

THE BRETON BOOSTER

Applications for phase one of the Livestock Feed Assistance initiative close November 1, 2021

Information from the AFSC (Agricultural Financial
Services Corporation) Website www.afsc.ca

AgriRecovery is a federal-provincial-territorial disaster relief framework to help agricultural producers with the extraordinary costs associated with recovering from natural disasters. Eligible costs are supported on the 60-40 cost-shared federal-provincial basis outlined under the Canadian Agricultural Partnership.

After a natural disaster, AgriRecovery helps producers recover extraordinary costs beyond what is available through other financial assistance programs.

On August 6, 2021, the Government of Alberta announced an AgriRecovery response, the 2021 Canada-Alberta Livestock Feed Assistance Initiative, to help address the extraordinary costs being incurred by Alberta's livestock producers because of reduced grazing capacity caused by prolonged dry weather and extreme high temperatures.

The response provides support and cash flow for Alberta's livestock producers and beekeepers to cover extraordinary expenses incurred to feed livestock.

Things to know

- The AgriRecovery initiative will provide an initial payment of \$94 per head for eligible feed and water access costs for breeding females to producers across the province.

- Animals other than beef cows may have different support levels applied.

- Applications are available online through AFSC Connect.

- Producers who are current AFSC clients should ensure they have an AFSC Connect account and are signed up for direct deposit to receive program payments.

Producers who are not currently AFSC clients can start the client set up process on the Getting ready for AgriRecovery page.

Follow them on social media, sign up for AFSC Product Information email updates, visit their website for the most up-to-date information or call AFSC Client Service Centre at 1.877.899.2372



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BUSINESS EVENTS

Big Tee Golf Resort Second Annual Halloween Party

Oct.31. Dress up for prizes all day! Bring the kids trick-or-treating here. Kids spooky supper specials. Adult costume party in our lounge with drink specials all night.

Radio Bingo at Big Tee . Oct 28, Nov 23, 25, Dec 11 & 23

You MUST reserve your seat and pay in advance for your cards. **NO DROP INS.** Call Big Tee for more information or to reserve your seat 780-696-3883

Classified Ads are \$5 for 2 weeks
(up to 30 words) GST included

Seeking experienced Front-load, Rear-load, Roll-off bin Drivers

Responsibilities:

- safely operate front-load, rear-load and or roll-off Bin truck with a capacity of 25 Ton
- load & unload bins 3 yd to 40 yd capacity
- properly track and document load activity
- inspect truck before and after trip
- report any issues to dispatch

Qualifications:

- 2 years previous experience
- current license - Class#3 or #1
- ability to handle physical work - lift 50# plus
- strong work ethics
- must have good knowledge of Edmonton & surrounding area, most specifically Leduc County

Wages & Benefits

- TBD based on experience
- Benefits - to be discussed



SEND RESUME TO: nuline11@telus.net



General Service Worker – Casual Cloverleaf Manor – Warburg AB

Leduc Regional Housing Foundation is looking for an enthusiastic individual who enjoys working in a team environment. This casual position will be required to work a **variety of shifts**. Shifts may include **mornings, afternoons, and nights**. Applicants should be prepared and able to work all shifts. Duties may include kitchen-related responsibilities such as cleaning, cooking and food preparation or housekeeping responsibilities and other duties as assigned. A high standard of service is expected.

Qualifications: Previous cooking experience, strong work ethic, WHMIS and Standard First Aid Certificate would be an asset; A sincere interest in working with and meeting the needs of our residents.

All employees must have a Pre-Employment Fit to Work Assessment, a clear criminal record with vulnerable sector check, and be fully COVID vaccinated prior to your start date.

Submit written applications to:

Mrs. Charlene Littman, Manager – Cloverleaf Manor
Leduc Regional Housing Foundation
Box 490, 5204 – 53 Avenue
Warburg, Alberta T0C 2T0
Fax: 780.848.7608 or
E-Mail: clittman@leducregionalhousing.ca

Will remain open until a suitable candidate is found.

JOB POSTING

Casual Support Worker II Warburg Cloverleaf Manor

The George Spady Society is looking for a **casual Support Worker II** for Cloverleaf Manor in Warburg, Alberta.

Please send your resume and a cover letter or your inquiries on the position to:

Lisa Macdonald at macdonald@gspady.ab.ca

Deadline is October 29, 2021.

All interviews for this position will be conducted in Warburg, Alberta.

Please note: All applicants must be fully vaccinated (2 doses) against COVID-19 to be considered for this position.

BRETON MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

—We're— HIRING!

WE ARE CURRENTLY SEEKING A CASUAL EMPLOYEE!

REQUIREMENTS/SKILLS:

- BENDING AND LIFTING
- CUSTOMER SERVICE AND PROBLEM-SOLVING SKILLS
- SOME TECHNOLOGICAL SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE
- ASSIST IN PROMOTING AND ACHIEVING THE GOALS OF THE LIBRARY
- COMFORTABLE WORKING ALONE

SCHEDULE:

- MINIMUM OF 8HRS/WK
- FRIDAY 5-8 AND SATURDAY 9-2
- OPPORTUNITY FOR MORE HOURS WHEN COVERING FOR VACATION DAYS
- IDEALLY LOOKING FOR SOMEONE WHO CAN COVER DAY SHIFTS WHEN NEEDED

Stop in at the library to drop off a resume or email us at bretonlibrary@yrl.ab.ca by October 30th.

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- When Your Pets Are Due For Checkups
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- And So Much More



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UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS & PROGRAMS

RCL Winfield Branch 236 will be conducting a short outside **Remembrance Day Ceremony for Nov 11, 2021**. Pending and following AHS rules Ceremony to start at 10:45 am. Everyone Welcome!

The Warburg Legion - Branch No 205 will be having **REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE on November 11, 2021**, the service will be held at the Cenotaph from 10:40AM – 11:10AM

WARBURG PLAYSCHOOL HAUNTED HOUSE

Oct. 29 at the Warburg Cultural Centre. 6pm - 11pm. 6-10pm not so scary, 10-11pm be prepared to be scared. Tour, Raffle, 50/50, Concession, Bonfire

"DARK SIDE OH TOWN SCREAM FEST" from October 29 - 31 at 4507 - 49 Avenue in Thorsby. Friday night & Saturday night will be extra scary and Halloween night will kid friendly for trick or treaters. Hours are 7pm - 10pm for all 3 nights. Check them out on Facebook

MULHURST LEGION #246 IS HOSTING A HALLOWEEN SOCIAL FRIDAY OCTOBER 29TH @ 7PM Prizes for best costume and decorated pumpkin. Bring your Vaccination Documents and your mask!!

PROGRAMS & REGULAR EVENTS

WEEKLY BINGO'S AT MULHURST LEGION #246

every Tuesday @ 7pm

Bring your Vaccination Documents and your mask.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) at the Thorsby Seniors Centre - Mondays, weigh in at 9am to 9:15am, meetings at 9:15am to 9:45am. For more information call Jane 780.789.3789 or Elaine 780.221.3939

Local Event Coming up?

email me at media@community39.com

MARKETS/THRIFT SHOPS (NONPROFIT)

Treasures Thrift Shop in Warburg

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

Mulhurst Bay Farmers Market

Sat Oct 30 2-6 @ Community Hall.

COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

Breton & Area Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Please contact Deanne at 780.696.3636 or email fcss@breton.ca

Breton Food Bank

Call 780.696.3669 by Thursday noon to request a hamper. Please leave a message and a volunteer will contact you.

Meals on Wheels

Are you interested in receiving a hot nutritious meal? Please contact Deanne at 780.696.3636

Bylaw Enforcement Officer & Animal Control Officer

Doris McAllister 780.719.6447

Does drinking affect your personal life in any way? Have friends or family expressed concerns towards your drinking habits? Have you ever tried to quit drinking but could not manage to do so? **AA can help!** 5203 - 54 Avenue at Thorsby New Life Christian Church (every) Monday 8:00pm 780.270.7903

WORSHIP

Breton Word of Faith Church - Southwest corner of town on Hwy 616. Each Sunday, 10:30am, you are welcome to join us! www.bwofc.com or call 780.898.4648

Community United Church - 5112-53 Street, Warburg Join us for Sunday morning worship on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of each month at 10:30am. For more information please call the church office 780.848.2227

Faith Covenant Church - 4712 - 53 Avenue Breton We meet together in person or by live stream to worship every Sunday morning at 11am. Check out our website www.faithcovenantchurch.ca for the live stream link. Email office.faithcovenantchurch@gmail.com or call 780.696.3669

Warburg Alliance Church - 4628-55 Avenue, Warburg Open for 11am 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 - 5003-48 Street, Warburg. Saturday Sabbath School at 10am. Main Service 11:30am, Pastor Jason Williams. 780.848.2271

Do you want to help your child thrive and promote positive behaviour?
Do you want to help your child avoid risky behaviour?
This workshop is for you!

FREE PARENTING WORKSHOP

DATE: November 2nd, 2021

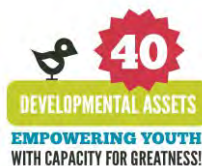
TIME: 12:00 to 1:00pm

LOCATION: Virtual Zoom Session

(link will be sent the day before the workshop)

Developmental assets are the building blocks of healthy development that help children grow up caring, responsible and resilient. You will learn about these assets as well as:

- factors that contribute to the healthy development of children & youth.
- what you can do to help build skills, experiences and opportunities for your child.
- how building on young people's strengths can help prevent alcohol and drug abuse and other risky behaviours.



REGISTER by October 31st: go to Events tab at www.sparcdeer.ca



Do you want to build positive connections with your child?
This workshop is for you!

FREE PARENTING WORKSHOP

DATE: November 23rd, 2021

TIME: 6:30pm to 7:30pm

LOCATION: Virtual Zoom Session

(link will be sent via email the day before the workshop)

Developmental relationships are close connections through which children and youth discover who they are, learn how to engage with the world around them, and learn ways to shape their own lives. You will learn about these and the 5 key elements to make your relationship with your child powerful.



REGISTER by Nov 21st: go to Events tab at www.sparcdeer.ca



PRESS RELEASE

Gerald Soroka, MP
Yellowhead

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

COVID-19 SUPPORT MEASURES

OTTAWA: Gerald Soroka Member of Parliament for Yellowhead wishes to advise that the Government of Canada has announced the Canada Recovery Benefit (CRB) will end on October 23, 2021. It will be replaced by a Canadian Worker Lockdown Benefit that will provide \$300 per week to workers whose work interruption is caused by a government-imposed public health lockdown.

Also, the Emergency Wage Subsidy and the Canada Emergency Rent Subsidy will be modified and renamed into new programs, the Tourism and Hospitality Recovery Program and the Hardest-Hit Business Recovery Program, under existing authority until November 20, 2021. The government will introduce legislation to extend those programs until May 7, 2022.

Further information can be found at:

<https://www.canada.ca/en/departement-finance/news/2021/10/targeting-covid-19-support-measures.html>



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COMMUNITY GROUP REGULAR MEETINGS

Breton & District Historical Society - Monthly Board meetings are held the 4th Monday of the Month at 7pm at the Breton Museum. The Board meets Jan-June & September-November. New members welcomed. To confirm meeting dates and times phone 780.898.1155 and for more information go to www.bretonmuseum.ca

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

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

Breton Royal Purple - meetings are the third Thursday of the month (except July & August) at 7:30pm

Breton Elks meetings are at 7:30pm every 3rd Thursday of the month at the Breton Community Hall, except for July & August..

Breton Municipal Library - Board Meetings are the 3rd Wednesday of each month except July & August and are open to the public. Meetings are at 7pm at the Library.

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

Buck Creek Community Association meetings are held at the Buck Creek Hall the first Wednesday of every month at 8pm. Jam Dance & Cards Night the first Friday of every month

Funnell Community Hall - NO MEETINGS until further notice

Village of Breton Council Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7pm in the Council Chambers of the Carolyn Strand Civic Centre.

FACILITY RENTALS

Ashland Dam Park
For reservations call Kelly at 780.898.9636

Breton Community Centre
Please contact the Breton Village Office at 780.696.3636

Breton Golden Age Club building is available for rent. Call Jane 780.696.6599 / 403.542.7921 or alternate Jean at 780.696.2439

Camp Bar V Nok - for bookings call Walter 780.717.2432 or Jason 780.990.4043 or email bookings@barvnok.com

Centrelodge Community Centre
For bookings call Caroline at 780.789.3089

Funnell Community Hall
For hall rental or more contact Ashley @ 780.514.6546

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 Bay Community Hall
For bookings call 780.389.2455

Mulhurst Legion #246
Plan your Family Get Togethers safely! We have a 80 person safe capacity facility with full kitchen all for \$75.00 a day for Legion Members. Give Marie a call: 780-361-7350

Rundle's Mission Retreat Centre
For retreat or hall bookings call 780.389.2422 or email rent@rundlesmission.org. You can also visit our website at www.rundlesmission.org

Sandholm Community Hall
For bookings call Doris 780.389.2381

Strawberry Community Hall
Call Ollie at 780.789.2180

Sunnybrook Community Hall
For rentals contact Mikayla at 306.307.2599 or email sunnybrookcommunityhall@gmail.com

Telfordville Hall
For bookings call Tracy at 780.718.9549 after 5pm

Thorsby Community Center
Call Marlene at 780.789.3734 or text 780.217.9394 or email thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com Visit our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/ThorsbyHistoricalSociety

ThorsbySeniors Centre
For rentals call Cathy Kuzio at 780.719.7124

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

Winfield Legion
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Brazeau County News

IMPORTANT DATES

November 2 | Organizational Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m.
November 8 | Agricultural Service Board meeting | 9:00 a.m.
November 11 | Brazeau County Administration Building closed – Remembrance Day
November 16 | Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m.

AGRICULTURE SERVICE BOARD

STUDENT BURSARY

DON'T MISS OUT!

The deadline for applications is October 31 of the current year.

The Agricultural Service Board of Brazeau County will provide up to two \$500 bursaries to students residing in Brazeau County enrolled in a postsecondary institute in pursuit of the following:



Bachelor of Science in Agriculture or Environment from a recognized University.

Diploma in Agriculture or Environment from a recognized College.

Degree or diploma directly related to Agriculture from recognized community colleges or universities.

Contact Brazeau County for application forms and for more information



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Aldo Leopold

For more information, contact your local ALUS program coordinator

Nancy Chambers

ALUS Brazeau
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Drayton Valley, AB T7A 1R1
780 542-7777
ALUS@brazeau.ab.ca





“Learn the Sound of Fire”



2021 Fire Safety Theme

We are never sure when or where fire will strike, so being prepared and aware are vital to your safety. Having a **WORKING** smoke detector in home is not only code, but more importantly it can save you and the ones you love. Drayton Valley/Brazeau County Fire Services would like to encourage everyone to take time this month to learn or refresh their knowledge about ways to prevent fires and how to stay safe during an emergency.

Smoke and carbon monoxide alarm sounds

It's important to know what to do when a noise is coming from a smoke or carbon monoxide alarm.

- A loud beeping sound means smoke or carbon monoxide is present. Get out, call 911 and stay out.
- A chirping sound coming from a smoke or carbon monoxide alarm means the battery or entire alarm needs to be replaced as soon as possible.

Smoke and carbon monoxide alarms need to be tested every month to ensure they're still working properly. Testing an alarm takes less than 15 seconds and is done by pressing and holding the test button to make sure it makes three or four loud beep sounds. If no sounds are made or the alarm is over 10 years old, it's time for a new one. All smoke detectors including hardwire have a 10 year life expectancy.

Prepare a home fire escape plan

Having a home fire escape plan ready saves time when it matters most and helps keep loved ones safe. Multiple escape routes for each area of the home are a key component of this plan as a fire may block access. Here are tips to help develop a home fire escape plan:

- Draw a map of each level of the home, including doors and windows, and identify two ways out of each room.
- Pick a meeting place outside, preferably in front of the home.
- Practice home fire drills twice a year!

If you have any questions please feel free to contact us at station2@brazeau.ca or phone 780.514.2216

We would like to take this opportunity to thank our community and the support we have received from all you over the years. We look forward to serving Fire Prevention Spaghetti Supper in 2022.

The logo for Summers Drilling Ltd. features the company name in a bold, stylized font with a drill bit graphic integrated into the letter 'S'.

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FCSS NEWS from Deanne Young

Just In Case

What would you do in the event that you or your partner were unable to communicate due to illness, injury or the event of your death? The JUST IN CASE file is a collection of information that will help your family and possibly your executor.

When you are dealing with grief and added stress the last thing you need is further stress not knowing where to find important documents or answers to the many questions being asked of you.

Stop by the Breton and Area FCSS office - 4916 50th Avenue Breton for your copy of JUST IN CASE. Or contact us by email for an electronic copy that you can fill out. - fcss@breton.ca

Calendar Project

Breton and Area FCSS together with the Rural mental Health Project are putting together a Community Calendar with positive messaging around Mental Health and Wellness. We would like this calendar to reflect our community and community members. That is where we need your help. We are looking for models from these demographics. Youth, teens, families, women, men, seniors, Indigenous and immigrants. We also would consider your own photo submissions of those groups. A positive message will be added to the photo and used in the calendar. The calendars will be printed and distributed for free to members of our community. Please contact us at fcss@breton.ca or 780-696-3636 for more information or to be a part of this project.

Halloween Decorating Kits and Halloween Yard Celebration

Halloween is just a few days away. We think this would be a great time to show us your community spirit and your spooky creativity by decorating your yard. Send us a picture of your creation by November 15th and you will be entered for participation prizes. We are also encouraging community members to walk or drive around the community on Halloween night to see all of the homes that are participating. This is open to all community members in the Village of Breton and Divisions 5 & 6 in Brazeau County. Pictures can be sent to fcss@breton.ca or dropped off at the Breton FCSS Office at 4916 50th Avenue, Breton.

If you could use a few supplies to help with your yard decorating, stop by and pick up one of our kits. These are FREE and available to anyone in the Village of

Breton or Brazeau County.

Santa's Workshop

Together with the Breton Agriculture Society we are planning on hosting a Santa's Workshop on Sunday November 28th. This will be an area that children are able to shop in for their parents, grandparents and siblings. We are also hoping to have additional activities for the children to participate in, such as crafts, cookie decorating and a letter writing area for those special letters to Santa. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Breton FCSS at fcss@breton.ca or 780-696-3636.

Counselling Subsidies

ALL Fees Waived Until December 31. Breton and Area FCSS is pleased to offer Counselling Services

A subsidy is available for individuals, couples and/or families who are struggling with common, everyday issues to access short-term preventative counselling services. The goal is to:

- o Improve relationships with better communication and conflict resolution skills;
- o Improve mood with anger management and emotional support;
- o Enhance personal growth with creativity, spirituality, self-esteem, self-awareness, goal setting;
- o Improve parenting skills by focusing on attachment;
- o Reduce stress with life balance; and/or
- o Learn new skills and behaviors

The cost of counselling can be a barrier for many individuals and families. This subsidy is available to those who do not have access to coverage through health benefits or employee benefits, such as an Employee Assistance Plan (EAP), and whose family income is less than \$75,000 per year. Fees are determined according to a sliding scale based on income and family size. ***Fees ranging from \$15 per session to \$50 per session will be reimbursed upon receipt of attending the appointment. This will be in effect until December 31, 2021.*** Counselling services are provided through a partnership with Karunia Counselling from Leduc.

We know that in this current environment many may have additional stress and anxiety. We also know that transportation may be an added barrier. These sessions can be arranged to be in person in the Karunia offices in Leduc, over the phone in your own safe environment or virtually on your computer.

To apply for the subsidy services, application forms are available through the Breton FCSS Office at 4916 50th Avenue or by contacting them at fcss@breton.ca or calling 780-696-3636. ***ALL APPLICATIONS ARE STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. Please contact the Breton FCSS Office and we can discuss your individual situation.***

FCSS NEWS *continued*

Thank You

Breton and Area FCSS would like to thank Patricia Simpson for her time on our Advisory Board. We appreciate her service to council and especially the Breton FCSS Advisory Board.

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HAPPY

Halloween

Join us in our Halloween Yard Celebration!

Breton and Area FCSS is excited for Halloween.
Decorate your yard and send in a photo before
November 15th.

All participants will receive a participation prize.

- Participation is open to all residents in Village of Breton or Brazeau County Divisions 5 & 6
- Contest is for exterior decorations only, including decorations in windows that are visible from the exterior.
- Participants agree to have one or more photos of their decorated residence exterior posted on the Breton FCSS Facebook page, and Breton Booster.
- **Be creative, be festive, and have fun!**

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 2 bedroom. E4260303 \$72,000

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Residential Lot 12
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 Partially fenced. Great for storage.
 E4194826 \$35,000



WARBURG



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 2 bed, 1 bath, open concept,
 2 sheds, apple tree. E4011044
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BRETON GEM



1500 sq. ft., Beautifully renovated 3
 bedroom, 2.5 bathrooms, sauna,
 fire pit, backs golf course, garage
 E4266879 \$249,000

Model Call

Photo Submissions

We're looking for individuals, groups and families interested in being featured in a community calendar that highlights the importance of mental wellness and positive messaging. If you represent one of the following community groups - Youth, Seniors, Men, Women, Indigenous or Immigrant and believe that Mental Health Awareness is important give us a call at 780-696-3636 for more information.

Photos representing any of the above mentioned groups will also be accepted for consideration.



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Greetings from Breton Elks Lodge #402



Well hello everyone, another month and another zoom session. Big difference this time, however, as members of the Breton Royal Purple Elks and Breton Elks zoomed into Breton's new community center.

This proved to be a very rewarding experience as everyone has aged by approximately 18 months.

Moving forward with business at hand a number of subjects were discussed, starting with the RV Park. A very successful year has come to a close. The new sites are proving to be a hit. Reservations and usage was up by a significant amount, along with revenue. The book exchange program under the direction of Rosemary is proving to be an attraction as well. At this time we would like to extend a huge thank you to everyone who participated in keeping the RV Park functional with clean bathrooms. Also, thank you to Darren Aldous for supplying fire wood.

Unfinished Business discussion involved conversation on a donation to long term care in Breton, discussion on by-laws for the lodge and relocating the C-Can.

New business turned to the upcoming festive season with November 28 being a target date for a kick start. A series of events were discussed as a partner affair with the local Ag Society our local weather will have an impact on some events, but will not prohibit completely the efforts. Such activities as bleach bottle curling at the skate rink weather permitting, wagon or sleigh rider, snow sculpting, and hot dogs at RV Park.

Two cash donations to local residents were approved to assist with financial hardships.

On another note several Elk members celebrated birthdays, but also Brother Ernie is celebrating 50 years as a member of Breton Lodge. Congratulations Brother Ernie.

On that note it is time to wish everyone Good Health and Wealth. Get your shots and will chat next time.

Allan



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**Did you hear about the
chopper that crashed in the
cemetary?**

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recovered 100 bodies and expect
that number to climb as
digging continues*

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AHS extends mandatory COVID-19 immunization deadline

Less than one per cent of employees seek accommodation to policy

EDMONTON – Alberta Health Services (AHS) is pleased to announce 94 per cent of full-time and part-time AHS employees - and 94 per cent of AHS physicians - have submitted proof of having two doses of COVID-19 vaccine. More than 97 per cent of ICU staff are fully immunized.

We are grateful to all who have already submitted their proof of immunization and continue to go above and beyond to keep each other and our patients safe.

We appreciate the pressures our teams face in this fourth wave, especially those on the frontlines, and we want to provide every opportunity for our workers, especially our contracted service and continuing care providers, to submit their proof of immunization.

AHS is extending the deadline for all employees, medical and midwifery staff, students, volunteers and contracted healthcare providers to comply with its mandatory immunization policy until November 30, 2021.

"We stand by the mandatory immunization policy and it will be fully implemented," said AHS President and CEO, Dr. Verna Yiu. "We are extending the deadline to give all employees more time to submit their proof of vaccination and, if they haven't yet, to get fully vaccinated. We're providing more time so our workforce is as safe and robust as it can be."

Immunization against COVID-19 is the most effective means to prevent the spread of COVID-19, to prevent outbreaks in AHS facilities, to preserve workforce capacity to support the healthcare system, and to protect our workers, patients, residents, visitors and others accessing AHS facilities.

The policy applies to all AHS, Alberta Precision Labs, Carewest, CapitalCare and Covenant Health employees, members of the medical and midwifery staffs, students, and volunteers, and other persons acting on their behalf.

It also applies to the approximately 28,000 casuals employed by AHS. Currently 76 per cent of casuals have submitted proof of immunization. With casuals included, the immunization status of the organization is about 90 per cent.

Healthcare workers have an ethical and professional responsibility to protect others. Vaccination is a tool to assist in meeting this standard.

There are some challenges with a small number of continuing care sites, particularly those in rural communities where immunization rates are low.

Extending the deadline will ensure staff at those sites have an opportunity to report their immunization, and for sites to develop contingency plans as needed.

"We would like to thank those staff members who have already submitted their proof of immunization, and strongly urge those who haven't to do so as soon as possible," said Dr. Yiu.

"At the end of the day, it's about protecting patients, continuing care residents, and anyone in our care, as well as looking out for our staff. We have a responsibility to do that."

Accommodations to the AHS policy will only be made for legitimate medical or religious reasons. Except where a workplace accommodation is approved, those employees who are not fully immunized in compliance with the policy, will be placed on an unpaid leave of absence.

To date, AHS has received just over 1,400 requests for medical or religious exemption, which will be reviewed prior to the deadline.

AHS is also tracking resignations specific to the implementation of the vaccination policy. To date, 61 employees have resigned, including 31 in clinical roles (of which 11 are Registered Nurses).

This policy strengthens the work AHS has done throughout the pandemic to keep our hospitals and healthcare facilities safe, including mandatory use of PPE, symptom checks for all healthcare staff, visitor restrictions, Infection Prevention and Control measures, and ongoing staff education.

AHS strongly encourages those staff who remain unimmunized to get their immunization as soon as they can and to address any concerns they may have with their leader or healthcare provider.

COVID-19 immunization appointments can be booked through ahs.ca/vaccine. Appointments can also be booked through the Government of Alberta's new [Alberta Vaccine Booking System](https://alberta.ca/vaccine-booking).

Alberta Health Services is the provincial health authority responsible for planning and delivering health supports and services for more than four million adults and children living in Alberta. Its mission is to provide a patient-focused, quality health system that is accessible and sustainable for all Albertans.



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Halloween Costume Ideas

by Shawna Ofstie

October 31 is my dad's birthday so with the exception of the past few years, we have had some type of celebration or Halloween Party. We have collected many photos of some very well thought out costumes from over the years so I thought I would share some of them with you to get you in the Spirit of Halloween!!

Hand Sewn



This is my first born son, Pacey's, first Halloween in 2000. My husband Shane sewed this by hand using one of his sleepers as a template.



These Go-Go dresses were hand sewn bridesmaid dresses in 1970 for my parents wedding then transformed in 1999.

Thrift shop



In 1989 my cousin Ken, showed up in this creative costume!



My husband Shane & I as 60's Barbie & Ken

Store Bought



These 2 couldn't have played the parts better!



Thank you youtube for the make-up tips.

Happy Birthday Dad



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**I tried to re-marry my
ex-wife.
But she figured out I was
only after my money.**

**KNOCK KNOCK...
WHO'S THERE?
GOAT.
GOATWHO?
GOAT TO THE DOOR
AND FIND OUT!**

**THEY ALL WANTED TO BE
WITCHES, DAD DIDN'T WANT TO
BE LEFT OUT....😂😂**



**What do you call a fat
pumpkin?
A PLUMPKIN**



*Gail's goat "Blue" is just visiting her
at her vehicle!*

*Have a cute or funny pet or wildlife picture from the
area that you'd like to share?*

*Email it to media@community39.com
or text 780.499.9006*

**KNOCK KNOCK...
WHO'S THERE?
PHILIP
PHILIP WHO?
PHILIP MY BAG
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BEN WAITING TO
GET CANDY ALL DAY**

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12.9 acres 4 bedrm home, living room w/wood burning stove, patio doors & skylight. Private, treed setting, Storage sheds, workshop.

LAND

15 ACRES, gently rolling meadow, treed ravine along west boundary. Carnwood \$119,000

58 ACRES Incredible natural spring. Pasture gently slopes from south to north. Winfield \$250,000

130 ACRES with mix of open & treed pasture, surface lease revenue, dugout. Along Hwy 22 north of Buck Creek Buck Creek \$324,900

WINFIELD**\$199,000**

Half acre lot, 3 bed, 2 bath home. Loads of upgrades. Recent: family room floor & ceiling, & garage shingles, insulated, sheeted.

BRETON HOTEL

- Tavern
- Liquor store
- 12 guest rooms
- 2 bedrm suite
- Attach garage for storage.
- Storage shed



Many upgrades & renos in past 20 years include exterior, hotel rooms, remodeling kitchen with new wiring and new plumbing.

LEDUC**\$315,000**

Great Opportunity! Undeveloped 35.18 acres only 10 minutes SW of Leduc. Seeded to grass & currently used for pasture.

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**3.2 km south of Hwy 13
south of Buck Lake**

143.55 ACRES, Creek, beaver dams, primarily treed. Annual surface lease revenue \$3,775. Quarter to north also available. Buck Lake \$265,000

157 ACRES, Creek, beaver dam, primarily mixed forest, spruce trees. Small meadow. Annual surface lease revenue \$3300. The corners of 3 acre parcel subdivided out have been marked. Quarter to south also available. Buck Lake \$349,000

ALDER FLATS**\$215,000**

3 bedroom 1 bath home with partially finished basement. Many updates since 2009. Across street from school & playground.

ALDER FLATS**\$385,000**

Country Retreat - 1800 sq ft 2 bed 3 bath home, attached 2 car garage. 4' concrete crawlspace. In Alder Flats - close to crown land.

ALDER FLATS**\$60,000**

1.33 acres located in north side of Alder Flats. Grove of mature trees. 3 sides fenced. Power at lot line. Municipal sewer available

DRAYTON VALLEY**\$700,000**

Nature's Haven- Towering spruce, mixed forest, rustic cabin, well, surrounded by miles of crown land. Fish pond.

BUCK LAKE**\$390,000**

Sunset Bay: 4 bed, 3 bath home, walkout ICF basement, deck, view of lake. Share in community lakefront & dock slip - annual fee.

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BUCK LAKE**\$550,000**

LAKEFRONT 3600±sq ft home w/ attached shop/garage completed to lockup stage. Power, well, sewer, RV sites, guest cabin.

BUCK LAKE**\$599,000**

Lakefront - 4 bed 4 bath hillside walkout bungalow on 0.82 acre lot in Hiland Estates. 3 bay garage with 3 pc bath.

BUCK LAKE**\$499,000**

At the lake - 4 bed 2 bath home with log & stone accents. Backs onto the community lakefront area with launch & dock. Oakes Bay

BUCK LAKE**\$65,000**

Close to Boat Launch! 1/4acre lot, water well, nat gas riser, 2 older garages. Act now & be ready for summer at the lake.

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