



WHAT’S HAPPENING – December 2025

December 1	Eaton SCC Gingerbread Party- 6:30-7:30 pm, Eaton School Gym
December 2	Santa’s Hut – Donations Due, drop off new items or cash donations to the Town Office
December 5	Holiday Food Drive – Donations Due
December 6	Bosses Christmas Party-6pm, Community Hall Huskies Game- 7:00 pm, Arena
December 9	Band Christmas Concert-6:30 pm, Eaton School Gym
December 11	Emergency Preparedness Workshop at Marengo – Register with the Town to join!
December 12	Water Meter Readings Due
December 13	Old Fashioned Christmas-2:00 pm, Eatonia Community Hall Studio 117 Open House- 10-2pm
December 14	St. Paul Lutheran Church Service with Communion-10:00 am
December 15	Christmas Light Tour for EOL Residents
December 18	Eaton School Christmas Turkey Dinner, Eaton School Gym
December 19	EOL Christmas Happy Hour & Bingo
December 24	St. Paul Lutheran Christmas Eve Church Service with Communion-6:30 pm

RECYCLING
PICK-UP

Please have bins
on the street by 7 am

Thursday, December 11
Wednesday, December 24

GARBAGE
PICK-UP

Please have bins
on the street by 7 am

Monday, December 1
Monday, December 15
Monday, December 29

TAXES

A 10% penalty will be applied to all
outstanding taxes in January 2026

Please pay immediately to avoid penalty!



Town Office
Christmas
Hours

Wednesday 24 Dec	9-12 PM
Thursday 25 Dec	CLOSED
Friday 26 Dec	CLOSED
Monday 29 Dec	REGULAR HOURS
Tuesday 30 Dec	REGULAR HOURS
Wednesday 31 Dec	9-12 PM
Thursday 1 Jan	CLOSED

TOWN OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday
9:00 am – 12:00 pm
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

EATONIA NEWS BULLETINPublished by the *Town of Eatonia***Rates:**

Regular Classified (5-6 Lines): \$21, advanced pay \$12

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 not included in pricing above)

****DEADLINE TO SUBMIT IS THE 22ND OF EACH MONTH****

Phone: 306 - 967 - 2251

Email: newsletter.eatonia@sasktel.net

**CONDITIONS OF ADVERTISING
ACCEPTANCE INCLUDING DISPLAY**

All advertising is subject to publisher's approval. We ask all ads to be submitted in a timely manner to allow enough time to process proofs prior to printing. Any errors after proofing, the publisher does not accept responsibility for.

PLEASE READ YOUR AD CAREFULLY

A reminder to residents

**to please be respectful of neighbours and
deter your dog's excessive barking.**

**Osters Plumbing
& Heating LTD.**
 **YORK®** 306-628-3356

**NEED FINANCING ON
YOUR LATEST
PROJECT?**  **Financeit.**

GIVE US A CALL TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR
FINANCING PROGRAMS AVAILABLE!

420 1st Street East Leader, SK
Ostertheron@ostersplumbing.com
OPHOffice@ostersplumbing.com

WATER METER READINGS

Please submit reading(s) by
Friday December 12th

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

Or email watermeter.eatonia@sasktel.net

**REMINDER**

When you take out your snow shovels,
please remember we are working hard to
keep the snow off the streets so you can get
where you need to go

**Please refrain from putting your snow back
on the road or your neighbor's property**

"the family pharmacy is the heart of the community"

Free Delivery to Eatonia!
Monday, Wednesday and Friday



www.dirkfamilypharmacy.com

306-628-3744

Leader, sk

OPEN MONDAY - SATURDAY

8:30AM - 5:30PM

CLOSED HOLIDAYS & SUNDAYS



Eatonia December Clinic Days

Dr. Addo will be in Eatonia Friday December 5th,
Monday December 15th, and Monday 29th.

Dr. Ali (Ranjbaran) will be in Eatonia Thursday
December 11th.

NP Keri-Anne is in Eatonia every Wednesday. With
the exception of December 17th.

Services Subject to change

To Book an appointment please call 306-967-2591

Clinic Hours

Monday 8:00-3:30

Tuesday 8:00-3:30

Wednesday 8:00-4:30

Thursday 8:00-2:30

Healthy People, Healthy Saskatchewan

The Saskatchewan Health Authority works in the spirit of truth and reconciliation,
acknowledging Saskatchewan as the traditional territory of First Nations and Métis People.



Somerville Digital Sign

Somerville Digital Sign is a unique digital advertising sign perfect for your business, community event, birthday, baby announcement, anniversary, engagement, reunion, sporting event, or employment posting

Commercial spots are 10 seconds long
Minimum 288 reps/24 hours, for 7 days
Creative designs can be animated or static

Call our Digital Sign Coordinator
Jerry Fuerstenberg at 306-967-2101 to
get your next message on the Digital Sign!

Weekly Cost:

- \$25 Community Events & Announcements
- \$60 Commercial/Business Promotions

**Taxes not included in prices *Prices subject to change*

Creative designs by our Digital Sign Animator
are available upon request



The Handi Van will be taking the residents of
EOL on a light tour.

Show your Christmas spirit and turn your
lights on the evening of
Monday, Dec 15th

Alternate Date: Monday, Dec 22nd

Compliments of the
Eatonia Health District Foundation Board

Holiday Food Drive

Donate non-perishable food for families in need.

Also accepting new unwrapped toys, books, games

DONATIONS DUE BY DECEMBER 5

Donations go to Kindersley Food Bank



Drop off at Town Office during business hours.



St. Paul Lutheran Church

Join Us For

CHRISTMAS EVE

CHURCH

Service

 **6:30 PM**

 **DEC. 24, 2025**



Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

May the sparkle and joy of the holidays fill your heart.

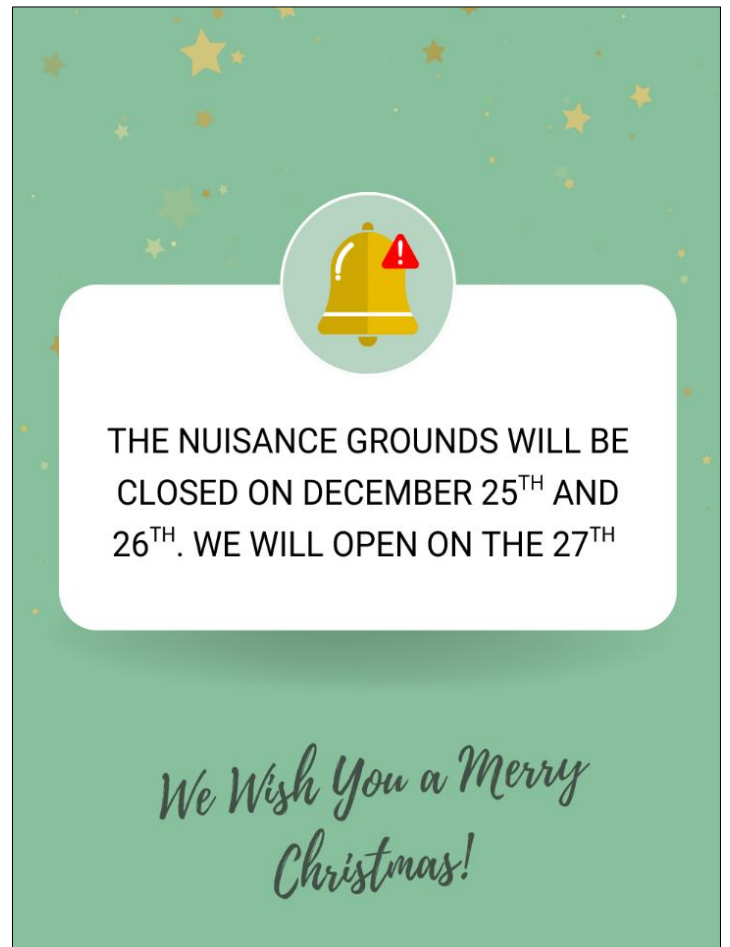
R.M. of Chesterfield



Happy Holidays

May the Holiday season fill your home with joy, your heart with love, and your life with laughter

The 21-44 Store



THE NUISANCE GROUNDS WILL BE CLOSED ON DECEMBER 25TH AND 26TH. WE WILL OPEN ON THE 27TH

We Wish You a Merry Christmas!

What will Chesterfield, Eatonia, Newcombe, Milton, Antelope Park and Marengo do in an emergency?

If you are interested in learning about how our municipalities are working together in case of an emergency, attend our workshop, starting at 8:30 am

December 11, 2025 at the Marengo Hall

AM Workshop - Emergency Coordination Centre Training

PM Workshop - Tabletop Exercise

LUNCH PROVIDED

Pre-requisite

ICS I- 100 : Incident Command Systems

(If you do not have this training, it is available for free through the Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency)

Click the link below, download the self-study package, take the exam and email your results to spsatraining@gov.sk.ca

Training and Certification | SPSA

For any inquiries, questions, or details
Contact the Prairie Winds Emergency Coordinator
Wonona Makranoff 306-460-4489





EATONIA
AGENCIES LTD.

Holiday Hours

Closed

Dec 24th

Dec 25th

Dec 26th

Closing @ Noon

Dec 31st

Closed

Jan 1st



Serving Eatonia and Surrounding Communities

Recent Crime Snapshot (April 2025 – November 2025)

Total Calls for Service: 2,209 across the detachment area

Property-related calls in our area: 4

Property crime in nearby RMs: 92

Hot Spot Monitoring

With recent increases in break-ins in certain RM locations, new patrol hot spots have been identified. RCMP will continue targeted patrols and work with residents to report suspicious activity quickly.

Crime Prevention Techniques

- Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (CPTED) – improving lighting, visibility, and layout of properties.
- Rural Property Crime Watch Program (RPCWP) – neighbours watching out for neighbours, sharing updates, and reporting suspicious activity.
- Community education through RCMP presentations and local engagement.

Tips to Keep Rural Property Secure

- Keep lights on a timer inside your home.
- Install an alarm system with a siren.
- Never leave keys in vehicles or garages.
- Use signage such as Rural Crime Watch or surveillance notices.
- Install cameras covering your driveway and entrances.
- Lock gates, sheds, and barns each night.
- Consider a tracking device for high-value farm equipment.
- Always report suspicious activity right away to 911 or your local detachment.

If you're interested in joining the Rural Property Crime Watch Program, contact:

 Kindersley RCMP Detachment: 306-463-4642

 KindersleyRCMP@rcmp-grc.gc.ca

Eatonia & District Chambers of Commerce Business Scavenger Hunt

Are you looking for something to do this fall? Join us in a Business Scavenger Hunt!

In each month's newsletter, Facebook page and posters will be a clue around the Town of Eatonia for you to find with just 1 picture! Draw for the correct entry for each month for a \$25 Chamber Bucks to spend at local Chamber businesses. Entry forms are available at the Town of Eatonia office, Kindersley & Dist. Coop hardware store in Eatonia and The 21-44. Anyone can enter. Winner will be contacted by Rianne. Draw will be on the 20th of each month and will be advertised in the next clue!

If you have any questions, please contact Rianne Hoffman at (306) 460-4855.

This month's winner is: Craig B.

Here is this Month's clue:



Eatonia Lions Club Trip of
the Month– November

**Bob and Jill Jensen-
San Diego**

**Carol and Bob Peters-
\$120**





Eatonia Chamber of Commerce Presents

Bosses Christmas Party

DECEMBER 6

COCKTAILS– 6:00 PM
DINNER– 6:30 PM



COME JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF "CLASSIC LAS VEGAS STYLE SHOW" WITH SINGER/PERFORMER ROBERT LARRABEE... MEDICINE HAT'S OWN NASHVILLE RECORDING ARTIST WITH 4 DECADES OF INTERNATIONAL STAGE EXPERIENCE.

LARRABEE PROMISES AN INTERACTING TRIBUTE EXPERIENCE – FEATURING BOTH LEGENDARY HITS (ROY ORBISON, JOHNNY CASH, NEIL DIAMOND, TOM JONES, GARTH BROOKS, ELVIS & MORE!) AND ORIGINAL SONGS WRITTEN IN HONOR OF THE ARTISTS WHO SHAPED MODERN MUSIC.

HE SAYS ITS A TRIBUTE SHOW, BUT A STORYTELLING AD OFTEN COMEDIC JOURNEY THROUGH THE SOUNDTRACK OF MULTIPLE GENERATIONS.

**TICKETS ARE LIMITED TO 200
AT A COST OF \$60.00 EACH.
TICKETS WILL BE SOLD
INDIVIDUALLY OR IN TABLES OF
6 OR 8. TICKETS ARE SOLD AT
EATONIA AGENCIES**





Thank you for Caring and Sharing!



Donor's Choice total was an amazing \$28,564.20! \$15,485 will remain in the community.

The Committee members gratefully acknowledge all supporters, including *Eatonia Agencies* and the *Town Office* for their willing cooperation, and *Prairie Centre Credit Union* for their generous donation for administrative costs.

1. The Arthritis Society	\$ 620.00	15. SK Lung Association	\$ 650.00
2. Canadian Cancer Society	\$ 1,065.00	16. Schizophrenia Society of SK	\$ 100.00
3. West Central Crisis Centre	\$ 500.00	17. Cdn Cystic Fibrosis Foundation	\$ 150.00
4. The Salvation Army	\$ 850.00	18. Cemetery Fund: E \$6065 M \$500	\$ 6,565.00
5. SK Abilities Council	\$ 470.00	19. AIDS Saskatchewan	\$ 180.00
6. Multiple Sclerosis Society	\$ 525.00	20. Alzheimer Society of SK	\$ 1,660.00
7. Canadian Bible Society	\$ 100.00	21. Canadian Diabetes Association	\$ 825.00
8. AB Cerebral Palsy Assoc.	\$ 150.00	22. Eatonia Oasis Living	\$ 5,490.00
9. Canadian Liver Foundation	\$ 370.00	23. Eatonia Community Service Co-op	\$ 1,505.00
10. Kidney Foundation of Can.	\$ 495.00	24. Eatonia Heritage Park	\$ 1,425.00
11. Cdn Mental Health Assoc.	\$ 800.00	25. Colitis & Crohn's SK	\$ 30.00
12. CNIB	\$ 450.00	26. S.T.A.R.S	\$ 100.00
13. Cdn Red Cross Society	\$ 405.00	27. Ronald McDonald House	\$ 600.00
14. Heart & Stroke Foundation of SK	\$ 1,425.00	28. Eatonia Lutheran Church	\$ 500.00
		29. Parkinson's Disease	\$ 500.00
		30. Kindersley & District Food Bank	\$ 59.20
		TOTAL:	<u>\$ 28,564.20</u>

Eatonia Cemetery: History in Our Midst

1921

Records indicate town officials approved the Saskatchewan land surveyor's initial mapping of the Eatonia cemetery. The original vision of those pioneers, in the layout of five blocks for graves with designated road plans, exists today. Seven areas specified for flower beds suggest an ambitious beautification plan to honour the departed. Records of plot purchases and deaths were maintained in the "*big black book*," though these entries are occasionally incomplete by modern standards.

1978

Local historian and volunteer Bill Wardill drew a large version of the map to be used to visually record information. It is preserved on the wall in the town office . . . evidence of his legacy of years of care for the cemetery.

2021

One hundred years later, Jim and Belva Martin undertook a huge project to update the map and provide a framework for future record keeping. It included extensive research, approval by the Saskatchewan Registrar of Cemeteries, and employment of a professional mapping company. The project was completed in 2023 with the addition of a new colourful map on the wall in the town office.

New in 2025

1. Paving of the roads
2. Erection of the shelter constructed by Kelly Dearborn and helpers to house the map
3. Installation of the cemetery map with a directory in remembrance of those departed.

For another year, we acknowledge the congenial cooperative working relationship with the town council and employees as we strive to create a beautiful, enduring sanctuary of peace.

We acknowledge the significant contribution of Cheryl Bailey in her role of secretary/treasurer/fountain of information on our committee. Her guidance and efficiency will be sorely missed but we cheer her on in her retirement!

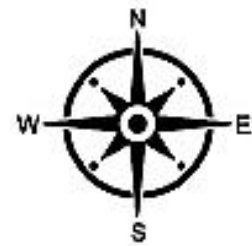
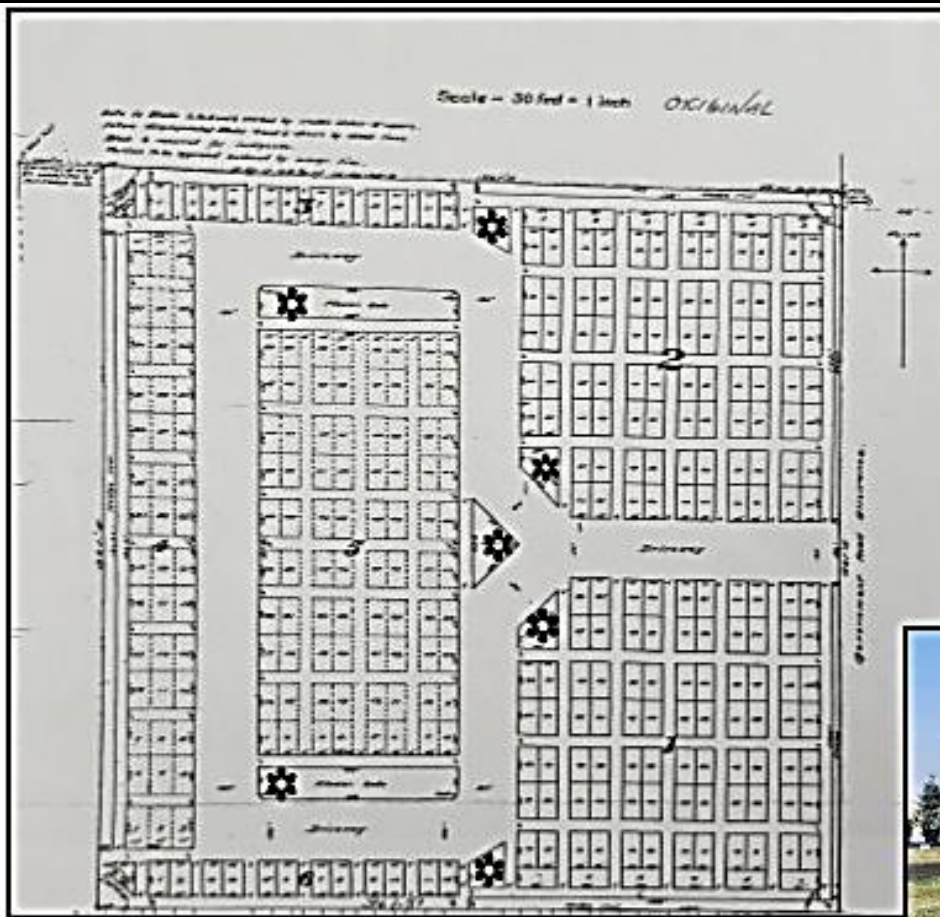
Lastly, with sincere appreciation we acknowledge the financial support from personal donations. Community generosity through Donor's Choice is received in gratitude and is so very heartwarming.

Cemetery Committee members are:

Representing the Town: Darcy Scott, Tori Munroe, Damion Smith

Representing the R.M. of Chesterfield: Leah Cooper, Doug Bredy

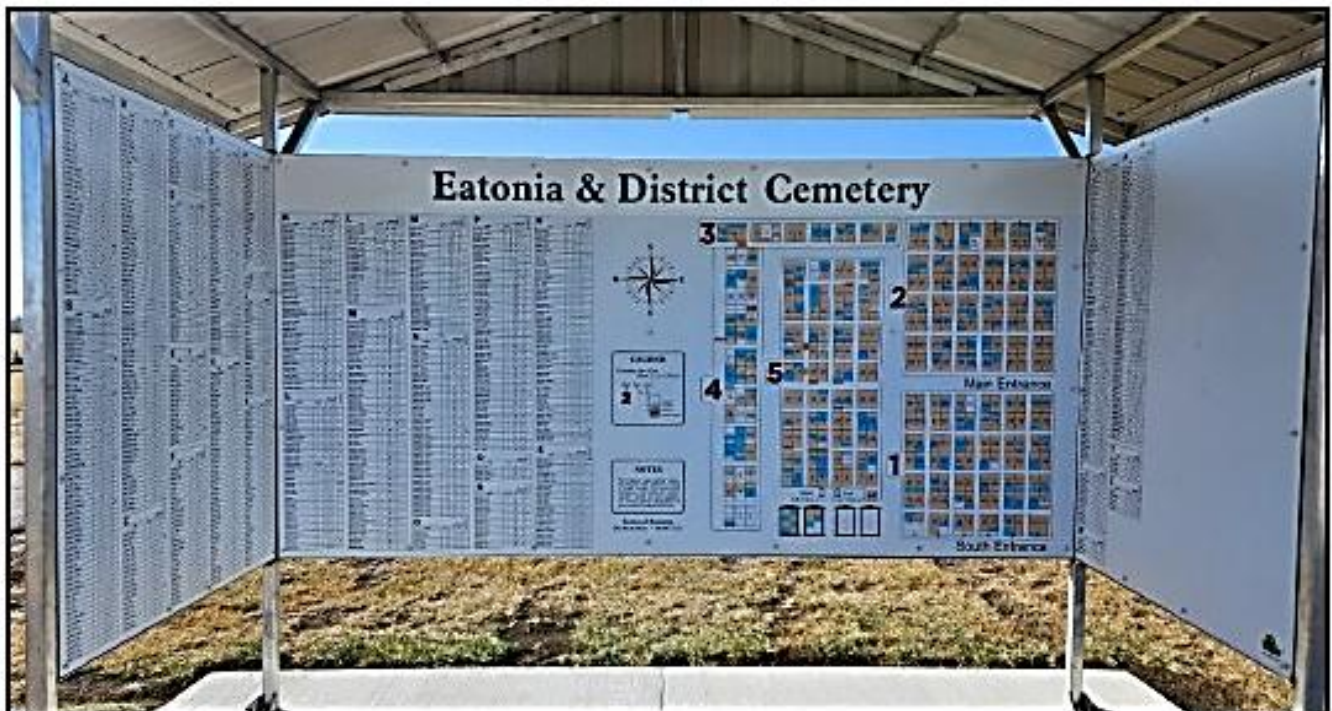
Members at Large: Brent Bews, Jerry and Bernice Radies, Jim and Belva Martin



Top Left: 1921 original map; flower beds marked with *

Middle: 2025 shelter

Bottom: 2025 map and directory installed



A tremendous THANK YOU to Belva & Jim Martin - without your vision, unwavering dedication, and attention to detail, these cemetery projects would not be possible. The Eatonia & District Cemetery would not be the sanctuary it is without your many MANY hours of faithful care.

EATONIA OASIS LIVING NEWSLETTER November 2025

EOL (306)-967-2447
eatoniaoasisliving@gmail.com

Hello Residents, Families and Friends!

What a wonderful month we've had!

We got creative making our own poppies and had a blast whipping up some homemade bath bombs — they smelled amazing! We also did a craft making little Reindeer.

We were lucky to have a Mobile Shoe Company set up at EOL for Residents and public to come shop, it was a success, and they will be coming back in May.

We also held a heartfelt Remembrance Day Ceremony, and we'd like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who helped host and participated in this meaningful event.

We celebrated the Roughriders making it to the Grey Cup with our lively Grey Cup Happy Hour! Thank you to everyone who joined in the fun and dressed in your best green — it was wonderful to see so much spirit all around. Congratulations to the Saskatchewan Roughriders for taking home the Grey Cup!

December is just around the corner, and we can't wait to celebrate the holidays with all of you! Get ready for lots of festive fun, sweet treats, and special moments together.

December Coming Events

- ❖ Monthly Birthday party Dec 2nd
- ❖ Community Church Christmas Party Dec 11th
- ❖ Christmas Light Tour Dec 15th
- ❖ Christmas Bingo and Happy Hour Dec 19th

Happy Birthday

This month
we celebrated
Wilmas
Birthday!



A huge **THANK YOU** to our faithful volunteers!

The residents and the staff appreciate you so much for filling our home with joy and laughter! Please contact EOL if you would like to share your time or talents with us!

Thank you to all who provide church services at EOL. A spiritual component included in the residents' care is very important and appreciated by all.

Thank you to everyone who has made a donation of any kind to our home





REC NEWS

DECEMBER 2025

HOCKEY GAMES

December 6th:

- Ull WP Eaton/Kindersley vs. North Battleford- 10:00 am
- Ull WP Eaton/Kindersley vs. North Battleford- 1:00 pm
- Ull River Kings vs. Kerrobert/Luseland- 4:00 pm

Huskies Games:

- December 6- 7:00 pm
- January 9-8:00 pm
- January 17- 8:00 pm
- January 30- 8:00 pm



SKATING RATES

Family Season Pass	\$175
Individual Season Pass	\$100
Family Drop In	\$10.00
Individual Drop In	\$5.00
Rental Fee	\$110/Hour

Payments accepted:

- E-transfer-eatoniarec@sasktel.net
(include name/fee)
- Cash
- Cheque

You can bring payment to the Town Office or use the drop off box at the rink (include name/fee)

Rec Board Committee:

Brennan Somerville
Vicki Oomen
Hannah Eckstein
Cassandra Steinke
Witt Howes
Clinton Hoffman
Michael Rosher
Damion Smith
Morgen Dietz

If you are interested in joining the rec board committee, please email eatoniarec@sasktel.net or call the Town Office at 306-967-2251

Open HOUSE

Come celebrate 10 years in business.



DEC **13** 2025

TIME: 10:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

Door Prizes
Snacks & Refreshments
Draw your discount minimum 20% off purchase

studio **117**
Alan Design Studio

Eatonia SANTA'S HUT



***Santa Hut will be held at the Old Fashioned Christmas
Eatonia Community Hall***

Saturday December 13th, 2025

From 2pm – 4pm

For ages 14 & under

Gifts will range from \$1 to \$10 per family member they are shopping for.



Proceeds toward West Central Crisis & Family Support Centre

***Donations can be dropped off at the Town Office
Please make your donation, of cash or new items, by Dec. 2nd***

EATONIA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PRESENTS

OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS

**DECEMBER
13****FOOD, MUSIC,
HAY RIDES,
CRAFTS & MORE****EATONIA COMMUNITY HALL****2:00 PM****SANTA VISITS AT 2:30 PM****DISCO SKATE AT THE ARENA RIGHT AFTER!**