

# Glenwood Neighbourly News

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Life in Your Neighbourhood

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## Federal Election

October 14th Canadians are going to the polls. A short personal profile of each of the candidates in the Macleod Riding follows. More complete information is found on the web.

**Stan Knowlton** - New Democratic Party of Canada has a B.Sc. in geography. Master's degree in Native American studies at the University of Lethbridge. He is currently a board member of a local investment company, education contractor and pursuing an academic career around the cultural landscape of Southern Alberta. He sits as a member of the Canadian Commission for UNESCO.

**Jared McCollum** - Green Party of Canada. He is a Dr. of acupuncture and Chinese medicine. He has been practising for five years and is currently completing training in Chinese gynecology. He is a member of the family & communities services committee for Okotoks, Alta. In the last 12 years has volunteered over 50,000 hours in service to his community as an educator, coach, committee member and missionary.

**Ted Menzies** - Conservative Party of Canada. Mr. Menzies is a farmer near Claresholm. He is a member of the Alberta Agri. Financial Services Corp. Appeal Board, and was president of the Claresholm Lions Club. Nationally, is president of the Western Canadian Wheat Growers Association, as well as on the board of directors for the National Safety Nets advisory Committee and president of the Canadian Agri-Food Alliance (CAFTA).

**Isabel Paynter** - Liberal Party of Canada. Ms. Paynter has a diploma from the Prince Edward Island Central School of Nursing Assistants and completed specialized training towards the registered nurse program. She has volunteered with the Canadian Mental Health Association, the Canadian Cancer Society, the Multiple Sclerosis Society and the Sheppard Family Historic Park.

**Marc Slingerland** - Christian Heritage Party of Canada. Mr. Slingerland has a B.Sc. and a B.Ed. He is a graduate student science at the U of L. He has been a school teacher and research assistant in the department of chemistry and biology at the U of L. He sits on the U of L graduate students' executive. Secretary of the Lethbridge NRC Choir "Praise the Lord." Member of the Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps.

## Thank You

Submitted by Barb Michel, Deputy Mayor

I would like to thank the residents of the Village for their outstanding job in tidying up the Village this past summer. How awesome it looks with those old trees cut down and moved out.

A visitor in town commented to me how neat and tidy Glenwood was looking. I thanked him, and told him that I would pass it on to those responsible. You only have once to make a good "first impression". And thanks again to the Welch family for keeping the flowers looking good along Main and Center. So THANK YOU everyone! Barb Michel, Deputy Mayor

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## Animal By-Law Officer

Peter Oursien has been hired by the Village to be the Animal Control By-Law Officer. He will be watching for dogs without tags, and picking up any dogs he may find running loose. If you haven't licensed your dog yet, please do so at the Village Office. For more information about the animal by-law contact the Village Office.

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## Stay and Play

The Cardston Parent Link Center has brought the Stay and Play Program to Glenwood. Children ages 0-5 and their care givers are invited to attend the Stay and Play Program every Wednesday from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m. in the Community Hall. The first hour is a play time for the children and visiting for the adults. The second hour consists of snacks, games, music and story time all provided by a representative from the Parent Link Center. All children from the Glenwood, Hill Spring and Mt. View are invited and encouraged to attend. Getting out and associating with others helps develop social skills in children and gives care-givers a chance to visit with others.

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## Thank You

The Village would like to thank all the youth that worked for the Village this summer. They appreciate having a list of youth that they could call on to help with jobs around the community.

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Fish don't brag about the size of fishermen they get away from.

## October at the Glenwood School

The little ghosts and goblins are keeping busy at the Glenwood School with many activities leading up to Halloween.

The school will be holding its annual fall Book Fare that will take place on October 16th, 17th, and 20th. This is a great chance to pick up some books for the members of your family. All proceeds from the Book Fare go to supply the school library with books. Books make great Christmas gifts too. The Book Fair will be open during school hours.

The Jr. High Student Council will be traveling to Badger Valley on the 9th for a Leadership Training Camp. There they will meet with other Jr. High councils from the Westwind School Division. In these training sessions the students are taught effective leadership skills that they can then take back into their schools and implement in their student councils.

School pictures will be taken on Wednesday, October 15th. If you have younger children who are not in school and you would like their pictures taken too, you are welcome to bring them to the school. Call the school for the time to bring your children.

As Halloween approaches it is time for the annual Pumpkin Race. The students will be running a designated course through town. Each student will have to estimate how long it will take her/him to run or walk the course. Two students from each grade who are closest to their estimated time will win a pumpkin. The race will take place on the morning of October 28th. If you are driving around the village on that day please use extra caution around the students.

Carved pumpkins can be brought to the school on October 31st and entered into the pumpkin carving contest. Also on Halloween Day the halls will be filled with Halloween creatures as they party and get ready for the big night. Happy Halloween from the Glenwood School.

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## Aged Cheese Club

The Aged Cheese Club will be the guest of the Hill Spring Seniors on October 27th. Meet at the Hill Spring Community Hall at 1:00 p.m. The meal will be provided.

For November, the Aged Cheese Club will be attending the Great Canadian Barn Dance for their Christmas Social. Come and enjoy dinner, entertainment and dancing. The cost is \$1.00 per person for members of the Aged Cheese Club.

## 10K Run/5K Walk Results and Thank You

Submitted by Catherine Yaremchuk, Race Organizer

Men's Division:

First Place - Scott Sommerfelt, Glenwood

Second Place - Casey Thomas, Glenwood

Third Place - Paul Clark, Glenwood

Women's Division:

First Place - Leona Pharis, Lumbrick

Second Place - Dominique Chandler, Glenwood

Third Place - Janet Edwards, Glenwood

I would personally like to thank all the participants in both the run and walk for their support in this event.

THANK YOU to all our Sponsors who were so generous,

- Greg Butler and Saputo Foods for providing the T-Shirts

- Van Dan's Store for their wonderful paper race bags

- Wal-Mart - Pincher Creek

- Co-Op in Pincher Creek, who even sent out their mascot

- Sobey's - Pincher Creek

- IGA in Cardston and Fort MacLeod

- Extra Foods in Cardston & Fort MacLeod

- Glenwood School for the use of their equipment

I would also like to thank those who gave so kindly for the draw prizes.

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Dollar Store - Cardston

Co-Op - Pincher Creek

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Saputo Foods, Glenwood

Don Fleming & Donna Wyant, Glenwood

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank all our wonderful volunteers who gave so freely of their time. It would not have been possible without you.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Catherine Yaremchuk, Race Organizer

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## Car Warning

A husband, the owner of a new car, was somewhat reluctant to allow his wife to drive his prize possession, even to the grocery store, which was a few blocks from the house.

After she insisted, he finally relented, cautioning her as she departed, "Remember, if you have an accident, the newspaper will print your age."

## Halloween Carnival

The Glenwood Ward is holding a Halloween Carnival is on Wednesday, October 29, 2008 in the church gym, from 6:30-7:30. There will be games and activities for children up to and including 11 years old. There will be treats as well. Parents are welcome to come and stay with their child.

### Relief Society Enrichment Activities

Relief Society Enrichments groups are beginning again. There will be three groups offered this fall.

**Book Group** - This group will be reading and discussing a variety of books and will be led by Colleen Smith. Contact Colleen at 403-626-3362 if you would like to join this group.

**Scrap and Chat** - Come and scrapbook with others who enjoy scrapbooking. Contact Sandy Lybbert at 403-626-3342 to sign up for this group.

**Tole Painting** - Contact Kathy Thomas if you are interested in tole painting. This group will be meeting on Thursday, October 16th at 7:00 at Kathy Thomas'. Bring your own project or if you would like to purchase a Welcome Bear kit contact Kathy. The cost of the kit is \$20.00.

On October 21st at 7:00 at the Glenwood LDS Church, Launa Porter will be making a presentation on "The Women of Nigeria." Launa has recently returned from Nigeria and will present insights into the lives of the women who make Nigeria their home. All women 18 and older are invited to attend.

### 4th Annual Christmas In Glenwood Craft Fair

The 4th annual Christmas in Glenwood Craft Fair will be held on Saturday, December 13th in the Community Hall. If you are interested in having a table at the Craft Fair or would like more information contact Tina Lybbert at 403-626-3131

### Fall Fabric Sale

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**Sat. Oct. 18 10 am – 5 pm**

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at the Myrna Layton home.**

## Community Calendar

- October 9 & 10 – Jr. High Student Council Retreat  
October 13th – Thanksgiving Day – No School.  
October 14th - Election Day.  
October 15th – Picture Day at the Glenwood School.  
October 16th, 17th and 20th – Glenwood School Book Fair in the library.  
October 17th - Library Movie Night 7:00 in the Community Hall.  
October 21st - Relief Society Enrichment Activity "The Women of Nigeria" 7:00 at the Glenwood LDS Church.  
October 23rd - Jr. High Volleyball.  
October 24th - Youth Dance 9:00 p.m. at the Cardston Alberta Stake Center.  
October 27th - Aged Cheese Club Dinner 1:00 p.m. at the Hill Spring Community Hall.  
October 28th – Pumpkin Race – 11:00 am.  
October 29th - Halloween Carnival 6:30 at the Glenwood LDS Church.  
October 31 –Glenwood School Halloween Activities – Costumes donned after lunch, Costume Parade and Parties to follow.  
October 31st - Halloween

### Neighbourly News Submissions

Submissions to the Neighbourly News are welcomed and appreciated. Please include your name with your submission. You may e-mail your submission to [katkelthomas@gmail.com](mailto:katkelthomas@gmail.com). You may also phone Kathy Thomas at 626-3602 with your information. **The deadline for submissions is the 26th day of each month. Any submissions received after the 26th will be placed in the next edition.**

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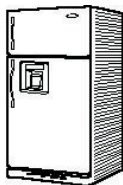
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## Glenwood Library News

### October, 2008

#### **Life at the Library:**

For the first time in a long time, the Glenwood Library Board met at the beginning of September without the participation, advice and support of Bonnie Law, who has recently moved from Glenwood to Cardston.

Bonnie was instrumental in organizing a library for our community and served as our first librarian. She has been a member of the Glenwood Library Board for most of its existence and served as a member of the Board for the Chinook Arch Library System. Bonnie also championed the Library Board while she was the Glenwood village administrator, and she has helped with the library's expansion and renovations. We'd like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude and our best wishes for the future, on behalf of the Library Board, all its members and patrons, and the Village as a whole. **Thank You Bonnie!**

Our Summer Sidewalk Sale that was held during Glenwood Days earned some extra money for the library's services and we'd like to thank everyone who donated items or baked and came out to buy. We'd also like to send a special thank you to the staff of the Pioneer Parlour, who helped us sell more than \$800 worth of the Glenwood Community Cookbooks. Copies of the new printings are going fast, so if you want these excellent recipes for yourself or as gifts, drop in to the Library and get your copies now.

#### **Family Night at the Movies**

Come join us for our FREE movie held on October 17th at 7:00 pm at the Community Hall in Glenwood. Concessions will be available for sale. We will be playing *The Spiderwick Chronicles*. From the moment the Grace family moves into a secluded old house, strange things start to happen. As Jared investigates, he discovers Arthur Spiderwick's Field Guide and the unbelievable truth of the Spiderwick Estate: a secret world with fantastical creatures hides within our own! Now Jared, his sister and his twin brother are pulled into an unforgettable adventure as they try to protect the secrets of the book. Based on the beloved series of best-selling books by Tony DiTerlizzi and Holly Black and filled with non-stop action. *The Spiderwick Chronicles* is "a terrific fantasy for all ages!" Rated PG

#### **Good Reading**

If you haven't caught up with writer Stephenie Meyer, Hallowe'en might be a good time to do so. The latest book in her popular "Twilight" series – *Midnight Sun* – is now on the shelves of local bookstores and a feature-length movie of her first book, *Twilight*, is scheduled for release this November. The series is the story of a girl who falls in love with a vampire, though it's not the scary kind of thing you might expect from the subject matter.

Meyer graduated from Brigham Young University with a bachelor's degree in English and now lives with her husband and three young sons in Phoenix, Arizona. After the publication of her first novel, *Twilight*, booksellers chose Stephenie Meyer as one of the "most promising new authors of 2005" (*Publishers Weekly*). *Twilight* has also been honored by the New York Times as an Editor's Choice, by *Publishers Weekly* as Best Book of the Year, by the American Library Association as one of the Ten Best Books for Young Adults, and Amazon.com has named it "Best Book of the Decade... So Far." It has also been translated into 20 languages. Other books in the Twilight Saga include *New Moon*, *Eclipse*, and *Breaking Dawn* and Meyer has also written a science fiction novel, *The Host*, which was published last May. Several of her books and sound recordings are in the collections of Chinook Arch member libraries.

Thanks to Atco Gas, the Glenwood Library now has a new copy of Dr. Alex Johnston's book on the High Level Bridge. Originally published in 1977, this little book has had seven printings and has now been re-published in a revised edition by the Lethbridge Historical Society. Dr. Johnston was a range management scientist at the Agricultural Centre in Lethbridge for many years, and was also a historian, particularly interested in the settlement of southern Alberta. Before his death in 1989, he authored or co-authored 65 publications and more than 100 articles on such diverse subjects as the boats and barges on the Belly River, Lethbridge's medical doctors and dentists, place names, and the coal industry. His writing is clear, succinct and well-researched. At only 48 pages, with excellent illustrations, the book contains everything you ever wanted to know about this area landmark.