

The Catholic Women's League Of Canada

**PRINCE ALBERT DIOCESAN COUNCIL**  
**National Theme:** Care for Our Common Home

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**Communique # 2**

**To:** Parish Education and Health Chairpersons ( for action)  
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Prince Albert Diocesan President ( for information)  
Prince Albert Diocesan Chairpersons of Standing Committees (for information)  
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**From: Sylvia Jones Prince Albert Diocesan Education and Health Chairperson**

Good Afternoon, Ladies and Reverend Fathers:

It is a cool and dreary Sunday afternoon, not much one can do outside. My garden will have to wait till tomorrow. My summer was very busy with visitors and grand children coming to visit, camping and outside work in the garden that had to be done. My fruit trees are bearing some fruit but the apples and plum trees are late, usually the fruit is ready for picking in mid- August but this year it is just starting to ripen.

We had our Diocesan executive meeting yesterday, which informed me that it is time to get back into routine.

We had a tornado hit just four miles north of our farm house on June 29<sup>th</sup> and seeing the destruction in just thirty minutes, I can relate a little to what happened in the Bahama's. There has been so much devastation with Hurricane Dorian at this time. Yesterday it hit Nova Scotia , Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Newfoundland.

So keep praying for the people in these places, and if you are able to help in any other way please do so.

Our theme for the next two years is **“Care for our Common Home”** this year we are focusing on Water. I encourage you as parish councils to review and act on the following national resolutions relating to water:

2004.07 Water Use in Canada  
2001.04 Water Quality in Canada  
1999.09 Bulk Fresh Water Resources  
1990.10 Environmental Concerns (pollution of our oceans, rivers and lakes)

Another thing that has been on the news a lot this summer in **“Vaping”** in Young teens and adults and

some of the health concerns. Health Canada warns vaping carries risk of pulmonary illness.

Resolution: 2014.02 Electronic Cigarettes

1. Write to the prime minister, minister of health and local members of parliament, urging them to act on the requests in the first resolved clause. You can find this resolution in the resolutions by year on the CWL web page.

Ending this Communique' with a quote

**Listen to the voice of nature  
for it holds treasures for you.**

Native American Proverb-HURON

May Our Lady of Good Council Bless You;

Sylvia Jones (Prince Albert Diocesan CWL Education and Health Chairperson)