

Your Town News

DECEMBER 2020

Mayor Stuart's Community Message

I wish that I had better news for my December Mayor's Message. As you are probably aware, we are starting December with new provincial measures to try to prevent the spread of the Covid-19 virus. Until recently, Central Alberta had been one of the areas that had not seen a lot of positive cases of the virus. As of November 24th this is the count of active cases in our area: Red Deer County-49, Mountain View County-12, Innisfail-11, Olds-14 and the City of Red Deer-141. The province has not made the wearing of masks mandatory but Town Council passed a motion "to direct administration to post signs recommending the wearing of masks and to provide masks and hand sanitizer at all town public facilities including the library". At this time, wearing a mask anywhere in Bowden is still a personal choice (with the exception of the Post Office). I see more and more people wearing a mask and I am now wearing a mask anytime that I am going into a building.

At our November 23rd Town Council meeting we were shown a preview of the proposed new web site of the Town of Bowden. Town Council was impressed with the preliminary presentation and are looking forward to having it implemented in the near future. At a later date there will be the addition of an app that will be available. At this meeting we also discussed a letter that the town received from Alberta Municipal Affairs stating that "Alberta may not be able to sustain our current levels of infrastructure and operating spending". We are hoping that there will not be significant cuts in our Municipal Sustainability Funding (MSF). We hope to receive more definitive information of available funding before we start our 2021 budget discussions. Unfortunately the municipalities do their budgets for the calendar year (January 1st to December 31st) while the province does theirs for a fiscal year (April 1st to March 31st). The province is looking at changing the education tax process but there will be more uncertainty this year than in any previous year.

This Christmas will be significantly different this year with the restrictions and the unknowns due to the Coronavirus. Please ensure the safety of yourself and your loved ones.

On behalf of Town Council and staff, we wish everyone a

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Warm regards,

Mayor Robb Stuart

SNOW CLEARING

THE TOWN CREWS WILL BE ACTIVELY REMOVING SNOW WITH HEAVY EQUIPMENT

PLEASE MOVE YOUR VEHICLE TO GIVE THE CREW ADEQUATE AND SAFE SPACE TO PERFORM THEIR WORK

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF "NO PARKING" SIGNS AND BE PREPARED TO REMOVE YOUR VEHICLE FROM THE STREET TO ENSURE THE SNOW GETS CLEARED EFFECTIVELY AND SAFELY.

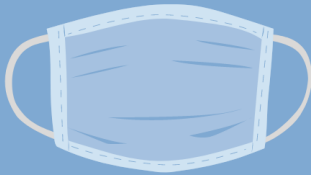
IN THE EVENT YOU DON'T MOVE YOUR VEHICLE

FIRST INFRACTION – IS A WARNING

FURTHER INFRACTIONS – YOU WILL BE TICKETED OR TOWED.

PLEASE WEAR
MASKS IN PUBLIC
PLACES TO HELP
LIMIT THE SPREAD

*Masks and hand sanitizer are available
at all Town of Bowden facilities.*



BOWDEN

BOWDEN PUBLIC LIBRARY

OPEN
TUESDAY 11AM - 5PM
WEDNESDAY 11AM - 6PM
THURSDAY 11AM - 6PM
FRIDAY 11AM - 5PM
SATURDAY 12 - 4PM

Bay #2, 2101 - 20th Avenue
403-224-3688
<https://bowdenlibrary.prl.ab.ca>



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB

OF RED DEER & DISTRICT

BENALTO
BOWDEN
DELBURNE
SPRUCE VIEW
SPRINGBROOK

JOIN US
FOR CLUB
IN YOUR
COMMUNITY!

FIND TIMES, LOCATIONS, AND REGISTER ONLINE AT:
YOUTHQ.CA/BGCRD

YOUTH
HQ



Boys & Girls Club
of Red Deer & District

In partnership with:



Programs funded in part by:



Community Resource Navigation Team

HAS COVID
AFFECTED
YOUR FAMILY?

Are you and
your family
feeling isolated?

Are you not
sure where to
go for help?

We can help you navigate
& connect with Community
Supports and Services

Complete Intake Form at www.fsca.ca
or contact Lynette at 403.309.8204
lbraun@fsca.ca





At the Monday, November 23, 2020 Council meeting, Fire Chief Larry Werner was presented with a plaque for his 17 years of service. Thank you, Larry for your hard work and dedication.

BOWDEN SILENT SANTA

Bowden and Area Silent Santa is still accepting both non-perishable food items or cash donations. Please bring any non-perishable food items to the Reddi Mart, FCSS or the Town Office. Cash donations should be sent to:

Bowden Silent Santa
c/o Box 415 Bowden, AB T0M 0K0

Applications will be available at the
Town Office December 1st
Application deadline is December 11th
Delivery is December 19th

CENTRE STREET INSURANCE



Diane Kelm
dkelm@centrestreetinsurance.com
403-352-1107



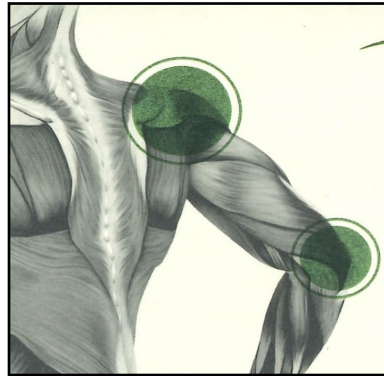
Kim Urichuk
Manager


Bowden Community Hall

403 507 5090

2101 - 27th Avenue Bowden, AB
www.bowdencommunityhall.ca bowdencommunityhall@gmail.com

~ Weddings, Reunions, Conventions, Theatre, Corporate Events, Community Groups ~



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403-358-1528 (cell)
sarawillert11@gmail.com

Kim Urichuk

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Bowden Agency

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kurichuk@atb.com

2020-20 Ave
Bowden, AB
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atb.com

ATB Financial

Sunday Service: 10:30 am **Bowden**
Pastor Jason Metcalfe **Evangelical Missionary Church**



bowdenchurch.ca

403-224-3287



RENA QUINTIN
Realtor®

REMAX ACA Realty



403-559-4377
renaq@remax.net

**MOPPS
&
MORR**

Wanda Kuffinoff
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- Home Monitoring For Snowbirds
- Cleaning
- Decluttering
- Assisting
- Preparing
- Shopping
- Driving
- Painting
- Maintaining
- Lawn Care
- Snow Removal

**Licenced *Bondable *Insured*

Volunteers Needed

Stop in at the Town Office and fill out an application to become a volunteer. Find out how you can make a difference and get involved with one of our many boards and committees.



BOWDEN IGLOO ARENA

THE BOWDEN IGLOO ARENA IS AVAILABLE FOR RENTALS THROUGHOUT THE FALL AND WINTER FOR YOUR RECREATION NEEDS. CONTACT THE TOWN OFFICE AT 403-224-3395 OR EMAIL ARENA@BOWDEN.CA

Bowden Friendship Centre

80' TV
Kitchen
Wi-fi
80 Person Capacity
To book the



Friendship Centre
please contact
Don Peterson
403-224-3064
Cell 403-396-1477



Bonnie Boucher
2101 24A Cres, Bay #10
Bowden, AB
403-994-HAIR

PAUL'S CONTRACTING (94) LTD.

For all your yard construction needs

Paul Reid

403-412-4356



YARD CONSTRUCTION, GENERAL
CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTING & HANDY-
MAN SERVICES (landscaping, tree removal,
post holes, trenching, etc.)

Available equipment: Bobcat & Backhoe, Flat Deck and
4 yard dump trailer/1-ton, 48" trencher, various augers

Bowden Reddi Mart

GROCERIES
LOTTO
PROPANE TANK TRADERS
FUEL
ATM

OPEN DAILY 8AM - 10PM

403-224-3644

2121 20 AVENUE
BOWDEN, AB



ADAM WILLERT
OWNER, MASTER ELECTRICIAN

403-350-6346

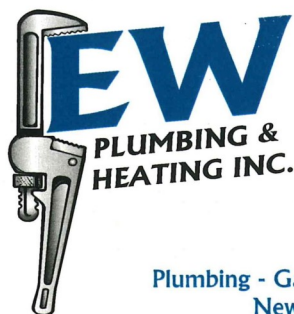
Box 280, Bowden, AB, T0M 0K0 BROCOELECTRIC@GMAIL.COM

RESIDENTIAL
COMMERCIAL
FARM
BUCKET/
AUGER TRUCK
SCISSOR LIFT
MAINTENANCE
TROUBLESHOOTING
GARAGES
SHOPS



Utility Email Billing

You can now have your Town utility bills delivered by email.
If you are interested in having your utility bill delivered to your
inbox, stop in to the Town Office or call 403-224-3395



ERWIN WEBER
Licensed Journeyman Plumber

P.O. Box 601
Bowden, AB T0M 0K0
Phone/Fax: 403.224.3420
Cell: 403.392.7143
Email: emweber@shaw.ca

Plumbing - Gas Fitting - Hotwater Heating
New & Retrofit - Boilers

DRY CLEANING SERVICES

Lacombe Cleanitizing
Dry cleaning drop off and pick-up
every Wednesday at Hairloom Salon
403-994-HAIR (4247)



BOWDEN VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

By becoming a volunteer fire fighter you:

- Get to help others in need
- Volunteer in your community
- Receive income for hours volunteered
- Receive free training and support
- Claim a tax credit with a minimum of 200 hours volunteered



Volunteer applications available at the Town Office

Bowden Volunteer Fire Department

2114 20 Avenue

403-224-2246

Webbtastic
Creations
Salon and Spa

Shannon Webb
Aesthetician/Hairstylist
(403)415-5335

5-23 Avenue Close
Bowden, AB T0M 0K0

WebbtasticCreations

Shannon Webb

Independent Beauty Consultant

5-23 Avenue Close
Bowden AB T0M 0K0

phone 403.415.5335

aestheticsbyshannon@shaw.ca

www.marykay.ca/shannonwebb

MARY KAY



Bowden Community Calendar

DECEMBER 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Thrift Store 1-4pm	3	4 Thrift Store 1-4pm	5
6	7 Recycling Day	8 Good Food Box Money Due by noon	9 Thrift Store 1-4pm	10	11 Thrift Store 1-4pm	12
13	14 Garbage Day Council Meeting	15	16 Good Food Box Pick-up @ Olde Library 3-6pm	17	18	19
20	21 Recycling Day	22	23	24	25 Office Closed <i>Merry Christmas</i>	26
27	28 Garbage Day	29	30	31		

	Good Food Box		Recycling
	Seniors Programing & Friendship Centre Activities		FCSS
	Bowden Grandview School		Boards & Committees
	Community Events		Town Council Meetings
	Garbage		Bowden Public Library
			Igloo Arena

 **BOWDENALBERTA**

 **TOWN_OF_BOWDEN**

 **TOWNOFBOWDEN**

 **BOWDEN.CA**

 **COMMUNICATIONS@BOWDEN.CA**

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Office Hours:
Monday – Friday
8 a.m. – 4 p.m.