

May 2024

# GIBBONS NEWSLETTER

The latest programs and events for the Town of Gibbons



**Gibbons**  
ROOTED IN FAMILY

## EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS 2024 FAIR

**07 MAY, 5:30-7:30PM**

Make sure your household is prepared for a disaster by having a 72-hr Emergency Kit  
Come down to the fire hall on May 7 to build your own FREE 72-hr Emergency Kit\*\*\*

**GIBBONS FIRE HALL**  
**4807 - 50 AVE**

*PLEASE BRING CASH FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT FUNDRAISER BBQ*

[gibbons.ca](http://gibbons.ca)

Groups Attending:

Fire Department  
ByLaw  
Public Works  
SREMP  
Voyant Alert  
Community Services  
Streetworks  
NRCAER

\*\*\*limited quantities available on a first come, first serve basis

Limited paint kits available



16+

## Watercolour Mindfulness Paint Kits

Take home your very own self-led mindfulness paint kit to pause, reflect and create in support of Mental Health Week. The paint kit includes all the supplies that you will need to create a captivating head silhouette.

- Starting May 13th until paint kits are not longer available
- Pickup locations – 5115 51 St. Gibbons (Gibbons Public Library) and 5016 50 St. Gibbons (Gibbons Family Resource Centre)
- FREE



Seniors, you're invited for coffee, cookies and conversation in support of Mental Health Week!!



Dew Drop Inn

10 am

Thursday May 2, 2024



## Gibbons Men's Fire Night

The GFRC is proud to sponsor the Gibbons Men's Fire Night to bring awareness to the importance of taking care of men's mental health in our community.

A supportive and welcoming space for men and their wellbeing.

Open to all men from surrounding communities.

Sunday  
May  
5

Free  
Drop in

4910 52 St. Gibbons  
(behind the main building at the firepit).

For more information:  
Craig Stretch at  
780-619-9333

8pm

Pizza supper provided



Bubble breaks are good for your health!

Stop by the GFRC to pick up your bubbles in support of Mental Health Week!

Blowing bubbles slowly and paying attention to their movements can be calming.

Free

Gibbons Family Resources Centre -  
5016 50 St,  
Gibbons

Starting  
May 13th



While bubbles last

## Free Yoga 16+

In support of Mental Health Week

Kundalini yoga is the practice of healing mind body and spirit.

Date: Sunday May 12, 2024

Time: 10am

Location: Gibbons Cultural Centre (5115 51 St, Gibbons)

Registration: [www.gibbons.ca/register](http://www.gibbons.ca/register)



SCAN QR TO REGISTER



Limited spots available



## Free Yoga 18+

In support of Mental Health Week

Yoga is a practice that connects the body, breath and mind. It uses physical postures, breathing exercises, and meditation to improve overall health.

Location: Gibbons Cultural Centre (5115 51 St, Gibbons)

Date: Monday May 13, 2024

Time: 6:30pm

Registration: [www.gibbons.ca/register](http://www.gibbons.ca/register)

Limited spots available



SCAN QR TO REGISTER



# Mental Health Week 12th-18th Events





# GFRC Boutique

Gibbons Family Resource Centre  
5016 -50 St. Gibbons

In need of formal wear for grad?  
Stop by the GFRC to see our FREE  
gently used formal attire!



Call the GFRC for  
more information

780-923-2374

Monday - Friday  
8:30am - 4:30pm

\*Open until 6pm  
on Thursdays

  
Gibbons  
Family Resource Centre



# Public Works Branch & Grass Recycling Program Opens May 17th\*

Hours of Operation  
Monday-Friday 7am-4pm  
Saturdays 9am-1pm  
Closed STAT Holidays

\*weather permitting

No branches/trees over 4 inches in diameter.  
Must bring Town of Gibbons Utility Bill to prove residency.  
Will remain open until mid October



Gibbons

Poplar Park

## Spray Park

Opening May 17th  
Weather permitting

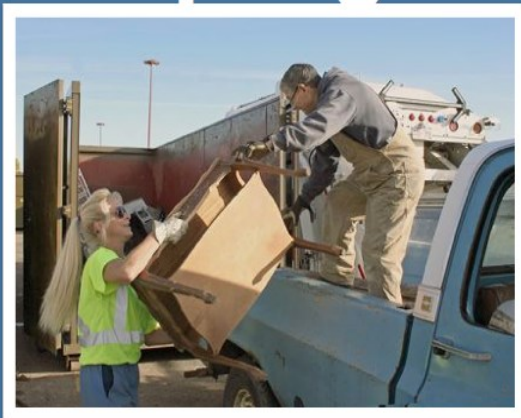
Operating Hours



DAILY  
09:00 AM  
TILL  
09:00 PM

Poplar Drive  
Gibbons

# Gibbons Annual Spring Cleanup



Large Item CURBSIDE Pickup

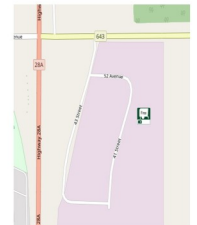
Friday, May 24th and Saturday, May 25th 7:30am-4:30pm

Watch for more details!



# Gibbons RV Dump Station Opens May 17th

(weather dependent)



Location: Gibbons Public Works Yard  
5127 41 street

No charge



# Shred it

# Coffee Time



Mondays & Thursdays  
10-11am  
DEW DROP INN

Gibbons residents are invited to a  
**FREE SHREDDING EVENT**  
Saturday, May 11th 10am-1pm  
Town Office

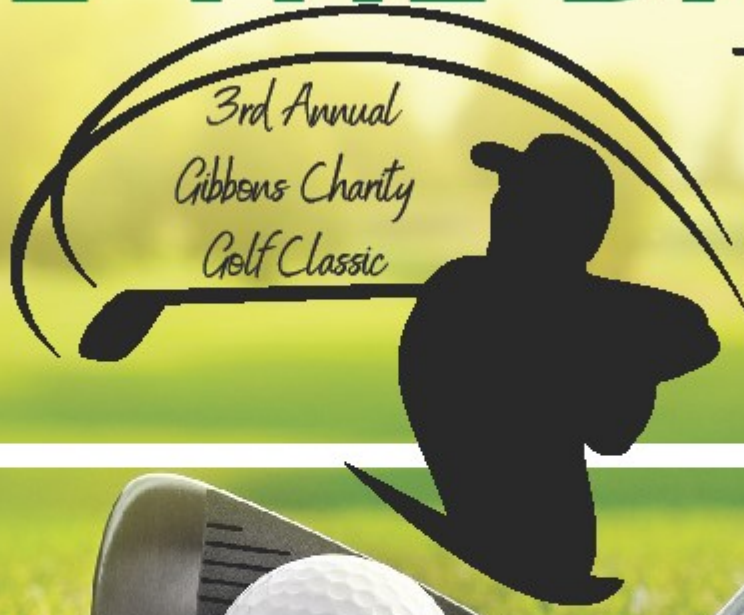


# SAVE THE DATE

In Support of



3rd Annual  
Gibbons Charity  
Golf Classic



Goose Hummock Golf Resort  
**FRIDAY**  
**June 21st, 2024**



**JOIN US!**  
**GIBBONS COMMUNITY  
GARDENS SOCIETY**

**Open  
to new members**  
Registration Deadline  
May 15, 2024

**Find us on Facebook @  
Gibbons Community Gardens**  
**Or Contact us:**  
**Gibbons.CG@outlook.com**

**GIBBONS SCHOOL**

*Open House*



**MAY 9,  
2024**  
4:30-6:30 p.m.

**FOOD TRUCKS,  
BOOK FAIR, PRIZES  
& MORE!**

**Meet the teachers and discover all  
that Gibbons School has to offer!**

4908-51 Avenue, Gibbons  
www.gibbonschool.ca



# Gibbons Public Library

**Family Friendly Book Club - 27 May**  
5:30 - 7:00pm - Deafening - Frances Itani

**Book Club - 9 May**  
6:30 - 8pm - Collision - William S. Cohen

**Writers Group - 1, 15, & 29 May**  
1:00 - 2:30pm

**HomeSchool Group - 8 & 22 May**  
10:00 - 11:00pm

**Seed Library (ongoing)**

**Spring into Spring - potted plant giveaway - 6 - 10 May**

**Lego - Wednesday's - 3 - 4 pm**

**Watercolour Mindfulness Paint Kits - 13 May**

**Dolly Parton Imagination Library - Coming Soon - Details TBA**

Library cards are free to residents of Gibbons and Sturgeon County!

**Gibbons Public Library**  
Connect, Explore, Discover



Help the local Food Bank by donating these most needed items!



780-923-2344 5016 50 St, Gibbons

Bon Accord & Gibbons Food Bank

bonaccordgibbonsfoodbank@gmail.com

Bon Accord Gibbons Food Bank

780-923-2344  
5016 50St, Gibbons



**Gibbons Family Resource Centre**

**Grades 5 to 17 years of age**

**NEW HOURS**

**Starting January 2nd**

# Youth Centre

**FREE Drop-In**  
**3PM - 7PM**  
**Tuesdays and Thursdays**

Located on the southwest side of the Gibbons Cultural Centre  
For More Info Contact  
Gibbons Community Services  
(780) 923-2374  
Direct Line - (780) 578-6449

@Gibbons Youth

**Gibbons YOUTH**

# LEMONADE DAY IS COMING!

**REGISTER NOW**

**Kids! Are you ready to run your own business and have fun at the same time?**

**WHAT IS LEMONADE DAY?**

Lemonade Day is a Free, Fun program where you learn to run your own business - a Lemonade Stand! Kids learn business skills, earn their own money, give back to their community and all while having fun!

**HOW DOES IT WORK?**

Open to Kids of all abilities in Kindergarten through High School

- Register for Lemonade Day Northern Alberta.
- Attend Lemonade University to learn business skills.
- Create your Lemonade recipe.
- Build your Lemonade Stand.
- Setup and Run your Lemonade Stand on Lemonade Day \*June 15, 2024\*
- Celebrate your success!

[lemonadeday.org/northern-alberta](http://lemonadeday.org/northern-alberta)



**EXCITEMENT**  
**LEARNING**  
**FUN**

# GIBBONS PRESCHOOL

Accepting registrations for the 2024-2025 school year

**Here's What Your Child Will Learn**

- Kindergarten readiness, fostering lifelong learning
- Cooperation, sharing, recognizing emotions and listening to others
- Following directions, group involvement, decision-making
- Gross and fine motor skills, pre-writing, mathematical skills

**Our Schooling Hours**

- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
- 9:00am to 11:30am / 12:00pm to 2:30pm

Play, Learn  
Grow Together

New enrollment at  
[www.gibbonspreschool.com](http://www.gibbonspreschool.com)  
[info@gibbonspreschool.com](mailto:info@gibbonspreschool.com)  
 780-504-3183

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**COME ON OUT AND CHASE THE ACE!!!**

**with Gibbons Sacred Heart Church Parish**

**Council (219524)**

Raffle License 672101

- PROGRESSIVE POOL INCREASES EACH WEEK.
- GUARANTEED 25% OF THE WEEKLY GROSS SALES AWARDED EACH WEEK.
- 25% OF THE WEEKLY GROSS SALES GOES TO THE PROGRESSIVE POOL.
- IF THE WEEKLY WINNER DRAWS THE **ACE OF HEARTS**, THEY WILL ALSO WIN THE PROGRESSIVE POOL.
- A DETAILED SET OF RULES IS POSTED AT THE GIBBONS SACRED HEART CHURCH.
- UP TO A MAXIMUM OF 10 000 TICKETS AVAILABLE.

**\*TICKETS ON SALE ON MONDAY EVENINGS 7:00-8:00PM AND SUNDAY AFTERNOONS 12:00-1:00PM AT THE GIBBONS SACRED HEART CHURCH LOCATED AT 4723-50th AVE., GIBBONS (behind the Guardian Pharmacy)**

**\*WEEKLY DRAWS WILL BE ON SUNDAY AFTERNOONS AT APPROXIMATELY 1:30PM**

**....until the ACE OF HEARTS IS DRAWN**

**\*TICKETS ONLY \$2 EACH**

**COME ON OUT AND CHASE THE ACE!!!**



**GIBBONS SENIORS TWILIGHT CLUB PRESENTS**

## LADIES FASHION SHOW AND TEA

**SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 2024**

**1:30 P.M. AT DEW DROP INN**

**\$20.00**

**ADVANCED TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM:**

**DONNA 780-916-0339  
SUSAN 780-983-8431  
SHEILA 780-906-7512**



# KING'S KIDS PRESCHOOL

## ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS

Call 780-923-2727 for questions



Register Online

3 year old fees are \$10/month  
4 year old fees are \$20/month

Email [kingskidsgibbons@gmail.com](mailto:kingskidsgibbons@gmail.com) to schedule a walk-through of the facility







Join us for one of Alberta's largest garage sales!

# Town Wide Garage Sale

Saturday September 7th, 2024 9am - 5pm / Rain or Shine

## Registration Information

June 3rd Registration Opens for In-Person Only

June 10th Phone Registration Opens

Interested in being a vendor?

Get your registration form online @ [Gibbons.ca](http://Gibbons.ca) or @ the Town Office



Sturgeon Unity Singers presents

*A Spring Concert*

May 25, 2024  
7:00pm

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
4723 50 th Ave Gibbons Alberta

Tickets \$10.00 Please contact a choir member for tickets



**Thursday, May 9**  
Special Guest: Landen Dorsch (Host of Wild Kingdom)

Doors open at 5pm  
Dinner served at 6pm

Appetizers  
Wild Game Burgers  
Door Prizes

Tickets \$15 each (avail at the church)  
[sturgeonalliance.org](http://sturgeonalliance.org)

STURGEON ALLIANCE CHURCH



### TOWN OF GIBBONS CLOSURES

Town Offices will be closed on **Monday, May 20th**

### CONTACT US

GIBBONS FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE

- 780-923-2374
- [www.gibbons.ca](http://www.gibbons.ca)
- [gfrc@gibbons.ca](mailto:gfrc@gibbons.ca)
- 5016 50 Street Box 68 Gibbons
- Gibbons Family Resource Centre

### CONTACT US TOWN OF GIBBONS

- 780-923-3331
- [www.gibbons.ca](http://www.gibbons.ca)
- [gov@gibbons.ca](mailto:gov@gibbons.ca)
- 4807 50 Ave Box 68 Gibbons
- GIBBONS.AB

### CONTACT US GIBBONS FACILITIES

- Gibbons Cultural Centre 780-578-2109
- Gibbons Arena 780-923-2681
- Gibbons Youth Centre 780-578-6449
- [www.gibbons.ca](http://www.gibbons.ca)
- [gov@gibbons.ca](mailto:gov@gibbons.ca)
- Gibbons Cultural Centre 5015 51 Street
- Gibbons Arena 5004 51 Ave
- Gibbons Youth Centre 5016 51 Street
- GIBBONS.AB
- Gibbons Youth
- Gibbons Summer Programs

## STURGEON ALLIANCE CHURCH PRESENTS LAWNMOWER TUNE-UP DAY

Saturday, May 11 @ Sturgeon Alliance Church from 8am-noon

DONATION TO THE GIBBONS/BON ACCORD FOOD BANK WELCOME

COFFEE & TREATS ON US!

Come get your mower checked - no cost

- Undercarriage cleaning
- Blade sharpening
- Oil change



STURGEON ALLIANCE CHURCH