



December 2014

The Christmas Season is on us once again. The staff and Councillors of the Village of Buena Vista wish you and your family a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year.



Unique community opportunity!

The Village of Buena Vista is in the process of writing its Official Community Plan. The Official Community Plan, often called the OCP, is a statement of objectives and policies to guide decisions on future planning and land use management, within the Village.

Community participation is important to this process therefore the formation of a Steering group is essential. To make this group successful it will include representatives from Council, staff and tax payers.

If you would like to shape the future of the Village please volunteer to take part in this important process. We need two representatives from full time tax payers. If you think you are that person please contact our Mayor, Bill Dinu - 306 729 3201 or Lorna Davies 306 729 4385.

Career opportunity - Maintenance Assistant

The Village of Buena Vista, is looking for a full-time, motivated team player to enhance our Public Works department.

The applicant is required to hold a valid driver's licence and have a Grade 12 education or equivalent. The ability to operate heavy equipment would be an asset.

Applications to be mailed, faxed or email to the Village Office by December 19th, 2014:



Garbage collection will remain as normal over the Christmas period.

Recycling collection will be Thurs, December 11th and Mon, December 29th.

During the winter months, to help the public works staff with road clearance, please do not put your garbage or recycling containers out until the day of collection then remove them at the end of the day.

Dec 31st is our year end please clear all outstanding accounts on or before this date.

Unpaid utility bills on Dec 31st 2014 will be transferred to your taxes and interest added every month until paid in full.

2014 taxes are due on Dec 31st 2014, on 1st Jan 2015 interest will be added monthly to any unpaid taxes.

Dec 7th 7:00pm - Community Carol Singing at the Regina Beach Memorial Hall

Dec 13th – Meeting at Art Centre Regina Beach 5:30pm – 9:00pm caroling and Christmas packages for single seniors. Please come and joins us!

Dec 14th 2:00pm - Community Christmas Recital at South Shore School. Everyone welcome to enjoy a show put on by local talent and visit with Santa.

The Village office will close Tuesday, Dec 23rd at 5pm and reopen again Monday, Jan 5th 2015 at 9am. Emergencies will be handled by the On-call staff at 306 729 3239

One Way Road! The yield sign at the west entrance of Lakeview Cres has been removed. This section of the Crescent is permanently one way.

Our ice rink will be ready soon - we look forward to seeing our young and mature skaters practicing their triple toe loops and speed skating.

Please respect the ice, and its users, and keep all motorised vehicles off it.



What's happening in 2015

Winter Carnival – January 10th at Dobson Park. Check Facebook, Twitter or our website buenavista.ca for further details.

Seniors trip to Moose Jaw Casino February 19th. Contact Donna Hall for details. 306 729 - 4220



“Let Every Day Be Christmas” by Norman Wesley Brooks

Christmas is forever, not for just one day,
for loving, sharing, giving, are not to put away
like bells and lights and tinsel, in some box upon a shelf.
The good you do for others is good you do yourself.

Peace on Earth, good will to men,
kind thoughts and words of cheer,
are things we should use often
and not just once a year.

Remember too the Christ-child, grew up to be a man;
to hide him in a cradle, is not our dear Lord's plan.
So keep the Christmas spirit, share it with others far and near,
from week to week and month to month, throughout the
entire year!

*written December 17th 1976
by Norman Wesley Brooks
U.S. Design Engineer (1923–2002)*