

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

Village of Paradise Valley

OCTOBER 2026 EDITION

VILLAGE OF PARADISE VALLEY

Town Council Meeting October 20th, 2026, at 3:00p.m.

Village Office Hours -Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10:00a.m. to 4:00p.m.



FAMILY BINGO

Wednesday, October 7th, 2026, at 7:30p.m. at the Drop-In Centre. Everyone welcome!

NEW RECYCLE PROGRAM

As of October 8th, Integrity will be doing your blue bag recycling pick ups at no charge. Village residents will receive a pamphlet in their mailboxes this week.

BRIGHTER BEGINNINGS

Join us for games, music, crafts & more! Snack provided for ages 3-5. Coffee and socializing for parents. Free drop in from 10a.m.-12:00p.m. in the Church of God basement. Ages 0-5. Wednesdays, October 7th & 21st, November 4th & 25th, December 9th, January 6th & 20th, February 3rd & 17th, March 3rd & 17th, April 7th & 21st, May 5th & 19th, and June 2nd & 16th. Funded by the County of Vermilion River and Village of Paradise Valley FCSS.



**Be
recycle
ready!**



How should I set out my bags for collection?

- Use see-through (clear or blue) bags for your recycling.
- Recycling bags should not exceed 20 kg (44 lb) or 184 L.
- Black garbage bags or opaque/non-see-through bags cannot be used for recycling.
- Bags should not block vehicle paths.
- During winter conditions, place your bags on a flat surface clear of any snow and ice.
- Materials that are not placed inside your bags will not be collected. Ensure all items are placed loosely inside your bags.

Collection schedule

As of October 1, 2026

Your recycling will be collected on

October 08, 2026

and then every

Thursday

Please have your bags set out **by 7 a.m.**

Holidays may affect your collection schedule.

Visit circularmaterials.ca/AB for collection updates and service disruptions.

THREE CITIES PUBLIC LIBRARY

The library has a new phone number; you no longer need to call the school! Call us on our direct line at 780-745-2271.

The library will be functioning without our ability to check books in and out from September 25th-October 5th, 2026. You are still welcome to come and visit, all programs will be running, and we can manually record a few books to be signed out, but mostly we will be running as an in-house library during this time. Thanks for your patience and understanding as they upgrade our system.

The library will be closed Wednesday, September 30th, 2026, for Truth and Reconciliation Day.

Follow us on Facebook or Instagram
3citiespubliclibrary. Email threecitiespubliclibrary.ab.ca

Story Time

For all preschool age children and parents. Come enjoy stories, crafts, snacks, coffee and visiting!

Thursdays- October 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th and November 5th, 2026, at 10:30a.m.



Things We Are Thankful For

Enter online, by commenting under the basket with a short paragraph of something or someone you are thankful for. Every write up or you can draw a picture and submit it, is an entry to win for yourself or someone else, a thanksgiving basket. Entries are due October 8th, and prize will be drawn on October 9th, 2026.

Book Club

Book club is Tuesday, October 13th, 2026, from 6:30-8:00p.m. The book that we are reading and discussing is 'educated' by Tara Westover. Drop by anytime to sign out the book. Everyone welcome!

Fair Craft Club

Ages 7 and up unless accompanied by an adult. This year we are asking sign up ahead, registration forms can be found by scanning the QR code or emailing and asking for one. You will be signed up for the year, but if you can't make one, just email and let us know. Each night a new craft will be made, that your child can enter in the fair in June. This program will run 3:30-4:30p.m. October 20th, November 24th, and December 15th, 2026 and January 19th, February 16th, March 16th, April 20th, May 18th, and June 15th, 2027.



Pumpkin Carving

There will be a contest online again, where you can take a picture of your pumpkin you carved to be voted on. We will not be having pumpkins brought in, just online.

Want to come carve a pumpkin? Please email to sign up by October 20th, 2026, so we have pumpkins available to carve. Carving will take place October 27th, 2026, from 3:30-4:30p.m.

E.H WALTER SCHOOL

September 30- No School -Truth and Reconciliation Day

October 12- No School -Thanksgiving

October 14- Jr. High Girls Volleyball Home Game 5:00p.m.

October 21- Jr. High Girls Volleyball Home Game 5:00p.m.

October 23- Sr. High Boys and Girls Home Tournament

October 24- Sr. High Boys and Girls Home Tournament

October 27- Chili Cookoff 11:30a.m.-1:00p.m.

October 28- Jr. High Girls Volleyball Home Game 5:00p.m.



Chili Cook Off and Lunch

Please join us Tuesday, October 27, 2026, from 11:30 AM-1:00 PM in the E.H. Walter School Gym. Come enjoy a bowl of chili, bun and drink for a donation to support the school field trips.

Sample some chili and vote for the next Chili Cook Off champ! Will Merle Burlet remain the champ?

We look forward to seeing you there!

****If you are interested in competing, please reach out to Jane Veltikold 780.205.6682**

Deadline to submit items for the November edition of the Community Newsletter is October 27th, 2026.

