

not Just BOOKS!

The Sundre Municipal Library Newsletter

June 2024

SUMMER Happenings

Summer is just around the corner and we have exciting things planned! Here's your SNEAK PEAK at all we have on the go this summer for kids and families!

Sundre Forest Products Summer Reading Club:

Tuesday's and Thursday's we'll be hanging out with the 4-12 year old crowd, exploring books, games, and crafts & activities (including mini-golf, water gun canvas painting and NERF Wars!). SRC runs July 2 through August 15. Program times are 10:30 - 12:00 noon for ages 4-7 & 1:00 - 2:30 PM for ages 8-12. Registration is not required but parents/guardians will need to complete a family information form.



Wednesday's are still WILD as we feature stories, special guests, and unique and fun learning opportunities the whole family can enjoy. This program runs from 1:00 - 2:30 PM.

Kids Reading Challenges:

Keep your child reading this summer with our Kids Reading Challenges. Kids are invited to track how many minutes they read this summer on a reading log to help us build a pizza AND earn a special guest ticket for our summer pizza party when a completed log is handed in! Logs available starting July 2.

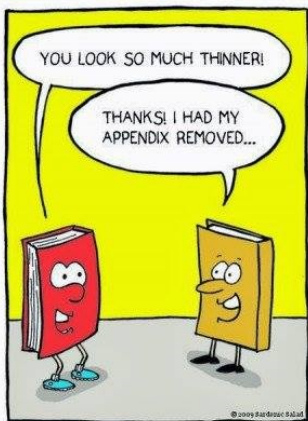
Summer Kick-Off Party!

Be sure to join us at the library for our Summer Kick-Off Party to get the summer fun started! Miss Cynthia will be here to get us warmed up and we'll have all the information you need regarding the childrens, youth, family, and adult summer programming available. There will even be ice cream!

Wednesday, June 12 @ 3:15 PM

We have so much summer programming planned we can't fit it on one page! Be sure to read through the rest of the newsletter for all the details.

Library Humor



Something fun for everyone!

Starting in July, stop in to participate in our polls! This is a fun and easy way for all ages to engage in the library!

What is your favorite color?

StoryWalks® are BACK!!

This summer the library is pleased to bring back our StoryWalks® running May long weekend through mid October! A StoryWalk® is a fun and educational activity where a children's story is placed along a walking path in the community. It's a great opportunity to get out with the family and read while you walk. The StoryWalk® signs are back up along the walking path along Main Avenue West, starting at 6th street (across from the vet clinic) and ending at RR 54 (across from Tim Hortons).

Sundre Library would like to acknowledge the Town of Sundre (Community Grant) for their financial support and efforts in helping us keep the StoryWalk® up and active.



A very SPECIAL thank you

We'd like to say a HUGW thank you to Jason Foote, General Manager of Sundre Forest Products/West Fraser Mills, for their generous support of our 2024 Summer Reading Club.



Backyard Chicken Information Night

Are you interested in backyard chickens? Curious about how to get started now that they have been approved in the Town of Sundre?

Owen Petersen will stopping by to share with you all the information you'll need to get going. Pop in, join the conversation, and find the answers to you questions about these backyard feathered friends!

Wednesday, June 5th at 6:30 PM.



Something For Those Rainy Days

Summer might be right around the corner, but rainy days happen! We have books, movies, board games, cards, and busy bags available to keep you and your kids entertained on those "not so nice" days!

These items also come in handy on those hot, hot summer days too! Come in to see what we have!



Garden Fresh Greens

This month we're pleased to have irises available for purchase for \$5/bundle @ the beginning of June with all proceeds supporting the library. Tomatoes will arrive mid-June and can be purchased for \$3/plant.

A little later in the season, we will have Basil plants for sale. Watch for updates in library for details on when these plants will be available.

What's new this Month...

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

Homeschool Pen Pal Club

This will be the last meet before summer starts! There have been some hiccups, but we are working on streamlining mail deliveries to have a smoother go when we pick back up in September.

Thursday, June 20th at 2:00pm

This program is for those already registered and participating



Summer Day Camps *NEW

We are pleased to announce a new summer partnership with the Sundre and District Historical Society, Greenwood Neighborhood Place, and Mountain View Family Resource Network!

For the entire month of July, we'll be partnering to offer a day camp program for children aged 4-12 on Tuesday's. Kids will get a chance to take part in library SRC programming and a variety of programming provided by our other partners. Registration for the day camps is required and can be done through GNP's website. The cost to attend the day camp option is \$10 per child, per Tuesday. Children will need a lunch and should be dressed for the weather as activities will take place inside and outside.

See GNP's website for more information or call the library.

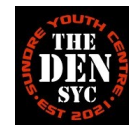


Teens After Hours: for teens moving into grade 7 to grade 12

July 4th and August 1st teens take over the library from 4:30-6:00pm, then head to The Den for MORE fun and supper from 6:00-8:30pm.

On July 4th the feature event at the library will be mini golf and snacks. Teens will create a challenging course through the stacks then its **GAME ON!** The Library will have the Oculus VR at The Den for the remainder of the evening, beginning @ 6:00pm

On August 1st the feature event at the library sees the anticipated return of **NERF Wars!** This competitive event will be even more fun...after hours! No registration is required but please let us know you're coming if you can!



Summer Reading Club Coordinator

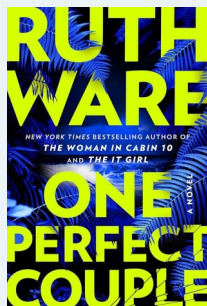
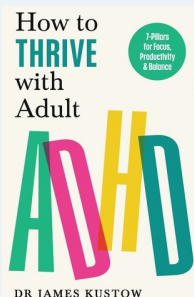
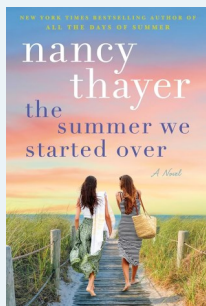
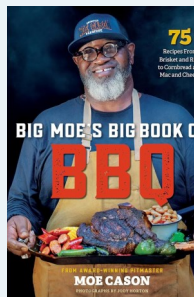
Preparations are well underway for our Sundre Forest Products Summer Reading Club and we are pleased to welcome **Sawyer Walker-Melton** as our Summer Reading Club Coordinator!

Watch for more details coming soon about the amazing programs she has planned!



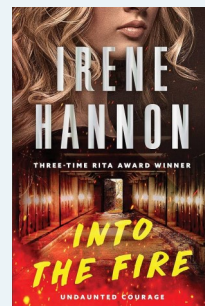
Only a few of the dozens of the new or COMING SOON items
 at the Sundre Library
 Don't wait...place your hold now!

Sandra's Picks



e-Magazine

e-Audiobook



COMING SOON

Although we are still working away at Adult Reading Challenges, we do have a few new things for you to look forward to. We are also bringing back some old favorites! Stay tuned for updates as summer reading challenges start July 1st!



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HOURS OF OPERATION	
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