



**TOWN OF  
RAINBOW LAKE**

# Newsletter

MARCH 2021

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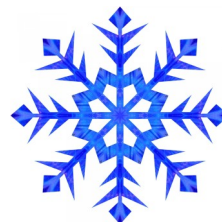
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## Winter Carnival

We will be celebrating our annual Winter Carnival on Saturday March 13, 2021 this year. Due to the COVID-19 Provincial restrictions, we will be limited in what activities we can do this year but we still wanted to do something for the community. Thanks to our Recreation Department, Fire Department and Nikki Standing, we will be having a virtual family scavenger hunt and a firework show this year!! Please keep your eyes open for more information relating to the virtual family scavenger hunt and the time the firework show will begin. The fireworks will be set off at Devonian Park and everyone is allowed to attend, but please remember to remain in your vehicles and follow safe social distancing measures.



**SCAVENGER  
HUNT!**



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# Wildfire Season

**Wildfire season starts March 1, 2021. Please remember safe burning practices are always in season. Do your part to prevent spring wildfires. If you have burned debris over the winter months please revisit all burn sites and ensure they are extinguished.**

## WINTER BURNING

Following safe burning practices during this period will help prevent holdover fires that can start spring wildfires. Be sure to always check all fall and winter burn sites to ensure that the fire is out. Walk the burn area and roll over any debris to check for hot spots.

Here are a few things to consider when burning this winter:

- Have proper smoke signage along roadways. Signs are available at La Prairie Group (780-926-3208) or Mackenzie County (780-927-3718).
- Building clean piles helps them burn faster, reducing smoke impacts to the community.
- Ensure that you have the proper tools with you at any burn site.
- As with any burning, do not attempt to burn more than you can control.
- Frequently check your burns, especially in the spring. A smoldering fire can burrow under the ground and re-surface months later.

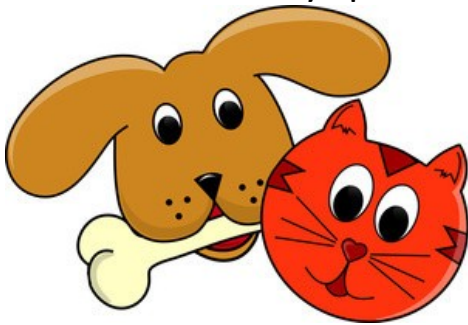
If you have any questions about proper burning procedures, visit [wildfire.alberta.ca](https://wildfire.alberta.ca) or phone 310-0000.



## Vet Clinic

The Mackenzie Vet Clinic will be in Rainbow Lake on March 20th and 21st .

If your pet requires surgery ( Neuter, spay, dental etc ) please book your pets appointment ASAP as these require a longer appointment . Please have all food orders and any special meds placed no later than March 16th at 10am .



To book or place an order, please call Penny Murray at 780-957-4360 .

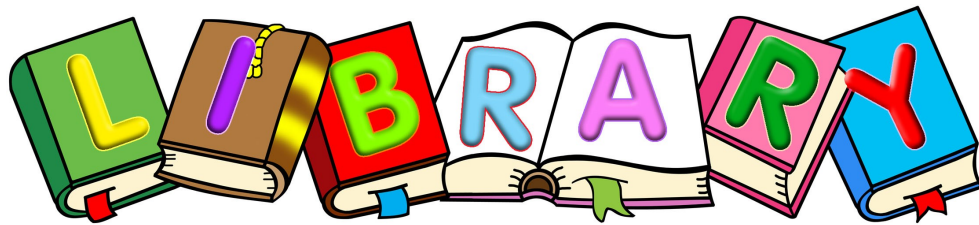
## Rainbow Lake Victim Services

Rainbow Lake and Victim Services continues to assist victims of crime in our area throughout the pandemic. To reach us, please call 780-956-3788. If we are not in the office, kindly leave a message and we will return your call.



# Rainbow Lake Library

The Rainbow Lake Municipal Library is still closed due to the COVID restrictions but is offering all Library members a chance to keep reading their favorite books and authors. You can order books through the ILL's (Inter Library Loan) and the books are shipped out to the library. The library will then be in contact with you to make arrangements for pickup. If you have any books that need to be returned, you can do so at the drop off box located outside of the Rec Plex.



## Masks

Blue disposable face masks are still available at the Town Office and at the Rec Plex just outside the office door on the table. Please feel free to stop by and grab some if you or your family is running low. We want everyone to remain safe and please remember to be kind, we are all in this together.



# Daylight Savings

It's that time of year again when the clocks go ahead one hour on Sunday March 14, 2021. Just a reminder to everyone to make sure you change your clocks.



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Fire Hall  
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