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Maple Creek Ag Business Centre Contact us at 306.662.2420 Thank you to everyone who used and contributed to the Skating Rink/Booth this past season. We would like to recognize:

- Board Members: Scott Brown, Heather Fisher, Quinn Zilkie, Stephen Behrman, Blake Jones, Maureen Hodgins, Shawn Mackie and Travis Seifert
- Custodian: Maureen Hodgins
- Ice Caretaker/Maintenance: Stephen Behrman
- Jill Mackie and Heather Fisher for keeping the booth stocked
- Donations: Blythman Agencies, Wade and Susan Pridmore, Ed and Sharon Sandor, Dan and Nora Zilkie, Quinn Zilkie, Gabruch Family, Southline Electric.
- Scott Pridmore family and everyone who donated to the Rink in Scott's memory
- RM Reno 51 Grant
- Saskatchewan Lotteries TIP Grant
- Everyone who worked in the booth
- Dale and Doreen Pridmore for taking in the recycling and all the extras they do around the rink.
- Pioneer Co-op for the propane for the Zamboni
- Dave Zilkie for pumping out the septic tank and clearing the snow from the parking lot
- Everyone who helped with putting in the ice at the beginning of the season
- The Maple Creek Senior Hawks for hosting a game at Consul.

And anyone we missed. THANK YOU!



Consul Church of God will continue Sunday morning Facebook Live services. Join them Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

St. Stephen Catholic Church

invites you to join in the livestreamed Masses from Resurrection Parish in Regina. They are live every morning at 9:00 or can be accessed anytime after that. Find the link at archregina.sk.ca/live.





coming events

Looking forward to events coming back soon!



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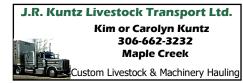
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Consul School Spring Plant Fundraiser - After consultation with the division we have decided to go ahead with our Spring Flower fundraiser. Orders must be placed online by **Wednesday, April 29th** at

https://consulschoolsrc.growingsmilesfundraising.com. Flower delivery will be Wednesday, May 13th. Pick-up will be at the school by appointment only so that we practice all social distancing standards. Please pay with a cheque on the day of pick-up. Thank you for your support!

2020 Phone List for the RM will be coming out soon. Please let me know if you have any changes to your numbers or information. Each local mailbox gets one copy of the list. If you want more than one copy the cost is \$0.50 and must be pre-ordered. There are a couple spots available for advertising. The spots are approximately 1" x 2.5" and cost \$35. Please contact me prior to May 14th. Heather Fisher 306-299-7717 or hgfisher@hotmail.com.

The **Consul – Nashlyn Irrigation District** will NOT be holding an annual meeting but the directors will be discussing the upcoming irrigation season. Patrons will be advised of ditch burning and watering start dates. We will accept applications for a ditch rider for the 2020 season for the McKinnon ditch and/or the Richardson ditch. The wage is \$5.50/acre. For more information, please contact Rodney Fairbrother 306-299-7814.

Bakery News - Our hours are 7 a.m. - 5:15ish p.m. Monday-Friday. We welcome calls for pizza orders or items from the freezer even when we are not open as we are definitely trying to provide services. We appreciate your orders. As we often say, avoid disappointment, order ahead! ⁽²⁾ We have been posting our daily menu on Facebook and have a sign in the window so you can see what we are featuring. Suggestions welcome. Please note that the motel is also open, for any tradespeople you may have doing work here. Thanks so much for your support and for your understanding of the physical distancing we are all practicing.

And... the pizza oven season is almost upon us! If we could get a few nice days we will fire it up!

village of consul

The Village of Consul is accepting applications for the following position: **Parks Labourer**.

Main responsibilities will include mowing grass, maintaining public grounds within the village and other duties as assigned. A valid driver's license is required. Some mechanical knowledge would be an asset but is not required. Applicants may submit a resume by 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday May 6, 2020 including salary expectations to:

> Village of Consul, Box 185, Consul SK SON OPO

The Village of Consul is selling a **2000 Husqvarna Industrial Mower** and has a minimum bid price of \$3,000.00.

Please submit all bids in writing, excluding taxes, in a sealed envelope labeled "Husqvarna Mower Bid" to the Village of Consul office at Box 185, Consul, SK SON OPO. Bids must be submitted by Wednesday, May 6, 2020 by 1:00 pm.

Conditions of Sale

- The Husqvarna mower will be sold "as is".
- There is no warranty or guarantee, implied or otherwise.
- To view the mower or for additional information please contact the Village of Consul office.
- Bids will be opened at the Village of Consul office meeting on Tuesday, May 12, 2020.
- Successful bidder will be notified on Wednesday, May 13, 2020.
- Payment must be received in full prior to the pick-up of the mower.

Note: The municipality reserves the right to refuse all bids.

The Village of Consul is seeking a willing individual to perform the duties of a **Relief Water & Wastewater Operator**.

Main responsibilities are to be able to maintain, operate, and repair water supply; treatment & distribution, sewage collection & treatment functions; lift station maintenance; ensuring that all regulations are being met; other duties as assigned.

This individual must have the following:

- Minimum Grade 12 education
- Some mechanical and electrical knowledge
- Strong math skills
- Valid Class 5 Driver's License
- Willing to obtain and maintain a Class 1 Water & Wastewater Operator Certificate.

Applicants may submit a resume by 1:00 pm Wednesday, May 6, 2020 including salary expectations to:

> Village of Consul Box 185, Consul SK SON 0P0



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NEXT ISSUE: MAY 14TH DEADLINE FOR ADS Monday, May 11th at noon

HERE TO ASSIST YOU

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Our constituency office is here to assist with government services and programs. Please contact us by phone or email to maintain social distancing.

COVID-19 is having a significant impact on our daily lives, our business, and our economy. We all need to continue our diligence to protect each other through social distancing and practice good hygiene. Our government is working to ensure people and business have the support they need to come out of this trying time successfully. Below are a few of the programs that could be of service to you.

Business

Saskatchewan small businesses are receiving additional provincial support to help deal with current COVID-19 challenges through the new Saskatchewan Small Business Emergency Payment. The \$50 million program will provide financial support to small- and mediumsized businesses that have had to temporarily close to significantly curtail operations as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic. Grants will be paid based on 15 per cent of a business' monthly sales revenue, to a maximum of \$5,000. For information on this program, email **ssbep@gov.sk.ca**, visit www.saskatchewan.ca/covid19-businesses or call **1-800-667-6102**.

If you have questions on the status of your business on the list of allowable business services, please contact the Business Response Team at **1-844-800-8688**, emailing **supportforbusiness@gov.sk.ca** or by visiting <u>www.saskatchewan.ca/covid19-businesses</u>.

Information on support for workers who had their employment impacted by the current economic situation is found at www.saskatchewan.ca/covid19-workers.

Mental Health

Mental Health services and supports are readily available to Saskatchewan residents in need. In recent spending estimates, the Ministry of Health is investing \$435 million in mental health and addictions services, an increase of \$33 million.

Mental health resources available to Saskatchewan residents include:

- The Farm Stress Line provides support for farmers and ranchers and is available 24 hours per day, seven days per week. To get help, call **1-800-667-4442**.
- Kids Help Phone (<u>https://kidshelpphone.ca/</u>) offers counselling, information and referrals by phone, text or online chat. It's confidential, free and available 24/7.
- Mobile Crisis (<u>http://www.mobilecrisis.ca/mobile-crisis-helpline/</u>) centres are located across Saskatchewan and operate 24/7.

Oil and Gas Support

The Government of Saskatchewan is implementing a series of relief measures for the provincial oil and gas sector, in response to the unprecedented economic downturn resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic and the price war between Saudi Arabia and Russia. The Saskatchewan energy sector is the second largest contributor to provincial GDP and, directly or indirectly, employs more than 34,000 people.

Provincial relief measures by the Government of Saskatchewan include:

- Extending filing and other deadlines to assist the oil and gas sector in stabilizing operations
- Extending mineral rights scheduled to expire in 2020, by one year, including rights granted under the terms of an oil and gas lease, exploration license or permit
- Reducing the industry portion of the Oil and Gas Administrative Levy by 50 per cent this fiscal year and delaying the invoicing of the remaining balance until October 1, 2020. This will provide the sector with relief of \$11.4 million to address immediate liquidity challenges

To learn more about supports and COVID-19 in general visit <u>www.saskatchewan.ca/COVID19</u> Call the **HealthLine - 811** if you are experiencing symptoms and require medical advice Public inquiries may be emailed to **COVID-19@health.gov.sk.ca** For general not-health-specific inquiries related to COVID-19 call **1-855-559-5502**.

Doug Steele, MLA for Cypress Hills