



Colonsay's:

January 2019 Newsletter



- Dec. 20 – Colonsay School Christmas Concert, 7:00 p.m. in the school gym. Everyone is welcome. Extra note: We will have a book exchange at the Christmas concert at the school. Bring a book, take a book. Everyone welcome to participate.
- Dec. 22-24 – Public Skating 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Dec. 23 – St. John's Lutheran Church will be having a Christmas Service at 5:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.
- Dec. 25 – **Merry Christmas!**
- Dec. 27-31 – Public Skating 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Jan. 2 – Colonsay Fire Practice at 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 2, 3, 4 – Public Skating 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- Jan. 5 – Minor Hockey Day- Colonsay Sports Centre at 1:00 p.m.
- Jan. 5 – ViCo Initiation vs. Clavet at 9:30 a.m. for Colonsay Minor Sports Day.
- Jan. 6 – ViCo Atoms hockey game vs. Southey at the Viscount Rink starting at 1:30 p.m.
- Jan. 8 – Community adult badminton 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Colonsay School Gym. No charge. See "Notices" for details.
- Jan. 9 – 5:30 p.m. potluck supper at Seniors Centre. Meeting and whist to follow. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Jan. 9 – VICO Initiation home game vs. Watrous at 5:15 p.m.
- Jan. 12 – ViCo Atoms hockey game vs. Wadena at the Viscount Rink starting at 1:30 p.m.
- Jan. 12 – The Colonsay Grad Class is holding a bottle drive, starting at 11:00 a.m.
- Jan. 13 – ViCo Atoms hockey game vs. Strasbourg at the Viscount Rink starting at 2:30 p.m.
- Jan. 15 – Community adult badminton 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Colonsay School Gym. No charge.
- Jan. 16 – 7:30 p.m. Big Two at the Colonsay Seniors' Centre. Come and learn how to play. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Jan. 16 – Colonsay Fire Practice at 7:30 p.m.
- Jan. 18 – Colonsay Lion's Texas Hold 'em Poker Tournament at the Colonsay Hall. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. play starts at 7:30 p.m. Hope to see you there!
- Jan. 19 – VICO Initiation Home Tournament at 9:30 a.m. Come down to the rink and support your local team!
- Jan. 22 – Community adult badminton 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Colonsay School Gym. No charge.
- Jan. 23 – 7:30 p.m. Kaiser at Colonsay Seniors' Centre. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Jan. 26 – Colonsay Swimming Pool is hosting a Christmas tree bonfire fundraiser! See "Notices" for all the details!
- Jan. 29 – ViCo Atoms hockey game vs. Nokomis at the Viscount Rink starting at 5:30 p.m.
- Jan. 29 – Community adult badminton 7:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Colonsay School Gym. No charge.
- Jan. 30 – 7:30 p.m. Cribbage at Colonsay Seniors' Centre. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Feb. 2 – Colonsay Lions' 5th Annual Ice Fishing Tournament. Early registration Jan. 16th at 7:00 p.m. at Jodee's Esthetics & Boutique and Jan. 18th at the poker tournament at the Community Hall. Come out for a great day of fishing and win some fantastic prizes!
- Feb. 15 – Colonsay Lion's Texas Hold 'em Poker Tournament at the Colonsay Hall. Doors open at 7:00 p.m. play starts at 7:30 p.m. Hope to see you there!

Please note the next Colonsay newsletter deadline will be
JANUARY 25, 2019

Please contact **Sandy Veldhoen – 255-9996**

OR Fax the Town Office – 255-2291

OR e-mail to sandyhdixon@hotmail.com

OR you may drop off items at the R.M./Town Office.

Colonsay website: www.colonsay.ca

Controlled burns please contact: Control burn line – **1-866-404-4911**

Taking place at the Colonsay Hall ~ phone toll free 1-877-817-9336
Public Health Nurse – Jodi Johnson**

Crystal Frayne is now in charge of bookings for
the Colonsay Community Hall.

Please call 306-269-7221 or email crystalnordick@gmail.com

Colonsay Community Catering

For Meals: Contact person – Tracy Fitzsimmons at 1-306-255-2751

For Funerals: Contact person – Michelle Brochu at 1-306-255-2764

AA: Monday 8:00 p.m. at St Mary's Church

Colonsay Transfer Station Hours: Wednesdays 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. AND Saturdays 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

CHURCH TIMES

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Jan. 1 – 10:00 a.m.
Jan. 5 – 7:00 p.m.
Jan. 13 – 9:00 a.m.
Jan. 20 – 11:00 a.m. Jan. 26 – 7:00 p.m.

Colonsay United Church – 11:00 a.m.

**For rental of the Colonsay United Church basement, please contact either Gail (255-2793) or Berle (255-2280).

WHEATLAND LIBRARY NEWS

Library Hours: Monday: 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. NOTE: At www.wheatland.sk.ca you can check your library account, order books and much more.
Tuesday: 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
Friday: 1:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Story Hour: December 4

9:30 a.m. All 3- and 4-yr-old children invited

Christmas Hours: Open an extra day before Christmas – Thursday, Dec. 20th 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

CLOSED: Dec. 22nd to Jan. 3rd. Reopens – Friday, Jan. 4th Regular Hours

**WINNERS OF THE 2018 Pic-a-Prizes Congratulations to all the winners from our pic-a-prize fundraiser! We had many donations and extremely thankful for that! It seemed to be go over very well!

1. Minions Art & Activity Set – Heather Garman
2. Scrabble Mug & Crossword Searches – Sylvia Richards
3. Pink Hope Bangle & Earrings – Merna Gordon
4. Three Candle Holders – Aiva Brochu
5. Embrace the Day Coloring Book – Jodi Breckner-Schmidt
6. Capucine Paris Scarf – Sandra Rourke
7. Tupperware Lunch Kit Set – Iris Frederickson
8. Wolf Plaque Plate – Evelyn Selby
9. 2 Boxes of PartyLite Tealights – Jodi Breckner-Schmidt
10. 300 g Lindt Swiss Choc (raisin/hazelnut) – Faith Vogelgesang
11. Pamper yourself gift bag – including books, tealights, etc. – Darlene Carruthers
12. Nancy Mehl trilogy (Inescapable, Unbreakable, Unforeseeable) – Jim Richards
13. Mini Curved Stick Set – Adele Servetnyk
14. Angel Globe LED – Tony Walliser
15. John Deere Mug – Eric Sander
16. Marble Run Game – Peggy Shier
17. Wine is to Women... Plaque – Tony Walliser
18. Wall Clock – Garry Misiurski
19. 2 Best of Canada Puzzles – Kathy Butler
20. 8-Piece Wine Glasses- Florence Halvorson
21. Jungle Jamboree – Ray Thomas
22. I'm Sexy & I Snow It Plaque – Merna Gordon
23. \$25 Gift Card – Indigo – Ray Thomas
24. Bath Bombs – Becca Brochu
25. Make-up Set, Necklace, Case File – Sandra Rourke

****USED BOOK SALE ON NOW**

DURING OPEN HOURS & throughout January**

THANK YOU NOTES:

*****The Colonsay School would like to send a big thank you to Mooney's Agencies Colonsay for their generous donation to our Christmas concert. Very much appreciated!

*****On Tuesday, December 4th, the Grade 2 and 3 students of Colonsay School visited the Colonsay Seniors' Centre. During our visit, the students had the opportunity to converse with some of Colonsay's most knowledgeable residents to learn some very valuable information about the history of our community. Thank you to Warren Cooper, Emma Yausie, Evelyn Selby, and Shirley Fitzsimmons for your patience and kindness, and for sharing your stories with us. We would like to extend a special thank you to Shirley for helping us organize this wonderful morning!

NOTICES:

*****Town Council would like to remind its residents of the bylaw regarding dog ownership. ANNUAL dog licensing of dogs is required in January of each year. Rates are: Spayed or Neutered \$5/year, Non-neutered or non-spayed \$15/year and restricted breeds \$25/year. Dogs are prohibited from running at large or barking excessively. Please ensure all dog feces is collected and disposed of when walking your dog. Also a reminder to regularly clean up dog feces from your property as this may pose a health risk and nuisance to you and your neighbours. If you have any questions, please contact the Town Office at 306-255-2313. Thank you for being a responsible pet owner.

*****On January 26, 2018 Colonsay Swimming Pool is hosting a Christmas tree bonfire fundraiser! We will come pick up your tree for \$10 or you can drop it off for free. We will also be serving hotdogs and hot chocolate. Call Candice with your questions or to schedule tree pick up at 306-241-0059. Watch our FaceBook page for updates!

*******Come play badminton.** Every Tuesday evening the school gym will be open for adults to drop by and play Jan 8 – March 26. All skill levels welcome. There will be others there to match your ability. Bring your own racquet or use one from the school.

We will open the gym doors at 7:15 p.m. and would appreciate help setting up nets before 7:30. There is no charge, however I am suggesting a donation of \$1/person per evening, to purchase birdies and donate all excess to the school. If there is not enough adult attendance through January, I propose welcoming teenagers in February.

*****League Curling at Meacham. Fees are \$25 per player. Dates are tentatively set for Thursday and Friday evenings, starting early to mid-January. The league will run for six weeks. Please send all inquiries and interest to meachamrecboard@gmail.com.