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February 7, 2024

# LSARA GOES TO COUNCIL

Submitted by LSARA

#### Good morning

LSARA (Lac Ste Anne and Communities Ratepayers Association) on behalf of our membership and concerned Ratepayers of Lac Ste Anne County, has put together questions that we feel are of the utmost importance and will be presenting them to Council and Administration on the 8th of February at 11 am, For those that are unable to attend, we have attached the zoom meeting link. The questions are as follows

All of these questions were provided to the Administration on the 31st of January, 2024.

1. When will council release a final total of the true costs to date on this building? These costs would include but not be limited to:

a. Construction Management

b. Total engineering costs from inception of design to completion of construction c. Monitoring costs as the building began to have structural issues

d. Any and all repairs facilitated to the building, foundation or the land

e. Any and all consulting contracts prior/during, and post construction

f. All true legal fees and total administrative costs assigned to the project

2. September of 2015, council passed a motion to utilize \$9,090,200 from MSI and future grant funds for the years 2014 to 2019.

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## 2023 LIVESTOCK DROUGHT RECOVERY SUPPORT

Submitted by Lac Ste. Anne County

Expanded to include Lac Ste. Anne County.

The 2023 Canada-Alberta Drought Livestock Assistance initiative announced expanded eligibility to 23 new regions and has extended the application deadline. Helping Lac Ste. Anne County producers maintain their breeding herds.

The program compensates Alberta's livestock producers for the extraordinary costs incurred due to changing management practices from drought and extreme high temperatures in 2023. Agriculture Financial Services Corporation administers the initiative.

Eligible producers who al-

tered their grazing practices for more than 21 days can receive up to \$150 per head for losses incurred to manage and maintain female breeding animals.

Application deadline is February 22, 2024.

For more information, eligibility requirements and to apply, please visit AFSC. ca or call your local branch.

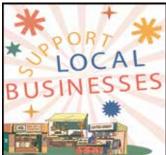




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a. What was the total amount of the Grant funds that were used?

b. What programs/ projects /infrastructure were dropped to facilitate the movement of these grant funds or is this the reason for the increases to property taxes?

3. A short-term borrowing bylaw was passed in 2015 in the amount of \$5,112,800 for purpose of interim financing pending MSI grant funds for construction.

a. Has the short term borrow been repaid?

b. Was the administration building completely paid for prior to the settlement being accepted?

4. What is the actual short fall between the true and final cost of the Building and the Settlement? The actual must be the difference between the final true costs minus the settlement. To be accurate, the shortfall must also include the administrative costs assigned to the project.

5. The existing building – is it the intent of this council to provide documentation to support any changes to the existing administration building?

6. If the information indicates the status of the administration building is now and/or perceived to be in the future as not repairable, will council choose to abandon the building?

a. If so, what is the timeline and what is the plan? b. If this juncture is reached, where is the proposed location of the administration of LSAC?

c. In the settlement,

was there consideration given to the possibility of having to rent space and continue to rent space to house administration?

7. As part of the compensation, were the true costs of the administration building considered?

a. What is the estimated cost, in today's dollars to replace the building?

b. Has there been any monies spent on a new proposal?

8. What are the next steps?

a. Will council include the Ratepayers of Lac Ste Anne County through public engagement, open houses, forums and by way of plebiscite on location, design and cost prior to making any decisions that have the ability to impact the Ratepayers of LSAC?



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# CommunityVOICE Page 3 BUILDING UP AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's government is helping agricultural societies make major facility repairs and upgrades that will improve the quality of life for rural communities.

Agricultural societies play a significant role in the social life of Alberta towns, villages and rural communities. Throughout the year, they can be counted on to host community events from farmers markets and craft fairs to children's programs and summer rodeos.

The 2023 Agricultural Societies Infrastructure Revitalization Program is granting \$2.5 million to 34 ag societies to update existing facilities like community halls, arenas and rodeo grounds. Modern buildings and amenities encourage community involvement and growth.

"Agricultural societies play a key role in improving rural communities and well-maintained facilities support their continued success. With these funds, ag societies across Alberta will be able to expand programs and keep their spaces safe, modern and accessible. These facilities play an essential role in rural communities, offering residents and visitors opportunities to gather, build connections and engage with their neighbours."

RJ Sigurdson, Minister of Agriculture and Irrigation

Each year, Alberta's government supports the work of agricultural societies through the Agricultural Societies Infrastructure Revitalization Program. Individual projects may receive funding between \$10,000 and \$100,000.

The most common types of facilities applied for under the program were arenas, curling rinks, community halls and grandstands. Some of the approved projects the funding will support include roof repairs, kitchen and bathroom renovations, window and door upgrades, and increasing accessibility.

"We're pleased to see a strong uptake of this new capital grant by ag societies across Alberta. These facilities are gathering spaces for a range of activities, including farmers markets, rural fairs, team sports and rodeos. The facility upgrades that are now possible with this funding will immensely benefit rural communities." Tim Carson, CEO, Alberta Association of Agricultural Societies

"On behalf of the Madden Ag society, I would like to thank the provincial government along with the Alberta Association of Agricultural Societies for their financial support to help maintain and enhance our wonderful community centre. This funding makes it possible to both replace the flooring in our commercial kitchen as well as upgrade our curling rink with newer energy-saving liners to help reduce operating costs and improve the overall quality of the ice."

Dustin Helm, president, Madden & District Agricultural Society

Alberta's government will continue to support agricultural societies through the Agricultural Societies Infrastructure Revitalization Program in 2024, with the intake opening later this year.



## Village of Alberta Beach

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR BYLAW 295-24

AMENDMENTS TO ALBERTA BEACH LAND USE BYLAW 252-17

### "ADDRESSING THE AFFORDABILITY OF NEW CONSTRUCTION"

Alberta Beach is proposing amendments to Land Use Bylaw 252-17 to address affordability of new residential construction – including:

Reducing minimum area of residential development to 800 FT2 (74.32 M2)

- Current minimum area of residential development is 1000 FT2 (92.9 M2)
   Reducing minimum length to width ratio of residential development to 3:1
- Current minimum length to width ratio of residential development is 2:1
   Restricting maximum age of relocated buildings to the Village to 20 years old

Currently there is no age restriction on buildings relocated into the Village

The proposed amendment (Bylaw 295-24) to Land Use Bylaw 252-17 may be viewed or downloaded through the Village's website at <u>www.albertabeach.com</u>

A Public Hearing as required under Part 17 of the Municipal Government Act (Sections 632, 639 and 692), will be held Tuesday, February 20, 2024 to hear any written or oral submissions on the proposed Land Use Bylaw amendment. Written submissions will be heard first; oral submissions will be heard during the Hearing.

Place: Alberta Beach Council Chambers 4935-50<sup>th</sup> Avenue Alberta Beach, Alberta T0E 0A0

| Date: | Tuesday, February 20th, 2024 |
|-------|------------------------------|
| Time: | 7:00 p.m.                    |

If you have any comments regarding the proposed Land Use Bylaw amendments, please submit them to the Village of Alberta Beach during office hours, Tuesday to Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. or contact the Village's Development Officer Paul Hanlan RPP MCIP CMML, at (780) 994-1883 development@albertabeach.com

## Page 4 Community VOICE February 7, 2024 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FOR ADULT LEARNING IN LAC STE. ANNE COUNTY

Submitted by Odette Lloyd, NorQuest College

NorQuest College is conducting community-based research in Lac Ste. Anne County to identify adult learning needs. This research will help us provide meaningful, local and accessible adult learning opportunities to residents of the County.

In partnership with other adult learning organizations based out of Evansburg and Stony Plain, we hope to identify:

• Language and literacy training needs for adults in the region

• Skills development gaps and priorities among employers and other organizations

• Trends or changes in adult learner needs

• Supports we can provide to adult learners, organizations, and employers in the County

Data for this research will be collected through a short online survey as well as in-person focus groups at the Alberta Beach Public Library on January 25th. Two focus groups will be conducted: one for local employers, and one for community members and the agencies supporting them.

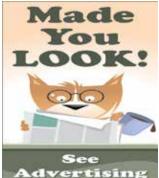
Residents from the area who complete the online survey can enter a draw to win a brand new iPad. Those who attend one of our in-person focus groups will receive a \$10.00 gift card.

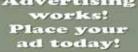
For individuals who have limited access to internet, or who may have difficulties with online forms, they can phone the NorQuest Community Adult Learning Centre in Whitecourt at 780-778-3691, and we will conduct the survey over the phone.

This community-based research has been approved by the University of Alberta's Research Ethics Board, which has no direct involvement in this study (University of Alberta Ethics ID: Pro00134316)

The Principal Investigator for this research is Alana Johnson: alana. johnson@norquest.ca

Please contact Odette Lloyd, CALP Team Lead, for further information or enquiries.







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## February 7, 2024 **GRANTS GIVE ALBERTA NON-PROFITS A SCORING CHANCE**

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's government is supporting 271 non-profit organizations to upgrade, expand, renovate and build new community spaces.

Through the Community Facility Enhancement Program (CFEP), Alberta's government provides funding for community groups to invest in facilities that support art, culture, heritage, sport and recreation. This in turn ensures that Albertans can access the programs and services they are looking for close to home. For every CFEP grant dollar invested in a community, up to \$3 is raised in the community. In the 2023-24 fiscal year, Alberta's government is investing more than \$42 million in communities through CFEP.

The Sturgeon Hockey Club is one of the many community organizations receiving support in 2023-2024. Each year, the Sturgeon Hockey Club serves Legal and area citizens, providing them with the opportunity to play the good old hockey game that so many Albertans love.

Alberta's government is proud to provide the assist to the Sturgeon Hockey Club and looks

forward to seeing what work and services the staff and volunteers at the hockey club will be able to create with this investment. A \$1 million grant from CFEP will go to improving the Legal Arena, a focal project for local youth and sports.

"The Sturgeon Hockey Club is very excited for the planned improvements that are slated for the Legal Arena. The Legal Arena is critical to the success and longevity of the Sturgeon Hockey Club, and these improvements will make a huge impact for not only the children and families of the Sturgeon Hockey Club but for the entire region. We can't thank the Alberta government enough for awarding the hockey club this grant."

Gene Connors, president, Sturgeon Hockey Club

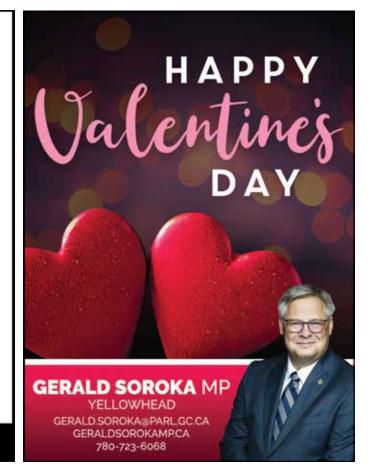
CFEP funds a variety of facility enhancement projects across the province, including 41 projects that support the construction or redevelopment of public playgrounds. Additionally, funding from this year's program will support new or expanded facilities for organizations like the Crowsnest Historical Society, Friends Society of the Sir Alexander Galt Museum and Archives,

the Bower Place Community Association and the Village of Nampa Library Board. These organizations, and many more. provide meaningful programming for Albertans of all ages and backgrounds.

"Investing in community recreation infrastructure binds communities together, builds community spirit and provides new opportunities for residents and our youth to get active in sports. These rehabilitation projects across the province create economic growth by helping spur the desire for Albertans to visit new areas of the province, whether it's for a hockey tournament or a weekend getaway."

Joseph Schow, Minister of Sport and Tourism





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## PARKLAND RCMP ARREST PAIR ON OUTSTANDING WARRANTS IN A STOLEN VEHICLE

Submitted by Parkland RCMP

On Jan. 26, 2024, Officers with the Parkland RCMP and the Crime Reduction Unit were conducting patrols in Gunn, Alta., targeting property crime and repeat offenders. Officers located two individuals sleeping inside a stolen ford pickup truck with no licence plate attached. This vehicle was reported as stolen out of Lac St. Anne County in November 2023. Officers arrested the two occupants. Both suspects are known to police.

Gunn resident, 43-yearold Kevin Daniel Stolth





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was arrested on five outstanding warrants out of Whitecourt, Fort Saskatchewan and Stony Plain. He has been additionally charged with:

• Possession of Property Obtained by Crime over \$5000

• Failing to comply with conditions of a release order.

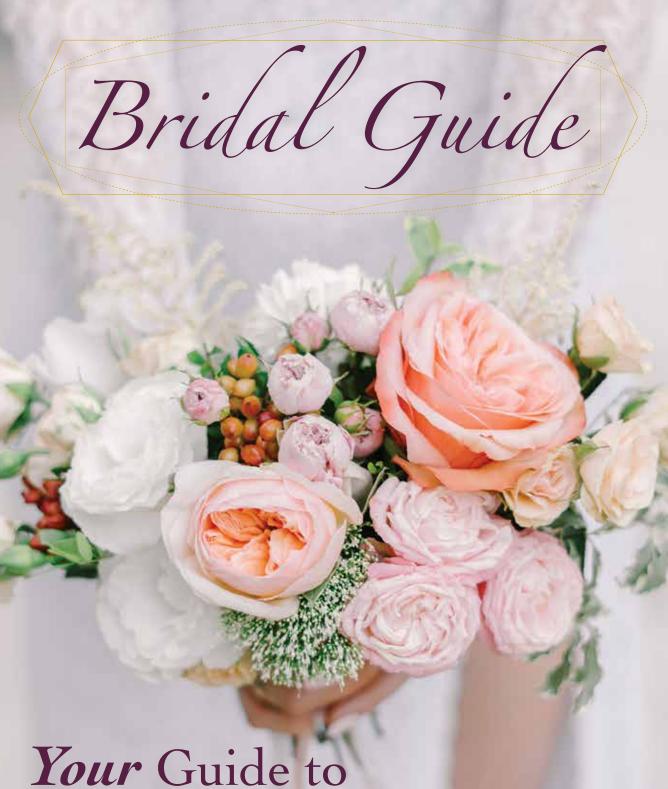
Stolth has been remanded into custody and is scheduled to appear in court on Feb. 5, 2024, at the Alberta Court of Justice in Stony Plain.

Tanya Nichol Westoby, 44-years-old of no fixed address was arrested on five outstanding warrants out of Stony Plain and Edmonton. She has additionally been charged with:

• Possession of Property Obtained by Crime over \$5000 and,

• Failing to comply with conditions of a release order and Breaching Probation.

Westoby has been released from custody and is scheduled to appear in court on Feb. 21, 2024, at the Alberta Court of Justice in Stony Plain Court.



# *Your* Guide to Planning Your Big Day

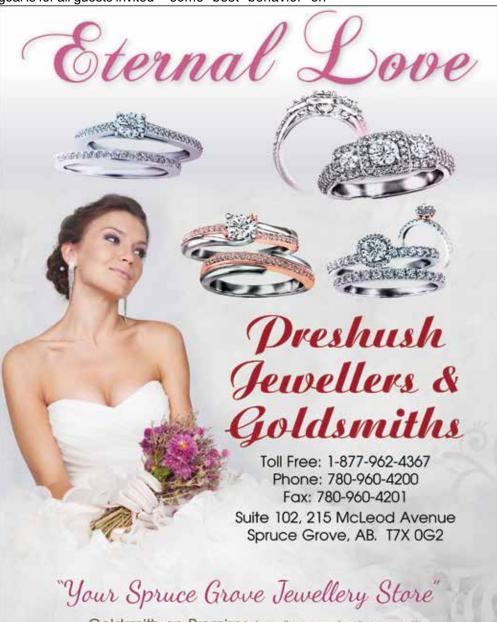
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# HOW TO AVOID WEDDING RECEPTION SEATING MISTAKES

Weddings are great opportunities for people to gather and celebrate the melding of two families into one. Weddings are a melting pot, and while the ultimate goal is for all guests invited to mingle and have a good time, preexisting relationships may cause some wedding-day interactions to be strained. However, with careful planning and some best behavior on the parts of all involved, getting hitched can go off without a hitch.

It's possible for guests who may have tumultuous pasts to keep the peace,



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Mistake #1: Not having a seating plan. Let guests sit where they want and chaos may ensue. People may think they're entitled to certain seats, may hop into seats vacated by someone getting up to use the restroom or any number of other scenarios. Seating arrangements also ensure everyone is accounted for across the room.

Mistake #2: Seating families separately. Unless there are rifts between certain family members, it's best to seat parents and children at the same tables.

Mistake #3: Trying to force new friendships. Avoid trying to figure out who will get along by creating a potpourri table. A cousin in a band will not necessarily want to sit next to your coworker who plays guitar simply because they have a shared love of music. A wedding is not the time to try to create new friendships. If it's meant to be, they'll connect in a more organic way.

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## How To Avoid Wedding Reception Seating Mistakes

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Mistake #4: The dreaded kids' table. Young children can probably get away with sitting at a dedicated kids' table, although it may mean their parents have to interrupt their experiences by checking on their kids throughout the night. A bigger faux pas is to sit teenagers or twentysomethings at the kids table even if they seem like youngsters to you. Set a strict cut-off age for a children's table.

in seating. It's one thing to direct couples or singletons to specific tables, quite another to assign specific seats. Do not dictate exactly where at the table a guest should sit. Some people arrive early, others late, and it is up to them to work out how to arrange themselves at the table.

Mistake #6: Failing to get family feedback. Always check with your parents and future in-laws as resources about how to seat certain guests. They'll likely know who will make the best table-mates, especially if couples are not familiar with everyone on the guest list.

Mistake #7: Not being aware of disabilities or needs. Be conscious of guests' needs. An elderly relative may not be comfortable in front of the DJ table. A person in a wheelchair may need easy access to and from the reception room. It's important to be mindful of these special needs.

A seating plan for wedding

receptions is an important consideration so that every guest can feel comfortable.



Mistake #5: Being too strict



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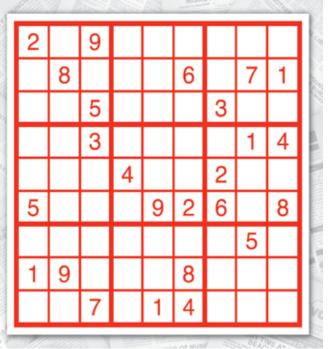


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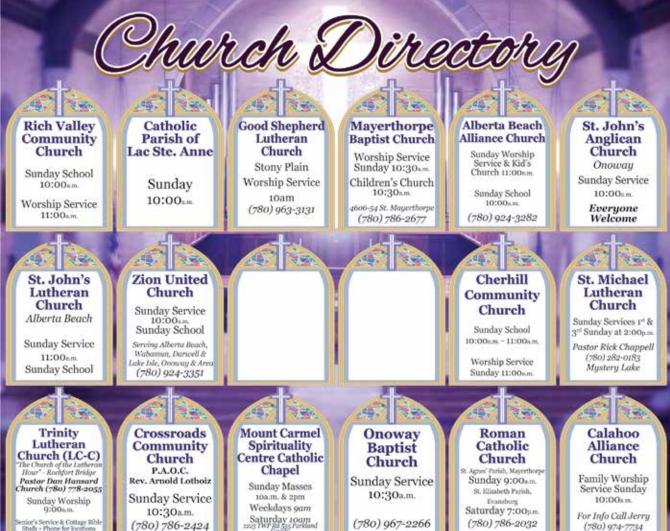
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#### JAMBOREES

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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

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(780)962-2722 SPRUCE CROVE: Wed at 8:45am at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road.

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HEE TUTORING FOR ADDLIS: Need help with reading, writing, math, English language [ESL] or basic digital skills? Free I-on-1 and small group tutoring! Odette Lloyd 780-220-6460. calp@norquest.ca WATER SAMPLE DROP OFF: Tues Onoway Aspen Health Services. Drop off 1:00-2:30PM.

#### SOCIAL EVENTS

ALBERTA BEACH & DISTRICT ACTIVE 50+ CLUB ACTIVITIES: Non 7pm Darts; Tues 7:30pm Crib; Wed Ipm Bridge. Thurs 7:30pm Euchre; Mon, Wed, Fri 8:30Am Aerobics/ Fitness. Everyone Welcome. BADMINTON: Wed, 7-10pm, Barnhead

High School Gym. Jamie (780)674-8974 or (780)674-6974

(780)674-6974. COME PLAY CRIB: Fridays, 7:00Рм at Darwell Seniors Hall; lite lunch is served.

All ages! **COUNTRY QUILTERS** in Stony Plain house a "Sew in Tuesday", 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month, from 10-3PM. Drop in \$5/member, <u>\$6/n</u>on-members. Contact Cindy 780-963-

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

JR. SCRAPBOOKING Wed 4-6PM. Preregister by Tues evg. Mayerthorpe Public Library www.mayerthorpelibrary.ab.ca (780)786-2404 "ME, YOU, & EVERYBODY" Fun new

local program for people of all ages with disabilities. Thursdays @ Alberta Beach Agliplex from 10:00-11:00AM starting May.

Sunded Lac Ste Anne FCSS. ONOWAY & DISTRICT HISTORICAL Guillb: Every Wed, 9-4pm at Onoway Golden Club Onoway Museum, 967-4485 **ONOWAY GOLDEN CLUB:** Cards Tuesdays.

ONOWAY HAVE FUN & GET FIT! Excercise 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 Lorainne SANGUDO ART CLUB meets every

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

provided, donations appreciated. Contact 780-940-3032 SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN CATHERING at PERC Building [5413-51 St). Every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of month. Meditation 10AM, inspirational sharing 10:30AM, PH 780-940-3032 THE ALBERTA WILDLIFE WHITECOURT SENIORS CIRCLE DROP IN CRIB Ist & 3rd Sundays 1:00PM, 780-778-4950 WRITERS PROGRAM: Mayerthorpe Library, 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday at 1PM.

#### MEETINGS

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

2/16 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 6:30рм, High School. Ages 12-18. 780-305-

755 PARKLAND AIR CADETS Thurs, 6:30-9.30PM Muir Lake School, ages 12-, 8. Info call 405-6585 or www.755aircadets.com. AA - MAYERTHORPE, Community Service

Bldg 4909-49Ave, Thurs 8рм. (780) 648-3903 or (780) 779-0155

3903 or (780) 779-0153 AA - SANGUDO COLDEN 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 CROUP (NEW), Whitecourt United Church - use side door 0 F 500 F054 Coturdon 11:00 COL //820/424 at 5201-50St. Saturday 11:00 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 Fireldstone Dr Church Librar

ALBERTA 55 PLUS: Villenvue Hall at 10AM. Meetings on 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues of month. Info: Donna 780-962-5933

ALBERTA BEACH & DIST LIONS CLUB meets every 4<sup>th</sup> Tues 7:00PM, Alberta Beach Agliplex.

ALBERTA BEACH AC SOCIETY meets on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs of month, 7:00рм, Alberta Beach Agliplex.

ALBERTA BEACH MUSEUM meets on the <sup>nd</sup> Wed, 7:00рм at Heritage House 924-3167

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: The Journey of Hope Group, Mondays 8PM, Golden Club

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

BARRHEAD ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, meeting every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs, 7PM at the Legion Hall

CHERHILL COMMUNITY ASSOC. Monthly CHERHILL COMMUNITY ASSOC. Monthly Meeting 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday, 8pm at the Hall. 785-2825 \*Except Jan, July, Aug, Sept. CHERHILL SILVER & COLD SENIORS CLUB Regular Meetings 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of month, Cherhill Seniors Hall. Call Rosamy

TOTS Wed & Fri, 10-12pm, Alberta Beach Agliplex, Info call 780-902-4879 or 780-999-7622. "Sept-June.

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

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Aug/bec GriefShare: Experience the many benefits of a grief support group. CriefShare is held Tuesdays 6:30pm -8:30 pm, starting February 20, 2024 at Crossroads Community Church, 4419 44 Ave, Mayerthorpe. \$35 includes 12 weekly sessions and your personal journal workbook. Pre-register by calling 780-786-2533.Cirl Guides Embers, Guides and Pathfinders Saturdays 2-4pm Onoway Pathfinders Saturdays 2-4pm Onoway Heritage Center On-line Registration www.girlguides.ca GREENCOURT COMMUNITY

ASSOCIATION meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday, monthly at 7:30PM at the hall. Info W. Jager (780) 786-4648.

/80-4648. KINETTE CLUB OF MAYERTHORPE, 7:30PM at Kinsmen Hall, l<sup>a</sup> 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 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: 3<sup>rd</sup> Fri, 7PM, Alberta Beach Council Chambers. LAKE ISLE HALL COMMUNITY HALL BOARD MEETINGS: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of each month @ 7:30PM at the Lake Isle Hall (Hwy 633 and RR55) Ph # 780-892-3121

MAYERTHORPE HOSPITAL AUXILIARY ASSOC, every 4<sup>th</sup> Mon, 5PM in Hospital Basement Education Room. MAYERTHORPE LECION BR. **#126**: Meetings 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon of month at 7:30PM. For more info please call 780-786-2470. MEN EOD SORDIETY. Winderdame at

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**ONOWAY & DISTRICT QUILT GUILD: Every** 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs, ЮАМ-4РМ, @ the Lac Ste. Anne Chateau Activity Room. Info, Ph Lyla @

-967-2629 ONOWAY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION General Meetings, 1st Mon, 7PM. \*Sept-

June RICH VALLEY AG SOCIETY BOARD MEETINGS: at the Agriplex on the 2<sup>nd</sup> 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. (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 acc cscs

WESTLOCK & AREA CANCER SUPPORT GROUP: 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. 6:30-8:00PM at Westlock

COMMUINTY CENTER, Ist & 3rd Thursday of Month @ 7pm \$5 AdmissionAnnual Valentine Pancake Breakfast at Stanger

Mon. Feb. 19. Family Day Winter Fun. George Pegg Garden. Drop in 11:00-3:00. Free admission. Bonfire & hot dogs. Snow painting, snowshoeing, scavenger hunt. Near Glenevis. PeggGarden.org for details.

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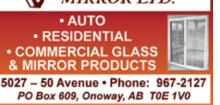


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