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October 11, 2022

ALBERTA RCMP INTEGRATED BORDER ENFORCEMENT TEAM LAY CHARGES FOR IMPORTING PROHIBITED DEVICE

Submitted by Alberta RCMP

An investigation launched by the Alberta RCMP Federal Policing Integrated Border Enforcement Team (IBET) has resulted in charges laid against a man

for importing prohibited devices, which included 5 pistol selector switches to convert a Glock handgun from semi-automatic to fully automatic.

On August 17, 2022, Yuriy Bilonog, 43, a resident of Spruce Grove, Alta., was

charged with the following offences:

- Importation of Prohibited Device under section 104(1)(A) of the Criminal Code;
- Possession of Prohibited Device under

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STUDENTS RUN TO RAISE AWARENESS AND FUNDS FOR CANCER RESEARCH

Submitted by GYPSD

Students across GYPSD took the time to acknowledge Terry Fox's legacy during the annual

Terry Fox Run to raise awareness of the young man's story while also rais-

ing money for Cancer Research

In the far west of the Division, Grande Cache students at Sheldon Coates Elementary (Kindergarten to Grade 3) braved the autumn chill and raised \$1,569 for the Terry Fox Founda-

tion! Their original goal was \$1,000.

Meanwhile, in Edson, hundreds of high school students took part in the event and also shared their reasons for running.

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Alberta RCMP Integrated Border Enforcement Team Lay Charges For Importing Prohibited Device

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section 91(2) of the Criminal Code; and

- Smuggling a Prohibited Device under section 159(1) of the Customs Act.

Bilonog is scheduled to appear in court on Oct. 5, 2022, at the Stony Plain Provincial Court.

"Through our partner-

ships with CBSA and the Edmonton Police Service, as well as the assistance of various RCMP members, we were able to prevent these prohibited devices from being illegally imported into Canada and potentially causing significant harm."

– Sgt. Greg Eagle, Alberta RCMP Integrated Border Enforcement Team

IBET is an integrated federal policing unit based out of Calgary and Edmonton that contributes to maintaining Canada's safety and security including the land and air border domains in Alberta. Their mandate is to enhance border integrity and security along the shared border, between designated ports of entry,

by identifying, investigating and interdicting persons, organizations and goods that are involved in criminal activities. The unit is comprised of members of the Alberta RCMP, CBSA and Calgary Police Service.



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Students Run To Raise Awareness And Funds For Cancer Research

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Parkland Composite High students raised over \$5,000 for this great cause.

In the east end of the Division, Evans view students were challenged that if they could raise \$1,500 for the Terry Fox Foundation,

someone got to pie Principal Randall...The students raised over \$3,200! Two students were drawn to give Mr. Randall one pie each. Way to go Evans view, you made a significant impact on cancer research while having a lot of fun!

CONSERVATIVES ARE ON YOUR SIDE

Submitted by MP Gerald Soroka

As the Official Opposition, we Conservatives tabled the following motion in the House:

"That, in the opinion of the House, given that the government's tax increases

on gas, home heating and, indirectly, groceries, will

fuel inflation, and that the Parliamentary Budget Officer reported the carbon tax costs 60% of households more than they get back, the government must eliminate its plan to triple the carbon tax."

The Trudeau Liberal Government plans

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Conservatives Are On Your Side

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to raise the carbon tax from the current level of \$50 a tonne to \$170 a tonne by 2030, with increases each and every year even though in 2019 the Liberals promised the plan would not increase the price (carbon tax) post-2022. The

Supreme Court of Canada has confirmed that the federal government can impose its own carbon tax as a backstop. This is a problem. Higher gas prices harm household budgets, it also increases transportation costs and in turn raises prices on groceries and other consumer goods – all

increasing inflation.

Earlier this year the Bank of Canada stated: “if the charge (carbon tax) were to be removed from the three main fuel components of the consumer price index (gasoline, natural gas and fuel oil) it would reduce the inflation rate by 0.4 percentage points. In other

words, if that policy had come into effect at the start of the year, January’s inflation rate would have been 4.7% instead of 5.1%.”

As the Official Opposition we are calling on this Trudeau Liberal government to stop its planned tripling of the carbon tax.

GOVERNMENT OF CANADA ANNOUNCES NEW FRAMEWORK FOR DIABETES IN CANADA

Submitted by MP Gerald Soroka

Gerald Soroka, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, wishes to advise that

the Government of Canada has announced \$35 million over five years for research, surveillance and prevention, and to work towards the development

of a national framework for diabetes. The Framework outlines common policy direction to align efforts to improve prevention and treatment for

all types of diabetes and to ensure better health outcomes.



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ARTICLE FROM MLA SMITH

Submitted by MLA Smith

Alberta is once again a top destination for investment capital from around the world.

The latest example of this is airplane manufacturing giant De Havilland announcing it is building a massive manufacturing plant and aerodrome in Wheatland County, just east of Calgary.

Dubbed 'De Havilland Field,' the new facility will be located between Chestermere and Strathmore, where the company has purchased more than 600 hectares of land. The new De Havilland plant will support at least 1,500 high-paying manufacturing jobs once it is completed, and hundreds of construction jobs as it is being built.

The De Havilland announcement follows several other landmark investments from major companies like Amazon, Dow Chemical, HBO, Air Products, Northern Petrochemical, and Walmart. These companies are investing more than \$10 billion into projects across Alberta, which will employ tens-of-thousands of Albertans for generations to come.

By balancing the budget, cutting taxes, and creating an environment that welcomes new investment, our United Conservative team is building a new Alberta Advantage that is diverse and resilient to outside economic forces.

As more jobs are created, however, more skilled workers are needed to fill them, and right now Alberta is estimated to have more than 100,000 job vacancies. To help address these labour challenges, our United

Conservative government has launched a new advertising campaign called Alberta is Calling to highlight all the benefits of living and working in Alberta as opposed to cities like Toronto and Vancouver.

More than just a destination for business, Alberta is once again a place where everyday people see hope and opportunity. Net migration to Alberta is currently

higher as families choose Alberta for its high-paying jobs, affordability, and tremendous quality of life.

The policies of our United Conservative government are working to create jobs and investments in communities like ours. By cutting taxes and red tape and launching initiatives like Alberta Jobs Now and Alberta at Work, we continue to do all we can to make Alberta

the best place in the country live, work, play, start a business, and raise a family.

In every corner of the province and in all sectors of the economy, optimism is growing for the future – and our government is working tirelessly to make sure Albertans are going back to work and participating in this new Alberta Advantage.



PROPOSAL CALL FOR SNOW REMOVAL

Grande Yellowhead Public School Division invites all interested contractors to submit a proposal for the removal of snow, grading and the sanding of all Division owned parking lots at the following locations:

Grand Trunk High School, & Evansview School in Evansburg, Wildwood School, and Niton Central School.

The successful contractor must demonstrate that all of the areas bid on will be cleaned and sanded within a 12 hour period after any significant snowfall.

The proposal call should therefore include the type and number of pieces of equipment available to clean, grade, sand and remove the snow from all parking lots and the hourly rates charged including travel time. Include WCB clearance letter and proof of \$2 million liability insurance in proposal.

When submitting a proposal bear in mind the distance between the sites and restrictions on a single operator for a number of sites.

Preference will be given to those contractors that submit their company safety program including safe work practices and up to date equipment maintenance records.

Sealed quotes will be received by Grande Yellowhead Public School Division attention:

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Closing Date:
Thursday, October 13, 2022
2:00 p.m.

Grande Yellowhead Public School Division reserves the right to accept or reject any or all applications.

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FIRE SAFE



Take time during **Fire Prevention Week**, to check smoke alarms, review safety tips and create a fire escape plan for your home.

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109 Fire-related deaths annually
1,105 Residential fire injuries annually

Source: Statistics Canada 2014 data

Cooking Leading cause of home fire injuries
Smoking Leading cause of home fire deaths

*Source: Canadian Firefighter, based on information by the public safety division of Alberta Municipal Affairs analysis of data from seven Canadian provinces and one territory

Prepare & Protect

1. Install smoke alarms on every level of your home, as well as inside and outside of every sleeping area.
2. Create and practice a fire escape plan.
3. Sleep with your door closed.
4. Go to canada.ca and use search keywords "fire prevention" or visit nfpa.org for detailed fire prevention tips and fire escape plan guidelines.



TOP 5 Residential Fire CAUSES



Cooking 20% of fires

Heating equipment 12% of fires

Arson 11% of fires

Electrical 8% of fires

Smoking 7% of fires



DANGER! GASOLINE

Gasoline can be more dangerous than dynamite since it emits invisible, explosive vapours that ignite easily, even at low temperatures.

- Never store gasoline in basements, pits or other confined areas. Gasoline must be stored in areas that are well ventilated, free from ignition sources & in areas permitted by the National Fire Code of Canada.
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Know at least two ways out of every room, if possible. Make sure doors leading outside open easily.

Have an outside meeting place. Make it a safe distance from the home where everyone can meet.

Practice your home fire drill. Practice twice a year, at night and during the day, with everyone in your home.

Teach children how to escape in case you aren't able to help them.



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If you have to escape through smoke, get low and go.



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ALBERTA RCMP REMINDS THE PUBLIC OF THE DANGERS OF DISTRACTED DRIVING AS MOTORIST RECEIVES 13TH CONVICTION

Submitted by Alberta RCMP

The Alberta RCMP are always on the lookout for distracted drivers, working hard to reduce fatalities and serious injury collisions caused by distracted driving. Today, in Provincial Traffic Court in Airdrie, Alta., a 40-year-old male from Alberta, was sentenced for his 13th distracted driving conviction. For this 13th conviction, he received a \$2,000 fine and a \$300 victim surcharge. The individual also received three de-

merit points for the conviction.

Following a large public education campaign, distracted driving became illegal in Alberta on Sept. 1, 2011. That same day, this individual was issued a distracted driving ticket. In the 11 years that followed, he has now been convicted a total of 13 times for distracted driving here in the province, with fines totalling \$5,371.

Research has shown driver distraction is the primary cause of over 20% of all crashes, and that distracted drivers are

three times more likely to be involved in a collision than attentive drivers.

Alberta's distracted driving law applies to all vehicles as defined by the Traffic Safety Act and all roads in Alberta. It restricts drivers from doing any of the following, even while stopped in traffic or at red lights:

- Using hand-held mobile devices
- Texting or emailing
- Using electronic devices such as laptop computers, video games, cameras, video entertain-

ment displays, and portable audio players

- Entering information on GPS units
- Reading printed materials
- Writing, printing, or sketching
- Personal grooming, such as brushing and flossing teeth, putting on makeup, curling hair, clipping nails, or shaving

Sadly, motor vehicle collisions caused by distracted driving are happening every day in Alberta. Please, leave the phone alone.



Do you live in Parkland County?

We want to hear from you!

We're looking at making changes to our Municipal Development Plan.

The proposed changes will reflect the inclusion of the new Hamlet of Wabamun and the City of Spruce Grove annexation!

The proposed amendments are applicable "County wide" and are not site specific.

This proposed amendment includes changes to Section 1.0 – Introduction, Section 6.0 – Hamlets, Section 8.0 – Recreation & Tourism Development and Section 13.0 – Implementation of the Municipal Development Plan.

Drop in at our open house to learn more about the project and have your say!

WHEN:
October 19, 2022 from 5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m

WHERE:
Council Chambers, Parkland County Centre - 53109A HWY 779

WHAT:
Proposed amendments reflect the changing environments within Parkland County, namely the dissolution of the Village of Wabamun and the January 1, 2021 annexation by the City of Spruce Grove.



For more information call 780-968-8888 or email julia.buffam@parklandcounty.com or natasha.desandi@parklandcounty.com.

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Road trips are a staple of autumn for many motorists. Fall foliage and moderate temperatures make the months of September and October ideal months to hit the open road for weekend getaways.

Fall road trips rarely take drivers too far away from home, but traveling can still be costly. Fortunately, there are many ways to make road trips more affordable without sacrificing fun.

• Explore alternatives to more traditional lodging. If your road trip includes an overnight stay,

consider alternatives to traditional lodging. Hotels might stretch your budget, but depending on where you plan to go, you might have some less traditional alternatives. Airbnb.com allows homeowners and even some apartment dwellers to rent their homes and apartments to travelers, and these listings may pale in comparison to rates offered by nearby hotels. If weather permits, look for local campsites and spend your nights sleeping outdoors under the autumn stars. If

you prefer hotels, look for deals on sites like Priceline.com or Hotwire.com, which may offer heavy discounts on rooms.


• Take steps to conserve fuel. Lodging might prove your biggest expense on a fall road trip, but fuel likely won't be too far behind. Drivers can cut fuel costs in several ways. Before beginning your trip, take your car in for a tuneup so any issues that might affect fuel efficiency are addressed before you hit the open road. Poorly inflated tires force the engine to work harder and burn

more fuel, so make sure tire pressure matches the levels recommended in your owner's manual before embarking on your trip and even along the way if you feel your car is not running as smoothly as it could be. Another way to conserve fuel is to remove excess items from the trunk. If you don't plan to hit the links on your trip, leave your golf clubs at home.

• Plot your route. Spontaneity may make fall road trips more fun,

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Enjoy A Frugal Fall Road Trip

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but drivers looking to save money should plot their routes in advance so they can avoid potentially costly problems like detours or road work that can waste fuel and lead to hours sitting in traffic. Use a GPS device during your trip so you can be alerted to any unexpected developments that might cost you time and money. Plotting your route in advance also allows you to find affordable dining and lodging options and

choose roads that don't require drivers to pay tolls.

- Invite some friends and family along. Inviting friends and family on a weekend getaway can make the trip more fun and more affordable. If you have room in the car, inviting friends along allows you to split fuel costs, and you may even save on lodging if you find a hotel that won't charge for extra guests in the room. Friends and family also can help split the cost of supplies.

- Bring your own food. Food is another big ex-

pense road trippers must account for. But you can save money on food by bringing your own meals along on the trip. Prepare some sandwiches the morning that you leave and keep them fresh in a cooler so you don't have to pay for lunch. In addition, pack some snacks so you and your passengers can quickly and affordably quell any hunger pangs that arise while you're on the road. If you plan to stay in a place with its own kitchen, cook your own dinners so you don't have to spend money din-

ing out.

Road trips are a staple of autumn, when drivers can still enjoy the open road without breaking the bank.



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Fall Prevention Workshop

Raising awareness of the concerns of older adults.

Wildwood Community Hall
Friday, October 21, 2022 at 1:00 PM

FALL PREVENTION PRESENTATION FOR OLDER ADULTS

Deanna Marler, Health Promotion Facilitator with Injury Prevention, will give a presentation on information for reducing falls and exercises to build balance and strength.

GROUP EXERCISES & STRETCHES

This workshop will include some chair exercises and there will be lots of resources through Finding Balance available.

Snacks and refreshments will be available.

Come out for a great afternoon!



Please register by calling the Yellowhead County Wildwood Office at 780-325-3782 or email Karen at kschatz@yhcounty.ca



Black Knot

Info & Pruning Guideline



Black Knot - What Is It?

Yellowhead County's Agricultural Services Department has received numerous calls regarding black growths on residents' fruit trees.

These tar-like black swellings are a sign of Black Knot and will distort and stunt any tree species within the *Prunus* genus.

Black Knot reduces the aesthetic value of affected trees and, if left long enough, may result in eventual death of the tree.

The disease spreads in the spring, attacking new growth on branches. The spores, released by the fungi can be carried by wind and splashing rain.

The only reliable method of controlling Black Knot is pruning.

Black Knot - Pruning

1. Only prune between November and March.
2. Cleanly cut off at least 6 - 8 inches below the knot, better to prune back to a healthy collar, then leaving a stub.
3. For knots on branches or trunks that can't be removed, use a knife to cut away diseased tissue down to good wood and then 1/2 inch beyond the edge of the knot.
4. Cleaning your equipment properly is another good way to prevent the spread. Pruning shears should be dipped in a 1% bleach/water solution between cuts and once you are finished pruning ensure you run your tools under water for 10 minutes and dry thoroughly.
5. Treat pruned branches like hazardous waste, they can release spores for up to 4 months. Burn, bury, or wrap them in plastic and throw them in the trash. Do not compost.

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Yellowhead County

Fire Prevention Week

October 9-15

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FIRE PREVENTION WEEK



**"Stay Fire Smart!
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ARTICLE FROM GETSON

Submitted by MLA Shane Getson

It's that time of year again; the leaves have turned color (let's hope they cling to their respective branches as long as possible), most of the garden is out, the majority of the crops are off, and the kids have probably brought home a cold or flu bug to lovingly share with the rest of the family. Like many I'm hoping for a long warm fall. Last year was such a nice treat, one that I would love to repeat.

When you read this, we will officially have a new Premier of our province. I'm deep in the world of politics, and despite reaching my saturation point some time ago, I'm hopeful again. I've had the chance to catch up with many people over the summer and the early weeks of fall to find out what matters to folks, and to get feedback on how I'm doing so far as the MLA. I appreciate the interaction, and the honest feedback. Good, Bad, or Ugly, it all makes me better at what I do; and to know in my heart when I speak on your behalf in caucus, or in the chamber, that I'm providing the best perspective I can for the folks I represent. We go back into the house on October 31st and I would once again love some honest feedback and suggestions to share. You'll find an online survey on my website, and I will be drop-

ping off paper questionnaires again at various local gathering spots. Please take the time to fill them out and help keep me pointed in the right direction; it's a team effort to move the ball down field...so if you can, help me to help you and our community.

There have been several events I've attended over the last few weeks and again, certain themes keep coming to the forefront: logistics, economic corridors, and labor shortages. Regarding logistics, we can't get our products to market...there is literally a backlog in the supply chain not only from a local or interprovincial standpoint but globally. It has brought to light that our supply chains are far too thin, and far too reliant on other countries. Although we are in a rough patch right now in this regard, there is a massive opportunity to correct this issue, and become a stronger player for our region. When you have major trading partners that are keen to 'shop local', we need to adapt and make these deals. Trains, train cars, junior rail companies, and capacity partnerships are very much needed (and wanted) going forward. I believe our region is in a very strong position to fill the evident gap in supply chain and logistics.

I was pleased to be able to sit with the owner of Anohka Distillery near Carvel last week (if you've never been,

you need to go!), so that he could educate me on the business of fine spirits, all the good things that are happening in the industry and, quite frankly, the gaps that can and should be filled. He holds degrees in both Physics and Law, and most recently a Masters of Science in Brewing and Distilling from Heriot Watt University in Edinburgh, Scotland. He understands the spirits industry. Earlier this year, his distillery won the award for the 'Best Canadian London Dry' at the World Gin Awards. Their whiskey is in the works and has also won an IWSC award, even before aging! Not bad for an Alberta upstart! As it turns out, Alberta has all the top-quality raw materials to make the absolute best products in the world. Even better, we have yet to develop the at home supply chain items we need, so there is a great opportunity for the local agriculture industry to adapt and grow. Developing agricultural sectors such as: barley, grain, peat moss (used for the smoking treatment of grains), as well as the apprenticeship opportunities that go along with these sectors presents a huge opportunity for Alberta. It's a 5-billion-dollar industry in Scotland alone, and we have an order of magnitude of natural resources that is far larger. We could not only supply local companies, but international ones as well.

Soon, our office will be trying our hand at a podcast so we can help share the success stories, opportunities, and challenges in our area. I'm looking forward to getting that up and running, and am open for suggestions, as I want it to be an open line for feedback and discussion.

Regarding the Firearm File, we are going to be helping with and hosting a couple of events to not only bring awareness to the community on firearms and provide education on the many different related sports and disciplines out there, but also to get folks together again. Our Zombie Shoot will be taking place on October 29 at the Canadian Historical Arms Society range, with a supper and silent auction to follow at the Genessee Hall. We only have capacity for 150 people at the range, so grab your tickets early when they become available. We will also be helping with an event in Ponoka at the arena to help bring awareness of the Mounted Shooters discipline and to let folks try their hand at it. It'll give folks the opportunity to be able to ride a horse and shoot balloons with old school western firearms. We will keep you posted on that as well.

Until next time, keep safe, keep an eye out for one another, and keep letting me know what matters to you.

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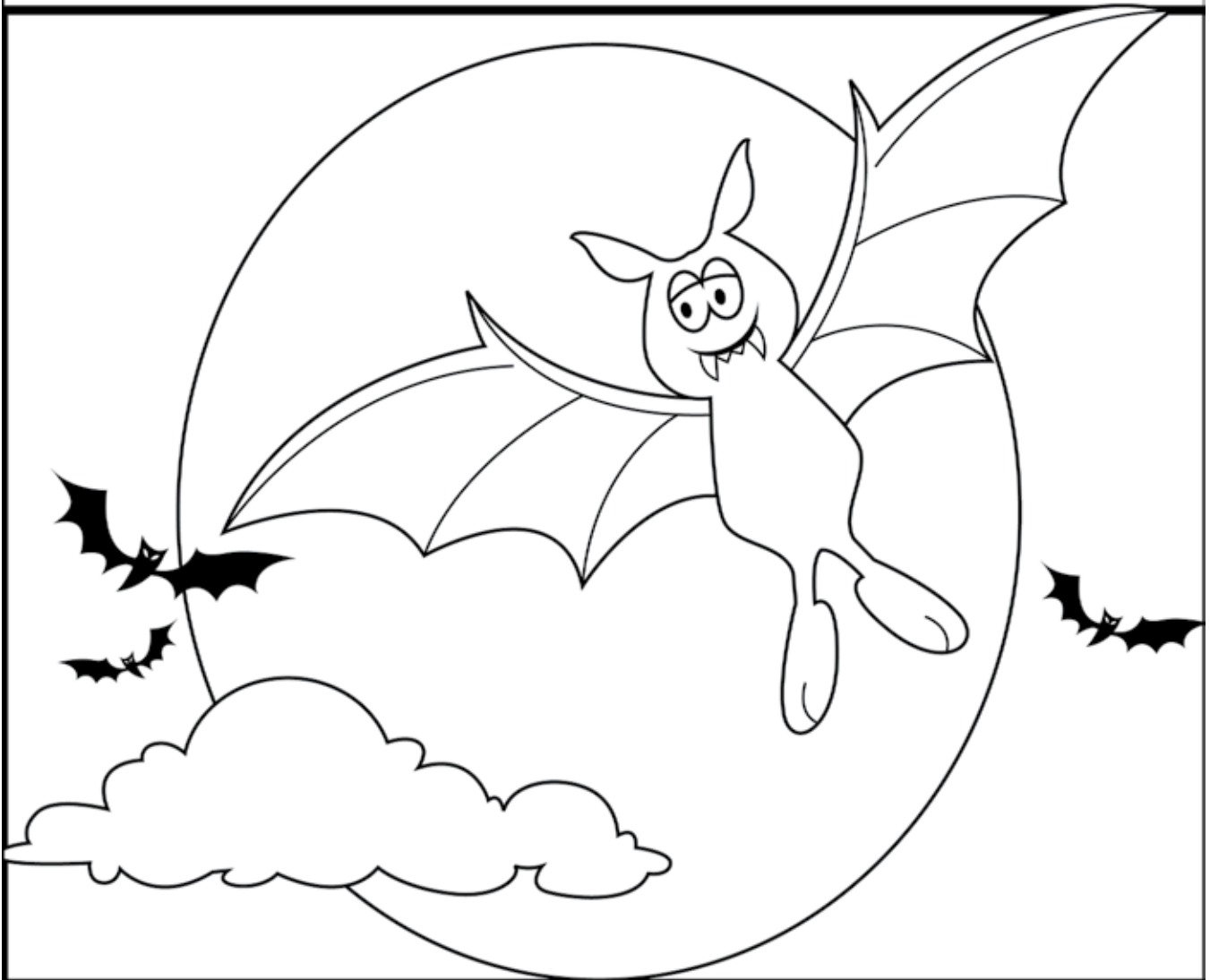
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Follow these 9 tips to help protect yourself, your family and your property against fire hazards.

1. Install a fire alarm in every sleeping area and on every level of your home, and be sure to test alarms every month. Working smoke alarms reduce the risk of death in a home fire in half.
2. Check the manufacture date on the back of your home's smoke alarms. Smoke alarms should be replaced at least every 10 years! Batteries should be replaced every year.
3. Never leave burning candles unattended, and always keep matches and lighters out of reach from children.

4. Make a fire action plan, so every member of your household knows how to escape and where to meet outdoors.
5. Over half of home heating fire deaths are caused by equipment being placed too close to things that can burn. Make sure furniture, clothing, mattresses and bedding are at least three feet from heating sources.
6. Always turn off space heaters when you leave the room or go to sleep. Space heaters are the cause of about 79 percent of fatal home heating fires.

7. Remain in the kitchen when frying, grilling or broiling food. Turn off the stove whenever you leave the kitchen, and never leave home while food is cooking.
8. Inspect electrical cords regularly, and replace cords that are cracked or damaged or have broken plugs or loose connections.
9. In the event of a fire, crawl to safety. Use the back of your hand to see if a door is hot before opening it. If it feels hot, try to use another exit.

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Not pictured: Brandon Bara

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PREVENT & PROTECT

Refresh your memory of fire safety
during Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13.

- Make sure all flammable liquids are properly labeled and stored away from heat and flames.
- Create a home escape plan with your family and practice home fire drills.
- Unplug counter appliances when they are not in use.
- Have your furnace and working chimney inspected once a year.



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Attention: Farmers' Market Vendors and Market Managers!

If you want to **learn new skills, refresh your knowledge,** or are a new vendor **looking for tips and advice,** this Vendor Workshop is for you!

Come to learn, share, and meet others in the industry!

Workshop Topics

Setting the Stage

Hear about the latest trends and the opportunity for selling at a farmers' market.

Regulations – The Basics

Understand the regulations that apply to your business and why they matter.

Costs to Consider

Discover the different costs you need to consider when thinking about becoming a farmers' market vendor.

Application, Tent & Vehicle Advice

Hear about some dos and don'ts when applying for a market, tips for setting up your tent safely and how to efficiently pack your vehicle before and after the market.

Display Tips

Learn about the importance of a good display and some tips on how to make yours stand out in the market.

Save the Date!

Date: Saturday, October 22

Time: 9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Location: Peers Multiplex
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Cost: Members: \$40
Non-members: \$60
*includes coffee, snacks and lunch

Registration Link:

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/vendor-101-a-workshop-for-new-and-existing-vendors-and-market-managers-tickets-422810657057>

For more information:

Contact Christie Fleck at the Alberta Farmers' Market Association at 780-265-2362 or email: info@albertafarmersmarket.com



Saturday, October 22
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Peers Multiplex

Vendor 101

www.albertafarmersmarket.com



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National Family Week:

October 3-9, 2022

Entry Deadline:

October 14, 2022

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Entry form available in-person at the Wildwood or Edson Yellowhead County Offices or via email: jtruemner@yellowheadcounty.ab.ca



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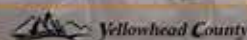
Yellowhead County's Agricultural Services Department has put together several draws for gift certificates to some of our local businesses:

- \$250 Gift Certificate to Woodland Lumber & Building Supplies in Evansburg
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- \$250 Gift Certificate to Wighty's Tire & Mechanical in Evansburg
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- \$250 Gift Certificate to Laurich Holdings Farm Supply Store in Evansburg
- \$250 Gift Certificate to Ray Agro & Petroleum Ltd in Evansburg

The draw entry deadline is **October 17th @ 4:30pm.**

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ANSWER:

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7	6	9	3	1	5	4	8	2
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Worship Service Sun. 11:00a.m.

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3004-49 Street,
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Pastoral Team: Kenton Penner

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Youth & Ministries Info -
calvbapt@telus.net
4401-50th Ave. Drayton Valley
780-542-4774
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Payroll Department
Yellowhead County
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Tuesday, October 18 at 7 PM
Evansburg Tipple Park Museum

Session 2: "Building a Habit of Saving"

Tuesday, October 25 at 7 PM
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Session 3: "Building Your Plan"

Tuesday, November 1 at 7 PM
Evansburg Heritage House

Session 4: "Managing Your Plan"

Tuesday, November 8 at 7 PM
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The Board meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month at 9:30 AM at the Wildwood Library.

Apply at www.yhcounty.ca

FCSS BOARD

This seven member advisory board provides advice to Council and administration for the provision of preventive social services under the Family & Community Support Services Act & Regulation.

The Board reviews programs for the volunteer community, seniors, adults, youth and children and reviews and approves grants to community organizations from funds budgeted by Council for preventive services.

This board meets 6-8 times per year on a weekday morning in Wildwood County office.

Applicants must be residents of Yellowhead County.

HERITAGE BOARD

This five member board provides advice to Council with respect to the development and maintenance of a heritage program.

The board will advise Council on the development of policy, budget, short and long term strategic planning and guidelines for funding projects, museums, community groups, businesses and individuals.

This Board meets at the Wildwood county office at 9:30 AM on the 3rd Wednesday of the month, 4 times a year.

SUBDIVISION & DEVELOPMENT APPEAL BOARD

This board hears appeals of decisions from the Subdivision and Development Authority of Yellowhead County, pursuant to the Municipal Government Act. This board meets at the Edson office as required. This is a three-year term, ending October 31, 2025.

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