

February 28, 2020



TOWN OF BEAVERLODGE BEAVER TAILS E-NEWS

COUNCIL CORNER

Mayor

Gary Rycroft

Councillors

Cal Mosher

Hugh Graw

Gena Jones

Terry Dueck

Cindy Corbett

Judy Kokotilo - Bekkerus



Next Council Meetings

March 9, 2020

March 23, 2020

7:00pm

Council Chambers

FIRE DEPARTMENT RECRUITMENT

The Beaverlodge Fire Department is a volunteer organization that prides itself on providing professional fire & rescue services to the community. We are seeking motivated, enthusiastic individuals to join our team of dedicated members. No previous experience is required and all training/certifications will be provided. Candidates are required to provide a driver's abstract, and criminal record check in conjunction with their application.

The 2020 Recruitment Intake is currently in process.

Potential candidates will be contacted for an interview prior to being offered a position. Candidates should reside within 10 minutes of the Beaverlodge Fire Station.

Contact Chief Stan Metcalfe at (780)933-8168 or
firechief@beaverlodge.ca for additional information.

MEDIA RELEASE

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a Special Council Meeting has been called, as per Section 194(1)a of the Municipal Government Act, Statutes of Alberta, 2000, Chapter M-26-1. The Special Council Meeting relating to the 2020 Town of Beaverlodge Budget will take place on March 4, 2020 from 9:00 AM until 4:00 PM and will be held in Council's Chambers at the Town Office, 400 10th Street.

(Matters may be discussed in private under Section 21 of the
Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act)

PASSIONATE HEART AWARD WINNERS

The 14th Annual Passionate Heart Awards were held on February 14, 2020 at Revolution Place in Grande Prairie.

This event is sponsored by Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) in the City of Grande Prairie, County of Grande Prairie, Towns of Beaverlodge, Sexsmith and Wembley, and the Village of Hythe. The Passionate Heart Awards celebrate people and organizations who contribute significantly to their community, enhance social services in the region, and are dedicated to improving quality of life.

Beaverlodge was fortunate to have two award recipients recognized during the event.

Passionate Heart Exceptional Service Award

Constable Joy Ajele - Beaverlodge RCMP

Samantha Cabral - Beaverlodge Victim Services Unit Manager

We thank these ladies for their continued service and dedication to our community and its residents.



AROUND TOWN

Thank You

The Town of Beaverlodge Public Works Department would like to extend their extreme gratitude to The County of Grande Prairie, Town of Wembley and Village of Hythe for all of their support while our sander was down over the past while. We appreciated the ongoing assistance.

We are now back up and running for the remainder of the winter months!

Tourism Ireland Global Greening

In celebration of St. Patrick's Day 2020, Tourism Ireland has invited the Giant Beaver to be part of the Global Greening initiative, an international campaign which sees iconic buildings, landmarks and sites across the world lit green on St. Patrick's Day. The Town of Beaverlodge is excited to participate and the Beaver will be lit up green on March 16 & 17, 2020!

RCMP & FIRE STATS

BEAVERLODGE RCMP STATS

There was a total of 101 calls within the town in the month of January

- 53 calls of Traffic Offenses -52 were cleared by Charge
- 0 Break and Enter (Residences and Commercial Buildings)
- 5 Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property
- 3 False Alarms
- 1 Thefts (Including all theft related offences, vehicles and property)
- 4 Motor Vehicle Collisions (Non-injury, injury, animal collision)

BEVELODGE FIRE DEPARTMENT STATS

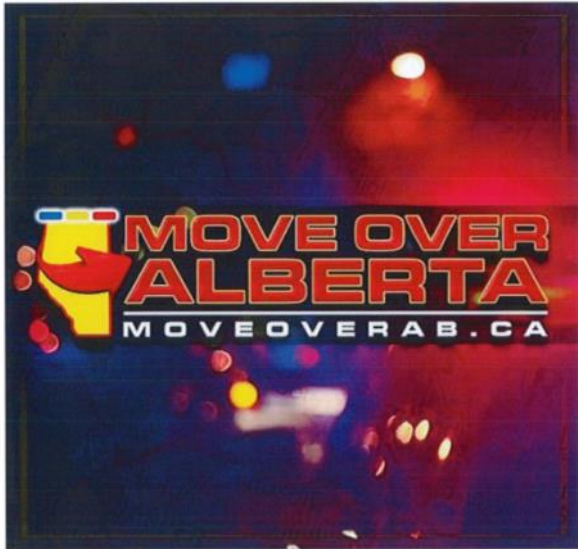
There were 25 calls for service in January.

- 11 in the Town, 14 in the County.
- 3 Carbon Monoxide alarms.
- 2 false alarms.
- 12 medical co response.
- 1 smoke detector alarm.
- 3 motor vehicle collisions.
- 2 structure fires.
- 2 vehicle fires.

TOWN ACTIVITIES & PROGRAMS

Beaverlodge Fire Department

March 7, 2020 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM



Service Canada Mobile Outreach Clinic

Service Canada will be in your community to offer the following services:

Social Insurance Number Applications

-please bring your birth certificate & if applicable the following documentation:
marriage certificate, work permit, or citizenship certificate

Employment Insurance Enquiries

Canada Pension Plan Enquiries

Old Age Security Enquiries

Guaranteed Income Supplement Enquiries

When:

March 12th, 2020

10:00am-12:00pm

Where:

Beaverlodge
FCSS
400-10th Street

TOWN EMPLOYMENT



Box 30, Beaverlodge, AB T0H 0C0

Phone: 780.354.2201

Fax: 780.354.2207

The Town of Beaverlodge is looking for a Permanent Full Time Municipal Operator Level 3

We are looking for a heavy equipment operator with sewer and water experience, an established track record of client satisfaction, crew safety, and teamwork. This individual has a direct impact on the Town of Beaverlodge's success, safety record, reputation, and bottom line. The Heavy Equipment Operator will support the Public Works Manager as well as the crew.

This position requires a minimum of 5 years experience as a heavy equipment operator. Closing Date is March 19, 2020.

Please see our website www.beaverlodge.ca or contact hr@beaverlodge.ca for more information.

RECREATION CENTER CLASSES

EXTENDED PUBLIC SWIM AT THE BEAVELODGE RECREATION CENTER DURING TEACHERS' CONVENTION

MARCH 5 11:00AM-3:00PM
MARCH 6TH 11:00AM-3:00PM



Come down and enjoy
some extra swim time in
the pool!



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Upcoming Lifeguarding Courses 2020

Beaverlodge West County Recreation Center

1016 4th Avenue (780) 354 2203

Bronze Medallion



Prerequisites: Bronze Star or 13 yrs or older

Course Cost: \$170

Bronze medallion teaches four components of water rescue education: judgement, knowledge, skills, and fitness. Rescuers learn tows, carries, and defense and release methods in preparation for challenging rescues of conscious and unconscious victims. Includes CPR A and AED.

Dates: February 21st -Friday, 4pm-9pm
February 22nd -Saturday, 9am-5pm
February 23rd -Sunday, 9am-5pm

Bronze Cross



Course Cost: \$125

Prerequisites: Bronze Medallion and Emergency First Aid or Standard First Aid certifications (need not be current). Designed for lifesavers who want the challenge of more advanced training including an introduction to safe supervision in aquatic facilities. Bronze Cross is a prerequisite for all advanced training programs including National Lifeguard and Instructor certification. Includes a timed 600 m swim.

Dates: March 27th -Friday 4pm-9pm
March 28th -Saturday 9am-5pm
March 29th -Sunday 9am-5pm

National Lifeguard



Course Cost: \$395

Prerequisites: Must be a minimum of 16 years old. Bronze Cross certification and standard first aid. The National Lifeguard certification is the standard measurement of lifeguard performance in Canada. The course is designed to develop sound understanding of lifeguarding principles, good judgement and a mature responsible attitude toward the role of lifeguard. The program emphasizes teamwork, leadership, communications and the prevention of accidents and the treatment of medical emergencies.

Dates: To Be Announced

Bronze Star



Course Cost: \$125

Prerequisite: None (Not a requirement to become a lifeguard)

The Bronze Star is excellent preparation for success in the Bronze Medallion. Participants develop problem-solving and decision-making skills individually and in partners. Candidates learn CPR and develop the lifesaving skills needed to be their own lifeguard. Includes a timed 400 m swim.

Dates: June 12th -Friday 4pm-9pm
June 13th -Saturday 9am-5pm
June 14th -Sunday 9am-5pm

***All courses require a minimum
of 6 participants to occur***

Home School Swimming LESSONS



February 3rd-13th 2:30pm-3:00pm #2537
March 9th - 19th 2:30pm-3:00pm #2538

MORE INFO OR TO
REGISTER:
CALL 780 354 2203

www.beaverlodge.ca



Swimming Lessons & Fitness Schedule are both
available on our website (www.beaverlodge.ca)
and Facebook.



If you would like more information contact
the Recreation Center at:

(780) 354-2203

