

Our young citizens are all back to school now. Please pay special attention as they are not always looking both ways. We want to keep them safe. **DO NOT** pass school buses when their stop arms are out.

The camping and summer season has sadly come to an end. Please make sure that all campers, trailers, recreation vehicles, boats, etc. are properly stored for the upcoming winter season. Please make arrangements to ensure that they are not parked on town property.

FROM THE TOWN

Mailing and Civic Address:

Box 310, 129 Railway St.

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

Office E-mail:

townofbalgonie@sasktel.net

Recreation E-mail:

balgonieparkrec@sasktel.net

Newsletter E-mail:

balgonienewsletter@sasktel.net

Emergency Number/After

Hours: 306-535-4235

REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

9:00 am. to noon and 1:00 pm. to 5:00 pm. Monday to Friday.

October 12 - Happy Thanksgiving

October 13 & 26 - Council meetings

October 26 - Provincial Election Voting Day

October 31 - Happy Halloween





Town Council Meetings

Town Council Meetings are open to the public. They will be held in the Council Chambers at 6:15 p.m. on the following dates:

October 13th & 26th, 2020

Members of the public who wish to attend the Council meetings are encouraged to notify the office at 306-771-2284 or townofbalgonie@sasktel.net prior to the meeting. Meetings will be held with appropriate Covid-19 safety provisions for spacing and size of events.

Members of the public who wish to address Council on matters pertaining to the municipality are asked to submit their request, to attend the meeting as a delegation, in writing.

The requests are to be received by 4:00 p.m. on the Thursday prior to the meeting.



NOTICE OF CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR THE TOWN OF BALGONIE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office(s) of:

Mayor Town of Balgonie

<u>Councillor</u> Town of Balgonie (6 to be elected)

Will be received by the undersigned on the 7th day of October, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., and during regular business hours (9:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.) from September 22nd to October 6th, 2020.

Nomination forms may be obtained at the following location:

Town of Balgonie Municipal Office at D- 129 Railway Street East, Balgonie, Saskatchewan. Dated this 10th day of September, 2020.

Karen Craigie, Returning Officer

Deborah Lane, Nomination Officer

Kari-Ann Prevost, Nomination Officer

Heidi Berlin, Nomination Officer

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

School is back in session in Balgonie this fall. As the young people are back in Town, so too are some challenges for our local residents, school administration and law enforcement. There have been reports of:

- Driving offences.
- Littering.
- Large groups of students congregating.
- Blocking traffic in the community.
- Parking in "residential only" parking areas during the day.
- Fights and large groups of spectators.

The Town of Balgonie, Greenall High School, the White Butte RCMP and the Community Safety Officers are working together to address the reports that community members have reported. There will be times that incidents are witnessed by community members and it would be extremely helpful for witnesses to come forward with specific information to assist in issuing tickets or the application of disciplinary action on the individuals from the school.

Complaints regarding driving infractions, illegal activities, etc. should be reported to the RCMP at the White Butte Detachment (306-781-5050) with as much information as possible. If the incident involves a student's behaviour during the school day, the report should also be made to the Greenall High School (306-771-2566) to follow up.

The report from a community member should include as many of the following details as possible. Your name and contact information will also be required for any follow up. Your involvement in the reporting process will help to make Balgonie a safer place. Prepare your report to the RCMP and school by answering these questions:

- Description of the incident: What happened?
- Where did it happen?
- Date and time of the incident.
- Description (or names) of the person (s) involved.
- Description of the vehicle? Make/Model/Color/specific identifiers/License plate #.
- Pictures/videos? If you have any evidence to send, ask for contact address to do so.

To report situations where an individual or business is suspected of being in non-compliance with Public Health Orders, use the following online form. You must provide your full name and number. Anonymous reports will not be addressed.

https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/health-care-administration-and-provider-resources/treatment-procedures-and-guidelines/emerging-public-health-issues/2019-novel-coronavirus/public-health-measures/public-health-orders/non-compliance-reporting-form

INCIDENT REPORT

Date of incident:	
(dd/mm/yyyy)	
Name of person reporting the incident:	
Phone:Em	ail:
Address:	
Description:	
Description of persons involved:	
Vehicle Make:	
Model:	-
Color:	-
License Plate:	_
Other:	_
Do you have video or pictures to support the report? Yes No	
Have you reported this to the RCMP? Yes No	
Have you reported this to Greenall High School? Yes No	

ELECTRONIC PAYMENTS

Tax and Utility bills may be paid electronically through your online banking service. Please use Town of Balgonie Taxes, for your tax account, or Town of Balgonie Utilities, for your water bills.

DO NOT USE BALGONIE WATER — this payee is a previous business and NOT associated with the Town Office. Please contact our office at 306-771-2284 to obtain your correct account number. Please allow

2-3 business days before any due date so that your payment is receipted by our office prior to any penalties that may apply.

EMAIL NOTIFICATIONS

To help reduce our carbon footprint, and reduce costs, we offer electronic bill notifications for taxes and utilities. Instead of receiving a paper bill in the mail, you can receive them to your email address. If you sign up for this service, we are also able to email you a copy of your payment receipts. Please call or email our office to sign up for this quick and easy service!

306-771-2284 or townofbalgonie@sasktel.net



Balgonie Facebook Page

For updates on what is happening around town,
check out our Facebook page at:
https://www.facebook.com/Balgonies-Talk-of-the-Town



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 are considered to be a nuisance by the Town of Balgonie Bylaws.

Balgonie Public Library Branch

October Calendar



Limited Number of Patrons

At this time, there is a limited number of patrons allowed in the library. The limit is 5 patrons or one family.

Returns

All returned items are being quarantined for 3 days before being checked in. No fines will be added to your account for overdue items.

Paying Charges

We are only accepting payments on accounts that have more than \$10 of charges at this time. Library accounts need only to be under \$10 to be fully functional.

Feeling Sick? Please stay home

We love having our patrons back, but for your safety and ours, please stay home if you are feeling sick. For more information about self-assessment. visit www.saskatchewan.ca

Questions?

Find answers about why we're doing what we're doing and much more at: www.southeastlibrary.ca/reopen

Code & Go Robot Mouse

This fun little mouse is an introduction to coding! Fun obstacle courses and actions will help the little mouse reach its cheese!



Available Tuesdays from 3:30 - 8:00 and Saturdays from 10:00 - 1:30. Only one family can access it on each day, so please call ahead to ensure it is available.

We're on YouTube!

Did you know that Southeast Regional Library is on YouTube? Libraries from all over the region post videos about crafts, on-line story hour & much more.

Craft in Bag

There are lots of crafts ready to go. Please stop by and pick one up for your little one (s) to do at home!



Closures

The library will be closed on Monday, October 12th for Thanksgiving.

Open Hours

Monday	3:30 – 7:00
Tuesday	3:30 - 8:00
Wednesday	9:00 – 1:30
Thursday	3:30 - 8:00
Friday	1:00 - 5:30
Saturday	10:00 – 1:30

balgonie@southeastlibrary.ca

306.771.2332



🔟 Balgonie Public Library Branch, Southeast Regional Library



balgonielibrary

COVID-19

The Town of Balgonie would like to remind residents to please stay home if you are experiencing any of the following symptoms:

Fever Cough

Muscle and/or joint aches and pains Chills

Headache Sore throat

Runny nose Nasal congestion

Conjunctivitis Dizziness

Fatigue Nausea/vomiting

Loss of appetite (difficulty feeding for children) Diarrhea

Loss of sense of taste or smell Shortness of breath

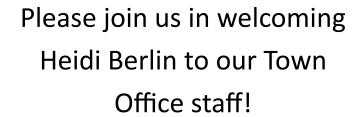
Difficulty breathing

We are more than happy to help you over the phone (306-771-2284) or through e-mail (townofbalgonie@sasktel.net) if you are unable to visit us in person.

Amouncements

Congratulations to

Denie & Kayleigh Burski on
the arrival of Brihanna's
little brother, Rykr!







Proud parents Derek & Amber Larsen are happy to announce the birth of their son Brady Michael Larsen, born June 7th, 2020. He is welcomed by his big sister Evan, proud Grandparents Rick & Barbara Laverdiere, Ivan & Judy Larsen and Great Grandparents Mansel & Joyce Laverdiere.



THANK YOU COUNCILLOR WAGNER!

Councillor Glenn Wagner has served on Town Council since 2003 and recently announced that he will not be seeking re-election in 2020. Glenn has been a valuable member with Balgonie's local government over the past 17 years, and will be greatly missed.

The Town wishes to extend our appreciation to Councillor Wagner for his commitment, dedication and enthusiasm to our community.

Good luck in all of your future endeavours Glenn!

Newsletter Information

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

Prices for advertising a business:

\$10—Business card size \$60—Half page ad \$30—1/9thpage ad \$120—Full page ad

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

Before the 20th of each month, please send your information to: balgonienewsletter@sasktel.net

Pleasant Property Developments Inc.

Is pleased to offer lots for sale in our new development area. Municipal tax exemptions are available for up to 3 years on new residential developments.

Jason: 306-530-0222 or Norm: 306-539-6547



Recreation News

By Shaun McBain

The 2020 Dinner Theatre will not take place this year due to the Covid-19 pandemic. We sure hope to be back for November 2021.

The Balgonie Arena is open now, below is a clip and save for your use. Please follow the rules upon entry of the facility and sign-in and sanitize your hands. If anyone is looking to do any advertising in the facility, please contact me at (306) 771-4343.

The Curling Rink is scheduled to open at the end of October, unless something unforeseen happens.

Dance has started for the 2020-2021 season. If interested in signing up, please call Kelly at (306) 531-6024.

Ball season has come to an end. Thank you to all coaches who were able to help out this year.

REMEMBER TO SOCIAL DISTANCE AND WASH YOUR HANDS!



CLIP AND SAVE......

PUBLIC SKATING AND STICK & PUCK / RING TIMES FOR 2020-21 SEASON

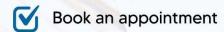
Public Skating timesStick and PuckTuesday3:30—4:45 p.m.Monday3:30

Tuesday 3:30—4:45 p.m. Monday 3:30—4:45 p.m. Thursday 3:30—4:45 p.m. Wednesday 3:30—4:45 p.m. Sunday 12:30—1:45 p.m. Friday 3:30—4:45 p.m.



Plan Ahead

Flu Shots Are Different This Year



Maintain physical distance

Wear a mask

Practice safe hand hygiene

Prior to your appointment check for symptoms of COVID-19



White Butte Pharmacy

Pilot Butte 306 522-1212 Flu shots start October 19th

We encourage families to come together to help with social distance spacing and time management.

There will be some evening appointments available.

A Message from the RM of Edenwold



Elections

- Nominations for Reeve and councillors for Divisions 1, 3, 5, and 7 will be accepted until October 7th, 2020 4:00 p.m. Nomination forms are available at the RM Office or on our website - www.rmedenwold.ca.
- The three candidates nominated in anticipation of the April by-election for Division 4 will stand as the election was postponed due to COVID-19.
- Election day (including the Division 4 by-election) is November 9th, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. Voting will take place at the Municipal Office at 100 Hutchence Road in Emerald Park.
- Advance polling will take place on October 31st, 2020 from 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., also at the Municipal Office.

Not sure which division you're in?

Your division is shown on the bottom right-hand corner of your tax notice under "Voting Division". If you are unclear about which division you are eligible to vote for, please call the office: 306-771-2522.

New for 2020: Some voters that used to be in Division 3 (Emerald Park) will now be in the recently added Division 7.

Household Hazardous Waste Day

The RM and the Town of Pilot Butte have teamed up to offer our residents an opportunity to safely dispose of household hazard waste items on

Saturday, October 17th 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. RM Office at 100 Hutchence Road, Emerald Park

Please bring proof of residency.

Acceptable items include household cleaners, cosmetics, medications, batteries, motor oil, and lightbulbs.

Unacceptable items include electronics, explosives, radioactive materials, biohazards, and needles.



Fall Clean Up Bins - October 10th to 25th

Fall clean up compost bins will once again be available to RM of Edenwold residents. The bins will be located south of the RM office on Hutchence Road in Emerald Park.

Only organic materials are accepted. Please do not put garbage in the compost bins. Materials must be deposited in compostable bags. If materials are brought in garbage bags, the bags must be emptied into the bins.

Acceptable Materials:

- Branches and leaves (excluding elm)
- Grass clippings
- Sod
- Garden waste (flowers and vegetables)
- Chopped logs and stumps

Unacceptable Materials:

- Any refuse or garbage
- Sand, gravel or rocks
- Elm tree

branches/leaves/logs/stumps

- Meat or kitchen food waste
- Pet waste



306-771-2522 rm158@sasktel.net www.rmedenwold.ca







TRANSFER STATION

The TRANSFER STATION is electronically set up and monitored, to provide our town residents with accessibility day or night. The Town of Balgonie offers services on site at the TRANSFER STATION, but has the added responsibility to ensure that environmental regulations are followed. Municipalities can be fined for burning unapproved items and not disposing of items in the manner set forth by the Provincial Ministry of Environment and the *Provincial Clean Air Act*.

Items are continually being left at the TRANSFER STATION which are not permitted, even though the areas are clearly marked. **IF THERE IS NO BIN, DO NOT LEAVE <u>ANY</u> ITEMS WHERE THE BIN IS NORMALLY LOCATED.** The red bins are available on the first (1st) and third (3rd) Friday of every month. There is no specific time as to when the bin will arrive on those days. Individuals who leave items which are not permitted will be fined up to \$500.00, and will have their transfer station card suspended. The card holder will be held accountable for all occurrences at the Transfer Station whether they accessed the transfer station themselves or lent their card out.

Items that may be left at the TRANSFER STATION in their designated areas:

- Scrap metal—Freon removed from fridge/freezers.
- Tree branches—Absolutely <u>NO</u> treated or painted wood.
- Compostable materials—Bags or boxes containing items not to be left in compostable area.
- Oil recycling station—Oil in its spot, and a place to leave the jugs.

YOU MAY NOT LEAVE THE FOLLOWING AT THE TRANSFER STATION:

Microwaves	Propane tanks	Plastics	Televisions
Gyproc	Batteries	Shingles	Computer equipment
Tires	Cement	Toilets	Fiberglass insulation
Couches	Mattresses	Painted wood	Flat glass-window panes
Chairs	Windshields	Paint cans	Pressure treated wood

These items must be taken to the Regina Landfill site. Although a bin may be available, some of these items take up the entirety of the bin, making it unusable for other residents.

Key cards that are lost should be reported to our office immediately. They will be removed from the system and a new card, if requested, will be provided to your residence at a cost of \$40.00. If you are moving, we request that the card be left in a visible place for the new residents. The card is associated with the physical address of your home.

Compost pick-up is every Monday until the end of October. Please have your green bin to the curb by 7:00 a.m.

Garbage Pick up	Recycle Pick up
September 29, 2020	October 6, 2020
October 13, 2020	October 20, 2020
October 27, 2020	November 3, 2020
November 10, 2020	November 17, 2020
November 24, 2020	December 1, 2020
December 8, 2020	December 15, 2020
December 22, 2020	December 29, 2020

NOTE: Starting Monday, November 2nd, compost will be picked up the first Monday of every month.

Balgonie Dance & Twirl 2020-2021 Seazon

Did you miss registration? Questions?
Please e-mail balgoniedancetwirl@gmail.com





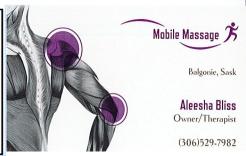


Mom's Pantry will again be sold in October by Balgonie Dance & Twist. It will be delivered the first week in December, just in time for Christmas!

Please see a local dancer and support our club!



Brian Wirll's Small Engine
& Tool Repair
Call 306-539-0649
256 King Street Balgonie
We fix lawn mowers, snow blowers, chain saws, rototillers and small power tools.



Balgonie United Church

Worship and Sunday School begins at 11:00 a.m.

Everyone is invited to our monthly breakfast the last Sunday of each month.

Call 306-771-4303



St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

Saturday Evening at 7:00 p.m. Sunday Morning at 10:30 a.m.

Come join in our celebrations with Pastor Fr. Chinh.

https://stjosephbalgonie.ca 306-771-2387 or contact us at stjoseph1@sasktel.net

Balgonie Baptist Church



Jesus came to give us hope and a future!

Connect with us on Sunday morning as we seek to discover meaning and purpose in life through a relationship with Jesus Christ.

You are invited to join our livestream service - www.balgoniebaptist.org

(306) 771-2545 office@balgoniebaptist.org 102 Griffin Road West, Balgonie

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

We are now meeting every second Sunday at 11:15 a.m. The next service will be on October 11th, 2020.

Contact Information:

St. Paul's - Janet 306-771-2989

St. John's is no longer holding services.





To Report burnt out street lights, please contact SaskPower

You can call 1-888-757-6937 or go online to http://www.saskpower.com





- · New & Used Grain Bins
- Hopper Cones
- · Wood Floors
- Grain Bin Moving
- · Lid Openers
- Anchoring

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

Lisa Yanko CPA, CMA

INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL ADVISOR, CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANT

> Personal & Business Solutions Life Insurance Travel Insurance RRSP's & TFSA's **Debt Solutions**

Bankruptcy & Consumer Proposals Health & Dental Plans ebs@accesscomm.ca

306-771-1222

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

- ≯ Full salon services including eyebrow waxing and tinting
- One block east of Main Street
- Schwarzkopf Color

Call today for your appointment!

Cross Country Foods

Balgonie's Neighbourhood Grocery Store

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

LIQUOR & WINE VENDOR

LOTTERY TICKETS

FRESH BAKED GOODS CONFECTIONERY POSTAL OUTLET

MEAT & DELI GARDEN CENTRE (sea



109 South Railway Street (Corner of Main & Railway Street) Balgonie, SK

Phone: 306-771-2037 Postal: 306-771-2035

Weekdays: 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Sundays: 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Holidays: 11:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m



Suite E-129 Railways Street E 306-771-2858

Come check us out for the latest in hair design featuring...

Cuts, color, Deep Treatments, Styles, Waxing and of course... You will always leave with a great big smile to compliment your great hair!



Call us for all of your insurance and licensing needs!

Balgonie Agencies Ltd.

We are your local agent for





Insurance Broker / SGI Licence Issuer 129 Railway Street ph: 306-771-2243 fax: 306-771-2251 balgonie.agencies@sasktel.net www.balgonieagencies.ca



Project Plumbing & Heating

Landon Winter

Owner/Journeyman Licensed Gas fitter

306.530.6390

- . Plumbing
- . Service
- . Heating
- Renovations Maintenance
- Air conditioning . Gas
- Furnace, Water Heater, & A/C replacements

projectplumbingheating@gmail.com PO Box 1012, Balgonie, SK S0G 0E0



Plumbing, Heating, Cooling, Gas Fitting, Sheet Metal



SALES - SERVICE - INSTALLATIONS - REPAIRS

RESIDENTIAL & COMMERCIAL SaskEnergy Network Membe

★ Furnaces

★ Water Heaters

* Boilers

- **★** Fireplaces Air Conditioners
 - **★ Plumbing**
 - Repairs
 - **★** Furnace Filters
 - * Unit Heaters
- ★ Radiant Tubes ★ In-Slab Heat
- **★** Water Treatment

306-550-3319

Terry Dovell, Owner/Operator EMAIL: armour@sasktel.net www.armourmechanical.ca



202 Griffin Road West

Balgonie, Sask.

306-771-4271

TUNE-UPS, BRAKES, SUSPENSION

TIRES, A/C & HEATING

OIL CHANGES, BATTERIES

WHEEL ALIGNMENTS

ALL YOUR MECHANICAL NEEDS

We now sell Green Mountain Grill BBQ/Smokers and Wood Pellets

LIKE us on Facebook "NOW OFFERING"

LIGHT DUTY SAFETY INSPECTIONS

CALL AND BOOK YOUR APPOINTMENT TODAY