

Hudson's Hope

PLAYGROUND of the PEACE

The Bulletin

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February wasn't an easy month for many of us, and we are going to be living and feeling the repercussions of tragedy and loss for a long time. Please use the resources provided in the Bulletin if you or a loved one need support. I want everyone to remember that no matter what, you are not alone.

As we enter spring Council, will be adopting our annual budget and updating our financial plan, preparing to present the OCP and Zoning Bylaws to the community, presenting a significantly more detailed breakdown of the proposed Multi Use Gathering Center and beginning the next steps, attending annual conferences and lobbying our provincial counterparts to help bring attention to and address specific issues of importance to our community and our region.

There is a lot to accomplish over the next 7 months, while we prepare for another round of Municipal Elections. I can scarcely believe that 4 years have almost passed by already. Our goal, prior to the election, won't be to start anything new but to make sure that we have completed as much as we can to lay the groundwork for the next Council of the District of Hudson's Hope to hit the ground running and find success.

So keep your eyes on the Bulletin, social media and the HHPA, and stay warm Hudson's Hope! Winter doesn't appear to be completely done with us yet!

- Mayor Quibell



Our hearts are heavy following the recent act of violence at a school in Tumbler Ridge. In small and rural communities, our connections run deep, and tragedies like this are felt across the entire region. Such events remind us of the importance of caring for one another and supporting our neighbors in times of need.

On behalf of Council and staff, we extend our deepest condolences to the students, families, educators, first responders, and all those affected. We stand with the community of Tumbler Ridge and with those in our own community who have personal connections to this loss.

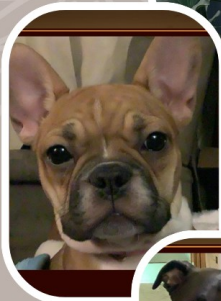
Events like this can be upsetting for many. If you or someone you know is struggling, please reach out to family, friends, or community supports – you are not alone. You can also call or text 9-8-8, Canada's Suicide & Crisis Helpline, available 24/7 for free, confidential support.

In moments like these, it is the care, compassion, and unity of our communities that help guide us forward. Let us continue to look out for one another and offer support to those in need.



MEET OUR TEAM

Linda MacKeigan
Custodian



Linda has been the District custodian for the past 7 years, helping keep our facilities welcoming, tidy, and well cared for every day. If you've ever admired the beautiful plants around the office, you can thank Linda's green thumb! A long-time Hudson's Hope resident of over 40 years, she raised her two sons here and has always been deeply connected to the community. Before joining the District, Linda operated a wonderful local daycare, and today she continues to stay busy running her own thriving cleaning business while also spending time assisting RJ, a local resident who appreciates a helping hand getting around town. We're grateful for Linda's dedication, pride in her work, and the care she shows both our buildings and our community.



CAN YOU HANDLE
THE HEAT?

Join the frontline.

Are you wanting to give back or become more involved in your community? The Hudson's Hope Fire Department is recruiting volunteer firefighters!

Apply by contacting:
Fred Burrows, Fire Chief at
250-783-0542 or by email at fred@hudsonshope.ca

Spring Thaw, Stay Aware



- **Stay on Cleared Paths:** Stick to sidewalks and walkways that have been shoveled or sanded.
- **Be Mindful of Water Runoff:** Melting snow can create puddles or slushy areas that hide ice.
- **Keep Your Hands Free:** Avoid carrying heavy loads; it helps you balance if you slip.
- **Wear Proper Footwear:** Choose shoes with good traction, or use ice cleats.





Nominate Your Volunteer of the Year!



We are now accepting applications for the "Volunteer of the Year"
& the "Youth Volunteer of the Year"

Submit your nomination by **April 15th.**

Drop off your nomination at the District Office or email kelsey@hudsonshope.ca.

UTILITY BILLING REMINDER



Important Notice: Utility Billing Update

The first billing of the year will be delayed until March 2026. The utility bills are currently sent out twice a year. The due date will be highlighted on the billing. If paid after the due date on the bill, a 10% late penalty will be applied to any outstanding charges.

Once you receive your bill, the following payment options are available:

- *Online Banking:* Pay through your financial institution's online banking platform.
- *By Mail or Drop Box:* Mail a cheque or place it in the secure drop box located at the District Office. Please ensure payment is received before the due date.
- *In Person:* Visit us at the District Office (9904 Dudley Drive, Hudson's Hope, BC) between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, excluding holidays.
- *By Phone:* Call us at 250-783-9901 to pay by credit card. Please note a 2.4% convenience fee applies to credit card payments.

If you have any questions about these changes, please contact:

Tonia Alexander
Deputy Treasurer/Collector
☎ 250-783-9901
✉ tonia@hudsonshope.ca





A huge THANK YOU to everyone who attended the FireSmart WinterFest Wrap-Up Dinner and Community Wildfire Resiliency Plan meeting. Hudson's Hope will submit our funding application for 2026, and we are hoping to be successful. There has been a reduction in the amount of available funding, as well as the projects permitted under the program parameters. Stay tuned for more info!

If you have questions or would like to learn more about FireSmart, please contact us at the District office at 250-783-9901 or email firesmart@hudsonshope.ca



FireSmart Library Club
Wednesday, March 4th
3:15pm
Ages: K-8



The **FireSmart BC Library Program** is a literacy program to help children understand wildfires in British Columbia. This program will add 10 new wildfire resiliency books to our local library. Join us at the Hudson's Hope Public Library for a special FireSmart Library Club to learn more about wildfire resiliency in our community and win some FireSmart swag!



Building Permits



Thinking of Building or Renovating?

In British Columbia, building permits are required for most construction, renovation, or major repair projects. Skipping a permit can lead to serious consequences, including:

- Fines and penalties – You could face significant financial penalties if caught without a permit.
- Stop-work orders – Local authorities can require you to halt construction immediately until a permit is obtained.
- Legal issues – You may be liable if someone is injured due to unpermitted work.
- Insurance problems – Your home insurance may not cover damages related to unpermitted construction.
- Resale complications – Selling your property later can be difficult if work was done without proper permits.

Getting a permit is easy and protects you, your family, and your investment. Contact the District of Hudson's Hope before starting any project to ensure you have the proper documentation.

District of Hudson's Hope
9904 Dudley Drive
Open Monday-Friday, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
Tel: 250-783-9901
Email: gerri@hudsonshope.ca

An infographic titled "Before You Build... Get a Permit!". It features two main illustrations: on the left, a house under construction with a large red 'X' over it, representing unpermitted work; on the right, a completed house with a green checkmark and a sign that says "Building Permit APPROVED". Below these are four icons representing consequences: a yellow warning triangle for "Fines & Penalties", a red stop sign for "Stop-Work Orders", a shield with a house for "Insurance Issues", and a "FOR SALE" sign for "Resale Problems".

Update your property information



Have you recently changed your mailing address? If so, please visit the BC Assessment website to update your address. This will ensure that you receive your property taxes and other important documents.



Visit:

<https://info.bcasessment.ca/Services-products/update-your-property-information>

Help when you need it.



9-8-8
toll free, 24/7

A safe space to talk, 24 hours a day, every day of the year.



9-8-8 Suicide & Crisis Helpline

Traffic advisory for WAC Bennett Dam Crest Road — Lane Closure

We will be working on the WAC Bennett Dam spillway in the Hudson's Hope area. To complete this important work, we will need to close one lane of the road across the dam for three multi-day stints.

Where: Hudson's Hope – WAC Bennett Dam spillway area

When: March 25 to April 1; April 7 to 15; April 20 to 27, 2026

Time: Weekdays from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Weekends from 6 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Motorists and cyclists are asked to follow all traffic signs and directions from flaggers.

If you have any questions about this work, please contact us at **250 561 4858** or **bob.gammer@bchydro.com**.



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We Want
YOU *

*Calling all local businesses
big or small!*

Be part of a community-wide initiative that celebrates, supports, and showcases everything that makes Hudson's Hope special.

 **LOVEHUDSONSHOPE.COM** Contact Serena @ 250-783-9901 or lovehh@hudsonshope.ca



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Teen Night

Grade
9+

Wednesday, March 25th
@ Curling Rink

5:00-7:00PM

**COME JOIN US FOR TEEN NIGHT WE
WILL HAVE SNACKS, MARIO KART
AND LOTS OF LAUGHS**

*Contact Hanna@hudsonshope.ca or call
(250) 783-5563 for more information*



ST. PATRICK'S DAY EVENTS

17 MARCH | 12:00-4:00 PM
HH VISITOR INFO CENTER

**GREEN FOOD, GREEN DRINKS,
CRAFTS & SCAVANGER HUNTS
FOR ALL AGES!**



**SCAVENGER HUNTS:
EIGHT LUCKY CLOVERS WILL BE
HIDDEN AROUND TOWN! CAN YOU
FIND THEM AND GET ENTERED IN
TO WIN THE POT OF GOLD!**

**CONTACT HANNA@HUDSONSHOPE.CA OR CALL
(250) 783-5563 FOR MORE INFORMATION**



PAINT THE ICE

SATURDAY, MARCH 14TH
12:00-2:30PM @ ARENA

**BE PREPARED TO GET MESSY AND REMEMBER TO BRING
YOUR SHOES - NO SKATES ALLOWED!**
SAFETY FIRST, SO MAKE SURE TO WEAR YOUR HELMET.
LET'S MAKE SOME MEMORIES TOGETHER!



**CONTACT HANNA@HUDSONSHOPE.CA OR CALL
(250) 783-5563 FOR MORE INFORMATION**

SIGN UP FOR THE HUDSON'S HOPE PSA EMAIL LIST!



Stay connected with everything happening in our community!
When you join our Public Service Announcement (PSA) list, you'll
receive emails with:

- Local group and club updates
- Business announcements
- Community events and meetings
- Items for sale and more

Don't miss out on what's happening around town!

👉 To sign up, email us at hpsa@hudsonshope.ca

👉 To submit a notice to be shared, email your information to
hpsa@hudsonshope.ca and we'll send it out for you.



HOSTED BY: DISTRICT OF HUDSON'S HOPE

ESS VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT DINNER

ARE YOU READY TO STEP UP IN TIMES OF EMERGENCY?

- We are looking for **dedicated community members** who are **willing to learn** and **take action** in supporting their neighbours during emergencies
- Join us for a special Emergency Support Services (ESS) **Recruitment Dinner**
- Learn about the **roles, responsibilities and training** involved in becoming an **ESS Volunteer**.

WHAT IS EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES? (ESS)

ESS Provides short-term support to people impacted by disasters, such as: food, clothing, shelter, and emotional support.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Anybody interested in **volunteering** for Emergency Preparedness
- People interested in **understanding the policies and procedures** of Emergency Response.
- Community members looking to make a **difference**.



RSVP
kelsey@hudsonshope.ca



WHEN
March 5, 2026 @ 6:00 pm



WHERE
Curling Club
10311 Gething Street, HH





POTTERY DROP-IN

Wednesdays 5-8pm
Sunday March 8th & 22nd
3-7pm



Heart Bowls
pottery workshop
March 14th & 15th
2-5 pm



Please contact us with any questions or to pre-register!

@peacevalleyartssociety



SAVE THE DATES!

- April 11th Fabulous Fakes Fundraiser
- April 17th Norman Foote
- May 9th Kym Gouchie
- June 5th Big Fancy & the Shiddy Cowboys

PVAS GENERAL MEETING
Tuesday, March 31st at 7pm
Open to our members & anyone wanting to become a member!



Watercolour Bookmarks
Painting Workshop
Saturday,
March 21st
2-4 pm



peacevalleyartssociety@gmail.com

March at the Museum

The Hudson's Hope Historical Society & Museum conveys our unwavering support for the Tumbler Ridge community. Our hearts are with you all.

“Alwin Holland Memorial Park”

Alwin Holland came to B.C. when he was finished high school in 1902 from Ontario. He taught school near Kamloops for three years, then traveled abroad, returning to B.C. just before the war. Alwin enlisted in World War I and was in the Seventh Canadian Infantry which went to England in 1914.

After the war he homesteaded near Fort St. John, often teaching where required. Alwin Holland became the first teacher both at the Hudson's Hope School, year 1922-23 and the Forfar school at Attachie, year 1927-28. The Second World War called upon Alwin Holland's skills as a surveyor. He surveyed the Early Staging Line and on the Alaska Highway Construction.

Alwin Holland passed away, March 26, 1963 in Fort St. John at the age of 81.

Alwin Holland is buried in the Beechmount Cemetery in Edmonton, Alberta.



Author & Storyteller Christy Jordan-Fenton will lead our community in a night of inspirational Storytelling on **April 1, 2026 at 7pm. St. Peters Church Hall.** You will not want to miss out !

No charge for admission.

Donations are always welcomed!

Books will be available for sale at the event

Hudson's Hope Historical Society meeting March 18, 2026 at 5pm at the Museum.
Everyone Welcome.



COMING SOON

April 1, 2026

The Hudson's Hope Historical Society Presents!

Local Author and Storyteller

Christy Jordan-Fenton





Better at Home



**SPRING
SUPPER**

Better at Home formally invites you to a
FREE Seniors Only (60+) Spring Supper.



April 12th at the Pearkes Centre

Doors open at 4:30 pm

Supper served at 5:00 pm

Please call Terri @ 250-783-0917
to reserve your seat by April 5th.

Hope for Health Society

FREE Seniors Chair Stretch

Hope for Health Society is offering FREE Seniors Chair Stretch for the month of March, every Tuesday and Thursday at 10 am at Silver Willows. Classes start March 3rd.



This class is geared towards seniors, beginners and for anyone who hasn't tried fitness classes before. It is gentle. It is fun and it is free. Breathwork and range of motion helps longevity, flexibility and relaxation. Bring comfortable clothes and shoes (or barefoot). For more information you can contact the Certified Instructor Starr Gauthier at: (250) 783-8999.

Community Yoga Classes! Everyone welcome!

Four classes: Thursdays, March 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th
(and potentially more in the future, depending on interest)

Location: St Peter's Church Hall Time: 6pm

Maximum capacity: 12 participants

Cost: \$10 drop in or \$35 for the month



Some days you eat salad and go do yoga. Some days you eat cupcakes and refuse to put on pants. It's all about balance. Join certified RYT Starr for 1 hour of hatha inspired yoga. Come to de-stress and let 'er go. For all levels- men, women and teens. Bring your yoga mat, comfortable clothes, bare feet and your smile. There will be spare mats available. Extras to bring- towel, water, yoga blocks, strap, small blanket, witty jokes. Contact info: starrgauthier2@gmail.com or (250) 783-8999.

Let it snow, let it snow, let it snow! Maybe not the tune we all want right now, but maybe we can embrace the wonder and try snowshoeing. Take advantage of the CARE program: Community Accessible Recreational Equipment: Snowshoes, walking poles, and cleats are now ready to sign out for free use from the Hudson's Hope Public Library. This program

was made possible through a BC Hydro Go Fund grant.

Jamieson Woods Picture Contest: Thanks to all who participated in this contest.

1. A full one-year gym membership to Class Act Fitness: Starr Gauthier
2. \$100 gift card for Legacy: Greta Goddard
3. \$50 gift card for a local restaurant: Adam Pleasant

Trail Plans: Hope for Health continues to pursue grants and alternative funding opportunities to keep community programs accessible at minimal cost. We are currently advancing trail development initiatives, including ongoing improvements in Jamieson Woods to enhance community enjoyment. Planned upgrades include installing signage, clearing trails, and adding an educational component. We are also exploring opportunities to expand the Hudson's Hope trail system by identifying suitable areas for new trails and extensions to existing routes.

Spring Workshop: We are also planning a spring workshop that targets one of the community's requested topics: menopause, arthritis, nutritional practices, caregivers' support, dementia and more. Keep looking for updates.

If you have other topics that you would like covered, please reach out to share your thoughts and wishes by emailing us: hope4healthsociety@gmail.com.

And for a heads up: Our classic feature **That Dam Run** is slated for Sunday, September 27, 2026. This event nearly reached capacity last year. Make sure to sign up early when registration opens.






For more events, more information, check out and follow our Facebook page: (<https://www.facebook.com/hope4healthhudsonshope/>)


Greta Goddard, Hope for Health Society

Email: hope4healthsociety@gmail.com Tel: 250-783-0855



2026 March

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2 Seniors 	3	4	5 ESS VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT DINNER	6 North Peace FRONTIER FEST	7 
8	9 Seniors Swim 	10 Council Meeting	11	12	13 Last Day of Skating @ Arena	14 PAINT THE ICE
15 Spring Break	16 St. Patrick's Day Events 	17	18	19	20	21
22 Spring Break	23 Seniors Swim 	24 Teen Night	25	26	27	28
29 Spring Break	30	31				



Why shouldn't you borrow money from a leprechaun?

Because they're always a little short!



2026 April

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 Council Meeting	2	3 Good Friday	4
5 Happy Easter	6	7 Seniors	8	9	10	11
12 Senior Spring Supper	13	14	15 Council Meeting	16	17	18
19	20	21 Seniors Swim	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29 Council Meeting	30		



River of the Peace Métis Society

Community Report - March 2026

It's been a cold winter, and with the return of the snow we hope that everyone is able to stay safe and warm! We have had a light few months but are back into the swing of things. We were able to hold and host several meetings over the last few months, as well as continuing our work with BC Hydro on their Site C Cultural Centre Committee, but in more recent news we have the following:

First we would like to congratulate our winner of our Gift Shop Valentine's Day Draw, Heidi Naisby! Thank you to all who purchased raffle tickets, and good luck next time. We hope you enjoy the basket, and thank you all for supporting the draw!

Next, our president has been busy with the honour of being the Elder in Residence at Northern Lights College for parts of January and February. She was on campus in Fort St John and Dawson Creek offering workshops as a Knowledge Keeper of Traditional Herbs, Plants, Medicines, and Teas. She spoke about the harvesting, processing, use and properties/benefits of traditional plants, as well as policies and procedures of leadership, and our cultural heritage and history of the Métis. Also in attendance for some of the days were Paulette Flammond, Region 7 Leader of MNBC, and the RCMP who were doing their community session.



We will be offering a workshop near the end of March that will be an information session on 2SLGBTQIA+, gender, and gender based issues, so keep an eye out for an information poster that we will be sharing around the session. Space is limited, so registration will be required.

Lastly, but most importantly, we hope that everyone is managing to cope well enough in these trying times, and hope that you are able to get the help that you may need if you are struggling. We send our deepest condolences to the families, friends, and community members impacted by the Tumbler Ridge tragedy, and hope that we can all come together and show compassion in the aftermath of this horrific event.

If you are struggling with mental health, you can get help immediately by contacting any one of the following phone numbers: call 310Mental Health Support at 310-6789 (no area code needed) for emotional support, information and resources focused on mental health; 1-800-784-2433 if you are experiencing feelings of distress or despair, including thoughts of suicide; If you or someone you know is in immediate crisis or has suicide-related concerns please contact 9-8-8. Connect toll-free to get help without judgement.

Kind regards, and we hope the rest of the winter treats you all well.

River of the Peace Métis Society

**HUDSON'S HOPE
MINOR HOCKEY
TOURNAMENT**

<p>MARCH 7TH HH ARENA GAMES START AT 8:00 AM</p>		<p>CONCESSION OPEN 50/50 RAFFLE PRIZES</p>
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COME CHEER ON OUR LOCAL ATHLETES!
TEAMS FROM HUDSON'S HOPE, TUMBLER RIDGE, TAYLOR, &
FORT ST. JOHN WILL BE HITTING THE ICE FOR AN
EXCITING DAY OF HOCKEY.



Hudson's Hope Elementary-Secondary School

Student of Week Awards

January 19-23: Rayan Ali, Julia Simpson, Jack Potter,
Aubrielle Adams, Rowan Vanden Heuvel,
Harper Cryderman, Margarita Gortman, Logan Koehn-King,
Hunter Koehn-King.

Jan 27-30: Loxley Vanden Heuvel, Bryson Mailloux, Nyxen Tricker,
Sawyer Tricker.

Feb 1-6: Sawyer Winnicky, Luke Allen-Garbutt, Geneva Douglas,
Aziz Kenanah, MacKinley Koehn-King, Thomas Trelenberg.

Feb 9-13: Nicos Brown, Eli Shockey, Addison Bailie, Rinoa Stark,
Oliver McCormick, Addison Shockey.

Thank you, Legacy Village Market, for sponsoring a “Free Hot Dog Day” for our students in February. Everyone enjoyed the tasty treat!

Many of our students have enjoyed some healthy fun at Powder King because of either participating in Cruisin’ Days or Work Ethic’s Honour Roll trips. Keep up the great work HAWKS!



Congratulations to our Secondary Boys' Basketball Team. They have been enjoying an action-packed season with plenty of competitive games at numerous venues around the Peace Region. A big thank you to Lannie Rhymer, Aaron Lepine, and Roger Gunderson for coaching and looking after transportation. Way to go HAWKS!



Tues/Wed 12:00 – 6:00 Sun/Mon Closed
Thurs/Fri 11:00 – 5:00 Stat Holidays Closed
Sat 12:00 – 4:00 Long Weekends Closed
Thank You House of Hope Community Church!

COME IN, GO ANYWHERE!



HUDSON'S HOPE PUBLIC LIBRARY

They reached out to offer funding for our Pro-D Day Camps, noting how important this club is for our community! Your \$1000 donation will be used directly to fund two Pro-D Camps! Thank you all so much for your kindness & generosity!

Pro-D Camp Funding Request – We continue to seek funds to provide much needed sustainability for our kids pro-D camps. With \$500 in funding, we can run one camp for 12 children, \$750 to run a camp for up to 16, and \$1000 to be able to provide enough staff to accommodate a field trip! The cost of a field trip requires additional funding as well. Please keep us in mind for corporate sponsorships or a personal donation this year and receive a charitable receipt. As of February 20th, we have had enough donated toward our camps to cover the minimum staffing for 12 kids for the next two Pro-D Camps!



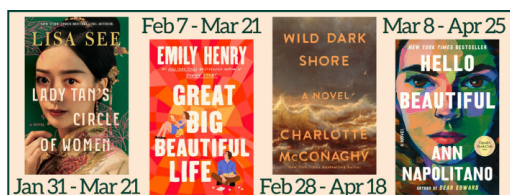
Thank you so much to Christine Banks Fenton!

The children in our Library Club really enjoyed hearing you read from your new book *Bo Bo!* They also loved the colouring sheets and the little gifts that you put together for them was such a thoughtful touch! They are going to be so excited to see you again next month at the school and Museum!

Canada Reads: We have all 15 longlist titles! The five Contenders can be borrowed, one at a time, up to 7 days. The other longlist titles can be renewed twice, and you may borrow one longlist title at the same time as one Contender. By the time this publishes, Shellie, Amber & Lorna (our Library Board Chair) should have all made it through the Contenders! Lorna and Amber are almost finished all 15, although Lorna will beat her to the punch, probably before this publishes! There's still time to join the challenge! The debates take place April 13-19 at 10:00 am ET. If you are interested in watching the debates as a group, let us know so we can try to set up a viewing party to try to accommodate all interested patrons.

Walk In Book Club

This is the lowest commitment book club ever!



Check it out, read it, & discuss it with other club members, participating staff, or anyone you'd like!
5 copies of each, get in early to get your copy!

Shellie Howard – Programmer Children must be pre-registered to attend.

All Club pickup times are now no later than 5 pm. March is a short month for library clubs due to spring break. I'm sure we're all ready for SPRING!!!

Minecraft Club Tues 3:15-4:45 pm ages 9-12 only. If you have your own devices, bring them, or parents can drop them off at the library for you. We have 5 devices that can be used, and they will be shared if needed.

Library Club Wed 3:15-4:45 pm Kindergarten-age 8. We start at 3:15 sharp. Kids are often hungry after school, so please send an extra snack on club days. Every 3rd club each month, we do Fuse Beads and Lego!!!

Special Library Club on March 4th, we will have Gerri from the DoHH here to read a couple of FireSmart Books and do a FireSmart craft!!!

Early Dismissal days mean that our programs run an extra hour! We will put on a movie, since they are here for over 2 hours. At Library Club the kids can do LEGO and other fun centres, whereas the 3G kids will get a movie in addition to their usual experimental crafts and activities.

Triple G (3G) Club Thurs 3:15-4:45 pm Ages 8-12. Join in as we play with water, build with paper, construct with ice, and play with food. We did claymation in February, and it was a huge hit! So we will do claymation on the second Thursday of each month! If your child has their own device, please bring them on 3G days as we only have 5 devices to share.

Calling all teens!!! We're planning a teen night! Let us know what works! We can watch a movie, have appies/food/snackies. I make some pretty amazing matcha, tea's and coffee lattes! Teens can also just hang out if they want to on these nights. We would like to plan early so that we can promote the event in advance each month, so let us know! As always, we will provide this program when the library is closed to other patrons!

Nancy Smith, InterLibrary Loan (ILL) Librarian & Bookkeeper Contact me for ILLs at the library in person, ill.hhpl@pris.ca or (250)783-9414.

All Staff: email for printing, book suggestions etc. to hlibrary@pris.ca
Follow us on Facebook & <https://hudsonshope.bc.libraries.coop/>



Monthly Police Report



Hudson's Hope RCMP Monthly Police Report

The Hudson's Hope RCMP responded to 27 calls for service between January 21st to February 24th. 19 written violations and warning tickets were issued to drivers between the above dates for various motor vehicle related offences. Highway and road safety continues to be a focus for the Hudson's Hope RCMP.

On January 25th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP responded to a report of a disturbance at the Hudson's Hope Refuse site. It was reported that an individual attended the refuse site and blew past the indicated stop sign. The individual then started to rummage through bins and buildings despite being told several times to refrain from these actions. When the individual was confronted by the site attendant, the individual became verbally aggressive but eventually left after spinning their tires and kicking up dirt toward the attendant. This individual is well known to police; therefore, a conversation was had and the individual was cautioned that charges will be sought for if these actions reoccur.

On February 5th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP received a report of a theft from the Bentley Road gravel pit. It was reported that sometime during the night, someone entered the site and cut/stole approximately 400 feet of rubber coated electrical cable off of some equipment. No suspects were observed but it was noted that a suspicious white Dodge ram truck had attended this site a few days prior to the theft. The driver was noted to be male, in their 50's, scruffy face, and average height. The passenger was noted to be an indigenous female, in their 40's.

On February 14th, Hudson's Hope RCMP member stopped a vehicle along Hwy 29 near Bodeker St. after the vehicle was noted to be travelling at an excessive speed; 135kms/hr in a marked 90km/hr zone which is 45km/hrs over the posted speed limit, ie: excessive speed. The driver received a 7-day impound of their vehicle and a hefty fine.

On February 19th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP received a report of a hit & run incident between a tanker truck and a personal vehicle. The complainant reported that he was travelling westbound along Hwy 29 when an eastbound tanker truck veered into the westbound lane, with the back trailer tire swiping the complainants vehicle, resulting in damage. The tanker did not stop so no information was obtained. Minor injuries were incurred.

On February 20th, the Hudson's Hope RCMP received a report of a theft from a Canadian Natural Resources site. It was reported that someone had cut/stolen

approximately \$200 worth of copper wiring from the site. No suspects observed.

Lastly, in late March, myself, JJ and Freyja will be transferring to a post in Alberta, we wanted to take this moment to acknowledge the impact that the community of Hudson's Hope has had in our lives over the past 7 years. We have all gone through a lot together and we appreciate the community for embracing us as their own. We leave a part of our hearts in the Peace and will always be grateful for the lessons, the adventure and the growth. We wish the community much peace, love and prosperity in the years to come.

We will be hosting a potluck farewell gathering on Sunday March 8th, 2026 at 6pm at the Hudson's Hope curling rink, feel free to stop in for a quick farewell or stay and reminisce with us.

Anyone with information regarding current or past investigations can contact the Hudson's Hope RCMP directly at 250-783-5241 or anonymously through Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477. Visit <http://crimestoppersnebc.ca> for advice on submitting tips online and to browse the areas "Most Wanted" page.

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Crib Night	Wednesdays @ 7 pm	250-783-5345
Double "H" Saddle Club	Last Thursday @ 6:30 pm	250-783-0691
Fall Fair Committee	As scheduled	250-793-6691
Farmers' Market	Tuesdays 3-6 pm	250-793-6691
Historical Society	3 rd Wednesday	250-783-5735
HH Figure Skating Club	Mondays & Wednesdays	250-783-8260
HH Soccer	Mondays & Wednesdays	250-783-0753
HH Volleyball Club	As scheduled	
Junior Canadian Rangers	1 st & 3 rd Tuesday	250-783-3387
Library Board Meetings	4 th Wednesday	250-783-9414
Library Club (K to Grade 6)	Wednesdays @ 3:15 pm	250-783-9414
Library Minecraft Club (Ages 9-12)	Tuesdays @ 3:15	250-783-9414
Library 3G Club (Ages 8-12)	Thursdays @ 3:15 pm	250-783-9414
Lions Club	1 st Saturday	250-783-0675
Minor Hockey	Tuesdays & Thursdays	250-783-1240
Northern Rockies Karate	Tuesday & Thursdays	
Peace Valley Arts Society	Variety of workshops	
Rod & Gun Club	2 nd Wednesday @ 7pm	
Ski Club	As scheduled	250-256-3782
Youth Baseball	Mondays & Wednesdays	250-262-6598

If you have a club you want included or to update information please email the Bulletin at bulletin@hudsonshope.ca.

For further information you can visit our website at: <https://hudsonshope.ca/residents/clubs-services/>



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MARCH 6-8, 2026



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Mar 6	5 PM	Bonfire, Soup & Bannock - Cameron Lake
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Mar 7	6 PM	Trapper's Ball: Dinner & Dance - Pearkes Centre
Mar 8	10 AM	Poker Ski, Bonfire & Hot Chocolate - Cameron Lake

Hello World!

Stevie Lynne Burnell
16.01.2026

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For more information about the Visitor Centre please visit bchydro.com/bennett.

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Curling Club

Fridays
Lounge - 7pm-1am
Concession - 6pm-9pm

It's time to decide who's name is going on the Trophy! Finals will be on March 13th. Then we welcome Jam Can again on March 30th!

The Concession and Lounge will be open every Friday until the end of March. Everyone is welcome at our Lounge and Concession. Children are welcome in the Lounge until 10PM when there is curling.

As always, all skill levels are welcome to curl with us. We'd be thrilled to teach you how to play.

Friday Night League

GAMES MARCH 6 AND 13
7PM AND 9PM

All Ages Sunday Night Drop-In

MARCH 1, 8, AND 15
6-730PM

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MORE INFO AT:

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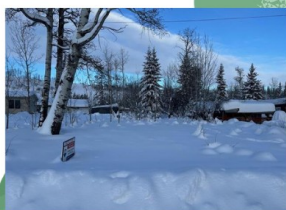
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MARCH PUZZLE

ACROSS

- 1) Wrap of old Rome
- 5) Kind of knife or sandwich
- 10) Exiled Iranian ruler
- 14) Homecoming attender
- 15) Lily type
- 16) Volcano outpouring
- 17) What Italians used to spend
- 18) Kwanzaa principle
- 19) "The Dukes of Hazzard" character
- 20) Three for the "back" pack
- 23) Invisible emanations
- 24) Feed livestock
- 25) Hardly firm, as a waist
- 28) Tract of wet ground
- 30) Muddy up, as water
- 31) Bring happiness to
- 33) Teary-eyed
- 36) Three for the "back" pack
- 40) It gives golfers a little lift
- 41) Tastelessly showy
- 42) Poetic foot
- 43) Curved doorway
- 44) Wall-to-wall installation
- 46) Certain Arabian
- 49) Unsolicited manuscripts, to a publisher
- 51) Three for the "back" pack
- 57) Fleshy seed covering
- 58) Grayish-violet
- 59) Top-of-the-line
- 60) Hitchhiker's quest
- 61) Some cartography dots
- 62) Patronize a fine restaurant
- 63) Hurdle for a wannabe driver
- 64) Running score
- 65) Constellation unit

DOWN

- 1) Post-natal care powder
- 2) Collection of miscellaneous pieces
- 3) Wise advice-giver
- 4) Obedient
- 5) Move like a squirrel
- 6) Country music's Tucker
- 7) Omit in pronunciation
- 8) Type of saxophone
- 9) Slugger's decisive win
- 10) Arctic transport
- 11) Vietnam's capital
- 12) Admits bluntly
- 13) Word before "got a clue"
- 21) Movie popcorn unit
- 22) More difficult to collect
- 25) Fingerboard feature
- 26) Like Tonto's masked friend
- 27) Teacher's helper
- 28) A good number
- 29) "Addams Family" member
- 31) Make an impression, in a way
- 32) Albanian currency
- 33) Sound of a stick breaking
- 34) Highest stage
- 35) Overcharging condition?
- 37) "Take ___ down memory lane"
- 38) ___ fly (RBI method)
- 39) Space cadets
- 43) It's just above a foot
- 44) Schmaltzy
- 45) Viper variety
- 46) Abstract painting style
- 47) Ill-fated Antoinette
- 48) Some corrosives
- 49) Jolly Roger flag depiction
- 50) Palindromic tool
- 52) Opposite of include
- 53) Spanish abode
- 54) Nike's "Just" conclusion?
- 55) Tolstoy's "___ Karenina"
- 56) Sneering look

GET BACK

By Timothy E. Parker

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SOLUTION TO LAST MONTHS PUZZLE
IS ON PAGE 42



**THE ARENA WILL BE OPEN UNTIL
FRIDAY, MARCH 13TH!**

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR THE
CURRENT SCHEDULE AND BE SURE TO
GET A FEW MORE SKATES BEFORE
THE ICE IS GONE.**

WWW.HUDSONSHOPE.CA/SKATING

Senior Bus Trips



**March 2 - Fort St. John
March 10 & 24 - Chetwynd**

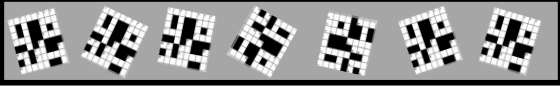
Contact the District Office at 250-783-9901 by 3:00 pm on the Friday before the trip to reserve a seat or get more information.

Trips to Fort St. John are for appointments and shopping. Trips to Chetwynd go to the Recreation Centre for indoor swimming. Some errands may be possible depending on time.

FEBRUARY SOLUTION

NOT COLD ENOUGH? By Timothy E. Parker

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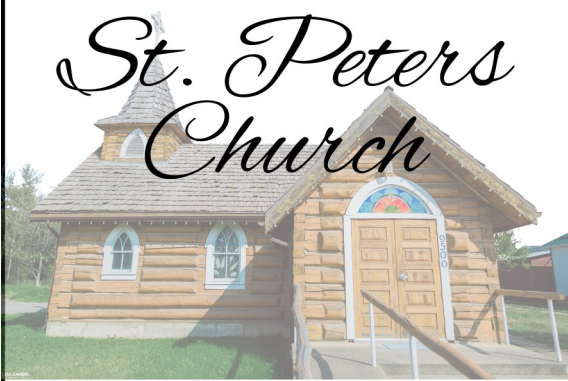
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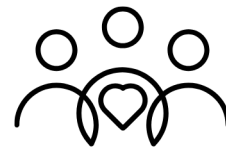
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Office.....250-783-9901	Highway Maintenance
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