

WARBURG FCSS & RECREATION

happy
Easter



WARBURG ANNUAL EASTER EGG "HUNT"

APRIL 3, 2021—Warburg Community Park

1-3 P.M.

Made possible by the wonderful volunteers at the Pioneer Agricultural Society, please drop in any time between 1-3 p.m. with your littles, where they will receive a goodie bag, a hot dog, a juice box, and see the Easter Bunny LIVE AND IN PERSON!!!! We ask that not everyone arrives right at 1 p.m. as we will only be allowing a certain number of children in the Community Park at a time. There will also be a few "draw prizes" available, and a "guess the candy" jar for the kids to put their math skills to the test!

Kids will enter the park via the 51st avenue entrance and will leave via the 50th street (hwy 770) exit.

We will still graciously accept any prize donations for this event—donations can be dropped off at the Village Office, until April 1.

We can't wait to see you!!!



Take the Family on a Road Trip!!!

LEDUC COUNTY Scavenger Hunt

For the month of April, get out and explore Leduc County!
Checkpoints are scattered throughout Leduc County. Find and complete five challenges to win a family prize!

USE THE MAP TO FIND CHALLENGE LOCATIONS

Each location will have either one or two challenges you can complete.

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| Warburg 2 | Thorsby 2 | Telford 1 | New Sarepta 2 | Looma 1 |
| Sunnybrook 2 | Glen Park 1 | RollyView 2 | Cloverlawn 1 | Rundles Mission 2 |

More info at www.leduc-county.com/scavenger-hunt
Follow us on Facebook at Leduc County Recreation Programs & Events for weekly updates!

Did someone say PRIZES????

TO ALL OF OUR AMAZING VOLUNTEERS...

We have NOT forgotten about you! Last year's celebrations were unfortunately cancelled as we were in the beginning stages of what ended up being so much larger than we think most of us could have anticipated. Although this pandemic is far from over, the light is beginning to show at the end of the tunnel. As I'm sure you all are used to by now, the uncertainty of the future and what regulations may or may not be in place, we are not able to announce exactly WHAT this year's Volunteer Appreciation Event is going to look like, but we are committed to offering the very best that we can within the guidelines we are given! VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION WEEK falls on April 18-24 this year, and on April 24th we will be offering a small scale celebration ceremony to honor our newest recipients, as well as our last year's award winners that we were unable to congratulate in person. The dinner and entertainment portion of our celebration will be held at a TBD date, more than likely in our beautiful Community Park! Details will follow ; stay tuned to the Warburg FCSS page and upcoming newsletters for more information!!!

ALSO....This announcement serves as official notice that Nominations are OPEN for the 2021 Volunteers of the year! We know that these past 12 months, volunteer opportunities have been few and far between, but that hasn't stopped our wonderful community members from lending a hand whenever and wherever they were needed. Whether it was bringing hot meals to a neighbor who was isolating, checking in with seniors to make sure they had all of their basic needs met, or attending virtual meetings for their community group while trying to navigate the ever-changing landscape of what we can/cannot do, we want to hear about our Communities' shining stars! Please drop off your nomination forms at the Village Office, or email Tami at fcss@warburg.ca. *Nominations have been extended until April 9th*



I hereby nominate _____ as an outstanding volunteer within the community of Warburg. HERE is why!!!:



Getting to Know Your Grief

Online support group

Have you experienced the loss of a loved one? Join Leduc County Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) for a free online grief support group where you will learn about the nature of the grief process, emotion and healing. This will be a safe space to support one another by honouring our emotions and sharing our stories.

This is a registered group that will be held virtually (online) through a secure video meeting platform. This program is hosted in partnership with Karunia Counselling; sessions will be facilitated by a Registered Psychologist and a Registered Social Worker.

For more information or to register contact Eugena at **780-955-6421**. This program is open to residents of Calmar, Thorsby, Warburg, New Sarepta and rural Leduc County.

- ▶ **Dates:** Mondays, March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, April 12, 19 and 26
- ▶ **Time:** 6 to 7:30 p.m.
- ▶ **Technology needed:** participants will require internet access by computer, laptop or smartphone.
- ▶ **Register:** please register by contacting Eugena at **780-955-6421** or eugena@leduc-county.com.



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780-979-2385 | frn@leduc-county.com

NAVIGATING MOTHERHOOD

Online

Are you expecting or have just had a baby? If you are having feelings of depression, anxiety or being overwhelmed, **you are not alone**. Join us as we share information, experiences and coping strategies focused on the symptoms of postpartum depression and anxiety, while connecting with other moms having similar challenges.

Date: **Tuesdays, March 9 to April 27**
Time: **1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m.**
Location: **Online via Microsoft Teams or Zoom**
A link will be sent out to participants prior to the start of sessions
Registration starts: **Ongoing**

The facilitator will complete a short intake by phone once registered.

Please note registration is required as there is limited space.

To register for this program or for more information, call 780-979-2385 or email frn@leduc-county.com.



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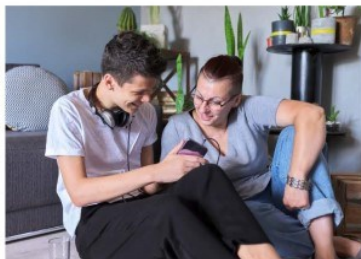
CONFIDENT PARENTING OF TWEENS & TEENS

Virtual

Parenting is a rewarding, yet very demanding job. If you're looking for some new tips and tricks to help you along the way, come join us for a workshop that will give you some hands on strategies you can use right away that will help you become a more confident parent.

Date: **Saturday, April 17, 2021**
Time: **10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.**
Location: **Online**
Registration starts: **Open – Space is limited**

To register for this program or for more information, call 780-979-2385 or email frn@leduc-county.com.



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CO-PARENTING FOR SUCCESS

Online

This three week online workshop is designed to provide new skills and insights for people who are co-parenting with an ex-partner. Join us to learn ways to help buffer your child from the stressful impacts of separation or divorce.

Please note: This workshop is designed to be attended by only one parent at a time from each family.

Date: **Thursdays, April 22 – May 6**
Time: **1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. or 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.**
Location: **Virtual (a link will be sent out)**
Registration starts: **Open – Space is limited (6 – 13 participants)**

To register for this program or for more information, call 780-979-2385 or email frn@leduc-county.com.



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Conversations With Your Doctor And Navigating the Healthcare System As You Age - Virtual Session

Recognizing and understanding the discussions you need to have with your healthcare team, as well as navigating your way through the health care system, are not always easy tasks. Have you ever wondered if you are making use of the health and medical services available to you, or do you have questions?

Join the Leduc Eldercare Consultation Team, Dr. Trevor Byers (Care of the Elderly Physician), and Carla Moore (Geriatric Nurse), as they address these complex questions and concerns.

Open to all adults 50+, residing within the City of Leduc, City of Beaumont, Devon, Calmar, Thorsby, Warburg, New Sarepta, and Leduc County. No referral necessary.

Date: Wednesday, May 19, 2021

Time: 1:00 pm to 2:00 p.m.

Technology needed: Internet access through a smartphone, tablet or computer. If internet access is not available, participants can attend the meeting through a call-in option. Note, the quality of information delivered will be impacted.

Register: Please register with your local Family & Community Support Services:

Leduc - Lucrecia - lmendoza@leduc.ca or 780-980-7115

Beaumont - Dinah - dinah.melgard@beaumont.ab.ca or 780-929-1006

Devon - Annemarie - CSOC@devon.ca or 780-987-8308

Leduc County, Calmar, Thorsby, Warburg, New Sarepta - Carla - carla@leduc-county.com or 780-955-4554

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MENTAL HEALTH LITERACY ADOLESCENT

Warburg

The Mental Health Literacy program provides youth the opportunity to talk about mental health through discussion of mental illnesses, supports, and warning signs and where to access supports. Join us weekly to discuss these topics as well as ways to promote strong mental health.

Before the start of the program, parents will have the opportunity to discuss the content with a facilitator.

There is no cost for this program.

Date: Thursdays, April 15 to May 27, 2021

Time: 3:30 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Location: 5212 – 50th Avenue, Warburg
(the basement of Warburg Village office)

Registration starts: Wednesday, March 24, 2021

Space is limited to 6 participants

Please note: participants must follow public health orders, including practicing physical distancing and masks will be mandatory.

To register for this program or for more information, call 780-979-2385 or email frn@leduc-county.com.



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Mother's Day Basket

\$30.00



Shop Local

The Village of Warburg is passionate about shopping local, and we know that you are too! This year, given the current state of the world, is more important than ever to show support to our local businesses—which is easy to do considering the amazing products that are offered!

Treat your Mother, your Grandmother, your child's teacher, a neighbor, a friend, or yourself to a beautiful selection of locally made products guaranteed to bring a smile to a deserving ladies' face! Included in this basket are items from the following local businesses:

-  Heisler Honey
-  Two B's Flowers & Bistro
-  Sunnybrook Hill Orchard
-  CL Soap Co.
-  Daisy Dukes Greenhouse
-  B.B. Creations
-  C.E. Media

Also included are special discounts and offers from these fine local businesses:

-  Korked U-Vin
-  Relax Mode Nails & Spa

To pre-order your Basket, please pay by Cash, Debit or Cheque at the Village Office. You can also send an EMT to Village@warburg.ca. Please make the security answer "Warburg". Ensure that in the memo, you specify that the payment is for The Mother's Day Basket.

*The deadline to order is April 23, 2021.
Baskets will be available to pick up from the Village Office May 4th to May 7th.*

ATTENTION: WARBURG KIDS!!!



Warburg Public Library is offering a “Make Your Own Birdfeeder” in house craft on Saturday, April 10th from 1-3 p.m.!

It’s Springtime and our little local chirpers would love a tasty, healthy snack before they get busy building their nests!

This is a free craft, all social distancing and other AHS protocols will be adhered to. Please ensure that all children that are medically able to wear their masks. Hand sanitizer will be available.



Need to talk? We can help!

Subsidized counselling service

Short-term preventative counselling supports people who are struggling with common, everyday issues. Leduc County Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) offers subsidy to residents of rural Leduc County, Calmar, Thorsby and Warburg to ensure everyone can afford the cost of counselling.

Counselling fees are determined on a sliding scale based on family income and family size. In order to be eligible for subsidy, your family income must be less than \$75,000 per year. Services are provided by local counsellors and are available in person, over the phone or virtually.

For more information and to be assessed for subsidy, call **1-800-379-9052 ext. 6421** or **780-955-6421**.



Supported Self-File Tax Program

Learn to prepare and file your income taxes

Have you ever wondered whether you could learn to prepare and file your own simple income tax return? If you have thought about filing your own taxes but are worried that you might make a mistake, the Supported Self-File Tax Program is for you!

In order to participate in the program, all you need is access to the internet and a willingness to learn. Our volunteer coaches* will assist you to collect all the necessary paperwork, help you create a **My CRA Account** (if you need one) and walk you through the online tax filing software step by step.

This **free virtual program** will assist you to gain the confidence and skills to prepare and file your 2020 income tax return.

Upcoming virtual clinic dates:

- ▶ Saturday, March 20 at 11 a.m.
- ▶ Friday, March 26 at 1 p.m.
- ▶ Wednesday, March 31 at 9 a.m.
- ▶ Tuesday, April 6 at 7 p.m.

For more information or to sign up for a virtual clinic, contact **Eugena** at **780-955-6421** or **eugena@leduc-county.com**. Telephone-only support is also available.

If the above dates and times don't work for you, please call to find out about additional options.

**While our volunteer coaches have been thoroughly screened, you are not required or encouraged to share your personal or financial information with your coach. You will maintain control of your own information while learning how to use the tax filing software.*





ATTENTION



The Village of Warburg is committed to the health and safety of our community members. Adhering to the new province wide restrictions announced by the Provincial Government on December 13th please be advised that the following restrictions are currently in effect:

- * Masks are mandatory for all indoor work places, unless you are separated from other staff/visitors
- * Social gatherings in ANY indoor setting are prohibited.
- * Please check the Alberta Government website for any further current restrictions

The Village Office is open—Masks are mandatory and you must sign in the Covid tracker sheet immediately upon entering. This is purely so that we may contact you should a Covid positive case be confirmed to come through our doors the day you visited us!

FROM THE WARBURG PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Library is now open to the public!!! Regular Library hours apply. Please ensure that you are wearing a mask upon entry, and sign the Covid Tracker sheet when you arrive. Gail is so excited to be back serving her patrons in person!!!

We are looking for a new Board member to join our wonderful crew! Please contact Gail O'Neil at 780-848-2391 for more information!

New Canada Recovery Benefits – What to Expect

CERB from CRA – how it worked:

New Canada Recovery Benefits – how they will work:

| | Canada Emergency Response Benefit (CERB) | Canada Recovery Benefit (CRB) | Canada Recovery Sickness Benefit (CRSB) | Canada Recovery Caregiving Benefit (CRCB) |
|---------------------------|---|--|--|---|
| Benefit Periods | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 week periods/ \$2000 - up to a maximum of 28 weeks Apply at the beginning of the period Payments issued at the beginning of the 4-week period Prospective (apply at start of period) Apply retroactively until Dec. 2, 2020 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 week periods \$1000 (\$900 after tax) Up to a maximum of 26 weeks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 week periods \$500 (\$450 after tax) Up to a maximum of 2 weeks | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 week periods \$500 (\$450 after tax) Up to a maximum of 26 weeks per household |
| Taxable | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> No taxes withheld on payments | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CRA will withhold 10% of benefit payment amount in taxes | | |
| Earning While on Benefits | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You had stopped working because of COVID-19 You could earn up to \$1000 per period and still keep benefit You were not eligible if you earned more than \$1000 during the period | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You had a 50% reduction in your average weekly income compared to last year due to COVID-19 You will have to reimburse \$0.50 of the CRB for every dollar of net income you earned above \$38,000 for the calendar year | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must have worked less than 50% of your scheduled work week | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> You must have worked less than 50% of your scheduled work week |
| Apply | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> My Account Automated Phone Line | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> My Account Automated Phone Line | | |
| Payments | <p>CRA service standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3-5 business days by direct deposit 10 business days by mail Many people received payments in 2 days by direct deposit | <p>CRA service standards:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3-5 business days by direct deposit 10-12 business days by mail Payments will be made within these service standards | | |

Note: In some cases, we may need to ask applicants for more information to verify their applications. It may take us up to 4 weeks to process the applicant's claim from the date we receive their complete response. Individuals who make intentionally fraudulent claims for the Canada Recovery Benefits may face consequences, such as penalties or possible jail time.

For more on these benefits and the application process visit canada.ca/coronavirus.

Please reach out if you are feeling...

- *anxious
- *frantic
- *depressed
- *sleepless
- *hopeless
- *alone

Or any other sign that you may be mentally strained or exhausted. This FREE program is here for ALL Canadians, suffering from a broad range of Mental Health/Illness challenges. Don't avoid asking for help because "I shouldn't be struggling" or "others have it worse"; this resource is free, confidential and is there for the sole purpose of helping each individual Canadian through the toughest time in a generation. Call 1-866-585-0445 or visit www.wellnesstogether.ca

Struggling With Your Mental Health Or Substance Use?

Not sure where to start or which resources will help you? Speak to a Program Navigator: 1-866-585-0445

Wellness Together Canada offers FREE and confidential supports to all Canadians

Take the first step

Resources Available

- Self-directed Resources
- Group Coaching
- Community of Support
- Peer Support Substance Use Group
- iCBT
- Access to Self-Assessment
- Counselling

Not ready for a tailored support or to create your own account?



No problem! Get direct access to educational resources, e-courses, free text support, and free counselling with a mental health professional.

wellnesstogether.ca

Why Create an Account on Wellness Together Canada?

- It's FREE! And it gives you the opportunity to check in on your mental wellness and get access to a whole range of mental health and substance use resources
- Track your well-being through on-going self-assessment
- Sign up for regular notices on your phone or computer
- Get your results on a graph to show how you've been doing
- Helps you keep track of the tools you use through the site
- Access to a curated list of FREE mental health and substance use resources, group coaching and community of support, and counselling
- Your privacy is important to us. The information you provide on this site belongs to you and is kept private and confidential.

What is Wellness Together Canada?

Wellness Together Canada is a partnership among Stepped Care Solutions, Kids Help Phone, & Homewood Health. It is a "one-stop shop" portal/website offering a wide range of e-mental health and substance use services and supports **at no cost to Canadians.**

WTC is funded by Health Canada and was created as a response to the mental health and substance use needs of Canadians in the wake of COVID-19.

What Is Included?

Wellness Together Canada is designed from a Stepped Care model which provides a variety of mental health and substance use resources.

Services Include

- Immediate crisis support
- Print and video information on mental health and substance use issues
- Mental health self-assessment and monitoring
- Access to self-directed virtual programs
- Moderated peer to peer support
- Virtual group coached anxiety program
- E-courses on mental health and substance use
- Drop-in mindfulness class
- Substance use supports (Togetherall, All People, All Pathways & Breaking Free; Wellness)
- Access to counselling support by phone or text

Individuals can **Sign In and Create an Account.** Creating an account provides the opportunity to check in on how your mental wellness is progressing.

- Track your well-being through on-going self-assessment
- Sign up for regular notices on a phone or computer to do a check in self-assessment
- Get results on a graph that shows how you're doing over time

Free Counselling

WTC Offers free live counselling by phone, text, or video, 24 hours a day.

Wellness Together Canada offers FREE and confidential supports to all Canadians. Get Access to credible FREE mental health and substance use resources and supports at no extra cost!



FROM THE WARBURG SENIORS CENTRE...

QUILTING - Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.
 CARDS - Wed 7:30 p.m. \$2.00 drop in free
 - bring your own snacks and beverages
 FLOOR CURING

Temporarily on hold



WARBURG TRAIL COMMITTEE/THINK TANK

Exciting things are on the horizon for our already beautiful Village! We want YOUR ideas on how to make our existing green spaces user friendly, community engaging, and help to bring your visions into reality! What do you think our community could use; a walking trail system? A skating pond in the winter/beautiful picnic area in the summer? We need your input and passion for the great outdoors! Please contact Dwayne Mayr at

dmayr@warburg.ca, or stop by the **Trail Committee Meeting on April 20th at 7pm in the Village Basement**. This is NOT an official Board, just an imagination, passion and planning committee! The only commitment is bringing your ideas to the table!



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Your healthcare team

- Nurses • Dietitians • Exercise Specialist
- Mental Health Therapists
- Behavioural Health Consultants

Collaborative care in:

- diabetes management • tobacco cessation
- weight management • mental health
- geriatric consultation • referral coordination
- exercise prescriptions • health education classes
- after-hours clinics in Leduc & Beaumont
- specialists clinics

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Closed 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Phone: 825-320-3000
www.lbdpcn.com

5212 - 50 Avenue, Warburg
Located in the Village of Warburg
office basement, parking in rear



Volunteers needed

Income tax filing coach

Leduc County Family and Community Support Services (FCSS) is looking for volunteers to fill the role of income tax filing coach.

This spring, FCSS will host virtual tax clinics called **Supported Self-File Clinics**. A coach will assist people with simple tax situations to learn to prepare and file their own income tax returns using online tax filing software.

Volunteer coaches will need to register as a volunteer with Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) and provide a clean criminal record check.

If you are skilled with filing simple income tax returns, are comfortable with technology, and would like to become a volunteer, contact Eugena at **780-955-6421** or eugena@leduc-county.com.



Get support. Take control. Feel better.

If you're struggling to cope, you don't have to do it alone. Togetherall offers a safe, and anonymous community to connect from anywhere, at any time.



REGISTER TODAY

HOW CAN WE HELP?

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| <p>Community</p> <p>Share anonymously and get support from others like you. Accessible 24/7, our site is run by registered mental health practitioners.</p> | <p>Courses</p> <p>Find courses specific to your concerns. Learn how to manage your mental health and feel better.</p> | <p>Resources</p> <p>Access a variety of free articles, tests, and techniques to take control of your wellbeing.</p> |
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WHY USE TOGETHERALL?

- Members interact anonymously so you're free to share without fear.
- Togetherall's community is accessible and active 24/7 by phone, computer or tablet.
- 24/7 moderation ensures that the community remains safe and supportive.

“ Togetherall gave me a place to feel safe, everyone was so supportive, it helped me through a difficult time. ”

LEARN MORE

16+ Free to all Albertans, register at: togetherall.com
Or learn more at: ahs.ca/virtualmentalhealth



*We may share information we hold about you in circumstances of risk, where we may refer you to emergency services or to any health care professional or your commissioning institution to protect your welfare or the welfare of others.

Free Tax Clinics

Get your benefits and credits



If you have a modest income and a simple tax situation, volunteers can do your tax return for you!

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX PROGRAM—OPENING MARCH 1, 2021

Warburg FCSS is once again hosting the CVITP through our offices. We are able to support all individuals and families who qualify as low income, and require a BASIC return (no Capital Gains, Fishing Income, Farming Income, Bankruptcy, Rental Income, Deceased Persons, Self Employed Income, Interest over \$1000 or other complex returns). Income tax returns can be prepared either by appointment or by dropping off all relevant information and signing an authorization form.

Please contact Tami at 780-848-2828 with any questions or to book an appointment.

Service Canada

READY TO HELP — BUSINESSES

Date modified: 2021-03-09



We are ready to help Canadians through the COVID-19 outbreak. Find financial help during COVID-19: [Covid-benefits.alpha.canada.ca/en/start](https://covid-benefits.alpha.canada.ca/en/start)



Canada COVID-19 App
A tool to help you track your symptoms, receive the latest updates on COVID-19, and access trusted resources.

CANADA EMERGENCY WAGE SUBSIDY (CEWS)

We are covering up to 75% of an employee's wages for qualifying eligible employers to keep and re-hire employees and avoid layoffs. The government has announced a proposed extension of the current CEWS rates until June 5, 2021.

<https://bit.ly/2T0cKJl>

Application Guide:

<https://bit.ly/3bra8uj>

FAQ – Technical Guide:

<https://bit.ly/2Arxbs8>

WORK-SHARING PROGRAM

We have extended the maximum duration of the Work-Sharing program from 38 weeks to 76 weeks for employers affected by COVID-19. The program provides Employment Insurance (EI) benefits to eligible employees who agree to reduce their normal working hours and share the available work while their employer recovers.

<https://bit.ly/2Czw9f5>

EDSC.DGOP.TP.REP.RES.WS.POB.ESDC@servicecanada.gc.ca

1-800-367-5693 (TTY: 1-855-881-9874)

CANADA EMERGENCY RENT SUBSIDY (CERS)

The Canada Emergency Rent Subsidy (CERS) provides a direct and easy-to-access rent and mortgage subsidy of up to 85% of eligible expenses to qualifying businesses, charities and non-profits. This support is available directly to tenants. The government has announced a proposed extension of the current CERS and Lockdown Support rate until June 5, 2021.

<https://bit.ly/3pSsQ8B>

CANADA SUMMER JOBS

Thank you for your interest in the Canada Summer Jobs program. The call for applications is now closed. Service Canada will inform you of the status of your application starting in April 2021.

<https://bit.ly/35Sgulk>

1-800-935-5555 (TTY: 1-800-926-9105) or your funding representative

DID YOU KNOW?

There's an interactive tool to help you find the COVID-19 support you need for your business:

[Innovation.canada.ca](https://innovation.canada.ca)

For a complete list of programs, services and resources available through the Government of Canada visit: Canada.ca/coronavirus



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EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE (EI) PROGRAM

We made temporary changes to the Employment Insurance (EI) program to better support Canadians who need financial assistance. As of September 27, 2020, the minimum benefit rate is \$500 per week before taxes in most cases.

<https://bit.ly/3aGavD2>

1-800-206-7218

CANADA PENSION PLAN

The Canada Pension Plan (CPP) retirement pension is a monthly, taxable benefit that replaces part of your income when you retire. If you qualify, you'll receive the CPP retirement pension for the rest of your life.

<https://bit.ly/2N52j7k>

1-800-277-9914

OLD AGE SECURITY

The Old Age Security (OAS) pension is a monthly payment you can get if you are 65 and older. You may have to apply for the Old Age Security. We may not have enough information to enroll you automatically.

<https://bit.ly/2YV8s8v>

1-800-277-9914

GUARANTEED INCOME SUPPLEMENT

The Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) is a monthly payment. In many cases, we will let you know by letter when you could start receiving the first payment. We will send you this letter the month after you turn 64. In other cases, you may have to apply.

<https://bit.ly/3qeXkQd>

1-800-277-9914

MENTAL & PHYSICAL HEALTH

Access support workers, social workers, psychologists and other professionals for confidential chat sessions or phone calls by texting WELLNESS to 741741.

<https://bit.ly/3rAp6XC>

SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER

You can apply for your Social Insurance Number (SIN) online. Agents are available Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Canadian Local Time, except on statutory holidays.

<https://bit.ly/3mCINMK>

1-866-274-6627

Fill out our online service request form to let us know how we can help you, and we'll get back to you in two business days: eservices.canada.ca

If you've received benefits in 2020, learn how to report it for your tax return: <https://bit.ly/3bvodKA>

Not sure if you need to repay the Canada Emergency Response Benefit? Go to Canada.ca/repay-cerb or call 1-833-966-2099.

For a complete list of programs, services and resources available through the Government of Canada visit: Canada.ca/seniors



Service Canada

READY TO HELP — YOUTH

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We are ready to help Canadians through the COVID-19 outbreak. Find financial help during COVID-19: [Covid-benefits.alpha.canada.ca/en/start](https://covid-benefits.alpha.canada.ca/en/start)



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<https://bit.ly/3aGavD2>

1-800-206-7218

APPRENTICESHIP GRANTS

Apprenticeship Incentive Grant for Women
A taxable cash grant of \$3,000 per year/level (or equivalent) up to a maximum amount of \$6,000 per person.

Apprenticeship Incentive Grant (AIG)
A taxable cash grant of \$1,000 per year or level, for a lifetime maximum amount of \$2,000 per person.

Apprenticeship Completion Grant (ACG)
A one-time taxable cash grant lifetime amount of \$2,000 per person for registered apprentices who complete their apprenticeship training and obtain their journey-person certification.

<https://bit.ly/3a0Md7s>

1-866-742-3644

MENTAL & PHYSICAL HEALTH

Access support workers, social workers, psychologists and other professionals for confidential chat sessions or phone calls by texting WELLNESS to 686868.

<https://bit.ly/3rAp6XC>

JOBS AND OPPORTUNITIES

We are expanding existing federal employment, skills development, and youth programming to help students find employment and develop valuable skills this summer and over the coming months. Learn more about youth programs:

<https://bit.ly/2YWXod9>

SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER

You can apply for your Social Insurance Number (SIN) online. Agents are available Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 4:30 pm Canadian Local Time, except on statutory holidays.

<https://bit.ly/3mCINMK>

1-866-274-6627

Fill out our online service request form to let us know how we can help you, and we'll get back to you in two business days: eservices.canada.ca

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CANADA RECOVERY BENEFIT (CRB)

The CRB provides \$500 (\$450 after taxes withheld) per week for up to 26 weeks for workers who:

- are not employed or self-employed for reasons related to COVID-19 or have had their income reduced by at least 50% due to COVID-19
- are not eligible for Employment Insurance (EI)
- meet all the eligibility criteria for period they're applying for

<https://bit.ly/210Ubsd>

1-833-966-2099

CANADA RECOVERY SICKNESS BENEFIT (CRSB)

The CRSB provides \$500 (\$450 after taxes withheld) per week for up to a maximum of two weeks, for workers who:

- Are unable to work for at least 50% of the week because they contracted COVID-19.
- Are self-isolated for reasons related to COVID-19.
- Have underlying conditions, are undergoing treatments or have contracted other sicknesses that, in the opinion of a medical practitioner, nurse practitioner, person in authority, government or public health authority, would make them more susceptible to COVID-19.

<https://bit.ly/36zGjZH>

1-833-966-2099

CANADA RECOVERY CAREGIVING BENEFIT

The CRCB provides \$500 (\$450 after taxes withheld) for up to 26 weeks per household for workers:

- unable to work for at least 50% of the week because they must care for a child under the age of 12 or family member because schools, day-cares or care facilities are closed due to COVID-19
- because the child or family member is sick and/or required to quarantine or is at high risk of serious health implications because of COVID-19.

<https://bit.ly/2F8YxXm>

1-833-966-2099

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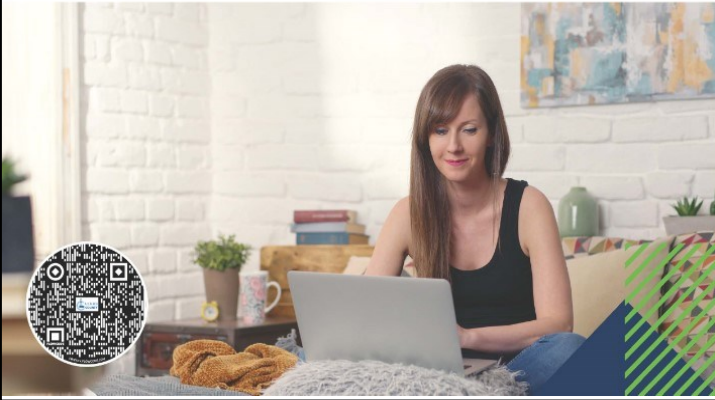


Living Library Unpacking mental health: online program

Human beings are like books; they contain stories and wisdom far beyond their covers or outward appearances. Meet four individuals who have something to share about mental health and overcoming life's challenges. There is a lot of stigma in our society around mental and emotional struggles and the cultural message is often to ignore feelings, push through hardship, be strong and just 'move on.' But human beings are sensitive and life comes with its ups and downs. It's time to open up conversations about mental health and normalize human vulnerability.

This program is open to residents of Calmar, Thorsby, Warburg, New Sarepta and rural Leduc County.

- ▶ **Date:** Wednesday, May 5
- ▶ **Time:** 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.
- ▶ **Technology needed:** participants will require internet access by computer, laptop or smartphone.
- ▶ **Register:** please register by contacting Eugena at **780-955-6421** or eugena@leduc-county.com.



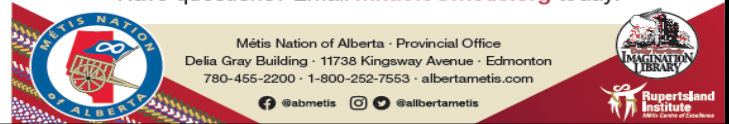
OSKAYA AYAMICHIKEWAK Young Readers Program

Need new books for your child?
We have partnered with Dolly Parton's Imagination Library to bring young Métis readers a **FREE BOOK** every month!

This program promotes early literacy and paves the way for a lifelong love of reading. Simply fill out the form at albertametis.com/programs-services/cfs or pick up a hard copy at your local MNA office, fill it out, and mail it in to start receiving your books.

*Parent/Guardian applicant or child must be an MNA citizen.
Children must be 0 – 5 years old to qualify.*

Have questions? Email mnacfs@metis.org today!



Warburg School Council is a structured group of parents, the school principal, teachers, students and community members whose purpose is to advise the principal and the school board regarding matters relating to the school. It is a means for parents and community members to work together with the school to support and enhance student learning.

Warburg Parent School Society is a fundraising branch of Warburg School Council. It's primary directive is to raise funds to purchase items that benefits all students of the school. In the past, the Society has purchased a large laminator, a Gymnasium score-clock, STEAM items for individual classrooms, a kiln and 60 snowshoes among other things. Their fundraising was instrumental in recently purchasing a large number of items to begin our coding and robotics program at the school. Current fundraising efforts will go towards the purchase of some much needed outdoor play-ground equipment; and here is what is coming! Please watch the Warburg School Parent Council Facebook Page for details, or email warburgparentsociety@gmail.com



Warburg Parent School Society is hosting a Kiwi Nurseries Fundraiser! We will be facilitating transportation of the items, and will have them available for pick-up at Warburg School—please visit the website



About Kiwi Fundraising

Kiwi Nurseries Ltd. is excited to partner with your school through Kiwi Fundraising. By shopping our online fundraiser store, a portion of each sale (20-30%) will go towards reaching your school's fundraising goals.

How it Works

- ◉ Kiwi Fundraising has set up an online store under your school's name.
- ◉ Your school's online store will be open for orders April 8th - April 30th.
- ◉ Through your school's store, supporters can browse and order from the comfort and safety of their own homes.
- ◉ There are no minimum purchasing requirements.
- ◉ Upon the completion of each order, the buyer's contact information will be taken. When the order or part of an order is ready for pick up, the customer will be notified by email.
- ◉ All items will be ready for pick up at the nursery by the May long weekend.

Our Spring Selection

This spring we are featuring veggies, herbs, hardy outdoor plant material, decor, houseplants, succulents, and gift cards for purchase. Check out your school's online store for our full product selection.



For More Information

Please visit the online store or contact us at

Kiwi Nurseries Ltd.
31313 118 Ave
Acheson, AB
T7X 6M6

780-962-9297
info@kiwinurseries.com
www.kiwinurseries.com





The Village of Warburg

is seeking an

RV Park, Spray Park & Comfort Station Caretaker

Job description: for the General Operation and Caretaker Maintenance of the Warburg RV Park, Spray Park, to include the Comfort Station.

- 1) **Description of Work**
To be responsible for the general operation and caretaker maintenance and cleaning of the RV Park, Spray Park, and the Comfort Station.
- 2) **Terms of Contact**
The term of this agreement will be 1 year/seasonal for the months that the Warburg RV Park is open.
One RV site will be reserved for the Caretaker.
Payment is based on 40% of revenues received from the RV park renters.
- 3) **Obligations of the Caretaker**
 - a) The Caretaker will be responsible to oversee the general operation of the Warburg RV Park, Spray Park and Comfort Station.
 - b) The Caretaker shall ensure all users are registered and that all users follow the RV Park Rules and liaise with the Village on any issues that may arise in a timely manner.
 - c) The Caretaker shall collect payments from the self-registration kiosk, on a daily basis.
 - d) The Caretaker shall turn in a reconciliation of revenues collected and deliver payments to the Village Office on a weekly basis, or more if required.
 - e) The Caretaker will be responsible for providing janitorial services for the Comfort station, on a daily basis, or as required including cleaning fixtures. In addition, the Caretaker will keep the Comfort Station stocked and advise the Village Office when additional cleaning supplies and stock is required.
 - f) The Caretaker shall be responsible to ensure that a campsite is cleared of any garbage or debris once the user has vacated the site in a timely manner.
 - g) The Caretaker will be responsible to inform the Village without delay of any damage or vandalism caused to the sites.
 - h) The Caretaker shall not enter into any agreements of any kind with users of the Warburg RV Park that any request for rental or any other arrangements must be referred to the Village.
 - i) The Caretaker will provide thirty (30) days written notice of their intention to cancel the agreement.



Please submit your letter of interest and/or resume to the Village of Warburg at Box 29, Warburg, AB T0C 2T0 or fax to 780-848-2296 to village@warburg.ca or hand deliver to 5212-50 Avenue, Warburg, AB T0C 2T0. Should you have any questions you can call our office at 780-848-2841.

VILLAGE OF WARBURG Summer Public Works Employment

The Village of Warburg is looking for a motivated post-secondary school student who is looking to gain valuable work experience over the summer.

Commencing on May 3, 2021 to August 31, 2021, or possibly September 30, 2021, (with some flexibility), the following opportunity is available. (Please note we may consider a secondary/high school student for the months of July and August)

The incumbent will be responsible for general labour duties including but not limited to the upkeep of the Village's parks, park facilities and public spaces; inspecting playgrounds, vegetation control, and will require the operation of light equipment.

The incumbent should be able to operate small equipment such as: weed whippers, mowing tractors and other hand-held equipment used in public works operations.

Please note that a valid Driver's License is essential.

This is an exceptional learning opportunity for an individual who is capable of working autonomously and who possesses a keen willingness to learn. If you are a responsible, reliable and motivated individual who is eager to help our community and gain valuable experience along the way-Apply Now!

DEADLINE for Applications:
4:00 p.m. April 18, 2021.

Applications will be accepted in person at the Village of Warburg Municipal Office, emailed or mailed to:

Village of Warburg
Attention: Chris Pankewitz
Municipal Administrator
Box 29, Warburg, Alberta, T0C 2T0
Email: village@warburg.ca

RV Park

5307—48 Street



May 15, 2021

Strict COVID-19 control measures
will be in effect.



- 50 Amp Power, Water & Sewer \$30.00/day
- Weekly \$150.00/week
- RV Dump \$5.00/use
- Firewood \$5.00/bundle



780-848-2841
cao@warburg.ca



Council Notes

Council Notes: *Complete Minutes are available on our Website once approved at the next month's council meeting.*

March 8, 2021 Council Meeting

Tax Sale Date:

The tax sale date is scheduled for September 28, 2021.

Bylaw 177-21 The False Alarm Bylaw:

The False Alarm Bylaw is being created and will be brought to the April 12th Council Meeting.

Farm Safety:

The Village will support the Farm Safety Centre in the amount of \$200 for farm safety programs.

NOTICE *Bylaw 176-21 Election of the Office of Mayor*

The Village of Warburg is asking for public input regarding the proposal of Village of Warburg Bylaw 176-21 to provide for the election of the Office of Mayor by a vote of the electors of the Village of Warburg.

Currently voters in the Village elect 5 Councillors during municipal elections for a term of 4 years. Then the Councillors, from amongst themselves, name a Mayor and Deputy Mayor. These positions are then reviewed annually at the October Organizational meeting of Council.

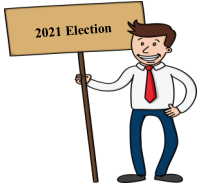
Bylaw 176-21 would change the process. Voters would elect 4 Councillors and 1 Mayor during municipal elections. These positions would be for a term of 4 years.

Please forward your input via mail to Box 29, Warburg, AB T0C 2T0, via email to: cao@warburg.ca or in writing to our office at 5212-50 Avenue, Warburg AB T0C 2T0 before April 7, 2021. Bylaw 176-21 will be part of the Agenda for the April 12, 2021 Regular meeting of Council.



Council Meetings

Upcoming Regular meetings of Council will be held on Monday, April 12 and April 26 @ 7:00 pm in the Municipal Office Basement. (please enter through back door) Please note: All documents and notice of delegation intended to be submitted to the Council must be received by the CAO no later than 4:30 p.m. on the **Monday** of the week prior to the meeting. Meetings are open to the Public. COVID restrictions are in place for the health & safety of Council, staff and residents.



2021 Municipal Election

The next municipal election will take place on October 18, 2021 from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

More information will be shared in the coming months with a list of candidates being posted on warburg.ca on or before September 22, 2021.

Are you interested in running for Warburg Village Council and shaping the direction of the Village over the next four years? If so, we encourage you to run for candidacy.

Nominations are accepted from January 1 to September 20, 2021 @ noon.

Eligibility: You can become a candidate if the following applies to you:

⇒ You are 18 years of age on nomination day

⇒ You are a Canadian citizen

You reside in the Village of Warburg for the six consecutive months preceding nomination day

You are not eligible to become a candidate if any of the following apply: you are the auditor of the municipality; you are an employee of the municipality, unless you have taken a leave of absence; your current property taxes are more than \$50 in arrears; you are in default for any other debt to the municipality in excess of \$500 for more than 90 days; or you have been convicted of an offense under the Local Authorities Election Act or the Canada Elections Act in the previous 10 years.

For specific eligibility and ineligibility descriptions for candidates, refer to sections 21 and 22 of their Local Authorities Election Act.

Starting January 1, 2021, candidates can submit their nomination forms at the following address: Village of Warburg, 5212—50 Avenue, Warburg AB. Candidates are encouraged to deliver their nomination forms in person, however, anyone may file the nomination papers on the candidate's behalf. Returning Officer Christine Pankewitz can be contacted at 780-848-2841 for further information or questions. Nominations close September 20th, 2021 at noon.

Nomination forms are available for pick-up at the Village Office. Nomination forms must be signed by at least five voters eligible to vote in the election and who also reside in the Village of Warburg. To ensure validity of nomination forms, a candidate is encouraged to submit more than the required five elector's signatures.

Responsibilities: Council members have the opportunity to significantly influence the future of the Village of Warburg; this is an important and demanding job. If you are elected, you will hold office for a four-year term and will be required to attend the following:

⇒ Regular and special council meetings

⇒ Council committee meetings

⇒ Meetings of other boards and agencies to which you are appointed as a council representative

⇒ Conferences, conventions, seminars and workshops for training and discussion

April 2021

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | | | | Village Office Closed GOOD FRIDAY | Easter Egg Hunt 1-3 p.m. |
| 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
| EASTER SUNDAY | Village Office Closed EASTER MONDAY | Leduc County Navigating Motherhood 1:30-3p.m. Supported Self File Tax Program 7p.m. | | | Leduc County Caregivers Miniconference 8:30-12:30 | Building birdfeeders at the Library 1-3 p.m. |
| 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 |
| | Leduc County Getting to know your Grief 6-7:30 Council Mtg 7p.m. | Leduc County Navigating Motherhood 1:30-3p.m. | Ag Society Meeting 7 p.m. | Leduc County Mental Health Literacy 3:30-5pm | | Leduc County Confident Parenting of Tweens and Teens 10-11:30 a.m. |
| 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 |
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