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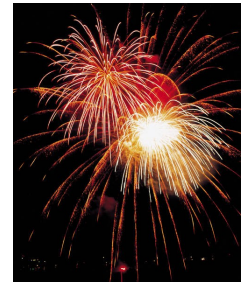
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# The Villager



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**FIREWORKS...**

## Mayor & Council

Mayor—Harold Esche      Deputy Mayor—Doug Lindblom  
Councillor—Irene Dunsmuir  
CAO—Harold Northcott

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COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

The Burnstick Lake Drive project was completed this past fall, with improvements to the road; cleaning of the ditches; culvert extensions with riprap and the ditching project. The final portion of the project will be completed in the Spring of 2012, which consists of dust abatement.

Directory: Information will be gathered to compile a SV of Burnstick Lake resident directory. **Form** is included with newsletter.

2012 Council Meeting Dates scheduled as follows, with a 10:30 a.m. start:

- January 14 (Caroline Village Office);
- March 10 (Caroline Village Office);
- May 12 (Burnstick Lake Community Hall);
- June 30—AGM & Organizational Meeting (Burnstick Lake Community Hall);
- August 4—Pancake Breakfast (Burnstick Lake Community Hall);
- October 13 (Burnstick Lake Community Hall);
- December 8 (Caroline Village Office).

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**Thanks to all residents who are ensuring their large garbage (ie: furniture, renovation materiel, etc.) is deposited at the Transfer Sites. For your convenience the Transfer Stations hours/locations are as follows:**

**Crammond Station** —hours of operation are: Sun 2:30-5 pm; Tues, Wed & Sat 10 am—2 pm. Located South of Caroline on Hwy #22.

**Caroline Station** —hours of operation are: Sun 10 am-2 pm; Tues, Wed & Sat 2:30 pm—5 pm. Located West of Burnstick Road, on Hwy 54.

All facilities are closed on statutory holidays.

Due to lack of a licensed fireworks technician, the Summer Village will not be sponsoring a Fireworks display this year. Residents may coordinate their private fireworks display, ensuring all debris is removed.

Gratitude is expressed to Pete Jess who has coordinated the New Year's Eve fireworks display for the past several years.



*Harvey Barrer continues to keep the roads clear of snow, thank you!*

## Information & Reminders

- Two companies are now providing septic clean out — they are Canary Septic (403.722.2842) and T.R. Trucking (403.722.3116)
- The SV of Burnstick Lake has contracted IJD Inspections Ltd. to carry out all inspections. Inspections include structure, plumbing, gas, sewer, and electrical. Contact information is: 1.877.617.8776
- The Decks & Stairs Bylaw is being reviewed, therefore, no approvals will be granted until revision is complete. Questions? Please contact CAO Harold Northcott.
- Motorized off road vehicles: Quads, snowmobiles, dirt bikes, etc. are not allowed on municipal reserve lands. Residents should use the boat launch to access the lake for winter use.
- Please remember only dead trees or dangerous trees in the municipal reserve (common areas) are allowed to be removed. Tree removal permits are available from all Council members. If Council determines the tree(s) are not to be removed, the tree(s) will not be tagged and you will not be allowed to remove them.

## Appointments & Committees

- Subdivision & Development Appeal Board – Mayor Harold Esche, Alternate Deputy Mayor Doug Lindblom, Pete Jess and Jerry Knight.
- Capital Planning Advisory Committee – Councillor Irene Dunsmuir, Members at Large Dean McKenzie, Glen Gray, Morris Butler, Alternate Member at Large Russ Down.
- Regional Assessment Review Board – Doug Lindblom.
- Weed Inspector – Pete Jess.

## Ad Hoc Committees and Jobs

- Regional Land Use, Websites, Liaise with Reps to BLPAC & SPOG – Deputy Mayor Doug Lindblom.
- Burnstick Lake Public Advisory Committee (BLPAC) - Patricia Knight, Deputy Mayor Doug Lindblom as the alternate.
- SPOG Community Affairs Committee - Deputy Mayor Doug Lindblom.
- West Stoney Candidate Natural Area Committee – Doug Taylor
- Community Well Water Test Coordinator – Diane Lindblom.
- Fire Caddy Operations – Al Clarke, Russ Down.
- Community Centre Propane Tank Checking – Deputy Mayor Doug Lindblom.
- Community Centre Key System Coordinator – Russ Down.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year,  
From Council

