

# DOLLARS AND SENSE

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MERRY CHRISTMAS

## CHRISTMAS CHEER

Please join us in the afternoon of Dec 20

For some apple cider and goodies.

We want to **THANK YOU** for your business

And wish you Happy Holiday



## Make shopping a little easier with a Christmas Quick Loan

Limits of \$500 to \$5000  
Interest At Prime + 1.00%  
Repayable over 11 months  
Flexible Repayment Plans  
Re-advanceable yearly



## Beat the Taxman

If you're like most Canadians, taxes take a big bite out of your wallet every year. For many of us they're our single largest expense. But fortunately there are a few ways to beat the taxman and keep more of your hard earned money.

Here are a few strategies to lighten your tax bill:

**Contribute to your RRSP.**  
**Consider tax-loss selling.**  
**Split your pension income.**

**Give to charity**  
**Make RESP contributions.**  
**Pay your tax deductible expenses.**

For advice on how to take advantage of these tax savings strategies, and a few others, drop by the Eastend Credit Union and make an appointment to talk to Terry Shields, Credential Securities Investment Advisor. He's here to help.

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*We wish everyone peace, love and joy  
this Christmas season and to all, a prosperous New Year*

**From the Board, Management and Staff**

### TENDERS

Eastend Credit Union  
is accepting tenders for the  
Indoor Janitorial Duties

Outline of duties may be obtained  
from the Credit Union

Contract is to commence  
January 1, 2012  
for a 1 year period  
Lowest or any tender  
not necessarily accepted

Submit tenders by December 16 to  
Patrick Watkins General Manager

### Christmas Tree Ornament

Contest

Create an Ornament to  
Display on our Tree

6 Years and Under  
2 - \$15.00 Prizes

7 to 12 Years  
2 - \$15.00 Prizes

Ornaments will be Judged  
For Originality On  
December 21



### **Our community involvement for 2011**

In 2011, the Eastend Credit Union donated funds, gifts in kind, and sponsored events in the Eastend area, in excess of \$4,800.00. These include the Robsart 4-H club, Eastend Light Horse Club, Eastend Figure Skating, Eastend Curling, Eastend Minor Hockey, Golf and Curl Classic, Eastend Historical Museum, Eastend Soccer Club and many others. We would like to thank all of these organizations for supporting our community. We look forward to working with them in the future.

**Merry Christmas**