

Joke of the

Month

What falls in the

winter but never

gets hurt?

# not Just BOOKS!

The Sundre Municipal Library Newsletter

November 2022

## **Exciting New Kids' Space!**

Have you been into our children's room lately? If so, you have seen the beautiful NEW shelving we have to house our children's picture books, book kits, board books, and children's grab bags. This shelving was purchased through a generous grant from EQUS and the Friends of the Library Society.





Our new shelving allows us adequate space to shelve our current collection and gives us lots of room to grow. With the extra space we are able to spread out our collection of books, making it easier for children to browse the collection to see what interests them.



The bins on top of the shelves hold face displayed themed and curated collections to showcase our books in a way that makes the book covers more visible and more attractive to young and reluctant readers. Kids are highly visual and showing them the book covers makes them more likely to pick up a book and look through it.



Reading benefits children in so many ways. It can improve their listening skills, language and problem solving skills, expands their vocabulary, and increases their attention span. Books can help parents teach their children life lessons and can feed their child's creativity and vivid imaginations! So come on in and find the next book adventure for you and you're little ones!

#### Please Note:

Answer:

Snow!

Sundre Library will be closed Nov. 11 + 12 in observance of Remembrance Day Weekend.



Made possible by: Friends of the Library Society & EQUS



#### Meet Our New Programmer!

We're delighted to have recently welcomed Shari Peyerl to our library team as our new programmer and are thrilled to tell you a little bit about her!

Shari comes to us with a captivating and exciting background as an archaeologist, oral historian, archivist, and author (check out her new book Alberta's Cornerstone: Archaeological Adventures in Glenbow Ranch Provincial Park). She currently writes a monthly column for the Bergen News, a monthly history column for the Glenbow Ranch Provincial Park Foundation, and now our Not Just Books monthly newsletter!

When not giving tours and presentations about Glenbow Ranch's history and archaeology, Shari can be found gardening, antiquing (especially books/postcards/paperweights and letter-openers), creating things with paper and textiles, and reading her way through a large stack of books patiently waiting to be read.



Say hello to Shari the next time you're in, and ask her what influenced her career choice (hint: it involves National Geographic treasure-hunting articles and Nancy Drew mysteries).

## SILENT AUCTION RETURNS

This November the SILENT AUCTION will return, offering community residents a great opportunity to do some holiday shopping while supporting their local library.

Donations can be dropped off during library hours now through November 10th with bidding opening Tuesday, November 15th at 9:00 am.

Thank you for your support!

PLEASE

### The Sundre Library's SILENT AUCTION

November 15—25th

All sorts of crafts, treasures, and Christmas gifts you'll find nowhere else.





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

Auction donations accepted until November 10. Bidding closes 4 pm Nov 25.

No Phone Bids.

Thanks to Library partners: Sundre Museum and Royal Purple for partnering in the very successful Halloween Extravaganza.

Thank you to every one who came out in support.

## Thank You!!

Thanks to Susan for teaching the awesome Dried Grass & Flower Workshop!! And thanks to all the class participants, and to the community members who came by the library to purchase some of Susan's hand-dyed dried grasses and flowers. All funds raised go to Library programs and materials.



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### Programming for Kids, Teens & Adults

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

#### NEW!!! Stories & Stuff: For 0-5 Year Olds

Bring your little ones to the library for our NEW program!! Join us for stories, rhymes, and songs on **November 17**, **11:00 AM to Noon**. This event is FREE to attend. This drop-in program is for kids with their parent or caregiver.



#### Parent Connect \*\*RETURNS\*\*!!!

Let's get together! Just because! We're inviting parents and their children 0-5 yrs of age to drop into the library for a play and visit with other parents and their children. This is not a structured program but rather a casual opportunity for parents to chat and connect.



Tuesdays in Nov. ~ 9:30—11:30 AM (except for Nov. 22: Pop Up Play)

## Check Out These Other Programs Run by MVFRN, but happening at the Library



To register for these events or for more details visit www.mvfrn.ca

Infant Massage Tues. Nov. 8, 15, 22, 29 from 9:30-10:30 AM Pop Up Play (0-5 Year Olds) Tuesday. Nov. 22 from 9:30-11:30 AM

#### Teen Takeover Games Nights

Our TEEN TAKEOVER GAMES NIGHTS are back! The next event is Thursday, November 3 from 6:30—8:30 PM. Teens get to takeover the library after hours for a night of games, food (we're bringing pizza) and fun! We'll have board games, video games and even some virtual reality! This event is hosted in partnership with MVFRN and will happen the 1st Thursday of every month! This event is FREE to attend. No registration is required.

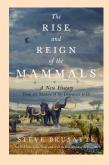


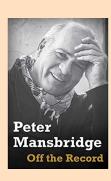
#### Genealogy

Genealogy sessions run the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 9:30 AM. Join others as you learn how to effectively research your roots. No registration required. Next sessions: Nov. 1 + 15.

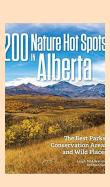


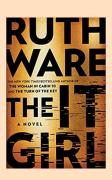
# Only a few of the dozens of items COMING SOON to the Sundre Library Don't wait...place your hold now!







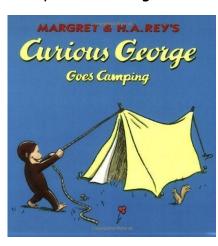






#### Preschool Busy Bags!

Missing the warm summer days? Check out the Camping Fun Busy Bag and read some great camping stories. This busy bag includes a scavenger hunt, card game, puzzle and a s'more campfire kit perfect for your imaginary camping trip in your own living room!



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#### HOURS OF OPERATION

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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