

PORCUPINE PLAIN PUBLIC LIBRARY  
 QUILLY'S COMMUNITY PLACE  
 PHONE: 306-278-2488  
 | TUESDAY TO THURSDAY 9:00AM TO 5:00PM |

March is the Library's last month with New to You until July — thank you to all the people who have donated items for New to You and to those who come faithfully every week to shop. We look forward to seeing each and every one of you and enjoy visiting with you!



Our Q&A Session with Hugh Nerlien on February 21st was very informative. Thank you Hugh for taking time out of your busy schedule to keep the people informed. As well, the Diabetes Presentation with Pam Molnar and Charidy Torgerson on February 27th was well received. Pam and Charidy talked with those present and provided information enabling them to move forward. Thank you to both ladies for making time to educate the general population about diabetes.

March Programming:

- ◇ **Preschool & Daycare Storytime** Tuesdays @ 10:30a.m.-11a.m. All preschoolers are welcome — moms with young families are welcome to attend as well!
- ◇ **New to You** will once again be sponsored by the Library during the month of March. Pop in Tuesdays between 9a.m. & 4p.m. on Tuesdays to buy gently used clothing and household items, with proceeds to benefit the Library.
- ◇ **Painting Group** Wednesdays @ 1-4p.m.:
  - March 6th — Watercolour Rooster
  - March 13th—Watercolour Owl
  - March 20th—Watercolour Glass Vase & Flowers
  - March 27th—*no class*

March Reading Picks...

Adult Fiction:

- \* *Obsessed* by James Patterson
- \* *Edge* by David Baldacci
- \* *Always Remember* by Mary Balogh
- \* *The Worst Best Man* by Lucy Score

Adult Non-Fiction:

- \* *Gut Check* by Steven R. Gundry
- \* *Rethinking Diabetes* by Gary Taubes
- \* *The Amish Wife* by Gregg Olson
- \* *The Magra Diaries* by Tina Nguyen
- \* *The Noom Kitchen* by Adeena Sussman

Movies:

- \* Oppenheimer
- \* No Hard Feelings
- \* Love Again
- \* Past Lives

Kids:

- \* On the Job
- \* Jungle Pups
- \* The Missing Sound
- \* You Can Be a Ballerina

Young Adult:

- \* Komi Can't Communicate
- \* Five Nights at Freddy's
- \* A Fragile Enchantment
- \* A Place for Vanishing

Until next time... have you read a good book lately



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Chase Place Arena — March 2024 Schedule

Fri, March 1st	Free Public Skating	3:45-7p.m.
	U18 Park Posse Game	7p.m.
Sat, March 2nd	U7 Game	9:30a.m.
	U9 Game	11a.m.
	U11 Game	5:30p.m.
Mon, March 4th	U9 Game	4:15p.m.
Fri, March 8th	Free Public Skating	3:45-7p.m.
Sat, March 9th	U11 Game	1p.m.
Thur, March 14th	HB U13 Game	6:30p.m.
Fri, March 15th	Free Public Skating	3:45-7p.m.
Fri, March 22nd	Free Public Skating	3:45-7p.m.
Fri, March 29th	Free Public Skating	3:34-7p.m.

*\*Schedule subject to change\**

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Porcupine Plain & District

CHATTER  
 Community Newsletter

Produced by your local Economic Development Committee

[www.porcupineplain.com](http://www.porcupineplain.com)

2nd Annual Unity in the Community Event

On Saturday, February 10, 2024, the community's 2nd Annual Unity in the Community event was hosted by the Porcupine Métis Local, Métis Nation Saskatchewan Eastern Region II, and Town of Porcupine Plain.

After a short formal program including an address by each of Cathay Wagantall - MP Yorkton-Melville, Lisa McCallum - Secretary for Métis Nation Saskatchewan, Hugh Nerlien - MLA Kelvington-Wadena, Brent Digness - Regional Representative MN-S ER11, Nick Wood - Mayor Town of Porcupine Plain, and Dan Mielke - Principal for Porcupine Plain Comprehensive School, and a special reading of *Lii Michif* by Elder Rita Ducharme and the PPCS Grade 3 class, the cultural booths opened and the afternoon's entertainment commenced.

This year — dubbed The Year of the Youth — all children were given a passport and, after collecting stamps from each cultural booth, traded those passports in for prizes and treats. Children took part in a number of crafting activities at each booth, and all attendees were able to sample several food items from each culture — from lefse and krumkake at the Norwegian booth, to bison meatballs and bannock at the Métis table. The Filipino and Ukrainian booths each offered a smorgasbord of samples, including pancit, spring rolls and cassava cake at the Filipino table, and perogies, cabbage rolls, sausage, and a variety of baking at the Ukrainian table. It's safe to say nobody left the Hall hungry that day!

The Northern Prairie Dancers kicked off the afternoon with some square-dancing lessons, followed by yet another showstopping performance by the Porcupine Filipino Community Dancers. Representatives from each culture booth gathered for the ceremonial cake cutting. The cake — once again decorated by Koral Kriger in a way to mimic Métis beadwork — included the national flower for each of Norway, Ukraine and the Philippines, as well as a prairie rose and feather to honour our Métis and First Nations neighbours. After cake, the Northern Prairie Dancers returned to show off some more dance moves. The Dean Smith band accompanied the Dancers and provided an incredible soundtrack for the day's events. The afternoon concluded with Robert Whitehead from Yellow Quill singing and drumming, accompanied by two young dancers — the youngest a 'grass' dancer, and the older boy a traditional dancer.

The community would like to thank all of the volunteers who worked so hard to setup displays and serve food, as well as everyone who came out to partake in the day's events. Many hands pitched in to make the day go off without a hitch — the volunteers for the cultural groups who worked hard on booth displays and menus; the Porcupine Plain Air Cadets Squadron who helped with setup and cleanup throughout the day; PPCS & PPCS Art Club who provided beautiful artwork to display and decorate the Hall; the PP Economic Development Committee and



[Left] Youth dancers with PP Filipino Community Group  
 Photo courtesy of Cathay Wagantall, M.P. / Facebook

[Above] Robert Whitehead and youth dancers  
 Photo courtesy of 745 Porcupine Royal Canadian Air Cadet Squadron / Facebook



Brent Digness, Regional Representative MN-S ER11 with Dean Smith Band & Northern Prairie Dancers—Photo courtesy of Northern Prairie Dancers / Facebook



HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND PORCUPINE PLAIN...

**Saturday, March 9th - Trail Blasters Snowmobile Rally & Banquet**  
Porcupine Plain Community Hall - Pancake Breakfast 9-11a.m., Registration 10a.m.-12p.m., Supper at 6p.m. Banquet Tickets \$20 (12 & under free), available at Parkland Co-op Admin Office.

**Thursday, March 14th - Town Council Meeting**  
Call Town Office by Monday prior to meeting to add agenda item - 306-278-2262.

**Saturday, March 16th - Porcupine Metis Local Trappers Festival**  
Porcupine Place Sports Grounds 11a.m.-4p.m. FREE ADMISSION! Day includes moose calling, snowshoeing, log throwing, dog sled & sleigh rides, and soup & Bannock lunch. For info, call 306-813-8190 or email mnsasker2@outlook.com.

**Saturday, March 16th - Porcupine Wildlife Club Fishing Derby**  
Greenwater Lake Provincial Park 12-3p.m. \$20/hole, cash prizes for adults and youth. To purchase a hole, contact Don 306-278-3113 or Perry 306-278-7007.

**WEEKLY:**

**Indoor Walking**  
Monday to Friday at 9-10am at Quilly's Community Place (except holidays). *Everyone welcome!*

**New to You**  
Tuesdays 9am-4pm at Quilly's Community Place. Purchase gently used clothes/items & support your community! *March sales benefit the Porcupine Library.*

**Porcupine Plain Sunset Club**  
Shuffleboard - Wed 1pm | Bingo - Fri 7pm  
**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 rentals on weekends (birthdays, showers, etc.)  
Call: Sharon 306-278-7127 or Debbie 306-278-7786 or Muriel 306-278-7323.

**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.

**Yoga**  
Tuesdays at 6pm at Quilly's Community Place Gym, by donation. Contact Aijing Li for more info 306-813-8898.

**Indoor Pickleball**  
Wednesday & Sunday evenings at 7pm at Quilly's Community Place Gym. \$5 per person, per night. Call or text Darryl for more info 306-278-7595.

**Karate for All Ages!**  
Fridays at 6pm at PPCS Gymnasium. For more info, call Ashlee 306-813-7233.

**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.*

**Interagency Group Cross-Country Ski & Snowshoe Borrowing**  
Contact 306-292-8901 to arrange to borrow skis or snowshoes and get a copy of the trail map. Local trails groomed on a volunteer basis as available, use with caution. Greenwater trails are ready!

**Greenwater Lake Provincial Park**  
Snowmobile trails, cross-country ski trails, outdoor skating rink and toboggan hill! To view the latest Winter Recreation Report, visit [www.porcupineplain.com/visitors/greenwater-lake-park](http://www.porcupineplain.com/visitors/greenwater-lake-park)

For even more updates and info, follow us on Facebook & Instagram  
Visit [www.porcupineplain.com](http://www.porcupineplain.com) for complete Events Calendar

**Save the Date...**  
**PP Wildlife Club**  
**Banquet & Awards**  
Saturday, April 6th

**Cordwood Curling**  
TBD - watch for updates!



**Porcupine Plain Office Hours**  
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**RELIGIOUS SERVICES**

**Redeemer Lutheran Church**  
Phone: 306-278-3029 | Sunday Worship at 12noon

**Full Gospel Church**  
Pastor David Silver - Phone: 306-278-2006  
Sunday Worship at 10:30a.m. - live-streamed on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/Porcupine-Full-Gospel-Church-100453934948684](https://www.facebook.com/Porcupine-Full-Gospel-Church-100453934948684)

**Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Catholic Church**  
Rev. Alberto Dela Pena | [rcparish.tisdale@sasktel.net](mailto:rcparish.tisdale@sasktel.net)  
Sunday Mass: 9 a.m. starting January 1st

**Prayer Baptist Church**  
Pastor Karl Galindez - 306-981-2400 - [prayerbaptistchurch.ca](http://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  
Call Heidi 306-278-7883 | Pastoral Care, call Neil 306-278-7501

**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!

**JOB POSTINGS:**

Porcupine Motel is looking to hire:  
**Housekeeping Helper**  
Resumes can be delivered to the Porcupine Motel  
Please phone 306-278-2244 for more information

Larwood Shaw Memorial Pool is looking for:  
**Lifeguards, Assistant Lifeguards,  
Pool Manager & Front Counter Support**  
For more info, email [larwoodshaw@gmail.com](mailto:larwoodshaw@gmail.com)

For a list of current opportunities, visit:  
[www.porcupineplain.com/category/job-posting](http://www.porcupineplain.com/category/job-posting)



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**RECYCLING & GARBAGE SCHEDULE**

MARCH 2024						
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 31	25	26	27	28 Entire Town -Garbage	29	30

APRIL 2024						
SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4 Entire Town -Recycle	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 Entire Town -Garbage	12	13
14	15	16	17	18 Entire Town -Recycle	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Entire Town -Garbage	26	27
28	29	30				

Do not place garbage or other non-recyclable items in your blue 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, leave 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 top 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)

**Kitchen:** Milk jugs, Milk cartons, Creamer cartons & bottles, Paper egg cartons, Soup/Vegetable/other food cans, Aluminum & tin cans, Pie tins, Plastic juice bottles, Yogurt & salad dressing containers, Cereal boxes, Cardboard boxes (unsoiled)

**Bathroom:** Body wash, Shampoo & Conditioner bottles, Plastic hairspray & shaving bottles, Toilet paper cones, Tissue boxes, Plastic pill bottles

**Office:** Office paper, Catalogs, Phone books, Sticky notes, Scrap paper, Cardboard boxes (flattened)

**Laundry:** Laundry soap containers, Spot remover bottles, Bleach containers

**ALL ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN!**

**ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING:**

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

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



# MARCH 2024

## JIG'S CORNER STOP CAFÉ (306)278-3090



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
FOLLOW OUR FACEBOOK PAGE FOR DAILY SPECIALS					11:00 to 7:00 <b>1</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>2</b>
11:00 to 7:00 <b>3</b>	CLOSED <b>4</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>5</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>6</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>7</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>8</b>	CLOSED <b>9</b>
CLOSED <b>10</b>	CLOSED <b>11</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>12</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>13</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>14</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>15</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>16</b>
11:00 to 7:00 <b>17</b> SUPPER SPECIAL 4 TO 7 WATCH FOR DETAILS	CLOSED <b>18</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>19</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>20</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>21</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>22</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>23</b>
11:00 to 7:00 <b>24</b>	CLOSED <b>25</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>26</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>27</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>28</b>	11:00 to 7:00 <b>29</b>	CLOSED <b>30</b>
CLOSED <b>31</b> EASTER SUNDAY						

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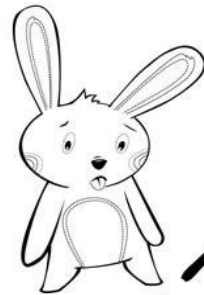
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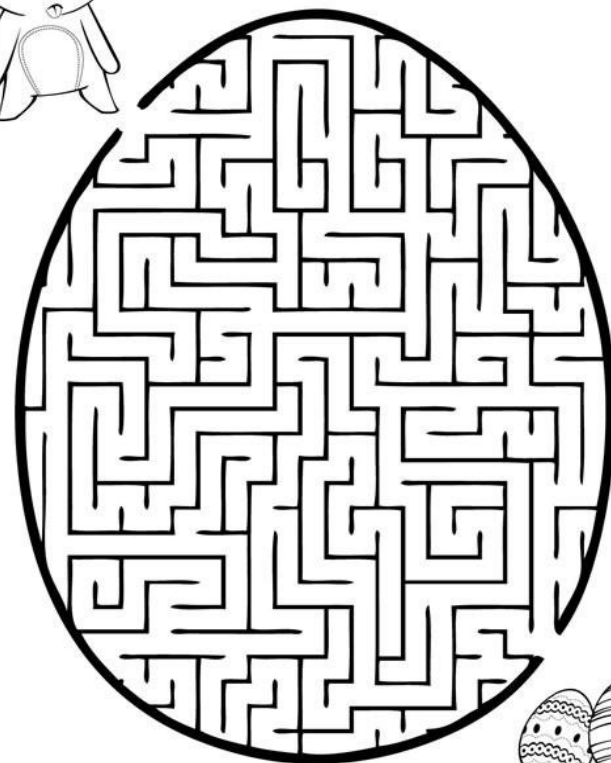
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Thursday, Friday & Saturday 8a.m.-3:30p.m. | Sunday 9a.m.-2p.m.

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*Day trips are open to everyone, not just for medical appointments.*

The Bay Bus phone is staffed Monday to Friday 10a.m. to 4p.m. by volunteer board members. For bookings or inquiries, phone 306-470-7070 or email baybustransport@gmail.com

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Trip	One-Way	*3.5% cc	Round-Trip	*3.5% cc
HB to Saskatoon	\$125	\$129.38	\$225	\$232.88
HB to PA	\$100	\$103.50	\$175	\$181.13
Tisdale to Saskatoon	\$100	\$103.50	\$175	\$181.13
Tisdale to PA	\$100	\$103.50	\$175	\$181.13
Melfort to Saskatoon	\$100	\$103.50	\$175	\$181.13
Melfort to PA	\$100	\$103.50	\$175	\$181.13
HB to Tisdale	\$70	\$72.45	\$140	\$144.90
HB to Melfort/Nipawin	\$80	\$82.80	\$150	\$155.25

**For Caregivers or Children (7 & under):**

Saskatoon: One-Way \$75.00 (\$77.63 credit card)  
Round-Trip \$100.00 (\$103.50 credit card)

Hudson Bay RM pickups \$20.00 (\$20.70 credit card), pickup and drop-off \$30.00 (\$31.05 credit card)

Free pickup or drop off: Saskatoon - Preston Crossing (Walmart)  
Prince Albert - Cornerstone Mall (Grainfields)  
Tisdale - Robin's Donuts  
Melfort - Pizza Hut

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Payment methods: Cash or cheque to Hudson Bay Town Office; E-Transfer to baybustransport@gmail.com; Credit Card (subject to 3.5% fee)

## TOWN OF PORCUPINE PLAIN

Effective January 1, 2024, there will be a \$5.00 per month increase to utility bills.

## ATTENTION CAT & DOG OWNERS PET LICENCES ARE UP FOR RENEWAL!

*Licences are \$10.00/pet and run per calendar year  
January 1st - December 31st*

Need a Tag? Contact the Town Office at 306-278-2262.  
Already have a Tag? Stop by the Town Office, leave cash or cheque in an envelope with your name in the Drop Box, pay online, OR send e-transfer to porcupineplain@sasktel.net.

Porcupine Plain Metis Local

# Trappers' Festival

Saturday, March 16 - 11 am to 4 pm

## Porcupine Plain Sports Ground

Competitive Events - 2 categories

Junior (12 & under)

Senior (13-17)

Moose Calling

Moose Calling

Snowshoeing

Snowshoeing

Log Throwing

Log Throwing

## Includes Soup & Bannock Lunch

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## SNOWMOBILE DERBY & BANQUET

Saturday, March 9, 2024

*70-mile round trip!*

Porcupine Plain Community Hall  
Pancake Breakfast 9-11a.m. | Registration 10a.m.-12p.m.

Beef on a Bun Supper 6p.m.

*All riders must be in by 5p.m.*

**\$20.00/Banquet Ticket - 12 & under free**

Tickets available at Parkland Co-op Admin Office

**Rider Chances:**  
1/\$5.00 3/\$10.00 6/\$20.00  
CASH ONLY!

**Prizes:** Best Rider Chances 30%  
& Silent Rider Chances 20%  
Silent Auction, Door Prizes,  
50/50 & Bucket Draws

**For more info, call:**  
Perry 306-278-7007 or  
Sierra 306-726-8134

**ENTERTAINMENT BY:**



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## Porcupine Wildlife Club FISHING DERBY

Saturday March 16, 2024  
12:00pm to 3:00pm  
Greenwater Lake Provincial Park

**CASH PRIZES**

1st- \$1200 \* 2nd- \$700 \* 3rd-\$500

**10 & Younger FREE**

**CASH PRIZES**

1st-\$100 \* 2nd-\$50 \* 3rd-\$25

**Only \$20/Hole**

Buyers of pre-sold holes entered to win \$100

Pre-sold hole deadline March 14, 2024

Smokies & Hot Chocolate will be available for SALE

## RULES

Holes are drilled within walking distance  
from parking.

Limit of one prize per competitor.

Prizes are awarded on the basis of size.

Largest weight wins, regardless of species.

In the event of a tie,

the fish weighted in first wins.

This is a catch and release tournament.

Fish must be alive to be weighed.

Please bring a container capable of

holding water and fish to transport catch

to officials.

Provincial fishing regulations apply.

Please bring your own bait.

**\$50 for the first fish caught - 50/50 draw - Door prizes**

**TO PURCHASE A HOLE CONTACT:**

Don Hilash 306-278-3113 or Perry Naqy 306-278-7007

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