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HOLDEN  TIMES



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## Village News and Notes

- **Council Meetings in September** Regular Council Meeting will be held Monday, Sept. 21, 2020 at the Village of Holden at 7:00pm.
- Check out Village of Holden's new website <http://village.holden.ab.ca/>

### CAO Report – Sherry Garbe

#### Council Meeting Highlights (August 17, 2020):

There has been a delay on the sewer project on 51 Ave. during excavation the contractors found contaminated soil. We are working with Alberta Environment, the contractor, the source of the contamination and an environmental firm so that the project can resume. There is no danger to the residents of Holden.

#### Resident Questions:

Q: What is the length of the CAO's contract?

A: 5 years ending in October 2022

Q: Is there a way to keep up on what is happening in Holden?

A: Yes,

1. The Village of Holden has a Facebook page called "Holden Alberta" and we post on "Holden, Alberta Today" these are the only pages that the Village posts on. All other pages that are labeled Holden do not contain correct information or may contain gossip and false information. If you are relying on any other pages to get information just know that these pages are not supported by the Village of Holden Administration and Council.
2. The Village has a monthly newsletter called "Holden Times" that is delivered to mailboxes at the Holden Post Office and this newsletter can be found on the Village of Holden's website.
3. Attend Council meetings.
4. Send an email to [vholden@telusplanet.net](mailto:vholden@telusplanet.net)
5. Come into the office and talk to us. Office hours are 8:30 to 12:00, 1:00 to 4:30 Monday to Friday closed for all Stat Holidays
6. Call us 780-688-3928
7. Talk to your Councillors

#### Shout Out:

Thank you **Elaine Cooper** and NU2U2 for all that you are doing to make Holden's Main Street look better. Your enthusiasm and dedication to a great cause has lifted the spirits of Holden residents.

Dave, Amber, Sherry and Council

# Village of Holden Notice **Property Tax Due** **Date**

An 18% Penalty will be  
added to all Taxes  
remaining unpaid at the  
close of business on  
September 8, 2020

## **News for NU2U2**



Open Tuesdays and Saturdays 12-4 pm

Masks are required.

For information call Mona at 780-245-3921

## **News for The Gallery**

**Remember we are OPEN!! Fri, Sat & Sun 12-4**

We have a new vendors and a ton of new products!!!!

For information, call Elaine at 780-603-9729

Masks are required in this building.

### **NU2U2 Holden, Alberta**

Hello everyone,

This is a quick update as to the purpose of our Not For Profit Society. As you all know we are totally volunteer driven. We rely on volunteers to as they say, keep the doors open. If anyone is interested in sparing a few hours of their time with this society , please notify Mona Oswald as to availability . The store is open on a Tuesday and Saturday from 12-4pm. or by notifying a board member and we can arrange a private shopping experience, especially for our front line workers. At this time we cannot accept any more summer items as we will be moving into the fall, winter stock. (Back to School) If you have not shopped with us yet, come on in and check it out. Our motto is Recycle, Reuse, Renew and Reduce. We have donated to numerous organizations and causes in the past year and presently we are spearheading the Main Street Painting project we have provided funds for the painting cost to beautify main street. The project is to help the community and update the look of main street. A massive thank you goes out to our volunteers , Darren, Dennis and Rob for power washing the buildings which took three full days. Rae, Lavene, Kristie, Elaine, Ruth , Faye who travelled all the way from Beaumont) , Annette, Marie, Michelle, Wendy, Rhonda and Rhane who travelled back to their roots to help paint and landscape. Stay tuned for pictures of the finished project, residents have stopped by with amazing words of encouragement, thank you all for the positive feedback. Something like this starts with just an idea but look at the results... "Hope is a form of planning" words to live by "Gloria Steinem"

Three Sixty Alberta- the online news channel have been following this project (they have taken before pictures and volunteers at work) as we move along main street and will be coming back for an interview session on completion, stay tuned this is all part of having the Village of Holden be a possible Alberta Movie Industry location... but most of all to help pay it forward for our residents. It's amazing what a little bit of paint and enthusiasm can do.



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#### **Holden Municipal Library**

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[www.holdenlibrary.ab.ca](http://www.holdenlibrary.ab.ca)

**VIRTUAL TERRY FOX RUN- SEPTEMBER 20, 2020**

The Annual Terry Fox Run which is usually sponsored by the Beaver Regional Arts Society and has participants registering at Holden Lodge will have an entirely different format this year because of the corona virus pandemic.

The Terry Fox Foundation has announced it will be a **Virtual Run**. It is still a fundraiser for cancer research. Participants will register online and on Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup>. will walk, run, bike, hike, wheel a route of their choosing in their own neighbourhood, safely. Think of it like this: **The 2020 Run: One Day. Your Way**. Our virtual Run mirrors the same passion for Terry, his mission and our community as every one of the past 39 Runs. The difference: we will unite in spirit, not in person.

To register go to Holden's Run Site: [www.terryfox.ca/terryfoxrun/holden](http://www.terryfox.ca/terryfoxrun/holden). Once you have registered anyone wishing to sponsor you can go in to the same website and do so. Or, if anyone just wishes to make a donation the same website will allow this.

The Beaver Regional Arts Society hopes we can count on your support!

## **The Annual Meeting of the Beaver Regional Arts Society will be held on**

**Wednesday, September 2 at 7:00 pm at 5227-50 Ave.**

**Call 780-688-3812 for information**

## **The Beaver Regional Arts Society in Holden**


has cancelled the upcoming 2020-2021 Season Performances at the Paragon Theatre in Holden. It was a difficult decision to make as last season we celebrated 40 years of performances, but there is just too much uncertainty with the corona virus pandemic for us to proceed with booking artists and making plans. We would like to thank everyone for their past support and we hope we will be able to count on your support in the future.

## SEPTEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
		1	<u>Annual</u> <u>Region</u>
6 <u>The Gallery Open</u> 12-4pm	7 <b>Labor Day Office Closed</b>	8 <u>NU2U2 Open</u> 12-4pm <u>Library</u> 1-5pm <b><u>Last Day for</u></b> <b><u>Taxes before</u></b> <b><u>Penalties</u></b>	
13 <u>The Gallery Open</u> 12-4pm	14	15 <u>NU2U2 Open</u> 12-4pm <u>Library</u> 1-5pm	
20 <u>The Gallery Open</u> 12-4pm <u>Virtual Terry Fox</u> <u>Run</u>	21 <u>Council Meeting</u> <u>7pm, Village</u> <u>Back Door</u>	22 <u>NU2U2 Open</u> 12-4pm <u>Library</u> 1-5pm	
27 <u>The Gallery Open</u> 12-4pm	28	29 <u>NU2U2 Open</u> 12-4pm <u>Library</u> 1-5pm	



# BER 2020

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>2</b> <b><u>1 Beaver</u></b> <b><u>onal Arts</u></b> <b><u>Meeting</u></b> 7pm,	<b>3</b> <b>First Day of</b> <b>School</b>	<b>4</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm	<b>5</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm <b><u>NU2U2 Open</u></b> 12-4pm
<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm	<b>12</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm <b><u>NU2U2 Open</u></b> 12-4pm <b><u>Movie: Spies in</u></b> <b><u>Disguise</u></b> 3pm, Theatre <b><u>Movie: The Call of the</u></b> <b><u>Wild</u></b> 7pm, Theatre
<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm	<b>19</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm <b><u>NU2U2 Open</u></b> 12-4pm
<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm	<b>26</b> <b><u>The Gallery Open</u></b> 12-4pm <b><u>NU2U2 Open</u></b> 12-4pm
<b>30</b>			

## **PARAGON THEATRE REOPEN – MOVIES**

Beaverhill Players/Paragon Theatre are planning to reopen the Paragon Theatre for movies starting July 18, 2020.

Both the Theatre volunteers and Patrons are expected to follow all the current Alberta Health guidelines for COVID-19.

These include:

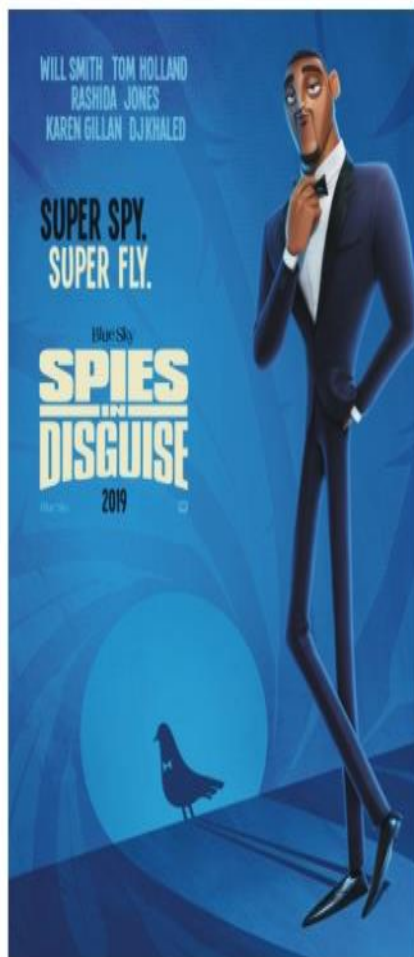
- Hand Sanitization upon entry & exit to Theatre
- Complete Health Quiz upon entry
- Provide Contact name & number for contact tracing, kept only by Theatre & destroyed after 14 days
- Masks by Patrons are required for Patrons entering and moving within Theatre. Masks can be removed while seated.
- Seating is only in designated places to meet physical distance.
- Recommend social distancing while moving within the Theatre
- Volunteers will be wearing masks & gloves
- Theatre cleaning of public contact points between shows.
- Limited restroom use

For any more information or updates, contact 780-720-5839 or email: [beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com](mailto:beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com)

Thank you for your cooperation.

Beaverhill Players Board





3 PM - PG 102m

# MOVIES



7 PM - PG 105 m

## SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 12/2020

Admissions:

\$7, \$3 u12

Info: beaverhillplayers17@gmail.com

THE PARAGON THEATRE  
5019 - 50 St. Holden, AB

Next Movies - OCTOBER 10/2020 Wendy  
The Way Back



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St

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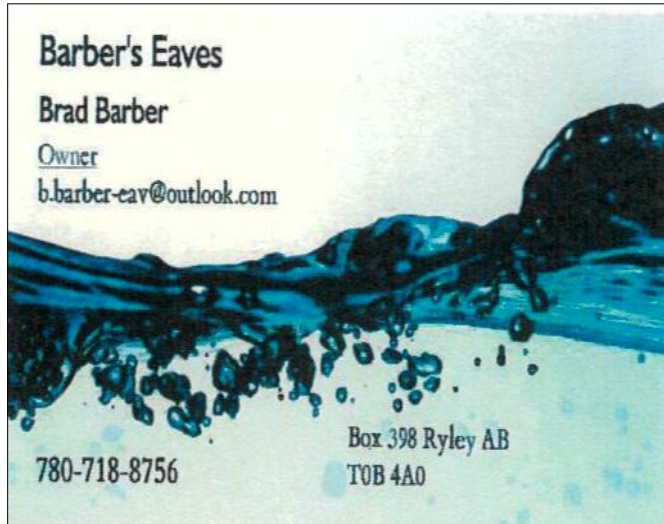
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### **St. Gregory Catholic Church**

4824-49 Ave

Father Luan Vu 780-632-3272

### **Holden United Church**

4924-50 Ave—Sunday Service 9 am

Rev. Adam Hall

780-662-3471 or 780-918-8327

### **Emmanuel Evangelical Missionary Church**

Hwy 626 & Range Rd 152

Pastor: Roger Urquhart 780-688-3805

Sunday Service 10:30 am

### **Ukrainian Catholic Churches**

Holden (Descent of the Holy Spirit) 780-688-3844

St. Mary's (South Holden) 780-688-2331

Father Mark Bayrock 780-679-0975

## **Council Meeting Dates:**

*Village of Holden*

Council Meeting— Regular Council Meeting will be on Monday, Sept. 21, 2020 at the Village Office at 7pm.

## **Village Office:**

Box 357, 4810-50 Street, Holden, Alberta, T0B 2C0

Phone: 780-688-3928 / Fax: 780-688-2091

Email: [vholden@telusplanet.net](mailto:vholden@telusplanet.net)

**Office Hours:** 8:30 am-12:00 noon & 1:00-4:30 pm

**Office Closed:** Monday, September 7 for Labor Day.

*New to Holden? Pick up  
a Welcome/Info Package  
at the Village Office.*



**Website:**

**[Village.holden.ab.ca](http://Village.holden.ab.ca)**