#### **BONNYVILLE SENIORS DROP IN CENTRE**

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# May Newsletter 2022

#### ROM MY PERSPECTIVE

#### Hello everyone!

It's really hard to believe that May is upon us! Perhaps that's because it's been so cold and windy! The executive and the board of directors have been busy getting a budget together and organizing some up coming events. Thanks to Sherry, for chairing the budget committee. Most of you may have received an email asking if you could participate in a survey. Please try to answer it. This is to give us an idea of which direction we need to go. Audrey, will also be asking you when you come in to participate in our activities. If she can't get to you, there will be forms in the foyer of the Drop In Centre. This survey is anonymous. We will gladly consider your suggestions and recommendations.

In other news, we will be busy during Seniors' week with a few different events: Floor Curling Invitational Tournament on June 6, 2022, sign up sheet is in the library at the centre. Deadline for signing up is May 23, 2022 cost is 20.00 for the day which includes lunch and coffee snacks. 50/50's will be sold. On June 10, 2022 we are planning a social evening. Come and visit and have a few drinks with snacks. There will be music, silent auction, 50/50's, etc... On June 12, 2022 we will finish Seniors' week with our Pancake breakfast. Volunteers are greatly appreciated for any of these events. Please call the Drop In at 780-826-3619 or stop by the office and give your name. Note: Volunteer hours count when it comes time to apply for grants.

Hope to see you all soon!

**Germaine Prybysh - President** 

FRIENDLY REMINDERS:

OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Thursday 11:30a.m. -3:00 p.m. Doors are Open!

★ Please track and remember to record your volunteer hours in the volunteer binder by the front entrance coat rack. This information is needed for Grant applications.

★ Please clean and put away any dishes you may use during your activities. Thank-you for all your efforts in keeping the Drop In Centre clean!

Subscribe to RESPECT and support the Bonnyville Drop In Centre at the same time! Call 780 812-8953 or email respectnews.ca to buy a subscription for yourself or as a gift. Mention you are a member of Bonnyville Seniors and RESPECT will contribute \$10 to the Drop In Centre!

"It is the mission of the Bonnyville Seniors Citizens Society to provide affordable recreation, education,

social and wellness programming for Seniors. We believe an active senior is a healthy senior."

### **UPCOMING DROP IN CENTRE EVENTS & ACTIVTIES**



BRIDGE is BACK! Every Wednesday starting May 4, 2022 at 1 pm. If you have any questions, please contact Vivianne Plouffe at 780 826-2981.



Annual SPRING CLEAN UP Seniors Drop In Centre Wednesday May 11, 2022 Starting at 9 am Please bring gloves, should you need them for carrying objects.

We thank-you for all your help!

GAME days start May 6<sup>th</sup> FRIDAY at 1 pm. Please call the office (780) 826-3619 or leave a comment on our Facebook page if you would like to enjoy in on the FUN!



Bonnyville Health Centre Auxiliary Strawberry Tea May 25, 2022 1- 4pm Pioneer Hall Enjoy cake, strawberries, whip cream and refreshments

Cost \$7 per person ALL PROCEEDS go to the Bonnyville Hospital



#### Food for Thought



# CONGRATULATIONS to our 2 teams that participated in Floor Curling at the Alberta 55 PLUS Winter Games April 7-10<sup>th</sup>.

They brought home Silver and Bronze!!



**Silver Zone 7** Shirley Highberg, Barb Lapointe, Sophie Harasimiuk, Ralph Lapointe Game officials



Bronze Zone 7 Jerome Bourassa, Darie Wasyluk, Emily Bourassa, MaryAnn Dunkin Game officials

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

★May 1 Boscombe Cribbage Tournament

★ May 4 Mother's Day Pots Dr. Margaret Savage Crisis Centre

\*May 5 1-6pm Cold Lake Native Friendship Centre. National Day of Awareness

for MMIW (Missing and Murdered Indigenous Woman and Girls.)

★May 8 8:30am-3 pm Mother's Day Breakfast Ardmore Hall

★May 8 9am – noon Mother's Day Pancake Breakfast La Corey Hall

★ May 9<sup>th</sup> to May 20th Town of Bonnyville 2022 Spring Clean up Blitz

# HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY MAY 8th





### BONNNYVILLE SENIORS' DROP-IN CALENDAR OF EVENTS

# *2022*

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	1 p.m. Floor Curling	Tangled Threads Meeting 7 p.m.	1 p.m. Bridge 7 p.m. Floor Curling	1 p.m. Floor Curling 7 p.m. Cribbage	1 p.m. Games	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Happy Mother's Day	1 p.m. Floor Curling	Tangled Threads 9 am- 3:30 pm	*Annual Spring Drop In Centre Clean up 9am	1 p.m. Floor Curling	1 p.m. Games	
	Tangled Threads 9 a.m 9 p.m.	Board of Directors Meeting 7 p.m.	1 p.m. Bridge 7 p.m. Floor Curling Beltone Hearing	7 p.m. Cribbage		
			10 a.m. – 1p.m.			
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	1 p.m. Floor Curling		1 p.m. Bridge	1 p.m. Floor Curling	1 p.m. Games	
			7 p.m. Floor Curling	7p.m. Cribbage		
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Victoria Day 1 p.m. Floor Curling		Bonnyville Health Centre Auxiliary Strawberry Tea Pioneer Hall 1 - 4 p.m. 7 p.m. Floor Curling Beltone Hearing 10 a.m1 p.m.	1 p.m. Floor Curling 7 p.m. Cribbage	1 p.m. Games	
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