

Library Cards

Library cards must be renewed annually.

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| Adult/Teen..... | \$15 |
| Family..... | \$15 |
| Senior..... | Free |
| Replacement Card..... | \$6 |

- ◆ Government issued ID and proof of current address are required.
- ◆ Card fees may be waived at the discretion of the Library Director or designate; proof of financial hardship may be required.

Office Services

Printing and Photocopying costs:

| | Single Sided | Double Sided |
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| B&W Letter (8.5 x 11)..... | 0.25..... | 0.45 |
| B&W Legal (8.5 x 14)..... | 0.35..... | 0.65 |
| B&W Poster (11 x 17)..... | 0.50..... | 1.00 |
| Colour (any size)..... | 1.00..... | 1.95 |

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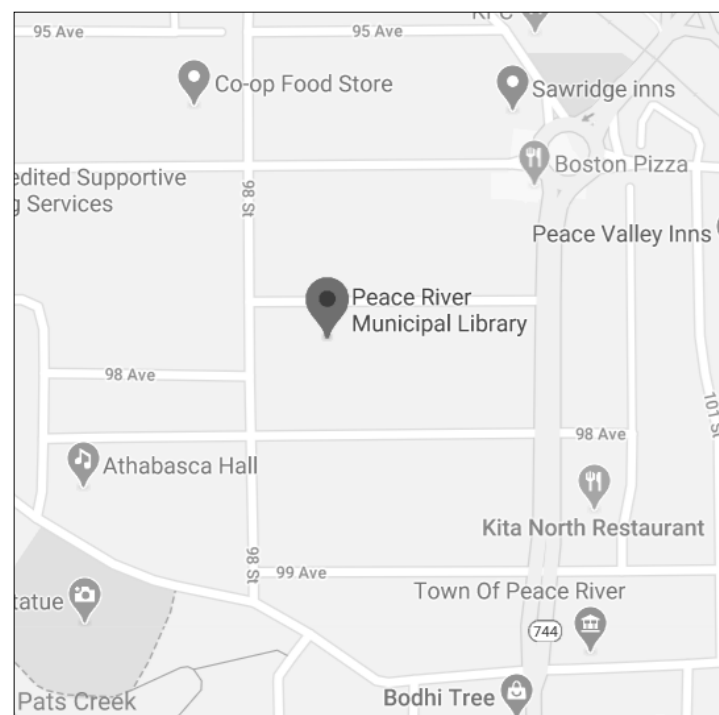
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| Per file sent to email address..... | 1.00 |
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*On scanning glass = same as printing + 0.50 per page

Fax currently unavailable.

Fines:

- ◆ Lost and damaged items—replacement cost
- ◆ Repairable damage—\$2



Computers & Internet

Public access computers are available. Ninety minute sessions are available by drop in. If you require more than 90 minutes, please book ahead of time by calling 780-624-4076.

You do not need to have a library card to use the public computers.

Free Wi-Fi is also available. Ask at the circulation desk for login information.

Exam Proctoring

If you need to write an exam for distance education, we offer proctoring. There is a fee of \$40 for this service. Please contact the Library two weeks or more before the exam date to book your appointment.

Contact Bev at: librarytech@prmlibrary.ab.ca or
phone 780-624-4076.

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Library News

PEACE RIVER MUNICIPAL LIBRARY

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OCTOBER 2023



Programs! Get your Red Hot Programs Here!

Alberta Culture Days ran all month long this year and the Peace River Municipal Library took full advantage with multiple programs every Saturday. Our biggest focus was on the culinary arts (cooking workshops!) and they were a big hit. We had a great response from both adults and kids with requests for more. Rest assured that Annette has heard you and more are in the works.

In the meantime, October is upon us. I am happy to announce the return of the Halloween Haunted House! Unfortunately, the Interact Club is no longer available to head up this program as they did for many years, but the Peace River Air Cadets have accepted the challenge and we are excited to have them join us for this project. The Library will be shifting it's hours on October 31st to 1pm to 8pm to allow all Trick-or-Treaters the opportunity to stop by. This is a family friendly experience but for those who may not enjoy such things or be too young, there will be other activities. Festivities begin at 4pm and run until closing.

I am also happy announce the return of another community favourite although it is new to the library. We will be hosting our own version of the Festival of Trees from November 21st to 25th! It will be held here at the library with different events throughout. All donated trees will be judged and bragging rights will be awarded. Then all trees will be sold via silent auction with proceeds going to the library. See page 10 for more information and the entry form.

—Your Friendly Neighbourhood Library Tech

Hours of Operation

Tuesday: 10am to 5pm

Wednesday: 10am to 8pm

Thursday: 10am to 8pm

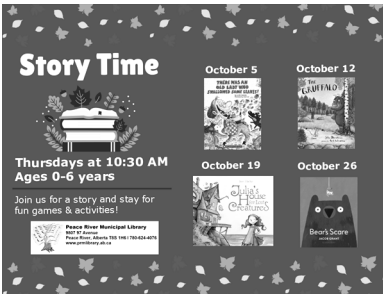
Friday: 10am to 5pm

Saturday: 10am to 5pm

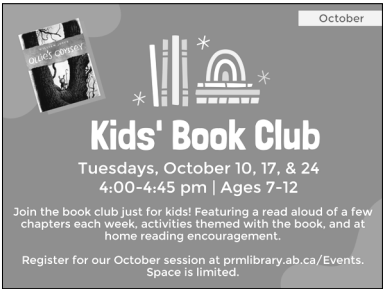
Closed Oct. 3rd for staff training.

REGULAR PROGRAMS

Story Time: **Thursdays at 10:30am.** Story Time is back on a new day! Bring your little people for stories, songs, and activities. Parent participation required. Drop-in.



Kids’ Book Club: **Tuesdays from 4 to 4:45pm.** *New Program!* For avid and reluctant readers alike. For ages 7-12. Register monthly. Space is limited. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events.



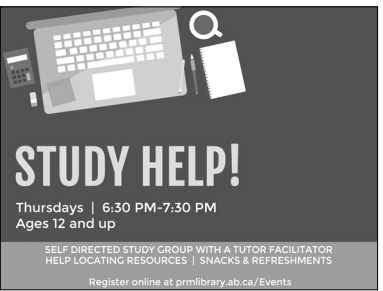
Kids’ Science Afterschool Club: **Wednesdays from 3:45 to 5:00pm.** Next session runs from September through December. For ages 7 to 12. All spots currently booked. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events to be put on the waitlist.



Kids’ Board Game Afterschool Club: **Thursdays from 3:45 to 5:00pm.** Next session runs from September through December. For ages 7 to 12. There are a few spots left! Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events.



Study Help: **Thursdays from 6:30 to 7:30pm.** Self directed study group with a tutor facilitator to help locate resources.



Bookmobile—Heritage Tower: **October 4th and 31st at 2:30 (Heritage Tower).** Tammy will be bringing items to residents of Heritage Tower. Meet her in person to pick up your items and browse other selections. To become a Bookmobile patron, please call the library at 780-624-4076.



Peace River Municipal Library’s *Festival of Trees* November 21 to 25, 2023 “Favourite Seasonal Stories”

Entry Form

Contact Name(s) : _____

Phone : _____ Email : _____

Buisness/Organization/Family : _____

Mailing Address : _____ Postal Code: _____

Signature of Entrant: _____

Item Description

Title of Entry: _____

Award Category—Please choose ONE.

☐ Most Beautiful Tree ☐ Best Youth Entry

☐ Best Theme Tree ☐ Best Non-Tree Entry

Tell us about your entry—size, (height & width), special instructions, motivation, anything you would like us to know.

Please submit form by email to info@prmlibrary.ab.ca or drop off at the Peace River Municipal Library at 9807 97 Ave. Peace River, AB by November 15, 2023 .

*Please note that all entries will be entered into a silent auction to raise funds for the Peace River Municipal Library. The signature above implies consent.



NEW FOR YOU

Festival of Trees

At the Peace River Municipal Library & Art Gallery

Save the Date

2023 Festival of Trees Schedule:

Community Bedtime Story
November 22, 7:00-7:30 pm

Christmas Sing-Along
November 23, 6:30-8:00 pm

Seniors' Tea
November 24, 10:30 am-noon

Teddy Bear Tea
November 25, 10:30 am-noon

Taste n' Trees (ticketed event)
November 25, 7:00-9:00 pm

Viewing of the Trees
November 21-25, during open hours

For more information, visit us at
prmlibrary.ab.ca/Events

REGULAR PROGRAMS

Mini Minecrafters:

October 6th from 4:45 to 7:30pm. For ages 6-8. Food provided by Domino's Pizza. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events for individual sessions. Additional waivers required (submitted annually) and can be submitted to programs@prmlibrary.ab.ca or dropped off at the library.



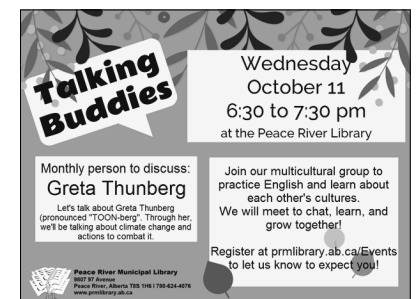
Mongoose's Traveller:

October 7th & 21st from 11am to 2pm. Join our starship exploration team for a tabletop RPG adventure set in the far future, featuring a D6 playing system. All ages and levels welcome. No registration required.



Talking Buddies:

Wednesday October 11th from 6:30 to 7:30pm. Join our multicultural group to practice English and learn about each other's cultures. We will meet to chat, learn, and grow together. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events.



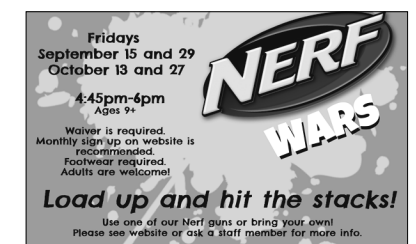
Lifemark Resume Help:

October 13th from 12:30 to 2:30pm. A Lifemark career counsellor will be available for help with resumes, cover letters, and job searches.



Nerf Wars:

October 13th & 27th at 4:45 to 6pm. Hit up the stacks with your nerf guns! Parents, please fill out a waiver and send it to programs@prmlibrary.ab.ca or drop off at the Library. (submit annually) Register for individual sessions at prmlibrary.ab.ca/Events. For ages 9+. Adults welcome.



Dungeons and Dragons:

October 14th & 28th from 11am to 2pm. Ongoing versatile campaign for all ages and play abilities. Feel free to drop-in. Located at the library.



REGULAR PROGRAMS

Bookmobile— Points West:

October 17th at 1:30 (Points West) Tammy will be bringing items to residents of Points West. Meet her in person to pick up your items and browse other selections. To become a Bookmobile patron, please call the library at 780-624-4076.

Read & Play at Peace Playland:

October 18th at 10:30am. Join the Peace River Municipal Library at Peace Playland for a fun story time read-aloud and themed active games.

Minecraft Nite:

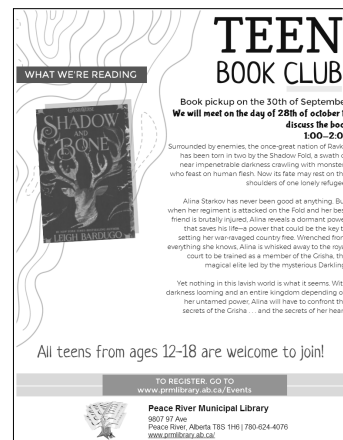
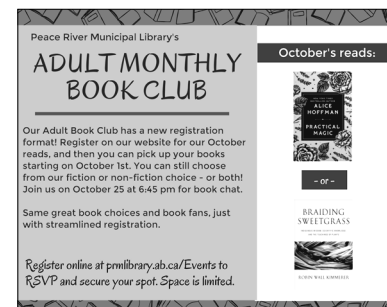
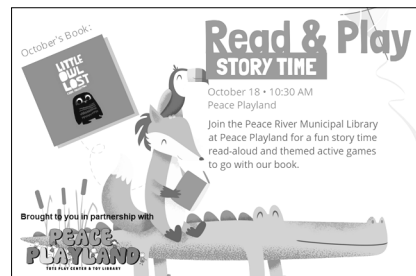
October 20th from 4:45 to 7:30pm. For ages 9+. Food provided by Domino's Pizza. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events for individual sessions. Additional waivers required (submitted annually) and can be submitted to programs@prmlibrary.ab.ca or dropped off at the library.

Adult Book Club:

October 25th at 6:45pm. Time to get down to some serious intellectual discussion—but probably not! Join Anne for some book chat and social time. (You can still come if you didn't finish the book.) Books available on the first of the month. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events.

Teen Book Club:

October 28th from 1 to 2pm. We will be discussing *Shadow and Bone* by Leigh Bardugo. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events. Copies of the book will be available at the library as of September 30st.



BOOK CLUBS

Kids' Book Club

October 10, 17, & 24 at 4pm.

This month we will be reading *Ollie's Odyssey* by William Joyce. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events for all three October meetings!.



Kids' Book Club

Tuesdays, October 10, 17, & 24
4:00-4:45 pm | Ages 7-12

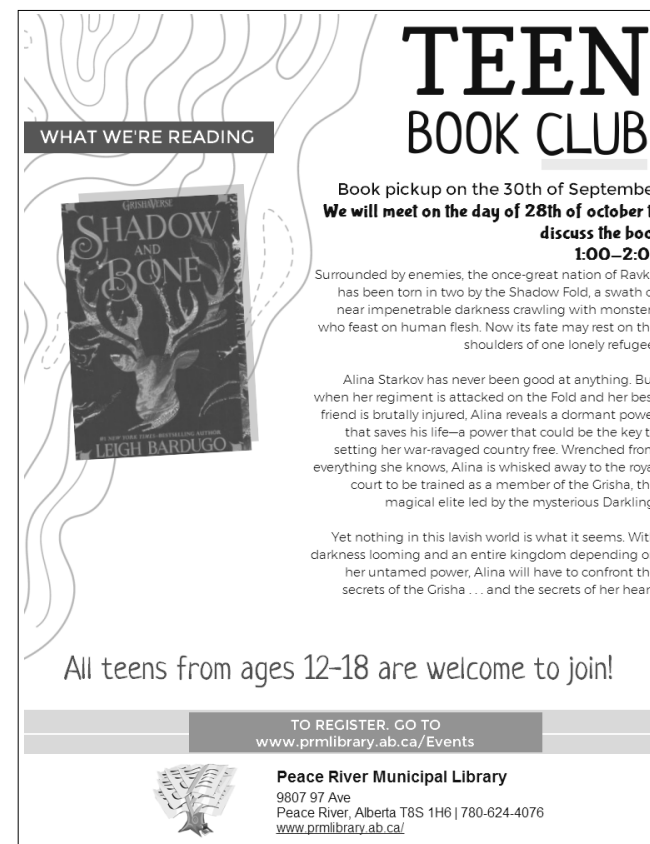
Join the book club just for kids! Featuring a read aloud of a few chapters each week, activities themed with the book, and at home reading encouragement.

Register for our October session at prmlibrary.ab.ca/Events. Space is limited.

Teen Book Club

October 28th at 1pm.

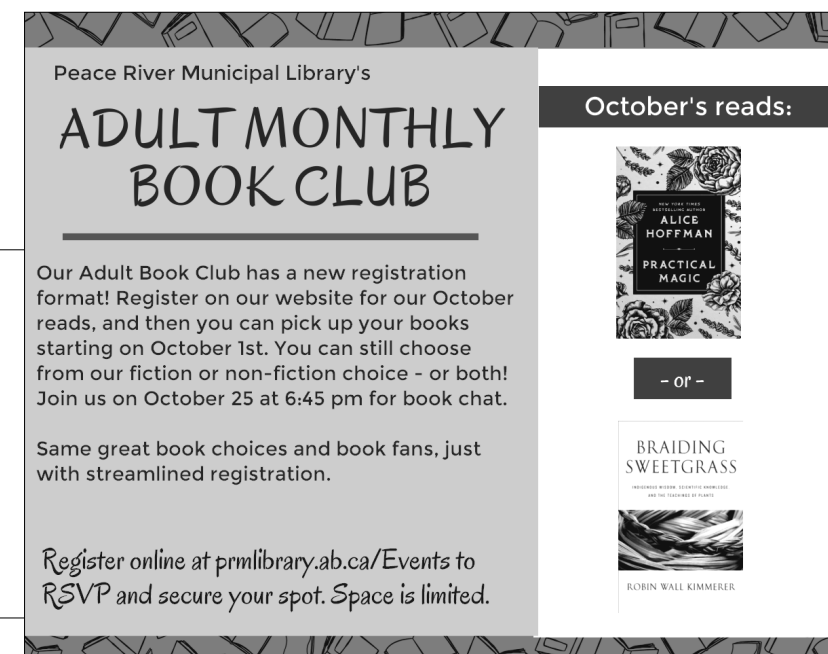
This month we will be discussing *Shadow and Bone* by Leigh Bardugo. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events and pick up your book starting September 30th.



Adult Monthly Book Club

October 25th at 6:45pm.

This month we will be discussing *Braiding Sweetgrass* by Robin Wall Kimmerer and *Practical Magic* by Alice Hoffman. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/events and pick up your book starting October 1st.



IN THE ART GALLERY



2022 Viewer's Choice winner
Karen Lundgard

All Wrapped Up

The Valley Peacemakers
Quilt Guild

October 12 – November 15

Voting for Viewers' Choice open
from October 12 to 18.

Open House
October 18 - 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm

Join the Valley Peacemakers Quilt Guild at their open house reception
on October 18 from 6:30 pm to 7:45 pm for a chat, refreshments, and
the presentation of the viewers' choice award.
"We'd love to see you there!"

The Valley Peacemakers Quilt Guild : *All Wrapped Up*—October 12 to November 15.

Join the ValleyPeacemakers Quilt Guide at their open
house reception on October 18th from 6:30 to 7:45pm
for a chat, refreshments, and the presentation of the
viewers' choice award.



SPECIAL EVENTS

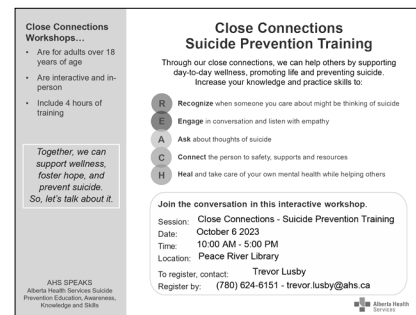
**AHS Community
Helpers Program:**

October 5th (Part 1) & 12th (Part 2) from 12 to 3pm. Learn skills and knowledge on how to be there for others. To register, contact lundgardl@prsd.ab.ca or call 780-624-3603 ext. 10152 or scan the QR code.



**Close
Connections:**

October 6th from 10am to 5pm. Suicide Prevention Training by AHS SPEAKS. For ages 18+ To register contact Trevor Lusby at 780-624-6151 or email trevor.lusby@ahs.ca.



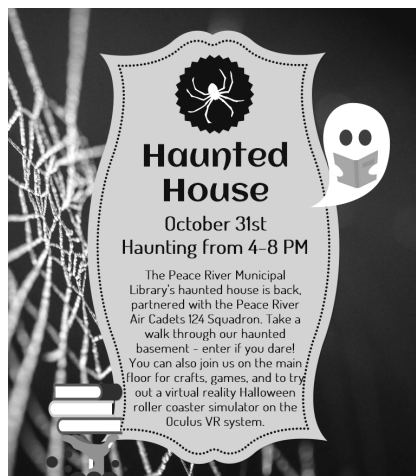
**Halloween Take
Home Kit:**

Pick up day October 19th. Your kit will include 4 picture books, 1 DVD (PG), a craft and snacks! An active library card is required. Register at prmlibrary.ab.ca/Events. Limited number of kits available.



Haunted House:

October 31st from 4 to 8pm. The Haunted House is back! Stop by the library on Halloween while out collecting your treats. Not in the mood for a scare? There will be other games and activities available. All ages welcome. In partnership with the Peace River Air Cadets.



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| 1 | 2 | 3 Closed for Staff Training | 4 2:30pm—Bookmobile (HT) 3:45 to 5pm—Science Club | 5 10:30am—Story Time 12 to 3pm—Community Helpers 3:45 to 5pm—Kids’ Games 6 to 8pm— Library Board Mtg 6:30 to 7:30pm—Study Help | 6 10am to 5pm—Close Connections 4:45-7:30—Mini Minecrafters | 7 11am to 2pm—Mongoose’s Traveller |
| 8 | 9  | 10 3:45 to 5pm—Kids’ Book Club | 11 3:45 to 5pm—Science Club 6:30 to 7:30pm—Talking Buddies | 12 10:30am—Story Time 12 to 3pm—Community Helpers 3:45 to 5pm—Kids’ Games 6:30 to 7:30pm—Study Help Quilt Show Opens | 13 12:30 to 2:30pm—Resume Help 4:45 to 6pm—Nerf Wars | 14 11am to 2pm—Dungeons and Dragons |
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