



Downtown Revitalization Project update

Work continues along Railway St., with paving from Grey Ave. to Nanton Ave. completed over the long weekend and into this week. The roadway should re-open to traffic soon. Once that happens, the contractor will begin working on the new sidewalks in front of the businesses along the west side of the street. Pedestrian traffic will be re-routed onto the roadway; however, access to the businesses will be maintained.

The entrance to the parking lot on the east side of Railway St. between Smith Ave. and Nanton Ave. was also restored this week. Pedestrians are now able to walk from the parking lot to the businesses on the west side.

Crews began working on the curbs at the south end of Railway St. on both the west and east sides. Adding sidewalks to the east side of the street in this area was requested by the community during the public consultation done before the project commenced.

Underground work on Nanton Ave. adjacent to Railway St. should be completed this weekend.

Any questions regarding the Downtown Revitalization project can be sent to downtown@crossfieldalberta.com

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Alberta Healthy Communities Initiative comes to Crossfield



The Alberta Healthy Communities Initiative and the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) Rural Mental Health Project have chosen Crossfield to be an Alberta Healthy Community.

What is a healthy community? According to the initiative's website, "Health is shaped by the places where we spend our time, by our relationships and the circumstances in which we live, work, learn, play and age. Everyone wants to live in a healthy community. We all benefit from healthy places and social spaces that support making healthy choices easier."

On Wed., Sept. 23 at 7 p.m., Crossfield residents can take part in an online input session. You are invited to share your ideas, insights and knowledge of how we can make Crossfield the best it can be. If you're interested in taking part, please contact Tereë Hokanson at Tereë.Hokanson@albertahealthservices.ca or Christina Sackett at Christinasackett@outlook.com and you'll be provided with the Zoom meeting link.

To find out more about the initiative, visit albertahealthycommunities.healthiertogether.ca/

Shop Local promotion extended to October 1.

There's still time to bring your receipts from shopping the businesses on Railway St. into the Town office and exchange them for some great Town swag.

The Shop Local promotion to encourage the community to continue to support local businesses during the Downtown Revitalization Project along Railway St. has been extended to Oct. 1.

Win different prizes depending on the dollar value of all purchases made as reflected on the receipts:

- \$10 or less: pop socket, three-in-one charging cable set, sportpack, clear water bottle



(choose one)

- \$11 to \$25: café mug, stainless steel travel mug, power bank, baseball cap, notebook, aluminium sport bottle (choose one)

- \$26 and up: lunch bag, water bottle with built-in Bluetooth speaker, t-shirt (choose one)

We also have special prizes for the kids. Receipts can only be submitted once per category; collect new receipts and submit for an additional prize in a different category.

Everyone submitting their receipts will be entered into the grand prize draw for a TV. There's one entry per person into the grand prize draw. The date for the grand prize draw has yet to be determined.

Quantities are limited so start collecting your receipts today to ensure you don't miss out.



Crossfield By-election

Nominations to fill two vacant seats on Crossfield Town council closed at 12 noon Sept. 9. The Town would like to congratulate the following five residents for putting their names forward:

- Kim Harris
- Jo Lambert
- Mike Perry
- Frank Wallace
- Justin Gustafson

The by-election will be held Oct. 19 at the Crossfield Community Centre. An all candidates forum will take place Sept. 22. Please watch the Town's website and social media for details. Space at the forum will be limited due to the COVID-19 pandemic and registration will be required to reserve one of the seats. The forum will also be livestreamed on the Town's YouTube channel.

Amery Park outdoor rink update

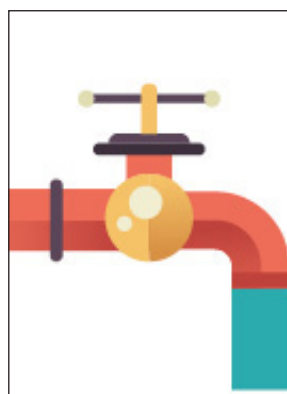
Thanks to a \$25,000 grant from Makadiff Sports, work to transform the outdoor rink in Amery Park into a year-round sports facility has begun.

Professional Excavators and Construction Ltd. has been contracted to complete the work, which includes paving a large asphalt pad to serve as the base of the rink. In the winter, there will be boards

around it for the ice, and two basketball nets will be erected for use during the spring/summer months.

A high chainlink fence at each end of the rink area will help keep pucks from flying into a vehicle and basketballs from dribbling out into the roadway.

Barring any delays, work should be completed in time to flood the ice this year.



WATER TIPS

As work on the Downtown Project to replace ageing underground servicing continues, residents may experience a drop in water pressure and water may be rusty or cloudy due to flushing of the distribution system.

The discolouration comes from the minerals and deposits dislodged during the flushing and water testing process, and the water is NOT harmful to drink.

If you notice discoloured water, run your water for several minutes (suggested taps: outside hose, bathtub or laundry tub) until it is clear.

If you experience discolouration for a prolonged time or if you experience a significant loss of water pressure after flushing has occurred, please contact the Operations Department at (403) 946-5878

