



Colonsay's:

# December 2019 Newsletter



- Dec. 4 – 5:30 p.m. potluck supper at Seniors Centre. Meeting and whist to follow. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Dec. 4 – Colonsay Fire Practice at 7:30 p.m.
- Dec. 5 – Bingo at the Colonsay Community Hall. Watch for posters
- Dec. 7 – Community Trade Show, 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Colonsay Community Hall. Watch for posters.
- Dec. 8 – Meacham Historic & Cultural Society sponsors the Santa Claus Breakfast from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Meacham Community Hall. (Christmas Display in cabinets.) Adults - \$8, Under 12 - \$5, Preschool – free. (includes beverage)
- Dec. 9 – Bantam Lanigan/ViCos vs. Humboldt at 8:00 p.m. at the Colonsay Rec. Centre.
- Dec. 11 – 7:30 p.m. Big Two at the Colonsay Seniors' Centre. Come and learn how to play. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Dec. 14 – Colonsay Lions Santa's Breakfast, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Colonsay Community Hall. Adults \$8, Children over 6 - \$5. Under 5 are free.
- Dec. 16 – Please come join us at the Colonsay Wheatland Library at 7:00 p.m. There will be Christmas music performed by Paul & Suzanne Smart! Everyone welcome!
- Dec. 18 – 7:30 p.m. Kaiser at Colonsay Seniors' Centre. Everyone over 50 is welcome.
- Dec. 18 – Colonsay Fire Practice at 7:30 p.m.
- Dec. 19 – Colonsay School Christmas Concert, 7:00 p.m. in the Colonsay School Gym. Everyone is welcome.
- Dec. 25 – MERRY CHRISTMAS to all!
- Jan. 18 – Texas Hold 'em Poker Tournament, Colonsay Community Hall. Registration at 7:00 p.m. Play starts at 7:30 p.m. Watch for posters.

Please note the next Colonsay newsletter EARLY deadline will be

\*\*\*\*\***DECEMBER 15, 2019**\*\*\*\*\*

Please contact Sandy Veldhoen – 255-9996

OR Fax the Town Office – 255-2291

OR e-mail to [sandyhdixon@hotmail.com](mailto:sandyhdixon@hotmail.com)

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

Colonsay website: [www.colonsay.ca](http://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](mailto: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

- Dec. 1 – 11:00 a.m.
- Dec. 7 – 7:00 p.m.
- Dec. 15 – 9:00 a.m.
- Dec. 20 – 7:00 p.m. Advent Retreat
- Dec. 22 – 11:00 a.m.
- Dec. 25 – 10:00 a.m.
- Dec. 28 – 7:00 p.m.
- Jan. 5 – 9:00 a.m.

#### Colonsay United Church – 11:00 a.m.

- \*\*This winter if the temperature on Sunday a.m. at 8:00 a.m. is -30C or colder, there will be no church service that morning.
- \*\*For rental of the Colonsay United Church basement, please contact either: Gail (255-2793) or Berle (255-2280).

### WHEATLAND LIBRARY NEWS

Library Hours: **Monday: 5:30** – 8:30 p.m. *NOTE: At [www.wheatland.sk.ca](http://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 3rd

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

\*\*Used Book Sale is now up - Bag of books - \$5 or leave a donation. Many to choose from!

\*\*Christmas Hours: Open: Regular hours Dec. 16 – 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., Dec. 17th – 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Make up dates: Dec. 18th & 19th from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., Reg. hours Dec. 20th – 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

\*\*Christmas Week: Open Monday, Dec. 23rd, Closed Tuesday, Dec. 24th, Wed., Dec. 25th, Thurs., Dec. 26th and Friday, Dec. 27th. Open Dec. 30th and 31st regular hours.

## MORE LIBRARY NEWS:

\*\*\* Congratulations to the following winners for the Colonsay Wheatland Library's 2019 Grey Cup Pool: 1st quarter (8-3) for \$100: Terrilynn Pauls; 2nd quarter (21-6) for \$200: Brad Procyshyn; 3rd quarter (27-12) for \$300: Jocelyn Palm; 4th quarter (33-12) for \$400: Adam Auger. Congratulations to you all!! Everyone's support was amazing!!!

## THANK YOU NOTES:

\*\*\*\*\*Colonsay Swimming Pool would like to thank everyone that has supported our fundraising efforts by purchasing gift cards. We would also like to remind you that the final order deadline is December 2<sup>nd</sup>. Guaranteed Christmas delivery. Forms available from the town office or committee members: Candice Ens, Ivy Doner, Lauren Durant or Peggy Shier.

## NOTICES:

\*\*\*\*\*Colonsay's St. Mary's Church will be no longer doing the Community Calendar. If your group is interested in continuing the Community Calendar, please contact Bruce Reinbold at (306) 255-2034. There will be no community calendar for 2020.

\*\*\*\*\*The Community Hall Committee will be doing another fundraiser in December. Watch for posters on a bingo – December 5<sup>th</sup> and Community Trade Show – December 7<sup>th</sup>. See you all there!

\*\*\*\*\*Colonsay Swimming Pool Committee is excited to share our gift card fundraiser with you! Purchase gift cards for gifts or for everyday use from numerous retailers including Amazon, Best Buy, Walmart, Starbucks and many, many more. Order forms available from the town office OR Candice Ens, Ivy Doner, Lauren Durant or Peggy Shier.

\*\*\*\*\*Help support the Colonsay Grade 12 Graduating Class of 2020! Bottles, cans, and plastic milk jugs drive fundraiser, Sat., January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2020, 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Contact Lyle and/or Cole Schmidt (306) 255-7441 to have pick-up on another date.

\*\*\*\*\*Colts at Play Fundraising Committee had been selling tickets for our Vacation of the Month raffle to help raise money for a new playground structure. Tickets are \$125 each. The monthly raffle will start on January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Tickets can be purchased at Colonsay School, Colonsay Town Office, Affinity Credit Union, Jodee's Esthetics and Boutique, and Cranch's Garage. For more information, please contact Kathy Butler at (306) 255-7464 or Peggy Shier at (639) 470-1952. In addition, the Colonsay Lions are continuing to match any donations, up to \$4000, made to the Colonsay Playground Fund at the Affinity Credit Union. Thank you for your support!

\*\*\*\*\*Colonsay Lions will be holding their 6th Annual Ice Fishing Derby on February 15, 2020. There will be an Early Bird Registration of \$40 for the 1st hole and \$10 for the 2nd hole. After January 31st it will be \$50 for the 1st hole and \$10 for the 2nd hole. Fishing is from 11:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Zelma Reservoir. 60% cash pay out to the largest 3 fish caught. 1st - 30%, 2nd - 20%, 3rd - 10%. Watch for Posters and our Facebook Page for more information.

\*\*\*\*\*Volunteers needed in The Booth for the following hockey tournament dates: Tournaments 2019-20

Fri., Dec. 6	Jan. 11	Sat., Feb. 1
Sat., Dec. 7	Jan. 12	Feb. 2
Sun., Dec. 8	Jan. 18	Sat., Feb. 8
Sat., Dec. 14	Jan. 19	Sun., Feb. 9
Sat., Jan. 4	Sat., Jan. 25	Feb. 29
Sun., Jan. 5	Sun., Jan. 26	

If you are able to help, please contact Candice Ens at 306-241-0059

### Public skating:

Nov. 30, Dec. 1: 1-5	Dec. 16 to 18: 3 - 5
Dec. 2 to 4: 3-5	Dec. 20; 3 - 6
Dec. 9 to 11: 3-5	Dec. 21 to 24: 1 - 5
Dec. 13: 3 - 5:30	Dec. 26 to 31: 1 - 5