

Donalda Lite



Sketch by Susan Dahl

May

2012

VILLAGE COMPLEX HOURS

Village Office Hours:

Monday - Wednesdays
9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Telephone: 403-883-2345

Museum Hours:

Monday - Friday 10:00 - 5:00

Weekends & Holidays 11:00 - 5:00

Telephone: 403-883-2100

Library Hours:

Mondays: 2pm to 5pm

Tuesdays: 10am to 1pm

Wednesdays: 3:00pm to 6:00pm

Thursdays: 6:00 pm to 9:00pm

Telephone: 403-883-2345

Transfer Site Hours:

Saturday 10 am - 2pm

FROM THE VILLAGE OFFICE

THE VILLAGE OF DONALDA SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

The Village of Donalda is now accepting resumes for the position of Student Summer Employment

The successful applicant will possess the following qualifications:

- Be at least 16 years of age by May 01 of 2012
- Have been a full time student at some point during the previous 12 months from May 1 of the start date of the program.
- Be a post- secondary or high school student seeking summer employment.
- Be a Canadian Citizen
- Be a permanent resident of Canada.
- Must not be attending school full-time while employed in the summer.
- Be available for employ from June 1 to July 31st. 2012

Be in possession of a current valid drivers license

Resumes may be submitted in the following ways:

email: cao@village.donalda.ab.ca Fax: 403-883-2022

Post: Village of Donalda P.O. Box 160 Donalda, AB T0B 1H0 Drop

Off: 5001 Main Street Village Office

The closing date for application is : May 15, 2012

Public Notice

The Village Council and Administration are Offering a Service to all Village Residents and Business Owners to pick up any derelict vehicles stored on private or commercial property. We will come and tow away your old worn out, retired vehicle free of charge. This service will begin on May 21st. 2012 and end on June 4th. 2012. Please call the Village Office to participate in this opportunity and reserve a pick up time.

Office: 403-883-2345 Public Works: Shop: 403-883-2985 Village Foremans Cell: 403-741-6468

We are looking forward to hearing from you.

May Council News

The May council meeting has been rescheduled to May 30 in order to have the audited financial statements presented by the auditor.

We will hopefully be back on track with the council meetings on the 3rd Wednesday of each month in June with the meeting on June 20.

There is a lot of work going on with the spring cleanup on May 5, the Drive In on May 12 and the Centennial at the end of June.

The Donalda Beautification Committee will also be busy with improvements planned and funds approved by Council.

All 8 metal lamps, from Main Street, are being beautifully refinished by Susan and Terry Dahl and will be reinstalled before the end of June.

The antique wagon replica is getting closer to completion by Phil Racine and should be in place by the office/library/museum in June.

The inside foyer of the museum/office is planned to be painted this spring in time for our Centennial.

The museum has arranged for the final 5 murals to be completed, inside the lamp, by June and the museum is proceeding with the washroom and new parking area on Railway Ave. to also be completed in June.

Bruce

It's that time of year again (spring)

With this being our Centennial year, We the staff of the village of Donalda would like to show off your village. We know that many people who live in our village may not have the means to remove garbage, that the garbage man can't. Now that we have a bump truck and a front end loader, we can pick-up that garbage and haul it away. This would be a one day a year thing. The plan is simple, make piles in your back alley just like the transfer site. ex. Burning pile, metal pile, Fridge, stove, TVs(NOT HOUSEHOLD) that's the job of our garbage man. Starting at one end of the village we would pick-up only Burning, after we have removed all the burning we would return to pick-up metal. (so on and so on.) We will not be sorting out your garbage so please insure you have clear different piles and that the amount is that of someone doing a yard clean-up, not someone tearing down an old building wanting it hauled away. If possible block or place on a pallet so our forks can go under the load.

There are some people in our village that for personal reasons can not do some things like haul that old fridge to the back alley.

Many hands make lighter loads, call the village office and add your name to the helper list. you will be rewarded in one way or another.

We would like to have this done within the hours our transfer site is open.

P.S. you do not have to live in the village to help.

and there are many young people looking to make a extra dollar. Perhaps we can put something together after the clean-up (hot dogs)

DONALDA & DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL
SOCIETY NEWS

Ag board centennial meeting, Tuesday - May 22 @ 7:30 pm
Regular board meeting, Tuesday, - June 5 @ 7:30 pm.
New custodian needed immediately, send resume to box 248,
Donald, Ab. TOB 1H0

\$15/hour and 40/month approximately. Any questions call Jodi
Blouin 403-883-2330

There is equipment missing from the hall, especially grey bins, if
you have any items, please contact a director or bring it to the hall
when there is a function, please and thank you.

If you have a key to any of our facilities, please turn them in at a
regular director meeting, thank you.

New bookkeeper needed immediately, \$15/hour. Experience pre-
ferred, and QuickBooks an asset.

Contact Julie Hebbes 403-883-2264

Outdoor riding arena rental: \$15/hr or \$100/day.

*Step applications are being accepted at this time, please submit to
the above address. \$12.00/hour*

Ranch rodeo - June 2 @ 1pm.

Supper at the hall @ 5:30 pm.

Adults \$12

Children \$8.00

Under 6 - free

Anybody with Klondike days experience and pictures or video
please contact Mary Mueller 883-2469.

Arena cleanup - Tuesday May 29 @ 7 pm. It would be nice to see
all members present, thank you. Many hands make light work!!

The Ag society needs volunteers to come forth for helping with
the beer gardens on the centennial weekend, please contact Mary
Mueller, Becky Clement, Roberta Rouse or Jodi Blouin if you can
help for even a couple of hours....

Work bee on June 28 to put up snow fence for the centenni-
al...contact John Pearson 403-883-2501 if that is something you
can help with.

The Donalda Coulee Friendship Club

Donalda Coulee Friendship meeting will be held on May 10 at
12:00pm. Lunch will be served, meeting to follow. New members
are always welcome.

May Bingos will be on May 2, 16 and 30 at 7:30 pm at the Drop
In. Everyone Welcome.

If you are a senior in need of assistance please contact Judy
Dinsmore, Marlene Conibear or Darlene Tantrum to get and ap-
plication form or to inquire what is covered. This information is
also available at the Drop In.

Donalda Coulee Friendship Club

will hold a

Mother's Day Breakfast and Jam Session

Drop In Centre

Sunday May 13th

Breakfast served from 9AM - 1 PM
fresh strawberries, pancakes, hash browns,
sausages, ham, scrambled eggs

Coffee, Tea and Juice

Cost: \$7.00

Donalda's Community Spring Clean Up

Saturday, May 5, 2012

9am at the Gazebo until we are done.

Please bring your own tools and gloves.

Garbage bags will be provided.

A lunch will be served at the Drop In Centre for all participants.

Donalda School News

The school is buzzing with excitement as the school drama team's
play is happening soon it is called Murders in the Heir . It plays on
May 3,4,5. They have worked very hard on this so show your support
by getting some tickets to watch it .It is a dessert theatre so after the
play yummy treats will be served.

Badminton playoffs starts on May 2 for CARA good luck Eagles!
PAT testing is this month as well so students are preparing for these
tests as well .

Grade 9 Grad is on May 31st congrats to our students Jessica, Alden,
and Jacob a job well done!

Swimming lessons begin this month as well a note will be sent out
soon. As always we need volunteers to ride the bus so be sure to so
sign yourself up .

Grade 4/5/6 track meet is on May 29th in Big Valley again this year.
There is no school on May 18 and no school on May 21st for the Vic-
toria Day holiday.

Have a fantastic month .

Shylla Nix

News from the Donalda Library

OUR HOURS ARE CHANGING! We hope that our new hours will
be helpful to our patrons.

Our new hours are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday are 3:00pm -
6:00pm.

Thursdays are 6:00pm-9:00 pm

Our WiFi Connection is now available 24hours/day and 7 days/week!

For more information contact the library.

Some of our upcoming events are :

Teen Night : May 10 and May 24 6:30-8:30pm

Teen Night on May 24 will be the last until fall! 80's night ! Come
dressed for the occasion!!

All of these programs are drop in and require no registration. If you
have any questions or concerns please contact me.

We are now hiring a program coordinator for our summer program, if
you are interested please contact Kelley @ 403 883 2345 or send a
resume to donaldalibrary@libs.prl.ab.ca.

~Kelley Andres

Donalda is Celebrating 100 Years!!!!

Come and Try Out for " DONALDA'S GOT TALENT"!!!!

Any and All Talent Welcome!!!!

Tryouts Held in Donalda on May 25th!!!!

Finals Held on June 30th in Donalda!!!!

CASH PRIZES!!!!

WINNERS MUST PERFORM ON JULY 1st to Collect Their Cash!!!

For more information call: Chelanne @ 780-877-2443

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Monday to Thursday: 10 am to 6 pm

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SHARON LUTHERAN CHURCH

The congregation at Sharon would like to welcome visitors to our services which are Sundays at 10:00 am. starting on April 15. Below is a list of Supply Pastors/Lay People who will bring the message.
May 6—No service at Sharon, Closing service at Bethany
May 13—Albern Bergstrom
May 20—Pat Gill
May 27—Pastor Robert Lewis

The Congregation of
Bethany Lutheran Church Donalda Alberta
Invites you to attend their
Closing Service of Celebration & Thanksgiving
Sunday, May 6, 2012 @ 10:30 AM
*please bring a Pot Luck dish & a lawn chair

Echoglen Gardens is now hiring for the 2012 season for part-time and/or full-time positions. Please apply by email to echoglengardens@hotmail.com or phone 403-883-2849.

Wanted to Buy:

Old Rope Maker machine
Will pay cash
Phone Don Wudel @780-877-2331

Annual Pancake Breakfast and Garage Sale
hosted by the Donalda & District Museum Society
Saturday, May 26th
9AM – 3PM
Donalda Community Hall

Don and Letha Saltvold's 50th
Wedding Anniversary
Open House at Farm
Sunday, May 27 2:00pm– 5:00pm

Donalda Gallery of the Arts
Opening May 19th with a
"Soft Art"
An exhibition of Quilting by "The Donalda Quilters"
Duration of the exhibit will be May 19th to June 24th
Viewings available from noon til 4PM daily by
contacting the Museum

Donalda & District Museum Society

Darlene Tantrum, Manager

I must take this opportunity to thank all the volunteers who help at the museum in every way to make your museum a more enjoyable place to visit.

I will also say our "Gary Fjellgaard with Saskia and Darrel" concert was a BIG success, I thank everyone who trusted in us to come out and support the museum fundraiser. This was a wonderful show, easy listening, Thank You! Along with the audience this production would not have happened without the number of hours our volunteers put in cooking, displaying all the fine food, setting up chairs and taking down, Thank You, Thank You. You the volunteers make these events happen. If you notice the museum is in the process of refurbishing the old bathrooms from behind the Creamery which are now set up by the Railway Station, this bathroom site should be up and operating by July 1st. This will be a seasonal public bathroom, cold water only.

Annual Garage Sale & Pancake Breakfast will be held on Saturday May 26th, 9 AM – 3PM at the Hall. If you wish to donate you can drop off at the Museum. If you wish to rent a table for your Garage Sale, these will be available at a cost of \$10.00 per table.

Centennial Planning and Preparation

The Centennial Committee has been very busy and will get busier as we get closer to the end of June.

We have a great group of people handling: the meals, registration and invitations, Donalda's Got Talent, Show & Shine, school homecoming, parade, the Kid's Zone, concerts, local talent, fireworks, and all the other entertainment.

We will need lots of help such as supervision of the 4 large inflatables. Ideally if a group formed to do this, we would like to work with one person to take charge of it.

We will also need someone to supervise the visitor parking area on the corner of Olson and Railway. This might only be needed for an hour or two on Saturday and Sunday morning. Once the lot is full then it can be left.

Donalda's Got Talent has rescheduled all of their auditions for May 25 in the Community Hall. There are over 15 performers already signed up.

The family of Francis Lee would like to extend their sincere appreciation to all the friends, neighbors, co-workers and extended family who brought food, sent flowers, made memorial donations, sent cards, attended Dad's service and generally provided their loving support to our family. Special thanks to the staff and patients at Heritage House for their care and friendship. You made Dad's last several years of life more enjoyable, and for that we are grateful.

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May 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<i>1</i> Ag Society 7:30 pm @ the hall	<i>2</i> Fire Practice @ the Fire hall 7pm Bingo @ the Drop In 7:30pm	<i>3</i> Donalda School presents <i>Murders In the Air</i> @ 6:00 pm	<i>4</i> Donalda School presents <i>Murders In the Air</i> @ 6:00 pm	<i>5</i> Community Spring Clean up 9:00 am @ the Gazebo Donalda School presents <i>Murders In the Air</i> @ 7:00 pm
<i>6</i>	<i>7</i> Kids Drop In 2:30 -5pm @ the Drop In Center	<i>8</i> Community Promotions 7:30 pm @ the Drop in	<i>9</i> Fire Practice @ the Fire hall 7pm Centennial Organization meeting 7:30 pm @ the Drop in	<i>10</i> Teen Night 6-9pm @ library Donalda Friendship Coulee meeting @ 12:00pm @ the Drop in	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i> Willow Canyon Drive In Starts @ 9:00pm
<i>13</i> Pancake and Jam Session @ 11 am @ the Drop In Center	<i>14</i>	<i>15</i> Arts Society @ 7:30pm @ the bank building	<i>16</i> Fire Practice @ the Fire hall 7pm Bingo @ the Drop In 7:30pm	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i> First Exhibit of 2012(Soft Art) @ Donalda Gallery of the Arts
<i>20</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i> Museum Meeting 7:30pm @ the library Ag Society Centennial Meeting @ 7:00pm	<i>23</i> Centennial Organization meeting 7:30 pm @ the Drop in	<i>24</i> Teen Night 6-9pm @ library	<i>25</i>	<i>26</i>
<i>27</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>29</i> Arena Clean Up @ 7:00pm	<i>30</i> Village Council 7:30 pm @ the Fire Hall Bingo @ the Drop In 7:30pm	<i>31</i> Grade 9 Graduation Congratulations, Jessica , Alden and Jacob!		

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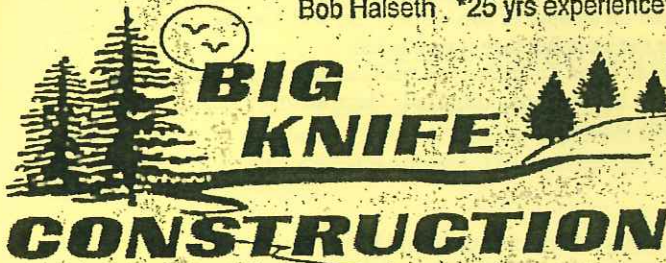
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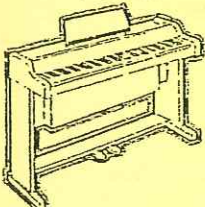
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