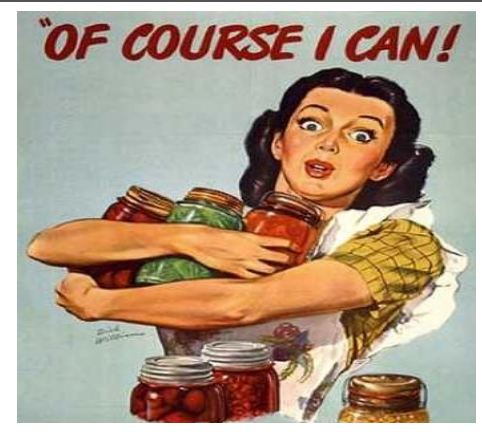


SUMMER 2019

Canning season! Let's share our recipes!
Email townofcupar1@sasktel.net if you have one or are looking for one.
We may have it!!!!



To be Old and Wise you first have to be Young and Stupid.

Town of Cupar Newsletter

A balanced diet is a cupcake in each hand!

PUBLIC MEETING

Wednesday, August 14, 2019 Cupar Town Council is holding a **public meeting** to provide an update on what is happening with the bank in town as well as providing a timeline of what steps have been taken.

Where – Cupar Town Hall

When – 7:00 pm

Town Meetings

Fire Department – Tuesday, Aug 13 @ 7:30 pm

Public Meeting – Wednesday, Aug 14 @ 7:00pm

Council Meeting – Tuesday, Aug 20 @ 7:00 pm

If you would like your meeting announced here please provide it to townofcupar1@sasktel.net

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"Is this the pre-pre-meeting, the pre-meeting, or the actual meeting this time?"

Around the Town

- The Cupar Library is open Wednesday and Friday from 10:00-6:00 for your convenience. Come out and see what you can find to read while you lay back and enjoy your yard, the beach or even the park. Take a break and escape into a book!!
- We have been planting trees on the boulevards in town and noticed that some of them have been removed or mowed over even after stakes clearly marked where they were. Please do not remove planted trees as we are doing our best to beautify our town and create an inviting presence for everyone.
- Please do not dump grass clippings in the back alleys. They begin to rot and create a terrible smell irritating others around you trying to enjoy their own yards. Use a proper compost section and maintain properly.
- We will be sweeping the streets soon. Please do your best to ensure all vehicles are out of its way.
- Our Town Hall received a fresh coat of paint on the 3 sides.

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- Property Tax Notices were sent out in July. Discounts for paying your taxes early are as follows:

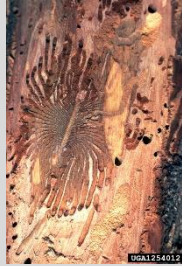
July/August	5%
September	4.5%
October	4%
November	3%
December	0%
- We ask that resident return their grey or blue bins to their property after Loraas has been through here to tip. This save the bins from damage that you could be 100% responsible for.
- Red garbage bins for businesses – new tip day is Tuesday effective immediately.

Interest will begin accruing on January 1st 2020 so please come in now and take advantage of the discount.

Dutch Elm Disease

Please check your trees!

We have had confirmed cases of Dutch Elm Disease (DED) in Cupar for a few years now where it was slowly spreading to our Elm trees but it has greatly picked up speed where we had to remove 12+ trees. These beetles are destroying our beautiful trees.



Please look at your trees in your yard and, if Dutch Elm is confirmed, have it removed properly immediately.

For more information please visit the website below.
<https://www.saskatchewan.ca/business/agriculture-natural-resources-and-industry/forestry/forest-health/dutch-elm-disease>



You can help prevent DED:

- Keep your own Elm trees healthy;
- If you see signs of DED, report them to the Town Office;
- Don't buy, sell, store or use elm firewood; it's illegal;
- Remove and dispose of the tree promptly if DED is confirmed;
- Support DED management in your community.



Aquafit! Tuesdays and Thursdays!

On Location at Cupar Pool!

We have a busy season at the pool with lessons, public swim, aquafit, adult swim and night swim!

Make sure you check out all or even one of the events at the pool as we only have one more month where the pool is open!

Mon and Wed – **Adult swim** @ 8:30pm

Tues and Thurs – **Aquafit** @ 8:30 pm

Next **Night swim** is Aug 24th @ 9:00pm

Public Swim – weeks with lessons 3:30-8:30

Weeks without lessons 1:00-8:30

Lesson weeks are Aug 12-16 and Aug 19-23

SEE YOU AT THE POOL!!!!

Cats a problem?

Flower beds and cats



As a responsible, loving pet parent, you probably know that the safest, healthiest life style for your cat is to keep it indoors. However, that does not seem to be the case and is causing issues with the neighbors of those who let their cats out to roam.... which is not allowed within the Town of Cupar. Here are some tips to try to keep them out of your flower bed:

- Make digging difficult. They want soft dirt to dig so place rocks on the top to stop them;
- Add mulch as a cover that has sharp edges. Filbert shell mulch is great for this;
- Sprinkle cayenne pepper around as they do not like the smell;
- Create a different location for an outdoor litter box. This might redirect them out of your yard.

For more ideas on how to keep them out please search online as there are so many ways to keep them out of your flower bed BUT the best way if for pet parents to keep them indoors.



Recycling changes

Loraas Disposal has changed the accepted recyclable material due to processors guideline changes. Below is a list of acceptable and non-acceptable material for your recycle bin (list available at the office):



Non-Allowable Materials

- Household garbage, organics, or hazardous waste.
- Waxed, plasticized or food contaminated paper, cardboard cuts or plastic plates.
- Soiled tissues, napkins and paper towels.
- Confetti shredded paper.
- Styrofoam or other foam packing materials.
- Auto parts or batteries.

Please **do not** place any of the **above** listed items in the blue recycle bins as the whole truck is rejected for the recycling.

Allowable Recycling Materials:

- Flattened corrugated cardboard and paperboard (empty cereal boxes, empty detergent boxes, empty tissue boxes).
- Newspaper, flyers, junk mail and envelopes.
- Magazines, catalogues, telephone books, paperback books, hard cover books with the spine removed.
- Brown paper bags, tissue roll cores, gift and packing paper, paper egg cartons.
- Soft drink and beer cans,
- Foil trays and pie plates.
- Household tin cans (please rinse).
- Plastic containers with logo 2-7.
- Plastic drink bottles.
- Aseptic packaging and cartons.
- Juice and milk cartons, milk jugs, tetra-pak containers, pouches.



Speeding in Cupar?

We have received complaints again about people speeding down Donald Road or in Cupar overall. Please slow down! There are kids out there that do not watch! If you see speeders, report them to the RCMP at 306-726-5230. If it is you, SLOW DOWN!

Tree planting in 2020

We are currently planning to plant more trees in spring of 2020 to replace trees removed from Dutch Elm Disease and to add trees to areas that do not have them. If you are wanting trees planted on your boulevard please let us know so we can start with the ones that want them first. The trees are typically delivered end of April or beginning of May so contact the Town Office before those months.

Utility Bills

Utility bills are sent out at the beginning of each and every month. Please ensure the office has a current mailing address because “I didn’t get the bill” is not an acceptable excuse for nonpayment. All bills are due at the end of the billing month.

Canada Day Yard Decorating Winners!!

Canada Day Contest Winners

1st Place - \$50/ gift certificate – Jean Daradich

2nd Place - \$25 gift certificate – Lowell and Diane Dennis

Honorable mentions:

Wilf and Marj Paidel; George and Christal Myers; Vincent and Julia Buckshaw and Keith and Debbie Schmidt.

Congrats to everyone!



Fun Canadian Facts!

1. People around the world think Canada is made up of nothing but flat grain fields. In reality, it's got about 100,000 lakes.
2. The famous Canadian interjection "eh" is actually listed in the Canadian Oxford Dictionary as a valid word.
3. The Royal Canadian Mint once made a gigantic loonie made of 99.9% gold that was worth \$1 million!
4. The townspeople of Nanaimo, BC race their bathtubs as part of an annual aquatic tradition.
5. Some of the world's most popular superheroes were conceived by Canadian minds, including Superman and Wolverine.
6. That being said, it is against Canadian Law to have comics that depict criminal acts.
7. Only in Canada could it go from -19 degrees C to 22 degrees C in an hour! (Pincher Creek, Alberta in 1962. Look it up!)
8. Hawaiian pizza was actually invented by an Ontario man, not by the Hawaiians.



Fat Cat Pool Party

The Fat Cat Pool Party held on July 18, 2019 was a success. Many children with their parents attended for a free hotdogs & drinks and met with FAT CAT! Thank you to Raymore Credit Union for holding the event.

Contact us at **306-723-4324**

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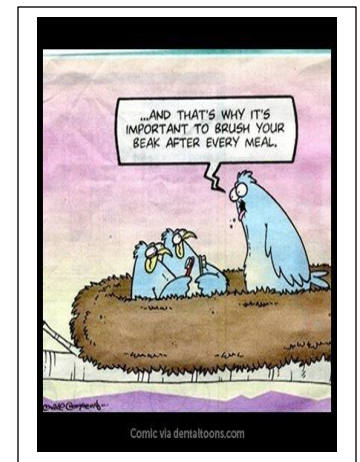
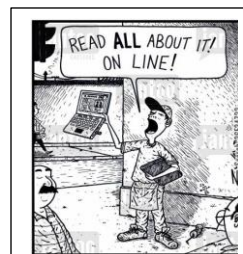
Parking/ATV's/DirtBikes

Parking in Cupar is limited to 24 hours on the street. Please make sure you are moving your vehicle off the street and out of the way of emergency vehicles or sweepers.

Parking on Boulevards is NOT ALLOWED! This is town property and not to be parked on. It needs to be accessible at all times.

Parking backwards on the street is not allowed. Please do not do this as it will save your from getting a ticket from the RCMP.

ATV's and Dirt Bikes are not allowed within town limits. Please do not drive them or allow children to drive them in town. Please report this to the RCMP at 306-726-5230.



August 2019

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
To schedule an appointment with the Nurse Practitioner, please call: 1-855-766-6399	Lab Phone # 306-723-4300	Swimming Lessons Sessions: Aug. 12-16, & 19-23. Public Swimming 3:00 - 8:30pm	Public Swimming hours for days with NO lessons: 1:00 – 8:30pm	1 NURSE PRACTITIONER 9:30am-3:15pm	2 LIBRARY OPEN 10:00-6:00	3 Transfer Site 10am-2pm (Weather Permitting)
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25	26 NURSE PRACTITIONER 9:30am-3:15pm Adult Swim 8:30-9:30pm	27 LAB 9:30am-1:45pm RECYCLE DAY Aquafit 8:30-9:30pm	28 LIBRARY OPEN 10:00-6:00 Adult Swim 8:30-9:30pm	29 NURSE PRACTITIONER 9:30am-3:15pm Aquafit 8:30-9:30pm	30 LAB 9:30am-1:45pm LIBRARY OPEN 10:00-6:00	31 Transfer Site 10am-2pm (Weather Permitting)