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WE WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, OCTOBER 12. THERE WILL BE NO PAPER THIS DAY. DEADLINE FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14 WILL BE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9 AT 11:00AM.

CHETWYND COUNCILLORS SPLIT OVER CANFOR TAX EXEMPTION

The word of the day is *xeric*: characterized by, relating to, or requiring only a small amount of moisture. Example: She is a botanist who primarily studies deserts and *xeric* shrublands.

On Monday October 5th, 2015, the District of Chetwynd held a Regular Council Meeting at the Cottonwood Hall with all Councillors and the Mayor present.

A delegation of Ana Peasgood and Val Jensen from the Chetwynd Public Library did a presentation on the Third Annual Young at Heart Seniors Christmas Dinner. The representatives from the Chetwynd Public Library asked for a \$2000 dollar grant to help with costs of running the event, which is planned for December 16th. Council moved to forward the request to administration for consideration.

A major discussion between Councillors ensued regarding a Tax Exemption for Canadian Forest Products related to the construction of their new pellet plant located beside their present lumber and planer mills. The estimated cost of this plant is 5.3 million dollars, and is set to be complete by October 31st. Canfor applied for the full tax exemption on the pellet plant, and councillors Mel Deck and Ernest Pfanner voted against the motion to grant the tax exemption.

Another report was regarding a shipping container at the Maisey residence on the South Access Road, which is in violation of a zoning bylaw. Council voted to place a charge against the title of the property. The owners, when contacted by administrations, said they had no objections. This means the property will now be listed as having a zoning bylaw infraction if and when the Maiseys decide to put the residence on the market.

Council also announced that long-time District employee Linda Kearns has been named as the District's new Manager of Financial Services.

The next Council Meeting is set to take place Monday October 19th and the location will be announced on Peace FM.

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1990 Ford Lariat, lots of new parts, \$2000. Call Fred at 250-261-3133 or 250-401-1157

Truck canopy that fits Toyota size truck, \$50. Call 250-788-2472

2001 GMC crew cab 4x4, 6.0L auto, 6" procomp lift, loaded, \$4500. Call 250-7401-1094

2001 Ford F-150 XLT XTR 4x4 with canopy & racks. 5.4L triton motor, remote start, brake control, trailer hitch, air bags, HD springs, summer & winter front, has never been in an accident. \$3650 OBO. Call 250-843-7661

2008 Hyundai Accent hatchback, 4 cyl, auto, PS, PB, 2 dr, \$4600. Call 250-788-6429

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2003 Honda Pilot, awd, 2 sets of tires & rims, 240,000 km. Call 250-788-3545

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2014 Dodge Journey awd, less than 40,000 km, 7 seats, sun roof, navigation, \$28,500. Call 250-556-4370

2008 Ford F-150 4x4, 200,000 km, extended cab, good truck, engine runs strong, new front brakes & rotors, updated stereo, tonneau cover, \$8500 OBO. Call 250-329-4704 or 250-874-0265

2000 F-350 super duty extended cab 4x4, 7.3L diesel, 6 speed manual trans, \$4500 OBO. Call or text 250-219-9748

2001 Dodge Ram Laramie 2500 4x4 quad-cab, tonneau cover, decent tires, extra winter tires & rims, gen II, 5.9 diesel, 300,000 km, \$7800. Call 250-788-2630

8' long Ford canopy, black tinted window, good shape, \$150 OBO. Call 250-788-1829

2010 Ford F-150 XTR automatic 4x4, crew cab, long box, box liner & cover, sunroof, low kms, lady driven, \$22,500. Call 250-788-2635

2007 Ford 350 super duty 4x4 Lariat, long box, headache rack, 225,965 km, \$11,400 OBO. Call 250-401-1878

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MISCELLANEOUS

Prism cruising vest, Cm5 + 6 18" increment bore, 50m survey chain, 1 string chain, 6.5m diameter tape, 2 wire plot cords, \$200 for all; 5 drip torches, \$100; new wifi airport express, 2.4 + 5ghe, \$75. Call 250-788-2482

Used #450 Rigid tri-stand 1/8-5 in excellent cond, \$220. Hardly used Bushnell Spacemaster II spotting scope with tripod, \$150. Call Peter at 250-788-1947

Kenmore stove, \$400. Call 250-788-2724 or leave a message.

6 planting bags, \$90; 3 Yellow Cross safety vests. Call 250-788-2482

Large pails of organic honey, \$3.50/lb; dry birch camping firewood. Call 250-806-3022

HOT ROD GARAGE CLEAN-OUT: Carbs, holly, rochester Q-jets, original 4 barrel, 2 barrels, Carter AFB's thermo quads, Cuda pistol grip shifter, HEI distributors, tri-pac manifold for small block Chevy, 6-study rally rims, and more. Take it all, make offer. Call 250-788-3419

Large metal frame & heavy awning, approx 20' long, \$250; outdoor toilet, 4 1/2'x6' with room for wash stand, made of 1" poplar, lumber all screw nailed, well made & nice looking, \$600. Call 250-401-7311 and leave message.

Gas Boy 300 fuel barrel pump, \$20; Gas Boy hand fuel pump with shut off nozel, \$40; 2 log toggles, \$14 for both; metal frame barrel stand, \$15. Call 250-788-2482

Unpasteurized honey, \$8/500ml jars (approx 1.5 lbs), \$1 refund for returning jar. Call 250-788-6935

Left handed compound bow, PSE Nova, set at 55lbs, hardly used, \$200 OBO. Call 250-788-2676

24" electric cook stove, \$150; propane gas dryer, \$250; new American Standard propane furnace, Freedom 90, \$2500. Call 250-788-3048

Round bales of hay, bailed green in July. Mix of alfalfa, brome & timothy; large pails of organic honey, \$3.50/lb. Call 250-719-6142

Fresh crop of new square bales, \$5.00/ea. Great horse feed. Brome, timothy, alfalfa. Call 250-788-9421 or 250-401-3431

New Craftsman 27" Snowblower, \$850; Coleman generator, 4000kw, \$250; table saw, \$75 OBO. Call 250-401-1425

500' Rg6 coax cable, \$0.25/ft; 10' mesh satellite dish with portable base; 24" Bell satellite dish system, best offer; stainless steel water distiller; table saw with motor; radial arm saw; steel cutting saw; cut off saw; welder unit; 20' portable aluminum leader. Call Henry at 250-788-2606

24'x32' aluminum insulated shop, \$10,000; 12'x16' tack shop with peaked roof, has power & insulation, \$5000. Call 250-401-1135

13" high Mukluks with silver fox and beadwork, women's size 6. Great Christmas gift. \$300 OBO. Call 250-788-9192

Meysers 1/2 horse power jet pump, dual voltage, near new asking \$350. Misc PEX fittings, and valves, two full rolls of PEX 1/2 inch tubing, PEX manifolds and misc copper fittings estimated value over \$500 sell for \$400 OBO. Call George at 250-788-9432

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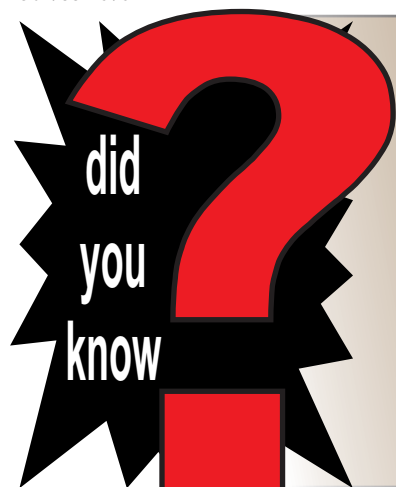


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PETS/LIVESTOCK

6 kittens to give away to good homes, ready to go August 20th or later, please call 250-788-9432 and leave a message if no answer.

Large gentle buck from very good milk line. Well mannered, never shows any aggression toward people. Also have a few does and young bucks. For more info or pictures call 250-788-4183

Quiet 16 yr old chestnut quarter horse, \$2000. Call 250-788-5479 or 250-788-2737

3 month old beagle puppies, 2 males & 1 female, \$800. Call 250-788-9254

LOST & FOUND

Lost: Brown tabby cat from Legion Sub Tues Aug 4. Answer to Jinx, has tattoo in ear. Has tendency to jump in vehicles & go through doors, so may be in a shed or outbuilding. Call 250-601-0147

Found: Wallet Aug 7th on the road in the Crown Sub. Call 250-788-9958

Found: Key fob on Aug 14, dropped off at RCMP on the same day.

Lost: Blue iPhone 5C with cracked screen on Sept 5 in Jackfish area. Call Jordan at 250-788-6836

Found: Keys left at CIBC Tuesday Sept 15 in the afternoon. Claim at the Coffee Talk.

Lost close to bus depot: Male cat with white body and grey & blue tips on face & feet, light blue eyes, comes to "Polar." Call 250-788-1285

Found: Umbrella that has couple embracing with green & purple coordinated clothing. Claim at Coffee Talk.

REC VEHICLES

2007 Can Am 650, 186 hours, 1407 km, snow blade, storage box, trickle charger, seat is torn, \$6500 firm. Call or text 250-601-0150

2008 Legends fifth wheel, \$25,000. Call 250-788-5821

Reluctantly selling 5th wheel camper, immaculate cond, new floor, unused new toilet, perfect awning, priced to sell at \$5500. Call 250-788-3123

1987 28' motorhome, light plant, new fridge, tires & battery, hot water heater, 460 motor in great cond, \$2000 worth of recent repairs, asking \$10,000. Call 250-782-4013

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2014 Yamaha Bolt, 942 cc, air cooled, 5500 km. Call 250-788-2834

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65 hp Johnson outboard motor, comes with electric controls, \$300. Call 250-786-5295

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2009 Suzuki V-Strom 1000, 3 hard bags, \$4900 firm. Call 250-788-3797

2007 28' Weekend Warrior toy hauler, \$22,700 OBO. Call 250-401-1878

23 ft 1995 Travelaire Rustler holiday trailer, bumper pull, bunk beds, good cond, \$7000 OBO. Call or text 250-601-1587 or 250-556-4077

2006 26' Salem 5th wheel trailer in excellent cond, comes with hitch (no rails), one slide, air condition, BBQ, microwave, electric front jacks. ~~\$15,000~~ REDUCED. For details call 250-601-0571

1978 Johnson 50hp outboard engine, spare prop, good running order, \$400. Call 250-788-2070

Ski-Doo, \$1000 OBO. Call 250-788-2724 or leave a message.

Vanguard camper, no leaks, needs roof vent, \$300. Call 250-401-1094

1989 Winnabego Chieftan 33', class A, fully loaded, 94,000 km. Call 250-401-1135

WANTED

Wanted: Roommate in Chetwynd. Mature, working adult, non-smoker, no pets. Fully furnished bdrm with heat, power and internet. \$600/mo. Call 250-556-4232 or tgrendus007@icloud.com

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Wanted: 2 galvanized water troughs. Can have rusted bottoms or leaks. Call 250-788-1941

Wanted: Roommate in Chetwynd. No smoking, no pets. Near town. Use of washer & dryer included. \$400/mo + utilities. Call 250-401-7160

Wanted: A room to rent in town for a clean, quiet and responsible man. Working 14 on, 14 off. Call Corey 250-556-1487

Wanted: Small bails of straw for chicken coops. Call 250-317-3567

Wanted: Tin roofing or shingles. Call 250-788-3437

Wanted: 2 good used 20" winter tires & rims that fit a 2010 Ford F-150, willing to pay up to \$300 each. Call Tyler at 250-788-5418

Wanted: Someone to haul water. Willing to pay reasonable amount. Call 250-649-8199

Wanted: White outdoor Christmas lights (not LED). Call 250-788-3437

Wanted: Used horse trailer tires, LT 235/85/R16. Call 250-401-1315

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We had a good turn-out for our First Annual Fall Colours Run. We did a beautiful 11km run though the stunning trails surrounding Chetwynd. Thumbs up to Super Valu for the generous donation of the turkey. Hope to see you all next year!

First: Daniel Schut

58 minutes

Second: Sheena Colton

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Runner ups: Sarah Schnare & Serena Matchelt*

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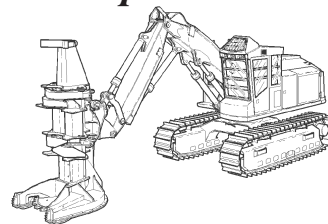
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The design and placement of a tattoo are important considerations, but so is the tattoo shop. Safe and clean tattoo service providers are held to a high standard to help prevent the transmission of bloodborne diseases including HIV, Hepatitis B, and Hepatitis C.

In order to make sure you are safe, it is recommend you:

- **Avoid soliciting the services of untrained tattoo artists.** Tattoo artists are not a regulated profession in B.C. It is the responsibility of the individual artist to ensure that they have learned proper and safe tattooing procedures. A responsible tattoo artist should be able to address any health concerns or questions that you may have.

- **Avoid tattoo studios that do not have health approval.**

Tattoo studios must undergo a health approval and inspection process to ensure that proper precautions and equipment are in place to protect public health. If you are unsure, ask to see their health approval permit.

- **Refer to the attached checklist on the [Northern Health environmental health page](#) for things to consider when choosing a tattoo artist or studio.** If something does not seem right, you can report the concerns to Northern Health.

In addition to the risks for blood borne diseases, people can also get bacterial skin infections, allergic reactions, scar tissue, or small knots or bumps if the appropriate precautions are not taken. If you suspect you are experiencing any of these health risks, make sure to contact your physician.

These health risks are associated with improperly sterilized equipment, contaminated or toxic inks/pigments, unclean studios, and/or unsafe procedures. Boiling instruments and chlorine bleach solution are not acceptable methods of sterilization.

If you have any questions, concerns, or require more information, please contact your local [environmental health officer](#). Information on current complaints against tattoo artists can be found on Northern Health's website health alerts section.

*Jonathon Dyck, BA, MA Lead, Public Affairs
and Media Relations Communications,
Northern Health*

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MEET THE MAYOR

October 9, 2015

Writing this column could be the hardest part of a very satisfying job. My job is satisfying in so many ways but to come up with a scintillating idea every seven days taxes my synapses to the limit. I can't count the number of times I've come up almost to the deadline without the kernel of an idea.

Exactly two months ago on August 5 I asked you for ideas. I know summer is a busy time; so is fall; so is winter; and in spring we are positioning ourselves to extract the most out of the summer. I'm still waiting. See what I mean?

Over the past months I've managed to share with you information on many of the plans and projects Council works on. Big on the list and big in our minds has been the recruitment and retention of medical personnel including doctors and nurse practitioners. We seem to be winning on that struggle. But people retire and people move; there never will be a time when we can say we've won.

Funding our various activities is also big on the list. Property taxes, grants, various fees, and sales of surplus property and land are the only sources of District revenue. Council and Administration tax their minds to keep taxes as low as possible without risking running your community into the ground. At the same time we apply for as many grants as fit our capacity for using them. I have also written on this topic within recent months.

Our unique (yes, Chetwynd is unique) location in the valley in the midst of forests and mountains with their minerals, soil, water, and air needs to be celebrated and preserved. Check back in your files to refresh your memory.

We've remembered Albert and his special contribution to our home town; let's not forget. We've taken a look at the issue of living with a disability. This is a family and social issue that, in years to come, could take more and more of a Council's time.

I've recently written about receiving the grant for our sewer treatment plant. That was a real bonus that saved us from a major mess. True, we'll have to pay one third of the 4.5 million but that's better than paying the total.

Then there was the buy local and bring new business to town column. I think I will be nagging you on these in the future. I like to buy local but I'm 50 years too late to start a new business. That's quite OK. There are a few coming up in that generation who can and should put down business roots in Chetwynd.

I've written of our magnificent Chainsaw carving event that is known around the province. That event should not be allowed to die.

Now that I've started remembering there seems to be so much going on in our town. Let's keep up our spirits and soldier through the rough spots that are bound to come.

Merlin Nichols, Mayor

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PROCLAMATION

Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Month - October 2015 & Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day - October 15th

WHEREAS Pregnancy and Infant Loss is such a common occurrence, one that is usually not recognized; and

WHEREAS many British Columbian parents and families have suffered a miscarriage, a stillbirth or the death of an infant during delivery or shortly after birth; and

WHEREAS such a terrible loss is often not recognized; and

WHEREAS this devastating tragedy often occurs suddenly, without warning, as a result of miscarriage, stillbirth, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS), accident, or other causes or complications; and

WHEREAS the tragedy of pregnancy and infant loss, which exacts a terrible emotional toll, may be preventable in some instances; and

WHEREAS increased awareness of the causes and impacts surrounding pregnancy and infant loss may lead to greater understanding, support and resources in communities across British Columbia; and

WHEREAS a day of remembrance honours the lives of children taken far too soon and supports grieving parents, grandparents, siblings and other family members whose lives are forever altered by the heartbreak of losing a child; and

WHEREAS those parents and families require support and understanding during their time of grief; and

WHEREAS promoting awareness of the challenges faced by those parents and families is a positive means of establishing support and understanding; and

WHEREAS recognizing Pregnancy and Infant Loss Awareness / Remembrance Day would enable the people of Canada to consider how, as individuals and communities, they can meet the needs of bereaved mothers, fathers, and family members, and work to prevent the cause of these deaths;

NOW, THEREFORE

I, Merlin Nichols, Mayor of the District of Chetwynd, in the Province of British Columbia hereby proclaim the month of **October 2015** as 'Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Month' in the District of Chetwynd and **Thursday, October 15th** as 'Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Day' and I urge all citizens to support and participate in the remembrance activities.



Director Yvonne Tupper (left) and Director Shannon Anderson (right) from the Pregnancy and Infant Loss Remembrance Group with Mayor Nichols

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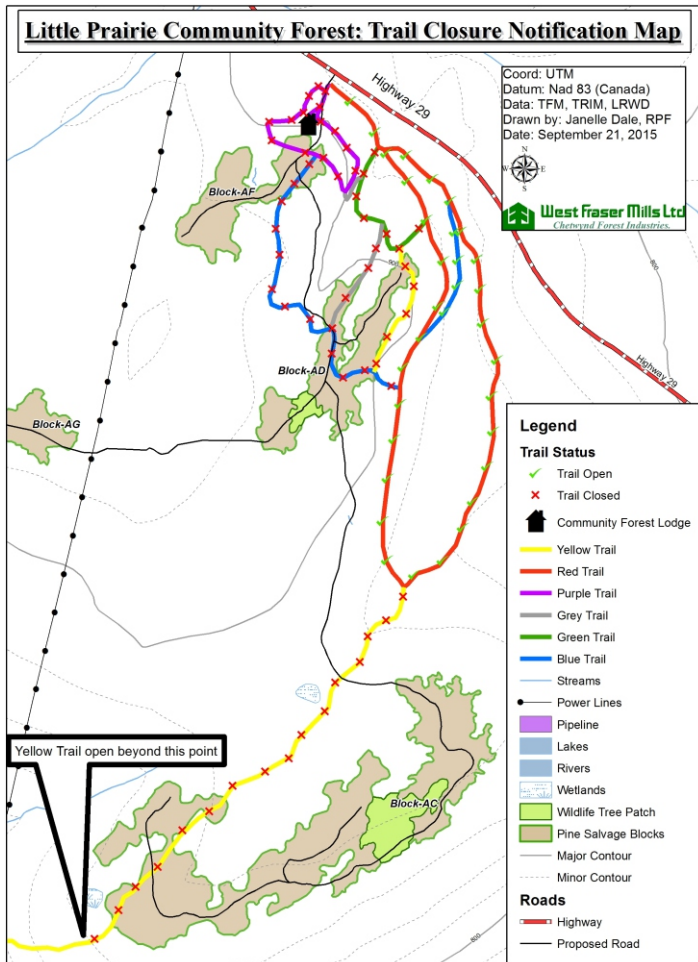
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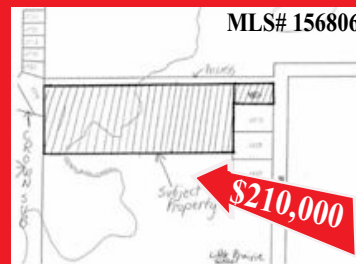
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