

Happy New Year!

The Town of Preeceville Council and Staff would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year!

Closed for Statutory Holidays

Preeceville Town Office will be closed Monday, January 1st for New Years Day.

Preeceville Town Office will also be closed Monday, February 19th for Family Day.

Snow Removal and Parking

The Town of Preeceville would like to remind you to avoid shovelling or ploughing your snow on to the streets, back alleys, and sidewalks. Failure to follow this bylaw could result in charges being invoiced for removal. 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.

Dog Control Issues & Licensing

All 2023 dog licenses expired on December 31st, 2023, and must be renewed for 2024. License fees are \$10 for females not spayed and \$5 for females spayed and males. Please be advised that we will need proof of vaccination as well as a picture of your dog for our records.

Business Licenses

The Town of Preeceville would like to remind everyone that 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. All business licenses expired on December 31st, 2023, and must be renewed to be valid for the 2024 year.

Preeceville Public Library Hours

Starting Tuesday January 16, 2024 the Parkland Regional Library - Preeceville Branch hours will be Wednesday 11-6 Tuesday 12-6 Thursday 2-6 Friday 2-5

Chase the Ace

Chase the Ace is **ON** with Draws happening every Thursday!

Contact Number

If you have an unlisted phone number, have disconnected your house phone, or changed your cell number please contact the Town office with your new contact information. We use this information to contact you during a water break/shut off, or in the event of an emergency.

Cat Registration

This is a reminder that the Town of Preeceville offers free Cat Registration to the community. All you have to do is come into the Town Office with your cat's name and description to receive a free cat tag. The tag number is kept on file so that your pet can be safely returned to you should they wander from your yard.

Garbage Pickup & Recycling

Please be reminded that the Town of Preeceville has a paper/cardboard recycling program in place. All your paper and cardboard products are to be taken to the blue recycling bins located around Town. Be sure boxes taken to the recycling bins are flattened as these bins fill up fast. Please do not put other garbage in the blue bins. Regular garbage pickup is Mondays and includes up to 5 bags of household garbage.

R.M of Preeceville Garbage Bins

Please be reminded that Town of Preeceville residents are **NOT** to use the Garbage Bins located within the R.M of Preeceville, those garbage bins are for R.M Residents only. If you use these bins, you risk being identified and charged by the R.M of Preeceville.

Landfill Hours

Beginning of October - Middle of April Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 to 5:00 pm Saturdays from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.



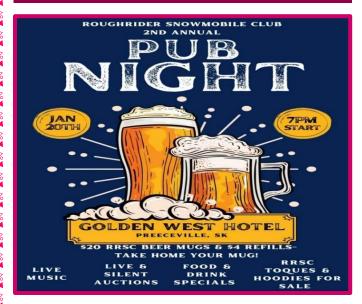
January/February



Filling The gap

A huge thank you to all the businesses, individuals, churches, and service groups that contributed to our Christmas Hamper Program. All your donations big or small make this valuable program possible. Emergency food hampers are available year-round for families in need. Please call 306-548-5478 and leave a message to request a hamper. Messages are only checked on Thursdays. If you would like to donate, cheques can be made payable to Filling the Gap and mailed to Box 526 Sturgis, SK S0A 4A0 or call 306-548-5478 to donate non-perishable food items. Thank you for your support!

Roughrider Snowmobile Pub Night



Preeceville Curling Club

Preeceville Curling is in full swing, they will be hosting a bonspiel on the following dates;

January 8-12 (Seniors)

January 25-27 (2 on 2)

February 18-24 (open)

Whitehawk arts council 2023-2024

- March 14th, 2024 "Piano Heist" at Sturgis Community Hall at 7:30pm. "A show that combines theatre, comedy, audience participation and storytelling."
- April 13th, 2024 "Kinjo & Young" at Preeceville Community Hall at 7:30pm. "Blues, funk reggae and soul are main staples of this dynamic duo!"

<u>Parkland Music Festival</u>

Parkland and District Music Festival is pleased to announce that our Music Festival is scheduled for April 15-18th, 2024 in Preeceville and Sturgis, with the final concert to be help April 21, 2023. Entry deadline in February 16th, 2024. This is an awesome opportunity for children to gain confidence in their performance of music and speech. For any entry questions, to volunteer, or to contribute financially, please call Anna Russell @ 306-814-8510.

ability van & Bus

The Preeceville Ability Bus Board has available for rent an Ability Bus and Van. The van is equipped with a wheelchair ramp, and can fit two wheelchairs, one passenger and the driver or one wheelchair and three passengers plus the driver. If you would like to book the Ability Van or Bus or would like more information, please call the Town Office at 306-547-2810

SPE Family Resource Centre

If you have a baby or preschooler, please join us for Drop In and Play at the Preeceville Library on Wednesdays from 1:00 – 3:30 pm. Free crafts, activities, and a healthy snack. Monthly Cooking With Kids sessions happening in January, February, and March. Check out our Facebook page "SPE Family Resource Centre" for updates and more details, or call or text 306-814-8818.

<u>Preeceville Lions Family Trail</u>

The Preeceville Lions Family Trail is looking for your support. They have a dedicated group of volunteers working year-round making this a exciting place to go for an early morning walk along the lake, a leisurely bike ride with the family and when it comes to winter they have it covered with their groomed trails for the cross country skiers. The 2024 Trail fee is set at \$30.00 per person or \$40.00 per family. You can drop off a cheque payable to the Preeceville Lions Family Trail at the Town office or e-transfer pvillelionsfamtrail@gmail.com each member of your family will receive a trail pass and jacket tag showing your support.

