



COUNTY OF WETASKIWIN No.10

Strong Proactive Leadership • Safe Progressive Communities

BABYSITTING COURSE

STAY SAFE (HOME ALONE) COURSE

Boys and Girls Ages 8 +

BABYSITTING COURSE

Boys and Girls Ages 11 +



Canadian Red Cross

So you are now old enough to stay home alone or you want to be a babysitter? The Canadian Red Cross Stay Safe and/or Babysitting Course will help you prepare for this experience.

The **Stay Safe** program teaches skills that will reinforce a youth's capacity to improve his or her own safety, whether in their community or on their own. Students will learn the importance of responsibility, accountability, following rules when staying alone, how to prepare and recognize unexpected situations, and basic First Aid.

Students will develop skills in the **Babysitting** course that will help them care for children of all ages, make safe choices, manage difficult behaviours, and learn about leadership and professional conduct as a babysitter. The updated curriculum provides improved learning to giving the appropriate care in the event of an emergency.

When: July 8th, 2017

Stay Safe Program: 9:00 am – 12:30 pm

Fee: \$15

Babysitting Course: 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

(This course includes the Stay Safe Program)

Fee: \$30

Where: Lakedell Ag Society

Students are required to bring snacks, drinks, and lunch (if they are staying for the Babysitting course).

Deadline for registrations is July 5th, 2017

For more information or a registration form, please contact

Sheila or Carla at arecreation@county.wetaskiwin.ab.ca or call 780-352-3321.

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Spring road bans lifted for the County of Wetaskiwin

By **Amelia Naismith** The Pipestone Flyer

During county council's June 6 meeting, Neil Powell, director of public works, spoke with the councillors about the state of the road bans.

Councillors ratified the the removal of the 2017 seasonal road ban of 75 per cent axle weight on gravel surfaces not identified in the annual road ban.

The bans were lifted June 6 at 8 a.m.

The director of public works says county staff met with the Highway Protection Committee May 31, 2017, and had resolved to lift the seasonal road ban, noting all local gravel weight would change from 75 per cent to 100 per cent, except the roads listed under annual road bans.



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