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WHITECOURT RCMP INVESTIGATE ROBBERY AT PINE PLAZA LIQUOR

Submitted by Whitecourt RCMP

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Whitecourt RCMP are looking for public assistance to identify additional suspects and a SUV after a staff member was bear sprayed at the Pine Plaza Liquor Store yesterday.

Whitecourt RCMP responded to the robbery report at 9:45 pm on May 6th after three males attempted to steal liquor from the Pine Plaza Liquor Store, located

at 3732 Kepler Street in Whitecourt. When the staff member exited the store in an attempt to get a license plate from the suspect's vehicle, she was confronted and sprayed with bear spray. The three suspects stole one bottle of alcohol and fled in a dark colored SUV which was last seen traveling toward Fox Creek.

Two of the suspects, a 27 year old man and 14 year old male youth, were located walking near Fox Creek. Both males were arrested and are currently being

held in custody pending a bail hearing. The third suspect and SUV have not been located.

The victim was transported to the Whitecourt Hospital by ambulance to be decontaminated and has since been released to recuperate.

If you have information about this incident, please contact the Whitecourt RCMP at 780-779-5900. If you wish to remain anonymous, call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or report it online at www.tipssubmit.com.

ALBERTA BEACH SENIOR'S 50+ CLUB CRIB TOURNAMENT

Submitted by Jeannette Hutchinson

The Alberta Beach 50+ Club is holding a Crib Tournament on Saturday May 27, 2017. The entry fee is \$40.00 per couple. Registration starts at 10 am and play starts at 11 am. There will be a maximum of 120 players. Snacks will be served in the morning and a hot lunch at noon. There will be prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place, two 50/50 draws, and \$10.00 for a 24 or greater hand. The proceeds will go to help with the operating expenses and to help support some local charities.

The Alberta Beach 50+ Club formed 41 years ago by a group of people over the age of 50, who wanted a place to meet and have

things to do there, and some of our members come from other communities.

Our weekly activities include Aerobics on Monday, Wednesday & Friday morning from 8:30 am to 10 am year round, and there is a walking program on those same days from 10:30 am to 11:30 am from October to March. On Tuesday night we play crib at 7:30 pm, year round. On Wednesday afternoon we play Bridge from 1 pm to 4 pm, year round, and on Thursday we have yoga in the morning, and we play Euchere at 7:30 pm from October to March.

We also hold many functions for members and non-members to attend. In May & June every Monday night is a hamburger night

for members and the community. During Sno-Mo days we have a dinner on Saturday night for the community and during Poly-days we have a breakfast on Saturday morning and a pancake breakfast on Sunday morning for the community. In August we host a show and shine of many older cars, and we also have a golf tournament. On April 22nd, 2017 we had a Mystery Night dinner, and on May 6th we had Fiddles and Sticks entertainers.

This club is a friendly place for senior's to come and meet others. For more information about the crib tournament call Jeannette 780-924-3306.

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RAILWAY SAFETY ACT REVIEW

Submitted by Jim Eglinski,
MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA - Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is informing residents of a review of the Railway Safety Act, which is being conducted one year ahead of schedule.

To carry out this review, the Minister of Transport has appointed a panel, which is tasked with engaging a broad range of stakeholders from across the country.

"Considering some of the ongoing safety issues in our riding of Yellowhead in which

CN trains block crossings for unacceptable amounts of time, I am encouraging all residents and stakeholders with a vested interest in rail safety to provide their views to the Review Panel," stated MP Eglinski.

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Submitted by Oneil Carlier, MLA Whitecourt Ste. Anne | Minister of Agriculture and Forestry

Mother Nature can be unpredictable. Farmers know that they're at the mercy of favourable weather, no matter the season. If it's seeding time they need moisture. If it's harvest season they need all the sunny days they can get to haul in bumper crops.

While nature's unpredictability is a major factor in producing crops, one thing is predictable: our government will always have our farmers' back when dealing with testy and challenging farming seasons.

Growing up on a farm, I know farmers work hard to bring the best yield of crops every year, but sometimes their best efforts could be subjected to the vagaries of weather and markets. I heard the concerns brought forward by the crop commissions when I spoke with them recently and I commend them for reflect-

ing the views of their members. I value farmers' input on how we can best address this situation through the important work of Agriculture Financial Services Corporation.

I have asked AFSC to streamline its inspection process and its officials have done so because we both recognize that there's a need to respond in a timely manner to inspections.

Boots are on the ground, with 120 folks in the full swing of on-farm inspection. Inspectors are actively working on wildlife and pre-harvest claims.

I also know that AFSC on farm inspection and branch staff will be proactively contacting clients to set up required inspections to ensure we are moving through the process in a timely manner.

I am pleased that AFSC has agreed to reduce the number of required field counts when appraising wildlife damage and potential production on the unharvested acres, and to rely on the inspector's judgement to do more counts when required.

I know that in situations where AFSC has determined a crop is unharvestable (e.g. severely lodged or not marketable) a zero yield will be assessed.

I've been assured by AFSC officials that their staff will process claims on a crop-by-crop basis if there are delays in assessing total production of the different insured unharvested crop types in order to provide cash flow to producers.

Dealing with the unharvested acres is a priority for AFSC and all available adjusting staff are being deployed to the affected areas to move through claims as quickly as possible.

These actions will help producers spend less time worrying about last year's crop, and more time preparing for the growing season.

The success of our farmers and our rural communities is essential to Alberta's success, and through existing programs and services our government is committed to helping farmers make their lives better.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

Estate of **ALLAN FRANK GALLIFORD**, also known as **FRANKLIN ALLAN GALLIFORD** who died on April 2, 2017.

If you have a claim against this estate, you must file your claim by June 8, 2017 with Robert A. Joly Professional Corporation, Barrister & Solicitor at #4, 20 McLeod Avenue, Spruce Grove, AB T7X 3Y1 and provide details of your claim.

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DISABILITY AWARD INCREASE FOR VETERANS

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA: MP Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to hear that veterans with a Disability Award from Veterans Affairs Canada (VAC) will receive an additional, tax-free, lump sum payment. The maximum Disability Award is increasing from \$314,723.89 to \$360,000.

This measure comes into effect on April 1, 2017.

The Disability Award provides injured Canadian Armed Forces members or veterans with a one-time, tax-free payment for the pain and suffering associated with an injury or illness resulting from military service. The Disability Award is paid in recognition of these non-economic effects, of service-related disabilities on the

lives of Canadian Armed Forces members and veterans.

For those who have already received a Disability Award, no application is necessary to receive the additional lump sum payment. Veterans who received a Disability Award and are getting monthly program benefits from Veterans Affairs Canada, as well as those who received a Disability Award payment within the last two years will automatically get a letter explaining the amount of their additional lump sum payment by mid-April.

Any veterans who received a Disability Award more than two years ago and who are not currently receiving monthly program benefits from Veterans Affairs Canada are encouraged to contact the Department immediately to confirm their address and banking information.

To calculate the amount of the one-time lump sum additional payment, the new maximum Disability Award amount that will go into effect on April 1, 2017 will be

adjusted by Consumer Price Index for each year back to 2006 – which is the year the New Veterans Charter was implemented. The amount of the one-time lump sum additional payment will be the difference between this adjusted amount and the Disability Award and/or Death Benefit amount already paid.

If veterans would like to manage their information online and receive communication regarding their Disability Award increase along with other benefits and services, they can register for My VAC Account at www.veterans.gc.ca/myVACaccount. Through this on-line service, veterans will be able to provide information, if required, to expedite the additional lump sum payment. VAC will reimburse eligible veterans for financial advice on how to manage or invest the money.

“Our veterans have served our country valiantly, and I am pleased they will be receiving the services and support they need, and deserve”, concluded MP Eglinski.





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PERSONS CASE AWARDS 2017 – CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

Submitted by Jim Eglinski,
MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA - Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to invite residents to submit nominations for the 2017 Governor General's Awards in Commemoration of the Persons Case. Each year, these awards recognize five individuals, including youth, who have made outstanding contributions in the pursuit of gender equality in Canada.

Gender equality includes the opportunity to participate in democratic and public life, the opportunity to achieve economic security and the opportunity to live free from violence.

"Recognizing the achievements of individuals that are

helping to advance gender equality is essential as their successes can inspire others to make a difference," stated MP Eglinski.

While nominations are accepted all year, the deadline for nominating someone for the 2017 awards is July 3. To learn more, visit the Status of Women Canada website, which includes a list of past recipients, videos, and the nomination package (www.swc-cfc.gc.ca).

"In Yellowhead, we know that equality matters – for our economy, for our families, and for our society. I encourage constituents to nominate a neighbour, colleague, or friend for a Persons Case Award," concluded MP Eglinski.



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POVERTY REDUCTION STRATEGY CONSULTATION

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA - Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is encouraging residents to participate in a nation-wide consultation process to support the development of

Canada's Poverty Reduction Strategy, which will be aimed at reducing poverty and improving the economic well-being of all Canadians so they have a fair chance to succeed.

In order to support the development of the Strategy, the government launched online and in-person consultations with

Canadians to discuss key issues related to poverty. All Canadians are invited to participate in the online consultation, which will run until June 2017. The consultation can be found at: esdc-consultations.canada.ca/poverty-reduction-strategy

"To address such an issue as complex as poverty, all levels

of government, as well as community and not-for-profit organizations, need to work together. By participating, residents of Yellowhead will have the opportunity to have their say on reducing poverty, including discussion forums and online town halls," concluded MP Eglinski.

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On March 24th, three appointments under the new judicial application process were announced to the Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench in Alberta. The appointments went to:

The Honourable Marilyn Slawinsky, in Red Deer; Ritu Khullar, Q.C., in Edmonton; Michele H. Hollins, Q.C., and William T. de Wit, Q.C., both in Calgary.

The number of federally appointed judges per province, as of March 1, 2017, can be found at:

<http://www.fja-cmf.gc.ca/appointments-nominations/judges-juges-eng.aspx>

This is good news for Alberta's judicial system. Filling vacancies in a timely manner ensures that criminal cases, especially the most serious cases, are properly addressed by the courts. Our Conservative Party believes that criminals, not their victims, should be punished for their crimes.

However, there are more vacancies that must be filled. Serious criminal cases are being thrown out due to delay and thousands of more cases across Canada could be tossed out.

The Minister of Justice owes it to victims of crime, and indeed all Canadians, to act now and fill the vacancies.

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Railway Safety Act Review

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The review will focus on examining existing provisions and programs under the Act, including their suitability, adequacy, and effectiveness. This is necessary to ensure the Act's core objective of ensuring rail safety for Canadians is met.

A final report from the panel is expected by May 2018.

"Canada is a large country

that relies on investment, openness and trade for its economic success. We need to ensure that people and products can move quickly and safely, while respecting the safety of local residents," concluded MP Eglinski.

To learn more about the Railway Safety Act Review and its Review Panel members, please visit <http://www.tc.gc.ca/en/reviews/railway-safety-act-review-2017-18.html>



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Nine NGPS students - four from Mayerthorpe High, two from Hillside High, two from Hilltop High and one from Fox Creek, recently made the trip to Bonnyville for a week-long, hands-on training session on Northern Lights School Division's (NLSD) training rig.

Students spent three days working on the rig from 8 am to 6 pm under the supervision of industry experts and two days in the classroom earning Safety Tickets in H2S Alive and Fall Protection.

"Authentic learning opportunities like these provide students with rich experience and practical knowledge," shared MJSHS Principal Dafydd Thomas. "Students get to explore

to 14 high school credits and receive a certificate from NLSD certifying that they have completed the industry standard training.

"The tour of the gas plant was really interesting and it was great to see what the job is all about in person. The trainers were also good, I learned a lot, and the experience confirmed that this would be a good career choice for me."

Thomas Commandeur,
Mayerthorpe Jr/Sr High School Student

career interests prior to committing to a program, earn needed credits and jumpstart their future careers. We are excited to be able to offer MJSHS students these opportunities." MJSHS will be offering a Dual Credit Health Care Aide program on site, at MJSHS, within the next two years.

NGPS students who are interested in the Dual Credit Service Rig or Oilfield Operator programs can earn from 5

Hilltop Dual Credit students Shaun Lapointe and Riley Henke both successfully completed the Rig Floor Hand program this past April.

Industry partners are equally excited about dual credit programs and look forward to having available trained rig technicians as the program progresses.

"The work being done in the area of Dual Credit by NGPS leadership, principals and partners is groundbreaking," commented Superintendent Kevin Andrea. "We appreciate the collective efforts of our people and our partners from business, industry, the Alberta Government and more, in making these opportunities a reality for NGPS students."

Dual credit Service Rig Floor Hand and Oilfield Operator programs popular with NGPS students who will earn certifications while still in high school



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David Quick, NGPS Community Partnerships and Dual Credit

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OJSH GRADE 8 "CULTURAL EXCHANGE"



Submitted by Wanda Pederson | Onoway Junior Senior High School

In light of Education Week which was May 1st to 5th, we are taking a

peek into OJSH's youngest students – the Grade eight classes.

What happens when one Grade 8 Social Studies class finishes their Japan "Edo" unit and another grade 8 class finishes their Aztec unit at the



same time? The answer: the classes have a cultural exchange!

Grade 8 Social Studies curriculum explores the concept of intercultural contact and develops historical thinking skills through a study of



past societies in different parts of the world. Mrs. Barr-Stierman's Grade 8 class just completed studying the Edo period of Japanese history. Ms. Wallace's grade 8s just finished their unit on the Aztecs. After being challenged at a PD day to create a new type of learning experience for their students, the two OJSH Social Studies/ English teachers decided to combine their classes for a cultural exchange of ideas.

Each class divided up into small groups and intensively researched a cultural or political aspect of what they had been studying. In addition to creating a project to share with their classmates, each student group had to create a five question worksheet for others to fill out as they viewed each project.

The student groups from Ms. Barr-Stierman's class went to each of the approximately 10 student stations of Ms. Wallace's Aztec class. The groups were given about 2 to 3 minutes at each station to hear explanations of the project, to ask questions of the project group and to fill out their worksheets.

Once all the groups had circulated through the projects and filled in their worksheets, "banker" students gave each participant their wages: a coffee bean.

Then, Ms. Wallace's class culturally travelled to Mrs. Barr-Stierman's class to view those projects, ask questions, fill out worksheets and learn about the Edo period of Japan. Once again, each student group was given about 2 – 3 minutes to accomplish this. Once all the groups had circulated through the projects and completed worksheets, they were allowed to use their wages – the coffee bean – to purchase teriyaki beef and rice as well as coloured tortilla corn chips and salsa.

The students were engaged in their learning, displayed an in depth knowledge of historical cultures that they had studied and had fun sharing their knowledge with their peers.

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Celine, standing to the immediate right of the Governor General, participated in many ceremonies commemorating the Battle of Vimy Ridge.

Submitted by Wanda Pederson | Oneway Junior Senior High School

From April 2 to 7, 2017, over 125 youth aged 14-17 from every corner of Canada travelled to Ottawa to take part in a remarkable, once-in-a-lifetime opportunity with Encounters with Canada. Although Encounters with Canada runs programs throughout most of the year, this particular session was of particular historical significance as the theme was the Battle of Vimy Ridge.

OJSH Grade 12 student Celine Sewepagaham was in Ottawa at Encounters for Canada for this special week. "The Vimy: Canada's Coming of Age" week was an in-depth look at Canada's participation in the First World War, with seminars and debates on the Canadian Corps, the capture of Vimy Ridge, Canada's 100 Days, the conscription crisis and the home front, Canada's new identity following the First World War and the legacy of Vimy.

Celine attended many ceremonies to commemorate Vimy Ridge: at the National War Cemetery, the Mayor of Ottawa's commemorative ceremony, and a noteworthy one with Governor-General David Johnston at Rideau Hall. Celine and the other students from across Canada toured the Canadian War Museum with its special exhibition on the Battle of Vimy Ridge. As well, the students toured Parliament Hill, and sat in on Question Period, and listened to Prime Minister Justin Trudeau. They toured the Diefenbunker, a four-story, 100,000 square foot underground bunker built between 1959 and 1961, that now acts as Canada's Cold War Museum. Celine and her fellow students were also able to speak with a U.N. Peacekeeper and a veteran of WW II and hear their experiences.

Celine said she enjoyed the experience very much and that meeting high school students from all across Canada was exciting. Learning of Canada's role in WW I and the impact of the Battle of Vimy Ridge was rewarding and made her appreciate the freedoms we now enjoy in our country. Celine highly recommends Encounters with Canada to any high school student. Oneway Junior Senior High School is proud to support our students in this program.

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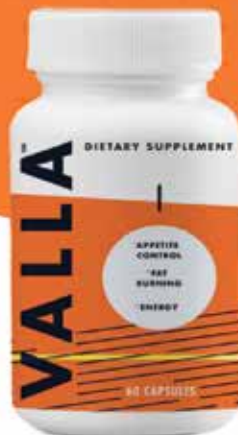
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Submitted by Lorraine Taylor, Horticulturist | Lac Ste. Anne County

The CreekWatch program is coming to Lac Ste. Anne County, and volunteers are invited to participate. CreekWatch is a progressive province-wide program that connects communities with the citizen science relevant to their local natural areas. Volunteers work as part of a team to research and answer the question "How healthy are our creeks?"

Since 2014, the CreekWatch Program has worked with corporate and

community volunteers to collect water quality data and improve habitat. These activities contribute in meaningful ways to the understanding and management of urban natural areas.

CreekWatch engages volunteers in authentic science. Volunteers collect weekly data at specified walk-in sites along Alberta's waterways. Each volunteer team has the use of a portable water quality lab for collecting data on dissolved oxygen, phosphates, nitrates, chloride, pH, temperature and turbidity. CreekWatch provides the leadership, science instruction and equipment for a safe and quality

experience. Data comparisons help highlight urban impact upon our local waters throughout the open water season March-October.

CreekWatch publishes an annual report card that grades Alberta waters in a comparison of their scoring for each water quality test. The accumulated thousands of data points – combined with hundreds of volunteer hours – truly amounts to something wonderful thanks to each person's incremental contribution!

In a bid to attract new volunteers, CreekWatch is hosting a training event scheduled for Friday evening,

June 9, 2017.

"This is a great opportunity for adults and their children to work together on a project," shared Reed Froklage, Citizen Science Coordinator for the RiverWatch Institute of Alberta. Those interested in participating, or wishing to learn more, are encouraged to visit <http://www.creekwatch.ca> or contact Lorraine Taylor, Lac Ste. Anne County Conservation Coordinator, at 1.866.880.5722 or email <mailto:ltaylor@lsac.ca>.

The monitoring location is on the Sturgeon River, at the outflow from the east side of Lac Ste. Anne.

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MAY NEWS FROM THE RICH VALLEY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Submitted by Regan MacDonald, Library Programmer and Communication Coordinator | Rich Valley Public Library

Rich Valley Public Library is excited to start opening on Fridays from 9 am-12 pm. Our hours are Tuesday from 5-8 pm. Wednesday from 10 am-2:30 pm. Thursday from 2-6:30 pm. Friday now from 9 am-12 pm. These new hours begin on Friday, May 12, 2017. We will be closing on some Fridays due to meetings but we

will keep you informed by newsletter, website or you can follow us on Facebook.

The Rich Valley Public Library will be having Mrs. Fitzgerald's Read It Bingo Pizza Party in June. You need to have a full card to be eligible for the pizza party, so keep reading to join us. This year our TD Summer Reading Program theme is Canada. Registration dates and more information will follow in June's newsletter.

The Rich Valley Public Library will be having a Used Book Sale on Saturday, May 13, 2017 from 10:00-4:00 pm during the Rich Valley Com-

munity Hall Garage Sale. This is an excellent opportunity to stock up on your summer reading and support the library.

This month we are offering the following programs:

Alberta Works' Resume Writing Workshop Thursday, May 18, 2017 at 2:00 pm. Learn how to create a professional looking, effective resume that will stand out from the pile, and avoid common mistake employers disdain. Basic questions will be answered about formatting, layout and content. Whether you are in search of your first summer job, returning to

work after a leave, looking for something new, or just want to update your CV, find out what the latest standards are in Resumes. If you wish to attend this free program please contact the Rich Valley Public Library at 780-967-3525 by May 10, 2017.

New! Red Cross Stay Safe - Saturday, June 3, 2017 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

Just in time for summer, Stay Safe is designed to give children ages 9-13 basic first aid knowledge and awareness, and prepare them for being able to handle themselves in situations should they find themselves home alone and/or in the community. The cost for the program is \$30 including training with a Red Cross certified instructor and manual. Please bring a lunch. Juice & snacks will be provided at no cost. Register by May 24th at 780-967-3525 or stop by the library for more details.

Story time is on Wednesday from 11:00-11:45 am. Bring your toddlers in on Wednesdays from 11:00 to 11:45 am for stories, activities and crafts. All children ages 0-5 are welcome to join us at this free program. Every third Wednesday of the month we will alternate between Tents and Tunnels, Play Doh Fun and Lego Building.

Parents and Tots Play Group is on Wednesdays from 9:45-10:45 am. Parents and toddlers are invited to play, discover and make friends at this free drop-in program held at the Rich Valley Public Library. All children ages 0-6 are welcome. Snacks, juice and coffee will be provided. This program is funded by FCSS.

Yoga is every Tuesday from 7:30-8:30 pm. Join Melissa, our yoga instructor, in the Yellow Room on Tuesdays from 7:30 to 8:30 pm. Yoga is a wonderful way to stay strong and flexible for life. The current session is April 11, April 18, April 25, May 2, May 9 and May 16. The cost is \$60.00 for the six sessions or \$12 drop in fee. Please contact the library at 780-967-3525 to register or drop in on Tuesdays.

Adult WHIST is every 2nd and 4th Friday of the month at 7:30 for \$2.00 a person. Just drop in and play some cards. The last Whist of the season will be held Friday, May 26, 2017.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact us at 780-967-3525 or drop in. We are located in the basement of the Rich Valley Community Hall.

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HOW TO GRAFT A FAVORITE PLANT

Plants can be propagated in various ways, including grafting. Grafting involves slicing off a piece from one plant and connecting it to another to create a new plant. Grafting can be an interesting hobby, and even novice gardeners can become skilled at grafting.

Grafting is actually botanical surgery. The grafted parts eventually grow together to form a single grafted plant, which will produce leaves, a stem, flowers or fruit on top known as a scion. The bottom part of the graft is known as the rootstock.

Production of grafted plants requires time, and grafting involves more than just propagating plants from seeds or cuttings. But the benefits of grafting include the propensity for grafted plants to flower or bear fruit more quickly than traditional plants. Grafting also can help a plant thrive, by selecting a root system adapted to a particular climate. Grafting is particularly advantageous when one wants to produce a plant that is an exact duplicate of the parent plant. Planting from seeds can produce inconsistent results.

If grafting seems like something you want to try, consider the following tips.

- Seek help from experienced grafters. Many grafters work at nurseries or in the research field. If they're too busy to work with you, you can likely find a video online that can show you the proper techniques.

- Invest in a quality, sharp knife. According to horticulture expert and teacher Dr. Malcolm Manners, grafting requires very sharp cuts. The knife needs to be razor sharp for it to be effective. Dull knives and cuts can sabotage your grafting efforts.

- Do test cuts first. Before you decide to work on a plant, select a trial stem to prac-

tice on. This can give you a better feel for making smooth, precise cuts.

- Purchase high-quality rootstock plants. The rootstock plant is the plant that provides a root system and base. Rootstock is bred to have certain qualities, whether it's to put more plant energy into producing flowers or

fruit or to be more durable.

- Choose compatible plants. Not every scion can be grafted on every rootstock. You likely will need a related species or genus for success. Speak with a horticulturist if you need assistance.

- Work quickly so that grafts do not dry out. As you

become more experienced, this will be easier to do.

Grafting is a technique that can produce true plants and may help generate new but similar species. Plant lovers may want to give it a try and see if grafting is for them.



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Summer heat can be harmful in various ways. People and pets can quickly succumb to the summer sun, which can cause sunburn, heat exhaustion and heat stroke when people and their animals spend too much time outdoors without adequate protection.

Landscapes are also vulnerable to summer heat, which can quickly spoil the most lush lawns and robust gardens. Effective watering can help lawns and gardens withstand summer heat, but improper watering can deprive landscapes of the water they need to survive. Homeowners concerned about their lawns and gardens surviving the summer can take the following approach to conserve water, save money and maintain their landscapes.

- Start early. Homeowners may

feel that the hottest times of the day are when lawns and gardens will be most in need of water, so that's the best time to set sprinklers or grab the hose and get to work. But in many areas, watering between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m., when summer temperatures tend to peak, can be both wasteful and ineffective. That's because watering between those hours will cause much of the water to quickly evaporate, robbing lawns and gardens of the water they need to withstand the heat. Homeowners who water when water is most likely to evaporate may feel they need to water more, and that only wastes water.

It's best to consult a local landscaping professional in your area to determine the best time to water each day, but in many regions the best time to

water is between 6 a.m. and 10 a.m., when temperatures are generally lower, the sun is not at its peak and winds are not as strong.

- Place sprinklers correctly. If you do not have an in-ground irrigation system and don't intend to install one, you will likely use lawn sprinklers to water the lawn. When placing these sprinklers, turn them on and then document their trajectory before moving on to the next area. You want to make sure the water from the sprinklers is not landing on sidewalks, patios or streets, especially if your community typically institutes drought restrictions that limit how much you can water. In such instances, you'll need to make the best use of the water you're allowed to use, so make sure none of it is watering the driveway.

- Let well-fed lawns go dormant during drought. Lengthy droughts tend to be accompanied by water restrictions, and such restrictions can frustrate homeowners who don't want to see all of the hard work they've put in to this point go to waste. But grass that has thus far been well cared for can withstand drought and still recover when rains once again fall and temperatures cool come autumn. If you plan to let the lawn go dormant, keep kids, pets and visitors off the grass, as dormant lawns are highly susceptible to damage.

Summer is an enjoyable time of year, but lawn and garden enthusiasts may be concerned for their properties when summer heat sets in. A few simple strategies can help lawns make it through the season unscathed.

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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 properly 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 handheld 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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GREETINGS FROM THE ONOWAY LEGION

Submitted by Lorinda McCool | Onoway Royal Canadian Legion

Monday May 8, 2017

Congratulations to Charles Howie on being chosen for a scholarship in Advanced Aviation Technology – Aircraft Maintenance in North Bay Ontario. Charles is an honors student in Onoway, applied for the scholarship on his own and competed against 1000 other applicants for the award. His history as an outstanding Cadet, pride in his uniform representing the Air Cadet Corp, participation in several activities and interest in the aircraft industry served Charles well

at his scholarship interview. We are proud to add that Charles is our piper and works in the kitchen after school when he has time.

Onoway was also very well represented in the Remembrance Day Children's Poster and Essay Contest which honors Canada's Veterans through art and writing. Competing at the District Level were Mikailie Kootenay receiving Honorable Mention for Senior Black and White Poster; Caylie Forrest – Second Place Junior Color Poster; Brooklyn Cust – Second Place Junior Black and White Poster; Brooklyn Cust – Second Place Junior Essay and Kaylie Seinen – First Place Junior Essay.

Kaylie Seinen also won First Place in the Junior Essay at Command Level. Congratulations and well done!

Ten Onoway Legion members attended the District 8 Rally in Edson and were part of the largest Legion group this year meeting at an Alberta/NWT District Rally. Our President Scott Sadler chaired the event which included interesting presentations and information as well as the elections of Dave Velichko as the new District Commander and Bob Peterson as the new Deputy District Commander. The Whitecourt, Jasper and Edson Legions are all celebrating 90 years of service and Drayton Valley 60 years; Ex-Service Women donat-

ed \$4000.00 to Veterans's Villa and \$1,243,062.98 was raised by Legions across Canada and sent to help Fort McMurray after their devastating fire last year.

The General Meeting was held on May 1st and Ric Moses presented Branch Service Medals for an Award of Merit to Scott Sadler, Cheryl Sadler, Louise Bambrick and Bob Clark. Dennis Howie, Mark Elwood, Gordon Read, Kimberlee Read, Fred Read and Bonnie Read were all accepted as members bringing our total membership count up to 188. We will be hosting a garage sale during Heritage Days, the Pool League will be initiating a fundraising campaign to raise funds for a third pool table, outside ramp and bar renovations will be starting soon and Onoway will be hosting three pool events during the 2017/2018 Legion Sports Calendar season as well as the Spring District Rally on April 28th, 2018.

Friday's Ukrainian Platter Meal was very popular with customers who managed not to be suffering from the flu! Lots of cancellations due to illness meant a smaller crowd but everyone attending enjoyed the delicious supper prepared and served by Bob C., Ron W., Marcelle J. and Mary R. Charles H., Wayne H. and Dee H. helped and looked after dishes after the meal. Thanks to Cadet Harvey P. and Scout Marshall P. for doing a great job of clearing and cleaning the tables. Helen Purnell won the free meal voucher, Louise Bambrick the meat draw and Harold Dalheim the 50/50 draw.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

May 9 - Tuesday Night Drop-in Darts – Registration 6:45 to 7:15 pm. Play @ 7:30 pm.

May 10 - Wednesday Night Drop-in Pool – Registration 7:00 to 7:20. Play @ 7:30 pm.

May 12 - Friday Night Supper – Crispy Chicken

May 16 - Tuesday Night Drop-in Darts

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, Neil Gorman @ 780-960-4160 for sports and Lorinda McCool @ 780-967-3640 to place information in the Legion newsletter. See you at the Onoway Legion and have a great week!



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PARLIAMENT UPDATE – WEEK OF APRIL 10, 2017

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

Last weekend I had the pleasure of attending the Rocky Mountain House Agricultural Society's "Salute to Agriculture" Banquet in Leslieville. At the event, we recognized the achievements of our local farmers and agricultural community.

It was a short week in Parliament due to the Easter holiday. The following was debated in the House:

- Bill C-17 – An Act to amend the Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Act and to make a consequential amendment

to another Act (Second Reading)

- Bill C-224 – Good Samaritan Drug Overdose Act (Consideration of Messages between the Senate and the House of Commons)

- Bill C-243 – National Maternity Assistance Program Strategy Act (Instruction to Committee)

- Bill C-308 – An Act to provide for the incorporation of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation and to make consequential amendments to other Acts (Second Reading)

- Question of privilege (denial of access of Members to the Parliamentary Precinct raised on March 22, 2017)

On Tuesday, I gave a speech and commented on gender equality for women. You can watch the speech on my Facebook page (www.facebook.com/jimeglinski.mp/) or read it on the corresponding day's Debates Hansard at: www.parl.gc.ca/HouseChamberBusiness/ChamberHome.aspx

On Wednesday, activist and Nobel Peace Prize winner Malala Yousafzai addressed Parliament after receiving an honorary Canadian citizenship. Originally, she was to be presented the honorary citizenship in 2014, but the October ceremony was cancelled due to the

deadly Parliament Hill attack.

In the Standing Committee on Environment and Sustainable Development (ENVI), we continued our review of The Canadian Environmental Protection Act, 1999. For more information on these meetings, visit: www.parl.gc.ca/Committees/en/ENVI

This week, I attended seven meetings and five events. I will be in the riding this weekend for Easter and the next two weeks, as the House will not be sitting. My next update will be on my travels throughout our beautiful constituency of Yellowhead.

RIDING UPDATE

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

Week of April 17, 2017

On Tuesday, I was in Vancouver where I met with representatives of the Rocky Mountaineer Train where I was involved with the 2017 launching of the Rocky Mountaineer Tourism Train.

Later that morning, I met with Conservative members in the riding of Nanaimo-Ladysmith followed by an afternoon meeting with Conservative members in the riding of Victoria. That evening I returned to Yellowhead riding.

On Wednesday, I gave some opening remarks at a showing of Corner Gas: The Movie at Continuing Care in Edson for National Film Day. That evening, I attended an open house and public information meeting for the Canyon Creek Pumped Hydro Project in Hinton. After that, I delivered more opening remarks for a National Film Day viewing of Into the Forest at the Hinton Municipal Library.

On Thursday, I visited grade six

students at Pine Grove Middle School in Edson. The following day I met with grades three, four, five, and six students at Yellowhead Koinonia School in Edson. Later, I met with Mayor Herb Castle of Grande Cache and then on to Grande Prairie for more meetings, followed by a couple of days visiting friends.

I will be in the riding next week, as Parliament will still be on recess. My next update will be on my travels throughout our beautiful riding of Yellowhead.

Week of April 24, 2017

This week I met with constituents in and around my Edson constituency office, and on Thursday I met with CN Police to discuss the railroad crossing issues in Edson. We are attempting to resolve the problem.

I attended an event hosted at MacEwan University on Friday, where I met with youth and young conservative leaders. I always enjoy meeting with young people with an interest in politics, and sharing with them how they can influence change and serve as productive and thoughtful citizens.

I had the pleasure of attending

and speaking at the Royal Canadian Legion's District 8 Rally, hosted by Edson's Joe Wynne Branch #51. I am proud of the past contributions of veterans to our freedom and security, as well as the present contributions of legions to our communities.

I also enjoyed the reopening celebration at the Chateau Jasper, a hotel that has been under renovation for the last six months. Tourism is an important part of the local economy in

Jasper and the surrounding area, and I am pleased to see investments being made in the region. We are expecting a very busy summer for Jasper Park due to Parks Canada's free Discovery Pass given out for Canada's 150th birthday.

I will be heading back to Ottawa on Sunday. My next update will be on the happenings of Parliament, which is reconvening on Monday for the next three weeks.

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Cars, Trucks, Trailers, RV's, and Accessories: • 1969 Charger - project car (from an Estate) • 1980 Chevrolet passenger Van (from an Estate) • 2002 Chrysler Neon - Project car • 1978 Layton 18ft. Travel trailer • 1984 Nomad, Layton T/A 24ft. • Ford Rims 5x108 - 114.3 (17"rims) **Building, Lumber and Supplies:** • Jet Tub - New - with all plumbing and attachments • Indoor Jacuzzi Tub (as new), c/w attachments **Garage, Shop Tools & Equipment:** • A large selection of hand and power tools • Air over hydraulic industrial floor jack • Industrial engine hoist **Home and Garden - Tools & Equipment:** • MTD Snowblower-attachment to Quad • Potted trees **Recreational:** • Yamaha - TX1, Snowmobile **Other items of interest:** • 2004 California Roadster - electric car/golfcart - batteries appr. 5 years old • Replica of an Alpha Romeo Childrens Peddle Car • Coin collection from a large collector

Auctioneer's Note: Under instruction from 2 estates and other consignors we will be selling some high end collector vehicles plus chattels and merchandise from these individuals!!

UPCOMING SALES

Saturday, June 10th, 2017 at 10:00AM - Rainbow's Midsummer Consignment Sale Rainbow Auctions Sale Site – Hwy 16A & Range Road 11, Stony Plain. Listing to follow on our new web site

Sunday, July 9th, 2017 at 12:00 Noon - Estate Sale for Harry Cherchuk of Robb, AB – direction to follow. Listings to follow when available from the Estate

Terms and Conditions: Cash, Visa, Mastercard, Debit, Interac. Nothing to be removed until paid for. Subject to additions and deletions. A 5 % handling fee plus GST will be charged where applicable. Please be conscious of the handling fees and factor them into your bidding. Owner Rainbow Auctions & Liquidators or it's employees shall not be responsible for accidents

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MAY 25TH AUCTION

FOR: JOE AND MARLENE VALLEE

Located: From McLeod River Bridge in Whitecourt – Go 1 blk E On Hwy 43. Turn S on West Mountain Road for 3 km To Stratton Drive. Turn E for appx 1 km to Lot 29 At end of road.

Thursday Evening, May 25th at 6:00P.M.

ACREAGE EQ and YARD EQ: * JD 3140 TRACTOR w/ cab, 18.4 x 34 Tires w/ chains * JD 148 Loader, bucket, bale fork * 3 POINT EQ (Ford Scycle Mower) (Snow Blower)(Hyd Drive Sweeper)(H/M Snow Blade) * JD F911 FM 54" Mower * Ford GT 85 Ride Mower w/ 3 pt, rototiller, trailing 13 hp Honda Mower * JD D140 Mower * Toro 624 Snow Blower * 6' HD Land Roller * 9' Road Drag * Metal Yard Benches * 24' Gate * FG Water Trough * 2" Honda Water Pump * New Water Pres Tank

MINI INDUSTRIAL / TRAILERS / PROPANE TANKS / STEAMER: * Gardner Denver D190 Air Comp and HD Sand Blast Pot * 4" Pump w/ diesel motor on trailer * 1000 gl and 500 gl Propane Tanks * HM Steamer for U/G Pipe Lines * Metal Racks w/ pipe & steel * 20' Home Made Car Haul Trailer * 2 W Utility Trailer w/ tilt * Ruffneck O/H Shop Heater * 40' Trailer Van w/ metal shelves * Valves, Pipe Fittings, Many Usable Items, RR Ties, Wood Material

RECREATION: * 17' FG Boat w/ trailer * 2 of 140 hp Suzuki O/B * 2 SS Volvo O/B Props * 2 Impellers * Down Riggers * Depth finder * Honda Foreman 400 4 x 4 Quad w/ 2926 km, winch * 2 W Trailer w/ FD Ramps * Portable Propane Deep Fryer * Garbage Compactor * B/in Stove

SHOP TOOLS: * Lincoln Ranger 305 G Welder * Idealarc 250 Welder w/ 220V /3 phase * 4 x 8 HD Weld Table * HD Rolling Hyd Floor Jack * Enclosed Welding Helmet w/ Battery Powered Air Pump * HD Eltc C/O Saw * Drill Press * 1-1/2 T Motor Hoist * 5 T Rolling Chain Hoist * H/M Drill Press * Pioneer Dust Collector * AIR COMP w/ 5 hp / 230 V * 2 Air Hose Crimpers * Honda Pres Washer * Hyd Pump w/ motor

MAY 27TH AUCTION

FOR: BILL AND JUDY LEWIS (785-3745)

Located: (From SANGUDO – 1 mi W on Hwy 43. Turn N on Hwy 757 For 3 ½ mi to Twp 574, then 1 mi E to RR 65, then 1 mi N to Twp 575. Turn E for ¾ mi to 6411-Twp 575) (From BARRHEAD FORD – Go W on Hwy 18 for Appx 15 mi to Sangudo or Hwy 757 Turn Off. Head S on Hwy 757 for 4 mi to Twp 574, then 1 E to RR 65, 1 N To Twp 575, ¾ E to 6411 –Twp 575)

Saturday Afternoon, May 27th at 12:00P.M.

QUALITY / NEWER ACREAGE EQ: * Massey Ferguson TLB GC 2310 Tractor w/ (401 hr), diesel, 4 WD, hydro-static, MF 2350 FE Loader, 3 pt, MF 2375 Back Hoe Att, Sold as Unit * 3 PT EQ (Sovema 120 Laser 2 Rototiller)(4' Kodiak Brush Mower)(6' Rear Blade) * 15T Hyd Wood Splitter w/ 5 hp Honda * Koenders Windmill w/ Dugout Air Pump * Dirt Auger w/ gas motor drive * New 12 x 20 Tarp Shed * Good / Dry 40' Sea Can

QUADS / GARDEN / YARD ITEMS: * QUADS (Honda 350 Fourtrax) (Honda 300 Fourtrax)(Suzuki 300) * Quad Weed Sprayer * Gas Brush Cutter * 50' Rubber Hose * YM large & Mini Rototillers * Ride Mowers (CM 19.5/42) (Murry 13.5/40) * 2 Lawn Sweeps * Trailer w/ 2 @ 5000 lb axles, winch * Large/Deep Metal Yard Burn Pot * Fold Up Bench/Picnic Table * Yard Décor (4 W Buggy)(Dump Rake) * 2 Banjo Pumps * 6 Plastic Water Tanks * 7 Sheets ¾ Plywood * Dog Yard Kennel

FARM TRACTORS / HORSE and CATTLE ITEMS: * CS 1755 White Tractor w/ (5850 hr), 20.8 x 34 Rears, 9' HD Belly Blade w/ Adj Angle, nice * JD 3020 Tractor w/ JD 46A Loader, bucket forks, good 18.4 x 30 Rears, new clutch & pres plate, nice * Shoule B6 Rock Rake for FE Loader * AC D 14 Tractor w/ 14.2 x 26 Rear, 3 pt, good * AC D14 Tractor needs carb coaching * 12' JD Disc * 2 of 20' D Harrows * 2 JD Batteries * 5 Bags 2015 Pasture Mixture * Metal Chute on trans w/ Eltc * 16' Road King Horse/Tack Trailer * Alum Pilot Sign * Hoof Trimmers, Vet Items * 3 of 4 x 8 HD Metal Feeders * 10 D Harrows

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RCMP BEATS

Submitted by Stony Plain/ Spruce Grove RCMP

Occurrences for the week of 24 April to 30 April, 2017.

Total Calls for Service Spruce Grove/ Stony Plain/Enoch Detachment: 493

Total Calls for Service for the Victim Service Unit: 32

Individuals Charged: 26

Person Crimes: 50

Property Crimes: 85

Impaired Driving Complaints reported: 11

Impaired Driving Charges Laid: 2

Roadside Suspensions: 1

Motor Vehicle Collisions Attended: 38

Property Crimes:

Spruce Grove

1. April 26 – Area of Creekside Close – Theft of Vehicle, 2006 grey Acura RSX

2. April 26 – Area of Jennifer Heil Way and Nelson Drive – Theft of Vehicle, 2008 grey GMC Sierra

3. April 30 – Area of Brookwood Drive – Theft of Vehicle, 2003 black Ford F350

Stony Plain

4. April 26 – Area of Boulder Boulevard – Theft of Vehicle, 2001 white Ford F350

5. April 27 – Area of 43 Avenue and 28 Street – Break and Enter, laptop stolen

6. April 28 – Area of 50 Avenue and 49 Street – Theft of Vehicle, 2004 silver Ford F350

Rural

7. April 24 – Area of Township Road 534 and Range Road 30 – Theft of ATV, 2015 green Polaris SPT570

8. April 27 – Area of 47 Avenue and 46 Street, Onoway – Theft of ATV, 2014 yellow and black Can Am Commander

9. April 28 – Area of 55 Avenue and 52 Street, Wabamun – Theft of Vehicle, 2009 brown Ford F350

10. April 29 – Area of Township Road 515 and Range Road 275 – Theft of Vehicle, 2009 grey Chevrolet Suburban

11. April 30 – Area of Township Road 525 and Range Road 264 – Break and Enter, skid steer stolen

Stony Plain/Spruce Grove RCMP remind you not to make it easy for thieves. Ensure all doors are locked, all windows closed, and valuable items are removed from vehicles.

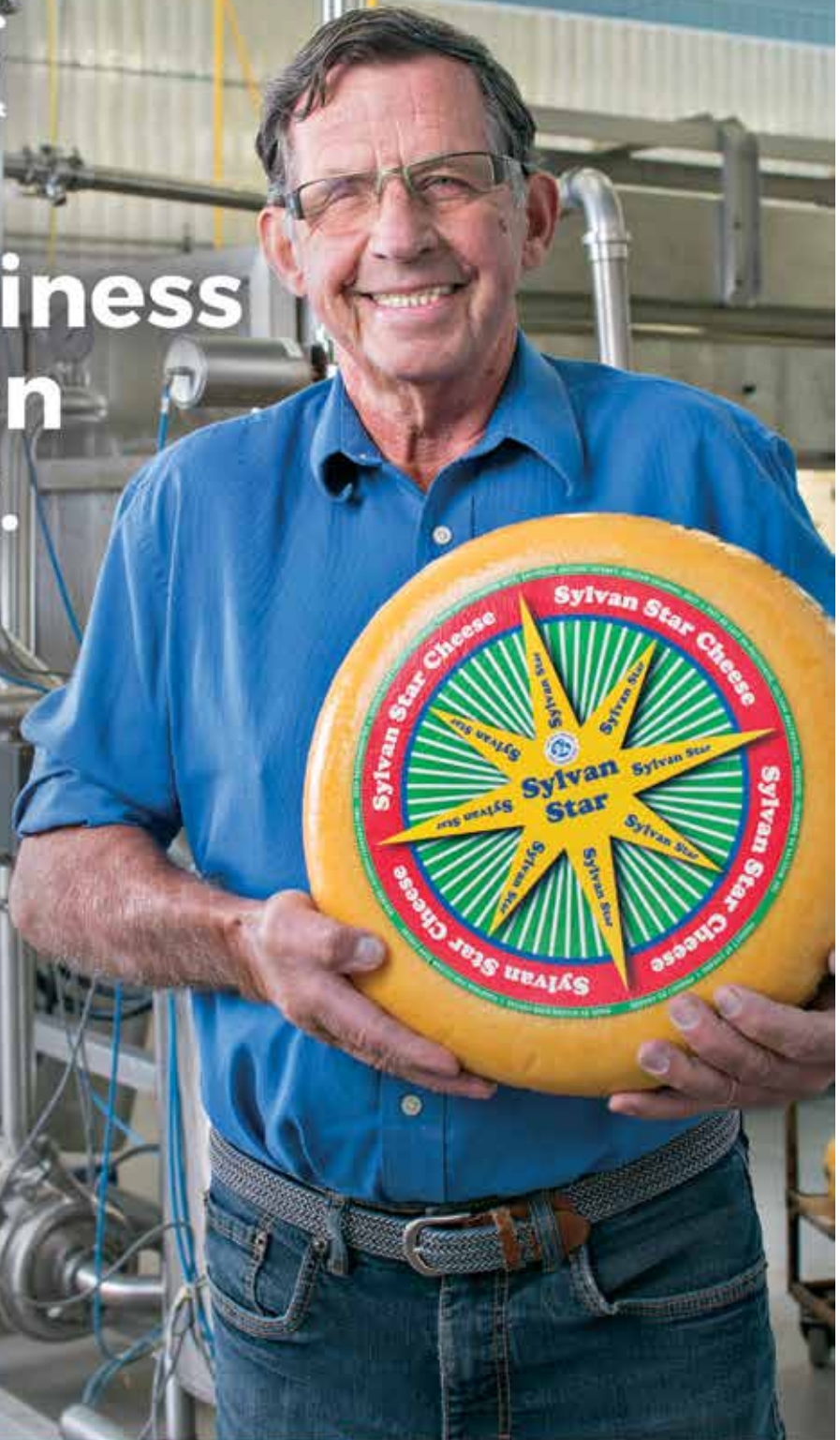
The Spruce Grove / Stony Plain Drug Section Information Tip Line is 780-968-7212. Anyone with drug information is asked to call and leave a message.

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 1-800-222-8477 or text the keyword TIP205 (TIP250 for Edmonton Metro) & your Tip to CRIMES (274637)

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Obituaries



On May 4, 2017, Gilles Forç t of Sandy Beach, AB passed away at the age of 65 years.

Gilles is survived by his father, Roger Forç t; sisters: Therese (Gene) Sagodi, Karen (Greg) Bucknell, Lorette Hoflin; nephews and nieces: Jason, Jered, Jenette, Meghan, Richard, Terran, Daniel, Brittany and Michelle; great nephews and nieces: Tyler, Juliana, Cheyenne, Lucas, Brielle, Olivia and his best friend Laureen Clarkson.

Gilles was predeceased by his mother, Kathleen and brother, Alexander.

In keeping with the wishes of Gilles, there will be no funeral services. Cremation has taken place.

In lieu of tributes, Memorial Donations may be made to the Canadian Cancer Society, 9452-51 Ave NW #201, Edmonton, AB

T6E 5A6. To send condolences, please visit www.connelly-mckinley.com.

Connelly-McKinley Funeral Home. St. Albert Chapel (780) 458-2222 (1) 09-05

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Church Directory

Rich Valley Community Church Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.	Catholic Parish of Lac Ste. Anne Sunday 10:00 a.m.	St. John's Anglican Church <i>Onoway</i> Sunday Service 10:00 a.m. <i>Everyone Welcome</i>	Mayerthorpe Baptist Church Worship Service Sunday 10:30 a.m. Children's Church 10:30 a.m. 4606-54 St. Mayerthorpe (780) 786-2677	St. John's Lutheran Church <i>Alberta Beach</i> Sunday Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday School
Zion United Church Sunday Service 10:00 a.m. Sunday School <i>Serving Alberta Beach, Wabamun, Damsel & Lake Isle, Onoway & Area (780) 924-3331</i>	St. Joseph's Catholic Church Sunday Mass 11:30 a.m. Wabamun, AB	Sangudo St Mary the Virgin Anglican Church Sunday Services: 2nd & 4th Sunday Holy Communion 11:00 a.m.	Our Lady of Lourdes Sunday Services: Saturday's 7:00 a.m. Lac La Poudre, AB 780-967-5261	Sangudo United Church Sunday Services 1st and 3rd Sun. of each month Lunch to follow. Feed the Body & Soul. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Trinity Lutheran Church (LC-C) <i>"The Church of the Lutheran Home" - Backport Bridge</i> Pastor Dan Hansard Church (780) 778-2035 Sunday Worship 9:00 a.m. <i>Senior's Service & Cottage Bible Study - Please see locations</i>	Mayerthorpe Pentecostal Assembly P.A.O.C. Rev. Arnold Lotholz Sunday 10:30 a.m. Morning Service Tuesday 7:30 p.m. Ministry Training (780) 786-2424	St. Michael Lutheran Church Sunday Services 1st & 3rd Sunday at 1:30 p.m. Pastor Judy Jarvis (780) 674-3944 <i>Mystery Lake</i>	Onoway Baptist Church Sunday Service 10:00 a.m. Youth Group Friday 7:00 p.m. (780) 967-2266	Mayerthorpe United Church Mayerthorpe Rev. Alvin Mahen Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m. to be held at the Peter Tryncky Community Centre at Pleasant View Lodge Until Further Notice. PH: (780) 786-2134
Alberta Beach Alliance Church Sunday Worship Service & Kid's Church 11:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. (780) 924-3282	Cherhill Community Church Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Worship Service Sunday 11:00 a.m.	Roman Catholic Church St. Agnes' Parish, Mayerthorpe Sunday 9:00 a.m. St. Elizabeth Parish, Evansburg Saturday 7:00 p.m. (780) 786-2032	Calahoo Alliance Church Family Worship Service Sunday 10:00 a.m. For Info Call Jerry (780) 974-7734	Rock Victory Church Worship Celebration Sunday Worship w/ Children's Ministry 10:00 a.m. Wednesday Prayer & Bible Study 6:00 p.m.

COMMUNITY EVENTS 2017

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
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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 10 - SANGUDO GOLDEN CLUB REGULAR MEETING, 1:30 p.m. New members always welcome. Info call 785-4105.

MAY 12 - SANGUDO GOLDEN CLUB LUNCHEON ft. Ukrainian type food, 11:30am-1pm. Bake Table, Plant Sale, Art Show & Sale & Used Library Books (donation). Adults \$12, children 10 & under, \$1. Info call 785-4105

MAY 12 - SANGUDO HORTICULTURAL CLUB'S ANNUAL PLANT SALE at the Sangudo Golden Age Club (4927-50ave Sangudo) from 11am until 2pm. We will have the usual selection of annuals perennials and edible plants.

MAY 13 - MARKET at Rich Valley Community Hall, 10am-3pm. Tables: \$10, All Vendors Welcome! Toonie Breakfast 9-10:30am, Hamburger & Hotdogs 11-12:30pm. 780-967-7110.

MAY 27 - COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE at Sangudo Community Hall, 10am to 3pm. To book a table for \$10, call Donna @ 780-204-1652. Alternatively, sellable items can be donated for the Community Hall table.

FARMERS MARKETS

ALBERTA BEACH: Open Every Sunday, May - Oct, 12-3pm. Contact Joanne 780-690-6392.
BARRHEAD: Open Saturdays, May - Dec. 10am - 1pm. Sherry 780-674-6802

ONOWAY FARMERS' MARKET presented by the Onoway & District Ag Society, Fridays at Onoway Community Hall. Starts May 1st. Contact (780) 667-6327 or onowayfarmersmarket@gmail.com. New vendors welcome!

SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 9:30-1:30, tables (780)240-5821

STONY PLAIN: Sat, 9am-1pm, Downtown, Stony Plain. Nancy 780-962-3993.

WESTLOCK: 11-3pm, Bargain Shop Mall, Dave 780-954-2437

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.

CHERRILL BINGO: Tuesdays at Cherrill Community Association. Doors Open at 6:30pm, Games at 7:30pm.

CHERRILL LEGION: First Sunday of Month. Doors Open 12:00 Noon

MAYERTHORPE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Tues, doors 6:30pm, bingo 7:30pm

RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO: 7:30pm. Loonie Pots. Next bingos May 3, 17 & 31, June 14 & 28.

STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN CENTRE, public bingo every Tues, 7pm. All ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-6685

MEAT DRAWS

Alberta Beach Museum: Every Sat 4pm, Alberta Beach Hotel

Alberta Beach: 4pm, Every Sun. Jungles Bar & Grill

Barrhead & District Lion's Club: Every 2nd & 4th Friday 5:30pm at Barrhead Neighbourhood Inn. Info 780-674-7242.

Barrhead Royal Canadian Legion: every 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

Stony Plain Royal Canadian Legion Br# 256: Every Saturday @ 3pm. Meat Draw & 50/50.

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

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.

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 325-2391

SANGUDO: Sangudo Community Hall, 1st Sat of month 7pm, Oct-May. Everyone welcome. 785-4105 or 305-5088.

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 @ 7pm, Cost \$2. Everybody Welcome. Contact 587-989-7214 or 963-7920.

THE ABBOTTSFIELD VARIETY MUSIC JAM: at Abbotsfield Rec Centre (3006 119 Ave. Edmonton) 3rd Friday of each month @ 7pm. PH: 780-918-8545, Admission is Donations Only.

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: Wed 5:15 weigh-in, 5:30-6:30 meeting, upper level Lions Hall (next to swimming pool) 780-932-2695.

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.

YOUR COMMUNITY

SEA CADETS: 299 Mackenzie, Stony Plain Comm Center, Wed 6:30 for youths 12-18. 963-0843

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 Services. Drop off 1-2:30 pm.

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 reservations: 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

COUNTRY QUILTERS in Stony Plain house a "Sew in Tuesday", 2nd Tuesday of every month, from 10-3pm. Drop in \$5/member, 50/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.mayerthorpepubliclibrary.ab.ca (780)786-2404

LAC STE ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR, Accepting new members for all voice ranges. Men & women 18 yrs & over. Weekly practice Wednesdays at Alberta Beach Heritage Center from 7-9pm. For info call Eunice @ 780-618-7865.

ONOWAY GOLDEN CLUB: Cards Tuesdays, 1:00PM. Exercise Fridays, 10:00AM. 1st Tuesday: Pot Luck Supper, Last Friday: Soup & Sandwich. 5023 49 Ave. 780-967-3436.

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

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3053 ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY CADETS, Onoway Historical Centre, Wed, 6:45pm-9:30 for youths 12+. 967-0443

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

526 Barrhead Air Cadets, Wednesdays 6:30 - 9:30pm, High School Ages 12-18 are welcome. 780-305-7233

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 1-800-4AL-ANON.

AL-ANON Wed Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Dr, 8pm. 962-5205

ALBERTA 55 PLUS: Villeneuve Hall at 10a.m. New Members Welcome. Meetings on 2nd Tues of the month. Info from Donna 780-962-5933

ALBERTA BEACH & DIST LIONS CLUB meets every 4th Tues 7pm, Alberta Beach Agriplex.

ALBERTA BEACH AG SOCIETY meets on the 4th Thurs. of month, 7pm, Agriplex

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

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS IF Drinking is a Problem, call 780-236-1043

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, general meeting every 2nd Thurs, 7pm at the Legion Hall.

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

CHERISHED MEMORIES, PARENTS & TOTS Wed & Fri, 10-12pm, Alberta Beach Agriplex. Sept-June. Info call 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 1st Wed. Info 785-4144 or 721-6188.

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

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

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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, 1st Mon, 7pm (Sept-June).

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

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SUNDOWNERS TOASTMASTER CLUB: Mon (excl. Holidays) 7:30-9:30pm. St. Matthew's Church, Spruce Grove. Judy 960-5258

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

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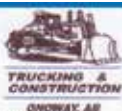
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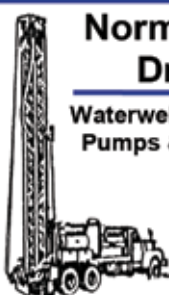
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