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# NEWSLETTER

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## TOWN OF LEROY

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## HOURS:

MON-FRI

9AM - 12PM

12:30 PM - 4:30 PM

*Closed all statutory holidays*

## ADMINISTRATION

### CAO

Glenda Hamilton

**Assistant CAO /**

**Recreation Administrator**

Amy Schreiner

## MAINTENANCE

**Director of Operations**

Kirt Holowachuk

**Assistant Foreman**

Christopher Sainsbury

## BACK UP WATER OPERATORS

Marlon Aglipay

Howard Hamilton

## FIRE CHIEF

Adam Paton

## TOWN COUNCIL

### MAYOR

Kurt Schreiner

### COUNCIL

Cody Block

Whitney Block

Don Brown

Mark Fowler

Arlin Mundell

Leona Wakelam

## REMAINING 2025 COUNCIL MEETING DATES

~~September 15~~

November 25

October 20

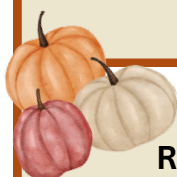
December 15

ALL MEETINGS TYPICALLY OCCUR ON THE THIRD MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 7:30PM.



## NEW RESIDENTS:

Stop by the Town Office to learn about our new home/new business incentive program. Like and Follow the Town of LeRoy on Facebook and Instagram and ask us about other local social media pages to follow.



## REMAINING REACT GARBAGE COLLECTION DATES:

Tuesday, September 23

Tuesday, November 18

Tuesday, October 7

Tuesday, December 2

Tuesday, October 21

Tuesday, December 16

Tuesday, November 4

Tuesday, December 30



Please include payment details on E-Transfers  
Ex: Tax payment for 123 Street

*Thank You*



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A long overdue thank-you to Ray Sussums for serving the community of LeRoy for 16 years as a Town Councillor. As a Councillor, Ray spent many years serving on various town committees: Fire Committee, Health Foundation, Public Works, Emergency Planning, Public Health and Welfare, Administration and Finance. Thank-you for your time, your knowledge and your dedication.



## PARKLAND REGIONAL LIBRARY

Wednesday 11am - 6pm  
Thursday 11am - 4pm



leroy@parklandlibrary.ca  
(306)286-3356

## LEROY & DISTRICT HERITAGE MUSEUM

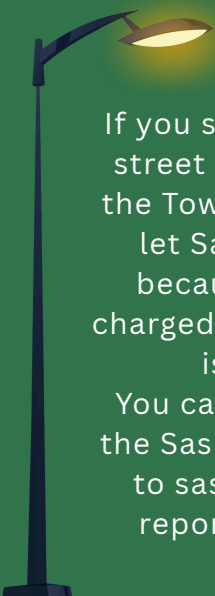
117 1<sup>st</sup> Ave NE  
LeRoy, SK S0K 2P0

For off season tours please  
call Gary Volden at:  
(306)287-8811  
to make arrangements

## FIRE PITS

Fire pits must be inspected  
and approved by the Fire  
Chief before use. Please  
call the Town Office to  
make arrangements to  
have your fire pit  
inspected and approved.

## STREET LIGHT OUTAGE



If you spot a burned out  
street light, please call  
the Town Office. We will  
let SaskPower know  
because the Town is  
charged whether the light  
is on or off!

You can also download  
the SaskPower App or go  
to [saskpower.com](http://saskpower.com) to  
report a street light  
outage.

## NOTICE TO RESIDENTS UNDER THE LEROY & DISTRICT FIRE DEPARTMENT COVERAGE AREA

The LeRoy & District Volunteer Fire Department requires that any  
resident or individual contact the 9-1-1 dispatcher before the  
commencement of a controlled burn and again upon completion.  
A controlled burn includes, fires, grass fires, old buildings, etc.  
If an unreported controlled burn is responded to by the fire  
department, the land owner or resident will be billed at \$1,000  
PER HOUR.

**TO REPORT A CONTROLLED BURN, PLEASE CALL 1-866-404-4911**

## A MESSAGE FROM FIRE CHIEF PATON

Hello folks,

A little update from the Fire Department. As September comes  
to and end & the warmer days start to cool off, I would like to  
remind everyone to be diligent & check their furnaces and  
heaters. Space heaters are responsible for a significant  
proportion of heating-related fires, causing 29% of home heating  
fires. Many users turn them off when the weather warms up &  
they sit and collect dust until it gets cool out & get put to use  
again without being checked over. They can reach temps from  
538°C - 982°C!

With kids back in school & extracurriculars in full swing,  
students are going to and from the school in early mornings &  
into the evenings, not just standard before and after school  
times. With fall officially here, the sun is setting earlier and I ask  
that you please take extra precaution when driving at  
night. Students may be on bikes or on foot and not  
always wearing reflective clothing.

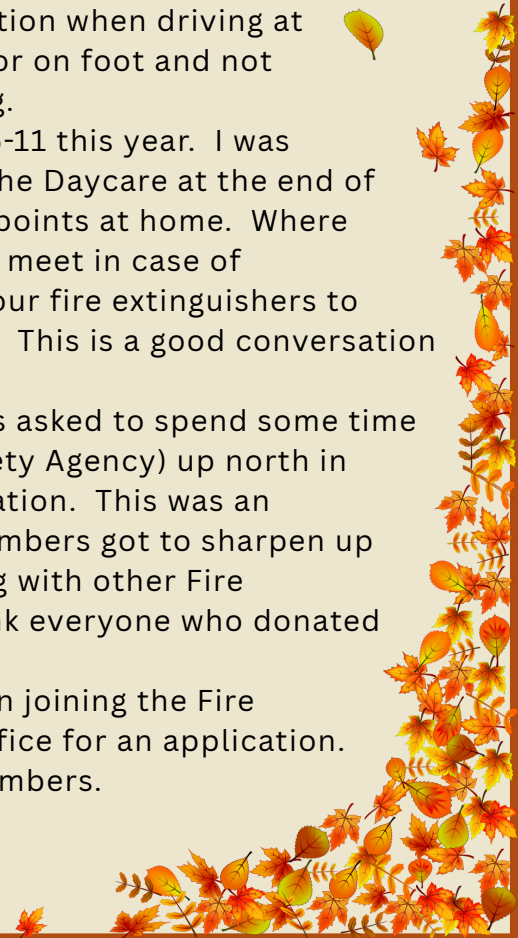
Fire Prevention Week is October 5-11 this year. I was  
fortunate to spend a morning at the Daycare at the end of  
August and we went over muster points at home. Where  
is a safe spot you and your family meet in case of  
emergency? Have you checked your fire extinguishers to  
make sure they are fully charged? This is a good conversation  
to have in your home.

Lastly - Our Fire Department was asked to spend some time  
assisting the SPSA (SK Public Safety Agency) up north in  
Beauval, SK with the wildfire situation. This was an  
eye-opening experience & our members got to sharpen up  
on some skills while working along with other Fire  
Departments. I would like to thank everyone who donated  
or assisted in helping us out.

As always, if you are interested in joining the Fire  
Department, stop by the Town Office for an application.  
We are always looking for new members.

Stay Safe!

*Chief Paton*



# ADMINISTRATION UPDATES

## TAXES

Now that fall is here, we would like to mention a couple of reminders for residents and property owners. Property taxes were sent out in June but are technically not due until December 31<sup>st</sup>. The Town offers some discounts for early payment of your property taxes with discounts up to 7% starting in June and ending November 30<sup>th</sup> at 2%. Please ensure that your payment is received here in the office by December 31<sup>st</sup> as there is a 12% penalty for unpaid amounts.

This year, we were busy with building permits including 3 new houses, our new LeRoy Daycare facility, a few garages, decks and other projects. It is exciting to see LeRoy growing and building!

This is also a reminder that all decks, covered roofs, some renovations, etc. require a building permit and will be subject to review and inspection by our building officials – Municode Services.

Please call us if you have questions about your project before you start. It is always easier to ask before then to have to redo a project because it didn't follow the zoning bylaw or building code.

This year was also a record year for house sales in LeRoy. It will be interesting to see what next year's census shows for our population. As we continue growing, we have been working on a Strategic Plan for LeRoy.

Watch for updates over the next month or 2 as we want your input on what services or amenities are important to you in LeRoy. Our Service clubs, Sports organizations, Museum, Rink, Fire Dept, etc. are all operated by volunteers. Volunteerism is what LeRoy has excelled at over the years. Please offer to give some of your time and help continue to make LeRoy the great place it is!



## BUILDING IN *LeRoy* IS AS EASY AS 123

With new incentives that make building in LeRoy easier and more affordable



The Town of LeRoy currently has an incentive for building in the Willow Subdivision. For 2025 only!

Purchase a lot in the Willow Subdivision in 2025 and have an entire year to start construction.

Stop by the Town Office to learn more about our incentives for residential and commercial property.



1

### PICK YOUR LOT

Build where progress meets possibility - serviced lots ready to go



2

### CHOOSE YOUR INCENTIVE

\$10,000 OFF the lot price

OR

2 Years of property tax abatement



3

### START BUILDING

Fast approvals, supportive staff and a no-hassle process designed to get shovels in the ground at your pace

## START SOMETHING BIG IN LEROY

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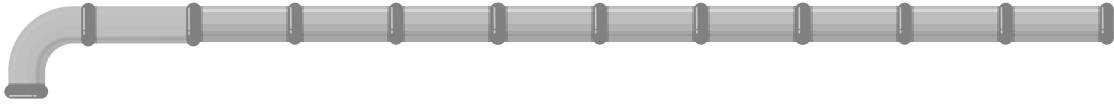
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## INCENTIVES

# MAINTENANCE UPDATES

## WIPES

### TRASH THE WIPES - NOT YOUR PIPES



But... they say flushable:

Even wipes labelled flushable are often made of synthetic fibers, have bonding agents and other additives that slow down or prevent disintegration.

Wipes may breakdown eventually, but they retain their structure a lot longer causing them to clump together or stick to any rough surfaces in pipes, causing blockages.

In septic systems and municipal sewer lines, wipes interfere with septic functions, damaging pumps and treatment equipment. This leads to costly repairs and/or replacement of equipment.

Flushing wipes may seem harmless or convenient - but this small act adds up. Especially when done by many people over time.



## GREASE

Please DO NOT dispose of oils or grease (including ANY cooking oil, bacon grease or other grease) down your sink drains or toilets in your dwelling. When oils and grease are exposed to water and other waste that is in the sewer line they quickly harden up and restrict the flow of any other waste, causing backups.

We ask that you dispose of any oil/grease in a suitable container and use a rag or paper towel to wipe the cooking vessel free of residue before washing it. Running hot water down a drain after disposal DOES NOT help!

**PLEASE REMEMBER WHAT YOU POUR DOWN YOUR DRAIN AFFECTS THE WHOLE TOWN!**



What is a plumber's least favourite type of shoe?

## COMPOST

Compost/Leaves MUST be in clear, orange or paper recycle bags.

Maximum weight per bag is 20 kgs or 44 lbs.

Please leave branches out of the bags.

Black garbage bags will not be picked up.

No animal waste!

Large quantities of branches will need to be coordinated with the Town and a custom work order fee may be applicable.

### PLEASE NOTE:

This service is intended for community members who are unable to haul their own compost/leaves/tree branches.

Town employees will do their best to pick up weekly, however, in the event of an emergency, unfavourable weather or high priority tasks, compost pick up may not happen.



# BOARDS, COMMITTEES AND ORGANIZATIONS

## LEROY & DISTRICT RECREATION BOARD

Does the idea of joining a board or committee scare you, but, you still wouldn't mind volunteering a bit?

Many of our local boards and committees host events or have activities where they could use a little help. Low commitment - you pick what you would like to do.

Examples:

- bake some muffins for the snack/breakfast programs at the school
- set up or take down of tables and chairs for an event
- decorating for an event
- serve food/drink during an event (Santa Claus Day)

If you are reading these examples and think, "Hey, I could do that!" - please reach out to Amy @ 306-286-3288 or [recreation@leroy.ca](mailto:recreation@leroy.ca)

Let us match up your talents to the tasks needing volunteers.

If you are interested in joining a board or committee we can help you with that also.



## Sweater weather snickers:

What do you call a bear in the autumn rain?

What is a ghost's favourite website?



## LEROY MINOR HOCKEY



Are you ready for the 2025  
LeRoy Minor Hockey

### 4-ON-4 SEASON OPENER

October 24<sup>th</sup> - 25<sup>th</sup>

- Friday night bar with Filipino food •
- Saturday supper and dance •

Silent Auction  
Table

Bottle  
Draws

Watch LeRoy Minor Hockey's  
FB page for more updates.

For more info contact:  
Holly - 306-287-7355  
Bryce - 306-370-3002



## IT'S FLU CLINIC SEASON

The Saskatchewan Health Authority is bringing the flu clinic back to LeRoy!

Date: Friday, November 7, 2025

Location: LeRoy Senior Citizen's / Drop-In Centre  
201 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NE

All appointments must be booked online through the SK Health Authority online booking system.

No walk-ins will be taken.

If you need assistance using the online booking system, please stop by the Town Office and we will gladly assist you.

**MORE INFORMATION TO COME AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE**

A drizzly bear  
Bootube



Bootube





# LEROY TRANSFER STATION

## FALL & WINTER HOURS:

EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2025

**WEDNESDAYS**

**1:00 PM - 5:00 PM**

**SATURDAYS**

**11:00AM - 4:00 PM**



Household Curbside Cart tipping is every other Tuesday morning.

Please have carts out by 7:00 a.m.

Bi-Weekly schedule is available on the Town of LeRoy website at [www.leroy.ca](http://www.leroy.ca). The LeRoy Transfer Station will accept REACT Garbage Tags as shown below for the disposal of excess garbage or for other items you need to dispose of at the Transfer Station.

No tags are required for bags put in the Curbside Carts.

If you have other questions or concerns, please call the Town Office at 306-286-3288 or REACT at 306-682-1955



## National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

September 30

Each year, September 30 marks the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. The day honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities. Public commemoration of the tragic and painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools is a vital component of the reconciliation process. Both the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation and Orange Shirt Day take place on September 30.

Orange Shirt Day is a commemorative day led by Indigenous communities to raise awareness about the intergenerational impacts of residential schools on children, families, and communities. It honours Indigenous children who were lost in the residential school system.

The orange shirt symbolizes the loss of culture, freedom, and self-esteem that many Indigenous children experienced. This day reminds us that “Every Child Matters”.

On September 30, we encourage all Canadians to wear orange to honour the thousands of Survivors of residential schools.

Excerpt from Government of Canada and Canadian Heritage

*The Town Office will be closed on September 30<sup>th</sup> to honour the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation*