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7th Annual Reno Rodeo August 2nd & 3rd

Plus Family Fun Team Roping on the evening of August 1st

Don't forget entry day — Monday, July 21st!!

Kids' Original Rodeo & Local Rodeo Entries are from 9 am until 2 pm ONLY. Phone 306-299-4916.

Rookie Roughstock Entries will be taken from July 1-21 by phoning Doug @ 403-932-5562.



Remember to get your rodeo bumper stickers & posters from any committee member or at the Credit Union in Consul.

See consulrenorodeo.com for more info & details.

Part of the South Saskatchewan Little Britches Rodeo Circuit

Consul Little Britches Rodeo 2014

Saturday, August 23 at the Consul Rodeo Grounds

Starts at 11 am

Entries: Monday, August 18 from 9 am-2 pm

Email Kim: kim2997799@gmail.com

Three Age Groups (as of January 1st)

Pee Wee (8yrs & under), Junior (12yrs & under), Senior(16yrs&under)

Events

Saddlebrnc, Bareback, Jr. Steer Riding (12 yrs and under), Bull Riding, Steer Undecorating (Jr&Sr), Breakaway Roping(Jr&Sr), Team Roping (Jr & Sr), Barrel Racing (PW, Jr & Sr), Hide Race, Pole Bending (PW, Jr & Sr), Goat Tail Untying (Jr), Goat Tying (Sr),

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Published by Consul Museum Inc.**WOW! WASN'T THAT A GREAT CELEBRATION!!**

People of Consul and area, pat yourselves on the back! That was a celebration to be truly proud of! All weekend long I kept hearing how great the festivities were, how well-organized everything was, how delicious and well-run the meals were, and..... how great it was to be 'home'!!

The final count on the number of people attending is 870. That is awesome! Almost 900 people gathered in one tiny village because they felt a connection to it and wanted to celebrate its centennial! Old friends hugged; family members reunited and told stories; classmates reminisced; photos were snapped; new memories were made.

The church service on Sunday took up a collection that will be distributed amongst the three summer camps that our local church families support—Camp Shagabec, Cypress Bible Camp and Camp Lemieux. \$1395.50 was the total collected, and I'm sure each camp will appreciate adding \$465 to their summer programs.

Yes, the weekend is over, but I think that sense of accomplishment will linger on for quite awhile. Well done, everyone!

- Susan Pridmore

P.S. Look for more about the anniversary in the next issue on August 28th. With this issue's deadline so soon after the end of the weekend, things were still being cleaned up and tallied!

**SW Loop Poker Run Fundraiser for Jaki Biesenthal**

(Brea Lewis' cousin)

Saturday July 19, 2014
Eastend, SKRegistration: 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM
@ Jerry's Auto Accessories 520 Railway St.Registration Fees: \$20.00 (includes meal at end of day)
\$10.00 for the 1st hand + \$5.00 each additional handS.W. Loop Poker Run starts @ 11:00 AM
Eastend to Shaunavon to Gull Lake to Piapot to Consul & return to Eastend.
Many Prizes and Raffle TableSponsor sheets available at Southline Oilfield Construction & Maintenance or
Contact Mike or Brea (306) 295-3773 or breaandmike@sasktel.net

For anyone who doesn't know, Jaki Biesenthal is Brea's cousin and on June 10, 2014 she attended a celebration of life balloon release with a group of friends on their motorcycles in Regina, SK. On her ride home that night she was struck by an SUV after the driver suffered heart attack and veered into her lane. She was in the wrong place at the wrong time. Thankfully, she is still with us but that doesn't mean that she doesn't have a long road ahead of her. She suffered two broken arms, a broken pelvis, and has had to have her left leg amputated above the knee. Her amazing spirit and positive attitude towards life continues to shine through everyday even in these trying times. She is a strong, beautiful, caring, and loving woman who amazes her friends and family every day. Help us help Jaki through her long journey!!

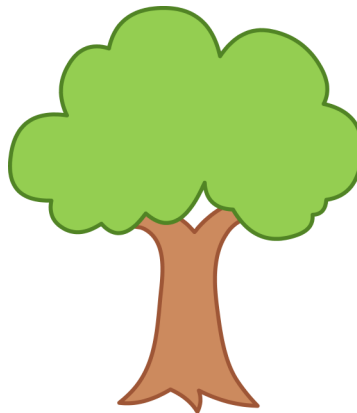
Have a Fun & Safe Summer, Everyone!

100 TREES FOR 100 YEARS

A few months ago Milan Balaz and I (Vicki Manley) initiated an idea to plant 100 trees to commemorate our towns 100th Anniversary. We would like to give a summary of how it went and thank those who expressed encouragement, gave moral support, offered elbow grease, gave elbow grease, and generally helped in any way. Milan's understanding of our soils and tree planting gave us the foundation to prepare a soil mix, drill sizable holes and plant approximately 71 trees and shrubs. It sounds pretty simple, but it involved many hours and many much-appreciated volunteers. We are so thankful to:

- ◆ Paul Heglund for the use of your equipment, for the fertilizer, for timely assistance on several occasions, and for your moral support.
- ◆ Paul Swihart for the use of your tractor, truck and chipper.
- ◆ Elmer Palmer for the use of your tractor.
- ◆ Dave Zilkie for the use of your water truck.
- ◆ Also for help in wood chipping, mixing soils and planting: Darlene Nelson, Guy Simons, Dave Zilkie, Dave Manley, Paul Swihart, Amber Jackson, Sophie, Kate, Jon and Boris Rutkowski, Rose Edmonds, June Stetar, Skylar Pierce, Patrick Fairbrother, Kristen Zilkie, Travis Rabe, Brandon Rabe, Don Smith, Garry Penner, Bevin Funk, the grade 6/7 Science Class with Jody Geiger and Alicia Jones.
- ◆ Lisa Olson for getting school division approval for the planting of trees on school property.
- ◆ Extra acknowledgement and thanks to Jack Cleve who gave many hours and became an expert in drilling 14" holes, and to Tom Eremenko for your time and expertise.
- ◆ Special thanks to Jim and Linda Brown who removed the bags of soil mix from the areas that we were not able to finish before the 100th weekend.

We are sorry that we could not at least have drilled and filled the remaining holes so they were ready for a tree! I'm not sure how or if we will proceed. Talk to Vicki if you have questions or suggestions. Most of the trees have been planted at the school. Ten shrubs were planted by the Museum Committee as part of their project for the new Consul sign. Again, thank you! We will continue to water and nurture this project and hopefully we will be enjoying the results of our efforts in the years ahead.



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Lost & Found: I lost a pair of sunglasses and also found a pair in the Consul Hall on the anniversary weekend. Both pairs are black in colour and are made to fit over regular glasses, but mine have a different rhinestone pattern on them. Call Helen at 306-299-4404 if you found mine or if I have yours.

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DEADLINE FOR ADS
 for the next issue is
Monday, August 25th at noon.

SUMMER AT THE LIBRARY

The **Chinook Regional Library** is again having a **Summer Reading Program** for all school children. Each time your child comes into the library and takes out books, or orders them online and picks them up at the Consul Branch, their names will be entered into the draw.

The Summer Reading Program is underway now and is done when school resumes. There are reading logs, stickers and bookmarks. We want to encourage children to read through the summer months.

Check out our website and what we have to offer at Chinook Regional Library. We have audio books, DVDs, and you can get books for e-readers from our library. Also, we are automated and can issue library cards which can be used all over the region.

Linda Brown - Branch Librarian

Hope to see you this summer!!



Doctoral Research on Volunteering in the Community

I have been approved to conduct my research for my Doctoral work about what causes volunteer fatigue in a rural community. I will be conducting interviews with anyone in the community who is interested in contributing information about their experiences with volunteering. I have a Team who is working with me, and we would be thrilled to hear your story. Please contact me if you are interested in contributing to the research, or have any questions.

Dave Manley

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