

CONNECT39

Thorsby, Warburg & Area NEWS

previously the Thorsby Target & Warburg Bugle

COACHES FROM WARBURG FIND SUCCESS IN FIRST ROUND OF PLAYOFFS

Written by Shane Ofstie

Spring is a time of year that hockey fans love with the NHL playoffs getting closer to name this year's Stanley Cup champions. As we are now down to the final 8 teams, competing we think it is time to highlight some of the local talent that is representing the small village of Warburg in the playoffs. Did you know that there is not just one head coach but rather 2 head coaches in the remaining 8 teams that came from Warburg? That's right...2 head coaches in the NHL from Warburg. Both Lindy Ruff, head coach of New Jersey Devils, and Dave Hakstol, head coach of Seattle Kraken, are still in the running for the Stanley Cup. Now that we are down to the final 8 teams you could say that 25% of the head coaches still in the playoffs are from Warburg.

Lindy Ruff was one of 4 boys in the Ruff family, all of which displayed hockey talent. Lindy's older brother Randy played and coached Junior hockey, Marty was drafted by the St. Louis Blues (but never appeared in any NHL games) and Brent passed away in a bus crash while playing hockey for the Swift Current Broncos.



Lindy Ruff
Head Coach
New Jersey Devils

Lindy was drafted in 1979 by the Buffalo Sabres where he played most of his career as well as the New York Rangers. In 1993 he started his coaching career as an assistant coach for the Florida Panthers. In 1997 he became the head coach for the Buffalo Sabres. Lindy is currently coaching the New Jersey Devils on their quest for the Stanley Cup.

Dave Hakstol also grew up on the farm just outside of Warburg and had a passion for the sport of hockey. He has 1 brother (Brian) and 1 sister (Sandra) that are still in the area.



Dave Hakstol
Head Coach
Seattle Kraken

Dave had a slightly different path than Lindy starting off playing for Red Deer in the AJHL in 1986. In 1989, Dave went to the University of North Dakota to play hockey. After retiring as a player, Dave began his coaching career in 1996 for the Sioux City Musketeers. In 2015, Hakstol became the first head coach to jump from coaching NCAA hockey to NHL being named the head coach for the Philadelphia Flyers. Dave was named the first head coach of the Seattle Kraken in 2021 and hopes to lead his team right through to the Stanley Cup.

Make sure to show your support and cheer loud and proud for the hometown boys when their teams are playing. These are exciting times for everyone who knows these 2 talented coaches. So be proud and show the youth that growing up in the small Village of Warburg still provides ample of opportunity if you work hard and put your mind to it, I know these 2 did....

Classifieds

FOR RENT

LAND FOR RENT - 60 Acres of pasture land for rent. 5 minutes southwest of Breton. Fully fenced. Seasonal water. Call Frank at 780-797-3110.

THORSBY - BUILDING FOR RENT on Main Street 1615 Sq. ft. On Main & 550 sq. ft Mezzanine. Call Grant at 780-446-1596

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

FOR SALE

TOOLS for Sale. Assorted saws - band, table, chop, electric hacksaw etc. \$350.00 phone 780-789-2151

Breton West Herefords has both **HORNED AND POLLED BULLS** for sale. Call or text Leonard at 780-898-9590

HUGE GARAGE SALE @ 4906-45 Street, last street east in Thorsby. **Friday May 5 - Sunday May 7 from 9am - 7pm.** Camping, bedding, dishes, quilts, lawn furniture, xmas, and plant boxes

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.

WANTED

We are looking for **PASTURE FOR COW/PAIRS.** Please phone Russell at 780-848-2915.

Looking for quotes to **CUT GRASS FOR SENIOR COUPLE** in Thorsby ASAP. Pusher mower supplied. Call Evelyn @ 780-789-3821

N.S 50+ couple with 2 lg dogs. **DESPERATE FOR RENTAL/BUY LONG-TERM-ANYWHERE.** \$800-\$900 month + we pay utilities. Very responsible Call or text 780-293-2825

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.

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

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

WANTED CONCRETE RUBBLE
Contact Alex 780-905-9200 or 780-789-3843

SERVICES

D5 DOZER FOR HIRE
Contact Alex 780-905-9200 or 780-789-3843

WARBURG COLONY GREENHOUSE - OPEN Monday to Saturday 9am-5pm, Closed Sundays. Variety of hanging baskets, flowers & veggies. Located just off of Highway 770 about 3km north of Hwy 39 near Warburg

JOURNEYMAN PLUMBER/GASFITTER & CERTIFIED SEWER INSTALLER Repairs, replacement & new installs. Hot water tanks, furnaces, boilers, gas lines, sewer tanks/fields/pumps. Ryan 780-514-9246

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.carrievins.com

INTERIOR DESIGN, CABINETS, COUNTERTOPS & BLINDS. Independent Design Consultant for over 25 years. Contact Keri at designbywaters@live.ca or 780-289-2551. Also on Facebook and Instagram!

FULL-SERVICE BOOKKEEPING & PERSONAL TAX SERVICES Check out jensbookkeepingservices.ca for a full list of services. Call Jen at 780-898-5198 or email jensbookkeepingservices@outlook.com

Classified Ads are \$7.50 for 2 weeks (up to 30 words) GST included

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



Auto Body Works

Auto Body Repair

NO INSURANCE JOBS

Clayton Rumohr & Dale Babiak

info.autobodyworks@gmail.com

780-975-5408

PLEASE CALL OR TEXT FOR APPOINTMENT

"little papers...BIG RESULTS"

1	4	5	9	2	8	6	7	3
8	2	7	1	3	6	4	9	5
3	9	6	7	5	4	1	8	2
4	5	9	2	1	7	3	6	8
2	8	1	5	6	3	9	4	7
6	7	3	8	4	9	5	2	1
9	3	2	4	7	1	8	5	6
5	6	8	3	9	2	7	1	4
7	1	4	6	8	5	2	3	9

*Sudoku Answers
from April 28 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.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

THORSBY MUNICIPAL LIBRARY LIBRARY MANAGER POSITION (PART-TIME)

General Description: The Library Manager is responsible for the overall daily management of the Town of Thorsby Municipal Library.

The successful candidate will:

- Have a post-secondary degree in library & information studies, a library technician diploma, or other related training or experience;
- Attend Board meetings, working with the Board developing policies, budgets and plan of service;
- Have strong public relations and customer service skills;
- Have supervisory experience;
- Have the ability to develop and maintain working relationships with Yellowhead Regional Library and Town of Thorsby;
- Have a working knowledge of/or willingness to learn Library Services and Library Software;
- Have strong computer skills and a basic understanding of other electronic devices;
- Plan Library programs and events for all ages and interests;
- Be able to create reports and keep track of Library stats.

Interested Candidates can apply with resume and cover letter by:

Dropping off at the Thorsby Municipal Library addressed to the Library Board, Attention: Marcia Mielke Confidential

or

Email to: Marciamielke10@gmail.com

We thank all applicants for their interest, but only selected candidates will be contacted

**Deadline for applications will be
May 14, 2023**



Part Time Cook/ Day Housekeeper

Cloverleaf Manor – Warburg AB

Leduc Regional Housing Foundation is looking for an enthusiastic and motivated individual for a Part Time Cook/Day Housekeeper position (55.5 hours/bi-weekly on a rotating schedule), for our Seniors Lodge in Warburg. Reporting to the Chef, the Cook/Day Housekeeper is responsible for meal preparation and service to the residents along with delivering the housekeeping and laundry services for the lodge. As a member of the Leduc Regional Housing Foundation team, the Cook/Day Housekeeper is responsible for delivering a high standard of housekeeping services to the residents in the lodge.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Formal training along with a minimum 3 years' experience with cooking and baking in a commercial kitchen setting is required.
- Minimum 3 years' experience in quantity food preparation.
- Knowledge of proper food handling practices – Food Handler's Certificate preferred.
- Housekeeping experience in institution/hospitality industries.
- Formal education in the area of housekeeping would be beneficial. Ability to work independently, as well as a team.
- Strong English communication skills, both written and verbal is required.
- Strong customer service skills including the ability to interact with everyone in a respectful manner.
- Ability to work a flexible schedule (evenings and weekends).
- W.H.M.I.S. Training.
- Standard First Aid Certificate.
- Experience working with and meeting the needs of seniors.

All employees will be required to have a pre-employment fit to work assessment, and a clear criminal record with vulnerable sector check.

Please send your resume quoting job posting number 2023-CL-10 to:

Human Resources

5118 – 50 Avenue, Leduc, Alberta

T9E 6V4

Fax: 780.986.4881 or

E-mail: hr@leducregionalhousing.ca

Posting to remain open until a suitable candidate is found.



www.mikeshomesltd.com

COMMUNITY EVENTS & info

UPCOMINGSPECIAL EVENTS (Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

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.

CENTRE LODGE - Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast **Sunday, May 14** from 8:30am to 12 Noon. Mom's door draw.

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

LEDUC Regional Housing Foundations **1st Annual Fundraising Breakfast** on **May 18** at the Coast Nisku Inn. Tickets available at the Chamber. www.yourchamber.ca

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**

Custom Built Homes

- Reliable Service
- Affordable Pricing
- Quality Workmanship



"You Dream It – We Build It!"

MICHAEL JACOB
780.991.1008

michaelj@mikeshomesltd.com

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.

GLEN PARK Community Assoc is hosting a **55+ free lunch & entertainment** the **last Wednesday** of the month at 5pm, May & June. \$2 in advance so caterer is prepared. Call 780-919-1250

WETASKIWIN Art and Craft Centre Show & Sale on **June 3** from 10-4pm at the Multiplex Building 4520 - 48 Avenue.

MULHURST - Cancer Walk-a-Thon **June 9, 2023** check-in @ 5pm at the community hall. 5K walk or run throughout Mulhurst bay community. Contact Marion Wilson at mari_on@yahoo.ca for more info.

STRAWBERRY Hall - Farmer's Day Celebration on **June 10.** Cocktails at 5pm, Supper at 6pm, Live Band at 7pm. Steak BBQ & Hamburgers. Call 780-789-2446 or 780-789-2180

WINFIELD - 12th Annual Wheels in Winfield Show, N Shine on **June 10** from **10am-3pm.** For further info call Kevin Johnson @780-682-2526 or Albert Brandl at 780-696-2547

WARBURG - Father's Day BBQ on **Sunday, June 18** from 5-7pm at the Warburg Legion. Contact Deb at 780-686-2623 or Chris at 780-848-7561.

THORSBY & District Cultural & Historical Society is hosting a **Father's Day Pancake Breakfast** on **June 18**

COMMUNITIES CALENDAR for Breton, Warburg, Thorsby & surrounding areas published once a month in our paper, online at www.community39.com and on FB. Updated as needed. Email media@community39.com to add your event.

Community Events & Information
is **FREE** to advertise



General Service Worker - Casual

Cloverleaf Manor – Warburg AB

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

QUALIFICATIONS

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

All employees will be required to have a pre-employment fit to work assessment, and a clear criminal record with vulnerable sector check.

Please send your resume quoting job posting number 2023-CL-07 to:

Human Resources
5118 – 50 Avenue, Leduc, AB T9E 6V4
Fax: 780.986.4881 or
E-mail: hr@leducregionalhousing.ca

Posting to remain open until a suitable candidate is found.



2023 summer recreation

Summer events are just around the corner and we want to see you! We have a number of fun events and activities planned for the summer, including:



- ▶ Community events
- ▶ Day camps
- ▶ Special trips
- ▶ Park and play drop-in

Registrations open on May 1 at 8 a.m.

For more information – including how to register – visit leduc-county.com/recreation or email sam@leduc-county.com.



LeducCountyRecreationPrograms

JOB POSTING

Peer Support Worker/Driver - Warburg Cloverleaf Manor

Description of Duties and Responsibilities

- Reporting directly to the Program Manager, the Peer Support Worker provides front line resident engagement through structured activities scheduled by the Cloverleaf Intensive Supports Program Case Manager or the Activity Coordinator for the Manor.
- Provide safe, reliable transportation to and from appointments for clients
- May be required to transport equipment including, but not limited to; mobility aides such as a walker or wheelchair
- Communicate effectively with clients and team members.
- Relate to clients with physical needs and concurrent mental health diagnoses.
- Flexibility to relate and anticipate changing client needs.

Position Requirements

- Valid Class 5 (non-GDL) Driver's License
- A personal vehicle with \$2 million liability insurance for the ability to transport clients as deemed necessary
- Provide a current and clear driver's abstract
- Must have a current and clear Police Information with Vulnerable Sector Check

Hours of work: 8 hour shifts.

Holidays. Monday to Friday.

Starting at \$21.50/hr

To apply for this position, please submit your cover letter and resume to Lisa Macdonald at lmacdonald@gspady.ab.ca



George Spady Society

George Spady Society would like to thank all applicants; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

Equal Opportunity Employer: George Spady Society is committed to equity, diversity and inclusion and recognizes that a diverse team benefits and enriches our work and is essential to our operational excellence. We welcome applications from all qualified individuals and encourage women, members of racialized communities, Indigenous persons, persons with disabilities, and persons of any sexual orientation or gender identity to confidentially self-identify at time of application should you wish to. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply.



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 fcss@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 Golf Course - Men's Night will begin on May 8th at 6:30pm (**every Monday**) & **Ladies Night** will begin on May 9th at 6:30pm (**every Tuesday**)

BRETON Kids Klub - After School Program **Wednesdays** from 3:15-4:45pm for ages 6-12. No fees. Limited spaces. Pre-registration 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 Social Evening - at the Warburg Legion **3rd Friday** of every month. Doors open at 5pm, Dinner 6-7pm. Come join us for an evening of fun!

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/THRIFT SHOPS (NONPROFIT)

Thorsby District Cultural & Historical Society is hosting a **Craft & Trade Spring Market** on **May 6** from 11am - 5pm & **May 7** from 10am - 3pm at the Thorsby Community Hall.

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

DID YOU KNOW?

Our Calendar and Connections for Breton, Warburg, Thorsby & Surrounding areas are on our website under "Community":

This includes community group contacts, facilities for rent, churches and other local information.

Go to www.community39.com

You will also find more information on how to advertise, submit an article and for previous editions of our papers.

Don't like going online?

A complete listing will be printed in the Booster & Connect 39 once a month. Last Connect 39 listing was in the April 28 Issue!

Sandholm Community Hall

Sandholm Community Hall is Actively
Seeking Board Members & Volunteers

Dedication is Minimal

To Help Keep the Hall Open & Vibrant
in the Community

Sandholm Community Hall AGM
Monday, May 15th @ 7pm

EVERYONE WELCOMED



Norma Viola Westling

February 4, 1934 - April 27, 2023

It is with great sadness and much love that we say goodbye to Vi Westling - beloved mother, Grandmother and great grandmother. Vi passed away on April 27, 2023. Predeceased by husband Theo in 1985 and daughter Laura in 2020. Survived by daughter Valerie and son Neil, their spouses, 6 grand children and 11 great grandchildren.



*The family extends gratitude to the
Drayton Valley Hospital for their care
during her stay.*

**A memorial of her life
will be announced at
a later date**



THORSBY

CRAFT & TRADE SPRING MARKET

Sat. May 6 11 am – 5 pm

Sun. May 7 10 am – 3 pm

Thorsby Community Centre

FOOD CONCESSION

FREE ADMISSION

Sponsored by: Thorsby & District Cultural & Historical Society



TOTAL FIRE BAN IN EFFECT

from <https://www.leduc-county.com>

No outdoor fires are allowed, including open fires, smudge fires, campfires, recreational fires (firepits), or fires contained to burn barrels. Fires burning when the ban is issued must be extinguished immediately. The discharge of fireworks is not allowed.

All fire permits are suspended, as per the Forest and Prairie Protection Act, and no new fire permits will be issued.

You can use gas/propane appliances, such as barbecues, heaters and firepits, and use solid-fuel (charcoal and pellets) appliances.

WILDFIRE PREPAREDNESS IN ALBERTA: PROTECTING YOUR HOME AND COMMUNITY

Wildfires are a common occurrence in Alberta, with hot and dry weather creating ideal conditions for these devastating events. The province experiences an average of 1,300 wildfires per year, which can cause significant damage to homes, communities, and wildlife. As a homeowner or community member, it is important to be prepared for the possibility of a wildfire. Here are some tips to help you get started:

Create a Defensible Space

Creating a defensible space is one of the most important things you can do to protect your home from wildfires. This involves creating a buffer zone around your property that is free of flammable materials. Remove any dead trees or shrubs, clear away dry leaves and debris, and trim back any overhanging branches. Keep your lawn well-watered and maintained, and avoid storing firewood or other flammable materials near your home.

Have an Emergency Plan

In the event of a wildfire, it is important to have an emergency plan in place. This should include a designated meeting place for your family, as well as an evacuation plan. Make sure everyone in your household knows what to do in case of an emergency, and keep a supply kit on hand that includes water, non-perishable food, and other essentials.

Stay Informed

It is important to stay informed about the status of wildfires in your area. Sign up for local alerts and follow social media accounts of local authorities for

updates. Pay attention to air quality reports and take necessary precautions if the air quality is poor. If you are advised to evacuate, do so immediately.

Be Prepared for Power Outages

Wildfires can sometimes cause power outages, so it is important to be prepared. Have a backup power source on hand, such as a generator or solar-powered charger. Keep your phone and other electronic devices charged and have a supply of batteries on hand for flashlights and other essential items.

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



Thorsby Seniors Crib Results!

April 24th Crib Scores:

1st - Eunice Gillis - 951
2nd - Rod Blair - 948
3rd - Tied - Brenda Lickoch - 938
Phyllis Yawney - 938

High Hand of 24 was held by
Gene Senio & Nester Dobko!

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS!

My apologies for last weeks crib scores. There was a typo mistake with the winners. Here are the correct results from April 24th.



Thorsby Seniors Crib Results!

May 1st Crib Scores:

1st - Rod Blair - 944
2nd - Marie Gutenberg - 938
3rd - Tied - Brenda Lickoch - 928
High Hand of 24 was held by Rod Blair

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WINNERS!

Next crib event will be held on Monday, May 8th at 1:30pm, Admission \$6, Thorsby Seniors Center

Come & join us for some fun!

MOTHERS' DAY

A LADYS' AFTERNOON

Thorsby Community Centre

Sat. May 13 1-5 pm

Appetizers & Refreshment

Comedian Poet - Fashion Parade

ADVANCED FASHION TICKETS \$10

TICKETS ON SALE TILL MAY 9TH NOT AVAILABLE AT DOOR

WORKSHOPS

- > CARD MAKING - \$20
Instructor: *Shirley Frank*
- > MACRAME - \$20
Instructor: *Christina Parker*
- > PILLOW ART - \$25
Instructor: *Christina Parker*
- > FOOD STENCILING - \$35
Instructor: *Linda Leach*
- > SOAP MAKING DEMONSTRATION - \$25
Demonstrator: *Christina Parker*
- > KIDS WORKSHOP (Ages 5-12) \$5

Workshops run for 30 minutes and are pre-registered. You can pre-register for two workshops. PLEASE REGISTER BEFORE MAY 9TH. No walk-in pre-registration.

SIDE VIEW OF

TMP Jewelry
For information, tickets, and to pre-register call: Marlene 780 217-9394 OR 780 789-3344

URBAN MYSTIC

Reader: *Marlene Chapman*

DOLOR STREET NAILS

Demonstrator: *Charlottie Ritchie*

MARY KAY MAKE OVERS

Consultant: *Becky Buchardt*

CARE N MASSAGE & WELLNESS

Transfers are accepted:
thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com
security answer - market

SPONSORED BY: THORSBY & DISTRICT
CULTURAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY
MEMBERS & INVITED GUESTS



Student Welder Award

Contest



Apply Today

To be eligible to apply you must submit an essay detailing why you have chosen to be a welder as well as proof of enrollment in the RAP Welder program. Submissions can be made to Sunnybrook Welding.

marketing@sunnybrookwelding.com

PO BOX 28, SUNNYBROOK, AB, T0C 2M0



www.sunnybrookwelding.com

Thank You

*A heartfelt thank you to our family, friends, neighbors,
The Thorsby, Warburg, and Calmar Fire Departments
for your time, hard work and generous support during
our farm fire on Saturday April 29.*

The Crow Family



Annual Breakfast Fundraiser

“Housing is the Key – Because Everything Starts at Home”

Leduc, AB – Leduc Regional Housing Foundation (LRHF) will be hosting our first Annual Fundraising Breakfast to be held on Thursday, May 18th, at the Coast Nisku Inn & Conference Centre. The breakfast fundraiser kicks off our fundraising campaign “Housing is the Key – Because Everything Starts at Home”. Monies raised will support the enhancement of our residents/tenants quality of life and the provision of affordable housing options with the Leduc Region.

Leduc Regional Housing Foundation currently provides affordable housing solutions and services to over 1100 families and individuals throughout the Leduc Region in Leduc County, the City of Leduc, City of Beaumont, Town of Devon, Town of Calmar, Town of Thorsby, and Village of Warburg through the administration and management of five different housing programs.



A housing needs assessment completed in the fall of 2022 indicated that the core housing need in all of

the seven of the municipalities located within the Leduc Region will collectively require 8,000 more households by 2032 and that 12% of those households will not be able to afford what will be available. Currently the City of Leduc is growing at a rate three times faster than the Province of Alberta is, and the City of Beaumont is growing even faster. It has been projected that the Leduc Region will require more than 660 additional affordable housing units by 2032.



“Leduc Regional Housing Foundation is currently working on a variety of exciting projects and new initiatives within the Leduc Region to help support that growing need but funds are needed to help us achieve these goals. Additionally, we hope this event raises our profile in the community, creates a greater awareness of what we do and why “Housing is the Key – Because Everything Starts at Home”, said Margot Hagarty, Executive Director.

Tickets are available and on sale now through The Chamber events at www.yourchamber.ca.



*Residential - Commercial - Farm
Trenching - Scissor Lift*

Blair Hennes
780-686-0418

Curtis Peck
780-278-7614

hpelectricinc@gmail.com

CLAYTON SWAN, B.A. M.A. J.D.
BARRISTER & SOLICITOR

LINNÉE PETERS, B.Sc. J.D.
BARRISTER & SOLICITOR



☎ (+1) (825) 322 2500
☎ (+1) (825) 322 2501
✉ frontdesk@w5law.ca
🌐 www.w5law.ca
📍 5120 51 Ave, Warburg, AB T0C 2T0
📦 Box 400 Warburg, Alberta T0C 2T0

Innovative. Local. Affordable. Available.

General practice law firm located in Warburg for all your legal needs, including but not limited to:

- Criminal Law
- Corporate Law
- Estate Planning and Administration
- Family Law
- Real Estate
- Notary Public

*Call, email or visit
our website
to make an appointment*

RICHARD HOFFMAN'S ESTATE GARAGE SALE

Friday, May 5 from 4-8pm
Saturday, May 6 from 9am-5pm
Sunday, May 7 from 11am-3pm

5224-55 Street
Thorsby, AB



Tools:

Table saw
Hammer drill
Tile cutter
Brad nailer
Flooring nailer
Sanders
Industrial Floor sander with accessories
Miter saw
Air compressor & hoses
Industrial vacuum
Pumps
Concrete cutter
Generator
Tool cabinets
Hand tools
Misc nuts, bolts etc

Garage Items:

Jerry cans
Pressure washers
Extension cords
Snowblower
Battery charger
Manual Fertilizer/seeder
Ladders

Garden Items:

Garden hoses
Garden/yard tools
Flower pots/planters
Hedge trimmers
Industrial weed eater
Outdoor furniture

Household Items & Home Decor:

Coffee tables
Wall cabinets for collectibles
Framed pictures & frames
Cherished Teddies figurines
Table & chairs with matching filing cabinet
Embroidery sewing machine
Couch, Love-seat & Chairs
Coffee tables
Lamps
Mirrors
End table
Linens
Vases

Headboard & Dresser
Single Bunkbed
Dressers
Bedside tables
Rocking chair
Jewelry boxes & cases
DVD player & CD players
Hope chest
Shelves
Indoor heater
Humidifier

Kitchen Items:

Microwave
Air fryer
Crock pot
Bunn coffee maker
Deep fryer
Turkey fryer with accessories and pot
Food processor
Crystal glassware, Stemware
Silver plated flatware
Full China set with silver - 12 piece place setting plus 2 platters, gravy boat,

cream & sugar, 2 serving bowls, 1 serving dish w/lid
Food ninja Blender
Canning stuff
Silver plated tea service

Miscellaneous Items:

Vintage turntable with speakers
Outdoor & indoor Christmas decor
Vintage pinball machine
Organ
Bar stools
Gun racks
Stationary bike
Treadmill
Luggage
Decorative Spinning wheel
Coolers
Desks
Children's wagon
Shutters
Golf clubs & push carts
Fishing gear
Folding camping chairs



AND MUCH MORE...

Thorsby & District
Chamber of Commerce
"Business Building Communities"

May Long Weekend 2023 Activities

- Parade that starts at noon
- Slo Pitch Tournament & Beer Gardens (held on Saturday and Sunday) *Call Brandon to enter your team 780-886-7130*
- 50/50 Hosted by the Seniors
- Outdoor Market hosted by CL Market
- Family Games & Events at the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex (Town of Thorsby Recreation)
- Fundraising BBQ for the graduating class of 2024
- Historical Society is hosting the cornhole tournament, meatball supper and family dance that follows after, and much more!

For more information, join the festivities or to enter into the parade, email thorsbychamber@gmail.com

FUNDRAISING NEWS

Warburg Parent School Society
Fundraising News



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Our first ever local gift card sale was a great success. Proceeds will help fund special experiences for all students at Warburg School, such as the event booked for the last week in May! Thank you to everyone who contributed to the gift card fundraiser, especially Crossroads Farm and Greenhouse, Willow Valley Greenhouse and J-G Greenhouse.

On 11th of May, the plants purchased via our Growing Smiles Spring Flower sale should be delivered to the school. Exact timing for pick up will be announced closer to the day. A big thank you to all who purchased some of these lovely plants and in doing so, supported our school.

LITTLE CAESAR PIZZA KITS!

By popular demand, we are selling "Little Caesar" Pizza Kits, in perfect time for stocking up the freezer before summer or throwing on the BBQ when camping! There is even a new Gluten-free pizza option now available. Order via the school office with cash / cheque and the completed order brochure. Please make cheques payable to "Warburg Parent School Society". Alternatively, order online at pizzakit.ca, entering our school Fundraiser ID of **424458** when prompted. Delivery to Warburg school for pick up is during the week of 29th May, with the date and time to be announced later. All orders are due by **3pm, Fri 12th May**.

OUR FIRST ONLINE 50/50!

To celebrate the beginning of the summer break, we will be drawing our online 50/50 raffle winning ticket on 23rd June 2023. Tickets are available now for \$10 each! Be in it to win it and grab your ticket while you can! Go to our Rafflebox page at www.rafflebox.ca/raffle/warburg-pss

Do you have ideas for future fundraisers or are you interested in volunteering? If so, please contact a current Warburg Parent School Society member or email the Society at: warburgparentsociety@gmail.com

Everyone is welcome to attend our meetings. It's the best way to know what is going on with our school and to be involved. Watch for meetings scheduled on the Warburg School events calendar, "Like" our Warburg School Parent Council page on Facebook or read our monthly newsletter. Our next meeting is 17th May 2023 at 3.30pm, in school and it is also available online. Free childcare is available in the school.

TAKE A DEEP BREATH.
UNCLENCH YOUR JAW.
RELAX YOUR SHOULDERS.

From Talkspace



KEEPING YOU COMFORTABLE ALL THROUGH THE YEAR

Furnace & Air Conditioners

Your Local HVAC Company

office

780-637-5339

cell

780-964-4390

www.actionheatcool.ca



BRETON TIRES AND TOW

*For all of your tires, towing, parts,
accessories, and windshield needs!*

We have vehicle, recreation, implement, and trailer tires!

Standing tall in Community, Service and Reliability.

Open Mon-Fri 8-4:30

780-696-3757

Towing 24/7

bretontiresandtow@gmail.com



Banman Westerlund LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants

- Derek W. Banman CPA, CA - Partner
- Kyle Westerlund CPA, CA - Partner

Box 367, 5012 - 50 Avenue

T: 780.696-2511

Breton, AB T0C 0P0

F: 780.696.2017

E: dbanman@banwest.ca

#401, 9426 - 51 Avenue NW

T: 780.426.3943

Edmonton, Alberta T6E 5A6

F: 780.424.1875



FLOWER WATERING CONTRACT 2023 SEASON

Thorsby Communities In Bloom is currently looking for a passionate community minded individual to water all the planters for the 2023 Summer Season in the Town of Thorsby.

The Responsibilities Include:

- Work directly with Thorsby Communities In Bloom to achieve a beautiful planter display.
- Watering all plants in the planters once a week and fertilizing as scheduled by CIB.
- June will include surface planter watering till plants are established.
- July, August, September will include filling the water reservoirs that are built into the planters.
- Estimated time is 3 hours per watering. If extreme warm weather occurs, 2 waterings may be required as per direction of CIB.
- The contractor will be responsible for all weeding of the planters throughout the season if it is required.
- The contractor must have a valid Thorsby Business License for 2023 along with proof of WCB and Liability Insurance (minimum \$1 million).
- Use of the utility trailer will be provided for the summer that has a watering tote, water pump, hose, and wand on it.
- Water and fertilizer are provided by Thorsby CIB.
- Watering the plants may start as early as the last week in May and run till the last week in September weather dependent. This would mean the contractor would be required to water 17 times throughout the season.
- The contractor must provide their own vehicle to pull the utility trailer.

Please submit your proposals no later than May 13, 2023. If you have any inquiries, please don't hesitate to reach out to Barry - 780-983-2096

Thorsby Communities In Bloom
C/O Barry Rasch
barrythorsby@gmail.com



We are a family-owned business with over 35 years of experience in the industry.

leducinsurance.com

FARM INSURANCE IS OUR SPECIALTY. WE WILL VISIT YOU FOR A FREE, NO-OBLIGATION QUOTE.

780-986-8424

Our Markets



COMMON BASIC COVERAGES:

General Liability
Dwellings
Machinery
Personal Property
Structures/Buildings
Hobby Farms
Livestock
Poultry
Dairy Farms

COMMON OPTIONAL COVERAGES:

Loss of Use on Farm Machinery
Loss of Income Protection
Power Interruption
Increased Fire Department Charges



780.360.3878
MULHURST, AB



View My Listings at
macrae-sells.ca

ROBERT MACRAE
780-991-9939
number1seller@shaw.ca



A House Fly Lives Only 14 Days.

MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WEEK

May 1-7, 2023

By Carol Rempel

Rural Mental Health Animator for Thorsby

The complexity of supporting mental health, mental illness, and community wellness requires collaboration from all. We learn together by using tools to talk, engage and grow.

What is your favourite inspirational quote?

- Be the change you wish to see in the world – Gandi
- You can't wait until life isn't hard anymore before you decide to be happy – Nightbirde
- Don't sweat the petty things, and don't pet the sweaty things! – George Carlin
- If you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything – Unknown
- Just because you've always done it that way doesn't mean it's not incredibly stupid – Unknown
- A wise man may look ridiculous in the company of fools. - Thomas Fuller
- You're braver than you believe, and stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think. = Winnie the Pooh
- Never give up, Never surrender – Galaxy Quest
- Your beliefs don't make you a better person. Your behaviour does. – Unknown
- Be kind, respect others and help thy family, friends, and neighbours. – Unknown
- If you've got to work for the rest of your life, you'd better do something you'll enjoy. – Jim Sinegal

Quotes can offer insight into the thoughts and teachings of wise people. Whether they are alive or dead, their words resonate and continue to enlighten for all time.

Quotes are a great motivational tool.

"I cannot stand the words 'Get over it'. All of us are under such pressure to put our problems in the past tense. Slow down. Don't allow others to hurry your healing. It is a process, one that may take years, occasionally, even a lifetime – and that's OK."
— Beau Taplin

Wenham Valley Pet Cremation



Geneva Rodin

(780)621-3531

geneva_rod@hotmail.com

"Our pets leave footprints on our hearts"

Warburg, AB



825-461-9666

bbbreeze.janeapp.com

1228 TWP RD 474

Farmhouse Acupuncture

- Precision Acupuncture for Chronic Pain.
- Therapeutic Massage. Direct billing.

Dr. Wang Wang (MD. PhD.)

RAC; RMT; Herbalist 20+ years' experience

Specialized in soft tissue chronic pain.

LONE WOLF MECHANICAL



WE ARE HIRING!

Full time Automotive & Heavy duty Mechanics

- Heavy Duty & Automotive Repair
- CVIP / Out of Province & Insurance Inspections
- AMA approved Shop / Earn AMA dollars here
- Air Liquide Rep
- Parts Sales
- RV, Trailer, Equipment and School Bus Repairs
- Windshield Replacement
- Service Truck
- Interior Detailing
- Trailer Rentals
- Minor Welding & Fabrication



587.643.WOLF (9653)

lonewolfmechanic@hotmail.com

www.lonewolfmechanic.com

4813 - 50 Ave Thorsby



BREAKING NEWS!!

FIRE BAN IN EFFECT

Leduc County and the Town of Thorsby are now under a fire ban. There is an extreme risk of wildfire due to dry conditions.

No outdoor fires are allowed – including open burning and fires contained to approved burn barrels, firepits or charcoal barbecues – and all outdoor fires currently burning must be extinguished immediately. The discharge of fireworks is not allowed.

All fire permits are suspended, as per the **Forest and Prairie Protection Act**, and no new fire permits will be issued for the duration of this ban.

Citizens can use cooking and heating appliances – such as barbecues, firepits and patio heaters – fueled by liquid fuel like propane or natural gas.

If you see a fire, please call 9-1-1 and report it as soon as it is safe to do so.



Fire officials will continue to monitor conditions, and will update the public at leduccounty.com and albertafirebans.ca when the ban is lifted or downgraded.

HANKIN STREET DEMOLITION BIDDER INFORMATION

Please keep an eye out on the Thorsby Town website for information regarding the bidding opportunity for the demolition on Hankin Street.

Thorsby Town Office Hours are:

Mon: 8:30-4:30
Tues: 8:30am-4:30pm
Weds: 8:30am-4:30pm
Thurs: 8:30am-4:30pm
Fri: 8:30am-4:30pm
Sat-Sun: CLOSED

The office is open during Lunch!

Thorsby Town Council Meetings

(all meetings are held at the Town Office in the Council Chambers)

Tuesday, May 9th | COW | 7 - 9pm
Tuesday, May 13th | Spring Budget Meeting | 10am - 1pm
Tuesday, May 23rd | Regular | 7 - 9pm

The public is welcomed to all Council Meetings

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT DECISION FOR MUNICIPALITIES

Thorsby, Alberta – The Town of Thorsby responded to the federal government’s disappointing decision to pass unbudgeted and unaccounted for costs on to municipalities.

Despite months of municipal advocacy led by the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM), provincial-territorial associations and local leaders across Canada, the federal government has indicated in the most recent federal budget it will not be meeting the request to absorb the retroactive costs associated with the latest RCMP collective bargaining agreement.

Tuesday’s budget further confirmed that communities across Canada that are dependent on RCMP services for local policing, including are expected to cover these costs—a decision falling well short of the call from municipalities to fully absorb the costs.

Local governments were not at the table for these negotiations. And while cost estimates were provided to some municipalities, these turned out to be far below the final agreement’s increase over six years, with retroactive pay going back to 2017.

This decision is an example of a federal commitment that deeply impacts municipalities, without municipalities being properly consulted or involved. Municipal governments are paying a growing share of policing costs, but they cannot run deficits and have limited revenue tools.

FCM has clearly reiterated the need for municipalities to be actively involved in any future processes regarding contract policing, calling this recent decision unacceptable. This is a position supported in full by Thorsby.

For more information:

Thorsby Legislative Clerk, (780) 789-3935 ext. 27, info@thorsby.ca
FCM Media Relations, (613) 907-6395, media@fcm.ca



BREAKING NEWS!!

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Saturday, May 13th 2023
10:00am – 1:00pm
Council Chambers

*This meeting is **open** to the public, and we encourage all Thorsby residents to participate!*

Economic Development Week

The Town of Thorsby marks the week of May 8 to May 12, 2023, as the next Economic Development Week. During this week, communities across North America will celebrate and recognize the contributions made by professional economic developers to create more economically vibrant and livable communities.

Created in 2016 by International Economic Development Council (IEDC), the largest international professional trade association for economic developers, Economic Development Week aims to increase awareness for local programs that create jobs, advance career development opportunities, and improve the quality of life in communities everywhere.

“As local and regional economies evolve, the role of economic developers and development organizations are crucial in energizing, preparing, and promoting local economic growth,” says IEDC President & CEO Nathan Ohle. “The 2023 Economic Development Week will recognize, distinguish, and show appreciation for the innovation and leadership of our community leaders building an equitable, sustainable, resilient, and inclusive future. I hope communities everywhere will join us in celebrating the accomplishments and important work economic developers perform in their communities year-round.”

WARBURG SEED CLEANING CO-OP LTD.



Phone No. 780-848-2365

warscp@gmail.com

www.warburgseed.com

“like us” on Facebook

Hours: 8:00 am to 4:30 pm Mon to Fri

Cleaning services for various seed varieties

90 ft. scale

Bagged food grade wheat, Bagged Hulless barley available for soups, stews, etc.

Various varieties of bagged & bulk feed - rolled or whole. We only sell what we clean here and don't add supplements, etc. Our rolled mixes include 40-30-30 (40% wheat, 30% barley & 30% peas) & 50/50 barley/oats or make up your own custom mix.

Our 40-30-30 mix is used to feed a variety of animals & birds including wild birds

Need a tote bag... we have small & large tote bags for sale

Black oil sunflower seeds

Flax

Various sizes of tarps, straps & accessories in stock or we can order what you need. We can also order greenhouse plastic.

Lawn seed & lawn & garden fertilizer

Nitrogen & PowerRich fertilizer & bagged forage seed

Various varieties of Pedigreed seed available

Retailer for Proven Seed, Inland Plastics, Union Forage (swath grazing) & PowerRich Fertilizer

FOR SALE



780-696-2249

www.MooresRealty.ca

An entire team of REALTORS® working for you
Trent Wirsig, Terence Barg, Justin Hatt, Cathy Hatt

For more info on these & other properties visit our website at MooresRealty.ca



BUCK LAKE
Buck Lake Estates - Lakefront - 5 bed 3 bath home, walkout basement. Triple att garage. Heated shop. Remote control gate & more

\$949,990



BUCK LAKE
GREYSTONES Lakeview 1.13 acre, services - power, well, nat gas riser. 40 ft Jayco RV with 3 slides. Shed.

\$189,000



BUCK LAKE
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

\$190,000



BUCK LAKE
410 Lakeshore Dr. Business or Pleasure or both. 0.66 acre commercially zoned lot with home on raised basement, shed.

\$185,000



BRETON
10 ± acres, 3 bedroom home, 3 season sunroom, 32x40 metal clad shop. Subject to final subdivision approval.

\$389,000



ST FRANCIS
3 acres - 1/2 mile from pavement. Waiting for road development or use as you wish in getaway. Half treed, gentle rise.

\$64,900

SOLD

LAND

**312 ACRES
PRIME FARM LAND**
Located only 2 miles east of Wetaskiwin.
Land is primarily #1 & #2 soil & has \$8,800 in annual surface lease rev.
Yard site with 1970s home, a 30x48 shop, a 60x100 pole shed, 2x5000 +/-bu grain bins, 3 hopper bottom feed bins & a number of older bldgs including a dairy barn, poultry barns & cattle shelters.
Wetaskiwin \$2,000,000



LODGEPOLE
60x130 lot. Natural gas & drilled well on property. Power & sewer at lot line. Zoned Hamlet Residential. Mfg homes permitted.

\$35,000



BRETON
12 Fraser Drive - large lot backs onto golf course - 159 ft golf course frontage. No time restrictions to build. GST included.

\$49,900



WINFIELD
158 acres, creek, mature forest, cabin, peace & tranquility! East Poplar Creek flows thru this land. on no exit road.

\$949,000

LAND

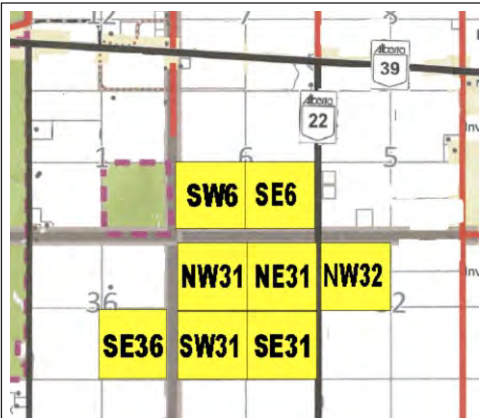
79.5 ACRES with approximately 50 acres of hay and balance in pasture. Power & Well. Receive \$2855 annual surface lease revenue. BUCK CREEK \$299,000

NEW 150.26 acre property. A major fire in 2020 created a different landscape. New growth of trees, shrubs, grasses are coming back nicely. Before the fire, a residential layout was being done. Site in the south east corner to build home or cabin. Tomahawk \$218,500

SOLD

LOTS IN BRETON

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



LAND

INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY
8 quarters (1267 acres), spacious home, 32x40 heated shop, Quonset, 2 waterers. 2nd serviced yard site is on the quarter to south. Substantial annual revenues received from surface leases & land rent. On Hwy 22. short distance to Drayton Valley \$6,500,000

WINFIELD LIQUOR LOFT



Opportunity knocks in the community of Winfield, Alberta. Be your own boss of this Liquor Store. The Winfield Liquor Loft has been serving the community and surrounding areas for 10+ years. Built in 2011, this solid built 1152 sq ft building has a metal clad exterior & covered front sidewalk running along the front of the store. Inside is the attractive front & cold room retail spaces, storage space, off loading double doors and outside metal security gate. Inventory not included in list price. The buyer will have to obtain their own liquor license from AGLC as the current liquor license cannot be transferred.

OUR TEAM OF REALTORS

Trent Wirsig 780-202-0140
Terence Barg 780-621-6767
Justin Hatt 780-621-3695
Cathy Hatt 780-898-0729

Moore's Agri-Trade Ltd, Breton, AB 780-696-2249

Rural Real Estate

THE ADVENTURES OF LAYLA

by Shawna Ofstie

Layla Peck, is a talented writer who attends Thorsby Elementary School is in grade 2 and 8 years old. She was introduced to me by her teacher Mrs. Walker who recognized her talent of writing and wanted me to read her short story.

In an interview with Layla she told me a little bit about the story she wrote about a snake named Bob and how Layla goes on a holiday and meets him. When I asked her what her inspiration was, she told me that *"her mom got to pet a snake"* so she wanted to write about one.

Mrs Walker, one of Layla's biggest fans, wants readers to see what talent young kids can have and to showcase this little girl's talent as an author at only 8 years old.

Here is Layla's story for you to enjoy as much as I did!

A DAY IN THE DESERT

by Layla Peck, Grade 2, 8 years old

Once upon a time there was a girl. One day her and her family went on a holiday. The girl's name was Layla. One day Layla asked her mom and dad if she could look around the desert. Her mom and dad said yes!

When she was looking around, she came upon a snake! What was she going to do? Run? Keep

going? Tip toe away? But then...the snake started to talk. He said, *"How are you doing?"*

Layla's jaw dropped. *"Hh how did you do that!! How did you talk?"*

"Oh, you did not know that snakes around the desert talk?" he asked Layla.

"What! So, your telling me that every snake around can talk?"

"Yes, you are right," he answered.

"Really, well then call your family members."

"Ok." Then they all came slithering from here and there. *"So, here they are,"* said the snake

"Ok, talk." Layla stared and waited.

Suddenly the snakes said, *"Hello."*

"So, you are right," said Layla. *"By the way, what is your name?"* said Layla *"You know my name, but I don't know yours."*

"My name is Bob."

"That's a really funny name! Well I should get back to my family."

"Can I come?"

"Yes follow me," said Layla

"Ok Layla."

When they reached Layla's family, Layla introduced Bob to them. They talked for a while and then went home, but guess who snuck into Layla's bag?? Bob!

When they got home Layla unpacked her bag. When she saw Bob she was sooo super happy. She always had a spare cage in her attic so she snuck up there and got the cage. She put Bob in the cage. Layla brought Bob into the living room. Layla's dog Duke looked at Bob and he smelled Bob's cage. Bob defended himself and he hissed at Duke. Duke sadly walked away and curled up into a ball and fell asleep. When her mom and dad saw Bob, her dad jumped up and ran out of the house.

"Well", her mom said, *"who is this?"*

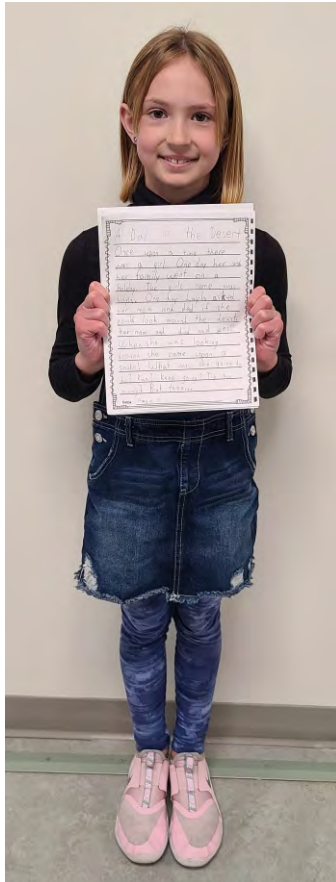
"This is Bob."

"That's the funniest name ever!" laughed mom.

After Layla's family really got to know Bob, her dad grew less scared of him. For the rest of their lives Bob was like a brother.

The End

Layla has written more short stories and we are hoping to publish more in the upcoming months so stay tuned for "The Adventures of Layla"



Darcy Powlik

780-446-9700

www.darcypowlik.com

Office: 780-986-2900



RE/MAX
Real Estate Leduc

RESIDENTIAL, FARMS & ACREAGES

CALMAR- 4 Bedroom, 2 Bath fully finished and recently renovated bungalow with large insulated detached garage with parking pad! (E4321527) ~~\$285,000~~ **PENDING**

LEDUC COUNTY- 1400 Sq.Ft House on 70 acres with Riding Arena, Barn, Quonset, Oil Revenue and More! Close to Calmar! (E4303894) **SOLD** \$500,000

THORSBY - Gorgeous 12.40 acres backing onto creek/ravine, 1047 Sq.Ft Bungalow, Garage, Barn, Machine/cattle shed **\$399,900.00**

THORSBY - 1063 Sq.Ft 1 1/2 Storey with tons of recent renovations, Large fenced yard. **\$199,900.00**

THORSBY - 2.97 acres of park like setting on pavement, 1079 Sq.Ft Bungalow with partly finished basement, Double detached garage **\$399,900.00**

THORSBY - 1592 Sq.Ft 3 Level split, 4 bedrooms, Large 50'x150 corner lot, 20'x32' Detached shop, Garden spot, RV parking **\$299,000.00**

THORSBY - 5 acres on pavement at the entrance to Thorsby. Great place to build **\$195,000.00**

WARBURG - 1500Sq.Ft Bungalow on large corner lot, 5 bedrooms, finished basement, detached o/s double garage. **\$279,900.00**

RAW LAND & VACANT LOTS

BRAZEAU COUNTY- 14.93 acres of rolling land which is partially treed. Located on pavement close to Hwy 39. Many great building sites. Room for animals! (E4289275) **\$149,900**

BRAZEAU COUNTY- 2 LOTS, 15.05 acres of treed rolling land. 232 meters x 262.50 meters. Great building sites with treed privacy. Very private and quiet. Services are close. Located at the corner of RR 60 and Twp 484. (E4323597)(E4323598) **\$149,000**

LEDUC COUNTY- 32.67 acres right at Pigeon Lake, close to Johnsonia & Itaska Beach. Great place to store your toys from the lake. Land can be rented out to local farmers for hay and crop production. Zoned Pigeon Lake Watershed. (E4313307) **\$299,000**

LEDUC COUNTY- 73.11 acres of quality farm land, zoned Agriculture. Located on the corner of RR 272 & Highway 39. Two miles west of Calmar on Hwy 39. Good producing soil. (E4323202) ~~\$575,000~~ **REDUCED** **\$549,000**



Children's
Miracle Network

**MIRACLE
HOME**
Contributor

Helping kids at



STOLLERY
CHILDREN'S
HOSPITAL
FOUNDATION

"NOBODY SELLS MORE REAL ESTATE IN THIS AREA!"



RCMP COMMUNITY REPORT FOR APRIL 2023

*Cst. J. Conway, Thorsby/Breton
RCMP Detachment*

Total Calls for Service	252
Suspicious Persons/ Vehicle	7
Collisions	19
Vehicle Theft	10
Fraud	3
Break and Enter	15
Assault	6
Impaired	4
Recovered Vehicles	4
Missing Person	4

In Alberta, May is recognized as Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month. This is an important time to remind all road users about the unique safety concerns and considerations that are associated with motorcycles.

In recent years, there has been a significant increase in the number of motorcycle riders in Alberta. While motorcycles can be a fun and fuel-efficient way to travel, they also come with increased risks of injury and fatality in the event of an accident.

According to Alberta Transportation, motorcyclists make up only 3% of all licensed drivers in the province, but account for 14% of all fatalities and 17% of all serious injuries on the road. This is why it is so important for motorcyclists to take all necessary safety precautions and for all other road users to be aware and vigilant of motorcycles.

Some key safety tips for motorcyclists in Alberta

include:

1. **Wear a helmet:** The law in Alberta requires all motorcycle riders to wear an approved helmet. A properly fitting helmet is the most important piece of safety equipment a rider can have, and can greatly reduce the risk of serious head injury in the event of a crash.
2. **Wear protective gear:** In addition to a helmet, riders should also wear protective clothing such as gloves, boots, and jackets made of abrasion-resistant materials. This can help reduce the risk of injury in the event of a crash.
3. **Get proper training:** All new motorcycle riders in Alberta must complete a motorcycle safety course before obtaining their license. However, even experienced riders can benefit from taking additional training courses to improve their skills and knowledge of safe riding practices.
4. **Ride defensively:** Motorcycles can be more difficult to see than other vehicles on the road, so it is important for riders to be aware of their surroundings and to anticipate potential hazards. Defensive riding techniques can help riders avoid collisions and stay safe on the road.
5. **Check your motorcycle regularly:** Regular maintenance and inspections can help ensure that your motorcycle is safe and roadworthy. This includes checking your brakes, tires, lights, and other key components before each ride.
6. **Avoid riding under the influence:** Alcohol and drugs impair judgment and coordination, making it much more difficult to operate a motorcycle safely.

For all other road users in Alberta, it is important to be aware of motorcycles on the road and to give them extra space and consideration. This includes checking blind spots and mirrors regularly, signaling your intentions clearly, and leaving plenty of following distance between your vehicle and any motorcycles on the road.

Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month is an important time to raise awareness about the unique safety concerns of motorcycle riders and to encourage all road users to do their part to help keep our roads safe. By following these safety tips and working together, we can all help prevent motorcycle accidents and ensure that everyone can enjoy the freedom and fun of riding a motorcycle in Alberta.

On-Line Real Estate Auction Sale - Retail (Liquor) Store

Starts Opening June 16th, 2023 & Closes on June 20th, 2023

Location: 101 Hwy 13 West, Alder Flats, Alberta

Investment Opportunity - Legal: Plan 1057HW, Blk 1, Lot 4

**Mixed Used Commercial/Residential Zoned 3 Unit Building on a
0.12 Acre Lot & Liquor Store Business for Sale!**

Located in the Growing, Rural Hamlet of Alder Flats in West Central Alberta with Primary Highway Frontage. Just Steps Away from Crown Land which keeps Hunters, Campers & Nature Enthusiast coming through. Also a Very Well Established Clientele of Local Residents, Businesses & Community Organizations over the Last 25 Years that keeps the Inventory Moving and the Business Profitable!

The Building Houses a 3 Bedroom, 2 Story Apartment, Canada Post & the Only Liquor Store in Town!

The Apartment Boast 900 Sq Ft of Living Space complete with a Fully Custom Oat Kitchen with Ample Cabinets & Storage, a Roomy Open Living Area & an Oversized 4 Pce Bedroom with Laundry. There is a Spacious Master Bedroom with a Double Wide Closet & 2 Smaller Bedrooms that could Serve as an Office/Craft Room etc.

Appliance included with the sale are: Refrigerator, Stove, Washer & Dryer.

The Newly Fenced in Back Yard has Ample Room for a Green House & Numerous Garden Boxes if you so Desire. Detached One & a Half Car Garage (18'x26') with a New Roof & New Insulated Roll Up Door.

Canada Post has a Current Lease on its Separate 492 Sq Ft Space & the Lease will be Transferred to the New Buyer.

Highway Front 525 Sq Ft Retail Store Space is Well Established with a 195 Sq Ft Walk in Cooler, which was Serviced & Inspect in August of 2022.

The Back of the Store holds an Office, Washroom & a 144 Sq Ft Storage Room for Excess Inventory. Two Security Systems with 6 Cameras (Security Contract to be Transfer), all Shelving, Till, Pop Coolers & a Deep Freeze all Come with the Building.

Recent Upgrades to the Building include: New Foundation, Roof, HVAC System with High Efficiency Zone Controlled Furnace, A New water Pump 6 Years Ago, as well as many Cosmetic Upgrades to the Interior.

Property has its Own Independent Water Well & is tied into the Town Septic System.
Taxes in 2022 were \$1,426.62.00

Real Estate Transactions are being Handled by Morrison Realty - Kim Hughes (403) 704-3141 & Allen Olson (403) 783-0556

For Terms & Conditions Please Visit our Website at www.allenolsonauction.com



**For More Information or to
Book a Viewing contact:**

Kim Hughes (Realtor) - (403) 704-3141

Allen B. Olson (Auctioneer)

(403) 783-0556

Justin Janke (Sales Rep) - (780) 515-0888

Cindy Hodge (Seller) - (780) 838-9263

Allen B. Olson Auction Service Ltd.

Rimbey & Hwy #16, Alberta

License No. 165690

(403) 843-2747 Sale Site

1 (855) 783-0556 Toll Free

E-mail: abolson@telusplanet.net - Homepage: allenolsonauction.com



THORSBY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Submitted by Shelley Birch

RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS

Mrs. Walker and her grade 2 class went to the Seniors Center to play board games this week. They had a wonderful time with some amazing ladies!!



49019 Range Road 22, Sunnybrook, AB

We Repair:

- Truck Transport • Industrial • Heavy Equipment •
- Agriculture • Automotive • School Buses •

780.789.3322 1.855.789.3322

www.nitronut.com

Check out our Facebook page!

Breton Denture Centre

5012 - 50 Ave. Breton

780-696-9696

Our Services Include:

- Free Consultations
- Same Day Relines
- Complete & Partial Dentures
- 1 Hour Denture Repairs
- Dental Assistance for Seniors
- Referral to a Dentist or Surgeon

Join Us Again in Completing that Beautiful Smile!



Dawn Heisler 780-619-2564 (cell)

780-986-2900 (office) www.dawnheisler.remax.ca

email: dawnheisler@remax.net



Real Estate
Independently Owned and Operated

12.9 ACRES



Over 2100 sq.ft. bungalow, shop, set up for horses. Ravine view. Located 5 minutes from Warburg. **E4334565 \$595,000**

COUNTRY LIVING IN BRETON

4800 sqft large family home on double lot. 3 bed, 3.5 bath, rec room, oversized double garage **E4330229 \$398,000!**



THORSBY BUNGALOW



On huge 50x 264 ft. lot. 2 bedroom, newer shingles, vinyl windows. **E4322203 \$130,000**

NEW MOBILE

Never lived in 2 bed, 2 bath in Warburg MHP. Lot rent \$260/month **E4296519 \$135,000 \$130,000**



APARTMENTS

2 x 4-plex in Warburg. Total of 8 units. **SOLD! E432574 \$800,000**



SECLUDED 4.27 ACRE



5 bed, 3 bath, walkout basement, 32x48' shop, barn **E4318673 \$525,000 \$450,000**

WARBURG BUNGALOW

Upgraded 3 bed, 1 bath, newer triple pane windows, shingles, appliances, furnace, HWT, flooring and more! **E4334003 \$189,000**



COMMERCIAL LOTS



Lots in Warburg on main street totalling 150' frontage x110' depth. **E4322848 \$49,999**

WARBURG VACANT LOTS

Residential Lot 12 **\$24,000**
Lots 23-25 Your choice **\$45,000**
2 serviced lots **E4325274 \$20,000** each

Powered by



CACHE ENTERTAINMENT INC

IN SUPPORT OF
ARCTIC SPAS
RECREATION COMPLEX



RECREATION COMPLEX



ALL AGES
SHOW



SCAN
ME!



CANADIAN DIRT
TOUR 2023

MAY 6

THORSBY

Alberta

Special Guest



Randi Boulton

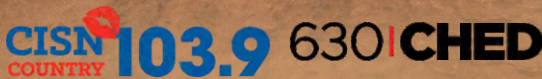


DOORS OPEN
7:30pm

ARCTIC SPAS RECREATION COMPLEX
4901 48 AVE, THORSBY, AB

Visit **GORDBAMFORD.COM**

TO PURCHASE TICKETS OR CALL TINA 403.588.6286





TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY

TIPS From TOPS!

From Pearl Elson

Our meetings are designed to encourage weight loss, maintenance, to educate and to provide support. New members are welcome to attend a meeting with no obligation. Meetings are held at the Thorsby Senior's Centre on Monday mornings with weigh in from 9am to 9:15am and the meeting following from 9:15am to 9:45am. There is an annual fee to TOPS International of \$49 and a monthly fee to the Thorsby Chapter #1694 of \$5. The first month chapter fees are free. Phone Jane at 780-789-3789 or Cheryl at 780-848-7673 for more info.

10 THINGS NEVER TO SAY TO SOMEONE WHOSE BODY IS CHANGING:

1. You don't need to lose weight. This might be intended to assure someone that you care about them no matter what the scale says, but it may be taken as a negative comment. You were trying to say they are fine, but you aren't supporting their journey!
2. Have you tried XYZ diet? It worked well for me! Suggesting a specific diet may encourage people to favor extreme weight -loss solutions over healthy lifestyle changes. This simplistic view of weight management may be insulting to someone who feels lie they have tried everything and have failed yet again.
3. Didn't you try to lose weight last year? Reminding someone of past attempts to lose weight can imply that you believe they will fall short yet again. Try offering positive encouragement instead!
4. Why are you eating that? Aren't you on a diet? Being the food police isn't going to win you any favors or help anyone lose weight. It can be discouraging and come across as a critique of what they are eating.
5. Having curves is ore attractive than being skinny anyway! It is not necessary or OK to devalue one kind of body to praise another kind of body. All bodies, of any shape and size have value!
6. How much have you lost so far? This can be upsetting to someone who feels they haven't lost weight as quickly as intended (or may have re-gained a few pounds). They may think, "Why are you keeping tabs on my progress anyway?"
7. You're barely eating anything.../ Are you sure

you're healthy? A usually well-intended comment that shows you don't understand your friend's new eating habits. It could make the dieter self-conscious about what they eat in front of you and others!

8. What can you eat? It can make someone feel like they're being perceived as a picky eater or a difficult dinner guest. Instead, try asking what kinds of meals that person has been enjoying lately, rather than making them list the food that they have had to eliminate.
9. But this was made just for you! The wave of guilt and temptation that can come when faced with a plate of grandma's cookies can be overwhelming! Saboteurs, whether they do so purposefully or not, can be hugely detrimental!
10. Nobody will notice if you're just a few pounds lighter! Losing even a few pounds can have a profound psychological and physical impact on a person. It's best to not make assumptions about how weight loss will change someone else's life.

Copyright T.O.P.S 2022

"Self-care is how you take your power back."
— Lalah Delia



NIGHT HAWK AUTO

Division of

**Complete Automotive Service
& Repair On All Makes and Models**

*"Friendly & honest service,
with a mechanic you can talk to."*

SERVICES OFFERED INCLUDE

- Out of Province Inspections • Automotive Repair
- Tire Service • Wheel Alignments • Diagnostics
- Hydraulic Hose Repairs • A/C Service and Repair
- 50 Point Inspection with Oil Changes
- Minor Welding Repairs • Part Sales
- Fleet Maintenance Programs

**\$80 Air
Conditioning
Special
+Freon**



780.789.4159

nighthawkautomotive@gmail.com

LOCATED 2 miles south of Thorsby & west 1/2 mile to 1248 TWP Rd 490

NAILS

THORSBY

PUPPY LOVIN GROOMING

780-518-3943

maxinehs@persona.ca



Head's Up

family hair care



780-696-6560

5012 49th Ave. Breton . Alberta

Book in with Rebecca, Camie or Sara

TRENCH Co

EXCAVATING




Excavation & Skidsteer Services

- Mini Hoe
- Skidsteer
- Gravel Truck
- Landscaping Materials
- Water, Gas & Electrical Lines
- Shop Pads & Driveways
- and more...

Call Warren @ 780-232-9937

WCB covered & insured

Locally owned & operated



ADOPT A PLANTER PROGRAM

The Thorsby Communities In Bloom Society is gearing up to launch the Adopt A Planter Program for 2023 Season. The planters will all follow a purple theme this year as recommended by the National CIB Program. If you or your business are interested in sponsoring a planter, please let us know.


For your generous sponsorship of \$50, Thorsby Communities In Bloom will plant any planter of your choice see selection below, in the community while varieties last. We will plant them, look after them, including watering and fertilizing for the season. Your name or business name will also be displayed on the planter with a 4" x 7" sign/sticker to let the community know who the sponsor is. The sponsor will be issued a donation receipt for their records from the Thorsby Communities In Bloom Society. Planters available for sponsorship are:

- City Square Planter (20)
- Avenue Planter (6)
- Villa Planter (8)
- Cement Tulip Planter (2)
- Barrel Planters (2)
- Pathway Hanging Planter (2)

We only have a limited number of planters, so if you are interested in sponsoring or have questions please call:

CIB Member - Elaine and Rod Blair at - 780 - 789 - 0058

CIB Member – Marlene Chapman - 780 - 619 - 8249



REALIGNMENT EQUIPMENT AUCTION SALE

Richard & Lori Dool

1251 TWP Rd 490, Thorsby, Alberta

Saturday, May 6, 2023

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Being from the junction of Secondary 778 & Glen Park Road
go 1/2 mile west on Glen Park Road

Watch for signs

GST will be charged where applicable

Lunch Available



Trucks

- 1984 Ford F250, 6.9 diesel, auto, extended cab, long box, 316,186 km (completely rebuilt), S/N 1FTHX2513EKB15070, nice & clean
- 1975 Ford F600, V-8, 5x2 sp trans, 14' box c/w roll tarp, 9:00x20 rubber, 27,450 miles, S/N FC00CB03538, one owner truck
- 1980 Ford Louisville 800, 429 V-8, 5x2 trans, 20' flat deck, 10:00x20 tires, approx. 10,000 km on new motor, one owner, runs great, S/N N80KVHB0498

Trailers & Camper

1984 C95 Bigfoot 10' Truck Camper, sleeps 4 c/w bathroom, stove, fridge, sink, hyd. jacks, S/N 457259, nice & clean; 1987 Terry 5th Wheel Holiday Trailer 23.5' c/w fridge, stove, bathroom, sleeps 6; Fleetwood 6x10' Tent Trailer c/w sink, sleeps 6

Tillage Equipment

- JD 40' 9350 Hoe Press Drills c/w hyd. factory transport, fert attachment, field ready
- Ford 21' DT Cultivator c/w hyd. wings & mounted harrows
- Ford 230 16' Tandem Disc c/w notched front blades & mounted harrows
- Ford 140 5x16" Plow c/w hyd. lift & coulters
- Ford 140 5x16" 3-point hitch Plow c/w trip beam & coulters
- Ford 12' DT Cultivator c/w hyd lift
- Degalman 5' Hyd. Rock Picker, S/N 14465
- UFA Hyd. Rock Picker
- Calhoun 1T Fertilizer Spreader
- 2- 3', 1-5' Crowfoot Packers
- 5 Diamond Harrows c/w drawbar

Swather

- Case IHC 4000 15' Hydro SP Swather c/w CAH, pick-up reel & rubberized canvas, nice & clean

Feeding Equipment

Enross 12-wheel Hay Rake; Jiffy 180 Silage Feed Wagon; NH Bar Hay Rake; Farm Wagon c/w gal. gravity box; Farm Wagon c/w 8'x16' deck; Ford 503 3-point hitch, PTO, Bar Rake; 15 Bale Stooker & F.E.L. Bale Fork; Rake Wheel

Antiques

Harrow Cart; Potato Cultivator, 2 rows; Farm Wagon c/w 5'x12' grain box; Oliver 70 Tractor c/w pulley; Buzz Saw Mandrell c/w belt; School Desk; Wash Tub; White Porcelain Cook Stove; 3 Set Hanging Lights; JD 34 Manuare Spreader, nice

Miscellaneous

Ford 3-point hitch Post Pounder; JD 45-6' 3-point hitch Blade; 6"x24' Grain Auger; 2-300-gal. & 1 Oval Fuel Tank c/w stands; 500-gal. Sprayer Tank c/w hyd. pump; 4-36"x16' Culverts c/w couplers; Assort 14' Galvanized Construction Material; Assort. Truck Tires; 8' X-ray Dark Room; Camper Body; Landscaping Boulders; Tools; Bat. Medical Scooters; Welding Supplies; Jerry Cans; Creepers; Shop Fan; Sand Blaster; Engine Stand; Electric Motors; Storage Racks; Skidsteer Pallet Fork; 2 Feed Augers; ATV Sprayer; Box & Arrow Set; Allied Loader, QA bucket mounts; Household Items; many more items too numerous to mention

Auctioneer's Note

Many good items on this Sale. Plan on attending. For more information call Richard Dool at 780-499-2469 or Miller's Auction Service at 780-722-2705 or 780-789-2226.

www.millersauctionservice.com



License No. 200809
Box 71, Sunnybrook, AB

ALVIN MILLER (780) 789-2226 or Cell. 920-6738

TREVOR MILLER (780) 722-2705

BARRY KASHA (780) 374-2472

Camrose, Daysland, Killam, Tofield, Holden



Kingman, Rosalind, Viking

Clerk: Tera Lange

"For Reasonable Rates and Excellent, Friendly Service, Give Us A Call"

This list is subject to additions or deletions.
TERMS: Cash, certified check, bank draft, or bank letter of credit, E-Transfer, Mastercard and Visa (3% usage fee on M/C & Visa). No purchases to be removed until settlement has been made. NSF cheques will result in criminal charges and prosecution. All sale are final, and all items purchased become the responsibility of the buyer once they are declared sold, and owner(s) and auctioneer(s) are absolved of further responsibility. The above listing is a guide only, and while every effort has been made to ensure accuracy of description, it is not offered as an implied or actual warranty or guarantee as to condition or age. All items sold as is, where is. If it should happen that two bidders have identical bids on an item declared "sold", the bidding will be reopened between those bidders only. The owner(s) and auctioneer(s) shall not be held responsible for any loss or accident on or off the auction site on sale day.

Owners: Richard & Lori Dool

Phone 780-499-2469

Taylor Printing, Wetaskiwin



Thinking of selling?

We have families hoping to buy in this area.

Barrie Cochrane -(780)910-2237
Leslie Cochrane -(403)866-7275
pigeonlakeproperties.ca
loft3design.com



Zamek Construction

Pigeon lake and Area

780-913-0728

edjpas@gmail.com

CHAINLINK FENCING, WOOD, DECKS, PATIOS,
PREFAB METAL STRUCTURES ASSEMBLED



Installs & Repair
Renovations
Private & Commercial





Message from
Gerald Soroka, MP



OTTAWA: Gerald Soroka, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead, gave the following statement in the House.

“Madame Speaker, the first vacation the Prime Minister went on was to a billionaire’s private island, who he claimed was “a close personal friend” – wasn’t this also his first ethics violation?

In 2021 the first-ever National Day for Truth and Reconciliation, he and his family jetted off to Tofino for a surfing vacation.

This year, before going on vacation at a luxurious Jamaican resort, he received approval from the Ethics commissioner.

Well, that luxurious Jamaican estate belonged to the wealthy Green family – who have made big donations to the Trudeau Foundation.

The Prime Minister stated Peter Green is “a close personal friend.” Wait, wasn’t the billionaire also a close personal friend?

Oh well, it’s different this time -- after all they are both rich donors to the Trudeau foundation.

Madame Speaker, I am sure all Canadians agree they can’t wait until this Prime Minister takes a permanent vacation from politics.”

His statement can also be found at:
www.facebook.com/watch/?v=3387456974850854

CORRAL CLEANING

OSCAR'S Loader Service Ltd.



953C Cat, 4 McKee Spreaders and Case 440 Skidsteer

780-848-2472



We are pleased to announce our latest “in-house” service with no minimum orders.

NOW OFFERING

DIRECT TO GARMENT PRINTING

CUSTOM PRINTED APPAREL



If you can think it...

We can do it!!



Apparel must be purchased from CE Media - No Outside Apparel accepted

CE Media Signs & Promotional
4928 Hankin Street
Thorsby, AB
www.cemedia.ca
780-434-7446

Laurie's Laughs



I accidentally wore a red shirt to Target today and, long story short, I'm covering for Debbie this weekend.



So a burglar broke into the house...I put the red dot on his chest and the cat did the rest...



Had a bad mixup at the store today..when the cashier said strip down facing me, apparently she was referring to my credit card.

				8			5
9				5	2		
						6	3
	8			2			
2			1			4	
4		6		7		9	
	3	2					
8						6	3
6	1	4		9			8

Answers will be published in the next issue!

CONNECT39

Thorsby, Warburg & Area NEWS

- Published every Friday -

Pick up locations in Thorsby, Leduc, Calmar, Sunnybrook, Pigeon Lake, Warburg & Alsike

PRICING

1/8 PAGE

3.4167" wide x 2.28" tall

\$30 + GST

**multi-ads - \$27.00 + GST

1/4 PAGE

3.4167" wide x 4.6" tall

\$43.50 + GST

**multi-ads - \$40.50 + GST

1/2 PAGE

7" wide x 4.6" tall OR

3.4167" wide x 9.25" tall

\$60 + GST

**multi-ads - \$57.00 + GST

FULL PAGE

7" wide x 9.25" tall

\$90.00 + GST

**multi-ads - \$85.50 + GST

** Qualify for multi-advertising price by running your ad for three weeks or more in one or both papers consecutively.

Classified Ads are \$7.50 (including GST) for 2 weeks (up to 30 words)

(deadline Wednesday at 10am before publication)

Classified/Payment Drop off available at Breton Library, Warburg Village Office & CE Media Signs & Promotional Thorsby.

THE BRETON BOOSTER

- Published every Wednesday -

Pick up locations in Breton, Warburg, Drayton Valley, Winfield and Alsike.

PRICING

1/8 PAGE

3.4167" wide x 2.28" tall

\$20 + GST

**multi-ads - \$18.00 + GST

1/4 PAGE

3.4167" wide x 4.6" tall

\$29 + GST

**multi-ads - \$27.00 + GST

1/2 PAGE

7" wide x 4.6" tall OR

3.4167" wide x 9.25" tall

\$40 + GST

**multi-ads - \$38.00 + GST

FULL PAGE

7" wide x 9.25" tall

\$60.00 + GST

**multi-ads - \$57.00 + GST

** Qualify for multi-advertising price by running your ad for three weeks or more in one or both papers consecutively.

Classified Ads are \$5.00 (including GST) for 2 weeks (up to 30 words)

(deadline Monday at 10am before publication)

Classified/Payment Drop off available at Breton Library, Warburg Village Office & CE Media Signs & Promotional Thorsby.

For more information on our local communities, how to advertise, submit an article and for previous editions of our papers go to www.community39.com or contact us!

DID YOU KNOW?

Our papers can be viewed online & in color at www.community39.com

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



Community Events,
Non-Profit Contact Listings
& Articles are **FREE**

"little papers...BIG RESULTS"

DYCK INSURANCE AGENCY LTD.



Farm specialists – Home Insurance – Auto Insurance – Commercial Insurance – Liability Insurance

“Service is our business”

Supporting the Thorsby area since 1997

More options

More choice

More savings

Support your local Brokerage

Calmar, Thorsby, Wetaskiwin