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Who will speak for you?

With a power of attorney for property, you authorize someone else to make decisions about your finances.

Just like a will, a power of attorney allows someone else to carry out your wishes when you're unable to do so. And, just like a will, it's an important part of a comprehensive financial and estate plan. Yet powers of attorney are often less well understood than wills, so it's worth looking more closely at how they work.

What is a power of attorney? A power of attorney authorizes one or more people to manage your money and property for you. The person you appoint does not have to be an actual attorney or lawyer - you can choose a family member, friend or professional. While each province and territory has different legislation governing powers of attorney, there are two basic types.

A general power of attorney takes effect only while you are mentally capable of managing your own affairs. It ends if you become mentally incapable. In addition, it can be "specific" or "limited," applying only to a defined task, such as selling a house, or to a defined time period, such as the dates you plan to be out of the country. It starts either as soon as you sign it or on a date you choose.

An enduring/durable or continuing power of attorney allows your attorney to continue acting for you if you become mentally incapable. It starts either as soon as you sign it or only when you become mentally incapable (such as a springing power of attorney). The standard for incapacity should be specified for a springing power of attorney.

What can your attorney do? You can authorize your attorney to take care of a range of tasks on your behalf, such as managing day-to-day banking, signing cheques, buying or selling real estate, and borrowing money. Your money and property continue to belong to you you're just delegating authority to manage it. It's important to note that your attorney cannot change your will, change a beneficiary you've named on a life insurance plan or give a new power of attorney to anyone else to act for you.

Regina, SK S4V 1R9

That said, because your attorney has such important responsibilities, it's a good idea to ask a lawyer who is familiar with your province's or territory's power of attorney legislation to draft your document. A lawver can ensure that your power of attorney is valid, explain how to monitor your attorney's actions, and tell you how to revoke or change your power of attorney. A lawyer can also incorporate restrictions that limit what your attorney can do.

Who is the right person for the job?

A power of attorney grants considerable

- Ouestions to consider before selecting an attorney include:
- Is he or she willing to be your
- Can you trust this person with your finances?
- Is he or she reliable, living nearby, easy to contact and readily available?
- Does he or she have a good understanding of financial matters?
- Are there financial, health or family challenges that may interfere with his or her duties?
- Does he or she have time to dedicate to being your attorney?

Once you've chosen someone, have a candid conversation about why you'd like them to take on this role and what their responsibilities will be. Emphasize that an attorney is legally obligated to act in your best interests at all times and can be liable for a breach of their duties. And talk to your prospective attorney about your financial preferences and wishes. The better your attorney understands how you currently manage your money and property, the better he or she will be able to complement your approach. Furthermore, some provinces require the

appointed attorney's signature confirming their acceptance of the role.

Keep in mind that appointing more than one person as your attorney can work well. but it can also lead to disputes that affect the smooth management of your finances. However, having two or more attorneys acting jointly could reduce the risk of fraudulent activities. It is prudent to appoint a successor or alternate attorney who can step in if your first attorney(s) no longer can or no longer wishes to fulfill his or her duties.

If there isn't anyone you feel can adequately perform the responsibilities of an attorney, or if your financial situation is complicated, you have the option of appointing a financial or legal professional, though you will likely have to pay for the professional's services. As well, a family member or friend acting as attorney could also be paid or be eligible for compensation for this role.

Speak with your advisor

Your advisor can provide more information about powers of attorney and refer you to a lawyer who can help you understand the benefits and risks. If you decide to appoint a power of attorney, ask your financial institutions about their rules for working with attorneys and monitoring accounts. In addition, continue to review your own financial records on a regular basis for as long as you are able..

A power of attorney for property covers only your finances and property. A power of attorney for personal care, a personal care directive or an advanced health care directive governs decisions about personal health care.

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March 2020





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Pickleball 1-3pm	Center			\$40 - 1/2	2 page ad	

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LIFT STATION

The Town has recently completed some major upgrades to the Main Lift Station to increase pumping capacity and use the latest technology and reduce power costs.

Although an unpleasant conversation we would like to remind everyone that only human waste and the approved toilet tissue should be flushed down your toilet, no wipes, napkins, sanitary towels or diapers. The new floats are already proving what Public Works has for a long time stated, that "KITCHEN GREASE" will stop them working effectively.

**The City of North Battleford won an award at the SUMA Convention in February for this project to reduce the disposal of kitchen grease being poured into the drainage system.

Please check out their website by entering
"Beware the Grease Beast" and see what your
kitchen grease does to our lift station pumps!!

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in your garden.

CAT POPULATION

THE TOWN SEEMS TO HAVE AN EVER GROWING POPULATION OF STRAY CATS DESPITE EFFORTS BY SOME RESIDENTS TO REHOME THEM.

CAN WE ASK THAT PET OWNERS SPAY OR NEUTER THEIR PETS TO PREVENT ANY UNWANTED LITTERS.

COUNCIL MEETINGS

March 4th and 18th Starting at 7:00 p.m.



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Rocanville School March 2020

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Day 6	3 Day 1 Kindergarten	4 Day 2 Pizza Day Jr. Boys B'ball Playoffs @ Oxbow Jr. Girls B'ball Playoffs @ Fillmore Jr. Girls B'ball Playoffs @ Bienfait	5 Day 3 Kindergarten	6 Day 4 Sr. Boys B'ball Conferences @ Roc	Sr. Boys B'ball Conferences @ Roc Sr. Girls B'ball Conferences @ Radville
8	9 Day 5 Kindergarten	10 Day 6 Music Festival (Band portion) 9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m. Elementary Gym	11 Day 1 Pizza Day	12 Day 2 K-12 Report Cards SRC Dance K-6: Noon Gr. 7-12: 8-11 p.m.	Regional Broall TBA PD Day (No school for students)	Regional B'ball TBA
15	16 Day in lieu (No school for staff & students)	17 Day 3 St. Patrick's Day Gr. 7-12 Assessippi Winter Sports Day	18 Day 4 Pizza Day Student Led Conferences 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. Scholastic Book Fair at the Library	19 Day 5 Student Led Conferences 4:00 – 7:00 p.m. Scholastic Book Fair at the Library Hoopla—Regina Kindergarten	20 Day 6 Hoopla-Regina	21 Hoopla-Regina
22	23 Day 1 Kindergarten	24 Day 2	25 Day 3 Pizza Day Kindergarten	26 Day 4	27 Day 5 Kindergarten	28
29	30 Day 6	31 Day 1 Drama Presentation "Appropriate Audience Behaviour" 6:30 p.m. Kindergarten			\Rightarrow	Scratch and Win Tickets with a purchase of a milk will continue for the month of March or until all prizes are won.

JOB OPPORTUNITY

ROCANVILLE MUSEUM IS NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE SUMMER JOB POSITION. THE JOB IS FULL TIME FOR JULY AND AUGUST.

JOB DESCRIPTION: YARD MAINTENANCE, PAINTING, CATALOGUING ARTIFACTS, TOURING VISITORS, MOSTLY **OUTDOOR JOBS.**

SEND APPLICATION AND RESUME BY MAY 15, 2020 TO; ROCANVILLE AND DISTRICT MUSEUM



"APPLICATION" **BOX 490** ROCANVILLE, SASK SOA 3LO



Archeological site near Rocanville offers exciting glimpse into life of early people in Sask

An archeological site in the Qu'Appelle Valley near Rocanville has yielded some important finds that date back to the end of the last ice age, and the discovery of the site and the meticulous recording of the artifacts there is all thanks to the work of some local collectors.

The site was discovered by Take and Brenda Sarazin and their son James of Rocanville in 2000. Upon discovery, Jake and Brenda began collecting the artifacts found there and contacted the Saskatche wan Heritage Conservation Branch about

Their collection of artifacts became known as the Sarazin Collection. The collection was donated to the Rocanville Museum who in turned have loaned it to the Royal Saskatchewan Museum for study.

Phillippa and Tom Richards are two of the archeologists who have been studying the collection, and they are excited about some of the artifacts that have been found in the collection.

How it was found

"Jake and Brenda Sarazin were both long-time residents of Rocanville, and in 2000 Jake and his son were out looking for some sand for a pen for their turkey chicks. And they went onto this property and when they were looking at the ground they saw artifacts on the ground, and there were quite a few—arrowheads and spear-heads and other stone artifacts," says Tom Richards, Senior Archaeologist with the Heritage Conservation Branch.

"They got their sand and went back home and talked to Brenda about it and Brenda was very excited, and Brenda and

Jake went out there and started collecting.
"They put in for a permit from the Heritage Branch—they did the right thing—
and so we brought the records of the permits that Brenda and Jake took out in 2000, 2001, 2002, up to about 2005. They went there once or twice a year after it had been cultivated or after there was a rainstorm or a very windy day that might have exposed more artifacts, and they would go back to the location and collect them."

What became apparent after some anal-ysis of the site was that some of the artifacts dated to the Folsom period, a time around 11,000 years ago marked by the retreat of the glaciers on the prairies and by the Folsom people who hunted the *Bison* antiquus, an extinct species of bison that is larger than today's bison.

"But it wasn't immediately that they found the Folsom material," says Richards. "As we've analyzed the collection, we can see that there are spearheads and arrowheads from lots of periods, not just the really early materials

"And once they did start to recognize that they found that particular Folsom point (a type of spearhead from the Folsom period), then they were very excited that they had some very early material."

The Folsom complex

"It's an archeological complex that dates between about 11,500 and 12,750 years ago," says Richards. "So around 10,000 BC. These were not the earliest First Nations people in North America. But they were an early group. They were big game hunters and they hunted the extinct bison Bison antiquus, which was 25 to 30 per cent larger than the modern day bison.

"And they made these very distinctive spearheads, very well made, and they were very thin and they had this big flake taken off each side from the base to thin them. That's called a fluting flake, so they are called fluted points, and they have a very distinct form, and you can recognize them right away.

"In the 1920s, the Folsom complex was named after the original find site, which was in Folsom New Mexico, and it was the first time that human artifacts were found in association with extinct animals in North America. So they found those bison bones together with the Folsom points, and that proves that First Nations people were here way back, at least at the end of the last ice age. Prior to that, there was a lot of argument that First Nations people had only been in North America for a few thousand years. This really knocked it back to about 10,000 or 12,000 years right



People could have been living here 14,000 or 15,000 years ago in the southern part of Saskatchewan. The ice had melted and vegetation was growing again. Animals were moving into the area. There were people living south of the ice so they could have easily moved up."

About the artifacts

Richards says the artifacts found at the site span a few different periods and are consistent with tool making and camping at that location

There were quite a few different periods. There are other periods that follow Folsom. They would have different spearheads and also you get the introduction of pottery much later on, and then arrowheads, not just spearheads, and they are quite different forms and they are made differently, of different raw materials, different flaking, different sizes. And there are a lot of flakes, chipping debris from when you are making artifacts, and other scrapers and things that are not easily identifiable as belonging to one particular

"There were stone scrapers—which are mostly used for scraping hides—cutting tools, little drills. There was also some animal bone, a few bits and fragments of animal teeth as well.

"We went through all the material that Brenda and Jake had collected. Brenda unfortunately passed away a few years ago, and then Jake donated the collection to the

An exciting find

One of the most exciting discoveries at the site was something called a Folsom Ul-trathin Biface, a type of knife made of heat treated material that was very thin and took a lot of skill to create.

"It's a very rare type or artifact," says Richards. "I had hardly heard of them before we found this one in the collection and identified it for what it was.

"It's 13.5 centimeters long, but it's be-tween 4-6 centimeters thick. It's very thin and very well flaked. And those only occur in the Folsom period as well.

"That was a really major find by Jake and Brenda. They found it in three pieces on three separate times that they went out to the site collecting. It was exposed and then they went out another time and another part was exposed, and then they

glued it together.
"That's a major find. There are not that many of them known, period. They are found at some Folsom sites. They are extremely well made, they are very thin and they hadn't really even been recognized until about 20 years ago as a distinct artifact. As far as I know this is the first one that has been documented in Saskatchewan. There are probably other ones out there in collections and small museums, I just haven't seen anything written up about them and I haven't seen any in mu-

Richards says many of the artifacts found at the site near Rocanvile are made of a material found in North Dakota, but the Folsom Ultra Thin Biface was made of a local material

"They use a lot of Knife River flint. The Knife River flint quarry is in North Dakota about 340 km in a straight line," says Rich-ards. "There are several ultra thin bifaces made out of knife river flint that have been found in the U.S. That material was widely used in the folsom period. At that time people tended to focus on one or two high quality raw materials even if they had to go a great distance to get them.
"They would hit that location once or

twice a year and would have this material with them before they camped in the

Qu'appelle valley north of Rocanville. "But the Ultra Thin Biface (found at Rocanville) is not made of that material. It is made of a local raw material that we call swan river chert. And it doesn't flake as well as knife river flint. But this material was heat treated to make it flake better.

"They have to be heated to quite a high temperature and it alters the microcrys talline structure of the artifact to make it

flake more readily.

"It's really big and really thin and it takes incredible skill to flake something like that without breaking it."

Few Folsom sites in Sask

"There is a possibility that there could be intact deposits at that site," says Richards. There are other areas nearby that are not as heavily wind eroded as the area where this material was found, that are close but look like they are not as disturbed. If the look like they are not as disturbed. If the landowners agree, we wouldn't mind going in there and doing some testing just to see if there are any deposits there.

"That's significant because we have no excavated Folsom sites in Saskatchewan.

They are all like this, surface finds where you find Folsom projectile points on the grown in a blown out area usually. "That can tell you something. It tells

you that those people were there and you know from the style of the spearhead that it was around 12,000 years ago, plus or mi-nus 500 years, but it doesn't tell you much more than that. What you really want is to be able to find an intact deposit where you will have the stone artifacts and maybe fireplaces, animal bones, or perhaps the remains of structures that will really let you delve into the details of what people were doing at that time."

There are only around 40 documented Folsom find points around Saskatchewan," says Richards.

"They are very rare and nobody has found an intact deposit yet of this age," he says. "This folsom material is least 1,000 years if not 1,500 years older than the next oldest site that has been excavated.
"There are some sites that date to 10,600

but nothing earlier than that that we know

that belongs to any particular complex.
"They are very hard to find. There are
not a lot of them. The human population would have been relatively low compared to later period, so you have that combina-tion of the sites being there for a long time, so they could have been eroded away or deeply buried, and not that many of them

Site was a camping area

So what were people doing on this site around 11,000 years ago, and over the vears following?

"I think it was a major camping area that people were at for quite a while, and then they would be retooling," says Richards. "You would have broken damaged spearheads, so you would be taking those out of the hafts and be making new ones and retooling, doing a lot of camping activities. There are quite a lot of scrapers there.

There are spurred end scrapers. They have a little spur on the corner. That is typical of this really early period. It's not conclusive that it's that early, but many of the scrapers from the early period are like that. They have that form to them, and so there was a lot of hide scraping going on

Site and artifacts

were treated with care

Richards says one of the best things about the site near Rocanville is how Brenda and Jake treated it with so much care as they collected the artifacts



Above: The Folsom Ultrathin Bi face on heat-treated Swan River chert from the Sarazin Collection.

Left: Jake (left) and Brenda (right) Sarazin searching for freshly exposed artifacts at the Rocanville Folsom site, looking down into the Qu'Appelle Valley bottom.

"We are looking at this like it's an arche-ological site, we're looking at the whole ological site, we re looking at the whole assemblage, particularly the items that can be assigned to the Folsom period and then we will talk about what we think people were doing on the site on that basis. The reason we can do that is because Brenda and Jake maintained very good records and they kept all the material from this site separate from the one or two other sites that they looked at. A lot of collectors would have just picked up a whole bunch of arrowheads and spearheads and they mount them in frames and put them up or the wall and they aren't sure where they come from and you lose the context, and the rest of the material that was with them might be in another box. Here you have a whole collection that was kept together and curated very well.

"So that makes it very important. And if we can find some intact deposits it will be

extremely important."

The collection is on loan to the Royal Saskatchewan Museum and Richards and his wife Phillippa have been studying it and have written an article in Saskatche

wan Archaeology Quarterly about the site.
"Phillippa Richards, my wife, who co-wrote that article, and I have been studying the material at the museum since we've had it on loan for about a year. And in a few month's time we will be finished and will take them back to Rocanville and

findings," says Richards. So what's next for the site near Rocan

"We are going to finish our analysis and write up that paper on the analytical results," says Richards "We are also going to see if we can get permission to do some small scale test excavations on the property and see if we can determine if there are any intact deposits there. That would be the next step.

Richards thankful

Richards says he's grateful to the Rocan-ville Museum for lending them the collec-tions, and to Brenda and Jake Sarazin for their work.

"We are just really grateful to Jamie Ma-cLeod, the president of the Rocanville and District Museum, for arranging for us to have the loan of this material and for her support of our research. And particularly Jake Sarazin and James Sarazin for their support for our research. He said that Brenda was so interested in this site and you can tell from her documentation of their finds and their visits to the site that she was studying archeology. She had wanted to become and archeologist.

"Jake was saying that they are carrying on that work and they were happy to. She recognized the significance of the site, and we do too, and we are really pleased to carry on that work and hopefully some thing will come of it. I think there already

is something coming out of it with our re-search. This is a very significant site. "If Brenda and Jake didn't curate it and document it as well as they did, there wouldn't be much for us to do. It would have been another Folsom find spot where 'yep, they were there' and that's about all you could say.

"To further this research we think this sort of information should get out. We are just trying to find that intact Folsom or Clovis site so we can extend our knowledge of the pre-history of Saskatchewan a few the read the research or Saskatchewan a few thousand more years

Rec Board



Tuesday, March 24th, 2020

@ the Nutrien Community Hall

7:00pm

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POOL

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Tuesday, March 10th, 2020

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7:00pm

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MARCH 2020 ROCANVILLE

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Sun. Mar. 8, 15, 22, and 29 – Regular Church Services.

Mar. 4, Mar. 11, Mar. 18 & Mar.25 – 20 Golden Minutes Interdenominational Worship and Lunch at Hope Congregational Church on Wednesdays @ 12:10 noon.

Fri. Mar. 06 – World Day of Prayer hosted by St. Thomas Anglican Church at 7:00 p.m.

> Bible Study – Wed. @ 2 p.m. at No. 2 Lodge Choir Practise – Wed. @ 7 p.m.

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March Services

Mar 1~Joint Service & Sunday School in St.Paul's at 11:30 am.
Potluck Lunch to follow.

Mar 4~20 Golden Minutes Service & Lunch at Noon in Hope Church.

Mar 6~World Day of Prayer Service at 7 pm. Fellowship Lunch to follow.

Mar 8~Morning Prayer Service & Sunday School at 11 am | Mar 11~20 Golden Minutes Service & Lunch at Noon in Hope Church

Mar 15~Holy Communion Service with Rev.Delta & Sunday School at 11 am. Potluck Lunch to follow.

Mar 18~10 Golden Minutes Service & Lunch at Noon in Hope Church

Mar 22~Morning Prayer Service & Sunday School at 11 am. Mar 25~20 Golden Minutes Service & Lunch at Noon in Hope Church.

Mar 29~Morning Prayer & Sunday School at 11 am.

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SERVICE SUNDAY @ 11AM

YOUNG MENS BIBLE STUDY MONDAY @ 7:30PM

YOUNG WOMEN BIBLE STUDY MONDAY @ 7:30PM

MIDWEEK BIBLE STUDY THURSDAY @7PM

PRAYER FRIDAY @ 10AM

COFFEE AND PLAY FRIDAY @ 9:30AM

YOUTH NIGHTS FRIDAY @ 7PM

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE!

ROCANVILLECHURCH.COM

Rocanville Community Thrift Store Schedule—March 2020

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 1:00-4:00 pm Thursday 6-8pm

Monday, March 2nd– Linda Bock, Pam Botterill, Eileen Etherington, Eva Swanson

Wednesday, March 4th—Irene Norton, Marjorie Thompson, Therese Fafard, Suzanne Wushke

Thursday, March 5th—Anne Knight, Sylvia Magnusson, Glenda Brown

Friday, March 6th—Penny Yung, Terry Fletcher, Irene Ruhland, Phyllis Harper

Monday, March 9th—Denise Callin, Eileen Etherington, Christina Kim, Gloria Tebb

Wednesday, March 11th—Willa Clarke, Anne Knight, Marie Nixon, Marjorie Thompson

Thursday, March 12th—Pam Botterill, Irene Norton, Sandra Maki, Bev Casemore

Friday, March 13th—Linda Bock, Eva Swanson, Joyce Surridge, Suzanne Wushke

Monday, March 16th—Anne Knight, Sylvia Magnusson, Phyllis Harper, Christina Kim

Wednesday, March 18th—Penny Yung, Theresa Fafard, Marjorie Thompson, Irene Ruhland **Thursday, March 19th**—Willa Clarke, Terry Fletcher, Tracey Moore

Friday, March 20th—Denise Callin, Gloria Tebb, Marie Nixon, Joyce Surridge

Monday, March 23rd—Pam Botterill, Phyllis Harper, Eileen Etherington, Marilym Hickie

Wednesday, March 25th—Irene Norton, Suzanne Wushke, Christina Kim, Theresa Fafard

Thursday, March 26th—Penny Yung, Marie Nixon, Ruth Desjarlais

Friday, March 27th—Linda Boch, Sylvia Magnusson, Eva Swanson, Terry Fletcher

Monday, March 30th—Denise Callin, Irene Ruhland, Marilyn Hickie, Gloria Tebb

Wednesday, April 1st—Willa Clarke, Eileen Etherington, Suzanne Wushke, Phyllis Harper

Thursday, April 2nd—Pam Botterill, Marjorie Thompson, Deb Selby

Friday, April 3rd—Irene Norton, Marie Nixon, Terry Fletcher, Joyce Surridge



Museum

ANNUAL

GENERAL

MEETING

Monday, March 2nd, 2020

@ Anglican Parish Hall (Carlton Street)

Supper at 6 o'clock pm—\$10 per person

Meeting 7 o'clock pm

Rocanville Senior Center



is having a MEAT DRAW \$300 Certifacite



Tickets are \$2.00 or 3 tickets for \$5.00

All proceeds go to The Rocanville Senior Center

Draw will be made **April 27, 2020** at the Seniors Supper



Dream Big Child Care Inc.

1201 Francis Avenue / P.O. Box 38 Rocanville, SK. SOA 3L0 (306)645-5455 dreambig.director@gmail.com

We are Hiring!

Early Childhood Educator

Wage to be determined based on Education \$11.50 - \$18.80 starting

We offer Blue Cross benefits, 12 paid sick days a year, 3 weeks holidays, 3 additional wellness days a year, tuition reimbursement for completed courses.

Please email resumes to dreambig.director@gmail.com Attention Megan



OLD TIME DANCE

Senior Community Centre



2:00 pm to 4 pm Tuesday March 17 2020



A Toonie gets you two hours of listening and dancing pleasure





ALL WELCOME



Up coming Pickleball dates:

March-

EVERY Sunday 1:00 - 3:00 unless posted otherwise.

Note: March 22 (only)

time change 1:30 - 3:30

Pickleball is open to all ages and fitness levels.
\$5 to attend.
Located in the school gym.







Wednesday Mornings @ 10am. For young children! Come @yourlibrary enjoy a story and a fun craft!

Knit Nite: Friday, March 6th @ 7pm. Everyone welcome!

Light Therapy Lamps: Available for use during open library times from March 4th-20th. Light Therapy lamps are a natural treatment for people with mood and/or sleep problems. Come in and try them out!

Harry Potter Coding Wands: Will have Wand Coding Sessions for kids on Thursday's from 3:30-5:00 pm. Will be available all month long, feel free to come during open hours to check it out!

Music & Arts Night: Will be on Friday, March 13th. Performances by a wonderful variety of local Music and Arts students in preparation for the coming Music Festival. Jam Session, coffee, and dessert to follow!

Rocanville Library and Board would like to thank the Local Thank Churches and Ministerial Services for the collection donated. Will be used to support all our programming at the Library!

Rocanville Public Library Branch's AGM will be Wednesday, March 11, 2020 at 7:00 pm.

Interested in joining the Library Board?

The Library is looking for more Board Members to provide fresh input and new ideas! If interested, please call the Library @ 306-645-2088.

Library Hours:

Wed: 9 AM-12:00 P M and 2:00-6:00 PM Thurs: 2:00-6:00 PM

Friday: 2:00-6:00 PM

Phone: 645-2088 218 Ellice Street



Next Board Meeting:

Wed. March 11, 2020 6:00 pm at the Library.





Rocanville Aquatic Centre Is offering Senior Swim



Mondays and Wednesdays
10:00am—12:00pm
Only \$6.00 per swim

Parent & Tot Classes

will start March 9th with 8 x 45 minute lessons with 15 minute free play

Please Pre Register by

Thursday March 5th

by calling or emailing the

Rocanville Rec Office

306-645-2164

rocanville@saktel.net



stay tuned for the opening date

March

R.A.C Schedule

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		Aqua Energy		Aqua Abs		Aqua Deep	



Spring Registration Night

Thursday, April 2nd, 2020 Nutrien Community Hall 6:30pm - 7:30pm





Summer Program
Minor Ball
Jr. Golf
Youth Running
Soccer
Playschool

Swim Club - Tiger Sharks
Swimming Lessons - All levels including:
Bronze Medallion/Cross, NLS & LSI
Kindergarten registration
Core Fitness & Strength Training











Core Fitness & Strength Training

Thursdays @ 7:15pm

In the small gym

\$10 per session

Soccer

\$40.00 per child







Tiger Sharks
Swim Club
\$250.00 per child

Ages 7-18

Summer Program

Ages 6-12

\$20 per day

\$70 per week

Monday—Thursday

8:30am—5:00pm









\$50 for Preschool and Parent & Tot

\$60 for Swimmer 1-6, Rookie, Ranger, Star

Please make cheques payable to the Town of Rocanville



March Hours:

Tues - Fri 9:00-6:00, Sat 9:00-4:00 Closed Sun & Mon

Come check out what's NEW in our store!

- Our own vegetables: carrots, onions, potatoes, beets. Watch our Facebook page for updates!
- · Our own canning: relish, pickles, beet pickles, salsa
- Fresh baking every Friday at 1:00: buns, pies, cookies, almond bark
- Fresh farm eggs by Park Farms
- Butter, Ice Cream by Foothills Creamery
- Cold Pressed Oils

- Frozen beef, pork & chicken by Fletcher Farms. Frozen bison by Ridgemeadow Bison
- Honey by Strong Apiaries, Longman Apiaries and Park Honey
- Organic grains, flour, pasta, & more by Daybreak Mills
- Wild Rice by Against the Grain
- · Coffee by Caliber Coffee Roasters
- · Handmade soap by Bubbles & Earth
- Handmade pottery, sewing & more!

Our Potting Bench is Now Open!

Come and plant! Get your hands in some dirt! All ages! Groups welcome! Enjoy some ice cream & coffee from our Cornucopia Café once you are done!

Drop in anytime during our hours (assistance my be limited)

OR • Book an appointment (assistance will be provided, after hours appts may be available)

It's as easy as A B C! Choose your plant, project or plan. All supplies provided - you are welcome to bring your own supplies.

A. Plants

- Houseplants
- Cactus
- Airplants
- Succulents (starting Mar 14)
- Herbs

B. Projects (examples provided)

- Table Top Water Fountain Planter - Create a water feature with plants for your home!
- Sand Gardening Decorative sand creates a beautiful planter!
- Lego Miniature Gardening -Lego & Plants perfect for kids!
- (starting Mar 23) Macramé Hanger Choose from our pots & macramé hangers

C. Plans (by appt only)

- Yard Planning "March only" Design & draw out a plan for your own yard with our advice
- Container Gardening "April only" Plant your own pot for your deck with our advice. Bring your own pot or purchase one from our selection. Pots can be left to grow in the greenhouse for a weekly fee.

Watch our website or Facebook page for updates & pictures. Cost is supplies used.

Call/text 306-434-8400 or email info@cornucopiagrardens.ca to book appt or for more info

Cornucopia Gardens is looking for anyone who likes to sell their own cooking. Please contact 306-434-8400

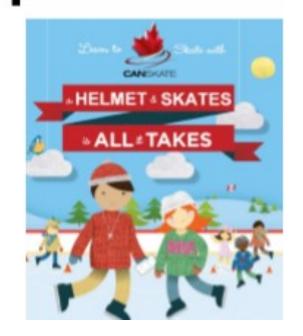






Skating Carnival March 15, 2020 **Program starts at 2:00pm** Silver Collection 50/50 Skaters Ages 3 and Up Kitchen Open







Trent and I would like to send a

Thank You

to our amazing community
and surrounding communities
for all of the benefit donations,
as well as your time, thoughts and prayers
that we have received throughout our journey with Will.
It is an amazing feeling to have that kind of support from your "village".

We have many unknowns with Will

 we don't know how his vision will turn out, we don't know if there will be further delays –

but one thing that we know for absolute certain is how lucky he is to get to grow up in a community that supports him and cheers him on.

I CAN I WILL So again, thank you to everyone! **ICAN**





211 Saskatchewan is a FREE, confidential, 24/7 service that can connect newcomers to resources and services in the province by plus a searchable website.

telephone, text, or web chat, plus a searchable website.

- All Saskatchewan residents now have the ability to search independently on the website, or they can receive assistance with their service search from an Information and Referral Specialist (aka community navigator). Services information include: mental health, senior services, basic needs, healthcare, and much more!
- Services over the phone are available in over 175 languages, including 17 Indigenous languages.
- When accessing the phone, text, e-mail or web chat options, the community navigator helps people get to the root of their issues, search the database for the best service for them, and make the connection.

United Way Regina and United Way Saskatoon & Area have made investing in 211 Saskatchewan a top priority under the focus of building strong communities and connecting people to supports.

I'm seeking connect with Town of Rocanville to help residents learn about the 211 SK service. We would be happy to provide free 211 SK pamphlets, posters, and business cards to distribute to people and can provide custom presentations to your staff and residents upon request. If there is a chance, we would appreciate if 211 SK information could be added to your town's website, newsletter or other publications.

Thanks in advance,

Resources Specialist
306-751-4750 Ext 776
1440 Scarth Street
Regina, SK. S4R 2E9

An initiative of Quoted Way



Large Double Lot for Sale.

Serviced corner lot on

Alexander Street, close to

306-645-4410

school and uptown!

306-434-7104



Paint Night

At the Rocanville Skating Rink Lobby
Thursday, March 5th, 2020
7:00pm

\$30.00 per person

Beverages will be available for purchase





ARCHERY CLUB

Saturday, March 28

Registration: 8:30a.m.

Rocanville Curling Rink

802 Francis Avenue, Rocanville, SK

Concession On Site

15 & Under \$10

Adults \$25

All ages & skill levels welcome!

Sunday, March 29 Youth Intro to Archery Day

10:00a.m.— 2:00p.m.

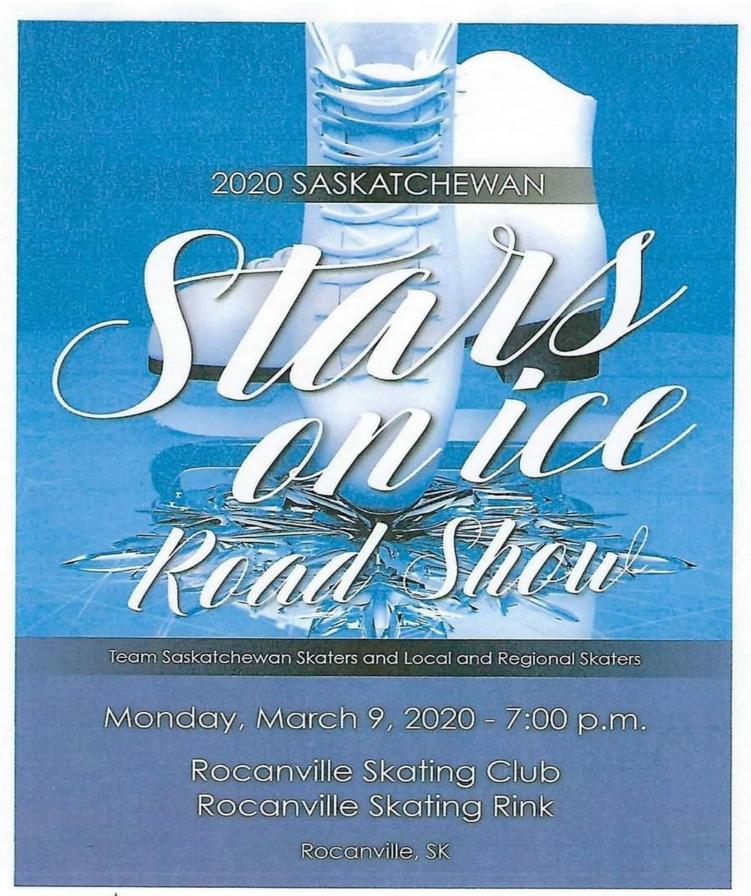
Youth 16 years & younger

Try archery shooting for FREE!

Use our equipment or bring your own

For more info:

Paul Fisher (306) 434-7980 Justin McGonigal (306) 434-7247







ADULTS - \$10.00 SENIORS - \$5.00 STUDENTS (18 & under) - \$5.00 CHILDREN (6 & under) - FREE

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Moosomin & District Arts Council

Presents:



The Johnny McCuaig Band

The Johnny McCuaig Band mixes traditional Canadian east coast jigs with the modern power of radio rock music. You'll jump out of your seat to clap and dance along to the band as they rip through rocked up versions of old standards like Ten Penny Bit and Patty's Leather Breeches along with some new modern rock anthems like Here We Go currently used by the Saskatchewan Roughriders as their take the field fight song. Between songs the band reaches out and connects with the audience in their casual fun way that shows that they not only take their rock music seriously, but have a great sense of humour too and know how to laugh and engage with the crowd. Let the party begin! Join the McCuaig Brigade!

Thursday, March 05, 2020

Moosomin Community Theatre 7:30 PM

Advance tickets available at:

Rocanville Super Thrifty Drug Mart, Moosomin Pharmasave; The World Spectator.

Adults: \$20.00 Students: \$10.00

At the door: Adults: \$25.00 Students: \$10.00



ROCANVILLE & DISTRICT
WILDLIFE FEDERATION
Annual Banquet Awards
& Fundraiser

Rocanville Community Hall Saturday, March 21, 2020

Happy Hour - 5:30 p.m. Supper - 6:30 p.m. For Tickets
Please contact
Ron @
306-435-6195
Irene @
306-645-2064

ROCANVILLE COMMUNITY THRIFT STORE			
DONATIONS MADE			
JANUARY 1ST, 2019 TO DECEMBER 31ST, 2019:			
Personal Donations:	\$	18,900.00	
Carmichael Outreach	\$	500.00	
Carnoustie Cemetery	\$	300.00	
Cornucopia Gardens	\$	300.00	
Hospitals of Regina	\$	1,000.00	
Kinsmen Telemiracle	\$	300.00	
Leader Post Christmas Cheer Fund	\$	500.00	
Moosomin 4 - H Multi Club	\$	200.00	
Moosomin Integrated Health Centre Foundation	\$	10,000.00	
Moosomin Integrated Health Centre Palliative Care	\$	100.00	
Prairie View Lodge Tenants Association	\$	300.00	
Regina Cancer Patient Lodge	\$	500.00	
Rocanville Aquatic Centre re Lift	\$	4,000.00	
Rocanville Canadian Legion Branch # 20	\$	200.00	
Rocanville Curling Rink	\$	1,500.00	
Rocanville Dial A Van	\$	1,000.00	
Rocanville Fire Department	\$	2,000.00	
Rocanville Food Share	\$	500.00	
Rocanville Library	\$	300.00	
Rocanville Minor Ball	\$	300.00	
Rocanville Minor Hockey	\$	300.00	
Rocanville Playschool	\$	300.00	
Rocanville Rock Club	\$	300.00	
Rocanville School - Sound Equipment	\$	500.00	
Rocanville School Academic Awards	\$	300.00	
Rocanville School Cross Country Run	\$	500.00	
Rocanville School Senior Basketball	\$	100.00	
Rocanville Schppl Senior Volleyball	\$	500.00	
Rocanville Seniors Center	\$	500.00	
Rocanville Skating Arena	\$	1,500.00	
Rocanville Soccer Club	\$	300.00	
Rocanville Town & Country Golf Club	\$	2,000.00	
Rocanville -X - Country Ski Club	\$	500.00	
Ronald McDonald House	\$	500.00	
Soul's Harbour Rescue Mission	\$	500.00	
St Marthe Cemetery	\$	300.00	
St Paul's United Church - Memorial	\$	100.00	
STARS	\$	1,300.00	
Teddy Bear's Anonymous	\$	300.00	
Terry Fox Run	\$	200.00	
Town of Rocanville - Bench & Garbage Bin	\$	1,000.00	
Webster's Cemetery	\$	300.00	
Welwyn Cemetery	\$	300.00	
Welwyn Fire Department & First Responders	\$	500.00	
Welwyn Regional Park	\$	300.00	
Welwyn United Church Sunday School	\$	200.00	
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SAVE THE DATE

Family Bingo Night

Wednesday, April 22nd 6:30 Start

Nutrien Community Hall

Great family friendly prizes!

Fun for kids ages 5-105!

Fundraiser for the

Rocanville Tiger Sharks Swim Club!



Hunter Education and Firearms Safety

Hunter Education and Firearms Safety May 2 & 3

Possession & Acquisition License (PAL) May 9 & 10

Cost:

\$200 for the full course \$150 for the PAL course.

Please register by April 29th. (Only 12 spots available)

Contact Les Howie @ 306-643-2101 Cell# 306-740-7887







CONTAMINATION ALERT

February 2020

Dear Resident,

Crisis is perhaps too strong a word, but contamination of recycle material is, in general, a growing problem in North America. In 2018 China stopped accepting recycle materials from around the globe. The result is an oversupply of recyclables, driving values down and processing costs up. The need for maintaining and improving the quality of what is collected is greater than ever.

As you know, recycling processing relies, in part, on separating acceptable materials from garbage. Material Recovery Facilities (MRFs) are being vigilant in reducing the contamination levels in the materials they are marketing; however, this takes more time and expense.

In order to maintain a strong and effective recycling program, we need your cooperation. Any items listed as acceptable can go in the 'BLUE' recycle cart and any remaining items go in the garbage or an alternative recycling facility, e.g. light bulbs and metal parts. Contaminated recycle loads may result in additional fees being charged back to the municipalities.

If you have any doubt whether or not an item can be recycled, please contact Loraas or at a minimum, when in doubt put it in the garbage.

Attached is a helpful poster which outlines our recycling program. This poster details what can and cannot be put in the blue cart or bin.

Thank You, we appreciate your cooperation as we attempt to keep recycle material clean and costs to the municipalities low.

Related News Links:

https://www.cbc.ca/news/technology/recycling-contamination-1.4606893 https://www.theglobeandmail.com/news/national/chinese-ban-on-foreign-recyclables-leaving-some-canadian-cities-in-the-lurch/article37536117/



SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING

Cardboard, Boxboard, Office Paper, Newsprint, Junk Mail, Magazines and Catalogues





Shredded Paper in clear bags



Plastic Containers, Plastic Milk Jugs, Milk and Juice Cartons

(No "Clam Shell" Type Food Containers labelled #1) (No oil containers or chemical jugs)





















