

HEARTBEAT

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September 1st, 2018

September issues of this Birch Hills activity newsletter was sponsored by:

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Margot Opseth - In Memory of Otto Opseth, BH Housing Authority, Big Heart Bed & Breakfast

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BIRCH HLLS SCHOOL NEWS

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You put a little boogle into it.

Sept 4th Classes begin

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Sept 6th Hague vs BH (away) 3:00pm

15th Big River vs BH (away) 7:00pm

Oct 18th Wakaw vs BH (away) 3:00pm



Birch Hills Community Fall trade Show

October 13th, 2018

10:00am - 2:00 pm

Birch Hills Civic Centre

Tables \$25 ea,

Set up 8:30am



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Lunch provided by the BH Guiding Association.

Table must be prepaid prior to trade show.

Mail payments to Box 586, BH, SK SOJ OGO or call 306-749-2217 or text 306-961-9199 to register

Registration Nights

Birch Hills Community Preschool Registration Night

Mrs. Peterson has been teaching preschool in Birch Hills for the last 16 years. She continues to enjoy each new year making memories with the kids.

She gets the 3 & 4 year old's ready for kindergarten by doing puzzles, crafts, reading stories, singing and playing games each day. Each family gets to take a turn bringing snack for the class and being the helper.

Also being right in the school next to the kindergarten classroom coming in the same

doors, hearing the same bells and playing on the same playground makes going into kindergarten not such a drastic change, it really gets the children prepared for their first year of school.



Tuesday September 4th @ 7pm in the Birch Hills School Library Classes begin Sept 13th, 2018

3 year old's Wednesdays 9-11am - \$315

4 year old's Monday/Thursday 9-11:30am - \$630

Tuesday/Friday 9-11:30am

Payment Options available. Contact Lisa 749-7781 or Jody 749-2843

BIRCH HILLS MINOR HOCKEY REGISTRATION

Wednesday, September 5th 5:30pm - 7:30pm Skating rink lobby Boys & Girls Hockey

If you are unable to make registration night email bhminorsports@outlook.com for more information or to register.



Can & StarSkate Registration Night

Skating rink lobby
September 4th, 5:30pm to 7:00pm.



If you are unable to attend registration night you can always email amanda.rosteski@gmail.com or text 306-930-5358.

WEINER WEDNESDAYS!

5:30 - 7:00 pm

Join Us at Skatepark

COME AND GO!!

Bring Your Hot Dogs/Smokies, Beverages

& Lawn Chairs,

and enjoy a relaxing time of visiting around

the campfire!

BASKETBALL FUN

LEAGUE

Beginners 7 pm

Adults vs. Teenagers

7:30 pm

Come Show Who's Got Game!!



CRYSTAL SPRINGS EVENTS

<u>Bingo</u>: Bingo in Crystal Springs Tuesdays 7:30pm

<u>Coffee Row</u>: Crystal Springs Rec Co-op Once a Month Coffee Row will resume in September. 2:00 to 4:00 P.M.

Next Date is: Wednesday September 5th
Wednesday October 3rd

At the Crystal Springs Hall Everyone is Welcome!

It is a wonderful opportunity for friends, neighbours and acquaintances to get together!

The hall is available for rent. Contact Lynn 306-864-8013

Birch Hills PUBLIC LIBRARY News



Library Hours Tues 11-4, 5-8; and Thurs 9-12, 1-6pm

EVERY WEEK IN THE HILLS

Open to Community

MONDAYS

2 fore 1 Mondays Golf- 2 golfers, 9 holes, \$20 (Not applicable on STAT Holidays)

Bowling 2:00 pm @ Seniors Hall Dreamland Optimists Group

Fire Dept Meeting (every 2nd Mon) 7:00 pm @ Fire Hall

TUESDAYS

Ladies Golf 9:00am beginning June 5th

Moms & Tots 10:00 am-12:00 pm @ Youth Centre
\$2 drop in fee

Library Open 11:00 am-4:00 pm and 5:00 pm-8:00 pm

Knitting Grannies (2nd & 4th Tues) 1:00pm @ museum

Birchview Ladies Auxiliary (1st Tues) 11:00am Craft Night 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm (5-12yrs) @ Library

WEDNESDAYS

Thrift Shop Open 9:00 am-4:00 pm @ Museum Coffee 2:00pm @ Museum Line Dancing 9:30-11:00 am @ Civic Centre Museum Open 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm Ladies Golf 5:30pm @ Birch Hills Golf Course Town Council Meetings 2nd and 4th Wed of

THURSDAYS

the month

Moms & Tots 10:00 am-12:00 pm @ Youth Centre \$2 drop in fee

Library Open 9:00 am -12:00 pm and 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Men's Golf 5:30pm registration 6:00pm Golf@Birch

Hills Golf Course

Legion Meeting (every 2nd Thurs) 7:00 pm @ Legion

FRIDAY

TGI Fridays Golf- 9 holes and 1/2 cart \$25

SATURDAY

Thrift Shop Open 1:00 am-4:00 pm @ Museum Coffee 2:00pm @ Museum

Senior Centre Contact: Delores Jones 749-2680

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTION, 2015

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Appendix C

FORM H

(Section 66 of the Act)

Notice of Call for Nominations

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF BIRCH HILLS NO. 460

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that nominations of candidates for the office(s) of:

COUNCILLOR: Rural Municipality of Birch Hills No. 460

o DIVISION NO. 2

o DIVISION NO. 4

o DIVISION NO. 6

will be received by the undersigned on the 4th day of September, 2018, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Municipal Office, during regular business hours to the 19st day of September, 2018 at 4:00 p.m. local time.

Nomination forms may be obtained from the municipal office located at 126 McCallum Avenue, Birch Hills, SK.

Dated this 4th day of September, 2018.

Cherie Opseth, Returning Officer

TLC would like to thank CIF for their sponsorship in making our ARC program a huge success. Thank you to all the children who came out and participated in this amazing experience with us. We had the best of fun and learned so much. We hope to see you all again next summer!!

TLC Trip of the month deadline is approaching!! Buy your tickets now for 12 chances to win Travel Vouchers!! Contact Lisa at 306-749-2441 to get your ticket today!!





Come Celebrate 100 Years With Us at Lake Park Baptist Church!!

September 1 & 2 - 2018

Please join us to celebrate God's Goodness & Grace over the past 100 years!

Saturday Events

Golf Tournament - Come & Go Tea - Evening Entertainment
Followed by Coffee & Campfire

Sunday

Worship Service 11:00am – Followed by a Congregational Meal

Everyone please bring a salad & dessert!

If you will be joining us for the lunch after the service please let us know so we have plenty for the BBQ! Followed by an afternoon of games, fellowship and fun!

Contacts: LPBC Office – 306-749-3185
Pastor Matt – 306-941-0074 - Pastor Brian – 306-981-



ST MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH UP-COMING EVENTS

Community Lunches:

All community members are welcome to join us for lunch

Friday, Sept 7th;

Free will offerings accepted (donations)
Lunches will be the 1st and 3rd Friday of

every month until June



Up-coming Events @ the Birch Hills United Church

"Under the Sea" Social with illusionist on Friday, Nov. 2 at B.H. Civic Centre

Birch Hills United Church News:

Worship Services are held the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 9:30 a.m. at the Lutheran Church on Bellamy Ave. All are welcome.

The United Church Women will be hosting an Ecumenical "Fellowship of the Least Coin" service in Oct. Individuals and groups are encouraged to save their "least" coins (nickels) with all money going to the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada.

BirchView News for September

5th, 1:30-3:30pm— Birchview Annual Farmer's Market . Canned Goods, Veggies, Baking and Silent Auction!

Mardell's Cinnamon Buns are back!!! Silent Auction ends at 3:00pm!

12th, 2:30pm—Wes Stubbs

16th, 2:30pm — Gladtidings Gospel

19th, 2:30pm— Job Mattes Band (B-day Party)

24th, 2:30pm—Joyful Hearts Chorus

27th, 8:30am—10:30am—Community Pancake Breakfast, silver collection. Celebrating Special Care Home Week

Caring for our seniors is perhaps the greatest responsibility we have. Those who walked before us have given so much and made possible the life we all enjoy.

-John Hoeven

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22nd Annual Threshing Day Report

The Birch Hills Historical Society held their 22nd Annual Threshing Day on Sunday, August 12, 2018 and in spite of less than ideal weather the day turned out to be a huge success.

The Town council served a delicious pancake breakfast followed by the Birch Hills Ministerial church service.

Rain started to fall as the Optimist parade got underway. The hardy folk lined the route with the promise of candy keeping the little ones on hand. Thanks to Stuart Matice for again organizing the parade on behalf of the Dreamland Optimists who also served the BBQ on the museum grounds.

The children's activities were cancelled because of the rain but the little ones were entertained by Joanne's pets and visiting the museum. Thanks again Joanne.

The Museum Auxiliary provided a meal, pie and coffee which were very well attended with many people visiting the museum for the first time.

The silent auction is always a crowd pleaser and this year was no exception. Many went away pleased with their "good buys". A big thank you to all the people who donated to the auction.

Ralph Galambos provided this year's entertainment – wonderful Home Town talent.

The Seniors' Club drew for their raffle with Ray Halcro getting first prize – child's picnic bench and rocking chair that were made and donated by Gordon Braaten. Ray generously donated these to the Birch Hills Day Care. Second prize – a patchwork quilt, was won by Krista Warow. Third prize, a wheelbarrow planter made and donated by Gordon Braaten, was won by Myrdena Reynish.

The rain let up and the threshing was held. Greg Smith displayed his small engines and gave the fellows a hand with the threshing.

Winners of the 50/50 draw were Gord Hood \$104.00, Joan Budnick \$62.00, and John Herd \$41.00.

A new feature of Threshing Day 2018 was the Lake Park Soap Box Derby. Congratulations to the Lake Park Church on their 100th Anniversary. The race was certainly enjoyed by all and we look forward to a report on the proceeding.

The Historical Society entry, made by Elmer Olson, received first prize for most unique car - we are proud of Elmer.

All in all a great event. Thanks to everyone for making it a success.





Cans, Bottles & Milk Jugs Piling Up?





Youth Center

Always Appreciates Donations of the following

BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

* Aluminum /Tin Cans

* Plastic Bottles and Jugs INCLUDING MILK

Glass Bottles, Clear and Colored (Wine, Juice)

* Refillable Beer Bottles



WE NOW ACCEPT MILK JUGS AND CARTONS (please rinse)

We Are Not Able to Accept Non Beverage Containers

Plastic Household Containers such as Soap, Javex

Glass Jars from Jam, Pickles, etc. or Soup Cans











AGE 12+

Starting

Sept. 7



Youth Center!

7:30 - 10:00 pm

Questions?

Call Clint or Tim 306-749-2478



Recreation Facilites

Cell Phone—306-749-7451

Email—birchhillsrec@sasktel.net

The Skating Rink

Is currently working on replacing the Arena Floor, this will save the rink a lot of money as well as make flooding the ice a much easier task, giving all the teams and skaters better ice to skate on! Just in time for Hockey/Skating Season

The Golf Course

Is currently working on getting a new clubhouse so they can better serve all those who love to golf or just enjoy the view while they have a beverage and something yummy to eat.

Also taking orders for harvest meals please contact the Clubhouse.

The Sportsground

Is currently looking into upgrading so they can better serve all those that utilize the campgrounds.

As well ball season has wrapped up, hope everyone had a great season.

The Curling Rink

Just recently resided the front of the building to keep it looking nice and in good shape. So everyone no matter what age can enjoy a game of curling or having a visit with a friend.

The Lions Park

Summer playground has a great time out at the park all summer they get to enjoy the beautiful park and nature.

The Recreation Facilities are always in need of a helping hand, whether you would like to lend a helping hand with a project or to donate money to a project. Every little bit helps and is very much appreciated. If you would like to make a donation to help out a facility you enjoy in the community you can receive a charitable donation receipt if you pay at the town office

or by mailing a check payable to The Town of Birch Hills.

These facilities could not remain up and running without the countless volunteer hours of help and the support from the community so thank you everyone for all that you do.





Starting September the golf course will be open at 8:00am

Ladies golf at 2:00pm on Tuesdays starting Sept 11th

Ladies golf at 5:30pm Wednesdays

Men's golf tee off is at 5:30pm starting Sept 6th

Member Championship is tentatively scheduled for Saturday, September 15th. Open to all members - men, women, intermediates and juniors.

Men's windup Sunday, Sept 30th; sign up at clubhouse 306-749-2211 by Sept 18th.



Birch Hills & District Recreation Board

50/50 Raffle

Only 500 Tickets to be sold

Prize TBD According to Ticket Sales Potential retail value of \$5,000

Tickets can only be purchased or sold in Saskatchewan

Ticket Price \$20.00

Must Be 18 to purchase DO NOT HAVE TO BE PRESENT TO WIN

DRAWING WILL BE HELD AT THE BIRCH HILLS GOLF COURSE (S1/2 OF SE29 46 24W2)

AT NOON SEPTEMBER 30, 2018

Birch Hills Golf Course 306-749-2211
Birch Hills Recreation Office 306-749-7451
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Birch Hills & District Recreation Board

Lifetime Membership Raffle

Only 250 Tickets to be sold

Retail value of \$14,375 Or \$3,000 cash alternative

Tickets can only be purchased or sold in Saskatchewan

Ticket Price \$100.00

Must Be 18 to purchase

\$500 Gift Certificate Add On

DO NOT HAVE TO BE PRESENT TO WIN Only 500 Tickets to be sold

Ticket Price \$5.00

Lifetime membership ticket must be purchased to purchase add on

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LOTTERY LICENCE #RR18-0109

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

TLC IS HAVING A BIRTHDAY AND YOU ARE ALL INVITED!!

When: Saturday September 15th from 4pm-7pm

Where: TLC DAYCARE

What: BBQ, hay rides, balloon lady, games, cotton candy, popcorn, and of course cake!!

Cost: \$5.00 per family for the BBQ

\$2.00 for cotton Candy

\$1.00 for popcorn



Please come out and help us celebrate!!





Clothing - 10% off (hats, golf gloves and socks are not included)

Sleeves of balls - \$1.00 off Boxes of balls - \$2.00 off

\$25 per person for 9 holes and $\frac{1}{2}$ cart Tuesday through Friday

Members receive an additional 10% off your purchase

(please request at the time of purchase)

A handful of thanks to everyone in the community for always lending a helping hand to Biker Bob!

Crave & Taste in Birch Hills

Fridays 9:30 - 5:30pm

(or until products sell out) Downtown Birch Hills beside post office.

Winding River Colony fresh eggs, chicken, homemade pies, crafts, jams & other delights.

Brancepeth Fall Supper for Sept 30th at 5pm - 7pm.

