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Issue 13

# Mundare News

### Council Updates

If you have a complaint or concern that needs to be addressed by council – please put in writing and forward to the Town Office. All New correspondence will be tabled at the next council meeting. Next **Council meeting February 2 & 16** 

## **Extension Cords**

Please make sure your cords are not left lying across the sidewalk!!!! This is becoming an issue for our equipment.

## <u>Licenses</u>

All Dog and Cat Licenses are now PAST due! Please call us so we can help you make arrangements to pay if you can't come in during business hours.

# CHANGES TO BYLAWS

As per budget discussions that took place at the January 19 council meeting bylaw 924/21 Garbage collection rates and 925/21 Utility rates were passed.

The changes for residential are as follows:

### Water Rates

-No increase to the base rates

-an increase of 0.06/m3 which is the increase from the John S. Batiuk Water Commission.

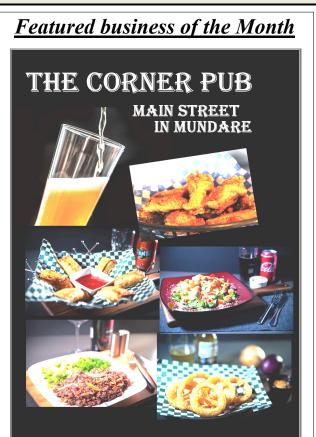
-an increase of 0.25 per month for the reserve fee.

### **Sewer Rates**

-increase of 2% from \$13.70 to \$14.00 -an increase of \$0.25 per month for the reserve fee.

### Garbage Collection rates

-no change in garbage bin collection rates -The cost increase to an average residential customer is \$17.94 per year, \$1.50 per month.



A Great Menu including Our Famous Wings & Special Korean Dishes! Perfect with a Cool Beer!

## WHAT'S NEW

### Mundare Fire & Rescue

Please put House numbers in a visible location on your house, as this has been an issue with recent emergencies . Ambulances do not have GPS and can not find you or your neighbors with out them.

#### Councilor Jason Kowal

Conducted his stuff a limo again this year for the food banks with great success. Stuff a limo total was 2716 pounds that was split between Vegreville and Lamont. Jason would like to thank the many residents, businesses, and students and staff at Mundare School for their donations!

<u>Royal Care Pharmacy</u> – Thank you to Harold Hawrylak for doing such a nice job on our sidewalks.

The staff at Royal Care Compounding Pharmacy would like to express our gratitude to the community of Mundare. The Response to our "Stocking Suffer for Seniors" program was **Tremendous!** 

The community of Mundare is so generous and supportive and everyone embraced the program wonderfully. We would also like to express a special thank-you to Lisa Euchuk as well for the beautiful handmade Christmas cards she prepared for us to give to the recipient's along with their gifts.

"Santa: and the elves delivered an SUV FULL of packages for the residents of Father Filas Manor/ Dr. Strilchuk self contained units. Thank you for making this "COVID" Christmas special for the seniors who have to remain in quarantine.

<u>Mundare Senior Citizens Club</u>– Annual board meeting is postponed to a later unknown date as per Alberta government regulations

#### Ukrainian Catholic Women's League

The UCWLC, Mundare Branch, recently celebrated it's 75th anniversary year. While the pandemic has put a halt to League activities, notably our perogy sales, the club is still active and looking forward to resuming business when conditions allow. To this end, members are reminded that 2021 memberships (\$20.00) are due and should be remitted to Sylvia Zacharkiw (treasurer) by the end of February

<u>Al's Mini Bobcat Services-</u> We Do Snow Removal and Barn Clean-up Servicing Mundare & Area call Al at (780)937-1010

<u>Mundare Pub</u>- Take out wings, bugogi noodles or rice, or many other items from our menu are still available. Please call (780)764-2043 to order <u>Communities in Bloom</u>- Update, Monday February 15, 2021 is Family Day. In the past we had hosted one of the events of the day, snowshoe rally and a wiener roast at Victory Park. This year, we are uncertain, because of Covid. As we await further announcements, we then will be making a decision about the event. Until then, please stay safe. Our next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, February 17. at 1:00pm** at the town civic Centre. I hope we will be able to meet.

# NURSE

# PRACTITIONER

# **Miriam Neufeld**

Is scheduled to be in Mundare at the Town Office (5128-50 Street)

Tuesday February 2, 10AM-3PM

Then Changing to.... EVERY WEDNESDAY starting February 10 !!

### To Book your appointment call: Monday to Thursday (780)603-4455

MUNDARE NEWS

Take Our Survey!

3. Click the Link that appears

1. Open your camera 2. Scan the code

# COVID-19 Impact Survey

In these difficult times you can do something important for your families, friends and neighbours. Please take time to do our survey. The information gathered will help us understand and respond to our community's needs.

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Survey closes March 12, 2021

**Multiple Ways to Participate!** 

Family and Community Support Services Lamont County Region

### **Online at:**

www.LamontCounty.ca/Community-Engagement

### **Over the Phone:**

Call 780-895-2233 Ext. 226 and FCSS staff will assist you in filling out the survey.

### Paper Copies are available!

Call 780-895-2233 to make arrangements to pick up a paper copy. These can be returned in the Lamont County Administration Building drop box or mailed to:

FCSS Lamont County Region Lamont County Administration Building 5303-50 Avenue, Lamont AB, TOB 2R0



### Questions? Contact us at 780-895-2233 or visit www.LamontCounty.ca/FCSS

FCSS Lamont County Region is dedicated to providing preventative social service programs that promote and facilitate the development of healthy families, individuals and communities. Your responses to this survey will help to develop programs and supports for the people in our communities most impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Thank you for your support!

## LIBRARY NEWS

#### AT THIS TIME, THE MUNDARE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC LIBRARY WILL REMAIN CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC

The library manager will continue to be on site Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The library doors will remain locked and there will be no in-person library service at this time. The Van Run from Northern Lights Library System will continue with weekly Thursday drop offs. Items will continue to be quarantined and will be available the following Tuesday pick up. With the approval of the Mundare Library Board, the Librarian will continue to offer curbside delivery:

- Patrons with items for pick up will be telephoned
- Items will be left on the table at the entrance to the Town of Mundare Administration Office.
- Pickups are available Monday to Friday during the hours of 9am-5 pm

Patrons wishing to renew their library cards/ obtain a library card or need help renewing an item or selecting an item may contact the library Tuesdays and Thursdays between the hours of 10:00 am and 4:00 pm.

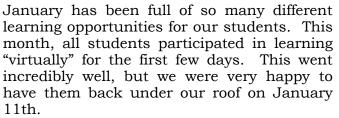
Messages can be left with the Town of Mundare or in an email ( librarian@mundare.ibrary.ab.ca ) if it is not possible for patrons to contact the library on a Tuesday or Thursday.

Books and other library items can be dropped off in the Book Return bin located near the library entrance.

**Sorry Computers are not available at this time.** Evelyn Henke Library Manager, Mundare Municipal Public Library

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# **MUNDARE SCHOOL**



January is a time to set personal goals and reset our energy to move us forward as learners. At the end of January and in early February teachers will be engaged in professional learning opportunities. School Advisory Council and our School Society continue to meet virtually. I would like to thank those parents who made time to attend-even during the recent snow squall! Society has revamped it's charter. If you are interested, please go to our school website, and look under the parents tab.

Reading is something that you can enjoy as a family at home. It stirs up your imagination

and sparks creativity. It's also a good way to give everyone a break from screen time (big screen or little screens). Take time each nightwhether you have a child at school or not, to read. Our local libraries and even our home libraries are great resources to pursue this goal. Recently, I just re-read The testament by John Grisham. I enjoyed it the second time as much as the first. Before you know it, the amount of sunlight will increase and outdoor pursuits and just work around the house/yard will increase. Make the most of this time and don't forget to get outside if you can! As always, if you are interested, the school newsletter is posted the first week of each month on the first page of the website.

Important Dates for February.

February 3, early out (dismiss 1 hour early) February 4 & 5 no school (Teachers Convention)

William Korec, Med , Principal

