



For More Info Call 742-8305 or stop by the Town Office at 4840-50 Street

2009 Tax Notices

To avoid a 3% penalty, Current Property & Business Taxes need to be paid by **4:30 p.m. June 30, 2009**. As a reminder property taxes can be paid by debit card, cash or cheque.

Building a FENCE?

Do you need a Permit? According to the Town of Stettler's Land Use By-law 1976-08 Section 15 a Development Permit is not required for:



The construction or maintenance of gates, fences, walls or other means of enclosure less than 1.22m (4 ft.) in height in front yards and less than 2.0m (6.56 ft.) in height in side and rear yards except where corner lot restrictions apply.

Please note it is the owner's responsibility to ensure that fence construction does not encroach past the property line. If you have any questions please call Wes or Leann at the Town Office at 403-742-8305.

...And Remember "Call Before You Dig!" Alberta 1st Call 1-800-242-3447 or www.alberta1call.com

Building a SHED or DECK?



Do you need a Permit? According to the Town of Stettler's Land Use By-law 1976-08 Section 15 a Development Permit is not required for:

The construction or installation of an accessory building that does not exceed 9.5 m² (102 ft²) in area and 2.5 m (8.2 ft) in height, provided that the structure is portable and not fixed on a permanent foundation or concrete pad; and construction of an unenclosed deck that does not exceed 15 m² (162 ft²) in area.

Please note it is the owner's responsibility to ensure that the Shed or Deck does not encroach into the setback requirements for an accessory building. If you have any questions please call Wes or Leann at the Town Office at 403-742-8305.

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Father's Day Gift

Looking for a great Father's Day gift? On **June 20, 2009** Nick Arnette will be performing at the PAC at 7:00 p.m. Nick is known as the "Feel Good Funny Guy". He is a nationally known speaker and comedian entertaining audiences with his clean and clever comedy. He has performed alongside Jay Leno, Jerry Seinfeld and Tim Allen. You may have seen him on T.V. on HBO, A&E or Comedy Central. Nick is the author of "The Book of Dude" and a major contributor to "Comedy Comes Clean" and "Comedy Comes Clean II". Tickets are \$20/each. For more information or tickets call 742-2149, 742-0702 or 742-7733.

Crazy Daze

This year's event will be held on **June 12, 13 & 14, 2009** on Main Street. Activities include: Sidewalk Sales and Screammers. **NOTE:** West Coast Amusements - Midway will be set up at the Ag. Grounds located at 4516 - 52 Street. For more information call the Board of Trade at 742-3181.

Stettler Show N' Shine & Cruise

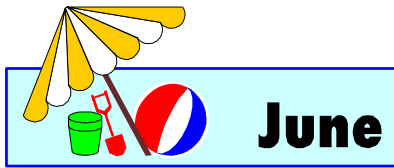
The Stettler Show & Shine will be held on **Saturday, June 20, 2009** from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Stettler Town Mall. Cruise the streets of Stettler, then enjoy a scenic tour to Big Valley followed by a catered supper at the Big Valley Hall. For information call Doug (403) 350-4383, Peter (403) 740-9530 or Kerry (403) 740-2727.

Stettler "Side By Side" Shoot-Out

The Stettler Side by Side Shoot-Out will be held on **Sunday, July 26, 2009** at the Stettler Airport from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. 1/8 mile shoot-out, food & concession, camping available and bleacher seating. If you have any questions contact: Norm (403)740-5574, Randy (403)740-3692 or Dan (403)741-2233.

Canada Day Celebration

Canada Day Celebrations will be held at West Stettler Park on July 1. Entertainment by "Domino" starting at 8:00 p.m. with fireworks to follow at dusk. For more information call the Parks & Leisure Office at 742-4411.



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Stettler Rodeo

The Stettler Rodeo will be held on August 14, 15 & 16, 2009. (More details to follow).



Heartland Beautification Committee – Garden Tour

The Heartland Beautification Committee is looking for people in the community of all ages and gardening experiences interested in participating in a summer garden tour. Garden tours have been very successful in other communities and Stettler has a lot of knowledgeable gardeners with beautiful gardens and yards. Do you have a garden or yard that you would like to show off? Would you be interested in touring with a group exchanging ideas and tips for having a beautiful, interesting garden and landscape of your own? If this interests you, contact the Town Office at (403) 742-8305.

Green Committee

While reusable bags are still the most environmentally sound idea, exercise caution when placing food in the bags – ensure meat products do not leak as it is easy to cross-contaminate other foods when reusing the bag.

R.V'S on Streets

No unattached R.V.'s or trailers shall be stored/parked on any public street or lane for a continuous period unless loading or unloading. Owners will automatically be ticketed \$50.00 for the 1st offence. For more information contact Bylaw Enforcement at 1-866-340-2388 (Toll Free). Thank you for your co-operation.

Notice to Residents

In accordance with the "Land Use Bylaw" and the "Municipal Government Act" residents should be aware that constructing structures such as garbage can receptacles or any other structures in the road/lane right-of-way (Town side of the property line) is not permitted. If such structures exist and the Town needs it removed to perform their work, it will be the property owner's responsibility to have it removed at their expense.

Stettler Baptist Church

The Stettler Baptist Church is hosting its Ministerial Annual Picnic in the Park on **July 5, 2009** from 1-3:30 p.m. at West Stettler Park. For more information contact Pastor Will Brown at (403) 742-2210.

Stettler Alliance Church

The Stettler Alliance Church is hosting its Annual Vacation Bible School. This is a fun event during the summer for all kids 5 – 12 years old at **NO COST**. The School will be held from **August 10–14, 2009** from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon at the Stettler Alliance Church (across from Tim Hortons). Registration forms are available at the Church – please register as soon as possible. For information contact Liezil (403)742-4588 or Betty or Pastor Scott (403)742-1135.

Fire Pits & Outdoor Fireplaces

The Town of Stettler permits fire pits and outdoor fireplaces ONLY with the following requirements:

- A minimum of 3m (10 ft.) clearance shall be maintained from buildings, property lines or any combustible material.
- Installations shall have enclosed sides made from bricks, concrete blocks, heavy gauge metal or other suitable non-combustible components.
- A spark arrestor mesh screen or 1/2" expanded metal (or equivalent) to contain sparks shall be provided over the fire.
- Only clean fuel shall be used (clean, dry wood or charcoal). Refuse or waste material shall **NOT** be burned.
- The use of such installations shall ensure that smoke or sparks do not create a nuisance or hazards to neighbors or other properties and comply with the Clean Air Act.

ALL FIRE PITS MUST BE EXTINGUISHED WHEN RETIRING AND NEVER LEFT UNATTENDED!

Picking Up After Pooches Required

The Dog Control Bylaw #1944-07 requires dog owners to pick up after their dogs if they defecate on private or public property. The fine for failing to comply with the pooper-scooper portion of the Dog Bylaw is **\$100.00**. The bylaw also bans dogs from school grounds, playgrounds or running at large. (Dogs **MUST** be kept on leashes at all times). **YOUR HELP IN KEEPING OUR PARKS AND OPEN SPACES CLEAN IS MUCH APPRECIATED.**