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Evening of Laughter - Saturday, November 16th

Comedian Big Daddy Tazz
Supporting Rural Mental Health
Oakburn Community Hall
Cocktails: 5 p.m.
Dinner: 6 p.m.
Show/Auction: 7:30 p.m.
Tickets \$60 each available at Oaksite Grocery
or call 204-796-0400 or
204-234-5341
Come out for an evening of fun!

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 1ST, 2019 - WINTER GALA

Sponsored by the Shoal lake Community Foundation
Shoal Lake Community Hall

It's going to be an evening to remember. Doors open at 4:30 supper by Old School Catering at 5:30. Local entertainment starts at 7:30. A great selection of auction and raffle items to be bought or won. Come out and support the following organizations who will be supplying the entertainment and sharing in the profits from the evening.

The Shoal Lake Fire Dept with their version of "Project Runway"
The Garden Club Ladies with a senior's idea of "A Pot Party"
The Mounted Police Museum doing "Spice It Up"



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The School Lunch Program represented by The GerHam's with an impersonation and a selection of melodies
Make it your "Office Xmas Party" or just an evening out. Help make this Fund Raiser a success and buy your tickets early at the discounted price.

Only a **few tickets** left so contact Murray Solomon at 204-365-7400 or Dick Edgeworth at 204-365-6036 to get yours ASAP!

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Special Thanks to Linda Simpson for contacting the above and our Treasurer Diana Hyde.

The Shoal Lake Community Foundation Inc.

The SLCF Grant application deadline is Nov 8/19. Applications are available at the RM of Yellowhead Shoal Lake Office or yellowheadmunicipality.ca
<http://yellowheadmunicipality.ca/main - Government/Documents/Applications>
The Annual 24 HR Challenge for Manitoba Foundations takes place on Saturday Nov 16/19. Donations will receive a 40% "TOP UP" from the Winnipeg Foundation and the Province of Manitoba jointly.
Postdated cheques dated "November 16/19" can be mailed to the SLCF Box 323 Shoal Lake, MB. R0J 1Z0 or visit the Old Town Office (438 Station Road in Shoal Lake) on November 16th from 10 a.m. -3 p.m. with any questions or suggestions you may have.



CP Holiday Train is stopping at
Shoal Lake North Railway Ave on
Tuesday, December 3rd, 2019
at 7:00 p.m. Musical Guests:
Scott Helman & Madeline Merlo

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What's Up Yellowhead?

November 2019

Greetings! It has been a year on Council now and I do have to admit.... there is a lot to learn. I was previously on Town Council prior to amalgamation and I never had to worry about grading roads or replacing culverts. The rural responsibilities are a learning curve. I think all the new Councillors have settled into their roles and have discovered their strengths.

On to the roles that have me busy from day to day. One of the biggest and challenging appointments for me is Leisure Services. This committee was the umbrella that manages the Shoal Lake Communiplex, the Shoal Lake Community Hall, Lakeview Campground, and Marshall Chambers Park. This is no small undertaking. With the past year, there have been challenges with these facilities. Hence, the decision to split the committee into Boards for each facility. We need to setup individual Boards that can be more focused on each facility. With that, the municipality is currently seeking volunteers for said Boards. We are looking for people who are passionate about each facility and want to see it flourish. There have been notices prior to this newsletter but the response has been disheartening. There have been three volunteers that have come forward and I thank them wholeheartedly. Ideally, it would be great to get 5 people per board, which would include one councillor to report back to Council.

Shoal Lake Communiplex – user group representation is needed. User groups are the people that know what is going on in the facility and what can be improved. I implore the user groups to appoint someone from their organization to come forward to help the Communiplex succeed.

Shoal Lake Community Hall – looking for two more members that are interested in improving the Hall and implementing their ideas.

Parks/Campgrounds – anyone that would like to see the park and campgrounds thrive, please let your presence be known. Another opportunity for volunteers in our municipality is for the upcoming celebrations in 2020. Manitoba is celebrating its 150th birthday! And we need to get the ball rolling on activities and events in all our communities. Oakburn has already begun planning and booking...starting with the kickoff to the 150 with Big Daddy Tazz on November 16th. Shoal Lake, Strathclair, and Elphinstone need to get in gear and start planning. I challenge the three communities to get this going. If anyone is interested in joining the organizing committee for each community, please come forward!

I realize my last write up was about volunteering, but I feel our communities rely on volunteers to succeed. They are an integral part of facilities and activities that we all enjoy. So, find what you are passionate about and volunteer some of your time!

~Councillor Lisa Hogg



REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE - STRATHCLAIR

NOVEMBER 8TH, 2019

STRATHCLAIR SCHOOL GYMNASIUM AT 10:30 A.M.

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE - SHOAL LAKE

NOVEMBER 8TH, 2019

SHOAL LAKE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM AT 2:20 P.M.

REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE - SHOAL LAKE

NOVEMBER 11th, 2019

SHOAL LAKE SCHOOL GYMNASIUM AT 10:15 A.M.



REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE - STRATHCLAIR

NOVEMBER 11th, 2019

BEND THEATRE AT 10:45 a.m.

VETERANS BANQUET - STRATHCLAIR

NOVEMBER 11TH, 2019

STRATHCLAIR MUNICIPAL HALL AT 5:30 P.M.
Open to: Veterans & Spouses, Legion Members
& Spouses, Former Ladies Auxiliary,
Family and Friends of Veterans



Calendar Dates to Remember:

November 6 - Employment Skills & Services, by appointment,
(204) 867-2833, Leisure Board Room

November 6 - Shimmy With Char, 6:15-7 pm, Strathclair Hall

November 6 - Strathclair Ag Society Meeting, 7:30 pm, Community Centre

November 7 - We Can! Program, 10 am-12 pm, Strath Baptist Church

November 7 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m., 6:15-7:15 p.m., Muay Thai at the Shoal Lake School

November 8 - Remembrance Service, 10:30 a.m., Strath School Gym

November 8 - Remembrance Service, 2:20 pm, SL School Gym

November 8 - Chase the Ace at the Shoal Lake Motor Inn

November 8 - Deadline for Shoal Lake Community Foundation Grant Application

November 8 - Strathclair Curling Club Meat Draw

November 10 - Movie at the Bend - The Greatest Showman

November 11 - Remembrance Day

November 11 - Remembrance Day Service, 10:15 a.m., SL School Gym

November 11 - Remembrance Day Service, 10:45 a.m., Bend Theatre

November 11 - Veterans Banquet, 5:30 p.m., Strath Municipal Hall

November 12 - Flu Clinic, 1-7 p.m., Strathclair Municipal Hall

November 12 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m. at the Shoal Lake School

November 12 - Bingo, 7 pm at the Shoal Lake Community Hall

November 13 - Strathclair Community Centre General Mtg, 10 am

November 13 - Shimmy With Char, 6:15-7 pm, Strathclair Hall

November 13 - Shoal Lake Lions Club Mtg, 7 p.m., Drop In Centre

November 14 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m., 6:15-7:15 p.m., Muay Thai at the Shoal Lake School

November 14 - Service Canada, 1:00-3:30 pm, Leisure Service Office

November 15 - Chase the Ace at the Shoal Lake Motor Inn

November 15 - Strathclair Christmas Extravaganza

November 16 - Beta Sigma Phi Christmas Craft Sale, Shoal Lake Hall

November 16 - Big Daddy Tazz Evening, 5 pm, Oakburn Hall

November 16 - 24 HR Challenge - Shoal Lake Community Foundation

November 18 - Adult Basketball, 7-9 pm, Shoal Lake School

November 19 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m. at the Shoal Lake School

November 19 - Bingo, 7 pm at the Shoal Lake Community Hall

November 20 - Shimmy With Char, 6:15-7 pm, Strathclair Hall

November 20 - Oakburn Lion's Club Meeting

November 21 - Flu Clinic, 1-7 p.m., Shoal Lake Community Hall

November 21 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m., 6:15-7:15 p.m., Muay Thai at the Shoal Lake School

November 21 - We Can! Program, 10 am-12 pm, Strath Baptist Church

November 22 - Chase the Ace at the Shoal Lake Motor Inn

November 25 - Adult Basketball, 7-9 pm, Shoal Lake School

November 26 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m. at the Shoal Lake School

November 26 - Bingo, 7 pm at the Shoal Lake Community Hall

November 27 - Shimmy With Char, 6:15-7 pm, Strathclair Hall

November 28 - Service Canada, 1:00-3:30 pm, Leisure Services

November 28 - Capoeira, 5:15-6:15 p.m., 6:15-7:15 p.m., Muay Thai at the Shoal Lake School

November 29 - Chase the Ace at the Shoal Lake Motor Inn

December 1 - Oakburn Craft Sale, 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

December 1 - SL Community Foundation Winter Gala, 4:30 p.m.

December 1 - Strathclair Community Christmas Pageant

December 3 - CP Holiday Train, 7 p.m., Shoal Lake North Railway

December 5 - We Can! Program, 10 am-12 pm, Strath Baptist Church

December 9 - Strathclair Ag. Society Annual Meeting

December 13 - Strathclair Memory Tree Lighting

December 19 - We Can! Program, 10 am-12 pm, Strath Baptist Church


Strathclair Community Centre

Mondays - Whist/Cards 1:30 p.m.

Tuesdays - Tea/Dessert (afternoon)

Thursdays - Cards/Games 2 p.m.

Fridays - Scrabble 9 a.m.




Shoal Lake Drop-In Centre

Mondays - Bridge 1:30 p.m.

Tuesdays - Floor Shuffle 1:30 p.m.
(Floor shuffle runs from November 1st to April 30th)
Five Hundred 6:30 p.m.

Thursdays - Floor Shuffle 1:30 p.m. Spades 6:30 p.m.
Pool is Monday to Saturday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.



From the Office of Leisure Services

During the vacancy in this position please contact the following people should you need one of the Leisure Services Facilities:

Shoal Lake Community Hall - Emily Wolfe 204-759-2565 ext. 102

Shoal Lake Communiplex- Dan Myhill- 204-365-6085

Lakeview Park Campground- Doreen Knight 204-365-0153

Marshall Chambers Park Campground- Doreen Knight 204-365-0153

All other inquires please email- leisure@yhgov.net and someone will get back to you.

Leisure Services is looking for volunteers to join our facility boards. If you have a passion for the Community Hall, the Communiplex, the Park/Campground, or you want to volunteer a bit of your time, please let the RM office know or email info@yhgov.net.

From the Office of Service for Seniors

Well..... to say its been a crazy month is a understatement! That crazy snow storm that went through on Thanksgiving sure cancelled a lot of plans with folks, along with the fact it put the farmers behind. Mother Nature sure can be cranky sometimes!!!!

While sitting at the supper table last week, my little misses asked me” Mom, have you ever met someone with Heterochromia”? Huh, was my reply...I looked at my significant other with a look on my face like once again I have been stumped...” You know mom, someone with 2 different colored eyes”?

“Well I have met a dog with 2 different colored eyes before”. She looked at me and then as a matter of fact stated...” you need to really be on the lookout for Heterochromia”...Um okay...

We have had a great October at Senior Services and have a really wonderful event coming up on November 19th. We will be heading into Brandon for supper and then off to see the Russian Ballet perform “The Nutcracker”.. We still have a few seats left. Must know by November 8th.

And don’t forget about the Flu Clinic on November 21st. You can call 1 877 646 3888 to book yourself an appointment.

The Holiday Train once again will be passing through Shoal lake on December 3rd, so make sure you come out and support your local foodbank. Take care and be kind to each other.

~Service for Seniors Coordinator Leslie Toovey

STRATHCLAIR CHRISTMAS EXTRAVAGANZA

Friday, November 15, 2019

Movie kicks it off beginning 3:30 P.M. at the Strathclair School

Downtown activities to follow: hay rides, pictures with Santa, crafts, face painting, decorating cookies with Mrs. Claus, bonfire, food, entertainment and lighting contest.

Please see What’s Up Yellowhead Community Connection for a complete list of activities.

A fun evening is planned for everyone. Come on down!





HURRY! HURRY HARD!

Interested in getting out of the house this winter, doing a fun sport and meeting new people??

Then try **CURLING!!**

Mens, Ladies and afternoon leagues are available

Whether you are new to the game or a seasoned curler, come out and enjoy a great game and meet local residents

Call Linda at 204-759-2607 or Jerry at 204-759-2560

Handi-bus or Handi-van payments are to be forwarded to the address listed on the invoice. To book the bus/van call Mona at 204-365-6311.





Bouquet

Thank you to the Strathclair Cadets for cleaning up the flowers in the community (end of season)!

We appreciate your efforts to keep Strathclair looking great!



HELP WANTED - FULL TIME ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK

The Rural Municipality of Yellowhead is accepting applications for the position of a Full Time Administrative Clerk for the Shoal Lake Municipal Office.

Duties to include:	Reception	Travel Reservations
Filing	Agenda Preparation	Compile Minutes
	Bank Deposits	Compile Tax Statements

Qualifications: Proven work experience as a Receptionist, Front Office Representative or similar role

Proficiency in Microsoft Word and Excel

Professional attitude and appearance

Solid written and verbal communication skills

Ability to be resourceful and proactive when issues arise

Excellent organizational skills

Multitasking and time-management skills

Wages: As per Union Collective Agreement

For more information, please contact the municipal office at 204-759-2565.

Submit resume listing all qualifications and references, to the Yellowhead Municipal Office in Shoal Lake by 5:00pm Friday, November 15th , 2019 to: R.M. of Yellowhead
Box 278
Shoal Lake, MB
R0J 1Z0
Fax 204-759-2740 Email : ngapka@yhgov.net

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



HELP WANTED - COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

The **Rural Municipality of Yellowhead** is now accepting applications for a half time, permanent Community Development Officer (CDO)

Working with individual clients and community groups in the Rural Municipality of Yellowhead, the CDO provides leadership and advisory assistance in community economic development activities.

The incumbent must be an energetic and outgoing individual capable of maintaining strict confidentiality while performing duties of the CDO. The applicant must demonstrate good team building and leadership skills, be an effective verbal and written communicator and be able to network with other professionals and organizations. Financial and business experience and/or a Degree or Diploma in Community Economic Development or Business Administration would be considered an asset.

The RM of Yellowhead is a vibrant municipality located in south-western Manitoba. It is a thriving centre for agribusiness and offers educational, healthcare, recreational and professional services.

Interested applicants should forward their resumes stating job experience, academic qualifications, expected salary and three professional references by Monday, November 18, 2019 to the following:

Rural Municipality of Yellowhead
P.O. Box 278
Shoal Lake, MB R0J 1Z0
Email: ngapka@yhgov.net

A complete job description is available on request or online at www.yellowheadmunicipality.ca

SHOAL LAKE’S

38th Annual

Beta Sigma Phi

CHRISTMAS CRAFT MART

Shoal Lake Community Hall

Saturday, November 16th

10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Adults - \$2.00

Children - .50

Over 40 door prizes

Proceeds To Community Projects

Direct inquiries to Barb – 759-2826 Val – 759-2782