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The Town of Calmar Strategic Plan 2020-2024 was adopted by Council May 19, 2020 and can be found on the website. There will be copies available to the public that can be picked up at the Town Office when the office re-opens to the public.



DID YOU KNOW...

- ◆ 2020 Tax Notices were mailed May 29th, if you haven't received yours by June 15th, please contact the Town Office to request a copy.

MAYOR'S CORNER

June is a month of many celebrations, most notably graduations. Although our new normal does not allow gatherings of more than 50 people at this time, we celebrate all the 2020 graduates in our community for their hard work and dedication to reach this momentous next step in their young lives. Congratulations to all graduates and best wishes in your future endeavours!

At the May 19th Council meeting, the Strategic Plan for 2020 to 2024 was successfully passed. This Strategic Plan will help guide Council and Administration on future goals and achievements. If you would like a copy of the Strat Plan, a copy can be obtained by calling the Town Office or you can go online at www.calmar.ca.

Recently we made the very difficult decision to cancel Calmar Days as set out by Alberta Health Service protocols put in place from now until September. Please remember this is in correlation to social distancing and keeping the public safe at this time.

Just a reminder that the Town Office is open for business but not physically open to the public. You can call the Town Office at 780-985-3604.

As always, if you have any questions, comments or concerns please reach out to me at 780-722-4147 or via email at wychimetz@calmar.ca. I always look forward to hearing from you!

On behalf of Council and Town Administration, we wish you a very happy June!

Wally Yachimetz



PEACE OFFICER CORNER

Good afternoon all.....

Two things that are very problematic in town:

1. Quads/motocross bikes.... **Any quad over 50cc MUST be registered and insured.** The driver must be over the age of twelve and wearing a helmet. Those stipulations do not apply if the quad/motocross bike is being operated on private property. Due to the high level of complaints regarding noise and driving complaints I will be implementing the following rules regarding quads/motocross bikes in town. Anyone wishing to drive their quad on any town roadway must call me at 780.999.7181 prior to leaving their residence and let me know their name, address and path being taken to drive off their premise. This is to ensure a proper path is taken and if I receive complaints I can address the individual and not group all quad operators in to the same pile of complaints.

To be clear any quad driven on a public roadway, whether registered/insured or not, is liable to both seizure of the vehicle, and a no insurance/no registration ticket. This will occur if I am not called for permission prior to leaving your property. The Traffic Safety Act is clear, no off highway vehicle is allowed to be on a public roadway. The Town has given discretion in the past but due to the erratic driving and noise complaints, this change is required and will stay in place until the complaints drop. I will be seizing and ticketing all off highway vehicles if no call is made to my cell 780.999.7181 and a message left with name and address, or does not personally speak to me, seizure and a ticket will occur.

2. I have received way too many dog barking complaints. If my first warning is not followed thru with keeping your dog quiet, a ticket will be sent in the mail. To be clear on this for both sides of the complaint, just because I receive a barking complaint does not automatically mean a ticket is issued. I will investigate the complaint, and if it's found the dog was just doing his job of warding off strangers, no ticket, if it's found the dog **CONSISTANTLY** barks for no reason, a ticket will be sent.

I appreciate that more people are at home now because of the situation we are in, but I will leave you with a couple of my thoughts and feelings.

Times are challenging for everyone, working or not. We are all getting cabin fever and want a return to our regular life. That can't happen right now or the near future. Let's all try and be a positive influence out there and set an example of alternative thinking during tough times. We still have our families to enjoy, our kids to enjoy, warm weather makes for good times in our backyards relaxing or BBQing.

My grandmother told me that a man's touch can sometimes speak more than his words. I believe, the same can be said for a woman's touch. Hold hands with your partner, hug your kids and partner, smile when you wake up and see each other, laugh at breakfast, lunch, and dinner remembering crazy family memories, enjoy the reasons that brought you together and created a family. These restrictions are going to end, but your family unit is not.

Pasquale

FROM THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT

As our Province tries to regain some semblance of normalcy sadly, we have had to see Calmar Days 2020 officially cancelled. The annual celebration will be back in 2021 (barring any other flare ups of Covid-19 or any other terribly dangerous virus). In the meantime, the Town is hoping to run a couple of events in September or October if conditions allow. The first is a Drive-In Movie night and the second would be a better late than never celebration of Canada Day. No dates have been considered yet as we need to see whether it will be safe by then to have these events or whether we will have to wait a little longer for the sake of everyone's health. With Calmar Days 2020 being shelved, the budget for the annual Saturday night fireworks has been added to the fireworks budget for First Night so if First Night can be held, it is going to end with a better than usual bang. The show might not be considerably longer but the visual display should be a step up from any regular year in Town featuring 2 fireworks shows.

Down at the Mike Karbonik Arena Ryan and crew have been working hard at sprucing the place up, A fresh coat of paint here, a new piece of puckboard there..... The place is looking brighter. The old Figure Skating display case has been removed and replaced with a new bulletin board and the old condiment station by the Concession window has been taken out with the intention of replacement/improvement. Hopefully everyone will have a chance to see for themselves in September if we get the green light to open up as per usual.

Over at the Spray Park (Engberg Park) I have been awaiting information from Habitat if we can add to the existing structures. If there is any way we can tap into any of the existing structure above ground, this will be an easy and economical project but if we end up having to go below ground this will set us back as it will take longer and cost more.

Thank you to those of you who have completed and returned your recreation surveys for the Recreation Master Plan project. Your input will help us plan/shape recreation in Calmar for many years to come and will hopefully help us grow for the future in the most efficient and effective way possible.

For those who missed out on the opportunity to have Expedition interview them, there is still one last kick at the cat (so to speak). If you have some ideas or comments about recreation in Calmar – whether it be about today or Calmar in 2060 (for example) - please forward them by email to me at bking@calmar.ca. When you do, please make sure to also indicate your gender, your age range within decades (i.e. you are in your 20s, 30s, etc.), whether there are any others in your household, and what their age ranges are.

Enjoy the easing of conditions but please don't let your guard down. Stay vigilant, stay safe.

HERITAGE COMMITTEE UPDATE

While the Covid-19 Pandemic has delayed our plans for a big homecoming party during Calmar Days 2020 the Heritage Committee still has other activities to keep it busy as it works towards Homecoming August 20 – 22, 2021.

At its most recent meeting (held via telephone and computer, of course) the Heritage Committee decided that, in addition to continuing to plan for the big weekend in 2021 that it would also continue work on creating a second volume to Pioneers in Progress and to update and bring back the Historical Walking Tour.

For Volume 2 of Pioneers in Progress we are looking for family updates from 1980 to present as well as any information/photos anyone has regarding the Town/community itself. A subcommittee responsible for this project has been established but more members are welcome.

A subcommittee has also been created for the new Historical Walking Tour and also welcomes more members.

In addition to these feature projects, the Heritage Committee would also like to develop some monthly activities beginning in 2021 that would share/celebrate our community's history as well as help build the momentum toward the big weekend in August.

Below, you will see the logo that has been created for our Homecoming and an explanation of the story that is told by the logo.

If you or anyone you know would like to assist with any part of these Homecoming projects, please contact either Byron King at bking@calmar.ca or Michelle Levasseur at mlevasseur@calmar.ca



The 125 Come Home to Calmar Homecoming logo is symbolic of a community rich in its people, its businesses and its history. The image portrays the progression of the town's historic timeline using icons and colour. The green banner stacked upon the green ribbon evokes strength and excellence in a community celebrating 125 years. A log cabin such as those used in the early settler days transitions to a modern home of today's residents recalling the growth of the community. The green archway signifies the natural passage of time and accumulation of prestige, while the yellow sun-flower rising in the center is indicative of Calmar's uplifting, optimistic ability to shine bright through adversity.

What's Happening at the Calmar Public Library

June 2020



Hello everyone! As I am writing this article the government is beginning to launch Phase I of the re-opening schedule. We are happy to say that libraries are in Phase II and we are optimistic that we will be opening, to some capacity, during that phase. In the meantime, we are looking at offering curb-side service in the next week or so. At the time of this publication we do not have a set day so to get the most up to-date information you have four options:

- Follow us on Facebook <https://www.facebook.com/calmarlibrary>
- Go to our website: <https://calmarpubliclibrary.ca/>
- E-mail us at: circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca
- Phone: 780.985.3472

I apologize in advance for this very lengthy article. However, with the current guidelines we have little choice unless we remain closed and that was not an option! We are excited to offer our patrons this service and look forward to serving you in this new capacity. We ask for your patience and understanding as we navigate through this new adventure together.

What is curb-side service and how does it work?



As we cannot have patrons in the library, curb-side service is our way of getting items to you. The items will be from our collection, as there is no inter-library service at this time and will be based on availability. Below are the steps and guidelines for curb-side service. It has been broken down into three parts:

- Requesting New Items Procedure
- Options for Placing Holds
- Picking Up Items

CURB-SIDE SERVICE

Requesting New Items Procedure

- **Service offered Monday to Friday from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.**
- This service is for active patrons only and those patrons in need of a new card or renewal are to contact the library.

- Patrons are encouraged to email the library at circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca to request items. Emails **must** include: first and last name, library barcode and contact number. Emails will be regularly monitored while staff are in the building.
- Phone calls will be answered when staff are able. Please have your library barcode ready. Phone 780.985.3472.
- Please note that we have only one phone line so e-mailing may be your best option.
- If you receive the answering machine: leave your first and last name, library barcode, and a contact number you can be reached at.
- Three options available for placing holds. (Instructions Below)
- Holds may **NOT** be placed online but Tracpac can be used to help search for Calmar items.
- We are not taking specific requests at this time unless you have located the item yourself through Tracpac. (Instructions Below)
- Patrons cannot take out more than 5 items at a time- with a maximum of 2 of those items being DVD's -and will have no more than 10 items on their card when they call in.
- Patrons will have the items for a maximum of 21 days with no renewals.
- Patrons will not have access to those items that are too delicate or too large to be returned through the book drop. This includes literacy kits.
- Items borrowed from the Calmar Public Library **must** be returned to the Calmar Public Library.
- Patrons will receive items in a plastic bag and are encouraged to keep items in the plastic bag until you are ready to use them. Please do not return the plastic bag.

OPTIONS FOR PLACING HOLDS

OPTION 1: USING TRACPAC FOR FINDING CALMAR ITEMS



- Go to tracpac.ab.ca online.
- In the "quick library search" box, type the name of the item you are searching for.
- Example: BOOK; "Big Lies in a Small Town" by Diane Chamberlain
- Then narrow the search to Calmar Public Library items only, select Calmar Public Library from the left-hand side "narrow your search" menu under ASSIGNED BRANCH

(Calmar items will appear first in the list if you have followed the previous instructions)

- Choose the item you are looking for from the options, then click "WHERE IS IT"
- If Calmar does not appear in the list, you cannot order it at this time
- If Calmar Public Library appears in the list and the item is checked "in" you may email or call us to request this item.
- Please keep in mind that even though it says checked in, if someone has requested it before you, you will not receive that item.
- We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding. This system is not perfect, but we are trying the best we can.

OPTION 2: Favorite Author or Genre

*Who's your
favorite
author?*

Patrons can tell staff their favorite authors or genre and we will find you something. If you have a reading list, we will go through it to see the type of items you enjoy and to ensure you have not already read or watched the item. Keep in mind this is not a perfect system, but we will try our best.

OPTION 3: Blind Date with a Book



This is a great time to have a "blind date" with a book. Give us some authors and we will find others that have similar writing style. Perfect time to branch out a little with your reading choices.

PICK UP PROCEDURE



- **Service will be offered Tuesday to Thursday 10:00 am to 2:00 pm by arranged appointment. (Date of opening service to be determined)**

- This service is available to active Calmar Patrons only. (new patrons or those who require renewal please contact the library)

- The Calmar Public Library has the right to refuse service.

- The procedure can change without notice.

- Patrons will not have more than 10 items out on their account when they arrive for their pick-up time.
- Patrons can request 5 items at a time. (Max 2 DVD's out of the 5 items) Total of 15 items per card at one time.
- Items will be loaned out for a maximum of 21 days with no renewals at this time.
- Staff will call to arrange pick-time once items are available.
- Each time slot will be for 15 minutes; if items are not picked up within designated time, the patron will have to reschedule.
- Patrons **must** have their library card to pick up items.
- Pick up will take place at the back door of the library.
- Upon arrival patron will:
 - o ring buzzer
 - o return to assigned designated area
 - o staff will confirm barcode and place items in designated drop box
 - o patron will retrieve items once staff have closed the door
- All items will be in plastic bags
- No return items will be accepted at the back door.
- All returns must be dropped off in the overnight bin.
- If patron is finished with item sooner than the 21 days – please return item so someone else can have access to it.

We recognize that this is a lot of information, but we are here to help you through this. Feel free to contact us with any questions.



We did begin offering a "Free Library" service on Monday, May 11th. Monday to Friday, between 10:30 am – 3:30 pm, we are putting a cart full of gently used free items. It is the responsibility of the patron to sanitize/quarantine the items and we ask that you observe physical distancing while browsing the cart. We have limited 3 items per patron, and we ask that you **do not** return the books when you are finished with them. This service will continue until curbside service is offered or we run out of items.

The winners of our "Spring into Reading Contest" are:

Kids category: Ruger Kallio

Adult category: Kayla Duffield

A huge thank-you to everyone who participated. We loved the pictures!



The winners of the 2019 Calmar Public Library Writing Contest!

Youth Short Story

1. Monet Davies (Dream Trapper)
2. Kenya Davies (Masquerade of a Blood Moon)

Youth Poetry

1. Malaika Ogoe (My Skin)
2. Reese Chloe A. Jorvina (True Love)
3. Cyanne Craig (Compared to You)

Adult Short Story

1. Lotti Kutzbach (Surviving War)
2. Andrew Stephen (Makanek al-Amar)
3. Shane Saitz (Feast)

Adult Poetry

1. Lee-Anne Peel (Calmar Fair Day)

On behalf of our sponsor, the Calmar Art Society, and the judges Nicole Harrish and Leanne Myggland-Carter, we thank everyone who participated and look forward to offering the contest next year. Due to social distancing, we regret that there will be no award ceremony and prizes will be mailed.

I think that is it for this month. We hope that everyone takes advantage of the curbside service though we ask that patrons who are immune compromised or otherwise

susceptible to COVID-19 infection should not take out items from the library. Remember we are still here to serve you!

Until next time, stay safe....



<https://www.facebook.com/calmarlibrary>.

Check out our webpage: www.calmarpubliclibrary.ca

Call 780.985.3472 for more information.

To all
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we see you!
we Thank you!



JUNE 1—7, 2020

2020 SENIORS WEEK THANK YOU

We SALUTE you Calmar & District Senior citizens, YOU are a valuable part of our community.



In efforts to ensure preventing the spread of Covid-19 and to protect our Senior citizens, community members, and staff, we are following the Alberta Government and Alberta Health Services recommendations to avoid large groups, regrettably, the annual

Calmar Seniors Luncheon Celebration is cancelled

Would you consider helping me by sharing your thoughts of appreciation by submitting words of inspiration, drawings, graphics, poems, quotes, letters or notes from the heart, expressing how we value and appreciate our seniors for the influence they have in our past, present and future.

This undertaking would be a way of communicating how we really care and perhaps brighten the day for our seniors during this challenging time of social distancing.

If this is something you would consider to participate in, please register, by contacting:

Yvonne by email: ypearson@calmar.ca or telephone @ (780)985-3191

*Seniors will have an option to respond to the received messages.

Confidentiality will be respected and followed regarding both the senior receiving the appreciation and the sender.



Family and Community Support Services
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leduc-county.com

SOCIAL SUPPORTS AND SERVICES

Leduc County Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) is here to help as we navigate our way through the Covid-19 pandemic. While our offices are currently closed to the public, our staff are here to answer your calls, direct you to resources and listen.

Call our office at **780-979-2385** during regular business hours, Monday to Friday from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4:30 p.m. Alternatively, you can email fcssinfo@leduc-county.com.

Some of the resources we can help with include, but are not limited to:

Stress and mental health

Many people are experiencing feelings of anxiety and stress right now, but some may not recognize those feelings. Knowing the signs of stress and finding healthy ways to relieve it will help you take care of yourself.

Confidential supports are available to help with mental health concerns. The following mental health supports are available 24 hours per day, seven days a week:

- **Mental Health Help Line**
1-877-303-2642
- **Addiction Help Line**
1-866-332-2322

Counselling subsidy

Leduc County, in partnership with Karunia Counselling and Family Counselling Centres, offers subsidized counselling to Leduc County residents who meet the eligibility requirements. Virtual counselling is currently being provided.

Contact us at **780-979-2385** to learn more.

Supports for seniors

Are you unable to leave your house to pick up groceries and other necessities? Leduc County can provide information on local resources that are available to help individuals, seniors, families and other vulnerable county residents.

Call us at **780-979-2385** or send an email to fcssinfo@leduc-county.com to learn more.

Do you know a senior in need of support?

Are you looking for a way to support the seniors in your life? Maintaining physical distancing is crucial for seniors and vulnerable people. A phone call is an easy way to connect with the seniors in your life. Ask how you can help them, whether it's delivering groceries and prescriptions or assisting with yard work. There are many helpful tasks that can be done at a safe physical distance, and will make a difference in seniors' lives.

Social supports

Leduc County FCSS is your source for information and referrals to social supports and resources. We can provide information on issues such as housing, transportation, mental health, resources for seniors, and financial supports.

Financial Supports

If you have been financially impacted by Covid-19, call us. We can talk to you about subsidies and supports that are available.

After-hours support

Do you need help after hours? Call **2-1-1** for information on social supports 24 hours per day, seven days a week. You can also text 211 and type INFO to chat live with a support team.





FAMILY CAREGIVER WELLNESS- NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE

Course Overview

Gain the confidence to safely look after your loved one with our new Family Caregiver Wellness workshops. These workshops will provide you with knowledge and expertise to transition into a new role and equip you with technologies to look after loved ones.

Our online videos and workshops will give you the flexibility to learn from anywhere. Workshop topics are wide ranging and include: roles of the caregiver caring for seniors with varying levels of needs; developing health observations and healthcare decisions for your loved one; effective communication skills with health-care providers and your loved one; and pairing technologies and tools to assist in daily living.

Courses Available

1. Mealtime and Medication Assistance

Learn techniques for food consistency, assistance with difficulties swallowing, prevention of choking, and understanding the basics of safe medication administration.

2. Assisting with Personal and Intimate Care

Learn techniques in providing personal care for oral health, bathing, dressing, and incontinence.

3. Assisting with Mobility-Safe Practices

Learn safe body mechanic techniques for assisting with movement.

4. Navigating the Health Care System

Learn about the structure of the Alberta Health Care system and techniques for communicating with health-care providers to meet the needs of care recipients and caregivers.

5. Pain Monitoring and Management for the Caregiver

Learn how to observe a person's pain level and provide supportive measures.

6. Palliative and End-of-Life Care: Support for the Caregiver

This workshop will provide information for the caregiver to feel confident and supported while providing care to a loved one who is palliative end-of-life.

7. Supporting a Person with Dementia: Guidance for the Caregiver

Learn about dementia and strategies to use to support a loved one with this diagnosis.

What to expect

Each course is 2 hours with a registration fee of **\$35 (+GST)** per workshop.

Class lecture (1 hour)

- Covering tips and tricks, how to observe the health of your loved one, resources and tools for assistance, collaborative practice, and peer-peer support.

Simulated Experience (1 hour)

- Opportunity to watch and evaluate a situational experience of providing care and decision-making skills within a simulated environment.

Workshop registration includes*:

- Access to the online meeting platform (with instructions)
- Information guide and resources
- Access to a video library for quick just in time video learning**

*An email with information will be sent prior to the workshop

**Note that the last four workshops listed (newest) will have a delay in accompanied videos due to our current social distancing restrictions. Videos will be made following the restrictions and will be sent to all previous participants.

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1.866.534.6480

health@norquest.ca

Email to subscribe to our newsletter for monthly updates

Leduc County Family & Community Support Services

Serving residents of Leduc County, Calmar, Thorsby and Warburg

Contact us at 780-979-2385 or fcssinfo@leduc-county.com

Upcoming Virtual Sessions

Dates & Times TBD. We are offering the following programming online. Please contact us for more information and to register.

Getting to know your grief - a supportive online environment for understanding and experiencing loss. Join an online community of individuals experiencing similar challenge where you will learn about the nature of the grief process, emotion and healing. Gain practical strategies for navigating and emerge with a clearer direction for moving forward. This will be a safe space to support one another by honouring our emotions and sharing our stories.

In this together - Are you struggling with your relationships, working from home, job loss, parenting and/or have general uncertainty because of the current global pandemic? Join us for a three-session online group series to learn more about available resources and make sense of why this is so difficult for so many people.

Home alone – these sessions are for parents and their children aged 9 – 11. Do you think your child is ready to start staying home alone before or after school or occasionally for short periods of time? Does your child have some experience being home alone? No matter what your situation, this workshop will enhance your child's skill and confidence to stay home alone while giving you the knowledge about what your child needs in order to be ready.

Youth focus groups – we are interested in talking to youth 13 -18 years old to create online programs. If you are interested in sharing your ideas, contact us!

Seniors Week 2020

We are celebrating Seniors Week June 1-7, 2020! Recognize the seniors in your community and all of the ways that they have contributed throughout their lives to shape our province. Leduc County needs your help to make this week a success! Please call us to find out how you can participate in recognizing those important seniors in your community. Please check out our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/LeducCounty> for our upcoming plans.



Calmar and District Senior Citizens Club June 2020 News

Activity Schedule

All June activities have been cancelled at this time. Please watch your mail or future editions of the Chronicle for future events when they resume.

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Sundays & Holidays:	11:00AM-5:00PM

Please contact the Town office with any inquiries. When requesting an ad please submit it in an electronic format which is print ready. **All ads must be paid for at the time of submission.** Calmar Community groups are free. A full list can be found on our website: www.calmar.ca/newsletter/

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Starting a Home Based Business?

Did you know that you may require a Development Permit and possibly other approvals if you are going to change the existing use of your building?

Also, you are required to obtain a Business License.

Please contact Ruth Sider, Development Officer, at rsider@calmar.ca or 780-985-3604 ext. 233.

Property Taxes

The Town offers a penalty free payment plan specially for Tax Accounts. (TIPS)

You can sign up anytime through out the year! (You will need to pay up front for the months that have already passed, to stay caught up).

All you need is a signed Pre-Authorized Debit form and a VOID Cheque/Direct Deposit paper from your bank.

No missed due dates and penalties, no need to renew every year. Just an automatic withdrawal from your account once a month.

~The payment is calculated based on your most current levy~

If you are interested in joining, contact Heather @ hbryans@calmar.ca or 780-985-3604 ext. 232.

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780-985-2121

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780-999-7181

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TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Held in Council Chambers
@ 4901-50 Avenue @ 7p.m.

1st and 3rd Mondays each month (except July & August).

**CURRENTLY ONLINE—
DUE TO COVID-19**