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August 2018

# **Monthly Reminders:**

### RM Office Closed on Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2018

#### **Cancelled Council Meeting**

The RM has cancelled the regular council meeting scheduled for August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2018. All other regular council meetings will remain as scheduled.

#### **Community Club Grant Reminder**

The RM would like to remind all Community Organizations that the deadline is fast approaching to apply for municipal grant funding for 2019.

The deadlines are as follows for all RM grant applications:

Recreation Grant – Due by September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Large Grant – Due by October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018

Cultural & Identity Grant – Due by October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018

Events Grant – Due by January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2019

For application forms, please visit our website or come to the RM office to view the policies on these grants.



#### **Main Market Road Funding**

The RM of Piney is happy to announce that the MB Government will be providing funding to maintain main market roads within the municipality. This will become part of their annual operating grants instead of having to be negotiated every few years. This means that the RM of Piney will be receiving \$310,000 per year for road maintenance.

#### **Tax Payments**

When entering an online tax payment, which can be done if you do banking with a credit union or Cassie bank, please make sure that if you have more than one tax bill that each payment is entered separately so we know where the funds are going. This means that you must enter each Roll No. with the corresponding amount as separate transactions.

When mailing in a cheque, please make sure to include the bill stub from the bottom of your tax bill to know where the funds are to be distributed.

#### **Maximum Amount of Pets**

As per the Animal Control By-Law No. 118/2016, if located within a townsite, no person shall own or keep on the premise more than two (2) dogs and two (2) cats over four months old. Conditional approval may be granted in extenuating circumstance by resolution of Council. Those wishing to apply for the conditional use must use the approved form and pay the corresponding amount.

If located rurally, no person shall own or keep on the premise more than four (4) dogs over four months. Premises zoned agricultural are not limited to a specific number of cats permitted.

#### **Board of Revision**

Manitoba Assessment



Board of Revision will be held on September 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 10:00am in the council chambers in Vassar. Last day to appeal your 2018 Added or Reduction statements or your 2019 assessments will be <u>September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018 by 4:30pm</u>. Please put your request in writing including the Roll Number, your name, and your discrepancy to the assessment, and the request will be properly addressed at the RM of Piney Board of Revision with the property owner and Manitoba Assessment.

# Firearms on Municipal Land / Hunting Lease

By-Law No. 123/2017



The RM of Piney would like to remind everyone that as of August 15<sup>th</sup>, you can purchase a Fall Hunting Lease that will allow you to hunt on RM land from **September 1**<sup>st</sup> to **November 30<sup>th</sup>**, **2018**. Leases are for hunting purposes only, recreational use will not be allowed. No permanent structures may be erected on RM land; only temporary structure will be allowed but must be removed before the end of the lease. No trees are to be removed and no trails are to be made on RM land. Vehicles are only permitted on land during the retrieval of harvested game.

The **cost of a Fall Hunting Lease is \$500.00** and this will allow a maximum of one (1) permit granting a maximum of five (5) individuals permission to access one parcel of municipal land during one regular season. For more information please visit our website to view the Firearms on RM Land By-Law No. 123/2017.

#### **Sunrise Corner**

Article by Jeannine Brandt



It's the season for summer festivals! Sunrise Corner is home to family-friendly festivals – from S.J. Canada Day, to St. Labre 200, to the Sprague Show 'n' Shine. If you notice a girl with a camera wandering around, that's me – Sunrise Corner's summer student! This summer, my camera's attention is on the tireless volunteers who work so hard to make visitors feel at home. Watch our Facebook page for upcoming videos showing the heart behind these events. Events are listed on our website at: sunrisecornermb.ca/event-calendar.

Not into socializing? Berry picking season is in full swing – Saskatoons and blueberries are plentiful in the bushes of the RM of Piney. Watch for wildlife while you pick, and be sure to bring your bug spray!

Tag and like us on social media @sunrisecornermb to see live coverage of events and pictures from around the area. And hey – if you want an event promoted, Sunrise Corner now has two portable road-side signs for community use. To find out more information, please contact us at: <a href="mailto:info@sunrisecornermb.ca">info@sunrisecornermb.ca</a>.

## **SRRCD Funding Available**

Seine-Rat River Conservation District is looking to partner with local farmers. Funding that available is for alternative watering systems, fencing (dugouts, ponds, rivers and waterways) and water management (temporary water detention structures). SRRCD will cover 50-75% of costs for most projects. Funding up to 100% may be available for certain projects. If interested, call Dorthea at 204-425-7877 or emailing roseau@srrcd.ca





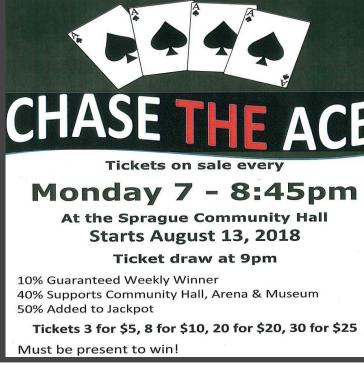
**August 2018 Community Events** 



#### **SPRAGUE FEST EVENTS** Fireman Pancake Breakfast 7:00 -10:00a.m. (Proceeds to benefit local Fire Department) Parade Starts 10:30 a.m. Basketball Tournament 9:30 a.m. Rainbow Auction: Tickets sold all day **Concession Stand:** Open all day Consignment Auction: Noon: Beer Gardens: Noon Live Music: 2:30pm FREE Kids Bouncers & Face painting: 11-4 p.m. Bingo: Cash & Prize Drawings 4:00 p.m. Beach Party Social: 8:00 p.m. – 1 a.m.











AUGUST 18th & 19th

Saturday, mixed slo-pitch 7 MEN, 3 WOMEN

BAND

\$200/TEAM ENTRY FEE 1st place - \$1.000 (with 16 registered teams)

**OPEN AIR DANCE** 

Sunday, men's fastball \$150/TEAM ENTRY FEE

**Pancake Breakfast Silent Auction** 

**Open Air Dance** 

SATURDAY - 10 P.M. Spectacular

"CanFire" Firework

To register a team please contact Duane Boutang at 204-437-3173

Or duane@boutang.ca

**POOL OPEN, SHOWERS AVAILABLE & FREE CAMPING** FOOD AND REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE AT CANTEEN

\$4 GATE FEE PER DAY (12 AND UNDER FREE)

In support of the Vassar Community Recreation Centre

## 7th ANNUAL SHOW & SHINE

Saturday August 18th, 2018

Antique, Classic, Sport, Muscle, Off Road Vehicles, Vintage Snowmobiles, Tractors, & Special Interest Vehicles

Place: Sprague, MB. Near corner of Hwy 12 and PR 308. White Shed Green Sign #44, West side of 308 Time: Noon till 4 PM Food: BBQ burgers & hotdogs & Refreshments

No Entry fee required To Register please email all entries to: a.kimrose@hotmail.com

Donation boxes will be situated throughout the grounds. Donations raised will go to: Sprague Community Cemetery

EVERYONE WELCOME



## **Upcoming Events:**

**Southeast Farmers Market** Every Friday from 3-8pm Runs till until September 7th Pine Grove Seniors - South Junction

**SE SnoRiders Vintage Swap Meet** September 15<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 3pm **Woodridge Community Club** 

**Piney Regional Chamber of Commerce** August 9th at 7:00pm Over 40 Club in Piney

