

TOWN OF SPIRITWOOD

March 2021 Newsletter



CENSUS

Accurate and complete Census data has a direct impact on programs and services that benefit our community such as schools, daycare, housing, family services, emergency services, roads, public transportation and employment skills training. Spiritwood Town Council encourages all residents to complete their Census questionnaire online at www.census.gc.ca in May 2021.

HOUSE NUMBERS

It is important to have building numbers clearly visible on the front of your house/business. If an emergency were to arise, this allows people unfamiliar with the area or emergency personnel to quickly identify and ensure they have the correct address. If your home/business is without its number please do so immediately. Call our office if you are unsure of your house number.

TELMATIK

We have made the switch from Notify by Network to Telmatik to communicate important updates more effectively! These can be received via text message or phone call. Contact the Town Office to make sure we have an updated contact number for you. You will not receive a notification if it does not apply to you. For example, something such as a boil water advisory would be sent to everyone. However, if Loraas missed picking up hand carts only the streets that it effects will receive the notification.

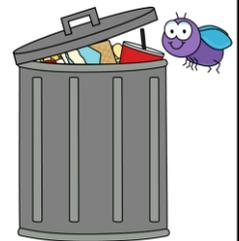
TRANSFER STATION

Summer Hours: (in effect until September 30th)
Wednesday - 5:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M.
Saturday - 11:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.

Reminder that grass, leaves, clean soil & garden vines are accepted free of charge but must NOT be bagged. Wood products are burned therefore, only branches, non-treated, un-painted with NO nails will be accepted. The schedule & tipping fees can be found on our website.

½ PRICE TRANSFER SITE DAY

The Town of Spiritwood ratepayers will receive a 50% discount on tipping fees on **Saturday, May 15th** with the exception of shingles.



CHANGES TO RECYCLING

Single-use batteries like AA, AAA, 9V, D, C and others, as well as rechargeable replacement batteries often found in portable devices like old power & garden tools will no longer be accepted at the Town Office but can be taken to SARCAN for recycling. The Town Eco-Centre located at 511 4th Street W will continue to recycle used oil, antifreeze & hydraulic fluid, oil filters, oil, antifreeze, DEF jugs & containers and vehicle batteries. If your oil is stored in a barrel, please phone ahead to have an employee meet you there.