

## Spring 2024 Newsletter

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### Welcome back!

It's that time of year again when we shake off a long Saskatchewan winter, and get ready for the long awaited summer! Here in our cozy lakeside haven, we've been buzzing with excitement as we gear up for another season of fun and relaxation. Our council and staff have been hard at work behind the scenes, sprucing up & planning upgrades to our little slice of paradise. So, breathe in that fresh lake air, and get ready for a great summer. Welcome back to Mistusinne, where every moment feels like a mini vacation!

### Mark your calendars!

#### Office Hours

##### **July & August**

Fridays 12pm - 5 pm  
Saturdays 10am - 2pm

##### **September - June**

Fridays 12pm - 5pm

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WHEN	WHAT	WHERE & INFO
May 19	Tree Planting	1pm @ Shop yard
June 28	Teen Golfing	1pm @ Community Center 2:30pm for non-golfers A chance for the youth of our community to meet and get to know each other. Snacks and prizes provided.
June 28	Golf Lessons	See page 3 for more details
June 29	Community Garage Sale	Contact the office to sign up. Maps & Balloons provided
July 1	Canada Day Celebration	Parade, BBQ & Games Watch for Posters
July 5	Teen Golfing	1pm @ Community Center 2:30pm for non-golfers Snacks and prizes provided.
July 14	Election Advance Poll	9am - 12pm @ Community Center
July 14	Water Testing Collection	10am - 12pm @ Community Center Get your testing kit from the office
July 27	Municipal Election Day	9am - 8pm @ Community Center
August 10	Golf Tournament	Tournament, Potluck, 50/50 & Raffles. Watch for posters

## Elbow Transfer Station

As we gear up for the summer season, I wanted to send a friendly reminder about the new requirements for using the Elbow Transfer Station, which will go into effect on May 1st. Starting May 1st, all Mistusinne residents using the Elbow Transfer Station are REQUIRED to have a card issued by Mistusinne in order to use the service. If you missed the April 19th deadline to request a card, don't worry - you can still get one. However, we kindly ask that you give our office a minimum of one week's notice to process your request.

Please keep in mind that fees for using the Transfer Station will only apply if you utilize the service. Invoices will be sent directly from the Village of Elbow via email.

For your convenience, the Elbow Transfer Station's fee schedule can be found at [www.villageofelbow.com](http://www.villageofelbow.com) and is also posted on our bulletin board.

If you have any items not accepted by the Transfer Station or any questions, feel free to reach out to the office. We're here to assist you.

Thank you for your cooperation in ensuring the smooth continuation of our partnership with Elbow.

### 2024 Rate Payer Survey

Thank you to everyone that participated in our 2024 survey. We had 134 responses. Council & administration use the information gathered in the survey to help make important decisions about the future of our village.

Results are posted on our website and if you would like the expanded version please email the office.

Watch for the 2025 survey this fall!

## Storage Spots

Thank you to our storage spot holders for quickly ensuring their invoices were paid.

If you would like to be added to the waitlist please let the office know.

## 850 TREES PLANTED THIS SPRING!

**This spring, our village is embracing green growth with the planting of 850 trees. Thanks to Prairie Gun Traders c/o Councillor Darren Treble's generous contributions and trees supplied by the Saskpower Shand Greenhouse, we're maintaining our landscape, ensuring it remains a beautiful, green community.**

**We can't do it alone! We need your help to make our community even greener. Come out on May 19th at 1 pm and join us at the shop yard. With many hands, we'll make light work of planting trees to improve our Village.**

**Responding to resident input, trees are being strategically planted, including on the golf course, Mistusinne Street, and to replace aging trees. This initiative reflects our commitment to a greener, healthier future. Let's celebrate this milestone together!**

### **NEW FOR 2024 - Boat Launch Tags**

Boat launch tags are now required! Remember to display them on your vehicle dashboard when parking a boat trailer at the launch. Each cabin owner is eligible for 2 tags per season. Hold onto your plastic sleeve for future use. Thanks for your cooperation!

### **DID YOU KNOW? Campers at Mistusinne**

**A friendly reminder that our zoning bylaws permit only 1 RV per property. RVs are not to be stored on Green Space. If you wish to have a camper on green space you can apply for a permit for up to 10 days. Permits can be found on the bulletin board, the recycle room, on the website and at the office.**

## Swing into 2024 with Golf Passes!

Get ready to hit the greens! Our 2024 golf passes are here:

- Resident Season Pass: \$100
- Non-Resident Season Pass: \$150
- Resident Youth: Free
- Non-Resident Youth Season: \$75

Don't forget our day passes:

- Adult: \$15
- Youth: \$5

As always, all golf course income goes directly into the upkeep and enhancement of our community greens. Thank you for being part of our golfing community!

## GOLF LESSONS

**Anna Young, a Golf Pro based out of Outlook will be in Mistusinne on June 28th for a day of lessons. If you are interested in an hour session please contact the office. Depending on the level of interest we will most likely put together groups throughout the day. More info will be provided once we know how many people and the age ranges of those interested.**

## Teen Golf Time

Calling all teens of Mistusinne! Join us on June 28th for the launch of our Teen Golf Group. It's a fantastic opportunity to meet new friends, socialize, and enjoy a round of golf exclusively for teens. Gather at 1 pm for an exciting round of teens-only golfing. And even if golf isn't your thing, don't miss out on the fun – join us afterward for a delicious treat at the office. Plus, there will be prizes for our young golfers, so be sure to meet us at 1! Anna will kick off the afternoon with some refreshers and exciting skill-building activities. See you on the green!

### DID YOU KNOW?

Stay informed! The meeting minutes of every council meeting are available on our website. Discover what council is planning and addressing by accessing these minutes. Please note that minutes are posted after council approval at the following meeting. Stay connected and informed about your community's decisions and initiatives!

## Recycling

Last year our recycling program brought in \$1590.60 for our recreation fund!

Recycling is open 24/7 for your convenience.

Please be sure to rinse and sort your items. We appreciate our recycle room being kept tidy.

## Loop to Loop Access

Loop-to-loop access is always a hot topic here in the Resort Village. This summer with the assistance of Crosby Hannah Planning we will be holding focus groups and providing a specific survey to see where ALL residents stand on the topic. Please keep your eyes posted for more information regarding the kick off event in the near future.

### **Attention residents! - Important Garbage Disposal Reminder**

Just a quick reminder that our red Loras garbage bins are designated for bagged household garbage **ONLY**. If you have any additional items, please consider taking them to the Elbow Transfer Station. However, if you're unable to do so, don't hesitate to give us a call at the office, and we'll do our best to accommodate your needs. Let's make the most of our recycling bins to help manage our garbage issues effectively. Rest assured, our council is actively seeking better solutions to address these challenges. We appreciate your cooperation and urge everyone to do their part in responsible waste management. Thank you for your attention to this matter!



## 2024 Municipal General Election

Get ready to exercise your civic duty!

The General Election is set for **Saturday, July 27th, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.** at the Community Centre. All Mistusinne property owners over 18 are eligible to vote. Remember to bring valid photo ID. If your ID lacks your Mistusinne address, we may confirm it via the Property Owner's list. Bringing an invoice from the Resort Village of Mistusinne can speed up the process.

Prefer voting early?

An advanced poll will run on **Sunday, July 14th, from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.** at the Community Centre.

Interested in shaping Mistusinne's future?

Nomination day is **Saturday, June 22nd**. Nomination forms are available at the office.

Make your voices heard and ensure Mistusinne  
continues to thrive!

### A note from Keenan

#### Community Pantry Food Drive THANK YOU!

Some of you may know me, I'm Keenan Bruton, a grade 11 student at Central Butte School. Recently, I organized a food drive for the NEW Central Butte Community Pantry as part of my Volunteerism credit course. With the slogan "no person should go hungry," I challenged my fellow students to donate nonperishable goods, aiming to fill the back of a half-ton truck. Thanks to the support of friends, neighbors in the Mistusinne community, the results were amazing! We filled not one, but two trucks on April 25th. The goods were delivered to the pantry, stocking its shelves to support individuals and families facing food insecurities. Located at 233 3rd Avenue West, beside the fire hall, the pantry is accessible 24/7. Thank you all for your incredible support!

#### NEW FOR 2024 Lake Diefenbaker Pirate Maps

Embark on a thrilling adventure with your favorite kiddos as they search for hidden treasure! Our Lake Diefenbaker Pirate Maps are now available for \$15.00 each, while supplies last. These maps are laminated for lasting power, ensuring endless hours of fun and excitement. Don't miss out on this exciting opportunity to make memories that will last a lifetime!

#### Adopt a Garden

Exciting news for our community! With the recent addition of irrigation along Mistusinne Street, we now have the perfect opportunity to beautify our neighborhood with small gardens. Are you or a group passionate about gardening? Consider adopting a garden! As a garden adopter, you'll be responsible for maintaining the space throughout the season. In return for your efforts, we'll proudly display a sign indicating your sponsorship. It's a fantastic way to showcase your green thumb and contribute to the charm of our village. Interested? Contact the office to sign up and make a lasting impact in our community!

### Community Garage Sale Saturday June 29th

Get ready for some treasure hunting! Our 1st annual community garage sale is happening on Saturday, June 29th. Want to participate? Simply register at [office@mistusinne.com](mailto:office@mistusinne.com) to be included on the map. Maps will be available for pickup at the recycle room on Friday, June 28th, and Saturday, June 29th. Don't miss this opportunity to find some great deals and discover hidden gems in our community. See you there!

#### COMING SOON

Keep an eye out for important updates regarding irrigation and septic requirements.  
Stay tuned for more details!