

Voices of the Village

AUGUST 2023 NEWSLETTER



Another “ADDITION” to the Fire Hall

The Village of Marwayne is pleased to announce that our new Rosenbauer Stock Tanker #5-3 has officially arrived! On Tuesday August 2nd, 2023, the Village of Marwayne joined the County of Vermilion River for a push in ceremony at the fire hall to celebrate the new addition to our fleet.

The new Tanker is able to carry 3000 gallons of water, foam and has a fire pump. It also comes with a front mounted nozzle turret which allows the tanker to switch to attack mode during a wildland interface fire. The new

Tanker was purchased by the County of Vermilion River for \$462,000 as part of their Fire Master Plan. The Village and the County work together to service areas as far as Township Road 514—North past Tulliby Lake—East towards the Saskatchewan border and West all the way to the curve of the North Saskatchewan River.

Having the right equipment is key to success in preventing and responding to emergencies across the region. We are very thankful for our partnerships with our municipal neighbors as well as the opportunity to utilize the new tanker to serve the people of our community and surrounding areas!



Important Dates

MEETINGS & DEADLINES

Council	Aug 21
Office Closed	Aug 7
FCSS 2024 Deadline	Sep 30

EVENTS

Golf Night	Aug 5
Library Summer Events	Aug 9 & 23
Legion Ball Tournament	Aug 11-13
Playschool Registration	Aug 28

SERVICES

Blue Bag Recycling	Aug 10 & 24
VIBE Drop In Program	Aug 1, 8, 22
Playground Meeting	Aug 10
Story Walk (Walking Trails)	Aug 16-23
Gord Bamford	Sep 8

Operating Hours & Contacts

In Person Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
8:00am—4:30pm

Office open Mondays and Fridays 8:00am—12:00pm & 1:00pm—4:30pm but staff will be working remotely. Drop box available 24/7

After Hours Water/Sewer Emergencies: Wilson Curtis 780-205-2993
Carry Grant 780-214-7933

Health and Safety Emergencies: Kitscoty RCMP 780-846-2870
RCMP, EMS, FIRE 911

For all non-emergency inquiries, or to file a complaint, please contact the Kitscoty RCMP at 780-846-2897

Summer Transfer Station Hours (May—Oct) Wednesday 2:00pm—7:00pm
Saturday 10:00am—2:00pm

Residential garbage pickup: Thursdays 7:00am

During inclement weather, please call the Vermilion River Regional Waste Management Services Commission at 780-853-5561 to get updates as to whether or not transfer stations are open.

Council Contacts: Chris Neureuter ctneureuter@gmail.com
Ashley Rainey 780-214-1410 a_irvine@hotmail.com
Rod McDonald rojoco@lloydmail.ca

FALL COMMUNITY WIDE GARAGE SALE



Saturday September 16



How it works:

- **If you are interested in having a garage sale in your yard on this day please contact us at the Village administration office.**
- We will post all the listings on Facebook, on our website and around town a few days before the big day.
- On September 16, make sure to advertise your big sale! Create bright signs with balloons (making sure to remove after the sale).

You can contact us by phone 780-847-3962 or by email at admin@marwayne.ca during regular working business hours.

Council Highlight

- Cpl. Brian Weisbrod from the Kitscoty RCMP detachment joined our July 17th, 2023 Council Meeting to discuss rural crime statistics with Council and answer any questions regarding policing priorities in the community.
- Kevin Bernhardt on behalf of MCSNet joined our July 17th, 2023 Council Meeting to discuss the new GigAir available to new and existing MCSNet customers within our community.
- Council passed Bylaw No. 598-23, to approve the amalgamation of Lots 21 and 22 on Centre Street. These lots are the new home of ATB Financial and No Need to Knock.
- Council received a request for a speed bump on 3rd Street North towards Township Road 524 as well as a device to prevent OHV access on the walking trails. A survey will be circulated in the coming weeks and we want to hear from you regarding these initiatives!
- Council approved a 50% contribution towards the Marwayne Ball Associations request for new trees and shrubs at the ball diamonds. These will be planted next spring.
- The Marwayne Community Playground Association postponed its presentation to Council and will be joining us on August 21st, 2023 instead to discuss the new playground construction at the Marwayne Jubilee School.

Marwayne Dance Association

AGM & Registration

Wednesday, Sept. 6th, 2023

7:00pm

Marwayne Hall

Offering Classes in

**Creative Movement, 5-6 year old comp. classes,
Tap, Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical, Modern, Musical Theatre,
Technique, Recreational Hip Hop & Ballet/Jazz**

Enrollment will determine what classes will run

Please register by attending the meeting

For more info: marwaynedanceassociation@gmail.com

Volunteers Needed for Marwayne's 100th Birthday Celebration!

The Village of Marwayne will be turning 100 in the year 2026!

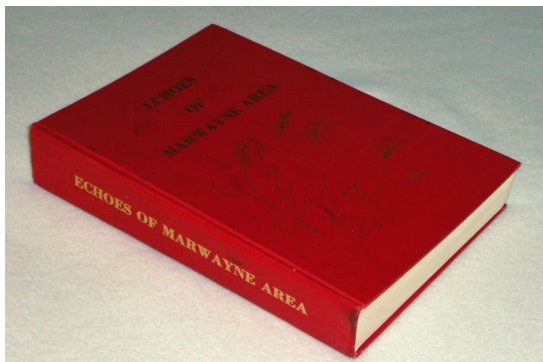
We are looking for ideas, volunteers, vendors, etc. to partner with us to make the 100th birthday celebration a big success!

We encourage anyone interested in joining the planning committee to contact the Village office today at 780-847-3962.

100 YEARS

Marwayne History Books

The newest edition of the Marwayne History Book is now available. The cost is only \$50.00. Please contact Sharon Kneen by phone at 780-872-0011 for more information. Take advantage of this great opportunity to receive a piece of Marwayne's history today!



Marwayne Community Hall

A Unique Setting for Your Special Occasion

Consider the beautiful, quiet location of the Marwayne Community Hall

- Banquet seating for 375 in main hall
- Large meeting room with table-seating for 80, or use it to serve buffet-style banquet
- Large covered patio backs onto nature, accessible from main hall
- Modern, beautiful bathrooms
- Stange with dressing rooms & washrooms
- Excellent sound room with A/V equipment
- Camping on site or just 10 minutes north at Lea Park
- Just a 30 minute drive from Lloydminster

Contact 780-847-3962

For more information visit marwayne.ca



2024 Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) Program Funding

DEADLINE TO APPLY: SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

Now accepting applications for 2024 Family & Community Support Services (FCSS) funding. Funded agencies design and deliver social programs that are preventative in nature to promote and enhance well-being among individuals, families and communities. Funds are provided jointly by the Government of Alberta and your local municipality.



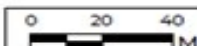
Applications are specific to the local municipality and if you wish to apply for funding from more than one municipality, separate applications must be submitted to each office. To access the application, contact the respective municipality or visit their website.



VILLAGE OF MARWAYNE
LOTS FOR SALE

Lots For Sale
 Parcels

April 2021



VIBE's FREE Drop-In Summer Programming in Marwayne August 2023

ALL AGES WELCOME!

TUESDAY AUGUST 1ST

WHERE: MARWAYNE ON THE EMPTY LOT ON MAIN ST.

TIME: 1:00 - 2:30 P.M.

ACTIVITY: KINDNESS JARS

TUESDAY AUGUST 8TH

WHERE: MARWAYNE ON THE EMPTY LOT ON MAIN ST.

TIME: 1:00 - 2:30 P.M.

ACTIVITY: PAINTING WOODEN CARS AND BOATS

TUESDAY AUGUST 22ND

WHERE: MARWAYNE ON THE EMPTY LOT ON MAIN ST.

TIME: 1:00 - 2:30 P.M.

ACTIVITY: TIE DYEING

THIS ACTIVITY IS FOR YOUTH ONLY!
VIBE WILL PROVIDE SHIRTS (YOUTH & ADULT SIZES
AVAILABLE) BUT YOU ARE WELCOME TO BRING YOUR OWN
SHIRT!

Check VIBE's facebook page for alternative
locations in the community if raining

In partnership with FCSS: County of Vermilion River
and Village of Marwayne

SUICIDE SURVIVOR - A LONELY JOURNEY

Those who have lost a loved one to suicide often feel alone in their journey. They may experience stigmatization and there may be an uncomfortable silence surrounding them in their loss. They may not know if they should express the pain of their loss or to whom they feel safe in sharing. Isolation, loneliness, and abandonment by friends and community are commonly felt.

How can we as community and friends come alongside and companion those who have experienced such a great loss and deep pain? Can you accept the intensity of their pain? Grief of the Suicide Survivor is complex. The following considerations may be helpful.

Be patient. Emotions that are experienced are often overwhelming including guilt, fears, anger, shame, and many more that may surface at any time.

Be an active listener. Be present. Break the costly silence and begin to be an active listener without judgements, a valuable helping skill. Be focused on what the individual says and not what you are going to say. You may hear their story many times, so be present as this is part of the healing journey.

Be compassionate. Be a safe place for those grieving to talk. Never indicate that “you know how they feel” or offer old cliches, such as, “time heals wounds”, or “you have to be strong.” Rather use the words “I seek to understand how you feel.” This can help you to remember that you are companionship and need to be comfortable with a range of emotions and feelings.

Be respectful. Perhaps those grieving are not ready to share their thoughts and feelings. Let them know you will be there when they are. Let them ‘lead the dance,’ so to speak. Remember there are many touched by this death that often go ignored and the silence of their wounds of grief go unhealed.

Be understanding. Each survivor will grieve uniquely as they are unique. There may be similarities but the key is “seeking to understand.” There will be times on the journey where the pain will be triggered and intense, such as on anniversaries, holidays and special days that are remembered. Be patient, don’t judge or criticize individuals navigating their lives being reconstructed.

Listen and learn of the spiritual aspect of their journey. Faith and Spirituality is a place on the journey of healing that usually is addressed. Let the survivor be your teacher as to their understanding of faith and spirituality. The following quote may be helpful: “Don’t be in shock or judge when the anger is addressed toward God.” Some people have the belief that those who complete suicide are bound for hell. Your task is not to explain theology but listen and learn of each person’s individualized experience.

Provide support. The support for those grieving is important whether individual or in support groups where some similarities exist, and can allow for survivors to tell their stories as often as needed.

In closing, “To experience grief is the result of having loved. Suicide survivors must be guaranteed this necessity. While the above guidelines will be helpful, it is important to recognize that helping a suicide survivor heal will not be an easy task. You may have to give more concern, time and love than you ever knew you had. But this effort will be more than worth it.”

Quotes taken from “Helping a Suicide Survivor Heal” Dr. Allan Wolfelt.

Check out what is offered in community. Support groups are offered regularly for those who grieve and there is a yearly support of gathering at the annual Suicide Walk of Remembrance, Sept. 9th at 3:00 p.m. at Bud Miller Park.. Our Website, email, or phone. www.wtgrief.wixsite.com/walkingthroughgrief, email wtgriefsupp@xplornet.ca or 780-871-1750. Neil Harris for the Walk of Remembrance at 780-872-9594 or neilharris@gmail.com

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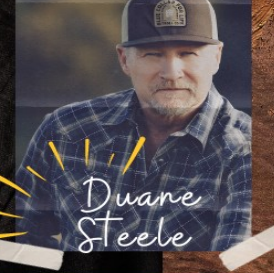
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ME!

MARWAYNE ARENA
SOUTH 2 AVENUE

VIP ENTRY	7:00PM
DOORS OPEN	7:30PM
DUANE STEELE	8:00PM
GORD BAMFORD	9:00PM
DJ ENTERTAINMENT	10:45 PM

WITH
Special

GUEST



Duane
Steele

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TO PURCHASE TICKETS





Next Board Meeting

Thursday, August 10th 7:00pm (curling arena)

Our meetings are open to the public!



Draft copy, changes are being made. Stay tuned for final design!

WE NEED YOUR HELP!


We need community support letters to submit with our grant applications!

We will have a link posted on our Facebook page with a letter of support template!

You can fill in and email back to us.

If you are interested in donating towards our goal, please contact our President Bobby Jo: 306-381-3657 or send us an email:

marwayneplayground@gmail.com



LIBRARY SUMMER EVENTS

July 12th @ 1:00 pm - Treasure Hunt
(Face Painting will be offered)

July 26th @ 1:00 pm - Splash Day
(wear something to get wet in)

August 9th @ 1:00 pm - Picnic
(bring a blanket or towel)

August 23rd @ 10:30 am - 11:30 Lego
2:00 pm - KayBridge Puppet Show
(open to all ages)

Ages 3-12

Pen Pals - must be pre-registered and
commit to two letters

Sandcastle Competition - open July to end
of August

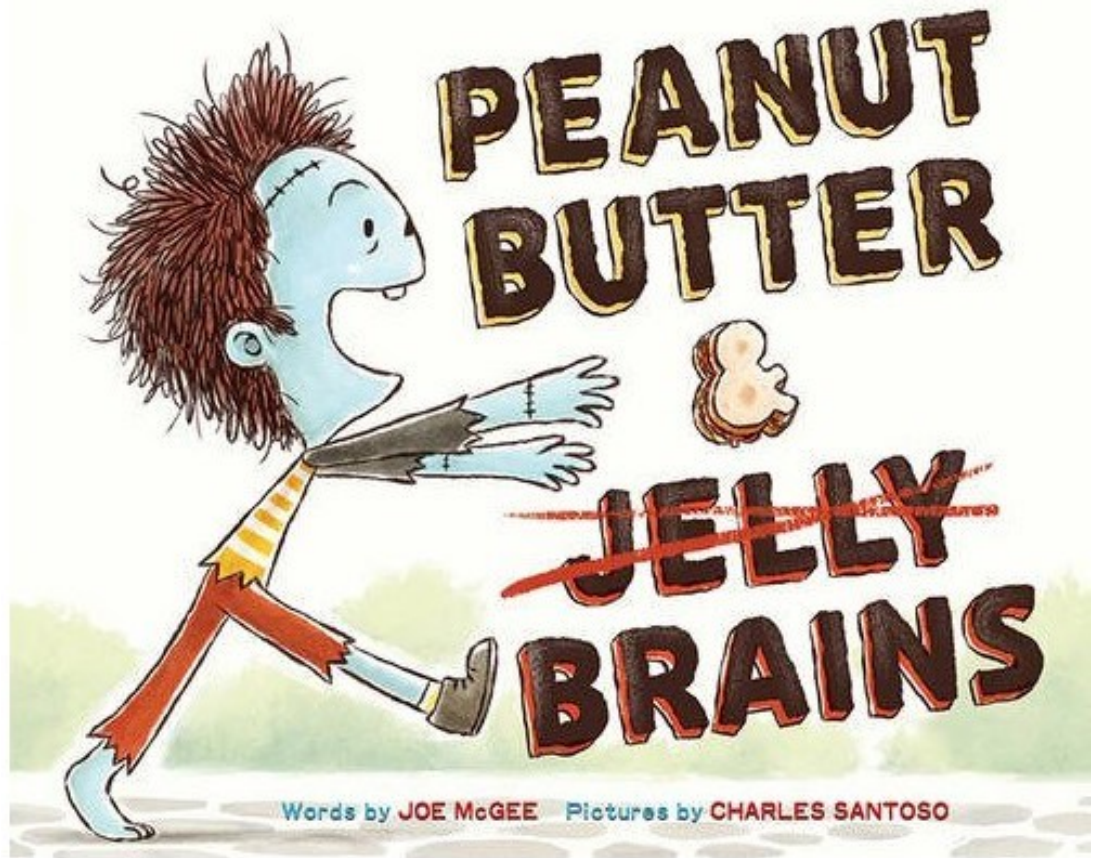
(submit pictures of your sandcastles
throughout the summer. Prize for the best!)

Open Wednesday 9:00
- 7:00 pm

Marwayne Public Library

Story Walk

August 16 - 23
on the
Marwayne
Walking
Trails



A Pastor's Gleanings

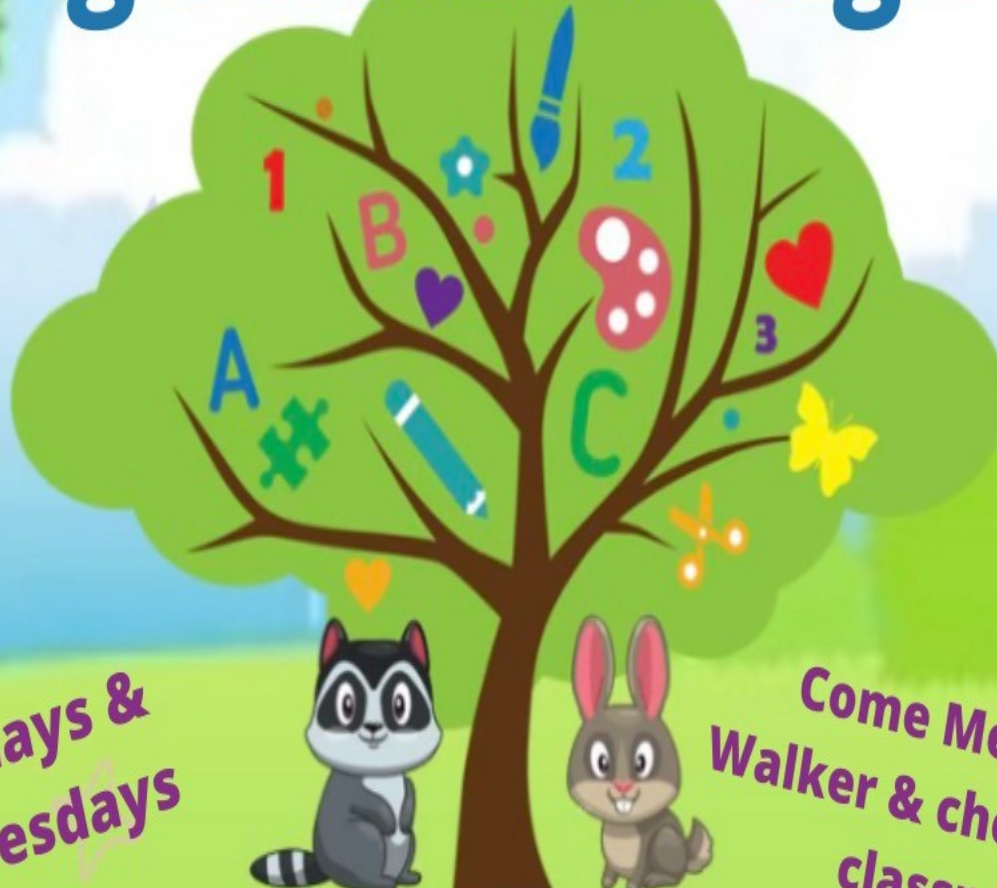
Jesus said "For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven." The scribes and Pharisees were the very religious in Jesus' time. Like them we can not by our own works make ourselves fit for God's kingdom. Oswald Chambers wrote "The only thing that exceeds right-doing is right-being. Jesus Christ came to put in anyone who would let Him a new heredity which would exceed the righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees. ... No man can make himself pure by obeying laws. Jesus Christ does not give us rules and regulations; His teachings can only be interpreted by the disposition He puts in. The great marvel of Christ's salvation is that He alters Heredity. He does not alter human nature; He alters its mainspring."

This is done only by the supernatural grace of God. The Apostle Paul wrote "If anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation ..." With a new mainspring, heritage, source of motive, heritage.

August is when we celebrate Heritage Day. This year as we celebrate the food, music and other customs of our various heritages, remember the immeasurable riches, blessings and heritage we have been given in Christ Jesus. Amen

Bethel Lutheran Church Lea Park, services Sundays at 10:30 A.M. Contact Pastors Kevin 780 872 0070 or Ed 780 808 5026.

Registration Night!



**Mondays &
Wednesdays**

**Come Meet Mrs.
Walker & checkout the
classroom**

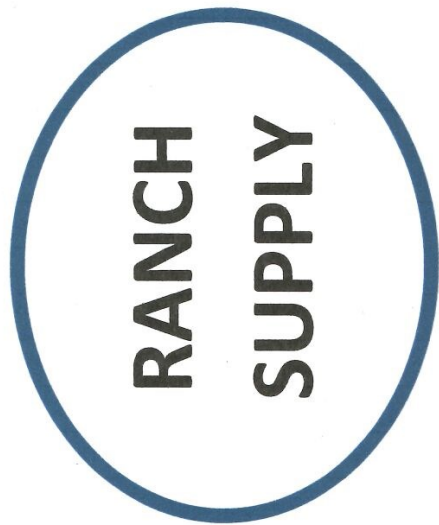
Lil' Critters PLAYSCHOOL

**1 Day (34 day)
\$319**

**2 Days (67 days)
\$530**

**Now offering
subsidy!**

**August 28th @7pm
Alliance Church!**



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Windbreak Panels
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Gates



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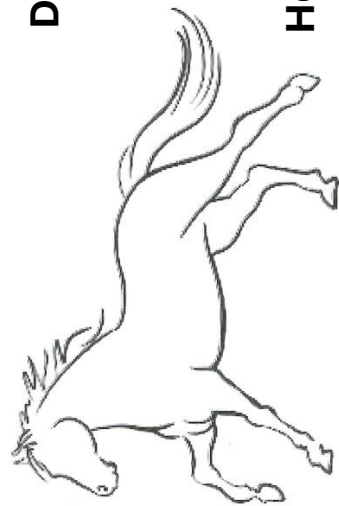
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