

Adopt A Planter Program From Thorsby CIB

Is your business interested in sponsoring one or more of these beautiful planters? This year CIB and the Town of Thorsby are partnering together to bring you an Adopt A Planter Program.

For your sponsorship of \$50, Thorsby Communities In Bloom will plant them and look after

them, including watering for the season. Your business name will also be displayed in the planter with a 4" x 7" sign to let residents know who sponsored it. The donation will be issued a tax receipt for your business from the Town of Thorsby.

We only have a limited number of planters, so if you are interested in sponsoring one please call Barry at 780-983-2096.







HELP WANTED

Calmar Co-op - F/T and P/T cashiers and pump attendants needed. Contact Laura Kushinski at 780.985-4584 or email laura1@xplornet.com (1-3)

WANTED

Wanted - House To Rent - Looking to rent a well kept house, must be in good condition (up to code). Must be ok with 2 very well trained cats. Call Eric.

780.887.7057 (1-1)

DOWNSIZING - ESTATES - Is your large collection overwhelming you?! We can help! We buy quality used goods - vintage and antique!

825.993.2522 (1-1kr)

Wanted to Buy - Will buy your old lead batteries for re-cycling. Also Free removal of scrap vehicles. We pay cash for both! 1.403.396.8629 (1-1kr)

Wanted to Buy: Old Farm Tractors or Caterpillars. Complete or incomplete.

1.403.396.8629 (1-1kr)

GARAGE SALES

Huge Multi Family Garage Sale: Strawberry Hall on Friday June 11th from 9 am-8 pm and Saturday June 12th from 9 am-6 pm. Collectables, antique books, tools, household, crafts/sewing. COVID rules apply. Call for additional info 780.789.2180 (2-3)

FOR SALE

Farm Fresh Eggs for sale. \$3/dozen, \$4.50/18. We also have purebred Ameraucana fertilized eggs/chicks available and Wiener Pigs for Sale. Call Kayla at 403.391.8026 or Jared at 780.940.6155 (1-1kr)

Breton West Herefords has both horned and polled bulls for sale. Call or text Leonard at 780-898-9590 (9-10)

FOR RENT RESIDENTIAL

Spacious bedroom for rent in Warburg. Call or text 403-598-8861 for details. (1-2)

FOR RENT COMMERCIAL

Building for rent in Breton - \$500/mth plus utilities. Call 780.696.3551 (1-1kr)

SERVICES

6' Rough Cut Mower on Track Skid Steer Loader for hire. Brush cutting, fence clearing, opening fields. Roto-tilling for gardens also available.

Call Clayton at 780.975.5408. (6-17)



Arnold Allan Schaber
September 14, 1941 - May 14, 2021

It is with sadness that the family of Arnold Schaber announces his passing after a short stay at the Grey Nuns Hospital in Edmonton.

Arnold will be lovingly remembered by Phyllis, his wife of 56 years, his son Steve (Kelli), their children, Chase and Remi of Memphis Tennessee, his grandsons Gage (Stephanie) Whitnack, their children Alexus and Eden, Dru Whitnack, Colton Lee, and granddaughter Shyla Whitnack, her child Katrena, and his brother Gordon Schaber. He also leaves to mourn his loss many good friends, nieces, nephews, brothers and sisters in law.

Arnold was predeceased by his daughter Trena, parents, Albert and Alma Schaber and sister in law Nancy Schaber.

Arnold moved his family from Edmonton to their farm in 1974, he enjoyed farming and maintained his off farm career in the Pipefitters Union travelling to many job sites. He loved his family and was actively involved in their activities, and he kept up with the lives of his many nieces and nephews.

Cremation has taken place.

Due to Covid restrictions a private celebration of Arnold's life will be held at a later time.

Donations in Arnold's memory may be made to St. Matthew's Lutheran Church, Box 330 Thorsby, AB. T0C2P0 or to the Mazankowski Heart Institute, 11220 83 Ave. Edmonton, AB. T6G 2B7

THANK YOU!!!

The 20th Annual Mulhurst Bay
Walk-A-Thon was a success!
Thank you to all those who helped in the
organization and the 18 enthusiastic
participates who came out
on May 27th to do the 5KM walk.
These hardy walkers had a "pit stop" at the
Mulhurst Legion for a quick refreshment and
ended the walk with a complimentary ice cream
cone at the Mulhurst Bay Gift and Book Store.

Thank you!!

The money raised is for the Alberta Cancer Foundation - Patient Comfort Fund. \$3,232.00 was raised so far!

You can still donate online at https://p2p.onecause.com/mulhurstbaywalkathon2021





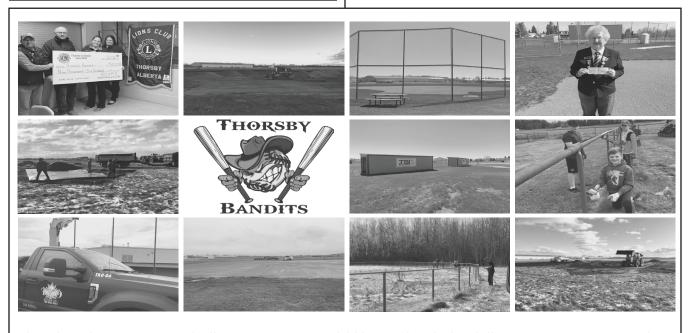
Multi House Yard Sale

June 4th, 5th & 6th

Friday from 12 - 8 pm Saturday from 10 am - 6 pm Sunday from 10 am - 6 pm

4823 Hankin Street Thorsby

Antiques, collectables, decor, sports equipment, camping equipment. Furniture, tools, clothing, movies, books, records and so much more!



The Thorsby Minor Baseball Association would like to thank the following organizations that helped us over the last few years while building our new ball diamond. This project could not have been done without your support.

Town of Thorsby, County of Leduc, TKO Rentals, Shawn's Oilfield Services, TSI, Weblink Fencing, Lions Club, Legion, Mel Ruff Enterprises, Baseball Alberta, Keith Miller Trucking, Capital Power, Westower, TrenchCo, and the many volunteers



SERVICES

BOBCAT SERVICES AVAILABLE - We also have black dirt, gravel & peat moss available. Call Keith at 780.514.4387 (7-10)

BUILDERS/RENOVATIONS

Custom Built Epoxy Countertops and Interior Renovations - are you looking to update your countertops, reno-vate your home or need home repairs - call Greg Sharman @ 780.898.3866 or visit www.gregsharman.com or www. counter.gregsharman.com (1-1kr)

Classified Ads are

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- call or text 780-887-0077
- drop off your ad at the Royal Care Guardian Drugstore
- email media@community39.com
- submit online at www.community39.com



Doc Hunter Retiring

After 22 wonderful years serving Thorsby and surrounding communities.

He will be retiring at the end of June. Not to fret..... Dr. Jordan Davis will be taking over. Make your appointment to come meet and welcome the new Chiropractor. Dates she will be there with Doc H. are June 21, 25, and 28.

Thorsby Family Chiropratic 780-789-3001

Seniors Services

Could they be a benefit to you?

Seniors Services provides preventative social programs that assist seniors and people with disabilities in maintaining their independence and enhancing their quality of life.

A housekeeping subsidy is available to assist seniors and adults with disabilities to live as independently as possible in their own safe, clean and comfortable homes.

To be eligible for the housekeeping subsidy, vou must:

- be a senior (65+) or an adult with a disability or inability to complete household tasks,
- be a resident of Leduc County, Calmar, Thorsby, or Warburg, and
- have a total household income of less than \$60,000 a year (as a couple) or less than \$40,000 (as a single).

Housekeeping fees are determined based on family income level and eligibility to other subsidies. The services are provided through a partnership with Serving Hands Senior Care Inc.

Seniors Services also offers one-to-one support to assist you with:

- Information and referrals to other local resources
- Assistance with forms and applications
- Advocacy and coordination of services
- Goal setting and future planning direction

For more information or to access any of these programs, please contact the seniors services coordinator at **780-955-4554.**





Town of Thorsby
Upcoming Council Meetings

JUNE 2021

Tuesday 8 | Regular Council Meeting Tuesday 15 | Committee of the Whole Meeting Tuesday 22 | Regular Council Meeting

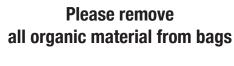
All meetings start at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers unless otherwise stated.





NOTICE TOWN RESIDENTS COMMUNITY "ORGANIC" COMPOST SITE

Grass clippings and leaves "only" can now be taken to the Thorsby compost site Located North of 50 Avenue & 46 Street



For further information contact the Municipal Office at 780-789-3935







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UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

FRESH LUNCH FRIDAYS at Sunnybrook Hall. Every Friday, Sunnybrook will feature 2 lunch options for sale. Fresh made lunches for pickup only, \$10.00 per item. Pickup between 11AM and 1PM. Cash Only on pickup please. Please order by Wednesday June 9th - The specials for June 11th are: 1) Meatball sliders with tai corn chowder; 2) Mitchell Mulligan (a hamburger macaroni dish) with tossed green salad. Call 587.986.9031 or email 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. 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.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) at Thorsby Seniors Cente - Mondays, weigh in at 9:00 to 9:15 am, meetings 9:15 - 9:45 am, for more info call Jane 780-789-37891 or Elaine 780-221-3939

MARKETS / THRIFT SHOPS (NON PROFIT)

Thorsby Senior's Thrift Store - The thrift store is now open Thursdays and Fridays 10:00 am - 3:00pm. WE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTING DONATIONS AT THIS TIME.

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

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 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. JOHN THE BAPTIST UKRAINIAN CATH-OLIC CHURCH - Divine Liturgy on Sunday, June 13 at 10:30 a.m. Masks are mandatory. All COVID rules apply. Graveside services to follow if COVID restrictions allow. For further information contact Dan @ 780-789-3698.

St. Matthew's Lutheran Church Thorsby is closed to in-person worship until further notice. Our weekly recorded service with Pastor Ron can still be found on YouTube.

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.



Frontier Construction Products Ltd. is now accepting applications for its **Thorsby** plant for the position of:

Welder - Fabricator

(Non Journeyman encouraged to apply)

Duties to include:

- Weld steel components with welding equipment as specified by layouts, engineering drawings, work orders, or verbal instructions
- Operate forklifts, hoists, hand power tools, slings, grinders, cutting torch, and other hand tools related to the jobs needs
- Inspect and correct welds as necessary to meet product specifications
- Willingness to cross-train and perform the work of other job tasks in addition to the primary assigned position

Successful candidate should have:

- Familiar with a variety of welder concepts, practices, and procedures
- Ability to understand welding symbols and diagrams, read blueprints, and/or other printed instructional material in the welding of products or parts
- Demonstrate willingness to work with others in a team environment
- Positive, willingness to learn and participate in a changing environment to reach a common goal
- Must be able to meet physical demands of working with heavy steel
- First aid training would be an asset
- High School diploma or GED required

Email to: steve@frontier-cp.com

Seniors' Week and World Elder Abuse Awareness Day

Celebrate seniors with Leduc County Family and Community Support Services (FCSS)

Seniors' Week: June 7 - 13, 2021

Seniors' Week is a great opportunity to honour and recognize all that seniors have contributed to make our families and communities stronger.

How can you show your appreciation for seniors this Seniors' Week? Reach out to an older adult in your life, say thank you, make sure they are safe and ask if they need help with anything!

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day: June 15

It's time to change how we think about aging so we can all live and age better. Wear purple on World Elder Abuse Awareness Day to show your support and promote positive attitudes towards seniors.

Virtual event: Aloha Dancers YEG

Date: Friday, June 11 **Time:** 6 to 6:45 p.m. **Location:** online via Zoom

Virtual event: Responses to elder abuse according to the law

Date: Thursday, June 15 **Time:** 10 to 11 a.m. **Location:** online via Zoom

Virtual event: Building personal and family relationships - what is the role of the law?

Date: Thursday, June 15 **Time:** 2 to 3:30 p.m. **Location:** online via Zoom

To participate, you will need internet access through a smart phone, tablet or computer.

To register for the above-listed virtual programs, call **780-979-2385** or email **fcssinfo@leduc-county.com.**





WORSHIP

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

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 Can-ada 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

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 Wil-liams 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 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 thors-byhistoricalsociety@gmail.com. Visit our Facebook Page at www.facebook.com/ThorsbyHistoricalSociety

Thorsby Senior's Centre rentals. Call Cathy Kuzio

FACILITY RENTALS

780-719-7124.

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

Camp Barvnok - For bookings, call Walter 7807172432, or Jason 7809904043, or email bookings@barvnok.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, you can also visit our website at 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

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

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

Community Events are placed FREE OF CHARGE, thanks to the community commitment of





It's beginning to look like summer is coming!

Everything is starting to green up and the days are getting longer.

I'm taking this opportunity to remind our residents they are required to maintain the grass on their properties.

The Community Standards Bylaw 2016-18 outlines the maintenance requirements for properties in town.

Properties that fail to control weeds and maintain vegetation on the premises or property and on any boulevard which abuts or joins the premises or property they own or occupy including up to the centre of lanes or alleys at the rear or side of the premises or property could result in a Violation Ticket of \$200.00 and/or a contractor will be called to remedy and the cost will be at the property owners expense, added to the tax roll.

Please also refrain from spraying grass clippings on the roadways. This can result in storm drains getting clogged and that will cost us all money to fix.

Let's all do our part to keep the town looking great!
As always, should you have any questions or concerns, I'm only a phone call away!

Karey Loftus
Bylaw Enforcement Services
780-789-3935 ext.21

ONLINE TIMED FARM SALE FOR KAREN GIBB & the ESTATE OF GREGG GIBB

Start to Bid: Thurs, June 10th @ 12:00 NOON Start to Close: Sun, June 13th @ 7:00 PM

<u>Directions:</u> North of the Entwistle Overpass (Hwy #16) 2 km to 54th Ave (Twp Rd 534), East 1.5 km - South Side of Road (Rural Address 7313 Twp Rd 534)

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



PARTIAL LISTING INCLUDES:

<u>CATERPILLAR & TRACTORS</u>:**John Deere 450C Loader Cat - 5945 hrs, 24" Wide Track, Roller Rock Guards, 80% Undercarriage c/w Canopy & Bucket s/n 450CA321145T**Massey Ferguson 255 Diesel Tractor - 50 hp, 3 pth, 14.9x28 Tires c/w Loader/Bucket - ALWAYS SHEDDED s/n 9A299886
**Cockshutt Co-op Tractor - 12.4/11-38 Tires (Made in Canada)

<u>MACHINERY:</u>**Bradco BC72 Heavy Duty 6' Skidsteer Brush Mower - Hydraulic Drive**Mister Squeeze **Wooden Fence Posts**Railroad Ties MUCH, MUCH MORE



<u>LIVESTOCK SUPPLIES:</u> ** Mister Squeeze ** Self Standing Corral Panels ** Hay Feeders ** Lick Tanks

<u>TRAILERS:</u>**Shopbuilt 17'7"x8' Gooseneck Triple Axle Tilt Deck Trailer c/w Torsion Axles, Winch & Ramps**Shopbuilt 24'x6'7" Pull Type Pintle Hitch Tandem Axle Trailer - 78" between fenders c/w Torsion Axles & Ramps*1980 Trail Mobile 40' Dry Van - For Storage c/w Side Door



<u>HOLIDAY TRAILER, BOATS & RECREATION</u>**1996 Jayco Eagle 27.7' RB 5th Wheel Holiday Trailer
1991 Bayliner 17' Boat c/w Boat Trailer **Rendezvous 23' Boat2009 Yamaha Rhino**2008
Panterra SS700 Side by Side ATV**2007 Yamaha Classic V-Star Motorbike

<u>VEHICLES.***2006 Dodge Ram 2500 Laramie Truck - Cummins Turbo Diesel, 4x4, Auto, Quad Cab (Black)**1998 Dodge Caravan</u>



<u>SHOP SUPPLIES:</u> **Honda 11.0 Commercial Power Pressure Washer**Frost Fighter Construction Diesel Heater**Tahoo 10,000 Watt Generator 120/240 Dual Voltage**Honda Portable Generator EB1400X, 120 Volt**Many Shop Tools This is only a partial listing LIST IS SUBJECT TO ADDITIONS AND/OR DELETIONS

For full listing & pictures, please visit our website: WWW.TIMBERLINDAUCTIONS.HIBID.COM

Auctioneer's Note: This is a farm dispersal for the Estate of Greg Gibb. The John Deere Cat is older but in excellent condition and there is a good line of equipment. For additional information, please contact Karen Gibb @ 780-621-6179 or Timberlind Auctions @ 780-542-7323.



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RESIDENTIAL

- **Thorsby 1293 sq.ft. Bungalow** with partly finished basement, 4 bedrooms, fenced yard, double detached garage. \$229,000.00
- Thorsby <u>Pristine</u>, 1300 sq.ft. bungalow 4 bedrooms, finished basement, double attached garage & manicured landscaping. \$339,000.00
- **Thorsby 1120 sq.ft. bungalow** 4 bedroom, finished basement, backs onto creek. \$249,000.00
- Thorsby 960 sq.ft. bungalow 3 bedroom, finished basement on corner lot with fenced yard and double detached garage. \$249,000.00
- Thorsby 3 Bedroom Bungalow in pristine condition nice mature yard & single detached garage. \$189,900.00
- **Thorsby 1299 sq. ft. bungalow** with finished basement and attached garage. Backs onto greenspace. \$279,900.00

FARMS & ACREAGES

- **Sunnybrook 6.2 manicured acres with 2 residences.** Double detached garage, barn/ shop and all services. \$389,000.00
- Sunnbrook 13.32 acres setup for horse 2640 sq.ft. open concept, amazing house with finished basement. 32' x 48' fully uone shop machine shed, etc. \$789,000.00
- **Sunnybrook 22** acres with a 2017, 1550 sq. ft. amazing bungalow built by Mikes Homes. Fully finished basement. Immaculate home. 40x60' shop, heated, power, insulated. \$694,900.00
- Warburg Area 80 acres with huge modern 2267 sq.ft 2 storey home. Finished basement, 26' x 28' heated 2 storey double garage with developed man cave 2nd residence is a quaint cabin for guests & many other outbuildings. \$735,000.00
- **Thorsby 4.87 acres** private hidden road. Upgraded 4 bedroom, 2-storey with large attached garage, 24'x26' heated hobby shop. \$639,000.00
- **Genesee 12.36 acres** 1300 sq. ft. bungalow lots of outbuildings. Nice treed yard. \$449,000.00
- **Pigeon Lake 2 acres** very private and set in beautiful evergreens. 1700 sq. ft. 3 bedroom house, fenced for animals. \$359,900.00

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Thorsby CIB - 2 Nights of Planting for the Community From Barry Rasch

A big "Thank You" to everyone that came out to volunteer their valuable time for 2 rounds of planting. This year is especially busy for our little group so we will manage resources and volunteer support as we move along. In June we will also be completing the Hope Garden and start on our Outdoor Photo Booth that will be located at the Lions Campground in its scenic beauty.

I continue to say the most powerful resource a community can have are its volunteers. I'm grateful to have a wonderful team of CIB Members and other volunteers that always are so willing to offer up their time to help support their community.

A couple honourable mentions go out to our CAO Tamara in joining in to see what we do. I believe, if memory serves, you are the first Thorsby CAO to help us plant in a very long time, so it's very appreciated. To friend and Councilor Nathan Raymond for your ongoing support and help in what we do. Special thank you to my good friend Deepak, owner of Thorsby Hotel Bar and Grill. Your generosity to offer up pizza and refreshments to the hard working volunteers continues to be unprecedented and so appreciated. Thank you for your continued support.

Thanks again to all the volunteers for your help and support!



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"A little grey hair is a small price to pay for all the wisdom you have".

Celebrate our seniors! Seniors Week June 7 - 13, 2021

Chuck @ 780.902.0465

Division of J & M Services Box #509 Thorsby AB TOC 2P0



News From Laura Cooke

Here at the Library we are currently open for curbside pickup Tuesdays (10-6) and Fridays (10-4). We are patiently waiting for June 11th. With luck that will bring us to Phase 2 which means we will once again be able to welcome our patrons back into the library! (Maximum capacity of 5, masked persons at a time).

While you are there please check out our selection of hot new gardening, chicken and bee keeping books, as well as our selection of First Nations stories and biographies to help us all understand the horrors our First Nations people have endured at the hand of Residential Schools. To request a copy of any book in the meantime, call us or use the TRACPAC app on your smart phone.

New this week - say hello to our friends, the CATERPILLAR FAMILY! To honor the life and gifts of American author, Eric Carle (June 1929 - May 23, 2021); The Very Hungry Caterpillar, The Grouchy Ladybug and more than 70 other classic childrens books, we are growing our own Very Hungry Caterpillar family. Follow us on Facebook and Instagram to see their growth and transformation! Watch for a new craft kit coming each week while they grow. When our babies finally hatch we will be doing a live release! Hopefully; we will be able to host some lucky viewers in the Library for this very special event! Stay tuned for more info!

Our Summer Reading Club is gearing up as well - more details to come soon. Keep your Friday mornings open! Starting July 9th - August 12 from 10:30 - 12:30 pm each week we will be offering a new, fun activity for families! Watch for registrations coming soon to a social media near you.

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MP REPORT from The Office of MP Gerald Soroka, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead



June 2, 2021

Mass Grave in Kamloops BC Containing Remains of 215 School Children

Just days ago, the discovery of a mass grave in Kamloops, British Columbia, containing the remains of 215 school children, was a heartbreaking reminder of the pain indigenous children, their families and their communities were subjected to through residential schools. This is a dark reminder of the horrendous reality that was faced by many Indigenous Canadians. My thoughts and prayers are with all indigenous families as they mourn. It is our burden to carry, and we must start to ease the heavy load that has been carried by indigenous people for far too long. While communities and families grapple with this unthinkable revelation, it is time for all of us to come together and aid in the healing process.

For many indigenous people, although the discovery opened tremendously deep wounds, it was not a surprise. According to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission, at least 3,200 children died while attending residential schools. We owe it to each and every one of them to redouble our efforts toward reconciliation and healing. In the face of this tragedy, words are not enough, and concrete action is needed.

Canada's Conservatives have called on the Prime Minister to immediately implement the TRC's recommendations #71-76, which deal with missing children. We have also called for the following additional measures to be taken:

*Funding the investigation at all former residential schools in Canada where unmarked graves may exist, including the site where 215 children have already been discovered.

*Ensuring that proper resources are allocated for communities to reinter, commemorate, and honour any individuals discovered through the investigation, according to the wishes of their next of kin; and

*Developing a detailed and thorough set of resources to educate Canadians of all ages on the tragic history of residential schools in Canada.

My sincere condolences to all of those who had to endure these residential schools. It is time to act NOW for the sake of all the children we lost. Words are not enough. Action must be taken.





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