

TOWN OF KYLE

February 2017 Newsletter

TOWN OFFICE RENOVATIONS:

The Town Office is undergoing some much needed renovations and upgrades. The Power meter and the electrical panel were recently upgraded and are now to code. The interior vestibule glass door broke several weeks ago and it was discovered at that time that it was made from plate glass. This is not acceptable in a commercial building so the door was replaced with tempered glass and the remaining north glass wall will be replaced with tempered glass and the west glass wall will be replaced with a 2 x 4 stud wall.

SPORTS CENTRE ROOF REPAIR:

This project is now moving forward following the approval of the Recreation Board, the Town of Kyle and the RM of Lacadena. This \$450,000 project will build a new roofing system over top of the existing roof to extend the life of the building by approximately 45 years. Con-Tech general contractors are scheduled to start the construction the end of February, 2017.

The Town of Kyle and RM of Lacadena have both donated \$50,000 to this project. The Town of Kyle is loaning the project \$100,000 from a reserve fund and has applied for a \$250,000 loan so the project can be completed this spring. Ongoing fundraisers will be held to pay down the loan for this project.

The Town of Kyle is accepting donations for this roof repair project and will issue tax deductible receipts for any personal donations. General receipts will be issued for any business donations.

2017 BUSINESS LICENSE:

Business licenses have been a requirement by bylaw for the Town from at least 1982. Council has approved an updated business license bylaw and it will be posted on the website as well as copies can be picked up at the town office. Any person operating a business that is not run from commercial property for that express business is required to purchase an annual business license. The price varies from \$50 to \$100 per year.

An application needs to be filled out and it is the business owners responsibly to be aware of the new bylaw. If you are hiring contractors from out of town, they need to have a Town of Kyle business license. See reverse side.

WATER AND SEWER UTILITY:

Please note that there is now an overdue interest charge for water and sewer bills.

KYLE COMMUNITY HANDIVAN:

As of January 1, 2017 the process for booking the Handivan has changed. To book the Handivan please call the Town Office at 375-2525. All invoicing and payments for the Handivan will be through the Town Office. SGI licensing regulations have changed and there are new regulations that we must follow. If you are a driver currently on our approved drivers list you will be getting an information letter. If you are not, but would like to be a volunteer driver, please stop in at the Town office for the forms.

CARDBOARD – From residences is not part of the regular garbage pickup. Please take it to the recycle centre cardboard bins. If your cardboard is too big for the bins please call the office and we will ask public works to take the load inside the building.

