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September 2020

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Year 34 Issue 1

Municipal and Provincial Elections this Fall

Saskatchewan has Municipal elections this fall as well as the Provincial election.



Provincial election will be held *Monday, October 26, 2020*.

Municipal elections will be held on *Monday, November 9, 2020*

(Election Logo courtesy of Elections Saskatchewan)

Municipal Advance Polls will be Saturday, October 31, from 1 to 4 pm in the Council Chambers and Tuesday, November 2, from 5 to 8 pm in the Council Chambers.

There will be new processes and safety measures put in place to protect voters, election workers, candidates or candidate representatives at the polls.

For the Provincial election, please go to https://www.elections.sk.ca/ and review the information available on their website.

For our local Municipal election, information will be posted soon on the Town of Pilot Butte website.

Nomination Day is *Wednesday, October 7, 2020* and nominations papers must be received by 4:00 pm. The Call for Nominations will be posted soon and then candidates may pick up or have papers emailed to them.

Please feel free to call the Town Office for further information in regards to the upcoming local election on November 9, 2020.

If you are interested and are considering Running for Municipal Office, there is a website with information available in this regard:

https://www.saskatchewan.ca/government/municipal-administration/elections/running-for-municipal-office

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!

Thanks also to those businesses who pay to take out a monthly ad at

various times of the year.

The News and viewS appreciates all those who help in getting the 10 issues printed and out to the residents. It takes a community!

If you are interesting in sponsoring our newsletter, please email us newsandviews@sasktel.net or call 306.781.4067

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Remember to patronize our back page sponsors. They keep the News and viewS FREE to all residents!

Thank you to the RM of Edenwold for their generous donation for 20/21.

The Council Connection

Council meetings are **Open to the Public**. Meetings are normally held the **2**nd **and 4**th **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 2020 are as follows. Please contact the Town Office at 306-781-4547 if you have questions in regards to attending a Council Meeting. Thank you.

September 14 & 28 October 13 (Tues) & 26 November 9 & 23

December 14 & 28

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 <u>their residents</u>?

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.



The Town would like to remind residents that all dogs and cats are not permitted to run at large and are required to be leashed or contained in their own yards.

The *Town's Dog and Cat Control Bylaw* is to promote the safety, health and welfare of the people and the protection of people and property in the Town of Pilot Butte and contains fines for offenders.

Please respect your neighbor's and the Town bylaws and restrain your pet when not in your yard. Please be reminded also, that there is a requirement for cleaning up after your pet.

The Town of Pilot Butte Dog and Cat Control Bylaw can be found on the Town's website http://www.pilotbutte.ca under the Local Government tab for your reference.

We thank you for your continued cooperation.

FALL BINS ARE COMING

Dates to be announced and will be posted on the Town of Pilot Butte website and in the October issue of the News and viewS.

Please ensure there is room in the bin for your waste. Thank you.



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 6. Thank you.

GARAGE SALE

Town Wide Garage/Yard Sale

Planned for

Sept 11-13

hours

set by seller

call the Town Office for details and to sign up

306-781-4547

Check the website for

Covid protocols



The sale is advertised for Friday evening and Saturday, however individuals may expand or reduce those days and hours as they choose.

While the Town provides advertising and will print maps, individual sellers are responsible for adhering to Covid protocols as set by the Government of Saskatchewan.





St. Agnes Catholic Church Pilot Butte

Sunday Mass Time 9:00 am

♦ Masses have resumed following provincial health authority guidelines including:

- * Limited number of people in attendance so pre-registering for mass is required: e-mail Darlene at <u>dloucks@sasktel.net</u> and let us know how many would like to attend on which day.
- * Confirmation of availability and details of the changes of protocol for mass will be provided via e-mail.
- ♦ Check out our Facebook page: St. Agnes Church-Pilot Butte

As we continue to move through the Covid-19 pandemic in the re-opening of our province, remember you are not alone.

Joshua 1:9 Be strong and courageous; do not be frightened or dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go.

Nicole's Preschool



SCHOOL BELLS RING!

It's been a long break but I'm so excited that once again it is time to sharpen those pencils and pack the school bag so children can head back to school! I miss the kiddos so much and would like to welcome all new and returning preschoolers to another preschool year!

Just a reminder that the Welcome Packages have been sent out at the beginning of August. If your child is registered and you did not receive your package please call me at 306-789-6914 or email nicoles-preschool@sasktel.net. Even though school may look a little bit different this year we still have a great year of fun, learning and exploration ahead of us!

See you soon!

Mrs. Marshall

FOOLPROOF PLAYDOUGH!

(Mrs. Marshall's favourite!)

- 2 cups flour
- 1 cup salt
- 1 Tbsp Cream of Tartar
- 2 Tbsp. Cooking oil

Food colouring

 $1 + \frac{1}{2}$ cups to 2 cups of boiling water.

Mix dry ingredients well. Add oil, food colouring and water. Stir quickly and knead when cool enough to handle. Add more water if dough is too dry or more flour if dough sticks to your hands. Keep in plastic bag or airtight container. Lasts for a couple of weeks without refrigeration.





Here for you

Serving our neighbours: Since March we've had a volunteer team available to help anyone who is sick or under quarantine. We can run errands, pick up groceries or provide other assistance as needed. Just call or e-mail and we'll be happy to help.

Learning together: On Wednesday nights we have a casual get-together on Zoom. We call it Life Group and we talk about life and spend some time reading and studying the Bible. Anyone can join in regardless of your faith tradition or background. We also have an open chat with all comers on Zoom each Sunday, following the on-line service.

Times of need: We know that many of our neighbours are out of work or are not getting full time hours. We have an assortment of frozen foods and non-perishable food items we would be honoured to share with anyone who has a need. Just call or e-mail Pastor Norm.

Fall plans: Because of provincial guidelines we're not able to host Ladies Night or Junior Youth at this time. We hope to begin in-person Sunday church services in late September or early October, as soon as our building is ready. Stay tuned for announcements!

Cancellation Unfortunately, we won't be able to host the Community Christmas Supper this year, but we're at work on other plans for Christmas that we'll be able to share later in the fall. As always, if we can be of service, please don't hesitate to contact us.

May God bless you all and keep you safe and healthy.

How to reach us:





wayoflifepb



306-779-1084



info@wayoflifechurch.ca





LIBRARY HOURS

Tuesday	1:00-4:30 pm	
	& 5-8 pm	
Wednesday	9-12 pm	
	& 1-5 pm	
Thursday	1-4:30 pm	
	& 5-8 pm	
Friday	9-12 pm	
	& 1-5 pm	
Sunday	1-4 pm	

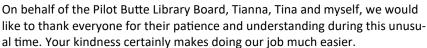
*FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK & TWITTER! Closed Statutory holidays

*Drop box available in the Town Office 9 to 5 pm Monday-Friday Pilot Butte Public Library | Recreation Complex

Box 668 Butte SK SOG 3Z0 phone 306.781.3403

email: pilotbutte@southeastlibrary.ca

WWW.SOUTHEASTLIBRARY.CA



The Library is presently **OPEN** regular hours, under specific guidelines

We are sanitizing and following the protocol set out by Southeast Regional Library regarding everything entering and exiting our branch, as well as the area the public are welcome into. We are only accepting returns and checking out material that is ordered in, or that we can bring to you from our collection.

There is no browsing of the collection.

Management at Southeast Regional Library are meeting weekly to discuss when branches will be open for browsing, and when programming will be starting. We will certainly let you all know when this happens!

We do have a <u>new</u> outside drop box for returning material, if you are not comfortable entering the library, as well as material can be brought to the library door for you to pick up.

The health and safety of everyone is our main priority at this time.

If you have any questions regarding the Re-open Plan for Southeast Regional Library please visit our webpage at southeastlibrary.ca there is a frequently asked questions section or email library.srl@southeastlibrary.ca for specific questions.

Please watch our Facebook page, give us a call, or email for any updates.



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

ADVERTISING RATES FOR Pilot butte News and viewS

Advertising in the News and views Is priced as follows effective September 2019:

1/4 page Ad—**\$35.00** (approximate size 3.6"W x 5" H)

1/2 page Ad—\$45.00 (approximate size 7.25"W x 5" H)

Full Page Ad—\$65.00 (approximate size 7.25"W x10" H)

Backpage Sponsor—\$170.00 (approximate size 2"W x 1" H)

Preferred method of submission is a .pdf, .jpeg, .pub or .doc file. Insertion of ad at the discretion of the News & viewS

Email us at newsandviews@sasktel.net or drop off at the Pilot Butte Town Office. We request please that payment be **received**

first in order for the ad to be inserted in an issue.

If the payment is not received prior to the 20th, the **AD WILL NOT BE PLACED IN THE ISSUE.** Articles inserted/ads inserted at the discretion of the News and viewS.

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

We now accept e-Transfers! Or payment may be mailed to Pilot Butte News and viewS, c/o Box 253, Pilot Butte, Sk. SOG 3ZO 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.









Recreation Department Update

Ice install at the Pilot Butte Arena is going ahead with the first day for Ice Rentals being September 14th, 2020. More details regarding Public Skating and Stick and Puck will be available when Programming Guidelines are updated in the Reopen Saskatchewan Plan.

The Community Hall is available for rentals. There are capacity limits and COVID-19 specific guidelines for all rentals. These guidelines have been created in accordance with the Reopen Saskatchewan Plan.

Recreation Programming:

The Recreation Department is working towards the restart of Forever in Motion. Details about dates and times will be available at a later date.

All other recreation programming continues to be postponed at this time. Programming may resume as the Recreation Guidelines in the Reopen Saskatchewan Plan are updated.

The Pilot Butte Spray Park year end closure is estimated to be September 10th, 2020.

More details will be available at a later date.

For facility bookings or if you require more information please email the Recreation Department at pilotbutte.rec@sasktel.net or pbrec2@sasktel.net or call 306-781-4547

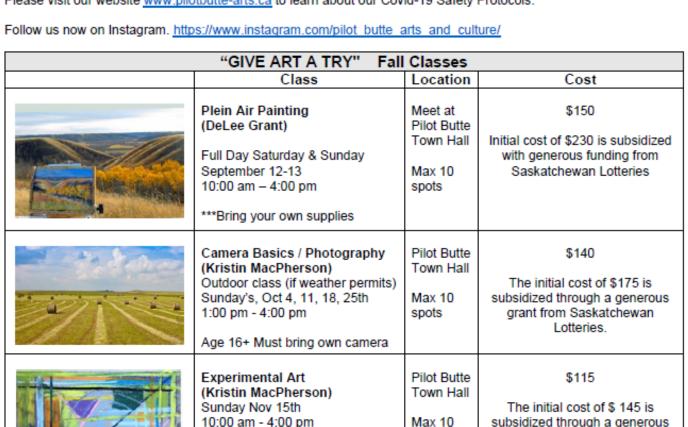


Pilot Butte Arts & Culture

How to Register:

- Facebook event www.facebook.com/pilotbuttearts
- Eventbrite www.eventbrite.com
- Email <u>PilotButteacc@gmail.com</u>

Please visit our website www.pilotbutte-arts.ca to learn about our Covid-19 Safety Protocols.





Mosaic Christmas Ornaments (Kathy Schaffer)	Pilot Butte Town Hall
Tuesdays - Nov 17 & 24th	
7:00 pm - 9:30 pm	Max 10
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spots

Age 14+

Age 16+

Supplies included

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Pilot Butte
Town Hall

Max 10
spots

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The initial cost of \$65 is subsidized through a generous grant from Saskatchewan Lotteries.

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We would like to acknowledge the Town of Pilot Butte for the ongoing assistance they provide to our committee. Special thanks to Sask Lotteries for generous grants allowing Pilot Butte Arts and Culture Committee to present these events at reduced rates. https://www.sasklotteries.ca/home.htm





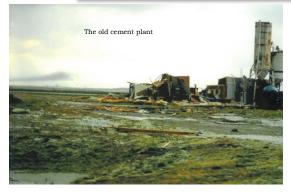
25 Years—The Storm of 1995

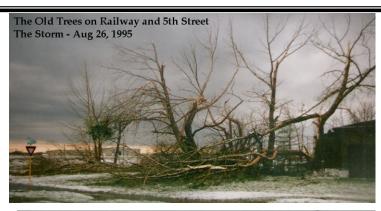
Saturday, August 26, 1995 4:45 pm State of Emergency Declared 5:45 pm

25 years ago, Pilot Butte was hit with a "plow wind" and suffered millions of dollars in damages to homes, property, 2500 or so trees and vehicles. The clean up task was immense but with everyone working together, the town was almost restored to its former glory. Many trees were lost but many were replanted or nature lent a hand. Here are some pictures of the devastation that hit Pilot Butte then.



















The Storm Aug 26, 1995 - Looking up 6th St from 2nd Ave

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A Message from the RM of Edenwold



The staff and Council of the RM of Edenwold would like to wish everyone a safe and successful harvest season!

Don't forget that help is available from the Farm Stress Line 24/7. Just call 1-800-667-4442 if you would like to have a confidential discussion with a professional.



Back to School

Although the Back to School season feels a little bit different this year, remember that roads and streets will soon be busy with kids and buses.

- The speed limit in school zones is 30 km/h.
- Do not pass a school bus until you've checked for children and the bus driver turns off the flashing red stop lamps and deactivates the stop arm.
- Give the bus room stop no less than 15 feet from the front or back of the bus.



Reminders:

Call for Nominations for Divisions 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, and Reeve will open on September 17th. If you would like to run for council, nomination papers must be received and acknowledged by the RM office no later than 4:00 p.m. on October 7th, 2020. For more information about the nomination process, visit the Elections page on the RM website.

If you are interested in running for council and have questions about what's involved, don't hesitate to contact the RM office or any current member of council.

Tax notices were mailed out on Friday, August 14th. Information about discounts, methods of payment, and deadlines is provided in the August Update included with your tax notice.

CAO, Kim McIvor, announces retirement

After serving as the RM's CAO and Administrator for 7 years, Kim McIvor will be retiring from his position effective this December.

Kim has been working in municipal administration since 1993, beginning in the RM of Cote and taking him through the RMs of Weyburn, Brokenshell, and Estevan. Council and staff would like to thank Kim for his dedication to the RM and will miss his leadership.



306-771-2522 rm158@sasktel.net www.rmedenwold.ca







The News and viewS would like to thank the Pilot Butte Recreation Board in conjunction with Sask Lotteries

Assistance Grant, for ongoing 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!

The grant allows expansion of the **News and viewS** as necessary, with local content, assorted advertising and hopefully making it more appealing and interesting to read.

The **Town of Pilot Butte** also 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 their continued 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.

We truly appreciate the support and could not publish without this funding along with our backpage sponsors.

Check us out on the web, IN COLOUR at www.pilotbutte.ca

You Were Always There

You were always there When we needed you. No task too great or small, With a loving heart And willing hand

And willing hand
For us you did them all.
Thanks for the years you gave us
And for the times we shared.
We pray that when you left us
You knew how much we cared.
God saw you getting tired
When a cure was not to be
He put His arms around you
And whispered, "Come to Me."
You didn't deserve
What you went through
So God gave you a rest,
His garden must be beautiful

For He only takes the best.

Steven Donald Toor Hynborash, late of Pilot Butte, SK, passed away on Saturday, May 2, 2020 at the age of 78 years. He was prodeceased by his father, William Hynborash: mother Sophie away on Stevenshie wife Winks, soci-ni-ni-w Alice Tyson; and brothers-line and brothers-line and the Stevenshies and brothers-line away on the Pilot Stevenshies and Stevenshies and Brothers-line away on Chermiansky, Jeanette Chermienton, Victor (Pilidred) Fromski and Delmar (Patrianne); Jeanette Chermienton, Victor (Pilidred) and Jenna (Patrianne); Jeanette Chermienton, Victor (Pilidred) and Jenna (Patrianne); Jeanette Chermienton, Victor (Pilidred) and Jenna (Steferin-Law Butte).

Dad worked at IPSCO as a scrap cutter in the yard where he sustained second and third degree burns and a massive hear attack. He then worked as an overhead crane operator where he sustained two dislocated kneecaps and retired due to his injuries.

Dad loved to help people and was always ready to lend a helping hand to the nelghbours. He voluntecred for VON, St. John Ambulance, and several nursing homes. Dad loved jokes, music, and to dance. He loved classic and unique cars and even owned a few. He loved animals, especially cats.

Dad was always better at wrecking things than fixing things he loved going fishing with family and friends as well as gardening and puttering around in the yard and garage.

He missed Mavis terribly after she died, and missed me (Clindy) and the cats when he moved into a nursing home due to health issues. His passing from a lung infection was unrelated to Covid-19.

Due to the Covid-19 restrictions, a Celebration of Life will be announced and held at later date. In lieu of flowers, contributions toward funeral costs may be made to the family. Relatives and friends may reach out to the family by visiting Don's Tribute Page at www.speersfuneralchapel.com and let them knowyou are thinking of them during this difficult time.







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At this time, we don't have dates for meetings. TBA

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