

NEW MORDEN BUSINESSES

Welcome to Jakob and Ella Bliwernitz, a father/daughter duo of Doner Express Café and Pastries located at 212-1st St. in Morden. "Döner Express Café & Pastries offers many amazing dishes, however the star of the show is their Döner. Known in Europe as Turkish street food, Döner contains tasty melt in your mouth spit roasted beef from a giant rotisserie served in a thick pita filled with veggies and topped with specialty sauces. "Original hand crafted tortes, cakes and pastries are our trademark, available by the slice or whole" comments co-owner Ella Bliwernitz. Fabulous homemade soups and Mennonite waffles have also made the menu, so there's something for everyone.



Assisted living for independent seniors facility is coming to Morden! Plans are underway for a beautiful new assisted living housing complex in Morden. Morden Town Council approved the developer's offer to purchase 4 acres of property in the Pembina Connection area on April 23rd, 2010 in a special meeting.

Construction of a 3-storey, approximately 78-unit facility to be located just north of the Morden East entrance sign is scheduled to begin later this year. Homestead Manitoba Ltd. is the developer of the privately funded project. Once operational the facility will employ twenty-five full and part-time staff for everything from maintenance, food service, housekeeping and management. This assisted living project will be a welcome development for seniors looking for upscale safe and secure senior housing in the Pembina Valley



Welcome to Exner E-Waste Processing Inc.! Exner has purchased ten

acres of land in Morden's industrial park with plans to construct a 48,000 sf processing facility. Manual separation and primary levels of processing will begin as soon as possible and will continue during the construction phase. Exner expects to require upwards of 14 employees to start and up to 40 once they are fully operational. Exner E-Waste Processing plans to start with electronic and electrical scrap from commercial, industrial, residential and institutional sources and later progress to handling other recyclings.

CENTRALLIA FOR SMALL TO MEDIUM BUSINESSES



From October 20 – 22, more than 500 small to medium sized businesses from around the world will gather in Winnipeg during Centrallia to form new business relationships of mutual benefit. This global business to business forum offers an opportunity for businesses to forge profitable alliances with companies located in the Americas and across the world. Visit: www.centrallia.com for more information.

COMMUNITY GARDEN

Over 20 plots were rented in this first year of the community gardening in Morden. The plots are located on the north side of Willcocks Road. The 16' x 25' plots were available at an affordable cost of \$20 each. Many thanks go to MCDC and A Rocha Int'l. for assisting with the organizing of these rental plots.



Happy Gardening to all participants!

CONTACT US - WE ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU

- Ernie Epp - Chief Administrative Officer 822-4434 (eapp@mordenmb.com)
- Darlene Ehnes - Executive Assistant 822-4434 (dehnes@mordenmb.com)
- Garry Hiebert - Director of Finance & Admin 822-4434 (ghiebert@mordenmb.com)
- Les Wieler - Director of Public Works 822-5119 (lwieler@mordenmb.com)
- Clare Agnew - Director of Community Services 822-5431 (cagnew@mordenmb.com)
- Cheryl Digby - Community Development Officer 822-5088 (cdigby@mordenmb.com)
- Carol Wilkinson - Community Resources Officer 822-2562 (cwillkinson@mordenmb.com)
- Mary Anne Neufeld - Human Resources Officer 822-4434 (mneufeld@mordenmb.com)
- Brad Neduzak - Police Chief 822-6292 (bneduzak@mordenmb.com)
- Andy Thiessen - Fire Chief 822-3888 (athiessen@mordenmb.com)



SO WHAT'S THE BIG SECRET?

On a regular basis, Morden Council moves 'in camera' to discuss items behind closed doors. At times I am asked why this is done. So here is an explanation.

The Municipal Act, which all municipalities in Manitoba are required to comply with, outlines the topics which are allowable for Council to go 'in camera'. These are, in general terms:

- a) Personnel issues
- b) Items in preliminary negotiation
- c) Legal proceedings
- d) Security issues, and
- e) Investigations

When it comes to government, many people's view is they have a right to know what their government is doing. For the most part I certainly agree, with the exception of the list identified in the earlier paragraph. It used to be municipal Councils could move 'in camera' whenever they wanted to, and many did. School boards, interestingly enough, still can. Not so for municipalities since 1997. So why are 'in camera' sessions still allowed? Let's look at a couple of examples.

An employee ends up being disciplined or dismissed because of actions taken. This is personal information. As the employee, you wouldn't want everyone to know what you had done and what the penalty was.

The Town of Morden regularly sells land to individuals and businesses. As one might expect, the purchasers usually require the offer to remain strictly confidential until it is accepted by Council. The purchaser may not want competitors or anyone else to know that they are interested in locating in Morden. If the preliminary negotiations were to be discussed in public, the purchaser would likely look to another community, where confidentiality could be assured, for suitable property.

'In camera' sessions are a normal part of a municipality's operations. In a municipality like Morden where more is happening, 'in camera' sessions will occur more frequently. Other than personnel items, the end result of most 'in camera' discussions becomes public once things are finalized. For example, once a land offer is acceptable to Council, a resolution is passed at a public meeting to accept the offer.

So now about the right to know. As Chief Administrative Officer, one of my responsibilities is to ensure public information is available to the public. Want to know how much we paid for the new machine, feel free to ask. Want to see a copy of a letter from the Province that was on a recent agenda, you certainly may. Even in cases where part of a document is sensitive, under Manitoba's Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, the portion of the document that isn't sensitive should be available to you. But that's a topic for another article.

Ernie Epp, C.M.M.A. - Chief Administrative Office

INSIDE



Poll Results
PAGE 3



Canada Day
Beach Blast
PAGE 4



Learn How
To Canoe
PAGE 5



Community
Survey
PAGE 3
& Center Insert

We are here to serve you.

Mayor:
Doug Wilson

Councillors:
Irvin Wiebe
Ron Laverty
Wayne Hosea
Maurice Butler
Alex Fedorchuk

Youth Member
Shelisa Klassen

Management
Team:
Ernie Epp
Garry Hiebert
Mary Anne Neufeld
Les Wieler
Clare Agnew
Cheryl Digby
Darlene Ehnes
Carol Wilkinson
Brad Neduzak
Andy Thiessen

TOWN OF MORDEN

100-195 Stephen Street
Morden, Manitoba
R6M 1V3

Phone: (204) 822-4434
Fax: (204) 822-6494



MORDEN POLICE SERVICE

CHECKSTOPS

The Morden Police Service has started its Checkstop Program once again for the summer months. Police will be conducting periodic checkstops throughout the community at various times and dates, checking for any Highway Traffic Act, Liquor Control Act and Impaired Driving offences. These checkstops are being conducted as part of the MPIC Roadwatch Program that runs throughout the Province. Police are asking for the public's assistance and cooperation as they pass through these checkstops. Please be patient and have your drivers licence and vehicle registration ready to produce.



OFF ROAD VEHICLES

There are certain laws and restrictions with the operation of Off Road Vehicles, as follows: **"off-road vehicle"** means any wheeled or tracked motorized vehicle designed or adapted for cross-country travel on land, water, ice, snow, marsh, swamp land or other natural terrain and includes, but is not limited to;

- a snowmobile
- an all-terrain vehicle
- a mini-bike, dirt-bike and trail-bike
- a miniature vehicle such as a dune or sport buggy
- an off-road maintenance machine
- an amphibious vehicle, and
- a four-wheel drive motor vehicle, motorcycle or snow vehicle that is being driven elsewhere than on a highway, whether or not it is registered under *The Drivers and Vehicles Act*, but does not include an implement of husbandry, farm tractor, special mobile machine, garden tractor, lawn tractor or golf cart.



Certain operations prohibited

- 32(1)** No person shall operate an off-road vehicle;
- a) on privately owned land without the express or implied consent of the owner or lawful occupier of the property;
 - b) on Crown land allocated by lease or permit, without the express or implied consent of the lawful occupier of the property, unless the operator is otherwise lawfully authorized to enter such land;
 - c) within 30 m of a dwelling between the hours of twelve midnight and seven o'clock in the morning, unless the dwelling is located on the operator's own property or property under the operator's control or as an invited guest; or
 - d) within 30 m of a playground, or area set aside for other recreational use, unless the area is enclosed or fenced or unless the off-road vehicle is required for the maintenance or operation thereof.

Age restriction

26(1) No person under the age of 14 years shall operate an off-road vehicle **unless supervised and accompanied by and at all times within clear view of the person's parent or a person who has attained the age of 18 years and authorized by the parent.**

Responsibility of owner

26(2) Except as provided in subsection (1), the owner of an off-road vehicle shall not permit a person under the age of 14 years to operate an off-road vehicle of which he or she is the owner.

Off-road vehicle registrable under Drivers & Vehicles Act

26(3) Notwithstanding subsection (1), no person shall operate an off-road vehicle which is a motorcycle, a four-wheel drive motor vehicle or a snow vehicle registrable under *The Drivers and Vehicles Act*, unless he or she is 16 years of age or older and holds a licence other than one that has a restriction on operating off-road vehicles.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION VISIT THE WEBSITE - <http://web2.gov.mb.ca/laws/statutes/ccsm/o031e.php>

PARKING OF TRAILERS

Parking of trailers on streets is prohibited for extended periods of time. Town of Morden Traffic By-Law No. 35-2007 states that no person shall park a truck, truck tractor and/or trailer, motorhome or bus on any street for a period of time longer than one hour except for the purpose of and while actually engaged in loading or unloading, and except for the purpose of transporting a tradesman to and from premises in the immediate area being worked on by said tradesman. No person shall leave unattended or unattached, a trailer of any type upon a highway. Trailer means a vehicle designed for carrying persons or chattels, and for being towed by a motor vehicle, and includes a farm trailer and semi trailer, but does not include an implement of husbandry that is temporarily towed, propelled or moved upon a highway. This includes small utility trailers, construction trailers and campers. Offenders are subject to a fine as well as the trailer being towed at the owner's expense. Please refer to the Town of Morden website for this and other By-Laws.



If anyone has questions, please call the Morden Police Service at 822-6292

B.J.(Brad) Neduzak, Chief of Police
Morden Police Service

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

SIDEWALK PROGRAM

- 3rd St 100 block 227 x 5 feet
- 10th St 100 block west side 800 x 5 feet
- 12th St - Parkhill Dr. to Woodridge Bay 775 x 5 feet

PAVING UPDATE

The following paving projects will be done this summer:

- 9th St at South Railway will be overlaid
- Most of the work to be done this year will be patching at various locations
- There will be a fair amount of crack filling done
- Maple St will be seal coated this summer

WATER WISE TIPS

Reduce - Much of the water "consumed" in our daily activities is simply wasted. Taps are left running while we brush our teeth. Dishwashers and laundry machines are operated without full loads. Really, everywhere we use water there is room for improvement. Here are just a few examples for both indoor and outdoor water use.



- Don't use the toilet as a wastebasket or flush it unnecessarily.
- Take short showers -- five minutes or less should do. If you prefer baths, fill the tub only one-quarter full.
- Keep a bottle of drinking water in the refrigerator rather than letting your tap run to get cold water when you want a drink. (Rinse the bottle every few days.)
- More than 50% of the water applied to lawns and gardens is lost due to evaporation, or run-off because of over watering. Find out how much water your lawn really needs. As a general rule, most lawns and gardens require little more than 2 to 3 centimetres (1 inch) of water per week.
- To reduce loses due to evaporation, water early in the morning (after the dew has dried).
- Watering off-peak helps the utility manage its load on the system and helps ensure adequate reservoir levels and water pressure for possible fire emergencies.
- When washing a car, fill a bucket with water and use a sponge. This can save about 300 litres of water.



Message from the Director:

There will be crack filling and general asphalt repair done in various sections of Town. Please slow down when passing work crews in construction areas. Have a good summer!

Les Wieler - Director of Public Works

FIRE DEPARTMENT

THE SOUNDS OF SUMMER

Close your eyes and imagine birds in the air, kids playing outdoors, people talking while walking (harder for some folks), adult ball games, motorcycles out for a cruise, water running over some rocks and BANG...BANG....BOOM the sounds of fireworks going off in your neighbors backyard. Yes, they are some of the sounds of summer. Unfortunately sometimes these can be more than just sounds.

FIREWORKS PERMIT

Fireworks have been the cause of serious burns to children and adults as well. Improper deployment and monitoring of where is a safe place to use fireworks has resulted in property damage and injury. I understand that fireworks can be a lot of fun, I personally really enjoy them. However, there is a right time and place for fireworks.



The Fire Dept, along with the Morden Police will be working with local businesses in providing a permit process for purchasers of fireworks. The purpose of the permit is to control who purchases the fireworks, who can actually sell them, where and when they can be used and for what occasion.

There have been situations in the past involving fireworks that could have been prevented if such a permit process was in place. This is also in conjunction with the Town of Morden by-law regarding fireworks in the boundaries of the Town of Morden. Without sounding like the 'Grinch that stole summer', I just want to make sure that no one gets hurt using or watching fireworks this summer.

Enjoy the sounds of summer, whatever they may be. Remember, it could be -30C with the wind blowing. From the members of the Morden Fire & Rescue, **'Play safe this summer!'**

PEMBINA HILLS ARTS CENTRE

Summer classes are coming in July & August! Kids classes include arts and craft, pottery, painting and musical art classes with B&D Music! Adult classes for the summer include an Outdoor Drawing Class. More details will be on our website at www.pembinahillsarts.com. "Home" is the June Exhibition from former Kane resident Holly Ann Friesen. July and August will feature artwork from our members.



Pembina Hills Arts Centre,
352 Stephen Street, Morden
822-6026 www.pembinahillsarts.com

BY-LAW OFFICE

Bylaw Office located at the
Morden Community Centre

BARKING DOGS
(Noise Bylaw 16-2003)

We appreciate the cooperation of dog owners with help to ensure their pet is not disturbing the neighbors. The Bylaw office has different devices and suggestions to help you with your barking dog. Please come and talk about the issue and possible solutions.



MAINTENANCE OF YARDS & BOULEVARDS

This is a reminder that all residents and developers are responsible for their own property and the adjoining boulevards, regardless of where you live in Morden. It is everyone's responsibility to keep Morden looking beautiful.

CLEANING UP AFTER YOUR PET

Community Services have installed four more Doggie Bag Dispensers around Town. Thank you to the residents of Morden for participating in the Stoop and Scoop program.

** Reminder: All dogs are required to be licensed with the Town annually – office located at the Community Centre.*

CHILDREN PLAYING SIGNS



With the coming of spring, people quickly start to spend more time outdoors. That especially includes children. It is normally at this time the Town receives requests for Children Playing signs.

If you stop to think about it, is there a residential street in Morden where there aren't children? While I don't base this response on doing an actual census, the answer is likely not. With that in mind, where do you put signs? At the entrances to Town, or at every intersection?

There is a view that placing signs everywhere starts to minimize the effect they have. Given our community is full of children, drivers are asked to travel accordingly. Make sure you keep your eyes open and be prepared to stop quickly. Should anyone see vehicles speeding, call the police at 822-6292 and let them know. If possible, providing a plate number, vehicle description, and time when you saw the vehicle really helps.

By looking out for each other, we can help keep Morden a **healthy, safe and welcoming community.**

Ernie Epp, C.M.M.A. - CAO

WWW.MORDENMB.COM



111B Gilmour Street
Morden, MB, R6M 1N9
Ph: (204) 822-3406
Fax: (204) 822-3303
www.discoverfossils.com

DIGGING FOR FOSSILS IS WHAT WE DO BEST!

The CFDC is anticipating another fantastic summer season. The official launch to the 2010 dig season took place on May 22nd to great fanfare. Over 300 people visited the museum and dig site throughout the day. Fossils were found!

The Fossil Dig Adventure

Tours are again positioned to be our most exciting and value-added product. The tours are offered in a duration that ranges from ½ day to 5 days. It is this product that makes us unique. Participants enjoy a guided tour of the museum and an interactive 'hands-on' fossil digging experience at one of our many dig sites along the Manitoba Escarpment. The residents of Morden are invited to experience this fossil digging opportunity. Visit our website for more detailed information at www.discoverfossils.com.



The **Summer Day Camp** program will again be offered during July & August. Bring the kids by the museum for fun, educational and exciting kids programming. Offered from Monday to Friday of each week, this program is broken down into AM & PM time slots. Comprehensive information on this program is available on our website.

Check out our **new interactive exhibit**. The museum now has a Nintendo Wii system setup in the gallery so that visitors can swim the waters of the Cretaceous period as an ancient marine reptile in the game "Sea Monsters." This exciting adventure game is a spin-off of the popular movie "Sea Monsters" that was produced by National Geographic.

A **new audio guide system** is now available. This audio guide system provides a self-guided audio tour of the museum and is available in English, French, German and Japanese.

The CFDC will be in Drumheller and other southern Alberta towns in June. We, along with 20+ other tourism providers throughout Manitoba (8 from Morden), will join Travel Manitoba and learn via related experience how to develop our local/regional/provincial tourism industry. We look forward to sharing with the residents of Morden the value of developing this industry within our community.

Visit us this summer. Enjoy and be part of Morden's pre-history!



Morden Branch
514 Stephen Street
(822-4092)
scriblm@mts.net or
sclrm@mts.net

LIBRARY NEWS

Summer is nearly upon us so please be aware that our library hours change on the Saturday of the May long weekend. Summer hours are: Tuesday – 10-8:30 ; Wednesday 10-5:30 ; Thursday 10-8:30 ; Friday 10-5:30 ; **Saturday 10 - 4.** We are closed on Sunday and Monday.

Thank you to everyone who made the 2010 South Central Regional Library Book Sale a success. As this is the only fundraiser we have, your support is greatly appreciated. **SCRL wishes to thank all those who donated and/or purchased material, and those who helped with the preparation, setup and cleanup of the annual book sale.**

ATTENTION CHILDREN OF ALL AGES! – Watch for special Morden Library placemats in your favorite restaurants for a chance to win prizes. Different contests and information about summer safety (swimming, bicycling, fire safety) will be on the placemats for you to learn about and enjoy. Check at the library throughout the summer to see what you might win!

Young adventurers of all ages...you can be part of Morden Library's Summer Reading fun! Children can join one of the teams and be adventurers through the Mayan Jungle. By reading throughout the summer, you can earn Jungle Bucks and use them to buy fun prizes. Book draws and a Grand Prize Draw will be part of this great Summer Reading program. Don't miss out! Registration begins on June 28th.

LIBRARY ADDITIONS:

Adult Fiction - Recent Additions

- 212 / by Alafair Burke
- Aloha Quilt / by Jennifer Chiaverini
- Wrecked / by Carol Higgins Clark
- Shadow of Your Smile / by Mary Higgins Clark
- Executor by Jesse Kellerman
- Blue-Eyed Devil / by Robert B. Parker
- 9th Judgment / by James Patterson
- Miracle on the 17th Green by James Patterson
- Burning Lamp by Amanda Quick
- Lucid Intervals / by Stuart Woods

Christian Fiction - Recent Additions

- In Harm's Way by Irene Hannon
- Indivisible by Kristen Heitzmann
- Edge of Apocalypse by Tim LaHaye
- Two Brides Too Many by Mona Hodgson
- The Telling /by Beverly Lewis
- Abbie Ann by Sharlene MacLaren
- Woman Called Sage / by Diann Mills
- Abigail : a novel / by Jill Eileen Smith
- No Distance Too Far v.2 / by Lauraine Snelling
- Sons of Thunder by Susan May Warren

POLL RESULTS

After receiving a total of 163 responses, the results of the March-April Poll were:

"How important to you is the Town wide pathway system?"

Very Important	60%
Important	31%
Somewhat Important	3%
Not Important	6%



May - June Poll question is:
"Do you believe there are benefits to having a regionalized Police Service with Winkler?"

The Morden & Winkler Councils are exploring the possibility of joining their Police Services, forming one regional police service between the two communities. Requests for Proposals have been forwarded to several consultants to conduct a feasibility study into the benefits and liabilities of joining forces. The study will explore the various pros and cons of such a venture, including cost effectiveness and the affects of service in general. The May-June Poll allows us to hear what people think of this idea. Results to date are 71% - Yes 28% - No

To vote you can go online, visit the Town Office or visit the Friendship Centre.

RUNAWAY BLUE BOXES

On windy days residents are losing their blue boxes. For this reason we ask that you do not put out your blue boxes when there is a very strong wind. Please put your items into blue bags. If you find your neighbour's blue box please return it to them. Everyone is asked to put the address on their blue box so that it can be returned.



COMMUNITY SURVEY

We want to hear from residents!



Enclosed with this newsletter is a Community Survey which will take about 15 minutes to complete. We hope to get at least 400 responses to ensure the results are statistically correct. Please take the time to complete the survey and return it to the Town Office by dropping it in the convenient Drop-Off

Box at the front of the Civic Centre or mail it in by July 16th, 2010. Results will be reported on the website and will be available at the Civic Centre.

WWW.MORDENMB.COM

MORDEN TRIATHLON & KIDS OF STEEL

Come and cheer on the athletes as they participate in the Morden Triathlon on July 10, and the Kids of Steel and Try-A-Tri events on July 11. The races begin with the swimming component of the competition at Lake Minnewasta.

Check the website at www.mordentriathlon.com for more information on volunteering and the race route.



MANITOBA HOMECOMING

MAKING A SPLASH!

The Morden Aquatic Spray Park will receive an additional boost of \$3789.36 from the profits of the Manitoba Homecoming Events. The May 12th downtown celebration was a big success incorporating many partners into a single day celebration. The school choirs, bands and drama classes played an integral part in the day activities that highlighted local music, artistic and craft talents.



Morden also contributed to the World's Largest Social with 670 attendees at the 2 socials on May 15th. An estimated 35,000 people attended over 60 socials throughout Manitoba that day!

WHEN WILL THE CONSTRUCTION END?



The whole idea of *it's going to get worse before it gets better* – is certainly the case with construction and renovations. The focus now is on the main entrance to the building ensuring access for high school graduation in June. At the same time, the west arena basement floor is being jack hammered for the installation of a new sewer line and improvements to the washrooms and floors in the change

room area. The progress is certainly steady and it's exciting to see the project come together. The target date for the completion of the entire project is November 2010.

SWIMMING LESSONS AT COLERT BEACH

Swimming lessons are in the plans for the upcoming summer. Watch for registration dates in June. If you have questions please call Erin @ 822-5431

CANADA DAY BEACH BLAST

Morden will host its Canada Day Celebrations at Colert Beach again this year. Activities during the day and evening will be family focused with games, contests, music and a great fireworks display over the water.

Hope You Can Join Us!



2:00 - 5:00 pm: Afternoon Events

- Sand Castle Contest for all ages (judging will take place at 4:30 pm)
- Children's Scavenger Hunt
- Face Painting
- Local Band @ 3:00 pm – **Cache Superstar** featuring Derek Robertson

7:00 – 10:00 pm: Evening Entertainment

- Local band - **A Few Good Men**

Sundown: Fireworks

Plan on celebrating Canada's Birthday at the Beach!

MORDEN AQUATIC SPRAY PARK



On site work will soon begin for the installation of the Aquatic Spray Park. Preparation of the site will begin as we anxiously await the arrival of the spray park equipment. Funding of \$18,000 from the Community Places Program will assist in establishing the park and the area surrounding it.

SKATEBOARD PARK

HARD WORK PAYING OFF

The long awaited skate park will become a reality this summer! Community Places grant of \$20,000 and Manitoba Community Services Council grant and bingos totaling \$16,000, along with fundraising and local business contributions have resulted in sufficient funding to move forward with the project. Detailed plans and a sod turning ceremony will be announced shortly!



CAMP AT LAKE MINNEWASTA

Campsites can be booked by calling **822-4991** or email lakeminn@mts.net



DYNAMIC DIGITAL SIGNAGE HAS ARRIVED IN MORDEN

Alexa Inc. and the Town of Morden have partnered to provide the community with a Digital Signage Network. The first screens to be installed are within the newly renovated Community Centre. High definition display screens are being installed in strategic locations

throughout the facility. The network of screens is dedicated to displaying information and advertising that is relevant to our community. Not only will the change rooms and meeting room assignments be digital, local businesses and community organizations now have the opportunity to advertise - on screens that reach and engage - the most people! Nex Gen of advertising that is affordable, targeted and environmentally friendly is now available in Morden. For more information on 'Advertising that Achieves Results' contact lisa@alexamedia.com or call 823-0115!

WANT TO LEARN HOW TO CANOE?



Come and enjoy this four hour course which includes a thorough introduction to water safety, equipment choice and basic handling skills. Presented by Red River Outfitters at Lake Minnewasta on:

Sunday, August 15th, 2010 from 1:00 - 5:00 pm
Lake Minnewasta Canoe Launch (Old Boat Dock)

Price: \$60.00

(All equipment included in course fee.)

Only 10 spots available. To register contact:

Lisa Krueger at 822-5431 or email lkrueger@mordenmb.com

VOLUNTEER COACHES MAKE REC HOCKEY PROGRAM POSSIBLE

A big thank you to the 2009 - 2010 Rec Hockey Volunteer Coaches Tim Thompson and Tim Blaich for another successful season. Rec Hockey provides children not registered in the Minor Hockey program an opportunity to learn the game of hockey without the commitment.

ON THE DIAMOND

Improvements continue to be made on the ball diamonds. A new backstop has been placed on Diamond 3 as well as set in player benches for diamond A, B, and 6. The time available to complete maintenance of ball diamonds is limited. In the spring, teams are anxious to get going, so often upgrades are completed at the end of the season in preparation for next year.

COOL OFF WITH A SKATE

Free Public Skating during the summer . . . how cool is that!
Every Sunday in July & August
From 7:00 – 8:30 pm



ART GALLERY FACELIFT

The final phase of the work at the Art Gallery will take place this summer. This phase includes re-pointing of the clock tower. Re-pointing includes re-doing the mortar between the bricks which ensures stability of the bricks and prevents deterioration of the building.

SUMMER PROGRAMS

Welcome back to Erin Karklins (Riley), our summer programmer. We will once again offer Park School in the Morden Park with games, crafts and fun in the great outdoors (weather permitting). Stay tuned for more information and dates!

We're also working on some other fun summer activities for kids. If you have any programming or recreational ideas you would like to see implemented please call Erin at 822-5431 or email her at programs@mordenmb.com.

Watch the Town website for upcoming program information – www.mordenmb.com

SUMMER: A TIME TO PERFECT SKATING & HOCKEY SKILLS

For more information on upcoming Hockey & Skills Camp contact the Community Centre @ 822-5431
July 26 – 30 Gold in the Net (Goalie Camp)
Aug. 2 – 6 Rats AAA Camp
Aug. 8 – 13 Winkler Bible Hockey Camp
Aug. 16 – 20 Skating Skills International Camp
Aug. 23 – 27 Accel Goalie Camp
Aug. 30 – Sept. 3 MB Ringette Camp
Aug. 27 – Oct. 1 CanPower Skate

DID YOU KNOW?

Stephen Street, Route 100 and Mountain Street are provincial roads that are maintained by the province.