

Recreation

I don't know if anyone is more excited for spring than the Recreation Office! We are looking forward to getting ball players on the diamond and swimmers in the pool.

Ball fees are now due to the Town, please contact the office if you have any questions or concerns about your fees or the best way to pay.

Camp Beaver Tail will be back this summer filled with amazing programming for kids going into grade 1 and up. Watch Facebook for the weeks we will have camp and when registration will open.

Pool staff will be hard at work on May 2 to ready the pool and prepare it for opening towards the middle of the month. Lesson registration will open on May 2.

SPRING BALL HOCKEY is set to start May 6. Please contact the office to register prior to your player attending their first day.

A note for hockey families, Registration for the fall season will open on May 2.



PRWML

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#1 Crowfoot Crossing
Hwy. 12 and Twp. Rd. 374
P.O. Box 509 Castor, Alberta T0C 0X0
Phone: 403 – 882 – 3211 Fax: 403 – 882 – 3560
Email: prwm@countypaintearth.ca

SUMMER HOURS

Effective Wednesday **April 13th, 2022**
Castor, Coronation and Halkirk Transfer Stations
Summer Hours of Operations will be as follows:

Wednesdays 1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Saturdays 9:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

HOUSEHOLD ROUND-UP All Sites on MAY 14th, 2022

CASTOR Fire Hall (5617 56 street)
will be hosting this year at New Fire Hall
10:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

HALKIRK Fire Hall (302 Railway Avenue)
11:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.

CORONATION Fire Hall (4425 Victoria Avenue)
10:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M.

Sort out your Loads and Place in Designated
Locations
Remember to Tarp and Tie-Down Your Loads

FCSS

Upcoming Events at the Golden Circle Building:

- Crib 1:00 pm—4:00 pm
April 25, May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
\$5/person /day
- Floor Curling 1:00 pm—4:00 pm
April 19, May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31
\$5/person/day
- April 26, 1:30 pm—3:00 pm
Come celebrate Volunteer appreciation at the Golden Circle Building. Entertainment. All volunteers are welcome
- April 27, 3:00 pm—4:30 pm
Castor & District FCSS After school cooking and building afternoon for kids kindergarten age+ at the Castor Golden Circle building
- April 30, 6:00 pm
Potluck at the Legion. Everyone is welcome!!

The Castor Early Years Fair will take place at Gus Wetter School Gym on Tuesday, May 24; 9:30-11:30am This fair is designed to give families with children ages 0-6 the opportunity to connect with agencies, services and programs available for them in our community. Please come out to this.

Tax Incentive

RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE

Did you Know:

The Town of Castor has a residential Development Incentive Bylaw.

What this Means:

New principal residential properties such as; new homes, duplexes, condominiums and apartment buildings shall receive a municipal property tax rebate on all land and buildings for properties where dilapidated homes are demolished and replaced with new residential construction.

New principal residential properties such as; new homes, duplexes, condominiums and apartment buildings shall receive a municipal property tax rebate on all lands and buildings for properties where the lot was bare prior to construction.

How it Works:

Property owners must submit a written letter of application to the Town requesting the rebate, prior to April 1st of the tax year in which the rebate shall be applied.

Tax rebates shall be approved by a resolution of the Town Council not later than May 31st in each year.

The Tax rebates shall be applied to the property tax account prior to tax notices being sent out.

Rebate Calculation:

The rebate shall be applied to the municipal portion of the annual tax levy only, and shall be calculated as follows:

- The assessment value for the property improvements shall be frozen for a three year period following completion of the new construction.
- The rebate of the difference between the annual municipal tax levy calculated at the current years' assessed value and the municipal tax levy calculated at the "frozen" assessment rate shall be applied to the tax roll of the qualifying property.
- The "frozen" assessment rate shall be the assessed value of improvements on the property in the tax year immediately prior to demolition of the previous structure.
- School, Senior Lodge, RCMP and other institutions property taxes are excluded from any reduction in overall property taxes.
- Properties shall pay any school requisition calculated separately from the "frozen" assessment rates.

See: www.castor.ca/bylaws for further information

Council News

Council Meetings

Apr 25 May 9
May 24 June 13

The Town Office will be closed on Friday, April 15, 2022 and Monday, April 18, 2022 for Easter.



RCMP Hours

Castor RCMP OFFICE

403-882-4139—Office
403-882-2245—Complaint Line

OPEN TUESDAY—THURSDAY

Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Closed 12 noon to 1:00 p.m.

For all Emergencies Please Call 9-1-1

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BRIC—BBQ

BRIC Relaunch BBQ May 11, 2022

10 am—12 pm
Introductory to Succession Planning

12 pm—4 pm
BBQ, Meet & Greet and Activities

To celebrate the relaunch of the Battle River Innovation Centre in Castor, please join us for a BBQ May 11th. We'll kick the day off with an introductory to succession planning followed by a BBQ with a meet and greet to learn about upcoming programs and events. Fun activities for families!

Watch for the poster for more information.

Castor Museum

Castor & District Museum Society Annual Meeting will be held on Thursday, April 28, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the Museum Railway Station.

Public invited to attend.



HOSPITAL ON CALL SCHEDULE

April 15, 16, 17 & 18	Coronation
April 23 & 24	Castor
April 30 & May 1	Coronation
May 7 & 8	Castor
May 14 & 15	Coronation
May 21, 22 & 23	Castor
May 28 & 29	Coronation

Op Shop

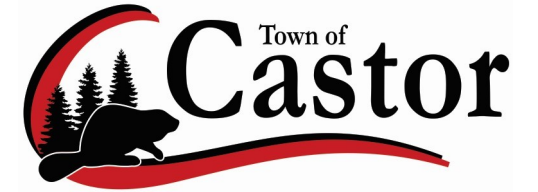
The Opportunity Shop will be open for the season beginning on April 21, 2022.

Hours
Thursdays from 10 am to 2 pm

Pathways

We are very excited to be giving our pathway system some much needed attention this spring and summer.

Watch for closures and respect the workers as we work to revitalize the walking paths throughout our community.



April 2022



Office Hours:

Monday—Friday 8:30am—4:30pm

Phone Number:

403-882-3215

Public Works Department:

Monday—Friday 8:00am—5:00pm

Starting May 2—7:00am—4:00pm

Phone Numbers:

Shop: 403-882-3200 On-Call: 403-882-3099

Landfill Hours:

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