

# THE SCOOP



January/February 2019

## Town Council Meetings

Council Meeting for the months of January/February will be held at 7:00 pm on Monday, January 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019, Monday January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and Monday, February 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 in the Town Office at 78 Main Street.

Lashburn Town Council: Mayor: Steven Turnbull Councillors: Shannon Bryce, Laura Bowman, Alison Cheesman, Danelle Covey, Zach Halwachs and Kevin McNay.

Please remove waste & organics carts from the street as soon as possible after pick up. This will ensure the grading of streets can proceed effectively. The Town will not be responsible for grading around carts.

### **Free Dog/Cat Registration**

Come down to the Town Office to renew your dog/cat registration. For your pet's 2019 free ride home. If you have not previously registered your pet you can come to the office to do so, please bring a current picture.

Please Note: Dog/Cat Registrations DO NOT carry over from year to year, you must come in and sign each year. Registration gives your dog/cat one free ride home during the calendar year!



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## Minute with the Mayor

January 2019

Happy New Year!

As we start the New Year the planning process for many things gets underway.

I would like to thank everyone for your cooperation and understanding during the recent water boil advisory. The Town worked to notify residents in several different ways including mail drop, posters, Facebook, Sask. Alert and sign's on main streets. We feel the multiple sources of information was good coverage. The length of the advisory had to do with Christmas holidays and the lab availability for samples. If you have any questions or suggestions please do not hesitate to pass them on to the Town.

The Town would like to encourage residents to sign up for the Saskatchewan Alert system. This is a great application to provide you with notifications in cases of emergencies, public notices and severe weather conditions. The alerts are immediate and brief. Simply go to the application store and download the app today! It is definitely well worth it!

With winter comes snow and with snow comes snow removal. The Town would like to remind all residents that the removal of snow from town sidewalks is the homeowner/occupant's responsibility. The Town will eventually clear sidewalks but they are not the first priority of snow removal. As residents, please do not shovel excess snow from your property onto town streets, back alleys or drainage ditches. As snow is removed from the streets please be aware that the Town will pile some snow or grade to the middle of the street for later removal. When driving please be aware of the piles of snow.

The budget process begins in the New Year. During this time, Council will have discussions in regards to past spending and reviewing all 2019 projects. Council will also look to 2019-2020 for allocation of money for new projects or ventures. If you have any suggestions in regards to things you would like to see done or considered please do not hesitate to contact the Mayor or member of Council. One priority continuing in 2019 will be an emphasis on streets and street improvements.

We will also start the planning process for the 11th Annual Community Days in June. Council will have a preliminary meeting in January or early February and then open the process to community organizations. If you have a desire to serve on the committee and help organize please leave your name at the Town Office. We welcome participation from all community organizations!

The Outdoor Rink is up and running! It has been very busy so far. Just a reminder to respect the property and treat it well. We would like the new facility to last! The Town will continue working on Heritage Park in the coming years adding additional things to make it an excellent outdoor area for children and families to enjoy!

In February, Councilor Covey, Councilor Bryce and I will be attending the 114th SUMA Convention in Saskatoon from February 3rd – 6th. The theme this year is "Hometown Advantage". This is an annual convention in which delegates from across the province join together for workshops, presentations, and an opportunity to discuss municipal issues with provincial government representatives. I will post SUMA updates on my Facebook Page during the Convention. I will include an update summary about the convention in the next Minute with the Mayor.

The Town does its best to inform all residents of upcoming changes, rate increases or news about the community. Please make sure you check the Town Facebook page, the bulletin board, the Scoop and the information provided in your water bill. The water bill can sometimes contain both paper copies of letters and notations on the water bill. So please read carefully.

Well that is about all for this month. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to email me at [steven\\_turnbull@hotmail.ca](mailto:steven_turnbull@hotmail.ca) and I will address the issues in the next Minute with the Mayor.

Thank you

Steven Turnbull

The Town of Lashburn would like to remind all residents that all houses in the Town of Lashburn must have house numbers affixed to them so that the numbers can be easily seen from the street. This will assist emergency vehicles and town personnel in responding to residences.  
Thank you



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## Support Local Housing

Volunteer to serve on the Lashburn Housing Authority Board of Directors

The Lashburn Housing Authority delivers rental housing programs on behalf of Saskatchewan Housing Corporation, a Government of Saskatchewan Crown Corporation.

The Lashburn Housing Authority Board of Directors is responsible for ensuring the efficient and fair delivery of housing programs and administration of property within its jurisdiction, namely Tighnduin Home. Board members are not expected to attend to administrative or maintenance tasks personally.

If you are interested in using your knowledge and skills to help others, contact the Nominating Committee Chairperson, Mayor Steven Turnbull or contact the Town Office, at 306-285-3533 for more information and a nomination form.

Lashburn Centennial Museum consists of three aging buildings built in 1906, 1908 and 1935. We have successfully renovated the Legion to house the Veterans' Gallery. The Snyder & Armstrong Building (the Main Building) needs much TLC. Further display expansion is planned in both the Veterans' Gallery and the main building. We welcome financial donations to help us accomplish these goals. These donations are tax deductible. Cheques must be made out to the Town of Lashburn and designated for the museum.

The Museum's annual meeting is Thursday, February 20, 2014 at 7:30 at the library. Everyone is welcome to attend the meeting. Please come and hear our accomplishments and goals. It will be a good time to ask your questions & voice your concerns. Memberships will also be available at this time.

## Tighnduin News

### Gentle Yoga:

Monday's - at 10:00 am  
January 24<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>  
February 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>

### Games Nite:

Tuesday's - at 7:00 pm  
January 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>  
February 5<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>

### Coffee Morning:

Wednesday, January 16<sup>th</sup>  
at 9:30am Everyone Welcome

### Wellness Clinic:

Thursday February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2019, at 9:00 am

### Bingo:

Friday's - at 7:30 pm  
January 25<sup>th</sup> - by Community Church  
February 8<sup>th</sup> - by Anglican Church  
Special thanks to the Wilson's, Pierce's and the Community Church for recent bingos.

### Music and other fun:

January 19<sup>th</sup> - Vincent Gerlinsky Music  
**Birthday Greetings to:**  
Shirley

**"The best car safety device is a rear - view mirror with a cop in it!"**

The Town now has the option for people to receive their Utility Bills, Tax Notices and Assessment Notices thru e-mail. To sign up for this service there is a form that has to be filled out. Please stop by the Town Office to fill one out, call 306-285-3533 for one to be mailed to you or email [townoflashburn.carmen@sasktel.net](mailto:townoflashburn.carmen@sasktel.net) to have a copy emailed to you.

## Upcoming Events at the Anglican Church

Annual General Meeting  
9:30am, Sunday, Jan. 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019  
Bingo Games in Tighnduin Homes  
7pm, Fridays, Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

If you are still interested in making a donation to the Donor's Choice, forms are available from Margaret Hemsley 306-285-4157 or Holly Wheler 306-319-9147 & the Credit Union. Cheques must be made out to Lashburn District Combined Appeal Donor's Choice.

## LASHBURN LEGION #73

We sincerely hope that everyone has had a good beginning to 2019. May this year be a good one for all. Above all else remember to be Kind. Also take time to remember that you get to enjoy freedom because men and women paid the ultimate price for our freedom. Our past and present veterans have given up so much and we need to appreciate that fact not just on November 11 but every day of the year.

Awards will be handed out at both schools on January 25 for the Literary and Poster Contest held as part of the Remembrance Week activities. Winners will be given cash prizes and certificates. We will list the names in the next Scoop as we do not want to wreck the surprise of winning!  
Lest We Forget.

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Thank You  
Town of Lashburn

**February Council Meeting**  
There will only be one Council Meeting in February, 2019.  
On Monday, February 25, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. in the Town Office


Thank You  
Town of Lashburn

The Lashburn Skating Club is celebrating its 65th year. We are looking for former skaters that would like to help out planning a celebration or that have memorabilia or pictures we could use.

Please contact the skating club at [lashburnskatingclub@gmail.com](mailto:lashburnskatingclub@gmail.com) or call Amanda 306-821-1642.

The skating club doing the De Simone Farms fruit fundraiser late January / February. If wanting to order contact Amanda at 306-821-1642 and watch for more information on Signs around town and on Facebook

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Lashburn 4-H RIDGE RIDERS next general meeting is in January 2019 ages 6-21 welcome variety of over 50 projects, field trips and crafts. more info contact Lynn Underhill 306-285-3784 or Heather Gerlinsky 306-825-7883 Lashburn and all surrounding communities welcome "LEARN TO DO BY DOING"

**Nails by Candice**  
Tuesday – Thursday  
Day & Evening Appointments  
For Gel Nails 306-821-1449

**Senior Housing Available**  
**Tighnduin Home/ Lashburn Housing Authority**  
\*Applications available at Lashburn Town Office or any Sask. Housing Authority.  
**Guidelines as per Sask. Housing Corp.**  
>>>All Senior applications welcome<<<  
Questions can be directed to **Tera Spencer, mngr**  
\*Ph. 306-215-7140  
\*Email- [managerlashburn@sasktel.net](mailto:managerlashburn@sasktel.net)

Lashburn Centennial Museum  
96 Main Street  
P.O. Box 275, Lashburn SK, S0M 1H0  
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/Lashburn-Centennial-Museum-247827855409220/>  
For Appointments contact  
Kathy 306-285-7288,  
Murray 306-821-7590  
or the Town Office  
306-285-3533

Do you sit and look at your tired coffee tables, end tables, night tables, or just want to add a hallway table or a bench seat at the end of your bed?  
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**Library News**  
Monday Closed  
Tuesday 9:00 - Noon  
Wednesday 6:30 – 9:30 pm  
Thursday 1:30 – 4:30 pm  
Book Club at 7:00 pm on the 2nd Wednesday of the month  
Friday 10:00 am – 3:00 pm  
Preschool Story time Friday's 1:00 pm  
"Like" Lashburn Library Facebook page to keep up with new books and programming at the Library

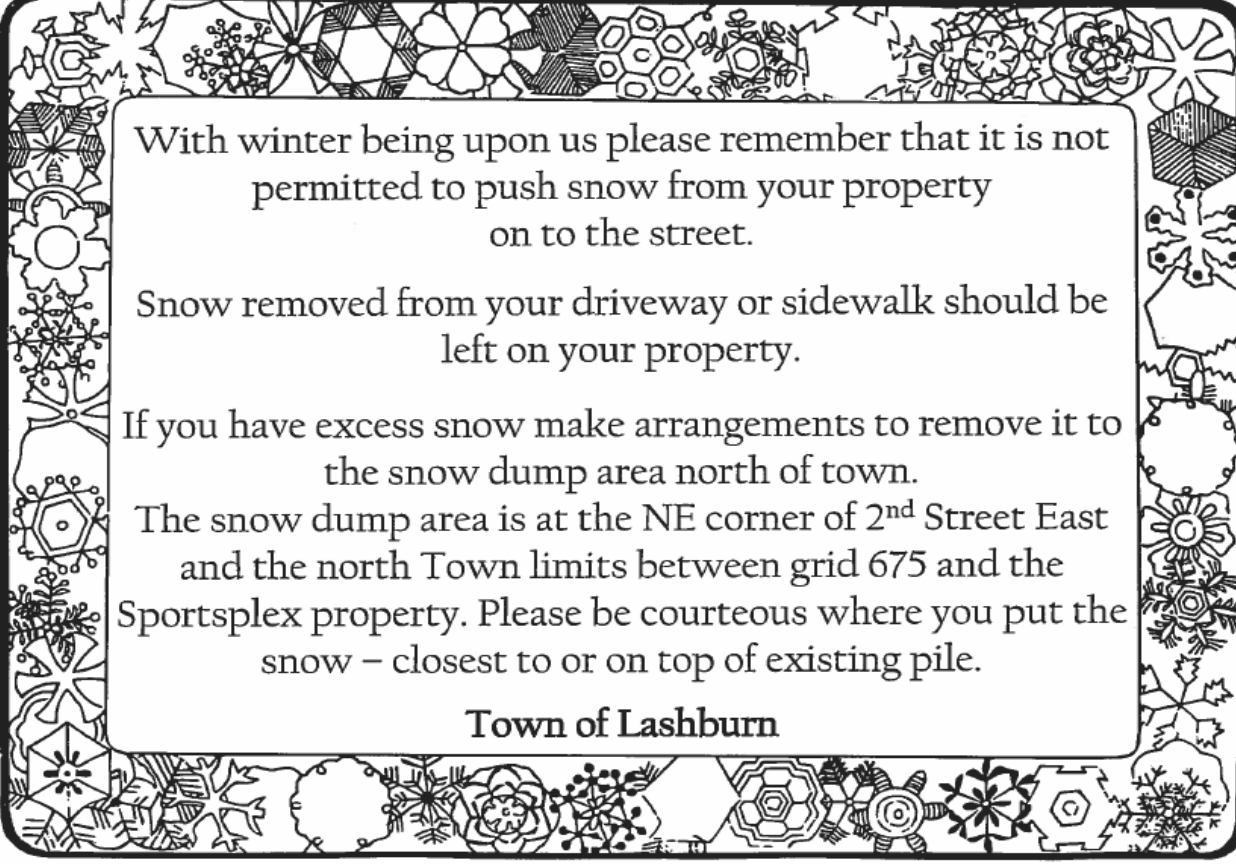
If you are aware of any street lights that are out in the Town of Lashburn, Please report them to:  
  
In Saskatchewan call: 310-2220, Out of province call: 1-888-355-5589 or on the **SaskPower website**  
<http://www.saskpower.com/>



**2019 Volunteer Recognition Program**

The Town of Lashburn would like to encourage residents/organizations to nominate volunteers, facilities, events and organizations that have had a positive impact on the Town.

The Nomination Deadline is February 8, 2019  
Nomination forms are available at <http://www.riverswestdistrict.ca> (click Programs, then North Battleford Office and the form is linked in the Volunteer Recognition Program post) or they can be picked up at the Town Office

With winter being upon us please remember that it is not permitted to push snow from your property on to the street.

Snow removed from your driveway or sidewalk should be left on your property.

If you have excess snow make arrangements to remove it to the snow dump area north of town.

The snow dump area is at the NE corner of 2<sup>nd</sup> Street East and the north Town limits between grid 675 and the Sportsplex property. Please be courteous where you put the snow – closest to or on top of existing pile.

**Town of Lashburn**