

Town of Luseland

NEWSLETTER

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There's a saying 'spring is the time of plans and projects' that I can relate to as I look at my growing spring-cleaning list. Just like everyone else, I'm impatiently waiting for the weather to cooperate so I can start crossing off jobs and feel productive. Until that happens, I will just keep adding to the list.

LUSELAND MUNICIPAL BY-ELECTION

Luseland is having a by-election for 1 councillor position on Wednesday, May 17 at the Luseland Town Office. Call for Nomination will be open until 4:00 P.M. on Wednesday, April 12, nomination forms can be picked up at the Luseland Town Office. Candidates are required to have at least 5 signatures, fill out a public disclosure statement and declare the following:

1. I am or will be on Election Day the full age of 18 years;
2. I am a Canadian citizen and I have resided in Saskatchewan for at least six (6) consecutive months immediately preceding the date which this nomination paper is submitted;
3. I am not disqualified by *The Local Government Election Act*, or any other Act from holding the office for which I am a candidate;
4. If elected I will accept the office for which I was nominated;
5. I have resided for at least three (3) consecutive months immediately preceding the date on which this nomination paper is submitted in the Town of Luseland.

More information regarding the by-election will be posted on the Town of Luseland website and Facebook page after the Call for Nomination has closed. If you have any questions call the Town Office at 306-372-4218.

LUSELAND-SALVADOR HOMECOMING HALL

As you all know, the boiler at the community hall is in desperate need of repair and will likely not get through another year. The Hall Board has hosted a number of fundraising events for this project but unfortunately, they haven't generated enough funds to proceed with the boiler replacement. The Luseland Hall Board is asking the Town of Luseland and surrounding area members of our community if they would consider a donation to the Luseland Hall to help with the necessary project. Donations can be made out to the Town of Luseland, please specify the Hall, and you will be issued a donation tax receipt. At the beginning of April, the Hall Board will be mailing a flyer that better explains the boiler situation and what the Hall Board will be doing to get more community involvement with this project. We all benefit from having a hall in this community and without a boiler we will lose it.

LUSELAND LIBRARY

The library has been busy the last few months hosting a variety of activities for all ages, one activity being book club at the library the second Thursday of each month. The art gallery is currently displaying work of the Luseland Quilting Guild, from blankets to bowls to postcards. The next installation will be an open call for local artists, if you would like to have your art displayed contact the Luseland Library! More information will be made available on the Luseland Library Facebook & Instagram page when it opens.

CURBSIDE GARBAGE

Public Works would like to remind everyone household garbage placed at the street for collection needs to be in a plastic or metal container to prevent animals having access and causing a mess. Any garbage ripped open by animals will not be cleaned up by Public Works and will be the resident's responsibility to deal with.

PUBLIC TREES

If there is a public tree that is a concern and you would like to have the tree removed or trimmed, there is now an application for you to fill out and submit to the Town Office for the Tree Committee to review. This application can be picked up at the Town Office or found on our website under the Bylaws page. Our hope with this application is to make the request process easier by receiving the necessary information the Tree Committee needs to come to a decision. Requests will be responded to within 15 days.

WEBSITE – BUSINESSES & CLUB INFORMATION

The Luseland Community Development is working on updating the business directory page on the Town of Luseland website, and they need your help! If your business or organization on the website currently displays outdated information, please email luselandclerk@sasktel.net or contact the Town Office to provide updated information.

POTHOLE PRODUCTION

After a 3-year performing hiatus, the Pothole Production executive committee has announced the show must go on! Cast and crew will be hitting the stage on June 8, 9 and 10, for a hilarious comedy titled "Wheel of Misfortune" that follows 5 elderly people taking a trip to compete on Wheel of Fortune in order to win enough money to buy their favourite chairs and television back after losing them to budget cuts.

They are also thrilled to welcome back Gwen Wildeman Catering for a delicious roast beef supper for the Friday and Saturday performances. If you are interested in acting or being a stage crew member, contact a member of the executive committee to sign up!

TOWN WIDE GARAGE SALE

The Luseland Hall Board is hosting the Town Wide Garage Sale on Saturday, May 13! Funds raised will be going towards much-needed renovations at the Hall. Keep your eyes open for a post detailing when registration opens for garage sales and tables at the Farmer's Market.

HAPPY SPRING EVERYONE!