

# 2015 Spring/Summer Newsletter



## Upcoming Events

- **May 23** Nomination Day 10:00- 12:00 at the Sunset Point building located at 4719 Sunset Drive. (see ad in the May 12 and May 19 Community Voice or the Village Website [www.sunsetpoint.ca](http://www.sunsetpoint.ca))
- **June 20** LILSA Blue Green Algae Solutions Work shop at Fallis Hall 9am – 11:30
- **June 27** Large Bin Cleanup at the Alberta Beach NEW public works yard. 8:00 - 4:00 See this newsletter for info
- **June 30** Taxes due. Please pay on or before to avoid a penalty
- **July 4** Bi-election Day 10:00 – 7:00pm (will be held only if more than one nomination is received) at the Sunset Point Building located at 4719 Sunset Drive
- **July 18 – 23** Lac Ste Anne Pilgrimage
- **July 18** LILSA Invasive Weeds Solutions Workshop, Fallis Hall 9am- 11:30
- **Aug 1- 4** Polynesian days

## Taxes are due June 30, 2015

To avoid a 18% penalty please pay taxes prior to the June 30<sup>th</sup>. The Village accepts post-dated cheques. Payments can be dropped off at 4719 Sunset Point Building (in the mail slot) or mailed to:

**Summer Village of Sunset Point  
Site 202 Comp 89 RR2,  
Onoway, AB T0E 1V0**

## BREAKING NEWS – Bi-election

### Summer Village of Sunset Point is having a Bi-election

Councillor Guy Poirier has resigned from his position as Village Councillor. Guy has served the Village and various boards for many years. He will be greatly missed. The Village will hold a Nomination day on May 23 and a Bi-election on July 4. If not more than one nomination is received by the Returning Officer- then a Bi-election will not be held. See Website for more information and the May 12 issue of Community Voice

## Fire Protection

The Village would like to remind all residents to make sure they have adequate Fire insurance. In the event of a fire, there are charges that are the responsibility of the resident. Please check your insurance on your home to make sure you have “extensions of coverage” to cover such costs. A more extensive list on how to protect yourself and your property will be posted on the Summer Village website shortly.

## Poly days Parade

Anyone interested in doing a float for the parade, the Village has some signage and props that can be used. If anyone is interested in doing this, the Village would support with some of the expenses

## EMERGENCY- (FIRE, POLICE, AMBULANCE) Dial 9-1-1

### NON-EMERGENCY #'s

Peace Officer/Bylaw .....(780)924-3434  
Sewer blockage..... (780) 974-7341  
Power Outage (Fortis)..... (855) 333-9473  
Dial before you dig..... (800) 242-3447

RCMP (Stony Plain detachment)..... (780) 968 -7267  
Alberta Environment Hotline.....(800) 222- 6514  
Alberta Seniors Programs..... (800) 644- 9992  
Drug Tip Hotline..... (780) 968-7212

## Standstone Envirowaste Bins

Please note that these bins cannot over filled or be left on the road. It is your responsibility to move them off the collection. These bins are the property of Standstone. Bins damaged due to being left out or hit by vehicles or other negligence must be replaced at a cost of \$105.00 by Village residents. Replacement bins will not be issued until the Village receives this payment



## Municipal addressing

A reminder that every resident must have its house number clearly displayed. Please Note: Your CORRECT address is located on your tax notice. This is the address that is to be displayed on your residence as this is the address used by the Municipality and used by emergency and utility services.

## Highway 43 East Waste Commission

Large items and waste that does not fit in bins may be taken to the Highway 43 East Waste Commission site located off Highway 43 past Ross Haven. Hours are Monday through Saturday 9:00 – 5pm. Phone number (780) 967-3466. Some charges may apply

## Summer Workers

Brenda is working for the Village again this summer and will continue keeping our Village looking great. Trevor (Unique Yardscaping) will once again be doing the grass cutting and other jobs as needed. Both will be working hard to keep our Village beautiful. Please help out our workers and pick up the litter near your property. Also, please do not block culverts with rocks or dirt, as this causes drainage problems.

## Untidy lots and dangerous trees

Bylaw #40 requires that dead trees (or those posing a hazard) must be cut down by the property owner. Property's deemed unsafe and/or untidy may be cleaned by the Summer Village, and the cost added to that property's tax role.

## Recreation vehicles

Recreational vehicles / RV's are not permitted on lots without a house/cabin

**LILSA Lake Isle and Lac Ste Anne Water Quality Management Society**

The goal of the Society is to help improve the quality of our lakes by addressing two focus areas out-of-lake solutions and In-lake solutions. For more information or to become a member visit our website at [www.lilsa.ca](http://www.lilsa.ca), like our facebook page or attend one of our events. Our stat of the Watershed report is scheduled to be released in the spring of 2016. Join our group by buying a \$20.00 annual family membership.

LILSA Schedule of Events for 2015

- June 20 (9am – 11:30) Blue Green Algae solutions, Fallis Hall
- July 18 (9am – 11:30) Invasive Weed Solutions, Fallis Hall
- August 1 (10am - 4:00) Polynesian Days Alberta Beach
- August 22 (9:30 – 11:30) AGM Agliplex, Alberta Beach

Contact info (780) 967-0611 or email [bpoulin@xplornet.com](mailto:bpoulin@xplornet.com)

**Alberta Beach & Sunset Point Large Bin Clean up**

Saturday, June 27, 2015 located at the Alberta Beach NEW Public works yard Museum Road from 8:00am- 4:00pm.

What it includes:

A bin for wood products, a bin for metal products, and a bin for mixed general waste. Please note: These bins will not accept toxic waste such as paint or batteries, propane tanks etc. or any e-waste such as computers or televisions. Refrigerator/ Freezers - \$25.00 (Freon Discharge) Items with springs- \$12.00

**Criminal Activity.**

If you observe any suspicious activity we ask that you phone the RCMP. If you have any property stolen or damage done to your property the Village requests that residents report such activities to the Stony Plain RCMP detachment.

**Off Highway Vehicles (OHV)** There are no trails within the Village. OHVs are NOT permitted on boulevards, ditches or Parks. They ARE permitted on Sunset Point's roads; however, they must be insured and licensed. Speed limit is 40 km. See Bylaw #270 on the Village website for complete regulations.(Alberta Beach has different rules – please contact them directly for OHV use within Alberta Beach)

**Fireworks are NOT permitted in the Village**

**Boats**

If you are bringing a boat and/or aquatic equipment into Alberta from another province or state, make sure to clean, drain and dry your boat and trailer after you leave each water body. This is especially important if you boat outside of Alberta. These precautions are important for the health of our lake. To stop aquatic hitchhikers from entering Alberta, we have a responsibility in protecting the province's waterways from aquatic invaders. For more information or to report something suspicious on your boat or equipment call Toll free 1- (855) 336-2628

**Boat Lifts**

All residents are required to mark their lift with a metal tag which is purchased from the Village at a one time cost. This tag must be attached permanently to the lift. Boat lifts cannot be left in the parks or on Village property. Tags can be purchased at a one time cost of \$25.00 from Ann at (780) 924-2269.



**Sewer care**

The Trivillage Regional Sewage Services Commission owns and operates the sanitary sewer collection system consisting of trunk sanitary sewers sanitary sewer mains and sanitary sewer services from those mains to the property line of any lot. The owner of any building or facility connected to the sanitary sewer collection has the responsibility to ensure that any liquid waste discharged from their property line into the Trivillage Regional Sewage Services Commission sanitary sewer system meets the criteria outlined below:

No person shall discharge into the sanitary sewer any:

**fat, grease, improperly shredded garbage, ashes, cinders, animal parts or any other solid or viscous substance capable of causing obstruction to the flow of a sanitary sewer. No person shall dispose of any substance other than Black Water or Grey Water**

**Fire Bans** - The Summer Village follows fire bans as declared by Lac Ste. Anne County. In the event of a county wide fire ban –Fire Ban signage will be erected (at both entries into the Village) and all Fire Bans will be noted on the Summer Village's website. Please consider the weather, and your neighbours, when burning anything on your property. NOTE: Burning barrels (and the burning of garbage) is not permitted in the Summer Village.

**Building, Demolishing or Moving a Building**  
You can find forms and information on the Village website [www.sunsetpoint.ca](http://www.sunsetpoint.ca)  
If you have any questions regarding Development call Paul at the Village Office (780) 717- 6843.



**Village Contact Information**

Mailing address..... Site 202 Comp 89 RR 2,  
 Onoway, AB T0E 1V0  
 Village administration.....Phone: (780) 717-6843 Fax:  
 (780) 967-5651  
 Email.....[cao@hotlinkwireless.com](mailto:cao@hotlinkwireless.com)  
 Website.....[www.sunsetpoint.ca](http://www.sunsetpoint.ca)  
 Inquiries/Concerns.....(780) 717 - 6843  
 Development Officer.....(780) 717 - 6843

**Summer Village of Sunset Point Council Members**

**Mayor** - Ann Morrison  
[anndon@telus.net](mailto:anndon@telus.net)  
**Deputy Mayor** - Betty Forfylow  
[ema@telusplanet.net](mailto:ema@telusplanet.net)  
**Councillor** - Vacant

**Wishing you a safe and enjoyable summer!**