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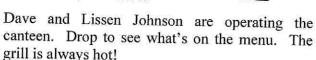
942 BURWASH LANDING KANATA, ON **K2W 0C8**

Langruth Skating Rink Skating Passes & Ice Rental

Day Pass: \$3.00

Individual Season Pass: \$45.00 Family Season Pass: \$80.00

Ice Rental: \$55.00/hour





Monday: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Wednesday: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Thursday: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Friday: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Saturday: 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Sunday: 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm5:30 pm - 7:00 pm

> (Sunday 5:30 Public Skating sponsored by the Metis Federation; Hockey Sticks permitted)

** Skating fees must be paid prior to skating. **All skaters under the age of 12 are required to wear a helmet.

Thank-you to Jim Rinn \$ everyone who volunteered to help put the ice in.



Langruth Skating Club Activities

Friday: 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Langruth Skating Club has organized activities for children to improve their basic skating skills and physical fitness.

Contact Michelle Teichroeb at 204-445-2319 or Lana Armstrong at 204-445-2382 for more information and fees.

Poker Derby

Hosted by the Langruth Elementary School Parent Advisory Council

Saturday, March

Rider Registration: 11 AM - 2 PM Non-Rider Registration: 11 AM – 4 PM

Langruth Skating Rink All riders back to the rink by 5 PM

EVERYONE WELCOME!

\$5.00 Per Hand or 3 for \$10.00

Prizes:

1st Place - 25%

2nd Place - 15%

3rd Place - 10%

OF ENTRY FEE



Canteen available at the Skating Rink

All proceeds towards the Langruth Elementary School Playground Fund.

** Not liable for injury or accident to drivers, passengers or machines **



Pancake Supper & Talent Auction

Monday March 3, 2013 Langruth Community Hall

(Please note the change in day)

Auction to follow pancake supper.

Hosted by:

Grace Lutheran & Langruth United Churches

Group leaders will be calling for donations. Thank-you for donating to our local churches.

Grace Lutheran Church

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

Feb 9: Service of the Word

Feb 23: Liturgical Communion Service

Next Council meeting: TBA

Langruth United Church

Service at 11:30 AM unless otherwise stated.

Feb 2: Service conducted by local laity.

Feb 9: Service conducted by Jim Warburton.

Feb 16: Service conducted by Rita Friesen.

Feb 23: Service conducted by local laity.

Mar 2: Service conducted by local laity.

Catholic Church News

Amaranth Catholic Church

Sunday Mass at 10:30AM unless otherwise stated.

Alonsa Catholic Church

Saturday Afternoon Mass at 4:00 PM unless otherwise stated.

Sandy Bay Catholic Church

Sunday Mass at 12:30PM unless otherwise stated.

Amaranth Gospel Mission

Service at 11:00 AM unless otherwise stated.

Langruth Fall Fair

This year is the 60th Anniversary of the Langruth Fall Fair. For anyone new to our area, the Fall Fair is a baking, horticulture, crafts and handiwork show. We welcome new people to get involved and enjoy being part of a fun day.

To celebrate the 60th anniversary, the fair committee would like to have a new logo and is asking for submissions from the community. The new logo will be featured on the front cover of the Fair booklet and on all correspondence. Here is your chance to be creative and design a new fair logo. The logo can be done in any medium, hand drawn or computer generated. Forward a copy of your logo to the fair committee before February 25th. Please mail to: Fall Fair, Box 96 Langruth. MB R0H-0N0 or e-mail ammajonasson@gmail.com. Thank you in advance for your submissions and good luck on having your logo chosen for this special anniversary year.

The fair committee is also looking for new ideas for entries (classes or categories) and for fall fair pictures from earlier years to display at the fair for the 60th anniversary. Do you have pictures of you and/or your children receiving ribbons or awards at the fair? Why not dig them out so they can be put on display at the fair in August. Feel free to call Lynne at 204-445-2254 or Tamara at 204-445-2141 if you have any ideas for entries or have pictures that the fair committee can borrow.

Gladstone Speech Arts Festival

February 25th, 2014 Gladstone Elementary School 9:00 am & 1:00 pm

This is a great opportunity to hear local students present their choral speeches, poems, prose readings, and public speeches.



Best of luck to all the participants!

Programs will be available at the Gladstone Town Office soon.

Fifty and Beyond News

The Langruth Seniors held their monthly business meeting on January 7th with six members present. Harry welcomed everyone to our meeting and wished us all a good year.

We had a very good turnout at our Christmas Party and Dinner and we hope that this will continue throughout the year. It was held in the larger Legion side of the building which gave us lots of room. There were about 35 for supper. Our dinner coincided with a municipal meeting and they joined us for dinner as well.

At our January business meeting, Rena our Cheer person reported that she sent out one birthday card for the month. We also planned our menu for the January 23rd supper. Unfortunately this supper had to be cancelled due to the weather. As we all know this isn't new for this year. So many things have had to be cancelled on the account of the weather and being snowed in.

In January one of our members, Paul Oswald, had his 90th birthday. His family put on a very nice luncheon for him at the Grace Lutheran Church. Many people attended even though the weather was not very good. It was a very enjoyable day and we wish Paul many happy returns.

Our next business meeting will be on February 4th and we will decide on the menu for the February supper.

Hope everyone had a good Christmas. Happy New Year to everyone. We hope to see all our members on February 4th.

Teri

Thank You

Kinosota Trail Game and Fish would like to thank all the local people and businesses who donated to our annual banquet. Their generous donations made our night a great success.

Thank you very much for your support.

Cecil Robertshaw President

Langruth Fire Department 2014 Fundraisers

50 inch LG Plasma TV Raffle

Tickets: \$5.00 each Only 1000 tickets printed. Draw Date: March 17, 2014

50/50 Draws

Tickets: \$2.00 each

5 Draws in 2014

February 17, 2014 April 21, 2014 June 16, 2014 August 18, 2014 October 20, 2014

Contact any member of the Lakeview Fire Department for tickets and/or more information.

Proceeds towards new fire equipment and a contribution to the Yvonne Robertshaw Trust Fund.

A Trust Fund in Yvonne's name has been started to assist with travel expenses to Germany for back surgery that is not available in Canada.

Donations can also be forwarded to:

Lakeview Fire Department Box 100

Langruth, MB R0H 0N0
Tax receipts available

Louis Riel Day - February 17th, 2014

http://www.timeanddate.com/holidays/canada/louis-riel-day

Louis Riel Day commemorates the life of Louis Riel, a politician who represented the Métis people of the Canadian prairies. Métis people have their own culture, language and heritage. The area, which was their ancestral homeland, is now in the Canadian provinces of Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia and the Northwest Territories and parts of the north-west of the United States. Louis Riel was also a founder of the Manitoba province and a Canadian politician.

Thank You

Thank you to everyone who phoned, sent cards and helped us through this difficult time.

Your thoughtfulness is very much appreciated.

Allison, Dallas & Dawson Moman

Jim & Donna Stanley

Nature Notes

From Raymond O'Connor



European Starling

This chunky European species was introduced to North America in 1890 in New York City's Central Park and has become so well established that large flocks have in some cases become a nuisance, roosting in cities and towns from coast to coast in Canada and the USA and to the tree line.

Tenacious in nature, this bird competes with native species such as woodpeckers, flycatchers, and blue birds for nesting holes. This bird's winter plumage shows white specks and its yellow bill becomes a dull gray. Juveniles are sooty gray-brown overall with pale streaking on the under parts and a dull brown bill.

The European Starling sings various trilling melodies, clear whistles, clatters and twitters in groups. It imitates songs of other birds including Eastern Wood-pewee and Northern bobwhite, as well as mechanical sounds. The singing male often stands erect and flaps wings vigorously in display.

This bird is solitary or in pairs during breeding season. Juveniles form foraging flocks. They are gregarious after breeding season, forming flocks with juveniles for foraging roosting. It joins other species in winter roosts, which may number more than a million birds.

The European Starling most often feeds in open areas, primarily on the ground. It eats various insects, fruits and grain. The muscles that open its bill are stronger than those that close it. This is a unique trait that allows this bird to insert its bill in vegetation or into the ground and then pry it open to reveal food.

The nest is made of grass, twigs, forbs, rootlets, and straw, in a natural hollow of a tree, bird boxes or abandoned woodpecker holes 3-8 meters above the ground. The nest is built by both sexes.

Incubation is 12-14 days by both sexes, but the female does more. The young are brooded by the female. They stay in the nest for 18 - 21 days. They are fed by both sexes. The first flight is at about 26 days. Two to three broods are produced per year.

Canadian and U.S. laws do not protect nongame, non-native species.

MJ STOP & SHOP

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Slushies, All Beef Hot Dogs, Smokies, Tostitos, Popcorn, Nachos, Crafts, Giftware & Watkins

> Monday: 10:00 am —6:00 pm Tuesday: 8:00 am—6:00 pm

Wednesday: 8:00 am—6:00 pm **Thursday**: 8:00 am—6:00 pm

Friday: 8:00 am—7:30 pm

Saturday: 8:00 am—6:00 pm

Sunday: CLOSED

201 Main Street Langruth

Phone: 204-445-2250

Icelandic Sheep Come to Big Point

The Jonasson family are now the proud owners of a pair of Icelandic sheep.

Ted read an article in the paper about Icelandic sheep and contacted the folks in the Interlake. After waiting over a year they were able to purchase a ram and a ewe from two different locations around Frazerwood. Thor (the ram) is a brown color with a hint of red and Mary (the ewe) is white with black markings. They both have horns.



The sheep are prized for their wool which in its natural colours is used in the making of the beautiful Icelandic sweater.

Icelandic sheep are descended from the Northern European short tail breeds and were brought to Iceland by the Vikings in the middle ages. The vigour, hardiness and variety of uses for these sheep made them a cornerstone of the Viking settlement and later development of Icelandic culture. The first importation into Canada occurred in 1985. Genetically the Icelandic sheep is the same today as it was 1100 years ago. It is possibly the oldest and purest domesticated breed of sheep in the world today.

The Icelandic sheep are of medium size with mature ewes weighing 150-160 lbs. and rams 200-220 lbs. They are fine boned with open face and legs and udders. The breed has both polled and horned individual of both sexes but it is primarily horned. Icelandic sheep are not particularly tall but broad and have an excellent

conformation as a meat breed. They are early maturing and the ewes can easily lamb at 12 months of age. Ram lambs can start breeding around seven months old. Life expectancy is long, healthy ewes commonly lambing until they are 12 to 14 years old in Iceland. The wool is dual coated and comes in many natural colors, even though the white color is most common.



Bill and Karen Jackson Along with Big Brother Reid Are thrilled to announce the arrival of

Jayden Blaine Jackson

December 29, 2013 5 lbs 12 ozs 18 ½ inches

> Proud Parents are Tyler and Jen



Kinosota Trail Game & Fish News

2014 FAMILY FUN DAY

Due to the condition of Lake Manitoba and the lack of fish, Kinosota Trail Game and Fish directors have decided not to have their annual Fun Day (Fish Derby) this year. We hope to return to having one as soon as things improve.

2013 Banquet Results

Deer Head:

1st Typical: Dana Gardiner (138)

2nd Typical: Curtis Knox

Non-Typical: Curtis Knox (169 3/8)

Most Even 5 Point: Dana Gardiner (9 3/8) Most Even 4 point: Philip Kelemen (2 1/8)

Ken Callander (2 1/8)

Junior 1st: Joel Wiebe (122 4/8)

Joe Lasson Memorial Award: Joel Wiebe



Fowl:

1st Goose: Dustin Poschenrieder (13.4 lbs) Junior Goose: Eric Sigurdson (12.2 lbs)

Fish:

1st Perch: Jim Bohm (11.4 in)

1st Pickerel: Dustin Poschenrieder (29 ½ in)

1st Jack: Dustin Poschenrieder (40 ½ in)

Junior Perch: Declan Poschenreider (33 cm) Junior Pike: Declan Poschenreider (27 in)

Junior Pickerel: Theron Poschenreider (27 in)

Other Draws:

Gun Draw: Kory Jonasson

Hunter Education Draw: Laura Reimer

Rainbow Auction Winners:

- 1) Bill Jackson
- 3) David Lee 5) Harley Arksey
- 7) Roger Leclerc
- 9) Pelican 11) Charlie Rinn
- 13) Harley Arksey
- 15) Lakeland Slim
- 17) Violet Jackson
- 19) Harold Behrendt
- Rhonda Arnason
- 23) David Lee
- 25) Dana Gardiner
- 27) Roger Leclerc Violet Jackson

- 2) Bruce Gardiner
- 4) Yvonne Robertshaw
- 6) Paul Oswald
- 8) Richard Callander
- 10) Roger Leclerc
- 12) Isaac Wiebe
- 14) Heather Manns
- 16) Velma Vereb
- 18) Eric Jones
- 20) Rhonda Arnason
- 22) Tyler Douglas
- 24) Amy Wiebe
- 26) Richard Callander
- 28) Declan Poschenrieder

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News From Here, There and Anywhere

Reporter Teri Soos

Happy New Year to everyone! I hope everyone had a good Christmas and a lovely new year. Let us hope this year brings better weather. Until now it has been very trying.

We have had so much snow, apparently more snow than we've had for a number of years, and we are just finished January. All that snow seems to bring along the wind. There have been times that I can't even see across the street. People in the country have also told me that there have been times when they could only see a few feet in front of themselves and didn't know where they were. The highways have been closed a number of times this winter. I have a standing job for Paul Oswald. He plows my driveway and it seems like he has been here every other day. The snow banks around my yard are getting rather high. I don't know how we are going to handle any more snow.

We also had an anomaly in our area this year. If you can imagine, we had thunder and lightning in January. Apparently this has happened only 3 or 4 times in the last 100 years. When a very warm day is followed by a very cold day, the conditions can apparently be right for thunder and lightning. I am told that around Portage the hydro was out because of this storm. We certainly cannot have the hydro out for too long during the winter.

I hear that the first flood report was given a few weeks ago. According to the report things are right on schedule, we have normal amounts of snow and there shouldn't be too much flooding. I wonder if they checked our area. When the snow melts there is going to be lots of water. I'm hoping that they are right and we won't see flooding this spring. Maybe they are forecasting that we won't get any more snow. Wouldn't that be nice? Let's keep our fingers crossed.

I hope that everyone was able to do all the Christmas visiting with family and friends that you had planned. I know that some people had quite a few visitors. For instance, the Thordarsons had Phyllis's sister Gail, her husband Kevin, and daughters Sarah and Mary visiting from Winnipeg over Christmas Eve until the 27th,

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Phyllis and Philip's son, Roddy, was home from Alberta. Theresa, their daughter from Winnipeg visited on Christmas day and through the holidays. Their daughter Heather and her husband Tyler from Banff arrived at the farm on Dec. 30th and left on Jan. 2nd. Heather and Tyler were able to visit with family and friends in Brandon as well.

Ralph and Emily Thompson had guests over the Christmas holidays as well. Their son Doug and his wife Leanne and their family were here from Winnipeg. They also had their son Barry home from Winnipeg.

I hear the Egilson family also had a busy Christmas. Kris who now lives on the farm was visited by his parents, Joanne and David from Winkler. Brothers Kelly, Alan and sister Jayme were also home. Joanne's mother, Georgina Watson, was here from B.C. to visit with Joanne and her family and Gary Hill and his family. All of Gary's family made it home for the holidays as well so it sounds like it was quite a gathering.

Apparently Isaac and Erna Wiebe had a very enjoyable time with visitors as well. At Christmas their daughter Valerie and her husband Clarence and family visited from North Dakota, and Eldon and his family from MacGregor were also home. From January 9th to 12th their grandson Miles and his family from Red Lake, Ontario, and his mother Valerie, from North Dakota visited. Eldon and family also visited. During this time they also had Erna's sister and her husband from Carmen and Erna's brother and his wife from Dauphin. They certainly had a busy time with lots of visitors.

Roger Leclerc and Brigit Krysko had a very lovely wedding ceremony at the Grace Lutheran on Christmas Eve. Most of Roger's family were in attendance. Roger's daughter Melodie Bissell and her husband Chris and their daughter Kairi were here from Edmonton. Roger's son Scott and his wife Crystal, son Isaiah and daughter Rebecca were here from Medicine Hat, Alberta. The Egilson trio, Kelly on piano, Chris and Jayme on violins, played before the wedding and while the family of the groom came down the aisle. Philip Thordarson played the organ as the bride and

groom came down the aisle and for the signing of the register. Philip, Kris and Jayme played the recessional. A lovely reception followed in the Lutheran church basement. It was truly an eventful day for the Leclerc family, not just a wedding, but a new grandson! Roger's son Ward and partner Sandra could not attend the wedding as she was having a baby. They have named him Liam. Ward and Sandra live at Stonewall. Congratulations to Roger and Brigit on their marriage and to Ward and Sandra on their new baby. We wish them well in the coming years.

While we are sending out congratulations, Paul Oswald celebrated his 90th birthday in January. His family put on a very nice tea and luncheon for him in the Grace Lutheran Church basement. Although the weather wasn't the best, the celebration was well attended. All of Paul and Betty's children were able to attend. Carol was here from Winnipeg. Their son Cam also from Winnipeg attended. Lyle and his wife Bella, and her daughter were here from St. François Xavier. Bella's mother came with them as well. Brent and his wife came from Portage as did Carol's daughter Tara and husband and new baby. Paul's youngest sister and her son who live in Winnipeg also joined in the celebration. There were a number of relatives along with local friends and family helping Paul celebrate his 90th birthday. We certainly wish Paul many happy returns of the Also, to anyone and everyone that has celebrated birthdays and anniversaries in January we send our best wishes.

We send good wishes to anyone having birthdays in February. I know there are some from our Seniors Club. Tony Czeranko and Isaac Wiebe both celebrate their birthdays on February 14th, Valentine's Day. My sister, Julia Kelemen also has a birthday in February.

On the subject of amalgamation, I understand that we are amalgamating with the R.M. of Westbourne and the Town of Gladstone and our municipality will be called Westlake Gladstone. There will be three wards. The east ward will be the area east and north of highway 34 including Langruth and Westbourne. The west ward will be the area west of highway 34 including Plumas. The central ward will consist of the area of the

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town of Gladstone. There will be ten members on the council, three from each ward and one person to oversee everything. Councillors will be elected at large in their ward. There will be elections in the fall and the new council will start operating in January of 2015. Much is yet to be decided but it is all moving forward.

I have also been told that we will be having a mobile health unit coming to our area. The mobile health unit will be a large bus converted to a clinic which will eventually be set up with lab and x-ray. It will be coming to Langruth once a week and be staffed by nurse practitioners. The nurse practitioners, although not doctors, will be able to prescribe medication if needed. The mobile health unit will also be able to connect to the internet while on site which will be the south side of the Langruth Community Hall.

On a sad note I have to report on the death of Russell Carriere. Russell was a former resident of Amaranth and brother of Bud Carriere who used to live in Langruth but now lives in Portage. Russell had also been living in Portage. We send our deepest sympathy to all of Russell's family and to Bud and Rose. I also heard of the death of Gaylene Stott, the daughter of Jack Parsons of Amaranth. Her brother Jim and wife Sharon live in MacGregor and her brother Bob lives in the Amaranth area. Bob is one of our school bus drivers. We also want to send our sympathy to Robert and Elizabeth Emberly on the death of her mother, Hazel Ferguson. She of course, was well known in the Langruth area because she came to Langruth often while Robert and Elizabeth lived

Congratulations to Amaranth on the successful Amateur Talent Night held there on January 11th. They were able to raise a fair amount of money for their local projects such as the Community Hall and Curling Rink. They had quite a few entries and it was very well attended.

That is all for this time. I am hoping that our weather will get a little better but from what I see we might be getting another snowfall.

See you next month, Teri.

Langruth Library News Reading Bingo Challenge

Would you like to challenge yourself to read more in the coming year? Why not take the 2014 Reading Bingo Challenge. Broaden your reading, discover new genres and have fun reading with 15 different reading challenges. Each filled bingo card will be eligible for a draw. Drop into the Langruth Library for your 2014 Reading Bingo card today. Follow the parklandlibstaffpicks.wordpress.com blog for a wide variety of book recommendations and the Langruth Views for new book listings. Good luck!

On the Same Page Program

http://www.onthesamepage.ca

On the Same Page is a province-wide reading initiative that encourages all Manitobans to read and talk about the same book at the same time. The program highlights and promotes Manitoba writers. The shared experience of reading the same book brings readers together to discuss themes identified in the novel.

The current book selection is *The Lucky Ones:* African Refugees' Stories of Extraordinary Courage by Anne Mahon. In this compelling collection, African refugees tell us, in their own words, how their lives were ripped apart and what they had to do to build new ones. This featured title is available at the Langruth Library. Borrow a copy and join Manitoba's biggest book club.

Manitoba In Motion

http://www.manitobainmotion.ca

In Motion is a provincial strategy to help all Manitobans make physical activity part of their daily lives for health and enjoyment. The provincial government has joined with community partners to promote physical activity and raise activity levels.

In Motion, Walking Workout Kits are available at the Langruth Library. Walking is an economical, easy way to be active and it provides many health and fitness benefits. Start walking your way to health with a Walking Workout Kit from the Langruth Library.

PARKLAND REGIONAL LIBRARY NEW LARGE PRINT BOOKS

AUTHOR	TITLE	DESCRIPTON
Allen, Sarah Addison	The peach keeper	Domestic fiction
Baker, Jo	Longbourn	Domestic fiction
Beaton, M.C.	Death of yesterday	Mystery fiction
Brockmann, Suzanne	Hot pursuit	Romantic suspense
Busbee, Shirlee	Surrender becomes her	Love stories
Child, Lee	Never go back	Suspense fiction
Cussler, Clive	The Mayan secrets	Suspense fiction
Cussler, Clive	Mirage	Suspense fiction
Evanovich, Janet	Takedown twenty	Mystery fiction
Fowler, Earlene	Spider web	Mystery fiction
Frantz, Laura	Love's reckoning	Christian fiction / Romance
Guthrie, Woody	House of earth	Fiction
Macomber, Debbie	Summer on Blossom Street	Women's fiction
Munro, Alice	Dear life	Canadian fiction / short stories
Reid, Ruth	The promise of an angel	Christian fiction
Sparks, Nicholas	The longest ride	Love stories
Thompson, Janice	It had to be you	Christian fiction / Love stories
White, Karen	The strangers on Montagu Street	Love stories

NEW NON FICTION BOOKS

Allyn, John	47 Ronin	Historical fiction
Benison, C.C.	Ten lords a-leaping	Mystery fiction
Beukes, Lauren	The shining girls	Suspense/paranormal fiction
Brown, Rita Mae	The litter of the law	Mystery fiction
Cabot, Meg	The bride wore size 12	Mystery fiction
Carlson, Melody	A dream for tomorrow	Historical Christian fiction
Carlson, Melody	A home at trail's end	Historical Christian fiction
Chamberlain, Diane	Necessary lies	Fiction
Child, Lee	Never go back	Suspense fiction
Clancy, Tom	Command authority	Suspense fiction
Clipston, Amy	A hopeful heart	Romantic Christian fiction
Connelly, Michael	The gods of guilt	Suspense fiction
DeYoung	Shorecliff	Fiction
Day, Sylvia	Spellbound	Erotic fiction (short stories)
Doughty, Louise	Apple Tree Yard	Suspense fiction
Emery, Anne	Blood on a saint	Mystery fiction
Faulks, Sebastian	Jeeves and the wedding bells	Humorous fiction
Franck, Julia	Back to back	Fiction
Gutcheon, Beth	Gossip	Fiction
Hedlund, Jody	Rebellious heart	Historical Christian fiction
Hwang, Sun-Mi	The hen who dreamed she could fly	Fiction
Ironmonger, J.W.	The coincidence authority	Fiction
Kalla, Daniel	Rising sun, falling shadow	Historical fiction
Kenyon, Sherrilyn	Styxx	Fantasy fiction

Langruth Elementary School News

Upcoming Events

Feb 2: Books & Breakfast Feb 7: Assembly at 1:00 PM

Feb 10: Preschool Party at 10:30 AM

Feb 14: Skating Party

Feb 17: Louis Riel Day – No School Feb 19: Divisional Curling in Plumas

Feb 25: Speech Arts Festival in Gladstone

Words of Wisdom from the Principal

We will be celebrating the love of books this month as February is 'I Love to Read Month'. Activities are being planned at the school starting with Books, Breakfast, and Pajama Day on Monday. All students and staff are invited to enjoy a breakfast of pancakes and sausages followed by some reading time. To make things a bit more fun, everyone can come dressed in their pajamas! Activities are being planned around a Winter Olympic theme and all of the students have the opportunity to *Go for the Gold*.

Pine Creek School Division has updated the Divisional Website. You can see the new look at www.pinecreeksd.mb.ca. Soon, all the schools will be migrated to a new website. You will soon need to update your saved link. Our new address will be www.langruth.pinecreeksd.mb.ca. The old website will forward you to the new address for a short time. This change will take place early in February.

There will be a School Assembly on Friday, February 7th at 1:00 pm. There will be some student performances and awards handed out at this time. Everyone is welcome to attend. There will be a skating party on Friday, February 14th followed by a hamburger lunch. Lunch is being organized by the Langruth Parent Advisory Council (PAC) and proceeds will go towards playground fundraising. PAC meetings are open to the public and everyone is welcome to be part of the committee.

Mr. Tim Klein LES Principal

LES Skating Program

Skating continues to part of the Phys. Ed. Program at Langruth Elementary School. All students are given the opportunity to skate and this is something that students look forward to.

If you have skates and/or helmets that you can lend the school for the skating season please call the school or drop the equipment off at the school. Your skates and/or helmets can easily be returned to you at the end of the season if they are labelled with your name. Thank you.

February is 'I Love to Read Month'

'I Love to Read Month' activities will begin on February 3rd. This year's theme is *Go for the Gold! Be a Champion Reader*. With fun activities Langruth students will have the chance to be champion readers.

During 'I Love to Read Month' guest readers are invited to come and read in the classrooms. If you are interested in being a guest reader please contact Mrs. Kennedy at 204-445-2001 to arrange a time. The students always enjoy having guest readers from the community.

PARENTS OF PRESCHOOLERS YOU'RE INVITED TO A



PRESCHOOL PARTY

DATE: February 10th, 2014 TIME: 10:30 - 11:30 AM WHERE: Langruth School

Please join us with your preschool children. Refreshments and free books will be provided. Call the school if interested.

Kindergarten Registration for the 2014 Fall Term

Kindergarten Registration for the 2014-2015 school year will take place on February 24th to February 28th at Langruth Elementary School. To be eligible to enroll for Kindergarten for September 2014 your child must turn 5 years old by December 31, 2014. Please remember to bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and Manitoba Health number when you come to register. If you have any questions feel free to contact the school at any time. We look forward to meeting you!!



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for March Issue Langruth Views Feb. 21st, 2014

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Langruth Elementary Parent Advisory Council Playground Fund

The Langruth Elementary School Parent Advisory Council recognizes that outdoor play is an important part of a child's daily school routine and feels that it is important to provide children with an engaging, safe, and long-lasting playground. Thank you to everyone who has supported the various PAC fundraisers. generous donations are helping us reach our goal. The Cash Raffle held in December was one of our most successful fundraisers. A profit of just over \$1300.00 was added to the Playground Fund.

If your business or community organization would like to make a contribution to the Langruth Elementary School Playground Fund please contact the school at 204-445-2001. contributions are greatly appreciated.

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Community Reporter: Teri 445-2275 terrysoos@hotmail.com

Editor and Subscriptions: Phyllis 445-2323 or 445-2236 thordarsonhealth@gmail.com

Langruth Community Calendar February 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Post Office Regular Monday: 9:00 am— Tuesday: 9:00 pm— Wednesday: 9:00 pm— Thursday: 9:00 pm— Friday: 9:00 pm—2:	5:00 pm 2:30 pm 1—2:30 pm -2:30 pm	Mond Wedn Frida	e Disposal Grounds/E. ay: 10:00 am—12:00 esday: 2:00 pm—6:00 y: 2:00 pm—6:00 pm day: 9:00 am—12:00 i	J Novan		
2 Lutheran: No Service United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	3	4 Seniors Meeting	5	6	7 LES Assembly: 1:00 pm	8
9 Lutheran: 10:30 am Congregational Mtg. United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	10 LES Preschool Party: 10:30 am	H	12	13 RM Council Meeting	Valentine's Day LES Skating Party	15
2 Lutheran: No Service United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	Lois Riel Day NO SCHOOL Fire Dept. Meeting; 7:30 pm 50-50 Draw	18	19	20	21 Langruth Views Submission Deadline	22
23 Lutheran: 10:30 am Congregational Mtg. United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	24	25 Gladstone Speech Arts Festival	26	27 Seniors Supper	28	March 1: Poker Derby