

Town of OLDS Connector

Creating Connections for the Future!

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Fire Hydrant Flushing

This summer you will notice Town of Olds staff around Town flushing our fire hydrants. As a safety precaution, fire hydrants are flushed annually to ensure each device is fully functional and flushed of any debris that may inhibit operations in the event of a fire. It is a direct responsibility of the municipality to be able provide these services to the public. Fire Chief Justin Andrew explains that in the event of situations

like water restrictions, it is still important to conduct these tests as fire insurance rates, that all taxpayers' bear, are very dependent on the proof provided by the municipality that the water infrastructure is maintained and verified annually. This year the water that is flushed from the hydrants, will be collected and emptied onto Town trees and green spaces.

Nominate a Great Neighbour Today!



Do you know a fabulous neighbor that deserves some recognition?

Show your appreciation and nominate them as a Great Neighbor!

How do you do that?

Complete a short webform at www.olds.ca/gnp/nominate

- There will be a weekly draw this summer from June 30 - Aug 31, 2021.
- Each week one awesome neighbor will be selected.
- The Great Neighbors Crew will come and set up a BBQ, tent, table, benches & some lawn games as well as provide Hot Dogs for the household.

Dates may be rescheduled if weather does not cooperate.

Questions? please contact the Town at: gnp@olds.ca

The Olds Fire Department had the pleasure of participating in the Holy Trinity Catholic School Career Day. Students were given an introduction to some important basic firefighting skills which included team work and conquering the fear of heights. Students also had the opportunity to test their aim by spraying water and trying to hit a target.

WATER RESTRICTIONS in effect!



Check Your Calendar!



Odd numbered houses are allowed to water lawns on **odd days** of the month **only**



Even numbered houses are allowed to water lawns on **even days** of the month **only**



I ♥ OLDS Photo Contest!



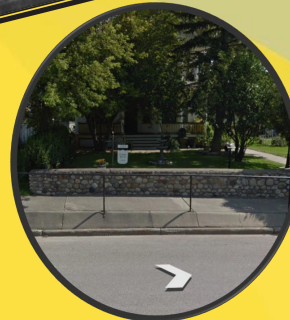
The Town of Olds wants to know what "Your Olds" looks like! Everyone is invited to submit photos of Olds to our online gallery!

Win GREAT prizes!

We are looking for photographs taken within Olds of people, landscapes, festivities, and anything else showing the spirit and beauty of our community.

Join the fun! Hit **SUBMIT** & upload your photo!
olds.ca/discover-olds/photo-gallery #MyOlds

History Buffs This is for You!!



Are you interested in the history of Olds?
Why not try taking the...

Historic Site Virtual Tour!

This virtual tour uses Google Earth to take you on a tour of historic sites in Olds. You'll also find interpretive information about the sites and additional historic photographs! You can even change the map view to *street view* to see what the buildings and locations look like today.

<http://bit.ly/HistoricWalkingTour>

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Happy Canada Day! Hot Dog drive through enjoyed by all!

Winter Averaging of Waste Water

For the months of July, August and September the winter averaging method will be used to calculate your wastewater charges. This method uses the lessor of your actual consumption or the 'average' of your consumption for the 9 month period October to June. At present your wastewater consumption is based on your water consumption, using the winter averaging method will allow residents the opportunity to water their lawns, flowers and gardens without worry of increased wastewater charges.

Town of Olds Municipal Election October 18, 2021

The general Municipal Election will be held in the Town of Olds on **Monday, October 18, 2021**. This election will fill seven (7) seats; one (1) for Mayor and six (6) Councillors.

Are You Interested in Running for Office?

Office	Number of Vacancies
MAYOR	ONE (1)
COUNCILLORS	SIX (6)

The Returning Officer or designate will receive nominations of candidates for the local jurisdiction election during regular business hours **8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, from: January 4, 2021 to September 17, 2021 & Monday, Sept. 20, 2021 from 8:30 a.m.- Noon** at the Town of Olds Administration Office - 4512 46 Street, Olds, Alberta.

For more information:
 Marcie McKinnon,
 Returning Officer
 Phone 403-507-3242
 Email: legislative@olds.ca



THANK YOU

to the following organizations & volunteers for making the Canada Day event a success!

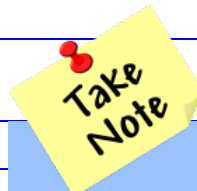
- Canada Day Planning Committee
- Westview Coop
- Hildebrand Motors
- Rotary Club of Olds
- Kiwanis Club of Olds
- Olds Regional Exhibition

- Olds and Area Boys and Girls Club
- Olds Fire Department
- CLC Fitness Centre
- Coldwell Banker Vision Realty
- **ALL VOLUNTEERS & COUNCIL** who worked at the event!

Funded by the Government of Canada

OAC Summer Schedule Effective July 4, 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Lane Swim 7:30-8:30	Lane Swim 7:30-8:30	Lane Swim 7:30-8:30	Lane Swim 7:30-8:30	Lane Swim 7:30-8:30	Lane Swim 7:30-8:30
	Shallow Aquafit 8:45-9:30	Lane Swim 8:30-9:30	Shallow Aquafit 8:45-9:30	Lane Swim 8:30-9:30	Shallow Aquafit 8:45-9:30	
	Deep Aquafit 9:45-10:30		Deep Aquafit 9:45-10:30		Deep Aquafit 9:45-10:30	
Rentals 10:45-11:45 am	Red Cross Lessons 9 am-12 pm	Red Cross Lessons 9 am-12 pm	Red Cross Lessons 9 am-12 pm	Red Cross Lessons 9 am-12 pm	Red Cross Lessons 9 am-12 pm	Rentals 10:45-11:45 am
Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00	Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00	Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00	Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00	Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00	Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00	Lane / Tot Swim 12:00-1:00
Public Swim 1:00-2:30	Public Swim 1-2:30	Public Swim 1-2:30	Public Swim 1-2:30	Public Swim 1-2:30	Public Swim 1-2:30	Public Swim 1:00-2:30
Public Swim 2:30-4:00	Public Swim 2:30-4	Public Swim 2:30-4	Public Swim 2:30-4	Public Swim 2:30-4	Public Swim 2:30-4	Public Swim 2:30-4:00
Public Swim 4:00-5:30	Red Cross Lessons 4-5:30	Red Cross Lessons 4-5:30	Red Cross Lessons 4-5:30	Red Cross Lessons 4-5:30	Rentals 4-5:30 pm	Public Swim 4:00-5:30
Lane Swim 5:30-6:30	Open Fitness Swim 5:30-6:15	Deep Aquafit 4:45-5:30	Open Fitness Swim 5:30-6:15	Deep Aquafit 4:45-5:30	Open Fitness Swim 5:30-6:15	Lane Swim 5:30-6:30
	Lane Swim 6:30-7:30	Public Swim 5:30-7:00	Lane Swim 6:30-7:30	Public Swim 5:30-7:00	Lane Swim 6:30-7:30	
		Lane Swim 7-8		Lane Swim 7-8		



• All swim time slots must be pre-booked and pre-payment is required.
 • Book online at www.olds.ca/aquatic-centre or call us at 403-556-7665
 Please stay home if you are sick. At least 24 hours notice required to cancel your booking.
BOOKING FOR THIS SCHEDULE BEGINS JULY 1ST

