

News from the Sport, Culture and Recreation Board

BINGO News

The Jackpot of \$150 was not awarded at the November Bingo, so it will be coming forward to the December Bingo which will take place Friday December 13 starting at 7:30 pm.

Doors to the Candle Lake Community Hall open at 7:00 pm. Beverages, snacks and bingo dabbers will be available at the kitchen concession. Thank you for your support of the various bingo events throughout the last year. Merry Christmas everyone!

Pancake Breakfast Hours Extended

A new 7:00 am start time means that families with children can now attend the pancake breakfast before school! Students who attend Meath Park School may be picked up by the school bus at the Community Hall following breakfast to be transported to school.

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



Candle Lake Community PANCAKE breakfast

EVERYONE WELCOME!!!

Wednesday December 4
7:00 to 11:00 AM

@ the Recreation Hall

Breakfast includes: pancakes, sausages, juice and/or coffee **\$5/plate**

Proudly supported by the Sport, Culture and Recreation Board as well as other community volunteers

funding provided by
SASK LOTTERIES



Trunk or Treat a Scary Success

The Sport, Culture and Recreation Board (in conjunction with the Resort Village of Candle Lake) presented the "Trunk or Treat" Event on October 24, 2024.

The featured attraction was the "Haunted House" inside the Community Hall. A key addition to the interior displays was the collection of scary, life like characters. There were also several new additions outside for the 2024 Trunk or Treat: a Petting Zoo and Pony Rides. We enjoyed a terrific day weather wise with relatively warm, sunny conditions.

Thank you to everyone who attended this event. Each year the Trunk or Treat Event has improved and progressed based on the creative displays as well as the outdoor activities.



News from the Trails Advisory Board

Cross Country Skiing - Feature Trail: West End Trail

Candle Lake offers a stunning variety of cross-country skiing opportunities, and this season, the conditions are gearing up to be great! With well-groomed trails, breathtaking views, and a welcoming atmosphere for newcomers, Candle Lake is the perfect spot to enjoy this classic winter activity.

One of the standout features of the area is the West End Trail. This is a beautiful 9.2 km loop trail located on Crown land between Telwin and Van Imp subdivisions. The trail is groomed however crews are currently working to conduct tree thinning as part of the Saskatchewan Public Safety Agency's Fuel Management strategy to reduce the risk of fire.

Closure signs will be posted. Watch Facebook for updates when portions of the trail will be reopened to cross country skiers.



Whether you are an experienced skier or just starting out, Candle Lake trails provide scenic and enjoyable routes through the beautiful landscape. The trails have been carefully prepared by dedicated members of the Trails Advisory Board, who generously donate their time and expertise to maintain and groom using a snowmobile and track-setter. Their efforts ensure that the trails are in top condition, allowing for a smooth and enjoyable experience for skiers of all levels.

For those new to cross-country skiing, Candle Lake offers plenty of opportunities to learn and enjoy the sport. The terrain is varied, providing a mix of easy, moderate, and more challenging sections to suit different abilities. In addition, there are plenty of resources available, including friendly locals who are happy to share tips and guidance for beginners. Before heading out be sure to pick up your Candle Lake Cross-Country Ski Map for Bay Lake Trails and West End Trails from the RVCL office or local businesses.

With its pristine trails, beautiful scenery, and commitment to safety and maintenance, Candle Lake is truly a cross-country skiing destination for everyone. Whether you're a seasoned skier or trying the sport for the first time, there's no better place to experience the joys of winter on skis. So, grab your gear and head out to enjoy everything Candle Lake has to offer this winter!



December 2024 Recreation Calendar

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2 9:00 Walkers 10:00 Parent and Tot gym time 1:00 Pickleball	3 Private Function All Day 1:00 - 3:00 Health Services Committee meeting	4 9:00 Walkers 12:30 Art Club 1:00 Pickleball 3:45 Library After School Program	5 9:00 Walkers 1:00 Pickleball 7:00 Badminton	6 9:00 Walkers 10:00 Forever in Motion	7 8:00-3:00 Golf Resort Winter Craft Fair 5:00 Private Function
8	9 9:00 Walkers 10:00 Parent and Tot gym time 1:00 Pickleball 1:30 Bake Exchange Meeting	10 9:00 Walkers 10:00 Forever in Motion 3:45 Family Fun 5:30 Zumba 5:30-7:30 Seniors Potluck	11 9:00 Walkers 9:15 Sport, Culture and Recreation Board meeting 12:30 Art Club 1:00 Pickleball	12 9:00 Walkers 1:00 Pickleball 7:00 Badminton	13 9:00 Committee of the Whole Meeting & Council Meeting 7:30 BINGO	14
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Recreation gym
 Second Floor meeting Room

Candle Lake Primary Health Care Centre - Dec. 2024

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

Lab Assistant – Wednesday
Shelley Empey

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: 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>



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

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

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.

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

Gift the Gift of Camp!

Camp Tapawingo Programs for Ages 6-16 (July and August)

Give the gift of camp this Christmas. Register before Christmas and save \$25 off registration fees and receive a digital gift certificate for your camper's stocking. Or you can consider making a donation to our camper bursary fund so all kids can experience the gift of camp!

Visit us at: www.camptapawingo.net for more information.

News from the **Health Services Committee**

Candle Lake Health Center Welcomes New Staff



KRISTEN TAYLOR-WALL

Nurse Practitioner Kristen started work at the Centre November 18th and is now taking new patients. Book your meet and greet appointment soon. Kristen has over a decade of experience working in Nursing in Prince Albert Victoria Hospital. She has worked with patients across the lifespan from neonates to long term care clients. Kristen has nursing experience in the areas of medicine/palliative care, surgery, maternity, emergency and in corrections. We are excited to have her on board, and we know her broad spectrum of knowledge and compassionate care will make a positive impact at the Candle Lake Health Center. Welcome Kristen!

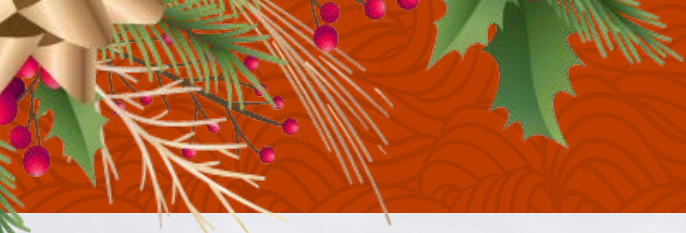


AMY WINGATE

Amy joins our team as the Community Connector and begins the Saskatchewan Social Prescribing Initiative in Candle Lake. Amy and her husband Jordan have been permanent residents since 2023. Amy's many years of experience as a Medical Office Manager allowed her to establish an exceptional understanding of the medical system. Her experience will facilitate the many in-roads required to find personal supports for clients, and connect to provincial and community services to establish the social prescribing initiative in the region. Her professionalism and gentle demeanor will help build trusting and close relationships with clients, together finding ways to improve their physical and mental wellbeing. Amy will begin training and then start services for Candle Lake and region December 1, 2024. Welcome Amy!

RENOVATIONS INSIDE THE HEALTH CENTER CONTINUE

Thank you to everyone involved in improvements being made to the Hall. The renovations will add much needed additional room for the Health Center! The new space will provide a third exam room and a dedicated space for lab collections.



News from the Library

Library Board Christmas Basket Raffle:

Tickets are 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5 and the prize is a basket of holiday treats and homemade items.

The draw will be made at the Community Christmas Market Saturday, December 7.

Thanks to all for supporting the Library!

Prince Albert Regional KidsFirst:

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19 FROM 10:30 AM TO 12:00 PM.

Please join us at the library for a visit from Chantelle with Regional KidsFirst! There will be singing, dancing, crafts and many other Holiday Fun activities for early learners. This is a free program, ideal for ages 0 to 5 years.

After School Program:

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 4 FROM 3:45 TO 5:00 PM SPECIAL SANTA CRAFT AND STORY TIME

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.

New to this Program? Please call the Library to register so we can plan for supplies and snacks.

After School Program:

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 18 FROM 6:00 TO 7:00 PM TEDDY BEAR SLEEPOVER!

Children can bring their favourite stuffy for a super fun sleepover at the library! We'll send updates on what your little friend is up to, and you can come back to pick them up the next morning. Children are welcome to wear their pj's!



Early Learning Program with Prince Albert Regional KidsFirst

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19 FROM 10:30 AM TO 12:00 PM.

Chantelle will be visiting with several fun holiday activities for you and your little one! Ideal for ages 0 to 5 years.

Thank you to those you joined us at the After School Program on November 6th to share memories of military service. We had tea and cookies and crafted flags with poppies. We really appreciate the connections made with the children!

November 13th Puzzle Competition The winning team finished in 59 minutes!

Library Holiday Hours:

CHRISTMAS EVE:

December 24 – 11:00 am to 2:00 pm

CLOSED December 25 and 26

Friday, December 27

10:00 am to 2:00 pm

NEW YEAR'S EVE:

December 31st – 11:00 am to 2:00 pm

CLOSED January 1

Best wishes for a joyful Christmas
Holiday Season and a very Happy
New Year!

News from Candle Lake Citizens on Patrol

It's that time of year where many of our seasonal residents are gone for the winter. Residents are encouraged to remain vigilant in protecting your property and watching for suspicious activities in your neighbourhood. COPPS patrols concentrate on watching for suspicious activity in all neighbourhoods throughout the community. We patrol at all times of the day and night and will always have our reflective shields on both sides of our vehicles.

THINGS TO WATCH FOR

- Unusual vehicles.
- Open doors and windows on buildings .
- Footprints and tire tracks in the snow where you would not expect to see them.

SEE SOMETHING SUSPICIOUS?

- Call the community dispatch service at 306-960-1855 and an officer will check out the property.
- Please don't want to walk over the tracks and destroy evidence.



SAFETY IS #1

Never approach a suspicious vehicle or individual. Do not enter a building where a perpetrator could be inside.

REGISTER YOUR VIDEO SURVEILLANCE CAMERA

Residents and business owners are encouraged to register their address and contact information with Candle Lake COPPS. This information is kept secure and confidential. The registry will increase efficiency of law enforcement officers gathering pertinent video footage. Only the RCMP or Community Safety Officers will ever ask your explicit permission to view the video footage. Please email CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com to obtain a camera registry form or pick one up at the RVCL Office.



NOTICE SOMETHING MISSING?

Record serial numbers in advance to help law enforcement officers identify and return stolen property. Putting non-removable identification on items can be help deter theft.

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

December 1 at 7:00 pm
Candle Lake Curling Club Lobby
This meeting is open to anyone wishing to attend to find out more about COPPS.

Robert Schultz, President
Candle Lake Citizens on Patrol Program
P.O. Box 452, Candle Lake Saskatchewan S0J 3E0
CandleLakeCOPPS@gmail.com

RVCL Christmas Hours

Administration Office - Closed from
December 25th to January 1st.
Regular hours resume January 2nd.

Landfill - Open Saturday, December 28;
closed Tuesday, December 31.

Waste Collection Schedule - Wednesday
service will move to Tuesday for the week
of Christmas and New Years.



Progress is being made on the rink.

News from the **Resort Village**

Keeping Saskatchewan's Brightest
Light Shining:

Lace Up Your Skates and Enjoy the Winter Chill with Friends and Neighbours

The Resort Village is excited to announce the upcoming launch of a new outdoor rink, offering residents and visitors a chance to enjoy the winter season in a fun and active way. Once the ice is ready, the rink will host regular public shinny hockey games, with all skill levels welcome to join in the fun.

The shinny hockey program will kick off as soon as the rink conditions permit, with games scheduled every Sunday and Wednesday. Participants can look forward to an inclusive and enjoyable experience on the ice, whether you're a seasoned player or a newcomer eager to try the sport.

For those looking to stay updated on when the rink will open and when the shinny sessions will begin, be sure to follow the Resort Village of Candle Lake (RVCL) Facebook page for timely updates.

Help Us Help You!

As crews clear out this latest heavy snowfall, they continue to encounter objects obstructing their efforts. Large rocks, markers, lumber, sheds, boats, and any other item along the front of your property can damage our equipment and hinder the efficient and proper clearing of roadways and approaches. These obstacles also pose a risk to public vehicles traveling on our roads, potentially leading to damage or unsafe conditions. Please take steps to ensure your approach and front of your property are clear of these objects. To ensure our equipment operates effectively and safely, it is essential you maintain a minimum of five feet of clear space along the front of your property to the edge of the developed roadway.

Part IV of the RVCL Traffic Bylaw includes information on storage of construction materials, hazards in the road allowance, etc. See the Traffic Bylaw here: <https://candlelake.ca/Home/DownloadDocument?docId=32f4387e-e35d-49b0-b923-0298ec8c3bc0>



Job Openings

The Resort Village of Candle is currently recruiting for the following positions. More information can be found at Candle Lake Employment and link Candle Lake Employment to <https://candlelake.ca/p/employment>

SPECIAL CONSTABLE/COMMUNITY SAFETY OFFICER

The Candle Lake Regional Special Constable Service is currently recruiting for a Special Constable/Community Safety Officer.

Please direct any questions related to this posting please contact: sgt@candlelake.ca

CASUAL GENERAL LABOURER & LANDFILL ATTENDANT

The Resort Village is seeking self-motivated, team orientated individuals to join the Public Works Department as a casual general labourer and a landfill attendant.

Applicants must have a valid class 5 driver's license, must be able to lift up to 30 lbs. and possess general physical aptitude. Duties may include groundskeeping, landfill gate attendant, waste collection and facility maintenance.

November Council Meeting Highlights

Council received notification from [SaskTel](#) announcing interNET Extended 25 is now available to some of their customers in Candle Lake. This option is 2.5 times the speed of previous service. Visit www.sasktel.com/availability to see if 25Mbps is available at your location.

Council received and filed judgments from the Court of Kings Bench dismissing, without award of costs, two proceedings brought against the Village by John Ronald (Ron) Cherkewich. add ([Judgement One](#)) ([Judgement Two](#))

Council approved the execution of a [Memorandum of Understanding](#) between the RVCL and Zaks Building Centre and Claystone Developments that could lead to the development of a purpose-built long-term rental residential development for individuals 55 and older on Sunset Way, [see conceptual drawings](#).

Council was advised that the renovations at the Community Centre will be complete on the second floor in early January and work on the main floor will be delayed until spring once the outdoor temperatures will allow for application of the spray foam insulation for the new roof.

Council amended a resolution for the development of the initial "proposed amenities" in the new Spruce Grove Park that would have included a sledding hill, walking trails, park furnishings and off-street parking and instead [passed a resolution](#) limiting the development to, only the walking trails and eliminating all the other proposed amenities.

Council was advised that the Village has fulfilled all reporting and remitting requirements to be eligible to receive 2025 Saskatchewan Municipal Revenue Sharing Grant and approved a resolution authorizing the execution of the required disclosure statement.

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](#).

Church Services



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

Candle Lake Community Church

Worship Services – Everyone is Welcome

*Sundays at 10 am

*Christmas Eve Service begins at 7:00 pm

Worship Leaders for November

December 1– Archdeacon Andrew Hoskin

December 8 – Pastor Brian Unruh

December 15 – Mark and Cheryl Sorell

December 22 – Rev. Wendell Brock

December 24 (7 pm) – Mark and Cheryl Sorell

December 29 – Pastor Howard Rensberry

Christmas Sing Along – Friday, December 6 at 7:00 pm

Snacks and beverages will be available during intermission.

If you are planning to make a donation to the hampers or the Sock and Mitten tree or to Children's Haven, please bring them to this event.

Christmas Hampers – Saturday, December 7 from 1:00 – 3:00 pm at the Church

7 hampers will be assembled for families in our area. You may bring non-perishable food or donate money for the food hampers. An income tax receipt will be provided for donations of money for the hampers.

Sock and Mitten Christmas Tree

Please feel free to bring socks or mittens to decorate our tree at the church! The items will be donated to those who are homeless in Prince Albert through Reaching Out Street Ministry.

Children's Haven

Donations of socks, mittens and pyjamas for infants to age 12 will be taken to Children's Haven in Prince Albert. If you would like to donate any of these items, please drop them off at the church before Christmas.

Church Contact – Valerie Manton 306-960-0693

May the love of God, shown that first Christmas, live in and through us this Christmas Season.