

CONNECT 39

Thorsby, Warburg & Area NEWS

previously the Thorsby Target & Warburg Bugle

THORSBY SCHOOL PARKING

Submitted by the Town of Thorsby

CAO Donna and CPO Dejan want to remind you all of the following:

1. There is a no parking sign turning the corner at 52 street to 48 Ave toward the school
2. The no parking zone ends at the driveway indicated in yellow
3. The new home on the next lot has parking in front of it and the residents living there have the access to park in front of their home



We know that there has been an empty lot there for a long time, but now we have new residents in Thorsby and that is now their home. We also know that there is heavy congestion of traffic at the schools twice daily and we ask that you exercise slow speed, patience, and understanding as the street parking opportunities have changed.

ST. PATRICK DAYS ON THE ICE

Submitted by the Mulhurst Legion Branch No. 246

If you are looking for a great way to celebrate St. Patrick's Day, then why not head down to the frozen shores of Pigeon Lake at Mulhurst Bay on **Saturday, March 16, 2024**.

Just like pussy willows starting to bud and birds starting to fly north, eager golfers are returning to the ice of Pigeon Lake.

If you have never heard of the **Annual Ice Golf Tournament at Mulhurst Bay** or you are an active participant, come and join us this Saturday. The golf balls start to fly at 1:00 pm but you can start the day with a hearty breakfast at the Mulhurst Legion.

Doors open at 9:00 am for everyone to enjoy a back bacon and egg sandwich, hash brown patty and your choice of coffee, tea, pop or water for only \$10.00. If you can't make it down to the Legion that early in the day, then join us for lunch with a pulled pork bunwich, coleslaw and your choice of beverage, also for only \$10.00. Food will be served until 2:00 pm.



Picture taken from www.offtracktravel.ca

The weather should be warm, so if you are participating in the golf tournament or are just looking for something to do this Saturday, come and join us at the Mulhurst Legion starting at 9:00 am.

Meet your favorite golfer or just enjoy a coffee with friends. Play some cards, purchase some Nevada pull tickets or just come down and check out what the Legion has to offer this Saturday.



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Sudoku Answers from March 8 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.

NOW HIRING ATB / REGISTRIES CLERK

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DIG INTO HORTICULTURE

Join us for a free online two-part series to learn about various aspects of horticultural from social media to beneficial insects.

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- ▶ **Date:** Tuesday, March 26, 2024
- ▶ **Time:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Recognizing and supporting beneficial insects in horticulture

- ▶ **Date:** Tuesday, April 9, 2024
- ▶ **Time:** 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Learn more and register online at
www.leduc-county.com/horticulture-series



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 2024 – CL - 06 to:

Attention: Human Resources
Leduc Regional Housing Foundation
5118 – 50 Avenue, Leduc, Alberta T9E 6V4
Fax: 780.986.4881 or
E-mail: hr@leducregionalthousing.ca

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UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS (Breton, Thorsby, Warburg & Surrounding Areas)

March 15 - Pub Night at the Warburg Legion from 5-10pm for St. Patricks Day.

March 16 - Ice Golf Tournament with the Mulhurst Legion. Doors open at 9am for breakfast, golf balls start to fly at 1pm

March 16 - Winfield Legion Spaghetti Supper. Legion doors open at 5:30pm, supper from 6-7:30pm. \$10 per plate, Kids 6 and under are free. Get your raffle tickets.

March 18 - Strawberry Hall Annual AGM at 7pm

March 19 - Seniors' Paint afternoon with Tanja Lindahl at the Thorsby Library from 1 - 2:30pm. Call the library to register as space is limited.

March 20 - Teen Time at the Thorsby Municipal Library from 3:30 - 4:30pm for Junior and Senior High Students.

March 20 - Warburg Seed Cleaning 60th Anniversary Customer Appreciation BBQ from 11am - 2pm at the Warburg Pioneer Rec Centre. CFCW Live on location.

March 21 - Living Well, Sprouting Program with Robert Schmidt at the Warburg Library. 10am - 5pm. FREE Recipe Instruction Booklets to anyone 55+ who attends.

March 21 & 22 - Oliver Twist presented by Miss Joannes School at the Eleanor Pickup Centre in Drayton Valley. 6:30pm. Tickets at Heads Up in Breton or call 780-621-2430

March 22 - Spring Fiesta Name that Tune & Karaoke at the Winfield Hall. Doors open at 6:30pm. \$10 Cover Charge. Hosted by Winfield Ag Society. Call 780-514-6671 for info.

March 23 - Oliver Twist presented by Miss Joannes School at the Eleanor Pickup Centre in Drayton Valley. 2pm & 6:30pm. Tickets at Heads Up in Breton or call 780-621-2430

March 24 - Oliver Twist presented by Miss Joannes School at the Eleanor Pickup Centre in Drayton Valley. 2pm. Tickets at Heads Up in Breton or call 780-621-2430

March 27 - Board Game Café for teens (10 and up). Drop in to the Thorsby Municipal library between 1 & 4pm with your friends to play some games, enjoy snacks and hot chocolate.

March 28 - Easter Meat Bingo at the Thorsby Seniors Centre at 6:30pm.

April 6 - Gord Bamford Canadian Dirt Tour 2024 at Warburg Community Center. Go to www.showpass.com/gord-bamford-canadian-dirt-tour-warburg-ab/ to purchase tickets

April 6 - Self Defense Class at the Warburg School, Full day

of Training, lunch provided. \$40/person. Pre-register with Shauna at FCSS 780-848-2828 or fcss@warburg.ca

April 13 - Breton/Warburg Women's Wellness Day - a day full of speakers, breakout sessions, food and a vendor market! 1/3 Sold out. Tickets \$30, available at both Breton & Warburg FCSS or contact fcss@breton.ca

April 13 - 58th Annual Trophy Night Banquet for Thorsby & District Fish & Game at the Warburg Hall at 5:30pm. Reserve tickets with Brent 780-898-5013 or Cara 780-621-8709

April 17 - Thorsby Volunteer Appreciation at the Thorsby Community Hall at 5:30pm. \$20/ticket. Contact Mikayla at fcss@thorsby.ca or 780-789-4004 to purchase.

April 19 - Warburg Volunteer Appreciation. at the Warburg Community Hall. Tickets at the Village office \$20 for Volunteers or \$30 for non volunteers. Call 780-848-2828 for info.

April 29 - Melodies in Bloom Spring Concert at 7pm by the Lakeshore Singers choir joined by the Falun Children's Choir at the Lakedell Ag Society large hall. Admission by donation

May 4 - Cookie Run - Run, Walk, Roll for Costello in Thorsby. Chance to win Taylor Swift Tickets in Toronto on Nov 14 with \$1000 West Jet Gift Card and 2 nights accommodation. www.raceroster.com/events/2024/86181/cookie-run

July 15 -19 - Bus to Swim 2024 for youth ages 5+ at Drayton Valley Pool. Register at FCSS Breton fcss@breton.ca or FCSS Warburg fcss@warburg.ca

Community Events & Information
is FREE to advertise



Thorsby Seniors Crib Results!

March 11th Crib Scores:

1st - Marion Snider - 958

2nd - Amie Brosseau - 953

3rd - Eleanor Dopko - 944

High Hand of 20 was shared by

Eunice Gillis & Lloyd Snider

CONGRATULATIONS! WELL DONE!

Next crib event will take place on
March 18th, Monday, at 1:30 pm
Thorsby Seniors Center, Admission: \$6
Join the fun! The more the merrier!



BREAKING NEWS!!

THORSBY TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Tuesday, Mar 26th | Regular | 7:00-8:30pm

Tuesday, April 9th | C.O.W | 7:00-8:30pm

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

Thorsby Town Office Regular 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 now open during Lunch!

Town of Thorsby
 4917 Hankin Street, Box 297
 Thorsby, AB T0C 2P0
 TEL: 780.789.3935 www.thorsby.ca



BATTERY RECYCLING IS NOW AVAILABLE IN THORSBY



Drop off your small batteries at the following locations:

Town of Thorsby Municipal Office

4917 Hankin Street

OR

Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex

4901-48 Avenue

Please make sure the terminals on any end of the battery are taped before disposal. Electrical tape is preferred but any tape should work!

Car batteries and lawnmower batteries can be dropped off at Thorsby Public Works.

Please place them outside the Public Works Office door at 4836 - 49 Street



Thank you for making a positive impact on our environment!!



WARBURG SEED CLEANING CO-OP LTD.



Join us for our **Customer Appreciation BBQ** celebrating the



of Warburg Seed Cleaning CO-OP

Wednesday, March 20th from 11:00am to 2:00pm at the Warburg Pioneer Rec Centre, 5335-50 Ave.

*CFCW will be live on location
Door prize draws*

There will be various reps at the BBQ to answer any questions you may have. Thorsby, Drayton Valley and Leduc 4-H clubs, Alberta Canola Commission and some of our Pedigreed Seed Growers will also be set up there.



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

***Please note - all events are subject to change*

MONDAYS

Bus To Drayton Valley (Aquasize or Walmart) - Leaving Warburg & Breton on Monday mornings. Call Warburg FCSS at 780-848-2828 or Breton FCSS 780-696-3636 to register

Crib at the Thorsby Seniors Centre every Monday at 1:30pm

Curling - Monday & Thursday at the Warburg Curling Club at 7pm. Call Rob Tessier 780-789-3723.

Lego Club - Every Monday from 3:15 - 4:15 at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex.

Parent & Tot Drop In (Thorsby) on Mondays from 10-11am at the FRN Site in Thorsby. Games, activities & more.

Shinny - Every Monday from 3:45-5:15 at the Warburg Arena.

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) - Mondays at 9am, Thorsby Seniors Centre. Jane 780-789-3789 or Cheryl 780-848-7673

TUESDAYS

Family Bingo - Tuesdays @ 6:30 at the Mulhurst Legion #246.

Curling (Sturling Night) - at the Warburg Curling Club on Tuesdays at 6:30pm. Contact Rob at 780-789-3723

Music Jam Session on 4th Tuesday of the month at the Calmar Seniors Centre 1-4pm. 4916 - 50 Ave

Pickle Ball at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Rec Complex from 9:30am - 11:30am (\$5)

Quilting at the Warburg Seniors Centre on Tuesdays at 9:30am (\$2)

Shinny - Every Tuesday from 3:30 - 5 at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. Helmets mandatory.

16+ Rec Volleyball drop in at Warburg School on Tuesdays from 7-9pm (\$2)

WEDNESDAYS

Busy Brushes - Every Wednesday from 10-2pm at the Warburg Cultural Center. \$5/class. Call Linda 587-590-0378.

Cards at the Warburg Seniors Centre at 1pm every Wednesday

Pickleball - Every Wednesday from 7-9pm at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex

Public Skate - Every Wednesday from 3:30 - 5pm at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. Helmets mandatory.

Public Skate - Every Wednesday from 3:45-5:15 at the Warburg Arena. No sticks and helmets mandatory.

Songs For Toddlers on Wednesdays at 1pm at the Warburg library.

Soup & Sandwiches at the Thorsby Seniors Centre starting at 11:30am on the 2nd Wednesday of the month.

Soup & Sandwiches at the Warburg Seniors Centre every 3rd Wednesday at 12pm (\$10)

Tai Chi at the Warburg Seniors Center, running every Wednesday from 10-11 (\$2). This program is open everyone!

Warburg Treasure's Thrift Shop is Open Wednesdays from 10am - 4pm at the Warburg Community United Church.

THURSDAYS

Basketball Free Play - Every Thursday from 4:30 - 6pm at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex.

Free Style Bowling at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex on Thursdays from 4:30 - 6:30pm.

Bingo at the Thorsby Seniors Centre every Thursday at 7pm

Bus to Leduc from Cloverleaf: (\$8) weekly on Thursday at 9:00am. Call Kim at 780-848-7717 for more info.

Curling - Monday & Thursday at the Warburg Curling Club at 7pm. Call Rob Tessier 780-789-3723.

Floor Curling at the Warburg Hall. Every Thursday at 1pm (\$2)

Men's Morning Curling - Thursday at the Warburg Curling Club on Thursdays at 10am. Contact Les at 780-848-2661

Parent & Tot Drop In (Warburg) - Thursday mornings from 9-11am in the Village of Warburg office basement.

Pickleball at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Rec Complex from 9:30am - 11:30am (\$5)

Pickleball Thursdays from 6-8pm (\$2). Warburg School Gym. Register at the Warburg Village office or call 780-848-2828

Quilting at the Warburg Cultural Center: on Thursdays from 10-4 contact Gail S at 789-995-2681

Sandholm Square Dance Club - on Thursdays 7 - 9:30pm at the Sandholm Hall. Contact 780-238-5844 or 780-389-2381.

Shinny - Every Thursday from 3:30 - 4:45 at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. Helmets mandatory.

Thorsby Seniors Thrift Store - Open Thursdays & Fridays from 10am-3pm. Call 780-996-5131.

Warburg Girl Guides - at the Warburg Community Hall, Thursdays from 5:30pm - 7pm. Contact 780-999-3913.

FRIDAYS

Coffee in the Valley on the 1st & 3rd Friday of the month from 9-11am at Telfordville Community Centre.

Community Socials are held the last Friday of each month at the Mulhurst Legion #246 at 7pm

Connect with Other Young People on Fridays from 7-9pm Thorsby New Life Fellowship Church - Ages 11-18. Contact Katie at 780-241-0715 or kpollard2007@outlook.com

Fun with Friends Story time at the Thorsby Municipal Library every Friday from 10:30am - 11:15am.

Music Jam - at the Warburg Seniors Centre on the 1st Friday of the month from 1-4pm by donation. Call 780-389-4104

Parent & Tot Skating every Friday at the Warburg Arena from 10am-12pm. No Sticks allowed.

Pub Nights at Warburg Legion from 5pm - 10pm.

Shinny - Every Friday from 3:30 - 4:45 at the Thorsby Arctic Spas Recreation Complex. Helmets mandatory.

Thorsby Seniors Thrift Store - Open Thursdays & Fridays from 10am-3pm. Call 780-996-5131.

SATURDAYS

Farmer's Market at the Mulhurst Bay Community Hall every Saturday 11-3pm. Contact Carol 587-920-2065.

Pie & Coffee from 1pm - 4pm at the Warburg Museum on the first Saturday of every month. Or arrange a tour through Susie 780-848-2507 or Joan 780-621-7174

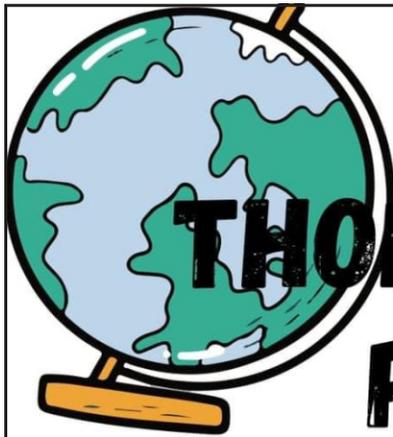
Thorsby Music Jam - at Thorsby Community Centre on the 3rd Saturday of the month from 1-4pm. Call 780-789-2180.

SUNDAYS

Gospel Music Jam - at New Life Christian Fellowship on the 1st Sunday of the month from 2-4pm. Call 780-789-4171

Pancake Breakfasts - by the Thorsby Lions Club the first Sunday of the month at the Senior's Centre 9am - 12pm.

Sunday School at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church the 2nd Sunday of mth at 10:30am. Contact Ebeline at 780-389-4100



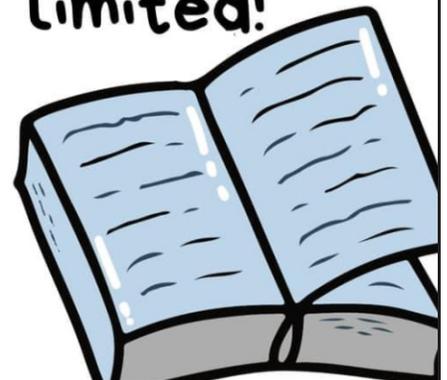
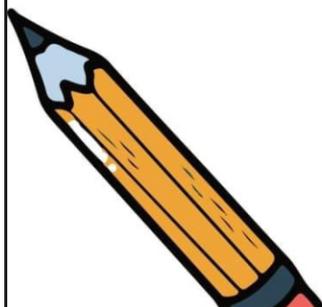
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Connect with us!

Submitted by Village of Warburg FCSS

Have questions? Need support? Contact Warburg FCSS - Shauna Schwindt 780-848-2828

In office Monday, Wednesday, Friday 8:30-5:00 p.m.

Please keep your eyes open for events in our Warburg FCSS/Recreation Newsletter! If you need anything, please feel free to stop into the Village of Warburg Office!

Parent & Tot program (THORSBY): Enjoy drop in stay & play Monday 10-11am at the Thorsby FRN site (modular next to the Rec Centre) fun games, activities and making new friends!

Parent & Tot Drop In (WARBURG) Casual drop in running every Thursday in the Village Office Basement 9-11am please enter through the back entrance (PCN entrance) if you feel like bringing treats you are more than welcome to.

Floor Curling- Warburg Community Hall 1pm, Runs every Thursday. Everyone is welcome!

16+ Rec Volleyball- Adults and youth 16+ beach volleyball every Tuesday at the Warburg School (NW, community access doors) starting at 7-9pm. (\$2)

Street hockey sticks/Badminton set/spike ball/various games available at the Warburg Library! All you need is your library card to rent out!

Busy Brushes- Every Wednesday from 10-2pm at the Warburg Cultural Center. \$5/class contact Linda M with Questions 587-590-0378

Quilting at the Cultural Center: (Thurs) Quilting at 10-4pm contact Gail S at 789-995-2681

Warburg Museum: Pie & Coffee, 1st Saturday of every month. Stop in and enjoy a treat and some history! Tour inquiries please contact Susie @ 780-848-2507 or Joan @780-621-7174.

Warburg Library- Open Tues,Wed,Thur, 10 AM to 6PM, watch online for events happening on Saturday at the Library 12-4 PM.

Self Defense Class- April 6 at the Warburg School. Full day of training and lunch provided. \$40. Please register with Shauna @780-848-2828, or fcss@warburg.ca

Tai Chi- Warburg Seniors Center, running every Wednesday from 10-11am (\$2)

Seniors Jam Session: Warburg Seniors Center hosts Jam session the 1st Friday of every Month (April 5th) 1-4 PM Coffee and snacks, donations are accepted.

Bus to Leduc from Cloverleaf: (\$8) Bus leaves from Cloverleaf to Leduc. Need to get groceries, have a Dr. Appt, just want to get out and about here is an affordable way to get to Leduc! Please call Kim at Cloverleaf to book your spot! 780-848-7717. ** *Cloverleaf is starting our*

*weekly bus to Leduc trips. All on Thursdays and leaving at 9AM, 1st, 2nd and 4th weeks are shopping and lunch only, back at 1PM. The 3rd week is the normal appointments and back at 4PM. ***

Bus To Aqua size (Drayton Valley) Every Monday. Bus leaving from Warburg Village office @8:50am, stopping in Breton at 9:10am then to Drayton Valley gentle Aqua size class or a one-hour trip to Walmart. 5 punch and 10 punch card passes available at the Village of Warburg Office. Registration must be completed the Friday prior to the Monday trip to ensure we have enough people and secure Bus Driver. Please contact Shauna at 780-848-2828 for further information **We have received funding from the Warburg Seniors Club, for a limited time bus passes for Warburg and Leduc county residents are subsidized.** Fee to attend the aqua size class is separate from the bus (please contact Ricochet Aquatic Centre @ 780-515-7946) 10 card punch pass is approx \$70.65 / \$7 per class for seniors. *(punch card passes can be used to go to either Drayton Valley or Leduc)*

CVIPT Volunteer Income Tax Program: Is open and running for Warburg residents. Please be mindful this Income Tax program is for Seniors, Students, Low Income Individuals, and families.

Approximate Income Levels: Single Person (Up to 35,000), Couple (Up to \$45,000), Family (Up to \$52,500), Interest income less than \$1000.00) Please call or drop off all Income Tax documents at the Village office. Or call 780-848-2828.

Volunteer Appreciation on April 19th at the Warburg Community Hall. Tickets are available at the Village of Warburg Office. Tickets are \$20.00, non volunteer tickets are \$30.00. Dinner provided by Bob Ronnies Catering and performance by Gregory Baldwin! Call for more information 780-848-2828

Drive Happiness is looking for volunteer drivers in Leduc County! Drive Happiness is a non-profit organization which provides low-cost, volunteer-based assisted transportation to older Albertans. Our volunteer position gives you the flexibility for you to pick rides that work for your schedule, meet amazing people, and even receive a fuel reimbursement! If you or someone you know living in Leduc County is interested in this unique volunteer opportunity, give us a call at 780-424-5438 or go to www.drivehappiness.ca/

New information available about the Canadian Dental Care plan. If you are eligible and have received a letter from the government, please call the number provided to register. www.canada.ca/dental

Current programming and services available:

- Subsidized Counselling Program for individuals, Couples, Families and Youth
- Home Support – light housekeeping services
- Assistance with forms, information etc.
- Seniors Assistance Programs
- Meals on Wheels

Walking with Grief

Grief Support Group



Have you experienced the loss of a loved one? Join us for a free in-person grief support group where you will learn about the nature of the grief process, emotion and healing. You will learn to build a community with individuals experiencing similar challenges, gain practical strategies for navigating grief and emerge with a clearer direction for moving forward.

In partnership with *Karunia Counselling*, this five week session will be facilitated by a Registered Psychologist and a Registered Social Worker.

- ▶ **Dates:** Tuesdays, April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, 2024
- ▶ **Time:** 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
- ▶ **Location:** Calmar Program Centre, 4815 49 Street, Calmar, AB
- ▶ **Spaces available:** minimum of eight registrants, maximum of 10
- ▶ **Register:** contact Kristin at **780-955-6421** or **kristin@leduc-county.com** or register online at **www.leduc-county.com/walking-with-grief**



Nancy Worshek

June 11, 1932 – March 10, 2024



Nancy passed away peacefully on March 10, 2024 surrounded by her family.

Nancy will be lovingly remembered by her sons: Doug, David (Kelly) and Darrell (Barb); grandchildren: Jessica (Damian), Jamie, Chris and Morgan (Brendan); great grandchildren: Mason, Andrew, Robert and Jaxson, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Nancy is predeceased by her husband of over 60 years Raymond.

**Celebration of Life will be held
at a later date.**

Hainstock & Son Funeral Chapel, Leduc 986-2151

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Living Well Sprouting

with Robert Schmidt



Thursday, March 21

10am - 5pm

at the Warburg Public Library



FREE Recipe Instruction Booklet to anyone 55+ who attends the class

Robert will be bringing in trays of examples of what he grows, wheatgrass, sunflowers, alfalfa sprouts, corn. He will also have his dehydrator and juicer, to show how to use these appliances and a loaf of his flat bread.

Sponsored by:



Thorsby Senior's Easter Meat Bingo



Thursday, March 28 at the Thorsby Seniors Centre



Doors open at 6:30pm
EVERYONE WELCOME!



Thorsby & District Fish & Game

58TH ANNUAL



Trophy Night Banquet

Conservation balances today's need with
tomorrow's challenges.

Warburg Hall

Saturday, April 13th, 2024

*Silent Auction, Live Auction *Door Prizes, Raffle
*Entertainment: Gary Mastre *Catering By: Bob Ronnie Catering

Adults: \$45.00 Children 7-17: \$25.00

Cocktails: 5:30pm Supper: 6:30pm

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**Thorsby Library
 updates & reminders:**

submitted by Paula Bosse

Please visit us during our weekday hours of Tuesday 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM, Wednesday 12:00 Noon - 6:00 PM, Thursday 12:00 Noon - 7:00 PM, Friday 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM, Saturdays 10:00am - 1:00pm.

Gumboots and garden plans, it's that time already! Whether it's a flower garden, vegetable garden, or a combination showpiece, we have the books that can help you get ready for our all too short growing season. From Lois Hole's favourites and always helpful advice through books on colour planning and perennials, we have it all!

Here at the library we are busier than ever, and we really enjoy all the many people who come in to use our facilities – the children's' area, the cozy reading corner, the tables for study and gaming, and of course the computers with free wifi. The library is much more than lending borrowing books, although we do a lot of that! It's a place to connect with friends, to get help accessing documents (printing is \$0.25 a page, colour or black and white), or simply to relax for a while.

If you have an hour or two to spare, as busy as we are we can always use some help keeping the library in order with tidying shelves, sorting games, assisting with programs, and putting things back where they belong. We are really grateful to all our volunteers whether they are here for one hour or many.

Thank you so much to the people who have been bringing in games for our board game kit collection. The number of games available is increasing, and they are out and about in the community. Top hits at the moment are "The Floor is Lava", and the ever popular "Apples to Apples", with Chinese Checkers being the newest arrival to hit the shelves. We welcome donations not just of games, but books, dvds, and other useful material. It all helps keep the library growing!

And now, a look at the After Hours Book Drop. The book drop is intended to be a convenient way for books to be returned to the library even when the library is closed. It is located inside the Recreation Complex, just outside the library door, and is accessible whenever the complex is open. It is a convenient way to return library materials if you can't get to the library during regular hours. That being said, it is not a garbage can.

In the last few months, staff have been finding garbage left inside the book drop, candy wrappers usually and most recently a piece of chewed discarded gum. We need everyone's help to address this, as there is a real

risk of damage to library materials. We would hate to have to remove the book drop, but if the problem persists we may have to consider doing just that.

Teens, Audrey's Teen Time runs next Wednesday, March 20, from 3:30 to 4:30. Come to the library for fun social time, games and of course, snacks!

During Spring Break the library will be hosting a Board Game Cafe for teens (10 and up), one day only, Wednesday March 27 1:00 – 4:00. Come with your friends and enjoy playing anything from Ticket to Ride through Labyrinth, with snacks and hot chocolate!

March 15 is the International Day to Combat Islamophobia. To learn more, come down and check out the resources that we and our fellow libraries have. We are happy to bring in material when we don't have it on the shelf here.

See you at the library!

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from West 39 Bucks Facebook Page

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We ask that you take the time to peruse the attached Sponsorship Selections sheet. If there is no selection which meets your needs, please contact us.

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of the warehouse also serves as AWSA compliant herbicide Storage.

2010 saw the installation of an optical sorter and a new wind & screen. The color sorter was a major advancement to grain cleaning. In the past few years there has been some major updates such as a new gravity table, a 4000 bu. Bin for incoming seed storage, 6000 bushels of overhead clean seed storage, the addition of a 90 foot truck scale and a new color sorter with true color and infrared cameras for even more advanced cleaning capabilities. We added a roller mill and blender for feed sales so we can offer a variety of feed grains in small 50 pound bags, mini bulk bags or bulk and upgraded our bagging system. We moved into our new sales office in October of 2022.

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- ▶ **Time:** 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- ▶ **Location:** Thorsby Family Resource Network Site, 4908 48 Street, Thorsby AB in the modular building across from the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex.
- ▶ **Spaces available:** minimum of eight registrants, maximum of 10.
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BRETON SCHOOL MODERNIZATION PLAN PUT ON HOLD

Submitted by Wild Rose School Division

With the announcement of the latest budget and the Approved School Capital Projects, the modernization of Breton High School was noticeably absent from the list. This project was approved for design funding in the 2023 budget. Planning has been underway to modernize Breton High School to fit all Breton students (K-12) and to demolish Breton Elementary. This includes the preparation of construction tender documents, including drawings and specifications.

"While we are disappointed that the Breton project was not approved for construction funding, we are hopeful that with all of the work and planning that has already occurred, this will just be a temporary pause and that it will be approved in the 2025 budget," stated Board Chair, Daryl Scott.

"It is unfortunate that after a year's work on design plans, the Breton community is left wondering when or if this will happen," said WRSD Superintendent, Brad Volkman. *"Regardless, the staff of Breton Elementary and Breton High School remain committed to providing powerful learning environments for our students."*

The plan to bus Breton High students to Warburg for the next school year will not be happening. There will be no need to vacate the building as there will be no construction occurring.



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From Pearl Elson

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Back in the Day

- Flat Screens are nice and all but they'll never compare to the Television/record player/liquor cabinet combo extravaganza we had as kids
- My generation never had babysitters. Our parents just told us to lock the door and don't open it for nobody.
- When I was a kid there were two ways to die, Natural causes and talking back to our parents.
- One minute you're young and fun and the next minute you predict the weather with your bad knee.
- If you think you are smarter than the previous generation. 50 years ago, the owner's manual of a car showed you how to adjust the valves. Today it warns you not to drink the contents of the battery.

Best Childhood memory

- Falling asleep on the Couch and waking you in bed, I miss teleporting. It never happens to me anymore.
- It amazes me that a phone card back in the day could stretch from one room to another, but you can't get a USB cord to last a week.
- Shoutout to everyone who can still remember their childhood phone number but can't remember the password they created yesterday. You are my people.
- My mind still thinks I'm 25. My body thinks my mind is an idiot.
- People with siblings have better survival skills because they've had experience in physical combat, psychological warfare and sensing suspicious activity.

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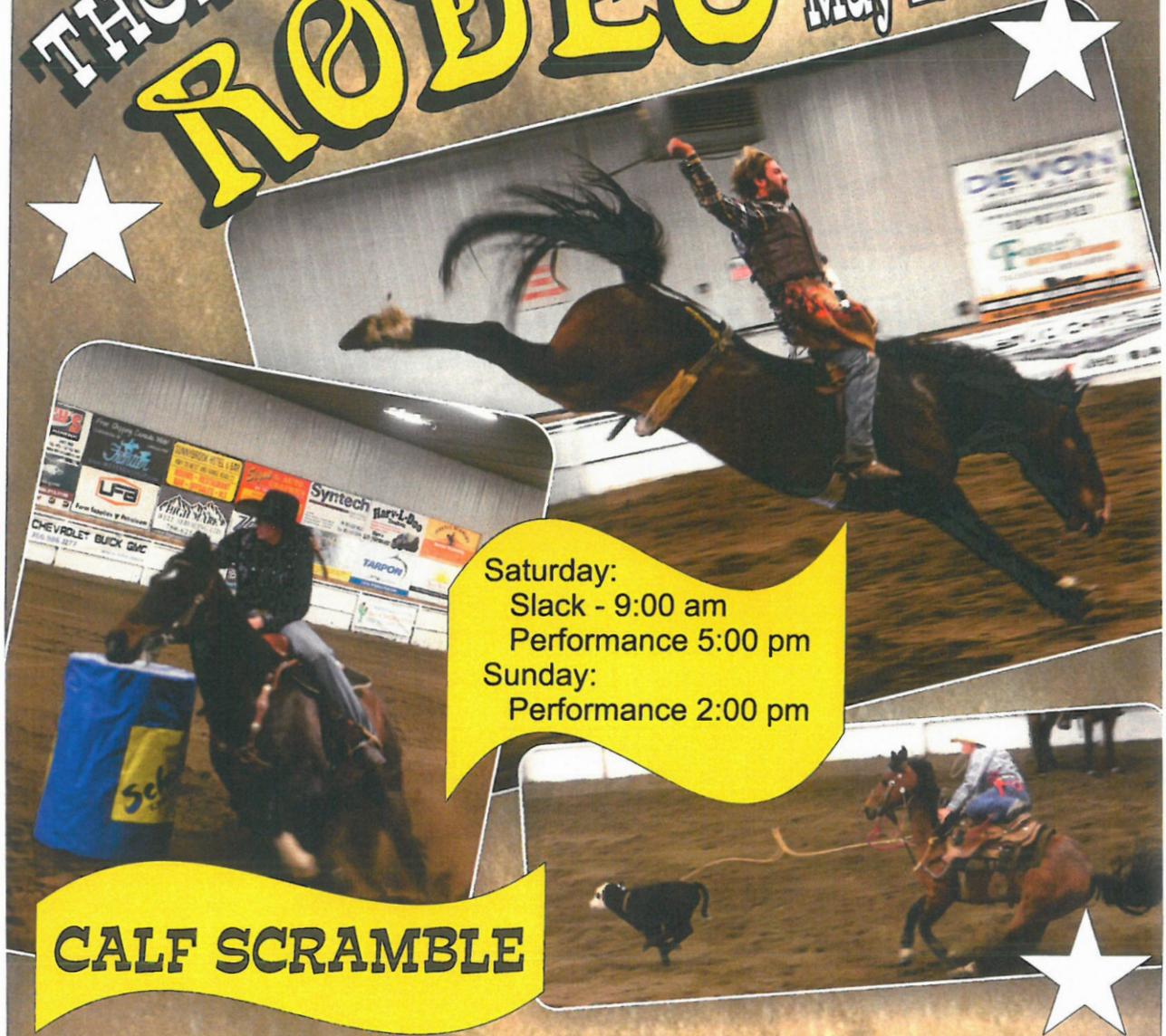
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UNRESERVED A CREAGE SALE

April & Kurt McKibbin
48474 RR 241, Leduc County, Alberta
Saturday, March 23, 2024

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Being from the Junction of Secondary Highway 814 & Glen Park Road,
 go 1 mile east to RR 241 & 1 mile south.

Watch for signs

GST will be charged where applicable

Lunch Available



Yard Equipment

- 2020 Kubota BX2680 FWA Utility Tractor, hydro, 3-point hitch, PTO, 3-point hitch counter weight, 60" lawn mower c/w Kubota LA 344 FEL c/w bucket, 396.4 hrs., S/N 21440
- Buhler Farm King 60" Rough Cut Mower 3-point hitch
- Kodiak 48" 3-point hitch Rototiller
- Lawn Keeper II Gas Powered 48" Lawn Sweep
- Trailer Estate Sprayer c/w 12V pump & 25-gal. tank
- 48" Lawn Sweep
- Assortment of Harrows

Truck & Trailers

- 1981 Ford F150 ½-ton, partial restored
- United Trailers Single Axle 6'x10' Enclosed Trailer c/w barn doors, S/N 56JTE1016JA162447
- Single Axle Trailer c/w 8'x12' deck, no visable S/N

Snowmobile

- 2015 Polaris Indy c/w 144" track, 708 km, S/N 1CRSN571C528928

Tools & Miscellaneous

- Snap-On 22" SP Snowblower
- Stihl Small Garden Cultivator
- Cub Cadet SP Rear Tine Garden Cultivator
- SP Gas Trimmer
- Stihl Pole Chainsaw
- Stihl Gas Weeder
- Stihl HS45 Hedge Trimmer
- Stihl MS 271 16" Chainsaw
- Air Compressor
- Parts Washer
- Engine Stand
- Hobart Handler 140 115V Mig Welder
- Smaller Hyd. Press
- Tire Changer
- Tow Ropes
- Assortment Aluminum Ladders
- Assortment Tools
- 250-gal. Water Tank
- Power Fist 2" Water Pump
- 4 Rolls Collapsible 2" Water Hose
- Insulated Dog House
- 35'x65" Hockey Rink Boards c/w netting & lights
- 14' Trampoline & many more items

ATV

- 2012 Polaris Ranger Razor 800 EFI, 4WD, c/w power steering, front winch, 1400 km, S/N 4XAVY76A1BB079829
- 1993 Honda FourTrax c/w rakes & winch, S/N 1562PA502429
- 2006 Arctic Cat DVX 250 Quad, S/N 4UF06ATV96K6B1805
- Polaris Outlaw 90 Quad, needs repair

Golf Cart

- 1996 Turf II Club Car c/w dump box & gas engine

Auctioneer's Note

Mr & Mrs. McKibbin have sold the acreage therefore this Sale. Most of the items are in like new condition. Plan on attending. For more information call Kurt McKibbin at 780-216-1556 or Miller's Auction Service at 780-789-2226 or 780-920-6738.

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GET DOWN TO BUSINESS:

Alberta RCMP gives tips to combat business fraud

Media Relations RCMP Alberta, March 11

This March, the Alberta RCMP will be sharing information and resources in support of the Alberta Community Crime Prevention Association's (ACCPA) Fraud Prevention Month campaign

www.albertacrimeprevention.com/fraud-prevention-month

The campaign, which will include a weekly theme, seeks to educate Albertans on the many ways that fraudulent activity impacts their communities.

This week's theme focuses on business fraud and scams, which includes, but is not limited to:

- Scams targeting businesses and/or businesses targeting consumers;
- Businesses targeted by phishing scams and/or phone scams;
- Business emails being compromised;
- Mortgage fraud;
- Money laundering in real estate;
- Door to door scams;
- Contractor and home repair schemes;
- Duct cleaning services; and,
- Unlicensed businesses.

How can you better protect yourself from these types of scams? Here are some helpful resources on www.getcybersafe.gc.ca:

- Learn the warning signs of script spoofing in emails and URLs;
- Learn how to protect your business from cyber attacks; and,
- Learn how to spot the warning signs on fake emails.

"I cannot overstate the importance of protecting your personal and financial information. Whether you are a business owner or someone looking to employ a company's services, you must take every precaution by familiarizing yourself with the warning signs of a possible scam." Cpl. Sean Milne, Alberta RCMP Provincial Financial Crime Team

If you believe you may be a victim of fraud, or are currently being targeted by fraud, please report it to your local law enforcement and the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre (CAFC) at 1-888-495-8501. Instances of compromised personal and/or financial information should be reported to your bank and credit card company. To learn more about the various types of frauds and scams, please visit the CAFC's scam webpage.

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