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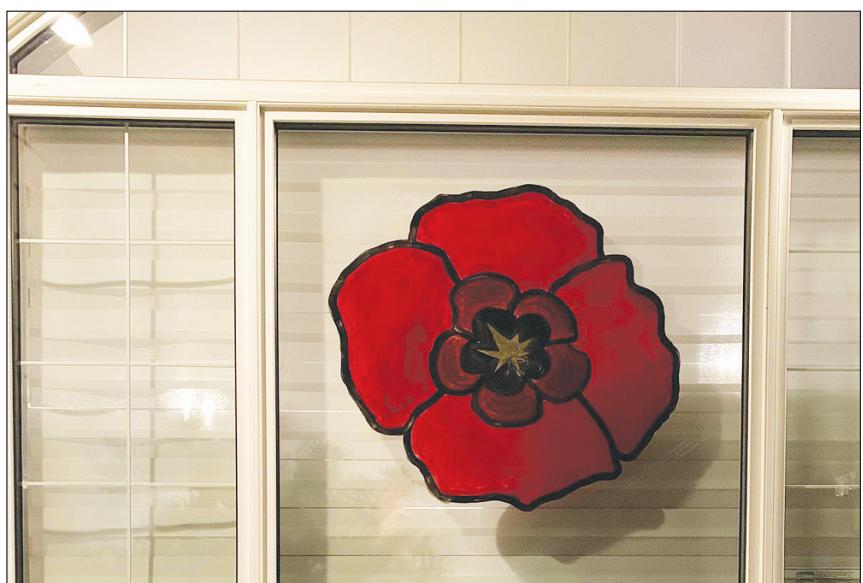
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## Lest We Forget

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, as was the case in 2020, this year's Remembrance Day ceremonies looked a little different. A few local communities held virtual events including in Lanigan (pictured) where Lanigan Legion Branch #143 conducted the ceremony with its members at the Legion Hall and streamed it online. Meanwhile,

residents from the area also paid tribute to those who fought and continue to fight for our freedom. Wendy Renwick sent in the above photo of a poppy painted on her window by her granddaughter Masy Renwick. - screen grab images from Lanigan Legion Branch's Facebook live event/above photo courtesy Wendy Renwick



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# Season paused at Lanigan and District Curling Club

■ **Daniel Bushman**

Looking forward to sliding into the upcoming curling season and after sweeping past a few hurdles, a substantial repair has thrown a wrench into plans at the Lanigan and District Curling Club.

When talking with Lanigan and District Curling Club Board Members William Dodd, Bailey Williams and Michelle Stevenson, the trio explained once the provincial guidelines allowed for the resumption of curling they began to get ready. "Once we heard that we were able to have a season for sure, we attempted start up and then discovered a brine filter leak. We fixed that, then attempted start up again only to discover our compressor had lost all its pressure and needed repairs. At this point our delay still remains because we do not have the funds for the repairs required to start the season."

Due to the loss of fundraising opportunities because of the current pandemic and after only being able to have the rink running for five weeks before shutting it down in 2020, the board said work will have to be done

in order to raise money for repairs. Holding a meeting Nov. 8, members of the board were able to meet with the community who had questions about the delayed season. "Everyone agreed that we need to do fundraising and find opportunities for income to get the curling club going!"

With a goal of wanting the ice installed and ready for the Boxing Day Bonspiel or early in 2022 for league play, the members of the board indicated they require a large amount of funding in order to get to that point. "Based on last year start ups costs, plus the quote from our refrigeration technician, we still need about \$10,000 just to start the season. We will still need income throughout the year to help with our monthly costs as well as to not run us completely out of money by the end of the season."

In order to try and reach that amount, a 50/50 raffle is currently underway to help raise funds. "Tickets can be purchased from any curling board member, messaging our Facebook page, or visiting the Lanigan Esso or Bryx Liquor! If you would like to sell tickets for the curling club, books can be picked up at the town office from Michelle Stevenson.

Our hope is to have a baking auction on the draw night for the raffle (Dec. 16). In the new year we would like to host our Basket of Cheer raffle again with the prize being a basket of 'cheer' from Bryx Liquor!"

The board members added if anyone is looking to help raise funds for the curling club in Lanigan, they can sell ticket books and come the new year, tickets for raffle baskets. "Or if you feel there is something you can offer, feel free to reach out to any board member or message our Facebook page and we will be able to help answer any questions you might have!"

If the Lanigan and District Curling Club is unable to reach its goal and cannot make repairs this year, the hope is to fundraise as much as possible. "We know that if we close our doors and people stop coming by, people won't come back when we are able to start up again. We have tossed around some ideas about hosting a Rocks and Rings event, or other events at the curling club this winter even if the ice doesn't go in. Our goal is to get the ice in and have a season and bonspiels throughout the winter!"

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## Local area not slated to receive additional CCAs

■ **Daniel Bushman**

There was some good news for a number of long-term care facilities within Saskatchewan as the provincial government announced more continuing care assistants (CCAs) are being hired. Of those new hires, which marks the first year of a three-year commitment by the province to add 300 new CCAs across the health system, none were within the local area.

The provincial government noted in the 2021-22 provincial budget, a total of \$6 million in funding was allocated to hire an additional 108 full-time equivalent CCA positions (90 for long-term care facilities and 18 to support home care).

Reaching out to the Ministry of Health to see if any of those 108 additional full-time equivalent CCAs would be hired for facilities in Watrous, Imperial, Lanigan and Nokomis, the Ministry of Health stated, "The government's commitment to 300 additional CCAs is over a period of time. The long-term care homes in these communities did not receive additional continuing care assistants in this allocation; we will be working with the Saskatchewan Health Authority (SHA) to determine the allocation for future years."

While there will not be any additional hires locally, at least this time around, according to the Ministry of Health the \$6 million investment from the provincial government will result in additional direct care support in 43 other long-term care homes. Additional

home care staff will service 22 smaller cities, towns, northern communities and their surrounding rural areas.

"We are following through on our commitment to add more continuing care assistants in home care and long-term care facilities throughout the province," Mental Health and Addictions, Seniors and Rural and Remote Health Minister Everett Hindley said. "This is just one of the many investments our government is making to ensure that we are meeting the health care needs of Saskatchewan's older adult population."

"The SHA is pleased to see this initial investment in improving the quality of care for residents, with the provision of additional continuing care aide positions to support direct care needs," SHA Executive Director of Continuing Care Andre Moss said.

To date, SHA and their long-term care affiliates and contracted operators have hired the equivalent of 85 full-time CCAs. Recruitment efforts are ongoing for five additional FTE positions in the long-term care sector. The SHA has also hired the equivalent of 10 full-time CCAs to work in home care, and is working toward recruiting an additional eight FTEs. These staff will support home care needs in rural and remote communities across the province. Since April, 95 of 108, or 88 percent, of the CCA positions committed to in the budget have been filled.

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# Drake Meats operating centre in Lanigan

■ **Daniel Bushman**

With an increase in demand for their products and an opportunity to grow, despite navigating through a pandemic, it has been a busy year for Drake Meats. With their latest creation Jerky in a Box (a subscription-based product where consumers can have their favourite jerky shipped to them) garnering rave reviews, the company based out of Drake made the choice to expand its business north.

Along with their famous sausage, bacon, smokies and burgers, Marketing Manager for Drake Meats Tyson Ediger said as orders for Jerky in a Box continued to grow, the company made the decision to occupy space at the Carlton Trail Mall in Lanigan.

Opening its new facility in mid-October, Ediger said, "We found ourselves quickly outgrowing our fulfillment centre in Drake so our team began looking for a suitable location to expand into, and Lanigan had an option that suited our needs."

Ediger explained the move to have a larger space to fill and ship orders from was crucial not only for their business to meet growth but also to keep up heading into the holiday season. "We would not be able to fulfill our holiday orders without making this move. The new space has allowed us to continue growing our business."

Planning to utilize the space in Lanigan until the company outgrows it, Ediger added the recent addition of Jerky in a Box to Drake Meats has really taken off. "Just as it was in 1949, we're all about great products and great people. So when it came to getting our jerky into the hands of consumers, we decided to let our meat do all of the talking for us."

But despite the widespread popularity of the company's products including Jerky in a Box, Ediger noted the past year and a half has contained a few obstacles.

"The pandemic has brought unique challenges to our business that no one could have foreseen a couple years ago, namely around increased costs and implementing



With a chance to grow and help meet demand, Drake Meats is now operating out of part of the Carlton Trail Mall in Lanigan (left) as part of its Jerky in a Box fulfillment centre.

- left photo by Kim Bushman, remaining courtesy Drake Meats



procedures to keep people safe. Thankfully, we have a strong team of good people who have navigated these challenges and helped our company adapt to the new 'normal.'

As part of that new normal and increase in demand, Ediger anticipates Drake Meats which currently employs over 100 people could grow its team by about 50 over the next five years. "We are getting positive feedback from customers across Western Canada about our products and it is extremely gratifying. We hope to continue serving more of our products to families across Canada in the coming years."



## Public Health Act amendments address safety around hospitals

■ **media release**

The Government of Saskatchewan is introducing legislation that will protect the health workforce, patients and families by ensuring they have safe access to hospitals, and expand workforce flexibility to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Public Health (Safe Access to Hospitals) Amendment Act, 2021 was introduced Nov. 10 in the Saskatchewan legislature to amend The Public Health Act, 1994.

These amendments provide the ability to create and enforce safe access zones around hospitals, so that patients and

health care providers are protected from harassment. A 50-metre safe access zone would prevent sidewalk protests near hospitals that could potentially result in delays or harassment for people going into the facilities.

The legislation will also enable additional immunizers to support vaccination programs,

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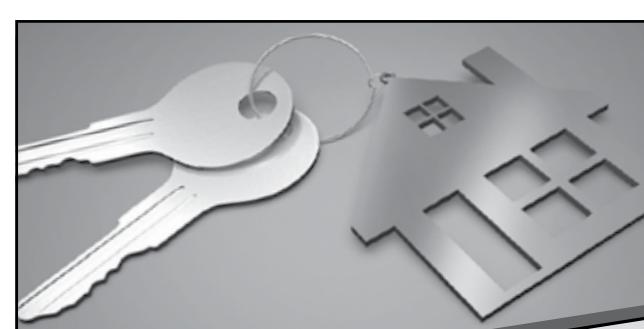
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# OPINIONS AND COMMUNITY NEWS

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## Jansen

Louise Shannon

Condolences to the Klinger family on the passing of Erwin Klinger. His brother lives in Jansen. He is survived by wife Zelma and daughter Tamara in Nanaimo, B.C.

Sorry to hear of the passing of Wesley Klinger. He was the youngest of the children of John and Martha Klinger of Jansen. He was predeceased by his parents

and sister Margaret.

Condolences to the family of Larry Chegus who passed away recently. He and his family lived in Jansen for many years and later moved to Watson to set up an RV business.

Congratulations to Emily Koshinsky for her volleyball win in Brandon.

Happy birthday to Rita Paetsch and Colleen Manyk.

## Prairie Rose Bowling



### Seniors

#### Thursday, Nov. 4

LHS: Marilyn Kline, 189

LHT: Lorna Jantz, 486

MHS: Vic Kline, 213

MHT: Vic Kline, 698

#### Mens

#### Monday, Nov. 8

MHS: Dwayne Koshinsky, 238

MHT: Dwayne Koshinsky, 620

#### Ladies

#### Wednesday, Nov. 10

LHS: Judy Parker, 206

LHT: Judy Parker, 466

#### Mixed

#### Thursday, Nov. 4

LHS: Glenda Blyth, 218

LHT: Glenda Blyth, 471

MHS: Greg Blyth, 236

MHT: Greg Blyth, 692

## Viscount

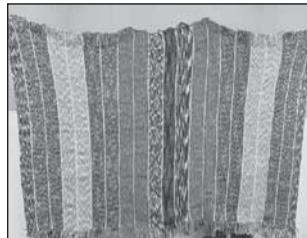
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The pictures are of some scarves we were lucky enough to have donated. We put them together and made them into a beautiful blanket.

Another lovely afternoon was spent at the Viscount library Wednesday, Nov. 3, where four ladies met to work on blankets. We were surprised by two visitors from Lanigan who came by to give us two boxes of beautiful squares. The squares were made for us by her sister. Blankets for Canada appreciates the contributions made by so many in the gifting of yarn, squares and time. Our blankets are always needed and very much appreciated by all who receive them. If you would like more information please contact Evelina at 306-944-4820.

The Gr. 1 and 2 class from Viscount Central School had a great visit at the post office and Viscount library. They talked about what an important part of the community these businesses are. They received some nice gifts as well.

Best wishes to anyone who is under the weather. I hope you feel better soon. Thank you to all who helped make this week's Viscount news possible. Have a great week, enjoy the beautiful weather and try to stay safe.



- photos submitted by Sandra Reid

## uncompliCATED - *If the Sun Should Rise Without Me*

-Arlene Martin, April 2011



■ by Arlene Martin

If the sun should rise without me and  
You face the morning all alone,  
Just realize with my demise -  
I'm freed from the anguish I've known.  
Still - I wish I could take your heartache  
Make your tears disappear today ~  
If your love could have slayed my dragon,  
I would never have gone away.

If the sun should set as I draw my last breath,  
Though we knew the hour towered near;  
So hard I fought ~ we often thought  
I'd rear and persevere.  
I had a lot to live for and oh ~ so much to do,  
But with all my pain I couldn't remain  
Though it meant my leaving you.

In a loving blaze my spirit was raised,  
Please know I was never alone,  
Wrapped safely in the arms of God ~  
He whispered that I was Home;  
And in that place embracing me  
Were those I loved who died;  
I can't describe the beauty  
Here on the other side.

So when the sun should rise without me  
Don't think that we're apart ~  
I can hear you, see you, feel you  
Every time you touch your heart.

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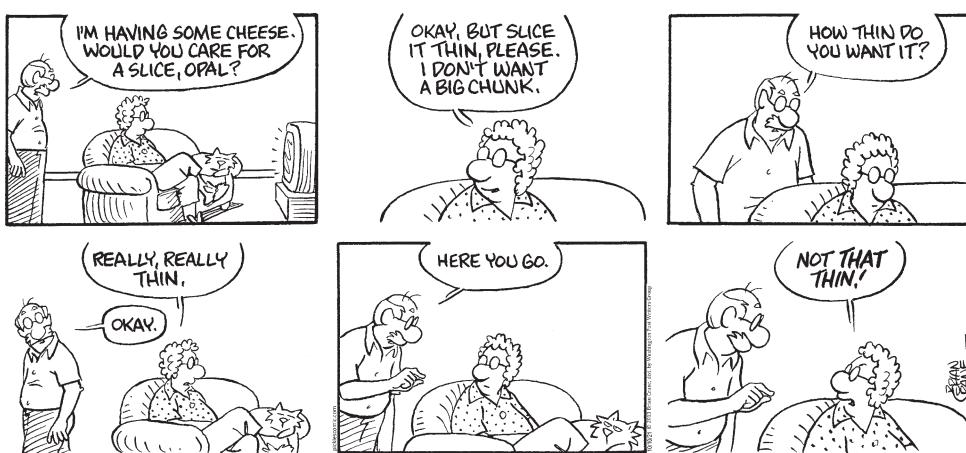
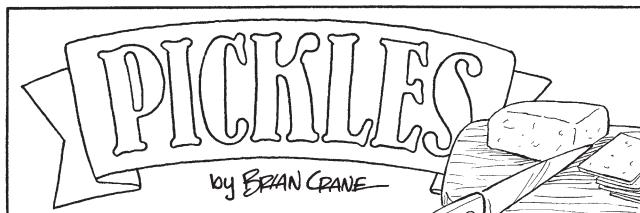
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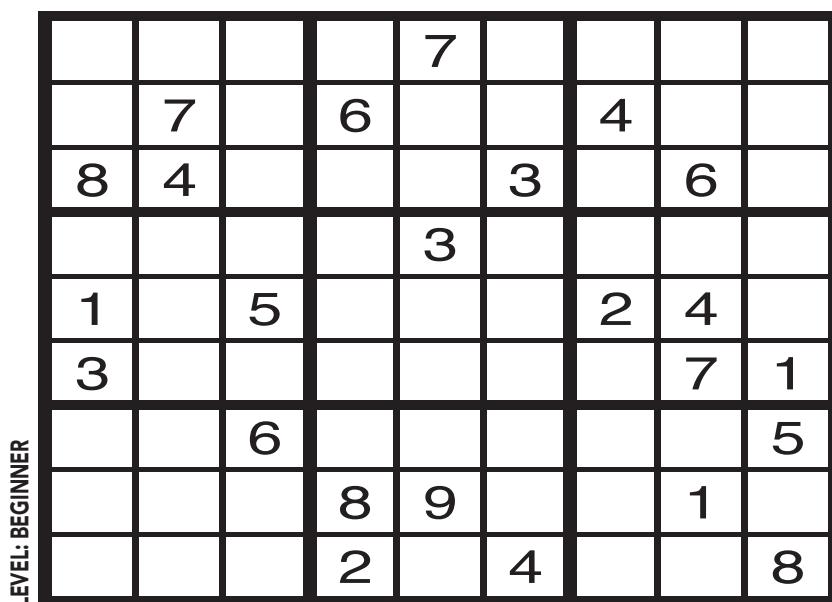
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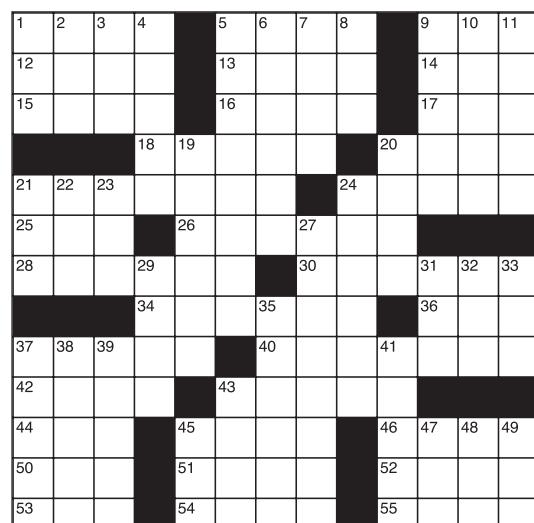
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**ACROSS**

- 1. Epic
- 5. Fellow
- 9. Carpenter's tool
- 12. Milky gem
- 13. Wallet items
- 14. Hawaiian gift
- 15. Valley
- 16. Minerals
- 17. Sun-bronzed
- 18. Monsters
- 20. Cover with cement
- 21. Gives
- 24. More achy
- 25. Provoke
- 26. Armed conflict
- 28. Gruesome
- 30. Treatment
- 34. Imitated a serpent
- 36. Anguish
- 37. Bricklayer
- 40. Baby birds of prey
- 42. Choir voice
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- 46. Remotely
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- 53. So-so grade
- 54. Joins
- 55. Fired

**DOWN**

- 1. Lay turf
- 2. Act like
- 3. Maiden
- 4. Deal out
- 5. Entrances
- 6. Turmoil
- 7. Poor grades
- 8. Superhero's chest letter
- 9. Sacred table
- 10. Zigzag
- 11. Ocean cruiser
- 19. Halloween creature

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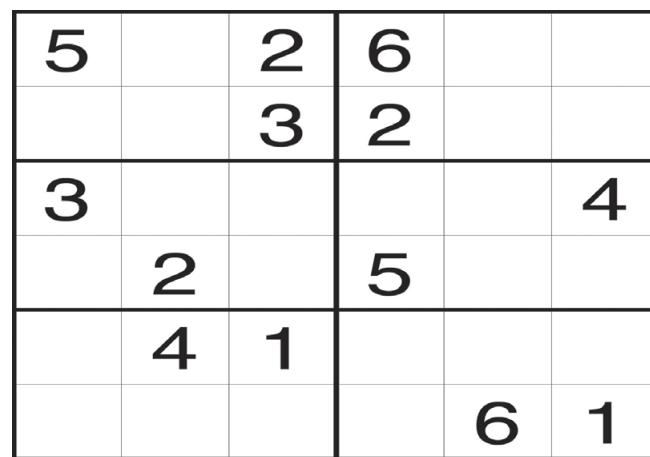
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| 1 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 6 |
| 3 | 5 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 4 |
| 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| 5 | 1 | 2 | 6 | 4 | 3 |

**“Look What's Cooking by Laura Novecosky”**

## Cream of Carrot and Potato Soup

**Ingredients:**

- 2 tbsp. butter
- 1/2 cup finely chopped onion
- 8 to 10 shredded carrots
- 4 medium potatoes, shredded
- 6 cups chicken broth
- 1/2 tsp. thyme
- 1 bay leaf
- 1/4 tsp. Tabasco sauce
- 1/2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 tsp. sugar
- salt and pepper to taste
- 1 1/3 cups milk
- 1 to 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese

**Directions:**

Sauté onion in butter in large pot. Add and simmer remaining ingredients except the milk and cheese until the vegetables are well done. Add the milk and cheese, stirring until the cheese is melted. Discard the bay leaf. Salt and pepper to taste. Sprinkle each serving with a little dried parsley.

## Lazers enjoy opportunity to compete

■ submitted by co-coach of the Lanigan Lazers Lorraine Mau

As with most extracurricular sports, the Lanigan Lazers soccer team was excited to play again after having a year off. We started with a clean slate as the previous team had all graduated.

This year we welcomed a new coach, Camille Dick, and a brand new team of kids, mostly girls (which is the exact opposite of the last five years). We were able to enter a co-ed team in the Senior Girls League. We played some good games against a less experienced Humboldt team, which resulted in three wins and goals from every one of our players! We also played a more experienced Lake Lenore team which resulted in three losses but we saw improvement and were able to still score some goals against them.

Coach Camille and I are both really proud of the team! They worked well together, encouraged each other and had fun together. They were willing and able to learn new concepts and strategies. We believe there is great potential for the future!



- photos courtesy Lorraine Mau and Camille Dick



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Looking to keep building momentum, the Lanigan Lazers headed to Watrous Nov. 6 as part of 3A girls conference action. Joining five other teams competing at the Winston High School gym, Lanigan faced Watrous in the first game of the day (pictured). The team then met Kelvington, Dalmeny, and Clavet to wrap up round-robin play. After the final match ended Saturday, Dalmeny sat in first with a 4-0 record followed by Lanigan at 3-1, Watrous at 2-2, Clavet at 1-3 and Kelvington at 0-4. With Lanigan playing host to Regionals Nov. 13, the Lazers along with Dalmeny and Watrous all advanced from Conference play.  
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# Horizon holds junior golf events

■ **Daniel Bushman**

Local area golfers competed at this year's Horizon Central Athletic Association's (HCAA) junior golf pre-district and district events earlier this fall. In pre-district play in Humboldt and Watson, Sept. 17 the top 10 finishers (plus ties) in both the male and female events who met the cut line advanced to the HCAA Jr. Golf District Championship in Watson Sept. 21.

Here are the results of the local competitors and the schools they represent.

#### **Junior Pre-Districts**

According to HCAA, in Humboldt on the male side, Jaxson Hendry of Nokomis made the cut with a 60, placing 10th. First place carded a 42. Carter Edwards of Nokomis was 13th with a 64, and Brody Metz of Imperial was 17th with a 67.

In Watson, LeRoy's Dylan

Froess placed first with a 43, Lukas Tuplin of LeRoy was third with a 46, Calder Jones of Lanigan Central High School was tied for eighth with a 57 and Kayden Stroeder of Lanigan Elementary School was eighth as well with a 57, making the cut. Ethan Hamilton and Noah Brenner, both of Lanigan Elementary were 12th with 58. Graydn Wilson of Lanigan Elementary was 14th with a 60 and Hudson Boyko of La-

nigan Central High School was 17th with a 62.

Locally, from the girls side, in Humboldt Olivia Tan and Taylor Potter, both of Watrous carded a 55. With a playoff hole, Tan edged out Potter for first. Hadley Braun of Nokomis placed fifth with a 66.

In Watson, Geri Lon Valdesimo of LeRoy was fifth with a 67 and Callie Chernishenko of Lanigan was sixth with a 76, making the

cut. Delani Walter of Lanigan was seventh carding 88.

#### **Junior Districts**

Advancing to district action Sept. 21 at McNab Park Golf Club in Watson, this year's winner on the male side was AJ Paulsen of Humboldt who carded an 88 while McCartney Johnson of Wadena was first on the female side with 108.

Locally on the male side, Dylan Froess of LeRoy placed fifth with a 94, Lukas

Tuplin of LeRoy was ninth with a 105, Kayden Stroeder of Lanigan was 15th with a 112, Calder Jones of Lanigan and Jaxson Hendry of Nokomis each tied for 17th with 118.

On the female side, locally Taylor Potter of Watrous was second with a 114, Geri Lon Valdesimo of LeRoy and Olivia Tan of Watrous tied for fifth with 124, and Callie Chernishenko of Lanigan was 10th with 148.

## RCMP Report

who speed, stunt or race.

The changes will allow police to immediately suspend driver's licences and impound vehicles if a driver is charged with stunting, racing, or excessive speeding.

"This is the first step in strengthening the penalties for stunting and racing in Saskatchewan; our government also intends to increase the fines for these offences once the amendment has passed," Minister Responsible for SGI Don Morgan said. "As well, by better defining what constitutes racing and stunting, police can more easily enforce these offences, and put a stop to these dangerous behaviours."

Other notable changes to The Traffic Safety Amendment Act, 2021, include:

- Clarifying rules around road and speed signs in municipalities.
- Clarifying that suspended drivers can legally drive to take part in SGI-mandated driver evaluations under approved supervision.

The legislation will take effect after it is passed in the Legislative Assembly and proclaimed, which is expected to happen during the spring sitting.

#### **Man arrested for six armed robberies**

A 55-year-old man is facing 18 charges relating to six robberies following an investigation by the SPS General Investigations Section.

Between Oct. 17 and 26 police responded to six robberies in Saskatoon that involved a weapon, at gas station convenience stores in the 2700 block of Faithful Avenue (x2), the 400 block of Circle Drive East, the 1900 block of McKercher Drive, the 3300 block of 8th Street East, and the 3900 block of 8th Street East. In each of the robberies, the suspect brandished a knife, but no one was injured.

The accused was identified and arrested on Oct. 27. He is facing numerous charges including Armed Robbery (x6), Possession of a Dangerous Weapon (x6), and Possession of Stolen Property (x6).

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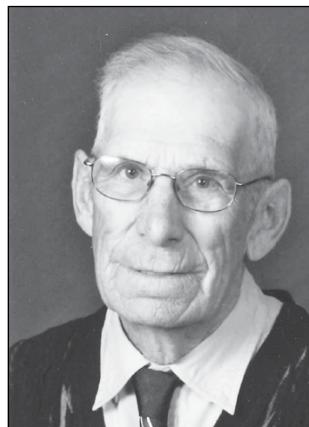
## OBITUARY

### POMFRET,

Bert

July 30, 1922 -  
Oct. 27, 2021

99 years



Bert Pomfret passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on Wednesday, October 27, 2021 at the Central Parkland Lodge in Lanigan, Sask.

Bert was born July 30, 1922, on the family farm in the Haliburton District. Bert

was the second child of Frank and Olive Pomfret. He attended Haliburton School until the age of 13 then began working for neighbouring farmers. In 1944, when his parents moved to B.C., Bert purchased the family farm and started farming on his own. On November 28, 1950, Bert married the love of his life, Dorothy Nadiger. Their marriage was blessed with one daughter, Gwen. Bert and Dorothy farmed for many years with his father-in-law Arthur Nadiger and later their son-in-law Dave Robson. In the early '90s, they started travelling to Mesa, Arizona, every winter and continued for 27 years. It was there he became known as the bike man - fixing bikes from around the park they lived in. He attended daily coffee row, weekly country music jam sessions at the hall and was always lending a hand for set up of the park's country store, so Dorothy could sell her jams and buns. They made many friends from across the nation during their time there. In 2001 they retired to Humboldt. There he enjoyed daily coffee at A & W and spent countless hours in their yard and garden. Bert was very community-minded. He was a member of many organizations including the Haliburton Community Club and served as a trustee and chairman for the Haliburton School Board. He was an early member of the Jansen-Esk Credit Union and served on the Board of Directors for many years. Bert was a gentle and caring man. He always thought of others before himself, as their happiness made him happy. His positive attitude brought light into many situations. He loved his family dearly and was very proud of them.

Bert will be lovingly remembered and sadly missed by his wife Dorothy, his daughter, two grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren: Gwen (Dave) Robson and family; Allison (Shawn) Bartel and children Cade, Kaylin, and Mesa; Darryl (Danielle) Robson and children Ava, Keaton, and Drew.

Bert was predeceased by his parents Frank and Olive Pomfret; parents-in-law Arthur and Olive Nadiger; brother Don Pomfret, and sister Verna (Dick) Green; sister-in-law Helen (Mack) Barron and numerous friends.

A funeral service for Albert was held Saturday, November 13, 2021 at 2 p.m. at the Jansen Community Centre officiated by Deacon Jack Robson.

Memorial donations in Bert's memory may be directed to the Nokomis Ag Society.

Funeral Arrangements were entrusted to Malinoski & Danyluk Funeral Home & Crematorium.

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### SHIPMAN,

Jeanne

(Kowbel)

Oct. 8, 1928 -  
Oct. 25, 2021

Jeanne passed away peacefully during the early morning hours on October 25th with her daughter Arlene and son Richard at her side.

Jeanne was born October 8, 1928 on the family farm located in the Municipality of Wolverine northwest of Lanigan.

She was the second of 7 children born to Nick and Rose Kowbel. After high school Jeanne attended Normal School in Saskatoon where she obtained a teaching certificate. She taught in Cypress Hills (Alpine School), St. Benedict, Tisdale (North Harbour School), Rocky Valley School north of Middle Lake and lastly at Copeland School where she met her beloved husband William (Bill) whom she married in 1953. When Jeanne's children were going to school she would do occasional substitute teaching at the Kawacatoose First Nation. Jeanne loved gardening, sewing clothes for her children, growing flowers, cooking and in later years, going fishing and travelling with Bill. She was very compassionate, caring, loved children, the farm, news and loved recording the daily weather on the calendar. She and Bill would attend the little country church Our Lady of Mount Carmel most Sundays.

She was predeceased by: husband William (Bill) Shipman; parents Nick and Rose Kowbel and her siblings Verna Wasylenko (Bernie), Albert Kowbel, Steve Kowbel, Mary Tirk, and Helen Fedorchuk (Joe).

Jeanne is survived by: her children Richard (Carol), Brenda (Brian), Larry (Suzanne), Arlene (Bill). Her grandchildren: Patrick, Curtis, Tanya, Kylie, Lance, Desmond, Larissa, Darren, Lesley, Sheri, Bradley; great-grandchildren Anthony, Rylee, Maddex, Ayla, Arielle, Taryn, Kaitlyn, Jeffrey, Kyle, Savannah, Lincoln, Lincoln's soon to be sibling and her sister Adele Tremblay.

Funeral mass service was held Saturday, October 30, 2021 at Raymore Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church.

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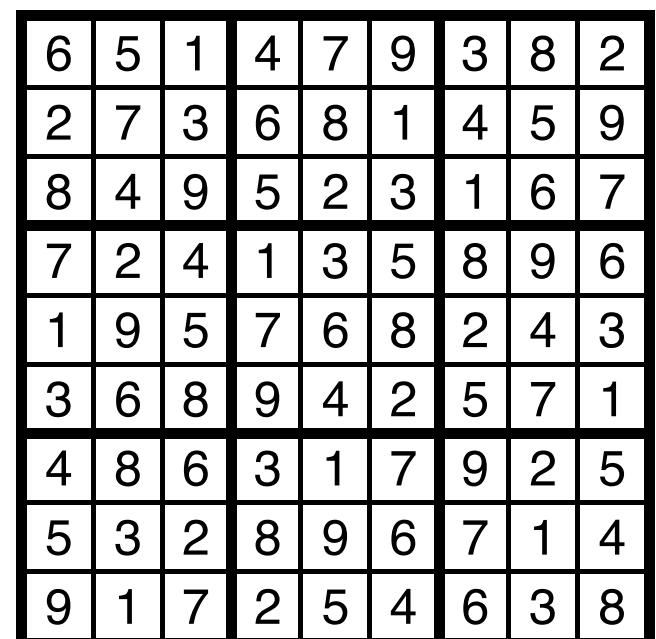
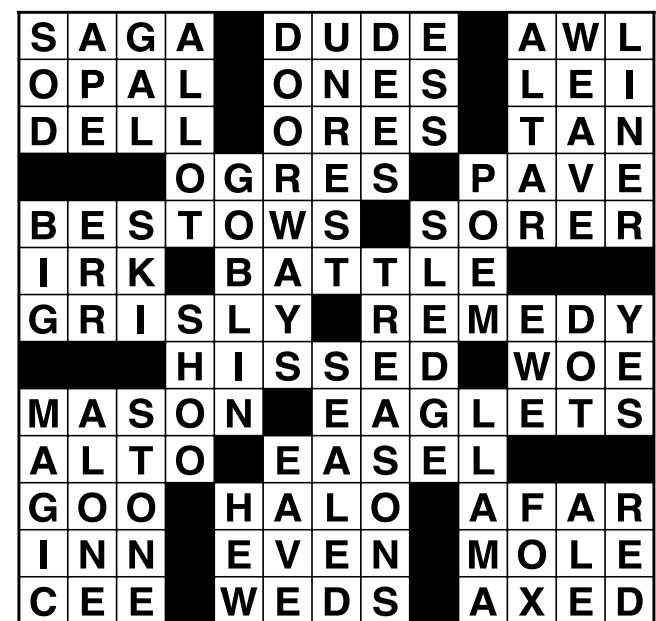
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# Fraser Tolmie sworn in as Member of Parliament

■ **media release**

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Tolmie.

Meanwhile, on Nov. 10, the Hon. Erin O'Toole, Leader of Canada's Conservatives and the Official Opposition, released the Deputy Conservative Shadow Cabinet for the 44th Parliament. As part of the Deputy Shadow Cabinet, Tolmie was named Deputy Shadow Minister for Veterans Affairs.

The House of Commons will reconvene on Monday, Nov. 22nd.



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### Canada Is Set to Become a Global Leader in Levelling the Playing Field for Local News

#### Levelling the Playing Field with Digital Giants

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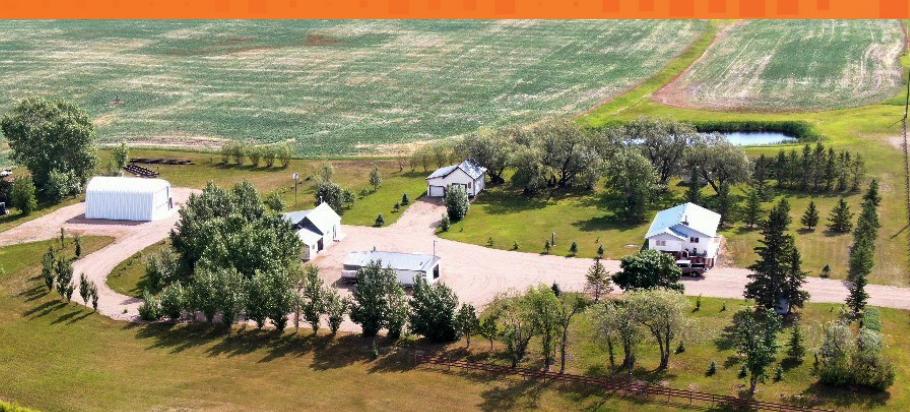
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