

### VILLAGE INFO

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### ECHO DIRTWORKS

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

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

**Waste Transfer Site**  
*Tuesday & Saturday*  
 10 am - 2pm

**Food Bank**  
 Val-403-876-2613 or  
 Marion-403-876-2617

**Waste Pickup**

Nov 26
Dec 10

Big Valley United Church  
Next BV Church Service  
 November 23, 2025 11:00  
 December 7, 2025 9:00  
 December 16 Christmas  
 Sing along 7:00  
 December 24 Service @  
 Blue Church



# Big Valley Whistle



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Come spend an afternoon or evening learning how to make beeswax candles. Great gifts for Christmas.

## All That Buzz

Email [buzzgifts@shaw.ca](mailto:buzzgifts@shaw.ca)  
 403-876-2061

Special Council Meeting  
 November 27, 2025 @ 5:00 in Village Office

Committee Of The Whole Meeting  
 November 27 @ following the Special Meeting

Regular Council Meeting  
 December 10@5:00 in Village Office

Big Valley AG society AGM Will be held December 8 at 6:30 pm at the BV arena. Membership is \$5.

A regular directors meeting will follow.


If you're interested in attending and would like more information please contact Danny Houston at 403-740-6407.



**Valley Painting**  
*Painting*  
 residential & commercial  
 Cell 403-741-7384  
 Home 403-876-2566  
 Call Jim

Please remember if you have NOT sent us your email authorization form for Utility Billings we will not be able to email them to you this month. They will be mailed to your postal box. We must have them to the Village office by the 30th of November.

**Big Valley Hall Board**  
**Monday BINGO**  
 Progressive \$597.00  
 Loonie Pot \$144.00  
 Doors open @ 6:30  
 Play starts @ 7:00  
 Hope to see you there!



**Big Valley E Free Community Church**  
 Meets every Sunday at 10:30 am  
 Everyone is Welcome!  
 Sabbath Service Saturday 10:30

Radio Broadcast available in Church parking lot on station 88.1FM on Sunday morning.  
**E free Church Additional events;**  
 Monday Prayer Group- 7pm  
 Wednesday Nov 19—Youth Group grades 7-12 @ 7pm at church

Thursday night bible study 7:00 pm at the church



**ELKS Christmas Bingo**  
 Rumsey Dec 3  
 Big Valley Dec 10  
 Start Time 7 PM  
 Master Cards \$10  
 Extra Cards \$1  
 19 games for \$25 Voucher  
 1 Blackout for \$100  
 Ladies club goodies & Hamper Draw

**BIG VALLEY DROP IN**  
 50+ are invited to join Coffee Each Week-  
 Mon - Fri @ 9 am  
 (with the exception of Holydays)  
 Upcoming Events;  
 Tuesday - Chair Yoga @ 1:00  
 Gail @ 403-741-2247 or gailknudson559@gmail.com



## The library will be closing at 2:30 on Dec. 2

Open to all ages but 10 and under must be supervised by an adult:

Come make dough ornaments at the library Dec. 3, 4:30 - 6:00 (we will paint them Dec. 10, 4:30 - 6:00).

Write your letter to Santa! Dec. 4th to 11th during regular library hours.



### LIBRARY HOURS:

TUES & THUR 11-4 ~ WED 2-7  
~ 403-876-2642 ~

## The Grade 5/6 News Corner

### *Joke of the week: Why did the curler cross the ice? To get to the other house!*

We are so excited that the ice at the Big Valley Curling rink is going in, and should be ready soon! If you like curling and you have a team of 4 or are just an individual who wants to learn how to curl, get ahold of Trista @ 741-7986 to enter your team or to place your name on a list to find a team for Friday night league games. December 12th will be the start of league games! The last Friday of each month, the concession will be open for supper, so come on down and have a bite while you watch some rocks being thrown around. Friday, December 19th, the menu will be cheeseburgers, hot dogs, and dessert. Yummy! We would like to thank the Big Valley Curling Club for donating the ice to our school so we can practice our curling and host our own school junior bonspiel. Stay tuned for all bonspiel dates in our next news corner. Until next time curling fans...

## 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 Prairie Train Station

When: December 5/2025

Time: 9am-4pm (times may vary depending on how many when appointments are booked)

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

Email: KaitlinCvoik@hotmail.com

## 4H UPDATE

Hello, my name is Taylor Elines and this year I am club reporter for the Big Valley 4-h Beef Club, I would like to give a congratulations and welcome to our new leader Casey Wilkie. This year we have had a total of three meetings, where we have all learned tons of new information, a huge thank you to Colin Nicholas from Nomad Vet Services for his presentation on how to maintain a healthy steer and to Mike Panasiuk from Country Junction for teaching us about how to feed a steer the correct way. Another thank you to Shawna Bensen for giving us ways to improve on our public speaking skills. This year our club attended the Big Valley Craft Show and Sale we would like to thank everyone for their support. Our 4-h members are very excited to be helping out at the senior dinner in December and for another year of 4-h.