



I would like to THANK all of the people that attended the Remembrance Day Ceremony on November 11, 2012. We need to support our military personnel past, present, and future. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all military members and their families for their sacrifice.

The Christmas Season has come upon us once again. Our annual Christmas in the Park will be on Thursday, December 6, 2012 at 6:00 pm. to 8:00 pm. at Woodland Park. Come out and meet **SANTA CLAUS** and tell him what you would like for Christmas. Then you can enjoy building a snowman, skating, drinking hot chocolate, and eating cookies. You may also enjoy the company of friends and neighbours while standing by the bon fire or taking a hay ride.

On Saturday, December 8, 2012 at 10:00 am. to 3:00 p.m. come out, purchase some Christmas Baking, Stocking Stuffers, and visit with your friends and neighbours at the Calmar's Christmas Crafts/Bake Sale and Tradeshow at the Calmar Elementary School.

The different Boards in our community are always looking for local people to join. They consist of The Recreation Board, Library Board, Communities in Bloom, Calmar Community Development Committee, Citizens On Patrol, and Calmar Fire & Rescue. Your community needs you! Who is the community? You are the Community. Without you, we cannot enjoy the community that we all would like to have to live in.

There have been some concerns about vandalism in our community. Vehicles broken into, buildings
being spray painted, private property being stolen or wrecked. In the New Year we will be starting up
Citizens On Patrol (C.O.P.). We are looking for people to go out during the evenings and go around
our Town and keep an eye open for the people that are defacing and destroying our

community. If we turn a blind eye to the things that are happening then we are condoning these acts. You don't have to confront these individuals, just see the act and call the R.C.M.P. We need some good citizens to do the right thing. Make our Community an enjoyable and safe place to live in. Drop your name and telephone number off at the Town Office or email the Town at <u>info@calmar.ca</u> if you are interested in joining Citizens On Patrol (C.O.P.).

Don't forget Calmar's First Night on December 31, 2012 at 6:00 pm. to 8:30 pm at the Mike Karbonik Arena. Come out and have a free skate, hot chocolate, hot dogs, bon fire, as well as the children can receive a tattoo from a air brush tattooist. Visit with family, friends, and neighbours and watch the first fireworks of the year and bring in 2013 in style.

Remember YOU are the Community.

Councillor Wally Yachimetz

I would like to take this opportunity on behave of myself and the Mayor, Council, Town Manager and Staff to Wish Everyone a Very Merry Christmas and All the Best in 2013.













On Tuesday, December 4, Calmar Chiropractic will be hosting our annual Toy Drive and Food Drive for the Calmar Christmas Elves. As in previous years, Dr. Phillips will be donating an afternoon at the office in exchange for your donations. We encourage you to bring either:

> Non-perishable food items (approx. \$20 or more in value), Or New toys (approx. \$20 or more in value)

All food and toys will be donated to the *Calmar Christmas Elves* for distribution to families in need in the Calmar area.

Bring an additional donation of non-perishable food items or new toys on or before Tuesday, December 4, and receive a gift certificate for **\$10 off a One Hour Massage.**



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Town of Calmar Office Is CLOSED Mon. Dec 24, Tues.Dec 25 Wed.Dec 26 Mon. Dec 31 close @ 3:00 p.m.

And CLOSED Jan 1, 2013

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

Courtesy Reminder Notice

All outstanding arrears on property tax accounts should be received at the Town Office by end of day December 31st to avoid a 12% penalty, which will be applied on January 1, 2013. Thank you for your prompt payment. Town of Calmar Tax Department

