



FEBRUARY 2020

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.

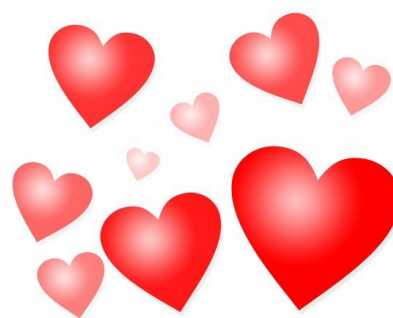
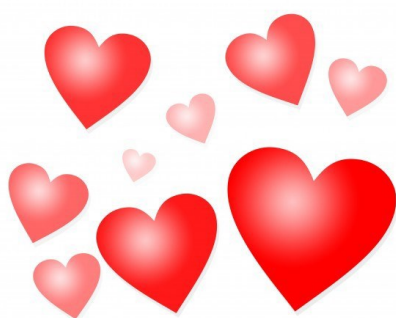
PLEASE – NO CASH in the drop box. Thank you!

Public Works Foreman {P} 306-421-4168



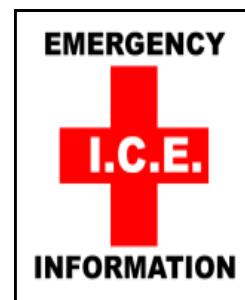
March 2020

Newsletter Deadline
February 24, 2020



Contacts for Emergencies & Non-Emergencies

ANY emergency	911
Heisler Fire Department	911
Killam RCMP (non-emergency)	780-385-3502
Heisler Public Works (non-emergency)	780-889-2263
Heisler Public Works (emergency only)	306-421-4168



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Something for Residents with a German Heritage!

Here is little joke or our Residents with German Heritage. Some of you might have learned some German in your childhood.

As requested, I added the English translation.



Happy Valentine's Day

Translation:

“Work accident?”

“Forgot Valentine’s Day”



**These are some of the resolutions passed at the
January 23, 2019 Regular Council Meeting:**

- To confirm with ATCO the Village's total cost for the installation for 8 LED Lights for the walking path behind the campground .
- To appoint Marge Gausvik as Clerk for the Flagstaff Regional Subdivision & Development Appeal Board.
- To advice CAO to advice PW Foreman to perform a security check in the Village of Heisler Community Hall every second day, during Publics Works hours.
- To accept presented AEP Waterworks Inspection Report from January 9, 2020 as information, and advices CAO to request requirements for installation for missing well head protection.

The next regular council meeting: February 11, 2020 at 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

Family Day Canada Monday, February 17, 2020.

Family isn't always blood. It's the people in your life who want you in theirs. The ones who accept you for who you are. The ones who would do anything to see you smile, and who love you no matter what!

Heisler Family Day

Monday, February 17, 2020



11:00am to 3:00pm

Heisler Rec Centre

Come and Join the Fun

Free Bowling, Gaga Ball, and Games



Concession Available



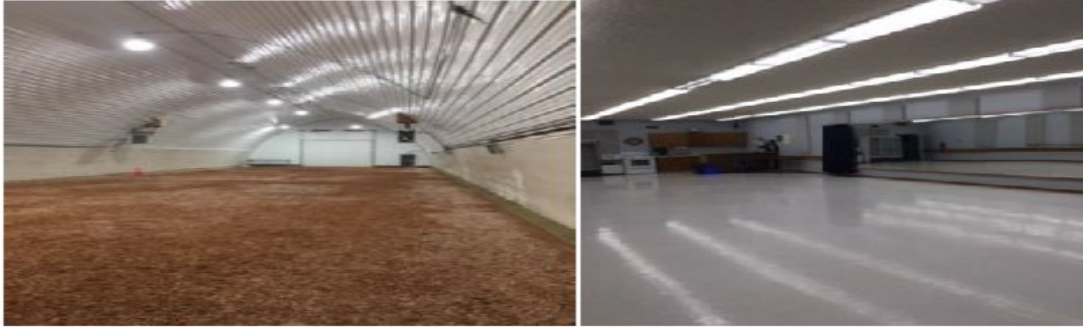
**4-H Face Painting & Balloon
Animals**



Sponsored by the Heisler Ag Society



HEISLER AG SOCIETY SPACE FOR RENT



CONTACT MARGARET: 780-889-2190 or REC CENTRE 780-889-2262

Two great spaces available to rent in the Heisler Rec Center.

Heated, Fans, Shale Floor, Power, Picnic Tables.

Bring your outdoor party inside!

Walking, Ball, Soccer, Archery, Family Reunions, Auctions



Come, join the Heisler
Community Centre Association.
Be a board member. Make a
difference in our community.
Now is the time.



Contact a member for more information: Colin Kroetsch, Mickey Heisler, Wanda Hihn, Lorne Schulte, Brian Sunderman, James Zimmer, Lorie Zimmer, Kevin Zimmer or Martha Zimmer.



JOIN THE HEISLER VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT!

If you are 18 years of age, and would like
to 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 Residents are welcome to join!**

HEISLER VOL. FIRE DEPT. 2020 TRAINING SCHEDULE

Training Start Time – 7:30 PM Sharp

(Please Be On Time)

Feb. 24 – Firefighter Safety (PPE, Scene Safety)

Mar. 23 – Ropes and Knots & Low Angle Rope Rescue Rigging

Apr. 14 – Wildland Firefighting

May 12 – Truck Preparation & Pump Ops Familiarization

May 26 – Practical Training Scenario (Pump Operations)

Jun. 9 – Practical Training Scenario (Low Angle Rope Rescue Field Exercise)

Jun. 23 – Practical Training Scenario (MVC, STARS Landing Zone & traffic Ctrl.)

Jul. 15 – Practical Training Scenario (Pump Operations)

Aug. 18 – Practical Training Scenario (Pump Operations)

Sep. 15 – Practical Training Scenario (Vehicle Fires)

Oct. 7 – Fire Prevention Week

Oct. 27 – Introduction to the Incident Command System (ICS 100)

Nov. 23 – Communications and Rural Addressing

Dec. 7 – Presentation and Christmas Social

NOTE: If interested we can do another full day (Saturday) of pump operations training/
practice in the spring when we can operate outside?

Please let Mickey know if interested.



SWEETHEART SUPPER

Friday February 14



DINNER FOR 2

Mimosa to start.....

Salmon, Chicken or Steak with Shrimp

Choice of salads & desserts

\$60.00+GST

PLEASE CALL TO RESERVE

780.889.2220



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 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 or come for a coffee at the Shop.

Sven Bernard
 Tel: 780-881-5678

Big Knife Villa Lodge

4401 - 47 St. Forestburg, AB
 Phone: 780-582-3564

Big Knife Village Pilot Project 2019



Independence and Choice

We are now offering **SINGLE Rooms for RENT \$950 per month** with one MEAL per Day, Evening SNACKS, UTILITIES, MAINTENANCE, with **2 HOURS of HOUSEKEEPING** per month.

We offer fresh, delicious home-cooked meals, snacks, and lots of Activities that enhance the physical, mental & spiritual wellbeing of Seniors.

Nurses & Home-Care on site/call,
 Blood Pressure Clinics, Foot Care, Hair Care,
 Financial Services, Security System
 and more (Applies to new move-ins only)

Big Knife Villa has been providing Affordable Housing & Caring for our Seniors for over 30 years.



Heisler Hair & Massage

Patty ~ 780-608-5104

Allisa ~ 587-679-0036



What do you think about Square Dance?

I know, I know...! You cannot dance! Square Dance is for old people! You had to learn it in school and you hated it! Or you never learned it!

But if I tell you...

- It is actually more walking, than dancing!
- It is an activity for people of all ages!
- I promise it can be so much fun!
- Everybody can learn it (even me)!



I am looking for people of all ages, who would be interested in forming a Square Dance Group, or maybe somebody who used to be a Square Dance Caller in the past.

If interested, talk to Heidi at the Village office!



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

You can also join other Alberta library systems and check out their physical items.

Mission of the Heisler Library Board: The primary aim of the Heisler Library Board is to be able to keep our library open to the residents of Heisler and surrounding area. We will keep lines of communication open between board members, library users and the librarians so we will be able to offer our library users exactly what they are looking for. We will strive to keep up with materials and programs to help our members with self-development, information gathering and enjoyment.

The Heisler Public Library is governed by trustees appointed by the Village of Heisler. Our board chair is Lorie Zimmer and our library manager is Dixie Wolbeck. Library board meetings are open to the public. Board members are: Lorie Zimmer, Val Volk, Janice Badry, Bernice Dale, Moyra Heisler, Nadine Massong, Kelly Williams, Danielle Wolbeck and Bonnie Wood (Village liaison).

Welcome also Bob Burke who will be a casual library employee. He would love to help you find a book within the library or from another library.

Heritage Barns of Flagstaff Volume II has been donated to our library by the County, thanks to Jeanette Herle (councilor). Volume I is also available to view thanks to Barb & Colin Kroetsch.

More Barns.....Gentle Giants.... check out the Wagon Trails in the Sod – A History of the Heisler Area Vol. II. This is an excellent read about our Heisler area local barns. Look on pages 602-728. This was submitted by Wanda Bednarz-Hihn and is amazing. If you would like to purchase a history book some are still available.

A book donation through Parkland called Alcoholics Anonymous is available for check out.

The Free Little Library has become a popular place to find a book or DVD to keep for yourself.

HAPPY NEW YEAR AND HAPPY READING IN 2020

WASP PROBLEMS?



**Wasp Nest
Removal Service!**
Fast and Safe!



Please, call Jordan McIntyre for more information:
Phone: (306) 0421-4168
Heisler, AB

Jerry's Tree Moving and Bobcat Service

Tree Moving (40" Spade)
Stump Grinding
Post Hole Drilling
Snow Removal

Jerry & Theresa Steil
P.O. Box 124
Strome, AB T0B 4H0
Cell: 780-608-0069
Res.: 780-376-2196
Email: jt69stell@gmail.com



9" / 12" / 15" / 18" / 24" Auger Bits
up to 12' depth



Hospice Society
OF CAMROSE AND DISTRICT



In Partnership with FIRST and FFCS

Volunteer Training Weekend

Every year the Hospice Society of Camrose & District offers a training program that is open to the public. You are welcome to participate, whether you choose to become a volunteer or not; first seats are reserved for those intending to complete volunteer registration.

The purpose of this training is to prepare you for service as a care volunteer: ▪ to individuals in their home with a chronic disease ▪ to those in long-term-care or hospitals who have a palliative diagnosis ▪ to those who are actively dying ▪ to those who are grieving.

Those choosing to become registered volunteers will be interviewed, asked to supply references, and to provide a criminal record check. Training occurs via online modules, several evening classes through the year, and one full weekend. Noon meals are provided Saturday and Sunday of the weekend training.



Upcoming Dates:

Sedgewick: Feb 21-23, 2020

Location: Flagstaff County Office
(12435 TWP RD 442, Sedgewick)

- Fri Evening: 6:30-9:00 pm
- Sat & Sun: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

Topics Covered in Training:

- History of Hospice and the Modern Hospice Movement
- Role of the Volunteer
- Intro to Palliative/end-of-life Care; the Value of Silence
- Effective Communication
- Family Dynamics
- Emotional & Spiritual Support: A vision for Holistic Care
- Companioning the Bereaved
- Physical Care of the Dying and Comfort Care
- Grief & Bereavement
- Self Care: Grace and Compassion for Self and Others
- Policies and Ethics
- Nav-CARE (Navigation, Connecting, Accessing, Resourcing, Engaging)

Cost: This Program is Offered Free of Charge to Participants

To Register, or for More Information:

Call 587.322.9269 or email hospicevols@hotmail.com
Register online at www.camrosehospice.org/volunteer



Village of Heisler Outdoor Skate Rink



The Village of Heisler is pleased to announce that an outdoor skate rink should be ready to use the first week of February 2020 at the Pioneers of Flagstaff Park.

The Village of Heisler is not responsible for injury and damaged property to rink users.

Your safety is our concern but your responsibility.

Use ice surfaces at your own risk and be safe.

The rink is an unsupervised area.

It is recommended that children under the age of 12 will be accompanied by an adult.

Wearing a helmet is strongly encouraged and protective padding is highly recommended.

Ice surfaces will be closed if conditions are unsafe for users.

Please keep off closed ice surfaces and obey all posted signage.

If the rink will be used, the Village might consider this as an annual seasonal activity for the public.

Donations for maintenance and improvements are much appreciated.

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February Word Search



Happy Valentine's Day

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LOVE

CHOCOLATE

CANDY

VALENTINE

FRIENDS

CUPID

HUG

FLOWERS

HEART

ROSES