



District of Lantzville Community Update

January 2014

January Meetings

Monday, January 13th
CoW @ 6:00 pm (Bylaw Policy)
Regular @ 7:00 pm

Monday, January 20th
CoW @ 7:00 pm (Finance Plan)

Monday, January 27th
Regular @ 7:00 pm

The public is always welcome and encouraged to attend meetings of Council which are held at the District office, 7192 Lantzville Road, 2nd Floor.

Mayor's Appointment Hours

The Mayor is available to meet with residents on Thursday afternoons between 1 pm – 4 pm. If you would like to make an appointment please call the District office at 250.390.4006.

Food Waste, Recycling & Garbage Schedule Change

The schedule will change after the New Year's holiday to the following:



Wednesday, Jan 8, 2014
Garbage & Food Waste

Wednesday, Jan 15, 2014
Recycle & Food Waste

District of Lantzville Office

7192 Lantzville Road
P.O. Box 100
Lantzville, BC V0R 2H0

Phone: 250.390.4006
Fax: 250.390.5188
Email: district@lantzville.ca
Website: www.lantzville.ca



Public Notice - 2014 Grants in Aid

Please be advised that Council of the District of Lantzville will receive applications for Grants in Aid for the 2014 calendar year. The primary purpose of a grant in aid is to provide financial assistance to an organization for a specific project or event that benefits the residents of the District of Lantzville. The organization should be registered as, or belong to a parent Society under the laws of British Columbia and/or Canada. Preference will be given to organizations that are locally based and whose efforts are community based in nature. The Council of the District of Lantzville will not grant monies to a 'for profit' organization.

Applications must be completed and submitted to the District Office, no later than Friday, January 31, 2014. Application forms, including guidelines may be obtained from the District of Lantzville Office, 7192 Lantzville Road, or you may download an application from the District of Lantzville's website. For inquiries please call the District Office at 250.390.4006 or email: district@lantzville.ca.

Appointments to the Parks & Recreation Commission

The District of Lantzville is accepting applications from interested individuals wishing to volunteer their time on the Parks and Recreation Commission.

The Parks and Recreation Commission is responsible for making recommendations to Council on parks and recreation functions for the District of Lantzville, including Minetown Day planning. The position requires energy and, on occasion, a willingness to undertake work outside of regular meetings and will appeal to individuals who have a strong interest in the future outcome of parks and open spaces in the community as well as a desire to contribute to the enhancement of recreation in Lantzville.

A copy of the Bylaw which outlines the Commission structure, duties and responsibilities is available at the District office or on the District's website at www.lantzville.ca.

Letters of interest should include any pertinent information that may assist both Commission and Council members in making an appointment and be received **no later than Wednesday, January 15th, 2014 at 4:00 p.m.**

Water Negotiations - District of Lantzville & City of Nanaimo

Please note that we continue to await receipt of the draft water agreement from the City. We anticipate receipt of the agreement sometime in January. Should you have any questions in the interim, you are invited to contact a member of Council or Twyla Graff, CAO, at the District office.

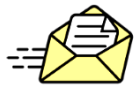
You're invited!

The Village Commercial Core Improvement Plan Committee would like to extend an invitation to residents to join their meeting on Tuesday, January 21st, 2014

While meetings are always open to the public, we invite residents to come and actively participate in reviewing a vision statement and assisting Committee members in generating ideas for the District's downtown core. For more information about the process, please visit the District webpage or contact the District's Community Planner, Meredith Seeton, at meredith@lantzville.ca.

Location: District office, 2nd Floor, 7192 Lantzville Road

Time: 5:30 pm



How to Contact Members of Council

Members of Council do not keep regular office hours at the District Office, however e-mail may be sent to council@lantzville.ca. Any e-mail sent to this address will be distributed to all Members of Council.

Personal contact information has been provided by individual members of Council and is shown below as follows:

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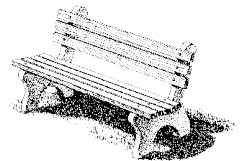
Phone: 250-390-3368

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Memorial Programs

The District offers two memorial programs; Trees and Park Benches. The programs are opportunities for residents to make a dedication to the memory of a loved one or acknowledge someone special in a lasting way, as well as providing a beautiful contribution to the community.

For more information or to obtain an application for either program please visit the District's website at www.lantzville.ca, or the District office at 7192 Lantzville Road.



Did You Know Huddleston Park is Available for Private Functions!

Huddleston Park is a great place to hold small private group functions, such as family gatherings and children's birthday parties. The Park is beautiful and conveniently located in the village core and Seaview Elementary area. It offers amenities, such as a covered area and a fun playground that will keep children busy. Booking of the facility is free of charge however; donations are very much appreciated and are used to maintain our parks for everyone's enjoyment.



For more information or to reserve please call the District office at 250-390-4006. (Please note that although a group may book a park, individual members of the community are free to use our parks at any time).

Five Year Financial Plan 2014 - 2018

Council will begin its Financial Planning process in January and invites the public to provide feedback either in writing or by attending upcoming Committee of the Whole Meetings. These meetings are open to the public and, as with all Council meetings, the public is invited to participate at the end of the meeting. Committee of the Whole Meetings are scheduled as follows:

- Monday, January 20th
- Monday, February 3rd
- Monday, March 3rd
- Monday, April 7th

