

# TH<sub>TARGET</sub>RSBY TARGET

## Lifetime Achievement From Thorsby & District Fish & Game

The Thorsby & District Fish & Game Association would like to honor and thank Orville Welch for a lifetime of commitment to conservation.

Orville started with Fish & Game up in Edmonton. When he moved to the Thorsby area back in 1996, Orville joined the club and has since been an active member of the Thorsby & District Fish & Game Association. In 2019 and again in 2020, Orville harvested a Whitetail Deer. Both of which have made it into the Alberta Record Book, at the age of 88 and 89 years old respectively.

In recognition of your many years of dedication, TFGA has awarded this Lifetime Achievement to Orville Welch.



## The Thorsby FCSS Office is Open!

Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

**Mikayla Leibel**  
can be reached at  
**780.789.4004**  
or **fcss@thorsby.ca**

The FCSS Office is located  
at the Thorsby Municipal Office

A banner for Canada Day. The background is blue with a large red maple leaf. The text "HAPPY Canada Day" is written in white, with "HAPPY" in a small banner above "Canada Day". On the right side of the banner is a portrait of Gerald Soroka, a man with glasses wearing a suit and tie. Below the banner, the text "Gerald SOROKAMP YELLOWHEAD" is written in blue. To the right of this, the contact information "780-723-6068", "GERALD.SOROKA.C1@PARL.GC.CA", and "GERALDSOROKAMP.CA" is listed in blue.

# The CLASSIFIEDS

## HELP WANTED

**Part-Time Sale Associate** (8 to 20 hours per week). We are seeking an outgoing, friendly individual who exhibits excellent customer service & sincerely enjoys working with the public & animals. Prior experience working with all types & sizes of animals & be able to lift/carry up to 50lbs would be an asset. Please either drop off your resume at Pet Necessities at 4905 Hankin Street, Thorsby or email it to: Thorsbypetnecessities@gmail.com (2-2kr)  
**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 (1-1kr)

## WANTED

**Wanted - Single Family House To Rent** - Good, responsible and reliable tenants seek long term rental. Must be well maintained and ok with 2 well trained cats. Call Eric. 780.887.7057 (1-1)

**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)

**Fill Wanted:** If you are looking to deposit fill/excavate in the Thorsby area, please contact Roland 780.789.2239 or George 780.789.2237. We require 50 + tandem loads.

## 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)

**Plywood & Siding for Sale:** 31 sheets of 1/2" plywood, 4 sheets of 3/8" plywood, 7 sheets of 1/8" white panelling, 2 bundles of new white vinyl siding. Cash only. 780.789.3739 Thorsby (1-2)

**2004 22.8' PUMA Travel Trailer** - Rubber roof, 1 slide out, roof air conditioner, full bath, double bed, stereo, fridge / freezer, microwave, cooktop, couch/fold-out bed. \$9000. 780.789.0123 (2-2)

**SeaCans for Sale:** 20 ft.x8 ft. c/w flush door locks. Clean, No rust. \$3500.00 ea. Located in Drayton Valley. Ernie 1.780.221.3791 (1-2)

**Six Used Interior White 4 panel doors** c/w jams; and hinges; Very Good shape..\$70.00 each. Located in Mulhurst. Ernie 780.221.3791 (1-2)

**Hobie Cat Adventure Sailboat** for sale. Used very little and in perfect condition. \$5500.00 Located on Pigeon Lake. 780.221.3791 (1-2)



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**Store Wide Sales July 1st - 10th**

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## STORE HOURS

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**780.985.2522**

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**Leduc Regional Housing Foundation (LRHF)** strives to make a difference everyday.

So much of what we do depends on volunteers from within our communities.

We are excited that we can once again welcome volunteers to all of our buildings and are currently **recruiting** for members for our **Volunteer Team**.

Volunteering activities may include:

**Pet Therapy**

**Exercise**

**Games**

**Gardening**

**One to One Visits**

**Committee Work**

If you would like to become part of our Volunteer Team, please contact our Corporate Services Manager @ 780.986.2814 ext. 2003 or email [volunteers@leducregionalhousing.ca](mailto:volunteers@leducregionalhousing.ca) for more information.



**Volunteers  
needed**

**SIGN UP TODAY**

## Thank You!

The Class of 2021 is grateful for the community support over the last year. We had a beautiful Graduation Day with our families and classmates. Thank you to all who came to congratulate us at the drive-by parade. It means a lot that you could come and give us a honk and a wave.

Thank you to the following businesses and individuals for your generous contribution.



Thorsby Tire Shop  
Thorsby Family Foods  
Weston Bakeries (Mark)  
Kollbrook Esso  
Ranchland Meats Ltd.  
Kelln's Septic Service  
Tara Hawkins  
Mile 26 Feeds  
Alan and Jodie Kuzio  
James and Yvonne Heitzman  
Aaron and Nia Blanchette  
Derryl and Jackie Knopp

To our families, thank you for all the support and encouragement that you have shown us to get to where we are today. We love you! To our teachers and the entire school community, thank you for guiding us on our path to the future. We hope to make you proud!

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Thorsby Communities in Bloom)  
Book ASAP! Limited Tables. Vendors are welcome also.  
To book or for questions call: 587-643-9653*



lonewolfmechanic@hotmail.com | www.lonewolfmechanic.com | 4813 - 50 Ave Thorsby





# CLASSIFIEDS

## FOR RENT RESIDENTIAL

**1 bedroom cabin in Mulhurst Bay** for rent available Aug. 1st. 3 blocks from the water, full bathroom, fridge and stove, fireplace, nice treed yard, firepit, incl. heat, water, sewer, power, garbage p/u. \$900/month. Call Steve 780.918.8495 (3-3kr)

**3 Bedroom Main Floor For Rent in WARBURG.** Laundry. Master bedroom with ensuite. Available immediately. References required. NP NS. \$1050 per month plus utilities. \$1050 DD. 780.293.6426 (2-2)

## 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. (10-17)

## PAINTING SERVICES

**RED HOT ROLLERS PAINTING IS READY TO SERVE YOU** for any interior/exterior painting, rolling or airless sprayer. We also stain decks, fences, etc... Available in Thorsby / Pigeon Lake area. Prices vary and are negotiable. Have scaffolding as well, can do minor dry wall repairs, mudding, taping, as well as carpentry work. Please contact Doug @ 780-903-2414 (2-2)

## 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](http://www.gregsharman.com) or [www.counter.gregsharman.com](http://www.counter.gregsharman.com) (1-1kr)

## Invite Us To Your Next Event!

Would you like a story or article written for your next event or community group project to share with the Thorsby Target?

**Just Reach Out!**

[amissa@ualberta.net](mailto:amissa@ualberta.net)  
[media@community39.com](mailto:media@community39.com)

We're happy to provide this service free of charge.



**Wilf Brandt Trucking Ltd.** is seeking **Class 1 & Class 3 Tank Truck Drivers** for Year-Round Production Fluid Hauling in the Warburg, Thorsby, Leduc, Rimbey and Drayton Valley areas.

Current Oilfield Safety Tickets are a definite asset and willingness to work shift cycle a must. Successful candidates can expect year-round work, benefit package and excellent wages.

*Pre-employment screening is a pre-requisite to hire.*

Please email resume along with a current drivers abstract to [resumeswbt@gmail.com](mailto:resumeswbt@gmail.com)

**Thorsby's Puppy Lovin Grooming**  
**780-518-3943 Tuesday - Saturday 9:00 to 5:00**



# Accutrax

## Excavator.

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## Compactor.



**Ed Neumann 780.789.2547**



PICKLEBALL



GET READY FOR

# GAME DAY SATURDAY

**JULY 10, 2021**

Time is to be determined

Artic Spa's Recreational Centre

**By Registration Only**

**Contact: [cao@thorsby.ca](mailto:cao@thorsby.ca)**

Help Raise Funds For Fencing The Tennis Court

**Open for all Town Business Owners**

Registration \$50



## HOUSE FOR SALE

*Ready to get out of the city  
and onto the golf course?*

**Welcome to this one level, 1500 sq. ft., 3-bedroom/2.5 bath, home  
located on the golf course in the quaint Village of Breton!**

This lovely corner lot features a maintenance free stucco exterior with newer high efficiency triple glazed vinyl windows. The carpet-free interior with open concept and high ceilings give it a spacious feeling and neutral colours make it move in ready. The island kitchen with large pantries, granite countertops, and cork flooring is complete with newer stainless steel appliances. A spacious master bedroom with ensuite including a soaker tub and shower. The guest bedroom features an ensuite for that added privacy for friends and family. A convenient main floor laundry room, central air conditioning with air exchanger and in-floor heat adding comfort and warmth in the cooler months. The large back deck with vinyl planks and glass railings is perfect for entertaining. The fire pit is an added bonus for cooler evenings. The backyard has a 16 x 24 extra high garage with concrete floor. A large garden shed and bonus wood-fired sauna complete the backyard. One hour southwest of Edmonton; 45 minutes west of Leduc; 30 minutes Drayton Valley.

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# TOWN TALK

Monthly Newsletter by Tamara Sloboda



## TOWN OF THORSBY!

*This Canada Day, we ask that you and your family take a moment to reflect on our nation's history and consider what we can do to enact positive change. We need to do better. We're starting work at the municipality on issues of equity, diversity and inclusiveness. We're also working to understand and build relationships with all communities.*

## STAGE 3 - REOPENING - EFFECTIVE JULY 1

**Stage 3:** *Two weeks after 70% of Albertans 12+ (born in 2009 or earlier) have received at least one dose. **Effective July 1.***

- *All restrictions lifted, including ban on indoor social gatherings.*
- *Isolation requirements for confirmed cases of COVID-19 and some protective measures in continuing care settings remain.*
- *The general indoor provincial mask mandate will be lifted, but masking may still be required in limited and specific settings.*
- *More information will be shared prior to the start of Stage 3.*



**WE LOVE YOU,  
CANADA!**

STAY GLORIOUS, STRONG,  
AND FREE!

## FINANCIAL SUPPORT

*Canada's COVID-19 economic response plan  
Financial support programs are available to help  
people, families and businesses facing hardship as a  
result of COVID-19.*



## **Production Assembler**

### **Career growth opportunities**

### **Benefits, Bonus plan, RRSP plan**

**Job Title:** Production Assembler  
**Base Salary:** \$18/hr + (Entry Level Position)

#### **About Us:**

Founded in 1994, Blue Falls Manufacturing (BFM) is the proud producer of Arctic Spas® Hot Tubs and All Weather Pools. We are proud to be Canada's largest hot tub dealer, providing the best product and service in the industry. BFM thrives on inspiration, innovative engineering, and employee dedication and experience. Our team is customer focused, delivering the highest level of service and product quality possible.

#### **Summary:**

- Blue Falls Manufacturing (o/a "Arctic Spas") is currently looking for Production Assemblers to join its Production team(s) in Thorsby and Breton, Alberta. We have multiple full-time opportunities available; our objective is to expedite hiring over the coming weeks.
- Work/life balance is key; we have three (3) different day shifts, all of which allow an employee to start and end their day early. Our team works Monday thru Friday, weekends off.
- Employees are eligible to participate in our bonus, recognition, and referral programs; we offer an attractive benefits package, as well as RRSP matching. At BFM there are numerous cross-training and developmental opportunities available; we promote from within when possible, and believe that the more you know, the more you grow!

#### **Duties:**

#### **With 14 different areas along our assembly line, we have lots of variety and learning opportunities!**

- Using vacuum forming equipment, transform raw acrylic sheets into the Arctic Spa shell
- Carefully spray and roll fiberglass to strengthen shells
- Install jet fittings, lights, and options necessary to operate a spa
- Fit every single jet fitting with air and water hoses, ensuring tight fitting hoses that do not leak
- Construct cedar and no maintenance spa cabinets that the spa shell is installed in
- Foam/insulate the spa cabinet
- Install the spa control pack, pumps, heaters, sanitary generators, and stereo amplifiers (everything that makes a hot tub work)
- Join the spa shell and cabinet, center it, and square it, connecting the two major components with foam insulation
- Conduct pre-testing; connect all of the pumps, install jets, repair cabinet damage, stain cedar cabinets, install the topside controller, and test the electrical system for each tub
- Test the integrity of Arctic Spa tubs to ensure a functional, complete unit
- Build cedar and no maintenance doors to install on sides of spa cabinet
- Add finishing touches, clean, prepare, and package Arctic Spa tub for delivery
- Meet scheduled build demands as set by daily, weekly, and monthly orders
- Daily reporting to area Lead Hand, Production Supervisor and the Production Manager

#### **Skills/Abilities:**

- Physically fit with good mobility and manual dexterity
- Capable of performing repetitive tasks in a fast-paced environment
- Flexibility to adjust personal schedule to accommodate overtime as needed
- Excellent attendance and punctuality
- Able to stand for sustained periods over an eight (8) hr period
- Ability to push/pull and or lift up to 50-60lbs unassisted
- Positive attitude; willingness to learn

#### **Experience/Qualifications:**

- N/A – will train
- Experience working with hand, power and/or air tools considered an asset but not required
- Experience handling materials utilized in manufacturing processes desired but not essential Work Environment:
- Manufacturing plant setting
- Depending on work area, exposure to hot, humid, wet, cool/cold and/or breezy conditions
- May be exposed to chemicals/fumes, dust/particulates, and varying noise levels

#### **Compensation:**

- \$18.00/hr. + (depending on role)
- Bonus program
- RRSP matching
- Overtime available
- Benefits following 3 months of employment
- Social committee (no cost to employees)

#### **Other:**

- Valid Driver's License and reliable personal transportation to commute to and from work
- Own steel-toed footwear required; all other PPE provided by BFM

#### **COVID-19 considerations:**

Face masks are mandatory; Social distancing; Hand hygiene; Covid-19 questionnaire upon entry to building; Temperature testing  
Reference ID: Feb 01, 2021 Job Types: Full-time, Permanent Pay: \$18.00 per hour COVID-19 considerations: PPE: Due to COVID-19, Mask (provided), safety glasses (provided) & steel-toe boots required, any further PPE required will be provided.

#### **Please submit resume in person at Blue Falls Manufacturing:**

- 4549-52 Street, Thorsby, Alberta T0C 2P0
- 5303 47 St. Breton, Alberta T0C 0P0
- Or via email to [hr@goarctic.com](mailto:hr@goarctic.com)





## COMMUNITY & info EVENTS

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### UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

**Winfield Legion CASH RAFFLE:** \$2.00 per ticket 2500 tickets printed. Minimum payout \$1000, Maximum payout \$2500. Draw Date: November 11th, 2021 - Tickets are available at ATB Winfield, Smith Hardware Winfield, Winfield Feed & Farm Supply, or contact your local Legion Member / Joan at 780.898.5053. Thanks for your support!

### PROGRAMS & REGULAR EVENTS

**Thorsby Bingo is back!** We will be starting up at the Thorsby Senior's Centre on July 8th at 7:00 pm.

**Thorsby Seniors Potluck Suppers** will begin on August 25th at 6:00 pm.

**Thorsby Crib Nights at the Seniors Centre** will begin on July 6th and run every Friday night at 6:30 p.m. Everyone welcome!

**The Breton Golden Age Club** will be hosting cards (Whist) beginning July 5th at 1:00 pm \$3; **Floor Curling** begins Tuesday, July 6th at 1 pm \$3. Everyone is welcome to participate in both!

**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>.

### MARKETS / THRIFT SHOPS (NON PROFIT)

**Thorsby Senior's Thrift Store** - The thrift store is open Thursdays and Fridays 10:00 am - 3:00pm. starting July 2nd. **We will be closed for Canada Day.** We are now accepting donations that are **CLEAN** and **RE-SELLABLE**.

**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

### MARKETS / THRIFT SHOPS (NON PROFIT)

clean. 5112 - 53 Street Warburg.

**Winfield Public Market** is back as an outdoor market starting July 4th! 10am-2pm at the Winfield Community Hall. New Vendors Always Welcome! **Next Markets: July 4th & 18th, Aug 7th & 22nd & Sept 5th** Call or text Carla at 780-621-1285 for details

### 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 inquiries 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. JOHN THE BAPTIST UKRAINIAN CATHOLIC CHURCH** - Divine Liturgy on Sunday, July 11 at 10:30 a.m. Masks are mandatory. All COVID rules apply. Graveside services to follow. For further information please contact Dan @ 780-789-3698.

**St. Matthew's Lutheran Church Thorsby** is open at 60% occupancy for worship. Our weekly recorded service with Pastor Ron can still be found on YouTube.

## Leduc County FCSS summer programs

Leduc County FCSS is hosting a number of online programs this summer. Participation in these programs requires internet access by computer, laptop, tablet or smartphone. If you don't have access to the necessary technology, contact us for access to resources that could help! *Please note, these programs are open to residents of Leduc County, Calmar, Thorsby, Warburg and New Sarepta.*

To register, call **780-979-2385** or visit [leduc-county.com/community-family](http://leduc-county.com/community-family) for more information.

### Parenting workshops

- Making sense of anxiety

### Mental health

- Stress strategies to optimize your life
- Living Library: International Overdose Awareness Day

### Seniors information sessions

- Conversation, myths and truths about pre-planning a funeral
- How to pre-plan a funeral so your family isn't left with the responsibility
- Planning a funeral after someone has passed away: a candid discussion



## Centennial Park Campground

**Reserve your site today!**

Centennial Park Campground is located just east of New Sarepta at Joseph Lake Road and Township Road 500.



The natural beauty of Joseph Lake is the perfect backdrop for camping.

Amenities include powered and non-powered sites, a playground, volleyball area, horseshoe pits, sani-dump and coin-operated showers.

Call **780-941-2124** to book a site.

Learn more at [leduc-county.com/campgrounds](http://leduc-county.com/campgrounds)



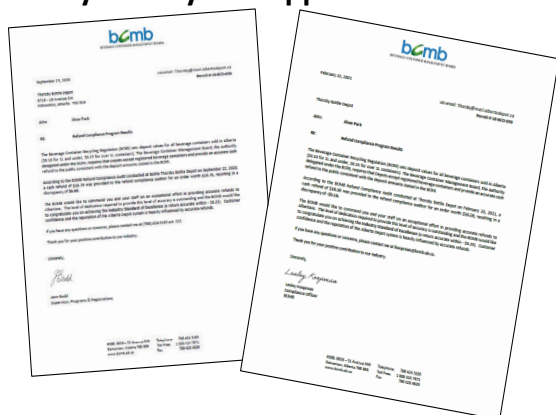
## Thorsby Bottle DePOT

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**We achieved the Industry Standard of Excellence by BCMB** refund compliance audit which took place in September 2020 and February 2021.

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**Thank you for your support.**



**Our opening hours changed to**  
**Wednesday ~ Saturday**

**Sunday: Closed**

**Monday: Closed**

**Tuesday: Closed**

**Wednesday: 9:30am – 5:00pm**

**Thursday: 9:30am – 5:00pm**

**Friday: 9:30am – 5:00pm**

**Saturday: 9:30am – 4:00pm**

**Many people still don't know our new opening hours. If you see this notice, tell your family, friends and neighbours so they can know it too**

**780-901-4832 (Tim) / 780-938-4856 (Jihee)**

[return.bottles@gmail.com](mailto:return.bottles@gmail.com)

## WORSHIP

**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.

**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](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.

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

**Breton Golden Age Club building** is available for rent. \$15/hr or \$75/day for the front open area including kitchen. \$100 DD. Call Jane 780.696.6599 / 403.542.7921 or alternate, Jean at 780.696.2439

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

**Centreldodge 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-** please contact the Breton Village office at 780.696.3636 for information.

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## Changes to Town of Thorsby COVID-19 restrictions

<https://www.alberta.ca/coronavirus-info-for-albertans.aspx>

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We acknowledge that some individuals may choose to continue to wear masks and practice physical distancing.

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# Government of Canada Announces \$17.7 Million for Nisku Spine Road

By Amissa Jablonski

In an announcement on Monday, June 28, Federal Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister of Economic Development and Official Languages (Western Economic Development), the Honourable Terry Duguid, announced \$17.7 million for the completion of phase two of the Nisku Spine Road. Leduc County Mayor Tanni Doblanko expressed gratitude for the influx of infrastructure monies to the economic heartland of the municipality.

‘This funding is a huge contribution to Leduc County,’ said Mayor Doblanko. It is intended to aid in energy transition as Canada works through the drawdown of coal-based activities. Currently, the Genesee Generating Station, a coal-fired power station located just north of Warburg, is the largest rate payer in the county. As the use of coal is phased out at Genesee by 2023, the generating station will be transitioning to a natural gas fired power station, which aims to be the most efficient natural gas combined cycle stations in Canada upon completion. This transition will mean a shift in the land base required by the station due to the ceasing of coal mining activities, which will have a major impact on Leduc County’s finances.

Parliamentary Secretary Duguid recognized that Leduc County has been a major energy contributor to both Alberta and Canada but as we transition to greener energy the municipality is moving into uncharted territory. The Government of Canada worked with Leduc County officials and community leaders to determine the best use of this funding and unlocking the potential held in the Nisku industrial park was a no-brainer. Leduc County Councillor Rick Smith sat on the task force focused on addressing the coal phase out and provided per-

spectives unique to the energy powerhouse that is the region. The funding came out of the Canada Coal Transition Initiative announced in Budget 2018 aimed at projects that help communities mitigate the impacts of the movement away from coal for energy generation and supporting impacted workers.

Phase Two of the Nisku Spine Road will improve connectivity by extending the project south from TWP Rd 510 all the way to Airport Road. Mayor Doblanko indicated that the first phase of the project has already contributed to the region with an increase of 20% in activity since 2018. There is a potential for 14,000 to 29,000 jobs and \$1.5 billion in employment income with the completion phase two. The focus for new development will be in warehouse and logistics, agribusiness, advanced manufacturing, and energy. It is easy to see why this project was a priority for Leduc County Council and the growth facilitated by the completion of the Spine Road will help secure the County’s future. The project will also help to diversify the tax base in Nisku, which is key to the County’s financial sustainability over the long term. Additionally, it will make travel through the region safer for residents as industrial traffic will be diverted away from the Queen Elizabeth II highway to the Nisku Spine Road.

Leduc County had already been working on phase two of the Spine Road. The land required for the project has already been acquired and final work is being done on sections that cross waterways. The Mayor anticipates the request for proposal (RFP) will be out soon and work will ideally start later this year. The federal funding announcement ensures that Leduc County will be able to leverage the industrial capacity of the region while responding to the need for economic and environmental sustainability over the long term.

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## German Exchange Student Heads Home

From Barry Rasch

This is Alex, did you know Alex joined our community from Germany through an Exchange Program for the 2020-2021 school year?

While Alex has been here he's made a big impact on our community and formed lasting friendships he will take back as fond memories of his stay.

Alex comes from a town in Germany which is called Mühlthal (Muehlthal) which is considered a large community in Canada but is small for German towns as it has a population of about 15,000. Alex wanted to come to Canada because when people talk about Canada they only talk about the good. His parents came to Thorsby to meet friends which had moved here, and the invite was offered to return.

Alex met a lot of great friends while he was here and he's grateful to call them a friend. Ri-ana, Shivani, Braydon, Matthew, Sawyer, Cohen, Ethan, Dylan and Hunter to name a few. He will return to Germany with the hope that he can return to finish his grade 12 high school in Thorsby and graduate here. If that doesn't exactly happen, he will definitely return for another vacation to the area and visit friends.

At a recent Council Meeting, Mayor Rod Raymond presented a plaque to Alex and thanked him for being a part of our community for the last year. We are enriched as a community when we learn about others. Alex has been working hard over the last remaining weeks to document our trails and help create a virtual tour that will be coming out in the near future.

Thanks for the opportunity to get to know you. Your personality and attitude were rewarding to get to know.



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## Missing Male

From Drayton Valley RCMP

Drayton Valley RCMP request public assistance in locating missing male

June 29, 2021

Drayton Valley, Alta. – Drayton Valley RCMP efforts to locate Derrik John Henningsmoen continue.

Drayton Valley RCMP's investigation has indicated Derek may have been in the southern area of Drayton Valley on Highway 22, at approximately 3 a.m. on June 21, 2021. As a result, Drayton Valley RCMP are asking if anyone has dash cam footage in the area of the Drayton Valley truck stop located at 2020 50 Street and Hwy 22 in Drayton Valley the night of June 21, 2021, between 11 p.m., and June 22, 2021, at 06:00 a.m.

The Drayton Valley RCMP are also asking residents of Drayton Valley and the surround-

ing areas to check their outbuildings, sheds and dense areas for Derek.

2nd Request: Drayton Valley, Alta. – Drayton Valley RCMP are still asking the public's assistance in locating Derek John Henningsmoen. At this time, Henningsmoen was last seen June 22, 2021 at 2:50 a.m. at Petro Canada South.

Original Request: Drayton Valley, Alta. – Drayton Valley are requesting those members of the public with out buildings in the Drayton Valley and Brazeau areas to check their out buildings for Derek John Henningsmoen.

Police are asking the public for assistance in locating Derek Henningsmoen. If you have any information as to his whereabouts, please contact Drayton Valley RCMP at 780-542-4457.

If you want to remain anonymous, you can contact Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), online at [www.P3Tips.com](http://www.P3Tips.com) or by using the "P3 Tips" app available through the Apple App or Google Play Store.



## MISSING / DISPARU(E)

Derek John Henningsmoen

Age / Âge: 65

Hair / Cheveux: White / Blancs

Weight / Poids: 150 lbs / livres

Height / Taille: 5 ft / pieds 6 in / pouces

Last Seen / Vu(e) la dernière fois 2021-06-21 in / à: Drayton Valley

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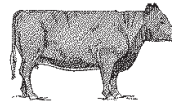
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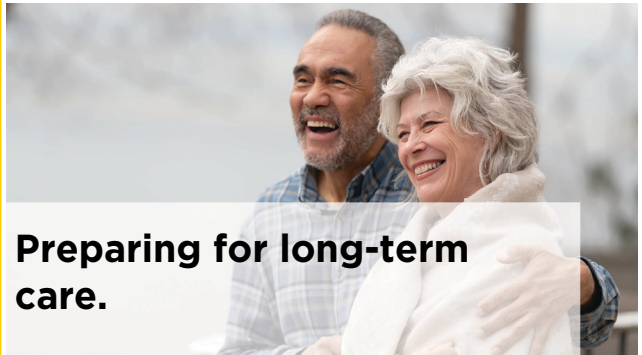
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# Summer Donation Drive

From Kristen Neumann

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- Providing Baby Items such as: clothing, diapers, lotions, formula etc
- Providing mom with personal care items
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Every so often, I receive email newsletters from them, and this month's included a short list of items that they are in particular need of.

So, I am hosting a donation drive to help collect the needed items.

They are as follows:

- Sleepers size 0 to 6 months (new or gently used)
  - (They will take baby clothing items beyond the above age range as well, but are in particular need of newborn-sized items)
- Baby lotion and baby shampoo/wash (new)
- Gifts for moms (specialty teas, candles, or other comfort items for her)

If you would like to donate, please contact me (Kristen Neumann) by phoning me at 780-789-2547 to arrange a date and time for donation pick-up.

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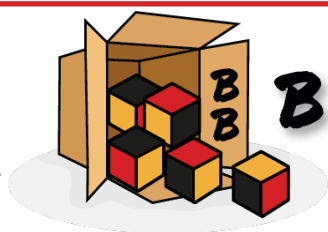
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22'x24' double garage built in 1986 on 45x115 foot lot. No power. Partially fenced. Great for storage. E4194826 \$35,000



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**Residential Lot 12**  
 \$24,000  
 Lots 23-25  
 Your choice \$45,000

**Commercial Lots 19 & 20**  
 \$27,000 ea.  
**Pie Lot In Cul de sac**  
~~\$35,000~~  
 REDUCED \$29,000



### WARBURG MOBILE

3 bed, 2 bath, open concept, vaulted ceiling built in 2000. Fire pit included. Lot rent \$230/month. E4247430 \$65,000

### OWNED LOT

2009 modular, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, paved driveway  
 E4042452 \$180,000  
 REDUCED \$140,000



### 54 ACRES

Nicely set up 2003 modular, 3 bed, 2 bath, 24x32' shop, small barn, fenced, corrals. E4249728 \$485,231



**NEW!**

### WARBURG



Own the lot, many upgrades, 2 bed, 1 bath, open concept, 2 sheds, apple tree. E4011044 \$99,000 REDUCED \$95,000

**REDUCED!**

### WARBURG MOBILE



1986 with new roof, siding, paint, flooring, 3 bed, 2 bath, shed, **SOLD!** by \$49,900 E4227869 Lot rent \$230

### BRETON



Family home, almost 2000 sq.ft. of developed space, plus basement, 4 bed, 3 bath, double garage - all on a large pie lot! E4222769 ~~\$260,000~~ **SOLD!** REDUCED! \$240,000

### BRETON

2 bed plus den bungalow. Finished basement. Double garage. Upgraded shingles, siding, windows. E4236973 \$130,000

