

April 2025

# GIBBONS NEWSLETTER

The latest programs and events for the Town of Gibbons

## Tuesday Night Yoga with Karen

7 Classes on Tuesday Evenings

6:30PM-7:30PM

April 1st-May 13th 2025

\$100+GST

### Registration:

<https://app.amilia.com/store/en/townofgibbons/api/Activity/Detail?activityId=k40QAJ1>

Any questions call: 780-923-2374



Scan QR To  
Register



## HOME ALONE TRAINING COURSE



Date: May 16th PD Day

Time: 9:00AM-3:00PM

Location: Gibbons Cultural Centre

Cost: \$40

Registration: <https://www.gibbons.ca/register>

Helpful, confidence boosting training for Ages 10+ to be able to stay Home Alone Safely.



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## Mental Health Matters

### LUNCH & LEARN

JOIN US FOR AN INSPIRING  
PRESENTATION AND AN  
ENGAGING, FUN-FILLED  
ACTIVITY

SUNDAY MAY 4TH, 2025

12:00PM-2:00PM

FREE EVENT

@ GIBBONS CULTURAL CENTRE

\*Registration Required



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Register



## You're Invited COFFEE WITH A COP

Join us for a conversation and coffee – get to  
know your local officers!

April 2, 2025

6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

Gibbons Community Cultural Center

5115-51 St., Gibbons, AB

Have your questions answered and  
share your thoughts!

### CONTACT US

GIBBONS FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE

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



### CONTACT US

TOWN OF GIBBONS

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



### CONTACT US

GIBBONS FACILITIES

- Gibbons Cultural Centre 780-579-2009
- Gibbons Arena 780-523-2469
- [www.gibbons.ca](http://www.gibbons.ca)
- [gov@gibbons.ca](mailto:gov@gibbons.ca)
- Gibbons Cultural Centre 5015 51 Street
- Gibbons Arena 5008 51 Ave
- Gibbons Youth Centre 5015 51 Street
- GIBBONS.AB
- Gibbons Youth
- Gibbons Summer Programs



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>Youth Centre Closed</b> 1 Yoga with Karen 6:30PM-7:30PM *Registration Required	<b>Youth Centre Closed</b> 2 Tai Chi Class 7:00PM-8:00PM *Registration required	<b>Youth Centre Closed</b> 3 Garbage Only	<b>Youth Centre Closed</b> 4	5
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<b>Spring Easter Market @ Landing Trail School</b> 13 10:00AM-3:00PM	<b>HIIT Class</b> 14 6:00PM-7:00PM Registration Required	<b>Yoga with Karen</b> 15 6:30PM-7:30PM *Registration Required <b>Parents Walking group</b> 8:45AM-9:45AM	16 Tai Chi Class 7:00PM-8:00PM *Registration required	<b>Garbage Only</b> 17	<b>Youth Centre Closed</b> 18 <b>Good Friday Offices Closed</b>	19
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**Youth Centre Hours:**  
Monday-Friday  
3:00PM-7:00PM

Programs








Events

Council Meetings

Office Closures

Free Skate Times

Garbage Days

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	2 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	3 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	4 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	5
6	7 <b>Sand Pictures</b>	8 <b>3D Coloring</b>	9 <b>Pickleball</b> 	10 <b>Cooking Class with Tracy Mulligan</b>	11 <b>Perler Beads</b>	12
13 	14 <b>Card Games</b>	15 <b>Button People</b>	16 <b>Egg Hunt</b>	17 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	18 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	19 <b>HAPPY Easter</b>
20 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	21 <b>Sorry, We're CLOSED</b>	22 <b>Seven Grandfather's Teaching #5,6&amp;7</b> 	23 <b>TAG</b>	24 <b>Baking Day</b> sugar cookies	25 <b>Movie Night</b> In Partnership With	26 
27 	28 <b>Rock TicTacToe</b>	29 	30 <b>Capture The Flag</b> 			

**Youth Center will be open 3-7 pm**

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



780-923-2344 5016 50 St, Gibbons  
f Bon Accord & Gibbons Food Bank  
bonaccordgibbonsfoodbank@gmail.com



## Gibbons Public Library

Book Club - 10 April - 6:30 - 8pm  
Mexican Gothic - Silvia Moreno-Garcia  
Parent Friendly Book Club - 28 April - 5:30 - 7pm  
Passing - Nella Larson  
HomeSchool Group - Thursdays - 10:30 - 11:30am  
Writers Group - 2, 16 & 30 April - 1:00 - 2:30pm  
Board Game Night - Wednesdays - 5 - 7pm  
Drop - in Snack & Play - Tuesdays - 10 - 12am

Creative Connections & Storytime Social will wrap up April 5th!

Coming up for Mental Health week in May

### Lunch & Learn

Join us to celebrate Mental Health Week at the GCC with an inspiring presentation and a fun-filled activity!

Sunday, 4 May 2025 - 12 - 2pm  
Free, but registration required.

Our Seed Library will be available starting in April!  
Need some seed, or have some that you would like to share?

Gibbons Public Library  
Connect, Explore, Discover



# GIBBONS LEGION

## FAMILY FUN

# BINGO!

50/50

## AND SILENT AUCTION

### Saturday April 5th

Doors open at 4:30pm

### Bingo 5pm-9pm

Prizes of Turkeys, Hams, Lego, Jewelry, Movie baskets, various gift cards and much much more

Bring the kids for a fun night out!

\$3 for 3 cards \$5 for 6  
3 games to be played-  
5 winners each game

Special FOOD

DOOR PRIZE

BINGO!

The Hut  
Royal Canadian Legion Branch #226  
Gibbons, Alberta

## JOIN US FOR A Community Easter Weekend

### AT LANDING TRAIL SCHOOL

FRIDAY APRIL 11, 2025  
FAMILY TURKEY/HAM BINGO  
(RECOMMENDED AGE 8&UP)  
DOORS OPEN 6PM  
GAMES START AT 7PM

SATURDAY APRIL 12, 2025  
EASTER EGG HUNT HOSTED BY THE STURGEON  
AG SOCIETY  
11AM-1PM

SUNDAY APRIL 13, 2025  
SPRING EASTER MARKET  
10AM-3PM

# Gibbons Preschool

Play, Learn,  
Grow Together



- ✓ ACCEPTING REGISTRATIONS FOR 2025-2026
- ✓ \$25/MONTH (IF ROSTERING)
- ✓ FIELD TRIPS AND THEME DAYS INCLUDED
- ✓ OPEN TO AGES 3-4
- ✓ TUES/WED/THURS AM & PM CLASSES

CONTACT US NOW AT (780) 504-3183  
[INFO@GIBBONSPRESCHOOL.COM](mailto:INFO@GIBBONSPRESCHOOL.COM)  
[WWW.GIBBONSPRESCHOOL.COM](http://WWW.GIBBONSPRESCHOOL.COM)

## The Edmonton Native Plant Society



### "Gibbons Badlands Prairie"—A Special Place that Needs Friends!

Did you know that Gibbons has its own version of badlands, such as you see in the Red Deer River valley around Drumheller? A 17.5 hectare stretch of the Sturgeon River escarpment opposite the town of Gibbons has the same steep cliffs of white clay and "popcorn" features that you see in Dinosaur Provincial Park, complete with prickly pear cactus and many of the other species that are more common in southern Alberta prairies. It also has gentler grassland slopes and wooded ravines which together are home for over 160 species of flowering plants including 26 native grasses. The fossil cones of 70 million-year-old cones of coniferous trees have been found there, but unfortunately no dinosaurs.

All this makes what we call "Gibbons Badlands Prairie" a rare and special place, but also one that is sensitive to disturbance. Botanists would like to see a local stewardship group formed, a "Friends of Gibbons Badlands Prairie," perhaps, to help protect it. This group could monitor the site and inform the Town of Gibbons on management issues, as well as engage in outreach to the public and education to promote better appreciation of the Prairie.

If you are interested in helping to create such a group or in joining it, please get in touch with **The Edmonton Native Plant Society** at [info@enps.ca](mailto:info@enps.ca) indicating your interest.

Gibbons is indeed blessed to have such a beautiful and biologically diverse landscape feature on its doorstep and it is well worth preserving!



[info@enps.ca](mailto:info@enps.ca)



10am Worship Service  
All are welcome

# HE IS ALIVE

EASTER SUNDAY • APR 20

STURGEON  
ALLIANCE CHURCH

HOP ON OVER FOR OUR

## Easter Egg hunt

Hosted by Sturgeon River  
Agricultural Society

*Saturday, April 12*  
*11am - 1pm*

FOR SOME EGG-CITING FUN!

Landing Trail  
School Gym

**Free**  
Admission  
Facepainting  
Balloon Animals  
Easter Bunny  
Crafts

**Extras (Cash Only)**  
Raffle  
Concession by LT PIA  
50/50 fundraiser  
(BRIGHT)