

EATONIA NEWS BULLETIN



April 2021

TOWN OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday

9:00am – 12:00pm

1:00pm – 5:00pm

Closed Weekends & Stat Holidays

Closed Friday, April 2nd for
Good Friday

NUISANCE GROUND HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

1:00pm – 6:00pm

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

9:00am – 12:00pm

Closed Sundays & Stat Holidays

Closed Friday, April 2nd for
Good Friday



WHAT'S HAPPENING

A column used to promote non-profit community events as well as a bonus promo for our advertisers.
If you wish to have your non-profit event listed please contact the Town Office.

April 2	Good Friday
April 4	Easter Sunday
May 9	Mother's Day
May 24	Victoria Day
June 20	Father's Day
June 26	Drive in Concert

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Rates:

Regular Classifies (5-6 Lines)

Paid in advance RATE \$12 OTHERWISE \$21

Box classified ads \$21

1/8 Page Ad \$19

1/4 Page Ad \$37

1/2 Page Ad \$58

Full Page Ad \$105

Non-Profit Organizations

1/4 Page Ad \$20

1/2 Page Ad \$28

Full Page Ad \$51

GST is not included in above pricing

PH: 306-967-2251 Fax: 306-967-2267

Email: newsletter.eatonia@sasktel.net

****DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS THE
22ND OF EACH MONTH****

CONDITIONS OF ADVERTISING ACCEPTANCE INCLUDING DISPLAY

All advertising is subject to publisher's approval. Proofs of the advertisement will be sent out to all advertisers prior to printing. Any errors thereafter we will not accept responsibility for. We ask that all ads are submitted in a timely manner to allow enough time to process the proofs.

PLEASE READ YOUR AD

As per Section 185 of The Municipalities Act, please see a summary of the financial statement and auditor's report on pages 11-14 for The Town of Eatonia for 2020. The entire financial statement can be viewed at the town office.

TAXES

The Town is offering tax discounts for prepayment of 2021 taxes. The following discounts will be applied to Municipal tax payments made during that month:

April – 3%

May – 2%

June – 1%

If you have any questions feel free to call the office

GARBAGE PICK-UP

Please have your bin out on the street by 7:00 a.m.

Monday, April 12th

Monday, April 26th

RECYCLING PICK-UP

Please have your bin out on the street by 7:00 a.m.

Thursday, April 8th

Thursday, April 22nd

WATER METER READINGS

Notices via phone call, text message, and email will be sent out this month.

We ask that all residents submit their reading(s) by *Friday, April 23rd*.

You can submit your reading by calling the office at 306-967-2251 or online at www.eatonia.ca

BUSINESS LICENSES

The town office has mailed out notices. Please make your payments as soon as possible.

Somerville Digital Sign

Somerville Digital Sign is a unique advertising digital sign to advertise your business needs, community events, birthdays, baby announcements, anniversaries, engagements, hockey games, reunions and employment postings.

Commercial spots are 10 seconds long, minimum of 288 reps/24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Creative designs by our Digital Sign Animator are available upon request.

Cost: \$60 a week Commercial/Business Promotions

\$25 a week Community Events & Announcements

*Taxes not included in prices *Prices subject to change

Creative designs for an animated commercial or a static commercial can be discussed at time of booking.

Please call our Digital Sign Coordinator Viv Verm at 306-967-2101 if you have any questions or if you would like to discuss your options.

"the family pharmacy is the heart of the community"



www.dirkfamilypharmacy.ca **306-628-3744** Leader, SK

OPEN MONDAY - SATURDAY 8:30 AM - 5:30 PM
Closed Sundays & Holidays

We carry a full line of over the counter products, giftware and toys.
Our friendly, knowledgeable staff is always available to offer advice on the most appropriate product for you.

- ✓ **Primary Health Care Pharmacy**
- ✓ **Medication Reviews**
- ✓ **Chronic Disease Management**
- ✓ **Compliance Packaging**
- ✓ **Healthy Lifestyle Counseling**

Joseph Dirk BSP

YES WE DELIVER!
FREE Delivery to Eatonia
Monday to Friday
Call store for details

PharmaChoice WE'RE PROUD TO BE PART OF YOUR COMMUNITY
CREATED BY JAMAC PUBLISHING

LEADER
PHARMACY

A family owned, community oriented,
local business.

Open Monday to Friday
9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Delivery to Eatonia every Thursday plus
several additional days each week.

Please order before noon.

(306) 628-4000

Summer Students Required

The Town of Eatonia requires two summer students to work in the Public Works Department to cut grass, tend to flowers and trees, and other miscellaneous duties.

Must have valid driver's license

The positions are to start around the beginning of May, 2021 and the beginning of July, 2021

For more information on this position contact the Town Office at 306-967-2251

Applications can be sent to:

Town of Eatonia
Box 237
Eatonia, SK
S0L 0Y0

Fax to 306-967-2267

Email to eatonia@sasktel.net

These bundles of joy would love to be in your home this Easter!



Mary who is 9 months old has been spayed and has a beautiful spirit and is very affectionate. Mary loves to chatter her teeth at birds, spiders, flies, the TV and chase your mouse on the computer screen. Her favourite toy is the ball wheel and crumpled paper/jumping in boxes. Mary loves to say hello around the shower curtain and walk around the tub when you are soaking. Mary is a very "old" soul cat that would be good as an indoor & outdoor cat.

Pepper who is 9 months old has been spayed and is a very loving cat who loves to be cradled in your arms where ever you sit even the "throne". Pepper is a very playful cat that likes to chase paper balls and lie on top of the fridge watching all the action below. Pepper has one eye but is a regular cat in all aspects. She also likes to play and run after all the other cats or jump into boxes & Ikea bags.

Suzie who is 8 months old has been spayed and is very playful and melts in your arms from attention. She will pat your leg when she wants up on your lap. Suzie will be a small cat in size and is very quick to catch a feather toy. She likes to cuddly on your chest under your chin and likes to sleep on the bed. Suzie follows our older cat Bob everywhere and sleeps with him too. She is also not afraid of the vacuum. All the cats have been trained to come at the sound of treats shaking in a bag and they all know their names. If you are interested in providing a forever home to all or just one, please text/call Gwen at 306-430-4936. Serious inquiries only please. Each cat will come with food, litter and toys when adopted. If you take 2 cats, we will also include their cat condo as well.

EATONIA OASIS LIVING EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

CASUAL POSITIONS IN THE FOLLOWING DEPARTMENTS:

- Kitchen
- Housekeeping/Laundry/Aide
- Resident Care Aide

Job Descriptions and salaries will be discussed if/when applicant is chosen for an interview.

Please submit resume with references to:

Cora Knuttila, Administrator
Eatonia Oasis Living
Email: eol@sasktel.net
Fax: 306-967-2434
END DATE: October 19, 2020

If you have any questions, please call 306-967-2447



Prairie Oasis Fitness Club

You can order online @ www.momspantry.ca

Order Number #330464 & Group Passcode #43248

Sellers:

Cheryl Bailey	Robin Busby
Tosha McCubbing	Maryanne Becker
Hannah Eckstein	Debbie Kroeker
Dylan Somerville	Carson Assmus

Please contact a seller if you have any questions.

Orders must be in by April 9, 2021

TOWN OF EATONIA AWARD**SPONSORED BY THE TOWN OF
EATONIA**

In an effort to support and recognize the youth in our community, the Town of Eatonia is bestowing an **award to a deserving student of Eaton School.**

This award will be given to an individual who has made an outstanding contribution to enhance the quality of life for the citizens of the Town.

To be eligible, this student must meet the following criteria:

1. Must currently attend grade 10, 11
or 12 at Eaton High School
2. Must have demonstrated various volunteer involvement throughout the community.
3. Must demonstrate good work ethic, be in good academic standing and present an overall willingness to assist others.

***The successful nominee will be given
an award of \$200.***

To nominate an individual or individuals, please contact the town office at 967-2251 or eatonia@sasktel.net for a form.

Deadline for nominations is April 30, 2021

Thank You

The Laporte Community Hall Board would like to send a thank you to the R.M. of Chesterfield No.261 for the help with arranging for funds to have the Laporte Community Hall repainted in 2020. Your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Laporte Community Hall Board Committee

Thank You

We would like to express our sincere gratitude. The kindness, support and generosity we have received and are still receiving from the people of Eatonia & surrounding areas has left us speechless. There are no words that can express how we feel.

It's the generosity of such wonderful, caring people that has allowed Greg to properly recover at home. We don't know where we would be or what we would do if it weren't for you all.

A thank-you just doesn't express how we feel. Eatonia is just not a town to us, it's a family!

Thanks so much!

Sincerely,

Greg, Shelley & girls

LOOKING

Not "quite" retired, not "really" old Electrician with farming experience looking for hired hand/farm employment. No Class 1A License
Call Pat @ 306-967-2849

Screening Project

Thank you to the following for donations:

Durum

Jeff Stevens
Kevin Stevens
Wade Stevens
Craney Farms
Davon Punter
Ken McBride

Thank you to Kevin Lee for the use of the truck & Somerville Farms for hauling.



Eatonia Agencies

Effective April 5, 2021
Eatonia Agencies will be open “**without**” requiring an appointment. Please respect social distancing and masks are a requirement.



Eatonia Lions Club

Trip of the Month on Sale Now

Tickets \$120

Apr – Houseboat Vacation in the Shuswap
May – Niagara Falls Getaway
June – Rainforest to Gold Rush in the Yukon
July – Enjoy European charm in old Quebec
Aug - \$1000 Travel Voucher
Sep – Jasper National Park via Train
Oct – Elk Ridge Resort at Waskesiu
Nov – Vancouver Island West Coast Getaway
Dec – Dog Sledding Adventure in the Rockies
Jan – Fantasyland Weekend in Edmonton
Feb - \$1000 Travel Voucher
Mar – Explore the scenic Maritimes

2nd Prize - \$120



Community Hall

The Hall board would like to thank everyone that has donated to replace the furnaces so far. Donation are still being accepted, over \$25 will be issued a receipt.

Eatonia Agencies
Don & Cathie Punter
Lee's Grain Cleaning
Ken Bews
Mary Ann Rosher
Cameo Holdings (Jim Martin)
Eatonia Catering Committee
Annette Palmer

With the total being \$9,500

The estimated expense to replace the furnaces and a/c unit will be around \$30,000

Thank you



Save the Date Saturday, June 26, 2021

Drive In Concert

Mitch Larock & 454 Band

All Proceeds Going to Eatonia Oasis Living

Watch for poster with more details to come



FULL-TIME SEASONAL HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR**R.M. of Newcombe No. 260**

The R.M. of Newcombe No. 260 is accepting applications for the position of heavy equipment operator.

The successful candidate will be able to, or be willing to learn to:

- Operate various pieces of equipment as required
(grader, tractor mower, payload, gravel truck, snow plow)
- Maintain and repair roads
- Service and maintain various equipment
- Perform all duties assigned by Foreman and Council
- Work with minimal supervision
- Be safety conscious, be willing to take direction from supervisor, and be capable of working within a small group

This is a seasonal position and usually runs from April to November each year. A Valid 1-A driver's licence is preferred and a driver's abstract is required.

The R.M. of Newcombe offers a competitive wage and comprehensive benefits package including the Municipal Employees Pension Plan.

Applications should include previous work experience (including types of equipment operated and any special training/certification) and references.

Applications will be received until 12:00 noon on Monday, April 12, 2021 at the following address:

R.M. of Newcombe No. 260

Box 40

Glidden, SK

S0L 1H0

Phone: 306-463-3338

Fax: 306-463-4748

Email: rm260@yourlink.ca

“RAISE THE ROOF” UPDATE

To the community of Eatonia,

In 2018 it was determined the Eatonia Memorial Arena was in need of substantial repairs to remain functional. As the arena is an integral part of our community, the decision was made to begin fundraising to cover the enormous cost for these repairs. Several of our community members came together to create the Raise the Roof Committee.

The committee's first task was to come up with a way to fund repairs that needed to happen ASAP. This included a new roof over the arena lobby and major repairs to the Zamboni room. After a hugely successful lottery that was held by the Raise the Roof Committee, these projects were completed.

However, as with any structure, the arena will continue to require upkeep over the years to come. Because of this, the Raise the Roof Committee would like to remind the community that we are still actively selling squares on the board located in the arena lobby. These squares sell for \$100.00 each and our committee members are happy to provide more information or help process a donation. Anyone who purchases a square will be recognized on a plaque that will be on permanent display in the arena. Our hope is that with help from the community, we can sell all remaining squares and continue to keep our arena operational.

In closing, the Raise the Roof Committee would like to thank everyone who has contributed to our fundraising efforts so far, whether it was by purchasing tickets in our lottery, buying a square or donating your time to give us a hand. It is because of your generosity that the youth of our community can continue to enjoy the amenities our arena has to offer year round. With your continued generosity, we hope to keep the arena doors open to our community for many years to come.

Sincerely,
Eatonia Raise the Roof Committee

RAISE THE ROOF ONGOING FUNDRAISING

ARENA SQUARES - \$100.00 PER SQUARE

***PLEASE CONTACT A COMMITTEE MEMBER FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO MAKE A DONATION**

Sam Somerville (306) 463-7844
Greg Guidinger (306) 460-8555
Kevin Stevens (306) 460-8844
Darren Bews (306) 460-8868
Kelly Dearborn (306) 460-8997
Brennan Somerville (306) 460-8668

Doug Bredy (306) 430-7825
Matt McKinnon (306) 460-4948
Mitch Larock (306) 460-9164
Steven Schwartz (306) 838-3919
Craig Bews (306) 463-9174

Eaton Band will once again be selling a variety of flowers, herbs, veggies, strawberry baskets, and succulents!

If you have ordered from us in the past you will be contacted in early April to place your order.

If you haven't order from us in the past but would like to place an order, please contact

Trisha Lee at (306) 460-8387.

Plants are scheduled to arrive May 4th, in time for Mother's Day!

2021 Spring Order Form

Orders Due: April 20, 2021

Plant Pick-up: May 4, 2021 Time and Place TBD



12" Premium Hanging Baskets

Our improved flower mixes are sure to be a big hit! These hanging baskets can be exposed to full sun with the best flowering and trailing plants. There are a variety of mixes/colours.



12" Premium Patio Planters

All planters include an assortment of our top performing plant collections. Planters can be exposed to full sun areas. Perfect for creating a spring patio or backyard paradise.



12" Strawberry Basket

A kid favourite! Enjoy fresh strawberries all summer long. Ever bearing strawberries with different coloured blossoms in white or pink. Beautiful and delicious!



10-pack 4" Succulents

Fast-growing in popularity, succulents are versatile & low maintenance. Ideal as house decor and gifts! This 10-pack offers excellent variety and textures from the echeveria, sedum, sedeveria and senecio families. Duplicates & substitutes may occur.



10-pack 4" Herbs

An assortment of our finest herbs! Varieties include:

- Basil (Sweet)
- Basil (Thai)
- Thyme
- Chives Onion
- Chives Garlic
- Mint Mojito
- Peppermint
- Oregano
- Parsley
- Rosemary

Duplicates & substitutes may occur.



10-pack 4" Veggies

Grow your own food this year in a garden or planter box! Varieties include:

- Tomatoes x 4
- Zucchini
- Kale
- Cucumber
- Peppers x 2
- Romaine

Duplicates & substitutes may occur.



10-pack 4" Zonal Geraniums

These easy to grow bedding plants add vibrant colour to your garden. Resistant to pests such as deer/rabbits.

Colours: Red, White, Pink
Cannot mix & match colours in a flat



10-pack 4" Wave Petunias

The popular cascading Wave petunias bring eye-catching colour to gardens, planter boxes and hanging baskets.

Colours: Purple, White
Cannot mix & match colours in a flat



10-pack 4" Marigolds

Marigolds add a pop of colour and brightness to enjoy all season. Excellent companion plants for many vegetables!

Colours: Orange



Premium Soil 30 L

A bag of organic potting soil, perfect for filling containers. This hearty mix helps plants grow to their full potential. Enriched with: compost, kelp, fish meal, peat moss, glacial rock dust, & rice hulls.



Fertilizer Shaker 1.8 kg

Enhance your garden with an easy to use fertilizer shaker. Made with organic granular kelp this blend is great for both flowers and veggies.

Product mixes, plants used and materials vary. Item received may not be exactly as shown. Substitutions may occur.

**Partners**

SK SOL ISO

A.R. Bertioia, B.Comm., CPA, CA*

K.L. Blanchette, B.Comm., CPA, CA*

A.E. Bower, BBA, CPA, CA*

117 – 1st Avenue W – PO Box 1507 KINDERSLEY,**Associates:**

R.D. Hauta, B.Comm., CPA, CA*

M.W. Close, B.Comm., CPA, CA*

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Eatonia

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Town of Eatonia, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2020, and the statements of operations, statement of changes in net assets (debt) and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Eatonia as at December 31, 2020, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Town of Eatonia in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Town of Eatonia's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Town of Eatonia or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Town of Eatonia's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town of Eatonia's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Town of Eatonia's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Town of Eatonia to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.



KINDERSLEY, Saskatchewan

Chartered Professional Accountants

March 9, 2021

Municipality of **Town of Eatonia**
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position
 As at December 31, 2020

Statement 1

	2020	2019
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash and Temporary Investments (Note 2)	579,773	488,542
Taxes Receivable - Municipal (Note 3)	28,935	24,935
Other Accounts Receivable (Note 4)	91,890	67,518
Land for Resale (Note 5)	168,476	164,167
Long-Term Investments (Note 6)	11,313	11,139
Debt Charges Recoverable (Note 7)	-	-
Other (Specify)		
Total Financial Assets	880,387	756,301
LIABILITIES		
Bank Indebtedness (Note 8)		
Accounts Payable	43,266	35,829
Accrued Liabilities Payable		
Deposits	35,275	34,639
Deferred Revenue (Note 9)	75	250
Accrued Landfill Costs (Note 10)	26,090	25,453
Liability for Contaminated Sites (Note 11)		
Other Liabilities		
Long-Term Debt (Note 12)	350,000	-
Lease Obligations (Note 13)		
Total Liabilities	454,706	96,171
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS (DEBT)	425,681	660,130
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible Capital Assets (Schedule 6, 7)	4,318,073	3,844,087
Prepayments and Deferred Charges	1,217	
Stock and Supplies	29,495	29,402
Other (Note 14)		
Total Non-Financial Assets	4,348,785	3,873,489
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (DEFICIT) (Schedule 8)	4,774,466	4,533,619

The accompanying notes and schedules are an integral part of these statements.

Municipality of Town of Eatonia
Consolidated Statement of Operations
As at December 31, 2020

Statement 2

	2020 Budget	2020	2019
REVENUES			
Taxes and Other Unconditional Revenue (Schedule 1)	545,187	557,779	539,660
Fees and Charges (Schedule 4, 5)	386,143	363,705	365,210
Conditional Grants (Schedule 4, 5)	116,416	228,670	106,668
Tangible Capital Asset Sales - Gain (Schedule 4, 5)	15,121	12,686	5,250
Land Sales - Gain (Schedule 4, 5)	-	-	-
Investment Income and Commissions (Schedule 4, 5)	6,635	3,952	7,460
Restructurings (Schedule 4,5)	-	-	-
Other Revenues (Schedule 4, 5)	119,438	142,659	391,649
Total Revenues	1,188,940	1,309,452	1,415,897
EXPENSES			
General Government Services (Schedule 3)	240,186	188,419	211,282
Protective Services (Schedule 3)	48,167	46,756	42,546
Transportation Services (Schedule 3)	213,044	202,527	192,417
Environmental and Public Health Services (Schedule 3)	99,777	111,489	98,691
Planning and Development Services (Schedule 3)	45	1,255	-
Recreation and Cultural Services (Schedule 3)	493,309	354,875	465,577
Utility Services (Schedule 3)	198,368	209,658	179,883
Restructurings (Schedule 3)	-	-	-
Total Expenses	1,292,896	1,114,979	1,190,396
Surplus (Deficit) of Revenues over Expenses before Other Capital Contributions	(103,956)	194,473	225,501
Provincial/Federal Capital Grants and Contributions (Schedule 4, 5)	30,916	46,374	67,736
Surplus (Deficit) of Revenues over Expenses	(73,040)	240,847	293,237
Accumulated Surplus (Deficit), Beginning of Year	4,533,619	4,533,619	4,240,382
Accumulated Surplus (Deficit), End of Year	4,460,579	4,774,466	4,533,619

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MARCH 2021

EATONIA OASIS LIVING NEWS

Another month has gone by and Spring is in the air! We would like to welcome Frieda Olfert from Outlook to EOL. She has not been out and about much, but we are enjoying getting to know her. This brings us to 18 residents! We got our second COVID19 vaccine this month. A few sore arms, but nothing too serious. It was an exciting day for all of us. One step closer to the world opening up we hope!

Other activities we did were exercises, Bingo, Tile Rummy. We are continuing with our Trivia Time sessions, practicing up for the big competition! We made some St. Patrick's Day crafts as well as some cute Easter baskets! A big Thank you to Marie Smith for getting these together for us! We are not nearly as creative as you are! Hopefully soon, you can come back in and help the residents again. We miss you!

We had four birthdays to celebrate in March!! Happy Birthday wishes go out to Jean Wolter, Lloyd Martin, Betty Lothammer and Rose Alexander! We got our fill of cake and ice cream!



Planting seeds for the garden!!

I am sure there were a lot of words of wisdom shared!



With the weather getting warmer, the residents are now able to visit outside with their loved ones. Appointments still must be made, as there are limited areas to visit and limited staff to arrange the visits. Your patience is much appreciated!

BE SURE TO CHECK OUT OUR
FACEBOOK PAGE!!

We would like to extend our most sincere appreciation to everyone who has made a donation of any kind to our facility... We thank you from the bottom of our hearts!!



GROWING PROJECT 2020!

Our growing project was a huge success! Thank you to all who played a part. This is our main fundraiser, and it helps us to keep our equipment, furnishings, etc. up to date so we can provide the safest environment for our residents.

OUR PARTNERS:

HOFFMAN LAND & CATTLE

Town of Eatonia

NUTRIEN AG SOLUTIONS

SUPPORTERS OF OUR PROJECT:

AMVAC

BASF

Bayer

Bill & Lynn Guidinger

Dan & Anna Guidinger

Darcy Klarenbach

Devan & Kim Punter

Doug & Carol Bailey

FMC

G-MAC's Ag Team

Kindersley Co-op

Larock Farms

Martin Adams

Nipisi Farms

Prairie Road Holdings

SM Oilfield Contracting

STAY TUNED FOR
INFORMATION ABOUT
OUR
GROWING PROJECT
2021!!

HOT TIPS FOR PREVENTING COLD WEATHER DAMAGE TO YOUR HOME

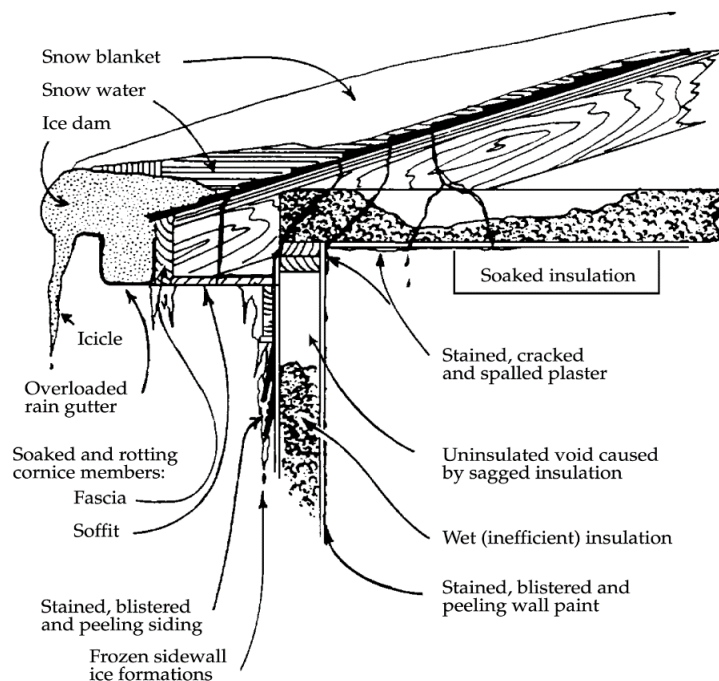
Freeze, thaw, freeze, thaw – those are the ideal conditions to make an ice dam. And that's something we know you **don't** want. Ice dams will cause a lot of damage to the walls, ceiling and insulation of your home. They may even lead to mould. With the weather cycle we're currently experiencing and the force of the sun, we've put together some information to help you prevent major ice damming problems in your home.

What causes an ice dam?

Snow acts like an insulation layer on the roof above your attic, water moves down to the cooler roof edge and soffit and freezes. Unless this melted snow is able to drain properly, it will freeze and build up over time creating ice dams. As the ice dam spreads up the roof, water eventually works its way under shingles and enters the attic. Once water enters the attic, there is a risk of damage to the roof, ceilings, walls and contents of your home.

4 TIPS TO PREVENT ICE DAMMING:

- 1. Keep the snow load down** - Keep the snow load on your roof to a minimum to prevent it from causing an ice dam.
- 2. Clear your gutters and downspouts** - Thoroughly clean all leaves and debris from your home's gutters and downspouts. This will allow the melting snow to flow into the gutters and through the downspouts as intended. Break off any icicles that develop around the roof of your home.
- 3. Keep the air moving in your attic** - Your attic needs good insulation and ventilation. Without it, the heat inside your home will leak into the attic and cause the snow on the roof to melt. We recommend bringing in a roofing contractor to make sure the airflow is working properly.
- 4. Make sure fans and venting are well sealed** - Many homes have exhaust fans, air ducts, chimneys, attic hatches and pipes – and many of these are vented into the attic. They're designed to move air flow properly but if they aren't sealed well, extra air can escape around them. We recommend getting into your attic and checking the seals. If they need help, you can fix them yourself or hire a professional to take care of it for you.



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APRIL REC NEWS

Summer Fun Program

Thanks to the Community Initiatives Fund for once again funding this program. Watch for posters for upcoming dates.

Ball & Soccer

We are planning on ball and soccer this year. If your child would be interested, please let us know. Then we will be better able to make plans.



Thank You

Would like to thank Focus IVM and Somerville Farms for taking out the ice at the arena on March 5th.

Also, to Kindersley Co-op for donating the propane for the Zamboni throughout the season.

Pool

We are now accepting applications for full and part time lifeguards for the Eatonia Pool. Resumes can be dropped off, mailed or emailed (eatoniarec@sasktel.net) to the Recreation Office.



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