



ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY

LIBRARY LINES

January 2024

HOURS OF OPERATION

Mon. 11:00 am - 4:00 pm
Wed. 2:00 pm - 7:30 pm
Thurs. 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

CONTACT US

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GHOST HUNTERS

A Ghost Hunter kit will be available at the library Jan. 4-17. The kit includes several ghost hunting books, and EMF detector, voice recorder, UV goggles, and more!

There will be two in-house programs to show how to use the kit.

Wednesday, Jan. 10


3:00-4:30 pm

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6:30-7:30 pm

Canada

RADON

 **RADON IS THE #1 CAUSE OF LUNG CANCER IN NON-SMOKERS.**

Radon is a radioactive gas that comes from the breakdown of uranium in soil and rock. It is invisible, odourless and tasteless.

 **ALL HOMES HAVE SOME LEVEL OF RADON. THE ONLY WAY TO KNOW IS TO TEST.**

Health Canada recommends a long-term test for 3 months, ideally during the fall or wintertime.

ASK YOUR LIBRARY ABOUT THE RADON MONITOR LENDING PROGRAM AND GET A DISCOUNT CODE FOR A LONG-TERM RADON TEST KIT.

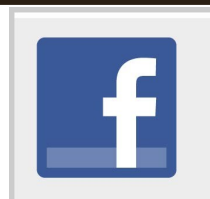
For more information about radon, visit www.canada.ca/radon

Available @ the Rochester Library

WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS!!


We are always looking for volunteers. If you would be interested in helping at the library or updating our library website and/or Facebook page, please stop in for a chat. We can always find something for you to do!!

Also, we are looking for a volunteer to represent the library on the County Library Board. This commitment would involve attending board meetings four times a year. If interested, please contact the library for more information.



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Show and Tell Book Club

Meets the 2nd Wednesday of every month @ 2 pm

Join us for the book discussions of YOUR favorite books. Listen as other readers share their favorites that may become one of yours!

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 2024

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YOUR FAMILY TREE

Wednesday, Jan. 17, 2024
3:30 - 5:00 pm
Rochester Library

TIPS OF WHERE TO SEARCH
FOR YOUR FAMILY TREE



LEGO CLUB

Fourth Wednesday of Each month

Wednesday, Jan. 24
5:30 - 6:30

Open to all ages

Bring a friend along with your imagination and start building something great!



TRIVIA NIGHT

Snacks Fun Night

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 2024
6:30 PM

Rochester Library

Bring a team or come solo and we will add you to a team

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READING TAKES YOU EVERYWHERE 2024 WINTER READING PROGRAM

Join us for the 2024 Winter Reading Program and let your adventures take you everywhere! The program runs throughout the months of January and February and is open to all ages. Pick up a reading log at the library and record the number of minutes you read on each day to win prizes.

Age Categories: Ages 0-5
Ages 6-9
Ages 10-16
Ages 17 and up

The more you read; the more times your name goes into the draw. Read, Record, Reward!

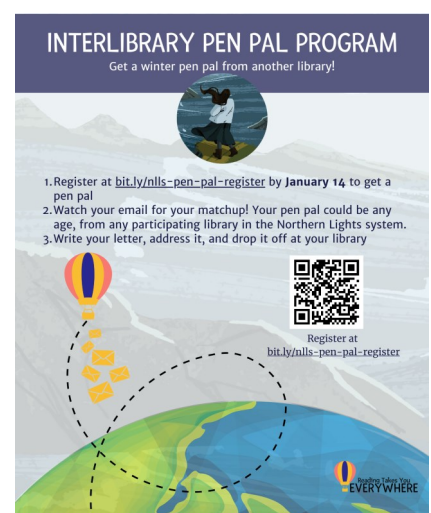
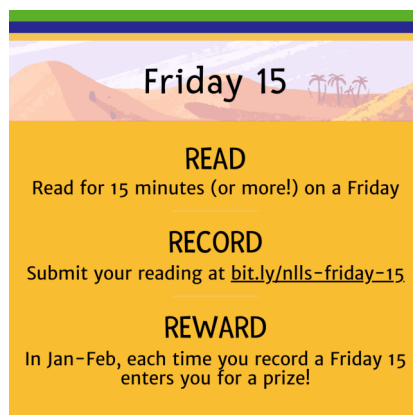
Game Board: All reading logs will be eligible to play the “Reading Game” located in the library as well as enter for other prizes.

NLLS Draws: All participants are also eligible for the NLLS prizes draws as well!

Visit <https://www.nllsreadingprograms.ca/> for more activities, log reading times, pen pal registration, etc. You may also hand in your reading logs or email to info@rochesterlibrary.ab.ca, Contact the library if you have questions.



Stop by the library for weekly take-home crafts. Supplies will be limited, so don't miss out!



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ROCHESTER SCHOOL

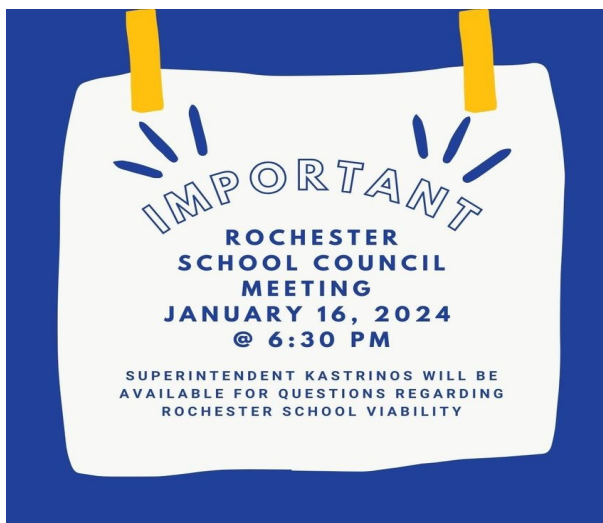
Upcoming Events

Dec. 25 - Jan. 5 - Christmas Break.
Jan. 8, 2024 - Classes resume
Jan. 16 - School Council Mtg - 6:30 pm
Jan. 31 - PD day - No school for students

ROCHESTER AG. SOCIETY

Upcoming Events

Jan. 4 - Rochester Bingo—CANCELLED
Jan. 18 - Ag Society Meeting - 7 pm @ the library
Jan. 20 - Ukrainian New Years Supper & Dance -
CANCELLED



IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING ROCHESTER SCHOOL

The Board of Trustees of Aspen View will be making a decision regarding the future of Rochester School at their January 25 meeting.

An information package, including background information, enrolment statistics and potential funding scenarios, has been shared on Rochester School's website as well as Aspen View's, and emailed to all school families. Copies are also available at both Rochester School and Aspen View Public Schools Division Office.

Any stakeholders who have questions or wish to provide feedback regarding Rochester School's viability, are invited to contact Aspen View Public Schools Superintendent Constantine Kastrinos via email at constantine.kastrinos@aspenview.org. Written submissions are welcome, and opportunities for discussions with individual families/stakeholders can be arranged. All feedback will be shared with the Board of Trustees prior to its January 25, 2024 meeting.

There is an Intent to Register Survey on both the Rochester School website as well as Aspen Views. Families with children ages 0-5 are encouraged to complete the survey to help with enrolment numbers.

THE ROCHESTER'S SENIORS CENTRE
IS LOOKING FOR MEMBERS TO
ATTEND OUR WEEKLY CARDS AND
SOCIALIZING



EVERY MONDAY
AT ROCHESTER SENIORS' CENTRE
1 - 4 PM

Rochester Outdoor Rink

The ice is ready for use! Thanks to the members of the Rochester Fire Department for getting the ice ready. NOW LET'S DO OUR PART AND KEEP IT CLEAN AND STOP VANDALIZING IT! This is for the community, and it's very discouraging when a few spoil it for the majority!

COFFEE TIME

Monday, Wednesday
and Friday
9 am - 11 am
Rochester Seniors
Centre



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THE 2024 COMMUNITY BIRTHDAY CALENDARS HAVE ARRIVED

\$15



You may pickup your copy
at the library, or call
780-349-0690 to make
other arrangements.

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING
THE ROCHESTER LIBRARY**

Travelling FAMILY CENTRE



January

Colinton Community Centre
Tues, January 9, 2024
10:30am to 12:00pm

Boyle Public Library
Tues, January 16, 2024
10:30am to 12:00pm

Rochester Community Library
Thurs, January 18, 2024
11:00am to 1:00pm

Grassland Library
Thurs, January 25, 2024
9:30am to 10:30am

Programs

Story Time
Alphabet Detective
Dance & Sing
Caregiver Connection
and more!



Alberta Provincial Family Resource Networks

FOR MORE INFORMATION
Contact Amanda Potts
Phone: (780) 675-2623 or
apotts@athabascacounty.com

Athabasca Family Centre

3598-48 Ave



January 2024

MONDAY	Tuesday	Wednesday	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	Saturday
1. Centre Closed	2. 10:00-11:00am Coffee Chat	3. 10:00-11:00am Coffee Chat	4. 10:00-11:00am Coffee Chat	5. 10:00-11:00am Coffee Chat	6. Centre Closed
8. 9:00-11:30am Walk and Talk 1:30-2:00pm Coffee Chat 2:00-2:30pm Craft and Shine	9. 10:30-11:30am Partners In Time @ Pleasant Valley Lodge (Online) 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat 10:30am-12:00pm *Join us at Colinton Community Centre* Travelling Family Centre	10. 10:00-11:00am Rhymes That Bind 1:30-2:30pm Partners In Time @ Extendicare (Movie and Popcorn) 3:30-4:30pm Fast Feet@ WHPS school gym *Join us at Colinton Community Centre* 3:30-5:00pm Youth Club @ LTIS (Board Games) pre-register	7. 10:00-11:30am Baby Group 1:30-3:00pm Coffee Chat	12. 10:00-12:00pm Remember Me pre-register	13. 9:00-11:00am Pancakes and Play
15. 9:00-11:30am Walk and Talk 1:30-2:00pm Coffee Chat 2:00-2:30pm Craft and Shine	16. 10:30-11:30am Sensory Exploring 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat 10:30am-12:00pm *Join us at Boyle Library* Travelling Family Centre	17. 10:00-11:00am Rhymes That Bind 3:30-4:30pm Fast Feet@ WHPS school gym 3:30-5:00pm Youth Club @ EPC/craft (Specialized table) pre-register	18. 10:00-11:30am Baby Group-Baby Yoga/ Massage 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat 11:00am-1:00pm *Join us at Rochester Library* Travelling Family Centre	19. 10:00-12:00pm Remember Me pre-register	20. Centre Closed
22. 9:00-11:30am Walk and Talk 1:30-2:00pm Coffee Chat 2:00-2:30pm Craft and Shine	23. 10:30-11:30am Partners In Time @ Pleasant Valley Lodge (Craft) 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat	24. 10:00-11:00am Rhymes That Bind 1:30-2:30pm Partners In Time @ Extendicare (Shuffleboard) 3:30-4:30pm Fast Feet@ WHPS school gym 3:30-5:00pm Youth Club @ LTIS/craft (Specialized table) pre-register	25. 10:00-11:30am Baby Group-Public Health Nurse 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat 9:30am-10:30am *Join us at Grassland Library* Travelling Family Centre	26. 10:00-12:00pm Remember Me pre-register	27. Centre Closed
29. Centre Closed	30. 9:30-11:00am Sensory Exploring 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat 3:30pm-6:30pm *Boyle Youth Centre* Home Alone Register with Boyle Youth Centre	31. 10:00-11:00am Rhymes That Bind 1:30-2:30pm Coffee Chat 3:30-4:30pm Fast Feet@ WHPS school gym			

Baby Group: A time for caregivers with babies under 12 months to meet other caregivers and babies and discuss current topics. Health Nurse in attendance once a month.
Mom/Baby Yoga: once a month.
Coffee Chat: Let's connect through conversation and discuss topics you are finding challenging.
Craft and Shine: Use your creative skills to make a craft. Morning and afternoon craft on the same day will be the same craft.
Pancakes and Play: One Saturday a month join us for pancakes and play time in the center.
Remember Me: Weekly workshops to help you connect to your inner self.
Rhymes That Bind: Susan with Words Work Literacy will be coming to share stories, books, rhymes and songs with children.
Sensory Exploring: Let your child learn through their senses.
Fast Feet: Join us at WHPS school gym for a fun physical activity program: running, throwing, catching, kicking, movement games and more! Must have indoor shoes.
Partners In Time: Interact with the seniors through a variety of activities (at Extendicare and Pleasant Valley Lodge see calendar for location and times).
Walk and Talk: Walk around the Multiplex, Redhouse by yourself or with your little one (bring a stroller, bike, etc) and receive new Triple P Tip Sheets each week. Everyone of all ages welcome.
Your indoor shoes.
Youth Club: See calendar for activity and school location. Please pre-register with Amanda at (780) 675-2623.
Travelling Family Centre: Crafts, stories, singing and caregiver education at communities within the NLFRL.

*In the centre

**Outreach



ADULT VOLLEYBALL

Adult Volleyball
Every Wednesday
School Gymnasium
7:30 pm

For more info call 780-689-9716

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Regular Monthly Bingo

Perryvale Hall
Friday, January 26, 2024
Doors open @ 6 pm
Pre-call @ 7 pm

Lucky 7, Odd & Even, Early Bird, Lots of Games

Minors Welcome
 Concession Available

If anyone would like to add anything to our library newsletter, please e-mail me the submission in a jpeg format to tmorey@rochesterlibrary.ab.ca before the last Monday of each month. If there is room, I'd be happy to include it.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Cards @ Sr. Center 1 pm Christmas Break No School LIBRARY CLOSED	2 Christmas Break No School	3 Christmas Break No School Library Open 2-7:30	4 Story Time 11 am Christmas Break No School Library Open 11-4	5 Christmas Break No School	6
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