

# Langruth Views

## January/February 2020



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### Langruth Skating Rink



The Langruth Skating Rink offers Public Skating and Recreational Curling. Come out and enjoy some activities with your family.

Canteen items are available.  
Check out the menu on Page 5

Take a break from cooking and try out the 'Sunday Specials'!

#### Day Passes, Season Passes & Ice Rental

Day Pass: \$3.00

Individual Season Pass: \$45.00

Family Season Pass: \$80.00

Ice Time Rental: \$55.00/hour

#### Schedule

##### Wednesday:

Public Skating: 7 pm to 9 pm  
(Skating permitted in non-curling area only.)

Curling: 7 pm to 9 pm

##### Friday:

Public Skating: 7 pm to 9 pm  
(Sticks & Pucks permitted after 8:00 pm)

##### Sunday:

Public Skating: 4 pm to 7 pm

Watch for new events and activities.  
Schedule subject to change.

**\*\* Fees must be paid prior entering the ice surface. \*\***

**\*\* Children under the age of 12 must wear a helmet and be accompanied by an adult or older sibling. \*\***



## 2020

### Happy New Year

### Pitter Patter



A fun filled program with activities and socializing for toddlers and parents/caregivers.

**Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**Thursday, January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**Monday, February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020**

**5:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

(Supper will be provided.)

**Lakeview Children's Centre  
FREE!**

Call 204-445-2467 for more information.  
*Funded by the Healthy Child Coalition.*

### Drumming for Fitness

*A fun way to exercise using  
rhythm and music!*

**Mondays**

**January 13<sup>th</sup> until March 16<sup>th</sup>**

(No Drumming on February 17<sup>th</sup>, Louis Riel Day)

**7:00 pm – 8:00 pm**

**Langruth Elementary School Gym**

**\$10.00/class**

**For more information contact Diana at  
204-445-2008(h), 204-856-9105(c).**



## Church News

### Grace Lutheran Church

*Service at 10:30 AM unless otherwise stated.  
Supply Pastor Phyllis Thordarson 445-2323*

**Jan 26:** Liturgical communion service

**Feb 9:** Service of the Word, Lunch & Annual  
Congregational Meeting

**Feb 23:** Liturgical communion service

### Langruth United Church

*Service at 11:30 AM unless otherwise stated.*

**Jan 19:** Service conducted by Dan Jardine.

**Jan 26:** TBA

**Feb 2:** TBA

**Feb 9:** Service conducted by Jim Warburton.

**Feb 16:** TBA

**Feb 23:** TBA

### Catholic Church News

#### Amaranth Catholic Church

*Sunday Mass at 10:30AM unless otherwise stated.*

#### Alonsa Catholic Church

*Regular Mass to be announced. Contact a church  
member for dates and times.*

#### Sandy Bay Catholic Church

*Sunday Mass at 12:30PM unless otherwise stated.*

### Amaranth Gospel Mission

*Service at 10:30 AM unless otherwise stated.*

### World Day of Prayer

Each year Christians of many cultures, traditions, and races, in over 170 countries around the world unite in prayer. The 2020 World Day of Prayer Service has been prepared by the World Day of Prayer Committee of Zimbabwe. The theme is based on Jesus' encounter with a person who had not acted upon the opportunities given.

The country of Zimbabwe continues its search for peace during political transition. World Day of Prayer women, churches and ecumenical organizations have not lost hope. "Rise! Take Your Mat and Walk," said Jesus. Our sisters from Zimbabwe are taking Jesus' encounter to be a call to act in love for peace and reconciliation.

The World Day of Prayer Service will be held on Friday, March 6<sup>th</sup> at Langruth United Church. Everyone is invited to attend.



## Langruth Community Church Christmas Concert & Pot-Luck Dinner

The Langruth Community Christmas Concert & Pot Luck Dinner was held on Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at the Langruth Community Hall. Eleven children performed a Christmas play called 'The Animals Hear The Good News' retelling the traditional Christmas story. The children also shared Christmas recitations and musical selections on the piano. Thank-you to Ann Craik for arranging the program and Philip Thordarson for leading the carols on the piano. Thank-you to everyone that attended and shared in this evening of community fellowship.



**Back L-R:** Tyrell Czeranko, Madison Kennedy, Stacie Czeranko, Kylie Sutherland, Rylee Kennedy, Levi Slawinski, Lauren Armstrong, Taylor Kennedy, Josey Spence, Regan Teichroeb,  
**Front L-R:** Amy Anna Houle, Tara Beaulieu,  
**Narrator:** Madison Teichroeb (missing)



## Pancake Supper & Talent Auction

**Monday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
5:30 pm**

**Langruth Community Hall**

**Admission:**

**Adult: \$6.00**

**Child (ages 6 – 11): \$3.00**

**Child (ages 5 and under): Free**

Auction to follow pancake supper.

**Hosted by:**

**Grace Lutheran & Langruth United Churches**

*Thank-you for donating to these local churches.*

**WESTLAKE-GLADSTONE MAIN OFFICE**

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E-mail: [info@westlake-gladstone.ca](mailto:info@westlake-gladstone.ca)

**Web Site:** <http://www.westlake-gladstone.ca>

Open Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Regular council meetings are held at 9:30 am on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month. Meetings are open to the public. To make a presentation register 1 week prior to the meeting.

Councillors have been assigned to represent specific Townships and Communities.

Until April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Township 16 & 17 including Langruth and Plumas are represented by:

**Bud Sigurdson** (204-385-3878) &

**Randy Bjarnarson** (204-871-5932)

**Snow Clearing**

The Municipality of WestLake-Gladstone no longer clears snow on private properties (driveways, sidewalks etc.). A listing of local contractors can be found on the Municipal Web Page under Business → Services. Please contact the Municipal office for more information.

The Municipality of WestLake-Gladstone clears snow on public roadways in order of priority in both rural and urban areas. Public Works begin clearing snow as quickly as possible. Watch for updated snow clearing route maps on the Municipal Web Page. During times of heavy snow fall your patience is appreciated.

**FOR FIRE EMERGENCIES CALL  
911**



**911 OPERATORS WILL DISPATCH  
LAKEVIEW FIRE DEPARTMENT**

FOR BURN PERMITS CONTACT:

JAMES RINN, FIRE CHIEF: 204-445-2392

**IT IS MANDATORY TO HAVE A FIRE PERMIT.**

**APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND ON THE  
MUNICIPAL WEB SITE AND ARE FREE.**

**MOBILE CLINIC** 10:00 am – 4:00 pm  
Langruth

Wednesday, January 15<sup>th</sup>

Monday, January 20<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, January 29<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, February 5<sup>th</sup>

Monday, February 10<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, February 12<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, February 19<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>



**Call 1-855-644-3515 to make an  
appointment.**

**Langruth Garbage Pick-Up:**  
**Tuesdays 9:30 am**



Please have your waste at the curb  
before 9:30 am on Tuesdays.

Call the Municipal Office for more information.

**Notice**



**The Public Washroom at  
Einarson Park in Langruth is closed.  
Contact the Municipal Office for more  
information and/or to give your opinion.**

**Municipal Maps**

The 2019 Municipality of WestLake-Gladstone maps are in! Your choice of black and white, or colored maps, can be purchased at the Municipal office.

**Black & White:** \$25.00/each

**Coloured:** \$35.00/each



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**LOCAL CONTRACTOR**

## Langruth Skating Club Activities

**Fridays: 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm**

### Langruth Skating Rink

Langruth Skating Club provides organized activities for children to improve their basic skating skills and physical fitness. All children are invited to participate.



- **5:00 pm – 6:00 pm: Rec. Hockey**

Children will need to be comfortable skating forwards, backwards and stopping. Equipment is at parent's discretion. It is recommended that children wear a helmet with a facemask.

- **6:00 pm – 7:00 pm: Skating Lessons**

Learn-To-Skate

Beginner Power Skating

Contact Michelle Teichroeb at 204-445-2319 or Bobbie Czeranko at 204-445-2467 for more information.

## Recreational Curling at Langruth Skating Rink



Two full length curling sheets are available at the Langruth Skating Rink. When freshly flooded and pebbled the skating ice doubles as curling ice for recreational curling.

### Recreational Curling

**Wednesdays**

**7:00 pm to 9:00 pm**

Why not get a group together for an evening of curling. Come as a team or make teams as people arrive. Never curled before? Interested in Stick Curling? Come out and give it a try. Donated curling brooms, a delivery device for stick curling and sliders are available for use. It is sure to be entertaining.

If you would like to help organize curling or participate please leave your name at the Skating Rink Canteen or call Michelle Teichroeb at 204-445-2319 or Bobbie Czeranko at 204-445-2467.

## Langruth Curling Bonspiel

- 50% chance of 'Funspiel' scoring on each end -

Tentatively planned for  
**February 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2020**

Contact Tom Teichroeb at 204-445-2319 for more information.

**Watch for more information.**

## Fifty and Beyond News

The Langruth Seniors held their monthly business meeting on January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at Emily Thompson's house. The Municipal Office was being used for the Driver's Ed Program that day. Sandy Bay CFS has been using the Community Hall as a temporary office space after fire destroyed their offices in Sandy Bay last month.

There were 5 members present at the meeting. Harry Lazor greeted everyone and asked for the various reports. All outstanding bills were paid. Ann Craik gave the Cheer Report stating she had sent out one birthday card and one get well card.

We received an e-mail from Marion Single giving the upcoming meeting dates. The Pairs Cribbage Playoffs will be here in Langruth on April 8<sup>th</sup>. The Whist Playoffs will be in Gladstone on April 23<sup>rd</sup>. The Northwest Region Meeting will be at Plumas on April 27<sup>th</sup>. That meeting will start at 11:00 am.

The Seniors Games will be held in Selkirk this year. If you plan on attending you will want to start to make arrangements for accommodations as there might be a shortage of rooms.

Ann Craik brought the proceeds from the Christmas Hamper Raffle. A number of tickets were sold. The hamper was won by Grace Craik. She re-donated the turkey for a second draw. There were a number of lovely items in the hamper.

Our next monthly supper will be on January 23<sup>rd</sup>. The menu has been planned but in the event that CFS is still using the hall we will cancel our supper. Watch for more information. CFS is in the process of setting up temporary office space in Sandy Bay and will most likely be moved so please plan to attend the next monthly supper.

Our next meeting will be on February 5<sup>th</sup> at the Municipal Office. Ann Craik adjourned the meeting. Emily Thompson served a lovely lunch that was enjoyed by all.

## Langruth Post Office



**Open**

**Monday – Friday**

**9:30 am – 5:00 pm**



## Langruth Skating Rink Canteen



The Langruth Skating Rink Canteen is operated by numerous community volunteers. Proceeds go towards the operation and upkeep of the Skating Rink. If you are interested in volunteering please contact Bobbie Czeranko at 204-445-2467 or any member of the Langruth Rec. Committee.

Thank-you for your support.

### Regular Menu

Cheeseburger - \$4.50

Hamburger - \$4.00

Hotdogs - \$2.50

Taco-In-A-Bag - \$5.00

French Fries - \$2.50

Onion Rings - \$3.00

Poutine - \$5.00

Gravy - \$0.50

Can Drinks - \$1.00

Bottled Water - \$1.00

Juice Boxes - \$0.50

Coffee/Tea/Hot Chocolate - \$1.00

Chips - \$1.00

Chocolate Bars/Ice Cream Bars - \$1.00

Candy Bags - \$1.00

### Sunday Specials

(Sunday Specials available between 5:30 and 7 pm.)  
(Regular Menu items also available.)

January 19<sup>th</sup>

Pork Roast & Mashed Potatoes: \$7.00

January 26<sup>th</sup>

Lasagna & Garlic Toast: \$8.00

February 2<sup>nd</sup>

Ribs: \$9.00

February 9<sup>th</sup>

Stew: \$7.00

February 16<sup>th</sup>

Perogies & Garlic Sausage: \$6.00

February 23<sup>rd</sup>

Pork Roast & Mashed Potatoes: \$7.00

Available for pick up.

Delivery available for seniors in Langruth on Sundays.  
Meals delivered around 5:30 pm

\*\* Grill will be shut off 1/2 hour before closing. \*\*

## Temporary Office Space for Sandy Bay CFS in Langruth

Source: Dana Hatherly, CBC News, Dec. 16, 2019

Early Sunday, December 15<sup>th</sup> a fire burned down the main building of Sandy Bay Child and Family Services (CFS). Sandy Bay Ojibway First Nation Chief, Lance Roulette, said the structure was totally destroyed. The damage is estimated at \$600,000.00

Sandy Bay fire crews spent about four hours battling the flames, with the assistance of nearby fire departments from Alonsa and Langruth.

Sandy Bay CFS has been using the Langruth Community Hall as a temporary office space. The agency had an emergency contingency plan in place and its execution played a major role in being back in operation very quickly after the disaster. The main priority was to ensure that there was no disruption in family services. CFS director Richard De La Ronde says there has been an outpouring of support from other CFS branches, regional MLAs and MPs.

The next priority now is to finish preparing a number of mobile offices moved into Sandy Bay for on-reserve temporary office space. Sandy Bay CFS was already in the process of building a new office but it will be some time before the agency can move into it.

## Langruth Fall Supper Report

Around 255 people enjoyed a lovely turkey and ham dinner complete with a variety of desserts at the Langruth Fall Supper on October 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019. The Fall Supper provides an opportunity for former residents to come back to our community for an event, as well as providing community members an opportunity to work together for a common goal. This is one of the main fundraisers for the Langruth United Church and Grace Lutheran Church. Thank you to everyone who donated, attended and helped in any way. After paying expenses each church received \$1364.15.

# FALL SUPPER

**PARKLAND REGIONAL LIBRARY**  
Large Print Books

AUTHOR	TITLE	DESCRIPTION
Alexander, V.S.	The Irishman's daughter	Historical fiction
Ames, Elizabeth	The other's gold	Fiction
Archer, Rosie	The narrowboat girls	Historical fiction
Barclay, Linwood	Elevator pitch	Suspense
Benjamin, Chloe	The immortalists	Fiction
Berry, Julie	Lovely war	Fiction
Brandvold, Peter	Bear Haskell: a frontier duo	Western stories
Brown, Sandra	Outfox	Romantic suspense
Cander, Chris	The weight of a piano	Fiction
Conklin, Tara	The last romantics	Fiction
Conley, Susan	Else come home	Fiction
Corry, Jane	The dead ex	Thriller
Crais, Robert	A dangerous man	Suspense
Cussler, / Du Brul	The Titanic secret	Adventure story
Danticat, Edwidge	Everything inside	Short stories
Davis, Fiona	The Chelsea girls	Historical fiction
Dukes, Michael	The Avenging Angels	Western
Ephron, Hallie	Careful what you wish for	Suspense
Evans, Lissa	Old baggage	Historical fiction
Fielding, Joy	All the wrong places	Mystery
Grunwald, Lisa	Time after time	Historical fiction
Gwin, Minrose	The accidentals	Fiction
Harper, Karen	American duchess: a novel of Consuelo Vanderbilt	Biographical fiction
Harris, Rosie	Only love can heal	Romance
Haywood, Sarah	The cactus	Fiction
Hill, Lancaster	War valley	Western
Holland/Silvers	I think you're wrong (but I'm listening) : a guide to grace-filled political conversations	Non-fiction
Holsinger, Bruce	The gifted school	Fiction
Hyde, Catherine Ryan	Heaven adjacent	Fiction
Jackson, Easy	A season in hell	Western
Johnstone, W & J.A.	Stranglehold	Western
Lewis, Preston	Santa Fe run	Western
Liardet, Frances	We must be brave	Fiction
London, Julia	The charmer in chaps	Romance
May, Meredith	The honey bus	Memoir
McGilligan, Patrick	Funny man – Mel Brooks	Biography
Macomber, Debbie	A Mrs. Miracle Christmas	Fiction
McKenna, Lindsay	Home to Wind River	Romance
Mallery, Susan	The summer of Sunshine & Margot	Romance
Snelling, Lauraine	A song of joy	Historical romance
Steel, Danielle	The dark side	Fiction

## Nature Notes

*Submitted by Raymond O'Connor*

### Long-Eared Owl



The most slender and most nocturnal of the large owls is perhaps the most overlooked. It is hard to detect because of its cryptic coloration, shy habits, and the ability to 'freeze' against a perch with body flattened. This owl often uses the same winter perch day after day, resulting in a large accumulation of pellets and droppings beneath it. This tell-tale evidence can be used to locate the roosting owl above. Although the female is larger, both sexes appear similar. This owl frequents a wide range of habitats, from desert oasis to riparian thickets to dense coniferous woodlands.

The Long-Eared Owl is nocturnal. It roosts perched close to the tree trunk in thick cover during the day. It hunts over open fields and marshes feeding on primarily mouse-size mammals and sometimes small birds. This owl is often gregarious on roosts in winter. Accumulated pellet contents can reveal local diet as the undigested bones, teeth and exoskeletons of its prey are compacted within them.

The nesting site is often an abandoned nest of a squirrel, crow, hawk, or heron.

Incubation is 26-28 days by the female. The young stay in the nest for 23-26 days. They are fed by both sexes. There is 1 brood per year.

The Long-Eared Owl is uncommon to locally common. They may be more common than suspected.

## Langruth Community Hall

The Langruth Community Hall is available for rent at very affordable rates for all types of occasions.

### **Social, Wedding, Banquet or Dance with Liquor**

\$300/day plus \$500 damage deposit

#### **Banquet**

\$175/day

#### **Meeting, Tea or Shower**

\$125/day

#### **Bartenders**

\$15/hour/bartender

For more information or to reserve a date contact:

**Sheila Olson**

**Phone: 204-445-2228**

## Kinosota Trail Game & Fish News

### Kinosota Trail Game & Fish Executive:

**President:** Kory Jonasson

**Vice President:** Jordan Jackson

**Secretary:** Stephanie Douglas

**Treasurer:** Joanne Kleemola

### 2019 BANQUET RESULTS

#### **DEER HEAD:**

1<sup>st</sup> Typical: Dana Gardiner

2<sup>nd</sup> Typical: Bob Jackson

Non- Typical: Tara-Lynn Kleemola

Most Even 5 Point: Cole Thompson

Most Even 4 Point: Cecil Robertshaw

Junior 1<sup>st</sup>: Declan Poschenrieder

Junior 2<sup>nd</sup>: Cole Thompson

Junior 3<sup>rd</sup>: Theron Poschenrieder



#### **FISH:**

1<sup>st</sup> Perch (Adult): Lindsay Hanneson

1<sup>st</sup> Pickerel (Adult): Charlie Rinn

1<sup>st</sup> Pickerel (Junior): Sydnie Houle



#### **FOWL:**

1<sup>st</sup> Goose (Junior): Cole Thompson

#### **DRAWS:**

Hunter Education Draw: Taylor Kennedy

14ft Jon Sierra LT Boat: Holly Kelemen

Gun Card Draw: John Kleemola

## Langruth Archery Nights



Archers practiced their skills at the 6 week fall session of Langruth Archery at the Langruth Skating Rink. The variety of targets placed at various distances provided challenging shots for archers of all ages. Basic equipment was available through the Kinosota Trail Game & Fish Association. Thank-you to Kory Jonasson and Shay Jonasson for marshaling the shooting range and helping with beginners.

Watch for more information as to when the archery program will be running again. Come out and enjoy the fun!

## News From Here, There and Anywhere

Reporter Teri Soos



Hello Everyone! It's that time again and time to get used to a new year. Are you all remembering to write 2020 for the year? I know that it always takes me a couple months to adjust.

We hope that everyone had a nice Christmas and a good start to the New Year. Let's hope that this year will be much better than last year in regards to crops, gardens and harvesting. I hear that the government is printing signs to let people know if fields are not harvested. This is mainly for people on snowmobiles so they don't ruin unharvested crops any further. Hopefully these fields can be harvested in the spring. If you are a snowmobiler please take note of the fields that haven't been harvested.

I hope that everyone enjoyed their New Years Eve celebrations. It wasn't terribly cold out so the roads were fairly good. There haven't been any dances in the area for a number of years so people seem to be getting together as small groups at people's homes. Gone are the days of the large gatherings at the local halls.

Can you imagine the heat that Australia is getting? Their temperatures are well over 40 degrees Celsius with wind and wild fires. We are thinking of those in Australia as they manage through very tough times.

I've heard that Lake Manitoba is higher than it has been. There isn't a lot of snow right now so we don't know what spring will look like in terms of flooding. We certainly hope that we don't have to worry about flooding as we did a number of years ago.

We hope that everyone, especially the children, had their Christmas wishes come true. I'm sure the children received lots of new toys.

I've heard that 'real' Christmas trees can be donated to the Festival du Voyageur to be used as displays. The trees will be used to decorate the park and to also use as wood chips inside the tents. Rather than putting your tree in the trash, this is certainly a better way to dispose of it.

We hope that everyone that had exams before Christmas were happy with their marks. Best of

luck with the rest of your studies. I heard of a few more bus accidents recently. Please watch out for buses so the children can get to and from school safely.

The roads have not been too bad lately. We haven't gotten too much snow. The snow that we have gotten has been soft and fluffy. It has been more cold than snowy. Let's hope that the rest of the season will be the same and we won't have to deal with pushing lots of snow to clear our roads. I've had my yard cleaned out once this year so far. As you probably know, the municipality no longer clears snow on private properties. I had Walter Copping clear my snow and he did a very good job. He lives here in Langruth and is someone you can call if you need your driveways and sidewalks cleaned. I have his number if you would like to give me a call.

Many people take this time of year to travel to warmer climates. Safe travels to anyone that is away or is planning on being away. We hope you will have a good time wherever you go.

Many are suffering with the flu right now. Apparently there are three different flu viruses going around. If you manage to get all three I imagine you will be quite sick. Keep away from crowds and anyone that might have the flu so you don't happen to pick up the flu. I've heard that some seniors homes are limiting the visitors to try and prevent the residents from getting the flu.

I went to Portage last week to visit with my sister Julia Kelemen. She is in the hospital right now with a terrible flu. She is very ill. We hope that she and anyone else suffering with the flu gets better before too long.

Julia will be having a birthday soon so we hope she is up and around and able to enjoy her special day. We hope that anyone that has had a birthday or celebrated an anniversary enjoyed their day.

I mustn't forget about other people that are recovering right now. Albert Czeranko recently had a hip replacement so he will be in full recovery mode. We hope that your surgery went well. I know that it is a hard decision to have such a surgery but most people are very pleased with the results.

I unfortunately have a few deaths to report. If



## News From Here, There... con't

you took note of the Portage newspaper you will see at least two or three pages of obituaries. Winter is an especially hard time for seniors. We send sympathy to the family of Sheila Sepke who passed away last week. Sheila and her late husband Clifford lived in the area for many years before retiring to Portage. Many will also remember Darwin Oswald from Amaranth. He passed away at his home on December 29<sup>th</sup>. To anyone that has lost friends or family recently we hope that memories of happier times will help you through these sad days.

I recently heard from Alice Lasson. She used to live here in Langruth and was the clerk in the store and the telephone office for a number of years. She lives in Winnipeg now. She says hello and sends good wishes to all her friends and neighbors from the area. Alice would also like to subscribe to the Langruth Views so she can keep up with what is happening here in Langruth. If you would like to send a 'hello' to your Langruth friends please give me a call or send me a note and it can be included in the upcoming months.

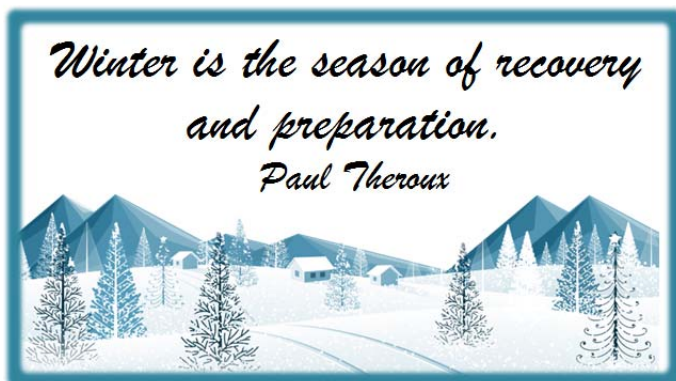
I haven't heard how the ice fishing is going this year. We hope that you are catching enough to make it profitable.

This year being the 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Manitoba I'm sure there will be some extra celebrations. I hope that as many as possible are able to take in these special events to celebrate our province.

We hope that everyone has a restful winter season. Do be careful when you go out to watch for the ice. It is so easy to slip and fall.

Until we talk again,

This is Teri Soos.



## A Letter

Submitted by Donna Huyber from Irene Huyber's Scrapbook

Dear Santa:

We know we're asking for quite a lot, but there are so many things we haven't got,

So we thought we'd ask you to try and find these gifts for us that we have in mind.

A few less 'hoppers and a bit less rain, when harvest time rolls around again.

We're tired of hail and wind storms here, so you needn't bother with them this year.

Give us higher prices for eggs and cream, and lower prices for gasoline.

Give us plenty of markets for all our grain, and a good cattle market once again.

This is our list and at the top, what we really want is a bumper crop,

And just one more thing ere your patience cracks, give us strength to master the income tax.

Santa laughed and put the letter away, then stepped outside to look at the sleigh,

And right on top by the dolls, pretty charmers, he placed a box of 'Good Luck' for all of the Farmers.

- Author Unknown

**Good Luck**

**to Farmers for the coming season!**

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**Take a walk down memory lane.**

**Check out photos from the Langruth area  
online at:**

**<http://langruth.weebly.com>**

## Obituary: Sigridur “Marjorie” Rhodes

August 2, 1940 - October 21, 2019



Peacefully, Marjorie passed away at the age of 79 years, at Gladstone MB on October 21, 2019.

Marjorie was born on Aug 2, 1940 in Winnipeg, MB to Sveinn “Swannie” and Sigridur “Sigga”

Egilson. She attended school at Big Point and Langruth schools. After leaving school, she went to work at the Royal Bank in Langruth for a few years and later on, worked in homecare.

Marjorie and Harold were married October 24, 1959 and resided at Big Point near Lake Manitoba on Bar VI Ranch. Together they raised three children, Tracey, Shelley and Wesley. Harold and Marjorie farmed alongside Majorie’s father and brother. Marjorie was a homemaker, had a big garden, and was always busy with berry picking, preserving and canning. She loved to sew and shared her talents teaching sewing and crafts at the local 4-H clubs for many years, and making wedding dresses and bridesmaid dresses. When the girls were small she made them matching dresses and there was always enough fabric left over for a matching vest for Wesley. She was active helping in the community and a member of the Lutheran Ladies Aid. Marjorie helped Harold with his craft and carpentry business and always had plenty of candy and cookies on hand for her grandchildren and niece and nephews when they stopped in. The coffee was always on for friends and family, with lots of visiting had by all. Marjorie was a very active Amma; the grandchildren and great grandchildren held a very special place in her heart. In 1998 Marj and Harold retired; they remained on the farm until 2009 when they moved to Gladstone.

Marjorie was predeceased by her husband Harold, parents, Swannie and Sigga, two infant children baby Harold, and baby April.

Left to cherish her memory are her daughter Tracey (Dennis), daughter Shelley (Darin) and son Wesley; grandchildren, Corissa (Shawn), Andrew (Jena), Brady, and Steven; three great grandchildren, Tristan, Logan and Cassidy. Also

survived by brother David (JoAnn) Egilson and their children, Kristopher, Kelly, Alan and Jayme, sister-in-law Wynne and numerous nephews and nieces.

Thank you to the staff of Third Crossing Manor for all their care over the past years, and to family and friends for their kind words and visits.

Cremation has taken place and a private graveside service will be held at a later date, at the final resting place, Big Point Cemetery east of Langruth. \*\*Editor’s note. A private graveside service was held on November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019.

Donations may be made to Big Point Cemetery Box 81 Langruth MB R0H 0N0 or Third Crossing Manor Activity Fund, c/o Seven Regions Health Foundation Box 1000 Gladstone MB R0J 0T0.

## Obituary: Thomas Dalton Johannson

August 28, 1927 - November 20, 2019



Thomas Dalton Johannson 92, of Wilmington, NC formerly of Baltimore, Maryland passed away Wednesday, November 20, 2019 at his home.

Thomas was born in Langruth, Manitoba on August 28, 1927 the son of the late Arni Margeir and Hilda Dalton Johannson. After receiving his degree in Mechanical Engineering he went to work with Ingersoll Rand, and then moved to Maryland to run Macmillan Bloedel Packaging Incorporated for fifty years. He was the widower of Margaret Ann Donovan Johannson, and was also preceded in death by brothers Francis and John Johannson, and sister Sigridur J. Moore. He was an incredible person – a caring father, grandfather and friend. A hard worker who was always willing to lend a hand no matter how large or small, he will be remembered fondly and missed deeply.

Surviving are sons Thomas Derek Johannson, Brian Bequette, daughters Leslie Simmons and husband Scott, Marion Donavan, brother Robert Johannson, and sisters Sarah Blanche McLeod, Rena Arksey, and Louise Groom. He had nine grandchildren.

A graveside memorial service was conducted on Saturday, December 7, 2019 at Dulaney Memorial Gardens in Timonium, MD.



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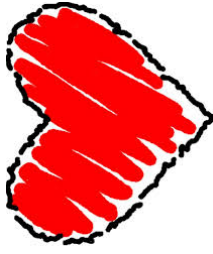


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# Langruth Community Calendar February 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Post Office &amp; Library Hours:</b> <b>Monday: 9:30 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>Tuesday: 9:30 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>Wednesday: 9:30 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>Thursday: 9:30 am—5:00 pm</b> <b>Friday: 9:30 am—5:00 pm</b>		<b>Waste Disposal Grounds Hours:</b> <b>Tuesday: 10:00 am -12:00 noon &amp; 1:00 pm—5:00 pm</b> <b>Thursday: 1:00 pm—5:00 pm</b> <b>Saturday: 9:00 am—12:00 noon</b>		<b>Mobile Clinic:</b> <b>Call 1-855-644-3515</b> <b>for an appointment</b> <b>at the Mobile Clinic.</b>		
<b>2</b> Lutheran: No Service United: TBA Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel: 10:30 am <b>Skating: 4-7 pm</b>	<b>3</b>  <b>Drumming For</b> <b>Fitness: 7:00 pm</b>	<b>4</b> <b>Garbage Pick-Up:</b> <b>9:30 am</b>	<b>5</b> <b>Mobile Clinic</b> <b>Seniors Meeting</b> <b>Drama: 6:00 pm</b> <b>Skating &amp; Curling:</b> <b>7 pm—9 pm</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>  <b>Skating Club</b> <b>5—7 pm</b> <b>Skating: 7 -9 pm</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>9</b> Lutheran: 10:30 am Annual Meeting United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel: 10:30 am <b>Skating: 4-7 pm</b>	<b>10</b>  <b>Pitter Patter:</b> <b>5:00 pm</b> <b>Drumming For</b> <b>Fitness: 7:00 pm</b>	<b>11</b> <b>Garbage Pick-Up:</b> <b>9:30 am</b>	<b>12</b>  <b>Drama: 6:00 pm</b> <b>Skating &amp; Curling:</b> <b>7 pm—9 pm</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> <b>Valentine's Day</b>  <b>Skating Club</b> <b>5—7 pm</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>16</b> Lutheran: No Service United: TBA Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel: 10:30 am <b>Skating: 4-7 pm</b>	<b>17</b> <b>Louis Riel Day</b>	<b>18</b> <b>Garbage Pick-Up:</b> <b>9:30 am</b>	<b>19</b> <b>Council Meeting:</b> <b>9:30 am</b> <b>Drama: 6:00 pm</b> <b>Skating &amp; Curling:</b> <b>7 pm—9 pm</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> <b>Langruth Views</b> <b>Submission Deadline</b> <b>Skating Club</b> <b>5—7 pm</b> <b>Skating: 7 -9 pm</b>	<b>22</b> <b>Curling Bonspiel</b> <b>(To Be Confirmed)</b>
<b>23</b> Lutheran: 10:30 am United: TBA Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel: 10:30 am <b>Skating: 4-7 pm</b>	<b>24</b>  <b>Drumming For</b> <b>Fitness: 7:00 pm</b>	<b>25</b> <b>Garbage Pick-Up:</b> <b>9:30 am</b>	<b>26</b>  <b>Drama: 6:00 pm</b> <b>Skating &amp; Curling:</b> <b>7 pm—9 pm</b>	<b>27</b> <b>CFAN MEGA</b> <b>DRAW</b> <b>Pitter Patter:</b> <b>5:00 pm</b> <b>Seniors Supper</b>	<b>28</b>  <b>Skating Club</b> <b>5—7 pm</b> <b>Skating: 7 -9 pm</b>	<b>29</b>