

MACKLIN & DISTRICT

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POLAR DIP CHALLENGE



Macklin was awarded the location for the biggest challenge of KIN's 100th year.

Saskatchewan KIN vs. Alberta KIN

...More event details to come...



Where: Macklin Lake

When: April 18, 2020

Step 1: Register a team of four at the link below

Step 2: Raise funds for CF (event on CF Website for Tax Receipts & team tracking)

Step 3: Warm lunch and afternoon Dip in the lake

Step 4: Enjoy a wonderful supper, evening program, and public dance.

All Events open to the Public

\$50/person or \$200/team of 4

Includes: all meals on Saturday and Dance entry

Prizes for best costume.



The link to register your team is: https://form.jotform.com/93164306403248

The link to donate to the D3 CF (Sask) registered team page is: https://secure.e2rm.com/registrant/TeamFundraisingPage.aspx... Contact any Local Kinette Members for more information

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Art's Council: MAMMA MIA

Credit Union Special Meeting

Chamber Business/ Rec Expo

Town of Macklin Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00am-12:00pm | 1:00pm—5:00pm

Box 69 SOL 2CO | P: 306 753 2256 | F: 306 753 3234

Town website: www.macklin.ca Chamber Website: www.macklinchamber.com

https://www.facebook.com/macklinchamber

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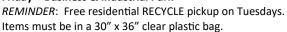
COMMUNITY EVENTS

(Always stay tuned as new events are added or dates change)

March 6-7	Ladies Curling Bonspiel
March 12	Art's Council Concert Series
March 14	Macklin Skating Ice Carnival
March 17	Credit Union Special Meeting
March 26	Senior Income Tax Preparation
March 31	Soccer Registration
April 1	Bunnock Entry
April 3-5	Drama Production
April 7	Minor Hockey Supper/Awards
April 18	Curling Club: Indoor Bonespiel
April 18	Polar Dip and public dance
April 21	Art's Council Concert Series
April 27-29	Prairie Sunset Music Festival(Macklin)
May 2	Dance Recital
May 2	Chamber Business/Recreation Expo
June 6	Macklin School Graduation

Waste Collection

Tuesday - Residential & Business Friday - Business & Industrial Park



Transfer Station Hours

(Macklin Residents only) **Tuesday:** 4:00 – 6:00pm **Thursday:** 4:00 – 6:00pm Saturday: 11:00am - 3:00pm

Dog Licensing

Male or Female Unaltered Dogs Neutered Male or Spayed Female Dogs Vicious Animal License Fee

Replacement Tag

Impoundment Fees:

Fees range from \$30.00 to \$250.00



\$40.00 \$20.00 \$250.00 \$5.00

NEW!!

Now accepting old electronics

transfer station!

Contact the Town Office with any questions or concerns. 306-753-2256

Business Licensing

Business Licenses can be paid at the Town Office.

Business Incentive applications can be picked up at the Town Office or found at www.macklin.ca

*To view the Town of Macklin Drinking Water Quality and Compliance Report please check out: www.macklin.ca/living/services/water_sewer



In case of an Emergency, please call the Town office, you will be directed to the 24hrs. on-call contact! 306-753-2256

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***SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY ***

Is your company looking for a space to rent for your weekly/monthly meetings?

The Macklin & District Communiplex is looking for sponsorship (contract rental) of the lower meeting room space.

> For more information, please contact: Town Office at 306-753-2256.

Electronics now Accepted at Transfer Station

Items now accepted:

Desktop computers, towers, hard drives, keyboard, mouse, portable computers, tablets, monitors, televisions, receivers, security systems, cameras, video recorders, scanners, printers, copiers, video games, consoles, controllers, digital photo frames, GPS, radio, CD, DVD, blue-rays recorders, noise machine, speakers, headphones, amplifiers, microwave ovens, etc.

Items are free of charge when placed in marked bin. Please gently place items in bins!

Local Church Services

Catholic: Saturday St. Donatus 5:00pm

> Macklin 7:00pm

Sunday Denzil 9:00am Macklin 11:00am

9:00am

Worship/Sunday School

Evesham Anglican/United: Sunday 10:00am



United:

Lab and X-Ray Hours of Operation

St. Joseph Health Centre

When: March 2020

Monday-Friday 8:30am 2:30pm

The Macklin & District Arena Board in conjunction with the Macklin Recreation Board will be sponsoring a

FREE Tot's Learn to Skate program **EVERY THURSDAY**

Parents with pre-school children may use the time between 2:00—3:15 **pm** to learn to skate.

March 26 is the Last Day!

Provost Diabetic Society

Open to all interested persons Next meeting: March 11 at 7:00 pm (AB Time) **Provost Provincial Building** Speakers, Discussions, Presentations Contact: Dave 306-480-7501

Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings



Every Thursday at 8:00pm

United Church Basement (4901 Telegraph St.)

MADAC Trip-of-the-Month Winners: February 2020

Trip to Riviera Nayarit, Mexico-Tom & Cathy Manchester www.macklinswimmingpool.com



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Don Isaman Professional Corporation and New Horizon Town & Country Center are offering a

FREE
INCOME TAX PREPARATION
for
Non-Taxable Seniors

Macklin Town Office Thursday, March 26, 2020

By appointment only
Please call Town of Macklin
at 306-753-2256 to book

Macklin & District Crime Watch Division Striving to keep our community safe. 306-753-4001



Macklin & District Crime Watch Division

now has Monthly Meetings!!

<u>When:</u> 1st Wednesday of every month at 8:00 pm <u>Where:</u> Macklin Town Office

Next meeting will be March 4th at 8pm.

If you are interested in being part of our group please come out. Even if you are just wondering what we are all about feel free to attend. We are always looking for new members.

NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!!!

Valentines for the Villa

Macklin School's Pre-K to Grade 6 students were invited to be part of a very special project. In cooperation with the Macklin Co-op, our students created homemade valentine cards for the residents of the Villa Marie. The cards were then collected, put into card holders, and secretly hung on the Villa residents' doors by volunteers. What a wonderful Valentines Day surprise for Villa residents to find such a varied collection of valentine cards and sweet messages!

This was a great opportunity for our students to help brighten someone's day. Special thanks to Heather Stang of the Macklin Co-op for organizing this project!





Sit-in-Lotus Yoga Lounge

Allycia L'Heureux RYT 200

Yoga Classes Starting in March



Monday 6:30pm Yoga for Balancing Moods – this class is a very gentle flow class with breath work and meditation. Use of Essential Oils to help balance chakras. All ages, fitness levels and mobility levels

<u>Tuesday 6:00-7:15pm Advanced Vinyasa Flow</u> - this is a fast paced athletic flow class with different sequences to improve overall fitness – should have a basic knowledge of yoga poses

<u>Thursday 6:00-7pm Beginner Vinyasa Flow</u> – this class is a slow paced flow class teaching beginner level yoga poses and flow sequences. ALL LEVELS

Thursday 7:30pm Advanced Vinyasa Flow - this is a fast paced athletic flow class with different sequences to improve overall fitness – should have a basic knowledge of yoga poses

Wednesday and Friday 6am-6:45am Power Class – A high energy class with lots of movement to improve strength and mobility– not recommended for beginners

Wednesday and Friday morning 9am-10am Hatha Beginner Class – all fitness levels welcome

Call or Text to register 306-753-9531 \$10.00 per class or \$90.00 for a 10 class pass



Lindsay Orobko Leanne Thomas

thomashardware@sasktel.net

Thomas Hardware Ltd.

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4801 57th St Macklin Sk 306-753-2222

HELP WANTED

Immediate positions available

*Certified Journeymen or Apprentice Picker/Crane Truck Operators

*Winch Truck/Tractor Drivers

*Swampers/Laborers

* Mechanic/Apprentice Mechanics

Send resume to:



Box 1080 Provost, AB T0B 3S0 Fax: 780-753-6142 or bryce.olson@octaneoilfield.ca

Pre-employment drug screen in effect



Ladies Bonspiel March 6—7

Entry Fee \$140

Registration Deadline: Tuesday February 18th

Contact: Kyla (306)753-7350 Shana (306)915-7266 or Shelly (780)870-0987

Saturday Night Supper, Closest to the Pin & Entertainment to follow

Letter from the Chief

Well, how different has this February has been compared to last year? Who remembers the nasty cold snap that stayed so long last year??? We have had a couple of cold days but so far it has been a pretty decent month. This kind of weather definitely makes for better road conditions and this is a good thing for the Fire Department. So far the trend is continuing from last year (touch wood) and our call volume is still staying at a lower level than we are used to. This is a good thing!!! I will ask you to keep the winter tires on as we do live in Canada (lucky us) and the winter can still throw some nasty spells at us for the next 6 weeks.

We are still keeping up with the training on our meeting nights and had a really informative discussion on how to deal with a certain scenario that could happen in our coverage area. We are also planning to go swimming down at the lake fairly soon to keep our ice rescue skills in tune. The lake does have open ice year round and we do have special equipment to help us if we have to help someone who has fallen through the ice.

If you get a chance feel free to check out our Facebook page. Stephen Lowe does a really good job at keep the page current. Thank you Stephen!!

Be safe out there everyone and have a great month!!!!

Pat G. Stang Fire Chief Macklin & District Fire Rescue Cell: 306-753-7378



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- Jesus is Lord -



Macklin Chamber of Commerce Introduces **BUSINESS BEGINNINGS MENTORSHIP**

- -Have a great idea for a Business or Service in the Macklin area, but don't know where to start??
- -Wondering which Commercial buildings are available to rent/purchase.
- -Business expansion/start-ups/hiring & training/development/ short & long term goals/needs/wants/finances and correspondence.
- -Take advantage of a FREE Mentorship program offered through the Chamber of Commerce.

For more information contact: Macklin Town Office Lori Cosh at 306-753-9230 or president@macklinchamber.com



Mentoring

JOB OPPORTUNITY

Contract Landscape Maintenance

The Lakeview Cemetery Operations Committee requires contract landscape maintenance within Lakeview Cemetery between the months of April 2020 and October 2020. This service contract will be for a one-year period and will include specific maintenance tasks including the supply of required tools and machinery.

Applicants are invited to submit a detailed proposal for the provision of services. Proposals will be accepted until March 23, 2020.

To receive a detailed listing of the maintenance contract specifications or to submit a proposal please contact:

Lakeview Cemetery Committee 306-753-2256 town.macklin@sasktel.net

SUMMER STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

The Town of Macklin requires two summer students to fill the position of Maintenance Employees.

These positions are suitable for post-secondary students.

TOWN OF MACKLIN
BOX 69
Macklin, Sask. SOL 2CO
753-2256
town.macklin@sasktel.net

Applications will be received until 5:00 pm on Monday March 9, 2020.

Thank You!

Candace, Stephen, Natalie and Amanda Kloster wish to convey a heartfelt thank you for the condolences and support received after the recent death of our dad and grandpa Richard Stefan. All the cards, phone calls, texts, emails, gift cards and visits were greatly appreciated at this difficult time. Special thanks to the St. Paul's hospital Palliative Care Team for their compassionate and supportive care.

Thank you all once again!



1935 - 2020 RICHARD NICHOLAUS STEFAN









NOTICE OF

ANNUAL MEETING

Wednesday, March 25, 2020

ST. PETER'S CHURCH HALL - UNITY, SK

7:00PM MEETING

Every Delta Co-op member is an owner and you should have a say in your business. That's why we are inviting all members to the annual meeting to discuss and shape your Co-op.

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Veteran Memorial Banner Program

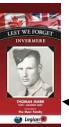
The Town of Macklin is in the planning stages of creating a campaign for veteran memorial banners.

We are looking for family members interested in displaying their loved ones who fought so valiantly for us all.

If you are interested, please contact the Town Office for further information.

A great reference is the Macklin History Book, pages 223-239.

Should you know of any other families, please pass this information on to them.



Submission of Name, war served, which division they served under and a photo would be required.

Example of information we are looking for.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Macklin Lake Regional Park Authority

Requires Full/Part time

CLUBHOUSE, CAMPGROUND, GOLF COURSE LABOURERS, AND COOKS

For the 2020 Season

Please send resume to:

Macklin Lake Regional Park Authority Box 275

Macklin, SK SOL 2CO Email: macklinlakerp@sasktel.net

Closing Date: March 16, 2020





(306)-753-2887 www.elbuilding.ca





APRIL 3

HAPPY HOUR: DINNER: 6:30PM 5:30 to 6:30PM SHOW: 7:30PM

PRICE: \$40.00 Catered by: Rae's Catering

*No refunds will be given on purchased tickets.

APRIL 4

HAPPY HOUR: D 5:30 to 6:30PM S PRICE: \$40.00 C

DINNER: 6:30PM SHOW: 7:30PM Catered by: Sister B's

APRIL 5

SHOW: 2:00PM PRICE: \$15.00

*Tickets for this show will be sold at the door. Seating is first come first serve.



MACKLIN CREDIT UNION LIMITED

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF MEMBERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a special meeting of the members of Macklin Credit Union Limited will be held at the Macklin & District Communiplex located on Highway 31, in the Province of Saskatchewan, the 17th day of March, 2020, at the hour of 7:00 o'clock in the evening to consider, and if thought fit, to approve, confirm and adopt by special resolution without alteration or modification an agreement providing for the amalgamation of Macklin Credit Union Limited with Synergy Credit Union Ltd.

The effective date of the proposed amalgamation is July 1, 2020.

Copies of the Amalgamation Agreement, Articles of Amalgamation and Bylaws for the Amalgamated Credit Union are available at the Credit Union upon request.

Voting rights of members

- (1) No member who is less than 16 years of age is entitled to vote.
- (2) A member who is not an individual may vote through a representative where that member gives the credit union notice of the appointment of the representative at least 48 hours before the meeting at which the representative is to vote on behalf of the member.
- (3) Each member who is present at a meeting is entitled to one vote.

Please bring one piece of government issued photo ID to be eligible to vote.

SUMMARY OF THE AMALGAMATION AGREEMENT

The Amalgamation Agreement in summary states:

- Macklin Credit Union Limited and Synergy Credit Union Ltd., the Amalgamating Credit Unions, agree to amalgamate
 as one new Amalgamated Credit Union.
- Each member shall become a member of the new credit union on the date of amalgamation and receive the privileges thereof.
- The Amalgamated Credit Union shall become the owner of all assets, rights and things and be subject to all of the liabilities and obligations of each of the original credit unions.
- 4. The Amalgamated Credit Union shall maintain a complete record of all assets, rights and things owned by it and all liabilities and obligations owned as a result of the amalgamation.
- 5. The name of the Amalgamated Credit Union will be Synergy Credit Union Ltd.
- Each of the Amalgamating Credit Unions will provide full disclosure of its assets and liabilities.
- From the date of agreement until the amalgamation date each credit union shall consult with each other with regard to business operations and extraordinary expenses.
- 8. The Amalgamation Agreement includes proposed Articles of Amalgamation (Schedule A) and bylaws (Schedule B) for the Amalgamated Credit Union.
- The first directors of the new credit union will be named as part of the Amalgamation Agreement.
- The Agreement shall become effective upon its approval by the members of Macklin Credit Union Limited and by the Directors of Synergy Credit Union Ltd.
- 11. The Auditor for the Amalgamated Credit Union shall be MNP LLP.
- 12. The effective date of the amalgamation shall be the 1st day of July, 2020.

DATED at the Town of Macklin, in the Province of Saskatchewan, this 20th day of February 2020.

Macklin Credit Union Limited

Charlene Waf- Settle



The Macklin Chamber of Commerce is seeking individuals, businesses or non-profit organizations who would be interested in setting up a food booth at the Chamber of Commerce Business & Recreation EXPO May 2, 2020. For more information please contact Christy Veller at 306-753-9790.



MACKLIN KINETTES

THANK YOU SO MUCH to everyone who has supported our club's Telemiracle 44 fundraising efforts by purchasing helping hands & raffle basket tickets at the arena! We also did a hot dog sale at the school & daycare on February 13th - thank you for the support! Raffle basket draws will be on Sat, February 29th - good luck!

Keep an eye out for us answering phones at Telemiracle 44 on March 7th & 8th RING THOSE PHONES!!

There will be Telemiracle Bingo at the Villa Marie on Tues, March 3rd starting at 2:00PM. Everyone is welcome! We will be offering the Babysitter's Course on April 3rd-5th for kids ages 12 & 13. Registration forms will be handed out at the school and they will also be available on our Facebook page (Macklin Kinette Club) soon.

Did you know that 2020 marks 100 YEARS of KIN in Canada (48 years in Macklin)?!?! WOW - what a milestone! Some of our members attended a flag raising at the Macklin & District Museum on the morning of Thurs, Feb 20th to commemorate this occasion - these Kin flags were raised all across Canada in towns & cities with Kin clubs.

All former Macklin Kinsmen & Kinette members - remember to get those tried & true recipe submissions to us for our cookbook celebrating 100 years of Kin by March 31st! Contact Wendy at 306-753-9900 or email to macklin.kinettes@gmail.com

Also, CHASE THE ACE will be back soon, with some exciting changes! Stayed tuned for details.







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For Farmer's Market contact Donna Clark PH:306-915-8003



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Macklin & District Food Bank

Thank-you very much for your awesome support with food donations. Here is a list of items we are current shortly in our stock to fill hampers:

Canned – meats, vegetables & fruit Rice, Snack foods

Paper, toiletry or cleaning products.

306-753-FOOD (3663)



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In-Store Promotion Offer Valid January 1 - March 31

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Macklin Skating Club presents



Board Games and Potluck Evening a Huge Hit

On a Sunday evening in February, Evesham Community Church hosted a board games and potluck evening open to all. The church basement was packed as young and old got together for a fun night of fellowship and scrumptious food.

Families and friends visited while enjoying a meal together. When the kids could wait no longer, the time finally came to pick a board game! There were a great variety of board games - some were treasured games that had been in families for generations, while others were brand new Christmas presents that just had to be tried out.

Those gathered together enjoyed each other's company and the warm atmosphere until late at night. Keep an eye out for the next board game night - it comes highly recommended!





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RCMP Macklin Report



Macklin RCMP Office Open: Monday – Friday 9:00am – 1:00pm (306) 753-2171

January 21—February 17

- RCMP attended a trailer fire at a rural yard east of Macklin. Macklin Fire Department extinguished the flames. Emergency Medical Services attended to the single occupant of the trailer who had escaped with minor injuries. The fire was not suspicious in nature.
- Police received a complaint of a stolen truck. The truck was later located in Lloydminster. This matter is still under investigation.
- Members received a report of a hit and run causing damage to a vehicle. Reported for insurance purposes.
- RCMP are investigating a complaint of assault.
- Police received a complaint of an armed robbery at the Macklin Hotel. The male is described as 5'8" with a slim build wearing black clothing and a mask covering his face. This matter is still under investigation.
- Members are investigating an attempted theft of an ATM at Macklin Royal Bank.
- RCMP received a complaint of a break and enter at a residence. This matter is still under investigation.
- · Police received a report of an residence garage door that had been opened. Reported for information purposes
- Complaint of a break and enter at a residence. A 25-year-ol Macklin male and a 31-year-old female from Unity were charged with Possession of Property Obtained by Crime and Breaking, Entering and Committing.
- Complaint of assault with a weapon. A 25-year-old Macklin male was charged with Forcible Confinement, Assault with a Weapon, Uttering Threats and Possession of Weapon for Dangerous Purpose. A 28-year-old Macklin male was charged with Forcible Confinement, Assault with a Weapon, Uttering Threats and Weapons Possession Contrary to Order.
- Complaint of uttering threats. A 25-year-old Macklin male and a 31-year-old female from Unity were charged with Forcible Confinement, Uttering Threats and Possession of Weapon for a Dangerous Purpose.
- Complaint of impaired operation of motor vehicle. Members patrolled but could not locate the subject of complaint.
- RCMP received a complaint of possession of property obtained by crime. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police received a complaint of an individual cutting a phone line at a business but it was unfounded.
- Members are investigating a complaint of theft.
- RCMP received a complaint of harassing communications. Members spoke with the subject of complaint.
- A 25-year-old Macklin male was charged with Resisting Peace Officer, Failure to Comply with Release Order and Possession of Property Obtained by Crime after Members received a complaint of an individual failing to comply with conditions of a release order.
- Police received a complaint of assault but it was unfounded.
- RCMP received a report of a vehicle collision with a deer on Cosine Road near Macklin. There were no injuries. Reported for insurance purposes.
- Members are investigating a complaint of a hit and run causing damage to a vehicle.
- Police acted as mediators in a dispute between two adults.
- RCMP received a complaint of assault. Members spoke to the subject of complaint and the complainant. No charges were laid.
- A 20-year-old Macklin female was charged with assault after Members received a complaint of assault.
- There was also four traffic complaints and two false 911 calls.

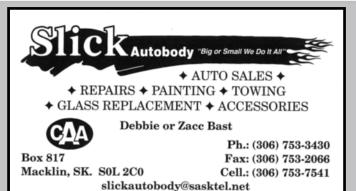
Persons with information about crimes being committed in the Unity/Wilkie/Macklin areas are urged to call the Macklin RCMP detachment at (306)753-2171. If you wish to remain anonymous, you may also call Saskatchewan Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 or *8477 on the SaskTel Mobility Network.

Villa Residents Treated to a Country Drive

Members from Evesham Community Church invited residents from the Villa Marie to accompany them on a winter's day country drive. On a gorgeous February afternoon, they drove out on Highway 17, passing many well-known landmarks.

They made a stop at Ellwood Farms, and were fortunate to see many calves up close. On the way back, residents pointed out farms and shared exchanges about who used to live there, as well as light-hearted banter.





Housing for Rent

Sask. Housing has rent ready single and double size suits available for aged 55 years and older.

Rent includes laundry, water and sewer, gas, parking, and large common area with fully equipped kitchen.

Call Marie at 306-753-8078

\$200.00 PER TEAM

BUNNOCK ENTRY RULES

- First 320 paid entries will be accepted.
- Entries will be accepted starting April 1st.

Entries received prior to this date will be returned to sender.

\$200.00 PER TEAM

- * Only entry forms sent to the address below and accompanied by fees will be accepted.
- * Team members (other than the captain) do not have to be registered until July 31, 2020.
 - * We do not guarantee the availability of substitute players.
 - * Game rules will be supplied prior to your first game.

ENTRIES MAY BE DELIVERED IN PERSON TO THE MACKLIN TOWN OFFICE

Or SEND ENTRY TO: WORLD BUNNOCK CHAMPIONSHIP Box 69, Macklin, Sask. S0L 2C0

Phone: (306) 753-2256 Fax: (306) 753-3234 E-Mail: town.macklin@sasktel.net Website: www.macklin.ca (Additional entry forms available at web-site above)

Make cheques payable to: MACKLIN BUNNOCK ASSOCIATION

Entry fee is non-refundable.

* A receipt verifying your registration will be mailed or emailed to you upon receiving your paid entry.

2020 WORLD BUNNOCK CHAMPIONSHIP JULY 31st, August 1st & 2nd ENTRY FORM FOUR PERSON CO-ED TEAM FOUR PERSON CO-ED TEAM ADDRESS: CELL: E-MAIL: CELL: CELL: CELL: (3) TEAM MEMBER:

(Return this side with your entry & fees)

Page 75, 2020 and must play as a team member.





TEAM MEMBER

MACKLIN SK

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MARCH by Susan Conly

The other day I read that an old violin made in 1722, by the great Italian master, Stradivarius, sold for over £10,000; and its tone is purer and sweeter than when it left the workshop approximately 250 years ago! When Stradivarius went out to choose the wood from which he fashioned his famous violins he always selected that part of the tree that had faced towards at the north. That was the part that had withstood wind and weather and declared Stradivarius, 'violins made from wood from the north side of the tree always gave the loveliest music.'

Isn't that a bit like life? How often do we find that the strongest, yet the gentlest persons are the ones who have overcome many hardships and have endured many storms during their lifetime.

And such is the month of March, a month of many moods; sun, snow, cloud, blizzard, all within a few hours. I recall such a day in March many years ago, a day which changed the course of my life.

"What a lovely morning! Spring is almost here!" we exclaimed as we boarded the bus at the Estevan Collegiate enroute to Weyburn for a basketball tournament. Then within a few miles, complete weather change, and a bus accident during the worst blizzard of that winter. And possibly, ever, my closest brush with death, March 17, on the highway between Estevan and Weyburn.

It changed the course of my life — to a better direction? I'll never know, but change it did! Since then I have never quite trusted March.

All months occasionally produce the unexpected and in Saskatchewan it's March, and the weather. The other day I was visiting at St. Joe's; we happened to look out the window, and there busily scratch, scratching in the snow under a tree was a busy little robin. "A robin? But it's only the beginning of March." But whatever the weather, looking view-ward, March often unexpectedly, heralds Spring. Sap, responding to the heat of March sunshine begins to stir in willow and poplar branches. Under the still frozen soil young roots are stirring and here at the Villa over-wintered bulbs are now breaking into blossom.

A robin always seems to be the advance herald. On an early March morning, just at sun-up, on the farm, there he would be, one robin, just as though he had not been winging for hundreds of miles, busily searching for his breakfast under old Maple. And a few mornings later many of his friends had joined him to share the lawn breakfast.

When we were children the time between special days was forever, but as we get older time hurries. When March comes, it's almost Easter. And whether Easter comes in March or April, can summer be far behind? So whether March opens on snow or rain, wind or calm, whatever the weather, it is the beginning of springtime, the threshold of summer.

CONTRACT OPPORTUNITY

The Town of Macklin requires an individual to fill the position of "Maintenance Supervisor" for the summer months. This contract position is a three day per week or 24 hour per week position and includes the organization and supervision of summer maintenance staff. The successful applicant will be a responsible adult with strong commitment to the maintenance of trees, shrubs and flowers.

The successful applicant will be required commencing May 1, 2020 until approximately August 30, 2020.00Sealed contract tenders will be accepted until Monday, March 23, 2020. The lowest, or any tender, will not necessarily be accepted by Council.

Submit Tenders to: Town of Macklin

"Maintenance"

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- There will be a 2 picture limit as well as a 100 word (half page) limit to all paid articles.
 - Deadline for articles or advertising is the 24th of the month.
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- Ad to be dropped off at the Town of Macklin Office or your advertisement will not be included in the issue.
 - If you need a digital advertisement designed for you, there will be an extra fee of \$25.00.

We reserve the right to refuse ads and pictures.

Please submit all advertisements and articles to: macklinhometownconnection@outlook.com

MACKLIN LIBRARY

Library Hours

Tuesday: 1:00 - 6:00 Wednesday: 1:00 - 6:00

Thursday: 10:00 – 2:00



Macklin Library Playgroup

Every Thursday from 10:30—11:30 For ages 0—6 years

On Thursday March 12 at 10:30 we will be hosting a presentation on Cyberfraud – everyone is welcome!

The draw for the Winter Reading Program is on March 27; good luck!

We are always looking for new board members for our Library Board. If you are interested please stop by the library or talk to one of the board members.

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Questions? Call Jennifer 306-753-2933

ARTICLES WELCOME!!

Pease submit any Articles in and around town to help inform town citizens on local events. (local residents, sports, artistic, news, current events)



St. Patrick's Day



