

Welcome to St Paul Regional FCSS Interagency. We promote the free exchange of information, concerns and solutions among human service organizations in our community. We will act as a body to facilitate collaboration among members with common goals.

NEXT MEETING 10am-11am

Tues, March 12th in St Paul

780-645-5311 5002-51 Ave, St Paul

Mon, Feb 12th in **Elk Point**

780-72-3800 4906-48 St, Elk Point





Prevention & Awareness

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- P9... Urban Poling
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For Your Development

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- P74... Sexual Misconduct Support Group

Ways to Connect P75... SPYC Let's Bowl

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TOWN OF **ST. PAUL** A People Kind of Place

2024

St. Paul

Celebrate Family **February 15-19th!** Family friendly activities all weekend long.

Thursday, February 15th -FCSS \$2 Pancake Dinner & Family Fun 5:00-7:00pm @ Rec Centre

4802-53 St, St Paul

Thursday, February 15th -FCSS Penguin Hunt

3:30-5:30pm @ Elk Point FCSS Office 4906-48 St, Elk Point Pick up a game sheet at St Paul Regional FCSS Elk Point office. Find the 15 named penguins around town & return your sheet to FCSS for a chance to win a family prize pack.

Friday, February 16th -Family Curling

6:00-8:00pm @ St Paul Curling Club 4802-53 St, St Paul Mandatory clean indoor shoes, equipment provided.

Saturday, February 17th

-\$3/Game Bowling 11:00-1:00pm @ Parellel Lanes 4906-49th Ave, St Paul -\$3 Public Swimming 1:00-4:00pm @ St Paul Aquatic Centre 4702-53rd St, St Paul -St Paul Lions Club Cookies & Coffee 2:00-4:00pm @ Lions Park Corner of 49 St & 50 Ave, St Paul -St Lina Ag Society Family Dance 6:00-8:30pm @ St Lina Community Hall 200 10326 TWP 614, St Lina Entrance Fee by Donation.

All events are **FREE** unless priced.

Thanks to all our Partners & Volunteers Some events may be cancelled due to weather. Watch social media for updates.



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Sunday, February 18th

-Tobogganing Lagasse Park Hill 44th St & Lakeshore Dr, St Paul -\$3 Public Swimming 1:00-4:00pm @ St Paul Aquatic Centre 4702-53rd St, St Paul -Town of St Paul Family Movies 4:30pm @ Elite Theatre, The Flintstones & Ferris Bueller's Day off 4938-50 Ave, St Paul Concession available.

Monday, February 19th

-Family Day Fish Derby **St Paul Fish & Game Association** 10:00-4:00pm @ St Paul Trout Pond 4012-53 Ave. St Paul **Prizes Awarded! No license required for** Family Day weekend. -Family Skating 12:00-2:00pm @ Clancy Richard Arena 5306-48 Ave, St Paul -Shinny Hockey 12:00-2:00pm @ Cap Arena 5314-48 Ave, St Paul -Wild West Skijoring - Postponed 1:00pm @ St Paul AG Corral 5322-48 Ave, St Paul -\$3 Public Swimming 1:00-4:00pm @ St Paul Aquatic Centre 4702-53rd St, St Paul -ELK POINT Family Fun 11:00am-2:00pm @ AG Ross Arena 5326-51 St, Elk Point Public Skating, Hot Dogs, Hot Drinks & Games.





St. Paul

Celebrate Family!

Join us Thursday February 15 at 5 PM for a delicious pancake meal, as we kick off the Family Day long weekend Shiverfest events.

There will be bouncy houses, big games, temporary tattoos and more.

Bring your friends and family as we come together to connect with each other and the community.

Thursday Feb 15 , 2024 5PM-7PM

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St Paul Rec Centre

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YOUTH DROP-IN

MONDAY -FRIDAY

() 3:30PM-5:30PM

FCSS 5002-51 AVE Use the SPYC Door

Calling all teenage dynamos

Ages 13-18, we want YOU!

Swing by and join the party of diverse programs. Chill, study, explore resources, munch on snacks, or simply drop in to say hello! Don't miss out on this hot spot!

FCSSyouth@town.stpaul.ab.ca

780-614-1941

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Explore our programming on Facebook and Instagram!



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2024 YOUTH DROP IN February

HOSTED IN St Paul 5002 - 51 Ave Use the SPYC Door 3:30pm - 5:30pm

MON	TUE	WED	тни	FRI
29 Peer Tutoring & Board Games	30 Book Club START The Taz By Eileen Schuh	31 Bullet Journals	1 Board Games & Ice breakers	2 Movie Night & POPCORN!
5 Indigenous Ted Talk with Jan Tailfeather Bannock Snack!	6 Trivia Night	7 Yoga with Elevate Health & Wellness	8 Nintendo Switch Games & Board Games	9 SPYC EVENT \$5 Bowling @ Parallel Lanes
12 Resume Building with Employment Alberta	13 Cooking Class ~ Personal Pizzas	14 Therapy Dog & Healthy Communication In Relationships with The Dragonfly Center	15 FCSS EVENT Shiverfest Pancake Dinner in PJs @ Rec Center 5-7PM	16 Movie Night & POPCORN!
19 CLOSED for FAMILY DAY	20 Learners Education Peer Studying	21 Therapy Dog & Mental Health Talk with Christina Stolth	22 Nutritionist Talk with Jessica Dugan	23 Craft Night
26 What it's like to be a fire fighter with Henry Thomson	27 Book Club END Discussion	28 Vision Boards & Talking Circle	29 Peer Studying & Board Games	1 Movie Night & POPCORN!



If you're 13 to 18, check this out: No need to book, FREE snacks, come and go as you please. We've got you covered! Come chill out, chat, or sneak in a study session. See you soon!

Call: 780-645-5311 Text: 780-614-1941

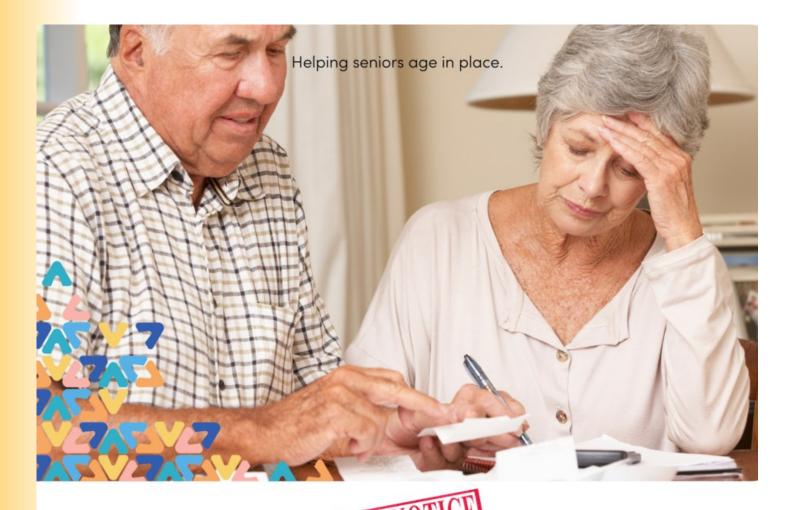
Email: FCSSyouth@town.stpaul.ab.ca Web: stpaulfcss.ca

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Financial Support is available.

Are you aged 64 yrs+? Do you live in your own home? Do you have an UNPAID bill?

Connect with us! We can help.

We will pay your service provider directly for any or a combination of the following bills: water, heat, gas, property tax, telephone, internet, cable, cell phone, home insurance, dental work, car insurance and more.

> Some restrictions apply. Call for details.

February Monday - Friday 8:30AM-4:30PM

BY APPOINTMENT Call 780-645-5311

This is a temporary government grant. Don't wait, act NOW.





Funded in part by the Government of Canada's New Horizons for Seniors Program



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2024 St Paul Meeting Dates:

January 9th March 12th May 14th Sept 10th Nov 12th

2024 Elk Point Meeting Dates:

Feb 12th April 8th June 10th October 7th Dec 9th Mondays In Elk Point 4906A-48 Street

Tuesdays In St Paul 5002-51 Ave

10AM - 11AM Call 780-645-5311 for more info.

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St. Paul Regional Family and Community Support Services





Find our group on facebook, scan the QR.

St Paul Men, Let's Talk

Come out for casual, open conversation.

Meet other like minded men to chat about whatever is on your mind.

Learn, grow, share & connect.

Meeting once a month on the 3rd Tuesday of each month. Facilitated to men, by men.

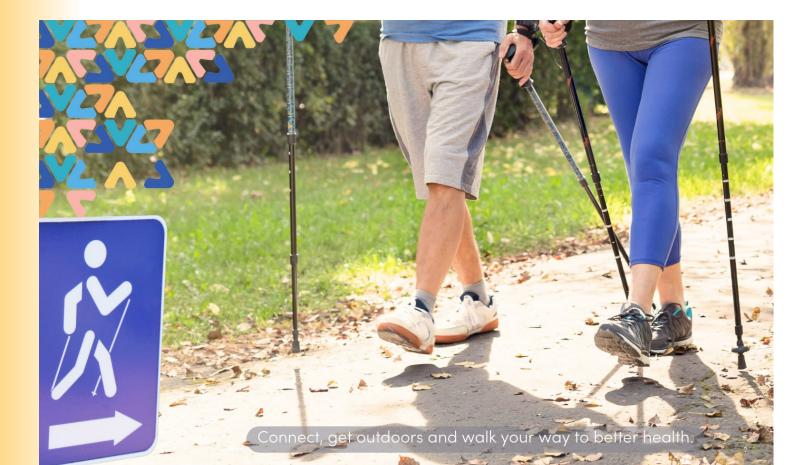
Tuesday February 20, 2024 7:30 PM @FCSS Boardroom, 5002-51 Ave, St Paul.

Call 780-933-6468 or 587-252-2034 for more info & to connect.





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BENEFITS

WEIGHT MANAGEMENT

burns up to 46% more calories then regular walkin**g**

BALANCE

improve balance and confidence for walking with four points of contact

OFF LOADING

takes stress off painful hip

and knee joints CORE STRENGTHENING

1000 ab contractions

per 1000 steps

FULL BODY WORKOUT

uses all your body muscles
WALKING

you can walk more, faster and further **POSTURE**

promotes an upright posture

CARDIO

25% more of a cardiovascular workout compared to walking alone

URBANPOLING Wednesdays Starting Feb 7



1:30PM @ FCSS (5002-51 Ave, St Paul)

REGISTER Call 780-645-5311





PINK SHIRT DAYCANADAFEB 28, 2

The Pink Shirt Day Story

In 2007, Berwick Nova Scotia, after a new student at their school was bullied for wearing a pink shirt, two grade 12 students bought 50 pink shirts and encouraged their classmates to wear pink. The next day they went to distribute the shirts and to their surprise the majority of students arrived wearing pink! With that act of kindness, Pink Shirt Day was born.

In recognition of the Berwick event, Nova Scotia proclaimed the second Thursday of September "Stand Up Against Bullying Day." In 2008, British Columbia proclaimed February 27th to be the provincial anti-bullying day, and the movement has continued to grow. In 2012, the United Nations declared May 4 as Anti-Bullying Day, and now the last Wednesday each February is Canada's national Pink Shirt/anti-bullying day.

Many countries now recognize specific days for raising awareness about the prevention of bullying and promoting kindness and inclusion. In Canada, many students have heard the Pink Shirt Day message from kindergarten through to their high school graduation. The movement continues to grow.





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KIDS HELP PHONE 1-800-668-6868

KIDS HELP TEXT text connect to 686868

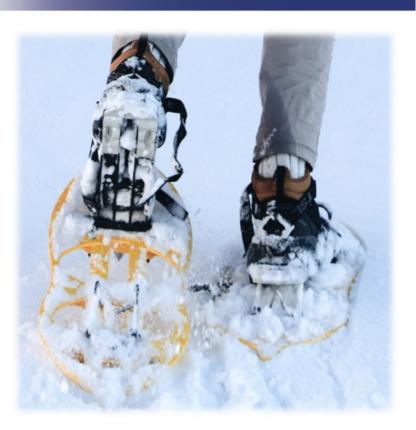






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Wednesday February 7, 2024



Open the door



Get more active outdoors this winter.

@WinterWalkDay #WinterWalkDay

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Wednesday, February 7, 2024

Frequently Asked Questions

About

What is Winter Walk Day's history? Who runs Winter Walk Day provincially?

Participation

How do I register? Do I have to register to participate? Is there any specified amount of time that we have to walk?

Can I register myself or other people even if we/they don't walk outside?

Event Organization

Are the logo, posters and other templates free to use? Is there funding or giveaways available to support event organizers?How is Winter Walk Day being promoted across the province?



Got other questions? Email us at lesley@shapeab.com

What is Winter Walk Day's history?

WinterActive, a federal government sponsored program, spurred the creation of Alberta's Winter Walk Day in 2006. The goal of the event is to get more Albertans physically active outdoors during the winter. WinterActive no longer exists but Winter Walk Day is still going strong, with more than 28,000 communities, 120,000 schools and 140,000 participated in last year's event.

Who runs Winter Walk Day provincially?

A partnership of seven provincial organizations oversee Winter Walk Day. SHAPE manages the website, social media and registration on behalf of the group. Members_include:

- Government of Alberta
- SHAPE (Save Healthy Active People Everywhere)
- Fitness Alberta
- Alberta Recreation and Parks Association
- Ever Active Schools
- Alberta Blue Cross
- Alberta Motor Association

How do I register?

Go to winterwalkday.ca\register

Can I register myself or other people even if we/they don't walk outside?

Yes, but in the spirit of the day we would prefer that an effort be made to walk outside for a least a portion of the time.



Get social with us:

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Helping people makes our world a better place!

If you see a Snow Angels sign, please be kind and shovel this persons' walkway, they are unable to do it themselves.





If you **need** a sign, visit one of our offices. If you **lend a hand**, let us know, we love to celebrate volunteers.

780-645-5311 5002-51 Ave, St Paul

780-724-3800 4906A-48 St, Elk Point Promoting overall well-being.

\$160 for all 16 weeks

\$15 /Class Drop in Wear Comfortable clothing & bring a water bottle.

Michelle Janzen MJMY.therapy@gmail.com 780-871-3355 Massage - Yaga - Myofascial Cupping



Chair Yoga 5:30PM-6:15PM Flow Yoga 7:00PM-7:45PM

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COMMUNITY HALL

Call Michelle @ 780-871-3355



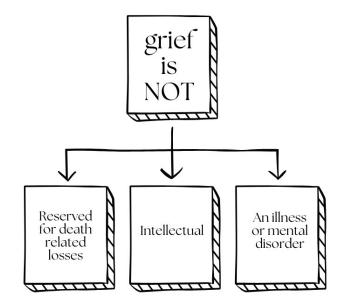




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"Journeying through Grief"

Grief is different for *everyone*, it doesn't follow stages or timelines and it doesn't go away. Join us for a FREE workshop as we explore tools & supports available to help you on your individual grief journeys.



Monday Feb 26, 2023 7PM-9PM FREE TO REGISTER Call 780-645-5311

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Helping low income individuals, families & seniors complete their BASIC tax returns.



Need HELP with your TAXES? We can help!

Are you eligible?

Do you have a MODEST INCOME

(single income under \$35,000 or family income under \$45,000*) *Threshold increases \$2500/child for family income. AND a simple tax situation? If YES, we can help.

What is the next step?

Once you have ALL your tax documents visit us at FCSS with your papers & valid identification.

Mar 1 - April 30 8:30AM -4:30PM

we close for lunch 12:30pm-1:30pm



In St Paul Call 780-645-5311 In Elk Point Call 780-724-3800





Building resilience through sharing and learning.

Rainbows

Join us in this fun, interactive 7 week program for youth aged 10–12. Get tools, knowledge, and skills to practice self-care and learn healthy ways to cope when life seems overwhelming.

Sessions assist with Adverse Childhood Experience's (ACE's) like death, separation/divorce, significate illness, deployment, incarceration and immigration.

rainbows.ca

starting March 7 for ages 10-12 years

4PM-5PM Elk Point FCSS, 4906 A 48 Street

FREE TO REGISTER Call 780-724-3800







Connecting & learning through play.

Join us with your little ones as we explore educational toys, play with others & learn new experiences through story time, singing & crafts. Mothers, fathers, grandparents & caregivers are all welcome.



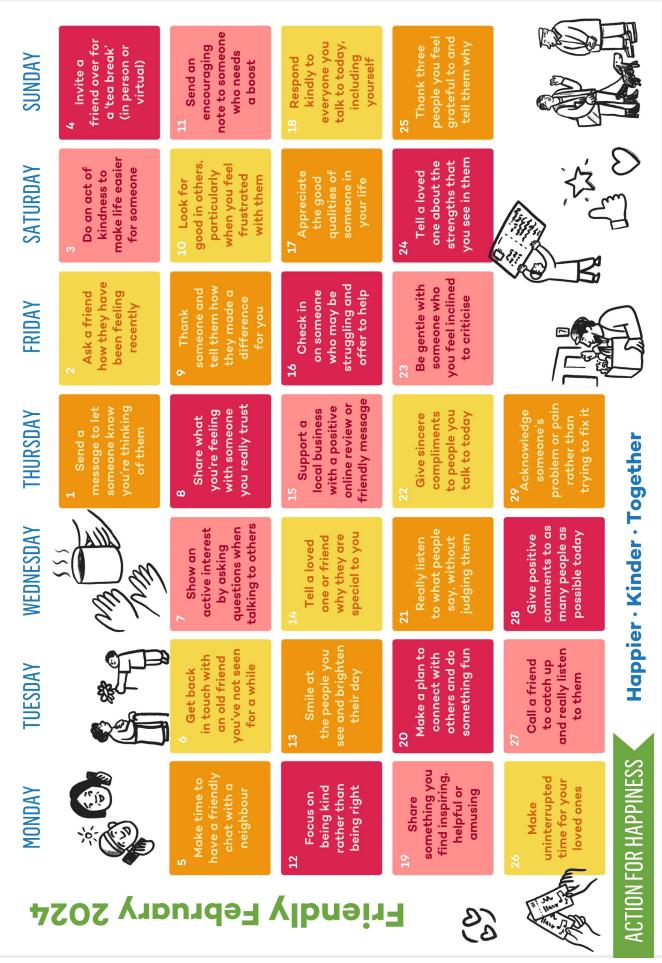


Mallaig Tuesdays 9:30AM-11:30AM @ Mallaig Seniors Hall

Ashmont Thursdays 9:30AM-11:30AM @ Ashmont Agriplex

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THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS IN LIFE ARE THE CONNECTIONS YOU MAKE WITH OTHERS. TOM FORD	SATURDAY	3 Surprise someone with a small, unexpected act of kindness.	10	Practice patience and understanding when someone is going through a challenging time.	17	Establish and maintain traditions or rituals with people you love.	24	Be fully present when spending time with someone, without distractions.		ORK.
THE MOST I IN LIFE ARE YOU I	FRIDAY	2 Start conversations by asking how someone's day was and actively engaging in their response.	6	Be quick to apologize when you are wrong and forgive when others make mistakes.	16	Prepare and share a meal together.	23	Celebrate not only personal milestones but also the small victories and moments of joy.		YOUR NETW
	THURSDAY	1 Practice active listening when in conversation, showing genuine interest in what the other person is saying.	00	Encourage and support the pursuit of the goals and aspirations of your loved ones.	15	Volunteer for a cause you care about, strengthening bonds through shared experiences.	22	Share your interests and hobbies and invite people to experience them with you.	29	Maintain regular contact, even if it's a quick text or call to check in and say hello.
2024	WEDNESDAY		7	Give sincere compliments to the people with whom you interact.	14	Celebrate the achievements, big or small, of the people in your life.	21	Send a heartfelt message or letter expressing your feelings and appreciation.	28	Encourage and support others' passions, even if you don't share the same interests.
AR	TUESDAY		9	Take the initiative to make plans and spend quality time together.	13	Have open, honest conversations about your feelings and concerns, and encourage others to do the same.	20	Give people the benefit of the doubt rather than assuming negative intentions.	27	Provide constructive feedback with kindness and consideration.
FEBRUA	MONDAY		5	Offer your assistance when someone is in need, whether it's moving, running errands, or a simple task.	12	Send handwritten thank-you notes for acts of kindness and generosity.	19	Respect and embrace the differences in other's perspectives and lifestyles.	26	Be punctual and respect time when making plans.
	SUNDAY		4	Make an effort to remember and acknowledge birthdays.	11	Express gratitude for the people in your life, highlighting what you appreciate about them.	18	Show empathy and understanding, especially when someone is going through a tough time.	25	Understand and cater to the love languages of the people you care about.

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26 Read & Roll 10am – 11am @ the Library REGISTER	27 Mallaig Tot Time 9:30am-11:30am DROP IN	28 Kids in the Kitchen 3:30pm-5:30pm REGISTER Solo Parenting Support Group 6:30pm-7:30pm REGISTER	29 Ashmont Tot Time 9:30am-11:30am DROP IN Baby Bunch Tummy Time Activities 1:30pm – 3:30pm DROP IN Run, Jump, Skip 6pm – 7:30pm DROP IN	hdppy? Valentine's Valentine's

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First come first served.

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PD Day Youth Program

Friday 2 February 2 9am - 3:30pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 780-645-5311

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Connect with us for more information. Call **780-645-5311** or visit our website at **stpaulfcss.ca** Providing services and support for ages 0-18yrs, parents and caregivers.

This program is for working parents who do not have childcare available.

> Must bring their own nut free snacks & lunch.



ACFA Gym 4617-50 Ave

Encouraging gross motor development, sharing and taking turns while being active and having fun!

Run, Jump, Skip

Tuesday 06 February 06 10am-12pm DROP IN 780-645-5311

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Teaching children healthy nutrition practices, kitchen safety and safe food handling in a fun manner. Kids in the Kitchen 4 week program

February 07, 14, 21, 28 3:30pm - 5:30pm

CALL TO REGISTER 780-645-5311

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This four week program is an

introduction to kitchen safety, food handling, nutrition and cooking. Join peers to create meals and participate in fun activities.



- -the responsibility of staying alone
- -basic safety tips
- -fire safety
- -simple first aid
- -what to do in case of an emergency

*Participants must be at least 8 years old *15 spaces available

\$25 REGISTRATION FEE



This course is for young people who are beginning to stay home alone.

Home Alone Course

Thursday 8 February 8 3:30pm-5:30pm

TO REGISTER CALL CHARLENE 780-635-3858

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Positive parenting is an approach to parenting that aims to help children develop well and manage children's behavior in a constructive and non-hurtful way. It is based on building good relationships with children and using positive strategies to help children develop. Children who grow up with positive parenting are likely to develop their skills and feel good about themselves.

BAREGIVERS LFRN St Paul 5002-51 Ave

Building a toolbox of ideas for parents to use to be a more confident, calm positive, parent.

Triple P Primary Care

Friday 09 February 09 10am-11:30am

CALL TO REGISTER 780-645-5311



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IN St Paul 5002-51 Ave

Helping promote healthy family relationships.

Rhymes that Bind

Tuesday February **10am–12pm** DROP IN 780–645–5311



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Join us in creating a Valentine's craft and visiting with the Seniors at Sunnyside Manor.

AGES 0-6 Sunnyside Manor, 4522 47 Ave

Promoting intergenerational and community connection.

Valentine Craft at Sunnyside Manor Wednesday February 14

10am-11:30am CALL TO REGISTER

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YOUTH 7+

Motivates, promotes & encourages learning in a variety of ways.

Youth Board Games

Friday 16 February 16 10am-12pm

CALL TO REGISTER 780-645-5311

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Join us in making some tasty traditional Bannock

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Learn about the Indigenous Culture through stories, interactive play & crafts.

Traditional Teachin with Jan Tailfeathers

Tuesday 20 February 10am-11:30am CALL TO REGISTER

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Bannock

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Connect with friends and learn a new game.

Dungeons & Dragons

Wednesday 21 February 21 6pm-8pm CALL TO REGISTER 780-645-5311

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Get your car seat checked by a certified technician.

Learn how to properly install your child's car seat or booster seat.

Find out if it's time for a change.

BAREGIVERS LFRN St Paul 5002-51 Ave

When used correctly, child safety seats can reduce the risk of fatal injury by 71% & the risk of serious injury by 67%

Car Seat Check

Friday February **23 10am–12pm** CALL TO REGISTER 780–645–5311



St. John Ambulance



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BAREGIVERS LFRN St Paul 5002-51 Ave

Improving parenting skills, gaining selfesteem and creating a community.

Solo Parenting Support Group

Wednesday 28 February 28 6:30pm-7:30pm CALL TO REGISTER

TREE 780-645-5311

available upon request.

Childcare

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ACFA Gym 4617-50 Ave

Encouraging gross motor development, sharing and taking turns while being active and having fun!

evening Run, Jump, Skip

Thursday **29** February **29 6pm-7:30pm** DROP IN 780-645-5311

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February Events

- 1 Baby Rhyme Time
- 8 Valentine Craft
- 15 Baby Board Books
- 22 Sensory Play
- **29** Tummy Time Activities

Come connect with us & other families while learning about child development & parenting.

Look for **Baby Bunch Sessions.** Professionals come in to discuss topics related to your child's age.

0-18 MONTHS LFRN St Paul 5002-51 Ave

Baby Bunch Thursdays 1:30pm



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Lakeland FAMILY RESOURCE NETWORK **4906 - 48 St** Elk Point AB TOA 1A0 Call: 780-724-3800 Text: 780-614-1941 Web: stpaulfcss.ca

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AGES 0-6 FRN Elk Point 4906-48 St

Helping promote healthy family relationships.

Valentine Crafts



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A program designed to help parents and caregivers become more aware of children's stress. We will teach you effective strategies to help your child manage stress.

CAREGUVERS Elk Point LFRN 4906 48 ST

Kids Have Stress Too

Monday 05 February 05 2pm-3pm CALL TO REGISTER 780-724-3800

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FAMILY RESOURCE NETWORK





YOUTH 7+ FRN Elk Point 4906-48 St

Motivates, promotes & encourages learning in a variety of ways.

Board Games Play

Thursday 15 February 15 2pm-3:30pm

FREE DROP IN 780-724-3800

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FAMILY RESOURCE NETWORK



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Building Community Connections

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PENGUIN HUNT

Join us Thursday at 3:30pm for a Penguin Hunt to kick off family day weekend. Have fun with your family and search the town for our penguins who are hiding. Complete the hunt and enter your name into a draw for a family fun prize pack!

Bring your friends and family as we come together to connect with each other and the community

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ROP IN

TO GET STARTED

4906A 48 STREET

3:30-5:30PM

COME BY THE ELK POINT OFFICE

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Help your child explore the world through their senses & encourage their curiosity. They learn through play & **WE** take care of the mess!!



Encouraging sensory development, and helps build social-emotional skills. Icky, Sticky, Messy



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YOUTH 74 4826 Railway Ave, Elk Point

Encouraging leadership and problem solving skills.

Escape Room

Thursday 22 February 22 3:30pm-5:30pm DROP IN



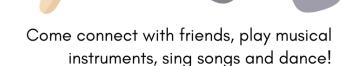
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Singing and making music supports speech & language development, encourages socialization and builds self-esteem. Making Music



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FAMILY RESOURCE NETWORK





Have fun creating a stress ball to help you when you are feeling frustrated and angry.

YOUTH 7+

Learn healthy ways to cope with stress.

Create a Stress Ball

Thursday 29 February 29 3:30pm-5:30pm

CALL TO REGISTER 780-724-3800

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FAMILY RESOURCE NETWORK







STEP St. Paul / Elk Point Economic Development A

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Alberta Advantage Immigration Program

What is the RRS?

The Rural Renewal Stream offers eligible workers an opportunity to immigrate to the STEP (St. Paul and Elk Point) Region* with the formal support of the municipalities and endorsement from the STEP Economic Development Alliance. The program will be used to attract and retain newcomers and support employers to fill vacancies. This will support workforce development by helping employers meet labour demands, expand skilled workforce and support community and economic growth.

Employers must initiate the program by becoming an approved employer, meet a series of criteria and provide a genuine employment opportunity.

* comprised of the County of St. Paul, Town of St. Paul, Town of Elk Point, and Summer Village of Horseshoe Bay

Application Process

Easy-to-follow steps for employers and candidates:

Ĉ	Step 1	Employer Applies to Program with Application Form
	Step 2	Application is Reviewed
	Step 3	If Approved, Employer Submits Job Vacancy to be Posted
B	Step 4	Candidate Applies for Job if they meet AAIP Eligibility requirements
ф.	Step 5	Job is Offered and Accepted
Î	Step 6	Employer Submits Endorsement Letter Application on behalf of Candidate
Q	Step 7	Endorsement Letter Issued to Candidate (copy to Employer)
P	Step 8	Candidate Applies for AAIP Provincial Nomination

Program details, eligibility criteria and forms at stepeconomic development.ca

Learn more about opportunities in the STEP Region and the County of St. Paul. Contact: Linda Sallstrom: Isallstrom@stepeconomicdevelopment.ca STEP (Economic Development Alliance) +1-780-646-2975

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EMPLOYERS

Attract and retain workers to address your labour shortages

WORKERS

A streamlined process to Canadian citizenship and newcomer supports





The Town of St. Paul is conducting a survey to better understand where individuals are accessing and collecting Town information.



Complete the survey and enter your name to win a \$100 Sobeys Gift Card.

Survey Closes: February 29, 2024 at 4:00 pm MST

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COFFEE IS ON US, SO COME ON OUT AND LET US BUY YOU A COFFEE!

COFFEE WITH A COP' BRINGS POLICE OFFICERS AND THE COMMUNITY TOGETHER IN A CASUAL ENVIRONMENT WHERE THEY CAN DISCUSS IMPORTANT ISSUES AND CONNECT ON A PERSONAL LEVEL

LOCATION:DATES & TIMES: JANUARY 30THA&W LOCATED AT2024 BETWEEN 9–10:30 AM4241 50 AVENUE,FEBRUARY 27TH, 2024 BETWEENST PAUL9-10:30 AM

THANK YOU TO A&W FOR SUPPORTING THIS INITIATIVE AND ALLOWING US TO MEET AT THEIR RESTAURANT

Canadian Dental Care Plan

Accessible. Affordable. Essential.



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Eligibility

To qualify, you must:

- be a Canadian resident for tax purposes
- have an adjusted family net income of less than \$90,000
- not have access to employer/ pension-sponsored or private dental insurance
- have filed your tax return in the previous year

The CDCP will help ease financial barriers to accessing oral health care for up to **nine million**

eligible Canadian residents.

How to Apply

CDCP Application Phases		
Group	Applications open	
Invitation to apply by mail		
Seniors aged 87 and above	Starting December 2023	
Seniors aged 77 to 86 years	Starting January 2024	
Seniors aged 72 to 76 years	Starting February 2024	
Seniors aged 70 to 71 years	Starting March 2024	
Application online		
Seniors aged 65 to 69 years	Starting May 2024	
Adults aged 18 to 64 with a valid Disability Tax Credit certificate	Starting June 2024	
Children under 18 years old	Starting June 2024	
All remaining eligible Canadian residents	Starting 2025	



Letters will be sent in phases by age group between December 2023 and March 2024 until all potentially eligible seniors who are 70 years of age or older have been invited to apply for the CDCP.

Canada.ca/dental

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Government Gouvernement of Canada du Canada Oral health is important to your overall health and well-being. Regular visits to an oral health professional reduces the risk of health problems.

In 2022, one in four Canadians reported avoiding visiting an oral health professional due to the cost.

Every Canadian deserves accessible, affordable and essential oral health care.



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Dive deeper at BehindTheHaze.ca



Quitting Smoking Has It's Benefits



Live Longer

Improve Your Health

NOW

Right away

 Air around you, your family, friends and pets is safer

Within minutes

- Your pulse rate drops
- If you're pregnant, you and your baby begin to benefit

HOURS TO DAYS

Within 8 to 12 hours

 Carbon monoxide in your blood goes down allowing more oxygen into your bloodstream

Within 1 to 2 days

- · Your heart is healthier
- · Nicotine in your blood drops to zero
- · Sense of smell and taste improves

1-866-710-QUIT (7848) albertaquits.ca

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More Energy

WEEKS TO MONTHS

Within 2 weeks to 3 months

- Risk of heart attack begins to drop
- Lung function begins to improve

Within 1 to 9 months

- May cough less and be able to breathe easier
- · Risk of lung infection drops

YEARS

After 1 year

 Risk of heart attack is cut in half

In 5 to 10 years

- · Stroke risk is greatly reduced
- Risk of mouth and throat cancer is cut in half
- Risk of many other cancers continues to drop

In 10 to 15 years

 Risk of dying from lung cancer is cut in half

After 15 years

· Risk of heart attack is greatly reduced

After 20 years

 Risk of dying from a heart attack is the same as someone who never smoked



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Adult Education Sessions



These free adult sessions are intended to provide community members with information and strategies regarding addiction and mental health challenges that can affect us all. When topics are presented as a series, participants can attend one or all sessions.

Understanding Anxiety Series Part 1: An Introduction

This session will distinguish between normal worries and anxiety that is no longer helpful or productive and will help participants to identify signs that they or their child/youth may be experiencing anxiety.

Date: Thursday, February 1, 2024 Time: 12:00 – 1:00 pm For adults supporting their own wellness or the wellness of children and youth.

Part 2: Calming Our Bodies

In this session, we will review how the body reacts to stress triggers, ways we can start to notice the body's stress responses, and strategies for regulating ourselves, children, and youth.

Date: Thursday, February 8, 2024

Time: 12:00 – 1:00 pm For adults supporting their own wellness or the wellness of children and youth.

Part 3: Settling Our Minds

In this session, we will look at how anxiety can lead to negative thoughts and thinking traps that can hold us back. Strategies for encouraging more realistic thinking will be discussed.

Date: Thursday, February 15, 2024

Time: 12:00 – 1:00 pm For adults supporting their own wellness or the wellness of children and youth.

Part 4: Overcoming Avoidance

In this session, we will discuss how avoidance of stressors can increase our stress response over time. We will discuss ways to manage stressful situations in steps and effective coping skills.

Date: Thursday, February 22, 2024 Time: 12:00 – 1:00 pm For adults supporting their own wellness or the wellness of children and youth.



AMH Education Services Addiction & Mental Health Edmonton Zone

For more information, visit www.cyfcaregivereducation.ca

January/February 2024

Registration:

Sessions are offered online through the Zoom conferencing application.

A link to access the online session will be sent by email to those who have registered for the session.

To register, click <u>HERE</u> or go to:

www.cyfcaregivereducation.ca

Participant Feedback:

"I like the noon presentation, the length, and videos."

"Very well presented and informative."

"Appreciate the lunch hour workshops and the variety you offer."

"This was a great session. It helped my family talk and understand each other's point of view."

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Substance Use

A Harm Reduction Approach

The experience of substance use is different for each person. Learn about some common substances, the science behind addiction, and the many benefits of harm reduction. We will discuss strategies to support loved ones who may be using substances, through understanding and courageous conversations.

Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2024

Time: 6:00 – 7:30 pm For adults supporting their own wellness or the wellness of a youth (grades 7-12) or loved one, <u>for adults only.</u>

January/February 2024

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Participant Feedback:

"The virtual format is very convenient and makes it much easier to attend these sessions."

"I liked the session format, especially the interactive part as it keeps you focused."

"The fact the facilitators answered questions is extremely beneficial."



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February is Heart Month Learn how to protect yours.





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Alberta Health Services

> Alberta Healthy Living Program

Alberta AND NORTHWEST TERRITORIES

2023-2024 CARE PARTNER SUPPORT GROUPS

All group meetings are on a drop-in basis. No registration is required. For further information please call: 1-866-950-5465 (Alzheimer Society) or 780-645-1188 Ext.2 (Terry Sims - Lakeland Primary Care Network)

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Where: Lakeland Primary Care Network (Boardroom) St. Paul Wellness Centre #101 – 4801 – 39 Street Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm When: 3rd Wednesday of each month Dates: September 20, 2023 October 18, 2023

November 15, 2023

December 20, 2023

January 17, 2024

March 20, 2024

April 17, 2024

May 15, 2024

June 19, 2024

February 21, 2024

ELK POINT

Where: Elk Point Healthcare Centre (Board Room) 5310 – 50 Avenue Time: 6:30 - 8:30 pm When: 3rd Tuesday of each month Dates:

> September 19, 2023 October 17, 2023 November 21, 2023 December 19, 2023 January 16, 2024 February 20, 2024 March 19, 2024 April 16, 2024 May 21, 2024 June 18, 2024

The Care Partner Support Group is designed for family members, friends, & caregivers of someone living with Alzheimer's/Dementia who want to meet others experiencing similar situations with a chance to share experiences, learn new information, receive peer support, and help each other cope more effectively.







Seniors' Centre Without Walls Program Guide January – March 2024

Who are we?

We are a free phone-based program that offers recreational activities, skillbuilding lessons, health and well-being topics, as well as friendly conversation for older adults (55+) who find it difficult to leave their home.

> How do I register? 780-395-2626 (press 1)

How do I join a program?

Please choose one of the following options to join a program:

To join by phone:

1. Call Toll-Free: 1-855-703-8985

 If you are having difficulty accessing the Toll-Free Number try 1-833-955-1088 (toll-free), or 587-328-1099

(charges may apply, contact your phone carrier for more info)

- 2. When prompted, enter Meeting ID: 225-573-6467#
- 3. Press # if asked for any further numbers

To join electronically use the following link: https://zoom.us/j/2255736467

Video will not be used for programs

Who do I call if I have questions or concerns?

Alyssa Program Assistant 780-239-8427 Elizabeth Program Assistant 780-238-9612 Janine Program Assistant 780-231-4393

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Help when you need it.

€ 9-8-8 toll free, 24/7

Suicide Crisis 9-8-8 Helpline 9-8-8: Suicide Crisis Helpline is funded by the Government of Cana You're not alone. 9-8-8 toll free, 24/7**Suicide Crisis** 9-8-8 Helpline 9-8-8: Suicide Crisis Helpline is funded by the Government of Canada



Cyber-Seniors provides **FREE** technology support and training for older adults.



TECH DROP-IN

Come with your questions and we will do their best to answer them. If we think it requires more time we will help you book a one-on-one call. No Charge.

THURSDAYS ONLINE

12:00 - 2:00 PM

To register visit: cyberseniors.org/webinars/

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Working Relationships

Its not about you!

Leadership - An Attitude NOT a Title

- Learn Tools to:
- create dynamic positive
- relationships with your team &
- customers
- avoid unnecessary conflict
- understand yourself & others
- Improve your leadership readiness
- Receive tools to help you coach
- effectively

January 16, 2024



Presented By: Brad Kotowich Focused Leadership Group

Breakfast - 7:30 Session - 8:00am - 11:30am The Landing Hotel and Conference Centre



Register: www.stpaulchamber.ca



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YOU'RE INVITED!!

<u>ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING</u>

February 21, 2024 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Canalta Hotel Meeting Room - St. Paul AB The following positions are open for the 2024 - 2026 Term:

Vice President 2nd Vice President Director X 4 positions

To nominate someone for one of the above positions, please attend the meeting or contact the office to complete a Nomination Form

For more information or if you would like to join virtually, please contact: St. Paul & District Chamber of Commerce 4802 50 Avenue - PO Box 887, St. Paul, AB - TOA 3A0 executivedirector@stpaulchamber.ca Office 780-645-5820 or Cell 780-210-5820 (call/text)

St. Paul & District Chamber For Commerce of Commerce MEMBER MIXER FEBRUARY 15 5:30pm - 7:30pm

Hosted By: Ideal Carpets & Interiors

Don't miss this opportunity to build new/old professional relationships and broaden your network.

Engage in meaningful conversations with fellow businesses.

Learn about upcoming events and plans around the community.

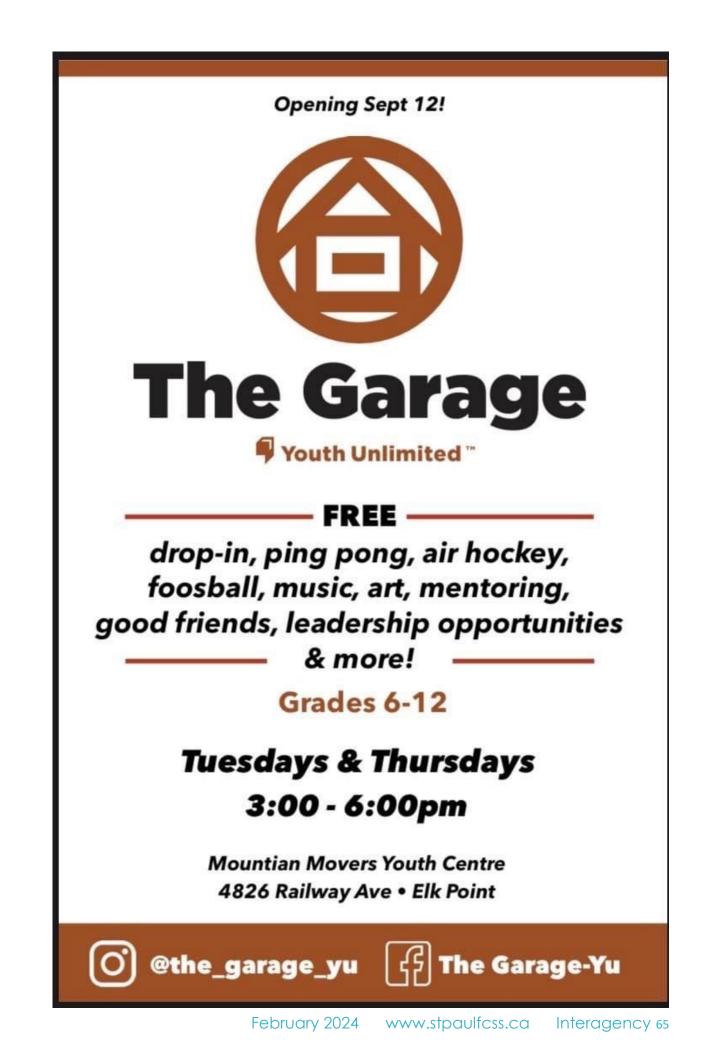
Contact the Chamber if you would like to host a Member Mixer

Please Register at: stpaulchamber.ca/events

Snacks & Beverages Provided



Bi-Monthly Business Networking



Have you hired, or intend to hire Newcomers in your Workplace?

The Rural Development Network is currently recruiting employers to begin training in mid-January 2024.



This project will host six (6) virtual training sessions on topics such as:

The Hiring Process - Part 1

The Hiring Process - Part 2

Inclusive Workplace Policy

Understanding Newcomers in the Workplace

Intercultural Competency and Communication

Newcomer and Indigenous Perspectives

This is a <u>free virtual training program</u> to support your businesses sustainability and address your labour shortages through teaching successful practices for recruitment, hiring and retention of newcomer employees.

Should your organization be interested in this valuable training, please scan the QR Code as your expression of interest. If you would like more information, please contact:.

> Project Manager, Soheila Homayed at <u>soheilah@ruraldevelopment.ca</u>



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Employment Services for Albertans with Disabilities

ARE YOU A JOB SEEKER?

EMPLOYMENT FACILITATORS WORK WITH YOU TO:

- Assess your skills and abilities to develop an action plan to help meet your goals based on your unique needs
- Explore employment, training, further education or self-employment opportunities
- Assist with resumes and cover letters, and provide training to improve interview, networking and job search skills
- Provide information on the current employment opportunities in your community, including the hidden job market
- Provide on-the-job supports
- All services are provided at no cost

Services provided in Athabasca, Barrhead, Bonnyville, Cold Lake, Lac La Biche, St. Paul, Vegreville, and Westlock



Now accepting self-referrals, referrals from community agencies, and Community & Social Services. To access our services, use the EmployAbilities North Referral Form found on the website or scan the QR code.

http://employabilities.ab.ca/referral-forms/employabilities-north-referral/

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Serving the Communities of Bonnyville, Cold Lake, Lac La Biche, St. Paul, Vegreville, Athabasca, Westlock, and Barrhead

Employment & Training Services Provided to Albertans with Disabilities

JOB SEEKERS

Employment Facilitators work with you to:

- Explore your skills and abilities
- Find solutions that meet your unique needs
- Develop a career path
- Assist with resumes and cover letters
- Improve interview, networking, and job search skills
- Provide up-to-date labour market information and links to potential employers
- Empower you to overcome barriers to obtaining and maintaining employment
- Provide on the job supports and short term jobcoaching





EMPLOYERS

We can help you by:

- Referring qualified people with compatible skill sets
- Supporting the interview process
- Conducting job analysis & job carving
- Assisting in the process of accessing work-related devices for individuals with disabilities
- Assisting in establishing job retention strategies andgoals
- Providing awareness workshops, information, and resources on a variety of disabilities
- Supporting your efforts to bring diversity to your workforce
- Developing a workforce that reflects your customer base
- Providing access to a larger labour pool

CONTACT US:

Bonnyville	780-201-6005
Cold Lake	780-594-6244
Lac LaBiche	780-623-1281
St. Paul	780-614-1944
Vegreville	780-603-8182
Athabasca	780-307-7216
Westlock	780-307-7192
Barrhead	780-307-6712





Accessible Legal Advice and Information for Rural Alberta

The Edmonton Community Legal Centre provides free legal advice through 45 minute legal coaching sessions.



Consumer Debt and Foreclosure

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Immigration



CONTACT US ✓ 780 702 1725
✓ intake@eclc.ca

Although ECLC offices are in Edmonton, communications and appointments can all be done by phone/email.



Scan this QR code to learn more about your options with ECLC!



√ 780 702 1725 ✓ intake@eclc.ca

Rural Family Law Help Do you need help with a family law matter?

ECLC offers free 30 to 45-minute legal coaching appointments.

These sessions will give you the information and the confidence to move forward with your legal matter.

We can help with the following:

- □ Parenting and contact
- □ Child and Spousal Support
- Common-law Relationships
- Divorce

- □ Guardianship
- □ Protection Orders
- □ Responding to Divorce
- □ Division of Property

WE ARE UNABLE TO ASSIST WITH CHILD WELFARE MATTERS.

Although ECLC offices are in Edmonton, communications and appointments can all be done by phone/email.



Scan this QR code to fill out a family intake form with ECLC!

EMPLOYMENT SKILLS WORKSHOPS



February 2024 Calendar		
February 7, 2024	Interview Skills	
February 14, 2024	Interview Questions	
February 21, 2024	Employer Expectations	
February 28, 2024	Success in the Workplace	

Lakeland Employment Services is pleased to offer online workshops to ALL Albertans every WEDNESDAY morning at 10:00 AM. These workshops are held via Google Meet. The workshops provide information on a variety of topics related to job search and managing in these unique times.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, OR TO REGISTER FOR ANY OR ALL OF THESE ONLINE SESSIONS, PLEASE CONTACT:

Cold Lake 587-491-2028 or email cbrant@employabilities.ab.ca Bonnyville 780-343-0924 or email rnicoll@employabilities.ab.ca Lac La Biche 780-627-3071 or email rfraser@employabilities.ab.ca St. Paul 780-646-6729 or email ehilligas@employabilities.ab.ca Vegreville 780-631-1471 or email bsutherland@employabilities.ab.ca



Follow the Lakeland Job Club Facebook page for employment information, workshop schedules, and job leads for the Northeast Region

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IN-PERSON Workshops

FEBRUARY WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

- February 7, 2023
- February 14, 2023
- February 21, 2023
- February 28, 2023

Applying On line Interview Skills Communication Skills Skills & Interests

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS - 1:30 PM

4701 50Ave 2nd floor, Northstar Complex **St. Paul 780-646-6729** For more information or to register, please call the Centre or email

ehilligas@employabilities.ab.ca

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Life After Grief & Loss

Finding Your Way Through Change

Free Counselling Program for those who have experienced recent or historical grief & loss

If you are an adult living in our geographical service area and have experienced grief and loss in your life that is causing impact to your well-being, this counselling program may help you. We are offer 5-6 individual counselling sessions free of charge to provide coping skills, a safe place to explore difficult thoughts and emotions, and strategies for managing the individual change process following grief and loss.

These sessions are provided by one of our Master's of Arts in Counselling Psychology Students as they complete their 9 month internship with our agency. All cases are reviewed by the Clinical Supervisor or Clinical Manager for quality care, service, and treatment.

Whether you have experienced a recent loss or a historical loss, this program is available for anyone to register. Please note that there are only a certain number of spots and participants will be chosen on a "first come, first serve basis" as well as on applicability for the program. Please use the link or QR code for more information on the program and to register. You can also call the office and book a time to speak with Natalie (Counsellor) if you have any questions.

Virtual Video, Phone, and In-person (Bonnyville & St. Paul) available

Service Area: Bonnyville, Cold Lake, St. Paul, Lac La Biche, Athabasca, Slave Lake and surrounding rural communities, Nations and Settlements

Grief & Loss Counselling Program Registration Form



Hope & Healing Happens

Toll Free: 1-866-300-4325

Sexual Misconduct in the Military: A Therapeutic Support Group

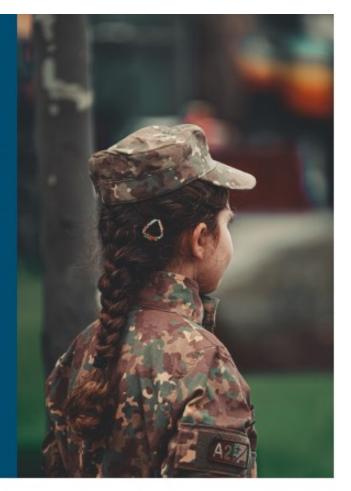
Women's Virtual Support Group

Tuesday's from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Starting January 23, 2024



Dragonfly Centre Sexual Violence Services



Join this 8-week virtual trauma informed women's group to learn about the impact of trauma on the nervous system, develop understanding around how trauma affects the way that we experience our world, and develop practices for restoring a sense of self and wellbeing, following adverse experiences. This women's focused group will incorporate teaching, conversation, and ideas for moving through trauma in an integrated way. By approaching trauma from a nervous system level of understanding, this group intends to hold space for women to feel safe, grounded, and empowered on their healing journey, leaving with insight and daily practices that they can use in every day life. This will be a drop-in group, however pre-registration is required prior to participating

Tuesday's from 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm via Zoom Starting January 23, 2024

*As this group is therapeutic, there is risk for potential triggers and/or emotional dysregulation. We recommend individuals with complex treatment needs utilize individual therapy until stabilized.



Please use the <u>registration link on our website</u> or call the office to inquire. 1-866-300-4325



LET'S BOWL

FRIDAY FEB 9 2023

() 3:45PM -5:45PM

Parellel Lanes 4906 49 Ave St Paul





Your miççion: Leave no pin standing

The St Paul Youth Council invites youth in grades 7-12 to roll with us Friday Feb 9th after school at Parellel Lanes for some bowling fun. Register a team of 6 or as an individual. No experience needed. Limited space, connect with us today.

RSVP 780-645-5311



Raffle License # 671370

Tickets only sold in Alberta

You could win up to 000. 1 ticket

for \$5

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Weekly Winner has an opportunity to draw for the Ace of Spades and win 50% of the progressive pot

Tickets can be purchased by: 1. scan the QR Code 2. www.e-clubhouse.org/sites/stpaulab 3. www.stpaulchamber.ca



Serving a World in Need

Lions Mission:

To empower Lions clubs, volunteers and partners to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities, and support those in need through humanitarian service and grants that impact lives globally, and encourage peace and international understanding.



S.A.G.E HAVEN

Do you identify as a member or ally of the 2SLGBTQ+ Community?

Are you struggling to find resources or to connect with individuals who are having similar challenges and experiences?

Do you feel like your mental health is being affected by current events that are negatively impacting the 2SLGBTQIA+ community?



S.A.G.E (Sex And Gender Equality) Haven is a support group that has been created to serve the people of St. Paul area by hosting support meetings twice a month (one in St. Paul and one in Elk Point).

Attendance and participation in this support group is confidential and we welcome youth, adults and families to access this service.

For more information and to access the date, time and location, please email us at pridestpaul@gmail.com or send us a message on our Facebook: Pride St. Paul - Alberta

Everyone deserves to feel safe and valued in their community



BUILD SOCIAL CAPITAL

WHAT WE DO

People. Planet. Prosperity.

The Village App is a powerful relationship building tool that allows municipalities, organizations and residents to foster real life connections through asks, offers, and events. With a focus on tangible actions, it facilitates resource sharing and service coordination, as residents, local organizations and businesses engage in exchanging, sharing, or donating goods and services, strengthening the local economy while fostering social cohesion and sustainable living.

Municipalities with strong community building initiatives experience a 15% decrease in social issues.



KEY FEATURES



HYPERLOCAL Share location-specific

requests, offers or events.

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COORDINATION

Share resources between other organizations or source from the wider community.

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TROLL-FREE

There's no room for negative comments or crowdsourced opinions.

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INTENTION ECONOMY

Unlike attention-based platforms, there's no maintenance required to retain engagement.

OUR VISION

Be a catalyst for positive change, bridging gaps in resources between individuals, organizations, and municipalities to create vibrant communities that thrive on mutual assistance.





Rural Renewal Stream Program

Community Resource Toolkit Pilot Project

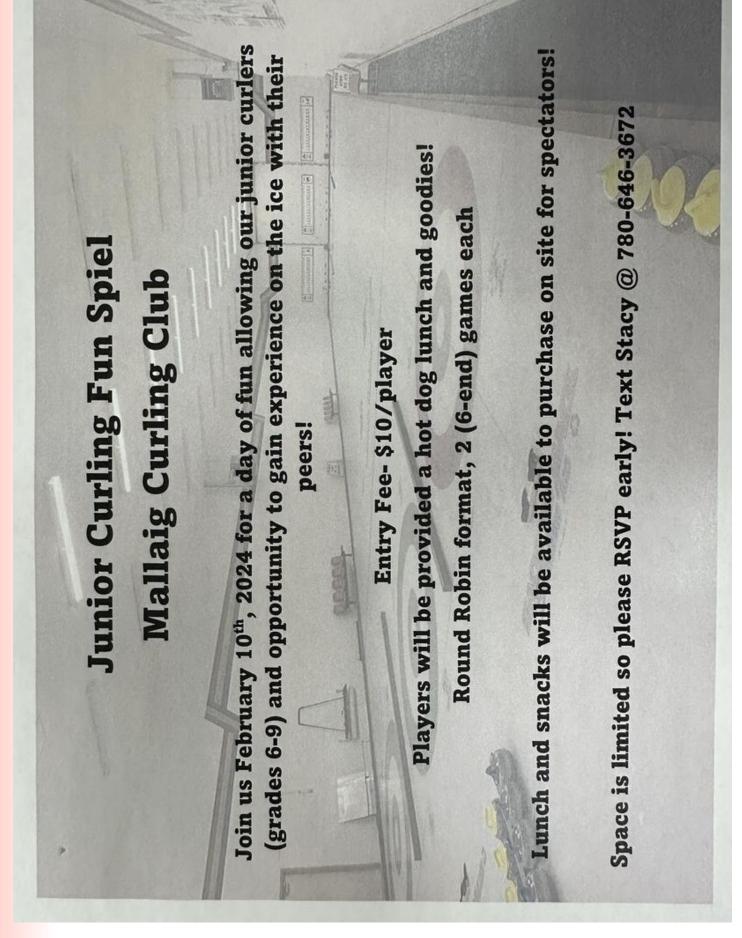
The County of St. Paul, in partnership with the Town of St. Paul, Town of Elk Point, and Summer Village of Horseshoe Bay, is participating in the Alberta's Rural Renewal Stream (RRS) to address labor demands in rural communities. With the support of STEP Economic Development Alliance (STEP), Portage College Community Adult Program (CALP) has hired a Newcomer Support role to help coordinate and direct newcomers to the supports they need.

To support CALP in delivering services to newcomers, the County entered into an agreement with The Village App to conduct a Pilot Project to create a "toolkit" that would help connect those resource providers directly with newcomers. More information will be sent to organizations who have been selected to participate in the pilot.

Contact

Christine Warkentin (CALP) Christine.Warkentin@PortageCollege.ca 780-614-6369. Linda Sallstrom (STEP) Isallstrom@stepeconomicdevelopment.ca 780-645-3301 (ext 1218)

For more information on The Village App, visit www.thevillageapp.co





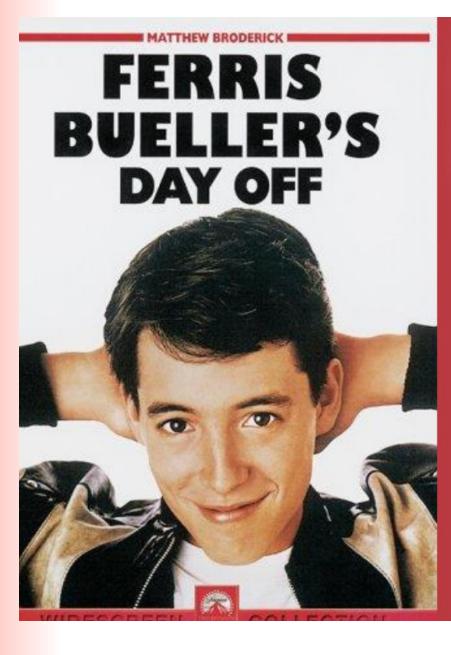
Parent & Tot FREE Skate MONDAYS! 10-11am @ Clancy Arena

Helmets are required

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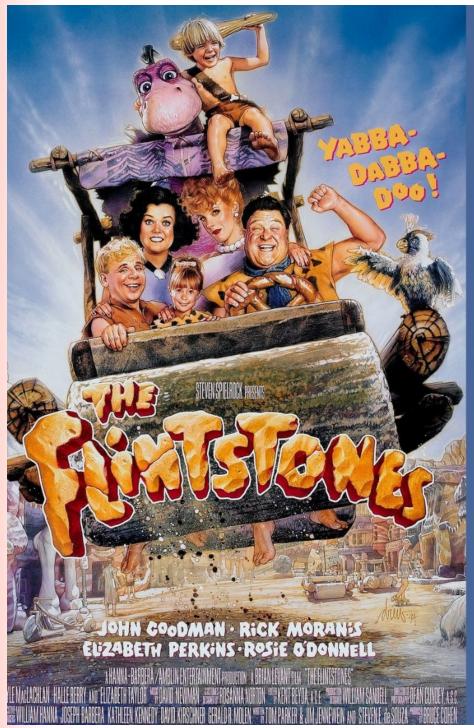
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CONCESSION IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE MOVIE GOER.





sunday feb 18th 4:30pm elite theatre

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Sponsored by the TOWN OF ST. PAUL A People Kind of Place St. Paul Fish & Game



Family Day FISH DERBY

Alphonse Tremblay Memorial MONDAY, FEB 19, 2024

Willie's Pond - St. Paul Trout Pond

in partnership with Town of St. Paul Shiverfest

DERBY TIME: 10 AM - 3 PM PRIZE PRESENTATION: 3:30 - 4 PM

1st, 2nd & 3rd place prized in both YOUTH & ADULT categories



* PRE DRILLED HOLES * FISHING GEAR PROVIDED IF NEEDED * NO LICENSE REQUIRED MONDAY FEB 19

* DOOR PRIZES Sponsored by Warehouse Sports

* HOT CHOCOLATE, COFFEE & HOT DOGS (Limited quantities, while supplies last)

stpaulfishandgame.ca

St. Lina Ag Society Family Dance

Saturday, February 17, 2024



Doors Open @ 6:00 p.m. Supper @ 8:30 p.m.

Everyone Welcome!

Entry Fee By Donation

Raffle Prizes

Proceeds donated to: STARS

For more information or to make a Donation contact Phyllis at 780-614-5886



* FEBRUARY 24TH 1:00 PM * AT THE ST PAUL LIBRARY

SET TO SNOW YOU

COME AND EXPLORE SNOW WITH US. FREE FOR FAMILIES/REGISTRATION REQUIRED

NATURE KIDS ENCOURAGES YOUTH AND THEIR FAMILIES TO OBSERVE, INVESTIGATE AND EXPLORE NATURE. WHILE IT'S GEARED TOWARDS CHILDREN AGES 4-12, ANYONE WITH A SENSE OF CURIOSITY AND CHILDLIKE WONDER CAN LEARN SOMETHING ABOUT NATURE IN ALBERTA.



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10:15am Tuesday January 16th, 23rd, 30th February 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th



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CLOUD SLIME

FEBRUARY 21 3:45-4:45 AGES 6+

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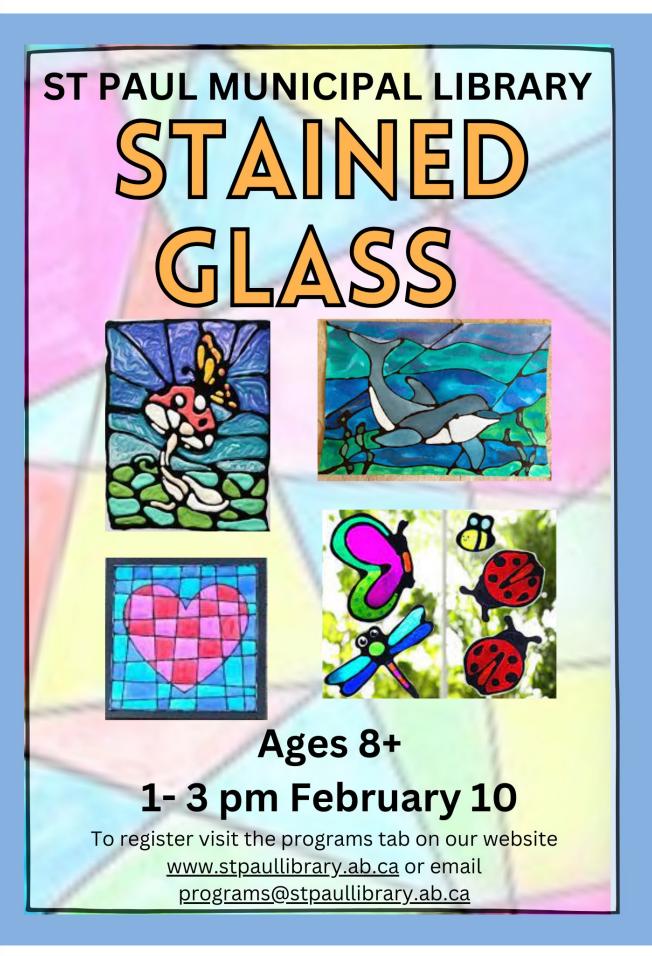
PROGRAM FOR ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES Thursday February 22nd Jpm at the St Paul Municipal Library



OMPANION BNGS

> Free Event Registration Required Limited Space

To register go to our website's registration page at www.stpaullibrary.ab.ca/programs or contact us by email at programs@stpaullibrary.ab.ca



FINANCIAL LITERACY For Teens and Adults THURSDAY FEBRUARY 8TH 5:00 TO 6:30 PM

- Budgeting
- Understanding and Building Credit
- Borrowing and <u>Repaying Debt</u>
- Saving vs Investing

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St Paul Municipal Library

Valentines day heart garland **FEBRUARY 7** 3:45-4:45 AGES 6+

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ST PAUL MUNICIPAL LIBRARY **NIGHT SKY ART**

February 17, 2024. 1-3pm Ages 10+

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Drop in Winter animal craft

Drop by the St. Paul Municipal library between 11:30 and 4:30 to make a cute snow animal

11:30-4:30

Drop in anytime

February 3

All ages welcome, ages under 8 require parent suppervision.



Snowman painting the St Paul Municipal Library

February 27- 3:45-4:45 Ages 8:



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JOIN US TO MAKE A VOLCANO

At the st paul Municipal library. February 8, 3:30-4:45 Ages 8+

Registration required

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