

THE BRETON BOOSTER

Greeting from Breton Elks Lodge #402 From Allan Smith

Hello everyone. Hope everybody is able to stay healthy and wealthy. It appears that spring is here in full swing. I notice that people are busy with spring yard work. The sun is much warmer and the grass is turning green. Unfortunately good old Covid is still lingering and now some unwanted cousins are appearing.

On a brighter thought, we now have guests starting to appear at the local R.V. Park and some action is happening at the golf course. No water service is available yet at the R.V. Park.

Getting down to business, another month has passed and another zoom session has taken place. At our recent session, we once again had visitors from Edson, Olds, Leduc and Bentley.

A charming young lady from Bentley has chosen to become a member of the Breton Lodge. This young lady brings along considerable talent, experience and many ideas. She is presently serving as Secretary/Treasurer for the Alberta Elks Association. With great pleasure, we welcome Lynda Petten to our lodge. Welcome to Breton Lynda!

Moving on with present business, the R.V. Park renovations are slowly taking form. An electrician has been asked to move forward with electrical upgrades and the necessary dirt work and gravel

requirements will be moving forward very soon. Installation of services to lots not already serviced will be part of this project.

Due to our famous Covid situation, our District Meeting will be taking place April 24 again by way of zoom. Provincial Conference plans are moving forward, on behalf of Brooks Lodge, and again possibly via zoom.

A new slate of officers was announced and will be installed in May.

In the meantime, hopefully everyone can remain healthy. Get a shot from a needle and take your vitamins. Green grass is coming along with the sound of many birds. Flowers will soon need planting and for now Happy Trails!

Will chat again soon.

THANK YOU FOR VOLUNTEERING

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THE TIME; THEY JUST HAVE THE HEART."**

- ELIZABETH ANDREW

APRIL 18 - 24TH VOLUNTEER WEEK

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WANTED: Arcade machines & related bar type items, pinballs, video games, other arcade items, pool table, jukebox, shuffleboard, roulette & blackjack tables, etc. Parts, pieces, whole units, manuals, dead or alive - all considered. Text or call Steve 780.918.8495 (4-4)

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Call Alex 780.905.9200 (1-3)

Wanted: By Postal Historian/Collector: Stamps and old envelopes bearing Post Office cancellations, old postcards & pre-1960 correspondence. Keystone, Breton and other area Post Offices. Very keen. Call Keith. 780.437.1787 (1-3)

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FOR SALE

tables with storage cabinet, magazines storage, and pull out tray - \$50 each. Single bed with draws in base and book case headboard- \$50.

Call/text if interested 780-621-7131 (1-1)

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For Rent in Breton - 2 Bedroom Mobile Home. \$800 monthly. Pay own heat & electricity. DD \$400. Available immediately. 780.696.2539 (2-2)

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Building for rent in Breton - \$500/mth plus utilities.

Call 780.696.3551 (3-3kr)

LAND FOR RENT

Land for Rent/Lease - Approx 50 acres presently in hay/pasture, would like returned to crop rotation system to rejuvenate the land. Open to yearly fees or crop share structure. Location south of Warburg on RR31.

Contact Doug 780.717.3249 (2-2)

BOOKKEEPING SERVICES

TAXES - Will do income tax, GST, payroll and book-keeping. Call Lois at 780.696.2141. If I am with a client I will return your call. (7-10)

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In Loving Memory



Shirley Alberta Andresen

In memory of Shirley Alberta Andresen, of Breton, Alberta who left us to be with Jesus the Lord on April 28, 2000. The Lord Jesus and God took her with them to heaven where Shirley is waiting for us to join her there.

Shirley will be ever missed by her husband Roy of 60 years, by her children, her family and many acquaintances.

Shirley always had a smile of greeting wherever she went. Her smile was infectious to all who knew her.

It is now, with profound sadness, that we mourn and remember Shirley's passing. But, hallelujah Shirley will be in heaven, waiting our arrival when we leave this temporary body. We shall be able to be in her presence with Jesus for eternity, evermore, daily.

While Shirley resided with us, even without spoken words, we miss those days and times. Shirley fulfilled our days and times.

Though Shirley is gone from us and our daily lives, our memories must sustain us 'till we meet her in heaven in the future.

We will never forget Shirley's kindness and understanding ways, they will never be blotted out of our minds.

Roy & Family

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- Enjoy working with youth of all ages.
- Familiar with FCSS programming.

Preference will be given to students:

- 17 years or older
- a valid driver's license and access to a reliable vehicle
- First-Aid certificate is a benefit

Position will run from June 30 – August 27

Approx. 15 – 20 hrs. /week

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Drop off or Submit resumes to:

Breton & Area FCSS Director

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Email: fcscs@breton.ca

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THORSBY 4-H BEEF SALE - 25 Market steers. Apr. 30 - May 2nd Timed Auction. Visit www.teamauctions.com to register. **SUPPORT LOCAL SUPPORT BEEF SUPPORT 4-H!** More info contact Julian Borys 780.940.0420. A Charity Steer will be auctioned off as well with proceeds to the Alzheimer Society.

PROGRAMS & REGULAR EVENTS

Winfield Community Library is open *Please note we have new hours as of Sept. 6th* Wednesday nights 5 - 8 pm Saturdays 10- 2 pm. Restrictions are in place. No public access to the school, not even the bathrooms. Please call 780-682-2498 for more info.

Thorsby Bingo has been cancelled (due to COVID-19) until further notice.

MARKETS / THRIFT SHOPS (NON PROFIT)

Treasures Thrift Shop -IS NOW OPEN! (With restrictions) Please see signs at the store for everyone's safety. Wednesdays from 10 am - 4 pm. Donations will only be accepted during store hours, please ensure your donations are clean. 5112 - 53 Street Warburg.

Thorsby Senior's Thrift Store is OPEN again - ALL COVID-19 regulations apply. Hours of operation: 10 am - 3 pm Thursdays and Fridays. **PLEASE NOTE:** We will only accept donations during store hours. We do not accept mattresses, car seats, strollers, cribs, or furniture. All donations MUST BE CLEAN AND RE-SELLABLE. Thank You!

COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

Breton & Area FCSS (Family & Community Support Services) Please contact Deanne at 780-696-3636 or email fcss@breton.ca

Breton Food Bank - Call 780-696-3669 by Thursday at noon to request a hamper. Please leave a message and a volunteer will contact you.

Meals on Wheels - Are you interested in receiving a hot nutritious meal? Please contact Deanne at 780-696-3636

Bylaw Enforcement Officer and Animal Control Officer - Doris McAllister 780-719-6447.

Does drinking affect your personal life in any way? Have friends or family expressed concerns towards your drinking habits? Have you ever tried to quit drinking, but could not manage to do so? AA can help! 5203 -54th Avenue Thorsby New Life Christian Church (every) Monday 8:00 pm 780-270-7903

WORSHIP

Faith Covenant Church - 4712 53rd Avenue Breton, Alberta T0C 0P0 office.faithcovenantchurch@gmail.com 780.696.3669

Community United Church - 5112 - 53 St., Warburg. Join us for Sunday morning worship on the 2nd and 4th Sundays of each month at 10:30 AM. For information please phone the church office 780-848-2227.

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church Thorsby Mass Every Sunday 9:00 am, Father Arun Rodrigues. For more information call 780-987-2858 or visit www.olvthorsby.wordpress.com.

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church Thorsby is holding in-Church Worship every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Following COVID protocols. Our weekly worship with Pastor Ron can still be found on You Tube.

Alder Flats Community Bible Church - 780-388-0018, Pastor Samuel Hayford - 780-388-3926.

THANK YOU

To all of The Volunteers in our Community

“The Value of One. The Power of Many”

Your contributions to our community are invaluable.
Thank a Volunteer for the difference they make to all of us!



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FIRE RESTRICTION Village of Breton/Brazeau County



Due to extremely dry weather conditions, the Drayton Valley/Brazeau County Fire Services is issuing a **Partial Fire Ban** for the area of Brazeau County and the Town of Drayton Valley **EFFECTIVE April 7th, 2021.**

A partial fire ban occurs when the fire hazard in the area is high to very high. Wildfires can start easily from most causes especially unattended campfires, cooking fires. Wildfires may become serious and difficult to control if not successfully contained while small. **OUTDOOR BURNING IS ONLY PERMITTED IN APPROVED FIRE PITS OR APPROVED BURNING APPLIANCES.**

Existing fire permits are still valid (no permit extensions will be issued)

- No new fire permits will be issued until Partial Fire Ban is Lifted

Allowed:

- Safe wood campfires in approved fire pits
- Portable propane fire pits
- Gas or propane stoves and barbecues
- Charcoal and pellet barbecues
- Catalytic or infrared-style heater
- Approved and certified incinerators (for agricultural use)

For more information, please visit albertafirebans.ca for fire up-to-date fire status or contact the Drayton Valley/Brazeau County Fire Services @ 780-514-2216 during regular business hour.

If you see a wildfire, report it immediately by calling 310-Fire or 911. The Partial Fire Ban will remain in effect until conditions improve.

WORSHIP

Reg. Sunday Service & School - 11:00 am. Welcome to all!

Warburg Alliance Church is open. 11 a.m. worship service. For more information please phone 780-848-7577, check out our Facebook page or email us warburgalliance@gmail.com.

Warburg Seventh Day Adventist Church, Sat. Sabbath School 10 am, Main Service 11:30 am, Pastor Jason Williams 780-848-2271

COMMUNITY GROUP REGULAR MEETINGS

Village of Breton Council Meetings - 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers of the Carolyn Strand Civic Centre.

Breton and District Historical Society Monthly Board meetings are held the 4th Monday of the Month at 7 PM at the Breton Museum. The Board meets January- June and September- November. New members welcomed. To confirm meeting dates and times Ph. 780 898 1155 and for more information go to www.bretonmuseum.ca

Breton Golden Age Club: Regular Monthly Meetings on the first Monday of the month at 11 am. Come see what we are up to!

The Breton Agricultural Society meets every second Thursday of the month (except July and August) at 7 pm at the Breton Community Center. Everyone is welcome to attend!

Breton Royal Purple meetings are CHANGING starting in January 2021 to the third Thursday of the month (except in the months of July and August) at 7:30 p.m.

Breton Elks meetings are at 7:30 pm every third Thursday of the month at the Breton Community Hall, except for July & August.

Breton Municipal Library Board Meetings are held the third Wednesday of the month except July and August and are open to the public. Meetings are at 7 PM in the Library.

The Breton Book Club has online Facebook Meetings: Second Wednesday of each month all day. All readers are welcome to join the conversation! Look for us at "Breton Book Club".

Buck Creek Community Assn. Meetings are held at the Buck Creek Hall the first Wednesday of every

month at 8 PM. Jam Dance and Cards Night the first Friday of every month.

Funnell Community Hall - No Meetings until further notice.

Thorsby & District Fish & Game Regular Meetings are held on the third Monday of each month @ 7:00 pm at Warburg Village Office Basement (entrance through the back). Please join us. Contact Bruce at 780-848-2242 for more information.

Winfield & District Historical Society meets at 7pm on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at the Winfield Community Hall Meeting Room. New members always welcome!

FACILITY RENTALS

Breton Community Center- To rent the community center please visit our website www.bretonagso-society.com, call 780-696-3561 and leave a message or email us at bretonagsociety@gmail.com

Winfield Legion is available to rent. Rental Inquiries - Gordon 780-542-1243

Ashland Dam Park - For reservations call Bruce @ (780) 898-9636.

Calmar and District Senior Citizens Club 4916 - 50 Ave Calmar: **hall rentals**, please contact Marg Roskewich 780-985-3221. Rental Rates: 4 hr or less \$100 and more than 4 hrs \$200.00

Funnell Community Hall - For hall rental or more info contact Kelsey at 709.638.3689.

Genesee Community Hall - Rentals call Joanne Liba at 780-940-7229.

Royal Canadian Legion #246 MULHURST Hall Rental Call: Marie @ 780-361-7350

Sunnybrook Community Hall Rentals: Contact Name: Mikayla, Phone Number: 306-307-2599, Email Address: sunnybrookcommunityhall@gmail.com

Warburg Cultural Centre - For rentals of facility, wine glasses and/or tablecloths, phone Linda McLaughlin at 780.848.2916. Meetings held quarterly.

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It's time!

The electronics, paint and household hazardous waste roundup is on!



Are unwanted computers, printers, TVs, leftover paint and containers, and household hazardous waste taking up room in your house?

Brazeau County is partnering with the Village of Breton on May 8 to bring a COVID-19 friendly Household Hazardous Waste Round up event to Breton and area.

When and Where:

May 8, 2021 - From 10am to 2pm - The Village of Breton's Solid Waste Transfer Station

County residents: Please take all regular garbage/metal/appliances to the County operated Transfer Stations. NO County household garbage will be accepted at this location. Paint, Electronic Waste, Household Hazardous Waste, Oil, Batteries, and CFL bulbs will be accepted. Please refer to back page for more details

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Our Community Without Volunteers

From Breton FCSS

As we celebrate National Volunteer Appreciation week have you stopped to think about the difference volunteers make to our community? You may think that we could survive without volunteers and we could, but our community would look very different. Here are some of the ways our community would look different without the efforts of all our great volunteers.

- No Volunteer Fire Department to respond to your house / barn fire.
- Loved ones having to move out of their homes to extended care facilities without Meals on Wheels Drivers.
- No hot lunch program at your child's school
- The soccer, baseball and football fields, along with the hockey rinks becoming empty without coaches, managers and executives to run the program.
- The RV Park / Campground and skating rink closed without the Volunteer help of our ELKS.
- Our youth not developing leadership skills through Scouts and 4H programs and the Big Buddy Mentorship Program
- The history of our community lost without the volunteers of the museum keeping it alive.
- The quality of life for those at the Breton Extended care lowered without Volunteer help at meal time and entertainment and recreational activities.
- Children that do not learn to swim, without the Volunteer work of the West End Pool Society.
- The operation of the Food Bank, youth clubs and spiritual support without Volunteers from the churches.
- Preschool children losing the opportunity for social development without Pre-school and Playschool programs.
- Christmas time not being as festive for the families that receive food hampers and gifts for the children from Christmas Wishes and our Secret Santa's.

- Rural residents not feeling as safe without a Rural Crime Watch Program.
- School being only about academics without the support of Parent Advisory Councils assisting with extracurricular activities.
- Parks, playgrounds and community activities not being supported without the work of the Royal Purple ladies.
- Our seniors not being active and less socializing without groups like the Golden Age Club.
- Local Community Halls not being operational without the Volunteers of the Agriculture Society and Hall Association Volunteers.
- The work done by your municipal elected officials.
- Community programs such as Story time not being able to be offered.
- The opportunity of a new community center without the efforts of the Fundraising committee and the Building committee.
- The Volunteer work of your friends and neighbors who lend a helping hand with errands, childcare and being good neighbors.

These are just some of the examples of how our community would look different without the work that is done by VOLUNTEERS.

Take the time to thank one today if you and your family participate in any of these activities as a part of your day.

Thank you to all of our Volunteers for your commitment to our community.

This past year we have seen just how much being a great citizen in our community and lending a helping hand to others has made a difference. Thank you to everyone that takes a bit of their time to help others and our community.





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From Junction 616 and 778 – west on Hwy 616 20 km to RR 32, 2 km south on RR 32.

From Breton - 8 km east on 616, 2 km south on RR 32.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

Some random thoughts on the 30% tax reduction for county residents recently passed. Keep in mind the following;

County revenues have declined recently due to reduction in the linear tax, the downloading of costs for RCMP services, and grant reductions for capital projects. Combine that with the reduction of our reserves from about \$40 million to \$20 million in the last 3 years or so and we have a problem. Is this tax reduction desirable, as counties operate from tax revenue.

Given that our Reeve is a primary beneficiary of this tax reduction, one has to ask whether he should have declared a pecuniary interest and refrained from both the discussion and voting on the issue. Apparently, he did neither.

Did any of the rest of Council question his possible pecuniary interest?

Had Council limited the number of quarters to which the reduction applies, the idea might be more palatable.

When one also considers legal advice provided about the validity of the action (not followed), there is room for voter consternation. If you own the land, pay the tax.

Also, it might be noted that they are still going ahead with modified paving to benefit (according to my map) very few residents, a direct gift to receiving residents. Again, should anyone on Council have declared a pecuniary interest on this issue? The rationale for this expenditure is still unknown.

L. Oberle

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BRETON**\$355,000**

8.28 acs, 1583sq ft 3 bed, 1 bath home, heated garage, quonset. Since 2016 new well, septic, furnace, HWT, siding, windows

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155 ACRES
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WINFIELD**\$120,000**

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BUCK LAKE**\$625,000**

LAKEFRONT 4.5 acres, Quality 4 bed 3 bath home with walkout, pond, island & gazebo, attached garage, detach oversized garage.

ALDER FLATS**\$225,000**

14.5 acres with creek.. 3 bed 1 bath 1.5 storey home. Quonset garage, small barn, greenhouse. Scenic mix of trees & open pasture

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70 Acre. 1.5 storey 6 bed, 2 bath home, 40x60 heated shop, 64x120 open front shelter, 2 older barns used in dairy operation.

TOMAHAWK**\$475,000**

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LAND

58 ACRES Incredible natural spring. Pasture gently slopes from south to north. Winfield \$225,000
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0.91 acre lot. Build your home or bring your RV (permit required). Share in the community lakefront area with dock & boat launch. Buck Lake \$69,000

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BUCK LAKE**309,000**

3 bedrm home across street from waters of Buck Lake. 100x150' lot, chain link fence, 24x24 garage, concrete floor, power.

BUCK LAKE**\$274,900**

1 acre in Willowhaven. Upgraded 3 bed 2 bath home. Greenhouse, sheds, cookhouse, heated garage. \$60 annually for boat launch.

BUCK LAKE BUSINESS PARK

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BUCK LAKE**\$265,000**

4 Season Getaway! 2bdrm cabin on concrete slab. Electric infloor heat. 12x12 bunkhouse. Backs onto forested rec area.

BUCK LAKE**335,000**

1/2 acre lot backs onto green space, half log 1460 sq ft cottage, guest cabin, shop. community boat launch (\$60/year).

BUCK LAKE**125,000**

1.6 acre, lawn, a few trees & backs onto green space. tarp greenhouse. access to community boat launch (\$60/year).

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"LIVE" FARM SALE FOR THE ESTATE OF ALVIN BREITKREUTZ

Saturday, May 1st @ 10:00 AM

Directions: West of Wildwood on Hwy 16 (Yellowhead Hwy) 8 km to RR 101, South 2 km (Rural Address 53322 RR 101)

Terms: Cash/Approved Cheque/Debit/Visa/Mastercard/Etransfer GST will apply where applicable Lunch Available



TRACTORS: *Deutz Allis 9150 FWA Tractor - 150 hp, Cab, Triple Hydraulics, 1000 PTO, 18.4x38 Duals, 2454 hrs **Deutz Allis 9130 FWA Tractor - 135 hp, Cab, Triple Hydraulics, 1000 PTO, 20.8x38 Tires, 5192 hrs **Deutz Allis 7085 FWA Tractor - 85 hp, Cab, 18.4x38 Tires, 7473 hrs c/w DA 465 Loader/Bucket *Deutz Allis DX 6.50 Tractor - 135 hp, 18.4x38 Tires c/w Loader *IHC 5488 Tractor - 185 hp, Cab, Triple Hydraulics, Big 1000 PTO, 3pth, 520/85R 38 LIKE NEW Duals, 5490 hrs **Universal 640 DTC FWA Tractor - 62 hp, 3pth, 16.9x30 Tires c/w EzeeOn 70 Loader **MF150 Tractor - 45 hp, 3pth, 4 Cyl Gas c/w Allied Loader **JD540 Grapple Skidsteer - Works Good **John Deere 410 Backhoe c/w Loader/Bucket **Allis Chalmers HD 16 Cat - 4300 hrs

MACHINERY: *1977 Versatile 400 Hydrostatic 15' Swather - Cab **Gleaner L2 Combine - Cab, 1800 hrs **John Deere 567 Silage Round Baler - 14975 Bales **John Deere Moco 946 Hydrosowing Discbine **Big G 18' Disc c/w Mounted Harrows **John Deere 6 Bottom Plow **Tonutti 10 Wheel V-Rake **RR400 Hay Tedder **Sitrex RP-3T 3pth 3 Wheel Hay Rake **Case 770 14' Offset Single Disc **Morris 18' Press Hoe Drill c/w Mounted Harrows **Wil-Rich 20' Vibrashank c/w Mounted Harrows **John Deere #100 16' Chisel Plow c/w Mounted Harrows **John Deere Trail Mount 6' Mower **3pth Root Rake **Massey Ferguson 13' 26 Run Seed Drill **IHC 575 T/A Manure Spreader **Vermeer (JD) Bale Buster **Grey Post Pounder **Homemade PTO Post Peeler **25' P/T Tandem Axle Hay Wagon **Farmking 60' Harrow Cart **Tram 14' Pasture Harrows **Homemade Wood Splitter **Brandt 21' 340 Litre 3pth Boom Sprayer **Flamin PTO Driven 3pth Grass Seeder **John Deere 830 Swather - Parts **Versatile 400 Hydrostatic Swather - Cab, Parts

TRAILERS: *1996 Sundowner Rancher 20' Tandem Axle Gooseneck Stock Trailer *Shopbuilt 8'x25' Gooseneck Triple Axle Flat Deck Trailer

BIG TRUCKS: *1976 Ford Louisville 750 Grain Truck - 76993 Miles, Gas, 5&2 c/w 16' Steel Box & Hoist & Rollover Tarp **1973 Chev C60 3 Ton Grain Truck - 350 Gas, 5&2 c/w 15' Steel Box & Hoist **1970's GMC 7000 Cab & Chassis - V8, Parts

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VEHICLES: *2006 Dodge Ram 3500 Truck - 4x4, Cummins Turbo Diesel, Quad Cab, Std, 430 000 km but Only 30 000 km on New Engine, Clutch & Injectors **1991 Dodge 3/4 Ton Truck - 4x4, Reg Cab, Std **2006 Pontiac G6 Car - Auto, 4 dr, 195 770 km **1978 Ford F150 Truck - 4x4, Ext Cab, Auto, Parts

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****LIVE Farm Auction for the Estate of John BUBA of Spruce Grove (Sat, JUNE 5th @ 11:00 AM)**

****Online Timed Farm Sale for Karen GIBB & the Estate of Greg GIBB of Entwistle (JUNE 10th until JUNE 13th)**

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UPCOMING NEWS & EVENTS

- April 20 | Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- April 21 | Agricultural Service Board meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- May 4 | Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- May 4-8 | Household Hazardous Waste Roundup | 12-4 p.m. | 5524 Industrial Road
- May 8 | Breton Household Hazardous Waste Roundup | 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. | Breton Solid Waste Transfer Station
- May 11-15 | Household Hazardous Waste Roundup | 12-4 p.m. | 5524 Industrial Road
- May 13 | Weed webinar | 4 p.m.
- May 18 | Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- May 19 | Agricultural Service Board meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- May 24 | Brazeau County Administration Building closed

2021 Dust Control Program

Brazeau County is accepting applications for the 2021 Dust Control Program. Applications may be acquired at the County office, 7401 Township Road 494, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, or on our website www.brazeau.ab.ca.

**You will need your rural address (blue sign) to complete the application.
Full payment is required at the time of application.**

The cost for this service is:

**\$200.00 plus GST for Rural Road Residents (200 m)
\$100.00 plus GST for Country Residential Subdivisions (100 m)**

Applications should be submitted **before May 15, 2021.**

For those residents age 60 and older who apply for dust control, you now receive a discounted rate when you provide identification establishing your age. Either show us your identification in-person when you apply or attach a copy of your identification to your application if you're mailing it in to us.

For further information,
contact the Public Works and Infrastructure Department at 780-542-7777

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INTERESTED IN BECOMING AN ELECTED OFFICIAL?

If you are considering becoming a candidate in the 2021 Municipal Election but have questions about how to get started, Brazeau County's Returning Officer can help.

Returning Officer Donna Palmer is available to answer questions about the election process and requirements for candidates. She can be contacted at election@brazeau.ab.ca or by phone at 780-621-6959.

Nomination packages are also available at the Brazeau County Administration Office for pickup during regular business hours, or can be e-mailed on request.

NOTICE Roadside Vegetation Control Program

Brazeau County Agricultural Services Division will be carrying out roadside spraying of prohibited noxious, noxious weeds and woody vegetation (brush) throughout the County from May to October. For public safety, a buffer zone will be maintained between these roadside spray areas and county residences/yard sites.

As per our Vegetation Management policy, spraying on roadsides is done under the authority of Alberta's Weed Control Act. Brazeau County is required to control the weeds in the roadside just like any other landowner is on privately owned land. As well, in the public interest of safety, brush control is performed to increase the sightlines on roadways and intersections. As a result, costs of maintaining these open roadways are reduced where brush and trees are managed properly as it makes snow removal easier and allows roads to dry out quicker after precipitation falls.

The following programs related to herbicide use are available to residents:

- Hawkweed Program (County staff will treat up to 5 acres infested with Hawkweed on private land at no cost)
- Herbicide Rebate Program (the County will reimburse landowners 50% of the cost of herbicide used on the landowner's property)
- No Spray Agreement (the County will not use herbicides in the ditch adjacent to a landowner's property; responsibility for weed control is assumed by the landowner)

For further information about any of the above mentioned programs, please visit <https://www.brazeau.ab.ca/living-here/agriculture/services> or contact the Agricultural Services Division at (780) 542-7777.

2021 No Spray Program

Brazeau County property owners who do not wish to have roadside spraying performed adjacent to their property must enter into a No Spray agreement. In the agreement, the landowner consents to maintain the adjacent municipal right of way themselves, for the purpose of weed and brush control without herbicides, in compliance with the Alberta Weed Control Act. For highway right of ways, the landowners must contact Alberta Transportation if they do not want herbicides applied to the area adjacent to their property.

To enter into a No Spray agreement with the County, please fill out an application form by visiting the Brazeau County office or visiting www.brazeau.ab.ca. Agreements must be renewed annually.

Deadline to apply for the program is May 1st, 2021. No late agreements will be accepted.

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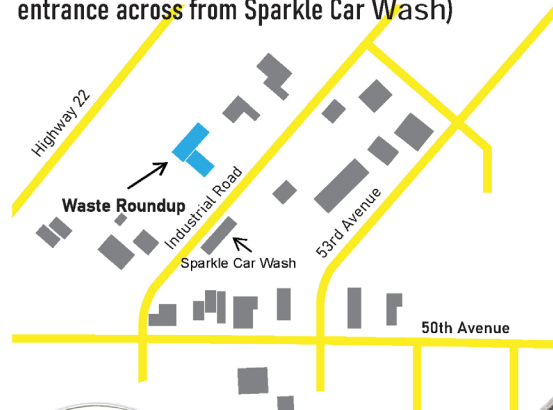
May 4-8 & 11-15
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Please continue to take regular
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To better manage the Covid-19 risk, this
years roundup will not be held at your
local transfer station. Instead, bring your
items to **5524 Industrial Road,**
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**Covid-19 restrictions will be
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STARTS OPENING MAY 7TH AT 9:00 A.M. & STARTS ENDING ON MAY 11TH @ 12:00 NOON - BRETON, ALBERTA

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Cockshutt 10' Disc
JD 3 Bottom Plow
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Sewer Snake
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Large Assortment of
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BRETON & AREA FCSS NEWS

from Deanne Young 780.696.3636

Summer Employment – Are you energetic, independent worker and love to spend time with youth of all ages? We are currently looking for 2 individuals that would like to work in our summer program. You would be responsible for the day-to-day operations of the program. The positions are approximately 15 – 20 hours / week, from June 30 – August 27. Most hours are during the day Tuesday – Thursday but the occasional evening may be required. There is some flexibility in the work days. Preference will be given to students 17+. A valid driver's license is required and First aid is an asset. Please submit resumes to Breton FCSS at the Village of Breton office, by email to fcss@breton.ca or Fax to 780-696-3590, by May 5th. This program is partially dependent on the regulations of AHS due to Covid-19.

Community Volunteer Income Tax Program – FREE INCOME TAX PREPERATION - For Low Income Persons, Families, seniors and students. Although this is something, that most of us would like to avoid thinking about and doing, I am afraid that this is unavoidable. You need to file your income tax each year, even if you have no income to report. By doing this you may receive benefits that you did not know you were eligible for. Also, in the event of the death of your spouse, benefits can easily be transferred to you, if you have filled a return for the last calendar year. If you did not file a tax return in 2020 you may not be receiving benefits from the government that you are eligible for. The focus of the Community Volunteer Tax Program is to assist those individuals who have limited income. This includes seniors, families and students. If your income was in one of the following categories you may qualify for assistance.

• 1 person	30,000
• 2 person family	37,000
• 3 person family	40,500
• 4 person family	43,500

We are not able to complete returns with income from the following sources:

Capital Gains or Losses, Farming Income, Rental Income, Self-Employment, Interest exceeding \$1, 000, Bankruptcies, Deceased Persons

This service is FREE to those who qualify. If you require this service, please gather your information and bring it to the Village of Breton office Monday to Thursday between 8:30 – 4:00. Clients will be notified when your return is completed. The program will run from March 1 – April 30, 2021

We require the following information in order to complete your return:

Personal Information (Social Insurance Number, Birth date, Marital Status, Address)

Dependent's information – spouse/ children's names, birthdates.

All "T" Slips (T4's, T4A, OAS ect.)

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from Pastor Jeff Gooderham

Today, I think of David Livingstone, the pioneer missionary to Africa, who walked over 29,000 miles. His wife died early in their ministry and he faced stiff opposition from his Scottish brethren. He ministered half blind. His kind of perseverance spurs me on. As I run, I remember the words in his diary: "Send me anywhere, only go with me. Lay any burden on me, only sustain me. Sever me from any tie but the tie that binds me to Your service and to Your heart."

"Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking onto to Jesus, the Author and Finisher of our faith!" Hebrews 12:1-2

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Musings from the East End Scriptorium

by Elizabeth Emond
eemond.phd@gmail.com

In "Locksley Hall," Tennyson wrote, "in the spring, a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." Well, doesn't everyone's fancy do that? It's in the air all around; the land itself is getting ready for its annual torrid summer romance with the sun. There are faint flushes of green in spots, and fresh songs by returning birds. All of Nature is urging us to join the pageant.

But don't rush into anything. Take a warning from Theodore Dreiser's *An American Tragedy*. It was written in 1925, but it's an old, old story. It's about a young man raised by street-corner evangelists, but who has no strong moral compass. He meets and becomes involved with a poor factory girl, then meets a rich, beautiful girl. (It was made into a movie, *A Place in the Sun* (1951), in which Shelley Winters plays the poor girl and Elizabeth Taylor the rich one.) I won't tell you how it turns out, but the title should provide a clue. Many readers contend that the main character is a murderer, but I personally think that he's too spineless even for that. Let me know your opinion.

After that, cheer yourself up by reading a story of strong, deep, abiding love, *Far From the Madding Crowd*, by Thomas Hardy. That's "Madding Crowd," not "Maddening Crowd," though the two mean essentially the same thing. It's a quotation from a poem by Thomas Gray, "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard," in which the poet reflects on how many folks are buried in relative obscurity, when they had in them the makings of great heroes, and villains as well:

Some mute inglorious Milton here may rest,
Some Cromwell guiltless of his country's blood.

The main female character in *Far From the*

Madding Crowd is one Bathsheba Everdene, the Helen of Troy of the small farming community where she lives. She's loved by her farm foreman (bailiff) from the moment he sees her, through thick and thin --which includes her getting married to a flashy young rake, Sergeant Troy. The course of true love does not run smooth, but things wind up satisfactorily, which is not typical of a Thomas Hardy novel. Maybe it was springtime when he wrote it, and his thoughts were lighter than usual.

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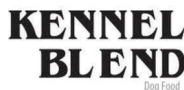
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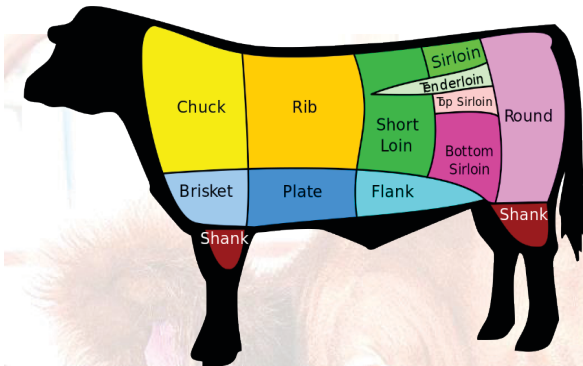


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4H Beef Show



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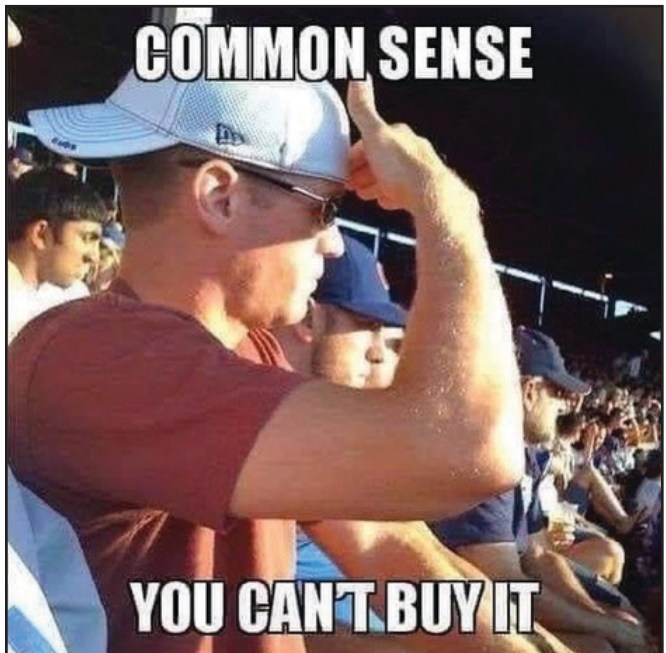
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feature BUSINESS of the month LONE WOLF MECHANICAL

Lone Wolf Mechanical is a Heavy Duty Service & Repair shop located in Thorsby owned by Jim Meyer and Sabrina Wilde. They are a full service shop and providing CVIP inspections, Out of Province Inspections, Detailing and are also the local AIR LIQUIDE DISTRIBUTOR.

This year marks a number of special milestones for Lone Wolf Mechanical as they have been nominated for 3 prestigious Alberta awards. They have been nominated in not one, but two categories for the **Alberta Business Awards of Distinction**; once in the area of Customer Service and also one for Mentorship. Sabrina Wilde has also been nominated this year for an **Alberta Women Entrepreneur Award**.

In March they also filmed their first television commercial and a business highlight which will be airing shortly.



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Lesley MacDonald

Lone Wolf Mechanical loves being apart of Thorsby and the surrounding community and is always happy to help to make life easier for those in need.

In March they took part in an event for a little boy who was terminally ill from a brain tumor. They took their mega truck in a parade & fundraiser for him. It was the little boy's wish to see monster trucks and hot rods, this was in conjunction with a facebook group called Chase the Cure. During this past winter anytime it got below - 25 they would offer free boosting to anyone who needed it. They also went above and beyond since hearing that truckers were being shut out of a lot of places due to COVID-19. They decided to open the shop up to any trucker that needed overnight parking, a bathroom, a washer/dryer, and a meal, either through the shop or the Thorsby Hotel who offered a discount for truckers parked at the Lone Wolf Shop.

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