



Flourish Festival an amazing cultural display



By Brandie Majeau

“Good Morning! May I tell you about my country?” Enthusiastic greetings like this welcomed guests as they stepped onto the main street of Smoky Lake, momentarily transformed for the Flourish Festival on August 30. Organized by Smoky Lake FCSS and the Newcomer Navigator program, this event aimed to celebrate and unite diverse cultures.

While the community’s roots are predominantly Ukrainian, Smoky Lake and its neighbouring areas are evolving, nurturing a profound commitment to embrace and honour the wide tapestry of cultures that are coming into the area. The Flourish Festival was not just a feast for the senses, it also served as a platform for mental health awareness. In-depth booths provided valuable

insights into critical topics, such as fetal alcohol syndrome disorder and Alzheimer’s disease, fostering a deeper understanding of societal challenges. The bustling street fair became a spectacular kaleidoscope, showcasing an array of cultures from around the globe, alongside local representations from the RCMP, Rural Crime Watch, Smoky

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Let's Ride!



A variety of views from the various trails.

Photos courtesy of the Rainbow Equitation Society

By Brandie Majeau

The Rainbow Equitation Society (RES) warmly invites everyone to participate in a fun, fall afternoon. A Poker Ride has been organized for everyone to saddle up and set out to enjoy all the RES has to offer. On Saturday, September 27, the trails will beckon, quietly inviting visitors to embrace the solitude of nature, where the air will be infused with the scent of fallen leaves and earth, and the sounds of hidden creatures stir just beyond the vision. In that serene moment, participants can pause, take a deep breath, to appreciate the surrounding beauty...and then the rally

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Local Authorities Election Act (Section 26)

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Date

election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction
 office set out below within the period beginning on January 1, 2025
Date
 and ending at 12:00 noon on Nomination Day.

Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Ward or Electoral Division Number (If Applicable)
Councillors	3	

Location (Address) of Local Jurisdiction Office:
Village of Waskatenau
5008 - 51 Street
Waskatenau, Alberta
T0A 3P0

DATED at the Village of Waskatenau, in the
 Province of Alberta, this 29th day of August, 20 25.

Bernice Macyk
Returning Officer

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Notice of Nomination Day
Local Authorities Election Act (Section 26)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: **VILLAGE OF VILNA** IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is **SEPTEMBER 22, 2025** and that nominations
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Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Ward or Electoral Division Number (If Applicable)
COUNCILLOR	3	N/A

Location (Address) of Local Jurisdiction Office:
Village of Vilna Municipal Office – 5135 - 50 Street Vilna, Alberta

DATED at the **VILLAGE OF VILNA**, in the Province of Alberta,
 this **10TH** day of **SEPTEMBER 2025**


 RETURNING OFFICER

Explore the Smoky Lake Corn Maze!

By Brandie Majeau

The Kinette Club of Smoky Lake is excited to announce the opening of the Smoky Lake Corn Maze, now in its fifth year. The maze, which spans approximately 2-3 acres, officially opened its "doors" (corn stalks?) this past September long weekend and will remain welcoming visitors until Halloween. This annual attraction has become a highly anticipated part of the community, offering a perfect outing for families looking to enjoy the great outdoors while supporting a worthy cause.

With all proceeds benefiting the various initiatives of the Kinette Club, the corn maze is not just a fun activity;

it is a way to give back to the Smoky Lake community.

During the Smoky Lake Great White Pumpkin Fair, the club charges a modest entrance fee of \$5. However, visitors to the corn maze outside of that weekend are encouraged to contribute via donation. This method makes it accessible to everyone. The donation-based entry allows families to enjoy a day of adventure without breaking the bank and creates an activity that does not have families questioning if this is something that can fit in their budget. The maze offers a unique opportunity for friends and family to test their skills in an outdoor puzzle,

challenging themselves in teamwork and problem-solving skills along the way.

Whether navigating through the twists and turns of the maze or soaking in the picturesque fall landscape, the Smoky Lake Corn Maze promises an unforgettable experience. Contributions can be made easily via e-transfer to slkinetteclub@gmail.com. So, grab a direction-oriented crew, embrace the crisp autumn air, and get ready for an adventure that supports the the Kinette Club of Smoky Lake and all that they do...hopefully all without getting too terribly lost. Don't miss out on this fall season to check out the Smoky Lake Corn Maze!



Photos courtesy of Kinette Club of Smoky Lake



UNRESERVED TIMED ONLINE AUCTIONS

Unreserved Timed online Real Estate and Equipment Auction for Tanya Pelech and Todd Pelech, Vilna. Bids Start to Close Sept 23rd

2 Parcels of land selling by Unreserved Timed Online Auction Bids open Sept 19th at 10 am and the Bids will start to close on Tue Sept 23rd. at 9 am sharp. Followed by the equipment ▪ Parcel # 1 Home Quarter, Approx. 156 acres in Hay & Pasture with a 951 sq.ft. house, 32 x 48 shop, pole shed & out buildings ▪ NE- 8 -59 -13 - W4 Address 13417 twp. rd. 592 From Vilna 1-mile east and approx. 2 miles south ▪ Parcel# 2 NW-33 -57 -13-W4. Hwy 652 and RR 134 Being the south quarter across from the GATE SIGN 13364. This quarter is approx. 157.19 acres all in pasture and bush with some rolling hills, power, well & with a newer barb wire fence ▪ There is a large amount of used older equipment ▪ vehicles ▪ pipe ▪ cattle feeders ▪ Lots of Tools & misc. ▪ scrap iron etc. ▪ **PREVIEW Sept 20th & 21st, 1-7pm**

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Lake Museum, and the Family Resource Network.

The representatives present, who graciously shared cultural artifacts, enticing food samples, and narratives steeped in history were amazing. Their efforts transcended mere education and geography, forging heartfelt connections that bridged the often-overlooked cultural divides in today's society. The Flourish Festival encapsulated a spirit of unity and celebration.

A highlight of the event unfolded on stage at the Ukrainian Hall, where the performances ignited an electric atmosphere. A palpable wave of anticipation swept through the crowd as the first drumbeat reverberated, heralding the vibrant sounds of Embuutu Drum & Dance-African Drum and Dance. The air filled with an exhilarating burst of energy and rhythm, beckoning the audience to immerse themselves in the experience.

Following this

were enthralling performances by the Karilagan Dance Society, showcasing Filipino dance, Colors of Punjab, presenting Indian dance, and the Nifhamak Arab Music Ensemble, delighting spectators with Middle Eastern melodies.

Each performance resonated with the essence of its culture, the music and rhythms offering a glimpse into the soul of varied traditions. The stunning movements and elaborate costumes told stories steeped in rich history, captivating

everyone present.

Kudos to Rachele Amyotee and Sukhan Bajaj for orchestrating such a phenomenal event! Gratitude extends to all the vendors

and information table participants, those donning traditional attire, and every volunteer who contributed to the seamless setup. The Flourish Festival

was a beautiful demonstration of a community with a diverse tapestry of faces in the crowd reflecting the inclusivity and spirit of celebration that defined the day.





Alberta RCMP issues 1661 tickets over Labour Day long weekend

From Aug. 29 to Sept. 1, your Alberta RCMP conducted enhanced traffic safety enforcement across the province, resulting in 1661 traffic safety

infractions.

Of the 1661 tickets issued, 789 were for speeding, 34 for distracted driving, and 19 for not wearing a seatbelt.

Additionally, 99 impaired drivers were removed from the roads. 70 drivers received Immediate Roadside Sanction (IRS) FAILs and 19 received IRS WARNs.

Unfortunately, over the long weekend, there were 54 collisions which caused injuries, resulting in 4 deaths.

“Fatal motor vehicle collisions are often avoidable,” says Sgt. Darrin Turnbull, Alberta RCMP Traffic, “and we are reminded of this every long weekend when lives are lost due to factors such as drugs, alcohol, and speeding.”

Your Alberta RCMP is urging everyone to remember that there is no reason to get behind the wheel if you are impaired. If road conditions are unfavourable, consider delaying travel until they improve, and always give yourself extra time to get where you are going.

Traffic safety is a shared responsibility. Call 911 if you observe dangerous driving.

For more traffic safety information, follow us on Facebook @RCMPinAlberta and X @RCMPAlberta.

Smoky Lake County NOTICE – PUBLIC HEARING on Proposed Bylaw #1486-25



TAKE NOTICE THAT in accordance with the *Municipal Government Act*, the Council of Smoky Lake County is giving consideration of Bylaw #1486-25: A Bylaw to close and dispose of portions of Government Road Allowance.

A Statutory Public Hearing will be held in relation to Bylaw 1486-25, both in-person *and* via videoconference on Thursday, September 11, 2025, at 9:15 a.m. (or as soon as practical thereafter) at: Smoky Lake County Council Chambers, 4612 McDougall Drive, Smoky Lake, AB T0A 3C0 or online:
<https://video.businessconnect.telus.com/join/191952852> Meeting ID: 191952852 or via phone: 1-844-511-2074

In-person Speakers:

If you intend on participating in person, you are encouraged to pre-register for the Public Hearing by contacting Chyenne Shaw 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 Chyenne Shaw 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 5-minute time limit and are encouraged to provide a written copy of their submission in advance of the Public Hearing.

Written Submissions:

All interested parties are encouraged to express their views by providing a written submission to Legislative Services by email at cshaw@smokylakecounty.ab.ca.

Persons wishing to view the Bylaw and/or the Public Hearing are invited to attend in person or view the Meeting at the County website at <http://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca> or view the Bylaw <https://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/notices>

Questions? Contact:

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



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62209 RR 201 THORHILD COUNTY



\$624,900

This Nelson Homes-built RTM bungalow sits on a ICF basement and offers the perfect blend of comfort and functionality. Located on 10 acres, the property features a double attached garage and a 36x48 drive-through shop—ideal for hobbyists, mechanics, or those that just need more storage. The home's layout is thoughtfully designed, starting with a spacious mudroom complete with a sink and stove—perfect for canning, prepping, or cleaning up after outdoor work. The main floor boasts an open-concept kitchen, dining area, and walk-through pantry, creating a seamless flow for everyday living. You'll also find main floor laundry, a 2-piece bath, a 4-piece main bath, and 3 bedrooms including the primary suite with a walk-in closet and private 4-piece ensuite. The basement with in floor heat is nearly complete—just flooring and drop ceiling remain. It includes a 4th bedroom, 4-piece bath, family room, den and wet bar area. Step outside onto the deck off the kitchen and take in your own private paradise.

23217 TWP RD 594 RURAL THORHILD COUNTY



\$549,000

5-Bedroom Walkout Bi-Level on 11.89 Acres! Looking for space for a few horses, some cattle, or simply room to escape the city? This property offers it all! The home has seen many updates over the years, including a metal roof, windows, and some flooring. The main floor features 3 bedrooms, including a primary with its own sunroom and 2-person hot tub, a 4-piece bathroom, a bright living room with a wood-burning fireplace, a dining area, and a functional kitchen. The walkout basement adds 2 more bedrooms, a large rec room with another wood fireplace, a utility room, and laundry area. Each level has its own furnace for added comfort. This home also includes a double attached garage for parking or extra storage. Outside you'll find a shop, barn, calf shelter, multiple water hydrants, and additional outbuildings, making this property ideal for hobby farming or country living.

5316 48 AVE REDWATER



\$424,000

Fully Finished Raised Bungalow with Legal Basement Suite! This well-designed home offers great versatility with a legal basement suite and a double detached heated garage. A spacious common mudroom at the back entry provides practicality for both levels. The main floor features a bright, open layout with vaulted ceilings, a large kitchen, and living room. There are 3 bedrooms, including a primary suite with a 4-piece ensuite, walk-in closet, and convenient laundry. The basement is complete with in-floor heating, a full kitchen, 2 bedrooms, 4-piece bath, its own laundry, and plenty of storage—perfect for extended family or rental income. A fantastic opportunity for homeowners or investors alike!

433 5TH STREET THORHILD



IMPROVED PRICE \$139,900

Charming 1-Bedroom Home with Recent Upgrades! This cozy home is perfect for first-time buyers or anyone looking to downsize. Enjoy peace of mind with many recent updates, including most main floor windows (2024), shingles (2022), high-efficiency furnace and hot water tank (2021), newer doors, fresh paint and trim, vinyl plank flooring (2023), an updated kitchen, and a beautifully renovated 4-piece bathroom. Situated on a large corner lot with plenty of space to build a garage or design your ideal outdoor retreat. A great opportunity to own an affordable, move-in-ready home!



Aspen View PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ASPEN VIEW PUBLIC SCHOOLS NOTICE OF NOMINATION DAY LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTION ACT (SECTION 26)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: The Aspen View Public Schools Province of Alberta

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is Monday, September 22, 2025 and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the following jurisdiction offices set out below from January 1, 2025 until 12:00 noon on Nomination Day.

Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Electoral Subdivision
Aspen View Northwest Trustee	1	Ward 1
Aspen View North Central Trustee	2	Ward 2
Aspen View Northeast Trustee	1	Ward 3
Aspen View Southwest Trustee	1	Ward 4
Aspen View South Central Trustee	1	Ward 5
Aspen View Southeast Trustee	1	Ward 6

Location (Address) of the jurisdiction office:
Aspen View Public Schools
Second Floor, Room 251
1 University Drive
Athabasca, Alberta T9S 3A3

Nomination papers for the position of Trustees in the Aspen View Public School Division are available online at www.aspenview.org

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Carrying forward a legacy: the 7th annual Tom's Tournament of Heroes

2nd Chance Trail Ride Society photos



This year's champions celebrate their win at the 7th Annual Tom's Tournament of Heroes, an event dedicated to raising awareness about organ and tissue donation in memory of Tom Matthews.

By Shelley Winger

On Saturday, August 16, the fairways at Redwater Community Golf Club were alive with laughter, sunshine, and the unmistakable spirit of community. Friends, families, sponsors, and volunteers gathered for the 7th Annual Tom's Tournament of Heroes, a day that has become so much more than just golf. From the very first tee-off to the last raffle prize of the evening, there was a sense of joy and gratitude that carried through every moment. While the competition was fun and spirited, the true heart of this event lies in the legacy it honours and the cause it supports: the life and memory of Tom Matthews and his commitment to raising awareness about organ and tissue donation.

For those who never had the chance to meet him, Tom Matthews was a man whose life was defined not just by the years he lived, but by the way he lived them. On July 11, 2009, Tom received a double-lung transplant — the ultimate gift of life. That gift gave him the chance to breathe

deeply again, to spend precious years with his family, and to find a new mission: spreading the word about the importance of organ and tissue donation. Tom knew firsthand the power of one person's decision to donate. He became a passionate advocate, speaking with others, supporting awareness campaigns, and encouraging people to register as donors. His energy, humour, and kindness left an impression on everyone he met. Though Tom has since passed, his legacy of courage and generosity continues to inspire through this tournament, which carries his name and his mission forward.

The morning began in true community fashion, with the Lions Club serving a hearty clubhouse breakfast that fueled players for the day ahead. At 10:30 AM, teams took to the course under clear skies. The energy was high, with golfers sharing laughs, a few friendly rivalries, and the simple joy of being together for a good cause. As the sun climbed, players enjoyed a lunch generously sponsored by TKO Rentals Ltd., followed

by more fun and competition on the greens. The day wrapped up with a delicious dinner sponsored by Hedge Co Vegetation Management, where heartfelt announcements were shared, stories were told, and the impact of the day was celebrated.

Throughout the tournament, golfers also took part in exciting challenges like longest drive, closest-to-the-pin, best dressed, and of course, the battle for overall team champions. Off the course, excitement buzzed around the raffle table, with incredible prizes up for grabs, including a WestJet flight voucher, a tailgate package, and many more generously donated items.

Every year brings memorable highlights, but the 7th Annual Tournament had a moment that stood out above the rest. Team Spare Parts, featuring Armand Boucher — Tom's own son — emerged as the overall tournament champions, taking home the coveted trophy. Seeing Armand play, compete, and ultimately win the tournament in his father's honour was profoundly moving. The



Golfers show off this year's tournament shirts with the message "Be sure to donate your organs before you check out!" at the 7th Annual Tom's Tournament of Heroes, held at Redwater Community Golf Club.

victory symbolized more than just golf skill — it was a tribute to Tom's enduring spirit and a reminder of why this event exists. The trophy, carried forward by his son, is now a lasting symbol of both family pride and the impact Tom left behind.

Beyond the fairways and the fun, Tom's Tournament of Heroes carries a much deeper purpose: sparking conversations about the importance of organ and tissue donation. Each year, the event invites voices that can shed light on this lifesaving gift. This year, Corinne Marceau, Senior Donation Consultant for the Edmonton and North Zones with Give Life Alberta, spoke to participants about the incredible impact of donation. She reminded everyone that each registered donor has the power to transform multiple lives — and that behind every statistic are families given more time and more hope. Alberta recently reached a record 317 deceased organ and tissue donors in one year, each one giving the ultimate gift of life.

The success of the 7th

Annual Tournament was made possible by the dedication of so many.

Sponsors stepped up with generosity that ensures the tournament grows year after year. Players brought enthusiasm and joy to the day, filling the course with laughter and camaraderie.

Volunteers worked tirelessly behind the scenes, the quiet heroes who made sure every detail ran smoothly. Together, they created something much larger than a golf tournament — a living tribute to Tom's legacy.

While this year's tournament was one to remember, the excitement is already building for next year. The 8th Annual Tom's Tournament of Heroes will take place on Saturday, August 15, 2026, at the Cardiff Golf & Country Club Course. Each year the tournament grows — in players, in spirit, and in impact. It is a day that honours Tom Matthews, celebrates life, and continues to spread awareness about the gift of organ and tissue donation.

At the heart of it all is Tom: a man whose life was extended

through the generosity of a donor and who used that gift to help others. His story continues to change lives by inspiring people to register as donors and to have conversations with their loved ones about this life-changing choice. The tournament ensures that his voice, his mission, and his legacy live on. Every laugh shared on the course, every sponsor's donation, and every raffle ticket purchased helps extend his message: that the choice to give life is the most powerful gift of all.

Tom's Tournament of Heroes is more than just a golf tournament — it is a testament to what happens when community, love, and legacy come together.

For photos and a full recap of the day, visit: www.secondchance-trailride.ca/7th-annual-toms-tournament-of-heroes.

If you haven't already, please consider registering as an organ and tissue donor. It's a simple decision that can give someone else the ultimate gift of life. To learn more and to register, visit: www.alberta.ca/organ-and-tissue-donation.



Notice of Nomination Day

Local Authorities Election Act
(Section 26)

The Sturgeon Public School Division

Province of Alberta

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is Monday, September 22, 2025 and that nominations for the election of candidates for the offices listed in Table 1 will be received at Sturgeon Public School Division at 9820 - 104 St, Morinville, within the period beginning September 1, 2025 and ending at 12:00 noon on September 22.

Sturgeon Public School Division
Frank Robinson Education Centre
9820 - 104 Street
Morinville, AB T8R 1L8
Telephone: 780-939-4341

DATED at Morinville in the Province of Alberta this 1st day of September 2025.

Sean Nicholson
corporate.services@sturgeon.ab.ca
Returning Officer

Office	Number of Vacancies	Ward or Electoral Division Number
Trustee	One	One
Trustee	One	Two
Trustee	One	Three
Trustee	One	Four
Trustee	One	Five
Trustee	One	Six
Trustee	One	Seven

Table 1: Trustee Election Offices, Vacancies, and Corresponding Wards (2025)



NOTICE OF NOMINATION DAY Local Authorities Election Act (Section 26)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: **Smoky Lake County**, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is September 22, 2025 and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction office set out below with the period beginning on January 1, 2025 and ending at 12:00 noon on Nomination Day.

Offices	No. of Vacancies	Electoral Division #
Councillor	1	Division 1
Councillor	1	Division 2
Councillor	1	Division 3
Councillor	1	Division 4
Councillor	1	Division 5

Location of Local Jurisdiction Office:
Smoky Lake County
4612 McDougall Drive
Smoky Lake, Alberta T0A 3C0

DATED in the Town of Smoky Lake in the Province of Alberta, this 28th day of August, 2025.

Stephanie Mahon, Returning Officer
Smoky Lake County

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at **#200, 9906-102 Street, Fort Saskatchewan, AB, T8L 2C3**

If you do not file by the date set out above, the Estate property can lawfully be distributed without regard to any claim you may have.

Ad Booking Deadlines

11:00 am Thursdays
Contact

780-222-2016 or
redwaterreview@gmail.com

September is National Recovery Awareness Month

By Brandie Majeau

September is designated as National Recovery Awareness Month, raising awareness about mental health and substance use disorders while promoting the importance of

recovery. This month focuses as a powerful reminder of the many struggles faced by individuals and families affected by addiction, as well as the hope and strength that recovery can provide. National Recovery Awareness

Month was established in 1989 by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration and emphasizes the significance of understanding, nurturing hope, and building community support around recovery efforts.

Each year, organizations across the country organize and utilize various activities and events aimed at educating the public, reducing stigma, and encouraging individuals to seek help. These events often include community

walks, workshops, informational campaigns, and storytelling sessions where individuals share their recovery journeys.

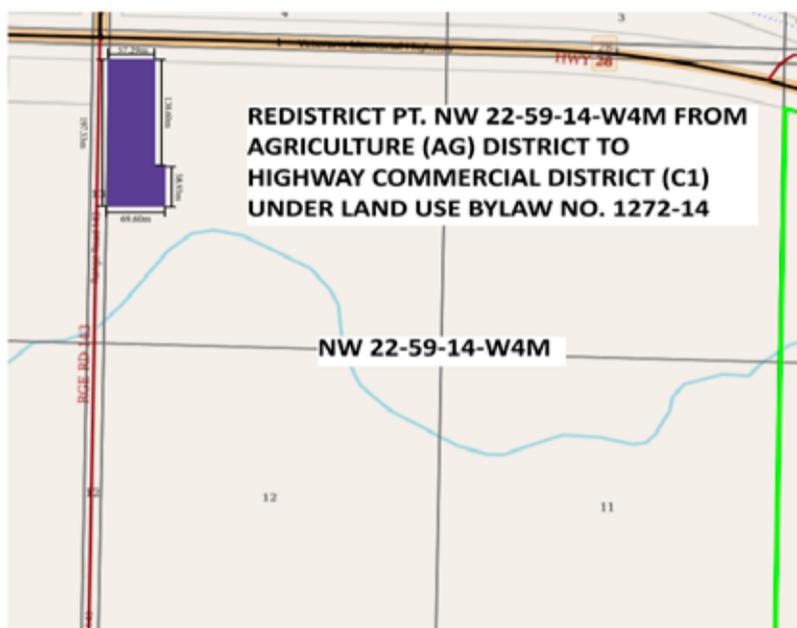
One of the critical focal points of this month is to highlight that recovery is possible for everyone. Those struggling with addiction are often met with overwhelming challenges, but stories of resilience are out there. From personal testimonials to community success stories, National Recovery Awareness Month shows that recovery, while not always a straight path, is achievable. By sharing these narratives, the anticipation is that they will inspire hope and create support for individuals in recovery and their loved ones.

National Recovery Awareness Month acts as a pivotal platform for advocacy, urging policymakers to craft and implement policies that promote recovery programs and support services. Advocates call for increased funding for mental health and addiction services to ensure that individuals in need can access the treatment they deserve. Awareness leads to action, and through community engagement and legislative dialogue, there is a concerted effort to create more resources for those seeking help.

In addition to awareness and advocacy, this month serves as a call to action for individuals and organizations to support recovery-friendly environments. This can be accomplished by implementing supportive policies and programs that encourage recovery, further reducing stigma associated with addiction.

As September unfolds, it is a reminder to praise those in recovery, support those still facing challenges, and create a society where the challenges of mental health and addiction are met with understanding and compassion. National Recovery Awareness Month is a vital opportunity to celebrate progress, encourage dialogue, and commit to support for all those on the journey to recovery. The theme of National Recovery Month for 2025 is Restoring Every Aspect of Life (REAL).

Smoky Lake County NOTICE – PUBLIC HEARING on Proposed Bylaw #1482-25



TAKE NOTICE THAT in accordance with sections 216.4, 606 & 692 of the *Municipal Government Act*, the Council of Smoky Lake County is giving consideration of Bylaw #1482-25:

- To redistrict portions of the lands legally described as NW 22-59-14-W4M, from AGRICULTURE (AG) DISTRICT to HIGHWAY COMMERCIAL (C1) DISTRICT, under the County's Land Use Bylaw #1272-14; &

A Statutory Public Hearing will be held in relation to Bylaw 1482-25, both in-person and via videoconference on Thursday, September 11, 2025, at 9:15 a.m. (or as soon as practical thereafter) at: Smoky Lake County Council Chambers, 4612 McDougall Drive, Smoky Lake, AB T0A 3C0 or online: <https://video.businessconnect.telus.com/join/191952852> Meeting ID: 191952852 or via phone: 1-844-511-2074

In-person Speakers:

If you intend on participating in person, you are encouraged to pre-register for the Public Hearing by contacting Chyenne Shaw 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 Chyenne Shaw 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 5-minute time limit and are encouraged to provide a written copy of their submission in advance of the Public Hearing.

Written Submissions:

All interested parties are encouraged to express their views by providing a written submission to Legislative Services by email at cshaw@smokylakecounty.ab.ca.

Persons wishing to view the Bylaw and/or the Public Hearing are invited to attend in person or view the Meeting at the County website at <http://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca> or view the Bylaw <https://www.smokylakecounty.ab.ca/notices>

Questions? Contact:

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



Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act: By submitting comments on this bylaw, either orally or in writing, the personal information you provide may be recorded in the minutes of the Public Hearing, or otherwise made public. This information is collected in line with section 33(c) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions, please contact the Smoky Lake County Access and Privacy Officer at 4612 McDougall Drive Box 310, Smoky Lake, AB T0A 3C0, 780-656-3730, or county@smokylakecounty.ab.ca.

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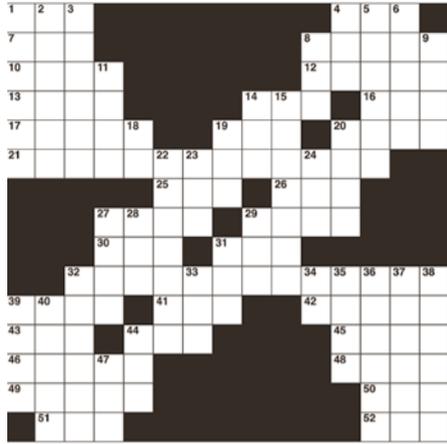
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SUDOKU CROSSWORDS



Fun By The Numbers

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!



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. Utilitarian fashion accessory
- 4. Engine additive
- 7. Macaws
- 8. Listens to
- 10. Self-righteously moralistic person
- 12. Made of wood
- 13. Chinese lute
- 14. Beginning military rank
- 16. Indicates near
- 17. Ties the score
- 19. Chum
- 20. Long ago
- 21. Localities
- 25. Midway between northeast and east
- 26. Make fun of
- 27. Tennis great Arthur
- 29. Construction location
- 30. Cow's noise
- 31. Blue
- 32. One of the Fab Four
- 39. Formula 1 team

- 41. Dash
- 42. Lifting device
- 43. Basics
- 44. Keyboard key
- 45. Old Irish alphabet
- 46. Shaking of the Earth's surface
- 48. Covered stadium
- 49. Sword handles
- 50. Longing or yearning
- 51. Creators' social network

CLUES DOWN

- 1. Occur
- 2. Show up
- 3. Capital of Taiwan
- 4. Ocean
- 5. Givers and ___
- 6. Gets ready
- 8. Ad ___
- 9. Fit of irritation
- 11. Criminal organization
- 14. Exclamation that denotes disgust
- 15. American state

- 18. Sensor hub
- 19. Before
- 20. The boundary of a surface
- 22. Witnesses
- 23. Singular
- 24. Type of meal
- 27. Music awards show
- 28. Former French coin of low value
- 29. A bag-like structure in an animal
- 31. Schenectady County Airport
- 32. Calm down
- 33. Partner to cheese
- 34. Cola brand
- 35. Stepped on
- 36. Japanese city
- 37. Type of coating
- 38. A citizen of Yemen
- 39. Popular breakfast item corned beef ___
- 40. On a line at right angles to a ship's length
- 44. First responders
- 47. Short-term memory

SCHOOL YEAR WORD SEARCH

H A I B W K E P N K C B T N W X M K R G
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Find the words hidden vertically, horizontally, diagonally, and backwards.

- WORDS**
- ASSIGNMENT
 - BACKPACK
 - BLACKBOARD
 - CALCULATOR
 - CHAIR
 - CHALK
 - CLASSROOM
 - DESK
 - EXAM
 - GRADE
 - HIGHLIGHTER
 - HOMEWORK
 - LESSON
 - LIBRARY
 - MARKER
 - NOTEBOOK
 - PRINCIPAL
 - RECESS
 - RULER
 - SCHEDULE
 - STUDENT
 - TEACHER
 - TEXTBOOK
 - WHITEBOARD

NOTICE OF NOMINATION DAY

FORM 3 Local Authorities Election Act (Section 26)
 LOCAL JURISDICTION: Sturgeon County, Province of Alberta

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is **September 22, 2025** and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction office set out below within the period beginning on **January 1, 2025** and ending at **12:00 noon** on Nomination Day.

Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Division Number
Mayor	1	At Large
Councillor	1	1
Councillor	1	2
Councillor	1	3
Councillor	1	4
Councillor	1	5
Councillor	1	6

Location of Local Jurisdiction Office: **Sturgeon County Centre**
 9613-100 Street
 Morinville, Alberta, T8R 1L9

DATED at the Town of Morinville, in the Province of Alberta, this 22 day of August, 2025.

(Returning Officer, Melodie Steele) sturgeoncounty.ca/Election

2025 Municipal General Election

Notice of Nomination Day
 Local Authorities Election Act
 (Section 26)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: TOWN OF SMOKY LAKE, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is **SEPTEMBER 22, 2025**, and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction office set out below within the period beginning on **JANUARY 1, 2025**, and ending at **12:00 noon** on **Nomination Day**.

Offices	Numbers of Vacancies
MAYOR	1
COUNCILLOR	4

Location (address) of Local Jurisdiction Office:
56 WHEATLAND AVENUE, SMOKY LAKE, ALBERTA, T0A 3C0

DATED at the TOWN of SMOKY LAKE, in the Province of Alberta, this 21st day of **AUGUST 2025**.

Molly Fyten, Returning Officer

For more information visit www.smokylake.ca



Community Comes Together at Pembina Place for Annual Registration Night



Town of Redwater photos

Upcoming auctions

Live Sat Sept 13 10:AM

Linda's Market Garden
59314- Hgwy 28 Smoky Lake AB
Commercial Restaurant equipment,
antiques, giftware, green house items,
shelving + more

Online closes Sept 25-26 estate of

Blake Missal
9123- Twp Rd 580 St. Paul AB.
Highline 8000 bale processor, 1590 case
hay bine, 3 851 NH balers, older vehicles
for parts or repair + more
Viewing Sept 19 + 20 Sept 12-6 pm

Live Sat Sept 20 10:00AM

Baronic Family
58304- RR 134 Vilna AB
2012 Kia Ronda, 1997 Ford F150 4+4,
JD E130 mower, antiques, new genera-
tors + tools + more

Live Sat Sept 27

Ron McConnell
11319 Twp Rd 604 Ashmont AB
cub cadet side x side, 2006 Suzuki SUV,
Trailers, boats, 3 pth equip and more.

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Dan Gawalko
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By Haylee Winger

The community came alive on September 3 as residents gathered at Pembina Place for "Meet the Community & Registration Night." Running from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., the event brought together families, local organizations, and program coordinators for an evening filled with connection, information, and a strong sense of community spirit.

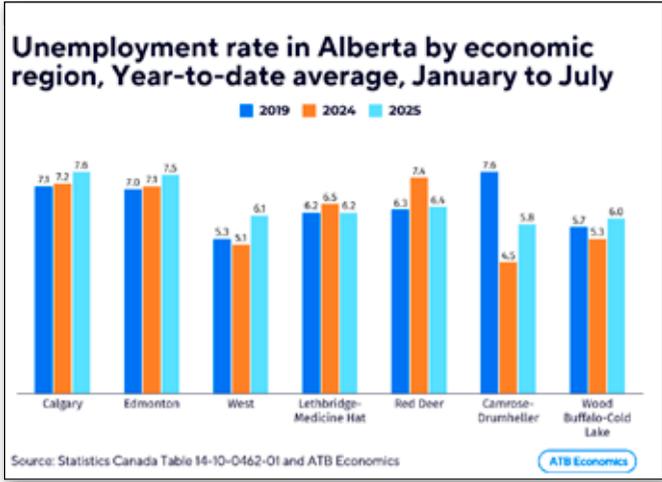
Guestshadthechance to meet neighbors,

learn about upcoming local programs, and register for fall activities in a relaxed and welcoming setting. Representatives from various community groups were on hand to answer questions and share what they have planned for the season ahead.

In addition to the informative booths and friendly conversations, attendees were treated to a complimentary beef on a bun, along with frozen treats to enjoy as they mingled.

The simple yet thoughtful offerings added to the warm and inviting atmosphere of the evening.

Events like this continue to play an important role in building community engagement and encouraging participation in local programs. Organizers expressed their gratitude for the strong turnout and look forward to another successful year of activities and involvement across the community.



Uneven terrain: Regional labour markets in Alberta

By Rob Roach, ATB ECONOMICS

The monthly Labour Force Survey (LFS) is a powerful tool for tracking change in the job market. But, like all sample surveys, its reliability suffers the more you zero-in on specific parts of the sample. This is why we tend to focus on the national and

provincial results rather than specific communities or regions.

To get around this, we can look at change over a larger block of time, which is what we do in today's Twenty-Four with regard to the seven regions* of Alberta for which Statistics Canada provides LFS results.

Averaging the LFS results over the first seven months of the year, we find that the unemployment rate is lower in the regions outside the Edmonton and Calgary areas. The Camrose-Drumheller region had the lowest rate at 5.8% compared to 7.5% in the Edmonton region and 7.6% in the Calgary region.

Why are unemployment rates higher in Calgary and Edmonton? The main factor is these regions have experienced particularly fast population and labour force growth since 2022. Jobs have risen, but the number of people entering these markets and looking for work has shot up even faster. For example, so far this year, employment in Calgary has risen an impressive 4.7%, but the labour force has grown at a faster clip of

5.1%. The result has been an increase in that region's unemployment rate.

How have regional labour markets fared over time? A natural baseline is 2019, before the pandemic was declared. The regions with year-to-date employment gains since 2019 are Camrose-Drumheller (+20.0%), Calgary (+18.4%), Edmonton (+9.5%), Lethbridge-Medicine Hat (+8.4%) and Red Deer (+8.0%), while Wood Buffalo-Cold Lake (-1.6%) and the West (-1.4%) posted declines.

*There are eight economic regions in Alberta:

- Lethbridge-Medicine Hat
- Camrose-Drumheller
- Calgary
- Banff-Jasper-Rocky Mountain House
- Athabasca-Grande Prairie-Peace River
- Red Deer
- Edmonton
- Wood Buffalo-Cold Lake

Statistics Canada combines Banff-Jasper-Rocky Mountain House and Athabasca-Grande Prairie-Peace River together in its LFS results. We refer to this region as the West.



NOTICE OF NOMINATION DAY

Local Authorities Election Act

Section (26)

LOCAL JURISDICTION: THORHILD COUNTY, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is Monday, September 22, 2025, and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction office set out below within the period beginning on January 1, 2025, and ending at 12 noon on Nomination Day.

Thorhild County Administration Building will be open between Nomination Hours 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon.

Office(s)	Number of Vacancies	Electoral Division Number
Councillor	1	Division 1
Councillor	1	Division 2
Councillor	1	Division 3
Councillor	1	Division 4
Councillor	1	Division 5

Location (address) of Local Jurisdiction Office:
 Thorhild County Administration Building
 801-1 Street
 Thorhild, Alberta
 T0A 3J0

DATED at the Hamlet of Thorhild, in the Province of Alberta, this 27th day of August, 2025.

Carol Revega
 Returning Officer

SEEKING BOARD MEMBERS

Thorhild County is seeking public members to join the following County Boards.
Please submit your application in writing, expressing your interest and relevant experience, by 12:00 PM on October 8, 2025.

Board	Frequency	Member(s) Required	Contact
Subdivision and Development Appeal Board (SDAB): The SDAB hears subdivision and development permit appeals and stop work order appeals. Successful completion of mandatory training is required.	When required	One	Carol Revega Email: Carol.Revega@thorhildcounty.com Ph: 780-398-3741 ext. 2808
Community Economic Development Advisory Board (CEDAB): The CEDAB acts in an advisory role by making recommendations and providing strategic advice to Council on economic and business development matters.	Quarterly	Two	Carol Revega Email: Carol.Revega@thorhildcounty.com Ph: 780-398-3741 ext. 2808
Thorhild County Library Board: The Library Board is a governing board with full management and control of the public libraries within Thorhild County.	Quarterly	One	Tracy Woloshyniuk Email: twoloshyniuk@newbrooklibrary.ab.ca Ph: 780-576-3772

Phone: 780-398-3741 | www.thorhildcounty.com
 801 - 1st Street, Box 10, Thorhild AB T0A 3J0

Managing money: Essential tips for post-secondary students



(NC) Juggling school, work and everyday life can be hard, especially when money's tight. Whether you're managing student loans, trying to stretch a part-time paycheque or just learning how to manage money for the first time, it's easy to feel overwhelmed.

Here are some simple steps you can take to help you budget better, manage your debt and start building a solid financial foundation:

Know what you owe. Start by building an understanding of your student debt—how much you've borrowed, who you owe and what the interest rates are. The National Student Loan Service Centre is

your go-to hub for tracking federal loans and exploring payment options.

Budgeting is your new bestie. Budgeting isn't about cutting off all your fun, it's about knowing where your money goes. Start by listing all your sources of income: part time jobs, scholarships, family support and grants. Track monthly expenses like rent, groceries, transportation, tuition, books, entertainment and debt repayments. Take advantage of online budgeting tools, like the one offered by the Financial Consumer Agency of Canada, to make things simpler to manage.

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MOUNTIE MINUTE Smoky Lake RCMP Detachment

Smoky Lake RCMP Detachment press release

- RCMP received a call of a possible credit card scam
- RCMP received a Form 23 to transport individual in

hospital for assessment, RPACT assisting

- Received a call of a suspicious male knocking on door, RCMP spoke with male who works for Nova Renewables advertising

- the business
- Wellbeing Check, a youth ran away from their residence after being disciplined
- RCMP responded to a domestic assault in Spedden
- Once again Smoky Lake County is experiencing vehicles entering rural properties at night in attempts to steal fuel. Late 2000s GMC/Chev blue/

- grey 4 door truck travelling with a Ford F250 flatbed with a red tidy tank in the back.
- Suspicious Person on RR 183, member attended located individual staying at a friend's residence
- ATCO substation was broken into and \$600 worth of Copper Wire was stolen
- Received a call from a resident in the Town of

Smoky Lake – issue is a tenant landlord matter

- Village of Vilna resident called the police to advise a person is burning in their backyard, no fire ban in place, Village advised
- Theft of an abandoned tractor near the Village of Vilna
- Wellbeing check on a male on HWY 28 // RR 130, members attended the location and the male was gone, no further issues
- Suspicious Persons on a rural property near Mons Lake, RCMP attended and located 2 individuals who were charged accordingly and vehicle towed
- RCMP received a report of someone stealing cats in the Town of Smoky Lake
- License plate was stolen from the Smoky Lake Iron Horse Staging Area
- Village of Waskatenau- quads and dirtbikes travelling up and down the road in the village
- Family Dispute in the Town of Smoky Lake, trying to obtain personal property,
- A Hamlet of Warspite resident reported that there was no electricity at their residence for a few hours. Not a police matter.
- A 2002 GMC Sierra was stolen from the Town of Smoky Lake, white in color AB Marker: CLW-8022
- Sunday August 31 Fuel Tanker lost control on Highway 855, flipped and caused a large fire, highway was closed for a time
- Break and enter at a seasonal property on Highway 36
- Received a call near Spedden of loud vehicles driving down the road
- Received a call of cows on the highway on HWY 36
- Received a driving complaint of possible impaired driver, located vehicle, MAS demand read "0"-not impaired
- Alarm call at ATB- False Alarm
- Wellbeing check on behalf of RCMP in Fort McMurray
- RCMP obtained a call of a male walking on HWY 28, members attended and located individual not in distress
- Mischief to a motor vehicle parked in the Town of Smoky Lake
- Harassing communication between 2 parties

IF YOU HAVE ANY INFORMATION ON A CRIME CONTACT THE SMOKY LAKE RCMP AT 780-656-3550 or CRIMESTOPPERS 1-800-222-TIPS(8477).



PUBLIC NOTICE

Take notice that the following Development Permits have been approved on August 28, 2025 in accordance with Land Use Bylaw No. 1272-14 of Smoky Lake County:

Permit Number: DP 031-25

Legal Land Description: PLAN 2321787, BLOCK 6, LOT 3' . . SW 34-59-13-W' 'M)

Area: BONNIE LAKE

Division: 1

Land Use District: MULTI-LOT COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL (R1) DISTRICT

Use Type: DISCRETIONARY USE

Proposed Development: SHIPPING CONTAINER

Permit Number: DP 033-25

Legal Land Description: PLAN 2321586, BLOCK 7, LOT 15 (PT. SW 34-59-13-W4' ,

Area: BONNIE LAKE

Division: 1

Land Use District: MULTI-LOT COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL (R1) DISTRICT

Use Type: DISCRETIONARY USE

Proposed Development: SHIPPING CONTAINER

For information or to view these Development Permits, please contact Jordan Ruegg, Development Authority & Planning and Development Manager at 780-656-3730 to arrange an appointment.

Persons wishing to appeal the above decisions must do so by filing a written "NOTICE OF APPEAL" along with the \$250.00 appeal fee, to the Clerk of the Intermunicipal Subdivision and Development Appeal Board (ISDAB) 4612 McDougall Drive, Box 310, Smoky Lake, Alberta T0A 3C0, no later than **Friday, September 19th, 2025, at 4:00 p.m.** The appeal letter should indicate the Development Permit number, contact name, phone number, mailing address, and reason(s) for appeal.

Jordan Ruegg
Development Authority Officer/
Planning and Development Manager

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Prioritize needs over wants. When your budget feels tight, focus on the essentials first. Look for student discounts and campus resources to help stretch your dollar further, and look critically at your expenses—be honest with yourself about what you can cut until things improve.

Start repaying early (if you can). Making even small loan payments while you're still in school or during the grace period can help lower your overall

interest costs. Setting up automatic payments helps keep things on track and can make it easier to manage your obligations.

Build good credit habits. Pay your bills on time. Avoid unnecessary debt. Keep your credit use in check. Good credit now can open doors later, from renting apartments to financing future projects.

By taking small, thoughtful steps, you can gain more control over your finances and set yourself up for long-term stability and confidence. Learn more at canada.ca/money.



Photos courtesy of the Rainbow Equitation Society

Continued from page 1 will begin.

Participants will have the opportunity to drink in the stunning landscapes and scenic trails that is RES, all while competing for prizes and bragging rights. The

combination of a poker rally and the tranquil pleasure of a leisurely ride guarantee an unforgettable day. Riders will navigate carefully marked trails, making stops at five designated card stations to draw their hands and compete for the title of

the best poker hand.

Registration will commence promptly at 11:00 AM, with the trail activities officially beginning at 11:30 AM. Rainbow Equitation Society members will benefit from complimentary registration: non-members are



encouraged to join the Rainbow Equitation Society through a modest annual membership fee of \$20 to gain entrance into the Poker Ride. RES kindly requests that participants pre-register by sending an email to res.events2025@gmail.

com. Additionally, they have kindly asked that participants refrain from bringing dogs to this event.

To round out the day, a complimentary dinner will be provided, creating an ideal end to a cowboy-inspired afternoon.

They encourage everyone to gather friends and join the Rainbow Equitation Society for a memorable experience in the heart of nature.

As Winston Churchill once said, "No hour of life is wasted that is spent in a saddle."

NOTICE OF NOMINATION DAY

Local Authorities Election Act (Section 26)

LOCAL JURISDICTION:

Lakeland Roman Catholic Separate School Division
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is Monday, September 22, 2025, and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction office set out below within the period beginning on January 1, 2025 and ending at 12:00 noon on Nomination Day.

Offices	Number of Vacancies	Ward
School Board Trustee	3	#1
School Board Trustee	3	#2
School Board Trustee	1	#3

(WARD 1 – ALL those lands within the Lakeland Roman Catholic Separate School Division and within the MD of Bonnyville No. 87 lying West of Range 3, West of 4th Meridian.)

(WARD 2 – ALL those lands within the Lakeland Roman Catholic Separate School Division and within the MD of Bonnyville No. 87 lying East of Range 4, West of 4th Meridian.)

(WARD 3 – ALL those lands within the Lakeland Roman Catholic Separate School Division and within the County of Thorhild No. 7, the County of Smoky Lake No. 13, and the Lac La Biche County No. 12.)

Location of Local Jurisdiction Office:
Lakeland Roman Catholic Separate School Division
4810 – 46 Street, Bonnyville, AB, T9N 2R2

Dated at the Town of Bonnyville in the Province of Alberta, this 25 day of August, 2025.

Tessa Hetu, CPA, CA, CSBO
Returning Officer



2025 Municipal General Election

LOCAL JURISDICTION: TOWN OF REDWATER, PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that Nomination Day is **SEPTEMBER 22, 2025**, and that nominations for the election of candidates for the following offices will be received at the location of the local jurisdiction office set out below within the period beginning on **JANUARY 1, 2025** and ending at 12:00 noon on Nomination Day.

Offices	Numbers of Vacancies
MAYOR	1
COUNCILLOR	6

Location (address) of Local Jurisdiction Office:
4924 47 ST, REDWATER, ALBERTA, T0A 2W0

DATED at the TOWN of Redwater, in the Province of Alberta, this 3rd day of September 2025.



Returning Officer, Allegra Tingley

For more information visit www.redwater.ca

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Classified Word Ads require Payment with Order. Low cost - high circulation. Your ad will also run free in the Morinville Free Press. Up to 25 words: \$15.00 per week, GST included. Additional words: 50c/ each. Deadline: Thursday 2:00 p.m. Phone 780-942-2023 E-mail: redwaterreview@gmail.com



Agricultural

Do you have land rental expiring? Are you looking for a new renter in 2025? We are a mixed hay and grain family farm looking to expand our hay and grain production in the thorhild/egermorton areas. Call/text 780-689-6755.

Coming Events

FIREARMS WANTED FOR OUR 2025 AUCTION PROGRAM: Firearms, Ammunition, Accessories, or Militaria. Collections, Estates or single items. For Auction, or Possible Purchase: Contact us: 1-800-694-2609, Email: sales@switzersauction.com or

Visit us @ www.switzersauction.com for Auction Dates & Details.

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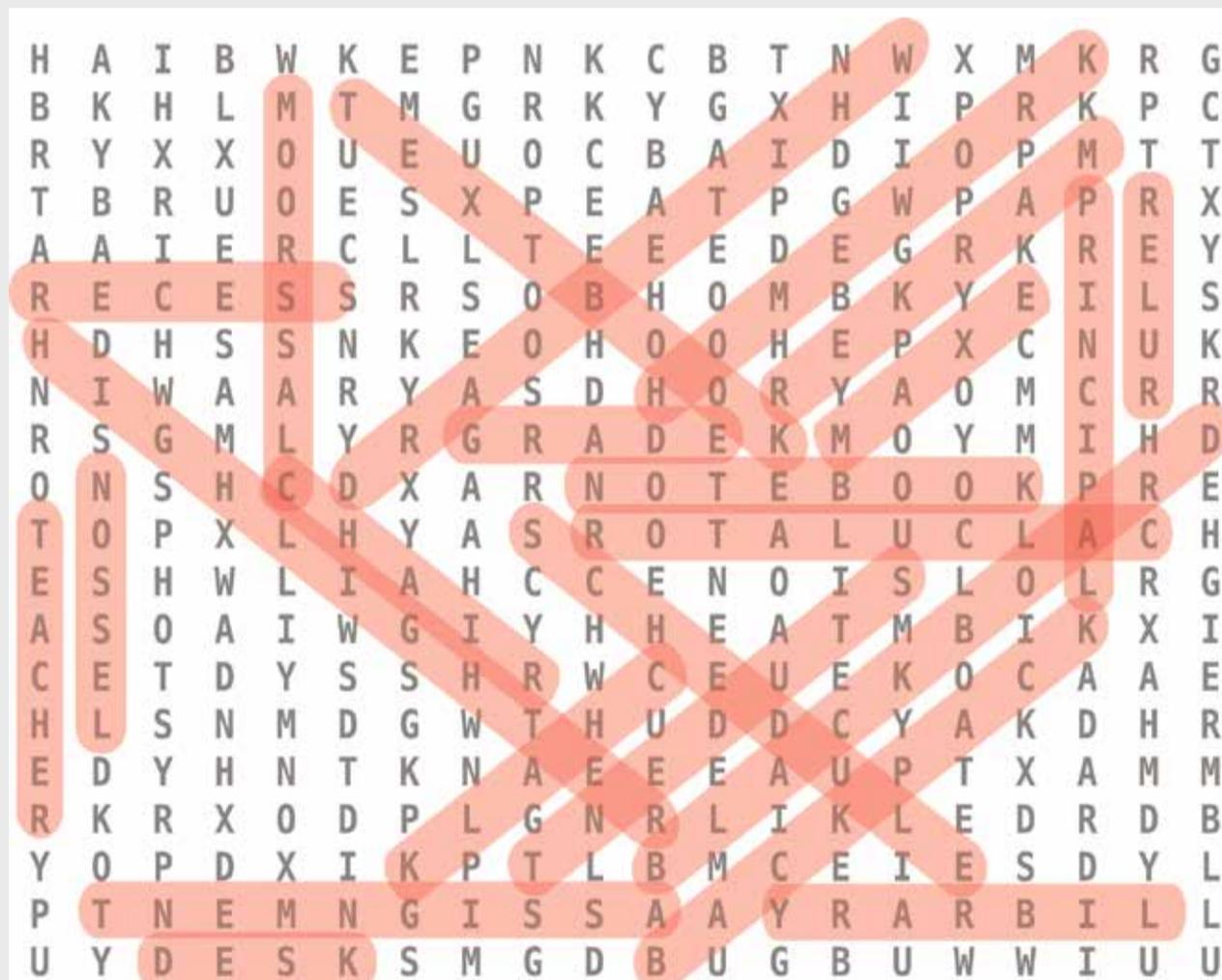
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