Calmar Chronicle



February 2012

Calmar Mayor & Council

Volunteering their time at the

FIRST NIGHT 2012 Activity





First Night 2012 **Door Prize Winners Adult**—Brian Hoshowski Under 18—Pam Frenzel









Calmar's Spring Tradeshow & Market

The Town of Calmar will be hosting Calmar's 3rd Annual Spring Tradeshow/Market on Saturday, April 28, 2012 at the Calmar Elementary School

5402 - 50 Street 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Free Admission

Concession will be available

Shop the many vendors:

Cupcakes, Jewellery, Crafts, Sausage, Candles, Purses, Avon, Chocolates,

and much more









For more information or to register your table please contact

Town of Calmar Parks & Recreation Department

Karen Ankerstein 780-985-3604 ext.224 or kankerstein@calmar.ca



YUMMY FOOD







Business License Renewals

ARE NOW DUE



Kindly submit your renewal application and payment.

Thank you, The Town of Calmar

Ditch the workout and join the party.

Zumba 8 week session for \$88.

Mondays 6-7pm Calmar elementary school.

Starts March 5 last class May 7 (excludes March 26 spring break & April 9 Easter Monday)

To register email tashkendrick@live.com or

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Drop ins \$15.





Have nothing to do????

"Take in a hockey game at our local Arena."

Support our teams !!!



"Foot Doctor"

Monday March 19, 2012 1:00 p.m. at the Calmar Seniors' Centre

True Touch Massage Therapy & Fitness

2nd Winter Session (6 weeks)

February 27—April 16 (no classes March 26-31)

Visit the website at: www.truetouch.vpweb.ca or Email truetouchmt@hotmail.com

NOTICE

Town of Calmar Promotional Items are now in the office and available.

Come in and check it out !!!

* Men's Polo Shirt—\$43.00 + GST

* Men's Track Suit—\$99.00 + GST

* Ladies' V-Neck Shirt—\$55.00 + GST

* Ladies' Track Suit—\$99.00 + GST

* Mock Turtle Neck Shirt—\$45.00 + GST

* Men's Jacket—\$95.00 + GST * Ladies' Jacket—\$95.00 + GST * Toques—\$15.00 + GST

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* Knitted Toques—\$17.00 + GST

* Mittens \$17.50 + GST

Calmar Legion Family Valentine Dance

Sunday February 12, 2012—1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

\$5.00 per person admission—includes can of pop, hotdog & a bag of chips. There will be music and karaoke as well as a craft table and games for the kids. The bar will be open for adults.

For more info contact Rebecca @ 780-238-9943.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Effective February 7, 2012

The Town of Calmar
is no longer accepting credit card payments
for utilities or taxes

Ski & Snowboard experience q winter festival



WHEN

- Saturday February 11, 2012 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

- Rental shop opens at 5:40 p.m.

WHERE

- Rabbit Hill Snow Resort

PRICE

- Individual: \$25 per person with rentals

- Individual: \$15 per person without rentals

- Family: \$110 for a maximum five immediate family members

- \$25 per each additional family member

- Rental and family rates includes ski or snowboard rental, helmet

and a beginner level lesson

TICKETS

- Tickets are on sale from January 23 to February 9 at:

Leduc County Parks & Recreation Department
 2nd Floor, Service Building, Room 240, 1103-5 St., Nisku

- Tickets are on sale from January 23 to February 6 at:

 Calmar Town Office, Devon Town Office, Thorsby Recreation Complex, New Sarepta Agriplex and Warburg Village Office

- Unsold tickets will be available on February 11 at Rabbit Hill starting at 5:30 p.m. for \$30 per person

WINTER FESTIVAL ACTIVITIES

If the whole family doesn't ski, no problem! Come out and enjoy the Winter Festival activities without strapping on skis or a snowboard. These activities include free hot chocolate, games and activities.



For more information, please contact Darlene at **780-955-6410** or visit the Leduc County website at **www.leduc-county.com**

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 Office
Will be CLOSED
Monday February 20, 2012
For the
Family Day Holiday

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

February 2011

This month, I would like to speak about intersection safety for vehicle and pedestrians. During winter, there is an increase of intersection and parking lot accidents. The weather can be icy and when approaching stop signs, yield signs, and pedestrian crossings it does take longer to stop.

Drivers must realize this, but pedestrians must also be aware that even slow moving vehicles can skid and slide. The Alberta website saferoads.com lists a few tips for both drivers and pedestrians.

Safety Tips for Drivers:

Do not run red lights or roll through stop signs.

Do not speed or follow too closely

Do not make unsafe left turns or rely on having the right of way.

Safety Tips for Pedestrians:

Point, Pause, and Proceed, and keep looking for any hazards.

Make eye contact with the drivers.

Abide by traffic signals; they are there for a reason.

Calmar Protective Services hopes that everyone takes a few more moments to prepare and get where you need to go in a safe manner.

Peace Officer-Matt Nickless

VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS WANTED

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to be a Firefighter?
Do you want to help out more in your Community?
Do you want to join a dynamic group of skilled,
committed members who strive to make emergency situations better?

If you answered **YES to** any or all of these things, then the Calmar Fire Department is looking for you to join!!

Information Nights

Stop by the Calmar fire Hall, Tuesday nights at 7:00pm





It's true - technology has made our lives easier. But did you know that our iPhones and computers isolate us and keep us from spending time together?



On February 20, it's time to UNPLUG!

- 73% of kids would rather play with their parents than watch TV or surf the internet
- Teens who have more than three family dinners together per week are more likely to get better grades
- Residents in connected neighborhoods have a greater quality of life

Can your community connect the most on Family Day?

Log the hours you and your family unplugged on February 20. Beginning

February 21, go to www.fcssaa.ab.ca to log your hours and tell your story.



















