

## Postcard to Christmas Huge Success

The Redwater & District Chamber of Commerce's Shop Local Promotion, Postcard to Christmas was a huge success this past December.

With the recent downturn in the Alberta economy, many Chambers across the Province and Country were coming up with different ways to promote shopping local. Our Chamber decided to revitalize the successful Postcard to Christmas held many years ago.

Participating Businesses were: Ahti's, Biddiscombe Glassworks, Burger Baron, Fas Gas, The Hairport, Home Hardware, IGA, Jade's Spa, Kicks Cantina, Liquor Station, Liquor Stop N Shop, Noreen's Attic, Northstar Kennels, Ochre Park Petro Can, Paradise Inn & Suites, R & M Liquor, Rainbow Restraunt, Redwater Auto Parts, Red Apple Store, Redwater Dodge, Redwater Napa, Satellite News & Confectionary, Shane's Pharmacy, Side Track Garage, Subway, Sue's Treasures, Time Out Sports Lounge, Wash Tub & Tailor, Yum Yum's.

Grand Prize Draw of \$ 500 was in partnership with the Chamber & Redwater Economic Development. Winner of the Grand Prize was Karen Romanchuk of Redwater & Runner Up Prize winner of a one night stay at the Paradise Inn & Suites, 2 Large Pizza's from Burger Baron, Facial from Jades Spa, Gift Certificate from Liquor Stop N Shop was Kathy Huckaluk from Redwater.

After our Annual General Meeting on February 28 at the Redwater Legion, the events committee will be getting together to start organizing the 2019 Shop Local Postcard to Christmas Campaign.

We would like to extend many Thank You's to Sherri Taggart-Dery and her staff at the Red Apple in Redwater for doing all the stamping and verifying. We also want to extend a huge Thank You to all the businesses who provided Gift Cards and Gift Certificates for this campaign. Their generosity made this campaign so much more successful.

A full listing of the winners, can be found on our [Facebook Page](#).

# *Thank You!!!*

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# Chamber Member Directory

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www.acenergy.ca

Certified Redi-Mix Concrete  
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780-942-2959  
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780-942-4553

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Linda Olsen

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Northstar Kennels  
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780-942-4022

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Redwater Dodge  
780-942-3629  
www.redwaterdodge.com

Redwater Food Bank  
780-942-2061  
www.redwaterfocfoodbank@gmail.com

Redwater Home Hardware  
780-942-3616

Redwater IGA  
780-942-3488

Redwater Napa  
780-942-2201

Redwater Public Library  
780-942-3464

Scotia Bank Thorhild  
780-398-9101

Sturgeon Drilling Tools  
780-667-5155  
www.sturgeontools.com

Subway Redwater

T. Rusinko & Sons Trucking  
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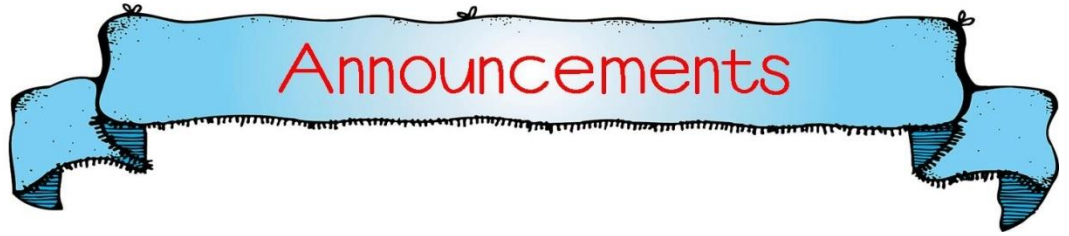
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780-942-3519 Ext 330

**It's not too late to join our Chamber. Join now and take advantage of special perks only available to Chamber Members!!!!**

Memberships Expire December 31, 2019



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## **Our Chamber Newsletter is changing!!!!**

Advertising space is now available. All ads will need to be emailed no later than the first of the month of prior to publication. Publications will be in February, May, September, December. Deadlines will be January 1, April 1, August 1, November 1. Invoices will be emailed/mailed prior to publication.

Our newsletter will now be printed on colored paper with black ink. Please keep this in mind when sending us your ad.

### **Meetings**

The Chamber holds monthly Board Meetings and General Quarterly Membership meetings. Exception is the month of December as our members are preparing for Christmas. Quarterly meetings are held in February (AGM), June, September and November. Any member in good standing is encouraged to attend the General Quarterly Meeting to find out what the Chamber has been doing. **Our AGM will be February 28, 2019.**

### **Community Events**

Our Chamber does its best to attend as many community events as possible to show our support. Our current area of membership is Redwater, Thorhild & Thorhild County, and Sturgeon County. If there is an event going on in any of these communities, please let us know. We would love to attend and help if we are available.

# ***Spring Is Coming!!!***

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**Huge Announcement from Canada Kuwait Petrochemical Corporation**

CALGARY, Feb. 4, 2019 /CNW/ - Pembina Pipeline Corporation ("Pembina" or the "Company") (TSX: PPL; NYSE: PBA) along with Petrochemical Industries Company K.S.C. ("PIC") of Kuwait, is pleased to announce a positive final investment decision to construct a 550,000 tonne per annum integrated propane dehydrogenation ("PDH") plant and polypropylene ("PP") upgrading facility ("PDH/PP Facility") through their equally-owned joint venture entity, Canada Kuwait Petrochemical Corporation ("CKPC").

CKPC brings together two strategically aligned organizations, with complementary strengths, united in developing and operating a world-scale Alberta PDH/PP Facility. PIC brings comprehensive PDH and PP project experience, along with diversified global petrochemical marketing expertise. Pembina will manage long-term propane supply and provide Alberta-specific operating and project execution experience, feedstock connectivity and strong producer relationships.

The PDH/PP Facility will be strategically located in Alberta's Industrial Heartland, adjacent to Pembina's Redwater fractionation complex ("RFS") and will consume approximately 23,000 barrels per day of local propane from RFS and other regional fractionation facilities. Ideally located in the Western Canadian Sedimentary Basin, the facility will have long-term access to an abundant supply of propane feedstock, with a structural cost advantage when compared to other North American facilities.

For more information, please go to: <http://www.pembina.com/media-centre/news-releases/news-details/?nid=135420>

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**BILL C-69**

Many of you have heard and read about the different convoys held around the Province & Country in support of getting our resources to tide water. The Redwater & District Chamber of Commerce has heard your voice. The Canadian Chamber of Commerce, who we have membership with, is going before the Senate to give testimony on why it's important for the Federal Government of Canada to build the pipeline and recommend amendments to Bill C-69. We have sent a letter in support. National Action Day will be held February 20, 2019.

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**We Want To Hear From You**

With businesses struggling under the downturn in the economy, minimum wage increase, new OH&S Regulations, newly updated WCB Regulations in 2018, Carbon Tax Increases, we want to hear from you on how these and any other issues are affecting your business. As a Chamber, we want to advocate on your behalf. Feel free to call us or send an email to [redwater\\_chamber@outlook.com](mailto:redwater_chamber@outlook.com)

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**Chambers of Commerce Group Insurance Plan**



Chambers of Commerce Group Insurance Plan is the only plan exclusively for Chamber Members on the market. With very affordable rates, compared to other insurance companies, many small businesses have the coverage they need to have peace of mind. For more info, contact our Chamber.

## **Vote Prosperity**

Recently, the Alberta Chambers of Commerce has launched the Vote Prosperity Campaign. This is a platform that will be presented to candidates in the next Provincial Election. Highlights are as follows:

As Albertans look towards the coming election, the ACC has developed Vote Prosperity: a platform for the 2019 provincial election campaign. It draws upon the ACC's grassroots-driven policy book and feedback received from our chamber members. This product is designed to provide voters an outline of priorities that will enable us to leverage Alberta's economic advantages and strengthen our global competitiveness.

Alberta is a great place to live and work, but the foundations of our prosperity are being eroded. From constrained exports to rapidly increasing provincial debt, we have identified the urgent factors limiting business growth in the province. Most importantly, we face the reality that the cost of doing business in Alberta is high relative to our competitor jurisdictions, due in no small part to government policies such as a carbon levy, onerous labour law reforms, and a burdensome regulatory environment.

Businesses are the backbone of Alberta's economy and the foundation for healthy and vibrant communities. To ensure the next provincial election addresses the most important issues for businesses to thrive, Vote Prosperity is a reflection of the four fundamental pillars of a stronger Alberta:

- **Strengthening Business Competitiveness**
- **Growing Provincial Trade**
- **Building Healthy Communities**
- **Improving Government Accountability**

Within these four pillars, we have identified 17 priority policy recommendations to bolster Alberta's long-term economic outcomes and position us for tomorrow's opportunities.

Our Chamber wants to let the candidates know how important these topics are to you. We want to hear from you. Give us a call or send us an email to: [redwater\\_chamber@outlook.com](mailto:redwater_chamber@outlook.com)

For more information on this campaign, please visit <https://www.voteprosperityab.com/>





*Redwater & District Chamber of Commerce*

# **Annual General Meeting**

**February 28, 2019**

Redwater Legion Branch # 251

Doors Open at 6:30 Pm to purchase Memberships  
**Meeting starting at 7 Pm SHARP**

**Guest Speaker:**  
**Kelly Harris-Martin**  
**from Community Futures Tawatinaw**

This meeting is open to any business or resident in the Redwater District. However, only those with a paid membership can vote.

For more information, please call 587-991-7049 or  
email [redwater\\_chamber@outlook.com](mailto:redwater_chamber@outlook.com)

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