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Lamont Rodeo a summer sizzling favourite

By Brandie Majeau

Lamont recently marked the 30th anniversary of their beloved Summer Sizzler Rodeo, which took place on July 13 and 14. The festivities commenced with the vibrant Town of Lamont Parade and

a delightful pancake breakfast, setting the perfect tone for the rodeo kick-off. Families and rodeo enthusiasts were treated to an impressive display of skills and expertise during the kid's rodeo, which set the stage for the thrilling events to follow. The

opening ceremonies, conducted by Lord Strathcona's Mounted Troop, signaled the official start of an action-packed weekend filled with spectacular rodeo events.

Both Saturday and Sunday were

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FC Memorial Champions Picture – Mittslappers from Fort Saskatchewan

By Brandie Majeau

The Feledichuk Family's dedication to community and family legacy led to the

establishment of the Feledichuk Curran for those facing fi-Memorial tournament nancial constraints. tournament extends Unfortunately, due beyond fundraising, in 2015. This tournament was created as to the COVID-19 a heartfelt tribute to pandemic, the tourtheir grandparents nament was put on and to support local hold for two years,

organizations through fundraising. Over the years, the tournament has proven to be a vital source of financial support for regional projects, particularly

skipping 2020 and 2021. However, in 2022, the family revived the tournament with a renewed sense of purpose and commitment.

The impact of the

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Little Dipper Daycare opens its doors



By Brandie Majeau

On April 22, 2024, Little Dipper Daycare opened in Radway, offering care for children aged 12 months to 12 years from 6:45 am to 5:45 pm, and after-school care.

Thedaycarealsoprovidestransportation services to Thorhild and Waskatenau. Kali Stow, Little Dipper Daycare Owner/Director, began working in Thorhild in August of 2021 and started her Level 1 Early Childhood Educator. Transitioning through further studies in the following year through Portage College and accepting a position at Andrew School to run their preschool program, she completed her certificate. Then, she moved on to complete her ELCC Diploma in December 2023. After Andrew School closed in the summer of 2023, Stow moved to fulfill her long-term goal of opening her daycare. Turning her vision into reality began in September 2023 as she navigated the various aspects of running a private facility and tackled the bureaucratic challenges to transition the Little Dipper Daycare into a successful care facility.

Stow carefully considered the pros and cons of running a private care facility, but ultimately

wanted the freedom to make and implement changes, without a board, as needed for the benefit of attending children. With support from Thorhild FCSS and AHS, Little Dipper Daycare can provide access to occupational therapists, physical therapists, and speech pathologists. Stow and her Assistant Director, Kelly Craig, emphasized the importance of offering these services to meet each child's needs individually, often offering early intervention to prepare them for their next step before attending school.

After Kali Stow and Kelly Craig spoke about their experiences in childcare, they described many instances where the staff were unhappy, which affected the entire facility's mood. Stow explained that part of the vision was to create a facility where happy kids are a result of having happy staff. Children spend long hours in their care, and providing a positive environment where everyone's well-being is valued will encourage a low turnover rate with staff. This creates a distinct difference between being a daycare and not just a babysitting service.

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77.16 ACRES NEAR

EGREMONT

NEW LISTING



17 ACRES WITH HOME AND SHOP IN RIVIERE QUI BARRE

The house has a wraparound front deck that opens into a foyer boasting a spiral staircase. To the left is the living room with tall turret windows looking out at the front driveway and a wood burning fireplace. Off of the living room is the kitchen with a HUGE island and a built in wine rack opening onto the dining room - perfect for entertaining! Completing the first floor is an office space, a 2pc bath, and a mud room leading to the TRIPLE ATTACHED garage. Upstairs are three bedrooms with closets along with a 4pc bath. Down the hall is the primary bedroom with vaulted ceiling and a beautiful 5pc ensuite as well as a walk in closet. Basement has a large rec room and cold storage. Outside is a HEATED 40x60 SHOP with an attached 21x40 covered shed. If that's not enough there's 17 acres of grassland! On CITY WATER AND SEWER, with IN FLOOR HEATING, next to Camilla



pasture land with lots of open land and a few treed areas. Nice building sites. Zoning on this land allows for many possibilities for use. Build your dream home on a nice sized acreage, subdivide some lots to expand the Hamlet, maybe start a business ventures. Good possibility to get County approva for any of these uses. May be possible to tie into residential utilities. \$132,500 Call Heather for directions.



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BUILDING SITE BY NEWBROOK

acres bordering 24.8 the Hamlet of Newbrook, about 1/2 hour NE of Redwater on Hwy 63. This is the remainder of the quarter that much of the hamlet of Newbrook is built on. Currently being used as

Fenced pasture land located just two miles west of Egremont (a few minutes north of Redwater). Lots of great building sites with

power lines running on both the range road and township road bordering this property. A nice mixture of open land and large mature spruce, pine and poplar. Approximately 40 min to Edmonton. Nice spot to start your own small hobby farm, weekend retreat or rent the land out in the summer and use it for hunting in fall. \$225,000 plus gst. Call Heather for more info.



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School with easy access to Hwy 44 and Edmonton. Zoned commercial. \$895,000. Call Glenn to view.



FULL QUARTER IN THORHILD

Nice mixture of grass land and mature trees. Nice building sites in the trees with power running along the road south of this property. There was a gravel pit that has been

mostly reclaimed. Nice hard pad still there which would be great for a shop and parking area. Some black dirt still piled up and a bit of gravel piled there. Seller is willing to spread this however buyer would like. Good 5 strand barbed wire fence and a dugout in the northeast corner so would make great pasture land. Only 2 miles south of pavement and close to Half Moon Lake. Build your house and have land to raise a few animals. Or use it for hunting, quadding and snowmobiling. \$399,900. Call Heather for mor info.







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Little Dipper Daycare promotes individual independence, and the staff is there to support the needs of the children. They have created an environment that encourages experiences and free learning. There is an opportunity for fun and gentle encouragement to challenge themselves and experience continual growth. The daycare provides a warm and calm atmosphere amid the joyful chaos that brings the children together as a familial unit. This expands their experiences through peer modeling and helps them become little leaders with purpose through play. "They are allowed to explore," explained Craig, emphasizing that the children are seen as tiny humans deserving respect and the freedom to make individual choices, as opposed to the "seen-but-notheard" mentality.

Stow described the wide range of programming available for the children, including unique opportunities such as raising butterflies and hatching chicks. Her vision for a space where children can learn through play, based on their individual interests and free will, is evident in the children's happiness as they talk about their day. The opening of Little Dipper Daycare has received tremendous support from the community, and she is grateful for all the donations and various forms of support, such as individuals offering to fill the kiddy pools with fresh water each morning during the heat wave. There are still some renovations planned, including an outdoor perimeter fence for safety and privacy, as well as the need for more outdoor toys and organizational units. However, these things will come in time. Little Dipper Daycare has been focused on basing its reputation on word of mouth rather than advertising and letting that stand on its own. "Our kids are amazing. Our staff is amazing." expressed Stow, and she is looking forward to the future and what it holds for Little Dipper Daycare.



Do you have Sequoia Resources wells or pipelines on your land?

The final stages of the insolvency processes involving Sequoia Resources are nearing completion. The Orphan Well Association anticipates a number of sites will be designated as "orphans" by the Alberta Energy Regulator (AER).

We are holding an open house to explain how orphan wells, pipelines and facilities are managed. The AER, Farmers' Advocate Office, and the Land and Property Rights Tribunal will also participate in the open house.

Wednesday July 31, 2024

11:30 am to 7:00 pm Ten-minute presentation at 12:30pm and 6:00pm

Vegreville Social Centre

4802 47a Street Vegreville, Alberta

Light food and beverages will be served

Funded by industry, the OWA closes wells, facilities, pipelines and





Welcome to this 1180 sqft bungalow in Smoky Lake. This move-in-ready home boasts numerous recent upgrades, including appliances, main floor windows, shingles, the main bathroom, vinyl fencing, basement flooring, and air conditioning. The main floor of this 3-bedroom home features a lovely kitchen with a dining area, a spacious living room, and a beautiful 3-piece bathroom. The basement offers an addi-tional bedroom, a 4-piece bathroom, a recreational area, and a laundry room with ample storage. Outside, the expansive yard includes a two-tiered deck, a single-car garage, a garden shed, and plenty of space to park all your toys.

5408 48 AVE REDWATER



Charming bungalow with newer front and rear decks. Inside discover a well-designed main floor featuring a delightful kitchen, dining space, and cozy family room. The primary bedroom, accompanied by a three-piece ensuite, and an-other bedroom are also located on this level, along with a convenient four-piece bathroom. Downstairs, the partially finished basement offers a recreational area and potential for two additional bedrooms, alongside a partly completed bathroom and laundry space. Outside, enjoy the fully fenced yard with ample room for a garage, plus plenty of parking space and a garden shed at the rear.

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Custom-built 2,100 sq. ft., two-story home situated on 135 acres in a private setting, just a short drive from the town of Smoky Lake and Mons Lake. The main floor features a spacious living room, formal dining area, kitchen with up-dated countertops and oak cabinets, breakfast nook leading to the surroom and deck, family room with fireplace, a 2-piece bathroom, and main floor laundy. The upper floor includes a large primary bedroom with a walk-in closet and 4-piece bath, two additional bedrooms, and another 4-piece bath. The walkout basement boasts a large rec room with fireplace, wet bar, hot tub, an additional bed room, 3-piece bath, and a storage room. The landscaped yard includes custom decks, a fire pit area, and a garden. There's also a double detached garage and a 44x30 shop.



Charming raised bungalow conveniently situated near Redwater School and a host of amenities. Featuring an excellent layout, this home includes three bedrooms on the main floor, highlighted by a spacious primary suite with a four-piece ensuite and walk-in closet. Another four-piece bathroom on the main level adds convenience for family or guests. Enjoy the spaciousness of the large living room, seamlessly connected to the kitchen area and a convenient backdoor boot room. The partially developed basement includes a versatile four-piece bathroom, laundry and a util ity room. Ample natural light fills the basement through its or recreational spaces. Step outside to appreciate the front and rear decks, perfect for relaxation or entertaining. The generously sized lot, measuring 50x130', provides ample space to build your dream garage or outdoor oasis. Don't miss this opportunity to make this inviting property your own

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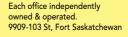
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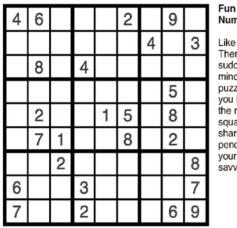


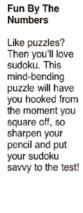
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SUDOKU





Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the

numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets to solve the puzzle!

Crossword Clues

CLUES ACROSS

1. Letter of the Greek alphabet 4. Cause to become entangled 10. Swiss river 11. Conversation 12. "Magnum" was one 14. Small integer 15. Christmas 16. Of a specific mountain region 18. Burrowing bugs 22. Of a symbol worthy of veneration 23. A type of syndrome 24. Cephalopod mollusks 26. Metric ton 27. Ornamental box 28. As quickly as can be done 30. "Hoop Dreams" subject Arthur

31. Old TV part 34. Extinct flightless birds 36. Former CIA 37. Successor 39. Archaic form of you 40. Within 41. Danny Hurley's alma mater 42. Not sacred or biblical 48. Written law 50. Popular hairstyle 51. Congressman 52. Type of font 53. A predetermined period in office 54. Pouch 55. Hormone that stimulates ovulation (abbr.) 56. One from a particular Asian region 58. One's sense of selfesteem

CROSSWORDS HOROS



59. Headgear used to control a horse 60. The habitat of wild animals **CLUES DOWN** 1. A right conferred through legal means 2. American island state 3. Inflexibly entrenched 4. "Pollock" actor Harris 5. Foolish person 6. Follows a particular Chairman 7. Choose 8. Sunrooms 9. One hundred grams (abbr.) 12. A symptom of some physical hurt or disorder 13. South American hummingbird 17. "Girl Chopping Onions" painter 19. Wild dog 20. Units of land 21. Footwear

25. Possessing a constant temperature 29. Hormone that promotes water retention (abbr.) 31. Popular game 32. Pension (German) 33. Giant of industry 35. Inferred 38. One who revolves 41. Kept possession of 43. Loss of electricity 44. Stoppered bottle 45. Everything 46. First to walk on the moon 47. Engrave 49. Female organs 56. Equal to 1,024 bytes (abbr.) 57. Northeast

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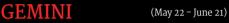


ARIES (March 21 - April 20)

Secrets that have been troubling you may come to a head this week, Aries. Try not to let your emotions get the best of you right now; otherwise, relationships could be damaged.



Taurus, your mind is all shaken up right now, so it should come as no surprise that you are distracted. The days ahead should see things settle down and you'll be able to refocus.



This week is likely to be fairly quiet for you, Gemini. You may have to drum up your own excitement. Start looking at event calendars or live music venues for a distraction.

CANCER (June 22 – July 22)

Cancer, use this week to think about your professional future. Many ideas are coming together and you just have to pick the route you would like to travel at this point.



There is little time for daydreaming right now, Leo. Things will come at you at a fast and furious pace and you might have to scramble to keep up. Keep your wits about you.

VIRGO (August 24 - September 22)

Virgo, you may feel like you are being hit with many obstacles from all directions. You might need to give yourself more time to devote to all of the tasks you take on.

LIBRA (September 23 - October 23)

Do not expect people to follow you blindly, Libra. You will have to give them reason to follow you and come around to your way of thinking.

SCORPIO (October 24 - November 22)

Scorpio, with so much going on around you, and after juggling various projects, concentrating can be very challenging. However, you must get your head in the game or risk mistakes.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 21)

Life isn't a spectator sport, Sagittarius. To really feel you are experiencing all you can right now, you must get right in the middle of the action. Friends can lead the way.

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(Dec. 22 - Jan. 20)

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The path you are supposed to take is finally coming into focus, Capricorn. Your excitement will only increase as you start making plans for the future. Share your joy with others.

AOUARIUS (January 21 - February 18)

You don't need to completely reinvent yourself to make a change, Aquarius. Even small modification can make a big impact in the long run. Start gradually and build up.

PISCES

(February 19 - March 20)

Even though there is a challenging prospect on the horizon, you have all of the information you need to start navigating this new stage in your life, Pisces.

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TAKE NOTICE THAT in accordance with sections 216.4 & 606 of the *Municipal Government Act*, the Council of Smoky Lake County is giving consideration of Development Permit Application DP-024-24, for the development of a Supportive Living Facility, proposed to be located on the lands legally described as River Lot 15, Victoria Settlement.

A Public Hearing will be held in relation to Development Permit Application DP-024-24, for a Supportive Living Facility, both in-person and via videoconference on Thursday, July 18, 2024, at 9:00 a.m. (or as soon as practical thereafter) at: Smoky Lake County Council Chambers, 4612 McDougall Drive, Smoky Lake, AB TOA 3C0 or online: https://video.businessconnect.telus.com/join/640384789 Meeting ID: 640384789 or via phone: 780-666-2345

In-person Speakers:

If you intend on participating in person, you are encouraged to pre-register for the Public Hearing by contacting Legislative Services at 780-656-3730.

Speakers participating through Telus Business Connect videoconference:

If you wish to speak at the Public Hearing via videoconference, you are asked to register 24 hours prior to the opening of the Public Hearing by contacting Legislative Services at 780-656-3730. This is to ensure that virtual participants receive instructions to access the videoconference.

Requirements for all Speakers:

All speakers will be given a maximum of 10-minutes to speak and are encouraged to provide a written copy of their submission in advance of the Public Hearing.

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All interested parties are encouraged to express their views by providing a written submission to Legislative Services by email at patti.priest@smokylakecounty.ab.ca, by July 15, at 4:00 p.m. Mountain Time.

Persons wishing to view the Public Hearing agenda, including the Development Permit application and proposed conditions, are invited to view the Application by visiting <u>https://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/p/meetings</u> and following the link to the July 18th, 2024 Public Hearing.

Questions? Contact:

Jordan Ruegg, Planning & Development Manager Smoky Lake County at 780-656-3730, 780-650-5207 or jruegg@smokylakecounty.ab.ca

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brimming with excitement as talented rodeo performers showcased a wide array of skills, highlighting the extraordinary bond between horse and rider. Saturday concluded with a delicious steak dinner paired with electrifying live entertainment, culminating in an adult dance featuring the

musical stylings of Travis Dolter.

Alongside the thrilling rodeo events, attendees had the opportunity to experience the excitement of the annual Combine Crunch, a demonstration displaying the power and precision of agricultural machinery, held on both days. Moreover, families were delighted by the specially curated Kids Fun Zone, featuring a wide array of engaging activities and entertainment that captivated the younger audience throughout the entire weekend. The success of the event was made possible by the generous support of rodeo sponsors, dedicated volunteers, and the enthusiastic participation of everyone who joined in celebrating 30 years of Summer Sizzlin' Rodeo fun.



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who gave so selflessly of their time and energy to help in various ways. Every little bit of help is appreciated. Without you we cannot put on an event of this magnitude. As well as being a great function for the community the monies raised at this event help to keep our hall operating and allow us to put on events such as the Easter Egg Hunt and Communty Christmas Party.

We appreciate each and every person/company that had anything to do with making this event one of the best we've ever had!

Thank you **Thorhild Community Association**

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an economic boost to the town. By attracting participants, spectators, and visitors, the tournament contributes to increased activity for local businesses, enhancing the town's economic vitality during the tournament weekend.

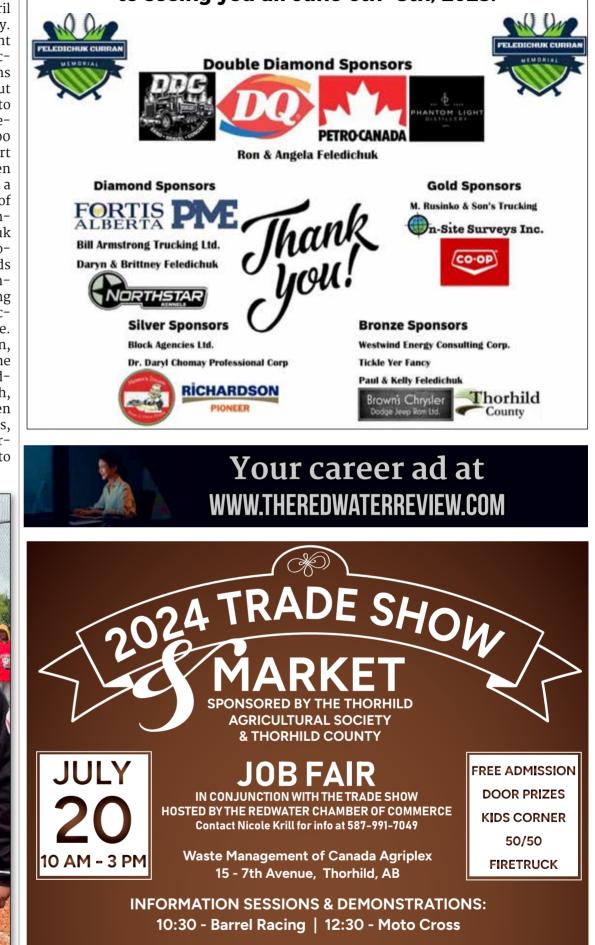
The Feledichuk Family aims to sustain and enhance this positive impact in the years to come, ensuring that the tournament continues to be a beacon of support for the surrounding community.

The 8th Feledichuk Curran Memorial Tournament took place in Thorhild from June 7th to 9th.Thetournamentdrew 16 enthusiastic teams and over 200 skilled players from various corners of the province. After an exhilarating series of games, the championship title, the prestigious Paul Feledichuk Memorial Cup, was triumphantly claimed by the Mittslappers from Fort Saskatchewan. In addition to the intense

competition on the field, the Men's and Women's Home Run Derby displayed remarkable talent, with Tyler Baron and Tanya Courtorielle emerging as the champions, securing the esteemed Joan & Cyril Curran Memorial Trophy.

This year's event was a resounding success, not only in terms of sportsmanship but also in giving back to the community. A record-breaking \$12,000 was raised to support the Thorhild Golden Age Drop-In Centre, a heartwarming display of generosity from all involved. The Feledichuk Family expressed profound gratitude towards the sponsors and volunteers whose unwavering support made this accomplishment possible. With great anticipation, they look forward to the next tournament scheduled for June 6th to 8th, 2025, expecting even more thrilling moments, memories, and opportunities to contribute to local organizations.

The Feledichuk Family would like to thank our 2024 Sponsors as well as all our volunteers. Without you there would be no way we could make this tournament a success. Looking Forward to seeing you all June 6th- 8th, 2025.



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Full STEAM ahead...

By Brandie Majeau

Redwater Public Library is proud to present an innovative educational summer program focused on STEAM, available every Thursday afternoon. This cutting-edge program incorporates Science, Technology, Engineering, the Arts, and Mathematics to guide student inquiry, dialogue, and critical thinking. Education is at a point where it is not only possible but imperative that environments

facilitate fluid, dynamic, and relevant learning. People often forget that observing a butterfly is science or that noticing the stunning color of a flower is art. For instance, students might design and build a model bridge, create a digital art piece or conduct a scientific experiment. The possibilities are endless. The world is like a captivating, intricate masterpiece of discovery, each thread weaving its own unique story. STEAM can break free of traditional

brick-and-mortar boxes and be explored within or outside conventional classrooms,

Integrating concepts, topics, standards, and assessments disrupts student's typical course of events and changes the traditional methods of 'school.' This transformation is not just a change but a revolution in learning and understanding, offering a hopeful and optimistic future for today's youth.

STEAM combines a variety of disciplines

to provide a comprehensive approach to education. By integrating arts practices, design principles, and standards, STEAM elevates STEM learning to a whole new level. It encourages critical thinking, inquiry, and process-based learning, replacing limitations with wonder and innovation. STEAM is a method that applies real-world practices to teaching and learning, aiming to connect different areas of learning and provide a well-rounded

education for children. The idea surrounding STEAM lessons and the approach is based on deep questioning. Asking the more profound questions.

At the heart of this approach is inquiry, curiosity, the ability to find solutions to a problem, and creativity in finding those solutions. This means that the humanities, including subjects like history, literature, and philosophy, are woven into STEAM just like everything else. This program is designed to be inclusive, allowing the use of a STEAM lesson with those ideas because it is fundamentally built upon asking excellent questions and seeking solutions to the problems presented in those content areas. STEAM is not limited to STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math) or the arts. It

offers a myriad of possibilities to connect all fundamentals through inquiry.

This boundless potential of STEAM should inspire and motivate educators and students alike, showing them that there are no limits to what they can achieve. The strategies, thinking process, critical thinking, and teaching dynamics of STEAM can be endlessly evaluated, studied, and Redwater researched. Public Library aims to provide only some of the answers about STEAM but encourages its young patrons to explore why and how it is used. STEAM is a process of application that will empower future generations to create meaning for themselves and others. Radway Library is offering an opportunity for in-depth exploration this summer.

An exploration into the world of weather

By Brandie Majeau

On Thursday, June 27, the Radway Public Library hosted an engaging kid's craft day focused on the fascinating topic of "Wild Weather." The event, organized by the dedvolunteer icated program director and craft creator, Alexandra Taralson, brought together a group of enthusiastic children eager to delve into the wonders of meteorology. Alexandra skillfully guided the children through an array of captivating experiments, allowing them to witness the magic of rain falling from clouds, create miniature tornados in a bottle and explore a wide range activities.

The day's journey into the wild world of weather was not just educational, but also a fun and engaging experience. As the children eagerly participated in the various experiments, they found themselves immersed in a captivating exploration of science, perhaps unaware that they absorbing were valuable knowledge that would deepen their understanding of the natural world.

delightful This crafting and activity adventure serves as a wonderful reminder to explore the wealth of entertainment and educational resources available at local

of other hands-on libraries throughout the summer season. While summer holidays are filled with enjoyable and leisurely days basking in the sun and idle moments or days filled with unstructured fun, the reality is understanding that parents often need to balance work commitments,



children may experience periods of solitude, and some days can seem endless. Fortunately, Radway Public Library is just one of the many local libraries that offer an exceptional opportunity for an enriching and enjoyable experience right in one's own hometown.



MOUNTIE MINUTE Smoky Lake RCMP Detachment

Smoky Lake RCMP investigate fatal motor vehicle collision

On July 4, 2024, at 10:40 p.m., Smoky Lake RCMP received a report of a serious motor vehicle collision on Highway 28 near range road 121 in Smoky Lake County. Upon arrival, emergency crews observed that two occupants of a Mazda sedan were deceased. The occupant of the other vehicle, a GMC 3500, sustained minor injuries and was taken to hospital by

EMS. The two deceased have been identified as a 33-year-old woman and a 37-year-old man both from Lac La Biche. RCMP remained on scene for several hours conducting an investigation.

Although early in the investigation police believe that the Mazda struck an animal causing it swerve into oncoming traffic where it struck the GMC.

RCMP express our heartfelt condolences to the family and friends of the deceased.

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Alberta Health Services

Simple precautions can protect you from heat and sun

Albertans are encouraged to take some simple precautions so they can safely enjoy activities when it's hot and sunny this summer.

Many factors can cause heat stress, such as UV radiation, temperature and humidity. Make sure to check on loved ones, especially those who may be socially isolated or live in housing without air conditioning, to see how they are coping. Older adults, infants, pregnant women and people with underlying health conditions are at greatest risk from extreme heat.

Heat stroke is a life-threatening medical emergency, which requires medical attention as soon as possible. Symptoms of heat stroke include confusion, severe restlessness or anxiety, nausea and vomiting, fast heart rate, lack of sweat, dizziness, fainting, or unconsciousness.

For emergencies, visit your nearest local emergency department or call 911.

Here are a few ways to avoid the heat this summer:

Keep cool at home:

- Close your blinds or curtains and use awnings and shutters.
- Do activities early or later in the day when it is cooler.
- Use air conditioning if possible. If you don't have air conditioning, go into the basement or visit a cool location, such as a shopping centre or library.
- Take frequent cool showers or baths and apply a cold towel to your neck.

Keep cool when outdoors:

breaks in the shade to cool off.

- Drink lots of water and other non-alcoholic, non-caffeinated beverages to stay hydrated.
- Avoid strenuous activities if possible.
- Protect your skin from the sun:
- Wear a broadrimmed hat, longsleeved shirts and pants that cover skin with UV-protectivelabelled clothing.
- Be aware certain medications increase the health risks from extreme heat exposure. Find out if your medication causes you to be more sensitive to sunlight or heat stress.
- Choose а water-resistant sunscreen that has a broad-spectrum sun protection factor (SPF) of 30 or higher. Apply sunscreen generously 20 minutes before going outside and reapply frequently and especially after swimming, strenuous exercise or toweling off.

Pay attention to your pets:

- Make sure they have fresh water and keep them out of the heat as much as possible.
- Never leave a pet unattended in a vehicle.
- Brush your pets coat to promote air circulation. Do not shave them as their fur protects them from the sun.
- Use a spray bottle to give pets a cool misting.
- Walk pets on the grass if possible and take walks during cooler



Sturgeon County is creating an Agriculture Master Plan (AMP), which is a strategic roadmap to guide agriculture-related initiatives for the next 10 years.

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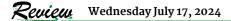
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The online survey is open from July 3 to 31, 2024.

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Stay safe and prevent injuries this summer

Alberta Services (AHS) is encouraging Albertans to keep themselves and their loved ones safe as they enjoy summer.

Here are some tips to stay safe with your loved ones: At the playground:

- Always supervise young children. Actively watch your child and stay close enough to take action, if needed.
- Take the Playground Safety Yes Test to see if young children are ready for safe play.
- Remove necklaces or hoodsweatshirts ed these as can get caught in playground equipment.

When bicycling, skateboarding, inline skating or other

Health **outdoor activities:**

- Wear a helmet and always check the helmet fits correctly.
- Replace helmet after five years or after any crash when the person wearing the helmet has hit his/ her head.
- Never use a helmet with missing parts and ensure all straps, adjusters and fasteners are working correctly.
- Wear the right helmet for the right activity. Driving motorized off-highway vehicles, such as ATVs, dirt bikes, quads and sideby-sides, need specific helmets.

When driving:

- · Make sure children are in the correct car seat or booster seat for
- their age and size. Do not use handheld devices of any kind when you are behind the wheel.
- Look out for pedestrians and cyclists and be patient as they cross or occupy

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authority responsible for planning and delivering health supports and services for more than four million adults and children living in Alberta. Our mission is to provide a patient-focused, quality health system

that is accessible and sustainable for all Albertans. Our current focus is on reducing emergency department wait times, improving EMS response times, increasing access to surgeries, and improving patient flow.

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Energize with caution: New labels on caffeinated energy drinks

(NC) How do you power through your late-night work or study sessions? Do you rely on caffeinated energy drinks, coffee or chocolate? These foods all contain caffeine, which you may want to limit. Health Canada recommends a daily intake of no more than 400 mg of caffeine for adults over 18. For reference, energy drinks can contain up to 180 mg of caffeine per can.

Supplementedfoods, such as caffeinated energy drinks, are regulated by Health Canada. They require labels to help you know what ingredients like caffeine or taurine have been

added to them.

- Other examples of supplemented foods include snack bars and fruit drinks, which could be supplemented with:
 - minerals such as calcium
 - vitamins such as vitamin C
 - amino acids such as L-leucine

As of January 1st,

2026, all supplemented foods will be required to have new labels, but some are already starting to appear on the market, so here's what you can expect to see. All supplemented foods will show a supplemented food facts table instead of a nutrition facts table. There will be

"Supplemented а with" section listing the type and amount of each supplemental ingredient, like caffeine.

Some of these foods will also carry a caution identifier, which includes exclamation an mark and the words "Supplemented" and "Health Canada" on

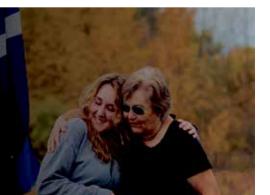
the front, alerting you to read cautions written on the back or side of the product. An example of a caution is: "Do not drink more than 1 serving per day."

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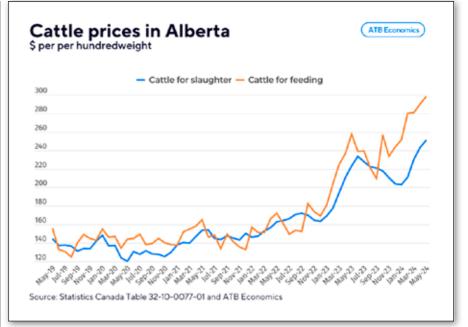
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Beefing up: Cattle prices in Alberta keep rising

By Rob Roach, ATB ECONOMICS

Already the highest on record, the average prices received by Alberta ranchers for their cattle increased again in May. The price of both cattle for slaughter and cattle for feeding rose 3% in May. Compared to May 2023, the yearover-year (y/y) price was 12% higher for cattle for slaughter and 16% higher for cattle for feeding.

A key factor in the upward trajectory of cattle prices is the downsizing of the North American herd in the face of drought and escalating operating costs.

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Why Canadians are living longer – and what that means for retirement

(NC) Life expectancy in Canada is currently about 83 years. Fifty years ago, it was about 73 years. Can we expect that trend to continue? Can Canadians a half-century from now really expect to live another 10 extra years?

According to UN population data, mortality rates have steadily declined for the past century in Canada and across the developed world. This corresponds with improvements in our diet, public infrastructure such as sanitation and waste treatment, safety standards, and the availability and quality of public health institutions such as hospitals and childimmunization hood programs.

Can the life expectancy boost from these changes be sustained, or will these gains naturally trail off? And what new factors do we have to consider?

Actuaries are risk assessment professionals who advise on things like government policy on pensions and insurance. Some of them spend a lot of time considering life expectancy and the factors that affect it.

In looking for answers, they find that many of these advancements are a double-edged sword. Destruction of natural habitat threatens the world's biodiversity. Pollution impacts our access to clean air and water. And microplastics can be found everywhere in the food chain.

Abundance has also contributed to an overall more sedentary lifestyle that can lead to health risks like an increase in Type 2 diabetes. And there are other strains on the healthcare system, too, ranging from a shortage of primary care physi-

cians to overuse of antibiotics and the long-term impacts of COVID-19.

How will all of these things impact life expectancy? The answer is unclear, but so is the path to longer lives for Canadians in the future. For their part, the UN projects our life expectancy will reach 89 years in 2074. Stay tuned to find out.

You can learn more about Canada's actuaries and the work they do at cia-ica.ca.







Due to severe fire hazard conditions of ground and surface fuels, a fire ban is in effect for Thorhild County.

Current fire hazards conditions are considered extreme.

Prohibited Activities:

Outdoor fires including: open fires, brush piles, smudge fires, solid fuel fire pits, campfires, burn barrels, incinerators, explosive targets, and the discharge of fireworks.

ANNUAL PROPERTY ASSESSMENT RE-INSPECTIONS

Assessors from Municipal Assessment Services Group Inc. will be out conducting annual property assessment re-inspections on behalf of Thorhild County starting in July 2024.

Areas of Year 2024 Re-Inspection Cycle are as follows:

- Townships 58 Range 21
- Townships 59 Range 23
- Abee, Egremont, Long Lake, Newbrook, Opal, Pinebrook, Northbrook, Thorhild

Assessors conduct an annual re-inspection and review of 20 per cent of properties in order to ensure the property assessment data is accurate and current as part of the 5 Year Re-Inspection Cycle Program.

Assessors will also be out visiting select properties until the end of December where a new subdivision has been completed, new construction has been started or is ongoing, or new permits have been issued, as part of the annual assessment work.

Please be aware that assessors will be on-site, taking exterior pictures of assessable buildings, and walking the properties involved, as authorized in the Municipal Government Act Section 294. They will not require access into your home or buildings.

Operating an Off-Highway Vehicle on Public Lands which is not part of emergency response operations is also now prohibited.

Allowed Activities:

Fires which are contained in CSA approved cooking appliances which are fueled by liquid fuel (propane, natural gas, or camping fuel) such as Barbecues or Camping Stoves.

Note:

Thorhild County urges everyone to recognize and proactively eliminate any possible outdoor sources of heat and ignition.

Having a fire extinguisher and/or water source readily available while performing outdoor activities is strongly advised.

As per Thorhild County Emergency Services Bylaw 12-2023, fines for engaging in a prohibited activity during a Fire Ban is \$3000.

For more information and to view allowed activities, please visit www.thorhildcounty.com, click on the Services tab, then Fire Emergency Services - Fire Bans.

Assessors will be in marked vehicles with the Municipal Assessment Services Group Inc. logo on doors and will also be wearing photo ID under the same name.



Municipal Assessment Services Group Inc.

All inspections will be conducted Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

If property owners have any questions, they are encouraged to call the Assessor's office 1-780-939-3310.

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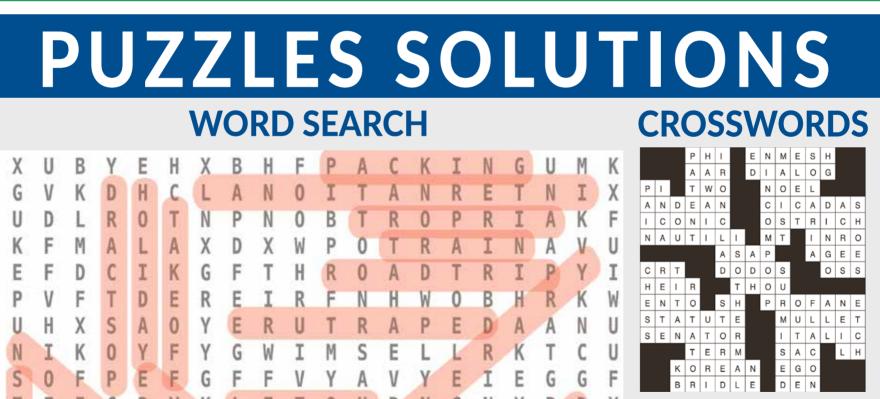
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