

TOWN OF PREECEVILLE

UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

FRIDAY BEACH DAYS: July 22 - August 19
SWIMMING LESSONS: July 11 - 15, 18 - 22 & 25 - 29
REGISTRATION AND INFORMATION NIGHT: September 8

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community Events

TOURIST BOOTH NOW OPEN

The Tourist Booth has moved to the Preeceville and District Heritage Museum. Hours of operation are from 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm every Tuesday to Sunday. For more information or to book a group touring of the museum please call 547-2774.

SUMMER FUN PROGRAM

The SPE Family Resource Centre is once again offering the Summer Fun Program for all children ages 5-12 years. This year the crafts, games, activities, and snacks will be based on a different animal each week. The program is offered free of charge and all are welcome. Hours are 10:00am to noon and 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Participants will meet at the Preeceville Community Legion Hall on Mondays and Wednesday through July and August. There will be no program offered on the Civic Holiday August 1st. For more information, call Karolyn at 548-5478.

FRIDAY SUMMER BEACH DAYS

Annie Laurie Lake will be having Friday Summer Beach Days every Friday, starting July 22 to August 19, 1:00pm-4:00pm. Everyone is welcome to participate in the fun, supervised, beach activities such as water fun, sand castle building and beach volleyball.

SWIMMING LESSONS

The Town of Preeceville will be holding Life Saving Society swimming lessons at Annie Laurie Lake. Lessons will be held July 11-15, 18-22 & 25-29. For more information and/or to register please contact Andrea at the Town Office 547-2810.

BOAT SAFETY COURSE

There will be a Boating Safety Course offered. Anyone wanting to purchase course materials for study, can challenge a scheduled supervised exam at the Town of Preeceville facility, can contact Andrea at 547-2810.

ANNIE LAURIE LAKE DRIVING RANGE

Annie Laurie Lake driving range is now open. A bucket of balls can be picked up at Mid-Town during normal operating hours, for \$5/bucket, cash only. For every 10 buckets of balls purchased, a round of golf at Crystal Lake Golf Course will be offered. Please do not retrieve balls off driving range, all balls and baskets are to remain at the driving range.

A HUGE THANK-YOU!

The Preeceville Recreation Board and the Preeceville Fire Department would like to thank everyone who came out to enjoy the "Summer Solstice" day on June 24th at Annie Laurie Lake. An extra thank you to Camp Whitesand for the rock wall and other various games for the kids. The giant slip 'n slide was a huge success along with many other games.

CANADA 150 CELEBRATION

The Town of Preeceville will be hosting a Canada 150 Celebration August 4th, 5th and 6th, 2017. Plans are well underway and like any other milestone celebration, there will be a parade. For those interested in being a part of the parade, now is the time to start thinking of ideas for your float entry. For more information, call Elaine at the Town Office 547-2810 or Agnes at the Museum 547-3047.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH – VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

The Trinity United Church will once again be holding their Vacation Bible School- "Surf Shack- Catch the Wave of God's Amazing Love". It will be held July 25th-29th, 9:15am- 12 noon. It is for ages 4- Grade 7. There will be games, songs, Bible Stories, crafts, discovery center and snacks. Come one morning or all mornings. There is a free will offering. For more information, call the Church Office at 547-2059.

INFORMATION AND REGISTRATION NIGHT

Fall Registration will be held on Thursday September 8 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm, at the Preeceville Community Legion Hall. Come and check out the recreational clubs that Preeceville has to offer. All are welcome. To book a table or for further information, please contact Andrea at the Town Office 547-2810

20TH ANNUAL GREAT PUMPKIN CONTEST

The Preeceville EDC will be hosting the 20th Annual Great Pumpkin Contest on Saturday September 24th. Categories include: pumpkin, potato, cabbage, zucchini, onion, carrot, turnip, beet and kids' category (creative display of animal or creature using vegetable). New this year- Fall Market Plus- vegetable and craft tables. Anyone wanting to register your table for free or more information, call Elaine at the Town Office 547-2810. Some tables will be available or you can bring your own table. The Preeceville Library will be hosting a BBQ again this year at Centennial Park. Watch for posters and advertisements on the Town of Preeceville website, www.townofpreeceville.ca closer to the date of the event for times.

CORN MAZE

The Preeceville Recreation Board is very pleased to announce that the Preeceville and surrounding community will now be home to a local corn maze. This project is weather dependent and details will be released once available. We look forward to this fun family activity later in the season.

WELCOME

The Town of Preeceville would like to welcome our new employee Tina Slowski. She will be taking over the office assistant position, within the Town Office. We look forward to working with her.





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Town Business

PREECEVILLE AND DISTRICT HEALTH CARE

The Hospital loan was paid off in June of this year. Considering commitments to date, the final amount was covered by a donation in the amount of \$41,758.43 from the Estate of Lena Glenn, a longtime resident of Preeceville. We maintain a one-bedroom duplex that the Sunrise Health Region rents for locum physicians when they are working at our health care facility. In the past we owned a house that was supplied for the Physician. When we sold it, we applied the sales proceeds to the hospital loan.

FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE

The Family Resource Centre needs your help to replace the loss of "Core Funding" while new long term funding is found. The Family Resource Centre has served the Sturgis, Preeceville, Endeavour and district for 20 years. Providing programming and support for children, youth, families and communities. You may know of some programming which has been done such as nutrition programs in schools, leadership classes in schools, a key part of "Filling the Gap and Christmas Hamper" program, "Summer Fun Program", referrals and information for people looking for services, "Triple P" parenting classes, "Come Grow with Me", "Mental Health First Aid", Mocktails, IMPACT, Family Activity Contest, and support for other community initiatives. Your financial support is needed. Any and all donations are appreciated. Donations may be made to:

SPE Family Resource Centre Inc.
Box 1063 – Preeceville Sk. S0A 3B0
Attn: Marlene Covey- Treasurer

SASK. LOTTO GRANT 2016/2017

The 2016/2017 Sask. Lotto Grant applications can be picked up at the Town Office and are due July 22nd. If any one has any questions about grant applications, contact Andrea at the Town Office 547-2810.

DOG WALKING

The weather is warming up and more and more people will be walking their dogs again. 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.

GRASS CLIPPINGS

The Town of Preeceville would like to remind everyone to please avoid scattering grass clippings and yard debris on to the streets and sidewalks. Grass clippings and yard debris on the streets will cause the storm sewer drains to become clogged.

ELM TREE PRUNING BAN

Once again the Elm Tree Pruning Ban is in effect from 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).



JULY / AUGUST

CLOSED FOR STAT HOLIDAYS

The Preeceville Town Office will be closed for the Civic Holiday on Monday, August 1st. The Town Office will also be closed Labour Day Monday, September 5th.

ANNUAL NOTICE TO CONSUMERS

The Town of Preeceville is required by the Ministry of Environment to provide water consumers with a drinking water quality and compliance report each year. This report states the quality of water produced and supplied by the town as well as information on the performance of the waterworks in submitting samples as required by the Minister's Order or Permit to Operate a waterworks. The Towns 2015 report has been compiled and is now available for pick up at the Town Office.

ANNUAL WATERWORKS REPORT

2015 Waterworks Financial Overview:
Total 2015 waterworks and sewage works revenues: \$334,308 and expenditures: \$263,676.

Total debt payments on waterworks and sewage works infrastructure loans: \$0

Comparison of waterworks and sewage works revenues to expenditures plus debt payments, expressed as a ratio: $(\$334,308)$

$$(\$263,676 + 0) = 1.26$$

The following additional information is available at the municipal office on the waterworks and sewage works:

- Bylaw No. 6-2016 the waterworks rate policy and the capital investment strategy
- Capital plans in place and related sources of funding for projects
- 2015 Financial Overview of the waterworks and sewage works
- Waterworks and Sewage works Reserves
- A copy of the 2016 Waterworks Assessment

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Municipal elections are held every four years for the positions of Mayor and six councilors. The next general election will be held on October 26, 2016. More information on key dates and procedures will be available in the middle of August.

FIRE PIT INSPECTIONS

The snow is gone and the evenings are inviting, which means soon time for hot dog roasts in the back yard again! Remember that as set out in Bylaw No. 9-2004, it is required of all citizens to get new fire pits inspected by the Fire Department.

BUILDING PERMITS

With the building and renovation season starting up, the Town of Preeceville would like to remind everyone that development and building permits are required for most new construction projects and renovations to existing buildings or land and for changes of buildings or land use, this includes sheds, tarp sheds, decks and fences.

These permits ensure your project complies with the Municipal Zoning Bylaw and the National Building Code. If you are unsure if you require a permit, call the Town Office at 547-2810 or visit the "Building Permits" page on our website at www.townofpreeceville.ca.

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