



# MACKLIN & DISTRICT HOMETOWN CONNECTION

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## FIRE PREVENTION WEEK October 6—12, 2019



Back (L-R) - Cameron Putz, Stephen Lowe, Logan Sieben, Lance Legge, Cody Heffner, Greg Bast, Terry Elder.  
Front (L-R) - Cole Bast, Pat Stang, Rod Soderlund, Justin Bast, Elliott Cline.  
Missing from picture - Garry Walz, Andre Benwell, Peter Sieben, Therin Doetzel and Ty Kohlman



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### Town of Macklin Office Hours:

Monday to Friday 9:00am-12:00pm | 1:00pm—5:00pm

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Chamber Website: [www.macklinchamber.com](http://www.macklinchamber.com)



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## COMMUNITY EVENTS

*(Always stay tuned as new events are added or dates change)*

October 4	Saskatoon Royals Vs. Kerrobert Rage( Jr.B)
October 17	Credit Union Day
October 20	St. Mary's Fall Supper
October 21	Federal Election
October 23	Villa Marie Soup & Sandwich 11:00-1:30
October 24,25	Haunted House at Macklin Museum
October 31	We Scare Hunger / Halloween
November 1	Daycare Ladies Night Out
November 2	Art's Council Concert Series
November 11	Remembrance Day Service (Communiplex—10:30 am)
December 6	Christmas In Our Town
December 7	Chamber Christmas Social

### Waste Collection

**Tuesday – Residential & Business**

**Friday – Business & Industrial Park**

*REMINDER:* Free residential RECYCLE pickup on Tuesdays.

Items must be in a 30" x 36" clear plastic bag.

### Transfer Station Hours (starting October 17)

(Macklin Residents only)

**Tuesday:** 4:00 – 6:00pm

**Thursday:** 4:00 – 6:00pm

**Saturday:** 11:00am – 3:00pm

**NEW!!**

Now accepting old electronics at  
transfer station!

### Dog Licensing

Male or Female Unaltered Dogs

\$40.00

Neutered Male or Spayed Female Dogs

\$20.00

Vicious Animal License Fee

\$250.00

Replacement Tag

\$5.00

Impoundment Fees:

Fees range from \$30.00 to \$250.00

Contact the Town Office with any questions or concerns. 306-753-2256

### Business Licensing

Business Licenses can be paid at the Town Office.

Business Incentive applications can be picked up at the Town Office

or found at [www.macklin.ca](http://www.macklin.ca)

***\*To view the Town of Macklin Drinking Water Quality and  
Compliance Report please check out:***

***[www.macklin.ca/living/services/water\\_sewer](http://www.macklin.ca/living/services/water_sewer)***



**\*\*In case of an Emergency, please call the Town office,  
you will be directed to the 24hrs. on-call contact! 306-753-2256\*\***

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HUGE SHOUT OUT to these considerate and kind hearted children.

They had an Iced Tea stand and decided to share half of their profits with the Villa Marie's Senior Program.

Emerson, Chase, Eowyn, Blake & Amara



## Local Church Services

**Catholic:** Saturday St. Donatus 5:00pm  
 Macklin 7:00pm  
 Sunday Denzil 9:00am  
 Macklin 11:00am  
**United:** Worship/Sunday School 9:00am  
**Evesham Anglican/United:** Sunday 10:00am



## Lab and X-Ray Hours of Operation

**Where:** St. Joseph Health Centre  
**When:** September 2019  
 Monday–Friday 8:30am 2:30pm

## Provost Diabetic Society

Open to all interested persons  
 Next meeting: October 9, 2019 at 7:00 pm  
 Provost Provincial Building  
 Speakers, Discussions, Presentations  
 Contact: Dave 306-480-7501

## Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings



Every Thursday at 8:00pm  
 United Church Basement (4901 Telegraph St.)

### MADAC Trip-of-the-Month Winners: August 2019

Trip to Las Vegas – Sister B's Cafe  
 \$75.00 Gift Certificate – Cameron Putz

### September 2019

\$1500.00 Travel Voucher—Tyler & Jennessa Forseth  
 \$75.00 Gift Certificate—Keith & Kelly Stang

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## ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITY



The Macklin Arena Committee is inviting proposals (maximum five years in length) for advertising on the arena ice surfacing machine.

For further information please contact  
(306) 753-2256.

Proposals will be received until Thursday,  
October 18, 2019.

### Voter's checklist



- Make sure you're registered at your current address
- Watch for your voter information card in the mail
- Make a plan to vote
- Find out who the candidates are in your riding
- Bring ID when you go to vote



At your assigned polling station on election day, October 21

At your assigned polling station on advance polling days, October 11, 12, 13 or 14

At any Elections Canada office across Canada, before October 15, 6:00 p.m.

By mail: visit [elections.ca](http://elections.ca) to find out more (deadlines apply)

**X**  
*It's Our Vote*

Visit [elections.ca](http://elections.ca) for the official information you need to vote  
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## Local Service. Global Reach.



**International Credit Union Day – October 17, 2019**



CUNA.ORG/ICUDAY #ICUDAY

**Join us on  
October 17 from  
9am to 4 pm to  
celebrate  
International  
Credit Union Day!  
Enter your name  
in our raffle to  
win some prizes  
and have a sweet  
treat on us!**

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**306-753-2222**

**Friday November 1, 2019**

**Macklin Daycare Presents...**

Ladies Night Out  
Dinner & Show

*Las Vegas Style*

Special Guest **Hypnotist Corrie J.**

**TICKETS**

**\$45 each**  
**Table of 8**  
**\$340**

Cocktails: 5:30 Dinner 6:30 Program & Entertainment: 7:30

Tickets available at the Macklin Credit Union,  
From any board member or call 306-753-4360  
\*\*\*MUST BE 19 YEARS OF AGE TO ATTEND\*\*\*

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Cup Draw

### Electronics now Accepted at Transfer Station

*Items now accepted:*

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Items are free of charged when placed i in marked bin. Please gently place items in bins



### Macklin Lakeview Cemetery now has a Columbarium!

A Columbarium niche is 12.5" x 12.5" x 14" in size on the inside and hold a maximum of two standard size cremains. Memorial plaques can be added to the Niche as needed.

For loved ones who have been buried elsewhere there is the option of displaying a memorial plaque on the sides of Columbarium's plaque wall.

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*- Jesus is Lord -*



## Letter from the Chief

Fall is in the air again and a walk around town or a drive out in the country reinforces that. The colors of the leaves are just beautiful right now!! Take a bit of time and enjoy this wonderful time of year.

Fall also puts the farmers back in the fields and on the roads as well. Please be patient and careful around the large equipment you will see out there. Remember you can see them but sometimes they can't see you. A little extra care and attention around these big machines can save everyone involved from getting involved in a dangerous accident.

Autumn is also the time of year when the ditches and fields can get very dry. Please be very careful when burning garbage or disposing of cigarette butts. We have seen lots of fires caused by both. Use common sense!! I must say the people in this area are doing great this year!! (Touch wood) The amount of call outs we have had this year so far is the lowest I have seen in my 20 years on the department!!! Keep up the good work all!!!

Fire Prevention Week will be here very soon. The theme this year is "Not every hero wears a cape....plan and practice your escape." Fairly self explanatory I think. If you have a fire escape plan review it and practice it. Remember it is very important that everyone in your house is in on the same plan. Discuss a meeting place a safe distance from your house and make sure everyone knows where to go. That way if you have an incident and call us when we get there we will know right away if everyone is accounted for. This is very valuable information for us and helps us when seconds make a difference!! If you don't have a plan or haven't practiced it for a while there is no better time than right now. A stitch in time saves nine and practice makes perfect.

Have a great Fall everyone and please be safe!!!

Pat G Stang, Fire Chief  
Macklin & District Fire Rescue  
Cell 306-753-7378

### Thank You

Our heartfelt thanks to one and all for your overwhelming love and support shown to our family on the recent death of our dear Husband, Dad and Grandpa.

Special thanks to Fr. Binu for making Wilf's Vigil & Funeral Mass so very meaningful and special to us, and to all who joined us at that time. Your presence was greatly appreciated and we thank all of you.

To all who helped at the services, whether reading, Eucharistic ministers, altar servers, choir, K of C Honor Guard and to all who helped the CWL with the lunches and taking donations, our sincere thanks.

Special thanks to Jeremy and his staff from Gregory's Funeral Home. Your genuine compassion and attention to detail is second to none.

Thank you...For all the visits, phone calls, hugs, meals, lunches and food items brought to our gathering home. For all the mass requests, various gift cards and donations along with all of the wonderful and personal messages of remembrance that were sent in your cards. Every story told and memory shared we will hold dear in our hearts.

May God Bless all of you!

Marge

Laura, Glen & family

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Colin, Candy & family



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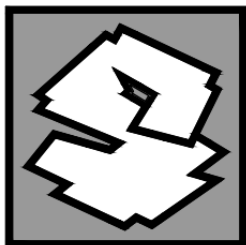


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## Thank You

Macklin Minor Ball Association would like to Thank all of our players, coaches, managers, parents and volunteers for all their help this season! We would also like to Thank the following businesses and individuals for their gracious donations and efforts:

Cory Thomas for all his years of service.  
Pattison Ag – new mower exchange program  
Rona Macklin - donating shed use for Bunnock  
Macklin Wildlife - use of warmer for Bunnock  
Irv Deck, Peter Seiben, Kevin Fischer & Marvin Sieben – tinning dugouts  
Macklin Credit Union & Delta Coop – for their sponsorship on our scoreboards that saw their first ball season this summer.

And anyone we may have missed, we couldn't do it without you!



## THANK YOU

Macklin Minor Football Association would like to thank Tim & Christy Veller of Threads & Alliance Developments for the donation of \$472.15 collected from their Grand Opening BBQ.

The proceeds are being used to help fund the light project at the Football field.



Pictured: Tim Veller  
with Board Member  
Wade Dean



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**Macklin Arts Council invites you to join us**

**SATURDAY,  
NOV. 2**

**7:30pm at the  
Macklin & District  
Communiplex**

**A Golden Menu will be served including:**

- Liquid Gold Velveeta Mac & Cheese
- Golden Nuggets
- Golden Ribbon Dessert



**Help us  
celebrate the  
Organization of  
Saskatchewan  
Arts Council's**

**50TH**

**Anniversary in a  
night of GOLD.**

**GET YOUR SEASON TICKETS!**



**Adults: \$70.00**

**Seniors (65+) : \$60.00**

**Students: \$40.00**

*(or \$25.00 at the door, all ages)*

**See FOUR great shows, get special pricing perks when you bring friends to shows AND see any show at a neighbouring arts council for only \$5.00!**



The Macklin Chamber of Commerce  
invites you to

# Save the Date

for the Annual Christmas Social to be held on  
**Saturday, December 7<sup>th</sup>**



Tickets are \$35.00  
More information coming soon.

Come and celebrate the festive season with our  
local businesses and community members.

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**October Hours**  
Monday: 9-5  
Tuesday: 9-5  
Wednesday: 9-5  
Thursday: 10-8 Late Night Shopping  
Friday: 9-5  
Saturday: Hours will Vary



### **St. Joseph's Integrated Health Centre OUR VISION...**

*With you - A compassionate caring community for all*

#### **Volunteers Needed**

St. Joseph's Health Center is in need of volunteer drivers to drive the Handi van for resident outings and appointments. Interested applicants would need clear drivers abstract and criminal record check completed. Please contact Joanne Doetzel at St. Joseph's 306 753 7115 for more information.

#### **\*\*\*SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY \*\*\***

Is your company looking for a space to rent for your weekly/monthly meetings?

The Macklin & District Communiplex is looking for sponsorship (contract rental) of the lower meeting room space.

For more information, please contact the Town Office at 306-753-2256.



Friday October 4<sup>th</sup> 2019 - Saskatoon Royals vs West Central Rage – 8:00pm

Friday October 4<sup>th</sup> - Sunday October 6<sup>th</sup> 2019 - High Voltage Hockey School-

Monday October 7<sup>th</sup> – Saturday October 12<sup>th</sup> 2019 – 3 on 3 Tournament

Monday October 14<sup>th</sup> 2019 – Regular Season Schedule Begins

Schedules for Hockey School and 3 on e will be posted on the website.

Close to Home Promotions will be offering the Mohawk gear again this year.

She will be set up at the arena Oct 5<sup>th</sup> from 9:30am 9:00pm - Order forms will be on the website as well.

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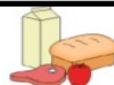
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### **Macklin & District Food Bank**

Thank-you very much for your awesome support with food donations.  
Here is a list of items we are currently short in our stock to fill hampers:

**Canned – meats, vegetables & fruit**

**Coffee, Tea, Rice, Snack foods**

**Peanut Butter & Cheese whiz**

**Paper, toiletry or cleaning products.**

**306-753-FOOD (3663)**

**Haunted Halloween**  
**at the Macklin Museum**  
**Thursday, October 24 & Friday, October 25**  
 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.  
**\$5.00 ADMISSION**  
**MUST be in Grade 5 or older to be admitted!**  
Physical or verbal abuse will not be tolerated  
People wearing costumes will not be admitted



**We Scare Hunger**

On Thursday, October 31st Macklin School students will be “trick or treating” for donations to the local food bank. Students will begin canvassing at 6 pm and will be accepting food, toiletries or cash donations for our local food bank. We ask that everyone check the dates on any food they are donating to ensure it is not out dated. If you will not be home and would like to contribute you can drop your donation off at the school anytime during the week leading up to Halloween. The SRC thanks everyone in advance for their contributions.



**No Flu is No Fluke**

Crossing your fingers is not enough.

Book your appointment or stop by the Pharmacy starting October 21st.



**PHARMACY**

**Get a flu shot from your pharmacist!**

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 Macklin, SK  
 PH: 306-753-2033

Ad material from Pharmacists Association of Saskatchewan.

## St. Mary's, Macklin Upcoming Events

### Fall Supper



Sunday, October 20, 2019

5:00-6:30 PM at St. Mary's Parish Hall

*Everyone Welcome!*

Adults: \$10.00

Children -10 and under: \$5.00

Proceeds will go to the

Northern Missions

### Clothing Drive

Coming this fall, look for posters

# Attention

St. Mary's CWL will be dispersing this year's proceeds of the St. Mary's Parish Bunnock Hot Booth.

Requests for funds may be forwarded to:

**St. Mary's CWL**

**Box 667**

**Macklin, SK**

**S0L 2C0**

Deadline is Friday, Oct 25th, 2019

Honoring of requests will be at our discretion.

## CONGRATULATIONS BERNIE!



## 35 Years with RBC!

Bernie started at RBC in Macklin on October 2, 1984. Which just happens to be 4 days before her wedding! Happy 35<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary to Bernie and Irwin!

### Macklin Drop-in Centre Bingo

When: Every Monday at 1:30pm

Where: 4920 Empire Street (Senior Centre)

What: Play 13 games/\$5.00 buy/6 Cards

Loonie Pot and Jack Pot

B I N G O				
7	25	44	57	62
15	22	40	50	70
11	30	FREE SPACE	46	74
2	28	37	55	68
10	27	39	59	75

Everyone Welcome!

B I N G O				
7	25	44	57	62
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11	30	FREE SPACE	46	74
2	28	37	55	68
10	27	39	59	75

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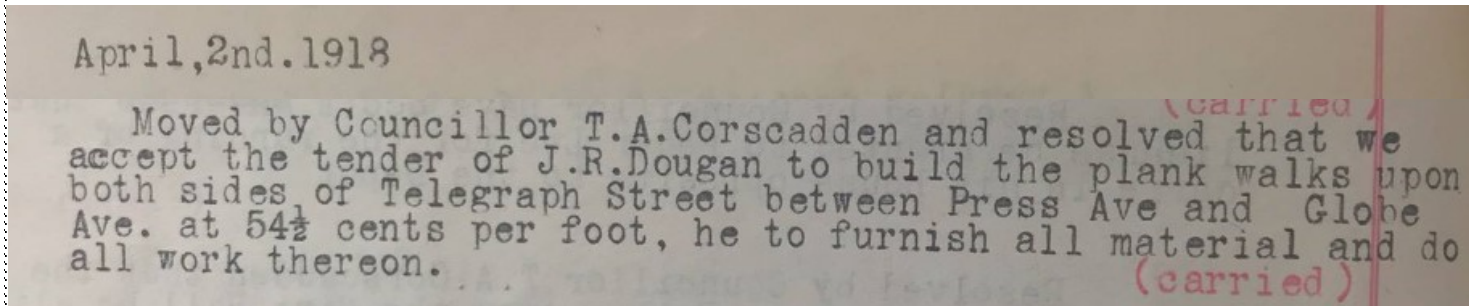
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# 2019 - 2020 MACKLIN ARENA SCHEDULE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
4:00-5:00 Initiation	4:00-5:00 NOVICE WHITE	2:30-6:30 CANSKATE STARSKATE	4:00-5:00 INITIATION	3:45-7:45 CANSKATE STARSKATE	9:00-10:00 INITIATION	9:00-10:00 TOWN
5:00-6:00 NOVICE BLACK FLOOD	5:00-6:00 NOVICE BLUE FLOOD		5:00-6:00 NOVICE WHITE/BLUE/BLACK FLOOD		10:15-12:15 NOVICE FLOOD	10:15-11:45 INITIATION FLOOD
6:15 - 7:15 ATOM	6:15-7:15 PUBLIC SKATING	6:45-7:45 PEEWEE WHITE	6:15-7:15 ATOM	8:00-11:30 CALL TO RENT 753-2256	12:30-2:30 ATOM FLOOD	2:15 - 3:15 PUBLIC SKATING FLOOD
7:15 - 8:15 PEEWEE WHITE/BLUE FLOOD	7:15-8:15 SHINNY FLOOD	7:45-8:45 BANTAM FLOOD	7:15-8:15 PEEWEE BLUE FLOOD		2:45-4:45 PEEWEE FLOOD	3:30 - 5:30 BANTAM FLOOD
8:30 - 9:30 BANTAM FLOOD	8:30-9:30 MIDGET FLOOD	9:00-10:00 SENIOR MOHAWKS	8:30-9:30 MIDGET FLOOD	7:30 - 10:00 SENIOR HOCKEY	5:00-7:00 MIDGET FLOOD	5:30 - 8:15 SENIOR HOCKEY OR SHINNY FLOOD
9:45 - 11:45 REC HOCKEY	9:45 - 11:45 REC HOCKEY		9:45 - 11:45 REC HOCKEY		8:30 - 10:30 REC HOCKEY	



## TOWN COUNCIL TAKES A GLIMPSE BACK IN TIME:



**Macklin & District Crime Watch Division**  
*Striving to keep our community safe.*  
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THE TOWN OF MACKLIN  
offers for sale the following property

**Lot 1 Block 37 Plan 85S39838 (#1 Mirror Place)  
(located in the Macklin Mobile Home Park)**

A tender must be submitted in a sealed envelope marked  
“*Property Tender*” addressed to the following:

**Town of Macklin  
Box 69  
Macklin, Sask. S0L 2C0**

Tenders must be postmarked by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, October 11, 2019.

A certified cheque to the municipality for 5% of the amount of the tender must accompany the tender.

Highest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

Dated this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, 2019.

**Kim Gartner, Administrator**



## RCMP Macklin Report

**August 27—September 16, 2019**

*Macklin RCMP Office  
Open: Monday – Friday  
9:00am – 1:00pm  
(306) 753-2171*

- RCMP received a report of a suspicious vehicle driving around town and the driver was looking into residence yards. Members patrolled but could not locate the vehicle.
- Police received a report of a suspicious vehicle driving around town and asking community members for drugs. Members patrolled but could not locate the vehicle.
- RCMP received a Mental Health Act complaint. Members located the subject of complaint and transported him to Battlefords Union Hospital for assessment.
- Members are investigating a complaint of uttering threats.
- There were also three traffic complaints and one noise complaint.
- RCMP received a complaint of a vehicle collision with a fence near Macklin. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police received a report of suspicious individuals walking down the street. Members patrolled but could not locate the subjects of complaint.
- There was a complaint of trespassing in a rural area but there was insufficient evidence to proceed.
- A 41-year-old male from Lloydminster was charged with Impaired Operation of a Motor Vehicle, Refusal to Comply with Demand, Possession of Weapon for Dangerous Purpose, Possession for the Purpose of Trafficking - Cocaine, and three counts of Fail to Comply with Condition of a Recognizance after Members received a complaint of an individual sleeping in a vehicle on the side of the highway.
- Members acted as mediators in a family dispute.
- RCMP received a noise complaint in a rural area. Members spoke with the complainant.
- There was another noise complaint in Macklin. Members attended and issued a verbal warning.
- Police received a complaint of fraud. There are no suspects at this time.
- Members are investigating a report of theft of fuel from a local gas station.
- RCMP received a complaint of a possible impaired driver. Members located the subject of complaint who was not intoxicated.
- Police received a Mental Health Act complaint. Members transported the subject of complaint to Battlefords Union Hospital for assessment.
- RCMP received a complaint of vandalism to property. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police received a report of cows on the Highway west of Macklin. Members attended and noted the animals were back in the pasture.
- Members received a report of an abandoned vehicle on Highway 14 near Macklin. This matter is still under investigation.
- RCMP received a complaint of uttering threats. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police are investigating a break and enter at Macklin Lake Regional Park Golf Clubhouse.
- There was also two false 911 call, one false alarm and two traffic complaints



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***A SPIRIT STORY for Thanksgiving*** (newspaper correspondent's story, adapted)***by Susan Conly***

(the first shall be last ...Matt. 20:16)

I met Mariama in rural Niger. She taught me a hard lesson about generosity. She may even have given me a glimpse into the Kingdom of God.

At the time, I was on a writing assignment with World Vision Canada. Early one morning our crew arrived at a care centre where children were being treated for malnourishment. About 200 women had arrived with their babies. Among them was Mariama who beckoned me over. She was at the clinic for the first time with her one-year-old son, Bassirou, the youngest of four. She wanted to talk. We quickly realized that we were close in age — she was 30, I was 31.

"We are sisters," she said with a smile.

"Yes — sisters," I quickly replied.

The clinic staff gave Mariama some nutritious food for Bassirou and encouraged her to return regularly. We followed her back to their family compound. As she built a fire and made porridge for her children, I asked about the family's food supply. She told me they grow millet to eat, and grinding millet is hard, hard work — women's work — hours of pounding with a mortar and pestle for a bit of flour.

"A millet-grinding machine would make life a lot easier" she said.

As the day wore on, the topic of the grinding machine surfaced several times more. I tried to make her understand I was only interested in collecting stories for programs like the clinic.

When we said our goodbyes, Mariama asked once more for a grinding machine.

Again, I said "No, my job is just to collect stories."

She then took my hand, pressed several coins into it. I immediately protested. She looked me in the eyes and said in her direct manner, "This is so you can buy milk."

I stammered an 'Oh!'.

Driving away, the rest of the crew laughed at me: "Buy milk? She thinks you are too skinny!"

But I kept wondering— why had she given me the coins?—was it simply a gesture of friendship? A joke at my expense?

Or . . . or . . . were they a rebuke? — 'You have not been generous with me, but I can still be generous with you. I may be poor, but you are poorer. We called each other "sister," but are we? As a 'first-world' sister, you have all the advantages of wealth, health, education, opportunity, and me? what have I?'

Then with one deft gesture, she had grabbed my hand given me the coins, and swiftly put me in my place—the last in the line.

(Jesus said, "Those who are last shall be first, and those who are the first shall be last ... Matthew: 20:16)

**ARTICLES WELCOME!!**

Pease submit any Articles in and around town to help inform town citizens on local events.

(local residents, sports, artistic, news, current events)



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Monthly Business card size ad – open to all	\$25.00/month
Monthly ¼ page ad – open to all	\$40.00/month
Monthly ½ page ad – open to all	\$60.00/month
Monthly ¾ page ad – open to all	\$90.00/month
Monthly Full page ad – open to all (limited space)	\$120.00/month

*Community news is free of charge. All other Ads are subject to standard rates (noted above)*

Ads and articles must be submitted in print ready form. There will be a 2 picture limit as well as a 100 word (half page) limit to all articles. Deadline for articles or advertising is the 24<sup>th</sup> of the month. Payment must be made **up front** by cheque to “Macklin Chamber of Commerce” and dropped off at the Town of Macklin Office or your advertisement will not be included in the issue.



If you need a digital advertisement designed for you, there will be an extra fee of \$25.00. We reserve the right to refuse ads and pictures.

Please submit all advertisements and articles to:  
[macklinhometownconnection@outlook.com](mailto:macklinhometownconnection@outlook.com)

### Library Hours

Tuesday: 1:00 – 6:00  
Wednesday: 1:00 – 6:00  
Thursday: 10:00 – 2:00

### MACKLIN LIBRARY



### Macklin Library Playgroup

Every Thursday from 10:30—11:30  
For ages 0—6 years

October 20 to 26 is Saskatchewan Library Week! Unfortunately author LJ Nelson is unable to make it due to medical issues; we wish her all the best!

Wednesday October 23 I will be having goodies and drinks to celebrate Library Week; come have a coffee and support your local library!

Our Playgroup day falls on Halloween this year; if your kids want to show off their costumes bring them dressed up; a “trick or treat” may get them some candy!

*Questions? Call Jennifer 306-753-2933*

## MACKLIN KINETTES



The Club is back in full swing after Summer!

Thank you to everyone who supported the beer gardens at Bunnock this year! And a HUGE thank you to all of our volunteers - we couldn't do it without you! Bunnock is our major fundraiser for the year, it allows us to donate to the requests we receive from local people/organizations needing funds.

We had an awesome first meeting for our 2019/2020 Kin year. There were quite a few new faces and we're always happy to welcome new members!

Just a reminder that we're open to MALES & FEMALES ages 19 & over. We meet on the 2nd Monday of each month (Sept-June) at the Communiplex in the Kinette room at 7:30PM. Come check it out!

Chase The Ace will be back very soon ~ details to come!

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