GRIMSHAW GAB

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Holiday Message from Mayor Wendy Wald

If you want to experience a Christmas Hallmark Moment, take an evening drive down Main Street Grimshaw. Simply beautiful. Reflecting on 2023, the word that best describes this year would be grateful —the generous donation from a resident who created the Splash Park. Thank you; it could not have happened without you.



There will be laughter and smiling from that park for years to come. We have so many remarkable residents living in our Community. The many volunteers that kept our events and activities a success. From the food bank, our Legion, our Churches, North Peace Stampede Association, Lac Cardinal Performing Arts, our ambitious Chamber of Commerce, Pond Hockey, The Resource Center for Suicide Prevention, Hockey and Figure Skating Clubs, moms & dads at the schools and simply everyone giving to the Community is what makes the spirit of Community. Thank you, everyone and all. I am genuinely grateful to our Fire Department, R.C.M.P and Crime Watch, who work hard to keep our Community safe. Congratulations to our Health Care family, who were awarded the Rhapsody Award this year for their outstanding service at our hospital emergency room. Truly amazing people looking after our Community. What a blessing! Hats off to the Harvest Moon Committee! That was the best! We all can't wait till next year. The Christmas Market is one of a kind. What a great market. The Festival of Trees is another annual event hosted by our fabulous library, or the Old Fashioned Christmas at Lac Cardinal Museum. So many companies and businesses, great neighbours and creative residents work together to unite our community through these outstanding events. Congratulations to all the award winners at the Chamber of Commerce Christmas & Awards Gala. I am grateful for all the generosity from our Business Community. I want to acknowledge the dedication and commitment

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of the Town of Grimshaw staff and how lucky we are to have them in service to us. From the cemetery work, bylaw, new paving, our remarkable multiplex, fitness center, snow removal, street cleaning, great garbage and recycling service, the installation of fibre, and remember the best drinking water. The administration and staff make that happen in daily operations and planning. I am very grateful for all their hard work. I am also thankful for the government funding that assists our town with some of these projects. Welcome to all the new residents and visitors who joined us in our celebrations this year. It is just wonderful living in Northern Alberta in a peaceful little town we call home.

Wendy Wald, Mayor

December 2023 Volunteer of the Month



THERESA WIEBE

Thank you for all you do!



All unpaid tax balances as of January 1 will have an 18% penalty added. Please be sure to pay property taxes before December 31st.

GRIMSHAW TRANSFER STATION

Winter hours are now in effect

Tues & Wed: 12:00 - 6:00pm & Saturday: 9:00am - 5:00pm Disposal costs for refrigerated units (fridges, freezers, coolers) is \$30.00/ unit. \$10.00 a unit for all other white metals

RECYCLE Curbside Pick-up Dates

December 14 & 28 January 11 & 25 February 8 & 22

Christmas Activities & Events

Seniors Potluck and live entertainment by the Good Timers

Dec 14th from 12-2 pm @ Berwyn Golden Age Drop In Centre

Breakfast with the Clauses and Seniors

Dec 16th from 9am -12pm @ Agricultural Hall in Berwyn Old Fashioned Family Christmas

Dec 16th from 12-4 pm @ Lac Cardinal Pioneer Village Museum Monday Morning Mocktails & More

December 18th at 10:30 am at the Grimshaw Library. Sample some mocktail recipes for non-alcaholized beverages to offer guests over the holidays. Facilitated by the Northern Association for FASD.

Free Glow Skate with Santa Claus

December 20th from 3:30 - 4:30 pm at the Mile Zero Regional Multiplex **Free Family Skating**

December 24 & 31 from 2-3:30 pm sponsored by Northern Lights Fiber

Multiplex Happenings

Important Notice: The Multiplex will be closed December 25, 26 and January 1st and open from 12-4 pm on Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve

No School Youth Nerf Wars

Multiplex Court #1 from 1:30 to 2:30pm, Jan 31 Clean indoor shoes required, bring your own nerf gun.

Free Family Skating - Sundays from 2 - 3:30 pm sponsored by Northern Lights Fiber

Seniors Free Walking - Monday & Thursday from 10:30 - 11:30 am, Northern Air Walking Track @ Multiplex

Toonie Track Time - Saturday's Year Round from 9 am - 5 pm Fee: \$2.00, Northern Air Walking Track @ Multiplex

Skate Sharpening Service - Monday, Wednesday & Friday's from 5:00 - 9:00 pm

Grimshaw Library Activities & Events

Important Notice: The library will be closed Saturday, December 16th, December 23-26 and January 1 & 2 for the holidays.

Chess Club - Mondays for students in grades 4 and up. Boards and rule books are provided!

Little Learners for children three and under along with their caregivers, is a 45-minute program held every Friday at 10:30 am, featuring stories and songs with Miss Danielle. Registration is not required.

Afterschool Activities in the atrium (just outside the library doors) on Wednesdays 3:30-4:15 for all school-aged kids. No need to register Movie Afternoons - free movies at 1 pm on Jan 3,4 and 5th. Check out the library website and facebook page for details.



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