

# December 2018

# wood buffalo regional library



# **Banff Centre Mountain**

January 10 & 11, 2019 Keyano Theatre Doors Open at 7:00pm Show Starts at 7:30pm

The Banff Centre Mountain Film Festival World Tour is back in Fort McMurray on January 10 & 11, 2019! Tickets are on sale now at the Keyano Theatre Box Office (in person and online at keyano.ca/theatre) and are \$30, or \$25 for students/seniors.

Travel to exotic landscapes and remote cultures, and get up-close and personal with adrenaline-packed action sports with two nights of outdoor adventure films. Film lineups will be available mid-December.

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# **Homeschoolers Club: Snowman Paint Day (4-15yrs)**

Monday December 3, 2:00-3:30pm

Get in the winter spirit as you join us to create your own snowman painting!

#### Tween Art Attack (9-12yrs)

Saturday December 8 & 15, 1:00-2:00pm

Tweens are invited to bring their creativity to Tween Art Attack! Each month will feature multiple projects and will experiment with a new medium. \*Registration is required and opens December 1.

#### **Tween Wordsmiths (9-12yrs)**

Sunday December 9, 1:30-3:00pm

Unleash your imagination at our creative writing circle for tweens! This month's topic is Folktales.

## **Little Reindeers (2-5yrs)**

Monday December 10 & 17, 1:30-2:30pm

Children are invited to join in our reindeer games! Try your hand at the reindeer hoop toss, pin the nose on Rudolph and make your own reindeer mask! \*Registration is required and opens December 1.

## **Genre Jumpers: Graphic Novels (18+)**

Friday December 14, 6:30-7:30pm

Our book club is perfect for book lovers! Join us at Wood Buffalo Brewing Company to explore our genre of the month. Enjoy some good company and share your latest reads! \*Registration is required and is now open.

# Story Time at the End of the Rainbow (Newborn-5yrs)

Saturday December 15, 10:30-11:30am

Join us for Story Time at the End of the Rainbow led by special guest, local drag queen, Simma Downe. This family friendly program will showcase LGBTQ stories, song performances, and crafts. \*Note, Rise & Shine will be cancelled this day.

# **Creative Writing for Beginners: Editing and Submitting (18+)**

Monday, December 17, 6:30-8:00pm

Thinking about sharing your work with the world? Then join us to learn about the editing process and how to submit your work! \*Registration is required and is now open.

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#### **Elf Workshop**

Saturday December 1, 12:00-4:30pm

It's time to bring your elf hat & holiday spirit to our annual **Elf Workshop!** Sit for a story time with the Head Elf, try your

luck at the gift delivery obstacle course, write letters to Santa, decorate your own ugly Christmas tie and more! Free for all ages!

#### **Mini Libraries in the Community**

The WBRL is happy to announce that there are now 4 mini libraries in the community! They are located at: Snye Point Park, Frank Lacroix Arena, Birchwood Trails entrance by the Doug Barnes Cabin, and at the Swallow Way **Gazebo in Eagle Ridge**. The concept behind our mini libraries is "Take a book, Leave a book". If there are any issues with the mini libraries, please report it directly to the WBRL at 780-743-7800 or via social media.

Thank you to our partners for making this happen:







#### Seniors' Social: Christmas Luncheon (50+)

Tuesday December 18, 2:00-3:30pm

'Tis the season for our Christmas Luncheon! Join us for a tasty meal, holiday music, a greeting card station, Christmas games and more! \*Registration is required and opens December 1.

#### Words Around the World: Kwanzaa

Friday December 21, 6:00-6:45pm

Travel through stories around the world! At this cultural oriented story time, kids can explore the celebration of African heritage, unity and culture!

## **Balloon Art Making Workshop (13+)**

Thursday December 27, 7:00-8:00pm

Join us for a balloon art making workshop where we will be learning the tips and tricks of the trade from our very own balloon artist! \*Registration is required opens December 1.

# The Last Story Time of 2018 (Newborn-5yrs)

Friday December 28, 10:30-11:30am

Join us for the final story time of 2018! Enjoy some of your favourite books, songs and activities from the last year. Then, get ready for 2019 by making fun New Year's Eve

# Odds and Ends of the Year Crafting (6-12yrs)

Friday December 28, 1:00-3:00pm

Let your imagination run wild at our freestyle craft program! We'll supply the materials, you bring the creativity - the possibilities are endless! \*Registration is required and opens December 1.

#### **Words in Motion**

Calling poets of all ages to participate in the Words in Motion Poetry Competition! Write your best poetry and submit them to community.services@wbrl.ca by February 15th.

A panel of judges will select the poems to be printed in the 2019 Words In Motion Poetry Booklet. Authors of the selected poems will also be invited to participate in a celebration event. \*For more details, visit our website at whrl.ca.



### For more information about programs and events, visit wbrl.ca

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