



## TALK OF THE TOWN

# IMPORTANT DATES

<b>June 30th—</b>	<b>Balgonie Family Street Dance</b>
<b>July 1st—</b>	<b>Canada Day Celebrations</b>
<b>July 6th—</b>	<b>PSMHA Annual Meeting 7:00 p.m.</b>
<b>July 11th—</b>	<b>Town Council Meeting 6:15 p.m.</b>
<b>July 18-22—</b>	<b>Baptist Church Camp 1:00-3:00 p.m.</b>
<b>August 1st—</b>	<b>Prairie Storm Online Registration Opens</b>
<b>August 8th &amp; 29th—</b>	<b>Town Council Meeting 6:15 p.m.</b>
<b>August 16th—</b>	<b>Richy Roy Balloon Show</b>



**Correction to baby  
announcement  
in June...  
Proud Grandparent  
was to say  
Lynn McCaig  
of Moose Jaw**





**Happy 60th Birthday Papa**

**Love:**

**Aiden, Dax, Sawyer & Nora**



Greenall High

School

is looking for  
a rehearsal

accompaniment for their

choir. Rehearsals are

Tuesday from 3:30-5:30.

For details, please

contact

Katlyn Redding at

[Kaytlyn.Redding@pvsd.ca](mailto:Kaytlyn.Redding@pvsd.ca)



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Emergency Number:

306-535-4235

## From the Town

### REGULAR OFFICE HOURS

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

Monday to Friday

### 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 received by our office before any penalties apply. The bank requires time to process the payment and advise 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 on your property are considered to be a “nuisance” by Town of Balgonie Bylaws.**

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

**Council meetings are scheduled for July 11th, 2016.**

# TAX NOTICES

Please note that Tax Notices have been mailed to property owners on June 23, 2016. Taxes are due on December 31/16. There is a 5% discount on the Municipal portion if received by our office prior to August 31, 2016. Payments can be made by cash, debit, cheque, or internet banking. CREDIT CARDS are NOT accepted. \*If you have not received your tax notice please contact our office as soon as possible.

Did you know the town has a new Facebook page.

This Facebook page is run through the town office.

For updates on what's happening in the community, checkout our page @

<https://www.facebook.com/Balgonies-Talk-of-the-Town>.



## Construction, Roads, Travel Times and Conditions

The Regina Bypass Project is currently in full swing. This has caused speed reductions, one lane traffic and some temporary lights at highway intersections. Understandably, this can cause confusion and tempers may flare as the work is proceeding.

This monumental project will be completed eventually – the difficulties of today will result in a safer and more efficient traffic corridor.

Things to keep in mind during this challenging period:

- ®Expect delays
- ®The reduced speeds are to prevent injuries to workers.
- ®If you must use a cell phone, use a hands free device.
- ®Pay attention for new signage and lights.
- ®Show respect for those working on the road.



Every day, thousands of road construction workers in our province are depending on you to drive responsibly and keep them safe in a construction zone.

These road construction workers do their part to keep you out of harm's way from heavy equipment and road hazards. However, they are vulnerable to passing traffic or distracted drivers. There is literally nothing between them and the thousands of pounds of steel in your vehicle. Please, do your part to keep them safe.

Everyone deserves to go home safely to their families and friends at the end of the day. Please slow down, stay alert and show respect for those making improvements to our roadways and infrastructure – for their sake, and yours.

**ROAD RAGE** is a term that has become popular to describe angry, hostile reactions when driving that are directed toward other drivers. Ranging from acts of true violence (such as using the automobile as a weapon or physically assaulting another driver) to aggressive tailgating and gesturing, road rage is on the rise all over the world.



Experts agree that crowding of roads and highways is one reason people resort to road rage. The construction of new roads has not kept pace with the number of cars, leaving today's drivers feeling more cramped than ever. The territorial nature of humans - to react defensively when we feel that our spaces have been invaded - certainly also plays a role. Finally, the anonymity and security of having a ton of steel between us and the outside world can embolden even the usually timid driver and remove the inhibitions one might normally feel about aggressive or inappropriate behavior.

Both victims and perpetrators of road rage are most likely to be young males, but road rage occurs across all ages and genders. It is most common in urban areas where overcrowding of roadways is greatest. Up to 90% of people report having been the victim of an aggressive act by another driver, and over half admit to having acted aggressively themselves.

If you are overcome with anger while driving, try to remain calm and regain control over your emotions. The following tips can help tame anger on the roadways:

1. Remember that safety is the number one concern for you, other drivers and/or pedestrians.
2. To control an angry, adrenaline-driven response, focus on your [breathing](#). Pay attention to each breath as it goes in and out and maintain a normal breathing rhythm.
3. Recognize that an aggressive driver is just unleashing his or her anger on the rest of the world and *not at you* specifically. Don't personalize the incident.
4. Keep in mind that, unless you are a police officer, it isn't your job to punish others for poor driving.
5. Accept the fact that mistakes occur. We all make them, and maybe what you perceived as an aggressive act was a simple mistake.
6. Refuse to allow another driver - someone you do not know and will probably never see again - to dictate your mood and determine the quality of your day.
7. If you feel out of control, find a safe place to pull over, stop and unwind. An angry or stressed-out driver is a potentially dangerous driver.

The 2015 Saskatchewan Driver's Handbook has the following suggestions for avoiding road rage situations.

- Don't cut off other drivers.
- Don't drive slowly in the left (fast) lane.
- Don't tailgate.
- Don't make gestures to other drivers.
- Use your horn for emergencies only.
- Avoid eye contact with an angry driver.
- Give an angry driver plenty of space.

**Medical Editor: Barbara K. Hecht, Ph.D. Reference: California Department of Motor Vehicles ([www.dmv.ca.gov](http://www.dmv.ca.gov))**

## PERSONNEL REQUIRED

The Administration Building requires a person to perform inside maintenance duties including:

- Lobby of building cleaned on a regular basis.
- Complete cleaning of Council Chambers after meetings and functions.
- Complete cleaning of library & library bathrooms on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays or Sundays.

For more information, please call:

(306) 771-2284 or (306) 771-2522

drop off resumes to the  
Town of Balgonie or the  
R.M. of Edenwold  
129 Railway St., Balgonie

Deadline - July 8/16

# July 1<sup>st</sup> Family Fun Day

**Balgonie, SK. Main Street**

Between Railway Avenue & Qu'Appelle Street

In the event of inclement weather, activities  
will be moved to the Stardome



**Pancake Breakfast** 8:30-10:30 a.m. at the Multiplex

**Parade** at Noon, route marked.

**Disney Theme** – Call 306-771-2324 to register float

**Bed Derby** 2:00-4:00 p.m.

(Register at breakfast and beer gardens. \$40/team, beds supplied)

**Scavenger Hunt**

(Register at breakfast and beer gardens)

**Family Free Swim** 1:00-9:00 p.m. Balgonie Swimming Pool

**Flyby** at Noon, pending conditions

**Food Vendors** 11:30a.m.-4:00p.m.

**Beer Gardens** 12:30-6:00p.m. at the Outdoor Rink (Main Street)

**Summer Fun Raffle**

**Encore Dog Show** 1:00-2:00p.m.

**Bricks 4 Kids & Face Painting** 1:00-3:30 p.m.

**Reopening of Heritage Place Centre**

Fireworks sponsored by the Balgonie Fire Department

**FIREWORKS @ 10:30p.m.** Balgonie Sports Grounds

Any questions, look for and Elk Member in a **PURPLE** shirt!

# Balgonie & Area Community Groups for Kids

## **SPORT – CULTURE - RECREATION**

**Fall 2016**

If you are an advisor, coach, or leader of a Balgonie & Area Community Group for kids please be encouraged to contact Balgonie Elementary School to be considered for inclusion in our fall Welcome Back to School BESC BBQ - BES Bobcats Open House & School & Community Activity Fair.



We will be hosting a parent and student evening gathering on Thursday September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016 (Supper 5:00 – 6:00 pm and Open House 6:00 – 7:00 pm). This gathering is the BESC BBQ & BES Bobcats Open House & School & Community Activity Fair.



Our intent is to enjoy a meal together and to have the opportunity for our students and parents to learn about the school and/or register for Balgonie and area school and community groups/clubs, sport, culture and recreational activities.

***Please contact the school via email with the following information:***

Type of Activity (CIRCLE THOSE THAT APPLY) :    **SPORT**    -    **CULTURE**    -    **RECREATION**

Club/Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Advisor/Coach/Leader/Organizer Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Info:**

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_





## **Balgonie United Church**

Time of Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School 11:00 a.m.

*If you would like a ride,  
please call by Friday: 771-4303*

### **Office Hours:**

1st Wednesday of the Month

6:30—8pm, remaining

Wednesdays 3-5pm

OR by Appointment with

Rev Bev Diduck 306-519-4481

The April breakfast will remain on  
the last Sunday of the month.



## **Balgonie Baptist Church**

We invite you to join us for  
Sunday Worship Service at 10:30 a.m.

For more information call the Church  
Office @ **306-771-2545.**



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- ▣ Lift Kits & Customizing
- ▣ Diagnostics & Scanning
- ▣ Tires



**Call 306-771-4271 to book  
an appointment !**



## 2016 BALGONIE WASTE & RECYCLING PICKUP DATES

**July 5**

Recycling

**July 12**

Garbage

**July 19**

Recycling

**July 26**

Garbage

## **BALGONIE SWIMMING POOL**

We will have a free swim on July 1, thanks to the Balgonie Elks. Also, thank you to the Balgonie Hounds for their generous donation.

### **POOL HOURS—The following is a list of pool hours:**

#### **July**

Monday -Wed- Friday 1:00 - 9:00

Tues-Thurs 1:00 - 8:00 (Lane Swim/Aquasize 8:00 - 9:00)

Saturday and Sunday 12:00 - 9:00

#### **August**

Monday –Wed - Friday 1:00 - 8:00

Tues-Thurs 1:00 - 7:00 (Lane Swim/Aquasize 7:00 - 8:00)

Saturday and Sunday 1:00 - 8:00

### **POOL PRICES**

Adult - \$5.00

Children (3-15) \$4.00

2 & under - free

Family Day Pass - \$12.00

### **FAMILY PASSES** Prices are as follows:

Family Pass \$150.00

Single Pass \$100.00

You may get them at the pool.

### **SWIMMING LESSONS**

For availability and information call the pool @ [771-2342](tel:771-2342)

### **LANE WORKOUT**

Lane Swim will be offered in July on Tues. from 8:00-9:00 PM and in August on Tues. from 7:00-8:00 PM.

### **AQUA-SIZE**

Aqua-size will be offered in July on Thurs from 8:00-9:00 PM and in August on Thurs from 7:00-8:00 PM.

You can call the pool @ 771-2342 for more information. Cost is \$3.00.

### **PRIVATE POOL PARTY**

If you are interested in booking the pool for your own private party you may call Penni @ [306-540-6530](tel:306-540-6530) or Linda @ [539-7316](tel:539-7316) to get information or book your party.

### **FACEBOOK**

If anyone has Facebook, look the Balgonie Swimming Pool up, as there are updates on it with pool closures, and special events.



### **JUST A REMINDER**

#### **Balgonie Swimming Pool Rules**

Please keep the following rules in mind to keep our pool safe and fun this summer:

-Anyone under the age of 10 must be accompanied by someone 12 years or older or no admittance.

-Anyone 6 years or under has to be within arms' reach of a caregiver.

-You must be able to swim 2 widths of the pool to be unaccompanied in the deep end.

#### **ZERO TOLERANCE**

**FOUL LANGUAGE OR DISRESPECT TO STAFF OR PATRONS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED AND YOU WILL BE ADVISED TO LEAVE.**

**PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL.**

Stop by the library and pick up a notebook to record and track your reading goals, collect stickers and discover more neat ways to make reading a fun part of your summer. You can also visit our website [tdsummerreadingclub.ca](http://tdsummerreadingclub.ca) for reading suggestions and other fun activities. Find out what other TD Summer Reading Club kids are up to across the country.



**Also coming August 16th Richy Roy with his Crazy Balloon Show!**

Our library has booked an Xbox One and a Lego kit. Build your own fighter plane and remote, these are for use in the library only. We have one for the month of July and the other for the month of August. Will post on Twitter and Facebook when they arrive.



## **St Joseph's Annual Golf Classic and Dinner**

Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus from Balgonie, Pilot Butte and District and St Joseph's CWL

Will be held August 19, 2016 at Aspen Links Golf Club Emerald Park at 12 noon.

Dinner, prize presentations and door prizes to follow at St Joseph's Church, Balgonie.

Everyone welcome! Enter a team or a single and enjoy the fun.

It's \$100.00 per golfer, golf cart and meal are included.

Or attend the dinner for only \$25.00

To register golfers or reserve dinner tickets for non golfers:

Contact James Siebert 306-771-2963

or Orville Corbin 306-771-2650



**AGES:  
5-13**

# Facts of Faith

Psalm 51:7

**SONGS STORIES PRIZES**

**Where:** Balgonie Baptist Church

102 Service Rd. Balgonie

**When:** July 18-22

**Time:** 1:00 - 3:00 pm

Phone: 1.800.561.5315

Website: [5dayclubs.com](http://5dayclubs.com)



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Registration is available online at  
[www.balgoniebaptist.org](http://www.balgoniebaptist.org) there is no cost to register.  
Questions concerning registration can be answered by  
email @ [VBS@balgoniebaptist.org](mailto:VBS@balgoniebaptist.org)

**Fr. Ed Hengen** and

**St. Joseph's Parish**, of Balgonie,  
would like to welcome you to come and worship with us.

**Mass times:**

**Saturday 7:00 p.m.**

**Sunday 10:30 a.m.**

For information please call 771-2387, email us at  
[st.jobal@sasktel.net](mailto:st.jobal@sasktel.net), or visit our website at  
[www.catholic-church.org/stjosephbalgonie](http://www.catholic-church.org/stjosephbalgonie)

***"For where two or three are gathered in my name,  
I am there among them."*** (Mt. 18:20)



## ELCIC Lutheran



### Churches

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Edenwold holds services every Sunday at 11:00 am.

St. John's Lutheran Church, on the Correction Line Road, holds services on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday every month at 9:30 am.

Contacts:

Garnet Mang at (306) 586-2855 for St. John's

Rodney Koch at (306) 771-4521 for St. Paul's

## **Division Boundary Realignment and the RM of Edenwold**

Council has provided a plan that would see a restructuring of the current six division boundaries beginning in 2016. These alterations will see Emerald Park become its own Division 3 in 2016 with another scheduled modification of divisional boundaries for 2018.

**Our goal in this:** for there to be a more equitable balance of representation by population amongst the divisional boundaries; as well as, recognizing the diversity and geographical area of the Municipality and the need for fair representation for all ratepayers of the Municipality.

As part of coming up with the well thought out plan, council members had discussions in chambers, one-on-one with ratepayers and hosted public meetings to get feedback to fully flush out the issues amongst ratepayers and council members.

We believe this final decision is in the very best interest of our ratepayers.

With Division 1, 3 and 5 up this year for election it was decided this was the perfect opportunity to adjust the east side of the Municipality and address the requests we have been receiving for a representative on Council for Emerald Park. Therefore the divisional boundary proposal is to divide Divisions 1, 3 and 5 into 2 divisions, namely Division 1 and 5 with Tp Rd 182 as the north/south division line (located one mile north of the Town of Balgonie and 1.5 miles North of the Town of Pilot Butte). Division 3 will become the new division for Emerald Park. Then in 2018 the proposal is that we will realign the west half of the Municipality by moving the Division 6 boundary south to Tp Rd 182 and Division 2 border north to Hwy #1 which will make the new Division 4 to be in between Hwy #1 and Tp Rd 182, Division 3 will also be realigned to include all of Aspen Village Drive. The phasing of the divisional boundary realignment will provide a balanced reconfiguration by ensuring there are always members of the current council at the table as the transition occurs from 2016 to 2018. Detailed descriptions with maps are located on our website [www.rmedenwold.ca](http://www.rmedenwold.ca)

### **Fast facts on Division boundaries and the RM:**

\* There are six divisions within the RM each represented by a councillor. The council is made up of six Councillors and one Reeve. This seven-person council was set up under the legal structure and framework provisions of *The Municipalities Act*.

\* Five council seat positions will be up for election on October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2016, namely Councillors for Divisions 1, 3, 4, 5 and the Reeve of the Municipality.

\* Any ratepayer within the RM can run for a council seat anywhere within the RM as long as they meet the requirements to be a qualified candidate. Ratepayers, who are eligible to vote, vote for the Councillor within their polling division. The voting process ensures you get to choose your representatives with the votes you cast.

\* The RM of Edenwold is currently represented by:

Division 1 – Grant Fahlman

Division 2 – Stan Capnerhurst

Division 3 – Craig Strudwick

Division 4 – Lorne Beer

Division 5 – Dwayne Radmacher

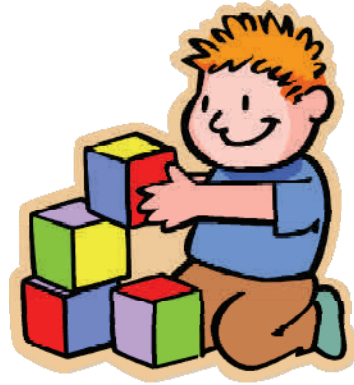
Division 6 – Tim Brodt

Reeve Mitchell Huber

\* All Councillors and the Reeve are aware of what is happening in each division within the RM and make informed decisions for the **entire** RM at the council table. Council meetings are held twice monthly. Council members also sit on various sub-committees and they make themselves available to ratepayers.

\* The Council works closely with their administration team of four people plus two planners, two community safety officers and a maintenance staff of fourteen, who all work to ensure services are delivered to ratepayers consistently, effectively and efficiently throughout the RM.

# BALGONIE PLAYSCHOOL



**Balgonie Playschool is accepting late registrations for the  
2016 - 2017 school year.**

**We have spots available in the following classes:**

**3 year olds -Tuesday Morning**

**4 year olds - Monday and Wednesday Morning**

**- Tuesday and Thursday Afternoon**

**Balgonie Playschool wishes to offer a Special Thank You to all of the Organizers, Volunteers, Attendees and Sponsors of Ladies Night 2016!**



Pure Indulgence	Licksapoloosa	Naomi Raye, Urban Hair Design	Bath Goddess
EYES on Hamilton	Elite Autobody	Pilot Butte Insurance	James & Shannon Foster
Michelle Schaffer	Cara Bubnick	Sara Metcalf Designs	Cool Things Promotions
Manda Bray	Charlene Tumack	Penni McAlpin	Amanda Diamond
Canada West Harvest	Fidelity Fitness	Shades of Bliss	Traveland RV
Balgonie Car Wash	Green Acres Golf Course	Kelsey Stewart	Sleep Inn, Emerald Park
Ryan & Amanda Case	Sandy Henderson	Tiffany Jones	Jessica Lovich
Olive Tasting Room	Brittany Schick	Casino Regina	B-Sparkled Handmade
Darcie Lozinski	Angela Arthur	April Christianson	Dairy Queen, Emerald Park
Hello Baby, Regina	Bronco's Pub & Grill	Cravings Bellini's Lounge	Cara Mellor
Laurel Golemba	Ashely Longworth	Reesha Krychuk	Lindsay Aldcorn
CorrGrain	The Ice House	Hot Shades	Subway, Balgonie
Megan Reichel	Riley Reichel	Andrea Moroz	Angyl Ravyn Photography
Cross Country Foods	Gunbarrel Consulting	Courtney Edwards	Cuts Outback
DM's Korner Store	Robin's Reflexology	Smokin' Oakies BBQ	Old Dutch Chips
Power Sports	Balgonie Agencies	MJ Deans-Benyham	Suzi Cinns, Emerald Park
White Butte Pharmacy	Eastside Pharmacy	Sadie Bug	Twilight Drive-In, Wolseley
Tanya Elkin			

**Your support is greatly appreciated!**





# Balgonie Playschool

## Support Our Fundraiser!

As a way to target the problem of lost belongings and a large lost and found closet, **Balgonie Playschool** is fundraising with **Mabel's Labels**, a company with all types of labels that are colourful, indestructible, easy-to-use and fun!

Iron-Ons, Stickies, Bag Tags, Allergy Alert labels & more! Personalize your labels with names, nicknames, initials - whatever you choose. Cool icons help even little ones identify their own belongings. Dishwasher, microwave, laundry & kid tested! Dispatched within 24 hours!

Visit [www.mabelsfundraising.com/campaigns/24247-balgonie-playschool](http://www.mabelsfundraising.com/campaigns/24247-balgonie-playschool) and place your order under Balgonie Playschool - Fundraising Campaign #24247 to support our fundraiser!

Great for kids on sports teams, school water bottles, students starting playschool/ kindergarten ... the possibilities are endless!



**The Balgonie Volunteer Fire Department is proud to present the 2016 Canada Day Fireworks! July 1st, 10:30 p.m. Balgonie Sportsgrounds.**





# 50+ Club News



- No Regular Meeting This Month.
  - Next Meeting August 8th.
  - Next Supper on July 20th.

*Thank you* to Marie Gottselig and her group for *ALL* the donations of time and yummy products in making the last three months of suppers at the 50+ Club a success.



***For information on bookings  
at the 50+ Club – contact Wayne/Margaret 306-771-4230***



## **CRIBBAGE WINNERS—June 11, 2016**

**1ST AND 2ND**

Mary Wolfe & Arlene Dieter  
Lorraine Sauer & Linda Butz

**3RD Three Way Tie**

Eleanor Rumpel & Gertie Kramer  
Vic & Alma Neiser  
Ray Belsher & Tim Grubb

**24 HANDS**

Alma Neiser  
Agnes Peever  
Thelma Wright  
Susan Appel



# Thank You!

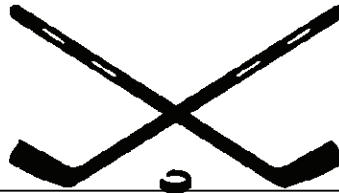
During June 18th weekend we were camping in the town of Balgonie Arena while attending the Prairie Canine Academy dog show at the Balgonie Arena.

Around 9 pm on Saturday evening, I took my two dogs out for a walk and stopped to visit with a friend at the west entrance to the arena parking lot. As we were visiting, some folks decided to launch fireworks which spooked my puppy. He yanked the leash out of my hand and bolted south then turned east and then north. I chased after him on foot but as I turned the corner, he outran me. A citizen on the street north of the arena (he drove a Pepsi truck) picked me up and drove me around looking for my puppy. Another fellow on the street east of the arena (driving a Ford Ranger truck) gave me more information regarding the direction that my puppy ran. He also got into his vehicle and drove around the town looking. My husband was driving around town and stopping anyone he saw to ask them to assist us in looking for our puppy.

As it turned out, our puppy was found north of town, across the railroad tracks near a chain link fence.

I would like to thank the citizens of the Town of Balgonie for their efforts and assistance while my puppy was missing. Unfortunately, I do not know the names of the people that helped but I am hoping that you would be able to post my sincere thank you on your website or some community bulletin board so the people that assisted will see this.

Joanne and Gary Papic  
And our puppy, Dawvee



The PSMHA has recently changed their residential qualifications to be able to participate in the PSMHA. What does this mean? It means that if you live in the RM of South Qu'Appelle, your children are no longer allowed to play hockey in the Balgonie Stardome. It does not matter that your son, daughter, grandson, granddaughter, may be a 3rd, 4th or 5th generation resident and an active participant in the affairs of the Balgonie community. Founding fathers of this area are being excluded from having their family use a facility that they helped finance, build, and continually support through volunteer hours. Under pressure they did "grandfather" in some families. Something that still puzzles me, are allowing residents of the hamlet of St. Joseph to register with the PSMHA. What I am hoping, is that you will be concerned enough with what is going on in this association, to attend the PSMHA annual meeting on **July 6<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m.** at the Balgonie Multiplex. We need questions answered and board members that follow SHA guidelines. It is my personal opinion that there are members of the PSMHA that have lost the vision of what and who they are to be representing.

Monti Vollman

**Register online**

**Prairie Storm Minor Hockey 2016-2017 Season**

**ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR RETURNING INITIATION PLAYERS OPENS ON  
AUGUST 1-15, 2016**

**REGISTRATION FOR NEW INITIATION PLAYERS OPENS ON AUGUST 16, 2016**



**NEW INITIATION PLAYER REGISTRATION, PLEASE READ**

**\*spots are limited; first come first serve basis (registration does not constitute acceptance)**

**\* PSMHA only accepts registration from players residing in the RM of Edenwold or Hamlet of St. Joseph's**

**\* at time of registration, the following documents must be scanned to [registrar@psmha.ca](mailto:registrar@psmha.ca) : Proof of Residency; Copy of Birth Certificate, and Respect in Sport (Parent) Certificate in order for your child's registration to be completed: For more information on the documents, please go to [www.psmha.ca](http://www.psmha.ca) and click on "Player Registration" tab**

**We are looking forward to another exciting year!**

Any questions or inquiries can be directed to our registrar:

[registrar@psmha.ca](mailto:registrar@psmha.ca)

# Recreation News



*By Shaun McBain*

Ball is winding down and soccer has come to an end. Great job coaches, players and volunteers for another great year of soccer! The soccer tournament on the June 18th weekend, in Balgonie, brought many people to the fields and the kids had fun.

The Pool is now open. Please call 771-2342 to find out times that they are open or even to book swimming lessons for your children. If you want to book a pool party, please call Penni at 771-2230.

The Saskatchewan Lotteries Community Grant Fund form is attached to this issue of the Talk of the Town. Groups, please fill out the form and return it to me by the middle of September. The forms will be discussed in October and the funds will be dispersed at that time also.

## Have a safe summer ... Have a great summer!



**LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUP  
FUNDING REQUEST FOR  
SASKATCHEWAN LOTTERIES  
COMMUNITY GRANT FUNDS**

Name of Community Group:

Contact Name:

Phone:

Project Description:

Project Start Date:

Proposed Expenditures:

Dollar Amount

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Project Estimated Costs**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

**GRANT AMOUNT REQUESTED**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person

Please return the completed form to the community contact person of the Town, Village, R.M. or Band Office you are applying through (do not return to the Community Grant Office).

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