



# Wednesday November 17th, 2021

This Bi-weekly Newsletter is available to members and non-members of the Vauxhall & District Chamber of Commerce and features information of importance to, and about local business and upcoming events!

## VDCC AGM TONIGHT

### VDCC AGM NOVEMBER 17TH, 2021 @ 5 PM

WE WOULD LIKE TO INVITE YOU ALL TO OUR AGM.  
IT IS BEING HELD VIRTUALLY & IN PERSON!  
FOLLOWING ALL HEALTH REGULATIONS!  
CONTACT OUR OFFICE FOR THE LOGIN  
INFORMATION TODAY!  
IN PERSON IS BEING HELD IN THE  
VAUXHALL HALL - MEETING ROOM

VDCC CONTACT INFO  
403-894-0923  
[info@vauxhallchamber.ca](mailto:info@vauxhallchamber.ca)  
BOX 357  
516 - 2ND AVE NORTH  
VAUXHALL, AB

WHEN YOU JOIN THE  
VDCC YOU WILL BE  
SUPPORTING OUR  
COMMUNITY  
BUSINESSES AND  
MAKING DREAMS COME  
TRUE!

**EVERYONE WELCOME!**

# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES



Town of Vauxhall

Position - Landfill Contract Operator

The Town of Vauxhall is seeking a qualified individual to fill the position of Landfill Contract Operator. This position reports directly to the Public Works Foreman and is responsible for general duties at the Vauxhall Regional Landfill. The Operator will assist in the day-to-day operation and maintenance of the municipal infrastructure, buildings and equipment. The Operator will ensure that all operations and maintenance are conducted in a respectful and responsible way, ensuring that all decisions and actions comply with the relevant legislation, policies and procedures, separation of material and environmental responsibilities.

Please send your resume by mail, fax or email.

Town of Vauxhall

Box 509, Vauxhall, AB T0K 2K0

Fax: 403.654.4110 Email: [publicworks@town.vauxhall.ab.ca](mailto:publicworks@town.vauxhall.ab.ca)

The position will remain open until a suitable candidate is found.



Columbia Seed Co. Ltd. is looking filling a Full-Time position for Plant Personnel to work in a team environment.

We offer competitive wages and benefit packages for full time employees.

To perform this job successfully, an individual must demonstrate safe work practices and possess good communication skills. Job description includes: loading and unloading grain from trucks and into containers, operating a forklift, packaging, perform day to day maintenance, cleaning work areas and maintaining good housekeeping, good recordkeeping by filling out and maintaining all applicable documents and forms, and other duties as assigned by supervisors.

Experience and Training:

Equipment operation experience and mechanical skills are an asset. On site training will be provided for WHMIS, Food Safety, Fire Safety and other applicable courses.

Education:

High School/GED is an asset

Physical Demands:

Must be able to stand/walk for long periods of time, as well as lift heavy objects up to 50kg.

Be able to work outdoors for long periods of time.

Please send your resumes to: [office@columbiaseed.ca](mailto:office@columbiaseed.ca),

[christos@columbiaseed.ca](mailto:christos@columbiaseed.ca), drop off at 409-2nd Ave S, or mail to Box 80. Visit our website at [www.columbiaseed.ca](http://www.columbiaseed.ca)

Position: Public Works Operator

The Town of Vauxhall is seeking a qualified individual to fill the position of Public Works

Operator. This position reports directly to the Public Works Foreman and is responsible for general duties within the public works department. The Operator will assist in the day-to-day operation and maintenance of the municipal infrastructure including roads, water distribution, sanitary sewer collection system, storm drainage facilities, and public works related buildings, vehicles and equipment.

The Operator will ensure that all operations and maintenance are conducted in a respectful and responsible way, ensuring that all decisions and actions comply with the relevant legislation, policies and procedures.

Qualifications and Experience:

- A minimum of Grade 12
- Must be bondable
- Operator I in Water Distribution and Wastewater Collection & Treatment would be an asset
- Knowledge and experience in operations of heavy equipment
- Standard First Aid and CPR, WHMIS, Confined Space Entry
- Basic knowledge of plumbing, pipe fitting and carpentry
- Herbicide /Pesticide Applicator considered an asset
  - Hold a Class 3 Driver's License
- Class 1 Driver's License considered an asset. Drivers abstract will be required prior to hiring.
- Computer Literacy, Knowledge of Microsoft Office
  - Maintain an accurate Inventory
- Excellent interpersonal skills (written and verbal) as well as accurate attention to detail
- Proven abilities of adopting to changes or shifting priorities
- Proven abilities to build positive and respectful working relations and a safe work environment for employees, general contractors, and the public.
  - Must participate in an On-call rotation
  - Willing to work overtime as required
- Willing to upgrade skills and knowledge through continuing education

Working Hours: Monday - Friday 7:30am-4:30pm

The Town of Vauxhall offers a comprehensive benefits package including a pension in a friendly working environment.

Interested applicants should submit a sealed resume to the attention:

Curtis Cawley, Forman Public Works

Administration Office: 223 5th Street

Mail, email or fax

Town of Vauxhall

Box 509 Vauxhall, AB T0K 2K0

Fax: 403-654-4110

Email: [ccawley@town.vauxhall.ab.ca](mailto:ccawley@town.vauxhall.ab.ca)

Applications will be accepted until a suitable applicant is found

**WARREN-PORTER AGENCIES - HELP WANTED**

We are looking for a Motor Vehicle Clerk, ATB teller and Insurance Agent to join our staff  
Motor vehicle clerk, ATB teller, and /or insurance agent.

As the ideal candidate you should possess:

-18 years of age or older

-Grade 12, preferably supplemented by post-secondary business courses

-High attention to details and ability to adapt to each customer's needs

-Excellent customer service skills, and ability to problem solve

-Independent worker

-A creative team player who is flexible, cooperative and demonstrates a desire to work within a team, and contribute individually

-Demonstrate an ability to deal with change, make decisions and implement creative solutions

-A demonstrated ability to work with numbers, and accounting

-Ability to quickly learn and adapt to new computer programs

-Clean criminal record

-Accurate reading and writing skills

-Punctual and reliable

**ATB Teller specific:**

-Basic knowledge of: deposits/ withdrawals/ bill payments/ maintaining a till

-Desire to learn various banking skills and to continually learn new regulations and processes

-Ordering quarterly inventory

-For positions with the ATB Agency a credit

check/criminal record check will be completed on you before you start your training.

**Motor Vehicle Clerk/ Registries Specific:**

-Adhere to a strict code of conduct

-Proficient with data entry

-Balancing of daily transactions

-Deposits

-Ordering and processing inventory monthly

-Issuing operator and vehicle transactions

**Insurance Agent**

-Level I or Level II Alberta Insurance License

-Knowledge of Power Broker an asset

Online and in person applications accepted:

Drop off at 514 - 2nd Avenue, Vauxhall, AB or  
wporteragency@gmail.com



## Employment Opportunity: Truck Driver

The BRID is looking for a truck driver. This position will be for 5 days (40 hours) per week, and the position reports to the Shop Foreman.

### The successful applicant will:

- Possess a valid Class 1 drivers license
- Have 5 years of experience driving truck

### Duties include:

- Moving construction equipment with 16-wheel trailer and 16-wheel jeep
- Loading equipment
- Making permit applications
- Operating various other trucks and equipment
- Assisting the shop mechanic with servicing and repairing trucks and equipment

Please include in a resume all personal attributes, training, education and work experience that may be used in consideration for employment.

The BRID offers competitive salaries and excellent benefits including paid vacation and sick leave, comprehensive medical and dental coverage, as well as participation in the Local Authorities Pension Plan.

The closing date for receipt of applications will be at 4:30 p.m. on Friday, November 5th, 2021. Those interested in applying for the position should submit resumes to:

**Human Resources**  
Bow River Irrigation District  
Box 140  
Vauxhall, AB, T0K 2K0  
Phone: (403)-654-2111  
Fax: (403)-654-4197  
Email: hr@brid.ca

We thank all who apply, however, only those we wish to interview will be contacted.





Vauxhall & District  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

## SHOP LOCAL EVENT!

Every \$20 spent at supporting businesses will receive 1 entry ticket into the VDCC Chamber Bucks draw barrel.

Thank you to our 2021 sponsor businesses:

- Warren Porter Agencies
- South Country Co-op Agro
- South Country Co-op Food Store
  - KSL Farms Inc.
- KC's Hair & Tanning Salon
  - Avail CPA
- Fisher's Pharmacy
- D&R/Napa Auto Parts
  - Nonna's Pizzeria
  - Town of Vauxhall
- Columbia Seed Co. Ltd

RUNNING FROM NOVEMBER 15TH TO  
DECEMBER 20TH, 2021!

- 1 Early Bird Draw held December 1st
- 2 Final Draws held December 20th

To become a sponsor contact us today!

email: [info@vauxhallchamber.ca](mailto:info@vauxhallchamber.ca)

# TOWN of VAUXHALL

To: Arena Patrons

From: Brandon Lowen -Recreation manager

Date: October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Re: Public Skating

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Starting October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021, Town of Vauxhall will be offering Public Skating with the number of skaters being limited to safe load capacities and they are as follows:

Ice surface - 40 skaters

Admission will be granted to the first 40 skaters and others unfortunately, will not be granted entry into the recreation facility.

We are strongly recommending skaters to wear appropriate clothing, gloves and CSA approved helmets for ages 14 years old and below.

Staff will verify patrons are wearing a proper face mask and ask if you are symptom free of Covid – 19. Skaters who are under the age of 17 years old will be directed into the lobby. Anyone entering the facility 18 and older will have to produce "Proof of Vaccination – Alberta's REP Protocols".

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 403-654-2741.

Town of Vauxhall are asking patrons of our facilities to be respectful to our staff, these mandates are required by the capacities load restrictions and Covid Restrictions. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we work together.

For more information on Covid, please refer to the Government of Alberta's website at [www.alberta.ca/covid](http://www.alberta.ca/covid).



**Your Heartfelt Donation  
Helps Us Spread the Caring**

If you missed Pledge Week last week, don't worry!  
You can still donate to the Taber & District Health Foundation

**Donate Online through the Foundation**  
website: [www.tdhf.ca](http://www.tdhf.ca)

**Text HEALTH to 45678 to donate \$10, \$20 or \$25 until October 31**

**Call the TDHF office 403-223-7232**

Your donations will provide the best possible local healthcare in a positive, healing and compassionate environment.

**TABER & DISTRICT HEALTH FOUNDATION**  
*Share in the Experience of Caring*

 

# Become A **SNOW ANGEL!**

Snow Angels is a volunteer service where you, your family, organization, business, or school can help remove snow for seniors. Get involved in your community!

Call or text  
**403-915-7063**  
To volunteer





**VAUXHALL HIGH SCHOOL**  
*"Education - A Life Long Pursuit"*  
Box 618  
Vauxhall, AB T0K 2K0  
Phone: 403-654-2145 Fax: 403 - 654-4296



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*Vauxhall High School's*

*27th Annual Fundraiser*

*November 19<sup>th</sup> - November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021*

Vauxhall High School is a small school with approximately 200 students in grades 7 - 12. Our student population is made up of Hays, Enchant and Vauxhall students. We hold an annual fundraiser to raise funds to purchase various types of equipment to better serve our programs. We would be unable to make these purchases without this fundraiser. A few examples of what this money has been used for in the past are: projection units, a drafting table, basketballs, volleyball nets, printers, scanners, stoves, fridges, drama props and costumes, and to reduce the cost of yearbooks.

Each year our students canvass the community for donations. We try to minimize our fundraising efforts to one annual event in order to reduce the number of times the business community is solicited for fundraiser donations. All donations are appreciated and welcome! Donations can be in the form of gift certificates, merchandise, cash or even food.

**\*\*Horizon School Division is eligible to issue tax-deductible receipts for cash/cheque donations only, but cheques must be made payable to Horizon School Division.**

Once again the format of our fundraiser will be an online auction set up via. Elevate Auctions. We will be sending out the link and posting it on our website - Stay Tuned!

If you are able to contribute in any way, please call the school at 403-654-2145. We truly appreciate your support.

Sincerely,

Todd Ojala  
Principal

# BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!



**Do you know what the VDCC can do for you?**

- Listing on our website with your logo
- Social Media coverage
- Promotion of your events in our bi-weekly newsletter
- Spotlight in our bi-weekly newsletter as a Member
- Access to the Chambers Plan, the most popular benefit plan in Canada for businesses
- Free Advertising
- First Year Membership 1/2 price

Contact Information:  
Administrative Assistant  
Danna Ferguson  
403-894-0923

**BOX 357  
VAUXHALL, AB  
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## Not a Member?

Becoming a VDCC member is easy and affordable.

A yearly membership for not-for-profit organizations is \$45 (restricted to clubs, schools and such).

Business fees are \$125.

**First time Members receive 50% off the first year, don't miss out!**



# VDCC INFORMATION!

**Our mailing address is: Vauxhall & District Chamber of Commerce**

**Box 357**

**Vauxhall, AB**

**T0K 2K0**

**Email: [info@vauxhallchamber.ca](mailto:info@vauxhallchamber.ca)**

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