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Alberta Health Services

# PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS

# ONGOING CONCERNS IN LOCAL HEALTHCARE

There are ongoing concerns within the Breton and Drayton Valley communities from elected officials and residents alike about staffing and recruitment challenges that have impacted other services. The Drayton Valley Hospital for example continues to have five acute care beds closed due to staffing and recently had temporarily paused endoscopy services in order to redeploy staff to other areas. While Medical Affairs has secured two new physician recruits, there continues to be concern about a "shortfall" in local healthcare services.

# TEMPORARY ACCESS CHANGES TO COMMUNITY LAB SERVICES IN DRAYTON VALLEY AND BRETON DUE TO STAFF SHORTAGES

The laboratory at the Drayton Valley Hospital as well as the collection lab in Breton are experiencing staffing shortages due to multiple staff on medical leave. Effective immediately, walk-in appointments have been temporarily suspended at both lab locations.

All community patients requiring lab collections like blood work must make an appointment to do so. Previously booked appointments and urgent requisitions from physician clinics are not impacted. Mobile lab collections will also continue for continuing care residents in Breton.

These changes will remain in place until early September when staffing levels are expected to stabilize.

Additionally, there may be temporary reductions in the hours of operation at the lab in Breton, depending on available staffing. These reductions will be mitigated to the fullest extent possible and one day of lab service will continue to be preserved each week until staffing challenges are resolved. Any patients with previously booked lab appointments that are impacted by staffing availability will be contacted directly to rebook at the soonest opportunity.

Lab appointments can be booked using the website <u>www.aplappointments.ca</u> or by calling the Alberta Precision Laboratories appointment line 1-833-572-0577. Patients requiring heart rhythm monitoring using the Holter device must be booked directly with the lab in Breton by calling 780-696-4708.

At this time lab appointments are available within 2 to 7 days, depending on the nature of the collection needed, at both locations. These changes are only affecting lab collection services. Laboratory testing that is conducted in Drayton Valley is not impacted and will continue.

Alberta Precision Laboratories and AHS continue to actively recruit for additional laboratory staff at both locations.

# MOBILE MAMMOGRAPHY SERVICE TO VISIT BRETON

Women ages 50 to 74 – the group most at risk of developing breast cancer – will have local access to mammography services this month when Alberta Health Services' Screen Test program visits Breton.

A mobile mammography trailer will be stationed at Breton Continuing Care Centre, located at 4919 49 Avenue on August 12 and 13.

Residents can book an appointment or learn more about the program by calling toll-free 1-800-667-0604.

A mammogram is an X-ray of the breast and has proven to be the most effective way to detect breast cancer. Early detection allows for a greater number of options for treatment and a better chance of survival.

Visit <u>www.screeningforlife.ca/screentest</u> for a complete listing of Screen Test mobile sites.

# Classifieds

# FOR SALE

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### FOR RENT

**HOUSE FOR RENT** on acreage near Thorsby, 2 bedroom, no pets, no smoking, 90% furnished, satelite included, prefer one older person, available Aug 1 - Call 780-721-5139

## WANTED

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OLD FARM TRACTORS OR CATERPILLARS Will buy Complete or Incomplete. 403-396-8629

# **GARAGE/MOVING SALES**

LARGE GARAGE SALE at 4912 - 49 Avenue across from Breton Health Centre. Saturday July 30 & Sunday July 31 from 10am - 4:30pm

**MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE -** Rain or Shine 4919-51 Ave, Breton (Tomczak), Friday July 29 10-5, Saturday July 30 10-2

#### SIZZLIN' SUMMER YARD SALE!

Every Saturday from 9 till noon at 5023 - 51 street in Breton. Starting June 4 till August 27. Furniture, tools, DVDs, and much much more. New items every week.

# SERVICES

**BOOKKEEPING & PERSONAL TAX SERVICES** Small business, farm & rental statements, GST, WCB & payroll. Check us out <u>www.jensbookkeepingservices.ca</u> By appointment only. Call 780-898-5198 or email jensbookkeepingservices@outlook.com

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**BACKHOE FOR HIRE** Fully insured. Specializing in excavation, trenching, septic systems, utility lines, secondary gas lines, weeping tile, basements, footings, backfilling, hole augering. Call Jody at 780-898-2512 or Ryan at 780-514-9246. Located in Warburg.

# JOURNEYMAN PLUMBER/GASFITTER & CERTIFIED SEWER INSTALLER

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

You can pay or drop off your ads at the BRETON PUBLIC LIBRARY 780-499-9006 or media@community39.com

# TABS FOR TOTS PULL.COLLECT.DONATE



Tabs for tots collects the <u>"tab off beverage cans as</u> well as other recyclable metals. The collection is sold for scrap and the funds collected are allocated for helping local hospitals.



To donate your tabs or other recyclable metals please contact the Breton Elks at 780.696.3800

The Breton Booster can be viewed online & in color at <u>www.community39.com</u>

If you'd like to get a link to the paper in your inbox you can subscribe online or email <u>media@community39.com</u>

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Sudoku Answers from July 20 Issue

The object of the puzzle is to fill the remaining squares, using all the numbers 1–9 exactly once in each row, column, and the nine 3 × 3 subgrids.



# WINFIELD Br #236

August 6, 2022 UGETUK DAYS Come watch the parade at 11am!

# CAR SHOW TO FOLLOW



# JOIN US FOR LUNCH!

Hamburgers & Pop \$7 Hot dogs & Pop \$6

Bar Cash Sales!





# FCSS & Recreation Coordinator Employment

**REPORTS TO:** Village of Warburg Municipal Administrator

Part Time Position 3-day work weeks with 6.5 hours per day plus additional flex hours.

## **FUNCTION:**

The FCSS Coordinator provides advocacy, community development, senior services, and advocates for community members. The FCSS Coordinator assists clients directly with information and referral services and facilitates an awareness of social needs and trends within the community. This position maintains contact with the Leduc County FCSS Department through the Community Support Manager and evaluates programs offered to ensure compliance with FCSS outcomes measurement.

The Recreation Coordinator is responsible for programming various recreation events and activities for all demographics which includes youth, adult, family, and seniors. The Recreation Coordinator also supports the summer student with planning and execution of summer programming and attends recreation-oriented meetings.

#### QUALIFICATIONS, ABILITIES AND SKILLS:

Strong verbal, written communication skills and time management are required. Microsoft Office, social media and Publisher familiarity is required. Must be skilled at building relationships and developing community linkages to ensure collaboration with agencies, organizations, families, and workers, and to develop and deliver quality social programming.

Must have the proven ability to multi-task and work independently, with minimal supervision, as part of a multi-disciplinary team.

#### DEADLINE for Applications: 4:00 p.m. August 15, 2022 or until a suitable candidate has been found.

Applications will be accepted in person at the Village of Warburg Municipal Office, emailed or mailed to: Village of Warburg Attention: Chris Pankewitz Municipal Administrator Box 29, Warburg, Alberta, TOC 2T0 Email: village@warburg.ca



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# **UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS & PROGRAMS**

WINFIELD UGETUK DAYS - August 4-7, 2022. For more information go to Winfield Ag Society Facebook.

WINFIELD LEGION BR #236 IS CELEBRATING 75 YEARS. Everyone Welcome, Free Hotdogs, Soft Drinks, Wagon Rides, Kids Games & Face Painting, Historical Displays, August 20th Starts at Noon

FAMILY STREET DANCE AND BBQ - Saturday, August 27th at the Breton Museum. 12:00pm to 3:00pm. Live Music, Craft Tables, and BBQ'd Hot Dogs! Cash only concession! Bring your own Chair! Special thanks to Breton FCSS and Breton Municipal Library for their support!

"CACTUSVILLE" VBS DAY CAMP for Kids ages 5-10 – FREE – August 15-19, from 2:00-5:00pm daily in Warburg. Call or write for pre-registration or other information - 780-848-2271 or daycamp@warburgadventist.ca

SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS (JULY & AUGUST) - list of programs in FCSS NEWS (page 8) & complete calendars on Facebook page @fcssbreton. Contact Breton FCSS for more information or email fcss@breton.ca for a registration package.

COMMUNITIES CALENDAR for Breton, Brazeau County, Warburg, Thorsby, Leduc County in last issue of each month, online at www.community39.com and on FB. Updated as needed. Email media@community39.com to add your event.

CELEBRATING BRETON - Thursday, September 22. Registration forms available at Village office. For more info contact Breton FCSS.

"A positive attitude may not solve all your problems, bit it will annoy enough people to make it worth the effort" - Unknown-



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# **PROGRAMS & REGULAR EVENTS**

#### **BRETON MUNICIPAL LIBRARY**

Is open Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm except Wednesdays open until 6pm and Closed on Sundays

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

# MARKETS/THRIFTSHOPS(NONPROFIT)

WINFIELD PUBLIC MARKET - Aug 6th Uketuk Days Market 9am-2pm! Call or text Carla 780-621-1285 or follow us on FB.

DRAYTON VALLEY FARMERS' MARKET Every Wednesday from 3-7pm until second week of October. 5015 Industrial Rd in the Agricultural Society Building.

TREASURES THRIFT SHOP IN WARBURG Wednesdays from 10am - 4pm. 5112 - 53 Street, Warburg

FARMERS MARKET at Sunnybrook Community Hall 10-2 pm first Saturday of every month contact 780-222-3458 or sunnybrookfarmmarket@gmail.com for more info.

SANDHOLM HALL MARKET on Saturdays 10-3 Betty 780-916-1845

# COMMUNITYSUPPORTSERVICES

Breton & Area Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Please contact Deanne at 780-696-3636 or email ss@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

Does drinking affect your personal life in any way? AA can help! 5203 - 54 Avenue at Thorsby New Life Christian Church (every) Monday 8:00pm 780-270-7903

Breton RCMP Call 780-696-3520 or contact Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), online at www.P3Tips.com For emergencies call 911

**Bylaw Enforcement Officer & Animal Control Officer** Doris McAllister 780-719-6447

ALBERTA MENTAL HEALTH HOTLINE is a 24 hour, 7 day a week confidential service 1-877-303-2642

LEDUC AND AREA RURAL CRIME WATCH is the eyes and ears for the RCMP. Breton/Thorsby. For more info email leducruralcrimewatch@gmail.com



Message from Gerald Soroka, MP



# OLD AGE SECURITY PENSION INCREASE FOR SENIORS

OTTAWA: Gerald Soroka, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead wishes to advise that the Old Age Security (OAS) pension has permanently increased by 10% for seniors aged 75 and over. Full pensioners will receive over \$800 extra in the first year. Eligible seniors will not have to take any action to receive this increase. The payments will be increased automatically.



Backgrounder: Government of Canada Financial Support for Seniors www.canada.ca/en/employm <u>ent-social-</u> <u>development/news/2022/07/</u> <u>backgroundergovernment-of-</u> <u>canada-financial-supports-</u> for-seniors.html



#### VILLAGE OF BRETON DEVELOPMENT PERMIT

Development involving building a handicap ramp to the existing deck, legally described as Lots 10 & 11 Block 6 Plan 3246ET, 4912 – 49 Ave., further described in Application No 0004-22 is:

APPROVED, subject to the following conditions:

- The development must comply with Land Use Bylaw No. 13-02.
- The development must comply with the Village of Breton Bylaws.
- The development is subject to the Building Safety Codes Act, including permits and inspections. A copy of all final inspections must be submitted to the Village Office.
- Before any work is performed, all necessary permits and notices must be applied for and received including Alberta One Call.

You are hereby authorized to proceed with the development specified provided that all stated conditions are complied with; that development is in accordance with any approved plans and application; and that a Building Permit is obtained if construction is involved. <u>Should an appeal be made against this decision to the Development Appeal Board, the development permit shall be null and void.</u>

Date of Decision: July 21, 2022 Date of Issue of Development Permit: July 21, 2022





# 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 Bible Church - Alder Flats

Pastor Samuel Hayford 780-388-3926. Sunday Service & Sunday School at 11am 780-388-0018

Faith Covenant Church - 4712 - 53 Avenue Breton

In person or live-stream Sunday mornings at 11 am with Pastor Natasha Westerhoud. Call 780-696-3669 or email office.faithcovernantchurch@gmail.com

# FACILITY RENTALS

Breton Community Centre Please contact communitycentre@breton.ca or Jodie 780-514-8335

Breton Elks Tent rentals now available. (3) 20ft x 20ft & (1) 20ft x 40ft. For details contact Darren Scott at 780-696-3800

Breton Golden Age Club building is available for rent. Call Jane 780-696-6599/403-542-7921 or alt Jean at 780-696-2439

#### **Funnell Community Hall**

For hall rental or more contact Ashley @ 780-514-6546

Winfield Legion Available to rent. Rental inquiries to Gordon 780-542-1243 or Ron 403-862-0769

# **COMMUNITY GROUP REGULAR MEETINGS**

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

Breton & District Historical Society - Monthly meetings the 4th Monday at 7pm at the Breton Museum. Meets Jan-June &Sept-Nov. Ph 780-898-1155 or go to www.bretonmuseum.ca

**Breton Royal Purple** - meetings are the third Monday of the month (except July & August) at 7:30pm at the Breton Community Hall.

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 Wed 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

**Royal Canadian Legion #246 Mulhurst** Veteran and Family-New Membership incentive continues, sign up and 2022 -2023 are FREE!!. Next General Meeting: Sept. 12th, 780-935-6281

**BURNT WOOD "06" METIS LOCAL** monthly meetings on the 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7 pm in the Wetaskiwin Moose Lodge. Call Rose @ 780-361-6019 for more information.

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# **William "Bill" Adair** March 16, 1927 – July 13, 2022

On Wednesday, July 13, 2022, Mr. William "Bill" Adair, long-time resident of Breton, Alberta passed away at WestView Hospital Centre, Stony Plain, Alberta at the age of 95 years.

Bill was a loving, generous and charismatic man. Throughout his career in networking he was privileged to meet many people and have an abundance of friends. He enjoyed travelling, especially to Las Vegas where he could do a little bidding and try his hand at the poker table.

Bill will be lovingly remembered by his wife, Tessie; children, Dan Adair, Kathy (Lorne) Lee and Linda (Bob) Williams; grandchildren, Melissa (Grant) Leslie, Daniel (Desiree) Adair, Jamie (Glenda) Adair, Georgina Lee (Jason Johannesson), Jennifer Biette, Rachel (Cordell) Skinner, Micheal (Nadine) Williams, Michelle (Conrad) Antle and Robert Williams (Nicole Franks); 40 great-grandchildren and 16 great-greatgrandchildren.

Bill is predeceased by his parents, Edith and William Adair; son, Sammy Adair; grandson, Robin Adair; his first wife and the mother of their children, Helen "Tonie" Adair; his second wife, Nilda Adair; as well as by his sister Hazel and her husband, Ken Plunkie.

Bill's life was celebrated at the Affinity Funeral Service Chapel, 5001 45 Avenue, Drayton Valley, Alberta on Saturday, July 23, 2022 at 1:00 p.m. Interment followed at Breton Cemetery.

Bill's family would like to extend their heartfelt thanks to the Doctors and the entire staff at Stony Plain Hospital, Bayshore Health Care and Comfort Keepers for the amazing care provided. A special thank you to Josephine, Connie and Meriam for going above and beyond for Dad and Tessie.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Bill's name may be made directly to the Drayton Valley Health Foundation – Greatest Need, 4550 Madsen Avenue, Drayton Valley, Alberta T7A 1N8.

Condolences may be sent by visiting: <u>www.affinityfuneralservice.ca</u>

Arrangements in care of Joelle Valliere at:



Affinity Funeral Service 5001 45 Avenue, Drayton Valley, Alberta 780.542.3338



Summer Youth Program – Registration is now Open - Welcome to Summer. - Wow what a fun first week of programs. We had kids learning to bake bread, make some amazingly creative crafts and 9 that are now certified babysitters. This week looks to be equally as fun with our waterslide coming to town, time to learn about robots and inventions, beautiful dreamcatchers and a trip to the bowling alley. We are very excited to again be working with Alyssa and Kylie as our summer students. We have a great lineup of activities. Some are starting to fill up. We could not make this possible without our many supporters: A.I.F. Breton, Breton Family Foods, Breton ELKS, Breton Royal Purple, and Sinopec. Here are some of the activities coming up:

- July 27 Movie Morning Join us in your PJ's for movie time. All ages Free 10:30 12:00 Breton Civic Centre
- July 27 Scavenger Hunt All ages and family members welcome . 1:30 3:00 Breton Civic Centre Free
- July 28 Bowling Join us on a trip to Thorsby. Bus leaves at 9:00 from the Civic Centre Cost:\$2 Ages 7+
- July 28 Nerf Games Fun time at the Breton Community Centre - Cost \$3 Ages 5+. Players split into age groups.
- August 2 Super Heros & Princesses Join us in your favorite super hero or princess dress ( not required) and have a fun filled morning of crafts, games and snacks. All ages. Under 5 must be accompanied by an adult. Cost:\$2 Breton Community Centre
- August 2 Bubble Soccer Try this wacky game of soccer. Ages 10+ FULL
- August 3 Movie Trip FULL
- August 4 Who doesn't love a Puppet Show
  All Ages 10:30 11:30 Location to be determined.
- August 9 Water Daze Water slide wiener roast & drinks at Breton RV Park. Under 7 must be supervised. FREE Drop in and join in on the fun.
- August 10 Momma & Mia This is a day for

girls 7 – 15 to spend with their mom, Auntie or Grandma. The day will be filled with crafts, spa time, lunch and a movement session. \$10 / participant. Pre-register by August 5th.

# **Counselling Subsidies**

# Breton and Area FCSS is pleased to offer Counselling Subsidies.

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:

- Improve relationships with better communication and conflict resolution skills;
- Improve mood with anger management and emotional support;
- Enhance personal growth with creativity, spirituality, self-esteem, self-awareness, goal setting;
- Improve parenting skills by focusing on attachment;
- Reduce stress with life balance; and/or
- 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 range from \$15 per session to \$50 per session. The maximum number of sessions available is seven for individuals and nine for couples or families.

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.

## Save the Date – Thursday September 22 – **Celebrating Breton**

This evening will bring our community together to see all of the great business, non-profit and recreation opportunities. We invite any groups, home business or store front businesses to join us. There is no fee to participate, registration forms available from the Village office. Only one vendor from a company business will be accepted) i.e., Thirty-One Bags, Tupperware, Pampered Chef etc. Please contact us for more information or email fcss@breton.ca for a registration package.



Psychic Medium Michelle Minke Saturday August 6th 7-9pm 2 hour show Dinner and Group Reading \$50 Only 50 seats available Call or stop in for tickets "A Niaht with Elvis Impersonator Will Reebs Saturday August 13th Dinner and Supper Buffet \$45 Second Annual Car Show Saturday September 10th Registration 9 am to 11 am \$20 per entry Everyone is Welcome **Big Tee Golf Resort** 780.696.3883 48111 Highway 20 Breton AB For lunch & supper specials or updates...Like us on Facebook @ BigTeeBreton, or check out our website www.bigteeresort.ca Banman Westerlund LLP Chartered Professional Accountants • Derek W. Banman CPA, CA - Partner • Kyle Westerlund CPA, CA - Partner T: 780.696-2511 F: 780.696.2017 T: 780.426.3943 Edmonton, Alberta T6E 5A6 F: 780.424.1875 **SUD'S BUCKET** 

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# COMMUNITIES CALENDAR AUGUST 2022

Community 29

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Communities Calendar will be in the newspaper the last issue of each month and available to view anytime online at <u>www.community39.com</u> or on our FB Page \*Dates are updated as needed

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
	1 CIVIC HOLIDAY	2 "Breton FCSS - Super Hero Princesses & Bubble Soccer "Thorsby Rec - Arctic Summer Kids Day 1 "Leduc County - Epic Adventure Camp Day 1 in Warburg "Mulhurst Legion Family Bingo 7pm	3 "Breton FCSS - Movie Trip "Thorsby Rec - Arctic Summer Kids Day 2 "Leduc County - Epic Adventure Camp Day 2 in Warburg "Warburg- Busy Brushes	4 *Breton FCSS - Puppet Show & Honky Tonk Mystery *Thorsby Rec - Arctic Summer Kids Day 3 *Leduc County - Epic Adventure Camp Day 3 in Warburg *Warburg Quilters *Thorsby Seniors Bingo 7pm *Brazeau County - ALUS PAC meeting 1pm	5 *Leduc County - Epic Adventure Camp Day 4 Warburg *Winfield Ugetuk Days (Aug 4-7)	6 Sunnybrook Farmers Market - 10am - 2pm "Winfield Market - 9am- 2pm "Winfield Ugetuk Days (Aug 4-7) "Breton Big Tee Psychic Medium Michelle Minke 7pm	
7 *Winfield Ugetuk Days (Aug 4-7)	8 *Breton FCSS - Park Play 12pm - 1:30pm *Thorsby- Afternoon Crib @ Seniors Centre 1:30pm *Warburg Village Council Meeting 7pm	<b>9</b> *Breton FCSS - Water Daze *Thorsby Rec - Kids Cooking Camp Day 1 *Mulhurst Legion Family Bingo 7pm *Brazeau County - Council Meeting 9am *Town of Thorsby - COW Meeting 7pm	10 *Breton FCSS - Momma & Mia *Thorsby Rec - Kids Cooking Camp Day 2 *Thorsby Seniors Soup & Sandwich 11:30am *Warburg- Busy Brushes *Breton Village Council Meeting 7pm	*Breton FCSS - Bowling Trip & Balloon Twisting *Thorsby Rec - Kids Cooking Camp Day 3 *Leduc County Rocking Out - Calmar *Warburg Quilters *Thorsby Seniors Bingo 7pm	12	13 *Breton Big Tee A Night with Elvis	
14	15 *Breton FCSS - Park Play 12pm - 1:30pm *Thorsby Rec - Moms & Tots Day *Warburg VBS Day Camp - Day 1 *Thorsby- Afternoon Crib @ Seniors Centre 1:30pm	16 *Breton FCSS - Craft Time * Tie Die *Thorsby Rec - Block Party *Leduc County Rocking Out - Warburg *Warburg VBS Day Camp - Day 2 *Mulhurst-Legion Bingo 7pm *Brazeau County - Municipal Planning Commission 9:30am	<b>177</b> <sup>*</sup> Breton FCSS - Cooking Day <sup>*</sup> Warburg VBS Day Camp - Day 3 <sup>*</sup> Warburg- Busy Brushes <sup>*</sup> Brazeau County - Agricultural Service Board meeting 9am	188 "Breton FCSS - Indigenous Dolls & Nerf Games "Thorsby Rec - End of Summer Party "Leduc County Rocking Out - Thorsby "Warburg VBS Day Camp - Day 4 "Warburg Quilters "Thorsby Seniors Bingo 7pm	<b>19</b> *Warburg VBS Day Camp - Day 5	20 *Winfield Legion 75th Anniversary at noon	
21 *PANCAKE BREAKFAST at Sandholm Hall from 8 am to 11am.	22 *Breton FCSS - Park Play 12pm - 1:30pm *Thorsby- Afternoon Crib @ Seniors Centre 1:30pm	23 "Breton FCSS - Sewing & Swim Trip "Mulhurst- Legion Bingo 7pm "Town of Thorsby Council Meeting 7pm *Leduc County Council 1:30pm	24 "Breton FCSS - Corm Maze "Warburg- Busy Brushes	25 *Breton FCSS - Kids Market *Warburg Quilters *Thorsby Seniors Bingo 7pm	26	27 *Thorsby Lone Wolf - Monster Trucks/Car& Truck Show 10am - 5pm *Breton Museum Family Street Dance & BBQ 12pm - 3pm	
28	29 *Breton FCSS - Park Play 12pm - 1:30pm *Thorsby- Afternoon Crib @ Seniors Centre 1:30pm	<b>30</b> "Breton FCSS - Fun Day Pizza Party "Mulhurst- Legion Bingo 7pm	31	*Sandholm Markets every Thursday from 10am - 3pm *Mulhurst Bay Farmers Market every Thursday from 5pm - 8pm *Calmar Market on Main every Friday 4pm - 8pm	*Warburg Treasures Thrift Shop open Wednesdays from 10am .4pm *Thorsby Seniors Thrift Store Open Thursday - Sat 10am .3pm *DRAYTON VALLEY FARMERS' MARKET Every Wednesday from 3-7pm	*Brazeau County - Community Markets Aug 4 - Lindale Community Hall Aug 11 - Lodgepole Hall Aug 18 - Bearpaw Ranch Aug 25 - Buck Creek Hall	
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# Greetings from Breton Elks Lodge #402



Well, hello everyone, although I was not planning any stories until September this summer is turning into a busy season but that is not all bad.

Back in 2004 Breton Elks decided to establish a Patrol Team. This consists of members getting together to dress in some sort of uniform that is separate from normal wear for regular meetings. The purpose of a Patrol Team is to add color to installation ceremonies and upon occasion to initiation ceremonies. These occasions are usually accompanied with music to add a little more flare.

This past July the Sherwood Park Elks Lodge invited Breton Patrol Team members to provide their talent at the National Convention. This also gave our Patrol Team members the opportunity to assist with the installation of one of our own. Brother Don Gillis was installed as Grand Leading Knight or in everyday terms Vice President of Grand Lodge. This was a first time experience for Breton Members to be involved with Grand Lodge installations. Congratulations on a job so well done.

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M y first glance at the group of people who were getting off the bus ...was their clothing. They wore v e r y colourful clothing, shiny and a bit different than what l

have been noticing. Right away what I noticed is that they stood out...or apart...they were a bit different. There were many women and children clinging together and all navigated towards the table of goodies. I noticed they had bags and started to fill up the bags, then they filled up some more. They came to my table and asked a few guestions about what we had and who could take the items. I shared that we had items for moms and babies and if they needed something they are more than welcome to take the items. They took everything. They were so present and engaged that I did not notice that they had come back and even took the baskets! I was a bit surprised and then my partner who was working with me that morning shared with me that the people who just came through are Ukrainian gypsies. Well...I was intrigued...who are these beautiful people who seemed to be so colourful and fully present when you meet them.

My friend who is from Ukraine shared with me that I have just encountered The Romani people (Roma) who originated from Northern India and migrated as a group. She went on to share that Romani people face persistent prejudice and discrimination in Ukraine and before the Russian invasion, around 400,000 Roma in Ukraine continue to live in poverty and have lack of access to employment, education, and health care. With a bit of more investigating I found out that during the 2022 invasion of Ukraine, Roma people suffered due to the lack of civil status documentation which held off their access to humanitarian assistance. Some sources report denying refugees access to European countries. They are often seen as less than in the community and a nuisance.

My friend shared with me that she knows Roma families and is friends with a Roma pastor who shares Jesus' truth and love with the community he lives with. Many Roma people resell items they buy in bulk to make money, busk, read tarot cards, dance in the streets...some live on their own yet many continue to live in community, and they all seek opportunities to create means of supporting their families.

I was reminded that day that many people all over the world continue to be discriminated against and set apart for whatever reason. It may be the way they look, the way they act, the way they speak or...you fill in the blank...all this leads people to do what they can to survive.

I wanted to get to know the beautiful people more. I wanted to go see where they lived and what they did for a living. I wanted to hear their songs and see them dance and I wanted to get to know their families.

It is only when we invest and allow ourselves to embrace other people's stories that we can start to set our differences aside and see and accept people for who they are. It is only then that we can meet people where they are at.

I want to do better, and I want to be that person who sets aside the differences and loves people as they are. I want to be able to learn from each other and love well. I never want to make anyone feel like they are a nuisance or be a part of someone's suffering. I want to do better.

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Pastor Natasha Westerhoud

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# I OPENED IT AND IT WORKS JUST FINE!

One way to find out if you are old is to fall down in front of a lot of people. If they laugh, you're still young. If they panic and start running to you, you're old.





I am proud to announce I have completed the 1st item on my bucket list.

# I have the Bucket.

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Answers will be published in the next issue!



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