

Aberdeen & District Newsletter

October 2019
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Issue 2

OCTOBER 2019 LONG RANGE WEATHER FORECAST FOR THE PRAIRIES

Dates	Weather Conditions
Oct 1-4	Sunny, mild
Oct 5-15	A few showers, mild
Oct 16-21	Sunny, mild
Oct 22-26	Showers, mild
Oct 27-31	Sunny, mild
October	temperature 10°C (4° above avg.) precipitation 15mm (10mm below avg.)



Meteor Shower peak dates are based on local times in [Saskatoon... change](#)

Oct 8–9, 2019
Peak in Saskatoon

Draconids

Northern Hemisphere (Best)



Oct 21–22, 2019
Peak in Saskatoon

Orionids

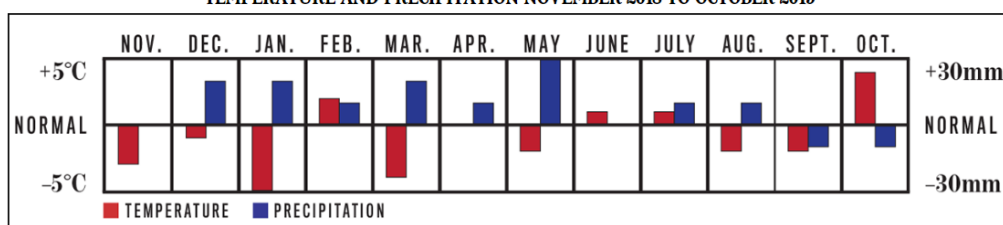
Both Hemispheres



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TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION NOVEMBER 2018 TO OCTOBER 2019





RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF ABERDEEN

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Next Council Meeting

October 10, 2019

Council meetings are held the second Thursday of the month, unless changed by council. Meeting will start at 8:00 am.

Council Meetings are open to public observation. Any delegations wishing to address the council will be required to contact the office the Friday prior to the meeting at the latest.

Emergency Services

In case of an emergency please call 911. Ensure that you are familiar with your Civic Address and Land Location in order to aid the 1st Responders in a quick response time to your location.

Taxes

2019 Tax Notices were mailed out on July 2nd, 2019. If you did not receive your tax notice, please contact the RM office to obtain a copy. Taxes are due on or before December 31, 2019.

Discounts available for early payments. All payments must be received or the envelope date stamped by Canada Post on or before the last day of the month to receive the corresponding discount.

Ike Thiessen Grid

Construction is now complete on the Ike Thiessen Grid! The road is now open to all public.

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Hours:

Monday – Friday

8:00am- 5:00pm

Reeve: Martin Bettker

306-281-2273

Deputy Reeve: Kevin Kirk

306-253-4519

Div 1: Graham White

306-374-2856

Div 2: Mark Schaffel

306-380-9883

Div 3: Kevin Kirk

306-253-4519

Div 4: Real Hamoline

306-253-4608

Div 5: Paul Martens

306-253-4464

Div 6: Jim Korpan

306-253-4342

Administrator:

Gary Dziadyk

Office Assistants:

Bridgette Shwytky

Crystal Rainbow

Road Crew Foreman:

Darryl Klassen

Animals Roaming at Large

Keeping animals within your property is the responsibility of the owner. If your animals are roaming within the RM, steps can be taken to detain the animals and all costs incurred in doing so will be the responsibility of the animals' owner.

Controlled Burn

With the drier than usual weather conditions, the RM council would like to remind everyone to take extreme caution while having a controlled burn. *Don't forget to register your Controlled Burns*

1. Register with the municipality: call 306-253-4312 or 306-230-1603 after hours and weekends.
2. Register with the Provincial Fire Center at 1-866-404-4911.

If a passing motorist reports a fire that you have not registered with the Municipality and the Provincial Fire Center, we will be forced to fine you \$500. If our fire department deems it necessary to call in fire fighters from neighboring municipalities, all costs will be forwarded to the person responsible for starting the fire. Please ensure you have proper Fire Fighting Insurance coverage.

Building Permits

Building permits are only valid for 12 months from the date on the permit. All expired permits must be closed in a timely manner. If an extension is required, please submit your request in writing along with your signature and the itemization of the work still required to be completed to the RM office. *PLEASE NOTE THAT MA INSPECTIONS HAS MERGED WITH BUILDTECH INSPECTION and BuildTECH will be taking over all open building permit files.*

Call or Text Nicole at BuildTECH Inspections at 306-370-2824 to book your inspection.

E-Transfers are Accepted

All payments will be applied to Tax accounts unless the office is notified otherwise. Please use security answer: **rmaberdeen** unless you notify the office of an alternate answer prior to processing your payment.



Please notify the municipality of any change in your mailing address to ensure you receive your tax notice and other important correspondence in a timely fashion.

Please visit our website for all upcoming meetings, events, forms, road closures and other important information.

rmofaberdeen.ca

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RM of Aberdeen

TOWN OF ABERDEEN

COUNCIL'S CORNER

Town Council meetings are open to the public. We meet at the TOWN OF ABERDEEN Office Chambers, 401C Main Street, 7:00 pm usually every 3rd Tuesday of the Month. Our next council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday October 15, 2019.



Any Delegations wishing to address Council are required to complete a Delegations Policy form and have it submitted to the Town Office no later than the Thursday prior to Council meeting date. You may obtain these from the Town Office. These forms are also available on our website www.aberdeen.ca

(1 lot at 61' x 145') Lot #2

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For Information Please Call
The Town Office
@ 253 - 4311



FALL GARDEN CLEAN UP

Town maintenance staff will be picking up garden refuse ONLY on Wednesday **October 16th** and Thursday **October 17th** (weather permitting). Please have piled for easy access. Please Note: ALL refuse must be in CLEAR bags or it will NOT be picked up. Branches must be tied in 4' bundles. Any bags left out since last cleanup will not be picked up as they will be heavy. Please CALL the Town Office to schedule a pickup. Only those that have called the office to book will have their refuse collected. Dumping of grass clippings and leaves in back alleys and the open field is NOT permitted.



Thursday October 31, 2019

Town Council has deemed Halloween Hours as follows:
4:00pm to 8:00pm . . . Safe Trick or Treating!!!

Householders, please have your porch lights on for all the little ghosts and goblins

LORAAS RECYCLING / WASTE SCHEDULE

Oct 1 – Black Bin (Waste)
Oct 15 – Black Bin (Waste)
Oct 29 – Black Bin (Waste)



Oct 8 – Blue Bin (Recycling)
Oct 22 – Blue Bin (Recycling)
Nov 5 – Blue Bin (Recycling)

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday to Friday
9:00 am to 5:00 pm

CLOSED 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Mayor, Renee Reimer Horner
Deputy Mayor, Ryan White
Councillor, Brian Vandenberg
Councillor, Tracey Grand'Maison
Councillor, Jacquie Griffiths
Councillor, Ben Levesque
Councillor, Floyd Wudrick

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Susan Thompson

Office Assistant:
Wanda Rance

Public Works/Maintenance
Manager:

Bradley Oleksyn

Maintenance:
Mural Hingston

Bylaw Enforcement Services,
Commissionaires

Pest Control Officer:
Denis Boyenko
(deals with mice/rats/skunks)

Predator Control Officer:
Ryan White
(deals with crow population)

Town Office will be Closed
Monday, October 14



Happy Thanksgiving!
To You And Your Family

Town of Aberdeen EMO prepared Survey
Please complete and drop off at Town Office

Name: _____

Street Address _____

of People _____

1st Phone _____

2nd Phone _____

1. During the Dec. 4 power outage, who are the people that came home and their house had dropped to at least 15c in 7 hrs? _____

2. Do you have wood chip insulation in your house? _____

3. Do you have a generator? or do you have access to one? _____

4. Do you have a gas fireplace? _____

5. In case of an emergency or extended power outage do you have an alternative place to go? _____

6. Do you need a billet residence in place? _____

7. Can you billet others? _____

8. Do you have a medical device that requires a power source? _____

9. Do you anticipate that you would need help in an extended power outage? _____

Ben Levesque (Deputy EMO chair):

Great questions....another helpful link <https://www.getprepared.gc.ca/index-eng.aspx>

[getprepared.gc.ca](https://www.getprepared.gc.ca) Get Prepared: Home



Is your family prepared???

Basic emergency kit

Water – at least 2 litres of water per person per day.

Food that won't spoil, such as canned food, energy bars, dried foods.

Manual can opener.

Battery powered flash light.

Battery operated radio.

First Aid Kit.

Prescription medications, infant formula and equipment for people with disabilities.

Extra keys to your car and home.

Cash in small bills.

A change of clothes.

A copy of your emergency plan and contact information.

The Emergency Measures Organization is still in need of Volunteers.

The time commitment would be only about 1.5 to 2 hours per month from Sept. until June to attend EMO meetings held in Aberdeen. If you would like to know more about this important way to help your community while investing a small amount of time please contact the town office.





NEW LIBRARY HOURS:

TUESDAY

10AM – 3PM

WEDNESDAY

4PM – 7:30PM

THURSDAY

10 AM – 1PM & 4PM – 7:30 PM

We have started up our **Tots Time!** Everyone is welcome- **Thursday's 11:00-11:45 am** for storytime and craft/activity fun for toddlers!

Aberdeen Library has **two geocaches** set! Great fun for the whole family-an easy kid friendly one, and one that's a bit more of a challenge! Go to geocaching.com

Follow us on **Facebook** for all upcoming programs, events, and information

Aberdeen Library!



CHRISTMAS MARKET

NOVEMBER 16,
2019

9:30 - 2:00

NOSTALGIA COUNTRY HALL
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SOUP & BREADSTICKS LUNCH: 11:30-1:00



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@christmasmarketsaskatoon



The Christmas Market is a annual event hosted by the Saskatoon Laestadian Lutheran Church.
All funds raised go towards building a church facility. Thank-you for your support!
Find out more about this organization at www.saskatoonllc.org

Aberdeen Winter Trade Show Fundraiser

Saturday, November 2, 2019

10:00am – 3:00pm

Aberdeen Community Hall (202 2nd Ave)

50/50 Draw

Door Prizes

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If you would like a registration form, please contact
Lori Hamoline at (306)270-9697 or lhamoline@sasktel.net

All proceeds go towards the Zibraty Ukrainian Dance Club (Aberdeen group)

From the Pastor's desk:

Praise God from who all blessings flow! These words begin the doxology we sometimes use at our church to return thanks when we sit down to share a meal together (the third Sunday of every month). How fitting are those same words in this harvest season. When produce comes in from the garden and bins are filled at the end of long harvest days, we do well to remember the source of our great blessings. "Neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, but only God, who makes things grow" (1 Cor 3:7). With Thanksgiving right around the corner, we have much to be thankful for, even if some harvest work remains. Thinking back to the extended dry stretch in May and June, it is a miracle of divine intervention that we harvest anything at all. A hymn entitled "Sing to the Lord of Harvest" puts it this way:

By him the clouds drop fatness, the deserts bloom and spring,
The hills leap up in gladness, the valleys laugh and sing.

With gratitude we acknowledge and thank the One from whom all blessings flow and ask for the Creator's continued guidance through each coming season.

One organization that benefits from the blessings of harvest is the Canadian Foodgrains Bank. A lunch at the church on the third Sunday of every month is held in support the Foodgrains Bank, by donation. Anyone is welcome to join. Come for the service at 11 or just come for lunch at 12.

Curtis Wiens
Aberdeen Mennonite Church

Aberdeen & District Fire & Rescue

Fire Prevention Week ~ October 6-12, 2019

Hey Kids (Kindergarten to Grade 3) enter the draw to be **"Fire Chief for a Day"**. You could get some pretty cool things, get picked up & dropped off in the fire truck for school. Get the details from your teacher – the week of Fire Prevention.

This year's theme is: **"Not Every Hero Wears a Cape - Plan and Practice Your Escape!"**

- *Make an Exit Plan*
- *Know two ways out of every room*
- *Get out safely and stay out*
- *Find your meeting place*

If there is a fire in your home, you may have as little as one to two minutes to safely escape. Focus on a home escape plan and the value of practicing it. Today's homes burn faster than ever—synthetic fibers are used in modern home furnishings, along with the fact that newer homes tend to be built with more open spaces and unprotected lightweight construction, contributing to increased burn rate.

People tend to underestimate their risk to fire, particularly at home. In a fire situation, we have seen advance planning can make a potentially life-saving difference.

A home escape plan includes working smoke alarms on every level of the home, in every bedroom, and near all sleeping areas. It also includes two ways out of every room, usually a door and a window, with a clear path to an outside meeting place that is a safe distance from the home. Home escape plans should be practiced twice a year by all members of the household.

Fire Safety Starts at Home...

Most fatal fires in Saskatchewan start in the home. Kitchen fires are the #1 cause of home fires. You can protect your family and property by taking these fire steps.

Smoke alarms save lives ONLY when they are working

- Test smoke alarms at least once a month – push the test button.
- Install new batteries at least once a year or when your alarm "chirps" with a low battery warning.
- Smoke alarms do wear out – replace every 10 years.

Make an escape plan

- Plan and then practice your escape. Every member of your family should know at least two ways out from every room.
- Make sure open doors and windows are easy to open. When escaping from an upper story window, plan a safe way to the ground.
- Pick a meeting place outside the home where every member of the family can gather once they've escaped.
- Know your local emergency number and call from a cell phone or a neighbor's house. Wait safely outside for the Fire Department to arrive.

Child fire play

- Children are fascinated by fire. Teach them about the dangers of fire and put fire starters out of their reach.
- Store matches and lighters up high or locked in cupboards.
- Don't leave children unsupervised around candles or open flames.
- Teach your children their part in the family escape plan.
- Let children know they should tell an adult if they find matches or lighters lying out – never to touch them.

Heat safety

- Keep space heaters and wood stoves off when you go to bed or leave the house.
- Always turn space heaters off when you go to bed or leave the house.
- Never leave children alone with a working fireplace, wood stove or space heater.
- Use a metal spark screen on your fireplace.
- Have your chimney inspected once a year by a professional. Clean chimney and flue pipes of creosote build up.
- Burn only dry, seasoned wood in wood stoves and fireplaces.



ABERDEEN CHRISTMAS MIRACLES



Sponsored by the Town and RM of Aberdeen

We follow this guideline: hamper recipients must live in the Town or RM of Aberdeen and/or children must go to school in Aberdeen.

Do you know a family in need of help or support? For example:

- Serious illness, surgery
- Layoff, accident, or other family trauma
- Someone who need food and/or winter clothes

Mrs. Claus & the elves need your help finding these families!

- Take a moment to carefully look around you
- Remember "need" can mean many things and can be long or short term
- Do not assume that we know everyone's situation
- Do not assume that someone is on our list
- Every situation (referral) is checked and verified from our four different sources
- No verification means no hamper
- Verification helps determine specific needs and set priorities / size and content of hampers
- Do not use our Facebook page for referrals: referrals are anonymous and confidential
- See below for contact info for referrals (Paulette, Marcea, or Post Office)
- Extra info is very helpful: full name, address, family situation, children's names and ages and sizes, allergies, medical conditions (that have dietary restrictions), etc.

**** Deadline for referrals is November 30, 2019 at 7pm****

Sincerely,

Mrs. Claus (Paulette) 306-220-5391

#1 Elf (Marcea) 306-291-6995

Facebook: Aberdeen Christmas Miracles Needs Help

e-transfers/cash/cheques - make payable to the Town of Aberdeen for a tax receipt

Donate November 12 to December 12

Anonymous suggestion box at the Post Office

Food / Clothes / Toy Boxes at Post Office, Town and RM offices, School, Paulette's or Marcea's houses

Cash boxes (for last minute stuff) at Gido's, Soul Wok, Liquor Store, Rec Complex, Town and RM Offices

**We have a long, long way to go. So, let us hasten along the road, the road of human
tenderness and generosity. Groping, we may find one another's hand in the dark.**

- **Emily Greene Balch 1946 Nobel Peace Laureate**



BORSCHT SUPPER

Tuesday, October **29th 2019**

Starting at 5:00 PM

at the Aberdeen Community Hall

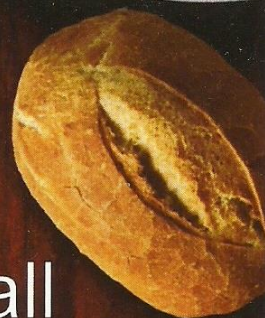
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WELLNESS, FOOTCARE & BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC:

Blood pressure or foot care is a free service. You can talk to a Registered Nurse about vitamins or prescription drugs, any other questions you may have, will be answered.

The clinic is held from 8:30am at the Aberdeen Seniors, as posted.

For an appointment contact: Nettie Thiessen 253-4447

Please **bring a towel** if you are receiving **foot care**.

Next clinic date: **October 2019** starting at **8:30am**

Senior Center is available for rent, Call for bookings, for \$35.00 a day.

For more information, contact the above phone numbers.



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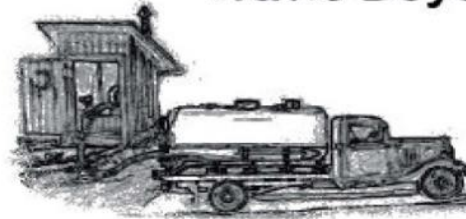
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1. Quarter page or less \$8.⁰⁰/issue
2. Half page or less \$15.⁰⁰/issue
3. Full page or less \$30.⁰⁰/issue
4. ** payment due upon submission **
5. Preferred payment is email money transfer

Ad Creation and/or modifications to submissions
Will be subject to a minimum \$20 service fee.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 20th of every month

**** If the 20th is a Saturday or Sunday,
the deadline is the Friday before****

Distribution date: 27th of every month
(July & Aug- no newsletter)

General:

The Aberdeen & District Newsletter is a free publication for the residents of Aberdeen and district made possible by funding from Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce, the Town of Aberdeen, the RM of Aberdeen, advertisements, subscriptions, and donations.

How do I subscribe?

Black and white copies are provided for free to anyone who rents a post office box from the Aberdeen post office. Don't have an Aberdeen post office box but want to receive a copy in the mail? You can subscribe for \$20/year. You can also subscribe to the electronic version (in colour) for free. Call or email the editor to be added to the mailing and/or electronic distribution list.

How do I submit an ad?

If you have an ad that is currently in print that you need to make changes to, please make changes and re-submit as a new ad. When submitting your ad, make sure it is print ready as it will appear how you submit it.

There are two ways to submit your advertisement:

1. Drop off a hard copy of your ad to the Aberdeen Post office
2. Email your ad as an attachment (preferred method)

Note: Accepted formats: Microsoft Publisher (.pub), Word (.doc), Excel (.xls),
PIC (.jpeg, tiff, png, pdf)

Contact Info :

Ann Maille : aberdeen.newsletter@gmail.com

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