

# Argyle Community News

SMALL COMMUNITY, BIG HEART

**ARGYLE LADIES FUNSPIEL!**

Ladies Trade Show—OPEN to EVERYONE, Saturday, 5-9 p.m., lounge

**Argyle SKATING CLUB**  
**CASH NEEDED**

Memberships fees are now DUE and are needed to pay for hydro, fuel and general maintenance. Please pay at Meridian Trail General Store & Coffee Shop ASAP.

ATTENTION: ALUMNI SKATERS – Did you used to skate here but don't now? How about helping out your old rink with a small donation?

Argyle's Christmas Carollers 2011 (Photo by Tanya Caudill)

**CURLING CLUB NEWS**

*...where it's all happening..*

**\*\*BONSPIEL: Feb. 9-12, 2012**  
**LADIES OPEN BONSPIEL**  
\$120 entry per team  
Phone Brenda Balzer 383-5237  
*Prizes, Raffles and Argyle's funnest bonspiel! Look forward to Saturday night's Ladies Trade Show in the lounge, open to everyone.*  
*The canteen and lounge are open to spectators as well, whenever there is curling going on, including great snacks and meals.*

**\*\*SUDS, SPUD & STEAK NITE!**  
**Saturday, February ?? , 5:30-7:00 pm**  
**WATCH POSTERS FOR DATE!**  
BBQ steak (or chicken by advance request) & all the trimmings. Open to everyone. Dine & socialize with your friends & neighbours.  
Phone Janice 467-8750 or buy tickets at Meridian Trail Store.

**\*\*LEAGUE PLAY:**  
**MEN'S LEAGUES:** Mon./ Wed. (7 & 9 pm); contact for both is Bryan Novak 467-9383.  
**LADIES LEAGUE:** Thurs. (7:30 pm); contact is Brenda Balzer 383-5237.  
**DROP-IN LEAGUE:**Thurs. 9:30 am; contact is Terry 383-5932 or Fran 467-8745.  
**JUNIOR LEAGUE:** Friday 4:00 pm; contact is Doug/Cathy Crerar 467-2446.

**\*\*FUNDRAISERS: 50/50 draw monthly in lounge; TV raffle, tickets available from any member or at club.**

**MEET YOUR ARGYLE NEIGHBOUR:** Rosalie Baldwin moved to Argyle in 2009 with her husband Sean and son Nicholas (now 15) and dog "Dozer". She hails from Rosser originally, so she enjoys the quiet of a small community. Both Rosalie and Sean are shift-workers (she is Asst.-Manager – and a 12-year employee -- at Stonewall's Esso). They are thankful to have Sean's mother and sister living in Argyle as well, for those times when their shifts overlap and Nicholas is home from school. An autistic child, Nicholas attends school in Warren. He particularly enjoys sports, training with Special Olympics coaches in Winnipeg. He won Snowshoeing Gold at the Manitoba Games two years ago!



Rosalie has become involved with Argyle's Cribbage Club on Friday evenings, seeing it as a welcome outing for a busy working Mom and a good place to meet some of her neighbours. Cribbage didn't start until January this winter. Drop-ins are welcome at the Club, so come and check it out sometime!



## GOOD WISHES have no "best before" date!

Thank you to all who made donations to local charities as their way of saying "Season's Greetings... from All of Us... to All of You" to their local friends and neighbours. The Community Christmas Tree is located outside Meridian Trail General Store, and records greetings from the following:

Ken & Janice Nunn  
 Bruce & Gwen Buchanan  
 Elaine & Fred Taplin  
 Shirley Krychuk  
 Heather Post  
 The Balzer Family  
 Bruce & Lenore Matthews  
 Walt & Donna Stewart  
 Donna & Steve Garland  
 Carol & John Morgan  
 George Willox  
 Jim & Peggy Linklater  
 Ann Brindley  
 Hugh & Terry Billingham  
 Russ & Laura Snell and family  
 Ben & Victoria Schindle and family

Shirley & Stan Schindle  
 Karen Button & Lyle Dew  
 Graham & Caleb Bremner  
 Chuck & Fay Dunlop  
 Mark & Dorothy Murray  
 and family  
 Bob Snell  
 Vern & Martha Penner  
 Alan Hamilton & Merna Loewen  
 Russ & Barb & Colin Crockatt  
 Brian & Heather Gillespie and family  
 Ethan, Tanya & Shirley Lindsay  
 Cal & Lori Sinclair & Bruiser  
 Mike & Laura-Lee Tataryn & boys  
 Lawrence & Irene Grandmont  
 Darlene Grandmont  
 Bruce & Linda Huewan  
 Ken & Carol Yule and kids  
 Shirley & Cyril Irwin  
 Connie Henderson  
 John & Rita Smith  
 Marion Snell  
 Winnifred & Crystal Stuart  
 Murray & Beth Last

Roy & Sheila Buchanan  
 Charlie & Lynda Delaroque  
 Lloyd & Ila Buchanan and kids  
 Johanna & Jim Rodger  
 Helen Pomeroy  
 Don & Shirley Campbell  
 Karen Jensen & Robert Jensen  
 Tracy & Todd Dunstan & family  
 Barry & Jan Bremner  
 The Karlstedt Family  
 Wayne & Janet Peters  
 Ron Watson  
 Diane Rennie  
 Barb, Chris, Logan & Shannon Syrett  
 Terry & Susan Grandmont and family  
 Laurie & Melody Enns  
 "John & Ev"  
 Cathy & Neil Peden  
 Stuart & Eileen Manness  
 Ken & Carol Craig  
 Shirley Taplin & family  
 Blake, Alexie & Allie Mauthe  
 "Uncle Denny"

*Wishing everyone a happy & healthy 2012!*

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### Heads up!! QUIZ NITE COMING!

St. Patrick's Day Quiz Nite, March 17, 2012  
 To raise funds for Argyle's Centennial in July!  
 Will be hosted by Tracy Dunstan & Bev Snell.  
 Phone Tracy 383-5219 to enter a team.

### FRIDAY NITE CRIBBAGE CLUB

meets at Argyle Hall - ready to play at 7:30 p.m., all ages and skill level. Phone Rosalie 467-2801, or just come and check us out!



*Remember your sweetheart!*

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**Weekly Event:** Tuesday Nite R/C Funflyers (see right).  
**Weekly Event:** Friday Nite Cribbage Club at Argyle Hall, drop-ins welcome, singles play, ready to play 7:30 p.m. Phone Rosalie 467-2801.  
**Thursday, February 2** - Argyle Hall Board Meeting, 8:00 p.m. Everyone welcome.  
**Thursday, February 9 thru Sunday, February 12** - Ladies Open Bonspiel. See notice on front page.  
**Saturday, February 11** - Ladies Trade Show at Argyle Curling Club lounge, 5-9 p.m. Open to Everyone!  
**Monday, February 13** - Centennial Committee Meeting, 7:00 p.m. at Argyle Hall.  
**Tuesday, February 14** - Valentine's Day!  
**Saturday, February???** - Suds, Spud & Steak Nite at Argyle Curling Club. See notice on front page.  
**Heads up! March 17** - Quiz Nite presented by the Argyle Centennial Committee 1912-2012, at Argyle Hall. Get

### NEW CLUB! Brant-Argyle R/C Funflyers



*Remote-control helicopters and airplanes -- Bring Your Own! and fly indoors. The club meets every Tuesday evening in Brant-Argyle School's gym; 6-7 p.m. is for set-up and "shop talk", with flying from 7-9 p.m. But you must register first!*  
**Phone: John 232-0127**  
**Or Anthony 467-7662.**  
*It's a hobby that can be challenging and rewarding for both adults & kids. Check it out, and have fun!*