

Council News

Thinking about running for Council?

If anyone is considering running for Town Council this fall, we have an informational "Candidate's Guide" available at the Town Office.

Thank you

Gus Wetter High School Shop Class for building the garbage containers along the paths in Pals Park.



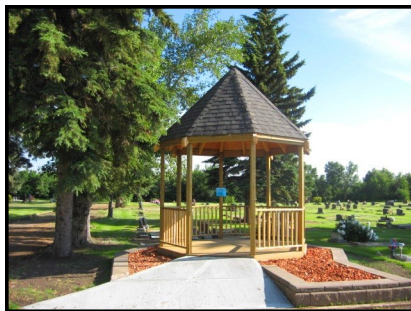
Fabulous Job!

PUBLIC SAFETY NOTICE

It has been reported that broken glass was found in the water at the boat launch. Please be sure to protect yourself if you enter the water.

THANK YOU

Thank you to the Fawcett family for their very generous donation to the Castor Municipal Cemetery. Their donation and a contribution from the IODE made it possible to build a beautiful gazebo with a map soon to come!



Recreation News

Final Hockey Registration is being held August 21 & 22 from 8:30 – 4:30 at the Town of Castor office. Any registrations received after these dates are subject to a \$50 late fee per child. Registrations are not complete until funds have been paid, and there are no exceptions, so please make your arrangements to register! All forms are available at any time at the office.



The pool is very busy this year! With all our new updates, everyone is taking advantage! The weather is cooperating too! Our Jr. Lifeguarding Club is in full swing, and there are a lot of Jr. Lifeguards!! Good luck to them in their training! Check out the Town of Castor website or Facebook for upcoming events and up-to-date news! Summer Rec office hours are Tues, Wed & Thurs 8:30 – 4:30.

CASTOR FAIR

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25th Anniversary
Aug 8 - 10, 2013
Castor Community Hall

Thursday, Aug. 8 - FAIR ENTRIES 6:30 - 9:00 pm
Friday, Aug. 9 - BEEF SUPPER 5 - 7:00 pm
(by Michelle Breum)
- FAIR ENTRIES 9 - 11:00 am
- EXHIBITS OPEN 5 - 8:00 pm
- FAMILY STREET DANCE
Saturday, Aug. 10 - FREE PANCAKE BREAKFAST 8:30 - 10:00 am
(Sponsored by Castor & Dist. Ag. Society)
- EXHIBITS OPEN 10:00 - 4:00 pm
- FREE CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES 10:00 - 2:00
- CONCESSION (by Keenan's Rest) 11:00 - 4:00

DOOR PRIZES!
EXTRA 25TH ANNIVERSARY PRIZES!

AIR CADET LEAGUE
"Dream Flyer" Flight Simulator
Come & take a flight!
All ages! Saturday

PRWML

Paintearth Regional Waste Management Ltd.
#1 Crowfoot Crossing, Hwy 12 and Twp. Rd. 374
P.O. Box 509
Castor, Alberta
TOC 0X0
Phone: 403 - 882 - 3211
Fax: 403 - 882 - 3560
Email: prwm@countypaintearth.ca

Household Hazardous Waste Roundup

The Household Hazardous Waste Roundup held on May 25th, 2013 was once again a huge success. Over 2,000 litres of paint, 205 litres of aerosol paints, 200 litres of various chemicals, 410 kgs of various corrosives and another 500 litres of miscellaneous compounds were collected. We wish to thank the Coronation, Castor and Halkirk Fire Departments for the use of their facilities and the volunteer manpower who assisted that day. Next year the Roundup will be held on May 24th, 2014 and the host community will be the Village of Halkirk. Thanks to everyone for their support of this worthwhile program.

Tire and Electronic Recycling

We wish to thank the 4H Clubs who participated in the tire and electronic roundups within the County of Paintearth. We congratulate them for their hard work and effort in once again collecting the materials for recycling.

Transfer Stations

All three of the Transfer Stations have been busy during the months of May and June. We thank residents for their patience with the sites due to the wet weather and also for helping to keep the sites fairly clean by making sure that waste materials they are disposing does not blow around and also for placing materials in the proper receptacles and areas.

PCALC

Paintearth Community Adult Learning Council



The Paintearth Adult Learning Offices have closed for the summer. We will be checking voicemail messages regularly. Both our Castor and Coronation offices will re-open August 26, eager to take your registrations for the Fall / Winter classes.

Babies Wanted! Make sure all babies that were born in the past year register for the Baby Show that is taking place during the Coronation Fair August 21. Paintearth Adult Learning is excited to be partnering with L & C Bookkeeping to host the **Baby Show**. Magic Carpet Ride Facilitator Miss Sandy will host the Baby Show. Register your baby by leaving a message at 403-578-3817.

Do you enjoy helping people out? Paintearth Adult Learning has an active **Tutor / Learner program**. Why not help out one of our learners by becoming a Volunteer Tutor. Paintearth Adult Learning offers training and support for all of the Tutors in our program. Help make the difference in a learner's life this fall. Call Tricia with any questions that you have. Keep your eye out for the Fall / Winter brochure. It will be available in print and electronic copy mid-August. Have a great summer!

Yours in learning,
Cindy Heidecker
Program Coordinator
Paintearth Community Adult Learning
Tel: 403-578-3817

www.paintearthlearning.ca

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Community Events

July 13 - Thunderstruck - AC/DC Tribute Band
 Castor Beaverdome Door Open at 7:00
 Tickets \$25 at the Door \$30

July 20 - Ladies Scramble
 Castor Golf Club
 Contact (403) 882-2112 for details.

July 26 & 27 - Castor Rodeo
 For more information go to
 www.castorrodeo.com

Upcoming Council Meetings

July 22	Aug. 26
Aug. 12	Sept. 9

August 1 - Castor Farmer's Market
 Castor Community Hall
 Contact Trish at (403) 882-3290

August 9 & 10 - Castor Fair
 Castor Community Hall
 Contact Fran Cox at (403) 882-3981

August 9 - Family Street Dance
 Main Street Castor
 7:00 pm - 10:00 pm

August 19-23 - 5 Day Club
 Castor Evangelical Missionary Church
 Ages 5 - 13 welcome 1:30 - 3:30

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FCSS News

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**Castor FCSS is looking for more HandiVan drivers for local and medical appointments. This is a paid position.

Requirements are: [Criminal record check](#), [drivers abstract & class 4 license](#)

The more vibrant and welcoming the community the more volunteers with passion are contributing to the well-being of the community. Be a part of the solution and have fun too.

We are also looking for volunteers to drive for the Meals on Wheels program.

The commitment would be for one or two lunch times a month, delivering meals to people.

Call or stop in at Castor & District FCSS
 403-882-2115

Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart. ~Elizabeth Andrew

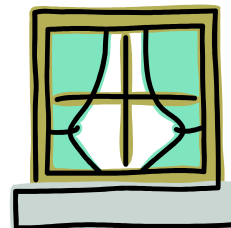
FCSS CALLING ALL YOUTH

Youth ages 9-18 yrs are invited to meet at the FCSS office in the town office, Wednesday afternoons 1-3pm. We are looking at what being a volunteer means, how to be a volunteer and where volunteers are used. We have some community organizations that will let us visit and volunteer. It really will be a great time, bring your friends. This starts July 10th 1-3pm at the town office :)

The calendar says Summer is here....**Teens** we are meeting at 7pm on Tuesdays starting July 9. Meeting place is the Lighthouse Church.

Roberts July Gas Tip!

Double glazed glass can seem expensive to pay out for initially but once fitted, can mean great savings on your heating bills. A large amount of heat is lost through your windows and doors and opting for double glazed windows can help keep the heat indoors.



Our Lady of the Rosary Hospital ON CALL SCHEDULE

July 13 & 14	Castor
July 20 & 21	Coronation
July 27 & 28	Castor
August 3 & 4 & 5	Coronation
August 10 & 11	Castor
August 17 & 18	Coronation
August 24 & 25	Castor
August 30 & Sept 1	Coronation

REMINDER

Now that summer is here, the grass and weeds are growing, so the Town would like to remind everyone of Town Bylaw #993 that regulates untidy and unsightly premises. Owners are responsible to eradicate or control any weeds and to keep grass mowed on their property and any adjoining boulevards. Owners are also responsible to remove any dead grass, brush, or rubbish which may be untidy or unsightly.



If an owner is in contravention of the Bylaw, the Town may cause any work necessary to remedy the condition to be done, and may charge the cost of the work to the owner, plus a fine of \$300.00 for a first offense.

Volunteers Needed

The Town of Castor is looking for volunteers to help with the weekend watering of the flower pots. The season runs from June 1 to September 30. We are looking for volunteers to help us out by committing to 1 or 2 weekends this Summer.



Phone: 403-882-3215
 Fax: 403-882-2700

Utility Emergencies: 403-882-3099
 e-mail: sandi@townofcastor.ca
 4901—50 Ave.
 Box 479
 Castor, AB. T0C 0X0



July 2013



**Have you paid your property taxes yet?
 Just a friendly reminder property taxes are due
JULY 31, 2013**

Town of Castor Hours

Office Hours:

Monday—Friday 8:30am—4:30pm

Public Works Department:

Monday—Friday 7:00am—4:00pm

Landfill Hours:

Wed. 1:00pm — 7:00pm Sat. 9:00am - 4:00pm