

# TOWN OF PREECEVILLE



## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS:

**NOW OPEN!! – PREECEVILLE SKATING ARENA AND THE CAP SITE!!**  
**CHRISTMAS AUCTION – November 30**    **CRAFT AND BAKE SALE – December 5**  
**LATE NIGHT SHOPPING – December 4, 11 & 18**  
**ALL MERCHANTS SUPPER – December 12**  
**SANTA DAY – December 19**

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## community Events

### 27<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL XMAS CRAFT/BAKE SALE

Come out and indulge in homemade crafts and baking at the 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Craft and Bake Sale on December 5<sup>th</sup> at the Preeceville Legion Hall. The doors will be open from 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. If you are interested in booking a table, please call Patty @ 547-2295. All proceeds will go to the School Gymnasium Fund.

### GREAT PUMPKIN CONTEST WINNERS

On September 26<sup>th</sup>, many locals came out to show off their prize vegetables. Our first and second place winners in each category were as follows. In the Onion category; Randy Lynn @ 1.28 kg and Harvey Wolowski @ 0.998 kg. Zucchini category; Jakob and Riely Turchinetz @ 11.5 lbs and Carter Scheller @ 10.3 lbs. In the Cabbage category; Susan Serhan @ 25.6 lbs Myrna Scebinski @ 25.2 lbs. The 1<sup>st</sup> place Potato winner was Bernie Nordin @ 1.79 kg, and in 2<sup>nd</sup> was Joyce Hydamaka @ 1.42 kg. And in the Pumpkin category; Jakob and Riely Turchinetz @ 85.2 lbs and Carter Scheller 63 lbs. Congratulations to all of our winners and thank you to all who participated!

### ARENA IS NOW OPEN!!

The Preeceville Arena is now open!! Watch the community signs at the end of Main Street for updates on the Senior Pats home games! General skating is also open for the year. Every Saturday and Sunday from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm you can come out and enjoy some ice time with your friends for only \$2.00 per person. If Shinny is more your interest, then come down to the arena between 2:00 pm and 3:00 pm for general shinny. There will also be public skating every Thursday and Friday at noon. As with any other year, general skating is subject to game bookings. Holiday General Skating will be held December 23, 2009 and from December 27 to 30, 2009 as well as January 2 and 3, 2010. Holiday General Skating will be held from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. and General Shinny will be held from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. All costs remain at \$2.00 per person. You can now keep up to date by checking outside the arena on the bulletin board for the schedule and any changes. Can't make it down there? Check on the Town website [www.townofpreeceville.ca](http://www.townofpreeceville.ca) for updates.

### CAP SITE OPENING

Tyrell Schur has been hired as the Preeceville CAP Site Youth Intern. His position is fully funded by the Saskatchewan Community Access Program Youth Initiative. Tyrell is available to train and assist the general public with basic computer and internet usage as well as training sessions. He will be available at the CAP Site, located at the Public Library, Monday to Friday from 3:30 pm – 9:00 pm and Saturday 9:00 am – 12:00 noon and 1:00 pm – 5:30 p.m. If you are interested in taking a class or arranging a one-on-one lesson with Tyrell, you may call 547-3444 or stop in during regular CAP Site hours. You can also email Tyrell at [tschurpreecevilleCAP@hotmail.com](mailto:tschurpreecevilleCAP@hotmail.com) for more information on the CAP Site and the different opportunities it offers.

### ALL MERCHANTS SUPPER

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Community Business Christmas Party, sponsored by Preeceville and District Board of Trade will be held Saturday, December 12<sup>th</sup> at the Preeceville Legion Hall. The Dinner Theatre will begin at 7:00 pm with entertainment provided by the Paper Bag Players of Yorkton. For more information on how to get your invitation call Kerri-547-3285 and watch for advertisements around town.

### HOSPITAL AUXILIARY CHRISTMAS AUCTION

The Preeceville Hospital Auxiliary will be holding a Christmas Auction Sale on November 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 p.m. at Club 60. Items include crafts, knitting, baking, sewing and much more, as well as a door prize. If you are interested and would like more information call Grace Predy at 547-2854.

### SANTA DAY

Santa will be in town in the afternoon on December 19<sup>th</sup>!! Come and meet Santa down at the skating arena and make sure you tell him what your wish is for Christmas this year! For only \$1.00 you can even get a picture with him to show all of your friends! Come out on the 19<sup>th</sup> for a visit with Santa ice activities, hot chocolate and hot dogs throughout the afternoon. Watch for posters or call Dana @ 547-2810 for times.

### CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS STORE

Plans are underway for the 5<sup>th</sup> year of the Children's Christmas Store, which will be held on December 17<sup>th</sup> this year. Here children will be able to buy their mom and dad a gift from the heart for only \$2.00 each. Donations are greatly needed this year in order for the event to go forth. All donations can be dropped off at the Preeceville School Office and will be picked up December 12<sup>th</sup>. Proceeds from the Children's Christmas Store will go to educational programs for the Preeceville Elementary classes. If you have any questions about the store or making a donation, you can call Linda Shewchuk at 547-2021.

### PREECEVILLE HOSPITAL FARM & LEISURE LOTTO

The Early Bird Draw for the Preeceville Farm and Leisure Lotto was made on October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2009 at Octoberfest. The *Early Bird Winner* was Eugene Schure of Durban, Manitoba, who chose the cash prize of \$10,000.00. The Grand Prize Draw and subsidiary prizes were drawn on November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2009 at the Hospital Fundraising Supper and Cabaret. The *Grand Prize Winner* was the Stein Family of Langenburg. The *\$500.00 Cash Winners* were: Ella Arneson, Corrine Stone and Ashley Ward from Preeceville. Edward Yeroschak and Susan Puritch from Yorkton, Josie Bazin from Melville, Norquay Nasty Girls from Norquay, Irene and Arnold Christopherson from Springside, Dean Olson from Luseland and Vicky Mills and Rose Rahn from Sturgis. The *\$1000.00 Cash Winners* were: Walter Perpeluk of Norquay, Lil Karcha from Preeceville, Leonard and Dan Krepakevich of Canora, Russell and Ellen Kachur of Lanigan and Lainie Andruski from Stenen. Thank you everyone for the support!

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## Town Business

### OFFICE AND SHOP HOLIDAY HOURS

The Town Office and Shop will be closed from 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 24<sup>th</sup> and on Friday, December 25. The office will also be closed on Friday, January 1, 2010. Regular business hours of 8:00 am – 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Monday to Friday will resume accordingly.

### 2009 MUNICIPAL ELECTION RESULTS

On October 28, 2009, Preeceville electors came out to the polls to vote for new Town Council. Congratulations go out to the following returning and new members of council. The Town of Preeceville Council members include; Sheldon Nelson, Johnny Petryshyn, Jim Ward, Brian Yates, Ralph Ager and Derrick Wiwcharuk. Garth Harris was elected Mayor by acclamation.

### OFFICIAL GRAND OPENING CEREMONY

The Official Grand Opening Ceremony of the Preeceville and District Health Centre will be held on November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009 at 1:30 p.m. at the Preeceville and District Health Centre. The Honourable Ken Krawetz, Deputy Premier and The Honourable Don McMorris, Minister of Health will be in attendance. Everyone is welcome to attend. Even though the facility is up and running and we can be proud that our small community has raised and committed approximately \$3.4 million for this project we are not done yet. We still need to raise under \$250,000.00, so your donations are greatly appreciated. To make your tax-deductible donation to help complete this valuable project to our community contact the Town Office.

### ABILITY VAN

The Preeceville Ability Board recently purchased an Ability Van for the Town of Preeceville. This Ability Van is now available for bookings, along with the Ability Bus. The new van is equipped with a wheelchair ramp, and is able to seat two wheelchairs, one passenger and the driver or one wheelchair and four passengers plus the driver. There is a minimum charge of \$10.00 per booking and \$0.42/km for the van. If you wish to book the Ability Bus, the charge is \$0.46/km. To book the Ability Van or Bus call the Town Office at 547-2810.

### GARBAGE PICK UP

With winter approaching, garbage pick up will soon be switching to its winter locations. Watch for notification in the Preeceville Progress newspaper to see when this will be taking place.

### PLASTIC BAG RECYCLING

Plastic bags can now be recycled. Instead of sending your plastic bags to the landfill, collect them and once you have a bag full, place it in any paper recycling blue bin. Please ensure collected bags are bundled and not thrown loosely in the bins. Green and black plastic bags cannot be recycled at this time. Only clear, white and other color plastic bags are accepted.

### FAREWELL TO SEASONAL EMPLOYEE

The Town of Preeceville would like to thank Rodney Daschuk for the time he put in as our Seasonal Shop Labourer this year. Rodney was hired from May until October.

### WATER AND SEWER RATES

Please be reminded that the water and sewer rate increase as set out in Bylaw No. 5, 2005 will take effect January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010. The increase will be reflected on your bill that will be sent out at the beginning of March 2010. The new residential rates will be the following quarterly amounts: Water - \$106.00 for 6,000 gallons or less and \$4.64 per thousand gallons over 6,000 gallons; Sewer - \$29.00. This will be a total basic increase of \$15.00 every three months.

### SNOW REMOVAL AND PARKING

Although there isn't much or any snow on the ground at this time, winter will adorn our yards and streets soon, and as such, we would like to remind you to avoid shovelling or ploughing your snow on to the streets, back alleys and sidewalks. Piling snow on these areas causes extra work for the snow removal crew which delays other streets from getting cleared. Snow piles also become packed and freeze, which may cause snow removal equipment damage. Also, please be reminded that, vehicles are not to be parked on the street for more than a 24 hour period and vehicles are not to be parked so that they are obstructing a sidewalk, as this can also obstruct and reduce snow removal. The public's cooperation regarding snow removal and parking is greatly appreciated.

### BUSINESS LICENSES

The Town of Preeceville would like to remind everyone that in order to conduct business within the Town of Preeceville, any person who is a contractor, home based business operator, petty trade business operator or a transit trader must obtain an annual business license. There are separate rates for business licenses depending on yearly income. Come in to or call the Town Office at 547-2810 for more information on getting your business license this coming year. The Town of Preeceville would also like to remind anyone with current business licences in town that come January 1, 2010, all licenses must be renewed to be valid for the 2010 year.

### LANDFILL HOURS

TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND SATURDAY'S EXCLUDING HOLIDAYS

APRIL 1<sup>ST</sup> – SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>: 10 AM – 8 PM

OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup> – 31<sup>ST</sup>: 10 AM – 6:30 PM

NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup> – MARCH 31<sup>ST</sup>: 10 AM – 5 PM

**DID YOU KNOW:** TWICE A YEAR, THE TOWN OF PREECEVILLE HOLDS A CLEAN UP WEEK WHEN THE GARBAGE TRUCK WILL PICK UP BAGGED LEAVES, GRASS CLIPPING, BUNDLED STICKS, ETC. FREE OF CHARGE. OTHER THAN THESE TWO WEEKS, ONLY HOUSE HOLD GARBAGE IS PICKED UP. THESE TYPES OF YARD DEPRIS ARE STILL ACCEPTED AT THE LANDFIL AND MAY BE DUMPED IN THE COMPOST PILE FREE OF CHARGE.