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Clear Hills County

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*May your Christmas be wrapped in
joy and filled with love!*

*Best wishes for Peace, Health &
Happiness through the coming year.*

*Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!
Clear Hills County Council & Staff*

*The County office will be closed from 4:30 p.m. on
Friday, December 23, 2016 and will reopen on
Tuesday, January 3, 2017 at 8:00 a.m.*

**MINUTES OF CLEAR HILLS COUNTY
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
COUNTY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2016**

PRESENT

Jason Ruecker	Reeve
Charlie Johnson	Deputy-Reeve
Miron Croy	Councillor
Dan Fletcher	Councillor
Lee Svederus	Councillor
Peter Frixel	Councillor
David Janzen	Councillor

ABSENT

ATTENDING

Allan Rowe	Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)
Audrey Bjorklund	Community Development Manager (CDM)
Bonnie Morgan	Executive Assistant (EA)
Ron Jensen	Public Works Manager (PWM)

CALL TO ORDER

Reeve Ruecker called the meeting to order at 10:48 a.m.

**ACCEPTANCE OF
AGENDA**

C610-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus to adopt the agenda governing October 25, 2016, Regular Council Meeting, with the addition of 7.a.5 Cleardale Community Enhancement Society, as presented. CARRIED.

**APPROVAL OF
MINUTES**

Previous
Meeting Minutes
C611-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to adopt the minutes of October 11, 2016, Regular Council Meeting, as presented. CARRIED.

**NEW BUSINESS:
COUNCIL**

Management
Team Activity Report

Council reviewed the most recent Management Team Activity Report.

C612-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Frixel to accept the October 25, 2016, Management Team Activity Report, as presented. CARRIED.

North Peace Housing
Foundation

Council tabled discussion about staffing cutbacks at the Homesteader Lodge until after the North Peace Housing Foundation when Councillor Fletcher would have the opportunity to get more information on the matter.

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C613-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Reeve Ruecker to receive for information the discussion around the North Peace Housing Foundation and cutbacks at the Homesteader Lodge in Hines Creek. CARRIED.

Canfor Hines Creek
Satellite Yard

Council is requested to have a discussion regarding ratepayer concerns on the access of the firewood at the Canfor Hines Creek Satellite Yard.

C614-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to receive the discussion relating to the access of the firewood at the Canfor Hines Creek Satellite Yard for information, as presented. CARRIED.

PUBLIC HEARING

Road Closure
Bylaw 210-16 and
Road Closure
Bylaw 211-16

There was a Public Hearing at 11:00 a.m. for two Bylaws that each received first reading on September 27, 2016.

1. Bylaw 210-16 for the Purpose of Closing Road Plan 2018EU and consolidating back into the property the road was originally surveyed from.
2. Bylaw 211-16 for the Purpose of Closing Road Plan 1170EU and consolidating back into the property the road was originally surveyed from.

C615-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Reeve Ruecker that the Reeve recess the Council meeting at 11:00 a.m. to accommodate the public hearing and reconvene the Council meeting at the conclusion of the hearing. CARRIED

Reeve Ruecker reconvened the meeting at 11:04 a.m.

Christmas Office
Hours

Council is presented with the following request, as per the consensus of the employee's that Council allow two paid days off to each employee in lieu of a Christmas gift and Christmas party. The days off that the employees have requested are Thursday, December 29th, and Friday, December 30th, 2016.

C616-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy that Council authorizes two paid days off, Thursday, December 29th and Friday, December 30th, 2016 as a Christmas gift for each County employee. CARRIED.

C617-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson that Council authorizes that Clear Hills County office be closed from 4:30 p.m. on Friday, December 23, 2016, and reopen on Tuesday, January 3rd, 2017 at 8:00 a.m. CARRIED.

Cleardale Community
Enhancement Society

Council requested an update regarding the construction progress of the Cleardale Seniors Housing project.

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2016

C618-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson to receive the verbal update by Councillor Fletcher on the progress of the Cleardale Seniors Housing project for information. CARRIED.

DELEGATION

Brian Bettis- TELUS,
General Manager

Brian Bettis, TELUS, General Manager and James Simpson, Local Manager was in attendance at 11:15 a.m. to discuss ongoing issues and concerns with Cellular service in Clear Hills County.

Reeve Ruecker recessed for lunch at 12:05 p.m.

Reeve Ruecker reconvened the meeting at 12:41 p.m.

C619-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Reeve Ruecker to receive for information the delegation from Brian Bettis, TELUS, General Manager and James Simpson, Local Manager, for information. CARRIED.

CORPORATE
SERVICES

Accounts Payable
(October 12, 2016,
to October 25,
2016)

A list of expenditures for Clear Hills County for the period of October 12, 2016, to October 25, 2016, is provided for Council's review.

C620-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy that Council receives for information the Accounts Payable report for Clear Hills County for the period of October 12, 2016, to October 25, 2016, for a total of \$3,028,925.58 (three million twenty-eight thousand nine hundred and twenty-five dollars and fifty-eight cents). CARRIED.

COMMUNITY
SERVICES

Agricultural
Fieldman
Appointment

Agricultural Fieldmen are required to be appointed by Council as per Section 8 of the Agricultural Service Board Act. By appointment, an Agricultural Fieldman is a municipal inspector under the Weed Control Act and Agricultural Pest Act and a soil conservation officer under the Soil Conservation Act.

C621-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to appoint Greg Coon as an Agricultural Fieldman for Clear Hills County as per Section 8 of the Agricultural Service Board Act. CARRIED.

Capital Plan-
Enclosed Emergency
Trailer

The Clear Creek Fire Committee, is recommending Council remove the purchase of an Enclosed Emergency Trailer from the Capital Plan due to the availability of similar units through mutual aid from other municipalities in the region.

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C622-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher removes the purchase of an Enclosed Emergency Trailer from the Multi-Year Capital Plan due to the availability of similar units through mutual aid from other municipalities in the region. CARRIED.

Fairview Municipal
Airport

The Municipal District of Fairview is requesting the County contribute \$55,500 (one-third of the total cost) for two capital projects at the Fairview Municipal Airport. Project 1 is Taxiway Expansion and Lighted Signage Upgrades, Project 2 is Buy out of Leased Jet Fuel Tank.

C623-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson to approve a Beyond Border grant of \$55,500.00 (fifty-five thousand five hundred dollars). To the M.D. of Fairview to cover 1/3 of the total cost for the two capital projects, taxiway expansion, and lighted signage upgrades and to buy out of Leased Jet Fuel Tank at the Fairview Municipal Airport and include the funds in the 2017 Budget. CARRIED.

Weed Control
Letter to Minister

Council is requested to approve sending a letter drafted by the Agricultural Service Board to the Minister of Agriculture and Forestry regarding Noxious and Prohibited Noxious weeds becoming increasingly prevalent with the increase in traffic, equipment, and movement of people.

C624-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson to send the letter to the Alberta Minister of Agriculture and Forestry in regards to Noxious and Prohibited Noxious weeds becoming increasingly prevalent with the increase in traffic, equipment and movement of people. CARRIED.

PUBLIC WORKS
Dust Control Policy

Council is presented with a revised draft for Dust Control Policy 3221 to offer dust abatement to residents along graveled Secondary Highways within the County.

C625-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus to amend the Dust Control Policy 3221 to offer dust abatement to residents along graveled Secondary Highways within the County. CARRIED.

WRITTEN REPORTS
COUNCIL,
COMMITTEE &
MANAGERS
Council Reports

Council submits the meetings attended in the previous month and a report, if applicable.

Chief Administrative
Officer's Report

The Chief Administrative Officer report was reviewed.

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C626-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Frixel to receive the information provided in the Chief Administrative Officer report on October 25, 2016, for information, as presented. CARRIED.

Community
Development
Manager's Report

The Community Development Managers report was reviewed.

C627-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive the information provided in the Community Development Managers report on October 25, 2016, for information, as presented. CARRIED.

Corporate Service
Manager's Report

There was nothing to report.

Public Works
Manager's Report

The Public Works Managers report was reviewed.

C628-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Janzen to receive the information provided in the Public Works Managers report on October 25, 2016, for information, as presented. CARRIED.

COUNCIL
INFORMATION

Council was presented with the correspondence of pertinent information that has been received.

C629-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive for information the correspondence presented at the October 25, 2016, Regular Council Meeting. CARRIED.

CALENDARS

Council and Administration reviewed the upcoming months' calendars for Councillor Boards and Committee scheduled meetings, to assist Administration with record keeping and Council with a reminder.

C630-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus to change the November 22, 2016, Regular Council Meeting to November 23, 2016. CARRIED

C630-16(10/25/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive for information the October, November and December 2016, calendars, as presented.

Meeting	Date	Member
Medical Clinic Meeting	October 27	Svederus
MMSA Org Meeting	December 2	
Regular Council Meeting	Nov 23, 2016	ALL
		CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2016

Reeve Ruecker adjourned the October 25, 2016, Regular Council Meeting at 1:30 p.m.

DATE_____
REEVE_____
DATE_____
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

**MINUTES OF CLEAR HILLS COUNTY
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
COUNTY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
MONDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2016**

PRESENT

Jason Ruecker
Charlie Johnson
Miron Croy
Dan Fletcher
Lee Svederus
Peter Frixel
David Janzen

Reeve
Deputy-Reeve
Councillor
Councillor
Councillor
Councillor
Councillor

ABSENT**ATTENDING**

Allan Rowe
Bonnie Morgan

Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)
Executive Assistant (EA)

CALL TO ORDER

Reeve Ruecker called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

ACCEPTANCE OF
AGENDA**SC632-16(10/31/16)**

RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve Johnson to adopt the agenda governing October 31, 2016, Special Council Meeting, with the addition of AFCS unharvested Crop, as presented.

CARRIED.DELEGATION

AAMDC Executive
Member

AAMD&C (Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties) Executive Members Al Kemmere, Tom Burton, and Gerald Rhodes were in attendance to meet with Council.

No action taken

ADJOURNMENT

Reeve Ruecker adjourned the October 31, 2016, Regular Council Meeting at 6:25 p.m.

DATE_____
REEVE_____
DATE_____
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER

**MINUTES OF CLEAR HILLS COUNTY
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
COUNTY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2016**

PRESENT

Jason Ruecker	Reeve
Charlie Johnson	Deputy-Reeve
Miron Croy	Councillor
Dan Fletcher	Councillor
Lee Svederus	Councillor
Peter Frixel	Councillor
David Janzen	Councillor

ABSENT**ATTENDING**

Allan Rowe	Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)
Audrey Bjorklund	Community Development Manager (CDM)
Bonnie Morgan	Executive Assistant (EA)
Ron Jensen	Public Works Manager (PWM)
Lori Jobson	Corporate Service Manager (CSM)

CALL TO ORDER

Reeve Ruecker called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m.

**ACCEPTANCE OF
AGENDA**

C633-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to adopt the agenda governing November 8, 2016, Regular Council Meeting, with the addition of 7.a.6 Worsley Clear Hills Ski Club, and 7.a.7 Hines Creek seniors bus 7.a.8. Heli Pads, 7.a.9. WSP 7.a.10 Biomass and Coal, as presented.

CARRIED

**APPROVAL OF
MINUTES**

Previous
Meeting Minutes
C634-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus to adopt the minutes of Special Council Meeting October 31, 2016, as presented.

CARRIED

C635-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Janzen to adopt the minutes of Organizational Council Meeting October 25, 2016, as presented.

CARRIED.

C636-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to adopt the minutes of Regular Council Meeting October 25, 2016, as presented.

CARRIED.

**NEW BUSINESS:
COUNCIL**

Management
Team Activity Report

Council reviewed the most recent Management Team Activity Report.

C637-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to accept the October 25, 2016, Management Team Activity Report, as presented.

CARRIED.

AAMDC Minister Meetings

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Council has requested meetings with the following ministers during the AAMDC Convention in Edmonton November 15-16, 2016.

- Honourable Oneil Carlier, Minister of Agricultural
- Honourable Shannon Phillip, Minister of Environment
- Honourable Deron Bilous, Minister of Economic Development
- Honourable Brian Mason, Minister of Transportation
- Honourable Marg McCuaig Boyd, MLA & Minister of Energy
- Honourable Kathleen Ganley, Minister of Minister of Justice
- Honourable Danielle Larivee, Minister of Municipal Affairs

To prepare for the requested meetings Council is asked to supply administration with the following information for each Meeting requested.

1. Speaker for Topics
2. Notes for Speaker on specific topics
3. Requested Background Information for each topic
4. Pre-Meeting for Council and Administration while in Edmonton (yes or no)

MEETINGS:

- The Mayors & Reeves Liaison Committee meeting that is scheduled for Monday, November 14, 2016, from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. in Salon 4, Meeting Level, Shaw Conference Centre.
- Honourable Danielle Larivee, Minister of Municipal Affairs, Wednesday, November 16, 2016, from 2:00 p.m. to 2:20 p.m. Salon 17, Meeting Room Level at the Shaw Conference Centre.
- Honourable Oneil Carlier, Minister of Agricultural Thursday, November 17th 2:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. Legislation Building Room Carlier Room

C638-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to approve the topics and speaker notes for the individual meetings requested during the November 15-17, 2016 AAMDC Convention in Edmonton, AB.

CARRIED.

Amisk Hydroelectric Project

Council is presented with a request for support for the Amisk Hydroelectric Project, proposed for the Peace River north of the Dunvegan Bridge. They are requesting that Clear Hills County send letters of Project support

C639-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Frixel to receive the request from AMISK for the support for the project to the following Ministers;

1. Deron Bilous: Minister of Economic Development and Trade
2. Joseph Ceci: Minister of Finance
3. Shannon Phillips: Minister of Environment and Parks
4. Margaret McCuaig-Boyd: Minister of Energy
5. John Heaney: Deputy Minister, Policy Coordination Office

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Might Peace Tourism
Association

Councillor Frixel requested a discussion regarding the Mighty Peace Tourist Association.

C640-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive the discussion regarding the Might Peace Tourism Association for information. CARRIED.

New West Partnership
Trade Agreement
(NWPTA)

Councillor Svederus requested a discussion regarding the New West Partnership Trade Agreement (NWPTA) and TILMA regulations.

C641-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus that Councillor Svederus and CAO draft an information article regarding trade agreements governing County business to be added to the County newsletter and bring back the draft to the next regular Council meeting for Councils approval. CARRIED.

Worsley Ski Hill

Reeve Ruecker requested the request for signage from the Worsley Clear Hills Ski Club be added to today's meeting.

C642-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Reeve Ruecker to have a blue ski sign installed on the Clear Prairie Road to replace the outdated brown one and install a stop ahead sign north of the Canfor Road on Range Road 92.5 (Ski Hill Road). CARRIED.

Hines Creek
Seniors Bus

Councillor Croy requested a discussion regarding the Hines Creek Seniors bus.

C643-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus to draft a letter to North Peace Housing Foundation requesting that Clear Hills County take over operations including the operator of the Hines Creek Seniors Bus. CARRIED.

Helipads

Councillor Fletcher requested a discussion regarding a Heli Pad in Cleardale.

C644-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to receive for information the discussion regarding designating sights for Helipads within the County, for information. CARRIED.

WSP

Councillor Svederus requested a discussion regarding WSP.

C645-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus to receive for information the discussion regarding WSP. CARRIED.

Biomass and Coal

Councillor Frixel requested a discussion regarding Biomass and Coal.

C646-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to approve Councillor Frixel as the speaker when discussing Biomass, forest management, Coal and fiber during the November 15-17, 2016 AAMDC Convention.

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CARRIED.

Reeve Ruecker recessed the meeting at 10:23 a.m.
Reeve Ruecker reconvened the meeting at 10:36 a.m.

DELEGATION
CANFOR

Canadian Forest Products Ltd. will be in attendance at 10:36 a.m. to give Council an update on their operations within Clear Hills County.

End of Steel Heritage
Museum & Park

Representatives from the End of Steel Heritage Museum & Park will be in attendance at 11:00 a.m. with a funding request.

C647-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to receive the delegation from Canadian Forest Products Ltd. update on their operations within Clear Hills County for information, as presented. CARRIED.

C648-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson to approve the End of Steel Heritage Museum & Park request for funding in the amount of \$12,000.00 (twelve thousand dollars) to complete the digitalizing of the museum's artifacts, funds to be allocated from the rate stabilization reserve. CARRIED.

CORPORATE
SERVICES

Accounts Payable
(October 26, 2016,
to November 8,
2016)

A list of expenditures for Clear Hills County for the period of October 26, 2016, to November 28, 2016, is provided for Council's review.

C649-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Svederus that Council receives for information the Accounts Payable report for Clear Hills County for the period of October 26, 2016, to November 8, 2016, for a total of \$252,543.68 (two hundred and fifty-two thousand five hundred and forty-three dollars and sixty-eight cents). CARRIED.

Third Quarter
Financial Report

The Operating & Capital Budget Performance Reports for Clear Hills County for the period ending September 30, 2016.

C650-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy that Council accepts for information the financial report for the period ending September 30, 2016. CARRIED.

Multi-Year Capital
Plan

Council is being provided with a copy of the Multi-Year Capital Plan.

C651-16(11/08/16)

RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to approve the 2017- 2022 Multi-Year Capital Plan, as presented. CARRIED.

2017 Interim

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Operating Budget Council is provided with the draft 2017 Interim Operating Budget for consideration.

C652-16(11/08/16) **RESOLUTION by Councillor Frixel to adopt the 2017 Interim Operating Budget effective January 1, 2017, as presented.**
CARRIED.

Reeve Ruecker recessed the meeting at 11:47 a.m.
Reeve Ruecker reconvened the meeting at 12:18 p.m.

COMMUNITY
SERVICES

Beyond Borders –
Fairview Curling Club

The Fairview Curling Club is requesting funds for the purchase of new curling stones

C653-16(11/08/16) **RESOLUTION by Councillor Fletcher to approve a Beyond Border's Grant for the Fairview Curling Club curling stone replacement project for one set of rocks for \$2500.00 (two thousand five hundred dollars).**
CARRIED.

Funding Request-
High School Rodeo

District 3, Alberta Jr High School Rodeo Association is seeking donations to fulfill their goal of \$5,000.00 to purchase prizes and award them to the participants at the end of the season.

C654-16(11/08/16) **RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson to approve \$500.00 (five hundred dollars) in funding from the General Grant Budget to District 3, Alberta Jr High School Rodeo Association for prizes, with the funds to be allocated from the 2016 General Grant Budget.**
CARRIED.

Unharvested Crop
Assistance

Deputy Reeve-Johnson has requested the County consider lobbying the Minister of Agriculture for additional AFSC unharvested crop assistance at the meeting that is scheduled for the last day of the AAMD&C Conference, 2 p.m. November 17, 2016.

C655-16(11/08/16) **RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve-Johnson to declare a state of agricultural disaster for Clear Hills County due to the wet weather and snow that is preventing harvest, damaging and destroying crops and forage.**
CARRIED.

C656-16(11/08/16) **RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve Johnson to draft a letter to Honorable Oneil Carlier, Minister of Agriculture and Forestry informing of Clear Hills County's state of agricultural disaster due to the wet weather and snow that is preventing harvest and damaging and destroying crops and forage; including an appendix with proposed options that would assist farmers during this stressful economic disaster. Options to be included in the appendix are: deferring AFSC crop insurance premiums due date, deferring existing grain contract due dates, increasing**

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AFSC unharvested acreage benefit payment from 25 percent to 50 percent or more CARRIED.PUBLIC WORKS

There were no items.

WRITTEN REPORTSCOUNCIL,
COMMITTEE &
MANAGERS

Council Reports

Council submits the meetings attended in the previous month and a report, if applicable.

Chief Administrative
Officer's Report

The Chief Administrative Officer report was reviewed.

C657-16(11/08/16)**RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive the information provided in the Chief Administrative Officer report on November 8, 2016, for information, as presented. CARRIED.**Community
Development
Manager's Report
Corporate Service
Manager's Report

There was nothing to report.

There was nothing to report.

Public Works
Manager's Report

The Public Works Managers report was reviewed.

C658-16(11/08/16)**RESOLUTION by Deputy Reeve Johnson to receive the information provided in the Public Works Managers report on November 8, 2016, for information, as presented. CARRIED.**COUNCIL
INFORMATION

Council was presented with the correspondence of pertinent information that has been received.

C659-16(11/08/16)**RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive for information the correspondence presented at the November 8, 2016, Regular Council Meeting. CARRIED.**CALENDARS

Council and Administration reviewed the upcoming months' calendars for Councillor Boards and Committee scheduled meetings, to assist Administration with record keeping and Council with a reminder.

C660-16(11/08/16)**RESOLUTION by Councillor Croy to receive for information the November, December 2016, and January 2017 calendars, as presented.**

Meeting	Date	Member
PLS	Nov 26	Fixel
MPTA	Nov 28	Fixel
NPRL	Nov 24	Fletcher
ASB	Nov 14	Johnson

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ASR	Nov 25	Johnson
Council Meeting	Nov 23	All
		CARRIED.

ADJOURNMENT

Reeve Ruecker adjourned the November 8, 2016, Regular Council Meeting at 1:11 p.m.

DATE

REEVE

DATE

CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER



Pricing Principles

Moving to Retail

Planning on selling to retail? Expand your understanding of the costs related to setting a profitable price.



Attend this workshop if you are looking to:

- Price your products for profit
- Understand the components of pricing for the retail market
- Understanding retail buyers needs

Registration Information

Dates: January 24, 2017
Agri-Food Business Centre
6547 Sparrow Drive, Leduc, Alberta

January 26, 2017
Agriculture Centre
97 East Lake Ramp NE, Airdrie, Alberta

January 31, 2017
Grande Prairie, Venue TBC

Time: 9 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Registration starts at 8:30 a.m.

Cost: \$25 per person
(includes snacks, lunch and GST)

To register
call the Ag-Info Centre at

1-800-387-6030

Attention Parents & Guardians

Free Annual Ski Trip for K-12 Students

Annually the County funds a one day ski trip to Whispering Pines Ski Hill near Worsley, Alberta for Kindergarten to Grade 12 students of the local schools.

This program has been expanded to include K-12 students that reside in the County and do not attend

one of the three local public schools (Worsley Central, Menno Simons or Hines Creek Composite).

For more information contact Audrey at the County office, 780-685-3925 or audrey@clearhillscounty.ab.ca



Continuing Education Scholarship

Continuing Education Scholarship applications for February 1, 2017 deadline will be accepted as of January 1, 2017.

Are you registered in an apprenticeship, trades or post secondary program?

Are you a Canadian citizen, landed immigrant and a resident of Clear Hills County or the Village of Hines

Creek for no less than one year?

3 levels of funding available:

Level 1: \$15,000.00—attending a trade school, college or University (released in annual installments of \$3,000 each)

Level 2: Up to \$2,500.00—Distance learning for a trade, apprenticeship or post secondary career.

Level 3: Up to \$1,250.00—Computer or book keeping classes.

For more information or to receive an application package stop by at the County or give us a call at 780-685-3925.



Clear Hills County Council Expenditure Report For the Year to Date Period Ending October 31, 2016

	Employer			Travel &	Membership			
	Honorariums	Contributions	Training	Subsistence	Fees	Internet	Other Costs	Totals
Ward 1	21,756	3,909	0	7,997	2,108	405	255	36,430
Ward 2	21,259	3,885	0	5,747	883	810	263	32,846
Ward 3	20,100	2,056	0	2,247	635	0	193	25,231
Ward 4	22,066	3,953	0	2,618	460	760	208	30,065
Ward 5	20,203	3,532	0	5,156	1,658	447	447	31,443
Ward 6	24,737	2,899	0	6,292	1,533	0	405	35,866
Ward 7	<u>20,343</u>	<u>3,883</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>6,784</u>	<u>460</u>	<u>615</u>	<u>208</u>	<u>32,293</u>
Total Expenditures	150,464	24,117	0	36,842	7,737	3,036	1,979	224,174



Do I Need A Development Permit?

Additional Permits!

In addition to a Development Permit from Clear Hills County, you may also require:

- Building Permit
- Gas Permit
- Electrical Permit
- Plumbing Permit
- Private Sewage Treatment System Permit



For further information on these permits or regulatory information, contact one of the agencies authorized by Alberta Municipal Affairs to issue these permits at www.municipalaffairs.alberta.ca/cp_permit_information or 1-866-421-6929

All development located within 0.8 km of a provincial highway requires a Roadside Development Permit from Alberta Transportation. For more information call 780-427-2731.



Development Permit Application

Development permit application forms are available at the County office or on the County website (www.clearhillscounty.ab.ca). There is no charge for agricultural, residential and commercial development permit applications. There is a development penalty should you develop without an approved development permit. Industrial applications are \$100 for every \$100,000 of development.

For most development, the following information is required but not limited to:

- Property owners signature
- Development type, start date, completion date, and construction costs
- Site plan
- Floor plan
- Signed Right of Entry form

Additional information may be required by the Development Officer.

Development permits are required in Clear Hills County pursuant to the Clear Hills County Land Use Bylaw. A development permit ensures that the proposed use of the land does not conflict with surrounding uses and that the proposed development is set back the appropriate distances from the property lines and roadways, located in a safe location (not too close to water bodies or oil & gas facilities, etc).

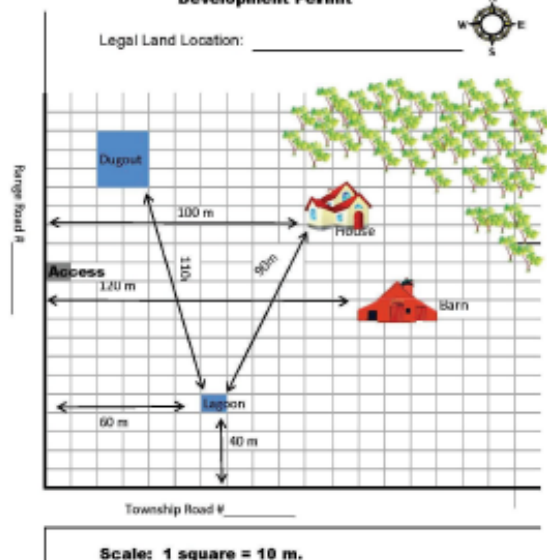
When you are planning to construct a new building, structurally renovate an existing building, or change the use (or intensity of use) of your property, you will need a development permit.

The Clear Hills County Land Use Bylaw also details development NOT requiring a permit. A few of the common ones are:

- any farm use building, shed, dugout (located at least 40.8m/134 feet from the road right-of-way) or minor accessory use must otherwise conform to the provisions of the Land Use Bylaw.
- Minor repair or maintenance to a building (provided there are no structural changes)
- The erection or repair of a fence that is less than 1 metre (3 feet) in height in front yards and 2 metres (6 feet) in height in rear and side yards. (Note: there are setback requirements on corner lots and where line of sight will be involved on a public road).
- Decks (provided they have no walls or roof and are less than .6 metres (2 feet) from ground level.
- Accessory buildings (sheds, etc.) under 9.29 m² (100 ft²) that does not have a foundation.

Contact the County's Development Officer should you require assistance in completing the development permit or have questions with the development permit process.

Sample Detailed Site Plan
Development Permit



The Development Officer will be pleased to explain the Land Use Bylaw regulations and how they may apply to you.



Troubleshooting Shelf Life

This one day workshop is designed for farmers' market vendors and farm direct operators who want to understand food quality issues and how to determine the shelf life of food products.

Content for the Day

Attend this workshop to learn:

- What food quality is
- The difference between food quality and food safety
- Product shelf life and what it means
- How to use hand held testing equipment and where to buy it
- Food and nutrition labelling

Speakers

Linda Ho of CanBiocin will share strategies to determine the shelf life of your processed food products.

Stuart Johnston with the Food Processing Development Centre will demonstrate hand held lab equipment.

Alberta Agriculture and Forestry's **Ileana Costiuc** will highlight key food and nutrition labelling requirements.

Registration and Information

This workshop will be offered in two locations.

Date: Tuesday, January 10, 2017

Registration deadline: January 3, 2017

Location: Agriculture and Forestry Building
5030 50 St
Lacombe

Date: Tuesday, April 11, 2017

Registration deadline: April 4, 2017

Location: Airdrie Agriculture Centre
Theatre Room
97 East Lake Ramp NE, Airdrie

Time: 9:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Cost: \$25 includes GST

Lunch and refreshments provided

Payment options: Visa, MC or cheque

To register call:

1-800-387-6030

For More Information:

Delores Serafin

Alberta Agriculture and Forestry

780-427-4611

delores.serafin@gov.ab.ca

Clear Hills County Rental Equipment Fleet!



***For more information contact the County office at 780-685-3925 or
info@clearhillscounty.ab.ca***

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Media Release
Peace Valley Snow Riders

Local Snowmobile Club Faces Challenges from Late May Snow

The blanket of heavy wet snow earlier this year, just prior to the May long weekend, not only impacted family plans for the weekend but also the Peace Valley Snow Rider's trails. Generally snow would be good news for a snowmobile Club, but not in this case. In fact all three of the Club's trails were significantly damaged by fallen or vegetation leaning into the trail rendering the trails impassable. The Club is rising to the challenge and hence approved plans at their Annual General meeting held on October 13th to clear and open at least two of the trails for the upcoming sledding season.

As the Wesley Creek Trail to the east of St. Isidore is the least impacted of the trails, volunteer assistance will be requested to assist with clearing the trail as soon as frost allows for access. It is important that this trail be opened as the Club is planning for another Poker Rally which is scheduled to be held on Saturday March 4, 2017. This event will be much improved from last year and will include staging the event from the St. Isidore Cultural Center where a banquet will be held in the evening. This winter, sledders are also encouraged to check out an improvement to the trail that was completed this summer by Bernard Fortin resulting in a safer creek crossing due to the re-sloping of the sloughing north bank of Pat's Creek.

The other priority for the Club is the Smith Mills Trail, which runs from near Figure Eight Lake north of Grimshaw to Stoney Lake on the Canfor P-100 road north of Hines Creek. It is estimated that 45 kilometers of this 60 kilometer trail has been significantly impacted, resulting in an estimated cost for cleanup of approximately \$20,000. Approximately 1/3 of this total is anticipated to be offset by volunteer labour with contracted slashing crews required for the remainder of the work, due to the extent of the damage. The use of contractors has been made possible thanks to donations from Clear Hills County and the Alberta Snowmobile Association. With development of the east end staging area being completed this spring thanks to donations in kind from Allard Logging Ltd., Rosenberger Log Salvage and Stealth Projects Ltd., the clearing of the trail will allow the Club to continue with plans to host the Grand Opening on Saturday March 11th.

Unfortunately the plan for clearing the Leddy Lake Trail will likely see the trail opened late, if at all this winter. Efforts will be made to organize volunteers to carry out vegetation removal

following the completion of the two priorities above however assistance will be required from more than existing Club members if this trail is to be opened this season. Those willing to assist with this work are requested to contact the Club. It should be noted that this trail was slated for an upgrade prior to the spring snow and hence planning is taking place to ensure this takes place next winter. As this trail was the first to be developed by the Club, due to lack of experience and limitations of funds, it was not developed to the full width allowed.

Not only has the spring snow impacted the Club's operating trails but has also slowed down the work of route identification for the proposed Hines Creek Trail. At this point, approximately 80% of the route has been finalized with the vast majority of impacted stakeholders having been engaged in the process. Although access to finalize the remaining portion of the trail has been made more difficult, it is anticipated that this work will be completed prior to Christmas. The Club will provide a further update when this work is completed.

With the forecast for more snow this winter than the area has received in recent winters, the Club remains optimistic that sledders will choose to check out the trails and participate in the planned Club events this winter. Sledders can become members by purchasing an Annual Trail Pass for \$70, prior to the end of the year, at local Peace River snowmobile dealerships or at Scanalta Power Sales Ltd. in Hines Creek. Those wishing to check out the trails for the day can purchase a Day Pass for \$20 at the self registration boxes located on Staging Area signs associated with each trail. For more information on the Club and the existing trails, please visit the Recreation and Leisure Section on the Northern Sunrise County website or contact one of the following:

- Troy Lorencz (President) 780-618-6649
- Dwayne Buchholtz (Director/Stakeholder Liaison) 780-618-1504



Farm Family Award

Did you know a farm family that does exceptional farming practices? Is that family involved in the local community?

Clear Hills County Agricultural Service Board is accepting nominations for the 2017 Farm Family Award.

The winning family will be presented with a gate sign and a plaque at the Farmer's Appreciations Banquet on April 8, 2017. They will receive up to

eight banquet tickets to attend the Grande Prairie Peace Country Classic Region Farm Family award night and the family will be nominated to Northlands for consideration of the 2017 AMA Farm Family Award.

The Farm Family Award will be selected from the Clear Hills County, Ward 4 (Worsley). They must be actively farming and residing on the farm. Selection of the 2017 Farm Family is

based on farming and community involvement.

Please submit all nominations in writing to the County office by 1:00 p.m. on March 3, 2017.

Nomination forms will be available at the County office.



Tender 2016-17 2017 Annual Equipment Registry

Tender packages will be available for pick up during regular office hours at Clear Hills County Office, 313 Alberta Avenue, Worsley, Alberta

Available for pickup: November 21, 2016

Closes: 4:00 p.m. MST January 6, 2017

For more information contact Ron Jensen; Public Works Manager at 780-685-3925.

23rd Annual Agricultural Trade Show

Saturday, April 8, 2017

Sponsorship & Exhibitor packages will be available January, 2017

Contact the County office for further information.



At Christmas, mother says to Little Johnny, "Go on and light up the Christmas tree Johnny."

Johnny runs off happily and comes back after a while, asking, "Should I light up the candles too?"



Santa is with us throughout our lives, although his presence can be categorized in four main stages:

1. You are a believer in Santa
2. You are not a believer in Santa
3. You pretend to be Santa
4. You look like Santa without even trying



Prevent Chimney Fires

House fires escalate sharply in the wintertime, primarily due to improper use of various heating apparatus, the home chimney's being among them. Most chimney fires happen for one simple reason: improper usage and care of wood burning appliances like fire places and wood stoves. Far too many house fires originate in the fireplace or chimney, which means that we need to be more careful about how and when we light our fires. Following are a few helpful tips for preventing chimney fires.

Fireplace doors should be closed fully and form a tight seal with the perimeter. This accomplishes two things.

First, in conjunction with a tightly sealed damper, it cuts off the supply of air when your fire has burned out. This reduces the risk of dull embers glowing back into life.

Second, it makes sure that your fireplace isn't a drain on your heating and cooling budget by making that part of your home airtight.

Fireplaces, woodstoves and chimneys need to be visually inspected before use each fall.

This could involve a little more than taking a flashlight and peering inside the stove, to check the condition of the firebricks, or looking up a fireplace to inspect the amount of

creosote deposited on the lining.

Also, looking down a chimney from above to assess the amount of creosote deposited is a good idea.

A chimney should be cleaned once a month when you are using it.

Chimney caps should also be looked at for deposits.

A chimney cap is a square device that has a wire-mesh underbelly that prevents animals, debris and even rain water from entering your chimney and causing problems. Flammable substances in your chimney increase the chances of a fire and other damage.

Transfer Station Cold Weather

When the temperature is -40 or below and it has not warmed up before 9:30 a.m., Landfills and/or Transfer Stations will be closed for the day. Please call the office before travelling to the Landfills/Transfer Stations to confirm closure.



History of the Christmas Bell

Bells are used in many cultures and in many countries. The history of the bells dates back to antiquity when bells were used in ancient Babylonia, Egypt and by the Romans and Greeks. The process of casting bells in Europe dates to the 4th and 5th

century. Huge, bronze bells were traditionally placed in Bell towers of Christian churches and used to call people to church for various services and special occasions. Church bells are rung to announce the coming and arrival of an event, activity or occasion. Bells

toll for good and bad times (births, marriages and deaths) and they are also used to ring out warnings. Christmas bells are rung to announce the arrival of the season and to proclaim the birth of Jesus Christ.



Clear Hills County Shelterbelt Program – ORDER FORM 2017

First Name	Company/Business Name
Last Name	Legal Land Description Qtr - Sec - Twp - Rng - W6M
Address	Town/City
Postal Code	Phone Number

<u>Deciduous Trees</u>	<u>Seedlings per bundle</u>	<u>Cost per bundle</u>	<u># of bundles</u>	<u>Total Cost (Cost per x bundles)</u>	<u>Initial Quantities available</u>
Manitoba Maple	10	\$4.00			300
Chokecherry	10	\$4.00			300
Northwest Poplar	10	\$4.00			700
Paper Birch	10	\$5.00			100
<u>Deciduous Shrubs</u>					
Lilac	15	\$4.00			500
Saskatoon	10	\$6.00			100
Cranberry	10	\$6.00			200
<u>Coniferous Trees</u>					
Colorado Spruce	15	\$4.00			Unlimited
Lodgepole Pine	15	\$4.00			Unlimited
Plastic Mulch roll (1500' X 4')		\$150.00			
		Subtotal			
		GST(5%)			
		Total			

Tree orders with payment may be received up to May 15th, 2017. Payment can be made by cheque or money order and mailed with order form to:

Clear Hills County

Box 240

Worsley, AB

T0H 3W0

Information on species, planting, and tree care can be obtained by visiting the website: www1.agric.gov.ab.ca and search for "shelterbelt trees" or visit the County Office.

Trees will be available for pickup near the end of May 2017.

2017 Livestock Care Conference

Register at
afac.ab.ca/2017



March 21-22, 2017

Best Western Denham Inn & Suites

Leduc, AB

DON'T MISS!

Painful Procedures Workshop

Animal Welfare in the 21st Century

Moving Beyond the Five Freedoms

Practical Strategies and New Thinking in Swine
Production

A Tale from a Dairy Farmer

A Day in the Life of a Chicken Vet

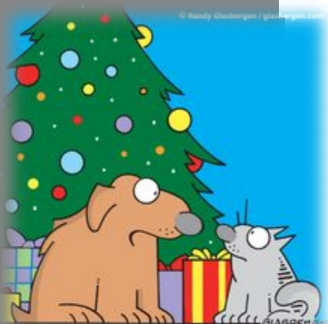
Rodeo Showcase

A Fresh Look at Consumer Attitudes



Human Rights Day

December 10 is Human Rights Day, a United Nations (UN) campaign that calls for people to know and push for their rights no matter where they are in the world.



"It's not the gift, it's the thought that counts.
So I thought about getting you a gift."

Transfer Station
Christmas Hours
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Human rights are our basic right or freedoms. They include our right to live, our right to health, education, freedom of speech and thoughts, and equal rights. Some groups organize protests on Human Rights Day to alert people of circumstances in parts of the world where human rights are not recognized or respected, or where these rights are not considered important. Cultural events are also held to inform people, especially today's youth, of their rights and why its im-

portant to hold on to them.

About Human Rights Day:

The Universal Declaration of Human Rights was drafted between January 1947 and December 1948. It aimed to form a basis for human rights all over the world and represented a significant change of direction from events during World War II and the continuing colonialism that was rife in the world at the time. The Universal Declaration of Human Rights is considered as the most translated document

in modern history. It is available in 360 languages and new translations are still being added.

The UN General Assembly adopted and proclaimed the Universal Declaration of Human Rights at the Palais de Chaillot in Paris, France, on December 10, 1948. All states and interested organizations were invited to mark December 10 as Human Rights Day.

Grain Bag Roller

Have Grain bags piling up?

Clear Hills County has a Grain Bag Roller to help farmers dispose of used grain bags. This item is in our rental equipment fleet and it is used to roll up grain bags nice and tight and not too wide for handling.

Once grain Bags are rolled properly the Transfer Stations will accept them. The Transfer Stations will not accept grain bags that are not properly rolled.

The Grain Bag Roller is rent FREE with a \$50 refundable deposit.



Identifying Historical Landmarks

Clear Hills County has adopted a policy to install Historical Landmark Signage.

Do you know the site of an old school house, inactive cemetery, original community site in the County that should be identified so this knowledge isn't lost?

Contact the County office for an application and more information on this program.

Scentless Chamomile

Tripleurospermum perforatum syn. *T. inodorum*

last updated January 2014



Provincial Designation:
Noxious



Overview:

Scentless Chamomile can behave as an annual, biennial, or sometimes a perennial, but reproduces by seed only. Plants are usually very bushy and have a fibrous root system. It continually blooms, forms seed, and seeds germinate throughout the growing season: fall seedlings overwinter and are usually first to flower in spring. Native to Europe, it was introduced as an ornamental and/or a contaminant in crop seed. This is not the chamomile used for tea as it is scent-less. A single, robust plant can occupy one full square metre and produce up to one million seeds. Scentless Chamomile and Oxeye daisy are often mistaken for each other as the flowers are nearly identical, but the leaves are very different. Both plants are weeds - there are no native white-flowered daisies in Alberta. It can also be confused with stinking mayweed or pineapple weed, but the foliage of these two plants has an odour.

Habitat:

Scentless chamomile is well adapted to

heavy clay soils and tolerates both periodic flooding and dry sites. It is a poor competitor but establishes quickly on disturbed sites. The seeds float on water and are widely dispersed this way.

Identification:

Stems: Stems are erect to semi-erect, highly branched, may be reddish in color, and can grow up to 1 m tall. There can be a few to many stems per plant.

Leaves: Leaves are alternate and very finely divided into short segments (carrot-like) and odorless when crushed. Basal leaves disappear by flowering time.

Flowers: Flowers are composed of a yellow central disk surrounded by white petals. The flowers are borne singly at the end of stems and have numerous bracts, arranged in overlapping rows.

Seeds: Seeds are tiny (about 2 mm), ribbed and dark brown. Seeds develop and become viable quickly.

Prevention:

Scentless Chamomile does not compete well with vigorous, healthy plant communities. Dispersal by weed seed contamination in crop/grass seed and livestock forage is common. It can be very difficult to eradicate in crop situations.

Control:

Grazing: Scentless chamomile is generally unpalatable to grazers and its seeds can survive digestion. Invasive plants should never be considered as forage.

Cultivation: Late fall and early spring tillage will control rosettes. Frequent, shallow tillage can help exhaust the seed bank by repeatedly destroying germinating seedlings. Equipment must be cleaned after.

Mechanical: Mowing can prevent seed production but plants will re-bloom below the cutting height. Hand-pulling can prevent spread into new areas and is effective on small infestations. Pulled plants should be burned or bagged and sent to the land-fill. Burning infestations that have finished blooming can prevent seed spread.

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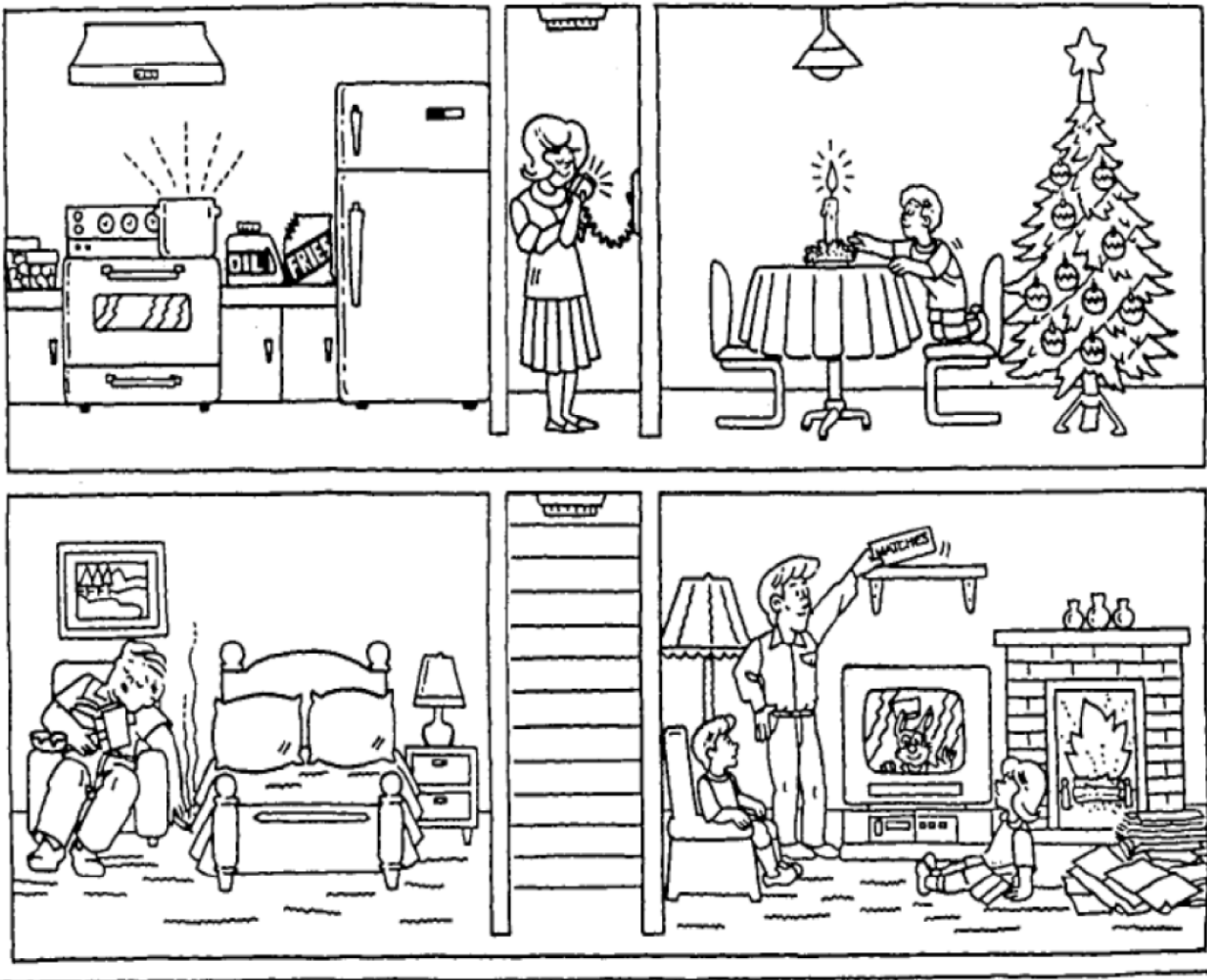
Scentless Chamomile (Continued)

Chemical: Aminopyralid (alone or in a product mix with 2,4-D or Metsulfuron-methyl), Chlorsulfuron, Clopyralid (alone or in a product mix with MCPA), Dicamba, Glufosinate ammonium, Hexazinone, Picloram, MCPA (in a product mix with Bromoxynil), Metsulfuron-methyl and Tribenuron-methyl (in a product mix with Thifensulfuron-methyl) are registered for use on scentless chamomile. Always check product labels to ensure the herbicide is registered for use on the target plant in Canada by the Pest Management Regulatory Agency. Always read and follow label directions. Consult your local Agricultural Fieldman or Certified Pesticide Dispenser for more information.

Biological: A seed-head feeding weevil, *Omphalapion hookeri*, and a gall midge, *Rhopalomyia tripleurospermi*, have been released in Alberta.



CHILDREN'S Christmas Fire Safety Contest



Name: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Phone: _____

Category: ☐ Preschool ☐ K-1st grade ☐ 2nd-3rd grade ☐ 4th-5th grade ☐ 6th grade & over

Color the picture and mail to the Clear Hills County office by December 15th.

Community Bulletin Board

Events & Announcements



Eureka River Ag Society is having a New Years Dance

For members and invited guests

December 31, 2016

9:00 p.m. — 2:00 a.m.

Live Band Midnight Thunder

Tickets \$30 in advance

See Linda Basnett or another Ag Society member for tickets



Turkey Shoot

Eureka River Hall

December 4, 2016 @ 1:00 p.m.

Followed by pot luck and a visitor in Red!

HINES CREEK AND GENERAL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

HELD AT THE DAVE SHAW HALL

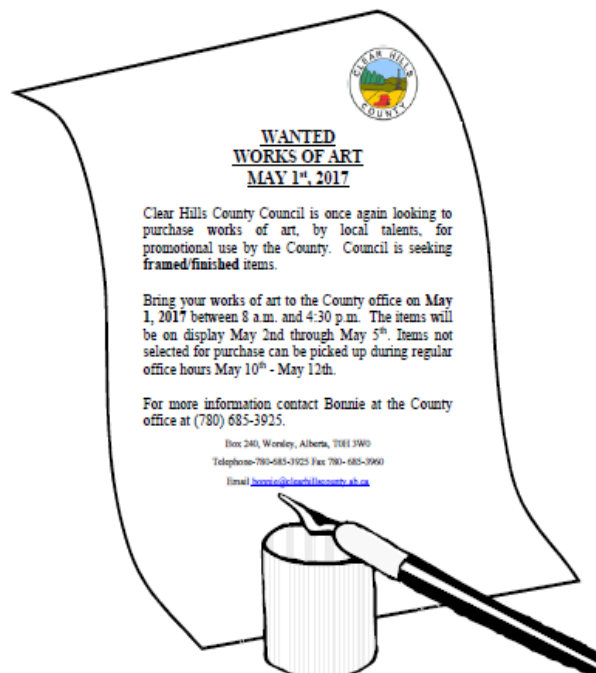
DECEMBER 20, 2016

SUPPER AT 6:00PM

MEETING AT 7:00PM

ALWAYS LOOKING FOR MORE MEMBERS. GREAT ORGANIZATION TO JOIN TO GIVE BACK TO THE COMMUNITY AND MAKE IT STRONGER.

EVERYONE WELCOME



Fire Wood Suppliers

Do you cut/sell fire wood



Want to advertise this in the County Newsletter?

If so please forward your contact information to Sarah at the County office at 780-685-3925.

Montagneuse Valley Multi Club News

Hi everyone, my name is Bailee Richardson and I am in the Montagneuse Valley 4-H Multi Club. I am the club reporter as well the Treasurer. So far we've had our registration with 22 members and held our elections. We also had our calf weigh in at Darcy and Andrea Hale and have 13 of some of the best looking calves around. I would like to introduce our club Executive members. Our President is Tanner Hale and he is sixth year member who has excellent leadership skills. Our Vice President is Mason Hale who is a fourth year member who excels in public speaking. Our club secretary is Lexi Schmaltz this is her second year in 4-H, Lexi is very neat and organized with her books and will make an excellent secretary. This year our members are participating in 5 projects. Market beef, Light horse, Market lamb, Ewe, and Pheasants. Later this month some of our members are going to be attending the Peace Regional Frosty Fest where we will take mini work shops to learn more about 4-H. Our members will also be working at the Eureka River Ag Society Turkey Shoot on December 4 starting at 1:00 O'clock, come out and join us for the day and potluck supper.

Wishing Everyone Happy Holidays

From Bailee Richardson

Community Groups & Organizations, Facilities & Contacts

Church Services

Worsley Baptist Church

Sunday School - 10:00 am
 Sunday Services - 11:00 am & 7:00 pm
 Wednesday Night Service - 7:00 pm

Cleardale Gospel Chapel

Sunday Service - 11:00 am

Immaculate Heart of Mary Parish Catholic Church

Sunday Service 1:00 pm

All Saints Ukrainian Catholic Church

every second Sunday 2:30 pm

Lighthouse Fellowship

Sunday Service 11:00 am
 Pastor Mike Ansley

Mighty Peace Cowboy Church

Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday Service
 7:00 p.m

At the Eureka River Hall
 Pastor Gary Henderson

Worsley & District Library

780-685-3842

www.worsleylibrary.ab.ca

Worsley & District Library, housed in Worsley Central School, offers library services to the public the following days:

Tuesday & Fridays

8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

The library is also opened before school and at noon hour on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Please call ahead to confirm that the library is open.

As this is a school, we ask that patrons check in at the school office prior to coming into the library.

Your opinion matters to us. If you have read a book that you found particularly interesting and would like to promote it, why not drop us a line and tell us the book title, author, and what was enjoyable about the book. Your comments will be included on our library webpage at the address as well as on our Facebook page at

www.facebook.com/worsleylibrary

Worsley Pioneer Club

The Worsley Pioneer Club hosts a Seniors Social every Wednesday afternoon from 1-4 pm.

Activities include: card games, floor curling, and more.

Join us for coffee and conversation!

Hines Creek Arts & Craft

Meeting Room

To book the room call Gail at
 780-494-3290 or 780-772-1155

Hines Creek Senior's

Drop in Rental

For bookings call: 780-835-1397
 or 780-494-2333

Hines Creek Municipal Library

Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday

10:00 am—6:00 pm

Located in the Village of Hines
 Creek office building.

780-494-3879

Bear Point Community

Library Hours


Monday through Thursday

10:00 am—3:00 pm



WEIGHT LOSS FOR SNOWMEN.

DECEMBER 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Mommy & Me Worsley Fire Hall	9	10
11	12 ASB Mtg. 10:00 a.m.	13 Council Mtg. 9:30 a.m.	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 County Office Closed 
25 Merry Christmas	26	27	28	29	30	31



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780-494-2055
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780-685-3035

Transfer Station

Christmas Hours

Bear Canyon Transfer Station
will be closed on December
26, 2016 and will be opened
on December 27, 2016.

Fire Trailer Locations

Bear Canyon—Water Plant
NW 22 83 12 W6M
Cleardale—Water Plant
SW 11 85 10 W6M
780-685-3670
Clear Prairie—Jim Evans
SW 34 87 10 W6M
780-685-2610
Deerhill—Ken Knoepfli
NW 9 84 2 W6M
780-596-2259
Eureka River—Lee Franklin
NE 24 86 6 W6M
780-834-6080
Royce—Melvin Worobetz
SE 16 83 6 W6M
780-494-3420
Whitelaw—Bill Wald
SW 28 83 1 W6M
780-596-2121
Montagneuse Valley
Percy Stephenson yard
SE 36 85 5 W6M
Jim 780-494-2458

County Transfer Site Hours—October 1st—April 30

All Transfer Sites are closed on Sunday

Transfer Site	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Bear Canyon	10:00 am 5:00 pm	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed
Clear Prairie	closed	closed	closed	1:00 pm 5:00 pm	closed	closed
Cleardale	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm
David Thompson	closed	closed	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm	closed
Eureka River	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm	closed	closed	closed
Hines Creek	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm
Royce	closed	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm	closed	closed
Whitelaw	closed	closed	closed	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm
Worsley	closed	closed	closed	closed	10:00 am 5:00 pm	closed