



Wednesday January 27th, 2021

This Bi-weekly Newsletter is available to members and non-members of the Vauxhall & District Chamber of Commerce and features information of importance to, and about local business and upcoming events!

HELP OUT A NEIGHBOR

JOIN THE
SNOW ANGELS

Snow Angels program is a volunteer service program where individuals, organizations, businesses, students, families, and youth groups can commit to removing snow for seniors.

Get involved!
403-915-7063

Why become a Snow Angel

- ✓ Exercise
- ✓ An opportunity to help someone
- ✓ Get to know your neighbors
- ✓ So much more!

FCSS
Family & Community Support Services
www.fcsc.ca

SNOW ANGELS!

Why call a Snow Angel?

- Free Service for eligible seniors.
- Receive help shoveling
- Get to know your neighbors
- And so much more!!

Register to receive service: 1-587-370-8518

Why become a part of the Snow Angels Team?

- Exercise
- An opportunity to help someone
- And so much more!!

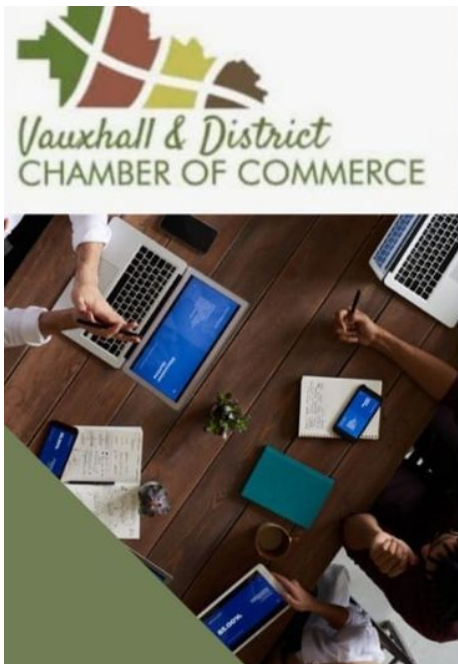
To get involved call: 1-403-915-7063

NOMINATIONS ARE OPEN!

20th Annual APEX Youth Awards. Nominations will be accepted until March 15, 2021. Bursary recipients will be announced April 28, 2021! For more information: Contact, Dorthea Mills at the Horizon School Division Office at 403-223-3547 ext. 10138.



OFFICE HOURS!



VDCC
Office Hours
 8:30 am-2:30 pm
 Monday - Tuesday
 Wednesday & Thursday
 By Appointment Only

CONTACT INFO:
 DANNA FERGUSON
 403-894-0923
 BOX 357
 VAUXHALL, AB
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 LOCATED IN THE VAUXHALL
 ADVANCE OFFICE

Many may not know that the VDCC and Vauxhall Ag Society have a combined office space located in the Vauxhall Advance Building. Please feel free to contact us today!

APPLY NOW

Statistics Canada is looking to hire 32,000 employees across Canada to join their #2021Census team! Don't miss out on this great opportunity. Apply today: <http://ow.ly/JNTt50D1BT7>.

Statistics Canada is hiring for the 2021 Census!



Lets all help stop the spread! Wash your hands and if you are sick stay home to help protect others!



CHAMBER BENEFIT PLAN!



Become a member of the Vauxhall & District Chamber of Commerce and have access to the Chambers of Commerce Group Insurance Plan, no matter the number of employees from sole proprietors to multi employee firms. Get your quote at www.chamberplan.ca

REGISTRATION OPENS SOON!

Do you have a little one that is getting to the age for Kindergarten or Early Learning classes? Don't forget to register them for the 2021-2022 year! Our community is very fortunate to have the Vauxhall Elementary School. VES has some of the best teachers around and is amazing for our children!



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school division

2021 - 2022
**EARLY
CHILDHOOD
SERVICES**

Kindergarten & Early Learning

REGISTRATION DETAILS
COMING SOON

NEWCOMERS SERVICES A project of Taber & District Community Adult Learning Association

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CLASSES ARE OPEN AGAIN!

Classes may run online if restrictions require it.



GED PREP CLASS

Not ready for the GED class?

We offer classes in Language Arts and Mathematics in preparation for the GED Class

GED Classes (2 Intakes)

Intake 1: Jan. 26 - Apr. 8

Intake 2: Mar. 9 - May 20

Tuesday-Thursday 5:00-8:00pm.

Classes include materials, courses, and exams. Funding may be available.

CELPIP

Jan. 27-Mar. 24

Mondays 6:30-8:30pm. \$40.00

Learn how to improve your score!

CITIZENSHIP

Jan. 25-Mar. 28

Wednesdays 6:30-8:30pm. \$40.00

You must have passed CELPIP first.

VAUXHALL FLT (Families Learning Together)

Jan. 12-Mar. 18

Tues.-Thurs. 8:30am-12:00pm.

\$40.00

Free childcare available.

CELPIP Classes
Canadian English Language Proficiency Index Program
Make English the main language for your daily life and improve your score!
You have to take and pass CELPIP before you write the Citizenship exam.

CITIZENSHIP PREPARATION CLASSES
Prepare for the Canadian citizenship test. The test has changed the CELPIP exam and the writing or citizenship classes.



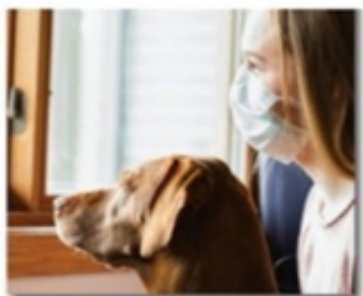
FAMILIES LEARNING TOGETHER
ESSENTIAL SKILLS FOR LIVING

ENGLISCH LERNEN / ENGLISCH SPRACHSCHULE FÜR FRAUEN UND KLEINE KINDER

Families Learning Together teaches English reading, writing, listening and speaking, as well as digital literacy skills. Child care is provided for children 13 months to kindergarten.

Looking in . . . looking out

A journey offering individuals the chance to explore, practice and become the best person they can be to themselves and to others.



THURSDAYS, FEBRUARY 11 TO MARCH 4, 2021

6:30 - 8:30 p.m., Taber Provincial Building

Session 1
FEBRUARY 11, 2021

Finding our Inner Strength

- Understanding your personality
- Understanding your "North Star" and how it guides you on your journey

Session 2
FEBRUARY 18, 2021

Communication & Interacting with Others

- The importance of Communication
- Silent Treatment, Silencing and it's effect
- Why we communicate
- Three ways communication affects individuals



God Films Her tender heart and cheerful attitude quickly have her clients looking on the brighter side of the GED. She is a Career Development coordinator and has worked

Session 3
FEBRUARY 25, 2021

Obstacles are Hurdles - The Secrets to Success

\$25.00 for all 4 classes

Session 4 - MARCH 4, 2021

Dreams and Goals: They can be your new view

- Setting your goals, planning and what

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS!

Are you facing obstacles to employment and/or Post-Secondary Education?

The Taber Youth Employment Program assists youth with developing employment skills and gaining practical on-the-job work experience



UPCOMING START DATES

APR 26- AUG 13



7 weeks of Employability Skills Training and 9 Weeks of Quality Employment Opportunity

ELIGIBILITY:

- Ages 15-30 and not in school
- Work in Canada legally
- Not receiving E.I. benefits
- Unemployed
- Have barriers to employment

Contact:
P: 403-416-5115
taberyep.com



English as a Second Language Programs

Classes will be delivered in person and through Zoom if Covid prevents in-person delivery.

INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH WRITING
WOMEN No Childcare

This course is for learners who wish to improve their writing skills. It will focus on grammar, punctuation, sentence structure

Monday and Wednesday afternoons
January 11 - March 17, 2021

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

at the Taber Provincial Building

\$40.00

WORKPLACE ENGLISH
MEN/WOMEN

This course will focus on workplace communication, reading and writing skills specific to trade workers in Alberta. You will learn how to understand written and spoken instructions and fill out forms related to various trades. A trade speaker will visit to share in class and answer questions.

\$40

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS
January 13 - March 24, 2021

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

ENGLISH WRITING BASICS
MEN/WOMEN

This evening class is for the beginning English writer. In this class you will learn how to write the alphabet, use capital and small letters. Also in this class you will learn basic grammar, common everyday vocabulary and how to write sentences. This class will teach you how to avoid common writing errors that English learners often make.

\$40 per person
\$60 per family

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

January 13 - March 17, 2021

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

VOLUNTEER TUTORS
MEN/WOMEN

We offer an evening "drop in" service for students who are unable to attend daytime classes. Volunteer tutors come in after work and provide a variety of formal and informal teaching sessions as required by the students.

FREE

Tuesday and Thursday nights

JANUARY 20 - MARCH 18

Taber Provincial Building, 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.



**COMMUNITY
FOUNDATION**
LETHBRIDGE + SOUTHWESTERN ALBERTA

Applications are now being accepted to the following Grants Programs:

Community Priorities

Providing support to organizations working to build a healthy, vibrant, and inclusive community.

Deadline: March 15, 2020 at 4:00 p.m.

Henry S. Varley Fund for Rural Life

Providing support to organizations working to sustain a high quality of life in rural Southwestern Alberta

Deadline: March 15, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.

Youth in Action

Empowering youth by encouraging leadership on a project that will have a positive impact on their community.

Deadline: March 1, 2021 at 4:00 p.m.

For more information, contact the Community Foundation's Grants Coordinator, Caitlin Gajdostik, at grants@cflsa.ca.

APPLY NOW



Farmer Pesticide Course

Class sizes will be limited and follow Covid-19 guidelines

Attending this course allows you to purchase restricted chemical such as Thimet for potato production or Phostoxin for grain bin fumigation. Also aids in obtaining Environmental Farm Plan, HACCP, and CanadaGAP.

Choose one date

FULL-January 20, 2021
February 10, 2021
March 3, 2021
April 7, 2021

MD of Taber
Operations Building
171027 Hwy 3
Barnwell, Alberta
8:30 A.M.

Cost \$40.00
includes lunch and
course manual

Payment must be received
in order to be registered in
the course

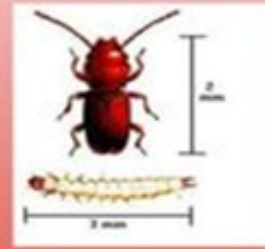
Cheques payable to
*Municipal District
of Taber*

Please mail or deliver
registration forms and
payment to:

MD of Taber
4900B—50th Street
Taber, Alberta, T1G 1T2

403-223-3541

Registration forms available at the MD of Taber Office
or online at www.mdtaber.ab.ca



For more information contact
Jason Bullock, Agricultural Fieldman (403)634-4429

VIRTUAL MENTORSHIP SERIES

YOUNG WOMEN IN TRADES & TECHNOLOGIES

ARE YOU IN GRADE 9-12?

JOIN US TO BECOME EDUCATED ON TRADES & TECHNOLOGIES

5:00 P. M. - 6:30 P.M.



SCAN ME TO REGISTER



OCTOBER 22
CONSTRUCTION
TRADES



DECEMBER 15
AUTOMOTIVE &
MECHANICAL
TRADES



FEBURARY 17
INDUSTRIAL
TRADES



MARCH 17
INFORMATION &
COMMUNICATIONS
TECHNOLOGY

www.careersnextgen.ca/ywitt

EMAIL EVENTS@NEXTGEN.ORG OR

CALL 1-888-757-7172 FOR MORE INFORMATION



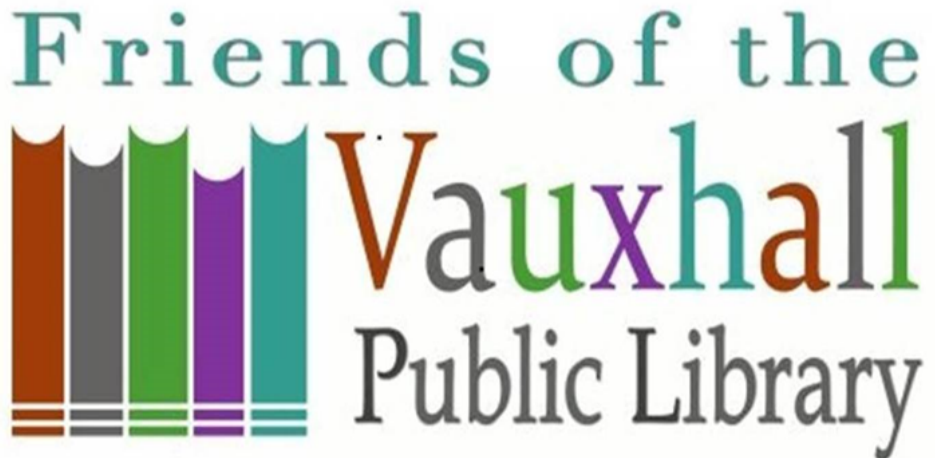
LOTS FOR SALE

Check out the lots for sale in Vauxhall!
<http://town.vauxhall.ab.ca/>



VAUXHALL PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Vauxhall Friends of the Public Library Society are looking for new members, for more information call 403-654-2895



CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

Do you know a remarkable Albertan?

Nominate them for the Alberta Order of Excellence by February 15th

THE ALBERTA ORDER OF EXCELLENCE



DEVELOPING A SUCCESS MINDSET

FEBRUARY 10, 2021
 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

VIRTUAL COURSE
 VALUED AT \$225



RECIPES

Here are some new recipes for you all to try!! I hope you enjoy and they are delicious for your next meal!



ENJOY!

OUR COMMUNITY!



VGCC INFORMATION!

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District-Chamber-of-Commerce-198208407564216/](https://www.facebook.com/Vauxhall-District-Chamber-of-Commerce-198208407564216/)**

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