



THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF WHITEMOUTH

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NEWSLETTER

October/November 2023

COUNCIL

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Regular council meetings are on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, meetings are open to the public.

Council Meetings - start time 1:00pm

October 10th & 24th

November 14th & 28th(CANCELLED)

December 5th & 19th

EMAIL ADDRESS FOR E-TRANSFERS

E-transfers use the following email-assistantcao@rmwhitemouth.com

ROAD CLOSURE

OCTOBER 10TH - 20TH

West end of Elevator Rd from PTH 44 to the CO-OP Cardlock entrance. All traffic will be able to access the Cardlock and businesses from Main Street.

MUNICIPAL TAXES

Reminder: The 2023 Municipal Taxes are due on **OCTOBER 31st**. Accounts must be paid in full to avoid interest rate charges of 1.25% on the first day of each month starting November 1st.

Failure to receive a tax bill does not excuse an owner from the responsibility for payment of taxes or any penalties for late payment.

QUARTERLY UTILITY INVOICE

The 3rd quarter utility invoices will be sent out at the beginning of October.

If you receive yours by email check your junk or spam folders.

All outstanding Utility accounts as of December 1st, 2023 will be transferred to the Tax account.

2023 TAX SALE

2023 Tax Sale will be on October 17th, at 10:00am in Council Chambers.

For more info, go to the RM website www.rmwhitemouth.com, look under Notices

WERT

Fall weather is moving in and with it comes the colds. We need to be like squirrels and start to think about being prepared for winter. Are you ready for a possible storm or power outage?

Things to get ready for the winter months
-Do you have an alternate heat source?
If not, contact a friend or family that does and would be willing to take in a visitor until power is restored. If you have a generator, make sure it is working order. A spare jerry can with fuel is also a good idea.

-Get a tote/box and fill with extra blankets, mitts, toques, socks, warm clothes and food that wouldn't require cooking.

-Do you have a 72 hour emergency kit at home? For info on building a kit, go to getprepared.gc.ca/hazards and emergency

FIRE DEPARTMENT

A huge thanks to the businesses, residents and community who graciously donated prizes, money, baking or came out to our Fundraiser!

BY-LAW ENFORCEMENT

Welcome to our new By-Law Enforcement Officer Kurt Henry.

He will be responsible for enforcing all current By-Laws of the Municipality. Complaints must be submitted to the RM office by email-info@rmwhitemouth.com or in writing including contact information.

WHITEMOUTH-REYNOLDS NORTH WHITESHELL WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY

Located at 62125 PTH 11 and open to the residents of the RM's of Whitemouth and Reynolds, as well as the North Whiteshell at no cost for household garbage and recyclables.

WINTER HOURS-starting Oct 1st

MONDAY-CLOSED

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Wednesdays – 11:30 am to 8:00 pm

SEVEN SISTERS FALLS BRUSH SITE

Seven Sisters Falls Brush Site will be opened

October 7th and October 21st- 10:00am to 2:00pm.

Will reopen in May 2024.

WHITEMOUTH RIVER VALLEY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORP.

Next meeting will be held at 7:00pm on October 10th, at the Elma Hall

Community Events

ELMA COMMUNITY CLUB LIVE AUCTION-October 14th

11:00am-Elma Hall
New or slightly used items gratefully accepted. To donate contact:
Murray-204-348-2503 or 204-981-9600
All proceeds go directly to aid in the upkeep and upgrades to the hall.
Canteen available all day.

WHITEMOUTH RECREATION ASSOCIATION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Thursday, October 19th - 7:00pm,
Whitemouth Hall
Board members are needed!
New ideas, suggestions for fundraising are most welcome.

XMAS CRAFT SALE

Saturday, November 18th
9:00am to 2:00pm
Table rental - \$25.00 each
Contact Cathy - 204-348-3716 or
Anita - 204-348-2896

CHASE THE ACE

Saturdays at the Whitemouth Hotel,
3:00pm to 5:15pm, draw at 5:30pm

WHITEMOUTH MUSEUM

Many thanks to all who volunteered, donated and came out to our Heritage Day, it was a very successful event because of all of you!

Remembrance Day Service – November 11th
Time: 10:30am at the Whitemouth Hall

WHITEMOUTH LIBRARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, October 24th, 7:00pm
Contact Manny-204-674-5784 with any ideas or questions.
Open Thursday evenings 7:00pm-8:30pm,
Saturdays 11:00am to 1:00pm
We are accepting book donations, they need to be in good shape, contact Helen-348-2560
We also have jigsaw puzzles for sale.

WHITEMOUTH HAPPY HOURS

Soup and Sandwich -Thursdays,
Noon to 1:00 pm, Whitemouth Hall
Cost-\$7.00 for members,\$10.00 nonmembers
Games to follow lunch and periodic informative presentations.
Contact Sheila @204-348-2942

JAM SESSIONS

October 20th & November 17th,7:00pm-9:00
Lunch provided. Everyone welcome

Meat draw fundraiser tickets and Ducks
Unlimited Portrait tickets available soon.

CHAIR YOGA

Whitemouth Community Centre
Minimum of 10 registrations
\$5.00 per person per session
First session starts in October
Contact Sheila@204-348-2942

STEPPIN' UP

Whitemouth Community Centre
Wednesdays – 10:30am-11:15am
Contact - Lois at 431-777-0020 or
Debbie – 204-348-2608

STEPPIN' UP with Grit

Seven Sisters Falls Community Centre
Mondays – 10:00am- 10:45am
Contact - Grit at 204-213-0882

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month,
Lutheran Church, 135 Henderson Ave
6:00 pm to 7:30pm
Contact Samantha - 204-268-4752

MATURE DRIVING WORKSHOP

Friday, October 13th, at Seven Sisters Falls
Community Club, 1:00pm-4:00pm
Require a minimum of 10 people. **FREE**
Contact Lois -1-431-777-0020 to register
by October 11th.

ANNUAL VEGETABLE DRIVE

An astounding 1879 pounds of food and
\$270.00 was received. Many thanks to
everyone who donated or assisted with the
drive, especially the Whitemouth & District
Lions Club members!

ABI-Ankle Brachial Index

Has your doctor referred you for a test called
an ABI? During a ABI, the Chronic Health
Nurse measures the blood pressure in your
ankles and compares it with the blood
pressure in your arms.
Contact Sharlene – 204-348-4620

Thanks to the Whitemouth District Health
Centre Foundation, a toe doppler is now
available to our Chronic Disease Nurse.
This accesses blood flow to your big toe and
can help screen for conditions such as
peripheral arterial disease.
Contact Sharlene -204-348-4620

Grief Support Group

Interested in a Grief Support Group?
Call Marilyn- 348-7191 ext 4240 or
email-msitar@ierha.ca.

PRACTICAL RELAXATION SERIES- FREE

Learn strategies to reduce stress
Oct 24th- Intro to Stress.
Oct 31st- Intro to Mindfulness.
Nov 7th- Intro to Reframing our Thoughts.
Held at the Whitemouth Community Center,
from 10:00am to 11:30am
Register for one, two or all three sessions

Contact Marilyn@204-348-7191 ext 4240 or
email – msitar@ierha.ca

LIFE IN THE MIDDLE

4 week online workshop series on
Menopause and Peri-menopause, Tuesdays
evenings from 7:00pm-8:00pm using MS
teams. Register for any or all sessions-
November 7 - Pelvic Floor Physio
November 14 – Managing Symptoms
November 21 – Mood & Menopause
November 28 – Ask a Menopause Specialist
To register or for more info call-
1-877-979-9355 or email: wellness@ierha.ca

WHITEMOUTH & DISTRICT LIONS CLUB 40TH ANNIVERSARY

DINNER & DANCE SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH, featuring the Marvells

Whitemouth Rec Center
Doors open at 5:30pm, Dinner at 6:30pm
Advanced tickets only - \$30.00 each
Tickets available from:
Shannon-348-7777, Deb/Jim-348-7889
Cathy-348-3716, Lois-431-777-0020
Lynn-431-588-8900

THE HERITAGE DRIVING TOUR

Sunday, October 15th
starting at the Municipal Office at 8:30am
\$15.00 per person,
light lunch included
Contact Corie-
Phone: 348-2708, Text: 204-509-2840

RED CROSS BABYSITTING COURSE

November 24th, 9:00am - 3:30pm
Whitemouth Community Centre
Cost-\$65.00/student, inc.manual & certificate
Basic first aid and caregiving skills for youth
11-15 years old.
Email-stacie@prairiefirstaidtraining.com
Or phone-204-720-3760
To register visit our website-
www.prairiefirstaidtraining.com
Deadline to sign up November 17th

EMERGENCY FIRST AID & CPR LEVEL C

November 25th, 9:00am – 5:30pm
Redeemer Lutheran Church,
135 Henderson Ave, Whitemouth
Cost - \$100.00/person
To register visit our website:
www.prairiefirstaidtraining.com or contact
Corie-Phone:204-348-2708 or
Text-204-509-2840
Deadline to sign up-November 18th

DECORATE YOUR YARD FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON

Registration deadline-
Friday, November 24th
Judging-
Monday, November 27th, 5:00pm
Contact Corie to register:
Phone: 204-348-2708, Text: 204-509-2840

Turn your clocks back November 5th!