



SEPTEMBER 2021

# CHAMBER CHAT



## THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

On behalf of the Chamber's Board and members, we would like to express our sincere gratitude to the following local businesses, organizations and individuals. Thanks to your generosity the 2021 Golf Tournament was a successful event. We would also like to thank the staff at the Assiniboia Regional Golf Course for their exceptional service.

Cat Country 98.1	E. Bourassa & Sons	Peavy Mart
Assiniboia Bakery	Escape Hair and Nail Salon	Piche-Hawkins-Grondin
Wheel Inn Motel	Flexxifinger QD Industries Inc	Funerals Chapels
Frosty Foods	Fresh Start	RBC Royal Bank
Heartland Financial	FYidoctors Assiniboia	Rock Haven Seed Cleaning
121 Steakhouse Lounge & Motel	Hair Quarter's Hair Salon	Southeast College
Able II Print	Harvey's Home Centre	Shear Energy Hair Styles
Arlene Bushell	Homestyle Floors & Interiors	Shoppers Drug Mart
Assiniboia & District Public Library	Hutch Ambulance Services	South Country Equipment
Assiniboia Times	Integra Tire & Auto Centre	Southland Co-op
B&A Petroleum	Kal-Tire	Sundance Communications
Bar-B Lounge & Hotel	Kevin Schauenberg	Town of Assiniboia
Canalta Hotel Assiniboia	Kim Eklund	Westcor Contracting Ltd
Chuck's Collision	Limerick Hotel	Western Financial Group Inc
CIBC	Mom's Florist	Westrum Lumber Timbermart
Conexus Credit Union	Nelson GM	Young's Equipment Inc

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## BUSINESS AND CAREER EXPO

Don't forget to register your organization for the 2021 Career & Business Expo. Scheduled for Friday, September 17<sup>th</sup> 2021, the expo will host over 300 hundred students from across the school division.

The expo is an excellent opportunity for businesses and organizations to recruit future employees. The event will run from 10:00 am to 2:30 pm with exhibitor booths available to the attendees throughout the day. The morning will also offer the opportunity to address the students during a speaker session.

The Chamber is closely monitoring the COVID-19 rates and will be putting procedures in place to ensure the safety of attendees and exhibitors.

To have a booth at this year's expo, email us before September 10<sup>th</sup> at: [assiniboiadistrictchamber.sk@gmail.com](mailto:assiniboiadistrictchamber.sk@gmail.com)



## NEW CHAMBER WEBSITE

The Chamber is excited to announce that the organization has launched its new website. Information about the Chamber's services and upcoming events can now be found online at [www.assiniboiadistrictchamber.ca](http://www.assiniboiadistrictchamber.ca)

The new website includes general information about the community, the Chamber's events calendar, resources for local businesses as well as resources specific to COVID-19. An exciting feature of the new website will be the option to renew memberships online using Square payment processing.

[Assiniboiadistrictchamber.ca](http://Assiniboiadistrictchamber.ca) also includes an online directory of the Chamber members. Please take a moment to review your listing in the directory and let us know if any of your information needs to be updated. If your logo is missing from the directory, please email us a high-resolution file.

With plans to continuously update the content, we are hoping this site will be a valuable resource for local businesses in our district.

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## ASSINIBOIA VOYENT ALERT

The Town of Assiniboia would like to remind everyone to sign up for the Voyent Alert notification service.

Voyent Alert! is a multipurpose notification service that will be used to communicate a variety of important information to our residents. Notifications will be sent for critical events like fire, flood and extreme weather, as well as day-to-day communications such as road advisories, water advisories, utility outages, public safety notices, garbage and recycling reminders, community events and recreation updates etc.

Alerts can be received on the Voyent Alert! app, or by email, text message or phone call. Get the Voyent Alert app at the App store or Google Play. For email, sms text or phone registration get started at <https://ca.voyent-alert.com/vras/client.html#!/registration>

If you don't have a mobile phone or access to internet? The Assiniboia & District Public Library has offered to help residents set up the alerts to a landline phone, please contact the Library to make an appointment by calling: (306) 642-3631

If you require assistance to register, contact the Town Office at (306) 642 - 3382

## BUSINESS LUNCHEON

The Chamber's Annual Business Luncheon is scheduled for Wednesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. Join us and our members for a casual luncheon to network, create connections, and celebrate our local business community.

### Event details:

Wednesday, October 20

at the Prince of Wales

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm

Chamber members:

\$20 per person

\$150 for a table of 8

Non-members

\$25 per person

\$200 for a table of 8

We are excited to have Sharon Shauenberg, Mayor of the Town of Assiniboia, as our speaker at this year's event.

To register visit:

<https://bit.ly/AssiniboiaLuncheon>

Or contact the Chamber at [assiniboiadistrictchamber.sk@gmail.com](mailto:assiniboiadistrictchamber.sk@gmail.com) or 306-642-5553



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# MEMBER MESSAGES

submit your message by the 20<sup>th</sup> to be included in next month's Chamber Chat.

## COMMUNITIES IN BLOOM - COMMUNITY REQUEST

Business Owners/Managers

Communities in Bloom would like to thank all the businesses that have supported us this year so we could keep the town looking good. But we need your help.

Throughout our travels around town, planting, watering, and weeding, we have been noticing quite a number of businesses that have untidy areas. Some of these areas are at the fronts and sides of business, but mostly the back alleys.

We know that everyone is very busy at this time of year, but we'd like to ask that you make arrangements to help with the general tidiness of our town by disposing of unnecessary clutter, and weeds around your property.

With a bit of effort on everyone's part, we can make our pretty town even better! To those of you who have already tended to the areas around your property, "Thank-you!"

Our Communities in Bloom group would like to say how much we love our little town, and enjoy "Planting Community Pride"! It's a lot of hard work, but is so rewarding!

Best Regards,  
Assiniboia Communities in Bloom Committee