

Village of Longview

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Monday	Closed
Tuesday– Friday	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Closed for lunch	12:30 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.

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Village News



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March 2022



COUNCIL MEETING: The next Council meeting will be on **Tuesday, March 15** at 5:30 p.m. in the community hall.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING: The next COW Meeting will be held at 5:30 p.m. **March 7th**, in council chambers.

LICENSING: Dog Licenses— were due **by February 14th**. Any dog over 6 months of age **must be licensed** in Longview. The cost of a license has doubled Spayed/neutered dogs are now \$40 each up to 3 dogs, unspayed/unneutered are \$80 each.

Business Licenses were also due in **February**. All businesses operating within the Village limits must have a current business license.

GRASS/LEAF COMPOST & TREE BRANCH PILES
Please dispose of your grass clipping, leaves and tree branches in the area designated for them down by the public works yard.

Please **DO NOT** throw garbage or garbage bags in with the clippings. There are garbage cans for the bags.



FCSS Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) is a program to assess community needs. This is done through preventive social programs and services that affect the quality of the life of people in the community. FCSS is a council appointed board that requires 2 new members. If you are interested in a volunteer position on the board, please contact the Village at (403) 558-3922 or info@village.longview.ab.ca.

FCSS (COVID) FINANCIAL SUPPORT (limited) is available for those having a difficult time making ends meet. Please contact the village office for more information 403-558-3922 or info@village.longview.ab.ca



VILLAGE OF LONGVIEW

Requires a
PART-TIME SEASONAL
Information Booth/Campground Clerk
MAY TO MID OCTOBER 2022

Duties to include: Signing campers in and out, provide information to travelers on local attractions and activities, clean washrooms and showers in the campground & info booth, water plants etc. **Please contact the Village Office for a list of duties @ 403-558-3922.**

Hours of Work: 10:00 am to 6:00 pm, 3 or 4 days per week including weekends

Rate of Pay: \$15.00 an hour

Please submit all resumes in confidence to;
info@village.longview.ab.ca or by fax at 403-558-3743

Only applicants who qualify will be contacted

PART-TIME SEASONAL
Information Booth/Campground Grounds Maintenance
SPRING & SUMMER 2022

We need a grounds person to cut the grass and weed whip at the campground and around the information booth.

Hours and days of work are flexible.

Rate of Pay: \$15.00 an hour

Please contact the Village Office for more information @ 403-558-3922

LIGHT-UP

After another successful Light-Up year we are starting to remove lights and displays. We could use additional volunteers to sort, repair lights and extension cords and start to plan for new displays for next year. We could use someone with electrical knowledge and some one with basic welding skills. If you enjoyed the lights come out and help prepare for next year. For more information Email: lightuplongview@gmail.com with your contact information and someone will contact you.

LNVD COMMITTEE Together with other Village Committees are planning to hold a day of fun and activities for the whole family!!

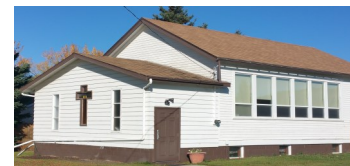


This will be held on Saturday July 15th in Centennial Park.

We urgently need Volunteers to assist in this community event.

We are holding a planning meeting on Wednesday March 16th in the community hall at 6:30 pm. Please come and support this fun day. Everyone is welcome!!

We would also like to invite volunteers to join the LNVD committee to help us fill the vacant positions including the secretarial position.



LONGVIEW BIBLE FELLOWSHIP NEWS

The services at Longview Bible Fellowship continue on a weekly basis with guest preachers being invited to substitute for Gil Kidd who is now semi retired and preaching on the first Sunday and on the fifth Sunday of the month. Currently, a search is being conducted for another pastor to fill the pulpit on a permanent basis when Gil Kidd fully retires.

In the meantime, in the face of constant change, Alberta Health Services restrictions are still in place for a limited attendance at the 11.00 am service. Both vaccinated and non vaccinated people are invited to attend, but social distancing is being observed and to wear a mask is mandatory. Please let the church know if you are planning to attend a service so that you can be accommodated 403 797 3982

Also regular prayer meetings and Bible Study are held on Thursday afternoons at 3.00 pm at various locations within the village. Please call the church for more information.

It is hoped that as restrictions continue to be lifted in the near future that visitation in the community to new residents will be enabled to take place, in order to introduce the church and its ministry to them and to hear their concerns. Further, plans will shortly be initiated to introduce children's and youth ministry to the community. Anyone who is interested in assisting with this is welcome to call the pastor on his cell phone 587-223-5800

May the peace of Christ be of comfort and consolation to you in these troubled times.

LONGVIEW LIBRARY NEWS CONTINUED

"The White Owl café was open 24 hours a day and everything kept humming all night long. You could step out into the street at any hour of the night and read the newspaper. There was an oilwell flare in every backyard and it was actually brighter at night than during the day."

The flares boomed into the night and at times appeared to lick at the snow covered mountain tops. The vibration was so great that businessmen had to put string across merchandise shelves to keep contents from spilling onto the floor.

The stories are legion.

"No one built anything to last. You just didn't know where you might be tomorrow."

Nothing was incorporated and squatters paid landowners in the area paid \$2 per month for a house lot and \$4 per month for a commercial lot.

But heat was cheap.

"All we did was pipe into a high pressure gas line and hook it up to a stove that kept burning 24 hours a day. We paid \$1 a month per stove."

Although most residents attached a "little giant regulator" to control the pressure, it was not uncommon to see a stove lid come flying through the walls of a shack after an unsuspecting housewife ignited the gas stove.

To be continued....

Village of Longview



May 11th & 12th

May 11th - Recycling (propane tanks, tires, household chemicals & partial paint cans) must be out by 12:00 noon

May 12th - Garbage (not to include branches, furniture or large appliances) must be out before 2:00 p.m.

There will be a \$10 charge for garbage (only) picked up in the spring cleanup again this year.

VILLAGE SKATING RINK



We would like to send out a big thank you to **David Wight, Ken Rogers, Mel Rogers and Harvey Hummel**. They spent endless hours shoveling snow, flooding the ice and cursing the darn weather. Because of their efforts we had amazing ice again this year!!



LONGSTOCK MUSIC FESTIVAL

WE'RE BACK FOR 2022!

The 13th Annual Longstock Music & Arts Festival will be returning on **August 12th, 13th & 14th** tickets are available online now!

NEW THIS YEAR

Sneak-A-Peek Friday Night!

Beef on a Bun, Beer and a Band - \$30/Ticket

Limited tickets available online!

Presenting Saturday night headliner **Saints and Sinners** and Sunday evening headliner **The Levesque Family Band** - both playing 90 minute sets this year!

If you are an artist or a vendor wishing to participate this year, please contact Lisa at market@longstockmusicfestival.com. We are also looking for volunteers and sponsors more than ever this year. Feel free to contact us at info@longstockmusicfestival.com if you're interested or can help in any way!

For more information visit us on Facebook or our website at longstockmusicfestival.com.



LONGVIEW & AREA SENIOR'S CLUB

Longview Bus Program Update:

We are in the process of getting our bus on the road, finally. Our program manager, Margaret Linicker is planning shopping trips, also other possible excursions to Millarville Market, Cochrane Sawmills with a stop at MacKay's Ice Cream Shop, A Kananaskis Picnic, Spruce Meadows, Remington Carriage Museum Etc. watch for details.

Longview Meals on Wheels:

Is a Volunteer program with Calgary Meals-on-Wheels and our club to provide nourishing, tasty foods to Longview and area residents at affordable prices. Order any number of the 26 entrees available or desserts, cookies, etc., which are delivered frozen to you home. Call Andrea at 587-226-8118 or email at lonviewseniors@gmail.com. A big thank you to our volunteer drivers for their support.



Community Pancake Supper—April 23rd

ARC and our Club are bringing back our **Annual Pancake Supper** (not held during Covid 19). It will be held on **Saturday the 23rd of April** at the Community Hall. Supper includes sausages, pancakes and all the trimmings commencing at 5:00 pm. Food will be served until 7:30 pm after which you are invited to stay and visit with your neighbours. The cost for the supper is by donation. **All are welcome to attend!!**

Longview Medical Transportation Program

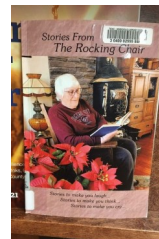
This program was initiated in 2021 through a grant from our Council from FCSS funds. Thanks to the 11 volunteer drivers, who between them made 162 trips to surrounding communities and committed 17901 kms of travel. We have volunteers available to any of our residents who need transportation to medical appointments. Should you require more information of this program please contact Ivor McMorquindale at 403-558-3600



LONGVIEW LIBRARY NEWS

All of us at the library would like to thank Nicki Majchrowski for her time and work with us. Nicki is going back to school to further her education. We are sad to see her go but wish her the very best and have no doubt she will be successful in her new career. Please stop in and welcome Sherry Perchaluk as the newest member of our crew. We look forward to working with her.

Forty-six years ago, **Feb 6th, 1976**, was the official opening of the Longview Community Library in Longview School. Roy Russell was mayor, Don Tannas was principal and board director. Other board members were Mrs. Baranek, Mrs. E. Andrews (Mary) and chair Mrs. Russell. 1300 books were donated, mostly by the Russell's. One year later in 1977, the library was incorporated under the Societies Act of Alberta. Longview Library is celebrating it's **45th** anniversary this year!



In the near future, we hope to host a book signing and discussion with **Celia Dewane**. We're looking at early April when the weather is a little more agreeable and hopefully there will be less health restrictions in place. Please check the notice board and our Facebook page for updates.

Saturday, May 7th, is the scheduled date for our annual Highway Cleanup fundraiser. Call Jan at 403-558-2026 if you would like to help.

New books arrive every month. Be sure to stop in and ask about them and don't forget to check Sylvia's monthly column for recommended reads.

PART 4! ***From the Calgary Herald Magazine October 1973***

*By Ken Hull
Herald Staff Writer*

During the drilling peak a third settlement developed just down the Highwood River known as Little Philadelphia. The names were never officially registered, but the stores brandished the titles with pride until the boom was muffled in the late 1940's.

"I would say it was the wide-open atmosphere that resulted in the Little Chicago and Little New York names," said Stan Gallup.