

SADDLE HILLS Saddle Hills UPCOMING EVENTS

RACE THE 8 - JUL. 26-28

The annual Race the 8 is here! Head down to the Rycroft Ag Society on July 26, 27, and 28, 2024, for wagons, bulls, and broncs. With a variety of events from calf scramble to mexican poker, bulls, broncs, and chuckwagons, to food trucks, a steak supper, beer gardens, and dancing, there's something for everyone. Visit www.rycroftag.com for more information.

PCBFA SADDLE HILLS PROJECT TOUR - AUG. 9

Join the Peace Country Beef and Forage Association on August 9, 2024, from 2 - 7 p.m., for an informative afternoon, showcasing two of the 3-year projects being completed in collaboration with Saddle Hills County. The tour will begin at the Hayland Rejuvenation Project Site, at coordinates 55.839470, -119.185284, and will include several speakers, a drone demo, and free supper. Those interested in attending should RSVP in advance, to alaina@pcbfa.ca

WILD BOAR SEMINAR - AUG. 13

Join us for a Wild Boar Seminar on August 13, 2024, at 5:30 p.m., at the Fourth Creek Hall (dinner included). Presenter, Hannah McKenzie, Wild Boar Program Specialist, will provide an overview of wild boar in AB, including how they got here and the threat posed to agriculture, the environment, and health. Co-presenter, Seuss, will also be on hand to demonstrate his skills in wild boar scat detection. Registration is free, and participants are asked to please register before August 8, 2024, at saddlehills.ab.ca/wild-boar

50TH ANNUAL SAVANNA FAIR - AUG. 16-17

Join the Savanna Ag. Society for the 50th Annual Savanna Fair on August 16 and 17, 2024, beginning at 8 a.m. The event will include a pancake breakfast, gymkhana, bench show, team roping, tractor pulls, parade, livestock show, rodeo, supper, beer garden, and much more. You can view the full event book online at the Savanna Ag. Society FB page, or pick up a paper copy from the Bay Tree and Bonanza Stores, or the Savanna Library.

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.

SLUMBERKINS SPACE CAMP

The Rycroft Library invites children ages 5 - 8 years, to the free Slumberkins Space Camp, taking place on Tuesday July 30 and August 6, 13, and 20, 2024, from 10 - 11:30 a.m. Youth will journey on an adventure through portals with Dragon and friends as they learn self confidence, resilience, and communications skills. Register in advance, at rycroftspacecamp.eventbrite.ca

WELLNESS EXPLORERS

The Rycroft Library invites children ages 9 - 13 years, to the free outdoor Wellness Explorers events, taking place on Tuesday July 30 and August 6, 13, and 20, 2024, from 12:30 -2:30 p.m. This outdoor summer program takes youth through a journey of wellness, filled with fun activities, crafts, and lessons to foster emotional learning. Register in advance, at rycroftexplorers2024.eventbrite.ca

BAY TREE MARKET ON 49-TUES

Weekly farmers market held on Tuesdays, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., from June 4 to August 27, 2024.

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 OR code. For more information contact our Communications Coordinator at communications@saddlehills.ab.ca

