

EATONIA NEWS BULLETIN



March 2024

TOWN OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday

9:00am – 12:00pm

1:00pm – 5:00pm

Closed Weekends & Stat Holidays

Closed Friday March 29th for

Good Friday

NUISANCE GROUND HOURS

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

1:00pm – 6:00pm

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday

9:00am – 12:00pm

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INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY



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.

March 8th	International Women's Day
March 8 th	Eatonia Lions Club 5:01 at the Eatonia Community Hall
March 10 th	St. Paul Lutheran Church Service
March 17th	St Patrick's Day
March 29th	Good Friday
March 31 st	St. Paul Lutheran Church Service with Communion/Easter Service
April 1st	April Fool's Day
April 6th	Celebrity Sports Dinner and Auction
June 30 th	The Steve McQueen Band Live in Eatonia
July 1 st	Canada Day Pancake Breakfast with The Steve McQueen Band



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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

BUSINESS LICENSES

The Town has mailed out notices. Please make your payment as soon as possible.

GARBAGE PICK-UP

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

Monday, March 11th

Monday, March 25th

RECYCLING PICK-UP

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

Thursday, March 7th

Thursday, March 21st

TAXES

The Town is offering tax discounts for prepayment of 2023 taxes. The following discounts will be applied to Municipal tax payments made during that month:

March – 4%

April – 3%

May – 2%

June – 1%

If you have any questions please
call the office.

PET LICENSES

If you have not renewed your pet license,
please do a soon as possible.

Please remember
to bring the license number when you come in
to renew.

Spayed or Neutered \$15.00/each
Not Spayed or Neutered \$20.00/each



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 Jerry Fuerstenberg at 306-967-2101 if you have any questions or if you would like to discuss your options.



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



WATER AND SEWER RATE INCREASE

Effective January 1, 2024, there will be a water and sewer rate increase charged on the utility bills. You will notice this increase on your next utility bill mailed out on March 1, 2024.

For residential the rate increase is as follows per month:

CHARGE	NEW RATE	OLD RATE	INCREASE
Water Fee	\$58.08	\$52.80	\$5.48
Sewer Fee	\$12.89	\$11.72	\$1.17
Water Overage Rate	\$10.78 per 1000 gallons or part thereof	\$9.90 per 1000 gallons or part thereof	

Water and sewer revenue is to cover operating expenditures which includes waterworks' staff salaries, benefits, and training; power, heat; insurance; chemicals; repairs; maintenance; supplies; etc. and to build up a reserve for future capital projects such as sewer relining, water line replacement or water treatment plant upgrades.

The Council is working towards water and sewer work revenues that cover water and sewer works expenditures and capital purchases. To accomplish this, the rates need to increase over time so that the revenues cover operating and capital costs.

Waterworks are to be self-financing, where the users pay for the costs of the service. Self-financing utility works will reduce pressure on property taxes.

Edward Jones



At Edward Jones, we do money differently.

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Medicine Hat, AB T1A 0C6
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**Saskatchewan
Health Authority**

Eatonia Health Center

Dr. Abedi will be in Eatonia on Tuesday
March 5th and Thursday March 21st

Dr. Addo will be in Eatonia on
Wednesday March 13th and Tuesday
March 26th

Reception Hours:

Monday 8:00-3:30
Tuesday 8:00- 3:30
Wednesday 8:00-4:30
Thursday 8:00-2:30

Services subject to change, please call reception to book all
appointments at 306-967-2591

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 2024 and the beginning of July 2024.

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



EATON SCHOOL

SCC

MARCH

**Healthy snack this
month is
Leprechuan
Popcorn! Thank you
to this month's
sponsor,
Studio 117!**



**K to Grade 9
report cards come
out March 15th!**

**NO CLASSES:
March 4th, 18th,
29th**

GYM BLAST DURING INTERVIEWS!

Let your kids play in the gym
while you meet with their
teachers!
March 20th & 21st
4:00-7:30 pm

We are proud to help
sponsor the speaker,
John Dunn for
students on March
19th!

EDSBY

We encourage all Eaton Families to sign up for
EDSBY. Next year, this platform will replace
SeeSaw and Remind. Please reach out to Mrs.
Hoffman if you are unsure of how to do this!



Festive Pkg. from the Easter Bunny!

Includes the following for \$13.00 per name.

- Craft
- Family Quiz of "Famous Rabbits"
- Letter from Easter Bunny
- Postage included
- Special door key
- Easter year round coupons
- Coloring sheet
- Chocolate treat

**25
MARCH
DEADLINE**



For more info call/text Gwen Britton
(780)242-4936 (Eatonia)
E-Transfer Available
gb306@outlook.com

All inquiries to the Easter Bunny's
assistant will be kept confidential.

Made with PosterMyWall.com

EATONIA LIONS CLUB PRESENTS

5:01 PUB & WINGS



March 8th
Eatonia Community Hall

\$10/dozen
\$6/drink

I would like to thank everyone that came to my Retirement Come and Go Event at the library, for all the cards, gifts, and well wishes. I was very touched by everyone's kindness and friendship.

Thank you to the Eatonia Library Board for all their support, understanding, kindness and friendship throughout my 12 years at the library. The Best Bosses Ever! Thank you for the beautiful gift, the touching send off, the well wishes and friendships.

Thank you to Charlene Coventry for putting together the wonderful Retirement Come and Go Event, the beautiful and yummy cake she made and decorated and all the delicious snacks. It was so much fun, and I enjoyed it very much. Thank you to Joanne Stusrud for helping Charlene with the set up for the Come and Go and taking the photos and putting them on Facebook.

Thank you to all the wonderful patrons who used the library while I was there, taking the time to visit and making my job even more enjoyable. I also really enjoyed the young readers and patrons. These adorable children were the high-lights of my day every time they came in. I'm going to miss the interactions and friendships with all the people that frequented the library.

I loved being the librarian! It was truly my dream job. I'll miss it very much. As I pass the reins onto Charlene Coventry as the new librarian, I know that the library I love so much is in great hands, and she will be a wonderful librarian. Congratulations Charlene on your new position as librarian. I'm sure you'll enjoy it as much as I did.

Eatonia is the best community ever!

Sincerely,

Bunty Maggrah



A huge "Thank you" to all friends and family near and far that brought food, called, and texted and many visits, that meant so much to us.

Also, to our Home Care workers, our nurses, and doctors that helped us and gave us support to get through Gordie's last days.

Our family can't express again how truly grateful we all are to have as many good people in our lives.

God Bless each and every one of you!

Linda Radies, Tanya & Darren and family, Vicki & Darryl and family



A huge **THANK YOU** to the Eatonia Lions Club on their Valentine's Day Supper! The Prime Rib and Shrimp dinner was fabulous – kudos to the chefs, and the entertainment of Laura Hayes & Company was top notch!

Thank you again for hosting such a fantastic evening!

Sincerely,

Ray & Leah Cooper



From the Eatonia Community Hall Board

Since the hall was built in 1999, a community hall board has been tasked with the upkeep and maintenance of the building and grounds. We consist of members from the Town of Eatonia, the Eatonia and District Recreation Board, the Eatonia Oasis Players, the Eatonia Lions Club, the Eatonia Catering Committee and the Eatonia Cooperative.

In 2015, we had the inside of the hall painted, with the kitchen and bathrooms being painted and tiled in 2022. In 2016, a hot water on demand system was installed. In 2020, the stage floor was repainted. In 2021, the furnaces and a/c units were replaced as well as the ceiling tiles and the carpeted flooring. In 2022, the Gem Stone lights were installed and under stage storage was expanded.

Ceiling leaks have been happening for the last 2 years in the main hall area, so we have tried the local electrical and plumbing companies for possible fixes on the roof around the old a/c units. Nothing has worked to stop the leaking so now we have called roofing companies to get their professional opinions on where the leaks could be coming from. We have come to the consensus that the best way to proceed is to have the upper roof and insulation replaced. We are in the process of getting quotes and it looks like it will cost approximately \$200,000. We are getting final quotes in the next few weeks.

We have had a tremendous start to the fund raising by Randi McKinnon, Mandy Lavallee, Amber Ward and "Deaner the Dog". If your business or community group is looking for somewhere to donate this year, we would really appreciate anything you can give. Thank You so much! By doing this we hope to have the hall in good condition for many years to come.

As of March 1st, 2024 the office off the meeting room will be available for rent. If you need office space, please apply to the Town of Eatonia.

Also, we are looking for someone who would be interested in washing tablecloths after events. They would need to be cleaned and wrinkle free. Also please apply to the Town of Eatonia.

Clancy's Construction Contracting

Hello I am a sole proprietor looking for leads in floor care for commercial spaces. I am living and renovating my father's farm to improve the business and learn lost skills. I mainly specialize in commercial cleaning, but I can do much more! You got a cluttered mess that needs hauling to the dump? Or maybe you need a

couple walls demolished? I am your guy!

Give me a call at 306-730-8806 or
if you prefer you can email me at DankinC.S@gmail.com



CANADA DAY

2024

Our team needs members of all ages to make Canada Day 2024 a success. Thank you to all who have contacted us so far.

Our team is looking for a group, family or non-profit to hold the pancake breakfast on the morning of July 1. The Steve McQueen Band (Played at the Eaton Centennial in 2022) will be present to help out, meet fans and sign autographs. Deadline for your application is April 2/24. If we have more than one group interested we will do a random draw publicly.

Our team is also looking for a group or non-profit to hold a raffle "To Sing Like A Star" with the Steve McQueen Band. One random winner will go on stage with the band and sing on June 30/24. The band will choose the song and the winner of the raffle will be notified well in advance so they can practice. If we have more than one group interested we will do a random draw publicly. Deadline for your application is April 2/24.

For any questions, applications, to be a sponsor or if you would like to become a member of the Canada Day 2024 team please email Gwen Britton at gb306@outlook.com. Feel free to follow us on FB at Eaton, SK Canada Day 2024.

Eatonia & District Chambers of Commerce News

We have sent out the 2024 memberships at the beginning January. If you did not receive by either mail or e-mail, please let Rianne know at (306) 460-4855.

If you wish to be a part of the Chamber, please contact Joanne Bredy at Bredy's Country Store at (306) 967-2491.

Eatonia & District Chamber of Commerce next meeting is on March 13, 2024, at 6pm at Somerville Shop. If attending, please RSVP for supper.

This is the last scavenger hunt for this winter. Watch for future Chamber events!

Chamber's Business Scavenger Hunt

Thank you for those who participated in the scavenger hunt. We hope you had fun looking around for the clues each month. Some were easy and some were hard!

Hope to see you for the next round of the scavenger hunt in the future.

Congrats to February's Winner:
Brett Becker

Answer was:
R.M. of Chesterfield No. 261 office

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 Eaton 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 individual(s), please contact the town office at 306-967-2251 or eatonia@sasktel.net or stop by the town office for a form.

Deadline for nominations is May 1, 2024.

306-460-7130

eatoniarec@sasktel.net



REC NEWS



WANTED LIFEGUARDS

APPLY BY
APRIL 1ST!

FULL TIME
PART TIME
HEAD GUARD

THE EATONIA & DISTRICT REC BOARD
OFFERS GREAT TRAINING BENEFITS!
REACH OUT IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE
TAKING YOUR COURSES!

INTERESTED?
APPLY TO
EATONiAREC@SASKTEL.NET

Soccer Registrations will be
opening soon. Please watch for
posters for details!

SUMMER FUN PROGRAM

APPLY NOW TO BE
A SFP LEADER!

PLEASE SEND COVER LETTER
& RESUME TO
EATONiAREC@SASKTEL.NET

DEADLINE TO APPLY:
APRIL 1ST, 2024

THE EATONIA & DISTRICT REC BOARD WOULD
LIKE TO THANK THE MANY VOLUNTEERS WHO
HELPED KEEP THE ARENA RUNNING THIS YEAR!

BIG THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING FOR HELPING
PROVIDE OTHER REC PROGRAMMING: JANELLE
LAYTON, BRENDAN BECKER, PAYTON WALDE,
JENNIFER BEWS & BONNIE WELLS!

Eatonia Oasis Living Newsletter

FEBRUARY 2024

Eatonia Oasis Living
1-306-967-2447
eol@sasktel.net

Hello residents, family & friends,

February was filled with love for our residents, thanks to our staff and volunteers. Eden & Candy went above and beyond with the decorations, as usual. We get so many compliments on how our home looks for every single occasion.

We celebrated Lindas birthday & had a Valentines Day party on the 14th, hosted by the EOL ladies auxiliary. Debbie Adams supplied the cheesecakes and Brenda Hoffman played the piano. Linda & Vicki helped serve the cake and brought some chocolates for everyone. It was enjoyed by all who attended.

Our artists were hard at work again, Rylan Cocks was home from Vancouver to do another art class with us. They did some beautiful bird paintings and once again, they turn out great.

A few of our staff attended the 1st level of OHC training in Kindersley. The following day Mandy & Celestina were the teachers and instructed their first TLR class for our staff. Its nice to always keep up to date on our training to benefit the residents and employees.

We closed out the month with an awesome Chinese food lunch sponsored by Brian, Sam & Kenny Somerville. We had many laughs reading our fortunes. We continue to be amazed by the support our seniors get from the entire community!!! THANK YOU!!!

If you have any exciting, new ideas for us to share with our residents, please give us a shout!!!

Follow our Facebook page to keep up with all the fun we are having at EOL 🥰



**Join us for St. Patricks Day
HAPPY HOUR
Friday, March 15th
2:00-4:00
Entertainment by Bryan Swan &
Friends**



Thank you to everyone who has made a donation of any kind to our home! So appreciated by all of us!!

Mantario Lions Club 50/50 Raffle

*Up to \$5000.00
Cash*

Tickets: \$10.00 Each
(Only 1000 Tickets Printed)

Draw Date: June 1/2024
7:00 P.M. Eyre Park Hall
Must be Sask. Resident and
Must 18 Years of Age

Tickets Available From Any
Mantario Lions Members or by
Contacting Kevin Butt
306-460-7326 or 306-967-2643

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