

VILLAGE OF VILNA

Newsletter

November, 2022



COUNCIL NOTES

September and October seemed to zip right past us. Your Council has been in place for a year.

Your Council has met with representatives from NE MuniCorr which is the Municipally owned property that used to be the railway property. For more than 20 years it has provided recreation to those who enjoy snowmobiles and ATV's. It's closed to ATV's from January 1 to March 31, to keep the snow groomed for snowmobiles.

They also met with Aspen View School representatives, including our new Principal Joe Harrington and Board member Donna Cherniwchan. The discussion >>>> about how the Village can become more involved in the School and how the School can become more involved with the Village.

In September we held the Tax Recovery Auction where we weren't able to sell any of the properties. So we are going to offer properties that the Village has recovered through tax recover and donations using the **Sale by Closed Tender** system. Sale by Closed Tender is similar to a Silent Auction. These are the properties:

Roll # 21.00	5003 -50 St (building)	\$3,500.00
Roll # 43.00	5028 - 51 Ave (Vacant)	\$3,660.00
Roll #44.00	5024 - 51 Ave (Vacant)	\$3,600.00
Roll #119.00	5132 - 50 Ave (house)	\$4,265.00
Roll #220.00	5133 - 49 Ave (house)	\$8,215.00
Roll #161.00	5309 - 50 St (treed)	\$1,280.00
Roll #162.00	5313 - 50 St (treed)	\$1,280.00
Roll #163.00	5317 - 50 St (treed)	\$1,280.00

The bids must be presented in Sealed Envelopes and presented at the Village Office prior to 5:00 p.m. on November 9th, 2022. For more details call the Office at 780-636-3620.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Next Regular Council Meetings 5:30 p.m.

Wednesday

November 9th, 2022 and

Monday

December 12th, 2022

FALL CLEAN-UP WEEK - was very successful.
Special thanks to Robert Vinette and Vinette Salvage for providing the bins.

AROUND THE VILLAGE

- Now that winter has landed on us, I want to remind you that the Village will again be providing Driveway Clearing for Seniors and those in need.
Call the Office to put your name on the list.
- *Just a little reminder that property owners are responsible for cleaning the sidewalks in front of their property (and if you have a corner lot, you're responsible for the sidewalks on the side yard too.*
- Seemingly simple, everyday actions such as padding out the front door in slippers, stepping out of a car in a parking lot or going on an afternoon walk can suddenly become treacherous in Minnesota in the dead of winter, leading to falls and injury.
- *It seems that we're not through COVID yet. We're all learning to live with it and to be more careful when we're socializing. If you have a fever, cough and are feeling tired, and you've lost your sense of taste or smell, get tested.*
- You know those STOP signs that were put up last year? They work very well to keep pedestrians safe as well as other Drivers. Thank you everyone, for respecting the signs.
- *I understand that there will be Sunday Dinners at the Cultural Centre on the 1st Sunday of each month. 5:30 - 7:30. Adults \$25.00 & Children \$10.00 (special Buffet)*



Halloween is the beginning of the holiday shopping season. That's for women. The beginning of the holiday shopping season for men is Christmas Eve."



—David Letterman



Ag. Society Activities

. We are planning an **Indoor Garage Sale for Nov 5th and 6th**, tables are \$10 each/day and again contact Marion Vinette at the contact info below

The **Christmas Farmers Market on Nov 12th, 10 am to 4 pm.** Tables are \$20 each. We would really like to see some baking, veggies, pickles, jams etc at our market....*people are asking.*

You can contact Marion Vinette @ (780)636-2750, by email marionvinette@hotmail.com or find her on facebook



“The happiest people don’t have the best of everything, they just make the best of everything.”

KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY SAFE ...



“Be mindful of cyber crimes. The hackers could be using your information to hack various accounts that you may have.” The RCMP want

to alert parents and guardians about the dangers of revealing personal information through online and social media posts, particularly those with back-to-school photos or placards showing “fun facts” about students. “The personal information often included in these photos can be used by individuals to identify, find, and build a false sense of trust or security with a child,” the RCMP said in a release.

Please respect the speed limits in the school zones and stop for all school buses. Do not use any electronic devices while driving so that your full attention is on the road. Help us keep our towns and villages safe.

RCMP – 780-656-3550 days
780-656-3691 AFTER HOURS
EMERGENCIES – 911



NOVEMBER 11, 2022

Remembrance Day Service

Ashmont Legion Hall, 11:00 a.m. sharp

Potluck Lunch to follow



It's a little early, but we're wishing you a

***Very Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year
from Council and Staff***

The Office will be closed from December 22nd until January 2nd.

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