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TOWN OF SLAVE LAKE Downtown Upgrade Project

The Town of Slave Lake will be hosting a **Public Information session on March 17th** in Council Chambers at the Town Office.

The session will identify proposed improvements to the downtown core.
The Town is seeking input from all interested residents.

Please call **780-849-8000** and ask for **Rebecca Rose** for more info.

The following permit(s) have been approved by the Municipal Planning Commission of the Town of Slave Lake in which the provisions of the Land Use Bylaw were varied; allowed for a discretionary use; or a development was approved within a direct control district:

DPA #07.02.10	DPA #11.02.10
Tri-Dimensional Fitness Discretionary Use	Olsen Electric Services
Personal Trainer	Variance to Rear Yard
Home Based Business Type "E"	Shop Addition
Approved	Approved

If you or any group of citizens are in opposition with the proposed development(s), you may submit an appeal in writing, with the attached fee prescribed by Council, by **4:30 PM on Thurs., March 18, 2010** addressed to the **Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board**.

Written submissions must be received via registered mail or delivered in person to the Town Office. Please note a \$300.00 Appeal Fee is required to process any submitted appeal against these developments.

For more information, please contact:

Connie Sloan, Development Services
 780-849-8000, Ext 122
 Town of Slave Lake, P.O. Box 1030
 10 Main Street SW, Slave Lake, Alberta T0G 2A0

Do your Part





Help the environment by purchasing a composter and rain barrel from the Town of Slave Lake. Composters are \$45.15 (GST included) and rain barrels are \$53.15 (GST included). Composters are excellent for gardening, and cutting down on organic waste. Rain barrels aid in water conservation and water collected in them can be used to water plants and shrubs. For more info. on these items you can call the town office at **780-849-8000**.

Northern Lights Aquatic Centre

Swimming Lesson Registration for April May and June Starts the morning of March 15 at the Northern Lights Aquatic Centre

The Canadian Red Cross educates and trains Canadians in water safety. The programs of Water Safety Services include swimming and water safety lessons for all abilities (Preschool, Swimkids, AquaAdult) for infants and parents, toddlers, children, teens and adults, as well as leadership training program for Instructors (Assistant Water Safety Instructor and Water Safety Instructor). The swim program begins with Preschool Swimkids (Parents & Tots – 6 months to 6 yrs) and progresses through 10 Swimkids levels of lessons. Each level includes swimming strokes, skills and safety components. Participants are taught to Prepare! Stay Safe! and Survive!

The Life Saving Society prevents drowning and water related incidents for all Canadians by providing: Leadership and Public Education focusing on Water Proficiency, First Aid, and Recognition and Rescue. Our programs include: Swim for Life, Canadian Swim Patrol, Junior Lifeguard Club, the Bronze Family of Awards, and National Lifeguard Service.

TOWN OF SLAVE LAKE LIFEGUARD and/or INSTRUCTORS

The Town of Slave Lake is currently seeking mature individuals interested in possibly becoming a Lifeguard or Instructor with the Northern Lights Aquatic Centre (NLAC).

- Are you an individual who loves being with people and working with kids?
- Do you sometimes wish there was something you could do for 10 to 15 hours a week more?
- Are you a student, parent or grandparent who just wants to be involved in the community?

This opportunity is for you!

Working under the general direction of the Aquatic Supervisor, the team member will provide constant safety supervision, instruct a wide variety of aquatic programs, organize and participate in special events, complete various documentation, assist on the mechanical operation of the filter room and balance water chemistry, assist in the daily cleanliness of the facility.

A lifeguard must possess, or be willing to obtain, the following:
 NLS, WSI, AEC or Standard First Aid, CPR Level C, Life Saving Instructor would be an asset.

Instructors must possess, or be willing to obtain, the following:
 AEC or Standard First Aid, WSI, CPR Level C, Life Saving Instructor

We are willing to train!

To view a complete job description, please go to the Town's website at www.slavelake.ca. For more information call Melany or Gina, at 780-849-8000.

Send your resume to: Town of Slave Lake, Human Resource Department, 10 Main Street S.W., P.O. Box 1030, Slave Lake, Alberta T0G 2A0
Fax: (780) 849-5878 E-mail: hr@slavelake.ca

Please indicate on your resume what position you are applying for.

We thank all applicants for their interest; only candidates invited for interviews will be contacted.

PLANNING TALK – DEVELOPMENT PERMITS

WHAT IS A DEVELOPMENT PERMIT?

The Town issues a development permit for most proposed developments including: new buildings, additions, replacement or repair of existing buildings; change in use or change in intensity of use, of land or buildings; excavation or stockpiling of soil; grading and clearing; logging operations; signage on buildings or private land. The Land Use Bylaw (LUB) outlines the types of development allowed in each land use district, the rules and regulations governing those uses, and smaller developments that do not need a development permit.

HOW TO YOU GET A DEVELOPMENT PERMIT?

Application Submitted	Review Application	Report Written if Discretionary Use	Development Authority Decision
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WHO NEEDS A DEVELOPMENT PERMIT?
 Any landowner, resident or business owner who is going to take on a development needs a development permit.

WHY A DEVELOPMENT PERMIT?
 A development permit ensures the development meets all regulations and rules outlined by the Town, and informs residents of what can and cannot be developed. The LUB also outlines types of development that do not need a development permit.

A **PERMITTED USE** is any use allowed in a land use district and subject to the rules and regulations applicable to that district. There is no public consultation for permitted uses, and no appeals can be made, except on a condition of a development permit approval.

A **DISCRETIONARY USE** is a use that may be allowed in a land use district and is subject to the rules and regulations applicable to that district. It is also subject to review by the Municipal Planning Commission to determine if the proposed use is compatible with others in that location and will not adversely affect the area. Such uses may not be approved. They may require some public consultation and the decisions on discretionary uses may be appealed by the applicant, landowner or a resident.



The Arena Fundraising Committee would like to recognize and thank the following community minded businesses for their support of our fundraising events in 2009.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ~ Rob Waters - Old Dutch ~ Business Factory ~ Moonlite Scaffolding Inc. ~ Slave Safety Supply ~ Canadian Tire - J&K Gamble Enterprizes Ltd. ~ Max Fuels ~ Timberland Home Hardware ~ Widewater Demo Derby ~ Slave Lake & District Chamber of Commerce ~ Slave Lake Hotshot ~ T-J Three Ltd. ~ Exact Oilfield Developing Ltd. ~ Direct Current ~ Connie Joe's Framing ~ Trimline ~ Slave Lake Communications ~ Ener-Flex ~ Eco-Max ~ Fountain Tire 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ~ Big Lakes Dodge ~ Shoppers Drug Mart ~ JL Filtration ~ True-Value ~ SL Ford ~ Mark's Work Warehouse ~ SLH ~ Distractions ~ Slave Lake Specialties ~ Astrum Fitness ~ Eagle Tech ~ ATCA Electric ~ Nabors Drilling ~ The Source ~ EPR Gordan Ferguson ~ Sobey's ~ Slave Lake Dental Clinic ~ Associated Medical Clinic ~ Apex Valve ~ Whitecap Motors ~ Great Escapes Travel
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So far we have raised a total of \$80,000 towards our \$1 Million goal and are looking forward to many more successful events in 2010. Once again, thank you to our event sponsors and the community of Slave Lake and surrounding area for supporting our cause!!!