

# The Village Voice

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#### VILLAGE OF CREMONA NEWSLETTER

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### Council Meeting Highlights — November 20, 2017

### Bylaw 477-17 Establish Fees for the **Provisions of Various Services**

Council adopted Bylaw 477-17 respecting rates to be charged for various goods and services provided by the Village of Cremona.

#### Bylaw 478-17 - Rescinding Bylaw

The Village of Cremona has six (6) active bylaws appointing the Chief Administrative Officer by name. In order to rescind active but not needed bylaws, they must be rescinded in the same manner they were adopted. Council passed Bylaw 478-17 rescinding the 6 bylaws.

#### **Appointment MPC**

Council appointed Mr. Erik Reid to the Municipal Planning Commission.

#### Appointment to Intermunicipal **Collaborative Committee**

Council appointed Mayor Tim Hagen and Councillor Temple to the Intermunicipal Collaborative Committee (ICC).

### Appointment to the **Intermunicipal Planning** Commission

Mayor Hagen and Councillor Temple were appointed to the Intermunicipal Planning Commission (IMPC). This commission meets when there is a proposed development in the fringe area of the Village.

#### **Cremona Municipal Library Board** Changes

Council appointed Lori Reid and Karel Beckman as a new board members and accepted the resignation of Julia VanArnam with regret and approved the 8 month hiatus for Patti Kirkwood.

### The Village of Cremona Office will be closed on:

- Monday, December 25, 2017
- Tuesday, December 26, 2017
- Wednesday, December 27, 2017
  - Monday, January 1, 2018.

Mayor, Council and Staff wish you all a very safe and Merry Christmas.

# **CREMONA MEDICAL CLINIC OPEN DECEMBER 2017**

We are happy to announce that Dr. J. Le Roux will be providing medical doctor services to Cremona starting December 1st.

Clinics will be held on Friday's starting at 8:00 a.m.

> To book an appointment please call 403-560-1606.



### LOW FLOW TOILET UTILITY REBATE PROGRAM

The Village of Cremona offers a Utility Rebate Program to assist residents with homes built prior to 2008 in achieving a higher level of potable water conservation or replacement of high flow toilets (6 or more litres) with a low flow or dual flush toilet.

It is estimated that as much as 30 percent of water consumed in the home is flushed down the toilet. Based on CMHC Household Guide to Water Efficiency, an average family replacing an older high flow toilet with a 6 litre model can achieve water savings of more than 12,000 litres per year.

- Rebates are credited to a Village of Cremona Utility account, which must be in good standing.
- Properties eligible to participate in the Program must be on the Village's metered water system.
- All rebates are subject to the availability of funds.

Commercial – business properties and Institutional properties (schools, hospitals, seniors' lodges, etc.) are not eligible for participation in this program.

## Christmas Hamper Program The Christmas Hamper Program is a self-referral program. Those interested and in need of a hamper please contact Janet at (403)637-2945 before December 11, 2017. If you would like to donate to this program please drop donations at Mountain View Credit Union, Linda's Hair, Cremona Village Office and Cremona FCSS.

### **CREMONA & DISTRICT** SANTA'S ANONYMOUS

Santa's Anonymous is a community program providing gifts to children ages infant to 18 years who would otherwise not receive a gift at Christmas

Please call our CONFIDENTIAL telephone line at 403-816-0644 by December 11, 2017.

### An Apology

At the Congregational Church Remembrance Day Service in Cremona on November 11, I gave an address that was longer than it should have been which encroached upon the eleventh hour, our time of silence, as well as being inappropriate for the solemn occasion. To the members of the Legion and to all of you who attended this service and came out of respect to honour and remember their loved ones, please accept my heartfelt apology. I am truly sorry.

Respectfully,

Steve Zub

### Cremona Library Hours

Monday 9:30 am to 12 pm

Tuesday 4 to 8 pm

Wednesday 11 am to 4:30 pm

Thursday 6-8:30 pm

Friday 1:30 to 4:30 pm

Saturday CLOSED CLOSED Sunday

These hours may change in the fall, watch for details.

### **NEXT COUNCIL MEETING**

The next Regular Council Meeting for the Village of Cremona Council will take place at 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 19, 2017 at Council Chambers located at the historical Cremona United Church 106 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue East.

Please join Council for a half hour coffee time from 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. will be held prior to the meeting.