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This letter that has gone out to the communities. I am very excited about the up and coming visit. I need some volunteers to help with a few things, please phone or email me if you are able to help

Katharine

## **Greetings to one and all!**

**This is a Hear yea! Hear yea! announcement. A stop the press hot tip. A great coffee shop topic to spread around town. In fact, you have my permission to spread it like wild fire. So, here comes the truth (gossip).**

The Doctor Recruitment Committee has been hard at work trying to find some new doctors for us. As of January 2012 we are communicating with 3 doctors that have expressed an interest in coming here. How great is that?

I would like to put some minds at rest as well. The clinic and emergency have been staffed at all times; we have not been left unattended. At this time we have two doctors helping Dr Lewke-Bogle in the clinic. Dr. Sue Christenson, who is here on certain Weds of the month and Dr. Daniel Bester, who is here every Thursday. We should be throwing our hats into the air with pride and confidence that we are being cared for during this difficult time.

Ok, back to my reason for writing. I need some help. We are having a doctor visit the clinic and area sometime in the first week of February. The doctor's name is Dr Olive Usher. I think it would be a great thing if we all turned out to welcome her here. Oh, and by the way, when you come out to meet her, is it possible to bring some goodies to go with the coffee and tea?

The date has not been fixed yet but she will be here sometime between Feb 1 to Feb 6. I have booked the council chamber at the town office in Milk River for this event. When we have a firm date I will have it put up on the announcing channel at Tees and Jeans (750) and at the Post Office and town office doors in Coutts, Warner, and Milk River.

If you have any questions or need some coffee gossip about what is happening, the Doctor Recruitment Committee has a phone number: 403-647-8008 - you can call for updates any time.

Thank you for your patience and help with us trying to place a doctor here.

Katharine