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Office hours: Monday– Friday 8:30am till 4:30 pm / Closed from 12:00pm—1:00pm for lunch

September 2023 						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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October 2023 						
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November 2023 						
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- Stat Holiday Office closed
- Garbage Pick Up
- St Joseph, Letellier & St Jean Recycling
- ✕ Council Meeting
- St Jean Recycling September Only

Speed limit of 30 km/h on 2nd Ave SW in St Jean Baptiste AT ALL TIMES.



Starting in October St Jean Baptiste Recycling will now be picked up on Tuesdays. This will be begin on October 3, 2023.



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@rmofmontcalm

The RM of Montcalm office will be providing glow sticks to our residents this year to use for trick or treating. The glow sticks can be picked up at our office in Letellier between the hours of 8:30 am—4:30 pm Monday to Friday.

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!

Public Works Manager Tidbit

From wet to dry... We started out this spring with high water levels again but were fortunate that the weather cooperated, and we avoided a major flood event. We have been working hard to restore infrastructure from the 2022 flood, as well as perform repairs stemming from damage this spring. During this time several roads have been rebuilt, ditches cleaned, and culverts replaced. We are still working towards completing many of these repairs along with normal operations. Since the high waters this spring, most of the RM has received very little rain. This has created different challenges for our RM and its utilities, and is making the dirt and gravel roads very dusty, creating dangerous situations at times.

As crews work to restore infrastructure and rate payers work in the RM with large equipment, please use caution on all roadways.



**20th Annual St Jean ATV Derby
September 15th & 16th, 2023**

For more information on how to register or to volunteer, please contact the committee through the Facebook page "St Jean ATV Derby—2023"



COMMUNITY

COLLECTION DAY:

**SEPTEMBER 23RD@
LETELLIER FIRE HALL**

10:00 A.M.—2:00 P.M.

Visit our website at www.rmofmontcalm.com for more details!

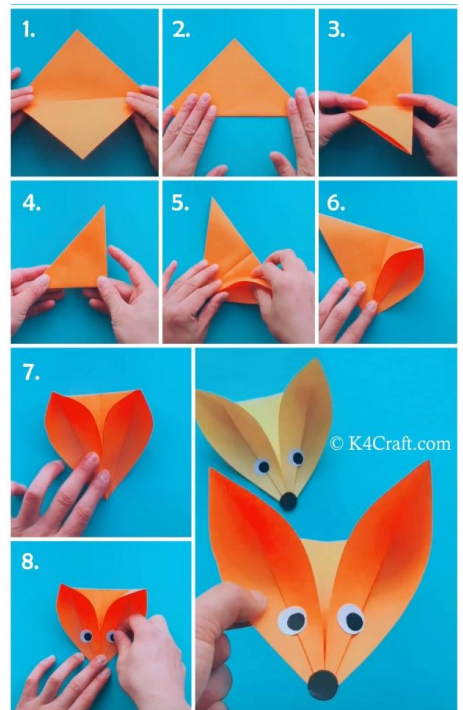
Sign up for our Text Message and/or Voice Call Notifications!

Visit our website at www.rmofmontcalm.com

Towards the bottom of the page, there is a "Register Today" button.

Fill in the information required.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact our office at 204-737-2271 or info@rmofmontcalm.com



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**The tax due date is
Tuesday, October 31, 2023**

*Early payment discount for the month
of September of 0.25%*

Hot Dog Mummies

- 1 Can crescent rolls
 - 2 1/2 slices of cheese, quartered
 - 10 Hot dogs
 - Cooking Spray
 - White & Black cookie icing
 - Mustard & Ketchup for dipping
1. Preheat oven to 375
 2. Unroll crescent rolls & separate
 3. Cut each rectangle of dough into 10 long strips of dough & quarter the cheese slices into 4 long strips
 4. Put a slice of cheese lengthwise on each hotdog. Use 4 strips of dough to wrap each hotdog up like a mummy.
 5. Place each mummy onto a baking sheet, cheese side down. Spray tops lightly with cooking spray.
 6. Bake 15-17 minutes until golden brown
 7. To make eyes, squirt drop of white icing and a drop of black icing



RM of Montcalm Office Closures:

- **Monday September 4, 2023**
- **Friday September 29, 2023**
- **Monday October 9, 2023**
- **Friday November 10, 2023**

RM Staff Introductions

Hello!

Brittany and Melanie here from your local RM office.

We thought it would be nice to do something a little different this quarter and introduce our RM Staff!

Lets start with our Public Works Staff.

Curtis Schultz, our Public Works Manager started with the RM at the beginning of 2022...right in time for the flood!

Yannick Moreau, the RM of Montcalm Excavator Operator started in 2018 and hasn't eaten a piece of pizza with us yet!

Pierre Sarrasin our Utility Attendant joined our little group in 2022.

With several years of water distribution experience he can still crack a good joke.

Aurele Sabourin, our longest standing Grader Operator and has been with us for 43 years and counting! With his years of knowledge, he has become our municipal infrastructure historian.

Claude Dumontier, our Summer Public Works Assistant and our resident handyman has been with us since 2022.

Sheldon Lafond, our second Grader Operator has been with the RM for 5 years+. He is a jack of all trades! From operating a skid steer to welding something together, Sheldon is the guy.

Jerry Ginter, has been the Transfer Station Attendant since 2022 and has been making us laugh since.

Andrew Ledingham, the RM Mower Operator for the past 3 years and our unofficial appointed RM flood photographer.

Rejean Beaudette, or most known as Rej, has been with us for 11 years and is a man with many titles. You can always count on him for a good conversation either around town, at the arena or at the shop!

We would like to thank our public works staff for all the hard work they do.

And now to us, the Office Staff

Jolene Bird, our Chief Administrative Officer, has been with the municipality for 7 years. When she is not worrying about flood or a big project, she enjoys spending time with her family!

Katherine Roy, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer, has been in the office for 10 years! Kat has taught the staff about the history and little details of our municipality.

Melanie Collette, Communications Officer, has been with us for 4 years. Without Mel, we would have lots of flyers as our only source of information!

Brittany Zarbl, Office Clerk, is our newest addition and has been a part of our team for the past year. She is always up for learning new things & loves random facts.

If you ever have a municipal question, please contact our office and one of us would be happy to help!

A Message from the LUD of St Jean Baptiste

The LUD had another busy summer of projects to work through this year, some are still ongoing, and others have been completed. By now you will have noticed the new signs at the entrances to town. A big Thank You to Berit Sabourin for her contributions in the sign's design. The design process for the new development is complete, and the appropriate zoning and infrastructure planning is moving forward. There will be more public information meetings this fall, with updates on the plan. You may have noticed orange markings on some of the streets, these are all areas that will be repaired in the next few weeks, so that our streets are ready for winter.

Thank you to everyone who made it out to the LUD Family Fun Day, on August 27th. The weather cooperated, and judging by the smiles and giggles, everyone was having a good time. We would like to make this an annual event, so any suggestions to make it even better please pass them on to any of the LUD members.

A special Thank you to Brittany and Melanie from the RM office for organizing the event, as well as all the volunteers who helped out, you did an outstanding job! Hope everyone had a Great summer!

