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February came in like a lion with some cold weather and finally some snow. This should make for ideal conditions for the ski/snowshoe event taking place sometime on March 9 watch for details.

At this time I would like to give a call out for people to join our Nordegg Days planning group to incite new ideas or events to enhance our big day. With the help of everyone, we will have another fun and successful Nordegg Day this summer. Please contact Florrie Huckle, Cheryl Hobbs or myself for further information. A lot of this can be accomplished through e-mails, messages or by phone.

Our last info meeting in January was well received with Kurt Magnus, Katelyn Erickson and Theresa Laing sharing information relating to the County and how it affects the Nordegg area.

Sargeant Jay Penner from the RCMP in Rocky Mountain House gave a talk on crime in the area and explained the role that law enforcement plays in our area. He stated that Nordegg is one of the safest in the area overall for people to reside in. We are looking forward to another busy, productive and successful summer in Nordegg.

Remember:

NCA agenda and minutes can be found at:
<http://www.nordegg.ca/nca.html>

NCA memberships are \$10.00 per person per year and can be e-transferred to fhuckle@telus.net. Please include your name in the memo section of the e-transfer. Fees can also be mailed to: Nordegg Community Association, Box 98 Nordegg Alberta T0M2H0 or bring payment along to the monthly NCA meeting at the hall at 7:30 on the fourth Wednesday of each month.

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<https://www.facebook.com/NordeggEducation>

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If you would like to add a plank to the Discovery Park please contact us at nordeggeducation@gmail.com

Social Committee

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It was a wonderful New Years Eve celebration at the Community Hall again this year! Things started mid afternoon when we lit the fire pit and had lots of people enjoying the toboggan hill and the outdoor rink. There was an excellent turnout for shinny hockey - a fun and exciting game was enjoyed by young and old alike!

Dinner consisted of a delicious serving of pot luck dishes, plus smokies and s'mores at the fire pit :)and afterwards we had our "best ever" fireworks display! Between the fire pit and the music playing in the hall everybody stayed in the celebration mood and there was a fine crowd of friends and neighbours still around to ring in the New Year at midnight!

To have such a successful event, we have a long list of

Upcoming NCA social event

"Hostel to Hall Hike"
Saturday, March 9, 2019

Leaving the Hostel parking lot at 11AM

Snowshoe, ski or hike to the Community Hall
fire pit with smokies and hot chocolate
provided

Skating, tobogganing and then shinny hockey
at 2pm

Clearwater County Regional Fire Rescue will
be in attendance

Follow us on FB or Twitter for any changes
due to weather

people to thank..... starting with Raylene for all her help with the organizing; TomJ, Jason, Stu, Mike and Cody for the awesome rink preparation; Brent, TomD and Brad for all the firewood; Brent for manning the fire pit, being our designated driver and cleaning up the parking lot the next day; Clearwater Regional Fire Rescue Service Station 50 for their presence and their handouts; Nancy and Dennis for collecting the fireworks in Edmonton ; Allan and Debbie and also Nordegg Shell for the extra fireworks; TomJ and TomD for setting off the fireworks; COE for the use of their debit machine; Nordegg General Store for glow sticks and buns; WayneC for selling tickets and collecting donations; Raylene, WayneN, Jennifer, TomD, Tessa, Julie and Josh for being happy bartenders; Evan for making sure everyone had smokies and s'mores at the fire pit; Larry for donating his 50/50 winnings back to the NCA and to EVERYONE who attended, brought food and made donations.... THANK YOU SO MUCH! Here's to a happy, healthy and prosperous 2019

Nordegg Community Church Rich Hull

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The Nordegg Community church would like to invite you to join us Sunday mornings at 10:00 in the Nordegg historic church. We meet together to learn from the Holy Bible and worship together. Join us every 3rd Sunday of the month to share a meal together after the church service.

The Nordegg Community church wants to help the people of our community. If you have a need or know someone that dose, please call the church. Some examples of needs may be: needing firewood, meals or someone to talk to. Alternatively, I can

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Email wildernessdesign@gmail.com or
Contact Kerri@(403) 895-1479

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General Manager for the 2019 season.
Contact Stu Weidenhamer
at stuweid@gmail.com or
Florrie Huckle at fhuckle@telus.net

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³⁷Jesus replied: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.'

³⁸This is the first and greatest commandment. ³⁹And the second is like it: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' (Matthew 22:37-39 (NIV))

Culture and Recreation

Amanda Rodriguez

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For information call: 403 845-4444

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Health Services and Public Safety

Jason Millar

Remember

Contact 9-1-1 for police, fire, or ambulance.
Contact Health Link 8-1-1 for non-urgent general health questions.

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Environment and Recreation

Compiled by Jane Drummond

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Trails:

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Fish and Wildlife:

Aaron Archibald

District Fish and Wildlife Officer

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To report a poacher or land use violations use:

Remember:

Report-A-Poacher hotline @ 1-800-642-3800.

Wildfire Information:

Barry Shellian RPFT

Wildfire Information Officer

email: Barry.Shellian@gov.ab.ca

<http://srd.web.alberta.ca/rocky-mountain-house-area-update>

Fire and Safety Services

David Hadley, Assistant Chief, CRFRS

Nick Frank, Lieutenant, Station 50

Remember:

If you spot a wildfire, call 310-FIRE(3473)

For other fires call 911



Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) and grass fires

Alberta's Wildfire Season is starting on March 1. The Office of the Fire Commissioner, municipalities and fire departments across Alberta, Alberta Agriculture and Forestry, and Alberta FireSmart are all working to help raise awareness about wildfire - Wildland Urban Interface (WUI) and grass fires. During the 2017 fire season the Alberta government responded to 1,231 wildfires that burned more than 49,134 hectares.

Preparing for the threat of wildfire is a shared responsibility. You can do your part:

Dispose of debris and lawn clippings quickly to reduce fuel for fire. Don't let them linger.

Clear leaves and other vegetative debris from roofs, gutters, porches and decks. This helps prevent embers from igniting your home.

Remove dead vegetation and other items from under your deck or porch, and within 10 feet of the house.

Remove flammable materials (wood piles, propane tanks) within 30 feet of your home's foundation and outbuildings, including garages and sheds. If it can catch fire, don't let it touch your house, deck or porch.

Prune trees so the lowest branches are 6 to 10 feet from the ground. Wildfire can spread to treetops.

Recruitment at Clearwater Fire and Rescue Services

<http://www.clearwatercounty.ca/m/clearwater-regional-fire-rescue-services/recruitment>

Step 1 – Application February 14 – March 7, 2019



Celebrating Community Supporters

2018 Awards to Members of Nordegg Station50

Jason Ariano – One Year of Service

Mike Benum – One Year of Service

Nick Frank – Three Years of Service

Marla Zapach – Five Years of Service

Bob Jablonski – Seven Years of Service

Scott Sheldrake – Ten Years of Service

NORDEGG CROSS COUNTRY SKI TRAILS

A big thank you to Stu Weidenhamer, Tom Jordan and Bob Mullen for all their work on the cross-country ski trails here in Nordegg this winter!

They have provided two groomed trails for our skiing pleasure: a 5 kms trail leaves the Hostel and goes through the Shunda Creek Meadow; and a 3 kms trail goes around the Golf Course.

The trails are wide enough to accommodate both skiers and snowshoers/walkers, side by side! But is OFF LIMITS to snow machines.

Please respect the signage!!!!!!

AND the outdoor rink is up and running. If the ice has just been flooded, please wait a little while before using it!

The picnic tables on the stage are a comfortable changing area, out of the elements!

Thank you, in advance, for cleaning the ice.

Continuing thanks to TomJ, Jason, Stu, Mike and Cody