THE BRETON BOOSTER

HALLOWEEN IN BRETON

Whether you like to scare, be scared or just watch the festivities, Halloween is one of the most entertaining times of the year. This is when you can be whomever you want to be and nobody judges you.

According to Wikipedia, Halloween or "All Hallows' Eve", has hundreds of years of origins and historic customs but here in Breton, its just plain fun. Decorations and activities only get better over time. Here are a some pictures of a few activities and homes in Breton from Sunday.



Photos courtesy of Deanne Young



A local resident who wishes to remain anonymous sent me this picture and write up about a new Halloween idea formed this year.

"It was a beautiful Halloween Promenade. A few women of Breton came out for a few laughs and a great walk about. We saw some really cool house and yard decorations and stopped in for a complimentary hot chocolate. For all the ladies that couldn't make it out, hopefully we have a bigger turnout next year. Remember, Halloween is for everyone, not just the kids...A shout of thanks to Betty at IDA, Shawna and the folks at Salt & Pepper and Jeff and Starla at Nature's fuel for all your help and contributions to the first Women of Breton Halloween Promenade"

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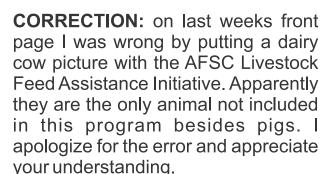
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Mrs. Charlene Littman, Manager – Cloverleaf Manor **Leduc Regional Housing Foundation** Box 490, 5204 – 53 Avenue

Warburg, Alberta T0C 2T0 Fax: 780.848.7608 or

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UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS & PROGRAMS

Breton Library Book Sale

All November long during business hours. Cash only and by donation.

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

Royal Canadian Legion #246 Mulhurst will be hosting a Nov. 11th Remembrance Day Ceremony at the Mulhurst Legion. 10:45 hrs. Seating for 200. Outdoor event, lunch by donation. 780-935-6281

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

MARKETS/THRIFTSHOPS(NONPROFIT)

Hoadley Christmas Market on November 20 from 10am - 3pm at Hoadley Hall. Table spaces available \$10/table. Concession, fresh sandwiches, squares, beverages. Come to shop. Come to Sell. Call 403.843.4137 or 403.843.6056. Admission - food items for local food bank gratefully accepted. Mask required.

Christmas Pop up Market hosted by CL Soap at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Rec Centre on Nov 20 from 10am - 3pm. Email clsoapco@hotmail.com for more info or to become a vendor.

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

THORSBY SENIORS THRIFT STORE

Open Thursdays and Fridays 10am - 3pm. We are now accepting donations that are CLEAN & RE-SELLABLE NOV. 11 - 1 Day only Open until 5pm

COMMUNITYSUPPORTSERVICES

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

Breton Food Bank

Call 780.696.36669 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 phone780.848.7577, 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



The Warburg Legion Branch No. 205

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Program:

Legion March & Flag Ceremony Laying of Official wreaths 2 minutes Silence Closing



AHS Protocols Keep social distancing Please wear a mask



NOVEMBER 2021



10:40AM - 11:10AM

SERVICE AT CENOTAPH

The Warburg Legion will be open from 10AM to 12Noon for Viewing of the wreaths
Warburg, Breton Business and other (2020)
Walk through to view wreaths
AHS protocol – limited parties viewing
Poppies will be available.
Thank you for your cooperation!
Parking available for those who want to remain in vehicle.

Please feel free to leave your Poppy at the Cenotaph In Honor of our Veterans after Service.

The Poppy Campaign Carries On!



Veterans Week 2021

Information will be distributed to Schools Anyone else interested please visit veterans.bc.ca

Poppy Trays

Poppy trays will be dropped off on November 1, 2021 Businesses, Schools, Community groups, Other Breton, Warburg, Sunnybrook Legion members will be in uniform.



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

The Royal Canadian Legion #246 Mulhurst

will host the next General Meeting on Monday, Nov 8 at 7pm. New members welcome. 780.935.6281

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 Linday McLaughlin at 780.848.2916. Meetings held quarterly

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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. **December 2** | Alternative land Use Services PAC meeting | 9:00 a.m. **December 7** | Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m. **December 15** | Agricultural Service Board meeting |

9:00 a.m.



Snow Removal Agreements

Call: 780-542-7777

If you already have a Snow Removal Agreement with Brazeau County, you do not need to renew it. Just put your sign up and our crews will spot it. If you have lost your sign, please call our Public Works Department to arrange to replace it.

Interested in snow removal services? Call Public Works for the details.

A quick note to seniors who live within the County – snow removal service for your driveway can be handled by our crews at no charge.

Driveways must be big enough for a grader to enter as that is the equipment used for snow removal.

Forms are also available on our website at www.brazeau.ab.ca.

Please call to sign up now.



Anyone else had a rough go at hanging on to joy this past

year? I think for many of us it indeed has been a challenge as we try to navigate our way through this life and hang on to joy. Living in the chronic stress we have been in this past year and half, has had its moments. Many have struggled with broken relationships, loss, grief and not to mention both physical and mental health concerns. Some daysjoy feels far away.

I invite you to do an inventory of your life today and ask yourself what brings you joy? We know what makes us sad, disappointed, angry, frustrated, and lonely but what bring us joy? Think on that for a moment and then go do it! Choose joy. For me it is spending time in the God's word and spending time in His creation...especially the mountains. I know my joy cannot come from circumstances that surround me but only from my relationship with Jesus. I love the mountains they fill me up with His joy peace and hope. They also help me breathe and bring in a new perspective to any situation I find myself in. So, my friends, what brings you joy? Start writing it down and then go do one thing that fills you up in a good and hopeful way!

My name is Natasha Westerhoud, I am a Pastor at Faith Covenant church in Breton AB. My family moved into Breton 18 months ago and we have been finding ways to connect and do life here in this beautiful community. I am also a mental health pastoral care counsellor and finishing up my graduate studies in Family and Marriage Therapy at Briercrest Seminary. I am a follower of Jesus and I aspire to His teaching on love, compassion, and radical hospitality. I have been a pastor for 21 years and my purpose is to live out an extraordinary life in the ordinary and be reminded each day that "We're all just walking each other home" Ram Dass. I look forward to bringing an encouraging word to you all in what ever season you find yourself in.

Peace my friends. Natasha.







780.696.3636

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

Halloween Yard Celebration

We are starting to receive pictures of your fabulous yard decorations. There is still time to send them in. Either drop off a photo at the Village Office or email them to fcss@breton.ca Deadline to submit them is November 15th. Thank you to all that participated and make our community look "spooky" for the holiday.

Santa's Workshop

Together with the Breton Agriculture Society and Breton ELKS 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.

Secret Santa for Seniors

With Christmas just around the corner Breton FCSS will be coordinating a Secret Santa for Seniors. This program is for seniors that live in the Village of Breton or Brazeau County east of the North Saskatchewan River. There are two parts to this program.

1. Seniors that are going to be alone for the holidays can phone in or stop by the Breton FCSS office and complete a profile. Information collected will be your name, address, phone number, Things you like to do, treats you like, items that you would like to have on your Christmas List. Seniors can also be registered by community members or agencies. This information along with just their first name will be

placed on a Christmas Tag. Registrations must be received by December 1.

- 2. Community members can view the Christmas tags at the Village of Breton Office and select a senior to shop for. Once they have completed their shopping, they will return the items to the FCSS office. Additional items will be added to your gift, wrapped and delivered by Volunteers. Shopping must be completed by December 18th. If you are unable to come into the office to make a selection, please call or email fcss@breton.ca and we can assist you with the selection.
- 3. Deliveries will be made on December 21 & 22. If possible, we encourage purchases to be made in Breton and Drayton Valley to support our local businesses. We will be looking for Volunteers to wrap and deliver the gifts on December 21 & 22. These activities will be done according to Covid-19 regulations set out by Alberta Health Services.

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:
- 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

FCSS NEWS continued

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 Staff

Please note that \underline{I} will be out of the office from November $\underline{5-14}$. If you require immediate assistance, please contact the Village of Breton office and they may be of assistance to you. I apologize for any inconvenience.

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TIPSFrom TOPS!

From P. Elson

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Light salad dressing (or mayonnaise) - 1 cup (225 ml) Lemon juice - 2 tbsp (30 ml)

Chopped onion - 1/3 cup (75 ml)

Frozen chopped spinach, thawed, drained, blotted dry - 10 oz (284 g)

Parsley flakes - 2 tsp (10 ml)

Place first 4 ingredients in blender. Blend smooth. Turn into bowl.

Stir in spinach and parsley. This is good served warm and also when it cools. Makes 2-2/3 cups (600 ml)

Nutrition Guide
1 tbsp/15ml contains:
Energy - 23 Calories(98 kJ)
Cholesteral - trace
Sodium - 78 mg
Fat - 2 g

Variation: May be used to fill a hollowed out round bread loaf, then wrap in foil and heat in 300 F oven for 2 hours. Cut up removed bread to use as dippers.





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Preacher's Point

from Pastor Jeff Gooderham

Jesus asks us a great question? "Why do we worry?" Well we might respond with any number of reasons. "Have you read the news lately?" "Have you seen my bank account?" "Have you met my family?" We have lots of reasons and examples to counter this question with, and yet the question still remains. "Why do we worry?" It's funny that Jesus would use the example of birds, they don't harvest nor do they store up in barns and yet they are provided for, in fact Jesus says that God literally feeds them. Have you ever sat and just watched a bird? They really don't appear to be all that worried or anxious. They sit on a fence post or power line or high in a tree and sing their song, then off they go in search of food trusting that they will find it, and return to their perch to sing again. The question behind the question that Jesus asks, is do you have the faith that a sparrow has? It trusts that God will feed it, do we?

Dr. E. Stanley Jones says, "I am inwardly fashioned for faith, not for fear. Fear is not my native land; faith is. I am so made that worry and anxiety are sand in the machinery of life; faith is the oil. I live better by faith and confidence than by fear, doubt and anxiety. In anxiety and worry, my being is gasping for breath—these are not my native air. But in faith and confidence, I breathe freely—these are my native air. A John Hopkins University doctor says, "We do not know why it is that worriers die sooner than the non-worriers, but that is a fact." But I, who am simple of mind, think I know; we are inwardly constructed in nerve and tissue, brain cell and soul, for faith and not for fear. God made us that way. To live by worry is to live against reality."

"Therefore I say to you do not worry about what you shall eat or what you shall wear....but seek first my kingdom and all these things shall be given onto you!" So friends, the way to worry about nothing is to pray about everything!!





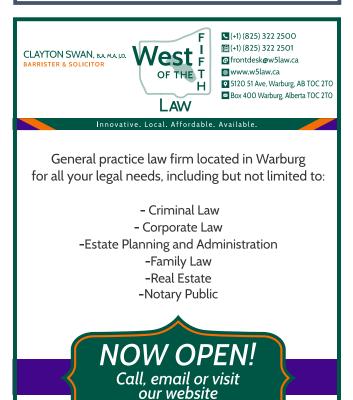
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Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

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Changes effective November 3, 2021

IT IS TIME FOR REMEMBRANCE NOVEMBER 11TH 2021 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE POPPY

PLEASE take a moment and reflect on the freedom and peace in your life.

Then remember the men and women who served and sacrificed for those privileges.

Winfield Legion Branch #236 is collecting donations towards Wreath sponsorships for the 2021 Remembrance Day Ceremony Services. Wreath sponsorship donations as well as the Poppy Box donations are utilized to assist local veterans as needed. In addition, these funds help fund the Alberta-NWT Provincial Command Poppy Fund located in Calgary to assist all Alberta Veterans in need. Please be aware that all funds raised by our branch remain in Alberta.

The funds raised help support both our Military, RCMP Veterans and their families in the following ways:

- Assistance with accessing Programs and Benefits through Veterans Affairs
- Smoothing the Transition to Civilian Life
- Financial Assistance Grants for Food, Heat, Clothing, Prescription Medications, Medical Equipment, Essential Home Repairs or Emergency Shelters
- Health and Wellness Programs such as PTSD Support
- Family Counselling and Peer Support Networks
- Homeless Veterans with housing accommodations and care facilities

Without your generous support these services and many others would not be available to help those who have given us so much by serving our country and communities. Please send your Wreath Sponsorship donations including your full name and return address to

Royal Canadian Legion Winfield Branch #236 Poppy Fund Box 183 Winfield, AB TOC 2X0

All Wreath sponsor names will be recognized in the Breton Booster following the Ceremony on November 11th, 2021.

For further information contact: Branch President Gordon Watson 780-542-1243



GET FULLY PROTECTED.

YOU NEED BOTH INFLUENZA AND COVID-19 VACCINES.

Children under five years of age and their households can get their influenza vaccine at an AHS clinic. Appointments are required.

All other Albertans can get their flu shot from a participating pharmacy or doctor's office.

Don't have your COVID-19 vaccine? It's safe to get influenza and COVID-19 vaccines together. Both vaccines are available at selection locations.

If you need help booking one or multiple appointments for children and family, call Health Link at 811.

To learn more, visit ahs.ca/vaccine Have questions? Call 811







HEALTH ADVISORY Blue-green algae (cyanobacteria) bloom, water quality advisories lifted

Recent weather has cooled lake and reservoir water temperatures to such an extent that blue-green algae is no longer a health concern, including in eight of water bodies in Central Zone, which had previously been placed under blue-green algae (cyanobacteria) bloom advisories.

Effective immediately, Alberta Health Services has lifted the blue-green algae (cyanobacteria) bloom advisories for:

Alix Lake
Astotin Lake
Bigelow Reservoir
Buck Lake
Haunted Lake
Little Beaver Lake
Wapasu Lake
Windsor Lake

AHS has also lifted the water quality advisory for:

Ebeling Beach at Aspen Beach Provincial Park on Gull Lake

As always, visitors and residents are reminded to never drink or cook with untreated water directly from any recreational body of water, at any time.

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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Government of Alberta NEWS - EDUCATION

Diploma exams

In response to feedback from students, parents and education partners about stress and anxiety around academic achievement exams, Alberta Education will temporarily change the weighting of diploma exams to 10 per cent from 30 per cent for the 2021-22 school year.

The ministers of Advanced Education and Education have sent an open letter to Alberta's post-secondary institutions to advise them of this change and encourage them to further consider the impact the pandemic has had on students who are applying to their post-secondary institutions.

"Alberta's students continue to face challenges due to the pandemic and I have heard concerns for our graduating class of 2022. I've heard feedback from students on my Minister's Youth Council as well as from education partners that changing the weight of diploma exams will reduce the burden on students while still giving them valuable exam writing experience. We're making this temporary change in recognition of these circumstances, which we hope will place less of a burden on these students." *Adriana La Grange, Minister of Education*

"The College of Alberta School Superintendents is pleased with the Alberta government's commitment to provide additional funding to support school divisions with addressing Grade 1 to 3 student learning challenges stemming from the pandemic. We're also grateful for the Minister's decision to reduce the weighting of diploma exams as it will support Grade 12 students whose learning has also been adversely impacted." Wilco Tymensen, president, College of Alberta School Superintendents

"As a member of the Minister's Youth Council, it pleases me to see the Minister taking our feedback and concerns into consideration. As a Grade 12 student, the experience of writing diplomas is essential to prepare us for success as we consider post-secondary. Reducing the weighting of the exams will lessen the impact on mental health in youth while still ensuring that students are motivated to learn and understand the critical value of our education despite the effects of the pandemic." Tacey, member of the Minister's Youth Council, Parkland School Division

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Alder Flats. Grove of mature trees. 3 sides fenced. Power at lot line.



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