

# Out and About February 2020



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### Free Family Day Event; February 17

Spend time with family and friends on Family Day. Activities will include:

- \* Family skate
- \* Hot dog lunch
- \* Face Painting
- \* Board Games
- \* Outdoor activities (weather permitting)

Located at the Bon Accord arena from 11 am - 1pm. Donations to the Bon Accord Gibbons Food Bank will be accepted.

# **Bon Accord & District Community**

League Soccer Registration
Registration for the 2020 outdoor

soccer season is now open!
Information, along with the Registration form and the Waiver and Release of Liability forms is available on the Town of Bon Accord website at: www.bonaccord.ca

#### **Employment Opportunities**

The Town of Bon Accord will be hiring Seasonal Summer Staff. Information will be on our website and Facebook page.

#### **Pickleball**

The Pickleball drop in program is in session until April 27. It is held on Monday evenings from 6:30 - 8:00 pm. Everyone over the age of 16 is welcome, \$5/drop in. Meet new people, learn a new game, and get active at the Lilian Schick School gym.



# **Anti-Bullying Day; February 26**

On February 26 we encourage everyone to wear pink to show that we are all working together to prevent bullying in our schools, in our communities, and online. Did you know:



- \* 75% of adult internet users in Canada, ages 18+, self-reported to having been victim of cyber-bullying at some point in their lives.
- \* 40% of Canadian workers experience bullying on a weekly basis.
- \* Canada has the 9th highest rate of bullying in the 13yr old category on a scale of 35 countries.

Cited from Canadian Institutes of Health Research

#### **Community Standards Bylaw Update**

At the December 17, Regular Meeting of Council, Council approved changes to the Community Standards Bylaw #2019-15. Changes include (but not limited to):



8. SNOW, ICE, DEBRIS OR OBSTRUCTION 8.1. All persons within the Town owning, controlling or occupying property that adjoins any sidewalks shall remove or cause to be removed and cleared away, all snow, ice, dirt, debris or other material from that part of the sidewalk adapted to the use of

pedestrians. Such removal shall be completed within ninety-six (96) hours of the time when the snow, ice, dirt, debris or other material was formed or deposited thereon. Where an Owner or Occupier anticipates being absent, the Owner or Occupier must make arrangements to ensure the Sidewalks are maintained in accordance with this bylaw.

Visit our website for the full Bylaw #2019-15

#### **Water and Wastewater Bylaw updates**

Water Bylaw #2019-16 and Wastewater Bylaw #2020-01 were passed at the Regular Meeting of Council on January 7 and January 21, 2020, respectively. Water rates are increasing \$0.05/m3 for residential, commercial and institutional customers due to a flow through charge from the Regional water supplier (CRNWSC). Due to an increased flow through rate from the Alberta Capital Region Wastewater Commission (ACRWC), there will be an increase of \$0.08/m³ for the consumption charge of the Town's waste water rates for residential, commercial and industrial. Bulk Water rates have also increased, to help with future infrastructure costs.

Updated bylaws can be found on our website www.bonaccord.ca



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Hours

Mon. 10-4:30 Tues. 10-8 Wed. 10-8 Thurs. 10-8



Fri. 10-4:30

# **SPECIAL EVENTS**

Book Club: (Feb 3) Defending Jacob by William Landay (Mar 2) Beartown by Fredrik Backman

English Language Learning: Classes will be held in our library January 20-April 6 \$40 per person Call 780-923-2374

Computer Classes: Microsoft Excel & One Note February 3-7, 9am-4pm, Cost: \$20 Space is Limited!

**Winter Reading Program:** Read books during January & February and enter to win a Samsung Galaxy Tab A tablet. Pick up a reading log today!

**Lego Day:** On February 21 Create and Learn is coming to do a workshop in our library! Build a motorized amusement park, and make a mosaic.. 1pm-3pm Please pre-register \$10 per child

**Blind Date with a Book:** Single? In a relationship? It's complicated? For the month of February you can go on a "blind date". All display books are wrapped in brown paper. Simply select one based on the first line.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
L = Library Program T = Town Activity					T– Household waste	1
2 L—closed	3 L-ELL 10:15am L-Book Club; 6pm T-Pickleball 6:30pm	4 T– Regular Meeting of Council 7:00pm	5	6 L– No Krafty Kids	7 T– Household waste and Recycle	8 L - CLOSED
9 L—closed	10 L- ELL 10:15am T- Pickleball 6:30pm	11 L—Board Meetings 7pm	12 L—Knit or Knots 7pm	13 L—Krafty Kids 6pm	14 T– Household waste	15 L - CLOSED
16 L—closed	17 T- Closed L- Closed Family Day Event (arena)	T—Regular Meeting of Council 8:30 am L—Krafty Teens 6pm	19 L—Knit or Knots 7pm L— Genealogy 7pm	20 L—Krafty Kids 6pm	21 T– Household waste and Recycle L– Lego Day 6pm	22 L—CLOSED
23 L—closed	24 L- ELL 10:15am T- Pickleball 6:30pm	25	26 L—Knit or Knot 7pm Pink Shirt Day	27 L– Krafty Kids 6pm	28 T– Household waste	29 L—CLOSED
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L—Krafty Teens

T– Pickleball

6:30pm