

Thursday, March 2, 2012, 2200 Ensign Front Page Volume 14, No. 44 - Scattered cumulus 3/8ths 2,600, Broken stratus 7.8ths 12,000, visibility 1.25 miles, -17°C, wind calm, altimeter 29.97, light snow

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**Tisdale**  
starts March 2

**The Vow**  
(PG-13)\*\*\*

**Melfort**  
starts - March 2



**Ghost Rider: Spirit of  
Vengeance**  
(PG-13)



**Journey 2: Mysterious  
Island**  
(PG)\*\*\*

**Porcupine Plain**  
starts March 2

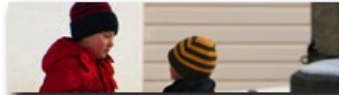


*Though the sun was not visible most of the time on Thursday or today, we would have to say with these warm temperatures March definitely came in like a lamb this year.*

## 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.



## Ensign Webcam



Saturday, March 3, 2012, 4:05:50 AM

## Today In Ensign

TWS - **March is inventory time**  
Alain Leblanc - **Telemiracle 36**

## Today In Ensign past years

**2011 - Greenwater report and Gerald Chupa**

**2010 - First taste of spring and the spirit of the 2010 Olympics**

**2009 -**

**2008 -**

**2007 - Confounded by conventionality and the name Bank of Montreal wasn't an option**

**2006 - SHSAA girls and mixed curling championship, by the nose and down the garden path, I think this would be considered a snow storm and Maybe just maybe**

**2005 -**

**2004 - Learning for a lifetime, Big dig open pit mine in Regina, Web difficult to**



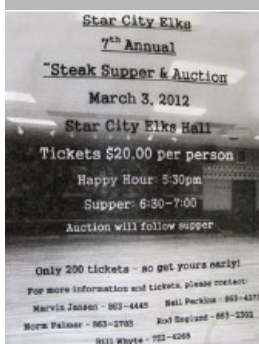
### Alvin & the Chipmunks: Chipwrecked (G)\*



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## 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

unravel and Regime change in Haiti

2003 - March came in like a lion, the epitome of the rule of law and not meeting safety standards

2002 - Statistic's Canada privatization plan, "Who's Shawn Mand Kevin's pick of the day the purpose of the net

2001 - Lams and earthquakes, a common economic language people come first and Ralph Nader and the GDP Canadian Saga

2000 - Tisdale on march second, Mayor Dayday's GNP accounting and Northern Fripp

1999 - March light

### Tim's Tip of the Day

Farmers retire from the business and career that has absorbed their whole lives. Most find it something that they can get over but parting with a beloved tractor is something that just can not happen. (Click [here](#) to see full size.)



### Find of the Day

Robert Fisk: The regime calls it 'cleaning', but the dirty truth is plain to see



Middle East expert Robert Fisk who writes for the London Independent points out that the rhetoric used by Syria to describe its actions in the civil war in the country is a form of

genocide practiced by other governments in the past with other polished names.





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Thursday, January 19, 2012

by: Joyce Neufeld

Waldeck

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.



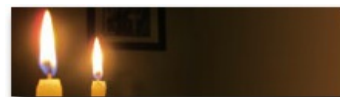
## Merry Christmas

Wednesday, December 21, 2011

by: Timothy W. Shire

Tisdale:

May each of you have a most happy Christmas.



## Kiss the millions goodbye

Wednesday, December 21, 2011

by: Henry Neufeld

Waldeck:

The demise of the Canadian Wheat Board looks to be history. But what about the money?



## Greenwater report: Christmas greetings

Wednesday, December 21, 2011

by: Gerald Crawford

Saskatoon:

We no longer get to keep up with Gerald and Doreen with their regular report but it is nice to hear from them now and again.



## Little things mean a lot

Wednesday, December 21, 2011

by: Joe Hueglin

Niagara Falls, Ontario:

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## 2012 Calendar

Wednesday, December 21, 2011

by: Ken Jones

Regina:

Ken Jones creates some outstanding images each year and this year we have his 2012 calendar for you. Bookmark it for your use.



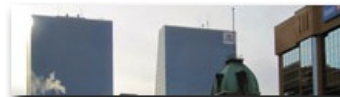
## The Queen City where nothing is really old

Thursday, December 15, 2011

by: Timothy W. Shire

Regina:

Growth, development, expansion all of these terms apply to what is happening in the capital city of Saskatchewan.



## Superannuates enjoy Christmas social

Thursday, December 15, 2011

by: Darlene McCullough

Tisdale:

Tisdale and Melfort superannuated teachers held their Christmas social on December 6. Here is a report with pictures and a three minute video clip.



## Do we need the new quarry: "Sumas Mountain Quarry / 266531 BC Ltd"?

Wednesday, December 7, 2011

by: Mario deSantis

Abbotsford, British Columbia: Using a Minolta SRT101 camera and black and white film Mr. deSantis put together this photo essay to make a point about planned development in the Abbotsford area.



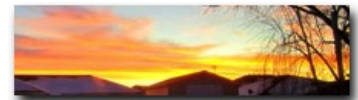
## Hope



Friday, November 30, 2011

by: Timothy W. Shire

**Tisdale:** We live in a world of making, we fabricate our reality from what we interpret our environment to be. Since we make up our world it is that we project what it shall be.



## Parkland Photography Club November meeting

Friday, November 25, 2011

by: November

**Tisdale:** The Parkland Photography Club continues to provide experience and a shared photographic adventure for its members. This month's images are really a sign of the clubs growth.



## Ready to blow

Friday, November 25, 2011

by: Kevin McIntyre

**Carrot River:** Once a farmboy always a farmboy. With winter here Kevin and his wife Sandra are ready with a John Deere to meet this year's challenge of snow.



## No one will forget

Friday, November 11, 2011

by: Timothy W. Shire **Tisdale:** Only a handful of world war two veterans remain but this year Canada's observance of Remembrance Day was bigger than ever. Though we still have a thousand troops in theatre Canada is now officially at peace.



## It was not all Wall

Tuesday, November 8, 2011

by: Edwin Wallace

**Swift Current:** After having been forced out of his position as campaign strategist in 2007 Dale Schmeichel headed up the debacle of an NDP which ended in defeat yesterday. Edwin Wallace addresses Mr. Schmeichel to bid good riddance.



## A positive as we approach Remembrance Day

Wednesday, November 9, 2011

by: Joe Hueglin

**Niagara Falls, Ontario:** The use of "depleted uranium" munitions is a serious world problem but it has been ignored and denied by the Canadian Government. Yesterday they agreed to look into the problem with Canadian veterans.



## CWB to be or not to be

Wednesday, November 2, 2011

by: Timothy W. Shire **Tisdale:** Since Stephen Harper longs to be an American or at least be loved by Americans he has pursued the destruction of the Canadian Wheat Board. Here are some of the continuing arguments both for abolition and preservation.



## Crushing the monopoly

Wednesday, November 2, 2011

by: Stu Innes **Regina:** Not everyone want to see the Wheat Board go away. Stu Innes wants to market his product when and where he likes.



## Whose interests are being served by the demise of the Canadian Wheat Board?

Wednesday, November 2, 2011

by: Herb Schulz

**Winnipeg:** We maybe need to consider who is gaining rather than who is losing on the destruction of the CWB.



## Canadian Wheat Board: 2011's Attempted Potash Sell Out

Wednesday, November 2, 2011

by: Brian Marlatt

**White rock, British columbia:** What about the provincial government, should they be considered accountable for Harper's agenda?



## Parkland Photography Club October meeting



Wednesday, November 2, 2011

by: Darlene McCullough

**Tisdale:** The club is participating in many competitions as well as pitching in with community activities. This month's theme was "solitude."



*Bottom Of The Page Picture of the Day*



*Looking from the east at Tisdale's hospital and care home at 3:08 PM Tuesday, February 28, 2012.*



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