



INFOrestburg



REMEMBER to turn your clocks back
one hour on **Sunday, November 6th**

On November 11th wear a poppy in
remembrance of our veterans.

MOONLIGHT MADNESS



Is Friday, November 25th!

Shop at our local businesses and
check out the specials from 7 - 10pm.
Watch the **FIREWORKS DISPLAY!**
Pick up your passport, get it
stamped, and drop it in the draw
barrel at the Christmas Market on
Saturday.



CHRISTMAS MARKET

Is Saturday, November 26th!

At the Forestburg Community Centre
from 10 am - 2 pm. Come and see what
the vendors have for gifts and crafts.
Please bring a donation for the Flagstaff
Food Bank. To book a table, contact the
Village Office @ 780-582-3668.

GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST

*Use your decorating skills, imagination
and have fun!*

*Your creation will be displayed during
Moonlight Madness*

*For more information contact Village Office.
780-582-3668*



FOUR CORNERS OF CHRISTMAS



It is open to Businesses, Groups, Clubs,
Families ... to decorate a tree using your
favourite colour theme! Contact Village
Office 780-582-3668 for
more information.



October has been a busy month for council with the Organizational Meeting, council meetings and special meetings.

Organizational Meeting - Robert Frizzell was again elected as Mayor and Peter Miller as Deputy Mayor. There were quite a few changes to council representatives on committees and a listing is available from the Village office.

Parkland Regional Library 2012 Budget - Council expressed concern about the Parkland Regional Library 2012 Budget, Parkland is intending to use capital reserves to supplement their operating budget which will only reduce the per capita requisition by \$0.10. Council felt that this would open the member municipalities up to a much larger requisition once the capital reserves were depleted.

Development Permit – Council has approved a development permit for Black Thunder Mechanical to operate a heavy duty mechanic business from 4907 – 49 Avenue.

Speed Limit on 49th Street – Council has approved a request to reduce the speed limit on 49 Street from 42 Avenue to 41 Avenue (adjacent to the new arena and the soccer fields and ball diamonds) to 30 km/h as an increase in pedestrian traffic has been noted in the area and also in an effort to reduce road maintenance.

Seniors' Fall Prevention Month – Council has proclaimed November, 2011 to be Seniors' Fall Prevention Month.

Cemetery Rezoning – a portion of Section 3, Block 2 of the Forestburg Public Cemetery has been rezoned to be 4'x4' interment plots to accommodate creation urns. The remainder of the section will be used for a scattering garden for ashes.

2012 Capital and Operating Budget – Council has started the review of the 2012 Capital and Operating Budget, they are hoping to have the budget approved before Christmas.

Skateboard Park – A petition was received requesting that the Village look into the possibility of constructing a skateboard park. Administration will review costs, locations and potential legal ramifications and will then be working with the petitioner to prepare a presentation for Council at a future date.

Increase in Franchise Fee – Council voted to increase the ATCO Electric Franchise Fee to 6% (from 5%), this will trigger an monthly increase for the average household of approximately \$0.77. Residents have until December 19, 2011 to bring forward any concerns regarding this increase.

Forestburg Arena Association – The Forestburg Arena Association has requested that council allow them to manage the soccer fields and ball diamonds adjacent to the new arena as the Athletic Association has folded. Council has agreed to allow them to manage the facilities for one year at which time the agreement will be reviewed. Council is concerned that the volunteers may be over-burdening themselves.



Congratulations!
to Kevin Lundy,
the new Fire
Chief for the
Forestburg Fire
Department.



Next Council Meetings
November 3 and 17th
at 6:30 pm
All welcome!

Village Office OPEN
Mon - Fri
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

2011 Community Service Award

The Village is accepting nominations now until Nov. 15. Groups or individuals may be nominated. Pick up a form at the Village Office or print it off at www.forestburg.ca

COUNCIL
 HIGHLIGHTS

FRANCHISE FEE INCREASE NOTICE

Please be advised that the Village of Forestburg is proposing to amend its franchise agreement with ATCO Electric Ltd. This franchise agreement requires ATCO Electric to pay the Village a franchise fee based on ATCO Electric's actual gross revenue from the Distribution Tariff rates charged for Distribution Access Service within the Village of Forestburg.

This franchise agreement currently requires ATCO Electric to pay the Village 5%. The propose amendment to the agreement would be to increase the franchise fee to 6% effective January 1, 2012. The franchise fee applies only to ATCO Electric's revenues for delivery of electric power. It does not apply to the cost of the power itself. Franchise fees are recovered as part of a utility delivery charge, and are required to be billed as a separate charge on all electrical billings.

The effect of this change is minimal for the average residential consumer, but will depend on the customer's consumption. The effect on a residential customer using 625kWh is an increase of \$0.77 per month. Customers should contact ATCO Electric if they would like more specific details regarding how this change would affect their bill.

Residents of the Village of Forestburg have until December 19, 2011 at 4:00 pm to make their concerns known to the Village of Forestburg. Please contact the Village office.

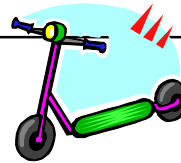
Transfer site hours will be back to the winter hours as of November 1st.

Mondays: 8:30 am- 12:00 pm
Thursdays: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm



FOUND
one small push scooter

Contact Bernie at the Public Works Office
780-582-4195



DOCTOR'S SCHEDULE FORESBURG CLINIC

Tues. Nov. 1	- Dr. duPlessis
Fri. Nov. 4	- Dr. Niemann
Tues. Nov. 8	- Dr. Eleanor
Fri. Nov. 11	CLINIC CLOSED
Tues. Nov. 15	- Dr. Rengan
Fri. Nov. 18	- Dr. Niemann
Tues. Nov. 22	- Dr. Eleanor
Fri. Nov. 25	- Dr. Niemann
Tues. Nov. 29	- Dr. duPlessis

Call 780-582-5185 for appointments Mon—Fri.

Please confirm that your appointment is for Forestburg as the phone is call forwarded to Daysland clinic on days the Forestburg clinic is not open.

**WELL BABY CLINIC—
Call 780-384-3652 for appt.**

DAYSLAND PALACE THEATRE

Movie Info. Line 780-374-3774

www.daysarts.ca

SHOW TIMES: Friday & Saturday 8 pm
Sunday 7 pm

DOLPHIN TALE- Nov. 4,5 & 6

THE HELP- Nov. 10,11,12 & 13

REEL ALTERNATIVE @ 7:30 pm

THE TREE OF LIFE- Nov. 17

MONEYBALL- Nov. 18, 19 & 20

REAL STEEL- Nov. 25, 26 & 27



Forestburg Multi-Use Facility
780-582-3664

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Office Admin/Agriculture Technician for the Battle River Research Group

Send resume by Nov. 25th to Alvin Eyolfson, Manager

Box 339 Forestburg, AB T0B 1N0

Phone 1-866-828-6774, Fax 780-582-7312, or

Email: brrgmgr@cciwireless.ca

For more info visit www.forestburg.ca

If you have information to be submitted for the newsletter, please email, fax or drop off at the Village Office. Deadline for next newsletter is Nov. 23rd.



Forestburg Library

NEW HOURS

Beginning Nov. 1, 2011

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY,
FRIDAY - 10 am—6 pm
THURSDAY—10 am—8 pm
SATURDAY—10 am - 1 pm
Ph. 780-582-4110

To find out about our programs, new books or ebooks, or to renew or request items online, visit <http://forestburglibrary.prl.ab.ca>



Mother Goose ON THE LOOSE!



An Early Literacy Program for Infants and Young Children

Runs every Thursday from 11—11:30 a.m. until November 24.

Academy Award Winning FOREIGN LANGUAGE FILM SERIES
Tues. Nov. 22 7 pm

CROUCHING TIGER, HIDDEN DRAGON
(Taiwan, 2000)
Director: Ang Lee

Join us for popcorn and a movie! Two more movies coming in Jan. & Feb.

Welcome to Bernadette Bendfeld, our new Teen and Tween Programmer!

Tween Program Grades 3—6

Teen Program Grades 7 & up

Check our Tween and Teen Program at Forestburg Library Facebook page.

For more info or to volunteer, call Bernadette 780-678-7586.

Looking for something to do?
Try the Seniors Drop In Centre!
Open Mon—Sat, 10 am—5 pm
Breakfast—1st Sun. of month 8-10 am
Floor Curling - Cards - Pool - Exercises - Coffee
Interested in dancing? Call Paul at 780-583-3954



BIG KNIFE VILLA LUNCHEON
Wed. November 16
11:30 am - 1 pm \$10
Everyone Welcome



THE AFTER CHRISTMAS DANCE

will be January 7, 2012
Cocktails at 5:30
Supper at 6:30
Tickets \$25 Available at Forestburg Agencies
Call early to book your table!

Community Events

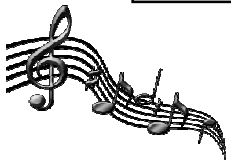
LIONS HAM AND TURKEY BINGO

Tickets \$4
Sun. Nov. 27th @ 2 pm,
Doors Open @ 1 pm



Eastern Star Bazaar

Monday, November 21st 11 am-2 pm
Forestburg Masonic Hall
Lunch and coffee available
Bake Table & Rummage Table
Everyone Welcome!



Concert Series

First Concert on November 19th @ 7:30pm

Duane Steele is one of Canada's top country recording artist and songwriter

January 14/12 Tiller's Folly

February 25/12 April Verch

March 31/12 MG3

April 21/12 Travelling Mabels

Tickets and information is available from committee members or the Village Office.
email: forestburgconcertseries@persona.ca

Bethel United Church Annual Fall Supper & Silent Auction



on Sunday, Nov. 6 @ 5pm
at the Community Centre
Adults \$12, Children 6-12 yrs \$6,
under 6 - free

Items for the silent auction may be dropped off at the church, brought to the hall after 3:30 pm on Sunday, or call Laurie 780-582-3962.

FORESTBURG COMMUNITY CHURCH

Pastor David Konner
Sundays @ 3 pm
THE BRIDGE
Contemporary Worship
Service

Forestburg Community Centre
(lower level)
1st & 3rd Sun. @ 6 pm



BETHEL UNITED

Rev. Jope Langejans - 780-582-3796
Sunday Services @ 9:30 am

HOPE LUTHERAN

Pastor Rick Laurendeau 780-582-3531
1st & 3rd Sundays - led by Colin Millang
2nd & 4th Sundays - led by Pastor Rick
Note: from Aug. 1/11 to Feb. 1/12, HOPE
Worship will change to 9:30 am

Bantam Hockey Tournament Nov. 25,26 & 27th



CURLING SEASON BEGINS!

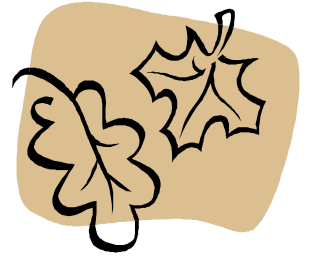
Ladies - November 2nd @ 7:30 pm

LEARN TO CURL CLINIC

will be held on Nov. 27th
Juniors: 10 - 12am, Adults: 1 - 4:30 pm
For information contact Cheryl @ 780-582-6321



NOVEMBER



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Community Develop. Mtg. 4:30 pm BINGO 6:30pm	2 Flu Clinic 1-7 pm Ladies Curling 7:30 pm	3 Council Mtg. 6:30 pm	4	5
6 United Church Fall Supper 5pm School Awards 1 pm	7	8 BINGO 6:30pm	9	10	11	12
13	14	15 BINGO 6:30pm	16 Big Knife Villa Luncheon 11:30am-1pm	17 Council Mtg. 6:30 pm	18	19 Concert Series 7:30 pm Duane Steele
20	21 Eastern Star Bazaar 11am - 2pm	22 BINGO 6:30pm	23	24	25 Moonlight Madness Bantam Hockey Tourn. 25-27th	26 Christmas Market 10am-2pm
27 LIONS - Ham & Turkey Bingo 2pm Curling Clinic	28	29 BINGO 6:30pm	30			