

# TH<sup>RSBY</sup> TARGET

## Irene Pawlyk Remembered

On Monday, March 29th, a small group gathered to honor and remember Irene Pawlyk.

Gerald Soroka MP of the Yellowhead constituency presented a Canadian flag to be attached to the flagpole at the Thorsby Seniors Centre. The flagpole was put up by Irene Pawlyk's family in memory of her.

Pictured below: Elaine Warnock, Phil Pawlyk and Phyllis Madiuk with presenter, MP Gerald Soroka.



## Thorsby Seniors Receive Grant

Deputy Mayor Ken Poffenroth is pleased to announce that he has been successful in securing a Federal Government grant in the amount of

\$25,000.00 from the New Horizons for Seniors program. This money is to be used for paving the Thorsby Seniors Centre parking lot.

This is the second New Horizons grant that our Deputy Mayor has received for our seniors. The first was a much larger grant to help fund the building of the Seniors Centre back in 2017. At that time, as a private citizen, Poffenroth managed to be successful in obtaining grants from the Alberta Government, Leduc County and the Town of Thorsby. This allowed Poffenroth to set up and chair a local building committee overseeing the centre's construction.

This committee was also determined to use local businesses to supply the building materials and use our local labour. Our seniors centre was opened in 2017 on budget and on time. A good news story for Thorsby! (Poffenroth had help with all the computer work from his darling wife.....behind every man is a good woman!)



Inside Story:  
Kindergarten teacher Kate Myszkowski from TES receives nomination for the 2021 Edwin Parr Teacher Award from BGSD.

# The CLASSIFIEDS

## WANTED

**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 (1-4)

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**Classified Ads are \$5.00 for 2 weeks**  
(up to 30 words) GST included.

Due to COVID 19,  
in lieu of a social gathering,



**Ella Schmidt's**  
family is requesting a card shower for her  
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## Leduc County Scavenger Hunt

**APRIL 1 to 30**

Taking place throughout the month of April, our Scavenger Hunt will take you across the county in search of challenges. This family-friendly activity is meant for all ages and it's easy to participate.

### How it works

- First, view our Scavenger Hunt map, which has challenge locations marked throughout Leduc County.
- Each time you complete a challenge, submit your answers to us using an online form.
- If you solve five challenges, you will win a family prize.

View the map and full details, including how to submit your answers, at [leduc-county.com/scavenger-hunt](http://leduc-county.com/scavenger-hunt).



# 2021 Dust Suppression Program

**Application deadline: Saturday, May 15**



Leduc County is currently accepting applications for our 2021 dust control program. There are two product choices available:

## 1. Calcium chloride

- Calcium chloride is a top shoot dust control product that is applied by spraying over the gravel surface.
- Two applications of the product will be done for every residence applying for this type of dust control. The second application will be automatically applied approximately six to eight weeks following the first application (weather permitting).
- Residents desiring a calcium chloride dust control product on the county road adjacent to their residence will be required to complete an application form and to prepay a fee of **\$374.50** for the first 122 metres (400 feet). Dust control requested beyond 122 metres (400 feet) will be charged \$8.77 per metre.

## 2. Incorporated DL10

- Incorporated DL10 is a petroleum-based product that is applied to the road surface and mixed in and packed by graders.
- It is warrantied for one year from date of application.
- Residents desiring an incorporated dust control product on the county road adjacent to their residence will be required to complete an application form and to prepay a fee of **\$2,934.50** for the first 122 metres (400 feet). Dust control beyond 122 metres (400 feet) will be charged \$29.75 per metre.

## Other information

- GST will be added to all prices listed above.
- The prices listed are after receiving a Leduc County subsidy of **\$695.50** per strip.
- This subsidy is provided to county residents living in permanent residences along a county gravel road.
- Businesses paying for residential strips will be charged the full rate without subsidy.
- The dust control program will begin as soon as possible after seasonal road bans have been lifted.
- Application forms are available from our Road Operations department at 1103 5 St. in Nisku or at **www.leduc-county.com/dust-suppression**.
- Applications with payment can be mailed to County Centre at 1101 5 St., Nisku, AB T9E 2X3 or delivered to our Services Building located at 1103 – 5th Street in Nisku.
- For more information, call **780-979-6185**.



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**Thorsby Tiny Tots Playschool is accepting registration for the 2021-2022 Playschool year.** We are currently taking names for our 3 and 4 year old classes. For more information or to be placed on a list please call or email: Mandy - [mandy\\_1104@hotmail.com](mailto:mandy_1104@hotmail.com) 780-999-3379 or Sharon - [dspowlik@gmail.com](mailto:dspowlik@gmail.com) 780-719-5110

**Sunnybrook Hall is having their monthly Community Meeting** on Wednesday, April 14th at 7 pm. All are welcome to come join !

**FRESH LUNCH FRIDAYS at Sunnybrook Hall.** 2 Options - **Must Order Thursdays.** First Friday will be April 16th. Call 587.986.9031 or email [sunnybrookcommunityhall@gmail.com](mailto:sunnybrookcommunityhall@gmail.com)

### PROGRAMS & REGULAR EVENTS

**Thorsby Bingo CANCELLED due to rise in COVID-19.**

**ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION #246 MULHURST:** Will remain closed due to Covid restrictions: Sorry no Bingo, social's or meetings at this time. Please stay safe, wear a mask and we hope to see you soon. Marion 780-935-6281

**The Thorsby Library is now open** for in-person or curbside service from 10:00-6:00 Tuesday and from 10:00-4:00 Friday. Please call 780-789-3808 for more information. The library is closed on April 2 for Good Friday. Follow Thorsby Library on Facebook to learn the latest news. Visit us to renew your library card at <https://thorsbymunicipallibrary.ab.ca/copy-of-form>

**The Glen Park Hall** is one of the most active and viable community groups in the area and we encourage you to join in this online outreach and see how you can benefit and help others in these challenging times. CALL MIKE & STELLA at 780-919-1250 to Register (get the link), or CALL RON at 780-668-2458 for tech support.

### MARKETS / THRIFT SHOPS (NON PROFIT)

**Thorsby Senior's Thrift Store is OPEN** - 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!

**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.

### COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

**Foot Care Nurse** will be in Thorsby on the 1st Wednesday of every month. Please call Irene at 780-789-3176 to make an appointment or for information

**Thorsby Family and Community Support Services** - PH. 780-789-4004 or email: [fcss@thorsby.ca](mailto:fcss@thorsby.ca)

**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 8:00pm 780-270-7903

**Thorsby Bylaw Enforcement** - For concerns or inquires email [bylaw@thorsby.ca](mailto:bylaw@thorsby.ca) or call 780.789.3935 Ext. 21

**Bus Transportation To Leduc** - The 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month. Departs from the Thorsby Rec Center. Approx. 9:30 am, cost of \$7, call to reserve a seat: 780-848-7717.

**Community Events Sign is Free** to Non-Profit Organizations on a first come, first served basis for a period of one week, or less. To have your event placed on the sign call, 780-789-4041.

### WORSHIP

**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.

**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.

**New Life Christian Fellowship** - Worship Services Sunday - 10:30 am, Ladies Fellowship and Prayer Friday - 9:30 am. 780-789-3020.



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QTY:

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Ingredients: Pork...

Cost: \$5.00 / pack

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#### Pepperoni - VP



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Ingredients: Pork, Water...

Cost: \$9.00 / pack

QTY:

#### Breakfast Sausage Links - Uncooked



Price per pound.

Ingredients: Pork, Water, Corn flour, Salt, Heat processed...

Cost: \$6.00 / pack

QTY:

#### Perogies - Potato & Cheddar



Two dozen per package. Price per package.

Ingredients: Flour, Potato...

Cost: \$10.00 / pack

QTY:

#### Cabbage Rolls - Sweet



One dozen per package. Price per package.

Ingredients: Rice, Cabbage...

Cost: \$10.00 / pack

QTY:

#### Cabbage Rolls - Sour



One dozen per package. Price per package.

Ingredients: Rice, Cabbage...

Cost: \$10.00 / pack

QTY:

#### Sausage with Cheese VP



Price per pound.

Cost: \$9.00 / pack

QTY:

## WORSHIP

**Our Lady of Victory** Mass Time is 9:00 am. and anyone wishing to attend Mass must register first with Guy Giroux at 780-940-2751. There will also be Wednesday morning Mass at 11:00 a.m. Again registration is recommended by calling Guy Giroux.

**Philippian Christian Friendship Church of Canada Thorsby** - This is Rev. Pollard, if you need prayer or just to talk, please leave your number and we will get back to you. Have a blessed day! **587.930.7801**

**ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH** - Divine Liturgy Sunday, April 18 @ 9:00 a.m. Masks are mandatory and all COVID restrictions apply. For any further information contact Dan at 780-789-3698

**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

**Thorsby Ag. Society Regular Meetings** - First Wednesday of every Month, 7:00 pm, Haymaker's Arena. [www.thorsbyhaymaker.com](http://www.thorsbyhaymaker.com) or call 780-789-3829.

**CANCELLED Thorsby Senior's Supper Meetings** These monthly meetings will now be held in the Senior's Centre (4812-51st Street) and are on the last Wednesday of every month at 6:00 p.m. Members are requested to bring a potluck dish. Memberships are available for \$10 from Elaine Warnock at 780.221.3939.

**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.

**Thorsby & District Lions' Club** (non-profit organization serving Thorsby & District), Meeting the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month at the Lions' Den in Community Hall Basement at 7:00 pm. For information or membership, call 780-903-1695.

**The Royal Canadian Legion, Pioneer Br. 144 Thorsby is wanting more members.** Meetings are every third Wednesday of the month, except July and August, at the Thorsby Senior Club 4512-51 Street at 9:30 am.

## FACILITY RENTALS

**Thorsby Community Centre** - For bookings call Marlene at 780-789-3734 or text 780-217-9394 or email [thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com](mailto:thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com). Visit our Facebook Page at [www.facebook.com/ThorsbyHistoricalSociety](http://www.facebook.com/ThorsbyHistoricalSociety)

**Thorsby Senior's Centre rentals.** Call Cathy Kuzio 780-719-7124.

## FACILITY RENTALS

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

**Camp Barvok** - For bookings, call Walter 7807172432, or Jason 7809904043, or email [bookings@barvok.com](mailto:bookings@barvok.com)

**Centrelodge Community Centre** - For bookings call Caroline 780-789-3089.

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

**Glen Park Hall** - For bookings call Mike at 780-919-1250.

**Morrowdale Community Hall** - For bookings call Elaine at 780-789-2104.

**Mulhurst Legion #246** Hall Rentals - Call: Marie 780-361-7350

**Rundle's Mission Retreat Centre:** 780.389.2422 or [rent@rundlesmission.org](mailto:rent@rundlesmission.org), you can also visit our website at [www.rundlesmission.org](http://www.rundlesmission.org)

**Sandholm Community Hall** - For hall bookings call Doris 780-389-2381.

**Strawberry Community Hall** - Call Ollie at 780-789-2180.

**Sunnybrook Community Hall Rentals:** Contact Name: Mikayla, Phone Number: 306-307-2599, Email Address: [sunnybrookcommunityhall@gmail.com](mailto:sunnybrookcommunityhall@gmail.com)

**Telfordville Hall** - For bookings call Tracy at 780-718-9549 after 5:00 pm.

**Rundle's Mission** - For hall bookings call 780-389-2422 or [www.rundlesmission.org](http://www.rundlesmission.org)

**Breton Community Center-** To rent the community center please visit our website [www.bretonagsociety.com](http://www.bretonagsociety.com), call 780-696-3561 and leave a message or email us at [bretonagsociety@gmail.com](mailto:bretonagsociety@gmail.com)

**Breton Golden Age Centre Rentals** - \$10 / hour with \$25.00 for use of kitchen or \$15/day. Deposit of \$50 required. **Call Pat at 780.696.2056**

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

**Warburg Legion Hall is available for rent** at \$75.00/ full day and \$50.00/half day with a deposit of \$50.00 that is refundable upon inspection. For Hall rental, please contact Deb/Max 780 848 2923 or (780) 264 9217 or Nancy/Allan 780 848 7756.



## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**The 48th Annual General Meeting of the Buck Mountain Gas Co-op Ltd. will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 15th, 2021 at the Warburg Pioneer Recreation Centre 5435 - 50A Avenue, Warburg, Alberta.**

Any member with an interest or desire to sit on the Board of Directors of the Buck Mountain Gas Co-op can call the office for more information at 780-848-2808 or toll free 1-800-265-5389.

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Saturday: 9:30am – 4:00pm

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

Last spring, we received direction that churches had to close, due to Covid. My heart was broken and I cried for a full day! I so much love my church and my church family, and to be instantly cut off, was devastating! Yes! There are lots of TV church programs and that helped, but it doesn't fill the hole in my heart. There was/is lots of preaching, but not much singing and I NEED to sing. However, our church did eventually open, but with many restrictions including, fewer of my church family. I STILL find that so sad but am so thankful to be able to be back with a FEW, actual people! In one of our Pastor's messages, he mentioned that an Atheist once said, "over the door of every church, there should be a sign that reads IMPORTANT, IF TRUE". My mind immediately went to songs that I love to sing and I compiled a list, in the form of a story, that tells of MY faith.

### IMPORTANT, IF TRUE

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed, the little Lord Jesus, lay down His sweet head.  
Silent Night, Holy Night, all is calm, all is bright,  
The little Lord Jesus asleep on the hay.  
Oh come! Let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!  
Mary! Did you know that your baby boy, would  
one day rule the Nation?  
Mary! Did you know that the child you delivered,  
would soon deliver you?  
They bound the hands of Jesus, in the garden  
where He prayed.  
They struck Him and they cursed Him, and  
mocked His Holy name!  
Up Calvary's mountain, one dreadful morn,  
Walked Christ the Saviour, weary and worn,  
Praying for sinners, while in such woe,  
No one but JESUS, EVER loved so.  
Upon His precious head, they placed the crown  
of thorns,  
They laughed and said "BEHOLD! THE KING!"  
They struck Him and they cursed Him, and

mocked His Holy name.

All alone, He suffered everything!  
Father! Forgive them, thus did He pray,  
Even while His life's blood, flowed fast away.  
No one but JESUS, ever loved so!  
Low, in the grave He lay, Jesus my Saviour, Wait-  
ing the coming day, Jesus, my Lord.  
Death could not keep its prey, Jesus my Saviour!  
UP FROM THE GRAVE HE AROSE, WITH A  
MIGHTY TRIUMPH ORE HIS FOES!  
He's alive again, the stones been rolled away,  
He's alive again, He's no longer where He lay,  
Let all the earth rejoice, He's alive!  
He's Alive! He's Alive! He's Alive and I'm forgiven!  
You ask me how I know He lives? He lives within  
my heart!  
I should have been crucified, I should have suf-  
fered and died  
I should have hung on the cross in disgrace, But  
Jesus, God's Son, took my place!  
Amazing love, how can it be, that thou my God,  
should die for me!  
I stand amazed in the Presence, of Jesus the  
Nazarene, and wonder how He could love me,  
A sinner, condemned, unclean!  
I claim the Blood, Jesus shed on Calvary, Those  
Precious blood stains, were made there just for  
me  
For all my sin, my sickness and my pain,  
When I need healing, I claim those precious  
blood stains!  
He is coming again for me, and He told me to  
pray, and to keep watch each day,  
We shall see Jesus, just as He promised, there is  
no greater promise than this,  
When He returns, in Power and Glory, we shall  
see Jesus, just as He is!  
Have YOU any room for Jesus?

### IMPORTANT- IT'S TRUE!

Judy Oppegaard

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This **FREE** permit will allow you to haul during spring road ban season. Conditions will apply. For a detailed listing of Leduc County road bans, visit [www.leduc-county.com/roadbans](http://www.leduc-county.com/roadbans) or call:

- **780-979-6185**  
(Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.)
- **780-955-7226**  
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## Know Your Farmer, Know Your Food: Ag Tour

### IN SEARCH OF: DIRECT MARKET PRODUCERS

In summer 2021, Leduc County is hosting two local agriculture tours, and we are looking for direct-market producers to participate. One tour will take place east of Highway 2 and one will take place west of Highway 2.

### GET INVOLVED

If you are a local direct-market producer and want to get involved, please contact Sharon at [sharon@leduc-county.com](mailto:sharon@leduc-county.com) or **780-770-9271**.

*All interested producers must fill out an application form for pre-approval. The registration deadline is April 9.*



# Edwin Parr Teacher Award Nominee from TES

From Black Gold School Division

2021 Edwin Parr Teacher Award Nominee:  
Learning as an act of creation

Black Gold School Division is pleased to congratulate kindergarten teacher Kate Myszkowski from Thorsby Elementary School (previously at Distance Learning) as our 2021 Edwin Parr Teacher Award nominee. Kate will be representing the Division at the zone level.

"Even though she is a new teacher, Kate quickly established a safe, caring, and inclusive environment," said Distance Learning Principal Denise Harrison, who nominated Kate for the award. "Her purposeful student engagement permitted her to gain a better level of understanding of individual students in relation to personalities, specific learning needs, and instructional preferences. Her caring and empathetic personality endeared her to several students needing that extra level of genuine support and individual contact."

Kate is excellent at working with students who need a little extra support, and with those who sometimes need a lot more. "She intuitively swoops in to check on her kids and to find out how she can help get them smiling and laughing and joining along with the rest of the class," said Thorsby Elementary School Principal Raylene Jubinville. "We truly believe this is because of her genuine voice, and the students knowing she genuinely cares about them."

Kate is quick to build productive working relationships with colleagues and support staff. She fosters effective collaboration within her grade level cohort, and generously shares information and resources with colleagues as she develops her own resources and lessons. Her interactions with school administration and parents are always sincere and professional.

"It is truly an honour to be nominated for this award," said Kate Myszkowski. "As I begin my career as an educator, I will continue to acknowledge that a classroom and the learning that takes

place within is an act of creation. A classroom is a system of relationships. I believe teachers and students co-create this learning environment together and in order to do so effectively, a strong and positive relationship must exist."

Kate is committed to developing strong relationships with the students in her school communities by demonstrating genuine care for students in the class and upholding her deeply-held values of honesty, integrity, trust, and honouring diversity.

"I believe that through collaboration with other professionals and cultural advisors, and most importantly in keeping an open mind, I will be able to foster intercultural understanding and respect for cultural diversity in my classrooms," said Kate.

"On behalf of the Board, I congratulate Ms. Myszkowski as our nominee for the Edwin Parr Teacher Award," said Board Chair Devonna Klaassen. "Her passion for both teaching and building strong connections reflects the Division's values and commitment to inspiring success. We could not be more fortunate to have her, along with so many other great teachers in our Black Gold family."

"Regardless of the medium, Kate is able to inspire success in her students while overcoming daunting challenges in her different assignments this year," said Superintendent of Schools Bill Romanchuk. "Kate has shown that she has the heart and soul of an educator. Our students are in good hands for many years to come."



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Leduc County's Land Use Bylaw

Leduc County is beginning an update of the Land Use Bylaw and we need your input to shape the future landscape of our county.

### What's a land use bylaw?

The Land Use Bylaw is the primary document we use to guide decisions on planning applications for everything from building a shed to building a shopping mall. It outlines what types of development is allowed on each parcel of land in the county.

### Why are we updating it?

We want to create a user-friendly, comprehensive document that supports growth in the county, streamlines processes and protects our resources.

To make our goal a reality, your input is vital.

If you own land in Leduc County, the outcome of this project could affect you.

From **March 1 to April 12** we want to hear your comments, suggestions or past experiences with planning in Leduc County.

Visit [leduc-county.com/shapingyourcounty](https://leduc-county.com/shapingyourcounty) to learn how you can get involved and to sign up for project updates.

For more information call us at 780-979-6180 or email the project team at [shapingyourcounty@leduc-county.com](mailto:shapingyourcounty@leduc-county.com).







## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

# Proposed Community Standards Bylaw

The proposed Community Standards Bylaw helps address unsightly premises in Leduc County. The purpose of the bylaw is to prevent unsightly premises from developing by outlining clear expectations and standards to citizens, and to provide an enforcement mechanism to address them when they occur.

The proposed bylaw applies to properties in hamlets, subdivisions and other identified areas. The proposed bylaw **does not** apply to agricultural, farming, commercial or industrial lands.

View the proposed bylaw at [leduc-county.com/community-standards](http://leduc-county.com/community-standards)

## Public hearing on May 11

This public hearing is an opportunity for members of the public who believe they are affected to provide feedback to council. Council will listen to/review your input, and consider it before deciding the future of the proposed bylaw.

The public hearing will be held on **Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 1:45 p.m.** in the council chamber of Leduc County Centre (101, 1101 5 St. in Nisku). *These details are subject to change to ensure we comply with public health guidelines; any changes will be shared on [leduc-county.com/community-standards](http://leduc-county.com/community-standards) and with those who have registered to speak at the public hearing.*

You can take any of the following actions by **May 5** to submit your input:

- ▶ register to make a submission at the public hearing, either in person or via teleconference, by visiting [leduc-county.com/community-standards](http://leduc-county.com/community-standards)
- ▶ submit your input using our online comment form at [leduc-county.com/community-standards](http://leduc-county.com/community-standards)
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- ▶ fax your submission to **780-955-5557**

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The draw for the winners took place at Thorsby Family Foods last Friday evening. We recorded the event as we randomly drew three numbers using the online Rafflebox program tool. First prize went to Pamela Leefe of Mulhurst Bay; second prize went to Kim Engler of Sherwood Park; and third prize went to Kelly Primus of Thorsby. Congratulations to the winners!

The support in our community for this fundraiser has been wonderful. We would specifically like to thank Thorsby Family Foods for providing the prizes; CE Media Signs and Promotional for their poster design and banner; and Barry Rasch for spearheading this initiative for the Parent Teacher Association. Thank you to all!



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### APRIL 2021

**Tuesday 13 | Regular Council Meeting  
Tuesday 20 | Committee of the Whole Meeting  
Tuesday 27 | Regular Council Meeting**

### MAY 2021

**Tuesday 4 | Committee of the Whole Meeting  
Tuesday 11 | Regular Council Meeting  
Tuesday 18 | Committee of the Whole Meeting  
Tuesday 25 | Regular Council Meeting**

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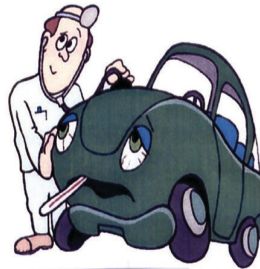
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## News

From Gayle Sacuta

April has arrived, and with it, spring! I invite you to dig into some poetry this month while you're waiting to plant the potatoes. Everywhere in the country people are sharpening their pencils and jotting lines of inspiration. Groups and websites have formed encouraging you to share your voice and ideas. If you are a writer now is the time to get a new scribbler and get writing!

Know your community:

Thorsby Municipal Library is hosting an online program featuring local notable personality, John Hawtin! Learn about the life and career of an RAF fighter pilot through John's interesting and informative presentation. Join us on a journey from Burma (Myanmar) to Canada via India, England, Germany, Cyprus and more.

Date: April 28, 2021, from 7:00 - 8:00 PM on Zoom

Topic: The Life and Career of Retired RAF Fighter Pilot - John Hawtin

To register: email [yatmgsacuta@yrl.ab.ca](mailto:yatmgsacuta@yrl.ab.ca) or call 780-789-3808 and leave your email address.

Maximum participants: 20. Registration closes April 24.

Library Hours:

For April, the Library will continue to be open two days per week. Tuesdays from 10:00-6:00, and Fridays from 10:00-4:00. Call us at 780-789-3808 or leave a message at [thorsbypublib@yrl.ab.ca](mailto:thorsbypublib@yrl.ab.ca) if you have any questions. Also find our website at <https://thorsbymunicipallibrary.ab.ca/>, and our social media feeds. The Library Board meets every third Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm and meetings are open to the public. The next meeting is April 18 on Zoom. Please contact the manager at [yatmgsacuta@yrl.ab.ca](mailto:yatmgsacuta@yrl.ab.ca) for more information.



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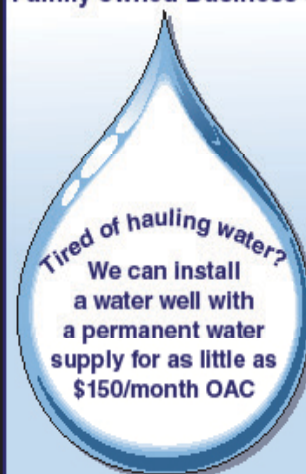
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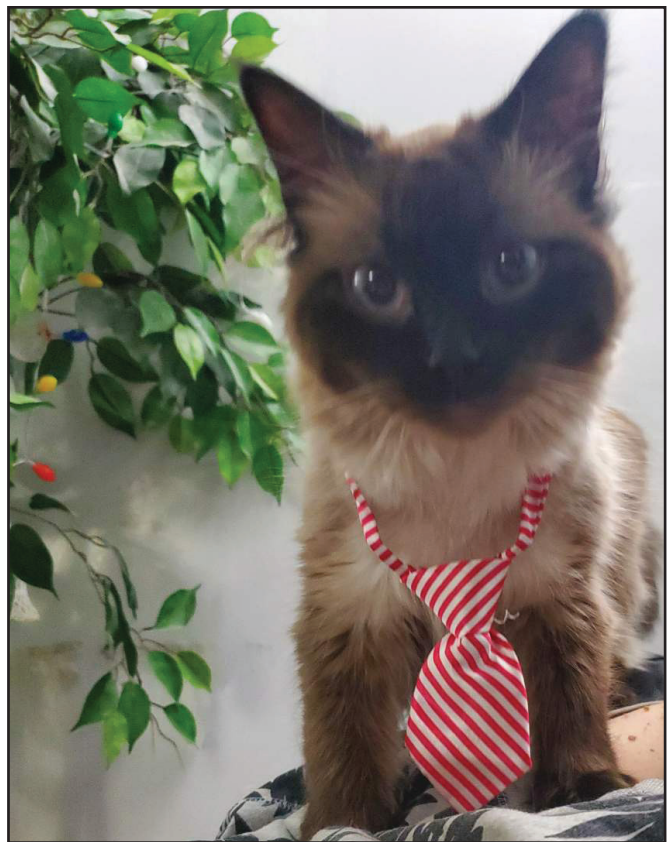
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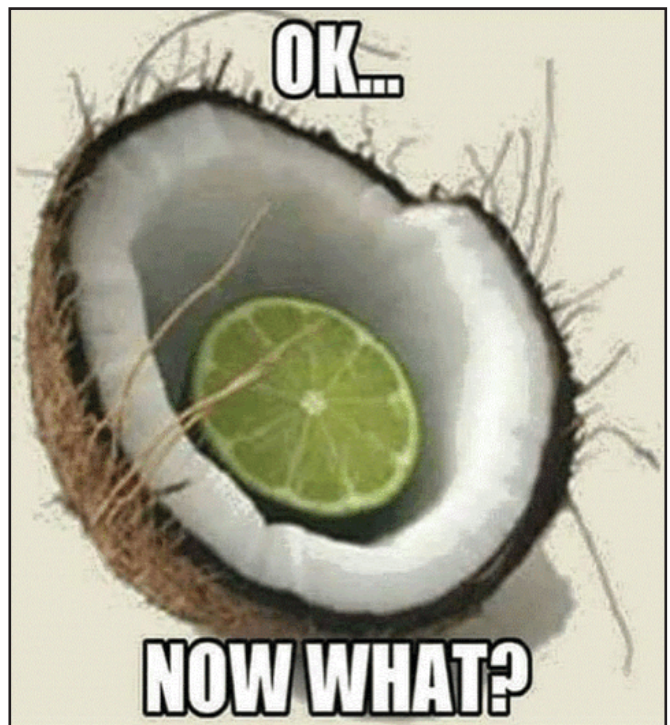


Meet Carl everyone!

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# Thorsby Healthy Communities Trail Development Survey

The Thorsby Rec. Department was successful in securing grant funding in 2019 in the amount of \$20,000.00 through a healthy communities initiative. The Committee has been diligently working over the last year to gather information from the community. The information gathered identified two projects. One being Taylor Park for \$10,000.00 and the other being Trail Development for \$10,000.00. The Thorsby Healthy Communities Committee is made up of passionate volunteers in the community. We are seeking your valued feedback on trail development. **Completed forms can be dropped off in the Thorsby Target box at the drug store.**

## Question \* 1. Do you and your family enjoy outdoor activities?

Check which ones.

- Walking
- Hiking
- Running
- Biking

## Question \* 2. Have your outdoor activities increased since the beginning of the pandemic?

Check which ones.

- Not at All
- Some What
- Often

## Question \* 3. Are you aware of The Thorsby's Network of Trails?

Check which one.

- Yes
- No

## Question \* 4. How would you like to see the trails develop going forward?

Check which one.

- Continue to expand with more trails
- Do not expand just improve what we have

## Question \* 5. How Is Our Mapping?

Check which one.

- There is adequate mapping in place to feel comfortable where you are at and how to find the trails
- There is not adequate mapping in place

## Question \* 6. How Is Our Signage?

Check which ones.

- Would you like to see QR Scanning Codes used to add updates and pictures?
- Would trail signage be helpful to notify users of trail difficulty?
- Should all trails be identified in GPS?
- Would it be helpful to identify where bridges, rest points, garbages, historical areas, and art installations are located?
- Would you like to see Geocaching opportunities on the trails?
- Other (please specify)

## Question \* 7. Trail Viewpoints

Check which ones.

- Would you like to see the trails become more interpretive with points of interest?
- Would you like to see more viewing areas on the trails?

## Question \* 8. Volunteering

Check which ones.

- Would you be willing to volunteer your time to help develop the trails if the request was made?
- Would you be willing to donate equipment to help develop our trails to keep costs down?
- Would you be interested in donating materials to help build the trails as it develops?
- Other (please specify)

**Question 9. If we have missed anything, we really want to hear from you.** Your feedback is important in the development of the trails and we value the time that you have given to answer these important survey questions. **Thank You**

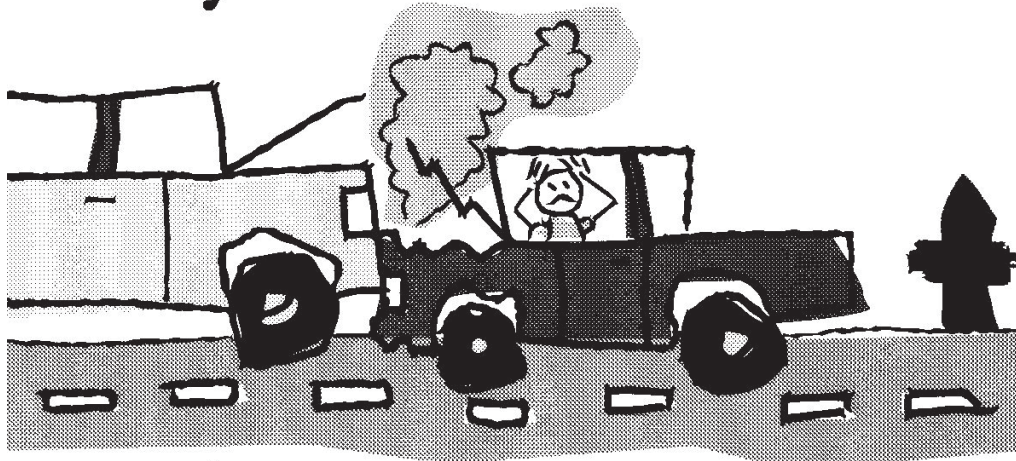
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**Wawanesa**  
Insurance

**\*We are now able to accept debit payments for insurance\***

**We Also Provide ALBERTA REGISTRY SERVICES  
only at our THORSBY location!**



**Don't forget to check the expiry date on your driver's license  
- it expires on your birthday!**

Registration Renewals for “APRIL” - your registration  
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