BOSTER

EMPOWERING OUR YOUTH

story & pictures from Facebook

Breton FCSS partnered with Breton Elementary & High School to bring Female Canadian Country Recording Artist and Entertainer, Tiffany Dowhan to present. This was part of her High Heels & Spurs Self Esteem Program spring tour empowering youth to make choices that will serve them as they work towards their goals & dreams. "So grateful to have spent the day at Breton Elementary School, reminding these young ladies that they are worthy, fearfully and wonderfully made, that what they say

& do does matter and that they were created for a plan & a purpose!" says Tiffany on a Facebook post.

Such great messages for all!







GORD BAMFORD IN THORSBY MAY 6

The Thorsby & District Chamber of Commerce is partnering with Arctic Spas and the Town of Thorsby to bring Gord Bamford to Thorsby on May 6, 2023. This fundraising concert is in support of the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex for much needed maintenance and upgrades. This would not be possible without the generous sponsorship and work of Arctic Spas (Blue Falls Manufacturing) and our local community.

Get your tickets before they are gone at www.showpass.com/gord-bamford-canadian-dirt-tour-thorsby-ab/

Classifieds

FOR SALE

PRESSURE TREATED PIERS AND PIERSTANDS for sale. Useful in lake or farm settings. Located in Mulhurst. \$15 includes both pier and stand. Pat at 780-221-3791.

FREE

FREE CABIN approximately 40' x 24', needs renovations. Has to be removed off property in Mulhurst Bay ASAP. Call 403-934-7917 for more information

FOR RENT

HOUSE FOR RENT - 2 bedroom near Thorsby, available mid-May. Phone 780-717-8119

SHARED ACCOMODATIONS - 2 Rooms for Rent on Acreage - shared kitchen, bath & 2 living rms, 3 minutes SW of Thorsby, \$750/mth, all utilities incl, available May 1. No pets, No smoking in house. Call 403-348-1040

WANTED

LOOKING FOR PASTURE for cow/calf pairs. Also looking for hayland. Contact Levi at 780-312-9891

LEAD BATTERIES & SCRAP VEHICLES Will buy your old lead batteries for re-cycling. Also FREE removal of scrap vehicles. We pay cash for both! 403-396-8629

RETIRING OR UNDECIDED ABOUT WHAT TO DO WITH YOUR FARMLAND? We pay to rent land to be used for crop or hay land. Regions of Thorsby, Pigeon Lake and Warburg. Phone Nathan at 780-710-8313.

OLD FARM TRACTORS OR CATERPILLARS

Will buy Complete or Incomplete. 403-396-8629

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RELIABLE DJ for your party or special event. We also offer Karaoke, Music Bingo, Minute to Win It games and have local references. 587-991-4977 or www.carrielevins.com

IT'S TAX TIME! Over 25 years experience doing income taxes, bookkeeping, payroll, GST & WCB forms. Call Lois at 780-696-2141 or 780-898-1172

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

You can drop off your ads at the Breton Library or CE MEDIA - 4928 Hankin Street Thorsby 780.499.9006 or email to media@community39.com

MERV'S TRUCK PARTS

Employment Opportunity

Merv's Truck Parts has a full time position open for a mechanically inclined individual.

Email your resume to mervstruckparts@hotmail.com

Breton Museum Summer Employment Opportunity

May 15 – September 1 30 hrs/week 11am-5pm (Some weekend work required)

The Breton Museum is seeking Community Museum Assistant for the 2023 summer season.

Duties:

- · Responsible for opening and closing Museum
- Delivering of Public Programs
- Provide interpretive information to museum visitors
- Assist Manager with all aspects of Collection Management
- · Assist Museum Manager with Exhibit development
- · Assist with digital content for social media
- · Light house keeping duties

The ideal candidate will:

- Have strong public speaking skills and engage with members of the public
- · Possess strong verbal and interpersonal skills
- · Be efficient and well organized
- Be able to work well independently
- Knowledge of digital media
- Have a passion for community history

Send Resume by *May 2* to <u>bretonmuse@yahoo.com</u> / Box 696 Breton, AB T0C 0P0

Applicants must meet the eligibility of the Canada Summer Jobs

"little papers...BIG RESULTS"

Sudoku Answers from April 19 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.





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UPCOMINGSPECIALEVENTS

(Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

WARBURG Senior's Centre is hosting the **No Hitchhiker Band**, **April 28** from 1-4pm. Pie and coffee served. Donations gratefully accepted. Music sponsored by Leduc County.

SUNNYBROOK Welding Grand-reopening April 28. RSVP at www.eventbrite.sunnybrook-welding-re-opening-tickets

TELFORDVILLE Social on **April 29**. Dinner & Live Band. Doors open at 6pm. Tickets only \$30. Pick up at Thorsby Tire or contact Ray 780-940-8499 or Marlene 780-789-2470

BRETON Playschool - Dueling Piano Supper & Dance on April 29 at Breton Community Hall. Contact 780-898-4035 or pick up tickets at Breton ATB

WARBURG - Volunteer Appreciation Night Banquet April 29 @ 5pm. Tickets for sale at Warburg Village officer. Send in or drop off nominations to Shauna fcss@warburg.ca

WETASKIWIN - Quilt Show & Sale hosted by the Quilting Divas on April 29 from 10-4pm at the Multiplex Building 4520 - 48 Avenue. Text Arlene 780-361-8840 or apelliot@me.com

WARBURG - Zone Out Sound Healing Community Sound Bath at the Legion Hall on April 30 from 7-8pm. For reservations or more info call or text Sheri @ 778-694-9875.

FALUN Seniors Spring Brunch - Falun Community Hall Sunday April 30th 10am - 1 pm Cost - By Donation

RIMBEY Wellness Expo on Sunday **April 30** from 11am-4pm. at the Peter Lougheed Community Centre. FREE Admission. 3 Group Experiences, exhibitors, door prizes and more.

WILTON PARK will be holding its AGM on Monday, May 1st, 7 pm, at Wilton Park Community Centre.

THORSBY - Calling all youth! ages 11-17 to join us for **FREE Bowling and Pizza** Tuesday, **May 2** from 3-5pm at Arctic Spas Recreation Complex.

DRAYTON VALLEY Pro Rodeo May 5-7

WARBURG - Ladies Break Free Conference at the Warburg Alliance Church Saturday May 6 from 9:30am - 2:30pm. Call or Text Sandra to Register 780-504-7908. \$15.00 at the door. Worship, great teaching, fellowship and lunch.

THORSBY - Gord Bamford Concert on **Saturday, May 6** at 7:30pm at the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. Tickets & info www.showpass.com/gord-bamford-canadian-dirt-tour-thorsby-ab/

THORSBY New Life Christian Fellowship Church is hosting another **Gospel Music Jam** on **May 7th** at 2 pm. Admission free. Musicians & singers of all levels are welcome.

CARNWOOD Hall is hosting a **Mothers Day Supper & Jam** on May 12 at 6pm. \$40/family, Adults-\$15, Ages 7-12-\$7 & Entertainers/6 & under FREE. Call Sharon at 780-514-6255.

THORSBY District Cultural & Historical Society is hosting a **Mothers Day Ladies Afternoon** on **May 13**. Contact Marlene at 780-217-9394 or 780-789-3734. Advance tickets only.

WARBURG - Mother's Day Champagne Breakfast Sunday, May 14 from 8:30am to 11:30am at the Warburg Legion. Contact Deb at 780-686-2623 or Chris at 780-848-7561.

MULHURST BAY Mothers Day Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, May 14th at the Mulhurst Bay Community Hall-8am to 11am. Any questions please contact Larry-780-389-3747

WINFIELD AG SOCIETY presents Laser Tag on May 19. \$50.00 per person, transportation and supervision by AG Society. Registration deadline May 12, payments etranser to winfieldagsociety@gmail.com. Bus departs arena at 1:30pm

WARBURG Legion Pub Night - on the 3rd Friday of every month. Doors open at 5pm, Potluck dinner for May 19 only 6-7pm. June 16 Pub Night supper provided. Come join us for an evening of cards & games!

THORSBY - May Long Weekend Slo Pitch Tournament, Parade & other events hosted by Thorsby & District Chamber of Commerce on May 20 & 21.

THORSBY District Cultural & Historical Society is hosting a **Cornhole Tournament & Beer Gardens**, Meatball & Mashed Potato Supper and Free Family Dance on **May 20**

BRETON - 2023 Golden Spur Gymkhana Buckle Series on May 25, June 8, 29, July 13, 27, Aug 10, and 17 (Finals). Gates@ 6pm, Starts @ 7pm. For more info or membership package Email: goldenspurgymkhana@hotmail.com

THORSBY Haymaker Rodeo May 27 & 28. Tickets available at the door. Call 780-789-3829 for more information.

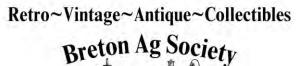
BRETON - Swap Meet on **Saturday, May 27** from 10-4pm at the Breton Community Centre hosted by the Breton Ag Society. Brandy Bundt 780-621-0839 or Amanda Gould 780-515-1813

DEVON - Tom's Walk for Mental Health on **May 27** from 12-4pm go to www.tomswalk.ca for more info

PIGEON LAKE Regional High School 50-year High School Reunion, , for classmates of 1972, 1973 & 1974, May 27 at Mulhurst Bay Community Hall. Please email PLRHS2023@Outlook.com to purchase tickets.

Community Events & Information is <u>FREE</u> to advertise







Swap Meet

Saturday, May 27, 2023 10am~4pm

Breton Community Centre

{4715 50 Ave, Breton, Alberta}

Tables~ \$20 each
Tailgate Stall~\$30 each
Truck/Trailer~ \$40 each

For More Information and Registration

Brandy Bundt~ (780)-621-0839 Amanda Gould~ (780)-515-1813



Lindale Community Hall Association



AGM

May 17, 2023

7:00pm

at Lindale Community Hall





PROGRAMS & REGULAR EVENTS (Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

BRETON Baby & Me for mom's with baby's under 18 mths -1st & 3rd **Thursday mornings** from 10-11:30am at the Breton Community Centre. Contact csa@breton.ca or 780-696-3636

BRETON Book Club - meets at the Library the **second Wednesday** of the month at 7:30pm from September until June. All readers are welcome to join the conversation!

BRETON Children's Gym Time - FREE Drop in for 0-6 years old on **Tuesdays** from 10am -11:30am at the Breton Faith Covenant Church. Hosted by Brighter Futures - 780-514-5070

BRETON Golden Age Club - Crib on Saturdays @ 12:30pm/Floor Curling on Tuesdays @1pm. Drop in fee \$3. / Cards on Mondays @1pm. Drop in fee \$3. Contact Pat at 780-898-1651

BRETON Kids Klub - After School Program **Wednesdays** from 3:15-4:45pm for ages 6-12. No fees. Limited spaces. Preregistration required. Forms at the Library or FCSS office.

BRETON Low Impact Exercise Class - Wednesday mornings from 10 - 11am at the Breton Community Centre. \$2 per class. Contact fcss@breton.ca or 780-696-3636

BRETON - MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers & Moms) is at Faith Covenant Church the **third Thursday** of the month at 7pm, ending in May.

BUCK CREEK Community Association Jam Dance & Cards Night the first Friday of every month.

CALMAR - Seniors Music Jam Session **4th Tuesday** of the month @ 1pm with light refreshments. 4916 - 50 Ave

MULHURST - Family bingo's every **Tuesday** @ 6:30pm at the Royal Canadian Legion #246.

MULHURST - Royal Canadian Legion Mulhurst #246 hosts Community Socials on the Last Friday of the month at 7pm.

SANDHOLM Square Dance Club - Youth, couples & singles Thursdays, 7 - 9:30pm at the Sandholm Hall (10 miles S of Thorsby). For info call 780-238-5844 or 780-389-2381.

THORSBY - LEGO Club Monday's after school 3:30-4:30pm. Come join us for an hour of Lego building! Free drop-in program ages 7+, 6 & under accompanied by parents

THORSBY - Fun with Friends Storytime (for preschool) on **Friday's** at 10:30am in the Library

THORSBY Lions Club hosting a Pancake Breakfast first Sunday of the month at the Senior's Centre 9am - 12pm. For more info call Mercedes King 587-338-7065

THORSBY Parent & Tot Drop In Program on Thursdays from 10-11am at the FRN Site (Modular next to the Arctic Spas Rec Complex) Fun games, activities & making new friends

THORSBY Pickle Ball on **Tuesday & Thursday morning** 9:30am to 11:30am and **Thursday nights** from 7-9pm at the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. \$5 drop in fee

THORSBY Seniors Centre - Bingo every Thursday evening starting at 7pm / Afternoon Crib every Monday at 1:30pm. / Soup & Sandwiches starting at 11:30am on the 2nd Wednesday of each month / Everyone welcome!

WARBURG - Busy Brushes meet on **Wednesdays** at 10 am at the Warburg Cultural Centre. Call Linda at 587-590-0378.

WARBURG Floor Curling at the Pioneer Ag Society Community Hall on **Thursdays** at 1pm. Everyone Welcome.

WARBURG Pickleball Thursdays from 6-8pm \$2 each. Warburg School Gym. Equipment provided, no experience needed. Register at the Village office or call 780-848-2828

WARBURG - Pie & Coffee from 1pm - 4pm at the Warburg Museum on the **first Saturday** of every month

WARBURG Seniors Centre - Cards at 1pm every Wednesday / Soup & Sandwiches every 3rd Wednesday at 12pm for \$10 / Tai Chi at 10am every Wednesday for \$2 / Quilting on Tuesday & Thursdays at 9:30am for \$2

WARBURG - Sew Heavenly Quilters meet Thursdays at 10am at Warburg Cultural Centre. Call Peggy 780-789-2545

WARBURG - Songs For Toddlers at the Warburg Library on **Wednesdays** at 1pm at the library.

WARBURG Saturday at the Library is **Craft Fun Day**, with a table full of supplies to create a craft for a special day that month

WARBURG Volleyball drop in at Warburg School on Tuesdays from 6-8pm

MARKETS/THRIFTSHOPS(NONPROFIT)

Glenn Park Community Association will be holding their Spring Country Market and Bake Sale April 28 and 29. A good variety of Vendors and fresh baked pies.

Thorsby District Cultural & Historical Society is hosting a Craft & Trade Spring Market on May 6-7. More info to follow.

Winfield Legion - hosting a **Community Garage Sale** at the Legion **Saturday May 13th**, from 10am to 2pm. We will also be serving Hotdogs and Pop.

Thorsby CL Country Market from 10am-3pm, Thorsby Rec Complex. May 20, Sept 16, Nov 18 & June 24 at Warburg Heritage Days. Email clsoapco@hotmail.com

Mulhurst Bay Farmer's Market at the Mulhurst Bay Community Hall (3802 50 Ave) every Saturday 10-2pm. Contact Carol 587-920-2065 for more info.

Thorsby Seniors Thrift Store

Open Thursdays and Fridays 10am-3pm

Warburg Treasure's Thrift Shop

Wednesdays from 10am - 4pm. 5112 - 53 Street, Warburg

Calmar Market on Main - is hosting markets in Main Street Park on Fridays from 4-8pm from May until September. Email calmarmarket@gmail.com or follow on FB

There has been some concern because some of the Halls, Churches, Services or Meetings are not in every paper. We have been making some changes and trying new things. We are continually getting more and more information on our communities and I have been told that our readers want to know what is going on in all surrounding communities. There are now too many FREE listings to print in every paper without page sponsors.

Upcoming Events & Programs will be in every paper but the other services will only be guaranteed once a month. These listings are always available on our website at www.community39.com under "Community"

We apologize for the confusion this has caused.

THERE IS A FULL LISTING AT THE BACK OF THIS ISSUE!!



Tyler James

Tomaszeski
September 20, 1988 - April 22, 2009

AFTER GLOW

I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.

I'd like to leave an after glow of smiles when life here is done.

I'd like to leave an echo, whispering softly down the ways of happy times and laughing because of those amazing memories.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve to dry because of those happy memories that I leave when this life is done.

Forever loved and missed, Dad, Mom, Craig, Tanner Family and Friends

In Loving Memory

Friends Forever

A Letter to Our Families

To our Dearest Families,

Some things we'd like to say; but first of all to let you know that we arrived okay. We're writing this from Heaven, where we dwell with God above, where there are no tears of sadness, there is just eternal love. Please do not be unhappy, just because we're out of sight. Remember that we're with you, every morning, noon and night.

The days we had to leave you, when our life on Earth was through, God picked us up and hugged us, and He said, "I welcome you". It's good to have you back again, you were missed while you were gone. As for your dearest families, they'll be here later on." "I need you here so badly, as part of My big plan. There's so much that We have to do, to help our mortal man." Then God gave us a list of things He wished for us to do, and foremost on that list of ours, is to watch and care for you. We will be beside you, everyday of the week and year, and when you're sad, we're standing there to wipe away the tears. And when you lie in bed at night, the day's chores put to flight, God and I are closest to you in the middle of the night.

When you think of our life on Earth, and all those loving years, because you're only human, there's bound to be some tears. Do not be afraid to cry; it does relieve some pain. Remember, there would be no flowers, without a little rain.

We wish that we could tell you, of all that God has planned, but if we were to tell you, you would not understand. One thing is for certain; although our life on Earth is over, we are closer to you now than we ever were before.

And to our many friends, trust God knows what is best. We are not far away from you; we're just beyond the crest. There are rocky roads ahead of you, and many hills that you must climb. Together we can do it, taking it one day at a time.

It was our philosophy, and we'd like it for you too, that is, give unto the World, so the World will give to you. If you can help someone who's in sorrow or in pain, then you can say to God at night, my day was not in vain.

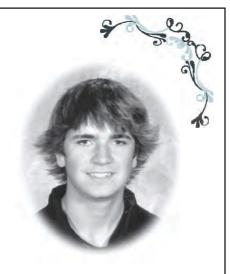
And now we are content that our life was worthwhile. Knowing, as we passed along the way, we made somebody smile.

When you're walking down the street, and you've got us on your mind, we're walking in your footsteps, only half a step behind. And when you feel a gentle breeze of wind upon your face, that's when we're giving you a great big hug, or just a soft embrace.

When it is time for you to go from that body to be free, remember, you are not going; you are coming home to me.

We will always love you from that place way up above. We will be in touch again soon.

PS - God sends His love.



Brandt Tanner Joseph Levers February 9, 1989 - April 29, 2007

MISSING YOU

You can shed tears that he is gone or you can smile because he has lived.

You can close your eyes and pray he'll come back or you can open your eyes and see all he's left.

Your heart can be empty because you can't see him or you can be full of love you share.

You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday.

You can remember him and only he's gone or you can cherish his memory and let it live on.

You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back or you can do what he'd want; smile, open your eyes, love and go on.





FCSS NEWS

from Deanne Young

780.696.3636

Volunteer Appreciation Event – We have chosen this year to hold our Volunteer Appreciation Event in conjunction with the opening of the Breton Community Gardens that are being coordinated by the Breton Agriculture Society. Stay tuned for further information. We hope that all of our volunteers will join us at this time of celebration.

Community Volunteer Income Tax Program – FREE INCOME TAX PREPARATION - For Low Income Persons, Families, seniors, and students. You need to file your income tax each year, even if you have no income to report. By doing this you may receive benefits that you did not know you were eligible for. Also, in the event of the death of your spouse, benefits can easily be transferred to you, if you have filled a return for the last calendar year. If you did not file a tax return in 2022 you may not be receiving benefits from the government that you are eligible for. The focus of the Community Volunteer Tax Program is to assist those individuals who have limited income. This includes seniors, families, and students. If your income was approximately in one of the following categories, you may qualify for assistance.

1 person \$35,000
 2 person family \$37,000
 3 person family \$40,500
 4 person family \$43,500

We are not able to complete returns with income from the following sources:

Capital Gains or Losses, Farming Income, Rental Income, Self-Employment, Interest exceeding \$1, 000, Bankruptcies, Deceased Persons

This service is FREE to those who qualify. If you require this service, please gather your information and bring it to the Village of Breton office Monday to Thursday between 8:30 – 4:00. Clients will be notified when your return is completed. Deadline to file is MAY 1, 2023. Filing after May 1 could result in the delay of any federal or provincial payments.

We require the following information to complete your return:

- Personal Information (Social Insurance Number, Birth date, Marital Status, Address)
- Dependent's information spouse/ children's names, birthdates.
- All "T" Slips (T4's, T4A, OAS etc.)
- All Forms, Schedules, and Labels you have received from Revenue Canada.
- Receipts for any expenses such as medical, moving, tuition, sporting activities. Printouts from your pharmacist are available for those with numerous prescriptions.

Canada Day July 1st in Breton

July 1st is quickly approaching. For those that have attended a Canada Day Celebration in Breton. This is a day

where everyone seems to come home to Breton to celebrate and enjoy all the activities that are planned. This year we are reaching out to groups and individuals to help plan as many activities as possible. If you are a part of a group, organization or someone that would like to participate, please let us know.

This is the perfect day to host an activity if you are doing a fundraising campaign. We do have a few people that have come forward to host on July 1st. Watch for more details from them.

<u>Vendor Market</u> – will be coordinated by Brandy Bundt – <u>branbun@hotmail.com</u> or 780-621-0839

<u>Beer Garden</u> – Hosted by the Breton Agriculture Society <u>Show & Shine</u> – coordinated by Rod & Heather Barrett <u>Childrens Activities</u> – Breton FCSS

Other Possible Events

- Pancake Breakfast
- Dunk Tank
- · Firefighter Games
- Pony Poop Bingo
- Gymkhana
- Dunk Tank
- Mechanical Bull
- Family Bingo
- · Music Breton Community Centre
- Community Supper
- · Any other fun events and activities

We are also looking for help with the following:

- Parade Marshalls
- Food Trucks

Please contact the Village of Breton Office at 780-696-3636 or admin@breton.ca, fcss@breton.ca if you could help with any of these activities. If you have ideas for additional events, we would love to chat with you about them.

Summer Youth Program – We have been working to put together a fun filled, learning summer activity calendar for families and youth in our community. Watch for the calendar to come out in late May. Activities will be held on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays. Each week in July and August. Activities will include crafts, cooking, waterslide daze, games, movies, swimming and bowling trips. Watch for further details on these activities and more. Thank you to the following for their generous donations to our program:

- A.I.F. Breton
- Breton Royal Purple
- Breton ELKS
- Canline Pipeline Soluntions
- · Insulation Snakes
- WC Trucking
- Gazelles

If you would like to support the Summer Youth Program by donating, please contact the Breton FCSS office at 780-696-3636.

Babysitters Course – As part of our Summer Youth Program we are holding a in-person Babysitters Certificate course on Monday July 10 for youth ages 11 and older. Registration information we be available soon. Please watch the Breton Booster and our Facebook page.



drazeau County News Proud home of Miss Rodeo Canada 2022 Jayden Calvert and Miss Alberta High School Rodeo 2021/2022 Tawnie Thompson

2023 No Spray Program

Brazeau County property owners who do not wish to have roadside spraying performed adjacent to their property must enter into a No Spray agreement. In the agreement, the landowner consents to maintain the adjacent municipal right of way themselves, for the purpose of weed and brush control without herbicides, in compliance with the Alberta Weed Control Act. For highway right of ways, the landowners must contact Alberta Transportation if they do not want herbicides applied to the area adjacent to their property.

To enter into a No Spray agreement with the County, please fill out an application form by visiting the Brazeau County office or visiting www.brazeau.ab.ca. Agreements must be renewed annually.

> Deadline to apply for the program is May 1st, 2023. No late agreements will be accepted.

available for all areas in the County and groups will be supplied with signs and garbage bags for the roadside clean-up initiative.

Those interested in participating must supply a letter of interest with a copy of insurance and fill out an application form by visiting Brazeau County office or visiting www.brazeau.ab.ca.

Brazeau County, Box 77-7401 Twp Rd 494, Drayton Valley, AB T7A 1R1, or email Amber Kynoch at akynoch@brazeau.ab.ca.

Deadline to apply for the program is May 5th, 2023. Clean up dates are from May 6th, 2022 to June 15th,

DUST CONTROL PROGRAM

BRAZEAU COUNTY IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2023 DUST CONTROL SEASON

Applications can be completed at our office, located at 7401 Township Road 494, between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm Monday through Friday, or on our website at www.brazeau.ab.ca/living-here/dust-control

The cost for this service is:

\$210.00 (GST Included) for Rural Road Residents (200 m) \$105.00 (GST Included) for Country Residential Subdivision Residents (100 m)

For residents 60 and older, you receive 50% off the rates when you provide identification. Either show us your identification in-person when you apply, or attach a copy of your identification to your application if you're mailing or emailing it to us.

Applications should be submitted before May 19, 2023. Full payment is required at the time of application.

Brazeau County subsidizes the cost of dust control for our residents.

For further information, contact the Public Works Department at 780-542-7777 or email publicworks@brazeau.ab.ca



Brazeau County is currently conducting a **Mountain Pine Beetle Survey and Control**

program funded by a Provincial grant at no cost to landowners.

Any Mountain Pine Beetle or Forest Health concerns can be directed to:

Bert Ciesielski - Agricultural Technician - 780-542-7777 or bciesielski@brazeau.ab.ca



IMPORTANT DATES

May 4 | ALUS PAC meeting | 9:00 am

May 9 | Council meeting | 9:00 am May 10 | Municipal Planning Commission meeting | 1:00 pm

May 17 | Agricultural Service Board meeting | 1:00 pm

May 22 | Brazeau County Administration Building Closed | Victoria Day

May 23 | Council meeting | 9:00 am



bguyon@brazeau.ab.ca ggunderson@brazeau.ab.ca



Glen Gunderson **Councillor Div. 1**



Councillor Div. 2



Cody Brooks Councillor Div. 3



Councillor Div. 4 kwesterlund@brazeau.ab.ca



Councillor Div. 5



Councillor Div. 6



Grand Opening April 29 & 30th

Join us in the greenhouse for coffee & snacks

We have a great selection of bedding plants, hanging baskets, cutflowers & vegetables

Bring your own planters and use our potting bench!



Mon: Closed

Hours:

Tues: 12-6 Fri: 10-4

Wed: 10-5 Sat: 10-6

Thurs: 12-6 Sun: 10-6

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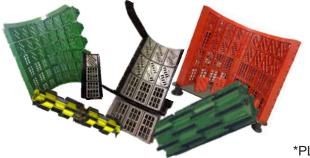




Invites you to our

RE - OPENING

April 28, 2023 11-2pm



*LUNCH AVAILABLE 11-1:30 pm

*SBW SWAG AVAILABLEFOR PURCHASE(PORTION OF PROCEEDS TO LOCAL STUDENT WELDING AWARD)

*OFFICIAL PROGRAM & RIBBON CUTTING AT 1PM

*SHOP TOURS EVERY HALF HOUR

*PRODUCT DISPLAYS

*DOOR PRIZE TICKETS AVAILABLE (PROCEEDS TO LOCAL STUDENT WELDING AWARD)

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HIGHLIGHTS

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Tax Rate Bylaw and Tax Incentives

Council passed a number of motions to set the tax rates for 2023 and offer tax incentives.

Bylaw 1149-23 sets out a 25% tax incentive on the municipal portion of residential property taxes for 2023, which formalizes the process the County has undertaken for residential property owners since 2020. As in previous years, to be eligible for the incentive, all taxes must be paid by the June 30th due date, including any arrears. The incentive will be pro-rated for taxpayers using the Tax Installment Payment Plan.

Bylaw 1148-23 creates sub-classes for vacant and small businesses within the non-residential assessment class.

Bylaw 1141-23, the Tax Rate Bylaw, sets the tax rates for 2023. The rates remain unchanged, except those in the vacant and small business sub-classes, which have been reduced by 25%. Property owners in those sub-classes will have a lower property tax rate applied to their properties rather than the tax incentive.

Small businesses are defined in the bylaw as property (other than Designated Industry Property) that is owned or leased by a business that has fewer than 50 full-time employees across Canada as of December 31 of the year prior to the year of taxation.

The changes allow the County to provide tax relief to taxpayers while staying in line with the requirements of the *Municipal Government Act*. This is the eighth year of tax incentives for small businesses, and the fourth year for residential taxpayers.

Financial Audit Presentation

Auditor Phil Dirks of Metrix Group presented the results of the annual financial audit conducted earlier this year. He confirmed that the County is in good financial shape.

The County has \$50 million in assets, \$18 million in liabilities, including \$7.8 million in debt, and a remaining debt capacity of \$34 million.

By law, all municipalities must be audited each year. The approved financial statements will be posted to the County website shortly.

Pavement Preservation Plan

Council approved a draft pavement preservation strategy,

outlining the philosophy behind utilizing cost effective, preventative maintenance techniques to reduce rehabilitation work for paved driving surfaces. Council directed Administration to evaluate paved driving surfaces within the County and determine potential preservation techniques for discussion at a future Council Workshop, prior to 2024 interim budget deliberations.

Keeping of Chickens in Residential Areas

Council directed Administration to investigate options to allow for the keeping of chickens in residential areas. A report will be provided to Council at a future meeting.

Important Dates

- May 4 | ALUS PAC meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- May 9 | Council Meeting | 9:00 a.m.
- May 10 | Municipal Planning Commission meeting | 1:00 p.m.
- May 17 | Agricultural Service Board meeting | 1:00 p.m. For detailed information on Council meetings, including current minutes, please visit www.brazeau.ab.ca. Please direct inquiries to the office of the CAO at cscharfl@brazeau.ab.ca or 780-542-7777.





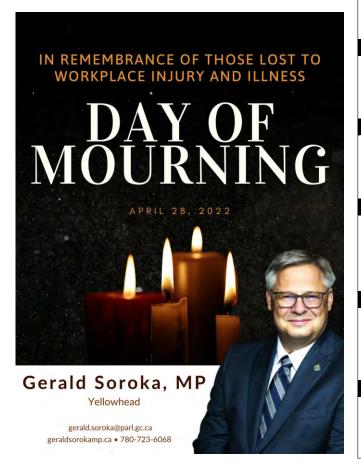
Message from Gerald Soroka, MP



NEW TOLL-FREE POISON CENTRE NUMBER

OTTAWA: Gerald Soroka, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead wishes to advise that Health Canada has launched a new toll-free number, 1-844 POISON-X, (1-844-764-7669), in collaboration with four Canadian poison centres, to make it easier for people in Canada to access critical medical advice for poisonings.

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Breton Booster November 26, 2008 (Edition #857)

TEXAS PRALINES

- nonstick cooking spray
- 2 cups white sugar
- 2 cups light corn syrup
- 1 pound butter
- 2 cups heavy cream
- 2 teaspoons vanilla extract
- 8 cups pecans

Line 2 baking sheets with aluminum foil. Coat with nonstick cooking spray. In a large saucepan over medium heat, combine sugar and corn syrup. Heat to 250 degrees F (120 degrees C). Remove from heat, and stir in butter until melted. Gradually stir in cream. Return to heat. Cook, stirring constantly, until temperature reaches 242 degrees F (116 degrees C). Remove from heat, and stir in vanilla and pecans. Drop by spoonful onto prepared pans. Cool completely, then wrap with plastic. Grandpa's Peanut Butter Fudge 2 cups brown sugar 2 cups white sugar 1 cup milk 1 1/2 cups creamy peanut butter 1 tablespoon margarine 1 1/4 teaspoons vanilla extract Mix brown and white sugar with the milk in large pot; bring mixture to a boil. Stir in peanut butter, reduce heat to medium and bring the mixture back to boil (stirring constantly). Remove the pot from heat when a drop of the mixture forms a ball in a glass of cold water. Stir margarine and vanilla into the mixture; stir vigorously until the fudge hardens. (Always stir in same direction.) Pour fudge onto buttered plates or waxed paper. Let cool and cut into 1 inch pieces.

Breton Booster December 10, 2008 (Edition #859)

LUSCIOUS SLUSH PUNCH

- 2 1/2 cups white sugar
- 6 cups water
- 2 (3 ounce) packages strawberry flavored gelatin mix
- 1 (46 fluid ounce) can pineapple juice
- 2/3 cup lemon juice
- 1 quart orange juice
- 2 (2 liter) bottles lemon-lime flavored carbonated beverage

In a large saucepan, combine sugar, water, and strawberry flavored gelatin. Boil for 3 minutes. Stir in pineapple juice, lemon juice, and orange juice.

Divide mixture in half, and freeze in 2 separate containers. When ready to serve, place the frozen contents of one container in a punch bowl, and stir in 1 bottle of lemon-lime soda until slushy

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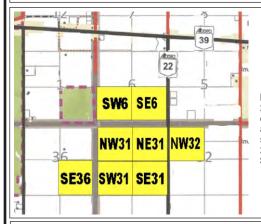
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday						
	T *BRETON -Golden Age Meeting 11am *THORSBY - District Lions Club Meeting 7pm *WILTON PARK -AGM 7pm	2 *THORSBY -Bowling & Pizza Ages 11-17 3-5pm	*BUCK CREEK -Comm. Assoc. Meeting 8p *THORSBY -AG Society Meeting 7pm	*BRETON	5 *BUCK CREEK -Jam Dance & Cards 8 *CALMAR -Walking with Grief 6-7: *DRAYTON VALLEY - Pro Rodeo	- Pro Rodeo *THORSBY - Gord Bamford Concert						
7 National Child & Youth Mental Health Day *DRAYTON VALLEY - Pro Rodeo *THORSBY -Craft & Trade Spring Market -Pancake Breakfast 9am-12pm - Gospel Music Jam 2pm	8 *MULHURST BAY -Legion#246 Meeting 7pm *THORSBY -Historical Society Meeting 7pm *WARBURG -Council Meeting 7pm	9 *THORSBY - Town COW Meeting 7pm	*BRETON -Village Council Meeting 7 *THORSBY -Seniors Soup & Sandwich 11:30am *WARBURG - Legion#205 Meeting 7pr -Pioneer AG Society Meeti	-Ag Society Meeting /pm	*CARNWOOD HAL - Mother's Day Suppe Jam 6pm							
Mother's Day *MULHURST BAY - Pancake Breakfast 8-11am *WARBURG -Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast 8:30 - 11:30am	*BRETON -Royal Purple Meeting 7:30pm *MULHURST BAY -Comm.League Meeting 7:30pm *THORSBY & District Fish & Game Meeting 7pm -District Lions Club Meeting 7pm	*WETASKIWIN Burntwood '06' Metis Local Meeting 7pm	17 -Library Board Meeting 7p -THORSBY -Legion #144 Meeting 9:30 -Library Board Meeting7p -WARBURG -Seniors Centre Soup & Sandwich 12pm -Library Board Meeting 6p	-Baby & Me 10-11:30am -Elks Meeting Community Hall 7:30pm -MOPS + NEXT - 7pm *THORSBY - Chamber Meeting 6:30PM	*NO SCHOOL BGSD & WRSI *WARBURG -Social Evening & Potluck Dinner @ Legion *WINFIELD -Laser Tag 1:30-5pn	5pm - Children Activities Complex - CL Country Market 10-3 - Meatball & Mashed Potato						
21	22 Victoria Day *NO SCHOOL BGSD & WRSD	*CALMAR -Seniors Music Jam 1pm *THORSBY - Council Meeting 7pm	24	25 *BRETON -Golden Spur Gymkhana Series 7pm	26 *MULHURST BAY -Community Social 7p *THORSBY - THS Graduation	27 -Swap Meet 10am-4pm -Swap Meet 10am-4pm -DEVON - Tom's Walk 12-4pm -MULHURST BAY COMMUNITY HALL -Pigeon Lake High School 50th Reunion -*THORSBY - Haymaker Rodeo						
28 *BRETON -Historical Society Meeting 7pm *THORSBY - Haymaker Rodeo	29	30	*GLENN PARK HALL -55+ Lunch & Entertainment 5pm *THORSBY -Seniors Meeting 1pm	Mental H	National Cancer Research Month Mental Health Awareness Week May 15-21 National Foster Care Month							
MONDAYS *BRETON - Golden Age Club Cards 1pm *THORSBY - Crib @ Seniors Centre 1:30pm - TOPS 9am - Lego Club - 3:30-4:30pm	TUESDAYS *BRETON - Children's Gym Time 10-11:30am - Golden Age Club Floor Curling 1pm *FALUN - Seniors Centre Cards 1pm *MULHURST BAY - Legiom#246 Family Bingo 6:30pm *THORSBY - Pickleball 9:30-11:30am *WARBURG - Seniors Centre Quilting 9:30am *WARBURG - Seniors Centre Quilting 9:30am *WEDNESDA *BRETON - Low Impact Exer Class 10-11am - Kalkulu 3:15-4:4 *FALUN - Seniors Centre Floor (Except first Wed of *WARBURG - Busy Brushes 1 - Treasures Thrift Shop - Seniors Centre Card - Seniors Centre TAI Ch - Songs For Toddler		rcise m 45pm Curling 1pm f Month) Goam 10am 10am 45pm *SA - Squal 7pm *TI -Parent & Ti -Pickleball 9: -Senior - Seniors Thr	e Dance Club to 9:30pm -HALL - Flo - Seniors Cent - Sew Heaver	re Quilting 9:30am ly Quilters 10am ball 6-8pm	SATURDAYS *BRETON Golden Age Club Crib 12:30pm *MULHURST BAY Farmers Market 10am-2pm *MURPLEDC						

INTERESTING FACTS OFF THE INTERNET

Glass takes one million years to decompose, which means it never wears out and can be recycled an infinite amount of times!

Gold is the only metal that doesn't rust, even if it's buried in the ground for thousands of years.

When a person dies hearing is the last sense to go. The first sense lost is sight.

Your tongue is the only muscle in your body that is attached at only one end.

The tooth is the only part of the human body that cannot heal itself.

If you stop getting thirsty, you need to drink more water. When a human body is dehydrated, its thirst mechanism shuts off.

Zero is the only number that cannot be represented by Roman numerals.

Kites were used in the American Civil War to deliver letters and newspapers.

The song Auld Lang Syne is sung at the stroke of midnight in almost every English-speaking country in the world to bring in the new year.

Drinking water after eating reduces the acid in your mouth by 61 percent. Drinking a glass of water before you eat may help digestion and curb appetite.

Peanut oil is used for cooking in submarines because it doesn't smoke unless it's heated above 450F.

The roar that we hear when we place a seashell next to our ear is not the ocean, but rather the sound of blood surging through the veins in the ear.

Nine out of every 10 living things live in the ocean.

The banana cannot reproduce itself. It can be propagated only by the hand of man.

Airports at higher altitudes require a longer airstrip due to lower air density.

The University of Alaska spans four time zones.

In ancient Greece, tossing an apple to a girl was a traditional proposal of marriage. Catching it meant she accepted.

Warner Communications paid 28 million for the copyright to the song Happy Birthday, which was written in 1935!

Intelligent people have more zinc and copper in their hair.

A comet's tail always points away from the sun.

Caffeine increases the power of aspirin and other painkillers, that is why it is found in some medicines.

The military salute is a motion that evolved from medieval times, when knights in armor raised their visors to reveal their identity.

If you get into the bottom of a well or a tall chimney and look up, you can see stars, even in the middle of the day.

In ancient times, strangers shook hands to show that they were unarmed.

Strawberries and cashews are the only fruits whose seeds grow on the outside.

Avocados have the highest calories of any fruit at 167 calories per hundred grams.

The moon moves about two inches away from the Earth each year.

The Earth gets 100 tons heavier every day due to falling space dust.

Due to earth's gravity it is impossible for mountains to be higher than 15,000 meters.

Mickey Mouse is known as "Topolino" in Italy

Soldiers do not march in step when going across bridges because they could set up a vibration which could be sufficient to knock the bridge down.

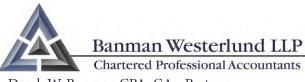
Everything weighs one percent less at the equator.

For every extra kilogram carried on a space flight, 530 kg of excess fuel are needed at lift-off.

The letter J does not appear anywhere on the periodic table of the elements.

"The First day of Spring is one thing and the first spring day is another. The difference between them is sometimes as great as a month" - Henry Van Dyke





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BRAZEAU COUNTY PASSES FINAL 2023 BUDGET

BRAZEAU COUNTY, April 21, 2023 — On April 12th, Brazeau County Council passed the final budget for 2023, with targeted investment in the County, and on April 18th, passed several bylaws in order to provide tax incentives or a reduced tax rate for some property classes.

The budget maintains the 8-year freeze on municipal taxes. Fees, which were limited to zero or

to minimal levels in previous years, are not set to increase outside campground rentals and non-resident burial plots.

A tax incentive of 25% will be applied to the municipal property tax for residential properties when taxes (including arrears) are paid in full by June 30th, 2023. For properties in the newly-created vacant non-residential and small business sub-classes, the municipal property tax rate has been reduced by 25%.

This is the eighth year in a row that the budget includes tax savings for non-residential property classes, and for the fourth year, a tax incentive has also been applied to residential and farmland properties.

The budget also includes \$8.9 million in capital investment in roads, equipment replacement, and other infrastructure.

"This budget, as in previous years, protects the taxpayer, while at the same time, invests in critical infrastructure to better serve our residents," says Reeve Bart Guyon. "This reflects Council's focus on our key priorities: keeping the cost of living and doing business in Brazeau among the lowest in the country, while providing the services and infrastructure we need to serve our ratepayers, our businesses, and industry.

Infrastructure investments and other initiatives include:

- A new pumper truck for Drayton Valley/Brazeau County Fire Services
- · Construction of one mile of Township Road 474
- · A farm plastics recycling program
- New software to allow campground bookings online
- Software to enable the County to record Council meetings
- · A new playground at Willey West campground
- A modernized radio system to allow Fire Services to use the same communication system as the RCMP and other emergency responders
- · An increase in funding to STARS air ambulance
- Purchase of two blades to allow a tractor and skid steer to be used year-round, complementing the

- winter maintenance fleet
- A strategic replacement approach to equipment replacement, based on specific equipment and its use, in order to extend their lifespan.

Once finalized, the budget will be available at www.brazeau.ab.ca, and information on taxes, including the incentive and reduced tax rate, will be published online and in the May/June issue of the Brazeau County News.

For more information on the budget, please contact Chief Administrative Officer Kent Edney at 780-542-7777 or kedney@brazeau.ab.ca.



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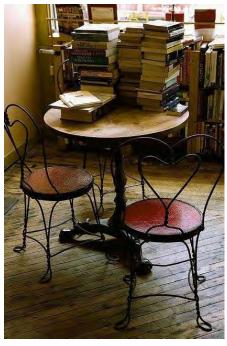
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Place: Covenant Bay Bible Camp—main lodge

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<u>Cost:</u> \$60.00 e-transfer to natasha@mykasha.com

Our stories are important ,as they are part of where we have been and where we are going. Our stories hold both

beautiful moments and also hard complicated moments. The key is to find a way to live in the tension of both hard and beautiful.

The workshop will not only invite you to take a look at your own story in a creative way, we will also explore and be able to see where God was active in your story.

Will you join me on Saturday May 13th as I share a bit of my story and how I came to a space of healing as I found God in my story?

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Facilitator: NATASHA WESTERHOUD



Natasha is a Jesus follower who aspires to His teachings of love, compassion, generosity, and radical hospitality. She has been a Pastor for over 23years and presently has the privilege of walking alongside families in the Breton Faith Covenant Church located in Breton, Alberta. Her passion is Pastoral Care and through that, **Soul Care Ministries** was formed in where she facilities workshops and offers Pastoral and Mental Health Care throughout the world. Along side her Life Coaching skills she is also a Trauma and Attachment Counselling Practitioner and is currently pursuing her degree in Family Therapeutic Arts Therapy.

She is a strong believer of understanding the importance of our stories and the need to share them. Through our stories we learn about each other and how God is in the details of our lives and only then, can we better care for one another.

Natasha celebrates 26 years of marriage to Mike who runs his own drafting company, and they have two beautiful children Hana and Eli. Their family story is a unique story of waiting on God and traveling many miles across the ocean to bring home their

Natasha coordinates yearly mission trips to Ecuador , where she supports and works along side the Santiago Partnership. www.santiagopartnership.org

She has also had the privilege of being a part of a writing project called 'The Mom Quilt' where she has shared some of her adoption story. The proceeds of the book is designated to the ministry called The Mercy House which is created to aid pregnant girls living in extreme poverty. The book can be found on Amazon.

Her life is full of adventure, and she enjoys camping, hiking in the mountains, day trips off the beaten path, riding their Harley into the sunset and spending time with their family. For her, the key is to live life to the fullest no matter what season God puts you in, never stop learning or growing and always try to meet people where they are at. Her purpose in life is to live out an

extraordinary life in the ordinary and to be reminded each day that we are all "just walking each other home Ram Dass".

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

The following is submitted after reading an article (April 6, Free Press) about the recent remuneration increases that the Council of Brazeau has awarded themselves.

The first question that comes to mind is who else in society can adjust their salary for and by themselves. Should this not be done by a reliable arm's length independent committee?

The article also states that this increase was "... the first ... since 2015." The minutes from 2018/11/06 indicate that the council of the day voted themselves a 30% raise to cover the reduction that the Feds made in their tax-free portion. Who else in working society can increase their own salary because a government removes a perk?

The amount to be paid at this time (2018) for "residents' concerns" was \$1325/month. Since they currently receive over \$1500/month, another raise must have been made since 2018/11/06. The latest motion pays themselves \$1715 per month. Take in a meeting sometime and see for yourself how well they prepare for meetings!

Why they need \$325/month for cell phones and internet is interesting as my expenses for the same are about \$170 (including the purchase of the cell phone) with unlimited internet data and unlimited calling and texting in North America. I'm sure others have been able to procure even better contracts.

These numbers don't fit (in this writer's opinion) with the realities of foodbank use and the fact that close to 30% of the population lives on or below the poverty level (Google). Note that the Reeve took home close to \$103,000 in 2018. (More on this later.)

With regard to the legal costs incurred, it should be noted that it was the Council (not the public) that created the need for "code of conduct" investigations. In other words, if the council did their job correctly, code of conduct issues wouldn't arise.

Nothing that council work is a part-time job, the remuneration appears to be way out of line. They also have other perks as well such as free meals (at meetings and conferences), and pension—no training or qualifications required.

Lastly a serious problem exists in that there is NO oversight on council activities – who else in working society operates that way?

Again, take in a meeting or two and come to your own conclusions. The trough is just getting longer and wider and deeper—and we are paying for it.

Lynn Oberle Brazeau County

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ALBERTA Mental Health Hotline is a 24 hour, 7 day a week confidential service 1-877-303-2642

ALBERTA Non-profit Learning Centre - provides resources for non-profits to support their programs & services Call 780-963-2281 or communitydevelopment@gov.ab.ca

BRETON & AREA Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Contact Deanne at 780-696-3636 or fcss@breton.ca

BRETON Brighter Futures Baby's Essentials - assistance for families with a baby from 0-12 mths old. Call 780-514-5070

BRETON Food Bank Call 780-696-3669 and leave a message by Thursday at noon to request a hamper.

BRETON Home Support – light housekeeping services or assistance with forms, information etc. 780-696-3636

BRETON Subsidized Counselling Program for individuals, Couples, Families and Youth – Call 780-696-3636 for more info

BRETON Volunteer Youth Mentoring Program - contact McMan Central at 877-994-5465 or www.mcmancentral.ca

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

THORSBY Foot Care Nurse will be in Thorsby on the 1st Wednesday of every month. Please call Irene at 780-789-3176

THORSBY / WARBURG & SURROUNDING AREAS - Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Leduc County - 780-979-2385 / Thorsby - 780-789-4004 or email fcss@thorsby.ca / Warburg - 780-848-2828 or email fcss@warburg.ca

THORSBY / WARBURG & SURROUNDING AREAS - Leduc County Family Resource Network (FRN) - at 4908-48 Street, in Thorsby. Open Tuesdays 2pm to 8 pm & Thursdays 9am to 4pm. Call 780-979-2385 or email frn@leduc-county.com

THORSBY / WARBURG & SURROUNDING AREAS Subsidized Counselling Program for Individuals, Couples, Families And Youth — Call 1-800-379-9052 ext 6421 or 780-955-6421 for more information

COMMUNITY SERVICES

(Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

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

BRETON Golf Course

780-696-3531 or email: golfcourse@village.breton.ab.ca

BRETON Municipal Library is open Monday - Saturday 10am - 5pm except Wednesdays open until 6pm and Closed on Sundays. Email bretonlibrary@yrl.ab.ca or 780-696-3740



BRETON Museum - by appointment call 780-898-1155 or bretonmuse@gmail.com

BRETON Public Works After Hours Emergency Number

In the event of a water, sewer or facility emergency call 780-202-4962 and leave a message.

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

BRETON Village Office is open Monday to Thursday from 8:30am - 4pm. Call 780-696-3636 or email admin@breton.ca

BRETON/THORSBY/WARBURG & SURROUNDING AREAS Leduc And Area Rural Crime Watch Membership gives you access to weekly crime reports. For more info email leducruralcrimewatch@gmail.com

THORSBY Arctic Spas Recreation Complex is open weekdays 9am - 8pm & Weekends 11am - 5pm. The arena is a livebarn venue. For more info or to book call 780-789-4041

THORSBY Gym Membership at the Arctic Spas Rec Complex. Monthly membership, FOBs available for 24 hour access. Call 780-789-4041 for more details or to sign up.

THORSBY Bylaw Enforcement - email: bylaw@thorsby.ca or 780-789-3935 ext. 27. For Emergencies call 911.

THORSBY Community Events Sign is Free to Non-Profit Organizations on a first come, first served basis. To have your event placed on the sign call 780-789-4041

THORSBY Municipal Library is open Tuesday 10am-6pm / Wednesday 12-6pm / Thursday 12-7pm / Friday 10am-5pm / Saturday 10am-1pm. Call 780-789-3808 for more information.

THORSBY RCMP call 780-789-3950 or contact Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS), online at www.P3Tips.com **For emergencies call 911**

THORSBY Town Office is open Monday to Friday 8:30pm - 4:30pm. Call 780-789-3935 or email info@thorsby.ca

WARBURG Bylaw Enforcement

780-983-2096 or brasch@gmail.com

WARBURG EDKRA - Competitive Go-Cart Racing Track Call (780)732-3572 Email: generalenquiries@edkra.ca or go to www.edkra.ca for more information.

WARBURG Hockey & Skating Arena is a Livebarn Venue. For Ice rentals, contact Rob at 587-879-5223.

WARBURG Mike Gidosh Spray Park is open June to September. Call 780-848-2841 or email village@warburg.ca

WARBURG Municipal Library is open Tuesdays - Thursdays from 10am-6pm & Saturdays from 12-4pm (closed long weekends). Call 780-848-2391 or warburglibrary@yrl.ab.ca

WARBURG Museum If you are interested in stopping in, please call Suzie at 780-848-2507 or Joan at 780-848-7509.

WARBURG Toboggans / Hockey Sticks & Snow Shoes available on loan at the Library, just bring your library card.

WARBURG Village Office is open from 9am - 4:30pm Monday to Friday. Closed from noon - 1pm for lunch. Call 780-848-2841 or email village@warburg.ca

You can pay or drop off your ads at the BRETON PUBLIC LIBRARY

COMMUNITYGROUPS&MEETINGS

(Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

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

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 Elementary Parent Council (Friends of BES) for more information email besparentcouncil@gmail.com or on FB

BRETON Elks meetings are at 7:30pm every **3rd Thursday** of the month at the Community Hall, except for July & August. Contact 780-621-6558 or bretonelks402@gmail.com or FB

BRETON Golden Age Club - Monthly Meetings will be the **first Monday** of the month at 11am. Contact Pat 780-898-1651

BRETON Municipal Library - Board Meetings are the **3rd Wednesday** of each month at 7pm except July & August.

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

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

BUCK CREEK Community Association meetings at the Buck Creek Hall the **first Wednesday** of every month at 8pm.

MULHURST BAY Community League Meetings at 7:30pm on the **3rd Monday** of each month. Call 780-389-4268

MULHURST Royal Canadian Legion #246

General Meeting is the **2nd Monday** of the month @ 7pm

PIGEON LAKE Nordic Ski Club

Call 780-586-2077 for more information or www.plnsc.com

RUNDLE'S MISSION Society For more information email info@rundlesmission.org or call 780-389-2422. www.rundlesmission.org Facebook: Rundle's Mission

SUNNYBROOK Hall Meeting on the **2nd Wednesday** of every month.

THORSBY & District Cultural & Historical Society - Regular meetings on the 2nd Monday of each month at 7pm at the Community Hall. Email thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com

THORSBY & District Fish & Game - Regular meetings held on the **3rd Monday** of each month @ 7pm at the Warburg Village Office Basement Contact Bruce at 780-848-2242 for more info.

THORSBY & District Lions Club - Meeting the **1st & 3rd Monday** of the month in the Community Hall basement at 7pm. For info or membership, call 587-338-7065

THORSBY Agricultural Society - Regular meetings on the first Wednesday of every month at 7pm at the Haymakers Arena. www.thorsbyhaymakers.com or call 780-789-3829

THORSBY Chamber Of Commerce monthly meetings on the 3rd Thursday of each month at the Arctic Spas Rec Complex. Call 780-499-9006 or email thorsbyabchamber@gmail.com

THORSBY Communities In Bloom Society - Contact Barry Rasch 780-983-2096 or barrythorsby@gmail.com

THORSBY Junior Senior High School PTA - To get involved email <u>tjshs.council@gshare.blackgold.ca</u>

THORSBY Minor Hockey - to register or for more information email registrar@thorsbymha.org

THORSBY Municipal Library Board meets on the **third Wednesday** of the month at 7pm. Contact the manager at vatamageruta@yrl.ab.ca for more information.

THORSBY Royal Canadian Legion Pioneer Branch #144 meetings the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 9:30am, except July&Aug at the Seniors Centre. Doreen 780-789-3812

THORSBY Seniors - Meetings **last Wed** of every month in the Seniors's Centre. Coffee meetings at 1pm (Winter Hours). Memberships available from Janice Zydek at 780-239-4595

THORSBY Soccer - for more information email thorsbysoccer@gmail.com or Thorsby Soccer Facebook.

THORSBY TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) at the Seniors Centre on Mondays, weigh in (9-9:15am), meetings (9:15-9:45am) Call Jane 780-789-3789 or Cheryl 780-848-7673

THORSBY Town Council - Regular Council meetings are on **4th Tuesday** of the month & COW meeting are the **2nd Tuesday** of the month at 7pm in the Council Chambers.

WARBURG Bloomin' Buddies Contact Linda McLaughlin @ 780-848-2916 for info regarding meeting dates and times.

WARBURG Curling Club - For more information email warburgcurling@gmail.com or call Rob at 780-789-3723. Check us out on FB or at www.warburgcurlingclub.ca

WARBURG Girl Guides - Call Shelley 780-999-3913 or Kayla 780-920-9358 or register online <u>www.girlguides.ca</u>.

WARBURG Hockey and Skating Arena Club is looking for board members! Please contact rwenzel67@gmail.com.

WARBURG Legion meetings are the second Wednesday each month at 7pm. Memberships are available for 2023 with Membership Perks! Call 780-848-2923 or go to www.legion.ca

WARBURG Minor Hockey - contact registrar Amanda Musser adkmusser@gmail.com for more information.

WARBURG Municipal Library meetings are the **3rd Wednesday** of the month at 2:30pm at the library.

WARBURG Parent School Society For volunteering opportunities or info email warburgparentsociety@gmail.com

WARBURG Pioneer Ag Society - Meetings 2nd Wednesday of each month. Phone 780-848-2841

WARBURG Playschool - for 3 & 4 yr olds. Contact Lacey at 780-898-5556

WARBURG Skating Club please call 780-887-4440 for more information

WARBURG Village Council meetings are the second Monday of the month @ 7pm in Council chambers in the basement of the Village Office. Open to the public.

WETASKIWIN Burnt Wood '06' Metis Local have monthly meetings the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7pm in the Wetaskiwin Moose Lodge. Rose at 780-361-6019 for more info.

WINFIELD - 3 Lakes Skating Club - Learn to skate & Figure Skating. Email <u>3lakesskating@gmail.com</u> Call/text Lana at 780-999-2040 or on FB

WINFIELD Legion - Contact President Gordon Watson at 780-542-1243 for more info

WINFIELD Minor Baseball - Rally Cap - U15 - May & June Call 403-318-6739

WINFIELD Minor Hockey - contact Karen at 403-318-6739 or www.winfieldhockey.com

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

Breton Elks Tent Rentals (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

Calmar Seniors Hall is for rent.

Please call Terry at 587-988-3636

Carnwood Hall - \$100/night, \$50 for meeting room. Contact Sharon at 780-542-2378 or 780-514-6255

Centrelodge Community Centre

For bookings call Caroline at 780-789-3089

Funnell Community Hall - Call Sandy Bevan 780-514-0342

Genesee Community Hall - Call Joanne Liba at 780-940-7229

Glen Park Hall - Call Mike at 780-919-1250

John Turgeon Hall - Located in the Summer Village of Sundance Beach. For rental contact Shawna at 780-389-4409

Morrowdale Community Hall

For bookings call Samantha at (780) 995-6890.

Mulhurst Bay Community Hall call 780-389-2455

Mulhurst Legion: Give Marie a call 780-361-7350

Sandholm Community Hall Call Doris 780-389-2381

Strawberry Community Hall

For booking contact Cindy Miller at 780-789-2446

Sunnybrook Community Hall -For rentals contact Mandy Miller at 780-850-3629

Telfordville Hall Call Tracy at 780-718-9549 after 5pm

Thorsby Community Center Call Marlene at 780-789-3734 or text 780-217-9394 or thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com

Thorsby Seniors Centre - Call Dora Shier at 780-662-2066

Warburg Cultural Centre - For rentals of facility, wine glasses and/or tablecloths phone Linda McLaughlin at 780-848-2916.

Warburg Legion Hall rentals available at ½ day and full day rates. Please call Deb and Max Mellafont 780-848-2923

Warburg Pioneer Recreation Centre For hall rental contact the Village of Warburg Office at 780-848-2841

Warburg Seniors Centre for rental. Contact Allan or Nancy at 780-848-7756

Wilton Park Community Centre for booking text Aileen @ 587-930-2519.

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Genesee Heritage Park is open annually from Victoria Day weekend to October 30 from 6:30 am to 10:30 pm

Pigeon Lake Camp Bar V Nok - for bookings call Jason 780-990-4043 or email bookings@barvnok.com

Pigeon Lake Rundle's Mission Retreat Centre For bookings call 780-389-2422 or email rent@rundlesmission.org.

Sunnybrook Creek Park Group Campground is open from Victoria Day weekend to Labour Day weekend. To book please call the Jubilee gatehouse directly at 780-985-2499.

Thorsby Lions Park Campground open May - Sept. Book a reservation at www.letscamp.ca. Call 587-338-7065 or email thorsbylionscampground@gmail.com

Warburg RV Park is open May - September. Call 780-848-2841 or email village@warburg.ca for more information

WORSHIP

(Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

Alder Flats Community Bible Church - Pastor Samuel Hayford 780-388-3926. Sunday Service & Sunday School at 11am. Call 780-388-0018

Breton 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

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

Calmar Community Baptist Church - 37A Parkview Crescent, Calmar, AB Sunday morning service 10:30 am

Thorsby New Life Christian Fellowship - 5203-54 Avenue, Worship Services Sunday at 10:30am. Call 780-789-3020

Thorsby Our Lady Of Victory Catholic Church - 4813-51 St, Mass every Sunday at 9am and Wednesday at 10:30am by Fr. Luan Vu. 780-987-2858 or www.olvthorsby.wordpress.com

Thorsby St. John the Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church - For further information please contact Dan @ 780-789-3698

Thorsby St. Matthew's Lutheran Church - 5115-48 Avenue, In-Church Worship every Sunday at 10:30am. Our weekly worship with Pastor Ron can still be found on You Tube

Warburg Alliance Church - 4628-55 Avenue. Open for 11am worship service. For more info phone 780-848-7577, email us warburgalliance@gmail.com or on FB - Pastor Cody Lewis

Warburg Community United Church - 5112 – 53 Street, 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 10:30am. Lunch & fellowship after service. For more info call the church office 780-848-2227.

Warburg Salt Of The Earth Revival Church - Warburg Senior Drop In Centre. Bible Study Tuesdays at 7pm & weekly Service Fridays at 7pm. Pastor Sandra Broadbent 780-887-2632

Warburg Seventh Day Adventist Church - 5003-48 Street, Warburg. Saturday Sabbath School at 10am. Main Service 11:30am, Pastor Jason Williams. 780-848-2271

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Case IH 2096 FWA Tractor w/ Allied 894 FEL & Grapple, 4 Hyd., Dual PTO, 1 Owner & Only 6034 Hrs
Case 730 2wd Gas Tractor
White 2-135 2wd Tractor w/ Leon 12'
4 Way Dozer, Only 5472 Hrs
& Factory Duals
1954 Case DC4 2wd Tractor
IHC 15-30 2wd Tractor on Steel
AC D14 2wd Tractor w/ FEL
MF 65 2wd Tractor
w/ Rebuilt Engine & 3 pth
Cockshutt 70 2wd Tractor
- Not Running

Tillage

Ezee-On 20' Disc w/ 24" Notched
Front & Smooth Rear
Cockshutt (White) 253 22' Field Disc
w/ Manual Flip Up Wings
Schafer 9' Disc
JD 24' Vibrashank Cult
Cockshutt 19' DT Cult
w/ 3 Bar Mtd. Harrows
Cockshutt 247 10' DT Cult
Case 3 Bottom Plow
24" Breaking Plow
27' of Diamond Harrows w/ Draw Bar

Viewing is Available from April 24th, 2023 to May 2nd, 2023 9:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. or by Appointment

Haying Equipment

NH 1033 Sq Bale Wagon Lily 5 Wheel Hay Rake NH Sq Baler Converted to a Swath Fluffer Case Trail Type 7' Sickle Mower 2 Wheel Swath Turner

Harvest Equipment

IHC 275 14' Sp Swather Kongskilde Cushion Air 500 Grain Vac w/ 540 PTO & Only 1 Owner Westfield 8"x52' Swinger Auger Homemade Swather Mover

Vehicles & Trailers

1979 Chev C60 S/A Grain Truck w/ 366, V8 Gas, 16' Wooden Box & Hoist, 5&2 Spd, Showing 36,371 Kms & Very Nice Truck
1953 Dodge S/W 1 Ton Truck w/ Hoist, Runs & Been in the Family Since New
1957 GMC S/A Grain Truck w/ Wooden Box & Hoist
2 - 1946 Studebaker Trucks
1978 Triple E 24' Motorhome
Homemade 9'x20' T/A Flat Deck Trailer
2 Wheel Utility Trailer

Other Equipment

Rock-O-Matic Rock Picker
w/ High Lift, PTO Drive & Reel Type
Renn 2100 Trail Type Post Pounder
Allied Bale Fork
Shopbuilt Hyd. Lift on Wheels
- 14' Height
20' Metal Float
Hyd. Pasture Float
Lincoln 225 AC/CD Gas Driven
Welder w/ 16 Hp Engine, 7000 Watt
Generator in a Box on a Trailer
Mole Plow
Boat Lift
Small Amount of Shop Tools
& Supplies

Cattle Handling

Homemade Portable Loading Chute Cattle Squeeze Rd Bale Feeders Pasture Panels Hi-Hog 8' Slide In Stock Racks Assorted Cattle Handling Supplies

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