



July 2018

UPCOMING COUNCIL

MEETINGS

July 17, 2018

Aug 14, 2018

Sept 11, 2018

Sept 25, 2018

Council approved Bylaw # 2018-981 effective June 26, 2018.

Changes are \$1.00 increase in
Infrastructure Sustainability Fee

Meter Testing

A) Residential Fee \$50.00

B) Commercial Fee \$100.00

Service Connection/Disconnection

\$100.00

WORDS FROM OUR MAYOR

Now it is summer and July is upon us. A few things have happened since the last newsletter. We've passed a balanced budget which saw a 2 mil reduction for businesses and .3 mil increase for residential. A balancing act but nothing a Lotto Max win for the Town wouldn't help with. Grants are becoming more difficult to access.

A dentist is coming to town and will be situated in the old medical clinic. The clinic is to be renovated to accommodate a dentist and will be paid for through the rent. In the end, it will be no cost to the residents. Once it is up and running let us welcome them to our community.

We have an ambitious Public Works agenda and completion of everything will be weather dependent. The structural assessment of the arena has been done and it has come back positive, so we will be proceeding with upgrades to the front.

Remember working together you can build a community, so if you can, join a group or organization. Please do. Fresh ideas or simply doing things a different or easier way are always welcome.

As always, council and staff are here to hear your concerns.

The town's phone number is 780-657-3395.

My phone number is 587-280-1965.

Enjoy your summer.

2018 CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS ESTIMATED COMPLETION DATES

- Install water lines to connect lines (looping) on 45 Avenue between 51 Street alley to 53 Street - **SEPT**
- Install storm system on 45 Avenue from the arena to 51 Street - **SEPT**
- Install storm system on 49 Street between 47 and 50 Avenue - **JULY/AUG**
- Install partial sidewalk and curb at southwest corner of 51 Street and 53 Avenue - **JULY**
- Install new curb and gutter along east side of 54 Street and sidewalk on south side of 53 Avenue between 53rd and 54th Street - **JULY**
- Pave the intersection at 50 Avenue & 50 Street - **JULY**
- Rehabilitate the following roads with SB90:
 - 53 Avenue between 47 – 48 Street - **JULY**
 - 47 Street between 53 – 54 Avenue - **JULY**
 - 54 Avenue between 47 – 46 Street - **JULY**

NOTICE OF OPEN HOUSE
MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN AND
LAND USE BYLAW UPDATE

We invite you to attend the drop-in format Open House for this project, to provide feedback to help refine the MDP and LUB for final approval.

Town staff and consultants will be available to provide an overview of the project and answer questions regarding the project process.

Date: Thursday, July 19th, 2018

Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Location: Two Hills Centennial Hall



Summer Reading Program

July 3-20 and July 30-August 23

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

10 - 12 and 1 - 3

Ages 6 - 12, \$2/child/session

Bring a snack and dress for weather!

Storytime

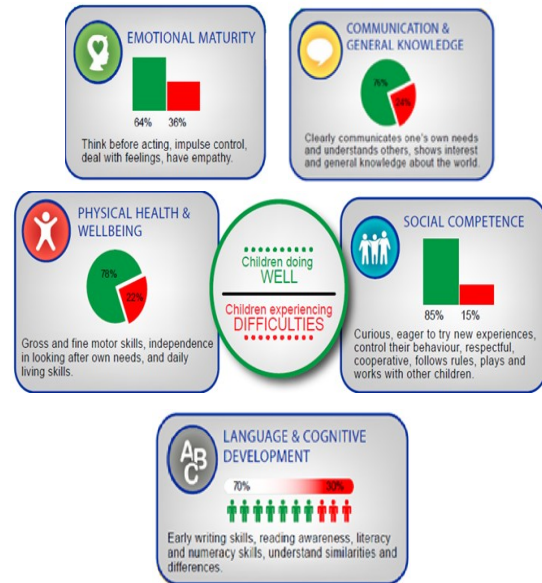
Ages 0-5 every Friday morning 10:30 - 11:30

EAGLE HILL FOUNDATION

Eagle Hill Foundation is currently looking for local volunteer drivers to use their own private vehicles to secure transportation for those residents who can travel in private vehicles to medical appointments. Potential drivers will need to meet EHF Handivan driver requirements.

If you are interested and for more information please contact Assistant CAO Wanda Sullivan at 780-603-5015

A Quick Look at 5 Year Olds In the Two Hills Community



These findings are from the Early Development Inventory (EDI) administered by Alberta Education (2016) in our local communities.

We Know That...

All children from conception to six do better when supported by family and community to reach their optimal development.

We also know that what happens in the first 2000 days of a child's life has implications for their brain development and future successes.

During this time the brain grows faster than during any other time in our lifespan.

First 2000 Days Early Childhood Development Network
Mountain View County Early Childhood Coalition

The **Two Hills and Area Coalition** works collectively to create an environment that supports the best possible conditions to promote optimal development for children.

For more information, please visit

<http://ecdcoalitions.org>