

October 2021



Please note the Office will be closed October 11th for Thanksgiving.

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DID YOU KNOW...

- According to Elections Alberta there are an estimated 1770 voters in Calmar
- There are 3 candidates running for Mayor and 7 running for Councillor—a list of the candidates can be found on our webpage at https://www.calmar.ca/elections/
- The Advance Vote is being held at Council Chambers (4901—50 Avenue, east entrance)
 October 2nd from 11am –2pm
- Election Day voting October 18th will be held from 10am—8pm at the Calmar Legion (4815—47 street)

Mayor's Corner

A wonderful summer has come to an end as we head into fall. Mark your calendars for the Annual Fall Clean Up, which will take place starting on October 4th at 7:00 a.m. to October 8th at 3:30 p.m. For more information contact the Town Office at (780) 985-3604.

Please do not forget to go out and vote. This is your opportunity to give direction in how your community moves forward for the next four years.

The advance poll for voting for Mayor and Town Councillors is on Sunday October 2nd between 11:00 am and 2:00 pm in Council Chambers at 4901 - 50 Ave. Masks are required.

Election day voting takes place on October 18th, 2021. If you did not vote at the advance poll, you can vote at the Calmar Legion Hall, located at 4815 - 47 St. between 10:00 am and 8:00 pm. Again, masks are required.

I would like to wish all candidates the best of luck in their campaigns for office.

From my family to yours, wishing you a very Happy Thanksgiving! We have so much to be thankful and grateful for! We live in a beautiful community and what I feel is the best Country in the world! May you spend many precious hours with family and friends making special memories!

Let's make Calmar the Best Calmar it can be!

Mayor Wally Yachimetz



Town of Calmar 2021 Municipal Election Newsletter OCTOBER 2021

October 18th, 2021 brings us to another round of Municipal Elections across Alberta. In Calmar, residents will elect a Mayor and four Councillors.

Along with electing a Mayor and Councillors, residents will also be voting on Referendum questions. There are currently two announced Referendum questions to be voted on, they are:

- Should section 36(2) of the Constitution Act, 1982 Parliament and the government of Canada's commitment to the principle of making equalization payments – be removed from the constitution?
- Do you want Alberta to adopt a year-round Daylight Savings Time, which is summer hours, eliminating the need to change our clocks twice a year?

For those unable to vote on Election Day, an **Advance Vote** is to take place on Saturday, October 2nd, 2021 between the hours of 11:00am and 2:00pm, at Council Chambers located at 4901 – 50 Avenue, using the east entrance.

Election Day will be Monday, October 18^{th} , 2021 and voting will take place between the hours of 10:00am and 8:00pm at the Voting Station located at the Calmar Legion at 4815 - 47 Street, Calmar.

All candidates, whether nominated for Mayor or Councillor, should review Section 147 of the Local Authorities Election Act, and make themselves aware of their responsibilities in regard to reporting campaign financing and expenses whether a candidate is elected or not.

For more information or should you have any questions, please contact Returning Officer Heather Bryans at 780-985-3604 ext. 232 or email hbryans@calmar.ca.

ENFORCEMENT SERVICES OCTOBER EDITION

MARKET ON MAIN:

As I walk the Market on Main each Friday, I'm impressed by the support and conversations that are held. The vendors that are coming from other communities are happy the Town supports Market on Main. I also have also noted how it has become a meeting place for all to come out and visit with each other while sitting and listening to the musicians who perform for all. As I patrol through town, I am told how the locals look forward to supporting this market and wait until Friday to make their purchases locally. Great to see everyone out and about!

SCHOOL IS BACK IN:

Please remember the school year has begun and our little ones and growing children are out and about more. This means we must be aware as drivers and more diligent in watching for pedestrian traffic. Also, watch for our school buses when they are stopped, loading, and unloading the kids. All vehicles are required to stop in each direction until the bus driver has brought in their stop sign on the side of the bus.

GOVERNMENT COVID RESTRICTIONS:

Be aware that government restrictions can change by the day, week, or month. If you are unsure of the restrictions, go to the https://www.albertahealthservices.ca/topics/Page16944.aspx. Please understand that no matter your political opinion, our hospitals and health care providers need our help to slow the spread of whatever name you choose to call this virus. Cancer patients, kids requiring surgeries, and elderly that need care, are all either being cancelled or told to stay home as there is no more room. This really makes me sad. Let's all do our part and follow government mandated and suggested procedures, so we can slow this virus down and allow those who are in line to receive the treatment they require, to get it.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT CALENDER:

Effective next Calmar Chronicle, we will be posting traffic enforcement location and purpose of that location. As an example, when and where speed enforcement will take place, when and where seatbelt or distracted driving enforcement will take place. Notifying the public of such operations has the intended effect of specific traffic enforcement, as well as gaining traffic compliance on the posted dates. Traffic enforcement will continue to be ongoing as well as outside the scheduled dates and times.

CLOSING STATEMENT:

I would like to remind everyone to respect your neighbours and allow for difference of opinion. Let's be part of whatever is necessary to keep us all healthy and safe. Tomorrow will be there for some of us, and it won't be there for others. The problems lie in that we all don't know which side of tomorrow we fall on. Enjoy life, enjoy your families, enjoy your friends, live life to the fullest until you can't.

Stay safe. Regards,

CPO LEGGIO

October 2021 Recreation Department



<u>Calmar Days</u> — Maybe it's just me but it seems the return of Calmar Days was a successful one. For a moment the parade seemed to be in jeopardy, but it ended up a success. Congratulations once again to the Calmar Legion Dart League for taking Best Overall Float. Thanks also to the Calmar Public Library for helping the kids decorate their bikes for the parade. The kids' activities were a huge success, thanks in no small part to the contribution from Latmann Equipment of a generator for the bouncy games. The drive-in movie was a total smash with probably 60 vehicles minimum and at least 200 people out to watch Monsters, Inc. The Mega Market saw over 80 vendors including food trucks and, as usual, the fireworks were a blast. And speaking of the fireworks, congratulations to the residents of Calmar for respecting the safety zone.

A big thank you to everyone who helped with Calmar Days (and Homecoming), especially Mayor Yachimetz, Councillors Balaban and Gardner, CAO Krawchuk, Public Works and Parks and Rec Departments, CPO Leggio, EDO Michelle Levasseur (and her kids), and Michelle Lemire.

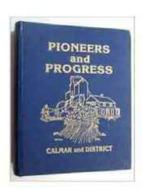
<u>Calmar Christmas Craft Fair</u> – the event is scheduled for Saturday 06 November at the Royal Canadian Legion and I already have 7 vendors paid to attend! Maybe this year there won't be a snowstorm at the same time!

<u>Snowman Contest</u> – For kids and families alike, please note the snowman contest is back for another year!! Sometime between now and Friday 17 December submit a photo of your snowman and you could be announced as a prize winner at First Night! Please note that submission of a photo is also implied consent for the Town to use names and photos for promotional purposes.

<u>Xmas Lights Contest</u> — Here's a contest for the grown-ups!!! Just like the snowman contest, submit a photo of your home between now and Friday 17 December and you could be announced as a prize winner at First Night! Please note that submission of a photo is also implied consent for the Town to use names, addresses, and photos for promotional purposes.

Recreation Board - The Recreation Board is going through more changes and as a result, we have some volunteer opportunities once again. If anyone is interested in joining the Recreation Board, we are looking for both regular community members as well as members from recreation groups. Anyone who is interested in joining the Recreation Board can contact me at bking@calmar.ca or via phone at 780-985-3604 ext. 224 for more information.

Submitted by:
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bking@calmar.ca
780.985.3604 x 224



Homecoming Weekend has come and gone but that doesn't mean that all the homecoming activity has stopped!! We are still collecting RECIPES AND STORIES about your family, a business, a team, or anything else about Calmar for a planned Volume 2 to Pioneers and Progress.

So, if there was a favourite recipe that your Nana made for you that you would like to share or if you have an interesting story to tell about your family or something Calmar, please submit it to bking@calmar.ca. At present there is no deadline but the sooner we can collect all this material the sooner we can get Volume 2 on the shelves!!!

What's Happening at the Calmar Public Library

OCTOBER 2021

This fall seems to be a busier time than usual. Between the federal election, municipal election and everything opening, the province seems to be buzzing before winter takes over. Speaking of elections, while the Library is neutral Switzerland, we do recognize that the municipal election is a very important one for libraries. Why is this? Funding, of course! The Town of Calmar contributes approximately 60% of our operational budget, with the remaining funding coming from the Province and Leduc County. Last year our funding from the Town of Calmar was reduced. This resulted in the library no longer being able to offer Monday night and Saturday services. Patrons have asked if we will be returning to our regular Monday night and Saturday service. The answer is that it depends on funding. We encourage you to ask those running for the Town of Calmar Council what their intentions are with the Library's overall budget? Sometimes it isn't enough to say, "I support the Library". The question becomes, "How do you support the Library"? Below are two questions to ask the candidates:

- If elected, how do you plan to balance the needs of the Library with other municipal funding obligations?
- What do you believe the Library brings to our community and how will you help the Library achieve that role if you are elected?

We at the Library recognize the difficult role that members of Council must fulfill and appreciate their past and continuing support of the Library. We look forward to working with the newly elected Town Council.

I suggest that to remain up to date on what is happening at the library please go to our website www.calmarpubliclibrary.ca or like us on Facebook. I encourage you to utilize our knowledgeable staff via our **Reading Bag Service**. This service continues to be very popular! Email us at calmarpubliclibrary.ca to organize your reading bag.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, & Friday 11:00 AM TO 5:00 PM Wednesday 11:00 AM TO 8:00 PM

LIBRARY CARD

Need a library card? Not a problem! Email <u>circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca</u> or call 780.985.3472 and one of our helpful staff will be happy to set that up for you.

CurbSide Pick Up

Even though our doors are open, we recognize that patrons may not feel comfortable coming into the Library. Not a problem! Contact the library at circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca or call 780.985.3472 to book your **CurbSide** appointment!

Take & Make Kits

For the month of October our **Take & Make kits** are available for Pre-K, Tween, and Teens, and might require some adult supervision. Supplies are limited, so it is suggested that you reserve your kit as soon as possible. Pick up is available through our curbside service, or you can drop by and pick them up during our hours of operation. Some of the kits also have videos that show you how to make the project. We would love it if you sent us a picture of your finished project to circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca for everyone to enjoy! (Some kits do not have an accompanying video, but all kits have instructions included.)

To reserve kits: Call 780.985.3472 or Email circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca

Teen Time – Kit release date: Monday, October 4th Edible Starburst Slime



YUMMY!

To complete this kit you will be putting your "kitchen" skills to the test, and you get to eat your creation! If you like the starbursts candy then you are going to love this month's **Teen Time Take & Make kit!** Kits are available for pick up starting Monday, October 4th.

Tween Time – Kit release date: Tuesday, October 12th Shampoo Slime



With a little bit of this and a little bit of that you will be creating shampoo slime that smells sooooooo good! Don't eat it! This one is for play only! The kit is available starting Tuesday, October 12th.

Pre-K – Kit release date: Monday, October 18th Static Powered Dancing Ghosts



Time for a little Halloween science when you make these not-so-spooky ghosts dance. This is a great little experiment as you learn about static electricity. Don't forget to send us a video of your dancing ghost! This kit will be released on Monday, October 18th.

In-House Programing

Songs & Stories – Family Program



Wednesday from Sept 15th to Oct 6th 11:00 am to 12:00 pm

Registration Required at 780.979.2385 or frn@leduc-county.com

This program is a fun way to bring music, songs, books and crafts together at one location. It offers songs and activities for parents,

caregivers and children to enjoy together in a group setting. We will be doing crafts that are planned around the book theme for that week, along with movement breaks and singing. E-mails will be sent out to registered participants with a reminder of the date and a brief look at the activity planned on that day. This program is in partnership with the Family Resource Network and the Calmar Public Library.

Spook-tacular Family Fun!

Wednesday, October 20th 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Location: Calmar Seniors Centre @ 4916 – 50 Street





Pumpkin carving! Bring a pumpkin or two as supplies are limited. Crafts! Loot Bags! and so much more!! This is a drop in program though all participants are to be accompanied by a parent/caregiver. This program is in partnership with Leduc County Family Resource Network and the Calmar Public Library.



The winner of the Adult Summer Reading Challenge is Sara Reber! Sara is the proud recipient of a \$25.00 Chapters gift certificate. Thanks to everyone who participated.

Did You Know?

Staff at the Library are employed by the Town of Calmar Library Board and are not Town of Calmar employees.

New Items at the Library

It was a busy month for adult fiction! Below are a few of the new items that we have added to our collection. Contact the library at 780.985.347 or www.calmarpubliclibrary.ca to reserve your copy today.

ADULT FICTION



































































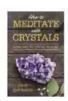


ADULT NON-FICTION

























YOUNG ADULT









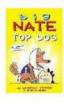


JR. BOOKS























DVD'S/AUDIO





















PICTURE/BOARD BOOKS



















As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at 780.985.3472. We look forward to seeing everyone, though we ask that patrons who are immune-compromised or otherwise susceptible to COVID-19 infection to not enter the library.

To keep up-to-date on information regarding the library please go to one of the resources below:

- Follow us on Facebook @ https://www.facebook.com/calmarlibrary
- Follow us on YouTube @ https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCU 34ttDgZU1zpV3WE5fWDA
- Go to our website @ https://calmarpubliclibrary.ca/
- E-mail us at: circulation@calmarpubliclibrary.ca
- Phone: 780.985.3472

Until next time....

Susan Parkinson

Director of Public Library Services







COLOUR ME!

2021 Fall Clean Up

Pick up is scheduled from October 4, 2021 to October 8, 2021

Items MUST be placed out by 7:00AM on October 4
Pick up will be completed by Friday, October 8 by 3:30PM

CURB-SIDE FRONT YARD PICK UP ONLY

NO EXCEPTIONS

Maximum pick up is 1/2 ton truck load per residence

Branches are to be BUNDLED in 3 foot (MAX length) bundles
Place metal in a separate pile
Place electronics in a separate pile

We will <u>not</u> accept the following:

Propane Tanks, Fridges, Deepfreezes, Microwaves, Air Conditioners, Water Coolers, Broken Glass, Batteries, Car Parts, Tires, Concrete, Paint, Oil, Antifreeze or any other hazardous products.

(Residents are encouraged to take these items to the Leduc & District Waste Management Facility located off of Rollyview Road at 49444 Range Road 244, Leduc County. Although most items may be dropped off free of charge, items such as propane bottles, concrete and appliances containing Freon will have a charge associated with their disposal.)





FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE

2021 FALL CLEAN UP
CONTACT THE TOWN OF CALMAR OFFICE

@ 780-985-3604



Youth and Cannabis Use: Landscape in Canada





This free webinar is hosted by

Youth Cannabis Awareness Program (YCAP), an education and prevention initiative funded by Health Canada to increase awareness regarding cannabis use across Canada.

This webinar extracts findings from recent Canadian national surveys and addresses FAQs such as:

- Do youth use cannabis in Canada?
- How youth's cannabis use differ from adults' demographics?
- How does cannabis use compare with use of other substances (i.e alcohol, tobacco) amongst youth in Canada?
- How has legalization of cannabis impacted youth in Canada?
- Does initiating use at a younger age increase the likelihood of developing problem cannabis use?
- What are potential harms of cannabis use during adolescence?

October 20th, 2021 6:30-7:30PM

Click here to register!

Providing balanced and evidence based information about the new cannabis landscape for youth, this webinar provides parents, adults and professionals involved in young people's lives with resources supporting an open dialogue with youth, helping youth with their informed decision making process about cannabis use.

Learn more about YCAP:

https://youthcannabisawareness.ymcagta.org/

Or contact emma.schmitz@ymcagta.org



Programme de sensibilisation des jeunes au cannabis du YMCA







Calmar & District Christmas Elves







The heart of christmas

The Calmar & District Christmas Elves was established to provide hampers and gifts to families in need.

Many of us have had financial struggles in our lives. If you or someone you know is unable to afford the holidays and would like to participate in the Calmar & District Christmas Elves Program please complete the online registration form under https://www.calmar.ca/family-community-services-fcss/ Current Programs section or contact your local Community Services Programmer for assistance.

T:780.985.3191 E:tthomasecalmar.ca Referral/Registration opens
November 1st, 2021

and the deadline for registration is

December 1st, 2021.

Christmas is just around the corner.



We want to let you know that out of an abundance of caution there will be **No Food Drive this year**.



Donation Bins for your non-

perishable items can be

found at various locations

throughout town starting

Calmar's Generosity is Remarkable.

We know just how important it is to connect with community and to support one another especially during the holiday season.

Whether you are interested in Sponsoring a Family, donating a child's **Gift for Good** or contributing a critical food gift card this year please watch your local newsletter, Town website and Facebook page for further details.

The Calmar & District Christmas Elves Program encourages those who would like to support their community members to reach out to your local Community Services Programmer to learn more about how you can help this holiday season.

November 12th.

T:780.985.3191 E:tthomas@calmar.ca



Leduc County Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) fall programs

ONLINE PROGRAMS

Participation in the following programs requires internet access by computer, tablet or smartphone. If you don't have access to the necessary technology, contact us for resources that could help!

There may be in-person options for some of these sessions. Contact us at 780-979-2385 for more information.

Fraud and financial literacy

- RCMP Fraud Prevention
- Making Cent\$ of Money: Budgeting 101
- Holiday Money Hangover

Mental health and wellness

- Living Library World Suicide Prevention Day
- Living Library International Men's Day
- ▶ Boundaries to the Rescue: discovering the power of living within your limits

Parenting workshops

- Making Sense of Discipline
- Children in Change

Seniors and older adult sessions

- Understanding housing options as you age (part one of three)
- Deciding whether to stay or move (part two of three)
- Selling your first home for the last time (part three of three)
- Alberta Blue Cross for Seniors
- Create your own personal narrative

IN PERSON PROGRAMS

- Stress Strategies to Optimize Your Life
- Living Library for Orange Shirt Day/National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

To register, call **780-979-2385** or visit **leduc-county.com/community-family** for more information. Please note, these programs are open to residents of Leduc County, Calmar, Thorsby, Warburg and New Sarepta.







2021

Community Survey

This survey will be used to guide the Rural Mental Health Program in its programming and planning in alignment with the CMHA's guidelines.



1.	What makes your community great?
2.	How would you make your community better?
3.	What are your gifts?
4.	What are you passionate about?
	Would you like to be part of a conversation about wellness? Yes No If you responded Yes to question 5 please provide your contact information below.





Leduc County Family Resource Network

NEW: drop-in hours at Thorsby and Devon locations

Beginning Sept. 7, Leduc County FRN will offer permanent drop-in hours at its two facilities. located in Devon and Thorsby. All families are welcome to drop in and join FRN staff for:

- coffee and snacks
- resources and

referrals

- monthly prize draws
- free wifi and computer

- games and crafts
- programs and supports

Devon: 5 Jasper Court in the Old Robina Baker School

Open Mondays from 2 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Closed for supper from 4 to 5 p.m.

Thorsby: 4908 48 St. in the modular building across from the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex

- Open Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Closed for supper from 4 to 5 p.m.
- Open Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.

The Glen Park Hall

Is hosting their annual 2021 Country Market and Bake Sale

October 22, 3-7pm. October 23, 10 am.-3pm.

Dates and time subject to change pending Covid regulations. All Covid regulations shall be followed.

Call 780-919-1250 for table availability



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Concession

Hamburgers

Coffee

Hot Dogs

Pop

NEW HUMBLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL

A PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL



Your family is invited to New Humble Community School's



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2021 1-4 PM

NEW HUMBLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL



Please join us for an afternoon filled with tricks and treats!

Costumes are encouraged.

There is no charge for this event, we will be accepting donations for the Leduc & District Food Bank

This event is dependent upon weather and health mandates regarding the ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic. Please check NHCS social media or https://newhumblecg.wixsite.com/website for updates.

Do you want to get more involved in your community?



Volunteer as a school or classroom helper at NHCS! Email us to find out how!

newhumblecg@gmail.com

Humble Beginnings Playschool

- · Learning through play
- Certified Teacher
- Children ages 3 8 4



is for Space

Humble Beginnings Playschool has space available in both morning or afternoon classes please email for more information.

☑ humble.playschool@gmail.com

Wilton Park Community Center Update!

- NOTE! Wilton Park will follow all Covid restrictions and Guidelines!
- Quarter Auctions Caribou Exchange dates as follows...Tuesday October 26th, Tuesday November 16th, Tuesday December 7th.
- This is a fun interactive vendor show. Bring your Quarters and join in the
 excitement and fun of winning door prizes. Doors open for Vendor shopping at 6pm.
 Auction to start at 6:30. This is a cash only event. Some Vendors may take etransfer. A
 concession will be available.
- For Vender inquiries ContactTanya at...Tanya@caribouexchange.ca
- Wilton Park Regrets that we will need to cancel the October 23rd Jam.
- Saturday November 13th Wilton Park Community Center will be having a Swap meet, Xmas Bazaar, and Bake sale. A concession will be available. Bring your musical instruments if you would like to sell them. For tables Contact Deeniece <u>TEXT ONLY</u> please! 780-777-8642.
- Our first Paint night with Viola will be held November 26th at 7pm. For Inquiries Contact Viola <u>TEXT ONLY please</u> 587-581-0404 or email <u>vdobler@cloud.com</u>
- Wilton Park Hall Rentals are as follows!
 - · Long weekends...650-dollars
 - · Regular weekends from Friday to Sunday...550-dollars
 - For one day use ...150-dollars

The above rentals include hall and grounds.

- Grounds Only \$50 dollars per day or night! No hall facilities included
- All rentals are subject to a 200-dollar damage deposit.

For inquiries contact Aileen <u>TEXT ONLY</u> please 587-930-2519 after 5:30 only during the week as Aileen works and will not be accessing her phone during working hours!

The above events are subject to change without notice for the protection of our community, due to these uncertain times with Covid-updates.





Family owned and operated since 1977

5002 - 50 Ave. Calmar AB TOC OVO Front Store: 780.985.3142 Pharmacy: 780.985.3121

Website: www.calmarpharmacy.com

Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday

9:00AM-7:00PM

Saturday

9:00AM-5:00PM

Sundays & Holidays:

11:00AM-5:00PM

CALMAR FAS GAS

CONVENIENCE STORE - LIQUOR STORE - CARWASH



Darrin & Kathy Mills 5001 - 50 Ave. P.O. Box 1200 Calmar, AB. TOC 0V0

Conv. Store 780-985-722 Liquor Store 780-985-333 Fax 780-985-333

email - dkmills 123@hotmail.com

CANDIDATES RUNNING IN THE 2021 CALMAR MUNICIPAL **ELECTION**

Candidates for Mayor

Wally Yachimetz (Incumbent) Sean Carnahan Kirk Popik

Candidates for Councillor

Terry Balaban (Incumbent) Krista Gardner (Incumbent) Don Faulkner (Incumbent)

Carey Benson Colin Bremner Elke Hemmings Jaime McKeag

OPTIONS:

\$100.00 Full Page

\$75.00 Half Page

\$50.00 Quarter Page \$25.00 Business Card **COMMUNITY GROUPS ARE FREE!**

Phone: 780.985.3604 ext. 232 Fax: 780.985.3039

Email: hbryans@calmar.ca

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/

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 form 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.

PUBLIC WORKS ON CALL

780-446-7319

PUBLIC WORKS SHOP 780-985-2121

COMMUNITY PEACE OFFICER

780-999-7181

EMERGENCY 911

TOWN COUNCIL **MEETINGS**

Held virtually @ 7p.m., watch FB and website for details.

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