

# White City inSight.



A monthly newsletter providing residents of White City with need-to-know information regarding Town events, programs, and service reminders.

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Help us give a warm White City welcome to Keagan Jacksteit, our new Community Safety Officer.

Keagan (Pronounced Kay-gen) has lived most of his life in Balgonie and is excited to meet the friendly residents of White City!

You might see Keagan patrolling our streets in the marked truck or cycling along our pathways on the CSO bike. If you come across him, please take a moment to say hello and make him feel at home!

**SUMMER  
SIZZLE**  
**SAVE THE DATE  
JUNE 8, 2024**

# Councillor Blog

Welcome back fellow residents of White City (and those reading from the surrounding area) for the April 2024 edition of the White City Councillor Blog. This month's blog will focus on the groundbreaking event, Camp Molly, to be hosted by the Town and the White City Fire Department in June 2024.



We are honoured to announce that the White City Fire Department has been selected to host the inaugural Camp Molly in Saskatchewan. The event is scheduled to take place from June 6 to 9, 2024, and will aim to educate young women on the skills needed to pursue a career in Fire and Emergency Services.

White City being chosen as the first location for Camp Molly in Saskatchewan is a testament to the unwavering dedication and excellence of our firefighters and first responders that make up the White City Fire Department, which has served as a beacon of safety and education for over four decades.

Camp Molly Saskatchewan aims to inspire young students between the ages of 15-18 to pursue a career in Fire and Emergency Services. This initiative aligns seamlessly with our values, emphasizing inclusivity, diversity, and the importance of breaking down gender stereotypes in traditionally male-dominated fields. We are pleased for the opportunity for our local youth to partake in this unique experience and we encourage eligible participants to seize the chance.

Camp Molly offers young women the chance to connect and interact with influential female role models within their community. The entire four-day camp experience comes at no cost, as all expenses related to running Camp Molly are covered through generous donations and contributions.

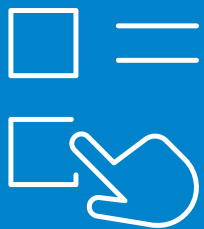
Eligible participants must meet certain qualifications, such as being in good physical condition, possessing a positive attitude and having their own transportation to and from the camp location. It is important that interested individuals complete the online application before the deadline of April 6, 2024.

Parents, I want to take a moment to address you directly. Camp Molly Saskatchewan is not just a camp - it's a transformative journey that will equip your daughters with essential skills and ignite their confidence to serve Saskatchewan proudly. This is a golden opportunity for your young ones to explore their potential, build lasting friendships, and gain hands-on experience in a field that plays a crucial role in ensuring the safety and well-being of our communities.



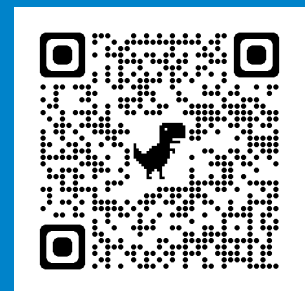
I urge you to encourage your daughters to apply for this unique opportunity. The skills, knowledge, and friendships gained at Camp Molly will undoubtedly contribute to their personal growth and future success.

For more information about Camp Molly Saskatchewan and to apply, please visit the official website at [cammolly.ca](http://cammolly.ca).



**APPLY TODAY!**

Apply on or before April 6, 2024  
by scanning this QR Code:



If you have any questions, have a comment, want more information, or want to suggest a topic for a future blog please email [townoffice@whitecity.ca](mailto:townoffice@whitecity.ca) or call 306-781-2355 – we look forward to hearing from you!

-Mayor Brian Fergusson

# Event Calendar

## APRIL 2024



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2 Council & Committee of the Whole Meeting Forever in Motion 10 AM	3 Toddler & Me 9 AM Senior Social Club 1:30 PM	4 Forever in Motion 10 AM	5	6 Camp Molly Registration Closes
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28	29 Council & Committee of the Whole Meeting Branch Chipping Begins	30 Forever in Motion 10 AM		<div style="background-color: #0070C0; color: white; padding: 10px; border-radius: 15px; display: inline-block;">                     For events happening at the White City Library, see Page 11.                 </div>		

All events are held at the White City Community Centre - 12 Ramm Avenue East unless otherwise posted in Program Information.

**SUMMER SIZZLE**

**SAVE THE DATE**

Saturday, June 8, 2024

# Program Information

## Toddler & Me

EXTENDED!

Toddler and Me is a program that provides a space for parents and caregivers to connect, unwind and enjoy time together while your children enjoy self-directed play. Toys and mats will be available for use during Toddler and Me times. FREE. Extended to May 29, 2024.

9:00 AM - Noon  
Wednesdays

## Senior Social Club

EXTENDED!



A weekly drop-in program where seniors can enjoy free coffee, connect with their peers and play board games together. FREE. Extended to May 29, 2024.

1:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
Wednesdays

## Forever in Motion

EXTENDED!

Forever in Motion is for older adults who want to keep fit and have fun – without worrying about a body “break”! FREE. Extended to April 30, 2024.

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM  
Tuesdays & Thursdays

## Committee & Council Meetings

All meetings are open to the public and held in Council Chambers at 14 Ramm Ave East. Please note there is no Committee of the Whole meeting on April 15.

April 2: Committee of the Whole Meeting - 4 PM

April 2: Regular Council Meeting - 7 PM

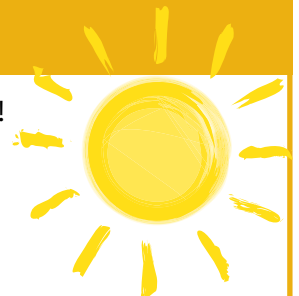
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## Upcoming Programs

Stay tuned for dates and registration for these programs in April!

- Fitness Class
- Art Workshop



### SUMMER PLAY PROGRAM

Monday to Thursday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm  
Fridays 8:00 am to 12:00 pm (Half Day)

Registration opens for White City residents on  
Wednesday May 1 at 9 AM.

Registration opens for non-residents on  
Wednesday May 15 at 9 AM.

Weeks of program:

- July 8th to 12th
- July 15th to 19th
- July 22nd to 26th
- July 29th to August 2nd
- August 6th to 9th
- August 12th to 16th
- August 19th to 23rd

## REGISTER YOUR OUTDOOR SECURITY CAMERA



The Outdoor Security Camera Registry Program allows residents and business owners in the Town of White City to voluntarily disclose the location of their existing surveillance cameras to assist law enforcement with investigations when they occur in your neighbourhood.

**REGISTER  
HERE:**



# Crocus

## Art Show & Sale

**Saturday May 18, 10 - 5**  
**Sunday May 19, 12 - 4**

*Featuring Talented Artists*  
*Exciting Vendors*

**Pilot Butte Arena**  
**(East Entrance - 2nd Door)**

**Admission is FREE!**



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*Art*

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White City

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[WWW.WHITECITY.CA](http://WWW.WHITECITY.CA)

### 1. Service Requests:

This is a feature of our website that is to be used for requests or issues such as potholes, pathway maintenance, park issues, missed garbage collection, etc.

**SUBMIT A  
SERVICE REQUEST HERE:**



### 2. Bylaw Concerns/Incident Reports:

This new software allows reports to be submitted directly to our CSO to review, respond, track and follow-up on. This is for all bylaw & select provincial issues including, but not limited to, noise, nuisance, traffic, speeding, golf carts, off-road vehicles, untidy properties, etc.

**REPORT A BYLAW CONCERN  
OR INCIDENT HERE:**



# Council Summaries

## March 4, 2024 - Committee of the Whole

The Consent Agenda included approval of previous meeting minutes, accounts, and a denied appeal from the Building Standards Appeal. Financial Reports approved a payment to Automated AV for alarm monitoring. The Administration Report brought up discussion of collaboration with the RM of Edenwold for protective services during garage sale weekend. The Consumption of Alcohol in Outdoor Spaces Bylaw was reviewed with considerations for additional fines and engagement. Next, there was a discussion on repealing and replacing the Curfew Bylaw to support the Crime Watch Group. Then the Parks, Recreation and Culture Activity Report was presented and Committee members discussed focusing on improving communications, tracking metrics, volunteerism, and facility usage. The Committee directed administration to collaborate on protective services with the RM for Garage Sale Weekend, referred the Alcohol Bylaw back for further review, recommended the Curfew Bylaw for adoption, and discussed various improvements and collaborations for future events and programs.

## March 4, 2024 - Regular Council Meeting

The Consent Agenda, including minutes and accounts, was approved after addressing a question about a cheque related to water analysis for the utility rate review. The Town Manager provided an update on boundary alteration, wastewater authority, and planning and community development. Discussions on Tax Enforcement led to the referral of the item back to administration for an updated list with civic addresses. The approval of a Loader Tender focused on the net financial benefit, operational advantages, and the sale of old equipment covering the cost of the new unit. The appointment of a fundraising committee for the Multi-Use Recreation Centre involved requesting criminal record checks from applicants. Long Term Borrowing Bylaw discussions covered aspects including application to the Saskatchewan Municipal Board, the town's debt limit, and potential payment methods if no development occurs. The meeting also reviewed various items, including the Total Compensation Review, WCRM158 Wastewater Management Authority Operational Funding Request, 2024 SUMA Voting Delegates, and Fee Bylaw Amendment, all of which were approved. The Roundtable discussion included updates on the White City Museum, Emergency Measures Organizations, Youth Advisory Committee, Johnson Shoyama Graduate Studies Course, Lions Club Blitz, and a Tyler Smith virtual mental health event.

## March 18, 2024 - Committee of the Whole

At the start of the meeting, the agenda was amended to include an item on Camp Molly. Presentations included updates from the Lions Club on the formation of a local branch and from the Emergency Measures Organization Coordinator on action plan items. Committee members discussed the distribution of the White City inSight newsletter and the potential to transition to a digital format. Finance provided updates on loans and interest rate swaps, clarifying that mandatory changes would not affect payments. Camp Molly terminology was discussed, and reminders from community groups were shared during the Roundtable, including updates from the Youth Advisory Committee, Public Works, the White City Library, and upcoming events such as the Community Wellness Expo.

The next Committee of the Whole meeting is on April 2, 2024 at 4 PM.

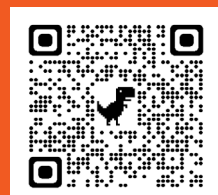
The next Regular Council meeting is on April 2, 2024 at 7 PM.

Please note there is no Committee of the Whole meeting on April 15, 2024.



### Want more information?

Read past summaries and full summaries of Council and Committee meetings by visiting our website [whitecity.ca/p/meeting-summaries](http://whitecity.ca/p/meeting-summaries) or scan this QR Code: Plus check out our Event Calendar on the next page for dates and times of meetings and attend in-person!



# Public Works

## Spring Melt Reminders

April is prime time for water accumulation and even flooding! To prevent these issues from happening this spring, there are a few things you can do to assist the efforts of Public Works staff and ensure proper water drainage in our streets.

If you know where the drainage area on your property is, keep it clear of ice and snow in order for water to drain effectively.

Also, ensure the U-Channels on your driveway are free of ice to prevent flooding of roadways.

Rest assured Public Works staff have been working hard opening drains and clearing U-Channels to ensure a smooth snow melt season!



## Time to Branch Out

Branch chipping begins Monday April 29 and will continue until Friday May 10. Public Works Staff will be driving around collecting and chipping branches that are set out.

Please have your branches placed neatly on the curb before May 5, 2024. Place the stump or largest part of the branch facing the street, this makes it easier for staff to grab the branches and feed them into the chipper.

Town staff is limited to 30 minutes per property. There is no set route and Public Works will do one final check to make sure they have collected all the piles set out before May 5.



## REMINDER

Leaf Bag Pickup begins May 13.

ONLY paper bags will be accepted. Absolutely no plastic bags will be collected, including those that labelled biodegradable and compostable.

## Front End Loader, Front and Centre

Public Works' new Front End Loader has arrived and is already being put to good use. The main purpose of the loader is to help with snow removal due to the 4-in-1 snow blade and a snow blower attachment.

This machine will significantly improve snow removal efforts in the winter months. It's not just limited to snow, however. It will also be used year-round for duties such as capital projects, hauling dirt and loading trucks and trailers.







Lions Clubs International

# BE THE CHANGE IN YOUR COMMUNITY

## Be A Lion

A new Lions club will be forming in  
White City, SK.

For more information contact:

Lion Alvin Matechuk 1-306-536-3850  
or Rob Hill 306-646-7990

Learn how you can make a difference  
in your community with Lions Clubs International.





Looking for **Skate Sharpening** stop in and visit our **PROSHOP** at 201 Great Plains Road Emerald Park, we are open 7 days a week for all your skate sharpening needs! We also carry a wide variety of items for your convenience such as hockey gloves, hockey pants, stick wax, sock tape, skate laces, skate guards, helmet repair kits, neck guards, water bottles, toiletry bags, anti-fog and so much more. Communiskate Pro Shop uses

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WHITE CITY +



# 25 MAY 2024 COMMUNITY WELLNESS EXPO

10AM - 5PM

EMERALD PARK FIRE HALL  
102 HUTCHENCE ROAD  
EMERALD PARK, SK



## NOMINATION DAY SET FOR MAY 1, 2024

### You're Invited...

**White City - Qu'appelle  
Nomination**

**Location: Balgonie Multiplex**

**Date: May 1, 2024**

**Doors Open: 6 PM**

**You must be a member by  
April 24, 2024 to vote**



*A Message From:*

**Brady Peter**

Saskatchewan Party Nomination  
Candidate for White City - Qu'appelle

Contact us to purchase or renew your membership:

*info@bradypeter.ca*

*(306) 596-2312*

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# April 2024



## White City Public Library Program & Events Calendar

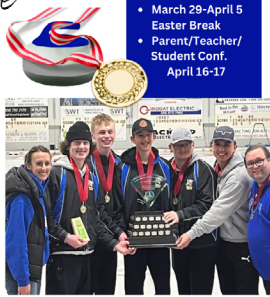
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
One eRead Canada and National Poetry Month begin	1 One Book, One Province begins: <i>Miss G and Me</i> by Jennifer S. Wallace	2	3 LEGO Building 2:00PM Drop-in Ages 4 & up	4	5 Marble Run 10:30PM	6 Advanced Board Games for teens 1:00PM
7	8	9	10	11 Advanced Board Games for adults 1:30PM	12 Storytime 10:00AM	13 Marble Run 1:00PM
14	15 Adult Book Club 6:30PM	16	17	18 Advanced Board Games for Adults 1:30PM	19 Storytime 10:00AM	20 Teen Upcycled T-shirt Tote 1:00PM
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28	29 LEGO Building 2:00PM Drop-in	30 Canadian Children's Book Week: Virtual Author visit with Deborah Kerbel @10:00am				

@greenallschool Greenall High School

### April Update

- UPCOMING DATES:**
- March 29-April 5 Easter Break
  - Parent/Teacher/Student Conf. April 16-17

**Greenall Provincial Champs- Senior Boys Curling**  
 Congratulations to our Sr Boys Curling team who are this year's Provincial Champions. Our Skip is Peyton Blair, Third Freddie Comfort, Second Ryder Blair Lead Blake Rathgeber and Fifth Ryan Hooper. After some years away, curling is back at Greenall. It was a quick season that began on Feb 4. We were not sure how many practices we would get in or if the District or Regional tournament would happen. This year's Provincial Championship was in Gull Lake on March 8-9th. The round robin did not go as we would have liked. Difficult ice conditions put us off our normal game plan. However, we were able to pull out a win and some luck with the other teams record, which allowed us to move forward to the tiebreaker round. To make it to the semi-final we had to win two tiebreakers. The boys played great, keeping shots as simple as they could and got on a roll. It was a long 4 game day but the boys pulled through and are now Provincial Champs. The team would like to thank the officials and host committee for putting on a great event. We would also like to thank our Community Coach Jessica Blair, who was instrumental in organizing ice times for practices, help coach the team and organizing hotels for Regionals and Provincials.



**Unified Griffin Basketball**  
 Unified Sport is an opportunity to witness Authentic inclusion. Unified Basketball, created in conjunction with Special Olympics, allows students who may not have the opportunity to play team sports the opportunity to play. It was inspired by a simple principle: training together and playing together is a quick path to friendship and understanding. In Unified Sports, teams are made up of people of similar age and ability. That makes practices more fun and games more challenging and exciting for all. Our Griffin team, coached by Mrs. Jana Toth will be hosting three games this season, as well as traveling to various high schools within the city to play. Greenall hopes to host 3 home games this year. We look forward to another successful season and welcome any and all fans to join us and cheer.



**Social 10- Mr. Headrick**  
 The Social Studies 10 class have spent the last couple of weeks researching, planning and implementing a mock election and mock parliament. We finished our unit with a trip to the Legislature on March 14. We received a tour of the building, watched question period and had the chance to get a photo and speak with our MLA Don McMorris. We had a fun morning of learning and watching our decision-making process in action.



### Nutrition – Home Grown vs Store Bought Roxane Wagner, Sage Sustainable Solutions Consulting



Roxane Wagner is a dietitian, farmer and the owner of Sage Sustainable Solutions Consulting. She holds an MBA in Sustainable Systems with a major in Sustainable Food and Agriculture. Her business focuses on tools to support organizations to integrate sustainability into their programming. She works with Indigenous Communities in the expansion of their gardening programs with grow tunnels. She lives with her husband on a third-generation family farm 45 minutes north of Regina where she loves to garden organically and experiment growing and preserving a wide variety of fruits and vegetables.

### Wednesday April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at 7:00 pm Ramada Emerald Park Everyone Welcome

Visitors drop-in fee \$5.00 at the door  
 Info: <https://whitecitygardenclub.ca/events/>



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