

TOWN NEWS AND NOTICES

BRUDERHEIM SADDENED BY LOSS OF COUNCILLOR BOTTORFF—

Statement from Mayor Karl Hauch: "It is with great sadness that we learned Councillor Garry Bottorff passed away early April 24th. Our thoughts are with his wife Sue, and family. The Town of Bruderheim extends our condolences and prayers to them during this difficult time and ask that the privacy of the Bottorff family be respected. Garry was a friend to all those who met him and a passionate leader in the community. He will be greatly missed."

OFFICE CLOSURE—The Bruderheim Town Office will be closed Monday, May 21st for Victoria Day.

MAY COUNCIL MEETINGS—Please note that the May 2nd Council meeting will commence at 6:00 pm. A Special Meeting of Council will be held on May 9th at 6:00pm to finalize the 2018 Budget.

MUNICIPAL CENSUS—Census enumerators are out gathering census information. Please count yourself in! People can come in to the Town Office to complete census information with complete confidentiality.

STREET SWEEPING—Street sweeping will commence April 30th to May 3rd. Crews will start on the west side of West Woodlands and work toward the east side of Bruderheim, sweeping all main arterial roads. Due to mechanical breakdowns of contractor's equipment, the tentative schedule for completing residential streets is May 7th to May 12th. Please watch for "No Parking" signs in your neighbourhood and move vehicles from the streets during this time in order to assist Public Works in removing all debris from gutters and roadways. Thank you for your cooperation.

METRO KALYN COMMUNITY LIBRARY—Summer is coming and so is our FREE Summer Reading Program for kids! Drop by the library for details.

PITCH IN—From April 30th to May 5th, we would like to encourage you to take a walk around and clean up your neighbourhood. Bags are available at the Town Office. Thank you for your participation and efforts in cleaning up our local environment!

CAMPGROUND OPENING—Stay and play in Bruderheim! Enjoy our small-town atmosphere in Alberta's central region with a relaxing stay at the Bruderheim Campground, set to open May 4th, weather permitting. Serviced and un-serviced lots available. More information is available on the Town website.

2017 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS—Council has approved the 2017 audited financial statements for the Town of Bruderheim. This is an annual requirement of Alberta Municipal Affairs. The statements are now available for viewing by the public on the Bruderheim website or during regular office hours at the Metro Kalyn Community Library.

2018 TAX NOTICES—Combined assessment and tax notices will be sent to all property owners by May 31, 2018. The 2018 tax levies are due on June 30th, 2018. For more information please visit the Town website.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS WEEK (MAY 6-12)—Emergency Preparedness Week is an opportunity to encourage Canadians to take concrete actions to be better prepared to protect themselves and their families during emergencies. This year's theme is "Be Emergency Ready". Visit www.getprepared.ca for more information.

SAFETY REMINDER—Remember to stay back a safe distance from rushing water. Walking or playing in flood water is dangerous, just six inches of rushing water can knock an adult over and even less for a child.



TOWN OFFICE

Monday to Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm
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www.bruderheim.ca
Community Peace Officer Contact:
780-449-0170
Fort Sask RCMP: 780-992-6100

IMPORTANT DATES

- **May 4:** Community Park Steak Night Fundraiser
- **May 5:** Seniors Community Breakfast, 8-11 am at Seniors Centre
- **May 7:** Ages & Stages Developmental Screening, 10-2 at the Arena
- **May 10:** Crime Prevention Workshop
- **May 14:** Large Item Pick-Up
- **May 24:** Seniors Community Potluck, 6:00 pm at Seniors Centre
- **May 26:** Community Garage Sale
- **May 28:** Lions Bingo, 6:30 pm at Community Hall
- **May 30:** Xpressions Dance Studio Year End Show, 5:30 in Bruderheim School Gym
- **June 2:** Meteorite Cup

METRO KALYN COMMUNITY LIBRARY

The library's hours of operation:
Monday & Friday Closed
Tuesday & Thursday 3-8 pm
Wednesday 11-4 pm
Saturday 10-3 pm



EVENTS

Join us for the **Bruderheim Community Park Fundraiser Steak Dinner** with comedian Ken Valgardson as feature artist. Sure to be a fun evening of entertainment, good food, 50/50 tickets, and silent auction. May 4th, doors open at 5:00 pm. Visit the Town website for more information.

The **Ages & Stages Developmental Screening** is an assessment tool designed to screen the developmental performance of children aged 1 month to 5.5 years Call to book your appointment for an assessment in Bruderheim on Monday, May 7th from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Karol Maschmeyer Arena Youth Centre. 780-895-2233, ext. 244.

The **Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design Workshop** will be offered May 10th, 7:00pm at the Fire Hall as part of Emergency Preparedness Week. Residents are invited to come and learn how to mitigate crime on their property by evaluating landscape design and placement of items on-site.

Book your table now for Bruderheim's **Community Garage Sale** May 26th. 9:00 am to 4:00 pm in the Karol Maschmeyer Arena. To donate garage sale items, or to reserve a table, contact the Town Office. Limited space available—book early! Accepting items May 7th.

Don't miss another epic street hockey battle with this year's annual Street Hockey Tournament, the **Meteorite Cup** on June 2nd. Celebrity guests, beer gardens, children's activities and more! 10:00 am to 11:00 pm at the Karol Maschmeyer Arena. Save the date to spend **Canada Day, July 1st** celebrating in Bruderheim! We have another full day of exciting events coming your way. Stay tuned for more information.

FCSS / PROGRAMMING

Archery continues in Bruderheim! Open to all, the program runs Thursday evenings December through to May in the Walker School basement. All ages shoot from 7:00 - 9:30 pm. This month's dates include May 3rd and 10th. This program is offered thanks to Lamont and Fort Saskatchewan Fish & Game Associations. For info call Murray at (780) 895-2799.

Join **Bruderheim Parents & Tots** (for newborn to 6 years) Wednesdays 10:00 am–noon at the Karol Maschmeyer Arena Youth Centre, and **Gymboree** (for newborn to 5 years) Fridays 9:30am–11:30am at the Bruderheim Community Hall. Play, learn, connect! (780) 895-2233 ext. 244 or toll free @ 1-877-895-2233 ext. 244; erin.t@lamontcounty.ca.

The **Youth Centre** in the Arena is open Tuesday and Thursday evenings. 4:00–6:00 all ages, 6:00–8:00 Junior and Senior High students. **Drop-In Gym Night** continues at the Bruderheim School Mondays from 4:00–7:00 for children/family and 7:30–10:00 for 16 years and up.

COMMUNITY CLINIC NEWS

The Town of Bruderheim is committed to providing residents with health care options. We are excited to welcome:

- **Dr. Bradley Basaraba, a Chiropractor** with a special interest in Chiropractic Neurology in Bruderheim part-time on Wednesday mornings. Call 780-466-7202 to book an appointment.
- **LeeAnne Egan, a Reflexologist** who offers foot reflexology, hand reflexology, face and ear reflexology, and Ayurvedic Indian Head Massage services. Call 587-989-3880 to book an appointment or visit www.soulofmyfootreflexology.ca.
- **Dr. David Gibbs, a Podiatrist** with over 20 years of experience practicing podiatric medicine (foot care). He also provides services at the Lamont Health Centre and at a clinic in Edmonton. Please call (780) 432-7877 to make an appointment.
- **Primary Care Network (PCN) workshops:** Please watch the Town Newsletters for upcoming sessions.

COMMUNITY CORNER

Agricultural Society

Meets 2nd Tues of each month, 7:00pm in the Walker School. New members welcome. The Walker School Museum will be open for tours Thursday evenings 7:00-8:30. We are looking for stories of growing up in Bruderheim and/or attending Walker School. 780-796-3357

Aikido

Martial arts for students 4 years to adult. www.onkondojo.ca

Communities in Bloom

Committed to fostering civic pride and environmental responsibility through community involvement. 780-796-3685

Girl Guides of Canada

For girls ages 5-15; Sparks, Brownies, Guides and Pathfinders meet Thursdays in Bruderheim. For info or to register visit www.girlguides.ca. 780-977-0304

Heartland Citizens on Patrol

A group of volunteers in Fort Saskatchewan, Bruderheim and Lamont who act as the eyes and ears of the RCMP. Heartlandcop@gmail.com

Lioness Club

Meets 2nd Wed of each month, 7:30pm in the Community Centre. 780-796-3952

Lions Club

Meets 2nd Thurs of each month, 7:30 pm in the Walker School. Please visit our Facebook page - Bruderheim Lions Club for more information. Join us for monthly bingo night on May 28th, 6:00 pm in the Community Hall.

Minor Sports Association

Online hockey registration opens May 1st. Another exciting soccer season is upon us! For more info please visit www.bruderheimminorsports.com

Seniors Club

Join us for: Community Breakfast (May 5th), Bus to Shop (May 17th), and Potluck Supper (May 24th). Happy Mother's Day! 780-796-3758