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ECHO DIRTWORKS



- Bush Piling & Burning
- Dugouts, Dams & Slough Drainage
- Roads, Yard Sites & Basements
- Demolition & Clean Up
- Stripping, Loading & Reclamation

Call for any of your dirt work projects
403-740-5359 or 403-741-4414
Bill Kirtley Wayne Saar


Valley

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SUN	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SAT.
3 Time Change	4 Bingo @ hall Pancake supper @ drop in	5 Legion Meeting @ 7	6	7 Minor hockey bottle drive	8 PD Day NO School	9
10	11 Remb. Day  No Bingo	12	13 GARBAGE	14 Pick up Carrot cakes @ hall until 6 pm.	15	16 Craft Show 10-2 @ Hall
17	18 Council Meeting @ 7 Bingo @ Hall	19	20	21 Drop IN AGM— 1pm potluck @12	22 NO School	23 Trip of the Month Draw
24	25 Bigno @ hall	26	27 GARBAGE	28	29	30
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Big Valley Library Hours

Tuesday - Thursday
 10 am - 1 pm
 3 pm - 6 pm
 Friday
 10 am - 1 pm





Waste Pickup
 November 13, 2024
 November 27, 2024

Waste Transfer Site
 Tuesday & Saturday
 10 am - 2 pm



Big Valley E Free Community Church
 Pastor Allan Clark



meets every
 Sunday at 10:30 am
 Everyone is welcome!

E free Church Additional events;
 Monday Prayer Group— 7pm
 Bible Study— Thursday-7 pm
 Saturday Worship— 10:30 am
 Pastor Clark
 403-740-6540

Big Valley United Church



Rev Kwon
 Nov. 17 @ 9 am—BV Drop In
 Nov. 24 @ 11 Am—BV Drop in

~ FOOD BANK ~
 MARION:403-876-2617
 VAL: 876-2613



Arena Schedule for Nov. 5-10
Tues; – 3:00-4:15-Public Skating
 4:30-6:30– Minor Hockey Practice
 8:00-10:00– Mavericks
Wed– 3:00-4:30– Public Skating
 5:00-7:00-Puck & Stick
 7:30-10:00 -Private Rental
Thurs– 3:00-4:00-Public Skating
 4:30-7:30– Minor Hockey Practice
 8:00-9:30– Ice Dogs
Friday– 12:00-3:00– Public Skate
 3:00-8:00– Puck & Stick
Saturday– 11:00– BV U9
 12:30– BV U11 vs Battle River
 3:00– Lacombe AA U13 vs Red Deer
 5:30-8:00– Puck & Stick
Sunday– 1:00-2:00-Private Rental
 200:-4:00– Public Skate
 4:00-8:00– Puck & Stick
 Lacombe AA team includes
 Big Valley’s Sam Switzer, and from
 Byemoor; Duncan Hebert, Jace Keith

Concession is open for all games!!

Big Valley Hall Board
Big Valley BINGO
Each Monday
Jackpot-\$200.00
Loonie Pot-\$163.00
Doors open at 6:00
Everyone Welcome.
No Bingo Nov. 11, 2024
Next Bingo Nov. 18



Drop In News: Each Week:
Monday to Friday
 Coffee Each from 9-10 am.
 With the exception of Holidays

Upcoming events;
Nov. 4– Pancake Supper @ 5
Tuesday– BINGO 1:30 pm
Wednesday– Canasta– 6pm
Thursday Floor Curling @ 1:30
Friday– Chair yoga 10:30-
 \$5.00 each

Big Valley Drop In
Annual General Meeting;
Nov. 21, 2024
Pot luck @ 12 and
meeting @ 1.

FRIENDS OF THE BIG VALLEY LIBRARY

PIE SALE

NOVEMBER 16, 2024
10-2
 BIG VALLEY CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW & SALE
 BIG VALLEY COMMUNITY HALL

WE WILL BE HOLDING OUR ANNUAL PIE SALE FUNDRAISER ON NOVEMBER 16. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT OUR FUNDRAISER BY DONATING A PIE OR TWO, PLEASE BRING THE PIES TO THE SALE!

PLEASE LABEL PIES
 IE: TYPE, CONTAINS NUTS OR NEEDS REFRIGERATION

SNOW REMOVAL
 If you are looking for someone to take care of snow removal
Brent Bartley is available
Contact 403-999-9332
 For your snow removal needs.

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At ATB, we're creating positive impact in our communities, redefining the future of work culture and redefining the future, period. **Join us.**

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With the support of a partner branch, you'll run an ATB location like it's your own business and become your community's go-to for financial advice and services. You'll promote our products, diversify your clients' portfolios and earn commission to do it.

Sound like your dream opportunity?

Send your resume to **Jaime Comchi** at jcomchi@atb.com
 by **November 8, 2024**

Big Valley Legion Remembrance Day Service
Monday Nov. 11 @ BV Hall
 Guests are asked to be seated by 10:45.
 The BV Legion will also be at the School on Nov. 7 @ 10:40

"In Flanders Fields"
 by Col. John McCrae,

In Flanders Fields The poppies blow
 Between the crosses row on row
 That mark our place; and in the sky
 The larks, still bravely singing, fly

Scarce heard amid the guns below.
 We are the dead, short days ago
 We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
 Loved and were loved and now we lie
 In Flanders Fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe
 To you, from failing hands, we throw
 The torch, be yours to hold it high.
 If ye break faith with us, who die
 We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
 In Flanders Fields.



Big Valley Legion Pioneer Dinner;

December 14 @ noon At Big Valley Hall



Anyone who has ever held a Big Valley postal code or been a resident of surrounding area (Fenn, Rumsey)

Please replay to Val at 876-2613 or Sue 403-323-2500.

If we have your name in the past an invitation will be sent to you.

Big Valley Ladies Group will be making their **CARROT CAKES!** On Nov. 14.

Pre-orders are being accepted at the Village office or any ladies club member.

\$8/cake or 2 for \$ 15.

Cakes can be picked up NOV. 14 from 3:30- 6:30

BIG VALLEY MINOR HOCKEY BOTTLE DRIVE Thursday November 7

If you would like to donate , please leave bottles in front of your house, Hockey players will be around to pick them up

Thursday afternoon!

Big Valley Minor Hockey appreciates all the community support.

Please note the Village Office will be closed on Monday November 11.

49 days until Christmas day!



Sleigh Bells Ring are you listening???

Sleigh rides Hook Em Up Sat. Nov. 30 1pm - 3 pm Byemoor

Byemoor Hall Xmas Market, Bake Sale & Santa -Sat Nov. 30, 2024 11am - 3pm Great gift ideas

to book a table call Doreen 579 - 2460  Concession Booth Available

2 pm - Take your pictures with Santa
2pm- Santa comes
Sleigh Rides Available Also



I am a certified Healthcare Aide for over 20 years...

I enjoy very much caring and helping others, where or if there is a specific need unmet . Are you someone who would like to have extra care or help, that you are not receiving at present? Perhaps, Help with showering, helping prep meals, going to town to get groceries for you, going for a walk, doing a respite? , etc....If you think you fit into one or more of these categories, I'm here to be of assistance for you!

References available and police check-
Wages are flexible! Here for you,
Sandy Wittenberg 403-740-9495



Foot Care by Kaitlin



What is Foot Care by Kaitlin?

- I am a Licensed Practical Nurse with my advanced foot care and a certified Reflexologist with musculoskeletal specialization. I have been a nurse for over half a decade. My specialties include working with those who have dementia, disabilities, poor circulation and diabetes. Some difficulties I can help with are calluses, cracks, thick nails, ingrown nails and fungal nails.

Where: Big Valley ATB Financial

When: November/20/2024 & December/4/2024

Time: 10:15am-3:30pm (times may vary depending on how many/when appointments are booked)

Appointment Times:

10:15am, 11am, 11:45am, 1:15pm, 2pm & 2:45pm

Home visits are also available on the above dates

Phone Number (Call or Text): 587-377-6099

Email: KaitlinCVolk@hotmail.com

The Big Valley AG. Society would like to pass along a huge thanks to each person who has purchased a ticket for our annual trip of the month fundraiser. Congratulations to the winners from the last go round. Tickets for the next round are available at the Village office, the Inn or any member of the Ag. Society. First draw for the new round of tickets will be Nov. 23, 2024

Month	Trip	Cash
November-2650	Hope Ternes	Rosca Adshade
December-1600	Spencer Hodge	Doug Duncan
January -\$1500	Mandi Rietmann	Holly Skocdopole
February-1950	Mike Robertson	Anita Strohschien
March-\$950	Wyatt Kent	Abby Tizzard
April \$2350	Melanie Hansen	Melanie Hansen
May-\$1850	Wendy & Don Davidson	Brad Mappin
June- \$1000	Scott Walton	Craig Knight
July- \$1900	Debra Woelk	Chris Miller
August- \$2700	Mark Hodgson	Ryan Rivett
September- \$ 1500	Cy Davidson	Puffy Volker
October- \$ 2350	Krissy Jack	Scott McLellan

The Village Office would like to send thank you to Skylia Attfield for her years of service and dedication !

Skylia has decided not to return from her maternity leave. We are thankful for her knowledge and understanding. We wish her and her family all the best.

Cheryl Bartley has accepted the permanent position of Admin Assistant with the Village. Please pop in and have a visit.



BIG VALLEY LADIES GROUP FRUIT CAKES

For sale \$15/cake, Available for pick up @ Village Office
Mon- Thursday or Contact
Sharon Duncan 403-876-2779

Fun Facts

- *Nov. 2, 1936– the first regular public television service launched
- *Canada has the longest coastline in the world, stretching 243,000 km.
- *Canada has the largest moose population in the world.
- *Trans-Canada highway is a record breaking 7821 km long.

Big Valley Christmas Craft Show & Sale

Saturday, November 16, 2024

Big Valley Community Hall

10 AM - 2 PM



Vendor List to date:

AJ Cabincraft	Judy's Scrapyard
Backyard Baking	Kubin Artz
Big Valley 4-H Beef Club	Little Shop of Lor's
Big Valley Spice Co.	LS Knives
Burntwood Games	Massey's Baking & Crafts
C.A.Reid Photography	P & T Canning & Crafts
Color Street Nails	Pocket Zombiez Creations
Fifth Avenue Jewelry	Pretty Pig Jewelry
Friends of BV Library Pie Sale	Ruppert's Sweets & Quilts
Halter Junkie	Scentsy
Holly Nicoll Photography	The Bunkhouse

Lunch will be available.

Please bring a donation of warm winter clothing, socks, toques or mitts.

There is room for a few more vendors. Contact
bigvalleymarkets@gmail.com or Andrea at (403) 741-5045

