



NEWSLETTER

Community Event

Rosthern Town Wide Garage Sales

Friday, May 31st, 2-7 p.m. and Saturday, June 1st, 10a.m. - 2 p.m. Call Lori at 306-577-1741 to register your garage sale (\$5.00) and get your address on the map.

Sask Valley Music Festival AGM-Monday

May 27, 6:30 p.m. at Eigenheim Church. Bring appetizers and desserts to share prior to meeting

Rosthern Lions Bingo- Tuesday, May 28, 7 p.m. at Community Multipurpose Centre (RES Gym) Door opens at 6 p.m.

Brunch at the Farm - 12 Noon, May 12 (Mother's day), June 16 & 23, July 7, 14, 21 & 28 and **Big Day at the Farm Music Festival**, July 13 at Seager Wheeler Farm. For details check the website, Facebook or call 306-232-5959.

Station Arts Centre

Friends of Good Neighbours Food Centre Presents: Welcome to Spring: An Evening with VALDY, Thursday, May 16, 7:30 p.m. @ Station Arts Centre. Advance tickets available at: Rosthern Pharmacy, Rosthern Medical Clinic, Good Neighbours Food Centre. Tickets: \$30.00

April/May: **"Cate Francis": Paper Wildlife Conservancy**

Summer Theatre: **Blow Wind** by Daniel MacDonald and music by Eileen Laverty, July 5 - July 28, 2019. Tickets are available on May 1 at stationarts.com or call 306-232-5332

"Prairie Perspectives" - Paige Mortensen & Kathleen Slavin, May 24 -June 29, 2019.

Newsletter Submissions

Deadline for submission to any edition is the 3rd Friday of each month.

Email: newsletter@rosthern.com
Classifieds \$5.00 for a max of 25 words

For a business wanting to sponsor a newsletter contact the Town office.

Mayor's Notes

Cleaning House

Many citizens have been cleaning house in the past weeks. To this end, two Town of Rosthern programs have been utilized:

On April 13th, Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day was held in Rosthern. Along with participation from our regional neighbours, 143 people brought a wide variety of hazardous waste items which otherwise might have simply been put in the garbage bin.

Large-Item Pickup on April 29th was the second Town of Rosthern service which many ratepayers take advantage of. Unwanted items are often "repurposed" by others. Pickup of what remains is finally destined for the transfer station.

These programs are part of *Rosthern's Solid Waste Management Program*. Appropriate waste management practices help to make our community an attractive place to live. Of course there is a cost: regional HHWCD costs are in excess of \$20,000.00. LIP invoices will be forthcoming.

Responsible consumption-responsible waste management, benefits-costs: This is the challenge we face together. On behalf of our community, and with your cooperation, your town and administration will continue to provide above-average services on the solid waste management file.

The Economic Development Committee is sponsoring **Doug Griffiths**, President and CEO of 13 Ways, Inc. and co-author of **"13 Ways to Kill Your Community"** to speak at an event being held on Friday, May 31, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the Station Arts Centre. This event is free but space is limited, so please register at the Town Office in person or by calling 306-232-4826.

Regards,

Dennis Helmuth, Mayor/Town of Rosthern

RCMP Safety Tips



Now that summer has arrived it is important to remember some very important bike safety tips:

Make sure that your bike is in good working condition and that your bike fits you properly. You should be able to stand between the handlebars and the seat of your bike with both of your feet on the ground. When you're seated on the bike your tiptoes should be able to touch the ground.

Inspect your bike before you ride. Make sure that the brakes are working properly, that the tires are inflated, that the seat is secure and is the proper height for you.

In order to stay safe while you are biking remember these tips:

- Use arm signals when turning or changing lanes, and look over your shoulder for oncoming vehicles.
- Obey all traffic lights, signs and signals.
- Always be aware of your surroundings, and ride with caution. You may be able to see a vehicle approaching but they might not see you.
- Ride on the righthand side of the road.
- When you start a ride, look both ways for oncoming traffic, including scooters, skateboarders and other cyclists.
- Be aware when passing parked cars – someone could open the door suddenly.
- When you're riding in a group always ride single file.
- Wear high-visibility clothing, especially if riding at night.
- It is also helpful to have a light and a mirror on your bike.
- Make sure to always wear a helmet.

Not-so-fun fact: 85% of all serious head injuries from bike falls could have been prevented by wearing a helmet. Helmets absorb the force of an impact because they have a special foam inside the helmet. The foam in helmets can deteriorate so it is important to check the manufacturer's recommendations as to when to replace your helmet. When choosing a helmet, make sure it fits your head. A helmet can also help avoid accidents with other motorists because it makes you more visible.

In order to stay as safe as possible when you are riding your bike be sure to follow all of the same rules of the road as a vehicle.

Have fun, and stay safe out there!
Rosthern RCMP

Transfer Station (New hours)

Summer (May 1 - Oct 31)

Tuesday 12:00nn - 5:00pm
Thursday 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 pm
Saturday 12:00nn - 5:00 pm

Winter (Nov 1 - April 30)

Saturday 1:00 - 5:00 pm

Library Hours

Tuesday: Noon - 5 p.m.
Wednesday: 4 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Thursday:
Story hour 11 am - noon
Reg Hours 2 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Friday: 2 - 5 pm

Closed

Saturday, Sunday & Monday

Town Office Hours

Monday to Friday
9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Closed for Lunch
12:00 noon - 12:30 pm

Closed on Stat Holidays

Rosthern Fun Fact:

In the late 1880s when railroad ran through Regina to Prince Albert, there was a man by the name of "Ross" who drowned in the creek that flows through the town. "Terne" is an old English name for Tarn meaning a pool, and the name stuck. The town's name echoes an old-world name brought over by a homesick worker on the railroad, in this case that of "Rostherne". It is also the name of a village in the United Kingdom.

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Rosthern Ministerial Service Times

- St. Augustine's Anglican Church 10:00 a.m.
- Trinity Lutheran Church 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
- St. Odilon Roman Catholic Church Sundays 11:00 a.m. and Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.
- Rosthern Mennonite Church 10:00 a.m. (coffee/fellowship to follow)
- Seventh-Day Adventist Church Saturdays : Sabbath School Class 9:30 a.m. Divine Worship 11:00 a.m.
- Eigenheim Mennonite Church 11:00 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Rosthern Seniors Centre Events

- Exercises every Tuesday and Friday @ 9:00 a.m.
 - Games every Tuesday and Thursday @ 1:30 p.m.
 - Memory Lane Entertainment, Wednesday, May 8th @ 8:00 p.m.
- For rentals please contact Della Winkler 1-306-222-2382



Opening Day at the Valley Aquatic Centre is scheduled for **May 18th, 2019!**
(Weather dependent)

Mark your calendars for **Sunday, June 2nd - Swimming Lesson Registration from 1:00-3:00 pm at the Jubilee Sports Centre!** Lesson dates and times are still to be determined. More information will be posted on the Rosthern Recreation Facebook Page, Town of Rosthern website and posters throughout town. The

Town of Rosthern would like to welcome Danielle Brockman back as our pool manager for the 2019 pool season! She's been working hard on getting things ready at the VAC for the summer - Contact her at valleyaquaticmanager@gmail.com for your pool inquiries!

Have you seen our ball diamonds lately? They are looking pretty fantastic! Thanks to the following sponsors for their support in the batting cage upgrade and to Manor Woodworks for donating their time and supplies for the dugout roofs at Diamond #1:

Cogent Chartered Professional Accountants LLP
Funk's Funeral Home
Penny Martens - in memory of Greg Martens
Rosthern Agencies
Rosthern Lions Club
Rosthern Minor Ball
Rosthern's Wash World



On Saturday, June 2nd Rosthern will be hosting the June is Parks and Recreation Month Launch Event & Summer Kickoff at the Valley Aquatic Centre! Keep watch for more details!

"Saskatchewan Crime Watch Advisory Network"

Sign up to receive advisories from your local RCMP and assist by serving as the 'eyes and ears' of your community!

WHO SHOULD SIGN UP? Residents, corporations and organizations.... EVERYONE!

WHAT IS IT? When a detachment becomes aware of an incident or crime, they can issue an advisory via the network, and anyone who has signed up for the program will become aware of what happened within minutes! The system will send the advisory to your smartphone or landline, via text message, email, or text to voice.

HOW DO I SIGN UP? Signing up to be part of the network is free and only takes a few minutes. You choose which RCMP detachment area(s) you want to receive notifications from (one or multiple), and

Trade Show @ Rosthern Lions Hall

Saturday, May 11, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. BBQ and Prizes

Rosthern Alliance Church Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Sunday School 9:45 a.m.