

# HANLEY HERMES

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### Summer Transfer Station Hours

Starting immediately

Saturday – 10:00 am – 5:00 pm  
Tuesday and Thursday – 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

**Note:** if there has been excessive rain, making the road to the transfer station difficult to navigate, the transfer station will be closed.

### Automated External Defibrillators

Automated External Defibrillators have been placed at the Centennial Hall and the Arena. They were acquired through a Government of Canada and Heart & Stroke Foundation initiative. Several local people have been trained in their use.

The Hanley Curling Club would like to thank its members and the community for all of the support throughout the season. The ice is out and the rink is available for rentals through the summer months.



### Hanley Library News

The Hanley Library is currently looking to fill the position of librarian. The position has 11 hours per week, hours of operation are negotiable. Computer skills are necessary. Start date will be in late June. Resumes can be dropped off at the library or in the library book drop slot and also at the Town of Hanley Office. Last day to apply is May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2014. For any questions call Harold Dyck at 544-2766.

**LYNNE YELICH**  
**MP BLACKSTRAP**

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**Town of Hanley**

Box 270  
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**HANLEY SENIORS**

The annual meeting and potluck supper was held on April 30<sup>th</sup> with a good turnout.

In the last year we have had many activities including guest speakers, movies, a river cruise, plus the weekly exercises and cards or games.

Crafts and quilts were made on Tuesday afternoons. Eight quilts and many mitts and toques were sent to the YWCA and 50 quilts went to the Mennonite Relief.

We painted the interior of the centre and it looks great.

This coming year we plan for card tournaments, bingos, guest speakers, movies and many other activities.

Each year the seniors buy and plant flowers in the Cenotaph Park.

Our membership is just \$15.00 a year. Come out and join the fun.

***Help Chery Randall get to Africa!***

In July I will be doing a volunteer trip down to St. Lucia, Africa as well as Swaziland. The trip is through an organization called VESA, Volunteer Eco Students Abroad. While I'm down there, I will be doing conservation work with baby crocodiles and cheetahs, construction work for the villages, and also teaching the kids!

Some fundraising events I will be doing are: A Family Fun Night at Hanley School on Friday, May 16th from 6:30-9:00pm. Please join me for some fun Minute to Win it games, face painting, and other fun activities suitable for all ages! There will be a small food booth serving hotdogs, juice, and chips.

I will also be doing a garage sale on May 17 from 10:00am-5:00pm and also on May 18th from 12:00-5:00pm. The address for the garage sale is 303 2nd Avenue.

Thank you for any and all support,

Chery Randall

***Winners from the Fire Hall lottery are:***

- Gary Hanson - carry over
- Amber Burks - carry over
- Lorne Beaumont - \$98
- Carol Prosofsky - \$40
- Josh and Abby Grindheim - \$44
- Derek Libke - \$46
- Ashley Thall - \$46
- Jody Buckley - carry over
- Robert Leduc - carry over
- Neil McRae - carry over
- Terry Sheffield - carry over

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***Attention R.M. of Rosedale residents***

There is a recycle bin at the R.M. shop,  
 for use by all R.M. of Rosedale residents.



***Bouquet Korner by Dory Smith***

- A big thank-you to Ben Collins for all his hard work and long hours while he worked at getting all the water issues rectified. Thanks so much for your help, it was much appreciated.

The Pethicks

- I would like to thank Dwight Thall and Dale Bagnall for going above and beyond to help a new resident to Hanley.

Bob L.

- Sending bouquet to Linda Dietz for all her dedication, support and kind words to all her group and for all the time she spends in making it a pleasant atmosphere for our TOPS group.

Sharon B.

- A big bouquet is sent to all my friends for all their caring and help in getting my mail, driving me to city for appointments, helping me with chores in my home and outside jobs. Each and every one of you, I thank you for your time and consideration I truly appreciate you all do for me.

Verna Zwarich

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***Classified Mixture***

- Middle aged couple looking for a house to rent in Hanley. One indoor cat and one outdoor dog. \$750 /mo max.  
Call Fern (306) 230-6433

- For Sale:

- \* power lift remote control electric chair recliner chair- raises to assist in standing, paid \$1,500.00 at Ash Downs- 8 months old, - \$450.00

- \* 12" white whirly bird for roof still in box new - \$50.00

- \* Storm door white with glass - \$25.00

- \* HP tri color print cartridge 60 xl, new with free one only partially used - \$25.00

- \* Medical bath chair - \$25.00

(306) 544-2560

- Need a babysitter? Call Sydney or Kierra - reliable trustworthy with completion of Red Cross babysitting course, available after school, weekends and holidays, call 544-2403

- Avon - Looking for a gift ? Clearance sale, all discounted 30-50% off, wow! Bubble bath 5.00, Deodorants .99, face creams , hand creams, hair shampoo and conditioner 3.99 and up makeup, clothes, ornaments, jewelry and much, much more.

Call Donna Olson 306-544-2699

Send in your bouquets or articles for sale, give a ways, wanted etc. to:

**[bouquetkorner@townofhanley.ca](mailto:bouquetkorner@townofhanley.ca) or drop off at town office.**

*Live Life to the fullest*



Dory Smith

**Local Churches**

***Hanley Lutheran Church***  
 Box 296  
 Hanley, SK S0G 2E0

Pastor Kristin Soveran – 306-361-8545  
 Pastor Harley Johnson - 306-280-0071

Sunday Worship & Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
 Communion: 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

If you would like a pastoral visit, please contact  
 Pastor Kristin, as she comes to Hanley one day  
 every week.

***Hanley Mennonite Church***

15 kilometres west of Hanley  
 Pastors Gary Peters  
 306-544-2633  
 Sunday School for all ages: 10:00 a.m.  
 Church Service: 11:00 a.m.

***Hanley United Church***  
 Box 219  
 Hanley, SK S0G 2E0  
 Rev. Andrew Appledore  
 306-544-2822 (Thursday, Friday)  
 306-956-3228 (Home)

Sunday Worship  
 & 09:30 a.m.  
 Sunday School

***HANLEY TOPS***

Lose weight and get healthier with a fun,  
 supportive weight lose group.

Wednesday evenings at the  
 Hanley United Church.

Weigh in at 6:00 p.m.  
 Meeting at 6:30 p.m.

For more information, contact  
 Linda at 306-544-2264.

**Hanley Legion**

Meet 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month  
 September to June @ 8:00 p.m.  
 At the Club Room in Centennial Building . . .

Anyone interested please call:

- Gary Hanson @ 306-544-2634
- Gordon McGregor @ 306-544-2988

***New Members Always Welcome.***

***TOPS***

‘Take off Pounds Sensibly’  
 Meet every Wednesday morning  
 At 9:00 A. M.  
 Hanley United Church  
 Anyone interested please call  
 Connie @ 306-544-2756 or Elsie @ 306-544-2293

**Club 52 Winners**

Feb. 19	\$52	Kevin Ballard
Feb. 26	\$104	Larry & Edna Schmidt
March 5	\$52	Deb Dubyk
March 12	\$52	Clint & Pat Sira
March 19	\$52	Lauraine Winik
March 26	\$104	Al & Char McGregor
April 2	\$52	Frank & Susan Carpenter
April 9	\$52	Brandon Dyck
April 16	\$52	Bob & Belle Moate
April 23	\$52	Lois Suderman
April 30	\$104	Robert Bergstresser

### **Animal Control Officer**

Thank you to Ann Rogers for her years of service as animal control officer. As she is moving, the town is looking for a new animal control officer. Applications will be received until June 6<sup>th</sup>.

It is important for news to be called in to Verna Zwarich; who reports the Hanley News in the Davidson Leader. Many people enjoy reading the local news, so please take the time to call in your information to Verna at 544-2237. Your help is appreciated.

Verna does such a good job for our town.



**Phil Sarich - Owner**

Box 782 Dundurn, SK S0K 1K0

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[www.blackstrapheating.com](http://www.blackstrapheating.com)

### **HANLEY CENTENNIAL COMMITTEE**

The Annual General Meeting was held on April 30/14 with 8 people in attendance. It was decided to replace the sidewalk leading into the entrance of the facility. During this concrete replacement, please access the facility through the Senior's Centre (east end of the hall) or the Fire exit closest to the Town Office. This should only be for one day so hopefully it will not be much of an inconvenience and the safety of the entrance will be ensured. Thank you for your patience with this project.

The Hall Committee and Caretaker are encouraging recycling with rentals of the facility. Recycle containers will be placed in the kitchen and Clubroom for the accumulation of recyclables which can be taken out to the recycle bin during your cleanup. The key is the same for the garbage bin so shouldn't be an inconvenience to take out. Please remember to flatten the cardboard!!

There are a number of broken chairs so a resolution was passed to purchase 100 chairs and throw the broken ones out!

Prior to the AGM, the Executive decided to replace the lighting in the RM and Town Offices with more energy efficient lighting. The new lights have been ordered and should be installed soon.

### **ANIMAL CONTROL**

We will feature a series of notes from "An Enlightened approach to companion animal control for Canadian municipalities" a position paper defining effective and efficient bylaws as published on the Pet Industry Joint Advisory Council of Canada. Hopefully this information will help pet owners and others understand the need for uniform bylaws across the country and within our community.

"We have domesticated and kept animals as companions for hundreds of years. Pets have become part of many families. These animals not only provide companionship but may also provide significant health benefits to their owners. Unfortunately, not all these pet owners understand or accept the lifetime responsibilities that a pet requires. All pet owners should have their animals permanently identified, spayed or neutered, kept under control, properly trained, socialized and cared for.

Some pet owners are unaware or neglectful of their responsibilities to their pets or allow their pets to annoy their neighbours or harass wild animals that share the environment. This can result in dog bites, threats to people or animals, damage or contamination of property, pet overpopulation, abuse or neglect of animals and other consequences. The solution involves effective legislation and education that encourages responsible pet ownership.

Municipalities need to enact bylaws that stipulate the types of animals allowed as pets, that require humane and responsible treatment of animals to prevent them from disturbing or harming people, animals or property, and other provisions as determined by each council. In addition to the benefits of public safety and satisfaction, practical and progressive animal control bylaws should be cost effective for the municipality. Irresponsible pet owners cost taxpayers money through pound costs, investigation of complaints, and pet overpopulation. These costs can be offset by significantly higher licence fees for pets that are not spayed or neutered, increased fines for repeat offenders and other regulations that encourage responsible pet ownership.

This package brings together expertise from the Canadian Veterinary Medical Association, the Canadian Federation of Humane Societies, and the Pet Industry Joint Advisory Council of Canada. These groups make up the National Companion Animal Coalition, which was formed in 1996 to promote socially responsible pet ownership and enhance the health and well-being of companion animals. Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada is an observer member of the group. Additional input has also been obtained from key individuals involved in animal welfare and municipal animal control."

**NOTES FROM THE TOWN OFFICE**

**At the February meeting:**

A Tax Incentive Policy was adopted to create incentives to enhance business development and growth opportunities in the commercial and industrial districts within the municipal boundaries of the Town of Hanley through the use of property tax exemptions and defined development incentives.

The survey in regards to having recycle carts at each residence showed support for the program and the recycle carts were delivered the first week in April. A calendar and information on recycling was included with your March utility bill. If you lose your calendar or information, there are copies in the hallway directly outside the Town Office.

To encourage a decrease in paper and office time, the Council decided to go paperless for Council Meetings by purchasing tablets for each Councillor. There will be an estimated savings of \$5,200 each year along with saving an estimated 2 trees over 5 years!

A grant of \$1,800 was awarded to the Hanley Library for operations.

**At the March meeting:**

The Council accepted a tendered offer to purchase tax title property.

The Administrator was approved to attend the 2 day Municipal Infrastructure Conference in Kindersley Apr. 15 & 16 focusing on Asset Management, and a Labour Standards Workshop and WCB WorkSafe Presentation on Apr. 24 in Regina.

Animal Control was reviewed as the Animal Control Officer pursues licensing of dogs and cats.

A resolution in regards to snow removal on Canada Court was rescinded with clarification on winter snow removal on that street.

Councillor Townsend was appointed to the Hanley Arena Artificial Ice Committee on a voluntary basis as Town liaison.

**At the April meeting:**

The Council accepted a proposal for a multi-unit dwelling to be constructed. There are further agreements to be approved for this project but rental housing is needed in the community.

The waterworks section of the Policy Manual was amended to provide for the direction of the investigation of disruption of water service to property owners. Unfortunately, there were a number of water lines that froze this winter because of the cold temperatures pushing the frost line down anywhere from 9 to 12 feet. Many communities reported the problem of frozen water lines so we were not alone with this issue. The weather people reported this winter as the coldest in 75 years so hopefully that weather is out of the system and we won't see that again in the near future!

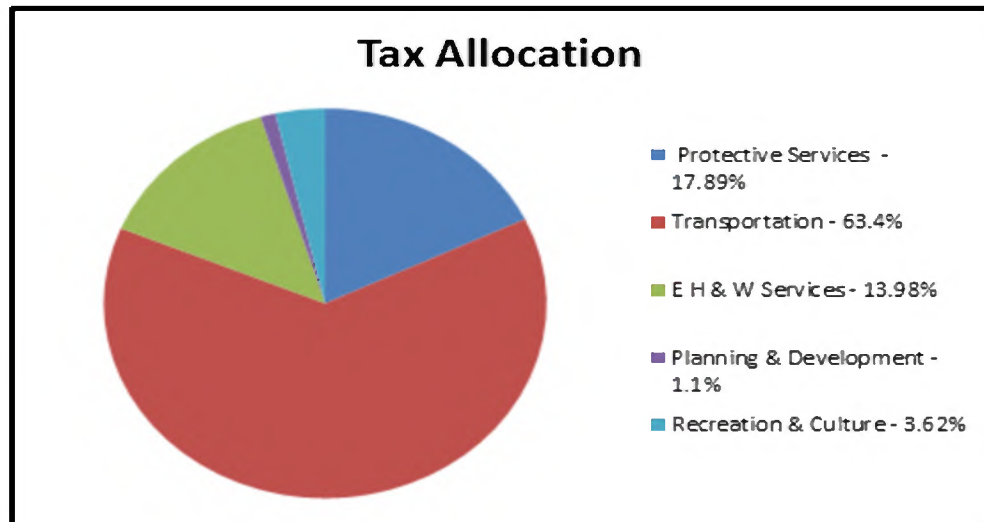
Notices have been posted advertising for a Summer Employment Student for the Town.

Get your applications in by 4 pm Friday, May 9.

The 2013 Audited Financial Statements were approved. A synopsis of the statements will be inserted in your 2014 tax notice.

The 2014 Budget was approved with no municipal increases to taxes. The sewer line cleanout fee was increased to \$100 per hour with a minimum of 1 hour.

The allocation of your taxes are as per the chart below:





**WATER BILLS**

This question has been asked at coffee row and the Town Office: “Where does the money go that I pay for my water bill?” The first thing to note on your “water bill”, is the separation of each service – Water, Sewer, Wst Mgm (garbage & recycling) and Infrast (Infrastructure Fee). In the last Hanley Hermes, the Town posted an unaudited water and sewer receipts/expenditures financial statement for 2013.

The Town Council has adopted the 2014 Budget so your water charge of \$171 (minimum) and sewer charge of \$30 for each quarter, sales of water from the truckfill and sewer cleanouts will be directed to:

<b>UTILITIES EXPENSES</b>	
<b>Subtotal Wages and Benefits</b>	<b>27,900</b>
<b>Professional/Contract Services</b>	
Travel, Meals & Subsistence	3,200
Memberships/Subscriptions	300
Conference Fees	250
GPS account	1,260
Cont Repairs - Building	1,000
Cont. Repairs - Equip	10,000
Cont Repairs - Line Repair	55,000
Water - Laboratory Testing	2,800
Other Cont. Services	200
Sewer - Cont Repairs - Lift Stn	500
Sewer - Cont Rcp. - Linc	
Cleaning	1,500
Sewer - Cont Repairs - Lagoon	500
Sewer - Laboratory Testing	710
<b>Subtotal Prof/Contract Services</b>	<b>77,220</b>
<b>Utilities</b>	
Water - Heat & Power	4,100
Water - Telephone	510
Sewer - Power	815
Sewer - Alarm phone	250
Sewer - Diesel (generator)	250
<b>Subtotal Utilities</b>	<b>5,925</b>
<b>Maintenance, Materials and Supplies</b>	
Water - Stationary & Postage	700
Water - Office supplies	200
Water - Gravel/Sand	700
Water - Materials & Supplies	10,000
Water - Small Tools & Equipment	200
Water - Chemicals	500
DRWU Supply	165,400
Sewer - Sewer Lines	1,500
Sewer - Small Tools	600
Sewer - Chemicals	2,000
<b>Subtotal Maint, Mat and Supplies</b>	<b>181,800</b>
<b>Total Utilities Expenditures</b>	<b>292,845</b>

<b>UTILITY REVENUE</b>	
Water	220,000
Pump House Sales	2,500
Sewer - Charges	33,000
Sewer - Custom Work (clean-outs)	1,000
Interest Earned	2,400
SIGI Grant (Infrastructure)	32,318
<b>Total Utilities Revenue</b>	<b>291,218</b>
<b>Revenue less Expenditures</b>	<b>-1,627</b>

From these tables you will see that the water and sewer service is almost self-sustaining which is a requirement of the Saskatchewan Municipal Board. For more detail, please contact the Town Office.

These numbers do not include the amortization totaling \$59,637 which the Town is required to report on the annual Financial Statements.

Capital expenditures targeted for 2014:

- 1) Watermain Replacement Project – we will be applying for the Building Canada Fund – Small Communities Component and will also try to use the New Deal Gas Tax Funding for this project. If we are not approved for the BCF Grant, the project will not be able to proceed.
- 2) Install a check valve on 4<sup>th</sup> St. to enable the water to be shut off down the alley between the 400 Block of Lincoln and Grant Streets which supplies residents in that block and also Trailbreak and Thall’s Service.
- 3) Replace one hydrant as part of the ongoing asset management planning.

The Infrastructure Fee portion (\$105 per quarter) of your “water bill” is directed towards the repayment of the loan to install the pipeline supplying “city” water. This money is deposited into a separate bank account.

Another note that may be made to the payment of your “water bill” is that you are supporting the local recreational facilities: (Spray Park, Arena, Curling Rink, Community Hall, Fairgrounds during the Ag Fair and Library) as the Town is not charging for water usage.

### ***Hanley Agricultural Fair June 20-21, 2014***

The town parade will start our fair off this year on Friday night. Start getting your float ready now!!

Enter your team for the slo-pitch tournament, only 8 spots available. Tournament will start Friday evening and go all day Saturday. Contact Renaye Zdunich 306-291-4118

Minor ball wind up will be held at the fair so they will be playing games throughout the day on Saturday.

Contact Dwight Thall for more info regarding the Lawnmower Race and Burnout Competition taking place on Friday night.

New to the fair this year:

- Kids Gymkhana will take place on Friday night after the parade. Contact Julie Bessey for more info or to register 544-2411.
- Kidsville put on by DJ Amusements 10am - 5pm Saturday (all day wristbands will be available at the gate)
- Spud Gun Contest on Saturday

If anyone is interested in volunteering to work a shift in the concession booth please contact Bekki Kempton at 544-2478.

There will be a full program mailed out closer to the fair date. If you have any questions or are interested in getting involved please contact us at [hanleyagsociety@gmail.com](mailto:hanleyagsociety@gmail.com) or Patti 544 2226, Dawn 544 2443, Bekki 544 2478, Andrea 544 2588.

Can't wait to see you all there!!  
The Hanley Ag Society

Did you know: That Statistics Canada showed the Town of Hanley population to be 522 for the 2011 census but Saskatchewan Health shows the 2013 population to be 782?

### ***CLUB 52***

Thank You

From the Hanley Community Center  
For your valuable contribution once again  
last year.

Tickets are now available for the 2014-2015 season.

Please join us once again for this important fundraiser  
and have 52 chances to win \$\$\$\$

Cheques for \$52, payable to Club 52, may be dropped off at  
Hanley Hardware, Trailbreak Services, or  
Hanley Town Office

For more information contact  
Bev Goff-544-2526, Cindy Hoffman- 544-2853, or Gord McGregor 544-2988



**HANLEY GOLF CLUB  
OPEN HOUSE**

**COME SEE OUR NEWLY RENOVATED CLUB HOUSE**



**SATURDAY MAY 24, 2014  
11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

**EVERYONE WELCOME**

**PAY YOUR MEMBERSHIP BY 4 pm TODAY AND YOU WILL RECEIVE A FREE  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER**

- FREE COFFEE AND CAKE
- BEER AND BURGER - \$5.00
- COOLERS AND SHOTS AVAILABLE
- FREE GOLF ALL DAY

**Hanley Golf Club  
Dates to remember**

Saturday, May 10 – cleanup day  
Wednesday, May 28 – 1<sup>st</sup> golf night/supper

**GARAGE SALE**

**FOR CULTURE CLUB 2015**

**SATURDAY MAY 24/2014**

**9:00 AM – 5:00 PM**

**DUNDURN RINK**

**DONATIONS IN ADVANCE GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED  
TO ARRANGE PICK-UP CALL:**

**CHAR SEYMOUR: 371-1672 or [cseymour@sasktel.net](mailto:cseymour@sasktel.net)**

**TANYA KOLBECK: 544-2739 or 544-7709 or [jtkolbeck@sasktel.net](mailto:jtkolbeck@sasktel.net)**

**CAROLYN CARTWRIGHT: 492-2196 or [Carolyn.cartwright@usask.ca](mailto:Carolyn.cartwright@usask.ca)**

HANNA ANDERSON  
ANIKA PATRY

REID ASHDOWN  
ASHLEY RANDALL

KENTON DUBYK  
TAYLOR SEYMOUR

DUSTIN KOLBECK  
LAURA ZMUD

### **It's a Go!**

Thank-you to Everyone who was able to attend the last public information night. 16 people voted to proceed with the project, 0 were opposed. The committee has already been hard at work organizing a business plan and preparing to start fundraising. Watch for more details coming out soon!

**"If you can dream it, you can do it" -Walt Disney**

**Next Meeting: Tuesday May 20th**

**Time: 7:30 pm**

**Location: Cindy Prosofsky's House**



# **Hanley Artificial Ice Project**

### **Community**

The existing rink was a community driven, fundraised project that was built in 1980. We are so excited to be working together as a community again on this artificial ice project.

As we move forward more volunteers are needed to make this work! We will be researching and applying for grants as well as developing a fundraising plan. If you are able to help, even a small amount of your time would be greatly appreciated!

**For More Information or to**

**Volunteer Please Contact:**

Cindy Prosofsky: 306-544-2705

Deator Schacher: 306-290-7795

Dallas Bessey: 306-544-2411