

# Village of Lipton

April 2021

## Keeping the Village Informed

### Meetings

#### Council Meetings

Council meets the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month and the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday if required.

#### Fire Department

Fire Department meets the last Thursday of each month

#### Rec Board Meeting

Rec Board meets 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the Month

#### New Horizon

New Horizon meets 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the Month

The Lipton Volunteer Fire Department along with Ideal Events will be handing out Easter Baskets to pre-registered children on Sunday April 4<sup>th</sup> at 10 am.

Thank you very much to these groups for taking the time and doing something special for the kids.



APRIL FOOL'S DAY IS CANCELED THIS YEAR.

BECAUSE NO MADE UP PRANK COULD MATCH THE UNBELIEVABLE CRAP HAPPENING IN THE REAL WORLD RIGHT NOW.



"I'm giving you a 300% salary increase, and four months paid leave."

**DID YOU KNOW** permits are required when building or adding on to your residence? Decks, additions, garages, etc... all require a permit to ensure all building codes are being followed and so your insurance will be valid. If you are unsure, stop in at the office and we can advise on permit or no permit required.

## Assessment Roll

The Notice of Preparation of the Assessment Roll has been posted with the Saskatchewan Gazette and is now open from February 16 to April 16, 2021 - the required 60 days during a re-assessment year. If you wish to appeal of your assessment, please bring it to the office with the \$50.00 fee during this time period.



I'M TRYING!  
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The Village Office will be receiving a box for drop off so you can recycle your batteries and cell phones. Feel free to stop by the office and drop these off!

Drop off must be during business hours.

Car batteries are **not** included in this recycle drop location.

## Wild life conflicts

There have been reports of wild life strolling through town and it has caused some concern. While we understand how this can be concerning, we have to realize they will tend to do so BUT we do have some tips to remove the temptation:

1. Coyotes and fox will go after your pets. To keep them safe please keep all pets in your homes and in your own yards. If they are roaming, they are far more likely to run into these characters and not returning home safely.
2. Garbage needs to be bagged and in the proper receptacle. If garbage is loose, it will attract rodents and wild life looking for a quick lunch.  
**DO NOT FEED THEM!** Funny but this does happen. Do not feed the wild life as they will tell a friend and they will tell a friend and before you know it you have a party of animals in your yard as well as the neighbors.
4. Prevent access to areas where they will take up residence. Seal cracks, decks, porches and sheds. This will remove denning and nesting risk.



## Fort Qu'Appelle RCMP remind the public of ATV Laws

Spring is near and the Fort Qu'Appelle RCMP would like to remind the public about laws associated with the All-Terrain Vehicles Act. ATVs include quads, dirt bikes and off-road utility vehicles. To operate an ATV in any public areas, a person must be at least 16 years old, and hold a valid driver's license. (Those between 12 and 15 can operate while supervised by someone who has a valid license or passed an approved ATV training course.)

ATVs can be operated on Crown land or highway right-of-way's, such as ditches. They cannot be operated on any street, road or highway, or for crossing a bridge, unless it is authorized by permission of the land owner.

It is illegal to operate an ATV while impaired by alcohol or drugs, even when doing so on private land.

### ATV Fines

Operate an ATV without a driver's license **\$150**

Operate an ATV without landowner's permission **\$80**

Exceed a reasonable and safe speed **\$150**

Operate an ATV with a passenger unless the ATV was designed to carry a passenger **\$90**

Fail to immediately stop ATV on request of peace officer **\$90**

Fail to wear helmet and eye protection **\$100**

Operate an ATV on the travelled portion of a highway without authorization **\$150**



These are some suggestions but in essence a clean yard, animals contained and not feeding them will greatly reduce the risk of unwanted wildlife.

They are our neighbors and we do need to co-exist.

# Street Sweeping



Street Sweeping will be occurring VERY soon. Sweeping the streets helps keep the streets clean for walking, removes debris so it does not end up in our drainage and sewer systems and helps keep things clean so rain water flows away faster. We are asking that residents please keep their vehicles off the streets if you see the sweeper headed your way. We will do our best to keep the residents informed as to where we will be and when but this is not always an option. The best way to help us out to remove any vehicles that are in the way of cleaning areas or drains.

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A safe place for those struggling with life's suffering.  
 If you are having a rough time and need someone to speak to;  
 All are welcome; Grief; Loss; Depression; Health; Addiction.  
 All is anonymous.

**Contact:**

Guy - 306-281-2369  
 Node - 306-231-7591

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HEALING TOGETHER

## Non-Substance Specific Recovery Group

Wednesdays  
7:15 PM  
Lipton Evangelical Church

All are welcome.  
GRIEF, LOSS, DEPRESSION, HEALTH, ADDICTION.  
All is anonymous.

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A safe place for those struggling with life's suffering, that we may not be dependent on our dysfunctional behaviours, compulsions, or addictions.

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## HAUL-R DAZE

GRAND FINALE

Sunday May 30, 2021



The Free Haul-R Daze program has come to an end  
 The last day will be:  
**Sunday, May 30, 2021**  
 Doors open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

This program is **exclusively** for the residents of our **Member Municipalities**

Free tipping fee regulations:

- One free load per household
- Load size:
  - Cars, vans, pick-up trucks or utility trailers up to 4' x 8' or 2.5 cu yards
- Will be for HOUSEHOLD residential refuse only, NOT commercial refuse
- Used oil, antifreeze, filters and containers will be free as usual

**Not included:**

- Paint (even empty cans), small appliances and electronics need to go to SARCAN
- Tires, fluorescent light bulbs and railroad ties will be charged the regular load charge fees
- Appliances with freon will be charged \$10 for freon removal.

**All North Valley Waste regulations will apply:**

Loads must be secure to prevent littering during the trip to the landfill  
 Loads must be sorted into:

Metal, clean wood, compost, household garbage, recycling, etc.

Free Haul-R-Daze has officially come to an end.

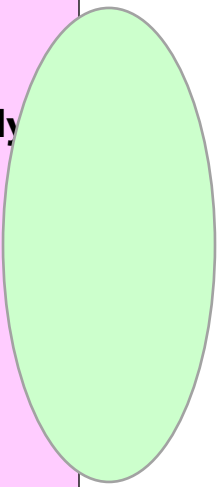
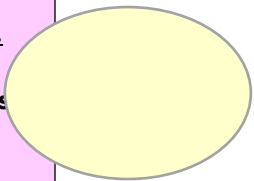
Sunday, May 30, 2021 will be the last day and is **EXCLUSIVELY** for the residents of **MEMBER MUNICIPALITIES!**

One free load per household.

House hold residential refuse only

NOT commercial refuse.

Please see poster for full rules.





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If you would like to see your event, notice or group activity listed within our Newsletter or added to the calendar please contact the office by the 27<sup>th</sup> of the previous month so we will have time to add it before the release date.

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Don't forget to register your animals at the office! A registered animal is one that is easier to return to the owner if we have record and can match up tags.



**MARK YOUR CALENDAR UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE LIPTON SENIOR CENTRE!!!**

(Please Pre-register for each event...Joye 306-331-9225)

Wednesday, March 31<sup>st</sup> ..... 2 PM

**Guest speaker – Guy Scholz**

Three time Canadian Best Selling Author.

National Award Winning Journalist.

USA National Arena Curling Champion.

Sunday, April 11<sup>th</sup> ..... 11 AM-1 PM

**LUNCH** ..... Homemade Soup, Sandwiches,

Dessert, Coffee/Tea \$12

Tuesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> ..... 4 PM-6 PM

**SUPPER** ..... Perogies, Chicken, Veggie,

Salad, Bun, Dessert

ADULTS - \$15 / 10 and UNDER - \$7/ PRESCHOOL - FREE

**CURB SIDE PICKUP for Supper!**

Sponsored by Lipton News Horizon

COVID - 19 Rules Apply

## Fun Facts:

1. The only letter that doesn't appear on the periodic table is J.
2. Easter is celebrated on the Sunday after the full moon following March 21<sup>st</sup>.
3. Llamas can be used as guards against coyote attacks on sheep herds. Studies have proven that just one guard llama is an effective protector and can even kill the attacking coyotes.
4. Both of the drummers from Queen and Duran Duran had the same name – Roger Taylor.
5. There is a company in the U.K. that offers “being hungover” as a valid reason for calling off work. They are allotted four hungover days per year.
6. A bolt of lightning can reach 53,540 degrees Fahrenheit. That's 5 times hotter than the surface of the sun, which is 10,340 degrees Fahrenheit.
7. There is a village in Russia called Tsovkra where every resident can tightrope walk. It is a tradition that dates back over 100 years but no one knows how it started.
8. There's a bar in Yukon that serves a “Sourtoe cocktail”. It consists of a shot of whisky with a human toe floating in the glass. An estimated 60,000 people have had it.
9. On one slow news day of April 18, 1930, a BBC radio announcer blatantly said “there is no news”.
10. Bees actually have knees. The expression comes from the fact that they store large build-ups of pollen in hairy baskets on their knees.

Let us be thankful for the fools. But for them the rest of us could not succeed.  
~Mark Twain~

### SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

VILLAGE OF LIPTON  
IS NOW  
ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR  
STUDENT SUMMER EMPLOYMENT  
JULY 5 TO AUGUST 27

APPLICANTS MUST BE RETURNING TO SCHOOL  
**FULL TIME IN FALL 2021**

8 Weeks - 32-40 Hours/Week

Please submit resume to Village Office from 8-5 pm  
Or email [lipton@sasktel.net](mailto:lipton@sasktel.net)

APPLICATION DEADLINE: May 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021; 4:00 PM

Are a student that wants to work over the summer? Give us a shout! We have many opportunities waiting for the right student to apply. We are fun to work with and you get some great experience while earning some much-desired cash.

See you soon with your resume in your hand! Remember, you must be an active student to qualify.

# Lipton



# April 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 APRIL FOOL'S!	2 GOOD FRIDAY - CLOSED	3
4 EASTER SUNDAY	5 EASTER MONDAY - CLOSED	6 Rec Board Meeting	7 Council Meeting	8	9	10
11 Luncheon - 11am-1pm Lipton New Horizon	12	13	14	15 CLOSED	16	17
18	19	20 Council Meeting	21 New Horizon Meeting	22	23	24
25	26 Supper - 4pm-6pm Lipton New Horizon	27 Lipton New Horizon has Curb Side Pick up!	28 Fire Meeting	29 CLOSED	30	

