# Birch Mis HEARTBEAT

The 'Birch Hills Heartbeat' newsletter is printed bi-monthly 1st and 15th of the month. It is available at the following locations: Birch Hills Recreation Office, Lake Country Co-op, Grumpy's Confectionary, Quayle's Pharmacy, and other businesses downtown. Pick up your free copy and share with a friend. Send your email address and request to be added to newsletter emailing list to birchhillsrec@sasktel.net

#### November 15th, 2021

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### Issue 270

SUBSTITUTE LIBRARIAN	November issues of this Birch Hills activity newsletter are sponsored by:	
POSITION AVAILABLE		
The Birch Hills Library Board is currently looking for an individual interested in working in a casual capacity at our li- brary. Hours will vary. Computer litera-	BIRCH HILLS CURLING CLUB BIRCH HILLS BREWERS BIRCH HILLS BLACKHAWKS	
cy skills are necessary. Must be fully vac- cinated.	If you would like to be a sponsor of the 'Heartbeat'newsletter, contact 306-749-7451/ birchhillsrec@sasktel.net. The cost is \$100 by 3 sponsors (\$300/month) for printing, advertising	
Please submit your resumes in one of these three ways by <b>Tuesday, November</b>	and ensuring that the newsletter stays free for everyone.	
16:	DARTS ARE BACK	
In person at 126 McCallum Avenue, electronically at bircirc@wapitilibrary or via mail to Box 396, Birch Hills, Sask. SOJ 0G0	EVERY MONDAY STARTING NOVEMBER 22, 7PM AT ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION Open to Legion members and guests. PROOF OF DOUBLE-VACINATION REQUIRED	
The Library is having a book, game and puz- zle sale at the Birch Hills Library (in the hall-	LADIES ARE WELCOME – We have female players	
way) from Mon, Nov 15 at 1:00 pm to Friday, Nov 19 at 1:00 pm. Come out and support	In addition to darts, we now have a refur- bished snooker table.	
your local library.	Don't know how to throw darts or use a pool cue – DON'T WORRY – We give free lessons.	
National Day of the Child Nov 20. Please wear dark plue ribbon or dark blue clothing to support children's	COME AND JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF FUN EVERY MONDAY	

# November Heartbeat Sponsors

#### **Birch Hills Blackhawks**

The Birch Hills Blackhawks will be playing in the Twin Rivers Hockey League for the 2021-22 season. Teams include: Allan, Birch Hills, Clavet, Cudworth, Dalmeny, Hague, Rosthern, Shellbrook, Waldheim, and Warman.

We are seeking volunteers to assist with working at the door, in the timekeepers/penalty box, beverage garden and selling 50/50s. Please contact Jamie @ 306-980-8687 or email blackhawkssrhockey@gmail.com

COVID-19 PROOF OF DOUBLE VACCINATION (14 OR MORE DAYS SINCE 2<sup>ND</sup> SHOT) OR A NEGATIVE COVID TEST IS REQUIRED TO ATTEND.

PROPERLY WORN MASKS MUST BE WORN TO ENTER THE ARENA AND WHILE WATCHING THE GAME. (Bandanas or gaiter masks are not appropriate face coverings as they are ineffective at blocking respiratory droplets.)

STAY HOME IF YOU ARE FEELING ILL, HAVE BEEN EXPOSED TO COVID-19 OR ARE AWAITING TEST RESULTS FOR COVID-19. Adherence to all COVID-19 protocols is required to ensure our players, guests, staff and volunteers remain healthy. Thank you for your cooperation.

Day	Game Date	Away Team	Home Team	Location	Game Time
Saturday	11/06/2021	Allan Flames	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:00 PM
Sunday	11/07/2021	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Cudworth Tricky Maroons	Cudworth Arena	3:30 PM
Friday	11/12/2021	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Dalmeny Sabres	Dalmeny Arena	8:30 PM
Saturday	11/13/2021	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Clavet Cougars	Clavet Arena	8:30 PM
Friday	11/19/2021	Hague Royals	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:30 PM
Saturday	11/20/2021	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Waldheim Warriors	Waldheim Arena	8:30 PM
Friday	11/26/2021	Cudworth Tricky Maroons	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:30 PM
Sunday	12/05/2021	Dalmeny Sabres	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	3:00 PM
Friday	12/10/2021	Warman Wildcats	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:30 PM
Saturday	12/18/2021	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Warman Wildcats	Diamond Arena	8:15 PM
Friday	01/07/2022	Clavet Cougars	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:30 PM
Friday	01/14/2022	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Shellbrook Silvertips	Shellbrook Arena	8:30 PM
Saturday	01/15/2022	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Allan Flames	Allan Arena	8:00 PM
Saturday	01/22/2022	Shellbrook Silvertips	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:00 PM
Sunday	01/23/2022	Waldheim Warriors	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	2:30 PM
Friday	01/28/2022	Rosthern Wheatkings	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hesje Centre	8:30 PM
Saturday	01/29/2022	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Rosthern Wheatkings	Rosthern Arena	8:30 PM
Friday	02/04/2022	Birch Hills Blackhawks	Hague Royals	Hague Arena	8:30 PM

#### THE ICE IS READY!!!!

Everyone interested in curling in the 2 Man League please attend the curling rink Wednesday November 17th at 7:00 to get your name on the draw list and finish our registration. We will be ready to throw rocks Everyone Interested in Curling in the four-man Super League please attend the curling rink Thursday, November 18th at 7:00 to get your name on the draw list and finish our registration we will be ready to throw rocks. Proof of vaccination required.

Thank you to all of those who contributed to our amazing ice surface. We appreciate every single person who contributed their time to make it possible for us to have another curling season

### **Birch Hills Brewers**

Tickets are still available for Gord Bamford concert December 11, 2021 at the Birch Hills Civic Centre. Tickets are available online @

https://www.showpass.com/kcita-birchhills/

### St. Mary's Anglican Church, 279 McCallum Ave- $^{\langle}$ nue, Birch Hills, SK

Please wear a mask to church, sanitize and practice social distancing!

All events at **St. Mary's, Birch Hills** unless otherwise indicated:

Sunday, November 21st 11AM – **Sunday Next Before Advent** (coffee to follow)

Sunday, November 28<sup>th</sup> 11AM – **First Sunday in Advent; Baptism** (anyone wishing to be baptized contact Father Jordan at jordan\_draper@hotmail.com; coffee to follow)

Saturday, December 4<sup>th</sup> 2PM-4PM – **ACW Cookie Walk** (No tea due to Covid)

**Sunday School** at 11AM – contact Karen Pratt @ 306-749-7240 for more information.

Weekday Morning Prayer is at 8AM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday in person at St. Mary's or over Zoom https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88566261667? pwd=VFo0VU9DSERWWFFiV2YxcmpIVFZBQT09 Or by telephone: +1 204 272 7920; Meeting ID: 885 6626 1667 Passcode: 499814 Weekday Evening Prayer is at 5PM Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday in person at St. Mary's or over Zoom https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81759855488? pwd=S0U5V21mRUhgbWhZa0R3aW1tMTB2QT09 Or by telephone: +1 204 272 7920; Meeting ID: 817 5985 5488 Passcode: 726370 Reach Out. Jan and Stan Bliss are coordinating an effort to supply homeless and needy folks in Prince Albert with donated clothing from Birch Hills. Anyone who has clothing donations can leave them outside St Mary's Church, or leave them inside the door if you have a key. They will be taken to an organization in Prince Albert which serves the homeless called Reach Out. Contact Fr Jordan to make arrangements for Holy Communion at home.

Private Confession is by appointment. Contact Fr Jordan. Reach Fr Jordan by phone: (306) 749-2229 or email: jordan\_draper@hotmail.com

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### Birch Hills Public Library Report

The Library is now fully opened. Stop by to see what we have to offer.

> Open Tues: 11-5 and 6-8; Thurs 1 - 7 Fridays 9 -1.

### We are now fully open however masks are required.

Tony's Pick: Half Broke Horses by Jeannette Walls -

Half Broke Horses depicts the life of the author's grandmother, Lily Casey, (born 1901) during the first half of the twentieth century.

As a historical novel, it also follows changes of technology and society during that time. It shows the enticements and disappointments of city life for rural people.

Perhaps Lily's most notable accomplishment, at the age of fifteen, was a 500 mile trek on her horse, Patches, to her first teaching position in Arizona. The narrative of her story begins with a plain language describing Lily's childhood years on the ranch and then progresses toward a more contemptuous and coarse speech characteristic of the later part of the century.

It may be questionable whether Lily, as a young girl, would refer to her school superintendent as `Fish Face` when he did his best to find temporary teaching positions for her. The course language may be reflective of the author`s time.

Join us for Story Time on Fridays at 10:00 am. All ages welcome.

We're running a program, Book and/or Author recommended by patrons. Contact the library at (306)749-3281 to make your pick

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We have Grab and Go books. It's a selection

of common themed books that patrons can

pick up without having to search for them.

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Watch our Facebook Group for upcoming events.

Join us for a story and craft every Tuesday after school.

We are now open an extra hour on Thursdays! From 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm

### Blackhawks vs. Hague



Proof of COVID-19 Double Vaccination (14 or more days since 2<sup>nd</sup> shot) or a negative COVID\_19 test required to attend

Properly Worn Masks are required (Bandanas or gaiter masks are not appropriate face coverings)



Time | 8:30pm Beverage Garden, Canteen & 50/50 Available

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**Birch Hills Community Tradeshow** Saturday November 20th, 10:00 am -2:00pm

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2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Birch Hills

**Birch Hills Civic Centre** 

Lunch Counter available

Masks must be worn, and proof of vaccination must be provided at the door.

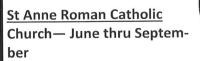
#### RECYCLE

Please Share your Newsletter with a friend. Send request to birchhillsrec@sasktel.net to receive the news letter online.



#### **CHURCH SERVICES:**

Glad Tidings Tabernacle -Sunday services at 11:00 am.





7:00 PM on Saturday

**Christ Alone Lutheran Brethren Church** 

(Formerly called Birch Hills Community Church)

Sunday Service 11:00 am

Corner and 4th of Bellamy

Bible Study Thursday Evenings 7:30 pm

Saron Lutheran Church

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Sunday Service 9:20 am

Lake Park Baptist Church

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Sunday Prayer Time: 8:30-9:30 AM

Morning Cafe 9:30 AM

Sunday School for All Ages 10:00 AM

Sunday Morning Service: 11:00 AM

Tuesday Evening: Club DJ: 6:45-8:15 PM

Youth Bible Study: 7:00 PM

- Live Streaming will occur during the Sunday Morning Service and later uploaded to Youtube for viewing. visit our website @ www.lakepark.ca

If anyone is interested in starting a Pickleball club or Tennis club in Birch Hills please contact me at birchhillsrec@sasktel.net or by phone at 306-749-7451 or stop in at the rec office and see me.

Shop from home and shop local – contact birchhillsrec@sasktel.net or 306-749-7451 for the perfect gift for the golfer in your life – gift certificates, memberships and passes are available.

For the 2022 season, we are offering half-price memberships (\$300) for new adult members (haven't been a member in the previous 5 seasons 2017-2021)

Golf Canada / Golf Sask membership not included; Installment payments are not available for this offer



# **Crystal Springs Rec Co-op** COME TO BINGO!!

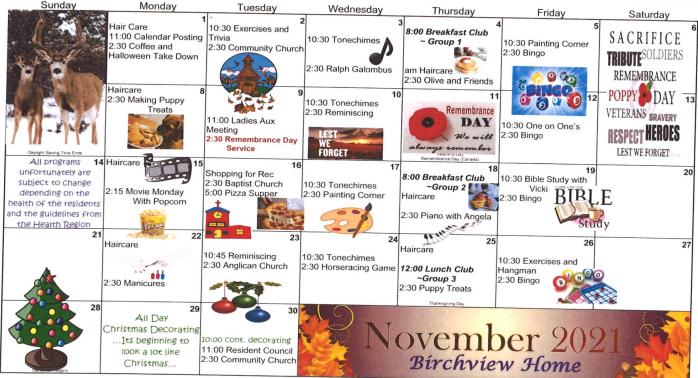


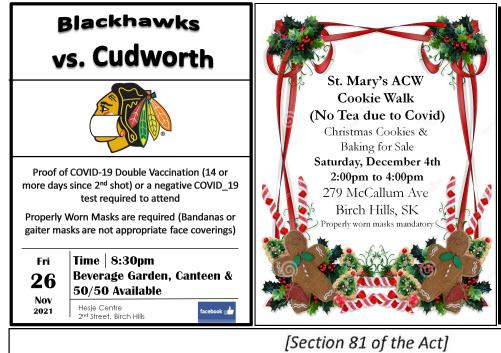
Lucky 7 - \$127 in 28#'s Bonanza - \$100 in 50#'s Jackpot - \$300 in 52#'s Every Tuesday Crystal Springs Hall Doors open @ 6:30 Bingo starts @ 7:15 pm

50/50 Draw ~ Free Coffee & Treats Queen/King for the Night Weekly Door Prize ~ Monthly Loyalty Draw

# **November Birchview Calendar**

NEW





The Birch Hills Lions club is looking to get started back up and running after being forced to put activities on hold due to COVID. The Lions Club have held fundraisers and have been instrumental in the development of the community recreation facilities. If you are interested in joining, rejoining or attending a meeting contact Al Harper @ 306-749-3252.

#### **NOTICE OF POLL** PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that: A poll has been granted for the election of:

Mayor: Town of Birch Hills

**Councillor:** Town of Birch Hills Number to be elected: 1

> Voting will take place on Wednesday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021, from 9:00 am to 8:00 pm at the following polling places:

Polling Area No.	Polling Place	Address
1	Birch Hills Civic Centre	126 McCallum Avenue
2	Birch Hills Civic Centre	126 McCallum Avenue

I will declare the result of the election at 126 McCallum Avenue (Town Office) on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021, at the hour of 11:00 am.

Polling Place Birch Hills Civic Centre Address 126 McCallum Avenue

Dated at Birch Hills, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2021 Nola Nevland, Returning Officer