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I trust everyone is having a good summer and getting time or maybe have plans to relax and recharge before summer ends.

The lack of precipitation is a big concern for farmers and ranchers. I truly hope that we get some much needed moisture ASAP.

I hope everyone had an opportunity to celebrate Canada Day and was able to enjoy some of the Town of Hanna hosted food and activities. It was great to see so many people enjoying the events in Hector King-Hunter Park that afternoon. Later in the day, Fox Lake Park was busy with the bike parade and the excellent fireworks show.

I am excited to see the number of events that are happening in our community. These events bring visitors to town. These visitors have the opportunity to experience Hanna and all we have to offer as well as spend money in our community which supports local businesses.

Events such as the 25th annual CanAm football game, two weekends of baseball provincial round robin play, the Gun Show, the Swim Meet, Provincial final baseball, the return of the Old-Tyme Music Jamboree, the Cruisers Drag Races, the Car Show and Drive In Movie and the Fall Fair and Parade among others. Events like these are not possible without a significant number of dedicated volunteers and corporate support from Hanna and area businesses. I want to thank all of the volunteers and businesses for making these events a reality.

Don't forget about Music in the Park featuring live entertainment at Hector King Hunter Park every Sun afternoon at 4pm until Aug 27.

Remember to check the Community Event calendar on the Town website for details and to submit your community event for free advertising.

Remember to feel free to reach out to me with any concerns or issues you may have.

Respectfully, Danny Povaschuk, Mayor

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An EPIC Summer

Epic Adventures in in full swing with games, food, music, swimming, trips and special events for children ages 5-12 years.

There's a new theme each week to keep campers interested. Hours are Mon - Thurs 9 am to 4 pm and Fri 9 am to noon.

Financial assistance may be available through the Hanna Community Youth Fund or payment plans can be arranged. Children must be registered to attend. Register online at hanna.ca/epic.

WHO:

Note: Field trips max out at 20 registrants.

Don't Miss This....

Registration Fair Wed Sept 6, '23 5:30-7:00 Community Centre 503 5 Ave West

Be in the know.... about the events, activities and groups that you can be involved with this fall & winter. This is a great opportunity to promote your organization, take registrations, or enlist new members! To reserve contact the Town Office before Sept 1 (403) 854-4433 or email admin@hanna.ca

Theme of the WeekJul 24-28All Around the WorldJul 31-Aug 4DreamlandAug 8-11Retro RecaptureAug 14-18All StarsAug 21-25Carnival

Teen Fair Sat Sept 9, '23Students Gr. 7-12WHAT: Day of fun activities

The Hanna Youth Club wants to provide the opportunity to experience what Hanna has to offer. Interested in volunteering or sponsoring? Contact Neala-Rea at (403) 854-8146 or hannayouthclub@gmail.com.

Community Events

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July 19	Caregiver Support Coffee Group	Aug 16	Caregiver Support Coffee Group			
July 21	Conversation Café	Aug 18	Conversation Café			
July 21-23	Old-Tyme Music Jamboree	Aug 20	El Mule LIVE at Music in the Park			
July 23	Charms LIVE at Music in the Park	Aug 25	Conversation Café			
July 24	National Lifeguard Course	Aug 26	2 Person Scramble Golf Tourn.			
July 26	Council Information Meeting	Aug 26	Cornhole Tournament			
July 28	Conversation Café	Aug 27	Eva Levesque LIVE at Music in the Park			
July 28-29	The Hardgrass Bronc Match	Aug 27	Final Public Swim			
July 30	Garrett Gregory LIVE at Music in the Park	Aug 28	Paws in the Pool			
July 31	Bronze Cross Course	Aug 30	Council Information Meeting			
July 31	Canadian Swim Patrol Course	Aug 31	Property Taxes Due			
Aug 1	Fundraiser BBQ-for Hanna Food Bank	Sept 1	Conversation Café			
Aug 2	Garth Hanlon Memorial Swim Challenge	Sept 8	Conversation Café			
Aug 4	Conversation Café	Sept 9	Teen Activity Fair and Dance			
Aug 5	Ball Hockey Tournament	Sept 9	Hand Hills Little Britches Rodeo			
Aug 5-7	Drag Races	Sept 11	Tax Recovery Public Auction			
Aug 6	Bobby Grosse LIVE at Music in the Park	Sept 12	Council Meeting			
Aug 8	Town Council Meeting	Sept 14	Book Club Discussion: Nineteen Minutes			
Aug 10	Book Club-Discussion: Just Mercy	Sept 15	Conversation Café			
Aug 11	Conversation Café	Sept 15-16	Indoor Pro Rodeo			
Aug 11	Fall Fair	Sept 22	Conversation Café			
Aug 11	Fall Fair Parade	Sept 23	Rummage Sale			
Aug 11	Cruise Night & Drive-In (Back to the Future)	Sept 27	Council Information Meeting			
Aug 12	Ladies 3 Person Scramble Golf Tourn.	Sept 29	Conversation Café			
Aug 12	Show and Shine	Oct 10	Tentative Date for Compost Pick Up			
Aug 13	Dean Ray LIVE at Music in the Park	Events h	ave been submitted by organizers.			
Aug 15	Chamber of Commerce Golf Tourn.	Details can be found at hanna.ca/events				
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Volunteers Required

Big Country Housing Authority - 1 vacancy

Operates affordable housing in Hanna & Cereal. In Hanna the BCHA operates Parkview Manors 1 & 2, Parkview Villas and 10 duplexes. The Board meets 4 times a year.

Community Services Board - 4 vacancies

Established for the purpose of providing advice, recommendations and assistance to Council regarding matters relating to culture, recreation and Family and Community Support Services (FCSS). There are a minimum of 5 evening meetings per year.

Fred & Freda Geuder Educational Bursary - 1 vacancy

Meets annually in September to review applications and determine bursary recipients. Three \$1,500 bursaries are awarded to post secondary students.

Hanna and District Medical Corporation - 1 vacancy

The Board is responsible for providing a medical clinic, services and incentives to attract and retain medical personnel. The board meets 3-4 times a year.

Municipal Library Board - 4 vacancies

The Board has full management and control to maintain efficient library services . Hanna Library is part of the regional Marigold Library System. Daytime meetings are held monthly.

Municipal Planning Commission - 1 vacancy

Established by Bylaw, to advise on the planning for orderly, economical and beneficial use of land within town limits. The board meets as needed, averaging 4 times a year.

Terms of appointment, existing board members and application details: hanna.ca/volunteers

Focus for Municipal Enforcement



The Town of Hanna entered into an employment agreement with Tracy Raypold to provide the services of Municipal Enforcement Officer for the Town of Hanna from Jan. 1, 2023 to Dec. 31, 2025.

On July 11, 2023, Tracy provided the first of ongoing quarterly reports to Town Council. In her report, Tracy informed Council that the first quarter was spent updating documents, identifying the needs of council and the needs of the community. She recently attended training for Community Peace Officers, in Lac La Biche.

Tracy is committed to achieving compliance through education and supportive measures. Her goal is to keep Hanna a peaceful, safe and beautiful community that Hanna residents have grown to expect.

Among other things, Tracy shared that she is currently working on a total of 43 unsightly properties. In time, other areas of focus will be on street parking, garbage issues, snow removal, noise and business licensing. If you have a bylaw concern and live within the Town of Hanna there are multiple ways to present your concern. You can stop into the Town Office, you can phone Tracy or the preferred method is to complete the online form that is found at:

hanna.ca/report-a-concern.

It is critical, that in order for your concern to be addressed, that you provide your name and contact information so Tracy can follow up. Her position is part-time so patience is required and those who complete all the information will be responded to more quickly.

Remember, if you need immediate assistance or your concern relates to public safety, contact 911.

I certify that in accordance with Section 336(1) of the Municipal Government Act, taxes have been imposed and tax notices were sent to all property owners in the Town of Hanna on June 9, 2023.

Kim Neill, Chief Administrative Officer

		-	Pool Office 403-854-3983 Town Office 40				
	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
:30 a.m.	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim		
	Dive Tank (Adult)	Dive Tank (Adult)	Dive Tank (Adult)	Dive Tank (Adult)	Dive Tank (Adult)		
30 a.m.	Leisure Pool (Closed)	Leisure Pool (Closed)	Leisure Pool (Closed)	Leisure Pool (Closed)	Leisure Pool (Closed)		
45 a.m.	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons		
	(All Pools for	(All Pools for	(All Pools for	(All Pools for	(All Pools for		
	Lesson use only)	Lesson use only)	Lesson use only)	Lesson use only)	Lesson use only)		
2:00 p.m.						Bookings &	Bookings &
	Lane Swim &	Shallow Water	Lane Swim &	Shallow Water	Lane Swim &	Pool Clean Up	Pool Clean Up
	Lessons Dive Tank (Adult)	Workout 12:15-1:00 p.m.	Lessons Dive Tank (Adult)	Workout 12:15-1:00 p.m.	Lessons Dive Tank (Adult)		
	Leisure Pool (Parent	Dive Tank & Leisure	Leisure Pool (Parent	Dive Tank & Leisure	Leisure Pool (Parent		
	& Tot)	Pool (Closed)	& Tot)	Pool (Closed)	& Tot)		
:00 p.m.							
	Public Swim &	Public Swim &	Public Swim &	Public Swim &	Public Swim &	Public Swim	Public Swim
	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	TOONIE SWIM!	
							Free Family
							Swim 3-5 p.m.
:00 p.m.			Swim Club			Lane Swim	Lane Swim
	Swim Club	Swim Club	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Swim Club	Swim Club	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)
	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Deep Water	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	& 10()	& IO()
:00 p.m.	Dive Tank (Closed)	Dive Tank (Closed)	Workout	Dive Tank (Closed)	Dive Tank (Closed)		
			6:00-6:45 p.m. (Dive Tank)				
00 p.m.	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim		Public Swim	
	8-9pm Dive Tank	8-9pm Dive Tank	8-9pm Dive Tank	8-9pm Dive Tank		TOONIE SWIM!	Public Swim
:00 p.m.	Deep Water	Deep Water	Deep Water	Deep Water	Public Swim	TOORIE SWIM:	
.00 p.m.							

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Spray Park Open 9-9



August 14 - 27, 2023 Pool Office 403-854-3983 Town Office 403-854-4433

	Part Part	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
	10:00 a.m.					,		
	12:00 p.m.	POOL OPENS AT NOON						
		Lane Swim	Shallow Water Workout	Lane Swim	Shallow Water Workout	Lane Swim	Bookings & Pool Clean Up	Bookings & Pool Clean Up
		Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	12:00-12:45 p.m. Dive Tank & Leisure Pool (Closed)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	12:00-12:45 p.m. Dive Tank & Leisure Pool (Closed)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	roor cican op	roor cican op
;	1:00 p.m.	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim
						TOONIE SWIM!	Free Family Swim	
	5:00 p.m.	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim	Lane Swim
	6:00 p.m.	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)	Dive Tank (Adult) Leisure Pool (Parent & Tot)
		Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim	Public Swim		Public Swim	Public Swim
	7:00 p.m.	Public Swim 7-8pm Dive Tank	Public Swim 7-8pm Dive Tank	Public Swim 7-8pm Dive Tank	Public Swim 7-8pm Dive Tank	Public Swim	TOONIE SWIM!	
	8:00 p.m.	Deep Water Aqaufit Only	Deep Water Aqaufit Only	Deep Water Aqaufit Only	Deep Water Aqaufit Only	Public Swim		
							Bookings & Special Events	Bookings & Special Events



Pool Schedule

Aug 14 - 27