



Friday February 2nd, 2024

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!

MEMBER HIGHLIGHT

Warren-Porter Agencies (1998)

The Vauxhall registry agent, located in the South Region, strives to provide the best possible services to their residents, businesses, and visitors. On behalf of the government, registry agents provide registration, information, licensing, and road test services. (Before taking your road test make sure you have enough practice to pass it easily).

Phone: (403) 654-2512

Fax: (403) 654-2345

Email: wporteragency@gmail.com

Hours of Operation:

Monday

9:00 AM-4:30 PM

Tuesday

9:00 AM-4:30 PM

Wednesday

9:00 AM-4:30 PM

Thursday

9:00 AM-4:30 PM

Friday

9:00 AM-4:30 PM

Saturday

Closed

Sunday

Closed

VDCC Contact Information: 403-382-1698

PRESENTED BY THE VAUXHALL AG SOCIETY



spring Fling

DINNER BY GRETA'S KITCHEN
MUSIC BY BANGERS BINGO

APRIL 20	TICKETS SALES BEGIN FEB 15	TABLES OF 8 \$480
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EMAIL VAUXHALLAG@GMAIL.COM FOR
MORE INFO



DUSTY ACRES YOUTH SHOOTING SOCIETY



dustyacres2021@gmail.com 4718-60th Avenue Taber, Alberta T1G 1E9

**COME ON OUT, HAVE FUN
WHILE LEARNING THE SPORT OF SHOOTING**

Looking for something new to do in 2024. Our Shooting Program caters to all athletes aged ten and above, offering compressive training in shooting air rifles/handguns and 22 caliber rifles with a supervised and welcoming setting. Prior parental consent is necessary, and participants must wear mandatory hearing and eye protection, which we can assist in providing if needed. We supply firearms, targets and ammunition, so all you need is a desire to learn and have fun. Remember to share this enjoyable experience with friends. It is crucial for shooters to strictly adhere to all Range Safety Rules to ensure a secure, safe shooting environment for everyone involved.

We are using the indoor facilities for the winter season in the Cadet/Youth Hall indoor range located at 7211-50th Street, Taber. The sessions are Tuesday nights at 6:30 pm on the following nights. Cost is only \$30 dollars for the year. Call Mark in advance to book your spot.

January 9th & 23rd

February 6th & 20th

March 5th & 19th

For more information on shooting and/or volunteering:
Follow us on Facebook: Dusty Acres Youth Shooting Society
Email: dustyacres2021@gmail.com
Call: Mark [403-634-5605](tel:403-634-5605) or [403-223-4975](tel:403-223-4975)

We would like to congratulate the winners of our shop local program

\$300 Grand prize

Barb Crowson

\$100 second prize

Susanna Thiessen

Nonna's Pizzeria gift card

Lloyd Senneker

Abe Banman

D+R Auto Parts

Tracy Johnson

Ang Klemen

Fishers Pharmacy

Aron

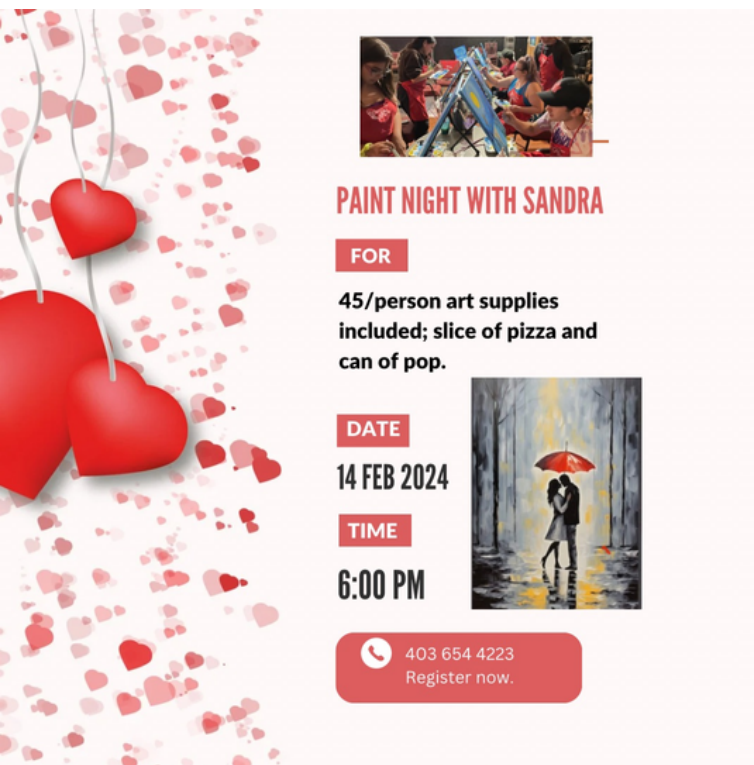
Greta Loewen

Co-Op Agro Store

Brody Coffyne

Susana Wiebe

Hosted at Nonna's Pizzeria



PAINT NIGHT WITH SANDRA

FOR
45/person art supplies included; slice of pizza and can of pop.

DATE
14 FEB 2024

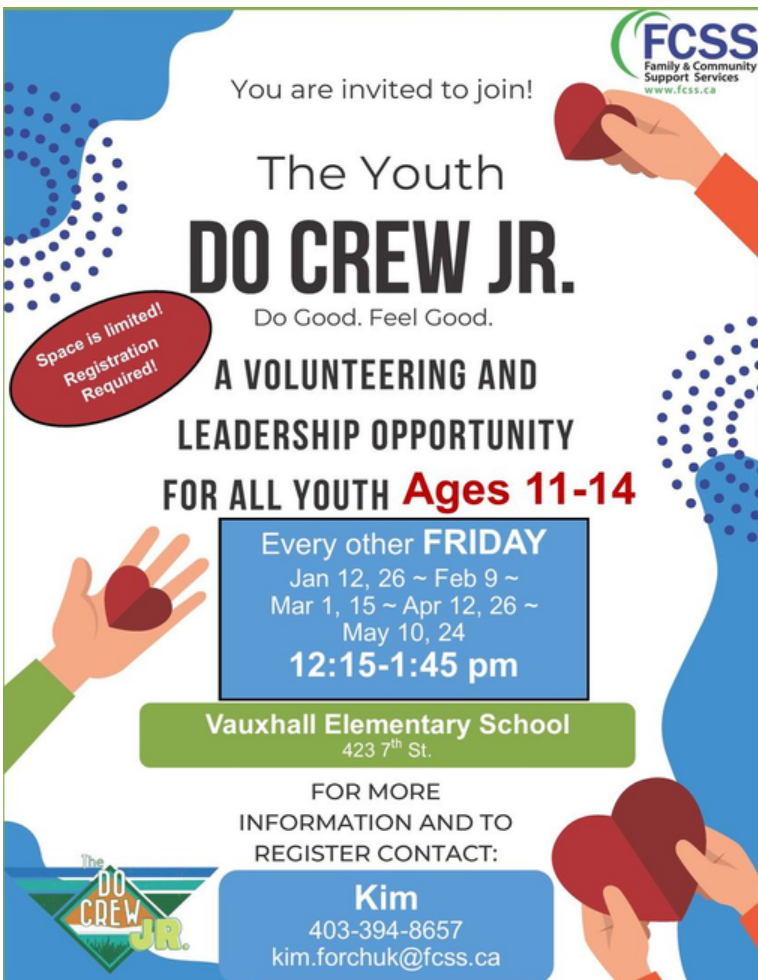
TIME
6:00 PM

403 654 4223
Register now.



Lego Club

Come join us at the Library on Friday afternoons from 2-5 for Lego club!



You are invited to join!

The Youth DO CREW JR.
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Every other **FRIDAY**
Jan 12, 26 ~ Feb 9 ~
Mar 1, 15 ~ Apr 12, 26 ~
May 10, 24
12:15-1:45 pm

Vauxhall Elementary School
423 7th St.

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO REGISTER CONTACT:
Kim
403-394-8657
kim.forchuk@fcss.ca

Space is limited! Registration Required!

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THURSDAYS 6:00-7:30 PM
STARTING FEBRUARY 8TH
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CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

English, Spanish, and Low German translation available

Scan me

REGISTER NOW!
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TOWN OF TABER

OPPORTUNITIES

NOW HIRING

FULL TIME INVENTORY CLERK

D&R NAPA Auto Parts is currently seeking an ambitious self-starter to successfully take on the role of an Inventory Clerk.

Responsibilities:

- Daily inventory control operations including but not limited to maintaining inventory on display, and warehouse, on shelves and in bins; performing physical inventories; reporting any discrepancies.
- Ordering & receiving Inventory

Requirements:

- Computer knowledge
- Experience with Excel Spreadsheets

Apply at: Email resume to:

D&R Auto Parts tmehlhaff@napacanada.com
410 2nd Ave
Vauxhall, AB

Warren-Porter
Agencies

Hiring, Inquire
within

(403) 654-5225

514 2nd Ave N.

Vauxhall Ab

Full-Time Maintenance Personnel

Columbia Seed Co. Ltd. is looking to immediately fill a Full-Time position for MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL to work in a team environment in a busy seed processing facility.

We offer competitive wages and benefit packages for full time employees.

To perform this job successfully, an individual must demonstrate safe work practices and possess good communication skills. The right candidate must possess general knowledge of seed cleaning equipment, understanding of electric and gas-powered motors, augers and conveyor belts, forklift & skid steer operation and maintenance, good housekeeping, good recordkeeping by filling out and maintaining all applicable documents and forms.

Job Description includes: perform day to day maintenance in all areas of operation, assistance in all areas of operation when required, and other duties as assigned by supervisors.

Experience and Training:

On site training will be provided for WHMIS, Food Safety, Fire Safety and other applicable courses.

Education:

High School/GED an asset
Class 1 Drivers License considered an asset

Physical Demands:

Must be able to stand/walk for long periods of time, as well as occasionally lift heavy objects up to 50kg.
Be able to work outdoors for long periods of time.

Please send your resume to:

office@columbiaseed.ca fax to 403-654-4238 or drop it off at our office located at 409-2nd Avenue South in Vauxhall, Alberta

Full-Time Plant Personnel

Columbia Seed Co. Ltd. is looking to immediately fill a Full-Time position for Seed Cleaning Plant Personnel to work in a team environment.

We offer competitive wages and benefit packages for full time employees.

To perform this job successfully, an individual must demonstrate safe work practices and possess good communication skills. Job description includes: plant and color sorter operation, loading and unloading grain on/from trucks and automated bag loading into containers, operating a forklift, packaging, perform day to day maintenance, cleaning work areas and maintaining good housekeeping, good recordkeeping by filling out and maintaining all applicable documents and forms, and other duties as assigned by supervisors.

Experience and Training:

Equipment operation experience, mechanical skills and computer skills are an asset.

On site training will be provided for WHMIS, Food Safety, Fire Safety and other applicable courses.

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Contact Information:
Administrative Assistant
Danna Ferguson
403-894-0923
403-654-2122

**BOX 357
VAUXHALL, AB
T0K 2K0**

Not a Member?

Becoming a VDCC member is easy and affordable.

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Business fees are \$150.

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VDCC INFORMATION!

Our mailing address is:

Vauxhall & District Chamber of Commerce

Box 357

Vauxhall, AB

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Email: info@vauxhallchamber.ca




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