



Wednesday August 23rd, 2023

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!

2023 MEMBER HIGHLIGHTS



Claassen Farms

Claassen Farms is looking for Class 1 & 3 drivers for the 2023 potato harvest season 🍅 (September to October approximately 3 weeks).
Competitive wages and lunches provided. Housing available.

Message me here or email:
office@claassenfarms.com

VDCC Contact Information: 403-382-1698

WHAT DO OUR COMMUNITIES NEED? LET US KNOW!

\$100 WALMART GIFT CARD GIVEAWAY

LINK:
[HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/MR4B7Y7E](https://tinyurl.com/mr4b7y7e)



SCAN ME!



Taber Adult Learning

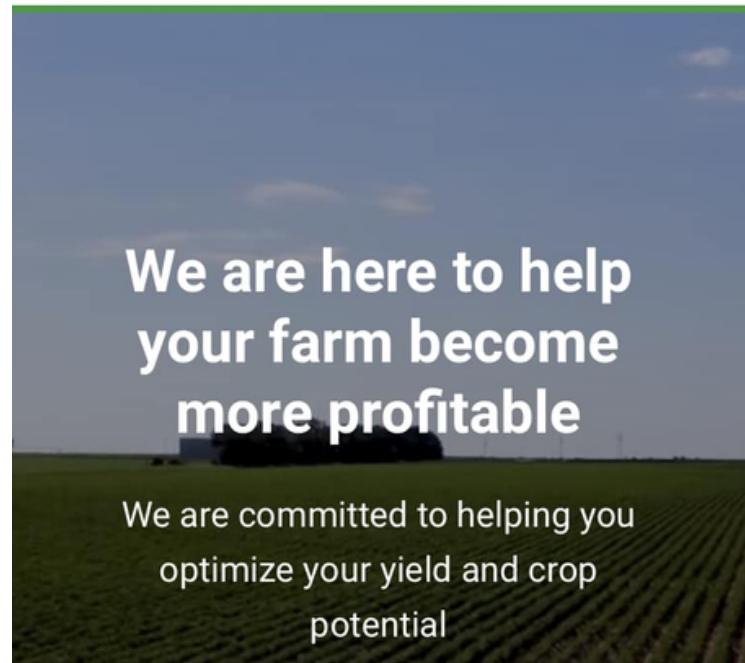
FILL OUT OUR SURVEY FOR A CHANCE TO WIN!

Number of gift cards varies based on number of completed surveys




We are here to help your farm become more profitable

We are committed to helping you optimize your yield and crop potential



TD Summer Reading Club 2023

Book Bingo

Participate for a chance to win one of three grand prizes based on age group.

- Kids: 4-12
- Teens: 13-17
- Adults: 18+

Visit your library to pick up a Book Bingo Sheet.

Return sheet to library by **August 11th, 2023**

- 5 in a row/column = 1 entry
- 5 maximum entries per person



CHINOOK ARCH REGIONAL LIBRARY SYSTEM

MOVIES

COME JOIN US FOR A MOVIE AFTERNOON EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 4-6PM!

STARTING WEDNESDAY APRIL 13TH



Located at the Vauxhall Public Library



Don't forget to buy a wristband early and save \$, only \$35 and can be used any ONE day of Cornfest. Get one at Taber IGA, South Country Co-op or the Taber Chamber now until Aug 23.



The MD of Taber Regional Fire Services is looking for your derelict vehicles!! Do you have a car sitting in your yard that you would love to donate? MDTRFS would love to take it off your hands!!

We are looking for 4-door sedans to cut up for a training course in September. Your donation would go a long way to help develop and hone our firefighters' skills.

If you would like to donate a vehicle, please call Brandon at 403-715-2598 to make arrangements.

Vauxhall AG SOCIETY
 Box 690
 Vauxhall, Alberta
 ToK2K0

THE VAUXHALL AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

is pleased to sponsor a scholarship for VHS graduates in an agricultural related course of studies at a College, University or Technical School.
This is for first year students only.

Please send a letter of application, stating your name, educational institution where you have been accepted, course of studies and reasons why you should be awarded this scholarship.

Deadline for applications is August 31st Annually!

vauxhallag@gmail.com

Vauxhall Golf Course Raffle

1st Prize – Half of Beef
 (Cut and wrapped)

2nd Prize – Whole Pig
 (Cut and wrapped)

Sponsored by
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Tickets \$5.00 each
Draw date: October 9

Thank you Town of Vauxhall for Supporting the Vauxhall Golf Club

RCMP

ONLINE CRIME REPORTING
is now available

Report it online!

YOU CAN FILE A REPORT IF:

- You have lost something that costs less than \$5000
- Someone has stolen something from you that costs less than \$5000
- Someone has vandalized your property or vehicle and it will cost less than \$5000 to repair it
- The crime happened within the jurisdiction of the Alberta RCMP
- Thefts over \$5,000 are accepted from oil, telecommunications, and utility companies

YOU CANNOT USE ONLINE CRIME REPORTING IF:

- There is a witness or suspect
- There are lost or stolen items involving personal identity, firearms, license plates or decals

All crimes reported online to the Alberta RCMP will be followed up with a phone call from a police officer within five business days.

[HTTPS://OCRE-SIELC.RCMP-ORC.GC.CA/ALBERTA](https://ocre-sielc.rcmp-orc.gc.ca/alberta)

2023 FARMERS MARKET

COME OUT AND SUPPORT OUR LOCAL VENDORS!

AUG. 9TH & 23RD
SEPT. 6TH & 20TH
5:30-7:30PM

At the Vauxhall Community Hall

CHRISTMAS MARKET
DEC. 2ND 10AM-3PM


 Community
SPAGHETTI
Supper

Come join us for a delicious Spaghetti Supper at the Vauxhall Community Hall on Sept. 6th from 5:30-7pm in support of the Vauxhall Library
 Options for sit-down or pick-up available

Sponsored by


Free Employer's Breakfast

2023

Let's Talk About Labour

Services we offer you, the employer

- screening, referrals, job posting
- work experience funding

Guest Speaker Presentations

07 : 08:00 AM
SEPT : 10:00 AM

JOIN US !
 @Taber Heritage Inn
 Register by Sept 1st
 403-223-1189



TABER ADULT LEARNING

Family Summer Fun!

We welcome caregivers together with their children, aged 0-12 years, to come out and enjoy a fun outdoor activities.

10:00-11:30 am

Community	Location	Dates / Theme
Vauxhall	Legion Park	August 3 Treasure Hunt
Hays	School Playground	August 10 Treasure Hunt
Enchant	North Camp Playground	August 17 Treasure Hunt
Grassy Lake	Camp Playground	August 24 Treasure Hunt
Barnwell	Willow Park	August 9, 16 & 23

For more information contact:

Kim or **Lauren**
 403-394-8657 403-331-1325
kim.forchuk@fcss.ca lauren.tams@fcss.ca



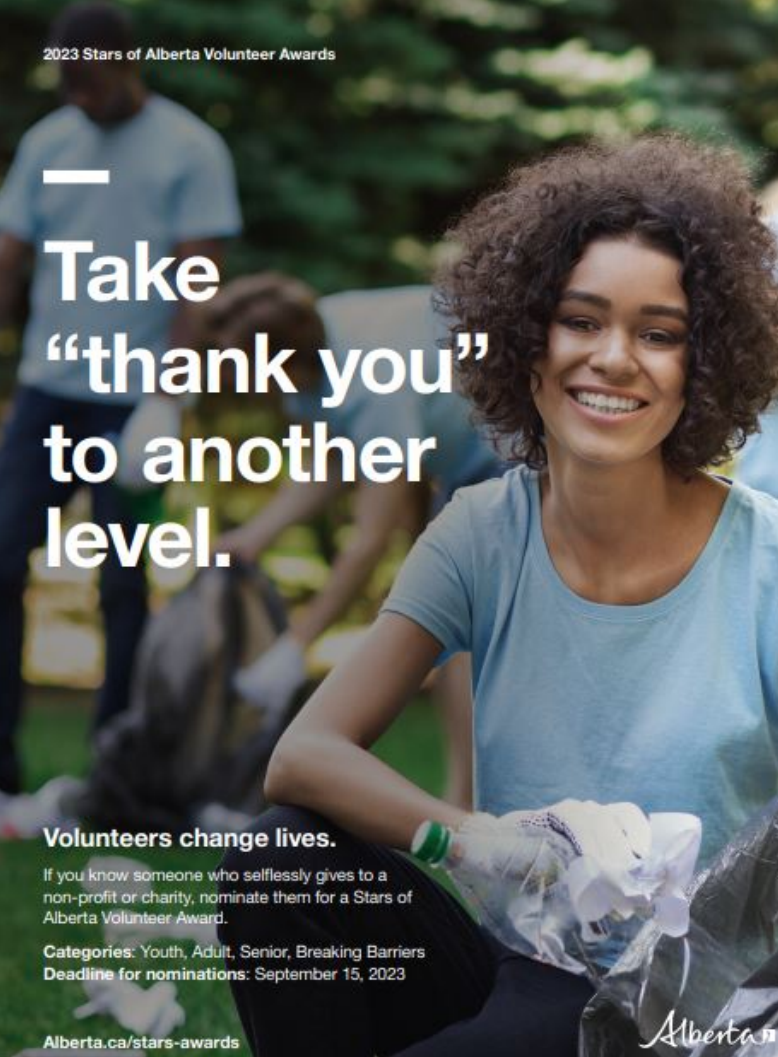
Snack will be provided, bring water, a hat and sunscreen!



REGISTRATION APPRECIATED / DROP-IN'S WELCOME!

2023 Stars of Alberta Volunteer Awards

Take "thank you" to another level.




Volunteers change lives.

If you know someone who selflessly gives to a non-profit or charity, nominate them for a Stars of Alberta Volunteer Award.

Categories: Youth, Adult, Senior, Breaking Barriers
 Deadline for nominations: September 15, 2023

Alberta.ca/stars-awards



OPPORTUNITIES

Town of Vauxhall Employment
Opportunity

The Town of Vauxhall is currently seeking part-time seasonal Arena staff. Duties include, operating the Zamboni, ice edger and general maintenance. Flexible hours including evenings and weekends.

Start date: Mid-September to Mid-March.

Attention: Recreation Manager
Apply: Town of Vauxhall
Box 509 Vauxhall, AB T0K 2K0
Fax: 403.654.4110

Administrative Office: 223 5th Street N.
Email: brandonl@town.vauxhall.ab.ca

HELP WANTED!



Vauxhall Esso

We are currently looking to hire a new team member for an afternoon/evening shift!

- must be over the age of 18
- work well on little to no supervision
- be able to work 2 weekends a month and holidays (includes Sundays)

Please drop off a resume at the Esso if you have any more questions please stop in and ask any of the staff!



Warren-Porter Agencies
Hiring, Inquire within
(403) 654-5225
514 2nd Ave N. Vauxhall Ab



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Contact Information:
Administrative Assistant
Danna Ferguson
403-894-0923
403-654-2122

**BOX 357
VAUXHALL, AB
T0K 2K0**

Not a Member?

Becoming a VDCC member is easy and affordable.

Our 2023 yearly memberships for not-for-profit organizations / individual are \$50 (restricted to clubs, schools and such).

Business fees are \$150.

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VDCC INFORMATION!

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Vauxhall & District Chamber of Commerce

Box 357

Vauxhall, AB

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Email: info@vauxhallchamber.ca




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