

January

2020



What's going on

January 1—Happy New Year, Town office Closed.

January 6—Compost pick up.

January 7— Soccer AGM, Multiplex 7:00 p.m.

January 13—Council Meeting, 6:15 p.m.

January 14—Christmas tree pick up.

January 18-19— U18 Curling Spiel.

January 21— Elks Meeting, Multiplex 8:00 pm.

January 25— Curling Fun Spiel.

January 27—Council Meeting, 6:15 p.m.

There will be a blue bin at the transfer station over the holidays for your extra packaging.

January Council meetings will be held at the Balgonie 50+ Centre, 132 Queen Street. Meetings are open to the public and begin at 6:15 p.m. January 13 and 27.

From the Town

Box 310, 129 Railway St.

Phone: 306-771-2284

Fax: 306-771-2899

Office E-mail:

townofbalgonie@sasktel.net

Recreation:

balgonieparkrec@sasktel.net

Newsletter:

balgonienewsletter@sasktel.net

Emergency Number/After hours:

306-535-4235

REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

Newsletter Information

All information must be received by **January 20, 2020** to be included in the February 2020 issue of The Talk Of The Town.

Prices for advertising a business:

\$10— Business card size.

\$30— 1/9th 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

Send all items to :

balgonienewsletter@sasktel.net

No later than the **20th** of each month.

Town of Balgonie News

**Please remember that water bills
are issued in:**

January—Approx. mid month

(this is an estimate)

April—Actual read

July—Actual read

October—Actual read

Balgonie Water Lines

As you may have seen in the news recently, some communities are experiencing problems with their water lines. The Town of Balgonie would like everyone to know that we do not have any pipes in our water system which contain lead.



There have been some questions received by Town Council and staff in regards to the Town of White City's Multi-Use Recreation Facility announcement. The Town of White City has indicated they are moving forward in planning to provide a much needed indoor recreational facility to be built in their municipality. While no financial contributions will be made by the Town of Balgonie to

fund this project, the Town of Balgonie does support their efforts and congratulates White City in their plan to construct their first indoor recreational facility.

Balgonie is proud to be the home to the Balgonie Arena, Balgonie Curling Rink and the Balgonie Swimming Pool. All three of these facilities in addition to the Balgonie sportsground, outdoor arena and park spaces are managed by the Town of Balgonie and supported through the local municipal budget. Balgonie's approach to the operation of these facilities has always been that they are open to everyone in our greater community and there are no separate user fees for non-residents.

129 Railway Street East



The Town of Balgonie would like to thank both tenants and residents for their patience during the renovation of the Administration Building. We are nearing the end of all the work. It is looking very nice inside. If you would like to stop in and see what has been done so far, here is a layout of where every one is now located.

We hope to see you all soon.

Thank you,

Town Office

Partnership for Community Safety and Security:

Recently, the Town of Balgonie, Greenall High School, White Butte RCMP and the Community Safety Officers met to discuss issues of behaviour by some of the students in the town. Public fighting, traffic infractions, nuisance, littering and loitering have become prominent concerns for the town residents.

Greenall High School administration has committed to ensuring there are consequences for the specific students whose actions are not appropriate while they are in town limits, but not in classes. Principal Jason Weitzel and Vice-Principal Ryan Harding have indicated that the school has the ability to deal with students who do not obey the laws or have improper behaviour through various methods depending on the severity of the actions. They include but are not limited to:

- Verbal and written warnings.
- Communication with parents.
- In school suspensions (not permitted to leave campus during the day).
- Out of school suspensions.
- Revoking parking permits on school property.

Assemblies have been called at the school to address these issues with the students and communication will be going to the parents of all students.

The Community Safety Officers R.M. #158 are hired by the Town of Balgonie to carry out bylaw enforcement and deal with certain provincial statutes to help keep the community safe. They are able to issue traffic tickets and bylaw tickets within town. They will work in close connection to the Greenall High School administration, White Butte RCMP and the Town of Balgonie.

Community members can help out by reporting incidents to Greenall High School, the Town of Balgonie, and/or the Community Safety Officers. All severe calls with threat to person(s) or property should be called into the White Butte RCMP Detachment or dial 911.

In the event that you are witness to behaviour of concern, please consider the following as crucial information to a thorough investigation by school based Administration, the Community Safety Officers and the RCMP:

- Detailed description, video or pictures of the individuals involved, or the infraction occurring.
- Make, model, colour and licence plate of vehicle.
- Reporting incidents soon after they occur.

Contacts for reporting incidents:

Town of Balgonie/Community Safety Officers: 306-771-2284 or townofbalgonie@sasktel.net.

Greenall High School: 306-771-2566, Principal, Jason Weitzel, Vice-Principal, Ryan Harding or email greenallschool@pvsc.ca.

White Butte RCMP: 306-781-5050 for non-urgent calls; dial **911** for all urgent calls.



Share your love, share your home

Make a difference and turn your parenting skills into a rewarding experience.

Ranch Ehrlo Society is looking for qualified foster parents to join our Treatment Foster Care program.

We are seeking qualified foster parents to provide a loving and supportive family environment. Parents will assume responsibilities for the care, treatment, and community engagement of children, between the ages of 5-11, in your home.

According to our foster parent survey results, one of the greatest strengths of our program is the level of support provided to families and children. All foster families have access to all of Ranch Ehrlo's assessment and therapeutic services,

24/7 on call support, and respite and in-home supports.

Competitive remuneration is provided through a service contract. Although only one parent will be required to be a career care giver, both parents must be willing to undertake training and supervision. Caregivers are expected to have their own home.

**For more information, contact
Lisa Neill at 306-751-9808.**

Apply online at ehrlo.com



What it takes to be a foster parent Story by Cheyenne Geysen-Chartrand

Fostering is more than just a job. For Ranch Ehrlo's Treatment Foster Care (TFC) parents, that's a common sentiment.

"Yes, it's a professional service. But it's also real love and real care," said TFC parent Nadira Dechner.

The TFC is a specialized, accredited foster care service funded through the Ministry of Social Services. Our foster parents assume responsibility for youth in their care, as well as ensuring the youth are actively involved with their communities and birth families whenever possible. Parents have access to a wide variety of supports through Ranch Ehrlo Society and competitive remuneration is provided through a service contract.

Nadira sat down to discuss what it's like to be a professional in the program and help shine a light on what it takes to be a foster parent for anyone considering joining. Although only one parent will be required to be a career caregiver, both parents must be willing to undertake training and supervision.

"A lot of the children that come into foster care have led very dysregulated lives," Nadira said. "So basically, what you're trying to do as a foster parent is establish routines and rhythm that is very predictable. Together with the team, we provide an environment for the child to thrive." Nadira and her husband have been part of the TFC for over a year.

"The support is phenomenal. It is true that if you foster through Ranch Ehrlo you may get more complex kids, but also, there is a lot of support for you," Nadira said.

"For example, we have a program manager who works really hard to make sure that the right kids are placed in the right families. We all parent our own children as well, and it would be really hard to do that if it wasn't a good fit."

Once the placement is official, the support continues. A dedicated caseworker is involved with each placement, program staff is heavily involved in ensuring the success of each family, and schooling is made successful with a team of educators.

Their current foster son has been a long-term addition to their family. Along with his caseworker and educational team, the Dechners work with a pediatrician and an occupational therapist to help him succeed.

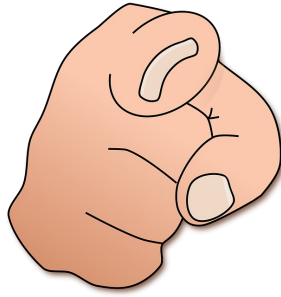
"Basically, with the Ranch, if you feel that there isn't progress with the supports you have in place, then we look at who we need to add to the team. Everyone is very on top of it and very committed to the success of the child."

The other foster families are equally committed. It's not a typical 9 to 5 job, it is much, much more.

"It's true for any job but especially for fostering – you cannot just see it as a job. It has to be something where your whole family is in, and preferably, where your whole family sees it as maybe a calling."

For more information on being a Treatment Foster Care parent, visit ehrlo.com.

Balgonie Soccer Needs you!!!



January 7, 2019

7:00 p.m. Balgonie Multiplex

If these positions are not filled, there will not be an outdoor soccer season in Balgonie.

The Soccer Board is in dire need of board members.

Current vacant positions are:

President

Vice President

Secretary

Inter-zone Soccer Representative

With out 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



A New Year's message from the RM of Edenwold



Reflection on 2019

In 2019, the RM of Edenwold saw numerous projects through to fruition and started on a number of initiatives that will continue into 2020.

Key successes and accomplishments relate to the new municipal office in Emerald Park, the Official Community Plan, Zoning Bylaw and Aspen Links Commercial Contract Zone, a number of roadworks and infrastructure projects and an increase in community consultation and engagement activities. We welcomed a number of new residents and businesses to our communities and are proud to have them call the RM of Edenwold home!

Council, together with our colleagues in the Village of Edenwold, have commenced work towards the formation of a Municipal District. We are enthusiastic about this partnership and looking forward to continuing the conversation and bringing our ideas forward to our communities for discussion.



Seasonal arrangement by the local Garden Club, on display at the RM Office



Priorities for the year ahead include:

- re-examining divisional boundaries to give more opportunity to citizens of Emerald Park to participate in Council
- moving forward with infrastructure and roadworks projects such as water and sewer extensions to business districts and drainage projects in rural and country residential areas
- continuing to work with our neighbours in the Village of Edenwold towards a joint Municipal District governance structure
- seeing resolution to the White City annexation plan

Watch for an updated **Municipal Action Plan** coming early in the new year!

Reminders

Christmas trees: Tree collection service for Emerald Park residents will be available during the week of January 13th. Please lay your tree down at the end of your property before the 13th for pickup.

Snow removal: Main roads and high-traffic routes are prioritized for snow clearing in all areas followed by local roads. Please slow down when passing or approaching snow-clearing machinery. When clearing private driveways and walkways, do not place snow on roads, in ditches or on neighbouring properties.

Snow storage: The municipality has identified snow storage sites for local businesses to clear their parking lots. Please visit the RM office for more information.

Official Community Plan and Zoning Bylaw

Thank you to everyone who has participated in the process of developing new plans and regulations for the municipality. Numerous residents and businesses have contributed as well as other stakeholders such as members of crown corporations, government ministries, utility and transportation companies, and citizens, staff and Councils of neighbouring communities.

The last stage of this process involves consideration of some final alterations to the bylaws based on feedback received from the public and stakeholders. A public hearing will be held on January 14th, 2020 at 7:00pm in Council Chambers to obtain comments on the alterations to the bylaws. Council will then be in a position to consider the bylaws as a whole and move forward with final approval and submission to the Ministry of Government Relations for Ministerial Approval and adoption.

Wishing you all the best in the new year!
From the Council and Staff of the RM of Edenwold



In Memory of Councillor Lorne Beer



It is with great sadness that the RM of Edenwold Council and staff inform the community that Division 4 Councillor, Lorne Beer, has passed away.

Councillor Beer was first elected to the Council of the RM of Edenwold in the fall of 2004. He remained on Council through to 2009 and then took a break. Councillor Beer was re-elected in 2014 and most recently won his seat during the 2018 election, the only contested seat in the municipality during that election campaign.



Passionate about infrastructure and community development and prudent with fiscal planning, Lorne worked hard to ensure the responsible development of high-quality infrastructure to stand the test of time across the municipality. He had a strong and well-deserved reputation for truly representing his constituents at the Council table and ensuring their needs were being met. He dedicated many years to his service as an RM Councillor and continued to work hard in his role as the Division 4 Councillor up to his final weeks.

The relationships Lorne built, the passion he brought to his role and the work he carried out were of great benefit to the RM of Edenwold and will continue to serve the municipality and our citizens for many years to come.

Councillor Beer, thank you for your service.
You will be missed.

Sympathies to

Stephen and Denise Seminuk
and family on the passing of
Stephen's brother Howard.



*A butterfly lights beside us, like a sunbeam...
And for a brief moment it's glory
and beauty belong to our world...
But then it flies on again, and although
we wish it could have stayed,
we are so thankful to have seen it at all
~ Author Unknown~*



Once again Balgonie and area rallied together for a good cause and made a huge difference in many peoples' lives in north central Regina.

Colleen's Diner and Balgonie Tavern hosted a comedy with all proceeds going to North Central Family Centre a non profit supporting Regina's most vulnerable. Colleen went above and beyond, not only was the food amazing, but Colleen's generosity and hospitality were over the top outstanding. Colleen, thanks doesn't cut it, you are a true local hero.

Cross Country Foods and Shades of Bliss also donated to this Comedy night fundraiser and truly helped make it a big success.

The comedy was hilarious, the company was wonderful, the cause was worthy and the outcome was a blessing.

Thank you all,

Forever grateful, North Central Family Centre.ca, MJ Deans-Beynham

The Balgonie Curling Club
would like to
thank the Town of Balgonie
for the benches in our lobby.
They are greatly appreciated.

Thank— you

A huge thank you to
Ariana Voss
for her fundraiser in
support of the Swimming
Pool.



50+ CLUB

Hello
January

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.

Cribbage Tournaments

Monthly on the
second Saturday
(except July & August)

Please call to register
as space is limited



Bart Eliasson
306-771-0024



Next Cribbage Tournament January 11

**Please Note: January 16
supper will be a LUNCH at
12:00 noon instead of at
6:00 pm**

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.

January 2020

- NO Monthly Meeting in January

REMINDER: January meal is a lunch not a supper
at 12:00 noon

NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME

Booking Information



Wayne or Margaret Kiel
306-771-4230

Facility Location



132 Queen Street
Balgonie Saskatchewan

The City View Skating Club is hosting the City View Regional Figure Skating Competition on Jan 25th and 26th in Pilot Butte. We are inviting the community to come and check it out as we have skaters from Balgonie and area competing at this event. The competition runs all day.

Also- can we put a save the date in? April 4th will be our season end ICE SHOW in Balgonie and will feature our entire club!

The community is invited to both of these FREE events.



BALGONIE PLAY SCHOOL
PRESENTS

Ladies' Night

An Evening of Mind over Magic

SAVE THE DATE
MAY 23, 2020

Pleasant Property Developments Inc.

is pleased to offer lots for sale in our new development.

Municipal tax exemptions available for up to 3 years on
new residential developments.

Jason: 306-530-0222 or Norman: 306-536-6547



Greenall Griffins Update

December in Review | 2019



Ms. McFarlen's Entrepreneurship 30 class has created 4 Junior Achievement Companies. The Food Dudes (@fooddudes on Instagram) are selling candy bags and pizza around the school on specific sales days with 10% of profits being donated to The Regina Food Bank. Snow Busters (Snow Busters JA on Facebook) are a snow shoveling service offered to residents of Balgonie, Pilot

Butte, White City, and Emerald Park. All Boxed Up (@allboxedup.co) is selling themed gift baskets to make gift giving easy; themes include Christmas, Spa, and Movie Night. The Lip Stuff (@thelipstuff.co) sells handmade lip balm in a variety of different scents. Follow the companies on social media to see their progress or request orders.



Grade 9 Science students showcased their Science Fair Projects on December 3rd. Congratulations to the following first place winners: Kaelan Smyth, Mazzlynn Lang, Jaia Guy, Alec Hilchey, Clayton Hudon, Ty Garnier and Kaden Materi. Adriane Weitzel, Maren Pritchard-Miller, Justine Carruthers, Makayla Bolingbroke, and Peighton Materi received second place awards. These students will be moving on to the Regional competition hosted at Greenall on March 31st.

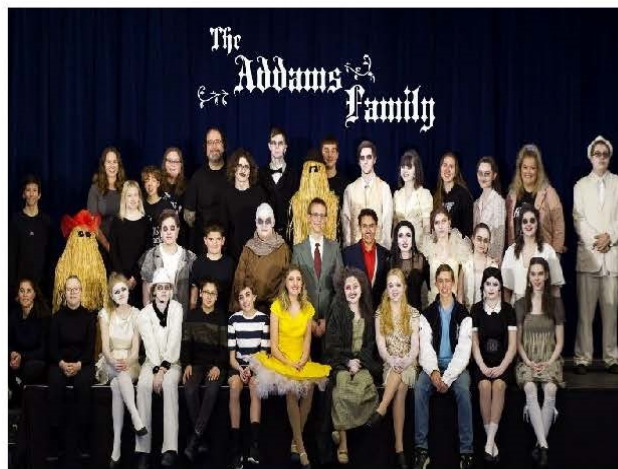


On Thursday, Nov. 28, Friday, Nov. 29 & Saturday, Nov. 30, Greenall High School was pleased to transform our gymnasium into a theatre space to showcase the amazing talents of our extra-curricular musical: The Addams Family.

We had 62 students involved in this production (51 directly and 11 through set/props/costumes). We had 25 staff members who volunteered time and talent through the production process. We had 17 community members volunteer their time and talents through tech, choreography, make-up, front of house support and playing in our fantastic orchestra.

This year, we had financial support provided to us by ProAV, the Greenall Griffins Booster Club (purchased a fog machine and 2 make-up airbrush machines), Greenall Band Parents Association and Greenall's SCC grant from Sask Lotto. We are grateful for such generous support of our arts community.

We are incredibly proud of these students. They were impressive to watch, and they shone onstage!



Greenall Students in Life Transitions 20 with Mr. Petford and Mental Health and Wellbeing 20 with Ms. Gibbs wrote thank you

letters to overseas Canadian troops.



Students dressed up for Cowboy and Plaid day as part of the SLC's 12 Days of Christmas!



BALGONIE CURLING CLUB

For updates and information follow us on [Facebook](#) or visit our website at balgoniecurlingclub.com

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Date	Event	Cost	Contact
Jan. 18-19	U18	\$80/team	Jackie @ 306-533-8079
Feb. 8	2-6-4	\$20/person	Jackie @ 306-533-8079
Feb. 29 – Mar. 1	U15	\$40/team	Mandy @ 306-533-0865
Mar. 13-14	Skins	\$120/team	Joel @ 306-533-9123
Mar. 14	Ironman	\$20/person	Joel @ 306-533-9123

RENTAL RATES

\$20/hour/sheet

All 3 Sheets
\$300 for 6 hours
\$350 for entire day

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

Lounge Space Rental
\$20/hour
\$100/day

Contact the Joel at
306-533-9123



— HAPPY NEW YEAR —

Merry Christmas and all the best in the New Year from the Balgonie Elks!

Balgonie Elks Fun-Spiel

Balgonie Curling Rink

January 25, 2020

Max of 12 teams. \$10/person to a max of \$50/team.

Contact Murray to enter a team (306) 737-5434.

Follow us on Facebook @balgonieelks572

Email: Balgonie.elks@gmail.com

#ElksProud

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



HAPPY NEW YEAR
from Balgonie Dance & Twirl.

Balgonie Public Library Branch

January 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:

January 6th – Catapult

January 13th – Zip line

January 20th – Marble run

January 27th – Marble run



Mini-button Maker

Just for the month of January: Tuesday and Thursday at 6:30 PM and Saturday at 10:30 AM. Come make adorable mini-buttons!



Thank you!

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. Your financial contribution and dedication to our local library is very much appreciated. Our new space is fantastic. Thank you!!!



Closures

The library will be closed for New Year's day on Wednesday, January 1st.



Preschool Storytime

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



Balgonie's Cover-to-Cover Book Club!

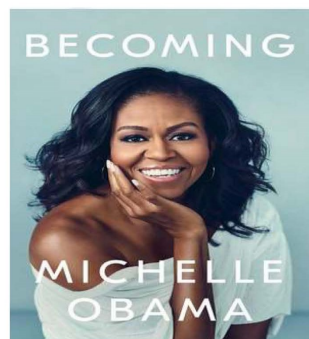
Good reads. Good conversation. Join us!

The Good Read: *Becoming* by Michelle Obama. An intimate, powerful and inspiring memoir by the former First Lady of the United States.

The Good Conversation: Wednesday, February 26th, 2020 at 7:00 PM at the Balgonie Public Library.

Copies of the book will be available for checkout at the Balgonie Public Library January 15-22, 2020.

Join us!



BALGONIE'S COVER-TO-COVER BOOK CLUB

GOOD READS.
GOOD CONVERSATIONS.
JOIN US!



THE GOOD READ:

Becoming by Michelle Obama

An intimate, powerful and inspiring memoir by the former first lady of the United States.

Copies of the book will be available for checkout at the Balgonie library from January 15-22, 2020.

THE GOOD CONVERSATION:

Wednesday, February 26, 2020
7:00 PM

Balgonie Public Library
(in our fabulous new space!)

For more information,
please call or e-mail the library:
306.771.2332
balgonie@southeast.lib.sk.ca

JOIN US!



**LORAAS
DISPOSAL**

For more information see our website:

www.loraasdisposal.com

2020 Balgonie Collection Calendar

Garbage ONLY Recycle ONLY
Compost ONLY

January 2020

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Loraas Disposal
620 McLeod Street
Regina, SK S4N 4Y1

Phone: 306-721-1000
Web: www.loraasdisposal.com
Email: cart@loraasdisposal.com

RECREATION NEWS

We hope everyone had a safe and festive holiday season! Let's make 2020 another great year.



The outdoor arena is in full swing. The Zamboni will flood the ice once a week. There is no set day for this. The lights will turn on around 5:30 p.m. and turn off at 9:30 p.m. Time permitting the town staff will shovel off the ice surface periodically throughout the week.

If the weather is above zero for a few days, please refrain from using the gate will be locked so we do not damage the ice. Please be courteous to others who are also using the facility.

Dinner Theatre recipients received just over \$6000.00 from this year's event. A job well done by all involved with much needed dollars going to many community groups.

Helmets must be worn by all



The Balgonie Early Learning Centre will have a toddler spot opening up next month. Please contact Ashley Austman for more information.

Ashley Austman

Executive Director

Balgonie Early Learning Center Inc.

306-771-5080



Christmas Tree Recycling pick up will be January 14th 2020. Please do not stand the trees up at the end of your driveway, as it may look like it's part of your landscaping.



Driver Refresher Course

You think you are a good driver. Do the other drivers on the road think the same thing?

The Refresher Course has been set for January 29th, 2020 at the 50+ Club. The course is 6 hours long beginning at 9 a.m. Bring a bag lunch. Coffee and snacks provided. To add your name to the list, please call Heather at 306-771-2891.

We have all heard of the dangers of Radon but what and where is it?

The 50+ Club and the Saskatchewan Health Authority will be hosting a Radon Education Session on **March 18th, 2020** at the 50+ Club beginning at 6:45 p.m. There is no fee or registration required.

The session will be approximately 20 minutes long depending on the questions asked after the presentation.

Everyone is welcome. No membership required. Coffee is provided.



Backyard Beekeeping; what you need to know!

Jeffrey Gamble, local beekeeper



This talk will help you understand the basics of bee keeping in an urban backyard environment. We will briefly discuss the importance and identification of both native bees and the non-native honeybee with our primary focus on managing a small honeybee colony. You will learn what equipment you need and what to expect from a backyard apiary.

7:00 PM Wed. Jan. 8th, 2020

Ramada Emerald Park

\$5 Guests Members Free

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



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:
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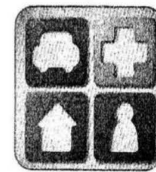
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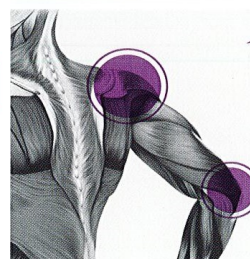
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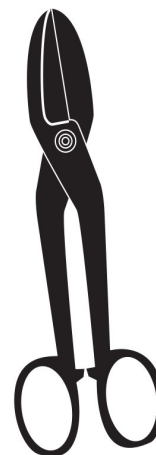
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