



#### Local student part of satellite project

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#### BY KEVIN WEEDMARK

Ryan Aulie, who grew up on a farm at Ryerson and went to school in Redvers, is the mechanical team lead on the RADSAT-SK team. RADSAT-SK is the first satellite ever designed, built, and tested in Saskatchewan. Aulie, a University of Saskatchewan mechanical engi-

neering student, and other students travelled to Montreal to meet with Canadian Space Agency and Nanoracks officials, put the finishing touches on the satellite, and integrating it with the deployer that will launch it into orbit.

He and other students will travel to Cape Canaveral, Florida to watch RADSAT-SK launch in a SpaceX resupply mission to the International Space Station on June 3. Following is an interview with Aulie:

#### Tell me about yourself. What are you taking in university?

I'm taking Mechanical Engineering at the University of Saskatchewan, and right now I'm actually on my internship. It's a 16-month internship so I'm coming up on the last three and a half to four months left and then I'll be back in Saskatoon for two more years of university.

#### What got you interested in engineering?

Just growing up on the farm I always liked taking things apart to see how they work and just kind of understand the workings of things. I've got some old ve-hicles on the farm that I've kind of been fascinated with, like how they designed them and how they all work. I think that drove me towards Mechanical Engineering.

#### So at this point, where are you hoping to start your career?

Initially I thought more research and development like designing new products. Right now I'm doing more of a manufacturing internship and I think that's still on the table. I'd like to try some research and development type

of stuff and get some experience to see what I like to do because I don't know for sure until I try it-I think kind of designing new products. Space would be really cool to get into, the space industry. Robotics has always been my other interest.

#### Tell us about the RADSAT-SK Project and how you got involved with it.

It was two and a half years ago, so I believe September

2020 I joined the project. Actually I'll go farther back. In my first year of university, so 2019-2020, I heard about the project because it was advertised around the university, but I didn't feel like I had enough time to join it. In the second year of university when Covid hit and everything was online, I heard about the project again. So I joined in on one of the recruitment meetings and got hooked on the work that they're doing. It's a really cool project in that we get to send something to space in the end. I joined the mechanical team and worked with them

for about half a year and then I became the structural team lead. I worked some more there and then eventu-ally became the mechanical team lead which is my position right now.

#### How different is it structurally engineering some thing for space compared to something that will be used within the atmosphere?

The biggest thing that we had to look at was the vi-brations and the forces within the rocket, so kind of still within the atmosphere. But there were also things to consider while we're in space, like there's obviously no air pressure, so some materials actually degrade faster when they're in space, in the direct sunlight and with no air pressure. So we have to be kind of cautious of what kind of materials we use within the satellite. Also thermal was a big part of the design because there's no air—if you think of a big computer, to cool it down you

use a fan to blow air on it and cool it down. In space vou don't have the air so you have to use purely radiation. So when something heats up it emits infrared radiation and that's how it cools itself down. So you have to work with different methods to get it to cool down the electronics enough while it's in the direct sunlight.

#### What does the satellite do?

Our satellite has a payload that was developed by a professor at the University of Saskatchewan. Dr. Li Chen is an Electrical and Computer Engineering Professor at the University of Saskatchewan and so he, along with his team, developed this experimental dosimeter board which reads cosmic radiation. So we have these dosimeter boards within the satellite and on those dosimeter rified from G-simplex for radiation shielding and that was a part of Dr. Ekaterina Dadachova's team. So that melanin coating is applied to each of the dosimeters on the satellite. So each application has increasing amounts of melanin content and they're getting different readings from each of those dosimeters to see how well that melanin absorbs and blocks the radiation in space.

The idea is to gather data and to see how these differ-ent coatings of melanin work as radiation blockers—radiation protection in space. Then possibly in the future they can use that melanin as a radiation blocker in space for electronics, for people and other things

## Is this the first of its kind in terms of this type of

xperiment? What we're testing in space have all been tested on the round, on earth. The idea is to see how that reacts dif-

ferent in the space environment. I can't say whether or not for sure if this has been done before-I've never heard of it being done.

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What stage is the satellite at? You folks have delivered

it to the Canadian Space Agency now? We had an integration trip to the Canadian Space Agen-cy in Montreal. So for that we had seven students and our faculty mentor, Dr. Sean Maw. We flew with the satellite from Saskatoon to Montreal, took it to the CSA headquarters and integrated it with the Nanoracks CubeSat Deployer, and that's the device supplied by a company called Nanoracks from the United States. We load it into that, it gets loaded into the rocket, then that gets blasted off to the International Space Station (ISS) and from there it gets deployed into orbit around Earth.

#### So what was that like? What did you get to do there besides delivering the satellite?

It was an amazing experience. They gave us a tour of the Canadian Space Agency, then we got to meet quite a few of the CSA employees. The Nanoracks employees were there helping us to load it into their deployer. So when we got there, we got to go into a laboratory that they had us accorded up the age with our satality and they had, we opened up the case with our satellite and we did our finishing touches on it to get it ready to load it up. That included charging up the satellite and then get-ting the final software code put onto it. Then the follow-ing day we went into a different laboratory and then there were a few tests that the Nanoracks team wanted to go through with us just to make sure that it would survive in the rocket, that it all fit into the deployer properly and that it will also deploy once it's in space.

#### What was the most impressive part of that trip and that tour?

Just seeing the Canadian Space Agency headquarters was really cool. They had a bunch of displays of the pre-vious Canadian contributions to space. We got to see a model of the Canadarm which is the Canadian contribution to the International Space Station—that was really cool. Then just hearing from the Canadian Space Agency members and just all of their knowledge that they have there. They were helping us out a lot with the satellite throughout the whole project so it was cool to put some faces to the emails and messages that I've been sending back and forth with them.

#### Are you going to go down for the launch as well?

The launch is planned for June 3 right now. That's when we're scheduled on a SpaceX rocket. On May 30 I take off and spend some time there with the team—I think there's around 25 of us going right now. Then the CSA is hav-ing a little get together for us so we can watch the launch and celebrate there with everybody, with all of the other teams. We weren't the only team in Canada that put to gether a CubeSat. This was a program put out by the CSA called the Canadian CubeSat Project (CCP for short) and I believe that universities from all across Canada applied for this and have built satellites, so we'll be watching with a few of those universities as well.

#### Do you know how many other satellites are going to be launched at the same time?

If I remember right, there were five teams at the integration. There will be many other experiments and a re-supply mission to the International Space Station, so a lot of different cargo will be launching, but I believe that it's five other universities that we're launching these Cube-Sats with

#### Will the satellite be deployed from the space station or will it be deployed from the rocket along the way?

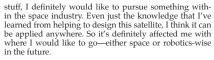
No, it goes right to the space station and then from there they grab the Nanoracks deployer, they point it in the right direction and then they deploy it from there. We don't have an exact date for when that deployment is, but we're expecting it to be sometime in July, just because they have a lot of other things going on and the astronauts up there are pretty busy.

#### How does it feel to be a part of a project like this?

It's crazy actually and I still don't know if it's fully sunk in how big this is. It's just been me and a bunch of my friends working together and with other people as they join. Meeting the CSA kind of put it into perspective what kind of scale we're working on and then I think going down to watch the launch is going to be super. I'm super excited about it

#### Has being a part of a project like this changed anything for you in terms of your trajectory as an engineer with what you've learned?

Yeah, it's definitely gotten me more into space. I've al-ways been interested in space but now, dealing with this



#### What's the most important thing that you've learned through your involvement in this project?

If I were to go with a technical side, with the design project, communication is always very important. It's such a large project and with communication it's always something that can be worked on and bettered.

If I were to go less technical, something I've learned is just to enjoy what you do. This project has been a lot of work but it has definitely paid off in the end and I've enjoyed working on the project. If I didn't enjoy it, it definitely worldn't pay off as much. It worldn't feel as great now being less than a month away from having some-thing floating around in space that I've touched with my own hands

# When will you know that the launch is a success? Are there some technicalities that could get in the way of this satellite starting up and transmitting data? Are there some challenges yet? The launch, of course that's a huge milestone for us and

even just getting there I'm super excited about. We launch off the ground on June 3, then we should deploy some-time in July, and after deployment we've got a mecha-nism in our satellite that will wait 30 minutes after it's been deployed and then it should start up.

There's only certain times that we can talk to it just be-cause the way the orbit works—we can't talk to it once it's on the other side of Earth. We have a little ground station on the university grounds, so that's the first time we'll know whether or not the satellite has turned on properly. We'll try communicating with it there and if we hear

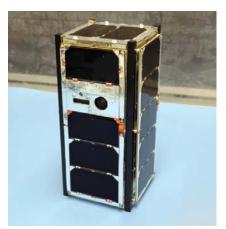
back from it we can do our diagnostics and make sure that it's running right. If not, we're still super happy that we got to get it this

far. We actually learned during this integration trip that, I believe it was, sixty per cent of these satellites start off and work properly after deployment, but again, even just having something up there is a huge accomplishment for all of us and we learned so much along the way.





Ryan Aulie has been part of the RADSAT-SK project at the University of Saskatchewan, working on a satellite that will be launched into space.



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#### **Construction on Eastside Playground finished**

Last week, volunteers were working hard to help install a brand new play park complete with a play structure, swing set and benches at 310 Henry Street in Moosomin. The park officially opens to the public on Monday, May 29

The Eastside Playground Committee—An-die Hodgson, Chelsea Doane, Dana Jones and Andrea Chambers—raised \$82,000 from the community within a year in support of the project.

They said they were thankful for Mario Construction, Diamond B Contracting, Springer Construction, Crushrite Concrete, Borderland Co-op, and Flaman for helping with the construction and installation of the playground.



Around 20 to 30 volunteers came out from May 25 to May 28 to help with the installation of the new Eastside Playground in Moosomin on 310 Henry Street.





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# Sound bite political debates unhelpful

If only we could reallocate all time and energy that's spent in politics thinking and selling popular things to ac-tual solving the problems at hand . . . Consider all that time and energy exerted in the last 10 years in the political fight over manmade climate change. Let's accept that manmade climate change is reality—

an issue that's taken up far too much time and energy as it is

Then the issue becomes how much a vast, sparsely populated country like Canada representing a fraction of the world's population should have to contribute to re-ducing greenhouse gas emissions (GHGs), knowing that most anything we do requires difficult change and that's expensive and will likely cost jobs in the natural resources sector.

National goals are set that, at first glance, might seem modest because they're measured in decades, like the federal government "goal" to reduce electricity produced by fossil fuels by 2035.

With options like hydroelectric and nuclear production along with the increase in wind and solar, it might seem attainable. And it is a more reasonable option to burning coal.

But what if you are a jurisdiction like Saskatchewan where electricity has meant burning lignite coal for 94 years of SaskPower's existence because this province has never had easy access to hydroelectric power' In fact, coal still accounts for 25 per cent of SaskPower's annual 5,437 megawatts of production with another 40 per cent from natural gas.



Is it fair that the Saskatchewan public—already, paying among the highest electrical bills in the nation—should absorb the costs of abandoned massive infrastructure be fore we get maximum value out of them? Can we afford this?

Is it fair, given that Canada contributes a small faction to global GHG emissions and Saskatchewan—albeit, hav-ing one of the highest per capita GHG emissions in the country—still only adds a small fraction to our country's GHGs?

These are difficult questions. So what is the answer? Well, we all know there seldom are easy answers to tough problems.

tough problems. However, most of us facing complicated dilemmas af-fecting others try and sit down and have a rational con-versation, weighing the pros and cons. But in combative politics—especially in today's world when the internet and social media puts even more em-phasis on sound bites—complicated matters now boil down to who can provide the best short quote. Sometimes, three-word catchphrases are what now

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passes for debate, like Saskatchewan Premier Moe's re-

cent from comment: "Come get me." In fairness to Moe, his entire response to federal Envi-ronment and Climate Change Canada Minister Steven forment and climate charge canada whitser seven Guilbeault's suggestion that jurisdictions like Saskatch-ewan could be criminally prosecuted for violating the Criminal Code if they were still running coal-fired elec-tricity after 2030 was more nuanced and profound.

"If where we've come to in this country is when indi-viduals in this province, or any other province, they flick their lights on or their furnace fan kicks in and that's deemed illegal and cause for someone to go to jail, come get me," Moe said.

And in fairness to Guilbeault answering a similar ques-tion asked by a reporter in Ottawa, his answer was simi-larly more complex: "We've regulated the ban on coal through CEPA (the

Canadian Environmental Protection Act), which is a crim-inal tool that the federal government has," Guilbeault said. "So not complying with this regulation would be a violation of Canada's Criminal Code."

Guilbault further qualified that "we have to decarbon-ize our grid" that "it's about jobs" and "of course, we want to do that in a way that is affordable for Canadians."

Admittedly, the media did the politicians few favours, but today's politicians favour these terse, combative quotes because it's all that voters demand. Sadly, it's what now happens instead of sitting down

and actually discussing a problem. We all need to do better.

Brett and Kim Westphal of Wrentham, Alberta, spent last week in Wawota. They visited with Brett's mother, Carol, who is a resident at Deer View Lodge.

A funeral service was held at the Moosomin Armory on May 20 for the late George Crawford. He passed away on December 24 at the age of 79 years. He was married to the former Marjorie Jacklin (deceased) and a brother-in-

law to Phil Weatherald. Congratulations to Erin Roberston (King) and Jordan

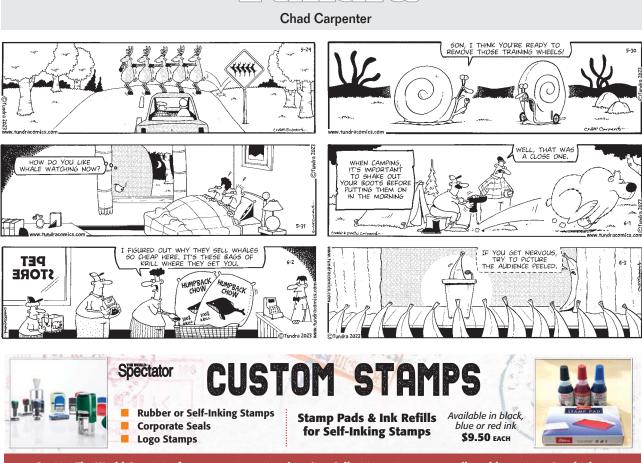
Black on the birth of their son on May 16. He weighed 8 pounds 10 ounces and has been named Brooks Andrew. He is a brother for Macie, Lexi and Kaibree. He is also a grandson for Linda Benner and Tom Black and John and Bernice King and a great-grandson for Jean King and Edra Benner Edna Benne

Rob and Gylanne Allen of Everett, Ontario and Tyler Allen of Brandon visited with their uncle and great-un-cle, Garry Dickson last Tuesday.

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Several family members and friends of the Ford fam-ily travelled to Toronto on Mother's Day weekend. They took part in Meagan's Hug, an annual event to celebrate the research taking place to discover a cure for pediatric brain cancer. They raised more than \$18,409.50 locally. Happy 20th birthday to News-in-5, our popular local weekly newspaper. Many thanks to Garry Dickson and Shirley Corkish for all of their hard work that makes this neuroproceible.

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# Blackhawks wasting no time on rebuild

It could be a whirlwind of a rebuild for the Chicago Blackhawks.

The major beneficiary in the NHL Lottery Draw (aka the Connor Bedard sweepstakes), the Blackhawks are poised to jump from one of the worst teams in the Na-tional Hockey League to one of the best in only a couple

of years. Chicago's 59 points in 2022-23 were 31st out of 32 teams (only the hapless Anaheim Ducks were worse, by one point) and its roster looked pretty bleak, especially after the trading of superstar Patrick Kane in March and the decision not to resign Blackhawk legend Jonathan Toews. The 'Hawks' roster at the end of this season hardly sert shudders to opponents, with the likes of Taylor Raddysh, Andreas Athanasiou and Philipp Kurashev among the more recognizable names to avid Chicago fans.

more recognizable names to avid Chicago rans. But now, of course, everything has changed. The Hawks will select Bedard with the first pick in the NHL draft June 28 in Nashville, adding to the three first-rounders they had last season — defenceman Kevin Korchinski, who put up 73 points in 54 games for WHL champion Seattle this season; centre Frank Nazar from the U.S. National Davalement team, who want on the play can forebroan Development team, who went on to play as a freshman with University of Michigan this season; and Sam Rinzel, a high school defenceman from Minnesota who played

a high school detenceman from Ninnesota who played two seasons in the USHL with Waterloo. All three have reportedly NHL potential and when they mesh with Bedard plus another Blackhawk first-rounder this summer, along with four second-rounders, the talent pool in the Windy City could be immense. But that's not all. Thanks in part to the many trades



Hawks' general manager Kyle Davidson made, Chicago in 2024 has two first-rounders and two second-round-ers. They also have two first-rounders and two second-

ers. They also have two first-rounders and two second-rounders in 2025. It's an embarrassment of draft riches and if only a handful of those draft selections pan out, the 'Hawks will be contenders — and fast. Chicago took great advantage of the situation the last time they picked No. 1 overall. It was 2007 and Patrick Kane was the consensus top choice but without the 'gen-erational' adjective that has been attached to Bedard. All Kane did was go on to enjoy a Hall of Fame career, lead-ine the 'Hawks to three Stanlay Cure, winning the Rookia ing the 'Hawks to three Stanley Cups, winning the Rookie of the Year award, a Conn Smythe trophy (playoff MVP), as well as a scoring title and a Hart Trophy (most valuable player) in 2016. Bedard and Co. could lead the Blackhawks to similar

successes in the next decade or so. Blackhawk fans can only hope

Bob Molinaro of pilot online.com (Hampton, Va.):
 "I'm happy to learn that the New England Patriots will honour Tom Brady at their home opener. The poor guy

# **Esterhazy town council:** Lifeguards hired for pool, no swimming lessons

BY SIERRA D'SOUZA BUTTS

At last Wednesday's Esterhazy council meeting, council passed a motion to hire five junior lifeguards to work at the town's D. A. Mackenzie Aquatic Center for the sum-

However due to not having any qualified senior life-guards available, the town is unable to offer any swim-

ming lessons this year. Councillor Tenille Flick asked if there are any plans in place to prepare for next summer to guarantee that the town will be able to offer swimming lessons in the com-

"We're trying to get some pre-planning in place, maybe run some certification courses at the end of the summer season, that way we'll have more people certified for summer 2024," said CAO Tammy McDonald.

Council also discussed the different communities in the area that are offering lessons, in hopes of suggesting families go there for lessons this summer.

#### **Concerns about grad parade**

After receiving a letter from the School Community Council of Esterhazy High School asking for council's approval for the school's grad parade, council asked to see more details from SCC regarding how the parade will be curpervised be supervised.

Council discussed their concerns about the route of the parade being too long and the safety of the students. CAO Tammy MacDonald will meet with the SCC to

discuss the details on how the RCMP and fire department will be supervising the parade. The graduation parade around town will be happening

on Thursday, June 29.

#### Meeting to discuss possible summer recreation events

Councillor Martin Pfeifer asked council if there were plans for any recreation events happening in the commu-nity this summer, due to the town's annual Rockin' the Park event not happening this year.

At the beginning of the year, the Rockin' the Park com-mittee decided to not move forward with the event due to not having enough volunteers to help plan it, or to help host it.

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Council discussed the importance of having an event in town for people to enjoy during the summer.

They decided to arrange a meeting with the Recreation Committee and Recreation Director for May 29, to discuss different ideas for possibly having a fun event in the community during the summer.

#### Sidewalk repair request

Council received a request from a resident to repair the sidewalk in front of 915 Maple Drive.

They decided to have Public Works view the sidewalk at the location, and will add it to their list of requests for sidewalk repairs.

The list is reviewed often by the Public Works commit-tee who then decides which areas should be prioritized based on safety concerns, and which repairs can be done later down the road.

The list currently has about 20 sidewalks listed from people in town who have requested repairs. It will be reviewed when preparing the town's budget for the following year.

#### Town meeting with RM of Fertile Belt

CAO Tammy MacDonald informed council about the recent meeting Esterhazy's Planning District Committee had with the RM of Fertile Belt. At the meeting, both councils discussed the one mile

buffer zone between both municipalities and mapped out the buffer zone.

Mayor Grant Forster said the meeting went well and suggested that Esterhazy's town council should have more frequent meetings with the RM of Fertile Belt's council. Their next meeting is scheduled for November.

#### Water Security Agency asks to meet with council

Council received a request from the Water Security Agency (WSA) to meet with council about water drain-age at the landfill.

MacDonald said she will contact WSA to arrange a time to meet with them, and will let council know once a date has been set



shouldn't have to go through life without some sort of recognition." • Former pro hockey player Rich Preston, recalling his days with the Houston Aeros of the World Hockey Association when he played on a line with Gordie and Marty Howe: "Terry Ruskowski said: That's not a bad line, but it needs a nickname. They came up with, 'Howe, Howe and Who!"

and Who!"
Comedy guy Torben Rolfsen of Vancouver: "Memphis Grizzles told Dillon Brooks he would not be back with the team 'under any circumstances'. I find that hard to believe. How about if he agreed to play for free and they duct-taped his mouth shut?"
Eamon Lynch of gulfweek.com., about LIV players perhaps getting picked for the U.S. Ryder Cup team: "Patrick Reed could win the next three majors and still not be invited for a wriferm fitting for factor brick to the back to the back the sended to the back the sended to the back the sended to be the sended to be the sended to be back the sended to be back the back the back the back the back the back to be back the back

be invited for a uniform fitting for fear he might sue the seamstress

• Canadian parody website The Beaverton: "Leafs fans sick of current 'good but not good enough' team going to love return of 'we suck and our front office is chaos' era." • RJ Currie of sportsdeke.com: "The Arizona Coyotes recently had a local bank manager for their emergency backup goaltender. Don't laugh: The guy knew how to save.

Another one from Currie: "Metro UK reports scientists have found a way to delete painful memories. Finally, some good news for Maple Leafs fans."
One more headline from the Beaverton and then we'll quit picking on the Leafs: "Raising your kids to be Leafs fans classified as child abuse."

Headline at theonion.com: "Stephen A. Smith blasts Ja Morant for poor gun-handling fundamentals"

 Another one from theonion.com: "Jets impressed how quickly Aaron Rodgers complaining about roster"
 From fark.com: "Connecticut governor wants to lure the Coyotes with the same arena that cost them the Whal-ers in the first place. Still better than what they've got in Tempe.

• Another one from fark.com: "James Harden to seek long-term contract with 'basketball freedom,' which loosely means an out clause to go to the strip club in the middle of the game.



## Jane Livenie

#### June 8

2 p.m. : Olsons

#### June 13

7 p.m. : Joe Theriault + Friends

#### June 15

7 p.m. : Ryan Bender + Lorne Frape

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2 p.m. : Phil Wilk



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The Prairie Thistle Highland Dance Association (PTHDA) held its spring open competition on Sunday, May 21 at the Moosomin Armoury Hall. Dancers of various ages from around the region performed highland dance routines and were adjudicated by a judge. There were some local dancers in the competition from Moosomin, Wawota, and Virden. Above are some of the dancers who were competing in the competition that day. At left is Kaitlyn Coutu from Winnipeg and at right is Dakota May from Moosomin.

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Kaylee Hutchinson (right) and Zheryl Perante (left) from Rocanville battled with the top girls doubles teams in the province. berg were the provincial bronze medalists.



Jake Mayo and Saren Petrychyn of Lem-

# **Rocanville students attend Badminton Provincials**

#### BY TRAVIS LONGMAN

The birdies were flying in Unity on the May 13 weekend as the best shuttlecock smashers in the province competed at the high school provincial badminton championship.

There were five provincial championships won at the event, the boys and girls singles, the boys/girls doubles as well as the mixed doubles

Kaylee Hutchinson and Zheryl Perante from Rocanville battled with the top girls doubles teams in the province

Tracy Cabral of Indian Head was in the girls singles and five players out of Lemberg battled to be the best in the province—Jordan Hollinger - boys singles, Cruz Orellena and Conner Behrns - boys doubles and the team of Jake Mayo and Saren Petrychyn in mixed doubles action

Kaylee Hutchinson and Zheryl Perante played three games at the provincial championships but did not get the results they had hoped for. The duo lost all three games in straight sets: Maple Creek (21-13, 21-19), Leo-

ville (21-17, 21-11) and Walter Murray (21-13,21-13). Despite going winless the duo still made coach Colton Williamson proud. "The girls are very talented, I coached them both in basketball and badminton," Williamson

"Being able to go to provincials in both sports with them is something that means a lot to me." Both Hutchinson and Perante are in grade 12, they will both graduate this school year.

Tracy Cabral is in grade 10 at Indian Head High School and she became the first student from the school to make

it to provincials for badminton in many years. She began the event against Sophie O'Neill represent-ing Campbell Collegiate from Regina. Cabral dropped

the first set 21-9 and the second one 21-17. In her second game Cabral took on Emma Gray from Lloydminster. Cabral won both sets by the score of 21-14.

"She just needed to clean up her execution and trust in her game from her first match." After the match against Gray, coach Trevor Viergutz said, "She is feeling good heading into her last round robin match. It will be a tough

matchup but win and we will advance to the playoffs Cabral entered the final game of the round robin against Grace Wiebe from Walter Murray in Saskatoon needing a win to stay alive in the competition. The first set did not go her way however as the errors

proved to be costly. Wiebe took the opening set 21-9. In the second set Cabral played much better and even had the lead during the match but narrowly dropped a 22-20 decision, ending her quest for a provincial championship The future is bright for Cabral as she is only in grade 10. Her accomplishments will not go unnoticed.

"This is huge, we haven't had anyone advance to Provincials in the last 20 years possibly longer," Viergutz explains. "It is such an accomplishment just to qualify for Provincials let alone win a game and narrowly miss making playoffs. We are super proud of her efforts this season and look forward to the future."

Another community that should be proud of its high school badminton players is Lemberg, Saskatchewan. They had five people compete at the provincial champi-onships: Jordan Hollinger - boys singles, Cruz Orellena and Conner Behrns - boys doubles, and the team of Jake Mayo and Saren Petrychyn in mixed doubles action.

Hollinger finished with a record of one win and two losses. He missed the playoffs after placing third in his group. Jon Kozak from LeBoldus High School in Regina won the gold medal. Cruz Orellena and Conner Behrns also finished with a 1-2 record. Their opening game was against Caleb Woodrow and Mathew Takach from LeB-oldus. Caleb Woodrow and Mathew Takach went on to win the gold medal. Cruz Orellena and Conner Behrns

finished third in group play and did not advance. The mixed doubles pair of Jake Mayo and Saren Petrychyn dropped their opening match against Duane Sicat and Althea Pesquera of O'Neill in Regina. They lost 21-15 each set and had their backs against the wall early.

After that the duo won their remaining round robin games in straight sets. They defeated Wilkie (21-13, 21-10) and Saskatoon Christian School (21-17, 21-7). Mayo and Petrychyn finished in a three way tie for first in the round robin.

After all of the tiebreakers were put in place Mayo and Petrychyn emerged on top of the group. Up next the tan-dem took on Campbell Collegiate in the semi finals. Despite a valiant effort they were defeated in straight

sets (21-17,21-14). The gold medal hopes were over but they still had their sights set on a medal. The loss dropped them to the bronze medal game against Wilkie; a team they defeated in the round robin.

The two teams played a hard fought contest for the bronze medal. Lemberg took the first set 21-13 and were now just one away from winning a provincial bronze medal. To say the second set was close is an understatement. Badminton only goes up to 21 usually not the sec-ond set. The two teams battled until finally a winner was decided. Mayo and Petrychyn had done it, 25-23 to capture the bronze medal.

Winning a bronze medal is a remarkable accomplish-ment. The community of Lemberg has a lot to be proud of with this feat.

'Both of them played great," Coach Robert Mayo says. "Jake is aggressive and passionate while Saren is intel-ligent and calmer. They work well together and have complementary strengths. Personally, I was just so proud of them. We have worked together since grade 7 and it is so difficult to get to this level. We are fortunate to have a great team in Lemberg so they have always been able to find good competition even in our small school." The badminton season is now in the books. With sum-

mer on the horizon the students will now turn their attention to studying for exams and preparing for summer and perhaps next badminton season.



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# OBITUARIES

Henry F. Surmar

November 27, 1934 - December 5, 2022 With sadness, the family of Henry F. Surman, 88, of Oakbank, Manitoba, announce his passing on Monday, December 5, 2022.

Henry was born on November 27, 1934 in Dunblane, Saskatchewan. Henry will be missed by his children, Er-nest (Linda), Trudy (Francis), Heather (Randy), Crystal (Denis), Melinda (late husband Robert), Laurel (Richard) and 16 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren, and many other loved ones.

A grave side service will take place on Saturday, June 3, 2023 at 1:30 p.m. at St. Joseph's Cemetery in the valley. Lunch to follow at the Spy Hill Hall. All are welcome at the service and lunch.



Keith Mansel Lawless

December 28, 1938 -

November 20, 2022

A Celebration of the Life of Keith Mansel Lawless,

loving husband, father and grandfather will be held on Saturday, June 10, 2023 at the Maryfield Cemetery at

2 pm. Lunch will follow at the Maryfield Auditorium

ley). He was the second of their five children.

He and his siblings, his older brother Bernard, his sister Carol and younger brothers, Harvey and Bar-ry grew up on the family farm about 10 miles SE of

Marvfield, Saskatchewan, They worked hard on the farm, but their home was next to a pond and creek, and there are many

amusing stories of the ad-ventures they had growing up. After all, they did have to create their own enter-

Keith attended Coulson School and worked on the

family farm. On November 24, 1962,

he married Carol McGill from Ebor, Manitoba. They

lived for a short time at the Hutton School teacherage

where Carol taught school until they started a family.

Heather was born on May 31, 1965, followed by Brian on March 16, 1967

tainment.

in Marvfield, Sask. Keith was born on De-cember 28, 1938 in Antler, Saskatchewan to Owen and Hazel Lawless (Gaze-

and then Rob, "Robbie". the youngest was born on November 25, 1970. The family created a home and lived about a mile from the original

Lawless farm. A few years later Keith and Carol purchased the Stewart Hitchcock farm, where they lived until they retired from farming, and then later moved to Brandon Manitoba

don, Manitoba. Keith enjoyed curling, hunting and fishing, play-ing cards, "Texas Hold'em" in particular, and enter-taining friends and family. Again, there are many

funny stories that came out of the hunting and fishing trips he and friends and family took part in.

He also enjoyed danc-ing. He and Carol were quite the dancers especial-ly when the band played Elvis Presley or Buddy Holly tures Holly tunes. Keith loved camping

and enjoyed travelling. We all have very fond memories of the family holidays, especially the times we spent at Kenosee Lake. He and Carol spent many summers travelling

with their camper whenev-er they could to many different camping spots. They spent a few winters down in Texas, and also sure in Texas, and also went on trips to Vegas, Florida, South Dakota and an Alaskan Cruise. Although he was some-

times a man of few words, Keith was a proud and devoted father and grandfather.

He and Carol spent many evenings and week-ends at the rink for hockey games and figure skating, or at a ball diamond.

He made sure that his family had everything they needed and even a few ex-tras...not so much that we became terribly spoiled but a motor bike, a snow mobile and even a couple

of horses for a while. Although we know that the horses were more Carol's cup of tea. He would joke and tease

his grandchildren when they came to visit and always had some crazy com-ments to make everyone

laugh. Keith and Carol always found good friends where-ever they happened to be. Keith would do anything for his family, friends and neighbors. He was often helping someone with har-vest, or some other task that needed doing and he seldom asked for anything in return.

in return. Keith is survived by his wife of 60 years, Car-ol; his daughter Heather Fowler and son-in-law Barry Fowler; his son Brian Lawless (Tara Wells); his Lawiess (Tara Wells); nis daughter-in-law Barbara Lawiess; grandchildren, Chanda Fowler (Jaie Zor-zos), Callie Fowler, Noah Lawiess, Hannah Lawiess, Mason Lawiess and Em-Mason Lawless and Em-erson Lawless ihis broth-ers Harvey Lawless (Jac-quie) and Barry Lawless (Kathy); and his sister-in-law, Peggy Watts, as well as many nieces, neph-ews and grandhieces and grandheous

grandnephews. He is predeceased by his parents, Owen and Hazel Lawless, his older brother, Bernard Lawless, his sister and brother-in-law, Carol and Jim Dixon, and his son, Robert Lawless.

Needless to say, Dad was always there when we needed him. We all loved him deeply and he is missed so very much by all of us. It's so hard to say goodbye to someone you've known your whole life... someone who means so much to you. But let's smile when we think of him, and keep the wonderful memories of him close to our hearts.

#### Adele Christie Dayle June 4, 1929 -

May 20, 2023 Adele Christie Hitch-cock was born on June 4,

1929 in the Poplar Grove District east of Langbank, Saskatchewan to Norman and Ruth Hitchcock. She was named after an

aunt and her middle name was her mother's maiden name. She passed away at Deer

View Lodge, Wawota, Sask. on May 20, 2023 just two weeks shy of her 94th birthday.

Adele grew up on the farm with three brothers and always maintained that she was a tomboy. She loved the outdoors,

especially riding horses. Adele loved to play ball and curl and curled until she was at least 75. After high school, Adele attended Normal School in

Moose Jaw and received her teacher's certificate. She taught at Kipling, Kendelton in the Wapella area, Sims School north

of Grenfell and Fairmede In fact, when she taught at Fairmede, she rode her horse since the roads were so poor. Adele married Don

Davle in Whitewood on February 20, 1954 and they

moved to the Matheson farm in the Brookside District about eight miles from

where she grew up. They were typical hard working mixed farmers raising cattle, pigs, chick-ens, turkeys, a garden and fruit trees

Don and Adele raised five children, none of whom moved too far away, and Sunday dinners usually saw some of them back at mom's table. It also meant that they were able to attend many of their their grandchildren's activities Adele and Don loved

their community and were very involved in all as-pects, even after their chil-

dren left home. Adele developed de-mentia in her 80s. They remained in their farm home and Don became the cook and caretaker until he became ill in 2018. Adele then moved to Deer View

Lodge in Wawota in Sep-tember 2018. Adele will be missed by her children Deborah Nordal and husband Ken, Stewart Dayle and wife Connie, Dorothy Maier and husband Stan, Denise Fry and husband Stan, Dense Fry and husband Brent, and Graham Dayle and wife Tammy; her grand-children Celeste (Colin) Ireland, Janine (Scott) Duguid, Karlee (Nick) Petruic, Danielle (Dan) Frank, Kendra Dayle (Adam Hobbs), Brendon Dayle, Justin Maier, Jenna (Tony) Sparvier, Katelyn Fry (Dustin Chenier), Zachary Fry (Taylor Cooper), Jonelle (Scott) Pike, Coelton Dayle, and 20 great-grandchildren: Gareth, Griffin, Keira, Orla, Reid, Vance, Elsa, Hilton, Ava, Porter, Remington, Ivy, Brinlee, Emer-son, Camdyn, Everett, Teagan, Huxley, Bentley, and Charlie. She also leaves to mourn

her brother Stuart Hitch-cock of Ottawa, Ontario and her cousin Bill and Gladys Hitchcock of Victo-

Adele was predeceased by her husband Don, her parents, her brothers Howard and Jack, and her sisters-in-law and good friends Helen Hitchcock and Rhoda Hitchcock.

The family wishes to thank the staff of Deer View Lodge for their lov-ing and compassionate care of Adele.

For those wishing, me-morial donations may be made to Deer View Lodge, Box 240, Wawota, SK. SOG 5A0 or Alzheimer Society of Saskatchewan, 2550 12th Ave. Regina, SK, S4P 3X1.



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Above: Last year, Maryfield Recreation hosted their first Show & Shine event which showcased many different cars for people to view. There was also live entertainment and activities for kids and families to enjoy.

## Maryfield hosts annual Show & Shine on June 18

By Sierra D'Souza Butts

On Father's Day June 18, Maryfield will be hosting their second annual Show & Shine at the Maryfield Rink. The day will consist of a wide range of different cars and fun activities for kids and families to enjoy, including a silent auction.

Recreation Director Sarah Van Eaton spoke about what will be happening at this year's Show & Shine, and what

types of activities people can expect at the event. "You can find a variety of cars to view or show off your own. People can enter their own vehicle for a best in show vote, and enjoy live music by Aaron James Country," she said.

There will be lunch which will be provided by Mar "There will be funch which will be provided by Mary-field Auditorium. People can also enter to win a raffle item, 50/50, and can stop by the beer gardens that are be-ing put on by Maryfield Rec Board. "We will also have our bouncy castle up for any kids who may be attending. Spectators get in for free and there is a \$10 entry fee for vehicles.

'There will also be a baking table by The Farmer's Wife, Sara Schmidt, as well who will be serving desserts and also goodies to take home."

The event is a chance to show what the community of

The event is a chance to show what the community or Maryfield has to offer, said Van Eaton. "The Show & Shine is a great way to showcase our vil-lage. It is always beneficial to a small to community to host activities that bring new people into town, and get our own residents out enjoying Maryfield," she said. "It gives our local businesses more foot traffic. It's easy

to go to events for families who are always appealing too.



One of the many cars showcased at Mary-field's Show & Shine last year.

"You can bring your kids and there is something for ev-For the output of the source o

"I was looking for events and activities that might appeal to a large variety of people and decided to try out our first show and shine last year," she said.

"It turned out to be a success and a great way to bring "Talso wanted to continue to provide fun things for our

community without leaving town. We have quite a few car enthusiasts right here in Maryfield, and so we are going to continue on with our Father's Day Show and Shine each year."

The proceeds raised from the event will help cover the costs, as well as go towards the town's digital sign up-

costs, as well as go towards the town's digital sign up-grade project. "The main goal of this event is mostly cost recovery. Last year we did have some profit from the 50/50 and we will do that again. The proceeds from this will go towards our digital sign upgrade project. "The digital sign upgrade is a long term goal we have here. We hope to be able to upgrade the current Lions Sign here to a digital platform. It will go in Century Gar-dens on Main Street where the current sign is, if we are able to do the upgrade." able to do the upgrade." Van Eaton said she hopes to see families come out on

June 18 for the big show. "The Maryfield Father's Day Show and Shine will be a

fun event for car lovers and anyone who wants to get out and enjoy the day," she said. "Maryfield Recreation strives for a casual, welcoming

and fun environment at our events. It sure is going to be a good time, and we hope to see people there. Thank you to the World-Spectator for showcasing our event."

**Rory Greenbank** receives

Amy Award from Skate Saskatchewan

Rory Greenbank, an

athlete from Mooso-

min Skating Club, also

trains in the Virden

Skating Club with Pa-

tricia Hole. This year

at Saskatchewan Sectionals she achieved

second place which

earned her a spot to

attend Challenge in

After her amazing

Amy Award at the Saskatchewan

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and she has also been selected to be on the Saskatchewan

The picture at left is Rory Greenbank

accepting the Amy Award from Skate

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# **Looking Back**

Five years ago, 2018: Nutrien donated \$10,000 and Rocky Mountain Equipment donated \$5,000 to-wards the Moosomin Fire Department's new aerial platform truck.

The Agriculture Producers Association of Saskatchewan made a presentation against the federal carbon tax in Ottawa. APAS President Todd Lewis travelled to Ottawa to present APAS's position to a Senate committee.

The Moosomin Regional Museum marked 20 years. Ten years ago, 2013:

Mosomin Town Council approved a building permit for a \$9 million, four sto-rey, 98-room Best Western hotel complete with indoor pool. The building permit was

issued to Moosomin Investments. Kassie's Jewelry was chosen for the Lieutenant-Governor's Heritage Architec-ture Excellence Award for Interior Conservation for a 2012 renovation project that uncovered the building's original tin ceilings. Kassie's was nominated for the award by Ann Norgan, co-chair of the Mossomin Heritage Committee.

Fifteen years ago, 2008: A new Infant Warmer/Resuscitation

unit was purchased for use at Moosomin Hospital. Community Trust "B" (funds which were donated to Moosomin Hospital for equipment), were used for the pur-chase. It replaced an old, outdated model

chase. It replaced an old, outdated model and was to be used for all deliveries at Moosomin Hospital. St. Michael's Academy in Welwyn per-formed "Family Flavors," a night of enter-tainment at the Welwyn Legion Hall. The evening included singing, music, danc-ing and skits performed by St. Michael's Academy students and their families.

Twenty years ago, 2003: With cash donations from Pharmasave and the Moosomin Credit Union, the Marquis Senior Girls basketball team was able to purchase new green, black and white uniforms

One hundred years ago, 1923

About 500 miles of new lines were add-ed to the rural telephone system of Sas-katchewan in 1923. When the program of construction for the year was completed, about five hundred new subscribers were able to receive the benefits of telephone communication. There was a small decommunication. There was a small de-mand for rural telephones that year par-tially due to the fact that the province, as a whole, was fairly well served and there were no large gaps to be found in the rural telephone map of Saskatchewan.



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This was the front page of The World-Spectator five years ago on May 28, 2018.



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# **Open house for Moosomin** water treatment plant project Thursday \$13.7 million project under way

#### BY KEVIN WEEDMARK

The Town of Moosomin is holding an open house presentation relating to the upcoming water treatment plant up-

upcoming water treasures r grades. The open house presentation will begin at 6:30 pm on June 1, 2023, at the Mooso-min Conexus Convention Centre.

The \$13.7 million project is being com-pleted with \$5,492,190 of federal funding, \$4,576,367 from the provincial govern-ment and \$3,661,918 from the town of Moosomin.

The open house is planned to update Moosomin residents on the project.

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"A portion of the project has been awarded, the raw water line," said Sean Byer of KGS Group. He is the project man-"The remainder of the water plant project. "The remainder of the water plant is in final stages of detailed design and will go out to tender in the next two to three

He said the raw water line to the water treatment plant should be completed this summer.

That project will start in August and will probably be completed over a four to six week period," he said.

The project will add a reverse osmosis

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component to the water treatment plant. There's reverse osmosis on the back

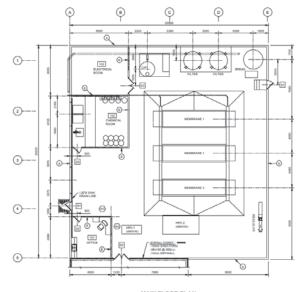
there's reverse osmosis on the back end of biological filtration," said Byer. He said the meeting has been planned for this week to inform the public of the progress of the project.

"This is just to inform people and com-municate. If they have any questions, we

will be able to answer them. "We'll have some drawings there, and

we'll have a presentation. The mayor and council wanted to make sure that we're communicating what we're doing with the project."

Everyone is welcome to attend the presentation.



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# Opportunity

Nº 91 P.O. Box 70 ~ Maryfield, Saskatchewan S0G 3K0 The RM of Maryfield is seeking to fill the position of Mower operator. Other duties to include but not limited to general maintenance, road sign installation and This is a full-time seasonal position. Start date is to be determined. Salary dependant on experience. Experi-Must be well organized and able to work both inde-Valid Driver's Licence necessary. Preference will be given to those holding a Class 1A or 3A licence. Applicants must be willing to provide a Criminal Record Resumes including 2 references will be accepted by the office of the Administrator by 12 p.m. on Wednesday, June 7th, 2023. Resumes may be forwarded by mail to RM of Maryfield No. 91, Box 70, Maryfield, SK, S0G 3K0; drop off in person or by email to rm91@sasktel.net.

Council thanks all applicants for their interest, however, only applicants selected for an interview will be contacted

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#### Please apply in person to the Virden location with your resume or send by email to kullbergsvs@wcgwave.ca Attention Phil.

WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU!

# THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF KINGSLEY NO.124 **IS CURRENTLY ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR**

## FOREMAN POSITION

Employment is full-time year-round OR can have the ability to be seasonal fulltime, dependent on the applicant's needs.

Applicants should have experience in maintenance and operation of heavy equipment including grader, backhoe, mowers, tractors. etc.

#### KEY DUTIES will include, but not limited to, the following:

- Ability to schedule and prioritize work and report to council on activities and related issues
- Organize employees and assign tasks while ensuring safety procedures are followed and maintained
- Knowledge of grading, maintaining & building roads, mowing, installing culverts, servicing equipment, etc.
- Managing and ordering shop inventory
- Supervise and co-ordinate the work of various contractors

#### **OUALIFICATIONS**

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- Ability to work co-operatively with the Administrator & Council
- Ability to work with staff, contractors, suppliers, ratepayers, etc.
- Great leadership, organizational, communication and record keeping skills - Geographical knowledge of the RM is an asset
- Previous supervisory skills would be a great asset
- Mechanical ability would be a definite asset
- Must hold a valid drivers license, Class 1A is an asset

Employment start date can be flexible, with the ability to start as soon as possi-

The RM offers industry competitive wages in accordance with qualifications and experience and an excellent benefits package including: Family Health & Dental Benefits, Pension Plan, Short & Long Term Disability, & a cell phone & boot allowance

Submit an application stating experience, education & skills, two references & a driver's abstract to:

Holly Heikkila, Administrator R.M. of Kingsley No. 124 • Box 239 • Kipling, SK S0G 2S0 Fax: (306) 736-2798 • e-mail: rm124@sasktel.net In person: 603 Main St. Kipling, SK

Application deadline will be 4:00p.m. on Thursday June 15th, 2023.

The R.M. of Kingsley No. 124 would like to thank all applicants for their interest, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted. 34:2:C

# **CONTACE CONTRACT Employment Opportunity**

# PUBLIC WORKS SUPERINTENDENT

#### **JOB DESCRIPTION :**

The Rural Municipality of Wallace-Woodworth is seeking a motivated individual for the position of Public Works Superintendent.

The Public Works Superintendent assists the Chief Administrative Officer in overseeing the R.M's Transportation Department, along with urban transportation sidewalks and urban road networks. The candidate will also be responsible for overseeing sanitation & Indial meteriority. The cancidate with also be responsible to obseeing samitation a landfill management; and operation & management of the RM. Equipment Fleet. The successful candidate should possess a high level of maturity; proven management and leadership skills in developing an effective and efficient team; excellent communica-tor; strong analytical problem solving and conflict management skills. Leads by example. Shows respect and support for others & the goals that are set out from management. Exhibits positive and professional attitude to keep building a strong team.

#### **SKILLS AND QUALIFICATIONS:**

 Valid Class 5 Driver's License, willingness to upgrade to Class 3A or Class 1A, if requested
 At least five to ten (5-10) years of previous work experience supervising and managing work activities

 Industry experience performing public works, especially roads and services in a munic-ipality or related environment, including: road building, road repairs/restoration (paved and unpaved), and general earth work

Knowledge of motor graders, loaders, and other equipment is important (ability to operate and train on this equipment would be considered an asset)
 Post secondary education in civil engineering, business management, or heavy-duty mechanics will be an asset but not required

Project management knowledge and experience will be an asset
 Strong time management and organizational skills
 Collaborative and a team player; has the ability to be a contributing member of the Senior

Management Team demonstrating strategic & operational leadership and innovation skills

#### **COMPENSATION:**

The Municipality offers an excellent benefits package; a competitive salary commensurate to previous experience and qualifications; and participates in the Municipal Employee Benefits Plan & Association of Manitoba Municipalities' Manitoba Blue Cross Group Health Plan.

A more comprehensive job description is available upon request. Interested candidates should submit a resume with three references by:

E-mail: info@wallace-woodworth.com Mail/Drop-off: R.M. of Wallace-Woodworth Municipal Office 154023 PR 257 Box 22200 (Corner of 83 Hwy & PR 257) Virden, Manitoba R0M 2C0 Applications will be accepted until filled. This position is not included in a Collective Agreement. The selection process for this competition will include testing and panel in-terviews. This posting will remain open until a suitable candidate is located. This position commences as soon as possible. 35.10

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## WELDER/FITTER **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Goodman Steel Ltd. is a manufacturing company located in South East Saskatchewan. From the smallest of projects to large encompassing ones, we focus on customer satisfaction by turning ideas into reality.

We are currently accepting applications from individuals who are interested in growing within our team as a Welder/Fitter. As a Welder/Fitter for Goodman Steel Ltd. you will be expected to display superior welding and fitting skills, have the knowledge and ability to read drawings, possess excellent written and verbal communication skills, and have the ability to problem-solve.

#### WHAT WE CAN OFFER YOU

At Goodman Steel Ltd., we ask a lot of our employees, which is why we give so much in return. We offer a competitive salary, medical/dental/vision plan as well as a matching RRSP and Pension plan. We also offer a relaxed, flexible, and safe environment for you to work in. Our leadership team at Goodman Steel puts a huge emphasis on training, offering you the opportunity to grow your career path for your future.

#### To be seriously considered for this position you will need the following:

• Minimum 2-3 years experience with steel fabrication with specific knowledge of welding techniques, equipment, tooling and processes.

- Mobile equipment experience is an asset
- Canadian Citizen or Permanent Residence

If you are interested in this position, please send your resume along with references to shelley@goodmansteel.com

Only those applicants that have been selected for an interview will be contacted.

902 Railway Ave | Rocanville, SK | 306-645-2040 www.goodmansteel.com

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Monday, May 29, 2023



- Street hockey tournament for kids 14 and under
- (contact Chris Mannle for details 306-435-8013)
- Fleming Archery demo and instruction
- The Wet & Wild is bringing: Inflatable Balls (Bubbles Wild); Hoppy Horses; Bounce Castles; Two Mechanical Bulls (for adults & for kids)

Tickets Available at The Cork & Bone Bistro, The World-Spectator, Mullett's Home Hardware, Moore Agencies (Whitewood)