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#### **Novemeber 29, 2023**

## 'EXTRA' CURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES BUILD COMMUNITY, PRIDE, AND CONFIDENCE

Submitted by GYPSD

Along with excellence in academics, GYPSD schools offer a range of extra-curricular options for students to enjoy and excel in.

Grand Trunk High School in Evansburg has a proud history of sports excellence and this year's junior girls' volleyball team is keeping up with tradition. The team consists of 13 girls in Grades

8 and 9, and are led by three community coaches, Angela Miko, Marin Hindes and Brian William, and Grade 10 student Alissa Miko who is serving as the team's manager.

At the recent 2J zones tournament at Ecole St. Joseph School in Whitecourt, the team were a powerhouse throughout the majority of the tournament and forced a rematch for

the gold win in the third set against Holy Trinity Academy from Drayton Valley.

Congrats to all the coaches, parents, and players on the victory.

And congratulations to all our volleyball teams from across the Division from Jasper to Evansburg who participated in the GYAC tournament in Hinton on November 15th!

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## 2024 CANADA SUMMER JOBS APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYERS

Submitted by MP Gerald Soroka

Gerald Soroka, Member of Parliament for Yellowhead wishes to advise that Canada Summer Jobs 2024: Application period for employers was launched today. Employers from notfor-profit organizations, the public sector, and private sector organizations with 50 or fewer full-time employees in Canada can apply for funding until January 10, 2024, to hire young Canadians next summer. Full-time job placements will become available starting in April 2024.

CSJ 2024 will aim to create 70,000 summer jobs for young Canadians, with an emphasis on creating jobs for youth facing

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## 2024 Canada Summer Jobs Application For Employers

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barriers to employment. The priorities for CSJ 2024

- Youth with disabilities or with organizations that provide services to persons with disabilities;
- Youth that are underrepresented in the labour market, including:
- Black and other racialized youth
- Indigenous youth
- 2SLGBTQI+ youth
- Youth in rural areas, remote communities, or official language minority communities;

- Jobs that provide exposure or experience related to the skilled trades, which may include opportunities in the residential construction sector; and
- Sustainable jobs that support the protection of the environment or delivering positive environmental outcomes.

Employers interested in applying for CSJ 2024 funding are encouraged to submit their applications electronically on the Grants and Contributions Online Services (GCOS) portal. Creating a GCOS account is a one-time process that

allows organizations to apply for various Employment and Social Development Canada funding opportunities in a secure web environment.

For more information, please go to the following links:

https://www.canada.ca/ en/employment-social-development/services/funding/gcos.html and

https://www.canada.ca/ en/employment-social-development/services/funding/canada-summer-jobs. html

## ST. ALBERT RCMP INVESTIGATE ARMED ROBBERY TO CASINO

Submitted by St. Albert RCMP

SERENITY FUNERAL SERVICE

## NEW FACILITY Chapel & Reception Centre

600 Calahoo Road Spruce Grove, AB

**780-962-2749** www.serenity.ca

On Nov. 12, 2023 at 3:52 p.m. St. Albert RCMP received a report of an armed robbery to the Century Casino in St. Albert. A lone male entered the casino, produced a firearm and demanded money.

The suspect left the casino and entered a Dark coloured Jeep Cherokee.

Police area not disclosing the amount of money taken.

While RCMP investigate, we are asking for public as-

sistance in identifying the suspect.

The suspect is described as:

- Light complexion
- In his 40's
- Approx. 5 foot 5 inches tall
- Wearing a black mask, black ball cap, black gloves, dark jacket, black hoodie, blue jeans.

If you have any information about this crime or those responsible, please call the St. Albert RCMP at 780-458-7700.



Lauren was frustrated. She had complained dozens of times to her daughter about her newest gag of kissing the bathroom mirror immediately after applying lipstick, but it was all to no avail. Finally, one day after spending a half hour scrubbing the mirror, only to find another kiss mark an hour later, Lauren had enough. "Lizzy!" she hollered, "What?" came her daughter's reply through her bedroom door. I can't find the toilet brush that I've been using to clean the bathroom mirror. Do you have any idea where it is?" After hearing the gagging from behind the bedroom door, Lauren knew her days of cleaning kiss marks off of mirrors were over.



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## THWART-OFF CYBER CRIME THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

Submitted by Alberta RCMP

The holiday season is just around the corner, which means more and more people will be shopping for presents. Online shopping has become an increasingly popular and convenient way to find deals and cross things off our lists. With both Black Friday and Cyber Monday taking place this month, many Albertans will be handing out their credit card details in exchange for deals this month.

In the Alberta RCMP's jurisdiction in 2022 there were a total of:

- 34 reports of unauthorized use of credit card data (4 in November and 2 in December);
- 726 reports of Theft, Forgery, Misuse of Credit Card (53 in November and 47 in December);
- 1,796 reports of Fraud (money/property/security) greater than \$5,000 (183 in November and 150 in December); and
- 5,653 reports of Fraud (money/property/security) less than or equal to \$5,000 (445 in November and 401 in December).

The Alberta RCMP reminds all online shoppers to protect their personal and financial information making online purchases.

Here are some tips to protect yourself while shopping online:

- Don't reuse passwords; change them often, and be sure to use a combination of letters, numbers, and special characters to create a strong one!
- Many websites, especially social media platforms, offer the option of
  multi-factor authentication.
  Multi-factor authentication
  makes it more difficult for
  criminals to access your accounts by needing more than
  one piece of identifying information.
  - Review privacy set-

tings regularly in order to control who can see what personal information is posted to your profile.

- Don't purchase anything using public Wi-Fi; shop using your own data connection or a trusted network.
- Buy from reputable sources and don't let unbeatable prices cloud your judge-

ment. Research retailers before purchasing.

- Install updates on your devices as soon as you're prompted. Updates fix security issues.
- Phishing is a commonly used tactic for cyber crime. Phishing messages ask you to validate information by clicking links and may threaten you with legal

action. Verify legitimacy by calling the company directly.

Follow our social media accounts on Twitter @RC-MPAlberta and Facebook @RCMPinAlberta, and check out #CyberSafety online for more tips.

## **GET IMMUNIZED**

To book an appointment, visit ahs.ca/vaccine or call 811.



Questions about immunizations? Call 811, your primary care provider or your local pharmacy.



#### MINISTER'S YOUTH COUNCIL MEMBER **FROM GTHS**

Submitted by GYPSD

Jazlynn Mochniuk is looking forward to getting her post-secondary journey started. Currently in grade 11 at Grand Trunk High School (GTHS) in the Hamlet of Evansburg, Jazlynn is excited to pursue her dream job - working on a global platform to address the obstacles facing young women and girls who do not have access to opportunities - opportunities for education, safety, supports, and meaningful employment. As Jazlynn recently shared, she is "passionate about equity."

Jazlynn is also a member of the Superintendent's Youth Council (SYC) and worked with her school's team to complete a research project for her school.

After a year of learning how to create a survey, collect and analyze data, and use that data to inform an action plan for school improvement, Jazlynn and her SYC peers proposed that GTHS create a welcoming space at the school for students. The proposal was accepted, and this year the SYC cohort is looking to deepen their action-research skills.

Principal Heidi Zadderey was very impressed by the action proposal and was not surprised to hear that Jazlynn had been appointed to the new Minister Education, Demetrios Nicolaides' Youth Advisory Council. "Jazlynn is an exceptional student; she is compashard-working, sionate, and cares deeply for her peers. She is going to represent our small rural school so well; we are so proud of her."

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#### IS IT TIME FOR YOUR MAMMOGRAM?

Submitted by Alberta Health Service

Screen Test is coming to Evansburg December 11 & 12, 2023

Screen Test is a free service provided by Alberta Health Services that offers screening mammograms. Our mobile screening units travel to 121 communities throughout Alberta to provide convenient access to breast cancer screening.

Having regular screening

mammograms is the best way to find breast cancer early, before symptoms appear and when treatment may work better.

Who should have a

screening mammogram? If you're 45 to 74, you don't need a referral to have a mammogram. Make screening part of your regular health routine. Plan to have a mammogram every 2 years or as decided by you

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A screening mammogram is the best way to find breast cancer early. And it can truly save your life.

> The SCREEN TEST mobile mammography unit will be in

**Evansburg** December 11 & 12, 2023

Appointments are required. Call

**1-800-667-0604** (toll free)

screeningforlife.ca

If you're 45 to 74 years of age, have a mammogram every 2 years or as decided by you and your healthcare provider. No referral needed.











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- † Pre-need Funeral Packages
- † Crematorium & Memorial Services

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## Christmas Cockies & Cards

Join in for an enjoyable afternoon creating handmade Christmas cards and gift tags for loved ones!

December 7 from 1:00 - 2:30 PM at the Peers Multiplex

\$10/person
All supplies and light refreshments provided.

Open to all ages! Children must be accompanied by an adult for the duration of program.

Register at www.yhcounty.ca/registration



#### Things to Consider When Choosing a Live Christmas Tree in Canada

adapted from information provided by Certified Arborist Toso Bozic

#### **Types of Christmas Trees in Canada**

Each type has unique characteristics that can influence the overall look, scent, and longevity of the tree.

- Balsam Fir: Known for its pleasant fragrance, this tree is a favourite among Canadians. Its dark green needles and symmetrical shape are great for ornamentation, and its needles are smooth and not prickly.
- Spruces: Prickly short needles have an incredible ability to keep ornaments hanging well, and pets may be deterred from interacting with the tree due to the prickliness. Spruces are resilient and adaptable.
- Pines: A great choice due to its aroma and long needles.
   The stiffness of its branches are excellent for ornaments.

TIP: Choose locally grown trees! If harvesting a tree from Crown land, ensure you get a permit from alberta.ca/tree-cutting-permits.

Choose the right size tree: measure your room height, and take into consideration your tree stand height. Consider the width of the tree, as well as the size and weight of your ornaments.

Test freshness: check for needle flexibility, coloural fragrance, moisture content, and needle retention.

Fire safety: keep the tree watered so that it doesn't dry out and become a fire hazard. Top up the water twice daily so the base of the tree never dries out. Your tree will drink several liters of water daily for the first 1-2 weeks. Avoid putting Christmas trees near direct heating sources such as fireplaces, furnace vents, or sunny windows.

Find the full Christmas Trees in Canada fact sheet (with key Christmas Tree tips!) at yhcounty.ca/yardwhispers



#### CONSTRUCTION NOTICE

#### CULVERT REPAIRS

Starting November 22 and into 2024, work will be taking place throughout Yellowhead County at various locations.

Range Road 155A

53312 Range Rd 155A Paved Road North of Highway 16

Township Road 534

100m west of Range Road 163

Range Road 162

250m north of Highway 16 - Dead-end road

Range Road 140

Detours will be in effect.

Range Road 155A

Approximately 5.7 km south of Hwy 16 at NE-31-52-15-5

Range Road 140

30m north of Township 532

Further information for extended delays or closures will be provided as projects start.

Be aware of construction equipment, trucks, and workers.

Please obey all signage and warnings.





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#### Is It Time For Your Mammogram?

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and your healthcare provider.

If you're 40 to 44 or over 75, discuss the risks and benefits of screening with your healthcare provider. You will need a referral if you're 40 to 44 and it's your first mammogram, or if you're over 75.

Call 1-800-667-0604

(toll-free) to book a mammogram with Screen Test.

Breast density scores are now included in your Screen Test result letter

Breast density is the amount of dense tissue compared to the amount of fat in a person's breasts. It can be harder to find cancer in dense breasts because this tissue appears white on a mammogram, the same

colour as many kinds of breast cancer. It's common to have dense breast tissue.

Dense breasts are only one of many risk factors for breast cancer. Other factors, such as age and genetics, have a bigger impact on your overall risk. You can't tell how dense your breasts are by size, look or feel. The only way to find out is by having a mammogram.

Talk to your healthcare provider about your breast density score and your personal risk of breast cancer. Learn more about breast density on screeningforlife. ca

For more information on Screen Test and breast cancer screening, visit screeningforlife.ca

## BULLYING AWARENESS WEEK: MINISTERS TURTON, NICOLAIDES

Submitted by Government of Alberta

Minister of Children and Family Services Searle Turton and Minister of Education Demetrios Nicolaides issued the following statement on Bullying Awareness Week:

"Bullying can happen to anyone, of any age. The long-term health and social impacts can be challenging to overcome and make people feel powerless and alone.

"That's why it's important for all of us to learn how to recognize and prevent bullying, as well as support victims and help them find resources if they're struggling. Alberta's Bullying Helpline is available 24-7, in more than 170 languages. Albertans can get help by calling or texting 310-1818 or by connecting with trained staff at any time online."

Searle Turton, Minister

of Children and Family Services

"Everyone deserves to feel safe no matter where they are, whether that's at home, in our schools, at work or online. We can ensure our communities are safer for everyone by standing up to bullying and letting those around us know there are people and resources to help.

"This year's theme, #WhereToTurn, encourages everyone to raise awareness that help is always available. Get involved by using the hashtag on social media, starting a discussion with your friends, family or coworkers about how to intervene, and taking part in anti-bullying events at your school. Let's work together to promote safe, healthy and respectful relationships."

Demetrios Nicolaides, Minister of Education

#### **ED TECH RESOURCES**

Submitted by GYPSD

Did you know that the Tech Team - which includes a Tech Lead Teacher at every GYPSD school - has a lending library with over 20 resources and activity ideas teachers can access to enhance learning and engagement with curriculum?!

In October, Ed Tech Supervising Teacher Kandis Gilks hosted this year's Ed Tech cohort to ensure everyone new and returning was familiar with the inventory and had an opportunity to consider how the various resources supported skill development alongside literacy and numeracy practice while enriching the outcomes in the new curriculum. In November, the Ed Tech team received an in person Class VR training session and explored GYPSD's new Class VR Virtual Reality Goggles.

The grade 5/6 students at Evansview Elementary got to explore that technology with the Makey Makey devices loaned from GYPSD's extensive Ed Tech Digital Lending Library.

The Makey Makey technology turns everyday objects into a touchpad with circuits; an invention kit designed to connect everyday objects to computer keys. Using a circuit board, alligator clips, and a USB cable, the toy uses closed loop electrical signals to send the computer either a keyboard stroke or mouse click signal. The students had playdough to connect

their circuits to. In music class, students played the bongos - discussing tempos and practicing different tempos. They then made a more complicated circuit to play the piano.

Afterward, students had free time to explore different apps like soccer, Etch a Sketch, and pinball!



#### **IMMUNIZATION AND THE HOLIDAYS**

Submitted by Alberta Health Services

This holiday season, Alberta Health Services (AHS) reminds Albertans to stay safe and protect themselves during respiratory virus season. The circulation of respiratory viruses is normally highest in the fall and winter. One of the best ways to do that is getting the influenza and COVID-19 vaccines.

AHS continues to offer influenza and COVID-19 vaccines, free of charge, to all Albertans six months of age and older. Why immunize?

When you get immunized or get a vaccine, it starts your body's natural immune response to a disease. Your body begins to make antibodies that protect you against the disease before you have contact with it. This is the process of becoming immunized or building immunity.

Without a vaccine, your body likely does not have the antibodies to fight many of the diseases that vaccines can prevent. This means you and your family could get very sick.

Getting immunized lets you build immunity against disease before being exposed to it. Immunization helps your body fight the disease faster and can prevent you from getting the disease. It also helps prevent diseases from spreading to others.

Who can get immunized?

AHS offers immunization through public health clinics to:

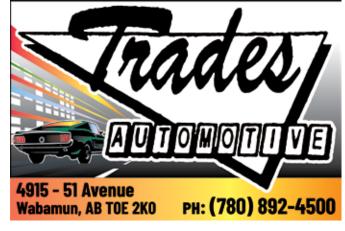
- Children six months of age to under five years of age and their family and household members.
- Individuals who do not have a provincial healthcare number.
- Individuals who live in a community where there are no other immunizing healthcare providers.
- Individuals with booked appointments for other immunizations. Albertans can also get immunized at:
- Local pharmacies.
   Available for Albertans five years of age and older. Check to confirm vaccine availability.
- Doctors' offices. Some doctors are offering influenza and COVID-19 immunizations. Check to confirm vaccine availability.

Spread joy, not germs

There are several ways you can prevent getting sick over the holidays including:

- Washing your hands with warm water and soap or use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer often.
- Covering your cough or sneeze into your arm or a tissue, not your hand.
- Staying home or away from holiday gatherings when you are sick.

When you and your family get immunized with a vaccine, you're protecting yourselves and helping to build your community's protection against diseases. To learn more and to book an appointment, visit ahs.ca/vaccine, call 811, or text 'flu' or 'COVID' to 88111.











Porode STARTS at 6:30PM
Theme: Rustic Christmas. Floats Judged 6:15PM
Big Truck Parking Lot (West of UFA Petroleum)

Selfies with Mr. & Mrs. Claus Main Street After Parade Have your camera's ready to pose.

Edmonton Otlers Wascot Hunter
Main Street 6:00 - 9:00PM
Sponsored by the Mayerthorpe Oilmens

Characters

Olaf & Marshall
Main Street 6:30 - 8:30PM
Hang out with your favorite characters

Free Christmas Train Rides
Pocked Up @ Revall
Main Street After Parade - 9:00PM

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Main Street After Parade - 9:30PM

Organized by Hendrickson Black

Big Waynes Mint Donats
Main Street 6:00 - 9:00PM

PREE Hogrides After Parade - 8:30PM
Pick up by the Co-op sign
Supplied by Cactus Patch Ranch

Lite-Up Cosh Draw 8:30PM @ Bon Fire

1st 45% 2nd 15% 3rd 10%

Keep Your Tickets In a Safe Place

Sarta's Naughty & Nice List

Know someone who has been Naughty or Nice be sure to get them on
Santa's list

Main Street Nov 15 - Dec 15
Organized by Hendrickson Black
Proceeds to Mayerthorpe Public Library

FREE Hot Chocolate 6:00PM - 9:00PM

Main Street

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FREE Flashing Balons for Kids

Main Street 6:30PM

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4 Christmas Turkeys DRAW
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Draw: 8:35PM @ Bon Fire
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#### Hall Rentals

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968-6813

Camp Encounter, Vincent Mireau - Camp Director. director@ campencounter.com. C: 780-504-2012 W: 780-967-

Cherhill Community Assoc. Hall, Kevin 780-785-8153

Darwell Centennial Hall, 780-892-2468

Darwell Seniors, Phone Debra 780-785-2907

Duffield Hall, 892-2425

Entwistle Community League Hall Rentals, Call Barry Osbourne (780) 621-2541

Entwistle Senior's Drop In Centre, Barb 727-2108 or Glennis 727-4367 Mon-Fri

Evansburg Senior's Heritage House, Dennis 727-4186

Evansburg Legion, upper hall 250 people, 727-3879

Fallis Community Hall, Kim/Rick 587-415-8177 Gunn Hall (G.A.R.S.) 780-951-9452

Keephills Hall keephillsrentals@gmail. com (780) 919-6590 keephillshall.com Contact Hayley Butz

Lake Isle Community Hall, PH: 780-892-3121 or Email: lakeislehall@mail.com

Lake Romeo PeaVine Hall, 785-2700

Magnolia Hall, 727-2015

Mackay Community Hall, Darlene 780-795-2350

Manley Goodwill Community Hall, 780-920-3217

Mayerthorpe Diamond Centre, 786-4044

Moon Lake Community Hall, 780-727-2370

Park Court Hall, call or text Karyn 780-712-3918

Parkland Village Community Centre, 780-298-9155 @PVCCentre

Pioneer Centre, Spruce Grove 780-962-5020 or email

Ravine Community Hall, Dawna @ 325-2460

Rich Valley Community Hall, 967-3696 or 967-5710

Rosenthal Community Hall, 963-7984

Seba Beach Pavilion, 780-797-3863

Smithfield Community Hall, 780-717-3714

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Wabamun Jubilee Hall, 780-727-3947.

Wildwood Community Hall, 325-2180 or 780-325-2270

Wildwood Rec Complex 325-2077 or 514-8944

Wildwood Senior's Hall, 325-3787

#### For Rent

Completely renovated Motel in Onoway, AB.

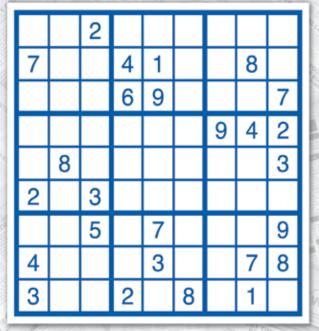


Here's How It Works: Sudoku puzzles are formatted as a 9x9 grid, broken down into nine 3x3 boxes. To solve a sudoku, the numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box. You can figure out the order in which the numbers will appear by using the numeric clues already provided in the boxes. The more numbers you name, the easier it gets

ANSWER:

Like puzzles? Then you'll love sudoku. This mind-bending puzzle will have you hooked from the moment you square off, so sharpen your pencil and put your sudoku savvy to the test!





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offering daily, weekly or monthly rentals. All utilities included, 55 inch tv with Satellite. Double beds, furnished bachelors with full kitchen and furnished 1 bedrooms with full kitchen available. Starting at \$1050 + tax. Please call for viewing, 780-967-4420 www. onowayinnandsuites.com

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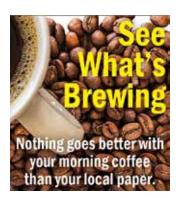
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## OMMUNITY EVEN

If you are a LICENSED, NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION, you are welcome to submit your announcement FREE of charge, space permitting. You are required to submit your non-profit number. Call (780) 962-9228. Please note that all submitted event listings must be limited to 25 characters or less (including spaces). DEADLINE: 12 noon Friday prior to publication (Thursdays on long weekends).

#### **FARMERS MARKETS**

DRAYTON VALLEY: Farmers' Market, Wednesdays starting May 3rd-October 4 from 3:00pm-6:00pm at 5015 Industrial dvagsocietyinfo@gmail.com

EVANSBURG FARMERS MARKET: Every Saturday 10am - 2pm located right beside Evansburg Tipple Museum 780-515-0905

Way-Sept URG: Sat, 10AM-2PM, Tipple Park Museum. Call 727-2240 for tables. \*May-Sept. SPRUCE GROVE: at the Elevator, Sat 10:00-1:00PM, Info (780)288-6174 \*April -

STONY PLAIN: Saturdays, 9AM-1PM, Community Centre Downtown, Stony Plain. Nancy 780-962-3993. \*April - Dec. Wabamun Farmers Market: 12:00 noon on Sunday, July 3. Old Fire Hall (53rd Ave), Wabamun

#### **BINGO**

ENTWISTLE COMM. LEAGUE BINGO: Every Wednesday, Doors Open 6PM.

STONY PLAIN SENIOR'S DROP-IN

CENTRE: public bingo every Tues, 7PM. All
ages welcome. Phone (780) 963-6685

WILDWOOD: 4rd Mon night. 6:30PM, bingo starts 7:30PM, Early Birds & Lucky 7.

WILDWOOD LADIES AID: every 3rd Friday of month, 6:30рм, bingo starts 7:30рм.

#### **MEAT DRAWS**

C.A.N. COMMUNITIES OF ALBERTA NETWORKING FOR SENIORS, Spruce Grove At Pioneer Center. first market March 251 - 5:30pm

Evansburg: Evansburg Legion, Friday 8-10pm & Saturday 3-5pm STONY PLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BR# 256: Saturdays @ 3:00pm.-5:00 pmMeat Draw & 50/50.

Wildwood: Wildwood Legion, Saturday

#### **JAMBOREES**

CARVEL: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of month. \$6 lunch served. Info 780-991-3001
DUFFIELD: Oct 22 \$20, Entertainers \$10. Dinner @ 6pm, late lunch and 50/50. .\*Sept - May. except dec.
DRAYTON VALLEY: Last Sunday of month. Upstairs @ the "55 Rec. Center" Doors at 12PM, Starts at 1PM, 780-542-4378
ENTWISTLE: 3'" Saturday of month, Doors at 1:30PM at Entwistle Community Hall. Contact Verna at 780-716-2304. \*October - May

RAVINE COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION: 1st Sat of each month. Info 780-325-2391 \*Sept - May.

Edmonton Northwest **Center:** 12963 - 120st NW, Every Wed From 1-3:30pm Aug & Sept Admin: \$5 non members \$2 members Yearly membership \$30

SPRUCE GROVE: at Sandhills Community

Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday, 1-5PM. Info Florence 780-962-3104 Margaret 780-962-3051 **\*Sept** 

- June.
STONY PLAIN: Stony Plain Seniors Drop
In Center, 5018 - 51 Ave. Every 1st & 3rd Thurs
of month, 6:30PM, \$2.
TOMAHAWK: Tomahawk Agriplex, 3rd
Friday of month. IPM. to 5PM. Doors open
at noon PH: 780-339-3755. \*Oct - May
WILDWOOD: Wildwood Community Hall,
3rd Widd Each Month, page 375, 2190-375.

3<sup>rd</sup> Wed Each Month, noon 325-2180 325-2270 \*Oct - June.

#### **TOPS** (Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

**ENTWISTLE:** Wed 5 pm weigh-in, meeting to follow. WEE Foodbank building, main street Entwistle, south entrance. Call Jean at 780-270-4648 for more info.

STONY PLAIN: Thurs evening at 5:30PM, Stony Plain Library Susan (780) 968-0869 SPRUCE GROVE: Mon at 4:30pm at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Betty (780)962-3857 **SPRUCE GROVE:** Tues at 6:15PM at Anglican Church, 131 Church Rd. Sharron (780) 962-2722

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SPRUCE GROVE: Wed at 8:45am at Anglican Church, 131 Church Road. Christiane (sp) (780)960-1109

WILDWOOD: Thurs at 10am at Wildwood Hall, Bea (780)727-2129

SANGUDO: Tues 5pm at Sangudo United Church. Toni (780)786-4612

#### YOUR COMMUNITY

ALBERTA PARENTING FOR THE FUTURE ASSOC: Call 963-0549 or visit www.apfa.ca to register. All programs are confidential

Drerick Toastmasters: Serving Drayton Valley and area since 1990 Build Communication, Leadership & Public Speaking Skills Meets 2nd & 4th Wednesday, 7-9pm, Zoom Contact derricktm6538.secretary@gmail.com for

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Arrange for meal preparation through a local restaurant. Call Darlene, 892-2551.

PEMBINA SKATING CLUB (Evansburg Arena), offers Learn-to-Skate, CanSkate & STARSkate. All ages. Call Lisa 727-2729.

\*RUNS Sept-March

PROBLEMS WITH DRUG OR ALCOHOL ADDICTION in a loved one? Contact Drug Rehab Resource for a free confidential consultation. 1-866-649-1594 or www. drugrehabresource.net.

#### **LIBRARY EVENTS**

AFTERNOON BOOK CLUB at Keephills Library. 2nd Tues of every month, 1:30–3:00pm. Visit www.pclibraries.ca for info. FAMILY GAMES NIGHT: 3rd Wed of every month, 6-8PM. Located at Entwistle Library, Duffield Library and Tomahawk Library. In partnership with Parkland School Division. Visit www.pclibraries.ca for more info.

HATCHET CITY READERS at Tomahawk

HATCHET CITY READERS at Tomahawk Library. 3rd Tues of every month, 10-11AM. For what we're reading next, visit our website, www.pclibraries.ca.

INVENTORS CLUB: 2rd Thurs of every month, 3:30-5:00PM at Entwistle Library. 4rh Thurs of every month, 3:30-5:00PM at Tomahawk Library, Ages 8-13. To register: Call the library at 780-339-3935.

SEBA BEACH LIBRARY Seba Beach Book Club is back to being indoors. We meet at 10 AM every 3rd Tuesday of the month. Call us at 780-797-3940 or email sebsbeachlibrary@yrl.ab.ca or follow us sebsbeachlibrary@yrl.ab.ca or follow us

EVANSBURG PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOK **CLUB:** 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs, 7:00Рм Grand Trunk High 727-2030.

#### **SOCIAL EVENTS**

AEROBICS: Low impact, Mon/Wed,11AM-12PM, Wildwood Senior's Centre,\$1/

BREAKFAST SOCIAL: 9:30AM-NOON. Parkland Village Community Centre - 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday. PH: 780.298.9155 Social Media:

COME PLAY CRIB: Fridays, 7:00PM at Darwell Seniors Hall; lite lunch is served.

All ages!

COUNTRY QUILTERS in Stony Plain house a "Sew in Tuesday", 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month, from 10-3PM. Drop in \$5/member, \$6/non-members. Contact Cindy 780-963-7170.

Darwell Public Skating 7-days weel 8am 8pm. more details on Darwellag.com or Faceboook

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**EVANSBURG TIPPLE PARK HISTORICAL** BUILDING TOURS: Wed - Sat, 10:00-

HEALTHY AGING NURSE & FOOT CARE

PERSON, Wabamun Seniors Centre, 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs of month, 9AM.

OPEN HOUSE for socializing, Crib & card playing at Entwistle Senior Center, Thursdays at 6:45pm. Dan 780-982-0553 PARENT & TOT PLAYTIME: PERC Building Stony Plain Wed 10–11AM; Holborn Community Hall Thurs 9:30–11AM; Parkland Village Tues 9:30–11:30AM.

POT LUCK every Tues 12:00PM, Wabamun Seniors Centre. Come on down! SEBA BEACH SENIORS CENTER: Yoga,

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SEBA BEACH QUILIERS & FIBER ARTS: Wednesdays 9:30AM, Seniors Center. SENIORS WEDNESDAY\* AFTERNOON 1-4PM at Parkland Village Community Centre. Games, Crafts & more! Call Sheryl 780.695.7032 \*exceptions incl. Weather.

SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN
INSPERATIONAL CINEMA &
DISCUSSIONS at PERC Building (5413-51
St). 2nd Friday of month at 7PM. Popcorn provided, donations appreciated. Contact 780-940-3032

780-940-3032 SPIRITUAL LIVING STONY PLAIN GATHERING at PERC Building (5413-51 St). Every 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of month. Meditation 10AM, inspirational sharing 10:30AM, PH 780-940-3032

SPRUCE GROVE ELEVATOR TOURS: Tues-Sat, 9-3PM. 960-4600. STONY PLAIN'S 5TH MERIDIAN GOOD

SAMS RV CHAPTER: Ecole Meridian Heights School. 3<sup>rd</sup> Tues of Month, 7PM. Call Pat at 780-963-6976 or Ruth at 780-

ALBERTA WILDLIFF CARVING ASSOCIATION Images of Nature Show, Featuring wildlife carvings,Whitecroft Hall, 314 52313 RR232, Sherwood Park, Saturday Apr.30 2:00 - 5:00 pm, Sunday May 1, 10:00 am - 2:30pm, See beautiful hand carved wildlife sculptures

#### **MEETINGS**

**2<sup>ND</sup> TIMERS:** A support & confidential group for Grandparents Parenting. <sup>1st</sup> Thurs of month, 6:30 рм. Grand Trunk High School (meet in Lobstick Literacy & Learning room). Child care provided at the Evansburg Public Library. 299 ROYAL CANADIAN SEA CADETS

CORPS MACKENZIE: Stony Plain Comm Center, Wed 6:30PM. Youths 12-18, 963-

755 PARKLAND AIR CADETS Thurs, 6:30-9:30PM Muir Lake School, ages 12-18. Info call 405-6585 or www.aircadet.com/755. **AA:** Friday at 8PM, Evansburg. Call 325-2204, 727-2466 or 727-6652.

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AA MEETING: Every Monday night at 8PM, Duffield Mewassin Free Methodist Church, (13km South of Duffield Turnoff at Shell Gas Station on Hwy 16).

AL-ANON: Wed 8PM. Spruce Grove United Church, 1A Fieldstone Drive. 962-5205 Hope and Help for Family and Friends, New Al-Anon meeting in Spruce Grove Wed @ 1lam. 1A Fireldstone Dr Church Library

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE (Evans/Ent):

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7:30PM 3rd Thurs, Heritage House.

C.H.I.L.D. (Citizens Helping In Life's Defence) Please join our Pro-Life meetings once a month in Stony Plain. For info call Chris 963-6997.

CITIZENS ON PATROL: The Pembina

CITIZENS ON PATROL: The Pembina Community Watch Patrol Meets 2nd Thurs of each month at 7:30 PM, at the Tipple Park Museum (4924-48 St.), Evansburg. Contact 780-898-1465 or 780-772-2686.

DARWELL & DISTRICT AG SOCIETY: 7 PM,

1<sup>st</sup> Mon, Community Hall. **DDRA MEETING,** 7:00 pm, 2<sup>nd</sup> Mon, Darwell Centennial Hall 780-892-3099. \*except Jul/Aua/Dec

DRAYTON VALLEY BRANCH OF ALBERTA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY: meets 7PM at Municipal Library (5120-52 St.) every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed of month. Call (780) 542-2787

ENTWISTLE COMMUNITY LEAGUE GENERAL MEETINGS: 2nd Thursday monthly 7:30 PM. \*Except June, July,

ENTWISTLE LIONS CLUB: 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tues, 8pm, Entwistle curling Rink. Jim 727-3573 ENTWISTLE SENIORS 55+ CLUB: Tue &

Fri, 1:30-4:00PM at Entwistle Hall

EVANSBURG SENIOR'S 55+ HERITAGE

HOUSE: 2nd Wed of Month, 7:00PM.

FALLIS COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION: 3rd

Tuesday, 7:00pm.

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Typi, Alberta Beach Council Chambers.

LAKE ISLE HALL COMMUNITY HALL

BOARD MEETINGS: 3rd Wed of each

month @ 7:30PM at the Lake Isle Hall

(Hwy 633 and RR55) Ph #780-892-3121

LAKE ISLE MULTI 4-H GENERAL MEETINGS: 1st Thurs of each month @ 630PM @ Lake Isle Hall. Contact 780-242-

LOBSTICK 4-H BEEF & MULTI CLUB: 1st Mon, Evansburg Arena, 7PM, Shannon

LOBSTICK GARDEN CLUB: 1st Tues, 6:30PM at Tipple Park Museum, Clara (780) 399-2205

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MACKAY COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION:
7pm on Wednesday, February 16, 2022 at
MacKay Community Hall

MAGNOLIA BOARD MEETINGS: 1st
Tuesday of month, 7pm at Magnolia
Community Hall.

MEN FOR SOBRIETY: Wednesdays at

7:30pm, FCSS Building (#105, 505 Queen Street, Spruce Grove). Mike (780) 965-9991. MS SOCIETY DRAYTON VALLEY MS SOCIETY DRAYTON VALLEY COMMUNITY GROUP meets 1st Tues of month, 6-8pm at Norquest College. Terra Leslie, 1-403-346-0290. \*Sept-June MS SOCIETY PARKLAND COMMUNITY

MS SOCIETY PARKLAND COMMUNITY SUPPORT GROUP: Are you diagnosed with MS and have questions? Last Tues of month, 7-9PM, Westview Health Centre. Contact Cassy 780-471-3034

NA MEETING: Tuesdays, 7:00PM. 514-6011

PEMBINA PORCUPINES - JUNIOR FOREST WARDENS: Entwistle Porcupine at the program of the program of

gathering: 7PM, 1st Tue. Len & Tineke at 727-2020. Porcupines@yellowheadjfw.ca SOLVE: Community Enviro issues discussed at Smithfield Hall (N of Hwy 16 on RR34). 2nd Thursday. Jana 892-0006 STONY PLAIN FISH & CAME ASSOCIATION & WABAMUN GUN CLUB:

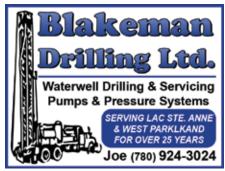
<sup>nd</sup> Mon, Stony Plain Comm Center, 7.50PM.
SUNDOWNERS TOASTMASTER CLUB:
Mon (excl. Holidays) 7:30-9:30PM. St.
Matthew's Church, Spruce Grove. Judy

TOMAHAWK SENIORS (50+) meets every

W.E.E COMMUNITY FOOD BANK: Call (780) 727-4043 for emergency food needs. Monthly Meeting: LAST Monday of needs. Monthly Meeting: LAST Monday of month at 7:00pm at the Food Bank (Old fire hall in Entwistle). \*Except December WILDWOOD & DIST AG SOCIETY: 2nd Wed of each month 7:00pm at the Wildwood Complex. Wilma 325-2424 WILDWOOD & DIST ROD & GUN CLUB: 2nd Thursday, 7:30pm at the range clubbuse, wildwardschander und gegenal.

clubhouse, wildwoodrodandgun@gmail.

WILDWOOD SENIORS: 4th Wednesday at 2:00pm. Contact Vivian 780 325 2296 \*No meeting July/Aug/Dec. Page 14 **Community VOICE** Novemeber 29, 2023



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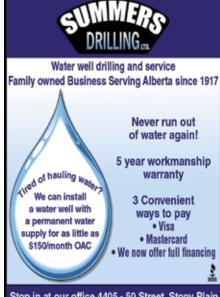




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