## Balgonie's Talk of the Town



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### **Mailing and Civic Address:**

PO Box 310, D-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 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

## Paying Tax & Utility Bills On-line

Utility bills may be paid through your online banking service. Please use **Balgonie (Town of) Taxes** for your taxes and **Balgonie (Town of) Utilities** for your water/sewer bills.

If you are unsure of your account number, please contact the Town Office to obtain your account number.



When making an on-line payment, allow 2-3 business days before any due date so that your payment is receipted prior to any penalties being applied to your account.

If you'd like to receive your utility and taxes notices by e-mail, please fill out an <a href="Email Consent Form"><u>Email Consent Form</u></a> on-line.

# Newsletter E-mail Subscription!

Sign up to receive a link to the Talk of the Town newsletter every month!

Go to: <a href="https://www.townofbalgonie.ca">www.townofbalgonie.ca</a> to sign up for the Talk of the Town! You will receive an e-mail when it's available!

Paper copies will be available at the Town Office, Post Office and Library.

If you'd like to receive a paper copy in the mail, please call us at 306.771.2284 to get added to our mailing list.



## **Plastiq Payments**

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How to pay with Plastiq:

- 1. Go to www.townofbalgonie.ca
- 2. Scroll down to the right hand side of the screen.
- 3. Sign up—create a free account, add who you are paying, and enter your card info.
- 4. Plastiq will process your payment and the funds will be transferred to the Town of Balgonie.

The fees associated with Plastig are as follows:

- Standard credit card rate 2.9%
- Debit cards are discounted to 1%

Vehicles are not to be parked on the street for more than 24 hours except on 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.

Please do not park campers or trailers on the street! This causes difficulties for other drivers, blocks sight lines and can be dangerous for pedestrians and cyclists.

## **Town Council Meetings**

Town Council meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month (if the date falls on a stat or a day



off in lieu, it is moved to the day afterwards). Meetings are open to the public and requests to address Council as a delegation may be made in writing to the Town Administrator

(townofbalgonie@sasktel.net). The meetings start at 6:15 p.m. and are held in Council Chambers at D-129 Railway Street East.

With cellular phones replacing land lines, we graciously ask that you contact our office with your updated contact information.



There are times throughout the year where we require the ability to contact households, and do not have a means of doing so.

Please call us at 306.771.2284 or email townofbalgonie@sasktel.net. The information is intended for office use only. Thank you for your assistance!

Where did our summer go? It feels like the kids were just getting out of school for their summer break! With saying that, I am sure some parents are happy school has begun again for another year. Watch for details in the newsletter for registration for indoor soccer, dance, rhythmic gymnastics, taekwon-do and ringette.

The Balgonie Dinner Theatre is fast approaching. The dates are November 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> and November 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>. The box office will be held at the Multiplex on Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 am. This year, Tumbleweed will be performing "THE ONE-ACT PLAY THAT GOES WRONG." This year's production will be directed by Michelle Laing. You will be getting a phone call in hopes that you can donate a food item. The drama club has already begun rehearsing for this year's production.

Please return your Sask Lotteries Grant forms to the Town Office by September 8th, 2023.

The pool is now closed for the season. We have enjoyed ok weather this summer and the pool did well! A BIG THANK YOU goes out to all board members and lifeguards. You all did a BANG up job!

The Balgonie arena will be in full swing September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023. The curling rink will be open near the third week of October.

## September 30<sup>th</sup> - National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

This day honours the victims who never made it home and celebrates the survivors of residential schools, their



families and communities. It is a day to commemorate the tragic and painful history and ongoing impacts of residential schools. A day to take part in services or ceremonies and to educate yourself on the history of residential schools.

The Town of Balgonie Council passed a resolution at their August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Council Meeting to close the office to honour the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.

The Town Office will be closed on Friday, September 29<sup>th</sup> in lieu. Should you require emergency assistance please contact this number 306-535-4235. Our regular office hours will resume on Monday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>.

You may have noticed there have been numerous trees removed around town. This is due to Dutch Elm Disease. To help prevent Dutch Elm Disease:

- Keep your elm trees healthy;
- Abide by the Provincial ban on pruning elm trees from April 1<sup>st</sup> to August 31<sup>st</sup>;
- If you see signs of the disease, report them to the Town Office;
- Don't buy, sell, store, transport or use elm firewood; and
- Remove and dispose of disease-infected trees promptly and properly.

It's illegal to transport, store or buy elm firewood. Firewood is one of the largest spreaders of Dutch Elm Disease; elm bark beetles on infected firewood hitch a free ride with unsuspecting campers and homeowners, spreading the disease.

- Don't transport firewood when camping;
- Avoid elm when cutting or buying firewood; and
- Don't store pruned elm wood to burn in a fireplace later.

If you have elm wood that needs disposing of, please take it to the Transfer Station and place it in the tree pile.

## Advertising in the Talk of the Town

All information must be received by the 20th of each month in order for it to be included in the following issue of the Talk of the Town.

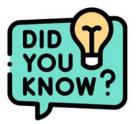


## Monthly prices for advertising a business:

Business Card Advertisement Half Page Advertisement \$8 \$60 1/9 Page Advertisement \$25 Full Page Advertisement \$120

\* all prices include GST \*

Local programs and announcements are not charged; however, you must have a Balgonie post office box. Please send all items to: balgonienewsletter@sasktel.net



The Town of Balgonie has been working hard this summer to encourage home owners to keep Balgonie beautiful by bringing their yards up to community standards. Things such as overgrown grass and/or weeds, unregistered/junked vehicles and untidy/unsightly yards all fall under the Town's Nuisance Abatement Bylaw. A safe and

attractive community is important to our Town, and we appreciate residents' efforts in keeping Balgonie tidy and well maintained.



The Town of Balgonie is looking for groups or individuals to tend the Multiplex bar at functions such as weddings, anniversaries, etc. The payment is \$400/event starting in January 2024.

Must have Serve it Right Saskatchewan (SIRS) Certification.

If interested, contact the Town of Balgonie at 306-771-2284 or townofbalgonie@sasktel.net.

### **Back to School!**

Kids are back to school on Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup>. This means our community and school zones will be busier. Please slow down to 30 km/hour, as indicated by the School Zone signs, and watch for kids crossing.



#### **School Bus Safety**

School bus drivers have a difficult job. There are plenty of distractions inside the bus. Knowing this, you should make extra allowances, and be aware of the possibility that the bus driver may not see you or your signals. Rear-end collisions are the most frequent type of crash involving school buses and are usually caused by another driver failing to stop while the bus is loading or unloading passengers.

When approaching a school bus, if you see amber flashing lights, slow down and proceed with caution. If the red flashing lights are activated, you must come to a complete stop. If you're approaching the bus from the opposite direction on an undivided highway, you must also stop. The single greatest threat to the safety of children who ride school buses is motorists who pass the bus when children are loading and unloading.

When approaching a bus that has its stop arm out and its red flashing lights activated, as a driver:

- You must stop no closer than 5 m (15 ft) from the front or back of the bus.
- You must not advance your vehicle until the bus driver turns off the flashing red stop lamps and deactivates the stop arm.
- Before moving, check to see that all children have safely crossed the roadway.

Passing a school bus with red flashing lights is a serious offence and will result in a minimum fine of \$360.



The Town of Balgonie will be holding a By-Election for Mayor on October 25, 2023. The successful candidate will complete the remainder of the term of the vacancy in the Office of Mayor until the next General Municipal Election to be held on November 13, 2024.

The local government makes decisions regarding local matters and services that the Town provides. The Town Council sets the budget for services such as administration, protective services, public works, development, environment, recreation, water and sewer, etc.

If you are interested in running for Town Council, information can be found by following this link: <a href="https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/running-for-municipal-office">https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/running-for-municipal-office</a>

Candidate information packages are now available at the Town Office and on the Town's website. Nomination forms will need to be submitted no later than 4:00 p.m. on September 20, 2023.

#### You may run for the Office of Municipal Council if:

- You attain the full age of 18 years on or before Election Day;
- At the time you submit your nomination papers, you are a Canadian Citizen and have resided in Balgonie for at least three consecutive months immediately preceding the date on which nomination papers are submitted and are in Saskatchewan for at least six months immediately preceding the date on which nomination papers are submitted; and
- Are not disqualified by The Local Government Election Act, 2015 or any other Act from holding the office for which you are a candidate.

#### You may not run for the office of Municipal Council if:

- You are a Judge of any Court;
- You are an Auditor or Solicitor of the Municipality.

If you or anyone you know is eligible to run for Town Council, please contact our staff at 306-771-2284 to obtain a candidate's package which obtains information about the role.

#### Mail-in Voting:

Bylaw 452/2023 permits residents to mail in their ballots. Anyone who is eligible to vote in the Town of Balgonie's Municipal Election may register to vote by mail in ballot. Form R and Form C are to be completed and sent to the Returning Officer at the Town of Balgonie Office (D-129 Railway Street East) prior to 4:00 p.m. on October 6, 2023. Eligible Voters in the Town of Balgonie are able to choose to register to vote in this manner. Mail-in Ballot kits will be provided prior to Election Day.



# FOR THE TOWN OF BALGONIE MUNICIPAL BY-ELECTION

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

### **Mayor: Town of Balgonie**

Will be received by the undersigned on the 20<sup>th</sup> of September, 2023 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 1<sup>st</sup> to September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

Nomination forms may be obtained at the following location:

Town of Balgonie Municipal Office, located at D-129 Railway Street East, Balgonie, Saskatchewan.

Dated this 31st day of August, 2023.

Karen Craigie, Returning Officer Deborah Lane, Nomination Officer Heidi Lang, Nomination Officer Kari-Ann Prevost, Nomination Officer April Giles, Nomination Officer



## Mail-in Voting:

Town Council has passed a Bylaw which will permit residents to mail in their ballots for the 2023 By-Election. Eligible voters will have the option to register to vote by Mail-in Ballot rather than vote in person at the Advance Polls or Election Day Polls.

If you are eligible to vote in the Municipal Election and wish to vote by this method, you may fill out *Form 'R'* and *Form 'C'*, and return it to the Returning Officer at the Town of Balgonie at 129 Railway Street prior to October 6, 2023 at 4:00 p.m.

The forms may also be returned by e-mail to <a href="mailto:townofbalgonie@sasktel.net">townofbalgonie@sasktel.net</a> or faxed to 306-771-2899.

Forms are available on the Town of Balgonie website, newsletter and are also available to voters at the Town Office.

Voters who register to vote by Mail-in Ballot will not be eligible to vote at the Election Day Poll or the Advance Poll. Mail-in Ballot kits will be provided to the registered voters prior to Election Day.

#### Instructions for Witnesses for Mail-In Voter Registration and Declaration

As the person who witnesses the voter's signature on the Voter's Registration and Declaration of Person Requesting Mail-in Ballot Form, you will need to review the applicant's identification and confirm that you are satisfied that the voter's identity has been established.

The voter applying for the mail-in ballot should produce:

- One piece of identification issued by the Government of Canada, the Government of Saskatchewan, a municipality or a government agency that contains a photograph of the applicant, the applicant's name and address and the applicant's signature; or
- One piece of identification issued by the Government of Canada, the Government
  of Saskatchewan, a municipality or a government agency that contains a
  photograph of the applicant voter and the applicant's name and signature, and a
  second piece of identification prescribed in the Regulations that contains the
  applicant's name and address.

As the Witness, you will need to provide your signature, first and last name, phone number and/or email address. Witnesses shall be 18 years of age or older.

Schedule B APPENDIX A FORM C

[Section 92 of the Act and clause 18(1)(a) of the Regulations]

## **Declaration of Person Requesting Mail-in ballot**

Declaration of Absentee Voter:	
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(Signature of Person Requesting Mail-in ballot)	(Phone Number or email address)
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Dated this day of	, 2023.
(Signature of Returning Officer or Person Authorized by Bylaw to	witness the Signature of a Person Requesting a Mail-in ballot)
(Name of Witness)	(Witness' Phone Number or email address)

## **SCHEDULE A**

Appendix C

FORM R [Subsections 96(2) and 121(2) of the Act]

## Voter's Registration Form and Poll Book – Mail-in Ballot

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Visit our website for details.



## Balgonie Pickleball Club

The Balgonie Pickleball Club will be starting the fall and winter indoor season on Thursday, September 7<sup>th</sup> at the Balgonie Elementary School. The sessions will run from 7:00 to 9:00 pm



and will run most Thursdays barring school holidays or special school events. We look forward to welcoming back all former members and extend an invitation to anyone who would be interested in trying out this popular activity. For new members there will be an orientation session and paddles will be provided. The club is open to ages 18 and up.

For any further information contact Monti at 306-771-4393 or Margaret 306-771-2242.

Hope to see you in September!



## Hoops, Ribbons, Balls!

Regina Rhythmic Gymnastic Club is offering a 30-week, non-competitive performance based program in Balgonie. This program is focused on fun and learning within a team environment. Gymnasts are guided through stretching, dance and rhythmic gymnastics body technique incorporating the use of apparatus in harmony to music. Our low fees include team photo and club t-shirt. Registration is open until September 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

## 2 classes are available on Tuesdays at Balgonie Elementary School:

Ages 4-5 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm

Ages 6-8 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm

More information and to register: www.reginarhythmicgymnasticclub.com

### **WELCOME BACK WOLVERINES!**

We can't wait to see you on the first day of school!! September 5, 2023!

#### KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION 23/24

Contact the school at ecolewhitecityschool@pvsd.ca or 306-781-2115 if you have a child turning 5 by December 31, 2023.

Working Together For Success | Travaillons Ensemble Pour Réussir



Why did the M&M go to school?

Because they wanted to be a Smartie!!!

#### IMPORTANT DATES

Sep 5 First day of school!

Sep 30 Day for Truth & Reconciliation
Oct 9 Thanksgiving – school closed

Oct 23 Non-student day

Don't forget Wolverine Wednesdays!

Online: http://whitecity.pvsd.ca/Bclick the "SCC" menu

Phone: 306-781-2115

ÉWCSCC on Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/EWCSCC



## Buffalo Plains ITF Taekwon-Do



Fall 2023 Registration!!



September 11<sup>th</sup> &13<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 - 7:30 pm @ Balgonie Elementary School. Suitable For Your Entire Family!

#### For more information.....

Email: bp.iff.tkd.club@gmail.com Call: (306)525-0005

or come see us at registration!!



Classes Begin September 18<sup>th</sup> @ Balgonie Elementary School







INTERNATIONAL TAEKWON-DO FEDERATION

**Head Instructor:** 

Ms. Chelsea Stone-6th Degree

Certified International Instructor,
19x National Champion & National Team Member
Former Head Coach for Team Canada

#### Assistant Instructors:

Mr. Pederson - 2nd Degree Former National Team Member

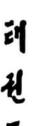
Mr. Kopeck - 1st Degree

Ms. Pintiliciuc - 2nd Degree

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Mondays and Wednesdays:

Beginners 6:00-7:00 Advanced 7:00 - 8:00 Black Belts 8:00 - 8:30



## 2023/24 Indoor Soccer Registration!

Indoor Soccer Registration is still open, extended until September 10<sup>th</sup>. Please visit our website to register: <a href="www.balgoniesoccer.com">www.balgoniesoccer.com</a>. The season will run from October to March and games are played on Saturday.

As always we are calling on our wonderful parent helpers to volunteer to coach and assist with the teams. Please register as a coach or parent helper so we can form teams.

We are in need of referees. If we want to host games in Balgonie we need some refs! This is a paid position and training is mandatory. We are waiting to hear the training date so please register right away so you don't miss the training.

If you are looking for a volunteer opportunity, come join the soccer board, we are always looking for new ideas and extra help.





# Balgonie Dance & Twirl

## **Registration is now OPEN!**

We offer many different types of dance: ballet, tap, jazz, lyrical, musical theater, hip hop and more! Final classes are based on registration numbers and teacher availability.



Ages 3 to 100 are welcome!



## Fees are due September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Classes are held Monday and Wednesdays at the Balgonie Multiplex, September to April!

If you have any questions or inquiries please reach as at: <a href="mailto:balgoniedancetwirl@gmail.com">balgoniedancetwirl@gmail.com</a> or find us on Facebook



September marks another exciting season of dance for **Balgonie Dance & Twirl**, we are excited for another season of dance to begin in our community!

As with any community organization we need your help! Please watch for our fall fundraisers that will be coming soon. Our dancers and their families will sell Mom's Pantry and Ice Melt again.

If you are interested in purchasing either product or better yet both, please reach out to your dancers directly to place your order or email the club directly to place your order: <a href="mailto:balgoniedancetwirl@gmail.com">balgoniedancetwirl@gmail.com</a>

## September 2023



## Balgonie Public Library Program & Events Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3	4 Closed for Labour Day	5	6 Preschool Story Time 10:00 AM	7.	8 International Literacy Day	9
10	Lego Stem Club 3:45 PM	12	13 Mom & Tot 10:00 AM	14	15	16
STAFF TRAINING	18 Closed for Staff Training	19	20 Preschool Story Time 10:00 AM	21	22 Culture Days Begins	hello* FALL
24	25 Lego Stem Club 3:45 PM	26	27 Mom & Tot I 0:00 AM / Cover to Cover Book Club – 7:00 PM	28	29	30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation





September 6th, 13th. 20th and 27th.

#### Cover to Cover Book Club

Good reads. Good conversation. Join us!

We will be reading Killers of the Flower Moon by David Grann. A true-life murder mystery about one of the most monstrous crimes in American history. Pick up a copy starting September 5<sup>th</sup> then join us on September 27<sup>th</sup> to discuss!



## **Lego STEM Club**

Join Katrina for a new Lego challenge every Monday from 3:45 – 4:45 pm!

\* Lego Club is geared for kids ages 5-12. We ask that kids under 7 be accompanied by an adult.



### **Library Hours**

Monday 2:30 - 7:00
Tuesday 2:30 - 7:00
Wednesday 9:00 - 12:30
1:00 - 5:00
Thursday 2:30 - 7:00

Friday 1:00 – 5:00

For more information on programs, call 306.771.2332



Can't visit us in person? Check out these great eResources, all FREE with your library card!



SILS App - Digital barcode, catalogue search, place holds, and more



Libby - eBooks, audiobooks, & magazines



Hoopla - Movies, music, TV shows, audiobooks, eBooks, & comics



AudioBookCloud -Stream audiobooks

TumbleBooks -



Interactive children's books Creativebug -Thousands of online



arts & craft classes
PressReader -



Newspapers & magazines



Kanopy - Stream movies via mobile devices & TVs

### St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church

Catechism Lessons & Sacrament Preparation for School-Aged Children

Classes held Sunday mornings at 9:15 a.m.

(Prior to the 10:30 a.m. mass)

Please register prior to September 24

First lesson is on October 1st, 2023

For more information, contact:

St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church: stjoseph1@sasktel.net or 306-771-2387

Bill Rieger: st.j.catechism.balgonie@gmail.com or 306-539-8781

## Cribbage Tournaments



Cribbage tournaments will

be held at the 50+ Club every second Saturday, starting September 9<sup>th</sup>.

Please call Bart Eliasson at 306-771-0024 for more information or to register.

## 1st Balgonie Beaver, Cubs & Scouts Bottle Pick-up!



The Balgonie Beaver & Cubs are always looking for cans and bottles! If you have any recycling to pick-up, please call Larry at 306-771-7830.

## Thank you, thank you, thank you!

On July 11<sup>th</sup>, my wife, Myrna, fell while watering flowers. As I was about to attempt to help her, I noticed a passing motorhome stop, backup and two men observing our situation. They came over and asked if they could assist. I was most grateful as I was not certain I could have aided Myrna myself. Myrna said she was ok (which turned out to be a bit of a stretch) and so they helped her stand up. One fellow seemed to lead as to how they do this in a safe manner (I know, I could not have done it as well by myself). Only after Myrna insisting she was fine, did they leave. In the pressure of the moment, I am not sure that I have the presence of mind to even acknowledge or thank them for their kindness (Myrna thinks she did).

Too often in today's busy life, we do not recognize those who go out of their way to assist others who are in trouble. Both Myrna and I will not forget the actions of these two and we thank you so much! Additionally, kudos to Balgonie First Responders, EMS Personnel and Pasqua Hospital staff for fulfilling duties on our behalf.

August 8<sup>th</sup> update: Myrna is home after more than a week in hospital and is slowly regaining limited mobility and the pain of a cracked pelvis seems to be under control. Our goal is to be able to go for coffee visits in the near future.

- Don Lapchuk



## PUBLIC NOTICE TOWN OF BALGONIE

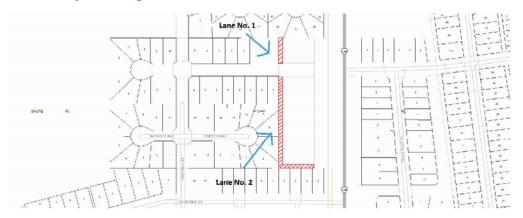
#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ADOPT BYLAW NO. 454/2023

Public notice is hereby given that the Council of the Town of Balgonie intends to adopt a bylaw, under *The Planning and Development Act*, 2007, to amend Bylaw No. 374/2014, known as the Zoning Bylaw.

#### INTENT:

The proposed bylaw will:

- Rezone the lane in Block 38, Plan 01RA26200 from R1-Residential District to CS-Community Service District. The land to be rezoned is identified as Lane No. 1 on the following map.
- Rezone the lane in Block 39, Plan 01RA26200 from R1-residential District to R2-Residential Multiple Dwelling District. The land to be rezoned is identified as Lane No. 2 on the following map.
- Add site development regulations for single-detached dwellings in the R2-Residential Multiple Dwelling District.



#### REASON FOR THE AMENDMENT:

The bylaw amendment will accommodate two proposed subdivisions. The subdivision of Block 38 will increase the site area for the existing fire hall. Block 39 will be subdivided into residential lots.

#### 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 September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 7:00 pm at the Town of Balgonie Council Chambers. 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 Municipal Office at 306-771-2284.

Issued at the Town of Balgonie, September 1st, 2023.

Signed: Karen Craigie, Administrator

## Balgonie's 50+ Club News

Located at 132 Queen Street

Greetings friends! We are looking forward to starting things up at the club again this month. Please mark your calendar for the following:

**Tuesday, September 5<sup>th</sup> - 7:00 pm** – Monthly meeting. We will begin our planning for the fall, exploring new program ideas and looking at the 2024 grant application suggestions.

**Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup> - 5:30 pm** – September dinner. This BRISKET dinner will be prepared and hosted by the Peterson, Beckett and Vollman families. Plan to attend and enjoy! This is our annual Garden Harvest Raffle evening. If you have garden items, preserves etc. that you wish to donate to the raffle, bring them along with you.



If you are new to Balgonie and are interested in joining our club, call Wendy at 306-541-8229 or Wayne at 306-545-9434.



## Finding Peace in a Chaotic World

On Sunday, September 24th

- Be welcomed by real people
- Be inspired by excellent worship
- Be challenged by a Biblical message
- Stay for a BBQ lunch

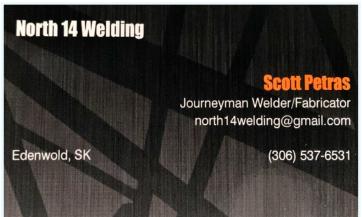


## Tumbleweed Theatre News

The Theatre Club is gearing up for the **2023 Dinner Theatre** – November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>. Mark those dates!

Our production this year is a zany farce – "*The One Act Play That Goes Wrong*", and will be directed by Michelle Laing.

The club is looking for new members to help with all aspects of production. For more information, call Wendy at 306-541-8229.





The Town of Balgonie, White Butte RCMP, Community Safety Officers and Greenall High School are working hard to keep our community a safe and inviting place to live and visit!

There will be times throughout the year that incidents are witnessed by the general public and we are urging the general public to report incidents to the Town Office by filling out the attached <u>Incident Report</u>. Specific information will be extremely helpful to assist in issuing tickets and/or the application of disciplinary action.

- Date and time of the incident
- Location of the incident
- Description of incident
- Description and/or names of persons involved
- Description of the vehicle (make/model/color/license plate #/other)
- Pictures and/or videos of the incident
- Name and contact information for any follow up

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



## **INCIDENT REPORT**

Date and time of incident:
Location of incident:
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Description of persons involved:
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Other:
Do you have video or pictures to support the report?
Yes No
Have you reported this to the RCMP?
Yes No
If this is a school related issue, have you reported this to Greenall High School?
Yes No
Name of person reporting the incident:
Phone: Email:
Address:

## **Important Contact Information**

CSO's and/or Town of Balgonie: 306-771-2284

White Butte RCMP: 306-781-5050 Greenall High School: 306-771-2566

# Municipal for Reeve By-Election only

October 25, 2023 to 8pm

Advance polls will take place at the RM office on:

October 16, 2023, from 9am to 6pm October 19, 2023 from 5pm to 8pm October 21, 2023 from 10am to 2pm Nominations for Reeve will be accepted between Thursday, August 31st to Wednesday, September 20, 2023 until 4 pm.





## **Art Classes & Events**

Register at www.pilotbuttearts.ca
If there are other classes that you would like to
have us organize, or if you teach classes,
please contact us at: pilotbuttearts@gmail.com



## Wind Swept Intermediate Quilt Top

Thursdays, Sept 14, 21, 28, Oct 5

6:30pm - 9:30pm Cost: \$58.50 Ages: Adult 18+

Available via Zoom as well



Tuesday, Sept 19, 2023

6:30pm - 8:30pm

Cost: \$36

Ages: Adult 18+

## Art Journaling & Collage

Tuesday, Sept 26, 2023

6:30pm - 9:30pm

Cost: \$27

Ages: Adult 18+

## Mindful Yarn Drawing

Thursday, October 12, 2023

6:30pm - 8:30pm

Cost: \$27 Ages: 12+

Not just for kids, adults will love this too!

#### **Gnome Themed Mixed Media Canvas**

Tuesday, October 3, 2023

7:00pm - 8:30pm

Cost: \$18 Ages: 6+













For more details and booking information, visit <u>www.pilotbuttearts.ca</u>
We're planning more classes and our Everything for Christmas sale!
Watch for more details soon!

Follow us on Instagram and Facebook!



Chilliwack Garden Club



Helen had her love of gardening rekindled once she said goodbye to her bookkeeping job and joined the Chilliwack Garden Club. Her first volunteer task with the club was to help clean out the storage closet, where she was introduced to a basket full of outdated, unique seeds. It started her on a journey of experimenting with unusual plants. Her background as an artist lends itself to creativity with plant choice and post-harvest uses.

## Wed. Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at 7:00 pm Ramada Emerald Park Everyone Welcome

\$5 Visitors Members Free

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









#### **IMPORTANT:**

## Carts must be out by 7a.m. on collection days

June 2023

September 2023

# 2023 Balgonie Collection Calendar Garbage ONLY Recycle ONLY Compost ONLY

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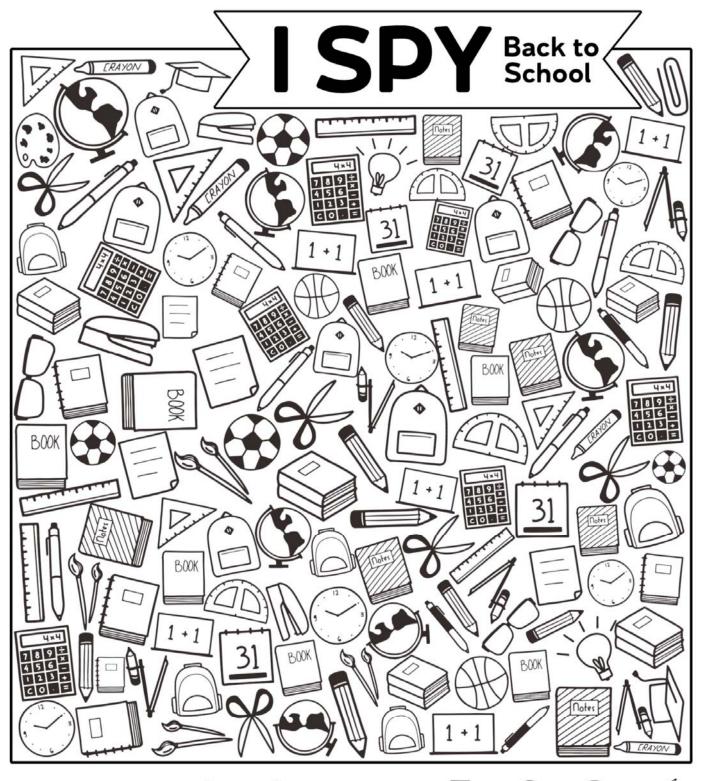
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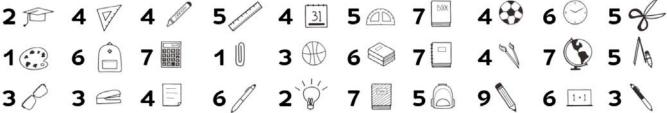
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## Recycling and Organics Do's and Don'ts







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## - TRANSFER STATION -

The Transfer Station is electronically set up and monitored to provide our Town residents with accessibility day and night. The Town of Balgonie offers on site services 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 properly disposing of items set forth by the Ministry of Environment and the *Clean Air Act*.

The card holder will be held accountable for all occurrences at the Transfer Station whether they accessed the Transfer Station themselves or provided their card to another individual in their household. Lending the card out to another residence in Town or anyone else is definitely NOT PERMITTED.

Transfer Station cards are initially provided to the "New" home owner at no charge. However, if a card is lost; it must be reported to the Town Office immediately to be disabled. The card will be removed from the system and a new card, if requested, will be provided at a cost of \$40.00.

The red Loraas Disposal bin is currently delivered on the first (1st) and third (3rd) Friday of every month. There is no specific time as to when the bin will arrive on these days. IF A RED BIN IS UNAVAILABLE, DO NOT LEAVE ANY ITEMS WHERE THE BIN IS NORMALLY LOCATED. Individuals who leave items which are not permitted will be fined up to \$500.00, and will have their Transfer Station card suspended. Additional fines may be levied by the Ministry for individuals dumping illegally.

Be courteous of others! Although the bin may be available, large items and multiple loads take up the entirety of the bin, making it unusable for other residents. If you have multiple large items, please take them to the Regina Landfill.

Home builders/developers are NOT permitted to use the red Loraas Disposal bin and are required to rent their own waste container bins.

#### Items that may be left at the Transfer Station in their designated areas:

- Scrap Metal
  - Propane tanks are accepted in the scrap metal pile
  - Please remove the Freon from fridges and freezers
- Tree Branch/Grass/Leaf Piles
  - Absolutely NO treated or painted wood
  - Grass and leaves must be UNBAGGED
- Compostable Materials
  - Bags or boxes containing compostable materials are NOT to be left in the compost area
- Oil Recycling Station
- Cement

#### Items that may NOT be left at the Transfer Station or in the red Loraas Disposal bin:

Tires and Shingles

#### Items you are encouraged to recycle at SARCAN:

- Beverage Containers, Batteries, Electronics, Household Paint and
- Non-Beverage Glass Containers (only accepted at Regina and Saskatoon SARCAN locations)

Items that are accepted or NOT accepted at the Transfer Station in Balgonie may be subject to change. Be sure to follow the current signage.

**IF YOU ARE MOVING** – You must **RETURN** the Transfer Station card back to the Town Office so we can provide it to the new home owners.

Thank you!

# Balgonie United Church

You are invited to join us for Worship and Sunday School at 11:00 a.m. every Sunday.

Located on Main Street Balgonie, SK 306-771-4303



# Balgonie Baptist Church

Join us on Sundays at 10:30 a.m. Corner of Main St & Griffin Rd. Balgonie, SK

Pastor: Shawn Cavers Phone: (306) 771-2545

eMail: office@balgoniebaptist.org Web: www.balgoniebaptist.org

It would be our privilege to pray for you prayer@balgoniebaptist.org

## St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church



Regular Mass Times at St. Joseph

Saturday evening 7:00 p.m.

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Sunday morning 10:30 a.m.

Office: 306.771.2387

Email: stjoseph1@sasktel.net

Website: <a href="https://stjosephbalgonie.ca">https://stjosephbalgonie.ca</a>

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