# Village Newsletter Spring 2019

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# Vibank Village Office

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Water & Sewer Emergency - 306-550-5957

Utility bills are due March 31st - Please make sure your payment reaches our office on time.

Assessment Notices were mailed to ONLY those homes affected by an assessment change. Appeals need to be made by March 19.



### **Bylaw Enforcement**

Village of Vibank has appointed Vision Quest Advisors as the contracted bylaw enforcement officers for the Village; they have copies of the Bylaws and will be in the Village addressing infractions. They are impartial and will be assessing all properties in the Village. Notices/orders to remedy will be sent out to homeowners if necessary.

## There may be still more snow coming ....

Winter has been here a while and we are all getting very tired of the white stuff. The Village Maintenance crew and contractors have asked that residents kindly remember that: Village equipment cannot safely manoeuver around parked trailers, campers, or vehicles. The Village is NOT responsible for damage or snow -locked vehicles.

Remember that shoveling or blowing snow onto Village streets creates extra work for maintenance and your neighbour, please keep the Snow from your driveway on your property.

### Pets

Pet License renewals are Due January! The Village of Vibank requires all cats and dogs to be licensed. Licenses are available at the Village Office for \$5.00/ animal/ year. Licensed pets make it easier to find lost owners, or to notify searching owners of their pet's demise. Failure to license your pet could result in a fine.

#### Chlorine in Water

The Village Environmental Protection Officer has asked the Village to increase the levels of Chlorine currently used in the Village water system, the increase is minimal 0.5 to 0.6mg/l.

# Village events

1<sup>st</sup> Annual Vibank Council vs Fire Department Curling Challenge – March 15<sup>th</sup>

Vibank Regular Meeting of Council – March 26<sup>th</sup> 7pm

Vibank Public Meeting – March 26<sup>th</sup> 6:45pm Vibank Office Closed – April 18-23 Easter Vibank Recreation Earth Day Cleanup –April 25

# VILLAGE HALL

The Village Hall has been a hot bed of activity so far this year, as maintenance has worked hard on sprucing it up, and thank you for all the rentals. The hall is available for Birthdays, Anniversary Parties, Funerals, Come and Go Teas, and Family get togethers. Call the office for pricing.

\*Upcoming public event - Bax Clothing Party - April 15th 8-5

#### LIBRARY

The Vibank Regional Library is open Monday afternoons, Wednesday evenings, and Friday mornings. Check out their face book page for events.

# CHRONIC PAIN WORKSHOP

The Village has an opportunity to host a "Living Well with Chronic Pain" workshop. This is a 2.5 hour /week for 6 weeks workshop for Adults with any kind of ongoing pain. Free to Village residents. The Village needs 6 Adults to participate. Call the Village Office for more details or to register. 306-762-2130 Still time to register, we currently have three people registered.

### VILLAGE LIFT STATION PROJECT

The Village lift station on Blenkhorn Street is now fully completed and operational. This \$500,000.00 upgrade project was completed thanks to a cost sharing project with both the Provincial and Federal Governments. The Village's share was just over \$125,000.00

#### SPRING IS COMING

Spring will come please check to make sure your sump pump is working and you protect your home against flooding.

# Has your contact information changed?

If you have changed your phone number, cell number, or email address please contact the Village Office to update the contact information we have on file. We may need to reach you in an emergency or during service disruption.



The Vibank Recreation Board is celebrating Earth Day 2019, with a few community initiatives.

They are looking for donations of fabric to sew reusable grocery bags to hand out at the Vibank Quick Stop and Vibank Fine Foods during the week of Earth Day. We can use clean curtains, bed sheets, etc. if you have some to donate drop off is at the Village Office......

A clean up our community drive on April 25. For details, go to Vibank Recreation on face book.

The Vibank Earth Day initiative is a fun way to support your community, get outside, volunteer, and help the environment at the same time.

Want to join our board? We are looking for new members and new ideas call the Office for information 306-762-2130 or facebook Vibank Recreation.