

# MACKLIN & DISTRICT HOMETOWN CONNECTION

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## **2020 Municipal Election Information**

#### WHO CAN VOTE?

In order to vote in a municipal election you must:

- be a Canadian citizen;
- at least 18 years of age;
- a Saskatchewan resident for six consecutive months before
- election day; AND
- Have resided in the municipality, or on land now in the
- municipality, for at least three consecutive months immediately before election day; OR
- Is the owner of assessable land in the municipality, or land now in the municipality, for at least three consecutive months immediately before election day.

#### WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING TO VOTE?

When you attend the polling station to vote, ALL VOTERS will be required to present valid identification. Identification accepted includes:

- One photo piece of government-issued ID (Example: drivers
- license with photo, name and address); OR
- Two pieces of ID, one with address (Example: birth certificate and utility invoice)

Positions to be voted on: 1 vote for Mayor to be cast 6 votes for Councillors to be cast

#### COVID-19 MEASURES & WHAT TO EXPECT

\*When arriving at the Macklin Communiplex Hall to vote, you will enter through the Main Entrance doors.

\*In order to ensure one way traffic you will be asked to leave using the west side doors once you have voted.

\*Upon entering, we ask you to hand sanitize and follow physical distancing markings throughout the building.

\*Election staff will be sanitizing high traffic areas throughout the day.

#### Voters are encouraged to wear masks.

Polling Station Location: 5201 Highway #31 Macklin Communiplex Hall

Advance Polls:

Thursday, October 29, 2020 between 4:00p.m. and 8:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 3, 2020 between 4:00 p.m. and 8:00p.m.

Election Day: Monday, November 9, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.







Christmas in Our Town Teaser

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### Town of Macklin Office Hours:

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

Box 69 SOL 2C0 | P: 306 753 2256 | F: 306 753 3234

Town website: <u>www.macklin.ca</u>

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)

November 3	Advance Poll Municipal Election
November 5	Flu Clinic
November 9	Municipal Election Day
November 11	Remembrance Day (see Page 11)
November 19	<b>Operation Christmas Child Shoebox deadline</b>
December 5	Christmas In Our Town

#### Waste Collection **Tuesday – Residential & Business** Friday – Business & Industrial Park REMINDER: Free residential RECYCLE pickup on Tuesdays. Items must be in a 30" x 36" clear plastic bag. **Transfer Station Hours-Winter** Now accepting old electronics (Macklin Residents only) at transfer station! Tuesday: 4:00 - 6:00pm Thursday: 4:00 - 6:00pm Saturday: 11:00am - 3:00pm **GARBAGE & RECYCLING BAGS** Please ensure bags are visible when placed **ON STREET**, and not hiding behind vehicles. **Dog Licensing** Male or Female Unaltered Dogs \$40.00 \$20.00 Neutered Male or Spayed Female Dogs Vicious Animal License Fee \$250.00 **Replacement Tag** \$5.00 Impoundment Fees: Fees range from \$30.00 to \$250.00

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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: http://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\*\*



Passenger, Light Truck, Farm & Commercial Tires Mobile Tire Service -Computerized 4-Wheel Alignment Brakes, Shocks, Struts, Front-End Services SGI Vehicle Safety Inspections

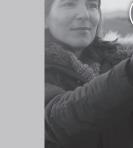
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#### **Local Church Services**

Sacred Heart Parish Denzil: Wednesday - 11:00 AM

St. Donatus Parish:

St. Mary's Parish Macklin:

Saturday - 5:00 PM Monday - 9:00 AM Tuesday—9:00AM Thursday/Friday –9:00 AM Saturday – 7:00 PM Sunday – 11:00 AM

Sunday Service 10:00 am

Sunday - 9:00 AM

United:

Evesham Anglican/United: Cancelled until further notice

### Lab and X-Ray Hours of Operation



Where: St. Joseph Health Centre When: November 2020 Monday–Friday 8:30am 2:30pm Please call in advance to ensure lab availability. Screening process in affect.

#### Macklin Foodbank & Secret Santa

Christmas We provide support for local Food Baskets families with a Christmas Hamper as well as gifts

for children.

If you are aware of a struggling family that could benefit from our Christmas support program, please let us know,

Please Call by December 1st

306-753-3663 (FOOD)

All calls are confidential

MADAC Trip-of-the-Month Winner: October 2020 Trip to Florida Neil & Andree Bolton www.macklinswimmingpool.com

#### **Provost Diabetic Society**

\*\*Meetings Cancelled until further Notice\*\*



Every Thursday at 8:00pm United Church Basement (4901 Telegraph St.) If you need assistance, please call 780-753-4812 or 780-753-7589

# Black Friday

## Don't Miss Out

Shop til you Drop!

## Friday November 27<sup>th</sup> Open until 8 pm

Threads will be running a different promotion

each hour on the hour





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### **BODYWORKS YOGA CLASSES** @ Walking the Path, Macklin, SK Yoga Schedule for Fall 2020

Monday's:	6:30pm Balancing Moods and Meditation Class	
Tuesday's:	6:00pm Vinyasa Flow Level 2/3	
Wednesday's:	6:00am Power Flow 9:00am Hatha Yoga for Beginners	
Thursday's:	5:00pm Vinyasa Flow Level 2/3 6:30pm Balancing Moods and Meditation Class	
Friday's:	6:00am Power Flow 9:00am Hatha Yoga for Beginners	
Participants MUST preregister for classes as per COVID-19 rules.		

Visit my website @ www.bodyworksmassageandyoga.com 306-753-9531 Allycia L'Heureux RYT

## **RUTHCHEL'S FOOD STORE**

4713 Herald Street, Macklin



Hours of operation: 6:00am-9:00pm

\*\* 7 Days a week \*\*

Owner: Ruthchel De Guzman 306-753-3195

### **Murray John Stang** 1960-2020

The Family of Murray wish to thank all those who sent messages, food, cards, masses, cemetery donations and charitable donations at the time of his passing.



We would like to Thank Fr. Binu for officiating at the funeral and burial and Larry Stang and the choir for providing the music.

Thank you to the Macklin Homecare staff for the care you provided Murray over the last few years, we know he enjoyed the daily visits.

Thanks also to Jeremy and Katrina at Gregory's Funeral Home for their Professional and Compassionate service at this difficult time.

> Thank You So Much, **Bill Stang & Family**



### **Collection Deadline** Please drop shoeboxes off by \*NOVEMBER 19\*

Samaritan's Purse

Uperation Christmas Child\* is a project of San Franklin Graham, President | 1-800-303-126 ID 2019 Samaritan's Purse. All initia of



## North park Gas Up

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- Jesus is Lord -

## **MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2020**

## As the November 9th Municipal Election nears the Chamber of Commerce decided to send out the following questions to all Candidates (mayor and councillors) to give the citizens information regarding the nominees they are voting for.

- Candidates Personal Background: Candidate's name, age, family, occupation, education, years living in community
- Involvement in Community: Note organizational involvement (name of organization, number of years involved, demonstrated leadership)
- Why do wish to be elected to Macklin Town Council (as a Councillor or Mayor)?
- Do you have any specific visions and/or aspirations for Macklin that you wish to share with the electorate?
- If possible, provide a photo

\*All Mayoral/Councillor candidates are listed in alphabetical order in each category\*



<u>Mayor Candidate:</u> My name is Patrick Doetzel and I am seeking re-election as Mayor for the Town of Macklin. I have had the honor to serve this community as Councilor and Mayor for many years and I hope to continue to do so. My wife and I made Macklin our home 41 years ago and have had the joy of raising our 4 children in this community.

Throughout my years in the community, I have had the opportunity to be involved in many groups and organizations which has given me the ability to get to know the community and the people within it. I have been involved with minor ball, minor hockey and senior hockey where I volunteered in various leadership and coaching roles throughout the years.

I have sought out opportunities to enhance and better our community through involvement in groups such as Communities in Bloom, the Macklin Cemetery Committee as well as being one of the founding members of the New Arena Committee, where I was involved in organizing and chaired the House Lottery and Shop Til You Drop fundraisers. It has been truly rewarding to see this endeavor through and how it has positively served our community since it's inception.

I am also committed to the ongoing health and well-being of our community through serving on the Golden Twilight Lodge Board, as well as chairing the Medical Clinic Committee. I dedicate many hours to advocating for our community to have appropriate and consistent access to a Doctor or Nurse Practitioner. Presently I am actively pursuing to secure permanent health care in our community.

In addition to these formal groups and organizations, I also seek out ways to informally support our community through helping at the Annual Figure Skating Carnival by designing the ice surface, helping to establish the community garden and participating in the annual haunted house fundraiser.

In a time where many rural communities face challenges in growth and sustainability, Macklin remains a vibrant community; a community that young families choose to settle in, grow old and retire in. Macklin is my home. Because of this, I am personally invested and dedicated to the continued success of this community and its citizens. I am proud to have served as Mayor of this community and am committed to its continuing momentum.

Going forward, with the engagement of the community and town council, I see Macklin continuing to thrive. I see additional opportunities for youth to take part in activities within our community. I envision affordable retirement opportunities with the knowledge of accessible senior housing. I see opportunity for business growth and development as well as enhancement to current infrastructure while ensuring fiscal responsibility. The times may be uncertain, but I feel the experience and leadership I have gained over the years make me believe the future of our community is bright. If given the opportunity, I would be honored to continue serving Macklin as Mayor and continuing in the tradition of it being a great place to call home.



Mayor Candidate: My name is Stephen Lowe. I am 39 years old. My wife's name is Kayla and I have 4 children, Kaegan, Darian, Kobe and Fehryn. I have been in Macklin since 2011. I own and operate Lowe Automotive Ltd and have since 2014. I have an Interprovincial Journeyman Certification in the Automotive Service Technician field. I also am trained and certified to the NFPA 1001 lvl2 professional firefighter accreditation. Since I arrived in Macklin I have been very involved in many aspects of town life. You will see me on the ice or diamonds coaching hockey and baseball. If you call 911 quite often you will see me hop out of a firetruck to come help you. If you notice suspicious activity and call the Macklin Crime Watch Division you will likely hear my voice on the other end of the line. If your car needs repair or maintenance most likely you walk through the doors of my business. I am the past president of the Macklin Chamber of Commerce. I have also served on town council for the past 4 years. I do all this because I Love This Town!

My bid for mayor is not about political aspirations. My real reasons are to start building the public's trust with our town leaders again. I want us to be more open and transparent. I want diverse views and ideas for this town. I believe the town is in need of fresh faces in the elected leadership roles.



#### Councillor Candidate:

My name is Greg Bast, I am 34 years old. My wife's name is Kaitlin and my daughter is Natalie. I am an Autobody tech and a Red seal journeyman. I have lived in Macklin all my life.

Been on the fire department for 16 years and have been the deputy chief for 5 years No particular aspirations. Just felt a change could be good for the community.



<u>Councillor Candidate:</u> My name is Justin Bast, I am 48 years old, my wife Sheila and I have two sons, Ashten and Andersen who both live in Macklin and work in the trades. Both Sheila and I have lived our entire lives here and attended Macklin School from K-12. After grade 12 I attended SIAST taking Business Administration.

I worked in the oilfield until 2017 when I decided that after 25 years it was time for a break. I worked for BMW Monarch, Weatherford, Midfield/ Europump and lastly MRC Global, starting in labourer positions and working my way up from Order Desk to Manager. I finished my oilfield stint with about 18 years of Management experience. The last couple years with the oil patch slow down and then Covid have left me with a good break and reset. I have recently started working at Macklin Rona and am happy to get back out and about.

As far as community service, I have 25 years with the Macklin Fire Department, and have held all positions there from firefighter, Deputy Chief, Fire Chief and am currently a Captain. I belong to the Macklin Crimewatch group and also volunteer time with the Macklin Senior Mohawks Executive. I have 2 previous terms (6 years) of Macklin council experience and very much enjoyed it and planned on returning to service once time allowed for it. I hope to continue our community's forward progress and business growth. Thank you.

<u>Councillor Candidate</u>: Hello , my name is Brad Bogen and I have lived in Macklin for the past 22 years and have been employed in the Oilfield Sector for all of those years. I currently am employed as the Lead Operator for Cardinal Energy out of Chauvin, Alberta. I have been married to my wife, Courtney, for over 9 years now.

I have been a dedicated member of the Macklin Wildlife Federation for the past 13 years. For the past two years I have taken on the role of President of the Macklin Wildlife Federation and served as Vice President for the two years prior to the Presidency role. I take great pride in all the Macklin Wildlife does in the community from the Annual Awards banquet, to maintaining the two trout ponds, to hosting the pancake breakfast during the Bunnock Tournament and lastly the installation of the fence down at the lake. My wife, Courtney, has been a member of the local Kinette Club for the past 9 years and I have volunteered countless hours to help the club out whenever needed.

If elected, I would welcome the residents of Macklin to bring forward any concerns they may have to either discuss with myself or to be addressed at a council meeting.



**Councillor Candidate:** My name is Kevin Fischer. I have lived in Macklin for almost 30 years. My wife, Myrna, and I have two children, Kirsten and Rhett, who attend Macklin school. I currently work for Mantl Canada. I have been on Town Council for 2 terms and am currently on Macklin & District Aquatic Centre Board, Macklin Lake Regional Park Board, Macklin & District Fire Department Board and Macklin Complex Board. I have volunteered with other extra curricular groups in the community by helping coach and manage hockey, baseball and softball. I also take part in organizing a Rec hockey team.

I am committed to a community that is progressive and able to attract new families and businesses while supporting and maintaining our existing businesses and services and current community members. I encourage the development of infrastructure to support our local business owners and community members to ensure a prosperous future for everyone who resides in Macklin. I believe in the delivery of essential services so all community members are able to acquire all of life's necessities in their home community.



<u>Councillor Candidate</u>: My name is Nicole Harbaruk Syverson and I am running for town council. I thought I would let you know a little about who I am and what I would like to accomplish if elected. I am 46 years old and was born and raised in Macklin. My parents, Bernie and Larry Hauck, owned a grocery store and the Sears office when I was growing up. After completing my schooling in Macklin I moved to Edmonton, AB and took Petroleum Engineering Technology and Fourth Class Power Engineering. I moved north to Rainbow Lake, AB briefly for work and then returned to Macklin to raise my family. While my kids, Tyler and Brenna, were growing up I was a member of various community groups. Some of them were the Kinette Club, Macklin Soccer Association, Communities In Bloom, Macklin Care-A-Lot Playschool, Moms and Tots and the Cemetery Committee. I currently work doing Quality Control for an oilfield construction company, sub as an EA at the school and in the summer I manage the swimming pool in town. Some of the things I want to work on if elected to council are attracting new people and businesses to our community which in turn provides local employment opportunities. I think long term planning is important for the sustainability of our community. Healthcare and safety for our community members is also a high priority to me. We need them both to keep our community strong.



#### Councillor Candidate: Rob McCaffery

Community Involvement

Age: 37 Family: Wife Kristen and son Keelan

Occupation: I have been in the Co-op system of 18 years, my position now is Consumer Business Division Manager for Delta Co-op Education: grade 12 from Hudson Bay, SK

MMHA coaching hockey for the past 5 years in Macklin ,

sitting on the MMHA board of directors for the past 4 years

MMBA coaching for 3 years

Community Projects : Co-op Outdoor Hockey rink updates

I think with my co-operative & retail business background and community drive would be a good fit for the community and for the Town of Macklin.



<u>Councillor Candidate</u>: My name is Bill Scheck I have been living in Macklin since 2002. My wife's name is Wendy and we have 3 children, Kelsey, Erika and Ethan. I work at Clean Harbors as a Field Operations Manager. I enjoy fishing, travelling, cooking, golfing and spending time with family and friends.

I have been a councillor for the town of Macklin for the past 13 years and have sat on various boards including Macklin Fireboard, Macklin Aquatic Centre board, Macklin Arena board and Macklin Lake Regional Park board. I have also been involved with Macklin Minor Hockey as an assistant coach and manager over the past 13 years.

I have always had a deep focus in making Macklin a better place to live and making it an attractive town to new families and new businesses.



<u>Councillor Candidate</u>: Eric Scherger, I grew up in Macklin area, Then attended NAIT in Edmonton where I received my journeyman carpenter certificate . In 1980 I moved back to Macklin with my wife Marie and started E+L Building Contractors which I worked at until five years ago when I retired. I have been on town council for 22 years have been on many committees and organizations some of which are Arena chair person for 22 years , WYWRA garbage authority for 12 years , Swimming Pool committee 4 years , Lake View Cemetery committee 2 years , Streets and Roads and most recently the Complex parking Lot. In the past I have also been on Primate and Macklin School board, Macklin Mohawks, Parish council, Heritage park, Macklin Regional Park, Library Board , West Central Government , ARWMAS Board.

If elected I want to see the pavement project completed , 2 Nurse Practitioners living and working in Macklin. New Gateway to Lake View Cemetery. Also up grades to down town. I have lived and worked here in Macklin area most of my life and have seen many changes and much growth over the years. Since I have retired from E + L Building Contractors five years ago I have found even more time to represent the citizens of Macklin as a town council person.



<u>Councillor Candidate:</u> James Stang, 41, wife Lindsay, children Peyton and Isabella, Safety Coordinator, Graduate of Macklin High School. Currently enrolled in Health and Safety Certificate at UNB. 32 years living in the community

Involvement in Community: Macklin Bunnock Committee 5years Macklin Fire Department 7 months

If Elected: make a positive change in Macklin and to be a voice on Council for those that have felt that their opinion's in the last couple of years haven't mattered or have been ignored.

Visions/aspirations: To serve the people and businesses of Macklin and to put their interests above all else. To help bring a Full Time Dr. or Nurse Practitioner back to our community and surrounding area.



 Councillor Candidate:
 Rodney Stang, Age 47

 Married 23 years with two children
 Business Owner with a Degree in Business Administration

 Born and raised in Macklin
 Involvement in the Community:

 Macklin Minor Hockey Association – 9 years and President for 2 years
 Macklin Minor Hockey Association – Head Coach for 6 years and

 Macklin Golf Association – 7 years, President for 4 years
 Macklin Senior Hockey Association – Head Coach for 2 years

 Macklin Lake Regional Park Board – Director for 9 years
 Macklin Senior Hockey Club – Director 9 months

 Macklin Minor Ball Association – Assistant Coach 2 years
 I am seeking election because I am proud to call Macklin "Home." If elected, I will work hard to ensure that Macklin is a great place for others to live, work, raise families, and enjoy all this community has to offer.



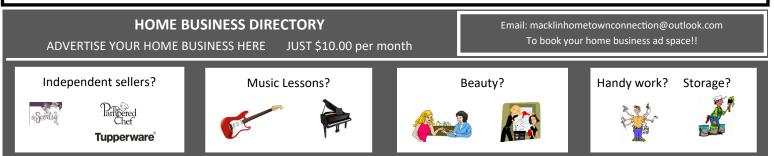
<u>Councillor Candidate:</u> Hello, my name is Kelsie Valliere, I am 31 years old and have lived in Macklin since August of 2013. I currently work as the Marketing & Communications Manager for Delta Co-op and previously worked in a similar role at the local Credit Union from 2013-2017. I have my Bachelor of Arts Degree in Communications and Film from Carleton University, earned my Certified Strategic Marketing Executive designation, and am a Certified Event Planner. I have also taken numerous courses in Governance, Public Relations, Culture, etc. My family includes my boyfriend and cat in my household and my sister and her boyfriend also moved to town this past year. I have always been a firm believer in being an active participant in the community I live in. I find this allows you to feel connected to the people you live near and allows you to ensure things important to you are always there. I have been fortunate to be part of a lot of great organizations/committees and the networking, access to ongoing learning, and space to share expertise while being part of change have always been great motivators for me. I wish to be elected to the Macklin Town Council as I think my experience with governance would be a great asset and I believe I can offer new and varied insights and perspectives to strategic planning for our community. If elected, I would be dedicated to ensuring I represent ideas and concerns as free of bias as possible so as to keep decision making beneficial to the community at large and not focused on individual gains. I hope you will consider me when choosing your

Town Council. My other community involvement includes: Macklin Arts Council - I joined the Arts Council in 2015. I have served as the performing arts coordinator since then and have been president as well for the past 3 years, Macklin & District Hall Committee-I have been a member of this committee for the past 2 years, Macklin Chamber of Commerce-I have been a member of 7 years, Macklin Adult Drama-I have been a participating member of this performance group for 7 years, I am an active member of the Bunnock Committee and specifically help out with social media, photography, opening ceremonies, and other general volunteer duties, Delta Co-op Board of Directors - prior to being employed by Delta Co-op I served as part of the board for 3 and a half years (January 2014 - May 2017), Unity Chamber of Commerce - Celebrate Unity Committee-I have been a part of this committee for 3 years helping celebrate and recognize local business.



<u>Councillor Candidate:</u> Hello my name is Wendy Weinkauf and I am running for a seat on the Macklin Town Council. I am 44 years old and currently work at Macklin School as the librarian. I was born and raised in Macklin and went on to complete a four-year degree in Psychology at Augustana University College in Camrose. Following university I worked as a school counsellor at Provost and then worked as a Counsellor/Program Coordinator/Campus Manager throughout Prairie West/Great Plains College. Throughout my career with the college, I moved to Kindersley, Biggar and finally back home to Macklin in 2009. Whether in Macklin or in the other communities I have lived, I have always believed in being involved in the community. In Kindersley, I represented the college on the local Chamber of Commerce and chaired the annual Goose Festival and started my participation in Kinettes. As a Kinette, I had the privilege to serve as a representative of the Kinsmen Foundation for our zone as well as two terms as a Deputy Governor. As a resident of Biggar, I served on the board of the Biggar Family Centre and Biggar Group Home as well as representing staff as our bargaining chair on union negotiations and the SGEU provincial council. Since moving back home in 2009, I have continued to volunteer in the community. I have been a member of the Macklin Library Board and Arts Council and continue to serve as a member of the Macklin Kinette Club, entering my 16th as a Kinette. I am currently a member of the Macklin Hall Committee, Macklin Adult Drama and a caller for the Macklin

Bingo Association. As a staff member of Macklin School, I am a co-advisor for the yearbook committee and SADD (Students Against Drinking & Driving). Anyone who knows me could tell you that I love quotes and one of my favorites is "When you know better, you do better." I would like to be elected to Town Council because I want to learn more about how decisions are made that affect our town, our lives and our future. I want to use that knowledge to help shape the community and continue to make it a place where people want to work, live and raise their children. I believe my purpose is to simply serve the community and ensure that residents have a voice at the table, because it shouldn't be about one person's vision – it should be about a community vision. Although.... If I'm going to take over the world someday, I need to start somewhere I Thank you for taking the time to read this and regardless of who you choose to vote for, please vote.



### Letter from the Chief

Hey Everyone. November is already here. In some ways it has been a very fast year and in some ways it has been a long one. I think most of us are ready to turn the calendar to 2021 and hope it is a more normal year.

Remember we are all in this together and kindness and patience are going to go a long way in helping all of us get through this.

October was fire prevention month. I hope you all took a little time to check your smoke detectors and reviewed your fire escape plan at home with your family. We did visit the school again this year. It was quite a bit different than what we have done in previous years. Instead of having the kids come to the hall, we set up a small display in the parking lot by the school and had the kids come out and hear our lessons outside. They were asked to review some Information as a class and watch a short video then we would answer any questions they had. They are a bright bunch of students and they had some great questions. I would like to thank the teaches and students from Kindergarten to Grade 3 for taking the time to come see us. I hope you all learned something about Fire Safety in the Kitchen. I would also like to thank Elliott Cline and Cody Heffner for taking time off work to spend a day with the students and staff. Very much appreciated men!!! November is also a good time to check the condition of the tires on your vehicles. If you have winter or ice tires it is a good time to install them. Also make sure you car is ready for winter with proper antifreeze, a working block heater and that your heater and defrost functions are working properly. Putting an extra blanket and some extra warm cloths in your vehicle is also a great idea. These are simple things that are easy to do and you will be a lot more prepared for the first time old man winter takes a punch at us!!

Be safe out there everyone. Pat G. Stang, Fire Chief Have a great month!! Macklin & District Fire Rescue Cell: 306-753-7378

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#### Fully Licensed Clubhouse & Golf Course

Ph: (306) 753-2175

\*All prices include GST/PST

\* All Clubhouse Favourites and Build-Your-Own Burgers are served with your choice of fries, cactus cut chips or tater tots. Add gravy \$ 1.50 \*Upgrade to poutine, onion rings or Caesar salad for \$2

Appetizers:

- Wings (10) variety flavs-12
- Dry Ribs 9
- Popcorn Chicken 9
- Cactus Cut Chips 7
- Jalapeno Poppers -2/each
- Mozza Sticks 2/each
- Mac & Cheese Bites 7
- Nachos 14

#### Salads:

- Caesar Salad 8
- Add Breast of Chicken 4
- Taco Shell Salad (dine in only) 12

#### Build-Your-Own Burger - 14

Hamburger, Grilled Chicken Breast, Spicy Breaded Chicken or Fish

- Add: Lettuce, Tomato, Onions, Pickles
- Sauce: Mayo, Chipotle Mayo, BBQ Sauce
- Extras (\$1.5): Cheddar Cheese, Mozza Cheese, Mushrooms, Bacon
- \*Mondays Wing Night 6 to 8
- \*Bookings available on request \* Senior discount will apply on food

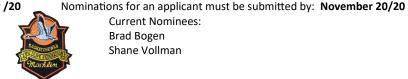
Notice of open position: PRESIDENT

#### Macklin Wildlife Federation Public Notice of Nomination

#### Notice of open position: VICE PRESIDENT

Nominations for an applicant must be submitted by: November /20

**Current Nominees:** Michael Volk Bert Gartner



**Current Nominees:** Brad Bogen Shane Vollman





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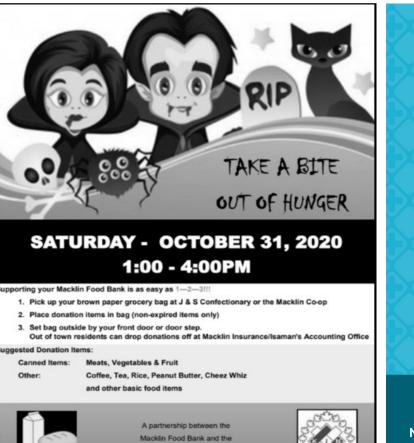
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**RESIDENTIAL \* COMMERCIAL \* AGRICULTURAL NEW BUILDINGS \* ADDITIONS \* RENOVATIONS INTERIOR DESIGN \* DRAFTING \* BLINDS** HOMES \* SHOPS \* GARAGES \* CONCRETE \* DECKS

- **Clubhouse Favourites:** 
  - Popcorn Chicken Poutine 13
  - Chicken Bacon Ranch Wrap 14
  - Chicken Caesar Wrap 14
  - ♥ Fish & Chips 14
  - Chicken Strips 14
  - Hot Hamburger 14
  - Clubhouse Sandwich 15
  - Beef Dip 15
  - Steak Sandwich 17

#### Kid's Menu (add fries for \$2.50):

- Grilled Cheese − 4
- Chicken Strips 6
- Mac & Cheese Bites 4



#### RCMP MACKLIN REPORT - Sept. 22 - Oct. 20

Macklin Kinette Club

- RCMP received a complaint of an individual sending obscene material in the mail. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police received a Mental Health Act complaint. Members spoke with the subject of complaint.
- Members are investigating a complaint of assault.
- RCMP conducted a wellbeing check at the request of the Saskatchewan Mental Health Authority.
- There was also one false alarm and one traffic complaint.
- RCMP received a complaint of an individual in a rural area with a firearm. The complainant stated the individual appeared to be a hunter but was concerned it was too close to the highway. Members patrolled but could not locate the subject of complaint.
- Members assisted an individual in locating a place to stay.
- Police received a complaint of uttering threats. This matter is still under investigation.
- Members acted as mediators in a family dispute.
- RCMP received a complaint of a stolen truck but it was unfounded.



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- Police received a report of a missing person but it was unfounded.
- Members are investigating a complaint of uttering threats.
- RCMP received a complaint of theft. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police received a complaint of breach of peace. Members attended but the subject of complaint was gone on arrival.
- Members attended a vehicle fire in a rural area. Macklin Fire Department extinguished the fire which was not suspicious in nature.
- RCMP received a complaint of fraud but it was unfounded.
- RCMP received a notification from Provost RCMP of a break and enter at an Alberta Treasury Branch in Czar, Alberta. The suspect vehicle was not located in the area.
- A 24-year old male from Macklin was charged with Assault after Members received a complaint of a domestic dispute.
- Members acted as mediators in a family dispute.
   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.

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#### Remembrance Day Ceremony

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The Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #90 is sad to announce that there will be no public Remembrance Day Service at Macklin or Unity this year because of the pandemic, and age of our participants. Instead, a small service will be held at the Unity Legion for members and a few invited guests. You are however invited to participate with the public by watching the TV broadcasts of National and Provincial Ceremonies, as they are held at Ottawa, Regina and others you may find online.

The annual wreath/cross campaign will still be taking place, but the legion is asking businesses, families, and groups who would like a wreath laid in memory of a loved one or departed Veteran, to please contact the legion or members by Nov 8th. Payment for wreaths/ crosses, or just a donation can be submitted to Lorne Kohlman in Macklin at 306-753-7462, or Mike Wildeman in Unity at 306-228-2137.

Anyone wanting to lay a wreath, is asked to present them on their own time on Nov. 11th, at the cenotaph or gravesite of their choice. Feel free to visit our gravesites and cenotaph after 6 pm to view the luminaries put out by our members in honor of our fallen comrades. The Legion would also like to announce that the poppy trays will again be distributed to businesses in the area for your convenience. Please support and wear a poppy in remembering our fallen and departed Veterans.

> Submitted by Lorne Kohlman Unity Legion Branch #90 President



## FIGHT

Saskatchewan Health Authority

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The flu vaccine is a safe, effective way to help people stay healthy, prevent illness and save lives. Free vaccine offered through public health clinics across the province, some physician and nurse

- Practitioner offices and in local pharmacies. New pharmacists can vaccinate children 5 years and up. Anyone six months and older can receive the flu vaccine and is encouraged to get vaccinated early in the season.
- Getting immunized is especially important for pregnant women, young children, seniors and people
   with underlying health conditions.

Communiplex	
Hwy 31	
Macklin	
Thursday, Nov 5	
10:00-4:00	

Hwy 31 Macklin Friday, Dec 11 09:30—2:00

St. Joseph's Health Centre

ALL FLU CLINICS ARE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY. PLEASE CALL 1-833-653-3301 TO BOOK

Clinics start October 19. A complete listing of flu clinics offered by the Saskatchewan Health Authority can be easily accessed at <u>www.4flu.co</u> or by calling HealthLine 811.

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### Hometown Connection Advertising:

Yearly Business card size ad - Chamber members only \$175.00/year Yearly Business card size ad - Non-Chamber member \$250.00/year \$25.00/month Monthly Business card size ad - open to all \$40.00/month Monthly  $\frac{1}{4}$  page ad – open to all Monthly  $\frac{1}{2}$  page ad – open to all \$60.00/month Monthly <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> page ad – open to all \$90.00/month Monthly Full page ad – open to all (limited space) \$120.00/month

Community news is free of charge. All other Ads are subject to standard rates (noted above)

- Ads and articles must be submitted in print ready form.
- 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 24<sup>th</sup> of the month.
- Payment must be made up front by cheque to "Macklin Chamber of Commerce"
- 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

ARTICLES WELCOME!! Please submit any Articles in and around town to help inform town citizens on local events. (local residents. sports.

#### MACKLIN LIBRARY

Tuesday: 1:00 - 6:00 Wednesday: 1:00 - 6:00 Thursday: 10:00 - 2:00

Beginning December 7 we will be hosting a virtual auction on our Facebook page. There will be a new item offered each day for twelve days ending December 18. The items will be up for bids from 10:00 AM until 4:00 PM each day. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for sneak peeks!

A Harry Potter Reading Group – The Macklin Muggles – is now meeting by Zoom on Mondays. For more information, or if you are interested, contact Ashley at 639-313-6004.

**Questions?** Call Jennifer at 306-753-2933 or email macklin.lib@lakeland.lib.sk.ca



# HRISTMAS IN OUR TOWN



## GRAND IN Your Hand

Shop & Win - Shop locally at Chamber businesses in Macklin and you could win one of three cash prizes! Every purchase made at a chamber business gets you ONE (1) entry.

#### **Draw Dates:**

- 1. November 20th \$100 Chamber Bucks 2. November 27th - \$250 Chamber Bucks
- 3. December 5th \$1000 Chamber Bucks

\*Deadline for first two draws is noon on draw day. ballots can be turned in at Macklin Synergy Credit Union. Final draw will be made on Saturday. December 5, deadline time TBD. Stay tuned to our Facebook page or watch for our mailer.

## SAVE THE DATE

As there will be no Christmas Social this year, the Macklin Chamber of Commerce will

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SATURDAY

host a full afternoon of holiday cheer on SAT., DECEMBER 5TH.

More details will be coming soon. Watch our Facebook page or look for a mailer coming soon for all the details.





#### Leighton Hauck

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