

Mundare News

Recycle Yard

Open Second Saturday of the month, next date is **December 14 from 10am-noon**. Branches, wood, small electronics, batteries, LED bulbs accepted. Sorry **no** mattresses, fridges or freezers or other household waste will be accepted.

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. Council meeting will be December 10. There is only one in December

Taxes

There is a 5% discount on the municipal portion of you taxes if prepaid by January 31, 2020. A Monthly instalment payment program is also available, if your account is in good standing, forms for this are available at the town office. A 10% Penalty will be added to any outstanding taxes as of January 1, 2020. Contact us for details.

Christmas Extravaganza

Saturday, December 7

Mundare Recreation Center

11am-4pm
Huge Bake Sale
Food Concession
Christmas Craft Market
Raffle Table with proceeds going to the Christmas Hamper
Accepting Donations for the food bank

Town Civic Complex

Noon-3pm
Visit with Santa
(\$5.00 for pictures)
Sleigh rides, Hot Chocolate & Cookies

Servus Credit Union

1:30pm-3:00pm
Make it & Take it Christmas Ornament
with Door Prizes

Santa Claus Parade 5:00p.m.

Assembly at 4:30pm at Basilian
Fathers Museum
No Parade if temp falls below -20

Sponsored by Communities in Bloom, Mundare Library, Town of Mundare and Servus Credit Union

Merry Christmas

The town office will be closing at 1:00pm on December 24, and re-opening on December 27. We will be open until 1:00 on New years eve and closed New Years Day

Merry Christmas to everyone
from the council and staff at the Town of Mundare
Wishing you all health, wealth, and happiness

Happy New Year



Mundare Fire Department

Is holding a toy drive for
Edmonton Stollery Hospital.

Toys must be new and still
packaged.

Please drop your toys off at the
town office by December 20 for
the department and they will de-
liver on behalf of the town to
the Stollery
before Christmas

A R O U N D T O W N

Public Skating

Mundare Ag Society is scheduling Public Skating. The first date is Friday, December 6 from 5:30-7pm. For more dates and information please go to their web site www.mundareagsociety.com

Adult Volleyball

Every Friday at the school gym from 7-9 pm. Free of charge contact Shamus at (780)920-7641

Country Music Jams

Taking Place at the Mundare Recreation Center (5116-50 Ave) 1:00pm-4:30 pm
February 9, March 8, and April 12. Fee is \$10.00, and \$5.00 for musicians. For more information contact Bob (780)632-4141 or Charlie (780)764-3062

Mundare Drop in Centre

Next perogy dinner is not till February at the Mundare Drop in centre, watch for next date in the paper. Located at 5224-50 street. Take out is available.

Coffee talk runs Thursdays from 10-11:30am

Floor curling every Monday & Wednesday afternoon from 1-3pm

Always looking for new members anyone over the age of 18.

At the Corner Pub

Monday: Mundare Plate (All Day Long)

Tuesday: Caesar Day-Drink(All Day Long)

Wednesday: Wing Night(4pm-11pm)

Thursday: Free Pool (All Day Long)

Friday: Open Mic Night(9pm-1am)

Saturday: **Girls Night** (5pm-11pm)

Karaoke Free Night December 28 from 9pm-2:30 am with special *reduced prices* for all beers & drinks and a New DJ!!!

New Menu:

Traditional Korean Food

Bugogi Rice, Bugogi Noodles, Fried Rice with Beef, Ramyun (noodle soup /spicy or Mild)

Thank you and have a great day!!

C.I.B. Update

These past weeks have been very busy for our committee members with preparations for the upcoming Christmas extravaganza On Dec.7, 2019.

We have decorated the MRC and float. As well the phoning committee called the community residence for donations towards the huge bake sale. Thank you for your very generous donations

We would like to acknowledge the partnerships that make the events successful, Library board, Servus Credit Union, and Town of Mundare. If the weather cooperates the santa parade will go on. At this time we would like to wish you and your loved ones a very merry Christmas and a happy and healthy 2020.

Next meeting date is January 20, 1:00pm in the council chambers.

From 11-4 Market /Bake sale & Concession. 12-3 Sleigh rides and Santa and Make & Take 1:30-3 at Servus Credit Union . Parade at 5

Quality Pizza & Sub

New Items added to our menu:

Battered fried mushrooms

Battered fried shrimp

Fried Dill Pickles

Dry Ribs

Boneless Wings

Pasta & Spaghetti

Deal for the month of **December**

“Free 2 liter pop “ with any 2 medium or 2 large Pizzas.

Phone (780)764-2233 to place your order with us today. We would also like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Thank you for your continued support.

MIH Foundation Project

The Mary Immaculate Hospital (Mundare) Foundation is in the process of purchasing a 2020 20-passenger bus to replace the aging and ailing current bus. This bus will be used for trips taken by the residents of Mary Immaculate Care Centre. Donations (of any monetary value) to this project are being solicited and will be greatly appreciated. Cheques are payable to the Mary Immaculate Hospital (Mundare) Foundation and can be delivered to the Care Centre in person or by mail to Box 349, Mundare. Charitable receipts will be issued. For more information, contact Sylvia Zacharkiw, Foundation Chair at (780)764-4044

County of Lamont Food Bank Christmas Hamper

We are accepting applications for Christmas Hampers starting Monday, November 18. Application deadline is Thursday, December 12. Hamper pickup/delivery will be Sunday, December 22 at Lamont Rec Center. Volunteers are welcome. Call (780) 619-6955 to request a hamper.

Lotus Garden Restaurant

Will be OPEN from 11am-8pm on December 24 and December 26. They will be closed December 25,26 and January 1. We would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, thank you for your patronage.

AROUND TOWN CONT.

Basilian Fathers Museum

Wishes everyone a Merry Christmas, festive holiday season and a prosperous 2020!

Museum Hours: Monday to Friday 10:00am-4:00pm

Admission by donation. Group tours are preferred by appointment.

The museum will be closed from December 20, to January 20, 2020.

If you have any questions, please call us at (780)764-3887

Royal Care Guardian Pharmacy

Flu shots available Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:30-5 as well as Thursday 10-5:30.

Seniors Property Tax Deferral Program

Program Information

The seniors Property Tax Deferral Program allows you to defer all, or part, of your residential property taxes through a low-interest home equity loan with the Government of Alberta.

The program will pay the property taxes to your municipality on your behalf. You repay the loan, with interest, when you sell your home, are no longer eligible for the loan, or sooner if you choose.

Eligibility

You may apply for a loan on your primary residence if you are:

- * age 65 or older (only one spouse/partner needs to be 65) and listed as a registered owner of a residential permanent resident of Canada.
- * A Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada
- * An Alberta resident

You must also have a minimum of 25% equity in your primary residence.

What can be Deferred

You can defer residential property taxes owed to a municipality. This may include outstanding arrears and penalties.

Winter Clothing Give—and—Take

The response to this event was once again overwhelming. Thanks to all of you who dropped off winter clothing. You made many people very happy. Leftover clothing was donated to the Bissel Centre and monetary donations were given to the Food Bank.

A HUGE THANKS to my 14 wonderful volunteers who gave up many hours of their time setting up tables, sorting clothing, assisting “Shoppers” and then packing and cleaning up. Your help was very much appreciated. Judy, thank-you also for facilitating this event with the Drop-In Center.

Thanks again,
Charlotte McKellar

Registered Charges Affecting Eligibility for a Loan

Charges registered against your home may prevent you from being able to repay your loan. You must remove these charges from your land title certificate before you can qualify for a loan. Some examples are:

- * Bankruptcy
- * Certificate of lis pendens (pending litigation)
- * Maintenance enforcement
- * Reverse mortgage

To Apply

You can apply to the program at any time but are encouraged to apply at least 30 days before the residential property tax deadline. This will allow the program enough time to process your application, forward payment to your municipality and avoid penalties.

Repayments

The loan and interest can be repaid at any time without penalties. Monthly repayments are not required

For more Information

Phone Alberta Supports Contact Centre

Toll-free in Alberta 1-877-644-9992

Or Edmonton and area 780-644-9992

Website: alberta.ca/seniors-property-tax-deferralprogram.aspx

Mail:

Seniors Property Tax Deferral Program

PO Box 1200 Stn Main

Edmonton, AB T5J 2M4

LIBRARY NEWS

Please note that the librarian may not be available at the time of the programs

Please register with the library before programs so we can have enough craft supplies and peanut/nut free snacks.

Tuesday, December 3—2:15 to 3:15 p.m.

Tick-Tock, Drip-Drop

Rabbit is trying to get to sleep. However the noise of the clock ticking, the faucet dripping and the cat purring are driving him mad. Then it is Rabbit who is keeping Mole awake. Will these tired friends ever get a good nights sleep?

Tuesday, December 17—, 2:15 to 3:15 p.m.

The Adventures of Underwater Dog

Whenever there's trouble on the waterfront, Underwater Dog dives right in! Children will be introduced to a very clever and loveable new hero at story time.

The library will be CLOSED during Christmas from December 24 to January 2, 2020.

When visiting Mundare Public Library, children aged 12 and younger must be accompanied by an adult at all times.

Stock upon all your favorite books for the Christmas Season. Happy Holidays! Merry Christmas!

"Snow much To Read: Our winter reading program begins in January. Ask for more information at the library and find out how you can participate!
Snow much fun!!

Library Hours:

Monday & Tuesday 12-6pm
Thursday 10am-5pm



MUNDARE SCHOOL



Like the elves in Santa's workshop, our students are working away at their learning. They are also busily preparing for our annual Christmas concert and for the many school and community activities set aside for the month of December. Hopefully, we will see you at our upcoming Christmas concerts.

Our community school recently hosted a very successful parent information night about personal internet safety. This presentation was very generously coordinated by Constable Lappa and hosted by our own parent council. A great deal of valuable information was shared with parents.

Mundare students have also started skating at the arena and as always, they are looking to

master the fine art of balancing themselves on the ice. Students are collecting a variety of non-perishable goods for the Lamont County Food Hamper program. We thank you, in advance, for your anticipated generous support of this worthy initiative. This county initiative helps a wide cross-section of residents within the entire county. Please consider supporting them by donating food items or your time. On behalf of the staff and students at our school, I would like to wish you a very Merry Christmas and a Healthy and prosperous New Year!!

Don't forget to pick up a good book to read over the holiday break.

William Korec, Med
Principal-Mundare School



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