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UPDATE FROM LIVING HOPE RANCH

The LHR board would like to thank everyone in the community who has offered land as potential locations for Living Hope Ranch. We are currently pursuing one of these options as the official plant and startup of LHR. Watch for further updates about the future location for LHR. In the meantime we continue to finalize legal and regulatory requirements including the application for charitable status with Revenue Canada.

LHR has a full website with an active donate button, and printable PDFs of the Program and Student Handbook. Check us out on Facebook. Please feel free to check them out to stay up to date with progress and information. Monthly progress updates will be posted online as development continues. Any information regarding the current status of LHR can be found at www.livinghoperanch.ca.

Our Director of Communication, Kristen Zilkie, has been spending time on the road raising awareness and fundraising for LHR. Over the past few months she has traveled to various places in Saskatchewan and into Alberta. Over the course of the next two months she will be heading to Regina, Saskatoon, Lethbridge and Calgary for speaking engagements and business meetings with corporate sponsors and potential future investors.

Inquiries into LHR's program continue to come in, which include emails and phone calls from parents and girls requesting applications to attend. The number of inquiries has already exceeded the number of available positions LHR will offer. There has been almost an equal amount of inquiries into future available staffing positions at LHR.

The LHR board would like to thank the community of Consul for their outpouring of support and interest in LHR as we continue to move forward. We look forward with anticipation to the future for Living Hope Ranch within this community.

Again, if there's anyone with any questions, suggestions or inquiries regarding LHR please contact Kristen Zilkie or Nancy-Jean Taylor.

Sincerely, The Living Hope Ranch Board



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COMING EVENTS

Consul Rockets Steak & Lobster Supper & Social. Saturday, October 3rd at the Consul Hall. Cocktails 5:30 with Supper at 6:30. Tickets are \$60 and are available from Connie @ the Post Office or by calling Barb 299-2148 or Derek 299-7622. Tickets need to be purchased by September 28th. Thank you for supporting the Senior Rockets.

Come to the **Threshing Bee at the Dolgopol Farm** on **October 3** (weather permitting). Activities all day, thrashing will start after lunch. Bring your own bagged lunch. Potluck Supper. Everyone welcome!

Make plans to attend the **Annual Harvest Bingo and Auction** on **Monday, October 5** at Consul Hall, hosted by St. Stephen's Catholic Women's League. Doors open at 6:30. Bingo starts at 7:00. Lots of great silent auction items. Snack Booth. Everyone welcome!

Everyone is welcome to the **Reno Multiple 4-H Club Re-organizational Meeting** on **Tuesday, October 6** at 6:00 pm at the Consul School. Beef project offered for sure. Many other projects to choose from! Check out the Saskatchewan 4-H website at www.4-h.sk.ca to see what else there is. If there is interest in other projects other than beef, we will also require leaders for those projects. For more info contact Heidi Beierbach @ 299-2058.

The library will sponsor a **puppet show** AT THE RENO RASCALS DAYCARE on **October 7** at 10:00 AM. All children are invited to attend.

St. Stephen's Church will be hosting a **Fall Supper** on **Saturday, October 17** from 5 to 8 pm at Consul Hall. Turkey and all the trimmings catered by Redmond House. Advance tickets available from Manley's Bakery and Catholic Church parishioners. Adults: \$25. Children 6-12 years: \$12. Children 5 and under: Free. (At the door \$30/\$15). <u>All</u> profits go to their mission project in Togo, Africa. Everyone welcome!

The **Southwest Community Club** will be holding their annual **Bingo and Bake Auction** on **Friday, October 23** at 7:30 pm in the Govenlock Hall. Doors will open at 7 pm. We will draw for the Quilt that is on display at the Credit Union. Lunch will be served.

Mark your calendars! **Consul's Annual Craft, Hobby & Trade Fair** will be happening on **Wednesday, October 28**. Please phone Heather to book a table 306-299-4954.



Week of September 20 to 26

Voter information cards are printed. They will be mailed to some 25 million registered electors this week. The card will tell them when and where to vote, and shows the accessibility of their polling site. Stay tuned.

Candidates have until Monday (September 28) to file their nomination papers.

Did you know? Elections Canada has evaluated 25,000 potential polling sites in the country against 35 accessibility criteria, 15 of which are mandatory for a site to be considered accessible. The majority of polling places in this election will meet these criterias, and the accessibility features of each polling site will be published online.

D. Wayne Elhard, MLA Cypress Hills Constituency www.wayneelhard.ca

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CONSUL SKATING RINK

The Consul Skating Rink will be having their Annual General Meeting on **Monday, October 19th** @ 7:00 pm at the rink.

We are in need of individuals to fill the following positions:

- 1) a minimum of 3 directors to join the board
- 2) an individual to do the booth ordering for the 2015-2016 season
- 3) Treasurer for the booth
- 4) Secretary/Treasurer for the rink board

For more information on any of the above positions please contact one of the board members or Heather Fisher 306-299-4954.

The Consul Skating Rink is now accepting **APPLICATIONS** for the positions of:

1) Ice Maintenance Person

2) Rink Caretaker

Please submit your application for either of the above positions, with salary expected, to the Consul Skating Rink, Box 2, Consul, SK SON 0PO. Applications must be received before 7:00 pm on **October 19, 2015**. If you have any questions or would like to see a job description please contact Heather Fisher 306-299-4954.

VILLAGE OF CONSUL

Waste & Recycling Program

Our landfill is quickly filling up and due to new regulations it is quite costly to keep our landfill operational. Therefore we are looking at introducing a waste and recycling program for the residents and businesses at a cost per house/business per month. Note that the cost will be dependent on the amount of waste and recycling. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this program please contact the Village office or a member of council.

CONSUL MOTEL BAR & GRILL

Since the unfortunate fire at Consul Motel Bar & Grill on the August long weekend we have all been wondering what the future holds for the business. Will it be demolished? Will it re-open? Bill Singh, owner of the establishment, was reached earlier this week and had some good news. He said that he doesn't have a date yet, but that he is hoping to re-open the bar sometime soon, maybe in a month or so. He is also planning to run a small restaurant again.

In a community as small as Consul, we hate to lose any of the businesses or services we have. We wish Bill all the best in getting things up and running again!



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CHINOOK LIBRARY

Winners of the summer reading program at the Chinook Library are:

- Kaitlyn Kelly
- © Sierra Mackie
- © Elisha Brown

- © Brooklyn Newman © Jonathan Rutkowski © Robert Kelly

Thank you, everyone, for coming to the library to read during the summer. Please stop in & pick up your prizes.

The library is open Monday and Wednesday from 1:00 - 4:00 PM and Friday from 9:00 AM - 12 Noon. Starting on October 2nd until December 11, the Mondays and Wednesdays are the same time, but the Friday is open from 9:00 AM - 3:00

We are implementing a new library computer program beginning on September 25th so IF you are having problems accessing the Chinook website, this will be temporary and should be fine after the 25th.

If you need information or help dealing with any problems let me know and I hopefully can help you out.





September 20 to 26, 2015

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