

TOWN OF STAR CITY

December



2020 NEWSLETTER

Next council meeting is
Monday, December 14th @ 4:30pm

Town Office Christmas Hours

December 24th – Closed - Christmas Eve
December 25th – Closed – Merry Christmas
December 28th – Closed
December 29th -31st – 8:00am – 4:30pm
January 1st – Closed – Happy New Year!



CONGRATULATIONS
BETH BAERWALD



TOWN OF STAR CITY'S
FIRST FEMALE MAYOR



Season Greetings From
The Town of Star City,
Mayor, Council & Staff

CONGRATULATIONS
to our council

Margaret Andris
Don Ewen
Carol Freriks
Nicole Grout
Nick Koturbash

A by-election will be held for a 6th council member in April 2021

★ ★ 2020 Citizen of the Year ★ ★
Who makes a real difference in the community?
Nominate someone who makes a difference in
the community and give them the opportunity to be
rewarded and recognized for their contributions.

Nomination Forms are available at the Star City Town Office.



Deadline to submit is:
December 31ST, 2020



Citizen of the Year will be announced in January 2021



PLEASE WEAR A MASK



Masking is required in all indoor public places
Saskatchewan Public Health Order effective November 19th, 2020
For the most up to date information on Covid 19, please visit:
www.saskatchewan.ca

Winter has arrived and the joys of snowmobiles, skis and snowshoes, among others things, are with us. A trail for cross-country skiing has been laid out around the perimeter of the playing field behind the school, an area happily shared with others. The skiers just ask the courtesy of the snowmobilers to not ride on top of our track; beside and crossing is no problem but riding along on top makes the skiing much more difficult. Thank you for the courtesy. If you have any questions, please contact Henry Jespersion at 306-863-3376



BYLAW NO. 521-2020

A BYLAW TO SET FEES FOR THE PICKUP OF WASTE AND RECYCLE MATERIAL WITH THE TOWN OF STAR CITY

4. Waste Management fee shall be set as follows:

Residential Users

CURRENTLY	Residential - \$10.25/month per household
YEAR 2021	Residential - \$10.45/month per household
YEAR 2022	Residential - \$10.66/month per household
YEAR 2023	Residential - \$10.89/month per household
YEAR 2024	Residential - \$11.09/month per household
YEAR 2025	Residential - \$11.32/month per household



Commercial Users – Billed when service rendered

YEAR 2021	3 cubic yard - \$25.50/lift – Front Load Waste Bin
YEAR 2021	4 cubic yard - \$ 34.00/lift – Front Load Waste Bin

For a complete copy of this Bylaw, please check the Town of Star City’s website at www.townofstarcity.com or contact the Town Office at 306.863.2282

New 2021 Greenland Garbage & Recycle calendars are available at the Town Office or can accessed on our website.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION ...

AED MACHINES ARE AVAILABE AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:

- STAR CITY ELKS HALL
- STAR CITY SCHOOL
- STAR CITY FIRE HALL
- STAR CITY TOWN OFFICE



POLICY NO. 20-02

FALSE ALARM POLICY - Effective January 1st, 2021

1.PURPOSE: To reduce the number of Fire Department responses to False Alarms by promoting the proper use and maintenance of alarm systems and assigning a set of procedures and associated rates.

4.FEES a) False Alarm fees may be charged to the property owner and are subject to Town of Star City payment terms, interest rates and collection polices. Fees will be charged as follows:

i) First False Alarm in the calendar year - no charge, a courtesy letter will be issued to the property owner with instructions to contact the alarm system provider to reduce the likelihood of further occurrences. Notification rated rates for further False Alarms will be included in the letter.

ii) Additional False Alarms - please refer to Schedule A Policy No. 20-03 Fire Department Policy (noted below).

Fire Department Policy No. 20-03	
Schedule A - Rates for Fire Calls	
Pumper Truck	\$ 375.00/HR
Transport Truck	\$ 200.00/HR
Portable Truck	\$ 100.00/HR
Man Power	\$ 25.00/HR

For a complete copy of this Policy, please check the Town of Star City’s website at www.townofstarcity.com or contact the Town Office at 306.863.2282

WINTER REMINDERS!!

Please remember the following as we head into the winter months ...

~ Park vehicles in driveways and **NOT** on the streets during winter months to ensure the grader can get through for snow removal. If you need to park on the streets, please have your vehicle moved after a big snow fall so it does not get blocked in by the snow plow.

~ Remember to bring in your garabage/recycle bins off the streets once they have been emptied to allow for the proper snow removal

~ When removing snow from your property, please be considerate of your neighbors and do not blow into their yards. Also do not push snow onto the streets from your driveways/walkways.

~ The driveway wing, when lowered should reduce the amount of snow left on driveway approaches but it will not eliminate a snow ridge. Unless this ridge is quite significant (more than 12 inches) staff will not return to remove it - this also applies to the ridges left in the back alley. Anything less than 12 inches is to be removed by the homeowner.

~ **ATTENTION PARENTS:** Please make sure your kid(s) **don't** play on the snow ridges alongside the streets. This may be dangerous as they may slip off as a vehicle is passing by or when the town is pushing up snow they may not been seen. Please play safe.

Dog & Cat Licences expire December 31st, 2020.

Pet licences are to be renewed before January 31st, 2021

CASTRATED/SPAYED ... \$15

NON-CASTRATED/SPAYED ... \$ 30

(EXCEPTIONS INCLUDE A NEW PET, A PET UNDER 3 MONTHS IN AGE & IF YOU'RE A NEW RESIDENT WITH A PET).

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE TOWN OFFICE.

Register your pets by January 31st, 2021 and get your pets name entered to win a Cat or Dog Gift Basket!

Donated by Crystal & Anita
~ Town Office Staff

STAR CITY UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

The following is the Sunday worship schedule (unless required to change according to Covid 19 guidelines)

Sunday worship services begin at 10:00 am – masks are required.

Sunday, November 29 is the first of the four Sunday's in the church season of Advent.

December 24th – There will be no Christmas Eve Service this year. Please watch for a poster for a possible "drive by" Christmas Nativity Scene, depending on the weather.

WINTER FOOD HAMPERS

The Star City United Church is offering Winter Food Hampers for anyone who may need emergency assistance. It is planned that hampers will be ready for delivery or pick up during the week of January 11th.

PRACTICAL PRESENTS- small baskets or boxes stuffed full of a variety of practical items (toothpaste, shampoo, cans of fruit and soup, crackers, socks, and other surprises....).

Prices vary from \$1 to \$5 per box.

Proceeds will be given to the United Church Mission and Service fund.

"Practical Presents" make unique Christmas presents!!

Practical Presents can be purchased at Star City Service.



Light up Star City for Christmas!



The Star City Heritage Museum is sponsoring a Random Draw for Star City Residents who display Outdoor Christmas Lights (keeping your lights on will automatically enter your name in a Draw)

Draw to be made in January



The Queen's Bar & Grill December Specials



Daily Specials are 15% off

Tuesday – All Burgers

Wednesday – 1lb wings

Thursday – Ex Lg Pizzas

Friday – Fish & Chips

Saturday – Appetizers

New Covid Hours:

Noon – 11pm

Last call is at 10pm

Kitchen closes at 10pm

Tuesday – Saturday

Take-out and delivery

available

COLD OFF SALE



"Simply Homemade"

126 4th Street, Star City

**NOW TAKING ORDERS FOR
CHRISTMAS BAKING TRAYS**



To order your baking trays, please contact
Carla @ 306-863-2250

THE STAR CITY LIBRARY IS ASKING FOR YOUR HELP!

Due to the Star City Library not being able to host their annual "Ladies Night Out" fundraiser, they are asking anyone who is interested, to consider making a monetary donation to the library.

Computers, printers, software, books and DVDs still must be purchased with library funds. These funds are needed.

Please help support the library and help keep this an important part of our community. Let's keep it accessible and used by everyone.

You can mail donations to: Box 371, Star City, SK S0E 1P0

Tax receipts are available for donations of \$20.00 or more.

(If needing a receipt please make cheques payable to Wapiti Regional Library)

If you have any questions, please contact Dena @ 306-863-4364

THANK YOU!

The Star City Library would like to thank both the Affinity Credit Union & United Way for approving the funding applications that were submitted. The Affinity Credit Union approved \$1500 and United Way approved \$2500. This money will help support this important service to our community.

THANK YOU from the board and staff
at the Star City Library



STAR CITY LIBRARY DRAW!

Anyone who comes into the Library and checks out an item (DVD or book) will have their name entered to win a prize. The more times you come in, the more chances you will have to win.

Draw Date:

December 11th, 2020

Everyone Welcome!



This is a great way to help support the library by helping to increase the number of items that are used.

NEW LIBRARY HOURS STARTING JAN. 1, 2021



Monday – 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm
Tuesday – 1:00 pm to 5:00pm
Wednesday – 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Thursday – 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Friday 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm



TOWN OFFICE HOURS

**Monday – Friday
8:00am – 4:30pm
Closed for lunch 12:00-
12:30**



Star City Library Hours

Monday – 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm
Tuesday – 1:00 pm to 5:30 pm
Wednesday – 9:00 am to 12:00 pm
Thursday – 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Friday 2:00pm – 5:00 pm

**Is Proud to Present- Project SCAR - Support for COVID-19
Adaptability & Recovery 2020-2021
A Series of Webinars to help you adapt & recover through
COVID-19 starting 26th Nov 2020.**



Proudly Partnered with

- Town of Porcupine Plain
- Town of Nalcam
- Town of Kelvington
- Town of Star City
- Hudson Bay Chamber of Commerce
- Nipawin & District Chamber of Commerce
- Northeast Newcomer Services
- Melfort Trade Alliance
- Carrot River Board of Trade
- Village of Archerwill
- Conseil Economique et Cooperatif de la Saskatchewan

Date	Event	Presenter	Time
26-Nov-20	Cash flow Workshop	Ron Robichaud	9:00 to 11:00 am
1-Dec-20	Excel	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm
3-Dec-20	Selling products online Webinar	Growth Media	9:00 to 11:00 am
15-Dec-20	Email Etiquette	Parkland College	9:00 to 11:00 am
17-Dec-20	Online Marketing Webinar	Growth Media	9:00 to 11:00 am
12-Jan-21	Quickbooks Desktop	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm
14-Jan-21	Crisis Management webinar	Q5 Consulting	9:00 to 11:00 am
26-Jan-21	MS 365 Office with Skype	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm
28-Jan-21	Mental Health Webinar	Achieve Center for Leadership	9:00 to 11:00 am
9-Feb-21	Word	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm
11-Feb-21	Leadership training webinar	Achieve Center for Leadership	9:00 to 11:00 am
23-Feb-21	Quickbooks Online	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm
25-Feb-21	Creating business social media accounts	Growth Media	9:00 to 11:00 am
9-Mar-21	Outlook	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm
11-Mar-21	Revising & Restructuring business to deal with uncertainty	Q5 Consulting	9:00 to 11:00 am
25-Mar-21	MS 365 Office with Teams	Certstaff	9:00 to 12:00 pm

To Register, please visit our website at www.cfsask.ca or email us at admin@newsaskcfdc.ca or give us a call at (306) 873-4449



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