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Parade!

Balgonie will be celebrating Saskatchewan's Centennial on Friday, July 1, 2005. There are many exciting events being planned for this celebration. One of which is a parade. We are requesting your support in making this parade a success. The parade commences at 11:30 a.m. We will be leaving the Balgonie Multiplex parking lot proceeding east along Railway Street, south on Hawkes Street, east on Assiniboia Street, north on Main Street and returning to the Multiplex along Railway Street. Please contact me with your parade entries or questions. Thank you for your support.

Nicole Entner-McCullough 771-4540
mccfarm@imagewireless.ca

Annual Balgonie Dance and Twirl Recital

Sunday May 1 at 2:00 pm
Greenall Gym
Admission: Adults \$3.00
Students 6-18 \$2.00
Under 6 free

- May 1 Balgonie Dance Recital**
- May 2 50+ Club Potluck & Meeting**
- May 7 50+ Club Cribbage**
- May 18 50+ Club Supper**
- May 29 United Church Breakfast 9 am-1 pm**
- May 30 Playschool General Meeting 7 pm**

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Balgonie Baptist Church

Sunday Service

Coffee & Fellowship – 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service – 10:30 a.m.



Communion Service will be held on May 1st.

Children's Ministries

Our nursery is available for nursing moms on Sunday mornings. Our Sunday school program is now in place for all children ages 3 to grade 6. Please contact us for more information.

Linger Longer Lunch is our monthly potluck fellowship time on the last Sunday of every month. Bring your favourite dish and join us.

Wednesday Prayer Time happens at 7 PM weekly at the church. Everyone is welcome to attend.

NEXUS Youth is a Christian ministry for all young persons in grades 7 to 12 held regularly on Saturday evenings at 7:00 PM. We have youth from a wide range of backgrounds attending. Call "*Pastor B*" for specific schedule times, events and further information.

Friday Night Fellowship happens regularly on Friday evenings at the home of Pastor Brian J. Munro, 101 Hyde Street. Call the church for specific times, dates and further info.

Summer VBS will take place at our church from the week of August 8th to 12th. All children registered for Kindergarten to grade 6 this September are welcome. There is no charge. Please pre-register your child by calling the church. There will also be a pre-registration on Sunday, June 12th at our annual Sunday School Wrap-Up and Family Bar-B-Que.

Church Office: 771-2545 Pastor: Brian J. Munro

Email: balgoniebaptist@sasktel.net

Website: <http://balbapt.sasktelhosting.net/>

St. John's and St. Paul's Lutheran Congregations

Emphasis will be on our baptism, communion and the scriptures leading to Pentecost on May 15 – a celebration of the birthday of our Christian Church. Following this service at St. John's, you are invited to stay and enjoy fellowship and breakfast. They are located on the Zehner Correction Line road #734 two km. west of Hwy #364 with their services beginning at 9:30. St. Paul's, located in the village of Edenwold, offers service beginning at 11:00 each Sunday. All are welcome with children encouraged to participate at our services. Contact Pastor Lynda Wowk at 771-4118 for more information on these and other opportunities

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

ORDINARY SCHEDULE:

Saturday: 6 p.m. - Confession, Mass 7 p.m.

Sunday: 10:30 a.m. - Mass

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Sunday (May 1) Appreciation Barbecue after Mass
First Friday (May 6) 7:00 p.m. - Mass and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 10:00 p.m.

Thursday (May 12) 7:00 p.m. - Mass followed by Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament until 9:00 p.m.

Monday (May 16) 7:30 p.m. - Mass followed by K of C meeting

Tuesday (May 17) 7:15 p.m. - Mass followed by CWL meeting

Thursday (May 19) 8:00 p.m. - Finance and Building Comm. meeting

Tuesday (May 24) 7:45 p.m. - Mass followed by Parish Council meeting

Sunday (May 29) 7:00 p.m. - Living Rosary

Balgonie United Church

We, the people of Balgonie United Church, welcome you to worship with us every Sunday morning at 10:45 a.m. Located on Main Street Balgonie, the church offers Sunday School for 4 years and up at the same time. We strive to be an inclusive church and do mission in accord with The United Church of Canada. Once as presence in Pilot Butte we are thankful that many households from Pilot Butte make the United Church in Balgonie, a few minutes away, their church home.

Ministry Personnel is Rev. Ron Clark, Balgonie, office- 771-4303.

Sunday, May 29, you are invited to our Monthly Breakfast and Brunch served from 9 a.m. until 1:00 for \$5.00; children half price. Bring your friends.



"Roses Thorns and News to You!"

SYMPATHY



Sympathy is extended to Ron Konanz and family on the passing of Ron's mother Eleanor. Sympathy is also extended to Shirley Konanz, Josie & Ewald Schramm on the passing of their sister-in-law.

Sympathy is extended to Jim & Dianne Toth and family on the passing of Jim's mother.

Sympathy is extended to Marjorie Koch, Rodney & Wendy Koch and family on the passing of husband, father, and grandfather Conrad.

GET WELL

Get well wishes are extended to Clarence Hunter, David Laing, Evelyn Gienow, Susan Stiefel, Heather Entner, and Susan Melnyk.

THANK YOU

The Balgonie Swimming Pool Board would like to extend a most gracious Thank You to the Balgonie Community Club for their very generous donation! It was a most welcome surprise! Rest assured the money will be put to good use! See you at the Pool!

The Balgonie Community Club would like to "Thank Everyone" again this year for supporting the Balgonie Community Calendar fundraiser. Proceeds from this fundraiser are returned to clubs, facilities, etc. from which all of us benefit. Special "Thank You" to all who helped us with the delivery of the calendars. Extra calendars are available for sale at \$8.00 each for any friends or relatives you might have coming home for the July 1, 2005 Centennial Celebrations. Call Sandy at 771-2278 for calendar purchases.

The Balgonie Community Club has a couple of Block Parent Signs available for anyone interested in becoming a Block Parent for our community, please call Sandy at 771-2278.

ROSES



We all know it takes a community to raise a child. Over this last month, I have learned that our community also joins together to comfort and support those recovery from surgery. Thank you to all.
Heather Entner

STEP AEROBICS

A special thank you to Lisa Ermel for teaching our step aerobics class. We had a successful and enjoyable year. For the summer we are leaving our steps inside and enjoying the fresh air outside. We will be back in the fall. Watch September's news letter for dates and times.

IT'S A BOY!!



BUCK, Eric Andrew a son born to Diedrich and Betty Jo on April 20, 2005. Grandparents are Betty Nagy, Las Vegas, Nevada and Ron and Laurie Buck, Coppersands, Sask. Great-grandparents are Ed and Bev Kronberg and Linnes Buck, Shaunavon, Sask.

It's a Boy!!

Alden and Trisha Wolbaum are pleased to announce the arrival of their third son, Jesse Jorge. Jesse was born on March 30th, 2005. He weighed 11 lbs, 2 oz and was 21 ¾ inches long. He is the little brother for Jaxon and Eryk. We would also like to thank the residents of St. Joseph's for the beautiful flowers.

Congratulations to Charlene & Scott Shanner on the birth of their baby boy, Justin Scott. Justin weighed 7lbs.14oz. and is a little brother for Andrew. Proud grandparents are Ed & Margaret Fetsch and Bob & Faye Shanner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT NEWS



Grand Opening Set

Now that the Fire Department and First Responders are somewhat settled in our new home, the date of the Grand Opening is set. In conjunction with the celebrations for Saskatchewan's 100th birthday and Canada Day, the hall will be officially opened at 1:30 pm July 1st. Be sure to stop in and have a look around.



Fireworks

Speaking of July 1st, we will be putting on a super fireworks show again this year. This year's show promises to deliver a big bang for your buck!

How can you help out?

The Balgonie Volunteer Firefighters and First Responders are updating emergency lists. We keep a list of people who have specialized equipment and knowledge that could be accessed in an emergency. For example: snowmobiles, tractors, livestock trailers, HazMat training, or anything else you may think could be helpful. If you have knowledge, skills or equipment that you would be willing to put on the list please email the Balgonie Fire Department at balgoniefire@sasktel.net with your name, telephone number and a list of what you may be able to offer. Your name on the list does not mean that you will be contacted for each and every call, only in an emergency where it is deemed necessary.



More Training for a Safer Balgonie

The weekend of April 1-3, members of the Balgonie Fire Department attended training in Nipawin through the Saskatchewan Volunteer Firefighters Association. This semi-annual school takes place in various communities throughout the province and is a chance for firefighters to learn new techniques and to train with other departments.

Balgonie sent seven students and four instructors to the school. The next school will take place in October.

The Challenge Has Been Set!

Balgonie will be sending a team to the Firefighter Challenge, June 11th in Fort Qu'Appelle. The challenge will take place on June 11th in the Country Squire parking lot. There are team and individual events, and participants must train for all activities, as they don't know which ones they will get drawn for.

One More Reminder to Keep Our Kids Safe...

There are a lot of kids on the streets with the warm weather here. Please slow down and watch for kids on bikes, skateboards and roller blades. Also, please observe the **flashing pedestrian lights** located at Assiniboia and highway 364 near the StarDome.

Advertising Rates

- business card size ad \$10.00 /month
- 1/4 page ad \$25.00 /month
- 1/2 page ad \$60 /month
- full page ad \$85 /month

Sponsor of the month receives full page ad for the cost of the mailout (approx. \$85.00)

1 year ad subscription that includes 11 - 1/4 page ads and 1 month full page sponsor ad for \$250

Personal announcements - no charge
Letters to the Editor/Editorial - no charge
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Advertising is limited to persons, groups & businesses receiving mail in Balgonie.

email to talkofthetown00@yahoo.com
Advertisers call Corey @ 771-2228



BALGONIE CURLING CLUB

The Curling Club ended the season on March 19 with a fun spiel and year-end awards.

- Ladies League Champ - Natashia Cockwill
- Ladies Club Champion - Natashia Cockwill
- Ladies Club Runner-up - Cathy Poelzer
- Mixed League Champion - Al Johnson
- Mixed Club Champion - Alvin Selzer
- Mixed Club Runner-up - Shawn Meyer
- Open League Champion - Jared Sveinbjornsen
- Open Club Champion - Garnet Baht
- Open Club Runner-up - Shawn Meyer

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE WINNING TEAMS.

Raffle Prize Winners:

Hot Tub for a week

- Angela McMillan

\$100 Gift Certificates from Midas Muffler:

- Pat Gottselig
- Colton Lane
- Ken Bakken

One Night Stay at Travelodge East

- Jared Sveinbjornsen
- Pat Gottselig
- Ethan Wiens

Thank you to everyone for supporting the curling club this season, we look forward to seeing you next year. Anyone interested in becoming a board member please contact Ken Bakken @ 771-2278.

BALGONIE PLAYSCHOOL GENERAL MEETING



MONDAY, MAY 30, 2005

At the Balgonie Baptist Church 7:00 pm

The purpose of this meeting will be to review this playschool season as well as to make suggestions and present ideas for next season. We have a few board positions that are open and will need to be filled that night for the 2005/2006 Balgonie Playschool Parent Executive. This is a great chance to meet other parents and make a difference in young children's lives. Hope to see you there

Help Wanted!

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Assistant Caretaker needed for Greenall High School. The successful applicant must be able to work closely with people and maintain composure in many different situations. This job includes general daily cleaning, minor maintenance, some weekend work and security work.

Total Hours amount to 100 - 130 hours per month. Work will begin on August 29, 2005.

Please send written applications and resumes to:
Ken Bakken
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Balgonie, Sask
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Deadline for applications is May 15, 2005.
For more information contact Ken Bakken at 771-2778.

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Balgonie Heritage Committee April 2005

First of all, we would like to thank all those who have helped with our fundraisers in the past and also a big thank you to those who have supported us. We wish to express our thanks for the generous donation by Eleanor Konanz for the antique organ to our project.

We are still working on the building, mostly inside, the dirt has been removed and the forms are being prepared for the south side of the foundation. The bathroom is being renovated and things are moving along quite nicely.

Submitted by Joan

**** EDENWOLDS' CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION – JUNE 11, 2005 ****

FREE EVENTS:

1. Parade at 10:30 a.m.
2. Wagon Rides
3. Street Culture Kidz
4. Balloon animals
5. Live Music and games in the beer gardens
6. 'Bouncer' Castle (for teens) & House (for children)
7. Magic Shows
8. Tethered Hot Air Balloon Rides
9. Street Dance



**Riding Lawn Mower Races – \$10.00 entry fee –
Contact Lisa Koch @771-2210 by June 1st to register

**Beer gardens under the Big Top

**Lunch - \$2.00 for hamburger/ hotdog, chips and a drink

**Beef Pit BBQ Supper - \$5.00 for beef, baked beans and baked potatoes with all the fixings

**Carnival concession stand – old fashioned pricing

**Come and help us celebrate Saskatchewan's 100th
birthday with a day FULL OF FAMILY FUN.
SEE YOU IN EDENWOLD!!!!**

Call Karen Ruecker @771-2031

for more information about the day's events.

Contact Alanna Koch @771-2686 to enter the parade.

Buffalo Plains Ringette Report

Well, it's been a long season, which just wrapped up in the last couple of weeks. Thank goodness, as who wants to be at the rink with all of this beautiful weather we've had?

The Bunnies participated in the first ever Bunnies Jamboree on March 19, hosted by Ringette Saskatchewan. Many of them braved terrible roads to Nokomis to participate in a fun day of face painting, gym games, cheering, colouring, and even some Ringette. They had the chance to meet and watch some of the Belle A players who participated in the Western Canadian Ringette Championships, as they were the "big sisters" for the day. A fun time was had by all! Check out www.ringettesask.com for pictures from the day's events.

The Novice team repeated as League Champions on Championship Sunday – April 10. After squeaking by in the semi final game, they came alive in the second period of the final to capture the league title, beating the Regina Rumble 7-3. Great job girls!

The Petites and Tweens hosted the "B" Provincial Championships on March 11-13, and many members of each team participated in the Skills Competition. Congratulations to Brooklyn Lane (Showdown Shooter) and Stephanie Hutchinson (Fastest Shot), as well as Katie Stachowich, who had to face down 6 rounds of shooters before losing out in the Showdown Goalie competition. Thanks again to all of the parents who volunteered their time working the time clock, etc. The Tween team also made a run in the playoffs to get to the Bronze medal game on Championship Sunday. They lost a tough game, but congratulations to both teams for fighting it out to the end!

The Belle/Deb team captured the Bronze medal at the Open "B" Provincials March 19 in Milestone, and then capped off a great year by winning their League Championship against their bitter rivals, the Regina Raiders. Coach Rick Lang said this was one of the most enjoyable years of coaching he has ever had. Pretty nice compliment from someone who has been around as long as Rick! Great job ladies!!

Plans for next year are underway, along with a new website. Check back here for more information! Have a great summer!

For more information on Ringette, please contact:
Trina Buchanan 781-4548
Cathy Gibson 781-2844
Paul Hawman 781-2678

BALGONIE BRANCH LIBRARY

Submitted by: Janet Turgeon



Farewell patrons, I have enjoyed my time as Branch Librarian. Working in the community of Balgonie has been a wonderful experience. I thoroughly enjoyed working as part of the Balgonie Public Library team and I wish them the best! Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with all the programs over the past year. All of your hard work has certainly paid off. The Balgonie Branch Library was a runner up for the 2004 Branch Programming Award at Southeast Regional Library.

The Library will be closed Monday, May 23rd due to the Victoria Day Holiday.

HERE'S WHAT'S COMING UP IN MAY:

Preschool Story Time

If you have small children, please join us every Wednesday at 10:00 a.m. for stories and a craft. Be sure to pop in on Wednesday, May 4th to meet the new Librarian!!!

Interior Decorating

Pre-registration is required for this exciting program!!!

Who's ready for some spring redecorating????

Laurie has graciously volunteered to teach this interior decorating program. She will teach us how to choose colors, arrange furniture, and accessorize our walls. So bring your fabric swatches and all your interior decorating questions!!!

The program will have two sessions:

Tuesday, May 17th - explore colors for your home

Thursday, May 26th - learn about furniture arrangements and wall accessories.

The program will begin at 7:00 p.m. each night.



Annual Balgonie Community Garage Sale

The Balgonie Library is now taking registrations for the Annual Balgonie Community Garage Sale. The event will take place Friday, June 3rd and Saturday, June 4th. Register your table with the Library for \$10.00 to receive advertising in the Leader Post and a package containing balloons, a sign and other helpful garage sale items.

Scrap n' Chat

The next Scrap n' Chat program will be held on Wednesday, May 18th from 6:30 – 10:00 p.m.

High Speed Internet

We have three public access computers available for one hour bookings. Public access computers are free to all patrons who have a library card. If you do not have a card you can get one free by stopping in at the library. Call the library at 771-2332 to reserve your computer time.

Library Hours:

Monday 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday 4:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Thursday 4:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Friday 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

1ST BALGONIE BEAVERS, CUBS & SCOUTS

The 1st Balgonie Beavers had their parents join them on April 5, 2005 to eat Chili, which they prepared. They have been busy with a campfire and s'mores, making a picture frame for Mother's Day and touring the Fire Hall.

The Cubs having been preparing for the Cub Car Rally which is being held on April 23rd. This is a competition with 150 other groups. They have been working on their reader and athlete badges and a report for Canadian Healthy Living.

The Scouts are planning and advanced trip to Kingsmere Lake in July/August. They are learning to widdle and carve with wood. They will be attending the Cub Car Rally to help the Cubs.

The 1st Balgonie Beavers, Cubs and Scouts would like to thank everyone who participated in the bottle drive on April 9th in White City. It was a huge success and we could not have done it without the support of this wonderful community. If you have any items to donate and are unable to store them until our next bottle drive please feel free to contact Brenda Lapchuk at 771-2701. She will arrange for pick up and storage. There will be a bottle drive in Balgonie on April 30th.

If you require any information regarding our group, please feel free to contact any of the leaders listed below or the secretary Colleen Zimmer:

Dave Laing and Larry McIvor for Beavers
Brenda Lapchuk, Mike Schroers and
Garth Tomaschewski for Cubs
Marty Lund for Scouts

RM of South Qu'Appelle Report for April 2005

The Reeve, two councillors and the administrator attended the 100th annual SARM convention in Saskatoon, March 6-10. There was much discussion regarding the continuing inequity of education tax on farmland. Further discussions on this topic will be held at the June district meetings. There was also a presentation and discussion on the new Municipalities Act to be implemented on January 1, 2006.

The spring ratepayers' supper and meeting was held on April 1st. This was not as well attended as in previous years. The Reeve gave his report for the past year, outlining costs of gravel, policing, library and other regular expenses, and on the recent purchase of a used backhoe. The fire department manager gave her report, making special mention of the frequency of first responder calls in the last year. There are now 16 firefighters and 6 first responders in the department, with new personnel expected to start within the coming month. She stressed that ratepayers planning a controlled burn should remember to call it in to 525-3999 so that the fire department will not show up if a passer-by calls 911.

The Administrator reported on the progress of the work on the basic planning statement and zoning by-laws, and advised that there will be an "open house" for ratepayers later in the year before these are passed by council. He outlined changes to property assessments as a result of the 2005 re-assessment process, and advised that gopher bait will be available from April 11th. Ratepayers should go to the RM office to sign for this.

Presentations were given by David Long from the Stockgrowers' Association regarding the Verified Beef Production program, and by a member of the McLean Centennial Homecoming Committee outlining the program planned for July 15 - 17.

The regular meeting of council was held on Wednesday, April 6th. One ratepayer attended to discuss a subdivision request, which will be held under consideration pending further consultations with various provincial departments. One development and one building permit were approved.

Reeve Grad presented the Saskatchewan Municipal Hail annual report. The Fire department manager attended and reported on the repairs, which have been made to the RM fire truck. Council agreed to contribute \$1,000.00 towards these expenses.

The administrator advised council that the assessment roll will be completed within the next few weeks and notices will be sent out in the same time period. He presented preliminary budget figures for discussion, and the budget will be completed for the next meeting.

Quotes for gravel hauling and crushing was received and one was accepted for hauling. Crushing will be further considered.

Councillor Whitaker reported on the problems with the hamlet of Edgeley sewer system. After discussion, it was decided that the contractor who originally installed the system should be called in to investigate the cause of the problem, make repairs where possible, and advise on any future upgrading which may be necessary.

Among the various items of correspondence received were reports on the Southeast Regional Library survey results, the south west beef initiative, police activities for the previous month, the Indian Head and district hospital annual meeting and various newsletters and brochures.

The annual meeting of the Saskatchewan Assessment management Agency will be held in Regina on April 14th. The administrator and one councillor will attend.

For further information, ratepayers should contact the RM office at 699 - 2257.

News from the pool



Things are heating up!



Watch for activity at the pool – we are busy getting things ready for what is sure to be a great season!!!

Last year we had our first **Family Fun Day** and it proved to be a huge success! We are hoping to provide many more fun activities throughout the summer.

Swimming Lessons



Lesson registration is May 18th at 7:00pm. at the Multiplex. Please remember to bring your child's Sask. Health Card and contact phone numbers with you. Can't make the registration or have questions? Please call Karen at 771-2958.

Family Passes



Family Passes go on sale May 1 and are available by calling Karen at 771-2958, Tammy at 771-4225 or through the town office. Remember to pick up yours before the cut off!

Family Pass	\$95	Single Pass	\$65
After June 15	\$125	After Jun 15	\$80

Help Wanted

Looking for a few good men or women! Only qualities required are dedication and optimism. Please contact Lorrie if you have what we are looking for. Opportunities available are Vice-President, Donation Co-ordinator and Volunteer Co-ordinator. If you are interested, please call Lorrie at 771-2313.



See you at the Pool!!!

BALGONIE 50+ CLUB

April crib - 28 hand - Vince Karlonas
24 hands - Gladys Weist, Ron Brucker, Gert Wagman,
Hilda Meadowcroft, Bernice Brandt, Geoff Strudick,
Joyce Demur
tied for 1st - John & Hilda Meadowcrist & Bessie
McGonigal / John Schaaf
3rd - Neil Wagman / Lossie Gottselig

May happenings:

May 2 - Pot luck & meeting
May 7 - crib (phone Alice @ 771-4135)
May 18 - roast Pork supper @ 6 pm

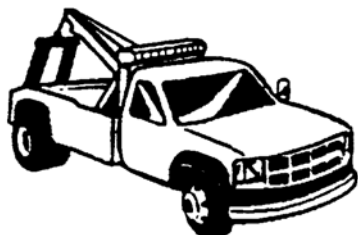
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Come out to our greenhouse for a great selection of annual flowers, vegetables & herbs, perennials, basket stuffers, hanging baskets, patio cukes & tomatoes, patio pots, trees & shrubs.

We also have garden seeds (Lindenberg and OSC),

seed potatoes, onion sets, potting soil

peat moss, fertilizers, garden art and gifts.

May Specials

May 1-8- Mothers Day Specials

Bird cage planters, and 3 piece clay pots filled with flowers.

* free herb pot for each Mother on Mother's Day! *

May 9-15 - Get those decks decorated!

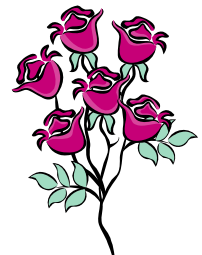
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May 23 - 31 - Gorgeous Containers!!

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