



W.G. Murdoch Class of 2025



The 65 graduates of the class of 2025 celebrated their feat by walking the high school stage at their ceremony on Friday, May 23, with a banquet and dance following at the Pete Knight Arena Saturday, May 24.

The Town of Crossfield would like to congratulate all of the grads and wish each of them the best of luck in each of their future endeavours.







Telus PureFibre installation begins

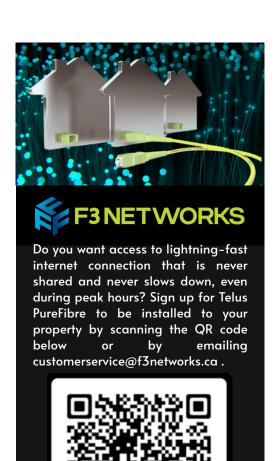
in Crossfield

Construction is underway to bring a new option for reliable internet to Crossfield residents.

Telus PureFibre is being installed throughout Crossfield and will provide customers access to TV and high speed internet service.

Currently equipment and crews can be seen in the neighbourhood of Harrison and will continue throughout the summer until the infrastructure has been installed in each of the residential, commercial and industrial areas of Crossfield. The exception to the installation are the communities of Iron Landing and Vista Crossing who saw fibre optic networking installed in their development.

Construction is projected to wrap up in the fall.







Council Meetings

Upcoming Meetings
June 3 & 17
July 2 (Wed.) & 15

Council meetings are held on the first and third Tuesday of each month (except for council summer recess held in August).

Council meetings are open to the public and also live streamed on the Town of Crossfield YouTube page.

If you have an item you would like placed on an upcoming agenda, please email town@crossfieldalberta.com with your request.

Crossfield residents take home hardware at competition



Two residents from Crossfield came up big in the Paramount Performance Alberta Open fitness competition in Red Deer held on May 31.

In her first competition, Katrina Mooz (left) secured 1 first place trophy as well as 2 second place trophies in Wellness Open C Division, True Novice and Novice, respectively.

Cheryl Koch (right) finished 1st place in the Physique category and 2nd place in Body Building.





Crossfield staff and regional partners participate in mock disaster exercise

The Crossfield Fire Department, RCMP, Rocky View County and Emergency Management Team made up of staff from the Town of Crossfield partnered together May 8 for a regional exercise to practice procedures in the event of an emergency.

Ten office staff along with a number of members of the Crossfield Fire Department spent the day receiving information from a contracted emergency management company in order to put training practices into realtime use.

The practice included opening an emergency reception center at the Balzac hall where Canada Red Cross worked with staff to receive displaced residents. These 'residents' were students from WG Murdoch school's leadership class and were given roles to imitate probable issues.

In the latter portion of the day, regional partners met at Rocky View County's office for a mock media scrum and debrief.

These exercises will be held regularly every 4 years.



Summer hours at the **Crossfield Transfer** Site are now in effect.

Monday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Tuesday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Wednesday 12 p.m. - 7 p.m. Thursday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Closed on Sundays and statutory holidays

Accepting garbage, recycling and branches, leaves and compost!

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Spring clean up complete

With help from the students and staff of Crossfield schools, Town parks staff have completed their spring clean up.

Regular garbage picking will continue throughout the season. In addition, garbage receptacles are placed throughout town and maintained frequently to ensure the public has access to utilize them when out and about in the community.

To further beautify Crossfield, flower beds throughout the parks and main street's hanging pots will be complete in the coming weeks.

As always, we encourage our residents to make us aware of any concerns issues throughout town by reaching out us at (403) 946-5565 town@crossfieldalberta.com.





ROSSFIELD HAMBER of OMMERCE



Crossfield Parade of Garage Sales is just around the corner, and we'd love to help promote your business as part of the excitement!

If you'll be offering any in-store specials, sidewalk sales, or promotions, we'd be happy to include them in our advertising and community map.

Please send me:

- Your business logo (high-resolution if possible)
- A short description of any specials, discounts, or features you'll be offering on sale day
- Deadline: Please submit your business logo to Kaley by 6pm on Thursday June 5th in order to be included on the Map
- Garage Sale Day: Saturday June 7th, 2025

This is a great chance to take advantage of the number of people who will be in Crossfield that day and bring more foot traffic to your store!

Looking forward to helping you showcase your business.

Kaley Tiede REMAX ACA Realty Crossfield Chamber of Commerce Board Member

kaley.tiede@remax.net



Friday, Sept. 12 Collicutt Siding Golf Club

Join us for an afternoon of golf, dinner and fun all in support of the Crossfield Activity & Curling Club!

REGISTER by scanning the QR or by visiting https://smartgolf.online/



VOYENTALERT!



Want important updates about Crossfield such as road closures and emergency situations directly do your phone?

Download Voyent Alert today for important updates from the Town of Crossfield!





Or register online at regiser.voyent-alert.com



Did you know the Town of Crossfield offers automatic withdrawals from your bank account for both utility and monthly tax payments?

Never forget another payment again!

ROSSFIELD

Give us a call at (403) 946-5565 or visit our website at www.crossfieldalberta.com



- Receive your bills directly in your inbox as soon as they're ready.
 No delays, no waiting!
- Keep all your important documents in one place without clutter or paper waste.

Signing up to receive your utility bill via email not only saves you \$12/year, it reduces the environmental impact by minimizing the need for paper and envelopes!



TOWN OF CROSSFIELD





PANCAKE BREAKFAST





FRI., JUNE 13, 8 AM - 10 AM CROSSFIELD COMMUNITY CENTER



THURS. JULY 10 3 - 7 P.M. COMMUNITY CENTER PARKING LOT

Join us for the Town's Service Showcase featuring our dedicated staff, equipment displays, along with the services & programs we offer.

Come out, meet the team, and see how the Town works for you!







2025 Property Tax & Assessment Information

Important Dates

Notices sent: May 7, 2025

Notice of assessment date: May 15, 2025

Assessment complaint deadline: July 14, 2025

Taxes due: June 30, 2025 by 4:30 pm

Late payment penalty applied to current taxes (12%):

July 2, 2025

Penalty (12%) applied to entire outstanding balance:

January 2, 2026

Each year in May, the Town of Crossfield sends tax notices to Crossfield property owners. This notice includes your municipal property tax levy as well as levies the Town collects on behalf of other organizations for education and seniors' affordable housing.

HOW ARE PROPERTY TAXES CALCULATED?

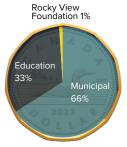
The amount of property tax you pay is based on the assessed value of your property. Assessment values are based on the provincially legislated valuation date of July 1, 2024, and the physical condition of a property as of December 31, 2024. The assessed value of your home can vary widely from today's market value. For more information on market vs assessed value visit the Town of Crossfield website listed above.

WHERE DO YOUR TAX DOLLARS GO?

MUNICIPAL PORTION OF PROPERTY TAXES

The municipal portion of your property taxes is based on the Town's budgeted revenue requirements and funds all the services we offer, such as roads, recreation and parks, protective services and much more! The Town's 2025 operating budget was approved by Town Council in the spring of 2025.

The amount owed per taxpayer is determined based on the property assessment value calculated and set by a provincially accredited independent assessor.



WE'RE HERE TO HELP

WE UNDERSTAND THAT PROPERTY TAX PAYMENTS CAN HAVE A FINANCIAL IMPACT ON RESIDENTS. IF YOU FIND YOURSELF IN A SITUATION WHERE YOU DON'T KNOW HOW YOU ARE GOING TO PAY YOUR TAXES, PLEASE CONTACT US AT 403-946-5565 TO TALK ABOUT WHAT OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE.

NON-MUNICIPAL PORTION OF PROPERTY TAXES

Your tax bill also includes levies the Town collects on behalf of others for education and senior living. The Town does not set the amount of these levies.

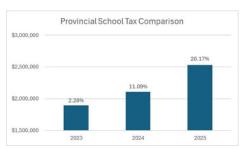
Rocky View Foundation:

This levy helps to provide affordable housing options to independent seniors living in the Rocky View County region.

Provincial Education Tax:

All Alberta municipalities collect an equitable share of the Education Tax in proportion to their total taxable property assessments. In Crossfield this amount has grown to 20% for 2025.

As the education system benefits everyone, people without children in school also pay it.



2025 Property Tax and Assessment Information

PROPERTY ASSESSMENT COMPLAINTS

As a taxpayer you have comprehensive rights to information and due process. An assessed person is entitled to see or receive sufficient information about their property in accordance with the Municipal Government Act section 299, or a summary of an assessment in accordance with Section 300, or both.

If you are the assessed person and would like more information regarding your assessment, please contact our office at 403-946-5565 or email receivables@crossfieldalberta.com. An assessor can review your assessment and provide an explanation specific to your property.

If you have spoken with an assessor and still feel that your property assessment is incorrect, you may file a complaint with the Municipality. Complaints can only be filed against the assessed value of the property, not against the taxes or tax rates. The deadline to file a complaint is Monday, July 14, 2025.

To have a complaint heard by an Assessment Review Board you must complete an assessment complaint form and submit it to the Town office (Attn: Assessment Review Board Clerk) prior to the deadline with the applicable fee. Complaint forms are available on the Alberta Municipal Affairs website.

METHODS OF PAYMENTS

TAX PAYMENTS ARE DUE BY 4:30 P.M. MONDAY, JUNE 30, 2025

The following methods of payment are accepted:



By mail:** Include the remittance stub from your tax notice with your payment to ensure it is credited to the correct tax account. Make cheque or money orders payable to the "Town of Crossfield" and mail to Box 500, Crossfield, AB TOM 0S0

**Do not mail payment during a postal strike



<u>In Person:</u> Town office, located at 1005 Ross Street Mon. - Fri.,: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Payments may also be left in the secure drop box, located to the left of the main entrance. Postdated cheques to June 30, 2025, are accepted.



<u>At your financial institution:</u> Make payments in person or through telephone/online banking. Please use your tax roll number and allow three (3) to five (5) business days for payment to be received.



<u>Tax Installment Payment Plan (TIPP):</u> This plan provides participants with the opportunity to make monthly installment payments. Enrollment forms are available by scanning the QR or on the Town's website under Departments - Assessment and Taxation (www.crossfieldalberta.com/p/how-to-pay-your-tax-bill)



FAILURE TO RECEIVE YOUR TAX NOTICE DOES NOT EXEMPT YOU FROM LATE PAYMENT PENALTIES.

A 12% PENALTY WILL BE APPLIED TO OUTSTANDING BALANCES AS OF JULY 1, 2025.





2025 MUNICIPAL ELECTION IMPORTANT INFORMATION





WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

A General Election will be held on Monday, October 20, 2025

Polling Station:

Crossfield Community Center 900 Mountain Ave., Crossfield

Voting Hours:

10 a.m to 8 p.m.

Voter Eligibility:

You are eligible to vote if you are:

- A Canadian citizen
- At least 18 years old on election day
- A resident of the Town of Crossfield (or a non-resident owner or tenant of the Town of Crossfield)

Voter Identification Required:

Bring valid identification showing your name and residential address (e.g., driver's license, utility bill., etc.).



REGISTER TO VOTE

All voters must be on the permanent Electors Registry. To register to vote or check to see if you are registered to vote, visit <u>Voterlink</u> at www.voterlink.ab.ca/.





SPECIAL BALLOT

An elector whose name is contained in the permanent electors register but is unable to vote at an advance vote or at the voting station on election day may apply to vote by special ballot beginning on August 1, 2025, by contacting the Returning Officer at town@crossfieldalberta.com.



IMPORTANT DATES

- Jan.1 Sept. 22, 2025 Nomination Period for Mayor and Councillor positions.
- May 1, 2025 Candidate Election Advertising begins.
- Aug. 1, 2025 Special Ballots request opens
- **Sept. 22, 2025** Nomination period ends at 12 p.m. (noon).
- Sept. 23, 2025 Deadline to withdraw Nomination is 12 p.m. (noon).
- Oct. 1, 2025 Candidates Forum
- Oct. 9, 2025 Advance Polls (4-8 p.m.)
- Oct. 20, 2025 Election Day (10 a.m. 8 p.m.)
- Oct. 24, 2025 Results of Election declared and published at 12 p.m. (noon).

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QUESTIONS

Contact the Returning Officer:

Lindsey Nash

403-946-5565

town@crossfieldalberta.com/2025Election

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Community Programs & Events

Please note, the Town of Crossfield is not directly connected with all the programs, services or content provided by the organizations or programs presented below and as such are not responsible for the content of these programs and services.











JULY 7 - AUG. 15

Monday - Friday Ages 5 - 12



https://www.crossfieldsummerdaycamp.com/

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Call us: 403-269-2707

Do you have a program you'd like to advertise?

Email Eris at erisl@crossfieldalberta.com



RODEO PERFORMANCES!
PANCAKE BREAKFASTS!

PARADE!

DANCES & MARKETS!

SATURDAY FIREWORKS!

Scan and stay up to date of the weekend events





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Community Links Updates — June 2025

Are you facing challenges and are looking for support to get connected to programs and services? Our Information and Referral Program can help. This Program can be accessed in-person by appointment at the Airdrie Office during business hours. Phone service is available by calling toll free to 1-866-945-3905. We provide outreach services in Beiseker, Crossfield and Irricana. Support Services will be partnering with various community groups in Crossfield with the goal of increasing in-person services to you.

Support Services staff provide information, supported referrals, and advocacy to help community members connect to services and programs within Community Links, within your community, or from Government. The program is designed to empower community members to identify their specific needs and build knowledge and problem-solving skills to address challenges now and in the future.

In partnership with the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program, community members with a modest income and simple tax situation can have their income tax completed at no cost.

Adult Programs

Adult Grief & Loss Support Group (registration deadline June 26, 2025)

18+

During this 6-week group, adults will become more aware of their own grief process and learn how to deal with it more effectively. This group will offer education, coping tools, and strategies, as well as support while individuals cope with their loss.

Tuesdays, July 8 - August 5, 2025, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/adult-grief-loss-support-group

Adults Experiencing ADHD Workshop (registration deadline May 21, 2025)

18+

Have you been diagnosed with ADHD or have symptoms and would like to understand more? This support group offers education, coping tools, and strategies, as well as support for individuals experiencing ADHD in their lives. This is a year-round group where you can attend once or all the offered sessions.

Wednesday, May 28, 2025, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/adults-experiencing-adhd-workshop

Anger Awareness (registration deadline June 13, 2025) \$100

18+

The Anger Awareness Workshop provides a non-judgmental space where you can get answers to your questions, learn skills to handle this complex emotion, and become empowered to manage anger effectively in your life. Upon the workshop completion, a certificate will be provided.

Friday, June 20, 2025, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/anger-awareness-workshop

Children's Programs

Messy Play & More in Irricana (registration on-going)

For parents/caregivers and children 0 – 5 years

This child-led group is for parents/caregivers and children 0 – 5 years who like to get messy, use their imaginations, and explore the world around them. This program is offered in collaboration with the Town of Irricana and Rocky View County FCSS.

The first Wednesday of each month, 10:00 am - 11:30 am

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/messy-play-and-more-in-irricana

Music & Messy Play in Beiseker (registration on-going)

For parents/caregivers and children 0 - 4 years

This child-led group is for parents/caregivers and children who like to get messy, use their imaginations, and explore the world around them. This group is offered in collaboration with the Beiseker Municipal Library and Rocky View County FCSS.

The fourth Wednesday of each month, 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/music-messy-play-in-beiseker

Community Links

STRONG INDIVIDUALS STRONG FAMILIES STRONG COMMUNITIES

Rhyme Time in Irricana (registration on-going)

For parents/caregivers and children 0 - 5 years

Does your child love songs, rhymes, and stories? We will discuss the importance of early literacy, language, and a variety of parenting topics to promote healthy child development. This group is offered in collaboration with the Irricana & Rural Municipal Library and Rocky View County FCSS.

The third Wednesday of each month, 10:00 am - 10:45 am

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/rhyme-time-in-irricana

Parenting Programs

Parenting Children with ADHD (registration deadline June 12, 2025)

For parents/caregivers of children 5 - 12 years (ADULTS ONLY)

We will discuss information about ADHD such as symptoms and causes, resources available to support you and your child, the process of getting a diagnosis and explore parenting strategies that can help set your child up for success.

Thursday, June 19, 2025, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/parenting-children-with-adhd

Parenting Children with Anxiety (registration deadline June 19,2025)

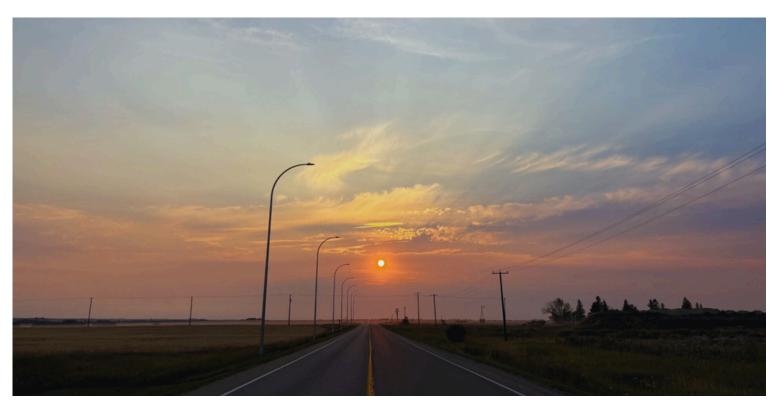
For parents/caregivers of children 5 - 12 years (ADULTS ONLY)

We will discuss information about anxiety such as symptoms and causes, resources available to support you and your child, and explore coping and parenting strategies that can help set your child up for success.

Thursday, June 26, 2025, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

https://mycommunitylinks.ca/programs/parenting-children-with-anxiety

For more information, visit our website at www.mycommunitylinks.ca or contact us at 403-945-3900, 1-866-945-3905 or info@nrvcl.ab.ca



CommunityLinks