

Hudson's Hope

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The Bulletin

SEPTEMBER 2023

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ORANGE SHIRT DAY

September 30th

Every Child Matters

Orange Shirt Day shirts are available for sale at the District Office \$15.00 each

MEETINGS & CLUBS

Adult Rec Pickleball/Badminton	Wednesdays	7:00 pm	783-5736
Adult Rec Volleyball	Thursdays	7:00 pm	783-0537
Adult Rec Hockey	Mondays	8:15 pm	783-9937
Amateur Radio Association	1st Monday	7:00 pm	783-5571
Canadian Rangers	To be Determined		793-2157
Crib	Wednesdays	7:00 pm	
Double "H" Saddle Club	Last Thursday of the mth	7:00 pm	783-1084
Fall Fair	August 27, 2022		793-6691
Farmer's Market	Seasonal		793-6691
Fit for Life	Mondays and Thursdays	9:30 am	783-5338
FSJ Senior Trip	1st Monday	As Scheduled	783-9901
Historical Society	3rd Wednesday	7:00 pm	783-5735
HH Figure Skating Club	Mondays & Wednesdays	5:00 pm	783-8260
Junior Canadian Rangers	Every Other Monday	7:00 pm (306)	716-4722
Library Board Meetings(summer break)	4th Wednesday	7:00 pm	783-9414
Library Family SRC (pre k&parent)	Tuesdays	1-2PM	783-9414
Games w/Engage Sport North	Tuesdays	2-3PM	783-9414
Library Kids SRC (ages 5-8)	Wednesdays	1-3PM	783-9414
Library Lego Club (K to grade 6)	Wednesdays	3-5PM	783-9414
Library Club Ages K to Gr 4	Wednesdays	3:30 pm	783-9414
Library Story Time Parents/ Tots	Tuesdays	10:30 am	783-9414
Library Tween SRC Ages 9 to 12	Tuesdays	2-4PM	783-9414
Library Teen Club Ages 13-18	Thursdays	5-7PM	783-9414
Lions Club	1st Thursday	7:30 pm	783-1327
Minor Hockey	Tuesday & Thursday	5:30 pm	783-0542
Rod & Gun Club	2nd Thursday	7:00 pm	783-1194

HAVE FUN! JOIN A CLUB!

something for everyone





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Mayor's Corner

First off, I would just like to say thank you to each and every person who came out and participated in the recent by-election. It is no secret that we had a record turnout!

Participation in the democratic process is an important right and duty of every person who is eligible.

Secondly, a huge thank you to Mayor Dave Heiberg for your years of service to our community. Mayor Heiberg helped our community, weathering some of the biggest challenges we have faced in recent memory. While we may still have challenges ahead, we have come out the other side stronger and better prepared in no small part to his efforts and dedication to our community.

This first week in office has been a busy one, while not officially sworn in until the 14th of August I have jumped in with both feet making connections with the Regional District, spending time in the office familiarizing myself with my new roles and responsibilities, and participating actively in the ongoing recruitment process for Hudson's Hope's new Chief Administrative Officer. We are actively searching for an individual who will be a natural fit, a leader both in the office as well as within the community. Some of our guiding principles are, "We are only as strong as the relationships we build, and the quality of our communication." I look forward to being able to present not just a new CAO but a new member of the community in the near future.

Since this is my first edition of the Mayor's Corner I will keep it brief, but expect more! I made a commitment to communication, and I intend to follow through.

Finally – A big Congratulations to our newest member of Council, Kari-Lea Charlesworth. I look forward to working with you on Council!

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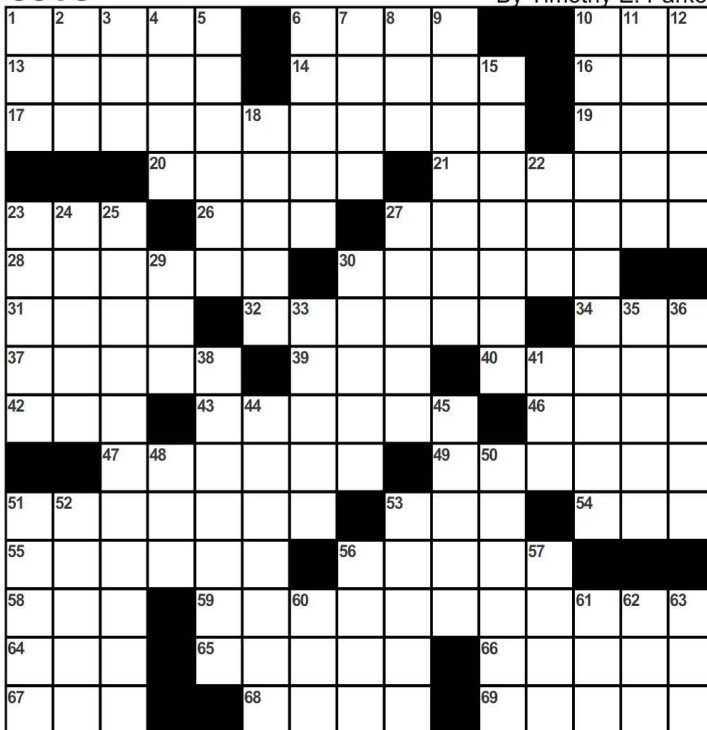
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| 1) Wide open | 40) Alex Haley blockbuster |
| 6) Housebroken | 42) Maple syrup base |
| 10) Canary's bill | 43) Like some requests |
| 13) Boston airport | 46) Georgetown mascot |
| 14) Semester finals | 47) Damaging encroachment |
| 16) Phrase of commitment | 49) Bustling activity |
| 17) Feature of serious roller-coasters | 51) Some large envelopes |
| 19) Classic introduction? | 53) Barbecue munchie |
| 20) Mountain ridge | 54) "Hold on a ___!" |
| 21) Italian from Florence | 55) Fished or schemed |
| 23) "NCIS" network | 56) Some museum sculptures |
| 26) Cosmetics queen Mary Kay | 58) 2016 Olympics city |
| 27) Ventilation opening | 59) Lively festivities |
| 28) Summarizes, as the news | 64) Ostrich cousin |
| 30) Name derived from a person | 65) Balloon used in atmospheric probes |
| 31) Blacksmith's metal | 66) Do some waiting? |
| 32) Weasel type | 67) 6-1, in tennis |
| 34) Tire-pressure letters | 68) "No news is ___ news!" |
| 37) Cowboy's conquest | 69) Rosemary's baby-daddy |
| 39) Dr. J played in it | |

DOWN

- 1) More than most
- 2) Baby's first word, sometimes
- 3) Long time follower?
- 4) Hemingway's moniker
- 5) Lure into danger
- 6) Subject of dentistry
- 7) Bridge toll unit
- 8) Longtime Chinese chairman
- 9) Android's lack
- 10) Fools or simpletons
- 11) Perfection standard
- 12) Kentucky explorer Daniel
- 15) Scornful one
- 18) "Siddhartha" author
- 22) Not outgoing
- 23) Baby berths
- 24) Yankee legend Yogi
- 25) Working a ladle
- 27) Concerning bees
- 29) Cape ___, Mass.
- 30) Fix firmly in place
- 33) Hindu music selections
- 35) Do a salon job
- 36) "I, Robot" author Asimov
- 38) Large migratory shorebirds
- 41) "Now I see!"
- 44) Driver who's tough to pass
- 45) Show place?
- 48) Common soccer score
- 50) Be preoccupied with
- 51) Colts' moms
- 52) Japanese cartoon style
- 53) Caught, as a dogie
- 56) List type
- 57) Brain flash
- 60) Lennon's wife
- 61) Dinner table dropping
- 62) Lab eggs
- 63) John McCain is one, briefly

OO-PS

By Timothy E. Parker



20-22
OCTOBER

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FALL SIGN UP NIGHT

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH

6-8PM @ HUDSON'S HOPE COMMUNITY HALL

INTERESTED IN JOINING A CLUB, LEAGUE OR ORGANIZATION THIS FALL? JOIN US FOR MORE INFORMATION & SIGN UP!

IF YOU HAVE A GROUP LOOKING FOR NEW MEMBERS, BOOK A TABLE & SHOWCASE YOUR ORGANIZATION!

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For updates and more info, check out our Hope for Health Society's facebook page. <https://www.facebook.com/hope4healthudsonshope>



Police Report May/June 2023



The Hudson's Hope RCMP responded to 45 calls for service between July 21st to August 22nd. 39 written violations and warning tickets were issued to drivers between the above dates for various motor vehicle related offences. Highway and road safety continues to be a focus for the Hudson's Hope RCMP.

On July 22nd, the Hudson's Hope RCMP received a report of a stolen vehicle from the area of Miller Rd / Hwy 29. It was reported that a grey Chevy Equinox had been stolen from the work site at around 15:45hrs. No suspects observed at the time, but the stolen vehicle was later observed heading toward Fort St. John but was unable to be located by police. This file remains open for investigation.

On July 31st, the Hudson's Hope RCMP conducted a search of a residence along Fredette Ave., after it was confirmed that individuals had squatted within the vacant residence and left property and items behind. Upon the search, police located and seized 5x firearms, thousands of illegal cigarettes, drugs and drug paraphernalia, and several other weapons defined by the Criminal Code. All these items were seized for public safety, being that the residence is vacant and was assessable to the general public. This file remains open for investigation.

On August 6th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP assisted the BC Conservation Services with a joint agency check-stop along Hwy 29. During the check-stop, several motorists were stopped and checked for various Motor Vehicle Act safety topics and as result, 2x prohibited drivers were located and subsequently charged.

On August 18th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP stopped a motorist after their truck had been observed driving over the curbs and lawn of the Hudson's Hope school parking lot, and later observed contravening several Motor Vehicle Act offences as it travelled throughout the town. Based on the investigation, the driver was detained for being impaired while in operation of a motor vehicle and later failed the road-side sobriety test. The driver was served a 90-day driving prohibition with their vehicle

being impounded for 30-days. The driver received further several violation tickets for Motor Vehicle Act offences.

On August 19th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP received several complaints for 5-6x ORV's (side x sides) that were observed driving erratically throughout the Dinosaur Lake campground and ATV campground area. Police attended scene but were unable to locate the ORV's as they had already left the area prior to police arriving on-scene. Though this area holds a designated ATV campground and only one access to the lake, caution should be exercised when operating an ATV/ORV in this public area due to the presence of public and children along the road ways and paths. The Hudson's Hope RCMP is working with the District of Hudson's Hope to get more visible signage in the area to hopefully restrict the usage of ATV's/ORV's along the high-volume public areas in which many tourists and visitors frequent.

As everyone within Hudson's Hope is well aware of, this season has provided the town with a high volume of furry, fruit seeking bears, in which the RCMP and BC Conservation Services have received many a call on. Enforcement agencies have been working steadily to monitor and manage the situation as best as can. The residents and property owners of Hudson's Hope, are being asked to do their part in this management and remove as many attractants as possible from their properties, so to limit the need for one of these bears to pay them a visit. If any concerns or public safety issues are observed, please contact the RAPP Line at: 1 (877) 952-7277.

Anyone with information regarding current or past investigations can contact the Hudson's Hope RCMP directly at 250-783-5241 or anonymously through Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477. Visit <http://crimestoppersnebc.ca> for advice on submitting tips online and to browse the areas "Most Wanted" page.

Cpl. Erich Schmidt
Detachment Commander
Hudson's Hope RCMP



Homeowner Information to Building Permits

The District of Hudson's Hope wants to assist homeowners and contractors to avoid unnecessary delays and expense in planning and construction of residential projects. Below explains when permits are required, requirements for the permit, possible other documents that may be required and other information to assist you in obtaining your building permit. Additional information is available at the District Office or online at www.hudsonshope.ca

A BUILDING PERMIT IS REQUIRED TO:

- construct a new home;
- locate mobile / modular home;
- construct a commercial, industrial or public use building;
- construct a new accessory building e.g., carport, farm building, garage or storage shed;
- renovate existing buildings;
- undertake any structural work such as interior partitions;
- enclose a porch or roof over a sundeck;
- move or demolish a building;
- re-roof a building;
- reconstruct after damage;
- plumbing system changes;

INFORMATION TO BE SUBMITTED WITH A BUILDING PERMIT APPLICATION

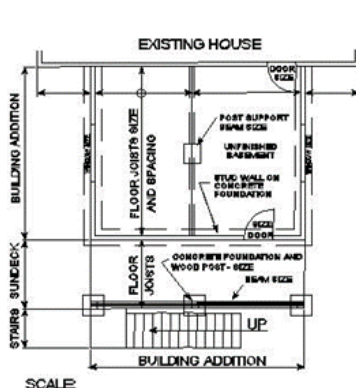
The following items must be supplied along with a completed Building Permit Application before a Building Permit can be issued. A Building Permit fee is based on the value of the building or structure and will be calculated by the Building Official.

1. BUILDING PLANS

Two sets of detailed building plans. If you cannot draw the necessary building or site plans, then you should obtain the services of a qualified person.

Example Floor Plans

- scale not less than 1:50 metric (1/4 inch to 1 foot);
- size and location of windows and doors;
- location of all plumbing fixtures;
- location of all mechanical equipment.
- all rooms, size and use of each;
- all dimensions;
- finished and unfinished areas; —

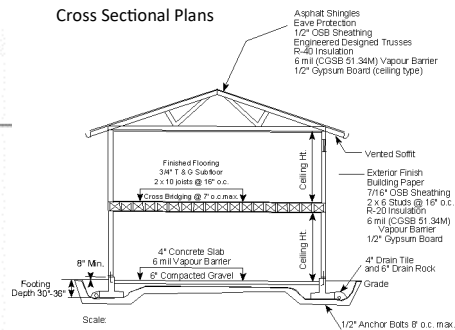


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Cross Sectional Plans



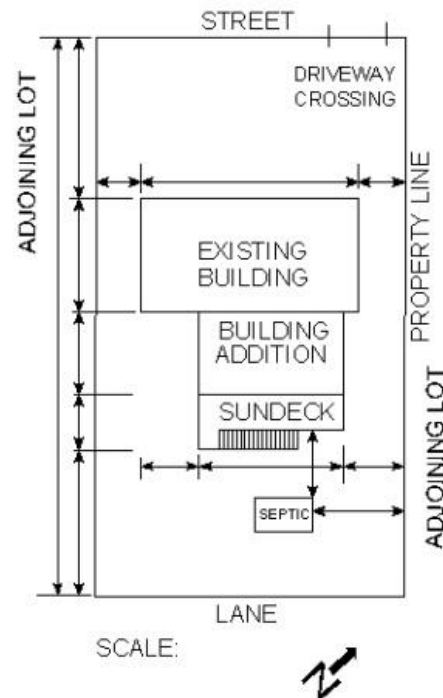
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2. SITE PLAN

- full legal description of lot: lot number, plan number; district lot number (from your tax notice or Title);
- lot dimensions;
- adjoining street names;
- locations and uses of existing and proposed buildings or additions;
- distances from all property lines for existing and proposed buildings or additions;
- location of legal road access to the property;
- size, location and number of parking spaces;
- existing and proposed wells or other water sources;
- location of existing or proposed sewage disposal fields on property;
- location of any watercourses on property showing distances from existing or proposed buildings or additions;

This information is intended to assist the general public in applying for a Building Permit within the District of Hudson's Hope.



BUILDING INSPECTIONS (Typical)

The Building Bylaw requires inspections at the following stages of construction;

- Footings - prior to pouring concrete.
- Backfilling - after completion of damp-proofing, drain tile, and drain rock (if required), but prior to backfilling.
- Plumbing - before any part of the plumbing system is covered.
- Framing - after the entire rough-in plumbing, electrical and mechanical equipment is installed and the framing is completed to lockup stage, but prior to insulating.
- Insulation and Vapour Barrier - after all insulation and vapour barriers are installed, but prior to covering.
- Final - when the building or portion thereof is completed and ready for occupancy, but prior to occupancy thereof.

An Occupancy Certificate is required prior to occupancy of a building. In order for an Occupancy Certificate to be issued, all inspections above must be approved.

Latest News from the Hudson's Hope Visitor Centre

The morning air cools, a yellow leaf spirals to the ground – this breath of fall queues the end of a season here at the Visitor Centre. The final days are spent chit-chatting with travelers about vacation highlights and overflowing ideas of next year's adventure. I'm happy to report that Hudson's Hope often makes the list of "places one *must* return to"!

Our students, Trinity and Cassidy, completed another great season of work. These two bring a kind of sunshine-y energy to the VIC, and I was thankful for their return. I truly wish them the best in the upcoming school year.

Trinity and Cassidy: thank you both for all your hard work. And some extra thanks for always giving me a laugh on the slow days!

I'd also like to note that I am writing this submission on a very smoky afternoon. We'd like to acknowledge all of those that have been affected by the wildfires. As we move forward in this difficult time, we recommend staying updated on BC Wildfire Services' website, as well as Drive BC. I write this in hopes that we all have a safe and comfortable fall.

Thank you ***so much*** firefighters, for all that you do.

Thank you to the District of Hudson's Hope. Your continued guidance and support is greatly appreciated and I'm thankful for the hardworking team that you are. I've had the opportunity to grow throughout this work experience and share my love for Hudson's Hope along the way!

Lastly, I would like to extend my gratitude to those that dropped in throughout the season. Tourists and locals alike, we are so happy to see you walk through our doors. As of September 1st, we will have closed for the winter. We wish you well throughout

the year and look forward to seeing you next time!




Your friends,
Cassidy, Trinity, and Celina

AUGUST AT THE HUDSON'S HOPE MUSEUM

September at the Museum

Thank you to our Summer Students, Jenna, and Annika. Job well done!
Christian will be staying on for the month of September! Thank you Christian!
The Museum will be open 7 days a week from 9am to 5pm for the month of September.



HUDSON'S HOPE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Annual General Meeting

September 20, 2023

7 PM at the Museum

Do you have an interest in history?

The Hudson's Hope Historical Society is looking for Board Members	2023/24 Memberships Due
Come & Join us!	\$ 20.00 Single
	\$ 40.00 Family
	Members receive 10% off Gift shop purchases!

We invite everyone to attend!

Hope for Health Society August 2023

Hope for Health Society is a non-profit, volunteer-based organization that relies mostly on grant funding to bring wellness options to our community. We aim to offer free or minimal cost programming.

What's coming up?

THAT DAM RUN on September 24, 2023

The deadline for registration is fast approaching. Make sure to sign up by September 7th.

This is Hope for Health's signature event and registration is now open at Stride and Glide. Check out the poster. This is a spectacular run with loads of rewarding views, great treats, free t-shirt, cool dog tag, locally sourced sweet winner prizes. You can take on the 5 km route across the ninth largest land filled Dam in the World, or you can opt for the very scenic 16 km trail run. We have you covered with safety patrol and water stations. Thanks to the District of Hudson's Hope for their generous Financial Assistance Grant and all the in-kind support. Thanks to BC Hydro for their continued support. This would not be possible without this support and the support of our volunteers. If you want to be part of something amazing, please reach out. We do need volunteers to make this happen.

It's Time to Prioritize **YOUR** Wellness with our upcoming **COMMUNITY WELLNESS CONFERENCE** **October 20, 21, and 22nd**

Three days of action-packed workshops, presentations, and fitness classes. And, bonus, offering youth opportunities as well: youth yoga, smoothie making and more..

Friday night panel from 6 – 9 pm focusing on pain management, arthritis, and joint health. Time to have your questions answered. Saturday and Sunday features guest speakers on traditional medicinal plants; a qualified nutritionist who can help you assess and plan and manage your nutritional needs; keynote speaker and more.

We are looking for vendors. This is the time to showcase your wares.

Make sure to mark your calendars for this event.

This is made possible with a BC Hydro Go Fund grant.

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING was held on Wednesday, August 9, 2023. Thanks to the Hudson's Hope Library for facility use. Congratulations to Amber for winning the Starbucks gift card.

We proudly present our new board: Greta Goddard, Colleen Gillie, Amber Norton, Starr Gauthier, Jessica Eastman and Liza Rhymer.

THAT DAM RUN

10 MILE TRAIL RACE & 5 KM ROUTE

September 24
2023

Register at

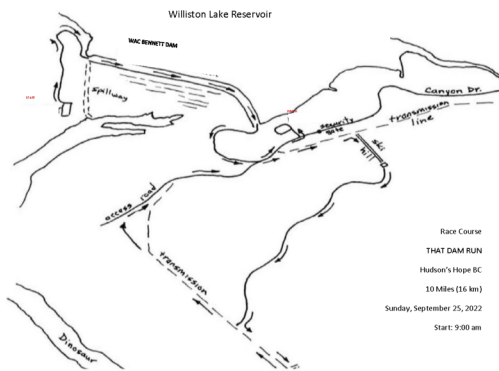
Stride and Glide

strideandglide.ca/event-clinic-registrations

Hope for Health Society is so pleased to announce

THAT DAM RUN is back!

A huge thanks to BC Hydro for granting permission for site use. There's now so much to do to prepare for this event, volunteers are welcome.



150 Entrants only
NO race day registration
Registration closes on:
Thursday ,
Sept. 07, 2023 at 11:59 pm

- t-shirts available for all registrants

Registration Fee: \$40.00
Female & Male
10 mile walk/ run
5k walk/ run

Start Line:
GMS Dam Viewpoint
22098 Canyon Drive

If you would like to
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Health Society please
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Greta Goddard
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That Dam Run 2023

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Community Hall Celebration 55

Thank you to all who came out and contributed to the 55-year celebration of Hudson's Hope Community Hall, Pearkes Center, and the WAC Bennett Dam.

How we have changed from a construction trailer court town to the biggest District in British Columbia. All who came enjoyed the entertainment and displays of Then and Now. It was a guessing game that was full of surprises.

Many thanks to our contributors: The District of Hudson's Hope, Hudson's Hope Lions Club, Legacy Village Market, Marg's Mini Mart, Hudson's Hope Museum, Hudson's Hope Library, Sportsman's Inn, Hudson's Hope School, Sugarplums, House of Hope Community Church, Luke Hughes-Bunger, Robin and Lane Milliken, Joan and Tonia Alexander, Natalie and Conrad Northeast, Cassandra Weatherhead, Jim and Toni Sandford, Kathy Hocha (caterer), Roy Kelly, Earlene Bitterman, Travous, Nerissa and Ayden Quibell, Shawn and Joan Shepherd, Kelly Miller, Stephanie Hues (Taffy), Norm Beattie, and Lloyd Tofteland for bringing Fred Steen's Elvis to be our live entertainment. Many thanks to those who traveled from beyond our Community to attend.

Thanks again to the many hands that make light work, and who "Leaf" their mark behind.

Sincerely,

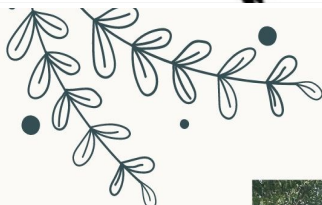
Lori Kelly





BULLHEAD SERVICES is offering a delivery service in Hudson's Hope. Traveling to Fort St. John on Mondays and Fridays.

If there is something you need picked up and or dropped off, please contact Theresa Baker @ 250-783-1057



"VOLUNTEERS DO NOT
NECESSARILY HAVE THE TIME;
THEY HAVE THE HEART"



**YOUTH VOLUNTEER OF THE
YEAR -
PENELOPE MERCEREAU**

**ADULT VOLUNTEER OF THE
YEAR -
YVONNE MORITZ**












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3 International Bacon Day 	4 <i>Labour Day</i> Office Closed	5 	6	7	8	9
10 	11 Council Meeting	12 	13	14  Fall Sign Up Night	15	16
17	18	19 	20	21	22	23
24  2023 DAM RUN	25 TAX SALE	26 	27	28	29  FULL	30 



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 	2 Truth & Rec Stat Holiday in Lieu	3 	4	5	6	7
8	9 	10  Council Meeting	11	12 	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 H4H Community Wellness Conference	21
22	23 Council Meeting	24 	25	26	27	28  FULL
29	30	31  HALLOWEEN				

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Hello Hudson's Hope!

It was my initial intent to support communication when I got into council and it's easy to get lost in the work. The recent All Candidates Forum reminded me of people's desire to have updates and so I wanted to provide one!

This list definitely doesn't cover everything that has been reviewed, debated, discussed, and decided, but here are some of the highlights since I have joined council. Some main issues that council has been working through in council meetings:

Water Treatment Plant - the district has bi-weekly meetings concerning the Water Treatment Plant. District staff has been working incredibly hard to provide consistent water services to the community and to meet the northern health guidelines to finally remove our boil water advisory. Council has worked to support the process, to move the progress of the treatment plant from aquifer to surface water, and to provide communication to the public. The next steps of the process is to develop the plan, support, communication, and complete the permanent water treatment plant.

There has been turnover of senior staff in the district since the council was inaugurated in November of 2022. Council is supporting the development of the team, including the addition of the Deputy Chief role. This new role was created to support and increase retention for the Fire Chief (Director of Protective Services). This role is also expected to provide additional support to municipal bylaws.

Council only has one employee that they manage (the Chief Administrative Officer- CAO). As the previous CAO tendered their resignation in June, we have an interim CAO (Chris Cvik) who will be filling the role and has worked with the district previously. An advisory committee which includes the mayor (Travous Quibell), two councillors (Tashana Winnicky and Tina Jeffrey) and the interim CAO will conduct phone interviews and in-person interviews. This designated group will provide a recommendation concerning filling the position

to council. (Note: This recommendation will be done in-camera as it deals with personnel.)

Understanding local government of course takes time and I have jumped right in working to understand the process as soon as possible. This has included:

- I have attended all council meetings to date (16 or so since inauguration).

- Attending a two day orientation for new council and mayor members in Dawson Creek.

- Attended a full day meeting to review district financials prior to council approval.

- Attended one half day and one full day meetings for strategic planning. This was to develop the four year strategic goals utilized by the district staff, which was also presented to the public for input before being finalized.

- Attended a full day orientation in community infrastructure including the pool, three sewage lift stations, solar panel arrays, district shop, municipal lagoon, water storage, and the water treatment plant.

- Attended a two day conference for the North Central Local Government Association (NCLGA). Worked to develop relationships with other communities in the region. At this conference, all present members vote on motions that are put forward by different councils of the region. If passed, these motions are submitted and voted at the Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) conference. If the motions are passed there, UBCM will lobby for those motions to the provincial government.

- Attended a strategic meeting for the Northern Community Lights College (NCLC). I followed up with their director to get more resources for Hudson's Hope. I organized a meeting in Hudson's Hope with their CEO and five other representatives, and the district/council, and opened it to members of the public. This was to discuss the needs, ideas and opportunities for Hudson's Hope for post secondary options and support in town.

I was designated as Acting Mayor for two months, which included supporting communication to the public, chairing four council meetings, presenting the district gifts to the 2023 graduates, preparing/delivering the opening speech for Canada Day, attending bi-weekly meetings with the CAO, and attending the Regional Community Liaison Committee (RCLC).

The RCLC meeting was a full day meeting which included a tour of the lodge facility of Site C and the Site C facility itself. The lodge facility will be put out to bid to be purchased and can accommodate approximately 1700 individuals. There were discussions that this facility could be used as an addiction support facility or social housing. There are many potential opportunities for this to benefit the region but the direction is not currently defined as it is very early in the process. I also vocalized concern over the unstable geology beneath the dam.

Council includes a variety of committees:

I was designated to the Student Councillor committee which has a grade 11 or 12 student join in on council meetings. The student works to develop a student council and provide input from the youth perspective. In return, a scholarship is provided from the district.

Became the chair of the Recreation Facility committee which is subdivided into two committees: one for the Pool and one for the Community Hall/Recreation Centre. For this committee, several meetings have been held.

A Terms of Reference was developed and committee members selected. Meetings included the review of the history of the committee, identifying next steps, and review of terms of reference.

An RFP (Request for Proposal) was historically developed and approved by the previous council. This was provided to the sub-committee for review and approval. Once completed, direction will be submitted to council.

The goal is the release of the Request for Proposal (RFP) for bid beforehand to gain an architectural firm that can provide three options for a new recreation/community hall, and to help facilitate the public consultation process throughout all stages of the facility development to ensure it will be inclusive of public needs.

I am a member of the Signs Committee which is chaired by Councillor Kelly Miller. We have had several meetings and ongoing discussions for the review and development of trail brochures for the community. Councillor Miller has also been working to address additional sign requirements for the community, such as for the new ATV campsite.

I was the council representative for the Council Remuneration Committee, which worked with a public member to provide recommendations back to council concerning compensation. The intent from the bylaw is that this be completed prior to the new council being in place, but unfortunately, it had been delayed.

Outside of Council, I try to represent where I can as well. For example, I attended the open house for the NPSCU. The CEO of Interior Savings and several representatives were there. I advocated for better services and pricing locally, including in-person support (re-introduction of tellers), lowering costs, and re-expanding bank services to properly support our locals.

I have greatly enjoyed learning about how local government works, helping to make sound choices on behalf of the community, and how I can advocate for our town's needs on a regional/provincial level. If you made it to the end of this extensive update, congratulations on being invested in the community as well!!!

Thank you,

Councillor Tashana Winnicky



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Amber Norton, Library Director

Walk-In Book Club: We were still feeling the summer vibes of mid-August when choosing this month's book club picks... hopefully the forecast holds out to keep the vibes going through September. *Malibu Rising* is about an unforgettable night at a summer party in August 1983, ranging from party of the year to utter disaster. *Happy Place* tells the story of a group best friends at an annual weeklong vacation at a cottage. Will their secret tear them apart or bring them closer together?

Book Sale: At the end of August, we conducted a small hardcover fiction and non-fiction deletion. We still have paperback fiction, YA, YP and Easy deletions for sale, as well as donated books! We will have two sale sections that will maintain books for sale through the year but one area that we display sale books will have to be cleared out in the next month or so to make room for our seasonal displays. As always, books are for sale by donation.

Library Changes: The library received another grant and we will be making some functional aesthetic upgrades to the library this fall. To start, there will be updates to the Young Adult Living Room and the Children's Library!

Library Staffing: We had a shift in a few positions in August as Leneya left her position as Custodian to pursue a University education. We welcome Krista to our team as the new Custodian! Our Summer Programmer, Katie, is heading back to University, and Shellie is still on a leave of absence. Amber will be taking over programming for September and possibly into October with a bit of implementation assistance from our two teen Casuals. We also had Cole join the team as a Casual to help balance the hours for Billie moving into the fall. Welcome to the team Cole! This allows regular staff to work fewer weekend shifts, and lets us have the usual three employees on shift during busier programs to provide a better staffing ratio for children's program supervision. Best of luck to Katie as you embark on another year at university. We hope to see you continuing your summer programming position for years to come as you continue your

your university career! Thank you for the amazing programs that you provided for our community this summer!

Katie Norton, Library Programmer

Summer Reading Club: This year's SRC was so much fun! This seven-week program included awesome stuff like paper airplane races, playing with Orbeez, making artful masterpieces, and so much more. The main purpose of this club was the annual reading contests, allowing kids to maintain their hard earned reading levels over the summer while gaining prizes for reading over the summer! The winners received super epic prizes like a dinosaur ball gun, acrylic paints, slime, and more. This year was so much fun, I cannot wait for next year's SRC!! 😊

Kids SRC: This year's winners are Marcy, Gaige, and Azlyn! Congrats for reading the most in your group! Each read an impressive amount, winning in the category for most pages, books, or days read this summer!! Cameron, Carter, Oliver, and Marcy received prizes for excellent attendance, making it to nearly every week of SRC!! Hats off to all the great readers this summer!!

Tween SRC: Our Tween winners are Hunter, Sam, and Torah!! Congratulations to these three for their excellent reading skills! Sam is also receiving an extra prize for her amazing attendance! Congratulations to all participants and thank you so much to everyone for attending this year!!

Teen SRC: Isobel, Cole, and Billie are the prize winners of the teen reading contest! They competed in a book bingo this summer to broaden their reading adventures. Great job and amazing reading efforts everyone!

Goodbye: Well, my time as the summer programmer here at the library has come to an end. I'm off to Prince George to start a new school year at UNBC, so I've got to leave the library once more. I really hope to return again next year for the summer and run the programs again, but until then, goodbye!! Have a great school year everybody!! 😊

Amber Norton – Program Support

I will be taking over programs for Katie who had taken over for Shellie's leave. Shellie prepped the themes and projects before parting, so I will be

prepping and facilitating the programs for a few weeks until Shellie returns.

Please make sure that if your child is attending our programs that you have filled out an updated program registration form, teens can fill their own out. You can either pick up a form at the library, on our Facebook page or at the Sign-Up Night. We are hoping to continue to provide special programs and camps on early dismissal and non-instructional school days. We are hoping to plan one for the September 22nd Non-Instructional Day, but are waiting to confirm with our collaboration partner, so stay tuned to our Facebook page or HHP SA for more details.

Tween Club Tuesdays from 3:15 to 4:45 pm ages 9-12

Activities for this club are flexible week to week; tweens are able to help plan what we do for this club! We can play board games, make slime, play drawing games, have movie days, make water bead crafts and so much more! Join us on Tuesdays for both Tween Club and Minecraft club for double the fun!

Minecraft Club Tuesdays from 5:00 to 6:00 pm ages 9-12

Play Minecraft in the library with friends! Bring-Your-Own-Device with Minecraft bedrock edition on it; tablets, phones, Switch, or even consoles (we have 2 or 3 monitors for consoles). Other multiplayer games are welcome as long as they are rated for E for Everyone. Parents please note that this does include the E 10+ rating, which is what Minecraft is rated on ESRB. We have a few tablets to borrow, but may have to share between participants as supplies are limited. Kids outside the age range of 9-12 will not be allowed to participate as there is a different staff to child ratios for children under nine. We may be able to sometimes have gaming as part of our Lego or Library clubs, or as a separate special event 5-8.



Library Club Wednesdays from 3:30 to 4:30 pm Kindergarten to age 8

Join us at the library each week for tons of cool activities like making paper crafts, recycling construction, and playing with Orbeez! Kids are welcome to come right after school, we allow a half hour of time for kids to find books, eat a snack that they brought with them, etc., before we start the craft of the day at 3:30. On September 13th we will be making a *Potato Head* inspired craft! On the 20th we will be making a yarn craft and on the 27th we will be making a craft with fallen leaves and twigs! Join us on Wednesdays for both Library Club and LEGO Club for nearly three hours of fun!

LEGO Club Wednesdays @ 4:45 to 6:00 pm for grades K-6.

LEGO club is a free-form club; kids can choose how they want to play with their bricks! Kids engage in weekly LEGO building challenges and have a number of different resources to use to inspire new creations! We also have board games, colouring sheets, and ready-to-go crafts to keep them amused.

StoryTime Thursdays @ 1:00-2:00 pm Parents/Guardians & Pre-K

StoryTime is moving to Thursday afternoon starting on September 14th!

Our first day will be *Little Owl* themed with stories, activities and crafts! *Lady Bugs* on the 21st and *Rainbows* on the 26th! This program is designed for guardians and preschool children; babies and toddlers are welcome however needing more hands-on help from their guardians during craft time. Come to the library for fun learning, exciting games, and cool activities! We will even be exploring a different themed literacy kit each week! Don't miss out!

Teen Drop-In Thursdays @ 5:00-7:00 pm ages 13-18.

Come to the library each Thursday to watch movies, play board games, crafts, painting, and so much more! Feel free to come to the library right after school, as always, we have a little living room in the Young Adult section and a convertible comfy space in the Reading Room to hang out until the club starts at 5:00... when the library closes to the public! Yes! You heard that right... the library is a teen only space after 5:00... except for library staff of course.

Nancy Smith, InterLibrary Loan (ILL) Librarian & Bookkeeper

InterLibrary Loans: September is one of the busiest months for InterLibrary Loans for our library. Many libraries experience a similar influx of ILL requests, so please be patient as wait times may take longer for us to get your item for you through ILL. Talk to Nancy about requesting ILLs, or any of our other staff can help you with your request. Alternatively, you could also email ill.hhpl@pris.ca with your requests or call (250)783-9414.

All Staff: Have a document to print or a question that any staff can answer? Email us at hlibrary@pris.ca Also; check us out on Facebook (Hudson's Hope Public Library) and Instagram ([hudsonshopepubliclibrary](https://www.instagram.com/hudsonshopepubliclibrary))



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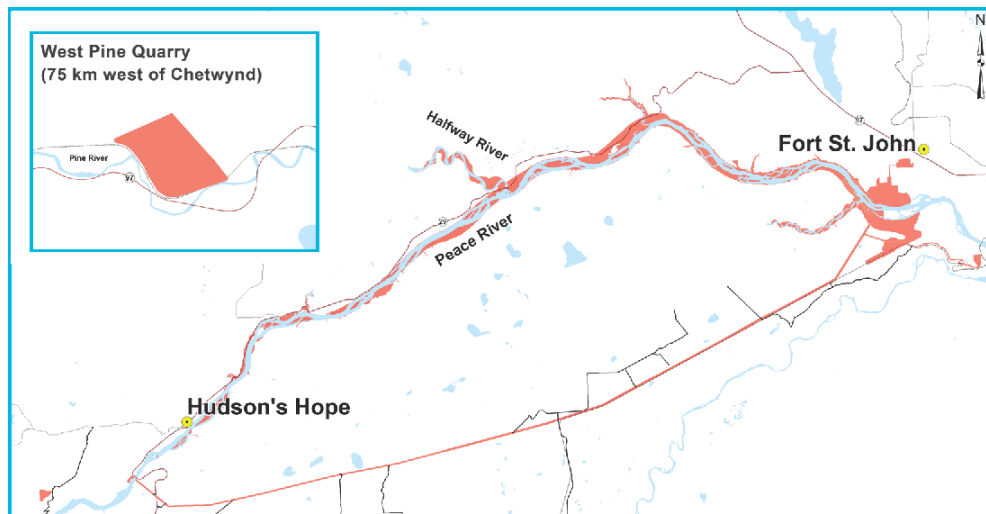


Do not hunt or discharge firearms in Site C project areas

BC Hydro is reminding hunters to be careful and refrain from using firearms in Site C project areas. With the planned filling of the reservoir this fall, we are also asking everyone to stay away from the reservoir.

During reservoir filling and for at least one year afterwards, there could be strong currents, waves, submerged hazards, and floating woody debris. The shoreline will also be prone to sudden erosion, especially in steep or unstable areas.

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Active **R2765458** **20877 DREW ROAD** **\$269,900 (LP)**
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Lot Size (sq.ft.): 0.00 Zoning: RU2 Building Plans: Not Available
Electricity: Nearby In ALR?: Yes - Agricultural Land Fence: Wire
Water: None Access: Road Access Taxes: \$0.00
Natural Gas: Not Available Sanitary Sewer: None Sold Date:

BARE LAND BARE LAND BARE LAND. Finally!!! It is not often a 1/4 section comes on the open market in Hudson's Hope. Three things that make this 1/4 section unique and desirable are 1) privacy; it is private as it's off the main Beryl Prairie Road 2) There is a creek that runs through the back of the 1/4. 3) Drew Road is before the fire hall, making this 1/4 very close to town (Hudson's Hope). There is three phase power already brought to the neighbouring property, so power is available very nearby. The 1/4 is about half cleared, land could be used for farming, grazing, cultivating (with some work) the other half is treed. There is road access and the land is gated and fenced.



Rear Yard Exposure: South
Taxes: \$0.00
Suite: None
List Broker 1: Century 21 Energy Realty

Active **R2753729** **10120-10122 BEATTIE DRIVE** **\$175,000 (LP)**
Fort St. John **(SP)**

Total Rooms: 1 Total Floor Area: 3,200 Exterior Finish: Metal, Other, Wood
Bedrooms: 0 Year Built: 1999 Style of Home: 1 Storey, Other
Bathrooms: 4 Lot Size (sq.ft.): 0.00 Basement Area: Crawl
Parking Spaces: Frontage (feet): 0.00 Type of Roof: Asphalt
Depth: Sold Date:

This building was previously a church, community gathering space and a rental for some musical classes. There is some very unique potential here. The large open "gathering/church" room is large measuring 25' X 33'. In the foyer there are two 2 piece bathrooms. Walk past the open gathering area there is a kitchen area and an office/bedroom & or shower room located next to the kitchen. There is an addition put on the back part of the original building which gives another entry and storage and access to crawl space for the original building past the addition is another add-on which currently houses a bathroom and potentially 2-3 bedrooms.



Rear Yard Exposure: South
Taxes: \$996.12
Suite: None
List Broker 1: Century 21 Energy Realty

Active **R2795681** **10118 BEATTIE DRIVE** **\$140,000 (LP)**
Fort St. John **(SP)**

Total Rooms: 6 Total Floor Area: 1,030 Exterior Finish: Aluminum
Bedrooms: 2 Year Built: 1999 Style of Home: Rancher/Bungalow
Bathrooms: 1 Lot Size (sq.ft.): 7,500.00 Basement Area: None
Parking Spaces: 4 Frontage (feet): 60.00 Type of Roof: Metal
Depth: 125.00 Sold Date:

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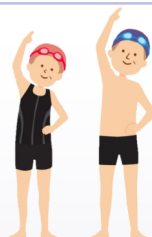
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