

FCSS Newsletter

What's Happening at FCSS?

November 2022

Parents & Caregivers

Strengthening families in rural Albertal

Barnwell

Kim at 403-795-7841 or Lauren at 403-331-1325

* Stay & Play - Drop-in Wednesdays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Barons

Maria at 403-795-7561

* Stay & Play - Drop-in Wednesdays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Coaldale

Kim at 403-795-7841 or Maria at 403-795-7561

- * Caregiver Café ~ Oct 19th-Nov 30th
- * <u>Indigenous Crafts & Conversation</u> Sept 7th - Dec 21st Contact Jessica at 403-915-7530
- * Infant Massage Tuesdays Oct 18th-Nov 22nd
- * Move it! Move it! Drop-in Mondays ~ 9:30-11:30 am
- * <u>Stay & Play</u> Drop-in Mondays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Coalhurst

Jackie at 403-732-5470

- * Baby & Me Nov 23rd-Dec 14th
- * Stay & Play Drop-in Tuesdays ~ 9:30-11:30am
- * Move it! Move it! Drop-in Wednesdays ~ 10:00-11:30 am Jess at 403-732-5470

Milk River

Penny at 403-915-4017

* <u>Stay & Play</u> ~ Drop-in Nov 8 & 22 ~ 9:30-11:00am

Nobleford

Susy at 403-915-7136

- * Move it! Move it! Drop-in Wednesdays ~ 10:00-11:30 am
- * Stay & Play Drop-in Thursdays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Picture Butte

Jackie at 403-732-5470

- * <u>Stay & Play</u> ~ Drop-in Mondays ~ 9:30-11:30am
- * <u>Infant Massage</u> Mondays Oct 24th-Nov 14th

Stirling

Stacey at 403-756-3572

- After School Adventures ~
 Children 4-6yrs ~ Nov 9th & 23^{td}
- * <u>Caregiver Café</u> ~ Wednesdays 9:30-11:00 am
- * Stay & Play ~ 9:30-11:00am Mondays & Thursdays

Vauxhall

Kim at 403-394-8657

* Stay & Play ~ Drop-in Fridays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Raymond

Myrna at 587-370-4847 or Janet at 403-795-6962

- * After School Adventures
 Children 6-10yrs
 Fridays ~ until Dec 16th
- * <u>Baby & Me</u> Tuesdays Nov 15th-Dec 20th
- * Infant Massage Tuesdays Oct 11th-Nov 8th
- * <u>Lego Club</u> ~ 6-12 yrs Mondays ~ until Dec 19th
- * Move it! Move it! ~ Drop-in Wednesdays ~ 10:00-11:00 am
- * Open Play ~ Drop-in Mondays ~ 9:30 am-3:30 pm
- * <u>Stay & Play</u> Drop-in Thursdays ~ 1:30-3:30 pm Fridays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Taber

Kim at 403-394-8657 or Lauren at 403-331-1325

- * Caregiver Café Nov 15th-Dec 20th
- * <u>Stay & Play</u> Drop-in Wednesdays ~ 6:00-7:00 pm Thursdays ~ 9:30-11:30 am

Warner

Penny at 403-915-4017

- * <u>Lego Club</u> Wednesdays 3:30-4:30pm
- * Open Play ~ Drop-in Nov 7th & 21st ~ 1:30-3:00 pm

SERVING: Barnwell ~ Barons ~ Coaldale ~ Coalhurst ~ Lethbridge County ~ County of Warner ~ Coutts
Milk River ~ M.D. of Taber ~ Nobleford ~ Picture Butte ~ Raymond ~ Stirling ~ Taber ~ Vauxhall ~ Warner



Online for Parents & Caregivers

Triple P

* Teen Seminar

Raising Responsible Teens ~ Nov 9th Contact Penny at 403-915-4017

* Teen Discussion Groups:

Building Teens' Survival Skills ~ Nov 23rd Coping with Teens' Emotions ~ Nov 30th Getting Teens to Cooperate ~ Dec 7th Contact Penny at 403-915-4017

Contact Stacev at 403-756-3572

* Discussion Group:

Presentations:

Raising Emotionally Resilient Children November 30th

Hassle Free Mealtimes with Kids ~ Nov 10th

Contact Penny at 403-915-4017

Youth

Kaleidoscope - Ages 13-18yrs

Inclusive youth programming for youth looking for extra supports.

Contact Kaitlynn at 403-795-4627 or kaitlynn.weaver@fcss.ca for details.

DO Crew - Grades 10 -12

A leadership opportunity for youth to learn through hands-on experience.

Contact Jillian at 403-332-0629 or jillian.boyd@fcss.ca for details.

DO Crew JR - ages 11-14 years

A volunteer and leadership opportunity for youth seeking to better their community.

Coaldale ~ Kim

403-795-7841

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Barons & Nobleford Trinity

403-394-8101 trinitv.walker@fcss.ca

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kim.fehr@fcss.ca Raymond ~ Myrna Stirling ~ Stacey 403-756-3572

Taber ~ Jessica

587-370-4847

403-915-7530 or jessica.goodrider-loewen@fcss.ca

Taming Worry Dragons

Children ages 8-12yrs and their parents Registration Required. To register or for more information contact:

587-370-3728 or

counsellingservices@fcss.ca

Taber ~ Sept 13th-Nov 15th

Warner/ Milk River/ Coutts ~ Oct 11th-Dec 13th

Vauxhall ~ Kim

403-394-8657 or kim.forchuk@fcss.ca

Growing Minds ~ for ages 11-13yrs

An online group focused on developing a growth mindset.

For more information contact:

- Penny ~ 403-915-4017 or penny.pittman@fcss.ca
- Kim ~ 403-795-7841 or kim. fehr@fcss.ca

Follow us on Social Media:

County of Warner FCSS ~ Lethbridge County FCSS ~ M.D. of Taber FCSS Instagram ~ Twitter



General Interest Courses **County of Warner**

Introduction to Wood Carving

A two-day course that will leave you with a few basic techniques and a hand carved ornament.

* Coutts

November 8th & November 10th 1:30-4:30 pm

\$75 fee - includes supplies

Laughter Matters

This session will teach you the importance of finding the humor in every day situations.

- Milk River
- November 15th ~ 11:00 am-12:00 pm Stirling

November 15th ~ 2:00-3:00 pm

Free of Charge

Gourmet Cooking on the Go

This series will teach you how to cook full meals, with a dessert by a Red Seal Chef.

Raymond

Thursday, November 10th, 17th, 24th ~ 6:30 pm Join one or all three classes

One course for \$150, OR all three for \$500 (use promo code 'GetTHREE' to get \$50 off).

Paper Making

This calming and engaging activity will teach you how to recycle your old paper to create new paper.

* Warner

November 15th ~ 6:00-8:00 pm

* Raymond

November 22nd ~ 6:00-8:00 pm

Free of Charge

Making Holiday Appetizers

Learn how to make 5 crowd-pleasing holiday appetizers.

* Stirling

December 6th ~ 6:30-9:00 pm

Warner

December 8th ~ 6:30-9:00 pm

\$100 fee - includes supplies

Upcycling Your Farmyard Junque

Learn how to make a masterpiece out of your farmyard treasures.

Milk River

November 26th 1:00-4:00 pm

\$25 - includes supplies

Making Mini Grinch Trees

Create a wonderful miniature 'Whoville' tree.

* Warner

November 30th 6:30-9:00 pm

\$85 - includes supplies

For more information contact Kaitlynn at (403) 795-4627 or check out Eventbrite.com/general-interest-courses-county-of-warner



Information Referral

Developmental Screening (ASQ)

Triple P Support

Parent Education **Programs**

Family Support **System Navigation**

Programs for children & youth

For family services please contact:

Barons

Maria ~ 403-795-7561 or maria.klassen@fcss.ca

Coalhurst

Jackie ~ 403-732-5470 or jackie.fiornio@fcss.ca

Coutts / Milk River / Warner

penny.pittman@fcss.ca

Picture Butte

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WONDERING ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S **DEVELOPMENT?**

The Ages and Stages Questionnaire can give you a guideline to tell if your child is doing what other children of the same age are typically doing.

Ages 2-60 months



Complete your ASQ's Online:

ASQ-3 & ASQ:SE-2:

https://www.asqonline.com/family/1527fe







COUNSELLING SERVICES

During this present time of uncertainty and instability FCSS Counsellors are here for you, ready to be a listening ear, a trusting voice and to help you to keep from becoming overwhelmed.

In-Person, Telephone and Video Sessions available by simply contacting FCSS Counselling Services at

587-370-3728 or counsellingservices@fcss.ca

THIS SERVICE IS AVAILABLE FOR RESIDENTS AND FAMILIES IN THE FOLLOWING COMMUNITIES:

Barnwell | Barons | Coaldale | Coalhurst | Lethbridge County | County of Warner | Coutts | Milk River M.D. of Taber | Nobleford | Picture Butte | Raymond | Stirling | Taber | Vauxhall | Warner

Taming Worry Dragons

Ages 8-11yrs

Using child friendly language and fun activities, participants learn to recognize how anxiety affects their body, thoughts and behaviours.

Parents attend their own sessions, so they are able to understand anxiety and support their child outside the group.

Rainbows for All Children

Ages 12-14 yrs

A program that helps children who are grieving the loss of a parent or guardian due to death, divorce, deployment, or trauma.

Parents also attend their own sessions, so they are able to understand their own grief/loss and how to support their child outside of the group.

Registration Required.

For more information contact: (587) 370-3728 or counsellingservices@fcss.ca



Services

Counselling Services

587.370.3728; counsellingservices@fcss.ca or book online https://fcss.ca/counselling

Family Services - Petra

403.795.3328 ~ petra.debow@fcss.ca

<u>Low German Services</u> Susie - 403.594.0618 Margarita - 403.394.8983

Indigenous Services
Jessica - 403.915.7530 (Coaldale/Taber area)

Outreach Services - Kaitlynn

Youth, Seniors, Volunteers 403.795.4627 ~ <u>kaitlynn.weaver@fcss.ca</u>



Youth DO Crew - Jillian ~ 403.332.0629

The Youth DO Crew provides youth (grades 10-12) in Raymond, Coaldale, Coalhurst, and Taber with opportunities to engage in service projects that will address community needs. By volunteering, young people DO good and feel good.

Follow Youth DO Crew on Social Media!

Instagram: @youthdocrew Facebook: @youthdocrew Twitter: @youthdocrew



Youth DO Crew JR

Skill building and leadership activities

Volunteer in your community

in Barons, Coaldale, Nobleford, Raymond & Vauxhall



Kaleidoscope

Kaleidoscope programs are for young people (ages 13-18) looking for extra supports in their communities. Our goal is to help youth build confidence and resiliency by introducing them to new creative skills and social groups.

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