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# **Moonlight Madness Hot Chocolate Festival** Free movie • Pancake **Breakfast • Santa Day Carol Festival**

# **Christmas** events this week in Moosomin

BY NICOLE TAYLOR

LOCAL JOURNALISM INTITATIVE REPORTER

It's going to be a busy week for Christmas events in Moosomin this week, with Moonlight Madness set for this Thursday, December 4, along with a number of other events planned for the week.

#### **Hot Chocolate Festival** Week of Dec. 1-7

New to Moosomin, the Hot Chocolate Festival starts this week, with seven different restaurants offering specialty hot chocolates from December 1-7.

People will get a chance to try them all and vote on their favorite as they are out and about doing their Christmas shopping that week or during Moonlight Madness on Dec. 4 on Dec. 4

Trends Mercantile, Witch's Brew, the Crate House, Cork & Bone, Red Barn, Dairy Queen and the Country Squire will all have hot chocolate on offer.

People can vote for their favorite at hotchocolate@

world-spectator.com for a chance to win Moosomin

All seven restaurants are being extra creative with their drinks. The Crate House will be serving a candy cane hot chocolate with an option to add espresso to make it a mo-cha latte. Trends Mercantile is serving a lavender white hot chocolate. The Red Barn is serving a butter pecan hot chocolate topped with whipped cream and caramel driz-

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Kara Kinna photo







Volunteers decorating Holiday Smile Cookies.

# Moosomin raises over \$16,000 in Holiday Smile Cookie Sales, second in Sask for most cookies sold

By NICOLE TAYLOR

LOCAL JOURNALISM INITIATIVE REPORTER Moosomin Tim Hortons raised \$16,028 in Holiday Smile Cookie sales during Holiday Smile Cookie Week from November 17-23, making it the second highest selling location in Saskatchewan, behind Humboldt who raised \$22,239. In third spot was Weyburn with \$12,070 in sales.

Proceeds from Moosomin's Holiday Smile Cookie sales will go toward oper-ating costs at the Moosomin Visual Arts

"We are very pleased with those results and we are breaking the record books again," says Moosomin Tim Hortons owner Greg Crisanti. "That's the highest amount that we've done for our Holiday Smile Cookies, and it's a difficult time, it's Christmas time and the economy is tough too. We are very pleased to have this support and be able to make a donation in that amount to organizations that we truly love. We are very pleased and can't thank everyone enough

mank everyone enough.
"We knew by Wednesday (of Smile Cookie Week) that we were doing well, but we underestimated the support that we were going to be getting. The weather gods co-operated, there were no highway closures co we were busy them were lost. closures so we were busy, there was lots going on in town for sports teams and school was in. All these factors play into the week and it was amazing. We couldn't believe it. We drained a warehouse out of cookies, our supplier wasn't able to get us anymore Holiday Smile Cookies, so I think late Saturday or Sunday we had to pivot to the chocolate chunk. All these

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things are amazing to happen because of the support we were given, it's just remarkable

Crisanti says he is proud of Moosomin for how well it always does in the Smile

for how well it always does in the Smile Cookie fundraisers.

"It keeps on rockin," people are definitely putting us on the map, people are asking what we're doing or seeing us on our social channels and seeing it in the paper as well. It's fantastic to be leaders in smaller community, the amount that we do is remarkable.

"Proud is an understatement. Our teams are so thrilled to be able to do it, and it's fun for everybody. We just wrapped up our staff appreciation night on Monday our staft appreciation night on Monday as well. It just brings everybody closer together as far as the volunteers, the staff, even our guests coming in. We love doing it, and we love the challenge and the adrenaline keeps us going throughout the week. We always laugh, we don't want to see another cookie for a little bit after the week's done, but it's all playful fun."

He says the team at Tim Hortons man-

rages will with such a high volume of cookies going out the door.

"There's a lot of timing that goes into it, as far as making sure we have enough cookies on hand throughout the week, cookes on hand throughout the week, and our freezer space is limited, so it's a balancing act to try and keep everything balanced in the freezer and organized there. This is all along with our normal operations," he says.

"We only do have two ovens in the back, so basically from Sunday evening, those ovens are going full time throughout the

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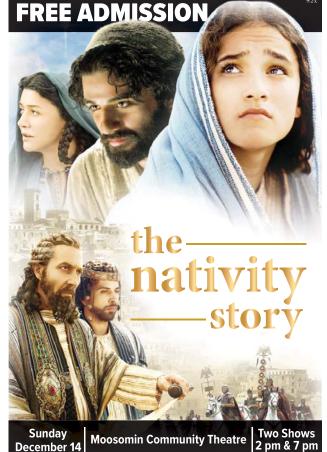
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Last year's Santa Day in Moosomin.

# **Moonlight Madness • Hot Chocolate Festival** Free movie • Pancake Breakfast • Santa Day • Carol Festival

# Christmas events this week in Moosomin

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Dairy Queen is planning on serving a frozen hot chocolate that comes in three flavors—caramel, double fudge, and peanut butter. Witch's Brew is serving a gingerbread brown sugar hot chocolate. The Country Squire is serving a melted snowman hot chocolate, and Cork and Bone is serving two creations-a black forest hot chocolate and a toasted coconut white hot chocolate.

**Moonlight Madness** 

Thursday, Dec. 4
Moonlight Madness in Moosomin is this Thursday, Dec. 4. Stores will be open until 9 am on Thursday, giving people a chance to do some late-night Christmas shopping. There will also be a draw for \$100, \$252 and \$500 in Moosomin Bucks that people can enter when shoppers get their Moonlight Madness card stamped at five different stores on December 4.

The Moosomin Visual Arts Centre will also be open

on Thursday with hot chocolate, a Christmas ornament class, cookie decorating and a pottery wheel dem-onstration, all at no charge.

The Moosomin Kinettes are hosting Santa Day on Sunday, December 7. Santa will be at MacLeod Elementary School from 1-4 pm that day, giving kids a chance to get their photos taken with him. The cost is \$10 per picture.

Carol Festival Sunday, Dec. 7

Wrapping up the week-

The breakfast is a fundraiser for Sherri Moffatt, who was injured in a farming accident on November 16. The Lions will also be using the proceeds of the breakfast to help fund a new washer and dryer for the Kin Ability Centre, and also as a general fundraiser for the newly formed Moosomin Lions Club.

> Santa Day Sunday, Dec. 7

end is the Moosomin Carol Festival on Sunday, December 7. There will be one show only this year at 7 pm at St. Mary's Catholic Church. People are being asked to bring a non perishable item for the food bank to the festival.

"It's going to be a busy week in Moosomin this week, and we hope people enjoy everything the town has on offer," says Moosomin Chamber of Commerce President Kevin Weedmark. "Moosomin has amazing businesses and organizations, and we always look forward to offering a lot for people to do during the week of Moonlight

### Free movie Saturday,

Dec. 6
On Saturday, December 6 the Moosomin Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a free movie matinee at the Moosomin Com-munity Theatre. How To Train Your Dragon will be on at 2 pm, giving parents a chance to drop their kids off that day and do some local Christmas shopping.

## **Lions Pancake Breakfast**

Sunday, Dec. 7
Kicking off the day on Sunday, Dec. 7, the Moosomin Lions Club will be serving a pancake breakfast at the Moosomin Armoury Hall from 7:30 to 10:30 am 10:30 am.

The World-Spectator's deadline is noon on Thursdays





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Above and right: The 2025 Harvest of Hope crop being taken off north of Moosomin in Octo-

# Harvest of **Hope raises** \$26,000 to help feed the hungry

BY NICOLE TAYLOR

LOCAL JOURNALISM INITIATIVE REPORTER
Harvest of Hope has released its financial results for the
season, reporting a net revenue of \$26,000.
"Our net revenue is \$26,000 for this harvest season,"

said Kyle Penner with Harvest of Hope.
Penner said that while this year's results were lower than in some recent seasons, the organization remains appreciative of the support it has received. "Averages exist for a reason, and the last few years we have done quite a bit better than this, but we are grateful for what we have

Penner explained that several factors influenced this year's outcome. "We had some changes in sponsorship, some different things happened with sponsors where they weren't able to support like they had in the past, and then high input costs, and the weather impacts both our crop yield and quality."

A significant portion of this year's revenue will go toward international food-security efforts. "\$19,500 will be going to the Canadian Food Grains Bank, and that will be distributed through their member agencies into wherever they donate it. Lots of their focus right now is on immediate food security needs to places where people are being displaced, so Palestine, Ukraine, anywhere that there

ing displaced, so Palestine, Ukraine, anywhere that there is fighting you hear about in the news, they have people working there," said Penner.

The remaining funds will support local food initiatives. "In total it will be \$6,500 that is the difference that will be split between Mossomin Food Share and the Rocanville Food Bank." said Penner, "It'll be \$4,900 to Mossomin and \$1,600 to Rocanville."

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Penner explained the importance of community involvement in sustaining the project. "The big thing that we want to make sure people know is that we are grateful for their help. It takes a big community of people to support a project like this so without their help, this type of thing would not be possible."

Penner said how even small contributions can have a large impact through matching programs. "And the other thing we want people to know is that the impact that they make, no matter how small the contribution, is very important. When you have the leveraging options of 4:1 with the Food Grains Bank, a donation of as little as \$200 can make an impact of up to \$1000. And so when you get that multiplier involved with what we are doing, you can feed quite a few people."

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Penner said that this multiplier effect is made possible through long-standing federal partnerships. "The Food Grains Bank has a partnership that they have had since the 1980's through what is called the Canadian International Development Agency, and throughout that partnership with the Canadian Government of the distribution of foreign aid, they have been able to multiply donations through this program using tax dollars to make a bigger impact with foreign aid.



#### Moosomin Town Council

# Council weighs options for new provincial program that would cover all recycling costs

BY NICOLE TAYLOR

LOCAL JOURNALISM INITIATIVE REPORTER
Scott Nelson and Brian Waynert of Loraas Disposal met with Moosomin Town Council at their meeting on Wednesday to discuss the town's options under the SK Recycles program. Under the program, SK Recycles will be covering the cost of all recycling in the province and is giving municipalities two options to choose between by February 1, 2026—a program-led option or a community-

February 1, 2026—a program-led option or a community-led option.

SK Recycles is Saskatchewan's new province-wide re-cycling program for household packaging and paper. The program is funded by businesses that include manufac-turers, brand owners and retailers that supply packaging and paper to Saskatchewan residents. SK Recycles works with producers, local governments, First Nations and Mé-tic computities, private companies, other overaity actions. tis communities, private companies, other organizations and residents to create a standard province-wide recy-

cling network.

Nelson and Waynert said that under the program-led option, SK Recycles would choose who does recycling

option, SK Recycles would choose who does recycling collection for the town. Under the community-led option, it would be up to the town who does their recycling.

They suggested the community-led option to the town, pointing out it would give the town more control, and that the town could opt out of it any time and switch to the program-led option if they want.

Under the community-led option, the town would need to become an associate member of Red Coat Waste Authority which would allow them to have control were valued.

thority which would allow them to have control over who thority which would allow them to have control over who comes into the town to do recycling collection. Red Coat would receive the money from SK Recycles to cover the cost of the recycling and Loraas would invoice Red Coat. Loraas said they could start picking up recycling under the community-led option as soon as June 1, 2026.

Regardless of which program the town chooses, the

town will no longer pay for the cost of recycling, and the new program will save Moosomin residents \$30 a quarter—\$120 a year—on their garbage and recycling bills. The town decided to table any decision on which option they are choosing so that they could discuss it further and make a decision at a future meeting.

#### Town will compete in national Communities in Bloom competition in 2027

Council passed a motion that Moosomin compete in the 2027 national Communities in Bloom competition.

The town competed in the national competition in 2026

and received five blooms with a special mention for their work at Bradley Park.

The choice to compete nationally came after the town

won in its population category at the provincial level in

Councillor Andie Hodgson made the motion to participate again at the national level.

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"I think it's a good way to get the community involved, because the community members do so much for us with our beautification and they really do take pride in contributing to the community." she said.

"I think we have a lot of great accomplishments in it. And I think it results in a lot of community improvement, whether it's town-wide cleanup or other initiatives that we might not necessarily have the support with if we don't participate in Communities in Bloom, and I think we've been successful in our accomplishments and I would like that continue."

#### Truman wants people to take action to deter deer in town in the winter

Councillor Heather Truman said she wanted to start being pro-active when it came to educating people about deterring deer in town this winter.

Over the last few years, Moosomin has seen large numbers of deer move into town during the winter months. The deer have caused damage to people's yards and have come close to being hit on the streets on multiple occa-

Truman said she wanted to work on giving people tips on how to deter deer including wrapping their cedar trees in the winter months so that the deer aren't encouraged to eat them, taking down bird feeders, and discouraging people from actively feeding the deer.

She said she would be looking into initiatives that some

other communities had taken to deter deer in town.

# Town hall meeting being

**planned for January**Council is planning to hold a town hall meeting in January and settled on a tentative date of Wednesday, January

ary 28 at 7 pm at the Moosomin Sportsplex.

At the meeting, each committee would provide a report and then take questions from the public.

#### Towler. Hodason working on motions for SUMA convention

resolution to bring forth at the SUMA convention in April that would allow business owners who do not live within town limits to run for council. He said there have been lots of people who own businesses and have been invested in the community who would be interested in being on town council, however current municipal election rules stipulate that a person must live within the town in order to be on council.

Council discussed some of the pros and cons that could come from a motion like that, and then decided to table it in order to better define who exactly could run for council under the motion.

Councillor Andie Hodgson also said she would like to bring forth a motion at the SUMA convention to lobby the government to help with the costs of decommissioning landfills so that municipalities don't bear the brunt of the

cost when they decide to deccomission a landfill.

Motions presented at SUMA are voted on at the convention. If they pass SUMA advocates for changes based

#### **Town hears from Caring Communities**

There was a delegation from Caring Communities at the meeting on Wednesday. Rolna Pranke and Paige Volk attended the meeting to talk about what Caring Communities does and the different ways they help families and people in the local area.

Made up of a small group of volunteers, the group does fundraising to help people in need, whether it is with financial difficulties or other difficulties such as health care problems that arise.

The group also runs a number of programs and initiatives such as an adopt a family program, a little pantry at the library, a school backpack program, adopt a long-term care resident program, and they sponsor swimming

They said they wanted to ensure council knew about them and what they do so that if any of the councillors knew someone who needed help, they could let them know about Caring Communities and have them reach out for help.

Money transferred for 2026 paving Council passed a resolution to transfer \$350,000 from the town's general account to their future expenditure ac-count for paving not completed in 2025. The money will be used for 2026 paving projects.

# **Busy Chamber meeting set for Dec. 16**

BY NICOLE TAYLOR
LOCAL JOURNALISM INITIATIVE REPORTER
The next meeting of the Moosomin Chamber of Commerce is set for Tuesday, December 16 at the Moosomin Sportsplex. It will be a busy meeting with lots on the

**Highways Minister at meeting**Provincial Highways Minister Dave Marit will be at the meeting to talk about the highways investments in the Moosomin area.

The Saskatchewan Ministry of Highways invested more than \$21.2 million in the Moosomin area this construction season, with five major projects taking place, including repaving Highway 8 between Moosomin and Rocanville, a truck pull out rest area east of Moosomin on the Trans-Canada Highway, micro surfacing on the Trans-Canada Highway between Moosomin and Wapella, microsurfac-ing on Highway 8 south of Moosomin, and seal coating on Highway 48 between Windthorst and Highway 9.

#### Smile Cookie presentation

After raising over \$16,000 in the Holiday Smile Cookie campaign, Mossomin Tim Hortons will be making a cheque presentation to the Mossomin Visual Arts Centre with the proceeds from the fundraiser.

# Young Entrepreneur Bursary A presentation will be made to Tia Cedarstrand from

A presentation will be made to Tia Cedarstrand from Third Avenue on Main. Third Avenue on Main in Mooso-min is one of 57 businesses in Saskatchewan that has been chosen to receive \$5,000 through the provincial government's new Young Entrepreneur Bursary.

#### **Daycare presentation**

Playfair Daycare will be doing a presentation at the Chamber meeting to talk about the progress on the new daycare building under construction and some of their fundraising initiatives.

#### Parks & Rec presentation

The Moosomin Parks & Rec Department will be talk-ing about their trip to Stratford, Ontario where the town found out how they did in the national Communities in Bloom competition. They will also be talking about the rec department's plans for 2026.

**SE College presentation**Southeast College will be at the meeting to talk about

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their plans to offer an English as an Additional Language

program in Moosomin.

The meeting will be on Tuesday, December 16 at the Moosomin Sportsplex at 11:45 am

## MOOSOMIN FAMILY PRACTICE CENTRE

#### **PUBLIC NOTICE**

Dr. Kristin Foy will be taking a leave from her clinical practice starting December 12, 2025.

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"There is a good balancing act. I wouldn't say it's a challenge, we're fortunate enough to have done it before, but the pre-planning, we definitely go big with it to make life easier for all our staff."

Krista Crellin, the president of the Moosomin Visual Arts Contra easy sho was humbled by how many page.

Arts Centre, says she was humbled by how many people bought Holiday Smile Cookies to support the arts

"Wow is my first thought, that's amazing," she said of the total raised. "Moosomin has always been such a supportive community of the Smile Cookie sales and it's so nice to know that they also were supportive of the arts centre when we were a recipient. I'm honored that Tim Hortons chose us and was just delighted.

"Having this money takes a big burden off of us.

We're a primarily volunteer run organization, we are a very busy centre, so we have a lot of overhead and costs and staff to pay, so this is really going to ease things for

us.
"I think it will mostly go toward operating costs for us at this point.

"It really just reinforces our belief that our centre was needed in town and it really is heartwarming to know that we have so much community support. We are honored to be chosen, we are honored that everybody

bought cookies and donated and chose to support us."

The arts centre has been open for almost two years, and Crellin says things are busy there.

"We are pretty busy, we are still trying to do at around two classes a week, pottery is really kicking off, we have a few more instructors and so much interest in the pot-

tery classes. Every time we have them, they fill up immediately. Glass is also a popular one that fills up fast," "Our kids programming is really popular as well. Our summer camp was full again this year and we had lots of good comments about that.

"We've been busy and doing fundraisers on our own.

We just had our Christmas market and it was another successful market, we had quite a few people coming through. It has been a good year.
"I would just like to thank Tim's for choosing us for

a recipient. I've heard nothing but really great things about working with Tims. Lyla Smart and Lynne Haf-ner and Jen Grant with MVAC were the ones that really were organizing and setting up with all the volunteers (to make Smile Cookies), so I'd like to say a thank you to them and to Tim's as well.

# Canada and Sask extend the Canada-Saskatchewan **Early Learning and Child Care Agreements**

On Friday, Education Minister Everett Hindley and Secretary of State (Rural Development) Buckley Be-langer, on behalf of Canada's Minister of Jobs and Families and Minister Responsible for the Federal Economic Development Agency of Ontario, Patty Hajdu, announced the extension of the Canada-Saskatchewan Canada-Wide Early Learning and Child Care Agreement for another five years, starting in 2026-2027.

The newly negotiated extension reinforces Saskatchewan's commitment to building an early learning and child care (ELCC) system guided by a shared vision with Canada focused on quality, affordability and ac-

cess.
"Affordable child care is an economic tool that helps Saskatchewan grow," Hajdu said. "When parents can find good, reliable child care, they can work, train, or build a business. That helps families earn more and helps the whole province stay competitive. In Saskatchewan, lower fees are saving families thousands of dollars and keeping more people in the workforce. We will keep working with partners to protect and expand these spaces so every child can learn, and every family can plan for a strong future."

"This agreement reflects the needs of Saskatchewan families and supports the flexibility of our child care landscape," Hindley said. "Since 2021, we have created thousands of new spaces and reduced fees to \$10 a day. We will continue to build on that tremendous progress to deliver affordable, high-quality care and support the dedicated professionals who make it possible." Also extended are the Canada-Saskatchewan Bilateral

Farly Learning and Child Care Agreement for another five years, starting in 2026-2027, and the Infrastructure Fund for an additional year, until 2026-2027. The extended agreements include expanded age eligibility so that children in child care who turn six while

attending Kindergarten can continue to receive \$10 a day care until they complete the school year.

This multi-year federal investment of \$1.6 billion will continue improving access and affordability to early learning programs and child care for children and families in Saskatchewan. Base funding for early learning and child care programs will increase by three per cent (via an escalator) per year for four years starting in 2027-2028. Saskatchewan has created more than 91 per cent of the 28,000 additional child care spaces targeted

in the initial agreement with the federal government in 2021 and was the third province to reduce child care fees to \$10 a day.

Saskatchewan is also committed to attracting, retain-Saskatchewan is also committed to attracting, retaining and growing a strong and skilled workforce of Early Childhood Education (ECE) professionals. From April 2021 to September 2025, over \$171 million in provincial and federal funding has supported a made-in-Saskatchewan approach, including:

• Wage enhancements of up to \$8.85 per hour for certified FCE working in populated child case.

- tified ECEs working in regulated child care;

   Workforce enhancement grants for recruitment and retention initiatives:
- · Tuition-free training and professional development for ECEs; and
- · Bursaries and grants to support individuals to take
- training.

   The extension of the Canada-Saskatchewan Early Learning and Child Care Agreements is an important step in Canada and Saskatchewan's continued work together to ensure accessible, affordable and high-quality child care.

# Sask school divisions receive funding through national school food program

On November 21 Legislative Secretary for Education Barret Kropf and Secretary of State, the Honourable Buckley Belanger, on behalf of Secretary of State (Children and Youth), the Honourable Anna Gainey, announced the next phase of the National School Food Program in Saskatchewan, which will provide funding to school divisions across the province to expand existing or develop

new food programs.

Earlier this year, the Governments of Saskatchewan and Canada signed a \$15.8 million three-year agreement under the National School Food Program. Through the agreement, the Government of Saskatchewan is providing \$6.4 million of federal funding to school divisions in the 2025-26 school year to support programs that are responsive to the needs of students attending urban, rural or northern schools.

"The National School Food Program investment will help us further achieve our goal of providing a better quality of life for Saskatchewan students, families and communities," Education Minister Everett Hindley said. "Enhanced school food programs can provide immediate relief to families' household budgets and significantly increase access and reach for students.

The new federal program builds on the work being done through the Saskatchewan Child Nutrition Program, which has provided healthy meals and skill building programs to Saskatchewan students for the past 35

Throughout the agreement, the ministry will continue Throughout the agreement, the ministry will continue ongoing consultation meetings with stakeholders including school divisions, First Nations partners and francophone community representatives to seek feedback, assess progress throughout the year and identify potential

sess progress throughout the year and identity potential improvements in programming in future years.

"By securing this National School Food agreement with the province and taking action to make this program permanent, our federal government is helping make sure kids across Saskatchewan get a good meal at school while putting more money back in parents' pockets. It's a simple, practical way to support families and set our kids up to do their best in the classroom and in life," said Canada's Secretary of State (Rural Develop-

ment), the Honourable Buckley Belanger.
Funding is provided to Saskatchewan school divisions based on the Prekindergarten to Grade 12 funding distribution model, which considers factors that influence the

cost of programming such as school location, enrolment and student needs.

"The National School Food Program is designed to provide nutritious meals that fuel learning and support the health of families and communities," Saskatoon Pub-Schools Board Chair Kim Stranden said. "Access to proper nutrition enhances student attendance, engagement, and ultimately academic success. The National School Food funding will strengthen and expand exist-ing school nutrition programs, foster local food systems,

ing school nutrition programs, foster local food systems, and promote food literacy education across the division." As announced in Budget 2024, the Government of Canada is investing \$1 billion over five years to implement the National School Food Program, working with provinces and territories and Indigenous partners to enhance and expand school food programming across Canada. The National School Food Program is a landmark investment that is expected to provide access to nutritious food at school, for up to 400,000 children each year. By supporting the health and academic success of students, including those living in food-insecure households, the program promotes healthier futures and more affordabilprogram promotes healthier futures and more affordability to Canadian families. That is why the Government of Canada intends to make the National School Food Program permanent. The program will receive permanent funding of \$216.6 million per year, starting in 2029-30.

The Program is part of the federal government's work to build a more affordable Canada. These include

the Canada Child Benefit and other investments made through targeted social programs and income supplements, helping to bring down costs for families so they can get ahead.

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Canada is in danger of losing the Arctic because Ottawa has ignored the

North for far too long,
The Canadian North makes up 40 per cent of our land mass and includes more than 19,000 islands in the Arctic Archipelago. Yet only about 120,000 people live across this enormous stretch of wilderness. Canada took control of the region in the late 19th century through territorial transfers from the Hudson's Bay Company and the British Crown, one of the largest land transfers in his-

tory.

For decades afterward, the North received little federal attention. The Second

World War briefly changed that, prompting construction of the Alcan Highway to Alaska and bringing new airfields and telephone lines.

The Cold War, along with the threat of Soviet bombers crossing the Pole, led to multiple radar lines. Still, Prime Minister St-Laurent admitted in the 1950s that Canadian governments had treated the North "in an almost continuing extended house of finited." state of absence of mind."

John Diefenbaker's Progressive Conservative administration tried to reverse that neglect. In 1958, he told a Winnipeg audience: "I see a new Canada—a Canada of the North! ... We intend to carry out the legislative program of Arctic research, to develop Arctic routes, to develop those vast hidden resources the last few years have revealed."

Plans for a research and industrial city in Frobisher Bay, new roads and

railway lines and wide-ranging surveys were ambitious but ultimately unaf-fordable. In the years that followed, both Liberal and Conservative govern-ments again set northern development aside.

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Foreign interest, however, continued to grow. The Canadian Security Intelligence Service recently reported Russian and Chinese attempts at influence and subversion in our northern territories.

American governments over the past 20 years have shown serious interest in the region's resources, which include significant oil, gas and mineral deposits, along with control of the Northwest Passage, a shipping route becoming increasingly accessible as Arctic sea ice recedes.

Canada considers those waters national; the United States, the European Union and at times China argue it is an international strait.

For all practical purposes, Canada has what amounts to no meaningful presence north of the tree line, leaving the field open to countries with far more ambition and far better-equipped forces.

Canada is in no position to defend its claims. We have no icebreakers capable of operating through the Arctic winter. We have no submarines that can work under the ice cap. We have no permanent air base for fighter jets.

pable of operating through the Arctic winter. We have no submarines that can work under the ice cap. We have no permanent air base for fighter jets. And to cover two million square kilometres of Arctic territory, we have only 300 troops stationed there. The chance they could detect, let alone repel, a serious intruder is essentially zero. Without these capabilities, Canada cannot properly monitor activity in the region or enforce its sovereignty claims. In the last federal budget, Ottawa announced a \$1-billion Arctic infrastructure fund for new airports, seaports and all-season roads. Our foreign affairs minister has urged NATO to pay more attention to the Arctic, saying it "must be an organization not only that focuses on the eastern flank, but also that looks north." that looks north."

These steps are gestures, not strategy. Canadian governments excel at promises but struggle with procurement, and the idea that European allies might fill the gap, considering their weak response to Russia's assault on Ukraine, is unlikely.

Our northern territory is under threat. We must use it or lose it.

This editorial is written by Gerry Bowler, a Canadian historian and a senior fellow of the Frontier Centre for Public Policy.



# It's going to be a busy week with all things Christmas!

Christmas is hitting in full force this week with three local communities all hosting late might shopping events this Thursday, December 4, along with a whole host of other events!

Let's start with Moosomin. The week kicks off with a Hot Chocolate Festival (because, hey why

not?!) with seven different restaurants in town not?) With seven different restaurants in town offering different hot chocolates to try from December 1-7. From gingerbread hot chocolate to lavender white hot chocolate, all of the restaurants have put some thought and creativity into their different hot chocolate creations, so make sure you try them all and vote on your favor-ite at hotchocolate@world-spectator.com to win Moosomin Bucks!

Moosomin Bucks!

Then on Thursday, it's Moonlight Madness in Moosomin. Stores will be open until 9 pm that night. This is always a super busy night in Moosomin, and the local stores put on amazing specials. It's the perfect chance to get some local Christmas shopping done!

Then on Saturday, there is a free matinee kids mayin at the theater in Moosomin—another.

Then on Saturday, there is a free matinee kids movie at the theatre in Moosomin—another chance to drop the kids off and get some Christmas shopping in while they are distracted! Then on Sunday morning the Moosomin Lions Club will be holding a pancake breakfast at the Armoury Hall. The breakfast is a fundraiser for Sherri Moffatt, the Kin Ability Centre, and the Lions Club.

The week wraps up with Santa Day on Sunday afternoon, when kids can get their photos taken with Santa at MacLeod Elementary School, and then that evening is the Moosomin Carol Festival.

Talk about a busy week!

In Esterhazy, December 4 is a big day as the town holds its annual Moonlight Magic event and lights up their historical park that night. Sales at local around town start at noon and

run until 9 pm that night. Starting at 4:30 there will be short Christmas videos shown at Maple Leaf Theatre until 6 pm.

From 5-8 pm, people can get free photos taken with Santa at the Esterhazy Legion. There will also be a gift wrapping service available from



Kara Kinna

5-9 pm at New Outlook Wealth.

Then at 6:30 pm people can head to the Historical Park where the town will "light the night"

ical Park where the town will "light the night" with town council members, turning on the Christmas lights and lighting up the Christmas tree at the park. There will also be bonfires, hot chocolate, and hot dogs available at the park. At 7:15 pm, a free movie "The Santa Clause" will be shown at Maple Leaf Theatre, and there will be free popcorn. As a thank-you for shopping locally, people will have a chance to win Esterhazy Bucks when they shop at participating businesses. First place will win \$200, second place will win \$150, and third place will win \$100.

\$100.

And then we go to Rocanville, where December 4 is also a big night! The town kicks off the Christmas season with late night shopping, its annual tree lighting, Santa photos, hayrides, and a bake sale. Stores in Rocanville will be open late that night, and the community Christmas tree will be lit at 6 pm that evening, with local Christmas carollers accompanying the tree lighting with some merry music.

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Santa will be making an appearance in Rocanville that night at 6:30 pm at Conexus Credit Union where kids can have their photo taken with him. There will also be hay rides starting at 6:30 pm in the Co-op parking lot. The Grade 12 class will also be holding a bake sale that afternoon and evening at the Hope Church.

These are just SOME of the events happening in the area this week, and I'm sure there are more! Be sure to get out and enjoy everything

more! Be sure to get out and enjoy everything your local communities have worked so hard to put on for the Christmas season!

# Have something to say?

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#### Construction in the Moosomin

area

Some scenes of new construction in the Moosomin area

the Moosomin area last week. **Above:** The roof joists being installed at the new daycare building in Moosomin. **At right:** A house under construction at

under construction at Fieldstone Grove in the RM of Moosomin just north of Moosomin.

Below: The nearly complete IJack expansion consisting of a second building beside the original building in the RM of Moosomin just north of Moosomin.







# Moosomin Legion holding free supper Dec. 7 for military, RCMP, Legion members and seniors

BY DONNIE MATICHUK

On Sunday, December 7, the Moosomin Legion will be holding a free Holiday Dinner at the Legion hall. The supper is for veterans, members of the military, RCMP, Legion members, and seniors.

"The idea came about when I learned about the Share the Warmth grant from Sask Energy," says Donna Lafleur with the Moosomin Legion. "I took it to a meeting, and we decided that whether we got it or not, we would still hold this free holiday supper. We're really looking forward to kicking off the holidays with our seniors, veterans, and RCMP."

Lafleur says that at one point, the Moosomin Legion was not in a position to be able to put on events like this one, but thanks to community support, they are able to give back to the community now.

"Our Legion is much more active in the community than

we have been in past years, because we now have the funds to do more. Years ago we were just barely holding the doors open, but thanks to support from individuals and businesses in the town, we have some more money that we can spend on supporting our veterans and RCMP."

She says that the Legion is hoping to fill the hall and pro-

vide a holiday meal for as many people as they can.

"We personally invited all the RCMP and military from the area, and after we get all of their responses, then it is open to seniors and Legion members. We decided that 150-175 attendees would probably be the most we can hold in the hall and Legion club room. I also don't know if we'll max out, the property is a breat with the deligation to the people of the property of the people of the property of the people of the property of the people of the peo because it is a busy time of year, but we'd love to have all that can attend

"For our supper we're having ham, scalloped potatoes, desert, and anybody that wants to bring a salad can bring their own salad. It's a bit of a potluck, but just for the salads because we will provide everything else."

The Legion also reached out to Borderland Co-op to seek

a reduced price on the ham for the supper, but got a pleasant surprise.
"We contacted Co-op asking for a small discount on the

ham, and they replied that they would be donating the ham free of charge.

Lafleur sees this as an opportunity to give back to the community and those who have supported the Legion in the past.

"Part of the Legion's motto is to serve, which involves our

veterans, RCMP and their families. Part of doing that, especially at this time of year, is addressing the social isolation that can affect many older members of the community. Their kids and grandkids might not be around or close to here, so they might not have anyone around for the holidays. This way, at least we can give them something to get out and be with others closer to the holiday season."



The Legion's Remembrance Day supper on Nov. 11. On Dec. 7 the Moosomin Legion will be holding a free Christmas supper for military, RCMP, Legion members and seniors.

The Legion members say they have discussed making the free Holiday Dinner an annual event, but would like to see how the first year goes

how the first year goes.
"We would love to have this every year. As of now we'd like to see how year one goes and how many people we get to come out before making plans for next year," she said.
"We're hoping for 100-175 people attend, and we have 100 seats reserved for our RCMP and veterans. I don't think we'll

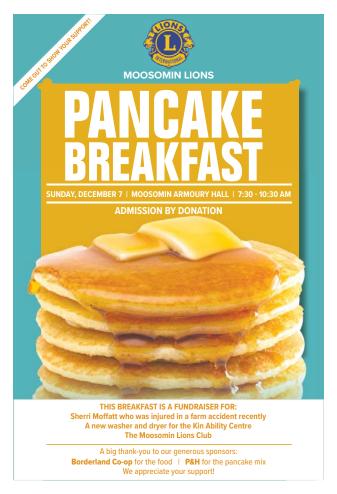
get all of our RCMP officers in the area, as they are very busy, but I do hope we get as many as possible to come for sup-

She says that being able to give back to the community and show support for seniors and veterans is a great feeling

"It feels phenomenal. I can't even express how grateful we are that the community supports us, and so in turn, we can support the community. When I first took over, we were in danger of closing our doors, and now we can donate back and be able to give more and more support to those who could use it.

"We've been told by a few people that we should put up a donation jar, because they don't want to come for supper and not give anything, but we've asked for zero donations, because that's not the point. We are putting this on as a thank you for supporting us, and to give back to those who have made sacrifices for the freedoms we have. It's our Christmas gift to the community," she said.





# Nutrien Rocanville receives Technology Fund grant for sustainable mining initiative

BV ASHLEY BOCHEK

Nutrien Rocarville was recently awarded \$1.2 million
from the provincial government for their new innovative
technology for more efficient and sustainable minning.
the provincial government process in reducing emissions and drive sustainable growth.
Justin Young and Tim Mabango of Nutrien Rocarville explain their new innovative project chosen among nine other projects funded by the Saskathewan Technology Fund.
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"We're actively exploring opportunities across our potash network," Young explained. "With the global population steadily rising and the amount of arable land for crop tion steadily rising and the amount of arable land for crop productions brinking, we face a critical challenge, ensuring we can increase crop yields to meet growing food demand. That's why it's essential we continue to expand our pro-duction capabilities—so we can help feed the future and support global food security."

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Technology Fund, initiated by corporate outreach enough the provincial freeling project submissions. The Fund was aimed at supporting industry-driven technology, innovation and semonoment oriodicts that miligate, sequester or capture

Striving toward efficiency
Tim Mbanga, Mill Maintenance Superintendent at Nutrien Rocanville, highlights the company's commitment to operational efficiency and sustainability.

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"The most important thing is efficient production of resources—maximizing recoveries, reducing waste, and minizing emissions," he explains. This approach aligns with Nutrien's broader corporate strategy to optimize its three

core segments, Upstream (manufacturing facilities, for example, Mines), midstream (distribution and logistics), and

downstream (agricultural customer/ end-user support).
"Unlike traditional fertilizer producers, Nutrien offers an integrated model that spans from mining and manufacturing to customer engagement. This includes soil test-ing, pH control, and tailored fertilizer recommendations," Mbanga explains, as game changer services within the in-

dustry.

"Before Nutrien was formed in 2018, PotashCorp fo-"Before Nutrien was formed in 2018, Potasik.orp to-cused solely on fertilizer production with limited distri-bution. Today, Nutrien provides a complete support chain from manufacturing to the farmgate, and no competitor offers this level of integration."

Saskatchewan Technology Fund Mbanga explains Nutrien's efforts to innovate through

improvement projects that mitigate, sequester or capture greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions. I saw that as an opportunity for the Ultrafines Recovery Project, so I talked to tunity for the Ultrafines Recovery Project, so I talked to Justin Young, explained to him about the funding and said to him, 'I have a project in mind and I would like to apply and he said 'If you have all the information, let's put our best foot forward and get that application in!', and we did exactly their.'



Nutrien Rocanville General Manager Justin Young, Moosomin-Montmartre MLA Kevin Weedmark, and Mill Maintenance Superintendant at Nutrien Rocanville Tim Mbanga.

employees and multiple priorities, having this external support gives us the momentum we need."

The funding highlights Nutrien's commitment to sustainability and innovation, enabling the company to accelerate projects that deliver measurable environmental benefits while maintaining operational efficiency.

The project
Nutrien Rocanville is taking a big step toward sustainability and operational efficiency with an innovative project initiated by Mill Maintenance Superintendent Tim

ext mutated by Mill Maintenance Superintendent Tim Mbanga.

The initiative focuses on upgrading unit processes in the stie's older mill, which was built in the late 1960s and is nearing the end of its lifecycle.

"The question was, what would it take to restore this unit operation and extend its life by another 30 to 40 years?" Mbanga explains.

The crystallization process is the most challenging and is traditionally used to convert fine potash particles into larger crystals suitable for sale. This process is energyintensive, requiring temperatures up to 100°C. However, Nutrien's newer mill, commissioned in 2016, introduced advanced drying technology that eliminates the need for

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Saskatchewan technology Fund. "The emissions reduc-tion is substantial. From an energy standpoint, his project is about creating technology that minimizes or eliminates is about creating technology that minimizes or eliminates unnecessary consumption," Mbanga emphasizes.

Mbanga designed the ultrafine recovery system, com-pleting all initial calculations and leading the application process for funding. "I plan to be involved from start to finish on this project—overseeing detailed design, execusioning, and ensuring the system runs as in-

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The initiative will not only lower greenhouse gas emis-

sions but also improve overall yield and recovery of ul-trafine potash products. "This technology allows us to optimize recovery while minimizing energy use, which is a win for both efficiency and sustainability," Mbanga ex-

"It was very expensive to run the crystallizer in mill one because of the high temperatures involved and the amount of the control of the con "It was very expensive to run the crystallizer in mill one because of the high temperatures involved and the amount of gas you're consuming, so moving that cost from the bal-

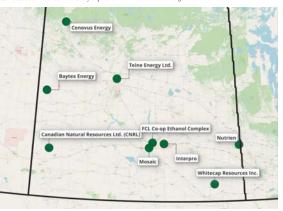
"We are to "We have seen steady growth for multiple years and recoveries."

looking into the future; continue to see steady growth for global demand.

To believe that probably played into us being chosen among the other nine projects for this funding from the Technology Fund, "he adds.

The see that Mossic also received funding with a very discrete project, but something similar in the space getting funded—I think it's great that the Saskatchewan government recognizes the impact potats has, not only in the more recognizes the impact potats has, not only in the properties."

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A man showing the locations of the various projects that are receiving funds under the Technology Fund

An aerial photo of Nutrien Rocanville taken by Kevin Weedmark

Collaborative process
Mbanga savs be project application was a collaborative
process among himself and coworkers.
"I worked with site leadership. Rocanville site and corporate resources to prepare and submit a proposal aimed
at leveraging this funding opportunity. This initiative reflects Nutrien's ongoing drive to leverage technology and
funding opportunities to enhance efficiency and sustain-

oility across its operations."
Young adds, "This funding that we received from the provincial government will be going toward Tim's idea on the Ultrafine potash recovery project. We are in the early design stages of the project and this funding will help push that along. We received \$1.2 million from the Saskatchethat along. We received \$1.2 million from the Saskalchewan Technology Fund. We are currently also working with the federal government on another grant that could add a few more dollars to the pot for this specific project. Hopefully, if we do get both grants it should cover about 10 per course of the properties of th

Fund, the site has secured \$2 million through the federal Green Industrial Facilities and Manufacturing Program (GIFMP). totaling government contributions to approxi-mately \$3.2 million—about 10 per cent of the project's

erall cost. "This level of support is significant," says Mbanga "The



Industry's importance to province

Nutrien Rocanville is focused on shaping the future of mining with a strong commitment to sustainability and responsible resource development, "The main goal is to produce potash as ethically and efficiently as possible," says Mbanga, Mill Maintenance Superintendent. "The greenhouse effect and global warming are real—we're seeing plus-degree temperatures in late November here in Saskatchewan, which is unusual. That reality drives our focus

katchewan, which is unusual. That reality drives our focus on reducing emissions."

Mbanga emphasizes that Saskatchewan has a unique opportunity to lead by example. "The province holds 27 or the province holds 28 or the province holds 28 or the province here are holds 28 or the province here are the province here are the province here the province here the province here the province here are the province here. The province here are the province here. The province here are the province h

about the shared commitment to reducing environmental impact and ensuring long-term sustainability. Young adds, "I do think it is valuable for our government to ensure that we are continuing to fund projects like this one that is essentially reducing our carbon footprint."

End goal

Beautimine recovery project at Nutrien Rocanville has
been in development for several years, with a clear focus
on efficiency and cost reduction. "We've worked on this
project for quite a few years and wanted to minimize the
apital requirement significantly," says Mbanga. "Refurbishing the entire circuit would cost over \$100 million, but
with this approach, we can achieve the same goal for less



Nutrien Rocanville Genera



Mill Maintenance Superintendant at Nutrier Bocanville Tim Mbanga





# Elks donate to MOTOH, Food Share

The Moosomin Elks made donations last week to MOTOH and the Moosomin Food Share with proceeds from their annual scrap metal fund-raiser. At left are Ron Potter and Larry Tomlinson with the Elks making a \$2,000 donation to Jack Lemoine with MOTOH, and at right are Ron Potter and Larry Tomlinson making a \$2,500 donation to Samantha Campbell with the Moosomin Food Share. MOTOH says they will be using the funds for rides for seniors during the Christmas season and the Food Share says they will be using the funds for hams and turkeys for their Christmas hampers.

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# HEARKYOUS

The Moosomin Elks Lodge would like to thank the following businesses and people who donated items for our silent auction at our 75th anniversary on October 17th weekend! Your gracious donations helped us raise \$4,410.00 for Playfair Daycare!

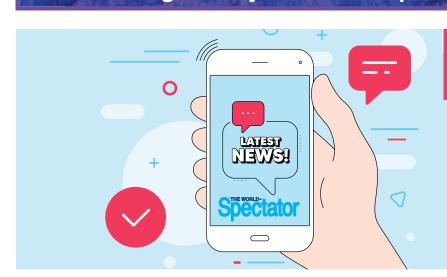
- Witch's Brew
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- Celebration Ford
- New Generation Ag Sevices (Chris Mannle)
- Moosomin Home Hardware
- Conexus Credit Union
- Nutrien Ag Solutions
- Zaylie Furniture
- Red Apple
- Hebert Group
- Hub International
- Nixon Electric

- L.H. Bradley and Son
- Pattison Ag (John Deere)
- OK Tire
- Jeannot Electric
- Sharpe's Crop Srvices
- Rocky Mountain Equipment
- Rocanville Remedial Massage Therapies
- Ranch n Ruff
- Craig Roy Farms
- Borderland Co-op
- Kari's Kloset
- Denray Tire
- Hutch Ambulance
- Red Barn restaurat

- Pharmasave Moosomin
- Royal Bank
- Jeff and Kyron Foy Farms
- Sonia Sandgaard Massage Therapy
- Paul Sandgaard
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- Charlotte Hartter
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- Twin Auto
- Carolyn Ireland

Also a huge thank you to Borderland Co-op Grocery Store and Red Barn for allowing us to sit in the stores and sell tickets for our 50/50 lottery for the Daycare as well!

Another big Thank you to all who purchased the tickets!



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The Moosomin Elks presenting a donation of \$24,410 to Playfair Daycare from proceeds of their 50/50 draw, along with a few other donations.

# **Moosomin Elks raise over** \$24,000 for Playfair Daycare

The Moosomin Elks Club made a \$24,400 donation to Playfair Daycare last week with proceeds raised from their 50/50 draw, as well as from their 75th anniversary

'For our 75th anniversary we decided we wanted to "For our 75th anniversary we decided we wanted to make a splash of some sort, and we knew that the new daycare needed some money. So we decided to run a 50/50 with one winner and it did really well," says Ron Potter with the Moosomin Elks. "We had 2,500 tickets to sell, and we sold over 2,000 right here in Moosomin. Probably 75 per cent of them were sold at the Co-op grocery store just from people walking in and deciding to support us."

In total the 50/50 draw made \$20,800 with half of the

Proceeds going to local winner Tracy Russell.

Potter says the Elks decided to top of the \$10,400 from the 50/50 with additional money raised from the silent auction at their 75th anniversary celebration, as well as some of their own donation money.
"We were discussing at our meeting the other night,

we were discussing at our intering the other light, and decided that the money raised from our silent auction at the 75th anniversary party would also go to the daycare. So we had the lottery money, plus the \$4,400, so we thought why don't we make it an even \$20,000 plus the \$4,000 from the auction, so that's where we came up with the total of \$24,400.

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"Our lottery licence only lets the daycare use the money we give for toys, or tables and chairs, or playground equipment, but not for building supplies. Any equipment that they may need for inside the building, I'm glad we're able to help with that," he said.

"I think it's a very worthwhile project, and the boys are pretty happy with the work we've done and the money we've raised. We generally do something like this every fall, and this year I think we've contributed to something that was really needed," said Larry Tomlinson with Moosomin Elks Lodge.

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Jill Jones with Playfair Daycare says that they were thrilled to receive the donation, and that progress on the new building has been steady.

"We're really happy to get this money from the Elks for the capital investment in the new building. If anyone

hasn't driven by, we encourage you to take a peak south of the elementary school. There are some walls going up or the elementary school. Inere are some wails going up and the rafters were also just put in today," she said last week. "We're hoping this nice fall weather continues and we can get a bit more done and gain some ground before any big snowfall. The donation for toys and other things like that is going to be really helpful, because we all know how hard kids can be on toys. With this money, hopefully we can also put some of it toward the backyard and make that a really good space for the kids." that a really good space for the kids."
Potter added that selling the 50/50 tickets was a team effort by the Elks and the Daycare.
"Originally the daycare girls took 25 books of tickets,



Ron Potter, left, and Larry Tomlinson, right, with the Moosomin Elks presenting Tracy Russell with her 50/50 winnings last week.

and after not too long they'd turned around and were saying they needed more. I was trying to sell as much as I can to make some money for them and they sold twice as much as us old guys!

T'd really like to thank anyone who bought tickets, and I'd like to thank all the businesses that let us sell tickets at their locations, especially Red Barn and the Co-op. The funny thing was, Tracy's ticket that won was a ticket that her employer had bought for her. I was really impressed with the community and that everyone around here was on board. I set a target for myself of 2,000 tickets sold, and

on board. I set a target for myself of 2,000 tickets sold, and we ended up getting to around 2,080.

"One thing that really showed me how far kindness can spread is that during our Walk-a-thon this year, we had a group from Nipawin that had come down. They donated \$750 right to the daycare. That's why I love being part of the Elks, they had seen that we were trying to raise money, and that made them want to help out and give some money as well," he said.

Playfair Daycare says that they are still looking for more ways to fundraise for the new building. "We're still coming up with ideas and still looking into different ways we can raise some money for our new building. We have a very new team, and are having meetings to figure out the best way to approach fundraising. Ways we can send the message to businesses in town, that we can do as much for them as they can to help us," said lones

"We greatly appreciate groups like the Elks being able to help us out, and for believing in us. We thank everyone who has supported us and continues to support us in this project," added Terri Lowe from the daycare.

Potter also noted that he was glad the winner came

from Moosomin.

"I was hoping we'd have a local winner, just because that's where our target was. This is a very local project, and so I was happy to see we had a winner from here in town who was very deserving of the prize."



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Fall Concert

The Creative Visions Choir and Moosomin Community Band hosted a fall concert on Tuesday, November 25 at Bethel United Church. The event featured a selection of musical performances by the band and choir and local artists, including the Creative Visions Kids Choir. The church was packed as people came out to enjoy the evening of music.



# Moosomin Rec Report

#### Mike Schwean, Recreation Director

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#### **Moosomin Rangers Hall of Fame** Game and Christmas Cabaret Moosomin Rangers have a fantastic Hall of Fame Game

lined up on Saturday, December 20. First their 2025 Hall of Fame inductees will be honored.

Then we have the game of the year as the defending Champion Redvers Rockets are in town for an 8 pm puck-drop. Then following the game is our annual Christmas Cabaret featuring an amazing all female dueling piano act called the "Sirens." They are the only all female dueling piano act in Saskatchewan and they are amazing! They will do an amazing 10 pm to 2 am set which will be awesome.

Tickets include:

Table of 6 with Sr Rangers Game Pass Table of 6 with no game pass Individual Tickets \$ 20 each \$ 30 each

For tickets you can call 435-7578 or email msmn.rec.brd@ sasktel.net. There is limited room so please book early to avoid disappoint. You can check the act out on Facebook under Sirens Dueling Pianos.

Sportsplex 2025/2026 Hours

Monday Tuesday Closed (available for private bookings) Closed (available for private bookings) Wednesday

3 pm to 9 pm 3 pm to 9 pm 10 am to 9 pm 10 am to 9 pm Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday 12 nn to 8 pm

**Junior Golf League**All new for 2025/2026 is a Junior Golf League at the Sportsplex! Runs Wednesdays from 5-7 pm
To enter or for information please contact Angela at

a.thorntownofmoosomin@sasktel.net

# Sportsplex Men's/Ladies

Golf Night – Thursdays Our 2025/2026 Thursday Night Golf League has started for the season. These are Skin Nights however you are not

required to go into skins.

We have two tee times at 4 pm and 6:15 pm. If you would like more information, please contact the Recreation Office at 435-3622.

#### Royal LePage King Pin Bowling **Thursdays**

We have been waiting three years for our Thursday Night Royal LePage Bowling League to return and this is the year! We are so grateful to Kim Setrum for restarting the league and hoping for a great response!

#### Sportsplex - Senior Fitness Classes

We are excited to have Devona Putland back at the Sportsplex running Senior Fitness Classes. Devona did an amazing job last year and the registration reflected that. With that in mind I would recommend that if you are interested register ASAP. For further information please contact Devona direct at 435-9046.

#### Mike Schwean Arena - 2025/2026

If you are interested in booking ice you can call 435-7578 or email msmn.rec.brd@sasktel.net. I would advise you to call sooner than later as we will have a busy schedule!

#### **Moosomin Skating Club**

Moosomin Skating Club is busy preparing for a fantastic winter at the MS Arena. If you would like to register a child for one of their many programs, you can go to moosominskatingclub.uplifterinc.com or any problems you can email the club at moosominsc@gmail.com.

Registration remains open for all programs!

#### **Skating Club weekly activities**

Monday Wednesday 5-8 pm 5-8 pm 5-7 pm 9:15 to 10:15 am Sunday

#### Minor Hockey games and special events for this week

Here is a listing of games for this week!

Saturday All DayU11 Girls Hockey Tournament Sunday All Day U11 Girls Hockey Tournament 7 pm Balcarres Broncs @ U18 Celebration Ford Rangers

#### Moosomin Jr. Steelhawks

The Steelhawks are back in town this Friday night with a battle with the Queen City Kids! Friday, 8 pm Regina Silver Foxes @ Moosomin Steelhawks.

**Sr Rangers Saturday night game**The Rangers also return to the friendly confines at the

Mike Schwean Arena. This time it is a Saturday Night affair Hockey Night in Canada! Saturday, 8 pm Kipling Oil Kings @ Moosomin Rangers

#### Senior Rangers – 2025/2026

- Here is a look at their home games in 2025/2026.
   Saturday, December 6: KW Oil Kings @ Sr Rangers 8 pm
   Friday, December 12: Carnduff Red Devils @ Sr Rangers
- 8 pm Saturday, December 13: Midale Mustangs @ Sr Rangers
- 8 pm Saturday, December 20: Redvers Rockets @ Sr Rangers
- 8 pm Sunday, January 18: Wawota Flyers @ Sr Rangers 7 pm
- Saturday, January 31: Carlyle Cougars @ Sr Rangers 8 pm

#### Rec Hockey this week

Three Rec Hockey games this week and we finish Friday night with a doozy as the Regional Eecol Electric are in town for a showdown with Nixon Electric!

9:30 pm Mustangs Tuesday Thursday 9:30 pm Leafs

#### **Home Team Live**

Mike Schwean Arena livestreams games and events using the services of Home Team Live. If you are interested in purchasing a membership you can do so online on the Home Team web page. You can find them at https://www. hometeamlive.com

# **Conexus Convention Centre**

**this week**We have had lots of calls for bookings at the Conexus Convention Centre but like all our other facilities it is heavily booked!

Here is a listing of this week at the MCC: **Monday** 1 pm Pickleball 6 pm Cadets Tuesday 1 pm Pickleball 3:30 pm Gymnastics 3:30 pm Gymnastics 1 pm Pickleball Wednesday Thursday 7 pm Pickleball Weekend Setup

Friday All Day Borderland Co-op Christmas Party Saturday

#### **Curling Season**

Games scheduled for this week

Monday Super League Curling

Tuesday Red Barn Men's League Curling – 6:45 pm Sheet 1 Frape vs Stanhope Sheet 2 McMullen vs Turpie Sheet 3 Meredith vs Stewart Sheet 4 Glasser vs Rambold

# Wednesday Afternoon Borderland Co-op Farmers and

Friends Curling – 1 pm Sheet 2 Thorn vs McMullen Sheet 3 Lee vs Turpie

# Thursday Evening Celebration Ford Ladies League

Curling
Sheet 1 Mannle vs Bender
Sheet 4 Hebert vs Lindsay

Friday Afternoon Fun league - Drop in Curling Games go at 1:30 pm

#### Moosomin Senior Club Programs

Moosomin Senior Club meet at the Sportsplex multiple times weekly for a wide range of activities from cards to bowling to shuffleboard and more! If you would like more information on all their programs and services, please contact Orey at 435-6788.

#### **Moosomin Visual Arts Centre**

Upcoming Events with the MVAC:
Tuesday, Dec. 2 at 3:15 - 5 pm Block 2 - After School
Kids' Art Program
Wednesday, Dec. 3, All day - Creative Kids Application

7 - 9 pm Ceramic Paint Party 4 - Christmas and Winter

Thursday, Dec. 4 at 3:15 - 5 pm Block 2 - After School

Kids' Art Program 6 - 9 pm Moonlight Madness

Friday, Dec. 5 at 8 -10:15 pm The Running Man @ Moosomin Community Theatre

Saturday, Dec. 6 at 2 - 4:05 pm Free Matinee: How to Train Your Dragon @Moosomin Community Theatre 8 - 10 pm Good Fortune @ Moosomin Community Theatre Sunday, Dec. 7 at 1 - 5 pm Christmas Baking with Me-

Monday, Dec. 8 at 2 - 5 pm Glass Etching with Darlene Strong

6 - 9 pm Glass Etching with Darlene Strong 7 - 9 pm Open Studio Tuesday, Dec. 9 at 3:15 - 5 pm Block 2 - After School Kids' Art Program

Wednesday, Dec. 10 at 5:30 - 10:45 pm Creative Space Private Bookings
Thursday, Dec. 11 at 3:15 - 5 pm Block 2 - After School

Friday, Dec. 12 at 8 - 9:50 pm Now you See Me, Now You Don't at the Moosomin Community Theatre

Saturday, Dec. 13 at 1 - 5 pm Christmas Baking with Melissa Magnusson

Melissa Magnusson
8 - 9:50 pm Now you See Me, Now You Don't at the
Moosomin Community Theatre
Sunday, Dec. 14 at 1 - 5 pm Open Studio
Tuesday, Dec. 16 at 3:15 - 5 pm Block 2 - After School
Kids' Art Program
Wednesday, Dec. 17 at 7 - 9 pm Ceramic Paint Party 5Winter and Christmas Themed

Thursday, Dec. 18 at 3:15 - 5 pm Block 2 - After School

Kids' Art Program
Friday, Dec. 19 at 8 - 10:15 pm Wicked For Good at the
Moosomin Community Theatre

Saturday Dec. 20 at 8 - 10:15 pm Wicked For Good at the Moosomin Community Theatre Sunday, Dec. 21 to Sunday, Jan. 4 All day - Christmas

Closure

#### Moosomin Public Library

#### Children's Programs

**Kids Sewing** Set #3 Dec. 2 & 3, 3:30-5:00 pm

Set # 4 Dec. 8 & 9, 3:30-5:00 pm Register to learn how to create a quilted pot holder to gift this holiday season. Ages 8+

Art Attack

Friday Dec. 5, 3:30-4:30 pm We'll be coloring and/or creating our own Christmas tessellation. Please register to attend ages 8+

Family Programs

Story Time: Friday Dec. 5 @ 10am

Get in the holiday spirit and join us for a fun family story time. This program is geared towards kids ages 3-5 but all ages are welcome to attend.

Adult Programs Books & Brews - Wednesday Dec. 10 @ 7 pm

Location: Skout Brewery

This month's book choice is Anxious People by Fredrik Backman.

Prime Timers Book Club - Friday Dec. 19 @ 10:45 am The December read is Everything Here is Beautiful by

Mira T. Lee. Read & Create Book Club,

Read & Create Book Club,
Read: Ghost Brush, copies now available Create: Lino
cutting during the meeting in January. Limited spots,
please register to join us.
Meeting/Creation Time: January 22, 2026 @ 6 pm
Moonlight Madness Dec. 4, 5-8 pm: Stop in for a free
Apple cider, grab a raffle ticket or 2, & check out what's
new in branch.

#### **Moosomin Community Recreation Plan**

Back in 2020 around Covid times our department undertook the task to develop a 10-year Community Recreation plan that would take us from 2020 to 2030. This included administration, programming and facilities. The tasks outlined in the CRP were as a direct result of com-

munity requests.

As a result of an amazing community we have been As a result of an amazing community we have able to get the entire plan completed in five years!
Just a sample of tangible results includes:

• Feasibility Study on New Skating Rink
• Feasibility Study on New Feasibility Study on New Feasibility Study on New Fieldhouse
• New Outdoor Court Space
• Terry Lynd Basketball Courts
• Bradley Park 2-2 Basketball Courts
• Pickleball Courts
• Fun World

- Fun World Dog Park
- Pharmasave FieldSharpe's Field
- Snarpe's FieldUpgrades to Ball DiamondsUpgrades to Football Field

Upgrades to Football Field
Upgrades to Soccer Field
Bradley Park Lending Shed/with equipment
Bradley Park Paving Project
So now it is onto a new 10-year plan. With that we will be looking for public input again with what the public would like to see. Questionnaires, public and private meetings will make up the meat and potatoes of the plan. For those interested, watch in early 2026 for calls to the public for input!

public for input!

# Rocanville Rec Report

#### Andrea Logan, Recreation Director

# **Universe Satellite Aquatic**

Centre Schedule November 30: 10 - 11 am/Lane Swim 11 am-12 pm / Family Swim

17 ahri 2 pm / Pahihy Swim 1-6 pm / Public Swim December 1: 2 - 3:30 pm / Family Swim 3:30-7:30 pm / Public Swim December 2: 1:30 - 2:30 pm/Parent &

Tot AquaFit 3:30-7 pm / Public Swim

7-8 pm / AquaFit December 3: 11 am-12 pm/Senior

AquaFlex
1:30-3 pm / Family Swim
3:30-8:30 pm / Public Swim
December 4: 4:30-7 pm/Public Swim

7 - 8 pm / AquaFit

December 5: 1:30-3 pm/Family Swim
3:30-8:30 pm/Public Swim

3:30-8:30 pm/Public Swim
December 6: 9 am - 12 pm/Public Swim
1-2 pm/Lane Swim
2 - 4:30 pm/Family Swim
5:30 - 7:30 pm/Public Swim
December 7: 9 - 10 am/Lane Swim
10 am -12 pm/Family Swim
1 - 6 pm/Public Swim

**Christmas Late Night** Shopping

Bring the whole family downtown and enjoy an evening full of holiday spirit, shopping and fun community events on

Tree Lighting & Christmas Carolers -6 pm. Come enjoy the unveiling of our brand-new town tree!

Santa pictures – 6:30 pm at Conexus Hayrides – 6:30 pm starting in the Co-Op Parking Lot

Craft Sale and Bake Sale 4-7 pm. Hosted by Rocanville Grad Class at Hope Church Rocanville Thrift Store will be open late! In store specials!

Come celebrate the season, support lo-cal, and experience the magic of Christmas in Rocanville!

#### **Communities in Bloom** Evaluation

We're proud to share that Rocanville has received three blooms out of five from the August judges!

We've reviewed the report and are al-

ready planning improvements.

A big thank you to everyone who helped make our community shine—your hard work truly shows.

Special thanks to Nutrien for sponsor-ing, and to the ROC Club Ladies for bringing it all together.

We're excited for spring and to keep

growing and improving our beautiful town!

#### **Donate a Toonie**

Let's decorate the Christmas Tree with kindness!

Give the gift of comfort this season by donating a toonie at the cashier which will go to giving the gift of a factory cello sealed teddy bear to a sick child. Every bear brings hope, comfort and a smile to a child who needs it most.

Available at the Rocanville an Moosomin Co-op grocery stores

#### **REDO Meeting**

You are invited to the Rocanville Economic Development Meeting! Everyone is welcome to come share ideas, hear updates, and help shape the future in Rocanville! Enjoy a cozy traditional Christmas

lunch and dessert!

nich and dessert: Agenda: Community Meeting Late-Night Shopping Review Community Survey Results When: December 18 at 12 pm RSVP to rocanville.rec@sasktel.net

#### **Monique's Fitness Class**

Want to fire up your energy and tighten your core? Come move, stretch, and feel more powerful each week!

Benefits of core strength:
-Provides balance and stability, reduc-

ing the risk of injury -Improves posture

Prevents overuse injuries

-Reduces lower back pain

This is going to be taking place on Mondays and Thursdays at 7:15 pm at the elementary gym! All fitness levels welcome – bring your water bottle and a smile!

#### **Noble Construction Skating Rink**

Public skate/Shinny schedule December 1: Shinny 3:30 - 5 pm December 3: Preschool/Adult Skate at

-3:30 pm; Shinny 3:30-5 pm December 5: Preschool/Adult Skate 1-3:30 pm

December 8: Shinny 3:30-5 pm

Season passes cam be purchased at the Rec Office and Town Office. Day passes can be paid for in the drop box at the rink. All skaters must pay public skate/shinny fees to skate regardless of whether they are in minor hockey or not.

#### **Hockey Schedule**

**December 1**: U11 White 5:15-6:15 pm U11 Black 6:30-7:30 pm U13 7:45-8:45 pm

December 2: U7 5-6 pm U9 6:15-7:15 pm

U15 7:30-8:30 pm U15-2 8:45-9:45 pm December 3:

U11 White 5:15-6:15 pm U11 Black 6:30-7:30 pm

enior Tigers 7:45-9:45 pm December 4:

U13 VS Whitewood 6:30-8 pm Old Timers 8:15-10:15 pm

December 5: U9 Wapella 5 -6 pm Youth Hockey 6:15-9:45 pm December 6:

Minor Hockey Day 8 am - 7 pm Senior Tigers VS Canora 7:15-10:15 pm

U11 White VS Moosomin 11 am-12:30

U7 Wapella 1 -2 pm U9 Wapella 2 -3 pm U11 Black vs Esterhazy 3:15-5:15 pm Wapella Black Hawks 6 -7:30 pm

#### **Skating Lessons** December 4: Parent and Tot Lessons

5-5:30 pm Youth Skating Lessons 5:30-6:15 pm

# **Rocanville Community**

**Thrift Store** The Rocanville Community Thrift Store is run by a group of local volunteers. If you are interested in volunteering your time at the Thrift Store, please, contact Marilyn at 306-645-4553.

#### **Rocanville** Community Centre Start Your Day with

Coffee & Conversation
Begin your day the Rocanville way from 8-9:30 am. Enjoy a warm cup of coffee and even warmer company! Drop by the com-munity centre for a relaxed, friendly at-mosphere where great conversations and wonderful people create the perfect blend.

#### Cards & Games - Thursday Afternoons

Need a mid-week pick me up? Come join us every Thursday from 1–3 pm for an afternoon of cards, games and good company. Enjoy lighthearted competition, share some laughs and add a little extra fun to your Thursdays.

#### Senior Supper - Community Potluck

Happening the last Monday of every month! Bring along your favourite dish to share and enjoy a cozy homemade meal with the company of friendly faces. Everyone is welcome around the table!

#### Rocanville Library

Discover all that your library has to offer - from books and digital resources to

hands-on programming.

Calling all library enthusiasts! We're also looking for new board members! If you're interested, please contact the library

The library will be closed for the Christmas break from December 24 to January 1. Programming Highlights:
• Button Maker Makerspace Kit – Month

of December Christmas Take 'n' Make Craft

Month of December (while supplies last)
• Kids Craft – December 17 at 10-11:30

 Krampus Dungeon Gaming Night –
December 18th 6-9 pm
Registration is not mandatory but requested. Please email semisinistergm@ gmail.com, walk ins welcome on a first come, first served basis. • Board Game Night - December 19 at

7 pm Did you know? You can take home more than just books! We also have puzzles, games, and even technology kits available

to borrow!

Have a program idea or something you'd love to see at the library? Let us know – we're always happy to explore new possibilities

#### **Rocanville Rec Centre**

Play group \*new days and times\* A welcoming space for little ones to play and explore while parents and caregivers connect. Join us Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 am to 12 pm for relaxed fun, so-cial time, and a great opportunity to build friendships for both kids and adults.

Group Walking \*new days and times\* Step into wellness with our friendly walking group! Meet on Mondays and Wednesdays at 9 am to 3 pm and Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1-3 pm for a refreshing group walk. A great way to stay active and chat with others in the community.

Puzzle Swap
Love puzzles? We do too! If you've completed your puzzles and are ready for a new challenge, bring them in and swap for something different. Drop off your puzzles anytime—your gently used puzzles will be appreciated by other puzzle lovers in the compunity. in the community.

#### Pickle Ball

Fun, fast, and easy to learn—pickleball is perfect for all ages and skill levels! Join us Tuesdays from 7-9 pm at the rec cen-tre. Equipment is available, so just show up and play. It's a great way to stay active, meet new people, and have a laugh!

#### Sew What!

Love to sew-or always wanted to Love to sew—or always wanted to learn? Sew What is the perfect place for you! Whether you're a beginner, hobbyist, or stitching pro, you'll enjoy a fun, relaxed space to create, share and learn.

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This takes place on Wednesday morn-ings, contact the Rec Office for more information @ rocanville.rec@sasktel.net

#### TAX ENFORCEMENT LIST VILLAGE OF GAINSBOROUGH **PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN**

Notice is hereby given under *The Tax Enforcement Act* that unless the arrears and costs appearing opposite the land and title number described in the following list are fully paid before the 30th day of January 2026, an interest based on a tax lien will be registered against the land.

Note: A sum for costs in an amount required by subsection 4(3) of The Tax Enforcement Act is included in the amount shown against each parcel.

#### DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

Lot	Blk	Plan	Title No.	Total Arrears	Costs	Total Arrears And Costs
27	2	10756	88R72281	875.55	35.00	910.55
1-3	1	B635	00SE28527D	222.00	35.00	257.00
10-11	11	B635	00SE23821	458.49	35.00	493.49
21	С	101245542	80R42286	1482.31	35.00	1517.31
ALL	н	61A02222	98SE09169G	5851.31	35.00	5886.31
Par A Lot 3	5	39744	77R12431	333.44	35.00	368.44

Dated this 28th day of November 2025 Stacey Johnson – Administrator



# LOCAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

www.world-spectator.com/employment.php





# GASI





Randy Mavin and Jarrod Slugoski.





Todd Volk, Jarrod Slugoski, and Kyle Calfas.



Kyle Calfas and Jenna Wallin.





The Mooseberry Acting Company performed the comedy Cash on Delivery on November 21, 22 and 23.

22 and 23.

Eric Swan is a con artist who has duped the welfare authorities by claiming every benefit possible for the people he claims live at his address. When he decides to give up the con and kill off the imaginary recipients, welfare investigators show up, and all kinds of mayhem ensues in the household.

The play had the audiences laughing all through

The play had the audiences laughing all through the performance.

**Above left:** Sean Brooks, Jarrod Slugoski, and Randy Mavin.

**Above:** Jarrod Slugoski, Randy Mavin and Todd Volk.

**Left:** Jarrod Slugoski, Randy Mavin, and Todd Volk.

Kara Kinna photos



# Moosomin/Broadview RCMP Report

BY S/SGT. DALLYN HOLMSTROM

#### 189 calls for service

From November 14 to 27 there were 189 calls for service in the Broadview and Moosomin Detachment area with 44 traffic fines issued. Most of the fines were for speeding. The highest speeder of the week was issued to a male driving a Honda Accord travelling 155 km/hr on Highway 1 in a 110 km/hr zone near Broadview. This driver received a fine of \$742. The second vehicle, coming in second place this week, was a male driving a Ford Bronco travelling 121 km/hr in an 80 km/hr zone on Highway 1 near Moosomin who received a fine of \$578.

# Collision involving a

Peacekeeper truck
On November 14, RCMP were called to a collision on Ochapowace First Nation involving a peacekeeper truck. The collision took place when the vehicle hit a large rut in the road and the truck exited the road and struck a tree. Airbags were deployed but luckily, no one was as hurt in the collision.





#### Counterfeit bills being used

On November 14, RCMP received a complaint involving a counterfeit \$100 bill at the Broadview Coop Gas Station. The RCMP quickly shared the information and monitored calls in neighboring detachments. The suspects were caught using the counterfeit bills in Yorkton and in Langenburg and luckily RCMP were able to obtain video of the suspects. RCMP then located the suspects. Thus have been classed accordingly. pects. They have been charged accordingly.





# Intoxicated man causing

**trouble in Broadview**On November 14, RCMP were called to the Broadview Bar where an intoxicated man was causing problems, swearing at staff, causing a disturbance, and refusing to leave. RCMP attended the bar and the male had already left the bar. RCMP made patrols but were unable to locate the intoxicated male

#### 911 call for cows mooing too loud

On November 15, RCMP members received a 911 call from a tired male near Broadview that couldn't sleep because "the cows" were mooing too loud. Luckily, the cows quieted down and was no longer mooing when police attended. They must have realized it was pasture bedtime. All jokes aside, 911 should be used for emergencies only and cows mooing is not an emergency no matter how sleep deprived you may be.

#### Worried for intoxicated man

On November 16, RCMP received a 911 call requesting police at a residence in Grenfell. RCMP attended and located a man who had drank too much alcohol and was puking. The man refused EMS and was left with a sober adult to monitor them. The caller stated they were just scared and called 911

# Man steals alcohol from

**bar and flees from police**On November 16, RCMP received a complaint about an adult male who stole two bottles of liquor from a bar in Moosomin. The business owner provided the plate that the male departed in and advised he was infoxicated. RCMP located the vehicle that fled from police on three separate occasions before the vehicle stopped working. The male was then arrested for impaired operation, theft, dangerous driving and flight from police. The male was provided a room at the RCMP Bed and Breakfast and held for court.

**Assault at a residence in Grenfell**On November 17, RCMP were called to a residence in On November 17, RCMP were called to a residence in Grenfell when an intoxicated female was slapped across the face in an argument. The female refused to talk to police or tell them what took place so no charges could be laid. The female did attend the hospital with EMS to ensure her nose was not broken. RCMP were then called to the hospital when the female became combative and started throwing things around at the hospital. RCMP attended and arrested the female and provided her with a comfortable night stay at the RCMP bed and breakfast. I have my doubts the beds are as nice as the ones provided have my doubts the beds are as nice as the ones provided at the hospital.

#### Uttering threats

On November 17, RCMP received a call from a concerned female who reported that her ex-boyfriend texted her and threatened to come to her house and hurt her new boyfriend. This is still under investigation, however, it is very likely that the ex-boyfriend's comments will result in him getting charged for uttering threats.

# Smashed vehicle window

at Moosomin hospital

On November 19, between 1:30 and 4 pm, a 2012 GMC Sierra was parked at the Moosomin Hospital and the window was smashed out of it. RCMP are working on getting the CCTV to review. RCMP is requesting anyone with information about this mischief to contact the Moosomin RCMP by calling 306-435-3361. Information can be submitted anonymously through CrimeStoppers by calling 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or submitting a tip online at www.ysaskcrimestoppers.com www.saskcrimestoppers.com

# Theft at the Co-op

grocery in Whitewood
On November 20, RCMP received a complaint of a male and female that were at the Co-op Grocery Store in Whitewood and obtained over \$100 worth of goods between the state of the sta fore leaving without paying. The male and female have been identified and will be getting charged with theft.

#### Intoxicated female causing trouble

Intoxicated remaie causing trouble
On November 20, RCMP received a call of a highly
intoxicated female causing problems at a residence on
Kahkewistahaw First Nations. RCMP attended and arrested the female who spent the night at the RCMP Bed and Breakfast until she was sober.

#### Impaired drivers charged for multiple violations

On November 21, RCMP were called to Cowessess First Nations where a vehicle had hit the ditch and the driver appeared to be intoxicated. RCMP attended and deter-mined two adult males had driven the vehicle in a short mined two adult males had driven the vehicle in a short period of time and obtained statements from witnesses to confirm. Both males were charged with impaired driving and spent the night in the RCMP bed and breakfast. One of the males also ended up being charged with uttering threats, mischief, resisting arrest, and failure to comply with court conditions he was supposed to be following. The vehicle was towed and impounded.

Man charged with assault and uttering threats
On November 21, RCMP were called to an assault that took place on Ochapowace First Nations. An adult male assaulted his sister who was intoxicated at the time. When RCMP arrived on scene the suspect male fled into

the bush but was quickly apprehended and arrested for his actions. The male suspect was lodged at the RCMP bed and breakfast and has been charged with uttering threats, assault, and assault with a weapon. Luckily, the adult female was not seriously injured during the as

#### Intoxicated man falls off deck trying to get into residence in Braodview

On November 22, RCMP were called to a residence in Broadview where an intoxicated male was trying to get into a residence he was not welcome at. RCMP attended and located the intoxicated male standing on the deck of the residence still trying to gain entry. When RCMP announced their presence, the male fell off the deck onto the ground due to his intoxication level before he was sted and provided a room to stay at the RCMP bed and breakfast.

Possible drug transaction

On November 23, RCMP came across a possible drug transaction taking place. The suspect vehicle fled to a residence and the female driver ran inside the residence. RCMP pursued and followed the female to the house. Officers then observed the female through a basement window emptying her pockets of what was believed to have the description.

window emptying her pockets of what was believed to be small baggies of drugs onto a bed. The female then took off running from the residence into the bush where members apprehended her.

RCMP returned to look for the suspected drugs, but they had been removed by someone prior to RCMP returning. The suspect female was arrested and charged for breaching he conditions, flight from police and resist arrest. However, the female did avoid possible drug charges. This female also earned the right to stay at the RCMP Bed and Breakfast until court. Bed and Breakfast until court.

# Theft of stained glass memorial

windows at old Anglican Church On November 24 RCMP received a call to the old Angli-can Church in Grenfell. Two stained glass memorial win-dows had been removed and stolen. RCMP is requesting anyone with information about this theft to contact the Broadview RCMP by calling 306-696-5200. Information can be submitted anonymously through CrimeStoppers by calling 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or submitting a tip online at www.saskcrimestoppers.com.

#### Near collision with intoxicated driver

On November 26, RCMP were called to a near collision on Zagime Anishinabek First Nations. The caller suspected the driver was impaired and several people in the band office were scared to leave due to his erratic driving. RCMP attended and located the suspected intoxicated driver and placed him under arrest for impaired driving. The suspect provided samples of his breath that confirmed his alcohol levels were double the legal limit.

**Fraud safety**Scammers evolve and new frauds and scams are always appearing. Some safe tips to protect yourself.

- Don't be afraid to say no
- Do vour research
- Don't give out personal information
   Beware of upfront fees

- Protect your computer
   Be careful who you share images with

Protect your online accounts
Recognize spoofing
For a full list of steps to take in protecting yourself and to become familiar with past and present frauds/scams visit the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre website.

It's okay not to be okay!

I want to ensure that if someone needs help the Sui-I want to ensure that if someone needs help the Suicide Prevention line is always available in the paper for
them. We want to encourage everyone to reach out for
help and talk to someone if they can. No matter how bad
things may seem, remember they can always get better.
Life can be very difficult to say the least. Please reach out
and check in with friends, co-workers, and family to see
how they are doing. It's a perfectly normal question to
ask people how they are doing. Don't let people suffer
in silence.

If you see someone that you believe needs some help.

If you see someone that you believe needs some help but won't accept help from you, please let the police or their family know. In Saskatchewan you can call/text the mental health crisis line at 9-8-8 Counselling Connect Saskatchewan Canadian Mental Health Association

#### Police Joke

What happened to the thief who stole a Christmas calendar? He got 12 months.

RCMP on Social Media
Twitter: @rcmpsk @grcsask | Facebook: Saskatchewan
RCMP Instagram: @rcmpsk | @grcensask

Have a great week and Stay Safe!

# **Big Six Hockey League**

# Weekend of blowouts in the southeast

BY DONNIE MATICHUK

Last week in the Big Six Hockey League was full of big wins for some of the teams early in the 2025/26 season. With each team now having three to five games under their belt, fans can start to see how the regular season could shake out.

Starting on November 19 at the Carnduff Centennial Arena, the hometown Red Devils took on the powerhouse Redvers Rockets. The first period started slow, before the Rockets' Trevor Dumaine opened the scoring at the 10:30 mark. Carson Henrion potted another for Redvers just 30 seconds later, and Drew Hoff also scored to make it 3-0 after 20 minutes of play. Redvers took full control of the game in the second period, scoring eight more goals and allowing just two from Carnduff's Justin Byers and Ty Stovin. Carson Henrion of Redvers impressed fans with a hat trick, with Oliver Poirier, Jordon Miller, and Kenton Miller all picking up these point games.

Miller all picking up three point games.

Next on the Big Six schedule was the November 21 match-up between the Moosomin Rangers and Oxbow Huskies. This game started with fireworks early. Moosmin led 2-1 after just 2-48, with goals coming from the Huskies' Alex Von Sprecken, and the Rangers' Justin Lamontagne and Ryker Cole. The first period ended at 4-2 Moosomin, with Cole scoring his second of the night,

## Moosomin Steelhawks

The Moosomin Steelhawks currently sit at fifth in the Bill Johnston Division of the Prairie Junior Hockey League, with a record of 4-15-2. The Hawks are continuing to grow as a brand new team in the league, and are remaining competitive for a spot in the playoffs. This weekend the Steelhawks will take on the Regina Silver Foxes at the Mike Schwean Arena.

# Sask East Hockey League

BY DONNIE MATICHUK

The SEHL had eight games last weekend, shaking up the standings in the young season. There were many great games to watch around the league, starting on Friday the 21st.

The Canora Cobras hosted the Preeceville Pats at the Civic Center, and took the lead late in the first period with a goal by Nikolas Gordon, and followed it up with another by Kody Rock to end the first up 2-0. The Cobras took that momentum into the second, scoring another four goals, with three coming within one minute midway through the period. The final twenty minutes was all Canora, with them cashing in five times to take the game 11-0. Carter Dereniwsky picked up six points in the big win. Next was the Swan Valley Axemen travelling to Cote First Nation Arena to take on the Selects. Cote scored

Next was the Swan Valley Axemen travelling to Cote First Nation Arena to take on the Selects. Cote scored just 57 seconds in from Tristan Keshane, but gave up five goals in the first period to the Axemen, with Brock Jersak scoring twice, and Josh Tripp scoring a natural hat trick to put Swan Valley up 5-1. The second period saw Swan add four more goals to go up 9-1. In the third, the Axemen took advantage of a ten-minute misconduct to score twice more on the powerplay, and added another a minute later. Cote scored with 26 seconds left, but the game was all but decided with Swan Valley taking it 11-2.

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Rocanville made the trip to Esterhazy that Friday night as well. The Tigers started the game by taking advantage of back-to-back powerplays and going up 2-0. The early lead wouldn't last as Esterhazy capitalized on their own string of powerplays to end the first period up 4-2. The middle frame saw the Flyers make it 5-2 early, and the last five minutes featured four goals in quick succession, three from Rocanville and one from Esterhazy to end the period 6-5 Flyers. With the momentum from the second, the Tigers tried to stage a comeback, but two goals allowed ended those hopes, and Esterhazy took the W 8-5.

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The Wapella Blackhawks took on the Churchbridge Imperials, with both teams trying to get some early points in the standings. Churchbridge went into the third period up 3-0, but gave up a shorthanded goal and one more and let the Hawks back in the game. However, two late goals secured the win for Churchbridge 5-2.

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The next night Langenburg hosted Canora, and it would be a close game that ended 4-2 for Langenburg. The Warriors' special teams were a standout, scoring three times on the night.

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Carter Sawchuk capitalized on a slick feed from Bud Holloway, and Oxbow's Jayden Davis giving the Huskies momentum late in the second. The second period was a close, back and forth game, with Sawchuk giving Moosomin a 5-2 lead with three minutes left. Oxbow would add another late goal with thirty seconds left in the period to give them hope. The third period was nerve wracking for Rangers fans, as they had to kill off a double minor midway through the period, but Moosomin managed to keep the score at 5-3 until the final buzzer. Bud Holloway and Justin Lamontagne were excellent for the Rangers, each picking up three points in the win.

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The next night was a double-header Saturday, with
Redvers taking on the KW Oil Kings in Kipling, and
Moosomin making the trip to Carnduff to face the Red
Devils. The Rockets picked up a win by a big margin after a slow start to the game. They led 2-1 after the first
period, and completely took control in the second and
third. Redvers scored three times in the first and five in
the third while keeping the Oil Kings scoreless. The game
ended 10-1 Redvers, with Kenton Miller of the Rockets
scoring five goals earning six points on the night.

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The Moosomin-Carnduff game had many goals and many penalties, with Moosmin picking up 59 PIMs and Carnduff getting 63 for a game total of 122. The Rang-

ers scored 53 seconds into the game courtesy of Travis Statz. The first period ended at 4-0 Moosomin, with goals coming from Statz, Bud Holloway, Carter Sawchuk, and Monty Driver. The penalty parade began in the second, with 38 PIMs coming from one play midway through the period. The Rangers added another four goals to bring the game to 8-0 after 40 minutes. The third period saw the Rangers' special teams units take advantage, as they scored three goals on the powerplay and one short handed to end the game 12-0. Bud Holloway was the MVP of the game, scoring four times and picking up five assists. Moosomin had seven different goal scorers and had 10 players record points in the game.

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Next week in the Big Six features the Carnduff Red Devils going on the road to Carlyle to face the Cougars. The Wawota Flyers also head south to battle the Oxbow Huskies. The last Friday night game is the Midale Mustangs hosting the Mosomin Rangers. The next night sees both the Cougars and Flyers back in action at the Wawota Forum, and the Rangers hosting the KW Oil Kings at the Mike Schwean Arena.

#### HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS AS OF NOV. 27, 2025

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LEAGUE TOP SCORERS								
	TOP PLAYER	TEAM	GP	G	Α	PTS		
	Kenton Miller	Redvers Rockets	4	8	8	16		
	Bud Holloway	Moosomin Rangers	3	6	10	16		
	Presten Kopeck	Redvers Rockets	4	4	9	13		
	Carter Sawchuk	Moosomin Rangers	3	5	7	12		
	Ben Johnstone	Carlyle Cougars	4	5	6	11		
	Riley Niven	Carlyle Cougars	4	3	7	10		
	Jordon Miller	Redvers Rockets	3	5	4	9		
	Brady Gaudet	Redvers Rockets	4	4	5	9		
	Tanner Froese (IM)	Carlyle Cougars	4	2	7	9		
	Braeden Magotiaux	Redvers Rockets	3	2	6	8		

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TOP GOALIES	TEAM	GP-W-L-OTL GAA	
Colby Magotiaux	Redvers Rockets	1 - 1 - 0 - 0 0.00	
Kyler Beckett	Moosomin Rangers	2 - 2 - 0 - 0 0.50	
Jaxon Henrion	Redvers Rockets	1 - 1 - 0 - 0 1.00	
Thomas Bauche	Redvers Rockets	2 - 2 - 0 - 0 1.50	
Cody Levesque	Oxbow Huskies	1 - 1 - 0 - 0 2.00	

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SOUTH STANDINGS

	TEAM	GP	W	L	OTL	PTS
	Langenburg Warriors	4	4	0	0	8
	Esterhazy Flyers	4	4	0	0	8
	Churchbridge Imperials	4	3	1	0	6
	Rocanville Tigers	3	2	1	0	4
	Wapella Blackhawks	3	1	2	0	2

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	LEAGUE TOP SCORE	ERS			
TOP PLAYER	TEAM	GP	G	Α	PTS
Rylee Zimmer	Langenburg Warriors	4	5	13	18
Dakota Macintosh	Cote Selects	5	11	6	17
Carter Cockburn	SV Axemen	3	6	10	16
Jaymes Knee	Langenburg Warriors	4	5	11	16
Taylor Thompson	Langenburg Warriors	3	8	7	15
Derrick Budz	Esterhazy Flyers	4	1	13	14
Carter Dereniwsky	Canora Cobras	4	6	7	13
Chase Schaber	Esterhazy Flyers	4	6	7	13
Taylor Sanheim	Esterhazy Flyers	4	6	4	10
Damian Bentz	Canora Cobras	4	5	5	10
GOALIE	TEAM	GF	P-W-L-C	DTL	GAA
Ben Fouillard	Theodore Buffalos	1	- 1 - 0	- 0	0.00
Cole Denesowych	Canora Cobras	2	- 1 - 0	- 0	0.94
Frazer Farmer	Churchbridge Imperials	3 2	- 2 - 0 -	0	2.50
Brenden B Hayden	Langenburg Warriors	3	- 3 - 0	- 0	2.77

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# BILL JOHNSTON DIVISION STANDINGS

TEAM	GP	W		OTL	PTS	
Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	19	15	3	1	31	
Fort Knox	18	13	5	0	26	
Richardson Pioneer Southern Rebels	21	11	9	1	23	
Pilot Butte Storm	17	5	10	2	12	
Moosomin Steelhawks	21	4	15	2	10	
Regina Silver Foxes	16	0	16	0	0	

LEAGUE TOP SCORERS								
TOP PLAYER	TEAM	GP	G	Α	PTS			
Dylan Schoenroth	Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	19	20	23	43			
Kian Knoll	Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	17	14	17	31			
Jack Bechard	Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	10	13	14	27			
Shaden Duliak	Fort Knox	18	12	14	26			
Lukas Borne	Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	19	8	17	25			
Deagan Reister	Moosomin Steelhawks	21	19	5	24			
Evhan Allan	Richardson Pioneer Southern Rebe	ls 21	11	13	24			
Zach Svenson	Richardson Pioneer Southern Rebe	ls 21	11	11	22			
Riley Kronberger	Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	19	9	13	22			
Nikolas Smolinski	Richardson Pioneer Southern Rebe	els 19	8	13	21			

TOP GOALIES	TEAM	W-L-OTL	GAA	
Drew Pereyma	Fort Knox	9-2-0	2.49	
Anton Merzliakov (RO)	Extreme Hockey Regina Capitals	9-1-1	2.49	
Keane Reid (RO)	Richardson Pioneer Southern Rebels	7-5-1	2.95	
Daxton Tichit	Richardson Pioneer Southern Rebels	4-4-0	3.10	
Kale Gorski (RO)	Fort Knox	4-3-0	3.42	

# BOB DYBVIG DIVISION STANDINGS

TEAM	GP	W	L	OTL	PTS	
Saskatoon Westleys	21	14	5	2	30	
Saskatoon Royals	19	14	4	1	29	
Saskatoon Quakers	19	11	5	3	25	
Martensville Chiefs	19	11	6	2	24	
Carrot River Outback Thunder	17	8	8	1	17	
Prince Albert Timberjacks	19	7	11	1	15	

LEAGUE TOP SCORERS								
TOP PLAYER	TEAM	GP	G	Α	PTS			
Connor Gabriel	Saskatoon Westleys	21	14	21	35			
Spencer Chestolowski	Saskatoon Royals	17	9	24	33			
Carter Walter	Saskatoon Westleys	21	17	14	31			
Tayden Cousins	Saskatoon Westleys	20	11	20	31			
Jesse Borschneck	Martensville Chiefs	19	18	12	30			
Cole German	Saskatoon Royals	19	10	17	27			
Dylan Prince	Martensville Chiefs	19	12	11	23			
Luc Fortier	Martensville Chiefs	19	10	12	22			
Raiden Clayton	Saskatoon Westleys	18	9	13	22			
Garin Lammers	Martensville Chiefs	19	6	16	22			

TEAM	W-L-OTL	GAA
Saskatoon Westleys	6-3-1	2.71
Martensville Chiefs	2-1-1	2.73
Martensville Chiefs	7-6-0	2.78
Saskatoon Westleys	8-2-1	3.10
Saskatoon Quakers	8-3-1	3.12
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GARBAGE/RECYCLING CALENDAR

ROUTE A: Homes West of Main Street: DEC 2 - GARBAGE DEC 9 - RECYCLE

ROUTE B Homes East of Main Street: DEC 8 - RECYCLE DEC 15 - GARBAGE LANDFILL **HOURS** 

JANUARY 1 APRIL 30 TUES. - SAT. 12 Noon -12 Noon 6:45 p.m. 3:45 p.m. SUN. SUN. & MON.

MAY 1 - MAY 30 TUES. - SAT. 12 Noon - 5 p.m MON, CLOSED

JUNE 1 -SEPTEMBER 30 TUES. - SAT. 12 Noon -6:45 p.m. SUN. & MON. CLOSED

TUES. - SAT. 12 Noon -6:45 p.m. SUN. 12 Noon - 5 p.m MON. CLOSED

NOVEMBER 1 -DECEMBER 31 TUES. - SAT. 12 Noon -3:45 p.m. SUN. & MON.

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# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

#### The Town of Moosomin is now accepting resumes for the position of **Accounting Officer**

MONDAY: 9 AM - 12 PM, 1 PM - 5 PM

TUESDAY: 9 AM - 12 PM, 1 PM - 5 PM

#### at the Town Office.

#### Key duties and responsibilities:

- Perform/assist in the financial, accounting, and payroll related functions of the municipality in accordance with legislation, and GAAP (Generally Accept-
- ed Accounting Principles)
  Perform/assist in completing remittances to Sask.
  Finance for school tax, LCT, PST, and all other entities
- Perform/assist in completing all recurring and year end accounting procedures, including PSAB 3150 accounting for Capital Assets
- Complete/assist in completion of quarterly G.S.T.
- Complete/assist in all procedures of the utility billing, including quarterly and partial billings, address changes, past due reminders, final notices, shut-off for non-payment, billing for meter deposits, and bal-
- ancing of utilities and meter deposits Assist in completion of annual budget
- Must possess excellent public relation skills, and perform clerical work of answering phone calls, e-mails, or other inquires, attend front counter for processing payments by customers, and perform deposits as required
- Assist other staff as requested/required.
- Duties also include any other work as assigned. Job duties subject to change from time to time,
- upon review by management

#### Qualifications:

1. Bachelors degree or College diploma in business. finance, accounting or related field. It will be considered an asset for applicants possessing a professional designation as CPA (Chartered Professional Accountant) or CGA,

#### Rate of Pay/Benefits:

This is a permanent full-time position with comprehensive benefit package, and salary will commensurate with education and experience. Group benefits including Life, AD & D, STD, LTD, Health, Dental, Vision, and EFAP are provided through Canada Life and SUMA (Saskatchewan Urban Municipalities Association), and a Defined Benefit pension is with MEPP (Municipal Employees Pension Plan).

#### Deadline/Criminal Records Check:

Note that resumes/applications will be received until December 5th, 2025, at 4:00 p.m., however, this date may be extended and resumes/applications accepted until a suitable applicant is chosen. Applicants who advance to an interview stage, will be required to provide proof of qualifications, and provide a Criminal Records check from the R.C.M.P. acceptable to the Town.

#### Resumes complete with references:

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#### The Town of Moosomin is now accepting resumes for the position of

#### Office Assistant Level 1

#### at the Town Office.

#### Duties:

- Applicant must possess excellent public relation skills, and perform clerical work of answering phone calls, e-mails, or other inquires, and attend front counter for processing payments by customers
- Perform procedures of the utility billing, including quarterly and partial billings, address changes, past due reminders, final notices, shut-off for non-payment, billing for meter deposits, and balancing of utilities and meter deposits
- Perform cash deposits
- General invoicing and follow up for collection of arrears
- Completion of all cemetery records including invoicing for sale of plots, excavation fees, work orders for grave digging, etc.
- Assist other staff as requested/required.
- Duties also include any other work as assigned.
- Job duties subject to change from time to time, upon review by management

#### **Qualifications:**

- 1. It will be considered an asset if the applicant has education and/or experience in the following:
- Accounting
- Administration

#### Rate of Pay/Benefits:

This is an hourly position with comprehensive benefit package. Group benefits including Life, AD & D, STD, LTD, Health, Dental, Vision, and EFAP are provided through Canada Life and SUMA (Saskatchewan Urban Municipalities Association), and a Defined Benefit pension is with MEPP (Municipal Employees Pension Plan).

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In partnership between the Town of Moosomin, the R.M. of Moosomin No. 121, the Town of Rocanville, the R.M. of Rocanville No. 151, and the Community Builders Alliance (CBA), the Gateway Economic Development Committee is now accepting resumes for the position of a

#### **Full-Time Economic Development Officer (EDO)**

#### Duties:

Reporting to the Economic Development Committee, the EDO is responsible for overall function of Economic development. In general, this includes office duties. attending and facilitating meetings, budgeting and financial reporting, identifying/pursuing/exploring opportunities for economic development, and promotional activities.

#### Qualifications:

- The desired candidate will have relevant post-secondary education with a minimum of (2) years of administrative experience in a related economic or business development position. This experience shall include related aspects of budget control and demonstrate effective communication skills.
- Knowledge of municipal (zoning regulations), and provincial and federal legislation (ie. codes, etc.), as it pertains to development of property would be an
- A valid Saskatchewan Class 5 driver's license is also required.

#### Resumes complete with references:

Interested persons are asked to submit a complete and current resume with references, and expected salary, until December 5th, 2025, at 4:00 p.m., however, this time period may be extended until such time as a suitable applicant is chosen. Applicants who advance to the interview stage, will be required to provide a Criminal Records check from the R.C.M.P., acceptable to the committee.

The Economic Development Committee thanks all those that apply, however, only candidates being considered for the position will be further contacted.

Applications may be mailed, delivered, faxed, or e-mailed to the Town of Moosomin at the following address:

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