



Allan Community Newsletter

Allan 100 Years— 1910-2010

Anyone who would like to contribute to the Allan Community Newsletter can email: wanda.boon@spiritsd.ca.

Any business that would like to advertise will be billed \$5.00 for the newsletter space to help recover costs. The newsletter will be out by the first of each month. All information MUST be submitted by the 20th of each month to meet deadlines. **Submissions may be edited due to space.**

Allan Parks & Recreation

The Saskatchewan Parks & Recreation Association (SPRA) is now accepting nominations for its annual awards program. The SPRA awards were initiated to pay tribute to those exceptional individuals, groups and communities whose efforts & skills have made extraordinary contributions towards the betterment of the parks & recreation movement in Saskatchewan. Nominations can be for merit, volunteer of the year, youth volunteer of the year, fitness leadership, community achievement, etc. Nomination deadline is May 10, 2010. For more information or a nomination form contact Val Anderson at 257-4365.

Our next meeting will be April 14th, 2010 at 7:30 at the Town Office council chambers.

Allan Centennial Committee (2010 100th Birthday Celebration) June 4th 5th & 6th

Chairperson- Val Anderson 257-4365 or 257-3324 (250) garval@sasktel.net
Treasurer- Josie Rice
Secretary- Christa Parent- 257-3204

Contacts for the Celebration Weekend: Celebration weekend web-site:

www.allacentennial2010.ca
-Performing & Visual Arts- Allan School 257-3311
-Outdoor Stage—(Sat.) Randy Schmaltz 257-4177
-Parade- Shirley or Karsten Frydenlund 257-3511
-Museum- Shirley Frydenlund 257-3311 or Belinda Fitzsimmons 257-4341
-Social at Communipelx (Friday) - Christa Parent 257-3204
-Beach Volleyball- Crystal Boehm 257-3996
-Carnival/Kids games- Carrie Hagel 257-3336 (volunteers appreciated)
-Beer Gardens/BBQ- Darlene Kraft- 257-4348 (volunteers appreciated) (Proceeds for the swimming pool)
-Hail Storm Display- Christa Parent 257-3204 email christa.parent@sasktel.net (All photos welcome)
-Saturday Steak Supper & Dance Elmer Rathje 257-3938 Jerome Bonokoski 257-4223 - Music by "Englund" advance tickets only for supper \$15.00 Dance \$10.00; both \$25.00.

Any help you can provide is appreciated, please contact the people above. If anyone is organizing or

would like to organize a **ball tournament** for Saturday and/or a **golf tournament** for Sunday, please contact someone from the committee before April 14th so we can finalize the weekend activities.

We will have a complete list of celebration activities in the May newsletter.

We would like to request that you extend an invitation to all your family, friends, and any former residents of Allan that you are in contact with, as we will not be issuing formal invitations.

The next meetings are **April 14, 2010** at the town office in the council chambers and **May 19, 2010**.

News from the Town Office

Upcoming Regular Meetings of Council

- Budget Meeting Monday, Apr.12, 2010 @ 7:00 pm
- Monday, April 19, 2010 @ 7:00 pm

As always, meetings are open to the public for spectators; however, if you wish to make an appointment to address Council, please do so three business days before the meeting.

Transfer Station Hours: Tuesday & Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Allan's 100th Birthday

The plans are firming up for the 100th Birthday Party on

June 4, 5, 6. Contact members of the Parks & Rec. Committee if you are able to help out with this celebration.

Spring Cleaning

Hopefully, the snow clearing will soon be over. However, with the snow being gone, time for spring cleaning arrives. Council hopes everyone will do their part with their property to ensure Allan is a pleasant place to live. With visitors expected for the 100th Birthday celebrations, Council will be taking action to have the town cleaned up earlier than usual this year. Please make sure that your yard is cleaned up so that Council will not request a letter be sent to you.

Sink Or Swim

The Sink or Swim committee is in desperate need of new committee members. As you all know, this is a very costly project. Although we received government funding for reconstruction, there is still a need for fundraising to help in other areas such as the change rooms, landscaping etc. If anyone is interested in joining this worthwhile cause, please contact Anne Luster 257- 3506.

St. Aloysius CWL

Meetings are at 7:30 p.m., every 1st Wednesday of the month @ Allan Parkland Hall. Contacts: Marie Vogelgesang ...257- 4152 or Bea Brossart...257- 4330. Everyone welcome.

Allan Bowl & Recreation Centre

*Allan Bowl & Recreation Centre
~Featuring*

"The Fireside Room"~



*Fresh Subs and Wraps,
Homemade Soups, **Pizza**
and A Growing Menu....*

Come check us out for Lunch, Supper or a slice of fresh baked pie or a cookie.

We are also taking bookings for Birthday Parties (of all ages), Anniversary Parties, or Graduation Celebrations!!!!!!

Please call Steve or Tonia Peters to book a Reservation (257-4377).

*Catered Meals/ Licensed Dining/
Friendly Staff/*

*Seating for approximately 50 people.
The Fireside Lounge is NOW OPEN!!*

This sports lounge features comfortable seating, fireplace, a Golf Simulator and free pool.

TOPS SK #1739 Allan

TOPS is a nonprofit weight-loss support club. TOPS is an acronym for "Take Off Pounds Sensibly". Meetings are held every **Monday at 7:00 pm** in the basement of the **Allan Baptist Church**. For more info, please call Bernie (4397) or Bev (4223).

Auction Sales For:

Maria Palmer of Allan, SK

April 10, 2010 10:00 a.m.
Allan Parkland Hall
&

**Farm Dispersal for
Victor & Herta Koop of
Dundurn, SK**

April 24, 2010 10:00 a.m.

**P & D Marketing &
Auctioneers**—watch for sale bills.

Norwex

Clean without chemicals!! Monthly specials & hostess incentives. If you would like a Norwex book or more information about our products, contact Val Anderson 257-4365 or email garval@sasktel.net

Euphoria

*** Relax and be pampered by Michelle and Amanda's years of experience! ***

**Amanda Jaques -
257-3892/230-4001**

-registered massage therapist

**Special Promotion for First Time Clients!
Attention Brides & Grad Girls
(Moms, Sisters, Aunts & Grandmothers)!!**

**It's time to get ready for that special day!!
Enjoy some pampering and relaxation by treating yourself to some beautifying services in your area!**

**Book your gel nails/
toenails, manicures/
pedicures or waxing before
May 31, 2010 and receive
\$15.00 off any service!**

**All of these services provided by,
Signature Nails @
Euphoria Studio
by
Michelle Riehl
216 Main Street, Allan**

**Contact me today at
257-3366 (home)
or 270-7748 (cell)**

Community Update

It has been three months since the disastrous fire in Allan which destroyed the Soltys' residence. At that time, the Allan Elks set up a fund at the Allan TD Bank for donations to assist the family with medical assistance, housing needs, utilities, and home insurance. If anyone has any questions in regards to this account and what the funds have been used for, they may contact myself or any member of the Elks Executive.

There has been confusion with this account and another which was set up on Facebook. If you have any questions regarding that account, please contact the name on that account.

The Elks would like to again thank those who donated personal items for the Soltys family. If you are still storing some larger items for the Soltys', please contact them to make arrangements for pick up or delivery.

Thank you,

Elmer Rathje
Allan Elks
257-3938

Public Indoor/Outdoor Storage



Newly opened Public Indoor & Outdoor Self Storage building in Allan.

We offer individual storage units with your own lock. The site is well lit and is protected by surveillance cameras. There are 14 X 8.5 units and 14 X 11.5 units available. We also have a large compound that is fenced with barbed wire and secure gates for outside storage for boats, cars, RV's, etc. Ideal for both commercial and personal storage. **Call 1-306-290-9099 for details.**

Allan Royal Purple

Nominations are now open for the Royal Purple Citizenship Award. This community award is open to anyone of any age. To nominate a citizen of our community, nominations MUST be in by April 30, 2010. The award will be presented on May 8th at our Annual Mother's Day Tea & Bake Sale. Forms may be picked up at Allan Agencies and then mailed to Allan Royal Purple, Box 512, Allan, SK S0K 0C0, or dropped off at Allan Agencies.

Meetings of the Allan Royal Purple take place at 8 p.m. at the Allan Elks & Royal Purple Community Hall

Oasis Tanning & Hair

****Spring Sale****

10.00 OFF any senior perm
Grads receive FREE MINUTES with any lotion purchased

Call: Shauna @ 257-3981 or 257-7707 Mon-Thurs. Evening appts. available upon request.

Located at 216 Westview Pl. Don't let your vitamin D levels get low. Come in for a tan and feel refreshed.

Allan School Community Council

Time is running out for nominations for Allan's Wall of Fame! If you know someone (or an organization, business or committee) who meets (met) these criteria, or you would like to submit your own name, please do so by APRIL 15. We would like a good quality photo (4" x 6" or larger, print or digital) and a brief write-up about the nominee. The nominees will be on display at the school during the Centennial Opening Ceremonies on June 4. **SCC elections and the Annual Meeting will be held April 20th. The regular SCC meeting will be at 5:30, with the Annual Meeting beginning at 7 pm. There will be five positions available on the board – please consider joining our committee!**

Allan Community Heritage Society and Museum

Ticket sales for our May cash lottery are well under way. They are available at the Town Office, Family Tree, Allan Agencies and the Bowling Alley, as well as from board members. Only 100 tickets are available, so get yours soon! Draws will begin May 1 and continue through the month. Good luck! Our next regular meeting is Tues., April 27th at 7:00 pm in the Council Chambers.

Allan Food Bank

The Allan Food Bank is always in need of donations. Donations of non-perishable food to the Food Bank can be made at the Allan Coop, or by **contacting Richard Neal at 257-3788**. If you wish to receive a delivery from the Food Bank, please call Richard at least two days in advance of delivery dates @ 257-3788. **Delivery dates for this month are the 15th and 30th.**

Wheatland Regional Library—Allan Branch

Branch Librarian:
Anita Church
Phone: 257-4222

NEW Hours of Operation:
Mon. 5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Wed. 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thurs. 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
These new hours are in effect beginning March 1, 2010.

Looking for a special book? – try our website at www.wheatland.sk.ca. You can order your book in – either from within our region or even interlibrary. Stop in for details or for help with ordering.

Get ready for our Annual Book Sale and BBQ. This will be coming up on May 26, 2010. New this year: “Plant Swap”. Are you splitting perennials – looking to expand your flower bed? Come, bring your plants, take home something new.

New Horizons News

Our 2 day 55+ Mature Driving Course held in early March was a very informative update on defensive driving. The course was enjoyed by all 18 participants.

Plans were set in motion for our participation for the

100th Birthday Celebration being held in June this year.

Twenty-eight members turned out for our supper meeting held on March 8th. We have four positions for the board to be filled.

Dates to keep in mind:

Board Mtg. Mon., Apr. 5th 10:00 a.m.
Supper Mtg. Tues., Apr. 13th 5:30 p.m.
Cards every Tuesday 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.
Cards & Games every Thursday 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.
Exercises as per usual...
Monday, Wednesday & Fridays... 9:00-10:00 am

St. Aloysius Church

Easter Tridium 2010 Celebrations at

St. Aloysius Church:
Holy Thursday Apr. 1st 9 pm
Good Friday Apr. 2nd 1 pm
Holy Saturday Apr. 3rd 7 pm
Easter Sunday Apr. 4th 9 am

Weekly Prayer Time:

Wednesdays at 3:30 pm at the church.

Weekly Bible Study:

Fridays at 2:45 pm at the rectory. (Apr. 16th onwards)

A NEW Bible Study will begin April 16th. We meet at the parish rectory. Drop-ins are welcome. Materials provided, but please bring a notebook for personal use. For more information, contact Anne 257-3578.

Thank You

We would like to thank everyone for all the well wishes, cards and meals after the loss of two family members; Olga Guris, grandmother and mother and Lorne Haron, father and husband. We would also like to thank the Town for clearing the front of our homes so quickly after this all happened. As well, a special

thank you to the first responders for all that you did. There will be a memorial bench put in place in the town park in Lorne's name for those who wish to donate, please do so at the town office.

Sincerely,
Maria Palmer, Genevieve Burns & family, and Pauline Palmer & family.

Allan Creative Players

The Allan Creative Players would like to thank everyone who assisted with our production of “Seniors of the Sahara” this year. It is always a large undertaking and we are very grateful for the support of our community. We had 185 guests for the two dinner theatres and 67 for the Sunday matinee on the March 19-21 weekend. New this year, we requested donations for the Allan Food Bank. Guests who brought in non-perishable items or donated cash were eligible for a gift certificate draw. Several large baskets full of food were donated, as was \$100 in cash. Thank you to those who participated. Thanks to Wal-Mart, El Pronto Parging and the Bradwell Store for donating the gift certificates! Following the production, our annual meeting was held. Bev Bonokoski stepped down as president (and director!), and Mary Virtue took over the president position. Sandra Wilson became the secretary, with Kevin Fitzsimmons remaining as treasurer, and Anita Church taking on the vice-president role. Proceeds from this year's production will be divided between the swimming pool and the museum.

Allan Elks News

In February, the Allan Elks had their first Club 52 draw. Winners were: Russell Milbery, Willis Colby, Jason Irvine, Derek Everitt, Derrick Hnatew. The next draws take place the last Friday of the month at the Bings. The Allan Elks and other lodges and Royal Purple in the district have been busy in the month of March selling tickets on a 2010 LX Hybrid Sedan vehicle and other prizes in the malls in Saskatoon for the Charity Appeal (proceeds of this go towards the Elk and Royal Purple Fund for the Children and the Saskatchewan Elks Foundation).

Allan's 100th Birthday Celebration is fast approaching on June 4—6. The Allan Elks are proud to be a part of the town's birthday. The Elks will be hosting a steak supper and dance on June 5th. Tickets for this event will be going on sale starting April 15th until May 31st.

Tickets for the steak supper are advance tickets only at a cost of \$15/person! The tickets for the dance can be purchased in advance or at the door for \$10/person. Those who purchase advance tickets have a chance to win a \$25 door prize. There will also be burgers and hotdogs available for those who do not want steak. Again, please purchase your tickets for supper early to avoid disappointment, ticket sales will go fast. For more information or to purchase your supper tickets, please contact Elmer 257-3938, Jerome 257-4223, or Art 257-4268.

Exalted Ruler
Art Rathje

April 2010

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

				<p>1</p> <p>Senior Cards 7:30-9:30pm</p> <p>Library Hours 1-5pm</p> <p>Mass 9pm</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Good Friday Services 1pm</p> <p>Senior Exercises 9-10am</p> <p>No School—Easter</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p> <p>Easter Vigil 7pm</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Mass 9am</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>New Horizons Board Mtg. 10am</p> <p>Library Hours 5-7pm</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p> <p>Senior Cards 1:30-4:30pm</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 4-9pm</p> <p>CWL Mtg.-7:30pm</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Senior Cards 7:30-9:30pm</p> <p>Library Hours 1-5pm</p> <p>Elks Meeting</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Senior Exercises 9-10am</p> <p>Elk's Bingo 7:45pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p>
<p>11</p> <p>Mass 11 am</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 5-7pm</p> <p>School Resumes</p> <p>Town Council Budget</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p> <p>Senior Cards 1:30-4:30pm</p> <p>New Horizons Supper</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 4-9pm</p> <p>Parks & Rec. Mtg.—7:30pm</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Library Hours 1-5pm</p> <p>Senior Cards 7:30-9:30pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p>Senior Exercises 9-10am</p> <p>Elk's Bingo 7:45pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p> <p>Mass 7pm</p>
<p>18</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 5-7pm</p> <p>Town Council Mtg.—7pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p> <p>Senior Cards 1:30-4:30pm</p> <p>SCC Annual Mtg. 7pm</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 4-9pm</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Library Hours 1-5pm</p> <p>Elk's Meeting</p> <p>Senior Cards 7:30-9:30pm</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Senior Exercises 9-10am</p> <p>Elk's Bingo 7:45pm</p>	<p>24</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p>
<p>25</p> <p>Mass 9am</p> <p>Pancake Breakfast</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 5-7pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Transfer Station Open—11am to 4pm</p> <p>Senior Cards 1:30-4:30pm</p> <p>Allan Community Heritage Museum Mtg. 7:00pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Library Hours 4-9pm</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Library Hours 1-5pm</p> <p>Senior Cards 7:30-9:30pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Senior Exercise 9-10am</p> <p>Elk's Bingo 7:45pm</p>	