

It's hard to believe fall is in the air and winter is just around the corner. We hope you enjoyed a great summer and are taking in these beautiful fall days.

We hope you enjoy this issue of The Scoop! If there is a topic you would like to see us discuss in an upcoming issue, please email us at [info@carnduff.ca](mailto:info@carnduff.ca) or give us a call at the office!

## LAGOON UPDATE

Work is well underway and progressing nicely at the lagoon.



Our public meeting was held August 23<sup>rd</sup> regarding the borrowing of funds for the project. The Town has received approval from the Sask Municipal Board to borrow for longer than 3 years. It is anticipated the length of the loan will be for 7 years. Borrowing will be done through the Bank Of Montreal.

## BACK ALLEY SPEED LIMIT

Council recently passed Bylaw #488-17, referred to as the Traffic Bylaw. Included in this bylaw are the changes to the back alley speed limit. The new speed limit for back alleys is Maximum 20 km/h.



We would like to remind everyone to please drive with caution. You never know where there may be little ones playing!

## SNOW REMOVAL

With the arrival of the fluffy white stuff just around the corner, we would like to take a moment to share a few friendly reminders to ensure our Public Works Staff are able to complete snow removal in a safe, efficient and effective manner.

Generally snow removal from streets will commence with priority given to emergency access routes for



Ambulance, Fire and Police. This is followed by access to Railway Avenue, Broadway, Anderson Avenue and access to our Lift Station with remaining side streets to follow. It is the Town's intention to have the streets cleared within 24 to 36 hours after a major snowfall.

Snow removal operations are intended to go smoothly and without major incident. However from time to time, heavy snowfall amounts do create an excessive load on snow removal personnel and equipment as clearing streets brings about the problem of blocked driveways and lanes. The Council is kindly requesting your understanding that at times this cannot be avoided. The Public Works operators will do their utmost to clean access to driveways immediately after making an initial pass on the street. Again, your understanding is appreciated.

Parked vehicles create a nuisance during snow removal. Please remember if your vehicle is parked on



the street it becomes a dangerous obstacle for operators to maneuver around and most times becomes blocked in by snow. Please ensure your vehicle does not remain on streets for extended periods of time.

We would like to kindly remind residents to pull back any items you have located on your lawn close to the curb as this is part of the boulevard and is used to place the snow during snow removal. The Town does their best to prevent damage from items located next to the curb but we are not responsible if damage does occur.

*The Town also receives complaints regarding individuals removing snow from alleys and driveways and depositing it on municipal boulevards or neighboring properties. Any snow removed from private driveways should be deposited on the property the snow originates from and not municipal boulevards or neighboring properties. This creates a nuisance for the Town in its snow removal efforts as well as causes problems with neighbors.*

## EMAIL ADDRESSES



We are still collecting email address for utility bills! If you would like to receive your utility (water & sewer) bill via email, please contact the office with

your email address and we will be sure to get that connected for you!

## THINGS THAT SHOULD NOT BE FLUSHED?

Our public works staff has noticed some items passing through the sewer system that can cause problems with the treatment system. We would like to remind residents of what items should not be flushed to ensure proper flow through the sewer system.

### Please DO NOT flush:

- Cooking & Food Grease
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Condoms
- Baby Wipes, Wet Wipes, Bathroom Wipes
- Diapers
- Q-tips and cotton balls
- Paper Towel & Tissues
- Dental Floss
- Cat Litter



### Winter Landfill Hours

Landfill Hours will change to winter hours effective November 1<sup>st</sup>!

#### Winter Hours:

Tuesday & Thursday 2 to 5 pm  
Saturday 9 am to Noon

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

*Due to unpaid charge accounts, there will no longer be the ability to charge at the landfill!*

## COUNCIL CHANGES

Over the last few months we have had a couple of changes to our Council. In July Chris Boardman resigned as Councillor. We would like to wish Chris and his family all the best in their future endeavors!

A Call for Nominations was advertised on August 11<sup>th</sup>. On August 29<sup>th</sup>, an Abandonment of Poll was posted

acclaiming Councillor Verdeen Matthewson. We would like to welcome Verdeen back to council!

**Water Main Flushing**  
**The Fire Department has once again offered to flush the water mains!**

**TUESDAY,**  
**OCTOBER 24th**  
**6:00 to 10:00 pm**



**Note:**  
**Low water pressure and some discolouration may be experienced. Please refrain from doing laundry during this time.**

***Thank you for your patience!***

## VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER'S

The R.M. of Mount Pleasant No. 2 and Town of Carnduff Volunteer Fire Department is currently seeking new members. If you are interested in becoming a member, please contact Fire Chief Clint Paton at 306-482-7705.

## WINTER WALKING TRACK

The Dean Fraser Community Centre (DFCC) gymnasium is now open to residents to use as a walking track from 6 am to 6 pm daily. Noon to 1 pm is dedicated to the walking track only; the space may be shared with the daycare during the remaining hours. The seasonal fee is \$40 and can be paid at the Rec Office located in the DFCC.

## **Citizens on Patrol Information Night**

**Hosted by:**  
**Carnduff RCMP**

**Date: November 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Time: 7:00 p.m.**

**Location: Carnduff Education Complex Gym**

## CONTACT INFORMATION

It is very important that we have up to date contact information for all of our residents. If you did not receive the notices regarding the Fire Bans this summer, that means we do not have up to date information for you! This information can be provided to our office.



If your information has changed, for example, you no longer have a land line, make sure to contact us letting us know your new number.

## REC REPORT

Another great summer of pool fun is all wrapped up. Huge thanks to all the Lifeguards this season! The weather is changing and you know what that means?!?! HOCKEY SEASON is approaching!! Have you checked out the rink lately? It looks phenomenal! It was such a huge project but luckily Carnduff is blessed with so many amazing people who put in countless hours to get the project done and also got all the logos and lines painted on the ice. The month of October is Conditioning Camp and Power Skating time so if you haven't already signed up email [smarsh@carnduff.ca](mailto:smarsh@carnduff.ca). Keep an eye on the Rec Board Facebook page and the Online Skating Rink Schedule for all future updates and games. And always remember keep your head up and stick on the ice!

**Don't forget the Arena Schedule can be found on our website [www.carnduff.ca](http://www.carnduff.ca)**  
**Simply click on Resources/Rec Schedules.**  
**You can then book this on your mobile phone to have quick up to date access!**