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ALBERTA RCMP WELCOMES PROVINCIAL FUNDING TO HELP ADDRESS RURAL CRIME

Submitted by Alberta RCMP

On March 9, 2018, the Government of Alberta announced an investment of \$8 million that will enable Alberta RCMP to place more employees where they can make the most impact: on the streets and in communities across the province.

This investment demonstrates the province's confidence in the Alberta RCMP's systematic and evidence-led Crime Reduction Strategy – a collaborative policing approach designed to address the root causes of crime and breaking the cycle of criminal activity in a community.

In partnership with the province, Alberta RCMP has developed an action plan that will enable the Force to address rural crime by adding 39 new officer positions and 40 civilian employees in areas that will ultimately lead to more RCMP officers on the road.

The investment represents additional support for Crime Reduction Units in communities that need it the most, six new intelligence-focused officers, four additional crime analysts and more civilian staff to cut down on paperwork so that officers can focus on investigations, patrols, and engaging with their communities.

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OJSH BAND STUDENTS CHOSEN FOR U OF A HIGH SCHOOL HONOURS BAND

Submitted by Wanda Pederson | Onoway Junior Senior High School

Nine OJSH music students were chosen to participate in the University of Alberta High School Honour Band. Grade 11 and 12 students Claire Patience, Darby McGinnis, Emma McDonald, Galen Mattern, Sharaya Block, Jesse Arlinghaus, Emma Jorgensen, Cassidy Kostuik and Christie Brennan spent an exciting and rewarding weekend learning, practicing and playing challenging music pieces.

Music teachers in schools across northern Alberta nominate their best students to this prestigious event. Once all nominees are in, the Director of Bands for the U of A picks worthy students to participate.

After registering on Friday, students headed into a full-band rehearsal. Two hundred and thirty-seven students were divided into two groups for the remainder of the weekend. Each group practiced and rehearsed with Dr. Angela Schroeder, Director of Bands for the U of A or Maestro Rüdiger Müller from Germany. Each group switched directors after a rehearsal

Students also participated in sectionals with instruction from Edmonton Symphony Orchestra musicians and, for euphoniums, the Royal Canadian Artillery Band. An especially exciting event was being able to Sykpe with Alex Shapiro, the composer of two pieces of music the students were practicing to play: "lights Out" and "Rock Music".

The weekend culminated in a final public performance at the Winspear Center on Sunday. The Winspear concert featured the U of A High School Honour Band along with the U of A's Symphonic Wind Ensemble.

Student Claire Patience said that the weekend was a wonderful opportunity and so great as kids from all over northern Alberta got to know each other. She said the weekend really elevated students' playing.





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"Rural Crime Reduction Units are designed to act fast to target repeat offenders who commit the vast majority of crimes in an area," said Deputy Commissioner Todd Shean. "I can assure you, if you are committing crime in Alberta, we will identify you and we will stop you."

"Rural police officers are part of their communities," said Kathleen Ganley, Minister of Justice and Solicitor General. "They do difficult and extremely important work every day. I want to thank the RCMP for the work they do to protect Albertans. I'm confident this plan will give our rural police officers more tools in their toolbox to fight crime."

The RCMP is proud to be the rural police force of Alberta. With the cooperation and support of the Government of Alberta and other community partners, Albertans

can be certain that the RCMP's crime reduction strategies in rural communities will be innovative. sophisticated and successful.

Quick Facts:

- Each RCMP District is equipped with a Crime Reduction Team dedicated to targeting prolific offenders, particularly in the areas of break and enters, vehicle thefts and thefts of other property.
- District Crime Reduction Teams have arrested 219 people, have laid 469 Criminal and Drug charges and have arrested 170 wanted persons.
- The Alberta RCMP Traffic Units (RTU), in addition to promoting highway safety through enforcement activities, are also targeting traveling criminals. In January 2018 alone, the RTU Traffic Units made 9 major seizures of drugs and contraband, totalling in excess of \$1.3 million. This resulted in 14 arrests and 19 new Criminal charges being laid.

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JOINE OF THE WEEK Two immigrants from Africa arrive in the United States and are discussing the difference between their country and the U.S. One of them mentions he's heard that people in the U.S. eat dogs, and if they're going to fit in, they better eat dogs as well.

So they head to the nearest hot dog stand and order two 'dogs.' The first guy unwraps his, looks at it, and nervously looks at his friend. "Which part did you get?"



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CALL FOR APPLICATIONS -RENEWABLE POWER

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP - Yellowhead

OTTAWA: Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to inform constituents of a call for applications for funding under Natural Resource Canada's Emerging Renewable Power Program (ERPP).

The ERPP provides up to \$200 million to expand the portfolio of commercially viable renewable energy sources available to provinces

and territories.

"Yellowhead is a leader in developing new renewable power technologies. Just look at Hinton's geothermal project that is exploring the use of geothermal heat from oil and gas wells to heat the town's public buildings," stated MP Eglinski.

The ERPP will reduce the risks associated with these technologies, help reduce their cost, and allow the sector to more easily navigate through regulatory issues. Over time, this will help Canada's elec-

tricity system draw on a more diverse set of technologies.

Eligible projects are large size, utility-scale electricity generation projects from renewable energy resources that have not yet been commercially deployed in Canada. Eligible technologies include offshore wind, geothermal power, concentrated photovoltaic, and instream tidal.

To help community members, businesses and other interested Canadians find information on federal programming to support the deployment of emerging renewable power projects, a new webpage has been established, which includes a comprehensive guide to funding for eligible projects: https://www. nrcan.gc.ca/energy/funding/20502

The deadline to apply is April 20,

"I encourage all eligible organizations with an interest in exploring renewable power to consider applying to this program," concluded MP Eglinski.

RCMP BEATS

Submitted by Stony Plain/ Spruce Grove RCMP

Occurrences for the week of 26 February to 4 March 2018.

Total Calls for Service Spruce Grove/Stony Plain/Enoch Detachment: 554

Total Calls for Service for the Victim Service Unit: 22

Individuals Charged: 104 Person Crimes reported: 64 Property Crimes reported: 65

Impaired Driving Complaints reported: 8 **Impaired** Charges

Driving Laid: 2

Roadside Suspensions: 2 Motor Vehicle Collisions Attended: 45

Property Crimes: Spruce Grove

- 1. February 26 Area of Diamond Avenue - Theft of Trailer, 2017 light brown 316BHWS
- 2. February 27 Area of King Street and Grove Drive - Theft of Vehicle, 1998 red Ford Mustang
- 3. March 3 Area of Century Crossing - Theft from Vehicles, numerous vehicles entered
- 4. March 3 Area of Brookwood Drive - Theft from Vehicle, tools stolen

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WHY IS THE PM FRIENDLY WITH TERRORISTS?

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

On February 28th, in the House of Commons, Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead,

asked the Prime Minister why he had met with Jaspal Atwal, a convicted attempted assassin. He asked:

"Mr. Speaker,

In 1986 I was one of the first of-

ficers on the scene of the shooting of Indian Minister Sidhu. I helped him and his wife into the ambulance. I will never forget that day. Jaspal Atwal was convicted of attempted murder in that shooting.

The victims of terrorism have names. They have faces and they have families.

To the Prime Minister: why would he ever meet with Jaspal Atwal?"

FREE ADMISSION TO PARKS FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTH STARTING IN 2018

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA: Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to inform residents of a recent announcement by Parks Canada. Beginning in 2018, admission for youth 17 and under will be free for all national parks, historic sites, and marine conservation areas.

In celebration of Canada's 150th anniversary, the federal government offered free admission for everyone visiting national parks in 2017. Starting in

2018, admission fees will return, but only for visitors over 18 years of age. The change is intended to encourage Canadian families and their children, youth, and school groups to experience the outdoors and learn more about our environment and history.

Fees for campsites and other amenities offered by Parks Canada are not included in the exemption.

"By making our national parks more accessible to our youth and families, they will have more opportunities to learn about the environment and how to protect it for future generations," stated MP Eglinski. "Our youth can also see first-hand the local issues facing Jasper National Park, such as the ongoing pine beetle infestation, as well as gain an appreciation for the outdoors through activities such as hiking at Edith Cavell or skiing at Marmot Basin".

When the federal government announced free admission in 2017, many constituents in Yellowhead expressed concern over the impact that an increase in visitors could have on the Parks. With the government now per-

manently waiving fees for children and youth, the same concern remains.

"It is up to Parks Canada to manage and maintain the quality of the parks. Even with a record number of visitors in 2017, the impact by these visitors on the ecological integrity of Jasper National Park was minimal," concluded MP Eglinski.

The 2018 Parks Canada Discovery Pass is now on sale. For information on purchasing the 2018 Parks Canada Discovery Pass, please visit Parks Canada's website.



LAKEWELL 4H MULTI CLUB HOLDS FOOD DRIVE

Submitted by Aynsley Shupack, Club Reporter | Lakewell 4H Multi Club

In the last month the Lakewell 4H Multi Club has had a lot going on. We had our Club Communications on February 10th and everyone did very well. The competition was very tough and although everyone did well only a few could go to the next level—Districts.

Halle Gamblin, Aynsley Shupack and Jorja Fernley competed at Districts in Sangudo on February 17th. Halle Gamblin was the only one in the club who made it to Regional's but everyone tried their best. The Regional competition was on March 10th and Halle Gamblin placed first again. Yay Halle!

The club is doing an Easter food drive so more people could

have an Easter supper. We are in Great need of food for the food drive so please look for the boxes and donate some food. The Food Drive will end on March 18 but late donations will be accepted until the 23rd at Darwell School.

On February 11, the Cleaver's (ages 6-8 who cannot yet be members) had an exciting day with the woods leader Jeff

Bruner who helped them make birdhouses. On March 10th the Cleaver's are having a "Chick Day." A Chick Day is teaching the Cleavers how to look after chicks and chickens.

March 10th is also District Fun Day. All the clubs in the Lac Ste. Anne District get to go to White-court to go tubing. That's all for now but I will be back with next month's report.

RCMP Beats

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5. March 3 – Area of Westgrove Drive – Theft of Vehicle, 2002 blue Ford Focus

Stony Plain

- 6. February 27 Area of Graywood Terrace Theft from Vehicle, wallet and sunglasses stolen
- 7. March 4 Area of Lundy Park Road – Theft of Vehicle, 2006 black Ford F350

Rural

- 8. March 2 Area of Township Road 534 and Range Road 41 – Theft of ATV, 2007 yellow Can Am Renegade
- 9. March 3 Area of Township Road 530 and Range Road 33 – Break and Enter to Residence, welder, frozen meat, cheques and clothing stolen

Stony Plain/Spruce Grove RCMP remind you not to make it easy for thieves. If you are away from your home for extended periods, ensure some clears your driveway and walks, and have lights come on in your home via timers.

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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CALL FOR PROPOSALS – DIGITAL LITERACY EXCHANGE PROGRAM

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA: Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to inform constituents of the launch of the Digital Literacy Exchange Program. As a part of the launch, the Government has opened a call for proposals for not-for-profit organizations.

The Digital Literacy Exchange Program will invest almost \$30 million to support not-for-profit organizations that teach fundamental digital literacy skills to Canadians who would benefit from participating in the digital economy. These include seniors, new and low-income Canadians, Indigenous people, and those living in northern and rural communities.

The program will help ensure that all Canadians have the necessary skills to use computers and the Internet safely and securely and help make sure that no one is left behind in the digital economy.

"Digital skills are becoming increasingly important to participate in today's society, whether for booking a medical appointment, banking safely, studying or looking for a job," stated MP Eglinski. "I encourage all interested and eligible organizations to consider applying to this program."

The deadline to submit is March 30, 2018.

More information can be found at: www.ic.gc.ca/eic/site/102.nsf/eng/00001.html

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY FOR FARMS HIRING YOUTH

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA: Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to inform local farm operators and employers in the agricultural sector that the Agricultural Youth Green Jobs Initiative application period is now open.

Projects can start on April

1, 2018 with the possibility of starting earlier based on available funding. Projects must also be completed by March 31, 2019.

The Agricultural Youth Green Jobs Initiative helps fund internships for post-secondary graduates and high school students working in the agriculture industry. These internships include activities or projects that benefit the environment.

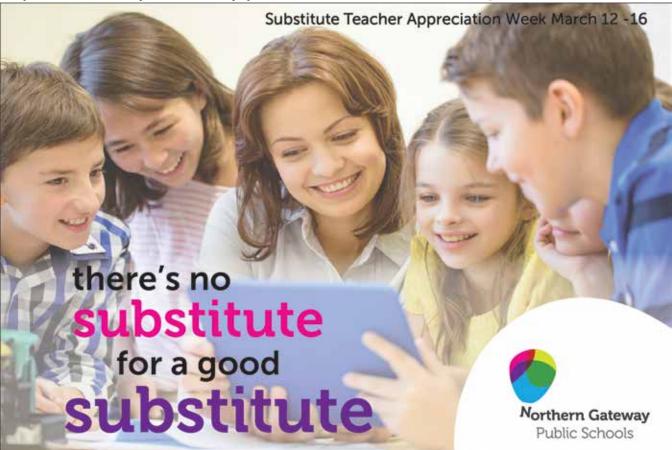
Funding is available through the following two streams:

1. Green Farms Stream: Farm operators could receive up to a maximum of \$10,000 per youth intern, 30 years old or younger, including high school students to implement projects that are environmentally beneficial.

2. Green Internships

Stream: Employers in the agricultural sector but not directly on a farm could receive up to a maximum of \$16,000 per post-secondary graduate intern to undertake environmental activities, services or research that will benefit the agriculture sector.

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ALBERTA RCMP AND ALBERTA RURAL CRIME WATCH ASSOCIATION SIGN OFFICIAL PARTNERSHIP

Submitted by Alberta RCMP

Edmonton, Alta. - Today, Deputy Commissioner Todd Shean, Commanding Officer, Alberta RCMP and Mr. Trevor Tychkowsky, President of the Alberta Provincial Rural Crime Watch Association signed a memorandum of understanding which outlines the roles each organization will play in keeping rural communities safe throughout the province.

Rural Crime Watch is a community-led program supported by the RCMP and the Alberta Justice and Solicitor General aimed at reducing crime in rural communities by providing extra "eyes and ears" for the RCMP and promoting Crime Prevention through awareness and education campaigns.

"The efforts of Rural Crime Watch volunteers to promote crime prevention in their communities and encourage the reporting of suspicious activities helps Alberta RCMP gather relevant and actionable intelligence – a key component of our intelligence-led Crime Reduction Strategy" said Deputy Commissioner Todd Shean. "Their commitment to educating their neighbours on how to secure their property and how to be aware of potential threats greatly contribute to making their communities safer and more resilient."

"We understand that in order for the RCMP to police our communities effectively, we need to take an active role in educating our neighbours and watching each other's backs" said Trevor Tychkowsky, President of the Alberta Provincial Rural Crime Watch Association.

Reducing crime in Alberta cannot be achieved through policing alone. A collaborative approach that includes citizens, health and mental health service providers, law enforcement, government partners and community leaders like the Alberta Rural Crime Watch Association is essential to keeping communities safe and breaking the cycle of criminal activity.

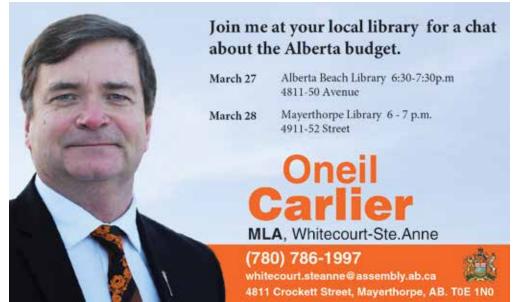


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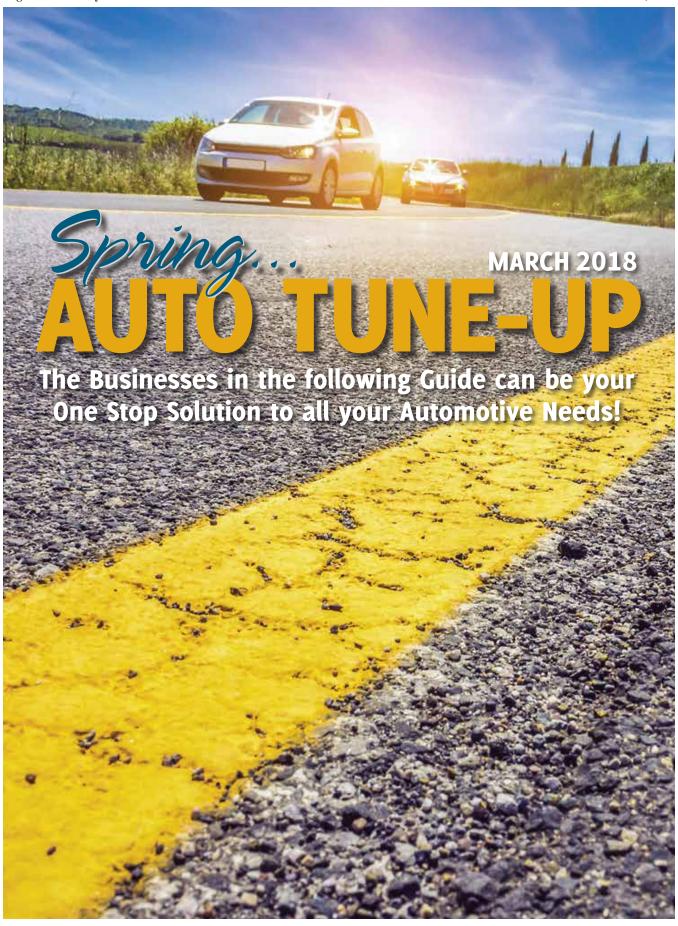
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Interested applicants can apply by email to: AAFC.Green. jobsStage.en.agroenvironnement.AAC@agr.gc.ca, mail or fax by submitting the completed Project Application Form and required attachments to the Alberta regional office. These forms, and more information, can be found on the Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada website at: www.agr.gc.ca/eng/ programs-and-services/list-ofprograms-and-services/agricultural-youth-green-jobs-initiative/?id=1459879253586

"I encourage any local farms operators or employers in the agricultural sector to consider applying for this opportunity to invest into our youth and familiarize them with local agriculture," concluded MP Eglinski.



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MAINTAIN TIRE BALANCE AND ALIGNMENT FOR A SMOOTH RIDE

It is easy for motorists to take their tires for granted when everything is working correctly. Wheels and suspension systems bear the weight of cars and trucks and must bear the brunt of rough roads, pot holes and any additional obstacles, so some wear and tear is to be expected.

Many drivers know to monitor their tire pressure, but it's also important to check for worn treads and inspect tires for punctures or damage. Proper tire alignment and balance also is essential for a comfortable and smooth ride.

Balance

Balancing tires involves equalizing the weight of the combined tire and wheel assembly so that each tire spins smoothly on the road. Tires are mounted on the wheel assembly, and the chances of this assembly having precise weight distribution is nearly impossible without a little help. According to Discount Tire, the slightest imbalance in the tires, even as little as half an ounce, can be felt by drivers. Unequal mass can make tires wobble, causing noticeable vibrations.

Mechanics will test tire balance by putting it on a balancing machine. The machine will spin the tire and determine the tire's heaviest point. Counteracting weights will be placed on the tire hubs to create a more uniform balance of weight. Lead weights are often used, but some are being phased out for other metals, such

as zinc, because of the medical and environmental implications of lead.

Tires that are not balanced will not only cause vibration, they also can lead to uneven wear.

Alignment

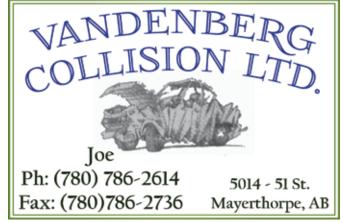
Tire alignment is another way to reduce wear on tires and help avoid steering and "pulling" problems. Bridgestone Tires defines tire alignment as an adjustment of the vehicle's suspension, or the system that connects a vehicle to its wheels.

When tires are not properly aligned, drivers may notice uneven tread wear. Misaligned tires also may cause the vehicle to pull to the left or right. Drivers who notice their steering wheel is off-center or vibrating when they are driving may need to adjust their tires' alignment.

Camber, or the inward or outward angle of the tire when viewed from the front of the vehicle, will be adjusted. In addition, "toe," or the extent to which the tires turn inward or outward when viewed from above, will be adjusted. Caster angle also helps balance steering, stability and cornering. Caster is the angle of your steering axis when viewed from the side of your vehicle.

When tires are balanced correctly and aligned, vehicles will offer a smooth ride with little to no vibrations. Having tires serviced can maximize their performance and lifespan.









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4 SIMPLE WAYS TO EXTEND THE LIFE OF YOUR VEHICLE

Automobiles are significant investments. According to Kelley Blue Book, the average transaction price for light vehicles was \$34,968 in January 2017, marking a 3 percent increase from just a year earlier.

The decision to spend tens of thousands of dollars on a new vehicle is not one consumers should take lightly. Once drivers purchase their new vehicles, they can protect their investments and get greater returns on those investments by prioritizing maintenance and taking simple yet effective steps to extend the lives of their cars and trucks.

1. Drive defensively.

Aggressive driving is dangerous and can have adverse effects on a vehicle. When driving, always obey posted speed limits and avoid accelerating and decelerating quickly. Such a style of driving can strain vehicle engines and drive trains while negatively affecting fuel efficiency and wearing down brakes, states the National Institute of Automotive Service Excellence.

2. Maintain a clean vehicle.

Car washes do more than just clean a vehicle. Routine washing and waxing can remove dirt that, if left on a vehicle, can gradually scratch paint and contribute to chips and rust. Over time, rust can affect vehicle performance and may even compromise the safety of drivers and their passengers if bad enough frame rust affects structural integrity. Routine washing also can remove road salt from vehicles. Salt can build up during winter when roads are routinely treated during and after snowstorms. Road salt can be extremely corrosive and, if left unremoved from a vehicle, can

contribute to rust that ultimately can cause extensive damage to a vehicle.

3. Routinely check tire pressure. Many of today's new vehicles alert drivers when tire pressure is low. Drivers should not ignore such warnings, as low tire pressure can affect engine performance by forcing it to work harder than should be necessary. Engines that are forced to work harder than they need to likely won't last as long as those that run efficiently. Low tire pressure also negatively affects fuel efficiency, potentially costing drivers substantial amounts of money over time. Drivers of older vehicles without tire pressure alerts should routinely check tire pressure and keep tires adequately inflated. Vehicles that are slow to accelerate from resting positions may not have enough air in their tires.

4. Adhere to maintenance guide-

Drivers may have heard that today's vehicles were built to go longer periods of time between oil changes and tuneups than the vehicles of yesteryear. But drivers should still adhere to manufacturer-recommended maintenance guidelines. Upon buying new vehicles, drivers should read their owners' manuals to determine recommended maintenance intervals, and stick to those intervals for as long as they have their vehicles.

Cognizant of the sizable investments they're making when buying new vehicles, many drivers want to get as many miles out of their vehicles as possible. Simple maintenance and safe driving habits can go a long way toward keeping vehicles on the road for years to come.



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SOME TELLTALE SIGNS OF ENGINE TROUBLES

Engine troubles are many drivers' worst nightmares. Whether they occur out on the road or they prevent drivers from leaving their driveways in the morning, engine troubles can quickly derail plans and cost drivers substantial amounts of money.

Thankfully, engine troubles are often noticeable long before cars break down. Drivers who learn to recognize the signs that suggest engines might be in need of work can avoid being stranded on the road or at home.

• Vehicle shaking: One telltale sign of engine trouble is when a vehicle shakes while it's moving. Drivers of old cars and trucks may not expect the smoothest of rides, but cars that shake, sometimes violently, could be experiencing problems. Sometimes a car might shake if its spark plugs need replacing. That's an easy, inexpensive fix that drivers can do on their own in a matter of minutes. A more serious cause of the vehicle shaking could be

problems with its timing belt or fuel intake system. Drivers who inspect and/or replace their spark plugs but notice their vehicles are still shaking should take their cars into their mechanics immediately.

- Sudden gas mileage reduction: Drivers who notice they're not getting as much bang for their gas bucks as they used to might have engine troubles to blame. According to Pep Boys, a dropoff in gas mileage might be indicative of an issue in the compression stroke of the engine. Such an issue can typically be fixed by having the fuel system serviced, which will clean the fuel system and can help restore the vehicle's performance and reduce emissions.
- Noises: If driving has become as noisy as a rock concert, drivers should take heed that this could be indicative of engine trouble. Pep Boys notes that noises typically indicate abnormalities in the combustion flow.

Such noises may include knocking, hissing and popping. Vehicles making these noises should be taken to a mechanic immediately.

• Stalling: Vehicles that jerk or stall also may be experiencing engine troubles. While old spark plugs might be the culprit, stalling or jerking may indicate clogged fuel lines or fuel filters. Such issues may also be traced to issues with the vehicle's computer system. Bring such issues to the attention of a mechanic, and reduce their frequency with regular oil changes.



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VARIOUS FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES OPEN

Submitted by Jim Eglinski, MP – Yellowhead

OTTAWA: Jim Eglinski, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, is pleased to make constituents aware of multiple funding opportunities for projects related to the environment.

On February 1, 2018, the Government of Canada announced an annual call for proposals for seven existing environmental funding programs that will ad-

dress conservation and water protection. The seven funding programs are:

- 1. Habitat Stewardship Program for Species at Risk
- 2. Aboriginal Fund for Species at Risk
- 3. EcoAction Community Funding Program
- 4. Environmental Damages Fund
- 5. Atlantic Ecosystems Fund
- 6. Great Lakes Protection Initiative

7. Lake Winnipeg Basin Program

Relevant to the Yellowhead riding, the Habitat for Stewardship Program (HSP) for Species at Risk aims to contribute to the recovery of endangered, threatened, and other species at risk, and to prevent other species from becoming a conservation concern, by engaging Canadians in conservation. The optional Expressions of Interest are due February 23, and the deadline to

apply for funding is March 19, 2018.

The Aboriginal Fund for Species at Risk supports the development of Indigenous capacity to participate actively in the implementation of the Species at Risk Act (SARA). The deadlines are the same as the HSP for Species at Risk, above.

The EcoAction Community Funding Program is available for new projects that engage Canadians and clearly demonstrate measurable, positive environmental results related to clean water or climate change. The deadline to apply is March 21, 2018.

The Environmental Damages Fund has two streams in Alberta. The first has \$170,000 available for the conservation and protection of fish and fish habitat. The second has \$200,000 available for projects that protect, conserve, or restore the environment. Preference for both streams will be given to projects in our North Saskatchewan River watershed. The deadline was February 23, 2018.

"I encourage all those interested in these programs, especially those along the North Saskatchewan River, to apply. Let's ensure that our riding of Yellowhead continues to represent the best of Alberta's beauty," concluded MP Eglinski.

For more information and links to each funding program, visit the department's website at www.canada.ca/en/environment-climate-change.html.







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John & Barb Donnelly



1st Place Dart Tournament Winners



2nd Place Dart Tournament Winners



3rd Place Dart Tournament Winners

JOHN & BARB DONNELLY MEMORIAL DART TOURNAMENT

Submitted by Marlaine Janke | Top Gunn Dart Club

This event was held in the Gunn Community Hall on March 3rd, 2018.

John & Barb started our Top Gunn Dart Club back in 1988. John did the organizing & Barb was always there making sure he was doing it right. Ha Ha – if you knew them you understand what I mean. They were a fun loving, easy going couple who loved spending time in the community and with friends.

John and Barb had a love for the game of darts that seemed to be contagious amongst many who played with or against them. After we lost them, other dart players learned John's system and we still have our club today for many to enjoy.

Our dedicated volunteers enjoy hosting this very important celebration of their lives. We try keeping them close in our thoughts by having a table of memories with pictures of them available for everyone to see and enjoy. We start off the day by lighting candles, then the games begin.

The kitchen was open all day with a good variety of food plus the bar was open to those wanting a social drink. We had the usual crowd of 12 teams of 4 being 48 players plus the workers.

Throughout the day, two players shot the perfect score of 180 points and were both awarded a collector's pin. Congratulations to Chris Zolmer & Rick Potter.

1st place with a payout of \$180.00 went to Rick & Sylvia Potter, Zoey Ptter & Matthew Hoefels. Their names are placed on the Memorial Trophy kept in the Hall's trophy case plus four individual trophies are donated by Ged Brent & Heike Post for these players to take home.

2nd place with a payout of \$120.00 went to Kyle Hoefels, Teresa McGuire, Chris Zolmer & Barb Chalinor.

3rd place with a payout of \$84.00 went to Neil & Joanne Gorman, Louise Bambrick & Jason McKenzie.

Congratulations to all the winners and thank you to everyone else who participated and volunteered their time to make this a great day!!

Even with over ten years slipping by, John and Barb are fondly remembered by all of us at the Top Gunn Dart Club. We have been holding this annual tournament ever since their passing. Barb passed away February 26, 2005 and John not long after on June 6, 2006.





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Onoway Community Hall, 967-

Onoway Heritage Center - Gym/ Classrooms, 967-1015

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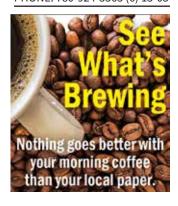
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MAR 17 - CRIB TOURNAMENT at Rich Valley Community Hall. Doors open at 10am, games at 11am. \$20/person. Lunch served. For more info call Eileen 780-967-5710.

MAR 26 - SANGUDO HORTICULTURAL CLUB: DAHLIAS TO DELPHINIUMS, presented by Nick Lysachok. 7:00pm at the Sangudo Golden Age Club (4927-50ave Sangudo). Members of the public welcome. (\$5.00 drop in fee)

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SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 9:30-1:30_{PM}, 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.

BINGO

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

CHERHILL BINGO: Tuesdays at Cherhill Community Association. Doors @ 6:30PM, Games @ 7:30PM.

CHERHILL LEGION: First Sunday of Month. Doors Open 12:00PM

MAYERTHORPE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Tues, doors 6:30pm, bingo 7:30pm RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO:

7:30PM. Loonie Pots. Next bingos March 7 & 21, April 4 & 18.

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 ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Fridays 6:00PM. Queen Of Hearts draw & 50/50. DARWELL: by Alberta Beach & District Lions Club, 4:00PM bi-weekly, Darwell Lounge & Postaurant

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Fridays, Ph. 780-967-5361

STONY PLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR# 256: Saturdays @ 3:00PM. Meat Draw & 50/50. WHITECOURT LEGION: Saturdays 4:00PM. Located downtown behind the CIBC.

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ALBERTA BEACH & AREA: Diane 780-924-2348.

DARWELL & AREA: Lorraine, 892-2967.

ONOWAY & DIST: Call 967-2338 or 967-5244.

JAMBOREES

SANGUDO: Sangudo Community Hall, 1st Sat of month 7PM. 785-4105 or 305-5088. *October

- May.

SPRUCE GROVE: at Sandhills Community Hall,
3rd Sunday, 1-5PM. Info Florence 780-962-3104

Margaret 780-962-3051 *September - June.

STONY PLAIN: Stony Plain Seniors Drop In

Center, 5018 - 51 Ave. Every 2nd & 4th Thurs of month, 7PM, \$2. PH: 587-989-7214 or 963-7920. **THE ABBOTTSFIELD VARIETY MUSIC JAM:** at Abbotsfield Rec Centre (3006 119 Ave. Edmonton) 3rd Friday of month, 7PM. PH: 780-918-8545. Adm: Donations Only.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

ALBERTA BEACH: Tuesdays, Weigh-in 6:00-6:45PM. Meeting 7:00PM. Alberta Beach Lutheran Church, Hwy 633. 967-5009.

EDMONTON: Thurs 8:30-10AM at Annex of Grace United Church (6215-104 Ave). \$7/month SANGUDO: Tues, United Church, 6:00PM. Sharon 785-2095 or Marlene 786-4646.

STONY PLAIN: Thurs evening, Stony Plain United Church. Susan (780) 968-0869

SPRUCE GROVE: Wed 8:45AM at Anglican Church, 131 Church Rd. Christiane 960-1109

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SOCIAL EVENTS

ALBERTA BEACH & DISTRICT ACTIVE 50+ CLUB ACTIVITIES: Tues 7:30PM Crib; Wed 1PM Bridge. Mon, Wed, Fri 10:15AM Aerobics/ Fitness.

BADMINTON: Wed, 7-10pm, Barrhead High School Gym. Jamie (780)674-8974 or (780)674-

COUNTRY QUILTERS in Stony Plain house a "Sew in Tuesday", 2nd Tuesday of every month, from 10-3PM. Drop in \$5/member, \$6/non-

members. Contact Cindy 780-963-7170.

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

LAC STE ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR, Wed 7-9PM at Alberta Beach Heritage Center. New members welcome (18+). Call Eunice @ 780-618-7865

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

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WRITERS PROGRAM: Mayerthorpe Library, 1^{st} & 3^{rd} Wednesday at 1PM.

MEETINGS

1ST ONOWAY SCOUTS: Registration, Mondays 6:30-8PM. Beavers 5-7; Cubs 8-11; Scouts 12-14. Kim 967-4339.

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

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

526 BARRHEAD AIR CADETS, Wed 6:30-9:30PM, High School. Ages 12-18. 780-305-7233 755 PARKLAND AIR CADETS Thurs, 6:30-9:30PM Muir Lake School, ages 12-18. Info call 405-6585 or www.755aircadets.com.

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AL-ANON: Tues 7PM, Onoway Anglican Church (4809-50 St.) 780-967-3356 or 1-800-4AL-ANON. *MEETINGS SUSPENDED FOR JANUARY - APRIL INCLUSIVELY

AL-ANON Wednesdays, 8PM. Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Dr. 780-962-5205 ALBERTA 55 PLUS: Villenvue Hall at 10AM. Meetings on 2nd Tues of month. Info: Donna 780-962-5933

ALBERTA BEACH & DIST LIONS CLUB meets every 4th Tues 7:00PM, Alberta Beach Agliplex.
ALBERTA BEACH AG SOCIETY meets on the 4th Thurs of month, 7:00PM, Alberta Beach Aglipley.

ALBERTA BEACH MUSEUM meets on the 2nd Wed, 7:00PM at Heritage House 924-3167. BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, meeting every 2nd Thurs, 7PM at the Legion Hall.

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

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DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY MEETINGS, 8:00PM, 1st Monday, Darwell DDRA MEETING, 7:00PM, 2nd Mon, Darwell 892-

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6:30PM, Onoway Heritage Centre. Info Laura, 780-967-1004.

GREENCOURT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

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 month. Contact: mayerthorpekinettes@gmail.com, Tracy: 780-786-0161

LAC STE ANNE ARMY CADETS, Thurs, 6:30-9:30PM at Onoway Museum (780) 967-0443

LAC STE. ANNE & LAKE ISLE WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT SOCIETY: 3rd Fri, 7PM, Alberta Beach Council Chambers.

LAKE ISLE HALL COMMUNITY HALL BOARD:
3rd Thurs of each month @ 7:30PM at the Lake
Isle Hall (Hwy 633 and RR55) Ph #780-892-3121
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ASSOC, every 4th Mon, 5PM in Hospital
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MEN FOR SOBRIETY: Wednesdays at 7:30PM, FCSS Building (#105, 505 Queen Street, Spruce Grove). Mike (780) 965-9991.

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MS SOCIETY PARKLAND COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP Are you diagnosed with MS and have questions? Last Tues of month, 7-9PM, Westview Health Centre. Cassy 780-471-3034 *Sept-June

NA MEETING, Tuesdays 7:00PM Poplar Valley Church (780)514-6011

ONOWAY & DIST HERITAGE SOCIETY: 2nd Wed of each month, 7:30PM, Chateau Lac Ste Anne ONOWAY & DISTRICT HISTORICAL GUILD: 3nd Wed 7PM, Onoway Museum. 967-5263 or 967-2452

ONOWAY & DISTRICT QUILT GUILD: Every 2nd Thurs, 10AM-4PM, @ the Lac Ste. Anne Chateau Activity Room. Info, Ph Dixie @ 780 967 0528.
ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION General

Meetings, 1st Mon, 7PM. *Sept-June RICH VALLEY AG SOCIETY BOARD MEETINGS: at the Agriplex on the 2nd Wed of the month.

7:00PM.

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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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SUDOKU REWEEK

Fun By The Numbers

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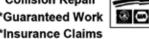
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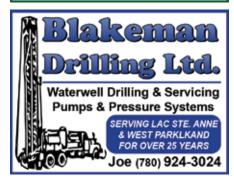


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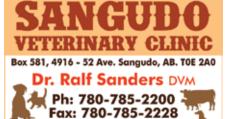




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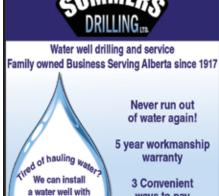
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