

Voices of the Village

SEPTEMBER 2023 NEWSLETTER



THERE ARE NO OFF HIGHWAY VEHICLES PERMITTED ON THE PATHWAYS

A friendly reminder that all makes and models of off highway vehicles are not allowed on the asphalt walking trails. This applies to all sections of the pathways, whether it be near the community hall, through Westview park, or in the back alley adjacent to the Headon farm land. The Village has received complaints naming individuals whom they have seen driving off highway vehicles on the pathways and will be following up with each of them individually. Warning letters will be circulated in the coming weeks, prior to the issuance of any bylaw tickets for the infractions. The Village wants to ensure that everyone is able to enjoy the pathways for years to come and unfortunately, they are not built to support vehicular traffic. Rather, they have been built to accommodate pedestrians, bicycles, rollerblades, non-motorized scooters, wheelchairs, etc. There are signs posted at the entrance of the trails to remind residents not to use motorized vehicles on the trail system. Although it would be ideal to fence in the pathways or install poles to prevent through traffic, the areas in which we have noticed the off highway vehicles would not accommodate such methods. As a result, we need our community to work together and we again ask that you please respect the rules and regulations and not drive your off highway vehicle on our pathways.



Important Dates

MEETINGS & DEADLINES

Council	Sept 18
Office Closed	Sep 4 & 29
FCSS 2024 Deadline	Sep 30

EVENTS

MDA AGM & Registration	Sept 6
Grandparents Day	Sept 10
Playground Meeting	Sept 14

SERVICES

Blue Bag Recycling	Sept 7 & 21
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Gord Bamford	Sept 8
Hockey Registration	Sept 12
Community Garage Sale	Sept 16

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 address 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

- Bobby Jo, on behalf of the Marwayne Community Playground Association, attended the Villages August 21st, 2023 Regular Village Council Meeting to discuss their fundraising initiatives for the construction of a new playground at the Marwayne Jubilee School.
- Cpl. Brian Weisbrod attended the August 21st, 2023 Regular Village Council Meeting to discuss the rural crime statistics within our community and surrounding areas.
- Council unanimously voted in favor to cancel part of Subdivision Plan 5426CL and consolidate lots 17, 18, 19 & 20 into one parcel, registered in respect of part of SE 26 52 3 4.
- The Village appointed external members to our Intermunicipal Subdivision and Development Appeal Board as part of our regional collaboration initiatives.
- Council reviewed the ATCO distribution revenue forecast for the 2024 franchise fee. Council did not elect to change the franchise fee for 2024.
- Council reviewed the results of the speed bump and off highway vehicle survey. The survey results, available at www.marwayne.ca, insisted on speed bumps along 3rd Street North. As such, Council is reviewing options for temporary vs. fixed speed bumps as part of our 2024 projects.
- The Village will be circulating another survey for community feedback on other areas that require speed bumps as well.

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!

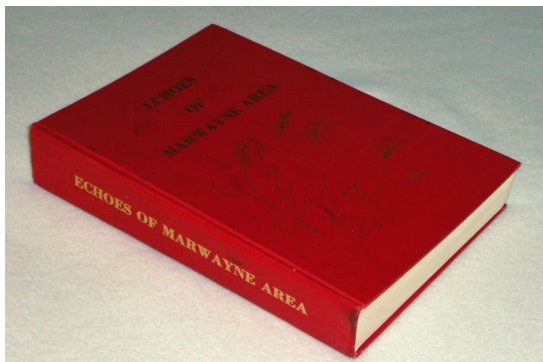
We are looking for ideas, volunteers, vendors, etc. to partner with us to make the 100th birthday celebration a big success!

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

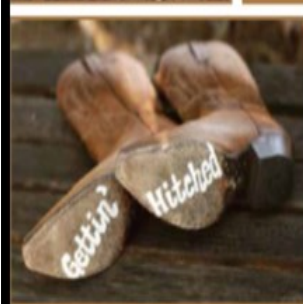
A Unique Setting for Your Special Occasion

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
- Stage 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.

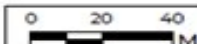


For illustrative purposes only. The location of lots and improvements therein, and dimensions must be verified by a surveyor.

VILLAGE OF MARWAYNE
LOTS FOR SALE

Lots For Sale
 Parcels

April 2021





4-H IS FOR EVERYONE



Join the

KITSCOTY MULTI CLUB!

WHAT IS 4-H? "Learn to do by doing"



4-H empowers youth to reach their full potential by working and learning in partnership with caring adults.

4-H believes in the power of young people. It recognizes that every child has valuable strengths and real life influence to improve the world.

4-H focuses on youth learning by doing - this means projects are hands-on and youth driven. Youth focus on hobby exploration, leadership development, community service, expanding on life skills and more!

What is a 4-H Club?

A 4-H club is a group of youth with similar interests. Groups meet to learn a new skill in a 4-H project area and have fun. The club determines when, where and how often they will meet and what projects they will work on.

4-H Projects:

Each member chooses on or more projects to work on. 4-H members attend meetings where they may work on projects or learn about other topics of interested determined by the club. Once a month the entire club chooses a fun activity to do together as well!

Examples of projects include:

- Small Engines
- Woodworking
- Gardening
- Sewing
- Photography
- Sheep
- Horse
- Creative Options
- Making It On Your Own
- And so much more!



HEAD



HEART



HANDS



HEALTH

For More Information on joining the Kitscoty Multiple 4-H Club please reach out!

Email: kitscotymulti@gmail.com

Project information can be found at: <https://www.4hab.com>

THANK YOU!



The Kitscoty 4-H Multi Club
would like to thank everyone who
supported our club this past year!



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Grandparents Day - September 10, 2023

Grandchildren welcome anytime!



Remembering your Grandparents on Grandparent Day is a treasured opportunity to build lasting memories. Grandparent's really have no expectations of the time except the memories. Consider sending a handwritten card in the mail, a text, an email, or making a call to connect. Everyone enjoys hearing from a loved one.



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MARWAYNE
ARENA BOARD



SEPTEMBER

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ALL AGES
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CANADIAN DIRT
TOUR 2023



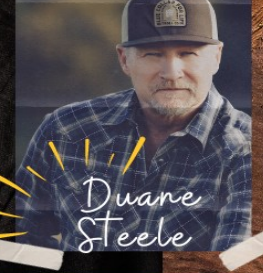
SCAN
ME!

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

Visit **GORDBAMFORD.COM**

TO PURCHASE TICKETS





Next Board Meeting

Thursday, September 14th 7:00pm (curling arena)

Our meetings are open to the public!

End of Summer Photo Contest

Post a picture of something fun your family did this summer! The lake, sandcastle, ice cream, bike ride, road trip, etc.

Tag us on Facebook or Instagram @marwayne community playground association for a chance to win \$10.00 gift cards to D&D groceries and Kat Tracks sweet shop!

Draw Date Friday September 8th. 2023

We will be hosting a hotdog sale for the elementary kids at Marwayne Jubilee School
Monday, September 18th, 2023

**Check us out on
Facebook or Instagram!
Like, Follow, Share**

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

WHAT GIVES HOPE –to the life of those who grieve?

Initially in the dark cloud of grief , life seems hope-less .

How does one ever find hope again, or do they? Hope is seeing beyond the present pain. Hope can even be seeing a survivor that inspires hope in you. Not that life will ever be the same but there will be "life". Hope will be in investing and risking in the future.

A quote from sr Joyce Rupp OSM in an article "Keeping Our Hope Alive In Troubled Times" tells the story of a boy who was banished to a wilderness. When He returned he was asked how he had survived. He said, " The night was cold and the sky was dark but far off I saw a shepherd's light on another mountain. I kept my eyes on the glow in the distance and I dreamed of being warm. That is how I had the strength to survive"

Hope is often looking at another survivor and recognizing that they are alive and moving forward out of the deep pain .

Such support is found in the Walking Through Grief Society support group . A support in which survivors of such loss and pain gather to support each other, and in doing so they find hope and look to mentors in the group for a glimpse of hope. By being a companion for each other on the journey, learning new skills to help navigate the journey of grief there is hope and help .

Hope After Loss – Audra's Legacy is a program that offers children 6-16 grief support. A time for finding hope and friendship . Offered in two 10 week sessions. Registrations are now being accepted. Session to begin September 26th , 2023.

For more information or to register please contact Shirley at 80-846-2576 /c 780-871-1750 or Gayle Barnes at 780-808-1645

If you are not in the area seek out support of others who are on a grief journey counsellor or a group that offers support and hope. Perhaps you will find the glimmer of light ,warmth and hope which seems so distant.

Submitted by : Shirley I Scott Walking Through Grief Society

Supported by : FCSS City of Lloyd, Town of Vermilion, Wainwright , Villages of Kitscoty and County of Vermilion River.



Marwayne Public Library

We will be starting our regular programs back up in October this includes Book Club, Moms and Tots, and Spanish Lessons, if there is enough interest.

Book Fair is coming October 16th-20th.

We are happy to announce that the library will be offering a Felting Course on September 20th from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Only 14 people will be accepted to take the course as there is limited time and space. If you wish to participate, please contact the library via Facebook or

Telephone (780) 847-3930.

Donations to the library in lieu of class fee will be taken at the door.



Photos are not a representation of what will be taught.

A Pastor's Gleanings

Climbing ladders isn't something most of us care to do. So, it would be disappointing to climb up a high ladder only to realize it was leaning on the wrong wall. It is wise to make sure your ladder is leaning on the right wall.

Jesus said "Seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness ..." I found out that climbing the ladder of my own righteousness, to gain my own justification, was always a few rungs short of the roof. Until I heard what the Apostle Paul wrote "We know that a person is not justified by works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ, ..." That was like a step off the ladder onto a great wide expanse, with a vastness of expectation, adventure and awe.

The Bible tells us that "Faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ." We can climb and cling to each rung never reaching the summit. Or listen and be liberated from the ladder, the treadmill and the grindstone of self-justification. "Therefore, being justified by faith ..."

Bethel Lutheran Church, Lea Park. Services Sundays at 10:30, call Pastor Kevin 780 872 0070 or Ed 780 808 5026.

LEA PARK GOLF CLUB

Our Night Golf event was again a great success! Thank you to everyone who came out and participated!



We would also like to extend a big THANK YOU to our volunteers who not only donated their time, but also provided midnight lunch and snacks for the event.



Thankyou on behalf of the
Lea Park Golf Club
Board of Directors



HOCKEY

SEPTEMBER 12
DEWBERRY
ARENA
7PM

REGISTRATION



FALL AGM AND TEAM MEETINGS

TO INQUIRE CALL ASHLEY RAINEY (780)214-1410