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Covering the Corner is a service provided by the Town of Redvers. It is our intent to provide the community of Redvers and surrounding area with a newsletter that keeps residents connected with the numerous events and activities going on within our fantastic community!

Starting 2021 off with a Bang!!



Due to Covid-19, the Redvers Tourism Committee wasn't able to hold their Canada Day program as they usually would on July 1st this past year, so what better time than New Year's Eve, to launch them?!?! Thank you Redvers Tourism for giving the community and surrounding communities something to do on New Year's Eve! Also, special thank you to the Redvers Volunteer Fire Department for setting the fireworks off, it was a great show!

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REDVERS & DISTRICT HEALTH FOUNDATION FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE

Submitted by Makayla Matthewson

The Redvers Health Foundation Fundraising Committee is a registered non-profit organization that assists with the provision of health services in the Redvers and district area. The committee started up in 1994 and has since worked persistently to ensure the Redvers Health Centre stays equipped with the required equipment, supplies, and personnel to continue operating the hospital, medical clinic, and long-term care facility. The committee currently consists of Jenna Axten, Devan Brisebois, Dawn Eilers, Mitchell and Jessica George, Raechelle Henderson, Makayla Matthewson, Shayla Matthewson, and Alicia Stewart.

With the help from our community, our committee has been able to provide the Redvers Health Centre with a defibrillator, overhead light, leather reclining chairs, chest compression system, and much more. This holiday season, we provided the long-term care facility with some new and improved Christmas trees and décor. The committee also currently helps fund the Primary Care Paramedic course.

Unfortunately, due to obvious reasons (Covid-19), we could not host our annual fundraising event. However, one thing is for sure; Covid-19 has proven the necessity and importance of our health centres and the value of our local businesses. With that being said, this year's committee had decided on a Shop Local Christmas Raffle in order to receive proceeds. The raffle consisted of a Christmas tree filled with many local gift cards generously donated from our local ventures valued at approximately \$4000 and a gift box filled with donated local gift cards valued at roughly \$500. We were fortunate to have sold all 400 tickets. The draw was made at the Optimist Eatery and Café on December 19th. Congratulations to this year's two winners Valery Jorgensen and Brady Gaudet!

The Redvers Health Foundation Fundraising Committee applauds our community's generosity and would like to extend the greatest thank you to all of the many local donations, local businesses, as well as to everyone who purchased a ticket. Another huge thank you to Brian LeNouail for allowing our committee to gather at 7L continually. As usual, we are still gladly accepting general donations. No dollar in support of our health services ever goes unnoticed. If you'd like to donate, general donations can be left at the CIBC in Redvers. Thank you to our supportive community, as without it none of this would've been possible.



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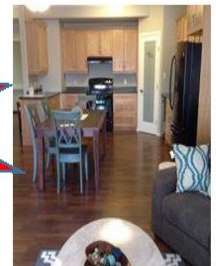
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2021 COME ON IN!

Submitted by Jocelyn Hainsworth

Never in the history of mankind have we collectively been so excited to put a year behind us. Not that humans haven't had to deal with adversity before, but this Covid thing entered our realm of knowledge in January, messed with every single month until the powers that be announced acceptable vaccines in December ... one complete year of our lives affected in ways we never imagined would matter. Case in point – toilet paper.

But here we are, welcoming a New Year in. There's a custom that says you are supposed to throw open the doors on your house at midnight to let the old year out, and usher in the new one. I didn't do that – way past my bedtime – but it does sound like a good idea. If there were any traces of 2020 hanging around, kicking them to the curb sounds like a really good idea.

Another custom to bring good luck is to have guests drop in uninvited on January 1st and to treat them to a meal. In the time of Covid any visiting anywhere is frowned upon so of course that didn't happen either. I wonder if an hour and a half spent visiting with my siblings on Zoom on New Years Eve counts? Oh well, if not lucky, at least it was fun.

So! What does this new year hold for us? Will some enterprising bookie come up with a way to gamble on when the vaccinations reach small town Saskatchewan? Will we get the one that needs one jab, or two? And just so everyone understands – when you walk out of the clinic with your little band aid on your arm, you will still not be 'home free'. The vaccination is to tell your body what to do to build immunity, your body still has to go to work and do it. Maybe you can start looking at vacation flyers, but you aren't going anywhere yet!


It wasn't all for naught, though. We have learned new things and grown in ways we never would have tried if life had just kept sifting along as usual. Baking became a thing, and gardening, and preserving what we grew. You still can't find a deep freeze for sale anywhere. People found that if they were home all the time they needed a bigger house. Office buildings stand empty because people worked from home and many will likely go on doing it that way. Both commercial and residential real estate are scrambling to deal with this unforeseen outcome.

Here, in our own little rural pocket, we have suffered less than most. For the most part we are physically distanced, and we have a lot of space outdoors to enjoy life without endangering each other.

On the other hand, I sure am looking forward to going places and visiting with people. I want to sit down in a busy, happy, noisy restaurant and enjoy food I didn't have to cook myself. Obviously, it's the little things that mean the most.



May we all find health and happiness in this new year. It's so nice out today I think I will go open the bedroom windows ... you know, just in case there is a little 2020 still hanging out in there!





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Ainsley – eat healthy

Krielle – learn new stuff so I can become very smart and “punny”



Ryan – learn more about cows

Kyson – to train for hockey, get a better shot and get better at skating

Ryker – to be a faster skater and get a harder shot

Kara – be more organized

Arianna – to keep my room clean

Raif – to get my hunter safety course and get

a bigger deer than my dad and brothers

Asia – to draw much better

Bronx – to get a better wrist shot

Drake – to be able to run faster

Tyson – to drive a quad in the mountains



Rhett – get a harder slapshot in hockey

Eve – to read more than one of my classmates in a month

Kinsley – eat healthy and be more organized

Daxson – to have over 30 km/hr slapshot

Logan – to be able to go hunting

Marissa – to leave my room more often and go outside

Nazryn – to be a better peacemaker

Jayden – keep my room clean

Wyatt – do better at school

Miley – to eat healthy and keep my room clean

Ericka – to stop fighting so much with my siblings and get good grades

Cameron – to get better grades and better at spelling



**Out with the old, in with
the new, and very best
wishes to each one of you!**

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truly grateful and can't
wait to serve you in 2021!**

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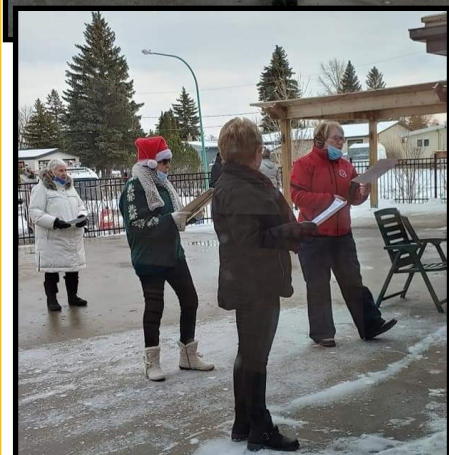
Submitted by Barbara Dennis

Before we welcome 2021, here is a peek back at Haven events in December 2020. Please know the residents are very appreciative of all the little extras that made their December enjoyable.

December is deer hunting season. Thanks to all the staff who helped the Activity worker execute the 'hunt'! Complete with a walk through the forest, stalking down the 'deer', the success's and true to most hunts, failures of some to bag deer. Great fun for all! (I think the staff enjoyed this as much if not more than the residents.)



Thanks to the staff who helped with the dancing dummies – now there is a story!?



Statutory holidays like Christmas Day an activity worker is never scheduled but often because we love our residents just like you do, an activity worker will come in to make sure Santa gets to see everyone at the Haven. This year was no exception. The World Health Organization made a special allowance for Santa to make his world tour, including the Haven, however due to Covid 19 restrictions the elves did not accompany him. Activities is very grateful that the continuing care aids and other staff regularly scheduled that day played the part of Santa's elves this year. Thank you.

On the topic of thanks – shout out to those who blessed the residents with their presence and their voices. Several groups came to bring Christmas cheer with caroling. One of those groups was accompanied by Santa!



Many thanks to the families for help with the purchase of items for the residents to enjoy throughout the month. Christmas Day, the FaceTime and Zoom calls were especially enjoyed.

Other Christmas Day visitors included a momma, little girl, and pony! Karen Ewert may be holding the reins, but Olivia is doing the riding and the waving. This Christmas afternoon visit was a highlight. Thankyou Karen, Olivia and pony! You made our day extra special.

Now that we have put 2020 to bed – we welcome 2021.

And welcome we will with all things PIE. January is all about PIE. Pie making, pie games, pie decorating, pie eating, pie names, pie bingo, pie eating. Maybe we could call on volunteers to come and demonstrate their pie throwing accuracy! You of course would also have to bring your own targets??? ALL ABOUT PIE!

Residents and staff of the Redvers Health Centre wish each and every one a very Happy, Healthy 2021 New Year!



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I would like to thank Dr. B. McIntyre, Dr. V. Prabhu, Redvers Health Centre and the nursing staff who took such great care of my sister. Also, thanks to the Ambulance service who took France to Estevan and then to Regina General Hospital after. Thanks to the Doctors and nurses at the Regina General Hospital who cared for her until her passing.

A big thanks to Lucien Kenler for taking me to Regina as well.

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