

Elnora Ag Society 2nd Annual

Village Christmas Party

November 29 2008

Business Owners Bring Your Staff

Community Members bring yourself and Family

6 pm  cocktails

Lewis & Royal 8 pm 

Tickets \$30/person ~ ~ available

from Mavis 403-773-2265 or Village Office

RENOVATIONS ARE COMING!

The Elnora Ag Society would like to acknowledge the generous donations we have received toward our Hall Renovation Project. A sincere thank- you to the Trenville Elks, Trenville Royal Purple, Red Deer County, and Elnora Brahma-Rama Committee for their contributions. We expect to hear regarding our Community Facility Enhancement Grant application soon, and plan on a January 2nd 2009 start to the project. The kitchen will undergo a complete makeover, with the kitchen storage room becoming part of the kitchen itself. Storage will be added off the stage, ventilation and sinks will be improved in the bathrooms, the entire interior of the hall will be painted, and a new parking rail will be installed along side the hall. We will do our best to accommodate funerals during the renovation, using disposable tableware for the luncheon. Evening bookings of Sid's Room will be unaffected. If you require use of the hall in January/February 2009, contact Denise Roberts to see what is possible. Otherwise, Louise Higginbottom will be looking after all bookings of the Hall and Ag Building (except curling) starting January 1st 2009.

We are fortunate to have casino funds to put toward the hall renovations. Our next casino is January 15 & 16 2009 in Red Deer. Close to 30 volunteer time slots need to be filled for the casino - let Denise Roberts know if you are able to help out.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Elnora & District Agricultural Society will be held Wednesday December 10, 2008. Beef on a bun, salad, and dessert at 6:30 pm, meeting to follow. All community members are welcome to attend - your input is appreciated!

**VILLAGE OF ELNORA
PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE and PUBLIC HEARING FOR
AREA STRUCTURE PLAN and BYLAW NO. 499-0811**

On behalf of the Village of Elnora, Parkland Community Planning Services has prepared an Area Structure Plan which will provide a comprehensive planning framework for land uses and development within the SE 15-35-23-W4 and NE 10-35-23-W4. The purpose of the Area Structure Plan is to ensure that subdivision and development occur in an orderly, economical and efficient manner.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The Village Council is committed to providing meaningful opportunities for the public to have input into the preparation of the Area Structure Plan. A Public Open House, followed by a formal Public Hearing, has been organized for this purpose and written comments will also be accepted at the address below. ***A copy of the Area Structure Plan can be obtained at the Village Office.***

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE – Nov. 4

A Public Open House will be hosted on Tuesday, **November 4, 2008** at the Elnora Community Hall, 425 - 2nd Avenue, Elnora, AB. Informal viewing of the proposed plan will take place between 4.00 p.m. – 6.00 p.m. and a formal presentation will be given at 6.30 p.m.

PUBLIC HEARING – Nov. 18

A Public Hearing on the area structure plan and Bylaw No. 499-0811, which proposes to adopt the plan, will be hosted by Village Council on Tuesday, **November 18, 2008** in the Village of Elnora Council Chambers at 7:00 p.m.

SUBMISSIONS The deadline for written submissions is Wednesday, November 12, 2008.

Citizens and all other interested parties are invited to submit written comments, concerns, and questions with respect to the proposed Area Structure Plan. Submissions can be forwarded to:

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