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A heartfelt thank to: family, friends, and community neighbors for providing my hundredth birthday celebration on June 8th.

A special thank you to those who brought: baking, fruit trays as well as those who worked in the kitchen as volunteers and organized the civic centre. Thank you to the photographer and the bagpiper.

Thanks so much,

Tom Hunter

Birch Hills Thrift Store Specials

Lady's T-Shirt & blouses and Men's T shirts & shirts:
\$2.00 each or 3 for \$ 5.00

Lady's purses: \$ 2.00 each or less

Men's caps: \$0.25 each

Our \$15.00 bag sale continues

These prices in effect from June 15th to July 1st.

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ST MARY'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

UPCOMING EVENTS

Community Lunches:

All community members are welcome to join us for lunch

Next Lunch : September 6

Sunday, June 16th 9:00am -
Trinity Sunday with Rev'd Jordan Draper.



Sunday, June 23rd 9:00am -
Trinity I with Rev'd Jordan Draper.

Sunday, June 30th 9:00am - Trinity II with Rev'd Jordan Draper and Bishop Michael Hawkins.

Birch Hills Public Library

Birch Hills Library hours:

Tues 11-4 5-8
Thurs 9-12 1-6



Birch Hills Cowboy Church

@ Community Centre

1st Sun of each month

Next Service

Sunday, 7:00pm



Featuring Country Gospel Music with

Pastor Rick Martin (981-2235)

Potluck Cookies & Cake to follow

All are Welcome

JUNE 28 - JULY 1, 2019
CELEBRATING the 50th ANNIVERSARY
of **WOODSTOCK***
* Prizes for best Woodstock Costume

HIGHER GROUND
Music & Arts
FESTIVAL

\$60*
WEEKEND PASS
AT THE GATE:
\$75 weekend pass/
\$50 day pass
Under 15 Free when accompanied by an adult

Troy Hudson & Broken Horse | Riff Raff
No Fixed Address | Flashback | Dirty and the Perks
Cold Shot | Clara Lessa Band | Carly Kat
Cadillac Black | Breezin | MORE!

3 miles north of Struthers Lake, SK. Follow the signs.
Bands start at 7pm Friday night - 2pm on Saturday & Sunday
Free camping with admission *Earlybird tickets available until June 1st, 2019
FOR MORE INFO Check Out Higher Ground Music & Arts Festival on Or Call 306-280-0957

www.highergroundfestival.ca

Church Services



St. Mary's Anglican Church @ 9:00am - First Sunday in August switches to 11am

St. Anne Roman Catholic Church @ [Saturday at 7:00pm for June to September.](#)

Community Church @ 11am

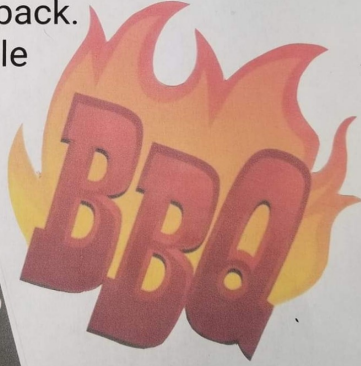
Lake Park Baptist Church @ 11am

Saron Lutheran Church by Hagen @ 9:30am

Glad Tiding s Tabernacle @ 11:00am

St.Louis Rec Board presents....
 1st annual summer BBQ Bingo
 Sunday June 23rd at 2pm
 St.Louis Community Hall
 Just like our turkey bingo but
 this time you can win a variety
 BBQ meat pack.

- *Raffle Table
- *50/50
- *Canteen



← Weldon Garage Sale Day

JUN 22 Weldon Garage Sale Day
 Public · Event · by Brenda Hadland

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🕒 Saturday, June 22, 2019 at 8 AM – 4 PM UTC-05

📍 Community of Weldon and surrounding rurals

About Discussion

Birch Hills Volunteer Fire Department
 Fundraising Calendars \$25 each
 Available from any Volunteer Firefighter
 All proceeds to purchase needed equipment.



EVERY WEEK IN THE HILLS
Open to Community

MONDAYS

Bowling 2:00 pm @ Seniors Hall
Dreamland Optimists Group
Fire Dept Meeting (every 2nd Mon) 7:00 pm @ Fire Hall

TUESDAYS

Ladies Golf @ 9:30
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
Town Council Meetings 2nd and 4th Wed of the month

THURSDAYS

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- Registration 5:30 pm Tee off 6:00 pm
Legion Meeting 2nd Thurs of each month 7:00 pm @ Legion (No meeting in July and August)

FRIDAY

Friday Night Youth at Youth Centre 7:30pm

SATURDAY

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

Senior Centre Contact: Delores Jones 749-2680

Music for Mission

"A Celebration of Gospel Music"
Sunday, June 23/19 2:00-4:00 pm
Kinistino United Church

Admission by donation!
 All Proceeds support the mission and service fund.

WEINER WEDNESDAYS!

Join Us at Skatepark
5:30 - 7:00 pm



COME AND GO!!

Bring Your Hot Dogs/Smokies, Beverages & Lawn Chairs,
And enjoy a relaxing time of visiting around the campfire!



**BASKETBALL
Or Street Hockey
FUN LEAGUE**
Beginners 7 pm
Adults vs.
Teenagers
7:30 pm

Come Show Who's Got Game!!

Birch Hills Seniors Club Raffle

Tickets \$2 ea. or 3 for \$5

1. Wooden Lattice Planter [made and donated by Gordon Braaten]
 2. Wooden Child's Desk with Bench [made and donated by Gordon Braaten]
 3. Log Cabin Quilt with double heart stitching [hand-made and donated by Mabel Epp]
- To be drawn on Threshing Day - Sun. Aug 11, 2019 Lottery Licence # SR18-4196



Upcoming Events

June

- 1 - 16 Participaction Challenge
- 22 - Town vs Country @ Golf Course
- 28-July 1 - Higher Ground Music and Art Festival

July

- 1 - Canada Day
- 6 - Blackhawks Open Golf Tournament
- 13 - Battle of the Hills @ Golf Course
- 20 - Legion Annual Golf Tournament and Steak Supper. Contact Ron Lyons—(306) 749-7460

Birch Hills Community Lutheran Brethren Church Invites you to:

Sunday Morning Worship

11:00am at the corner of 4th and Bel-lamy

Tuesday & Friday Morning Moms and Tots

10:00am - Noon at the Youth Centre \$2 Drop In

Friday Night Youth Age 12 and up

7:30pm at the Youth Centre

Saturday Morning Coffee Row

7:00am - 10:00am at the Youth Centre

June Birch View Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
June 2019						
2	11:00- Bible Study 2:00- Fire pit with Smores	3 11:00- Ladies Auxiliary Meeting 2:30- Community Church	4 10:30- Galloway Farm Trip 2:30- Olive, Mabel, Esther & Richard	5 10:45- Stretcherise 12:30- Army & Navy Outing	6 Renee's EDO 10:30- Helping Hands 2:30- Bingo	7 8
9	11:45- Walking to Birch Tree Café w Youth Vol.!	10 11:30- Grade 4's Farewell BBQ 2:30- Baptists Church (Communion)	11 5:00- Family BBQ w Ralph Duncan & Friends	12 10:30- Helping Hands 2:30- Backyard Games and Ice Cream Cones	13 2:30- Bingo 4:00- Melfort Car Show	14 15
16 <i>Shavuot</i>	Happy Father's Day	17 11:00- Bible Study 2:30- Pentecostal Church 5:30- Baseball Game in Town	18 10:30- Lunch Club BBQ Shrimp & Caesar Salad 2:30- Job Mates (Bday Party)	19 9:30- Waskesiu Trip!	20 1:30- National Indigenous Persons Day in Kinsman Park <i>Summer Begins</i>	21 Hello Summer!
23 2:30- Glad Tidings	24 10:45- Walmart Trip	25 2:30- Catholic Church	26 11:30- Going to the Golf Course	27 2:30- Backyard Party w Ralph Galambos!	28 Renee's EDO 10:30- Helping Hands 2:30- Bingo	29
30						

Contact Renee with your questions & comments @ 306-749-2440 or renee.beaven@saskhealthauthority.ca

Blackhawks Golf Tournament

Open to all current and past Blackhawks players, volunteers sponsors and fans
1st 72 paid accepted

Golf & Supper - \$45 (Carts Extra)
Steak Supper Only - \$25
Mail cheques to Box 783 Birch Hills, SK or e-transfer to blackhawksgolf@gmail.com
Entries accepted until June 26, 2019

Sat 6 July 2019	9 holes Golf 1:00 PM Supper 6:00 PM
Golf - Birch Hills Golf Course Supper - Shores (Bring campers, tents, lawn chairs, coolers, beverages)	

Birch Hills GOLF COURSE

Wine, Dine & Nine June 14	Town vs. Country June 22	Birch Hills Blackhawks July 6	Battle of the Hills July 13
Royal Canadian Legion July 20	Hunter Nelson Memorial August 10	Junior / Senior August 25	Ladies Harvest September 4

Member Championship & Junior Tournament TBD

2 Fore 1 Mondays – 2 golfers, 9 holes, \$22
TGI Fridays – 2 golfers, 9 holes, 1 cart \$50
(excludes statutory holidays)

Ladies Golf - Tuesdays 9:00am
Men's Night Thursdays Registration 5:30pm; Golf 6:00pm
Junior Golf - TBD

Call 306-749-2211 for more information

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)
- * Juice & Milk Boxes and Cartons
- * 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

DONATIONS MAY BE DROPPED OFF AT BACK DOOR OF YOUTH CENTER!

Thanks to everyone who supported our Garage Sale Days Grab'n'Go Breakfast.
Birch Hills Senior Blackhawks

Time Change to Ladies Golf to 9:30.

Thank you all for helping me - Bike Bob

RECYCLE

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

Summer Employment

Summer Student

Town of Birch Hills

The Town of Birch Hills invites applications for the position of a summer student. Applicants must be a student returning to high school in the fall.

POSITION DESCRIPTION

This position will require the applicant to assist the town maintenance crew within the Public Works Department. The expected hours will be a minimum of 30 hours per week with the potential to increase to full time. Applicants must hold a valid class 5 drivers license.

DUTIES & MAINTENANCE

- Assist in grounds-keeping duties including cutting and trimming grass, watering, weeding, and general clean-up duties
- Painting of buildings, curbs, etc.
- Assist in general pothole repair and maintenance

Perform other related duties as assigned

Students that are interested in summer employment with the Town of Birch Hills are asked to submit a detailed resume by 4:00 p.m. June 21, 2019 to:

Town of Birch Hills

126 McCallum Avenue

Box 206

BIRCH HILLS SK S0J 0G0

Fax: 306-749-2545

Email: birchhills.town@sasktel.net

Crystal Springs Rec Co-op

Coffee Row
@ the Hall

July 3rd

2 pm -4 pm

Everyone
Welcome!



Every Tuesday
starts @
7:30 pm

COME CHECK OUT OUR NEW LOOK!

The floors are redone & the exterior is painted! The beautiful rock is compliments of T&C Inscriptions.



Struthers Lake Regional Park AGM : Saturday June 22nd, 2019 @ 10:00 am

Struthers Lake Gazebo

Struthers Lake Regional Park is offering a "School Discount Package".

This package is \$10.00 per student and includes the following:

-Entry into the park

-18 hole mini golf

- Lunch special Hot dog and a drink.

-In the hub of the park we have a spray-park/ waterslide, beach volleyball, beach, concession, and playground equipment to enjoy!

For more information please call 306-864-3240.

It's not too late to book your year-end party!



HELP WANTED

BY: Northern Light Orchards Ltd.,

WHERE: south of Hagen (14 km from Birch Hills SK.)

WHAT: Helping with mechanical haskap berry harvest, transferring fruit to and within cooler, berry processing line, equipment cleanup, mowing and plant trimming to ready orchard for harvest. Training will be provided as required.

WHEN: We expect harvest to begin early in July and be completed within a couple weeks.

YOUR PAY: will be in the range of \$13-\$15 per hour, depending on demonstrated abilities to complete tasks efficiently and well.

EMAIL: northernlight@sasktel.net

PHONE: 306-749-3216 or cell 306-749-7782 or text 749-7040

Adult Slow Pitch

July and August 2019 Tuesdays at 7:00 pm

Registration deadline is June 17th

\$300/ team registration

If you have a team or you would like to be on a team contact the Rec Office. Out of town teams /players welcome to join in!



Struthers Lake Regional Park
306-864-3240

CAZEBO RENTALS

Weddings - Birthdays
Anniversaries

MAY LONG TO SEPT LONG

**SPRAY PARK
ATV TRAILS
GEO CACHING
WATERSLIDE
CAMPING
CONCESSION
ON SITE**

FISHING BOATING

strutherslakerp@gmail.com

STRUTHERS LAKE WILDLIFE ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

PROCEEDS GO TO THE STRUTHERS LAKE REGIONAL PARK

REEL IN A SUMMER OF FUN FISHING CONTEST!

HOW TO PLAY:

1. REGISTER IN YOUTH OR ADULT CATEGORY AND PAY THE ENTRY FEE, THEN GO FISH!! (A VALID FISHING LICENSE MUST BE PRESENTED AT TIME OF REGISTRATION IF OVER 16 YEARS OF AGE)
2. BRING YOUR CATCH TO THE FRONT GATE FOR OFFICIAL WEIGHING AND RECORDING! (ALL PROVINCIAL FISHING REGULATIONS APPLY)

PRIZES!

LARGEST FISH WINS:
ADULT (16+): 50% OF ADULT POOL & A FILLETING KNIFE
YOUTH (15 & under): 50% OF THE YOUTH POOL & FISHING ROD & REEL
KIDS GET A FREE HOOK AT ENTRY!

REGISTER WITH THE STRUTHERS LAKE REGIONAL PARK AT THE FRONT GATE (REGULAR PARK ENTRY FEES APPLY)

ONE TIME ENTRY FEE OF ONLY \$5.00 ALLOWS YOU TO ENTER AS MANY FISH AS YOU LIKE!!!

CONTEST ENDS AUGUST 24TH, 2019
CONTACT JOAN LANDER WITH ANY QUESTIONS (306.749.2616)

STRUTHERS LAKE CONCESSION

Catering services offered

Offering a great selection of favorite lake treats, at a great price!

ICE \$3.00

May 16th - June 20th
Mon-Thurs 10am-7pm
Fri-Sun 9am-9pm

June 21st- Sept 3rd
Open 7 days a week
8am-10pm

Under New Management !!

Weekly specials starting July long weekend...

FRIDAY NIGHTS STEAK NIGHT 5pm-7pm
6oz steak, fries, ceaser salad & garlic toast = \$12.00

SUNDAY FUNDAY BREAKFAST 9am-11am
All you can eat pancakes = \$6.00
add 3 sausage \$2.50

Cheryl Crooks 306-290-7060
Cherylcrooks@hotmail.com

Amended hours to reflect

- June 21-Sept long weekend 7 days a week 8 am-10pm.

Follow us on Facebook "Struthers Lake Regional Park" and also in Instagram
Strutherslake2019

Hey Birch Hills...One More Day to Track
Active Minutes for the

**TOGETHER
WE CAN
DO THIS!!**



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR EFFORTS AND MOTIVATION
TO GET OUR COMMUNITY UP AND MOVING!! A BIG
SHOUT OUT TO BIRCH HILLS, MUSKODAY, St. LOUIS,
AND CHOICELAND SCHOOLS FOR PLANNING AND
TRACKING THEIR ACTIVITIES AND TO EVERYONE
IN BIRCH HILLS WHO PARTICIPATED AND HELPED US
IN OUR QUEST TO BE TOP 5 IN OUR REGION TO MAKE
THE FINALS.... AS OF PRINTING WE ARE #2!!!!**



**LET'S FINISH STRONG
AND KEEP TRACKING
TILL MIDNIGHT JUNE 16!**