

# October Rimbey & Area 2022 Community Newsletter

Recreation Services 403-83-3151  
www.rimbey.com



Drop In Sports in the main auditorium starting  
October 4th, 2022

Pickle Ball or Badminton

Schedule for the season

Tuesdays 1:00pm-3:30pm & 7:00pm-8:30pm

Wednesday Family Drop in 7:00pm-8:30pm

Thursday 1:00pm-3:30pm & 7:00pm-8:30pm

Please note that drop in sports can be cancelled due to  
an event in the Main Auditorium.

Please watch our Facebook page:  
Rimbey Community and Recreation Services for any  
changes. Or call 403-843-3151

## Babysitting Course

Saturday October 22, 2022

9:30am-4:30pm

Registration Fee \$50.00

Peter Lougheed Community Centre

For More Information Call #403-843-3151

Space is Limited must be 11yrs +

Please note you are not Confirmed until payment is received



Registration Deadline:  
October 19, 2022

Public Skating Schedule coming soon watch our Facebook Page: Rimbey Community and Recreation Services

## Rimbey Royal Canadian Legion News

Legion Bingo - the 2nd & 4th Friday of the month. Doors open @ 6:30 p.m. Bingo Starts @ 7:00p.m. \*\* Progressive BINGO. For Legion Hall Rentals call: 403 843-2184 or 403 843-2343.

For Legion Memberships call  
403 843-2464

## Need to Talk? We're Listening.

Finances should never be a barrier to mental health support. We offer options for low cost and subsidized counselling services

Sessions are currently being offered virtually, by phone, and in person.

Call (403) 347-8844 or email [info@cssalberta.ca](mailto:info@cssalberta.ca) to inquire.



[cssalberta.ca](http://cssalberta.ca)



Neighbourhood  
Place Family  
Programming

Thursdays 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

## Parents Time Out

Located at  
the BYAS  
Building -  
back  
entrance:  
4907 49 st.



- child care  
provided

- connection,  
support and  
self care



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for more info or to register;  
email: [sam.rimbeynp@gmail.com](mailto:sam.rimbeynp@gmail.com)  
or text/call 403-872-1968

## SISTERS IN SPIRIT



## CANDLE LIGHTING VIGIL

Light a candle to remember the missing or murdered  
Aboriginal women across Canada.  
Help stop the violence against women.

**Tuesday, Oct., 4th., 7:30 p.m.**  
**Beatty Heritage House**

**Everyone welcome**

Sponsored by Rimbey Amnesty International

## Rimbey Community Addiction & Mental Health Services

Free services offered by AHS for

Children and Adults, struggling with addictions, anxiety,  
depression or any other mental health concern.

“Hours of operation: Monday-Thursday 8:00-4:30p.m.,  
Closed during the lunch hour 12:00-1:00p.m., Closed for  
Statutory Holidays. Please call 403-843-2406 for an ap-  
pointment.”



# Rimbey Library

For more info. Check <http://rimbeylibrary.prl.ab.ca>

403 843-2841

We are now closed on Mondays!

Tuesday Mornings 10:30 am – Storytime with Sue

Wednesday

Wacky Wednesdays - Crafts, science experiments, STEAM, and fun!! 3:30pm

October 5 – Pinecone Hedgehogs October 12- Bubble Painting October 19 - Stress Ball Making October 26 - Wonder Webs

Thursdays

Oct 6 - Movie Night sponsored by Rimbey Lions Club – 6:30 pm Paws of Fury Oct 13 – Truth & Reconciliation Series – 7:00 pm – Alice Berger; Metis Tipi Teachings Oct 20 - Halloween Gnomes Workshop – 6:30 pm Oct 27 – Book Club – The Maid – 6:00 pm

Fridays

Oct 7 – Fantastic Chef Friday – 2:00 pm Oct 14 – Storyteller Kathy Jessup 10:00 am 11:00 am 12:45 pm 1:45 pm Oct 28 – Halloween Howl 2 - 5 Saturday Oct 8 – CLOSED Oct 15 – GRAND OPENING –Come see our expansion and have coffee and caked 1 – 5 Oct 22 – Afternoon Matinee sponsored by the Rimbey Lions Club 2:00 pm –DC League of Super Pets Oct 29 - Call Me a Cab – wine tasting 7:00 pm MUST PRE-REGISTER \$60.00 open to library members and invited guests only. Free memberships available at the Rimbey Municipal Library

Because of our Grand Opening our semi-annual book sale will begin on October 18th and continue until November 30th

We have activity kits for children of all ages that are available for loan. These include five Indigenous activity kits that help you and your children explore the culture of our FNMI peoples. Check out <https://rimbeylibrary.beanstack.com/reader365>

For some reading challenges that will win you prizes. If you have a child that is not yet in kindergarten enter our 1,000 books before kindergarten challenge. Your child will receive a book just for signing up!



MAY YOUR SORROWS be PATCHED and YOUR JOYS be QUILTED

Having been a former student of the Wooddale School S.D. No. 3368 (located in a farming community a short distance east of Rimbey, Alberta), I have been asked to take needle and thread in hand and sew-up bit of the past fifty years into the fabric of our quilt.

Our club was organized because of the Second World War. In 1941, here we are in 1991 having been involved in another war in the Middle East.

Quilting has been our major activity throughout the fifty years. Especially during the earlier years we also catered for banquets, auction sales, weddings and funerals, after the Wooddale school closed, circa 1950, our club sponsored community picnics and organized most of the entertainment at the Wooddale Community Centre (formerly the Wooddale School). Christmas concerts were well received as we all remembered the wonderful concerts held in the "Old schoolhouse". It would be standing room only, with lots of visiting and Santa's arrival brought the right touch to hand out gifts and treats (bags of candy, nuts and a Jap orange) to the starry-eyed kids, young and old, to end the evening.

In 1941 there were very few automobiles in the district. Mildred Adams (Miller) and Eileen Johnson (Micker) were among the first brave lady automobile drivers in the early forties. To get to the meetings the ladies walked, rode horseback, or drove horses on a wagon, buggy, or democrat (often with the husband "at the reins"). Of course some came by auto.

Because of the war, gasoline, sugar, and butter were rationed. Very few people had telephones. Rural electricity didn't come to the district until the early fifties and not everyone could afford it then.

That meant every job was a lot of hard work without all the conveniences we have today, that lightened the work load. There were a lot of really good books in those days (and some not so good) as the litle thrashing crews could tell you.

Methods of cooking havchanged a lot in the past 50 years, from the wood-burn stoves to conveniences



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SATURDAY  
OCT. 1  
2-4 pm

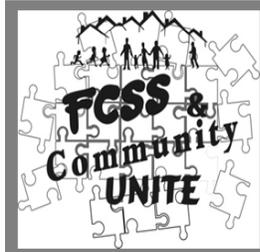
## BEATTY HERITAGE HOUSE QUILT EXHIBIT & TEA

FREE PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE  
CELEBRATING  
THE WOODDALE LADIES CLUB IN  
AN EXHIBIT OF QUILTS FROM ITS  
ANNUAL QUILT DONATION: A  
30+ YEAR GIFT  
AND  
BHHS QUILT DRAW

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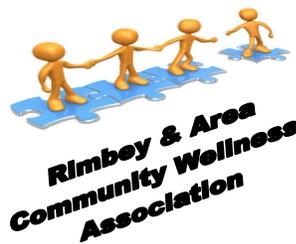
The Family Resource Network provides a variety of programs in your community for children, youth, and families to enhance skills, strategies, resilience, and connections to the community. Through contacting the FRN Hub, you will be referred to a program(s) that meets your family's needs and receive information on other community resources available. Call 780-352-4643 Ext. 28 for more information or to sign up!



Rimbey FCSS has a program to fit you. Whether you like cooking, have a young family, have an older family member, are an older family member, need help with meals, need some resources, support or company once in a while or maybe you want to give

back to the community as a volunteer. We also have a resource library available Monday to Friday 8:30-4:30, closed from 12-1. It is free to the public with books on health, well being, parenting etc. Call 843-2030 or visit our website for program details [www.rfcss.com](http://www.rfcss.com)

Rimbey & District Victim Services  
 Working in partnership with the Rimbey RCMP, Victim Services provides information, support, referrals and court support to victims of crime. We act as a liaison between the RCMP and victims. Learn about us at [www.rimbeyvictimservices.com](http://www.rimbeyvictimservices.com) Contact our office 403.843.8494 We are a proud member of Victim Services Alberta.



The **Community Wellness Association** is a group of citizens who meet once a month in the hope of addressing community social issues. Please call 403 843-4304 for more info.

**A PLACE FOR FAMILIES OF 0-6 YEAR OLDS TO CALL THEIR OWN**

**RIMBEY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLACE**

Drop in *Free!*

**GROW & PLAY**

Tuesday 9:30 - 11:30 am

**BLINDMAN YOUTH ACTION BUILDING BACK DOOR**

text 780 887-2702 for questions

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For local history check out the **Smithson Museum** at Pas-ka-poo park and the **Beatty Heritage House**. More information can also be found in the **Rimbey Tourist Guide**—pick it up at downtown businesses and the **Tourist Information Booth**.

Again this winter Rimbey United Church is coordinating the collection of winter articles for **Turning Point**.

Turning Point Society in Red Deer has been responding to the needs of communities using a harm reduction approach for 30 years.

Turning point runs 6 different programs. One of these is called “NightReach”. 365 evenings a year, a team of two NightReach staff walk the streets and paths offering after-hour support to a wide range of individuals facing vulnerability due to place or circumstance. NightReach staff are easily recognizable by their bright red backpacks, which are packed with a wide range of harm re-duction materials, clothing, first aid supplies and snacks.

NightReach also provides non-judgmental support and referrals for food, housing, health care, addic-tions, pregnancy support, legal concerns and employment services to many street-involved individuals. Staff also do debris clean-up as required.

This is the fifth year Rimbey United Church plans to support this program by collecting winter clothing for adult men and women. Gently used winter boots and clothing may be dropped off at the church or Rimbey Public Library. Gloves, hand warmers and new toothbrushes are also needed. The church will accept any monetary donations for this program and forward them to **Turning Point**.

Collection date Oct 1th to Jan 1th.

**RIMBEY & AREA COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER** - Available at: The Town Office, The, Blindman Youth Action Building, Rimbey Foods, the Tickle Trunk, Subway, COOP & Bluffton Store Brought to you by Rimbey Neighbourhood Place in partnership with the town of Rimbey Recreation Department. Please send us your submissions, questions or concerns: 4907 49th Street PO Box 980 Rimbey, AB T0C 2J0 phone:403.843.4304 or 403 843-6299 or text 780 887-2702 e-mail: [rimbeynp@telus.net](mailto:rimbeynp@telus.net)