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Council meetings are open to the public and are usually held at 7pm the third Wednesday of every month in Council Chambers. If you wish to speak to Council as a delegation, a written detailed request must be submitted to the Village Office by 1:00pm on the Wednesday prior to the meeting.

Check the Village website for Agendas, Minutes and Council decisions.

Most of Administrations' actions & decisions are directed by Council.

Village Voice

MAY 2018

Office Notes:

The Village of Bawlf **Fire Department Open House** was a huge success!!! Many thanks to Benny Gendreau (Town & Country) & OPT for their generous camping gear door prize donation as well as the hotdog BBQ. The lucky winner of the Camping gear raffle was Gerry Guenette. Between the door prize ticket sales and the "Adopt a Puppy" fundraiser, the Fire Department raised \$1380.00 towards newer SCBA (self contained breathing apparatus) for their firefighters. The "Adopt a Puppy" fundraiser will be continued at the Village Office. Let's get the remaining puppies adopted to good homes!!

News: On Friday April 20th, the Village started to flood as the Daysland Drainage ditch opened up very suddenly. We would like to thank those residents that assisted over the 2 or 3 days of keeping the water at bay, manning pumps, etc. A special thanks to Dwayne Dennis for his "polar bear" dive into the ditch to block the culvert, to Terry Zapf for all his hard work and dedication, to Camrose County for rushing out more pumps, A-1 Supply for rushing out a pump and to Basha for sending out the flush truck that we requested for stand by. It takes a Village.....



The Annual Community Wide Garage Sale is fast approaching !

May 12th, 2018 8:00am - 4:00pm

This year's Annual Garage Sale activities include a Ham & Egger breakfast by BEST, face painting, Fire Truck tours, Food Trucks, an Adoption Day event by Precious Pets Animal Rescue, a Vendor Show and our first annual Show 'n Shine.

To register as a participant or to be put on the Garage Sale Map, please contact the Village Office at 780-373-3797 or email admin@bawlf.com
Visit www.bawlf.com for all relevant information & forms.

AGM Update:

1. Phone fan out system - due to a lack of "active caller" response, the Village opted for an automated call system that will send out an alert message to all that filled out a "phone fan out" form. If you did not, and would like to be notified, contact the Village Office.
2. Concerns with Truck Traffic in the Village will be brought to May's Council Meeting and further update will be given.
3. Administration is currently looking into products & prices for dust control.
4. Information for the Kelsey Transfer site is now available at bawlf.com

Events in May:

- 3 Cardboard Recycling
 - 4 International Firefighters Day
 - 12 Annual Garage Sale & Show 'n Shine
 - 13 Mothers Day Pancake Breakfast
 - 16 Regular Council Meeting
 - 17 Blue Bag Recycling
 - 21 Victoria Day-Office Closed
- Fire Practices**
May 2 & 16—7:30pm



SCHOOL HAPPENINGS

- 3 – Staff Meeting/ Early Dismissal
 - 4 –School Closed
 - 18 - No School
 - 25– Gr 12 Farewell
- Check the School website for more info.
www.brsd.ab.ca/bawlf

Annual Lion's Club Mother's Day Breakfast

Sunday, May 13th

8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Bawlf Community Center

Adults \$7.50

6-11 yrs \$5.00

5 and under free



*Daysland Annual
 Town Wide
 Garage Sale
 Friday May 11th &
 Saturday May 12th, 2018*



Library News!!!

We now have samples of the **Bawlf Banner from 1947-1949** and the **Bawlf Sun 1907-1928** on our library website bawfli-brary.prl.ab.ca. If you enjoy local history, check it out. We also have some of these historical documents downloaded on our public computers for your viewing. We will have a table set up in the David Knipe Memorial Library starting Wednesday May 2 to Friday May 11 (during regular Library hours) for any child/young adult that wishes to stop in and make their mom a Mother's Day card. Come in and be creative!

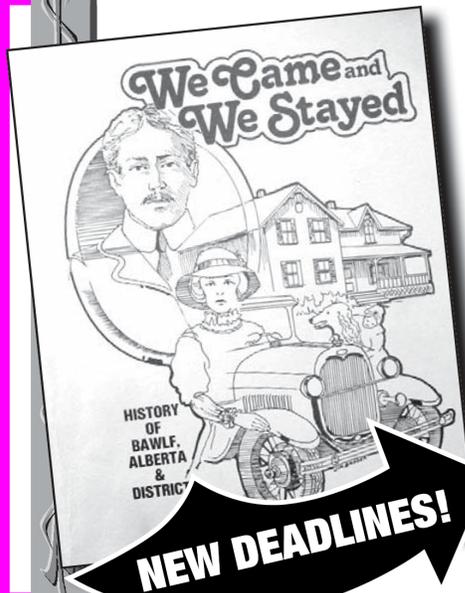
Fire Permit Season is in effect from
 April 1 to October 31

**For Fire Permits in the Bawlf area call
 Camrose County
 780-672-4446**

Please remember to call Fire Chief
 Dwayne Dennis prior to burning.
 Cell: 780-679-4633



We Made History!



NEW DEADLINES!

Bawlf and District History Book Volume II (official name forthcoming) is in the planning stages. This new book will continue documenting our community's history from 1980 to present day, and those who live or have lived in the community are invited to submit their stories. In addition to vital statistics like birth dates, deaths and marriages, we want to hear stories about school days, sporting events, and life in general! It's your submissions that will make this project a success, and our book will not be complete without them!

**Story Submission deadline
 has been extended to
 June 30, 2018**

**Picture submission deadline is
 August 31, 2018**

**THESE DEADLINES ARE
 FIRM, IN ORDER TO MEET
 PRINT DATE GOAL!**

Email submissions can be made to:
 Sherry Bratrud: s_bratrud@hotmail.com or
 Tanya Bergquist: dumbfarmers@explornet.com

*All electronic submissions
 will be acknowledged by email.*

For more information on how to include your photos and stories:

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**Pre-Order your
 Volume II now!**

**We will also be reprinting
 a limited number of the
 original Volume I.**

**Put your order in for both
 volumes today!**

**NEXT DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS MONDAY MAY 28TH
 EMAIL TO ADMIN@BAWLf.COM**