

THE BRETON BOOSTER

DOUGLAS BRETON'S GRANDDAUGHTER VISITS BRETON MUSEUM

by Allan Goddard

In February 1925 the UFA Government of Alberta announced that the Lacombe North- Western Railroad would be extended north 22 miles from the community of Hoadley to a new Terminal, that was yet to be named. It would take until December 1926 before the construction of the railway was completed and put into service. Douglas Breton, from Telfordville, had been very involved with lobbying for a railroad through the area west of Leduc for a number of years. In June 1926 Douglas was elected MLA for the Leduc constituency as a member of the UFA Government. The newly founded hamlet was named "Breton" in appreciation of his efforts in lobbying for the railroad. Now in government, he continued to lobby for the extension of the railroad to connect to the town of Leduc, and the Edmonton /Calgary main line. In 1928 the Alberta Government announced that they had accepted an offer from the CPR for the purchase of the Lacombe North-Western Railroad, part of the sales agreement was for the CPR to complete the railroad to connect at Leduc. Douglas would run for reelection in 1930, but was defeated by Liberal Arthur Mitchell. He returned to his farm at Telfordville for a few years before he and his family returned to England where he farmed until his death in 1953.

In February, the Breton Museum received an Email from Ruth Beresford (nee Breton) indicating she was a granddaughter of Douglas Breton. Ruth and her husband were planning a trip to Canada in June. She wanted to visit the Village named after her grandfather and, if possible, his homestead in the Telfordville area.

On June 12, I met Ruth and her husband Richard at the museum. From the museum we travelled to the location of her grandfather's homestead. This property and the adjacent quarter, homesteaded by his brother Laurence, are now owned by Rudy and Tena Wiebe of Edmonton. On Douglas' quarter the Wiebe's, in the 1980's, had constructed the Strawberry Creek Lodge. For a number

of years, the Wiebe's hosted a variety of groups to the Lodge: this included writer retreats, yoga groups, quilter guilds and corporate groups. The Lodge is a beautiful log structure overlooking the Strawberry Creek which runs through the property. We were guided through the Lodge by Brenda Kshyk who provided a very informative history of the property and the Lodge.

We continued on from the homestead to the hamlet of Telfordville where the Breton Brothers had established a store in 1912. After Douglas returned from the First World War, he constructed a residence on the store property where the family resided. Although the store no longer exists, Ruth was able to see where it was and had the opportunity to speak with the owners of the property. Ruth was the daughter of Douglas and Dorothy Breton's youngest son Brian. Her father had been born in Alberta, but was a small child when the family returned to England in 1934. Here Douglas returned to farming and served as a training officer during the Second World War. Although Ruth was born after her grandfather's death, she did have memories of her grandmother Dorothy Breton.

After a most enjoyable time exploring the Telfordville area we returned to the Breton Museum. Although Douglas Breton never resided in Breton, his name lives on in the name of our Village. One of the most rewarding aspects of working at the Breton Museum is helping with requests from family members to make a connection to their past. The Breton Museum wishes Ruth and Richard an enjoyable stay in Canada as they travel to BC to visit friends on Salt Spring Island.



Ruth Beresford (nee Breton) and husband
Richard visiting Breton Museum

Classifieds

FOR SALE

STANDING HAY CROP for Sale - 60+ acres near Thorsby. Call 403-347-5003

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2003 5.4L V8 FORD F-150 for sale. 426xxx km (mostly highway km's) Located by St. Francis. Call/Text Rae 403-807-6327

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WANTED

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GARAGE/MOVING SALES

MULTI FAMILY GARAGE SALE on July 1 following parade and July 2 & 3 10am - 5pm. Hunting supplies, kids stuff, household furniture and more. 2425 - Hwy 616

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.

FOUND

FOUND PTO SHAFT ON HIGHWAY - relatively new, possibly from a baler, found west of Calmar on Hwy 39. Contact 780-719-7694

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

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*Sudoku Answers
from June 15 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 x 3 subgrids.



**Is now accepting applications
for its Thorsby plant for the
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Welder - Fabricator

Duties to include:

- Weld steel components with welding equipment as specified by layouts, engineering drawings, work orders, or verbal instructions
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- Inspect and correct welds as necessary to meet product specifications
- Willingness to cross-train and perform the work of other job tasks in addition to the primary assigned position

Successful candidate should have:

- Familiar with a variety of welder concepts, practices, and procedures. Does not need to possess a welding ticket
- ability to understand basic welding symbols and diagrams, read shop drawings, and/or other printed instructional material in the welding of products or parts
- demonstrate willingness to work with others in a team environment
- positive, willingness to learn and participate in a changing environment to reach a common goal
- must be able to meet physical demands of working with heavy steel
- First aid training would be an asset

Email to: careers@frontier-cp.com



Village of Breton

JULY 1ST PLANNED EVENTS ROAD CLOSURE

The majority of the July 1st Canada Day Celebrations are being held downtown. Sections of roadways indicated on the map will be closed from 6:00 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. for planned events.



JULY 1ST PARADE ROUTE ROAD CLOSURE

Certain Roads will be closed for the July 1st Canada Day Parade Route. The sections of roadway indicated on the map will be closed from 6:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for the parade.





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COMMUNITY EVENTS & info

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS & PROGRAMS

COMMUNITY DOCUMENT SHREDDING on Friday, June 24 at the Village office between 8:30am - 11am.

BRETON SHOW & SHINE July 1, 2022, No entry fee. Line up at Elementary School at 11 to be in the parade. Call 780-696-3636 for parade details. Car show following parade alongside the ATB Financial. Cars, trucks, bikes, quads, sleds, tractors, anything of interest is invited. You can leave at your leisure.

Royal Canadian Legion #246 Mulhurst is hosting a **COMMUNITY SOCIAL** Friday June 24th @ 7pm. Join us for food, fun, 50/50 and meat draws! 780-935-6281

VILLAGE OF WARBURG HERITAGE DAYS on June 25

ROCK'N'ROAR 2022 Who Made Who (AC/DC Tribute Band), Outdoor Concert, Lions West Valley Park, Drayton Valley, July 16, 2022, Info @ Drayton Valley Lions Facebook Tickets @ www.eventbrite.ca

WINFIELD LEGION CASH RAFFLE - \$2.00 per ticket. 2500 tickets printed. Draw Date July 16th, 2022, Tickets available from RCL Winfield Members & Winfield Local Businesses. Call Joan at 780-898-5053 for more info.

COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

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

Breton Food Bank

Call 780-696-3669 by Thursday noon to request a hamper. Please leave a message and a volunteer will contact you.

Meals on Wheels Are you interested in receiving a hot nutritious meal? Please contact Deanne at 780-696-3636

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

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

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

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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. Next meeting July 13

MARKETS/THRIFT SHOPS (NONPROFIT)

WINFIELD PUBLIC MARKET - July 9 from 10am-2pm! Call or text Carla 780-621-1285 or follow us on Facebook.

DRAYTON VALLEY FARMERS' MARKET Every Wednesday from 3pm-6pm in the parking lot of Lifechurch and Drayton Valley Christian School (5115 - 50 Avenue).

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.

The Breton Play School Class of 2022

would like to say a big '*Thank You!*' to the following community members for making their school year fun and exciting:

- Khal and Mirna at Breton Family Dining for making pizza with us
- RCMP Constable Macintosh for the visit
- Lynn Raines and Rudy Frei for the fire safety field trip
 - all the parent and family volunteers
 - and everyone who supported our fundraisers!

...and of course our wonderful teacher, Miss Lorei, and assistant Miss Kyley!

**The board would like to welcome
Aimee Saar
as our new teacher this fall!**

PROTECT YOUR IDENTITY

DOCUMENT SHREDDING EVENT

FRIDAY JUNE 24, 2022
DROP OFF ITEMS BEFORE 11:00 AM

4816 50 AVENUE, BRETON VILLAGE OFFICE

All Brazeau County and Village of Breton
residents welcome

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL
780-696-3636



Village of Breton

STREET SWEEPING

Street sweeping will take place on Friday June 24th on all paved streets in the Village of Breton. Please ensure all vehicles and garbage cans are removed from the roadway Thursday night.

The Village
appreciates
your
cooperation.

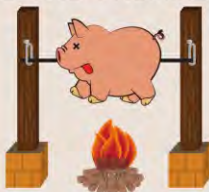


July 1, 2022

CANADA DAY DINNER

JOIN US FOR A PIG ROAST
WITH ALL THE TRIMMINGS

On Sale
Now!



5:30 - 6:30 pm

Pre-sale Tickets Only

Adults \$27 Children 6 - 12 - \$13.50

Under 6 - Free

Available for purchase at the
Village of Breton Office
4916 50 Avenue

HAPPY 
Canada Day

The Golden Spur Gymkhana Club

will be hosting a

Pony Poop Bingo

on July 1st
located in the
Post Office
parking lot.



*Keep an eye out for our members
around town selling 50/50 tickets.*

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.faithcovenantchurch@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

BURNT WOOD "06" METIS LOCAL monthly meetings on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7 pm in the Wetaskiwin Moose Lodge. Call Rose @ 780-361-6019 for more information.

IDENTIFY THE STUDENTS ERROR in June 15 Booster

Well it seems I was testing my readers last week and you passed. Thanks for letting me know I mixed up the girls names. Here they are again. I apologize for the mixup.

Shawna Ofstie, Community 39



John Kubejko



Laurie Bogart



Annabelle Williams
(Broks)



Lila Pearson
(Myles)



Janet Hanson
(Young)



Connie Larsen
(Tryon)

CANADA DAY AT THE LIBRARY



JOIN US FOR AN OPEN
HOUSE

*Crafts, cupcakes, storytime and
everything library!*

July 1st Pancake Breakfast

Serving from 8am to 10:30am

Located in the
Breton Community Centre



Admission by Donation

*All proceeds used to support
local activities*



Sponsored by Breton Royal Purple Elks and Breton Elks

VILLAGE OF BRETON PRESENTS CANADA DAY

FRIDAY JULY 1ST 2022

- Pancake Breakfast
- Outdoor Market
- Parade - Noon - Theme "The 50's"
- Beer Garden's & Music - main street
- Mechanical Bull, Axe Throwing
- Cake & Coffee - Golden Age Centre
- Library Open House - refreshments & Children's activities
- Kids Zone, Bouncy Castle & Games - Centennial Park
- Show N Shine - Car, Truck & Bike Show
- Dunk Tank
- Bucks for Boobs Fundraiser
- Breton Museum
- Pony Poop Bingo
- Food Trucks
- Pig Roast Dinner - Pre-sale Tickets
- Street Dance - weather permitting
- Fireworks

JOIN US TO CELEBRATE CANADA DAY
& THE 65TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
VILLAGE OF BRETON

Activities are subject to change



HOME alone SAFETY For Kids!



HOME ALONE SAFETY FOR KIDS (8-11 years old)
Is your child ready to stay home alone?

The Home Alone Safety for Kids program helps children and their families get ready for their child's first steps towards independence and being without adult supervision for short periods of time.

Participants learn valuable life skills to help them make safer choices when on their own.

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Resource Network

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at 780-696-3636 or fcss@breton.ca

In - person
Workshop





FCSS NEWS from Deanne Young

An evening with Dr. Jody Carrington

Thank you to the Brazeau Community Parenting Coalition for bringing Dr. Jody Carrington – author of Kids These Days to our community. What a fabulous evening of laughter and learning. I think all of the 135 people that attended were very much entertained and learned through her presentation. *“Let’s make sure the big people in our community are ok and taken care of, then the little people will be alright too!”*

Community Document shredding

this Friday June 24– bring your personal documents to the Village office between 8:30 – 11:00 am and they will be shredded in a big truck from Edmonton. This is free of charge for any community member. We ask that you don’t bring more than 5 large garbage bags. This truck is a cross shredding unit. This is a great way to protect your personal identity and shred your personal documents. This service is available to all Village of Breton and Brazeau County residents.

Kick Start to Canada Day

Thursday June 30 at the Breton Bar. Bands start at 9:00 pm and go until 1:00am. Feature bands Sirens Lament, Morituri and Mitch’s Kitchen. Come out and listen to live music and get a head start on Canada Day! For more info contact Robin (via text) 780-234-4416.

July 1 Celebrations

Plans are coming together for the celebration of Canada Day and the 65th Anniversary of the Village of Breton. To date the following activities are planned:

- Pancake Breakfast – Community Centre
- Outdoor Market – Downtown area
- Food Trucks
- Parade – Starting at noon – Theme – “The 50’s” - celebrating the incorporation of the Village of Breton - 1957
- Children’s Activities – Centennial Park
- Show N Shine Car Show – following the parade
- Strawberry Shortcake and Coffee – Golden Age Centre
- Beer Garden – Main Street
- Mechanical Bull – Main Street
- Dunk Tank – operated by the Breton Drama Club.
- Pony Poop Bingo – operated by the Golden Spur Gymkhana Club
- Bucks For Boobs – Cancer Fundraiser
- Library Open House – refreshments and children’s activities
- Pig Roast Supper – Tickets now on sale. Tickets will only be pre-sold. Please purchase by June 29th.
- Street Dance – Mainstreet (weather permitting)

- Fireworks

If you would like to be a vendor, provide a Food Truck, organize an activity or have additional ideas on how to celebrate on July 1st, please contact the Village of Breton Office at 780-696-3636. Let’s make this one of the best Canada Day’s in our community.

Summer Youth Program Registration is now Open

We have been working to put together a fun filled, learning summer activity calendar for families and youth in our community. We are very excited to again be working with Alyssa and Kylie as our summer students. The program calendar was in last week’s Booster along with being on our Facebook Page. It has also been mailed out on June 1. 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. We would like to thank the members of the Breton Royal Purple, and the Breton ELKS, along with SINOPEC and Breton Family Food’s for their generous donation to this year’s program. If you would like to support the Summer Youth Program by making a donation, please contact the Breton FCSS office at 780-696-3636. We would also like to thank Breton A.I.F. for being a sponsor this year.

Home Alone & Babysitters Course

As part of our Summer Youth Program we are working with McMan Family Resource Network to offer an in-person Home Alone Program for youth ages 8 – 11 on Monday June 27th as well as a Babysitters Certificate course on Thursday July 7th for youth ages 11 and older. Registration for the Home Alone Course is now open. The Babysitters course registration opened on June 6th with the other summer program activities.

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.

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at
DEER CROSSING ESTATES

2 lots still available.
No time requirement to build,
GST included in price.
Village will put in driveway.
\$45,000/lot

TOMAHAWK



\$539,000

130 acres, 2 bed 2.5 bath log home. 32x52 arch rib shed (concrete floor), detached garage, & polished barn, with 9 box stall

WINFIELD



\$469,000

25.69 acres, 2240 sq ft 3 bed 2 bath home, massive back deck, 30x60 shop with 20x30 heated workshop.

LAKE LOTS

HERITAGE ESTATES 0.74 acre treed lot, power installed. Nat gas at property line. Community shoreline walkway \$89,900

GREYSTONES Lakeview 1.13 acre, services - power, well, nat gas riser. 40 ft Jayco RV with 3 slides. Shed. \$235,000

WILLOW HAVEN 0.47 acre, 2010 -40' HyLine RV w/ 3 slides & attached covered deck. Well, septic holding tank, power. Seacan, sheds, propane tank \$149,900

BUCK CREEK



\$685,000

161 acres, mfg 3 bed 2 bath home, 30x40 tarp bldg, fenced, cross fenced, 4 dugouts, seacan, sheds \$11,700 annual lease rev.

CALMAR



\$649,000

79 acres, 3 bed 2 bath Triple E home, mfg a/c floor, detached heated & insulated garages, pole shed barn, corrals, waterers

SEBA BEACH



\$949,000

147 acres-Log home, walkout ICF basement, awesome views across the country side, indoor riding arena, rolling scenic land, privacy!

BUCK LAKE



\$195,000

Oakes Bay 1 acre lot. 2008 1 bedroom park model, power, well. Sells with furniture & dishes. Firepit area and parking area

LAND

34.05 grassland acres. Fenced/cross fenced. 200 amp power service. Ideal for additional pasture or a great place to build your yard site. Winfield \$ 179,900

UNRESERVED AUCTIONS

SELLING to the HIGHEST BIDDER REGARDLESS OF PRICE!

7225 TWP RD 544 - 160 ACRES



Selling for Estate of Joseph Wyshynski

- Located in Yellowhead County north of Evansburg.
- Older farmsite with services, storage equipment bldgs (some built within last 10 years) and an old house that is of little value
- Heated shop - natural gas tube heater.
- Productive grain land, creek.

Bid Online at teamauctions.com
Bids Opens: **June 21**
Bids Close: **June 23**

94, 5124 TWP RD 554 - 1 ACRE



Selling 1 acre lot in Lessard Lake Estates

- Located in Lac Ste Anne County south of Cherhill.
- 1 acre lot with camp kitchen (with wood cookstove) and 3 RV spots
- Power & natural gas to property line. 3 septic holding tanks. Currently power and water from neighbouring lot are used on this lot.
- Short walk to boat launch



Bid Online at teamauctions.com
Bids Opens: **Sat Jun 25**
Bids Close: **Tues Jun 28**

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BUCK LAKE



\$230,000

1 bedroom 1 bath cabin built 1988, 0.8 acre lot. Wood stove, full kitchen, 4 pce bath, Drilled well, 2000 gal septic tank & power

BUCK LAKE



\$379,900

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

BUCK LAKE



\$209,000

Evergreen Estates. Partially finished cabin, wrap around veranda, bathrooms roughed in, electrical completed.

Moore's Agri-Trade Ltd, Breton, AB

780-696-2249

Rural Real Estate



Brazeau County News

BRAZEAU COUNTY PROPERTY TAXES DUE JUNE 30

Payment of Brazeau County property taxes is required by 5 p.m. on June 30. Penalties of 1% will be applied to any outstanding taxes on the first business day of July. Those eligible for the 30% municipal tax rebate must pay their taxes in full by the deadline in order to receive the rebate.

If you have not received your 2022 tax and assessment notice contact the Brazeau County office at 780-542-7777 as soon as possible to avoid penalties.

Payment options can be found on the Brazeau County website under Corporate Services.

Community Event Grants

Are you a community organization looking to host an event? Brazeau County has a grant program to assist in the costs to host community events, find out more about this and other grants at <https://www.brazeau.ab.ca/county-hall/community-funding/brazeau-county-community-funding>

IMPORTANT DATES

June 30 | Taxes Due

July 1 | Brazeau County Administration Building closed | Canada Day

July 5 | Council Meeting | 9:00 am

July 12 | Municipal Planning Commission meeting | 9:30 am

July 19 | Council Meeting | 9:00 am

2022 HERBICIDE PCP NUMBERS

The following herbicides may be sprayed within the county during the 2022 season.

Clearview - PCP 29752

Navius - PCP 30922

Restore II - PCP 30632

Par III - PCP 27884

Round Up Weather Max - PCP 27487

Milestone - PCP 28517

CONSUMER FIREWORKS ARE NOT TOYS.

They are in fact, powerful pyrotechnic articles and, for this reason, both their sale and purchase are regulated.

Fireworks permit can be obtained from Drayton Valley Brazeau County Fire Services at 5120- 52nd in Drayton Valley during regular business hours, for a \$10 fee.

Fireworks permit application shall include the following information:

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- Written consent from the owner of the property on which the fireworks display will occur
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Starts Opening June 24th, 2022 & Closes on June 28th, 2022

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MLA REPORT

from The Office of MLA Mark Smith,
Member of the Legislative Assembly
for Drayton Valley - Devon

Alberta's farmers and ranchers produce some of the highest quality food products in the world. So why is Ottawa now trying to put warning labels on the ground meat Canadians buy at the grocery store, including beef and pork from Alberta?

This is a question a lot of Canadians are asking right now. Ground beef and pork, especially from Alberta, is healthy and affordable for families across Canada and the world. Labelling ground meat not only sends a negative message about the quality of our food, but it hurts our industry and our overall economy at a very precarious time.

This attack on ground meat is groundless. Ottawa did not consult with the provinces and it has provided no compelling evidence for its decision, which unfairly harms Alberta's world-class producers. As you may know, Alberta livestock producer associations have requested an exemption from the proposed federal labelling requirements for ground meat, like exemptions being offered for other nutritious, single-ingredient foods such as milk, eggs, vegetables, and other meats. Our Alberta government supports this exemption.

"The federal government made this decision without consulting the provinces even though we have equivalent expertise in food science and nutrition," said Alberta Health Minister Jason Copping.

The Alberta government is currently working closely with the Alberta Beef Producers, the Alberta Cattle Feeders Association, and Alberta Pork to support their industries. We have also expressed our concerns to our federal counterparts in Ottawa.

This decision is especially troubling because it comes at a time when food prices are soaring due to inflation and other factors. Ground beef and pork are whole foods, rich in nutrients and still relatively affordable. At a time when the Alberta government is working tirelessly to make life more affordable for families, the Trudeau-NDP alliance in Ottawa is working to making life more expensive and difficult.

"While we can all support the federal Healthy Eating Strategy in principle, Ottawa's scientifically baseless labelling proposal for ground meat will unfairly impact families struggling with the high cost of living and add an extra burden to producers struggling to get back on their feet," said Alberta Agriculture Minister Nate Horner.

This decision should be reversed, full stop, and the Alberta government will be fighting for that. Every Canadian should take pride in the fact that Alberta's livestock producers drive economic growth by feeding the world with high-quality meat. Imposing these warning labels sends a negative message to customers and makes our producers less competitive in the global economy.

The entire Alberta government is proud of and stands with Alberta's livestock producers. We will continue fighting this unfair attack on our producers and our world-class Canadian agriculture products. I look forward to providing you with an update on this soon.

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- Andrew Boitchenko, Drayton Valley/Devon UCP Nomination Candidate introduced himself to council
- Council approved the July 1st Road Closures for Canada Day Celebrations
- Council approved placing 2 Handicap Parking Signs on 50th Avenue in front of the Breton Golden Age Club.
- Council moved the date of the July 13, 2022 Regular Meeting of Council to July 20, 2022 due to Councillor absences
- Council appointed Natasha Morrissey as Chief Administrative Officer for the Village of Breton effective June 15, 2022
- Council approved the development of a Wheelchair Accessibility slab at the front entrance of the Breton Community Centre.
- Council appointed Nicole Charlton to the Breton Municipal Library Board for a 3-year term.



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Greetings from Breton Elks Lodge #402



Good Day Folks, hope all is well in your world. Time has a way of passing us by at a very rapid pace.

Spring has now given way to summer. So now it's time to prune the flowers, hoe the potatoes and get the BBQ on the go. I have come to the conclusion that tomato growing is not one of my strong points. I will definitely not become a threat to the commercial enterprise of tomatoes. In recent days we have been blessed with an abundance of Mother Nature's effort to water our lawns. In some instants the effort is becoming a little overwhelming.

In the world of Elkdom, the Brother and Sisters met for their final meeting of the season to discuss the ongoing business at hand. The RV Park was a topic of discussion, from on-line booking to grass mowing. It is recognized that issues need to be addressed and a plan of action was established.

A motion was presented and approved to donate \$2,000.00 to the Elks and Royal Purple Fund for Children. It was also noted that the Village Council has been able to re-certify their Community Van. It is now available for use.

Lodge members were also advised that due to health issues Arnout and Stacia Steenhardt are no longer able to join our meetings, moving forward. We are all saddened to witness the toll of time on these wonderful people. They will be sadly missed, but we do wish the Steenharts much happiness as they move forward into their retirement years.

Brother Darren has advised us that he has reached the top of Provincial Elks Association and is now sitting as a board member of Elks Foundation. We are very certain that he will have a positive impact with his new assignment. Brother Don will continue his march forward on the National Level. On July 14 he is due to become Grand Leading Knight. Congratulations to Brother Don.

On another note the July 1st Pancake Breakfast is fast approaching. There is one small correction, we will serve from 8:00am to 10:30am.

At a recent work bee of lodge members, it became apparent that Brother Jerry has developed some extraordinary strength. Our c-can needed some gentle persuasion to allow us to lock the door. Brother Jerry stood back, gave a stern look walked around c-can and wham-o the door locked. Thank you Brother Jerry. We are so fortunate to have you as our leader.

Until next time Good Health, Wealth and everyone enjoy the summer. Will Chat in the fall.

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NOTICE OF DECISION

DATE OF NOTICE: MAY 25, 2022

AMENDMENT OF EXISTING APPROVAL FOR THE HAMLET OF CYNTHIA WASTEWATER SYSTEM

In accordance with section 74 of the Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act, Brazeau County has applied to Alberta Environment & Parks for an amendment of the existing approval to construct, operate and reclaim the Hamlet of Cynthia Wastewater System. The application is for the refurbishment of the treated wastewater storage pond, including de-sludge and installations of new clay liner, perimeter fence, and erosion and sediment control products. The wastewater treatment plant is located at SE 5-50-10 W5M in Brazeau County.

The *Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act* may provide you a right of appeal against this decision to the Alberta Environmental Appeals Board. You should note that there are strict time lines for filing an appeal dependent on the type of appeal. If you choose to appeal this decision, please contact:

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The Environmental Appeals Board
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A Notice of Appeal must be submitted within 30 days of the date of this notice. Please quote Application No. 009-584.

Copies of the amendment application can be obtained from:

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Reflections 2/10

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By the time I found my way to Chelm, my destination city, I was feeling my anxiety rise.

No one had mentioned the large gap from the train platform onto the train that I would need to navigate on with my luggage. 'Watch the gap' has a new meaning for me now.

- No one mentioned that I would be running onto the train (one of them I had to take a running jump on it...with my luggage) ...that was a bit unnerving as I had imagined myself fall in between the gap and literally be swept away under the train (yes, I can be a bit dramatic)
- No one mentioned that I needed to actually leave one building and go across the highway into another building to catch my last train, so I missed my train ... ☹
- No one mentioned that once I bought my ticket that there would be no guarantee of a seat. As I purchased my two-hour train ticket, I was informed – there are no seats available, you must stand by the bike rack and bathrooms...um ok. Well, that was not a problem but what was the problem is the sudden stops and take offs the train makes. At one point I was thrown into the open bathroom door ... ☹
- I was also not prepared for the mass of people in all the train stations. I had come off one of the trains to be greeted by many looking for 'help' in some shape or form. Many were persistent and followed me all the way to my next train.
- I was not prepared for the military presence and border patrol that surrounded me.
- The one thing I noticed is that I was not the only one with luggage. Many of the individuals had bags with them and when I finally asked where all these people were travelling to, the answer surprised me.

You see many of the individuals that were asking me for money and the many who had bags with them are refugees from Ukraine. They are now in Poland and are trying to find their way around Poland or on their way to some other country anywhere that they can call home for a little while. There were many with children, each carrying their own little bag. I had the opportunity to have a conversation with one woman who seemed alone but soon let me know her children were with her sister in another car, they couldn't sit all together. She was on her way to some place that I cannot remember, to find work and a place to live. She was so sad to leave her country and she is scared she will never return. This conversation and connection happened while I was standing by my bike rack/bathroom seat on my luggage, and I soon realized that my little inconvenience was God's divine plan for this connection to take place. I will never forget her face.

I was embarrassed of my own anxiety and concern for the train as I looked around and saw the many brave faces of the beautiful people of Ukraine. Their determination to not give up and to be strong in such hard times is something I will always remember.

Riding the train in and around Europe was nothing that I had imagined it would be. It was so much more.

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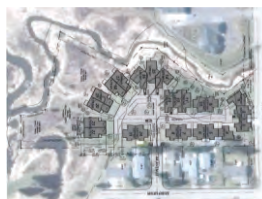
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

It has finally become apparent why Brazeau County Council has problems. It is because of the wearing of hats in the public areas in council chambers at council meetings.

What to do? Ban the wearing of hats and make a motion to remove the electorate letters to council from agendas (transparency/accountability). The rationale for the letter removal was to save time. It normally takes lots of time for a council member to say for the minutes "accept for information." It takes so much less time to make a motion to "remove from the agenda" and then vote on it.

The fact that the county is in financial trouble notwithstanding: Note that most if not all unrestricted accounts are severely depleted as a result of overspending. This (in this writer's view) is a result of spending millions on hard surfacing/paving to benefit very few (e.g., the horse trail road and 616 west of Buck Creek). More on this later.

There are a number of "code of conduct" investigations ongoing. It remains to be seen if the results will be made public.

There was a conference held in Regina recently. As of this writing, no written reports have been filed by attendees (contravention of policy). Perhaps a payback of the monthly \$1500 is in order until the report has been publicized (transparency/accountability).

A Code of Conduct Workshop has been proposed for council members. Is it that difficult to read the Code of Conduct and follow it? Is it not a sad situation when adults need "training" to be nice.

Perhaps, if we are lucky, the "hat" rule will resolve the above issues.

Hats off to Council!

Lynn Oberle Brazeau County June 14, 2022

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Me: I was just trying to keep up with traffic.
Cop: There isn't any.
Me: I know! That's how far behind I am.

Strange new trend at the office. People putting names on food in the company fridge. Today I had a tuna sandwich named Linda.

Wife texts her husband,
"How is everything going?"



he sends back this picture.



Husband and wife

had a FIGHT, Wife called up her mom and said; He fought with me again, I am coming to live with you. Mom said ,No darling ,he must pay for his mistake, I am coming to live with you!!!

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Answers will be published in the next issue!

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Pursuant to Section 311 and Section 336 of the Municipal Government Act, the Combined Assessment and Property Tax Notices for Brazeau County were mailed on May 20, 2022. All assessed persons are deemed, as a result of the publication of this notification, to have received their assessment notices. Property taxes are due on June 30, 2022.

LAND TITLES BACKLOG

The Alberta Land Titles Office is currently experiencing a significant backlog. If you have purchased a property since the beginning of the year and do not receive a tax notice by early June, please contact our office as soon as possible to provide legal purchase documents to update the mailing address.

The Assessment Roll is available for review by any person on our website at www.brazeau.ab.ca. If you wish to object to your assessment, or any assessment, you must, within sixty (60) days of the date of mailing of the Combined Assessment and Property Tax Notice, lodge your complaint in writing to the designated office of the Local or Composite Assessment Review Board.

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