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*Come Play in Our Backyard!!!!!!*

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Open: Monday to Friday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Closed: 12-1pm and Weekends and Holidays  
July/August, 2014*

#### **TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS**

In Town Council Chambers @6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday, July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
Wednesday, August 13<sup>th</sup>, 2014

#### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

The Town Administration Office will be closed on:  
*Tuesday, July 1, 2014 Canada Day  
Monday, August 4, 2014 Civic Holiday  
Monday, September 1, 2014 Labor Day*

#### **WOOD CHIPS**

Wood chips are available from Communities in Bloom, a truck load is \$75 or a 20 gallon pail for \$10 (must bring own pail). These can be purchased at anytime during regular business hours at the town office but **can only be picked up on Fridays from 1-2pm** at the public works shop.

#### **NO CHANGE IN BLUE BAG PICK UP**

A letter that was delivered to the residents who were switched to front curb garbage pickup indicated that Blue Bag pick up was every second Tuesday, this was a printing error, **Blue bag remains every second Monday.**

#### **WELCOME SUMMER STUDENTS**

We would like to welcome our 2014 Parks summer staff; a big welcome goes out to Travis Torgerson and Rhys Radke.

#### **GRASS BAGS**

The Parks and Recreation department will continue to pick up grass bags on Monday mornings as long as they are **UNDER 40lbs** and are in a Clear bags.. **ANYTHING HEAVIER THAN 40lbs WILL NOT BE PICKED UP!!!!**

#### **MILLET HARVEST FAIR**

The weekend starts off with the annual resident appreciation BBQ at the splash park from 12-3pm on August 22, open house at the Lion's hall at 6pm then the " Fresh Air Cinema" in evening as well as a great Fireworks show after the Movie. August 23 the day starts off with a pancake breakfast from 7:30-10:30 at the Millet Legion, followed by a parade, this year's theme will be "Salute to the Lion's" The afternoon will have children's activities, outdoor stage, a petting zoo, bird house building and tractor obstacles. The trade fair and bench show will take place at the Millet Agriplex. 5290 -45 ave. Bench show drop off - Friday 3-7pm, viewing Saturday 12-4pm.

In the evening there will be a supper and entertainment by William James' Traveling Comedy Game Show - \$30 For more information contact : Tracy 780 352 5578or Irene Knull at 780 387 4442.

**FIREFLY ACOUSTIC MUSIC  
FESTIVAL**

The second annual Firefly Acoustic Music Festival will be held on July 26, 2014 from 2pm-1am, located at the main soccer fields along 52 street, enjoy musical performances, artistic performances, talent show, vendors, a beer gardens and fun for the whole family!. This year we are pleased to announce that Canadian Country Music Artist **SHANE YELLOWBIRD** will be headlining!!!The festival is dedicated to **Mike Gauthier**, who was a well known lover of all things musical, and left a heartwarming impression on all who had the pleasure of meeting him.

In his memory, let your lights shine, and enjoy your friends and family on this night of music. Any funds raised at the event will go to Thyroid Cancer Canada who will be on site!

**VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED FOR THIS EVENT!**

Best of all, the event is **FREE!**

This is your night to **SHINE!**

For more info or to volunteer check out [www.fireflyacousticfest.com](http://www.fireflyacousticfest.com)

**WATER RATIONING**

Residents are reminded that water rationing is in effect from May 1 to August 31 of each year. Watering lawns and gardens are restricted to even number addresses on even numbered days and odd number addresses on odd numbered days to manage the Town's water resources. Thank you.

**MILLET EVANGELICAL FREE  
CHURCH**

The Millet Evangelical Free church is hosting "The Expedition" on August 11-15, 2014 from 9:30am-11:30am for kindergarten to grade 6 students. Parent

welcome to attend! For more information, call Cheryl at 780-387-5276.

**MILLET MUSEUM**

-Welcomes summer staff Karlee Tomkow, Brynn Pydde, and Heather McMullen.

-Free Summer "Be a Surveyor" Kids program. Check out website for details [www.MilletMuseum.ca](http://www.MilletMuseum.ca)

-WE NEED likes on our Facebook page – daily photos & Millet events Millet Museum Archives Visitor Information

-Follow our daily tweets at MilletMuseum.

-HOURS: Monday – Saturday 8:30 am-4:30pm until Aug 23 Harvest Fair/Parade.

-JULY 1 Fireworks CANCELLED - Wednesday, September 3 Parade of Programs at the Wetaskiwin Drill Hall 6-8pm.

-Millet Tourism members needed.

**MILLET LIBRARY**

**Preschool Story times & Crafts:**

Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

**The Alberta Prairie C.O.W.(Classroom on Wheels) Project** will be at Millet Library on **Wednesday, August 13 at 10:30 a.m..** *The Project supports parents of children 0 -6 years old in their role as the first and most important teachers of their children. FREE Please call 780-387-5222 to register.*

**Make & Take Crafts:** Fridays and Saturdays: 1 – 4 p.m.

The Summer Reading Club "Eureka!" Starting Tuesday July 8. With **Sparkle Tattoos** from 10:30am to 1:00 pm Drop in anytime on Tuesdays for Crafts, games and fun. A movie will start at 1:30p.m. Everything will get cleaned up by 5.