# This Month in the Region



# until January 5, 2025

Drink from The River by Brenda Draney • featuring works that delve into the complex questions around the notion of intimacy • agap.ca

Worried Earth Eco-Anxiety and Entangled Grief • an exhibition of work exploring how worry about climate change and ecological collapse is seeping into our lives • aggp.ca

#### **Month of October**

Hornbrook Hollows Haunt • Wednesday - Sunday • various times and hours • family and adult only options • visit facebook for full details and schedule • tinyurl.com/mr42343u

Blachford Field Of Nightmares • from dark until midnight every Thursday -Sunday until October 31 • Evergreen Park • receive a voucher for 10% off regular menu food items at the Wild Horse Casino & Lounge and Pines Family Restaurant • evergreenpark.ca

Rotary Clubs of Grande Prairie Dignity Drive • collecting donations of underwear and socks • check the website for drop off locations • <u>dignitydrive.ca</u>

#### October 3 - 5

"The Last 5 Years" GPLT's • an emotionally powerful musical about two New Yorkers in their twenties who fall in and out of love over the course of five years • shows Thurs, Fri & Sat • shows start at 7:30 except for Saturday, October 5 at 6:30 pm • gplt.ca

#### October 4 - 26

"Tranquil Realms" beautiful showcase of Mimi Zhang-Mackie Watercolour • Opening Reception Fri, Oct 4 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm • Speak with the artist, enjoy the art and partake in the snacks and cash bar • exhibition runs until October 26 • creativecentre.ca

# October 4 - November 30

"Pathfinder Dark" showcases the paintings of Therese Chauvin • Opening Reception Fri, Oct 4 from 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm • Speak with the artist, enjoy the art and partake in the snacks and cash bar • Exhibition runs until November 30 • creativecentre.ca

# October 4

15th Annual Scarecrow Fest-of-Ale • 5:30 pm at the Bowes Bonnetts Energy Centre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

Glow Golf • BEAR PAW Par 3 Golf Course & RV Park • Each night will consist of glow ball golf with food and beverages available at the clubhouse • Sign up ONLINE early - tee times are available every 10 minutes from 9:00 pm until 11:30 pm with a maximum of 6 golfers per group • gobearpaw.ca

Annual Sisters in Spirit Walk & Candlelight Vigil • 5:00 pm • A candlelight vigil will honour and remember the lives of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, Girls, and Two-Spirit people • for full details go to: <a href="mailto:facebook.com/gpfriendship">facebook.com/gpfriendship</a>

# October 5

3rd Annual Teddy Bear Information Fair • The Grande Prairie Family Centered Coalition and Grande Prairie Family Education Society • information on services available in our city for children/youth and Families, FREE games for the kids • Eastlink fieldhouse • 10:00 am - 2:00 pm • tinyurl.com/mwt94vwe

Stars Gala • TARA Energy Services Centre • 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm • evening featuring signature cocktails, delicious food, networking, live/silent auction, interactive activities, and LIVE entertainment • All funds raised contribute directly to STARS mission of providing critical care • Dress Code: New Hollywood • shorturl.at/b7mCn

Tedx Grande Prairie "Broken Pieces" • Douglas J. Cardinal Theatre • 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm • tinyurl.com/3z6ybeu9

Foundations for Life Fall Banquet • Bear Creek Golf Club • 5:00 pm - 12:00 midnight • shortur.lat/3hCFS

Sound Check • GP's Annual Music Contest in Support of the Centre for Young Parents Pregnant Teen Program • Jackpot Grill & Events Centre • 5:00 pm - 12:00 midnight • shortur.lat/iPDvK

#### October 6

CIBC's Run For The Cure • 8:30 am to 12 noon • Muskoseepi Park • tinyurl.com/4mecvt8z

Fall Carnival Fundraiser • 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm • Camp Tamarack • An event for the entire family featuring on-site games and activities sponsored by In The Zone Party Rentals Ltd. • Games, Prizes, Snacks and more • tinyurl.com/mt47x7s4

#### October 11 - 12

Bee's Knees Market features Vintage, Antiques & Collectibles curated by our 20+ amazing Vendors! • Fri 12:00 pm - 8:00 pm • Sat 10:00 am - 5:00 pm • tinyurl.com/5fuaucnk

#### October 12

The Pumpkin King Harvest Festival • Food & Beverage Vendors, Pumpkins for Sale, Performers, Pumpkin Display • Elks Hall • 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm • tinyurl.com/b7fn6suy

#### October 12 - 13

Fun Fair - Harvest Heli Drop • presented by United Way • Wagon rides, carnival games, face painting, apple cider, pumpkin patch, food trucks, Smore's Bar • get your tickets for the golf ball heli-drop for your chance to win up to \$15,000 • Country Roads RV Park • tinyurl.com/578fpmw2

#### October 18 - 19

Heritage Village Folktales Tour 2024 • Heritage Museum • 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm • The Folktales Tour returns this year with an extra scary flare. It is a guided outdoor evening walking tour featuring historical and newly added fictional stories to make the occasion more chilling than ever • shorturl.at/qiBEq

Kenny vs Spenny 20th Anniversary Comedy Tour • Better Than Freds • Doors 7:00 pm Show 9:00 pm • Includes: Show Ticket, Photo + Meet and Greet with Kenny & Spenny an autographed Poster • bonnettsenergycentre.com

#### October 18 - 20

30th Annual Grande Prairie Woman's Show • The Bowes at Bonnetts Energy Centre • shorturl.at/pUaEZ

# October 19

Grande Prairie Farmers' Market presents the 1st Annual A Night to Support Local • a fundraiser to support the Farmers' Market and their vendors. A fun filled evening of entertainment at the Jackpot Bark and Grill • Cocktails, Dinner, Dream Dance Circus, live music and dancing with Hey Driver • tinyurl.com/2ycr39j8

Fall Supper • Silent, Live and Pie Auctions • Doors 5:00 pm • Hosted by the Sexsmith & District Museum Society • Sexsmith Civic Centre • tinyurl.com/35ydj4e4

Northwest Polytechnic President's Ball • TARA Energy Centre, Evergreen Park • shorturl.at/Weny5

# October 19 - 20

Hallows Eve Market • Elks Hall • Sat 11:00 am - 6:00 pm & Sun 11:00 am - 3:00 pm • tinyurl.com/28ht38es

GP Pop Culture Fair. Saturday 12 noon • Vendor Market, Indie Creators, Sessions and Challenges, Selfie Backdrops, Comics and Collectibles, Retro Gaming and Music, Witchcraft • D-Coy Armories • shorturl.at/a6yJ7

# October 20

2nd Annual Family Tea Party • A fundraiser for the Grande Prairie Regional Hospital Foundation's pediatric initiatives presented by 2Day FM • dress the family in your Sunday Best and enjoy a tea party like no other. Enjoy a snack buffet, games, DJ, dancing, photo booth, candy bar, 50/50 raffle, and silent auction. • tinyurl.com/4ek79kpx

# October 22 - 24 & 30

Celebrate the Grande Prairie & District Chamber of Commerce Small Business Week with events throughout the City; Women in Business Luncheon, Lunch with Rotary, Awards of Distinction, Business Showcase • for full details and to register: tinyurl.com/3h99yk57



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#### October 25

Free Friday Public Skate Sponsored by Arc Resources • Dave Barr Community Centre • 3:30 pm – 4:45 pm • <a href="mailto:shorturl.at/6DrgA">shorturl.at/6DrgA</a>

Halloween Masquerade • Grande Prairie & District Golden Age Centre • Doors 5:00 pm • dance 7:00 pm • tinyurl.com/4axk4t7d

#### October 26

Indulge Your Curiosity - Masquerade Gala Event • Pomeroy Hotel & Conference Centre • Doors open at 6:30 pm • Dinner 7:45 pm • an evening of intriguing entertainment from The Little Red Ball Company, a delicious meal, and signature cocktails • tinyurl.com/e75mbepf

Kulbir Jhinjer Live • Douglas J. Cardinal Performing Arts Centre • 5:00 pm • bonnettseneraycentre.com

#### October 26

The 1st Annual Halloween Masquerade Fundraiser presented by the Firefighters
Association • Happy Hour, Dinner, Entertainment • Dress to impress in your best Halloween
Costume • Hythe Community Centre • tinyurl.com/mrybkuuv

Halloween Spooktacular • 11:00 am - 3:00 pm • Grande Prairie Downtown Association & the City of Grande Prairie • Trick or Trick along 100 Avenue • Free family activities at Bonnetts Energy Centre • full details at: <a href="mailto:tinyurl.com/3fu94zfa">tinyurl.com/3fu94zfa</a>

5th Annual "TRICK or TROT" • a family-friendly 5k or 10k run/walk to celebrate Halloween • Costumes are strongly encouraged! • shorturl.at/JKI6U

#### October 26 - 27

Halloween Bash of Decade • Jackpot Grill & Events Center • Doors 6:00 pm • tinyurl.com/ytu29kva

# WEEKLY EVENTS/LIVE MUSIC/COMEDY/ENTERTAINMENT

- Better Than Fred's Downtown Grande Prairie betterthanfreds.ca
- Frontier Eatery & Saloon <u>facebook.com/FrontierGp</u>
- Grande Prairie Farmers' Market Downtown Grande Prairie
- facebook.com/gpfarmersmarket
- Great Northern Casino Wednesday are: Kokanee Komedy Night Poker & Slot Tournaments • live music on weekends • Poker Tournaments on Sunday • tinyurl.com/yxc284kp
- Jackpot Grill & Bar tinyurl.com/mw2xm2w6
- Latitude 55 Distilling Co. Downtown Grande Prairie <u>facebook.com/latitude55gp</u>
- 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

# **FAMILY FUN & CREATIVITY**

- Art Gallery of Grande Prairie aggp.ca
- Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre facebook.com/ BeaverlodgeCulturalCentre
- 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 gppl.ca
- Hornbrook Hollow's Funhouse indoor mini golf <u>facebook.com/</u> <u>HornbrookHollowsFunhouse</u>
- Philip J Currie Dinosaur Museum <u>dinomuseum.ca</u>
- The Sand Zone Where summer is here all year round! thesandzone.ca

#### October 27

Halloween in The Gardens • Veteran Memorial Gardens Centre • 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm • tinyurl.com/5n7t32dj

#### November 1

Alex Mackenzie's Hungry for Laughs Comedy Tour • Featuring Alex Mackenzie, Wes Barker, Amos Gill, Yumi Nagashima • Show time is 7:30 pm at the Douglas J Cardinal Performing Arts Centre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

Wreak Halloween Havoc featuring TJ Ruckus and the Eastbound 674 • Doors 7:00 pm • Great music, dancing and costume contest • Jackpot Grill and Events Centre • tinyurl.com/nxchyvz3

#### November 1-2

Nitehawk Annual Ski & Snowboard Swap • Tara Centre, Evergreen Park • drop-off Friday 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm • Sale goes from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm Saturday • great deals on new or gently used ski & snowboard equipment • shorturl.at/0130g

#### November

Halloween Howler Junior Funspiel • Grande Prairie Curling Centre • Registration Deadline: October 29 • gpcurling.curling.io/en/competitions • Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner & Snacks, Sliders, Brooms & Helmets (Mandatory for Ages 12 and Under)

#### November

ABBA Revisited • 7:30 pm at the Douglas J Cardinal Performing Arts Centre • bonnettsenergycentre.com

#### November 5

Blippi: Join the Band Tour • Bonnetts Energy Centre • Show time 6:00 pm • bonnettsenergycentre.com

#### **ADVENTURE**

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

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# STORM HOCKEY SCHEDULE grandeprairiestorm.ca

DATE	VISITING	HOME	VENUE/TIME
Oct 4	Canmore	Grande Prairie	Bonnetts 12:00 pm
Oct 8	Devon	Grande Prairie	Bonnetts 7:00 pm
Oct 12	Calgary	Grande Prairie	Bonnetts 6:00 pm
Oct 13	Calgary	Grande Prairie	Bonnetts 2:00 pm
Oct 18	Grande Prairie	Drayton Valley	DV Omniplex 7:00 pm
Oct 19	Grande Prairie	Camrose	Encana Arena 6:00 pm
Oct 25	Drumheller	Grande Prairie	Bonnetts 7:00 pm
Oct 26	Drumheller	Grande Prairie	Bonnetts 6:00 pm
Nov 1	Grande Prairie	Olds	Olds Sportsplex 7:00 pm
Nov 2	<b>Grande Prairie</b>	Olds	Olds Sportsplex 7:00 pm



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