

ECKVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

1. Luncheon Meeting called to order at 12:05 p.m. on Thursday, November 5, 2009.
2. Additions to Agenda – none.
3. Review of Minutes from October 1, 2009 – No Minutes.
4. & 5. CTV News Shoot - Sharon spoke to the schools and school children are to be present for the CTV New Shoot on Main Street on Monday, November 16, 2009 at 12:30 p.m. Eckville should be proud that they were chosen for the shoot over a number of other communities. The David Thompson School District is also invited. Casey is going to coordinate cookies to be supplied by Eckville Co-op thanks to Brad Weigel. Children with birthdays on November 16, 2009 will hold the banner. There will be coffee and sandwiches for municipal representatives at the Legion before the shoot and will used as a staging area. The Town will advise whether or not we can use a \$600.00 cheque from the Town (which was provided for the golf tournament but cancelled due to poor weather) for the funding of this event. The Silent Auction will close mid-afternoon.
6. Tree Lighting - November 26, 2009. Gord Ebden is going to order fireworks, which are scheduled to be set off at 6:30 p.m. Santa's Workshop will be November 26, 27 and 28 and volunteers are needed to supply various activities for the children.
7. Christmas Shopping Promotion - Advertising for this as well as the Tree Lighting is to be coordinated and business ads will be available for purchase. Our mission should be to expand the number of businesses involved in this promotion.
8. Community Builder Awards – no report.
9. Treasurer's Report - Sharon advised the balance is \$4,323.29.
10. School Happenings - Angie advised the Remembrance Day program is on November 6, 2009. George C. was a guest speaker at school to discuss the dangers of drinking and driving.
11. Community Happenings – Karen advised that there was an ACE presentation recently. Information regarding domestic violence will be posted around town.
12. County of Lacombe – Terry advised that discussions have been held between the City and the Industrial Development Subdivision at Eckville.
13. C.A.E.P. – Marty advised there is an upcoming fall general meeting on November 19, 2009.
14. Adjournment - Rick made a motion to adjourn the meeting.
15. Next meeting - Thursday, December 3, 2009.