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Community Calendar

To access the new online Community Calendar, visit:
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Click on any item to see the details for that calendar item.

RCMP Cardston Contact Phone

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loveliest and
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you find
many reasons
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2021 Regular Council Meeting dates:

Meetings will be held at 7 PM at the Community Hall (90 Main Ave)

January 14

July 8

February 11

August 12

March 11

September 9

April 8

October 14

May 13

November 18-postponed one week due to
Remembrance Day

June 10

December 9

Glenwood Library

Library Hours:

Monday 12-4 PM
Tuesday 12-4 PM
Wednesday 1-5 PM
Thursday 3-7 PM
Questions? Call
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Glenwood Community Hall

The Glenwood Community Hall is now open to public and private events. **Current** COVID regulations must be followed. Village Council meetings will continue be held there as it is large enough to facilitate the required social distancing requirements. If you are showing COVID symptoms, please do not attend.

The next Village Council meeting will be on Thursday, December 10, 2020 at 7:00 PM.

Spring Glen Park

~ Monday night camping is free for all local residents.
~ Powered sites \$30
~ No power \$20
~ Tents \$15
~ Kitchen \$150/\$75
~ Entire Park \$750
*to reserve a spot, email springglenparkfun@gmail.com

Village Office News

Village Council General Election Nomination Info

The nomination period for the 2021 general election begins on January 1, 2021 and runs until 12:00 p.m. on nomination day: Monday, September 20, 2021. Please pick up nomination packages at the Village Office.

Candidate Eligibility:

1. A person may be nominated in any election under the Local Authorities Election Act (LAEA) if the person:

- is eligible to vote in the election;
- has resided in the municipality for 6 consecutive months immediately preceding nomination day; and
- is not otherwise ineligible.

2. A person is ineligible to be nominated as a candidate in any election under the LAEA if:

- the person is the auditor of the local jurisdiction;
- the person is an employee of the local jurisdiction for which the election is to be held unless the person has taken a leave of absence;
- the person is indebted to the municipality for taxes in default exceeding \$50 (excluding indebtedness on current taxes, and indebtedness for arrears of taxes for which the person has entered into a consolidation agreement with the municipality);
- the person is indebted to the local jurisdiction for any debt exceeding \$500 and is in default for more than 90 days; and
- the person has, within the previous 10 years, been convicted of an offence under the LAEA, the Election Act, the Election Finances and Contributions Disclosure Act, or the Canada Elections Act (Canada).

3. Candidates who seek nomination for office must complete Form 4 - Nomination Paper and Candidate's Acceptance (available on alberta.ca). Generally, nominations must be signed by a minimum of five electors. These electors must be residents of the local jurisdiction on the date they signed the form, and must be eligible to vote in the election.

4. In addition to the Nomination Form and Candidate's Acceptance (Form 4), the candidate must also file Form 5 - Candidate Information (available on alberta.ca).

5. Candidates can begin to file nomination papers with the returning officer on January 1 in the year of a general election.

Gone But Not Forgotten...

BARBARA "JEAN" TALLOW, passed away October 5, 2020 at the age of 78 in Lethbridge, AB

Jean was born on March 3, 1942 in Saint Ignatius, MT. She leaves to mourn her loving husband of 58 years Hugh Tallow and Daughters, Wendy, Ann (Levi), Treena, Kelli (Sean). Sons Butch (Brenda), Ronni (Teresa), Adopted Daughter Rhonda (Charlie). Only sibling George (Maggie) and Cousin Diane (Art), Stepmother Donna. Grandchildren: Darby (Tom), Montana (Jace), Iron (Kira), Phoenix, Kyle (Lydia), Cheyenne (Bo), Ty, Dakota (Conroy), Rabe (Rochelle), Keana (Sage), Elyjah, Neveah, Rygel, Adonis, Scotty, Jordie, Jay, Otis, Dawn, Cody (Allison), Darcy (Tracy), Sharlee (Frank), Chris (Lorraine) RJ, Dagmar, Shawna, Great-grandchildren: Elora, Kairi, Tealyn, Hughie, Esrom, Talea, Rhea, Kylia, Raine, Stran, Austin, Nevada, Sienna, Carson, Trey, Cane, Hanna, Chakoda, Cassius, Ty, Doogie, Layton, Billy, Riley, Jake, Clay, Huckley, Augustus "Gus". Great-Great-Grandchild Kolton. Nieces and Nephews: Dewayne, Victoria, Patty (Larry), Dorothy "Punk", Jim "Shorty" (Dale), Susan (John), Warren. Predeceased by her Father Floyd "Nels" McQueen and Mother Agnes Liberty, Stepmother Helen McQueen, Father and Mother in-law Cecil and Minnie Tallow. Sister and Brother in-laws Dorothy (Chris) Christenson, Jenny (Jim) Nelson, Grandson Christy Healy, paternal and maternal grandparents.

Pecuniary Interest

Alberta's municipal councillors have a strong record of public service to their communities. As a public servant, you are responsible for upholding the public interest ahead of any private interests you may have. The Municipal Government Act (MGA) describes pecuniary interest and sets out the procedures you must follow if a matter in which you have a pecuniary interest comes up at a council meeting or a committee of council meeting. These rules are designed to protect the public interest while ensuring that your ability to work is not adversely affected by your election to council. In order that the public interest is served and seen to be served, it is important that you be open and honest about dealing with the municipality. Be fair to yourself, your electors and your municipality by keeping your private interests in harmony with the public interest.

Mid River Fire Department

A great big thank you to the members of our Mid Rivers Fire Department. They have left their day jobs and fought two fires this fall that consisted of semi trucks and their cargo of straw. Each of these fires took ten to twelve hours to completely extinguish. They have also answered ambulance and other calls. We are truly blessed to have these selfless individuals serving our community.

Remembrance Day Program

Thank you to everyone who helped with and attended the Remembrance Day Program.

Instalment Plan to Pay Property Taxes on a Monthly Basis

Village of Glenwood Bylaw #176-94 (Tax Instalment Plan) allows a resident to pay their taxes by monthly instalments (January - December). Even though the annual taxes are not due to be paid until July 31st of each year, you could have a good portion of that tax bill already paid by the time you receive it. To be eligible to participate in this program, your 2020 taxes must be paid in full prior to December 31, 2020. To take advantage of this opportunity, just visit the village office to complete the paperwork before January 15. A resident who has signed up for monthly instalments will not be charged late fees or penalties on the unpaid current taxes during the current year (2021 taxes must be paid in full during 2021).

Gone But Not Forgotten...(cont)

Jean was a tribal member of the Salish and Kootenia Tribe and grew up in Dixon, MT with her mother Agnes, brother George and maternal relatives. Jean later was sent to Seattle Washington after she became sick with Tuberculous Meningitis. Jean remained in Seattle where she graduated from Ballard High School. After graduation Jean moved to Canada to work with the children at the St. Paul's Anglican Church. Unaware the experience would transcend her role as mother and matriarch within the Blood Tribe and surrounding communities. Set up on a blind date by the Anglican priest, she met the love of her life Hugh Tallow. Jean and Hugh married on April 28, 1962 in Cardston, AB. They started a wonderful life, welcoming four girls and creating a legacy of love, joy, passion, and family values. Her smile, humour and energy always radiated to those around her. We often found her working in the community spending much of her compassion and love all those she could. Jean embodied a mission as social worker and teacher supporting children and their families. She always managed to provide everyone a second home to children within her warm hugs. Jean was a fearless spirit, challenging her grandchildren to face their fear on the biggest, scariest rides at the amusement parks. Her love for nature and animals was the

Glenwood Library News

Random Act of Kindness Day

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Random Act of Kindness Day contest. We loved hearing about the amazing things happening on a daily basis in our community! Congratulations to all the winners!

New Printer

A big thank you to everyone who celebrated our 40th anniversary with us and supported our silent auction fundraiser. Thanks to your generosity, and we were able to purchase a new, much needed, printer for the library.

Radon Kits

Did you know that long-term exposure to radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer? Radon is a radioactive gas that comes from the ground and is found in every home, though not always at elevated levels. Over time, exposure to elevated levels of radon can cause lung cancer. RADON SCREENING KITS ARE NOW AVAILABLE TO BORROW AT THE LIBRARY.

Kids Craft Kits

Have you picked up the Christmas Joke Teller Cootie Catcher? Coming soon will be a Climbing Snowman! These kits are all free.

New Magazines

Are you interested in horses, hunting, cooking or running? Come check out the latest editions of Cowboy, Big Buck, Pioneer Woman and Runners magazines.

Spring Glen Elementary School Calendar

December 15 - Christmas Concert (tentative)

December 17 - Ugly Sweater & Mug Day

December 18 - Christmas Party

December 19 thru January 3 - Winter Break

Spring Glen Jr High School Calendar

December 4 - PD Day - No Classes

December 8 - Band Concert - families only

December 19 thru January 3 - Winter Break

**Gone But Not
Forgotten...
(cont)**

foundation of her being, as she would continually demonstrate these qualities to her family and others. Jeans was the glue that kept our family connected. We love her and will miss her deeply. We can only hope to one day; love, play, and connect as deeply as she did.

COVID Rules re: Council Meetings

Can municipal councils still meet in person and meet the Chief Medical Officer of Health's recommendations for physical/social distancing?

YES. The Public Meeting Procedures (COVID-19 Suppression) Regulation enables municipalities to follow the Chief Medical Officer of Health's recommendations for physical/social distancing by conducting meetings electronically. While Municipal Affairs encourages councils to consider electronic meetings as a way to ensure compliance with the public health orders regarding public gatherings, the decision on how to conduct meetings remains at the discretion of the council, committee or commission.

Can a member of the public be required to wear a mask in order to attend a council meeting?

Masks are only mandatory for municipalities included in the "enhanced areas" or in any other municipalities excluded from "enhanced areas" if there is a municipal face covering bylaw that requires masks to be worn within public buildings.

For more information, please visit alberta.ca

History of the Glenwood Area

(Part 7 of 7 in a series - article written by Dora Law in 1967)

There have been several bands in the district. In the mids 20's, Lawrence Leavitt trained and led a band of young people for several years. In 1939, Stanley Read started a band with 28 instruments. This band contributed greatly to the culture of the young people. They played in parades in many towns and cities; Calgary, Lethbridge, Cardston, Raymond, Waterton, Fort Macleod and many others where they led military recruiting campaigns and dedication services. Other band leaders were Dennis Prince and Albert Beaves. Perhaps this band will be remembered most for the nice touch it gave to the rousing welcome-home afforded each serviceman as he returned from duty in the 2nd World War.

The Glenwood Lions Club was organized in February 1945. This club purchased a hall in 1947. Some of the many projects have been; sponsoring the Last Victory Loan Drive of World War 2 and going over the top in three hours of the first day. They collected used clothes for the needy in Europe. They held a parade and each Lion gave his shirt. They assisted widows, orphans and crippled children in the district.

The present LDS Church was begin on July 19, 1951. July 24, 1954 was designated as Homecoming Day. An attempt was made to contact all persons that had ever lived here. The response was great and many old acquaintances were renewed. The day was spent in a parade, sports and program in the evening. July 25th, Sunday - a Sunrise Service was held in the morning and the new chapel was dedicated in the afternoon by Elder Milton R. Hunter. This building was enlarged in 1967.

The Village of Glenwood was incorporated by popular vote on February 15, 1961. Burke Thomas was the first Mayor with Walter Quinton and Dale Woolf as councillors and Hurshel Shipley as Secretary Treasurer. The first Village Office was in Mr. Shipley's home and, in 1962, the garage owned by A.W. Beaves was purchased for an office and shop; the Recreation lot was bought and the camp kitchen and skating rink

were constructed. Also, in 1962, ten blocks of sidewalk were put in the village. In 1963, a water system for the town was started and completed in April 1964. The townspeople now had running water from the Belly River, the same source of water supply they had used ever since the water barrel time when the early pioneers first arrived in the district. Two months later, the Big Flood of 1964 nearly washed out the pumping station at the river. This cost the village over \$2000. In 1966, new vapour street lights were installed.

1967, the Centennial year, saw the Village Park improved to include a plaque, cairn and swings. A big celebration was put on by the village and the church on the 24th of July. The Centennial Cairn was unveiled by Mayor Earl Archibald. The ribbon to the park was cut by Mrs. Bertha Buck, age 93 years, one of the earliest pioneers who arrived in Glenwood in May 1908 and has called this her home ever since.

In 1967, the village accepted the responsibility of looking after the cemetery. A committee was formed especially to beautify and maintain it. May Archibald was chairman, Mary Alexandrovich, Secretary; Melvin Medley, chairman of the work committee; Archie Leavitt, finance; Thomas Lowry, Village Council representative; Grover Thomas and Fabian Alexandrovich, helpers. This committee, with the cooperation of the people, merit a great deal of praise for the improved appearance of the cemetery.

About 1958, the Four Square Gospel Church purchased a home in Glenwood and started a church service. This is the only other church in the village.

In 1963, the Glenwood and Hill Spring schools were combined. Grades 1 through 7 attended in Hill Spring and Grades 8 through 12 in Glenwood. In 1967, all grades 1 through 9 were banded to Glenwood and the high school students travelled to Cardston.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints have owned and operated a portion of the original Cochrane Ranch known as the "Church Ranch" for 62 years. Bishop Parker of Mountain View was the first foreman. In June 1968, this "Church Ranch" was sold for an undisclosed sum to a company headed by a Texas oilman named Palmer. Eldon Quinton was foreman at the time of the sale. This was indeed the end of an era.

This is a centennial edition in commemoration of Glenwood's Pioneers, Service Men and all who have ever lived here and shown their willingness to help build up the community. The offspring of these people have spread throughout the world and brought honour to Glenwood.

This brief history has been researched and written by Dora B. Law. "I appreciate very much, all who have helped with dates and information. There are bound to be some omissions of things and events that should have been entered. Also, there will be mistakes that can not be helped. May I suggest that if any of your ancestors have lived here during the period from 1908 to the present, that you add your own personal family history to this to make it more complete."

This history was made available to the residents of Glenwood in 1967 courtesy of the Glenwood Village Council at that time: Earl Archibald, Mayor; Thaine Smith, Councillor; Thomas E. Lowry, Councillor and Hurshel Shipley, Secretary. The document was typed by Dawn Archibald.

Glenwood Gleanings Ads & Submissions

Please feel free to email glenwoodgleanings@gmail.com to make submissions, calendar entries or announcements in this newsletter. Or just drop a hand-written note in the mailbox beside the door of the village office – just remember to add your name and phone number should we have any questions regarding the submission. Business card sized ads can be purchased for \$12 per year and double size for \$24 per year at the Village Office.



We are excited to share the newest addition to our emergency preparedness video series provided by the Government of Alberta: **Get Prepared: 60 Second Emergency Tips!**

This video will give you some ideas to help build your emergency kit. Everyone's kit will be different. You'll need to build your kit to serve your unique needs. While you watch the video, think about what else would you add?

Check out our newest video on what goes in your emergency kit, and leave a comment to let us know what you would include in your emergency kit.

About the series: There are now 11 videos in the series which can be found on Raise Awareness in your Community, on the GoA's YouTube channel and are being shared on Your Alberta social media channels. The purpose of the series is to raise awareness about how to be better prepared by breaking it down into simple "bite-sized" steps. The lessons take one minute to provide impactful preparedness information in a concise and easy to digest format.

They want to create programming that meets the needs of our community (that includes you). Your feedback is always welcome. Also, if you like this video feel free to like it, comment on it, and/or share it on your favourite social media platforms. Feedback can be sent to aema.stakeholders@gov.ab.ca.

A piece of history was removed from Main Avenue during the month of November - Did you notice what it is?

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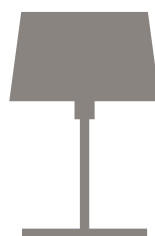


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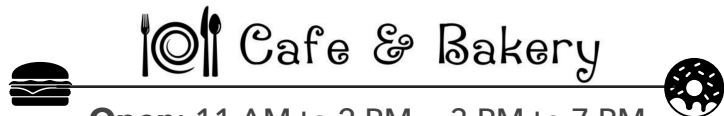
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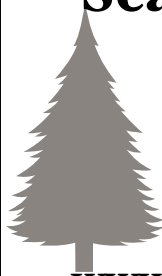
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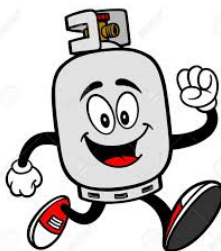
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