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GRASSLAND NEWS JUNE 2020

Minto Recreation Facilities Committee would like to invite you to a Car Rally on July 11th in Minto!

COST: \$30/PERSON, \$15 FOR 5-12 YEAR OLDS, FREE FOR CHILDREN UNDER 5! GETS YOU ENTRY TO THE CAR RALLY, AND A STEAK SUPPER ONCE YOU RETURN FROM THE RALLY!



Bring a lawn chair to enjoy your Steak Supper outside after your tour around the area!!

Cash Prize

Rally starts at 2:00pm from the

main street in front of the Hall!

Call or text Hannah at (204)741-0283 to register. Refer to Minto Highlights Facebook page for up to date information

The Municipal offices are now OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

Please respect all social distancing guidelines when entering the facilities

Next deadline will be THURSDAY, JULY 9th, 2020 By 12:00 Noon

Drop ads off at the Municipal Office or email:

hartcamnews@mts.net rec.edo@mglgov.ca

Municipality of Grassland

Ph: (204) 858-2590 | Fax: (204) 858-2681 www.grasslandmunicipality.ca

Municipal Office Hours: Monday to Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm; Closed 12 - 1:00pm

Regular Council Meetings:

Every 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month

Handi-Transit: (204) 858 - 2590

Monday to Friday, to book your ride! In-town trips: \$4.00 | Out of town trips: \$6.00 Group trips upon request; advanced booking required. Please call for full details on prices for any road trip. Donations can be made at the Municipal office.

Building Permits: David Houston (204) 851-0380

Required for renovations, new construction, additions, fences, and accessory buildings. Building Inspector in office upon request.

Fairfax & Hartney Landfill Hours:

Summer Hours: April 1 - September 30 10:00am - 6:00pm Every Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday Winter Hours: October 1 - March 31 10:00am - 5:00pm Every Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday

Hartney Garbage Pickup:

Burnable curbside pickup on WEDNESDAY. All paper items, wet/dry, tissue paper, meat wrappers, cheese wrappers, cardboard, etc. Landfill curbside pickup on FRIDAY. Only items that ARE NOT recyclable or burnable such as diapers, carpeting, etc.

Recycling - HARTEY, MINTO & ELGIN:

Picked up every two weeks on Tuesday. Please avoid putting house hold trash in recycling. Contact Municipal office for a schedule.

2020 Dog Licenses:

Municipality of Grassland By-Law No. 921-07 states: "The owner of every dog must register such dog." License will be issued upon proof of rabies vaccination. The cost per dog is \$5.00 fixed and \$10.00 not fixed. Maximum 2 dogs per house hold. Cats and dogs must be registered every year.

Notice:

The stray cats in Hartney are becoming more of a problem and we are taking further actions to remove them from town, so please, if you own a cat, a collar is **REQUIRED**. We are not responsible if your cat goes missing.

Fern Valley Recreation: (204) 858-2536

call: (204) 858 - 2536 | rec.edo@mglgov.ca

Rates for the Grassland News

Full Page Ad	\$60.00
I/2 Page Ad	\$40.00
I/4 Page Ad	\$25.00
I/8 Page Ad	\$20.00
Classified/Coming Events	\$10.00
Thank You	\$10.00
In Memoriam	\$10.00
In Memoriam with picture	\$20.00
Obituary	\$10.00
Obituary with picture	\$20.00
Announcement	\$10.00
Announcement with Picture	\$20.00
News Article	NO CHARGE
Please note that these are general	rates and are
subject to change depending	on sizing.

Have a business idea but don't know where to start? Need help with a business plan? Are you part of an organization looking to apply for a grant and need help?

Give us a call! **Economic Development Office** 204-858-2536 Rec.edo@mglgov.ca

Rental Facilities in the Municipality Elgin Centennial Centre Municipal Office (204) 858-2590

Hartney Legion Morrison Agencies (204) 858-2521

Hartney

Hartcam Museum Dawn McKenzie (204) 858-2071

Hartney & Area Arena Todd Ardron (204) 741-0134 toddardron@shmb.ca

Hartney Elks Hall Timothy Inkster (204) 741-0193 Chelsea Inkster (204) 741-0292

Grande Clairiere Community Hall Yvonne Bertholet (204) 858-2679

Elgin Community Hall Steve & Lisa Tufts (204) 769-2346

Elgin Rink Brett Hodgson (204) 741-0630

Minto Minto Community Hall Hannah Beghin (204) 741-0283

Minto Community Arena Hannah Beghin (204) 741-0283

Lauder

Lauder Community Hall Donna Drummond (204) 858-2282

Lauder Inn (204) 858-2244

For any facilities not listed, we may still be confirming contact information and will be listed next month. If you think there should be other facilities listed, call the Recreation Office 204-858-2536

Hartney School Graduation

June 23rd Ceremony 4:00pm Closed to the public—Pre-arranged family only (as per Public Health Phase 2 Protocol)

Parade to follow at 5:00pm!

They will be following the Hopper Days Parade route, so find a spot to sit, social distance, and enjoy! See all the beautiful dresses (and suits) and cheer them on to their new and exciting journey! (route map page 17)

Happy 70th Anniversary Ron & Lucy Ramsey!



Love your family



MINTO RECREATION FACILITES AGM

Due to the COVID-19 restrictions, the Minto Recreation Facilities Committee is encouraging interested residents to contact Val at the Municipal Office in Minto to receive an email of our financial statement in lieu of attending our Annual General Meeting. Any questions regarding the affairs of the Minto Hall or Rink can be directed to Dustin at (204)305-0031.

Hartney Municipal Office will be closed on JULY 2 & 3, 2020.

Please call the Minto Office @ 204 -776 -2172 if you have any concerns on these days!

Thanks!

216 Queen Street Unit 2 Hartney 1200 sq ft. with garage, 2 bedrooms, 1 bathroom rental suite **One level, no stairs, wheelchair accessible.** Available June 1st,2020 \$1350.00 month plus utilities. Call 204-720-3792 or 204-725-3363 for information.

Obituary - Patrick Graham Phillips:

With deepest sorrow, I announce the death of my beloved son, Patrick Graham Phillips, of Yellowknife, NWT April 28, 2020, at University of Alberta hospital in Edmonton. Patrick leaves to mourn his wife Edna Bains, daughter Madison (Jonathan) Stride, Yellowknife; daughter Jessica Phillips (Tyson Leaf), Calgary; sister Alanna Phillips and mother Myrna Phillips , Winnipeg; sister-in-law Susan (Chris) Hammington, niece Heather Findlayson, Edmonton; Stepmother Patricia Phillips Hartney, and many aunts, uncles, and cousins. He had a special relationship with his uncle Terry Moffatt, who was like a brother, and cousin Pamela Wiebe who was a "nanny" to his girls in Yellowknife. Patrick was predeceased by father John Phillips (2015), brother Byron (1976), mother-in-law Joan Ostrum (2015).

Born August 8, 1963 in Brandon, Pat moved to Thompson at nine. Graduated from Margaret Barbour Collegiate in The Pas. He loved the North and after working in Churchill, he and his friends moved to Yellowknife, He began a 30 year career with Clark Builder in 1990, where he became Superintendent on projects all over the Northwest Territories (ie. Dozens of commercial buildings, schools, health centres, and infrastructure at BHP Diamond Mine). He was an expert in constructing cement foundations in extreme winter temperatures and he loved his work.

Pat enjoyed hockey growing up and as an adult curling with his co-workers. He revelled in fishing in Great Slave Lake and with his pals at Ingolf, ON. He loved the rock music of his youth and later blues and folk, and delighted in trips South for concerts. He and Edna travelled to Mexico , Panama, Hawaii, New Zealand, and looked forward to more travel. Pat brought his carpentry skills to renovate their home inside and out including his dream kitchen just finished in time for his last Christmas dinner. He was an amazing cook— Prime rib and Yorkshire Pudding, and Eggs Benedict were treats beyond compare. Pat came to Winnipeg almost every fall to take his mother to the final Blue Bomber home game of the season. He was also a superb mechanic who restored his 1970 1\2 Camaro to its original glory. Pat and Edna's loving relationship began in 1991, followed by Madison's birth 1993 and Jessica's in 1995. His family was his pride and joy and he supported his girls from childhood to their graduation from University and S.A.T.C in Alberta. Pat was a kind, loyal, gentle man who was respected by his co-workers and his community. His friends Kelly and Pat Earis, Clyde and Sherri Allen, Barb Bond and the Saskatchewan gang are deeply mourning. Special thanks to them and to my many friends and neighbours for their kindness. Also, thank you to the incredible staff at the Heart Institute who did all they could to save Pat's life. His lungs were donated so someone is now alive and breathing because of his generosity. We now have to live in the hallow he left behind.

Cremation has taken place. Due to Covid-19 memorial plans are delayed. If so desired, donations in Patrick's memory can be made to the Stephen Lewis (Grandmother's Fund), a charity he long supported, or the Heart Institute at University of Alberta Hospital.



In Memoriam

Hubert Lamouline 1932 - 1994

Time slips by and life goes on, But from our hearts you're never gone. Everyday in some small way memories of you come our way.

Always missed.

Richard, Lori, and Taylor

THANK YOU

Minto Recreation Facilities Committee would also like to take this time to **THANK** all our wonderful volunteers! Once again, due to COVID-19 restrictions, our Volunteer appreciation evening will have to be **postponed**. For all of our wonderful Minto and Area residents, we want to **THANK YOU** for all the assistance and support you have shown in the many ways that you have shown it! Our little town of Minto would not be able to do all we do without you!

- Minto Recreation Facilities Committee

HARTNEY HOPPER DAYS - August 7, 8 & 9th

With the Province slowly starting to lift COVID19 restrictions there will be a few activities planned for Hopper Days! If you have an event that will comply with all provincial regulations that you have planned or you would like to plan for Hopper Days, please let the Recreation Office know for free advertising! A more up-to-date schedule will be published in the July Grassland News.

Currently activities that will continue:

Town Wide Garage Sales	-	Saturday, \$5 to register your sale (register with the rec office)
Parade	-	Sunday, start planning your floats!
Golf Tournament	-	Pick a day (Fri, Sat or Sun) ; 2 person

Open to new ideas as we try to modify our weekend to meet regulations!



HARTNEY SWIMMING POOL



The Hartney Swimming Pool is currently working with the Public Health Inspector to open on time (end of June) and a schedule will be published as soon as possible!

Social distancing will be implemented at the pool this summer and several new rules will be required, so please be sure to read all posted materials prior to arriving and before entering the facility.

Staff is in the process of working how swimming lessons will look (class sizes, sanitization, times etc) so if you have registered for swimming lessons online we will contact you as soon as we have all of the information available! If you have not registered for swimming lessons but would like too, you can still register for any of our three sessions online at grasslandmunicipality.ca

Information regarding pool passes will be released soon!

Thank you to everyone for your patience as we navigate through these new regulations, we hope to see you at the pool this summer!

HERITAGE MOMENT!

Heritage Moment!



Did you know: This area was explored years ago by the early explorers who established trading posts along the river, these include Fort Desiarlais. Fort Ash and Fort Grand as three.

Archaeologists have had several digs over the years to unearth the stories of the past.



Congratulations to the Hartney graduating class of ${f 2U}$

Best of luck in your future endeavors from all of us at Mazergroup!

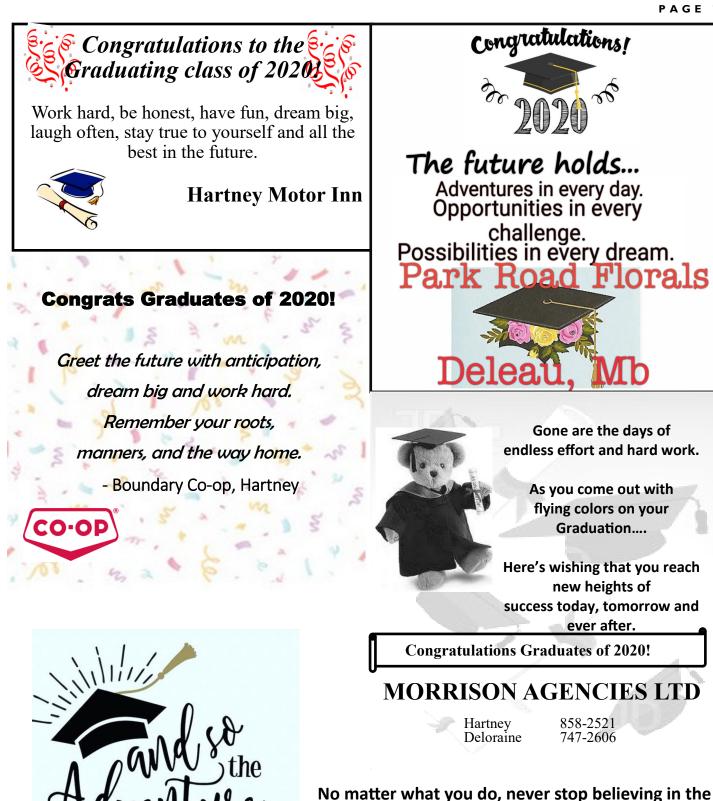
We would also like to send a special congrats to Kally Bodin, Ethan Jasper, and

Kaia Gibson!

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Congratulations Graduates of 2020 William William States of 2020 Hartney Machine & Motors Ltd. Larry, Cory & Coral



genius in you!

Congratulations Graduates!! Classes of 2020!

From the Councillors and Staff at MUNICIPALITY OF GRASSLAND



All events at the library are cancelled due to COVID-19. This includes story time and book club.

Re-opening date: June 16

Hours of operation: Tuesday to Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm

Services provided:

- Picking up items on hold
 - Returning borrowed items
- Registering for a library account, or receiving assistance with an existing account
 - Receiving assistance with eResources (eg. Hoopla, Libby, etc.)
 - Browsing the collection
 - Contactless Book Pickup

Restrictions:

- Limited number of people allowed in the library
 - No public computer access
- Please keep visits brief; one member per family if possible
- Standard social distancing and safety protocols followed

The Hartney Library is offering a Curbside Pickup service at the library. The process will be noncontact, as patrons remain in their vehicles and items will be placed in the trunk.

Place your order by calling the library 204-858-2102. Choices are limited to items currently on our shelves in Hartney. You can see which items are currently available by going to our website, wmrl.ca and viewing the catalogue: My Account (https://wmrl.ca/services/my-account/)

Returns will be quarantined for 7 days until they are allowed to be circulated to the public again.

NEW & NOTEWORTHY

The Mercy SeatElizabeth H. WinthropNonsense Rhymes From a Nonagenarian My Life in RhymeRoy WhiteJourney of The PharaohsClive Cussler and Graham BrownA Conspiracy of BonesKathy Reichs

NON-RESIDENT MEMBERSHIP

One-year Non-Resident Membership (household or institutions) cost \$50. Three-month Non-Resident Memberships (household or institution) cost \$15 Non-resident Tax-Payer Memberships cost \$15 annually

Ratepayers for The Municipality of Grassland are eligible to register for a library card for the Hartney-Cameron Library. One piece of ID with current address is required. e.g driver's licence, medical card. Come see what we have to offer.

If you find a book you would like to read and it isn't on our shelves, we can try and order it in for you. Just call with the title and the author.

Please note the change in library hours:

Library HoursTuesdays 1-5Thursday 1 - 5Wednesday 1-5Friday 1 - 5



Please contact the Library at 204-858-2102 or hartney@wmrl.ca for information.



Hartney Food Store SPECIALS

July 01 - 07

~ International Delights	946mL	2/\$9.00
~ Betty Crocker Fruit Snacks		2/\$5.00
~ Nature Valley Granola Bars		2/\$5.00
~ Good Host Ice Tea Mix		\$4.99
~ Hawkins Cheezies		3/\$6.99
~ Nesquick		\$4.99
~ CO-OP Pickles		2/\$6.00
~ Co-op Salad Dressings		2/\$4.00
~ Heinz Twin Pack Ketchup		\$7.99
~ Dare Cookies		2/\$5.00
~ Hershey Chocolate Bars		\$1.00
\sim Wagon Wheels		2/\$5.00
~ Co-op Fully Cooked Ribs		\$9.99
~ Centsible Wieners	18 pack	\$6.99
~ Grimms Pepperoni Bites		\$5.99
~ Resers Salads	1.25 kg	\$5.49



And many more instore specials!

BOUNDARY CO-OP HARTNEY FOOD STORE 204-858-2276



Hartney SOS June 2020 Newsletter Submitted by: Brenda Mahy Resource Coordinator

Hello everyone, We have had lots of wind and finally got some rain, I'm sure by now everyone has their gardens and flowers all in. I'm hoping I will be back to work soon, but because I work with seniors it may be awhile yet.

We Offer: Meals on Wheels, Lifeline , housekeeping and yardwork, so if you need any of these services call me at home 204-858-2672.

Until next time, Stay Safe, Social Distant and Wash your Hands



May 27, 2020

Sunrise Credit Union Releases 2019 Annual Report

Sunrise Credit Union held its annual general meeting virtually Tuesday night, attended by more than 140 members and staff.

The meeting included the release of Sunrise's 2019 Annual Report, which included the audited financial statements. In 2019, Sunrise Credit Union reported a Net Income of \$5.6 million, Loan Growth of 10.8%, Deposit Growth of 15.9%, and Total Equity of 6.96% of assets. Also, Total Asset Growth allowed Sunrise's Total Assets to reach \$1.32 billion.

Sunrise President and CEO Tim Klassen touched on the Covid-19 health and economic crisis and thanked Sunrise Credit Union members and staff for their ability to weather the unexpected storm. He went on to mention each staff member receiving an award, thanking them for their service in the credit union system. Klassen also thanked retiring VP of Branch Operations, Ted Billeck, for his years of service and welcomed Brad Ross to the Sunrise family as the incoming VP of Branch Operations.

Tim thanked Jan McClelland for chairing the Sunrise Credit Union Board of Directors for the past two years and recognized her as the first woman to chair the board.

In her remarks, McClelland acknowledged the contributions of retiring director Lee Adams and thanked him for his dedicated service to the Melita, Virden and Sunrise Credit Union boards.

Chair of the Nominating Committee, Roger Palmer, announced the re-appointment of Jan McClelland, Karen Combs, Daryll Logeot and Fred Greig to the Board of Directors.

About Sunrise Credit Union

Sunrise Credit Union formed in 2008 through the strategic merger of its five legacy Credit Unions - respectively, Virden (est. 1940), Turtle Mountain (est. 1940), Hartney (est. 1942), Tiger Hills (est. 1943) and Cypress River (est. 1960). 30,000 Sunrise members receive personalized service from branches in Baldur, Boissevain, Brandon, Cypress River, Deloraine, Grandview, Hartney, Holland, Laurier, Melita, Oakburn, Reston, Sandy Lake, Shoal Lake, Ste. Rose du lac, Strathclair, Treherne, Virden, and Waskada. At the end of 2019, Sunrise Credit Union had approximately 30,000 members, \$1.32 billion in assets and about 220 employees.

For more information, please contact: Terry Roulette McCartney Marketing Manager Phone: 204-851-1931 (Cell) Email: <u>tmccartney@sunrisecu.mb.ca</u>



Fern Valley Recreation Hartney & Minto



Cost: \$15.00 per kid per day Minimum 4 participants required - 8-16 maximum.



Hartney Day Camps - Ages 3 to 8 Time: 9:30am - 4:00pm

Date	Theme	Deadline to register
July 1st	Canada Day	June 26th
July 2nd	Pirate Day	June 26th
Date	Theme	Deadline to register
July 10th July 13th	Mini Golf Camp Around the World	July 3rd
July 14th	Space Day	July 3rd
July 15th	Rainforest Day	July 3rd
July 16th	Barnyard Day	July 3rd
Date	Theme	Deadline to register
July 27th	Bugs Life	July 3rd
July 28th	Frozen Themed Tea Party	July 3rd
July 29th	Monster Mash	July 3rd
July 30th	Mad Scientist Day	July 3rd

Minto Day Camps - Ages 3 to 8

Time: 10:00am –3:30pm •

	Theme	Deadline to register
Mad	Scientist Day	June 26th
	Bugs Life	June 26th
D	inosaur Day	June 26th
Mi	ni Golf Camp	June 26th
	Theme	Deadline to Register
	Theme Pirate Day	Deadline to Register July 10th
1	Pirate Day	July 10th



Important Information

- COVID information sheets will be sent prior to the first day of camp. All provincial guidelines must be followed.
- Participants are asked to bring a bag lunch, hat, comfortable shoes, sunscreen, (please have it applied before coming to Day Camp) bug spray, water bottle and dress appropriately for the weather.
- Registration is on a first come, first serve basis.
- Drop in registrations will be accepted **ONLY** if maximum numbers have not yet been reached.
- All participants MUST be potty trained.

For more information or to register, please contact:

Sydney - Recreation Assistant recreationassistant0@gmail.com 204-858-2590



** NEW DATE **

Hartney Minor Hockey AGM June 25, 2020 @ 7:30 pm Hartney & Area Arena

If you are interested in the future of Hartney Minor Hockey, plan on attending the AGM.

Election of board members for the following positions: - Vice President -Secretary -Treasurer -Member at large (2)



Any questions can be sent directly to the current Hartney Minor Hockey Board at hartneyminorhockey@gmail.com

Morrison Agencies Ltd.

234 East Railway Street Hartney, MB Phone: 204-858-2521 Email: jon.morrison@morrisonagenciesltd.ca

As crop hail season is here again, we want to remind you that Morrison Agencies Ltd. can insure your crops against hail and fire. We represent several hail insurance companies; Co-op, Municipal, Palliser, Canadian and Rain & Hail and are able to offer competitive rates.

With different deductible options to choose from, we can lower your premium substantially and still offer full coverage in the event of a major loss. Some companies also offer credit card payments and post-dated payments for your convenience.

Call, email or stop by the office for a free no obligation quote on Hail, Residential, Farm, Commercial and/or Life Insurance.



LUNCH SPECIALS TUESDAYS AND FRID-AYS 11:30-1:30 (EAT IN OR TAKE OUT AVAILABLE. PLEASE CALL AHEAD)

Clubhouse: 204-858-2011

LADIES NIGHT

TUESDAYS DRINK AND FOOD SPECIALS AVAILABLE

MEN'S NIGHT

WEDNESDAYS DRINK AND FOOD SPECIALS AVAILABLE

BRUNCH

SUNDAYS JULY 5 THROUGH AUGUST 30 9AM – 12PM

EGGS, BACON OR SAUSAGE, HASHBROWNS, TOAST & COFFEE

If you are looking for a GREAT FACILITY to host an event. Contact us about our clubhouse!!!! Phone: 204-741-0124 or Email: hartneygolfclub@mymts.net

Check us out on facebook/instagram @hartneygolfclub to keep up to date on events and weekly specials!

Together we work, together we GROW

Sunrise Credit Union is pleased to welcome our new Managers



STACEY BRUNEAU Baldur Branch Manager



DANIELLE GERRARD Hartney Branch Manager



BUILDING A BRIGHTER FUTURE TOGETHER.

sunrisecu.mb.ca



Hartney School Graduates 2020



Mason Blake Bertholet

Son of: Brian Bertholet and Tannis Bertholet

Plans: Joining the Work Force



Kally Riane Bodin Daughter of Robyn and Kari Bodin

Plans: Attending Robertson College in Brandon for Massage Therapy



Stran Kevin Dunham

Son of Kevin and Sheena Dunham

Plans: Attending New Mexico Junior College for Animal Science



Ethan William Lawrence Jasper Son of James and Shayla

Jasper

Plans: Joining the Work Force





Charisse Rae Tolosa Carreon

Daughter of Aristotle and Rachel Carreon

Plans: Attending Brandon University to obtain a Bachelor of Science Degree, majoring in Biology



Kaia Dawn Gibson Daughter of Ryan and Gail Gibson

Plans: Attending Brandon University for Pre-Psych Nursing



Daughter of Gilbert and Marcie Lamouline

Plans: Attending Assiniboine Community College for Legal Administration



Son of Lorenzo and Lerma Parico

Plans: Attending Brandon University for Pre-Psych Nursing



Jared Catacutan Quiminales

Son of Rey Quiminales and Lorna Quiminales

Plans: Attending Assiniboine Community College for Interactive Media Arts



Kyra Edna Thomas

Daughter of Brent Thomas and Karen Thomas

Plans: Attending University of Alberta to get her Bachelor of Arts



Aaron Ayson Villavicencio

Son of Arnold Villavicencio and Ida Villavicencio

Plans: Attending Assiniboine Community College for Construction Electrician

Boissevain School Graduates 2020



Ethan Harper

Aiden Pittet

*School was unable to provide pictures and bios

Ruth Baker Paige Mains



Melita School Graduates 2020



Mitch Schuddemat





Lincoln Jordan



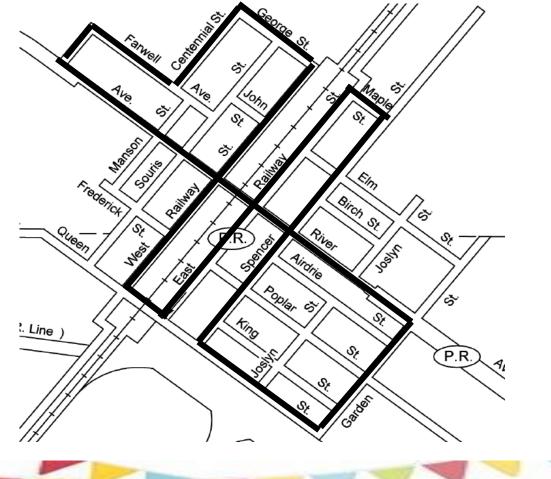
Taylor Mealy graduated with a Bachelor of Commerce (Honours) from the University of Manitoba (Asper School of Business) with majors in Finance and Supply Chain Management and achieved the Deans Honour List.

We are so proud of you!

Love Mom, Dad and Hudson

Hartney Grad Parade Route 2020

(same route as the Hopper Day's Parade!)





YOU ARE ALL HISTORY MAKERS!



Go out into this world and be history makers and may god bless you as you venture out!

Hartney Old English Church



TOURNAMENT DATES

LADIES 6-6-6

Saturday, June 20

\$50 / Team (2 people) Cash Prizes & other prizes Registration opens at 9:30am Shotgun start at 10:30am

MENS OPEN Saturday, July 18

\$30.00 Entry Fee; Cash Prizes Registration opens at 9:00am Shotgun start at 10:30am

SENIOR OPEN (Mixed) Thursday, July 30

\$30.00 Entry Fee; Cash Prizes Registration opens at 9:00am Shotgun start at 10:30am

HOPPER DAYS CLASSIC August 7,8,9 (pick a day)

2 Person best ball \$60 / Team; Cash Prizes Pick the day you want to golf!

GLOW GOLF

New Glow Golf date to be announced for closer to the end of the season

PAR 3 NIGHT

Stay tuned for Friday dates, specials and more information!

To pre-register for tournaments or to book rental carts (limited number available) Clubhouse: 204-858-2011 or email hartneygolfclub@mymts.net

Facebook & Instagram @hartneygolfclub

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MUNICIPALITY OF GRASSLAND COUNCIL NOTES

The minutes of the May 12, 2020 meeting held in the Council Chambers of the Municipality of Grassland in Hartney at 7:00 P.M. This meeting was held with consideration to the recommendations from the Province of Manitoba for public gatherings in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Those present were Reeve Blair Woods, Councillors Claude Martin, John Sparrow and Chief Administrative Officer Brad Coe.

Those present via teleconference were Ron Bodin, Ruth Mealy and Ewen Mosby.

Councillor Chris Mills was absent.

Reeve Blair Woods called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

The following resolutions were passed:

- That the agenda be approved.
- That the minutes of the April 28, 2020 regular meeting as circulated.
- That cheque numbers 7433 to 7472 inclusive in the amount of \$55,481.66 and EFTs 253515 to 260697 in the amount of \$10,261.35 be approved for payment.
- That Lots 27/28 Block 2 Plan 21 in Elgin be sold to Duane Fehr for \$250.00 and transfer fees subject to Policy #G/ A005 regarding sale of lots, as revised.
- That Lot 4 Plan 51504 in Minto be sold to Joel and Allison Holmes for \$500.00 and transfer fees subject to Policy #G/A-005 regarding sale of lots, as revised.
- That 2020 summer staff be hired as per Schedule "A".
- That the request of Next Generation Drainage Solutions to construct a road crossing on the north side of NE 8-6-21 W1 to accommodate tile drainage flow into existing infrastructure be approved subject to downstream landowners being in approval.
- That Sunrise Credit Union be authorized to provide credit cards for municipal purposes as per Schedule "A".
- Whereas Elgin Utility incurred audited PSAB, Public Utilities Board adjusted deficits of \$12,333 in 2016 and \$19,054 in 2017;
- And Whereas Elgin Utility had a 2017 Working Capital Deficit of \$65,216;
- Therefore Be It Resolved That the Municipality of Grassland request that the Public Utilities Board authorize Elgin Utility deficits of \$12,333 in 2016 and \$19,054 in 2017 with said deficits to be recovered through a rate rider as amended of \$1.41 per cubic meter of water sold for 5 years."
- And Whereas Minto Utility incurred audited PSAB, Public Utilities Board adjusted deficits of \$10,078 in 2013, \$17,563 in 2014, \$11,427 in 2016 and \$27,204 in 2017;
- And Whereas Minto Utility had a 2017 Working Capital Deficit of \$115,855;
- Therefore Be It Resolved That the Municipality of Grassland request that the Public Utilities Board authorize Minto Utility deficits of \$10,078 in 2013, \$17,563 in 2014, \$11,427 in 2016 and \$27,204 in 2017 with said deficits to be recovered as amended through a rate rider of \$2.08 per cubic meter of water sold for 5 years.
- That the quote of Zenith Paving Ltd. be accepted to pave streets in Hartney be accepted as follows plus GST: Joslyn Street and King Street:

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Area 1 - \$17,503.00
Area 2 - \$18,656.00
Area 3 - \$28,177.00
River Avenue - \$2,819.00
Mobilization - \$7,500.00

Councillor John Sparrow declared a personal interest in the following item and withdrew from the council chamber while it was discussed.

- That the public hearing be called to order at 8:00 P.M. regarding a conditional use and variation application under the Municipality of Grassland Zoning By-Law for subdivision File #4111-19-8144 at SE 32-05-20 WPM for applicant K.D. Sparrow Farms Ltd.
- That the Public Hearing regarding a conditional use and variation application under the Municipality of Grassland Zoning By-Law for subdivision File #4111-19-8144 at SE 32-05-20 WPM for applicant K.D. Sparrow Farms Ltd. be adjourned at 8:03 P.M.
- That Conditional Use application No. 2020-02, being an application from K.D. Sparrow Farms Ltd., as per subdivision File #4111-19-8144, to allow a non-farm dwelling within the "AML" zone on SE 32-05-20 WPM, be approved with the following condition:

That the non-farm dwelling shall not restrict agricultural activities in the area.

That Variation application No. 2020-01, being an application from K.D. Sparrow Farms Ltd., as per subdivision File #4111-19-8144, to vary the maximum acreage of 10 acres to 14 acres to allow the subdivision of the property to comply with the Municipality of Grassland Zoning By-Law on SE 32-5-20 WPM be approved.
That the tender for demolishing four buildings in Hartney be accepted from Boyes Contracting Ltd. in the amount of \$16,673.00.

No resolutions were defeated. Councils gave reports on various committees.

Delegations & Hearings:

Norm Gruhn spoke to council about the 2020 budget.

Staff Reports: None.

None.

Correspondence:

Minister of Municipal Relations: 2020 municipal operating grant.

Old Business:

Pandemic issues reviewed. Emergency communication options reviewed. Turtle Mountain Watershed District proposal for Chain Lakes reviewed.

New Business:

Minto and Elgin water rate studies will be open for public review shortly.

Tax due dates reviewed.

Council adjourned at 9:05 P.M. to meet again in Hartney on May 26, 2020 at 7:00 P.M. in Hartney.

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MUNICIPALITY OF GRASSLAND COUNCIL NOTES

The minutes of the May 26, 2020 meeting held in the Council Chambers of the Municipality of Grassland in Hartney at 7:00 P.M.

Those present were Reeve Blair Woods, Councillors Ron Bodin, Claude Martin, Ruth Mealy, Chris Mills, Ewen Mosby, John Sparrow and Chief Administrative Officer Brad Coe and Chief Financial Officer Lisa Scott.

Reeve Blair Woods called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

The following resolutions were passed:

- That the agenda be approved.
- That the minutes of the May 12, 2020 regular meeting be adopted as circulated.
- That cheque numbers 7473 to 7497 inclusive in the amount of \$147,818.71 and EFTs 254033 to 282000 in the amount of \$18,150.07 be approved for payment.
- That payroll for April 2020 be approved in the amount of \$41,022.74.
- That the financial statement to April 30, 2020 be adopted.
- That By-Law No. 47-2020, being a by-law to establish water and sewer rates for the Minto Water and Sewer Utility, be given second reading.

No resolutions were defeated. Councils gave reports on various committees.

Delegations & Hearings: None.

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Staff Reports:

Rural Foreman Matt Hay spoke to council about municipal operations.

Correspondence:

Blue Hills R.C.M.P.:

Annual report.

Old Business:

- Pandemic issues reviewed.
- Bell fleetnet radios update reviewed.
- Dust control costs will remain the same as last year.

New Business:

• Asset management planning progress reviewed.

Council adjourned at 9:50 P.M. to meet again in Hartney on June 9, 2020 at 7:00 P.M. in Hartney. This is a condensed version of the minutes, the full version may be viewed at the municipal office in Hartney during office hours.

LOCAL URBAN DISTRICT OF MINTO

The minutes of the regular meeting of the LUD of Minto Committee held Monday, May 4, 2020, at the Minto Drop In Centre.

Chairman Greg Workman called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m. with the following members in attendance: Ruth Mealy, Terry Campbell and Chief Financial Officer Lisa Scott Regrets: Blair Stewart

The following resolutions were passed:

- That the minutes of the March 9, 2020 regular meeting be adopted as circulated.
- That the List of Accounts to March 31 2020 totalling \$487.78 and the List of Accounts to April 30, 2020 totalling \$155.27 be approved.
- That the Financial Statements for the periods ending March 31, 2020 and April 30, 2020 be approved.
- That we recommend that the Municipality of Grassland accept the Offer to Purchase from Joel & Allison Holmes for Lot 4 Plan 51504 as per their signed offer.

Business Arising from the Minutes

- Lagoon samples have been sent away and hopefully discharging can begin shortly.
- There is no new information on the possible transfer of the former Royal Bank lot.
- Unfinished Business:
- A draft version of an Animal Control By-Law for Minto was reviewed.
- Possible grants for a walking path were discussed. The committee will come up with a more detailed proposal including estimated costs for next meeting.
- Greg will put up the no parking signs. The office will get locates for putting up the rest of the truck route signs.

Delegations:

Hannah and Jarrett Beghin attended to discuss their Offer to Purchase. Joel Holmes attended to discuss his Offer to Purchase.

New Business:

- The Offer to Purchase Lot 5 was discussed and tabled pending more information.
- Unsightly properties were discussed.
- The runway for water drainage on the northeast side of town needs to be cleaned out. Terry will
- arrange to get this done.
- There were some issues with frozen culverts this spring. The municipality has purchased a high
- pressure system for cleaning culverts out. The plan is to request the municipality clean these culverts
- out in the fall and then use the machine as needed to thaw the culverts next spring.

Meeting adjourned at 6:10 P.M. to meet again June 1, 2020 at 4:30 P.M. in the Minto Drop In Centre.

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LOCAL URBAN DISTRICT OF MINTO

The minutes of the regular meeting of the LUD of Minto Committee held Monday, June 1, 2020, at the Minto Drop In Centre.

Chairman Greg Workman called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. with the following members in attendance: Terry Campbell, Blair Stewart and Chief Administrative Officer Brad Coe. Councillor Ruth Mealy was absent.

The following resolutions were passed:

- That the minutes of the May 4, 2020 regular meeting be adopted as circulated.
- That the List of Accounts to May 31, 2020 totaling \$1,004.86 be approved.
- That the Financial Statements for the period ending May 31, 2020 be approved.

Business Arising from the Minutes

Lagoon discharging will begin shortly.

"No Parking" signs have been installed.

Correspondence:

One letter received regarding an unsightly yard.

Unfinished Business:

The walking paths were discussed. The Municipality will provide help in planning the project. Delegations:

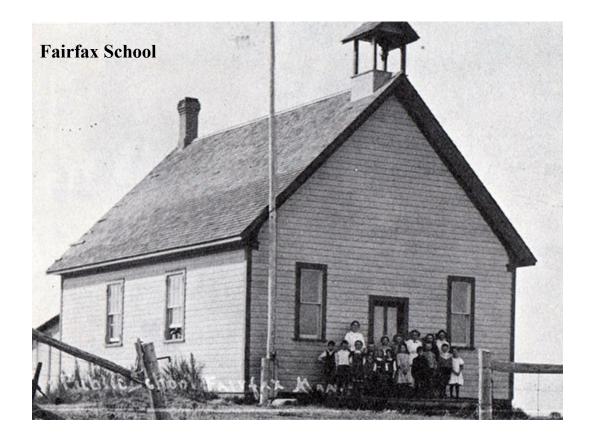
Hannah and Jarrett Beghin attended to discuss their Offer to Purchase.

New Business:

- Unsightly properties were discussed.
- One drainage issue discussed.
- Hydro will be contacted to confirm a pole location.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 P.M. to meet again July 6, 2020 at 7:00 P.M. in the Minto Drop In Centre.

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What's Old at the Museum?

In 1902 the building which most of us refer to as the Varity Store was Crawford's Jewelry Store. In 1906 the first telephone service in Hartney was operating out of the second floor of Woodhull Drug Store. It was then moved to the brick building beside the museum and then to the Hartney Variety Store. In 1916 Butch Gabel purchased the Crawford jewelry Store and renamed it Gabel's Jewelry Store. At that time Crawford's was located in what was the old town office. In 1944 Butch purchased the Variety building from Manitoba Telephone Co. and operated it there until 1976. In 1967 it also became the liquor store. The store was then taken over by Jim and Faye Archer and renamed Hartney Variety. They added a Sears outlet and a number of other services which the town needed and discontinued the jewelry line. In 1983 Brenda Hicks bought the store from Faye and operated it until 2003 when she sold it to Richard and Maxine Lamouline in 2002. In 2008 they sold the store to Gareth Neal who ran it until a fire closed its doors. Now Erin Eissner has renovated it and runs a second hand store in it. She has kept the name Hartney Variety.

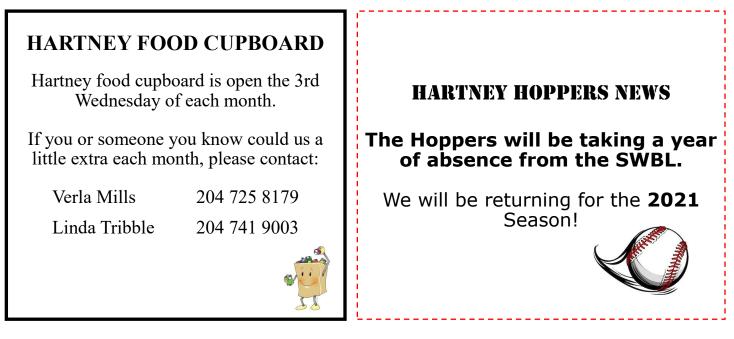
What's happening at the Museum?

We are planning on opening the museum to the public on July 2^{nd} . We will be following the Covid -19 rules that have been set out by the government. We would like to welcome our new summer student, Ethan Jasper. We are looking forward to working with him.

We are still awaiting the fire commissioner's inspection and are hoping that will happen next week.

What we are looking for at the Museum

We are planning on cleaning the lower floor of the museum the week of June 22nd. If you can help please contact Dawne McKenzie



Due to sanitation and health safety purposes, the HartCam Fitness Centre decided that the hart cam fitness centre will not be opening this summer. Thanks for understanding

HARTNEY GOLF CLUB PRESENTS: KIDS GOLF LESSONS!



This two-day session will be a fun way for kids to learn and develop their golf skills, golf etiquacy, and rules of the green!

Instructors: Jeremy Marvin and Kellie Baker!

What to bring: Clubs, water bottle, snacks, sunscreen, hat, and a bagged lunch for the 10^{th.} *Junior clubs with be available if child doesn't have any clubs

Registration Opens: June 3st Closes: June 26th

Age Requirement: 6 + Minimum Participation: 10

Cost: \$30.00

Event Date: July 9th & 10th Event time: 10:00 am – 4:00pm

Location: Hartney Golf Course 1km North of Hartney on Hwy #21

Fern Valley Recreation would like to welcome

<u>SYDNEY WRIGHT - Recreation</u> <u>Assistant</u>

Sydney started at the Recreation office at the start of May. Sydney oversees day camps, puts together recreation programming, assists with putting together the Grassland News and more! Sydney currently works out of Recreation Office in Hartney.

If you have any questions regarding any of the above programs or have any suggestions for upcoming programs let her know!

recreationassistant0@gmail.com

SARA MANTELL - Day Camp Coordinator

Sara will be heading up our day camp program! Sara has a lot of experience working with children of all ages and is extremely creative and caring!

<u>MIKE & MISSY LACHAPELLE -</u> <u>Whitewater Park Managers</u>

Mike & Missy will be in charge of overseeing Whitewater Park this season. They will be responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of the park.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding Whitewater Park, give them a call! 204-741-0905

AIDAN JASPER & KIERAN STEWART - Whitewater Park Maintenance

Aidan and Kieran have both started working at Whitewater Park assisting with grounds maintenance.

Reminder you can book campsites online by visiting our website www.grasslandmunicipality.ca





Minimum of 6 kids to run these programs	July 3rd	Along \$12.00 per kid	June 26th
Register online: grasslandmuniciplaity.ca	July 17th	Older Kids: Art Day \$16.00 per kid	July 3rd
Questions or more information contact Sydney	July 24th	Older Kids: Science Fair \$12.00 per kid	July 3rd
recreationassistant0@gmail.com	July 31st	Older Kids: Fairy Gardens \$16.00 per kid	July 3rd
	The wor	kshops designed for older kids who	

love to do crafts but don't want to do a full day of day camp!

These workshops will be held on Fridays in the afternoon at 1:30pm - 4:00pm



More information on the activities:

Bob Ross Paint Along: Kids will be challenged with following a Bob Ross painting tutorial to follow and put their painting skills to the test! Remember Bob's saying "We don't make mistakes, just happy little accidents!"

Art Day: Kids will do a variety of fun crafts including: Tie dyed pillow cases!

Science Fair: Much like a 4-H achievement, kids will prepare a science project at home and will take pictures of the process. Kids will receive a display board to put their photos and explanation of their project on. They will also receive a table cloth for their display. Kids will arrive and set up their project/display and then go around explaining their project and then they will vote for the best ones! Winner's prize is a coop gift card and treats. Every project will be featured in the following issue of the Grassland News!

Fairy Gardens: This is for all you creative kids out there! Fairy Gardens are the perfect craft to display your personality and creative skills. Kids will be shown how to make miniature tables, walk ways, houses, etc. to add to their fairy gardens. These make for perfect patio decorations!!