

VILLAGE OF NAKUSP

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WINTER PREPARATION

Winter is coming. To prepare, the Village is asking everyone to maintain the shrubs and trees along the boulevards next to your property by trimming them back to provide clear sightlines for pedestrians, drivers and our snow plows.

Please remove any vehicles or items stored on the boulevards by November 21st, 2025. Crews will use boulevards to store snow removed from streets throughout the winter. Anything left on the boulevards after this date may be removed by the Village at your expense.

Thank You!

GARBAGE & RECYCLING OVER THE HOLIDAYS

A reminder that garbage and recycling dates will be altered over the holidays.

Thursday, December 25th, **recycling** will be picked up on Tuesday, December 30th.

Friday, December 26th, **garbage** will be picked up on Wednesday, December 24th.

Thursday, January 1st, **recycling** will be picked up on Friday, January 2nd, 2026.

The 2026 Garbage and Recycling schedule and maps are on our website, and a paper copy can be picked up in the Village Office.

PROPERTY TAX REMINDER

All property taxes must be paid in full by December 31st to avoid becoming taxes in arrears and being charged daily interest. Any utility invoices that remain unpaid after December 31st will be transferred as taxes in arrears and charged daily interest.

All payments can be made in person at the Village Office until December 24th, 2025. Online payments can be made until the December 31st deadline.



COUNCIL

300 8TH AVE NW

- Monday, November 10th, 2025
- Monday, November 24th, 2025
- Monday, December 8th, 2025

INFORMATION

- Meetings are open to the public
- Meetings start at 6:30 PM
- To attend virtually, please use zoom link at the top of the agenda
- All agenda items must be sent to the CAO at cao@nakusp.com

VILLAGE OF NAKUSP HOLIDAY CLOSURES

The Village Office will be closed on the following dates:

December 25th, 2025 - January 1st, 2026 Reopening on Friday, January 2nd, 2026, for regular hours, 8 AM - 4 PM.

Public Works Emergency line for sewer, water and road emergencies: 250-265-3861.

The Nakusp Hot Springs will be operating on reduced hours on the following dates:

December 24th, 2025: 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
December 25th, 2025: 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

The Nakusp and District Sports Complex will be closed on the following dates:

December 25th & 26th, 2025 January 1st, 2026

NAKUSP HOT SPRINGS

Beginning November 1st, 2025 - NEW WINTER HOURS
Sunday to Thursday: 9:30 AM - 8:00 PM

Last entry into pools at 7:30 PM

Friday & Saturday: 9:30 AM - 9:00 PM

Last entry into pools at 8:30 PM

Winter Wednesday is Back!

Winter Wednesday runs from the first Wednesday in November to the last Wednesday in March. \$8.00 entry fee for everyone, no matter where they live, and as always, children aged five (5) and under are FREE!

Thinking about the Holidays?

The Nakusp Hot Springs refillable card is still the best value. A \$100 refillable card gets you 10 soaks (that's \$40 in savings)! Available for purchase at the Nakusp Hot Springs.

Don't forget about our Stocking Stuffers Christmas Pack: 5 swim passes for \$50.00.

The Nakusp Hot Springs is sad to announce that Full Moon Dips will not return this year.

SIDEWALK SNOW CLEARING

It is the responsibility of the property owner/occupant to clear snow from sidewalks in front of your home or business. From time to time, the Village may clear snow from sidewalks to supplement owner/occupants' snow-clearing efforts, but this is only a courtesy and not something to rely on.

Failure to provide snow clearing on the sidewalk in front of your home or business may result in enforcement action.

BROADWAY STREET MEMORIAL BENCHES

The Village has two memorial benches available for sponsorship along Broadway.

Please get in touch with us at info@nakusp.com, using the subject line "Broadway Memorial Benches" for more information.

WHICH ICE MELT TO USE?

Ice melt products containing Calcium Magnesium Acetate (CMA) or Magnesium Chloride protect concrete and are safer for pets and the environment. **Do not use** Rock Salt; this is a bylaw offence.

Please note that with all ice melt products, applying excessive quantities does not enhance their effectiveness and may lead to unnecessary environmental impact. Following the manufacturer's recommended application rates not only ensures cost-effective use but also minimizes potential harm to nearby vegetation, water bodies, and infrastructure.

We appreciate the Community's assistance in keeping our sidewalks safe during winter. Thank You!

NAKUSP & DISTRICT SPORTS COMPLEX

Holiday Ice is Available!

Did you know the Village offers private ice rentals for \$40.00 + GST an hour during the holidays? Holiday Ice will be available from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM on the following dates:

December 20th - 24th, 2025 December 29th - 31st, 2025, and January 2nd - 4th, 2026.

To book Holiday Ice, please stop by the office or email rec_program@nakusp.com. A heads-up, insurance is required.

Drop-In Programming

Public Skating (\$2.00)

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 12:00 - 2:30 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 2:30 - 5:00 PM

Saturday: 3:00 - 4:30 PM

Stick & Puck (\$2.00)

Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 2:30 - 5:00 PM

Tuesday, Thursday: 12:00 - 2:30 PM

Sunday: 3:00 - 4:30 PM

Stick & Puck hours during the holidays will be from 12:00 - 2:00 PM, and Public Skating hours will be from 2:15 - 3:00 PM, starting December 20th, 2025, through January 4th, 2026, except on holidays or private ice bookings.

Public Walking - Auditorium (FREE)

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Pickleball (\$2.00)

Seniors - Monday 12:00 - 2:00 PM

Adults - Monday 5:00 - 8:00 PM

Adults - Thursday 5:00 - 8:00 PM

Family - Friday 3:00 - 6:00 PM

All Ages - Friday 6:00 - 8:00 PM

All Ages - Saturday 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Curling Rink Ice

The ice will be in and ready for use by November 17th! Anyone looking to use the curling rink or join curling teams, please reach out to the Nakusp Curling Club.

BUSINESS LICENCE RENEWAL REMINDERS

2026 Business licences must be renewed by Friday, February 27th, 2026. If you don't want to renew your licence for 2026, please let the Village Office know by the end of 2025. Renewal invoices will be mailed out in November of this year.

Did you know that you can receive a \$25 discount if you renew by the end of 2025?