Town of St. Walburg

ST WALBURG

December 23, 2020 Council Meeting Highlights

With the current COVID-19 regulations, the December 23, 2020 Regular Scheduled Council meeting took place via Teleconference, with the Mayor Nancy Schneider and CAO Shiloh Bronken in Chambers.

November 24, 2020 Council meeting minutes were adopted. The Town of St. Walburg confirmed the eligibility for Municipal Revenue Sharing Grant. The requirements include: submission of the 2019 Audited Financial Statement, submission of the 2019 Public Reporting on Municipal Waterworks, in good standing with respect to reporting and remittance of Education Property Taxes, have adopted a Council Procedures Bylaw and Employee Code of Conduct, and all members of council have completed their Public Disclosure Statements.

Council has made appointments to the Brightsand Lake Regional Park Authority for a 2-year term. Bohdan Ewanchuk, Darcy Wildeman, and Councillor Clinton Parker will represent the Town of St. Walburg for 2021-2023.

2021 Council Appointments to Boards and Committees has been completed.

The Town of St. Walburg will be completing a Request for Bid on the 2002 Ford Econoline E350 SD, also known as the "Old Transit Van". Deadline for submissions is January 31, 2021.

The Chief Administrative Officer was instructed to extend the current lease of SE 03-54-22 W3, until November 30, 2021 with an increase per acre rate.

Town Council completed third and final reading with adoption of Bylaw 2020-11, being a bylaw to enter into an agreement to facilitate the transfer of the wastewater utility assets from the Town of St. Walburg to the 501 Utility Authority Inc.

Regular Scheduled Council meeting dates and Governance and Priorities Committee meeting dates have been set for 2021. The dates are subject to change with 48 hours notice, posted at the Town Office.



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ST. WALBURG & DISTRICT FOOD PANTRY @ THE UNITED CHURCH (117 MAIN STREET)

THIRD THURSDAY OF EACH MONTH FROM 1 PM TO 3 PM

Serving St. Walburg, Loon Lake and Paradise Hill Contact information: Heather Oberhofer 306.392.9181



<u>St. Walburg</u> Nativity Count for 2020

The Nativity count for 2020 totalled 48 which is 4 more than last years count. We drove down every street and counted all yard and window sets that displayed a nativity scene. It's amazing and wonderful for our town's effort to Keep Christ in Christmas. We are still the Nativity Capital of Canada! From the Knights of Columbus a heartfelt thank-you.



Town of St. Walburg

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> Council Meeting: Jan. 26, 2021 @ 3 pm Office Closures: Jan. 1 & 4, 2021

EMERGENCY CONTACT:

Should any resident experience a Town Emergency, please call the 24-Hour Emergency Line at (306) 248-3447. For all other life threatening emergencies, please call 911.





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ST. WALBURG CLINIC & LAB SCHEDULE FOR JANUARY Schedule is subject to change without notice.

Please call the St. Walburg Clinic to confirm at (306) 248-3434

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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					CLINIC CLOSED
	4	5	6	7	8
	Dr. Seratinouri	Dr. Forganirad		Dr. Seratinouri	
1		NP Peterson	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	
	LAB		LAB		LAB
	11	12	13	14	15
	Dr. Seratinouri	Dr. Forganirad	Dr. Forganirad	Dr. Seratinouri	Dr. Seratinouri
	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	
	LAB		LAB		LAB
	18	19	20	21	22
	Dr. Seratinouri	Dr. Forghanirad	Dr. Forganirad	Dr. Seratinouri	Dr. Forganirad
	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	NP Peterson	NP Peterson
	LAB		LAB		LAB
	25	26	27	28	29
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Sleigh Ride



A huge thank you to Sandra and John Schlekewy for taking the time out of their personal time to provide the residents of St. Walburg with an awesome sleigh ride. Thanks to Dallas for driving and all the all volunteers who made This year has this possible. had its ups and down, with more downs than usual due to the COVID-19 pandemic. It was nice to have an activity that brought so many smiles to children's faces. It was definitely enjoyed by many!



"The bad news is time flies. The good news is you're the pilot." Michael Altshuler

OUTDOOR RINK

ICE RINK RULES

THIS COMMUNITY ARENA WAS MADE BY VOLUNTEERS FOR EVERYONE TO ENJOY

This ice rink is a natural rink that is dependent on weather conditions for ice quality.

- SKATE AT YOUR OWN RISK ALL SKATERS MUST WEAR CSA APPROVED HELMETS WHEN ON
- THE ICE SURFACE
- CHILDREN BELOW THE AGE OF 10 MUST BE SUPERVISED AT ALL з. TIMES
- CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOL AND DRUGS IS STRICTLY 4 PROHIBITED
- THE TOWN OF ST. WALBURG IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST. 5. STOLEN, OR DAMAGED ARTICLES
- SIDLEN, OR DAMAGED ARTICLES CAUTION: PLEASE BE AWARE OF FLYING PUCKS; THAT PUCKS MAY LEAVE THE PLAYING AREA EVERYONE IS WELCOMF; BE COURTEOUS TO ALL INDIVIDUALS REPORT ANY DEFICIENCY TO THE TOWN OFFICE (306) 248-3232 6

PLEASE BE RESPECTFUL OF OTHER SKATERS AND OF THE ICE RINK.

IN CASE OF AN EMERGENCY, CALL 911.



LET'S WORK TOGETHER **TO PREVENT COVID-19!**

- Every person who visits an outdoor recreation area must follow public health orders in order to prevent the transmission of COVID-19
- Individuals who are sick should stay home.
- A physical distance of two metres should be maintained between people not from the same household or extended household.
- Avoid overcrowding. Individual groups must not exceed the restrictions on public gatherings.
- Individuals should wash their hands before and after using any recreational area.

Spreading Holiday Cheer with Community Spirit

The St. Walburg Chamber of Commerce has teamed up with the Town of St. Walburg to promote holiday cheer and festive spirit of our Community, by initiating the 1st Annual Community Cheer Outdoor Display Contest.

The St. Walburg Community Cheer Outdoor Display Contest would like to congratulate the following individuals: Ray Sutherland, Colin & Eileen Robertson. Jill & Garret Novak and Stan & Terry Krzak.

We would also like to give a huge shout out to all the residents of St. Walburg for up St. Walburg. lighting With this year being unlike other it was anv verv important to be as festive as possible.

Well done St. Walburg!!



General Information

ARE YOU AN AWARE DRIVER?

Everyone can help make our streets a nicer place to travel. Did you know that if every second vehicle drove on the outside of the road ruts, there would eventually be zero ruts on our roads?

Parking next to a temporary pile of snow can impede other traffic.

If you see a work crew working to clear snow, we would greatly appreciate you choosing an alternate route until work is complete.

Driving past work crews continuously can raise the hazard level greatly, as well as take more time for work crews to clear streets.

When possible, shovel snow from sidewalks and driveways onto your lawn, flower beds, and hedges. This will give plants the needed insulation over winter and extra moisture in the spring. This will help mitigate the amount of snow on our roads especially if the grader has already cleared next to your property.

Clearing your driveway onto the street can create road hazards. Snow that has been moved thaws then freezes very hard. Smaller cars can have significant issue passing over these seeming harmless snow piles.

When clearing snow from your property, please do not push snow onto someone else's property. Piling snow on the street corners, intersections, and back alleys can block lines of sight creating road and pedestrian hazards.

SNOW REMOVAL PROCEDURES

The Town would like to remind all residents to be aware of the snow removal procedures for the 2020-2021 season. A Dial-my-calls Broadcast will be sent out prior to the Town Crew clearing snow, with a minimum of 24 hours notice. The high priority areas are the emergency routes and the heavy truck routes. The broadcast will ask all residents to move parked vehicles from the street to assist with the removal process. As a precaution, the Town equipment may leave a ridge around each vehicle that has not been moved to avoid damage. When there is a snowfall of 4" in one instance, the Town Crews may begin snow removal early in the mornings, during the evenings, and on weekends to keep the emergency routes accessible. The Town Office has a route map of the snow removal areas, feel free to stop by and take a look.

ANNUAL 2020 PET RENEWAL DUE

Pet renewal licenses are due in January of each year. Please stop by to update information, provide a current photo, and pay for your pet's license at your earliest convenience. If your pet does not have a tag and is picked up while running at large, it will be sent to the SPCA. If your pet is properly licensed, we will make every effort to return them to you.

COMMUNICATION WITH THE TOWN OFFICE

The Town Office has been using Dial-My-Calls Broadcasting Services to get information out to the residents of St. Walburg. The service allows the Town Staff to contact many individuals at once, which is time saving. However, the system is only successful with Current Up-to-Date information. Please ensure that proper contact information is in the Town database. In the event of an Emergency, the Town needs to be able to communicate with all residents.

ANNUAL 2020 ATV/GOLF CART RENEWAL DUE

Permit to Operate an All Terrain Vehicle licenses are due yearly in January. Please stop in the Town Office and renew your plate. If you no longer require this permit, please return the license plate to the Town Office. Proof of current insurance is required.