

Aberdeen & District Newsletter

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September 2022 Long Range Weather Forecast for The Prairies

Dates	Weather Conditions
Sep 1-7	Scattered showers, cool
Sep 8-14	A few showers; mild east, cool west
Sep 15-20	Showers, cool
Sep 21-30	Sunny east, a few showers west; cool
September	temperature 10°C (1°C below avg.) precipitation 65mm (25mm above avg.)

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Oct 8–9, 2022
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Northern Hemisphere

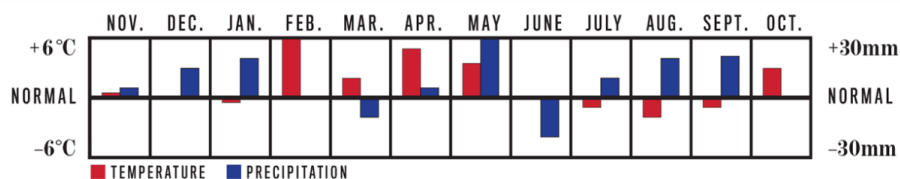


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Temperature and Precipitation November 2021 to October 2022





Next Council Meeting **September 8th, 2022**

Meeting will start at 8:00am. Any delegations wishing to address the council will be required to contact the office the Friday prior to the meeting at the latest.

Taxes

2022 Tax Notices have been sent out. If you have not received your notice, please contact the office. The last available discount is 2% for the month of September. 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.

Taxes are due December 31st, 2022.

Elections

This year, the positions of councillor for Divisions 2, 4, and 6 are up for election. The nomination period opens September 15th, and closes October 5th at 4:00pm. Election Day will be November 9th, 2022.

Transfer Station

The Aberdeen Transfer Station is open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 10am until 5pm. If you do not have a current Transfer Station card, please contact the office at 306-253-4312. Please check the RM of Aberdeen website for a list of accepted materials.

Controlled Burn

The RM council would like to remind everyone to take extreme caution while having a controlled burn. Do not 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, you will be fined \$500. If our fire department deems it necessary to call in fire fighters from neighbouring municipalities, all costs will be forwarded to the person responsible for starting the fire. Please ensure you have proper Fire Fighting Insurance coverage.

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Fax (306) 253-4445
rm373@sasktel.net
www.rmofaberdeen.ca

Hours:
Monday – Friday
9:00am – 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:
Bridgette Shwytky

Assistant Administrator:
Leah Johnston

Office Assistant:
Zoe Neudorf

Road Crew Foreman:
Darryl Klassen

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.

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.

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

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 \$150/hr + PST (min \$75.00 before tax)

Elevators \$200/hr + PST (min \$100.00 before tax)

Developers \$200/hr + PST (min \$100.00 before tax)

Animals Roaming at Large

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

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.

The office will be closed Monday, September 5th for Labour Day.



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



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 3rd Tuesday of the Month. Our next council meeting is scheduled for Tuesday September 20, 2022.

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

LORAAS WASTE / RECYCLING / ORGANICS SCHEDULE

Sept 6 – Blue Bin (Recycling)	Sept 13 – Black Bin (Waste)	Sept 1 - Green Bin
Sept 20 – Blue Bin	Sept 27 – Black Bin	Sept 15 - Green Bin
Oct 4 - Blue Bin	Oct 11 – Black Bin	Sept 29 - Green Bin

The Town of Aberdeen would like to welcome back the staff and students for the 2022-2023 school year which starts Thursday Sept. 1

REPORT SPEEDERS / CRIMES
If you come across vehicles speeding in Town or some criminal activity, please call RCMP directly at:
(306) 310-RCMP or (306) 310-7267.

If you see a street light is out report it directly to SaskPower

<https://saskpower.streetlightoutages.com/map/default.html>

Our Bylaw Enforcement Officer will be monitoring bushes and trees that are over hanging your property as they are damaging town equipment. Please ensure your trees are trimmed back in your back alleys, as well as around your front yard or hindering your neighbours. Failure to comply with this bylaw will result in a \$50.00 ticket being issued.

401C Main Street, PO Box 130
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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, Jacque Griffiths
Councillor, Denise Kominetsky
Councillor, Ben Levesque
Councillor, Lori Sopotytk
Councillor, Floyd Wudrick

STAFF:

Chief Administrative Officer:

Susan Thompson

Administrator 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)

**Town Office will be
CLOSED Monday Sept. 5**

2022 MONTHLY TAX DISCOUNTS / PENALTIES:

For prompt payment of 2022 taxes the following discounts are allowed:

Payments received in January 6.5% discount
Payments received in February 5.5% discount
Payments received in March 4% discount
Payments received in April 3% discount
Payments received in May 2% discount
Payments received in June 1% discount
Payments received in July .5% discount



Penalties for 2022 Tax arrears will be as follows:

August 1 (compounded monthly)	1%
September 1	1%
October 1	1%
November 1	1%
December 1	1%
On January 1, 2022 a 12% penalty will be applied to 2021 arrears	

Taxes are imposed the first day of January in each year and are due July 31.

Please remember there is NO discount for the School Portion of Taxes

Tax Estimate Notices for 2022 taxes will be sent in December 2021. 2022 Tax Notices will be sent mid May, once the School Division levies have been established and the Municipal Mill Rate has been set.

Smoke & Carbon Monoxide Alarm Installation Requirements – New Rules Effective July 1, 2022

On January 1, 2022, the *Construction Codes Act* and *Building Code Regulations* came into effect in Saskatchewan replacing the *Uniform Building and Accessibility Standards Act and Regulations*.

The *Building Code Regulations* has the following requirements that will come into force on **July 1, 2022**:

1. Every building that contains a residential occupancy is required to have smoke alarms installed inside **each bedroom**, in the **bedroom corridor**, and **each storey without a bedroom**. These smoke alarms are permitted to be battery operated. **If** the building was constructed before June 6, 1988, then the batteries used for the smoke alarms must be 10-year batteries (see photo attached for example of 10-year battery alarm).
2. Every building that contains a residential occupancy is required to have a carbon monoxide alarm installed inside **each bedroom OR** within 5 m (16') of **each bedroom door**. These carbon monoxide alarms are permitted to be battery operated. **If** the building was constructed before October 1, 2009, then the batteries used for the carbon monoxide alarms must be 10-year batteries (see photo attached for example of 10-year battery alarm).



What does this mean for owners?

If your residence is missing smoke and/or carbon monoxide alarms in the locations listed above, then as the owner it is your responsibility to install the missing alarms.

The municipality and building officials, MuniCode Services Ltd., are not required to enter every property to ensure that these alarms are installed. However, when a building official does enter the building for other reasons (building permit related), then due diligence by verifying the installation will be completed.

FENCE INSTALLATION – Currently the Town of Aberdeen does not require a Development Permit to construct a fence, as per Bylaw 04/15 and Bylaw 12/19, however we still require residents to follow the requirements for fences noted within our Zoning Bylaw section 4.7.

4.7.3 No wall, fence or other structure not otherwise permitted shall be erected in a required front yard or on a site line adjacent to a required front yard to a height of more than 1.0 metres above grade level.

BYLAW NO. 09/2020 – Amendment to 4.7.4 No wall, fence, screen or similar structure, excepting permitted accessory buildings, shall be erected in a required side or rear yard, or on a site line adjacent to a required side or rear yard, to a height of more than 2.0 metres above grade level, **and in a rear yard abutting any alley minimum of .61 metres from the rear property line.**



WELCOME BACK!!

THE ARC WILL BE OPENING SOON!

WHAT HAS BEEN GOING ON?

- ✓ The refrigeration plant has been getting repairs and upgrades which will continue into next year. The main rink will be ready for use September 26th!
- ✓ The former curling rink is being transformed into a Training Rink where U7 and U9 players will find a home along with elite hockey training camps. This rink will be operational Oct 17th!
- ✓ A 3000 Square foot exceptional Dry Land training gym is being constructed alongside a second area for a hockey shooting gallery which will contain 4 areas for puck shooting.
- ✓ A new multi-purpose room development to contain Taekwondo, yoga, and dance classes as well as a meeting or party room.
- ✓ A makeover has begun on a new Restaurant and Lounge area which will be opening this fall and will provide new menu options, school lunches, and catering availability.

This is an exciting time for the ARC and for the Town of Aberdeen. With all the upgrades and expansion of services we are looking for Full and Part time employees in the areas of Food and Beverage Service, Zamboni personnel, Custodial and General maintenance. Please send Resumes to aberdeenrecplex@gmail.com, call or text 306-371-4332, or pop down if you see us working! We offer competitive wages and benefit program for full time work.



We will be introducing Primal Hockey training programs with expert athletic Trainer and Coach Donnie Munro. If you play hockey, broomball, dance or other sports or just need fitness in your life you can book an hour slot with a results-oriented trainer. Please email Primal Athletics Training and Program Manager Lindsay @ primalathletics2022@gmail.com or call or text 306-291-1683.

A new website is under development and is expected to be online the first week of September. A Grand Opening will be in the works for later this fall!

Please share and if you know of someone who you think would be a good fit for employment, please pass along our contact information:

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Email: aberdeenrecplex@gmail.com

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JOBS AT THE ARC

The Arena Operator

- In the absence of the General Manager and Arena Manager, the Full Time or Part Time Arena Operator will give work direction to all staff on duty and be responsible for the safety of all user groups within the facility
- supervise part time staff as required
- complete arena maintenance, inspections and record keeping
- monitor refrigeration plant and all other mechanical
- perform ice maintenance, operate ice re-surfacer and edger keeping a safe ice surface thickness of 1.5"
- custodial duties and general building and equipment repairs as required
- ensure all entrances and exits are kept clear and safe of any debris and snow and the facility is neat and tidy at all times
- work on days/evenings/weekends and holidays as required - rotating schedule
- carry out other duties and activities as may be required
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ARENA ATTENDANT

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- The Arena Attendant is responsible for the following:
- custodial duties and general building and equipment repairs as required
- assist with monitoring refrigeration plant and all other mechanical equipment
- assist with perform ice maintenance, operate ice re-surfacer and edger keeping a safe ice surface thickness of 1.5"
- ensure all entrances and exits are kept clear and safe of any debris and snow and the facility is neat and tidy at all times
- work on days/evenings/weekends and holidays as required
- carry out other duties and activities as required
- Job Types: Part-time, Casual WAGE: \$15.00-\$17.00 per hour

FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVER

Job Description

Seeking a server who will be responsible for taking orders from and serving customers.

Duties will include taking food and drink orders via telephone calls or in person and preparing meals.

Ensure tables are served properly and all payments are collected.

In order to succeed in this role, servers will need a positive attitude and the ability to work under pressure with other staff. Previous work experience involving customer service would be greatly appreciated.

- Assist in food preparation.
- Serve food/drinks to customers in a positive friendly manner.
- Enter orders into the Point of Sale system for transmission to kitchen printers
- Engage with customers in a positive and friendly manner
- Make yourself knowledgeable of the menu, and the ability to make suggestions.

aberdeenrecplex@gmail.com

306-253-4332

FALL SUPPER AT THE



ABERDEEN COMMUNITY HALL SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH, 2022

PICKUP FOR TAKE OUT ORDERS

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IN PERSON SIT DOWN AT THE HALL

5:00 PM – 6:30 PM

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

PAYMENTS BY E-TRANSFER

(Please specify take out or in person when transferring)

Email aberdeencommunityhall2@outlook.com

Aberdeen Branch Library



Monday 11:00-2:00 and 5:00-8:00

Tuesday 12:00-3:00 and 5:30-8:30

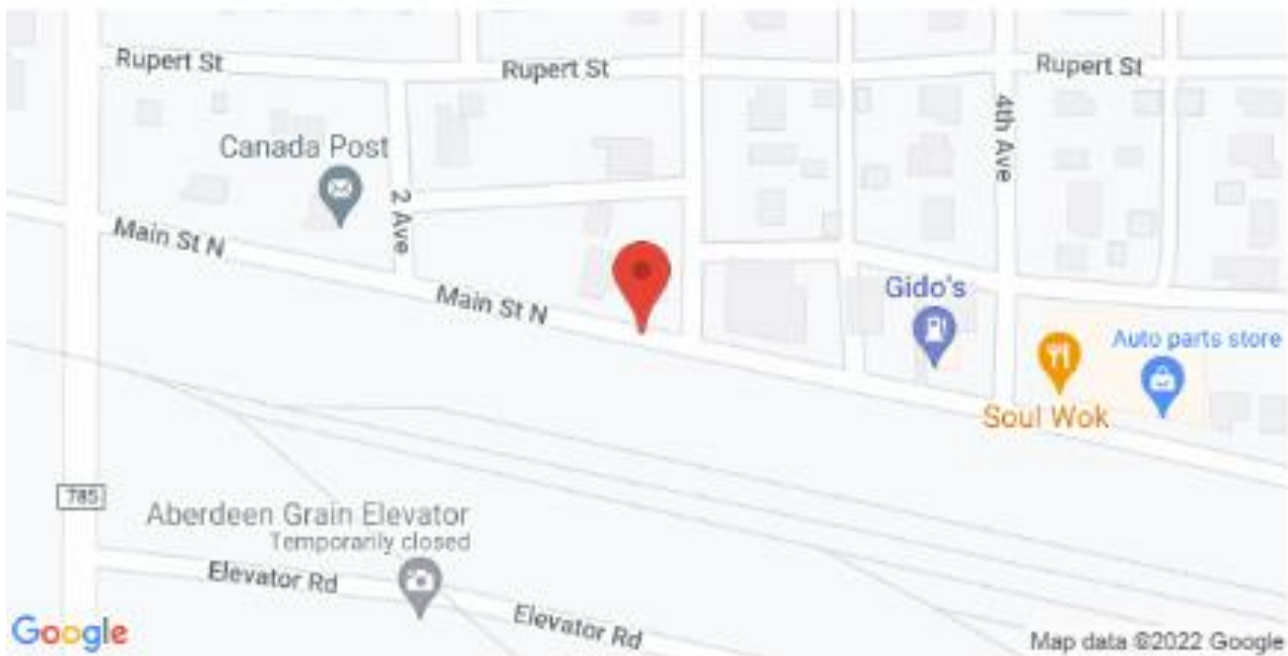
Wednesday 4:00-7:30

Thursday 5:30-8:30

Saturday 10:00-1:00

CHILDREN STORYTIME MONDAYS 11:00 am

Follow us on **Facebook Aberdeen Branch Library** for all our updates!





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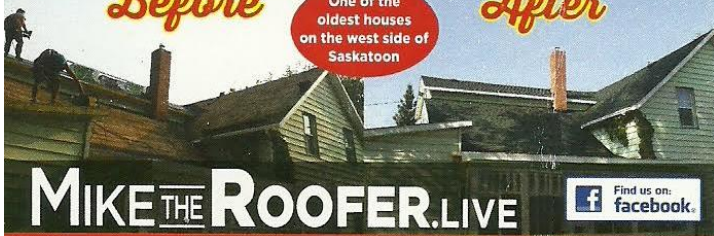
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Blood pressure or foot care is a free service. You can talk to a Registered Nurse about vitamins or prescription drugs, any other questions you may have, will be answered.

The clinic is held 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: **No Clinic Dates until further notice**

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The team is looking for vehicles that are sitting in your yard and taking up space; vehicles must be 1990 or newer. With these vehicles we are able to keep up our vehicle extrication training.

Contact Adrien Hamoline (306-230-1603)

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3. Half page or less \$15.⁰⁰/issue
4. Full page or less \$30.⁰⁰/issue

**** Payment Due Upon Submission ****

Preferred payment is E-Transfer to Aberdeen.newsletter@gmail.com

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

SUBMISSION DEADLINE:

20th Day 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)**



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