



COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

- ⇒ Council directed staff to request meetings with the following Ministers at the Annual UBCM Convention in September:
 - Minister of Environment and Climate Change: Wildfire mitigation funding to safeguard the community; and LGCAP requirements and inadequate funding for municipalities to achieve the requirements due to provincial downloading
 - Minister of Health: the Urgent Primary Care Centre and its service provision to the region in collaboration with representatives from neighbouring communities and the TNRD
 - Minister of Housing: Thompson View Manor Society’s plans to construct a 29-unit seniors housing complex and advocate for the Minister’s project support
- ⇒ As well Council directed staff to arrange a meeting with BC Hydro at the Annual UBCM Convention
- ⇒ Council approved South Cariboo Elizabeth Fry’s Society request for free use of the Pool Park on August 23 to host a community Moonlight Movie event
- ⇒ Council directed staff to write to transportation companies to deter truck traffic on Railway Ave. and to be aware of speed limits and increased pedestrian traffic for the Sunday Farmers Market
- ⇒ Staff was asked to prepare a report about changing the speed limit for transport traffic on Railway Ave. Council directed staff to proceed with purchasing 30km/h signage for transport trucks on Railway Ave.
- ⇒ Council will include painting parking stall lines on Railway Ave. as a budget item to discuss for the 2024 Budget
- ⇒ Greetings were sent to former Mayor Yamaguchi and former Deputy Mayor Imaizumi and congratulatory letters to new Mayor Kusano, Deputy Mayor Kawabata and new Bifuka School Board Superintendent Sugimoto

PETS IN HOT CARS

As we move into the hot summer months, it is important to remember our pets when you’re travelling around. If you absolutely cannot leave your pets at home (recommended), and it’s really hot out, then there is important information that the BCSPCA wants you to know. We have included this information on our Village of Ashcroft website as well as on our Facebook page. This information includes the do’s and don’ts when noticing a pet in a hot vehicle and contact information when reporting an incident.

Please visit this link on our website for more comprehensive information:

<https://ashcroftbc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/06/PETS-IN-HOT-CARS-INFO.pdf>



DOG LICENCE REMINDER

A friendly reminder that if you have not yet purchased your dog’s licence for 2023 to please do so. We have a significant amount of residents that have not yet done so.

Village of Ashcroft

Mayor and Council:

Mayor:

Barbara Roden

Councillors:

Jonah Anstett

Jessica Clement

Nadine Davenport

Doreen Lambert



Commit 2 Conserve

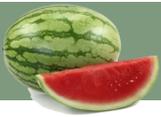
STAGE 1 WATER RESTRICTIONS

Even numbered houses should only water on even calendar days, odd numbered houses should only water on odd calendar days. Example, if you live at 248 Ashcroft Lane, you can water on the 2nd, 4th, 6th (and so on) of the month. Watering hours are 6am-9am & 8pm-11pm to conserve water and lower pressure on our water treatment plant.

Using water efficiently and responsibly means we can do more with it! There will be water available for recreation and our community will be better prepared for drought or a water shortage.

PLEASE BE WATER WISE!





2023 PROPERTY TAXES

The July 17 due date is quickly approaching for homeowners to pay their 2023 property taxes. You can pay at the Village Office by debit, cash or cheque, or through your online/phone banking.

Please remember to apply for your 2023 Home Owner Grant online, by phone or at Service BC to ensure you receive the correct grant! Information is on your property tax notice.



You must apply for the Home Owner Grant each year through the above noted channels. We can no longer process them at the Village Office.

Unpaid property taxes after July 17 will be subject to a 10% penalty.

DO WE HAVE YOUR CORRECT MAILING ADDRESS?

We have a number of Property Tax notices that were returned to us because of incorrect addresses. To ensure you receive all important mail from the Village, such as Property Taxes and Utilities please call or come by the Village Office to update your contact info with us. [Tel: 250-453-9161](tel:250-453-9161) or email: admin@ashcroftbc.ca

COURTNEY DASH

Courtney is our newest employee. She joins us as our front counter Receptionist. She comes to us with great customer service and office skills.

Courtney was born and raised in this area. She is thrilled to be working for the Village of Ashcroft greeting and assisting many familiar faces that walk through our doors!

Many of you have already had the pleasure of dealing with Courtney through phone inquiries and/or front counter services.

WELCOME TO THE TEAM!



Sundays: 8 am - 12 Noon
Heritage Park
680 Railway Avenue

WELCOME! Ashcroft's Newest Businesses of 2023

- Brazed HVAC**
- Front Room Studio Air BnB**
- GT Automotive**
- Heidi Alther Art**
- Iron Diesel Fabrication**
- Lovett Dance**
- Max and Bolt**
- Summerberry Bed and Breakfast**

New Ownership:
Ashcroft Bakery
Grand Central Café
Hillside Manor