

COUNCILLOR'S CORNER



February is one of my favorite months in our community. We get to celebrate Family Day together at Winterfest on February 17. Make sure you to check out the events calendar at blackfalds.com/events for all the activities.

It's that time of year again! It's time to nominate our hardworking volunteers in our community. As a volunteer, it feels so great to be recognized and appreciated, and the Town of Blackfalds

has two amazing volunteer nights planned for our volunteers on April 23 (Volunteer Appreciation Event) and May 7 (Youth Recognition Night). I encourage you to nominate any adult or youth volunteer in our community. We have many volunteers that need to be recognized including: coaches for our sports teams, leaders in our service groups (such as Girl Guides, Boys Scouts, Optimist Club), parent or community volunteers in our schools (School Council and Fundraising Groups included), Dual Ice Development Society, Friends of the Library, and the list goes on and on for our wonderful non-profit group volunteers.

Our community has some amazing construction projects starting this year which could not be possible with the support of our non-profit groups. On behalf of our community I want to thank them for all their hard work. We have the new inclusive playground on Vista Trail being built by the Optimist Club, which should be opened in May (weather permitting). We also have the new playground at Iron Ridge Elementary School that is going to be built in June by Friends of Iron Ridge Elementary Society. We also have the Dual Ice Development Society and Friends of the Library fundraising to help meet their goals for the new arena and the new library in 2021.

We have so many volunteers in our community to be thankful for, so again I encourage you to take a few minutes and fill out a nomination form, which is available on the town website. <https://www.blackfalds.com/living-here/family-community-support-services/volunteer-services-recognition> If you have any questions or need help please contact the FCSS Volunteer Coordinator at 403-885-6360.

Have a great February!

Laura Svab

Laura Svab, Councillor



February 2020

UPCOMING COUNCIL MEETINGS:

Regular Meetings

February 25 | 7:00 p.m.

March 10 | 7:00 p.m.

Standing Committee

March 16 | 7:00 p.m.

Members of the public are encouraged to attend.

Regular Council meetings (RCC) are held on the second and fourth Tuesday every month.

Standing Committee meetings (SCC) are held the third Monday each month.

*All meetings are held in Council Chambers
Civic & Culture Centre
5018 Waghorn St.*



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