



SADDLE HILLS UPCOMING EVENTS

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.

HAPPY VALLEY ANNUAL FALL RIDE - SEP. 7

The Happy Valley Ag & Recreation Club is hosting their annual Fall Trail Ride on **September 7, 2024**. Registration begins at 9 a.m. at the Ag & Recreation Club Grounds, with riders set to leave at 11 a.m. The event will include chicken plop bingo, a smoker BBQ raffle, chest draw, and a dessert auction! The steak supper is open to all and costs \$30 per person.

AGRICULTURAL WATER MGMT WEBINAR - SEP. 12

Saddle Hills County's Agricultural Services Department is excited to offer a free Agricultural Water Management Webinar, on **September 12, 2024**, at 7 p.m. Presenter Shawn Elgert, Agricultural Water Engineer with Alberta Agriculture and Irrigation, will discuss topics including:

- Planning Considerations - regulatory issues, size, location, water supply
- Dugout Design - soil texture, side slopes, inlet structures, sedimentation
- Construction - pre-construction testing, liners, excavating equipment, hiring a contractor
- Dugout Operation and Protection - intake systems, pumps, off source livestock watering systems, potential funding sources
- Water Quality Issues and Treatment Solutions - algal blooms, livestock run-off, preventative and reactionary measures

Interested participants are required to register online before September 11, 2024, at saddlehills.ab.ca/ag-water-webinar

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

RECURRING EVENTS

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. Special Market on August 23, 2024, from 4 - 8 p.m.

WOKING MULTIPLEX PICKLEBALL - TUES.

Join the community at the Woking Multiplex **every Tuesday evening**, at 7 p.m. for drop-in Pickleball. For more information, contact Doreen at (780) 814-1127.

VALLEY PICKLEBALL CLUB - MON. & THURS.

Join the community **every Monday and Thursday**, from 7-9 p.m., at the Savanna School for the Valley Pickleball Club! FREE drop-in.

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

