

### **CENTENNIAL PARK PLAYGROUND**

Originally built and named in 1967 to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Canadian Confederation. Starting in 2005, *Nobleford Centennial Park*, across from the post office on King Street, started to upgrade. As part of the “green plan” a significant amount of the park and boulevard grass was cultivated, landscaped, underground irrigation repaired and seeded with grass. There was also removal of some broken playground equipment and the installation of the 3 run slide. The Nobleford Legion assisted in relocation of the Flag Pole; Nobleford Agricultural Society assisted the Village in purchase of a concrete table. In 2006/07 additional park benches, picnic tables and garbage bins were installed thanks to private donations via a Village appointed Recreation and Parks Committee. Rebuilding and relocating the bucking rocking horse was an appreciated upgrade. With the formation and incorporation of the *Nobleford Parks and Recreation Society in 2009*, new funding and volunteer opportunities were presented to the Village. This volunteer group has partnered with the Village on a number of projects raising 100’s of thousands of dollars one of which is the NEW \$30,000 **APOLLO** playground in Centennial Park. In 2013 the Village completed the upgrades by removing the swing/slide/glider equipment, rebuild and powder coat it all, then reinstalled in a new location with modern borders and pea gravel. Additional benches and underground irrigation were also installed. Landscaping shall be completed and grass growing next spring.