



not Just BOOKS!

The Sundre Municipal Library Newsletter

May 2024

Backyard Chicken Information Night

Joke of the Month

Q: What falls but never gets hurt?



A: Rain

Are you curious about backyard chickens? Have you wondered how to go about getting them now that they've been approved in the Town of Sundre?

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



Wednesday, June 5th from 6:30 - 8:00PM

Armchair Travel is Back!

Are you interested in travel and seeing new places? Through the experiences of fellow community members, we are proud to be hosting a series of armchair travel experiences.

Join us in exploring the world as we visit unique locations from the comfort of our library living room. No airline tickets required!



Our next destination will be **Sri Lanka**.

Wednesday, May 15th from 6:30 - 8:00pm

THANK YOU!

Thank you to everyone who came in to check out our **BIG BOOK SALE** and took home some new treasures!

Approximately \$1600 was raised in support of library programs and resources.



Kick-Off to Summer!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! We have set the date for our Kick-off to Summer celebration...

Wednesday, June 12th starting at 3:30pm.

We have some surprises up our sleeves for this event, Miss Cynthia will be here so we hope you will join us for an afternoon of fun! We'll also have all the information you need to know on our summer library programs for kids, teens, and adults too!



Take and Make Seed Kits

In place of our seed library, we have put together some starter seed kits free for the asking. They have everything you'll need to get some of your veggies started.

Kits will be available starting **Wednesday, May 1st.**

Supply is limited, they will be available on a first come first served basis!

(one per family due to limited quantities available)



Volunteering Opportunity

Do you have a little free time on your hands? Come volunteer with us!

We are looking for more volunteers to help us with shelving to keep the library running smoothly. If you've ever wondered what volunteering at the library entails and for more information, please stop in and see us!

We are also looking for a few people to help us with our Summer Storywalk, changing out our stories for our community residents and tourists to enjoy.



Garden Fresh Greens

We are pleased to once again have sweet pea plants available for purchase from the library beginning in May. These annual flowers are for sale for \$2.00 per pack of 4 and will be ready for planting in May.

We'll have other plants available for sale coming in June as well. Watch for tomatoes and basil to arrive! See next month's newsletter for details on when these plants will be available for pickup.



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What's happening this Month...

*See our website for more information

Rhyme Time: Age 0-5 with a caregiver

Join Miss Karen and Miss Alexa for songs, stories, and rhymes! 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).

This will be the last session of the season and will shower the Moms with some extra love!



Tuesday, May 14th from 9:30 - 10:30am

Pop-Up Play: Ages 0-6 with a caregiver

On the first Tuesday of each month we're inviting caregivers and their children 0-6 years of age to drop in for a play and visit with other parents and their kids! This event is hosted by MVFRN.



Tuesday, May 7th from 9:30 - 11:30am

LEGO Club: Ages 6-11

Do you have a child between the ages of 6 and 11 who loves to create with LEGO? Let them explore the large LEGO collection the Sundre Library has. Please call (403) 638 - 4000 to register.

This will be our last regular afternoon before summer. Watch for some fun summer programming coming soon!



Thursday, May 9th from 3:15 - 4:15pm

Teen Hangout: Ages 11+

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.

This will be our last regular afternoon before summer. Watch for some fun summer programming coming soon!

Thursday, May 2nd from 3:30 - 5:00pm

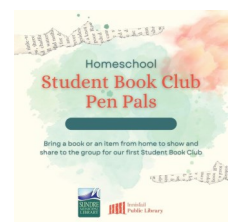


Homeschool Student Pen Pals

In Partnership with the Innisfail Public Library, we have something just for the homeschool families in our community. Stop in to see how you can take part in the Homeschool Student Pen Pals Program.

We meet the 3rd Thursday of each month.

Thursday, May 16th at 2:00pm

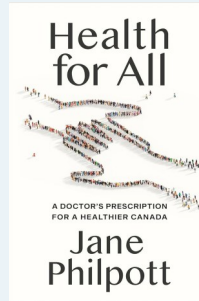
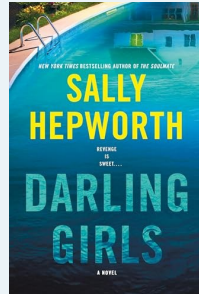
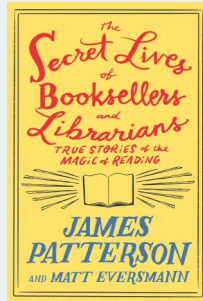
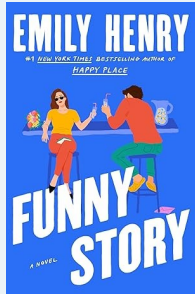


Only a few of the dozens of items in or
COMING SOON

to the Sundre Library

Don't wait...place your hold now!

Sandra's
Picks



e-Magazine



Fun Fact...

The longest recorded flight of a chicken is **13 seconds**.

(Source: Guinness World Records)

More Info: While chickens are not typically known for their flying abilities, they can manage short bursts of flight if necessary. This 13 second record highlights their limited airborne capabilities.

This amusing fact offers a lighthearted glimpse into the world of our feathered friends, showcasing their unique and sometimes surprising talents. It's a testament to the incredible diversity of the animal kingdom and the intriguing adaptations found in different species.

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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