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EVANSBURG ELECTS NEW GROUCH

Submitted by Tipple Park Museum

The results of the 2024 **Evansburg Grouch election** are in! Kathleen Greenwood is the winner of this year's competition for grouchiest citizen, beating out competitor Hayden Jones. The results were announced on Saturday, July 13th at the Pembina Valley Daze Pancake Breakfast. While accepting her new title, Kathleen shared a poem she had written about Evansburg, the Grouch, and the meaning of this unique tradition to the community.

The Grouch Committee would like to thank both candidates for participating in this year's race. We would also like to thank everyone who voted, as well as all the

businesses that hosted the voting boxes. Funds raised from the votes will be used for Grouch-related purposes, such as costume upkeep and events.

If you would like to invite the Grouch to your community event, please contact the Tipple Park Museum and we will help vou make arrangements.





PARKLAND RCMP SEEKING ASSISTANCE WITH IDENTIFYING BANK ROBBERY SUSPECT

Submitted by Parkland **RCMP**

On July 17, 2024, at approximately 11:34 Parkland RCMP responded to a robbery at the CIBC bank, located at 100 Mc-Leod Ave in Spruce Grove. The male suspect entered the bank advising that he had a weapon, however, no weapon was produced. The suspect left with an undisclosed amount of cash. Parkland RCMP are requesting assistance from the public with identifying this robbery suspect. Police

advise do not to approach pink tongue design the suspect.

The male suspect is described as:

- Fair complexion
- Approximately fet 6 inches tall
- Approximately 24-years-old
- Short hair
- Wearing a dark colored ballcap, black long sleeve shirt, grey and white striped loose pants and dark colored shoes
- Carrying a dark colored back pack
- He had on a cloth, purple medical mask with a









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TRUDEAU GOVERNMENT'S DISHONEST NATO & MILITARY SPENDING PLANS

Submitted by MP Gerald Soroka

Justin Trudeau was the laughingstock at the 2024 NATO Summit for promoting his weak defence policies on the world stage. While announcing an official statement to an empty room in Washington, D.C., Trudeau said that Canada will reach the minimum 2-percent NATO defence spending target by 2032 presently at 1.37 percent.

This will certainly be another failed promise as he has not presented any plan to reach that objective. If the Trudeau Liberals were serious about this commitment, they would have disclosed new investments and funding plans in their

'Defence Policy Update' three months ago.

The real issue behind the lack of defence spending is that the Trudeau Liberals do not care about our military. Since Trudeau rose to power, our Canadian Armed Forces have been underfunded and ignored by this government. Recruitment is falling behind with the military being almost 16,000 members short, procurement of proper resources is absent, and our serving troops are neglected at home and abroad. The Liberal government recently cut \$1 billion in the defence budget for operational funding after eight years of providing \$10 billion dollars with no progress to show for our military.

Like millions of Canadians, our service members are also struggling in this affordability crisis caused by this Liberal government. They have been sent overseas and forced to pay for their own meals and buy their own equipment. Our forces are short over 6,700 housing units, and military families are using food banks to get by. Even some serving members are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless.

The Trudeau government is recklessly spending on every matter except for properly funding our military. Due to his lack of leadership, the Canadian Armed Forces' worldwide reputation has

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Trudeau Government's Dishonest NATO & Military Spending Plans

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decayed just like the outdated equipment that our troops still use to serve our country at home and abroad. Only a Common-Sense Conservative government will restore our military to its former glory and effectively support our troops in their fundamental responsibilities. Conservatives will make real efforts to meet our NATO spending requirements and reinvest in our defence sector.

We honour our Canadian

Armed Forces and will ensure our military have the equipment and resources they need to perform their duties here and overseas.

MILLIONS OF REASONS TO SEARCH LOST-MONEY DATABASE

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Alberta's government is seeking the rightful owners of a combined \$154 million in unclaimed money and property.

Alberta's unclaimed property registry holds money that is lost, abandoned or forgotten. The registry currently contains millions in cash, cheques, money or-

ders and other unclaimed items belonging to people who may be entitled to an unexpected payout.

Alberta's unclaimed property registry returned \$1.4 million to 650 people in 2023 alone. Almost 350,000 individual items remain unclaimed in the registry, including one valued at more than \$850,000. If claimed, it will be the largest single balance the province has ever

paid out, surpassing the current record of \$368,124, which was returned to its rightful owner in 2019.

"Who doesn't like free money? Alberta's unclaimed property registry is free and easy to check, and a quick search of the registry could help reunite someone with money that they may not even know they were entitled to."

Nate Horner, President of

Treasury Board and Minister of Finance

Since its inception in 2008, Alberta's unclaimed property registry has returned \$13.8 million to more than 8,500 owners. Sources of the unclaimed funds include unclaimed deposits, uncashed wages, loan overpayments and unclaimed funds from inactive investment accounts.

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Millions Of Reasons To Search Lost-Money Database

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Alberta's unclaimed property program is governed and managed by the province through the Unclaimed Personal Property and Vested Property Act. The act provides 10 years for owners to stake and reclaim their lost money, after which the money is transferred to the government's general revenue fund to

help pay for programs and services for Albertans.

Individuals can search Alberta's unclaimed property registry on the MissingMoney website, a portal used by Alberta and other North American jurisdictions that allows searches across multiple jurisdictions.

MORE BOOTS ON THE GROUND TO FIGHT RURAL CRIME

Submitted by Government of Alberta

New surveillance teams led by the Alberta Sheriffs are now on the ground and working alongside local police to make rural communities in Alberta safer.

Rural crime continues to be a top concern among residents and businesses in rural Alberta, which is why Alberta's government remains committed to addressing it through enhanced surveillance and other crime reduction initiatives. Alberta's government invested \$4.3 million for the Alberta Sheriffs to put more boots on the ground. This investment supported the establishment of two plainclothes teams - one in northern Alberta and one in southern Alberta – to support police in carrying out surveillance on criminal targets in rural

Both teams are now fully staffed and operational, ready to fight crime in rural areas across Alberta. These rural surveillance teams will work to prevent crime, monitor agricultural theft and work in collaboration with local law enforcement to share intelligence and resources to keep Albertans and their property safe and secure.

"Criminals and organized crime are not welcome in

Alberta. Full stop. The addition of two new surveillance teams will further support our law enforcement partners in stamping out criminal activity in Alberta's rural areas. This is about supporting local investigations to address local crime in our smaller communities. Together, both teams will form another key component of Alberta's efforts to combat crime and ensure Albertans feel safe at home and in their communities, regardless of where they live."

Mike Ellis, Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Services

The Alberta Sheriffs have an existing surveillance unit that is part of the Alberta Law Enforcement Response Teams (ALERT) and focused mainly on serious and organized crime investigations. The new surveillance teams will fill a gap by helping rural RCMP detachments with local investigations.

"Through their specialized knowledge, training and experience, Alberta's new surveillance teams are providing another important mechanism in the fight against crime in Alberta's rural communities. Working in close collaboration with the RCMP and other policing agencies, their ef-

forts will play a key role in gathering evidence and information that will help disrupt crime throughout the province."

Mike Letourneau, superintendent, Alberta Sheriffs

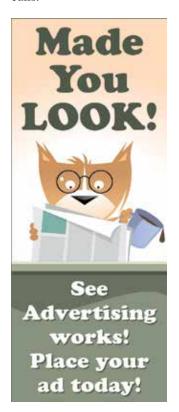
"This announcement by the Alberta government and Minister Ellis is a positive step forward for the residents of Alberta, especially in rural areas. Targeting known criminals is a very effective way to reduce the level of crime taking place and will greatly assist the RCMP who have a vast area to police."

Lance Colby, mayor, Town of Carstairs

"We are happy to hear about increased resources being allocated to assist our communities. Addressing rural crime is one of the top priorities of the Alberta RCMP, and our partners at the Alberta Sheriffs already play a vital role in keeping Albertans safe. The creation of these new surveillance teams will help augment our ongoing crime reduction strategies in Alberta communities, and we look forward to working with them going forward."

Trevor Daroux, assistant commissioner, criminal operations officer, Alberta RCMP

The new surveillance teams are part of a suite of measures to expand the role of the Alberta Sheriffs and make Alberta communities safer. Other actions include the expansion of the Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods (SCAN) unit which uses legal sanctions and court orders to target problem properties where illegal activities are taking place - and the expansion of the RAPID Response initiative with funding for the Sheriff Highway Patrol to train and equip members to assist the RCMP with emergencies and high-priority calls.



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New Broadband Opportunities Coming to County Residents!

Better Broadband = Sit in on a meeting and not get kicked out due to lack of connectivity!

Students can get the education they need from a remote location!

Emergencyserviceswillhaveamore robust communications network for emergency services.

Several new towers being built over the next year will provide more high-speed internet access options to homes using Fiber Optic and Fixed Wireless technology.

This will mean more service opportunities for internet service providers resulting in more high-speed access to County residents and businesses.

For more information, contact Yellowhead County at 1-800-665-6030 or 780-723-4800.



DO YOU NEED TO PURCHASE

FALL DUST CONTROL?



Application Deadline July 31

To apply for Fall Dust Control (Calcium Chloride), submit payment and application before the deadline. The application form is available online at www.yhcounty.ca or at the Wildwood or Edson office.

- 1.Applications for Dust Control can be made at our Wildwood and Edson offices.
- Each ratepayer is entitled to an application of Calcium Chloride, 200 metres in length, for a fee of \$242.00.
- (This fee represents approximately 33% of the total cost for the dust control application, Full application costs will apply for any requests over 200 metres).
- The fee must accompany the application.
- Fall Applications must be received by July 31.

If you have any questions, please contact our office at (780) 723-4800 or 1-800-665-6030.

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Summer Bridge Work

PROGRAM

Bridge repair work is being done in Yellowhead County to fix damaged bridges caused from flooding in 2023.

Repair work will not affect any open routes or current traffic usage.



For more information, contact Yellowhead County at 1-800-665-6030 or 780-723-4800.





EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Junior Project Engineer/Technologist Location: EDSON, AB COMPETITION NO. 24-036

Reporting to the Director of Public Works, the Junior Project Engineer/ Technologist will assist the Director in managing the County's engineering and construction program, and will be responsible for the oversight of the delivery of assigned infrastructure projects including the County roadway infrastructure, bridge structures, Jasper/Hinton Airport, the County drainage system, water treatment and distribution systems, wastewater collection and treatment systems, and solid waste management.

The salary range is currently \$86,711 - to \$107,522 per year. Yellowhead County offers a competitive benefit plan.

To apply please submit resumes at www.yhcounty.ca/jobs/

A detailed position description can be found in the job posting online.

The competition closes August 9, 2024 at 4:30 p.m.

We thank all interested applicants in advance, however only those applicants to be interviewed will be contacted.

Human Resources Yellowhead County Email: jobs@yhcounty.ca

The personal information obtained as a result of this advertisement will be utilized for these employment opportunities only and is subject to compliance with the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.



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Blueberry AUGUST MUSIC FESTIVAL 2 2-4, 2024

Friday, August 2 Saturday, August 3 Sunday, August 4

OUTDOOR STAGE
5-9:3Opm
Opening Ceremonies
John Reischman & The Jaybirds
Crying Uncle Bluegrass Band
Darin & Brooke Aldridge
Russel DeCarle

FILLMORE STAGE
3 - 5pm
Jarrid Lee
Passin' Through
DANCE
Foghorn Stringband
9:30 - 11pm

NBCMS STAGE 10 - 3:30pm Acoustic Music Workshops presented by Northern Bluegrass Circle WORKSHOPS Open to Everyone 10am - 11am

John Reischman & The Jaybirds Guitar, Banjo, Mandolin, Bass, Fiddle

OUTDOOR STAGE
Noon- 10pm
Lost Prospectors
Passin' Through
Jessie & The Gents
Russel DeCarle
The Tone Rangers
John McEuen & the Circle Band
Spinney Brothers
Darin & Brooke Aldridge

FILLMORE STAGE
10:30 - 5:30
Open Stage
Spinney Brothers
Crying Uncle Bluegrass Band
John McEuen & the Circle Band
Darin & Brooke Aldridge
Jackson Hollow

Appalachian Road Show

NBCMS Stage 10:45 - 3:45 Jarrid Lee Sammy & Nadine The Tone Rangers The Lost Prospectors Foghorn String Band Workshops
Open to Everyone
10am - 11 am
Guitar, Banjo, Mandolin, Bass, Fiddle

OUTDOOR STAGE
Noon - 9pm
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Jackson Hollow
The Lost Prospectors
Foghorn Stringband

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FORTRESS NORTH AMERICA

Submitted by MLA Shane Getson

The first time I heard this I believe was back in 2010 from a retired USA Airforce Colonel when he was discussing how the military regarded Alberta when it came to energy security. I've taken that concept, expanded upon it as the way to present the concept of Economic Corridors not only to folks who call the Great White North home, but to our friends, family, and neighbors in the land of the free. Given the current global state of affairs, we have gone from a just in time delivery model, to more of a just in case model. Further, the discussion on resilience, adaptability and "Radical Collaboration" has never been more relevant. In simple terms, build things that last, work together like there is a real need to do so, and make sure we use the stuff we have at hand rather than being dependent on others for our survival. Rural logic, applied in large scale.

With my role as the "Parliamentary Secretary for Economic Corridor Development", I am the Premiers Parliamentary Secretary. Along with being the Premier, she is also the Minister of "inter-governmental affairs", so I have an opportunity as it were to assist in that role, and she has given me a ton of rope to work with. Additionally, I've been assigned to a number of US / Canadian organizations. Organizations I would suggest that we have not fully taken advantage of in the past and have not had the representation by MLA's that we should have. We are changing that.

As a member of the "Energy Council" Alberta and Saskatchewan are the only Canadian Members, the rest are the energy producing states. I was appointed early this year and attended my first meeting in North Dakota this June. I can tell you full well, we have friends, allies, and "Radical Collaborators" (Red Tape Cutters, CAN-adians and Ameri

CANs) south of the border that not only want to be extremely environmentally conscientious but want to ensure that we don't loose our competitive advantage when it comes to energy. We also discussed the issues of how we allowed foreign nations to surpass us in the rare earth elements and critical minerals space. It wasn't because they outsmarted us, we let them get past us due to our own policies. The folks there were very happy to see Alberta at the table, engaging fully, and in a very meaningful way!

We had had several small US legislators visit us in May of this year, groups from the Council of State Governments, the Mid-West and West chapters. These groups came independent of each other, but left with similar impressions, and had invited me to come to their executive meetings to present at their Annual General Meetings on the topic of Economic Corridors. I recently returned from Portland Oregon where I presented the concept, and the practical applications of the how. I am leaving this weekend for Columbus Ohio to present at the Midwest meeting. My colleagues across the border, regardless of the party they belong, are very keen to hear more, and to see how they can work with us.

Our Minister of Transportation and Economic Corridors not only re-signed an MOU with the prairie provinces, we just added the Northwest Territories right before the Calgary Stampede. The significance of this is huge, it clearly demonstrates the willingness of the provinces and territories to work together, in building the Northwest part of our country, not only trade relationships but real pathways so that linier infrastructure can be built again in a timely manner. During the Calgary Stampede the Minister hosted an event where the Ambassador of the USA and our Premier spoke, both extolling the importance of the economic corridors that have been in use for years, new

ones to come, and the vital importance Alberta not only plays in Canada, but most specifically, to the US itself. These were not hollow words from the USA Ambassador, but from the heart, and with a clear understanding of the need to ensure that "Fortress North America" comes to fruition. I was quite pleased when the ambassador came over to me to introduce himself, he gave me his challenge coin, shook my hand, and thanked me for the work on the Economic Corridor file.

The following day as it turned out, we were at the same table for breakfast and continued our conversation. I gave him one of my lapel pins, and explained the symbolism that I had chosen. Black and Gold in color for our energy, our provincial shield depicting the prairie, foothills, and mountains. The rams head, as it's our provincial mammal, and after all, they like us, sometimes butt heads to resolve our differences. Two crossed swords, one to protect our province, but just as important, one to protect our country and our allies. He was openly appreciative and began speaking on how many things Alberta has to offer, and that we need to be better at letting others know about it, don't be afraid to say it often. He then gave me his trade mission lapel pin and some more advice on items I should address and discuss on my upcoming conference in Oregon.

When folks ask me what is gong on with the Northern Corridor, or the one out to Hudson Bay, or the west coast they are always happy to hear the progress being made, but they are also surprised that there isn't anything about it in the media. I have no good explanation about that, other than they don't get it, or don't want to get it. So I thought I'd take advantage of our local papers, to share some of the more recent wins. I'll keep spreading the good word of what we have going on here in Alberta, how we want it work with others in the most collaborative way, how we not only want to lay

the foundations for a strong future for ourselves, but for our trading partners. How our experiences, and our resources, are literally the solution to several problems and challenges. I have noted that if we don't tell our story ourselves, our own federal consulates will not, and our trading partners won't hear it. Perhaps that is what the US ambassador was eluding too as well.

When I spoke at the recent grade 12 graduations in Evansburg and Onoway, I wanted to impart some advice to the graduation classes. Nothing too fancy, lofty, or lengthy, something that they could remember. For good measure my staff this year printed some of the more sage items I've come up with over the years on the back of the certificates, and I truly hope that they may come in handy for them, as they have helped me over the years. The basic gist goes like this. Know who you are, where you came from, who those are that truly support you and want the best for you. Be proud of who you are, listen more than you talk, and be willing to come up with a better solution by working with others. Be yourself, because you can't fake authenticity, and people know it. Don't be afraid to speak up, and to do the right thing, it may not be easy, but it's the right thing to do. To keep in mind always, if it was easy, someone else would be doing it, and for less money, everyone gets bucked off, so suck it up buttercup, dust yourself off and get back at it. The most important one is that none of us have this thing called life all figured out yet, but many of us are more than willing to give you some of our time to help you along when you ask for it.

I wish you nothing but the best for the rest of your week, and I thank you for your feedback over the last few months in person, and through the emails. Please keep me apprised of what matters to you July 24, 2024 Community**VOICE** Page 11

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Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once

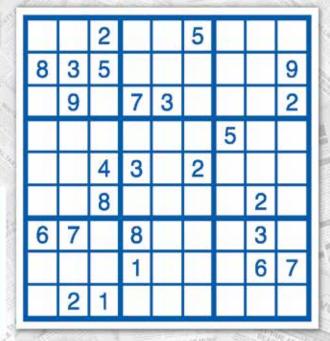
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provided in the boxes. The

more numbers you name, the easier it gets to MARVENING OF HIS solve the puzzle!

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May-Sept URG: Sat.

URG: Sat, 10AM-2PM, Tipple Park Museum. Call 727-2240 for tables. *May-

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

STONY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-1PM, Community Centre Downtown, Stony Plain. Nancy 780-962-3993. *April - Dec. Wabamun Farmers Market: 12:00 noon on Sunday, July 3. Old Fire Hall (53rd Ave), Wabamun

BINGO

ENTWISTLE COMM. LEAGUE BINGO: Every Wednesday, Doors Open 6PM.

STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN CENTRE: public bingo every Tues, 7Pm. All ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-6685 WILDWOOD: 4rd Mon night. 6:30Pm, bingo starts 7:30Pm, Early Birds & Lucky

MEAT DRAWS

C.A.N. COMMUNITIES OF ALBERTA METWORKING FOR SENIORS, Spruce Grove At Pioneer Center. first market March 251 - 5:30pm

March 25 1 - 5.30pm Evansburg: Evansburg Legion, Friday 8-10pm & Saturday 3-5pm STONY PLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR# 256: Saturdays @ 3:00PM.

5:00 PMMeat Draw & 50/50.

Wildwood: Wildwood Legion, Saturday

JAMBOREES

CARVEL: 2nd Sunday of month. \$6 lunch served. Info 780-991-3001 **DUFFIELD:** Oct 22 \$20, Entertainers \$10.

Dinner @ 6pm, late lunch and 50/50. .*Sept - May. except dec.

Duffield Hall: Jamboree & Supper 6pm 4th Saturday Sept - May ENTWISTLE: 3rd Saturday of month,

Doors at 1:30PM at Entwistle Community Hall. Contact Verna at 780-716-2304.

**Cotober - May
RAVINE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION:
1st Sat of each month. Info 780-325-2391 *Sept - May.

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

membership \$30

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

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

TOMAHAWK: Tomahawk Agriplex, 3°d Friday of month. IPM. to 5PM. Doors open at noon PH: 780-339-3755. *Oct - May WII DWOOD: Wildwood Community.

WILDWOOD: Wildwood Community Hall, 3rd Wed Each Month, noon 325-2180 325-2270 *Oct - June.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

ENTWISTLE: Wed 5 pm weigh-in, meeting to follow. WEE Foodbank building, main street Entwistle, south entrance. Call Jean at 780-270-4648 for more info.

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 Rd. Sharron (780) 962-2722

SPRUCE GROVE: Wed at 8:45am at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Christiane (sp) (780)960-1109 WILDWOOD: Thurs at 10am at

Wildwood Hall, Bea (780)727-2129

YOUR COMMUNITY

ALBERTA PARENTING FOR THE FUTURE ASSOC: Call 963-0549 or visit www.apfa.ca to register. All programs are confidential & free.

Derrick Toastmasters: Serving Drayton Valley and area since 1990 Build Communication, Leadership & Public Speaking Skills Meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 7-9pm, Zoom Contact derricktm6538.secretary@gmail.com for informatics. information.

PROGRAM, for Wabamun Seniors & Wabamun Lions. Arrange for meal preparation through a local restaurant. Call Darlene, 892-2551.
PROBLEMS WITH DRUG OR ALCOHOL

ADDICTION in a loved one? Contact Drug Rehab Resource for a free confidential consultation. 1-866-649-1594 or www.drugrehabresource.net.

LIBRARY EVENTS

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB at Keephills Library. 2nd Tues of every month, 1:30–3:00pm, Visit www.pclibraries.ca for info. FAMILY GAMES NIGHT: 3rd Wed of every month, 6-8pm. Located at Entwistle Library, Duffield Library and Tomahawk Library. In partnership with Parkland School Division. Visit www.pclibraries.ca

for more info.

HATCHET CITY READERS at Tomahawk Library. 3rd Tues of every month, 10-11AM. For what we're reading next, visit our

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INVENTORS CLUB: 2nd Thurs of every month, 3:30–5:00PM at Entwistle Library.
4th Thurs of every month, 3:30-5:00PM at Tomahawk Library, Ages 8-13. To register: Call the library at 780-339-3935.

SEBA BEACH LIBRARY Summer Hours

Library at Trace St 10-48. E. P.M.

July – August Tues.- Sat. 10 AM – 5 PM. This summer we will have

TD Summer Reading Club, Story Walk, Gardening Program, and Special Events. Call us at 780-797-3940 or email sebabeachlibrary@yrl.ab.ca

EVANSBURG PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOK

CLUB: 4th Thurs, 7:00рм Grand Trunk High 727-2030.

SOCIAL EVENTS

AEROBICS: Low impact, Mon/Wed,11AM-Wildwood Senior's Centre \$1/

BREAKFAST SOCIAL: 9:30AM-NOON Parkland Village Community Centre - 3rd Sunday. PH: 780.298.9155 Social Media:

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

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 Faceboook

ADULT DROP-IN PICKLEBALL: © C.T. School, Evansburg. Beginners Welcome. Paddles sponsored by the Evansburg Public Library EVANSBURG ART CLUB: meet & paint Thurs 1-4PM Rec Plex. 727-4340 or 727-4098

SENIOR'S EVANSBURG **HOUSE:** Floor Curling Mon & Thurs, 1pm. Court Whist Thurs, 7pм.

EVANSBURG TIPPI F HISTORICAL BUILDING TOURS: Wed -

HEALTHY AGING NURSE & FOOT CARE PERSON, Wabamun Seniors Centre, 2nd Thurs of month, 9AM.

OPEN HOUSE for socializing, Crib &

card playing at Entwistle Senior Center, Thursdays at 6:45PM. Dan 780-982-0353 PARENT & TOT PLAYTIME: PERC Building Stony Plain Wed 10–11am; Holborn Community Hall Thurs 9:30–11am; Parkland Village Tues 9:30–11:30am, SEBA BEACH SENIORS CENTER: Yoga, mon, 9:30AM, \$10/session. Bridge thurs, IPM. Jams every Wed night, IPM. Thrift Shop every Wed & Sat at 10-3PM. Charity # 890175375 RR0001

SEBA BEACH QUILTERS & FIBER ARTS: Wednesdays 9:30AM, Seniors Center.
SENIORS WEDNESDAY* AFTERNOON 1-4PM at Parkland Village Community Centre. Games, Crafts & more! Call Sheryl

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780.695.7032 *exceptions incl. Weather.
SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN
INSPERATIONAL CINEMA &
DISCUSSIONS at PERC Building (5413-51
St). 2nd Friday of month at 7PM. Popcorn
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Contact 780-940-3032
SPRICE GROVE SELEVATOR TOURS.

SPRUCE GROVE ELEVATOR TOURS: Tues-Sat, 9-3PM. 960-4600. STONY PLAIN'S 5TH MERIDIAN GOOD

SAMS RV CHAPTER: Ecole Meridian Heights School. 3rd Tues of Month, 7pm. Call Pat at 780-963-6976 or Ruth at 780-

Wabamun Seniors Centre POT LUCK every Tues 12:00PM, Come on down!

MEETINGS

2ND TIMERS: A support & confidential group for Grandparents Parenting. 1st Thurs of month, 6:30PM. Grand Trunk High School (meet in Lobstick Literacy & Learning room). Child care provided at the Evansburg Public Library. 299 ROYAL CANADIAN SEA CADETS

CORPS MACKENZIE: Stony Plain Comm Center, Wed 6:30pm. Youths 12-18, 963-0843

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

AA: Friday at 8PM, Evansburg. Call 780-995-1992, 780-727-4175 or 587-464-2466

Open Meeting

AA MEETING: Every Monday night at AA MEELING: Every Monday night at 8pm, Duffield Mewassin Free Methodist Church, (13km South of Duffield Turnoff at Shell Gas Station on Hwy 16). AL-ANON: Wed 8pm. Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Drive. 962-

5205

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

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (Evans/Ent):

C.H.I.L.D. (Citizens Helping In Life's Defence) Please join our Pro-Life meetings once a month in Stony Plain. For info call Chris 963-6997.

CITIZENS ON PATROL: The Pembina

Community Watch Patrol Meets 2nd Thurs of each month at 7:30PM, at the Tipple Park Museum (4924-48 St.), Evansburg. Contact 780-898-1465 or Evansburg. C 780-727-2686.

DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY:

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7PM, 1st Mon, Community Hall.

DDRA MEETING, 7:00PM, 2st Mon,

Darwell Centennial Hall 780-892-3099.

*except Jul/Aug/Dec

DRAYTON VALLEY BRANCH OF

ALBERTA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY:

meets 7PM at Municipal Library (5120-52 St.) every 3rd Wed of month. Call (780) 542-2787

ENTWISTLE COMMUNITY LEAGUE GENERAL MEETINGS: 2nd Thursday monthly 7:30 PM. *Except June, July,

ENTWISTLE SENIORS 55+ CLUB: Tue & Fri 1:30-4:00pm at Entwistle Hall

EVANSBURG SENIOR'S 55+ HERITAGE HOUSE: 2nd Wed of Month, 7:00PM. Dennis, 727-4186.

FALLIS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION: 3rd

Tuesday, 7:00PM. LAC STE. ANNE & LAKE ISLE WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT SOCIETY: 3rd Fri, 7PM, Alberta Beach Council Chambers

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

LAKE ISLE MULTI 4-H GENERAL MEETINGS: 1st Thurs of each month @ 6:30pm @ Lake Isle Hall. Contact 780-

LOBSTICK 4-H BEEF & MULTI CLUB: 15 Mon, Evansburg Arena, 7PM, Shannon

LOBSTICK GARDEN CLUB: 1st Tues. 6:30PM at Tipple Park Museum, Clara (780) 399-2205

MACKAY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION:

List Thursday of every month at MacKay Community Hall info 795-2350

MACNOLIA BOARD MEETINGS: 1st Tuesday of month, 7PM at Magnolia Community Hall.

MEN FOR SOBRIETY: Wednesdays at

7:30PM, FCSS Building (#105, 505 Queen Street, Spruce Grove). Mike (780) 965-

MS SOCIETY DRAYTON VALLEY COMMUNITY GROUP meets 1st Tues of month, 6-8pm at Norquest College. Terra Leslie, 1-403-346-0290. "Sept-June"

MS SOCIETY PARKLAND COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP: Are you diagnosed with MS and have questions? Last Tues of month, 7-9PM, Westview Health

of month, 7-9PM, Westview Health Centre. Contact Cassy 780-471-3034

NA MEETING: Tuesdays, 7:00PM, 514-6011

PEMBINA PORCUPINES - JUNIOR FOREST WARDENS: Entwistle Porcupine gathering: 7PM, 1st Tue. Len & Tineke at 727-2020. Porcupines@ yellowheadjfw.ca

PEMBINA VALLEY & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB; we meet on the third Thursday at the Entwistle Community Hall Meeting Room at 8PM Contact President Lion Ron Stefaniuk 780-218-5067.

STONY PLAIN FISH & GAME ASSOCIATION & WABAMUN GUN CLUB: 2nd Mon, Stony Plain Comm enter 7:30pm SUNDOWNERS TOASTMASTER CLUB: Mon (excl. Holidays) 7:30-9:30PM. St. Matthew's Church, Spruce Grove. Judy

TOMAHAWK SENIORS (50+) meets every Thursday from 1-4pm at the Tomahawk Agra.

W.E.E. COMMUNITY FOOD BANK: Call

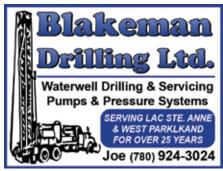
(780) 727-4043 for emergency food needs. Monthly Meeting: LAST Monday of month at 7:00pm at the Food Bank (Old fire hall in Entwistle). *Except December

WILDWOOD & DIST AG SOCIETY: 2nd Wed of each month 7:00PM at the Wildwood Complex. Wilma 325-2424

WILDWOOD & DIST ROD & GUN
CLUB: 2nd Thursday, 7:30PM at the range
clubhouse, wildwoodrodandgun@

gmail.com
WILDWOOD SENIORS: 4th Wednesday
at 2:00PM. Contact Vivian 780 325 2296
*No meeting July/Aug/Dec.

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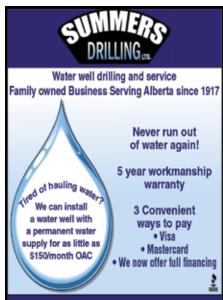




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