

CONNECT 39

Thorsby, Warburg & Area NEWS

previously the Thorsby Target & Warburg Bugle

LEMONADE STAND FOR THE STOLLERY

from Lemonade Captain, Morgan Johnston

We are back for our 4th year to support the Stollery Children's Hospital! This year funds are going towards renovating the family room at the Royal Alex. This cause is near and dear to our hearts, as our family has spent many hours there.

The boys are very excited to see everyone this year on **Friday August 25th @ the Thorsby Esso from 11am-2pm.**

Come and meet our Junior Lemon Squeezers
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If you are unable to attend, here is a link for online donations

www.lemonadeveg.ca/stands/wild-things/

NOW I'VE SEEN IT ALL! A Donair costume sells for \$16,025 at an Alberta Government auction...



Did you buy a 50/50 ticket at Sunnybrook Hall's 100th Anniversary?

If this is your ticket, please contact Mandy Miller 780-850-3629.



More on the Sunnybrook Celebration INSIDE THIS ISSUE!!

Classifieds

GARAGE SALES

YARD SALE on Friday, August 18 - Saturday, August 19. Assorted Jacks, Grainery 1000 bu, Hopper, Swather parts, Tools, Table saw, Hacksaw, Bikes, Shovels, Forks etc. 50450 RR21

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2023 summer events



Join Leduc County on Aug. 19 for an outdoor movie! Outdoor games and other activities will also be available for you to enjoy.

Outdoor Movie

- ▶ **Movie details:** Dick Tracy (1hr 45 min)
- ▶ **Date:** Aug. 19
- ▶ **Time:** 7 to 11 p.m.
- ▶ **Location:** Leduc West Antique Society 49541 Range Road 260 Leduc, AB T0C 0V0



PLEASE NOTE: this event is subject to change and may be canceled based on weather conditions, check our Leduc County Recreation Programs and Events Facebook page for event updates.

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Sudoku Answers
from August 4 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.



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COMMUNITY EVENTS & info

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

(Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

- **BRETON Vacation Bible School - August 21-26**, K to Grade 6, Faith Covenant Church. Call 780-696-3669 to register
- **BRETON Pop-up Produce Party** hosted by the Breton Ag Society on **Thursday, August 24** at the Veggie Patch 4919 - 49 Avenue from 4-7pm. Live Music and more...
- **BRETON 2023 Golden Spur Gymkhana Buckle Series** on **August 17** (Finals). Gates @ 6pm, Starts @ 7pm. Email: goldenspurgymkhana@gmail.com
- **THORSBY Lone Wolf Presents Car & Truck Show n' Shine** on **Saturday, August 26** from 10am-5pm. Mega Trucks, car crushing, tug of war, family activities and more...
- **THORSBY Lions Club** hosting a **Pancake Breakfast** on **Saturday, August 26** at the Senior's Centre 9am - 12pm. For more info call Mercedes 587-338-7065
- **SANDHOLM Pancake breakfast** at Sandholm Hall (corner 616x and hwy 778) on **Sunday, August 27** from 8am to 11am. For information call 780-389-2381
- **DEVON FRN Paint Night - August 28**, all ages, Free transportation, Bus leaves Warburg at 4:50 and stops in Thorsby & Calmar. Registration is required! Contact Shauna FCSS @780-848-2828 or fcss@warburg.ca
- **BRETON Randy Crowe Memorial Cash Scramble** on **September 9** at the Golf Course. Silent Auction, Live Music. Contact Daren at 780-514-9228
- **THORSBY Teen Challenge** at the New Life Christian Fellowship Church on **September 10** at 10:30am. Potluck to follow. www.tcalberta.ca
- **WARBURG School Meet the Teacher & Community Awareness** on **September 12** from 4-7pm. 780-848-2822 or ws@blackgold.ca
- **THORSBY - Community Awareness Night** at the Arctic Spas Rec Complex field house from 6-8pm on **September 13**. Contact Mikayla at 780-789-4004 or mleibel@thorsby.ca
- **WARBURG Legion - Social Evening** on **September 15** at 5pm & **Meeting** on **September 13** at 7pm. Contact Kris 780-717-2580 or Deb 780-686-2623.
- **THORSBY St. John The Baptist Ukrainian Catholic Church - Divine Liturgy & Grave Blessing** on **Saturday, Sept 16**

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- **BRETON - Guys Night Out - Wings & Root Beer** on **September 21**. Evening with former CFL Players, men ages 13 and up. Hosted by Breton FCSS.
- **WARBURG Gun Show** at the Community Hall on **Saturday, September 23** from 10am-4pm. Contact Darryl 780-983-4669 or Charlie 780-898-4147
- **GENESEE Pumpkin Festival** on **September 30**. For more information contact Joanne 780-940-7229
- **THORSBY Oktoberfest** at the Community Hall on **October 7**. thorsbyhistoricalsociety@gmail.com
- **THORSBY Wellness Fair "Home Run to Health"** on **October 14** from 9:30am - 3pm. FREE Event. Registration Opens September 1!
- **WARBURG School Awards Ceremony & Wall of Fame Induction Ceremony** on **October 17** at 12:30pm. 780-848-2822 or ws@blackgold.ca

MARKETS/THRIFT SHOPS (NONPROFIT)

- **BRAZEAU COUNTY Community Market Tour - August Thursdays from 3-7pm, August 24** Buck Creek Hall, **August 31** Easyford Hall. Call Kim 780-542-7777
- **CALMAR Days Mega Market - Saturday, August 19** from 8am - 4pm downtown along Highway 39. For more information call Sandra or Ian at the Town office 780-985-3604
- **THORSBY CL Country Market** from 10am - 3pm **Sept 16, Nov 18** at Thorsby Rec Complex. cloapco@hotmail.com
- **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 FB
- **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. Call 780-996-5131. We will also be Open Saturdays for the summer!
- **WARBURG Treasure's Thrift Shop** is OPEN **Wednesdays** from 10am - 4pm. 5112 - 53 Street, Warburg
- **Winfield Public Market** 10am-2pm, **October 14th** Harvest, **November 18th** Christmas Market, **December 2nd** Christmas. Call or text Carla 780-621-1285 or follow us on FB.



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- Making sure that all entrances are kept clean and safe from all debris and snow.
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- A team member, supporting and contributing throughout the facility and the business.

Qualifications

- Arena Operator Level 1 or willingness to obtain.
- Ability to operate Olympia ice resurfacing machine.
- Ability to use various equipment and tools common to the role and the facility.
- Mechanical aptitude & all-around knowledge of mechanical equipment.
- Possess a positive work ethic and the ability to work with / communicate with Customers.
- Strong interpersonal skills, sound problem-solving abilities and self-motivation.
- Consistent and reliable.
- Minimum 18 years of age.

Compensation

- \$28.57 per hour
- 20-30 hours a week (Thursday to Sunday)
- Seasonal – September to April

Please send resumes to:
Kelley Probe, Recreation Manager
kprobe@thorsby.ca
Or drop off at Arctic Spas Recreation Complex
4901-48 Avenue, Thorsby, AB

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

- **BRETON Baby & Me** for mom's with baby's under 18 mths - 1st & 3rd **Thursdays** from 10-11:30am at the Breton Community Centre. 780-696-3636 or fcss@breton.ca
- **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 yrs old on **Tuesdays** from 10am -11:30am at the Breton Faith Covenant Church, by Brighter Futures - 780-514-5070
- **BRETON - Crafting Time for Older Adults - Wednesdays** from 1-3pm at the Breton Library.
- **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** at 6:30pm (every **Monday**) & **Ladies Night** at 6:30pm (every **Tuesday**)
- **BRETON Golf Course - Junior Golf Program** for ages 7 & over on **Wednesdays** (weather permitting) from **4-5:30pm** until end of August. 780-696-3531 or email golf@breton.ca
- **BRETON Kids Klub** - After School Program **Wednesdays** from 3:15-4:45pm for ages 6-12. No fees. Limited spaces. Pre-registration required. Register at the Library or FCSS.
- **BRETON Low Impact Exercise Class - Wednesday mornings** from 10 - 11am at the Breton Community Centre. \$2 per class. Contact 780-696-3636 or fcss@breton.ca
- **BRETON Youth Centre** - Youth Ages 12-17. **Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays** - times depend on volunteers. 780-202-0635 or bretonyouth-center@gmail.com
- **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 - Community Socials** on the **Last Friday** of the month at 7pm, Royal Canadian Legion Mulhurst #246 .
- **SANDHOLM Square Dance Club** - Youth, couples & singles **Thursdays**, 7-9:30pm at the Sandholm Hall (10 miles S of Thorsby). Call 780-238-5844 or 780-389-2381.
- **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 at the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. \$5 drop in fee
- **THORSBY Seniors Centre - Afternoon Crib** every **Monday** at 1:30pm. / **Soup & Sandwiches** starting at 11:30am on the **2nd Wednesday** of each month / Everyone welcome!

- **WARBURG - Beach Volleyball** - Every Wednesday from 6-8pm at the Community Park.
- **WARBURG - Busy Brushes** meet on **Wednesdays** at 10 am at the Warburg Cultural Centre. Call Linda at 587-590-0378.
- **WARBURG - Games in the Park** - Every Thursday at the Community Park (weather permitting)
- **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 \$10 / **Quilting Tuesdays & Thursdays** at 9:30am
- **WARBURG - Sew Heavenly Quilters** meet **Thursdays** at 10am, Warburg Cultural Centre. Call Peggy 780-789-2545
- **WARBURG - Songs For Toddlers** at the Warburg Library on **Wednesdays** at 1pm at the library.
- **WARBURG Saturday** at the Library is **Craft Fun Day** with a table full of supplies to create a craft for a special day
- **WARBURG Volleyball** drop in at Warburg School on **Tuesdays from 6-8pm**

COMMUNITY INFORMATION

We will no longer have the Complete Community Listing for the Month of August or moving forward, we apologize for the change..

We are currently working on a bi-annual Fall & Winter (September to February) and Spring & Summer (March to August) booklet with information on our communities all in one place called "Community Connections". This booklet is in partnership with the Village of Breton, Town of Thorsby, Village of Warburg, Brazeau County and Leduc County.

Our goal is to have the first edition delivered at the end of August but as the project evolves it may take a bit longer than first anticipated and may be closer to the end of September. This booklet of community information will be available at each municipal office, library and select businesses to pick up anytime. They will also be available on our website and each of the municipalities' web sites if they choose. The next one will be delivered at the end of February with updates and Spring/Summer information.

If your local non-profit organization, church, community or municipal service wants to be included, please call or text 780-499-9006 or email media@community39.com

Please note: Due to the large volume of research and information, for the first issue we are only including organizations in Breton, Warburg, Thorsby, Leduc County West of Range Road 275 & Brazeau County East of Highway 759 or 761.



Golf Course - Leasehold Opportunity

The Village of Breton is seeking a new leaseholder for the Breton CentraPlex Golf Course. The Lessee would be responsible for all operations of a golf course including the proshop and maintenance of the course. There is some equipment necessary for the maintenance of the golf course on site. Any additional equipment required would be the responsibility of the Lessee. This is a nine hole, 3155 yard, par 37 golf course in a mature treed setting located adjacent to the Breton RV Park (accessible by golf cart). The dance studio, restaurant, ice cream shop, RV park and ice rink located in the CentraPlex are under separate contract.

The Village of Breton is located one hour southwest of Edmonton on highway 20. With a well established membership this course offers an excellent opportunity for someone that loves the sport of golf.

Takeover date would be early 2024. Lease amount would be a percentage of the gross sales.

Sealed proposals with detailed business plans, including the percentage of gross profit you are willing to offer, will be accepted at the Village of Breton office until noon on October 11, 2023.

For more information please inquire by email to cao@breton.ca. Telephone inquiries will not be accepted at this time.

Community funding available

for recreation, athletic and cultural groups

Leduc County is committed to providing funding to the region through various arts, cultural and recreation grants. Grants available for 2024 include the following:

Recreation and sport grants

Leduc County distributes grant funding to local recreation and athletic groups. Groups who received grant funding in 2023 included community halls, minor sports teams and those hosting community special events. These grants are available for groups that serve the New Sarepta, Calmar, Thorsby and Warburg region. Groups are encouraged to contact Leduc County in advance of submitting their applications to determine eligibility.

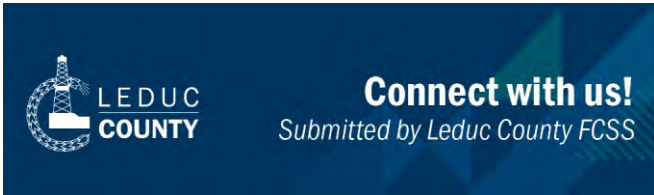
Arts and cultural grants

Arts and cultural grants support regional arts and culture programs and events. Eligible activities include visual arts, media arts, performing arts, literacy arts, multicultural and heritage arts and educational arts.

Application deadline: Saturday, Sept. 30

For more information or to submit an application, visit our website at leduc-county.com/grants or contact Andrea Oneski at **780-770-9264** or recgrants@leduc-county.com.





Sign up to receive our monthly update directly to your email inbox. Send an email to fcssinfo@leduc-county.com and ask to subscribe to our email distribution list.

International Overdose Awareness Day (IOAD) – Thursday, Aug. 31

Overdose touches people and communities in many ways. The theme for 2023 International Overdose Awareness Day is “Recognizing those people who go unseen.” We honour those whose lives have been altered by overdose: family and friends grieving the loss of a loved one, workers in healthcare and support services offering strength and compassion, and first responders who save lives. #weseeyou. This year on Aug. 31, let’s acknowledge and support the people in our communities who go unrecognized by raising awareness of the hidden impacts of overdose.

Upcoming sessions

Confronting the Uncomfortable: A Series on Anti-Oppression and Anti-Racism with the John Humphrey Centre for Peace and Human Rights

Session one: Fundamentals in Anti-Oppression (Thursday, Sept. 7, 2023) Join us for an important conversation about the history of oppression in Canada and how it is connected to biases, prejudices and discrimination.

Session two: Anti-Racism: Learning to Confront the Uncomfortable (Thursday, Sept. 21, 2023) This session will help us better understand racism by examining its foundation and challenging common misunderstandings.

Time: noon to 1 p.m.

Location: online via Zoom

Register: online at www.leduc-county.com/confronting-the-uncomfortable or contact Kristin at 780-955-6421 or kristin@leduc-county.com.

Defining Your Retirement Years and Planning Ahead featuring guest speaker Bob Layton

Join us for a free day of information, lunch and entertainment. Listen to Bob Layton’s story of his life in broadcasting: “Welcome to Radio!” Perhaps you may even become inspired to write your own life story!

Re-think and Re-define Your Retirement Years! In this engaging session, you will be encouraged to plan, dream and create new goals, as you develop strategies for living a fulfilling and purpose-filled life up to and throughout your retirement.

Create Your Own Personal Planning Guide: How to Pre-plan for a Funeral

How to create a plan for how you wish to commemorate a life fully lived and ease the burden on family and friends while they grieve a loss as well as cherish fond memories.

Date: Friday, Sept. 15

Time: 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Location: Glen Park Hall

Register: contact Carla at 780-955-4554 or carla@leduc-county.com or register online at www.leduc-county.com/defining-retirement-years

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BREAKING NEWS!!

DEMOLITION ON HANKIN STREET NOTICE

Notice to all Residents and Visitors:

Demolition will start the week of August 21st on the downtown Hankin Street building at address 4909 Hankin Street. Please adhere to temporary reduced traffic allowance:

1. The northbound side of Hankin will be closed to vehicular traffic between 49th Avenue and 50th Avenue. Pedestrian traffic will be accepted to the Liquor Store and the Thorsby Pet Necessities Store, and at the Thorsby Hotel Bar & Restaurant.
2. The alley will be closed off so all traffic from the residential block must park on the street in front of their homes. Commercial traffic such as G&N Construction will have alley access.

Watch for construction signs and obey all traffic signs. This is a serious demolition and trespassing will not be tolerated due to the danger of it. The street closures are 24 hours until further notice.

Many thanks for everyone's cooperation as we remedy this dangerous building.

If you have any questions please contact Donna Tona, CAO at dtona@thorsby.ca.



LAWN MOWING REMINDER

Attention all residential lots and commercial lots, vacant or otherwise:

All residential vacant lots and commercial vacant lots and properties will receive an order to remedy, if applicable, in the mail directing them to have their properties mowed by the **20th of each month** (MGA S. 546). The order to remedy will be under MGA S. 546 and will be explicit regarding unsightly conditions (b) (ii). Should compliance not be met, the Town of Thorsby will under MGA S. 546(2) (b) take action or measure to mow the property at the expense of the owner. The only exceptions will be severe drought and/or excessive rain.

The Town is quite confident that we have pride in our town and that every measure will be taken to keep properties, especially vacant properties, neat and tidy, and we look forward to seeing a beautiful looking town this summer.



THORSBY OFFICE HOURS

Mon: 8:30am - 4:30pm
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!*

UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS

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

Tuesday, August 22nd | Regular | 7pm - 8:00pm

Tuesday, September 12th | COW | 7pm - 8:00pm

The public is welcomed to all Council Meetings



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BUCK LAKE
Lot across road from Buck Lake, chain link fence on 3 sides, backs onto water south of main Buck Lake, serviced but no sewer
\$79,900



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 - 3 bedroom, 2 bath custom built home, 26x56 garage with bonus room, paving stone firepit area... and more
\$550,000



BUCK LAKE
Willowhaven - 0.59 acre lakefront lot (environmental reserve), 2004 mfg home, heated garage, seacan, storage shed, 90' dock
\$385,000



BRETON
2 bed home on corner lot. Main floor laundry, deck & large yard. New high efficiency furnace and hot water tank the last three years.
\$69,500



BUCK LAKE
Buck Lake Getaway - 100x100 lot, older 3 bedroom mobile home, 1 bedroom cabin, 24x24 older garage. Artesian well. Power
\$91,300



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



BRETON
5+ acres waiting subdivision finalization. Previous yardsite lawn, planted trees, 48x80 shop. Well, nat gas, power, paved drive.
\$169,000



BUCK LAKE
GREYSTONES Lakeview 1.13 acre, services - power, well, nat gas riser. 40 ft Jayco RV with 3 slides. Shed.
\$169,000



BUCK LAKE
Hiland View: .61 acre lot in Hiland View. Garage, view of Buck Lake, 2 RV pads, 30 amp, deck, gazebo. Well, septic holding tank, 2 sheds.
\$198,000

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

TREED GETAWAY
155.64 Acres backing onto crown land Gravel area partially chain link fenced Power with RV plugin. Trails thru trees, deep ravine, wildlife. Located along Hwy 13 next door to the Longshot Distillery & Restaurant. Winfield \$475,000



BATTLE LAKE
WATERFRONT on Battle Lake - 64.88 acre, 800+ feet of shoreline. Wooded, trails thru the trees, cozy 2 bed 2 bath 2011 mfg home with Artic pkg, heated garage, RV sewer & plugin, surface lease revenue.
675,000



WINFIELD
158 acres, creek, mature forest, cabin, peace & tranquility! East Poplar Creek flows thru this land. on no exit road. UPDATE: addition has been sided & covered veranda added along that portion.
\$949,000

OUR TEAM OF REALTORS

Trent Wirsig 780-202-0140
Terence Barg 780-621-6767
Justin Hatt 780-621-3695
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Scholarship opportunity

George L. Saubak Memorial Fund



Are you a post-secondary student with a major in a medical field? If so, you could be eligible for the George L. Saubak Memorial Fund scholarship!

Eligibility

- Applicants must have graduated from a high school in the western portion of the County, including Calmar High School, Thorsby High School or Warburg High School.
- Students must be enrolled in a post-secondary program with a declared major in the field of medicine, including but not limited to nursing, dentistry, pharmacy or veterinary medicine.

The applicant must submit a personal letter to Leduc County and include personal details, a grade 12 transcript, proof of registration in a post-secondary program, and any other information the applicant believes is relevant.

Learn more and apply online at leduc-county.com/scholarships. For more information, contact Miranda Anderson at 780-955-4560.

Applications due by Aug. 31, 2023



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LYNN ARTHUR WATSON

May 26, 1952 - August 1, 2023

It is with great sorrow and loving memories that we share the passing of Lynn Watson on August 1, 2023.

Lynn was born on May 26, 1952 in Edmonton, Alberta, son of Arthur and Mabel Watson (Mierau) predeceased.

Lynn is survived by his wife Audrey and children Kyle, Cory & Kerri. Siblings Gay, Judi (predeceased), Janet, Keith, Jeff & 5 Grandchildren.

Lynn's favorite pastime was watching his grandchildren participate in their various sporting activities, he looked forward to completing his daily crossword puzzle and was always up for a game of crib.

As per Lynn's request there will be a small family gathering to celebrate his life.

In lieu of flowers or gifts please donate to the Thorsby recreation Center to help support youth activities.

To donate e-transfer to recreation@thorsby.ca

answer: recreation



Condolences: www.serenity.ca

Serenity Funeral Service, Leduc (780) 980-3688

SUNNYBROOK 100th ANNIVERSARY

The Sunnybrook Athletic Association would like to thank the following for their contributions to Sunnybrook Hall's 100th Anniversary.

- Community in Bloom - for hosting the afternoon BBQ
- Gary Free Sunnybrook One Stop Auto for hosting and donating the Show & Shine prize
- Leduc County & Capital Power for their monetary donations
- All other donations (too many to mention)
- The Volunteers, Board members and Guests for making this a great event
- Gerald Soroka, MP
- Tanni Doblanko, Mayor Leduc County
- Dwayne Mayr, Mayor of Warburg
- Darryl Hostyn, Mayor of Thorsby
- Glenn Belozor (MC, Leduc County Div 6 Councillor & Board Representative)

Check your tickets for the 50/50! Winning number is on the front page!



SUNNYBROOK 100th ANNIVERSARY continued



Warburg Mayor Dwayne Mayr with Warburg's Antique Fire Truck.



Local resident Jan Scott made this sign for the building celebrating the 100th anniversary.



Thorsby Mayor Darryl Hostyn (left) presenting a plaque to Dave Vandecappelle (President) and Ethan Cameron (Vice President)



MP Gerald Soroka (front left) presenting a plaque to Board members Ethan Cameron (Vice President) Dave Vandecappelle (President), Mandy Miller (bookings/social media), Nadine Lange (Treasurer)



Ol' Smokie (Dave Vandecappelle) catered the delicious dinner.



Sunnybrook Stables



Elsie Tomaszewski and her daughter Rita Johnson, Gary Free and Bruce Miner.

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Council Highlights

The Council and Administration of Thorsby are pleased to provide Council Highlights.

1. 2 public hearings for Bylaws 2023-07 and 2023-08 were held in a special meeting before the Committee of the Whole meeting on August 08, 2023 to pass second and third reading on land use amendment applications. The Bylaws were passed and the petitioners the Bylaws affected were notified in the positive
2. The Committee of the Whole Meeting had the following highlights.
 - a. Councillor Rasch requested information on what were the appropriate procedures when hearing of an imminent tornado. Council had a robust discussion and information is on the Town's web site under Emergency Management. If anyone has any questions, please call CAO Donna at the Town office, or stop in for a chat.
 - b. Mayor Hostyn and Council attended their regular Council meetings and supported community events.
 - c. The CAO is working on a new grant to cover soft costs for the placement and purchase of a bulk water station. This grant in principle will cover site selection, engineering costs associated with site planning, marketing, legal, traffic impact study, project management, insurance, Water for Life team support, transportation permitting costs as applicable and water treatment plant filter readiness surveying and river intake wet box clean out. Once the grant is completed it will be presented to Council. This is the first step in the Bulk fill station.
 - d. The Community Peace Officer Contract is currently being reviewed by Calmar Council and Thorsby Council at the end of this month. The new Peace Officer will be here after October training, early 2024.
 - e. The electronic sign is still pending awaiting line location. Blanchette Signs oversee the timing.
 - f. The Hankin Street commercial building contract was awarded to Baumann's Hoe and Bobcat Service Ltd. Tentative start date is August 23, 2023. The original date was slated for August 14th however, the building now has a new structural engineering updated report, and the contractor will be updating their approach.
 - g. Orders have been written for errant lots and will be cleaned up on the 21st of August under order. As well, the Administration will go out on the

21st to view other errant lots and provide orders for those identified lots by September 21.

- h. Administration is working on a MOA to present to the Chamber for their consideration regarding Taylor Park
- i. Water Main break repair on 46th street completed.
- j. We have started cleaning up at the River intake old buildings, the paperwork is completed for the new water meter "endpoints". These are the readers so that we don't have to drive around and read meters. The new meters will be next.
- k. We are removing as many dead trees around town as our budget allows.
- l. Recreation is working on ice schedules with local and non-local associations and compressors in the ice plant have been rebuilt. Additional repairs will occur in August. We anticipate plant start-up September 01 with ice ready by September 18th.
- m. Summer camps at the recreation center are full. Just to provide a snapshot, facility programs have had 232 participants and field trips (3) have had 76 participants. The kids are loving it!
- n. Financial: all government reporting for the 2022 grant cycle is complete
 - i. Our municipal pension requires auditing for 2021 and 2022 and the auditors will be in at the end of September.
 - ii. Outstanding utilities: \$6,051.27 is subject to shut off.
 - iii. Outstanding taxes: \$53,338.24 is up for tax recovery.
 - iv. Bank Balances: \$1,109,360.72 is in operating account, \$1,373,033.73 in savings accounts (reserves)
 - v. Variance reports: These come at every regular meeting each month so that they can be approved by resolution.

As always, it's a pleasure to provide these updates and if you have any questions, please contact CAO Donna or CFO Cindy for more details



Mayor & Council presented a certificate of recognition to the Thorsby 13U A Tier One Champions at the July 25 Council Meeting.

Pre-Harvest Machinery Consignment Auction

ONLINE TIMED AUCTION - Various Locations

Main Location: 3940 - 50th Ave - Rimbey, Alberta

Sale Starts on August 18th, 2023 & Ends on August 22nd, 2023

5 Rings Selling

Listing includes a Complete Dispersal of Cats and construction equipment for Dennis Pregoda of Rimbey, Alberta and a Realignment Sale for Larry FELDING of Wetaskiwin, Alberta. Plus Selling A 2nd Ring of Offsite Miscellaneous Items (Closes August 21st)

This auction is Online Bidding Only, Customers will need to Register and Bid Online at www.allenolsonauction.com

Multiple Photos of All Items Consigned are Available in the Online Auctions Section

Online Bidding Fees Apply - 3% up to a Maximum of \$800.00 per Item

If you have previously registered at our online sales, you do not need to register again.

Viewing is available Monday to Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Please contact our office at (403) 843-2747 to confirm an item is in our Sales Yard in Rimbey, as some items are at other locations.

Listings are Subject to Additions and Deletions.

All items must be consigned by August 14, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. to be included in this sale. Some Rings will fill up faster, please check the website for further information.



Tractors

JD 9630T Twin Track Machine w/ 530 HP, 5 Hyd, 1000 PTO, 3100 Eng Hrs, 6000 Hrs on Frame, 1000 Hrs on Tracks

JD 7130 FWA Tractor w/ FEL & Grapple

JD 6430 Premium FWA Tractor w/ JD 673 FEL & Bucket, IVT Trans

JD 5085 FWA Tractor w/ JD 553 FEL, 3 pth & Only 230 Hrs

JD 4430 FWA Tractor w/ 3pth & 7545 Hrs

JD 3032 FWA Tractor w/ JD FEL, 3 pth & Only 760 Hrs

JD 4440 2wd Tractor w/ JD 158 FEL & 7118 Hrs

JD 4430 2wd Tractor w/ 8703 Hrs

JD 3010 2wd Tractor

JD 2130 2wd Tractor w/ Ezee-On FEL

2 - 1940'S JD D 2WD Tractors - Project Tractor

1947 JD D Restored Tractor

MF 1010 FWA Tractor w/ 3 pth & Only 3323 Hrs

Case IH 7220 FWA Tractor w/ Duals,



GPS Ready & 3 pth

IHC 5288 2wd Tractor

IHC 1086 2wd Tractor w/ Duals

IHC Super W6 2wd Tractor

Case Comfort King 930 2wd Tractor

Kubota B9200 HST 4wd Tractor

Kubota B7100 FWA Tractor

AC 180 2wd Tractor w/ Only 3300 Hrs & 3 pth

Case IH 9250 4wd Tractor

Versatile 835 4wd Tractor w/ 240 Hp & 5922 Hrs



Construction Equipment

'Case 680G Backhoe

JD 400 Backhoe

5 - Agrotk QH12 Mini Trackhoe

Manitou U147 95 HP Telehandler

Cat T40B Propane Forklift

Haulotte Faresin FH 3500 Zoom Boom w/ 2466 Hrs, 7700 lbs Lifting Capacity, 46' Reach

Hamm DV3K Asphalt Compactor

Bomag Vibrating Roller

JD 555A Cat Loader Crawler w/ 6' Tooth Bucket

Fiate Allis F14C Crawler

Finlay 312C Portable Screen for Sand, Gravel, Topsoil, 4'x8' 2 Decks

Jaeger & Ingersoll Rand Industrial Portable Air Compressors

Assort 20', 40' & 48' Seacans



Skid Steer Attachments

4 - New 96" 6 Way Hyd Grader
2 - New TMG 86" Dozer Blade
New TMG 72" Road Grader & Land Scarifier
New Topcat Soil Conditioner
New TMG MSS10 10 Cu Spreader
New Mower King Box Sweeper
New TMG 72" Broom
New TMG Hyd. Hammer Breaker
4 - New Mower King 72" Brush Mower
New TMG Hyd. Post Driver
New Agrotk Post Pounder
2 - New TMG 72" Rd Bale Gripper
2 - New Mower King 72" Ditcher
Lemar 32"-34" Hyd Tree Spade
Bobcat 30" Tree Scoop
2 - New Agrotk Skid Steer Hyd Hammers w/2 Chisels



Tram 24' Chain Harrows
12' 3 pth Harrows
Landpride 3 pth Seeder
Melroe 903 7 Bottom Plow

Haying & Silage

JD 569 Premium Rd Baler w/ Net Wrap
NH BR780 Rd Baler
Case IH 8446 Rd Baler
IHC 2400 Rd Baler
Vermeer 605 K Rd Baler

Hesston R5540 Rd Baler
Hesston 5585 Rd Baler
2 - Hesston 5580 Rd Balers
Kvernland Bale Wrapper
Case IH 8350 12' Disc

Mower
Morris Hay Hiker 880 Bale Wagon
NH 144 Hay Inverter
Claas 860 Sp Silage Cutter
JD 640A Forage Pickup Header
Macdon 7' Swath Hay Divider

Harvest Equipment

LJD CTS Sp Combine w/ 3225 Engine Hrs
JD 8820 Titan II Sp Combine w/ 3907 Hrs
MF 8450 Sp Combine
MF 760 Sp Combine w/ Only 1691 Hrs
Case IH 1688 Sp Combine /w 3111 Engine Hrs
NH TR95 Sp Combine w/ 2262 Hrs
2 - JD 7721 Titan II PT Combines
2014 Challenger WR9740 30' Sp Swather w/ Only 618 Cutting Hrs
2013 Challenger WR9740 30' Sp Swather w/ Only 801 Cutting Hrs
Ve3rs 4700 Sp Swather
MF 885 Sp Swather
JD 800 15' & 18' Sp Swathers
MacDon Premier 1900 21' PT Swather
2 - Case IH 730 30' PT Swather

Case IH 725 PT Swather
NH 94C 30' Drawer Header w/ Transport
NH 72C 30' Straight Cut Auger Header
Honeybee 30' Straight Cut Header
JD 925 25' Strigh Cut Header on Transport
JD 922 Rigid Straight Cut Header
JD 630F 30' P/U Header
Claas PU 300 HD P/U Header
Victory Super 12' Combine P/U
Farmking 13"x70' Swing Auger
Buhler 13"x70' Televator Grain Auger
Farmking 10"x70' Swing Auger - Rarely Used & Like New
3 - Westfield MK100 10"x61' Swing Auger
2 - Brandt 10"x60' Hyd Swing Augers
Westfield 10"x50' Swing Auger
Westfield 8"x56' Auger
Sakundiak 8"x45' Grain Auger
Wheatheart 8" Hyd Transfer Auger
Brandt. Hyd. Swing Auger Mover
Meridian 5782 10x20x120 Belt Conveyor
Brand 15"x45' Grain Belt
J&M 875 Bu Grain Cart
Wheatland 18 Ton 2 Comp. Hopper Bottom Grain Bin
Aprox 1000 bu Hopper Bottom Bin w/Skid
2 - Westeel Rosco 1650 FB Grain Bin
Westeel Rosco 7 Ring FB Grain Bin



6 - New Agro Auger Heads & Bits
New TopCat Tree Shear & Stump Grinders
New & Used Skid Steer Buckets Plus Grapple, Root, Rake, Skeleton & Log Grapples
New Agrotk 48" & 72" Pallet Fork Extensions
JD Worksite Pro 48" Pallet Forks for a Skid Steer

Seeding & Tillage

2003 Teragator 8144 Floater w/ 3424 Hrs
w/ Wilmar Spreader
JD 230 22' Field Disc
JD 215 16' T/A Offset Disc
MF 34 11' Disc
Victory 30' Cult
Case IH 4500 19' Vibrashank Cult
McCormick 16' DT Cult
MF 14' Cult
12' DT Cult



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Other Equipment

Degelman Model RP7700 Rock Picker
New TMG 50" & 70" Offset Ditch Flail
Mowers
New TMG 32" Excavator Brush Flail
Mower
2 - Landpride 72" 3 pth Finishing Mowers
Woods M5-4 3 pth Rotary Mower
New TMG 27" & 30" Sawmills
New TMG 4" Wood Chipper
Assort New & Used Log Splitters
Ezee-On, Allied & Boss FEL w/ Grapple
Leon 747 FEL
JD 771 FEL
New TMG 70" & 83" Rotary Tillers
Devon 6' Rototiller
Buhler 60" 3 pth Rototiller
NH 105A 5' 3 pth Rototiller
Agri Bemig AL50 50" 3 pth Rototiller
New TMG 7 Ton Q/C Hyd Breaker
Unused 3 pth 6" Post Hole Auger
McKee Bros Ltd PT Post Pounder
2 - 12' 6" Blades
2 - 7' 3 pth Blade
Shopbuilt 10' Root
Rake
New TMG FS10 10
Ton Floor Scale
Frontier Equipment
3 pth Snowblower
New TMG 5 Cu Ft 3
pth Cement Mixer
Meat Cutting Shed
w/ Cooler



Cattle Equipment

'2007 Dodge Ram 3500 SLT RC 4x4 Truck
w/ Falcan 12' Bale Deck, Diesel & Std
NH 355 Bale Shredder
Haybuster 2650 Bale Shredder
Jiffy 920 Bale Handler
NH 355 Mixer Mill
Deweze Bale Handler
4 - Bucking Chutes
16' Steel Loading Chute
Palco Cattle Squeeze w/ Palpation Cage



2 - 15' Steel Self Standing Alleys
Loading Alley
Portable Cattle Chute w/ Palpation Cage
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1989 Chev C70 S/A Grain Truck w/ Only
11,566 Kms, 16' Steel Box & Hoist
1981 IHC S/A Grain Truck w/ 18' Wooden
Grain Box
1999 Freightliner FL80 Cab & Chassis
1998 Mack CH613 Tri-Drive Water Truck
w/ 20 M³ Wabash Tank
1989 GMC 6000 Tico Picker Truck w/
Deck
1995 Ford F250 4x4 EC LB Truck w/
Commercial 40' Sprayer
2011 Drake 40' Grain Trailer
2010 Lodeking Super B Grain Trailers
2003 Custombuilt 28' T/A
Grain Trailer w/ Roll Tarp,
Belly Dump
1981 Fruehauf 32' T/A Grain
Trailer
1995 Doepker Super B Trailers
2001 Great Dane 48' T/A Hi-
Boy Trailer



2012 Imco Idaho 53' Live Floor Trailer
2003 Treysa 10'x53' Drop Deck Trailer
2020 Big Tex 40' T/A Gooseneck Trailer
1996 Falcan 24' Tri-Axle 5th Wheel FD
Trailer
CM Trailers 24' T/A 5th Wheel FD Trailer
2008 D-Line 27' T/A BP FD Trailer
2011 Charger 18' T/A BP FD Trailer
2005 Trailtech 16' T/A FD BP Trailer
Rainbow 8' x 12' V Nose Drive On/Off S/A
BP Trailer
Trailtech 22' Tri-Axle Pintle Hitch Trailer
Haulmark 16' T/A BP Enclosed Trailer
Diamond D 16' T/A BP Stock Trailer
1989 Morzits 16' BP Stock Trailer

Miscellaneous

Selling Over 1100+ Lots of
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Rough Cut Spruce & Poplar Lumber in
Various Sizes & Wind Board Lumber

Dispersal for Dennis Pregoda (Not Running)

IHC TD40 Crawler
IHC/McCormick Deering TD35 Crawler
3 - IHC TD35 Crawlers
IHC TD14A Crawler
IHC TD9 Crawler
IHC T9 Crawler
3 - IHC TD6 Crawler
IHC T6 Gas Crawler
AC Crawler
Large Assortment of Dozer & Grader
Blades Plus Parts for Crawlers



Trucks, SUVs & Cars

2014 Dodge 5500 Cab & Chassis 4x4 Flat Deck Truck w/ Diesel & Trail Tech 12' Deck
 2014 Dodge 3/4 4x4 CC LB Truck
 2014 Dodge 1/2 Ton 4x4 CC SB Truck
 2013 Dodge Ram Sport CC 4wd SB Truck
 2013 Chev 3500 4x4 LTZ CC SB Truck w/ Diesel
 2008 Chev Silverado 2500 4x4 CC SB Truck w/ Diesel
 2003 Chev Silverado 2500 HD 4WD EC LB Truck
 2003 Chev Silverado 4x4 EC SB Truck
 1997 Chev 2500 4WD EC SB Truck w/ Diesel
 1996 Chev C3500 2wd EC LB Dually Truck
 1994 Chev 2500 4x4 EC RB Truck w/ Diesel
 2006 GMC Sierra 4wd RC LB Truck
 2005 GMC Duramax 4wd EC LB Dually Truck w/ Diesel
 2003 GMC Sierra 4x4 4 Dr SB Truck w/ Diesel
 2011 Ford F150 4wd CC SB Truck
 2003 Ford F150 Lariat 4 Dr 4WD SB Truck w/ Diesel
 2006 Toyota Tacoma TRD Sport 4wd DC SB Truck
 1986 Mazda B2000 King Cab 2wd SB Truck w/ Diesel
 2020 Ford Explorer Limited SE AWD 9 Passenger Luxury Transit Van
 2013 Jeep Compass 4Dr 4wd SUV
 2009 Jeep Grand Cherokee 4wd 4 Dr SUV
 2006 Jeep Liberty 4x4 4 Dr SUV
 2007 Dodge Nitro 4wd SUV
 2008 Pontiac Torrent AWD 4 Dr SUV

2007 GMC Yukon AWD 4 Dr SUV
 2005 Chev Tahoe 4wd 4 Dr SUV
 2007 Mercedes Benz ML320 AWD 4 Dr SUV
 2003 Porsche Cayenne AWD SUV w/ Only 85,429 Km
 2013 Ford Focus SE 4 Dr Car
 2008 Mitsubishi Lancer 4 Dr Car
 2007 Pontiac G6 Convertible Car
 2009 Volkswagen Roulan 2 Dr Minivan
 2006 Volkswagen Jetta 4 Dr Car
 2004 Infiniti FX35 4 Dr Car
 2000 Lincoln 4 Dr Town Car

Antique Vehicles

1956 IHC S184 Gravel Truck - Restored
 1952 IHC Cab Over Royal Canadian Air Force Fuel Truck - Restored
 1945 IHC Military 6x6 Cab Over Truck - Restored
 1942 IHC Cab Over Truck w/ Suicide Door - Restored
 1995 Ford Mustang Salem 2 Dr



Convertible Car - Only 26,000 Original Miles
 1981 Ford Thunderbird 2 Dr Car
 1971 Ford Thunderbird 4 Dr Car
 1962 Pontiac Strato Chief
 1936 Plymouth 2 Dr Car w/ Gatlin Roof
 International B264 Stepside Truck
 International KB1 Truck
 IHC Cab & Chassis

Recreational

2007 Copper Canyon 30' Sprinter 5th Wheel Holiday Trailer
 2006 Okanagan 32.5' T/A Fifth Wheel Holiday Trailer
 2000 Terry 25.5' T/A 5th Wheel Holiday Trailer
 1995 Rustler 28 1/2' T/A 5th Wheel Holiday Trailer
 1991 Travelaire 25.5' T/A 5th Wheel Holiday Trailer
 2004 Sandpiper Sport 25' BP T/A

Toy Hauler Trailer
 2004 Westwind 24' T/A BP Holiday Trailer



1997 Legacy 28.5' T/A Holiday Trailer
 1985 Okanagan S/A Motorhome
 2011 Eagle Cap 995 Truck Camper w/ Slide Out
 2000 Citation 4 Season Truck Camper
 2017 Smoker Craft 14' Canadian Boat w/ Mercury 9.8 Hp Motor, 2018 Shorelander Trailer
 2001 Glastron Boat w/ Evinrude 135 HP Motor, Ezee-On S/A Trailer
 Sangster 15' Boat w/ Johnson 70 Hp Motor & Trailer
 Springbok 12' Aluminum Boat & Trailer
 2012 Hummer H3 Electric Golf Cart
 2010 Honda SH1501 4 Stroke Motorcycle
 2002 Suzuki VL800 Motorcycle
 1992 Yamaha TDM850 Motorcycle
 2009 Arctic Cat 700 HI 4wd Quad w/ 2526 Miles

Lawn & Garden

JHusqvarna 54" Zero Turn Lawn Mower
 Massey ZT29 Zero Turn Lawn Mower
 NH Zero Turn 16 HP Lawn Tractor
 Husqvarna Hydrostatic 48" Lawn Mower w/ 32" Berco Rototiller
 Husqvarna YTH 25K54 Lawn Tractor
 Craftsman 25 HP Lawn Mower
 Ford YT16 Yard Tractor
 JD D140 Lawn Tractor w/ 48" Deck, 356 Hrs
 JD Pull Behind Fertilizer Spreader
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LEDUC COUNTY - 12.4 Ares backing onto creek, well established treed & private yard, 1047 Sq.Ft. Bungalow with garage, barn and other buildings ~~\$399,900~~ **\$379,900** **PENDING**

LEDUC COUNTY- Two residences on 14.01 acres - zoned Ag. 24' x 56' shop. 22' x 24' detached garage – cement floor, power, overhead door. 21' x 14' detached garage with power and dirt floor. 24 x 36 shop plus addition, cement floor, coal furnace heat, power. Well shed with power. **\$699,900**

PIGEON LAKE - 3.22 Acres on paved lot, very close to Pigeon Lake. Newly renovated house with 30'x30' garage and 32' x 40' shop ~~\$399,900~~ **\$369,900** **PENDING**

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 ~~\$399,000~~ **\$379,000** **REDUCED**

THORSBY - 1592 Sq. Ft. Bungalow split, 4 bedrooms, Large 50'x150 corner lot, 20'x32' Detached shop, Garden spot, parking ~~\$299,000~~ **\$289,000** **REDUCED**

THORSBY - 5 acres on pavement at the entrance to Thorsby. Great place to build ~~\$195,000~~ **\$179,900** **REDUCED**

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

COMMERCIAL

THORSBY - 2500 Sq.Ft Solid building on Main Street with all services **\$99,900**

THORSBY- Freestanding commercial building. This 5376 sq. ft. building is located on a large corner lot. 200 amp electrical service. Municipal water and sewer. Natural gas, boiler system. Lot size is 18.29 x 33.53. There are commercial development incentives offered by the Town of Thorsby. **\$189,000**

RAW LAND & VACANT LOTS

LEDUC COUNTY- 32.67 acres right at Pigeon Lake, close to Johnsonia & Itaska Beach. Great place to store your toys from the lot can be rented out to local farmers for hay and crop production. Zoned Pigeon Lake Watershed. (E4313307) ~~\$299,000~~ **\$279,000** **REDUCED**



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Warburg Public Library *Update*

Submitted by Gail O'Neil

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the Library is also on FB
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The TD Summer Reading program runs for two more Thursdays at 1 pm. The Coordinator this year is Skylar Doan. (Dr. Emond reads to the Kids)



Thank you to Jerry and Will from Action Heating and cooling for installing the Library's brand new air conditioner! It is working amazing, Staff appreciates the cooling on those hot August days! This company is reliable, friendly and efficient. Call Jerry Kraeker at 780-964-4390 or email jerry@actionheatcool.ca to inquire about air conditioners, furnaces or hot water heaters etc. This renovation of the Air conditioner was made possible by a Grant from the Community Facility Enhancement program (CFEP), Thank you!



Thorsby Seniors Crib Results!

Results from August 7th crib scores

1st - Phyllis Yawney - 949
2nd - Eugene Senio - 932
3rd - Dora Shier - 923
High Hand of 24 was held by Elaine Blair!

Results from August 14th scores

1st - Phyllis Yawney - 941
2nd - Eugene Senio - 934
3rd - Marie Gutenberg. - 925
High Hand of 24 held by Nestor Dobko!

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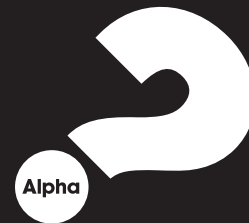
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From Pearl Elson

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.

GROANERS- BUT THEY ARE WITTY

1. What do you call a pig with laryngitis? Disgruntled
2. Writing my name in cursive is my new signature move
3. Why do bees stay in their hives during winter? Swarm
4. If you 're bad at haggling, you'll end up paying the price
5. Just so everyone is clear, I'm going to put my glasses on
6. A Commander walks into a bar and orders everyone around
7. I lost my job as a stage designer; I left without making a scene
8. Never buy flowers from a monk. Only you can prevent florist friars
9. I once worked at a cheap pizza shop to get by. I kneaded the dough
10. My friends and I have named our band "Duvet". It's a cover band
11. I lost my girlfriend's audiobook, and now I'll never hear the end of it
12. Why is dark spelled with a k and not C? Because you can't see in the dark
13. Why is it unwise to share your secrets with a clock? Well, time will tell
14. When I told my contractors I didn't want carpeted steps, they gave me a blank stare
15. Prison is just one word to you, but for some people, it's a whole sentence
16. Scientists got together to study the effects of alcohol on a person's walk, and the result was staggering
17. I got over my addiction to chocolate, marshmallows, and nuts. I won't lie, it was a rocky road
18. What do you say to comfort a friend who's struggling with grammar? There, their, they're
19. What did the surgeon say to the patient who insisted on closing their own incision? Suture self
20. I've started telling everyone about the benefit of eating dried grapes. It's all about raisin awareness

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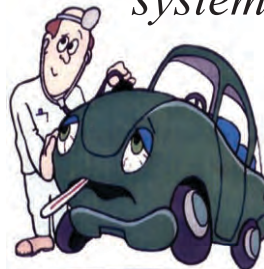
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JUSTICE FOR MCHALE AND NOAH "NOAH'S LAW"

After a quick visit with our local Member of Parliament, Gerald Soroka this past weekend, he expressed the need to bring awareness and support to this very important petition. You may remember this horrible story from almost a year ago, well now is your chance to help prevent others from the same fate as Noah & Mchale.

Please sign the petition by September 23, 2023 to show your support either on Facebook @Noah's Law, at www.noahslaw.ca, www.petitions.ourcommons.ca/en/Petition/Sign/e-4460 or sign a paper petition at CE Media Signs & Promotional - 4928 Hankin Street, Thorsby

Mchale and Noahs Story

(excerpts taken from www.noahslaw.ca)

"The loss of your spouse and child, the weight of that grief, is a burden no one should ever have to bear. But for Cody McConnell, this is the devastating reality he is now forced to live with every day.

In early September 2021, Cody, his partner, Mchale Busch, and their young son, Noah McConnell, moved into an apartment complex in Hinton, Alta. Unbeknownst to them, they moved in next door to Robert Major, a convicted sexual offender with a dangerous and violent history.

On Sept. 16, Cody came home from work to find that Mchale and Noah weren't home. Not knowing where they could be and concerned for them, Cody went to the two parks near their new home to look for them. They weren't there. When he got back home, Cody called friends and family to see if they had heard from Mchale. Cody then called the police, as well as his friend, Jared. While waiting for the police to arrive, Cody and Jared knocked on all the apartment doors on Cody's floor, asking neighbours if they had seen or heard from Mchale that day.

Around 10 a.m. the next morning, Sept. 17, the RCMP's homicide unit arrived on scene. According to the RCMP, they had discovered Noah's body in the dumpster outside the apartment building. It was after this discovery that they moved Cody to the hotel.

The RCMP were questioning Cody at the police station when they received additional information that Mchale had been found, deceased, in Robert's apartment.


In an article from Global News, Robert was released from prison in 2017 and, at that time, police issued a public warning stating they had reasonable grounds to believe he would "commit another sexual offence against a female, including children, while in the

community." Robert was on several court-ordered conditions at the time, but it remains unknown when he moved from Edmonton to the Hinton area and how he came to live in an apartment complex with women and children, near parks and schools, without anyone realizing or doing anything to stop it.

Cody, Mchale and Noah lived next door to a violent, repeat sexual offender. Mchale and Noah's deaths were senseless and completely preventable, and that's what the Noah's Law campaign is hoping to achieve – among other things, changes to Canada's Criminal Code that will increase monitoring of these offenders. You can help us by spreading awareness of this campaign, signing our petition when it becomes available and speaking with your MPP and MP to let them know that Mchale and Noah have not been forgotten, that their deaths should lead to meaningful change within Canada's criminal justice system so that no other family will ever have to go through a tragedy like this again."



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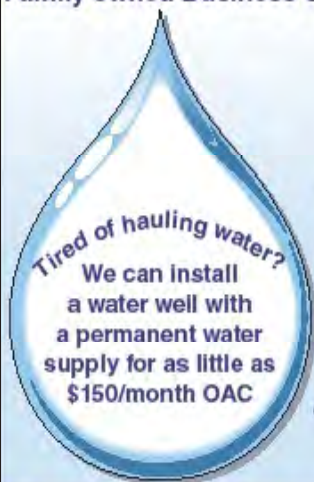
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- **Banana Popsicles:** Slice bananas and put them on a popsicle stick. Then dip them in melted chocolate and sprinkle with nuts or sprinkles.
- **Mini Pizzas:** Cut English muffins in half, then spread pizza sauce on each half. Top with shredded cheese and any toppings you like (pepperoni, vegetables, etc.). Bake in the oven until cheese is melted and bubbly.
- **Fruit Kabobs:** Cut up your favorite fruits into bite-sized pieces and slide them onto a skewer. Try using different colors of fruits to make it more fun and visually appealing.
- **Ants on a Log:** Spread peanut butter on celery sticks and top with raisins. This is a classic recipe that kids love.
- **Fruit Smoothies:** Blend together your favorite fruits, yogurt, and ice to make a delicious and healthy smoothie. Kids can even experiment with different flavor combinations.
- **Mac and Cheese Muffins:** Cook your favorite mac and cheese recipe and then spoon it into a muffin tin. Bake in the oven until the muffins are golden brown and crispy on top.
- **Homemade Granola Bars:** Mix together oats, nuts, dried fruit, and honey to make your own granola bars. Kids can even help shape and cut the bars.
- **Rainbow Toast:** Toast bread and spread cream cheese on top. Then use food coloring to dye the cream cheese different colors. Kids will love the colorful and fun breakfast.
- **Apple Sandwiches:** Cut an apple into thin slices and spread peanut butter on one side. Top with another apple slice to make a sandwich. This is a fun and healthy snack.
- **Cheesy Quesadillas:** Spread shredded cheese on a tortilla and then fold it in half. Cook in a pan until cheese is melted and tortilla is crispy. Cut into wedges and serve. Kids will love dipping the quesadillas in salsa or sour cream.

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