



## **Council News, June 23, 2014**

### **Citizen of the Year**

Karen Mills has been named the 2014 Elkford Citizen of the Year. The Citizen of the Year program formally recognizes contributions made by dedicated individuals who make Elkford a great place to live, work, play, and learn.

Karen Mills was nominated as Citizen of the Year for being actively involved in an array of different Elkford organizations and events, namely Elk Valley Air Cadets, Wapiti Ski Club, Elkford Minor Soccer, Parent Advisory Councils and the Rocky Mountain Elementary School One-to-One Reading Program. She is a tireless and passionate advocate who's enthusiasm is contagious. She is personable, resourceful, and creative and continuously looks at challenges as opportunities, and happily takes on new roles without hesitation. Ms. Mills accepted the District's invitation to be the Grand Marshall of the annual Wildcat Days Parade on Saturday, June 28, 2014.

### **Council Youth Representatives**

Taylor Wurmlinger and Nicole Klein finished their terms as Council Youth Representatives. Mayor McKerracher recognized them for their contributions to Council.

### **2014 Municipal Election**

The District established an additional advance voting opportunity during the 2014 Municipal Election. The voting dates will be as follows:

Wednesday, November 5, 2014 8:00 am – 8:00 pm	Advanced Polls
Monday, November 10, 2014 8:00 am – 4:00 pm	Additional Advanced Polls
Saturday, November 15, 2014 8:00 am – 8:00 pm	General Voting Day

### **Hillcrest Mine Disaster 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Commemoration**

Councillors McLean and Wildeman represented the District at the commemoration that took place June 19, 2014. The community of Hillcrest, as well as other dignitaries from the region, remembered the miners that lost their lives in the disaster.

