

Joke of the Month

How do librarians keep novels warm?



They give them a book jacket!

Would you be interested?

Do you travel? Would you like to share your experiences with fellow community members? If you'd be interested in sharing your places of travel in a series of "Armchair Travel" sessions, please give us a call! (403) 638 - 4000

TREX Exhibit: Adornment ~ Feb 1 - 28th

Step into the library during the month of February to experience a unique art exhibit titled Adornment.

According to the dictionary, 'adornment' refers to the use of item (s) that decorate, embellish, enhance, beautify, or enrich. It could be said adornment is the finishing touch that distinguishes the wearer. Adornment from an Indigenous perspective goes beyond the item's beauty. It is an artistic expression that conveys many levels of communication. It makes connection to a spiritual foundation, the importance to land and place, and defines inherent culture.



This exhibition was curated by MJ Belcourt and organized by the Art Gallery of Alberta for the Alberta Foundation for the Arts Travelling Exhibition Program.

Sundre WINTERFEST

Winterfest is back on

Sunday, Feb 18th & Monday, Feb 19th, 2024

at the Sundre Museum, Greenwood Campground + Gazebo and the Eastside Boardwalk. Featuring the 4th Annual Mountain Survivalist Competition and a host of activities and events that include:

Ice Sculptures - Live Music - Ice Skating - Wagon Rides - Wood Carving Display - Indigenous Medicine walk provided by Mahikan Trails (please register for this event at reg@brenda.mahikan@gmail.com)

Visit <https://www.sundrewinterfest.com> for dates and times for all the events taking place over the weekend!

We are proud to be a part of this annual event by providing a fun Take & Make craft kit that will be available for pick up at the Sundre Museum.

Blind Date With A Book (the month of February)

Take a chance on a new book by taking a book home without knowing its title!
How does it work? Read the brief description on the front of the wrapped books and choose one to checkout. Once you get it home, unwrap it to officially meet your date. Give the book a chance (read at least 25 pages).

There is no limit to the amount of dates you can go on!



Books 2 Eat...Mark your calendars!

Get your calendars ready for our 5th AMAZING Books2Eat Library Fundraiser. The 'most delicious event of the year' will be taking place in **early April**. Join us as we partner with local restaurants and businesses to celebrate **GOOD FOOD** and **GOOD BOOKS!** More details **COMING SOON!**



Genealogy

Research your roots with "teach and try" sessions hosted by our resident community experts and build on your searching skills!

Join us! Sessions run the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month from 9:30-11:30AM

Tuesday, February 6th and 20th



Knitter's Night

Join our group of talented, friendly and fun individuals that meet every Wednesday night. Needle work, knitting, crocheting, and any other art/craft hobby is welcome! Stop in, meet some like minded people, and have some fun! No experience necessary.

Wednesday, February 7, 14, 21, 28 from 6:00 - 8:00PM



...Not Just Books!

The weather has had it's ups and downs. Because it has been so unpredictable, some surfaces may be a little tricky to maneuver if you are out and about. The library can help with that! We have a number of items ready for you to borrow, such as **ice cleats** and **walking poles**, to help keep you safe while enjoying the outdoors!



What's happening this Month...

*See our website for more information and details on how to register.

Rhyme Time: Age 0-5 with a caregiver

Join Miss Karen and Miss Alexa for songs, stories, rhymes and songs! This event is free to attend for ages 0 - 5 with a caregiver and takes place Tuesday mornings (except the first Tuesday of the month). February 13th will include special Valentine's day activities!

Tuesday, February 13, 20, and 27 from 9:30 - 10:30AM



Pop-up Play: Age 0-5 with a caregiver

In partnership with MVFRN, on the first Tuesday of each month, we're inviting caregivers and their children 0-5 of age to drop in for a play and visit with other parents and their children.

Tuesday, February 6th from 9:30-11:30AM



LEGO Club: Ages 6-11 *registration required*

Do you have child between the age of 6 and 11 who loves to create with LEGO? Let them explore the Sundre Library LEGO collection! They can take part in the monthly challenge or build a masterpiece unique to them! Please call (403) 638 - 4000 to register.

Thursday, February 8th from 3:15-4:15PM



Teen Hangout: Ages 11-17

On the first Thursday of the month, teens get to hangout at the library for an afternoon of games, snacks, and fun! This event is hosted in partnership with MVFRN and is free to attend. No registration is required.

Thursday, February 1st from 3:30 - 5:00PM



Family Gym Time: Ages 0-6 with a parent or caregiver

Looking for something fun to do? Do the kids need to burn off some energy? Join the library in partnership with MVFRN at the Sundre Community Center gym for some parented activities. This program runs on the third Friday of the month and is FREE to attend!

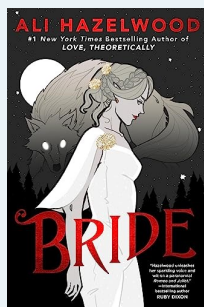
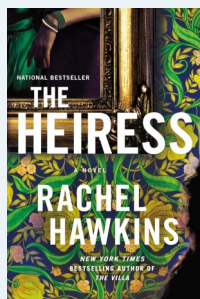
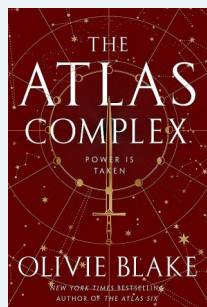
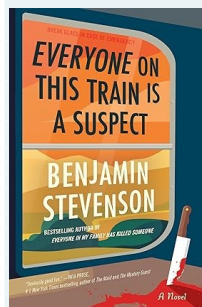
Thursday, February 16 from 9:30 - 11:30AM



Psst! Did you know we have a large variety of puzzles available for you to take out? We have something suitable for everyone in your family. Stop in to see what we have!



Only a few of the dozens of items COMING SOON
to the Sundre Library
Don't wait...place your hold now!



Sandra's
Movie Picks

The Most Overdue Book

Colonel Robert Walpole apparently borrowed the book in 1667-8 when he was an undergrad at Trinity College though the book was not returned according to biographer, Dr J. H. Plumb. There are no surviving records of loans from that time so the exact date it was borrowed is uncertain. Dr Plumb discovered the book while working on the biography at Houghton Hall in Norfolk. He returned it to Sidney Sussex on January 16, 1956, at the suggestion of Walpole's descendant. It was therefore at least **287** years overdue.

"Scriptores rerum Germanicarum septentrionalium vicinorumque populorum diversi" was the title of the book.

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Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	9:00—5:00 PM
Wednesday	12:00—8:00 PM
Thursday	12:00—5:00 PM
Friday	12:00—5:00 PM
Saturday	11:00—3:00 PM

CLOSED Sundays, Mondays
& Holidays

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