

# Big Lakes Bulletin

July 2024



# BIG LAKES FCSS

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780-776-3821 Attn: Newsletter



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ENILDA	
FAUST	July 1 July 31
GROUARD	July 1 July 5 July 31
HIGH PRAIRIE	July 1 July 30
JOUSSARD	July 1 July 30
KINUSO	July 2 July 30

**Please note: Hours are subject to change due to events, meetings, training, weather, etc. FCSS Outreach workers do not answer the phone when assisting clients. Please leave a message with your name and phone number and we will contact you as soon as we can.**

# OUR OFFICES

## Joussard FCSS Office

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## Grouard FCSS Office

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**Grouard Outreach Worker - Danielle Cox**

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## High Prairie FCSS Office

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**High Prairie Outreach Worker - Nancy Marquardt**

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## Enilda FCSS Office

Enilda Firehall - 13 Railway Ave, Enilda, AB T0G 0W0, AB T0G 0W0 Fax: 780-523-5933

**Enilda Outreach Worker - Nancy Marquardt**

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## Faust FCSS Office

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**Faust Outreach Worker - Patsy Campion**

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## Kinuso FCSS Office

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**Kinuso Outreach Worker - Patsy Campion**

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# NEED A LIFT?

**THE BIG LAKES BUS  
IS AVAILABLE FOR EVERYONE!**

**Call us to book your seat today!**

# 1-877-925-2537

**EVERY  
TUESDAY**

**To High Prairie**  
County pick-ups only

**\$20.00**  
County residents

**EVERY  
WEDNESDAY**

**Within High Prairie**  
High Prairie pick-ups only

**\$10.00**  
High Prairie residents

**EVERY  
THURSDAY**

**To Slave Lake**  
High Prairie & County pick-ups

**\$30.00**  
High Prairie &  
County residents

**PASSENGERS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 MUST BE  
ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT.**

**SEATS MUST BE BOOKED BY 3:00PM THE DAY BEFORE THE  
SCHEDULED TRIP. NO EXCEPTIONS.**



**Big Lakes County Animal  
Adoption Facebook Page**



## We Need Your Help - Adopt A Pet!

Looking to add a four-legged friend to your family? The Animal Care Facility is currently at MAX capacity and is seeking foster homes and individuals wishing to adopt!

When you adopt, you're not just getting a pet; you're giving a deserving animal an opportunity for a happy life. Check out our Animal Adoption Page to see our adorable animals and contact our Animal Care team to book an appointment to meet our furry friends and give one of them their forever home!

**THE BIG LAKES BUS  
WILL NOT BE RUNNING ON  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 17  
& THURSDAY JULY 18.**



**We will return to our regular  
schedule on Tuesday, July 23.**

# Free Exercise Program

Alberta Healthy Living Program

Education that supports your health and your life



## Upcoming Sessions:

June 3 - July 15, Mon/Wed 1:00pm-2:30pm

June 3 - July 15, Mon/Wed 6:00pm-7:30pm

June 25 - Aug 1, Tues/Thurs 10am-11:30am

- Tailored to your fitness level
- Twice per week for 6 weeks
  - No equipment needed
  - Learn to exercise safely
- Use Zoom in your own home

If you are an adult living with one or more chronic health conditions, join this **FREE, safe, fun and interactive** small-group setting.

**Experience the Health Benefits**

**Free  
Virtual Exercise Program**

Register at:

[www.healthylivingprogram.ca](http://www.healthylivingprogram.ca)



**For more information:  
Call 1-877-349-5711**



**Alberta Health  
Services**

Alberta Healthy Living  
Program

# Living with Stroke Support Group

A group to provide stroke survivors and their families with educational and emotional support following a stroke. This group will offer a place for survivors and caregivers to come together virtually and share their experiences with others.

*Discussion topics may include:*

- Post-Stroke Fatigue
- Mood and Cognition
- Healthy Eating
- Physical Activity
- Stress Management
- Stroke Prevention

**When:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 3:00pm

**Where:** Offered online via **Zoom Video Conferencing**

**\*FREE!\***

**\*Pre-registration required\***

**\*Available for residents of communities in the North Zone\***



**To register and receive the Zoom link visit:**

**<https://redcap.link/strokesupport>**



**Or for more information: Ph - 780-402-8166**



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## STAY AWAY FROM CYANOBACTERIA (BLUE-GREEN ALGAE)

**Cyanobacteria** (also referred to as blue-green algae) is a type of bacteria found in many lakes, ponds, and reservoirs. Cyanobacteria can multiply a lot in the summer, causing extensive growths called blooms. The blooms cause scum on the surface of water and can be blue-green or greenish-brown and often smell musty or grassy.

Some bloom-forming types of cyanobacteria produce toxins. When toxic blooms die and decay, toxic chemicals may be released into the water. Some toxins can be in the water at low levels for many months after a bloom forms. Some blooms are so bad that they cause livestock deaths. Some blooms don't contain toxins, but you can't tell if a bloom is harmful or not from how it looks. If you see a bloom, always take precautions as if it is toxic.

### How does cyanobacteria affect human health?

Children might be more at risk for getting sick from cyanobacteria because they often spend more time in the water and may swallow contaminated water by accident.

If you have **contact** (e.g., swimming, boating) with water containing cyanobacteria, you may experience:

- skin irritation and rash
- sore throat
- sore, red eyes
- swelling of the lips
- hay fever symptoms (e.g., stuffy nose)

If you **drink** water containing cyanobacteria, you may experience:

- headache
- diarrhea
- weakness
- liver damage
- fever (temperature more than 38.5°C or 101.3°F)
- nausea and vomiting
- muscle and joint pain
- stomach cramps

Treat all cyanobacteria blooms with caution. Call Health Link at 811 if you have been in contact with water that has a cyanobacteria bloom and are having symptoms.

### How does cyanobacteria affect livestock and pets?

Lakes contaminated with cyanobacteria can be deadly if toxins are present. Some illnesses and deaths of livestock and wildlife have been linked to animals drinking water containing cyanobacteria. Keep animals away from natural water sources that contain cyanobacteria blooms because animals aren't concerned about how water looks or smells before they drink it. Don't let animals eat whole fish or trimmings (any waste from filleting a fish including the head, bones, intestines, or skin) from affected lakes.

### What about watering my vegetable garden?

Don't use water with cyanobacteria to water edible plants (especially plants with edible parts exposed to the ground surface, such as cabbage, lettuce, tomatoes, and other salad vegetables). It is not known if fruits and vegetables absorb toxins from contaminated water.

### Is it safe to cook with water that might contain cyanobacteria?

Boiling water doesn't remove cyanobacteria toxins. Don't cook with water that might contain cyanobacteria.

### What else do I need to think about?

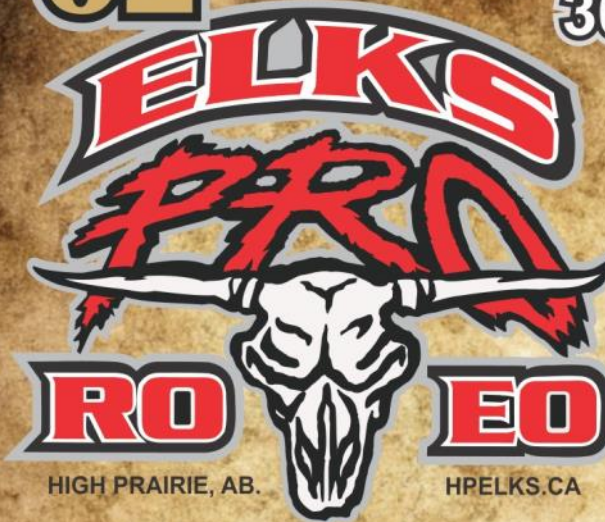
- Treat any cyanobacteria bloom as if it is contaminated.
- Don't swim or wade in water with scum on the surface.
- Don't drink water if it might be contaminated with cyanobacteria.
- Have another source of drinking water for pets and livestock.
- If you see a bloom or have questions about cyanobacteria, call Environmental Public Health 1-833-476-4743.
- Call Health Link at 811 if you have been in contact with contaminated water and have any of the symptoms listed above.
- Call a vet if your pet has been in contact with contaminated water.



# 62<sup>nd</sup>

# JULY 30th & 31st

## 2024



HIGH PRAIRIE, AB.

HPELKS.CA

Parade JULY 30

11:00 am

PERFORMANCE

TIMES

JULY 30 1:30 PM

JULY 31 2:30 PM

NITELY  
DANCING

Doors open  
@ 9:45 pm



KESLER CHAMPIONSHIP PRO RODEO STOCK  
WEST COAST AMUSEMENTS  
GAMES OF CHANCE ~ ATV RAFFLE  
ELKS BEER GARDENS - DAILY - CONCESSIONS

### Pro Events

- Bareback
- Saddle Bronc
- Team Roping
- Bull Riding
- Steer Wrestling
- Tie Down Roping
- Ladies Barrels
- Breakaway Roping



### Amateur Events

#### 1/4 mile Race

- Wild Cow Milking
- Calf Scramble
- Jr. Barrels
- Pony Chuckwagons
- Chariot Races
- Clown & Novelty Acts
- Grand Entry by High Prairie Wranglers

### MUTTIN BUSTIN

(8) riders per day  
Call 780-523-3724  
Registration Starting  
July 2nd 10 - 4 pm



*Ricky Ticky  
Wanchuk*



Contact: Elks Rodeo Office Phone: 780.523.3724 Fax: 780.523.5554

EVENT SANCTIONED BY: PRCRA - Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association  
CPRA - Canadian Professional Rodeo Association



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# WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE HIGH PRAIRIE LIBRARY?

## JULY 2024

JULY "SPICE OF THE MONTH" - THYME

NEW SUMMER HOURS BEGIN

SUMMER READING PROGRAM  
Begins Tuesday, July 2

CX ENERGY AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM & STORY TIME  
Resume in Fall  
Registration date to be announced  
Watch our Facebook page



## LIBRARY/PROGRAM CLOSURES

July 1  
Canada Day - Closed

July 30  
Elks Pro Rodeo Parade -  
Closed

### FOR MORE INFORMATION

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High Prairie, AB  
T0G 1E0

Phone (780) 523-3838  
Fax (780) 523-2537  
www.highprairielibrary.ab.ca

[CHECK US OUT ON](#)

**Facebook:** High Prairie Municipal  
Library

**Instagram:** hpmunicipallibrary



Monday	1:00pm - 9:00 pm
Tuesday	9:30 am - 5:30pm
Wednesday	9:30 am - 9:00pm
Thursday	9:30 am - 5:30pm
Friday	9:30 am - 5:30pm
Saturday	10:30 am - 5:00pm
Sunday	CLOSED



2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Summer Reading Begins	Happy Canada Day!  CLOSED	3-5 9-12	6-8A 6-8B	3-5 9-12	6-8A 6-8B	
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CLOSED		CLOSED <b>RODEO</b>	6-8A 6-8B	Try something new Spice of the Month THYME Come in and get a FREE sample		

3-5 Tues & Thurs 10-11 am

6-8A Wed & Fri 10-12 pm

9-12 Tues & Thurs 2-4 pm

6-8B Wed & Fri 2-4 pm



# Triangle 11th Annual **HOEDOWN JAMBOREE**

**JULY 25, 26, 27 & 28, 2024**

### Music & Dancing

Free dry camping.  
Friday & Saturday - OUTSIDE, please bring chairs  
Sunday - Morning Gospel Program  
Concession on site  
Breakfast available: FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
Supper available: FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
Entry by Donation

### CONTACT:

General Info - Darron: 780-523-1581  
Band Info - Louise: 780-536-7497



Music Sets Start  
Thursday July 25th  
at 6pm in the hall



[www.trianglehall.com](http://www.trianglehall.com) - 15km West of High Prairie, AB



# **HIGH PRAIRIE GOLDEN AGE CLUB**

**Sundays** 1:30pm - Crib  
**Thursdays** 7:00pm - Bridge  
**Fridays** 1:30pm - Trump Whist  
Membership - \$20/year

Some activities have a nominal activity fee. A \$1 coffee donation is expected at each activity

4824-53rd Avenue, High Prairie  
next to the town office

## **St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church**

Mass  
**Saturday - 7:00p.m.**  
**Sunday - 10:30a.m.**

**PLEASE JOIN US!**

4633-52nd Avenue, High Prairie  
Telephone: 780-523-3140

Father Lawrence Odoemena  
[pastor.stpauls@gmail.com](mailto:pastor.stpauls@gmail.com)

Facebook: St. Paul's Catholic Church

### **JOHN PADDON**

FIRST AID INSTRUCTOR / PARAMEDIC  
[para2med@gmail.com](mailto:para2med@gmail.com)

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# Meetings

**Mondays & Fridays**  
**7:30pm**

**High Prairie Nazarene Church**  
**(4900-59 Ave)**

**Wednesdays 7:00pm**  
**Grouard**

**Brown Building behind**  
**Kapawe'no Hall #55**

~Enilda~  
FARMERS  
MARKET

**W.I. Community Hall**  
**First Saturday of each month**  
**10AM - 2PM**

**Upcoming Dates:**  
**Saturday, July 6**  
**Saturday, August 3**

 [EnildaFarmersMarket](https://www.facebook.com/EnildaFarmersMarket)

**Enilda Bowling Alley is closed for the season from July 1 - September 20.**

**Have a great summer!**



**W H I S T** Join us at the Big Meadow Hall!  
 Every Tuesday at 7:00pm


**GROUARD  
 HAMLET  
 CHILDREN  
 EARN A  
 WRISTBAND  
 FOR THE  
 STAMPEDE!**

Children under 10 - Draw a picture about Grouard.

Ages 11-17 - Write a page on the topic "if you could change one thing about Grouard, what would you change?"

- **On the back write your name, age, phone number and the address on the blue sign where you live.**
- Submit your entries to the Grouard Seniors by dropping them off with a Seniors executive member in the parking lot at Kapawe'no School between 11:00am and noon on Wednesday, July 17th. NO EXCEPTIONS!
- All entries that show a reasonable effort for their age will get a wristband! They will be posted on Facebook too!
- Pick up your wristbands between 1:00 and 2:00pm in the parking lot at Kapawe'no School on Wednesday, July 24th. NO EXCEPTIONS!

PS to parents - helping your kids with this will save you money and teach them to work for something they want.



Grouard Senior's Purpose:  
 To provide friendly social times  
 Be caring support of members and the community

# Grouard Seniors

July seniors lunches will be at the **College Cafeteria (Kapawe'no School)**.

Please enter from the North Door.

Wednesdays at noon.

See you there!



## Grouard Public Health

Located at Northern Lakes College

Well Child Clinic & Immunizations

To book an appointment call

Laurie, RN - 780-523-6452

### Well Child & Tiny Teeth Clinic Dates:

11:00am - 3:00pm

**Wednesday, July 17**



## GROUARD CEMETERY COMMITTEE

Now that summer has arrived, we have tons of work to do. There are some plot numbers that need to be assigned, new plots to lay out (future burials), and general cleanup of tasks we didn't get to last fall.

We had amazing weather for the mini gatherings we held in conjunction with the Treaty 8 events. Many were thankful for the shade of our canopy tents while others basked in the sunshine of the first week of summer. We had a handful of people stop by and chat with us and we walked around to gather information with them. Thanks to these walk-about we have the names for 4 or 5 more of the visible but unidentified graves. This alone makes the gatherings a success.

We are still progressing with updates to our list but are glad to say that we only have about 150 names that need some clarification (name spelling or dates). We will post these over the coming weeks to see if we can get some insight. As for visible but unidentified graves we still have about 49, but that is a huge difference from a year ago (roughly half as many). Overall, our updates are going well but we are drawing ever closer to the deadline of September 30<sup>th</sup>.

The concrete base for the monument is not something we will be able to do ourselves due to the sheer size of it. We now have a quote for this installation as well which makes our overall expense, including the monument and foundation, of around \$70,000. As yet we have not heard back from the church regarding a request for funding to assist in the purchase of the monument. Fundraising will continue until we order the monument at the end of September.

**Just a reminder, once we order the monument names will not be added so we need our list finalized by the end of September.**

We are continuing to do plot layout for future burials and will notify everyone of these activities on the Grouard Community Facebook page.

If you wish to talk to our Cemetery Research Coordinator, Therese, please contact her via email at [grouardcem@gmail.com](mailto:grouardcem@gmail.com) or by phone at 403.507.5559 (or send a text and she will get back to you)

# JOUSSARD COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION



The next JCA meeting will be held on  
**Monday, September 9 at 7:00pm**  
upstairs at the JCA Hall.

**Have a great summer!**

Joussard Community Association presents

# CANADA DAY CELEBRATION

2024

**MONDAY**

**JULY**

**1**



**JOUSSARD HALL**

**2 PM**

**OPENING CEREMONIES**

**2:30pm**

**Bike Parade**

*Parent & Participant - Follow the Fire Truck*

**3:00pm -**

**Adult & Children Activities**

**5:00pm**

*Crib Tournament - Ring Toss - Bean Bag Game*

**5:30pm**

**Supper Available**

*\$20 Roast Beef Dinner*

*Tickets available at the door*

**6:30pm -**

**Live Music by**

**11:00pm**

**The Troubadours**

**RAIN OR SHINE EVENT**  
**FIREWORKS 11:00PM**

Bring your own lawn chairs  
Alcohol free event

Information: Jeanette 780-536-1028

**Joussard Public Health**

Joussard Homesteaders Hall

Well Child Clinic & Immunizations

Contact Jasmine to book an appointment: 780-523-9731

**Clinic Dates:**

**11:00am - 3:00pm**

**Tuesday, July 16**






**JOUSSARD  
HOMESTEADERS  
SOCIETY**

Join us for cards at the  
Homesteader's Hall every  
Wednesday at 7:30pm!

\$3/person

**St. Anne's Catholic  
Church**



**Mass**  
Sundays - 10:00am  
Tuesday - Saturday 8:30am

**Kinuso Public Health**  
#40 Centre Street Kinuso

Services include Well Child clinics, immunizations,  
baby follow-ups

To book an appointment call Jacquie, RN  
780-775-3501 or 780-523-6450

**Clinic Dates:**  
11:00am - 3:00pm  
Thursday, July 11  
Wednesday, July 17  
Wednesday, July 31



**St. Felix Church Kinuso**

**July Dates:**  
Sunday, July 14 - 9:00AM  
Sunday, July 28 - 9:00AM

Services are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
Sunday of every month

If anyone wishes to get baptized or  
receive their First Communion  
contact Gertie Cunningham  
780-775-2265

**Kinuso Senior Center**  
will be taking a break from activities  
for the summer but will continue to be  
available for rentals.

Have a great summer!



# CENTRAL SLAVE LAKE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

We would like to THANK ALL of our regular curlers, bonspieler's and sponsors for supporting our little curling rink during the 2023-24 Curling Season.



If it weren't for you all – we would not have this lil gem in our Community to enjoy the sport of curling, gatherings and more - Thank you!



We continue to be a vibrant community organization because of the involvement and support from area residents and local businesses. Opportunities are available to advertise your business on the walls of our curling rink! Thousands of people visit our facility each year and the curling rink is used year-round for various events. Each year we invite past participants to again consider sponsoring signage highlighting their company name, logo

and other details. Our rates have not increased this year, and your continued participation is very much appreciated.

Rates are as follows:

**Regular sign = \$200 plus GST**

**Scoreboard = \$250 plus GST**

If you have not participated before now and are interested in showcasing your business, please contact our office at 780-775-2684 for details. We provide the sign board; you design and affix your details.

## **SAVE THE DATE - SEPTEMBER 6, 2024**

Central Slave Lake Agricultural Society is excited to be planning a variety of events on the weekend of September 6, 2024 for an old-fashioned FALL FAIR!

More details will be posted to our Facebook page as they are firmed up! If you would like to come on board and help us plan and manage any of the events, please get in touch with our office at 780-775-2684.



Our Annual General Meeting will be held in October in the curling lounge at the Ag Hall. A valid membership is required to attend the AGM and they are available for \$5.00 up to one-half hour prior to the meeting. The exact date of our AGM will be announced in early Fall.



**MAKE IT, BAKE IT, GROW IT!** Our Farmer's Markets always offer a huge selection of unique, tasty, hand-made gift ideas for everyone.

Table rentals are \$10 each and our Markets run from 10:00am to 2:00pm on the following dates:

- **JULY 6**  
(in Slave Lake for Riverboat Daze!)
- **JULY 20**
- **AUGUST 3**
- **AUGUST 17**
- **AUGUST 31**
- **SEPTEMBER 6**  
(Fall Fair Outdoor Market)
- **DECEMBER 7 (Christmas Market)**



For more information or to become a vendor on any of the above-noted dates, please contact our Market Manager, Jennifer Doucet, at 780-805-6130 or [kinusofarmersmarket@gmail.com](mailto:kinusofarmersmarket@gmail.com).

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### CSLAS is currently recruiting for the following positions:

**KITCHEN OPERATOR:** for the above Market dates and for all CSLAS functions. If individuals or a local community group or association would like to take on this task, on any or all of the above dates as a fund-raising project, we would be pleased to have you join our team. Please contact Barb Seghers at 780-805-9049 to discuss details.

**PART-TIME BOOKKEEPER** to start no later than July 2024. Responsibilities may include but are not limited to:

- Accounts receivable /accounts payable
- Payroll, GST remittances, WCB
- Monthly financial statements
- Maintaining full set of books in Simply Accounting
- Monthly bank reconciliations
- Ad-hoc reports to Directors
- Year-end preparations

**PART-TIME ICE MAKER** for the 2024-2025 curling season. Starting late September/early October, the accredited Ice Technician will work closely with the Curling Committee to ensure that the Curling Season runs as smoothly and effectively as possible. Duties and responsibilities include:

1. Install and make ready the ice surface of the three sheets of ice and, upon completion of the season, to remove the ice, boards, benches etc. and clean the rink to the satisfaction of the Board of Directors and by the date determined by them.
2. Maintain ice surface and ensure that the ice is in the best playing condition possible, performing regular ice maintenance, includes cleaning and pebbling of surface for all draws, bonspiels, and curling rentals.
3. Monitoring and tuning the ice plant and ice making equipment as necessary, and to respond promptly to emergency situations regarding the ice plant and rink in general.
4. Maintain the ice cleaning equipment (i.e., mops, brooms, hand scrapers, etc.), the walkways around the curling sheets etc., in a clean and unobstructed condition for the safety of all curlers.
5. The ice technician is to be available to open, close and to physically remain in the curling rink for all curling related activities such as Regular League Play, After-School Curling, Bonspiels and Ice Rentals.

Please submit your resume and references for any of these positions to [kinusoag@gmail.com](mailto:kinusoag@gmail.com) or by Canada Post to: C.S.L.A.S., Board of Directors, Box 58, Kinuso, Alberta, T0G 1K0

These positions will remain open until suitable candidates are found. Only those selected will be contacted for a personal interview.

# KINUSO MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

**General Hours**  
 Tuesdays and Thursdays  
 10:00am - 2:00pm

## Summer Programming:

### July

- July 11 10:30am- 11:30am Mary Lambert Family show
- July 18 10:30am- 11:30am Crafts
- July 25 11:00am- 12:00pm Giant Jenga
- July 27 10:30am- 11:30am Kids Movie

### August

- August 8 10:30am- 11:30am Lego Building
- August 15 10:30am- 11:30am Bring a friend and read
- August 22 10:30am- 11:30am Giant Checkers
- August 24 11:00am- 12:00pm Kids Movie

Kinuso Municipal Library is looking to hire library worker:

Library worker to help with programing, processing materials and other library tasks.

Please send resume to:  
[librarian@kinusolibrary.ab.ca](mailto:librarian@kinusolibrary.ab.ca)  
 or bring to library to Susan Moody.

**Library Memberships are free!**

Children require parent's permission and contact information.

Summer Reading Program sign up by June 27th

Contact [librarian@kinusolibrary.ab.ca](mailto:librarian@kinusolibrary.ab.ca) with any questions or concerns

ENILDA	<b>Enilda Post Office</b> Closed 12:00pm - 2:00pm		Mon & Thurs Tues & Fri Wednesdays	9:00am - 5:30pm 9:00am - 5:00pm 9:00am - 12:00pm	
FAUST	<b>Faust General Store</b>	780-355-3600	Mon - Sat Sundays & Holidays	9:00am - 10:00pm 12:00pm - 8:00pm	
GROUARD	<b>Bigway Foods</b>	780-751-3964	Mon - Fri Saturday Sunday	9:00am - 10:00pm 10:00am - 10:00pm 12:00pm - 10:00pm	
	<b>Ferguson Market</b>	780-751-2221	Sun - Sat	10:00am - 10:00pm	
	<b>Grouard Post Office (Ferguson Market)</b>		Mon - Fri	9:30am - 12:00pm 3:00pm - 5:00pm	
JOUSSARD	<b>Jerry's Store</b>	780-776-3833	Sun - Sat	9:00am - 10:00pm	
	<b>Joussard Superette</b>	780-776-3840	Sun - Thurs Fri & Sat	9:00am - 11:00pm 9:00am - 12:00pm	
	<b>Joussard Post Office</b> Closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm Mon-Thurs	780-507-7535	Mon - Wed Thursday Friday	10:00am - 4:00pm 10:00am - 6:00pm 10:00am - 1:00pm	
KINUSO	<b>Big Lakes County Satellite Office</b> Closed 12:00pm - 12:30pm	780-775-3570	Tues/Wed/Thurs	8:15am - 4:00pm	
	<b>BHunt Express</b>	780-775-3930	Mon - Fri	8:30am - 5:00pm	
	<b>Kinuso ATB Agency</b>	780-775-3930	Mon - Fri	9:00am - 3:30pm	
	<b>Kinuso Mercantile</b>	780-775-3517	Mon - Sat	9:00am - 6:00pm	
	<b>Kinuso Real Country Restaurant</b>	780-775-3500	Mon - Sat Sunday	11:00am - 9:00pm 3:00pm - 8:00pm	
	<b>Korner Kitchen</b>	780-775-3768	Mon - Sat	8:00am - 8:00pm	
	<b>Swan River Grocery Corp Ag Foods</b>	780-775-3699	Mon - Sat Sunday & Holidays	9:00am - 7:00pm 10:00am - 5:00pm	
	<b>Kinuso Liquor Store</b>		Mon - Sat Sunday	9:00am - 7:00pm 10:00am - 5:00pm	
	<b>Howard's Swan Valley Service</b> Closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm	780-775-3506	Mon - Fri Saturday	8:00am - 6:00pm 9:00am - 5:00pm	
	<b>Kinuso Municipal Library</b>	780-775-3694	Tue & Thurs	10:00am - 2:00pm	
	<b>Kinuso Agricultural Society</b>	780-775-2684	Mond/Tue/Fri	9:00am - 5:00pm	
	<b>Swan River Gas Co-op</b> Closed 12:00pm - 1:00pm	780-775-3779 Emergency 780-849-1408	Mon - Fri	9:00am - 4:30pm	
	HP	<b>Twice is Nice Boutique</b> 5211-49th Street High Prairie	780-523-8503 780-618-6222	Wednesdays Fridays	10:00am - 5:00pm 10:00am - 7:00pm

# COMMUNITY FACILITY RENTALS

## High Prairie Legion #37

Day rent	\$150 + \$250 D.D.
Full day with bar	\$350 + \$250 D.D.

Contact - Don or Brenda Ebbett 780.523.4668

## High Prairie Elk's Hall

Hall rental (non-alcoholic/non-social)	\$500.00 + gst
Hall rental (social/alcohol)	\$1000 + gst
Damage deposit	\$2,000
Janitorial	\$350

Contact - 780.523.3724

## St. Paul's Roman Catholic Church Hall

Full day/funeral gathering	\$150
Less than full day	\$75
use of kitchen - additional fee	\$30
Damage fee w/signed agreement	\$150

Contact - Diana 780.523.8503 or  
Father Lawrence 780.523.3140

## Big Meadow Hall

Daily hall rent	\$500 +\$500 D.D.
Additional days	\$200

Contact - Stella Sware 780.523.2009

## Enilda W.I. Hall

Daily hall rent	\$500 +\$500 D.D.
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Contact - Enilda Bowling Alley 780.523.4211

## Prairie Echo Community Hall

Weekend rental	\$500 + \$500 D.D.
Day rental	\$300 + \$300 D.D.
hourly rate	\$25 + \$300 D.D.

Contact - Sarah 780.536.0894

## Pioneer Thresherman's Triangle Hall

Weekend rate: Fri 12pm - Sun 2pm	\$1,000 +\$1000 D.D.
Full day	\$500 +\$500 D.D.
Funeral (full day)	\$300
Church (all day)	\$100
Dishes (plates, glassware, cutlery)	\$250
RV plug-in flat rate (per weekend)	\$50

Deposit at time of booking  
(non-refundable; credited to rental fee) \$250

Contact - Mandy 780.523.1156

## Joussard Homesteaders Hall

Regular hall rent (+\$150 if prep evening before)	\$300 +\$200 D.D.
weddings (full day; +\$150 if prep evening before)	\$300 +\$200 D.D.
Meeting rate (half day)	\$100
Funerals & afternoon	\$150
Afternoon or evening event	\$100 +\$150 D.D.

Contact Lorene - 780.523.1399

## Kapawe'No Community Hall

Regular hall rental	\$275 + \$100 D.D.
Rent tables & chairs to take to venue	\$50

Contact - 780.751.3800

## Sunset House Community Hall

Community Center	\$300 + \$500 D.D.
-each additional day after	\$200
Kitchen only	\$100
Funerals	\$150
Gym use for games	\$20/hr
Meetings rooms	\$20/hr

Contact - Andrea 780.623.1016

## Banana Belt Hall

Half day (Birthday Parties, Classes, etc.)	\$175 +\$175 D.D.
Full day	\$350 +\$350 D.D.
Weekend (Wedding, Reunions)	\$700 +\$700 D.D.
Bar service (min. 3 servers hired) Renter provides liquor and supplies	TBD
Bar service Hall provides liquor, supplies, and servers	TBD

Contact - Darla Driscoll 780.523.0624

## Central Slave Lake Agricultural Society

Hall rental security/damage deposit	\$500
Hall rental	\$500
Warming trays	\$20 each
Hall - special circumstances - deposit	\$500
Funerals	\$150
Wakes	\$250
Workshops	\$250 <sup>half day</sup> \$350 <sup>full day</sup>
Kitchen use	+ \$100
Curling rink security/damage deposit	\$500
Rink rental (off-season)	\$250
Bonspiels - ice rental	\$250 <sup>per day</sup>
Bonspiels - with use of hall	\$250
More than 25 rinks	\$550
Schools/Private rentals	\$100
Curling lounge deposit	\$250
Curling Lounge	\$250
Community Centre deposit	\$250
Community Centre	\$75
Any event serving alcohol	+\$100

Contact - Merry-Lee 780.775.2684  
Mon/Tues/Fri 9:00am-4:30pm

## Joussard Community Association

Full day function (Meetings, showers, funerals)	\$300.00 <sup>+\$200 DD</sup>
Weddings/Reunions	\$800.00 <sup>+\$300 DD</sup>
Community development workshops	No charge/no DD

Contact - Jeanette 780.536.1028

## Faust Multicultural Gathering Place

Small hall - hourly rate	\$25.00
Meetings half day	\$60
Meetings full day	\$100
Private events with liquor <sup>(served by FCA)</sup>	\$250
Kitchen 6 hours	\$100
All the above damage deposit	\$100
Other functions full day	\$150 <sup>+\$150 D.D.</sup>
Damage deposit for above	\$150
Large hall	
Small event hourly rate	\$100 <sup>+\$100 D.D.</sup>
Full day (8hrs)	\$500 <sup>+\$500 D.D.</sup>
Meetings only	\$250 <sup>+\$150 D.D.</sup>

Contact - Lynn Shewchuk 780.355.3566 or  
403.352.6318

## High Prairie Agricultural Society Arena

Arena rental - members (Members only rental rate for members in good standing)	30/hr.
Prime time (weekdays 6pm-10pm, Weekends 11am onwards) requires a minimum of 2 hour booking	60/hr.
Arena rental (Minimum 2 hour booking required between Oct & April 5pm-10pm)	60/hr.
Arena day rental (non-commercial use 24 hour day = 7am-7pm the following day, Day = 9am-5pm) ARENA ONLY	\$660/day (24 hours) \$300/day (8 hours) DD equal to rent

Upstairs meeting room	\$30/hr. if cleaned by renter \$90 for 3+ hours; \$75 if cleaned by renter
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## BIG LAKES COUNTY WASTE CENTRES

**24/7 Public Works On Call:**  
**780-523-8806**

**Manned Transfer Sites**  
**Summer Hours effective**  
**April 1 - September 30**

**Wednesdays & Sundays**  
**10:00am - 7:00pm**

<b>Banana Belt</b>	PT(SW)-11-73-17-W5
<b>Faust/Kinuso</b>	SE-07-73-10-W5
<b>Grouard</b>	PT(NE)-32-75-14-W5
<b>Heart River</b>	NE-31-76-17-W5
<b>Joussard</b>	NW-33-73-13-W5
<b>H.P./Gilwood</b>	NW-24-74-18-W5

## Regional Landfill

**NW-9-73-15-W5 780-523-5760**

**Monday/Thursday/Saturday**  
**10:00am - 5:00pm**


Closed Christmas Day, Boxing Day, New  
Years Day, Easter Sunday

Manned transfer stations may be closed during inclement weather or other conditions that pose a risk to personnel and public. Such closing may occur without any notice.

No verbal or physical abuse of any kind shall be tolerated by attendants or staff. Authorities will be contacted immediately.

### **PLEASE NOTE:**

**The gravel stock piles at the transfer stations are not for public use. Anyone caught taking gravel will be reported to local authorities.**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 <b>Happy Canada Day!</b>  County/FCSS Offices Closed JCA Canada Day Celebration 2:00pm	2 <u>Big Lakes Bus to HP County pick-ups</u>  Joussard Mass 8:30am Big Meadow Hall Whist 7:00pm	3 <u>Big Lakes Bus in HP HP pick-ups</u>  Joussard Mass 8:30am Grouard Seniors Lunch 12:00pm Homesteaders Cards 7:30pm	4 <u>Big Lakes Bus to SL HP &amp; County pick-ups</u>  Joussard Mass 8:30am HP Golden Age Bridge 7:00pm	5  Joussard Mass 8:30am HP Golden Age Whist 1:30pm	6  Joussard Mass 8:30am Enilda Farmer's Market 10:00am Kinuso Farmer's Market 10:00am (in Slave Lake) HP St. Paul's Church 7:00pm
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