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CONSUL MUSEUM STRIVING ONWARDS

by Susan Pridmore

The Annual General Meeting of Consul Museum was held Thursday evening, April 29, 2021 at Reno Senior Citizens Hall. In attendance were the three board members and four interested community members.

Much of the meeting was spent discussing the future of the museum. Though it seemed at first that wrapping up the board was imminent, it soon became apparent that people were reluctant to see that happen. All at the meeting have heard positive feedback about the website and would like to see it continue to exist - and even continue with building and improving it if possible. There are a couple interviews to finish up and add to the website plus a few other items people would like to see completed. With the healthy bank account that has built up thanks to the community supporting this local newsletter as the museum's main fundraiser, it was felt that the necessary talent could be hired to achieve these goals.

The new museum board taking on these tasks includes returning members, Laura Erickson and Jean Jones, as well as two new (or maybe a better word would be 'revived') members, Ann Behrman and Susan Pridmore, both having served on the board in past years. Teresa Heglund retired from the board but agreed to continue to help as a volunteer. Thank you, Teresa, for your years as a board member and all you did for the museum in that capacity.

If there are others who don't want the responsibility of being on the board but feel they could contribute time and talent occasionally to help out (maybe with transcribing or photo cataloging or helping with the *Reno Reader*) just contact a board member and we will gratefully accept your assistance. A big 'thank you' to those of you who have supported the museum in big and small ways. Much appreciated!

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VILLAGE OF CONSUL - The next Census of population has started in May 2021. The census is used to make decisions about our community, province and country as a whole.

At the regular council meeting held on February 9, 2021 the following Resolution was made:

That the Council of the Corporation of Consul supports the 2021 Census and encourages all residents to complete their census questionnaires online at www.census.gc.ca. Accurate and complete census data support programs and services that benefit our community.

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welcome

The Reno Reader welcomes a new advertiser this week - Jordan Cook, owner and operator of Southern Diesel Ag & Truck Repair, a mobile mechanic service based out of Medicine Hat.

He is a Journeyman Red Seal Heavy Duty Mechanic. He has worked in two ag shops while apprenticing and in his journeyman years. He has also worked at a Bobcat/JCB dealership in Edmonton. Add to that working on semi trucks/trailers in the logging industry and oil/gas industry and you could say Jordan has gained quite a variety of experience.

Not sure who Jordan Cook is? Well, you may be better acquainted with his wife, Hannah (Rod and Lisa Fairbrother's daughter). Jordan expressed that they are planning to be able to move this way in the next while, depending on work and living situations, and this business is a step toward being able to do that.

Jordan has been running this business and building his service truck for the last few years on the side on evenings and weekends after his day job. Just this spring he launched the business fulltime. His last job was working for the John Deere dealership in Medicine Hat.

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Re-Opening Roadmap

A three-step plan to gradually lift the current public health orders as Saskatchewan reaches significant vaccination levels.

STEP 1

Three weeks after 70% of people 40+ have received their first dose, and vaccine eligibility is 18+

40 AND OLDER

**TARGET
70%
VACCINATED**

- Restaurants and bars open, maximum six at a table
- 30% capacity or 150 people (whichever is less) at places of worship
- Group fitness classes can resume, with three metres between participants
- Limit of 10 people at private indoor, outdoor and household gatherings
- Limit 30 people at public indoor gatherings
- Limit 150 people at public outdoor gatherings

STEP 2

Three weeks after 70% of people 30+ have received their first dose, and three weeks since beginning Step 1

30 AND OLDER

**TARGET
70%
VACCINATED**

- No capacity thresholds on retail and personal care services, must maintain physical distancing
- No table capacity for restaurants and bars, must maintain physical distancing or barriers between tables
- 150 person maximum capacity at event facilities, casinos, bingo halls, theatres, libraries and recreational facilities
- Limit of 15 people at private indoor gatherings and household gatherings

STEP 3

Three weeks after 70% of people 18+ have received their first dose, and three weeks since beginning Step 2

18 AND OLDER

**TARGET
70%
VACCINATED**

- Most remaining restrictions will be lifted
- Guidance on gathering sizes and indoor masking is still being developed
- Public health orders from Step Two on gathering sizes and indoor masking will remain in place until that guidance is finalized

Expected Timeline

STEP 1 Last week in May

STEP 2 Third week in June

STEP 3 Second week in July

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**DEADLINE FOR ADS
Monday, May 24th at noon**

RECYCLING REMINDER

ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS:

Paper & Cardboard (flattened boxes, newspapers, flyers, inserts, junk mail, envelopes, magazines, paperback books, hardcover books with covers & spines removed, copier paper, gift & packing paper, brown bags, paper egg cartons, etc.)

Aluminum & Tin (soft drink & beer cans, foil trays & pie plates, rinsed household tin cans)

Plastic (containers with logo 2 to 7, plastic drink bottles, aseptic packages, juice & milk cartons, milk jugs, tetra-paks, pouches)

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Plastic bags and plastic wrap

Glass Wood Metal

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Confetti shredded paper

Styrofoam and other foam packing materials

Auto parts and batteries

Oil containers and chemical jugs

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Doug Steele

Saskatchewan Party MLA for Cypress Hills



The COVID-19 pandemic is not just a global health crisis, it is the biggest shock to the Saskatchewan, Canadian and world economies since the Second World War. This is a significant challenge that requires a significant response. Saskatchewan's response can best be summarized in three words: **Protect. Build. Grow.**

The 2021-22 provincial budget protects the health and safety of our people and our economy, builds our province through investments in infrastructure to stimulate economic activity, grows Saskatchewan through various incentives and key investments, and delivers on 14 specific commitments to make life more affordable.



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