

TOWN NEWSLETTER



DECEMBER 2023

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TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH

Box 189 Willow Bunch, SK S0H 4K0

PH: 306-473-2450

<https://willowbunch.ca>

OFFICE HOURS:
MONDAY - FRIDAY

7:00AM - 12:00PM 12:45PM - 4:30PM

OFFICE CLOSED:
DECEMBER 25, 26, 2023
JANUARY 1, 2024

COUNCIL MEETINGS

TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH
DECEMBER 5 - 7:00 PM

RM OF WILLOW BUNCH NO. 42
DECEMBER 11 - 9:00 AM

WINTER TRANSFER STATION HOURS

Tuesday
1:00 pm - 5:00pm

Saturday
10:00 am - 12:00pm
1:00pm - 5:00pm

CONTACT:

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rmwb42@gmail.com

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willowbunch.town@sasktel.net

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Officer
willowbunchcdo@gmail.com



GREY BIN & BLUE BIN PICK UP DATES

GARBAGE - GREY: DEC 4TH @ 7AM
DEC 18TH @ 7AM
DEC 30TH #@ 7AM*

RECYCLE - BLUE: DEC 11TH @ 7AM
DEC 23RD @ 7AM*



TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH
2024 Water/Sewer/Recycling Prepayment Schedule

A discount of 5% will be given to all consumers who pay their YEARLY water & sewer charges in one lump sum on or before January 31, 2024.

The quarterly amount of water allowed is 9000 gallons,
if you go over this amount overage charges will apply.

TOWN RESIDENTS

Water 12 x \$30.00 = \$360.00 x **5% discount** = \$18.00 Balance \$342.00

Sewer 12 x \$15.00 = \$180.00 x **5% discount** = \$9.00 Balance \$171.00

Recycling 12 x \$15.00 = \$180.00 — **No Discount** = Balance \$180.00

Garbage 12 x \$18.00 = \$216.00 — **No Discount** = Balance \$216.00

* Capital Infrastructure Fee 12 x \$5.00 = \$60.00 — **No Discount** =
Balance \$60.00

TOTAL TO BE PAID BEFORE JANUARY 31, 2024 - \$969.00

NON-RESIDENTS

Water 12 x \$38.00 = \$456.00 x **5% discount** = \$22.80 Balance \$433.20

Sewer 12 x \$15.50 = \$186.00 x **5% discount** = \$9.30 Balance \$176.70

* Capital Infrastructure Fee 12 x \$5.00 = \$60.00 — **No Discount** =
Balance \$60.00

TOTAL TO BE PAID BEFORE JANUARY 31, 2024 - \$669.90

Recycling (if applicable) 12 x \$15.00 = \$180.00 — **No Discount** =
Balance \$180.00

Garbage (if applicable) 12 x \$18.00 = \$216.00 — **No Discount** =
Balance \$216.00

Take advantage of **5% savings** and prepay your annual water and sewer
charges prior to **January 31, 2024.**

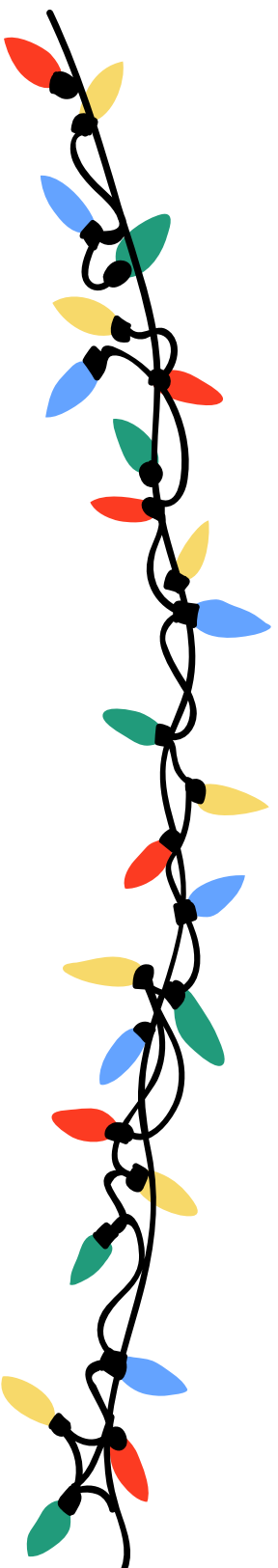
All pre-payments can be made at the Town Office and via online banking:

Payee listing — Willow Bunch Water & Sewer, Town of

Etransfer: Willowbunch.town@sasktel.net

Debit now available

PLEASE NOTE: Recycling & Garbage charges are applied to your utility bill. If you prepay the water and sewer only, you will have an amount owing at the end of the year for recycling and garbage and any consumption above and beyond 9000 gallons quarterly.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	Wednesday	Thursday	FRIDAY
<i>Wishing you a very Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year</i> <i>From:</i> <i>The staff at Coronach Primary Care Clinic</i>				
				
Lab – Coronach-8:00-4:00 Nurse Practitioner - Coronach	Dr. Glaeske - Coronach Lab-Rockglen-9:00-11:30 Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen	Lab–Coronach-8:00-4:00 Nurse Practitioner - Coronach	Blood Pressure Clinic South winds 10:00-11:00 Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen	Blood Pressure Clinic Pretty Valley Lodge 10:00-11:00 Nurse Practitioner – Willow Bunch
4	5	6	7	8
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18	19	20	21	22
Dietitian – Coronach				
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25	26	27	28	29
Merry Christmas	Boxing Day			
Willow Bunch: Clinic & Lab Wednesday & Friday 306-473-2310				
Rockglen: Clinic & Lab Tuesday & Thursday 306-476-2209				
Public Health Coronach 306-267-5705				
Coronach Lab: Monday & Wednesday 306-267-2524				
To book appointments call:				

CORONACH RCMP **MONTHLY STATS REPORT**

During the month of OCTOBER the Coronach/Bengough RCMP responded to 39 calls for service and issued 11 traffic warnings/tickets/inspections. The following is a breakdown by area:

RM 10

- 1 Complaint of possible impaired driver
- 1 Semi stuck on hill

RM 11

- 1 Theft under \$5000
- 1 ATV accident with injuries
- 1 Customs act - fail to report
- 1 Written warning for speeding

TOWN OF BENGOUGH

- 1 Theft under \$5000
- 1 Harassing communications
- 1 Mischief
- 1 Complaint of erratic driving - driver spoken to

TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH

- 1 Theft under \$5000
- 1 911 call - misdial

RM 70

- 1 Recovery of stolen trailer
- 1 Complaint of dogs on the loose
- 1 Grass fire
- 1 Ticket issued for speeding



TOWN OF CORONACH

- 1 Assault
- 1 Identity fraud
- 1 Criminal harassment
- 1 Uttering threats
- 1 Abandoned vehicle
- 2 Suspicious Person / Vehicle / Activity

RM 40

- 1 Mental health act call
- 1 Speeding ticket issued
- 1 Written warning for speeding

RM 42

- 1 Motor vehicle collision with minor injuries
- 1 Complaint of cattle on the road
- 1 Speeding ticket issued
- 1 Ticket issued for holding more than one driver's license
- 1 Ticket issued for failing to produce vehicle registration upon request
- 1 Written warning for speeding
- 1 Written warning for failing to obey stop sign

RM 71

- 1 Complaint of possible impaired driver
- 1 Trespassing complaint
- 1 Motor vehicle collision with a deer
- 1 Other theft under \$5000





RM 12

- 1 Person reported missing - located
- 1 Assault
- 1 House and garage fire
- 1 Mischief
- 1 Obstruct justice

TOWN OF OGEMA

- 1 Complaint of speeding semis on Government Road
- 1 Family dispute
- 1 Fraud

**ASSISTANCE TO OTHER
DETACHMENTS:**

- 1 Assault with a weapon
- 1 False alarm
- 1 Fail to comply with conditions
- 1 Unwanted person in residence
- 1 Ticket issued for speeding
- 1 Ticket issued for failing to produce vehicle registration upon request from police



St. Ignace Church

Willow Bunch, Sk

DECEMBER SERVICES

Reconciliation 15 minutes before
5:00pm SATURDAY Mass
month of December

DECEMBER 2 - 5:00PM

DECEMBER 9 - 5:00PM

DECEMBER 16 - 5:00PM

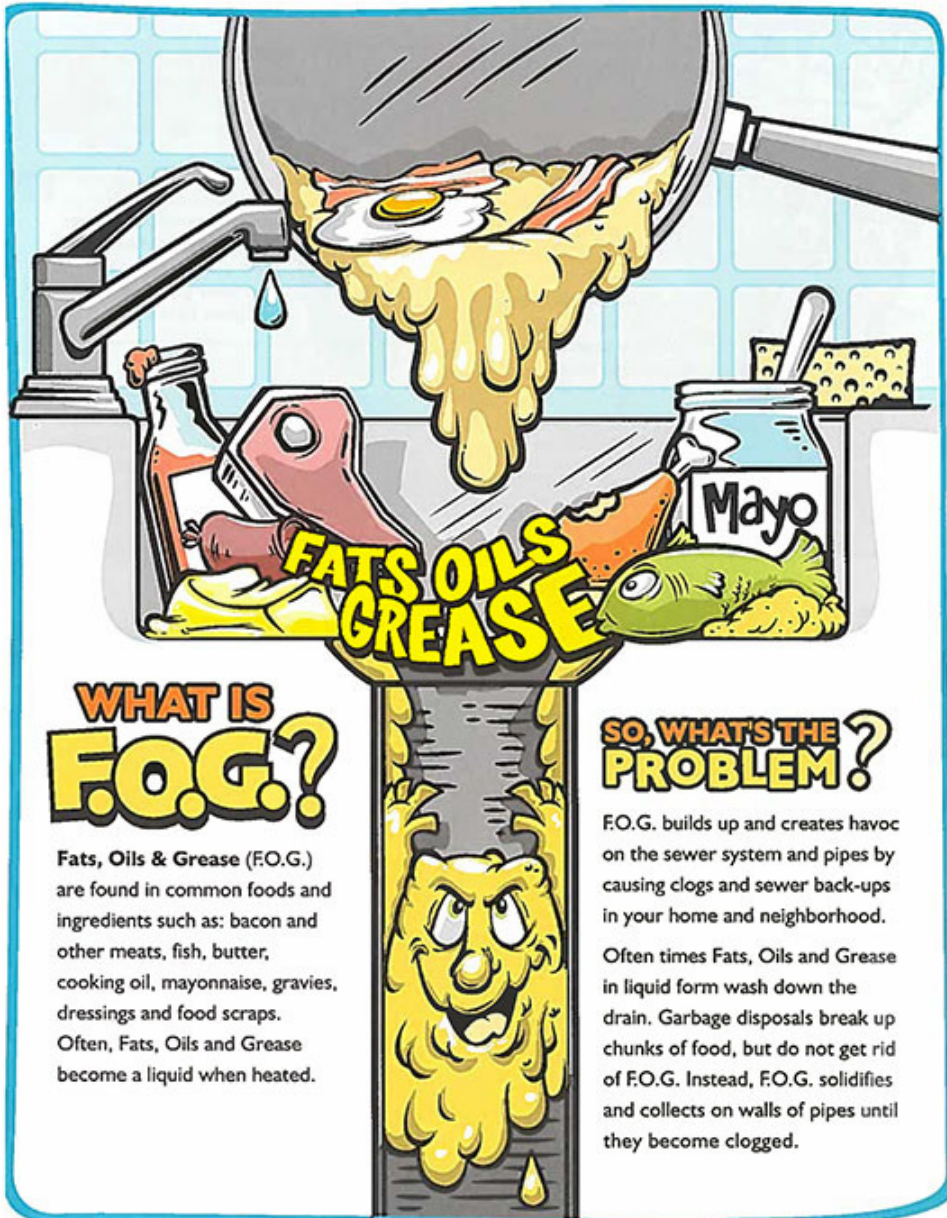
DECEMBER 23 - 5:00PM

**DECEMBER 24 - CHRISTMAS
EVE - 7:00PM**

**DECEMBER 30 - 5:00PM
JANUARY 1 - NEW YEAR'S
DAY - 9:00AM**

**Celebrate the reason
for the season!**





STOP THE BLOB

- **SCRAPE FOOD SCRAPS INTO THE TRASH CAN**
- **COLLECT COOKING OIL IN A CONTAINER THEN TOSS INTO THE GARBAGE**
- **USE PAPER TOWELS TO WIPE OFF GREASE, THEN TOSS INTO THE TRASH**
- **THROW IT IN THE TRASH NOT DOWN THE DRAIN**

Answers to Christmas Trivia

1. C
2. A
3. A
4. D
5. B



Thank you to
Guy Durand for
the donation of
gym equipment

Merry Christmas



All the best in 2024

Assiniboia, SK
103 4th Avenue West
306-642-5977



On behalf of the Town of Willow
Bunch and the RM of Willow
Bunch #42 Councils, Administration
& Staff, we wish each and everyone
a Safe & Happy Holiday Season!



December in the library Welcome Christmas



306-473-2393

Tuesday 1:00-5:00

Wednesday 12:30-7:00

Thursday 11:30-3:30

willowbunch@palliserlibrary.ca



EVENTS

**Early Literacy Thursdays @ 10:30 am
Christmas**

**Family Art Night
Thursday December 14 th at 6:30pm**

**Breakfast with Santa
December 9th 11:00 am -12:30
Hills of Home**

**Christmas Cash Raffle
December 9th at 12:00**

**Santas Secret Workshop
Thursday December 21st 6:30 pm**

**The library will be closed
December 22nd and reopen January 3rd**

**Call For Board Members
Are you Passionate about libraries?
Looking for a great way to serve your
community?**

**A resident of the Town or RM
Why not become a board member!!
We meet 5 times a year and have fun
serving our community.**

REMINDERS



Call, Email or contact us
on Facebook to register



Tuesday is Courier Day

COMING SOON

**January
AGM January 8th
Everyone is welcome**





Give the Gift of GOLF **this Season**

**Plus taxes*

ADULT MEMBERSHIP: \$593.25*

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP: \$1312.50*

JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP: \$220.50*

25KM MEMBERSHIP: \$509.25*

9 HOLE ROUND: \$26.00*

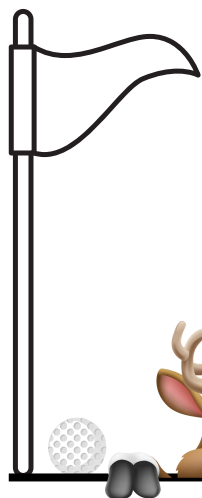
18 HOLE ROUND: \$40.00*

5 ROUND PASS: \$118.00*

10 ROUND PASS: \$236.00*

9 HOLE CART: \$26.00*

18 HOLE CART: \$40.00*



CALL SARAH AT 306-640-7741

Give them a gift they will be sure to LOVE!!



GIFT CERTIFICATES

ARE AVAILABLE

AUTO LOTTO GIFT VOUCHERS

ARE AVAILABLE

HOLIDAY FIRE SAFETY TIPS

Tips to Avoid Potential Holiday Disasters

Christmas Trees

- Before you buy, make sure your tree isn't dry and has a freshly cut trunk.
- Keep tree fresh and well-watered at all times.
- Keep all live garland several feet from sources of heat.

Holiday Lights

- Check to make sure your light strings are intact.
- Don't run more than three strings of lights together.
- Use UL-rated clips or hangers to hang Christmas lights.

Cooking

- Never leave food unattended.
- Make sure that all smoke detectors are working.
- Keep a fire extinguisher in the kitchen or nearby.

Candles

- Keep candles at least a foot away from anything that can burn.
- Make sure candles and bases are sturdy.
- Consider ambient faux LED candles as an alternative.

Fireplaces

- Have your chimney inspected before the holiday season.
- Never use flammable liquids to light the fire.
- Use a screen to avoid having any stray embers get onto the floor or surrounding objects.



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NEW YEAR'S EVE

*Barn
Burner*

SUNDAY

DECEMBER 31

CATHOLIC CHURCH BASEMENT

PROCEEDS TO:

6:30PM: SUPPER

8:30PM: ENTERTAINMENT

Entertainment: **GORD GELLNEIR**

FOR TICKET SALE:

JOLLY GIANT PUB & WB FIRE DEPARTMENT

\$50/PERSON





Christmas Trivia

1. How many ghosts show up in the movie *"A Christmas Carol"*?
A. 2 B. 3
C. 4 D. 5
2. What do people traditionally put on top of a Christmas tree?
A. Angel B. Lights
C. Star D. Garland
3. In the movie *"Home Alone"* where are the McCallisters going on vacation when they leave Kevin behind?
A. Paris B. DisneyWorld
C. New York D. Canada
4. Which one of Santa's reindeer has the same name as another holiday mascot?
A. Blitzen B. Rudolph
C. Frosty D. Cupid
5. How many gifts in total were given in *"The Twelve Days of Christmas"* song?
A. 12 B. 364
C. 1 D. 78



Answer key on page 5

