

THE ALIX INFORM

November 2019

by *Alix FCSS*

"Keeping everyone in the know"

It's Going On

Date	Name	Details	Time	Location	Cost	Who	Contact
Hosted by Alix Public Library							
Thursday, November 7	Owl Pellet Dissection	Presented by the Ellis Bird Farm and Cathy Perry, along with the library. Learn what an owl pellet is and see what is inside! Kids under 12 must be accompanied by a parent. Please sign up.	4:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Tuesday, November 12	Adult Craft: Part 1 of 2	Learn book folding and make a beautiful design or word just by folding pages. Wine and cheese to sample.	4:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Thursday, November 14	Coffee and Computers with Laura	Need help? Join in and grab a coffee, while Laura guides you through the fast and furious world of technology.	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Saturday, November 16	Cribbage Tournament	Test your skills for a chance to win cash! Snacks and refreshments provided. Beginners welcome too.	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Tuesday, November 19	Adult Craft: Part 2 of 2	Learn book folding and make a beautiful design or word just by folding pages. Wine and cheese to sample.	4:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Tuesday, November 19	Book Club	Enjoy wine, cheese, discussion and vote for the next title to be read.	7:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Wednesday, November 20	Banned Book Club	Discuss and read the most awfully notorious books!	6:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Thursday, November 21	Chemistry Experiment	Arrive on time! All ages welcome. No sign-up required. Another Harry Potter experiment!	4:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Sunday, November 24	Nintendo Pizza Party	Must sign up! Join in to celebrate winning a Nintendo Switch Kit, with a pizza party. Call to book a Nintendo time, 20 minute/ person limit.	4:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Every Monday							
November 4, 11, 18 and 25	Seniors Tea & Treats	Join in for tea, coffee, treats and classical music. Check out the large print and audiobook selections.	10:00 AM - 2:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Senior	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Every Tuesday							
November 5, 12, 19 and 26	Tuesdays 4 Tots	Always something fun and usually messy. Bring the little ones out while the big ones are in school.	10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	Alix Public Library	FREE	0-6	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Every Wednesday							
November 6, 13, 20 and 27	After School Club: The Science of Coca-Cola	Learn all the amazing things you can do with a bottle of Coca-Cola! Please sign up (no extra supplies). Sponsored by Alix Village Shoppe.	4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	7+	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Every PD Friday							
November 8 and 22	PD Friday Movies	Kids movie at 12:00 PM and teens movie at 2:00 PM. Pop and snacks provided. Bring your own blanket and pillow!	12:00 PM and 2:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Under 18	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Every Saturday							
November 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30	BYO Art Club	Bring your own medium and supplies. Do your work in a clean and bright space with other artists.	4:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
November 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30	Craft at Noon	On November 9, make tie-dye t-shirts (shirt sizes need to be provided). On November 23, make a poured paint craft. Please sign up for all crafts. Check in to see what craft is planned for the rest of the Saturdays!	12:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Confirm first before attending!	Dungeons & Dragons	Tavern snacks and mead to sample, BYOB. Beginners welcome. A great game for couples or singles who want to have fun, socialize and play games.	7:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca

November 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30	Saturday Free Hot Chocolate Contest	Get the clue of the day and find the book it's associated with to win a FREE hot chocolate. Sponsored by How Convenient Corner.		Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
November 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30	Saturday Morning Free Kids Breakfast	Kids enjoy a free breakfast at the library!	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Alix Public Library	FREE	17 and under	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
All Month							
	Coloring Contest	New prize packs presented monthly to winners!		Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
	Essay Contest	Come in to pick up entry forms. Get creative and return essays before the month end for a chance to win a \$25 Chapters gift card!		Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
	The Post It Note Book Club	How can you join? Pick up a copy of one of the selected books, read it, and come in to put your post it note review on the bulletin board at the library! Three books are featured, 2 adult choices and 1 teen choice.		Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Important!							
	Library Supply Drive	If you can, please donate! Needed: Kleenex, metal book ends, tall book shelves, rolling chairs, Swiffer vacuum, paints and brushes, child scissors, child aprons, paper towel, Crayola markers and crayons. Thank-you.		Alix Public Library			(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
	Need Volunteers	Volunteers are still needed in order to expand the library hours. Volunteers will be fully trained, please submit resume.		Alix Public Library		Adult	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
	NEW Hours	Hours now include Mondays from 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM!		Alix Public Library			(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
	Operation Santa Claus Letters	This is ongoing until November 14! Anyone can take part and make a holiday card for a Canadian Armed Forces deployed member.		Alix Public Library	FREE	All	(403-747-3233) alixpublic@prl.ab.ca
Hosted by Alix Recreation Department							
Wednesday, November 6	Adult Cooking: Taste of Italy	Tuscan chicken with noodles and apple cake, only 10 spots available. Please call to register. Sponsored by Alix Village Shoppe.	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Alix Youth Centre	FREE	Adult	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
Saturday, November 9	Smoking Gun Entertainment's: Supper Murder Mystery - Hillbilly Wedding	Supper and live theatre, beef on a bun, salads, desserts and craft beer selection from Rahr Malting (ALL proceeds from liquor go to Alix Fire & Medical). Tickets available at Alix Village Office, Home Hardware and I.D.A. Alix Drugs.	5:00 PM	Alix Community Hall	\$50.00 Individual \$90.00 Couple \$240.00 Table of 6	Adult	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
Wednesday, November 13	Craft Day: DIY Boho Wall Decor	Snacks and refreshments, only 10 spots available. All supplies provided by Alix Village Shoppe and Alix FCSS.	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Alix Youth Centre	FREE	All	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
Wednesday, November 20	Bingo	Come for Bingo and enjoy coffee, tea, prizes and popcorn too!	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Alix Youth Centre	FREE	All	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
Every Tuesday and Thursday							
November 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26 and 28	Alix Youth Centre	Enjoy a warm, caring and friendly environment for ALL children. Numerous activities, crafts and games. Children or parents are responsible to get to and from the Youth Centre. Please register.	3:30 PM - 6:00 PM	Alix Youth Centre	FREE	5-14	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
Coming Soon							
Saturday, December 7	Christmas Market	Lunch is available to purchase on site from the United Church Women. Enter by donation of a non-perishable food item for our local food bank. Call to book a table, \$15.00 per 8ft table (tables are provided).	10:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Alix Community Hall	Food Donation	All	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
Saturday, December 14	Kids Christmas Party	Visit Santa Claus from 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, enjoy lunch from 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM, more fun during craft time from 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM and watch the movie Abominable from 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM.	11:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Alix Community Hall	FREE	Families	Chelsie or Janene (403-318-4520)
More Happenings							
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Monday, November 4	Influenza Immunization Clinic	Drop - in only, must be age 6 months or older. **Alternatively, I.D.A. Alix Drugs is also able to book a time for flu shots, on weekdays. Must be age 5 and older. Call to make an appointment (403-747-2405).**	2:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Alix Community Hall	FREE	6 months and older	
Wednesday, November 6	Alix Dance Club AGM	Open to all, new members are welcome (enter through the Elementary Gymnasium doors).	5:00 PM	Alix-MAC School		All	Nicole Thibeau (403-872-2158)
Thursday, November 7	Alix-MAC School Remembrance Day Service	Open to all.	10:30 AM	Alix-MAC School (Gymnasium)		All	(403-747-2778)
Monday, November 18	Alix AG Society AGM	Open to all, new members are welcome. Lunch will be provided.	7:00 PM - 9:00 PM	Alix AG Grounds Hall		All	Floyd Fair (403-747-3434) or AlixAgSociety@outlook.com
Friday, November 29	Movie Night at Alix-MAC	Open to all families, come out and watch a Christmas movie! Popcorn and water provided, along with \$1.00 treat bags for sale. Presented by the Alix-MAC School Council.	6:30 PM	Alix-MAC School (Gymnasium)	FREE	Families	Nicole Thibeau (403-872-2158)

On Repeat

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Every FIRST and THIRD Wednesday							
November 6 and 20	Village of Alix Council Meetings	All community members welcome to attend. Agenda packages are available on the village website prior to meeting dates. If any person wishes to attend a meeting as a delegation, contact the village office for instructions and deadlines.	6:30 PM	Alix Village Office (Council Chambers)		All	(403-747-2495) info@villageofalix.ca
Every THIRD Wednesday							
November 20	Alix Lions Club Meetings	Guests are welcome at any meeting. Fellowship after meetings. Contact for more information to volunteer and become a member (no meetings July and August).	7:00 PM	Alix Lion's Den		All	Curt Peterson (403-747-2584)
Every Thursday							
November 7, 14, 21 and 28	Time for Tots	This FCSS program is a facilitator led playgroup for young families, typically free play style, with some planned activities. Healthy homemade snacks are provided.	9:00 AM - 11:00 AM	United Church (basement)	FREE	0-5	Terry Fehr (403-598-4466)
November 7, 14, 21 and 28	TOPS Meetings	Take off pounds sensibly, a weight loss support group which meets weekly.	9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Alix Community Hall		All	Della Mae Thull (403-747-3354)
Every Friday and Sunday							
November 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, and 29	Public Skate & Shinny	Friday: Public Skate is 3:15 PM - 4:00 PM, Minny Shinny is 4:00 PM - 4:50 PM and Adult Shinny is 7:15 PM - 9:00 PM. On Sunday: Public Skate is 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM and Minny Shinny is 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM. Sponsored by community businesses. No sticks or pucks allowed during public skate times.		Alix Arena	FREE	All	(403-391-8849)
Every FIRST Sunday							
November 3	Pancake Breakfast	Come for ham, pancakes, eggs, toast, juice and coffee!	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Alix Drop-In Centre	\$6.00 (children under 6 are FREE)	All	
Every THIRD Sunday							
November 17	Pancake Breakfast	Come for bacon, pancakes, eggs, toast, juice and coffee!	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Alix Community Hall	\$6.00 (children under 6 are FREE)	All	

Take Note

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	Alix Arena: Equipment Exchange	The Alix Arena, along with Alix Minor Hockey and Alix Figure Skating Club, has an ongoing equipment exchange. Bring in any used items or have a look at what you may need.		Alix Arena		All	Marcy Henry (403-391-3111)
	Alix Arena: Ice Schedule	Check out a hockey game at the arena! See the full calendar of ice times on Facebook @ Alix Arena (go to the 'About' section and click on the Teamup link). It is a busy season of skating, shinny and organized hockey.	See Schedule Online	Alix Arena		All	(403-391-8849)

Alix Arena: Skate Sharpening Available	On weekdays, leave your skates overnight along with your name and number and they will be ready the next day for pick-up. Weekend sharpening is dependent on trained staff availability. Pay at the concession when you pick up your skates or to whomever sharpens them if present.		Alix Arena	\$5.00 per pair	All	(403-391-8849)
Alix FCSS: Program Access	To access the many services provided, visit the office (phoning ahead is best). Office hours are on Tuesday and Thursday from 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM. Located in the back of the Railway House on the end of Main Street (follow the sidewalk around back). New volunteers are always welcome to join and become a FCSS board member.	Call ahead	Railway House		All	Glenna Carlson (403-747-2031) alixfcss@xplornet.com
Alix Figure Skating Club: Skaters Wanted	Inviting more kids to join the Learn to Skate (choose one or two days per week), CanSkate, JumpStart and StarSkate programs on Monday and Wednesday from 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM. Lessons start in October and end in March.		Alix Arena	Learn to Skate: 2 days/wk. \$300.00, 1 day/wk. \$170.00, CanSkate: \$350.00, JumpStart: \$400.00, StarSkate: \$450.00	All	Marcy Henry (403-391-3111)
Alix Fire Department: Recruiting Now	Currently recruiting new members.				Adult	Darren Hiron (403-505-3215) or Corrie (403-848-2711)
Alix Hotel: Meat Draws on Fridays	All of the proceeds go to the Alix Figure Skating Club. Every Friday, buy \$1.00 tickets to enter a meat draw. Three winners will choose from 3 meat selections, all generously provided by the Alix Hotel.	6:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Alix Hotel	\$1.00 per ticket	Adult	Leah Simeniuk (403-506-1745)
Alix Lions Club: Donate Old Eye Glasses	Reminding you that old eye glasses can be donated to people in need. Find drop boxes for donations at the Alix Library, Alix Village Shoppe and the Drop-In Centre.			Donate	All	Curt Peterson (403-747-2584)
Alix-MAC School: Athletics	Visit the Alix-MAC website, (www.alix.wolfcreek.ab.ca), to view upcoming athletics dates (go to the left corner menu and choose 'Athletics', to view the schedule). Look for home game dates and get out to cheer on our athletes. Come out for a volleyball game!	See Schedule Online	Alix-MAC School (Gymnasium)		All	(403-747-2778)
Alix Wagon Wheel Museum: Hours	May - August (including holidays): 10 AM - 5 PM, daily. September - April: by appointment only. Friendly and informative staff & volunteers. Free tours & interactive children's activities available!		Alix Wagon Wheel Museum	FREE (donations always appreciated)	All	alixmuseum@gmail.com
FAMS: In Need of Treasurer	Friends of Alix-MAC Fundraising Society is currently looking for a volunteer to fill the Treasurer position.				Adult	Isabelle Konschuh (403-391-8242)
Friends of the Alix Public Library: Needs New Members	In order for the society to gain a casino license, they need more members. Joining requires a small yearly time commitment. Contact to apply or come into the library.				Adult	fotapls@outlook.com
Join Pond Hockey	No boundary restrictions, on average 3 games per month. Practice times are: Wednesdays at 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM for 7 - 10 year old's, Thursdays at 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM for 11 - 14 year old's and Thursdays at 8:00 PM - 9:00 PM for 15 - 18 year old's. Season starts in October through to March.		Alix Arena	\$325.00		Marcy Henry (403-391-3111) or Leah Simeniuk (403-506-1745)

Up Next

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Thursday, December 12	Seniors Luncheon	Hosted by the Alix Chamber of Commerce. Come together for the 18th annual luncheon.	12:00 PM	Alix Community Hall	FREE	Senior	Glenna Carlson (403-747-2031)
Friday, December 13	Community Christmas Luncheon	Mark your calendars, open to all to enjoy a meal together. Presented by the Alix-MAC School Council.	11:30 AM - 12:30 PM	Alix-MAC School (Gymnasium)	FREE	All	Nicole Thibeau (403-872-2158)

Please contact Latisha by email, fcsscaldar@outlook.com, with questions or feedback. Any new items need to be received by the 10th of the month prior the date of the event, to be included.

Find it online at the Village of Alix website homepage and under the 'Things To Do & See' tab (www.villageofalix.ca). Check it out on Facebook @ Alix Recreation Department. Printed copies can be found at the Alix Village Office, Home Hardware or I.D.A. Alix Drugs.

Thank you to the support and aid of Alix Community Connections and the Alix Recreation Department.