



# July 2020

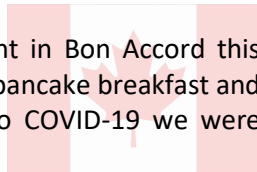


## Taxes

During the Special Meeting of Council on April 7, Council passed Bylaw 2020-16, deferring the 2020 property tax penalty. The Town is committed to providing feasible supports to residents and businesses during the COVID-19 pandemic, and approved the bylaw in an effort to assist residents that may be financially impacted by the pandemic. Property taxes are due by August 31, 2020. The Town encourages those residents who are financially able to, to pay their taxes prior to the deadline. If you require further information about your property taxes, the TIPP program, or to make payment arrangements, please contact the Town at 780.921.3550.

## Happy Canada Day

Canada Day looked very different in Bon Accord this year—hands up who missed the pancake breakfast and mini flags. Unfortunately, due to COVID-19 we were unable to obtain the yard flags.



## Summer Camp

COVID-19 has changed many things this year, Summer camps are one of them. Because of the restrictions, we were unable to hire Summer Staff. Community Services is looking for innovative ways to host camps. Stay tuned for more information.



## Pet Reminder

With warmer weather at our doorstep, many people are enjoying more time outdoors with their pets.

We remind everyone that dogs must be leashed at all times, and it is your responsibility to pick up your pet's waste. There are a few dog waste stations throughout the Town.

## Road Construction

Paving of 48th Avenue from 50th Street to 49th Street and 49A Street will occur from mid July until the end of September. Weather permitting. For more information please contact the Town Office 780-921-3550.



## Utilities

In an effort to assist residents during the COVID-19 pandemic, Council passed Bylaw 2020-17 approving the cancellation of utility penalties for the period of March 1 to June 30, 2020. As we welcome summer and the month of July, the utility deferral period has now passed. Please note the next utility penalty date on your current enclosed bill; contact the Utility Administrator at the Town Office if you have any questions or need to make payment arrangements 780.921.3550.

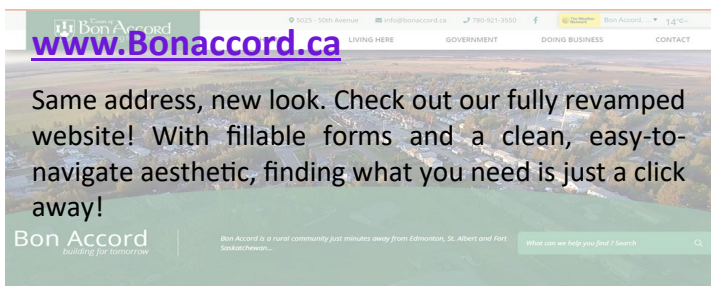
## Mental Health Initiative

Beginning July 13th, you will see many green ribbons, tags, and sidewalk art throughout the Town. Community Services, volunteers, and Bon Accord youth will be tying green ribbons and information regarding mental health—important phone numbers and inspirational messages.



## Council Summer Schedule

Following the July 7 Regular Meeting of Council, Council will be taking a summer break. The next scheduled meeting is August 18 at 8:30 a.m.





### New Library Hours:

Monday 10:00 am -3:30 pm  
 Tuesday 10:00 am -7:00 pm  
 Wednesday 10:00 am -6:00 pm  
 Thursday 10:00 am – 7:00 pm  
 Friday 10:00 am -3:30 pm

Phone: 780-921-2540 Fax: 780-921-2580

email: [librarian@bonaccordlibrary.ab.ca](mailto:librarian@bonaccordlibrary.ab.ca)

website: [www.bonaccordlibrary.ab.ca](http://www.bonaccordlibrary.ab.ca)

### Library Packs:

We have put together theme packs for children which includes books, coloring pages, and a craft.

### Curbside Pick up:

We are still offering curbside pick up if you would prefer during open hours.



### SPECIAL EVENTS

**Knit or Knots:** While we can't meet in the library we are having Knit or Knots in the park! 6:30-8:30 in Centennial Park (train park) for some socially distant conversation

### Summer Reading Program

This summer our reading program is online! Register at:  
[absummerreading.ca](http://absummerreading.ca)

July						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Town Office and Library Closed.	2	3 T- Household & Organic pick up	4 L I
5	6	7 T- Council Meeting 7pm Friends of the Library & Board meetings	8 Knit or Knots In the PARK! 6:30-8:30	9	10 T- Blue Bag, Household & Organic pick up	11 B R A
12	13 T- Mental Health Awareness	14	15 Knit or Knots In the PARK! 6:30-8:30	16	17 T- Household & Organic pick up	18 R Y
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