

This Month in the Region



December 7 - June 30

Double-Sided: Euphemia McNaught, Jim Stokes, Ruth Syme and artist unknown (McNaught / McBryan) • In this exhibition, we challenge conventions by looking at works from our permanent collection in the round • aggp.ca

February 29 - June 30

The Unmakers: Kim McCollum is a multidisciplinary artist based in Treaty 6 territory (Edmonton, Alberta). Working in a variety of mediums, including painting, collage and textiles, weaving is at the heart of her practice • aggp.ca

April 4 - August 4

Land Breaths: A Treaty 8 Exhibition • reflects on the signing of Treaty 8 from the perspectives of the Beaver, Dene, Cree and Métis peoples • aggp.ca

April 8 - May 31

Seniors Shallow • A class geared towards older adults. Various movements benefiting the whole body • Mon & Wed 10:10am-10:55 at the Eastlink Centre • A bus is provided from Wembley • 780-897-9224

April 25 - June 30

Resonance: Independent Student Exhibition • encapsulates the collective research of five Special Studio Projects Students from Northwestern Polytechnic's Visual Arts Program • aggp.ca

May 2

Northern Alberta Heritage Fair • Grade 4 to 9 students have created displays about Canadian and Local History • 8:30 am: Set up and Registration, 9:00 am: Opening Ceremonies. There will be judging for each of the four groups. Awards and Closing Ceremonies and Group Photo at 1:00 pm. Teresa Sargent Hall, Grande Prairie.

May 3 - 4

Spring Bee's Knees Vintage Antique and Collectibles Market. Fri: noon to 8:00 pm, Sat: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm. \$3 entrance fee • 14 and under free • Over 20 vendors on display at the Holiday Inn and Suites • facebook.com/events/1451831735405473

May 4

A Grown Up Book Fair • Downstairs at Clover Co • 6:00 pm - 11:00 pm • There will be lots of exclusive merch and apparel (the spicier the better!) We have also teamed up with 92 Bev Co to have a bar here with yummy cocktails & mocktails • facebook.com/theclovercogp

Set Sail for Disaster at the Murder Mystery Event! • 5:30 pm at Source Energy Arena & Recreation Centre • Limited spots available so dust off your detective hat and come dressed in your best vacation vibes! • bit.ly/4aVfWc

Derby Day at Wild Horse • 5:45 pm • Wild Horse Casino & Lounge • Derby racing all day with the Kentucky Derby late-afternoon • A Derby Day Brunch is available \$15 from 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. • Derby drinks and prizes and everyone is invited to wear their fancy hats and join in on the fun • evergreenpark.ca/upcoming-events

TEDx Grande Prairie • 6:00 pm at the Pomeroy Hotel and Conference Centre • join us in this very exclusive *limited capacity* event. Local Speakers as well as from across Canada and the USA. An evening of learning and engagement • bit.ly/3QjXKnf

Color Fun Run presented by the Talk to Me Society • 11:00 am • Wapiti Nordic Ski Club • A fun filled day running, walking, or even skipping through these beautiful trails • silent auction and also a barbeque • The race is 5km and along the trails • event is to raise awareness and money for mental health in our area • eventbrite.ca/e/6th-annual-talk-to-me-color-fun-run-tickets

May 4 - 5

Blacksmith Classes. Beginners class 10am-12noon May 4th, \$135 Registration Fee. The Intermediate Class 1pm-5pm, \$180 Registration Fee. Takes place beside the Old Blacksmith Shop on 99 Street, Sexsmith • facebook.com/sexsmithmuseum

May 5

Tiny Hands of Hopes' First Annual Bereaved Mother's Day Brunch presented by Peace Diagnostic Imaging • 10:00 am Grande Prairie Golf & Country Club • bit.ly/44IHazG

The Brunch Bowl • 11:00 am The Centre for Creative Arts • Join us for this fun new fundraiser • Choose a handmade pottery bowl, which you will eat your meal from and then take home with you • features a continental style brunch and a cash bar for mimosas! • creativecentre.ca

May 5 - 11

National Aboriginal Hockey Championships • The tournament features 9 regional teams from the various Canadian provinces and territories • Games will be free to watch at the Design Works Centre twin arenas, Grande Prairie • nahc2024.com

May 6 - 9

The Crown and Anchor is Celebrating 40 years during this 4-day Celebration. Grande Prairie • crownandanchorgp.ca

May 7

MindBite: Fueling Growth, 3 Simple Tactics to 10X Your Small Business • 11:30 am - 1:00 pm • presented by the Grande Prairie & District Chamber of Commerce at Centre 2000 • grandeprairiechamber.com

May 10 - 11

2024 Grande Prairie Symphony in the City • Fri at 7:30 pm • Sat at 2:00 pm • Grande Prairie Boys Choir • Peoples' Church

May 10 - 12

Robert W. Zahara School presents "Mary Poppins Jr" a performance by Grade 2-6 students • Fri/Sat. doors open 6:30 pm • Sun. doors open 1:30pm • Takes place at the Robert W. Zahara School Gymnasium, Sexsmith

May 11

Zulu Kids Challenge, 2024 • 12:00 - 4:00 pm • Field South of the Grande Prairie Library/Art Gallery (Montrose Cultural Centre) • eventbrite: bit.ly/3UyKRNf

2nd Annual Ernie's Sports Experts Mother's Day Run in partnership with Nitehawk Year-Round Adventure Park • 10:00 am - 2:00 pm • Muskoseepi Park • bit.ly/4aFqEq5

Town Wide Clean Up • Curbside pickup starting at 9:00 am • Town of Sexsmith • facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064860123097

Annual 3D Traditional Shoot • 8:30 am - 5:00 pm • Two rounds of 25 Targets Humble yourself with real Archery, Traditional or Longbows only • bit.ly/3w92WDx

Moms & Mimosas at The Wick Bar • 11:00 am - 4:00 pm • Celebrate motherhood at the Wick Bar by Prairie Backroads Candles! Create your own 10oz candle • Plus you can relax and enjoy a mimosa while it cools • bit.ly/3y0uYBF

2nd Annual Outdoor Yard Sale • 9:00 am - 2:00 pm • Hythe Community Centre • bit.ly/4d9G2wx

May 12

Mothers Day Brunch • Wembley and District Agricultural Society • 9:00 am - noon • Price \$10 • Source Energy Arena and Recreation Centre • Wembley • facebook.com/profile.php?id=100063492883175

1st Annual Clay Shooting Competition • 11:00 am - 4:00 pm • \$400 per 4 person team includes 50 Clays, Shells (no PAL required) • Wapiti Shooters Club just south of Grande Prairie • wapitishootersclub.ca

May 14

Speed Round Socials • 7:00 pm presented by Hornbrook Hollow's Funhouse • facebook.com/HornbrookHollowsFunhouse

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May 15 - 16

Peace Region Energy Show • Hundreds of indoor and outdoor booths featuring the latest trends, technologies and opportunities in the industry • Evergreen Park • grandeprairiechamber.com/pres

May 18

Mimi's Watercolour Workshop • "Paint a Sparrow with Berries" • 11:00 am - 4:00 pm • Supplies provided • \$120 (5 hrs beginner and advanced) • Beaverlodge Cultural Centre • beaverlodgegallery.com/activities-and-spaces-at-bacs-classes

May 21

Randii Andii - Going Deep, Musical Comedy Show • Doors open 7:00 pm • Showtime 7:30 pm • Age restriction 18+ • NWP Douglas J Cardinal Theatre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

May 23 - June 8

Halfway There, A Comedy • Optional dinners available at 6:00 pm on Sat. June 1, Fri. June 7 & Sat. June 8 by advance reservations only • Grande Prairie Little Theatre • gplt.ca

May 24

The Good Vibes Tour featuring the Mini Pop Kids • Showtime 6:00 pm • Bonnetts Energy Centre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

May 25

First Annual Old Fashion Farm Auction • 11:00 am. Funds raised will help offer tours and programming while preserving our local rural history • Takes place at the Kleskun Hill Museum • Email office@KleskunHillMuseum.ca or call 780-814-0010

May 26

Dinosaur World Live • Recommended for all ages • Discover a pre-historic world of astonishing and remarkably life-like dinosaurs • Bonnetts Energy Centre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

May 29 - June 2

Grande Prairie Stompede • Professional Rodeo Performers • Pony Chuckwagons • Professional Chuckwagons • Infield Entertainment • Beer Gardens: Fri is Steven Lee Olsen • Sat is Brett Kissel • Art Show and more • Evergreen Park • gpstompede.com

June 1

Chautauqua Day and Classic Show and Shine • Pancake Breakfast, Parade, Live Entertainment, and more • Main Street Sexsmith • Farmers' Market 10:00 am - 4:00 pm as the Sexsmith Curling Rink • facebook.com/profile.php?id=100064860123097

80's Night - Ladies Night Out presented by the Hythe and District Recreational Society • featuring a Retro Fashion Show • Starts at 7:00 pm • Hythe Community Centre • bit.ly/3JCcYjW

Party in White • Grande Prairie Pride Society • Enjoy a world-class drag show, delicious eats, and a dance party, while wearing your favourite white outfit! 7:30 pm at The Bowes in Bonnetts Energy Centre • facebook.com/GPPrideSociety

June 2

Show & Shine Tailgate Garage Sale • Farmers Market • 11:00 am - 4:00 pm • Muscle Cars, Vintage Vehicles, Prizes to be won • South Peace Centennial Museum, 1km north of Beaverlodge • southpeacemuseum.com

June 3

Queen - It's A Kinda Magic starring Dominic Warren • This is as close as you'll ever get to the real thing! • Showtime 7:30 pm at the Bonnetts Energy Centre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

WEEKLY EVENTS/LIVE MUSIC/COMEDY/ENTERTAINMENT

- 92 Beverage Co • Downtown Grande Prairie • 92bevco.com
- Better Than Fred's • Downtown Grande Prairie • betterthanfreds.ca
- Crown and Anchor live entertainment • crownandanchorgp.ca
- Frontier Eatery & Saloon • frontiereatery.ca
- Grande Prairie Farmers' Market • Downtown Grande Prairie • gpgfarmersmarket.ca
- Great Northern Casino • Wednesday are: Kokanee Comedy Night • Poker & Slot Tournaments • live music on weekends • Poker Tournaments on Sunday • greatnortherncasino.net
- Jackpot Grill & Bar • jackpotgrill.com
- Latitude 55 Distilling Co. • Downtown Grande Prairie • latitude55.ca
- Lions Den Pub • Karaoke Night on Wednesday • Friday Night live Music • Sundays is Open Mic Night • facebook.com/TheLionsDenGrandePrairie
- Royal Canadian Legion Branch #54 Live Music and weekly activities • facebook.com/rcl54
- Wildhorse Casino & Lounge local live music • Fri/Sat • evergreenpark.ca
- Weekly Slot Tournaments Thursdays and Sundays at Wildhorse Casino and Lounge • evergreenpark.ca

OUTDOORS

- Nitehawk Year Round Adventure Park • gonitehawk.com
- Wapiti Nordic Ski Club • wapitinnordic.com

FAMILY FUN & CREATIVITY

- Art Gallery of Grande Prairie • aggp.ca
- Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre • beaverlodgegallery.com
- Centre for Creative Arts • creativecentre.ca
- Eastlink Centre • fitness and family facility • cityofgp.com
- Fore Seasons Indoor Golf Centre • foreseasonsindoorgolf.ca

- GP Museum Muskoseepi Park • cityofgp.com
- Grande Prairie Public Library • gpl.ca
- Hornbrook Hollow's Funhouse • indoor mini golf • hornbrookhollow.ca
- Philip J Currie Dinosaur Museum • dinomuseum.ca
- The Sand Zone - *Where summer is here all year round!* • thesandzone.ca

ADVENTURE

- Elevation Helicopters • elevationheli.ca
- Gemini Helicopters • geminiheli.ca
- Sheep Creek Back County Lodge • sheepcreekcabin.net

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