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The Summer Reading Program was well attended during the month of July. The kids had a great time with Ozbots, thanks to Lindsey Baker for making it so much fun for them. Cubelets had children building trains and having races down the hallway. And, once again, Virtual Reality was a great hit — Maddy Antaya had the little ones ooh-ing over all the fantastic sights they were seeing!



"Sparky the Fire Dog" dropped by the Library on July 20th to show how to check the batteries on a smoke detector. Sparky instructed the children on what they should do if the smoke alarm goes off, what to do if they are in their room when the smoke detector goes off, two ways to exit their room if there was a fire and, most importantly, where they would meet once they were outside of the house. All the children were given fire hats and had a picture taken with

Summer Reading Program continues in August, in conjunction with the Town's Summer Play Program:

- ♦ Wednesday, August 2nd **Leap** @ 1:30p.m.
- ♦ Wednesday, August 9th **Keva Building Block** @ 1:30p.m.
- ♦ Wednesday, August 16th **Mystery Bag Building Challenge** with Maddy Antaya @ 1:30p.m.

Teens:

* The Quiet and the Loud

* Brighter than the Sun

* These Infinite Threads

* The of Us is Next

August Reading Picks...

Adult Non-Fiction:

- * Seeing Ghosts
- * Uneducated
- * Thinnina Blood
- * Memoirs of a Man in Paiamas

Childrens:

- * Bad Kitty Gets a Bath
- * Charlotte's Web
- * The Cat in the Hat
- * Loot: How to Steal a Fortune

Movies:

* 80 for Brady

* Puss in Boots: Last Wish

* The Whale

* She Said

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PORCUPINE PLAIN SHOW & SHINE 2023

It was another great turnout for the 13th Porcupine Plain Show & Shine. held on Saturday, July 22. A variety of cars, trucks, motorcycles and success, and especially to tractors lined McAllister Avenue from Elm Street almost all the way everyone who came out for the down to Oak. A small outdoor market beside the Porcupine Hotel saw show. vendors selling all types of goodies — from jewellery and crystals. to custom home décor and food items.





Joanne Yacyshyn presents Ryan Zimmerman trophy for Best Car

The day's entertainment was sponsored by Sasktel and Thomas Motors in Melfort, and included a DJ, who kept the tunes pumping throughout the afternoon, as well as the Kids Zone with face painting, balloon animals, and race car themed bouncy house.

The Frying Deutschmann Food Truck came all the way from Regina to offer up something new and exciting for lunch. While owner Tim Philp was surprised by the turnout, he was prepared for it. There was a lineup at the truck all afternoon and attendees raved about both the tacos and the schnitzel! Thank you to Nathan & Nicole McDermid with McKee Moving & Storage for sponsoring the food truck.

With 54 registered vehicles (up from 48 in 2022), and twice as many motorcycles as last year (from 2 last year, up to 4!), it made for a close race in some categories for your favourites! This year's winners were

- Best Motorcycle Mikie Read's 2004 Harley Davidson Fatboy
- Best Tractor Ray Zimmerman's 1953 SW D9
- Best Truck Reg & Lavonne Back's 1949 Chev
- Best Ford Reg & Lavonne Back's 1959 Ford F100
- Best Muscle Car Craig Logan's 1969 GTO Judge
- Best Car Ryan Zimmerman's 1956 Chev

Congratulations to all of our winners! Congratulations also to Don Hilash, who won \$550 in the 50/50 draw! Proceeds from the 50/50 draw support the Porcupine Plain & District Volunteer Fire Department.

Thank you to everyone who pitched in to make the day a

We can't wait to see you again next year!!!



udriene Kriger presents Reg Bacl trophy for Rest Ford

Nick Wood presents Ray Zimmerman trophy for Best Tractor



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED MAKE THE DAY A SUCCESS.

- ♦ Best Car sponsored by Joanne Yacyshyn Royal Lepage Hodgins Realty
- ♦ Best Truck sponsored by Tumax Service & Towing
- O Best Motorcycle sponsored by Slobodian Pharmacy
- ♦ Best Muscle Car sponsored by the Kriger & Lanning Families, in Memory of Grant Kriger
- ♦ Best Tractor sponsored by Parkland Co-op
- O Best Ford sponsored by Melody Motors in Melfort
- Sasktel & Thomas Motors in Melfort for sponsoring the Kids Zone & DJ
- Affinity Credit Union for sponsoring the \$500 guaranteed 50/50 and the PP Fire Department for selling 50/50 tickets
- Event sponsors Klimm McKee Law & Johnston Agencies
- Tyler Dzurka for his exceptional DJ services and Jef & Mary Imbang for face-painting
- Tim Philp & The Frying Deutschmann Food Truck for coming out to our show
- Town of Porcupine Plain public works staff for helping with setup
- RM of Porcupine #395 for arranging to pickup the bouncy house in Saskatoon
- Barry & Wendy Anderson, our dear friends from Saskatoon, for their advice and expertise, for helping to distribute flyers at car shows across Saskatchewan, and for working the registration table at our show



HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND PORCUPINE PLAIN.

Friday, August 4th to Saturday, August 5th - 3rd Annual Klinger Dinger

Marean Lake Resort, at the beach. Friday 5-11p.m., Saturday 11a.m.-11p.m Beer gardens, live music and kids entertainment, chilli cook-off, beach volleyball & holy board tournaments. Contact Joanne for more info 306-290-9526.

Wednesday, August 9th - Shand Agricultural Society Exhibition

At the Central Hall Grounds, festivities begin bright at early with breakfast at 7:30a.m. General admission \$5, 5&Under FREE

Thursday, August 10th - Town Council Meeting

Call Town Office by Monday prior to meeting to add agenda item - 306-278-2262.

Friday, August 18th - Steak & Lobster Charity Auction

Cocktails, Supper, Auction & Entertainment-starts at 5:30p.m. Tickets \$60, available at Parkland Co-op Admin Office. Proceeds benefit local organizations

Thursday, August 24th - Cooper's Birthday Party

On McAllister Avenue from 1p.m. to 4p.m. Hot dogs, cake, petting zoo, rock wall & bouncy houses — everyone welcome! Hosted by Parkland Co-op

Prairie Hope Wellness in Porcupine Plain

Briana Panchyshyn, Counsellor with Prairie Hope Wellness in Melfort is attending appointments in Porcupine Plain. To book an appointment call 306-920-8881 or email panchyshyn@prairiehopewellness.com.

Prairie Hope also has upcoming events:

WEEKLY:

Summer Play Program

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays thru July & August, 2-4pm, Quilly's Community Place Gymnasium. Call 306-813-7706 or email ppplayprogram@hotmail.com Watch the Town of Porcupine Plain's Facebook page for updates and calendar of activities

Tuesdays 9am-4pm at Quilly's Community Place. Purchase gently used clothes/ items & support your community! August & September sales benefit PP Search &

Porcupine Plain Sunset Club

Bingo - Fri 7:30pm | Shuffleboard - Wed 1pm | Seniors Exercises - Thur 1pm Potluck Birthday Supper to honour all members born that month, on the last Friday of each month starting at 5:30pm - followed by Bingo! Sunset Club is also open for event rental (birthday parties, showers, etc.) Call: Sharon 306-278-7127 **or** Muriel 306-278-7323 **or** Debbie 306-278-7786

Singing at Red Deer Nursing Home

Every Wednesday meet at RDNH at 2pm. One week Hymns, next week other songs! For more info, call Joan 306-278-2165 or Muriel 306-278-7323.

Story Stroll at Scott Park

Enjoy a story while you stroll thru Scott Park! Entrance on Oak Street. Presented by Porcupine Public Library & Town of Porcupine Plain.

> For even more updates and info, follow us on Facebook & Instagram Visit www.porcupineplain.com for complete Events Calendar



Autumn Markets at Northside Greenhouses Gifts and Garden Centre!

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Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church

Rev. Alberto Dela Pena | rcparish.tisdale@sasktel.net Sunday Mass: 9a.m.

Prayer Baptist Church

Pastor Karl Galindez - 306-981-2400 - prayerbaptistchurch.ca Sunday Worship 11a.m. | Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer 7p.m

Weekes Evangelical Chapel

Adult Sunday School 10a.m. | Sunday Worship 11a.m. Weekly Bible Study - Day & Location vary For info, call Heidi 306-278-7883 | Pastoral Care, call Neil 306-278-7501

Porcupine Plain Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses

Meetings on Tuesdays 7:30pm & Sundays 10am. For more information, call or text 1-639-314-1255.

Porcupine Plain Mennonite Church

Worship on Sundays at 10:30am - 4 miles North & 1/2-mile East of Porcupine Contact Bruce Toews at 306-813-7937 Everyone welcome!

Are you looking for work in Porcupine Plain? Visit the Town website for a list of current opportunities!

www.porcupineplain.com/category/job-posting

Are you adding a shed, deck, or garage this summer?

Any structure over 100 square feet requires a building permit including decks, even if they are not "attached" to your house, as they must meet building standards. Note that residents are required to apply for a permit and then must await building inspector and council approval before project commencement.

TOWN OF PORCUPINE PLAIN

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RECYCLING & GARBAGE SCHEDULE

AUGUST 2023						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3 Entire Town -Garbage	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 Entire Town -Recycle	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 Entire Town -Garbage	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 Entire Town –Recycle	25	26
27	28	29	30	31 Entire Town -Garbage		

SEPTEMBER 2023						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7 Entire Town –Recycle	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Entire Town -Garbage	15	16
17	18	19	20	21 Entire Town -Recycle	22	23
24	25	26	27	28 Entire Town -Garbage	29	30

Do not place garbage or other non-recyclable items in your <u>blue</u> recycle bin. Refer to the list of recyclable and non-recyclable items below. IF YOU ARE UNCERTAIN IF AN ITEM IS RECYCLABLE. ERR ON THE SIDE OF CAUTION AND THROW IT IN THE GARBAGE! THE ENTIRE TRUCK LOAD will be REJECTED if there is even one non-recyclable item in the load

Space is required for the truck to pick up your bins; when placing bins on street, leav room for pickup. Do not place your bin close to another bin or beside a vehicle. In order for your garbage or recycling to be picked up by the Greenland truck, your items must be neatly INSIDE the bin, with the lid CLOSED. You CANNOT have bags on too of the bin or beside it. The driver does not get out to physically toss the garbage into the truck. Your bin will not be picked up/dumped if there is garbage on the lid.

THESE ITEMS CAN BE PLACED IN YOUR BLUE BIN OR IN THE RECYCLE BINS LOCATED AT THE PORCUPINE TRANSFER STATION OPEN TUES, THUR & SAT 8A.M.-5P.M.

- ⇒ CARDBOARD, BOXBOARD, OFFICE PAPER, NEWSPRINT, JUNK MAIL & CATALOGS
- PLASTIC CONTAINERS, MILK CARTONS & PLASTIC MILK JUGS (plastics numbered 2 through 7 - must be clean!)
- ⇒ TIN & ALUMINUM CANS (must be clean, with or without labels)

cans, Pie tins, Plastic juice bottles, Yogurt & bottles salad dressing containers, Cereal boxes, Office: Office paper, Catalogs, Phone books Cardboard boxes (unsoiled)

Laundry: Laundry soap containers. Spot (flattened) remover bottles. Bleach containers

Kitchen: Milk jugs, Milk cartons, Creamer Bathroom: Body wash, Shampoo & Conditioner cartons & bottles, Paper egg cartons, Soup/ bottles, Plastic hairspray & shaving bottles, Vegetable/other food cans, Aluminum & tin Toilet paper cones, Tissue boxes, Plastic pill

Sticky notes, Scrap paper, Cardboard boxes

ALL ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN!

ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING:

Plastic grocery/shopping bags, Glass, Plastic wrap, Single-use plastic ainers (clamshells, etc.), Styrofoam, Ceramics, Light bulbs, Soiled cardboard (including pizza boxes), Pet food bags, Hazardous chemical con parts, Plastic toys, Household garbage.

> **NO FOOD CONATAINERS LABELED #1** This applies to both Town & RM Recycle Bins!!!



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- variety of ages Family Counselling
- Youth and young adult
- mentorship Life Coaching
- Crisis and Trauma Counselling
- Grief and Loss Counselling Referrals to outside
- agencies/services
- Advocacy and Support (Child
- Protection proceedings, etc.)
 - (Assessing for Suicide in Kids)
- Consultation Services Addictions Counselling/
- Treatment Packages
- Play Therapy
- Supervised Visits
- Commissioner for Oaths

Training & Certificate **Programs**

- Anger Management
- Grief Edu-Therapy
- Reconnecting With Your Inner
- Child (Inner Child Therapy) SafeTALK
- (Suicide Alertness for Everyone · ASIST
- (Applied Suicide Intervention) · ASK

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- Wellness Days (for businesses/ organizations)
- Customizable Wellness Dresentations

*Some programs can be done individually or as part of a group. Travel to your own site is available, or we can host in our own board room for groups up to approximately 12 people. We can also take care of any arrangements for booking loca venues for larger groups.

Coverage

- You may have coverage for services under your health care benefits (i.e. Great West Life, Blue Cross, etc.). Check with you provider to inquire whether your session is reimbursable.
- Arrangements can be made to direct bill SGI and the Ministry of Social Services in circumstances where they are providing funding.
- · We can direct bill NIHB (Non-Insured Health Benefits), Metis Nation, and Victim Services.
- If you do not have health benefit insurance, note that your costs can be used as a deduction within your personal income tax

Contact

Erin Moss, Registered Social Worker Mike Lang, Registered Social Worker Briana Panchyshyn, Counsellor

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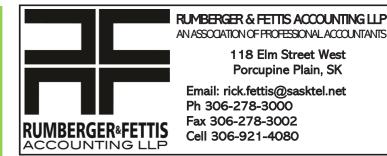
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SUMMER PLAY PROGRAM

Mon, Wed & Fri thru July & August 2:00-4:00p.m. **Quilly's Community Place Gymnasium** For children Grades K-5

For more information or to register, call the Town Office at 306-278-2262

Weekly activity calendar will be posted on Town of Porcupine Plain Facebook Page. There will be no Play Program on Monday, August 7th for the long weekend, and on Wednesday, August 9th so our staff can attend the Shand Fair.

Program funded by Community Initiatives Fund

PP Museum Pays Tribute with Season Opening Event

Thank you to everyone who came out to the Porcupine Plain & District Museum's Season Opening event held on Sunday, July 9th. It was a lovely day for homemade ice cream, bannock and rhubarb punch, and live music performed by Audrey & Ed Zubrowski as a tribute to the Horvath Family

Youth volunteers took part in a fashion show, which took guests back in time to showcase some of the many garments on display at the Museum. Items included a World War II soldier uniform, formal dresses which would have been worn to social dances in the 50s; baseball uniforms for the Carragana Clippers, Porcupine Plain and Copeau teams; and the wedding dress and suit worn by John & Stella Boyko in 1939!

For the finale, a beautiful gold wedding dress (pictured second from the right) was showcased as a tribute to Alice McPherson and the Salmond family. The gold dress was handsewn by Alice's grandmother, Margaret Mansfield Palmer, from silk her sweetheart William brought her from India. Will and Maggie Palmer were married in October 1906. They were the parents of Margaret Palmer Salmond who, along with her husband Harry, founded the Curiosity Shop Museum, which later became the Porcupine



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ouncy castles, face painting,







Congratulations to Wade Salmond, who won the 2023 Orville Strandquist Memorial Award for being the Top Rookie at the Calgary Stampede chuckwagon races, and to his daughter, Jorja, who along with her teammates — Maddie Jo Irvine & Mason Mercier — won the most rides, winning the Wild Pony Event!



Big sister, Marty, also had an exciting summer, running in a youth qualifier in Clareshome, AB called the KK Run for Vegas. Marty won her age category, advancing her straight to the Youth World Finals in Barrel Racing, to be held in Las Vegas, NV December 12-16, 2023





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