

Council News

Council Meetings

April 23 May 13
 May 27 June 10

Provincial Election

Make sure to vote on April 16, 2019 at the Castor Community Hall for our Provincial Election.

Public Works



Tritons Swim Club

Are you interested in joining the Castor Tritons Swim Club? We are accepting registrations!

Please contact us at:
castortritons@gmail.com



Recreation News

Castor Minor Sports would like to thank the community for another great season at the Beaverdome! We had four 3C's teams win Zone 7 Provincial Banners and three teams win League Banners including your Castor Atom team who beat Oyen in straight games to win the League Championships and finished third at the Provincial Championships.

Castor Minor Sports would also like to thank all of our skaters who participated in our 44th Annual Skate-A-Thon; they raised \$4,178 and skated 3201 laps! Aubrey Younger raised the most funds overall and the Novice team won the Pizza Challenge. Congratulations to all our winners!

Ball Hockey registration is now open. The program will run on Fridays after school from April 26 to June 21 except for May 17. Registration is \$30 and can be completed by emailing Natasha at castorrec@townofcastor.ca.

Ball season is right around the corner and we know everyone is anxious to get on the diamonds, but we need to ensure they are dry before being used so please stay off them until the town posts an announcement that they are ready for use.

For more information on recreation programs please contact Natasha at 403-882-3225 or castorrec@townofcastor.ca.

CCN

The Castor Community Network has received a grant from the New Horizons for Seniors Program to start a buddy program for the Handi Van. This program will provide volunteers to attend appointments with seniors to ensure they arrive to the right location for their appointments and that they understand the information that is provided to them from their practitioner.

More information on this program will be available in the coming months.

Health Tip of the Month: "Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in." — Unknown

PRWML

Paintearth Regional Waste Management Ltd.
 Box 509 #1 Crowfoot Crossing
 Hwy. 12 and Twp. Rd. 374
 Castor, Alberta TOC 0X0
 Phone: 403 – 882 – 3211 Fax: 403 – 882 – 3560
 Email: prwm@countypaintearth.ca

Household Hazardous Waste Roundup

The Household Hazardous Waste Roundup is scheduled for Saturday, May 25th, 2019. The host community this year is the Town of Coronation at the Fire Hall. There also will be satellite pickups at Halkirk and Castor. Watch for further details in the coming weeks.

Propane Tanks

All three transfer stations have areas identified for the placement of propane tanks for recycling. All tanks must be empty of any product prior to bringing them to the sites. In the last few weeks propane tanks have been found in metal piles and demolition piles. This has to **stop** before someone gets seriously injured. When pushing piles it would be quite easy to puncture a tank creating a hazardous situation resulting in injury. There is no reason why tanks of any size should be anywhere, but in the designated area. Please be careful with propane tanks before someone does get hurt.

Tarp Your Loads

The Transfer Stations will be getting quite busy as we start to clean up from winter. Please remember to tarp and tie down your loads so nothing blows out of the vehicle or trailer.

Sort Your Loads

If you sort your loads prior to coming to the transfer stations it makes the work a lot easier to unload your materials in their proper place. It also helps to stop the urge to unload materials in the wrong place. If you are unsure of where materials are to be placed, ask the Attendant on site for assistance.

PCALC

Our Winter/Spring session is almost complete. We have some fun spring classes coming up to get into the spring spirit!

New Futures Job Search Transition & Training ran from March 11-15, with 4 students participating. This workshop focuses on job transition, changes in the job market, priorities and goal setting, resume development, and marketing yourself.

GED Preparation Class will be offered again from April 9-June 25 in Coronation. Classes are weekly on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday from 5-8 pm. Full Funding is available. Call to see if you qualify.

Includes:

- 100 hours of instruction via videoconferencing
- Books and calculator

Magic Carpet Ride is still underway. Feel free to join in at any point in the season.

Day	Location	Time
Wednesday	Brownfield School	9:15 am—11:15 am
Tuesday	Castor Paintearth Lodge	10:00 am—12:00 pm
Wednesday	Coronation Memorial Library	9:30 am—11:30 am

Alberta Healthy Living Program has some great courses coming up. Please call 1-877-314-6997 to register. Weight Wise runs on the third Tuesday of the month, **Feb. – Nov.** at the Coronation Hospital 9:30am – Noon Nutrition: The top 5 Tips to Reduce Calories – **April 16** Coronation Hospital 9:30 am - Noon Nutrition: The Truth about What works in Weight Management – **May 7** Coronation Hospital 9:30 am - Noon.

Our website www.paintearthlearning.ca has the Winter/Spring course information listed on it. Be sure to check out the awesome new courses we have planned.

Community Events

Apr. 16—Provincial Election
Castor Community Hall



Apr. 20—Easter Egg Hunt and Painting!!!
10:00 am—11:30 am
Trade in your eggs for a delicious treat!



Apr. 25—Hospital Auxiliary Ladies Strawberry Tea & Bake Sale
Castor Golden Circle
2:00 pm—4:00 pm



Apr. 29 - Hospital Auxiliary Ladies Sponsoring the Popovich's
Paintearth Lodge @ 2:00 pm
Everyone Welcome! - Goodwill offering

May 2—Farmers Market
Castor Community Hall
11:00 am—2:00 pm



May 6—Bridge Tournament
Castor Community Hall

May 11—Mothers Day Makers Market
Castor Community Hall
11:00 am—8:00 pm



Have an event you would like to list here?

Please contact the Town Office at
(403)882-3215 or
email: billie@townofcastor.ca



FCSS

The **Easter Bunny** is Coming to **Pals Park**
Saturday April 20
10:00 am-11:30 am



Join **Castor & District FCSS** in searching for the eggs the Bunny will leave behind and trade them in for a **Delicious Treat.**

Everyone, don't forget to stop at the craft table and paint your own cement eggs to take home.

This is a free event!

LET'S TALK DRUG TRENDS/EDIBLES NALOXONE KITS USE BRING YOUR QUESTIONS FOR Q & A

When: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 @ 7:00pm
WHERE: CORONATION GOLDEN AGE CENTRE
Presentations by Turning Points and a Q&A
Sponsored by Coronation & Castor FCSS
Everyone welcome

Please call 403-575-5502 for more info
Anyone wanting to catch a ride from Castor to this please call Mandy at 403-882-2115 by April 18

Castor & District FCSS & Magnified Training Services Presents:

Babysitting Workshop #2
Saturday, May 11 from 9am- 4 pm. Ages 10/11+
Please bring a lunch and snacks.

Home Alone Workshop #2
Saturday, May 25, 10am—2pm. Age 8+
Please bring a lunch and snacks.

Held at the Lighthouse Church, across from the library, on main street in Castor.

Each workshop is \$25/child with Castor & District FCSS subsidizing the remainder. You must be registered and be paid for before the day of the workshop (FCSS is NOT open on Fridays). Please share.

Call 403-882-2115 to register.

Our Lady of the Rosary Hospital ON CALL SCHEDULE

April 19, 20 & 21	Castor
April 27 & 28	Coronation
May 4 & 5	Castor
May 11 & 12	Coronation
May 18, 19 & 20	Coronation
May 25 & 26	Castor

Main Street Clean-Up

It's that time of year again! Spring has finally come! Now lets all pitch in to clean up the place we call home!

Date: May 8, 2019
Time: 6:00 pm
Place: Legion
Bring: Gloves, rakes, shovels, clippers, and leaf blowers
Jobs: Picking up garbage around main street.



Additional Information: Castor FCSS will supply all volunteers with a BBQ Supper before clean up begins!

The Town of Castor will supply all garbage bags.

Hospital Auxiliary Ladies

Strawberry Tea & Bake Sale
April 25, 2019 from 2:00 pm—4:00 pm
Castor Golden Circle
Everyone Welcome!



Sponsoring the Popovich's
April 29, 2019 @ 2:00 pm at the
Castor Paintearth Lodge
Everyone Welcome!
Goodwill Offering



April 2019



The Town Office will be closed on: Friday, April 19 and Monday, April 22

Office Hours:
Monday—Friday 8:30am—4:30pm
Phone Number:
403-882-3215

Public Works Department:
Monday—Friday 8:00am—5:00pm
Starting May 1—7:00 am—4:00 pm

Phone Numbers:
Shop: 403-882-3200 On-Call: 403-882-3099

Landfill Hours:
Wed. 1:00pm – 5:00pm Sat. 9:00am- 4:00pm