



News Notes

December 2009

T O W N H I G H L I G H T S

TOWN OF DAYSLAND

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday,
9am - 4pm

Wednesday, 9am - 1pm

Regular Council Meetings

are held on the third
Wednesday of each month.

RCMP CONTACT INFORMATION

Thank you for doing your part in keeping Daysland safe. If you witness driving infractions or illegal activity report these to the RCMP immediately. You can call the local complaint line at

780-385-3502 or dial 9-1-1.

You can also call a Flagstaff County Peace Officer during business hours at

877-387-4100 or 780-384-4111.

Even if an officer is not in town at the time it is important to call in order to

Attention Pet Owners!

2010 DOG LICENCES

Are now available for purchase at the Town Office. Licences purchased by January 31, 2010, will be sold at half the price of the regular fee.

DAYS LAND COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Daysland Council gave first reading to the new Land Use Bylaw 2009-482 and scheduled a public hearing for the proposed new land use bylaw and municipal development plan on December 16 at 7 pm at the community hall.

Daysland Council heard a delegation from the DaysArts Society and granted the society a 30 year lease on the theatre building.

Daysland Council reviewed and discussed a Flagstaff County Fire Protection Review report.

Daysland Council approved a \$4 Million water treatment plant project and grant application to fund 75% of the project costs.

Daysland Council chose not to support a Flagstaff Intermunicipal Partnership Recommendation for unified governance of Flagstaff Waste, Flagstaff Regional Housing, and Flagstaff FFCS.

Daysland Council approved the Direct Debit option for pre-authorized tax and utility payments beginning in January 2010 to enhance customer service options.

Daysland Council authorized that the Town of Daysland send a letter to the Daysland Hospital Foundation requesting a long term business plan for the Daysland Medical Clinic (minimum 5 years); and to let the Foundation know that Daysland Council is seriously considering a public health contribution in the 2010 budget; and to advise the Foundation that the town is corresponding with Alberta Health regarding the medical service needs of the Daysland Region.

Daysland Council approved that the Town of Daysland send a letter to the Parkland Regional Library Board requesting consideration for the construction of a new and larger public library for the Town of Daysland; and to further inform the Board that the Town of Daysland would be willing to donate a lot for the location of the new library building.

Daysland Council is seeking ratepayer input from 47th and 48th Street on the possible removal of the sidewalks on these streets between 50th and 51st Avenue.

Daysland Council approved an infrastructure assessment report for the Town of Daysland as prepared by the Town Engineer, Banner Engineering.

Daysland Council approved Daysland's participation in a Regional Water Operator Consortium and a Feasibility Study for a regional water project led by Flagstaff County.

Daysland Council has begun the 2010 budget deliberations.

Thank You!

to all who attended the Volunteer Appreciation Night and for your continued support and involvement in the community.

PUBLIC WORKS NOTES

The water meter installation project is now complete. Thank you for your cooperation during this project!

We would like to remind everyone who is using the Recycling Station at the Town Shop to please not leave debris on the ground, but to rather use the appropriate bins.

**PALACE
THEATRE**

**Special Movie
Presentation**

*The
Christmas
Carol*

with Jim Carey

**PG, Frightening Scenes,
Not Recommended
for Younger Children**

**December 16 & 17, 7pm;
December 18, 8pm**

**There will be no
movie showings
until February.**

**TRANSFER SITE
WINTER HOURS**

November 1 - March 31

Tuesday: 8:30 am to 12
noon; Friday 8:30 am to
4:30 pm

CHRISTMAS HOURS

Thursday, Dec. 24:
8:30 am to 2pm; Friday,
Dec. 25, Monday, Dec. 28
& Friday, Jan. 1/10:

CLOSED

**FLAGSTAFF REGIONAL
LANDFILL HOURS**

Thursday, Dec. 24:
7:30 am to 2pm; Jan. 1/10:

CLOSED

***There are a number of ways to save water,
and they all start with you***

- When washing dishes by hand, don't let the water run while rinsing. Fill one sink with wash water and the other with rinse water.
- Some refrigerators, air conditioners and ice-makers are cooled with wasted flows of water. Consider upgrading with air-cooled appliances for significant water savings.
- Adjust sprinklers so only your lawn is watered and not the house, sidewalk, or street.
- Run your clothes washer and dishwasher only when they are full. You can save up to 1,000 gallons a month.
- Choose shrubs and groundcovers instead of turf for hard-to-water areas such as steep slopes and isolated strips.
- Install covers on pools and spas and check for leaks around your pumps.
- Use the garbage disposal sparingly. Compost vegetable food waste instead and save gallons every time.
- Plant in the fall when conditions are cooler and rainfall is more plentiful.
- Monitor your water bill for unusually high use. Your bill and water meter are tools that can help you discover leaks.

Public Events

DaysArt Concert Series Tickets

Call Sharon Eshpeter at 374-2403. Limited tickets available at the door.

Daysland Little Theatre—December 11, 12 & 13

The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate Town's Women's Guild Dramatic Society's Production of A Christmas Carol

Call June Serediak at 374-3645 or visit Kari Anne Saik at Jerry's Pharmacy.
Friday and Saturday Dinner Theatre, \$25; Sunday Matinee \$10

Daysland Public Library

HOURS: Tuesday & Thursday: 1:00 pm to

Christmas Sock & Hat Tree Once again we will collect Socks & Hats to hang on our tree. All donations will then be given to the Christmas Sharing Program.

Cookies & Refreshments: Tuesday, Dec. 22 2-7pm Join us for a holiday treat when you pick up books for the holiday season.

Holiday Hours The library will be closed Wednesday, Dec. 23/09 until Tuesday, Jan 5/10 when regular hours resume.

Computer Consultant Theresa Dalueg will be available for all your computer needs free of charge until the end of March/10. Appointments must be booked in advance @ 780 679-7263. Please leave message if there is no answer.