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TOWN NEWS

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Town of Willow Bunch

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OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday

7:00 am – 12:00 pm

12:45 pm – 4:30 pm

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Town of Willow Bunch

JULY 5 @ 7pm

R.M. of Willow Bunch No. 42

JULY 11 @ 9am

Sharleine Eger

Administrator

rm.42@sasktel.net

Tereena Bartlett

Assistant Administrator

willowbunch.town@sasktel.net

**Claire Lesperance – Community
Development Office**

willowbunchcdo@gmail.com

HILLS OF HOME CENTER BOOKINGS

**If you are wanting to book the
Hills of Home Center for any
reason, please contact the
Municipal Office**

SUMMER Transfer Station Hours

Now in effect until OCTOBER 31st

Tuesday: 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Thursday: 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Saturday: 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

NEXT GREY GARBAGE BIN PICK

UP DATE:

JULY 4TH

JULY 18TH

@ 7:00AM

NEXT BLUE RECYCLE BIN PICK

UP DATE:

JULY 11TH

JULY 25TH

@ 7:00AM

ATTENTION RESIDENTS: - When cutting grass, please refrain from shooting/spreading grass clippings onto the street. The grass clippings pile up along the curb and create a place for weeds to grow, for debris to collect and this impedes the flow of water. In addition it makes our community look messy and unkept. The Town just had the streets professionally swept and we would appreciate your support and co-operation in keeping it looking neat and tidy. Thank you.

Coronach RCMP Monthly Stats Report

During the month of MAY, the Coronach/Bengough RCMP responded to 43 calls for service. There were 4 Criminal Code charges laid, 8 traffic tickets issued, and 1 written warnings in our patrolling area*.

**This includes all of Coronach / Bengough Detachment areas. It goes from US border to two miles North of Crane Valley, and from about 1 mile East of St. Victor to 3 miles East of Ogema.*

RCMP CALLS TO SERVICE INCLUDED:

- 1 Assault
 - 1 Assault with a weapon
 - 1 Uttering threats
 - 1 Harassing communications
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- 1 Break and Enter into camper
 - 2 Thefts under \$5000
 - 2 Mischief
 - 2 Fraud
 - 1 Fail to attend court
 - 1 Liquor act complaint
 - 1 Motorcycle collision – minor injuries
 - 1 Motor vehicle collision with a deer
 - 2 Motor vehicle collisions – no injuries
 - 1 Breach of peace
 - 1 Complaint of suspicious person/vehicle/activity
 - 1 Complaint of driver driving while prohibited
 - 1 Complaint of vehicles blocking roadway
 - 1 Complaint of dirt bikes being ridden in the town of Bengough
 - 1 Complaint of horses loose on highway
 - 6 Assistance to other RCMP Detachment
 - 1 Assistance to other agency
 - 1 Assistance to Canadian Border Services Agency
 - 1 Complaint of other provincial statute (civil)
 - 3 Wellbeing checks
 - 3 Mental Health Act calls
 - 1 911 misdial
 - 1 Abandoned vehicle
 - 1 False alarm

CRIMINAL CODE CHARGES:

- 1 Assault causing bodily harm
- 1 Uttering threats
- 1 Drive while prohibited
- 1 Fail to attend court

TRAFFIC TICKETS AND WARNINGS INCLUDED:

- 1 Ticket issued for driving while license suspended
- 6 Speeding tickets issued
- 1 Ticket issued for failing to have license plate secured firmly to vehicle

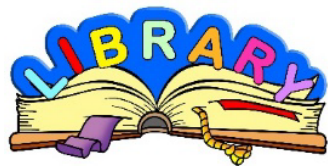
1 Written warning for failing to obey stop sign

OPEN HOUSE – CORONACH RCMP DETACHMENT

July 1st – 9:00am – 12:00pm

Stop in to say hello and take a look around.

Free coffee & treats.



JULY EVENTS



Summer Reading Kick Off BBQ July 5th @ 11:30am @ Hills of Home

Burger, Pop and Ice Cream - \$10.00

Extra Pop or Ice Cream - \$1.00 each

Thank you to: Town of Willow Bunch, Southland Co-op
Assiniboia and the Willow Bunch Library Board



Magician @ 1:00pm (includes a Magic workshop) @
Hills of Home

A magical Summer Reading Library Tour
3 Hours of fun and exciting activities

Make Summer Legendary – Join us for Summer Reading
July 5th, 7th, 12th, 14th, 19th, 21st, 25th and 28th @ 1:30pm to 3:00pm.

Venture into magical realms where fantastic creatures roam and anything can (and will) happen. Discover the power of stories and storytelling to entertain and illuminate important lessons. Be enchanted by Myths, Legends and Fairytales. Whatever the stories may be, they are bound to inspire our imaginations.

Barbara Gibbons
Librarian

Willow Bunch Library 306-473-2393

WILLOW BUNCH ST. IGNACE PARISH – JULY MASS SCHEDULE
9:00 AM SUNDAY MASSES FOR
JULY 3, JULY 10, JULY 17, JULY 24 AND JULY 31, 2022

Assiniboia Union Hospital to reopen to Emergency Services 24/7 on June 12th, 2022

Key Messages

- On June 12, 2022 at 7:00am the Emergency Department will reopen **24 hours a day 7 days a week** at the Assiniboia Union Hospital (AUH).
- Safe and predictable care for our community and the people it serves is a priority. The Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) and our partners worked on a number of short and long-term strategies to address the disruption to emergency department services in an effort to provide reliable, sustainable, and safe access to emergency care to those who need it.
- In May 2022, a tremendous amount of work was completed to ensure emergency services at AUH could resume in a timely manner.
- Two (2) Contract Nurses commenced employment at AUH on June 6, 2022.
- A full-time, permanent Registered Nurse (RN) and two (2) Licensed Practical Nurses (LPN) have been recruited and will begin orientation shortly.
- A partnership with Hutch Ambulance Services was established to provide Advanced Care Paramedic (ACP) support at AUH. These professionals will enhance the staff complement at AUH going forward.
- To ensure our communities get the right care, at the right time, Red Coat Primary Health Care Clinic (131-3rd Ave W) is now offering walk-in services Monday - Friday from 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
- A new staffing roster was developed with our Union partners. It utilizes our staff complement more effectively and offers shift options that will support recruitment and retention.
- Lisa Cairns ended her interim Manager coverage of AUH on May 31, 2022. We thank her for her coverage. The position has now been posted and we hope to announce a successful permanent, full-time leader shortly. Until the position is filled, Cara McDavid, Director of Primary Health Care SW is providing interim Manager coverage.

DATE: June 10, 2022

Assiniboia Union Hospital to Resume Emergency Services

Please be advised that emergency services at Assiniboia Union Hospital (AUH) will be available **24 hours a day, 7 days a week, as of June 12, 2022 at 7:00 a.m.**

To ensure patients can access the right care, at the right time, Red Coat Primary Health Care Clinic (131-3rd Ave W) is now offering walk-in services Monday – Friday from 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

In the event of an emergency, call 9-1-1.

Non-urgent health-related questions should be directed to **Healthline** by calling **8-1-1**.

We thank the community for their understanding and patience during this time.

For more information, contact:

Media Relations
Saskatchewan Health Authority
1-833-766-4392
media@saskhealthauthority.ca

LA FÊTE DU CANADA

Canada Day



**at Willow Bunch Museum
au Musée de Willow Bunch**



Celebrating 50 Years / Célébration des 50 ans



Friday / Vendredi , July 1st, 2022

Sponsored by



11:00 — 1:00 PM

BBQ / Barbecue \$7.00

**Hamburger, Drink & a Cupcake /
Hamburger, Boire & un Cupcake**



Open House / Portes Ouvertes 9:00 - 4:00

Door Prizes / Prix de présence

Bouncy Castle / Château gonflable 11:00 - 3:00

Face Painting / Peinture du visage

Scavenger Hunt for all ages /

Chasse au trésor pour tous les âges!



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WILLOW BUNCH MUSEUM



We're OPEN 9:00 – 5:00



We've had visitors last month from EVERYWHERE - from B.C, Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec, PEI, Newfoundland, Montana & even Fort Lauderdale Florida!

We've hired a Summer Student!

We want to WELCOME ERIKA WARKENTIN from Davidson, SK. She is pursuing her degree in History at the University of North Dakota, with a desire to work long-term in the Museum Industry!



Be sure to come on in and check out our new T-shirts and Hoodies!



Toddler T-Shirts / Youth T-shirts / Adult T-shirts /

Adult Hoodies

Youth Hoodies



Thank you to the Willow Bunch RM#42 for the grass seed and to the Town for seeding our front area! Also thank you to PAUL LESPERANCE for taking care of the watering.



HURRY, HURRY, HURRY!!!!
Just a few more weeks to get your tickets for the two Raffle items, the Wood Art and the Quilt



The raffle tickets are only \$5.00 each and can be purchased here or at various places around town. They can also be purchased online at wbmuseum@sasktel.net
Both draws will be made at the Willow Bunch 150th Anniversary Celebration, Sunday, July 31st.

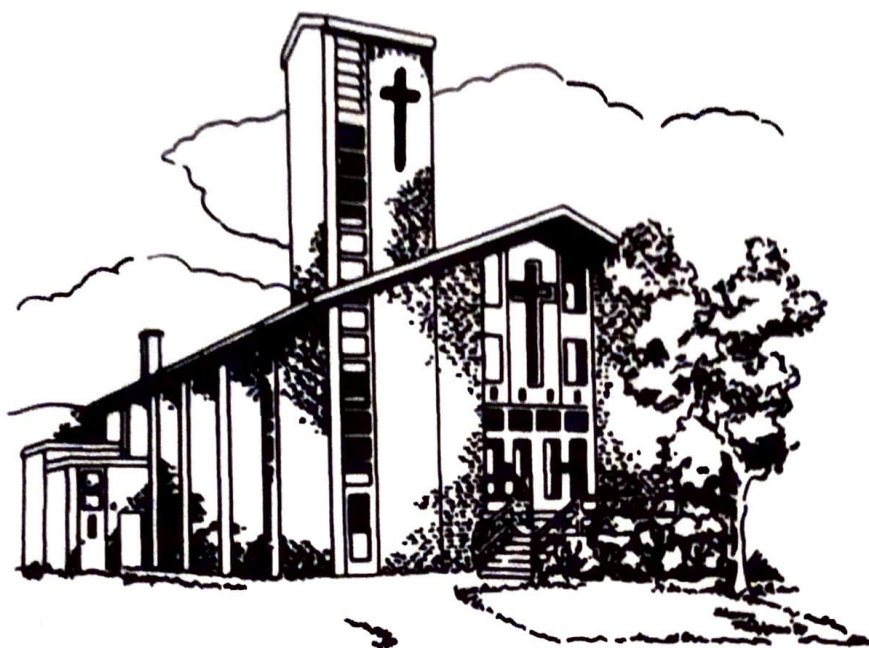


THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT!

150 YEARS PARISH ANNIVERSARY MASS

Remember the Past, Celebrate the Present

Grow the Future



Paroisse St. Ignace Parish

Willow Bunch, Saskatchewan

1870-2020

*We warmly invite you to join us as we celebrate our
150th Anniversary with*

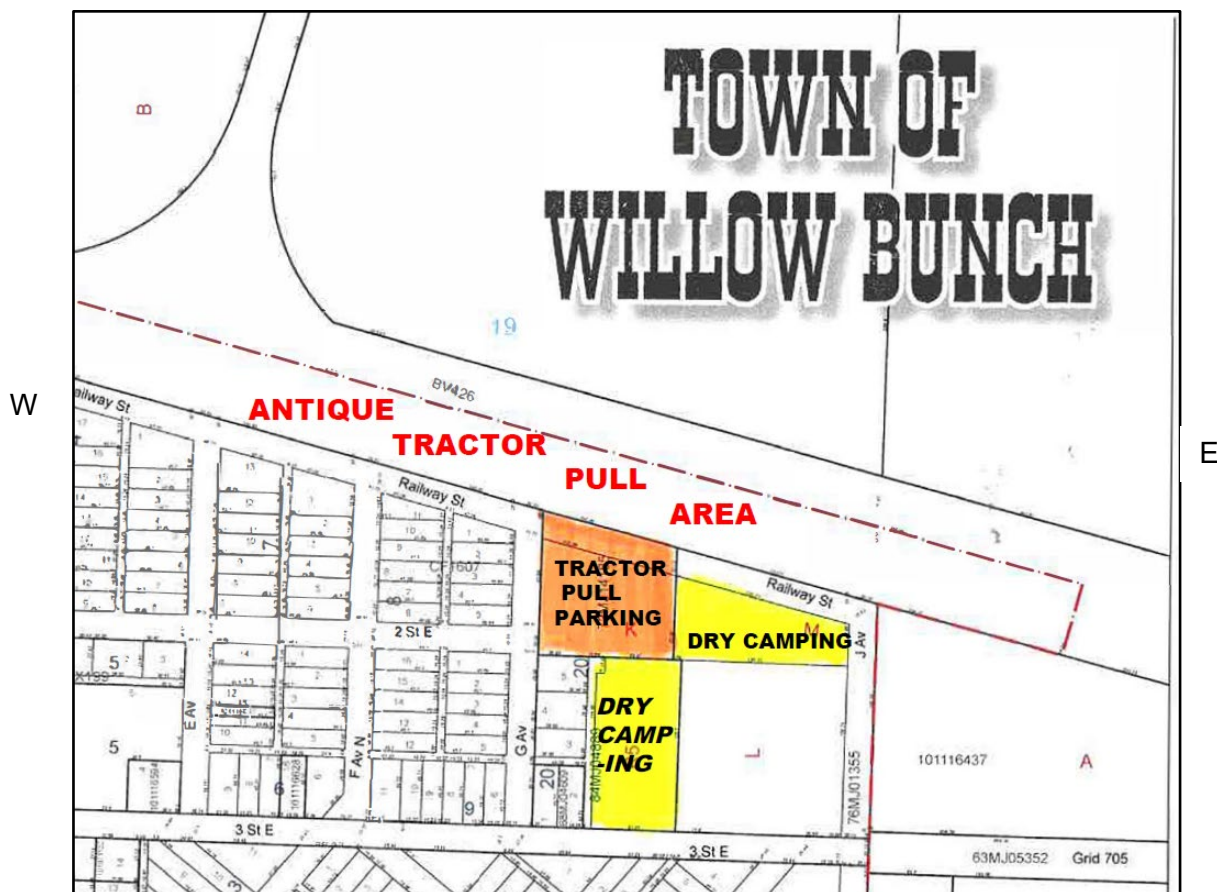
WORSHIP, PRAISE, and THANKSGIVING

**Sunday, July 31, 2022
at 9:00am**

WILLOW BUNCH 150TH INFORMATION

- **Pancake breakfast and supper tickets require pre-purchasing.** We need to know numbers to plan effectively. Meal Tickets will NOT be available at the door.
- **Parade Entries** – floats, vintage vehicles, children's decorated bicycles, etc – please contact Pat Therrien: 640-7886
- **Craft Sale** will be held on Sunday, July 31 from 1pm – 5pm: please contact Cheryl Martin: 642-8639
- **Antique Tractor Pull Entries & Information** – please contact Carter Martin: 640-6439 or Raymond Martin: 642-7639
- **Deadline to purchase advance tickets is JULY 11** – tickets are available through SHOWPASS: www.showpass.com/willowbunch-150th-celebration-2/
- **Online Art Auction** – items will be on display at the Willow Bunch Museum Basement Friday, July 29 and Saturday, July 30. This is an online auction and bidding must be made on the WB 150th Art Auction Facebook page only. Bids must be in minimum increments of \$5. The bids will close the weekend of the Celebration – advance notice will be given for each item, so watch your special item as the weekend approaches. If you have any questions, please contact Claire Lesperance: 640-7501
- **Dry Camping** - The Definition of Dry Camping Dry camping, also known as **boondocking**, involves camping in an RV, van or motorhome with no hookups (no electricity or water) outside of a traditional campground. Dry campers set up camp on public lands as well as private places (with the permission of the owner), usually for free. See map below for location indicated in yellow (R5 and possibly M if needed) Highlighted area K is reserved parking for Antique Tractor Pull

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Town of Willow Bunch



RM of Willow Bunch No.42

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WEEKEND PASSES:

ADULT - \$135
6-12yrs - \$90
1-5yrs - \$25

FULL DAY PASSES

ADULT - \$90
6-12yrs - \$65
1-5yrs - \$15

SINGLE EVENT PASSES

ALSO AVAILABLE FOR :

Breakfast -

Adult - \$10
5-10yrs - \$5

Main Tent Day Access Only

Adult - \$20
6-12yr - \$10
1-5yr - Free

Catered Supper

Adult - \$20
5-10yr - \$8

Friday or Sunday Nite Entertainment

(Each Night)

Adult - \$20

Minors free when accompanied by an adult

Saturday Nite Entertainment

Adult - \$30

Minors free when accompanied by an adult

Tickets are available through **SHOWPASS**
<https://www.showpass.com/willow-bunch-150th-celebration-2/t>



Scan the QR Code to
purchase event tickets
& souvenirs

WILLOW BUNCH 150TH CELEBRATION



JULY 29, 30 & 31, 2022

FRIDAY, JULY 29th, 2022

- **Registration:** 4:00 - 10:00pm
(Main Tent)
- **Open Bar:** 4:00pm - 1:00am
- **Friday Nite Entertainment** feat:
CHEESY SONG NIGHT VARIETY SHOW
FOLLOWED BY 3RD DEGREE BIRNZ
8:00pm - 2:00am

NOTES:

- **ADVANCE TICKET DEADLINE IS JULY 11, 2022**
- **Tickets available through SHOWPASS**
www.showpass.com/willow-bunch-150th-celebration-2/
- **DRY CAMPING** will be available adjacent to the former Dept of Highways Building located on 3rd Street East

- We will be **NEEDING VOLUNTEERS** throughout the weekend for various activities such as Bar Shifts, Breakfast Shifts, Cleanup, Setup & Take Down, Registration to name a few. If you can lend a hand for an hour or two throughout the weekend **PLEASE** let us know when and what you can help us with by emailing your name, phone number and the what you want to help with to:

willowbunchdo@gmail.com or
text to: 306-640-7501

We can't do this without your support and assistance, please help where and when you can.

- All events & times are subject to change without notice.

SATURDAY, JULY 30th, 2022

- **Registration:** 8:00am - 8:00pm
- **Pancake Breakfast:** 8:00 - 10:00am
- **Opening Ceremonies:** 10:00am
- **Snowbird Flyby:** 11:15am
- **Parade:** 11:30am
- **Wagon Rides**
- **Art Display**
- **Children's Entertainment -**
Magician: 1:00 - 2:00pm
- **Children's Entertainment -**
Balloon Sculpting: 2:00 - 3:30pm
- **Children's Entertainment -**
Bouncy Castles: 1:00 - 4:00
- **Canteen - Food Truck(s)**
- **Open Bar:** 2:00pm - 2:00am
- **Tractor Pull:** 2:00 - 5:00pm
- **Unveiling Memorial Bench:** 3:00pm
- **Catered Supper:** 5:30 - 7:00pm
- **Qu'Appelle Valley Dancers:**
7:00 - 8:00pm

- **Cabaret** feat:

AARON PRITCHETT

MEN WITHOUT SHAME

9:00pm - 2:00am

- **Fireworks:** 10:30pm

(South of School & Maint Tent Area)

SATURDAY SUPPER MENU

Roast Beef & Gravy

Cabbage Rolls

Baked Potatoes, w/Sour Cream, Bacon

Bits & Chives

Peas & Carrots

Tossed Salad w/ Tomatoes, Cucumber,
Green Onions & 3 Types of Salad Dressing

Horseradish, Pickles, Buns & Butter

Strawberry Shortcake

Coffee, Tea & Juice

SUNDAY, JULY 31st, 2022

- **Parish Ceremony** (MASS): 9:00am
- **Pancake Breakfast:** 10:00am - Noon
- **Craft Sale:** 1:00 - 5:00pm
(Hills of Home Center)

- **Quilt Display:** 1:00 - 5:00pm
(Hills of Home Center)

- **Children's Face Painting & Create**
A Bear Station: Noon - 4:00pm

- **Children's Entertainment**

Bouncy Castles: 1:00 - 4:00pm

- **Tractor Pull:** 1:00 - 4:00pm

- **Sportsman's Car Show & Hot Dog**

Sale: 1:00 - 4:00pm

(catholic church parking lot)

- **Petting Zoo:** 1:00 - 5:00pm

- **Open Bar:** 2:00pm - 1:00am

- **Sask Express:** 3:30 - 5:00pm

- **Catered Supper:** 5:30 - 7:00pm

- **Closing Ceremonies:** 7:00 - 8:00pm

- **Main Stage/Tent:** 8:00pm - 1:00am

LA FAMILLE CAMPAGNE

8:00 - 9:30pm

BADLANDS COUNTRY

9:30pm - close

SUNDAY SUPPER MENU

Ham

Scalloped Potatoes

Japanese Chicken in Sauce

Coleslaw

Pasta Salad

Buns & Butter

Pickles

Corn

Cherry Delight

Blueberry Delight

Coffee, Tea & Juice