

MAY, 2022

# HARDISTY HAPPENINGS

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Would you like to see your event listed in our newsletter and our website or announced on our Facebook and Twitter accounts? Email upcoming events to [marketing@hardisty.ca](mailto:marketing@hardisty.ca) no later than the 29th of the preceding month.



## Bobbi Usselman, CAO

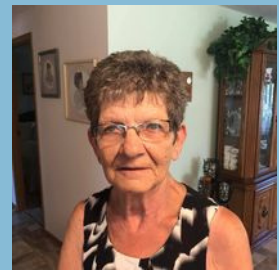
Welcome to Spring! (or we sure hope so anyway)

A special wish of gratitude to the Public Works Staff from May 12-21 during Public Works Week. Ivan, Brian, Richard, Avery and Cassidy sure would appreciate a wave and a smile as they go about their business each day to keep our town running as smoothly as it does. Thank you so very much for all your effort and all you do!

Be sure to check out the Public Works information page to find out about a fun new incentive for summer. A chance to win \$50.00 off of your utility bill just by keeping your yard neat and tidy.

Congratulations to the Hardisty Rodeo Association for a very successful Spring Fling once again! We are all very excited to see how the 'green combine' does this year in the Combine Crunch. Make sure you have a look at the Street Fair advertising; a fantastic addition of the car show will be sure to draw plenty of attention

## CITIZEN OF THE MONTH



Wilf and Marlene Adam are on the Hardisty & District Handy Van Committee. Wilf is the main driver and Marlene does all the booking for the 2 vans.

Wilf also looks after the Maintenance of the vans as well as the building. Both Wilf and Marlene make sure the vans are serviced and clean for each rental.

The Handy Van Committee is lucky to have such dedicated members.

*If you know of an individual or business, that you would like to appear in the monthly newsletter for contributing to the community in some way, please email your nomination to [marge@hardisty.ca](mailto:marge@hardisty.ca)*

that afternoon I am sure. So many folks are gearing up for rodeo week, with some great ideas, and some wonderful enthusiasm, I can not wait to see what the week brings!

Good Luck to the Hoofin' it In Hardisty MS Walk Team on May 7th, as they take to our beautiful walking trails to raise money for the fight of Multiple Sclerosis. Such an incredible idea and by the looks of things, the support from the local community is second to none! Way to go Hardisty!

As the world starts to wake after a long winter's nap, I wish you a bright, warm and beautiful Spring! No place like a ball game or a golf course or a stroll on a nature trail to shake off the cold and spring into summer. Bring on spring! I know I am sure ready for it!

Bobbi Usselman  
Town of Hardisty - CAO

## St. Paul's United Church News

Time change for Sunday services to 11:30 AM. Everyone welcome.

We are hoping to have a Slip and Bloomer sale at C.E. Hall, tentatively set for May 25. Watch for posters.

The church is planning to host a pancake breakfast along with the Legion's town wide garage sale June 11. Watch for posters



## PROPERTY MAINTENANCE AND BEAUTIFICATION

In this issue we will discuss property maintenance and beautification just in time for spring cleanup. The green compost bins have been put out by Flagstaff Waste Management and please remember that bags and branches are NOT allowed in the bins, and these are not garbage bins so please treat accordingly.

Property owners are responsible for the upkeep of their properties, including the maintenance and cleaning of alleyways, boulevards adjacent to said property. This also includes the care and trimming of overhanging trees near fences and sidewalks. No one likes to duck or walk around tree branches just to use a sidewalk. Not to mention it could become a liability if left alone.

Those properties that have fire pits also keep in mind that these are meant for wood only and that you should not burn leaves or grass or garbage in them.

If you have any questions, please contact the Town office @ 780-888-3623

Free dump weekend April 30 & May 1st at the local transfer site.

In the rare cases that public works and council need to follow up and physically cleanup a property, there is a bylaw for such cases.

“Pursuant to town bylaw 1171/11 as the “Unsightly Premises Bylaw”, If the property owner fails to satisfactorily comply with an order as specified by an enforcement officer or as specified by council than the workers for the Town shall dispose of offending materials and any costs incurred shall be billed to the person(s) in which the order was directed. Failure to pay these expenses incurred will become an amount owing to the Town and may be added to the tax roll.”

With spring and summer approaching, tourists and public in general would love to see a community that takes pride in its appearance and a place one calls home.

The Town of Hardisty would like to offer a new contest to all the property owners in Hardisty. For every property that is mowed, cleaned up, and maintained, you will be entered into a draw for a chance to win \$50.00 off your next months utility bill. A well maintained town is an attractive town, and we all win when we look good. 😊

# MAY EVENTS CALENDAR

[www.hardisty.ca/town/calendar](http://www.hardisty.ca/town/calendar)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 <b>Town Wide Clean Up</b> 8:30 am	<b>2</b> <b>Garbage Pick Up</b> 8:00 am	3 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	4 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	5 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	6 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm	7 <b>MS Walk</b> All Day <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm
8 <b>Happy Mother's Day</b> All Day	9 <b>Garbage Pick Up</b> 8:00 am	10 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm <b>Regular Council Meeting</b> 7:00 pm	11 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	12 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	13 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm	14 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm
15	16 <b>Garbage Pick Up</b> 8:00 am	17 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	18 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	19 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	20 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm	21 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm
22	23 <b>Victoria Day</b> All Day	24 <b>Garbage Pick Up</b> 8:00 am <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	25 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	26 <b>Library Open</b> 11:00 am <b>Thrift Store Open</b> 1:30 pm	27 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm	28 <b>Library Open</b> 1:00 pm
29	30 <b>Garbage Pick Up</b> 8:00 am	31				

## COFFEE TIME

Monday to Friday 8:00 - 10:00 a.m.  
@ Seniors Drop In Center

## THRIFT SHOP

The Hardisty Thrift Shop is open three days a week to serve the community and surrounding area. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.



# Hoofin' it in Hardisty MS Walk (1km, 2km or 5km)

In support of the MS Society of Canada

## Where:

The Hardisty Nature Trails  
(entrance/start location to be decided soon  
STAY TUNED)

To sign up & join us:  
contact Patricia

To donate:  
leave cash donations with  
Penny at Hardisty Laundry  
Service until May 6th.

## When:

May 7, 2022  
@ 10AM

RAIN or SHINE

For more information contact Patricia Armitage  
780-888-7554



Check out our Facebook group for all other  
updates! Search Hoofin' it in Hardisty



## A SMALL BUSINESS EVENT

Prevent Burnout: Embedding Wellness &  
Resiliency Tools into Daily Culture

SPEAKER

**KATE MCKENZIE**

Film director of The Secret Marathon

THURSDAY, MAY 12

**6:30 PM**

THE HIVE, SEDGEWICK



visit [flagstaff.ab.ca](http://flagstaff.ab.ca) to learn more!



**PUBLIC WORKS**  
**READY**  
 AND  
**RESILIENT**  
**NATIONAL PUBLIC WORKS WEEK**  
**MAY 15-21, 2022**

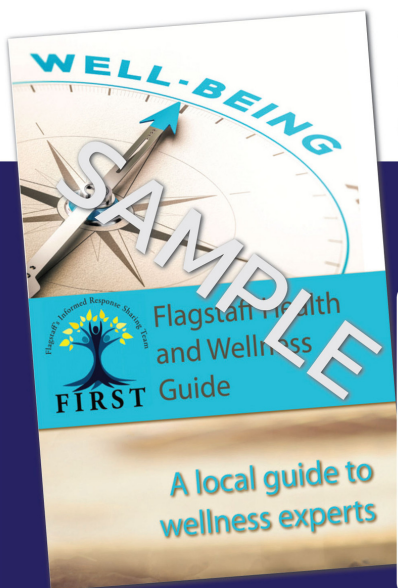
Thank You Ivan & Brian

Also, thank you to our summer staff:

Richard, Avery, Cassidy, & John

**FIRST (Flagstaff's Informed Response Sharing Team)**

*is in the process of designing, with the intent to publish both on paper and digitally, a Flagstaff Wellness Guide.*



We will be selling ads for \$20 per ad and we need the participation of Flagstaff businesses who offer holistic wellness services such as:

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| 1. Massage therapists                                | 9. Infant and child wellness                     |
| 2. Reflexologists                                    | 10. Chiropractors                                |
| 3. Senior Foot Care practitioners                    | 11. Physiotherapists and occupational therapists |
| 4. Fitness instructors and personal Trainers         | 12. Meditation                                   |
| 5. Nutrition practitioners                           | 13. Speakers for Wellness topics                 |
| 6. FIRST mental wellness program                     | 14. Life Coaching                                |
| 7. Private mental health counsellors / professionals | 15. Holistic healers                             |
| 8. Cancer – end of life care                         | 16. Essential oils                               |
|  | 17. Reiki  |

Please contact Lynne Jenkinson at 780-385-3976 or email [director@flagtaffcs.ca](mailto:director@flagtaffcs.ca) to voice interest and get her the information for the guide (picture and business information)

We need to hear back from you by May 31st, 2022 to be included in the guide

**In Partnership With:**



We are pleased to provide **NO FEE WEEKENDS** at the following Transfer Sites for Residential Spring Clean up

**Permanently closed Transfer Sites will be temporarily reopened for their respective NO FEE WEEKEND.**  
**Note: Refrigerant removal charges (\$20 / unit) & Mattress recycling charges (\$15 each) will be applied.**

SATURDAY APRIL 30	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	HARDISTY
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	HARDISTY SEDGEWICK
SUNDAY MAY 1	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	HARDISTY
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	HARDISTY SEDGEWICK
SATURDAY MAY 7	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	LOUGHEED KILLAM
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	STROME KILLAM
SUNDAY MAY 8	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	STROME KILLAM
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	LOUGHEED KILLAM
WEEKDAYS	REGULAR TRANSFER SITE HOURS & FEES APPLIED	

SATURDAY MAY 14	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	DAYSLAND ROSALIND
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	DAYSLAND ROSALIND
SUNDAY MAY 15	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	DAYSLAND HARDISTY
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	DAYSLAND HARDISTY
SATURDAY MAY 21	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	FORESTBURG GALAHAD
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	FORESTBURG HEISLER
SUNDAY MAY 22	8:30 AM - 12:00 PM	FORESTBURG HEISLER
	1:00 PM - 4:30 PM	FORESTBURG GALAHAD
TUESDAY MAY 24	ALL REGULAR TRANSFER SITE HOURS & FEES RESUME	

**Please note: All other regularly open Transfer Sites will be applying usual fees.**

**2022 Development Permits Issued**

L = Lot; B = Block, P=Plan

**Permit No 2022-001(MPC)**

L24, B26, P172 0652  
 Stand Alone Digital Sign

**Permit No 2022-002**

L38, B1, P072 9501  
 To Build a roof over the existing front deck, shingle cabin, build landing & step to washroom, clear trees and level uneven ground to build a 12' x 20' deck for a 10' x 12' metal gazebo

**Permit No 2022-003**

L27A, B27, P862 1005  
 6' Wood Fence

**Hogg Snorter!**



**Hilarious Things My Mother Taught Me...**

1. My mother taught me TO APPRECIATE A JOB WELL DONE . "If you're going to kill each other, do it outside. I just finished cleaning."
2. My mother taught me RELIGION. "You better pray that will come out of the carpet."
3. My mother taught me about TIME TRAVEL . "If you don't straighten up, I'm going to knock you into the middle of next week!"
4. My mother taught me LOGIC. " Because I said so, that's why."
5. My mother taught me MORE LOGIC. "If you fall out of that swing and break your neck, you're not going to the store with me."
6. My mother taught me FORESIGHT. "Make sure you wear clean underwear, in case you're in an accident."
7. My mother taught me IRONY "Keep crying, and I'll give you something to cry about."
8. My mother taught me about the science of OSMOSIS. "Shut your mouth and eat your supper."
9. My mother taught me about CONTORTIONISM. "Will you look at that dirt on the back of your neck!"
10. My mother taught me about STAMINA. "You'll sit there until all that spinach is gone."

**Board of Directors Dinner 2022**

Gibson Energy donations made to the community of Hardisty on May 1, 2022:

- Hardisty Legion – \$5000
- Hardisty Seniors Centre – \$2000
- Hardisty Handi Van – \$1500
- Hardisty Nature Trails – \$1500
- John Festival – Gibson’s Board Member – Matching donation for the nature trails \$1500

