



## 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](mailto:info@candlelake.ca)



## THANK YOU!

Words cannot express our sincere gratitude to all the groups and individuals who played a role in keeping our community safe during the recent fire threat to Candle Lake. Their tireless work and coordinated efforts helped to safeguard our community, and this will never be forgotten.

### OUR FIRE CHIEF & LOCAL VOLUNTEERS

- Fire Chief Jim Arnold and the firefighters, first responders, and Community Safety Officers who make up Candle Lake Emergency Services provided fire fighting and security expertise for long hours every single day of this incident.
- Members of the Candle Lake Emergency Operations Centre met daily, and sometimes more, to manage all aspects of our community response and communicate information to the public on tight timelines.
- Members of Candle Lake Emergency Social Services volunteers ensured food and accommodation were provided and went door-to-door to ensure the health and safety of every single person in our community.
- Our local COPPs members and Conservation Officers helped to provide additional security on a 24/7 basis to keep our properties safe.

### OUTSIDE AGENCIES

- The Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency provided resources including firefighting and equipment resources from within Canada and the United States.
- Wildfire Defense Systems, the Search and Rescue Saskatchewan Association of Volunteers and dozens of local volunteers all worked quickly to FireSmart nearly every single property in our community and area, for people they didn't even know.
- GlobalMedic provided the Resort Village with a gift of four Skid Units to help our firefighters extinguish dangerous spot fires. Fire Chief Mike Kwasnica of Humboldt, President of the Saskatchewan Association of Fire Chiefs (SAFC) and Joanne Austin, SAFC Executive Director spearheaded the request to GlobalMedic.
- Saskatchewan Parks (Candle Lake) staff for finding a place for over 200 firefighters to stay last minute when Lower Fishing Lake was evacuated.

### MAYOR & COUNCIL

- Our Mayor and Council provided overall oversight of the crisis and went above and beyond by taking the time to meet with community members, especially those most vulnerable, to ensure everyone was ok.



## **THANK YOU TO OUR LOCAL BUSINESSES**

- Our local businesses provided support to volunteers and workers. The best way to thank these businesses is to buy local!

## **THANK YOU TO OUR RESIDENTS, PROPERTY OWNERS, & VISITORS**

- Your cooperation during this unprecedented event was appreciated. There were times when we were all learning together, and your ongoing commitment to staying informed, and asking good questions, all contributed to a strong community-wide response to the fire.

## **OUR THOUGHTS ARE WITH AFFECTED COMMUNITIES**

- While Candle Lake has been spared, many other jurisdictions have suffered significant wildfire damage. Our thoughts remain with all those who have been displaced because of the fires, and their communities as they undertake recovery and re-building efforts.



## RESORT VILLAGE OF CANDLE LAKE CANADA DAY CELEBRATIONS JULY 1st, 2025

The Candle Lake Sports, Culture and Recreation Board invite you to join us for the Canada Day Parade – Join the Celebration!

Now that the local emergency has passed and the risk of wildfire is behind us, it's time to come together as a community and celebrate!

We're inviting everyone to take part in this year's Canada Day Parade—and yes, even with short notice, we encourage you to show your Candle Lake spirit and celebrate by decorating your own float!

Date: July 1st

11:00 am - Parade Down Highway 265

Participants should arrive by 10:30 am at the Saskatchewan Parks Visitor Centre

12:15 pm - Food Concession and Ceremonies (at the RVCL Recreation Grounds)

12:30 - 3:00 pm - Celebration activities

The parade will travel from the Visitor Centre to the Resort Village Community Grounds.

Register your float by calling 306-929-2236 or email [parksrec@candlelake.ca](mailto:parksrec@candlelake.ca)

Let's come together in red and white to celebrate our resilience, our country, and our incredible community. See you there!

Fireworks at dusk off of Waskateena Beach (subject to weather and fire conditions).

Thank you to the Government of Canada for sponsoring the Resort Village of Candle Lake Canada Day Celebration.

**\*Please Note: This is a Cash only event.**

## Village de villégiature de Candle Lake, célébrations de la fête du Canada 1er JUILLET 2025

Le conseil des sports, de la culture et des loisirs de Candle Lake vous invite à vous joindre à nous pour le défilé de la fête du Canada – Joignez-vous à la célébration!

Maintenant que l'état d'urgence local est passé et que le risque d'incendie de forêt est derrière nous, il est temps de se rassembler et de célébrer ensemble !

Nous invitons tout le monde à participer au défilé de la fête du Canada de cette année. Et oui, même avec un court préavis, nous vous encourageons à manifester votre esprit de Candle Lake et à célébrer en décorant votre propre char allégorique !

Date : 1er juillet

11 h - Défilé sur la route 265

Les participants sont priés d'arriver avant 10 h 30 au centre d'accueil des visiteurs de Parcs Saskatchewan.

12 h 15 - Concession alimentaire et cérémonies (au terrain de loisirs RVCL).

12 h 30 - 15 h - Activités de célébration

Le défilé se déroulera du centre d'accueil des visiteurs au terrain communautaire du village de villégiature. Inscrivez votre char allégorique en composant le 306-929-2236 ou par courriel à [parksrec@candlelake.ca](mailto:parksrec@candlelake.ca). Rassemblons-nous en rouge et blanc pour célébrer notre résilience, notre pays et notre incroyable communauté. Au plaisir de vous y voir !

Feux d'artifice au crépuscule au large de la plage Waskateena (sous réserve des conditions météorologiques et des conditions d'incendie).

Merci au gouvernement du Canada de parrainer la célébration de la fête du Canada au village de villégiature de Candle Lake.

**\*Veuillez noter : il s'agit d'un événement en espèces uniquement.**



## BINGO News

We welcomed 60 participants at the May 16th Bingo. Two Loonie pots were awarded. Congratulations to our winners Rhett Meakin-Rowden and Wayne Rocheleau.

The next Candle Lake Bingo will be held on Friday June 20. The Jackpot Prize of \$427.50 was not awarded in May - this amount will be carried forward to the June Bingo.

Due to renovations still underway at the Community Hall, the Bingo will take place in the North of 50 Seniors' Room on the 2nd floor of the Community Hall. The Room will be available at 6:45 pm and Bingo play will begin at 7:30 pm. Concession items and Bingo Dabbers will be available for purchase.

Please Note: Due to the size of this room, attendance will be limited to 60 participants.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support of this Sport, Culture & Recreation Board activity.



## Jeffrey Straker Entertains!

Jeffery Straker put on an amazing performance at the Candle Lake Curling Club on the May long weekend. The turnout was great, and we hope everyone enjoyed themselves.

A huge shout out to the Sport, Culture and Recreation Board for supporting this event and volunteering their time and talents to ensure its success!

## Summer's Almost Here! Recreation Activity Guide Now Available!

Check out the full list of recreation opportunities coming this summer in the Summer 2025 Activity Guide in the Recreation & Culture section of [our website](#). To register, please stop by the RVCL office or contact us at 306-929-2236.







**CANDLE LAKE HOOPS BASKETBALL CAMPS**

**Co-ed**

July 22 | 9am-11am  
ages 8-13 | 6:30pm-8:00pm  
July 23 | 9am-11am  
\$50/person

This basketball camp is all about learning, growing, and shining both on and off the court. Basketball isn't just a game here — it's a way to build confidence to set yourself up for success in everything you do.

Mini Camp | 5pm-6:15pm  
ages 5-7 | \$15/person  
July 22

This camp is designed to challenge and boost the skills of younger players while keeping things fun and exciting.

**RVCL Community Ground Basketball Court**

**call to register 306-929-2236**

**Candle Lake**

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**LEARN HIP-HOP**

Step into the spotlight and let your personality shine! At Candle Lake's first Hip-Hop dance camp!

**AUGUST 9th**  
(5-7 yrs) 9am-11am  
(8-13) 5pm-7pm

**AUGUST 10th**  
(5-7 yrs) 9am-11am  
(8-13 yrs) 5pm-7pm  
**Showcase for all ages at 7pm**

**RECREATION HALL**

**\$50 PER PERSON**

**Co-ed**

**Please call 306-929-2236 to register**

**Candle Lake**







**CANDLE LAKE FUN RUN**

# CANDLE LAKE FOOTBALL CAMP

call to register  
306-929-2236

**AUG 6th-9:00AM to 11AM  
and 6:30PM to 8:00PM** **\$50/PERSON**

**RVCL Community Grounds**

**AUG 7TH 9:00AM-11:00 AM**

**AGES 8-13** The co-ed activities are non-contact and will focus on drills for offensive skills and defensive footwork.



**CANDLE LAKE FUN RUN**

# CANDLE LAKE SOCCER CAMP

**AGES 8-13** **\$50/PERSON**

**AUGUST 11 9AM-11:00AM  
6:30PM-8:00PM  
AUGUST 12 9AM-10:30AM**

**CALL TO REGISTER  
306-929-2236**

**AGES 5-7 MINI CAMP** **\$15/PERSON**

**AUGUST 11 5PM-6:15PM  
AGES 5-7 \$15/PERSON**

**RVCL COMMUNITY GROUNDS**



## Discover Scuba/Snorkel Experience

Interested in learning to snorkel or scuba dive? Kelsey Scuba is offering four sessions this summer that will give participants a taste of the sport and increase the fascination of underwater environments using safe shallow water entry practices and skills under close supervision.

Sessions will be held either 12-2 or 2-4 pm on each of the following dates

- Saturday, July 26
- Saturday, August 9

Location: Minowakaw

Cost: \$50 per session for Adults, \$30 per session for youth (8-17) Payment is required upon registration.

Participants must be 8 years of age and older and will be required to sign a waiver prior to the session date.

\*These sessions do not include certification.

For more information, visit: [www.kelseyscubaclub.com](http://www.kelseyscubaclub.com) or contact instructor Cliff Adolf at 1-306-270-8495.



# JUNE 2025 Recreation Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b>	<b>2</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Cardmaking 4:30 Candle Lake Slimmers	<b>3</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting	<b>4</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 12:30-4 Art Club 1:30 Emergency Social Service Meeting-Erin and Sheryl 3:45 Library After School Program	<b>5</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting	<b>6</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b>	<b>7</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 5-6:00 Mass
<b>8</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 10:00 Worship Services	<b>9</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 10:00 - Seniors Board 1:00- 4:00 Cardmaking 4:30 Candle Lake Slimmers	<b>10</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting 5:30 Seniors Potluck	<b>11</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 9:15 Sport, Culture & Recreation Board Meeting 12:30-4:00 Art Club	<b>12</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting 9:00am - 2:00pm Health Services Committee	<b>13</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 9:00 Committee of the Whole	<b>14</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 12 - 2 Salad Fiesta 5-6:00 Mass
<b>15</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 10:00 Worship Services	<b>16</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Cardmaking 4:30 Candle Lake Slimmers	<b>17</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting	<b>18</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 12:30-4 Art Club 3:45 Library After School Program	<b>19</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting	<b>20</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 7:30 BINGO	<b>21</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 5-6:00 Mass
<b>22</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 10:00 Worship Services	<b>23</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Cardmaking 4:30 Candle Lake Slimmers	<b>24</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting 3-5:00 Book Club	<b>25</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 10-11:00 Nature Walk 12:30-4 Art Club	<b>26</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Quilting 5:30 Council Meeting	<b>27</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b>	<b>28</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 5-6 Mass 7:00 Texas Hold-em
<b>29</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 10:00 Worship Services	<b>30</b> <b>HALL CLOSED</b> 1:00-4:00 Cardmaking Canada Day set-up Donny Parenteau 4:30 Candle Lake Slimmers					

North of 50 Seniors Hall  
 Curling Rink  
 Community Church  
 Provincial Beach  
 Board Room  
 Recreation Hall  
 Community Grounds



## Mystical Forest Opening Early This Year at a New Location: Get Your Displays Ready!

The Mystical Forest will be set up on the Fun Run Trail this year starting June 12th. The Sport, Culture & Recreation Board made the decision to move the event with the hope there will be less mosquitos in this area. The Mystical Forest runs June 12 to early September. We invite the community to put out their displays early so that school groups can enjoy them on their field trips to Candle Lake.

## Actors Wanted!

The Sport, Culture, and Recreation Drama Production is seeking a Male and Female actor for Spring 2026. Please contact Michelle Korol for more information at (306) 981-3361.



### Candle Lake Sailing Club 2025

Our goal is to promote and support a passion for sailing by hosting sailing lessons and offering our members access to our fleet of boats! We hope to offer more events so stay tuned to our Facebook page: Candle Lake Sailing Club

#### Membership

Membership is only \$40 per person or \$100 per family. This offers members access to two flying juniors at Sandy Bay Campground. Mobile sailing school lessons: \$120 per person this year.

#### Sailing Lessons

Last summer we offered lessons for children, youth and ladies/adults and had some pretty happy sailors! Lessons this summer are August 4th - 7th. CANSail Level 1 Ages 8-13 August 5th-7th 9:00am-12:00pm. CANSail Level 2 Ages 14-adult August 4th-7th 1:00-4:00pm. CANSail Level 1 Ages 14-adult August 4th-6th 5:00-8:00pm. Sign up at: [www.sasksail.com](http://www.sasksail.com)



You don't have to own a sailboat to join the club. For more information contact: Twyla (director) 306 361-2124

Contact us through our Facebook page: Candle Lake Sailing Club. See you on the water!

### Candle Lake Sailing Club Sailing Classes at Sandy Bay Campground August 4 - 7, 2025



CANSail Level 1  
Ages: 8 - 13  
August 5 - 7  
9:00 am-12:00 pm



CANSail Level 2  
Ages: 14 - Adult  
August 4 - 7  
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

CANSail Level 1  
Ages: 14 - Adult  
August 4 - 6  
5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

**Class Fee - \$120.00 per student**

**For more information contact: Twyla Markham  
@ 306-361-2124 Register @ <https://sasksailingmobile.checklick.com/>**





**Christmas  
IN JULY  
SALE**

**SATURDAY**  
JULY 6, 2024  
10:00 AM - 5:00 PM

**SUNDAY**  
JULY 7, 2024  
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

**INDOOR & OUTDOOR  
BOOTHS**

**CANTEEN  
ON SITE**

**SOMETHING FOR  
EVERYONE!**

**@ Candle Lake  
Curling Club**



**CANDLE LAKE ART CLUB**

**SHOW & SALE**

**SAT. JULY 5 - SUN. JULY 6**  
**10 AM - 4 PM**

**SILVER  
DONATION AT  
THE DOOR**

**CANDLE LAKE SENIORS  
HALL (UPSTAIRS,  
ELEVATOR IS  
AVAILABLE IF NEEDED)**

**COME AND SEE WHAT  
OUR TALENTED LOCALS  
HAVE BEEN UP TO!**




Forever...



**in motion™**

*Physical Activity - do it for life!*

## Functional fitness classes, fun and free!

Adults 55+, Men and Women

**Forever...in motion** is an initiative that helps older adults become physically active through fitness classes led by trained volunteers. Sponsored by the Resort Village of Candle Lake.

Dates: Tuesday and Friday (April 29 - June 27)  
Times: 10:00 - 11:00 am  
Location: Candle Lake Curling Club  
Focus: Cardio, Strength, Balance and Flexibility  
Cost: No Charge  
What to bring: Clean inside shoes, water bottle and fitness bands

For more information: Twyla - 306-361-2124





# READY-SET-GO!

## The Fourth Annual Candle Lake Fun Run is On!

Let's get our laces tied up—the fourth annual Candle Lake Fun Run is happening Saturday, September 13, 2025, at the scenic Candle Lake Golf Resort! This annual event is all about community, connection, and raising funds for mental health initiatives across Saskatchewan and right here in Candle Lake.

After you cross the finish line, the fun keeps going! Stick around for a day full of fun! Join us at the Rockin' with RockRidge tent for live entertainment, enjoy delicious eats from food trucks, and explore a huge Kids zone, face painting, vendor tents—and don't forget the great swag packages!!! something for all ages!

You can register today at [www.candlelakefunrun.ca](http://www.candlelakefunrun.ca) to join the movement for mental health.

Follow us on Facebook @CandleLakeFunRun for the latest updates.

Sponsorship and volunteer opportunities are available! Please reach out to Brent or Joely at [candlelakefunrun@gmail.com](mailto:candlelakefunrun@gmail.com) to get involved.

Let's come together once again to run, walk, and raise awareness—see you at the run/walk!

Sincerely,



Brent Loehndorf - President  
Candle Lake Fun Run Inc.  
306-230-2926





## Candle Lake Primary Health Care Centre - June 2025

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 Clinic -8:00-4:30pm NP Kristen Taylor Wall 9:00 - 3:30pm	3 Clinic -8:00-4:30pm NP Kristen Taylor Wall 9:00 - 3:30pm	4 Clinic -8:00-4:30pm Dr. Jordan Wingate NP Kristen Taylor-Wall 9:00 - 3:30pm	5 CLOSED	6 CLOSED
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Dr Jordan Wingate – Thursday

NP – Kristen Taylor – Wall – Monday to Friday

Rhonda Fairburn - Medical Office Assistant/Reception

Shelley Empey – Medical Office Assistant – Casual

Alana Jellicoe – Medical Office Assistant – Casual

Check Candle Lake Website for Updates

[www.candlelake.ca](http://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: [Tyness.Meadows@saskhealthauthority.ca](mailto:Tyness.Meadows@saskhealthauthority.ca)

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**

## HEMOCARE 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-life-palliative-care>



## SASK HEALTH 211

For questions about any of the below issues please feel free to  
Call 211  
Text HELLO to 211  
Online at [www.211.ca](http://www.211.ca)

211 Saskatchewan offers a database of over 6,000 community, social, non-clinical health, and 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.

1. Mental Health
2. Health Care
3. Learning / Education
4. Community Programs
5. Seasonal
6. Homelessness
7. Employment / Training
8. Housing
9. Basic Needs
10. Legal / Courts
11. Income Support
12. Older Adults
13. Youth
14. Children / Family
15. Disability
16. Veterans
17. 2SLGBTQIA+
18. Crisis hotline
19. Violence / Abuse
20. Indigenous People
21. Parent Center

CALL 811

today to

## GET HELP

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.
- Anxiety disorders.
- Eating disorders.
- Depression.
- Paranoia.

HEALTHLINE 811



# News from the Health Services Committee

## COMMUNITY CONSULTATIONS – CREATING A COMMUNITY INSPIRED APPROACH TO ADVANCE HEALTH SERVICES IN CANDLE LAKE

In late March 2025, the Health Service Committee hosted three community consultations where 50 community members shared their thoughts and insights into how we can help advance health services in our community. Thank you to everyone who participated, for caring, and giving of your time!

The sessions specifically focused on health needs and resources in our community in three areas:

- Transportation – Assistance locally and out of community
- System Navigation – Finding resources and information
- In Home Support - Assistance when required in life crisis points or to “age in place”

We identified the strengths, weaknesses, the threats and the opportunities in each of these areas, gathered very interesting ideas, and identified common issues surrounding each.

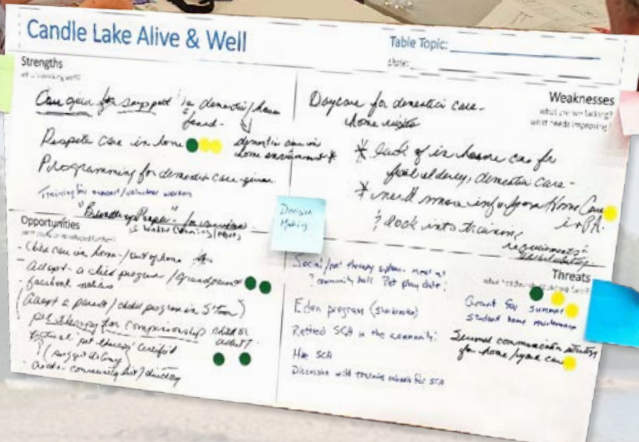


This information will now be used to set priorities for the work of the Health Services Committee as we strive to address the needs of all of our residents. Our final report will be released in early June and will be posted on the RVCL website under Health Services page. Watch the RVCL Facebook – and we will post it online at [Candle Lake Health Services](https://www.candlelake.ca/health-services).

Our next steps will be to address the common issues identified surrounding:

- Varied communication strategies;
- Volunteer structure, recruitment, support and coordination;
- Creating a resource directory – Listing our resources both local and elsewhere; and
- Exploring and implementing funding strategies.

Are you interested in being a part of this exciting work? Become a Health Services Volunteer by contacting any Committee member or email the Committee at: [rvclhealth@candlelake.ca](mailto:rvclhealth@candlelake.ca)

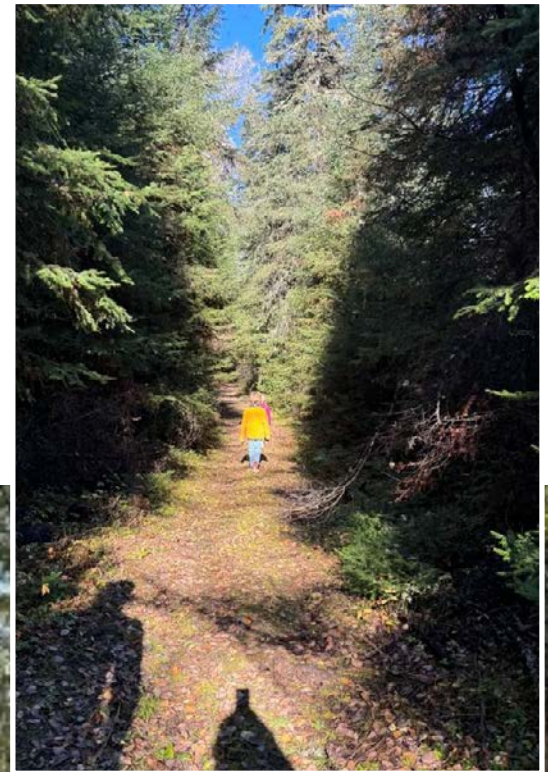




## News from the Trails Advisory Board

### FEATURE TRAIL: OLD HORSE TRAIL (3.1 KM ONE-WAY)

This historical trail has moderate terrain that can accommodate walkers/hikers, mountain biking, and snowshoeing in the winter. This trail has signage created by Communities in Bloom which provides historical info as well as artifacts from the past. While on the trail you may experience ruts and exposed spruce or aspen tree roots and at times the trail narrows. To access the trail, find the trailhead at the corner of Industrial Road & Main Street. The trail ends at a registered snowmobile trail (at the South end of Bay Lake); please do not enter the snowmobile trail. A reminder that ATVs are not allowed on trails.





# News from Citizens on Patrol COPPS

## WHAT DOES COPPS DO?

COPPS patrols watch for suspicious activity in neighbourhoods throughout our community at all times of the day and night. Our reflective shields are always placed on both sides of our vehicles. If you see any suspicious activity, please call the community dispatcher at (306) 960-1855.



## HIGHER FREQUENCY OF BREAK-INS IN THE SPRING

The RCMP have informed COPPS that in the spring, there is typically a higher-than-normal frequency of break-ins due to property owners 're-stocking' their seasonal residences for the summer. Please keep an eye on your and your neighbours' properties, watching for suspicious activity and ALWAYS report suspicious activity to the Community Dispatch at (306) 960-1855. Even if a break-in has not occurred, reporting suspicious activity alerts law enforcement officers to potential issues and gives them a better idea of what to watch for in our community.

## VIDEO SURVEILLANCE CAMERA REGISTRY

Property owners with surveillance cameras are encouraged to register their address with our 'Surveillance Camera Registry.' The registry is an investigative tool to assist our Candle Lake Community Safety Officers (CSO's) and the RCMP with investigations when incidents occur in your neighbourhood. You can help protect your community by registering your security camera(s) with the Candle Lake COPPS. Your contact information and the camera location information will ONLY be shared with the Candle Lake CSO's and the RCMP. If required, investigators will contact you directly and request permission for surveillance footage for specific periods of time. It is at your discretion to release the video footage to the CSO's and/or RCMP.



Candle Lake COPPS Camera Registry forms are available at local businesses, at the RVCL Office or by emailing [CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com](mailto:CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com).

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. This is what he has to say about their camera registry: "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."

For more information, please contact:

Robert Schultz, President  
Candle Lake Citizens on Patrol Program  
P.O. Box 452, Candle Lake Saskatchewan S0J 3E0  
[CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com](mailto:CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com)



## News from the Library

**After School Program:** Last two before Summer Break! Wednesday June 4th and June 18th from 3:45pm to 5:00pm. - We will be sculpting with clay this month, so the first program will be sculpting and for the second program the kids will paint their creations!

Please remember to give your bus driver permission to drop your child off at the library, parent pick up time is by 5:00 pm. If you are new to this program you must pre-register to ensure we have enough snacks and supplies on hand. Please call during library hours to sign up, or if you have any questions.

Last month one of our themes was Weather. The kids all took a turn at various weather related science experiments and then crafted a Cloud Bookmark.

***Mark your calendars for the After School Program to start up again Wednesday, September 10. Let Patty know if you have new students starting school in the Fall that will be joining our program!***

### COMING THIS SUMMER

#### CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS AND THE TD SUMMER READING CLUB.

We will be announcing dates and registration details for these programs soon. The theme this year is Around the World and we will be providing Art Programs, VR Programs and the Saskatchewan Science Centre will be here as well! All summer programs provided free of charge thanks to a generous grant from the Community Initiatives Fund!

#### **START YOUR SPRING CLEANING!**

We will be accepting donations of good condition Books, DVD's, Puzzles and Games for our Annual Book Sale on July 1st! Watch for announcements closer to the end of June for drop off dates.

#### **BOOK CLUB**

Please contact Brian Kostka at 514.622.8913 to join!

The Book Club meets on the last Tuesday of each month in the boardroom (beside the library) at 3:00pm.

**Please check our Facebook Page often for updates and news from the Library!**



**Wapiti Regional Library**  
Serving Central Saskatchewan





## News from Candle Lake Communities In Bloom



It's the season again when Communities In Bloom volunteers start planting flowers throughout the Resort Village. Thank you to everyone who took part in the May community ditch cleaning. Most of our community groups participated this year. Candle Lake looks so well cared for because of the pride our community volunteers and Resort Village Staff have. Thank you!

Communities In Bloom continues to collect bottle/can recyclables. Please deposit your cans and bottles in the Communities In Bloom blue bins located around the lake. All funds raised from bottle collection are used on projects throughout the Village. Recently, \$5000.00 was shared with the Sport, Culture and Recreation Board to be used for stage lighting at the Community Hall. Please note: Do NOT place garbage in the recycle bins (this has been an issue in the

### ATTENTION ALL NEIGHBOURHOODS!

Communities In Bloom is offering our subdivisions an incentive to spruce up the entrances to their neighbourhoods with a reimbursement of \$80 to go towards flowers. Please contact Helen for more information at (306)425-0220.

### Are you interested volunteering?

Everyone is welcome to volunteer in our Community In Bloom programs offered here in this lake paradise. Get involved - it is very rewarding!



Fraser Markham providing a letter of thanks to Dawn Duliak for the \$5,000 gift of funding to the Sport, Culture and Recreation Board.







Thank you to Star City Hutterite Colony who supplies us with flowers for our flower beds, planters, and hanging baskets. Their bedding plants are beautiful and have given our community a spectacular flower display for years now. Every Saturday the Colony comes to Candle Lake to sell their greenhouse treasures, produce, dairy, meats and more. Visit their location at the Candle Lake Golf Resort starting at 9:00 am. Go early for the best selection!

## **Candle Lake Seniors North of 50 June Events**

### **June 10 – Potluck Supper**

Happy Hour – 5:30 pm, Supper – 6:00 pm, followed by outdoor games

Members of our Club and guests are welcome

### **June 28 – Texas Hold'em Tournament 7:00 pm**

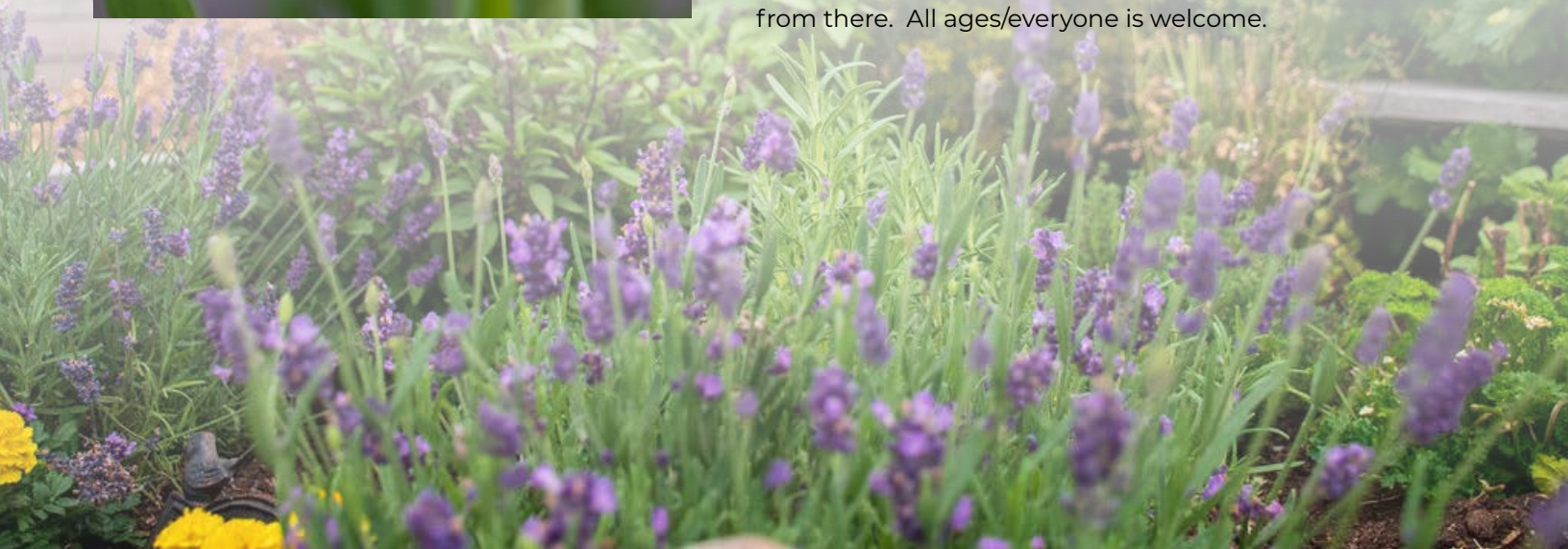
Buy In - \$10.00

All adults are welcome

### **June 25 – Nature Walk – 10:00 to 11:00 am**

Aschim Homestead

Meet at the Community Hall and we'll carpool to Aschim from there. All ages/everyone is welcome.





## Church Services



### Roman Catholic Service

- Mass is celebrated Saturdays at 5:00 PM at the Candle Lake Community Church
- Father Tuyen Vu serves the Candle Lake congregation
- Confessions are heard before and after Saturday Mass
- The Rosary is recited before Mass (at 4:40 PM)
- A Children's Liturgy Session is now offered during each Mass

### **Weekday Masses:**

- Wednesdays at St. James – Albertville at 7:00 pm.
- Thursdays at St. Mary's – Christopher Lake at 3:00 pm.

### Candle Lake Community Church

Worship Services – Everyone is Welcome  
\*Sundays at 10:00 am

### **Worship Leaders for April**

June 1– Archdeacon Andrew Hoskin  
June 8 – Pastor Brian Unruh  
June 15 – Mark and Cheryl Sorell  
June 22 – Pastor Wendell Brock  
June 29 – Pastor Howard Rensberry

### **Tisdale Day Camp:**

July 2 and 3 (Session 1) and July 5 (Session 2)

Information is available at local businesses or contact Victoria Riley at 306-921-3190

**Salad Fiesta** will be held June 14 at noon.  
Admission \$10.00

Check the posters at local businesses.  
For tickets, contact Jackie at 306-929-3266 or 961-0198

### **Visit our Serenity Garden**

The Serenity Garden is located behind the church and is open to the public for all to enjoy its quiet beauty. When you visit, please ensure that the gates are closed when you leave.

**Church Contact – Valerie Manton 306-960-0693**



## News from the Resort Village

### Van Impe Neighbourhood First in Saskatchewan to practice FireSmart!

Earlier this year, the Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency invited communities in Saskatchewan to apply for a grant to be used in conjunction with FireSmart planning in individual neighbourhoods. Three Candle Lake neighbourhoods were grant recipients, and in May, the Van Imp neighbourhood became the first neighbourhood in the province to hold a FireSmart initiative meeting. Representatives of the SPSA and Candle Lake Emergency Services were in attendance of the event.

FireSmart is focused on taking proactive steps to ensure areas around properties are clear of any excess fuel that could easily burn.





## Welcome Back to the Lake Event

Thank you to everyone who attended the Welcome Back to the Lake Event held on May 17, and to all the businesses and organizations who set up displays. It was a great day to welcome everyone back to the lake! Finally, thank you to the Candle Lake Chamber of Commerce for leading the organizing of the event.



## Creating Fairness and Sustainability in Lagoon Usage

Over the past decade the Resort Village lagoon system has encountered capacity issues, especially in the busy peak season. This has been caused by growth in both our seasonal population and in the number of commercial haulers from outside the Resort Village that transport sewage to the lagoon. An expansion project is currently underway at the East Lagoon to address these capacity issues.

Historically, lagoon operating costs have been funded through general taxation, which has resulted in property owners with higher assessed property values paying more for lagoon use, regardless of their usage. In addition, septic companies disposing of sewage on behalf of property owners located within the Resort Village do not pay a lagoon disposal fee; the fees property owners pay to commercial haulers cover only transportation.

As Candle Lake properties are unmetered, it is not possible to create a volume-based fee system, therefore a flat annual levy is the most practical and equitable for local users.

At the May meeting of Council, a Bylaw to create a Lagoon Waste Management Rate was approved. It changes the way lagoon operations are funded and includes the following:

- A \$100 flat levy on every improved property to cover fixed overhead costs; and
- A \$0.045/gal fee to be remitted by approved commercial haulers for sewage originating outside the RVCL.

This bylaw establishes fair and sustainable rates for the use of the municipal sewage lagoon by both owners of properties located within the Resort Village, not including vacant lots, and commercial sewage haulers who service properties outside the Resort Village.

The revenue collected from the levy and fee will cover the lagoon operating and maintenance costs and allow for a contribution to our capital reserves.



## **Is Your Address Visible From the Street? Help Us Help You!**

In accordance with Candle Lake Emergency Services Bylaw 07-2025, Section 29, all buildings, RV trailers, mobile homes, and other structures must have their civic address number clearly displayed and visible from the street.

Lettering must be not less than 100 mm high with a 25 mm stroke. This initiative is essential to help First Responders locate properties quickly during emergencies, ensuring fast and effective assistance when it's needed most.

The deadline for voluntary compliance is June 30. After June 30, 2025, enforcement will begin. Properties without visible civic addressing may be subject to a \$250 fine under the bylaw.

Civic address numbers are available at Candle Lake Home Hardware.

We thank all residents for supporting this initiative. Your participation helps us achieve our goal of ensuring all emergency services can respond quickly and accurately to the correct address.

## **Spruce Grove Park Public Meeting**

Approximately 90 individuals attended a public meeting held May 20th to discuss the Spruce Grove Park development. Thirteen presentations were made by members of the public.

The meeting provided a lot of information. A detailed summary of Frequently Asked Questions has been created to provide information and answer questions from the public about the Park development.

These FAQs can be found on the RVCL website.

[Spruce Grove Park Development FAQ](#)

## **Our Summer Students Are Arriving!**

Our summer students are beginning to arrive! Brea, Thomas, Brayden, and Ethan are all set to serve our residents this summer. Public Works summer students generally assist with a wide range of tasks related to infrastructure maintenance, including mowing grass, vegetation control, watering flowers, and any other work required to keep our community looking clean and beautiful all summer long! Be sure and give them a wave hello if you see them out and about!

## **Erin Maloy Joins RVCL Staff**

Erin Maloy joined RVCL as our new Recreation and Community Engagement Manager April 7, 2025. Erin brings a strong background in recreation, holding a Bachelor of Kinesiology with a Major in Recreation Administration, as well as a Recreation and Leisure Management Diploma. Many of you already know Erin as a dedicated resident of Candle Lake and a past member of our Sport, Culture, and Recreation Committee. We are excited to have her on board! Please join us in congratulating Erin and welcoming her to this important new role.



Erin Maloy & her family

## **Thank You to Our Public Works Staff**

National Public Works Week was May 18-24. On behalf of the community, we want to express our most sincere appreciation to the hardworking individuals in our Public Works department.

Public Works staff ensure help ensure the smooth functioning of our community with the goal of ensuring the safety and well-being of residents. In Candle Lake, our regular Public Works staff take care of our roadway maintenance and dust control, snow clearing and ice control, trees, ditch and trails maintenance, cemetery management, and managing drainage systems. Staff also support opportunities to recycle in the community including the Recycle My Electronics program, battery recycling, disposal of old and contaminated fuel and oils, and organizing community 'clean-up' weeks and free landfill weekends in the summer.

A BBQ was held for our Public Works staff (and other RVCL staff) during Public Works week. Thank you to all of our workers who help make our community a great place to live!

## **Community Hall Renovation Update**

Renovations at the Hall continue. As this work is taking place, please note the following:

- April 28 – June 30: The Community Hall will be closed for all activities while work is done to complete renovations. The Seniors Room will remain open and available for activities.
- July 1: All activities scheduled at the Community Hall will resume, including Canada Day festivities planned for in the Hall.

\*Please note, should construction activities take longer than anticipated, this information may change. Please follow the RVCL Facebook page for information or call the Resort Village Office.

## **RCMP Online Crime Reporting Tool**



### **DID YOU KNOW YOU CAN REPORT A CRIME ONLINE?**

- The OCRT gives residents in Saskatchewan RCMP jurisdiction a simple and convenient way to report select crimes.
- The tool is available 24/7.
- It takes about 15 minutes to report a crime.
- You will be guided through a series of questions to give police information regarding the crime.
- After submitting, you will receive an email with an incident number.
- A police officer will contact you if more information is required.

### **WHAT TYPES OF CRIME CAN YOU REPORT?**

- Fraud & Scams
- Vandalism/Damage
- Lost & Stolen Property
- Traffic Offences
- Harassing Phone Calls or E-Communication

Note: If you have an emergency that is urgent and/or a risk to public safety, dial 9-1-1.





## **Property Tax Payment Options**

There are many ways to pay your property taxes:

- In Person at the Village Hall - cash, debit or cheque will be accepted.
- E-transfer to [info@candlelake.ca](mailto:info@candlelake.ca)
- TIPPS (Tax Installment Payment Plan Service Program) - TIPPS offers equalized monthly property tax payments. To sign up for TIPPS, withdraw from TIPPS, or change your banking information for TIPPS, please contact the Resort Village at (306) 929-2236 or [info@candlelake.ca](mailto:info@candlelake.ca).

## **Want to Have Your Water Tested?**

The Saskatchewan Health Authority offers a free quarterly service whereby they pick up and test water samples in rural locations. Samples are tested in Regina. To have your water tested, please drop off a sample at the Resort Village Office. The next pick-up date is Tuesday, June 17. Your water sample must be dropped off before 11:00 am to be included.

If you have any questions about this service, or require water sample bottles, please contact the SHA at (306) 765-6600.

## **Highlights from the May Executive Committee and Council Meeting**

Sale of Municipal Land Proposal – Council considered a proposal received last month for the sale of Municipal Reserve lands on behalf of some cabin owners in the Onechassa Subdivision and determined the proposal did not comply with the RVCL Municipal Lands Policy 200-71 in that it fails to show any measurable benefits to the municipality and directed administration to advise the applicant.

2024 Audited Financial Statement – The 2024 Audited Financial Statement was presented by Landon Grubb of BDO Financial Accounting and Council approved the audited financial statements at the May Council meeting. The Financial Statement is available on our website [HERE](#).

Emergency Services Fire Prevention Bylaw – Council amended the bylaw to simplify the enforcement process by allow enforcement officers to issue fines which offer an opportunity for the offender to pay it without going to court over the matter.

Public Behavior Bylaw – Council approved an amendment to the bylaw to clarify that it is an offence to interfere with an employee or agent of the village in the commission of their duties.

Candle Lake Community in Bloom (CIB) Memorandums of Understanding- Council renewed their agreement CIB for maintenance services for the Aschim Heritage Site and the beautification and recycling initiatives within the Village. The MOU was also amended it so that it will renew automatically each year unless the parties desire changes.

Subdivision Application – Council endorsed an application to subdivide a residential lot at 3 White Poplar Crescent into two parcels. The subdivision will reverse a previous consolidation of the two parcels.

Bobcat E60 Mini Excavator – Council approved an increase in funding of \$6,420 to cover the P.S.T. to purchase a new Mini Excavator which was budgeted for in the 2025 budget to replace the existing 2009 mini excavator. The funding will come from unanticipated revenue in the operating budget resulting from the sale of surplus equipment.

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: [RVCL Agendas and Minutes](#)





## GARBAGE PICK-UP SCHEDULE

### SUMMER 2025

**Monday May 5, 2025, to Saturday October 13, 2025**

**There is no garbage pick-up on a Statutory Holiday**

**Garbage pick-up following a Statutory Holiday will be the next workday**

- \* **Garbage should be streetside by 7:00am.**
- \* Garbage must be bagged & stored in containers with the lid securely fastened.
- \* Please keep the area clear in front of garbage can (No rocks or other garbage bags). Do not set garbage cans in the ditches. Ensure the stand or containers be at a height that is easily accessible for manual lifting of bags from the containers.
- \* Total weight must not exceed 10 kg or 22 lbs., remember collection is done manually.
- \* **GARBAGE PICK-UP DOES NOT INCLUDE:**  
**BUILDING MATERIALS, FISH FILLETING REMAINS, ANIMAL DROPPINGS, CARDBOARD BOXES, GRASS CLIPPINGS, LEAVES, BRUSH, ETC...**

**Garbage will be picked up in order listed.**

#### MONDAY

1. ONECHASSA
2. TELWIN
3. SANDERMAN
4. CLEARSAND
5. VAN IMPE

#### TUESDAY

1. AIRPARK (Properties on the Hwy side of Airstrip bordered by Lakeview Drive and Hwy 265)
2. NORTH SACKETT (East of Hwy 265 and South of Main Street)
3. SOUTH SACKETT (Includes all properties on the lakeside of Airstrip and all properties off Lambert)

#### WEDNESDAY

1. TORCH LAKE (All properties on the Torch Lake side of Hwy 265)
2. BAYVIEW (East of Hwy 265 and South of Main Street to Hwy 120)
3. ISLANDVIEW (Includes Barnes Pl)

4. HANSON (Formerly Downtown, Hanson's Haven or Haydukewich – includes lakeside of Hwy 265 from Prov. Park south)
5. WASKATEENA (The lakeside of Main Street from Hwy 265 to Simon Lehne)
6. ASPEN GROVE
7. CANDLE PINE AND HERITAGE GROVE
8. FORD ROAD

#### THURSDAY

1. BAY LAKE ESTATES (On Hwy 120)
2. MINOWUKAW
3. GLENDALE/DENMOR ESTATES
4. GOLF COURSE
5. NORTHVIEW
6. HARBOUR GOLF ESTATES

#### FRIDAY

1. HOLIDAY ACRES (Between Simon Lehne Dr & Andrews Avenue & North of Main St to Holiday Dr)
2. HAYES (North of Holiday Dr – both sides of Simon Lehne)
3. NOBLES POINT

#### **LANDFILL SUMMER HOURS ARE:**

**MONDAY, TUESDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, & SUNDAY 8:30 AM TO 4:00 PM**

**CLOSED FROM 12:00 TO 12:30 PM FOR LUNCH**

**OPEN STATUTORY HOLIDAYS: MAY 19<sup>TH</sup>, AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup>, AND SEPTEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**CLOSED TUESDAY JULY 1<sup>ST</sup>**

**ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS PLEASE CONTACT THE RVCL OFFICE AT 306-929-2236**