

# Town of Cupar Newsletter

August 2014

## Cupar is turning 110 years old next year

Cupar is turning 110 years old next year and planning has begun to celebrate. Local groups have graciously taken on many of the tasks and venues that we are planning, yet we still have a few available. If you or your organization wants to be involved in our celebration please contact the office by phone at 306-723-4324 or email

[townofcupar1@sasktel.net](mailto:townofcupar1@sasktel.net).

There are many other ways people can help out as well as we will be looking for volunteers to work the entry ways, security, serving, bar work etc. If you are available to donate even an hour or two of your time please contact us so we can put you on our list.

At this time we are looking at Ball tournament, craft

sales/trade show, bingo, kids fun zone, evening beer gardens and dance, strawberry social and museum events, parade, pancake breakfast, etc. We have other ideas but are looking for a group or organization to head them up as their fundraiser.

Let's make this a date to remember and celebrate our beautiful town and the milestone it is turning.

Look forward to hearing from you!



## Pool hours and lessons

Our hours for the Cupar Pool are 3:00 pm – 8:30 pm daily – July and August.

10 and under - \$3.00 admission

11 and over - \$5.00 admission

Swim lessons offered – 1 week crash sessions

August 11-15; August 18-22

**Get your registrations in for swimming lessons! We are filling up fast and it is first come first serve!**

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Tournament** **Cupar Playground and Pool Project**

**Saturday August 16<sup>th</sup>**

**@**

**Cupar Lion's Golf Course**

Prizes for Men's longest drive, women's longest drive, closest to the pin and a hole in one.

Pre-Register Now!!! Tickets \$40  
(Includes 18 holes and supper)

Best Ball scramble

**Registration 10-10:30 am**  
**Start 11:00 am**  
**Supper 5:00 pm**

Beer Gardens & Confectionary will be open all day  
Shuttle service available into Cupar (Free)

**For More info or to register please call**  
**Mike Pearce @ 718-7117**  
**Matthew Boha @ 726-8299**



## Library News

Our hours have changed since the Health Center has re-located.

Our new hours are:

Wednesday 9-5

Friday 1-6

Come in and visit with us and browse our bookcases.

If you are a library card holder and have a new baby in your house, please stop by for a free baby book from us!

**Next meeting**  
**Wednesday Aug 20 at**  
**6:30 pm**

**Legion hall**

### Dance Season is approaching!!!

Dance season will be here soon and it all begins this August 19<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup> at our Town Hall with Dance Camp.

Watch for more information as we will post it as it is available.



## Cupar utility Bills

Please note that all utility bills are due before month end for the month they are issued. Effective immediately, any residences with outstanding accounts on the first of the month will have their water supply shut off unless prior arrangements for payment have been made with the town office. It is the homeowner's responsibility to contact us; we will not be contacting you prior to cut-off.

Once water has been shut off there is a \$50.00 reconnect fee added to your bill.

Please understand that the town

**"The most exciting phrase to hear in science, the one that heralds new discoveries, is not 'Eureka!' but 'That's funny...'"**  
**Isaac Asimov**

### Summer Reading Program

Our summer reading program continues where children ages 3-16 are welcome to sign up at the library and record the books they have read over the summer. At the end of August, children are asked to hand in the logbooks and receive an ice cream treat from us. Who can resist that!?! Stop in for your free activity and sticker pages too!

Reading is fun!!

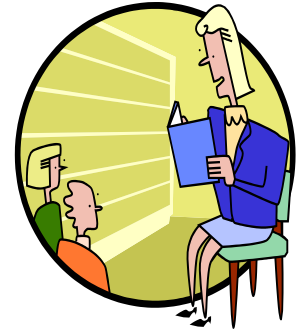
### August entertainment

TD Canada Trust and Parkland Library have teamed up to sponsor a professional Story Teller for the afternoon of Wednesday Aug 13. Time will be announced so watch for posters!

Local magician Keegan Duck will perform at the library

**Friday Aug 29 2-3 pm**

**Cost is \$2/person**



### Town Meetings

#### **Council meeting**

August 19 @ 7:00 pm

#### **Cupar Fire Dept**

August 20 @ 7:30 pm

#### **Cupar 110 Birthday meeting**

To be announced

#### **Library Meeting**

August 20<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 pm

pays for the water usage to Sask Water each month and delinquent payments hinder our ability to meet our expenses as well. Also, for residents, it is much easier to catch up on a one month payment rather than five months of missed payments.

Thank you for your co-operation and speedy payments!

### Branches

Starting this fall the Town of Cupar will only be collecting branches **twice a year**.

The first pick up will be in May and then once in October.

If you have tree trimmings in between these months, residents are to transport their own trees to the transfer site or store them neatly on their own property until the time of collection.



### Walking at night

Everyone is getting out for exercise and enjoying the outdoors which is fabulous to see but we do ask that you do so safely. When walking at night ensure you are wearing bright clothes so vehicles can see you. Stay on sidewalks when you can and make sure you are aware of your surroundings watching for motor vehicles.

Enjoy the summer!!!



““You grow up the day you have your first real laugh -- at yourself.”

~Ethel Barrymore~

## Cupar Taxes

Tax Notices have been sent out so to get your best deal, payment should be received within the months of July and August where you receive a 5% discount. The discount decreases gradually per month until the end of November.

**Please note** – Any payments made online may not necessarily make it to our office that same day. It can take up to 5 business days to be received so if you make your payment for taxes (or utilities for that matter) on the last day of the month they will not make it to us until the following month.

In order to receive any discounts on your taxes or avert any interest charges, payments must be received in the office for month end.

### Community in Bloom

The Town of Cupar is considering enrolling in Communities in Bloom for the 2015 year. We are asking residents to start cleaning their yards to enhance the beauty of our town. The transfer site is open Saturdays to help out with your cleaning. Further, we ask that all derelict vehicles be removed and stored properly or disposed of as they attract rodents and allow weeds to grow around them which is difficult to maintain.

Please let us know if this is definitely something we would like to participate in as it coincides with our 110 birthday celebration.

### Jason's Sewer

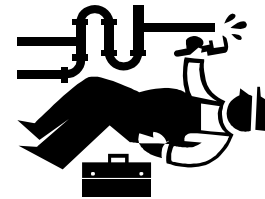
If you have any issues regarding your plumbing/Sewer we ask that you please contact:

Jason at 306-726-7749

OR

Peter Cell 306-529-8676 Home 306-939-2230

They will help you with all your sewer issues.



### Transient Traders

This is the time of the year when door-to-door salesmen/women increase. To keep everyone safe please ask to see their business license that they would purchase from our office. If they do not have one, do not let them in your house. This is the only way we can monitor and keep track of who is in our town and keep them accountable.



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What is the name of my little English Bull Dog? ANSWER \_\_\_\_\_

To answer the question, look for a work or phrase that are hidden in the puzzle, but not the word list.

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|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| BACKYARD    | ENGLISH BULLDOG | SQUEAKER        |
| BARK        | FLOPPY EARS     | STAY            |
| BEGS        | FOOD            | STUFFED ANIMALS |
| BLANKET     | GOOD GIRL       | TAGS            |
| BONES       | HOWLING         | TREATS          |
| BOWL        | LEASH           | VETRINARIAN     |
| BROWN EYES  | OUTSIDE         | WALK            |
| CHASES CATS | PAWS            | WATER           |
| CHEWY       | SHADE           | WET NOSE        |
| COLLAR      | SIT             | WOOF            |
| CUTE        | SNIFFING        | SNORES          |
|             |                 | DOGGIE BED      |

**Fun Facts!!!!**

1. Wearing headphones for just an hour will increase the bacteria in your ear by 700 times.
2. At a glance, the Celsius scale makes more sense than the Fahrenheit scale for temperature measuring. But its creator, Anders Celsius, was an oddball scientist. When he first developed his scale, he made freezing 100 degrees and boiling 0 degrees, or upside down. No one dared point this out to him, so fellow scientists waited until Celsius died to change the scale.
3. A raisin dropped in a glass of fresh champagne will bounce up and down continuously from the bottom of the glass to the top.
4. Ketchup was sold in the 1830s as medicine.
5. Beetles taste like apples, wasps like pine nuts, and worms like fried bacon.
6. The Guinness Book of Records holds the record for being the book most often stolen from Public Libraries.

If you would like to see your advertisement or announcements in our newsletter, contact us at townofcupar1@sasktel.net or w\_gardiner@sasktel.net

Provide us your information as detailed as possible and we will do our best to get it in our next newsletter – FREE!!!

Further, if you would like to receive this newsletter by email, or know someone who would, let us know your email address and we will gladly add it to our contact list.

Thank you!!!!