# Voices of the Village OCTOBER 2022 NEWSLETTER



What matters to you in the Village of Marwayne? Is it our recreational spaces, the need for more activities for young people, the improvement of services for the aging population, the maintenance of our road network or ensuring that local businesses can thrive? If you answered yes to any of these questions, becoming a Councillor for the Village of Marwayne may be the right fit for you.

Councillors are elected to represent the residents of their local community. As a Councillor, you are tasked with making important decisions related to budgeting, infrastructure, economic development and much more. Being a Councillor is both a rewarding and privileged form of public service as you are in a position to make a difference to the quality of people's daily lives and ensure the prosperity of the place you call home. To be eligible to run for Council, you must reside within the municipal boundary of the Village of Marwayne and not have any outstanding monies owing to the municipality.

As a Councillor for the Village of Marwayne, you must: Consider the welfare and interests of the municipality as a whole and bring to Council's attention anything that would promote the welfare or interests of the municipality; Promote an integrated and strategic approach to intermunicipal land use planning and service delivery with neighboring municipalities; Participate generally in developing and evaluating the policies and programs of the municipality; Participate in Council meetings and Council committee meetings and meetings of other bodies to which they are appointed by the Council; Obtain information about the operation or administration of the municipality from the CAO or person designated by the CAO; Keep in confidence matters discussed in private at a Council or Council committee meeting until discussed at a meeting held in public; Adhere to the code of conduct established by the Council; and Perform any other duty or function imposed on Councillors under the MGA, any other enactment or by the Council.

The required forms to run for the office of Councillor for the Village of Marwayne are readily available by visiting our website at <a href="https://www.marwayne.ca">www.marwayne.ca</a>, or in person at the Village administration office. All relevant paperwork must be submitted to the Village administration office in person by November 14th, 2022 at 12:00pm (noon). The next municipal by-election will be held on December 12th, 2022.

Important Dates			
MEETINGS & DEADLINES		SERVICES	_
Council Village Office Closed Thanksgiving EVENTS	Oct 17 Oct10	Blue Bag Recycling	Oct 6 & 20
Tulliby Lake 4-H Reg	Oct 5	Book Club	Oct 19
Community Gym Night	Oct 11 & 25	Fall Supper	Oct 23
Pumpkin Carving	Oct 23	Steak Night	Oct 21
Flu Shot	Oct 25	<b>Mommy Connection Group</b>	Oct 14 & 28
Halloween Party @ Hotel	Oct 29	<b>By-Election Nomination Day</b>	Nov 14

Address: Box 113, 210 2nd Ave S, Marwayne AB, T0B 2X0 Phone: 780-847-3962 Email: admin@marwayne.ca Website: www.marwayne.ca

## **Operating Hours & Contacts**

Office Hours: Monday through Friday

> 8:00am—12:00pm & 1:00pm-4:30pm \*closed for lunch between 12:00pm—1:00pm\*

After Hours Water/Sewer Emergencies: Wilson Curtis 780-205-2993

> Carry Grant 780-214-7933

Health and Safety Emergencies: Kitscoty RCMP 780-846-2870

> RCMP, EMS, FIRE 911

For all non-emergency inquiries, or to file a complaint, please contact the Kitscoty RCMP at 780-846-2897

Summer Transfer Station Hours: Wednesday 2:00pm—7:00pm

10:00am—2:00pm Saturday

Wednesday Fall Transfer Station Hours Begin Nov 2: 2:00pm-5:00pm

10:00am—2:00pm Saturday

Residential garbage pickup: Thursdays 7:00am

During inclement weather, please call the Vermilion River Regional Waste Management Services Commission at 780-853-5561 to get updates as to whether or not transfer stations are open.

Council Contacts: Cheryle Eikeland 780-242-3256 cheryle.eikeland@gmail.com

Chris Neureuter

ctneureuter@gmail.com Ashley Rainey 780-214-1410 a irvine@hotmail.com



#### KITSCOTY Influenza Clinics 2022

#### BY APPOINTMENT ONLY - CALL 811 or go to AHS.CA

Kitscoty Public Health Office (4922 – 49 Avenue)

October 19, 2022 3pm - 6pm WEDNESDAY October 26, 2022 3pm - 6pm WEDNESDAY November 2, 2022 1pm - 3pm WEDNESDAY November 10, 2022 1pm - 3pm THURSDAY November 28, 2022 1pm – 3pm MONDAY December 14, 2022 1pm - 3pm WEDNESDAY

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

#### COUNCIL HIGHLIGHT

- Council accepted the resignation of Councillor Morgan Wood on August 15th, 2022. As such,
  the Village of Marwayne has a vacancy for an elected official to serve on Council for the
  remaining three (3) year term. Council and administration would like to sincerely thank Morgan
  Wood for his time spent serving his community and wish him all the best in his future endeavors.
- Council approved a variety of policies including the Drug and Alcohol Policy \$A28, Roadway Signage Inspection Policy PW05, Sale of Soil, Sand and Gravel Policy PW02, Sidewalk, Trail and Curb/Gutter Inspection Policy PW04 and the Traffic Control Device Placement Policy PW06.
- The County of Vermilion River approved Council's request for funding towards the Marwayne Fire Hall Addition. County Council has graciously agreed to provide the Village of Marwayne with a \$50,000 contribution toward the project costs in January of 2023. The County also approved the purchase of a new tanker for the Marwayne Fire Department at a cost of \$462,000. A big thank you goes out to the County of Vermilion River for their willingness to work together to maintain and improve our shared protective services facilities and equipment!

## **GET YOUR FLU SHOT**

We are going to offer Flu shots on October 25th (Tuesday) from 10AM—3PM @ 210 2nd Ave North Marwayne.

(Please bring your Alberta Health Care card and Govt approved photo I.D)

ADVISORY NOTE: Pharmacist can administer flu-shot to adults and children **9 years** and above according to standards set by Canadian Immunization Society and Alberta College of pharmacist. Administrating flu shot will be pharmacist's discretion only. The decision will be made solely considering standards set by Alberta health and putting patient's safety first. Contact us if you have any questions at 780-853-5672

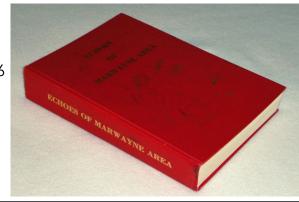
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5009 50<sup>TH</sup> AVE Vermilion, AB. T9X 1A7. Phone: 780-853-5672 Fax: 780-853-5780



#### Marwayne History Books

The newest edition of the Marwayne History Book is now available. The cost is only \$50.00.Please contact Cheryle Eikeland by phone at 780-242-3256 or by email at cheryle.eikeland@gmail.com for more information. Take advantage of this great opportunity to receive a piece of Marwayne's history today!



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#### Volunteers Needed for Marwayne's 100th Birthday Celebration!

The Village of Marwayne will be turning 100 in the year 2026!

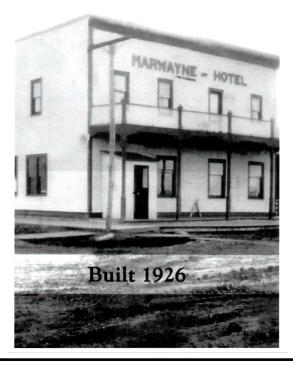
We are looking for ideas, volunteers, vendors, etc. to partner with us to make the 100th birthday celebration a big success!

We encourage anyone interested in joining the planning committee to contact the Village office today or Cheryle Eikeland directly at 780-242-3256.



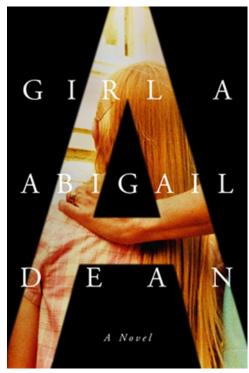
#### DID YOU KNOW...

... Perhaps its long-term, ghostly residents have had a hand in protecting the building from destruction. Did you know that we had a Paranormal Expert visit the Hotel this year to see if there are actually Ghosts? We have been told that there is a Maid in the upstairs portion of the hotel, but she should be fired because she does not clean very well. There has also been mention of a Ghost that is in the Bar and sometime a patron will feel a hand touch their shoulder late at night and the Paranormal Experts feel that there is a Ghost walking up the stairs and down the hallways late at night. Any type of protection of our nearly 100-year-old building is greatly appreciated.





### Marwayne Public Library



BOOK CLUB every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday from 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Our next book is Girl A by Abigail Dean.

"Lex Gracie grew up in her parents' House of Horrors. She was the girl who escaped. Now, she and her siblings have inherited the House of Horrors. Together, they wish to turn it into a force for good. What begins as a tale of escape and survival becomes a gripping psychological family story about shifting alliances and betrayals of sibling relationships ---- about the secrets our siblings keep."

Copies for borrow are at the library. Our

meeting to discuss this riveting book is on Wednesday, October  $19^{th}$  at 6:00 pm. Please join us.

The library will be hosting a Mommy Connection Group for moms and tots every second and last Friday of the month from 9:30 am to 10:30 am starting on October 14<sup>th</sup>. This will be a great opportunity for moms and tots to visit, connect, and share. Lis will be reading to the little ones and there will be time for playtime. Tea and cookies will be provided. For more information contact Lis Franklin at 780-870-5787. If you want to meet new people, this is for you.





# Kitscoty 4-H Multi Club

will be hosting an

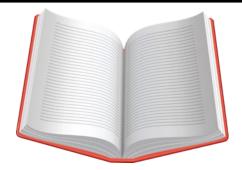
Organizational Parent Meeting September 28 at 7pm upstairs at the Curling Rink

Previous projects members (children age 9+) have shown interest in include Leadership, Foods & Crafts, Sheep & Horse, Canine, and Small Engines

4-H Cleavers is open to children age 6-8 years and is a great introduction into 4-H through fun hands on learning

For more information or to register contact Kelsey 306.821.1506 or Nicole 780.808.1570





MARWAYNE HISTORIC SOCIETY: For all that expressed interest in purchasing the Volume 1 Echoes of Marwayne, please note that we have contacted the printer that put together the original version and have recently found out that they no longer have a computerized copy of the book and would have to take the book apart and copy it. We decided get an estimate of what it may cost. The printer called back and stated that it would cost over \$150.00 each to print 100 books. Through discussions within our group, we have decided to try to find an alternative option, that hopefully, would not cost as much. We will keep you up to date on what we are able to find.

# Marwayne Historic Hotel October 21, 2022



5:00PM - 8:00PM

# We Offer Dine In or Take Out Service

Come one, Come all for a great meal of Steak and all the fixings.

Call the Hotel at 780-847-4029 if you have any questions.

#### A SUPPORTIVE CIRCLE

Submitted by: Walking Through Grief Society

Many hearts are broken and often the grieving is done in silence. The families that have dreams and hopes dashed by the loss through pregnancy or as an infant often are overlooked in their grief. Often the community does not know or are uncomfortable in supporting them and there are the myths that one only grieves the loss of child that a relationship has been developed with.

A day has been set aside in Canada and the U.S. to remember those families and the little one who has left their family. October 9<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> is Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Week.

October the 15<sup>th</sup> is the day set aside to honor the families and their special baby.

It is encouraged that each person remembers these families by lighting a candle at 7 p.m. on the 15<sup>th</sup> as others do all across Canada.

Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day is a day to break the silence around the loss as thousands of families across Canada are mourning the loss of their babies (present loss and losses remembered from the past). This loss is experienced as a result of miscarriage, stillbirth, and death within a year. The experience of pregnancy and infant loss is different for each individual and family but will share some of the same effects, such as depression (sometimes post-partum depression), anxiety, shock, numbness, anger, sadness, fear, guilt, blame, changes in relationship, developing unhealthy coping mechanisms, and sometimes post-traumatic stress disorder and more. These are valid and normal reactions to grief. This loss also affects grandparents and siblings. Let's not forget their grief, too.

Remember self care on this journey. Acknowledge your loss was great and life changing and you have the right to grieve and Mourn .Seek out a trusted friend, counsellor, clergy, support group or one to one support.

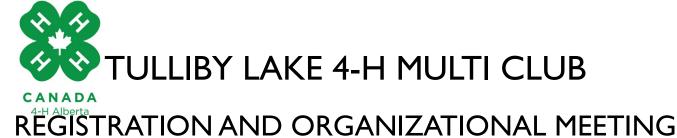
Some resources for support are: Alberta Mental Health, your local Mental Health counsellors, Walking Through Grief Society, The compassionate Friend and other web sites for infant loss. (a parent poem)

#### **FOREVER IN MY HEART**

You are forever in my heart,/ the day will come I know/ when all the rain has fallen/and the sun begins to show./I'll think of you in all I do/Your warmth will touch my face/you'll twinkle in the starlight/and be held in each embrace./So please do not be saddened /if a tear for you I shed /but we had dreams and wishes/ which I'll safely keep instead./Although it hurts I understand/ our time together has not passed/you'll always be with me./ In every day and every way /You'll always be a part/My precious little angel/you're forever in my heart.



The Village of Marwayne would like to wish everyone and their families a safe and Happy Halloween. The Village recommends that trick or treating take place between the hours of 4pm and 7pm so that residents can anticipate the arrival of the little ones. Happy Trick or Treating Everyone!



WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 5, 2022 @ 7PM

Cleaver members ages 6-8

Members 9-21

JOIN US FOR A FUN YEAR OF LEARNING!
CONTACT LAUREENA KIPPS 780-214-2335

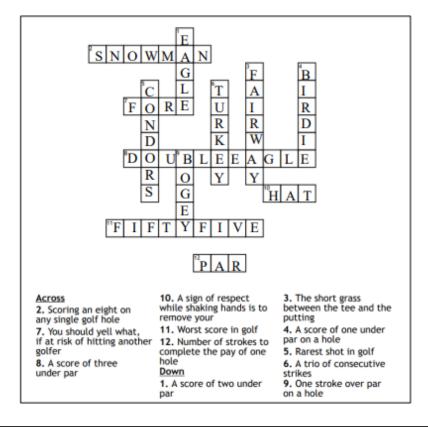
### PROPERTY ASSESSMENT INSPECTIONS

Please be advised that Joel with Wainwright Assessment Group will be conducting property assessment inspections in September and October throughout the Village. He is driving a grey F-150. Inspections will be taking place randomly over the weeks with Wainwright Assessment Group going to door. If you are not home, they will be leaving a door hanger.

If you have any questions or concerns, Joel can be reached directly at (780) 808 3001 or you may contact Larry James at the Wainwright Assessment Group at (780) 842-5002.

## LEA PARK GOLF CLUB

Thank you to all who entered our crossword challenge! Congratulations to our winner, **Hilary Younger** for winning a **FREE 2023 Golf Membership!** 



#### MJS Snapshot

Submitted by Jen Quist

Having students in our building since August 30th, MJS has been a busy place. With the intention of fostering positive relationships between students and staff as well as amongst the varying age divisions within our students, we kicked off the first week with some fun activities like a school wide game of "Would You Rather" and an afternoon of summer fun, during which students were grouped into K-12 teams and rotated through stations created by the staff. The weather was perfect and the comradery helped us ease back into the swing of school life. Our family muffin morning was very well attended as well.

Cross country, volleyball and golf are all in full swing. Our SRC has been established and are excited to start planning for the year ahead. The Jr. Girls are hosting a home tournament on Sept. 28(after school) and our Sr. Boys and Girls teams will host on October 27-29, so come in and cheer on our Wildcats.

Community Gym Nights will resume in October on the 11th and 25th from 6:30-8:00. This is open to all community members. Children 12 and under need to be accompanied by an adult. Volleyball nets will be set up for the October dates and a ball will be provided. Please change into clean running shoes upon arrival, entering through the front doors.

We look forward to a positive year ahead for all of our students and staff.



Marwayne Ag Society



# FALL SUPPER

## **SUNDAY October 23**

5:00PM—7:00PM

MARWAYNE COMMUNITY HALL

DINE-IN—BAR OPEN—COME JOIN US

\$15.00 per person / 5 and under FREE

Cash & Debit Available





Marwayne Ag Society

# **PUMPKIN CARVING**

## **SATURDAY October 22**

MARWAYNE COMMUNITY HALL

Bring your Own Pumpkin & Carving Tools

Snacks, Hot Chocolate & Coffee Provided

All Ages Welcome!

MARWAYNE FIRE & RESCUE WILL BE ON SITE FOR VIEWING AND MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION!

#### Marwayne Ag Society—October Update

Things continue to be busy here with the Marwayne Ag Society!

Most groups have completed their registrations and are starting to get into the full swing of things. Dance classes have begun and the ice plant has been fired up for the arena and figure skating.

The Ag Society looks forward to hosting our annual FALL SUPPER on October 23<sup>rd</sup> at the beautiful Community Hall. Turkey, stuffing, potatoes and all the works! Please watch for the signup sheet for volunteers on Facebook.

Curling registration is coming up on November 8, 2022. The curling rink also has a new website <a href="www.marwaynecurling.ca">www.marwaynecurling.ca</a>. As well this group has their most up to date information on their Facebook page.

November 25-27 will see a very busy weekend here in town as the arena hosts their U7 hockey tournament and the curling rink hosts their annual Farmers Bonspiel! A perfect time to grab a rink burger at the arena and a drink in the curling rink.

If you are new to our community or perhaps been here a while and want to get involved and meet people; the Ag Society is the place to contact.. Our community offers a wide variety of activities, events and opportunities. Please don't hesitate to reach out to us to get involved. We are always game to hear new ideas too!

The Ag Society is proud to have strong relationships with our village, municipality, legion, school, local businesses and community groups.

Contact: Yolanda Oberhofer 639-536-4584

#### **CURLOGRAM—Marwayne Curling Club**

Our club is truly a grass roots club and we welcome ALL levels of curling and we have leagues for a variety of ages.

The Curling Club is a perfect evening out with some physical activity and great socialization!

Registration is open to individuals, partial teams and full teams.



#### **AGM & REGISTRATION NIGHT**

Tuesday November 8, 2022

7PM - 9PM

Join us at the rink to register for curling. Lounge will be open! All who attend will be entered into a draw to win their entry fee back J

#### **LEAGUE INFO**

Monday Night – Sturling League, \$50/person

TBA – Junior League \$50/person

# First Bonspiel!

Farmers November 25 & 26, 2022

We'll see you at the rink!

www.marwaynecurling.ca

Follow us on Facebook!

Contact: James Oberhofer 639-536-1031





# MJS Sr. Boys and Girls Home Volleyball Tournament

Oct 27th, 28th and 29th

# Come out and cheer on our WILDCATS!



Do you dine at Boston Pizza in Lloydminster?

When paying for your meal say it is for Marwayne Jubilee School then Boston Pizza donates 5% of the purchases (before tax and excluding alcohol) back to our school.

SUPPORT MJS!

# RANCH **SUPPLY**

Free Standing Panels w/wo Gates

Fence Line Feeders

Belting Grain **Troughs** 

Lightweight Handy

**Panels** 

Chute Panels

Windbreak Panels

Silage Bunks

**Decorative** 

**Driveway Gates** 

Scaffolding to rent

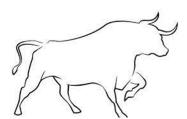
or sell

Panels also available

to rent

Stop By!

All stock on site is priced







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