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In celebration of Seniors' Week, share a photo of a senior! The photo will be shared on social media, and the senior in the photo will be entered into a draw for a prize! Email: "Capture a Senior Moment" to: fcss@vermilion.ca.

Vermilion RCMP Celebrate 25 years of Partnership with Battle River Victim Assistance Society

Vermilion, Alta - Battle River Victim Assistance Society has been in operation since 1995 and in 2020 reached the momentous achievement of 25 years as a Victim Services Unit (VSU). This unit currently serves the citizens of the following communities and surrounding areas of: Provost, Wainwright, Kitscoty and Vermilion. The Battle River Victim Assistance Society employs two fulltime advocates, six volunteers and a seven member board of directors. The staff serve the needs of the residents of these areas by providing support, information and appropriate referrals to victims of crime, crisis and tragedy. Last year the Battle River VSU handled over 300 requests for assistance.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude for 25 years of partnership with the RCMP to provide exceptional assistance to victims of crime.

Media Contact: Sgt Mike Dunsmore 780-853-4441





Notice Town of Vermilion Taxpayers

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll has been prepared for the Town of Vermilion in the Province of Alberta. Subject to the provisions of the Municipal Government Act, Section 311(1) notice is also given that the 2021 Combined Property Assessment & Tax Notices have been sent. The assessment roll is open to inspection at the Town Hall during business hours (8:30 am to 4:30 pm).

When Town Hall is closed the assessment roll is accessible online at www.vermilion.ca Assessment complaints must be made in writing, on the appropriate forms which are available upon request, with the required fees to the municipality by August 2nd , 2021. Dated this 27th day of May, 2021.

Property Tax Clerk, Town of Vermilion 5021-49th Avenue, Vermilion, AB T9X 2B6 Phone: 780-581-2417 Email: taxes@vermilion.ca

REOPENING

As the province moves to the next stages of reopening, please do your part to maintain all safe practices and if you haven't had your first or second vaccine, visit:

www.alberta.ca/covid19-vaccine.aspx



Cst Joseph Wieser, Vermilion RCMP VSU liaison and Heather Koroluk the Acting Program Manager for the Battle River Victim Assistance Society

VERMILION SCORES PROVINCIAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AWARDS

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taking home some big awards including the accolade of Alberta Economic Developer of the Year. Manager of Economic Development, Mary Lee Prior, snagged the prestigious title of Alberta Economic Developer of the Year. This award is given to someone who has made significant contributions to economic development within their community and as well Alberta. Vermilion scored all the awards in



the Small Community category at

Economic Developer of the Year: Mary Lee Prior of Vermilion

Staff at the Town of Vermilion are the recent EDA Xperience 2021: Leader's Summit and Conference. Prior has been with the Town since 2009. She has just finished a stint as President of Economic Developers Alberta. She says it's very significant that Vermilion took all the awards in the Small Community category.

"When we were sitting at the Awards ceremony and we won one award, I said, 'Okay, we have won one award that's great.' Then when we won a second one, and we went on to win a third one. I just honestly, I was shaking. It's unprecedented to win three. Then on top of it, to receive the Economic Developer of the Year award is...I'm just ecstatic." The three awards are for Business and Investment Attraction for their Development Incentive Program, Business Retention and Expansion via the Vermilion Online Festival and Community Economic Development because of their V-Net Broadband Project.

Prior says this recognition is very important to small communities like Vermilion with a population of just over 4,000.

"There's nine marketing awards that are given out annually through the Economic Developers of Alberta. We qualify only in the Small Community category, so under 10,000. There's really only three awards that are given out, and we took all three. I think it speaks to the innovative programs and our great businesses that we are working with."

A standout is the Vermilion Online Festival, which is actually winning it's third award recognition. It's also won AUMA Sustainability Award and an Economic Developer of Canada award.

Mayor Caroline McAuley and Council are in high praise of all the Staff and community who have been involved in the community efforts this past year.





Hello everyone,

Just a friendly reminder to watch your speed around our school zones and children's playgrounds here in our wonderful Town of Vermilion. With the warmer temperatures and children going back to finish the rest of their school year, these places will be busier than what we are used to as of recent.

Thank you and take good care everyone.

Greg Maughan

Bylaw Officer, Town of Vermilion



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