



## JANUARY 2020

### Village Office Hours

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

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128 Main St. Box 60 Heisler, AB T0B 2A0

Email: [administration@villageofheisler.ca](mailto: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



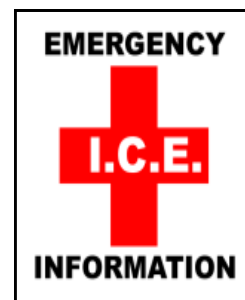
**February 2020**  
Newsletter Deadline  
**January 24, 2020**

"May the new year bless you with  
health,  
wealth and happiness."



### 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 for our Residents with German Heritage. Some of you might have learned some German in your childhood.

**Der stolze Vater: "Mein Sohn, der Storch hat dir ein Schwesterchen gebracht, willst du es sehen?" "Später , zeig mir erst mal den Storch!"**



**The proud Father:" My son, the stork brought you a little sister, do you want to see her?" "Later, show me first the stork!"**



**These are some of the resolutions passed at the  
December 17, 2019 Regular Council Meeting:**

- To give first, second and by unanimous consent third and final reading to Bylaw #522-20 the Fees and Charges Bylaw.
- To approve to extend the Fire Services Agreement and Regional Fire Chief Agreement to December 31, 2020.
- To renew the Assessment Services contract with Wainwright Assessment Group Ltd. and to approve the 2020-2022 annual rates of \$3,840.
- To accept the letter of Municipal Affairs, stating that the Village of Heisler has been selected to participate in a Municipal Accountability Program (MAP) in 2020 as information.
- To decide to not withdraw from the Regional SCADA Project.
- To accept the information for the passed GST and PSB Bodies Audit for January 1, 2017 to June 30, 2019; hold in November as information.
- To adopt the 2019 Village of Heisler Operating Budget as the Interim Operating Budget for 2020.
- To approve the proposed Flagstaff Family & Community Services 2020 budget with Heisler's requisition of \$1,392.
- To approve the proposed Flagstaff Regional Solid Waste Management Association 2020 Budget Version 2 with a \$25,163.49 requisition for Heisler.
- To accept the 2020 Lodge requisition of \$1,050.00 for senior's housing from Flagstaff Regional Housing Group, as presented.
- To rescind Motion 820/19 from July 29, 2019 and to not commit to fund \$2,000.00 per year for the Community Resource Officer Position; due to the cost of the rural policing initiative from the province.

**The next regular Council Meeting: January 23, 2020 at 7pm**

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.



**At the December 17, 2019  
Regular Council Meeting  
Council approved changes  
to the Village of Heisler Fees and Charges.**



The Heisler Community

Centre Association would like  
to thank the Heisler Sausage  
Supper Committee for the  
generous donation of \$5000.

It is through the wonderful  
support of the community that  
we are able to keep our  
beautiful facility operating.

**Thanks Again!**

<b>Changes</b>	<b>2020</b>
Photocopies black/page	\$ 0.35
Photocopies black/page after 24	\$ 0.30
Photocopies colour	\$ 0.45
Photocopies colour/page after 24	\$ 0.40
Searching for, locating & retrieving records per ¼ hour	\$ 7.00
Heisler Guy T-Shirts	\$ 18.00
Heisler Magnet	\$ 3.50
Heisler Hat	\$ 18.00
Heisler Post Cards	\$ 1.25
Heisler Post Cards 3 for	\$ 3.00
Faxes – Receiving/page	\$ 1.35
Faxes – Sending/page	\$ 1.35
Laminating/page	\$ 2.25
Copies of Minutes & Bylaws per page	\$ 0.35
Charge for Grader/hour with operator	\$145.00
Charge for Tractor/hour with operator	\$ 75.00
Camping – Fully Serviced Lots (10 lots)	
per night	\$ 25.00
per week	\$150.00
per month	\$650.00
Camping – Power Only	
per night	\$ 19.00
per week	\$114.00
per month	\$480.00



### **Friendly Reminder: DOG TAGS**

Dog owners are reminded that annual dog tags are required for all dogs in the Village of Heisler for a fee. Tags allow village staff to find the owner quickly and efficiently.

If your pet is found without an identification tag, the animal will be sent to the Forestburg Vet Clinic and the owner will be subject to a fine-as of Dog Control Bylaw #468-12 .

**Tags are DUE by: JANUARY 31, 2020**

<b>Regular dog license:</b>	<b>\$ 15.00</b>
<b>After Jan 31/18:</b>	<b>\$ 30.00</b>
<b>Vicious dog license:</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>
<b>After Jan 31/18:</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>
<b>Replacement tags:</b>	<b>\$ 5.00</b>

## New Village of Heisler Souvenirs!

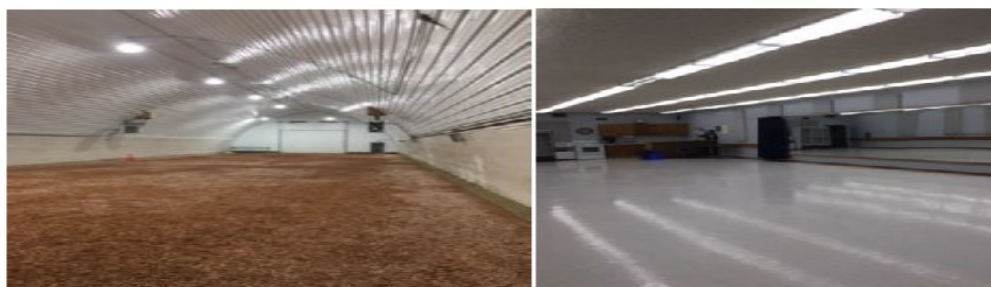


Kid's t-Shirts		\$ 12.00
T-Shirts white Heisler Guy	size M	\$ 18.00
T-Shirts white Heisler Guy	size L	\$ 18.00
T-Shirts white Heisler Guy	size XL	\$ 18.00
T-Shirts white Heisler Guy	size 2XL	\$ 18.00
Heisler Fridge Magnet		\$ 3.50
Heisler Hats (white writing)		\$ 18.00
Heisler Hats (red writing)		\$ 18.00
Heisler Pins		\$ 3.50
Heisler Cardinals Baseballs		\$ 5.00
Heisler Post Card		\$ 1.25
Heisler Post Cards	3 for	\$ 3.00

Available at the Village Office, 128 Main St. Box 60

Heisler, AB T0B 2A0, Phone (780) 889-3774

## 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**





### CN Police want you to Stay Safe this Winter

No matter where you live, chances are you will face some challenging driving conditions in the months ahead. Freezing rain, snow, sleet and whiteouts can make winter driving downright dangerous.

In fact, according to the Transportation Safety Board, there's a spike in railway crossing incidents during the winter months. This is due to many factors, including:

- Ice and snow making it harder for drivers to stop and manoeuvre their vehicles;
- Snowy roads that hide pavement markings;
- Blowing snow, fog, and sleet that reduce visibility;
- Snowbanks and snow in trees reducing sight lines;

Reducing the likelihood of being in a serious car accident in winter starts with proper planning and knowing your rail-safety basics.

Following these simple tips can help keep you safe when you encounter train tracks this winter:

**Plan ahead** and check the weather forecast before travelling—not only for your current location, but also for your final destination. If conditions deteriorate while you're on the road, stop at the nearest town or rest area and wait until it's safe to continue driving.

**Reduce your speed** when road conditions are poor. Always slow down well in advance of a railway crossing. The more time you have to react, the better chance you have of avoiding a collision.

**Avoid distractions** when approaching railway crossings turn off your radio and heating fans so you can listen for trains. Reduced visibility and sounds from a storm can make it more difficult to see and hear if a train is coming. Roll down your window—especially if it's frosty or foggy—and look both ways before crossing the tracks.

**Look for railway warning signs and signals** snow may cover train tracks at a crossing, making them look like the road. Look for warning signs and other indications that there is a railway crossing ahead so you can prepare to stop, especially when driving at night.

**Use winter tires** they have treads designed to grip ice and snow, so you will be less likely to slide on the road or into the side of a train. All-season tires can begin to lose their traction when the temperature drops below 7°C.

**Don't drive impaired** alcohol and drugs such as marijuana reduce your ability to pay attention, react quickly and make safe driving choices.

Remember "any time is train time". Be rail-smart this winter: Look. Listen. Live.

*Faith*

makes all things possible.

*Hope*

makes all things work.

*Love*

makes everything  
beautiful.

*May*

you have an abundance of  
all three & more, every  
day in 2020.

*May*

there always be peace in  
your heart & love and  
laughter in your home.



**Find us on Facebook. We are The Heisler Public Library .**

**Please 'like' & 'share' our page. Recommend any books you have read. Post**

**The community calendars** are ready for pick up. They are only \$10.00 each. If you didn't order one in advance there are extras available still. The photo alone is well worth the price. These calendars are the libraries main fund raiser each year. Thank you for your support.

**Our "Free little library"** in the lobby of the post office is getting a lot of use. You can keep any book from it and if you wish to donate a book back into it please do so. These are discarded books and are not in the Parkland system any more.

# 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

**HEISLER VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT**  
**2020 TRAINING SCHEDULE COMING SOON**  
**Training Start Time – 7:30 PM Sharp**

## WASP PROBLEMS?



Wasp Nest  
Removal Service!  
Fast and Safe!



Please, call Jordan McIntyre for more information:  
Phone: (806) 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: jt69steil@gmail.com



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



## 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.

Please visit our website for more info at [www.villageofheisler.ca](http://www.villageofheisler.ca) or contact the village office.

**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!**



# *Rosalind Ag Society*

Presents



Jack of Diamonds  
by Marcia Kash &  
Douglas E. Hughes

**A witty, hilarious take  
of crime and  
deception...in a seniors  
residence!**

With Special Arrangements from

**SAMUEL FRENCH**



Tickets can be purchased at

Rosalind Post Office

or

Candler Art Gallery

5002 50 St Camrose

**Thursday January 30 ~ Doors open at 7:00PM ~ Performance at 8:00 ~ Refreshments at intermission ~ Ticket Price \$15.00 No reserve seating**

**Tickets available at the door**

**Friday January 31 and Saturday February 1 ~ Doors open at 5:30 PM ~**

**Dinner at 6:30PM ~ Performance at 8:00 PM**

**Ticket Price \$40.00**

**Reserved seating only**

**Sunday February 2 ~ Doors open at 11 AM ~ Dinner at 12 PM ~**

**Performance at 2:00**

**Tickets \$40.00 Reserved seating only**



**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](mailto:hospicevols@hotmail.com)  
Register online at [www.camrosehospice.org/volunteer](http://www.camrosehospice.org/volunteer)



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Village of Heisler Office for \$42.75



Property Taxes were  
Due on December 31,  
2019.

If your account had an  
outstanding balance  
After DECEMBER 31st,  
the account was  
penalized 16% as per  
the Penalties on Unpaid

#### DAYS LAND PALACE THEATRE

Movie Information Line: 374-3774 [palacetheatre-daysarts.ca](http://palacetheatre-daysarts.ca)

SHOW TIMES: **ALL EVENING SHOWS 7:30**

Tickets: Adults \$9, Seniors \$7, Students \$7, Children 3 - 11 \$5

Reel Alternative: Adults \$9, Seniors & Students \$7, Children \$5

**December 31 – New Year's Eve Family movie at 7:30**

**Kids – come in your PJ's! Party favours provided!**

**The last night of the old admission and popcorn prices!**

**January 1, 2, 3, 4 at 7:30 and Sunday, January 5 at 2:00**

**FROZEN 2 Rated: G**

Voices of: Idina Menzel, Kristen Bell, Josh Gad, Jonathan Groff

Animated/Family. Elsa, Anna, Olaf and Kristoff travel to an ancient land to save the kingdom of Arendelle.



**January 10, 11 & 12**

**MIDWAY Rated: PG**

Violence, not recommended for young children.

Starring: Ed Skrein, Patrick Wilson, Luke Evans, Nick Jonas

Drama/War. After the attack on Pearl Harbor, the United States find themselves at war with Japan and the US Navy must protect America's borders.



**January 17, 18, & 19**

**FORD V FERRARI Rated: PG Coarse language.**

Starring: Matt Damon, Christian Bale

Biography/Drama. In 1966, an independent car designer and a race car driver are hired by the Ford motor company to build a car to try and beat Ferrari at the 24 Hours of Le Mans race.



**REEL ALTERNATIVE MOVIE**

**Monday, January 20 & Wednesday, January 22**

**THE GOOD LIAR Rated: 14A Violence.**

Starring: Helen Mirrin, Ian McKellen

Thriller. An elderly con man sets out to swindle a widow out of her life savings.



**January 24, 25 & 26**

**CHARLIE'S ANGELS Rated: PG Violence, not recommended for young children.**

Starring: Naomi Scott, Kristen Stewart, Ella Balinska

Action. When a scientist has concerns about an invention she becomes embroiled in a conflict between spies and criminals.



"See you at the Movies"

Birthday party packages are available for children 12 and under. The birthday child gets in free with a free small popcorn and fountain drink and for \$5, each guest will get a small popcorn and small pop along with admission. Cakes can be brought in to have after the movie. For more information phone Lisa at 781-2452 or Sharon at 374-2403



# January Word Search



X	L	F	A	U	M	T	V	S	G	V	L
R	F	B	E	G	I	N	N	I	N	G	O
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FIREWORKS  
COUNTDOWN  
CELEBRATION

JANUARY  
CLOCK  
NEW YEAR

MIDNIGHT  
FAMILY  
BEGINNING

FRIENDS  
PARTIES  
PARADES