



SEPTEMBER

2026

THANK YOU!

to the County of Vermilion River for their generous donation towards the Cemetery.

Important Dates

- Office Closed September 7
- Council Meeting September 8 & 21

Village Council Information

Council Meetings are held in the Village
Council Chambers 5015 - 50 Street
starting at 7:00 p.m.

Members of the public are welcome to attend.

It's hard to believe summer is already winding down. the evenings are getting cooler, but September also brings new beginnings, including a new school year. As out students return to school their routines, please keep an extra eye open around our school buses. Please slow down and take extra care in these areas. The road work scheduled for this summer is now complete. A few streets received a slurry seal, which helps extend the life of our pavement and delay more costly repairs in the future. The weather certainly didn't make the construction schedule easy this year. It took several weeks for 52 Avenue to dry enough for paving to be completed. Thank you to everyone for your patience while the work was underway.

Council is continuing to meet with local non-profit organizations to learn more about what support they may need to continue providing the valuable services they offer. The many volunteers who give their time to these organizations play such an important role in our community and we want to do what we can to support them. Please mark October 7 on your calendar for our Community Open House. Council and administration will in the Council Chambers from 6:30p.m. to 8:30p.m. to discuss the Strategic Plan for Kitscoty, answer questions and hear what is on your mind. we look forward to seeing you there!

As September begins, I hope everyone enjoys the changing season and that we have a safe and successful harvest. Thank you to everyone who helps make Kitscoty such a great place to live.

Until next month,
Joy Bell



September 2nd
Have a wonderful first day back!

Community Centre

Please note that regular activities at your Community Centre will be starting up in September. At present these will include pool, floor curling and cribbage. If there is interest in other activities, we will do our utmost to schedule them in. This can be on any day or if you are interested in participating in these activities, please contact John Scott at 780-846-2832, leaving a message if I am not available.

Pool for regulars: Mondays, Wednesday and Fridays at 1:30pm

Pool for beginners: Wednesday at 10:00am

Floor Curling: Mondays at 1:30

Cribbage: Thursday at 10:00 am

Each of these activities usually last for about three hours, refreshments are provided by participants. Coffee, tea, water provided by the Centre.
The cost for each participation in an activity is \$1.00



Rental Fee: \$25.00 per hour, to a maximum of \$100.00 for the day. The same applied for the lowered, outside facility, which has a kitchen, washrooms and a BBQ (\$50.00 extra charge). For Rentals, contact Dennis Roth at 780-205-8877. The Centre is an ideal place to gather for activity and connection with community residents.

Membership at the Centre is \$10.00 for the year, which includes automatic invite to the Members Christmas Dinner, at a nominal charge.



Watch this newsletter for other activities sponsored by the
Centre

- John Scott

LEGION

The annually Steak supper will on September 26,
with two sittings at 5:00pm & 6:30pm.

Supper Menu

- garlic toast
- caesar salad
- baked beans
- dessert
- refreshments

Tickets are \$25.00 each and will be presold; please contact any member or Lynda George at 780-846-2453 for more information. Scholarship recipients will be annouced in the next newsletter with additional details available on the Legion Facebook page.

OUT OF SCHOOL CARE

KITSCOTY COMMUNITY CABIN 4 KIDS

AT KITSCOTY ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

A safe, fun, and caring environment for kids before and after school!

FLEXIBLE OPTIONS

Availability for:

- FULL TIME SPOTS**
- PART TIME SPOTS**
- DROP IN SPOTS**

HOURS OF OPERATION

7:30 AM – 5:30 PM

OPEN ON NON-INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS

PLAY. LEARN. GROW. BELONG.

REGISTER BY CLICKING THE LINK FOUND AT **www.cabin4kids.org**

OR CALL **780-846-2228** FOR MORE INFORMATION



Alberta P&E portal guide

The portal houses post-transition launch toolkit assets, as well as optional recycling assets for your channels to support any communication initiatives.



Register for access

To get started, click [here](#) to register for the P&E portal and select 'Access Request'.

Log in to the portal

Once your registration is approved, return to the portal and log in using your credentials. You can now access the full library of available assets at anytime.



Browse P&E assets

Explore the portal by clicking on different categories to expand them and view the assets available.

Download materials

You'll be able to view and download materials directly in the format that works best for you.



For custom requests, please contact communications@circularmaterials.ca.



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ROADTRIP ADVENTURE GAME!

\$10,000 in Prizes to be won!

Starts May 30th

GoRoadtripGame.ca

Alcurve Hall

FALL GARAGE SALE

SEPT 25TH 1PM to 7PM & **SEPT 26TH 9AM to 3PM**

\$20.00 FIRST TABLE

Please contact to book tables

\$15.00 ADDITIONAL

GREAT FINDS! GREAT PRICES!

SOMETHING FOR Everyone!

DON'T MISS IT!

780-808-0015 : Contact Deb

COFFEE



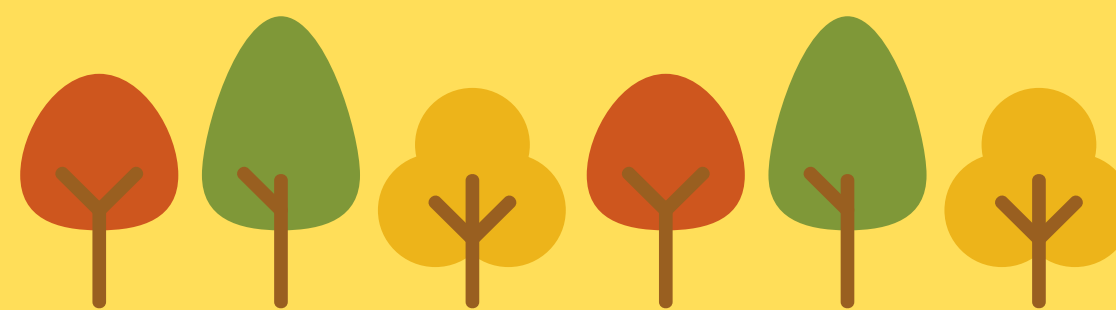
When: September 4, 2026 and the first Friday of every month

Where: Kitscoty Community Church basement entrance

Time: 10:00 a.m.

- meet new people
- find out more about the Kitscoty Community
- visit with friends
- talk about whatever
- enjoy coffee, tea & snacks

**NATIONAL DAY OF
TRUTH AND
RECONCILIATION**
SEPTEMBER 30TH



The Kitscoty 4-H Multi Club

will be hosting their Parent Information Night
6:30pm

October 14th at Kitscoty Legion
New Members Welcome!!

NEED MORE INFO?

Email: kitscotymulti@gmail.com
Facebook: **Kitscoty 4-H Multi Club**
4-H Alberta: <https://www.4hab.com/>



PHARMASAVE

Monday	9:30 am - 6:30 pm
Tuesday	9:30 am - 6:30 pm
Wednesday	9:30 am - 6:30 pm
Thursday	9:30 am - 6:30 pm
Friday	9:30 am - 6:30 pm
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed



KITSCOTY COMMUNITY CHURCH

fresh garden produce to give away

Where: Vacant lot across from the Post Office

When: Tuesday, September 8 & Tuesday, September 15

Time: 5:00 TO 6:30 PM

Where: Parking Lot at Kitscoty Hall

When: Tuesday, September 22

Time: 5:00 TO 6:30 PM

Produce available varies but includes:

Apples, Beets, Carrots, Corn, Cucumbers, Potatoes,
Squash, Tomatoes, Zucchini, etc.

Anyone wishing to donate or for more information

Contact: Lynda George at 780 846-2243



WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY

The International Association for Suicide Prevention (IASP) is a valuable resource that brings to light the significant impact that suicide has worldwide. The association provides a wealth of knowledge related to suicide prevention, which can be accessed through the website: <https://www.iasp.info/>. This website has a range of resources that acknowledge the reality that people and communities might be at various stages of having discussions about suicide. Everyone has lived experiences that are different, and each person may have their own unique thoughts and feelings about how to best navigate conversations about such an important topic.

The IASP recognizes September 10 as World Suicide Prevention Day. The theme chosen for 2024-2026 is “Changing the Narrative on Suicide.” It takes conversation on multiple levels to break the silence on the topic of suicide. The discussion needs to be held by individuals, communities, and governments alone, raise awareness. Changing the narrative requires compassion and empathy at each of these levels.

To engage with the conversation and to get involved with World Suicide Prevention Day, the IASP provides many ideas through the website resources including:

1. Light a Candle: On September 10th at 8 p.m., you can light a candle near a window to show your support for suicide prevention, to remember a lost loved one, and for survivors of suicide.
2. Taking Time to Reach Out: This resource highlights the benefit of reaching out to family, friends, colleagues, or even strangers. Showing that you care can provide others with hope.
3. Learn about the Facts & Figures: The global suicide statistics indicate that more than 720,000 people die by suicide worldwide each year.
4. Help Spread Awareness on Social Media: Sharing posts created specifically for World Suicide Prevention Day can help spread awareness.
5. Participate in Move for Life: This is a free, inclusive global event that runs each year from World Suicide Prevention Day (September 10) to World Mental Health Day (October 10). It encourages people to engage in physical activity while also increasing awareness on suicide prevention.

Any way that you chose to get involved is a step towards changing the narrative on suicide. It is also important to know that there is support available for those who may be struggling. Depending on the circumstances, this may include reaching out to a helpline, a counsellor, or emergency department. It is hoped that having these resources available can help remind individuals that they are never alone, and it is always okay to reach out for help.

Submitted by: Walking Through Grief Society

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Village of Kitscoty. and County of Vermilion River.

VILLAGE CONTACTS

Water & Sewer Emergencies: 780-205-3745

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Jason Olson, Chief Administrative Officer cao@vokitscoty.ca

Simon Bergquist, Public Works Lead pwsuper@vokitscoty.ca

Boston Crate, Public Works pwop@vokitscoty.ca

Joyce Bell, Mayor joyce@vokitscoty.ca

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:30am - 4:30pm
Lunch Hours 12:00pm –1:00pm

Transfer Station Hours	Wednesday 2- 7 pm
May to October	Thursday 1-5 pm
	Saturday 10-4 pm

During inclement weather, please call the Vermilion River Regional Waste Management Services Commission at 780-853-5561 to get updates as to wheather or not the transfer stations are open

Co- mingle recycling bins are located at the WTS for all your recycling activities (expect plastics)