

Calmar Chronicle



August 2012

The Town of Calmar

Is now on Summer Hours for the months of JULY and AUGUST
Effective July 1st the office will be open from 8:30am till 4:00pm
Closed for lunch 12:30 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Please note the Town Office will be closed on Monday August 6, 2012 for the Civic Holiday



Fireworks

10:30 p.m.
@ the Ball Diamonds

FAR DAYS & MEGA MARKET

Pancake Breakfast

Northwest end of Curling Rink
8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.



Parade

11:00 a.m.



“Thistle Hill Farm Petting Zoo”



Arena Parking Lot
(next to carnival)
12:00—4:00 p.m.



Ball Tournament And Beer Gardens

At the Ball Diamonds



5th Annual Calmar Fair bench show competition



August 18, 2012
Calmar Curling Arena

HOJA Concert

In the Tent @ the
ball diamonds
Friday -7:30 p.m.

FAMILY FUN! Saturday at Arena Parking Lot 5019-47st

RIDES

12:00—4:00 p.m.

Mega Market

Main Street
Variety of vendors
Come check us out!



facebook
Calmar Fair
Bench Show

...something for everyone

booklet

At the Town Office or
<http://bit.ly/XMkPg2>



CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK

www.facebook.com/townofcalmar

Like us—For up to date events and news in the Town

Open Daily—11:30 A.M.

(Beside Bank of Montreal)

Noonie's hosts many events: Children's Birthday Packages

Private Rentals, Adult Get Togethers.

Call for details. 780-985-2348

R/C Helicopters 25% OFF



Calmar Senior's Centre Club

Foot Doctor

Monday August 13, 2012

@ 1:00 p.m.

Call 780-985-3117

Or 780-985-3857 for details



CALMAR POND HOCKEY



JUST FOR FUN!

Ages 4-17

2 Sessions: Sept – Dec & Jan – Mar

\$100.00 per session

Mondays nights 6:15-7:30

Calmar Arena

Pond Hockey is an innovative approach to hockey.

Non-contact

Full equipment required

Boundaries are not an issue

Sanctioned under Hockey Alberta

Hockey Alberta Insurance Program coverage

(Equipment can be provided if needed)

To register contact:

Howard @ 780-985-2207

Angie @ abataille@stenebros.com

Or at the Calmar Community Awareness Night in Sept

Join us for the Calmar Days

Pancake Breakfast Aug 18th

At the Calmar Curling Rink

Help support your local youth!

TAX REMINDERS

Taxes were due June 30th.

An 8% penalty is applied JULY 1st on unpaid current levies

An 8% penalty is applied AUGUST 1st on unpaid current levies.

A 12% penalty is applied on JANUARY 1st on any outstanding balances.



Calmar Senior's Club

Saturday August 18, 2012
During the Highway 39
Mega Market & Garage Sale



Club is selling a piece of pie for \$3.00



Coffee or Juice for \$1.00

Mixed Slow Pitch Tournament



August 18th and 19th
To Enter a Team call
Tammy 780-298-3410

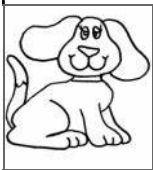
Animal Enforcement Officer

Until further notice, the Town of Calmar has a
temporary

Animal Enforcement Officer.

Please contact:

Doris (780) 719-6447



**ST. MARGARET MARY PARISH,
5120 - 50 AVE CALMAR
CHURCH BASEMENT
GARAGE SALE, HOT DOGS,
COFFEE, JUICE AND BAKED
ITEMS**

**AUGUST 17TH TO AUGUST 18TH
9:00AM - 4:00PM
DURING THE CALMAR FAIR DAY
MEGA MARKET**

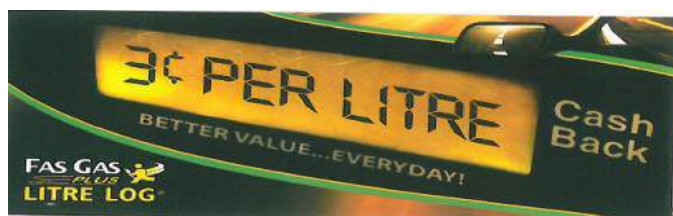
CALMAR FAS GAS

CONVENIENCE STORE - LIQUOR STORE - CARWASH



Darrin & Kathy Mills
5001 - 50 Ave. P.O. Box 1200
Calmar, AB. T0C 0V0
email - dkmills_123@hotmail.com

Conv. Store 780-985-7224
Liquor Store 780-985-3334
Fax 780-985-3334



AUGUST 18th CALMAR DAYS and MEGA MARKET

As we get closer to the date, interest and anticipation is growing at a feverish pace. We will have many new vendors as well as the regulars for our Mega Market.

Bench shows, garage sales, car rally's.

We have new crews running the beer tent and ball tournament as well as many new towns & floats entering our annual parade.

Antique military equipment will be displayed at the Legion Hall.

This year will be huge !!

Remind everyone about HOJA Friday night in the tent, Pancake breakfast Saturday morning starting at 8am at the curling rink ,Ball games, Kiddy rides, Mega Market, the Parade and of course, one of the best Fireworks displays, Saturday night.

Also...reminder to everyone **NOT TO PARK** on the parade route down to the school, or the street between the Doctors office and Town Office.

This year we hope to have all the food vendors beside the Town Office, as well as our Feature Display—"The Edmonton Bone Wagon Association and Western Canada Hearse Club".

Last year , we had a huge bottle neck at the corner of the drug store and CALMAR FAS GAS.

This is our detour route so we all must mention this to our visitors to keep clear of this intersection.

The BEST place to watch the parade (with the most candy) is the street down towards the Elementary School.

I have a feeling, this year., it WILL be the biggest and best Calmar Days .

On behalf of all the Staff and Council from the Town of Calmar....

Thank you for the continuing support and appreciation of our annual Calmar Days Parade and Mega Market.

**Have a great time.
Councillor Scotty Wiancko.**



ATTENTION ALL CALMAR & DISTRICT
COMMUNITY GROUPS

Calmar & District Community Awareness & Registration is fast approaching and I am hopeful that your organization will be a part of this successful event.

Could your organization utilize this free program to assist in an increased awareness of your organizations activities, volunteers or new registrations?

Community Awareness & Registration Day
Thursday, September 20, 2012
6:30 - 8:00 pm
Calmar Elementary School
5402-50 Street



Note: There are no Fees for all groups participating in this event

If you have questions or want to register and confirm participation, please contact me.
My hours are Tuesday to Thursday weekly, 9:00 am to 4:30 pm. @780-985-3191.
Sincerely,

Yvonne Pearson
Family & Community Support
Services Coordinator
Telephone: (780)985-3191
(780)985-3604 Ext 227
Email: ypearson@calmar.ca
Fax: (780)985-3039

Looking to
Advertise in our monthly
newsletter:



\$25.00 Business Card Size

\$50.00 Half Page

\$100.00 Full Page

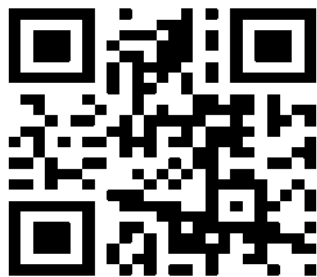
Contact Karen at

780-985-3604 Ext 224

kankerstein@calmar.ca

Community Groups are
FREE to advertise your news
and information

We're on the Web!
www.calmar.ca



Town of Calmar
Box 750, 4901-50th Ave
TOC 0V0
Ph (780)985-3604
Fax (780)985-3039

Newsletter submissions
are due each month by
the 15th

Submit to:
Karen Ankerstein
kankerstein@calmar.ca
Fax 780-985-3039

10 Fire Safety Tips

1. Install and maintain smoke alarms

- ▼ Smoke alarms warn you of a fire in time to let you escape.
- ▼ Install smoke alarms on every level of your home, especially near each sleeping area.



- ▼ Test smoke alarms regularly and follow the manufacturer's instructions.
- ▼ Replace weak or dead batteries immediately with new ones.

2. Plan and practice your escape

- ▼ Prepare and practice a fire escape plan with every member of your household.
- ▼ Look for two ways out of each room.
- ▼ Arrange an outside meeting place and a safe location to call 9-1-1.
- ▼ If you live in a multi-storey building, in the event of fire, don't use elevators.

3. Space heaters need space

- ▼ Keep portable and space heaters at least 1 metre (3 feet) from anything that can burn.
- ▼ Never leave heaters on when you leave the house or go to bed.
- ▼ Keep children well away from heaters.

9. Stop, drop and roll

- ▼ If your clothes catch fire, don't run.
- ▼ Stop where you are and drop to the ground.



- ▼ Cover your face with your hands and roll over and over until flames are smothered.

10. Crawl low under smoke



- ▼ If you're caught in smoke, stay close to the floor.
- ▼ Get down on your hands and knees and crawl to the nearest safe exit.

Need Assistance?

If you would like help testing your smoke alarms or preparing a home fire escape plan, Toronto Fire Services can assist you.

4. Smoking is hazardous

- ▼ Use deep ashtrays and put water on cigarette butts before putting them in the trash.
- ▼ Never smoke when you are in bed, feel drowsy or while on medication.
- ▼ Check under and around sofa cushions for smouldering cigarettes before going to bed.



5. Be careful when cooking



- ▼ Be alert when you cook, and keep children out of the way.
- ▼ Don't wear loose fitting clothing and be careful not to reach over hot burners.
- ▼ Never leave cooking unattended.
- ▼ If a pot catches fire, cover it with a lid to smother the flames and turn off the burner.
- ▼ Keep pot handles turned inward.

6. Matches and lighters are for adults

- ▼ Keep matches and lighters out of reach of children.
- ▼ Teach children that matches and lighters are for adults and are not toys for children.



7. Use electricity safely



- ▼ If an appliance smokes or smells like it is burning, unplug it immediately and have it repaired.
- ▼ Check all of your electrical cords and replace any that are cracked or frayed.
- ▼ Don't overload electrical outlets or run extension cords under rugs or carpets.
- ▼ Don't tamper with fuse boxes or use fuses of improper size.

8. Cool a burn

- ▼ If someone gets burned, immediately run cool water over the wound for 5 to 10 minutes to ease the pain.



- ▼ If the burn is blistered or charred, see a doctor immediately.

Protect
your family.

Protect
your home.

**Prevention,
Detection,
and
Escape**

For the fire prevention office
in your area,
visit
toronto.ca/fire
or call

3-1-1



4 10 Fire Safety Tips



To reduce fire danger in
your home

TORONTO

Lieutenant Mckerracher
Calmar Fire

