

TOWN OF STAR CITY





2021 NEWSLETTER

THE COUNCIL COLUMN

The Council column is designed to share upcoming projects, accomplishments, ideas etc. from council.

Dust Control has been ordered – waiting on delivery – will keep residents updated on date for application.

Street Sweeping is scheduled for the end of May – watch our Face Book page and Website for updates.

Summer Job Posting – more information on SaskJobs.ca

The Commissionaires will be visiting our Town sometime in May. Please make sure to clean up your yards and have your pets licensed as these are a few issues they will be focusing on.

Star City has now partnered with Call2Reycle and has a battery recycle station at the Town Office. Rechargeable batteries (commonly found in cordless power tools, cell phones, cameras, two-way radios, etc.) and Single Use batteries (commonly found in remote controls, toys, watches, pace makers, hearing aids, fire alarms, etc.) are accepted.

Before you drop your batteries into the collection box please:

- Tape Terminals cover the terminal with clear packing tape, duct tape or electrical tape (avoid covering the battery label)
- Bag & Seal place each battery in a clear sealable / zipped bag (multiple cylindrical alkaline batteries may be wrapped together (AA, AAA)

Please contact the Town Office @ 306-863-2282 if you have any questions or concerns.

Next council meeting is Monday, May 10^{th} , 2021 $\sim 4:30 pm @ the Town Office <math>\sim$

Everyone is welcome; however, we only have limited seating due to Covid-19 guidelines & restrictions. Please call the Town Office if you would like to sit in. Masks are mandatory.

The Town Office will be closed Monday, May 24th Have a Happy & Safe Long Weekend! Happy Victoria Day!



Spring has sprung and the Town is once again picking up compost and tree branches in an effort to keep the Town looking neat & tidy. This service is provided free of charge however please note that our Public Works staff are busy during the summer months, so a limited amount of time is assigned for this task. Monday & Wednesday mornings (if time & weather permits) have been designated for compost & tree branch pick up. If you have an excess amount of trees and/or compost, please contact our office to make arrangements to have them removed. Additional charges may apply. Just a reminder NOT to put dog waste into the compost bags — it belongs in the garbage!

As a reminder compost bags are available free of charge at the Town Office. Remember to keep compost bags at a manageable weight and remember no rocks or garbage! Please put compost in clear bags and not in boxes!

Branches should be stacked on the boulevard piled parallel to the road in no more than 8-10 foot lengths. The reason we like to have them alongside the boulevard is for easy access and removal. Removal with the skid steer can damage boulevards so keeping them on a harder surface makes it easier for everyone.

** REMINDER NOT TO PRUNE ELM TREEMS FROM APRIL 1ST – AUGUST 31ST

2021 CENSUS - PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO COMPLETE

The census paints a portrait of Canada's population and the places where we live. Information from the census will ensure that your community has the data it needs for planning schools, daycare, housing, hospitals, emergency services, roads, public transportation, and employment skills training.

The Star City Volunteer Fire Department is looking for new members.

If interested, please contact Fire Chief, Darryl Cote @ 921-7224 or any member from the Fire Brigade.



THANK YOU!

We would like to send out a heartfelt thank you to everyone who has donated and helped us out since the fire on March 12th. We couldn't have done it without the support of our hometown.

We look forward to the future, and hope to rebuild. thank

Thank you!! Nancy, Shelby & Derek, and Katlyn

Star City United Church summer schedule:

- -Regular worship services Sunday's 10:00 AM until the end of June.
- -No services for July and August (the Pantry remains open 7-8 PM Thursdays)
- -September 5, Sunday, Coffee Gathering, 10:00 AM (bring your own thermos of coffee)
- -September 12, Sunday, regular services begin at 10:00 AM.

COMMUNITY PANTRY

Sometimes our home food supplies can become low, especially in this frustrating time of Covid-19.

The Star City United Church through the Caring and Sharing fund is offering a Star City Community Pantry where you can come and select a few items which would be helpful to you from the donated food items available at the time.

The Community Pantry will be available at the Star City United Church once a week on Thursdays:

7:00pm - 8:00pm

*You must wear a mask when you enter and adhere to the sanitizing procedures and distancing according to Government regulations.

To maintain distance, we ask that only one person at a time enter the church to access the pantry and only one person per family a week (small children are welcome to accompany a parent)

Donations of non-perishable food items (please check best before dates), and financial donations are welcome. Please drop off food items and or/money at the church. If the church is not open please leave food items at the Town Office and post mail money donations to:

Star City UC Box 276 Star City, SK







Mother's Day is Sunday, May 9th, 2021

STAR CITY SCHOOL NEWS



Bottle Drive

The School Bottle Drive is tentatively booked for the end of May. If you have any bottles please contact the School at 306-863-2353

Class of 2021 Graduation

Saturday, June 12th - more details in June's Newsletter

DIY CRAFT KITS

THANK YOU TO SASK LOTTERIES FOR HELPING US CREATE SOME DIY CRAFT KITS FOR THE COMMUNITY. THEY WERE A HIT! PLEASE SHARE YOUR PHOTOS OF YOUR PROJECTS (:)

The Star City Rec Board is now accepting applications for: local community group funding requests for Saskatchewan Lotteries Community Grant Fund.

If you have any questions please contact Anita Tkachuk @ 306-863-2282

The Saskatchewan Lotteries Community Grant Program is a partnership among Sask Sport Inc., SaskCulture Inc. and the Saskatchewan Parks and Recreation Association Inc. and assists in the development of sport, culture and recreation programs by providing funds to non-profit community organizations operated by volunteers.





Association

STAR CITY LIBRARY NEWS:

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.

Congratulations to the April winner – Gail Coopersmith

Library Activities

The library had planned a story walk during the month of April but due to the Spring snowfall the Library postponed it until May. Watch for storyboards around town the first couple weeks of May.

Garden Treasure Quest – During the Month of May visit the Star City Library and pick up a garden treasure quest sheet – an activity to do with the family. Prizes to be won! For more information contact Dena @ the Library 306-863-4364

COMING IN JUNE ... SEED SPHERES!

PLEASE NOTE THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED THE WEEK OF **MAY 17TH - MAY 21ST**

Library Hours:

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 FROM 12:00-12:30 PH: 306-863-2282

