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Minister of Municipal Relations, Derek Johnson and MLA Josh Guenter visited the 4 Corners Project on August 28th, 2021.

The RM of Montcalm representatives in attendance were:

Reeve Paul Gilmore, L.U.D. committee members, Wayne Klassen and Gilbert Lavallee, CAO Jolene Bird and volunteer Mona Lavallee.



### News from the LUD



Several projects are getting some attention recently. The sidewalk at the south end of Caron Street has been poured. Final grading and driveway rehabilitation remains to be completed.

The 4 Corners Project is well underway. A Manitoba Infrastructure crew completed work on the bridge abutment in order to prepare it for new pedestrian-friendly railings. The railings are in the process of being installed. Once completed, the unsightly barricade will be removed and safety bollards installed to allow access to pedestrians. Work has begun on both sides of Centre Avenue. You will note that the Coop gas pump is no longer accessible from Centre Avenue. The northeast corner in front of Jablonski Electrical, Plumbing & Heating will feature a Welcome to Saint-Jean-Baptiste sign. The sign's design by RPM Graphyx is a tribute to our dearly missed Red River Bridge. On the south side of Centre Avenue, there will be a new driveway to access the church parking lot. This area will feature a wide concrete pad, lighting, trees, shrubs, river rock, and benches. The LUD successfully secured a \$50,000 contribution through the Manitoba Building Sustainable Communities grant and another \$7,000 through a Manitoba Sport, Culture & Heritage program. We are awaiting word on other grant applications.

Why did we call this the "4 Corners Project"? Visit Parc du patrimoine's Facebook and Instagram pages to find out and to follow the project as it unfolds.



### Upcoming Council Meetings:

September 15, 2021 @ 8:00 AM

October 20, 2021 @ 8:00 AM

November 17, 2021 @ 8:00 AM

\*These dates and times may change. Please visit our website for up to date information



## ST JEAN MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION

Registrations are now open!!

- U7 (2015 & under)
- U9 (2013 & 2014)
- U11 (2011 & 2012)
- U13 (2009 & 2010)
- U15 (2007 & 2008)
- U18 (2004 & 2006)

To register or for more information please contact [stjeanmha@gmail.com](mailto:stjeanmha@gmail.com)

■ Stat Holiday   
 ✕ Council Meeting   
 ■ St Jean Recycling   
 ■ St Joseph & Letellier Recycling   
 ■ Garbage Pick Up  
■ Office closed

| September 2021 |     |     |     |     |     |     | October 2021 |     |     |     |     |     |     | November 2021 |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|---------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
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| 12             | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 17           | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 21            | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  |
| 19             | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 24           | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  | 28            | 29  | 30  |     |     |     |     |
| 26             | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  |     |     | 31           |     |     |     |     |     |     |               |     |     |     |     |     |     |



**Water bills due  
October 20,  
2021**

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## HAPPY HARVEST!

With cooler weather coming and many in our RM busy with harvest, it is a sure sign that summer is ending. Our big summer projects are all nearing completion, the Letellier Lagoon will be operational this month, the new Montcalm Transfer Station will be open mid-September, Railway Ave Road and Drainage Project in Letellier is done and the 4 Corners Project in St. Jean Baptiste is looking fantastic! A HUGE thank you to all our staff and volunteers for all your hard work!

With the new Montcalm Transfer Station opening in Letellier, Council and the LUD Committee have decided to have a temporary yard waste drop-off bin close to St. Jean for the fall months. This **bin is for YARD WASTE ONLY**, please respect this and not drop off household, construction, or any other types of waste. The RM office will be putting out notices of location and hours it will be open in the coming days. For 2022 the plan is to have a more permanent yard waste drop off site.

The Montcalm Office and Transfer Station will be **closed** on Thursday September 30, 2021 for the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

### NEW PUBLIC WORKS NUMBER

**Effective September 1<sup>st</sup> : Please direct all public works inquiries to the 1-431-998-2271.**

On behalf of all staff, management, and Council we wish everyone a safe and bountiful harvest!

Happy Fall!

Jolene Bird, CAO

#### Frequently requested phone numbers:

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| <b><u>Animal Control</u></b><br>(204) 746-0593                   | <b><u>Building Inspector</u></b><br>(204)746-4032  |
| <b><u>Montcalm Health Centre</u></b><br>(204) 758-3031           | <b><u>Letellier Hall</u></b><br>(204) 737-2448     |
| <b><u>St Jean Centennial Hall</u></b><br>(204) 712-5930          | <b><u>St Jean Campground</u></b><br>(204) 712-5702 |
| <b><u>St Joseph Hall</u></b><br>(204) 324-0201 or (204) 737-2345 |  |



### DID YOU KNOW?

**Did you know that you can recycle used batteries and electronics ? Bring your used batteries & electronics to the Disposal Ground!**

### APPLE CRISP RECIPE:

#### Ingredients

- ◇ 4 medium apples, cubed or sliced (4 cups)
- ◇ 3/4 cup brown sugar
- ◇ 1/2 cup all purpose flour
- ◇ 1/2 cup quick-cooking or old fashioned oats
- ◇ 1/3 cup butter, softened
- ◇ 3/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- ◇ 3/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg

#### Steps:

- 1.Heat oven to 375°F. Grease bottom and sides of 8-inch square pan with shortening.
- 2.Spread apples in pan. In medium bowl, stir remaining ingredients until well mixed; sprinkle over apples.
- 3.Bake about 30 minutes or until topping is golden brown and apples are tender when pierced with a fork. Serve warm with cream or ice cream!



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