

# THE OUTLOOK

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### Her Village: Building Connection submitted by Trisha Gardham



**Group photo of the ladies behind Her Village from left to right / Trisha Gardham, Megan Fortier, Sadie-Jo Gardham and Sierra Priestley**  
Photo credit: submitted

What started as an idea among four friends - Sierra Priestley, Megan Fortier, Sadie-Jo Gardham and Trisha Gardham, quickly grew into some-

thing truly special. Driven by our desire to foster connection and connect loneliness that can come with rural life, we created a ladies group called “Her

Village”. A monthly ladies night with a new host and new activity every month. A space where women can gather, support one another

and recharge amid life’s demands.

Her Village is a community built on connection. Through these events a space is created where friendships are nurtured, stories are shared and moments are celebrated. It’s something to look forward to, every month. The vision is to build a village where women feel seen, heard and valued - a place to belong.

Our doors are open to all ladies, aged 18+.

Come one come all! Every month we are thrilled to see our little community grow even further.

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*April* **TREASURE REVEAL**

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FRIDAY	10:00-11:30AM & 3:00-4:30PM
SATURDAY	9:15AM-12:00PM

**BIRTLE LANDFILL**

TUESDAY	1:15-3:15PM
WEDNESDAY	3:00-5:00PM
THURSDAY	1:15-3:15PM
FRIDAY	3:00-5:00PM
SATURDAY	10:00AM-12:00PM & 1:00-4:00PM

# Her Village - Continued

story and photos submitted by Trisha Gardham

Cont'd from Front Page

We have had attendance from surrounding areas such as Miniota, Rossburn, Elkhorn, Hamiota, Oak River and Birtle! Our most recent ladies night was held on March 12th, and it was a 1920s Casino Night. A night of glitz and glamour the moment our guests walked through the door, the little Arrow River hall shimmered with elegance. Pearls, feather boas and sequins catching the soft glow of lights strung across the ceiling. Women gathered around blackjack tables ready to test their luck in an evening that felt nothing short of magical, but beyond the thrill of the games, the true magic was the joy in the room.

To follow along our journey, visit us on Facebook via our "Her Village." Page or if you are on Instagram - under @ hervillage. ar where we post updates of upcoming events and registrations! We would love to see you there.

This is just the beginning for us! With continued support of our community the possibilities are endless. We are overflowing with ideas and have a list of things we'd like to achieve over the next couple of years. We are so excited to say that we only have 3 months out of this year left unspoken for - so if you have a ladies night you've been dreaming of - please reach out! Whether

you sign up to host with a few friends, or solo - we can guide you through the planning process and connect you with ladies with the same vision in mind!

More than anything, we hope to inspire women in other towns to implement their idea in their communities and start a "Her Village" of their own. A connected woman is an empowered woman—one who lifts others, leads with kindness, and brings positive change to those around her. Strong relationships among

women build a stronger community, because when we show up for each other, we create a village where no one feels alone, and everyone has a place to belong.



*Echoes in the Valley*  
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# Back from the Brink - Birdtail Country Museum Update

Story and photo submitted by Val Thomson

By the time you read this, the historic heritage building at 378 Main Street, that houses the museum's artifacts will have a NEW ROOF. Good-bye dripping ceilings, damp walls and damaged articles. Hello safe, secure and protected second floor treasures.

For this extraordinary rescue effort we thank everyone who has supported our efforts to give the museum a new lease on life.

- The Birtle Value Shoppe
- The Birtle and District Foundation

- The Birtle Lions' Club
- Prairie View Municipality

In another leap forward, those previously damp, crumbling and cracking upstairs walls will be rebuilt. A new wall with insulation will buffer the exterior stone walls on the west and north side of the second floor. At last, a move into the modern age of heat retention to assist with maintaining comfortable temperatures and reducing gigantic hydro bills. The museum will be investing its savings in this signif-



**Birdtail Country Museum**  
**SUMMER MARKET**  
**Make It - Bake It - Grow It**

**Saturdays 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM**

<b>June 21</b>	<b>August 2</b>
<b>July 5</b>	<b>August 16</b>
<b>July 19</b>	<b>August 30</b>

icant interior fix and as a result the second floor will be open to visitors this summer. Fundraising ventures will be getting off the ground very soon and we are grateful

for any and all support. Museum committee members are selling Lions 200 Club Draw tickets and tickets will also be available at the RM office counter.



Once again the museum will be hosting a Farmers' Market, henceforth to be known as the **SUMMER MARKET** on alternate Saturdays beginning June 21st from 11am to 2pm.



The theme of the market is **"MAKE IT, BAKE IT, GROW IT"** and if you'd like to rent a table (\$15) please contact Val at 204-210-1036 or Bridget at 204-796-0074



# CCA Elects New Leadership for 2025–2026



Story [www.cattle.ca](http://www.cattle.ca)

Photo credit: Canadian Cattle Association facebook

The Canadian Cattle Association completed its 2025 Annual General Meeting on Thursday, March 20, 2025 in Ottawa with a number of events, meetings and election of a new Board of Directors.

Tyler Fulton of Birtle, Manitoba moves into the president position taking over from Nathan Phinney of Sackville, New Brunswick who remains on the Board in the past president position. Sheila Hillmer and Doug Roxborough of Alberta and Jack Chaffe of Ontario retired from the Board. Past President Bob Lowe is also retired from the Board. CCA thanks them for their time and contributions.

Many issues were addressed in meetings as a rapidly changing environment faces Canadian cattle producers and all of Canadian agriculture. The Ottawa meeting location allowed many guests to join, including beef producers from

nearby provinces and across the country. The Honourable Kody Blois brought greetings and well wishes at the retirement dinner on Wednesday evening in honour of past president Nathan Phinney. Phinney retired from the president position Wednesday evening after 27 months.

Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada representatives presented at committee meetings and CCA was pleased to learn about steps being taken to reduce regulatory burdens that will support the Canadian beef sector and grow our global competitiveness—an announcement that was made on March 19, 2025.

Canadian Food Inspection Agency representatives and Canadian Cattle Identification Agency General Manager Ashley Scott presented at the Animal Health and Care Committee; Kent Bacus, National Cattlemen's Beef Association presented

at the Domestic Agriculture, Food Policy and Foreign Trade Committee Meetings; and Tyler McCann of the Canadian Agriculture Policy Institute presented at the Domestic Agriculture Committee meeting.

The Livestock Markets Association of Canada has been welcomed as an associated organization member of the Canadian Cattle Association.

2025–2026 CCA Board of Director Representatives:

Tyler Fulton  
(President)—MB  
Ryan Beierbach (  
Vice President)—SK  
Nathan Phinney  
(Past President)—NB  
Kirk Jackson  
(Officer)—QC  
Renee Ardill—BC  
Matthew Atkinson—MB  
Mike Duguid—MB  
Lynn Grant—SK  
Brodie Haugan—AB  
Karla Hicks—SK  
Jason LeBlond—ON  
Craig McLaughlin—ON

Victor Oulton—NS, NB, PEI

Graham Overguard—AB

CCA's producer-elected board provides leadership to set the direction to propel the industry forward with a national voice at federal and international levels on matters of importance to the Canadian beef industry. The Board represents nine Canadian provinces and all sectors and stages of beef production.

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# Birtle News

submitted by Jan Fleury

Word has been received of the passing of Cliff Olson of Maple Ridge, BC on March 7th at the age of 82. Cliff was the son of Dorothy and Ruben Olson and received his schooling in Birtle making many lifelong friends. Condolences of the community to all his family and friends.

Sympathy of the Birtle community is extended to the family and friends of Vivian Campbell who passed away March 7th at

Neepawa. She was a public health nurse at the Birtle Health Unit where she was part of initiating the Unit. A very caring nurse and a great part of the Isabella community.

The Birtle Figure Skating Club update from last week had the sister and brother team of Kiera and Griffin Bell skate to the "High School Musical" during the performance of "Disney on Ice". This team were helpers with the CanSkate group.

A Trivia Night was enjoyed at the Birtle DropIn on the evening of March 15th. Host Erin Kowal of Brandon kept everyone on their toes. The winning team was "The Wild Irish Roses" and consisted of Wendy Bartlett, Judy Gies, Mandy McBeth and Jan Fleury.

The Valley Viperz U15 Volleyball team was formed at the beginning of the season. On March 15th they hosted their 1st home tournament at Birtle Collegiate. They finished first in their Pool and ended up winning the silver medal. Congratulations girls!

Sympathy of the community is being extended to the family and friends of Rod Ashcroft who passed away on March 17th. after a battle with cancer. Rod will be truly missed by his wife Georgette and his sons Morgan (Amy), Emory (Christine) and Booth (Tara) and their families and also by his siblings, his in-laws, and his many nieces and nephews.

Also extending condolences to the family and friends of Holly Titterton who passed away on March 18th. Holly will be missed dearly by her husband Dwight and her siblings, Scott Brown, Shauna (Brown) Sauk and Dean Brown and their families.

The JV and Varsity Volleyball players from Birtle Collegiate were entered into a lottery for tickets to the U Sports Men's Volleyball Quarter Finals being held at Brandon University last

week. They were fortunate to get chosen and on Friday, March 21st, about 45 students attended the game. The BU Bobcats were the eventual winners of this national tournament.

I (Jan) had Janine and Randy Urbanovich and Bev Elchuk of Brandon and Janessa Urbanovich and Jonathan Woodcock of Virden come for supper on Sunday, March 23 to celebrate March birthdays and an anniversary.

The Annual Birtle Donor's Choice Campaign will once again take place in April and May.

Watch for pledge sheets in the mail or they will be available at locations around town at Birtle Drop In, Birtle Pharmacy, Prairie View municipal office and The Value Shoppe.

As spring is coming (hopefully) the winter sports are winding down. However, the volleyball teams in the area are still active with Cailin Tellier and Marissa Emrick playing with Club West out of Virden and Blake Tomiski and Shaelynn Bray are members of RCV Club out of Russell.

Another successful Junior Curling program was held this past season at the Birtle Curling Club with Kristen Lane and her helpers guiding our future curlers. The arena was busy with hockey teams and figure skating. School sports saw volleyball, basketball, hockey as well as the Ski Club attending weekly sessions at



A very special Thank You to our Silver Sponsor, Fusion Credit Union, for their donation to Birtle Centre for the Arts! Photo submitted.



**Birtle Centre for the Arts**  
Creating Community


**2025**

# Annual General Meeting

April 22nd, 2025 at 1:00 pm  
671 Main Street, Birtle

*Everyone Welcome!*

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# Birtle News Cont'd

Assessippi Ski Resort north west of Russell. Gymnastics took place at the Community Hall and Pickleball at the Elementary School. Lots of activities took place at Birtle Centre of the Arts and exercises, drumming, dominoes and floor curling at the DropIn. Good to see all

these activities happening in the community and sorry if your activity didn't get mentioned.

If you had visitors here or you travelled for spring break, please contact me at 204-842-5227 with your news. Thanks.



**Photo: submitted**

Valley Viperz took home silver at their first-ever home tournament March 15 with 6 teams attending. Thank you to all that attended and to Twin Valley Coop for the concession donations.



## Thank You from the Birtle Fire Department - 12th Annual Vintage Derby

With the support of the riders, the community and the following who donated to our derby we had a very successful day.

We would like to thank the following people and businesses for their support and helping to make the day a success.

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We would also like to thank the landowners who allowed us the use of their land for this derby.

Thank you to the riders who came out and those who purchased silent rider tickets in support of the derby. Together all of your support made this day very successful.

*Thank you!*

Thank You  
Birtle Fire Department Members



# Miniota News

by Linda Clark

Congratulations to the U15 Elkhorn-Miniota-Birtle hockey team who finished their year with winning the series against Sandy Bay!

Our U7 team was in Elkhorn for a fun weekend tournament.

Congratulations to Reese Lelond and Tiffany Brown and their coach Tricia Lelond on attaining the silver medals at their Valley Viperz tournament in Birtle this past weekend!

This week's spotlight goes to our girls who spend hours in dance lessons, and this past week they showcased their skills at the Virden Dance Festival. Our Miniota dancers from the Hamiota Club are Madison Brown, Maci Fenty, Esme Armstrong-Wall, Blair Howard, and Katie How-

ard. Dancing in the Virden Club are Piper Brown and Reese Lelond. Congratulations girls! So much pleasure in watching you.

Congratulations to the Virden Curling Club on their 125th bonspiel and celebrations! Many from this area enjoyed the curling and the meals.

"Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that." Martin Luther King, Jr.

My apologies to Jemma and Jazlynn Sheane, members of the Hamiota Dance Club, as I missed their names in the writeup a couple of weeks ago, on attending the Virden dance festival. Congratulations Jemma and Jazlynn on your performances!

We wish to make an acknowledgement to Jack Bryant and Kevin Bonner who crafted a wooden frame to hold the pictures of those Arrow River and Miniota men who served and lost their lives in World War 1 and 2 and the Korean War. These framed pictures now hang in the Arrow River hall, the location where the Miniota Legion held their meetings. Thank you Jack and Kevin for ensuring this part of our history is safe and recorded.

Jaxon Sheane accompanied by his Grandma Janice Kerr and Sawyer Sheane and Mason Poppel accompanied by his mom Ashleigh Poppel and Grandpa Wright from Virden, travelled to Bismarck North Dakota for a weekend hockey tournament. Jaxon and


Mason are members of the U13 Yellowhead Jr. Chiefs. The boys won 2 games, lost 1 and tied 1.

Several from this area attended a lovely bridal shower at the Birtle DropIn Centre on March 29th to honour Brittany Asselstine, bride elect of Brady Brown. A social was held that evening in the Miniota Curling Rink. Congratulations Brady and Brittany!

Wishing our students and staff a wonderful spring break!

The sun is shining and a new month has arrived already, and so: "Determine never to be idle. No person will have occasion to complain of the want of time who never loses any. It is wonderful how much may be done if we are always doing." Thomas Jefferson

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# Isabella News by Linda Clark

Congratulations to Zoe Knight, Amanda and Claire Gregory, and Avery Clark on their dance performances at the Virden Festival this past week. These girls are members of the Hamiota Dance Club and performed extremely well. A pleasure to watch them! They will complete this year's dance at their recital on April 13th.

The Isabella Community Women held their annual meeting on March 13 at the home of Bernice Still. All committee reports show a successful year and the beautiful weather and the support of the community was instrumental in a wonderful fundraiser in the beef supper. The date for our

next beef supper is set for October 26th. Budget was finalized, catering prices set, and plans for the coming year were made. Executive remains as: Chairperson Linda Clark, Secretary Hazel Wall, Treasurer Diana Brydon and all women of our community placed now on one group to accomplish any catering events.

The annual meeting of the Isabella Community Centre was held on March 17th at the home of Bernice Still. Committee reports were accepted from the treasurer, hall, church, cemetery, memorial donations, charities appeal, museum and the women's group. Updates to the hall

floor and items for the fire inspection have neared completion. Three grants were received to allow these projects to happen, and appreciation to Prairie View Municipality, Twin Valley Co-op and the Hamiota

Co-op for their financial assistance. Projects at the hall for 2025 will include completion of fire code items and the addition of further eavestroughing. Discussion took place on activities for 2025.

**Contact Her Village on facebook**

# Holistic Highlights

with Zoey Jebb



## From Busy to Bliss

If you're anything like me, finding time to simply "be" can seem impossible in today's fast-paced world. Between work, family and the never-ending to-do list, the idea of slowing down can feel like a distant dream. But recently I've been making an effort to force myself into situations where I have

I almost always find myself drifting off to a blissful nap, wakening relaxed and feeling so calm.

This is because not only does it force me to just sit and listen to soothing sounds while in a relaxed environment helps the body and mind to unwind and reset, creating a therapeutic experience that promotes overall well-being.

The musical sounds have a calming way of pulling my mind back into the presence

The vibrations of each instrument reminds my body to let go of the unconscious tension I'm holding. And sitting in the presence of quiet for an entire hour, but others that are also there to relax and let go, gives me permission to do the same. Of course, each individual may experience these benefits differently, but many people find sound therapy to be a powerful tool for improving both their physical and emotional health.

For me it's a beautiful way to unwind and I am incredibly grateful that we are lucky enough to have this opportunity in Birtle.

Wishing You Wellness  
Zoey Jebb

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April 10th, 2025 6:30-8:30pm



VAL CALDWELL

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All parents & caregivers are strongly encouraged to attend. This session is not suitable for children.

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## Obituary



Holly Maureen (Brown) Titterton passed away on March 18th, 2025 in the Shoal Lake Health Center.

Holly was predeceased by her father James (Jim) Brown, her mother Donna Brown, sister Loree Howe and sister-in-law Carol (Lee) Brown. She is

survived by her husband Dwight Titterton, brother Scott (Jeanette), sister Shauna Sauk, and brother Dean, along with numerous nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life will be held at 2pm on May 17 at the Birtle Drop In.

Holly was born in Hamiota on January 19, 1958 and lived on a farm near Kenton. The family then moved to Basswood, Elphinstone and eventually Birtle as Jim was an agent for Pool elevators.

After highschool Holly worked as a nurses aide

caring for polio patients at a government hospital in Winnipeg. During this time she started dating her future husband Dwight, a young farmer from Solsgirth. Dwight and Holly were wed on June 16, 1979 and took up residence at the Titterton farm. Although not very familiar with the farm life, Holly quickly adapted and soon she was milking cows, cleaning the barn and bailing hay and always ready for a new task.

In later life Holly dealt with a number of health problems including migraines, chronic abdomi-

nal pains and diabetes. In 2014 she fell and broke her ankle and when it failed to heal properly due to her diabetes, her right leg had to be amputated. In spite of these difficulties Holly remained cheerful and positive and everyone who knew her could attest the her sweet disposition. Holly also suffered through three bouts of cancer and this is what finally ended her life.

Anyone wishing to make a donation in her name could donate to Diabetes Canada or to the new Cancer Care facility in Russell.

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# PRAIRIE VIEW CALENDAR

# APRIL 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>Weekly Events</p> <p>Foxwarren Bingo Wednesdays 2pm to 4pm</p> <p>Pickellball Thursdays 6:30 to 7:00pm</p> <p>Foxwarren Homemade Lunch Fridays 11:30am</p> <p>Beulah Hall Online Chase the Ace Sundays 7pm</p> <p>Dance Fitness with Zoey Tuesdays 7pm</p>			2	3	4	5
	Mom's & Tots Birtle		Mom's & Tots Miniota	Coop AGM	Annual Sprint Steak Night Fundraiser Miniota	4-H Lunch 11:30am Fox Leis Cen Viperz Tourn Moosejaw Apr 11 & 12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	VAT Sound Therapy 7:30pm		BCA Easter Crafts			
20	21	22	23	24	VAT Sound Therapy 7:00pm	26
		BCA Annual General Meeting	Miniota & Area Welcome Night		Babysitters Course Miniota	Viperz in Wpg Provincials Apr 25 - 27
Fox Leis. Cen Bkfst 10 am- 1pm	28	29	30	1	2	3
Miniota UCW Roast Beef Supper 5pm			Dust Control Application Deadline			

**View our Online Community Calendar for more details at [myprairieview.ca/p/community-events](https://myprairieview.ca/p/community-events)**

**To submit an event to our Community Calendar visit <https://myprairieview.ca/p/add-event>**

**BIRTLE LIBRARY HOURS**

MONDAY 4:30 TO 7:30PM  
 TUESDAY 1:30 TO 6:00PM  
 WEDNESDAY 4:30 TO 7:30PM  
 SATURDAY 10:30AM TO 2:30PM





# SUMMER EMPLOYMENT

## **POSITIONS WITH THE HOMETOWN GREEN TEAM PROGRAM;**

- **PUBLIC WORKS LABOURER; STARTING SALARY \$16.12/HR**
- **RECREATION ASSISTANTS; STARTING SALARY \$16.12/HR**

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST BE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 16 TO 29 AND POSSES A FULL DRIVERS LICENSE. THESE POSITIONS WILL BE UP TO 40 HOURS PER WEEK, BEGINNING IN JUNE TO SEPT 2025

## **CAMPGROUND/TOURIST ATTENDANTS; STARTING SALARY \$16.12/HR**

- 40 HOURS PER WEEK FOR THE POTENTIAL OF JUNE TO SEPTEMBER 6TH, 2025.  
PART TIME POSITIONS ARE AVAILABLE WITH NEGOTIABLE HOURS.

## **BIRTLE BEACH POSITIONS;**

- **CERTIFIED LIFEGUARDS; FULL & PART-TIME - STARTING SALARY \$16.55/HR**
- **WSI CERTIFIED SWIM INSTRUCTORS; PART-TIME - STARTING SALARY \$18.15/HR**  
REQUIRED TO HAVE STANDARD FIRST AID/CPR LEVEL C, LIFESAVINGS SOCIETY NATIONAL LIFEGUARD CERTIFICATE AND/OR LIVE SAVINGS SWIM FOR LIFE INSTRUCTOR TRAINER CERTIFICATE. MUST BE 16 YEARS OF AGE.

## **- BEACH PATROL ASSISTANT - PART TIME - SALARY \$16.17/HR**

MUST BE 14 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER. IF UNDER 16, MUST HAVE THE YOUNG WORKER READINESS CERTIFICATE.

**ALL APPLICANTS FOR ANY POSITION MUST HOLD THE REQUIRED CERTIFICATES PRIOR TO ANTICIPATED START DATES.**

**APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE AT [WWW.MYPRAIRIEVIEW.CA](http://WWW.MYPRAIRIEVIEW.CA) UNDER "EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES".**

**PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATIONS BY APRIL 22ND, 2025.**

Prairie View Municipality  
Recreation Dept -Martyn Lambe  
Phone 204-842-3460  
Email: [recreation@myprairieview.ca](mailto:recreation@myprairieview.ca)



# WHY

## SHOULD YOU BECOME A LIFEGUARD

Becoming a lifeguard isn't just a summer job—it's an opportunity to develop valuable skills, gain real-life experience, and make a meaningful impact.

Helps to build a strong resume and job experience for your future and shows responsibility, leadership, and the ability to adapt to your surroundings.

COMPETITIVE PAY

FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE

OUTDOOR ENVIRONMENT

CONSISTANT POSITIONS  
EACH YEAR

What's stopping you from having a fun summer position each year, certification?

We have you covered, if you are 15+ and are willing to attend locally held training sessions, we can set this up. In fact we even will pay for half of the certification for Lifeguarding.

For more info please contact Martyn at 204-842-3460 or [recreation@myprairieview.ca](mailto:recreation@myprairieview.ca)

# LOCAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Join our Team for the 2025 Season at the



*Birtle Riverside Golf*

## **CLUBHOUSE OPPORTUNITIES: COURSE OPPORTUNITIES:**

Clubhouse Manager  
Clubhouse Staff

Greenskeeper Assistants

Applications can be sent to Birtle Riverside Golf Course by mail or email:

Box 418, Birtle, MB R0M 0C0  
birtleriversidegolf@gmail.com

*Thanks for your interest in making the  
2025 Golf Season in Birtle a success!*

## **Birtle Riverside Golf**

Clubhouse Manager & Assistants

Greenskeeper Assistants

Email [birtleriversidegolf@gmail.com](mailto:birtleriversidegolf@gmail.com)

## **Miniota Golf Course**

Greenskeeper & Assistant

Clubhouse Manager & Assistants

Email [norjst@gmail.com](mailto:norjst@gmail.com) or call 204-748-5567

## **Moulson's Welding**

Experienced Welder

Heavy Duty/Ag Mechanic

For information contact  
[moulsonswelding@gmail.com](mailto:moulsonswelding@gmail.com)  
call 204-847-2227

## **Twin Valley Co-op - Birtle & Miniota**

Fresh Dept – Part-time

Clerk Adult position

Truck Drivers – Seasonal

spring Class 3A or Class  
1A

for more information visit  
[www.twinvalleyco-op.crs/  
sites/twinvalley/careers](http://www.twinvalleyco-op.crs/sites/twinvalley/careers)

## **Prairie Mountain Health - Birtle**

Community Mental

Health Worker

Cook I

Dietary Aide - multiple

Environmental Services

Aide (Housekeeping)

Home Care Aide - mul-  
tiple

Home Care Attendant

Licensed Practical Nurse -  
multiple

Nurse II - multiple posi-  
tions

For more information visit  
<https://careers.pmh-mb.ca/>

Museum Assistant Birdtail Country Museum  
Birtle, Manitoba  
May 5th to August 25th (16 weeks)  
Hourly wage: \$20.00

### **Job Description**

The birdtail Country Museum is looking for a museum assistant to help develop and expand a collection that reflects the Birtle area and history with a focus on First Nations heritage and the legacy of the Birtle Residential School. In addition we require assistance with organizing, cataloguing and displaying artifacts comprising a wide range of historical interest.

The museum assistant will be responsible for showcasing the museum to visitors and raising awareness of the museum's collections including promoting the museum on social platforms, planning and running events to share information about the museum and raise funds to further the museum's development

### **Qualifications**

Recent high school graduate or student registered in a post secondary education program (age 18-30)

Excellent interpersonal and organizational skills.

Good reading and writing skills.

Able to communicate effectively with people of all ages.

Digital and social medial skills required.

Self-motivated and able to take initiative.

This position is full time (40 hours/week) from May 5th to August 25th (16 weeks) and the salary is \$20.00/hour

Please send resume to Lorraine Snow, [[snowlorraine9@gmail.com](mailto:snowlorraine9@gmail.com)]

Call: 204-847-0676 for more information



# LOCAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

## RERC Local Opportunities

Administrative Assistant  
 Art Therapist  
 Central Delivery Truck Driver  
 Clubhouse Manager & Staff  
 Driver Education Instructor  
 Early Childhood Educator/Child Care Assistant  
 Fresh/Grocery Clerk  
 Greenskeeper Assistants  
 Ground Support Personnel (mixer/loader)  
 Home Centre Clerk  
 Labourer  
 Maintenance Worker  
 Member Service Representative  
 Truck Driver/Operator  
 Concrete Batch Plant Operator  
 Summer Student Resource Technician Assistant

For more information on these positions contact  
 RERC Tel: (204) 773-3353 or  
<https://regionalemployment.ca/job-board/>

## Prairie View Municipality Summer positions

Green team  
 Recreation  
 Campground/Tourist Booth  
 Lifeguards  
 Swim Instructor  
 Beach Patrol Assistant

For more information on these positions contact Martyn  
 at [recreation@myprairieview.ca](mailto:recreation@myprairieview.ca) or 204-842-3460


## Park West School Division

Custodial Positions - Birtle Elementary School  
 Division Office - Part-time Permanent Position

For more information on these positions visit  
[www.pwsd.ca/currentopportunities](http://www.pwsd.ca/currentopportunities)

To post a listing in THE OUTLOOK  
 email [prairieviewoutlook@gmail.com](mailto:prairieviewoutlook@gmail.com)  
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# Community VOICES



we want your feedback!

Making informed decisions on how to best serve you is important to us! BMDDC is asking for your thoughts on key issues like housing, employment, business opportunities and local services. Your input will guide decisions, shape future initiatives and strengthen our community for generations to come!

The surveys will focus on different topics, allowing us to take a deeper look at what matters most. Whether you're a long-time resident or new to the area, your voice is important!

Please take a few moments to complete this survey. Your responses will remain anonymous and the results will be used to develop plans and resources that reflect our community's needs. We appreciate your time!

Adding your contact is not mandatory but can help us reach out with relevant information in response to your specific answers. It also enters you in our draw!

## ENTER TO WIN

Submit one of our surveys for your chance to win a Prairie View Yeti Mug!

### Community Voices - Understanding Travel Patterns - Survey #2

1. For those that currently live in Prairie View, what is the primary reason you leave the Municipality?

Please select all that apply

- Work/employment opportunities
- Education or school related
- Healthcare/medical services
- Shopping or retail needs
- Children's activities
- Social/recreational (entertainment, sports)
- Visiting family/friends
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

2. How often do you leave the municipality for work, school, shopping or other regular activities?

- Daily
- Weekly
- Monthly
- Occasionally
- Rarely

3. When you do leave the area, where are the most common destinations that you travel to and for what reason?

- Russell for \_\_\_\_\_
- Virden for \_\_\_\_\_
- Moosomin for \_\_\_\_\_
- Brandon for \_\_\_\_\_
- Yorkton for \_\_\_\_\_
- Winnipeg for \_\_\_\_\_
- Regina for \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_

4. If there were more local products, events or activities available, would you prefer to stay in Prairie View?

- Yes, I would stay more often
- No, I prefer to travel for these activities
- Maybe, it depends what would be available

5. What services or opportunities do you feel are missing in Prairie View Municipality that you would like to see available here?

#### WE APPRECIATE HEARING FROM YOU

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

### 3 WAYS TO HAVE YOUR SAY

1. Visit <https://myprairieview.ca/p/birtle-miniota-cdc> Click on the survey link and fill out online.
2. Fill out this form and drop it off at Birtle Miniota & District Development Corporation (684 Main, Birtle) or a Prairie View Municipal Office (Birtle or Miniota).
3. Fill out this form, take a photo or scan and email to [cdc@myprairieview.ca](mailto:cdc@myprairieview.ca) or text it to 431-257-1111.