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# Mundare News

We support the sustainable growth of our diverse community by building solid foundations for

success and providing an exceptional quality of life through progressive governance!

#### **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 May 4 & 18

#### Recycle Yard

No we do NOT accept grass clippings or yard debris, those need to go in your grey bin, we do however take branches, and trees, small appliances & batteries. Open every third Saturday of the month 10am-12noon

# Dog Park

As of now All animals should be licensed and when not in your yard they need to be on a leash as per bylaw 874/16. Fee for unlicensed a or at large animals is 75.00 The town did plan on building a dog park last year, but the fencing got stolen from our compound, so the park could not be built.

We are gathering information to see:

town?

Do you think it would be used much if we had one?

Would you like to see a dog park in

Where do you think would be a good place for one?

Please send your feedback to Jason Kowal at : jjkowal@telus.net

### Featured Business of the month:



(Joy & Charles)

It's been more than five years since we came to Mundare. Town of Mundare is a very meaningful place for us, as Mundare Foods is our first and only business in Canada.

We're very happy to serve this peaceful and warm community. We will do our best to be more convenient and comfortable grocery store.

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## WHAT'S NEW

Mundare Drop in Centre Memberships for the Senior Citizens Club are now due and anyone over age 18 can become a member. Sorry but we cancelled our perogy supper scheduled for May.

Chicken Coop - Kalyna Country Quilters are doing a fundraiser at the chicken coop. Quilted items will be sold to help us provide the funding we need for projects going towards the gift bags for newborns & young moms. We are looking for any used flannel sheets but any support is appreciated.

#### Mundare Parks Committee

Thank-you to everyone who donated bottles to our bottle drive. We raised close to \$1000 to go towards our pickle ball court. Special thank you to Morgan Calinoiu, Jeff Blackadder, Piper & Reeve Kobbero.

Mundare Pub— New Items on our menu, as well many other items from our menu are still available. Please call (780)764-2043 to order or come in order and eat in our picnic area out side.

<u>Communities in Bloom</u> – Is spring really here? YES!! We are thinking green!!

The last week of May we will begin planting the flower planters and will be looking for volunteers to assist us. If you are able to help, please phone Irene Talaga (780)764-3877 or Marg

Donaldson @ (780) 764-0996 Next meeting date is Monday, May 10, 2021 1:00pm at the Town Civic Building in the exercise room.

#### Do you Need a ride?

Do you need a ride for Doctors Appointments or to get groceries? Call Carol Laschuk at (780)632-9418

#### **Mundare Salon & Barber**

New Covid hours, I will be open for appointments only: Tuesday 9-5, Thursday 9-9, Friday 9-4. Sorry NO WALK INS.

#### Mundare Greenhouse-(Darvonda Nursery)

Darvonda Nursery is open to the public!! See you soon!

<u>Mundare ATB</u> – Branch hours have changed from 9:30am – 4pm Monday to Friday!

Whitetail Crossing Golf course— is Now O P E N!! checkout www.countryclubtour.com for further updates and memberships.



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## MUNDARE SCHOOL









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The weather has been quite mild, for Alberta standards, and April just flew right by! I hope that everyone is trying their level best to stay healthy and continue to support the health measures that keep

School life continues to move forward with students busily engaged in the last leg of their learning for this school year. Many are focused on achieving their literacy and numeracy goals and have made incredible gains this year. We are proud of our students!

As all of the snow recedes, we can see on our playground and also our town, that some things have come forward from beneath the snow, or have simply blown in with seasonal winds. We are very happy that the community comes to use our school playground on the evening and weekends, as the playground is a great addition to the outdoor spaces available to resident's. We ask that all users respect the school yard and playground space and deposit any masks, garbage, etc. into the containers provided. Thank you, everyone, for helping us keep this space safe for all of our students and for all residents, young and old, who come to this space after hours.

Soon, it will be time to get our hands in the garden and spend additional time on the deck. Enjoy the increasing hours of sunlight and an early Happy Mother's Day to all.

William Korec, M. Ed. Principal



# Goodbye Mealtime Struggles now online!



FREE introductory workshop for parents of children one to five years of age

Join an interactive discussion with other parents, a pediatric Occupational Therapist (OT) and a Registered Dietitian (RD).

- · Explore the various reasons behind mealtime struggles
- · Leave with strategies that best fit your child and family to help make mealtimes happy times

Upcoming 2021 workshops: April 21st: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m May 20th: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. June 17th: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

July 21st: 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Aug. 19th: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Sept. 16<sup>th</sup>: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

To register, call your local community health centre or Vegreville CHC at 780 632 3331. Your Zoom link will be emailed a day before the



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## LIBRARY NEWS







With heavy hearts, the family announced the sudden passing of Pat Tompkin in her home in Mundare on April 10,2021.

Pat served on the Mundare Library's Board of Trustees for approximately 30 years. Volunteers like Pat had the foresight and determination to organize a library for the community. As one of the founding Trustees, Pat donated her entire collection of books and substantial shelving to help with the library's initial start-up.

As an avid reader, Pat enjoyed holding an actual book while she read her favorite mysteries and classic literature. Pat offered suggestions for book purchases for the library, often recommended to her by her sister Beatirce. When Pat found a good book, she passed it along to fellow Board Member and friend Lois Zyla to read.

Pat was active in library fundraisers and volunteered countless hours working on the annual

calendar. Her gardening skills came in handy for Agri-daze and her love of baking, especially her gingerbread cookies, were a highlight at the Library's Christmas Extravaganza. In July of 1996 the first cookbook "A Taste of Mundare" was published as a library fundraiser; "Taste of Mundare Volume 2" followed. Funds from the sale of the cookbooks made it possible to expand and improve the library service.

Covid restrictions prevented the 25th anniversary celebration of the founding of the Mundare Municipal Public Library. We, the Board of Directors/ Mundare Library Board Trustees/Library Managers past and present, are saddened by Pat's passing and are considering various ways to honor her work with the library.

Evelyn Henke Mundare Municipal Public Library





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