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DATE: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 2025

TIME: 4:30 PM

LOCATION: MACKLIN RAILWAY FRONTAGE

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Free hotdogs and hot chocolate provided by Delta Coop!

Join CPKC and celebrate the holidays by listening to great music and donating to help your local food bank.

MUSICAL GUESTS:
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Teigen Gayse

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The Town of Macklin along with the Mayor, Council and Staff would like to wish everyone a safe and healthy Holiday Season!!

TOWN OF MACKLIN OFFICE

Holiday Hours:

December 24th — 9:00—12:00 Noon

December 25 & 26 — CLOSED

December 31—9:00—5:00

January 1 — CLOSED

Transfer Station

Closed Thursday, Dec. 25th

Open Saturday, Dec. 27th

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*****Deadline for January 2026 edition is December 24th, 2025.*****

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Monday to Friday 9:00am-12:00pm | 1:00pm—5:00pm
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Chamber Website: www.macklinchamber.com



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**January 2026 Deadline:
December 24, 2025**

***If you would like to receive your quarterly water bill by email,
please submit your email address to admin@macklin.ca

COMMUNITY EVENTS

Dec 5	House Decorating Contest—Judging
Dec 5	Chamber Christmas Mall in The Hall
Dec 6	Grand In Your Hand Final Draw—noon CU
Dec 6	Chamber Christmas Social
Dec 7	CP Holiday Train—CP Yard
Dec 17	School Christmas Concert
Dec 25	MERRY CHRISTMAS!
Dec 31	HAPPY NEW YEAR'S EVE

Please see ads in this issue for location and times.

WASTE COLLECTION

TUESDAY - Residential & Business
- Residential *free RECYCLE pickup*
FRIDAY - Business & Industrial Park



Recycle and/or Garbage Items must be:
*Maximum size of 30" x 36" bag,
Maximum Weight of 20kgs or 44lbs.*



*To ensure pickup, do NOT place bags behind vehicles.
Ensure bags are visible!*

TRANSFER STATION HOURS

OCTOBER 1—APRIL 1
(Macklin Residents only)

Tuesday: 4:00 – 6:00pm

Thursday: 4:00 – 6:00pm

Saturday: 11:00am – 3:00pm

****PLEASE TAPE OR WRAP LOOSE CARDBOARD****



Macklin Medical Clinic

Holiday Hours

Closed: Dec. 24, 25, 26
Open: Dec. 29, 30
Closed: Dec. 31, January 1
Open: January 2

We would like to wish
everyone a Merry Christmas,
and a Happy & Healthy 2026!



Garbage Bag Tags will now be available at the Delta Coop
Grocery & Convenience Stores.



The price is \$2.00 per bag tag
Recycling bags are no charge!



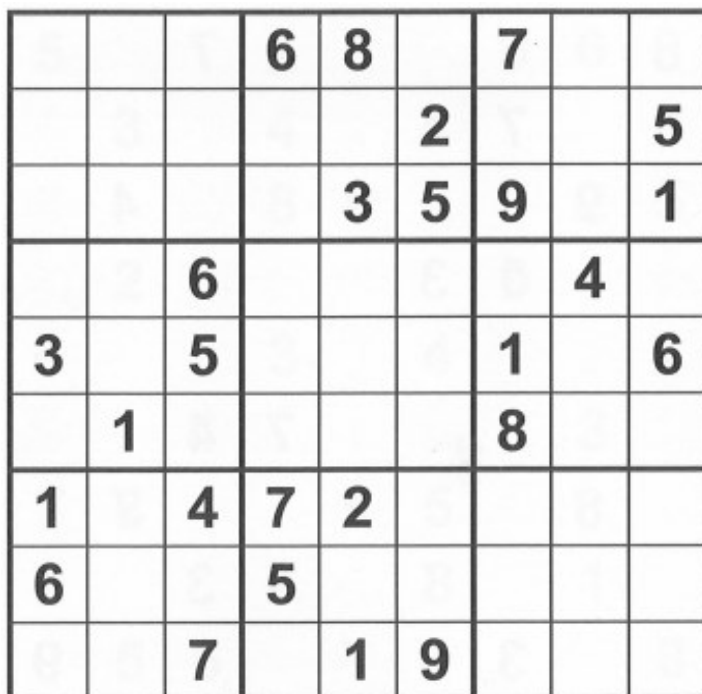
Please note, these tags are for Macklin residents only.



**Grand
in Your Hand**

**Macklin
Chamber of Commerce**

December 6th - \$1000



Win! **MADAC Trip-of-The-Month—November 2025** 

Nuevo Vallarta, Mexico - Katy Bast

www.macklinswimmingpool.com



Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings

Every Thursday at 8:00pm

United Church Basement (4901 Telegraph St.)

If you need assistance, please call 780-753-7589 or 306-514-7887

Local Church Services

Sacred Heart Parish Denzil: Wednesday - 11:00 AM
Sunday - 9:00 AM

St. Donatus Parish: Saturday - 5:00 PM

St. Mary's Parish Macklin: Monday/Wednesday/Friday 9:00 AM
Tuesday at St. Joseph's Centre 11:00 AM
Thursday at Villa Marie 9:30 AM
Saturday - 7:00 PM Sunday - 11:00 AM

Macklin United Church: Sundays—11:00 AM

Evesham Anglican/United: Sunday Service/Sunday School 10:00 AM



Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre

Senior Winter Walking Program

Walking program for any seniors interested in walking for physical exercise.

Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays

9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

***Please bring clean indoor shoes.**



Silver collection proceeds are donated back to the Centre for future projects. Donations are accepted at any time.

Thank You

On behalf of the Sample family, thank you for the incredible outpouring of support. Although we have only been in Macklin a short time, we are so grateful to have moved to such a wonderfully supportive community.

*With sincere gratitude,
The Sample Family*

The **Macklin & District Arena Board**
in conjunction with the **Macklin Recreation Board**
is sponsoring a

FREE Tot's Learn to Skate program EVERY THURSDAY

Parents with pre-school children may use the time
between **2:00—3:15 pm** to learn to skate.



MACKLIN & DISTRICT CRIME WATCH DIVISION

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NEW MEMBERS WELCOME!!!

Macklin & District Food Bank

The Food Bank is here to provide confidential assistance in times of need.

If you need our support to provide nutritious meals, we are here to help.

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studies, community outreach, special
music, picnics and much more!

Everyone is welcome!



Macklin Foodbank & Secret Santa

Christmas Food Baskets



We provide support for local families with a Christmas Hamper as well as gifts for children.

If you are aware of a struggling family that could benefit from our Christmas support program, please let us know.

Please Call by December 1st
306-753-3663 (FOOD)

All calls are confidential



Macklin Chamber of Commerce

Christmas In Our Town - **Christmas Decorating Contest**

Decorate the outside of your business or house/yard in the most festive and creative manner to compete!

CHAMBER BUCKS TO BE WON!

Judging will be completed the evening of Friday, December 5th based on originality and overall presentation visible from the street

TO ENTER: email info.macklinchamber@gmail.com with a street address, name and phone number

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SECRET SANTA



Unwrapped Gifts for local children can be dropped off till Dec. 10 at:

- Isaman Chopek LLP Accounting Office
- Synergy Credit Union



If your family is in need or you are aware of a struggling family – please contact us.

Contact # 306-753-3663

**THANKS SO MUCH FOR THINKING
OF SOMEONE LESS FORTUNATE.**



TOWN OF MACKLIN

BUSINESS LICENSE RENEWAL FOR 2026 IS NOW IN EFFECT! Business licenses can be purchased or renewed at the Town Office. Business incentive applications for new businesses can be picked up at the office or found at www.macklin.ca

Please remit to: Town of Macklin Box 69, Macklin, SK S0L 2C0 or Etransfer to: town.macklin@sasktel.net

To view colored copies of the newsletter online, check out the Town of Macklin website:
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Did you know???



Pharmacists can prescribe for minor ailments, improving access to health care services in the community. Your Pharmacist can continue to help you with selecting the most appropriate remedy or medication and is able to provide prescriptions for some ailments:

The pharmacist MUST conduct an assessment to determine that the case falls within their Scope of Practice for Minor Ailment Prescribing or if referral to a physician or NP is required

***Pharmacists may not prescribe for patients who are immunocompromised due to disease or medications for most minor ailments.**

- **Acne** (Acne Vulgaris)- Requirements: 9 + years of age, mild acne only
 - Pharmacists may only prescribe topical products for acne
- **Canker Sore** (Oral Aphthous Ulcer)
- **Cold Sore** (Herpes Labialis)- Requirements: 12+ years of age, previous diagnosis
- **Contact Dermatitis** (Allergic or Irritant)
- **Diaper Rash** (Diaper Dermatitis: Irritant and Candidal)
- **Eczema** (Atopic Dermatitis)
- **Erectile Dysfunction**- Requirements: 18+ years old, previous diagnosis
- **Folliculitis** (Bacterial Folliculitis)- Requires referral: extensive area affected
- **Fungal Skin Infections: Ringworm** (Tinea Corporis), **Jock Itch** (Tinea Cruris), **Athlete's Foot** (Tinea Pedis)
- **Genital Herpes** (Herpes Simplex)- Requirements: 12+ years of age, previous diagnosis
- **Headache (Tension-Type and Migraine)**- Requirements: age 6+
- **Heartburn** (Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease GERD)- Requirements: 18+ years old, previous diagnosis
- **Hemorrhoids**- Requirement: 12+ years of age
- **Hormonal Contraception**- Requirements: 12+ years old
- **Impetigo** (Non-Bullous Impetigo)- Requirements: 2 months old+
 - Requires referral: systemic symptoms, widespread lesions, frequent recurrences
- **Insect Bites and Stings**
- **Menstrual Cramps** (Primary Dysmenorrhea)
- **Musculoskeletal Strains and Sprains** (Acute)- Requirements: 2+ years old
 - Requires referral: systemic symptoms, severe pain (>7 on 10-point scale), significant trauma
- **Nausea and Vomiting of Pregnancy**
- **Nicotine Cessation**- Requirements: 12+ years old
- **Oral Thrush** (Oral Candidiasis)- Requires referral: use of dentures, recent burn, lesions present >3 weeks
- **Pink Eye** (Conjunctivitis)- Requires referral: contact wearer, trauma to the eye
- **Pinworms** (Enterobiasis Infection)- Requirements: 2+ years of age
- **Seasonal Allergies** (Allergic Rhinitis)- Requirements: 2+ years old
- **Shingles** (Herpes Zoster) Requirements: 12 + years of age, previous diagnosis preferred
 - Requires referral: nausea/vomiting, fever, chills, severe pain, ocular involvement
- **Sinus Infection** (Acute Rhinosinusitis)- Requirements: 6 months old+
- **Toenail Infection** (Toenail Onychomycosis)- Requirements: 18+ years old, previous diagnosis
- **Urinary Tract Infection** (Cystitis: Acute, Uncomplicated)- Requirements: age 16+, previous diagnosis

***Continuing Maintenance Therapy-** If you are taking medications regularly, your prescription has run out and you are unable to get in to see your physician or NP for several days: most often, your pharmacist can provide the supply you need until you are able to visit your provider, and will let your provider know.

RCMP MACKLIN REPORT**October 21— November 17, 2025*****Macklin Detachment: (306) 753—2171 Monday – Friday 8:00am – 12:00 noon***

- RCMP received a complaint of a break and enter at Macklin Lake Regional Park but there was insufficient evidence to proceed.
- Police received a complaint of a stolen truck. The vehicle was later located burned in a rural area near Provost. Insufficient evidence to proceed.
- Members conducted a wellbeing check at the request of a family member.
- RCMP received a complaint of criminal harassment but there was insufficient evidence to proceed.
- A 23-year-old male from Macklin was charged with Impaired Operation of a Motor Vehicle and Mischief after Members received a complaint of a vehicle collision with a residence fence.
- Members attended the sudden death of a 47-year-old male from Macklin. The death was not suspicious in nature.
- RCMP received a complaint of an individual damaging a vehicle. This matter is still under investigation.
- Members conducted a wellbeing check at the request of a concerned citizen.
- Police executed an arrest warrant at the request of Saskatoon Police Service.
- RCMP received a report of a two-vehicle collision near Macklin. There were no injuries. A traffic ticket was issued to one vehicle driver.
- Police received a Mental Health Act complaint. Members spoke to the subject of complaint.
- Members are investigating a complaint of counterfeit money used to purchase items at a local business.
- RCMP received a complaint of assault. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police located an abandoned vehicle on Highway 14 near Macklin.
- Members contacted the registered owner who agreed to move it.
- RCMP received a complaint of an individual harming a dog. This matter is still under investigation.
- Police received a Mental Health Act complaint. Members spoke to the subject of complaint.
- Members conducted a wellbeing check at the request of a concerned citizen.
- RCMP received a report of a two-vehicle collision in Macklin. There were no injuries. This matter is still under investigation.
- Members are investigating a complaint of vandalism to a residence.
- There was also one false 911 call, one false alarm, and two traffic complaints.

Persons with information about crimes being committed in the Unity / Wilkie/ Macklin areas are urged to call the Unity RCMP detachment at (306)228-6300; the Wilkie RCMP at (306) 843-3480; or the Macklin RCMP at (306) 753-2171. If you wish to remain anonymous, you may also call Saskatchewan Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477, or *8477 on the SaskTel Mobility Network. **Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$2000.00 for information which leads to the arrest of person(s) responsible for any serious crime.** Crime Stoppers is anonymous and does not subscribe to call display, nor are your calls traced or recorded. You can also submit a tip online at www.saskcrimestoppers.com

**From the Hall**

Terry Elder loved being a Firefighter. Everyone who knew him knew that, but I think the firefighters who served with him knew just how dedicated he was. The big tattoo on his left shoulder showed he was a "lifer" for the department.

31 years of combined service on 2 different departments speaks to this dedication. Two service metals. The Governor General of Canada Exemplary Service Metal for 20 years on the department. The Protective Services Metal for 25 years of service from the Provincial Government. Terry wore these metals with great pride. On October 8th he was wearing them when we had the kids from school to the hall for Fire Prevention week. That is just who he was.

Any chance he got to be in the hall, he was there. He helped several times over the years if he could when the kids came that second week of October. He was especially proud to be there when his sons came for the presentations at the hall 6 weeks ago. He was just beaming, and you could see his eyes light up when Aiden and his class came in. He was very attentive to the students' questions and put on his fire gear for some of the classes so they could see what a real firefighter looked like. Terry was trained as a 1001 level 2 Professional firefighter. He gave up a lot of time that winter to achieve this and he was very proud of it. Terry's dedication to our department showed every first and third Tuesday of the month, as he very rarely missed meetings or practices. He wasn't the loudest member on the crew, but he always took part in whatever was going on. Often you would see him taking a younger member aside during a practice, just offering them some advice or words of encouragement. He got along with everyone on the department and could work on a scene with whoever happened to be in the truck he was in.

The last few months were very hard on him. Because of problems with his vision, he couldn't go along on calls. It is hard to explain, but every firefighter can tell you how hard it is to stay at the hall or at home when a call comes in. I know Terry spoke of this often and would often check in if after a call out to see how it went. He hardly missed a meeting in the last few months even though he knew he couldn't go on the call outs. Again, this speaks to his dedication. The last call Terry responded to was a dryer fire at a local business. Like the literally hundreds of calls, he has responded to over the years, Terry did what he always did. He showed up at the hall on a fairly cold winter night, donned his turnout gear and jumped into a truck. The call was not too serious and was dealt with very quickly. Terry got back into the truck and headed back to hall. After every call, all the equipment is cleaned up, hoses are reloaded, trucks fueled up and everything has to be ready for the next call. Terry would always stay and help as he knew this was part of the job. Yes, Terry loved being a firefighter, but there was something he loved more. He loved his wife and 2 boys. He loved spending time with them, be it at the lake in the summer or in the rink in the winter. He would often proudly share updates of his adventures with Jo and the boys in quick conversations we would have after meetings in the hall. He passed his passion for firefighting onto Aiden and Cam. If you were walking by their house, you would often see one of the boys wearing their firefighter gear.

You will be missed at the Fire Hall Terry; Rest easy Number Nine. We will take it from here. Your Duty is done.

Pat G. Stang
Captain, Public Relations, Safety and Recruitment
Macklin & District Fire Recue Cell: 306-753-7378

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BRANDON WILDEMAN

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LEXI KURJATA

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Sr. Advisor | Business and Ag Financial Centre

KATELYN NEUFELD

Financial Services Associate | Synergy Credit Union

Hi, I'm Brandon Wildeman, a Financial Services Advisor at our Macklin branch. I joined the financial services industry in April 2023, bringing over 15 years of experience in retail customer service and business ownership/management.

What I enjoy most is getting to know each member's unique story and building personalized plans that support their financial goals. Seeing members succeed is the most rewarding part of my work.

My key advice: don't wait. Whether it's expanding your operations, investing in new technology, or planning for long-term growth, starting today makes all the difference.

Hi, I'm Lexi Kurjata, Senior Advisor with the Business & Ag Financial Centre. I joined Synergy in 2021 and have been in the financial industry since 2019. Since 2022, I've supported Macklin and Denzil business and agriculture members with their lending needs.

I focus on understanding your operations and goals to create a clear path toward financial success. With a Diploma in Business Management and a Bachelor's in Agribusiness, I'm equipped to support your commercial and agricultural lending needs.

To stay connected, I enjoy volunteering in the communities I serve.

Let's work together to find the right financial solutions for your business—reach out anytime!

Hi, I'm Katelyn Neufeld, a Financial Services Associate at our Macklin branch. I've been part of the credit union system since 2010, gaining experience from front-line service to leading a large team of Member Advisors. My passion is building trust with members and understanding their needs.

I focus on three things: helping you make money, save money, and fund your financial goals. Whether you're looking to open a new account, secure a personal loan, or explore investment options, I've got you covered.



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CHRISTMAS HOURS:

December 24th • 8:30 - Noon

Thurs/Fri, December 25th & 26th • CLOSED

December 29th & 30th • Open Regular Hours

December 31st • 8:30 - Noon

January 1st • CLOSED



**Macklin
Chamber of Commerce**

**Christmas In Our Town -
Christmas Market**

Friday, December 5th, 2025
Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre
11:00AM - 7:00PM

Lunch Served from 11:30-1:30
Supper Seved from 4:00-6:30

For inquiries contact:
Maegan at 587-252-3298 or
Donna at 306-915-8003



Kin Canada
Kinette Club
of Macklin

Hello Happy December!!

We're definitely in the full swing of things with our Kinette Club.

The end of October, we had 2 from our club (Kirsty & Courtney) attend the Fall Leadership Conference in Kindersley.

At our November meeting, we passed motions to gift \$4,500 to some of our locals who are going through some tough times. We also donated a brand new Washing Machine to the Villa as one of theirs recently broke down. (see picture) As well, our DG Wes from the Maidstone KIN Club came and Installed our Executive (see pictures).

We are hosting an Open House for ANYONE to come and check out on Wed Dec 10th (contact one of us local Kinettes for more info), and we are also doing a NEW TeleMiracle fundraiser "Gift Card Survivor" right in time for Christmas!!

We also wanted to remind everyone that we will be having a TeleMiracle TOY BINGO again in Feb on the Family Day holiday

Hope everyone has an amazing rest of their 2025!!



Happy Holidays

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Thank you for your
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Hello, from St. Joe's!

How time flies! We have had a busy month.

First off, thanks to our dear grade 4 class for the Halloween costume parade. We also enjoyed all the children who came trick or treating, it was great to see all their spooky costumes!

On November 12th, we had a very meaningful Remembrance Day ceremony. The grade 4 class each read acrostic poems they had written, which were beautiful. They also laid a wreath to conclude our ceremony. It was a wonderful way to celebrate the lives of those who fought for us, and we appreciate the involvement of our community during this time.

On Friday, November 14th, we enjoyed some entertainment from The Jammers while we partook in some birthday cake at our monthly birthday party. At dinner time that day, we indulged in Chinese food from Dragons Secret Family Restaurant – it was so good!

I don't think I have ever mentioned it before, but our recreation coordinator offers an exercise program every weekday in the morning. I personally don't join as I am in the "Exercise Witness Protection Program."

Many thanks to Harvey Reichert and Diane Fizell for the donation of the big TV and wall unit. How nice of you to think of us, we will enjoy it!

A big thank-you to our volunteers who donate their time to come here. We appreciate you so much!

We offer our deepest and heartfelt condolences to Josie Elder and sons on the passing of her husband and their dad. We are thinking about you all and wish you strength during this time.

On November 3rd, Ray Dieser passed away, and on November 18th, another wonderful resident, Evelyn Leeson passed. Our deepest sympathies go out to the friends and families of Ray and Evelyn during this difficult time. They will be missed greatly.

Christmas is fast approaching, so you better be good. The residents at St. Joe's are trying not to be naughty, but for some reason, it's very difficult. Not me though, I am always very good, even when Christmas isn't fast approaching. Just ask anyone, I am an angel.

Enjoy the snow and have a very Merry Christmas!

***Until next time,
Peggy Bolton, St. Joseph's resident***

THANK YOU!

Macklin Senior Mohawks would like to thank the community of Macklin and all surrounding communities for the terrific support with our recent 75th Anniversary Sportsman Dinner on November 1st! As promised 10% of our profits will be split equally between Mental Health & Canadian Cancer Society.

We look forward to seeing all our passionate fans this season and thank you all again for helping make our fundraiser a huge success.



REFEREES NEEDED



MMHA is in need of senior hometown referees.

If you or anyone you know would be interested in helping out, please contact Mike Volk @ 306-753-4373.

Games cannot happen without refs so any help to keep the season running smooth would be greatly appreciated!



MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Our office is closed for the holidays on Monday, December 22nd – January 4th, 2026.

Office reopens on January 5th, 2026.



Contract Opportunity BYLAW OFFICER

The Town of Macklin requires a "Community Bylaw Enforcement Officer". Duties include enforcement of the Town of Macklin Bylaws specifically the Animal Control Bylaw.

Contract proposals will be accepted until December 15, 2025.

For further information contact the Town Office at (306)753-2256 or email admin@macklin.ca.

MACKLIN CREDIT UNION LEGACY CENTRE

Contract Caretaker & Maintenance Services

Written Applications are invited from persons interested in providing contract services for janitor and maintenance of the Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre for the year 2026.

A detailed job description may be obtained from the Town Office. Such applications will be received at the Town Office by no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, December 15th, 2025. The Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre committee reserves the right to reject any or all applications.

Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre
Box 486 Macklin, SK S0L 2C0
macklinhall@outlook.com

DONATIONS ACCEPTED

The Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre is accepting donations for building upgrades within our facility.

For a donation information or a charitable receipt, please contact the Town of Macklin office at 306-753-2256 or admin@macklin.ca

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2025 Baby Register

2025 Baby Register...FOR JANUARY 2026 NEWSLETTER—DEADLINE DECEMBER 23RD!

Submit Photo's and required information (below) email to: macklinhometownconnection@outlook.com before **December 23rd** to be included in the January 2026 Newsletter. If email unavailable, please clip out and deliver picture and information to the Macklin Town Office, 5001 Press Ave. Please write your baby's name on the back of photo.

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Parent's Name: _____ Baby's name: _____

Grandparents Name: _____

Born where: _____ Prov: _____ Email: _____

Birthday: _____ Ph: _____

DEADLINE DECEMBER 23RD FOR JANUARY 2026 NEWSLETTER!



Once again this year, St. Mary's CWL, Macklin was the administrator for the parish hot food booth and the stretchie booth at the World Championship Bunnock Tournament. As always, the CWL and St. Mary's Parish are very grateful to everyone who contributed to these booths in some way, the organiz-

ers, the workers, the bakers and the customers. Without your support, these projects could not continue.

Due to the success of these endeavors, the CWL was able to continue our practice of dispersing the funds to community organizations. We appreciated each and every application for funds. As is so often the case, there was a greater need than there were funds available, but we hope that everyone will apply again next year. Those chosen to receive funds this year were, Macklin Skating Club, Macklin Youth Group, Macklin Credit Union Legacy Centre, Villa Marie, Country Side Manor, Macklin School Community Council, Macklin Daycare, Unity Legion, Macklin Archery Club, and Macklin Soccer Association.



*Nancy Hollman, president,
St. Mary's CWL, presenting the
cheque to the Macklin Youth
Group.*

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We want to extend our deepest gratitude to each and every one of you who has supported our spa. Your trust, kindness, and loyalty mean more to us than words can express. Because of you, we get to do what we love every single day.

Wishing you and your loved ones a joyful Christmas season filled with peace, warmth, and well-deserved rest. Here's to another beautiful year ahead.



HOLIDAY CLOSURES:
 OPEN DEC 22-23 10AM-5PM
 CLOSED DEC 24-JAN 4 OPEN JAN 5
 PH: 639-313-0251

WHAT SHOULD I DO WITH THE SNOW FROM MY DRIVEWAY?

It is the policy of the Town of Macklin to clear snow from all emergency, business and school bus routes as first priority.

When clearing the snow from your sidewalks or driveway, please make sure to deposit this snow ONTO YOUR OWN PROPERTY.

*****BY BLOWING, SHOVELING, OR MOVING THE SNOW FROM YOUR DRIVEWAY OR SIDEWALK ONTO THE STREET, YOU ARE COMPOUNDING WHAT ALREADY IS A DAUNTING TASK.*****

Your assistance when removing your snow will allow the Town maintenance staff to quickly and efficiently clean snow from our streets. Please make sure you are visible and give plenty of distance to Town snow removal equipment when clearing streets.



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Holiday Hours:

Monday, Dec. 22nd – 8:00-5:30
 Tuesday, Dec. 23rd – 8:00-5:30
 Wednesday, Dec. 24th – 8:00-12:00 (noon)
 Thursday, Dec. 25th - Closed
 Friday, Dec. 26th - Closed
 Monday, Dec. 29th – 8:00-5:30
 Tuesday, Dec. 30th – 8:00-5:30
 Wednesday, Dec. 31st – 8:00-2:00
 Thursday, Jan. 1st - Closed
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January 1 - January 4, 2026
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January 1: Closed

All other days regular hours 9:00am - 8:00pm

Merry Christmas to all our customers and their families.

Thank you for your continued patronage and we hope you all have a wonderful holiday season.



With warm wishes and heartfelt thanks to our customers and friends this holiday season from.....



OUR HOLIDAY HOURS ARE:

DEC. 24 th	9:00 a.m. - noon
DEC. 25 th	CLOSED
DEC. 26 th	CLOSED
DEC. 27 th	CLOSED
DEC. 29 th	9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
DEC. 30 th	9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
DEC. 31 st	9:00 a.m. - noon
JAN. 1 st	CLOSED
JAN. 2 nd	9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
JAN. 3 rd	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

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- Helping with food preparation and serving as needed
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- Must be at least 18 years of age
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Closing Date: Until positions are filled.

Only those selected will be contacted for an interview.

N.A.S.P. National Archery in the School Program

Hello from the Macklin School Saber Sharp Shooters Archery Team!

We are off to a flying start this year, with 24 registered. We practice Tuesdays and Thursdays, averaging 16 students per night. Parents and grandparents are welcome to come and watch. We have 2 more instructors, Randal Selzer and Jesse Giggs. The 4 of us in conjunction with Macklin School Phys.Ed. Department completed 2 full days of archery lessons at the school, grades 4 to 9. It was such a success we were asked to come back in the new year.

The Sask Wildlife Federation implements the NASP program throughout the province. SWF has decided that in preparation for the provincial and national tournaments, schools will host regional tournaments. We are pleased to announce Macklin School will host the first regional tournament on Feb 7/2026.

More to follow.

Coaching Staff:

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VILLA MARIE NEWS

It has been a quieter month the last 4 weeks around the Villa Marie.

Care-A-Lot Playschool came and played some spooky games as part of their Halloween Party.

The Grade 2s had their Halloween party with us this year! Lots of great costumes were present!

We have been enjoying chair yoga. Our group seems to be getting bigger each time it is scheduled.

Villa Marie Auxiliary hosted their Fall Soup & Sandwich along with a bake sale. It was well attended, and the residents always enjoy all of the visits. Cathy Stang won the 50/50 raffle of \$1095.

Macklin Daycare came for a visit, and we all made crafts for Remembrance Day.

We have been very busy getting ready for "Villa Marie Enchanted Lights" Many of the residents have been helping with crafts and painting that will be featured throughout our displays. We can't wait to be done setting up and have it open to the community. Please watch the Facebook page for more details and look for posters around town soon.

We are always looking for casual staff here at the Villa Marie. If you are interested in working with seniors, please reach out to villa.marie@sasktel.net

Follow us at Villa Marie Macklin on Facebook for more photos and news.



Thank you

We would like to thank the following donors who have contributed to our upgrading project at the Villa Marie:

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From the Villa Marie

Imelda Feser

June 27, 1936 – November 1, 2025

The Feser family wishes to express their sincere appreciation and gratitude for the generosity and kindness shown at the time of Mom's passing.

Thank you for the flowers, food, cards, messages and memories shared. We have been truly touched.

Our deep appreciation goes to Dr. Erasmus, the staff at Provost Hospital, Home Care and all her friends, especially those at the Villa Marie. Thanks to Jeremy and the staff at Gregory's Funeral Home for their compassion, guidance and professionalism. To Fr. Santhosh for the very meaningful mass, to Robin, Johanna and the choir for the beautiful music and the C.W.L for providing lunch.

Our hope is that Mom's legacy of love, faith and family will live on in all those that knew her.

Darryl, Deanna & Dean, Lynnsay & Val, Lorne & Denise, Collin & Natalie, Leah & Glen, Myron & Rhonda, Nancy & Ted, Monique & Rob, Carrie & Trent and all their families.





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Monthly ½ page ad – open to all	\$ 75.00/mo
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Monthly Full page ad – open to all (limited space)	\$150.00/mo

Community news is free of charge.

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- 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 paid articles.
- Deadline for articles or advertising is the 24th of the month.
- Ad to be 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.

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MACKLIN LIBRARY

Macklin Library Holiday Hours

Tuesday & Wednesday: 1:00 – 6:00

Thursday: 10:00 – 2:00

Open regular hours except for:

Friday December 5: 3:30 – 8:30

Wednesday and Thursday December 24-25: Closed

Wednesday December 31: 11:00 – 4:00

Thursday January 1: Closed

We are once again open 3:30 – 8:30 for Christmas in Our Town on Friday, December 5 - so please come in for a warm up, hot chocolate, and goodies from 6-8. For the kids we will have coloring, toys, and lots of books - see you there!

Beginning December 4, we will be hosting our 12 Days of Christmas Virtual Auction on our Facebook page. There will be a new item offered each day for twelve days ending December 15. The items will be up for bid from 10:00 AM until 6:00 PM each day. Good Luck!

Our book display will be set up as a Christmas advent calendar – a new book added every day.

We will continue offering kid's craft bags every week until New Years. Come grab one!

The Macklin Library and Library Board wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

December Programs

Macklin Library Playgroup

December 4th and 18th from 10:30 – 11:30

For ages 0 – 6

2025 - 2026 MACKLIN ARENA SCHEDULE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
4:00-5:00 U9 BLUE	4:00-5:00 U7 BLUE/WHITE	3:45 - 7:45 CANSKATE STARSKATE	4:00-5:00 U9 BLUE/WHITE	3:45-7:45 CANSKATE STARSKATE	9:00-10:00 U7 BLUE/WHITE	9:00-10:00 U7 FLOOD
5:00-6:00 U11 FLOOD	5:00-6:00 U9 WHITE FLOOD		5:00-6:00 U11 FLOOD		10:15-12:15 U9 FLOOD	10:15-12:00 U11 FLOOD
6:15 – 7:15 U13	6:15-7:15 PUBLIC SKATING		6:15-7:15 U11 WPT		12:30-2:30 U13 WPT FLOOD	12:15-2:00 U11 WPT FLOOD
7:15 - 8:15 U15 FLOOD	7:15-8:15 SHINNY FLOOD	8:00 - 9:00 U13 FLOOD	7:15-8:15 U13 WPT FLOOD	8:00-11:30 CALL TO RENT 753-2256	2:45-4:45 U15 FLOOD	2:15-4:15 U13 FLOOD
8:30 - 10:00 REC HOCKEY	8:30-9:30 U18	9:00-10:00 SENIOR MOHAWKS	8:30-9:30 U18 FLOOD		5:00-7:00 U18 FLOOD	4:30 - 5:30 PUBLIC SKATING FLOOD
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