



We were very happy to see the return of River Valley students to the building today, and would like to extend a warm welcome to all new students and their families as well.

As a school community we continue to be highly committed to seeing all students succeed, and know that the foundation of the Chinook's Edge School Division mission statement that focuses on challenging, encouraging and believing in students, is the best way to accomplish this. Academic rigor and strong relationships form the basis for our work, and we are excited to move learning forward in these areas.

If you have any questions or concerns, please connect, and together we can work toward success for all this school year!

Cheers,  
Leslie Cooper  
Principal



September 2  
First Day of School



September 8 & 9  
Picture Days



September 30  
No School  
National Truth &  
Reconciliation Day

## LAND RECOGNITION

We acknowledge that we work, live and play on the ancestral and traditional lands of the Treaty 6 and Treaty 7 nations. We acknowledge the many First Nations, Metis and Inuit whose footsteps have marked these lands for generations. We are grateful for the traditional Knowledge Keepers and Elders who are still with us today and those who have gone before us. We recognize the land as an act of reconciliation and gratitude to those whose territory we reside on.

# **RIVER VALLEY SCHOOL GUIDE**

STUDENT/PARENT INFORMATION

SEPTEMBER 2025

PRINCIPAL: MS. LESLIE COOPER

VICE PRINCIPAL: MRS. TANYA BRAYBROOK

ADMIN SUPPORT: MRS. KAREN OLSON, MS. SONJA LOGAN

TELEPHONE: (403) 638-3939

## **PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE**

On behalf of the staff of River Valley School, I would like to welcome all of you! We hope that our time together this year is an exciting learning adventure for us all.

## **THE PRIMARY PURPOSE OF THE SCHOOL**

Our school strives to help students learn the knowledge and skills necessary for living in today's world. This includes the social skills necessary to build solid relationships with other students and adults. Such skills include co-operation, leadership, a strong concept of self, acceptance of responsibility, and an honest understanding of strengths and areas of challenge. We have a responsibility to help students learn respect for oneself, others and property and to become the citizens that will lead our community in the future.

We never want students to lose the sense of curiosity and wonder that drives us to learn, explore and discover. We wish to help students pursue excellence in order that they can take pride in accomplishments when best effort has been put forth. Each student should experience the pride that comes with having met challenges that are exciting and stimulating.

The following pages include a significant amount of information about River Valley School and the processes that make the school world go-round. Please do take time to read through the information when you are able. It is very important to us that key messages around behavior are clear and consistent for students, staff and families. Staff took significant time this fall to review and come to a consensus on key rules, routines and consequences in order to provide consistency for students. Below you will see a "coles notes" version of some of these aspects that we often find ourselves giving numerous reminders about. We appreciate your support as parents in also reminding your children about some of these expectations, noted on the following page.



## RVS Rules/ Routines - Key Messages

- **Hats & Hoods**
  - \*Can be worn to & from your locker in the morning, and in & out for recess times
  - \*Cannot be worn in classrooms or at Middle School nickel breaks
  - \*Hats are stored in their locker, not in classrooms
- **Phones/ Personal Mobile Devices (cellphones, smartwatches, tablets) -as per the new Ministerial Order\*students are not able to use cellphones/personal mobile devices and social media during the school day, which includes recess, breaks, and field trips.**
  - \*personal devices must be stored out of view and be powered off before entering the building
  - \*students may access devices after the last bell
  - \*students will be responsible for personal devices that are brought to school, and staff will not be providing a secure in-class storage location
- **Energy Drinks** - should not be brought to, or consumed at school
- **Late to Class/ Wandering** - students are to be on time for class or consequences will be in place
- **Hands On/Off**
  - \*Hands off is generally the best rule...but sometimes with consent a “handshake, high 5, or hug” are good ways to physically connect. These options are often coached in primary grades. As we move into Middle School the idea of consent can be trickier to navigate, as often students are not comfortable with a hug etc. from peers but are not confident enough to say so. We have seen an increased desire for many students to connect physically at this age, but also discomfort for others. Hugs between some for example have become extra long, hands here & there and so on. It can become a very ‘gray’ area to navigate. So...at this time we are asking that in Middle School in particular we respect one another’s boundaries through generally a “hands off” approach. High 5s & elaborate handshakes - A- Okay, but no hugs, hand holding and so on. As we move further into the year we may be able to re-negotiate this, particularly after some consent teaching and a gauge on the level of maturity we are seeing amongst students.
  - \*Play fighting is a No. Much of the time this ends up in a real fight
  - \*Deliberate physical aggression/ fighting has significant consequences
- **Vending machine** - no access for any grades during class time
- **Language** - clean, kind, appropriate. Swearing, crude or hurtful language will not be tolerated
- **Vaping** - is illegal, addictive and unhealthy. Significant consequences are in place for possession and/or use at school. This can be a challenging “without a reasonable doubt” offense, as students can find interesting places to conceal them. Continued reports of vaping connected to a student could result in suspension, even if there is no confiscation or admission of use.
- **Defiance & Disrespect** - Following the direction of all adults quickly and quietly helps teaching & learning move forward. If a student has a concern with an adult request they should ask for a quiet moment to speak to the adult to respectfully discuss their concern, recognizing that moment may not be able to happen immediately.
- **Consequences** - where possible we try to develop natural consequences. For example, using your phone when you shouldn’t results in your phone being taken for the remainder of the day, the never-off-your-head hat is stored at the office for the day, swearing = a cleaning duty, and so on. Repeat offenses result in increased consequences. At times, consequences need to be quite significant and can include in-school and out-of school suspensions, and in rare circumstances a move to expulsion. Good school-home communication and similar expectations generally help us avoid getting to serious levels of consequence.

The complete [RVS Information Guide](#)





# IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>1 Labour Day</b>  No Staff No Students	<b>2 Day 1</b>  First Day of School   Kindergarten Orientation	<b>3 Day 2</b>    Kindergarten Orientation	<b>4 Day 3</b> Welcome Back School Open House & School Fair Viewing Concession 5-7PM  Kindergarten Orientation	<b>5 Day 4</b> School Fair Viewing: 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM No Classes / No Students
<b>8 Day 5</b> Km Club Begins Grade 1 to Grade 8  Picture Day: M/W Kindergarten Gr 1 to Gr 8  Subway Orders close online  Growly Opens—more info to come	<b>9 Day 6</b>  Picture Day: T/TH Kindergarten	<b>10 Day 7</b>	<b>11 Day 8</b>	<b>12 Day 1</b>
<b>15 Day 2</b> Pizza Orders Close Online	<b>16 Day 3</b>  School Council 4:00PM	<b>17 Day 4</b> Subway Day  Gr 7-12 CESD Fun Run	<b>18 Day 5</b> Terry Fox Run 10:00AM	<b>19</b> PD Day No Students
<b>22 Day 6</b>	<b>23 Day 7</b> Pizza Day	<b>24 Day 8</b> Gr 7 12 CESD South Div. Run	<b>25 Day 1</b> Dr. Smith Youth Mental Health Clinic by appointment	<b>26 Day 2</b>
<b>29 Day 3</b> Orange Shirt Day	<b>30</b> National Truth and Reconciliation Day No Students No Staff			



# IMPORTANT RE-ENROLMENT UPDATES

You will have received a Re-enrolment email in August. It is integral that we work together to ensure the safety of our children, so please ensure you have updated demographic information through the PowerSchool Parent Portal <https://powerschool.cesd73.ca/public/home.html>

(click on School Engage from the menu on left at the bottom)

**Please note that unless we have legal documentation indicating otherwise, both parents noted on a birth certificate should be included as legal guardians in PowerSchool. If you have a unique situation, please connect with the office staff and they can guide you through this.**

**Picture  
DAY**



**September 8, 2025**

Monday/Wednesday Kindergarten  
Gr 1 to Gr 8

**September 9, 2025**

Tuesday/Thursday Kindergarten  
Gr 1 to Gr 8

## KM CLUB

Starts September 8, 2025  
During lunch recess Gr 1 to Gr 8  
Parents may join their students  
outside at their designated  
recess time

**No Pets Please**







## MOTTO & MASCOT

In our school surveys last year we asked kids and parents about the school motto and mascot, and there was solid data to suggest people would be interested in revitalization in this area, So please stay tuned as we continue to ask for your feedback around this exciting opportunity capture the spirit of our school with an updated Motto and a new name for our beloved Eagle!



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Starting in September 2025, Alberta Education is requiring that all school divisions including Chinook's Edge School Division notify parents about instruction related to subject matter dealing primarily or explicitly with gender identity, sexual orientation or human sexuality.

You can expect that your child's school will provide you with a form appropriate to your child's grade level. This notification provides parents with the option to 'opt in' their child for instruction related to the subject matter.

Please visit the Chinook's Edge website, [here](#), to see the grade level and curricular topics that require you to "opt in".



# WELCOME BACK OPEN HOUSE

**Sept. 4th 5:00 - 7:00**

Please feel free to stop by the school to check out your child's classroom and meet their teacher and Educational Assistant staff next week during the Welcome Back Open House.

This is also the time where registration for many community extra-curricular activities occurs in the community gym, and student work from last year is submitted for the school fair and is up for viewing in the RVS gym. Feel free to make your way that direction following a visit to classrooms. You may also see an information booth about the School Council, and I would encourage you to connect with the folks there. The School/Parent Council provides a great opportunity to be connected to your child's school, and meet once a month to hear all about the RVS goings on and to have a chance to provide feedback from a parent perspective.

**RVS is happy to have a concession table at this event, and all proceeds go to support various school programs and activities**

We hope to see you there!

# GOOGLE CLASSROOM

Stay tuned for information from your child's homeroom teacher on how to access Google Classroom. This is a great tool that allows students to manage ongoing review of challenging concepts or to study for tests, and for parents to see what concepts are being covered each week in class. If students need to be away from school, but are well enough to manage some school work, this is the way to do it :)





# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Your child's success is important!

We want to partner with you to build that success. One key action you can take is helping your child attend school regularly.

Research tells us that when children are in school at least 90% of the time - including in the early years - there is a direct impact on their success in school in all of the grades.

## ATTEND TODAY, ACHIEVE TOMORROW



CHINOOK'S EDGE  
SCHOOL DIVISION

GOOD SCHOOL ATTENDANCE MEANS...



**ELEMENTARY STUDENTS**  
read well by the end of the third grade.



**MIDDLE SCHOOLERS**  
pass important courses



**HIGH SCHOOLERS**  
stay on track for graduation



**UNIVERSITY/ COLLEGE STUDENTS**  
earn their degree



**WORKERS**  
succeed in their jobs

Too many absences—excused or unexcused—can keep students from succeeding in school and in life. How many are too many? 10% of the school year—that's 18 missed days or 2 days a month—can knock students off track.

If your child needs cutlery for their lunch, please send a set to school as we are not able to provide cutlery from the office or Growly - thank you!  
Styrofoam cups for water are also not available, and we would encourage all students to have a reusable water bottle at school for daily use.







## Dear Parents!

Our school has a subscription to TumbleBookLibrary, and your family can access it from home! It's unlimited, and it's FREE for you to use!

TumbleBookLibrary is an online collection of e-books for children in grades K-6. They are a great way to encourage and foster a love of reading with your kids!

There are over 350 animated, talking picture books! The site also features books in Spanish and French, read-along chapter books, graphic novels, and non-fiction books, plus quizzes and puzzles! Use our TumbleSearch to find books by title, author, subject, and Lexile and Accelerated Reader Level.

We hope that you will get the chance to check out the collection with your child! Below is all the information you'll need to login:



**[www.TumbleBookLibrary.com](http://www.TumbleBookLibrary.com)**

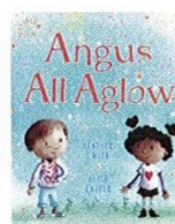
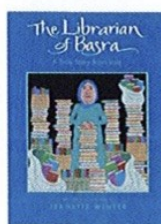
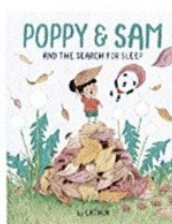
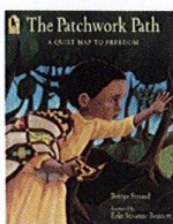
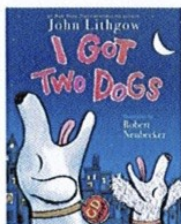
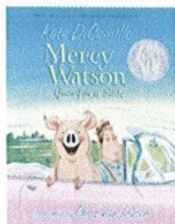
Username: rivervalley

Password: login

Or visit our website for instant access:

You can use your computer or download our TumbleBookLibrary App from the Google Play or Apple App store!

## Happy Tumbling!







Brought to you by Greenwood Neighbourhood Place  
& Sundre Community Support Services (FCSS)

**Greenwood Neighbourhood Place**

Office Hours:  
Tuesday to Wednesday  
8:30 AM to 4:00 PM  
Thursday 9:30 AM-4:00 PM

403-638-1011  
#5, 96-2 Ave NW  
PO Box 1846,  
Sundre AB, T0M 1X0

Email: info@mygnp.org  
www.mygnp.org  
CRA Charity No.  
866369374R0001

Scan for Website Events Page

*You Matter*

World Suicide Prevention Day

September 10

**DEN DAYS - 2025** October 17-19<sup>th</sup> 2025

**CHOOSE YOUR OWN ADVENTURE**

2<sup>nd</sup> Annual DEN Days Youth retreat.  
Guest speaker Ian Tyson.  
Open to youth in Grades 7-12.

**THE DEN SYC.** EST. 2021

\$75 includes:  
Retreat activities,  
2 nights at Camp Evergreen, meals & special edition hoodie!

Thank you to our supporters:  
Central Alberta United Way,  
Sundre & Mountain View County FCSS,  
and the Town of Sundre.

Greenwood Neighbourhood Place  
**Building Connection and Resilience**

**EVENTS AND PROGRAMS**  
Register at [www.mygnp.org](http://www.mygnp.org) or call 403.638.1011

**Seniors Art In the Country**  
James River Community Hall  
Tuesday | Sept 23 | 10:00AM-12:00PM  
Free Beginner Level Art  
REGISTER AT [WWW.MYGNP.ORG](http://WWW.MYGNP.ORG) OR 403.638.1011

**Seniors Art Program**  
Sundre Senior Lodge-North Doors  
Tuesday | Sept 16 | 10:00AM-NOON  
Fun art projects for beginners  
Free with Registration  
[www.mygnp.org](http://www.mygnp.org) or call 403.638.1011

**Cooking Up Connections**  
Cooking with friends  
Includes a meal to take home.  
Register at [www.mygnp.org](http://www.mygnp.org)  
Location: Sundre Legion  
Wednesday Sept 17  
11AM-2PM  
\$10ea.

**FREE SWIM**  
Sunday | October 12  
1:00PM-3:00PM  
Sundre Aquaplex  
No Registration  
Sponsored by **Tim Hortons**

**Health Care Aide Certificate Program WINTER 2026**  
Information Session:  
Sept 25, 2025 | 6PM-8PM  
Sundre Community Centre Boardroom  
(#3, 96-2 Ave NW)  
Visit [rdpolytech.ca](http://rdpolytech.ca) to learn more.

**Jubilation Pirates Of The River Saskatchewan**  
Seniors 55+  
Tuesday | November 25  
Van Departs Town of Sundre Parking lot at 8:30AM  
Van Returns at 4:30PM  
Cap'n Jack and his band are setting out from the Jubilation Dinner Theatre. Would you like to join this thrilling journey? Music, laughter & treasure are on the menu! Plus great food and entertainment.  
COST: \$75  
Get Your Ticket at: [www.mygnp.org](http://www.mygnp.org)

**Greenwood Neighbourhood Place**  
wishes to express our gratitude for being chosen as the recipient of the  
**Tim Hortons**  
Community Voice Fund  
for the month of  
**SEPTEMBER!**  
Listen to the Ranch & The Goat for the month of September and watch for our banner on MyMountainViewNow.com

**Promoting & Supporting NOT-FOR-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS with free postings**

**McDougal Chapel**  
Conversation Cafe  
Thurs | Sept 11-Dec 18  
6:30PM-8:00PM

Free weekly class for English Language Learners to practice conversation in English with trained facilitators. Weekly conversation guides are emailed to your email address.

Register at [conversationscfe.ca](http://conversationscfe.ca).  
Location: Sundre Municipal Library  
For more info: Cathy at [sundrecce@mcDougalchapel.com](mailto:sundrecce@mcDougalchapel.com)

**NEWSIES**  
A Musical About the Boy Who Sold the News  
B.S. Productions (Brian Bailey, Jamie Syer) present  
Disney's NEWSIES, the Broadway musical.  
Open auditions for all roles: actors, singers, dancers, ages 10 through adult.  
September 25 & 27  
Sundre Arts Centre  
[sundreartscentre.com/NEWSIES](http://sundreartscentre.com/NEWSIES)  
Info@bs-productions.ca

**BEARBERRY POKER RALLY**  
Saturday | September 20  
Bearberry Hall (25km NW of Sundre)  
Registration: 11AM  
Ride: 12 noon  
Ride, Poker Hand, BBQ Steak Dinner, Prizes  
Adults \$40, 12 and under \$30  
Steak BBQ: 4-6PM  
Prizes: 5PM  
Soft drink bar available  
\$0/\$0 Draw  
No dogs or alcohol on the trail.  
For info call/text:  
Diane 403-383-4488  
Connie 403-667-1528

**Sundre Creative Arts**  
Annual General Meeting  
Wed | Sept 10 | 6PM  
Sundre Public Library  
Explore next year's workshops & paint-ins. New & potential members are welcome!  
Two day paint-in & view our art display, for "Arts and Culture Days" at the Museum.  
Sept 26 & Sept 27  
For more info:  
Lila @ 403-638-4269

**Spot What Bugs You?**  
With Art Therapist Christy  
Mon | Oct 20 | 9AM-3PM  
at the DEN SYC  
Unit 5, 102 Centre St N Sundre  
Kids (ages 7-11) embark on a quest to explore big emotions and creatively navigate them through art therapy. Lunch is provided.  
Register at: [MVFRN.ca](http://MVFRN.ca)

**Sundre Farmers' Market**  
Until Sept 19  
4:30-7:00  
Sundre Curling Rink  
FRESH & LOCAL  
Contact Karen Campbell 403-638-1586

**Sundre & District Ag Society Presents**  
Sundre Community Fall Fair  
Friday | September 5  
Public Viewing 3-7PM  
Senior's Only Viewing 1-3PM  
Location: Sundre Curling Rink  
101-2 Ave NW, Sundre  
Open to all Alberta residents and all students in the area.  
Pet Parade Friday @ 12PM  
Fair Entries accepted:  
Thurs 7:30PM & Fri 8:30PM  
Classes: Livestock, Horticulture, Industrial Arts, Baking & Handicraft!  
Fair Info Books available at: Sundre Museum, Sundre Library & Sundre Farmers Market  
More info:  
[sundreagrosocietyfallfair.weebly.com](http://sundreagrosocietyfallfair.weebly.com)  
or call Karen: 403-638-1586

**Sundre West Country Centre**  
101 2nd Ave., by the Arena  
Wheelchair accessible  
**September Events**  
Pool | Saturday 9:30AM  
Music & Dancing | Sundays 1 & 3 | 1:30PM  
Cribbage | Sundays 2 & 4 | 1:30PM  
Pool & Snooker | Mondays | 9:30AM  
Carpet Bowling | Mondays | 1:00PM  
Line Dancing | Tuesdays | 10:00AM  
Canasta | Tuesdays | 12:15PM  
Stretching | Wednesdays | 10:00AM  
Games | Wednesdays 1 & 3 | 1:00PM  
Pool & Snooker | Wednesdays | 1:00PM  
Carpet Bowling | Thursdays | 1:00PM  
Quilting | Thursdays  
Floor Curling | Fridays | 1:00PM  
Pot Luck | Last Friday  
each month at 12 noon  
Come Join Us!!  
Call 403-638-3298  
leave a message

**OUTDOOR CHURCH SERVICE (NON-DENOMINATIONAL)**  
11AM Sundays until Sept 28  
@ Greenwood Campground Gazebo  
EVERYONE WELCOME!  
contact for info:  
403-638-6906

**McDougal Chapel**  
MOM'S GROUP  
September 19, October 10,  
November 28 | 9:30AM-11:00AM  
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For more information:  
Shelby.cantos@gmail.com

**AL ANON MEETINGS**  
Every Thursday at 11:00AM  
Sundre United Church  
~Backdoor~  
For more info please call  
403-529-7899  
HOPE FOR FAMILIES & FRIENDS

**Sundre Community Choir & Handbells**  
Want to sing this fall?  
CHOIR starts  
Tuesday | September 23 | 7:00PM  
at the Sundre United Church.  
For more information:  
Contact Pauline @ [sundrecommunitychoir@gmail.com](mailto:sundrecommunitychoir@gmail.com)  
Adult handbells FULL  
YOUTH HANDBELLS  
Are you in grade 6, 7, or 8 & interested in ringing bells one day after school?  
Call Cheryl at 403-638-4807

**Sundre District HISTORICAL SOCIETY/MUSEUM**  
Indigenous Activities - TBA  
Alberta Culture Days  
Fri | Sept 26 & Sat Sept 27  
Art, Music, Heritage Demonstrations, Artistic and Cultural Expression, Workshops.  
Front Desk Volunteer position still open  
Follow us on Facebook;  
Call 403-638-3233 for details  
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Discover. Experience. Celebrate.  
Alberta

**Sundre Municipal Library**  
September 2025 Events  
**Rhyme Time Returns!**  
Tuesdays  
Sept 9, 16, 23, & 30 | 9:30AM-10:30AM  
Join us for stories, rhymes, and more!  
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Thursday | Sept 11 | 3:15PM-4:15PM  
After school fun for kids age 8-12.  
Call to register!  
**Genealogy Returns!**  
Tues | Sept 16 | 9:30AM-11:30AM  
Research your roots & build your searching skills!  
Location: Sundre Library  
Contact Info: (403)638-4000  
[prl.ab.ca@sundre](mailto:prl.ab.ca@sundre)

**BERGEN FARMER'S MARKET**  
SATURDAY'S  
SEPTEMBER 6 & 13  
10:00AM-1:00PM  
@ BERGEN HALL  
Come for vegetables, beef, pork, baking, arts & crafts & MUCH MORE!  
For information call  
Shelley 403-638-2356

**Sundre Palliative Care Association**  
Welcome to monthly meetings!  
Thursday | Sept 11 | 2PM  
SSSL - North Doors  
Let's Talk About: Crows in a Row:  
Rituals and Ceremonies  
Thursday | Sept 18 | 6:30-8:30PM  
SSSL - North Doors  
Drop In Grief Group  
Thursday | Sept 25 | Oct 23 | 2:45PM  
Main Ave Church, Sundre  
Info: Anne Brander 403-507-1255  
[Sundrepalliativecare@gmail.com](mailto:Sundrepalliativecare@gmail.com)

**ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH #223**  
**September BBQ**  
Thurs | September 18 | 5PM  
Location: 135 - 6th Street SE, Sundre  
Arrive early to avoid disappointment.  
For more info: [rc223secretary@gmail.com](mailto:rc223secretary@gmail.com)



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**MainaveKidzclub.naz**

**Fun!**  
After school  
Wednesdays | 3:15-5:15PM  
**Fun!**  
Gr. K- gr. 5 boys & girls  
Bring a Friend!

**Starting September 17**  
SNACKS, BIBLE STORIES, CRAFTS, COMMUNITY PROJECTS, GAMES, & FRIENDS!

402 Main Ave W.  
Main Ave Fellowship Church of the Nazarene  
Contact Dorothy for more information  
kidzmaf@gmail.com  
call/text 403-436-0186  
We are a Ministry Safe location.




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prlab.ca/sundre




**Sundre Palliative Care Association**  
Welcome to monthly meetings!  
Thursday | Sep 11 | 2PM  
SSSL - North Doors

Let's Talk About: Crows in a Row:  
Rituals and Ceremonies  
Thursday | Sep 18 | 6:30-8:30PM  
SSSL - North Doors

**Drop In Grief Group**  
Thursday | Sep 25 | Oct 23 | 2-4PM  
Main Ave Church, Sundre

Info: Anne Brander 403-507-1255  
Sundrepalliativecare@gmail.com



**ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH #223**  
**September BBQ**  
Thurs | September 18 | 5PM  
Location: 135 - 6th Street SE, Sundre  
Arrive early to avoid disappointment.  
For more info: rcl223secretary@gmail.com



## Greenwood Neighbourhood Place Employment Opportunities

**Sundre Santas & Magic of Christmas Coordinator**  
Lead Sundre's Much-Loved Giving Programs!  
Coordinate the Sundre Santas hamper program and Magic of Christmas gift event.  
This is a seasonal position.

**Communications Coordinator**  
Reporting directly to the Executive Director, the Communications Coordinator is responsible for executing a range of communication tasks to support the promotion of Greenwood Neighbourhood Place. Key responsibilities include managing social media, overseeing print publications, and maintaining the website. The role also includes managing event registrations.  
This is a permanent position.

View details at:  
[www.mygnp.org/employment](http://www.mygnp.org/employment)  
Submit resume and cover letter to:  
[info@mygnp.org](mailto:info@mygnp.org)



## Christmas in September Donation Drive

*Help Make the Magic Happen!*

Magic of Christmas gives local kids the joy of choosing gifts for their families. Donate gently used or new items this September at **Greenwood Neighbourhood Place**.  
Call 403.638.1011 for more information!



## Truth & Reconciliation Day September 30, 2025

Let's learn together in the spirit of reconciliation and hope for generations of children to come.



**GIRLS UNPLUGGED**

**SMALL HOOPS**

Thurs: Sept 11, 18, 25  
Oct 2, 16, 23, 30 | Nov 6, 20, 27  
3:15PM-4:30PM  
Grades 4-6  
[www.mygnp.org](http://www.mygnp.org)  
**REGISTER AT**

**NEW DATES!**

**\$20**

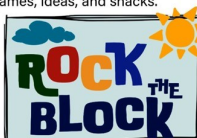




## ROCK THE BLOCK

Join your neighbours for a fun block party!  
Greenwood Neighbourhood Place has a BLOCK PARTY toolkit with games, ideas, and snacks.

If you are interested please call us for more information:  
403.638.1011  
or visit us at:  
[www.mygnp.org](http://www.mygnp.org)



## Introducing The SHE SHED

Learn how to knit while you visit.

7 Thursdays | Beginning Sept 11 | 1PM-3PM

Location: Sundre Seniors' Lodge  
Common Room (North Doors)

To Register: Heidi 403.638.6890



Cost:  
\$15