

# MEWATHA BEACH

May 2019

## Annual General Meeting

This years AGM will be held on Saturday, July 27 at the Boyle Seniors Drop-In at 10:00 am. We hope everyone will attend. If there are certain issues you would like discussed please send them to us ahead of time so that we can ensure we have as much background information as possible.

## Administration

Garth and Marion Bancroft have decided to retire to do more travelling. In their place, we have hired their daughter Kim Bancroft as our new CAO. Contact info remains the same.

## Pump House Reserve

This summer we will begin the process of returning this area to greenspace. Current plans include closing of the road going down to the reserve, a path down to the water, the addition of several trees and some benches or picnic tables. We are still working on finalizing a schedule.

## Projects

We have a few projects planned for this summer; removing the old signs, tree / shrub trimming in the cul de sacs to improve visibility, repairs on the shed, removal of the old benches on the beach, painting of the parking lot fence going down to the beach, painting the outhouse and road repairs.

## Fire Bans

Just a reminder to check the fire sign at each entrance to the village to see if there are any fire restrictions. Please remember that fireworks are strictly forbidden during a fire ban. For more information please visit [www.albertafirebans.ca](http://www.albertafirebans.ca)



## Website

Please check out the new look on our website and sign up to receive all the latest updates. If anyone has pictures that they would like to contribute to either the website or the newsletters, please feel free to send them to administration.

### **Maintenance**

We would like to thank Kereon Contracting for all the hard work they do. They have signed on for another year of maintenance with the summer village.

### **Council Meetings**

If you have an item you would like discussed at a council meeting, please contact administration or one of your council members.

### **Volunteers Needed**

We are looking for volunteers to install the swimming area buoys. If you can help, please let us know.

### **Storing on Reserves**

Items allowed to be stored on the reserves over the winter season should now be removed so all residents can enjoy the reserves.

### **Did you know?**

1. If your lake residence is a second residence, you are not entitled to disaster relief from the provincial government in the event of a disaster in the community.
2. You need a development permit if
  - You are going to change the drainage flow on your lot
  - When you build a fence
3. No seacans or similar structures are allowed in the summer village
4. No RV, utility trailers, boat trailers or other obstacles are allowed to be on the road allowances in the summer village. There are no exceptions to this rule and fines will be issued in the future.

### **Administration Office**

Administration contact numbers are to the right. The best time to contact us is on a week day. If you have an emergency (including dog related emergencies) you may contact the local RCMP at 911 or 780-689-3622. If the emergency is fire related please contact the Boyle fire department at 911 or 780-689-3611.

*Please be respectful of your neighbors and obey the rules of the summer village. Remember that this is your summer village and you want it to be there for your future generations.*



## **Council Members**

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SEASON AT THE LAKE!**