

Voices of the Village



December 2019



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Council Welcomes New CAO

Shannon Harrower

The Village of Marwayne is excited to welcome Shannon Harrower as our new Chief Administrative Officer. Shannon comes to us from the County of Vermilion River where she began her career in municipal government as an Executive Assistant to Council and the CAO.

Originally from Ontario, Shannon brings with her a degree from Queen's University as well as Level I and II accreditations from the National Advanced Certificate in Local Authority Administration Program at the University of Alberta. With her progressive and dynamic leadership style and commitment to customer service, Shannon is eager to get to know the community, its residents and experience "life from all angles" here in Marwayne.

Outside of her work, Shannon enjoys teaching spin classes at BaddCYCLE Society in the Town of Vermilion where she resides with her husband Lyle and their dog, Moe.

Please join us in welcoming Shannon to our community by stopping into the Village office during our regular business hours of 8:00am – 12:00pm & 1:00pm – 4:30pm Monday through Friday and saying hello!



Community Events

- Lite Up Marwayne—Dec 1st
- Council Meetings—Dec 2nd
- Blue Bag Recycle Days Dec 5th & 19th
- Brighter Beginnings—Dec 2nd & 16th
- Marwayne Ag Society Annual Meeting—Dec 9th
- Legion Turkey Bingo—Dec 11th

- Prime Rib Night @ Marwayne Hotel—Dec 13th
- Marwayne Fire & Rescue Draw—Dec 18th
- Marwayne "Vegas" Christmas Gala—Dec 21st
- Garbage Pick up—Dec 24th
- Marwayne Hotel New Years Eve Dinner—Dec 31st
- Village Office Closed Dec 24th at 12:00pm Jan 1st

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IMPORTANT

The closing hours for the satellite transfer stations for this Christmas season are as follows:

Closed Wednesday December 25, Thursday December 26 and Wednesday, January 1. All other days are regular opening hours.

The Vermilion transfer site is also closed on these days, but will close at 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday December 24 and Tuesday December 31.

Residential pickups are as follows:

Blackfoot, Islay & Dewberry -Tuesday, December 24 and Tuesday December 31.

Kitscoty, Clandonald, Streamstown & Marwayne on Tuesday December 24.

Regular pickup to resume on Thursday January 2.

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> Website: www.marwayne.ca P: 780-847-3962 F: 780-847-3324 Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8:00 – 12:00 and 1:00 - 4:30

Regular Council Meetings **December 2nd, 2019**Horton Agencies Board Room @ 7 pm

Transfer Station Hours: Wednesday 2-5pm Saturday 10-2pm Residential pickup is Thursday @ 7 am

*When the weather turns inclement call Vermilion River Regional Waste Management Services Commission at 780-853-5561 to get updates on whether or not transfer stations are open – automated recordings will inform you of any changes.

RCMP, First Responders, Fire Department RCMP Kitscoty Detachment 780-846-2870 Kitscoty Detachment complaints 780-846-2897

> Water or Sewer Emergency: 780-205-2993 Wilson 780-214-7933 Carry

DID YOU KNOW...

....the Ag Society is made up of community members, each representing a community group under its umbrella. Represented are the arena, curling rink, minor ball, Lea Park Rodeo, chamber of commerce, school, community hall and dance. There are 4 or 5 meetings held per year and anyone interested is welcome and encouraged to attend.

Part-time Employment Opportunity LLOYD REGION HOUSING GROUP

Requires a "Maintenance Person" in the Village of Kitscoty

Duties: general maintenance of 8-suite seniors residence and (8) single family houses

Requirements: Appropriate experience, reliable transportation, some hand tools

Details: Minimal time commitment, very flexible schedule, availability to be "on call"

Position will remain open until suitable candidate is found. You may see a more detailed job description and/or deliver your resume to:

Lloyd Region Housing Group

4419-52 Ave

Lloydminster, AB

Thank you to all respondents, only those chosen for an interview will be contacted.

KITSCOTY 'Walk-In' Influenza Clinics

Influenza Clinics - By Appointment Only (780) 846-2824

Kitscoty Public Health Office (4922 – 49 Avenue)



Dec 4, Wednesday (1:00 - 3:30 pm)

Vaccine available to all residents 6 months of age & older
Please bring your Alberta Personal Health Card

For more information on flu clinics go to www.ahs.ca/influenza

Marwayne Historic Hotel

next prime rib night is

December 13th

From

5:00 PM TO 8:30 PM





Marwayne Legion Turkey Bingos



Wednesday, December 11th

Doors Open at 7:30 pm

Marwayne Legion Hall

First Game at 8:00 pm

Everyone Welcome

Nurture's Organic Market

Wants to send out a big thank you to the community for your support in our first year of business! As a small business owner, we appreciate each and every one of our valued customers and for spreading the word about our store to friends and family.

We hope everyone has a wonderful Christmas season and to enjoy the time spent with your family - laugh, love & make some lasting memories!





Lite Up Marwayne

A Community Christmas Event



Invitation to a Fun Night!

You, your family and friends are invited to attend Lite Up Marwayne 2019

This will be an evening of Food, Music and of course a visit from Santa Clause

The Senior Centre will be open so you have a place to warm up

December 1, 2019 4:00—7:00 pm

Come & Join us for a fun time and to bring Marwayne into the Christmas Season!

Free Hot Dogs, Hot Cocoa & Oranges

Sleigh Rides, thanks to Ted Etherington. Wear warm clothes!

Throughout the evening we will be entertained by Tim & Shella Gibbs providing great music and entertainment.

AND, the best of all.. We heard that Santa will arrive some time during the evening.

So, be sure to mark your calendars and come and join the fun.

MARWAYNE AG SOCIETY

Marwayne Fall Supper & Ag Fair had a good turnout for supper and we appreciated all the efforts from all the volunteers that made our delicious supper a success on Sunday 27th of October.

Marwayne Ag Fair had very few entries submitted so next year we intend to try having a pumpkin carving contest. Everyone of all ages can bring their masterpiece to the hall and they will all be lit up and displayed for viewing. Guests that come for supper can enjoy the works of art and vote people's choice award. The Winning pumpkin will get bragging rights in the village paper.

Here are some pictures from the Fall Supper:















Reminder!



Business Licenses will be up for renewal in the New Year!

As per Business License Bylaw 567-18 Every business operating within the Village shall as a prior condition of its operation, obtain a business license issued by the CAO or designate.

Payment can be made at the Village Office during regular business hours.



May the peace of God accompa-

The light of Christ warm your

And the joy of the Spirit fill

We wish you a blessed Christ-

The birth of our dear Savior

for the New Year!!

ny your waiting,

hearts

you with hope.

mas time as we celebrate

and wish you many blessings

BETHEL LUTHERAN CHURCH LEA PARK Invites you to join us

2019 CHRISTMAS SEASON SERVICES

December 1 - first Sunday of Advent/ Pastor Ed/Communion

December 4 - Service at Elk Point Lodge at 6:30 - Pastor Kevin

December 8 - LAY SERVICE & TREE DECO-RATING

December 15 - Pastor Kevin/Communion
December 22 - Lay Service - Children's Service
December 24 - Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at 7pm/Pastor Ed

December 25 - No Service December 29 - Pastor Kevin

Services are at 10:30am except for Christmas Eve at 7pm

Pastor Kevin 780-847-3017 Pastor Ed 780-847-2115 Pat 780-847-2173

Marwayne Food Hamper Drive

Help those in our Community for the Holiday Season
Drop off Locations: Arena, Post Office, and Village Office
Deadline: Wednesday, December 18, 2019
Any inquiries contact Ashley Rainey 780-214-1410





ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

6:00 pm Monday

DECEMBER 9, 2019

Horton Agencies Board Room All Members Welcome

Please join us for a Christmas Eve service at St. Andrew's Church in Marwayne at 7:00 pm, with Pastor Marcus Blaedow. All are welcome!







Marwayne "Vegas" Christmas Gala "The season has more sparkle in Marwayne!"

December 21, 2019
Doors open at 7:00 p.m.
Marwayne Community Hall

Vegas Style Games \$10 to play (7pm-9pm)
Prizes to be won!
Bar open 7:00pm
Dance to follow with "Prairie Dogs"
Snacks & Midnight Lunch

NO MINORS ALLOWED

Celebrate

Your family or company Christmas party

With

\$25

Tickets \$15 at the door after 10:00 PM

CONTACT SHARON 780-872-0011

The Awards Committee would like to thank the following people:

Thank you to our presenters and sponsors for a successful ceremony; your support of our students is won-derful and greatly appreciated.

To the support of the staff - we appreciate you coming and celebrating your students.

To the students, we would like to congratulate you on your hard work throughout last year and we hope to have as many nominees for next year as we did this year.

Thank you to all staff and students who helped to set up chairs and sound equipment – your assistance is greatly appreciated.

See you next year!

Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Wunder

The annual MJS Awards ceremony was held Thursday, November 14, 2019. Congratulations to all the following winners.

| Grade 9 Awards | |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Language Award | Daryn Hines |
| APEGA | Math - Cael Hamilton & Daryn Hines |
| | Science - Daryn Hines |
| Highest Grade 9 Academic | Daryn Hines |

| Athletic Awards | |
|-----------------|----------------|
| Junior girls | Daryn Hines |
| Junior boys | Ryan Nelson |
| Senior girls | Jill Greig |
| Senior boys | Liam Froehlich |

| Senior High Awards | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|
| Food Studies | Shelby Hames |
| English 30 - 1 | Piper Kissick |
| English 30 – 2 | Keenan Stafford |
| Social 30 - 1 | Liam Froehlich |
| Social 30 - 2 | Delaney Saunders |
| Math 30-1 | Liam Froehlich |
| Math 30 - 2 | Delaney Saunders |
| BIT Cluster | Shelby Hames |
| Grade 12 3 Sciences | Liam Froehlich |
| Highest Advanced Diploma in Gr 12 | Liam Froehlich |
| Marwayne Chamber of Commerce | Rae-Anne Strunk |
| Business Award | |
| ATA Scholarship | Liam Froehlich |
| Govenor General's Award | Liam Froehlich |

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HONOUR PINS

| Grade 7 |
|-----------------|
| Archer Belsheim |
| Colton Brind |
| Zoey Bussey |
| Janae Clayton |
| Kylie Cowan |
| Charlee Edge |
| Vashti Jewitt |
| Miesha Kuziw |
| Vanessa Miskie |
| Kailee Murray |
| Kaine Stafford |
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Grade 8
Natalie Canning
Aiden Fox
Abbie Franklin
Rayna Franklin
Jayden Hamernyk
Kenlee Hines
Hailee Holmen
Cydney Midgley
Dannon Pavka
Jenessa Saskiw
Donald Straightnose
Brandy Wiles
Ava Willard Ford

Andrew Beres
Taryn Faltermeier
Quaid Fitzpatrick
Connon Franklin
Cael Hamilton
Savanna Hansen
Daryn Hines
Veum Jewitt
Ryan Nelson
Nicole Nilsson
Ashton Saunders
Brennan Saunders
Tiana Stafford

Grade 9

Grade 10

Jackson Boyd
Evan Cooke
Keyanna Desilets
Emma Fox
Molly Foehlich
Shelby Hames
Kyla Person
Kayla Quist
Mackenzie Stafford

Grade 11

Ewan Franklin Austin Hines Maxim Quist Noah Saskiw Colton Saunders

Grade 12

Kennedy Applegate Liam Froehlich Jillian Greig Piper Kissick Anya Kuziw Philip Nilsson



Marwayne Fire & Rescue Christmas Draw

\$2.00 per ticket

Prizes:

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Hand Stitched Queen Size Quilt Donated by Pat Miskie



\$200 Home Hardware Gift Card Donated by Riverhill Ent. Ltd.



Galileo Thermometer
Donated by Milton Reid



Carbon Monoxide Detector

Donated by Tannas Bros. Hardware



Wine Gift Basket Donated by Doull Site Assessments Ltd.



Christmas Decoration
Donated by Marwayne Liquor Store



Christmas Decoration

Donated by Country Blessings



Men's Jacket

Donated by NuWave Industries Inc.



Knitted Toques
Donated by Roy Murray



\$50 Gift Certificate to No Need to Nock Donated by No Need to Nock



Gift Certificate to Marwayne Historic Hotel Steak Night for 4 people (\$100 value)

Donated by Marwayne Historic Hotel



Hair Cut and Style Donated by Beauty Basics by Jennie

Draw Date: December 18, 2019

Tickets available at Tannas Bros. Hardware, Hendricks Microtech Services, and the Marwayne Liquor Store, or from any Fire Dept. Member.

The true measure of God's love is that He loves without measure.

To find out more about God's immeasurable love for you, please join us for Sunday worship services at 9:30 am, with Pastor Marcus Blaedow, at St. Andrew's Church, Marwayne. We provide Sunday School for children of ages 5-12, during regular service times. After each service, we enjoy a time of fellowship with a light lunch and coffee. On the last Sunday of every month, we have a hot "potluck" lunch. All are welcome!

For further information or if we can help you in any way, please contact:

Pastor Marcus Blaedow: 780-846-2269

Brad: 780-787-0022

Sheryl: sheryl.george@btps.ca



The Pastors' Gleanings

Jesus came to pay a debt he didn't owe because we owed a debt we couldn't pay.

(Something to think about during the Christmas season)

Pastor Kevin – 780-872-0070 kwnels59@gmail.com Pastor Ed – 780-808-5026 efpcvr@gmail.com

Bethel Lutheran Church of Lea Park Services: Sundays at 10:30 am







Thanks to Marwayne's dedicated volunteers, West View Park now has a beautiful upgraded play structure! Over the last 2 years, our community members have donated tools, equipment and trailers, trade skills, meals for crews and many hours of labour.

- Brandy Malo
- Jenelle Saskiw
- Cheryle Eikeland
- Mitch Parker
- Albert Parker
- Bill Peck
- Delbert Parker
- Randy Eidsvik
- Justin Rainey
- Ed Irvine
- Travis Stafford
- Stu & Tracy Pavka
- NuWave Industries
- Sparkie Industries
- J-Gaard Contracting

- Jeff Debnam
- Kirk and Akaisha Kozak
- Tammy Pigden
- Cole Boutillier
- Lucas Leipert
- Stacy Culford
- Ron Miskie
- Rhonda Berg
- Lois Peck
- Sharon Pavka
- Arlene Parker
- Lawrence Marchand
- Village of Marwayne Staff and Crew
- County of Vermilion River

A special thank you to the Peck and Berg families for your incredible effort on this project and for the last 35 years of dedication to developing and maintaining West View Park. Also to Don Pavka who worked hard on this project from Day 1 until completion. We are forever grateful for your commitment and support.

Delaina Parker & Keri Debnam





HOLIDAY STATEGIES FOR THE BEREAVED

We acknowledge that this is the season of joy and when focus is on family and the gift.

Not all are experiencing a sense of joy and looking forward to the special day. For those who grieve a life loss and the death of someone loved (in their family circle) it will be a day of sadness and emptiness. The season will happen and the day will come no matter how you grieve.

Some STRATEGIES that Margaret Robinson has put together to share and help move through the holidays with comfort and less anxiety are listed:

Acknowledge the holiday season will be different and difficult. Plan – don't drift (the worse forebodings are never the reality.

- * Accept your limitations.
- * Give yourself permission to make changes and eliminate activities that may be too painful/stressful for this Christmas. Create new traditions- a picture on the tree, a special angel, remembrance candle-something that is meaningful to you.
- * Make Christmas a season (Dec. 1st to Jan. 7th).
- * Do only one thing at a time. (don't try multitasking)
- * Choose activities that bring peace and joy, not pain and chaos.
- * Don't overspend to compensate, whether you are spending time, money or energy.
- * Plan your shopping ahead. Make a list, go on a good day, shop online or catalogue or ask a friend to accompany you.
- * The tree symbolizes the permanency of love and continuation of life. Getting the tree up is half the battle. Do it early,
- * perhaps invite friends to help, choose a different place and involve children.
- * Take time to discuss with family what everyone wishes for, and compromise, if necessary to meet most of everyone's
- * needs.
- * Be honest with your feelings with everyone else, and especially yourself.
- * Keep children informed, always, and tell them the truth and cry together.
- * Accept the grieving process. Be non-judgmental of family members or friends whose grief may be expressed different
- * that your.
- * Plan to be with people whose company you enjoy.
- * When at social outings give yourself permission to do what you need to do; leave early, bow out.
- * Remember self care; eat nutritionally, exercise, buy a "me" gift and attend a social event, if you can.
- * Laugh if you can (watch a funny movie)
- * Change family traditions around (gift giving, opening, location of family dinner) Maybe just for this year.
- * Reminisce with albums or pictures and celebrate the relationships.
- * At the meal light a memory candle and mention their name, say a prayer and share a memory.
- * Visit the grave site with family and place a decoration, pray or be silent in memory.
- * Give a gift in your loved one's name, a donation to food bank of flowers to a care centre. Give a gift of time to someone
- * alone this year, too.
- * Let people know your needs. Be gracious in accepting the out stretched hand.
- Don't "should " on yourself.
- * Remember nothing is set in stone, you can change anything next year.
- * With these thoughts and support you will COPE.

Submitted by: Walking Through Grief Society, Shirley L Scott 780-846-2576

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CHUCK'S CORNUCOPIA MARKET

26 CENTRE STREET/ STORE 780 847 3101 OPEN MON-FRI 6AM-6PM

OPEN CHRISTMAS DAY AND BOXING DAY

50% OFF TOUQUES AND GLOVES

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CHICKEN PIECES (9 PIECE CUT) \$11.99 ROASTING CHICKEN \$13.99 SMOKED CHICKEN \$17.49 HONEY GARLIC STICKS 4 PER PKG \$5.00 PEPPERONI 4 PER PKG \$5.00 BEEF STICKS 4/PKG \$5.00 SMOKIES 6 PER PKG \$5.00 PORK SAUSAGE 8 PER PKG \$5.00 SALAMI \$5.00 BOLOGNA \$5.00 TURKEY HAM \$5.00 HOMEMADE SPAM \$5.00 BEEF JERKY \$5.00 T-BONE STEAK \$14.00 LB. CHICKEN STEAKS \$13.99 PKG PORK CHOPS \$10.00 PER PKG ROAST BEEF \$6.00 PER LB. GROUND BEEF \$4.00 PER LB. 2LB-\$7.99 5-LB \$19.99 BEEF BURGERS PKG 8 \$10.00 CHICKEN BURGERS PKG 8 \$12.00 BREAKFAST SAUSAGE PATTIES PKG 13 \$10

SMOKED PORK CHOPS \$10.00

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"ALL NEW INVENTORY"

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HIGH END COFFEE/FRUIT
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LAYS CHIPS

CHRISTMAS GIFTS GALORE

REBOUND BALLS
JIG SAW PUZZLES-BABY TO ADULT
PAINT BY NUMBER
DIAMOND ART
MINDTRAP BRAIN CARD GAMES
I Q BUSTER PUZZLES
ADULT GAMES
CHILDRENS GAMES
SKETCHING MADE EASY SETS
ENGRAVING ART SETS
DRAWING SETS
STOCKING STUFFERS
EXTREME MAZES & DOT TO DOT
PROFESSOR NOGGINS CARD GAMES

CREATIVE CROCHET CORNER BY THE HAPPY HOOKER

TODDLER -ADULT SIZES
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BALLERINA BLANKET SLIPPERS
HIGH TOP BLANKET SLIPPERS