

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 January 19

Taxes

There is a 5% discount on the municipal portion of you taxes if prepaid by January 31, 2021. 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, 2021. Contact us for details.

Licenses

All Dog and Cat Licenses are now due!



Mundare
Communities in
Bloom
Light-up
WINNERS

Thank– you to all who participated and put lights up this year, rather you had lots or a little, it did not matter, but in doing so, I believe you helped lift up some spirits! It was nice to drive around and see all the lights and yards decorated. Even the seniors who were able to go around in the bus to see the lights, thought it was fantastic!! Great job Mundare!



Thank-you to our judges Jodie Conley and Bob & Debbie Gratton!!

WHAT'S NEW

Communities in Bloom-Congratulations to the winners of Light-Up Mundare!!

Check their lights out at 5311-53 Avenue, 5112-49 Street, 32 Whitetail Point, and Unit 7 in the Father Kryzanowsky Villa, this was an enjoyable but difficult task for the judges as there was 139 decorated/lite up houses!!

Next meeting scheduled is Monday, January 18, 2121 at 1:00pm in the council chambers (if permitted)

At last, "Good-Bye" to 2020, Welcome to 2021! May your New Year be Happy, Healthy and prosperous

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U-do-it crafts & Alterations- Holiday Hours Closed December 24-January 5, 2021

Merry Christmas from all of us and have a safe Holiday Season.

Nurse Practitioner

is scheduled for Mundare **January 5 and 19 from 10 am-3pm in the Town Administration Building.** For an appointment please call (780)603-4455 Extension 1 Monday to Thursday.

If there is no answer, please leave a message and someone will call you back. If you would like more information on what a Nurse Practitioner can do for you, please check our website, facebook page or call the town office.

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

Mundare Pub- Take out is still available!

Royal Care Pharmacy- Thank you to everyone who helped with our stocking stuffer program!! What a response, your kindness and generosity are greatly appreciated.

Queen Cluck Cluck and her Chicks Do it Again!!!!



The Kalyna Country Quilters have been together since 2002. We have been a small but mighty charity driven group. This year our project was giving to those who have during these trying and scary times something in return as a thank you. We chose the staff who have been working so hard in keeping our seniors safe in our community at the long term center in Mundare. 58 quilts will be handed out to the staff who will pick up individually at the Chicken Coop. Hopefully when it is safer to do so we can get to take a photo with some of the staff members. The women who have made these quilts possible are the greatest team I have worked with. The Kalyna Quilters have made close to 2000 quilts and many other projects like dresses and shorts for kids overseas, vanity bags for the homeless, 315 bags delivered in October, 100 kids quilts to the Elves Society in October. We are busy making 30 more quilts for the patients at the long term center hopefully to be delivered end of February.

We are a non profit group and if you would like to know how you can help call Val at the Chicken Coop in Mundare



MARY IMMACULATE AUXILIARY

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Thank you one and all for your donations to the Auxiliary in lieu of the annual bake sale. As you can see, we have put the funds to very good use. The Auxiliary can be contacted c/o Box 349, Mundare; by phoning (780)764-2447; by contacting any of the Auxilians or via email: mundareauxiliary@mcsnet.ca .

Along with the annual fundraising, the Auxiliary has been busy completing its annual Christmas projects for the residents of Mary Immaculate Care Centre. Individual Auxilians have stepped up to complete the tasks usually done by the entire group.

Poinsettias: The Auxiliary donated 8 festive red Darvonda poinsettias. The bright colours were sure to add a Christmas glow throughout the building.

Christmas gifts: From the Auxiliary, each resident received a fuzzy Sherpa style throw to keep them warm while in their wheelchairs or having a nap. Thanks to a local community member, the Auxiliary was able to purchase the throws at a good price.

Christmas stockings: Always fun to do, the stockings were filled with goodies such as chocolate Santa's & coins, cookies, socks and hand creams. Once delivered, the Care Centre Santa elves made certain the stockings were in place for Christmas Day. Again, community members showed their Christmas spirit by

donating a number of the stocking fillers. Thank you!

Christmas cards: Each resident has received Christmas cards in the "mail" and in their gift bags. The cards, put on display in their rooms, bring joy to the residents long after the gifts have been put away.

Christmas tree: Because visitors were not allowed inside the Care Centre, the Auxiliary put up a Christmas tree outside of the residents' dining room window. It was colourfully decked out with garland, ornaments and Light-a-Lites - a festive sight for the residents as they enjoyed their meals. The tree has had to be rescued a few times due to high winds but, it's persevering.

Nativity Scene: Thank you to St. Joseph's Home for the use of its Nativity Scene. It offers the opportunity to reflect upon the meaning of Christmas as one passes by.

Members always have fun organizing projects for the residents. After January membership renewals and Executive elections, auxilians will begin work on ideas for 2021. New members are always welcome, contact information as above.

Best Wishes for a happy & healthy New Year!



NOW OPEN

NEW BUSINESS HOURS:

Friday 11:00 am-4:00 pm

Saturday 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Monday 11:00am- 4:00 pm

Now Located at 5012- 50 Avenue

Basilian Fathers Museum

Need a Christmas gift for someone special? Please visit us at the Basilian Fathers Museum . Ideas include books, ornaments, puzzles, cookbooks, cards, and much, much more!!! Museum hours: Monday –Friday 10:00am-4:00pm. Closed December 15—January 15.



Merry Christmas and Blessings for a Prosperous 2021!!

LIBRARY NEWS

During January the Mundare Municipal Public Library will be CLOSED to the public.

Staff will be on site on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (except for January 12th when staff will not be available).

While the library manager will be onsite, patrons must REMAIN OUTSIDE THE LIBRARY as the door will be locked. Premier Kenney has announced, that as of Sunday December 13th at 12:01 a.m. all public libraries must close to the public. There will be no in-person library service until at least mid January. And perhaps beyond.

With the approval of the Mundare Library Board, the library will keep the **curbside delivery in place.**

Curbside pickup items will be left on the table at the entrance to the Town of Mundare building. Pickups are available Monday to Friday during office hours for the Town of Mundare. Patrons with items for pick up will be notified by telephone. Please note that there will be no van run until January 14th.

Books can be dropped off in the Book Return bin located near the library entrance (at the back of the town office building). Returned items will continue to be quarantined for 72 hours, checked in, and put back on the shelves or in the van run.


Patrons wishing to renew their library cards / obtain a library card or need help with renewing a book or selecting an item for curbside pickup can contact the library manager:

Tuesday and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Telephone 780-764-3929 and ask for the library.
E-mail: librarian@mundarelibrary.ab.ca (emails will be answered on Tuesdays and Thursdays).

Messages for the library manager can be left with the Town of Mundare if it is not possible for patrons to contact the library on a Tuesday or Thursday. Please visit www.mundarelibrary.ab.ca for up to date information on the library.

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

Meals in Motion for Seniors



Are you a senior struggling to come up with a meal, or just plain tired of cooking. Let us help you.

FCSS, along with Elk Island Catering, and CALC, have a program to help support you.

Meals in Motion for Seniors
\$5.00/meal for nutritious pre frozen meals

Deliveries will be on
Tuesdays and Thursdays each week

Elk Island Catering For inquiries or to order meals please call
FCSS Lamont County Region at
780-895-2233 Ext. 226 FCSS


FUN FACTS :

While Scotland proudly boasts the Loch Ness Monster, one of the world's most famous fabled creatures, the country opted to make another mythical beast its **national animal**: the unicorn. Although this might seem like an odd choice, [Visit Scotland](http://VisitScotland) explains that unicorns played an integral role in the country's history. Back in the 12th century, William I used the "proud beast" in the Scottish royal coat of arms.

Funny Quotes:

If you think you are too small to make a difference, try sleeping with a mosquito

Dalai Lama




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