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January 24, 2024

THE FUTURE OF HEALTH CARE IS IN ALBERTANS' HANDS

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's government is launching a series of provincewide in-person engagement sessions with health care workers and Albertans to help shape the future of health care.

As part of the government's ongoing efforts to refocus the health care system, Albertans are encouraged to register for one of the upcoming in-person

engagement sessions, which start on Jan. 23. These sessions are an opportunity for open conversations about the challenges, solutions and innovations that will help build a stronger health care system.

Collaborating with front-line health care workers, regional partners and Albertans is crucial to creating a health system that better supports workers and improves patient care. The input, experi-

ences and feedback received from Albertans will help create a more effective health care system that is there for Albertans when and where they need it.

"Ensuring Albertans and their families have a health care system that is responsive and reliable is critical. That's why it's so important we have these face-to-face conversations with front-line workers, patients and

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ONOWAY LEGION NEWS

Submitted by Onoway Legion

Join us for a Roast Beef Dinner

On Friday, January 26, enjoy a full roast beef dinner at the Onoway Legion. Cook Ira and crew will be serving roast beef with creamed potatoes, and buttered carrots, along with a side salad. It's fruit pie and ice cream for dessert. The Veterans' Table is sponsored by Acera Insurance.

Text 780-967-5361 by January 24 to book a space.

Valentine Dinner

Take your valentine out for dinner at the Onoway Legion on Friday, February 9!

This special meal, sponsored by Lafarge, includes an 8 oz. New York strip steak, twice-baked potato, Caesar salad, with chocolate mousse for dessert.

This delicious meal will be prepared and served by Anne-liese and crew. The Veterans' Table is sponsored by Nakamun Mayor, Keith Pederson.

Text 780-967-5361 by

Wednesday, February 7.

Greek Dinner Re-scheduled!

The Greek Dinner that was frozen out by Mother Nature has been re-scheduled! It will now be held on Friday, February 23. The dinner will be prepared by Ruth & her crew.

On the menu is pork shish kebobs with lemon roasted potatoes. That's served with pita bread and tzatziki, Greek salad and dessert. The Veterans' Table is sponsored by Ron Hucal.

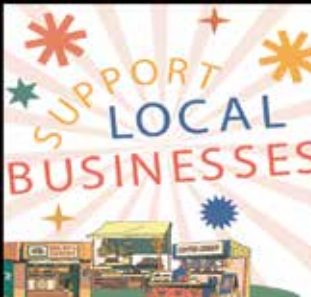
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caregivers about the challenges that exist and how we can build a stronger health care system that serves the current and future needs of Albertans."

Adriana LaGrange, Minister of Health

Members of Alberta's government will attend these sessions wherever possible, including Minister of Health Adriana LaGrange, Minister of Seniors, Community and Social Services Jason Nixon, Minister of Mental Health and Addiction Dan Williams, and Parliamentary Secretary for Rural Health Martin Long.

"As we build a system focused on recovery, ongoing engagement will ensure the best care for those facing mental health challenges or suffering from the dead-

ly disease of addiction. Our government will continue to partner with those delivering services for people in need."

Dan Williams, Minister of Mental Health and Addiction

"These in-person engagement sessions are an important opportunity for Albertans to provide their feedback and first-hand experiences with the health care system. As we shape the future of our health, mental health and continuing care systems, these sessions are critical, and I encourage everyone to participate."

Jason Nixon, Minister of Seniors, Community and Social Services

Health care workers and members of the public are encouraged to register online for an in-person session in their area. Further engage-

ment plans will be announced in the coming weeks. In addition to public sessions, there will be dedicated engagement with Indigenous leaders and other key health care partners. Regularly updated information about new and ongoing engagement sessions is available on the government's online "Shape the way" page.

Minister LaGrange will also be visiting hospitals and acute care facilities across the province throughout this engagement and continuing into the spring. She will hear first-hand from clinical staff and front-line health care workers as she works to identify ways to make both short- and long-term improvements to health care delivery in the province.



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JOKE of the week

A woman walked into the kitchen and found her husband walking around with a fly swatter. "What are you doing?" she asked. "Hunting mosquitoes," He responded. "Oh, catching any?" She asked. "Yep, two males, two females," He replied. Intrigued, she asked, "How can you tell?" He responded, "Two were on a beer can, two were on the phone."

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If you booked your spot for the January date, please text 780-967-5361 to confirm that you're still interested. If you weren't booked, but now want to, text the same number by February 21.

President's Message

Well, I was planning on telling you a bit about our Friday Night Supper on January 12, 2024, but the dinner had to be cancelled due to the dangerously cold conditions. Not to worry, however. The Greek meal will be reallocated further down the calendar.

This year the Onoway Legion marks its 90th anniversary. Let me tell you about some of its early history. Its beginnings in 1934 were modest. The Branch (originally a branch of the "Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League") was granted its Charter on December 10, 1934. There were 13 original members, including

Edwin Coates, a First World War veteran. Descendants of many of our Charter members, including Edwin Coates, are members of our Branch today.

Five years later, the first Legion Hall opened. It was a 22' X 22' building known as "the Hut". There was a wood stove for heat, and a lantern for light. With the coming of power, the members used a long extension cord from the home of Frank Roberts next door which was plugged in on meeting nights. The Hut was replaced 50 years ago (in 1974) by the current structure, formerly the west wing of the Elementary School in Onoway. More on that, and other Branch history, in the months to come.

Stay tuned to this space for more information on how we plan to commemorate this important anniversary.

Superbowl Party!

Watch the Superbowl on the big screen at the Onoway Legion! The legion is hosting a

Super Bowl

Party on Sunday, February 11. Bring either a potluck dish or a donation of \$5 to join the fun. Doors open

at 3 pm. Inquiries? Please call 780-991-6777.

Wednesday Pub Night and Musical Jam

Each Wednesday, starting at 7 pm, our house band strikes up the music for our Wednesday Pub Night & Jam. Everyone, member or not, is invited in. Doors open at 6:30.

You're invited to bring an instrument to play, or to sing along with the band or as a soloist. If you'd rather, just tap your feet, sit and listen, or dance. Not musical? You can play darts, pool or cards while you enjoy the music. The bar is open with hotdogs and bar snacks.

Pool and Darts Clubs

You don't need to be a legion member to take part in the regular pool or dart clubs that gather each week.

The pool club racks up the balls every Thursday with. Play begins at 7:30 pm, but please arrive no later than 7:15 to be included in the evening schedule.

The darts club is each Tuesday. Registration is at 7 pm so everyone can be assigned to a team for play to begin at 7:30 pm.

A side note: the team of Tony & Lise White and Randy & Li-ane Wenckowski, Onoway Branch #132, tied for first in districts darts. The team will now move on to the provincial tournament in Cochrane.

Did You Know ...

Be part of making a difference! Becoming a member of the Legion is the ultimate way to show your gratitude and give your support to those veterans.

Thanking All Of The Following For Their Donations For The Ladies Bonspiel :

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PARKLAND RCMP PRO-ACTIVE PATROLS RECOVER A STOLEN VEHICLE WITH ONE PERSON CHARGED

Submitted by Parkland RCMP

On Dec. 9, 2023, at approximately midnight, Parkland Crime Reduction Unit along with members from Alberta Law Enforcement Response Team were conducting proactive patrols when they located a suspicious Ford F350 enter the Town of Stony Plain. The li-

cence plate did not match vehicle and it was discovered that the Ford F350 was stolen from Hinton, alt. the week previous. A traffic stop was attempted but the vehicle fled from police at a high rate of speed. A pursuit was not initiated, however, with the assistance of EPS Air1, the vehicle was tracked and a tire deflation device was successfully

deployed in the city of Edmonton where a lone occupant was taken into custody without incident. The suspect is known to police.

Edson resident, 44-year-old Tyler VAN NES was charged with:

- Possession of Stolen property Over \$5000
- Flight from Police Officer
- Dangerous Operation of a Motor

Vehicle

- Driving While Prohibited
- Fraudulent Concealment
- Operate Uninsured Vehicle

The accused was brought before a Justice of the Peace and remanded into custody. His next Court appearance is Jan. 17, 2024, at the Alberta Court of Justice in Stony Plain.

INTERNATIONAL MENTORING DAY: MINISTER TURTON

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Minister of Children and Family Services Searle Turton issued the following statement recognizing International Mentoring Day:

"Mentors do so much to help young people build confidence and develop the skills they need for a bright future. Many children in care are without role models, but having just one positive influence can give them a consistent sense

of belonging when they most need to feel connected to their communities and put them on a path to making better, healthier life choices.

"Mentoring strengthens social skills, builds confidence and helps increase school attendance. Students benefit from becoming mentors themselves while supporting and guiding younger students through Career and Technology Studies mentoring credits and reading buddies. With the support

of a mentor, young people are better able to stay focused in school, build promising careers and succeed despite challenging circumstances. Mentoring also fosters long-lasting relationships that will make a positive impact on both children and families for generations to come.

"Alberta's government is proud to invest more than \$1.3 million in mentoring each year, including \$250,000 for the Alberta Mentorship Partnership, which works with

school authorities and community organizations like Big Brothers Big Sisters and BGC Canada to connect mentors with young Albertans looking for long-term support and guidance.

"I want to thank the thousands of caring Albertans whose mentorship helps children and youth navigate every aspect of their lives. I encourage all Albertans to become mentors by volunteering in their schools, workplaces and communities."



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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING of Bylaw 22-2017-10-2023

LOCATION OF HEARING
Lac Ste. Anne County Office
56521 Range Road 65

DATE OF HEARING
February 8, 2024

TIME
10:00 am

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 692 of the *Municipal Government Act*, the Council of Lac Ste. Anne County is considering an application for amendment to Land Use Bylaw 22-2017, by amending SW 18-54-02 W5M through proposed Bylaw 22-2017-10-2023.

- Redistricting the remainder portion of the lands legally described as Lot 2 Block 1 Plan 2356TR within SW 18-54-02 W5M as indicated in light blue on the map in Schedule "A" from County Land (CL) District to Agricultural '1' District under Bylaw #22-2017;
- Amending Map 6 Region F to reflect the redistricting of the lands legally described in Schedule "A" to Agricultural '1' (AG1) District under Bylaw 22-2017;

Written comments on the above proposed Bylaw may be provided prior to 4:30 pm, on February 1, 2024 to:

Lac Ste. Anne County, 56521 RGE RD 65, Box 219, Sangudo, AB, T0E 2A0
Attn: Amy Roberts, Development Officer, Or email at devassistant@LSAC.ca

Interested individuals may attend the public hearing to voice their comments. To schedule an appointment please contact Development Officer, Amy Roberts at 780.785.3411. Appointment times shall be in accordance with the Procedures (and Committee) Bylaw #04-2020. To attend the meeting via zoom please use the link: <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83536196677>

The proposed amendment and/or application may be reviewed during regular business hours at the County Administration Office located at 56521 Range Road 65 or on the County website at [LSAC.ca/Hearings](https://lsac.ca/Hearings).



OK, so what all this fancy language means is that County owned lands have been identified and removed from municipal reserve designation and as a continuation in process now require redistricting to residential parcels in preparation for sale to the public.

In order to amend the Land Use Bylaw for redistricting, a bylaw must be drafted and a public hearing held first under the provisions of Part 17 of the *Municipal Government Act* (Sections 216.4, 606, 632, 640 and 692).

The above is to let folks know about when and where the Public Hearing will take place.

Visit [LSAC.ca](https://lsac.ca) to explore the latest Lac Ste. Anne County news and events in greater detail.

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County News Highlights

Jan 25 Council Meeting

Feb 7 Municipal Planning Commission Meeting

Feb 8 Council Meeting

Council meetings are held the second and fourth Thursday of each month, however, this schedule is subject to change. County Council meetings begin at 9:30 am.

Visit [LSAC.ca/agenda](https://lsac.ca/agenda) for meeting agendas. Please note: to address Council, appointments must be booked at least 8 working days prior.

APPLICATIONS ARE OPEN FOR WILDFIRE COMMUNITY PREPAREDNESS DAY EVENTS

An Initiative of FireSmart Canada

Wildfire Community Preparedness Day is a national campaign that encourages citizens to take actions that increase their home, neighbourhood and community's resilience to wildfire.

Wildfire Community Preparedness Day is always observed on the first Saturday in May. In 2024, it will take place on Saturday, May 4.

Residents of all ages all over the country are encouraged to come together at any time from May to October to host events and work on projects that raise awareness of wildfire risk and increase their resilience to it.

Groups can apply for a \$500 award to fund their Preparedness Day events.

Application deadline is January 31.

Visit firesmartcanada.ca for further details – including official rules, to apply, and to access resource materials to promote your event.

CONTRACT CAMPGROUND CARETAKER

Sangudo Riverside Campground May 1 – Sept 30, 2024

Lac Ste. Anne County is seeking a motivated couple (or individual with committed personnel support) to join our team as contract caretakers for the 2024 season. The facility offers approximately 20 sites, plus an overflow area, as well as a busy day use area.

Caretaker(s) must provide their own holiday trailer and live on-site and be readily available for patron(s) to access for the duration of the camping season specified above. A water/power/sewer site (specified by Administration) will be provided.

Duties include but are not limited to: telephone monitoring (mobile phone provided), fee collection, bookkeeping, reservations, janitorial duties (cleaning supplies provided), grounds and site maintenance (grass cutting included – equipment provided), minor repairs, supervision and enforcement of rules, and checking patrons in/out.

Caretaker(s) will be required to have a valid driver's license, a current first aid/CPR certificate, and a vehicle suitable for hauling garbage and doing grounds checks.

Caretaker(s), as well as any support personnel sub-contracted by the Caretaker(s), must provide a clear criminal record check prior to commencement of the position. Caretaker(s) will also be required to attend safety orientation training.

For additional information please contact email Donna Kerr, Community Services Manager at dkerr@LSAC.ca.

To apply, please submit your resume (with references), clearly marked Attention: Donna Kerr, Community Services Manager, via:

- email to dkerr@LSAC.ca
- or fax to 1.780.785.2985
- or deliver in-person (or through the after-hours mail slot) at the County Administration Building.

We thank all applicants for their interest, but only those candidates short-listed will be contacted. This position will remain open until suitable candidates are found.

RURAL DUGOUTS More Than Just a Hole in the Ground

Dugouts are an important multi-purpose water source for rural residents. Join in on this two-part webinar series, participants will learn about best practices to improve both the quantity and quality of dugout water.

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This webinar is offered in partnership with Leduc County, Lac Ste. Anne County, Parkland County and the County of Wetaskiwin.

For more information or registration assistance, contact Kim at kimb@leduc-county.com or call 780.387.6182.

COUNTY SNOWPLOW FLAG PROGRAM

Available for the Winter Season

Each year the County helps property owners clear snow from their private driveways through its Snowplow Flag Program.

To access the Agreement please visit [LSAC.ca/snowplow](https://lsac.ca/snowplow), call the Public Works department or email publicworks@LSAC.ca.



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LAC STE. ANNE COUNTY: NOTICE OF DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPROVALS

The following Development Permits have been approved or conditionally approved under the provisions of the Land Use Bylaw. This list does not include Permitted Uses. Interested parties are encouraged to contact the Planning and Development department at **1.866.880.5722** or devassistant@LSAC.ca, Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm to request additional information on a permit.

PERMIT #	LEGAL LAND DESCRIPTION	DESCRIPTION	APPEAL BODY	APPEAL DEADLINE
23-D0281	Lot 19, Block 4, Plan 1123418 Bilby Common within SE 30-54-01 W5M 101, 54406 RGE RD 15	Shipping Container 20.0' x 8.0' (160.0 sq. ft.)	Lac Ste. Anne County – Subdivision & Development Appeal Board	Feb 5, 2024
23-D0285	Lot 1, Block 1, Plan 0422748 within SE 24-56-09 W5M 56310 RGE RD 90	Shop 48.0' x 36.0' (1728.0 sq. ft.) 16.0' walls, cement foundation	Lac Ste. Anne County – Subdivision & Development Appeal Board	Feb 5, 2024
23-D0284	Within SE 07-55-01 W5M 55102 RGE RD 15	Solar (PV) Array - 3.5m x 8.0m (28.0m ²)	Lac Ste. Anne County – Subdivision & Development Appeal Board	Feb 12, 2024

Anyone who claims to be affected and who wishes to lodge an appeal against any of the listed developments must do so in writing on the applicable form on or before 4:30 pm on the noted date(s) to:

Lac Ste. Anne County, Subdivision & Development Appeal Board, *Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, c/o Lac Ste. Anne County, Planning & Development, Box 219, Sangudo, Alberta T0E 2A0*

PLEASE NOTE: Lac Ste. Anne County requires that a non-refundable fee of \$250 be paid for every appeal served on the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board. The fee may be paid by Cheque, Visa, MasterCard, Interac or Cash

OR send to:

Land and Property Rights Tribunal, 2nd Floor, 1229 91 Street SW, Edmonton, AB T6X 1E9

email: lprrt.appeals@gov.ab.ca, Website: alberta.ca/subdivision-appeals.aspx#jumplinks-1

The required appeal form may be obtained by contacting the Land and Property Rights Tribunal or on the LPRT website. The Land and Property Rights Tribunal (formerly Municipal Government Board) hears subdivision and development appeals where there is a provincial interest. Otherwise, the appeals are heard by the local Subdivision and Development Appeal Board. The Tribunal hears appeals of development authority decisions where the land that is the subject of the application is: the subject of a license, permit, approval or other authorization granted by the Natural Resources Conservation Board, Energy Resources Conservation Board, Alberta Energy Regulator, Alberta Energy and Utilities Board or Alberta Utilities Commission; the subject of a license, permit, approval or other authorization granted by the Minister of Environment and Parks.

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To visit the County Hearings & Permit Decisions Page

For questions, please contact the Planning and Development department at 780.785.3411 or 1.866.880.5722 or email devassistant@LSAC.ca.



EQUIPMENT/CONTRACTOR REGISTRATION

Reminder: Closing January 31, 2024

In preparation for its upcoming winter graveling and construction season, the Public Works department is accepting registrations from equipment and gravel truck owners located within and having permanent residence within Lac Ste. Anne County boundaries. Registrants must have a business licence in good standing with LSAC.

Registration forms and policy requirements can be viewed at [LSAC.ca/roads](https://www.lacsteanne.ca/roads) or picked up at the County Administration Office during regular business hours or email PublicWorks@LSAC.ca to request a package. Registration forms will be accepted until 4:30 pm on Wednesday, January 31, 2024.

For further information, please contact the Public Works department at 780.785.3411 or 1.866.880.5722 or email publicworks@LSAC.ca.

THE BARE NECESSITIES

Submitted by MLA Shane Getson

It's been a while since I wrote a what matters to you article, heck, it was last year already! Ok, so there is my 50-year-old Dad humour coming out, but I'm really wanting to keep a positive tone for the first article of 2024. I hope that everyone had a good Christmas and took advantage of the warm weather for New Years.

I was absolutely heartbroken to hear of the accident that took the lives of a young family when they were out on the lake and broke through the ice near the narrows. I was encouraged by the heartfelt outpouring of grief for the friends and family of the folks that lost their lives in this tragic accident. I am also grateful for the folks who are working on putting some warning measures in place to do what they can to warn others of the dangers. I will be following up with the other local leaders to see what we can do as well, to mitigate the risk and do all that we can to keep folks safe.

I did manage to take a few days with my family the first week of January for a road trip Clark Griswold would have been proud of. Knowing how precious time can be with one's family given the circumstances noted earlier, made it a personal priority for me. Make the time.

My wife and I pressed the old suburban back into service, poured all 6 of us into it with snacks, water, and an ever-changing song selection based on my children's age and their musical general interests driving south to the border. We headed for the black hills, to check out some of the interesting landmarks, and to see some of "The Old West". My staff was amazing and managed all the things back home, while I literally parked my phone for 5 days, it

was great. We got to gel again, with everyone's lives heading all directions with their work and school schedules we were quite honestly heading in all opposite directions for most of the hours of the day for the past year.

The time driving not only allowed me to catch up with my family but gave me some time to think. Being down south in the small western towns, also gave me time to get an understanding how folks were feeling in the land of the free. Honestly, they are quite happy down there. There are similar pressures, but folks are getting by, and doing fairly well. We ventured into a couple grocery stores along the trip to replenish supplies and stretch our legs, and my wife and kids all came up with items and were literally gob smacked on how cheap they were. Now to be clear, we never went to a big bulk store, or warehouse grocery store, these were small town, small franchise operations at every turn.

Makeup brushes, \$2.00 for an item that I was made aware costs \$30 to \$40 at home. Pork chops, \$0.20 per pound. Beef steaks \$6.00, apples, not a dollar per apple...way...way south of that for prices. \$50 difference in filling up the fuel tank of the "Burb", compared to Lethbridge. We ate out 3 times in restaurants, everyone ordered what they wanted, no restrictions, a family of 6...not a single restaurant tab exceeded \$130.00. The impacts of the carbon tax, and inflationary pressures could not have been clearer when seeing how my family was reacting and noticing the substantive difference. Carbon tax and brutal fiscal policy driving inflation has a massive impact!

The trip made me realize how many things have changed in my own country over the last 10 years, and heading across the western states made me

feel like I had not just been driving down the highway in an old vehicle, but literally back in time to how things used to be here. I can say for sure that in Alberta and Saskatchewan, we are doing what we can to hold onto the things that matter most, and to make sure that folks that call our provinces home will continue to be in the best parts of the country, but boy, it was one heck of a sickening feeling realizing how far things have slipped, from what we used to have.

I spoke to a number of seniors recently about what I had been working on, and what the plan was for the new year, goals and objectives locally, and what I wanted to work on provincially. I was uplifted again by the conversation, the candor, and the words of encouragement. I was very straight forward on what the issues were with our electrical supply, the overall affordability, and warned of the issues if we were to keep on the same trajectory. The energy file, how we needed to promote the good things that we do here, and to continue to grow that sector. The economic corridors, and how they will have a positive impact not only locally, but for Western Canada. What the APP could mean for Albertans, and where we are at in the process, how the feds are now crunching their numbers. I will continue to debunk the boogeyman, and I need their help to keep me in the loop when challenges arise, so I can help out.

Then the cold snap hit, we for the first time in our history as a province needed to put out an emergency alert for folks to reduce power loads so that we didn't face blackouts. The energy superpower of the country didn't have enough power for its own citizens when they needed it the most.

This wake-up call, the years of policy driven by an ideology rather than practicality had finally come to roost. I like many were fuming, as we did our part, sitting in the dark, so that the bare necessities were available, and we didn't have any black outs or brown outs in other parts of the province. As I sat there fuming knowing full well that it was politics that changed the policy, not engineering, it crystalized my approach going forward on a number of the areas that must be changed in rapid succession within province.

I won't be sugar coating much this year, we have already compromised and apologized too much for who we are, what we have, how we make things work in our province, and how we have found ourselves in this spot. We will be getting back to making sure the needs are covered, safe, reliable, and affordable. I am about tired of drama teachers and environmental protesters setting the course when it comes to acceptable energy by their standards.

This weekend showed full well that Mother Nature does not give 2 shakes about feelings, and that it's up to us to be resilient, and adaptable to whatever may come our way. I along with my colleagues will be throwing our shoulders full on into making the changes required, and won't be apologizing for doing what is right, and what is needed. This weekend should be remembered as a warning shot, and we have a chance to make it right. For the fairy tale and pixie dust crowd who want to keep pushing down this greener than though path with disregard for the risks, you may want to find a pile of hurt feeling reports to start filling out.

Happy New Year!

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St. John's Lutheran Church Alberta Beach Sunday Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday School	Zion United Church Sunday Service 10:00 a.m. Sunday School <i>Serving Alberta Beach, Wabamun, Dariusell & Lake Isle, Onoway & Area</i> (780) 924-3351			Cherhill Community Church Sunday School 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Worship Service Sunday 11:00 a.m.	St. Michael Lutheran Church Sunday Services 1 st & 3 rd Sunday at 2:00 p.m. Pastor Rick Chappell (780) 282-0183 Mystery Lake
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COMMUNITY EVENTS

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) 962-9228. Please note that all submitted event listings must be limited to 25 characters or less (including spaces). DEADLINE: 12 noon Friday prior to publication (Thursdays on long weekends).

Annual Valentine Pancake Breakfast at Stanger Recreation Society
February 11, 2024
9:00 am - 11:00 am
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FARMERS MARKETS

ALBERTA BEACH: Sundays, 11:30 - 3pm. Contact Hali 780-666-1604 *May - September

BARRHEAD: Saturdays, 10AM-1PM at Barrhead Agrena. Sherry 780-674-6802 *May - Dec.

EVANSBURG FARMERS MARKET: Every Saturday 10am - 2pm located right beside Evansburg Tipple Museum 780-505-0905

May-Sept
ONOWAY: Thursdays, 5-8pm at Onoway Community Hall. 780-667-6327 or onowayfarmersmarket@gmail.com. *Starts May 1st.

SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 10:00-1:00PM, Info (780)288-6174 *April - Dec.

STONY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-1PM, Community Centre Downtown, Stony Plain. Nancy 780-962-3993. *April - Dec.
WHITECOURT: Tuesdays 11AM-2PM, Whitecourt Legion Hall, 779-7002. *May - Oct.

BINGO

RICH VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL BINGO: on January 3, 17 & 31 at 7:30PM

STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN CENTRE, public bingo every Tues, 7PM. All ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-6685
WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE, Every Tuesday. Open @ 5PM, 1st call @ 6:45PM, Nevada's, Concession. 780-778-4950 *Sept - June

MEAT DRAWS

ALBERTA BEACH: Lac Ste Anne Community Choir & Museum Meat Draw/Prizes - Every Sundays, 3:00PM at Jungle's Bar & Grill.

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Fridays 6:00PM. Queen Of Hearts draw & 50/50.

C.A.N. COMMUNITIES OF ALBERTA NETWORKING FOR SENIORS, Spruce Grove At Pioneer Center. first market March 25 - 5:30pm

DARWELL MARKET & MEAT DRAW
4th Sat of the month. till 4:30 (year round) All is welcome Lisa @ 780-233-0700

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

STONY PLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR# 256: Saturdays @ 3:00PM.- 5:00 PM Meat Draw & 50/50.

MAYERTHORPE ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: June - Fridays from 4 - 8 pm Pub Night/Meat Draw & 50/50

WHITECOURT LEGION: Saturdays 3:00PM. Located downtown behind the CIBC.

MEALS ON WHEELS

ONOWAY: LSAC Div 1 & 2, East of Hwy 43. Hazel Bourke: 780.967.2338 or bnbhous@icloud.com

WEST END: Sangudo, Mayerthorpe & west end of LSAC. Jill: 780.785.2924 or Donna: 780.785.3118 or email: westendmow@outlook.com

JAMBOREES

CARVEL: 2nd Sunday of month. \$6 lunch served. Info 780-991-3001

SANGUDO: Sangudo Community Hall Jamborees are on hold until further notice 780-785-4105.

SPRUCE GROVE: at Sandhills Community Hall, 3rd Sunday, 1-5PM. Info Florence 780-962-3104. Margaret 780-962-3051 *September - June.

Edmonton Northwest Senior's Center: 12963 - 120st NW, Every Wed From 1-3:30pm Aug & Sept Admin: \$5 non members \$2 members Yearly

membership \$30

STONY PLAIN: Stony Plain Seniors Drop In Center, 5018 - 51 Ave. Every 1st & 3rd Thurs of month, 6:30PM, \$2.

WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE: 2nd Sunday of the month 1-5PM, \$5/Adm Door prizes & 50/50 draw. 780-778-4950 *Nov - June

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

SANGUDO: Tues 5pm at Golden Club Church. Toni (780)786-4612

STONY PLAIN: Thurs evening at 5:30PM, Stony Plain Library. Susan (780) 968-0869

SPRUCE GROVE: Mon at 4:30pm at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Betty (780)962-3857

SPRUCE GROVE: Tues at 6:15pm at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Sharron (780)962-2722

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WILDWOOD: Thurs at 10am at Wildwood Hall, Bea (780)727-2129

YOUR COMMUNITY

MAYERTHORPE LEGION BR. #126: Seniors' Floor Curling - Thurs @ 1PM. Fun Darts - Thurs @ 7PM. Wings Night - Every Wed 5-8PM. Steak & Fish Night - 1st Friday of month 5-8PM. Everyone welcome. For more info please call 780-786-2470.

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION: Open Tuesdays 7PM to 10PM for "Games" (pool, shuffleboard, darts, cards, etc.) Fridays 3PM-10PM. Friday's Family Friendly Dinner, 5:30PM (open to the public).

PROBLEMS WITH DRUG OR ALCOHOL ADDICTION in a loved one? Contact Drug Rehab Resource free confidential consultation. 1-866-649-1594 or www.drugrehabresource.net.

SPRUCE GROVE ELEVATOR TOURS, Tues-Sat, 9:00-3:00PM. Info 960-4600

UNITED CHURCH THRIFT SHOP: North end Curling Rink, Onoway. Open Fri & Sat, 10AM-2PM.

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WATER SAMPLE DROP OFF: Tues Onoway Aspen Health Services. Drop off 1:00-2:30PM.

SOCIAL EVENTS

ALBERTA BEACH & DISTRICT ACTIVE 50+ CLUB ACTIVITIES: Mon 7PM Darts; Tues 7:30PM Crib; Wed 1PM Bridge, Thurs 7:30PM Euchre; Mon, Wed, Fri 8:30AM Aerobics/Fitness. Everyone Welcome.

BADMINTON: Wed, 7-10PM, Barrhead High School Gym. Jamie (780)674-8974 or (780)674-6974.

COME PLAY CRIB: Fridays, 7:00PM at Darwell Seniors Hall; lite lunch is served. All ages!

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.

Darwell Public Skating 7-days weel 8am - 8pm. more details on Darwellag.com or Facebook

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

"ME, YOU, & EVERYBODY" Fun new local program for people of all ages with disabilities. Thursdays @ Alberta Beach Agplex from 10:00-11:00AM starting May. Funded Lac Ste Anne FCSS.

ONOWAY & DISTRICT HISTORICAL GUILD: Every Wed, 9-4pm at Onoway Golden Club Onoway Museum. 967-4485

ONOWAY GOLDEN CLUB: Cards Tuesdays, 1PM. 5023 49 Ave. 780-967-3436.

ONOWAY HAVE FUN & GET FIT! Exercise Class with Video La Blast. Fridays 10:30AM at the Drop in Centre,

5023-49 Ave. PH: 780-967-2056.

PANCAKE/BREAKFAST SOCIAL: 3rd Sunday 9:00-11:30AM, Parkland Village Community Centre. *except June, July, August

RIVER TALKERS TOAST MASTERS CLUB, Thursdays, 7-9PM. 32 Whitecourt Ave. Hilltop Community Church. Info Loraine 286-5040.

SANGUDO ART CLUB meets every Thursday morning at 9AM at the Sangudo Community School. New members welcome. For further information call Brenda at 780-785-2402.

SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN & INSPIRATIONAL CINEMA & DISCUSSIONS at PERC Building (5413-51 St). 2nd Friday of month at 7PM. Popcorn provided, donations appreciated. Contact 780-940-3032

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THE ALBERTA WILDLIFE WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE DROP IN CRIB 1st & 3rd Sundays 1:00PM. 780-778-4950

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

MEETINGS

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

2716 ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY CADETS, Wednesdays 6:30-9:00PM at Mayerthorpe Legion. Youths 12-18yrs, Call 780-515-1842

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

3053 (LAC STE ANNE) ROYAL CANADIAN ARMY CADET CORPS, Onoway Historical Centre, Wed. 6:45PM. Onoway Heritage Centre contact 3053army@cadets.gc.ca

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.

AA - MAYERTHORPE, Community Service Bldg 4909-49Ave, Thurs 8PM. (780) 648-3903 or (780) 779-0155

AA - SANGUDO GOLDEN CLUB, Tues 8PM call 786-4402/785-9214/785-3599

AA - WHITECOURT, united church side door, Mon, Wed, Fri 8pm call 780-424-5900

AA - WOMEN'S GROUP (NEW), Whitecourt United Church - use side door at 5201-50St. Call (780)424-5900

AL-ANON Wednesdays, 8PM. Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Dr. 780-962-5205

Hope and Help for Family and Friends, New Al-Anon meeting in Spruce Grove Wed @ 11am. 1A Fieldstone Dr Church Library

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 Agplex.

ALBERTA BEACH AG SOCIETY meets on the 4th Thurs of month, 7:00PM, Alberta Beach Agplex.

ALBERTA BEACH MUSEUM meets on the 2nd Wed, 7:00PM at Heritage House 924-3167.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: The Journey of Hope Group, Mondays 8PM, Golden Club 5023-49Ave

BARRHEAD & AREA CANCER SUPPORT GROUP: 4th Thurs. 6:30-8:00PM at Barrhead United Church.

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, 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.

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DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY MEETINGS, 7:00PM, 1st Monday, Darwell DDRA MEETING, 7:00PM, 2nd Mon, Darwell Centennial Hall 780-892-3099. *except Jul/Aug/Dec

GriefShare: Experience the many benefits of a grief support group. Previous participants share, "the discussion time was encouraging and supportive," and "this gives me a sense of hope; that I am not going through this alone". GriefShare is held Tuesdays 6:30pm - 8:30 pm, starting Sept 19 at Crossroads Community Church, 4419 44 Ave, Mayerthorpe. \$35 for 12 sessions. Pre-register by calling 780-786-2695.

Girl Guides Embers, Guides and Pathfinders Saturdays 2-4pm Onoway Heritage Center On-line Registration www.girlguides.ca

GREENCOURT COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION meet 2nd Tuesday, monthly at 7:30PM at the hall. Info VV. Jager (780) 786-6468.

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, 6:30-8:30PM at Onoway Museum (780) 967-0443

LAC STE ANNE COMMUNITY CHOIR, Wednesdays 7PM at the Heritage Centre in Alberta Beach (50+ Club behind the hotel). Further info, call Sandra @ 780-966-5678

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

LAKE ISLE HALL COMMUNITY HALL BOARD MEETINGS: 3rd Wed of each month @ 7:30PM at the Lake Isle Hall (Hwy 633 and RR55) Ph # 780-892-3121

MAYERTHORPE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY ASSOC, every 4th Mon, 5PM in Hospital Basement Education Room.

MAYERTHORPE LEGION BR. #126: Meetings 2nd Mon of month at 7:30PM. For more info please call 780-786-2470.

MEN FOR SOBRIETY: Wednesdays at 7:30PM, FCSS Building (#105, 505 Queen Street, Spruce Grove). Mike (780) 965-9991.

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, 7:00PM, Onoway Legion

ONOWAY & DISTRICT QUILT GUILD: Every 2nd Thurs, 10AM-4PM, @ the Lac Ste. Anne Chateau Activity Room. Info, Ph Lyla @ 780-967-2629.

ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION General Meetings, 1st Mon, 7PM. *Sept-June

RICH VALLEY AG SOCIETY BOARD MEETINGS: at the Agplex on the 2nd Wed of the month, 7:00PM.

RIVER TALKERS TOASTMASTERS CLUB Build confidence, speaking, leadership & listening skills. Thursdays 7-9PM at Eagle River Casino. Call Melinda Tarcan, (780)778-1180.

SANGUDO PAINTING GROUP: Every Thurs, 9AM-12PM at Sangudo Community School. Info, call 780-785-2112.

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

WESTLOCK & AREA CANCER SUPPORT GROUP: 3rd Wed. 6:30-8:00PM at Westlock Library.

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