

AUGUST 2022

# CANADA DAY

This year we hosted our Canada Day Celebrations at Devonian park. The weather held, and we were able to have the parade, BBQ lunch, and our now annual Canada Day Family tournament. Thank you to everyone who showed up to participate and enjoy the festivities. A special thank you to the RCMP Chateh/Rainbow Lake Detachment for leading our parade, and Miss. Tanya Drury for singing O’Canada during the opening ceremony. See the next page for the parade and tournament winners!

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# WINNERS

**BEST COMMUNITY FLOATS:**



**PUBLIC WORKS & FIRE DEPARTMENT**



**BEST COMMERCIAL FLOAT: CENOVUS**



**MAYORS CHOICE + BEST QUAD:**

JOHN HARPEL



# CANADA DAY WINNERS CONTINUED

## BEST KID'S BIKE + BEST

### OVERALL:

PARKER KENNEDY



## FAMILY TOURNAMENT 1ST

### PLACE:

MCCALLUM FAMILY

649 PTS (\$100 GIFT CARD)

### 2ND PLACE:

FEDORUK FAMILY

582 PTS (\$75 GIFT CARD)

### 3RD PLACE:

MACFADDEN FAMILY

558 PTS (\$50 GIFT CARD)

# MARK MURRAY MEMORIAL DOG PARK



**One of the toughest aspects of living in such a small, close knit community like Rainbow Lake is losing someone as loved and respected as Mark Murray.**

Mark was born in Red Deer, Alberta on October 26, 1989. As a child, he moved with his family to Rainbow Lake and lived here until he passed on March 7, 2022. He loved to play hockey, darts and golf, snowmobile with his friends, and always loved a bonfire. But more importantly, he loved animals... especially his dog, Kloe.

The Town of Rainbow Lake is committed to enriching our community and have been working hard on Devonian Park. What better way to honor the loss of such a kind, young man than a dedication that will stand for many years to come.

**The Mark Murray Memorial Dog Park officially opened July 28, 2022.**

Mark is survived by his parents Allan and Penny, his brothers Matt and Nick, and his dog Kloe. He is also survived by many aunts, uncles, cousins and so many close friends that he considered brothers. He is predeceased by his maternal and paternal grandparents, and his uncles Eric Murray and Gerry Keough.

Pictured above is Nick Murray (left) and our mayor, Michelle Farris (right) at the official park opening.

We hope all our residents, 2 and 4 legged, enjoy the new park!

**FOREVER 956-MARK <3**

# DRESS IT UP!!!

The winner for the month of June Dressing It Up beautification contest is **Donna Epps**. Congratulations to Donna! Please, don't forget to send in your before and after photos to be considered for the end of July prize. Our beautification contest is still on going and the grand prizes will be decided by our community resident judges start August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Anyone that is still interested to join, you can send in your physical address, the category you would like to be judged on, or your before & after photos of your yard. Thank you for keeping our community clean and beautiful.

These are the categories you can choose from:

- Over all curb appeal
- Originality
- Deck and yard
- Before and after
- Industrial

Check out Donna's  
beautiful yard!



# CABLE MESSAGE

Just a reminder that Town Cable will no longer be available as of August 1, 2022. Our internet service is not affected. If you haven't already returned your equipment or made arrangements, please do so as soon as you can.

Here are some options to substitute our cable service:

- SHAW Satellite
- Amazon Firestick (requires an internet connection)
- Roku (requires an internet connection)
- Apps on SMART TV (requires an internet connection)

For our valued customers, we have waived the disconnection fee for our cable service. When you drop off your equipment, you will need to sign a disconnect form and inform the staff what you would like done with your deposit. You can have your deposit issued the following ways:

- Cheque (this will be issued at the next closest council meeting)
- Transferred to your Tax Account (if applicable)
- Transferred to any other active utility account

If you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact the Town Office at 780-956-3934 or email [admin@rainbowlake.ca](mailto:admin@rainbowlake.ca)

# RAINBOW LAKE CAMPGROUND

Located less than an hour outside of town, the Rainbow Lake Campground is the perfect location to bring the whole family. There is lots of space for campers and tents, a cookshack overlooking the lake and a place to launch your boat for some fun in the sun.

The campground committee has planned several events for the summer 2022 season. Check out the pictures from their most recent event “Halloween at the Lake”!







# Upcoming Events

**AUG 6TH—TIE DYE @ the cookshack.** Bring your own white clothing item. The campground will have the rest of the supplies!

**AUG 20TH— SUMMERTIME CHRISTMAS @ the cookshack.** Potluck supper, gift exchange for adults and parents are asked to bring gifts for their children (\$30 limit).

For any questions, concerns, or for more information on camping fees, check out their facebook page **@Rainbow Lake Campground.**

# Rainbow Lake Oilmen's 35<sup>th</sup> Annual

Rainbow Lake Oilmen's Association  
Two Ball – Best Ball Men's Golf Tournament  
Sep 2<sup>nd</sup>- 4<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Entry Fee: Early Bird \$400.00/Per Team before Monday August 27<sup>th</sup> - \$500/Per Team after August 27<sup>th</sup>  
Cash, Cheque, Credit Card or E-Transfer Accepted to [rbloilmens@gmail.com](mailto:rbloilmens@gmail.com)  
Optional Calcutta \$100.00 per team random draw  
Prizes for the Top teams in each of the Flights  
*Minimum age is 18 years*

**Friday, September 2<sup>nd</sup>**  
*\*Optional Horse Race\*: 6:00 PM*  
Mandatory Registration at the clubhouse: 6 PM - 8 PM

**Saturday, Sept 3<sup>rd</sup>**  
18 Holes of Golf  
Flighting  
Dinner to follow

**Sunday, Sept 4<sup>th</sup>**  
18 Holes of Golf  
Flight Prizes  
Hole Prizes & Calcutta

**DEADLINE for entries is August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022**  
Entries submitted without payment will not be accepted.

For More Information please call Jenniter Dawe at /80-956-9590 or Steve Kelly at 780-956-1029

# Development Permits

Just a reminder that our Land Use Bylaw requires development permits when there is a change of use to a parcel of land or if the footprint of the land changes . This means for all the mobile homes that are being sold and removed from parcels of land, we do need to have a development permit submitted to the Town Office. The permit is completely free and is used as backup to let our assessor know when the building was removed from the parcel of land. This will help ensure you receive an accurate Tax Assessment and Notice. If no paper work is filed, we have no backup to send to our assessor. This also helps to ensure that the water and gas meters are safely removed prior to the mobile home leaving town. If you require a development permit, please stop by the office to obtain one or call the office at 780-956-3934 and we can email you one.



# OFFICE CLOSURE

The town office will be closed Monday, August 1/2022.

We will resume our regular business hours

Tuesday, August 2/2022.

We hope all of our residents enjoy the long weekend!



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