



DECEMBER 2018



January
 Newsletter Deadline
December 19, 2018

Village Office Hours

Tuesday & Wednesday 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

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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



A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and Happy New Year!

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

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Still looking for a last minute Christmas Gift?



Heisler T-Shirts: \$12.00 each
Available in sizes M, L, XL and 2XL

DECEMBER 8, 2018
The Friends of the Battle River Railway presents

Christmas Train Ride
to Alliance Santa Daze

\$75
FOR ADULTS
\$60
AGES 2 - 12
FREE
UNDER 2

TICKET INCLUDES LUNCH AND WEINER ROAST

ALL ABOARD!

FIRST DEPARTURE	BOARDING TIME
FORESTBURG	1:00pm
RETURN TO	ARRIVAL TIME
FORESTBURG	7:30pm

For tickets visit:
www.eventbrite.ca
or call: 780-384-4150

EVERYONE WELCOME

Find us on Facebook/[BattleRiverRail](https://www.facebook.com/BattleRiverRail)
<https://friendsofbrr.com>

Battle River
TRAIN EXCURSIONS





The Village of
HEISLER
 • A Community of Champions •



**These are some of the resolutions passed at the
 November 9, 2018 Regular Council Meeting:**

- 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 one week 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





December 2018 Newsletter



HEISLER PUBLIC
LIBRARY

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

The 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 would like to purchase one for \$10.00 each.

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.

Solaro

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



Heisler Security Group

We have started a Heisler Security Group and can still accept more Members.

There is **ABSOLUTELY NO COST** involved to join!

What will it do?

- **Keep us safer**
- **Lower theft**
- **Lets us sleep**
- **Controlled by us**
- **Can be turned on or off anytime**

You will need a working Cell Phone with "WHATSAPP" installed to join.

For more Information, call Sven Bernard or come for a coffee at the Shop.

Sven Bernard
Tel: 780-881-5678

LANGUAGE ADVENTURES AND SERVICES

Heidi Rohe
PO Box 106
Heisler, Alberta
T0B2A0 Canada

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languageadventuresandservices@gmail.com



- English/German Tutoring
- Certified TESOL Instructor
- Native German Speaker
- Translation Services
- In class teaching or online via Skype

**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



4th Annual
CHARITY CHECK STOP



IN KILLAM
Highway 13 at
Main Street

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1
FROM 10 A.M. TO 3 P.M.

-  RAISING FUNDS FOR FLAGSTAFF VICTIM SERVICES
-  COLLECTING FOOD/ITEMS FOR THE FLAGSTAFF FOOD BANK
-  ACCEPTING TOYS (NEW/UNWRAPPED) FOR FLAGSTAFF CHRISTMAS SHARING

Participating Agencies: Flagstaff Victim Services, RCMP, EMS, Flagstaff County Emergency Services, Killam Fire Department, Alberta Health Services, Office of Traffic Safety, Flagstaff Food Bank, Flagstaff Christmas Sharing, & FFCS.

SPECIAL GUESTS - The Killam Jr. B Wheat Kings! 

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.

Weihnachten



Joseph Karl Benedikt Freiherr von Eichendorff (1788 - 1857),



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
 Buntet 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!

JOIN THE HEISLER VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT!

to



If you are 18 years of age, and would like
be a Volunteer firefighter



please call: Fire Chief **Joe Martz** -780-889-3780

or

Deputy Fire Chief **Mickey Heisler** - 780-889-2189

The Heisler Fire Department is always recruiting for more
Volunteer Firefighters Meetings are once a month-County

HEISLER VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT 2018 TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training Start Time – 7:30 PM Sharp
(Please Be On Time)



Daysland Palace Theatre



Movie	Date	Time
Ghostboy	December-05-18	7:30 PM
Gateway Chorus	December-09-18	1:00 PM

Big Willy's Bar
— AT THE HEISLER HOTEL —
PRESENTS

Wing Night




EVERY TUESDAY
5-9pm
75¢ wings (9 or 18 wing portions)
Eat-In Only - No Takeout - GST not included



Heisler
Hair & Massage
Patty ~ 780-608-5104

Allisa~587-679-0036





**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 **December 3rd and December 14th, 2018.** 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 the Community Press Building in Sedgewick at 4919 47th street (main street) to the back-alley entrance between 10 am and 4 pm December 3rd to December 14th.**

The Community Press Building in Sedgewick will be the collection and distribution point **please use the back-alley entrance, 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 Community Press 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 may or may not be able to fill the request.

All information provided will be kept strictly confidential.

Hampers will be available for pickup Thursday, December 20th, from 11 am to 2 pm (ONLY), at the Community Press Building at 4919 47th Street SEDGEWICK (please use Back Entrance in the alley).

There are No deliveries!!

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



Christmas Word Search



A	S	P	W	O	E	C	M	S	Y	O	T	A
C	H	R	I	S	T	M	A	S	T	R	E	E
T	O	E	N	T	A	E	J	I	N	N	G	L
A	Y	F	S	N	O	W	A	K	H	A	E	E
J	A	S	K	W	R	I	L	L	Y	M	I	S
B	I	A	T	C	L	N	R	E	N	E	P	R
L	I	N	G	A	Y	T	M	L	F	N	F	H
S	A	T	G	P	R	E	S	E	N	T	S	O
N	T	A	N	L	F	R	W	H	E	S	L	L
O	P	C	X	R	E	I	N	D	E	E	R	L
W	I	L	E	J	N	B	F	S	T	I	C	Y
M	C	A	O	O	W	R	E	A	T	H	K	Y
A	E	U	T	M	I	S	T	L	E	T	O	E
N	E	S	A	S	C	A	N	D	L	E	R	U
W	R	E	J	A	C	K	F	R	O	S	T	A

WREATH
JINGLE BELLS
PRESENTS
ORNAMENTS
SNOW

SANTA CLAUS
MISTLETOE
CHRISTMAS TREE
WINTER
CANDLE

HOLLY
REINDEER
SNOWMAN
JACK FROST
STAR

