

## THE RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF WHITEMOUTH

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#### **NEWSLETTER**

#### October/November 2025

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Reeve:	
Walter Amerongen	204-205-0260
<b>Deputy Reeve:</b>	
Tim Honke	204-348-2896
Councillors:	
Duncan McDougald	204-348-3136
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Regular council meetings are on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month, meetings are open to the public.

Council Meetings - start time 1:00pm October 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> Meeting changed from November 11<sup>th</sup> to November 12<sup>th</sup> (November 25<sup>th</sup> meeting cancelled)

#### **MUNICIPAL TAXES**

Reminder: The 2025 Municipal Taxes are due on **OCTOBER 31**st. Accounts must be paid in full to avoid interest rate charges of 1.25% on the first day of each month starting November 1st.

Failure to receive a tax bill does not excuse an owner from the responsibility for payment of taxes or any penalties for late payment.

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE BY CASH, CHEQUE, E TRANSFER OR ONLINE BANKING.

Also accepted are partial, weekly, monthly or quarterly payments.
NOTE: ONLINE BANKING CAN TAKE 2-3 DAYS TO RECEIVE NOTIFICATION OF PAYMENT

#### E-TRANSFER EMAIL ADDRESS

assistantcao@rmwhitemouth.com

#### **BOARD OF REVISION**

The Board of Revision will sit on October 7<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am in Council Chambers.

#### 2025 TAX SALE

2025 Tax Sale will be held on October 15th, at 10:00am in Council Chambers.
For more info, go to the RM website <a href="https://www.rmwhitemouth.com">www.rmwhitemouth.com</a>, look under Notices

#### **QUARTERLY UTILITY INVOICE**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter utility invoices will be sent out at the beginning of October.

All Utility accounts with an outstanding balance as of December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025 will be transferred to the corresponding Tax account.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

Many thanks to everyone who donated to our Fundraiser this past weekend!

Burning Permits are required from April 1st to November 15th, available at the Rennie District office – 204-369-3153
Contact Fire Chief Ron Toews at 348-2133 when you are going to burn, this eliminates the fire department from going to non-emergency calls.

To check if there is a Burning ban in effect, go to the Province of Manitoba website.

#### **BUILDING/DEMOLITION PERMITS**

Are you planning on building, renovating or demolishing? Check our website for the process and required documents. A permit from our the Building Inspector/Development Officer is required prior to starting a project. Contact Building Inspector Janice Brooks at 1-431-347-0200 or email

bldg@rmwhitemouth.com

Building Inspector Summer Hours:

MONDAY:

9:00am - 12:00pm - IN OFFICE

12:00pm - 3:00pm- INSPECTIONS/OFFICE

WEDNESDAY:

9:00am - 12:00pm - IN OFFICE

12:00pm - 3:00pm - INSPECTIONS/OFFICE **FRIDAY:** 

By Appointment ONLY

Inspections to be booked by owner or contractor 2 business days in advance received no later than 2:00pm.
The building inspector will confirm availability on a first come basis.

#### SEVEN SISTERS FALLS BRUSH SITE

October 4<sup>th</sup> will be the last day the Brush site will be open for 2025. Hours 10:00am to 2:00pm

#### WHITEMOUTH-REYNOLDS NORTH WHITESHELL WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITY

WINTER HOURS - starting October

#### MONDAYS - CLOSED

Tuesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday - 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Wednesdays - 11:30 am to 8:00 pm

# Community Events

## ELMA COMMUNITY CLUB 50/50 DRAW

Every Thursday from 6:00pm -7:45pm at the Whitemouth Hotel

#### **MONTHLY MEAT RAFFLE!**

#### WING NIGHT/BOMBER GAME

Friday, October 17<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm-10:00pm Come out for some wings, drinks, play pool or shuffleboard while cheering on the Blue and Gold!

#### **LADIES NIGHT**

Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 6:00pm-10:00pm Looking for vendors, tables are \$20.00 Email: elmacommunityclub@gmail.com

To book the hall for your next birthday party, baby shower, sewing classes, work meetings or for private events, contact us by our email address.

## SEVEN SISTERS FALLS COMMUNITY CENTRE SUPPER CLUB & GAME EVENING

October 21<sup>st</sup> & November 18<sup>th</sup> Doors open-5:00pm, dinner served-6:00pm Games & shuffleboard following dinner.

#### **CHRISTMAS CRAFT SALE**

Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 10:00am-2:00pm Contact-Megan at hello@megansteen.com or message the Seven Sisters Falls Community Centre on Facebook

#### **CHASE THE ACE**

Fridays at Dunlop's Tourist Hotel. Tickets sold from 5:00pm to 6:45pm Draw at 7:00pm Check our Facebook page for weekly updates.

#### HALL AVAILABLE TO RENT

Send an email to

<u>ssfcommunitycentre@gmail.com</u> or check our website:https://sevensistersfallscc.com

## WHITEMOUTH MUSEUM REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

Tuesday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 10:30am, Whitemouth Hall

#### **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

Wednesday, November 19th, 7:00pm at the RM office in Council Chambers

## WHITEMOUTH RECREATION ASSOCIATION

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday, October 21st - 7:00pm Whitemouth Hall New ideas, suggestions for fundraising are most welcome.

#### **CHRISTMAS CRAFT SALE**

Saturday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 9:00am – 2:00pm Tables \$30.00 each Contact Arleen@348-2196 or email 1hr@mymts.net

Volunteers are needed to help get the curling ice and season started.

#### **CHASE THE ACE**

Will resume starting Saturday, October 18th, at the Whitemouth Hotel, Tickets sold from 3:00pm to 5:15pm, draw at 5:30pm

Contact Arleen@348-2196 or email 1hr@mymts.net for hall rental

#### WHITEMOUTH LIBRARY

A warm thank you goes out to all the volunteers who have kept the Library open for 40 Years!! Thanks for coming to Heritage Days to help celebrate our anniversary.

Open: Thursdays - 2:00pm - 4:00pm Thursday evenings - 7:00pm - 8:30pm Saturdays - 11:00am - 1:00pm To donate books contact-Helen@348-2560

The date for the Annual General Meeting will be announced soon.

#### WHITEMOUTH HAPPY HOURS

Lunch every Thursday, 12:00pm to 3:00pm, Whitemouth Hall Cost-\$8.00 members, \$10.00 nonmembers Games and/or presentations to follow.

#### **CRIB NIGHT**

Every Tuesday - 7:00pm-9:00pm Registration fee - \$5.00

#### **JAM SESSIONS**

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of the month, 7:00pm-9:00pm Lunch provided. Silver collection. Musicians, singers and spectators, all are welcome!

### REFRESHER DRIVER & DEFENSIVE DRIVER WORKSHOP

Tentative dates October 23<sup>rd</sup> or 30<sup>th</sup> Free of charge. Minimum of 10 people Contact Debbie@348-2608 or Sheila@348-2942

#### **GREY CUP TICKETS-\$2.00 each**

Contact Debbie or Sheila as above

#### WHITEMOUTH LIONS CLUB

Will be selling 50/50 tickets every Saturday, starting October 18<sup>th</sup>, at the Whitemouth Hotel, 3:00pm-5:15pm, draw at 5:30pm.

Preparations are underway for the 2026 Lions Community Calendar, If you have any events or changes to events that you want included, contact Tanis@204-348-7707

Registration for Christmas Hampers begins Saturday, November 1<sup>st</sup>.

If you, or someone you know needs food assistance, contact Tanis@204-348-7707 Deadline for registration is December 5<sup>th</sup>, pickup of hampers is December 20<sup>th</sup>. Watch for posters!

#### TWO RIVERS SERVICE TO SENIORS

For program info/inquiries please contact Sandra @204-348-4610 or email whitemouthtworivers@gmail.com

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Whitemouth Redeemer Lutheren Church

Whitemouth Redeemer Lutheran Church, 135 Henderson Ave.

 $1^{\text{st}}$  Tuesday of the month - 2:00pm-4:00pm October  $7^{\text{th}}$  & November  $4^{\text{th}}$ 

A friendly support program, where people can speak openly, led by trained volunteers.

#### INDOOR WALKING GROUP

Whitemouth School, resumes October 20<sup>th</sup> Mondays & Wednesdays - 7:00pm-8:00pm Non-marking indoor shoes required. Enter through the main entrance by the office Two styles of walking poles available upon request. Everyone welcome.

## FREE TRAINING: STEPPIN' UP WITH CONFIDENCE

Free Training Seniors Exercise program in Winnipeg, October 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>

#### EAVES CLEANING & FALL CLEAN-UP

Need help with yard work or snow clearing prep? Affordable workers available to assist with Fall tasks and winter readiness.

#### FROZEN NUTRITIOUS MEALS

We are in the early stages of launching a meal program offering frozen, nutritious meals for just \$10.00. Geared towards seniors and persons with disabilities, but open to all.

## WHITEMOUTH CHILDCARE CENTRE HALLOWEEN SOCK HOP-Ages 2-12

Friday, October 24<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm-8:00pm Whitemouth Community Centre

#### **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

Saturday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 9:00am-12:00pm Whitemouth Community Centre Pancake Breakfast! Santa pictures! Bake Sale! Silent Auction!