

Calmar Chronicle



August 2013

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**Movie Night
In the Big Tent**

**Children's Carnival
& Petting Zoo**

AUGUST 16 & 17

**Baseball Tournament
& Beer Gardens**



Parade

**Calmar Fair
Bench Show
Competition**



Fireworks



Pancake Breakfast



MAIN STREET MEGA MARKET



COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM JUDGEMENT DAY



How time flies! It is hard to realize that Communities In Bloom judgement day will soon be upon us! August 15, 2013, is fast approaching and we, as a community, still have a lot to do. Therefore, I would like to remind everyone to have your yards neat and tidy—remove unsightly garbage such as old appliances and furniture. Make sure your grass is cut and trimmed, flowerbeds weeded with spent flowers removed. Clean up as many weeds as possible. Remember, we want the judges to have a good impression of our town.

I would also like to take this opportunity to give a special thank you to Calmar Elementary School's Grade One class. These children and their teacher, Lena Newton, came out on a miserable, cold showery day in early June to plant flowers at the Tot Lot Park. A very good job, well done! Another special thanks is given to all Communities in Bloom volunteers! You have all worked very hard helping clean up and replant Englemann Ivy at the pergola. You have done an extremely good job at cleaning out the flower beds and replanting them. Without your help we would not have such a beautiful community.

Finally, but by no means not last, a huge thank you to all the people on staff at the Town office and the Town Workshop for all your help and expertise. A special thank you to Walter Nelson—for getting anything Communities In Bloom wanted done as quickly as was possible. It has been a wonderful experience, for me in particular, to have such a dedicated person to pass on his knowledge. Thank you Walter and your staff!

We would like to see as many people out as possible on August 15th to greet the judges as they pass by your yards. Give them a friendly wave, show them what a WONDERFUL community we have.

Lola Coombes
President, Communities In Bloom





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The Glen Park Community Association celebrating 80 years

The Glen Park Community Association will be celebrating 80 years since the Glen Park Hall was built in 1933 .

On August 17, 2013 at the Glen Park Hall from
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

There will be jammers, a show & shine,
bouncy castle and face painting.
You will also be able to meet a dog sled team!
Concessions will be available
Come and enjoy a piece of birthday cake.

For Show & Shine information—call Chris 780-405-6379

For other information—call Shirley 780-985-3141

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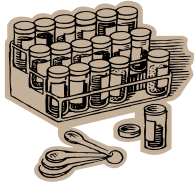
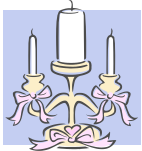
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Every Tuesday
for the months of July & August
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@ the Calmar Community Hall
4815-49 Street



Something for Everyone!

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FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT
WWW.DEVONOUTGROWNITSALE.CA.



Registration for the Oct – Dec 2013 Session
\$100.00/session
Mondays nights 6:15-7:30
Calmar Arena

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Ages 4-17

Pond Hockey is an innovative approach to hockey.

- Non-contact
- Full equipment required (hockey gear is available)
- Boundaries are not an issue
- Sanctioned under Hockey Alberta
- Hockey Alberta Insurance Program coverage

Registration @ the Calmar Community Awareness Night
(Please watch for Date & Time)

For information, contact:

Howard @ 780-985-2207

Angie @ abataille@stenebros.com

Join us for the Pancake Breakfast 7:30 am to 10:30 am

Calmar Days - Aug 17, 2013

Held @ the Calmar Curling Rink

All proceeds go to Calmar Pond Hockey & Calmar Junior Golf Club

Remember to **THANK a VOLUNTEER!!!!**



Community Awareness & Registration Day

Thursday, September 5, 2013

6:30 pm—8:00 pm

Calmar Elementary School—5402—50 Street

For More Information contact:

Yvonne @ (780) 985-3191

OR

Email: YPearson@calmar.ca



Calmar Interact Club: August Update

Hello, my name is Cadence Mutch and I am the new President of the Calmar Interact Club for the 2013-2014 year. Interact is the high school branch of Rotary, and the Calmar Interact Club is partnered with the Nisku-Leduc Rotary Club. Our club currently has ten members, and we are hoping to recruit more in the fall. Our current members are: Sarah, Salena, Claudia, Colton, Conner Terron, Cassidy, Lindsay, and Haley.

Our club has a few upcoming fundraisers, with all of the proceeds going to our planned trip to San, Ignacio, Belize to build a playground at Eden Primary School in November of 2013. We are teaming with the U of A Rotaract Club on this project, which is currently led by one of our founding 13 members and past president of our club. Through this playground build, we are hoping to be able to give these kids the opportunity to just be kids. Our upcoming events are as follows:

- Thursday August 15, 2013 @ 7:00 PM- Central Social Hall Bar Night with a Silent Auction & 50/50. Tickets are \$10 & include two prepaid drinks. \$4 tap martinis or draft beer available at this event
- Friday September 13, 2013 @- Ranch Roadhouse Bar Night with 50/50 & a beach theme. Tickets are \$10 & include priority entrance & one prepaid drink before 11:00 PM
- Saturday September 14, 2013- One Man's Treasure "Fall Street Market" in Stony Plain. At this event, all funds generated by the booth rentals will go towards our organization's project for this year. We will also be running a concession at this event.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact one of our current members or email calmarinteractclub@gmail.com.

I would now like to take this opportunity to say thank you and farewell to our grade 12 members who graduated this year. We are truly grateful for all you have helped us accomplished as a club and as people. We have no doubt that you will all continue to live your lives by our motto, "Service above Self." We know that you will all go on to do even greater things and hope you take with you the lessons from the experiences you've had with Interact. Congratulations to Cody, Conner, Tayler, Jason, Richard, Abby, Emily, Jacquie, Kristen, Lauren, Mercadez, Sam, and Shauntelle!

ST. MARGARET MARY PARISH



5120—50 AVE CALMAR

CHURCH BASEMENT

GARAGE SALE, LUNCH COUNTER, COFFEE, JUICE AND BAKED ITEMS

AUGUST 17TH

9:00AM—4:00 PM

DURING THE CALMAR FAIR DAYS
MEGA MARKET



CALLING ALL ARTISTS!



Leduc and District
Victim Services invite
artists aged 12-18 yrs
to help ...



“Build a Wall of HOPE”

... by strengthening community relationships through art.

The Theme of this Year's Contest is **‘Bullying’**

To enter the contest, please create an original piece of art that is:

- a free-hand drawing or painting done in any medium
- a digital drawing or illustration
- a photograph



Submit a high resolution photo of your creation via the following:

E-mail to: info@leducvictimservices.ca

Mail or Hand Deliver to: Leduc & District Victim Services

@ Leduc RCMP Detachment; #1, 4119 - 50th Street Leduc, Alberta T9E 7L9

One (1) Winner will be selected from *each* of the Communities served by Leduc & District Victim Services and Two (2) Winners will be selected from the City of Leduc.

Winning art will be used in the creation of special cards that will be sold as Fundraisers for Leduc and District Victim Services. The Artists will have their names, photo and bio printed on the back of these cards and will also receive a store Gift Card and their photograph in local Leduc County newspapers.

Contest Deadline: August 2, 2013



Employment Opportunity
Arena Concession Worker



The Town of Calmar requires a Concession Worker for the Mike Karbonik Arena. This position is seasonal and term of employment is from September 23, 2013 to March 31, 2014. Days and Hours of operation may vary – 4:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Monday to Friday and 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Saturday & Sundays, depending on ice scheduling.

Applicants must have obtained or willing to obtain the Food Safety Course Levels 1 & 2 thru Alberta Health Services prior to September 15, 2013.

The deadline for applications will remain open until a suitable candidate is selected. Applicants may submit their resumes, which should include any references, and if obtained, a copy of Food Safety Course Levels 1 & 2 certificates to Ed Melesko at emelesko@calmar.ca, or by mail to P. O. Box 750, Calmar, AB. T0C 0V0 (marked Personal & Confidential) or hand delivered to the Town Administration Office at 4901-50 Street (marked personal & confidential).

The Town of Calmar wishes to thank all interested applicants but advises that only applicants selected for interviews will be contacted.

Ed Melesko

Director of Public Works

Land Development

Calmar Seniors Centre will be

hosting a Foot Clinic

September 23, 2013

9:00 am—12:00 pm

Contact: Lorraine Knull

780-985-3857

Or the Senior 's Centre

780-985-3117

**NOMINATION PACKAGES
WILL BE AVAILABLE
SOON!**

CONTACT YVONNE PEARSON
780-985-3191 or
ypearson@calmar.ca



The Town of Calmar would like to take this opportunity to wish Karen Ankerstein all the best in her new adventures and thank her for all her hard work and dedication to the Town of Calmar over the past couple years!!

Town Manager Rodberg, Staff
and Council



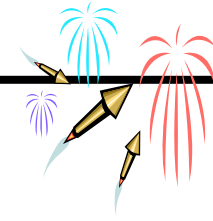
2013 Municipal Election Voter Eligibility Identification Requirements

1. **What kinds of elector identification are valid for proving eligibility to vote?**
 - a. For a local authority that does not prepare a list of electors, or where the person's name does not appear on the list of electors, section 53(1) (b) (i) establishes the general basic requirement for verification of the person's identity and current residence as stated in the signed voting register (Form 8). Under this basic requirement, **the voter must produce (A) one piece of photo identification with name and address that is issued by a Canadian government** (federal, provincial, local, or an agency thereof), or (8) one piece of identification authorized by the Chief Electoral Officer under the Election Act with name and address.
 - b. Types of government -issued identification allowed under (A) must show the name, address and a photo of the elector and so examples of appropriate ID include:
 - i. Operator/Driver 's license
 - ii. Government photo identification card (for non-drivers)
 - c. Types of Chief Electoral Officer-approved identification allowed under (8) must show the name and address of the elector and so examples of appropriate ID include:
 - i. Attestation of identity and Residence issued by the authorized representative of a correctional institution;
 - ii. Attestation of Residence issued by the authorized representative (landlord) of a Commercial property management company;
 - iii. Attestation of Residence issued by the responsible authority of a Supportive Living Facility;
 - iv. Bank/Credit card statement or personal cheque;
 - v. Correspondence issued by a school, college or university;
 - vi. Government cheque or cheque hub;
 - vii. Income/prope1ty tax assessment notice;
 - viii. Insurance policy or coverage card;
 - ix. Letter from a public curator, public guardian or public trustee;
 - x. One of the following, issued by the responsible authority of a shelter or soup kitchen:
 1. Attestation of residence, letter of stay, admission form or statement of benefits;
 - xi. Pension Plan statement of benefits, contributions or participation;
 - xii. Residential lease or mortgage statement;
 - xiii. Statement of government benefits, e.g. employment insurance, old-age security, social assistance, disability support or child tax benefit;
 - xiv. Utility bill, e.g. telephone, public utilities commission, television, hydro, gas or Water;and
 - xv. Vehicle ownership or insurance certificate.



A bylaw under section 53(3) is not required, but if the municipality wishes to pass a voter identification bylaw, they may do so in order to:

1. Expand on the list of types of identification that the returning officer can accept for purposes of the basic identification requirement set out in Section 53(1)(b)(i) (A) and (8), or
2. Require more than the basic requirement of one piece of identification as set out in Section 53(1) (b) (i) (A) and (8), or
3. Specify the types of identification that the returning officer can accept for purposes of the additional identification that the municipality
Requires to verify name, current address **OR** of an elector.



Well....it's that time of year again. Full on summer weather, BBQ's, and of course...

Calmar Days August 16th and 17th.

Pancake breakfast at the curling rink, Main Street Mega Market, Baseball tournament, Kid's activities, Bench show and the Calmar Parade. This year, we once again have the Bone Wagon Assn. showing off their cars beside the Town Hall. Free Frosters will be served, and hopefully the mini donuts will be available. The Edmonton Mini Club will be around, doing a poker rally.

Beer gardens and dance Saturday night at the Ball diamonds. Don't forget the amazing fireworks Saturday night around 10:30 - 11:00pm.

Anyone wishing to be in the parade this year, just show up at the elementary school on Aug. 17th, morning. The line up will start at 9 am...with the parade running exactly at 11 am. It's free to enter and we have prizes for best entrees. Local entrees are always my favorite. It's great advertising for your business, or just a great way to be involved.

I've always said...All you need is a few balloons, maybe some streamers...and you're in! Have fun with it. If you don't have balloons...I'll give you some when you line up. I hope we get last year's graduating class in the parade. One year we had some high school Grads enter, it was a blast as they snuck back in line for a second go around. That's what it's all about. FUN !! Anyone can enter.



We ask everyone to remember to bring something for the food bank.

The whole Council and Office Staff wish to thank all of those who participate and volunteer, on making this day one of the highlights on the Calmar Calendar. People come from far and wide to take part in the many activities we have going on that day. The Mega Market is a crowd favorite! Make sure you set up early. First come...best space. We ask that everyone remembers to "tidy up", put garbage in its place and show visiting people what Calmar hospitality is all about. If we could keep the parade route from the elementary school to the drug store free of parked cars till after the parade...and also remember that this will be the first year candy will be handed out and not thrown from the floats.

After 6 years of putting together the Calmar Parade, this will be the last one I will be organizing . I've had many great memories attending other local parades, meeting all the wonderful parade goers and the dignitaries that are in each of the Towns. The challenge of rounding up parade entrees and the honor of being able to represent Calmar at all the different parades has been great. I thank all who have made this effort, easy and fun. Make sure you mention your interest of being on the Towns Recreation Board for your chance to "put on the parade"

The Town of Calmar Council , the Office Staff and the workers that keep the Town running, wish to say a big Thank-you to all those who will be in the parade, ball tournament, and involved with the many activities that make Calmar Days an event that many look forward to.

Have a great summer and see you during Calmar Days!

Scotty Wiancko
Town of Calmar Councillor

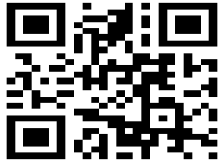


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Fax (780)985-3039
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15th

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kankerstein@calmar.ca
Fax 780-985-3039



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JUNIOR FIREFIGHTERS

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FIREFIGHTERS**

Did you know that 80% of Alberta's firefighters are volunteers? You give us some of your free time; We will give you: Training and Equipment to keep you safe and the ability to serve your community! Applications can be picked up from the Town of Calmar Office or any Tuesday evening at the Fire Hall after 7pm.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION
CALL FIRE CHIEF, DAVID BROOKS 587-985-7587**

CALMAR FAIR BENCH SHOW

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We are excited to announce that for the sixth consecutive year, Calmar will be home to a traditional bench show competition. This exciting event gives you the opportunity to showcase your produce, baking, handicrafts, photography, and more in a fun, friendly competition.

You are invited to take part on Saturday, August 17 at the Calmar Curling Arena. This event is open to everyone, regardless of age or hometown!

For more information, visit www.facebook.com/calmarfair

Copies of the Competition Guide are available at www.bit.ly/16mXwhH or at the Calmar Town Hall.