TOWN NEWS

JULY 2024



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Mayor's Message

Hello Coalhurst!

Summer has arrived, and with it comes a season full of Coalhurst spirit!

We are excited about our summer initiatives, including new youth summer camps, and celebrations for Canada Day and Miners Days. These events bring our community together, and we can't wait to see everyone there. The youth summer camps offer a great opportunity for young people to explore new interests, make lasting friendships, and create unforgettable memories.

On the other hand, Miners Days is a chance to celebrate Coalhurst's rich history and heritage. It's a weekend filled with lively entertainment, delicious food, and activities for all ages. Whether you're a long-time resident or a curious visitor, everyone is welcome to join in the festivities!

Embrace the Coalhurst spirit of togetherness, explore our vibrant community, and make new summer memories with us. To all our visitors, a heartfelt welcome! We are sure you'll be charmed by Coalhurst's unique character and the warmth of our community members.

Get ready for a summer filled with fun, laughter, and a healthy dose of Coalhurst pride! Remember, you can stay informed by following the Town of Coalhurst on Facebook and visiting www.coalhurst.ca.

Wishing everyone a safe and enjoyable summer!

Warm regards,

Mayor Lyndsay Montina



TOWN NOTICES

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COUNCIL MEETINGS

Meetings for Council and Committees:

• July 16: Regular Meeting of Council

For meeting information including scheduled dates, minutes, and agendas, visit: https://coalhurst.ca/government/council-committee-meetings/

NEWS FROM THE TOWN

APPLICATIONS OPEN FOR COMMUNITY GARDEN

Good news! Coalhurst's NEW Community Garden is complete and we are now accepting applications for this year's growing season.

Gardeners may apply to use up to one (1) garden plot, however, you're more than welcome to share that plot with friends. You can find all the program information on the Town's website (hover over SERVICES, and then FACILITIES & PARKS to find access to the page). Plots are first-come, first-served, so grab yours today!

SUMMER CAMPS START THIS MONTH

A few spots remain for this summer's days camps, hosted by Lethbridge County FCSS and Family Ties. The camps are free to attend, but pre-registration is required. Check out the contact details below for more info.

- Family Ties 'Fun in the Sun' Summer Day Camp for Ages 8 12 years
 Coalhurst Community Centre | July 15 18 | 10AM 3PM DAILY
 To register, contact Darcy Nalder at d.nalder@familyties.ca
- FCSS 'Summer Fun' Day Camp for Ages 6 10 & 11 13 years
 Coalhurst Community Centre | July 23 26 | 9:30AM-3:30PM DAILY
 To register, visit fcss.ca or contact Trinity at trinity.walker@fcss.ca



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NEW WILDLAND FIRE TRUCK NOW IN SERVICE

On Wednesday, June 26, Mayor and Council joined members from the Coalhurst Volunteer Fire Department for a Push-In Ceremony of the department's new Wildland Fire Truck. The building of the apparatus has happened over the last two years as funds and equipment have become available. This project has been a true testament of service by the department, as members have also helped build portions of the unit.

The wildland unit has been jointly funded by the Town of Coalhurst and Lethbridge County, and will service calls for Medical Fire Response, wildland grass fires, and general fire calls in Coalhurst and within the Lethbridge County region.

As per tradition, the new unit was pushed into the Fire Hall by emergency personnel and members of Council. This tradition dates back to the 1800s when fire crews used horse-drawn equipment. The animals were unable to back the equipment into the fire halls, so crews had to push it in after attending a fire. The new apparatus will serve as the primary wildland unit, while the former wildland vehicle will remain in service as a secondary response unit.







PANCAKE BREAKFAST

FREE PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Join us on **Saturday, July 27, from 8 - 10 AM** at the Coalhurst Community Centre for a free pancake breakfast, served by Mayor and Council.

We're pleased to welcome South Country Co-Op back to Coalhurst, whose volunteers are going to be extremely busy cooking sausage and pancakes for all of us. A great big THANKS to the SCCOOP team for its participation. So bring the family down to enjoy a great time before heading outside to enjoy the parade!



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JOIN US FOR THE 2024 MINERS DAYS PARADE!

We are excited to invite you and your family to the upcoming Miners Days Parade on **July 27 at 10:30 AM**. It will be a fun-filled event for all ages, with floats, music, and of course, plenty of candy! We recommend bringing along candy bags to collect these goodies. To ensure everyone's safety, please remind children not to run out onto the street or in front of floats to gather candy. A safe distance from the moving vehicles needs to be maintained at all times. Showcase your community spirit and creativity by registering your entry for the parade today. For more information and to register, please visit our website at coalhurst.ca or contact **communitydevelopment@coalhurst.ca**.

Let's make this year's Miners Days Parade a memorable and safe celebration of our community!

PARADE MAP

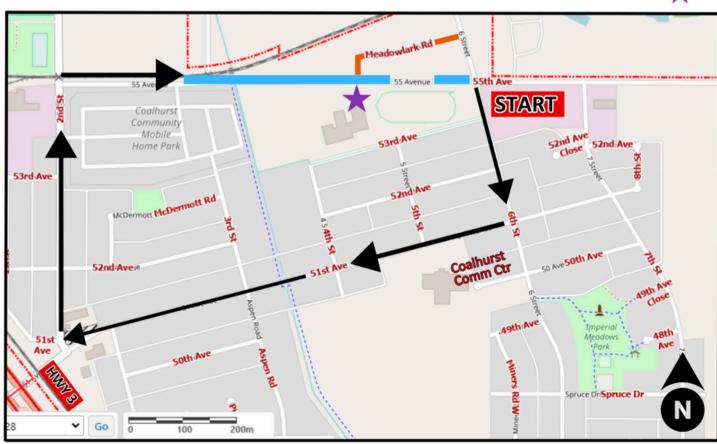
MINERS DAYS PARADE

SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2024

10:30 AM (Staging begins 8:00 AM)



PARKING AREA
PARADE ROUTE
REGISTRATION INFO BOOTH





MINERS DAYS

JULY 26 - 28, 2024

FRIDAY, JULY 26

NIGHT MARKET

PARKING LOT PARTY

4PM - 9 PM | COALHURST COMMUNITY CENTRE, LOCAL SMALL BUSINESSES AND ARTISANS, BAKE SALE, CATS SASS CAT RESCUE FUNDRAISER

4:30 PM - 11 PM | COALHURST LEGION, LIVE MUSIC, DRINK SPECIALS, BBQ, EVERYONE WELCOME

SATURDAY, JULY 27

Coalhurst Town Council

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

8 AM - 10 AM | COALHURST COMMUNITY CENTRE, FREE OF CHARGE, EVERYONE WELCOME

PARADE

10:30 AM | 6TH ST, 51ST AVE (MAIN STREET) & 2ND ST

PARTY IN THE PARK

IMMEDIATELY AFTER PARADE - 3 PM | IMPERIAL MEADOWS PARK, FOOD TRUCKS, LASER TAG, BOUNCY CASTLES, TRAIN RIDES, AND MORE!

MOVIE AT THE HALL

6:30 PM - 10 PM | COALHURST COMMUNITY CENTRE, FREE MOVIE, BRING YOUR OWN LAWN CHAIR

SUNDAY, JULY 28

LEARN FROM YOUR NEIGHBOUR:

DISC GOLF

TIME TBC | LEARN HOW TO PLAY DISC GOLF FROM LOCAL ENTHUSIASTS, FREE OF CHARGE, PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED. CHECK FACEBOOK FOR MORE DETAILS SOON.

TOWN OF COALHURST

CANADA DAY

MONDAY, JULY 1, 2024 MINERS MEMORIAL PARK

DAVID A. VERES SOCIAL AREA:

OPENING CEREMONY @ 11:30 AM BIRTHDAY CAKE @ 11:45 AM LOCAL DISPLAYS

BALL DIAMONDS

LAWN GAMES
TRAIN RIDES
DISC GOLF
CORN HOLE
KIDS' ACTIVITIES AND PLAY DOH
TEMPORARY TATTOOS
CVFD SLIP 'N SLIDE
CVFD FIRE APPARATUS

11 AM - 3 PM



EVENT CALENDAR

JULY 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	Canada Qay	2	3	4	Bookmobile @ Spray Park 12:00 - 5:00 pm	6
7	8	9 FCSS Yout	10 th Leadership Ca	11 Seniors Ice Cream Social (FCSS) 1:00 - 2:00 pm mp (9-11)	12	13
14	15 Family	Council Meeting 6:00 - 9:00 PM	17 Sun' Day Camp	18 (15-18)	Bookmobile @ Spray Park 12:00 - 5:00 pm	20
21	22	23	24 Summer Fun' Da	25 y Camp (23-26)	26 Miners Days	27 Miners Days
Miners Days	29	30	31	1	2	3



CELEBRATING DIVERSE CANADA

Canada is a diverse country, home to many different groups of people, cultures, and traditions. This Canada Day, and throughout July, we encourage you to experience different cultures in and around your community.

Here are some ideas to get you started:

- Attend a Canada Day event! In many communities, Canada Day events include diverse
 cultural displays or performances. Talk to someone you've never met before and connect
 with them about their culture.
- Attend community events and festivals. There are many cultural events that take place throughout the summer months.
- Explore a local museum or art gallery. Canada was built by diverse cultures who came
 together to create something beautiful. Art galleries and museums are a great place to
 learn more about history and culture.
- Try a new food from a different culture's cuisine.
- Speak with a senior about their experiences living in or moving to Canada.
- Read a book that describes another culture.

Each suggestion can help you learn and experience different cultures throughout the region. Feel free to add in your own ideas!

FCSS offers programs and services for all individuals in the region, including specific supports for newcomers and Indigenous families. For more information about FCSS programs and services, please visit our website at www.fcss.ca.

Submitted by: Kaylene Sawicki Youth Development Coordinator Canada Summer Jobs Student



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Mondays

2 pm

Gentle stretching and mobility exercises.



Wednesdays & Fridays

10 am - to -Noon

Join us weekly to play Crib.



Wednesdays

7 pm - to -10 pm

Shuffleboard, ping pong, crafts, jigsaw puzzles, followed by 1000 rummy.



Saturdays

7 pm - to -10 pm

oin us weekly to play 1000 rummy.



Coffee and snacks available.

Drop-ins welcome. Fee of \$1 per week and crib players pay an additional 50-cents each day we play.

Lower level of Coalhurst Legion building (5205 6th St)

Enter off the back alley.

Accessible parking available near door.

Not 55 yet? Don't worry! We welcome anyone over the age of 45. Join us for social activities and conversation.

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The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 273

5205-6 St Coalhurst Ab, T0L 0V0 403.381.3080

Opening Hours: WED/THURS 5pm FRI 4:30pm SAT 3pm

CLOSED SUN, MON, TUES

July 2024

Thursday- Jitney Pool 7pm start time (everyone welcome)

Burgers July 4th and 18th

\$6 Burgers and chips- Cooked from 5:30pm-7pm (kids get free pop with meal; Everyone welcome)

Friday- Jitney Darts 7pm start time (everyone welcome)
Meat Draw 6pm, 6:30pm and 7pm draw time

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Chase the King 7pm draw time

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Saturday- FREE pool All day (everyone welcome)

Slap the Jack 6pm draw time



July 26th Miners Days Party in the Parking Lot

Food, games and so much more
Doors open at 4:30pm Entertainment from 7pm-11pm

Everyone is Welcome!

Monday July 15th is our next Bingo 5:30pm-10pm
We are always looking for New Volunteers. If this is something you would like to consider,
please contact Wendy 403.634.5262

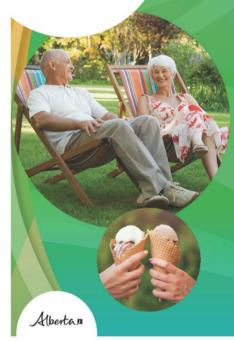
The money received helps our club and the community

Veterans in need of assistance can send an email to the attention of the Service Officer at legionbm273@gmail.com. Through you donation to the legion Poppy Fund, the Legion provides financial assistance ans support to Veterans, including Canadian Armed Forces and their families who are in need. Donations are gratefully appreciated at any time.

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SENIORS ICE CREAM SOCIAL



WHAT

At this event, seniors (55+) will have the opportunity to socialize with peers, celebrate summer, and enjoy some tasty ice cream. Be sure to invite your friends!

WHEN

Thursday, July 11 1:00-2:00 pm

WHERE

Coalhurst FCSS

Community Centre ~ 527 50 Ave

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

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Website: communityclasses.ca
Visit: 2014 - 18 Street, Coaldale
(located in the Coaldale Library)

