the Pilot Butte Fire Department spent the evening at the STARS hangar for a training/refresher course on Landing Zones to assist the STARS crew land their helicopter at emergency scenes.

Kevin Dell, Pilot Butte Fire Chief

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**Submissions and Payment**

Please remember to send your submissions no later than 5 pm on the 20th. Anything received after cannot be guaranteed to be inserted into the issue. Your continued co-operation is appreciated. **PLEASE EMAIL the News and viewS @ newsandviews@sasktel.net or drop it off at the Pilot Butte Town Office.**

As always, a huge THANK YOU to the sponsors who have renewed their squares or are new to our backpage—We truly cannot publish without your generous support!

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Dance Sensations—16/17

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2017 Pilot Butte Collection Calendar
Garbage ONLY  Recycle ONLY

January 2017

February 2017

March 2017

April 2017

May 2017

June 2017

July 2017

August 2017

September 2017

October 2017

November 2017

December 2017

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Regina, SK S4N 4Y1

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Email: cart@loraasdisposal.com

Please have your cart out to the curb no later than 7 am
The Council Connection

Council meetings are Open to the Public. Meetings are normally held the 2nd and 4th MONDAY of each month. If a Statutory Holiday falls on a regularly scheduled Council meeting Monday, the Council meeting will be held on the Tuesday. Unscheduled Special Meetings are advertised in advance for public attendance.

Your newly Elected Council Members who will be representing your interests will be Mayor Peggy Chorney, along with Councillors Teresa Blommaert, Jean Lowenberger, Bruce MacKenzie, Lydia Riopka, Nathan Schmidt, Ed Sigmeth. Please contact the Town Office at 306.781.4547 should you have any questions or concerns on any issue.

The Council meetings for 2017 are as follows:

February 27  March 13, 27  April 10, 24  May 8, 23
June 12, 26  July 10, 24  August 14, 28  September 11, 25
October 10, 23  November 13, 27  December 11

You can contact us at 306.781.4547 or townofpilotbutte@sasktel.net. We are also on the web at www.pilotbutte.ca. The site is updated on a regular basis. If you have any suggestions or comments on our website, please feel free to let us know. We welcome any and all feedback.

Garbage/Recycling Cart Placement

Please ensure that your garbage or recycling cart is placed properly for pickup.

Always place the cart with its wheels facing towards the curb or edge of the roadway.

In addition, please put the cart where the truck arm can easily grab the cart and empty your cart without any debris landing on the ground!

If it is not accessible to the truck arm, then your garbage/recycling may not be picked up.

Thank you for your co-operation.

SEWAGE BLOCKAGE - If you suspect you have a sewer blockage, the line MUST be checked by the Town Maintenance Staff. Payment may be refused (at the discretion of the Director of Public Works & Maintenance Operations) if this condition is not met. A maintenance man is on call after hours for emergencies and is available by calling 306-781-4547 Option 4. Thank you.
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The Town of Pilot Butte now offers residents the opportunity to receive municipal notices as attachments in an e-mail rather than by regular mail. The service is a great convenience for those on the go!

If you would like your utility, tax, assessment and/or any other town notices emailed to you, please fill out the Consent Form and note your account number for your utility and/or tax account. The form now has a check box for convenience.

In 2017, all residents will receive an assessment notice. This notice will also be emailed if you have submitted an authorization form. If you do not want the assessment notice emailed and you have submitted an authorization form, please email the townofpilotbutte@sasktel.net to have that form sent via regular mail.

You can drop off the completed form at the Town Office or email it back to pbadminassist3@sasktel.net. Thank you. Forms with the check box not checked will not be acknowledged so please be sure you have filled out the form correctly and checked off the box. Thank you.

Consent to the use of e-mail for the delivery of municipal notices includes agreement with the following:

A. Failure to receive an e-mailed municipal notice does not release the resident from their responsibility to pay any charges specified on the notice, or any penalties which may be incurred by late payment;
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C. I may withdraw from e-mail delivery at any time. To do so I will inform the Town of Pilot Butte and all notices which were previously e-mailed to me will be sent by regular mail.

For further information, please call the Town at 306-781-4547 or email townofpilotbutte@sasktel.net. The form is on the town website at www.pilotbutte.ca

According to the 2016 Census numbers, Pilot Butte grew by 294 people to a population of 2137. Upon reflection, this number does seem a bit low as the town had 268 new home building permits since the last census.

This is a good reminder to all of us as residents to ensure we fill out the census cards when asked. Grants are based on population so if for some reason a resident doesn’t fill out their forms, this equals a reduction in a grant and a potential increase in taxes. So do your part to help us grow and receive the grant dollars we are entitled to by always being counted! Thank you.

On Friday, February 10, 2017 the Storm came out to skate with the pre-school children from PB School. How nice that the Storm guys got up early to work with these little people! Thank you for taking the time to do this with these little kids.

Many of the children were so pleased to be with the “big kids” and skating away. One of the players gave his hockey stick to a little guy who was a little apprehensive to take it. With a little persuading, he ended up taking the stick and then along came a puck and he hit the puck! The look of “well look what I did” on that child’s face was priceless!

Some were in chairs being “pushed around” by the Storm players and absolutely enjoying the ride!

A good time was had by all!
Come celebrate life with us...
Sunday 10:30 AM
233 5th Street, Pilot Butte
(306) 779-1084
wayoflife@sasktel.net
www.wayoflifechurch.ca

Children’s program for ages 3-11
during every Sunday service.

Jr. Teen Club

Jr. Teen Club – Tuesday from 3:30 - 5:30.
All students in grades 4-7 are welcome to join our free,
fun program of stories, snacks, games, prizes and more!
Ask your child about the Memory Challenge!

Teen Centre

Teen Centre – Friday from 7 - 9:30.
All teens are welcome at no cost.
You can chill, listen to music, have some popcorn or
play table games. Try to win Pastor Matt’s challenges
or Danielle’s wacky, messy games.
You’re sure to have a great time!
Please note: no entry after 8:30pm.

Community Pantry

Having trouble making ends meet this month?
- We may be able to help.
Thanks to our donors, we always have a supply of
canned and dry foods to share with our neighbours.
If you would like to use the Community Pantry,
please call Pastor Norm at 306-779-1084.

From the Pastor's Desk...
Is it Spring or is it Winter? We’ve certainly had
conflicting signals from Mother Nature during
the month of February, but one thing we know
for sure is that on March 20 winter officially ends
and we look forward to the hope of going
outside without four layers of protection!

If our wild weather swings are getting on your
nerves, why not join us at the Pilot Butte School
gym for a fun, social night of badminton?

We have the gym booked for Wednesday,
March 1 and Wednesday, March 29, from 7 to
8:30pm. Players of all ages and all skill levels are
welcome to come out and have a good time.

If you’ve been meaning to come check out the
church but haven’t gotten around to it, may I
recommend Sunday the 12th? After the regular
10:30 service we’ll be staying to enjoy a light
lunch, and you are welcome to take part!

Please call Pastor Norm or Pastor Matt at 306-779-1084
if you have any questions about God, the church or
our events and programs. We’d love to talk.
St. Agnes Catholic Church  
Pilot Butte  
Sunday Mass Time  9:00 am

Upcoming on the calendar:

We are continuing to collect toques and mitts for the less privileged through the month of January. Donated items will be delivered to local shelters.

Embrace in fellowship!! Join us for coffee and donuts after 9:00 am mass on Sunday February 26, 2017.

Ash Wednesday Mass: Please check the bulletin for Ash Wednesday mass time on March 1, 2017.

The St. Agnes AGM is scheduled for Sunday March 12, 2017. Mass time that day will be changed to 10:30 am.

Check the church bulletin for information on Parish Council vacancies and opportunities to get involved!

Street Light Outage Reporting:

Sask Power now has an online reporting system for a street light that is out. If you see that a street light is out please go to http://www.saskpower.com/accounts-and-services/service-requests/report-streetlight-troubles/ and follow their easy to use map tool, as noted.

Once you have reported this outage, you will receive a reference number. Please make note of this number. If the street lamp is not repaired within 2 weeks, please phone the Sask Power service desk, supply your reference number and they should advise when you may expect to have the lamp repaired.

How to Use the Tool

Use the map to locate the streetlight you would like to report. Streetlights are represented by orange light bulbs.

5 easy steps to report an outage:

1. Find the streetlight near you by clicking on the Locate Me icon or entering an address in the search box (street number street name, city, SK)

2. Select the correct streetlight on the map

3. Click Report this Light

4. Fill out the form

5. Click Report and the streetlight icon will change to

If you're experiencing problems submitting a streetlight outage, please contact us online or call us at 1(888)757-6937.
Pilot Butte Library

STORY TIME
Wednesday at 10 am
March 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

TICK TOCK TIME
FRIDAY at 10 am
March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

*no Tick Tock Time during School breaks

Pilot Butte Photo Bunch

Thursday’s at 6 pm
March 9 and 23
Sponsored in part by SK Lotto

Anyone interested in photography is welcome to come down and see what transpires!

Golden Sunset Club

MARCH 2017

Pilot Butte Seniors Exercise Program:
Open to everyone. The classes are free.
Dates: Feb. 21 and March 14, 21, 28
Starts at 10:30 am

Soup & Sandwich Event
next one is March 7
12:00 noon at the Seniors Club
Members price is $5.00
Non-members $8.00

LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday
1:30-4:30 pm
& 5-8 pm

Wednesday
9-12 pm
& 1-5 pm

Thursday
1:30-4:30 pm
& 5-8 pm

Friday
9-12 pm
& 2-5 pm

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Closed Statutory holidays
Phone 306-781-3403
Email: pilotbutte@southeastlibrary.ca

*Drop box available in the Town Office
9 to 5 pm Monday-Friday
Have a wonderful Family Day!

Next meeting is:
Tuesday, March 21st at 7 pm

Cards: Tuesday Feb. 21, 28 and March 7, 14, 21, 28
Thursday's Feb. 23 and March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30
Play from 1:00 till 4:00
Crib, Uno, Kaiser. Etc etc
Nicole’s Preschool

FEBRUARY

The warmer temperatures this February came as a welcome relief to us all! In the spirit of Valentine’s Day we took the opportunity to warm our hearts as well. Developing prosocial skills is a vital component to future academic success. Do you know what it means to be a “Bucket Filler”? We read the book “How Full is Your Bucket?” by Tom Rath about a little boy who discovers he has an invisible bucket of water that floats above his head. When we are kind to others and they are kind to us our bucket remains full! But negative experiences empty our “bucket” and we feel sad. Together we practiced ways of “filling” each other’s “buckets” by sharing, taking turns, using nice talk, helping one another and many others. Our “buckets” were brimming with joy!

With the Winter Break the month was a bit shorter but we also enjoyed our annual Valentine’s Exchange Day and Family Bowling Night at the Glencarin Bowling Alley in Regina. The smiles, treats, and laughter shared by all the preschool families made memories that will last forever!

See you next time!
Mrs. Marshall

AT HOME FUN!

Make Your Own Bucket!

You can expand the Bucket Filler idea at home! You and your family can make a “bucket” out of a plastic cup. Attach a pipe-cleaner on the top for a handle. Decorate with stickers, markers, etc. If someone is kind they can receive a cotton ball (or other item) inside their bucket. This is as a representation of filling someone’s bucket with a drop of water.

LETS PLAY BALL!!!

Bronco Baseball (4-18 year olds)
Storm Softball (7-25+ year olds)

White Butte Minor Ball Association
will be accepting registrations for the 2017 ball season from January 2 – February 28, 2017. Register early to avoid disappointment – registration numbers are limited and registration late fee policy will be in effect after February 28.

Register online at
www.whitebutteminorball.ca

For additional questions regarding registration, please email lwafuchs1969@gmail.com.

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CALL 306-757-9959
Betty Sigfusson, Janet Lang and Wendy Halipchak are fundraising and will be participating in a marathon for Diabetes in October of this year. By doing so, they have also committed to raising a minimum of $6,100.00 per person. They will be hosting the “Pamper Yourself Expo” in Pilot Butte for the 5th year. Their efforts along with various sponsors, will play a huge roll in research advocacy and giving children with diabetes the opportunity to attend summer camps.

*Thank you for your support. See you Saturday, March 4 or Sunday March 5!*
2017—Canada is 150 years old!

The News and viewS applied for and has permission to use the sesquicentennial logo along with the Canada 150 font as noted on the front page and here. We are hoping to give you various facts over the coming months to give you some insight to, and maybe renew your pride in our great country!

What do we have to be proud of?

- Smarties (not sold in the USA)
- Crispy Crunch and Coffee Crisp (not sold in the USA)
- Hockey is Canadian
- Baseball is Canadian—1st game—June 4, 1838—Ingersoll, ON
- Mr. Dress Up beats Mr. Rogers
- Apple Pie is Canadian
- Canada stretches over six time zones!
- It also has the longest trail, being the Trans Canada Trail or The Great Trail. Pilot Butte is working with its partners on the White Butte Regional Planning Committee on this very trail!
- Trivial Pursuit was invented by Canadians!
A message from the RM of Edenwald

Growing, growing, growing
February 8, Statistics Canada’s Population and Dwelling Counts from the 2016 census revealed the total population of the RM of Edenwald is 4,490. This is an 8.7 percent increase from 2011 census numbers. Of that population, approximately one-third reside in Emerald Park. The RM of Edenwald continues to place in the top 20 most-populated municipalities in the province, this year coming in 19th place. "These numbers show we’re a destination for business and residents," says Deputy Reeve Stan Capnerhurst. "The RM is attractive for travellers, daily commuters and those looking for new opportunities while providing a place for ever increasing services and shopping for those residing in the area."

Emerald Park soccer centre sponsorship opportunity
The RM is providing an opportunity for the business community to participate in the construction of a new facility called the soccer centre. "The centre will enhance the Emerald Park soccer pitch and will include storage, a washroom and patio," says Senior Municipal Planner with the RM, Jana Jedlic. Five levels of sponsorship and donations-in-kind options are open. Please contact the RM office for further details. "Sponsorship of this legacy project creates a high visibility option for a business or community group to position themselves as a community booster," Jedlic says.

Snow go
The RM purchased new snow removal equipment in 2016 to add to their arsenal and the benefits to residents is evident. "We have a plan in place to clear as many roadways as we can in priority order," says Derek Hradecki, Manager of Rural Public Works with the RM. "First bus routes so kids get to school on time, then busier arteries and then grid roads." Both Hradecki and Manager of Public Works Wade Hoffman indicate the 2017 year has seen a decrease in complaints to the RM office about snow removal from previous years.

Contact us via email: rm158@sasktel.net or phone: 306-771-2522. Visit our website at: rmedenwald.ca

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Are you new to Pilot Butte?

If so, the News and viewS tries to keep residents up to date!

If you see something we should all know about or have a submission for the next issue, let us know by emailing us at the newsandviews@sasktel.net

We are also online at www.pilotbutte.ca/newsviews-event-calendar/news-views

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If the payment is not received prior to the 20th, the **AD WILL NOT BE PLACED IN THE ISSUE**.

When possible, we ask for your support when inserting articles as we just have enough funds to publish. Thank you.

Payment may be mailed to Pilot Butte News and viewS, c/o Box 253, Pilot Butte, Sk. S0G 3Z0 or dropped off at the Town Office from 9-12 & 1-5 or there is a mail slot to the left of the lobby doors at the Pilot Butte Recreation Complex.

Thank you very much.

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• Acupuncture
• Dizziness and balance treatment
  (vestibular therapy)

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306.347.1999

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The News and viewS would like to thank the Pilot Butte Recreation Board in conjunction with Sask Lotteries Assistance Grant, for their generous donation to our newsletter. The donation from the Rec Board enables the News and viewS to keep publishing and aids in local sports, culture and recreation advertising. Our continued thanks for the support!

This grant will continue to expand our News and viewS with still more local content, some advertising, more appealing and interesting to read. The Town of Pilot Butte provides financial funding as well as continued support in other ways. The Town has pledged to ensure that the News and viewS will publish, no matter what! Thank you to the Town for this wonderful support. It takes a tremendous financial worry off of the volunteers!

The R.M. of Edenwold also supplies the newsletter with financial funding and we use a portion of these funds to send copies of the newsletters to some R.M. residents. This financial windfall (for us!) is enabling us to produce a larger, more attractive newsletter for your enjoyment. We hope that we can continue to provide a quality of newsletter that makes us the “must read” item each month.

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