

# TOWN OF GRAND COULEE

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## Highlights from September's council meeting

Exterior hall renovations are tentatively scheduled to start September 24.

The picnic shelter for Meadow Park should be installed late September/beginning of October.

Council is discussing ways to show appreciation/recognition to all the volunteers of the community.

2018 Water and Wastewater Inspection Reports were acknowledged.

### PROPOSED POSTAL CODE CHANGE

A rate payer made a request for council to consider changing Grand Coulee's postal code. Currently our postal code is a Regina postal code (just in case you didn't know), which can make it very difficult to find Grand Coulee, for deliveries and even applying for new services - just to list a few of the downfalls of not having our own unique postal code. However, if we were to apply to have our own postal code, it may be a burden to our rate payers. Residents would be required to update their passports, driver's license, utility bills, etc....Council would like to know your thoughts on this- petition Canada Post for a unique postal code or leave as is.



## Upcoming Events

### September 28<sup>th</sup>

Area 2 actual water readings  
(see map)

### October 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 6:30 PM

Rec Board Meeting, town hall

### October 2<sup>nd</sup>/30

Recycling Pick-up Dates

### October 9<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 PM

Town Council Meeting

Committee of the Whole and  
Finance Committee will meet  
during meeting

### September 17<sup>th</sup>

Public Health – Baby Clinic –  
Town Hall

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## TOWN OFFICE

**Tobi Duck – Administrator**

**Jim Pratt – Public Works Foreman**

**Don Einarson – Public Works**

**OFFICE HOURS – Monday, Tuesday,  
Wednesday and Friday 9AM to 4:00 PM;  
closed from noon to 1:00 PM**

**Thursday 9 AM to 5:00 PM; closed from  
noon to 1:00 PM**

## MORE COMMUNITY NEWS

### PROPERTY TAX DEADLINE

Taxes are due in full by **SEPTEMBER 30<sup>th</sup>**. Payments accepted by electronic banking, e-transfers, cheques or cash. Please do not put cash in the drop slot. If you have arrangements with your bank to pay taxes on your behalf, a duplicate tax receipt will be provided to you following receipt of payment.

### WINTER IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER....ARE YOU READY????

As winter approaches it is important that yards are prepared to effectively manage spring run-off. Suggestions to ready your yard include ensuring your eaves troughs are cleaned out of dead leaves, ensuring culverts and other potential drainage exits are free of debris (check inside your culverts as well to make sure there are no obstructions) and disconnecting and draining out garden hoses.

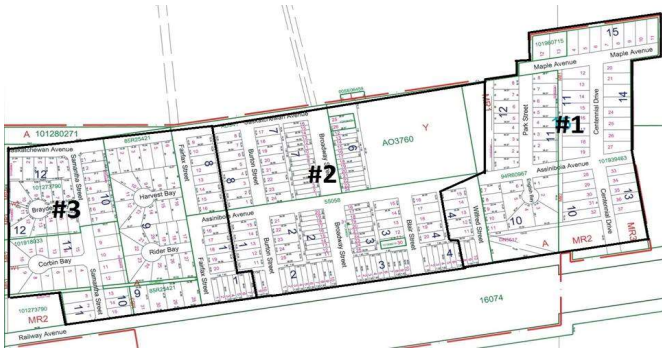
### RECYCLING

CLEAN Glass food and beverage containers can now be recycled in our blue bins

### WATER BILLS

Water readings will be done in Area 2 this month. Should you prefer to have actual reading each month, it is your responsibility as a homeowner to either **phone or email** your reading to us by the 29<sup>th</sup> of each month.

Below is a map of the Town that indicates which area you are in. At the end of September, actual readings will be taken in AREA 2



### BOTTLE DRIVE TO SUPPORT PENSE/GRAND COULEE MINOR HOCKEY

Please save your cans and bottles to support your local Bulldogs.

**WHEN:** SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15<sup>th</sup> 9:00AM'ISH- 11:00AM'ISH If you will not be home, please leave recycling on your front steps. The BULLDOGS thank you for your continued support.



## In the Community

### Movie Nights

-The Rec Board will be having movie nights this fall/winter. Stay tuned for dates and times.

-Rec Board meetings have been scheduled for October 2 and December 6

-There are a lot of programs being ran this fall, see page 4 for more info.

### GRAND COULEE UNITED CHURCH

Church services have resumed on **Sundays** at 11:00 AM. The church offers a wonderful Sunday School Program for all ages.

## Grand Coulee Recreation Board Updates

- Grand Coulee Recreation Board Members are: Allyssa Duck, Chad Penny, Leah Barnard, Dena Gaudet, Larissa Botkin, Vanessa Gust and Ian Maas.
- You can stay up to date with Recreation Board news by joining our email list at [grandcouleerecboard@gmail.com](mailto:grandcouleerecboard@gmail.com) or by liking us on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/gcrecboard>
- Reminder that the Rec Board handles the Fine Option Program. Please contact Leah Barnard for more information. Leah can be reached at 306-533-5587.
- If there is a type of programming you wish to see take place in town – we encourage as many ideas as possible! Send us a note with the following details, and we can see what we can do to make it happen! \* Date, time and place you need to hold the activity, budget and instructors contact info! [grandcoulerecboard@gmail.com](mailto:grandcoulerecboard@gmail.com)

## PROGRAMMING

- **STORY TIME**

Thursday mornings- 9:30-10:00 at the Grand Coulee Hall. Free of charge. For ages 0-5. Please search/like/join: Grand Coulee Story Time on Facebook for information on the theme of the week and to rsvp # of children that will be attending with you that day.

### **THERE ARE 3 DIFFERENT YOGA CLASSES BEING OFFERED IN GRAND COULEE**

- Sunday evenings, Sept 23- Dec 9 7:30pm to 8:30pm. Contact Theresa Exner at <https://massageandyoga.janeapp.com/>
- Tuesday mornings, Sept 11<sup>th</sup> to Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 10:00 to 11:15 AM. Contact Lesley Farley for more information at [farmerfarley73@yahoo.ca](mailto:farmerfarley73@yahoo.ca)
- Tuesday evenings, Sept 25- Oct 30 6:30pm to 7:45pm. Contact Stephanie Liebel for more information at [Stephanie.liebel@gmail.com](mailto:Stephanie.liebel@gmail.com)

- **TAEKWONDO (TKD)**

Classes will be Monday nights at the SNS school gym.

Class times and costs for 3 month session (Sept-Dec) are the following:

Please contact Allyssa Duck at 3065513955 or [allyssaduck@gmail.com](mailto:allyssaduck@gmail.com) for more information

- **BOOTCAMP**

Fall session begins after the Sept long weekend and runs until Christmas. Contact Allyssa Duck at 3065513955 or [allyssaduck@gmail.com](mailto:allyssaduck@gmail.com) for more information

This is a great way to meet people and be active.

- **SPARKS/BROWNIES**

The Sparks/Brownies group will be starting up again Sept 20. Classes are every Thursday at the Grand Coulee hall. Please follow the link below to register your daughter for the 2018/2019 year!

[www.girlguides.ca](http://www.girlguides.ca) If you have any questions, please email [courtneyridgway@hotmail.com](mailto:courtneyridgway@hotmail.com)