

TOWN OF PREECEVILLE



UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS:

MUSHER'S RENDEZVOUS: January 29, January 30, January 31

WHITEHAWK ARTS COUNCIL: THE TRAVELLING MABELS February 25

ROUGH RIDER SNOWMOBILE FUN DAY: February 21

CHILDREN'S WINTER FESTIVAL HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH MUSHER'S RENDEZVOUS

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community Events

17th ANNUAL MUSHER'S RENDEZVOUS

The 17th Annual Musher's Rendezvous will be held on January 29th, 30th & 31st, 2016 and will begin at the Preeceville Skating Arena. This world class event will feature six and ten dog sled races and five dog junior races. There are many events scheduled for this year's event including a talent show, children's winter festival, and horse drawn sleigh rides (weather permitting), a pancake breakfast, suppers on Saturday and Sunday, and a dance at the Legion Hall. Come out and enjoy the adrenaline rush of the races, local talent, along with other scheduled events throughout the weekend. For more detailed information such as dates and times, please visit the Town of Preeceville website at www.townofpreceville.ca and click on the 'Musher's Rendezvous' page.

CHILDREN'S WINTER FESTIVAL

The Preeceville Children's Winter Festival is being held in conjunction with the Musher's Rendezvous located at the Preeceville Arena Grounds. We are excited for many of the events that will be held for the kids. This year we will be building an outdoor jam can curling rink. Bring your family and friends out to try the sport the old fashioned way. There is another new event being held this year and this will be outdoor outhouse races, yes you read that correctly, outhouse races. We are looking for teams of 3 or more to have some fun with this new activity. No need to bring your own outhouses, a lightweight version of the outhouses will be constructed in advance and set on skis. We require 1 person to be inside while at least 2 team members push. We would like teams to enter in advance by contacting Andrea at 306-547-2810. First race will start Saturday at 12:30 with more races to follow depending on the number of entries. Prizes awarded for the winning teams and team spirit is encouraged. There will also be snow plane rides from 1-3 on Saturday and Sunday. The snow plane/air sled will take you on a tour of the beautiful scenery that Preeceville has to offer. The sliding hill will once again be available for everyone to enjoy all weekend. Golf season is just around the corner so come and check out our outdoor snow golf area and get practised up for spring. If you are looking for something to do individually come try out our snowshoes and take a walk in the area or maybe you can encourage someone to race you. If you prefer a warmer activity try your hand at indoor floor curling located inside the Skating Arena. A recreation 4 on 4 hockey tournament is also being held on Saturday. This is open to Bantam aged players and older. Entry fee is \$20 per person. Please contact Arden at 306-547-8121 or Cary at 306-338-8799 or Mark at 306-547-8417 to enter or for more information. Times will be decided depending on number of entries. Please bring your kids out to enjoy these attractions and many more. Hot chocolate and treats will be provided for the kids when they participate in different activities. Please call Andrea at 306-547-2810 with any questions.

PREECEVILLE FIGURE SKATING CARNIVAL

MARCH 18th, 2016.

The Preeceville Figure Skating Club presents "Welcome to the Jungle". Admission is \$5.00. 50/50 draw min. \$2500.00. Ticket sales start in Feb, Draw Date March 18th.

WALKING CLUB

Escape the outdoor elements with this indoor activity! Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9:00-10:00 am head to the Preeceville Community Legion Hall and join others for a safe indoor walk. For more information call Jackie at 306-547-2842.

ROUGH RIDER SNOWMOBILE CLUB - SNOWMOBILE FAMILY FUN DAY

The Rough Rider Snowmobile Club will be hosting a Snowmobile Family Fun Day on Sunday, February 21st, 2016 from 11:00 am to 2:00 p.m. at the May Lake warm up shelter. This shelter is located 2 km from Sturgis. Hot dogs and hot chocolate will be provided by the club. Riders will be entered to win 1 of 4 family local dining gift certificates. There will be door prizes for school aged children, 1 for elementary ages and 1 for high school aged children. For more information please call Becky at 306-547-2723 or Angela at 306-547-3229.

ARENA GENERAL SKATING/GENERAL SHINNY

General Skating will be held on Saturdays and Sundays from 12:00-2:00pm, and Shinny 2:00-4:00pm. Subject to game bookings; check the Arena's schedule board, call the Arena at 547-3267.

PREECEVILLE MINOR HOCKEY DAY

If you are a hockey enthusiast, this is the event to attend. We have a full day of hockey games scheduled at the local skating arena on January 23rd. Come enjoy our great variety at the concession and cheer your local hockey teams.

WHITEHAWK ARTS COUNCIL

The Travelling Mabels will be performing at The Sturgis Community Hall on February 25th. The group was voted as ACMA's "Group of the year" in 2011, the show starts at 7:30. Call Miles Russell for more info at 306-547-4645. Or visit www.thetravellingmabels.com to see what they are all about.

CURLING CLUB

Curling Club annual wind up bonspiel will run from February 28th to March 6th. There will also be regular 4 person curling on Monday nights and a 2 on 2 league on Tuesday nights. Anyone who wants to curl please contact Tim Olson at 306-547-7660.



CROSS COUNTRY SKI TRAILS

Preeceville has almost 5km of groomed Cross Country Ski trails. The trails are in pristine condition this year; call Lou Roste at 306-547-2183 for more information, or the town office at 306-547-2810 for the location.

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Town Business

OFFICE AND SHOP HOLIDAY HOURS

The Town of Preeceville Office and Shop will be closed on Monday, February 15th, 2016 for the Family Day statutory holiday. Regular business hours of 8:00 am to 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm from Monday to Friday will resume Tuesday, February 16th, 2016.

TOWN EMPLOYEE

The Town of Preeceville would like to welcome Shirley Jackson as the Chief Administrative Officer. Lorelei Karcha will be beginning her Maternity leave January 22nd. The Council and staff look forward to working with Shirley and wish her the best in her upcoming year.

BUSINESS LICENSES

The Town of Preeceville would like to remind everyone that in order to conduct business within the Town of Preeceville an annual business license is necessary. Any person who is a contractor, home based business operator, petty trade business operator or a transient trader must obtain an annual business license. Come in or call the Town Office at 306-547-2810 for more information on getting your business license for this year or to see if your business is subject to licensing. The Town of Preeceville would also like to remind anyone who held a 2015 business license that as of January 1st, 2016, all licenses are now void and must be renewed. Thank you to all business operators who have already renewed their licenses for 2016.

COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE

To all those wanting to hold a garage sale this year, the date to consider is Saturday, May 28th, 2016. To register your sale, contact the Town Office at 306-547-2810. Registering gets you balloons to put up as well as your sale added to the Community Garage Sale Registry map. The Preeceville Air Cadets will be hosting a BBQ lunch at Centennial Park. Please contact Elaine at the Town Office for more information at the above number.

DOG LICENSES

All Town of Preeceville Dog Licenses expired on December 31st, 2015. Please ensure that your dog license(s) are renewed for the 2016 year. Not obtaining a license is an offense under Bylaw No.1 – 2009 of the Town. The fee for a dog license is \$10.00 for females not spayed and \$5.00 for females spayed and all males. Remember to bring proof if spayed or neutered as well as up to date vaccinations. For more information please contact the Town Office at 306-547-2810.

CAT REGISTRATION

This is a reminder that the Town of Preeceville offers free Cat Registration to the community. All you have to do is come in to the Town Office with your cats name and description to receive a free cat tag. The tag number is kept on file so that your pet can be safely returned to you should they wander from your yard.

CAP SITE

Braydon Walker is available to train and assist the general public with basic computer and internet usage at the Preeceville CAP Site until March 26, 2016. The CAP Site is located at the Public Library. If you are interested in taking a class or arranging a one-on-one lesson with Braydon, you can call him at 306-547-3444 or stop by during regular CAP Site hours or email Braydon at braydonpreecevillecap@hotmail.com.

SNOW REMOVAL & PARKING

Avoid shovelling or ploughing your snow on to the streets, back alleys and sidewalks. Piling snow on these areas causes extra work for the snow removal crew which delays other streets from getting cleared. Snow piles also become packed and freeze, which may cause snow removal equipment damage. Please be reminded that under the Traffic Control Bylaw, vehicles are not to be parked on the street for more than a 24 hour period and vehicles are not to be parked so that they are obstructing a sidewalk. Not moving your vehicle and blocking sidewalks with your vehicle also obstructs and reduces the progress of snow removal. There have also been issues with extension cords being caught in the snow removal equipment. If you have to run a cord across the sidewalk to plug in your vehicle please run it over head so this doesn't occur. The public's cooperation regarding snow removal, parking and extension cords is greatly appreciated.

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

April 10th to 16th is National Volunteer Week and the Town of Preeceville and the Preeceville EDC would like to express their appreciation for all of the hard work done by the volunteers in our area. A Community Volunteer Tea and Awards Day will be held on Tuesday April 12th at 2 pm at Club 60. Everyone is welcome. If your club or organization would like to recognize a volunteer, contact Elaine at 306-547-2810 or at edo.tourism@sasktel.net.

2016 FLOWER COLOURS

The Preeceville EDC is encouraging members of the community to consider the colours of red and white when planning your flower gardens this year as a tribute to World War I and Canada turning 150 in 2017.

HANDICAP PARKING

Please be advised that the town has designated a Handicap parking spot on Main St, this parking spot is located in front of the Preeceville Shop Easy building. This spot as well as all other designated Handicap parking spots are there for the people that need it. Please do not use these unless you have a parking permit to do so.

PARKLAND REGIONAL LANDFILL HOURS

TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY'S
EXCLUDING HOLIDAYS
TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS 1 PM – 5 PM
SATURDAYS 9 AM – 3 PM