

DECEMBER 2018



Village Office Hours Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM {P} 780-889-3774 {F} 780-889-2280 128 Main St. Box 60 Heisler, AB T0B 2A0 Email: administration@villageofheisler.ca The Village Office has a 24 hour mail drop box for your convenience. PLEASE – NO CASH in the drop box. Thank you! Public Works Foreman {P} 306-421-4168



January Newsletter Deadline December 19, 2018





Merry Christmas from the Village of Heisler Council & Staff Bonnie, Brandon and Jon & Jordan , Susannah and Heidi

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<u>These are some of the resolutions passed at the</u> <u>November 9, 2018 Regular Council Meeting</u>:

- To give **first** reading to Bylaw #513-18 the Intermunicipal Development Plan bylaw.
- To give **first** reading to Bylaw #515-18 the amendment to #452-11 the Land Use bylaw.
- To give **first** reading to Bylaw #516-18 the Municipal Development Plan bylaw.
- To except the Flagstaff Regional Fire Services Business & Implementation Plan as information.
- To approve the 2.9% increase for the 2019 Flagstaff Waste budget.

Date for next regular Council Meeting and Public Hearing:

IDP Village of Heisler Bylaw #513-18 & Flagstaff County Bylaw #16/18, LUB Amendment #515-18 to Bylaw#452-11 LUB and MDP Bylaw # 516-18.

December 14, 2018 @ 7:00 p.m.

All meetings are open to the public & citizens are encouraged to attend

If you have a concern that you would like addressed by council and wish to make a presentation, please contact the village office at least <u>one week</u> prior to the meeting to fill out a delegation form.

Our Website: www.villageofheisler.ca







PROPERTY TAXES ARE DUE BY DECEMBER 31, 2018

Any outstanding balances will receive a 16% penalty after Dec 31, 2018 as of Bylaw # 451-11.

PLEASE DO NOT PLACE CASH IN THE DROP BOX

Attention Heisler Property Owners/Occupants:

Snow removal season is now upon us. Please remember that every occupant or owner of any property, other than a residential property shall within twenty-four (24) hours (excluding Sundays and holidays) after a snowfall, remove all snow and ice from any sidewalk adjacent to said property. Every occupant or owner of any residential property shall within seventy-two (72) hours (excluding Sundays and holidays) after a snowfall, remove all snow and ice from any sidewalk adjacent to the said property pursuant to the Snow Removal Bylaw.

If you are going to be away, please ensure someone shovels your sidewalk and please do not string electrical cords (for block heaters, etc.) across sidewalks.







The Heisler Community Sausage Supper Committee

would again like to thank all community members who helped to make our community supper a success. Donations of food items and your time from set up to clean up is very much appreciated by everyone.

We put through 550 people and had 72 train people visit our supper this year. Cash donations have been made to the Heisler community hall for new chairs and to the Flagstaff food bank.

Roman Catholic Family of Daysland, Heisler, Killam & Parishes Daysland-Our Lady of the Prairies Church Heisler-St. Martin Church Killam-St. Joseph Church Sep 1, 2018 - Mar 3, 2019 WEEKEND MASS TIMES St. Martin • Heisler • Saturday @ 7pm OLP • Daysland • Sunday @ 9pm St. Joseph • Killam • Sunday @ 9pm





Find us on Facebook. We are The Heisler Public Library. Please 'like' & 'share' our page. Recommend any books you have read. Post your favorites.

^ahe Heisler library is a proud member of Parkland Regional Library system, a cooperative of 50 public libraries across central Alberta. With your library membership, you are a member of 50 other unique libraries and have access to their services.

Thank you to everyone who purchased a community calendar. This supports the library as well as benefits the community!

We are very appreciative for donations given to our library from local patrons. This includes both monetary amounts and gently used hard covered books. Thanks very much.

Our new book purchases are displayed up front in the library for easy recognition and access.

The County Kit children's books have recently been exchanged for another selection of 200 hard covered books.

You will also find Christmas selections for children or adults.

The library has a few extra Community calendars if anyone

Parkland Regional Library has three new electronic resources now available for patrons that now appears on the Heisler library website. Go to **heislerlibrary@prl.ab.ca**.

Ancestry Library Edition

- Genealogy resource
- In library access only, which includes devices attached to the library Wi-Fi.

Consumer Reports

- Product testing and reviews from the experts
- Note that everyone uses the same generic library account, so features in the My CR account have limited functionality.

<u>Solaro</u>

 Homework help and practice tests for the Alberta grades 3-12 curriculum.

would like to purchase one for \$10.00 each.



CHRISTMAS IN HEISLER SUNDAY, DEC 2, 2018 10:00AM-2:00PM HEISLER COMMUNITY HALL MARKET WITH OVER 30 VENDORS

HAY RIDES SANTA PICTURES SANTA BAGS DONATED BY HEISLER ROYAL PURPLE DOOR PRIZE DONATED BY CAMROSE RESORT CASINO LUNCH SERVED BY FORESTBURG TRAVEL CLUB

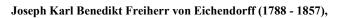
> ACCEPTING FOOD HAMPER DONATIONS CONTACT: KATHY KUNTZ 403-318-6634 COUNTRYSHADOW@HOTMAIL.COM



Something for Residents with a German Heritage!

Since the days are getting shorter, and we are spending more time inside, here is a nice Poem for our Residents with German Heritage. Some of you might have learned some German in your childhood.



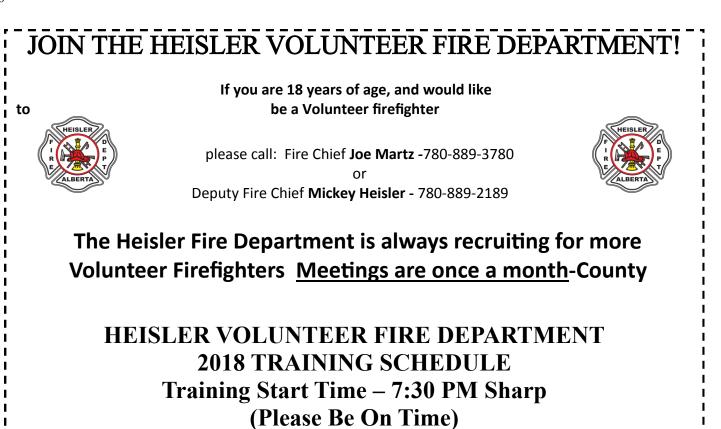




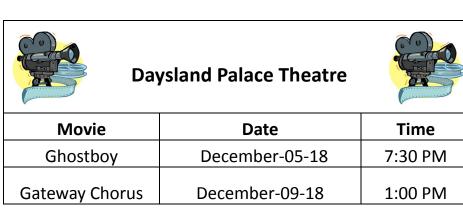
Markt und Straßen stehn verlassen, Still erleuchtet jedes Haus, Sinnend geh ich durch die Gassen, Alles sieht so festlich aus.

An den Fenstern haben Frauen Buntes Spielzeug fromm geschmückt, Tausend Kindlein stehn und schauen, Sind so wunderstill beglückt. Und ich wandre aus den Mauern Bis hinaus ins freie Feld, Hehres Glänzen, heil'ges Schauern! Wie so weit und still die Welt!

Sterne hoch die Kreise schlingen, Aus des Schnees Einsamkeit Steigt's wie wunderbares Singen – O du gnadenreiche Zeit!

















Open House - Heisler Community Hall December 11, 2018 6:30 PM

What does a **Single-Tier Governance** (Amalgamation) Model mean?

Will my taxes go up?

Will my levels of service go down?

What about my utility fees?

The **potential 'pros' and 'cons'** of a single-tier government model.

Come and learn more about the future of your Village!

The website – **MyFlagstaff.ca** – has been set-up to provide you with more information or come to the office during office hours and pick up a hard copy of a Regional Governance Project Overview and Background Document.

Flagstaff Christmas Sharing

TO: Flagstaff County Citizens, Churches, Schools and Community Organizations

RE: FLAGSTAFF CHRISTMAS SHARING PROGRAM

Once again, the Flagstaff Food Bank will be co-ordinating the annual Christmas Sharing Program in the Flagstaff region. This tradition involves the collection and distribution of gifts and food hampers for those less fortunate in our community.

We would appreciate the donation of food items and cash between <u>December 3rd and December 14th, 2018</u>. Individuals and/or groups planning to donate turkeys, please advise FFCS at 780-385-3976, by November 30th to assist in planning for our projected needs. (Please be advised that we cannot distribute expired food and would ask that you check the expiration dates on any food donations.)

As the "Adopt a Family Program" was such a great success in past years, we will be running this program once again. Anyone interested in adopting a family, please call 780-385-3976 before November 30th. We ask that you limit your gift purchases to approximately \$60 per adopted person. Please leave all gifts unwrapped with some gift-wrap included in your family's gift bundle. If you decide to give clothing, be sure to include the "Gift Receipt" in case an exchange is necessary by the recipient. Gifts must be delivered to <u>the Community Press Building in</u> <u>Sedgewick at 4919 47th street (main street) to the back-alley entrance</u> between 10 am and 4 pm December 3rd to December 14th.

<u>The Community Press Building in Sedgewick</u> will be the collection and distribution point <u>please use the back-alley entrance</u>, it will be signed. Drop-offs can be made December 3rd to 14th, from 10:00 a.m. through 4:00 p.m., weekdays. If you wish to volunteer your time for assisting with clean up and moving of items on December 18th or 19th please call FFCS at 780-385-3976 to register your name or group.

If you are aware of families in need, with their permission, please feel free to call and submit their name, telephone number and their particular need(s). All contacts will be handled with the strictest confidence. Please submit all requests by November 23rd, 2018.

Thank you for your co-operation and support

Yours in Community Sharing, Flagstaff Food Bank Christmas Sharing Program, Box 352, Killam, AB, T0B 2L0



ONE DAY ONLY Thursday December 20th, 2018

Please note ** pick up location <u>Community Press</u> Building in Sedgewick 4919 47th Street, Back Alley entrance FLAGSTAFF CHRISTMAS SHARING PROGRAM

Once again, the Flagstaff Food Bank will be coordinating the Christmas Sharing Program. If this community project would benefit you and/or your family this year, please allow us to accommodate your needs by providing us with the necessary information on the reverse side.

We encourage all requests for hampers to be submitted by November 23rd, 2018. There is a lot of work and planning involved in this program and your cooperation is appreciated.

Please indicate if your family has any specific needs (e.g.: diapers, baby food, formula, special toys, allergies etc.). Please note that we can only do the best with what we have, and we <u>may</u> or <u>may not</u> be able to fill the request.

All information provided will be kept strictly confidential.

Hampers will be available for pickup <u>Thursday, December 20th, from 11 am to 2 pm (ONLY)</u>, at the <u>Community Press Building</u> at 4919 47th Street SEDGEWICK (please use Back Entrance in the alley). <u>There are No deliveries</u>!!

Thank you for your help and have an enjoyable and happy Christmas.



Christmas Word Search



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