Upcoming Council Meetings:

- April 22nd at7pm
- May 13th at7pm
- May 27nd at 7pm
- June 10th at 7pm
- June 24th at 7pm
- July 8th at 7pm

All Council meetings are held in Council Chambers at Greenwood City Hall, or you are welcome to join via Zoom. For information on how to attend via Zoom please contact City Hall.

<u>Meet our New Chief Administrative</u> <u>Officer - Dean Trumbley</u>



Mr. Trumbley started his new role here at the City of Greenwood in February and brings with him a versatile set of skills with 15+ years of executive/administrative experience working at the local, provincial, federal and international levels. We are very excited to welcome our new Chief Administrative Officer and look forward to what the future holds for the community.

<u>Have you registered your Bees or Hens</u> <u>in Greenwood yet?</u>

Bees and Hens are now legal under Bylaw No. 1003 & 1004, 2023. Please come into City Hall to register your bees and/or hens. Registration is free of charge. Note: Bees also need to be registered Provincially.

Greenwood City Hall Hours of Operation: Open Monday - Friday : 8:30am - 12pm, 1pm - 4:30pm. Closed 12 - 1 pm for lunch Closed Saturdays, Sundays & Statutory Holidays.



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City of Greenwood

Quarterly Newsletter April 2024

2024 Business Licences

Business Licences renewal fees for 2024 are now overdue. At this time all buinesses without a valid licence will be deemed no longer active and will be cancelled. If there are changes to your business licence status, please call or visit City Hall.

<u>Message from the Mayor</u>

Mayor and Council are pleased to announce

the appointment of Mr. Dean Trumbley to the position of Chief Administrative Office for the City of Greenwood. Mr. Trumbley and his wife moved here from Falkland B.C, and they will be investing in our community by building a wildlife museum on S. Copper Ave, with a focus on conservation and management. The City of Greenwood has received another dividend cheque

from the West Boundary Community Forest in the amount of \$200,00.00.



Picture above: there was a great turnout for the Easter Egg Hunt at the Lions Park on Sunday Mar. 30th. Special thank you to all the sponsors and volunteers.

2024 Second Quarter Utility Bills

Payments for 2nd Quarter Utilities are due June 30th. Payments can be made by mail, drop box on front steps of City Hall, online through CIBC or StellerVista Credit Union or Etransfer. Please send etransfer to

finance.greenwoodcity@shaw.ca and include your account number in memo section. Note: if paying online or by etransfer please allow processing time of 3 days before months end to avoid any late penalties.

Spring Cleanup

With our early spring weather we have started our annual street sweeping. We will notify residents of the date for the upcoming water main flushes.

<u>Watch our Facebook page for our New</u> <u>"Feel Good Fridays" posts!</u>



Each Friday we will be giving a shoutout to individuals who go above and beyond for our community! We invite you to share a feel good story, moment or person by reaching out to: frontdesk@greenwoodcity.ca





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202 S. Government Ave. PO Box 129 Greenwood, BC V0H 1J0 Property Taxes will be mailed in May Payment for taxes will be due by July 2, 2024. Please insure payments are recieved 3 days prior if you are etransferring or paying online to avoid penalties (2.5%). Please remember to apply (annually) for your Homeowner's Grant online or by phone.

Mark upcoming Community Events

- Friday Night Bingo at the McArthur Center.
- Saturday Meat Draw at the Legion.

- Youth Group at the McArthur Centre, April 11th and April 25th from 6pm-8pm for ages 12-18.

-Kettle River Art Show - last weekend in May.

Don't forget to register for this years Soap Box Derby happening on May 4th 2024!

<u>Greenwood Municipal Pool</u>

We are looking for Headguards, Lifeguards, Swim Instructors, and Junior Lifeguards for the 2024 season (late June - the end of August).

INTERESTED? BUT DON'T HAVE ALL THE CERTIFICATIONS? WE ARE OFFERING FREE OR DISCOUNTED TRAINING!!

Required Qualifications:

Headguard:

- Age 18 minimum.
- At least 2 years lifeguard experience .
- NL Certification (current).
- Standard First Aid + CPR-C (current).
- Swim for Life instructor Certification. Lifeguard:
- Age 16 minimum.
- NL Certification (current).
- Standard First Aid + CPR-C (current). Swim Instructor:
- Age 15 minimum.
- Bronze Cross Certification (current).
- Standard First Aid + CPR-C (current).
- Swim for Life instructor Certification.

Junior Lifeguard:

- Age 14 minimum.
- Bronze Cross Certification (current).
- Standard First Aid + CPR-C (current).

Please send a copy of your resume and current certifications to <u>pool.greenwoodcity@gmail.com</u>

Camping Information



Camping season is just around the corner! Our campground opens on May 1st and reservations can be made by email to campground@greenwoodcity.ca, or by calling 250-528-9252

Warm Welcome to our new Bylaw Officer

Please join us in welcoming Tina Lockhart, our new bylaw officer. While Tina joins us for only one day per week, her commitment to upholding standards of safety and order is unwavering. With a keen eye for detail and a passion for maintaining the integrity of our neighborhood, She is here to support our community in fostering a positive environment for all.

Fire Regulations & Information

- Please obtain a burn permit if you plan on doing any burning. Burn permits are issued at City Hall and are free of charge.
- Burn barrels are not permitted within Greenwood

We encourage you to go to www.bcwildfire.ca for more information regarding what can be burned, size restrictions and weather advisories.

Outdoor Water Use Restrictions - Stage 1

The City of Greenwood asks all residents to reduce non-essential water usage to maintain adequate water levels in our reservoir for critical activities like drinking, cooking and fire-fighting. Water is permitted from the hours of 7:00pm to 9:00am, up to a maximum of two (2) hours of watering per day, per household.

Water Conservation

Did you know that the average Canadian uses 329 litres of water per day! With a lower snowpack this year it is up to us to do our part to help conserve this precious resource. Some tips to help conserve:

<u>Outdoors</u>

- Water only when needed and do not overwater.
- Water lawns early in the morning to avoid evaporation. Water slowly and never on a windy day.
- Put an empty tuna can on your lawn. When its full, you will know you have watered enough.
- Watch for leaking taps, sprinklers and hoses.

<u>Indoors</u>

- Instead of running the tap, keep a jug of water in the fridge.
- Turn off the garburator to save water; compost instead.
- Turn off the tap when you brush your teeth or shave.
- Take shorter showers.
- Be sure to wash full loads of laundry . Please drop by City Hall for our Conservation brochure.

Please note City Hall will be CLOSED:

<u>Monday May 20th for Victoria Day</u> reopening with regular hours May 21st @ 8:30 AM and <u>Monday July 1st for Canada Day</u> reopening with regular hours July 2nd @ 8:30 AM.