

P & H Elevator Preservation Society

Christmas 2019

Newsletter

Issue #33

We Wish You A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

P&H Elevator Christmas Party January 11, 2020

Located in the Hub
(Stettler Rec Centre)

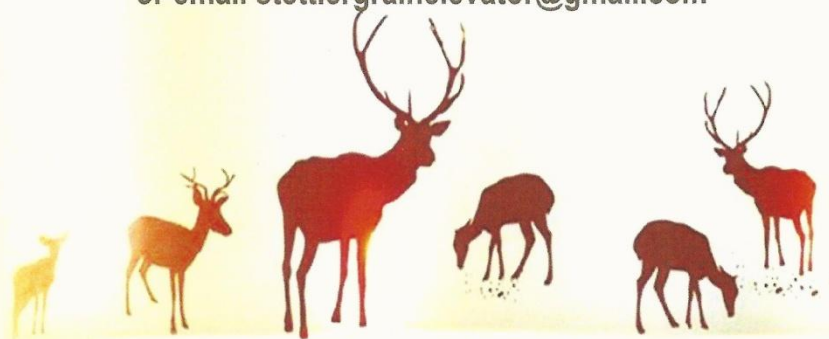
Doors open at 5:30 followed by
meal at 6:00 and entertainment
and door prizes

EVERYONE WELCOME

Advance tickets can be purchased at
Wells Furniture or at the Elevator on Saturdays until
January 6th for \$30 per person.

Advanced tickets qualify you to be entered into our draw
to have your ticket reimbursed. Tickets will be
available at the door.

For more information call 403-742-4703
or email stettlergrainelevator@gmail.com



Season's Greeting and Many Thanks!

From the P & H Elevator Society Executive

President
Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer

Stan Eichhorn
Verna Rock
Donna Langille

Directors ~ Ben Ayotte, Oliver Bull,
Les Howlett, Craig Hague, Bill Kirtley
Eveyln Shursen
Web Master ~ Mary Freimark

THE YEAR IN REVIEW

We started the year with our Christmas supper and welcomed 160 friends

The Annual Pancake Breakfast was again a success when 300 people came out to support the day

The hail storm that hit Stettler this summer did a fair bit of damage including broken windows, siding and shingles torn off. The coal shed suffered the most damage and will require a new paint job next year



Memories of the fall supper



COMING EVENTS IN 2020

This year marks the 100th Anniversary of the Elevator, special plans are being considered.

Any suggestions that will make this a wonderful celebration with the opportunity for fund raising are welcome. Point of interest ~ Alberta Prairie Steam Locomotive was also built in 1920.

We are starting to work on the upstairs installing insulation etc.

We will be finishing the siding and skirting on the exterior of the feed shed addition.

Volunteer workers would be appreciated.

SNACK BAR

Huge thank you to Mary Ann Bull, Susan Mitchell, Kay Andersen, Chris Shewchuck, Janet Wittaker, Jane Doan, Enid Anderson, Tracy Robinson, Doris Berezan, Joan Strandberg, Keirsten Docherty, Verna Rock (cinnamon buns)



TOUR GUIDES

Oliver Bull,
Dave McCourt, Keirsten Docherty

COFFEE STOP

Elaine Scheerschmidt,
Virginia Nielsen, Judy Robinson,
Dale & Donna Chapman
Oliver Bull

*****Save The Dates*****

Pancake Breakfast May 31, 2020

Fall Supper August 29, 2020



Yard Light Installation



Preparation of Floor



Floor Completed

SPECIAL THANK YOU

- **Gerd Leibe and his crew for getting the cement floor into the new addition**
- **To Dustin of *On A Dime Lighting & Signs* for the new yard light that really brightens up the area to keep us all safe**
- **To Lorissa of *Metalex* for the metal to finish the skirting on the new addition**
- **To Heartland Glass for replacing the windows following the hail storm.**
- **Bernie Jackson of Wells Furniture for helping sell tickets for Christmas Party**

We thank each of you that have helped us over the past year, all those that purchased memberships, donated time, money, other items. We will strive to make you proud to be associated with this project. Because of you we are preserving an important part of our heritage and a prairie icon for present and future generations. Our faithful volunteers have worked hard over the past year and deserve a very heart felt thank you!



It is with great sadness that we learned of the passing of Jim Pearson. Jim for the past 15 years had spent his life documenting the history of every grain elevator in the four western provinces. His work was unprecedented and will provide forever a record of the history to date of the "Prairie Sentinels." Jim was a great help to us all with the information posters in the Elevator complex that were drafted and written by himself. Our sympathy to his family and friends.

We are also saddened by the passing of Ethel Howlett wife of Les Howlett, she was a great supporter to the Elevator and will be remembered for her happy disposition and her baking for the volunteers. Sympathy to Les and his family.

We were saddened by the passing of Margaret Martin, she was a very active member in the early years, we send our condolences to her family.

We will be looking for a new summer student as Kiersten will be finishing her studies at the U of A, names of potential candidates are welcome.

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIPS

2020 Memberships are appreciated
 Adults \$20.00 a year
 Children \$2.00 a year
 Lifetime \$150.00 a year

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Membership 2020

NAME

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POSTAL CODE _____

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In Memorial

Jim Baugh
 Clarence Blaney
 Bill Chapman
 Mae Dempsey
 Werner Kruger
 Rudolph Hennel
 Lydia Scheerschmidt
 Ken Penosky
 Maurice Smith
 Hardy Scheller
 Rod Walstrom
 Morris Turville
 John Baird
 Gerald Tobin
 Vivian Aldcorn
 Jim Andersen
 Hugh Charles
 John Fischer
 Bryce Mailer
 John Anderson
 Marie Barnech
 Chris Fischer
 Rick Smith
 Steve Gordon
 Dale Handyside
 Rex Shuckburgh
 Phyllis Hague
 Kay Scheerschmidt
 Coy McKay
 Len Watson
 Jim Scheerschmidt
 Walter Treherne
 Lloyd & Helen Smith

George Smith
 Jack Chapman
 Walter Haustein
 Ken Bauman
 John Kvill
 Thomas D. Lyle
 Archie Smith
 Glenn Nixon
 Marion & Gertrude
 Scheerschmidt
 Don Tash
 Adrian & Wilma Glasier
 Leo & Vera Shuckburgh
 Manny & Melissa Gray
 Earl & Wilda Gibbon
 Harvey & Reta Pooley
 George Layman &
 Letiasa Stotts
 Judge Wm B. & Maggie Gray
 Paul & Anna Scheerschmidt
 Juri & Marie Klaus
 Paul & Agnes Klaus
 Archie & Edith White
 Louis & Mary Zeigler
 Norman McCourt
 Bernard Gendre
 Jack Groat
 Henry Eichhorn
 Scotty & Phyl Wood
 Tom O'Shea
 Fred Scheerschmidt
 Dave & Ann Harbison

In Memorial

The following names have been added to our memorial wall

*Dave and Ann Harbison
remembered by
Sam & Bev Harbison*

*Fred Scheerschmidt
remembered by
Donna and Dale
Chapman*

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Coffee Shop

Wednesday & Thursday
9:00 ~ 11 AM
Everyone Welcome

