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## APRIL 2021 LONG RANGE WEATHER FORECAST FOR THE PRAIRIES

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Dates	Weather Conditions
Apr 1-3	Sunny, warm
Apr 4-15	Rain and snow showers, cool
Apr 16-24	Sunny, turning warm
Apr 25-30	Showers, then sunny, cool
April	temperature 7°C (2°C above avg.) precipitation 30mm (avg.)

Apr 21–22, 2021  
Peak in Denver

Lyrids

Both Hemispheres

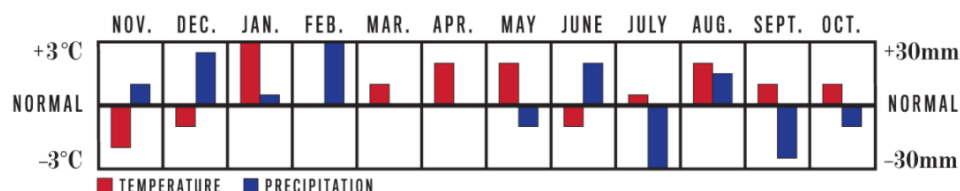


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TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION NOVEMBER 2020 TO OCTOBER 2021





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No 373

## Next Council Meeting

**April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

Council meetings are held the second Thursday of the month, unless changed by council. Meetings will start at 8:00 am. Council Meetings are available for viewing via Facebook Live. Any delegations wishing to address the council will be required to contact the office by the Friday prior to the meeting, all Covid restrictions apply.

## Assessment Notices

2021 Assessment Notices were mailed out on March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021. If you have not received your Notice yet, please contact the office.

The Assessment Notice is the official notice of the assessed value of your property as determined by SAMA. Your assessment notice will have the appeal form on the back of the sheet. The 2021 Deadline to appeal will be May 7, 2021 at 4:30pm. **This notice and time-frame is the only opportunity for appealing assessments during the year.** If you disagree with the property value established by SAMA, there is a formal appeal process available to you. Appeals must be based on an error in your property assessment and not based on the amount of taxes paid for the property. Property reports may be viewed on the SAMA website. Please check our website or Facebook page for updates on the deadline and other important information.

## Taxes/ Outstanding Invoices

2020 taxes were due on or before December 31, 2020. All outstanding taxes began collecting a penalty of 1% per month.

## 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 emergency services in a quick response time to your location.

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Monday – Friday  
8:00am- 5:00pm

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Road Crew Foreman:  
Darryl Klassen

Administrative Intern:  
Gwen Weisgerber

Office Assistant:  
Crystal Rainbow



### **Building Permits**

Building permits are only valid for 12 months from the date of issue. If a permit extension is required, please submit your request in writing to the RM office.

It is the responsibility of the landowner to ensure that inspections are completed as per the review plan and that Building Permits are closed in a timely manner.

Call or Text Nicole at BuildTECH Inspections at 306-370-2824 to book your inspection. Covid restrictions apply to all inspections.

### **Custom Work**

Custom Work is available to ratepayers in the RM of Aberdeen for snow removal, driveway grading and land leveling. A work authorization form is required prior to any work being done by the RM. Please contact the office or visit the website for more information.

### **Custom Work Rates:**

Ratepayers \$140/hr + PST (min \$70.00 before tax)

Elevators \$180/hr + PST (min \$90 before tax)

Developers \$180/hr + PST (min \$90.00 before tax)

### **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 adequate Fire Fighting Insurance coverage.

### **Pest Control Officer**

If you suspect a rat infestation on your property or on a neighbouring property, please call Denis, at 306-220-8996. Denis is conducting site visits and will be going around to all yard sites doing inspections. Rat poison can be picked up at the office during regular business hours.

***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](http://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 every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the Month. Our next council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday April 20, 2021.

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](http://www.aberdeen.ca)

All new buildings and additions greater than 100 square feet in building area are required to meet the National Energy Code of Canada. A 3-page "Energy Efficiency Compliance" form needs to be completed and submitted with your building and development permits. This 3-page form is not required for unheated detached garages or sheds.

### Building Permits

**Are required prior to construction of;**

All New Dwellings, Garage, Sheds – 100 sq ft & over (10x10 or larger), Decks, Additions, Basement Development, Structural changes to existing buildings.

Town Office will be  
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### LORAAS WASTE / RECYCLING / ORGANICS SCHEDULE

Mar 23 – Blue Bin (Recycling)  
Apr 6 – Blue Bin  
Apr 20 – Blue Bin



Mar 30 – Black Bin (Waste)  
Apr 13 – Black Bin  
Apr 27 – Black Bin

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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,** Ryan White  
**Deputy Mayor,** Brian Vandenberg  
**Councillor,** Jacquie Griffiths  
**Councillor,** Denise Kominetsky  
**Councillor,** Ben Levesque  
**Councillor,** Lori Sopotyk  
**Councillor,** Floyd Wudrick

### STAFF:

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Susan Thompson

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Wanda Rance

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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

On April 28<sup>th</sup>, the Town of Aberdeen will once again recognize the National Day of Mourning by lowering the flags.





**APRIL**  
**28**  
Day of Mourning

**We remember** those who died, or were injured or made ill, from their work

**We commit** to protecting workers and preventing further workplace tragedies

**On April 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021 the Town of Aberdeen will once again recognize the Federal and Provincial Day of Mourning by lowering the flags.**

The preliminary statistics for 2020 indicate that there were 34 work related deaths in the Province of Saskatchewan. Most are related to occupational disease (16), followed by traumatic incidents (7), motor vehicle (7) and heart attacks (4).

There will be no public meeting in the Town this year and our thoughts and thanks go out to all of the workers world-wide who remain at work to protect the health and safety of others while putting themselves at risk during this world pandemic. The pandemic has touched nearly every aspect of the world of work, from the risk of transmission of the virus in the workplaces to risks that have emerged as a result of measures to mitigate the spread of the virus including psychosocial risks and violence in particular.

The annual day for Safety and Health at work promotes the prevention of occupational injury and diseases globally. It is part of a campaign to raise awareness and intended to focus international attention on the magnitude of the problem and on how promoting and creating a safe and healthy culture in the workplace can reduce the number of work-related deaths, illnesses and injuries. Its purpose is to honor the memory of victims of occupational incidents and diseases.

While we honor the injured, the ill and the fallen workers on April 28<sup>th</sup>, we recognize the day as one for commemoration and for mobilization, we must also recognize that these injuries and fatalities can be prevented by having a strong health and safety culture in our workplaces.

- Over 100 countries recognize a world day for safety and health at work on April 28th.
- In 1988 Saskatchewan proclaimed The Victims of Workplace Injuries Day of Mourning Act.
- In 1990 the Federal Government passed the Workers Mourning Day Act.
- In 2003 the International Labour Organization (ILO) recognized the International Memorial Day to promote health and safety as a basic human right across the globe.



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**Congratulations to the winners:**

First Prize: Dan Kaminski  
Second Prize: Ryan Morlock  
Third Prize: Deanna Doherty

**Thank you to our sponsors:**

First Prize: Horizon Fertilizer & Edenville Farms  
Second Prize: Aero Delivery  
Third Prize: Airline Hotel

**Coming Soon**  
**Take Out Borscht Supper**  
**on Saturday May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021**  
at Aberdeen Seniors Centre  
from 4:00 pm – 6:00 pm

**100 only – Take out packs of:**

- 1 – Liter of Borscht (Beet, Cabbage, Summa Borscht)
- 2 – pieces of homemade Pie
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**Book ahead. Cut off date is April 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021**

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## **GOOD NEWS**



### **ABERDEEN COMMUNITY HALL**

#### **TAKE OUT SUPPER**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2021**

**5:00 PM – 6:30PM**

**MENU: Turkey, dressing, Ham, mashed potato, gravy, hot veggies & salad, cranberry sauce, and dessert.**

**Tickets \$25.00 each**

**TICKETS AVAILABLE at Gidos.**

**For more information and/or tickets you can call Nettie at 306-253-4447 or Dolores at 306-260-9146.**

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

**For an appointment contact: Nettie Thiessen 306-253-4447**

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

Next clinic dates: **April 20, 2021 and May 18, 2021**

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For more information, contact the above phone numbers.



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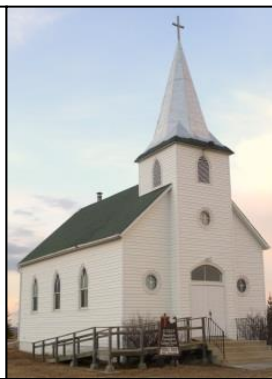
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20<sup>th</sup> Day of every month

\*\* If the 20<sup>th</sup> is a Saturday or Sunday, the deadline is the Friday before\*\*

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