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We are at the start of another tourism season. Tourism impacts virtually every area of business and commerce in our province. It engages people of all ages and from all walks of life, in communities large or small, rural or urban. Citizens are engaged in tourism activities, as business owners, managers, employees, and at the volunteer level.

Tourism encourages resident pride and community development and showcases Saskatchewan's remarkable assets – our rich history, diverse culture, one-of-a-kind hospitality, and so much more – to the rest of Canada and to the world.

How many of these Sask. Facts are you familiar with?

- The Willow Bunch Museum has a life-sized replica of Edouard Beaulieu (1881-1904), also known as the Willow Bunch Giant. He was 8'3".
- In 2006, British Columbian Kyle MacDonald made headlines when, through a series of eBay trades, he turns a single red paper clip into a house in Kipling.
- A grove of aspen trees near Hafford is known as the Crooked Bush. The trees grow twisted and gnarled unlike any other aspens in the area. It is believed that a genetic mutation caused the anomaly.
- Being one of two Canadian provinces without any coastline, it might seem strange that Saskatchewan is home to a lighthouse. Built as a tourist attraction in Cochin, it was erected on Pirot Hill overlooking Jackfish Lake.
- In 1991, Big Bert, the world's most complete Telehinus skeleton, a prehistoric crocodile, was found on the banks of the Carrot River.
- Half of Saskatchewan is covered by forest, mainly in the northern part of the province. One-third is farmland, mainly in the south, and one-eighth is fresh water, which is found throughout the province.
- Saskatchewan has more freshwater, by area, than Alberta and British Columbia combined.
- The Saskatoon is an edible prairie berry that can be enjoyed plain, with sugar and cream, in a pie or in a variety of other ways. It is also the namesake for Saskatchewan's largest city.
- There are 15 cities in Saskatchewan. Two of them were declared in 2009 – Meadow Lake and Martensville.
- Saskatchewan has produced more National Hockey League (NHL) players than any other province, including Gordie Howe and Wendel Clark.
- Saskatchewan has the most reported crop circles in Canada with more than 100 since 1925.
- With 250,000 km of roads, Saskatchewan has more road surface than any other province in Canada.



This summer, whether you are the tourist or are welcoming the tourist to our area, be sure to check out and promote the many fine attractions our province has to offer! See sasktourism.com for all the information you'll need. Don't forget to enter the contests while you're there!



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COMMUNITY EVENTS

Jennifer Phair & Akeso Massage Therapy will be in Consul on **Tuesday, May 29 & Wednesday, May 30**. Please call 778-2059 or 741-8026, email j.phair@sasktel.net or fb to book an appointment. Appointments are available Tuesday 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. and Wednesday 9:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. I will be located at Manley's Bakery.

International Year of Co-operatives

2012 is the International Year of Cooperatives. To celebrate this, Cypress Credit Union, Consul Branch, has chosen to promote **coffee breaks** on **May 30th**. Please stop in for coffee, with our compliments, at any of these local establishments during the times listed.

Warlin Ice Cream & SGI	9:00 – 11:00
Consul Café	11:00 – 1:00
Manley Bread & Honey	1:00 – 3:00

Hope to see you for a coffee break!

Memorial Service for Marian Reesor on **Sunday, June 3rd** at 1:30 at Consul Church of God. David Manley officiating. Lunch and visiting afterwards. Everyone welcome.

The Friends of Cypress Lake is a non-profit organization of volunteers that takes care of the leased recreation site at Cypress Lake. We are accepting donations again this season to cover the cost of liability insurance, maintenance of tables and bathrooms, and repairs to the dock and launch area. Donations can be left at the Credit Union and tax receipts will be issued. A big thank you to all the people who have already given very generously! A **clean up bee** will be held **June 5** at 5:00 p.m. (alternate date June 10). Bring your mowers, rakes, and weed whippers, and help make your local rec area look great for the season! For more info, contact Shane (299-4828) or Richard (299-2160).

The **Scattered Scooters** will once again be taking part in **Relay For Life** at Leader, Sask. on **June 8th**. Money raised goes to the Canadian Cancer Society. If you would like to make a donation, you can contact Lisa Olson or Nancy Weisgerber. We appreciate your support.

Consul Slo-Pitch Tournament- June 15 & 16. To enter your team call 299-2148. Must have at least 4 girls on your team. The Consul Ball Diamonds would like to remind everyone that there is a \$5.00 user fee for any individual who uses the diamonds. These funds help to cover the cost of the power and upkeep of the diamonds. Thank you.

VILLAGE OF CONSUL

ATTENTION VILLAGE RESIDENTS:

Please be advised that Bylaw 2/06 states "no person shall cause or permit any junked vehicle to be kept on any land owned by that person."

If you have any questions, please contact the Village Office. Thank you.

Village Council

R.M. OF RENO

Clubroot is a serious disease with limited options for controlling. Due to the potential spread of Clubroot in the province, the R.M. of Reno Council encourages all ratepayers to be aware of Clubroot and other noxious weeds. In an effort to prevent the spread of clubroot to this area, we recommend all landowners/occupants practice good sanitization methods on vehicles/machinery/equipment coming in from other areas, as well as avoid the use of straw, hay, greenfeed, silage, and manure from infested or suspect areas.



TENDER

The R.M. of Reno is looking for anyone interested in mowing grass around the old R.M. office, the new R.M. office, as well as the R.M. shop. Tenders will be accepted until 4:30 p.m., Friday, June 8, 2012. The R.M. reserves the right to reject any or all tenders. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted. Please Call the R.M. office if you have any questions.

Kim Lacelle, Administrator. R.M. of Reno No. 51, Box 90 Consul, Sk. SON OPO. Phone 306-299-2133. Fax: 306-299-4433. Email: rm51@sasktel.net

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Educational Assistant (1.0 Perm) Consul School

A full-time E.A. is needed at Consul School in the fall. For more information and how to apply, visit www.chinooksd.ca, and click on the job postings under human resources. Competition closes May 28, 2012. Questions? Call Lisa Olson at the school.

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THANK YOU

The family of the late William (Bill) Behrman would like to thank everyone for their support through calls, visits, cards, flowers and food. Thank you to the Cypress Lodge and Home Care Workers, to Dr Govender and Nurses at the Maple Creek Hospital for taking great care of our father. Thank you to Binkley's Funeral Home (MC), Pastor David Manley for the personal service, and to Bevin and Carrie Funk for their comforting songs. Thank you to the Salvation Army for serving a wonderful lunch. Thank you to all who donated to the Southwest Integrated Hospital Fund. Your kindness and thoughtfulness will always be remembered. Edna, ShirleyAnn, Carol, Darlene, Bill and families.



The Consul U.C.W. would like to thank everyone who supported our Pie Social on May 8th. Thank you to the ladies who donated pies and to everyone who came and enjoyed them. Our Pie Social was a great success and we will have another one later in the year. The money we raise goes to help projects that we support, namely, Camp Shagebec, Consul School Scholarship, and Missoula Theatre.

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