

Carman Fall Newsletter



The Council of the Town of Carman would like to thank

Vanderveens' Greenhouses Ltd.

A huge thank you for your generous donation of plants and your expertise in planting and care for the hanging flower baskets that beautify our business section, park and entrances to Carman. Your generosity is appreciated and enjoyed by the entire community and those visiting!

Council would also like to extend a special thanks to Les and Kelvin for your daily monitoring of the hanging baskets. It is through your dedication and commitment to detail that has made our hanging baskets exceptional this year!

Thank you...Thank you...Thank you...

Town of Carman Holiday Hours

October 8, 2018
Closed

December 24, 2018
8:30am – 12:00pm

December 25, 2018
Closed

December 26, 2018
Closed

December 31, 2018
8:30am – 3:00pm

Happy
Thanksgiving from
the Town of Carman
Council & Staff!!

Brent Owen

has been elected by acclamation to the office of Mayor for the Town of Carman for the 2018 to 2022 term.

There are eight candidates running for one of six council seats in this election.



Municipal Election Dates to Remember

October 4, 2018 – Advanced Polls. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Town Office, 12 -2nd Ave. SW.

October 9, 2018– Chamber of Commerce Election Forum. 7:00pm. Carman Collegiate Community Theater

October 16, 2018– Advanced Polls. 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Town Office, 12 -2nd Ave. SW.

October 24, 2018 – Election Day 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Carman Community Hall, 60 1st Ave. NW, Carman.

October 25, 2018– Official Election results announced by 12:00 p.m.

Transfer Station Winter Hours:

October 1st to March 31st.
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
1:00pm – 4:00pm
Tuesday and Thursday
Closed
Saturday
11:00am – 4:00pm





Have your fridge hauled away for free and get \$50 Freezers too!

Register today.



Manitoba Hydro's Refrigerator Retirement Program provides an easy, efficient and environmentally responsible way of getting rid of your old working second fridge or freezer. You can get your appliance picked up for free, receive \$50 for each one, and realize energy savings of up to \$100 per year. The program ensures the unit is recycled in the most environmentally responsible way, reducing the waste that ends up in our landfills.

[Find out if you qualify and book your pick-up today.](https://www.recycle4u.net/weborder/rebatex.aspx?ProgramID=121)

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2018 Eco Summer Winners

The Town of Carman held another successful Eco Summer Event. Staff members collected used oil, filters, antifreeze and containers throughout the summer. Every person that recycled this material over the summer was entered into draw for a 5-litre jug of oil.

Congratulations to the following winners:

Ed Isaak

Mark Vanderveen

Joanne Scott

Krista Smith

Curtis Plaitin

Martin Beichter

Congratulations

You Have the Power to Give Life

Canadian Blood Services has upcoming clinics at the Carman Community Hall

Come out and Help make a Difference Friday, November 16, 2018

Donors can book appointments online at www.blood.ca

Or by calling 1 888 2DONATE



Winter Is Coming...

Winter is just around the corner, and we would just like to remind residents, the Town of Carman strives to plow and sand all the roads in a timely manner; however we do follow a priority sequence when plowing.

The first priority is given to Police, Fire, and Emergency vehicles. We also ensure that the "on-call" Doctor is able to get to the hospital if there is an emergency.

The downtown is next, usually completed before businesses open in the morning.

Once this is complete, the crews move to the residential areas, starting with the avenues and moving to the streets next. Roads are cleared and driveways are opened. This is done on a rotating basis so that no particular area is always first. Finally, back lanes will be cleaned.

Driveways

Remember when shoveling your driveway, to pile the snow to the side of the yard and not onto the street.

Sidewalks and Walkways

Business owners are expected to clear the full width of the sidewalk down to bare concrete in front of their business

Please be patient, they will get to your street as soon as possible.

Tree Planting

Public Works staff will be busy planting boulevard trees.

Town of Carman has purchased 5 Courageous Crab, 5 Japanese Lilac, 5 Linden Green spire and 5 Elm Night rider trees to replace the dead or fallen ones.



Remember that school is now in session—watch out for children crossing the road and slowdown in school zones.

PLANNING DISTRICT

A building permit is required for building renovations over \$20,000 and for any new residential or commercial buildings, garages, accessory buildings over 120 square feet, additions, decks, swimming pools or signs. Any structural renovations require a permit no matter what the value is. A demolition permit is required for demolition of any building, structure or part thereof.

A moving permit is required if you are relocating any structure. The homeowner or contractor must contact the Carman-Dufferin Planning District Office at least two weeks before any work begins. Please check with our office for more information on this or any other building related question at:

204-745-2443 or
planning@townofcarman.com

Pay Your Property Taxes and Utility Bills Online

Pay from the comfort of your home! Check out the online options available at your financial institution. Simply search for "Carman MB" in the list of payees available on your financial institution's website. Select either your taxes or utility. Your account number is in the top right hand corner of your bill. If you require more numbers to your account, add the zero's in the front. Do not enter the decimal and number behind it.

Pre-Authorized Payment Plan

No More Late Fees!

Avoid the hassle of paying your taxes and utilities and sign up for the Town of Carman preauthorized plan.

Utilities – How it Works Payment is automatically withdrawn from your account on the due date.

Taxes – How it Works No fees - Your equal monthly payments are automatically withdrawn from your account on the last business day of each month.

Come into the office and sign up today!!

What Have You Recycled Today?

Paper items may be placed in a clear or blue bag to prevent them from getting wet.

- Newspapers & Flyers
- Boxboards (eg. Cereal Boxes)
- Residential Corrugated Cardboard

Please Rinse Clean and Remove Lids & Labels on These Items:

- Aluminum Cans
- Steel Cans
- Glass –Please no broken glass



Please note: Unfortunately not everything can be recycled!

Children's Toys, Styrofoam, milk caps, pop bottle caps, juice boxes, Tupperware, hard plastic, flimsy plastic and plastic bags. These items cannot be recycled and should be discarded with your household garbage.

Blue boxes may be purchased from the Town of Carman office for \$11.00 each.

Remember to separate all recycled items for easy curbside pick-up by the Town of Carman staff. Staff will pick up recycling **ONLY** if it has been sorted!

LOOK. LISTEN. LEARN.

Be aware.
Fire can happen anywhere.™

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK: OCTOBER 7-13, 2018

firepreventionweek.org



Don't forget to check the batteries in your smoke detector when you change the clocks back on Sunday, November 4, 2018!

Carman-Dufferin Recreation

Adult Cooking Class Asian Cuisine

with Rita Bisht
Carman Community Hall
Dates: Oct 16, Oct 30, Nov 13, Nov 27.
Tuesday Evenings
Time: 6:00pm-9:00pm
Cost: \$120.00 for the 4 classes

Goalie Clinics

Carman Dufferin Arena
Starts Oct 22, 2018
Monday Evenings
6:30pm-7:30pm
Novice Major/Atom/
Pee Wee



THE RINK – Power Skating

Carman Dufferin Arena
Starts Oct 23, 2018
Tuesday Evenings
6:00pm-6:45pm – Novice
7:00pm-7:45pm – Atom
8:00pm-8:45pm – Pee Wee/Bantam



Register online at <http://carmandufferinrec.maxgalaxycanada.net/BrowseActivities.aspx>

Hall Walking

Starting November 5th
Monday - Thursday
9:30am - 11:00am
Carman Community Hall



Pickle Ball

Thursday Evenings
Starting Sept 20, 2018
Time: 6:30pm-8:30pm
Drop in fee of \$2.00
Call the office for info at
204-745-2684
Drop Ins



Self Defense & Boxing

Instructions with Dr. Chuck Williams
Monday Evenings
10 week session
Starts Sept 10th

Drop in fee of \$20.00



A Great Big Thank You!!!

THANKS!



Janzen GMC Pontiac

For donating 19 Hockey sticks to the day camp. They really enjoyed using them this summer.



Homestead Co-op

For painting the washrooms at the Campground before the season started.

Carman Dufferin Pool

We had a successful season at the pool.
Great management and staff.
Swimming lessons registrations of P&T, Preschool, Level 1-10, Bronze Cross, Bronze Medallion and Adult Swim lessons had a lot of registrants with a total of 1019.
The numbers have been rising each year.

Crop Production Services - Carman

For donating fertilizer for the soccer fields this spring.

Public Skating

Starting October 22, 2018
Monday - Friday
9am - 11:30am
Carman Arena B Side ice surface



Babysitter's Course

Kinsmen Room at the Arena
Date: Saturday Oct 13, 2018
Time: 10:00-4:00pm
Cost: \$60.00
Registration is online.
<http://carmandufferinrec.maxgalaxycanada.net/BrowseActivities.aspx>