Mistusinne Newsletter - Fall 2016

Council Updates:

- The newly elected Council of Mayor Lloyd Montgomery, and Councillors Brian Summers (appointed as Deputy Mayor), Bruce Dorward, Darren Treble and Lorrie Moffat have now met twice and are getting on with the Village business. Their contact information is available on the website or call the office.
- The Canada 150 Committee has begun work on the new park, holes have been dug for the 140 new trees which will be planted this Fall. The irrigation system will also be installed this Fall.

Council Reminders:

- Maintenance staff and Greenskeeper staff are finished work on October 15, 2016. The greens are usually tarped within a week after the water system is shut down but may be left longer if there is rain and the weather cooperates.
- ➤ The Village non-potable water system will be shut off on Wednesday, October 12, 2016 so that staff can winterize the system. Please have all extra attachments removed from stand-pipes by this date.

Do you have empty cans and bottles? The Recycling Centre will take your empties and turn the profits from the SARCAN bottle deposit into playground equipment! All funds raised from cans and bottles are put into the Playground Fund for future upgrades. In 2015 this amounted to \$1,938!

Thank you ratepayers!!

- Please remove trailers and other articles from the greenspace. If you need space in the maintenance area please let the maintenance staff know. Council has adopted a number of recommendations for the area such as limiting use to one space per property and items that appear to be abandoned will be removed.
- ➤ If you are closing up your cabin for the year and requesting your final pump out from Peddle's Septic Service please mark that on your envelope. This will help determine which cabins need measurements taken. For new cabin owners septic tanks are measured in the Fall and if your tank has more than 12 inches of material in it, it will be pumped out by Peddle's and you will be charged. This is a Village policy.
- > The Village will again be offering driveway snow removal during the Winter season. The cost is \$100 for the season. Driveways are cleared when the roadways are cleared. Please let the office know if you would like this service. Otherwise, costs are \$40 per hour if roads are being cleared or \$60 per hour if it is a special call out (minimum one hour charge).
- Building permits are required to construct, erect, place, alter, repair, renovate or reconstruct any building (or deck) that is 100 square feet and over. Permit applications are available at the Office.



<u>Canada Day Report – July 1, 2016</u> – Chairperson Marilyn Peterson

Canada Day was once again a success with over 230 people attending. \$844 was raised for the playground fund. We had a great turnout of volunteers for set-up, burger flipping, childrens races, face painting and crafts. The Committee is looking forward to the Canada 150 event and will be adding some new twists. If you are interested in helping with this

event please watch for information in the Spring of 2017.

Golf Tournament & Community Potluck Supper Report – August 20, 2016 – Chairperson Lloyd Montgomery

Once again the golf tournament which was held on August 20, 2016 was a huge success. 95 golfers took part on a beautiful day and it appeared all enjoyed the day. Many attended the potluck supper and enjoyed the association as well as the generous amount of prizes provided by the sponsors in the area. We did again raise a record amount of money for the charities, thanks to the generosity of all those who were there. We were able to provide checks to the Elbow Fire department of 2,148.00 and to the Elbow First responders of 2,148.00. Besides this the 50/50 for Stars Ambulance provided 282.00 to them. This amounted to nearly 1000.00 more than our previous year (which was also a record). On behalf of those involved in organizing the tournament, I say a huge thank you to all who took part, those who generously gave of time and funds and those who worked hard at making the day happen. This is truly the kind of thing that sets Mistusinne apart, making it a wonderful place to spend time.

<u>Mistusinne website</u> – <u>www.mistusinne.com</u> Be sure to check out our website for Council Meeting dates, agendas, minutes, policies, and newsletters. We will be working on updating the bylaw section over the fall/winter months.

Community Events:

October 22, 2016 - Loreburn Travel Club will be hosting their bi-annual supper & auction on Saturday, October 22, 2016 at the Strongfield Hall. Social hour - 5 p.m., Supper - 6 p.m., with auction (live & silent) to follow. Supper: roast beef, baked potato, caesar salad, bun, dessert. For tickets (\$20), please contact one of the travel club members: Austyn Lemcke, Geraime Brochu, Shane Lafontaine, Kaitlyn Glubis, Tori Rendall, Adam Zacharias, Brianna Jess, Dodge Long.

November 5, 2016 – Elbow Library Fall Trade Show – 10:00 am until 3:00 pm at the Elbow Civic Centre. Come shop early for Christmas. Up to 30 vendors are preparing for your pleasure and shopping experience. Perogy and Ham Lunch available. Gourmet Coffee sold. For more information or to book a table call 306-854-2220.

November 5, 2016 – Jam Time – 9:00 pm until 1:00 am at the Loreburn Senior Centre. If you would like to show off your talents call Verna at 306-867-7287. There will be a bar and a midnight lunch.

Many community events are listed on the Village of Elbow's website at www.elbowsask.com

<u>Fall/Winter</u> Office & Recycle Hours:

OFFICE HOURS: Regular hours are Fridays from 11:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

RECYCLING HOURS: the second and fourth Saturday of the month, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon.

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Please note: A visitor to the Village has reported that his dog was poisoned and treated in Saskatoon after eating a rabbit. He was told by a ratepayer that someone has been poisoning rabbits. This could be extremely dangerous for other animals and other wildlife.