

# Langruth Views

## May 2014



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Langruth Dessert Theatre

### **The Highway 50 Players**

Present

## The **VILLAIN** Wore a Dirty Shirt

Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at 7:00 pm  
Langruth Community Hall

Admission:

\$20/Adult

\$10/Child (12 & under)

*Family Entertainment*

*Sponsored by:*

*Langruth Elem. School Parent Advisory Council  
Proceeds towards to the LES Playground Fund*

Tickets available at the Langruth Post Office,  
Langruth Elementary School  
or contact

Shelia at 445-2228, Candace at 445-2475 or  
Michelle at 445-2319

### **Gladstone Music & Arts Festival**

Highlights Concert

Sunday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014

2:00 pm

Gladstone United Church

*Silver Collection at the Door*



### **UCW Mother's Day Tea**

Saturday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at 2:00 pm  
Langruth Community Hall

- Bake Table
- Plant Table
- Refreshments

**Everyone Welcome**

Mothers hold their children's hands for a short  
while, but their hearts forever.

### **Dog and Cat Rabies/ Distemper Clinic**



The Gladstone Veterinary Clinic will  
be holding a Rabies and Distemper  
Clinic at the RM Lakeview Fire Hall  
on **May 14<sup>th</sup> from 7 - 8 p.m.**

Heartworm, de-worming medication and flea and  
tick medications will also be available. Cash  
payment only.

### **Langruth Elementary School**

#### **Spring Concert**



May 29<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm

Langruth Elementary School

**Everyone Welcome**



## Church News

### Grace Lutheran Church

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

*Supply Pastor Phyllis Thordarson 445-2323*

**May 11:** Special Mother's Day Service

**May 25:** Liturgical Communion Service

**Next Council meeting:** TBA

**Confirmation Classes:** TBA

### Langruth United Church

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

**May 4:** Service conducted by local laity.

**May 11:** Service conducted by Jim Warburton.

**May 18:** Service conducted by Dan Jardine.

**May 25:** Service conducted by local laity.

**June 1:** Service conducted by local laity.

### Catholic Church News

#### Amaranth Catholic Church

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

#### Alonsa Catholic Church

*Sunday Mass at 9:00 AM 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 Vacation Bible School

The Annual Langruth Vacation Bible School will be held at the Grace Lutheran Church from **August 4<sup>th</sup> to August 8<sup>th</sup>**. Children aged 3 and up are welcome to attend.

There will be awesome activities, cool crafts, great music and lots of neat things to do. Please contact Ann Craik at 204-445-2349 or Michelle Teichroeb at 204-445-2319 for more information.



### Wedding Social In Honour Of **Barry Arksey and Brenda Curry**

**Saturday, May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2014**

**3:00 PM – 10:00 PM**

**Langruth Community Hall**

Barbeque at 6:00 PM -- Silent Auction



*Tickets and Committee Envelope at  
Langruth Post Office.*

### Bridal Shower In Honour Of

**Clorissa Mauthe**  
*Bride-elect of Kris Egilson*

**Saturday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

**2:00 PM**

**Plumas Community Hall**

### Wedding Social In Honour Of **Kris Egilson & Clorissa Mauthe**

**Saturday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

**8:00 PM – 1:00 AM**

**Plumas Community Hall**

Silent Auction -- Late Lunch



*Tickets available at Langruth Post Office*

### Langruth Fall Fair

The 2014 Langruth Fall Fair Books (Baking, Flower, & Craft Show) are available at the Langruth Post Office. Pick one up and see which classes you would like to enter. The Fall Fair will be on **August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2014**. The committee is looking forward to celebrating the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Langruth Fall Fair with you. Mark your calendars!

## Kinosota Trail Game & Fish News

### Manitoba Hunter Education & Canadian Firearms Courses

A Manitoba Hunter Education & Canadian Firearms Safety Course was held at the Portage Mall on April 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>. These courses were well attended with 16 people completing the Manitoba Hunter Education Course and 14 people completing the Canadian Firearms Safety Course. There were 2 people who also completed the portion of the Canadian Firearms Safety Course for Restricted Firearms.

If you are interested in attending either of these two courses please contact:

**Cecil at 204-871-8102 or  
Kory at 204-445-2141**

There has been some interest in running these courses again and they will be offered if a sufficient number people sign up.

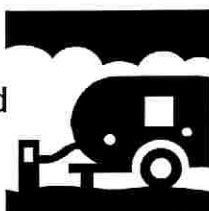
### Kinosota Trail Game & Fish Association 2014 Spring Draw Winners

- **Madison Kennedy – Fishing Rod**
- **Les Foxon – Fishing Rod**
- **Brian Eiriksson – Fishing Net**
- **Frank Mangin – Fishing Net**

**Thank-you for your support!**

## Einarson Park Campground

Einarson Park Campground is situated within the Town of Langruth. The campground accommodates both RVs and tents and has a number of sites with electrical hook ups.



**All camping to be reserved and paid for at the  
RM Office - 204- 445-2243**

## Fifty and Beyond News

The Langruth Seniors held their monthly business meeting on April 1<sup>st</sup>. Eight members were present. Harry opened the meeting and welcomed everyone.

Rena reported in her Cheer Report that she sent out 3 Birthday cards, 1 Sympathy card and 1 Get Well card this month.

We held our yearly election of officers at our April meeting and the officers will remain the same as last year. Harry Lazor is Chairman, Teri Soos is Secretary, Emily Thompson is Treasurer, and Rena Arksey is Cheer.

We have been using the larger Legion Club Rooms for our monthly suppers and this seems to have worked well as we have had more room for everyone. We were missing a stove but we were able to make do without one. Our last Monthly Supper was on April 24<sup>th</sup>. We had a smaller turn out but the weather was not great that day. Word has recently been received that the Legion Building has been sold. Our club has not, as of yet, been in contact with the new owner regarding what is planned for the building and if we will be able to continue to use it. Watch for further information as to when and where the Seniors Business Meetings and Monthly suppers will be held.

Eight members went to Plumas for the Central Plains Meeting on April 10<sup>th</sup>. It was a good day all around. We were able to meet up with members of other clubs which is always enjoyable. Five members attended the Northwest Region Meeting in Gladstone on April 28<sup>th</sup>. The meeting was well attended and we all had a good time.

That is all for now. Until next time, take care and talk to you soon,

Teri

### All-Around-Town Yard Sale

Watch for notice of Langruth's  
All-Around Town Yard Sale

*Don't miss the great yard  
sales in and around Langruth.*



## Gladstone Music & Arts Festival

Congratulations to all the participants at the 2014 Gladstone Music & Arts Festival.

On April 15<sup>th</sup>, Langruth Grade 8 students, Samantha Brown, Kiersten Sanderson and Sonya Strocen played with the Gladstone-Plumas-Langruth Junior Band at the Band Sessions. The band had the opportunity to work with adjudicator Janice Finlay, an award-winning educator who has maintained an active teaching practice since 1978. Samantha, Kiersten and Sonya, along with Audrey Morrison, also won 1<sup>st</sup> Place Medallions in the Mixed Instruments Chamber Group Class.

The Choral/Vocal Sessions were held on April 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> with Trish Reimer adjudicating. Trish Reimer teaches voice at the Manitoba Conservatory of Music and Arts in Winnipeg as well as teaches piano and voice in her home. The Piano/Violin Sessions were held on April 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> with Sharon Rogers adjudicating. Sharon Rogers teaches Vocal Repertoire and Aural Skills classes at Brandon University's School of Music and maintains a busy studio of piano and vocal students at the Eckhardt-Gramatté Conservatory.

Grade 1 to 6 students from Langruth sang in the School Chorus Class. They performed *I Need a Home for My Dinosaur* and *Land of the Silver Birch*. Doris Sigurdson's music students participated in the Vocal and Piano Sessions. Her students that performed are Regan Teichroeb, Jackie Houle, Sera Walker, Taylor Kennedy, Erin Sanderson, Madison Teichroeb, Karyss-Leigh Beaulieu, Chris Armstrong, Sydney Strocen, and Sonya Strocen. The Sunshine Girls once again won the hearts of the audience. Their vocal performance this year was Bibbidi Bobbidi Boo from Cinderella. Highlights from the solo performances include:

- **Foxon Agencies Award** (Vocal Solo, Popular, 12 & Under) won by Karyss-Leigh Beaulieu.
- **Carol McCrae Memorial Cup** (Vocal Solo, 14 & Under) won by Sonya Strocen.
- **Violet Helgason Award** (Piano Solo, Beginner, 9 & Over) won by Madison Teichroeb.
- **2<sup>nd</sup> Place Medallion** (Piano Solo, Popular, Beginner to Grade 2) won by Madison Teichroeb.

## Nature Notes

From Raymond O'Connor

### Mourning Dove



A familiar sight across southern Canada, this dove can be distinguished from similar species by its long pointed tail bordered by large white tips on all feathers but the four innermost.

Males aggressively defend their territory. After breeding season, doves gather to roost in sheltered groves. According to some research, Mourning Doves may pair for life.

Like other pigeons and doves, they drink by sucking up water instead of lifting their heads to swallow.

The nest, built by the female, is a flimsy platform built with twigs and sticks gathered by the male. It is 2 – 15 m off the ground in a tree or shrub. Some lay their eggs in abandoned nests of songbirds.

Incubation is about 14 days by both sexes. "Pigeon's Milk" is produced in the parent's crop and is regurgitated with seeds held in the same organ to feed the young. The Mourning Dove has 3-4 broods per year.

The Mourning Dove is common and increasing in population. They have adapted well to habitat changes by humans.

## Thank-You

Thank-you very much for the  
cards and phone calls with  
messages of sympathy we  
received after the recent passing  
of my dear sister  
Roberta Topping (McCartney).

*Thanks again,  
Ola and Tony Czeranko*

## Bear Smart: A Pro-Active Approach

Source: Manitoba Conservation, Wildlife and Ecosystem Protection Branch

Bears have been spotted in the Langruth area. The RCMP and Natural Resources have been contacted and are aware of the bear's close proximity to the town of Langruth. As bears come out of hibernation we must learn how to co-exist with bears. Much of a bear's behaviour is governed by its search for food. If a bear learns to associate humans with high quality foods like garbage and bird feed, they will overcome their natural tendency to avoid humans. To a bear, the reward of access to these foods outweighs any associated risks. When a bear discovers they can frighten people off and that there is little resistance to their actions, they can become bold in their search for food.

**Bear Smart** is an approach that individuals and communities can adopt to help coexist with bears. Learning what bears are attracted to and how to prevent them from becoming dependent on human food will help individuals and communities co-exist with bears.

### What can you do?

- Never approach or feed a bear.
- Put your out garbage just before pick-up. Do not put garbage out the night before.
- Put your garbage in a secured building or fenced area and seal it such that odours do not escape.
- Clean your garbage containers regularly with bleach to cut odours. Double bagging also helps.
- Feed your pets indoors.
- Clean and store barbecues after each use.
- Take down bird feeders between April and October.
- Remove all ripened or fallen fruit from fruit trees, in the morning and at dusk.

For more information please contact Natural Resources Conservation at 204-476-2076.



## News From Here, There and Anywhere

Reporter Teri Soos

Hello everyone. Is it spring yet? It doesn't sound like spring when you listen to the radio announcements reporting the possibility of rain every other day. In fact I heard there is a chance of more snow! This year it seems that if there is the slightest possibility we get it. Even if the calendar says spring has arrived it certainly doesn't feel like it to me. I wonder if we have missed summer altogether. It is certainly dark and grey like it is in the fall. I'm not sure but it feels like we have missed summer and are into fall again.

This winter has been far too long. I do enjoy a nice long, quiet winter to do a lot of crafting and such but this winter has drag on long enough. We haven't had a break at all; it has been a steady stream of snow and more snow. Usually we have some nice weather by now to get the trees ready for budding and making leaves but not this year. I think everyone will agree it has been a long winter.

I'm sure all the farmers are getting ready for the season. Of course the rain is not helping with that. Surely to goodness it will warm up soon so they can get on with their year. It sounds like the radio announcers are teasing when they remind the farmers to wait until the soil temperature is warm enough to start seeding. How can the soil warm up when the air won't warm up?

It sounds like a lot of the birds are back with us. I hear them chirping away. I wonder where these little critters are getting food to keep them going and where they are finding shelter from this cold.

I talked to Beth Richards from B.C. a short while ago. She was telling me that they were getting quite a bit of rain at the time. This is apparently unusual for them but it was getting warmer and people were getting ready for all their spring work. According to her they haven't had a great winter either. Beth sends her greetings to everyone she knows in the Langruth area and remembers everyone very fondly. Beth and her family are all very well.

Word has been received that the Legion Building has been sold. Everyone is wondering



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

what will be done with the building and how it will affect our community. Until we have a chance to speak to the new owner I guess we will all have to patiently wait and see.

We have a number of people in the area who are not feeling up to par. We wish them all speedy recoveries and sunnier days to come. Some of whom I know are Isaac Wiebe, Mrs. Eileen Bales (Tom's mother in Gladstone), Elizabeth Aitkens, Ernie Soos, Ardeth Poschenrieder, Ralph Thompson and Paul Oswald. We hope that these folks and anyone I missed are feeling better soon.

We have had word of a number of people from our area who have passed away recently. Larry Mutcher was a former resident of Langruth and attended the Airedale School. He passed away in Winnipeg. A number of friends and relatives attended his funeral. We also received word from Grace (Jackson) Fraser on the passing of her sister Dorothy (Jackson) Nickel. Dorothy was a former resident of the area and was the daughter of Howard and Helga Jackson. She was living in Kitchener ON. Grace is currently living in B.C. and would like to send greetings to everyone she knows from Langruth. A number of people will remember Ann Edgeworth from Westbourne. Ann and her husband George were former members of the Langruth Legion. George also worked on the highways in the area for many years. Ann passed away recently. We also received word that Harvey Clarence Martin passed away recently. He was from Neepawa but his mother was a resident of our community as a young girl. Harvey's parents were Edith and Clarence Martin. Edith is related to the Jackson families of Langruth as she was Edith Jackson before her marriage. We also remember Roberta (McCartney) Topping. She was the sister of Ola Czeranko and grew up in the Big Point area. I imagine that Roberta would have gone to the Big Point School and then Langruth School. To all the families and friends of these fine people we send our deepest sympathy and hope that happier memories will console you in the coming days.

I hope that many of you will be able to attend the upcoming Highway 50 Players Play. The

members of the cast are from the communities of Langruth and Amaranth and it will surely be a fun evening. It is being sponsored by the Langruth Elementary School Parent Advisory Council. The proceeds will go towards a very worthy cause, the LES Playground Fund. New playground equipment will not only benefit the school but the community as a whole.

There was a Trivia Night held in Langruth on April 26<sup>th</sup>. I was sorry to have to miss this evening as it is one of my favourite events. I have heard that it was well attended and that everyone had a great evening.

I would also like to mention that everyone is invited to the UCW Mother's Day Tea on May 10<sup>th</sup> in the Langruth Community Hall at 2:00 PM. This is always a special tea because it is in remembrance of our mothers. There is always a very nice bake table and plant table. Hopefully we will be able to put out some plants by then!

I also have a couple of wedding socials to remind you of. On May 3<sup>rd</sup> there will be a social honour of Barry Arksey and Brenda Curry at the Langruth Hall at 3:00 pm. On May 24<sup>th</sup> there will be a social in honour of Kris Egilson and Clorissa Mauthe in Plumas at 8:00 pm.

To anyone and everyone who is celebrating birthdays or anniversaries we hope you have a happy day and the coming year will be good and plentiful.

I know that not everyone is a 'sky watcher' but I do hope that some of you were able to see the recent total eclipse of the moon. It certainly was spectacular. It was on one of those nights when it was actually bright and clear. The eclipse could be seen from beginning to end. I'm not saying that I saw it from the beginning to the end but I did happen to see it during the night when the moon was coming out of the eclipse. The moon was still about  $\frac{3}{4}$  in eclipse and it was a red, red moon. It was very interesting to see.

That is all that I have for this time. Until next time, take care and keep warm. Hopefully in the next month we will be able to get and about to start on our spring work and get ready for the upcoming summer.

Talk to you soon,  
Teri

## Welcome Corner

The Langruth community extends a warm welcome home to David and Jo Ann Egilson. They will be returning to the community and will be residing in Langruth. Welcome also goes out to Geoffrey and Hazel Layton who will be moving to the community. We also welcome Ken McIvor who has purchased the Legion Building. We hope you enjoy the many activities, organizations and events that our community has to offer.

If you would like to welcome someone in the Langruth Views please contact Phyllis Thordarson at 204-445-2323.

## 2014 Flood Bulletins<sup>1</sup>

Source: <http://news.gov.mb.ca/news/>

Flood Bulletins are provided by the Government of Manitoba and report on a variety of flood and high water advisories. They are issued regularly (typically daily) to ensure that Manitobans have up-to-date information regarding the current conditions.

As of April 23<sup>rd</sup> water levels on the Red River were declining as the crest had passed. The Assiniboine River is expected to crest at Portage La Prairie between May 5<sup>th</sup> and May 7<sup>th</sup>. The Portage Diversion was operated to reduce the chance of ice jams on the lower Assiniboine River between Portage la Prairie and Headingley. The lower Assiniboine River is now reported to be free of ice and the flow on the lower Assiniboine is being increased.

Lake Manitoba's water level, as reported on April 28<sup>th</sup>, is 812.62 ft. The forecasted peak lake level ranges from 812.3 ft. to 813.3 ft.

Manitoba residents are reminded to be watchful of local waterways as flood conditions can develop quickly. Check road conditions before travelling.

Questions or concerns about flooding should be directed first to the municipal authority. Questions regarding water levels, provincial waterways or provincial water control infrastructure can be directed to the Flood Liaison Office at 204-945-8373 between 8 am and 4 pm, seven days a week.

## Obituary

### Alice Roberta Topping (nee McCartney)

Roberta slipped away quietly in her sleep in the early hours of Sunday, March 2, 2014.

She is survived by her loving husband Richard, her daughters Caitlin Kowall (Aaron) and Aidan Topping, grandchildren Matthew and Bronwyn Kowall, sister Ola Czeranko (Tony) and innumerable nieces, nephews and cousins, as well as Tart the Kerry Blue Terrier.

Roberta spent her childhood and school years in Langruth, MB where her parents farmed. She decided after high school to attend Teacher College, and there she found her calling.

She taught briefly in Flin Flon, Sanford, and Dryden, ON before going to Seven Oaks School Division in Winnipeg, where she taught in all three levels – elementary, junior, and senior high – and finished her successful career as Vice-Principal of Garden City Collegiate. Besides being a consummate teacher, she was very active in the Manitoba Teachers Society, serving in many positions, including President of SOTA. It was through MTS that she met and fell for Richard. It is believed that a foot rub was the magic that brought them together.

Roberta and Richard shared the love of travel, adventure, and dogs. They travelled many places together, including an eco-cruise on a schooner off Vancouver Island. They also wintered twice in Alabama, and took several trips to various US cities.

Roberta spent a valiant nine years battling ovarian cancer, which is apparently a record of sorts, and is testament to her fortitude and positive outlook on life.

As per her wishes there will be no funeral, but at a later date – likely in May – there will be a memorial gathering of friends and family at her home: a kind of after-the-fact wake with drinks and food and lots of stories. An announcement will be made so no one is left out.

For those who wish, a donation can be made to the Palliative Care Fund at Gimli Health Centre, CancerCare MB, the Gimli Humane Society, or a charity of one's choice.



## Lakeview Welcomes New Employee

The R.M. of Lakeview welcomes Adrian Beaulieu as a new Public Works Employee. Welcome Adrian!

## Dog Licensing in Langruth

All dogs over the age of four months being kept within Langruth must be licensed. A dog license protects your dog and helps provide the essential service of animal control. Dogs wearing licenses can more easily be reunited with their owners.



It is not the Municipality's desire to interfere with anyone's enjoyment of their pets but ownership of pets within Langruth must conform to the Animal Control By-Law. This By-Law is designed to help provide a safe and peaceful community for all residents. A complete copy of the By-Law outlining terms of impoundment and a schedule of fines is available at the municipal office.

Please contact the Municipal Office if you would like to obtain your license or if you have any questions.

## Burn Permits



**The RM of Lakeview Municipal By-Law requires that individuals must have a Burn Permit before lighting a fire.**

**Individuals may be fined \$200 to \$1,000 for burning without a permit.**

**Contact Lakeview Fire Department, Fire Chief Jim Rinn at 204-445-2392 or the RM of Lakeview office at 445-2243.**

## Provincial Wildfires Act

Source:

<https://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/statutes/ccsm/w128e.php>

### General prohibitions

#### **12(1)** No person shall:

- a) start a fire that is likely to burn out of control, burns out of control, or endangers life, land or property;
- b) obstruct an officer, a temporary fire guardian or a person in charge of a wildfire protection operation in the performance of his or her duties;
- c) fail to follow the direction or order of an officer or person in charge of wildfire protection operations with respect to wildfire protection operations; or
- d) impede wildfire protection operations.

### Prohibitions for fires used for agricultural purposes

**12(2)** No person shall cause a fire to be started in order to guard property, clear land, or burn debris, crops or stubble, unless the land on which the fire is started is completely surrounded by a strip of land not less than six metres wide, and

- a) the strip is free of inflammable material; or
- b) all inflammable material on the strip is covered by snow or water.






### Prohibitions re fires

#### **12(3)** No person shall on any land:

- a) start a fire
  - (i) without taking sufficient precautions to ensure that the fire can be kept under control, or
  - (ii) when weather conditions are conducive to a fire burning out of control;
- b) fail to take reasonable steps to prevent a fire from spreading;
- c) place any burning or smouldering matter in a place where it may cause a fire that may spread;
- d) conduct an activity that may cause a fire to spread; or
- e) leave the place where he or she has caused a fire to be started without ensuring that the fire is out.



**PARKLAND REGIONAL LIBRARY**  
**NEW FICTION BOOKS**

<b>AUTHOR</b>	<b>TITLE</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>
Addison, Corban	The garden of burning sand	Fiction
Ball, Jesse	Silence once begun	Fiction
Benson, Raymond	The Black Stiletto – secrets and lies	Suspense fiction
Blackstock, Terri	Distortion	Christian fiction –suspense
Blair, Peggy 	The poisoned pawn	Mystery fiction
Block, Lawrence	The burglar who counted the spoons	Mystery fiction
Bowen, Rhys	City of darkness and light	Mystery fiction
Box, C.J.	Stone cold	Mystery fiction
Bradley, Alan 	The dead in their vaulted arches	Mystery fiction
Butler, Nickolas	Shotgun lovesongs	Fiction
Campbell, Rick	The Trident deception	Fiction
Cassella, Carol	Gemini	Mystery fiction
Chapman, Brenda 	Cold mourning	Mystery fiction
Chapman, Vannetta	Murder simply brewed	Christian mystery fiction
Cleeves, Ann	Dead water	Mystery fiction
Coben, Harlan	Missing you	Suspense fiction
Corey, James S.A.	Honor among thieves (Star wars)	Science fiction
Costantini, Roberto	The deliverance of evil	Suspense fiction
Culbard/Lovecraft	The shadow out of time	Graphic novel
Cussler, Clive	The bootlegger	Adventure fiction
D'Aguiar, Fred	Children of paradise	Psychological fiction
Day, Sylvia	Afterburn/Aftershock	Romantic fiction
Dekker, Ted	Eyes wide open	Suspense fiction
De la Cruz, Melissa	Winds of Salem	Occult fiction
Donoghue, Emma	Frog music	Historical fiction
Durant, Sabine	Under your skin	Mystery fiction
Eason, Lynette	No one to trust	Suspense fiction
Edison, David	The waking engine	Dystopian fiction
Fisher, Dave P.	Jury of six	Western fiction
Fluke, Joanne	Blackberry pie murder	Mystery fiction
Flynn, Maureen 	Buckle my shoe	Fiction
Fortier, Anne	The lost sisterhood	Fiction
Foster, Cecil 	Independence	Fiction
Garlock, Dorothy	Under a Texas sky	Romantic fiction
Gray, Shelley Shepard	Hopeful	Amish fiction
Green, Jane	Tempting fate	Fiction
Grippando, James	Black horizon	Suspense fiction
Hannon, Irene	That certain summer	Christian fiction
Hatcher, Robin Lee	A promise kept	Christian fiction
Harris, C.S.	Why kings confess	Mystery fiction
Hayes, Samantha	Until you're mine	Suspense fiction
Hustvedt, Siri	The blazing world	Psychological fiction
Kasischke, Laura	Mind of winter	Psychological fiction
Kellerman, Jonathan	Killer	Suspense fiction
Lancaster, Jen	Twisted sisters	Humorous fiction

## Langruth Elementary School News

### Upcoming Events

**May 5:** PAC Meeting at 6:30 pm  
**May 15:** Plumas Mini-Marathon  
**May 19:** No School – Victoria Day  
**May 20:** Grades 5 – 8 Track Meet at MacGregor  
**May 21:** Jump Rope for Heart  
**May 26:** Grades 6-8 Track Meet at Gladstone  
**May 28:** Grades 3-5 Track Meet  
**May 29:** Spring Concert at 2 PM  
**May 30:** Kindergarten Orientation



### Words of Wisdom from the Principal

Many of you probably have heard the old adage, *April showers bring May flowers*. If you have ever thought about this saying you would probably have come up with the meaning behind the saying. Sometimes things that you think are unpleasant or inconvenient at the time bring good outcomes. You can always find something good out of bad circumstances if you treat the situation as a learning experience.

This is true in a child's school career as well. In education we try to plan for success. In circumstances when something unplanned happens the best approach is to analyze the event and find ways to avoid the same situation in the future. Use the circumstance as something to learn from.

This is a busy time of year as schools are finishing off the current school year and making plans for the next school year. As listed in the Upcoming Events, there are fun celebrations coming up as we prepare to finish off the school year.

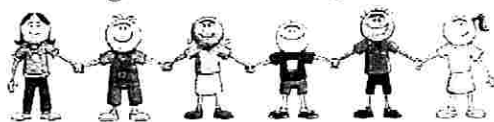
Mr. Tim Klein  
LES Principal

### Parent Advisory Council Meeting

May 5, 2014

6:30 pm

Langruth Elementary School



*Everyone Welcome!*

### Badminton Divisionals

Congratulations to all of the Badminton players who went to MacGregor on April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2014. We had multiple entries in every category with fifteen students from Grades 6, 7, and 8 competing. We won four games and came close on several others. A mixed doubles team was tied for a spot in the finals but did not go on to the finals. Everyone played with enthusiasm and represented our school with pride.

### French Cultural Day

On April 21<sup>st</sup> the Grades 3-6 students travelled to Gladstone to take part in a French Cultural Day. Students had the opportunity to watch a dance group called *la Troupe jeunesse de l'Ensemble folklorique de la Riviere Rouge*. They are an award winning group from Winnipeg. They perform French folk dance and music at Festival du Voyageur and other events. They were asked to do a tour in France last year. The group also showed the students how to play the spoons, folk dance, and play lacrosse along with many other French cultural activities.

### Jump Rope For Heart

Source: <http://news.gov.mb.ca/news/>

Supporting kids' health for more than 30 years, Heart&Stroke Jump Rope for Heart encourages kids to get active by skipping rope while they collect pledges for heart disease and stroke research. The program gives children the chance to jump and play alongside 750,000 other kids in more than 4,000 schools across Canada.

Over the past 8 years, the Heart and Stroke Foundation has invested nearly \$3 million in strategic research in children and youth physical activity and exercise.

Each year the Heart and Stroke Foundation gives back over \$1,000,000 to support healthy school communities thanks to fundraising programs like Jump Rope for Heart.

You too can help protect hearts and keep all kids' healthy by supporting the Heart&Stroke fundraising program and supporting the efforts for promoting healthy active living.

## RCMP News

### Portage la Prairie RCMP Conduct 2nd Check Stop Targeting Distracted Drivers

On April 26, 2014, Portage la Prairie RCMP Traffic Services conducted another day-long Checkstop targeting distracted drivers in the City of Portage la Prairie. Like the April 7, 2014, Checkstop, this one was again part of the dedicated enforcement campaign aimed at drivers who continue to use hand-held devices. This campaign was one of many sponsored by Manitoba Public Insurance.

Plain Clothes RCMP officers walked the streets of Portage la Prairie watching for people operating a motor vehicle while using electronic hand-held devices. Once spotted committing this and other Highway Traffic Act offences, the drivers were stopped by a marked police car, which was set up near the plain clothes officer.

This effort resulted in 10 cell phone tickets being issued, along with numerous other traffic tickets, including those related to red light, stop sign and seat belt offences. A total of 27 traffic tickets were issued during the Checkstop.

Distracted driving is a dangerous offence and carries a fine of \$203.80 as well as a penalty of two demerits on your driver's licence.

Road safety is a priority for the RCMP. Officers will be conducting random Checkstops throughout the summer to continue to combat this problem.

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# Langruth Community Calendar May 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>Post Office Regular Hours:</b> Monday: 9:00 am—5:00 pm Tuesday: 9:00 pm—2:30 pm Wednesday: 9:00 pm—2:30 pm Thursday: 9:00 pm—2:30 pm Friday: 9:00 pm—2:30 pm		<b>Waste Disposal Grounds/Eco Centre Regular Hours:</b> Monday: 10:00 am—12:00 noon & 1:00 pm—6:00 pm Wednesday: 2:00 pm—6:00 pm Friday: 2:00 pm—6:00 pm Saturday: 9:00 am—12:00 noon		1	2	3
4 <b>Dessert Theatre</b> 7:00 pm Lutheran: No Service United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	5 <b>PAC Meeting:</b> 6:30 pm	6 <b>Seniors Meeting</b>	7	8 <b>RM Council Meeting</b>	9	10 <b>Barry &amp; Brenda's Wedding Social:3pm</b> <b>Mother's Day Tea:</b> 2pm
11 <b>Mother's Day</b> Lutheran: 10:30 am United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	12	13	14 <b>Dog &amp; Cat Clinic:</b> 7pm	15 <b>LES: Plumas Mini- Marathon</b>	16	17
18 Lutheran: No Service United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	19 <b>Victoria Day</b> No School <b>Fire Dept. Meeting:</b> 7:30 pm	20	21 <b>LES: Jump Rope For Heart</b>	22	23 <b>Langruth Views Submission Deadline</b>	24 <b>Clorissa's Bridal Shower:2pm Plumas</b> <b>Kris &amp; Clorissa's Wedding Social:</b> 8 pm Plumas
25 Lutheran: 10:30 am United: 11:30 am Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	26	27	28	29 <b>LES: Spring Concert — 2 pm</b>  <b>Seniors Supper</b>	30 <b>LES: Kindergarten Orientation</b>	31