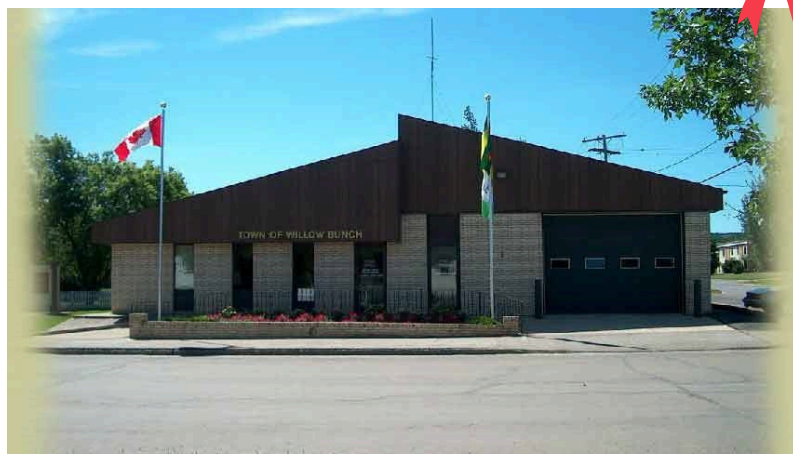




TOWN NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2024

EDITION #12 -ISSUE#12



COUNCIL MEETINGS

TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH
DECEMBER 9 - 7:00 PM

RM OF WILLOW BUNCH NO. 42
DECEMBER 10 - 8:00 AM

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

Holiday Hours:

CLOSED DECEMBER 25 & 26, 2024

JANUARY 1, 2025

WINTER TRANSFER STATION HOURS

Tuesday

1:00 pm - 5:00pm

Saturday

10:00 am - 12:00pm

1:00pm - 5:00pm

**in effect
until MAR 31**

CONTACT:

Sharleine Eger - Administrator
rmwb42@gmail.com

Tereena Bartlett - Assistant Administrator
willowbunch.town@sasktel.net

Claire Lesperance -
Community Development Officer
willowbunchcdo@gmail.com

GREY BIN & BLUE BIN PICK UP DATES

**NOW
FRIDAYS**

**GARBAGE - GREY: DEC 6 @ 7AM
DEC 20 @ 7AM
JAN 3 @ 7AM**

**RECYCLE - BLUE: DEC 13 @ 7AM
DEC 27 @ 7AM**

Municipal Election Results

TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH

Councillors

Margaret Brown - Elected

Nicole Cochrane - Elected

Jasmine DeBlois- Elected

Nichole Donnelly - Elected

Garry Therrien - Defeated

There were 126 voters who cast ballots
in the Town election.

R.M. OF WILLOW BUNCH NO. 42

Reeve

Denis Lesperance - Elected

Michel Cayer - Defeated

There were 261 voters that cast ballots for
the Reeve position

Councillor - Division #1

Patrick Bellefleur - Elected

Real Durand - Defeated

There were 47 voters who cast ballots
in Division #1

Congratulations to our newly elected officials and thank you to everyone
who stepped up to help make this community a better place.

Thank you to the outgoing Mayor, Wayne Joyal, Reeve, Pat Therrien
and Councillors – Wanda Newans, and Raymond Martin for your
commitment and dedication to your community.



TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH

2025 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, 2025.**

**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, 2025 - \$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, 2025 - \$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, 2025.**

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.**



CORONACH RCMP **MONTHLY STATS REPORT**

During the month of **OCTOBER** the Coronach/Bengough RCMP responded to **62** calls for service and **1** traffic ticket. The following is a breakdown by area:

RM 10

- 1** Garage fire
- 1** Found urn

TOWN OF BENGOUGH

- 1** Unsafe storage of firearms
- 1** Assault
- 1** Uttering threats
- 1** Complaint of dog attack
- 2** Mischief
- 3** Fraud under \$5000
- 1** Theft under \$5000
- 3** Mental health act
- 1** 911 call - misdial

RM 40

- 1** Motor vehicle collision with a deer
- 2** Found and returned wandering dogs

RM 42

- 1** Fire
- 1** Speeding ticket issued

RM 11

- 1** Suspicious person / vehicle / activity
- 1** Complaint of speeding cube van delivery truck

RM 12

- 1** Motor vehicle collision - minor injuries

RM 71

- 1** Mischief
- 1** Family law act
- 1** Complaint of cow on the wrong side of the fence

RM 70

- 1** Suspicious person / vehicle / activity
- 1** Vehicle fire
- 1** Complaint of erratic driver - driver spoken to
- 1** Complaint of towing load after dark with no lights

TOWN OF WILLOW BUNCH

- 2** Theft under \$5000
- 1** Mischief
- 1** Cause a disturbance
- 1** Fail to comply with release conditions
- 1** Suspicious person / vehicle / activity

TOWN OF CORONACH

- 1** Fail to comply with condition of no contact
- 2** Mischief
- 1** Motor vehicle collision - no injuries
- 3** Mental health act
- 1** Suspicious person / vehicle / activity
- 1** Complaint of speeding - verbal warning
- 1** Complaint of person driving unregistered vehicle

TOWN OF OGEMA

- 1** Sextortion
- 1** Mischief
- 1** Fraud presentation



CORONACH RCMP

REPORT continued

ASSISTANCE TO OTHER DETACHMENTS

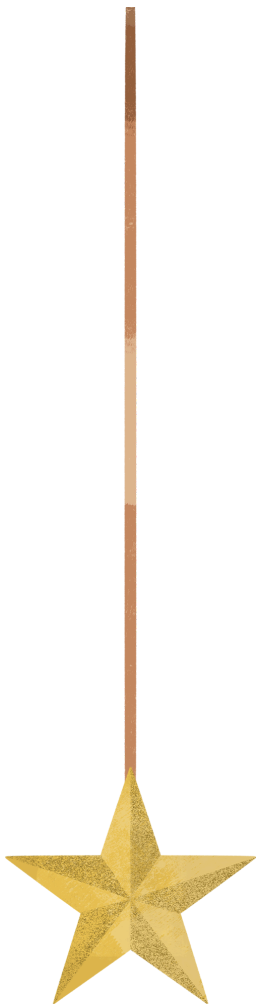
- 2 Assaults
- 1 Breach of peace
- 1 Mischief
- 1 Semi fire
- 1 Motor vehicle collision with a deer
- 1 Motor vehicle collision - property damage
- 1 Complaint of wide load after dark with insufficient pilot vehicles
- 3 Mental health act
- 1 Assistance to other agency
- 1 False alarm



Happiest
HOLIDAYS



All the best in 2025!





ST. IGNACE PARISH

DECEMBER Services

SATURDAYS @ 5:00PM



November 30

December 14

December 21

December 28

December 8 - 9:00AM

(due to Christmas in the Village on the 7th)

Christmas Eve - 7:00PM -

No Mass Christmas Day

New Year's Day - 11:00AM

Reconciliation 15 minutes before

Mass during Advent



Dr. Glaeske Clinic Schedules

Clinic hours 9:00 am – 4:00 pm, closed 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Schedules may change without notice

Phone 306 642-3365 or 306 640-6659

Willow Bunch

Wednesday December 4
Wednesday December 11
Wednesday December 18
Wednesday December 25 NO CLINIC

Wednesday January 1 NO CLINIC
Wednesday January 8
Wednesday January 15
Wednesday January 22
Wednesday January 29

Wednesday February 5
Wednesday February 12
Wednesday February 19
Wednesday February 26

Coronach

Thursday December 5
Thursday December 12
Thursday December 19 NO CLINIC
Thursday December 26 NO CLINIC

Thursday January 2
Thursday January 9
Thursday January 16
Thursday January 23 NO CLINIC
Thursday January 30

Thursday February 6
Thursday February 13
Thursday February 20 NO CLINIC
Thursday February 27 NO CLINIC



Coronach – Rockglen – Willow Bunch Service Calendar – December 2024

MONDAY		TUESDAY		Wednesday		Thursday		FRIDAY		Contact	
Nurse Practitioner - Coronach Lab - Coronach- 8:00-4:00		Dr. Cranefo - Coronach Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen Lab-Rockglen-9:00-11:30		Nurse Practitioner - Coronach Lab - Coronach- 8:00-4:00		Dr. Glaeske - Coronach Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen Dr. Lashgari - Rockglen				To book appointments Coronach Clinic Monday - Wednesday 306-267-2200 Coronach Lab: Monday & Wednesday 306-267-2524 Public Health: Coronach 306-267-5705 Rockglen: Clinic & Lab Tuesday & Thursday 306-476-2209 Willow Bunch: Lab - Wednesday Clinic - Friday 306-476-2209 or 306-267-2200 Dr. Glaeske Willow Bunch - Wednesdays Coronach - Thursdays 306-642-3365	
				Lab-willow Bunch-115-2-15 Dr. Glaeske - willow Bunch				Nurse Practitioner - Away			
2		3		4		5		6			
Nurse Practitioner - Away Lab-Coronach-8:00-4:00		Dr. Cranefo- Coronach Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen Lab-Rockglen-9:00-11:30		Nurse Practitioner - Coronach Lab-Coronach-8:00-4:00		Dr. Glaeske - Coronach Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen Dr. Lashgari - Rockglen					
				Lab-willow Bunch-9:00-10:15 Dr. Glaeske - willow Bunch				Nurse Practitioner - willow Bunch			
9		10		11		12		13			
Nurse Practitioner - Coronach Lab - Coronach- 8:00-4:00		Dr. Wlba - Coronach Nurse Practitioner-Rockglen Lab-Rockglen-9:00-11:30		Nurse Practitioner - Coronach Lab-Coronach-8:00-4:00		Dr. Glaeske - Coronach Nurse Practitioner - Rockglen Dr. Fahloosye - Rockglen					
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				18		19		20			
Nurse Practitioner - Coronach Lab - Coronach- 8:00-4:00		No Doctor - Coronach Nurse Practitioner-Rockglen Lab-Rockglen-9:00-11:30									
23		24		25		26		27			
Nurse Practitioner - Away Lab - Coronach- 8:00-4:00		No Doctor - Coronach Nurse Practitioner-Rockglen Lab - Rockglen - 9:00-11:30				Nurse Practitioner-willow Bunch					
30		31									

Willow Bunch Rec

Burger Nites

December 3

December 10

December 17

No Burger Nites - Dec 24 & 31

Resuming January 7



LAKEVIEW
INSURANCE BROKERS

DECEMBER

/ 2024

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6 Willow Bunch	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 Willow Bunch	14
15	16	17	18	19	20 Willow Bunch	21
22	23	24	25 OFFICES CLOSED	26 OFFICES CLOSED	27 OFFICES CLOSED	28
29	30	31	OFFICES CLOSED		Willow Bunch	4

The Willow Bunch office will be closed December 23 - 27 week and will return back to regular hours January 3, 2025



1(306) 640-8814

**Merry Christmas
& A Happy New Year!**

from Lakeview Insurance



twarken@lakeviewinsurance.com



229 1st Ave W
Assiniboia, SK



17 3rd Street E
Willow Bunch, SK

Bengough Credit Union

Willow Bunch Branch

Holiday Hours:

December 24 - 10am - 3:00pm

December 26 - Closed



BENGOUGH
CREDIT UNION



bengough.cu.sk.ca

Built on tradition. Caring for your future.

Closure of the Willow Bunch Curling Rink for the 2024/25 season

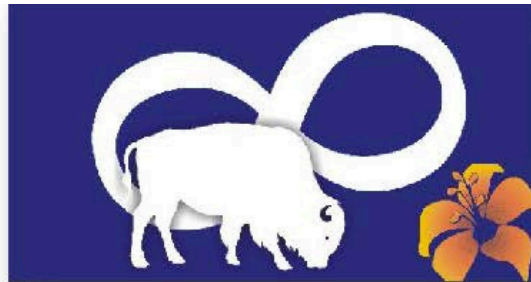
The Willow Bunch Recreation Authority would like to let the community know that Willow Bunch Curling Rink will not open for the 2024/25 season. Despite the efforts of the Recreation Board members and the passionate individuals who have kept the sport alive, the decline in participation over the past 4-5 years has led to this difficult decision.

The curling rink has been a cornerstone of Willow Bunch's recreational offerings, providing a space for league events, bonspiels, and curling clinics for many years. However, the dwindling number of participants made it unsustainable to continue operations.

The formation of a dedicated Curling Club was seen as a potential solution to revitalize the sport and increase the use and appreciation of the curling facility. Proposing the formation of a club aimed to help organize and promote curling activities, host bonspiels and conduct clinics to improve skills among players. Unfortunately, despite these efforts, the support needed to keep the rink operational was not sufficient.

The closure of the curling rink is a significant loss for the community. It is a reminder of the importance of community involvement and the need for collective efforts to preserve cherished local traditions. The Willow Bunch Recreation Authority extends its gratitude to all the curling enthusiasts who have contributed to the sport over the years.

While the rink will not be opening for curling, the lobby is available for rental. If you are interested in renting the lobby for an event or gathering, please contact any recreation board member.



**ARE YOU A REGISTERED METIS CITIZEN
OR IN THE PROCESS OF CITIZENSHIP
AND YOUR CHILDREN ARE BETWEEN THE AGE
OF 0 – 12**

**PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN OPEN HOUSE OF FELLOWSHIP &
COMMUNITY AT THE HILLS OF HOME IN WILLOW BUNCH &
RECEIVE A COMPLIMENTARY GIFT FOR YOUR CHILD
DECEMBER 15TH 4:00 PM TACO IN A BAG WILL BE SERVED
FOR MORE INFO CONTACT KIM 306-640-7473**



Get in on the 2024 prices...

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



Willow Bunch Library

December Newsletter

Librarian's Message

Library hours

Tuesday 1:00 -5:30

Wednesday 12:30 - 5:30

Thursday 11:30 - 4:30

Christmas in the Village

December 7th

Community Breakfast

9am - 11:00am at the arena

This will be my last newsletter
It has been my pleasure to have been your
librarian for 13 years.

We are pleased to welcome
Tess Giraudier as our new librarian

Important Dates:

Chair Yoga Coffee and
Conversation will be
Wednesdays at 2:00pm

Early Literacy
December 5th, 12th, 19th
at 10:30 am

Christmas Cash Raffle Tickets
\$20.00 each available at the
library.
Draw Date December 7th at
noon

Secret Santa Workshop
December 19th at 6:30pm
Call or stop by the library to
register your child or children.

December 19th will be our last
day before we close for
Christmas.
We will reopen January 2nd
2025
Watch for our new hours in
2025

Weekly happenings

Monday we are closed

Tuesday is courier Day

**Wednesday Chair Yoga, Coffee and
Conversation**

Thursday Early literacy@10:30 am

Drop in LEGO 12:30 til 5:30



Save the Date

Town of Willow Bunch Christmas in the Village

December 7th 2024

***Community Breakfast and Santa visit 9:00am - 11:30
at the Arena***

***Trade and Craft Sale 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
Hills of Home***

***Bingo 1:00pm - 3:00 pm
at the Willow Bunch Museum***

***Children's Carnival 2:00pm - 4:00pm
at the Arena***

***Skating Club Performance 11:30 am
at the Arena***

***Hockey Game 12:30 pm
at the Arena***

The arena concession will be opened at 12:00 pm

Town Yard Decorating Contest

Choir TBA

Sleigh Rides TBA

***Bonfire with hot dogs, marshmallows and hot
chocolate and a visit from Santa TBA***

Events subject to change

WILLOW BUNCH
COMMUNITY
BINGO

Hosted by The Willow Bunch Museum



Lottery License No: CB24-0034

Christmas in the Village

SATURDAY, December 7, 2024

1:00 PM

At the Willow Bunch Museum

Doors open at 12:15 pm

(More dates for 2025 to follow)



**Blackout
BiNGO!**

\$450 PRIZE

If won in 56 numbers!

CANTEEN



Thank you to Thomas Légaré & family for sponsoring our Bingo!

Let us know if you would like to Volunteer or to be a Sponsor!

Call Nichole @ 306-640-7785



Show us your
Christmas spirit!!!
And you could
win \$500!!!

DECORATE YOUR HOUSE
AND YARD

1ST PRIZE \$500

2ND PRIZE \$300

3RD PRIZE \$200

JUDGING TO TAKE PLACE
DEC 7TH



**CHRISTMAS IN THE VILLAGE
COMMUNITY BREAKFAST**

9:00 AM - 11:00AM

@

WILLOW BUNCH SKATING ARENA

PRICES

ADULT 12 AND UP \$10.00

5-11 \$5.00 4 AND UNDER \$2.00

SANTA VISIT STARTING AT 9:00 AM

SELFIES WITH SANTA

TREAT BAGS FOR ALL THE CHILDREN





Trade and Craft Show - Hills of Home
 10.00am – 4.00 pm
 Coffee, hot chocolate and Lunch available
 Vendor list

- | | |
|------------------|--------------------------------|
| Library | Raffle Tickets |
| Joyce Anderson | Alc.ink painting |
| Debbie Klassen | Home decor |
| Diana Mainil | Norwax |
| Val Farfard | Books |
| Mc Kenzie Swayze | Kenzie Brooke Designs |
| Randy Clark | Wood work |
| Gail Foley | Lace and Linen |
| Terri Cornway | Sewing,knitting, bakery |
| Nicole Serfas | women and kids clothing |
| Jody Hordenchuk | Twisted Mind Designs |
| Gail Mattson | Bakery |
| Melody Reimer | Quilted items |
| Joanne Hawkes | Pampered Chef |
| Flora | Sunset Gourmet |
| Knudson | |
| Gabi Heyn | Gabi;s Knitting |
| Laura Stock | Happy little Hooves and Donkey |
| Jeanita Perry | Art, jewelry keychains |
| Rodney Summers | Rod:s woodwork |



3RD ANNUAL

NEW YEAR'S

Burn Burner

EVE

DECEMBER 31

CATHOLIC CHURCH
BASEMENT

PROCEEDS TO:

6:30PM: SUPPER

8:30PM: ENTERTAINMENT

FEATURING:

samurai smokes

TICKETS:

\$50/PERSON

FOR TICKETS CALL:

KEITH 306-640-5230

MERLIN: 306-690-8596

KEVIN: 306-640-9489

\$30/PERSON AFTER 8:00

(AFTER 8PM DANCE ONLY AT THE DOOR)

TICKET AVAILABLE UNTIL DECEMBER 15

