of such problems can prevent them from escalating and reduce the risk that the trees will cause damage to their properties. The following are just some of the ways homeowners can determine if their trees are unhealthy. Homeowners who suspect they have a tree that poses a safety risk should contact a professional tree service for an immediate inspection and steer clear of the tree until an inspection has been performed. • Check around the base

of the tree. The base of a tree may offer some telltale signs that the tree is unhealthy. Soil that is cracked or raised at the base of the tree may be indicative of a tree that has started to uproot. If you recognize any cracking or if the soil is raised, look at the tree to see if it is leaning. If the soil is cracked or raised because it is uprooting, then the tree might have already started to lean in the opposite direction of the cracking or raised soil.

• Examine for fungus. The growth of fungus on the tree trunk or close to it may be a sign that the tree is rotting or decaying. Fungal growth, such as a sudden population of mushrooms, around the base of the tree is another sign of decay. If the wood behind fungal growth crumbles easily, then homeowners should call a professional tree service, as the fungal problem on the tree has likely already been festering for quite some time.

• Look for cavities on the trunk. Cracks and cavities on a tree may not be an emergency, but especially deep cracks and cavities may be indicative of a structural problem. Multiple cracks and cavities also serve as red flags.

• Look for dead wood. It may sound simple, but dead wood poses a threat to the tree and anyone who happens to spend time in its vicinity. Dead wood snaps easily, and falling dead wood can harm anyone unlucky enough to be beneath the tree when the dead wood snaps. Dead wood branches won't bend in the wind, and such branches frequently fall off of trees when strong gusts of wind come along. Dead branches either won't have leaves or the leaves will be brown (dead pine branches will have brown needles).

Weak connections. . Unhealthy trees often have weak connections between their branches and their trunks. If branches don't appear to be strongly connected to the tree bark, call a tree service to determine a solution. The tree might not be on its way out, but you may have to take steps to strengthen the connections so branches are not at risk of falling.

Unhealthy trees can pose a significant safety hazard on a property. Homeowners who learn to recognize the signs of unhealthy trees can do something to prevent dying trees from damaging their homes.





# **BREAK GROUND WITH THE RIGHT TOOLS**

The right tools for the job can be the difference between an interminable landscaping project and one that goes smoothly and efficiently. Aspiring landscapers probably have a few shovels and rakes hanging in their garages and sheds for basic landscaping work. But while such tools are effective for certain projects, when it comes to churning soil for garden beds or digging holes for outdoor structures, additional tools come in handy. It may be well worth a trip to a nearby home center to purchase or rent one of these tools ideal for breaking ground.

Rototiller

A rototiller, sometimes called just a "tiller," is a powered garden tool designed to loosen soil prior to planting. A rototiller also can help aerate soil during the growing season. Because they reduce the need for manual spade digging or hoeing, tillers can be useful landscaping tools, particularly for homeowners who want to work efficiently.

Rototillers will break through tough soil and any plant roots. They come in a variety of sizes, and it's best to match the tool to the size of the job. Many homeowners can get by with smaller, less powerful models, especially if the tiller is only necessary at the beginning of planting season. Professional landscapers or those with large swatches of property may benefit from larger models.

Auger

Augers, both mechanical and manual, are essentially large drill bits that help move materials from one location to another. Augers are typically used to cut holes in landscapes, and they are good for post-hole drilling, which is part of the process of installing deck footings, fencing posts or other structures. Augers come in a variety of sizes, and homeowners can choose how much power they prefer. Augers can be heavy and cumbersome, and many do-it-yourselfers will find that one-person augers are more than adequate for their projects.

Augers dig deep holes, so it is always smart to have the property surveyed prior to use. This way pipes, gas lines, buried electrical lines, and any other obstructions are clearly identified prior to drilling. Cultivator

Cultivators are similar to tillers in that they loosen soil. Cultivators are effective during the growth period of plants, when they can be used to aerate the soil and remove weeds. Cultivators come in hand-held versions and push models, and some are even motorized. Cultivators get close to plants to remove weeds without disturbing the plant. They also are used to stir in compost or fertilizer.

While many people think cultivators and tillers are the same, that is not the case. The former is less powerful and will mix the soil or stir up the top layer, while the latter can break up moderately hard ground and loosen firm soil. When using any tools around the garden, wear the proper protection. This includes devices to protect hearing when power tools are in use as well as gloves and safety goggles. Tillers, augers and cultivators have the potential to toss soil and rocks into the air, so make sure others keep their distance while work is in progress.







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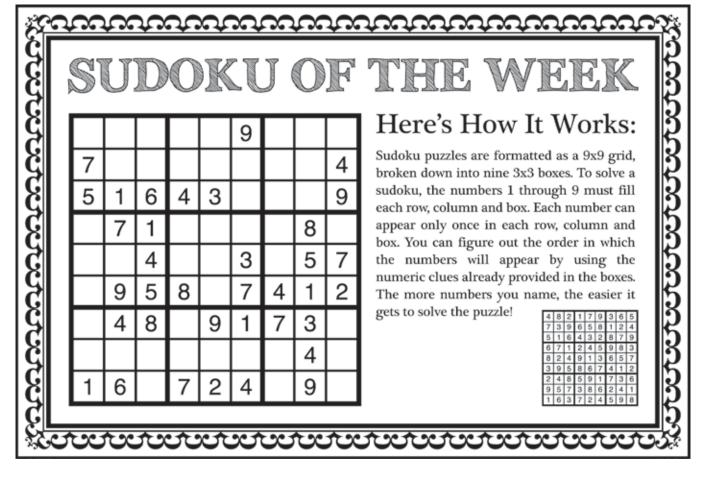
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If you are a LICENSED, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, you are welcome to submit your announcement FREE of charge, space permitting. You are required to submit your non-profit number. Call (780) 962-9229. Please note that all submitted announcements will be edited to fit the 2 line limit. Deadline 12 noon Friday prior to publication (Thursdays on long weekends).

**MAY 26 - "GET TO KNOW YOUR NEIGHBORS BBQ"** from 5-7pm at Violet Grove Hall - Bring a Chair. Hosted by Drayton Valley Rural Crime Watch.

MAY 29 - COUNTRY FAIR at Woodbend Hall, 1-4pm. FREE. Games, Races, Bouncy Castle, Hot Dogs. Tour facilities. Buy membership. Register for Playschool. Call 780-470-0696. 26002-Twp Rd 514

### FARMERS MARKETS

**DRAYTON VALLEY**:Every Wed, 10:30-1:30pm at the Omniplex

### BINGO

MULHURST: Every Tuesday night, 7pm at the Mulhurst Legion CALMAR: Every Wednesday night, 7:00pm at the Calmar Legion.

### SOCIAL EVENTS

**50+ YOUNG AT HEART LUNCHEON** for Parkland County Seniors. 12 Noon at Stony Plain United Church Basement, \$7 per plate. 3rd Wed of Each Month, Sept - June. For reservations call Audrey 780-963-1782.

**55+ CLUB DRAYTON VALLEY:** located in recreation center \*upstairs. Music Jams: Doors open at 1:00pm. Last Sunday of each month. Come on in and listen, 780-542-3768.

**CALMAR SENIORS BUS:** to West Edmonton Mall - 1st Wed. 9:30am; Seniors' Birthday Party - every 3rd Wed. 1:30pm; Meetings - every 2nd Wed of every month. 1:30pm. (780) 985-3117.

**DEVON MUSIC JAM & DANCE**: 4th Wednesdays of the Month. 7:00pm at the Devon Pioneer 73 Club (29 Saint Lawrence Ave.) Musicians Free, Guests \$5 includes light lunch.

**DEVON RECREATION:** Volleyball, Mondays 8-10 p, \$2, John Maland High School. Badminton, Fridays 7-9 pm, Robina Baker School, \$2. Hockey (Arena), Tues & Thurs, noon (children under 15 must be accompanied by an adult). **INDOOR PLAYGROUND:** Mondays, 10am-12pm, Alder Flats Community Centre. Info (780) 388-3333 No fee. Pleas bring a snack for your child.

JAM DANCE & CARDS: 1st Fri, 7pm, Buck Creek. (780) 514-3781

**"KIDS OWN WORSHIP"** an hour after-school, 1st and 3rd Thursdays each month. Songs, Crafts, Snacks and FUN! No charge. Call All Saints' Anglican Church. (780)542-5048

**MUSICAL JAM SESSIONS:** 4th Tues, 1:00 pm at Calmar Seniors Centre. Bring your own instruments and have fun.

**MUSICAL PROGRAM**: every 4th Saturday at the Cloverleaf Manor, 2:30pm. Everyone welcome.

**PEMBINA SKATING CLUB** (Evansburg Arena), offers Learn-to-Skate, CanSkate & STARSkate for all ages. Skating year runs from Sept-Mar. Call Lisa 727-2729.

**ST. DAVIDS JR. CHOIR** is seeking singers ages 7-13. Boys and girls are welcomed. Rehearsals in Leduc Tuesdays 3:45-5 p.m. Contact 780-432-7805.

WARBURG ARENA HOSTS FREE SHINNY HOCKEY, Sun 2:30 - 3:45pm & Mon /Wed 4-5:45pm, arena closures & cancellations can be heard on recorded messages, call Arena 780-848-7581 WARBURG ARENA HOSTS FREE PUB-LIC SKATING, Sundays 1-2:30pm & Fridays 4-5:45 pm, call arena for clo-

sure dates WILTON PARK COMMUNITY JAM-BOREE: Every 4th Saturday of Every Month. Starts at 7:30pm. Phone 780-985-2478 or 780-985-3200.

### MEETINGS

**AHS**: Addiction Services provides assessment and counseling for alcohol, other drugs, tobacco and gambling in Breton on court day Wednesdays. To make an appointment, please call 780-542-3140.

Do you have a problem with alcohol & are you looking for an **AA MEETING** or someone to talk to? Call Toll Free 1-877-404-8100.

Drinking a Problem? There is a Solution, call AA 780-491-1043

ALDER FLATS AG SOCIETY: 3rd Wed, 7pm, Community Centre. Call (780) 388-3318 for more info.

**BRETON COUNCIL MEETINGS:** 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7 pm at the Council Chambers, Carolyn Strand Civic Centre. 780-696-3636.

BRETON & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY Regular Meeting 2nd Thurs. at 7:30pm at Hall.

**CITIZENS ON PATROL:** 2nd Thurs of ea mo, 7:30pm in Entwistle Seniors Bldg

DRAYTON VALLEY BRANCH OF AL-BERTA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY: meets 7pm at The Wishing Well every 3rd Wed of the month. For more information call (780) 542-2787

DRAYTON VALLEY WOMEN'S IN-STITUTE, encouraging, educating & empowering women to improve conditions in our community, province, country & worldwide. Meetings held the last 2nd Tuesday of the month at the DV Legion Hall, 7pm. Call (780) 542-5943 for more info. New members welcome!

LEDUC MS SOCIETY COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP Are you diagnosed with MS and have questions? This group is for you! Meets 2nd Tuesday of month, 7-9pm at Smitty's (5004 50st.) Contact Keith 780-471-3034

MS SOCIETY DRAYTON VALLEY COMMUNITY GROUP meets every 1st Tuesday of the month, Sept-June from 6-8pm at Norquest College, dates TBA. Info, Terra Leslie at 1-403-346-0290.

T.O.P.S. (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Thorsby, meeting every Monday morning 9:00am at Thorsby Fire Hall. Ph: 789-2219 for info.

T.O.P.S. (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) Devon, The meetings are held on Wed. at 9:30 am at Riverside Baptist Church, 2 Saskatchewan Dr., Devon. Contact Brenda at 987-9113 for info.

Winfield Legion Branch 236: Meetings every 2nd Tues. Contact Secretary Treasurer Shelly Oulton 696-3600 or Alfred Farmer 696-2006

### YOUR COMMUNITY

**Dental Health:** Visit the dental hygienist with your toddler. Children 15-24 mos of age are encouraged to have this Free Toddler Mouth Check. For info, contact the Thorsby Health Centre at 789-4800.

**Come join GIRL GUIDES OF CANA-DA,** 1st Pipestone Sparks/Brownies/ Guides Rainbow Unit. For more info call Jenny 387-3544 (anytime) or Teresa 901-3817 (evenings)

Meals on Wheels: Call Deanne Young, Director FCSS 696-3636

Thorsby Well Child & Immunization Clinic, every 1st & 3rd Thurs. of the month. Contact Thorsby Public Health Center for appointment. 789-4800.

Warburg Well Baby & Immunization Clinic, by appointment only, 2nd Wed of month, Cloverleaf Manor. Thorsby Health Unit 789-4800.



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