



ROCHESTER PUBLIC LIBRARY

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December 2022

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

E-mail - tmorey@rochesterlibrary.ab.ca
Web page - www.rochesterlibrary.ab.ca
Facebook - Rochester Library
Phone - 780-698-3970, 780-349-0690 (cell)

STORY TIME



Join us for a story, music and crafts
Thursdays at 11:00 am.

Athabasca Family Network visits us the
third Thursday of each month.

Open to children ages 0-6.
"Special" story time for Dec. 15/22.

Christmas Hours



The Library will be closed Monday,
Dec. 26 - Tuesday, Jan. 3 for the
Christmas break. We will re-open
January 4 at 2 pm. On behalf of the Rochester Li-
brary, I would like to wish everyone a **VERY
MERRY CHRISTMAS and ALL THE BEST
IN 2023!!**

LEGO CLUB

We will meet the fourth Wednesday in January



Nov. 23, 2022
5:30 - 6:00
Open to all ages

Bring your friends and challenge with yours!

GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

THIRD WEDNESDAY OF EACH MONTH

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 21, 2022
3:30 PM

INTERESTED IN LOOKING UP YOUR FAMILY HISTORY AND UNSURE WHERE
TO START? JOIN US AS WE WORK TOGETHER TO FIND OUR ANCESTORS.

Contact the library for more information.

DECEMBER'S CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

Christmas Crafts

There will be two sessions for children ages 5-11 and one for ages 12-15. Numbers will be limited, so **registration is a MUST**. Please register with the library, via e-mail, text, or Facebook messenger! Anyone willing to help or organize a craft, please contact the library.

Ages 5-11
December 7 - 3-4:30 pm
December 8 - 3-4:30 pm

Ages 12-15
December 15 - 3-4:30 pm



CREATIVE FRIDAY

What a better way to celebrate the season than
to make some homemade chocolates. Each
participant will have the chance to make at
least two kinds of chocolates and take home
their products.

Friday, December 16, 2022
7 PM

AT THE ROCHESTER LIBRARY

Please register by submitting the fee
of \$30. Numbers are limited so
register early!

More information contact:
Tammy at (780)349-0690



Rochester Outdoor Rink

The ice is ready for use! Thanks to the members of the
Rochester Fire Department for getting the ice ready to
use. **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!

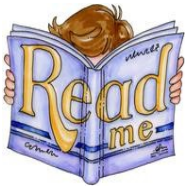
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CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

Wednesday, January 4, 2023
Ages 6-12
3:00 - 4:30

Kick-off to the Winter Reading Program. Join us for some great fun!



This is the first day back after the Christmas break, so register today!

Register by e-mailing the library at tmorey@rochesterlibrary.ab.ca



ROCHESTER CHRISTMAS GIFT FAIR



November 26, 2022

10 am - 4 pm Rochester Hall

Featuring Local Artisans

Handmade goodies, Christmas florals, home decor, candles, jewelry, bath/body products, and much more!

Text or call 780-719-7631 for more information

**** The students of Rochester Jr. High will be providing the concession. Make sure you stop and support them!**

STAY TUNED FOR INFORMATION REGARDING THE WINTER READING PROGRAM!

NLLS LIBRARIES WINTER READING

Adventure Awaits



at the Library

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



EVERY MONDAY

AT ROCHESTER SENIORS CENTRE

1 - 4 PM

LUNCH PROVIDED

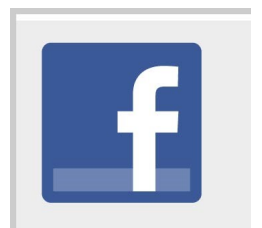
COFFEE TIME

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



Rochester Christmas Classic

Are you interested in bringing back the Christmas Classic? We need at least 8 teams for it to go ahead. If interested, call Andrew (780-307-5172) before Dec. 7 so we can get the ball rolling. Tentative date would be Dec. 16, 2022.



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ROCHESTER SCHOOL Upcoming Events

Dec. 2 - No school (PD day)
Dec. 15 - Christmas Concert at the school - 1:30 pm
with activities to follow until 5:30 pm
Dec. 21 - Jan. 3 - Christmas Break (No School)

WATCH FOR NOTICE OF MOM'S PANTRY
DELIVERY

ROCHESTER UNITED CHURCH

There will be no services now until April 2, 2023.

ROCHESTER AG. SOCIETY Upcoming Events

Dec. 1 - Rochester Bingo

WATCH FOR UPCOMING INFORMATION
REGARDING THE UKRAINIAN NEW YEARS'
EVENT.



TURKEY AND HAM BINGO

ROCHESTER COMMUNITY
HALL

DECEMBER 1st, 2022
DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM
BINGO STARTS AND 7:00 PM



EXTRA GAMES FOR ½ THE HOUSE
ODD AND EVEN, BONANZA AND
2, 3, 5 NEVADAS ALSO AVAILABLE
Supper loonie pot is over \$800.00
Minors are welcome!

Rochester Community Supper

At Rochester Senior's Centre
On Thursday, December 1st at 5:30 p.m.

Roast Beef
Mashed Potatoes and Gravy
Green Beans
Coleslaw
Pickles and Buns
Tea, Coffee, and Juice
Trifles for Dessert!

Take out available!

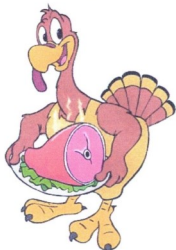
Prepared by the Rochester Ag. Society

Adults - \$12.00
6 – 12 years old - \$7.00
5 and under – Free

All children must be accompanied by a parent/guardian!

Everyone is Welcome!!!

HAM AND TURKEY



BINGO

Perryvale Hall
Saturday, December 3, 2022

Doors open at 6:00 p.m.
Pre-Call at 7:00 p.m.

Lucky 7, Odd & Even, Early Bird, Lots of Games
Minors Welcome
Concession Available



ROCHESTER AG. SOCIETY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15
7:00 PM
ROCHESTER COMMUNITY HALL

EVERYONE WELCOME

** The Ag. Society is desperately looking for mem-
bers. Unfortunately, if they don't get more members,
they will have to fold. So, PLEASE come out to the
meeting to show your support!

ADULT VOLLEYBALL

Adult Volleyball has started again!
Every Wednesday
School Gymnasium
7:30 pm



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TAWATINAW RIVER OPEN HOUSE

November 26th, 2022
Rochester Seniors' Center
10am - noon

JOIN US FOR FREE COFFEE, SNACKS, AND DISCUSSION

The Athabasca Watershed Council and Crooked Creek Conservancy Society are hosting a conversation with guest speakers about fish, shorelines, and water quality in the Tawatinaw River watershed.

Speakers will join us from:

- Alberta Environment and Protected Areas Fisheries Department
- Athabasca Watershed Council
- Crooked Creek Conservancy Society
- Land Stewardship Center

If you are a landowner along the Tawatinaw River, or if you have an interest, please join us! We look forward to seeing you there. If you have any questions, please email scott@abac.ab.ca.



The Athabasca Watershed Council and Crooked Creek Conservancy Society are co-hosting a conversation with guest speakers about fish, shorelines, and water quality in the Tawatinaw River watershed!

Join us at the Rochester Seniors' Centre on November 26, 10:00 am—12 noon for free coffee, snacks and discussion! The event is open to landowners, residents and anyone who

would like to attend to discuss the shorelands and fish in Tawatinaw Valley. Learn more at: <https://awc-wpac.ca/awc-event/tawatinaw-river-open-house/>

No registration is required. In attendance will be speakers from the Athabasca Watershed Council AWC and Crooked Creek Conservancy Society of Athabasca CCSA, senior biologist from AEP and a program coordinator from Land Stewardship Centre Green Acreages.

Shorelands and Fish in the Tawatinaw River Valley Open House

Location: Rochester Seniors' Center
Date: November 26, 2022
Time: 10 am – 12 pm



Purpose: To learn about shorelands and fish in the Tawatinaw River watershed and to build interest in forming a Tawatinaw watershed stewardship group.

Agenda

Time	Agenda Item	Lead
9:30-10:00 am	Coffee and continental breakfast	All
10:00-10:15 am	Athabasca Watershed Council's Healthy Shorelines Initiative	Petra Rowell, AWC Executive Director and Sarah MacDonald, AWC Watershed Science Coordinator
10:15-10:45 am	The State of Fisheries in the Tawatinaw River	Marcel Macullo, AEP Senior Fisheries Biologist
10:45-11:15 am	Land Stewardship Center Green Acreages Program	Milena McWatt, LSC Green Acreages Program Coordinator
11:15-11:30 am	The Crooked Creek Conservancy and Tawatinaw Stewards	Harvey Scott with Crooked Creek and Tawatinaw Watershed Volunteers
11:30 am-12 pm	Open House (networking, coffee, poster viewing, etc.)	All

Heartwood Folk Club

IS THRILLED TO ANNOUNCE THE

AUTUMN 2022 SEASON

TIM HUS
& his Travelin' Band
Friday Oct 7
Homegrown Canadiana
Roots-Country Music



PHYLLIS SINCLAIR
Friday October 21

THE MCDADES
Friday November 18

SCOTT COOK
Wednesday December 7

Nancy Appleby Theatre
4720 - 48 Street
Athabasca
Show Time is 7:30 pm



Season Tickets

Adult \$99 - Senior & Youth \$90

Under 12 - Always Free!

Single Show Tickets

Advance Sale \$30

At the Door \$35

Advance Tickets available at

Value Drug Mart
Whispering Hills Fuels
Harvey 780-675-4158
George 780-698-3957

Gift Certificates Available!

ATHABASCA FAMILY CENTRE

HOLIDAY MOVIE

Featuring

"THE GRINCH"

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21

Movie Starts at 10:00am
at Athabasca Family Centre



Please feel free to wear your **HOLIDAY PAJAMAS**.
After the movie, enjoy a **HOLIDAY POTLUCK**.

MORE INFO!
Please contact Christa or Amanda at 780-675-2623

SPAGHETTI SUPPER & SILENT AUCTION FUNDRAISER

ATHABASCA UNITED CHURCH BASEMENT

4817 - 48th Street, Athabasca



Friday,
December 2,
2022, 4:30 - 7 pm

In-person & Curbside Pick-up

\$14.00 per plate

3 Spaghetti Sauces: Meat, Alfredo & Mushroom +
Focaccia Bread, Coleslaw & Dessert. *Gluten free spaghetti available.*

TO BOOK YOUR TAKE-OUT CALL: (780) 675-2341

Profits Support Church Youth Group & Church Carbon Footprint Reduction

FREE DIGITAL PHOTO WITH SANTA



FRIDAY DECEMBER 9

@ ATHABASCA FAMILY CENTRE

3598-48 AVE ATHABASCA AB, T9S 1T9

9:00AM-12:00PM

5 MIN TIME SLOTS WILL BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE.
PLEASE CALL (780) 675-8313 OR
TEXT (780) 327-4461 TO BOOK A TIME
TIMES ARE BOOKED ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS

Check us out on Facebook at "Athabasca Family Centre"

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1 Story Time 11 am Community Supper 5:30 pm Rochester Ham & Turkey Bingo Doors Open - 6 pm Library Open	2 NO SCHOOL	3 Perryvale Ham & Turkey Bingo
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Embraced Healing

Usui Holy Fire Reiki III
Reiki Practitioner Connie Lapierre
Call to book your date
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