

NEWSLETTER June 2024

Luseland School Graduation 2024

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate all of the 2024 grads and we wish you all the best with your future endeavours.

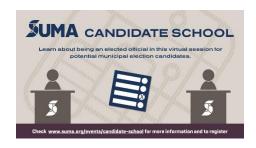
Municipal Election is coming this fall

Wednesday, October 9th, 2024 is Nomination Day, and we would like to invite you to consider running for council to add your voice and your ideas to directing the Town for the next 4 years. The eligibility requirements are quite simple:

Persons eligible for nomination as a candidate in an urban municipality must:

- be at least 18 years old on Election Day;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- have resided in the municipality for at least 3 consecutive months immediately preceding the date nomination paper is submitted; and have resided in Saskatchewan for at least 6 consecutive months immediately preceding the date nomination paper is submitted.

Nomination papers must be signed by at least 5 voters of the municipality. The Nomination forms will be available at the Town Office between September 1st and October 9th. On that note, SUMA has announced a "Candidate School" that will launch in September for potential municipal election candidates and showing you what it is like in becoming an Elected Official. See below for details!



Yard Cleaning

Yard work season is upon us, and it is nice to see properties around town looking so fresh and tidy. It feels good to live in a community that takes pride in having our town look beautiful. We thank those who make the time and put in the effort to keep their yards looking great. The Town is also reminding those with hedges to please trim them back off the sidewalk; to make easier passage for pedestrians and for all property owners to keep the weeds and grass under control and at a height no greater than 6 inches. We would also like to remind you the **EIm Tree Pruning Ban** is in effect from April 1st – Aug. 31st each year.

Water News

A reminder that the following is the permitted watering schedule:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: West Side (Griffin Street west)
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday: East Side (Griffin Street east)
NO WATERING SUNDAY'S

We encourage everyone to do their watering between 7 & 9 AM or between 7 & 9 PM, as the moisture is more likely to soak into the ground and do what you intend rather than evaporate and make the day muggy.

H2Notify

Luseland continues to use a message system that delivers information to you almost instantly, allowing for faster, better communication of important notifications such as boil water advisories, water line breaks, garbage and recycling disruptions and more. If you are not yet on the list for these types of notifications, it is highly recommended you do so. We post updates on our Facebook Page but not everyone is online. You may come into the Town Office during open hours to request a form to fill out with your contact preferences so we can enter the information into our system.

ATV/ Non-Golf related vehicles & Animal Bylaw Change Reminder

Bylaws regarding the Golf Course grounds as per request of the Golf Club were adopted to protect our newly installed synthetic greens and automated sprinkler system, there will be no ATV's, Snowmobiles or any nongolf related vehicles allowed at the Golf Course. A Bylaw was also passed to add the Golf Course to the list of places that dogs are not allowed to be. This is due to the excess of Dog defecation found on the grounds. Thank you to those adhering to these new Bylaws. It is important that we all respect and take care of the Golf Grounds with all the upgrades that have been installed.

Luseland Credit Union Community Swimming Pool

The 2024 pool season has kicked off! Our pool manager for the 2024 season is Hannah Wurz, we are happy to have her and look forward to working with her. The pool is hosting 3 swimming lesson sessions, dates can be found on the Pool & Town Facebook pages and registration is open until the day before the final session date which is August 6th, 2024. Follow the Luseland Swimming Pool Facebook page to keep updated on the pool schedule and to see when events like the midnight swim or movie night are happening at the pool.

Session 1: July 2nd -5th and July 9th-12th Tuesday to Friday both weeks (8 Days)

Session 2: July 21st-28th Sunday to Sunday (8 Days)

Session 3: August 6th-9th and August 13th-16th Tuesday to Friday both weeks (8 Days)

Development Permit Applications

With the weather being so nice everyone is eager to get started on the construction plans! But please remember before you start building, a development permit application needs to be approved at a scheduled council meeting. Depending on the project, a building inspector may need to review the project as well, as property owners are responsible to be compliant with codes and standards set out by the Provincial government. Development permit applications can be found on the town website, or at the Office. When you hand in your application, please have a drawn plan of your project that includes the dimensions, materials and location on your property. Fees will apply to accept the permit.

Information

The town office always appreciates when residents of our community give us information about a potential problem or simply what is going on in our community, as we aren't always aware of everything happening in our town. All we ask is that when you come forward with information, please give us the full details of the situation as it helps us move forward in solving the problem efficiently. The CAO and Council always appreciates valid concerns. Unfortunately, when we get concerns that are anonymous, the CAO and Council cannot do anything to take steps in solving the matter at hand. The reason for this is council has no way of knowing if this information is true and valid. If you do come forward and speak directly to the CAO regarding a concern, your identity will remain anonymous, but the proper concern form must be filled out with all pertaining details so we can investigate!

Cemetery

It is with disappointment that I must remind residents and their children to not drive vehicles, ATVs etc. in the Cemetery, not adhering to the roads. It is incredibly disrespectful to the families and friends who have loved ones laid to rest there and it is in fact private property. Instead of driving irradicably at the cemetery, I recommend finding someone who doesn't mind your dirt biking on their property and arranging an agreement with them. New signage will be posted soon as a reminder of no vehicles!

For Sale

The Town of Luseland has 2 properties that are available for sale. Both are un-serviced, but if you are interested in knowing more details, please come into the Town Office to inquire!

Pedestrian Operated Crosswalk Lights

We are pleased to announce that construction of the Pedestrian Operated Crosswalk leading to the will begin shortly. Please use caution and adhere to the signage while Fox Canada is here for the install!

ENJOY THE CANADA DAY FESTIVITIES AND HAVE A GREAT SUMMER!