



APRIL NEWSFLASH

In light of the COVID-19 outbreak, the Summer Village of Silver Sands Council will conduct meetings via teleconference until further notice.

We respectfully request your patience as we work collaboratively with our partners to mitigate this pandemic.

Inquiries may be directed to the Administration Office via email: administration@wildwillowenterprises.com

Flatten the curve by staying informed on how to protect yourself and others from COVID-19.

www.alberta.ca/COVID19

PLAYGROUND CLOSURES

As part of ongoing efforts to help prevent the spread of COVID-19, the Summer Village of Silver Sands has **CLOSED ALL PLAYGROUND STRUCTURES** located in the Summer Village. The closures are in effect until further notice.

A reminder to individuals and families utilizing the walking paths and park reserve areas, which remain open at this time, that social and physical distancing practices are **required**.



RETURNING FROM TRAVEL

MANDATORY ISOLATION ORDER IS IN EFFECT

Travellers and close contacts of confirmed cases, you are legally required to isolate for 14 days if you:

-returned from travel outside of Canada after March 12, or are a close contact of a person who tested positive for COVID-19 (provides care, lives with or has close physical contact without appropriate use of personal protective equipment, or comes into direct contact with infectious body fluids)

-become sick with cough, fever, shortness of breath, runny nose or sore throat during this time, you must isolate for an additional 10 days from the beginning of symptoms or until you are feeling well, whichever takes longer.

visit: www.alberta.ca/isolation for more information

THANKS FOR BEING GOOD NEIGHBOURS

Let's all remember to take the time to check in on our neighbours to ensure their needs are being met. The fewer of us out right now, the better, especially those at greater risk from the virus. If you're able to assist or run an errand for a neighbour or someone in our community while you're out and about, it is a super helpful way to give back.



THINKING ABOUT HEADING TO THE CABIN ...

Health Officials urge against heading to the cottage to isolate during the COVID-19 event. This could be catastrophic for small communities who do not have capacity to manage during this crisis!

There may also be supply-chain issues to consider. Retailers across the country have found it difficult to keep food, cleaning supplies and other highly-demanded products on their shelves. For stores in remote areas that are used to serving small populations at this time of year, a sudden influx of cottagers can make it even more difficult to meet the needs of their year-round customers.

<https://www.ctvnews.ca/health/coronavirus/don-t-head-to-your-cottage-to-wait-out-covid-19-pandemic-canadians-warned-1.4873267>

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