

Archerwill's Free Community Newsletter

THE NEXT CHAPTER



August 2026

"Summertime and the livin' is easy."

Written and performed by Ella Fitzgerald

Hurray for summer! A time to sleep in and laze about if you choose. Or maybe visit somewhere you've never been before.

It's a great opportunity to head to another town in Saskatchewan to visit their museum, have lunch in their café and play tourist in your own province. All that a day trip requires is getting up early and hitting the road to make the most of the day.

Head to a lake and walk their trails, then cool off in the water. Pack a picnic lunch or supplies for a wiener roast. Take along a Frisbee or corn hole toss and make your own fun by your blanket on the grass.

Fun doesn't need to cost a lot. It's simply being with the ones who make you happy. Perhaps "the ones" are just you and a good book you've been wanting to read.

Summertime is fun time. You still have the entire month of August. Make the most of it!

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Calendar of Events

Jul 14 to Aug 23—Shakespeare on the Saskatchewan, Saskatoon

Jul 29 to Aug 2—Queen City Ex, Regina

Jul 30 to Aug 8—Saskatoon Fringe Festival, Saskatoon

Jul 31 & Aug 1—Klinger Dinger, Marean Lake

Jul 31 to Aug 2—Herbert Stampede, Herbert

Aug 1—Mid Summer's Art Festival, Regina

Aug 1—3rd Annual Tomato Festival, Regina

Aug 1 & 2—Threshermen's Show and Seniors' Festival, Yorkton

Aug 3—Saskatchewan Day Civic Holiday

Aug 3—Railway Heritage Day, Saskatoon

Aug 5 to 9—PAEx Summer Fair, Prince Albert

Aug 6 to 8—Premier's Walleye Cup, Tobin Lake

Aug 7—Saskatchewan Roughriders vs Ottawa Redblacks, Regina

Aug 7 to 9—Invermay Fair, Invermay

Aug 7 to 9—Cochin Days, Cochin

Aug 8—Bow Valley Jamboree, Oxbow

Aug 9—Prairie Cherry Festival, Over the Hill Orchards and Winery, Lumsden

Aug 12 to 14—North West Territorial Days, North Battleford

Aug 12 to 21—Come From Away, Prince Albert

Aug 12 to 22—Regina International Film Festival, Regina

Aug 14 & 15—Saskatoon Folkfest, Saskatoon

Aug 14 to 16—Northern Lights Bluegrass & Old Tyme Music Festival, Ness Creek Site, Big River

Aug 14 to 16—Rock the River, Saskatoon

Aug 15—Motherwell Homestead Metis Festival, Abernethy

Aug 15—Trails and Tales Festival, Buffalo Pound Provincial Park

Aug 15 & 16—Archerwill Sports Day

Aug 21 & 22—Shake the Lake, Wascana Park, Regina

Aug 21 to 24—Electric Sky Festival, Big River

Aug 22 & 23—Regina Dragon Boat Festival, Wascana Park, Regina

Aug 26—Archerwill Library's End of Summer Gathering

Aug 26—Hilltop Sheep Dog Trial 2026, Mankota

Aug 27—Ranch Ehrlo's 9th Annual Powwow, Pilot Butte

Aug 28 & 29—Waskesiu Lakeside Music Festival, Prince Albert National Park

Aug 29—Ukrainian Day in the Park, Saskatoon

Aug 29—Fin Island Trail Run, The Battlefords

Aug 29—Saskatchewan Roughriders vs Toronto Argonauts

Archerwill Seniors

Archerwill Seniors 9:00 a.m. coffee row has relocated to the Hall Committee Room while renovations happen at the Seniors Centre.



Thanks to fundraising efforts, the needed repairs have begun on the Archerwill Seniors Centre building.



Church Services

New Hope Lutheran Parish 10 a.m.

Aug 9

Zion Lutheran Church, Rose Valley

Aug 23

Bethany Lutheran Church, Archerwill

St. Lawrence Catholic Church, Nobleville

Aug 1

7:00 p.m.

Aug 16

9:00 a.m.

Aug 22

5:00 p.m.

Sep 6

11:00 a.m.

Echo Lake Archers



3D Archery Shoot

August 8 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

and

3D Archery Kids' Shoot

August 9 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

To order Echo Lake Archers shirts, call Wayne Lupien at 306-322-7203.

Barrier Valley Agencies Ltd.

NEW! Claims Free Discount Protector Coverage

SGI CANADA's Claims Free Discount Protector maintains the claims-free discount for your policy, even after your first claim. With this coverage, you maintain your claims-free status and the savings that come with it.

Who's eligible?

You have one of these policies:

- Prestige
- Homeowners
- Condo Unit Owners Tenants

You're a claims-free customer:

- Continuously insured for the past three years.
- Claims-free for the past three years.

What are the benefits?

You can continue to have substantial long-term savings on your policy by protecting your discount for future renewals, and have peace of mind, knowing one unexpected claim won't cost you your discount.

Important details.

- This optional coverage can be added to your policy for a modest annual fee.
- It applies to all properties listed on the policy.
- It provides long-term savings by protecting your discount for future policy renewals.
- Coverage applies to all locations on the policy, but the customer is only charged once for the coverage when their policy renews.
- This coverage cannot be added to a policy mid-term – it must be added during the annual policy renewal.
- This coverage will not affect your ability to make a claim.

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Councillor Jenna Patterson voajp@sasktel.net
Councillor Traci Thorpe voatt@sasktel.net

Council has requested that the www.villageofarcherwill.com website display **minutes** of council's meetings. The website owner will do this as a community service. Check it out today.

Please note, the website is owned and operated by a resident of Archerwill meant for information purposes and is not an official website from the Village of Archerwill itself. The website owner contact email is info@villageofarcherwill.com.

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Josh Montes



Connect with Council at the community barbecue on August 11.

RM of Barrier Valley No. 397

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Administrator **Glenda Smith**

RM OF BARRIER VALLEY NO. 397

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to section 162 and 163 The Municipalities Act and the Municipalities Public Notice Bylaw, Council of RM of Barrier Valley No. 397 intends to consider a bylaw to borrow money for the purpose of financing the replacement of the Barrier Lake Narrows Bridge .

The matter will be considered at the regular meeting of Council on August 20, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. at the municipal office 100 Main Street, Archerwill, SK of the R.M. of Barrier Valley No. 397.

Dated this 17th day of July 2026.

Glenda Smith, Administrator

R.M. of Barrier Valley No. 397

Bridge

Bridge will be closed for construction between
November 10, 2026 and January 15, 2027.

Please follow the Blog for regular updates.



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Chris Beaudry

Minister of Energy and
Resources



Gorkton-Melville MP

MP Cathay Wagantall retires at the end of August. She has been the elected representative for this area since 2015. Here's a look at her final year in pictures as seen on her Facebook page. Happy Retirement Cathay!



For the Love of Birds

by Elaine Hughes

August 2026

AMERICAN GOLDFINCH

After spending their winters in the USA and Mexico, the Spring arrival of the American Goldfinches (AMGO) – ‘wild canary’ or ‘thistle bird’ as some call them - is always a welcomed sight. They are among the last of Canada’s some 400 - 450 species of Breeding Birds (Bird Breeding Survey) to arrive in the Spring and are among the latest across the country to nest. My first sighting this year was of a male and female together on May 19. Breeding males are a bright yellow with black wings, forehead and tail, and breeding females are a dull, yellow-olive with blackish wings and wing-bars, each about 4.5 to 5.5 inches long. The markings of the young are similar to the female. In winter, the adult males look more like females and juveniles. Their sweet calls of ti-dee-di-di or per-chick-oree - radiating good nature and the joy of living – are a welcome sound as they undulate (‘roller-coaster’) across my yard to visit the bird bath or the tube feeder outside my window.

The breeding pairs are usually monogamous, mate for life (the male has been recorded feeding the female during courtship) and stay together during the winter. The small cup-like nest, built by the female out of spider webs, shredded bark and plant stems lined with soft plant down such as thistledown, and will be in a tree or shrub 1 to 20 feet above ground, often near a source of water. The female incubates the 3 – 6 pale blue, oval-shaped eggs (each 1.5 cm long) for about 12 days. After hatching, the young remain in the nest for another week or so, with both parents feeding them by placing regurgitated milky seed pulp from sunflower, dandelion or thistle seeds into their mouths. There may be two broods per year; to facilitate a second nesting, an adventurous female may leave her original mate to care for the first brood and find a new male as her partner for the second nesting!

Once out of the nest, the juveniles join the adults at the bird feeders from dawn to dusk. They will eat sunflower seeds, etc., from the traditional style of feeders which I put up for winter birds, but I have canola seed in a single tube feeder hanging in the Caragana shrubs in my yard for the AMGOs. (This type of feeder requires the birds to hang upside down from the perch in order to reach the seed portal below, discouraging larger birds from taking over the feeder.) There are 6 perches above the 6 feeding portals on the tube feeder and the young very quickly learn to hang upside down in order to reach the seeds below.

AMERICAN GOLDFINCH continued...

One day, there were 9 or 10 Finches of all ages and sexes swarming around the feeder, all the perches were occupied and the rest were trying to get a turn at the seeds – making me wonder if there were 2 nests in the area. They remain active at the feeders quite late into the Fall before leaving for their winter home. I have a note that, on October 11, 2025, there were still American Goldfinches at my feeders, with snow in the weather forecast!

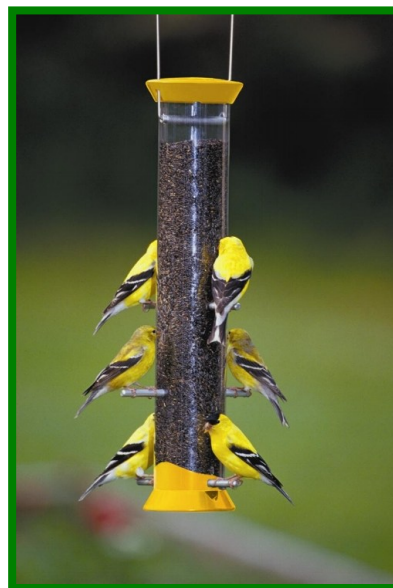
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Point of Interest: First AMGO were seen on Saskatoon Christmas Bird Count (CBC) on December 26, 1979. Since then, 1442 birds were seen on 206 counts with the highest count of 49 birds at Craven, SK on December 20, 2014. Last departure at Archerwill was December 4, 2002. Most birds leave Saskatchewan by early October; those seen later are usually noted in association with feeders. - Thanks to Alan R. Smith, Provincial Compiler for the Saskatchewan Christmas Bird and Mammal Count, a program of Nature Saskatchewan.

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Point of Interest: According to research published in September 2019 by the journal, Science, wild bird populations in the continental US. and Canada had declined by almost 30% since 1970, quantifying the total decline in bird populations in the continental US. and Canada, a loss of 2.9 billion breeding adult birds in 50 years! [<https://www.birds.cornell.edu/home/bring-birds-back/>]. That figure is undoubtedly higher in 2026. The major causes for this heart-breaking statistic are: Habitat Loss, Pesticides and Contaminants, Invasive Species and Cats, Collisions, and Climate Crisis: [<https://www.birdscanada.org/conserv-birds/major-threats-to-birds>].

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In the Garden

What type of tomato do you like to grow? Tiny tomatoes are the garden's proof that good things come in small packages. Common varieties of tiny tomatoes are cherry and grape.

Cherry tomatoes are juicier and sweeter than the oblong shaped grape tomatoes. This type of tomato has a high-water content, making them squirt when you take a bite! But their thin skins are prone to splitting.

Grape tomatoes are not as sweet, and their flesh is meatier and less juicy. Their thick skin makes them ideal for cooking in sauces.

Tiny tomatoes come in a wide range of colours. Try the yellow and golden-orange beauties. They are sweet and tangy. The dark purple and near-black varieties have a sweet and complex flavour profile.

Eating tiny tomatoes fresh is an irresistible summer treat. Or feature them in a one pan roasted meal in the oven. Mouths will water thinking about that. What could be better than a vine full of tomatoes drizzled with a little olive oil and sprinkled with a bit of sea salt roasted in the oven?



The difference in flavour from store-bought to homegrown tomatoes is astounding! Which is why it is worth it to give growing your own a try.

Remember, storing tomatoes in the refrigerator is a no-no, but a bowl full on the table is more than just a seasonal decorative display. They are a temptation few can resist and will disappear in no time.

The Bulletin Board

KLINGER DINGER
6th Annual

JULY 31 & AUGUST 1, 2026
Marean Lake Resort @ The Beach
Friday 6pm-11pm • Saturday 11am-11pm
\$10 admission • 18 & under free with purchase of adult admission

BEER GARDENS
HOLY BOARD Tournament
\$20/team
2 players/team
100% prize payout

BEACH VOLLEYBALL
Tournament
\$40/team
4 players/team
(must be co-ed)
100% prize payout

KLINGER'S CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT
-friday only-
winner takes home the boards

The Booth

The Brothers G
LIVE MUSIC
-friday & saturday-

For more information, to volunteer, or to register a team visit: klingerstrail.ca/dinger

114TH ANNUAL
AUGUST 7-9, 2026
INVERMAY FAIR

ADMISSION
FRIDAY NIGHT
ADULT \$5 • 12 & UNDER \$3
6 & UNDER FREE
SATURDAY & SUNDAY
ADULT \$10/DAY • 12 & UNDER \$5/DAY
6 & UNDER FREE
3 DAY PASS
ADULTS \$25 • 12 & UNDER \$15 6 & UNDER FREE

ENTERTAINMENT ALL WEEKEND
GYMKHANA
CHUCKWAGON & CHARIOTS
CONCESSIONS
BEER GARDENS
PETTING ZOO
4D BARREL BONANZA
HALL EXHIBITS
KIDDY EVENTS

FRIDAY AUGUST 7, 2026
6:30PM CHUCKWAGON RACES
HALF-TIME SHOW: OLD TIME RACES
7:30PM CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT
\$10/TEAM CONTACT ROYCE 306-593-7271
BEER GARDENS & CONCESSION

SATURDAY AUGUST 8, 2026
9:00AM-11:00AM- PANCAKE BREAKFAST
10:00AM- PARADE THEME: NIGHT AT THE ROXBURY
TO ENTER LINE UP AT SKATING RINK
10:00AM-4:00PM TRADESHOW AT THE FAIR GROUNDS
BEACH VOLLEYBALL
\$50 ENTRY FEE, 6 PERSON TEAMS, MIN. 2 WOMEN/TEAM.
\$100 PRIZE. ENTRY DEADLINE: AUG 2, 2026 • 5 TEAM
LIMIT CONTACT: THOMAS 306-593-7054
11:00AM-1:00PM- CLASSIC CAR & MACHINERY
SHOW & SHINE
11:00AM- GYMKHANA- WEE PEE & PEE WEE
12:30PM- 4D BARREL BONANZA
ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 6, 2026 CONTACT: BRENNIN 306-641-9285
2:00PM CHARIOT RACES
FOLLOWED BY JUNIOR & SENIOR GYMKHANA
4:30-6:00PM CHICKEN SUPPER
6:00PM CHUCKWAGON RACES
HALF-TIME SHOW
10:00PM-2:00AM- FAIR DANCE
AT INVERMAY FAIR GROUNDS, BAND THE EVILWITS
ADVANCE TICKETS AVAILABLE \$10/EACH
NO MINORS • PHOTO ID REQUIRED

SUNDAY AUGUST 9, 2026
9:00AM-11:00AM- PANCAKE BREAKFAST
CO-ED SLOW PITCH
NO ENTRY FEE, 8 TEAM LIMIT
CONTACT: ROYCE 306-593-7271 OR WARREN 306-593-7041
11:00AM- GYMKHANA- WEE PEE & PEE WEE
1:00PM- CHARIOT RACES
2:30PM- 4D BARREL BONANZA
FOLLOWED BY JUNIOR & SENIOR GYMKHANA
5:00PM CHUCKWAGON RACES
HALF-TIME SHOW: 4D BARREL BONANZA
FINALS SHOWDOWN

HALL ENTRY DEADLINE: 4:00PM AUG 5/2026.
FOR INFO CONTACT: KALISTA JACK 306-593-7223 OR MICHELLE GRAHAM 306-269-0328
TRADESHOW CONTACT: ELLIE 306-383-7890 OR MICHELLE 306-269-0328
EMAIL: INVERMAYAGSOCIETY@GMAIL.COM
THE INVERMAY AG SOCIETY WILL NOT REFUND GATE ADMISSION UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES, NOR BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ACCIDENTS ON THE GROUNDS

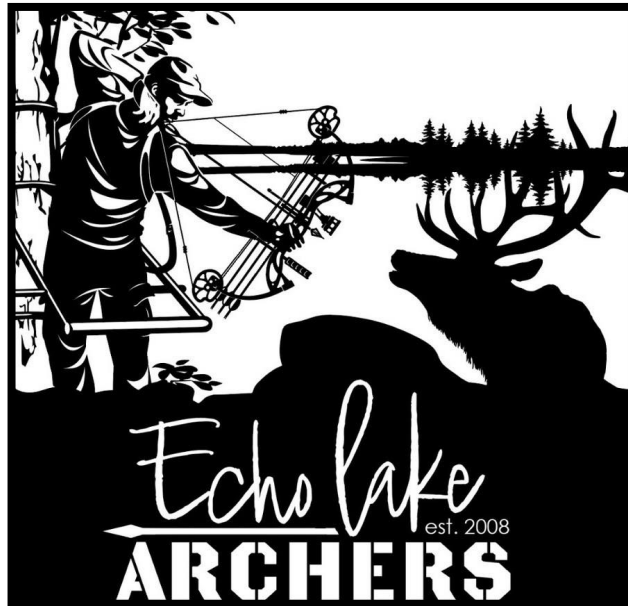
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SASK LOTTERIES

New Date
Community Bar-B-Q
Tuesday, August 11
5:00 - 6:30

Connect with Council
Centennial Gardens Gazebo
Silver Collection
Proceeds to Archerwill Public Library

Get ready to enjoy a delicious burger while visiting with your neighbour, talking to Council, and sharing a laugh!

The Bulletin Board



Echo Lake Archers Annual 3D Archery Shoot

NEW DATE August 8th

10:00 am- 4:00 pm

2 Loops and over 40 Targets
Concession on site with food and drinks
Adults \$25/day or \$40 for the weekend.
Kids 15 & under \$15/day or \$25 for the weekend
Iron Mosquito 50/50 shoot
Non Service camping available

BRING BUG SPRAY

Located 1 1/4 miles West of Archerwill on Highway 35
(Behind the Archerwill Sports Grounds) Watch for Signs
PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING BUG SPRAY

For Further Information

Please Contact:

Wayne - (306) 322-7203
Tristan - (306) 322-7015
Mark - (306) 287-7897
Darrel - (306) 322-7647
Follow us on Facebook @
Echo Lake Archers



Echo Lake Archers Annual 3D Archery Kids Shoot

Sunday August 9th 10:00 am- 4:00 pm

Located 1 1/4 miles West of Archerwill on Highway 35
(Behind the Archerwill Sports Grounds) Watch for Signs
PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING BUG SPRAY

Free Snacks

Door Prizes

Limited Entries

Please RSVP with one of the contacts below.

Long Bows and arrows, Beginner Bows will be available for those without their own bows.

LOTS OF FUN TO BE HAD!

For Further Information

Please Contact:

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Echo Lake Archers

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ARCHERWILL SPORTS DAY

1 1/2 MILES WEST OF ARCHERWILL

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15TH & SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH, 2026

★ ADMISSION ★
 Adults - \$15.00/day or \$20.00/wknd pass
 Students - 5yrs to 12 yrs of age \$5.00/day or \$10.00/wknd pass
 4yrs of age and under - FREE
ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST PAY GATE ADMISSION

SATURDAY EVENTS

8:30 - 10:30 am - Egg McMuffin Breakfast
 10:00 am - Slow Pitch
 11:00 am - Gymkhana (Wee Pee & Pee Wee)
 1:00 pm - Chariot Racing
 (by the Eastern Professional Chuckwagon & Chariot Association)
 3:30 pm - Gymkhana (Junior & Senior)
 4:00 pm - Supper Starting
 6:00 pm - Chuckwagon Racing

SUNDAY EVENTS

8:00 - 10:30 am - Pancake Breakfast
 9:00 am - Gymkhana (Junior & Senior)
 11:30 am - Chariot Racing
 1:30 pm - Gymkhana (Wee Pee & Pee Wee)
 3:00 pm - Men's Barrel Racing
 for Breast Cancer
 4:30 pm - Chuckwagon Racing

CABARET

Saturday night at the CORRAL
 9:00 pm to 2:00 am
 \$10.00 admission
 D.J. Entertainment by Bob Kapellar
If weather rainy - cabaret will be held at the Archerwill Hall
 Minors must be accompanied by their own parent or guardian.

A Weekend Of Fun For The Whole Family!!!

TOUGH ENOUGH TO WEAR PINK DAY ON SUNDAY! SHOW YOUR SUPPORT!!!

★ SLOW PITCH ★
 * Saturday August 15, 2026
 * 3 of the opposite sex per team
 * Cash Prizes
 * \$100.00 Entry Fee
 To register call
 Greg @ 306-873-1700
 Or Kellie @ 306-280-2567

★ BOTH DAYS ★
 Food Booth - Kids Treasure Sand Pile - Kids Bouncy Houses - Beer Gardens - Two Sweet (Dirty Soda, Lemonade & Iced Coffee)

No open liquor on grounds. Vehicles parked at owners risk.
 The Sports Day committee is not responsible for any accidents or injuries on the grounds.



SLOW PITCH

★ SATURDAY ★
AUGUST 15, 2026

TO REGISTER CALL
GREG @306-873-1700
OR KELLIE @306-280-2567

ACF RAFFLE FUNDRAISER

★ 250 ★
TICKETS AVAILABLE

\$10
A TICKET

TICKET
LOTTERY LICENCE
#SR26-0899

TICKET SALES BEGIN
JUNE 15/26

★ DRAW TO BE MADE ★
AT THE ARCHERWILL SPORTS GROUNDS
ON AUGUST 15/26 AT 1:00 PM

ACF IN SUPPORT OF THE
ARCHERWILL SPORTS DAY FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

E-TRANSFER-
acf2017acf@gmail.com

LAST DAY TO E-TRANSFER IS
AUGUST 13/26 8:00 PM

PRIZES ARE:

1ST APPROX \$500 BOOZE BASKET

2ND \$250 TGV AUTO DETAILING CERTIFICATE

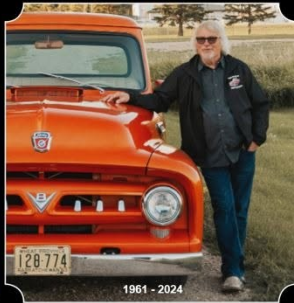
3RD \$100 CO-OP GIFT CARD

★ Lottery Licence #SR26-0899 ★

The Bulletin Board

7TH ANNUAL!

**DARRELL DAVIS
MEMORIAL
CAR SHOW**



SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2026

TISDALE AND DISTRICT MUSEUM GROUNDS
12 PM TO 4 PM REGISTRATION 10 AM - NOON

THRESHING DEMO 3 PM --- MUSIC / FOOD ON SITE
BOUNCY CASTLE --- SILENT AUCTION

**ADMISSION BY DONATION WITH PROCEEDS TO THE
TISDALE AND DISTRICT MUSEUM.**

DASH PLAQUES TO FIRST 100 CARS REGISTERED!

**HOSTED BY
DOGHIDE RIVER
RODS AND RELICS**



Archerwill Public Library's
**END OF SUMMER
GET TOGETHER**

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Centennial Gardens Gazebo

**HOT DOGS
&
ICE CREAM SUNDAES**
\$5 per person

Please Join Us



**Mike & Laura's
★ ANNUAL ★
MUSIC FESTIVAL**
★ AUG 28-30 ★

📍 ST. FRONT, SASKATCHEWAN
🛣️ HIGHWAY 640

Get ready for a full weekend of
GREAT COUNTRY MUSIC, DANCING,
★ AND GOOD TIMES! ★

- ★ FREE CAMPING (DONATIONS WELCOME)
- ★ CANTEN ON SITE
- ★ DANCE FLOOR
- ★ MUSICIANS WELCOME - CONTACT LAURA ASAP TO JOIN IN

Bring your lawn chairs, your boots, and your
love of country music for a fun-filled weekend
with **HILLBILLY HIGHWAY!**

For more information, contact Laura:
1-306-835-7338

LET'S KEEP COUNTRY ALIVE

Donate your recycling to

**We're
hosting a
DROP & GO
virtual
bottle
drive**

by using our Group Phrase:

Archerwill Fire

at your local
SARCAN
Drop & Go Kiosk

The Bulletin Board

Friends of the
Archerwill Centennial Centre
present
Archerwill's 2nd Annual
**HAPPY HARVEST
PANCAKE BREAKFAST**
&
SCARECROW COMPETITION
Saturday, September 12
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Archerwill Centennial Centre
\$10/Person \$25/Family
Proceeds to the Archerwill Hall

Make & bring a Scarecrow
to win a prize!
Contest open to all ages.

Kids, dress up as a Scarecrow, Witch,
Harvest Fairy or Black Cat
to enter the Live Kids' Contest!



We invite Kids 12 and under to enter the
HAPPY HARVEST
Kids' Costume Contest



Saturday, September 12
ARCHERWILL CENTENNIAL CENTRE
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Attend the Pancake Breakfast and enter yourself as a
live Scarecrow, Black Cat, Witch, Harvest Princess,
Dinosaur covered in fall leaves...let your imagination
run wild!
Dig into your Halloween costume stash and see what
you can come up with to win prizes!

*Lakeside
Cemetery*
**FALL
SUPPER**

SUNDAY OCTOBER 4TH
5-7PM
WATCH FOR
MORE DETAILS



VAAM
Virtual Access to Addiction Medicine

**Addiction Medicine
for Saskatchewan**

Our Goal
To ensure Saskatchewan residents have access to high-quality addiction treatment, regardless of where they live.

What is VAAM?
The virtual access to addiction medicine (VAAM) program offers seamless access to prescribers, nurses and addiction counsellors for Saskatchewan residents, ensuring they receive life-saving medications and treatments.

What We Do
Our team provides holistic care for individuals with substance use disorder that includes:

- ▶ **Timely Assessment** and same-day prescriptions (e.g. Buprenorphine, Naltrexone)
- ▶ **Virtual Appointments** with physicians, nurses, and counsellors
- ▶ **Screening** for general health care concerns, including access to routine screening and preventive services
- ▶ **Brief Counselling** and connection to community supports
- ▶ **Stabilization and transition** to local care when possible
- ▶ **Culturally-safe and trauma informed** care for all clients

Who Can Access VAAM?
Individuals can call the VAAM program directly to connect with supports. No medical referral is necessary.
VAAM is open to individuals who:

- Live in Saskatchewan
- Are **18 years or older**
- Want help with **opioid, alcohol, stimulant, or benzodiazepine** use
- Are open to discussing treatment options, including medication
- Do not have a prescriber for their addiction concerns

Connect with Us:
Phone: 1-844-449-8226
Email: VAAM@saskhealthauthority.ca



Saskatchewan Health Authority
Healthy People, Healthy Saskatchewan
The Saskatchewan Health Authority works in the spirit of truth and reconciliation, acknowledging Saskatchewan as the traditional territory of First Nations and Métis People.

CS-P-0067
January 26, 2026
saskhealthauthority.ca

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"I don't know about you, but August is still an important chapter in summer's novel."

- Jasmine Vaughn-Hall

The Library would be pleased to see you for lunch on August 26. Summer will be ending, and school will be starting the following week on September 2.

It's hard to believe we are talking about fall activities already, but the clock tick, tick, ticks on. Kids will be in school and harvest will be in full swing.

In the mean time, enjoy the month of August. Pick up a book from our shelves and find yourself a shady spot to read. Don't forget your bug spray! The mosquitoes will not be letting up for awhile yet.

Happy August!

Karen

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