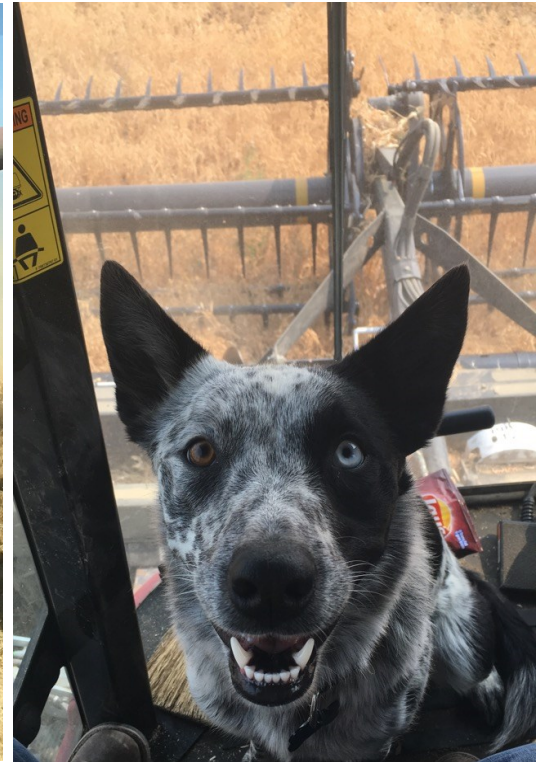




AG TALK NEWSLETTER



Starland County ASB Members

Chairman: Barrie Hoover
Council Member: Murray Marshall
Council Member: Allen Avramenko
Council Member: Bob Sargent
Council Member: Steven Wannstrom
Farm Member: Brian Heck

Assistant CAO: Matthew Kreke
Farm Member: Kerry Sharpe
Agricultural Fieldman: Alan Hampton
Assistant Ag Fieldman: Dara Kudras
Recording Secretary: Shirley Bremer
Key Contact: Neil Whatley

TAX REMINDER

An 8% penalty has been applied to current taxes on the roll as of October 4th 2017. In fairness to all rate-payers there will be **NO** exceptions.

The next deadline to pay is March 1st, and taxes left owing after this date will have a 10% penalty applied.

Pond Leveller Installed

On September 15th Cows & Fish, the Fur Bearers Group and Starland County hosted a beaver management tools workshop, and installed a pond leveller just downstream of the Michichi Dam spillway. The 40 ft long pipe will maintain the water level behind the dam, still allowing water to flow freely. The cage around the intake end of the pipe prevents beavers from plugging off the pipe. This is Phase 3 of the Michichi Creek Interpretive Boardwalk Project.



Waste Disposal

Burning of household garbage is not always the best option, and can create air pollution. There are four transfer sites in Starland County that are available for resident use.

CRAIGMYLE

Thursdays - 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

3rd Saturday of Month: 10 am - 2:00 pm

MICHICHI

Tuesdays 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

1st Saturday of Month: 10 am- 2:00 pm

RUMSEY

Wednesdays -1:00 pm. - 7:00 pm

2nd Saturday of Month: 10 am-2 pm

MUNSON

Wednesdays April 1st – Sept 30th

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m

Wednesdays Oct 1st– March 31st

4:00 pm– 6:00 pm

Saturdays– 10 am-2:00 pm

www.starlandcounty.com

STAND UP FOR YOUR COMMUNITY

Public Info Night, Craigmyle Civic Centre

Wednesday October 11, 2017 7:00 PM

Speakers from:


RCMP, Starland County Peace Officer,
Rural Crime Watch, Citizens on Patrol

*Addressing issues to control crime & keep
our communities safe. Everyone welcome*

For more information please contact:

Debi Olmstead (403) 854-6507

Bev Bergman (403) 665-2492



Tools to build your cow herd

This workshop will discuss how genetic and genomic tools can help identify superior animals to develop a productive and profitable cow herd. With weather related challenges in recent years there is a huge variability in feed supply and quality; speakers will discuss potential health and nutrition related problems producers may face this winter and how to minimize difficulties during calving and breeding seasons. A local veterinarian will speak on local health issues and concerns.

Agenda <small>May be subject to change</small>		Speakers
9:00 a.m.	Registration	
9:30 a.m.	Welcome / Introduction	Local Forage Association
9:45 a.m.	"My Herd and Me" Genetic tools for the commercial herd	John Crowley or Susan Markus or John Basarab
10:45 a.m.	Break	
11:00 a.m.	DSM - Vitamin requirements for cattle	Brian Campbell or Mark Engstrom
Noon	Lunch	
1:15 p.m.	Current feed issues in Alberta and upcoming challenges	Barry Yaremicio
2:15 p.m.	Break	
3:15 p.m.	Proper nutrition increases animal performance and reproductive efficiency	Barry Yaremicio
3:50 p.m.	Local Issues and concerns	Local Veterinarian

Registration

Pre-registration is required; includes lunch, and nutrition breaks

Registration Fee: \$30 per person

Registration deadline: 7 days prior to event and no refund after deadline

For more information Contact: Andrea Hanson at 403 948-1528 or 310- FARM (3276)

Date	Location	Register
October 23, 2017	Lethbridge College	310- FARM (3276)
October 24, 2017	Olds College	310- FARM (3276)
October 25, 2017	Pollockville	403 664-3777

DELIA FALL FAIR

PRESENTED BY
DELIA & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY

SALUTE TO CANADA 150
Delia Arena & Curling Rink
Saturday October 14th
Festivities start @ Noon
Heritage Supper 5PM
Advance Tickets \$12 Adults
\$8 Youth
Children Under 5 Free
\$15 at the door

MUNSON & AREA COMMUNITY
ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER

THURSDAY OCTOBER 19TH, 2017
TURKEY SUPPER WITH ALL THE
TRIMMINGS, EVERYONE
WELCOME!

5:00 -7:00 PM
 Munson Community Hall
 Adults \$20
 7-12 \$8
 6 & Under FREE

Help Morrin Ag Society Keep the Arena Open!

The Morrin Agricultural Society is fundraising to replace the header in the arena. This is necessary in order to continue to have an ice surface for the community to enjoy for years to come. The cost of the project is approximately \$50,000.

To date we have held two fundraising events but we are still in need of funding to complete the project.

We are making a donation board in the form of a farm setting to be displayed at the arena.

Sponsorship levels are as follows:

Horse \$250-\$499
Cow \$500-\$999
Tractor \$1000-\$4999
Combine \$5000 +

We hope this will be a fun and supportive way to keep our arena operating. If you wish to donate please call Kendra at (403) 820-0598 or Tracy at (403) 772-0000

NOTICE OF ELECTION DAY AND ADVANCE VOTE

Local Authorities Election Act
(Sections 11, 35, 46)

STARLAND COUNTY

Province of Alberta

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the filling of the following offices:

Councillor Division Two (2)

Councillor Division Four (4)

Councillor Division Five (5)

Voting will take place on the 16th day of October, A.D., 2017 between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.

Voting stations will be located at:

Division Two (2) Munson Community Hall, Munson, Alberta

Division Four (4) Rumsey Community Hall, Rumsey, Alberta

Division Five (5) Craigmyle Community Hall, Craigmyle, Alberta

If you are unsure of which Division you reside please download the map below or call our office at 403-772-3793.

NOTICE OF ADVANCE VOTE

An advance vote will be held on Thursday, October 12th, 2017 at the Council Chambers of the Administration Office of Starland County in Morrin, Alberta from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 (noon), and from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The persons authorized to vote at this advance vote are the electors of Division's Two, Four and Five in Starland County.

FORMS OF IDENTIFICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED SO LONG AS THEY CONTAIN THE INDIVIDUALS NAME AND ADDRESS. ADDRESSES IN THE FORM OF P.O. BOXES WILL BE ACCEPTED SO LONG AS THE P.O. BOX LISTED IS WITHIN A REASONABLE DISTANCE OF THE ELECTORAL WARD.

Dated at the Village of Morrin, in the Province of Alberta, this 29th day of September, A.D., 2017.

Matthew Kreke
Returning Officer



Oct 26-27, 2017
Rumsey, AB

AG DRONE SCHOOL



Brought to you by the
Rumsey Ag Society

- NDVI and other vegetative indexes
- Data accuracy: sensors and calibration
- Future of crop imaging:
Hyperspectral, thermal, machine learning
- Software: getting value from spectral data
- BlackHawk Aeronautical ground school:
 - Air Law
 - Navigation & Meteorology
 - Insurance
 - Maintenance Procedures
 - Radiotelephony
 - Safe Flight Operations



Two full days only \$590

*includes: ground school, lunches,
and training drone to take home.*



Lunch sponsored by
Starland County

**Register at
landview.com**

ATTENTION FARMERS FARMER PESTICIDE CERTIFICATION TRAINING

Starland County is hosting a Farmer Pesticide Certification course on **Thursday November 30th** from **9:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. at the County Council Chambers in Morrin.**

This course is provided at no cost and is for Farmers who want to demonstrate environmental awareness, and use & apply pesticides safely. You will also take advanced training which allows you to purchase and use the restricted product Aluminum phosphide to control pests in stored grain.

Home study is required to properly prepare for this training so it is imperative that you register prior to November 17th, so we can get you the course materials. If you have taken a Farmer Pesticide Certification prior to 2012, and would like to renew your certificate you may also attend this course. You are required to produce your existing certificate, but will only write the Pests of Stored Grain quiz.

Due to the requirements of the training we are limited to 15 registrants, but will offer another course if necessary.

The agenda is as follows:

8:15 Registration

8:30 - 10:30 Farmer Pesticide Core Module Review

10:30 – 10:45 Break

10:45- 12:00 Farmer Pesticide Core Module Review

12:00 – 1:00 Lunch (provided)

1:00 – 2:00 Pest Control in Stored Grain Tutorial

2:00 – 4:00 Farmer Pesticide Certificate Exam

4:00 – 4:30 Pests of Stored Grain Quiz

Please pre-register by contacting the Starland County office at 403-772-3793

When Registering please provide your name, phone number, and current pesticide certificate number if applicable.

For further information please contact Alan Hampton at 403-772-3793

OCTOBER 27TH MUNSON HALL**NIGHT OF THE
LIVING DEAD:
A MURDER
MYSTERY**

The mystery begins on set of a zombie movie, and the main actor has turned up dead! Participants are extras and auditions for the next big star will take place.

Come dressed to kill in your best zombie themed or zombie killer costumes. Smoking Gun Entertainment will lead us through the night with verbal & physical clues. At the end you will be asked to submit your best guess as to who the killer is! Prizes for best and worst answers, and costume prizes as well.

*****Event begins during cocktail hour (5:30 PM)
with supper to follow at 6:30 PM *****

\$60/TICKET (18 + EVENT)

SINGLE TICKETS & TABLES OF 8 AVAILABLE

TICKETS (403) 820-4563 OR BUY AT UFA DRUM

SUPPER—PRIZES—ENTERTAINMENT

MIDNIGHT LUNCH—DANCE—CASH BAR

FREE SHUTTLE WITHIN HALF HOUR OF HALL