March/April 2022

#### TOWN OF MILLET BIMONTHLY NEWSLETTER



The Prettiest Little Town in Alberta..... Come Play in Our Backyard! Town Administration Office 4528—51 Street, P.O Box 270, Millet , Alberta T0C 1Z0 Phone 780-387-4554 Fax 780-387-4459 Open Monday - Friday 8:30am to 4:00pm *We are open during the lunch hour* Website: www.millet.ca Email: admin@millet.ca

# TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Wednesday March 9th and 23rd, 2022 Wednesday April 13th and 27th, 2022

# ALL RESIDENTS ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

#### SEASONAL SUMMER EMPLOYEES NEEDED

The Town of Millet is looking for Seasonal Summer employees to perform a variety of tasks related to the operation and maintenance of municipal parks and recreation as well as facilities during the summer months.

Applicants must be able to qualify for the Canada Summer Jobs Grant Program. To view the full job description, please visit www.millet.ca. Interested applicants are invited to submit their resume along with references to: Box 270, Millet AB TOC 1Z0 c/o Director of Development and Infrastructure or by emailing their resume and references to: infrastructure@millet.ca. We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

# A MESSAGE FROM PUBLIC WORKS

During the process of snow clearing, this often results in unwanted sand being pushed up on corners of lots and in front of certain properties. The Public Works department apologizes for this inconvenience and would like to inform residents that if you require assistance removing any sand, please contact the Town office so that you can be put on a list to have this cleaned up. Time will be of the essence, so residents are encouraged to make arrangements as soon as possible once their yards are visible, as this will need to be completed prior to the sweeping of the streets (which occurs shortly after the snow melts). Please watch for signs indicating upcoming dates for street sweeping.

## REMINDER TO RESIDENTS

Please be advised that the Town of Millet has received several complaints regarding animal waste not being picked up on various properties. As per our Animal Bylaw #2018-06, 'no animal shall be a nuisance. A nuisance shall include, but not limited to; (iv) defecating on property other than that of the Owner;... To view our Bylaw in its entirety, you can visit www.millet.ca. Please help keep the Town of Millet clean and help reduce sources of disease transmission by picking up after your pet.

#### MILLET WELLNESS COMMITTEE PRESENTS

PD Day Drop In Friday, March 18th 2-4 pm at the Community Hall in the Millet Civic Centre. Activites are sponsored by the Millet Wellness Committee, Town of Millet, One Accord, Mcman Central, and Millet Library. Updates will be posted on the Town of Millet website www.millet.ca.

## **MILLET FCSS**

2021 Personal Taxes—FREE Clinic

The Town of Millet is offering a free tax clinic to the citizens of Millet in the months of March & April. Please contact our office to be placed on our eligible list and to receive more information. Space is limited and will be on a first come basis. Deadline for submission of information and documents is April 18th at 4:00pm.

Family Size	Total family income is under
1 person	\$35,000
2 persons	\$45,000
3 persons	\$47,500
4 persons	\$50,000
5 persons	\$52,500
More than 5 persons	\$52,500 plus \$2,500 for each
	additional person

# **MILLET LIBRARY**

The Friends of the Millet Library Society are hosting the below fundraisers for the Library:

March 25-April 15: Arber Greenhouse gift card fundraiser \$25/each

April 1 – May 28: Bottle Drive. You can donate three ways including, drop off of bottles at the Millet Bottle Depot during this time and ask to donate to the library, contact the library for pickup of bottles, or put your bottles on your driveway for community collection May 28<sup>th</sup>.

# 24 HOUR ON-CALL 825-303-0095 PUBLIC WORKS publicworks@millet.ca

DEPARTMENTS

COMMUNITY PEACE OFFICER 24 HOUR DISPATCH 780-387-4224 enforcement@millet.ca

FIRE DEPT milletfire@millet.ca EMERGENCY - Call 911

# HOLIDAY SCHEDULE The office will be closed:

April 15th for Good Friday and April 18th for Easter Monday



Mayor: Doug Peel

Councillor's: Mike Bennett, Rebecca Frost, Gerdie Hogstead, Mat Starky, Charlene Van de Kraats

Chief Administrative Officer: Lisa Schoening

# **MILLET & DISTRICT MUSEUM & ARCHIVES**

Welcome back to Spring Hours Monday - Friday 10 am - 5pm and by appointment Monday and Tuesdays. The Restrictions Exemptions Program has been removed and following the Provincial Masking regulations. Summer hours will change in May to 6 days a week including Saturdays.

# Pink Shirt Day – February 23

We hope everyone joined the Millet Museum in saying "No" to bullying on Pink Shirt Day. For more information on preventing bullying or on talking with your children visit www.pinkshirtdaycanada.ca.

#### Up Coming Museum Programs

We are excited to receive the Provincial Community Initiatives Program grant to create Heritage Programming for the next 18 months. This is a matching grant of 50% and will be supported by our Millet and District Historical Society.

Leprechaun Hunt -Join us for a hunt for mischievous Leprechauns through our business community.

#### Spring Break Activity Kits Seniors in a Digital World: Cell Phone Course

The Millet & District Museum will be running a second instalment of our Seniors in a Digital World technology course, this time focusing on getting the most use out of your smartphone.

#### Easter Egg Hunt Spring planting

#### Pitch In Week April 17-23

This program is active all year long in Millet with a focus surrounding Earth Day on April 22. Volunteers take part in locally organized clean ups to support a clean and litter free community. Millet Museum staff will be out in May around the School Bell Kiosk.

#### Volunteer Appreciation Week – April 24-30 Volunteering is **Empathy in Action**

Join us in thanking the volunteers in your life, and consider volunteering yourself.

We want to thank the over 50 Millet & District Historical Society volunteers who have continued volunteering for the Museum and Archives as best they can, even in the midst of COVID-19 putting a collective of 3451 hours in 2021. If you are interested in joining our volunteer team and helping us to promote Millet's past and future, please contact us.

### Pioneer Induction Celebration Saturday June 11, 2022

The Museum is collecting stories; if you have any memories with the following individuals please contact us. Stan Kroening, Audrey Smith, Phyllis Arnold, late Amelia Moen, and late Phoebe Nelson. CONGRATULATIONS to our butterfly colouring contest winners Levi and Ava . Designs will be painted by Power Carver and unveiled at the exhibit opening.

# Museums Assistants NEEDED this Summer (April 25 – August 31)

For more information, please see https://www.milletmuseum.ca/ get-involved/employment. Pending funding positions may not require applicants to be students. Deadline April 8, 2022.

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Located at 5120 - 50 Street, Millet 780 387-5558 www.MilletMuseum.ca Facebook/Instagram VisitMillet



## JOINT ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE (JEDI)



# Joint Economic Development Initiative Provides Tools for Industrial & Agriculture Businesses to SUCCEED!

With COVID economic recovery as a top priority in Joan Miller the JEDI Region, its important to encourage Director of Economic residents and businesses, large and small, to Development recognize May 9-13, 2022 as "Economic Development Week" in the JEDI Region. Watch JEDI's Social Media pages as we celebrate the JEDI Region we are all proud to call home!





Exciting things are happening in the Millet Industrial park! "SATO" Safety and Training Organization is up and running in the Millet Industrial Park & they are seeking Class 3 or Class 1 Drivers with manual transmission experience to become Vacuum or Water Truck Operators. Chances for training to be sponsored may be available & successful trainees will be guaranteed employment opportunities. For more information call 587-340-9571 or e-mail info@satocanada.ca. For more information on SATO visit www.satocanada.ca

# www.jedialberta.com

#### COMMUNITY GROUPS—MILLET MINOR BALL

ARE YOU READY FOR SOME BASEBALL? Millet Minor Ball is so excited to kick start the season! Is your child between the ages of 5 to 14? Excited to throw some balls? Visit the Millet Minor Ball website at:

https://milletminorball.ca/ or the facebook page @milletminorball for more information regarding registration. We are excited to see all of the smiling faces and hit some balls!



### DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME



Don't forget to 'spring forward' one hour on Sunday March 13th by 2:00 a.m.

It's official. Spring is on its way!

HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY! MARCH 17, 2022

