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Tisdale
starts April 27



The Three Stooges
(PG)***

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The Lucky One
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The Three Stooges
(PG)***

Porcupine Plain
starts April 27



Bj Madsen's Parkland Photography Club third place image of "storm clouds"

Parkland Photography Club April meeting

Wednesday, April 25, 2012
by: Darlene McCullough
Tisdale:

Good Friday wet snow, a lot of it, dumped on south central Saskatchewan. This is what it was like driving in that storm.



Stanley Willows, 1943 to 2012

Wednesday, April 25, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tompkins:

A wife four sons, seven grand children and a whole community share in the lose of a hard working man.



Albert's pussy willows

Wednesday, April 25, 2012
by: Albert Orban
Tisdale:

For decades Albert has been fascinated with the joy of springs arrival and with it the coming of pussy willows. He has a great tree in his back yard and a poem to go with the beauties.



Driving in Saskatchewan's Easter storm

Tuesday, April 10, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
images by: Matthew Shire
Yellowhead highway:

Good Friday wet snow, a lot of it, dumped on south central Saskatchewan. This is what it was like driving in that storm.



Storm buries Tisdale

Tuesday, April 10, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

Shock, that's what we felt



Ensign Webcam



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Today In Ensign

Darlene McCullough - **Parkland Photography Club**
TWS - **Stanley Willows**
Albert Orban - **Albert's pussy willows**

Today In Ensign past years

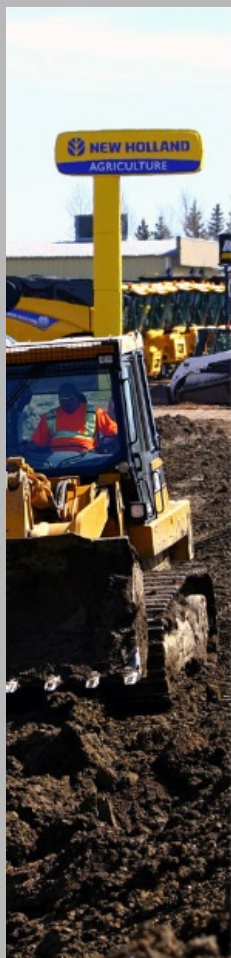
2011 -
2010 -
2009 - **Entrepreneurs**
2008 - **Parkland Photography club report and Fourplex gets underway**
2007 - **Parkland Photography Club report**
2006 - **Greenwater report**
2005 - **Spring in Swift Current, Winning in Vegas and the Greenwater report**
2004 -
2003 - **St. Vital Mall in Winnipeg and Paul Martin the almost chosen one**
2002 - **Town reclaims another site on main street, Mario deSantis agrees with US congresswoman Cynthia McKinney and More tax power**



The Hunger Games
(PG-13)***



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when we arrived in Tisdale Saturday night. More than a foot of snow.

Big auction sale coming up

Thursday, April 5, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

Schapansky's auction yard is filling up in preparation for a huge sale on April 17th.



Swans

Thursday, April 5, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

Definitely a limited edition. The swans of North America have a difficult time with hunters and habitat.



Crocus crazy

Sunday, April 1, 2012
by: Ken Jones
Craven:

Each year we post Ken's crocus pictures but usually in late April. This year they are early.



Parkland Photography Club March meeting

Sunday, April 1, 2012
by: Darlene McCullough
Tisdale:

This month the club photo shoot was going for contrast and four outstanding images came close to the mark.



My 134th budget: promises, plans and words to be forgotten

Saturday, March 30, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

People and politicians make mistakes and that's why we and they both need to listen to one another. Thinking you are right doesn't make for success.



Spring arrived this week and so did the provincial budget

Saturday, March 23, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

The geese are happy to be back and the writer of this story is not because of the 33% increase for prescriptions to people over 65 years old.

The mild winter of 2011 / 2012 is over

Saturday, March 17, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Winnipeg & Tisdale:

In the southern prairies the snow is gone and the temperature is staying above freezing.



What have you done for your country lately?

Thursday, March 8, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

My grandfather chose to come and make Canada his home. I am glad he did, its a good place and I would like to see it stay that way.



Act to keep the scandal from spreading

Thursday, March 8, 2012
by: Joe Hueglin
Niagara Falls, Ontario:

This story calls upon the Prime Minister to get to work and root out those responsible for subverting the 2011 election.



for city hall

2001 - Dog Hide is in no hurry this year, Followup and Lawrence Solomon joins the big brains' club headed by Roy Romanow

2000 - Crop 2000 and Easter parade

1999 - SUN's strike and Tom Sawyer and the fence

Tim's Tip of the Day

Our lives often take some unexpected pathways and much of the time its not fair. But the successful person does what he or she can do with the circumstances in which they find themselves. My mom called it "making due" and that pretty much covers it.
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Find of the Day

Federal scientists closely monitored during polar conference



Scientist who work for the government are not permitted to talk to the media about reports and articles they have published in journals without supervision by political commissars. In a

recent polar conference scientist were told they could not talk to the press without a "media relations contact" present. This sort of supervision was common in the USSR and Communist China but unheard of in Canada until now.





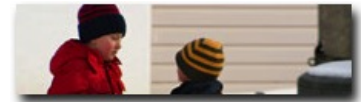
March is inventory time

Friday, March 2, 2012

by: Timothy W. Shire

Tisdale:

Today we take stock of the important things in our community. Twenty pictures of Tisdale and its surrounding area in a discussion about Saskatchewan's past present and future.



Telemiracle 36

Friday, March 2, 2012

by: Alain Leblanc

Regina:

This is Telemiracle weekend in Saskatchewan with the telethon on CTV beginning on Saturday night.



Frost on stubble

Thursday, February 23 2012

by: Ken Jones

Pilot Butte:

Fog below freezing creates unusual ice formations on plant life. Photographer Ken Jones went after some in a stubble field near Regina.



A visit at Fred Herzog Exhibition, Equinox Gallery, Project space, Vancouver

Thursday, February 23 2012

by: Mario deSantis

Vancouver, British columbia:

Each of are on a journey. Mario's is taking him into the world of photography and we explore it with him in his visit to a Vancouver gallery.



Bombardier B-12 snow bus

Thursday, February 16 2012

by: Timothy W. Shire

Tisdale:

It has been decades since this vehicle was common place in rural Saskatchewan but today we had the treat of seeing one, zooming across the country-side.



Sharon's pottery progress

Thursday, February 16 2012

by: Mario deSantis

Abbotsford, British columbia:

Mario is taking a digital photography class while his wife. Sharon is doing a pottery class. Today we see how both are getting along.



Eight ender

Thursday, February 9, 2012

by: Lorraine Wisser

Tisdale:

Better than a grand slam in baseball, less common then a hole in one in golf, scoring eight with only eight rocks is the ultimate achievement in curling. This past weekend Lorraine Wisser and her team did the perfect end.



Ken Oskrip; December 15, 1928 to February 4, 2012

Thursday, February 9, 2012

by: Timothy W. Shire

Tisdale:

For decades downtown Tisdale was where you would find the man who operated the bus depot and owned the "coffee shop". He passed away last week at age 83.



Frost

Thursday, February 9, 2012

by: Ken Jones

Pilot Butte:

This is a truly impressive set of six pictures showing the extreme water crystals formed this past weekend in the Regina area.



January meeting of Parkland Photography Club

Thursday, January 26, 2012

by: Darlene McCullough





Tisdale:
Competitions and community projects are all part of the monthly Parkland Photography meetings. This month the theme shoot was "break the rules."



Arctic Air

Thursday, January 19, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

One of the best things to show up on our television screens in 2012. This new show tells the story of a struggling airline in Yellowknife with an aggressive well educated aboriginal person taking a leadership role.



Canada, not a "giant national park" for U.S. but a "giant resource base"

Thursday, January 19, 2012
by: Joe Hueglin
Niagara Falls, Ontario

The Prime Minister is not amused with the U.S. government's rejection of the Keystone Pipeline but at the same time has presided over the relentless take overs of Canadian industry and resources.



Scrapping the Canadian Wheat Board is a crime

Thursday, January 19, 2012
by: Joyce Neufeld
Walldeck

The decision by parliament to close down the monopoly by the Canadian Wheat Board was against the law. Odd that this was done by a government so brash about being hard on crime.



New year predictions for 2012

Wednesday, January 4, 2012
by: Timothy W. Shire
Tisdale:

Sorry about being late this year. We were in Winnipeg last week and though I had the equipment with me the software and a mysterious server issue stopped me cold. So here is my peek into the crystal ball for this year.



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