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## Preschool Paint Night

### Fundraiser update!

We have not forgotten our promise to put on the next Paint Night fundraiser...we are currently planning out the details and are hoping to hold this in August sometime. We want to thank all the ticket holders who have been so patient with us during this time. We have some research to do as we seek to follow provincial guidelines for this event. All current ticket holders will be contacted once we have the details ironed out and a date set. We are also looking into also providing a virtual option. If you are interested in attending or have any questions, please contact Larissa: 780-878-1751

## Preschool Pre-register

Greetings everyone! It's now officially summer - woo-hoo!! Ryley Community Preschool will be open and running in September, following all government guidelines to keep your little ones and our staff safe. More detailed information will be made available to parents closer to the first day of school. Pre-register your 3-5 year olds by August 28, 2020 by contacting:

Larissa Holowachuk at 780-878-1751,

ryleycommunitypreschool@outlook.com

Or message us on Facebook.

...we look forward to seeing you in the fall!

## Ryley Woodcrafts

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ryleywoodcrafts@gmail.com



Left to right: Deputy Mayor Cyndy Heslin, CAO Glen Hamilton-Brown (Hambro) & Mayor Terry Magnuson.

It was with great pleasure that we celebrated the one year anniversary of our CAO on June 10th. We surprised him with cake and a gift as a small token of our appreciation.

Over this past year we have seen many challenges and many changes to the way the municipal landscape is shaping up. Whilst managing these, CAO Hambro has been helping create new initiatives like the Ryley School Project, the Solar Panel Project, and the new Ryley Community Together program while managing the ever changing demands of COVID-19 over the last 4+ months.

We would like to take this time to thank CAO Hambro for his dedication and determination to help Council continue to serve our residents in the best manner possible. Here's hoping the next year is not as challenging and sees the results of all your hard work.  
*Submitted by: Mayor Magnuson and Council*

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July 2020



## CAO's Corner:

Hello Ryley – Welcome to Summer!

It is finally starting to feel like summer as we are enjoying some hotter days now. I encourage you to get out and enjoy it while keeping "COVID Safe". As we are all seeing in the news, COVID cases are starting to rise again, especially in some states in the USA as they opened too aggressively in May. We need to remain vigilant. It has been a long challenge on our mental and physical health. It is proving to be a marathon as advertised; success is all about permanently changing how we act and move about in public. We must be aware of how the bug spreads if we are to prevent the spread and we must battle false rumours, dangerous anecdotes and conspiracy theories with hard science, true statistical data and facts. The most important data is that the virus spreads through your mouth and nose into your lungs. Therefore firstly, keeping distance from others will ensure you cannot spread it or catch it. Unless secondly, you leave it or pick it up from some transfer point – something that you touch. That is all. That is key. That is the secret! Every other rule is based on this. Keeping our hands clean and away from our face is simply battling the transportation system used by the virus

Based on the protocols we must implement if we open the office, we are keeping the office locked for a while longer. I feel that we would only be inviting you to increase your chances of spreading the virus if we were to open our door. Of course, if we were a business that relied on walk-in traffic, it would be worth the risk and the measures that the provincial health officer orders require. However, I feel quite strongly that we are serving you well and that we can continue to serve you in every way you need while our door remains closed. We are logging every phone call and monitoring every issue. We are returning your call if you leave a message and we are arranging appointments, if necessary. The provincial health protocols that we would need to implement if we were to open the door would reduce our efficiency too much because we would need to spend too much extra time doing those additional health protocol tasks such as greeting people outside, briefing people on our measures, conducting a safety questionnaire and briefing, controlling the movement of people inside the building, and wiping and cleaning surfaces after each person. We simply do not have enough staff to do all these tasks required without reducing our efficiency. Finally, I feel that by going through all of this, we would be encouraging you to come down and spread the virus. I cannot see the wisdom in opening the door yet.

I must apologize that we have not kept you up to date on the RV Dumping Station. In the fall we closed it a little early because it became plugged, and we could not get it cleared. This spring we still could not get it

cleared and we sent a camera down there to discover that the blockage had caused the underground pipes to separate. It will be a large cost to dig up the ground and reattach this sewage pipe. Interestingly, with it closed, we discovered through enquiries that many people from miles around, including people from Edmonton, use our RV Dumping Station because it is free dumping and free water: you as tax payers have been paying for this through municipal costs - the gallons of water that Ryley has been giving out freely has been expensive. We will be constructing a shower and toilet building at the campground soon and we plan to move the RV Dumping Station to be tied in with this new building. Therefore, it does not make sense to spend too much on the present location. Either way, when we re-open our RV Dumping Station, we will be adding some water metering controls to make outsiders pay for our water.

We received numerous queries about this year's tax bills: Where are they? When will they be sent out? Council approved the Annual Budget on June 29. Therefore, we are now assembling the Tax Bills and expect to have them in the mail very soon. I will remind everyone that Council made a resolution to waive the first late fees in 2020: given the financial hardship that the pandemic has caused, your only due date in 2020 is 30 November with unpaid bills being penalized only once this year on 1 December.

Please call the office and leave a message if you have any questions or concerns. We will contact you and answer your questions or concerns. Stay safe Ryley.

CAO Glen Hamilton-Brown



On Wednesday, June 10 Ryley Mayor Terry Magneson, Deputy Mayor Cyndy Heslin, Councillors Brian Ducherer, Mathew Kowachuk and CAO Glen Hamilton-Brown broke ground out at the Solar Panel Project site located by the Ryley Lagoon.

### 2020 Hosting Fees from Clean Harbors:

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**Friday's & Saturday's** Closed

### Sunday's

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We are practicing social distancing,  
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**Snack Shack** is open! Hot dogs, smokies, slushes, ice cream, popcorn. And much more!

Farmers! If you are looking for home cooked meals or just sandwiches while in the fields, call ahead and we can have it ready for you. We are keeping delivery an option at additional cost of course, ONLY if we find someone for delivery.

**We have missed you all and thank you for your continued support**  
**Call 780-663-3300**

## Ol' Blue Community Coach

Looking for transportation for your group or organization? Ol' Blue Community Coach is available for rent by groups, organizations, families and more! "Ol' Blue Community Coach Society" operates this 36 passenger bus - and are based here in Ryley. We can provide the transportation you need! For more information or to book the Bus, contact Marvin Ansell at 780-663-3796.

## Ryley Pies

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Wednesday and Friday

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## Good News Community Church Sunday Service

Every Sunday the Good News Community Church holds a broadcast church service. You can listen in by tuning your radios to 88.7fm at 11:00 a.m. You will need to get as close as possible to the church to pick up the broadcast. If you are close enough you may be able to get it from your home.

**For more information contact Pastor Mark 780 663-3664.**

Email: [pastor@ryleygncc.ca](mailto:pastor@ryleygncc.ca)  
website: [ryleygncc.ca](http://ryleygncc.ca)

## Tofield-Ryley WECAN Depot

**July Fees due July 10th - Pick up July 23rd**

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  3. We welcome any new members who might like to get great, fresh meat and produce for \$25 once a month. For more info, call or text Dawn at 780-991-1429 or Treva at 780-718-5420.
  4. Orders are due by 5 pm the 1st Thurs. of the month.
  5. If you want to order you have several options:
    - a. E-transfer to [tofieldwecan@gmail.com](mailto:tofieldwecan@gmail.com)
    - b. Drop your envelope through the door letter slot at the Food Bank - 5204 50 st, Tofield. They are keeping the orders for me.
    - c. Drop through the mail slot at the Ryley Village office front door.
- PLEASE DO NOT DROP THEM IN THE BOOK RETURN AT TOFIELD LIBRARY until this COVID-19 crisis is over.
- Please take care and stay safe.**



## Community Together Update

Hello Ryley! We want to update everyone on the progress and upcoming projects for Community Together. You may have noticed that the Community Together Program partnered with the Sports Day boxes this year. What better way to launch this program than to offer some fun activities, like the Ryley Scavenger Hunt in a time when most of us are looking for some new ways to have fun and even learn closer to home. Big congrats to the prize draw winners for the Scavenger Hunt!

We have been working hard on assessing the needs of the people and families within our community. Looking for new and unique ways we can provide value to those in need and those who want to help.

As with any new program or service and especially in times of social distancing, we need an internet presence. Currently, we are in the process of completing an easy sign up form on the Ryley.ca website. On this page, [www.ryley.ca/community-together](http://www.ryley.ca/community-together) you can learn more about the types of assistance we can offer and the contact information if you would like to reach out to us. Very soon, we will have a fully functional sign-up form which will assist us in keeping people up to date with information and ensuring the needs of the community are being met as best as possible.

We are also nearing completion of a Facebook presence. Soon, you can search Community Together - Village of Ryley and see what we are working on. The purpose of this is to provide a forum for us to stay socially connected and share ideas on what we can do to make a difference.

The Ryley Helping Hands Program has also joined with Community Together. So, if there comes a time when you need a hand, and we all need one every once in a while, please do not hesitate to reach out to us!

Lastly, we are brainstorming ideas on how to get the community together while still following Provincial Health guidelines. A way for us to hear your ideas, thoughts, concerns while providing some fun in a positive environment. We want to hear from you-the community! While we work on finishing up the internet side of communication, we want to remind everyone that you can reach out to Community Together via phone or email and we look forward to hearing from you!

**Community Together**  
**Programmer**  
**(780)663-3653**  
**[commtog@ryley.ca](mailto:commtog@ryley.ca)**



## Ryley Museum - Special Thanks

The Ryley Museum Society would like to thank Clean Harbors and the Bathgate Water Co-op for their very generous donation of \$ 30,000 towards several Museum projects, expanding our pole shed and developing a computer cataloging system. We greatly appreciate your help in preserving Ryley and area history, thanks again!

Other museum news: We anticipate that we will not be opening this summer because of covid 19, however we may be able to open by appointment only for very special occasions, following proper health protocols, but no guarantees. For more information please contact Willis at 780-886-8144.

## Fire Hydrant Painting

During Sports Day we painted some fire hydrants and there are still a couple left. If anyone is interested please contact Angel to make arrangements and get paint. Thank you to all those that participated and added a little color to Ryley. They look great and we have had many compliments about them and people love that the community creates fun projects such as this. To participate contact Angel at 780-663-3653 or email [angel@ryley.ca](mailto:angel@ryley.ca)



## Trees and Grass

**Trimming Trees and bushes:** Residents are responsible to trim their trees and bushes to be within the bounds of their own property. This applies to back alleys, trees and bushes hanging over the sidewalk, and hanging over your neighbour's property. Help the Village walkways stay clear for everyone to use, prune your trees and bushes. Please be courteous to your neighbours to ensure that your trees and shrubbery do not encroach on their property.

**Grass Clippings:** Many of our streets cannot be cleaned by the street sweeper. **Please do not blow your grass clippings onto the street or alley.** They decompose, become mud and can plug up the curbs and drainage system. Public works employees have been out hand shoveling the gutters to get them clean. Please do your part by keeping them clear of grass and leaves.

## VILLAGE OF RYLEY

### FINAL READING

#### ADOPTION OF THE RYLEY MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN BYLAW NO. 2020-935

The Village of Ryley intends to adopt a new Municipal Development Plan to address future land use and development, provision of transportation systems, environmental matters, and other matters related to the physical, social, and economic development.

The Council for the Village of Ryley scheduled a public hearing to consider arguments for and against the proposed bylaw to adopt the new MDP. The public hearing was held on Tuesday, April 7, 2020 at 7 p.m., in the Ryley Municipal Office.

A copy of the proposed bylaw is available at the Ryley Municipal Office during regular business hours or on-line at [www.ryley.ca](http://www.ryley.ca).

If you have any final input, in advance please contact the Ryley Municipal Office, Glen Hamilton-Brown, CAO at 780-663-3653 or at [cao@ryley.ca](mailto:cao@ryley.ca). If you submit comments regarding the bylaw in writing, the information you provide may be made public, subject to the provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

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## PARAGON THEATRE REOPEN – MOVIES

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Both the Theatre volunteers and Patrons are expected to follow all the current Alberta Health guidelines for COVID-19. These include:

- Hand Sanitization upon entry & exit to Theatre
- Complete Health Quiz upon entry
- Provide Contact name & number for contact tracing, kept only by Theatre & destroyed after 14 days
- Masks by Patrons are required for Patrons entering and moving within Theatre. Masks can be removed while seated.
- Seating is only in designated places to meet physical distance.
- Recommend social distancing while moving within the Theatre
- Volunteers will be wearing masks & gloves
- Theatre cleaning of public contact points between shows.
- Limited restroom use

For any more information or updates, contact 780-720-5839 or email: [beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com](mailto:beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com)  
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#### Paragon Movie Ideas

We want to hear from you and what movies you would like to see. Send us an email at [beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com](mailto:beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com)

### Ryley Market

**CANCELED due to COVID19 Restrictions**

Please watch for updates in the August Village Voice. If you have any questions please contact Angel at 780-663-3653 or email: [angel@ryley.ca](mailto:angel@ryley.ca).

## TRBW FCSS

### Ryley Summer Fun Program

**Program Cost:** FREE!!! Ages 6-12

**Program Dates:** Begins Thursday July 2nd and runs Monday to Friday until the end of August excluding August 3rd.

**Program Delivery:** As we are unable to deliver a program in-person this year, we have designed our summer program with a daily schedule of activities for families to pick and choose from. The schedule is available in a paper or an electronic format. TRBW FCSS and our partners have included instructions for all activities to do alone and some fun on-line videos and virtual classes for other days.

An activity bag or supplies will be provided to families who register for the program.

**Program Activities:** A series of games, crafts, cooking lessons, library, volunteering, mental health activities, virtual paint classes from a local artist and exercises with a local gold medalist.

**Registration Required:** Contact Sam at 780-662-7067 to register for the program and receive your schedule and activity supply bag for July.

**Program Partners:**



### Tofield/Ryley/Beaver County West FCSS

#### Ryley Appointments

FCSS will be in the Beaver County Office July 15, 23 & 30. Full day 8:30 to 4:30 p.m. with the exception of 12-1 for lunch. To make an appointment please call FCSS Office at 780-662-7067 or email Tracy at [tboas-tradley@tofieldalberta.ca](mailto:tboas-tradley@tofieldalberta.ca)

### Fountain of Youth

Tofield/Ryley/Beaver County West has put together a "Fountain of Youth" that will be put up in the Ryley Golden Lion Manor.

We are asking for the youth in our community to add to this fountain for our seniors to appreciate. Youth can contribute a drawing, a poem or maybe a nice joke for them to enjoy while we are social distancing.

Please submit your art to the attention of Sam Giegold at TRBW FCSS through email at [communityprogrammer@tofieldalberta.ca](mailto:communityprogrammer@tofieldalberta.ca) and we will post it to the fountains!



### A Note of Thanks and Appreciation

This year has been a busy year of building our program and strengthening relationships in Beaver County and area. As we reflect on our progress, we would like to express our appreciation to our learners, tutors and our community partners.

We will continue to offer both small classes and one on one tutoring in Basic Math, Reading and Writing, Digital Skills and English Language Learning. We are planning to offer the New Futures Career Transition Program in the fall as well as some, general interest courses open to all Beaver County and area residents.

Our office will have reduced hours over the summer but we will check phone messages and emails weekly. We look forward to seeing you in the Fall.

Beaver County Community Adult Learning Staff and Council.

**Thank you!**

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## McPherson Municipal Library

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During this crisis, we also offer DELIVERY for those who cannot come into our Food Bank because transportation problems, isolation/quarantine, or just because our hours of operation don't work for you.

## Ryley Council Meeting Dates

via video conference.

Tue. July 7 & 21 - Regular Council - 6:45 p.m.

Regular Council Meetings are held the first and third Tuesday of the month. Meetings start at 6:45 p.m. and are being conducted via video conference. Connection information will be posted on the village website and front window of the Municipal Office on the north side of the front door.

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## Doing Your Taxes?

## What's In It For You?

Tofield/Ryley/Beaver County West FCSS have invited our partners from the Canada Revenue Agency Outreach Program to host a series of seven information sessions. These learning series are available by teleconference or webinar.

The series includes - COVID Benefits Overview, Scams and Digital Services, Seniors Benefits & Credits for All, Home Accessibility Tax Credit, Newcomers Benefits and Credits for All, Indigenous Benefits and Credits for All, Disability Tax Credit and Students and Youth.

If you would like to learn more about benefit and credit payments you might be eligible for, then please call our office to register for one or all of the sessions at 780-662-7067.

June 30, 2020	Overview of all COVID related benefits. Morning 10:30am.
July 6, 2020	SCAMS and Digital Services. Evening at 6:30pm
July 7, 2020	Seniors Benefits & Credits for all and Home Accessibility Tax Credit. Afternoon 1:30pm.
July 9, 2020	Newcomers Benefits and Credits for All. Evening at 6:30pm
July 13, 2020	Indigenous Benefits and Credits for all. Evening 6:30pm.
July 14, 2020	Benefits and Credits for all and Disability Tax Credit. Afternoon 1:30pm.
July 16, 2020	Students and Youths. Evening 6:30pm.



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# UPCOMING events



JULY 1, 2020

**HAPPY CANADA DAY!**

**Ryley Municipal Office CLOSED**

**Sunday, July 5, 12, 19 & 26, 2020**

- Good News Community Church Sunday Service on 88.7fm. Must be close to church. See ad for full details.

**Thursday, July 15, 23 & 30, 2020**

- FCSS in Ryley from 8:30 to 4:30 p.m. at the Beaver County Office. See ad for details.

**Tuesday, July 7, 2020**

- Regular Council Meeting, 6:45 p.m. via video conference. See ryley.ca for meeting video link or call 780-663-3653.  
- TBBW FCSS Ryley Summer Fun Program starts. See ad for details.

**Friday, July 10, 2020**

- WECAN Fees Due. See ad for details.

**Saturday, July 18, 2020**

- Paragon Theatre Movie at 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. See ad for movie details.

**Tuesday, July 21, 2020**

- Regular Council Meeting, 6:45 p.m. via video conference. See ryley.ca for meeting video link or call 780-663-3653.

**Thursday, July 23, 2020**

- WECAN Pick up. See ad for full details.

**Are you reopening? Have you booked a new date for your event?**

**We want to help you get this information out to the public. Contact Angel to have your business or event information in the next issue of the Village Voice at no cost.**

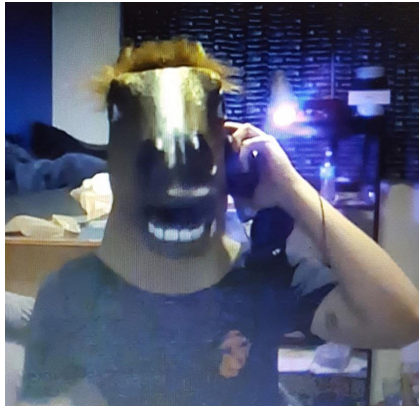
**Angel 780-663-3653 or email [angel@ryley.ca](mailto:angel@ryley.ca)**



## Sports Day - Safety Style

Well this was a year we won't forget! It was an interesting time for the Sports Day Committee but we managed to put our heads together and came up with a social distancing event that was different on many levels. It was nice to hear how much the residents enjoyed the box and the weekend's activities. It's wonderful to see all the flowers and painted fire hydrants, you all did a awesome job! Huge thank you to the committee and all our volunteers. Many hours went into building 250 boxes and delivering them to all your door steps. Social distancing had it's challenges during that time but everyone

did a great job and we went through a lot of hand sanitizer! I had so much fun with the Zoom Party and hope we can do that again. We had a visitor all the way from Washington State USA join in and that sure sparked many questions about the differences between our countries and language, we even had a bit of a pet show with turtles, bunnies, cats and dogs with a short visit from a horse.



Thank you to everyone that participated and submitted photos on Ryley Communicates Facebook page, we hope to continue with these activities in the future. Big thank you to Ryley Woodcrafts for creating all the wood flowers and cutting our wood tiles. You did a beautiful job and I look forward to working with you in the future. For anyone who wishes to purchase more wood flowers or wood crafts please contact Ryley Woodcrafts at 780-910-9388 or email



ryleywoodcrafts@gmail.com

This year's Parade Winners are as follows:  
Best Business: Gradient Imaging  
Best Organization/Group: Ryley Fire Department  
Best Youth/Child: Kumson Electrical  
If you have not had a chance yet to see the Parade video you can find it on our website at ryley.ca and on our Ryley Communicates Facebook page. Thank you to everyone that participated in this year's parade, it

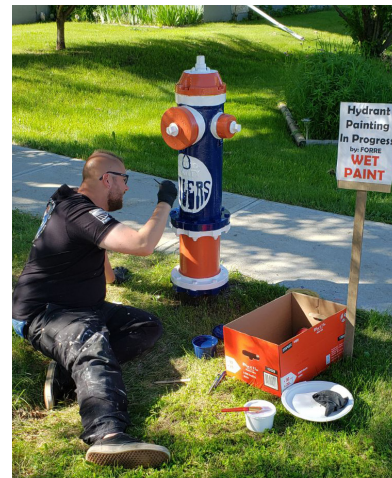


was lots of fun working with you all in creating our first ever virtual parade.

Our Ryley Recycle winners are Judy Magnuson with her pillows made from old jeans, scrap back and recycled zippers, Deanna Klassen with her wishing well made with recycled wood, old garden hose, old fish filter pump and

flower pot, Vivian Annell with her Flower Garden scene made with buttons, gold balls, bottle lids, egg cartons, sports day box supplies and art supplies and final winner Sherry Vanstone with her yard art of an old plow and rock garden. Winners have recived a basket of BBQ goodies. You can find photos of all recycled art pieces on Ryley Communicates Facebook page or on Facebook #RyleyRecycles.

Watch on Ryley Communicates for the #RyleyArt Voting Poll. Please take a few minutes and vote for your favorite Ryley Art Piece. Winner of poll will receive a donated surprise from Ryley Woodcrafts. Winner will be announced in the August Village Voice.



Once again the fireworks went off with a bang and

the show was amazing! Always a pleasure working with Uncle Johns Fireworks. There was a small video put together by Gradient Imaging and his drone. The video can be found on Ryley Communicates Facebook page and youtube at <https://youtu.be/s0CsBNiUSnc>. There are amazing shots of Ryley from above.



Our Scavenger Hunt winner is the Vanstone Family. Vanstones won a family summer basket full of goodies. Community Together had lots of fun creating this activity and hopes everyone that participated did as well.

All of the weekend winners photos and flower and sidewalk chalk video will be posted on Ryley Communicates Facebook page and Ryley website in the upcoming weeks. I encourage you to join Ryley Communicates if you already have not and keep connected and up to date on what's happening in Ryley. Another Sports Day for the books and I can't wait until



June 18 & 19 of 2021!

#WhatsForBreakfastRyley  
by Marvin and Vivian Annell



2020 Sports Day Committee: Mayor Terry Magnuson, Deputy Mayor Cyndy Heslin, Councilors Mathew Kowalchuk and Brian Ducherer, CAO Hambro, Angel Matyachuk, Deanna, Mike, Kaltie and Savannah Klassen.

2020 Sports Day Volunteers: Kallie Magnuson, Emmeie Kischook and Shawn Forre.

