

April

Talk of the Town

IMPORTANT DATES:

April 1st—Ladies Night, Balgonie Multiplex 5:00p.m.

April 10th & 24th—Council Meeting, Balgonie Chambers 6:15p.m.

April 12th—Life Guard Resumes Must Be Received.

April 13th-21st—No School.

April 14th—Town Office Closed, Good Friday.

April 15th—Spring Trade Show, Balgonie Multiplex.

April 16th—Easter Sunday.

April 16th—Balgonie Baptist Church Easter Service, 10:30.

April 28th & 29th—Healing Expo, Balgonie Multiplex.

April 29th—Dance Recital, 10a.m. Greenall High School.

May 1st—PSMHA Registration .

May 17th—Curling Club AGM, Curling Rink @ 7:30 p.m.

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Box 310, 129 Railway St.

Phone: 306-771-2284 Fax: 306-771-2899

E-mail: townofbalgonie@sasktel.net

Emergency Number:

306-535-4235

Regular Office Hours:

9:00-noon and 1:00 to 5:00p.m.

Monday-Friday

From the Town



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TOWN OF BALGONIE EMAIL CONSENT FORM

Dear Resident of Balgonie,

Our office is now able to email Utility Notices, as well as Tax Assessments and Tax Notices. If your household is interested in receiving paperless notifications, please fill out the following form and return it to the town office. You may also scan and email this form to our office at townofbalgonie@sasktel.net with your information.

Consent to the use of e-mail for the delivery of municipal notices includes agreement with the following:

1. Failure to receive an e-mailed municipal notice does not release me from my responsibility to pay any charges specified on the notice, or any penalties, which may be incurred by late payment.
2. I will inform the Town of Balgonie of any change in my e-mail address as soon as possible, to prevent the misdirection of notices and reduce the risk of my not receiving a notice.
3. I may withdraw from email delivery at any time. To do so I will inform the Town of Balgonie, and all notices which were previously e-mails to me will be sent by regular mail.

Customer Name :	
Customer Street Address:	
Customer Mailing Address:	
Customer Utility Account #:	
Customer Tax Account #:	
Customer E-mail Address:	
Customer Phone Number:	

I _____, acknowledge that I have read and fully understand this document and give my consent to the Town of Balgonie, to use my email address for the purpose of administering electronic notices for utilities and taxes. Dated this _____ day of _____, 2017.

(Signature)

/klp.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

LIFEGUARDS NEEDED

The Town of Balgonie is seeking individuals to fill the position of manager and lifeguards.

Qualifications needed:

NLS, Valid Bronze Cross, Current Standard First Aid, & CPR(c), WSI would be a definite asset.

Wage is based on qualifications. Resumes along with copies of all current levels of certification may be sent to:

Town of Balgonie,
P.O. Box 310,
Balgonie, SK.
SOG OEO
or

fax to [\(306\) 771-2899](tel:3067712899)

by April 12, 2017



Balgonie Early Learning Centre would like to
send a **HUGE THANK YOU** to Balgonie Elks for
their generous donation towards a air condition
for the centers gym.



RECREATION NEWS

By Shaun McBain

ARENA NEWS!

The arena winter season will be done at the end of March.

Any business or company looking at doing any advertising in the arena, please contact me at 771-4343 for more details.

SOCCER NEWS!

Registration deadline is the end of March. Please register online at balgoniesoccer.com

SWIMMING POOL NEWS!

Lifeguard applications are now being accepted. Please mail to either Box 610 or Box 310, Balgonie, Sask., S0G 0E0.

If you would like to help out on the Board, please call Penni @ 771-2230. Your assistance would be greatly appreciated.

MINOR BALL NEWS!

Minor ball will begin soon. For more info, go to White Butte Minor Ball [Website](#).



HOCKEY NEWS!

Congratulations to all teams who won their leagues.



RINGETTE NEWS!

Congratulations to all teams who won their leagues.



CURLING NEWS!

The curling season has come to an end. Congratulations to all of this year's league champions.

BROOMBALL NEWS!

Congratulations to all teams who won their leagues.

Hats off to all coaches and team officials that dedicated all of their time.

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING

2017 REVALUATION YEAR

Residents in Balgonie, and in the Province, will be receiving an Assessment Notice. The last provincial-wide assessment was in 2013. These assessments will bring properties closer to market values of January 2015.

Please look over your Assessment Notice.

There is additional information regarding assessment and taxes further along in this newsletter.

PRELIMINARY ASSESSED VALUES FOR 2017

Since the 2013 Revaluation and its base date of January 1, 2011, the province of Saskatchewan continued to experience substantial economic growth, and the value of property in the province is no exception.

The result of this active and strong real estate market in Saskatchewan will bring with it significant increases to property assessments that will be reported with the 2017 Revaluation.

Based on provincial averages, preliminary numbers indicate that **arable and non-arable agricultural** properties will, on average, be increasing approximately 2.1 to 2.2 times over their assessed values from the 2013 Revaluation. This reflects the change in agricultural land selling prices between January 1, 2011 (the base date for the 2013 revaluation) and January 1, 2015 (the base date for the 2017 revaluation).

For 2017, again based on provincial averages, residential properties are set to increase approximately 15%, and commercial properties approximately 30%. It is important to note that this is the anticipated increase to the provincial average for residential and commercial property. Specific local increases in property values between 2013 and 2017 may vary from this figure depending on the overall trend in market values between 2011 and 2015.

REVENUE NEUTRALITY

While a revaluation updates property assessments, the overall impact on property tax is designed to be revenue neutral on a municipal basis.

Provided that a municipality's budget requirements remain the same in a revaluation year as in the previous year, changes in taxable assessments will only result in changes to tax levels if a property's assessment increases or decreases substantially, relative to the average for that jurisdiction.

Based on the current provincial government practice of establishing common provincial education mill rates, education revenue neutrality and potential education tax shifts will be based on how a specific assessment change relates to the overall provincial average increase in assessments for that same category of properties.



property assessment base, which is used by local governments to levy a \$1.83 Billion property tax base.

SAMA conducts revaluations based on a four-year cycle. 2013 was the year of the last revaluation, and the 2017 Revaluation will see assessed values updated to reflect a new base date of January 1, 2015. The legislated base date means that 2017 values reflect a property's value as of **January 1, 2015**.

The 2017 Revaluation will continue to use the market valuation standard for the assessment of residential and commercial properties. The regulated property assessment valuation standard will continue to be used for the assessment of agricultural land, heavy industrial property, railway roadway, pipelines and resource production equipment (mines and oil and gas wells).

For the 2017 Revaluation, all property types will have their values updated in relation to the **January 1, 2015** base date, regardless of being subject to a market valuation standard or a regulated property valuation standard.

The 2017 Revaluation will seek to stabilize the assessment system from a governance perspective by not introducing any major changes to assessment policy. However, SAMA has introduced a simplification of the cost approach for residential property to increase efficiency and reflect more of an industry standard approach.

approach and the property income (rental) approach.

The **cost approach** estimates the replacement cost of a building, less depreciation, adding land value primarily based on sales. This approach is most useful when there are few comparable sales. The cost approach will continue to be used in smaller municipalities and for specific property types across Saskatchewan.

The **sales comparison approach** is based on the concept of valuing property based on what similar property in the same market area is selling for. This approach is appropriate for determining property assessments for areas and property types with active sales markets such as residential property in medium to large cities.

The **property income (rental) approach** to value is based on the premise that the value of a property is directly related to the rental income it will generate. The assessment appraiser analyzes the property's ability to produce a future income stream, and then estimates the property's value. The property income (rental) approach provides the most fair, reliable and accurate assessed values for commercial property and rental apartments in areas where there are active lease and rental markets.

To ensure assessed values are as accurate as possible, SAMA's professional assessment appraisers collect and analyze available cost, market and property rental income information and use the valuation approach that provides the best estimates of value for each property type, based on available information.

QUESTIONS FREQUENTLY ASKED REGARDING APPEALING YOUR PROPERTY ASSESSMENT

(The following questions and answers are taken from the pamphlet "Understanding the Property Assessment Appeal Process" from the Saskatchewan Government Relations, Provincial Municipal Relations and Advisory Services)

What is Property Assessment?

Property assessment is the process of determining a property's assessed value as of a specific date for property tax purposes. The assessment provides an estimate of the property's value that reflects typical market conditions.

Local governments use property assessments as a basis for the distribution of property taxes among property owners. **Property assessment is not the same as property tax.** The assessment of a property is the value assigned to it as the basis for allocating taxes among various classes of property.

Who Can I Contact to Explain My Assessment?

You should start with your administrator of your municipality (Phone 306-771-2284). You can also call SAMA (Saskatchewan Assessment Management Agency) (Phone 306-527-8395) as it is the agency that performs Balgonie's assessments.

Preparing the Notice of Appeal Form

When making an assessment appeal, the notice of appeal form must be fully completed. You must provide specific grounds supporting the appeal. You are required to provide as many details as possible and all facts and evidence that an error has been made in the:

- ♦ valuation of the property;
- ♦ classification of the property;
- ♦ preparation of the relevant assessment roll or assessment notice; and/or
- ♦ content of the relevant assessment roll or assessment notice.

The grounds for the appeal must be detailed. Phrases such as "assessment too high" or "assessment too low" are **NOT** sufficient.

It is your responsibility to make a case to the board of revision. It may be as simple as proving that dimensions or measurements are wrong or that a classification is not correct, or as complex as proving that the value of a property is not fairly assessed compared to another property that is similar in nature.

Regular Assessment Appeals or Simplified Assessment Appeals?

When making regular or simplified assessment appeals, the notice of appeal form must be fully completed. Regular appeal – the appellant must provide specific written grounds supporting the appeal when submitting it to the secretary before the hearing. Simplified appeal – the appellant is not required to submit detailed written grounds to the secretary before the hearing but must have detailed information ready to present to the appeal board.

Can I Base My Appeal on the Fact that I Feel my Taxes are Too High?

NO! Legislation outlines the valid grounds of appeal. Only your property assessment can be appealed, not taxes or mill rates.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE A COPY OF THE PAMPHLET, PLEASE COME INTO THE TOWN OFFICE OR VISIT THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE.

www.municipal.gov.sk.ca/Assessment/Revaluation/UnderstandingAssessmentAppeals

JOIN US ON THE **Balgonie Library Board!**

OUR AGM IS IN JANUARY
AND WE MEET BI-
MONTHLY FOR THE
DURATION OF THE YEAR.
HELP US CHOOSE NEW
BOOKS, PLAN NEW
PROGRAMS AND GIVE
BACK TO OUR AMAZING
COMMUNITY! CONTACT
US FOR MORE DETAILS!

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on Facebook**



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Go to: <http://southeastlibrary.ca>
Click "Login" on the top right
corner of the screen.
Type in barcode & pin number –
click on login.

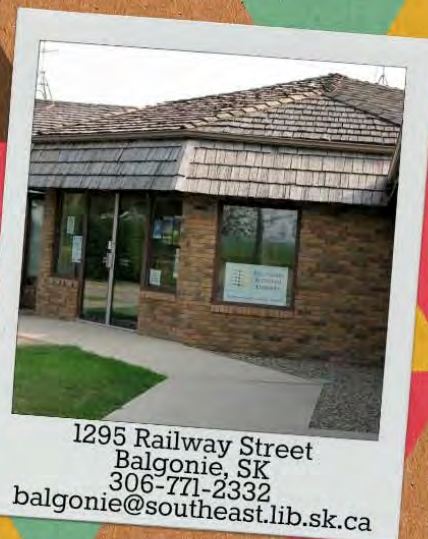
Once you have logged in you can:

- View & renew items you have currently checked out
- Learn the status of your requests
- Check if you have overdue fines
- View your personal information (name, address, etc.)
- Change your library PIN

You can also check the status of your account presenting you Library card at any Southeast Regional Library branch or phoning the toll free number 1-888-975-8165



Balgonie Public Library



1295 Railway Street
Balgonie, SK
306-771-2332
balgonie@southeast.lib.sk.ca

library hours

Tuesday 3:30pm – 8:00pm
Wednesday 9:00am – 1:30pm
Thursday 1:00pm – 8:00pm
Friday 1:00pm – 5:30pm
Saturday 10:00am – 2:00pm

ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS:

Taxes and utility bills may be paid electronically through your online banking website. The payments would be under Town of Balgonie Taxes and Town of Balgonie Utilities.

(Do not choose Balgonie Water—this payee is a previous business and is not connected with the Town of Balgonie.)

Please contact the Town office to obtain your account numbers.

Electronic payments for utilities and taxes are a convenient way to pay your bills, but they are not instantaneous. Please allow 2-3 business days before any due date so that your payment is receipted by our office before any penalties apply. The bank requires time to process the payment and advise the Town.

The receipts for electronic payments will be available for pickup, mailed or emailed upon request.

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF BALGONIE

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT BYLAW NO. 395/2017

Public notice is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Balgonie intends to adopt, under *The Planning and Development Act, 2007*, Bylaw No. 395/2017, known as the Development Levy Bylaw.

INTENT:

The intent is to adopt a development levy bylaw under Section 169 of *The Planning and Development Act, 2007*. The bylaw will authorize Council to establish development levies for new development for which there is no proposed subdivision.

REASON:

The reason for the bylaw is allow Council to charge a development levy to recover all or part of the capital costs of services and facilities associated directly or indirectly with new development. Such capital costs may include providing, altering, expanding or upgrading any of the following:

- Sewage, water or drainage works;
- Roadways and related infrastructure;
- Parks;
- Recreational facilities.

PUBLIC INSPECTION:

Any person may inspect the bylaw at the Town of Balgonie Municipal Office Monday to Friday between 9:00 am to noon and 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm excluding statutory holidays. Copies are available at cost at the Municipal Office.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Council will hold a public hearing to receive submissions on the proposed bylaw on Monday, April 10, 2017 at 7:00 at the Town of Balgonie Council Chambers at 129 Railway Street, Balgonie, Sask. Council will also consider written submissions received at the hearing or delivered to the undersigned at the municipal office before the hearing. For further information, please contact the Town of Balgonie office at 306-771-2284.

Issued at the Town of Balgonie this 24th day of March, 2017.

Signed:

Karen Craigie, Administrator

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT:

The Town of Balgonie will be accepting resumes for Summer Student positions in the Maintenance Department.

Resumes will be accepted at the Town office by fax, email, mail, or in person.

A valid driver's license is a requirement of the position.

Fax: 306-771-2899

Email: balgonieparkrec@sasktel.net

P.O. Box 310, 129 Railway St. E.

Balgonie, SK.

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TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

are open to the public. They are regularly scheduled on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of every month starting at 6:15 p.m. in the Council Chambers of the Balgonie Administration Building.

Council meetings are scheduled for April 10th & 24th.

REMINDER:

Garbage and Recycling Carts are to be put out on the street at 7am, and brought in after garbage or recycling collection is complete. If carts are damaged before or after these hours, homeowners are responsible for the charges.

Did you know.....

the town has a Facebook page?

For updates on what's happening in the community, checkout our page at <https://www.facebook.com/Balgonies-Talk-of-the-Town>.

If you would like to advertise local events, you can call us @ 306-771-2284 or email us at townofbalgonie@sasktel.net or send us a Facebook message.



A message from the RM of Edenwold

Garage suites approved in RM

Several requests for garage suites have been received by RM staff and Council. A new bylaw will see two bedroom garage suites, with separate entrances allowed in the RM. "It provides a gentle density option," Senior Municipal Planner with the RM, Jana Jedlic, says. "This housing option creates rental accommodations and allows for nanny suites and room for the in-laws. A parking requirement will have to be met for those wishing to develop these kind of suites." Garage suites will be allowed in the RM on land zoned AR- Agricultural Resource, CR1-



Deputy Reeve of the RM and Vice Chair of WCRM158 wastewater management authority Stan Capnerhurst presents with White City Councillor and WCRM158 Chair



Country Residential (acreages subdivided out of a quarter) and CR2- Country Residential (including Stone Pointe Estates, Rock Pointe Estates, Jameson estates, Mission Pointe Estates, Park Meadows Estates, Meadow Ridge Estates, Bridlewood Estates, Crawford Developments, Crawford Estates, and the subdivisions: Bohach, Bilinski, South, Escott and Deneve). Due to lot sizes and accommodation for on-site parking, garage suites are not permitted in Emerald Park. This text amendment has been approved by the RM of Edenwold council and is currently with Community Planning for final approval. Once the RM receives final approval, discretionary use applications can be submitted for garage suites. Visit the RM website for further updates.

Wastewater facility funding announced

Provincial and federal government funding was announced for the WCRM158 wastewater treatment facility at a special news event February 27. A joint project

between the RM of Edenwold and White City, the new facility will be used primarily for RM residents south of Highway 1 - specifically in Emerald Park. Subdivisions north of the highway such as Spruce Creek Estates and Carson Business Park and any future residential and commercial subdivisions will be connected to the facility. An estimated 2,000 current residents, plus several businesses in the vicinity of Highway 1 will be served by the new facility.

E-notices now available

The RM is offering ratepayers an email delivery option rather than a paper bill for water/sewer utility notices, tax notices and assessment notices along with the RM newsletter. The *Customer Acknowledgment & Consent Form* is available on our website and at the RM office.



Originally from Emerald Park, Alexandra Barabe sang the national anthem at the Friday, March 10 Balgonie Bisons game. The RM honoured veterans, seniors and volunteer firefighters providing free admission to the game.

Contact us via email: rm158@sasktel.net or phone 306-771-2522. Visit our website at: rmedenwold.ca

BE A RESPONSIBLE PET OWNER:

- Walk your dog on a leash (there is no off leash area in the Town of Balgonie)
- Pick up after your dog—bring a baggy, pick it up and dispose of it.
- Spay /neuter your pet
- License your pet with the Town

Fines are applicable if your dog is found unlicensed, running at large or if you fail to pick up after your dog. Keep the Town clean for all to enjoy.

All information must be received by April 20th to be included in the May 2017 issue of The Talk Of The Town.

Prices for advertising a business:

\$10- Business card size.

\$30- Quarter page ad.

\$60- Half page ad.

\$120- Full page ad.

Local programs & announcements are not charged. However, you must have a Balgonie Post Office Box # to advertise.

Send all items to :

balgonienewsletter@sasktel.net

No later than the 20th of this month.

Congratulations

After 25 years with Scouts Canada, Larry McIvor, (Hawke Eye), has received the long time service award with the 1st Balgonie Group. He has been a leader for 25 years, and the last 7 years as group Commissioner. We are honored to have such a dedicated member in our group.





Happy Birthday

Dax!!!

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**CONTACT
KELSEY**

306.527.1137



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**Thank You residents of
Balgonie, BES, friends and
family for supporting our
training and the
opportunity to represent
the South Sask. Selects
U12 football team in Fort
Lauderdale, Florida on
February 24-26, 2017.
We've learned a lot since
December and played hard
in Florida! We are excited
to bring our skills and
knowledge back to the
GRIFFINS!**

Josh Gorniak #4 WR/K

&

Marcus Butz #29 DB



“Growing Annuals - Come Grow with Us”

with

Larry and Mary Levsen, Sherwood Greenhouses



Annuals are versatile players in the garden, providing colour, texture and height. For most annuals, the more sun - the more flowers. Tender or “half-hardy” perennials can be used as annuals.

The Levsen's are now in their 19th year operating Sherwood Greenhouses and still enjoying learning about new plants and sharing that information with their clients.

7PM Wed. April 12th 2017

Ramada Emerald Park

Everyone Welcome

\$5 Visitors Members free

Info: www.whitecitygardenclub.weebly.com/wcgc-upcoming-events



Veseys Bulbs

The 1st Balgonie & Area Girl Guides are raising money for our unit through one of our favorite fundraisers - Vesey's Spring Bulb Sales! Sales will begin March 2nd through to April 14th. Orders will arrive in May.

Please contact Jolene Ursu @ 306-570-9179 or email balgonie1st@gmail.com to get connected with one of our local Girl Guides who would be happy to bring you a catalogue!

Balgonie Dance & Twirl is

Proud to Present

The 30th Annual Dance Recital

Saturday April 29th 2017

Green all High school

10:00 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.



Adults \$7.00 Seniors \$5.00 Children 5 and
under Free

Come on out for a wonderful show by some
very talented local Dancers

Elks Lodge #572 Update

Backyard BBQ tickets are available for the 2017 season. Looking forward to your continued support of this fundraising project, as it helps us to continue to support many programs that impact children in our communities.

Our main focus now is putting the plans in place for our Canada Day Celebration. We are hoping that our community will stay home and join in the fun. Start to get your plans together for your family float, line up a team for the Bed Derby Races, and watch for the posters that will outline all the activities and events happening on our annual Family Fun Day July 1, 2017.

If you are new to our community or are interested in joining our Lodge, please give Darren Kiel a call at 306-591-3802.

Balgonie Playschool Presents:

Ladies Night Out Walking The Red Carpet

Saturday April 1

Balgonie Multiplex
Cocktails @ 5:00pm

Dinner @ 6:30pm

Waiter Auction and Dinner catered by The Diner

Fashion Show & Dance

Styled by Bella Chic & Music by Platinum DJ

Cash Bar ★ Midnight Lunch

Door Prizes ★ Silent Auction

Proceeds go to Balgonie Playschool

Door Prizes are greatly appreciated! To donate, call Tara: (306) 541-5241 or balgonieplayschool@gmail.com

\$35 Early Bird Tickets

On Sale February 6th - 26th

\$40 Regular Tickets

On Sale February 27th - March 24th

Buy Tickets or Book a Table: (306) 530-4722 or
nikitodos@hotmail.com

Reminder to Balgonie Residents:


Vehicles are not to be parked on the street for more than 24 hours, except weekends and holidays. If your vehicle is not used regularly, you must park it on your own property.

All vehicles stored on your property must be licensed and in good repair. Storage of unlicensed and junked vehicles on your property are considered to be a "nuisance" by Town of Balgonie Bylaws.

Thank You!

A special Thank You to Town Council from the walkers and young skaters for opening the Balgonie Arena on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings.


It was a great way to get in our walking exercise without having to deal with the Saskatchewan ice and wind. The improvement in the skating abilities always shone through on the smiling little faces.



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Balgonie Natural Health & Healing Expo

Balgonie Multiplex - Balgonie, Sask. (Hwy 364 ~ Balgonie)

Friday - April 28th - 3:00pm - 9:00pm

Saturday - April 29th - 10:00am - 7:00pm

Expo Admission \$2.00 (under 12 free)

- 🕒 Natural Health & Wellness, Holistic & Alternative Medicine Services
- 🕒 Body and Energy workers 🕒 Intuitive Readers 🕒 Natural Chemical free Products
- 🕒 Safe, Supportive & Educational

NEW for 2017:

Health & Wellness Workshops

\$10.00 per workshop

or

all 6 for \$50.00 includes Free Expo admission

Workshop Pre-Registration & Payment is required

Email Char at freedomtobelieve@sasktel.net

For More Information on Vendors & Workshops please visit:

www.freedomtobelieve.net

www.facebook.com/balgonienaturalhealthhealingexpo



Balgonie will be proudly hosting

The Hop Into



Craft & Tradeshow

April.15th • 10:00am-3:00pm

Balgonie Multiplex

Balgonie, Sk

Balgonie Baptist Church

JOIN US
**EASTER
SUNDAY**

10:30 a.m.

Living In and Loving our Community



C 306.529.7250
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www.peakmangroup.ca



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Friday & Saturday: 10:00 am-4:00 pm

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2017 WASTE & RECYCLING PICKUP DATES



March 28	RECYCLING	April 4	GARBAGE
April 11	RECYCLING	April 18	GARBAGE
April 25	RECYCLING	May 2	GARBAGE
May 9	RECYCLING	May 16	GARBAGE
May 23	RECYCLING	May 30	GARBAGE
June 6	RECYCLING	June 13	GARBAGE
June 20	RECYCLING	June 27	GARBAGE
July 4	RECYCLING	July 11	GARBAGE
July 18	RECYCLING	July 25	GARBAGE
August 1	RECYCLING	August 8	GARBAGE
August 15	RECYCLING	August 22	GARBAGE
August 29	RECYCLING	September 5	GARBAGE
September 12	RECYCLING	September 19	GARBAGE
September 26	RECYCLING	October 3	GARBAGE
October 10	RECYCLING	October 17	GARBAGE
October 24	RECYCLING	October 31	GARBAGE
November 7	RECYCLING	November 14	GARBAGE
November 21	RECYCLING	November 28	GARBAGE
December 5	RECYCLING	December 12	GARBAGE
December 19	RECYCLING	December 26	GARBAGE

APRIL

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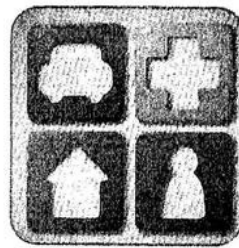
Customer Appreciation Day

Thursday, April 27

Come in 1pm-9pm for Draws, Specials, Coffee &
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Balgonie Playschool Needs YOU!!



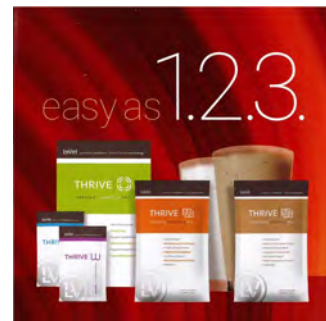
Annual General Meeting
Sunday, May 28, 2017 at 7:00pm
Balgonie Elementary School

Balgonie Playschool is looking for new board members to fill open positions for the 2017/2018 school year. If you are interested in a position on the board or generally interested in the operations of Balgonie Playschool, please feel free to attend the AGM.

We're a group of parent volunteers who meet once a month. Joining the board is a great way to become involved in your child's education, meet new people and save money on fees!
We would love to have you!

Any questions please email balgonieplayschool@gmail.com.

Canada will be celebrating its 150th birthday this July. We are looking for volunteers to help with all areas of the day's festivities. If you have any suggestions on games or activities, please email the office at townofbalgonie@sasktel.net We would also like to have an organizing committee to help with the planning. Please let us know if you are interested. Thank-you



Come and join me April 6th at 7:00p.m. for an evening of free Thrive samples. Receive a ton of information plus sample packs.

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Register online for
Prairie Storm Minor Hockey 2017-2018 Season

RETURNING PLAYERS – May 1 to 27, 2017

NEW PLAYERS – July 10, 2017



DON'T MISS IT!

Online registration for returning PSMHA players in the Novice to Midget divisions will begin May 1 to May 27th. Registration for new players in those divisions opens July 10, 2017.

Initiation registration opens in August.

Visit the Prairie Storm website www.psmha.ca for all the details about online registration.

We are looking forward to another exciting year!

Any questions or inquiries can be directed to our registrar:
registrar@psmha.ca

Office Hours:

By Appointment with
Rev Bev Diduck 306-519-4481

Balgonie United Church

Time of Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School 11:00 a.m.

*If you would like a ride,
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9:30 am.

Contacts:

St. Paul's & St. John's - Pastor John Dut at (306) 487-8442.



50⁺ CLUB

Memberships are now due for 2017

- Next supper on April 19th
- APRIL 3rd is the AGM @ 7:00 pm

Happy Easter to all from the members of the Club



*For information on bookings
at the 50+ Club – contact Wayne/Margaret 771-4230*

March 11, 2017 Crib Winners 50+ Club

1 st	Lillian Boyko & Al Hubic
2 nd & 3 rd tie	Marion Woytuik & Carol Moss Bill Pollock & Irvin Wegmann
28 Hand	Louwella Josephson
24 Hands	Bob Champion Ken Butz Marion Jorgenson Ernie Litzenberger



BISONS HOCKEY

2017 N.H.L. PLAYOFF AUCTION DRAFT



DRAFT INFORMATION

Proceeds from this fundraiser are used by the Balgonie Bisons and the Balgonie Hounds hockey clubs in an effort to keep hockey alive and competitive in Balgonie.

The draft will be held on the evening of April 8th, 2017 at the Balgonie Multiplex.

The bar opens at 6:00, supper begins at 6:30 pm and the draft will follow, starting around 7:30pm. All other draws and prizes will be announced at the event.

The Entry Fee is \$300.00 per team and a team can consist of a maximum of 5 members. We can only accommodate a limited number of teams (30); First come, first served.

PAYOUT: 1st - \$4,000
 2nd - \$1,300
 3rd - \$600

The payout above is based on 30 teams

We invite you to participate in our NHL playoff auction draft.

Thanks for your support!!

Balgonie Bisons
Balgonie Hounds

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2017 N.H.L. PLAYOFF AUCTION DRAFT



DRAFT RULES

AUCTION

- Team bidding points = 1000 points
- Minimum bid = 10 points.
- Maximum number of players per team = 15 players
- All Goalies are auctioned as a team package (essentially you are picking that team's goaltending points).
- Once a team has zero points remaining or chooses a player from the pick list they must turn in their team's bidding card.
- Trading players, points or draft position (pending draft order rules) is not allowed.
- The Auctioneer's decision is final on any bidding disputes.
- The auction player list and pick list will be provided at the draft.

SCORING

- Player scoring - 1 point / goal - 1 point / assist
- Goalie scoring - 1 point / win - 2 points / shutout - 1 point / goal - 1 point / assist

DRAFT ORDER

- The draft order is determined by the NHL's scoring race (points) - descending in order beginning with the highest scorer.
The draft order may be subject to change.

PICK LIST

- The pick list is a pre-determined list of players that are projected to finish at the lower end of their team's scoring.
- Each team will have between 5 and 10 players on this list.
- Pick list player = 10 points
- Maximum number of pick list players per team = 3 players
- Players from the pick list must be chosen before the final player is auctioned.
- Once a team picks from the pick list they must turn in their bidding card.

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ENTRY FORM

Team Name: _____

TEAM CAPTAIN

Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____

MEMBER #2

Name: _____
Email: _____
Phone#: _____

MEMBER #3

Name: _____
Email: _____
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MEMBER #4

Name: _____
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MEMBER #5

Name: _____
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Entry Fee - \$300.00 per team.

WHEN PAYING BY CHEQUE THE CHEQUE SHOULD BE MADE OUT TO:
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For more information phone or email:

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PRIZES

MYSTERY AUCTION PLAYER (2)

- One player and one goalie from the player auction list are selected as the mystery players.
 - The Auctioneer selects these players prior to draft.
 - The team that selects this player receives 10 drink tickets.

MYSTERY PICK LIST PLAYER

- One player from the pick list is selected as the mystery player.
 - The Auctioneer selects this player prior to draft.
 - The team that selects this player receives 10 drink tickets.

DRAWS & RAFFLES

- 50/50 Raffle
- Other items TBD

PVSD Division Champions

Bobcat Basketball History is MADE - 2017 Bobcat teams capture girls and boys PVSD gold medals for the 1st time in Bobcat Athletics history! Congratulations to both teams on their success

BES Parent Presentation

Topic: Mindfulness

Presenter: Mindfulness Author and BES Teacher – Mrs. Trina Markusson

Where: BES Gym

When: Thursday March 30, 2017

Time: 7:00 pm

Pre-School Storytimes

Do you have a child who will be attending kindergarten at Balgonie Elementary School Fall of 2017. . . who does not attend Balgonie Early Learning Center or the Balgonie Playschool?

As part of BES's Learning Improvement Plan and our School Community Council, literacy has become a major priority for our students and for our community. We would like to invite your child to the **"BES Storytime"** in our school library.

Story times occur every other month and include picture books read with the children and a fun activity. This is a great opportunity for your child to become comfortable in the school environment, meet some BES staff members and enjoy some great books and activities.

Please call Mrs. Andrea Moroz at the Elementary School (771-2345) if you are interested in bringing your pre-school child(ren) to join our next storytime!

Monday, April 10 – 9:15-10:00

Tuesday, April 11 – 1:00-1:45

Tuesday, April 11 – 9:15-10:00

Toiletries Needed

The SLC is collecting travel-sized toiletries for the Cathedral Lunch program. We know lots of families travel over the winter and we would appreciate you bringing back any extra hotel toiletries!

Please send them down to the office and place them in the collection box. Items in need:

- Shampoo, conditioner, soap, lotion, toothpaste, toothbrush, floss, **No mouthwash**

Kindergarten Registration

We are now accepting registrations for the 2017-2018 School year. Please contact the school with the following information: Name, Birthdate, Address and Phone Number.

Drama Club

Welcome to Agrabah, the city of mystery and enchantment!

Balgonie Elementary school has been dusting off the magic carpets and genie lamps to prepare for their upcoming musical performance of Disney's Aladdin Jr. Many students come together with acting, singing, props, and stage crew to prepare for this performance which is sure to be 'a whole new world'!

Our performance dates have been set for the end of May, so stay tuned!

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Ms. Polowich



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