

# Town of Onoway ONOWAVES

JUNE, 2022

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# PRE-AUTHORIZED TAX PAYMENT PLAN

If you wish to pay your municipal taxes in monthly installments, please contact the Town Office to enroll in the PAT Plan.

# PRE-AUTHORIZED UTILITY PAYMENTS

If you wish to pay utility bills through automatic withdrawal from your bank account, please contact the office to enroll.

#### **REPORT A CRIME**

If you witness a crime or suspicious activity within the Town of Onoway, please contact law enforcement:

Emergencies – Call 911
RCMP (Non-Emergency)
– Call 825-220-7267
RCMP (Office Line) – Call 825-220-2000
Peace Officer – Call 1-866-880-5722
Bylaw Officer – Call 1-866-880-5722

#### **HAPPY CANADA DAY**

THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY, JULY 1, 2022

#### **MESSAGE FROM MAYOR LENARD KWASNY**

On behalf of the Town of Onoway Council, it is with a heavy heart that I say Goodbye to long time residents, community members, and former Councilmen, George Jendyk, Al Watson, and County Councillor Steve Hoyda.

**REST IN PEACE GENTLEMEN** 

May has been a month of big changes and much activity.

Council would like to welcome Interim CAO Tim Duhamel, and thank Bloom CME Inc., for providing Interim Administrative services and guiding us through the process of recruiting a new CAO. We would also like to thank Mayor Choy and CAO Tom Goulden (both from the Town of Stony Plain) for all their assistance during this transition.

THANK YOU ALL!!!

As I write this message, I am sure that the Onoway Heritage Society is extremely busy planning and organizing, along with many other groups, Onoway Heritage Days events scheduled for June 10th, 11th, 12th, 2022. It looks like this is going to be a very full weekend that will be enjoyed by all. Hope to see you all out and about, having fun with family, friends, and neighbours.

Last, but certainly not least, to every kind of Dad, HAPPY FATHERS DAY!!

Len

#### Taxes will be due AUGUST 31, 2022

There has been a delay in the tax assessment process. Notices should be mailed out in the upcoming weeks.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO MICHELLE GALLAGHER, Q.C.**

Town of Onoway Council and Administration staff congratulate **Michelle Gallagher of Patriot Law, Onoway** on being honoured with the title of Queen's Counsel

Appointees who receive the Queen's Counsel designation help set the standard for service to Albertans through the justice system.

This prestigious designation being awarded to Michelle shows that you don't have to work in downtown Edmonton or Calgary to be successful - there are opportunities in rural Alberta. Small towns like Onoway are great places to live, work, and grow!

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CLASS OF 2022 GRADS



Town Council and Staff wishes you success in all of your future endeavors

# ATTENTION: ONOWAY BUSINESS OWNERS

The Town is adding a new element to our Onowaves monthly newsletter that is distributed with Town utility bills. We are planning to feature a local business or two every month, as space permits. If you are interested in having an article with the highlights of your business included, please submit a written article to: <a href="mailto:info@onoway.ca">info@onoway.ca</a> Article must be in Word format for ease of revision/sizing. Please include your contact information in the event we require clarification.

#### **COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

### ONOWAY FARMERS MARKET ONOWAY COMMUNITY HALL 4920 – 49 Avenue



**THURSDAYS** 

from 5pm

to 8 pm

#### LEMONADE DAY

**SATURDAY, JUNE 18, 2022** 

Watch for LEMONADE stands around Onoway.

Please support our youth ... local entrepreneurs!

# ONOWAY LEGION FRIDAY NIGHT SUPPERS

Reservations Required Please Text or Call: 780-907-6300

Become a member today, contact the Legion!

#### **Council Meetings**

June 9, 2022 June 23, 2022

Meetings start at 9:30 A.M. and are held at the Town Office. Any date or time change will be posted on the website. Meetings are open to the public and zoom is available; if you want to address Council you must make an appointment through the Town Office by noon Monday, **the week prior to the meeting.** 

# FEEL FREE TO CONTACT COUNCIL WITH ANY COMMENTS OR CONCERNS

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#### **ONOWAY PUBLIC LIBRARY**

HOURS OF OPERATION: Tuesday to Friday – 10:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday – 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Watch for the Storytime/Music Program running on alternate Fridays from 11:00 – 12:00.

Contact the Library: 780-967-2445; Email: <a href="mailto:onowaylibrary@yrl.ab.ca">onowaylibrary@yrl.ab.ca</a>; Facebook@onowaylibrary; Website: <a href="mailto:www.onowaylibrary.ab.ca">www.onowaylibrary.ab.ca</a>

#### **TELMATIK**

The Town of Onoway has an automated messaging service to help advise all citizens quickly and efficiently in case of emergency and/or public notification (ex. temporary interruption of the water supply, tax payment deadlines, snow removal, election dates, town events etc.). This system allows us to notify residents by landline and/or cellular and/or SMS and/or email of your choice. Please visit our website <a href="https://www.onoway.ca">www.onoway.ca</a> and following the link provided under the Emergency Services Tab "Alert and Notification System" to assure your contact information is added. *Please note that the Alert and Notification System is secure and resident contact info. will only be used by the Town of Onoway to contact residents regarding important information.* 

#### **INSURANCE COVERAGE – FIRES**

The cost of fire suppression by the Fire Department for structure, grass or vehicle fires is payable by the Property owner.

You may also be invoiced for alarms, including false alarms.

Medical Assistance Responses are a free service provided by your Fire Department.

Be sure to check your home insurance policy or talk to your insurance agent about what exactly your policy covers and the amount of your coverage.

#### June 10-11-12, 2022 Heritage Days

Subject to change depending on weather – watch FB- Onoway Wall 4 All, and the Heritage Days Page

# "Year of the Garden"



#### **Friday**

SANG Pancake Breakfast 9am to 1030am – at SANG Main Yard Jail and Bail-11am to 330pm at the Gazebo SANG 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary events (at SANG main yard) 3pm to 10pm Legion Welcome Home dinner doors open dinner 430pm – 10pm –Legion Hall

#### **Saturday**

Onoway Fish & Game Breakfast-7am-930 am at the Community Hall

The New Christian Community Church will be handing out water bottles all day at the gazebo.

Parade - marshalling at 9am, judging at 930, Parade starts at 10-11 am – starts at the school bus loop lot down main street and side street of Onoway

Farmers Market 11am-3 pm – Arena

Ride for Dads run through town - 11am to around 1215pm- main street

Golden Club for Seniors - 11am to 3pm hot dogs, pie and coffee

Grand Reopening of Onoway Village Plaza -1130am to 430pm

Music 1130am to 430pm = main stage by the Foundry (featuring: Kendra and J.D., Andrew Scott, Rose Gold, and Eric Kane)

Little Village Daycare Open House 1130am to 430pm

Legion Open House – 12pm to 4pm, concession and bar -hot dogs/burgers, beverage

Axe Throwing 12pm to 4pm across from the Bigway

Pigtopia 12pm to 4pm in the "Joe" outdoor rink

Bouncy Castles, Human Foosball, 12pm to 4pm in the TBA.

Chilli Cook-off – at the Arena – TBA

The Museum will be open 12pm – 4pm

Reptile Show 1230pm-130pm at the Arena

Showcase of Junior Entrepreneurs – 1230pm to 330pm at the Foundry

Perogy Dinner 430pm to 730pm at the Community Hall

Ag society – Adult aged dance at arena – 7pm to-2am at the Arena

#### **Sunday**

Pancake breakfast at The Baptist Church 9am to 1015am

ALS 5km walk at 10am (contact Lorna Porter 780.967.3934 for details)

Baptist Church Service- at 1030am at Baptist Church