

TOWN OF PREECEVILLE

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Closed for Statutory Holiday

The Preeceville Town Office and Shop will be closed on April 2nd, 2021 for the Good Friday Holiday.

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.

Middle of April – Beginning of October Tuesdays & Thursdays from 3:00 to 7:00 pm Saturdays from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

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, 2020 and must be renewed to be valid for the 2021 year.

Contact Number

If you have an unlisted phone number, have disconnected your house phone or changed your cell number and have not contacted the Town Office with your new contact information please do so. We use this information to contact you during a water break/shut off, or in the event of an emergency.

Facebook Page

The Town of Preeceville has an official Facebook Page. Be sure to check it out for all the latest events and activities happening in Preeceville and area.

Eco Centre Opening

The Eco Centre will be opening again for the 2021 season beginning May 4^{th,} Call the Town office at 306-547-2810 for drop off dates. The Eco Center can recycle all your used oil, oil filters, antifreeze, and diesel exhaust containers free of charge.

Elm Tree Pruning Ban

Once again, the Elm Tree Pruning Ban will be coming into effect on April 1st through to August 31st, as it is each year to prevent the spread of Dutch Elm disease. During this time, no pruning or removing of Elm trees is permitted within Saskatchewan. For more information on Dutch Elm Disease Control Regulations, contact 1-800-SASK ELM (727-5356).

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. There is a minimum charge of \$10.00 per booking and \$0.45/km for the van. The bus has the capacity of four wheelchairs and six passengers or three wheelchairs and eight passengers. If you wish to book the Ability Bus, the charge is \$0.50/km. 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.

Newsletter Community Event Reminder

The Town of Preeceville Community Newsletter gets mailed out to the community in the following months:

January/February March/April
May/June July/August
September/October November/December

All community organizations and clubs are encouraged to submit their upcoming events (noncommercial) to the Town for free advertisement, space permitting. Please have your event submitted to us well in advance of the event date! You can email your advertisement to preerecp@sasktel.net, phone us at 547-2810 or drop off a small write up.

Waterline Flushing

The Town of Preeceville will be flushing water lines again this May. The tentative start date will be May 10th, 2021. Please watch the community sign and the newspaper for more details.

Dog Walking

The weather will soon be warming up and more people will be walking their dogs again. Please remember to pick up after your pets when going out for a walk to help keep our community clean. Failing to do so is a violation of Bylaw #1-2009 and can result in fines.

Handicap Parking

The Town of Preeceville has received numerous complaints about people parking in the designated handicap parking spaces around town, parking in these spaces require a special parking permit or you can be fined.

Sewer Reminder

Please be advised that sewer router rates have increased to \$60.00 plus p.s.t weekdays and \$90.00 plus p.s.t weekends and afterhours. We would also like to remind everyone that baby wipes, gloves, masks, personal hygiene products and shop towels cause blockages in the Town's sewer lines. These items should not be flushed down the toilet. Please exercise caution with what you discharge into the Town's sewer system.

Snow Removal and Parking

The Town of Preeceville would like to remind you to avoid shovelling or pushing 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.



Chase the Ace

Chase the Ace tickets are available throughout the week, with draws being made weekly on Thursday evenings. Get your tickets now!

Preeceville Arena

The Preeceville Arena will be closed for the season on March 22nd. Thank you to all our user groups for your continued support and navigating with us during the pandemic.

Flower Colors

The Town of Preeceville flower colors for the 2021 season will be Purple and White. We would like to encourage members of the community to consider using these colors when planning your flower gardens this year.

SPE Family Resource Centre - Drop In And Play

Join us at the office building at the north end of Main Street on Tuesdays from 1:30–3:30 pm. Kids can play, and parents can visit. FREE program. Limit of 10 participants. Masks required for adults and children as they are able. Please pre-register by 11 am that day. All welcome. Looking for things for your family to do? Check out our Facebook page "SPE Family Resource Centre" for updates, activities, and book giveaways. Call or text 306-814-8818 for more information.

Filling the Gap

Emergency food hampers are available for families in need. Please call 306-548-5478 and leave a message to request a hamper. Messages are only checked on Fridays. Please note, for the month of March we are restocking our shelves and are in need of non-perishable food donations. Donations can be dropped off at any church or call 306-548-5478 to make arrangements. Thank you for your support!

Preeceville Community Calendar Information

Unfortunately, the Preeceville community calendar will no longer be available for purchase. The publisher of the calendar, Linmark, has suspended its operations and an economical alternative has not been found. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

Preeceville Art Walk

Watch the Preeceville Recreation Facebook page for more information on being a part of the Preeceville Art Walk. We will be asking Community members to create a piece of Art that can be displayed in various locations, both indoors and outdoors throughout our Community. Call Andrea at the Town Office 306-5472810 for more details.

Did You Know: Our Preeceville Heritage Museum features 20 themed rooms as well as a fully functional clay oven. The Museum is open from June to September, Tuesday to Sunday and is wheelchair accessible. Your tour is waiting for you!

MARCH/APRIL 2021

Recycle Bins

Distributed within our town are several blue recycling bins. These bins are located at the following locations:

Preeceville Hospital Veterinary Clinic Chris's Place X-Cessories by Kerry Paul's Drugs Lot Shop Easy Preeceville Personal Care Home Arena Golden West Hotel By Legion Hall Preece Place Behind Admin Building Formo Motors Hort's Auto body John Deere Midtown Service Co-op Paul's Drug Store Mackenzie Society Preeceville School S-Elect Energy Assiniboine Manor

Rocky Mountain Equipment

Items that can be put in the blue bins include the following:

Cardboard or newspaper may be deposited in any container. Cardboard includes flattened cardboard boxes and boxboard material (ex. Kleenex or cereal boxes). Remove all inserts, Styrofoam, plastic or packing materials. Please be sure to flatten boxes. Newspaper includes any newsprint material, inserts and flyers with Newspapers, magazines, catalogues, and telephone books including Glossy magazines; paper including bond, typing, photocopy, white and coloured ledger and computer paper, shredded paper, envelopes (plain only, no windowed). The bins now accept all grades of plastic (Grades 1-7) Washed and rinsed, plastic food jars, tubs, and lids, such as margarine, yogurt, ice cream, cottage cheese, sour cream, plastic bottles, and jugs with lids securely attached, Shampoo and bubble bath containers, detergent and other laundry bottles. (grocery bags should be separated by placing them together in large quantities in separate bags) All containers must be free of food contaminates and liquids as well as all metal must be removed.

Please do not include: Plastic Toys, Lawn Furniture/Furniture/Mattresses, Vinyl Siding/Home Reno Materials, Caulking Tubes, Motor Oil Jugs, Hazardous or Medical Waste, Plant Trays, Flowerpots, CD and DVD cases, Packing peanuts or Styrofoam, Car parts, Food, Clothing, Electronics, Metals of any kind (tin cans) or Glass of any kind.

Sask. Lotto Grant 2021/2022

The 2021/2022 Preeceville Recreation Sask. Lotto Grant applications can be picked up at the Town Office and are due May 29th. If anyone has any questions about grant applications, contact Andrea at the Town Office 306-547-2810.

