

Hi everyone,

It appears there is light at the end of the tunnel. If all continues to go well, some of the travel restrictions will soon be lifted and life will start to feel a little more like normal. The ability for larger gatherings both inside and out is on the horizon.

I like to think its times like this, when we have been significantly challenged, where we can truly reflect on what's worked and what hasn't. Even with the lessening of some restrictions it's important to continue what's been working, so as the Premier mentioned, we can avoid a return to any of the conditions that have been reduced.

Keep in mind that we are not fully out of the woods when it comes to COVID-19. New cases in Manitoba and Saskatchewan are slowly becoming fewer and farther in between, but until we see that active case number at 0 and stagnant we must all continue to do our part by practicing social distancing. With that in mind, just remember to keep around 2 meters apart from one another in public spaces, even if it's outside.

On another note, outside CO-VID 19, the world continues to change. This was certainly the case this week as many of you participated in a demonstration showing your support for the anti-racism movement taking place across the world stage. Racism has no place in society and especially not here in Flin Flon. I'm glad to see many of you are willing to go above and beyond to prove that in a safe and respectful manner.

Please continue to be as diligent with COVID-19 precautions as you have been and I'm sure we'll beat this. Another spike in cases must always be something we have to be cautious of until there is a vaccine, but let's continue to stay positive and make the very most of our summer.

I'm sure you can sense I have become increasingly optimistic that the tide has begun to turn in our favour. It seems the sun is brighter .....when it's out, the days are longer & the curve is flattened.

Stay safe, stay strong and stay healthy Flin Flon.