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## Spiritwood Golf Course to open 31 RV sites next spring

An idea that has been 3 years in the making is finally coming to fruition for the owners of the Spiritwood Golf Course. One owner, Jim Bedi, described the province as having been overbuilt with golf courses, making it a very competitive market. Revenues from golf alone were not going to be enough to keep the golf course afloat.

With the help of Golfshape Development Inc., the owners finally settled on a design that suited them and their available space. Construction began this year, overseen by Pete Klassan, to create a park with 26 seasonal sites and 5 daily rental sites.

The current owners, Bevra Fee, Harold Fast, Lloyd Fisher, Ron Schira, and Jim Bedi, acquired the golf course in 2013 and have been trying to improve the course ever since.

In 2014, they employed the help of Lavoie's Machining and Welding to build gates into the course and a sign for every hole on the course. Kayla Heppner was then asked to paint the gates and signs with layouts of each hole and sponsors for certain holes had signs made by Peppermint Signs out of Shell Lake.

Their latest project has led to some additional, unplanned improvements to the course as well. "It sounded simple on paper," said Bedi when talking about the plan to build the park. The group has not been without hurdles as the plan was being developed.

One such hurdle that Bedi described was getting new maps created. Those passed along did not include any modifications made over the previous 25 years.

New mapping was done to accommodate the cutting, elimi-



**Construction of the Spiritwood Golf Course's new RV Park was well underway at the beginning of October. The park is slated to open for camping next spring.**

nating the areas that would be abandoned and including the new areas to be created, which includes 2 new greens and 1 new tee box. The new irrigation system map helped to identify and fix many water issues along the way, improving the greens.

For many years, the golf course has not had potable water, something that was important for the owners if they were to open the RV park. As a result, a new water treatment system was installed, and the first test of the water came

back clean. Both the RV park and the clubhouse now have potable water that is safe for infants.

The park's 5 daily rental sites will be to the north-most side while all the seasonal sites sit to the south closer to the greens. Geotech matting was put under the roadways and pads to help prevent shifting and stabilize the sites. Seasonal campers will be allowed to customize their sites within RM regulations.

All sites are to be equipped with power, water, and a direct

connection to gravity sewer. This means there will not be a need for campers to hire in a septic company to pump out their tanks.

There are plans still to install a shower house and laundromat and to plant trees for wind protection and privacy. In the meantime, seasonal campers will be allowed to request the installation of windbreak between sites. Winter storage will also be an option.

The owners currently have deposits paid on five of the sites and hope to fill the seasonal

sites by next season.

To make space for the intended park, holes 2, 3, and 8 needed to be modified and were slightly disrupted this season. The disruption prompted a reduction in memberships and rates for the season. Youth 15 years of age and under were also allowed to golf for free.

These changes, alongside many other summer activities being cancelled due to the ongoing pandemic, led to a busy course this season with a lot of youth coming out to golf.



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# Local candidates named for Sask. election

With the Saskatchewan's 29th general election just 11 days away, election season is in full swing across the province.

And now that nomination windows are officially closed, voters in the Rosthern-Shellbrook, Saskatchewan Rivers, and Meadow Lake constituencies finally know who their options are.

On his home turf of Rosthern-Shellbrook, Sask. Party leader and current Premier, Scott Moe, will face challenges from the Sask. NDP's Trina Miller, the Green Party of Saskatchewan's Larry Neufeld, and Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan candidate Yvonne Choquette.

As was previously reported, Miller is a mother of a blended family of nine children who resides in Rosthern and works as a Chapter administrator for the Saskatchewan Public Works Association.

She is also an elected School Board Trustee with the Prairie Spirit

School Division Board of Education, representing the communities of Duck Lake, Rosthern, and Hague.

Neufeld, meanwhile works in insurance, and is the CEO of the Regina Lewvan Green Party of Canada Electoral District Association and the vice president of Regina Food for Learning.

He previously ran as a Sask. Green Party candidate in the Regina Lakeview constituency.

Unfortunately, little is known about the PC Party's Choquette, as she only finalized her candidacy over the Thanksgiving long weekend.

Looking at Saskatchewan Rivers, Sask. Party incumbent Nadine Wilson finds herself in the midst of a five-seat contest.

Her biggest challenge will likely come from the Sask. NDP's Lyle Whitefish, a member of the Big River First Nation, and principal of the Mistahi Sipi Elementary School.

In the running for the

Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan is Shaun Harris, a Prince Albert resident who runs his family farm south of St. Walburg and owns a trucking and logging company.

Rounding out the field, Marcia Neault will represent the Sask. Green Party, and Fred Lackie is the candidate for the fledgling Buffalo Party of Saskatchewan.

As latecomers to the race, nothing is known about these two.

Making one last stop in Meadow Lake, Sask. Party incumbent faces challenges from the Sask. NDP's Harmonie King, and the Sask. Green Party's Carol Vandale.

Born and Raised in Meadow Lake, King works for the Meadow Lake Tribal Council as a clinical support worker and is an advocate for mental health services in rural and remote locations.

She is certified in suicide intervention strategies, Mental Health 1st Aid, Psychological 1st Aid and skills for psychological recovery, and has a Youth Care Worker Diploma, and a Bachelors of Social Work Degree.

Vandale, meanwhile,



**Top:** Rosthern-Shellbrook candidates Scott Moe (Sask. Party), Trina Miller (NDP), and Larry Neufeld (Green Party). Missing: Yvonne Choquette (Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan).

**Middle:** Saskatchewan Rivers candidates Nadine Wilson (Sask. Party), Lyle Whitefish (NDP), and Shaun Harris (Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan). Missing: Marcia Neault (Green Party), and Fred Lackie (Buffalo Party of Saskatchewan).

**Bottom:** Meadow Lake candidates Jeremy Harrison (Sask. Party), Harmonie King (NDP), and Carol Vandale (Green Party).

**Advertising Deadline is Friday 4:00 p.m.**

## NOTICE OF CALL FOR FURTHER NOMINATIONS TOWN OF SPIRITWOOD

Public Notice is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office of:

**Councillor: Town of Spiritwood**  
**Number to be Elected: One**

will be received by the returning officer or nomination officer during regular business hours on October 8<sup>th</sup> until October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 at 4:00pm at the Town of Spiritwood Municipal Office, 212 Main Street.

Nominations forms may be obtained at the following locations:

- [www.townofspiritwood.ca](http://www.townofspiritwood.ca)
- Spiritwood Town Office – 212 Main Street

Public Disclosure Statements are required to be submitted with all nominations forms.

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Rhonda Saam  
Returning Officer

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# As nominations close, municipal elections begin

Nomination windows in the municipalities and Rural Municipalities in the coverage area of the *Shellbrook Chronicle and Spiritwood Herald* closed Thursday, and, in many of these communities, ratepayers will be heading to the polls on Monday, Nov. 9.

In Shellbrook, there will be a new Mayor after long-time Mayor George Tomporowski chose to bow out. For ratepayers, this means a choice between veteran councillor Amund Otterson and newcomer Donovan Kultgen.

At the council table, four councillors are in by acclamation, including current councillors David Knight and Kathleen Nording, and fresh faces Jon Hughes and Brent Miller.

With former councillors Lyle Banda, Bruce Clements, and Lois Freeman all stepping aside, two council seats still need to be filled.

In the R.M. of Shellbrook, the sole election will be in Division 3, after councillor Sean Helm opted not to run for office again. His seat will be filled by the winner of the contest between Curtis Bloom and Christine Strube.

In by acclamation, meanwhile, are current Reeve Doug Oleksyn, incumbent Division 1 councillor Cliff Skauge, and long-time Division 5 councillor Derwin Joelson.

Moving west to the town of Spiritwood, ratepayers won't have to bother casting their ballots. Incumbent Mayor Gary von Holwede is in by acclamation, and so, too, are councillors Shannon Beaulac, James Bedi, Brad Namish, George Pretli, and Bryan Wingerter.

With five councillors at the table, the town still needs to fill one more seat.

Elsewhere, in the R.M. of Spiritwood, there will be a single election in Division 1. The contest will pit incumbent Doug Johnson against challenger Larry Vaagen. In by acclamation, meanwhile, are Reeve Shirley Dauvin, Division 3 councillor Terry Wingerter, and Division 5 councillor Jerome Tetrault.

Looking at the Town of Blaine Lake, ratepayers are spoiled for choice. When it comes to mayor, they'll have three options to choose from, including incumbent Al Sorenson, and new chal-

lengers Ernest Crowder and Matthew Hutchings.

Additionally, after councillors Kitty Larson and Barb Woytiuk chose not to run again, there are 12 people in the running to fill six open council seats. Candidate include, Jason Weber (incumbent), Darlene Harder, Rodger Pederson, Morris Woytiuk, Lyndon Johnson, Chris Brown, Bev Breland (incumbent), Melissa Johnson, Kyle Onishenko (incumbent), Jim Simmons, Jennifer Guknecht, and Deborah Rodwin (incumbent).

The R.M. of Blaine lake will also see multiple elections, including a three-way contest for Reeve between Gerry Strelloff, Glenn Lamontagne, and Christine Dargin-Linsley. Former Reeve William Chalmers opted not to run for another term.

In Division 1, voters will have a choice between Michael Chudskov and Brian Verbonac, after councillor Walter Kabaroff declined to throw his hat in the ring again.

And in Division 5, incumbent John Priestley will face a challenge from Ryan Dagenais.

Elsewhere, with no other candidates in the running, Courtney Swystun was acclaimed to fill the vacant Division 3 seat.

Moving north along Highway 40, Marcellin's ratepayers will have no vote when it comes to their mayor, as incumbent Dennis Ferster was elected via acclamation.

When it comes to councillors, there will be six candidates vying to fill the

four available council seats, including Craig Verbonac (incumbent), Craig Bowering, Lindsay Chmil, Lynn McCormick (incumbent), Brian Diehl (incumbent), Tom Hatfield (incumbent).

In Leask, former councillor JoAnne Lapierre will move into the Mayor's seat via acclamation, after former Mayor Arthur Spriggs opted not to run again.

Ratepayers will get to choose their council, as Valerie Priestly, Shea Donohue, Murray Donohue, Warren Morley, and Zach Waldner vie for the four open seats. Former councillors Gordon Harris, Brian Galambos, and Thomas Spriggs all chose not to run again.

As for the R.M. of Leask, the Reeve election will be a contest between Craig Hamilton and long-time Division 4 councillor Edward Musich, with the victor replacing former Reeve Len Cantin.

There will be no such contest for councillors, as Keith Junk was acclaimed to fill the Division 1 seat of Grant Thiel, incumbent Gordon Stieb was acclaimed to the Division 4 seat, and incumbent Robert Girod was acclaimed in Division 5.

In the final stop along Highway 40, there will be an election for councillors in the Village of Parkside. As of Tuesday morning, the *Chronicle and Herald* hadn't received the names of the candidates in the running to fill the two available seats.

Along Highway 55, voters in Canwood will face a mayoral contest between cur-

rent Mayor Robert Thompson and current councillor Lloyd Bather.

The election for council, meanwhile, will be a true race, with 10 people vying for four seats at the table. Candidates include: Lorne Benson, Shirley Danberg, Joe English (incumbent), Robert Francoeur, Larry Freeman (incumbent), Svend Hansen, John Johnson, Ken Moar, Jeff Sipes (incumbent), and Jennifer Goodyear.

As for Big River, the nominations for the mayoral race have yet to be announced.

That said, Rick Croshaw,

Chad Dunn, and Sandra Gilbert were acclaimed as councillors. But with Marlene Krawetz and Carla Chadwick not running again, there remains one seat to be filled.

Division 1 will see a contest, however the *Chronicle and Herald* has yet to receive the names of the nominees. Division 5 saw no volunteers throw their names in the hat, prompting a call for further nominations.

In Debden, Mayor Rod

Fisher was acclaimed to another term, and five councillors are competing for four seats after Normand Poirier and Todd Fry opted not to run. Those contestants are Paulin Beaulac (incumbent), Raymond Brad, Cecile Compagna, Norman Cyr (incumbent), and Jennifer Goodyear.

Shifting to Shell Lake, it will be all the same faces around the council table, as Mayor Anita Weiers and councillors Greg Ardagh, Dillon Simonar, Joseph Delisle, and Al Sulymka are all in by acclamation.

By contrast, it will be almost exclusively fresh faces at the council table in the R.M. of Medstead. Former councillors Tracy Lockart and Bernie McClean are vying for Reeve, after former Reeve Ronald Jesse opted not to run again, but all the councillors are new.

Brad Moore steps in as Division 1 councillor, Gary Drieschner fills the Division 3 seat, Terrel Hill is Division 4 councillor, Jacob LaClare steps into the Division 5 role, and Bryn Casson takes over in Division 6.

Last but not least, Leo-ville will see an election to fill four council seats. The nominees have yet to be named.



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## Strom receives long overdue vindication

Though quotations, especially from those who have long been dead, are notoriously tricky to pin down, 18th century Irish statesman Edmund Burke is often credited with writing, "The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing."

Whether or not Mr. Burke penned the quote as we know it today, it still holds water in the 21st century.

It's a pity, then, so many of our institutions have been built to make it almost impossible for the proverbial "good apples" to speak out against the "rotten ones" without risking their careers, reputations, or lives.

We see this in policing, where the very few "bad



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cops" are protected by the blue wall of silence, an unwritten code that insulates bad actors from deserved critique, and punishes the "good cops" who attempt to uphold the law.

And in Saskatchewan, at least, we've seen it in nursing and long-term care as

well.

When her grandfather spent a week in palliative care at St. Joseph's Healthcare Centre in Macklin, Sask., prior to his death in 2015, Carolyn Strom chose to speak out about the care he received.

Taking to Facebook and Twitter a few weeks after her grandfather's death, the nurse wrote, "My grandfather spent a week in palliative care before he died and after hearing about his and my family's experience there, it is evident that not everyone is 'up to speed' on how to approach end of life care or how to help maintain an ageing senior's dignity.

"I challenge the people involved in decision making with that facility to

please get all your staff a refresher on this topic and more. Don't get me wrong, 'some' people have provided excellent care so I thank you so very much for your efforts, but to those who made Grandpa's last years less than desirable, please do better next time."

Granted, social media might not have been the best arena for Ms. Strom to voice her concerns.

But her points were made in the best interest of the public, with the hope of spurring positive change in palliative and long-term care in the province.

If any change did happen, it was overshadowed by a campaign to discredit Ms. Strom, or silence her by burying her in debt.

A formal complaint was filed with the Saskatchewan Registered Nurses Association (SRNA), accusing her of professional misconduct.

And, rather bizarrely, the association's disciplinary



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committee sided with the complainant(s). In the end, it ruled that Ms. Strom had gone too far by venting her frustrations on social media, rather than going through the "proper channels," leaving her facing a \$26,000 fine.

In 2018, the punishment was upheld by the Prince Albert Court of Queen's Bench.

But, even in the face of that defeat, Ms. Strom refused to give up her fight.

Early last week, she received long overdue vindication from the Saskatchewan Court of Appeals, which quashed the SRNA's finding of misconduct.

While the SRNA's legal team tried to argue Ms. Strom attacked an identifiable group without obtaining all the facts, the court ruled her freedom of expression was infringed upon, and she had a right to criticize the care her grandfather received.

What's more, it ruled

that criticism of the health care system is in the public interest, and that, when it comes from frontline workers, it can bring positive change.

While the SRNA is still mulling its next steps, and Ms. Strom's ordeal may not yet be over, the Court of Appeals' ruling is both a victory for free speech and a triumph of good over the forces seeking to silence it.

Could Ms. Strom have aired her concerns in a more "professional" or "appropriate" way? Certainly.

But this question should never have been the focus. And, in a field like healthcare, the needs of patients must always come before personal pride.

In the wake of last week's ruling, Ms. Strom, who still works as a nurse, will hopefully be able to return to life as normal.

And, going forward, we can only hope other nurses will possess the courage she did.

## Sask. has a choice at the polls

Dear editor,

As we go to the polls this October 26th, Saskatchewan voters have a choice: Fascism or Marxism. Which political party is the lesser of two evils?

Our NDP's campaign platform, the Regina Manifesto, is a mirror image of the Communist Manifesto.

Our Saskatchewan Party, under the leadership of Premier Scott Moe, firmly embraced Fascism with their draconian measures to a respiratory virus that is no worse than a flu.

Our leadership stated what was important: education wasn't, health practitioners weren't, small business wasn't, Church wasn't, but big government was.

After seven months we remain under emergency measures to what they claim is

a pandemic and we needed to flatten the curve. Is it a pandemic? A quick read of pandemic's clinical definition and review of the world numbers show otherwise. We are not in a pandemic.

What do I imply when I shout Fascism? My usage is not akin to Brown Shirts or Hitler or Nazi. Because Hitler was an avowed Socialist. No, fascist is akin to Giovanni Gentile's coined phrase, where individuals willingly subordinate themselves to the state. Or, akin to the textbook definition of "a tendency toward or actual exercise of strong autocratic or dictatorial control." Clearly, this shoe fits Scott Moe and our current Sask. Party MLAs.

So, who do we vote for? Do we have a choice? Yes we do, The Buffalo Party.

Randy Schiller, Weyburn, Sask.

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# Shellbrook Curling Club releases COVID guidelines

With action set to resume at curling rinks across the province in the coming weeks and months, the Shellbrook Curling Club has released its own return to play document for local rink users.

The club's COVID-19 guidelines come a little over a month after CURLSASK released its own return to play rules and regulations, and borrow heavily from those rules, as well as recommendations from Curling Canada.

To help limit the spread of COVID-19, all of the facility's high-touch surfaces, including rocks, scorecards, doors, and handles, will be cleaned after each game.

Additionally, hand sanitizer will be made available to all users on the ice and in the lounge (though, curlers can bring their own), and masks will be mandatory when entering and exiting the building, as close contact may be unavoidable in these areas.

Masks, however, will not be required while players or on the ice, or seated at their tables in the lounge.

In the lounge, tables will be arranged to allow two metres of space between teams. Additionally, the Shellbrook Curling Club is requesting that teams take turns at the bar, and limit the number of players coming up to the bar.

When it comes to equipment, the Shellbrook Curling Club will make a limited number of its own brooms, sticks, and sliders available for member use each night, but players are encouraged to bring their own equipment. All rental equipment will be sanitized after each game.

Similarly, lockers will still be provided for the storage of brooms and shoes, but players are encouraged to come dressed and ready to play.

To aid with contact tracing in the case of COVID-19 exposure,

registered members will be added to a roster checklist, and their attendance will be tracked every evening they curl.

These records will be kept by the Town of Shellbrook for one month, and a similar checklist will be made for the lounge to keep track of spectators who spend more than 15

minutes in the building.

Finally, all doors in the facility that can be left open will remain open during times of occupancy, and on-ice signage will be installed to direct the flow of traffic for players.

As for the action on the ice, only one player will be permitted to sweep all delivering stones. The person in



**When action resumes at the Shellbrook Curling Club, close calls, like this one from the 2020 Open Bonspiel, will be interesting to navigate.**

charge of the house is not permitted to sweep under any circumstances, and the skips of the non-delivering rock can't sweep, and must remain at the hack until all stones come to a rest.

Additionally, no player shall touch another player's rock in preparation for a shot or any other circumstances.

In further guidelines for play, all rocks for each sheet will be lined up on the left-hand side of the sheet to prevent contact with other sheets, and sweepers and delivering team players will travel on the right-hand side of the sheet and return on the left.

Non-delivering team players, meanwhile, must wait in designated areas on the ice while the other team delivers its stone.

In a few last items, players are encouraged to pay registration fees

via e-transfer, and must sign a one-time declaration of compliance and a waiver.

At this time, the club is also abiding by CURLSASK's bonspiel

guidelines, which allow such events for local members only and prohibit banquets.

The club says it will make plans for this in the new year.

[Section 78(1) of the Act]

## NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT OF POLL TOWN OF BIG RIVER

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act* for the office(s) of:

### 3 Councillors: Town of Big River

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said office(s) will take place and declare the following persons are elected by acclamation:

Rick Croshaw, Councillor  
Chad Dunn, Councillor  
Sandra Gilbert, Councillor

Being that there is still a vacant seat for the office of Council, a Notice of Call for Further Nominations will be given that nominations of candidates for the offices of One (1) Councillor will be accepted until October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020, at 4:00 pm at the Town of Big River Municipal Office located at 606 1<sup>st</sup> Street North, Big River, SK.

Dated at Big River, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Noreen Olsen  
Returning Officer

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[Section 78 of the Act]

## Notice of Call for Further Nominations TOWN OF BIG RIVER

**Councillor:** Town of Big River – Number to be Elected: one (1)  
The returning officer or nomination officer will receive nominations of candidates for the above office:

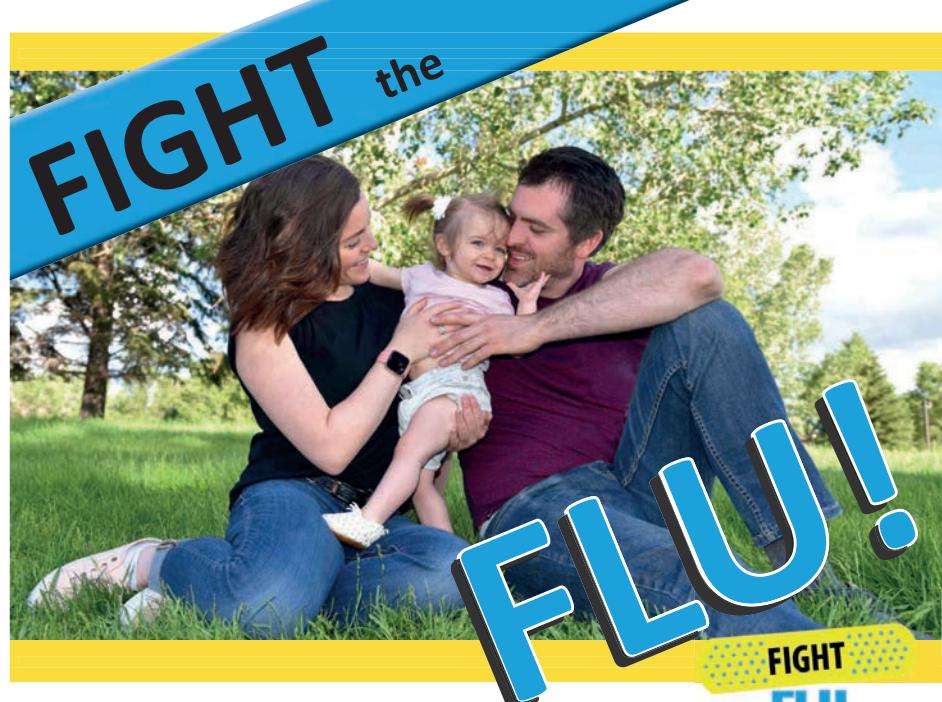
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- (b) on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2020, from 8:30 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the Town of Big River's Public Municipal Office, 606 1<sup>st</sup> Street North, Big River, Saskatchewan.

Nomination forms must be accompanied by a completed version of the Town of Big River's Public Disclosure Statement, as required pursuant to *The Municipalities Act*, and *The Local Government Election Act*, 2015.

Nomination forms, along with the Town of Big River Public Disclosure Form, may be obtained from the Town Office.

Dated at Big River this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Noreen Olsen,  
Returning Officer



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**Please note:** Submissions will be accepted up until the November 5 edition of the Chronicle & Herald, and **must** be submitted by 4 p.m. the Friday before you'd like your bio to appear.

# Premier Moe self-monitoring for COVID-19 symptoms

Saskatchewan Party Leader Scott Moe is self-monitoring for COVID-19 symptoms after a potential exposure to the novel coronavirus during a recent campaign event.

On Sunday, the Saskatchewan Health Authority issued a COVID-19 exposure alert for Econo Lumber in Prince Albert. The alert said the potential exposure occurred on Oct. 3, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

At 10 a.m. that same day, the Sask. Party held a campaign event at the business, at which it announced a tax cut for small businesses. That event was attended by Moe, as well as Sask. Party candidates Joe Hargrave, Alana Ross and Jeremy Harrison.

According to the Sask. Party, neither Moe, nor the members of his team who attended the event, have displayed any symptoms of COVID-19. All are currently self-monitoring for symptoms for the next 14 days, in accordance with public health advice.

"The business owner has confirmed that no attendees or participants in the announcement had contact with the individual that was the source of the potential exposure alert, nor were they in the same area of the individual," said Jim Billington, a spokesperson for the Sask. Party campaign.

"During the announcement, a number of precautionary measures were in place including physical distancing, mask usage and hand sanitization."

## NOTICE OF ADVANCED POLL

The Rural Municipality of Medstead No. 497  
Municipal Election 2020

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given that:

A vote will be held for the election of Reeve.  
Advanced voting will take place on Friday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020, 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at:

Medstead Municipal Office  
Council Chambers  
209 Second Street, Medstead, Sask.

I will declare the voting results at the Medstead Municipal Office on Tuesday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at the hour of 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Medstead, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Christin Egeland  
Returning Officer

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Christin Egeland  
Returning Officer

## Amund Otterson for Mayor of Shellbrook

I, Amund Otterson, long time Shellbrook resident, wish to publicly announce my candidacy for the position of Mayor in the upcoming Town of Shellbrook election. I have served as a councillor since being elected in 2007.

I was born into a successful farm family in southern Saskatchewan in 1951. I am the eldest of seven children and lucky to be from a family that holds education highly. I was encouraged to attend university and received a bachelor of education degree from the University of Saskatchewan in 1973. My degree is in secondary education with a major in chemistry minors in math and geography.

I became a teacher. However, I have never lost my ties to the farm and the associated work ethic.

My work experience is primarily in education, having enjoyed a 30-year career in W. P. Sandin High School.

My wife, Terry, and I moved here in 1973, after being recruited by the Parkland School Division to teach high school

Chemistry and other subjects. I also enjoyed coaching extra curricular sports and student leadership mentoring. Go Aardvarks!

I have continued to work post-retirement, and, during the past three years, I have been the Project Manager for the Recreation Project Steering Committee, managing rink upgrades valued over \$2 million.

As a community member, I have enjoyed being part of various service clubs and organizations, including the Shellbrook Kinsmen Club, the St Agatha Knights of Columbus, the Shellbrook Business Association, the Shellbrook Curling Club, the Shellbrook Golf club and Minor Sports.

During my time as a town council member, I have served on the Public works committee, the Finance Committee, the Shellbrook and Districts Health Services foundation as the Town representative, the Town representative on the library board, the Shellbrook Golf Club Town Representative,



and Chaired the Parkland Doctor Recruitment and Retention Committee.

We have had a strong, stable council seeing us through major upgrades to waste water treatment to comply with environmental standards, the rehabilitation of water and sewer pipelines to head off failure due to aging and material breakdown, and the construction of residential and commercial infrastructure as our population has grown.

The town's next major upgrade will be to the water treatment plant. The current council has sought technical solutions that are designed to both increase the storage capacity and mitigate some of the

undesirable characteristics of our water, and I would endeavour to build a strong governance team to carry out these plans.

Volunteer and town council projects I am especially proud of include, the renovation of the Community Hall, the expansion of the Golf Course irrigation system, managing the landscaping and infrastructure at the Parkland Integrated Health Care Facility on behalf of the Town of Shellbrook, providing a "soft landing" for a number of medical doctors and nurse practitioners, and the ongoing upgrades to the arena.

My beliefs for local government include transparency, inclusion, the rule of law, sustainability, adapting to climate change and fiscal responsibility.

I strive to be a lifelong learner, and I feel that I have the factual knowledge, education, experience, time, and energy to serve as the Mayor of Shellbrook.

Please support me with your vote in the upcoming election.

## [Section 81 of The Act] NOTICE OF POLL VILLAGE OF PARKSIDE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

- 1) A poll has been granted for the election of:  
Councillor: (2) Village of Parkside
- 2) Voting will take place on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the following polling place:  
Village of Parkside Office  
2 Main Street, Parkside, SK
- 3) I will declare the result of the election at the Village of Parkside Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at the hour of 9:30 a.m.

Dated at Parkside, Saskatchewan this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Gwen Olson  
Returning Officer

VOTER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED TO VOTE

## NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT OF POLL

The Rural Municipality of Medstead No. 497  
2020 Municipal Elections

Whereas the following, being nominated for the office of Councillor, are the only candidates for those offices, I hereby give notice that no voting will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

**Councillor, Division 1: BRAD MOORE**  
**Councillor, Division 3: GARY DRIESCHNER**  
**Councillor, Division 4: TERREL HILL**  
**Councillor, Division 5: JACOB LACLARE**  
**Councillor, Division 6: BRYN CASSON**

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Christin Egeland  
Returning Officer

## Smokey's Auto Service

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## The Village of Leoville NOTICE OF POLL AND NOTICE OF ADVANCE POLL

Public Notice is hereby given that

- (1) In addition to the Municipal Election on Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. at Leoville Seniors Hall at 44 Main Street, Leoville, SK  
For Office of Mayor of the Village of Leoville  
And Councillor – Village of Leoville – four (4) to be Elected
  - (2) An Advance Poll will be held on Wednesday, November 4, 2020 between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the Leoville Seniors Hall at 44 Main Street, Leoville, SK
  - (3) I will declare the results of the election at the Leoville Village Office, 22 Main Street, Leoville, Saskatchewan on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.
- Dated at Leoville, Saskatchewan this 9th day of October, 2020.
- Mona Chalifour  
Returning Officer

# AGRICULTURE

SHELLBROOK CHRONICLE & SPIRITWOOD HERALD

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## International trade waters keep getting murkier

International trade seems like it should be the easiest thing in the world to make work smoothly.

In the best possible scenario you would look to find which countries do things best, at the lowest cost, with an eye to worker safety and that is where you would want to buy product from.

Yes, that is an over simplification of the process since there are numerous factors at play, in particular the exchange rates of international currencies, and the cost of international transportation, being two that come immediately to mind.

However, where the real barriers to making trade flow in a more 'natural' way is because of politics.

The influence of politicians on trade is massive, and simply put hard to understand, and harder still for markets to predict.

Typically such interferences manifest themselves as various tariffs and regulations imposed to limit market access to certain things, or from certain countries.

It is typical of two countries arguing over even minor disputes to impose trade barriers to apply pressure for a resolution of the dis-



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pute in their favour. If the tariffs and regulation happen to be on an agriculture product farmers in some company are suddenly being squeezed as their government dukes it out with some

other country.

Politicians also get into the act of muddying trade waters when they seek to appease their own people by protectionist actions. We have seen an increase of this of late as countries, led by the United States, look inward in terms of trade.

This one is more understandable, at least on a philosophical level. There is a level of common sense to wanting to, for example, buy Canadian. It makes sense that people should want to support industry jobs in their own country.

However, the question

that follows is at what cost that support is reasonable. If you can import shirts, cars or wheat from another country at a lower cost to consumers, is that reasonable to do?

Of course the rules and regulations of trade are supposed to be made clearer, and protected from the all the interferences of politicians when trade deals are inked.

The most obvious one for Canadians is the North American Free Trade Agreement, although at present CETA (the Canada-EU deal born in 2017) is getting more press as EU countries

appear to be meddling with regulations even with a deal in place.

Therein lies the issue. Trade deals in principle are a good thing, but only if both sides wish to honour the details. Even with NAFTA, the pork, beef, wheat and soft wood lumber sectors have had to go through extensive and costly litigation to get the US access the deal outlined.

Moving forward how such deals stand up to increased protectionism will be interesting to watch, especially for an export reliant Canadian farm sector.

## What to do to prepare your garden for winter

Gardens provide an idyllic escape from the hustle and bustle of everyday life. In fact, many gardening enthusiasts typically cannot wait for the spring thaw so they can spend the next several months tending to their plants under the warm sun. But a gardener's work is never truly done, and the work to make gardens stun in the spring actually begins during the preceding fall.

Preparing gardens for winter is an important step that can help homeowners ensure their gardens return to full strength in the spring. The tasks necessary to prepare gar-

dens for winter may depend on what homeowners are planting, but the following are some general maintenance suggestions that can keep gardens safe this winter.

• Remove weeds and debris. Weeds and debris are unsightly and detrimental to plant life in spring, but they also can be harmful in the winter. Weeds and debris left to linger in gardens through the winter provide overwintering spots for insects and can contribute to disease. So it's imperative that weeds and debris are removed before the ground hardens in winter. Don't wait until

the ground hardens, as that can make it hard to remove the roots of weeds, adversely affecting the garden as a result.

• Prepare the soil. The Farmer's Almanac advises homeowners to gently till the soil in their gardens so they can expose any insects before they settle in for the winter. Once garden soil is exposed, add a layer of compost, leaves, aged manure, and, if necessary, lime, gently tilling it into the soil. According to the North Carolina Cooperative Extension, the only accurate way to determine if lawn or garden soil needs

lime is to test it. Lime makes soil less acidic and reduces soil pH. Low soil pH makes it hard for certain plants to grow, but acidic soil is ideal when growing blueberries. Test the soil for lime and amend it depending on what you hope to grow in the spring so it's ready to thrive when winter ends.

• Remove dead or diseased plants. Dead or diseased plants should not be left in the garden through the winter. These plants can attract insects and are vulnerable to disease, which can make it hard for the garden to thrive in the spring.

• Protect fruit trees. If you have fruit trees, install mouse guards around the base to prevent mice and voles from killing the trees over the winter. If left to their own devices over the winter, mice and voles may eat the bark of fruit trees, killing the trees as a result. The Farmer's Almanac notes that mouse guards made of fine mesh hardware cloth can effectively protect fruit trees from hungry mice and voles over the winter.

A gardener's work is never done, and the work to create beautiful spring gardens begins in the fall.

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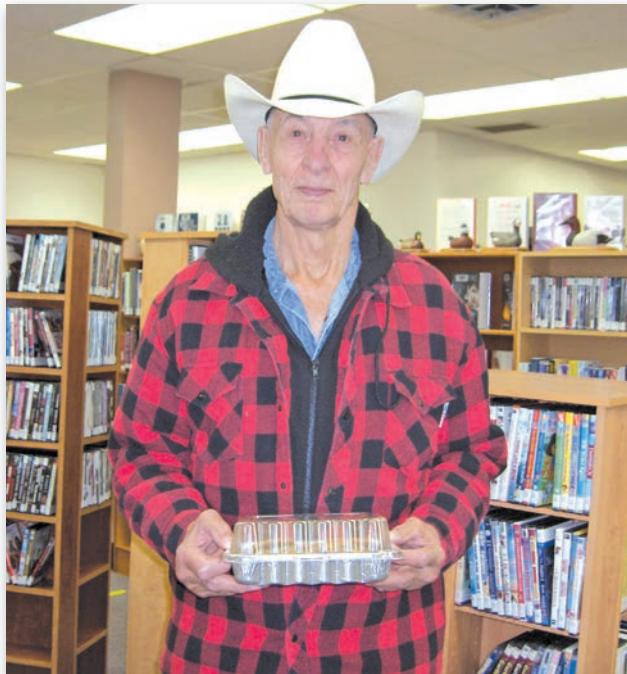
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# Jim Anderson wins October Dessert of the Month



Jim Anderson took home the Spiritwood Library's October Dessert of the Month made by Kay Willson.

## TOWN OF SHELLBROOK



[Section 78(1) of the Act]

### NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT OF POLL

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act* for the office(s) of:

**4 Councillors:** Town of Shellbrook

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said office(s) will take place and declare the following persons are elected by acclamation:

Kathleen Nording, Councillor  
David Knight, Councillor  
John Hughes, Councillor  
Brent Miller, Councillor

Being that there are still 2 vacant seats for the office of Council, a Notice of Call for Further Nominations will be given that nominations of candidates for the offices of Two (2) Councillors will be accepted until October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 at 4:00pm at the Shellbrook Town Office.

Dated at Shellbrook, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Kelly Hoare  
(Returning Officer)

## TOWN OF SHELLBROOK



### NOTICE OF CALL FOR FURTHER NOMINATIONS

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office(s) of:

**Councillors: Town of Shellbrook**

**Number to be elected: 2**

will be received by the undersigned Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:00pm until the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2020 at the Shellbrook Municipal Office.

Due to COVID-19, nomination forms may be obtained in the following ways:

- Call ahead (306) 747-4900, we will deliver curbside
- From our website - [www.townofshellbrook.ca](http://www.townofshellbrook.ca)
- In person @ 71 Main

*Criminal record check must accompany all nomination forms*

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020

Kelly Hoare, Returning Officer

# First Thickwood Hills Adventures Arts and Crafts Show a success

### Submitted by Doreen Kemp

The first annual Thickwood Hills Adventures Arts and Crafts Show is in the books, and owners Doreen Kemp and Bryant Churko, who hosted the show and sale on Sept. 18, 19 and 20, say the credit for its success goes to all who participated.

"I was inspired to have this show because my Mother who passed in 1994 left me many beautiful paintings which she did upon retirement. I wanted to show her work" says Doreen Kemp.



Many vendors from all over Saskatchewan brought paintings, photography, food items, knitted wares, wild herbal teas, essential oils, handmade wooden crafts such as bird houses, benches and tree boxes, cleaning products, produce, jewellery and more.

The barbequed food was delicious, and was prepared by Bev and Darrell Pollard. Lil's Diner provided the yummy pies.

The entertainment and sing-a-long was sure fun!

Thickwood Hills Adventures began in mind a few years ago when Doreen and Bryant moved to a quarter section on the Lac La

Peche grid, eight kilometres west of the Lac La Peche Resort.

"We came here to create a self-sustainable eco-community and health/wellness centre."

"We are completely off grid, which was a challenge in the beginning, but we have mastered most of that type of living and are on to creating projects such as a pyramid, root cellar with outdoor kitchen, greenhouse gardening and more."

Our website is [thickwoodhill-adventures.com](http://thickwoodhill-adventures.com).

You can email us at [doreen-kemp@sasktel.net](mailto:doreen-kemp@sasktel.net), or call 306 549-0028 for more info.



### Notice of Advance Poll

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for the Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division - Subdivision No. 4 at:

Poll No. 30	POLLING PLACE	ADDRESS
	Shellbrook Elementary Public School	100 - 3rd Ave. East Shellbrook, SK

Voting will take place on Wednesday, November 4, 2020 between the hours of 12:00 noon and 8:00 p.m.

*Jerrold Pidborochynski, Returning Officer*

### Notice of Poll

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

1. A poll has been granted for the election of:  
Board Member: Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division No. 119 – Subdivision No. 4
2. Voting will take place on **Monday, the 9th day of November, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** at the polling places listed below.
3. I will declare the result of the election at the Education Centre, Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division No. 119 at 545 – 11 Street East, Prince Albert, Saskatchewan on the 10th day of November, 2020 at the hour of 4:00 p.m.

	POLLING PLACE	ADDRESS
Poll No. 19	Wild Rose School	5 Miles North of Holbein, SK
Poll No. 20	Shellbrook Elementary Public School	100 - 3rd Ave. East Shellbrook, SK
Poll No. 21	Parkside Heritage Centre	Parkside, SK

*Jerrold Pidborochynski, Returning Officer*



### Notice of Abandonment of Poll

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act, 2015* for the office(s) of:

**Board Member:  
Saskatchewan Rivers Public School Division No. 119  
Subdivision No. 1, 2, 3 & 5**

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said offices will take place and that the following persons have been elected by acclamation:

**Subdivision No. 1**  
**Subdivision No. 2**  
**Subdivision No. 3**  
**Subdivision No. 5**

William Yeaman  
Darlene Rowden  
Jamie B. Smith-Windsor  
Bill Gerow

Dated at Prince Albert, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

*Jerrold Pidborochynski, Returning Officer*

# Options abound when shopping for home siding

Home improvement projects run the gamut from minor repairs to complete overhauls. Replacing exterior siding is one of the most significant home improvement projects homeowners can undertake. Such a project can give homes a completely new look, which is why choice of siding is such an important decision.

Homeowners have many siding options to choose from, and the following guide can help them make the best choice for their homes.

## Vinyl siding

Vinyl siding is easily maintained and among the more budget-friendly siding options. According to the home improvement resource HomeAdvisor, vinyl siding is made from a PVC plastic that does not rot or flake. Siding professionals note that the technology used to create vinyl siding has changed considerably

in recent years, making this option more diverse than traditional vinyl siding. So homeowners turned off by the potentially plastic look of vinyl siding might be surprised at how different modern vinyl siding looks compared to the vinyl siding of yesteryear.

## Fiber-cement siding

The home improvement television network HGTV notes that fiber-cement siding has grown in popularity among homeowners in recent years. This material does not require much maintenance and it's non-flammable and resistant to termites. HomeAdvisor notes that fiber-cement siding can create the look of wood, stucco or masonry, making it a versatile option capable of creating various looks. In addition, fiber-cement siding is known for its durability, with some products coming with warran-

ties lasting as long as 50 years.

## Wood siding

Homeowners have many choices if they prefer wood siding on their homes. Cedar, cypress, fir, pine, and spruce are just a handful of the many wood siding options homeowners can choose from. HomeAdvisor notes that cedar shingle siding offers a natural

look that blends well in wooded and waterfront landscapes. Wood clapboard siding is another popular option, though it tends to require more maintenance than cedar shingle siding. Homeowners who want wood siding should discuss their options with an experienced siding professional, as many factors, including the choice of wood, must be consid-

ered before making a final decision.

## Stone and stone-veneer siding

Many homeowners fall in love with the natural appeal of stone, but the price tag, which tends to be costly, may not be as awe-inspiring. HGTV notes that stone can be difficult to add to an existing home, and doing so may drive the price up even further. Stone siding is durable, and there are many options, including solid stone and natural stone cladding, that make this an option capable of providing an array of looks. Stone-veneer siding is less expensive than natural stone and also comes

in an array of styles. As is the case with wood, stone siding options are so extensive that homeowners are urged to discuss each one with a siding professional before making their decisions.

These are just a handful of the many siding options homeowners can choose from. Siding can give homes a completely new look, making choice of siding a significant decision worthy of careful consideration.

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## Notice of Abandonment of Poll

The Rural Municipality of Leask No. 464  
Municipal Election 2020  
Division No. 1

Whereas Keith Junk, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division 1, is the only candidate, I hereby give notice that no voting for the office will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Dated at Leask this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Judy Douglas  
Returning Officer

## Notice of Abandonment of Poll

The Rural Municipality of Leask No. 464  
Municipal Election 2020  
Division No. 3

Whereas Gordon Stieb, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division 3, is the only candidate, I hereby give notice that no voting for the office will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Dated at Leask this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Judy Douglas  
Returning Officer

## Notice of Abandonment of Poll

The Rural Municipality of Leask No. 464  
Municipal Election 2020  
Division No. 5

Whereas Robert Girod, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division 5, is the only candidate, I hereby give notice that no voting for the office will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Dated at Leask this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Judy Douglas  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF ADVANCE POLL

The Rural Municipality of Leask No. 464

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the council has made provision for advance voting for the benefit of qualified voters who have reason to believe that they will be necessarily absent from their places of residence on election day.

Advance voting will take place on Wednesday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.

at: The Lions Community Hall, Railway Avenue, Leask, Sk.  
Dated at Leask, Saskatchewan, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Judy Douglas  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF POLL

The Rural Municipality of Leask No. 464

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:  
A vote will be held for the election of:

Reeve

The vote will take place on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at:

The Lion's Community Hall  
Railway Avenue, Leask, Sk.

I will declare the result of the voting at the Leask Municipal Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 at the hour of 9:30 a.m.

Dated at Leask, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Judy Douglas  
Returning Officer

[Section 81 of the Act]

## NOTICE OF POLL

Village of Leask

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

1. A poll has been granted for the election of:  
Councillor – Village of Leask – four (4) to be Elected
2. Voting will take place on Wednesday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the polling place at the Leask Community Hall on Railway Avenue.
3. I will declare the results of the election at the Village Office, at 15 Main Street, Leask, SK on the 10th day of November, 2020 at 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Leask, Saskatchewan this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

DeAnne Robblee  
Returning Officer

[Sections 83 and 84 of the Act]

## NOTICE OF ADVANCE POLL

Village of Leask

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for electors who:

1. are physically disabled
2. have been appointed as election officials, or
3. anticipate being unable to vote on the day of election.

Voting will take place on Saturday, October 31, 2020 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. at the polling place at the Leask Community Hall on Railway Avenue.

Dated at Leask, Saskatchewan this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

DeAnne Robblee  
Returning Officer

# Shellbrook Library has big plans for Library Week

**By Dian Campbell**

Library Week is coming up October 18-24.

Stop into the library to purchase a ticket on our Library Week Basket Raffle. Tickets are \$2.00 apiece or 3/\$5.00.

Library Week –Come Story Stroll with us!!

Our Story Stroll is an innovative and exciting way for children and adults to enjoy reading and the outdoors at the same time. We are very excited to bring our first ‘Story Stroll’ to the community.

The Story Stroll consists of 11 stations set up along Shellbrook Main Street. Follow the path

to enjoy a sweet pumpkin story book.

The Story Stroll will be set up during Library Week October 19-23.

Families can enjoy the stroll anytime during the week. You can also register at the Library to receive a package of learning mate-

rials to go with the story. For more information contact the Library at 306-747-3419.

Our Story Stroll made possible with a grant from The Saskatchewan Library Association.

Who misses you??? We do!! The Library is very quiet without all the children. We have been miss-

ing you. Although we can't get together for Story Time quite yet, we wanted to remind you of our Story Bin Program.

We have seven Story Bins full of books and activities for your children to enjoy at home. Pop into the library and pick up some reading fun for your kids.



Raffle Basket for Library Week



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# Minutes of an RM of Canwood meeting

(Where necessary, the following minutes may have been edited for clarity or brevity)

A regular meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Canwood No. 494 was held at the Seniors' Room (Elks Hall) in Canwood on Aug. 18, 2020, commencing at 9:07 a.m.

Present were Reeve Lyndon Pease, Administrator Lorna Benson and the following Councilors for their respective divisions: #1 Ralph Korody, #2 Dennis Benke, #3 Levi Schutte, #4 Ray Duret #5 Richard De Bruijn, and #6 Leonard Smith.

Delegations: 9:30 a.m. Dwight Diehl, Public Works Supervisor, Municipal Operations Update, 1:00 p.m. Councilor Indemnity

Duret: That the minutes of the July 14, 2020, Regular Council Meeting be approved as presented. Carried

Benke: That the minutes of the July 14, 2020, Public Hearing be ap-

proved as presented. Carried

Benke: That the Statement of Financial Activities for the month of July 2020 for the R.M. General Account be approved as presented. Carried

Korody: That we approve the payments as listed on the attached account listing for a total of \$408,615.57, Council Direct Deposits for August and Payroll Direct Deposits for 2020 Pay Period 14, 15 and 16. Carried

Public Works Supervisor Dwight Diehl attended the meeting at 9:30 a.m.

Smith: That we sell the white 2005 GMC 3500 truck, Serial Number 1GDHK33G75F956289,

to Highway 55 Waste Management Corporation at a cost of \$3,500.00, effective July 27, 2020. Carried

Korody: That in the matter of the Tractor Tender for Two - 1982

4640 John Deere Tractors we accept the bids as follows:

• Unit #62 \$6,000.00  
Jeff Saam, Shell Lake

• Unit #65 \$9,100.00  
Jeff Saam, Shell Lake.  
Carried

Benke: That we acknowledge the minutes of the Public Works Committee Meeting of July 21, 2020. Carried

Schutte: That we approve the approach construction application of Shawn Sten, Stump Lake, Sask., on the NE 15-52-04 W3. Carried

Schutte: That we approve the approach construction application of Roger Reimer, Prince Albert, Sask., at Lot 33, Plan 102061392, Sunset Street, Filion Lake (South). Carried

Korody: That we approve the time-off request of Dwight Diehl to take August 28 and 31, and September 1-4, 2020, as part of his vacation entitlement. Carried

Public Works Supervisor Dwight Diehl left the meeting at 12:40 p.m.

Smith: That we approve the Council's Indemnity as presented.

Carried

Duret: That we instruct the Administrator to prepare a bylaw to establish a mail-in ballot voting system and present it to Council at the September Council meeting. Carried

Benke: That in the matter of tax arrears outstanding on NW 24-53-07 W3, we accept the following payment proposal:

1. \$1,000.00 payment on July 22, 2020;
2. \$1,000.00 payment on August 22, 2020;
3. \$500.00 payments on September 22, October 22, and November 22, 2020.

Further to this, we instruct the Administrator that upon any default in payment to authorize Zatlyn Law Office to proceed with tax enforcement proceedings. Carried

De Bruijn: That we acknowledge that the Ministry of Government Relations has informed the municipality "that the projects contained in

the Project Plan were approved under the Municipal Economic Enhancement Program (MEEP) 2020." Carried

Benke: That we void Cheque Number 011857 as it was spoiled during printing. Carried

Pease: That we cancel the 2020 taxes on Roll Number 4312, Lot 14, Block 1, Plan 102158311, on the SE 19-50-06 W3, at the Canadian Waterfront Prop. Inc. owned by Audrey Johnson, Mont Nebo, Sask., as the assessment of each property in the development was moved to a Hamlet Code and no assessment should have existed on this card. The active and current assessment for this property is on Roll Number 4528. Carried

Duret: That we cancel the 2020 improvement taxes on the NE 17-53-07 W3 owned by Daniel and Carmen Jean, Debden, Sask., as the house exemption was missed at assessment time. They own sufficient land to reduce the taxable as-

essment to zero on the improvement. Carried

Duret: That we acknowledge being in receipt of the public notice for the proposed annexation near Pebble Baye. Carried

Benke: That we approve the Development and Building Permit Applications of Dave and Mary Lou, O'Bertos, Saskatoon, Sask., to construct a new cabin on Lot 7, Block 1, Plan 102012152, Sawmill Lake, with approval pursuant to Section 9.1.1(l)(a) of the LD – Lakeshore District, Municipal Zoning Bylaw 2003-7. Carried

Benke: That we approve the Development and Building Permit Applications of Raymond and Nicole Berard, Mont Nebo, Sask., to construct a detached garage on the SW 20-50-06 W3 with approval pursuant to Section 5.1.3(4) of the AG – Agricultural District, Municipal Zoning Bylaw 2003-7. Carried

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# Minutes of an RM of Canwood meeting

**Continued from 11**

Duret: That we deny the Development Permit Application of Andrea Weberg, Shellbrook, Sask., to construct a deck on a recreational trailer on Lot 1, Block 4, Plan 77B09994 Ext 0 as recreational trailers are not a permitted use as a residence in the Municipal Zoning Bylaw 2003-7. Carried

Benke: That we deny

the Development Permit Application of Clifford and Bernice Millar, Mont Nebo, Sask., to construct a dwelling on LSD 3-49-06 W3 as the proposed development does not comply with the minimum frontage and access requirements under Section 3.2 (should be Section 3.3) and Section 5.3.2(2) of the Municipal Zoning Bylaw 2003-7. Carried

Benke: That we acknowledge being in receipt of the Notice of Appeal from Gord Krismer & Associates Ltd. with regard to the unpermitted development of Silvia Gerard, Grasswood, Sask., on the grounds to remove a building in contravention of the Municipal Zoning Bylaw 2003-7. Carried

Benke: That we acknowledge being in receipt of the Notice of Appeal from the Saskatchewan Municipal Board with regard to the NE 01-50-07 W3. Carried

Duret: That in the matter of the classification of improvements inquiry of Eugene Lalonde (B.N. Farms Ltd.), Debden, Sask., Council has determined that the business venture "The Ranch at Highway 55" is deemed commercial as it meets the definition of commercial with regard to zoning and assessment. Carried

Schutte: That we now adjourn at 2:15 p.m. with the next regular meeting of Council to be held on

September 15, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. at the Senior's Room, Canwood Elks Hall, 2nd Avenue East. Carried

## Notice of Abandonment of Poll

Rural Municipality of Shellbrook No. 493

Whereas:

Reeve – Doug Oleksyn  
Councillor for Division No. 1 – Cliff Skauge  
Councillor for Division No. 5 – Derwin Joelson

Nominated for the said office are the only candidates, I hereby give notice that NO voting for the said offices will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020, and that the following person are elected by acclamation.

Dated at Shellbrook, Saskatchewan this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Duane Storey  
Returning Officer

## Notice of Poll

### Rural Municipality of Shellbrook No. 493 Municipal Elections for November 9, 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

- (1) A vote will be held for the election of **Division 3 Councillor** in the Rural Municipality of Shellbrook No. 493 for the following Nominees:
- (2) **Advanced Poll** will be held on **Saturday, October 31, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at the Seniors Citizen Centre, 101 Railway East, Shellbrook.
- (3) **Election Day** voting will take place on **Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** at the following location:

**Seniors Citizen Centre – 101 Railway East, Shellbrook**

- (4) I will declare the result of the voting at the Municipal Office on Tuesday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 at the hour of 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Shellbrook, Saskatchewan, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.  
Duane Storey  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF POLL

[Section 81 of the Act]

### Village of Canwood

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

- (1) A vote will be held for the election of:  
Mayor: Village of Canwood  
Councillor: Village of Canwood – four (4) to be Elected
- (2) Voting will take place on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Canwood Elk's Community Hall, 640 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue East, Canwood, SK.
- (3) I will declare the results of voting at the Village of Canwood Municipal Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Canwood, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Erin Robertson  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF ADVANCE POLL

[Section 83 and 84 of the Act]

### Village of Canwood

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for all eligible electors.

Advance voting will take place on the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the Canwood Elk's Community Hall, 640 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue East, Canwood, SK.

Dated at Canwood, this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Erin Robertson  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF CALL FOR FURTHER NOMINATIONS

### RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF CANWOOD NO. 494

Public notice is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office of:

#### Councillor for Division No. 5

will be received by the undersigned at the municipal office during regular business hours until Wednesday, October 21, 2020, at 4:00 p.m. local time.

Nomination forms may be obtained from the municipal office.

Dated this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Lorna Benson  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT OF POLL

[Section 82 of The Local Government Elections Act, 2015]

### RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF CANWOOD NO. 494

Public notice is hereby given that:

Lyndon Pease was nominated for the office of Reeve and is the only candidate; therefore, no voting for the office will take place on November 9, 2020; and

Levi Schutte was nominated for the office of Division Three and is the only candidate; therefore, no voting for the office will take place on November 9, 2020.

Dated at Canwood, Saskatchewan this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Lorna Benson  
Returning Officer

## NOTICE OF POLL

[Section 81 of The Local Government Elections Act, 2015]

### RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF CANWOOD NO. 494

Public notice is hereby given that:

- (1) A vote will be held for the election of:  
**COUNCILLOR FOR DIVISION NO. 1**
- (2) The advanced poll will take place on Sunday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. or the regular poll will take place on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at:  
R.M. Office, Canwood

- (3) I will declare the result of the voting at the Municipal Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at the hour of 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Canwood, Saskatchewan this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Lorna Benson  
Returning Officer

Proper identification will be required when you attend the polls. Additional information and a full list of voter ID options can be found at the following website: [www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/voting](http://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/voting)

0, Morin Lake, to Derek Yockey, Lloydminster, AB., we hereby authorize the consolidation of the said walkway with Lot 17, Block 4, Plan 77B09994, upon approval of the sale from the Minister of Government Relations. Carried

Schutte: That we now adjourn at 2:15 p.m. with the next regular meeting of Council to be held on

September 15, 2020, at 9:00 a.m. at the Senior's Room, Canwood Elks Hall, 2nd Avenue East. Carried

## Notice of Vote – Municipal Election

### The Rural Municipality of Spiritwood No. 496

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a vote will be held for the election of a Councillor for Division No. 1

Voting will take place on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November from 9:00 am to 8:00 pm at the **Legion Hall** located in Shell Lake, Sk.

And that I will at Spiritwood on Tuesday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020 at the hour of 8:30 am, declare the result of the voting.

Given under my hand at Spiritwood this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Colette Bussiere,  
Returning Officer

## Notice of Abandonment of Poll

### The Rural Municipality of Spiritwood No. 496

2020 Municipal Election - Reeve  
- Councillor - Div. 3  
- Councillor - Div. 5

Whereas, Shirley Dauvin, nominated for the office of Reeve; Terry Wingerter, nominated for the office of Div. 3 Councillor; and Jerome Tetreault, nominated for the office of Div. 5 Councillor are the only candidates, I hereby give notice that no voting for the office of Reeve, Div. 3 Councillor & Div. 5 Councillor will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

Dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Colette Bussiere  
(Returning Officer)

## NOTICE OF POLL AND ADVANCE POLL

### Town of Blaine Lake

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

- (1) A vote will be held for the election of:  
Mayor: Town of Blaine Lake  
Councillor(s): Town of Blaine Lake  
Number to be Elected – Six (6)
- (2) **Voting** will take place on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Blaine Lake Senior Centre 107 Main Street, Blaine Lake, Sk  
AND
- (3) **Advance Poll** will take place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November, 2020, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the Blaine Lake Senior Centre 107 Main Street, Blaine Lake, Sk
- (4) I will declare the result of the voting at Town of Blaine Lake Municipal Office on Tuesday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Blaine Lake, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Brenda Lockhart  
Returning Officer

**VOTER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED TO VOTE**

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## Russians are beloved on ice, 48 years later

Precisely 48 years to the day — Sept. 28 — that Paul Henderson demoralized the world of Russian hockey fans with his Summit Series-winning goal that gave Canada its greatest sporting victory ever, the Tampa Bay Lightning needed the outstanding play of two sensational Russian players to win the 2020 Stanley Cup.

Yes, times have changed.

Forty-eight years ago, in 1972, it's not an overstatement to say the Russians were hated by Canadians. The Russians claimed to be 'amateurs', we lamented, but spent 48 weeks of the year pretending to be members of the Red Army but did nothing militarily — simply perfecting their hockey skills. Our hockey guys, meanwhile, went boating, drank a lot of beer, played some golf ... and then did two weeks of training in preparation for the hockey season.

Thankfully for Canada, Henderson rescued our country from what could have been a sporting humiliation. The best professionals in 'our game' losing to a bunch of Russian amateurs? Say it ain't so.

Thanks to Henderson, it wasn't so. But hockey relations between the two superpowers has softened in the 48 years since that famous hockey Summit Series, and now Russians, Swedes, Slovaks, Germans, Americans and Finns are an integral part of the best hockey league in the world.

We now applaud Russians and their skills on ice. Nikita Kucherov is the Lightning's offensive leader and was last year's NHL scoring champ. Andrei Vasilevskiy is regarded as the one of the NHL's best goaltenders. Tampa Bay's final opponents, Dallas Stars, were led by their Kazakhstani goaltender, Anton Khudobin, and two Russian offensive stars up front, Alexander Radulov and Denis Gurianov.

How dull would the NHL be without the flashy exploits of Alex Ovechkin? Artemi Panarin, who finished third behind German-born Leon Draisaitl and Nova Scotia's Nathan MacKinnon, calls Korkino, Russia, home. Ev-



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geni Malkin is a longtime superstar with the Penguins.

Yes, someone going to sleep in Saskatoon or Trois Rivières in 1972 and waking up in 2020 wouldn't believe how beloved the Russians have become to Canadian hockey fans. We marvelled at the skill of Pavel Datsyuk. Philly Flyer fans cheer mightily for the team's No. 1 defenceman, the sturdy Russian Ivan Provorov. Quite a transition from the story about Flyers' centre Bobby Clarke infa-

mously slashing Russian star Valeri Kharlamov so hard on the ankle that he broke the Russian's bone, forcing him to miss Game 7 and badly reducing his effectiveness in the decisive Game 8.

It was a true cold war, fought on ice. Now the only thing 'cold' about the Russian-Canadian hockey world is the ice itself.

- From the independent.co.uk: "AC Milan confirms Zlatan Ibrahimovic has tested positive for COVID, lack of vowels."

- At fark.com: "The PAC-12 decideS to reSume football for Some rea\$on."

- Steve Sabol of NFL Films, on the late Gale Sayers, as quoted by Peter King of FMEA.com, the NBC football website: "Trying to tackle Gale Sayers was like trying to catch a candy wrapper in a wind storm."

- Boxer Gerald Meerschaert, who lost his last fight in 17 seconds, on Twitter

while watching the Trump-Biden debate: "I wish this debate lasted as long as my last fight."

- Steve Hummer of the Atlanta Journal Constitution, after Cincinnati Reds were shut out twice by the Braves in the best-of-three wild-card series: "Admittedly, this wasn't the Big Red Machine of yore they faced — more the Little Red Wagon of a lineup."

- Comedy writer Brad Dickson of Omaha: "Something is wrong when there are more brawls in the first presidential debate than in the entire Stanley Cup Finals."

- Dwight Perry of the Seattle Times: "The Yankees — for the first time in their 120-year history — hit into five double plays and committed four errors in the same game in a 4-3, 10-inning loss to the Marlins. Or as the 1962 Mets used to call such an occurrence, Friday."

- Mississippi State football coach Mike Leach, to CBS, on why his team had to open the season at No. 6 LSU: "Because New England, Green Bay and the Chiefs already had somebody scheduled."

- Retired baseball writer

Jim Street, via Facebook, on the only thing more shocking than the Marlins making the NL playoffs: "They also tied for the MLB lead in home attendance."

Care to comment? Email brucepenton2003@yahoo.ca

### Notice of Abandonment of Poll

[Section 82 of *The Local Government Election Act, 2015*]

#### The Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555 Municipal Elections 2020

Whereas Douglas Panter, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division No. 1, is the only candidate; I hereby give notice that **no voting** for the office of Division 1 Councillor, in the Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555, will take place on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

I hereby declare the following candidate, so nominated, duly elected.

#### Councillor for Division 1 – Douglas Panter

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Donna Tymak  
(Returning Officer)

### Notice of Advance Voting

[Subsection 83(2) of *The Local Government Election Act, 2015*]

#### The Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555 Municipal Elections 2020

Public Notice is hereby given that the returning officer has made provision for advance voting for the benefit of qualified voters who want to cast their votes in advance of Election Day.

Advance voting will take place for a Reeve of the Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555 and a Councillor for Division No. 3 for the Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. at the Big River Community Centre, 606 First Street North, Big River, Saskatchewan on: Sunday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020, and Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2020.

Dated at Big River, Saskatchewan this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Donna Tymak  
(Returning Officer)

Identification will be required when you attend the polls. For additional information and a full list of voter ID options please visit <https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/voting#acceptable-voter-identification>

### Notice of Poll

[Section 81 of *The Local Government Election Act, 2015*]

#### The Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555 Municipal Elections 2020

Public Notice is hereby given that:

1) A vote will be held for the election of Reeve for the Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555 and for a Councillor for Division No. 3 for the Rural Municipality of Big River, No. 555.

2) The vote will take place on Monday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at:

REEVE POLL AT: The Big River Community Centre, 606 First Street North, Big River, Saskatchewan.

DIVISION No. 3 POLL AT: The Big River Community Centre, 606 First Street North, Big River, Saskatchewan.

3) I will declare the results of the voting at the Municipal Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at the hour of 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Big River, Saskatchewan this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Donna Tymak  
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# Minutes of a Village of Canwood council meeting

(Where necessary, the following minutes may have been edited for clarity or brevity)

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council for the

Village of Canwood, held at the Canwood Elks Hall, Seniors Room, 640 2nd Avenue East, Canwood, Sask., on Monday, Aug. 17, 2020, was called to order by Mayor

or Thompson at 9:31 a.m.

Present were Mayor – Robert Thompson, Deputy Mayor – Larry Freeman, Councillors – Jeff Sipes, Lloyd Bather and Joe English, and Administrator – Erin Robertson.

Bather: That the minutes of the July 20, 2020, Regular Meeting of Council be approved as presented. Carried

English: That the minutes of the Aug. 7, 2020, Special Meeting of Council be approved as presented. Carried

Freeman: That the Statement of Financial Activities and Bank Reconciliation for the month of July 2020 be approved as presented. Carried

Bather: That the water report for the month of July 2020 be approved as presented. Carried

Thompson: That we acknowledge receipt of Maintenance Manager calendar, Administrator and Summer Student Attendance Statement for July 2020 as presented. Carried

Sipes: That we issue Cheques 5073 to 5090,

Other payments totaling \$57,735.29, as detailed on attached List of Accounts for Approval, Pay Period 09 to 11 and August payroll advance from the general account. Carried

Freeman: That we move to in-camera at 9:59 a.m. to discuss Strategic Planning and ask that the Administrator remain. Carried

Thompson: That we move out of in-camera at 10:32 a.m. Carried

#### Committee Updates:

- Highway 55 Waste Management Corporation - verbal report provided by Robert Thompson and Larry Freeman
- Cafe Selection Committee - verbal report provided by Erin Robertson

Thompson: That the correspondence be noted and filed:

- City of Cold Lake Criminal Code Amendment; Resident Complaints animals at large;
- Government of Saskatchewan Municipal Economic Enhancement
- Program (MEEP) approval letter; Saskatchewan 4-H Foundation sup-

port letter;

- Water Security Agency planned Precautionary Drinking Water

- Advisory starting August 5, 2020; Claimspro Inc. liability claim settlement;

- Water Security Agency Rescinding of Precautionary Drinking Water

- Advisory issued Aug. 5, 2020. Carried

Freeman: That we agree to amend Resolution 107-20 from the June 15, 2020, minutes as it was worded incorrectly and should read as follows:

"That we agree to have SaskPower perform the reconstruction of service to the Water Treatment Plant from overhead power lines existing single-phase service, replacing with a four wire underground 200 amp main." Carried

Thompson: That we agree to the registration of Maintenance Manager, Dean Andersen to ATAP online Pump & Valve Operation & Maintenance workshop to be held Oct. 14 & 15, 2020, at a cost of \$320.00 plus GST. Carried

Thompson: That we agree to advertise, by way of Sealed Public Tender, the following lots acquired by way of Tax Enforcement:

- Lot 13, Blk/Par 1, Plan Y3516 Extension 0;

- Lot 16, Blk/Par 1, Plan Y3516 Extension 0;

- Lot 1 Blk/Par 4 Plan No Y3516 Extension 0;

- Lot 2 Blk/Par 4 Plan No Y3516 Extension 0; and

- Lot 3 Blk/Par 4 Plan No Y3516 Extension 0.

Furthermore, tenders are to be sent to the Municipal Auditor, received no later than Oct. 8, 2020, and will be opened at the Regular October Meeting of Council. Carried

Bather: That we agree to the appointment of Dean Staff, FCPA, FCA, and PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Saskatoon, SK, as the Municipal Auditor and firm for the 2020 fiscal year. Carried

Bather: That we adjourn at 12:19 p.m. with the next regular meeting of Council to be held on Monday, Sept. 14, 2020, commencing at 9:30 a.m. Carried

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# Trudeau's infrastructure announcement raises red flags

**By Aaron Wudrick,  
CTF Federal Director**

If a door-to-door salesman pitched you on a "win-win" sale, your first reaction would probably be skepticism.

Unfortunately, a similar level of skepticism is called for whenever a politician declares their latest spending project to be a "win-win."

That's exactly what Prime Minister Justin Trudeau affirmed was the case when he announced that the "independent" Canada Infrastructure Bank (CIB) would be spending \$10 billion over the next three years on a list of things that just happen to align precisely with his government's own

priorities.

The plan, he declared, would create 60,000 jobs, all while fighting climate change to boot! What's not to love?

As it turns out, a lot.

For starters, there is the curious transformation of the CIB from a purportedly arms-length entity ("governed by an independent

board of directors"), into a de facto government department that co-hosts press conferences with its political masters.

What happened to the need to give confidence to prospective private-sector partners that their investments would be inoculated from political interference?

Even stranger, it turns out that the \$10 billion in question doesn't actually represent new money: it's simply part of the CIB's existing budget, which, even more strangely for a government entity, it couldn't seem to figure out how to spend over the past three years. (Given the state of the country's finances, perhaps we should thank it.)

Apparently, the Trudeau government has now solved this problem for the CIB by simply telling it where to spend the money.

But perhaps we needn't worry, because this is not any old spending. It's infrastructure spending.

This, we are often told, is very different than regular spending. It's big! It's bold! It's forward-looking! It's an "investment."

The notion that not every "investment" yields a positive return does not seem to occur to politicians. But it happens — a lot.

Just ask Japan, which embarked on a massive infrastructure spending plan in the 1990s and 2000s with the goal of stimulating its moribund economy.

The result: government debt at 180 per cent of GDP and anaemic economic growth. It turns out building bridges to nowhere is a bad idea.

Worse, government-led projects can crowd out viable private-sector ones, leading to a tragic misallocation of resources.

We can't know for sure, but for every bridge to nowhere that consumed scarce labour and money, there might have been 1,000 other, less politically favoured, projects that would have been far more useful.

Another problem is the nebulous definition of the term "infrastructure" itself.

Ever since the Trudeau government began ap-

plying the label to all and sundry, including such new innovations as "social" and "green" infrastructure, it has been necessary to first establish when it's proposing to build actual infrastructure, and when it's simply proposing more program spending.

But looking at the Trudeau government's recent announcement in particular, there are huge red flags. Retrofitting (i.e., renovating) buildings may lead to reductions in carbon emissions, but there's no guaranteed long-term economic benefit.

Clean power has already been subsidized to the hilt and, in some cases, has inflicted immense economic damage. And blindly splurging on transit such as electric buses when the pandemic may have permanently altered traffic and commuting levels — and therefore the demand for transit in the first place — seems dubious.

All of which brings us to perhaps the greatest danger of ill-advised infrastructure spending: the opportunity cost.

Every dollar spent on a white elephant project had an alternative use, either by government or taxpayers. That dollar could have gone into a school or a hospital or remained in the pockets of Canadian families and businesses to direct to their own priorities.

Contrary to some of its boosters, infrastructure isn't a magic category of spending that's immune to waste.

Politicians can, and do, screw it up as badly as they do run-of-the-mill programs.

Before the pandemic, the CIB couldn't identify projects that were enticing enough to secure private investors.

That politicians are now driving the (electric) bus and insisting future investments will be a "win-win" should make Canadians very worried indeed.

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# Simple ways to improve a kitchen pantry

People have been spending more time at home in 2020 than in years past, and certain projects around the house have become a priority.

One home improvement idea that serves the double benefit of creating organization and making cooking at home more efficient is to reimagine the kitchen pantry.

A pantry is a room or closet where food, beverages and linens or dishes are stored. Pantries can be highly useful spaces that provide ancillary storage in kitchens.

Many modern homes are equipped with pantries, but older homes may require some modification to create more useful pantries.

Whether starting from scratch or modifying an existing pantry, these tips can help projects go more smoothly.

• Maximize vertical storage. Utilizing vertical areas can help increase storage capacity. Build in extra nooks by investing in undershelf storage baskets. These baskets can instantly create designated areas for different types of ingredients. Homeowners

also can look for ways to use the inside of cabinet doors or add extra shelves on walls or in eaves.

• Consider your needs. Figure out which items you would like to store in the pantry and then shop for corresponding storage systems. For example, storage solutions may feature wine bottle racks, baskets for potatoes and other produce, shelving for small appliances, and even pull out racks for baking pans or cutting boards.

• Use clear storage. Put ingredients in clear, airtight containers of similar dimensions so that you can easily find items you need. Transfer bulky items, like cereals and baking supplies, to storage containers for uniformity.

• Store bulk items elsewhere. Bulk shopping can be cost-efficient, but bulk items can quickly eat up real estate in the pantry. Designate another area for non-perishable bulk products, like paper goods or canned items, such as in a garage or utility room.

• Pull out drawers are convenient. Pull-out drawers can reduce the need to seek and reach

for items. These drawers conveniently roll out so items in the back can be accessed without disturbing foods in the front. Drawers can

be custom built for any pantry space.

• Make it accessible. Think about who will be taking items from the pantry. Put children's

snacks on the bottom pantry shelf where they can reach them, and then organize other shelves for adults in the home.

A pantry remodel can add valuable storage space and make one of the busiest rooms in the house operate more efficiently.

## Five tips for creating your own gallery wall

(NC) With more people spending time at home and postponing vacations this year, many of us are taking on more DIY projects. A fun thing you can try is a gallery wall, which is a great way to display memories and decorate your space.

Gianmarco Bernando from Fujifilm Canada recommends these top five tips for making a flawless gallery wall at home:

1. Pick a space: An important first planning step is identifying the square footage you have to work with. Think about the corners and spaces that are often overlooked, as these can make great places to display photos.

2. Work with a theme: To make your wall more aesthetically pleasing, identify elements you



want to consistently show, such as colour schemes or subjects like travel or family photos to tell a story.

3. Select and print: Once your space and theme are selected, it's time to start printing. Consider the medium you want to use, like standard prints in frames or on canvas. Finally, look for user-friendly printing services such as Fujifilm Printlife, which allows you to order prints from the comfort of home.

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4. Map your arrangement: Before you start putting holes in your wall, test your design on the floor to pick the best layout. You can use tape or the printed photos to trial.

5. Add non-photo elements: Consider adding whimsical items like a clock, baby shoe or succulent planter to create a more eclectic vibe, or pay tribute to a treasured memory with a sentimental item, such as dried flowers from your wedding.

Find more tips on photo printing and creating gallery walls at [fujifilmprintlife.ca](http://fujifilmprintlife.ca).

## VILLAGE OF MARCELIN NOTICE OF ADVANCE POLL

[Section 83 of the Act]

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for all eligible electors.

Voting will take place on Sunday, November 1, 2020, between the hours of 2:00pm and 6:00pm at the Marcelin Community Hall, 101 2nd Avenue North.

Dated at Marcelin, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020

Leanne McCormick  
Returning Officer

[Section 81 of The Act]

## Notice of Poll

### VILLAGE OF DEBDEN

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

1. A poll has been granted for the election of:

**Councillor: Village of Debden**

2. Voting will take place on **Monday the 9th day of November, 2020** from **9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** at the following places:

**Debden Community Center-Comite Culturel Room #204-2nd Avenue East, Debden**

3. I will declare the results of the election at the Village Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. at Debden.

Dated at Debden, Saskatchewan, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 2020.

Tamara Couture  
Returning Officer

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[Sections 56 & 58 of the Act]

## NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT OF POLL VILLAGE OF MARCELIN

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act* for the offices of:

### Mayor of the Village of Marcelin (1)

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said offices will take place and that the following persons are elected by acclamation:

**Mayor Dennis Ferster**

Dated at Marcelin, Saskatchewan this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020

Leanne McCormick  
Returning Officer

## VILLAGE OF MARCELIN NOTICE OF POLL

[Section 81 of the Act]

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

1. A poll has been granted for the election of each:

**Councillor: Village of Marcelin (4)**

2. Voting will take place on Monday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, from 9:00 am until 8:00 pm at the polling place listed below.

3. I will declare the results of the election at the Marcelin Village Office on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020, at the hour of 10:00 am.

### Polling Place

**Marcelin Community Hall 101 2nd Avenue North**

Dated at Marcelin, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020

Leanne McCormick  
Returning Officer

[Section 81 of The Act]

## Notice of Abandonment of Poll

### Village of Debden

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act* for the office of:

### Mayor: Village of Debden

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said office will take place and the following persons are elected by acclamation:

**Rod Fisher**

Dated at Debden, Saskatchewan this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2020.

Tamara Couture  
Returning Officer

## Notice of Advance Poll

### VILLAGE OF DEBDEN

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll.

Voting will take place on **Wednesday, November 4, 2020**, between the hours of **4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.** at:

**Debden Community Centre - #204 2<sup>nd</sup> Avenue East, Debden**

Dated at Debden, Saskatchewan, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 2020.

Tamara Couture  
Returning Officer

**VOTER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED TO VOTE**

# Over-wintering the tender

**By Sara Williams**

As gardeners in zones 2 and 3, where winter temperatures regularly plummet to -40°C or colder, we're always tempted to try plants that are listed as zone 4. It's sometimes called "pushing the zones" by those who play this game (they in turn may be labelled "climate zone deniers"). To add further confusion, many newer perennial varieties are widely marketed and available at garden centres but have had little or no testing in the Canadian prairies prior to their release. It's often a matter of the old adage, "You pays your money and you takes your chances" with

the burden lying squarely on the shoulders of the consumer. Fortunately, there are a few gardening practices that can help these somewhat tender plants survive our prairie winters.

Begin with location. Ensure they are placed where there is protection from the wind. Wind dries out plant tissue, reducing their winter survival. Plant them were snow lingers the longest in the spring. Snow is one of our best insulators against cold. And make sure they have good soil drainage. Winter wet is another killer.

Be careful with fertilizer. We may think we're doing plants a favour by

fertilizing them late in the summer or in fall, but that often stimulates growth that does not have an opportunity to "harden off" in time for winter and is killed.

Refrain from pruning in summer and fall if you're dealing with trees and shrubs that are "on the edge" and of borderline or unknown hardiness. Pruning stimulates growth at a time when they should be "shutting down."

Do not cut back herbaceous perennials. While we're tempted to "tidy up" in the fall, it's best to leave the previous season's growth on the plant through the coming winter with herbaceous perennials of unknown hardiness. The leaves and stalks help insulate the crown and act as a miniature snow fence or shelterbelt, trapping snow for extra insulation and protection from drying out. On small or young perennials with little top growth, add mulch (dry leaves, loose post peelings) for added protection. In spring, remove last year's growth and any mulch once the danger of extremely low temperatures has passed.

Protect young trees and small shrubs by encircling them with a few feet of chicken wire or old fencing and then filling it with dried leaves, loose post peelings or a similar material to insulate them from winter's cold. Covering them with boughs of discarded Christmas trees to catch

the snow may also work, but by itself may be too late to prevent winter damage.

Protect thin-barked trees from "sunscald." Sunscald is the killing of tissue below the bark on the trunk. This usually occurs in mid-afternoon in late winter or early spring when sunlight is reflected off of the snow onto the south or west sides of lower trunks. The heat stimulates growth and tricks the tissue into thinking it is spring. Water leaves the extracellular spaces where it has been all winter and enters the cells. When temperatures fall at night, the water that is now within the cells freezes, expands and bursts the cell walls, effectively killing the tissue. Damage appears to the human eye as a sunken, darkened area. Trees can recover from mild to moderate damage, but if extensive enough, sunscald can kill the tree. Young apple trees and the Amur cherry (*Prunus maackii*) are particularly susceptible.

You can prevent sunscald damage by simply shading the trunks of trees that you've noticed being damaged in the past. This can be as easy as placing a large piece of cardboard on the southwest side of the trunk for the first three or four feet. Or you could loosely wrap a piece of insulation or burlap on that side of the trunk. More aesthetically pleasing might be to plant a three-foot evergreen such as a juniper



A pot of rosemary ready to spend the winter indoors on a window sill. Photo credit: Jill Thomson.

on the southwest side of the trunk for shade.

Bring it indoors. If your tender plant is small enough, and in a pot, bring it in for the winter! Many a rosemary and Japanese maple has survived a Saskatchewan winter in a sunny, warm spot.

Finally, research your plants thoroughly prior to purchase – avoid growing a tender variety when hardy options exist. The Western Nursery Growers Group has carried out extensive trials in four locations throughout the prairie provinces, testing hundreds of new trees prior to their introduction ([www.prairietrees.ca](http://www.prairietrees.ca)).

Sara Williams is the author and coauthor of many books including *Gardening Naturally with Hugh Skinner*, the revised and expanded *Creating the Prairie Xeriscape*, and with Bob Bors, the recently published *Growing Fruit in Northern Gardens*. She continues to give workshops on a wide range of gardening topics throughout the prairies.

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# Boost your home's curb appeal with colour

(NC) With many of us spending more time at home, this summer is the perfect opportunity to reinvigorate your house with inspiring design that welcomes you. Sharon Grech, Benjamin Moore colour marketing expert, shares her top tips on how to boost your home's curb appeal.

First impressions count. The front door sets the tone for your entire home. Whether it's a new coat of paint to freshen up a well-loved hue or adding a new pop of colour to your front door, don't be afraid to make a statement with your entryway.

"A richly saturated sapphire blue, like Blue Danube 2062-30, will add interest and elegance to your front door," says Grech. Looking to take your transformation one step further? "Painting the ceiling of a covered porch in a co-ordinating colour is a great way to add even more visual interest and appeal to your front entrance."

The difference is in the details. Not ready to repaint your whole exterior? Choose small but impactful areas to update. A fresh coat of paint to exterior shutters or window and door trim can instantly elevate curb appeal. Brighten up an otherwise neutral look with a vibrant new shade, or add neutrals to

complement bolder hues. "Benjamin Moore Aura Grand Entrance paint is a perfect choice for Canadian home exteriors because it ensures a beautiful and resilient finish that will last for years," says Grech.

Bring the indoors out. Get the most out of the summer months by creating inviting outdoor living spaces that reflect the style and comfort of your home. "Simple additions like a welcome mat, outdoor rug or cozy throws and cushions for your outdoor furni-

ture are ideal ways to add texture. Adding flowers, plants and herbs in your own hand-painted pots will bring more colour and a seamless sense of indoor/outdoor living."

You don't have to DIY. Don't want to do it yourself? Consider hiring a professional painting contractor who can achieve a flawless finish on your home's exterior. Hiring a professional will help you achieve beautiful results and has the added benefit of supporting small businesses in your community.



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## How to take your mudroom from mundane to marvelous

form aesthetic.

"A monochromatic colour scheme is one of the easiest decorating tricks to play with, and looks great in even the smallest of rooms," says Grech.

But mudrooms can be more than just functional; they can also be fun. Sharon Grech, Benjamin Moore colour and design expert, shares tips to spruce up your space and give it some much needed TLC.

Be bold. Add energy with a bold pop of colour and some personal touches. Use a daring colour like bright yellow to accent a wall or lift up the space with some eye-catching accessories to make your mudroom feel more personal.

Choose colours wisely. The mudroom can get messy and cluttered very quickly.

Choose a single colour or two similar shades when painting mudrooms to achieve a modern and uni-

"Cubbies or benches with closed storage are my go-to and help keep the mudroom looking clutter-free at all times."

Coat hooks can also be used for additional storage and add some flare.

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# Get ahead of chimney repair this season

Wood burning fireplaces or fuel stoves can add warmth and ambiance to a home. These appliances are particularly coveted in the cooler months when people spend more time indoors.

Maintenance is necessary in order for fireplaces and stoves to function safely, and that upkeep must include paying close attention to the functionality of the chimney.

Chimneys are designed to last for decades. Cracks and spalling in brick chimneys are common concerns that can cause significant damage if left unchecked.

Chimney maintenance involves more than cleaning the flue.

Rather than running the risk of costly repairs, which can cost several thousand dollars, homeowners can take some simple steps to keep their chimneys in tip-top shape.

Certain components of chimney maintenance are do-it-yourself tasks, while others may be better left to the professionals.

- Start from the inside and ensure that dampers are working properly. When using fireplaces and other appliances, dampers need to be open to allow smoke to vent outside; otherwise, smoke will be trapped in the home and could lead to carbon monoxide buildup.

Dampers need to be fixed or replaced if they

are not operational. Replacement fireplace dampers should be snug and not have any gaps, states Vertical Chimney Care.

- Conduct a visual inspection of the chimney to check for any cracks or spalling.

Spalling is the wearing away of masonry due to water, weather and time. If enough of the material erodes, that erosion can adversely affect the structural integrity of the chimney.

Some repairs can be made by patching up cracks or replacing missing bricks. Chimney tuckpointing is the process of repairing mortar.

- Think about waterproofing the chimney to prevent damage. A

water sealant applied to the outside of the chimney can prevent moisture from breaking down the masonry.

- Inspect and replace

the chimney cap if it is worn out.

A chimney cap is a contraption that sits atop the chimney to allow the smoke to vent

while also preventing critters and water from going inside the flue, helping to extend the flue life.

The chimney cap attaches to the flue liner, so outside dimensions should be taken to ensure the cap is the right size for the chimney.

- Have the chimney swept. Sweeping helps remove the soot and debris that clings to the inside of the flue, known as creosote.

The amount of time the fireplace is used will determine how often the chimney must be cleaned. Generally speaking, the chimney liner needs to be cleaned if it has 1/8-inch or more of soot.

Regular inspection and maintenance can help keep a chimney working safely for decades. For those who do not like working at such an elevation, leave exterior chimney repair to a certified professional.



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# The secrets to cold weather entertaining

Upon the arrival of cold weather, people tend to move indoors and limit their time spent in the elements. For those who live in places where there are restrictions placed on indoor entertaining and gatherings, it may be challenging to find ways to spend time safely together as temperatures drop.

COVID-19, as well as other respiratory viruses, are spread from person to person through respiratory droplets released into the air while coughing, talking or sneezing, states the Mayo Clinic.

A person is more likely to inhale these droplets from an infected person while indoors, especially when they're in close contact with that person. When outdoors, there is a lower risk of contraction.

Outdoor entertaining in winter may be challenging, especially in regard to keeping everyone warm. The following are some solutions that can help people stay warm and have fun outside.

## Invest in fire pits

Fire pits are an affordable way to heat a patio or an-



other outdoor area. They can be great places for friends and family to gather around and enjoy special occasions. They're readily available from garden centers and home improvement retailers at a variety of price points.

Permanent fire pits can be built by a homeowner or professionally built by masonry

experts.

## Install an outdoor fireplace

A step up from a fire pit, outdoor fireplaces not only add warmth, but also improve the ambiance and value of an outdoor entertaining area. Set up outdoor furniture right next to an outdoor fireplace and you have a cozy

alternative living room where everyone can gather.

## Explore outdoor heating systems

Few things are more effective at warming up outdoor entertaining areas than patio heaters and infrared heaters. These devices are far more effective than average fire pits or fireplaces. One or

two heaters will be enough to keep a large entertaining area warm.

## Keep cozy options available

Guests should dress warmly, but having a basket of throw blankets, scarves and parkas available for extra warmth while mingling is helpful. Use outdoor rugs to insulate from the cold from the ground up.

## Serve hearty foods and beverages

Stews, chilis, soups, and other hot foods can help guests warm themselves up from the inside out. Warmed cider, hot chocolate and mulled wines also can be served to help people stay warm.

## Get moving

Incorporate activities that encourage guests to move around and stay warm. Beanbag tosses, dancing and even sports like flag football can keep guests' blood flowing.

Entertaining outdoors doesn't have to stop when the weather cools. Find ways to stay comfortable and safe when entertaining outside in the cold.

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# How to recognize when you can stop mowing

Each weekend in spring, summer and fall, millions of homeowners fire up their mowers and cut the grass in their yards. A few hours spent mowing the lawn can be a great time to get some sun and some exercise in the great outdoors.

As fall gradually transitions to winter, homeowners may wonder when to stop mowing their lawns. Each lawn is different, and when to stop mowing may depend on a host of factors, including local climate and the type of turf. In addition to climate and turf, homeowners can keep an eye on these conditions to determine when the time is right to put their mowers away for the winter.



**Frost:** Warm-season grasses typically go dormant after a couple of significant frosts. Homeowners can jot down each frost during fall. Frost is most noticeable in the early morning hours, so be sure to check lawn conditions each morning as the weather begins to grow cold. Frost may be noticeable without even going outside, but homeowners may need to go outside to check on chilly mornings or on days when the previous night was especially cold. If you must go outside, stay off the grass to protect it. Two or three frosts might be enough to make warm-season grasses go dormant for the winter. Cool-season grasses may keep growing and require mowing even after a few frosts, so it's imperative that homeowners determine which type of grass is in their yards.

**Soil temperature:** If it's hard to determine if frosts have occurred, homeowners can try checking the temperature of their soil to decide if they need to keep mowing. The lawn care experts at Pennington recommend homeowners continue mowing warm-season grasses so long

as they keep growing. Lawns may not grow as quickly in fall as they do in spring or summer, and growth may not be as visible to the naked eye during this time of year as it is in other times. Homeowners can routinely check soil temperature to determine if their grasses have stopped growing.

Warm-season grasses tend to stop growing once the soil temperature is consistently at 13 C or below, while cool-season grasses tend to stop when temperatures are 7 C or lower.

Falling leaves have long been a barometer used by homeowners to determine if they need to keep mowing

their lawns. That's not necessarily a reliable metric, as grass can still keep growing even if leaves have been falling for weeks. In addition, using a mulching mower when leaves begin falling is a great way to provide the lawn with nutrients it can use throughout the winter. Some trees shed

their leaves more quickly than others, but it's a good rule of thumb that lawns will need to keep being mowed if trees are still retaining more than half their leaves.

A host of factors can help homeowners determine when it's safe to put their mowers away for the winter.

## Laundry room renovations you'll love

Does it seem like your hamper is always full and the washing machine is running constantly? You may not be imagining it. Laundry Butler for You, a wash, dry and fold service, says the average household washes 50 pounds of laundry a week and 6,000 articles of clothing every year. Families with children at home are doing laundry most often, and those with pets may find there is ample laundry to wash as well.

With so much laundry being generated, homeowners may want to consider paying extra attention to the space in the house where their clothing is being cleansed. Laundry room renovations may not top homeowners' priority lists, but it may be time to give these rooms another look.

### Assess your equipment

If your appliances are aging, a laundry room renovation can start with an invest-

ment in new appliances. New models have large capacity loads, tend to be energy-efficient and could have innovative features that help fit with your laundry lifestyle. Purchasing front-loading models also can free up design space, as you can install a counter directly above the units, saving room for other items like drying racks.

### Figure out your room needs

A laundry room need not be limited to laundry only. Many homeowners make large laundry rooms catch-all spaces that can serve as utility or mud rooms, pantry overflows, or off-season storage areas. Consider the functions you want the room to serve and include those ideas in your designs.

### Add some natural light

If possible, include a window in your laundry room. Natural light can help make the room more enjoyable. It also can help you identify stains on clothes

that need to be addressed and make it easier to fold matching items like socks.

### Think about a utility sink

Many washing machines drain out directly to waste pipes in the floor or wall, but you also can opt to have them empty into a utility sink. This sink also provides a convenient place to handwash items, clean tools or paintbrushes, or store items that perhaps you do not want to bring into a bathroom or kitchen sink.

### Include some flair

This utilitarian space need not be boring or bereft of design elements. Mirror your home's style in the laundry room, and include wall hangings, plants, accent items, and even task lighting. Play up certain features with a bold floor tile or brightly colored walls.

Updating laundry rooms can be a great way to make doing laundry more enjoyable and efficient.

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# Types of home insulation and where to install them

When thinking about renovating their homes, homeowners may imagine changing wall colors, expanding room sizes or upgrading appliances and fixtures.

However, unless people take inventory of the less glamorous components of the home, such as structure, plumbing, heating and cooling, and insulation, other improvements may be for naught.

A home insulation project certainly doesn't offer the wow factor of a kitchen remodel, but insulation serves a vital function in the house that helps keep people comfortable and reduces energy consumption.

Insulation is typically placed in areas where air escapes, such as between the stud cavities inside the walls and in the attic, and serves to slow and reduce heat transfer.

Natural Resources Canada says about 61.6 percent of the energy used in the average Canadian home is for space heating.

By improving home insulation, homeowners can make their homes more comfort-



able, consistent and efficient.

In fact, the ENERGY STAR program overseen by the Natural Resources Canada says homeowners stand to save an average of 15 percent on heating and cooling costs by adding proper insulation.

To do so, homeowners can take a crash course in home insulation and find the products that fit their needs.

#### **Blanket batts and rolls**

Blanket batts and rolls typically are constructed with fiberglass, so proper safety gear, such as a mask and gloves, is needed when handling them. Installing this type of insulation is relatively easy since the materials are designed to fit the standard

width between studs, rafters and floor joists.

#### **Loose fill**

Loose fill is usually made of fiberglass or cellulose (recycled paper fiber). It is blown or sprayed into place with pneumatic equipment, according to The Home Depot. Loose fill can be ideal for hard-to-reach areas in

attics or inside wall cavities. It's good for adding insulation to irregularly shaped areas. Since it requires special equipment, this is a job best left to professionals.

#### **Sprayed foam**

Sprayed foam is just as the name implies, a foam made from polyurethane, polyisocyanurate, cementitious, or other materials that are applied by a spray container. DIYers who need only small applications can use canned products. Large quantities are pressure-sprayed by professionals.

#### **Foam board/rigid foam panels**

Ideal for unfinished walls, such as basement or foundation walls, floors and ceilings, these are boards of polyurethane or polystyrene. Foam boards tend to reduce energy consumption more effectively than other types of insulation.

Homeowners considering upgrading their insulation or amending existing insulation should do their homework on the type of insulation that will be most effective for their homes.

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# Signs your gutters are in need of repair

Fall is a great time to tackle projects around the house. The weather each fall allows homeowners to make improvements to their homes' exteriors

without worrying about extreme heat or cold, while interior projects like painting are made easier because homeowners can open the windows to allow for proper ventilation.

Fall also marks a great time to prepare for upcoming projects that can make winter work that much easier. For example, fall is a great time to take stock of your gutters so you can address any issues before leaves begin to fall or the first snowstorm touches down. Compromised gutters can contribute to water issues in basements and adversely affect a home's foundation if not addressed immediately, so it behooves homeowners to learn the signs that gutters are in need of repair or replacement.

- Gutters hanging off the home: Gutters were once installed predominantly with spikes. However, many industry professionals now install gutters with hanger brackets. Why the change? Spikes loosen over time, leading to the gutters hanging off the home. That can contribute to serious issues if left untreated. Gutters hanging off the home need not necessarily be replaced, but rather secured to the home, ideally with hanger

brackets instead of spikes. Brackets hook into the front of the gutter and are then screwed into the fascia of a home. A professional who specializes in gutter repair can perform this task relatively quickly, and it's an inexpensive yet highly effective solution.

- Gutter separation: Gutters that are no longer fastened together can leak and contribute to issues that affect the home's foundation, siding and appearance. Clogs and the accumulation of debris can cause gutters to separate because they are not designed to hold too much weight. Replacement

of separated gutters may or may not be necessary depending on how big the problem is and the condition of the existing gutters. If replacement is not necessary, separated gutters may be remedied by securing the joints, another relatively simple and inexpensive fix.

- Peeling exterior paint: Paint that appears to be peeling off of your home may indicate that water is seeping over the edge of the gutter closest to your home. When that happens, water is coming down the side of the house, causing the paint to peel. In such instances,

replacing the gutters is often necessary.

- Basement flooding: Not all signs of deteriorating gutters are outside a home. Many a homeowner has been flummoxed by flooding in their basements, and such flooding can be caused by aging, ineffective gutters. That's because deteriorating gutters sometimes allow water to leak near the foundation of a home, contributing to basement flooding.

Fall is an ideal time to inspect gutters and have any issues fixed before leaves begin to fall or harsh winter weather arrives.

## *Safe and effective ways to clean up leaves*

Removing leaves from the yard is a task that homeowners must perform each fall. Thousands upon thousands of leaves can drop from a single tree. Multiply that by the number of trees on a property, and it's no surprise the task of leaf cleanup can seem so daunting. Furthermore, not all leaves are shed at the same time, so several cleanup sessions may be necessary before the last leaf is banished from the yard.

Just like removing snow, leaf cleanup can be a taxing job if done by hand. For people unaccustomed to exercise, cleaning up leaves can turn into quite a workout. According to the Discovery Health Calorie Counter, raking leaves for one hour can burn nearly 292 calories. Shoulders and arms will feel the burn.

Raking leaves is considered moderate physical activity, similar to brisk walking. Those who find themselves straining or out of breath should take a break, and these tips also make the job safer and easier.

- Wear layers when cleaning up leaves. It may be cool at first, but it's easy to work up a sweat after raking for awhile. Layers can be peeled off so as not to get overheated or risk hypothermia from sweating in chilly temps.

- Pay attention to your posture while raking. James Weinstein, chairman of the Department of Orthopedics at Dartmouth Medical School, recommends forming a wide base with the feet and holding the rake slightly toward the end of the handle with one hand three-quarters of the way down the handle from the other. Do not twist the spine; move your entire body. Avoid overuse of muscles on one side of the body by switching sides periodically.

- Do not try to rake or blow leaves on windy days. Wind will only make the task that much more difficult, which could lead to overworking oneself.

- Avoid overfilling bags. For those who plan to mulch and bag leaves, remember that compressed leaves can get heavy pretty quickly. Do not over-fill bags, as they can be hard to move or bring to a recycling center.

Using a leaf blower to push leaves into piles will reduce the strenuousness of the task, but leaf blowers can be heavy and noisy and gas-powered blowers can produce a considerable amount of exhaust.

Raking leaves can be quite a chore. It is important that homeowners take steps to prevent injury while cleaning up leaves in their yards.



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A fresh coat of paint. A great starting point for sprucing up this focal point is by adding a fresh coat of paint to the front door and trim, inside and out. Of course, freshly painted walls in a coordinating colour will keep the space looking sharp and make your home even more inviting.

"Whether you prefer neutral, bright or bold hues, using multiple shades of the same colour is a great way to add dimension without causing a cluttered look," explains Grech. When using bold shades like blue and red on the front door, it is important to keep in mind that the colour is only as good as the quality of paint you're using. Benjamin Moore Aura Grand Entrance provides a rich, lustrous finish and is great for interior and exterior use."

Accentuate with lighting. As important as good lighting is for great photos, it's also essential for home design. Natural light brings life to any space during the day, so keep the windows uncovered or use sheer fabrics in the entryway. Alternatively, if you

can visually elongate even a small foyer, and rugs are a great way to incorporate this trend and define the space," says Grech. From black and white to multi-colour stripes, this finishing touch will create a striking first impression for your home.

Accessorize with stripes. Entryways can often follow a cookie-cutter design scheme with little to no pattern. To give yours more personality, try accessorizing with stripes. "Stripes



don't have a window in your front hall, bring the feeling of the outdoors in with a nature-inspired colour scheme for walls and furniture. "Minimizing contrast will help keep this space looking light, bright and inviting," advises Grech. For evening light, don't forget a statement lighting fixture to add a functional beauty.

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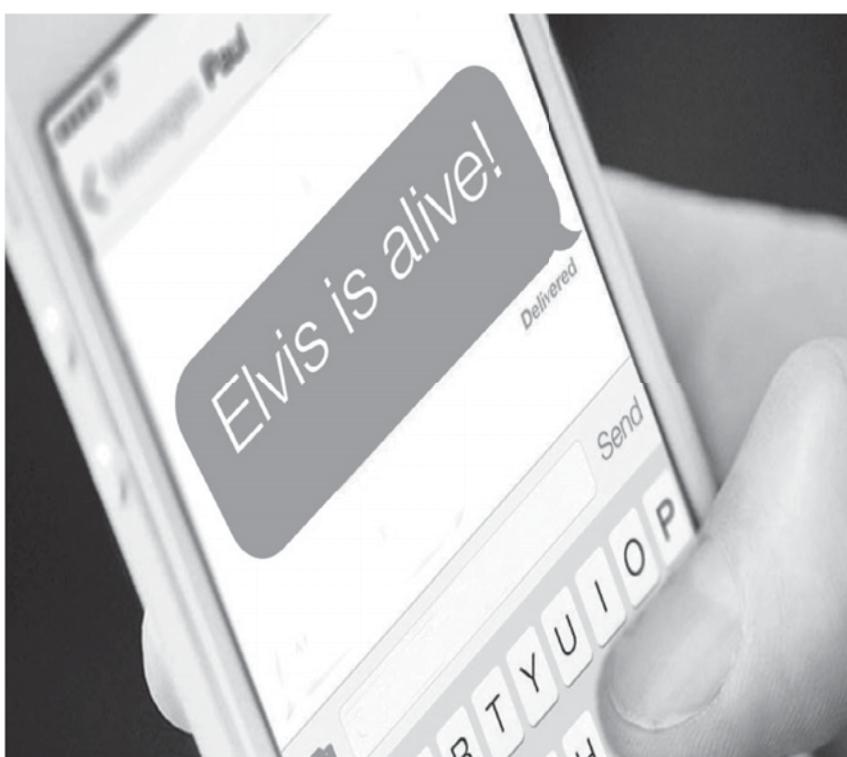


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