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WES students enjoy new play structure

■ Daniel Bushman

With a lot of hard work, dedication, and tremendous support from the community, students at Watrous Elementary School can now enjoy a new play structure.

After removing an aging play structure and several old climbers last year, the school began fundraising for a three phase playground project. Watrous Elementary School Vice Principal Rhonda Hardy who is part of the committee garnering funds for the new equipment said, "We are thrilled to have Phase 1 installed and it is already being used by students."

After the new pieces for Phase 1 arrived at the school in early October, work commenced and the structure was built. Heading into the Thanksgiving weekend, students and staff were all smiles as the play structure was officially installed. Due to COVID-19 guidelines, a limited number of students are able to play on the equipment each recess, but Hardy said it is just fantastic to have the new structure in place so that it can be used for years to come.

Hardy noted the installation of the playground

equipment before Thanksgiving was only made possible by the generous support and labour donation from three local business owners. "Royce Dyck and his crew from Quality Plus Construction saw the project through from start to finish, providing the manpower to put the structure together. Ron Ediger and his crew from Melron Services

prepared the surface, provided gravel, and covered the area with sand following the install. And Dennis Irvine was our welder on site, preparing the channeling system under the structure. We sincerely appreciate their help. We also want to acknowledge Vaughn Jones at Integra Tire for providing some workers to shovel sand following the install and to Mark and Cathy McMann, the owners of Pip's Esso & Subway for donating sub lunches for our workers and volunteers while on

site."

Seeing the kids smiling as they enjoy the new playground structure, Hardy feels overwhelmed at how the local community has come together during this very difficult year to provide the equipment for the students at Watrous Elementary School.

"We continue to be generously supported by local and area businesses as we move towards Phases 2 and 3 of our project and recently have had some additional

donations. Those funds were generously provided by Ron Ediger and Melron Services (\$1,000), the Watrous Kinettes (\$1,000), and we also received \$4,000 from the BHP Community Assistance Program."

With the extra funding, Hardy said the school is hoping to garner enough money over the next few months to be able to order equipment for Phase 2 of the project with an expected installation date of spring 2021.



►Students and staff from Watrous Elementary School were all smiles as new pieces for the school's playground were installed as part of Phase 1. With additional donations for the project including from the Watrous Kinettes (below), Ron Ediger and Melron Services (below left) and from the BHP Community Assistance Program, volunteers and businesses joined forces to install the equipment in time for Thanksgiving. The school is now working on Phase 2 of the project with hopes of installing more equipment as part of that phase in spring of 2021.
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Gebhard suits up in first pro game and nets first pro goal

■ submitted by
Judy Gebhard

Jaycee Gebhard arrived in Sweden at the end of July and hit the ice the first week of August for preparation for pre-season games.

The Swedish Brynäs IF elite professional women's

hockey team were off to a great start. With the first league game in Jaycee's professional career she netted a goal and one assist. The team comprises of players from Sweden (14), Czech (2), Austria (1), USA (1), Finland (1), Switzerland (1), and Canada (2). Winning all games to-date has not only been a great ac-

complishment, but to play with this calibre of women's hockey is certainly an experience.

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Q and A with Arm River candidates

■ Daniel Bushman

With the upcoming provincial election taking place later this month, candidates have been busy campaigning within the local area. Since the Arm River and Humboldt-Watrous constituencies encompass the majority of our readership area, The Watrous Manitou attempted to reach out to each candidate who is running for the seat in each constituency.

As of Oct. 6, there were four candidates in the Arm River constituency and five candidates in the Humboldt-Watrous constituency. Last week, The Watrous Manitou featured a question and answer with Humboldt-Watrous constituency candidates. This week, TWM is featuring a question and answer with the Arm River constituency candidates. Running this year is Saskatchewan Party candidate Dana Skoropad, New Democratic Party of Saskatchewan candidate Cam Goff, Sask Green Party candidate Tiffany Giesbrecht, and Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan candidate Steve Forbes.

The following is a Q and A with the candidates who submitted their responses and appear in alphabetical order by party name. Those unable to submit their responses by press time are also noted:

New Democratic Party of Saskatchewan candidate Cam Goff

How have things been going for you during your campaign so far?

Quite well. The campaign volunteers and I managed to put up signs at the entrances to most of the communities in the constituency, as well as highway intersections, right after the writ was dropped. As well, our plans for mailouts and ads in the constituency's five weeklies are set up and underway.

Why did you decide to run?

I feel that the problems that face rural Saskatchewan, our country, and our



►New Democratic Party of Saskatchewan candidate Cam Goff.
photo submitted

planet need immediate and far-reaching solutions. The current government has shown that it is not only unwilling to tackle finding solutions, but is denying the existence of the problems.

On the other hand, Ryan Meili has consistently recognized that we have to tackle the root causes of our issues, not simply treat the symptoms.

Why should people vote for you?

I will work hard to represent the residents of Arm River, both farm and town, in the provincial legislature. My activity in farm politics, and running a small business in Hanley has given me a broad understanding of the issues that face rural residents.

For those who may not know you, tell me a bit about yourself?

I've worked on a family grain farm all my life, and continue to work with my two brothers. My wife Bev and I operated the Shell gas station in Hanley for thirteen years, where we also distributed farm supplies. We have three grown children. I have been elected as a director of the Canadian Wheat Board and the Saskatchewan Barley Development Commission, and was a vice-president of the National Farmers Union.

What do you feel is important for people of your constituency as they head to the polls, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic?

COVID-19 has up-ended our world, creating uncertainty across the structure of our lives. We have a choice in front of us: we can go down the Sask Party's path of fear with cuts to the basic necessities in education, health and senior care, and public services or choose the course where we build the essential services for a better life for all of us.

Are there a couple of things that you would like to highlight that your party stands for?

I believe that the measure of a government is taken by the quality of life that its citizens enjoy. Ryan Meili and the NDP will put people first by ensuring that all Saskatchewan residents have the best services and programs that the province can afford.

Progressive Conservative Party of Saskatchewan candidate Steve Forbes

Unfortunately The Watrous Manitou did not receive any responses from Steve Forbes by press time. The following was from the PC Party of Saskatchewan's website:

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Steve Forbes, a graduate of the University of Waterloo and the Lutheran Theological Seminary, Saskatoon, is a recently retired pastor living with his wife in Outlook near his kids and grandchildren. As a pastor, as well as a history enthusiast, he has spent the last couple of decades

(see page seven: Q AND A)

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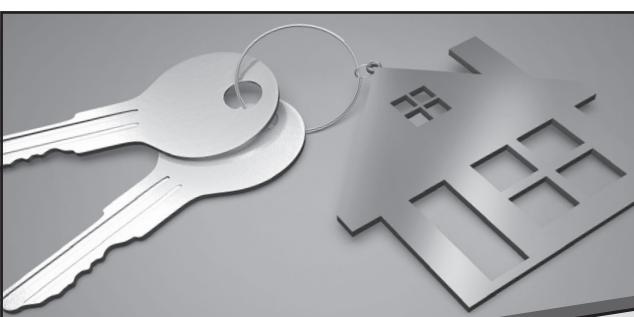
Nov. 26th-29th - Online Auction

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“RCMP Report”

Numerous thefts in Watrous and the area

On Tuesday, Sept. 29 Watrous RCMP were notified of a stolen bicycle from a residence on the 800 block of 4th Street West in Watrous. A description was provided of a person that had been seen going through people's back yards while walking around the area dressed in all black with black gloves.

The person was seen by several people in the area and residents began texting other homeowners about the unknown individual potentially being in their yards. Police were notified about an hour and a half after the individual was first seen and subsequently the person was not located.

RCMP believe this person had stolen the bike to ride around the community to mark places to return to at a later time. The bike was later found abandoned in town.

A few days later on Thursday, Oct. 1 at around 7:30 a.m. a truck was spotted leaving an unoccupied farm yard two miles north of Watrous. A storage C-can had the locks cut off of it and the truck was loaded

with goods from the storage container.

A local resident who was out farming followed the truck and called in a suspicious vehicle complaint, giving the last known direction of travel to the west. Saskatoon RCMP was contacted and asked to send units east through Bradwell toward Allan and to be on the lookout for the truck.

A second call was received minutes later from the owners of the storage containers who had gone to check on the property. A second truck was exiting the property with a load of items from the container. They were able to follow the truck at a safe distance and give live updates to responding RCMP units. The chase led to the Zelma grid with two RCMP vehicles from Watrous responding, three from Saskatoon and a Traffic Services car coming down from Hwy. 16.

One of the trucks broke down on the side of the grid road with the driver fleeing on foot. Sight of the second truck was lost and it was later located dumped in a dry slough south of Zelma. This vehicle was found to have been stolen off of

Western Road in Watrous the same morning (Oct. 1). Around this time an unknown white truck was reported to have come out of Zelma at a high speed and fled to the west. Saskatoon RCMP vehicles stopped several white trucks as they came towards Zelma but they were all operated by people from the area.

Later that morning a report of a break and enter that had occurred overnight at a detached garage in the 200 block east in Watrous was received. Numerous items were stolen from the garage as well as a 21 foot cubic inch deep freeze which had been emptied of its contents including a side of beef. Saskatoon Forensic Identification Services was asked to assist and examine the garage and the trucks for forensic evidence.

On Friday morning, Oct. 2 Saskatoon RCMP received calls of two suspicious people in Allan, one dressed all in black who stole a bicycle and was going through people's yards. One of the individuals, 37-year-old Jarvis Greiman of Saskatoon was later located on a rural property between Allan and Bradwell and arrested for theft and obstruction.

On Saturday morning, Oct. 3 while following up with the calls from Thursday, the day shift officer in Watrous was flagged down by a resident and informed that earlier in the week (Sept. 29) while cleaning his garage he placed some of the contents on his

driveway and while moving about from the front yard to the back yard, someone stole a hockey-sized bag full of Makita power tools.

All of the above incidents that occurred between Sept. 29 and Oct. 2 are believed to be attributable to the same individuals. The forensic exam of the stolen truck from Western Road turned up enough evidence to allow two charges of Possession of Stolen Property to be laid against Jarvis Greiman.

Meanwhile, around Oct. 1 a total of 30 sheets of plywood were stolen from Watrous Home Hardware. The sheets were likely stolen during the night Oct. 1 but could have been stolen within a day or two of that time.

Then sometime over the Thanksgiving long weekend eight rolls of fencing wire was stolen from land adjacent to Hwy. 15, one mile east of the Hwy. 15 and Hwy. 2 junction. The wire was left in anticipation of some fencing repair work to be done Oct. 13.

Sometime between the night of Oct. 11 and the morning of Oct. 12, a Honda 3000 generator, a power grease gun and a container of fuel were stolen from a farm fuel truck left in a field a quarter of a mile south of Imperial.

If you have any information on these or other incidents please contact your local RCMP detachment or Saskatchewan Crimestoppers.

With the number of recent thefts, Watrous RCMP would like to remind people to lock their vehicles at all hours of the day. Do not leave spare keys or valuables in your vehicle. Report suspicious activity: if it doesn't look right or feel right, it probably isn't. The RCMP would rather attend a suspicious person call and find it unfounded instead of dealing with numerous thefts and break ins that could have been prevented by a call being made.

Watrous RCMP encourages residents to consider traditional security systems and newer ones like the Ring system. Those not wanting to spend money on a security system can purchase security system stickers or signs, which can be found at online shopping sites and can act as a deterrent.

Watrous RCMP indicated that Watrous traditionally has a low crime rate; however, if it gets a reputation as an easy place to target by criminals, that can increase the number of occurrences happening in the area.

If the area has a reputation of security and vigilance and crime watch organizations, this will help promote safety. With vast areas to cover, rural police detachments often rely on the citizens for assistance to be extra eyes and ears as much as the citizens rely on the police for assistance.

Theft from Young Co-op

On Wednesday, Oct. 14 at approximately 11:50 a.m.

Watrous RCMP received a call of a theft from the Young Co-op. An individual had loaded 94 fence posts and after inquiring about purchasing more items, left while staff were figuring out his bill.

A BOLO was sent to surrounding police detachments and a Rural Crime Watch advisory was sent out to the surrounding communities to watch for the suspect vehicle which was overloaded with fence posts.

Saskatoon RCMP located the suspect vehicle on Hwy. 5 heading for Saskatoon and arrested 47-year-old Chad Davidson of Govan for theft under \$5,000.

Break and enter at Lake Lenore

On Oct. 1, Humboldt RCMP were dispatched to a break and enter in Lake Lenore. During the overnight hours of Sept. 30 to the early morning hours of Oct. 1, a building on the 100 block of Main Street in Lake Lenore was broken into.

Unknown suspect(s) forced entry to the building through the back door. Nothing was believed to have been stolen; however, there was significant damage to the door and frame.

If you have information about this or any other crime, please contact Humboldt RCMP at 306-682-2535 or you may contact Saskatchewan Crime Stoppers anonymously at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or submit a tip online at www.saskcrimestoppers.com.

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	Wendy Sekulich	1122 Saskatchewan Drive, Regina S4P 0C4	Kathryn McLean	New Democratic Party (N.D.P.)
	Rose Buscholl	Box 296, Colonsay S0K 0Z0	Virginia La Croix	PC Party of Saskatchewan
	Jim Ternier	2229 Elphinstone Street, Regina S4T 3N9	Jason Becker	Saskatchewan Green Party
	Donna Harpauer	1309-A 8th Ave., Humboldt S0K 2A0	Patrick Clavelle	Saskatchewan Party



“Sports”

Wildcats win home opener at Croshaw Field

■ Daniel Bushman

Competing in a mini league due to COVID-19 and kicking off the season at home, the Winston Wildcats football team chalked up a win at the newly-named Croshaw Field. With the field at the Watrous sportsgrounds receiving its new name in honour of long-time Wildcats head coach Barry Croshaw, the team opened the year against Humboldt.

With COVID-19 restrictions in place to limit the amount of fans who could attend the Oct. 9 contest, Croshaw felt the game itself went great. “Both teams played a physical game and other than no special team play, the game looked like a very typical high school match. I thought our guys played well. We have a few mental mistakes to fix up which is to be expected but the guys played solid from start to finish. Our offence moved the ball effectively in the air and on the ground and the defence stiffened up in the second half and we ended up with a 40-25 victory.”

While it was a bit of an adjustment with the new rules and the restrictions in place, Croshaw said despite not having the regular crew of fans, the ones able to attend were loud and into the game. “We

had quite a few vehicles join the outside spectators so the atmosphere was still good for the guys.”

With the win over Humboldt at home, the Wildcats were scheduled to head to Wakaw Oct. 16 in what Croshaw described would be a real tough game.

“They have developed a strong program and for this season have combined with Viscount so I expect to have our hands full. We go to Humboldt on the 27th and finish our season at home against Wakaw on Nov. 6th.”

After deciding to retire from teaching at the end of last year, Croshaw remains an instrumental part of the football program in Watrous. Winning provincial championships during his tenure as head coach while instilling leadership qualities in his players, after tremendous successes both on and off the field, it was decided to name the field in his honour.

While Croshaw returned to the high school to fill in for a maternity leave this year, he remains an important fixture on the sidelines as the head coach of the blue and gold. When Croshaw arrived at the field for the team’s first home game and saw the sign with his name on it, he said it was a bit overwhelming.



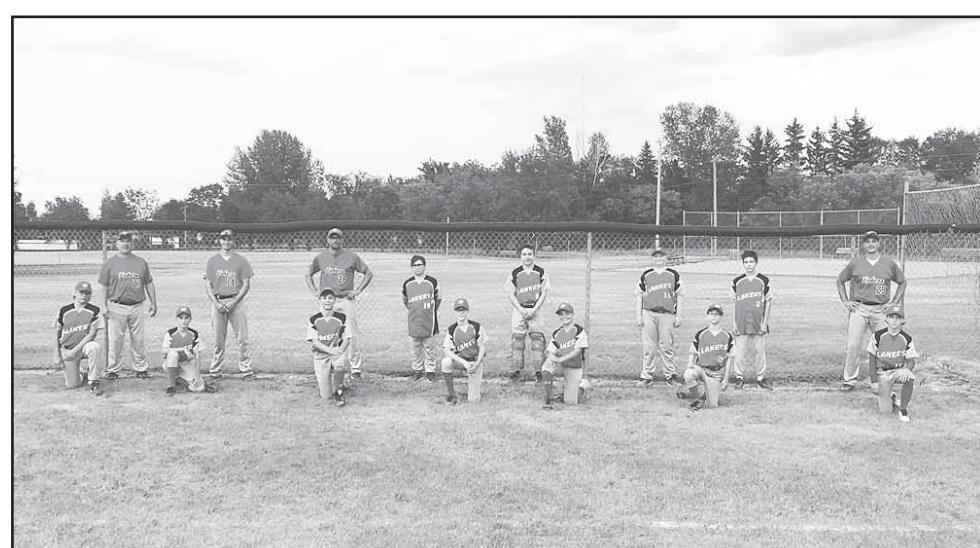
► Head coach Barry Croshaw (far right) along with coaches (from left to right) Doug Thomas, Terry Braman and Steve Armstrong pose for a picture at

the newly-named Croshaw Field in Watrous. The Wildcats won their first game of the season at home.

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“I made sure that I only had a quick look so I could concentrate on the game in

hand. I was really happy that we were able to get a win in the first game.”



► The U13 boys baseball had a great season - although obviously with a late start due to COVID. We returned to train according to the guidelines put forth by Baseball Saskatchewan and were very appreciative of the extra volunteers who stepped up to help us with the additional procedures. Coaches were Royce Dyck, Derek Morelli, Ryan Rheaume and Steve Armstrong. Once we got the go-ahead to return to play, we managed to arrange some exhibition games with Humboldt, Muenster and Martensville. We had some success in terms of wins, but more importantly, we had the opportunity to have some fun on the diamonds and improve our baseball skills. It was great to get on the diamond with a bunch of young men who are a pleasure to coach.

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Christine Dyck, Returning Officer

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Opinion



From shorts to pants.

— an opinion column
by TWM's editor Daniel Bushman

Heading into this past week those of us who wear shorts and flip flops until the last possible day before winter arrives were in a pretty good mood. But then last week came . . . and so did the cold temperatures.

It was rather sombre for those of us who wear shorts and flip flops as I watched the temperatures dip cooler and cooler as the week progressed. I tried to be brave and while I wore jeans early on in the week, it was hard to come to terms that in fact winter is getting closer and closer. Ignoring the forecast and seeing the sun beaming outside of my bedroom window, I traded my jeans back for shorts. That was a mistake.

I opened our front door and was hit by what felt like an iceberg travelling at a high speed. Quickly I scampered to my vehicle and turned it on. Searching for the heat dial, I cranked it up and headed to work. Why did I not turn back? Well, I figured I would be in my office most of the day and could relax in my shorts and flip flops and not have to worry about the cold and even the wind chill.

As luck would have it, I had to brave the elements and my pasty legs and exposed toes did not appreciate the change in my schedule. So reluctantly I headed back to my closet and pulled out a pair of jeans and ditched the shorts.

There are not a lot of us out there at this time of year who wear shorts and flip flops and those of us who do wear them late into the year can be spotted from a mile away. For those who are still braving the elements and wearing their shorts and flip flops, I salute you. As for me, I am mustering up enough courage that should warmer weather return, as has been the case in past years, that my shorts and flip flops will be close by. At the very least, when I get home I can find them close by and with a quick wardrobe change, I am reminded of warmer days and the chance that perhaps I might be able to wear them just one more time.

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Whereas **Charles Smith**, nominated for the office of **Reeve**, is the only candidate, I hereby give notice that no voting for the office will take place on November 9th, 2020.

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Whereas **Larry Sommerfeld**, nominated for the office of Councillor, **Division 5**, is the only candidate, I hereby give notice that no voting for the office will take place on November 9th, 2020.

Dated this 8th day of October, 2020.
Christine Dyck, Returning Officer

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juice, sauce, puree, ketchup, any tomato acid base in the pot, add a little water and boil for five minutes or boil rhubarb leaves in water to bring shine back to old pots, the oxalic acid found in rhubarb leaves is a strong cleaner. Scrub the pot exterior with an S.O.S pad, water and Bar Keepers Friend to rejuvenate pots. For serious cleaning, some people use oven cleaner in a ventilated area.

Hi Reena,

I bought a package of gravy mix but found it salty; is there anything I can do so it is not so salty? Sandy

Dear Sandy,

Here are a few suggestions to try: next time you purchase store bought gravy, look for sodium reduced packages. If the gravy is already cooking in the pot, add a potato to the gravy to absorb some of the saltiness. Another option is to add milk, sodium reduced broth or water to dilute the flavour. If this is the case, combine flour or cornstarch with the liquid while it is still cold before adding it to the gravy, so that the gravy thickens.

Feedback from caring readers

Re: speaking of bananas

You offered one suggestion to minimize fruit flies around bananas and another to keep them from ripening too quickly. Here is a third tip that combines both ideas. Wrap fresh bananas individually and completely in plastic wrap. They will ripen even more slowly (because the ethylene gas is restricted from passing from one to the other) and they will be protected from fruit flies. Scott

Solutions and Substitutions

Re: weed killers

According to the Department of Ecology in the State of Washington, "herbicides (such as Weed and Feed and Round-Up) can cause serious damage to fish, wildlife and people when they get in the lake water." Using your vinegar recipe, or a tarp, or digging by hand are the only safe solutions for killing weeds. Penny

Keep food fresh longer

- Salads: combine vegetables in a salad bowl but do not add the dressing. Present the dressing on the side, this way uneaten salad does not get tossed out due to soginess, it stays fresh and crunchy for a few extra days.

- Soup: add meat, vegetables and broth to the pot to create delicious soup. Cook the rice or pasta separately, rinse in cold water and drain. Add the pasta or rice to individual soup bowls as people dish out portions of soup, this way the grains do not become soggy. When storing leftovers, keep the grains separate from the soup and add only as needed.

- Green onions: chop green onions and store them in an empty plastic water bottle. The green onions do not become soggy and they are chopped and chilled and ready to use as needed.

- Celery: remove store-bought celery from plastic and wrap it in aluminum foil to ensure that it stays crisp longer.

- Cheese: smear the cut side of cheese with a light coating of butter to prevent it from drying out.

- Lemons: store lemons in sealable bags in the fridge, they last much longer as opposed to sitting on the counter at room temperature.

Note: Every user assumes all risks of injury or damage resulting from the implementation of any suggestions in this column. Test all products on an inconspicuous area first.

Reena Nerbas is a popular motivational presenter for large and small groups; check out her website: reena.ca. Ask a question or share a tip at reena.ca



Neighbourly advice according to Ed

A spiritual column
by contributor
Raymond Maher
www.accordingtoed.com

I told Ed, my old neighbour in Saskatchewan, that an election has been called for those of us who live in British Columbia. It will be 33 days of political leaders and candidates tooting their own horns and dismissing their opponents.

When there is an election coming you expect candidates to be doing their best to discredit their rivals. We sometimes criticize ourselves, but we may be much more comfortable with being critical of others.

Our critics question us to discredit us before others

For those of us who are not politicians, it is always a shock to discover that another person is not just asking a question of us but wants to discredit us in other peoples' eyes. Ed said, "Those who criticize us may mean no harm towards us, but no one escapes having someone who does not like them and do not want anyone else to like them either." It is hard to see, right away, who is questioning and confronting us with pure poison motives towards us.

As a Bible student, I should realize that there is never an end to confrontations with the motive to harm or discredit another person in scripture. Finding fault with others is tied to our sinful nature. It does not seem to be mean spirited until we are criticized. It is a reminder when it happens to us that we need to reach heaven before criticism, strife and finding fault will be gone entirely.

Remember that Cain

had a grievance against his brother Abel and killed him. Hopefully, our critics will not murder us. Being critical of ourselves can result in a change in us for the better. The danger of being critical towards others is that our motives may be to hurt the other person, not help them. Being critical of other people may become a way of poisoning ourselves.

In the 21st chapter of Matthew, we have the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred by him as the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee. Everything Jesus did was offensive to the religious leaders there. After he arrived in the city, Jesus went to the temple and saw it as a den of robbers and he drove out all who were buying and selling there. He overturned the money changers and the benches of those selling doves.

While Jesus was still at

the temple, the blind and the lame came to Him, and He healed them. The chief priests and teachers of the law saw the wonderful things he did but were indignant at him.

When Jesus entered the temple courts the next day and was teaching there, the chief priests and elders came to Jesus. They demanded that he tell them by what authority he was doing the things he had been doing and who gave him his authority. His rivals were hoping to charge him with blasphemy. Blaspheming was to say or act as a person was God. They could arrest Jesus if he said that his authority was from heaven or God. (Matthew 21: 1-23)

By Friday of that week, they would crucify Jesus for admitting his authority was from God. They killed him by crucifixion. Criticizing another can so quickly become hateful character assassination or eventually murder.

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(from page three:
Q AND A)

Saskatchewan Green Party candidate Tiffany Giesbrecht

Tiffany Giesbrecht is running for the Saskatchewan Green Party in the Arm River constituency. Unfortunately The Watrous Manitou did not receive any responses to the question and answer before press time. However, Giesbrecht can be found on Facebook by searching Tiffany Giesbrecht for Arm River.

Saskatchewan Party candidate Dana Skoropad

How have things been going for you during your campaign so far?

As soon as the door-knocking restrictions were lifted, I began travelling virtually non-stop to meet as many people in the constituency as possible. Since then, I have spent time in every community in the constituency learning along the way. I have been honoured

by how generous people have been with their time over these past several months and I am grateful for constituents sharing with me the opportunities and challenges they face. The past several months are only the beginning, as I plan to continue to listen to the people of Arm River following the election if I am chosen as the next MLA on Oct. 26th.

Why did you decide to run?

Deciding to run for the Saskatchewan Party in the 2020 Provincial Election was not the result of a single decision, but

rather the culmination of many beliefs and experiences spanning several decades. I, like many others, experienced the sting of friends, family and neighbours leaving home—that is, leaving Saskatchewan for want of better opportunity. I always believed that we were capable of so much more. Saskatchewan is the greatest place to call home. Since the early 1990s, I have asked myself “Why not us?” and “Why not here?” Since 2007, we have been responding to these questions as a Saskatchewan Party Government. The opportunity to serve others and to make a difference in the lives of the people in our province is a tremendous honour. In short, I decided to run for the position of MLA for Arm River because I want to pick up the plough of positive change and help move it forward.



►Saskatchewan Party candidate Dana Skoropad.
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Why should people vote for you?

People should vote for me because they believe I will listen to them, truly hear them and be a clear voice for them. The promises I will make during this election campaign are my integrity, my work ethic, and my caring. These are the promises I make and these are the tools that I plan to use in serving the people of Arm River.

For those who may not know you, tell me a bit about yourself?

My wife Terrill, two boys, Noah and Sol, and I live on the family farm three miles south of Chamberlain. Terrill and I are proud to be the third generation to call this place home. In addition to my farming roots, I have a business and education background. I have experience in the real estate and insurance industries as a licensed general insurance agent and have spent 20 years in the education sector as teacher, career development consultant and administrator.

I cannot imagine living anywhere else in the world, as rural Saskatchewan runs in my veins. At a local level, I've been involved in numerous community-related com-

mittees and parish councils; while at the provincial level, I have been a member of the Safe Saskatchewan Community Safety Education Strategy planning committee. I have been active with the Saskatchewan Party at the constituency association level for over 15 years. During that time, I have assumed a number of roles while serving as a Constituency Association Executive member.

Family is incredibly important to me and my spare time is often centred around spending time together. Whether it be hiking in the pastures, golfing, or kayaking, odds are I am with Noah, Sol, and Terrill.

What do you feel is important for people of your constituency as they head to the polls, especially during the COVID-19 pandemic?

I think it is critical for voters to ask themselves the question: Who do you trust to recover the province's economy and continue to move the province forward?

We believe that a strong economic recovery, creating more jobs and making life more affordable will benefit everyone in the province.

We are working hard to build a strong economy by committing to balance the budget by 2024 and have committed to making key investments in the economy and the people of Saskatchewan in this campaign:

- Reducing small business taxes for the next three years

- A one-year, 10 percent rebate on electricity charges for all SaskPower customers

- Increasing the Saskatchewan Advantage Scholarship to make post-secondary education more affordable

- Reintroduced the Active Families Benefit to create strong, healthy families

- Increasing childcare spaces to ensure parents have access to high quality, affordable childcare.

Are there a couple of things that you would like to highlight that your party stands for?

The Saskatchewan Party stands for the people of Saskatchewan and for the growth of a strong Saskatchewan. A strong Saskatchewan economy means that we can create a better quality of life for all residents and care for those in most need.

NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT OF POLL

(Section 82 of the Act)

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to The Local Government Election Act for the offices of:

Board Member: Horizon School Division No. 205
Subdivisions 3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13

I hereby give notice that no voting for said offices will take place and that the following persons are elected by acclamation:

Subdivision 3	Nokomis/Viscount/Watrous	Jennifer Lemky
Subdivision 6	Quill Lake/Wadena	Christine Gradin
Subdivision 8	Bulyea/Holdfast/Imperial/Strasbourg	Cheryl Vertefeuille
Subdivision 10	Foam Lake/Ituna	Jim Hack
Subdivision 12	Day Star First Nation	Benny (Paul) Crow-Buffalo
Subdivision 13	Muskowekwan	Albert Pinacie

Dated at Humboldt, SK, this 9th day of October, 2020

Sarah Reding
Returning Officer



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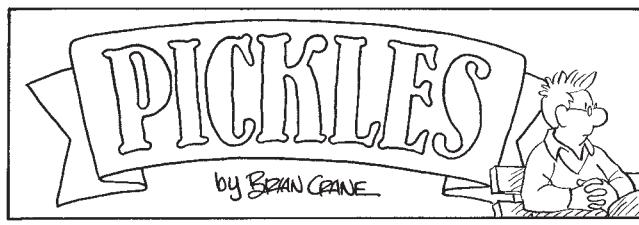
Rural Saskatchewan has been ignored and taken for granted for too long. We need to restore and improve the essential services that make it possible for families to live and work safely here.

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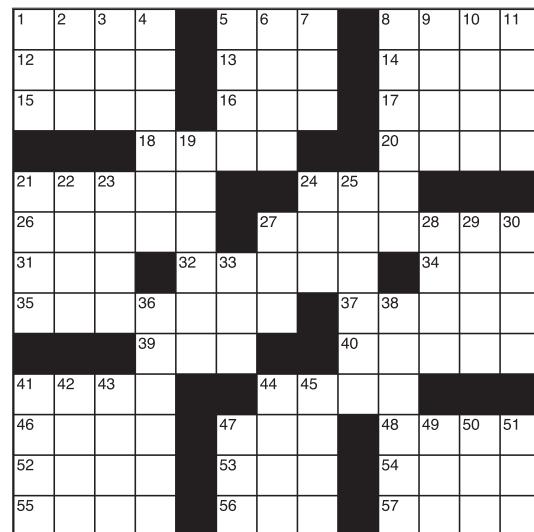
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CROSSWORD

PUZZLE NO. 50



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ACROSS

- 1. Remotely
- 5. Goblet lip
- 8. Small particle
- 12. Flightless bird
- 13. Get a high grade on
- 14. Volcanic fluid
- 15. Property title
- 16. Butterfly catcher
- 17. Untruthful person
- 18. Hen products
- 20. Pipe types
- 21. Helicopter part
- 24. Meddle
- 26. Mistreat
- 27. Bridge support

31. Male heir

32. Unsociable

56. Golfer's device

57. Parade-ground order

DOWN

- 1. _____ up (total)
- 2. Enemy
- 3. Grape or orange drink
- 4. Western shows
- 5. Sounded a bell
- 6. Covers with frosting
- 7. Came across
- 8. Paths between buildings
- 55. Think

FOR ANSWERS
TO SUDOKU AND
CROSSWORD,
SEE PAGE 14

CROSSWORD PUZZLE ANSWERS
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Pork Kabobs

Ingredients:

- 1 tsp. seasoning salt
- 1 tsp. pepper
- 1 tsp. garlic powder
- 1 tsp. oregano
- 1/4 cup cooking oil (canola, or similar oil)
- 1/2 cup lemon juice
- pork roast or pork loin

Directions:

Cube pork. Mix remaining ingredients in a bowl. Add pork to marinade and mix several times for the next hour. Soak skewers in water for a half hour if they are wooden, thread pork onto skewers and barbecue over medium heat, brushing extra marinade over as they cook. We like to marinade this overnight in the fridge, but I mix up an extra half recipe of marinade to baste the skewers with as they cook the next day.

Gathering sizes restricted; fines may be imposed

■ media release

As the province reported 34 new cases of COVID-19 after the Thanksgiving long weekend bringing the total to 2,174 cases Oct. 13, Saskatchewan's Chief Medical Health Officer amended the Public Health order for gathering sizes in private residences.

With the increasing rise in cases throughout Saskatchewan, linked to public and private social gatherings, Saskatchewan's Chief Medical Health Officer Dr. Saqib Shahab amended the Public Health order on gathering sizes in private residences. As of Thursday night (12:01 a.m. Friday, Oct. 16) the maximum allowable gathering size for private gatherings in the home is 15.

This will not impact restaurants, licensed establishments, banquet halls as well as weddings, funerals and religious gatherings which are all required to follow seating and physical distancing guidelines as described in the Re-Open Saskatchewan Plan. Any event that occurs in a private dwelling, including weddings, religious gathering and funerals, must abide by the 15 person gathering limit.

"Even with increasing community transmission rates we still have the power to effect change, to flatten that curve, but it means all residents have to do their part to help keep their friends and family safe," Shahab said.

Dr. Shahab is also strongly recommending masks be worn in all indoor public locations where physical distancing of two metres is not possible or predictable. Above all, stay home if sick.

Of the 2,174 reported cases last Tuesday, 238 were considered active while a total of 1,911 people had recovered. Nine people were in hospital. Seven people were receiving inpatient care; four in Saskatoon, one in Regina, one in North Central and one in Central East. One person is in intensive care in Regina and one person is in intensive care in Saskatoon.

Failure to abide by Public Health orders may result in fines: In Saskatchewan and across the country, public health authorities are seeing increasing transmission rates as a result of contravention of public health orders and guidelines, particularly as a result of public and private gatherings. There can be very serious consequences for not following Public Health Orders, including fines in cases where negligence or misconduct have been found. Fines may be \$2,000 for individuals and \$10,000 for corporations, plus a victim surcharge.

Everyone should continue to take precautions to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Do not attend or host any events if you are experiencing symptoms, even if they are mild.

Notice of Advance Poll TOWN OF COLONSAY MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for electors who:

- 1) Are physically disabled;
- 2) Have been appointed as election officials; or
- 3) Anticipate being unable to vote on the day of election.

Voting will take place on Thursday, the 5th day of November, 2020 from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Colonsay Seniors Centre, Colonsay, SK.

Maureen Moen, Returning Officer

Notice of Poll TOWN OF COLONSAY MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a poll has been granted for the election of:

Councillors for the Town of Colonsay, Voting will take place on Monday, the 9th day of November, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Colonsay Seniors Centre, Colonsay, SK. I will declare the results of the municipal election at the Town Office on the 9th day of November, 2020 at 9:00 p.m.

Dated at Colonsay, SK, this 9th day of Oct., 2020.

Maureen Moen, Returning Officer

Notice of Abandonment of Poll TOWN OF COLONSAY MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

Whereas:

A poll is not required pursuant to The Local Government Election Act for the office(s) of:

Mayor: Town of Colonsay

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said office(s) will take place and that the following persons are elected by acclamation:

Mayor: Tracy Yousie

Dated at Colonsay, SK, this 9th day of Oct., 2020.
Maureen Moen, Returning Officer

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R.M. OF WREFORD NO. 280

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:
1. A vote will be held for the election of: Reeve.

2. The vote will take place on Monday, the 9th day of November, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at:
R.M. Municipal Office - 118 Main Street, Nokomis, SK.
3. I will declare the result of the voting at the Municipal Office on Tuesday the 10th day of November, 2020 at the hour of 9:00 a.m.

Dated at Nokomis, SK, this 8th day of Oct., 2020
Melanie Rich, Returning Officer

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that advance voting for:

Reeve
will take place on:
Thursday, October 29th, 2020 from 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the R.M. Municipal Office located at 118 Main Street, Nokomis, SK.

Dated at Nokomis, SK, this 8th day of Oct., 2020
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Emma Yausie spent Thanksgiving Monday in the city with her son Cameron and Rose Yausie.

Brad and Lori Fraser, Joe and Paige Bassett and family, Ryley and Taylor Fraser and family spent Thanksgiving with Joan Campbell.

Florence Halvorson spent Thanksgiving in Saskatoon with nieces Diannia and Debra Berg-

strom and were joined by niece Bev Bradley of Lloydminster and nephew Darrin and Glenda Bergstrom and family of Prince Albert.

Kim and Shelley Stewart of Saskatoon were Thanksgiving visitors with her folks Roy and Patsy Grey.

Best wishes to all who are under the weather. I hope you feel better soon.

Notice of Abandonment of Poll R.M. OF VISCOUNT NO. 341 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

Whereas:

Gordon Gusikoski, nominated for the office of Reeve, is the only candidate; and

Eric Langston, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division No. 1, is the only candidate; and

Blair Welter, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division No. 3, is the only candidate; and

Doug Thoms, nominated for the office of Councillor for Division No. 5, is the only candidate, I hereby give notice that no voting for these offices will take place on Monday, November 9th, 2020.

Dated this 9th day of October, 2020.
Joni Mack, Returning Officer

Notice of Advance Poll VILLAGE OF YOUNG

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for electors who:

1. are physically disabled;
2. have been appointed as election officials; or
3. anticipate being unable to vote on the day of election.

Voting will take place on Wednesday, November 4th, 2020 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. at the Village of Young Administration Office, Young, SK.

Roberta Crittenden, Returning Officer

Notice of Advance Poll TOWN OF WATROUS

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that provision has been made for an advance poll for the election of:

Councillor: Town of Watrous

Voting will take place on Wednesday, November 4th, 2020 between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the Civic Centre, 404 Main Street.

Dated at Watrous, SK., this 16th day of Oct., 2020

Orrin Redden, Returning Officer

VOTER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED TO VOTE
One piece of identification issued by the Government of Canada, the Government of Saskatchewan, a municipality or a government agency that contains a photograph of the voter and his or her name and address; or
Two pieces of information prescribed in the regulations, each of which establishes the voter's name and at least one of which established the voter's address.

VISCOUNT

Sandra Reid • 306-227-1193

I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving weekend and enjoyed getting together with the people they could. We had a very small but enjoyable gathering of family.

Now getting the yard and homes ready for what looks like could be a long season with the temperatures we are having right now.

Viscount Central School asked those who could donate nonperishable items for those in need in lieu of their annual Thanksgiving lunch. What a great idea!

Congrats to all who placed in the junior cross-country from Viscount Central School. Atom girls: Paige, Isabelle, Sophia and Shelby and atom boys: Ryder, Ryker and Logan. Congrats to Kira who placed second in the junior girls category at cross-country this year.

Best wishes to anyone who is under the weather. I hope you feel better soon.

Have a great week and stay safe. Please let me know if you have news to share.



►Sandra Reid found this potato in her garden as she was digging them to put away for the winter.

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Notice of Abandonment of Poll VILLAGE OF PLUNKETT

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

Whereas:

A poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act* for the office(s) of:

Mayor: Mike Devine of the Village of Plunkett

Alderman: Justin Haines of the Village of Plunkett

Alderman: Michael Pastor of the Village of Plunkett

I hereby give notice that no voting for the said office(s) will take place and that the above persons are elected by acclamation.

Dated at Plunkett, SK this 7th day of Oct., 2020.
Helen Miller, Returning Officer

Notice of Abandonment of Poll VILLAGE OF YOUNG

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act, 2015* for the office of:

Mayor: Village of Young

no voting for the said office will take place, and the following person was elected by acclamation:

Agnes Thompson

Dated at Young, SK this 14th day of Oct., 2020.
Roberta Crittenden, Returning Officer

Notice of Poll VILLAGE OF YOUNG

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

A poll has been granted for the election of:

Councillor: (4) Village of Young and that voting will take place on the 9th day of November, 2020 from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the polling place listed below and that I will at Village of Young Administrator Office, Young, SK on the 9th day of November, 2020 at the hour of 8:30 p.m., declare the result of the election.

Polling place: Village of Young Community Hall

Address: Lots 1-2, Block 7, Plan AB887 (201 Main Street) Young, SK

Dated at Young, SK, this 14th day of October, 2020

Roberta Crittenden, Returning Officer

NOTICE OF POLL TOWN OF WATROUS

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

1. A poll has been granted for the election of:

Councillor: Town of Watrous

2. Voting will take place on Monday, November 9th, 2020 from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the following polling places:

Polling Area No.	Polling Place	Address
1	Civic Centre	404 Main Street

3. I will declare the result of the election at the Town Office, 404 Main Street, on the 10th day of November, 2020, at the hour of 1:00 p.m.

Dated at Watrous, this 16th day of October, 2020.

Orrin Redden
Returning Officer

VOTER IDENTIFICATION WILL BE REQUIRED TO VOTE
One piece of identification issued by the Government of Canada, the Government of Saskatchewan, a municipality or a government agency that contains a photograph of the voter and his or her name and address; or
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Notice of Abandonment of Poll TOWN OF WATROUS

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

Whereas a poll is not required pursuant to *The Local Government Election Act* for the office of:

Mayor: Town of Watrous

I hereby give public notice that no voting for the said office will take place and the following person was elected by acclamation:

John Gunderson

Dated at Watrous, SK this 16th day of Oct., 2020.
Orrin Redden, Returning Officer



“Notices AND Classifieds”

Obituary



SIMPSON, Arleen

Arleen Simpson passed away Monday, October 12 at the age of 76. She was predeceased by her parents, Mabel and Roy. Left to cherish her memory are her husband Alfred, her children Mark (Gaylene) and Marla, and her grandchildren, Eric and Shawna.

Arleen was born in Moose Jaw and raised on a farm near Vantage. Upon graduation from high school in Assiniboia, she attended the Saskatchewan Teacher's College in Regina. Her first teaching job took her to Watrous where she met and married Alfred Simpson in 1965. They lived and farmed west of Watrous for many

years, but eventually moved to a house built in Watrous in 1992. They continued to farm until retirement in 2005 and remained in Watrous until June 2020 when they moved to a retirement residence in Regina.

Arleen was an avid crafter, spending many hours making beautiful creations including needlework, crocheting and knitting. Hundreds of projects were completed over the years. She was an accomplished seamstress and could sew just about anything, often without a pattern. Over the years she made costumes for figure skating, tutus for ballet class, curtains, upholstery, and of course clothing. Her grandchildren possess many items made with love including Elsa and Anna dresses, and Star Wars costumes. She also took up quilting making many beautiful items still cherished by family and friends.

She was well-known for her collection of owl figurines. The collection started simply enough, but soon an owl became a go-to gift for many of her friends and family. Custom built shelves were fabricated to store them but soon

were full to capacity with over 700 individual figurines in her collection.

Figure skating was an interest which grew from watching competitions on television to travelling to various cities across Canada to watch the events live. She was very particular about where she sat in the arena and often had to make special arrangements with the tour organizer as the block of seats secured for the tour did not meet her specifications.

Arleen was very fond of playing cards. The game didn't really matter; kaiser, bridge, whist, or canasta. She developed a reputation with her friends for winning which was quickly discovered by other residents of the seniors complex where she lived for the last several months.

Her family would like to express their thanks and gratitude to the staff at Brightwater Senior Living for their assistance in her last days.

At Arleen's request a funeral will not be held.

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Dated this 9th day of October, 2020.
Belinda Rowan, Returning Officer

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R.M. OF MORRIS NO. 312
MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that
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Yvonne (Bonny) Goodsman, Returning Officer

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Dated at Imperial, Sask., this 9th day of October, 2020.
Yvonne (Bonny) Goodsman, Returning Officer

Notice of Poll

R.M. OF MORRIS NO. 312

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS 2020
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that:

1. A poll has been granted for the election of:
Councillor for Division No. 5
2. Voting will take place on Monday, the 9th day of November, 2020, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Young Community Hall located at 201 Main Street, Young, SK.
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“Senior Spotlight,“ Manitou Lodge Edition

With the help from the Activity Department at Manitou Lodge, The Watrous Manitou is featuring Senior Spotlight - Manitou Lodge Edition. This month's guest is Frank Woiden, who graciously shared some of his life story.

Where do you currently reside?

Frank became a part of the Manitou Lodge family in October of 2019.

Where were you born?

Frank was born on Dec. 31, 1922 on a farm south of Young. It's no wonder that Frank is the life of the party considering he was born on New Year's Eve!!

Who is in your family?

Frank grew up farming with his dad who was a very hard worker. Frank married Alice and together they raised two sons, Wes and Harvey and three daughters, Valerie, Judy and Charlene. Frank and Alice were very proud of their family and enjoyed many years watching all their grandchildren grow up as well.

What do you enjoy now?

These days you can always find Frank playing and winning at bingo. He also enjoys building things and is particularly proud of a shed he built himself. Frank also loves any type of game and is an excellent crib player (he's beaten many staff at the lodge), he has a sweet tooth and his family keeps him in a generous supply of chocolates and goodies. He mentioned that he misses his mom's cabbage rolls because, "they were the best!!"

What are some memories from your childhood?

Frank remembers playing baseball, he played left field and pitched for his team as well. He recalled going to dances every Friday and Saturday night and having a pretty good time!

What is something people may not know about you?

When Frank was 18 he recalled saving up enough for train fare up to The Pas, Man. to work on a cutting crew that was supplying wood for railway ties. He said he really



liked that job and there were a lot of guys his age all working together. He remembers they used to all get together on Saturday nights and that they all had in Frank's words, "A pretty good time!!"

What is your favourite food?

Frank says that turkey is fine, but not as fine as a good roast. He said his mom was a really good cook and he always liked when she prepared roast beef and potatoes.

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