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Corporation of the Village of South River



May—June 2024

2024 Day Camp @H.O. C.

We are very happy to announce that Summer Day Camp at Hockey Opportunity Camp is returning this summer!! Day camp is for children ages 5 to 12 years old.

Camp Applications forms are finally ready and can be picked up at the Village Office or online on our website [www. Southeriver.ca](http://www.Southeriver.ca).

This year we have some changes to Day Camp, Each week we can only have 40 campers in total. The specialty weeks will need at least 10 participants to happen. we have specialty weeks available for children ages 9 to 12 years old. Waterski weeks & Outdoor Survival.

Waterski: Campers will have the chance to participate in one hour of waterskiing daily, with instruction from our certified Water Ski Instructors. (Additional \$50.00)

Outdoor Survival: Campers will have the chance to learn how to be a true outdoors person in this week-long Outdoor Survival Program. The highlight of the week is an Overnight Camping Experience, in a large canvas tent on the camp's forested property. (Additional \$40.00)

Spaces will fill up fast, so register early it's on a first come first serve basis.

Call the office if you have questions @705-386-2573.

Soccer will be happening this summer as well, watch our facebook and website for registration details! Registration will be in early June. If you would like to help by being a volunteer please let us know at your earliest convenience.

Water

If you are experiencing any water issues please call the Village hours during office hours Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 4:30pm.

After hours contact Public Works at 705-386-0245.

Did you know that it is the homeowners responsibility for anything to do with your water lines from

the curb stop into your house, as well as the plumbing inside your home.

Our Public Works crew like to help out our residents but do not have the time to come check your plumbing out.. We have some plumbers in the area who would be happy to assist you with your plumbing needs.

If you experience

coloured water, Please let your cold water tap run (preferably an outside tap)until it clears, this should happen within about 10mins, discoloured water may occur if there is a disturbance in the water lines, such as if the fire department needs to access a fire hydrant or there is a break in the water lines.

2024 Tax & Water Due

Dates Remaining

TAXES

Thursday, June 28, 2024

Tuesday October 1, 2024

Friday November 29, 2024

WATER

Wednesday May 15, 2024

Monday July 15, 2024

Monday September 16 2024

Friday November 15, 2024

Interest is added monthly beginning on the first day of default.

*These dates are subject to change.

There is a fee of \$30.00 for duplicate copies of receipts,

Please be sure to keep your address updated with us here at the office. If you get your tax and water bill to General Delivery and then get a mail box please let us know ASAP, otherwise you may not be getting your bills in a timely manner.

The South River - Machar Fire Department would like to remind residents to be safe around waterways this time of year. Ice is unpredictable and water levels can change quickly. Please use extreme caution.

South River Public Works Open House At 3 Industrial Park Road
Friday May 24 10 am to 2PM & Saturday May 25, 10am to 2 pm. Public Works week is celebrated annually across North America as an opportunity to educate residents about Public Works and to celebrate the work of our Public Works professionals. The event will include displays of our equipment and water distribution system.

Additional Information

Holiday Closure: The Municipal office will not be answering phones or email on May 20, in recognition of the Victoria Day holiday.

Seasonal Compost Collection

Is scheduled to take place on May 6th, 13th, 21st, and 27th. This service is for the collection of lawn rakings, leaves and small bundles of brush and twigs. Bagged compost **must be in paper bags**. Plastic bags will not be accepted. Brush must be cut into 4' lengths and tied into manageable bundles. This service is provided by municipal staff and may be delayed due to circumstances beyond the control of the Village, i.e (weather, unplanned water distributions maintenance emergencies, etc.) you may also

want to consider composting your lawn rakings for future use.

Street and Sidewalk sweeping continues, remember to close your windows and avoid hanging your laundry on the line when crews are working in your area.

Community Gardens, these garden plots are available on a first come first serve basis. Please call the office to reserve them 705-386-2573.

Have you checked out the

South River Royal Canadian Legion Branch #390 events :

Every Tuesday Darts-

6:30-8:30 pm

Thursday Afternoons

Euchre- 2-4pm

Bingo -1 & 3rd Thursday

Evening, Starts @6:45pm

Every Friday Meat draw 3 – 6pm

Upcoming live entertainment at the Legion is :

Jack B Nimble –May 4th

Motel California – June 8th

Let's support our local Legion Br#390. you don't have to be a member to attend any events just stop in, play pool, or shuffleboard, and make new friends.

Upcoming Event

Intro to Disc Golf-May 16

Black Fly Fling –May 18-19th

Canada Day –to be announced

Classic Car Show– July 27th

SRMAS Fall Fair –Sept 6-7th

Clean Yard By-law

Spring is in the air and everyone benefits from a good looking Village!

By-law 9-2018 Clean Yard By-law clearly states *Every owner shall ensure that his or her property is kept free and clear of any:*

(a) groundcover exceeding 30

- centimetres (12 inches) in height;*
- (b) garbage, refuse, domestic waste or industrial waste; Page 5 of 8*
- (c) wrecked, dismantled, abandoned or inoperable appliance, machine or derelict motor vehicle*
- (d) hedge, tree or branch that hinders pedestrian traffic*

on a Village maintained sidewalk.

(e) accumulation of animal excrement;

Fines start at \$120 so be sure your yard is neat and tidy for the outdoor season!

Have you been unable to pay Your Taxes & Water



 If you have fallen behind on your tax or water account and are not sure how you can get caught up,. Please call us . We will work with you on a payment plan to get you back on track. Don't ignore our notices, stay in touch to avoid

further action. Interest is run for taxes on the first of every month, water interest is run on the 16th of the month or the next business day. If property taxes reach 2 years arrears it will be sent for tax sale. The process is very expensive and

gets added to your tax account. **Water Arrears** happen at times and we only send out disconnection notices if your account is over \$250. If we need to disconnect your water, a deposit will be required to turn it on plus all fees .

Fire Permits are required year round in the Village of South River for burning brush and are available at www.srmfd.com

Not required for Barbeques or small campfires

