

SADDLE HILLS Saddle Hills UPCOMING EVENTS

SPRING BUST-OUT RIDE & NIGHT MARKET - MAY 25

The Happy Valley Ag & Recreation Club is hosting their annual Spring Bust-Out Ride on May 25, 2024, followed by a Night Market from 5-9 p.m. Registration for the ride begins at 9 a.m. at the Ag & Recreation Club Grounds, with riders set to leave at 11 a.m. This year will also include a new feature, a Poker Rally!

HOLISTIC MGMT. TOUR & FARM SUCCESSION - JUN. 7

Join the Peace Country Beef & Forage Association in partnership with Saddle Hills County, for a Holistic Management Tour & Farm Succession Planning Seminar with Kelly Sidoryk on June 7, 2024, from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.! Kelly will discussing Holistic Management Practices on a private farm near Bay Tree, AB. From there, we will travel to the Gordondale Hall for lunch and an informative afternoon with Kelly, discussing Farm Succession Planning & Farm Business Management. Tickets are available online at www.peacecountrybeef.ca/upcoming-events, or through a PCBFA representative

BAND PERFORMANCE & SPAGHETTI SUPPER - JUN. 11

Join the Savanna Jr. High Band for a Performance and Spaghetti Supper Fundraiser at the Savanna Rec. Plex on June 11, 2024. Doors open at 5 p.m., with supper served at 5:30 p.m., and a live band performance beginning at 7 p.m. Tickets are by donation and all funds go towards the Savanna School Band.

SOIL HEALTH WORKSHOP-JUN. 13

Saddle Hills County is hosting a Soil Health Workshop at the Savanna Rec. Plex on June 13, 2024, from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., with Kris Nichols, Ph.D. from Food, Water, Wellness. Lunch will be provided. The cost is \$6.66 per person, and tickets should be purchased in advance through Eventbrite. You can register at www.saddlehills.ab.ca/soilhealth

AGRICULTHER SCHOOL - JUN. 18

A day of inspiration and education for Women in Agriculture. Join the Peace Country Beef and Forage Association on June 18, 2024, from 8:30 a.m., for a full day of female-focused agriculture. Start with a guided farm tour discussing Holistic Farm Management with Blusette Campbell, followed by an afternoon of informative and interactive key note presentations and workshops at the Demmitt Hall. Lunch and supper will be provided. Pre-registry is required at **peacecountrybeef.ca** or through a PCBFA Representative, alaina@pcbfa.ca

SPRAYING WORKSHOP - JUL. 10

Saddle Hills County's Agricultural Services Department is hosting a Spraying Workshop at the Cotillion Hall, on July 10, **2024**, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Join expert Tom Wolf and discuss key issues in spraying, such as nozzle selection, calibration, pulse-width modulation, canopy penetration, spray drift and inversions, and spot sprays, among other topics. Working alongside attendees, the workshop will also include a live demonstration with a portable sprayer, specifically canopy penetration, spray pressures, volumes, speeds, and nozzle types. Participants are encouraged to bring their own nozzles and test results for the instructor to advise on and interpret. The workshop is free but registration is required, lunch is included. You can register online at saddlehills.ab.ca/Spraying-Workshop.

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION BBQ - AUG. 22

We are yet again hosting our annual Volunteer Appreciation BBQ on August 22, 2024, from 5:30 p.m. at Moonshine Lake Group Use Area. There will be a BBQ, door prizes, and more, to recognize the contributions of our valued volunteers.

ONLINE COMMUNITY EVENTS CALENDAR

To view upcoming County and community events, and submit your own events, head to our website at events.saddlehills.ab.ca or scan the QR code. For more information contact our Communications Coordinator at communications@saddlehills.ab.ca

