CHRISTMAS HAY RIDE

Friday, Dec 6th, Saturday, Dec 7th, Friday, Dec 13th, and Saturday, Dec 14th*

Ride in an open sleigh pulled by a team of horses underneath the stars. This year, again, we will be sleigh-riding in the rodeo grounds. We hope to have a fire, some hot dogs and hot chocolate and some bales to sit on while you wait.

Rides will start at 6:30 PM with the last run starting at 8:30
Maximum 8 people per ride, rides will be 15-20 minutes long

$5.00 per person—Children under 3 are free
Includes hot chocolate and hot dogs.
You must pre-register by calling Jeannie at 781-3407 by December 4th

If you are unable to keep your preregistered appointment, please let us know. We turn a lot of people away every year.

*weather permitting
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 Elected Council Members who represent your interests are 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 2019 are as follows:

**November 25**

**December:** Please refer to the Town website for the date(s) or please call the Town Office.

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.

...that the Town of Pilot Butte makes use of the Group West (formerly Synrevoice) messaging system for their residents?

You may receive town news, announcements and information by telephone (old or new!), e-mail, or both. If you are a resident of the Town of Pilot Butte and are not receiving town notices and information using this system please contact the Town Office at 781-4547 Option #1 or email the town at townofpilotbutte@sasktel.net. You may opt out at any time.

WINTER PARKING RESTRICTIONS

Yes, that season of snow removal is coming. While we have had a lovely long summer to enjoy our boulevard parking, residents are reminded that, from November 1 to April 30, there is a 72 hour restriction on parking on Town boulevards.

**The boulevard is the Town-owned land between the edge of the paved street and your property line.**

**On streets with no curb, there is NO allowance for parking on the pavement at any time.**

**On streets with no curb, the boulevard may be used for parking of vehicles in daily use.** The 72 hour restriction doesn’t mean that you drive your vehicle around the block and re-park it. It means that you cannot store vehicles on the boulevard during the winter months. The same thing applies to paved streets where there is a curb.

**On any street, whether there is or is not a curb, the Town appreciates that vehicles will not be parked either on the boulevard or on the pavement when snowfall is imminent. When operators are cleaning the streets, particularly after heavy snowfall, that snow has to go somewhere. The boulevards serve that purpose.**

The Town thanks all those residents who help us out by complying with the law. Please be assured that vehicles which are left on boulevards or on streets may be ticketed and/or towed.

TOWN OFFICE CHRISTMAS HOURS

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The Town Council and Staff would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

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 Town Maintenance Director) 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 7. Thank you.
December Recreation News and Updates

Adult Drop-in Gym times
New this Fall! The Recreation Department will be hosting free, Adult (18+) Drop-in Recreation times this fall. These times are from 6:15 to 8:30 pm at the Pilot Butte School Gym. October dates and activities are as follows:

November 27th - Floor Hockey
December 4th – Floor Hockey is planned
December 11th- Community Choice (a poll will be conducted a week before on Facebook and the Website)

Family Times
The Recreation Department is excited to welcome back Myranda Eckert. Myranda will be running Free Family Times in the Hall again this fall. Each night will consist of two 45 minute time blocks you can sign up for. Each time block will have the same activities. The first block is from 6:00 pm to 6:45 pm and the second block is 6:55 pm to 7:40 pm. You have until 3:00 pm on the day of the activity to sign up. Myranda is looking forward to having everyone come out when they can and to have some fun. Each night will be filled with a variety of activities designed for all family members to be able to participate.

Contact Myranda by emailing myrandaeckert@gmail.com for more information or to register.

Upcoming activities are:
November 26th - Mini Golf, Floor Hockey and DIY Coasters
December 3rd - Flag Football, Zumba and Tree Ornaments
December 10th - Christmas Minute to Win It Challenge

Youth Nights
A free, drop in program for kids aged 9 to 14. Program runs on November 28th and December 12th from 6:30 to 8:30 pm at the Community Hall. Come hang out with your friends, play games and learn a new skill. Free, drop in program for youth aged 9 to 14. No registration required. There is a sign in sheet when you arrive.

Forever... in motion
The Town of Pilot Butte is offering Forever... in Motion in the Community Hall (222 Diamond Place).

Every Tuesday and Thursday
10:00 am to 11:00 am
Open to Everyone

Forever... in Motion provides and promotes safe physical activity opportunities for older adults in Saskatchewan.

Christmas Tree Pickup & Recycle Bins
Will be publicized in the January 2020 issue and on the Town website.
St. Agnes  
Catholic Church  
Pilot Butte

Sunday Mass Time  9:00 am

**Sunday December 1:**  St. Agnes CWL Christmas Bake Sale!!! Please join us downstairs after mass for goodies, beverages and fellowship. It’s also a good time to stock up on goodies to take home! Proceeds from our sale will go to Parkside Extendicare to be used for Christmas gifts for those who do not receive a gift from elsewhere. Donations of baking gratefully accepted!!

**Sunday December 29:**  Mass time change to 8:45 am with coffee and donuts after mass. Come enjoy some fellowship!

**Holiday Mass Schedule:**

Christmas Eve:  St. Agnes (Pilot Butte):   9:00 pm  
St. Joseph’s (Balgonie):  7:00 pm & 11:00 pm

Christmas Day:  St. Agnes:  No mass  
St. Joseph’s:  10:30 am

New Year’s Eve:  St. Agnes:  No mass  
St. Joseph’s:  7:00 pm

New Year’s Day:  St. Agnes:  9:00 am  
St. Joseph’s:  10:30 am

Remember, the spirit of Christmas lies in your heart, not under a tree. The best of all gifts is the presence of family and friends all wrapped up in each other! The idea of Christmas is simple: love those around you and sing loud enough for all to hear!! The birth of our Lord is a good reminder that we are here for something besides ourselves!!

Merry Christmas!!!

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**Pilot Butte Golden Sunset Club  
December 2019**

As another year rolls by, we count our blessings and appreciate our well beings.

From the executive and all the directors of the GSC we want to thank everyone for supporting our many activities this year.

Oct. 2019 we celebrated 35 years of membership at the club. Our purpose then and now is to have a place to meet, socialize, play some games and have a coffee. New people please come down and see what we are all about.

Dec. 3 is our regular soup and sandwich day. Two home made soups, sandwiches and desserts, all for $10, and reduced to $7 for members. Might be one reason to be a member.😊😊😊

Our facility is available to rent. Interested people can call Kelly at 306-781-1091. December is a very busy with rentals. Tis the season.

We will be closed Dec. 24, 25, 26, and 31. Regular hours resume January 2, 2020!

Merry Xmas and Happy New Year to all.
Fantastic FREE Events in December:

Community Christmas Supper
ALL residents of Pilot Butte and area are invited to come to a fully-catered Christmas meal! Relax with friends and neighbours and enjoy a turkey supper. There’s Christmas Entertainment, too. The supper is on December 8th at the Recreation Hall. Please RSVP today to reserve your seats!
By phone: 306-779-1084 • E-mail: info@wayoflifechurch.ca
NOTE: There is no cost to attend the supper, but we will be collecting donations of non-perishable food items. The donations will be given to local families and/or the Regina Food Bank.

Ladies’ Movie Night
Monday, December 2th, 7pm. Women of all ages are welcome as we share the spirit of Christmas!

Junior Youth Christmas Party
Thursday, December 12th, 3:30-6pm Junior Youth will be playing games, eating supper, watching a movie and spending their prize coins! Permission slips have been sent home with each student. Please RSVP as soon as you can.
Note: Junior Youth Club will stop over the holidays and resume on January 9th.
The Library will be Closed from December 24, 2019 to January 1, 2020.

We will be open Sunday, December 22 and then closed until January 2, 2020.

From Tianna, Tina, all the Library Board members (Terry, Jeannie, Pat, Gerhardt, Karen, Kim, Lydia) and myself (Connie) Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all! Take care out there.
Nicole’s Preschool

The month of November found us staring up at the stars at preschool! We put on our space helmets and climbed aboard our imaginary rocket ship to blast off and explore the Solar System!

From stirring up a “solar system” in our Water Table, to making rocket ships, the preschoolers had a blast during the month of November exploring our space project and learning all about planets, and the great beyond.

“The planets play Ring Around the Rosie around the sun!”, “The sun is a star made of fire!”, “Gravity sucks you down to the Earth and did you know that the Big Red Dot on Jupiter is a giant storm that never goes away?” These were just a few of the cute quotes of the children as we learned about the topic! My favourite is when they learned that Pluto is no longer considered a planet but instead it is a Dwarf or “baby” planet. One child asked me if the other “grown-up planets” had to take care of him? Ha ha! Good news though! NASA is currently in talks with the Planetary Committee to have Pluto reinstated and rejoin his family!

At the Water Table the children enjoyed scooping up “alien” wiggle eyes with ladies and wrapping wooden blocks with foil to build a Space Station. We made constellations with star stickers and chalk and little toy astronauts in moon buggies scurried about in the Moon Sand table and “moon rocks”!

We also crashed tennis ball “meteors” into sand to make our own craters and made a Venus “volcano” with baking soda, vinegar, liquid soap and a pop bottle!

Until next time... keep shooting for the stars!
Mrs. Marshall

* Make Moon Sand!
Mix 8 cups of flour with 1 cup of baby oil in a large bin. You can put measuring cups, spoons, straws and other items into the bin for even more sensory experience!

Prekindergarten Program Availability

We have one opening in our Prek program at Pilot Butte School starting on January 6, 2020. The Prek program is a ministry-funded program, and as such, they have developed criteria to determine eligibility. For the purpose of Prekindergarten, the Ministry of Education defines vulnerability broadly, prioritizing and giving preference to applicants with:

- low socio-economic status;
- referral from a government or community-based agency;
- social isolation or not having access to early learning programs or child care;
- family health care challenges;
- exposure to family trauma; and/or,
- delays in areas such as social-emotional, language and/or communication development.

If you have a child who is 3 or 4 years old and you feel would be a candidate for our program, please contact the school for an application.

Kindergarten Registrations

If you will have a child entering kindergarten in the fall, please contact the school to confirm you are on our registration list. Having accurate numbers ensures we are planning appropriately for staffing, which comes upon us quickly in the spring. If you are on our registration list you will receive an email in the spring about our Registration Night for parents.

Donations

The school is looking for some donations to support our students in both curricular and extracurricular pursuits. We are currently looking for:

- scraps of cloth or material to support our Quilting Club
- Lego – if you have any old Lego around your home that you are not using, we would gladly take it off your hands!

PILOT BUTTE SCHOOL
Ms. T. Sillers, Principal
Mrs. F. Stadnyk, Vice-Principal
Phone: 306 781-4488
Email: pilotbutteschool@pvsd.ca

Merry Christmas from PBS staff and students!

December 2019
12—Christmas Concert, 1:00 & 6:30 pm
20—Grinch Day, breakfast and PJs
21 to Jan 5—Christmas Vacation
Jan 06 - Classes resume
Pilot Butte and District Lions Club members donated 144 dish place settings to the Pilot Butte Community Hall on Oct. 22nd, 2019.

Note from N&V: Another instance of a group of great volunteers supporting the community! Thanks to the Pilot Butte and District Lions Club members.

ATTENTION TO ALL SNOWMOBILE RIDERS IN THE PILOT BUTTE DISTRICT

We have all become used to being able to ride freely as we wish across many open fields surrounding our community for quite some time. This is a privilege we enjoy compared to several other regions across the country. Over the last couple years, there have been a few quarters posted by the owners as no trespassing. Please respect those areas, they are private property, as are all farmlands around us.

This fall was especially poor for harvesting as well, and several fields still have crops left on them, which are still valuable to the farmer’s income.

Please do not ride across these fields and cause damage to the crops. There is always a detour available. Respecting their land will keep us all in good standing with the farm community around us.

Disrespecting it will only cause more land to be posted and reduce the territory we have access to in the future.

Thank you all for your understanding

SAFE RIDING

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Pilot Butte Lions
CHASE THE ACE

Draws will be every Friday at Bronco’s Bar & Grill at 8 PM Starting October 4th
Price per ticket $5.00
Tickets will be sold from 6 PM to 8 PM at Bronco’s & at Pilot Butte Storm Hockey Games
Progressive pot grows weekly, consolidation prize weekly!

Purchase your tickets!

Total cash payout $38,000 if all 15,000 tickets are sold
15,000 tickets total available for sale
Players must be minimum 18 years of age
Tickets may only be purchased or sold in Saskatchewan
Draw concludes May 29th, 2020
Lottery License # 98194-0272

A message from the RM of Edenwold

Reeve’s message
“It’s been a big year,” says Reeve Mitchell Huber. “We’ve moved forward and saw some great progress through a trying time. I’d say our staff and council have skillfully managed budgets and residents’ requests with all due diligence and, from council’s perspective, with a wizened and widened horizon of history. We are proud of this community. We want our residents to feel that, too.”

Completed projects
Several RM of Edenwold paving projects were completed this year and other infrastructure projects including the North water reservoir is online providing full hydrant service in Spruce Creek Estates.

OCP and Zoning Bylaw
The new Official Community Plan with Zoning Bylaw and updated maps were prepared and presented during a public hearing November 19. Next steps: Council will have a discussion about the comments received during the public hearing at an upcoming regular Council meeting. Should they decide to make any changes to the bylaws as presented, then the public will be notified about the changes and provided with an opportunity to provide comments on the changes before Council moves forward with 2nd and 3rd reading.

Visit us: 100 Hutchinson Road in Emerald Park
Email us: rm150@sasktel.net Call us: 306-771-2522
RMEdenwold.ca
A shout out and many thanks to Jeannie who has arranged for hayrides to be offered to residents and others. Jeannie volunteers on the weekend to and for this Christmas tradition that is enjoyed by all who attend! Thank you Jeannie for your dedication in this endeavour!

It is the many volunteers who work behind the scenes to help make our town so great!

If you know of a volunteer or group of volunteers, please email the News and views and we would be happy to acknowledge them in the next issue!
THE PILOT BUTTE ARTS AND CULTURE COMMITTEE PROUDLY PRESENTS:

Living Room Live
Canada's chamber house concert network

Gregory Lewis
violin

Paul Williamson
piano

Tue Jan 14, 7:30pm
Golden Sunset Senior Centre, tickets $20
RSVP kschafer@sasktel.net
https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/living-room-live-concert-tickets-81848215215
# Pilot Butte Arts & Culture Committee

**“GIVE ART A TRY – Winter Classes”**

## How to Register:
1. Facebook event – www.facebook.com/pilotbutteart
2. Eventbrite – www.eventbrite.com
3. Email kschafer@sasktel.net
4. Pilot Butte Town Office

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| **Leather Beaded Mitts**     | Pilot Butte     | $100
Betty Sigfusson
Wednesdays (4)
January 8, 15, 22 & 29, 2020
7:00pm – 9:30pm
1 pair of leather mitts
Initial cost of $165 is subsidized with generous funding from South East District Grant |
| **Junk Drawer Art**          | Pilot Butte     | $65
Maureen Bachmann
Full Day Saturday
January 18, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00pm
With an hour break for lunch
(1 canvas)
Initial cost of $90 is subsidized with generous funding from Saskatchewan Lotteries |
| **Mixed Media Watercolour**  | Pilot Butte     | $40
Piece Infused With Metallic Foil
Justine Marie Studios
Tuesday January 21, 2020
7:00pm – 8:30pm
(1 canvas)
Add extra canvas for $20
Initial cost of $55 is subsidized with generous funding from South East District Grant |
| **Create with Alcohol Inks** | Pilot Butte     | $40
Justine Marie Studios
Tuesday January 28, 2020
7:00pm – 8:30pm
(1 canvas)
Add extra canvas for $20
Initial cost of $55 is subsidized with generous funding from South East District Grant |
| **Mosaic Coasters**          | Pilot Butte     | $35
(4 coasters)
(1 canvas)
Initial cost of $45 is subsidized with generous funding from Saskatchewan Lotteries
[Introduction to Mosaics]
Kathy Schaffer
Wednesdays (2)
February 26 & March 4, 2020
7:00pm – 9:30pm
Max 8 spots |

More details at [www.facebook.com/pilotbuttearts](http://www.facebook.com/pilotbuttearts)

We would like to acknowledge the Town of Pilot Butte for the ongoing assistance they provide to our committee.
Greenall Griffins Update

November 2019

Students in Greenall's Robotics class have enjoyed building and battling with their robots!

Congratulations to all Griffin Volleyball athletes who finished up their seasons. All athletes developed skills, committed themselves, played hard and displayed Griffin values on the court and off!

The Greenall High School Production of The Addams Family
A New Musical

November 28 & 29 - 7:00 P.M.
November 30 - 2:00 P.M.

Tickets: Adults - $15.00
Students / Seniors - $10.00
Greenall High School Gym, Balgonie, SK
Tickets available from the school office, any cast member or at the door!

Parental Guidance: Mature Themes

Jim Demery from UnderstandUs presented to Entre 30 students on running a non-profit and Mental Health awareness!

History 30 and Law 30 students from Greenall had the opportunity to tour the Legislature, visit the Royal Saskatchewan Museum and watch the play of “The Trial of Louis Riel”.

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