

News from the Resort Village of Candle Lake

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January 2025

# News from the Sport, Culture and Recreation Board

## **Community Christmas Supper Enjoyed By All**

About 200 guests attended the 2024 Candle Lake Community Christmas Supper held November 30 at the Community Hall.

Sleigh rides started at 4:00 pm and this was followed by a wonderful turkey supper. After supper, special guest Santa Claus arrived to visit the children.

The Candle Lake Sport, Culture and Recreation Board would like to thank everyone who cooked a turkey at their home and brought it to the supper, as well as the numerous volunteers who assisted with the food preparation and service for this event. The Board would also like to acknowledge the donation of salads and desserts to complete our supper meal.

Thank you to everyone for your involvement and support of this annual Candle Lake Community event.



## **BINGO News**

The last Bingo event of this year was held on December 13 with 33 participants attending. Extra "Christmas Prizes" were awarded for each game. Our next Bingo will be held Friday January 17, 2025 with a base Jackpot Prize of \$256.00 carried forward. Doors to the Candle Lake Community Hall open at 7:00 pm with the first game starting at 7:30 pm. Beverages, snacks and bingo dabbers will be available at the kitchen concession.

Thank you for your support of this community activity over the past year!

## FEEDBACK

We'd love to hear what you think of The WAVE. If you have any comments or questions, please contact us at info@candlelake.ca



## January 2025 Recreation Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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## Candle Lake Primary Health Care Centre - Jan. 2025

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Dr Jordan Wingate – Tuesday

Medical Office Assistant/Reception Rhonda Fairburn

Check Candle Lake Website for Updates www.candlelake.ca

Please direct questions and inquiries regarding Health Care Service at Candle Lake to: Tyness Meadows – Manager Primary Health Care Services Work: 306-747-5945 Email: <u>Tyness.Meadows@saskhealthauthority.ca</u>

Need an Appointment? Call 306-929-2414 Leave a message to book appointment. It will be returned that day or on the next clinic date.

#### Clinic is Closed for 1 hour for Lunch

## HOMECARE NURSE

Prince Albert Home Care Office Unit D 4050 2nd Avenue West, Prince Albert

Phone: 306-765-2450

Providing services to: Communities of Prince Albert, Birch Hills, Kinistino, Weldon, St. Louis, Christopher Lake, Paddockwood, Meath Park, Candle Lake, Albertville and Henribourg



Candle Lake Home Care Services From the SHA website – https://paphr.ca/services/home care-care-homes-end-of-lifepalliative-care



government services across our province. To be connected with Service Navigators ready to help 24/7/365, or search below independently Help over the phone is available in over 175 languages, including 17 Indigenous languages.



When you call 811, a licensed healthcare professional will give you options and information to help you with health or mental health and addictions-related questions or concerns. You will be able to discuss your concerns in a safe, caring, and confidential manner.

A registered nurse will assess your symptoms and help you decide whether to treat your own symptoms, go to a clinic, see your primary health care provider, or access emergency medical care. If necessary.

HealthLine 811 also provides mental health and addictions support. HealthLine's registered Psychiatric Nurses and Registered Social workers can offer crisis support, advice to help you manage your situation, and connections to resources in your community.

#### HELP TO DEAL WITH MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES:

- Behavioral and emotional disorders in children.
- Dissociation and dissociative disorders.
   Obsessive compulsive disorder.
- Bipolar affective disorder.
   Anviety disorders
- Anxiety disorders.
  Eating disorders.
- Depression.
  Paranoia.

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### **Search and Rescue Certification**

In November, members of Search and Rescue HWY55N participated in Ground Search and Rescue training. New members received their certification, and existing trained members received their next level of certification. Congratulations to all!



## News from the Health Services Committee

The New Year is a time to reflect on the gifts of the past year and plan for the future.

We are grateful for the continuing and unfailing support and guidance the Saskatchewan Health Quality Council has provided our committee and the Candle Lake—Alive and Well project. They have provided student and researcher support, data reports and much needed encouragement.

The Candle Lake community has shown amazing support and participation in the Health Needs and Resources survey. It is the foundation for the planning and community initiatives of the future.

The Saskatchewan Health Authority has provided our Nurse Practitioner, Lab assistant, Medical Office Assistants and with Dr. Wingate, together they are providing comprehensive health care to Candle Lake and region.

We are thankful the Saskatchewan Seniors Mechanism has invited us to participate in their Social Prescribing Initiative and supporting us as we help to develop the service in the province. We anticipate our new community connector will be a valued resource.

Our Health Center is under renovation and expansion.

Lastly thank you to all the members of the Candle Lake Health Service Committee from the past, the current team, and the new volunteers for the dedicated time and determined effort. They have provided the vision that is opening new health and wellness possibilities for the future.

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Welcome, 2025. Great future opportunities lie ahead.



### **JANUARY 15 & JANUARY 29, 2025**

Our After School Program runs every other Wednesday from 3:45 - 5pm. On January 15 program will feature a visit from our Conservation Officers!

If your child is new to the program, please call the library to register at least one week prior to ensure we have enough snacks and craft supplies on hand. Thank you to the Community Initiatives Fund for the funding to allow us to offer this program free of charge!

### **JANUARY 30, 2025**

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Initiatives Fund

Chantelle from PA Regional KidsFirst will present an Early Learning Program ideal for children ages 0 to 5 years.

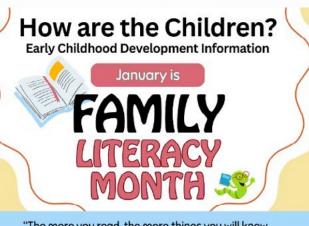
For any further information on the library and its programs, please call Patty at (306) 960-9775.

Follow us on Facebook at Candle Lake Library to keep up with all upcoming events!





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"The more you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you will go."  $\,$  –Dr. Seuss

Literacy is more than just reading. Enjoy talking, laughing, visiting, drawing, singing, and cooking together every day.







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Make storytelling o regular activity in your home.

Listen to your children tell stories and ask them questions





The 2nd Annual Fishing Derby will take place during the Free Fishing Long Weekend on February 16. The fishing derby brings together individuals from across Saskatchewan and this year, the goal is to double the number of entrants from 70 to 140. The Golf Resort will offer 20% off accommodations for participants.

Whether you are an experienced angler or just want to enjoy the atmosphere, everyone is welcome to participate or watch the competition. While the highlight of the weekend is the ice fishing, there's something for everyone to enjoy including a 50/50 draw with profits benefiting a local charity. There will also be hot drinks and food available for purchase near the ice fishing area.

This year over \$10,000 in prizes will be up for grabs, compared to last year's \$3,500 in prizing. There will also be several individual draws for additional prizes. Participants who enter before January 30th will be entered into a special draw for 6 rounds of golf at the Candle Lake Golf Resort.

We'll also be keeping track of the largest catches from the event. Be sure to come and see if you can break last year's records!

Mark your calendars and make plans to join us for a weekend full of ice fishing, community spirit, and amazing prizes. For more information and to register, visit our website at <u>candlelakegolfresort.com</u>.



## News from Candle Lake Citizens on Patrol

#### THANK YOU TO COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM

COPPs thanks Communities in Bloom for their generous donation to our community support program which will ensure community patrol and surveillance signs are prominently displayed and that patroller's vehicles are properly identified with the reflective shields.

#### WHAT WE DO

COPPS patrols watch for suspicious activity in all neighbourhoods throughout our community. We patrol at all times of the day and night and will always have our reflective shields on both sides of our vehicles. Please call the community dispatcher at 306-960-1855 if you see suspicious activity.

#### **REGISTER YOUR VIDEO SURVEILLANCE CAMERA**

Residents and business owners that have video surveillance cameras are encouraged to register their address and contact information with Candle Lake COPPS. The registry will increase the efficiency of law enforcement officers in gathering pertinent video footage if an event occurs near your address. Your information is kept secure and confidential. Only the RCMP or Community Safety Officers will ever ask your explicit permission to view the video footage, and only the COPPS database administrators will ever see who has registered their cameras. Please email <u>CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com</u> to obtain a camera registry form or pick one up at the RVCL Office.

Doug Fehr, President of the Saskatchewan Citizens On Patrol Association (SCOPA), and President of the North Battleford COPP manages a camera registry in North Battleford. "I know our RCMP detachment see value in [the camera registry] and I know of at least 3 circumstances where the camera footage aided in recovery of stolen property and/or helped prove who was at fault in a vehicle accident," says Doug.

#### Submitted by:

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Surveillance



## News from the **Resort Village** Keeping Saskatchewan's Brightest Light Shining:

#### **HOLIDAY HOURS**

#### **Resort Village Municipal Office**

- · December 24 Open all day
- December 25 to January 1 Closed
- January 2 Office re-opens

#### WASTE COLLECTION

#### Week of December 23

- Monday Regular Pick-Up
- Tuesday & Wednesday • Pick-up is on Tuesday, Dece.24

#### Week of December 30

- Monday Regular Pick-Up
- Tuesday & Wednesday – Pick-up is on Tuesday, Dec. 31

#### LANDFILL HOURS

- Tuesday December 24 Open
- · Saturday, December 28 Open
- Tuesday, December 31 Closed
- Saturday, January 4 Open



#### **2025 COUNCIL MEETING DATES**

Executive Committee Meetings (Committee of the Whole) will be held in the Community Hall beginning at 9:00 am

- Friday, January 10, 2025
- Friday, February 7, 2025
- Friday, March 21, 2025
- Friday, April 11, 2025
- Friday, May 9, 2025
- Friday, June 13, 2025
- Friday, July 11, 2025
- Friday, August 8, 2025
- Friday, September 12, 2025
- Friday, October 10, 2025
- Friday, November 14, 2025
- Friday, December 12, 2025

#### Regular Council Meetings will be held in the Community Hall on the following dates beginning at 5:30 pm

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- Thursday, January 23, 2025
- Thursday, February 20, 2025
- Thursday, March 27, 2025
- Thursday, April 24, 2025
- Thursday, May 22, 2025
- Thursday, June 26, 2025
- Thursday, July 24, 2025
- Thursday, August 21, 2025
- Thursday, September 25, 2025
- Thursday, October 23, 2025
- Thursday, November 27, 2025
- Friday, December 12, 2025 (Note: This meeting is on the same date and time as the Executive Committee Meeting)

## Message from the CSO

Have a Merry and Safe Holiday Season by making sure you celebrate responsibly and plan a safe ride home. Along with the RCMP, our Community Safety Officers will be out in the community ensuring that everyone gets home safely this holiday season. They will be spreading their own version of holiday cheer by handing out Christmas candy canes to drivers they encounter.

## Candle Lake Fun Run Inc. Makes Outdoor Rink a Reality

Thanks to a generous donation from the Candle Lake Fun Run Inc., the Resort Village will have an exciting new outdoor winter activity! As the Candle Lake Fun Run Community Rink located at the Community Grounds nears completion, Fun Run Inc. on December 16 representatives Brent and Joely Loehndorf presented RVCL Councillor Deb Hunter with a cheque for \$20,000 towards the acquisition and installation of the rink. Village crews are working hard to get the ice ready before Christmas so that everyone can enjoy it over the holiday season. Special thanks go out to the Candle Lake Golf Resort for loaning us a warmup shack to use over the coming season. Stay tuned to Facebook for more details!

## **December Council Meeting Highlights**

#### THE FOLLOWING DECISIONS WERE MADE AT THE DECEMBER REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING:

- **RVCL Cemetery:** Council gave first reading to Bylaw 17-2024 Cemetery Bylaw which would replace the current Cemetery Policy to serve as a more comprehensive guide for cemetery operations. The Bylaw includes plans for additional plots plus a suitable area for a potential future columbarium. Final approval will be considered at the January Council Meeting.
- **RVCL Fees and Charges:** Cemetery Fees were amongst some of the changes proposed to the Fees and Charges Bylaw 20-24. Cemetery Fees will increase to closer reflect the cost of operation. In addition, the Building Permit Fee was moved to the Fees and Charges Bylaw from the Planning and Development Fee Bylaw and the Planning and Development Fee Bylaw was amended accordingly. Final approval to be considered at the January Council Meeting.
- **RVCL Charitable Receipt Policy:** Council added the Candle Lake Highway 55 North Search and Rescue group to the list of organizations in the Charitable Receipt Policy 200-08 for which the Village is able issue tax deducible receipts for designated donations made to the Village by individuals. Council also approved a license agreement permitting the group to store a utility trailer on the Community Grounds.
- **RVCL Janitorial Contracts:** Council awarded the Janitorial Contracts for the Community Hall and Village Administration Office and related properties. Administration recommended that one contract be renewed (with no changes) for a further two years and the other contract (resulting from a public tender) be awarded to the contractor currently providing the service.
- 2025 Council Meeting and Budget Meeting Dates: Council approved the schedule of Regular Monthly Meetings of Council for 2025 and received a report outlining the 2025 Budget Process. A schedule of Budget Meetings was also approved. The goal is to approve the final 2025 Budget on March 27, 2025, at the March Regular Meeting of Council.
- Holiday Hours: A reminder that the RVCL municipal offices and Landfill will be closed over the holiday season from December 25 January 1st. Wednesday waste collection will move to Tuesday for both weeks.

Detailed minutes will be posted on the RVCL website once they are approved at the next meet of Council. Agendas and reports can be found at this link: <u>RVCL Agendas and Minutes</u>

### Candle Lake Seniors North of 50: January Events

January 14 – Seniors' Potluck Supper Happy Hour – 5:30 pm, Supper – 6 pm Members of our Seniors Club and guests are welcome There will be no Texas Hold'em Tournament this month. The next tournament will be in February. 

## Church Services



## **Candle Lake Community Church**

Worship Services – Everyone is Welcome

\*Sundays at 10 am

\*Christmas Eve Service begins at 7:00 pm

#### Worship Leaders for January

January 5– Archdeacon Andrew Hoskin

January 12 – Pastor Brian Unruh

January 19 – Mark and Cheryl Sorell

January 26 – Rev Wendell Brock

#### **Christmas Hampers**

8 hampers were assembled from the generous donations we received. Thank you to everyone.

Church Contact - Valerie Manton 306-960-0693

### **Roman Catholic Service**

- · Held at the Community Church
- Mass is held Saturday's at 5:00 pm.
- Father Tuyen Vu is currently serving the Candle Lake congregation.

#### Weekday Masses:

• Wednesdays at St. James – Albertville at 7:00 pm.

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• Thursdays at St. Mary's – Christopher Lake at 3:00 pm.