

# *Langruth Views*

## *July 2014*



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### **ATTENTION RESIDENTS & FRIENDS OF THE LAKEVIEW MUNICIPALITY!**

**The R.M. of Lakeview invites you  
to a social**

**Friday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014  
9 p.m. - 1 a.m.**

**We will be honouring Barry Arksey upon  
his retirement from the R.M. of Lakeview  
after many years of service and we will be  
celebrating the R.M. of Lakeview as it  
approaches the end of its existence as a  
separate entity.**

**Admission is Free!**

**Complimentary tickets will be available  
at the RM Office, MJ Stop and Shop & the  
Post Office.**

**Cash Bar.**

**Lunch will be served. No Minors**

### **TD Summer Reading Club**

The Langruth Library will be participating in the TD Summer Reading Club during the months of July and August. This is a program that strives to engage all children in the joy of reading during the summer months. Children who register for the TD Summer Reading Club at the Langruth Library will receive free program materials and are encouraged to earn twelve collectible stickers by reading books over the summer. Drop into the Langruth Library for more information.



### **Langruth Vacation Bible School: Workshop of Wonders**

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>** between **9:00 AM and 12:00 PM**. Children aged 3 and up are welcome to attend.

At the *Workshop of Wonders* (WOW), discover how the ordinary becomes extraordinary! Start an adventure using your imagination and creativity.

Meet people from the Bible who used what they had to produce something amazing.

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.



### **Kinosota Trail Game & Fish News**

#### **Clay Shooting**

Kinosota Trail Game & Fish will be having Clay Pigeon Shoots on Tuesday evenings. For more information contact Cecil at **204-871-8102**.



#### **Boat Launch**



The boat launch should be ready for use. The channel may not be completely clean so please use caution. Kinosota Trail Game & Fish would like to thank Bruce Gardiner for doing this work.



## Church News

### Grace Lutheran Church

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

**July:** No Services

**Aug 10:** Special Confirmation Service with Communion: Erin Hill and Austin Marofke will be confirmed.

**Baptism:** If you are interested in having a child/adult baptized please contact Phyllis.

**Grow a Row for Others:** Produce will be taken to a soup kitchen this fall.

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### Langruth United Church

Service at 11:30 AM unless otherwise stated.

**There will be no services during July. Watch for notice of the first service in August.**

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### Catholic Church News

**July 27:** The Archbishop of Winnipeg will be visiting the area and there will be one joint service with lunch to follow. More information will be posted at each of the churches.

### 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.

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### Amaranth Gospel Mission

Service at 11:00 AM unless otherwise stated.

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### Amaranth Gospel Mission Church

#### Welcomes 'Power in Praise'

Come and join the Amaranth Gospel Mission Church on **Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am – 12:00 noon** for gospel music by the group "Power in Praise." The group is comprised of 2 couples and are coming to us from Newton and Winnipeg. There will be a lunch after the service and all are welcome! For more information feel free to call Bev at 204-843-2889.

## Fifty and Beyond News

The Langruth Seniors held their monthly business meeting on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Eight members were present.

We had a short meeting because we didn't have a lot to discuss. We still had a nice visit and were able to catch up on each other's news.

In the Cheer Report Rena reported that she sent out three Birthday cards and one Get Well card last month. We also discussed the menu for the June Monthly Supper. We decided to hold the supper in the Langruth Community Hall as we had the previous month. As you know we don't have suppers in July and August. We will have some time over the summer to decide if we will continue with the suppers in the fall. We will let you know in a future issue of the Langruth Views.

Our June Monthly Supper was held on June 26<sup>th</sup> with a very nice turn out. Everyone was in a very good mood because we finally had some summer weather. Now we just hope that the rainy weather will let up. Most of us are also having a hard time with all the mosquitoes. I guess we can put up with the mosquitoes if we just get some warmer, drier weather.

We would like to wish any of our fellow seniors who are not feeling well, a speedy recovery. May you be able to enjoy the summer season and some summer visits with family and friends.

We would also like to congratulate all the graduates. We hope the Grade 8 students leaving Langruth School will enjoy high school. For those graduating from high school we hope that your future plans will be to your liking and we wish you well. We wish all the teachers a very good summer as well.

Watch for more information regarding the club meetings and monthly suppers.

Until next time, I will wish you a good summer with good weather and enjoyable visits with friends and family.

Teri.



## **Langruth & Area Cemetery News**

Langruth & Area Cemeteries are not only a testament of our rich heritage but are also a means of preserving our local history. There are 4 active cemeteries in the Langruth Area which are maintained by non-profit cemetery committees. Committees of dedicated volunteers ensure that our cemeteries are beautiful resting places for those who have passed.

The Langruth Cemetery is located three-quarters of a mile north of Langruth along Highway 50. This cemetery was established around 1927 and is the resting place of George Langdon, one of the founders of Langruth.

The Lakeland Cemetery is located five miles south of Langruth along Highway 50. The Lakeland Cemetery Board was first formed in 1900. The first recorded burial marker is that of baby Sadie McInnis in 1897.

The Big Point Cemetery is located four miles east and one quarter mile south of Langruth. It is the resting place of many of the community's residents of Icelandic descent.

The Hungarian Cemetery is located three miles south and three miles east of Langruth. Members of twelve Hungarian families are buried in this cemetery.

The local cemetery committees would like to thank all those who have donated to these cemeteries. They could not be maintained without your generous contributions. Donations for the mowing and general upkeep of the cemeteries are gratefully received at any time. During wet years the cemeteries require several cuts. A donation can be a wonderful way to remember loved ones who have passed. If you would like to make a donation to a local cemetery please feel free to contact the cemetery committee of your choice.

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### **Langruth Cemetery**

Langruth Cemetery Committee  
c/o Shelia Olson  
Box 43  
Langruth, Manitoba R0H 0N0



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### **Big Point Cemetery**

Big Point Cemetery Committee  
c/o Elaine Smith  
Box 46  
Langruth, Manitoba R0H 0N0

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### **Lakeland Cemetery**

Lakeland Cemetery Committee  
c/o Cecil Robertshaw  
Box 45  
Langruth, Manitoba R0H 0N0

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### **Hungarian Cemetery**

Hungarian Cemetery Committee  
c/o Teri Soos  
Box 162  
Langruth, Manitoba R0H 0N0

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**Canadian Subscriptions: \$18.00/year**

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## **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

## Graduates Corner

The Graduates' Corner column of the Langruth Views is dedicated to publishing pictures and information about Langruth and area students who have graduated from junior high, high school, technical trade, and other post-secondary education institutions. We are proud of our graduates. Please make sure to submit pictures and information about your graduating students to the editor so they can be included in an upcoming issue of the Langruth Views.



### Taralynn Kleemola



## Local Graduates

Congratulations to all the graduates on your achievements and best wishes for your future, all of your challenges and opportunities. The W.M.C.I. Grade 12 Graduation was held on June 21<sup>st</sup>, 2014. This year's local W.M.C.I. Grade 12 Graduates were:

**Robyn Green**

**Taralynn Kleemola**

**Bishop Roulette**

**Jessie Sutherland**

**Erin Hill**

**Sabrina Kopp**

**Kiana Roulette**

**Charles Woolford**

**Bronwyn Evans** and **Kaitlyn Evans** have completed Grade 12 through the Home Schooling Program.

## Recreational Baseball



**Langruth Sports Grounds**

**Tuesdays at 7:00 pm**

**Ages 15 and up.**

**For more information contact:**

**Drenna Rhodes at 204-445-2504**

We are looking for more baseball players.

Please call Drenna before July 15<sup>th</sup> if you are interested in playing so we know that there is enough interest to continue with Baseball Nights.

## A Big Thank-You

The W.M.C.I. Graduating Class of 2014 would like to thank

**Darrin Stanley**

of

**Ridge Water Supply**

for donating the ice for the Graduation Supper and Dance.

Your thoughtfulness and generosity was greatly appreciated.

**2014 W.M.C.I. Grads**

### Lark Sparrow

This sparrow, with its harlequin head pattern, has a lovely voice and sings from the ground, a perch, or while flying, sometimes even at night. Frequenting the open prairies and other open habitats, it can be identified by the dark spot in the center of its breast and the long rounded tail with extensive white edging. Juveniles are similar to adults but more washed-out with ill-defined head pattern, buffier coloration, dark brown streaking on the white throat, and white under parts with a buffy wash on the sides of the breast.



The Lark Sparrows are solitary or are in pairs. They feed in flocks, even during the breeding season. They forage for food on the ground and low in trees and shrubs. The sparrow eats seeds, insects and caterpillars.

The nest is built of sticks, grass and forbs. It is lined with rootlets and grasses. The nests can be atop a grassy tussock shaded by bush, in the lower part of a tree, in shrubs or bushes - or in an abandoned nest. Females on a nest perform a distraction display when disturbed. They scurry away with wings fluttering and tail spread.

Incubation is 11-12 days by the female. The young are brooded by the female and remain in the nest 9 to 10 days. They are fed by both sexes. The Lark Sparrow has 1 brood per year.

The Lark Sparrow population is common in cultivated areas, fields, pastures, grassland and prairie. We are at the fringe of the population.

### News From Here, There and Anywhere

*Reporter Teri Soos*

Hi everyone, happy summer. Well happy as we can be I suppose. It sure has been wet since the beginning of summer. I hope it will turn itself around and become the happy season we all are looking for.

We have had a great deal of rain lately. I was south of town a little while ago and saw that the water in the ditch was running faster than it would during spring run-off. It is very unusual for this

time of year. I hear that a lot of the ditches are full and running.

I heard on the radio a number of municipalities are having problems with all the rain; roads and culverts washed out, road closures, and flooded fields. Farmers have not only had to deal with not getting their seeding finished at the normal time but now have to deal with all those drowned out spots. It has been a few years since we have had such a problem with water on the land. I remember one year during harvest when the farmers needed to put different tires on their combines. This will be just as bad because those that have seeded crops will be losing them. Let's hope that the weather will turn around from here on in.

I did get a garden this year. Most everything has come up but the weeds are getting ahead of me. I went out one afternoon and did some weeding but it has rained ever since and the garden is solid green again. I hope to get something out of it besides weeds.

I finally saw the bear. I had been telling you that I wanted to see the bear and now I have. Raymond told me that a cinnamon bear had been in his yard and his trash cans were all upset. Apparently this bear had been in other people's yards as well. Later that day I was working on my computer and out the window I saw something walking along the road side. Lo and behold, there was the bear. It ran along the road and then went down the back lane south from my house. I can now say that I have seen the bear. Unfortunately I was disappointed because the bear didn't look like what I had imagined. It had been raining and his hair looked somewhat matted. Hopefully conservation will do something about this bear. I am not afraid of the bear but I would hate to have someone hurt by it.

I would like to tell you about a few people that have been visiting the area. Georgina Watson, formerly Georgina Hill, was here from B.C. for the graduation of her grandchildren. She visited with family and friends from here and Gladstone for a few weeks. It was very nice to see her and catch up with her. She lived in Langruth most of her life.

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

We also had some people visiting from Winnipeg. Frank Mak and his daughter Clare Hargrave came to visit some of the people he grew up with and went to school with. We had not seen Frank for a number of years. After visiting the cemetery where his father is buried, they visited with Ernie and Marsha Soos and myself. Then they went on to visit with the Czeranko family. Sadly Frank's wife Mary passed away a few years back. They don't have much family in Canada but they have gone back to Hungary and found quite a number of relatives there. He and his family will be going back to Hungary this summer to visit them.

Emily and Ralph Thompson had quite a few visitors in the last little while. I think I mentioned last month that their daughter Cathy had been here to visit. After Cathy's visit, their daughter Cheryl, from Saskatoon, came to visit. I also heard that a cousin of Ralph's from B.C. visited as well. I don't suppose they had seen each other in quite some time and I'm sure Ralph enjoyed seeing his cousin again.

Bobbie Zaryski has had a number of visitors in the last little while. Her son from Saskatchewan visited a short while ago. Bobbie also had a girlfriend visiting so she was a busy lady.

Unfortunately I have to bring you some sad news as well and tell you of the people we have lost in the last little while. A Memorial Service for Ada Thompson was held on June 14<sup>th</sup>. There were a number of people at the service that I had not seen for quite some time. Ada's son, Tommy Thompson from Saskatchewan, and her grandson, Eyvi Smith from Alberta, were both there and it was nice to see them again. We would like to send our deepest sympathy to the friends and family of Ada at this time. Ada was a very well-known lady around town and we will certainly miss her.

We would also like to extend our sympathy to Tom Bales and family on the passing of his mother, Mrs. Eileen Bales. She had been living in Gladstone. Ann Antioniuk of Plumas has also passed away. Many will have known her from the various times she was here in Langruth. I also had a phone call from Beth Richards of B.C. who

told me of the death of her granddaughter, Amanda Carlson. She was the daughter of Beth's daughter Sandi. Beth sends her 'hello' to everyone from here that remembers her. To all the family and friends of these fine folks we send our deepest sympathy. We hope that memories of happier times help you through the coming days.

We also have a number of people that are not feeling well these days. I know that the weather can also make people feel 'under the weather'. I was talking to someone who has quite a few allergies who was having quite a hard time and I'm sure there are others with allergies. We send our good wishes to anyone not feeling well and hope that you have a speedy recovery and be up and around so you can enjoy the summer. Some people that I know of include, Elizabeth Aitkens, Isaac Wiebe, Paul Oswald, Ken Gardiner, Ernest Eiriksson, Ralph Thompson and Don Smith who both recently had surgery, Ardeth Poschenrieder who hurt her arm, and Bernadette Bales who suffers from allergies.

We would also like to send congratulations and best wishes to anyone who has graduated in the last little while. We wish you all success in where ever life takes you. To all of the teachers we hope that you all have a good summer. To teachers that are retiring we hope you enjoy retirement.

Best wishes to anyone who has had a birthday or anniversary in the last little while. To all those getting married or having children this summer, we wish you well.

Have a good summer. I know that we are all inundated with mosquitoes but I hope that you can escape them and enjoy your summer. Let me know what you have been up to over the summer so we can share your summer highlights with other readers.

Talk to you next time,  
Teri.



## 2014 Flood Bulletins

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. Summer Flood Bulletin #10 was issued on July 6th and provided the following information. Due to the record rainfalls over the weekend of June 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> flood conditions are changing daily. Please consult the latest Flood Bulletin for current conditions.

The Manitoba government advises that water levels on many rivers, creeks and streams in the Parkland, Interlake and southwest areas of the province continue to rise across much of southern Manitoba, resulting in significant overland flooding, washed-out roads and evacuations.

Flood warnings have been issued for the Assiniboine River and a flood watch has been issued for Lake Manitoba. The Assiniboine River at the Portage Reservoir is forecasted to peak around July 8<sup>th</sup> or July 9<sup>th</sup> with flows similar to that of the record high flows in 2011. The province is readying both the Portage Diversion and the lower Assiniboine River dikes to manage peak flows for an extended period of time. Lake Manitoba is nearing flood level, 814 feet. It is forecasted to peak at 814.6 feet in early August. The Fairford River Water Control Structure is being operated for maximum possible discharge. The Lake St. Martin Emergency Outlet Channel has been opened. Operation of the Emergency Channel will allow the Fairford River Water Control Structure to remain at maximum discharge longer.

As of July 4<sup>th</sup> the province declared a provincial state of emergency and has formally requested the assistance of the Canadian Forces to support the flood-fighting efforts along the Assiniboine River dikes.

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.

## R.M. of Lakeview News

### State of Local Emergency

#### Issued



Reeve Philip Thordarson called a special meeting of the municipal council to address concerns regarding local overland flooding and the Flood Watch that has been issued for Lake Manitoba. The following motion was made by Councillor James Rinn and seconded by Councillor Kerry Arksey.

**WHERE AS** recent heavy rains in western Canada have raised the expected flood level of Lake Manitoba and the Rural Municipality of Lakeview is beginning to encounter serious overland flooding from Lake Manitoba that requires prompt action to prevent harm or damage to the safety, health or welfare of persons located within the boundaries of the Rural Municipality of Lakeview and to prevent damage to property within those boundaries;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** the Council of the Rural Municipality of Lakeview declare a state of local emergency throughout all of the Rural Municipality of Lakeview at present and for the foreseeable future.

**Carried.**

### State of Local Emergency (SoLE)

Source:

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/emo/community/response/sole.html>

A declaration of a state of emergency may be issued by a local authority when an emergency is imminent or occurring. Upon the declaration of, and during a SoLE, the local authority may issue an order to any party to do everything necessary to prevent or limit loss of life and damage to property or the environment. The local authority also has the responsibility to use this authority correctly and prudently. A SoLE is valid for a period of 30 days beginning on the day the declaration is made, and can be extended.



## **RCMP News**

The Amaranth RCMP is encouraging residents to take preventative measures to protect their property against theft. Residents should secure their vehicles by removing keys and locking them. Ensure your property is well lit and all out buildings are locked for the night. Offenders will scout out property during day for items to steal and return late at night or early in the morning. It may be difficult for farmers to keep items of value out of sight but it would definitely help to reduce the number of thefts.

Amaranth RCMP would appreciate the public's assistance in helping to reduce theft, please notify us of any suspicious activity such as unknown vehicles in the area (please try to provide us with descriptions of the vehicle / licence plate / individuals / time / date and location). The public's assistance could result in apprehension and charges. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Cpl. Jodi Verspeek with the Amaranth RCMP Detachment at 204-843-2309.

## **Langruth Elementary School News**



The 2013-2014 school year has come to an end. The student's achievements were celebrated at the Awards Ceremony held on June 25<sup>th</sup>. Congratulations to all the students who will be moving onto the next grade and those students who will be attending W.M.C.I. in Gladstone in September.

This year's Grade 8 Graduates were:

**Colton Beaulieu  
Samantha Brown  
Scott Gall  
Kiersten Sanderson  
Sonya Strocen**

**Joseph Beaulieu  
Garrett Gall  
Trinity LacQuette  
Russell Starr Jr.  
Trenton Sutherland**

Classes will resume at Langruth Elementary School on Wednesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>. LES will be welcoming new staff members. Amanda Kopp will be teaching in the K-2 classroom, Natasha Emerson will be teaching in the 3-5 classroom and Stephanie Manns will be the school's Skills Coach.

Watch for school events that members of the community are welcome to attend and become involved with.

## **LES Playground News**

The Langruth Elementary School Parent Advisory Council is excited to announce that the design of the new playground structure has been finalized. It will be installed in August and children will be able to enjoy the new playground structure when school resumes in September.

The ambitious goal of raising \$40,000.00 for new playground equipment would not have been possible without the support of both the parents and the community. Over the past few years P.A.C. has held several draws, hosted family dances, sold chocolate bars and produce from Peak of the Market. Generous donations and grants were also received from various businesses and organizations including:

**Amaranth Credit Union, \$2500.00  
Big Grass Foundation, \$500.00  
Community Places Grant, \$6000.00  
Delmar Commodities, \$10,000.00  
R.M. of Lakeview, \$10,000.00**

The Langruth Elementary School P.A.C would like to thank the community for supporting the P.A.C fundraising efforts and these businesses and organizations for their generous contributions. The new playground structure will not only be an asset to Langruth Elementary School but to the community of Langruth as well. Children enjoy the school playground both during school and after school. The new playground structure will demonstrate a dedication to the local children. Thank-you again.

During the 2014-2015 school year P.A.C. will continue to fundraise in order to add additional pieces to the playground structure and replace the current swings. If you, your community organization or business would like to contribute to the LES Playground Fund please feel free to contact Shelia Olson at 204-445-2228.



## **Wedding: Brenda Curry & Barry Arksey**

*Submitted by Walter Arksey (brother)*



Brenda Curry and Barry Arksey were united in marriage on June 6<sup>th</sup> (Barry's birthday), 2014 at 3pm in St. George's Anglican Church in Brandon. The double ring ceremony was performed by Father Chad.

The mother of the groom, Rena Arksey, was escorted to her seat by her brother Tom Johannson of Baltimore and together they passed the flame of the lit candle to Father Chad.

The wedding party consisted of Colleen Brown (Matron of Honour) and Joy MacKenzie (Bridesmaid) wearing navy dresses, Lloyd Emberly (Best Man), Harley Arksey (Groomsman), and Robert Lasson & Ryan Brown as Ushers.

The bride, wearing a halter top ivory coloured dress with a court train and carrying a bouquet of white roses and blue orchids, was then escorted down the aisle by Reg Brown (bride's cousin) to be met by the groom. All men were smartly dressed in suit and tie with matching white roses as boutonnieres (and the groom wore striped socks). The two Readers of the Word were Robert Johannson and Ron MacKenzie.

The couple exchanged vows followed by the exchange of rings and the traditional "I will"s. Martin Deamer sang Annie's Song while they signed the Register. They were then taken to the alter of the Church for the blessing after which Father Chad introduced them as husband and wife and they both broke into big smiles. All

proceeded outside for congratulations and pictures.

The Reception was held at the Ukrainian Hall in Brandon with Gerald Arksey as the MC and Walter & Christopher Arksey as photographers. 155 guests were in attendance from near and far. The far guests included: Lori Rowan from Providence, Utah; Haydee Hernandez from Pinar Del Rio, Cuba; Linda Curry - Waterloo, Ontario; Reg & Linda Brown - Regina; Sollynd Weatherall - Vancouver; John, Cathy & Arni Johannson - Vancouver; Robert & Ferne Johannson - Sorrento B.C. ; Tom Johannson - Baltimore, Maryland; Francis Johannson - Calgary; JoAnn Collins - Kitchener, Ontario; Walter, Barbara & Christopher Arksey - Kanata, Ontario; Trevor, Nadine & Adam Arksey - South Surrey, BC; Martin, Linda, Samson & Henry Deamer - Tsawwassen, BC; Candis & Gerald Arksey - Tsawwassen, BC

The head table was decorated with glass swans and white rose settings. All chairs were lovely wrapped and the each table had a centre piece with a boxed piece of vinarterta at each place setting.

Linda Brown gave the toast to the bride and spoke of her role in getting Brenda and Barry together and her suspicions of their pending relationship. Lloyd gave a great speech about Barry, his blue truck, his past years and friendship with him, and how he used Benji the cat to propose to Brenda. Lyle Armstrong talked about the adventures he had shared with Barry. Paul Johnson from the morning coffee gang reminisced about all the stories told around the table at Roger's, and that if Barry said something was the truth, it must be right. The game, that was a laugh for all, had Brenda and Barry sitting back to back and answering questions about themselves as a couple: like who wore the pants in the relationship.

Sunday morning the relatives gathered at Laura and Morley McLeod's for a garage breakfast, a birthday cake for Rena, a family photo, and to say goodbye to Brenda and Barry as they headed to Clear Lake for their honeymoon. Their future plans include retirement, travel, and living in Brandon. We wish them the best.

## Obituary: Ada Thompson



Ada Clarissa Thompson passed away on May 21, 2014 at the Russell District Hospital at the age of 85 years.

Ada was predeceased by her husband of 40 years Eyjolfur (Eyvi) Thompson, son Garry Thompson, and parents Oliver and Elizabeth Gemmill (Wellwood).

Ada is lovingly remembered by daughter Elaine (Don) Smith of Langruth, MB; son Tom (Stephanie) Thompson of Saskatoon, SK; stepson Ralph (Emily) Thompson of Langruth, MB; and foster-son Brian Hayes of Winnipeg, MB; as well as 10 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Ada was born October 14, 1928 at Pilot Mound, MB. At the age of 5, her family moved to Amaranth, MB where Ada remained until 1945 when she accepted a teaching job at Big Point School in the Langruth District. It was during this time that she met her future husband Eyvi Thompson. They were married on October 19, 1946. Ada and Eyvi shared fond memories of the various places they lived during their first few years of marriage – Egg Lake, MB; Prince Rupert, BC, Green Island, BC and Kitimat, BC. In 1955, they returned to Amaranth to farm and care for Ada's father while they raised their own family. Ada eventually returned to teaching, accepting positions at Marius (1955), Sandy Bay First Nation (1967-1981) and Amaranth (1982-1992). One of Ada's proudest achievements was attaining her Degree in Education from Brandon

University, with a major in Special Education and minor in Music. In the fall of 1970, Eyvi and Ada moved to Langruth to be closer to family. Ada continued to teach until her retirement in 1992.

Family, friends and helping others were always central parts of Ada's life. Ada fostered family-togetherness with weekly Sunday suppers, and was always willing to make the trip to attend special occasions for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Her kitchen table was a welcoming spot for friends to share a cup of coffee and indulge in her baking amidst lots of laughter. Ada enjoyed playing piano, church fellowship, gardening, and knitting. She cherished the company provided by her various pets throughout her retirement years.

Ada moved to the Russell PCH in 2008 where she comfortably remained until her passing.

A graveside service was held on June 14, 2014 at the Westbourne Cemetery. Following the interment, a luncheon was held at Langruth Community Hall.

In lieu of flowers, as expressions of sympathy, if friends so wish, donations can be made to the Westbourne Cemetery Fund, the Langruth United Church, or a charity of one's choice.

Braendle-Bruce Funeral Service of Russell, MB was in care of arrangements.

### **Thank-You**

*The family of Ada Thompson would like to thank everyone who sent cards, food and joined with us in a celebration of her life. Thank-you to the United Church Women for the lovely lunch.*

*A special thanks to Betty and Paul Oswald, Isaac and Erna Wiebe, Mildred Armstrong and Harry Lazor whose friendship helped make the last years in her home enjoyable and possible.*

***Thank-you everyone.***

## **Mobile Clinic Coming to Langruth**

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/primarycare/mobile.html/>

Manitoba's Mobile Clinics are buses specially designed to be fully functional primary care clinics. They come complete with two exam rooms, a wheelchair lift, and the same medical equipment and technology you would find in any other clinic. Mobile Clinics, staffed with registered nurses and nurse practitioners, bring reliable access to primary care services for people living in Manitoba's smaller communities.

The Mobile Clinic will begin services in Woodridge, Dominion City, St. Ambrose, Langruth and Plumas during the summer of 2014. The Mobile Clinic will be scheduled for weekly visits to these communities starting in late July or early August. The Mobile Clinic will be in Langruth on Tuesdays and will be located on the south side of the Langruth Community Hall. Please call **1-855-644-3515** to make an appointment at your nearest community.

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## **Langruth Fall Fair: Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014**

The 2014 Langruth Fall Fair Books Exhibitor Numbers and Tags are available at the Langruth Post Office. It's time to start planning your exhibits. The Fall Fair will be held on **Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2014**. If your passion is flowers, handicrafts, photography or baking, there will be something for you to enter in the fall fair. Join us for a lot of fun.

Now that school is out you might need some projects to keep your children busy. Check out the Fall Fair booklet and see what your children can make and get ready to exhibit.

For anyone new to our community who is not sure how to enter, display or tag an exhibit please feel free to call Lynne at 204-445-2254. She will be happy to help.

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# Langruth Community Calendar July 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>1</b> <b>Canada Day</b> 	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>6</b> Lutheran: No Service United: No Service Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	<b>7</b>    	<b>8</b>    	<b>9</b>    	<b>10</b> <b>RM Council Meeting</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>13</b> Lutheran: No Service United: No Service Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	<b>14</b>    	<b>15</b>    	<b>16</b>    	<b>17</b>    	<b>18</b>    	<b>19</b>
<b>20</b> Lutheran: No Service United: No Service Catholic: 10:30 am Gospel Mission: 11am	<b>21</b>    	<b>22</b>    	<b>23</b>    	<b>24</b>    	<b>25</b>    	<b>26</b>
<b>27</b> Lutheran: No Service United: No Service Catholic: T.B.A. Gospel Mission: 11am	<b>28</b>    	<b>29</b>    	<b>30</b>    	<b>31</b>    	<b>Langruth Views Submission Deadline</b>	<b>Waste Disposal Grounds/Eco Centre: Monday: 10:00 am—12:00 noon &amp; 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</b>
						<b>RM SOCIAL: Friday, Aug 1, 2014 9:00 pm</b>