# **TOWN OF STAR CITY**





Merry Christmas from The Town of Star City, Mayor, Council & Staff



Next council meeting is Monday, December 11<sup>th</sup> @ 4:30pm

# Light up Star City for Christmas



The Star City Heritage Museum is sponsoring a Random Draw for Star City Residents who display Outdoor Christmas Lights (keeping your lights on will automatically enter your name in the draw for \$50 prize)

Draw to be made in January 2024

# Please be advised there is a **NEW FEES & CHARGES BYLAW**

Bylaw No. 531-2023

Please visit our website to view the new bylaw at <a href="www.town.starcity@sasktel.net">www.town.starcity@sasktel.net</a> or contact the Town Office at 306.863.2282.

Dog & Cat Licences expire December 31st, 2023.

Pet licences are to be renewed

before January 31st, 2024

CASTRATED/SPAYED ... \$15 NON-CASTRATED/SPAYED ... \$ 30

#### Animal Control # 306-921-3062 between 8am - 8pm

If your dog is licensed we will contact you if picked up. If your dog is not licensed it will be taken to N.E.S.P.C.A. For more info call the Town Office at 306-863-2282.

#### **BYLAW NO. 521-2020**

# A BYLAW TO SET FEES FOR THE PICKUP OF WASTE AND RECYCLE MATERIAL WITH THE TOWN OF STAR CITY

4. Waste Management fee shall be set as follows: **Residential Users** 

CURRENTLY Residential - \$10.89/month per household
YEAR 2024 Residential - \$11.09/month per household
YEAR 2025 Residential - \$11.32/month per household

#### **Town Office Christmas Hours**

December 25<sup>th</sup> – Closed – Christmas Day December 26<sup>th</sup> – Closed – Boxing Day December 27<sup>th</sup> -29<sup>th</sup> – 8:00am – 4:30pm January 1st – Closed – Happy New Year!



The Town Office will also be closed January 2nd, 3rd, 4th & 5th for year end.

Residents can call and leave a message if needed for snow removal, etc. The drop box is also available on the south side of the town office.

#### **WINTER REMINDERS!!**

Please remember the following as we head into the winter months ...

- ~ Park vehicles in driveways and <u>NOT</u> on the streets or boulevards during winter months to ensure the grader can get through for snow removal. If you need to park on the streets, please have your vehicle moved after a big snow fall so it does not get blocked in by the snow plow.
- ~ Remember to bring in your garabage/recycle bins off the streets once they have been emptied to allow for the proper snow removal
- ~ When removing snow from your property, please be considerate of your neighbors and do not blow into their yards. Also do not push snow onto the streets from your driveways/walkways.
- ~ The driveway wing, when lowered should reduce the amount of snow left on driveway approaches but it will not eliminate a snow ridge. Unless this ridge is quite significant (more than 12 inches) staff will not return to remove it this also applies to the ridges left in the back alley. Anything less than 12 inches is to be removed by the homeowner.
- ~ **ATTENTION PARENTS**: Please make sure your kid(s) don't play on the snow ridges alongside the streets. This may be dangerous as they may slip off as a vehicle is passing by or when the town is pushing up snow they may not been seen. Please play safe.
- ~ Please remember to drive slowly and watch for kids at play!



Water Bills are due the 15<sup>th</sup> of the month. Thank you for keeping your bills current.





#### **Star City United Church**

December 24, Sunday, 7:30 p.m., Christmas Eve Candle Light Service

December 31, Sunday, no service January 7, Sunday, 10:00 a.m. Coffee and friendly Conversation January 14, Sunday, 10:00 a.m. regular church service

#### **Star City Community Pantry-small changes**

Winter Hours – \*the Pantry will be open
Thursdays at 3 pm to 4 pm
beginning on December 7th. (instead of 4-5 pm)
at Star City United Church
\*The Pantry will be closed on December 28,
(the week between Christmas and News Years),
and resume winter hours beginning January 4, 2024

The Pantry provides groceries to anyone of Star City community who may find themselves challenged with financial difficulty.

The Pantry exists by donations and volunteers.

Thank you to those who are in any way involved with the Pantry.

Donations are welcome.

Grocery donations (please check the best before dates) can be left in the basket provided at Star City Town Office.

Financial donations can be mailed to:

Star City United Church, Community Pantry,
box 276, Star City SK, S0E 1P0

Lori Pask, 306-852-9966; Penny Armstrong, 306-863-4135 Carole Beal McKenzie 306-863-2999

#### BRUNCH

At the Star City Community Elks Hall
Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup>
9:30am – 11:30am
\$10.00 plate
Everyone Welcome

Snow Removal Services

SNOW REMOVAL FROM DRIVEWAYS, YARDS, ROOFS & MORE

CALL IAN @ 306-560-7951 FOR MORE INFO.

#### Walking Program

@ the Star City Community Elks Hall

Monday – Friday 9am – 11am

Everyone Welcome



Please bring a pair of clean shoes for walking.

#### **STAR CITY LIBRARY NEWS:**

Anyone who comes into the Library and checks out an item (DVD or book) will have their name entered to win a prize. The more times you come in, the more chances you will have to win.

#### **LIBRARY HOURS**

Monday – 5:30pm to 8:30pm Tuesday – 1:00pm – 4:30pm Wednesday – 9:00am to 12:00pm Thursday – 1:00pm to 4:30pm Friday - Closed For more information contact Dena @ the Library 306-863-4364

### **Star City Library Christmas Hamper Draw**

contains baking & various Christmas items
 Tickets \$2.00 each or 3 for \$5.00

Draw Date: December 21st, 2023



Christmas Crafts at the Library December 7<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> ~ Starts after school



## Star City Old Time Dance

Saturday, December 9th 2:00pm - 5:00pm

At the Star City Elks Community Hall

Music by: Tom Reinhardt
Admission: \$15/person
Pot Luck Lunch
Everyone Welcome!



Thank you to the Star City Recreation Board for helping sponsor the Senior Old Time Dances

# **Skate with Santa & Family Bingo**

at the Star City Community Arena Saturday, December 9th, 2023



Skate with Santa 1:30 – 2:00 (Skating will be open til 5pm)

Pics with Santa 2:00-3:00

(Please remember to bring your camera)

Family Bingo to follow 3:30 -5:00pm



Christmas goodies & hot chocolate will be provided.

No charge - Everyone Welcome!

#### **TOWN OFFICE HOURS**

Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:30pm Closed for lunch 12:00-12:30 PH. 306-863-2282



Please check the rink schedule on the town's website @

www.townofstarcity.com

Public Skating dates will also be posted on the website & on our Facebook page.