December 2—Compost Pick-up.
December 9—Council Meeting-50+ Centre, 6:15 p.m.
December 14—Cribbage Tournament-50+ Centre.
   Make a wreath @ the library 1:00 p.m.
December 18—Balgonie Elementary School Christmas Concert 1:00 and 7:00 p.m. in the gym.
December 16-20—Sparkle Tour Judging by R.C.M.P.
December 22—Sparkle Tour-Fire Hall, 5:30—8:00 p.m.
December 24 — Christmas Eve Times:
   St. John’s Lutheran Church-5:00 p.m.
   St. Joseph’s Church-7:00 & 11:00 p.m.
   Balgonie Baptist Church-7:30 p.m.
December 25—Christmas Day—Town Office Closed.
December 26—Boxing Day—Town Office Closed.
December 27—Poker Night-50+ Centre, 6:30 p.m.

**After a snowfall, please refrain from parking on the streets just so our Town Maintenance Personnel can perform a proper grading job.**

Next Council Meeting - December 9, 2019, at the 50+ Club— 132 Queen Street
The Town of Balgonie now offers: E-Receipts for those customers who sign up for E-Billings. If you receive your Utility and Tax notifications by email, we can email you a receipt back. Fill out the attached form and return to the office, or call 306-771-2284 to be included in our paperless billings.

The 2020 pet tags will be available in January. Please ensure you register your dog(s) with the Town Office. Pet licences are required under the Town Bylaw #377/2014.

Starting November 4th...
Indoor walking at the arena!
Get your exercise and stay warm.
Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
CLOSED statutory holidays.

2019 Waste & Recycling Pick up Schedule

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December 2, 2019 Compost
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.

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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 __________, 20____.

________________________
(Signature)

/klp.
BALGONIE CURLING CLUB

For updates and information on the 2019/20 season follow us on Facebook or visit our website at balgoniecurlingclub.com

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Upcoming Events

Rental Rates

$20/hour/sheet
$300 for 6 hours (all 3 sheets)
$350/day

Curling rink will supply bar services if requested for $100/day or $50/night.

Lounge Space Rental – $20/hour, $100/day

Contact the rink at 306-771-2342
Balgonie Soccer Needs you!!!

A huge thank you to Michelle Laing for her years of dedication to the Balgonie Soccer League. You have been a wonderful asset and driving force for several years for both the indoor and outdoor seasons. You have recruited many wonderful people for all areas, coaching, refereeing, being on the Board and just plain volunteering.

You will be greatly missed in the soccer community.

The Soccer Board is in dire need of board members.

Current vacant positions are:
- President
- Vice President
- Secretary

Without the filling of these positions the soccer committee will no longer be able to operate. We don’t want to see Balgonie soccer come to an end in our community, so we need more help. The Board meets approximately once a month, and every other year we host the tournament for the region.

If you have any questions or are interested in joining the Board, please email balgoniesoccer@gmail.com

Our next meeting will be in January, please watch the Talk of the Town or the Facebook page for the finalized date.
Balgonie Annual Sparkle Tour with Festivities Contest

Hosted by your Volunteer Firefighters and First Responders
Judged by the RCMP.

Sunday, December 22nd, 2019
Balgonie Fire Hall
Hwy 364
5:30pm – 8:30pm

Please join us for an evening of Christmas festivities. We hope to see Balgonie lit up for the holiday season!

Judging for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place will take place one evening during the week before the sparkle tour. Have your festive decorations ready!

https://www.facebook.com/BalgonieFireDept/
balgoniefire@sasktel.net
A message from the RM of Edenwold

Reeve’s message — looking back over 2019

“It’s been a big year,” says Reeve Mitchell Huber. “We’ve moved forward and saw some great progress through a trying time. I’d say our staff and council have skillfully managed budgets and residents’ requests with all due diligence and, from council’s perspective, with a wizened and widened horizon of history. We are proud of this community. We want our residents to feel that, too.”

Annexation update

October 5 the town announced they were turning to the province and taking the next formal step in annexation by providing their proposal to the Saskatchewan Municipal Board. To date, this has not happened. The RM of Edenwold will be provided a copy of the submission once it is presented or provided to the SMB.

Completed projects

Several RM of Edenwold paving projects were completed this year, including: a portion of Emerald Park Road, extension of Fairway Road, Huber Drive, Huber Bay, Hogan Place and Coral Place, a walkway extension at Kuzmicz Commemorative Park and the new administration office principal landscaping and public parking lot paving. Other RM infrastructure projects completed in 2019:

- South Plains Road and Percival Drive utility extension project
- Woods Park refurbishment
- Emerald Park lagoon decommissioning project
- North water reservoir is online providing full hydrant service in Spruce Creek Estates

OCP and Zoning Bylaw

A new Official Community Plan with Zoning Bylaw and updated maps were prepared and presented during a public hearing November 19. Next steps: Council will have a discussion about the comments received during the public hearing at an upcoming regular Council meeting. Should they decide to make any changes to the bylaws as presented, then the public will be notified about the changes and provided with an opportunity to provide comments on the changes before Council moves forward with 2nd and 3rd reading.

Christmas cheer

RM staff and council extend a warm Christmas greeting to everyone in the RM of Edenwold and in our neighbouring communities with hopes you get to share time with family and friends.
POKER NIGHT

Friday, December 27, 2019.

Balgonie Seniors 50+ Club

132 Queen Street Balgonie, SK.

Registration 6:30 p.m. first 80 players.

$50 entry fee.

Play begins @ 7:00 p.m.

One $50 rebuy in first hour.

50% payout. Remaining funds back to community programming done by the Balgonie Elks.

Follow us on Facebook @balgonieelks572

Email: Balgonie.elks@gmail.com

If you are interested in joining our Lodge, please give Darren Kiel a call at (306) 591-3802.

Next meeting 8 p.m., January 21, 2020 at the Multiplex.

Balgonie Dance & Twirl

THANK YOU!!!

We would like to extend a HUGE Thank You to everyone who ordered Mom’s Pantry. Orders will arrive the 1st week in December.

Our club had great success and will be able to purchase a much-needed new dance floor! Again, Thank You for your support!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS from Balgonie Dance & Twirl.
Students in Greenall’s Robotics class have enjoyed building and battling with their robots!

Congratulations to all Griffin Volleyball athletes who finished up their seasons. All athletes developed skills, committed themselves, played hard and displayed Griffin values on the court and off!

Jim Demery from UnderstandUs presented to Entre 30 students on running a non-profit and Mental Health awareness!

History 30 and Law 30 students from Greenall had the opportunity to tour the Legislature, visit the Royal Saskatchewan Museum and watch the play of “The Trial of Louis Riel”.

The Greenall High School Production of The Addams Family

November 28 & 29 - 7:00 P.M.
November 30 - 2:00 P.M.
Tickets: Adults - $15.00
Students / Seniors - $10.00
Tickets available from the School Office, any cast member or at the door!
Parental Guidance: Mature Themes
A BIG thank you to the Town of Balgonie and administration staff for helping us during our move back to the Administration Building. You have made the process so much easier and less stressful. Our new space is fantastic. Thank you!!!

- Balgonie Library & Balgonie Library Board

Balgonie Public Library Branch

December Activity Calendar!

**S.T.E.M Lego Club**
*NEW*
Every Monday at 4:00 PM. Each week we have a S.T.E.M lego challenge! See what’s coming up:

- December 2nd – Lego balance
- December 9th – Fidget spinner
- December 16th – Balloon car
- December 23rd – Timed challenges

**Make a Christmas Wreath**
Join Sherwood Greenhouse at the library on December 14th from 1:00 – 2:30 to make your own wreath!

**Preschool Storytime**
Every Wednesday at 10:00 AM. Join us for a story and a craft!

**Xbox One**
Just for the month of December: Tuesday and Thursday at 6:30 PM and Saturday at 10:30 AM.

**Family Lego**
Every Saturday at 10:30 AM. Bring in the family to create something unique!

**Small (12") - $45; Large (18") - $65**

RSVP by December 9th to balgonie@southeast.lib.sk.ca.

**Closures**
The library will be closed from December 24th until January 1st, reopening on January 2nd.

**MERRY CHRISTMAS**
The Town Council of Balgonie wishes to express their sincere appreciation to Susan Stiefel for her dedication to the Balgonie Dinner Theatre. Due to unforeseen circumstances, Susan was unable to be on site as Kitchen Convener for her final year of these duties. We wish her a speedy recovery and thank her for her time and commitment to this project!!

Kelly Kessel has agreed to step in as Kitchen Convener for this event. Thank you to Kelly for stepping up to take on this role this year and going forward. You did a fantastic job and your efforts are greatly appreciated by the Town of Balgonie.

New Stop Signs

Please be advised that there is now a 4-way stop at the intersection of: Assiniboia Street, Assiniboia Bay and Greenall Street.
RECREATION NEWS

By Shaun McBain

Well, we are through November and with no significant amount of snow, winter driving has been nice!!

Can you believe it? - The 32nd Annual Dinner Theater has come to an end. A big thank you goes out to all the countless hours of people volunteering and donating food items. Without all of you wonderful folks, this major fundraiser for our community would not be such a success. THANK YOU!!!!! A special mention to the leaders of the kitchen staff and bar staff and all of their helpers for a job well done!! GREAT WORK!

Another special thank you goes out to Tumbleweed Theatre for their countless hours of rehearsing and total dedication to theatre. Without all of you, this type of event would not be able to take place in our community.

The final numbers are still being tallied with a few outstanding bills to pay. A total amount will be issued in the next Talk of the Town.

Once again, hats off to all of the organizers and volunteers.

The outdoor rink will hopefully be opening soon if the temperature can stay below -10 for a period of time. Once again we ask that the users clear the snow with the scrapers provided. The Zamboni will do a hot flood once a week.

Have a wonderful holiday season. Drive safely while visiting family and friends.

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Public Skating on Sundays may be cancelled due to tournaments.
Helmets must be worn at all times FOR ALL SHINNY PLAYERS!
2ND ANNUAL
LADIES SHOPPING NIGHT
GREENALL GRIFFINS BOOSTER CLUB
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2019

It is the perfect time to do your Christmas Shopping or treat yourself to some special purchases.

Please join us from 6:00 to 9:00 on Thursday, December 5th. Our wonderful local businesses are graciously donating a percentage of sales from the evening to the Booster Club.

Wish home + gift
Bella Chic Fashion Décor
TWB Home Décor
Cheekie
The Ice House Liquor Store
The Humble Hook (Ice House)
Unique Garden Centre & Landscaping (Ice House)
Sheila’s Bracelet Studio (Ice House)

Make sure you don’t miss out on the businesses set up at The Ice House as well as happy hour and door prizes!!!
A huge thank you to everyone, in and around our community for your generous support once again. The 32\textsuperscript{nd} Annual Dinner Theatre was again a success. We could not put on this event without all of those who donate their time, via acting, serving, bartending, prepping food, and donating food items.

The Town of Balgonie was proud to donate all of the left-over, non-returnable items to the Carmichael Outreach program in Regina. In the spirit of the season, they were very happy to receive these items.

Again, thank you for your community support and community spirit.
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.

Balgonie 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

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.

Balgonie Wastewater System Expansion
Effective wastewater treatment, healthier environment
$6.4M
July 2017 - September 2018
ADULT DRIVER REFRESHER COURSE

The 50+ Club and the Saskatchewan Safety Council will be hosting an Adult Driver Refresher Course. You do not have to be a member of the 50+ Club. We would like to invite everyone to take advantage of the information being offered.

The course is a review of proper driving skills. The class is free. There is no exam. You can’t fail. You can’t lose your license. It is in-class only.

The date will be determined once minimum class numbers are met. To put your name on the interested list, please call Heather at 306-771-2891.
Balgonie United Church
Worship and Sunday School begin at 11:00 A.M
Everyone is invited to our monthly Community Breakfast served on the last Sunday of Each month.
306-771-4303

Balgonie Baptist Church
You are invited to join us for Sunday Worship at 10:30a.m.
102 Griffin Road W
(306)771-2545
office@balgoniebaptist.org
www.balgoniebaptist.org

ELCIC Lutheran Churches
St. Paul’s Lutheran Church, Edenwold holds services every Sunday at 11:00 a.m.
St. John’s Lutheran Church, on the Correction Line Road holds services the fourth (4th) Sunday of every month at 9:30a.m.

St. John’s – Garnet Mang @ (306) 586-2855
St. Paul’s – Gerry Hertz @ (306) 537-8324 or Janet Becker @ (306) 771-2989

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

Mass Times
Saturday Evening 7:00 pm
Sunday 10:30 am
St. Agnes, Pilot Butte
Sunday 9:00 am

Schedule of Christmas Masses
Christmas Eve 7:00 pm St. Joseph – Balgonie
9:00 pm St. Agnes – Pilot Butte
11:00 pm St. Joseph – Balgonie
Christmas Day 10:30 am St. Joseph – Balgonie

New Year’s Eve 7:00 pm St. Joseph
New Year’s Day 9:00 am St. Agnes
10:30 am St. Joseph

Merry Christmas

Come join in our celebration with Fr. Chinh our priest
www.stjosephstagnes.ca
(306) 771-2357
Contact us at stjobal@sasktel.net
About
The Balgonie Senior Citizens (50+ Centre) is a non-profit organization with a yearly fee for membership.

The air-conditioned facility may be rented by members and non-members for various functions such as come and go teas, anniversaries, birthdays, etc.

Next Cribbage Tournament Dec 14

Meetings are held on the 1st Monday of the month. (except January & July)
Suppers are served on the 3rd Wednesday of the month
Other activities include: exercise group (Monday & Thursday 9:00 am – no charge – everyone welcome), cribbage, bridge & poker tournaments, Wednesday afternoon cards, bunco, pool & shuffleboard to mention a few.

DECEMBER 2019

Monthly Meeting December 2
Monthly Supper December 15th 6:00 pm
Come early and enjoy fellowship with friends & neighbours

NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

SquarePeg Contracting, Inc.
Tiles & Trees

Don Favreau
SquarePeg Contracting 306-737-7098

Royal Bank
Cara Mellow
Mobile Mortgage Specialist
Royal Bank of Canada
cara.mellow@rbc.com
morgage.rbc.com/cara.mellow
100 3425 Quance St E
Regina, SK S4P 3H
Tel.: 306-510-9927

Prairie Bin Service
Ryan Selzer 306.515.3411 www.prairiebinservice.ca
Mark Selzer 306.533.9099 Balgonie, SK

Square Peg Contracting

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Alesha Bliss
Owner/Therapist
(306)529-7982
Lisa Yanko (Deans), CPA, CMA
INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL ADVISOR
Personal & Business Solutions
Life & Travel Insurance, RRSPs & TFSA's
Debt Solutions, Health & Dental Plans
ebs@accesscomm.ca
306-771-1222

Cross Country Foods
Balgonie's Neighbourhood Grocery Store
109 S. Railway St. (Corner of Main and Railway) Balgonie, SK
Phone: 306-771-2037
Fax: 306-771-2101
Post office: 306-771-2035
HOURS OF OPERATION:
Weekdays—8 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Saturdays—9 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Sundays—11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Jacquie Trytten (Journeyman)
334 Queen Street, Balgonie, SK
771-4883
Flexible hours... open 6 days a week!
Monday & Tuesday: 3:00 pm-8:00 pm
Wednesday & Thursday: 10:00 am-8:00 pm
Friday & Saturday: 10:00 am-4:00 pm

Cuts Outback

Landon Winter
Owner/Journeyman
Licensed Gas fitter
306.530.6390

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Centennial 21

306.529.7250
roberta@peakmangroup.ca
www.ROBERTAPEAKMAN.ca

LIVING IN AND LOVING OUR COMMUNITY!
From Balgonie’s Town Council and Staff

May you have a safe and joyous holiday season and Happy New Year!

All the best in 2020.