

TOWN OF PREECEVILLE



Happy
St. Patrick's
Day

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS:

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK: April 10 to 16
OLD HOME WEEK: July 10 to 16 **PREECEVILLE SPRING EXPO:** April 15 & 16
WHEATLAND BAND: March 17 **FIGURE SKATING CARNIVAL:** March 18
WILDLIFE SUPPER AND DANCE: April 2



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community Events

PREECEVILLE SPRING EXPO

The Preeceville Annual Spring Expo will be held on Friday April 15th from 11:00 am to 8:00 pm & Saturday April 16th from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at the Preeceville Skating Arena. No entry admission is charged, but a non-perishable food item will be appreciated from all attending the event. Lunch counter and meals on premise. For questions or to book a table please call Welma at 306-547-9422 or email wbartel@sasktel.net.

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK

From April 10th to April 16th the Town of Preeceville will be honoring volunteers in the community as all Canadian volunteers step into the spotlight. A heartfelt THANK YOU is extended to all of the volunteers from Preeceville and area for the work they do. A Community Volunteer Tea and Award Day will be held on Tuesday April 12th at 2:00 pm at the Club 60. If your club or organization would like to recognize someone publicly, contact Elaine at 547-2810 or edo.tourism@sasktel.net.

COMMUNITY WIDE GARAGE SALE

The Community Wide Garage Sale will be held Saturday May 28th, 2016, starting at 8:00 am. Anyone interested in having a garage sale the same day as others in the Town of Preeceville can register your sale by contacting Elaine at the Town Office at 306-547-2810. Registering gets you balloons to put up as well as your sale will be added to the Community Garage Sale Registry map. Registration Deadline to include your sale is Tuesday, May 24th, 2016 at 12:00 noon.

OLD HOME WEEK

Old Home Week will be taking place from Sunday July 10th to Saturday July 16th. If any organization is interested in hosting a small event during the week leading up to Western Weekend, please feel free to contact Elaine at The Town Office at 306-547-2810 or edo.tourism@sasktel.net.



ANNUAL AWARDS NIGHT AND BANQUET



The Preeceville Wildlife Federation Annual Awards Night and Banquet will be held Saturday April 2nd at the Preeceville Community Legion Hall. Tickets are available at Midtown Service or by calling Owen Myhr at 306-547-7506 or Heather Gawrelitza at 306-547-2910.

WHITEHAWK ARTS COUNCIL

The Whitehawk Arts Council presents *Wheatland Band*, at the Sturgis Community Hall, Thursday March 17th, 2016. These three prairie boys with tender hearts, a zest for life and a love of vocal harmonies will put on a show you can't miss. You can check out their website at www.wheatlandband.com.



PREECEVILLE FIGURE SKATING CARNIVAL



The Preeceville Figure Skating Club will be hosting its annual Carnival March 18th at the Preeceville Arena. The theme this year is "Welcome to the jungle". Admission is \$5 which includes free dessert and beverage. Everyone is welcome.



MUSHERS RENDEZVOUS



The 17th Annual Musher's Rendezvous had another successful year. The weather was fantastic and even with the low snowfall this year the mushers recorded its highest number of dog mushers. Congratulations to all! A huge Thank-You is extended to the Community for coming out to support this event, as well as all the volunteers and committee members who helped make the 2016 Musher's Weekend a success! The money raised this year is going to the Preeceville & District Multi-Purpose Pad.

PREECEVILLE MINOR BALL

Preeceville Minor Baseball is currently looking for executives. All positions are now vacant; these positions require a minimal amount of commitment but they need to be filled in order for Minor Baseball to continue in the area. Please contact Andrea at 306-547-2810 for more information.

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 1, and Canada turning 150 in 2017. Think of it as a small salutation to all those who put their lives on the line for your country.

UNITED CHURCH PLAYERS

The United Church Players Present "Nothing but the Truth" April 29th in Stenen, April 30th in Sturgis and May 1st in Preeceville all shows start at 7:30 p.m. Tickets available from any cast member as well as from Lil's Fashions, Country Lane Florists and Ruth Zubko.

NEWSLETTER COMMUNITY EVENT REMINDER

The Town of Preeceville Community Events Newsletter gets mailed out to the community in the following months:

January/February	March/April
May/June	July/August
September/October	November/December

All community organizations and clubs are encouraged to submit their upcoming events (noncommercial) to the Town for free advertisement, space permitting. Please have your event submitted to us well in advance of the event date. You can fax your advertisement to the Town Office at 547-3116, phone us at 547-2810 or bring in a small write up.



PREECEVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY HOURS:

TUESDAY 2:00pm - 6:00pm
THURSDAY 2:00pm - 5:30pm

WEDNESDAY 11:00am - 6:00pm
FRIDAY 2:00pm - 5:30pm

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Town Business

OFFICE AND SHOP HOLIDAY HOURS

The Town Office and Shop will be closed from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. on Friday March 25th for Good Friday. Regular business hours will resume accordingly.

RECYCLE BINS

Please be reminded that distributed within our town are a number of blue recycling bins. These bins are located at the following locations:

Preeceville Hospital	Veterinary Clinic
Chris's Place	X-Cessories by Kerry
Paul's Drugs Lot	Shop Easy
Preeceville Personal Care Home	Arena
Golden West Hotel	Liquor Store
Preece Place	Behind Admin Building
Formo Motors	Hort's Auto body
John Deere	Midtown Service
Co-op	Paul's Drug Store
Mackenzie Society	Preeceville School
S-Elect Energy	Assiniboine Manor
Rocky Mountain Equipment	

Either Cardboard or newspaper may be deposited in any container. Cardboard includes flattened cardboard boxes and boxboard material (ex. Kleenex or cereal boxes). Remove all inserts, Styrofoam, plastic or packing materials. Please be sure to flatten boxes. Newspaper includes any newsprint material, inserts and flyers with Newspapers, magazines, catalogues and telephone books including Glossy magazines; paper including bond, typing, photocopy, white and coloured ledger and computer paper, shredded paper, envelopes (plain only, no windowed). The bins now accept all grades of plastic (Grades 1-7) Washed and rinsed, plastic food jars, tubs and lids, such as margarine, yogurt, ice cream, cottage cheese, sour cream, plastic bottles and jugs with lids securely attached, Shampoo and bubble bath containers, detergent and other laundry bottles. Place these in a clear plastic bag. Also accepted clear film plastic, shrink wrap, garment bags, grade D film, Water softener bags, empty cat litter bags and grocery bags (grocery bags should be separated by placing them together in large quantities in separate bags. All containers must be free of food contaminates and liquids as well as all metal must be removed. **Please do not include:** Plastic Toys, Lawn Furniture/Furniture/Mattresses, Vinyl Siding/Home Reno Materials, Calking Tubes, Motor Oil Jugs, Hazardous or Medical Waste, Plant Trays, Flower Pots, CD and DVD cases, Packing peanuts or Styrofoam, Car parts, Food, Clothing, Electronics, Metals of any kind (tin cans) or Glass of any kind. Sarcan also no longer accepts milk jugs these can also be put in the blue bins (rinsed).

WATERLINE FLUSHING

The Town of Preeceville will be flushing water lines again this spring. The specific dates will be determined by the weather. Please watch the community sign and the newspaper for more details.

BUSINESS AND DOG LICENSES

All Town of Preeceville Business Licenses and Dog Licenses expired on December 31st, 2015. Please ensure these licenses are renewed for 2016. Not obtaining a license is an offence under the bylaws of the Town. Dog license fees are \$10 for females not spayed and \$5 for females spayed and males. For more information please contact the Town Office.

GARBAGE PICK-UP

As of May 1st, 2016 anyone who regularly moves their garbage from the front to the back alley for pick up is required to do so until October 31st, 2016 regardless of the amount of snow we have received. This change takes effect annually at these times.

ELM TREE PRUNING BAN

Once again the Elm Tree Pruning Ban will be coming into effect on April 1st through to August 31st as it is each year to prevent the spread of Dutch Elm disease. During this time, no pruning or removing of Elm trees is permitted within Saskatchewan. For more information on Dutch Elm Disease Control Regulations, contact 1-800-SASK ELM (727-5356).

FIRE PIT INSPECTIONS

Even though there is still snow on the ground, soon it will be melted and the time for hot dog roasts and s'mores in the back yard will return. Remember that as set out in Bylaw No.9 – 2004, it is required of all citizens to get new fire pits inspected by the local volunteer fire department. To book your inspection, call the Town Office at 547-2810.

ECO CENTRE OPENING

The Eco Centre will be opening again for the 2016 season. Beginning May 3rd the Eco Centre will be open from 8:00 am – 12:00 noon every Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday. You can drop off all of your used oil, oil filters and containers free of charge. Think of it as your "green" contribution to our environment!

DOG WALKING

The weather is warming up and more and more people are walking their dogs. Please remember to pick up after your pets when going out for a walk to help keep our community clean. Failing to do so is a violation of Bylaw #1-2009 and can result in fines accordingly.



HANDICAP PARKING

The Town of Preeceville has received numerous complaints about people parking in the designated handicap parking spaces around town, parking in these spaces requires a special parking permit or you can be fined. If you would like to apply for a permit the Saskatchewan Abilities application form, as well as a question & answer sheet can be picked up at the town office.

DID YOU KNOW: OUR PREECEVILLE HERITAGE MUSEUM FEATURES 20 THEMED ROOMS AS WELL AS A FULLY FUNCTIONAL CLAY OVEN. THE MUSEUM IS OPEN FROM JUNE TO SEPTEMBER, TUESDAY TO SUNDAY AND IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE. YOUR TOUR IS WAITING FOR YOU!