

2023 DEVON WINTER PROGRAM GUIDE



WELCOME WINTER IN DEVON!

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PARTICIPATION FUND

Did you know that financial assistance for Town of Devon run programs is available through the Participation Fund?

The Town of Devon believes in creating an inclusive community where all residents can lead a healthy and active lifestyle regardless of economic circumstance. Families are automatically approved if they are in receipt of AISH, EI or Alberta child / adult health benefits. Other funding is determined by family income and size. Maximum allowance is \$250 per family per year.

Visit www.devon.ca/participationfund to complete the online form. Or call **780-987-8325** / FCSS@devon.ca for more information or a copy of the form.

CANADIAN TIRE JUMPSTART FUNDING

Strong communities include strong kids. We believe all kids should have the chance to run, skate, play, and grow. Canadian Tire Jumpstart® is a community-based charitable program that helps kids aged 4-18 participate in organized sports and recreation such as hockey, dance, soccer and swimming, so they can develop important life skills, self esteem and confidence.

Applications for assistance can be submitted from January 15 to June 1 for spring/summer programs, and from July 1 to November 15 for fall/winter programs.

Visit jumpstart.canadiantire.ca to apply online.

COMMUNITY DIRECTORY

Town Office Main	780-987-8300
Programs & Events	780-987-8332
Family & Community Support Services.....	780-987-8325
Parks.....	780-987-8331
Community Bus.....	780-910-1960
Dale Fisher Arena	780-987-4242
Facility & Sport Field Bookings	780-987-8328
Devon Public Library	780-987-3720

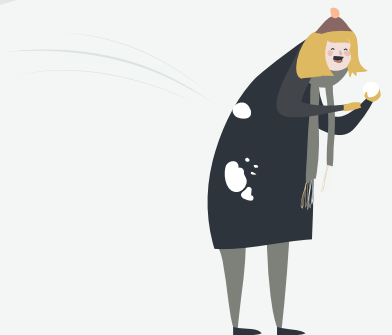
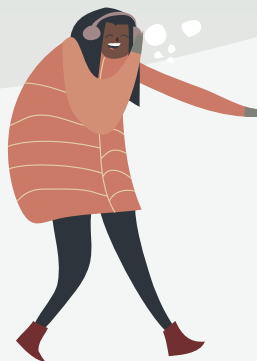
WINTER EVENTS

FEB 1: WINTER WALK DAY

FEB 20: FAMILY DAY

MAR 31: VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

APR 16 – 21: PITCH IN! DEVON COMMUNITY CLEAN UP



the kindness project kindness

noun: the quality of being friendly, generous, and considerate

did you know that acts of kindness are a key contributor to mentally healthy communities?

kindness, as research has shown, also makes us happier, improved physical health, slows ageing and improves relationships.

let's start a conversation about kindness in Devon...

**For more information, contact:
Devon FCSS at fcss@devon.ca**

#YouGotThis

*the kindness conversations.
let's talk...*

- can you share an experience of when someone showed kindness and it had a positive impact on you?
- can you share a story about a time where you showed kindness? how did it make you feel?
- do you consider Devon to be a kind community? can you give an example?
- if Devon was known as one of the kindest communities, what would that look like?
- what could you do to help show kindness in Devon?

...because kindness matters

**You are not alone.
If you need help, make the call. Please.**

Connect 24/7
to speak to trained support workers

**Information & Resources:
2-1-1**

**Support & Crisis:
1-800-232-7288**

Information, Support & Referrals – Devon FCSS: 780-987-8300 (office hours)

You GOT This & We Got YOU

FAMILY & COMMUNITY SUPPORT SERVICES

Fraud doesn't always look like fraud

STOP. THINK. CHECK.

Unexpected phone call, email, message...

- Threatening in any way
- Asking for money or gift cards
- Saying you have won a prize or money
- Indicating a tragedy / urgent funds
- Asking for personal information

IF IN DOUBT, CHECK IT OUT.

- You have the right to check first
- Don't use any links or number they give
- Follow up through official contacts only



Report Suspicious
Activity to the RCMP
780-987-3414



EARLY DEVELOPMENT INSTRUMENT

As part of our ongoing commitment to the children of Devon, the programs we offer are being purposefully created with one or more of the five developmental domains in mind. Where you see the symbols by the programs you will know what domains they primarily focus on.

DEVELOPMENTAL DOMAINS



Physical Health & Well-Being:

Encouraging physical growth and independence, gross and fine motor skills and coordination.



Social Competence:

Encouraging playing well with others, curiosity about the world, respect for adults and other children, behavior and following rules / instructions, independence, self-confidence and eagerness to explore new things.



Emotional Maturity:

Encouraging age-appropriate emotional understanding, empathy, reflection, and controlled actions (thinking before doing).



Language & Thinking:

Encouraging reading, writing, classification of shapes, numbers, colours, size and concepts.



Communication Skills & General Knowledge:

Encouraging open communication of needs and wants in a socially appropriate way, storytelling and an appropriate awareness of the outside world.

COMMUNITY SERVICES OUTREACH

Older Adults and 65+

Community Service Outreach – Older Adults and 65+ Support program is there to connect you to available resources, assist with applying for benefits and subsidies, coordinate temporary short term respite (via our service providers), and can provide referrals to other agencies. The service coordinates and hosts information sessions, events and activities for older adults.

65+ Support also offers two housekeeping programs, both of which are available to clients aged 65 or over and / or clients with disabilities / restrictive medical needs. These services are available with or without subsidy (following an income based assessment).



I AM GROWING UP

From the day I am born, I am growing up.

I am learning from the world around me.

I am building foundations for life.

Help me be everything I can be.

I am curious.

Show me the wonders of my community.

Fuel my imagination through talking, reading, and playing.

My brain is making new connections every day.

I am amazing.

I am a child.

See me.

Hear me.

Know me.

IAMGROWINGUP.CA

Youth and Family

This program offers short-term support through one-on-one visits that assist individuals or families to make healthy skill-based improvements in their lives. It is available to children, teens and families in need. The program strives to enhance, strengthen and stabilize families who are experiencing life stress and/or change. Each family circumstance is unique. Family strengths, assets and action-planning will be utilized. Reasons for referrals may include separation or divorce, loss, communication/conflict, parenting strategies, budgeting and more.

For more information on either program, call 780-987-8308 or email CSOC@devon.ca

IT'S GOOD TO TALK SUBSIDIZED COUNSELLING SERVICE

Sometimes you might need some additional support to help you through a difficult or stressful time and a referral to mental health services doesn't seem appropriate. We can help eligible families to receive a limited number of subsidized counselling sessions.

Devon FCSS works together with Karunia Counselling and Family Counselling Centres. Subsidies are based on income. Broadly - for those who do not have children under 18 living at home, you may qualify if you earn less than \$50,000 per household and for those with children under 18 at home this threshold increases to \$75,000.

For a subsidized referral please contact FCSS Coordinator at 780-987-8325.

SNOW BUSTERS WANTED!

Do you have some time to spare? Even if you can only do one hour every so often,



you may be able to help someone who desperately needs it. Be like Buster! Bust some snow!

How it works...

Be a Registered Volunteer Snow Buster

To go through the FCSS program where inquiries come in from the public to request help, all volunteers need to get a criminal and vulnerable persons check (at no cost to you). When that is done, if anyone calls needing help an email gets sent to all volunteers on the list and whoever can help out responds directly to the client. Easy – you only do what you can do, no pressure. This service is aimed at helping low income seniors, disabled and temporarily infirm residents of Devon.

Call 780-987-8308 to register or apply.

Be a Neighbourhood Volunteer Snow Buster

Does someone in your neighbourhood need a helping hand this winter? Be neighbourly, like Buster, and consider shovelling an extra sidewalk or driveway.

Be a Business Snow Buster

If you have a Devon business license and offer snow clearing as a service, call the office and get on the list of providers. Do you offer discounts? What are your prices? Let us know so we can share it!

In ALL cases: if you are planning to use an ATV or other off highway vehicle to support you clearing snow, you must register for a license with the Town of Devon Bylaw Department.

Benefits to you...

Looks good on your resume for work or college, it feels good to help people, contribute to your community, help build up skills, get you active, gain confidence and knowledge that you make a positive difference.



WINTER PROGRAMMING

Keep a lookout at devon.ca/programguide for any updates to programs and events offered.

WINTER ACTIVITY KITS

Looking for some at-home activities to get your mind off the snow? We bring the fun to you with our Winter Activity Kits. Get moving, get crafty, and spend some time with friends and family. For full descriptions, visit devon.ca/activitykits

RECREATION KITS

Kits are available to sign-out for a weekend of fun for all ages, free of charge to Devon residents. Kits are available to borrow from Thursday – Monday each week, and are available for pick-up at the Town of Devon Office.

Kit Options: Jumbo Games Night, Fit4Fun

Dates Available:
January 13 – April 11

**Please note, kits will need to be dropped off to the Town of Devon Office. Kit options may change.*

Sign-up to borrow a kit at devon.ca/activitykits

THEMED ACTIVITY KITS

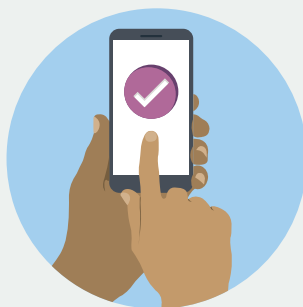
Register for our themed activity kits to get resources, crafts, games and activities delivered to your door. Every month offers something new, pay-what-you-can, payment structure.

February: Family Fun Time

Register at:
**devon.
recdesk.com**



HOW TO REGISTER for programs



Registration is easy! Just follow these steps:

1. Go to devon.recdesk.com
2. If you are a new user, create an account or login to your existing account
3. Select **Programs**
4. Scroll or search for the program you are interested in
5. Select **Register**






OH NO... we cancelled the program!

Excellent programs are sometimes cancelled when everyone waits until the last minute to register. Decisions about class cancellations are made one week prior to class start dates. Please make sure classes run by **Registering Early!**

Programs must meet minimum registration to run. If a program needs to be cancelled, there will be a full refund to the participants and a minimum of 5 business days' notice given. Withdrawal from a program requires 5 business days. You will receive a full refund minus a 10% administration fee. Withdrawals with less than 5 days' notice are not eligible for a refund.



Developmental Domains

-  Social Competence
-  Language & Thinking
-  Physical Health & Well-Being
-  Emotional Maturity
-  Communication Skills & General Knowledge

CHILD & YOUTH PROGRAMS

Devon Community Indoor Playground

Thursdays. Spend some quality time with other parents while your children play. We have many toys available for play! Free play with a focus on the five developmental domains. Parents are responsible for the active supervision of their children and helping with set-up & take-down.

Time:	9:30am-11:30am
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	0-6 years
Cost:	Free

Let's Play

Mondays. Join early childhood expert, Kathy, for four weeks of parented programming fun for children aged 2-5. Each week there will be a new theme with materials and activities that enhance



LOCAL YOUTH EXPERIENCE

Local Youth Experience

"MAKE THE FRIENDS THAT YOU DIDN'T KNOW YOU NEEDED"

Open 5 Nights A Week Programs for Ages 10 - 17 100% Free

FIND MORE INFO ON WWW.LOCALYOUTHEXPERIENCE.COM

learning and creativity, engage the senses, build skills and most of all, are fun! Limited space available. Smaller groups for maximum enjoyment.

Dates:	Session 1: Jan. 16, 23, 30 & Feb 6 Session 2: Feb. 27, Mar 6, 13 & 20 Session 3: Apr 17, 24, May 1 & 8
Time:	9:30-10:30am
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	2-5 years
Cost:	Free
Registration:	devon.recdesk.com. Registration opens three weeks prior to deadline date for each session – Jan 9, Feb 20 & Apr 10.

Kindness at Play

Thursdays. Join early childhood expert, Kathy, for four weeks of parented programming for children aged 4-6, which focuses on kindness, sharing, caring, fun and friendship, all done through play.

Date:	Feb 27, Mar 6, 13 & 20
Time:	10:45-11:45am
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	4-6 years
Cost:	Free
Registration:	devon.recdesk.com by Feb 20. Registration opens three weeks prior to deadline date.

Sportball Parent & Child

You've made the team! Sportball Parent & Child focuses on physical literacy

and social exploration as toddlers learn fundamental sport skills and participate in creative motor games, songs, rhymes, stories, bubble time and more. Children are challenged according to their individual skill level and grownups are taught techniques to help toddlers refine motor skills while developing social skills.

Date:	Saturdays, Jan 14 – Mar 4 (No class Feb 18)
Time:	9:00am-9:45am
Location:	Robina Baker Elementary School
Age:	2-4 years (Accompanied by parent)
Cost:	\$115/session
Registration Deadline:	January 6

DROP-IN RECREATION

A variety of drop-in programs are organized throughout the year, including badminton, basketball, pickleball and more. Programs are offered to a variety of ages.

Curious about what we have offered? Check devon.ca/dropin for updates!

Sportball Multi-Sport

Refine, rehearse, repeat. Multi-Sport classes are the heart of Sportball programming. Coaches focus on the basic skills common to all sports, like balance, coordination, stamina, and timing in a fun, supportive, non-competitive setting that emphasizes teamwork.

Date:	Saturdays, Jan 14 – Mar 4 (No class Feb 18)
Time:	10:00am-11:00am
Location:	Robina Baker Elementary School
Age:	8-12 years
Cost:	\$115/session
Registration Deadline:	January 6

Red Cross Stay Safe! Course

This program provides school-aged children with injury prevention and first aid knowledge and skills. It gives them the confidence to respond appropriately to emergency situation while staying home alone.

Date:	TBD
Time:	9:00 – 1:00pm (Please bring your own snack)
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	8-12 years
Cost:	\$20
Registration Deadline:	Check out devon.recdesk.com for details.

Red Cross Babysitting Course

This is a child care course for ages 11-16 who may be responsible for the care and supervision of younger children.

Date:	TBD
Time:	9:00am-5:00pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	11-16
Cost:	\$45
Registration Deadline:	Check out devon.recdesk.com for details.

ARTiculate

Join in for a 4-week art expression series. Through a creative outlet strengthen your self-esteem, resiliency, and mindfulness. Enjoy this positive mood boosting series.

Date:	May 2, 9, 16, 23
Time:	6:30pm-8:00pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre, Braun Hall
Age:	12-15
Cost:	\$40
Registration Deadline:	devon.recdesk.com by April 18.

High Fiver Club

Join early childhood expert, Miss Kathy, for four weeks of parented programming fun for children aged 3-5. Each week there will be a new theme around physical skills, emotional maturity and social competency. Free. Registration required. Limited spaces. Devon residents or child registered in a Devon school, pre-school, daycare or dayhome.

Date:	April 17, 24, May 1 & 8
Time:	10:45-11:45am
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	3-5
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Registration opens three weeks prior to deadline date.

Intergenerational Kindness Project

This exciting three-week series will bring together youth and older adults for a variety of fun activities that highlights the importance of kindness in our community. Child attendees can be picked up from school in the bus and / or dropped off at home after (optional). Child must be in a Devon school. Free. Registration required.

Date:	Tuesdays, Mar 7, 14 & 21
Time:	3:00-4:30pm
Location:	Goldring Manor
Registration:	devon.recdesk.com by March 1

FAMILY PROGRAMS

Game Nights

Gather your friends and families to enjoy an evening out for a drop-in games night! Check out the huge variety of board games to play from old family favorites to new puzzles and cooperative games. All ages are welcome to attend, parental supervision may be required.

Date:	Jan 12 & 24, Feb 9 & 21, Mar 9 & 21, Apr 13 & 25
Time:	6:30pm-8:30pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	All ages welcome
Cost:	Free
Registration Deadline:	None, drop in

Family Trivia Night

Disney, Pixar, Star Wars, Marvel...families bring your knowledge and put your heads together as a team to score some prizes! Physical distancing measures will be put in place. Open to all Devon families and those who have a child registered at a Devon school. **Must have at least one child under 17 on the team. Registration required.**

Date:	Thursday, Feb. 23
Time:	6:30pm-7:30pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Cost:	Free
Age:	All ages welcome
Registration Deadline: Feb. 16 at FCSS@devon.ca	

120 Minute Challenge

Three days, two prizes, one weekend! Family Day Weekend (Friday – Sunday) – take a minimum of 120 minutes over the three days and spend it focused on your family, doing at least three different activities together. Any activity counts if it's done with intention. Anyone is welcome to participate but only Devon residents or those with a child registered in a Devon school are eligible to be entered to win a prize, worth \$75 each.

Full details and how to enter are available at devon.ca/120minutes

Questions? Email FCSS at FCSS@devon.ca or call **780-987-8325**

Social Knitwork

Do you like to knit/crochet or wish to learn? Join us for some social hobby time! Come with your project, be introduced to new ones, or simply just start knitting. Share ideas, inspirations, and tips. Experienced volunteers will be available to help beginners learn.

Date:	Mondays, Jan 9 – Apr 24
Time:	6:30pm-8:00pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	Adults, (8+ years must be accompanied by a guardian)
Cost:	Free, limited starter packs available
For more information or a starter pack, contact 780-987-8308 or CSOC@devon.ca	

Family Day Word Hunt

What's more fun than doing a word hunt with your family in the beautiful Lions Campground? Possibly winning a prize, that's what! Come down and join in the fun.

Date:	Date: Monday, Feb 20
Time:	Time: 1:00 – 3:00pm
Location:	Location: Devon Lions Campground
Cost:	Free

Family Paint Night

Enjoy a night of creativity! Led by a local artist, you will be provided with all the materials and directions to create a work of art. Children and their adult work on one piece of art together. Registration required.

Date:	Mar 30
Time:	7:00-8:30pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	7+
Cost:	\$5
Registration: Register: devon.recdesk.com by March 23	

ADULT PROGRAMS

Moonlit Snowshoe

If you can walk, you can snowshoe! Experience the great outdoors in a new way with a guided snowshoe hike... in the dark! Equipped with snowshoes provided *continued*



Leduc County Family Resource Network

NEW: drop-in hours at Thorsby and Devon locations

Beginning Sept. 7, Leduc County FRN will offer permanent drop-in hours at its two facilities, located in Devon and Thorsby. All families are welcome to drop in and join FRN staff for:

- ▶ coffee and snacks
- ▶ resources and referrals

- ▶ monthly prize draws
- ▶ free wifi and computer use

- ▶ games and crafts
- ▶ programs and supports

Devon: 5 Jasper Court in the Old Robina Baker School

- ▶ Open Mondays from 2 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Closed for supper from 4 to 5 p.m.

Thorsby: 4908 48 St. in the modular building across from the Arctic Spas Recreation Complex

- ▶ Open Tuesdays from 2 to 4 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Closed for supper from 4 to 5 p.m.
- ▶ Open Thursdays from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed for lunch from noon to 1 p.m.

by Shift Happens Bicycle Repair, and a knowledgeable local guides, Kelly Harlton and Paul Rymes, you'll be sure to enjoy this fun way to get active!

Date:	Thursday, January 4th, back up date Feb 7
Time:	7:00 – 9:00 pm
Location:	Meet at Shift Happens *Bus to provide transportation to snow-shoe location*
Ages:	13+ years (under 18 must be accompanied by guardian)
Cost:	\$12/individual
Registration Deadline:	January 2, 2023

Learn to Cross Country Ski

This learn to ski program will introduce beginners to the basics of cross-country skiing so they can venture out on trails safely and with more confidence and enjoyment!

By the end of the lessons, learners will be able to: dress for the weather, prepare their skis, do the diagonal (aka classical) stride, do a braking snowplow downhill, navigate beginner trails and so much more! ***Participants must provide own equipment***

Date:	January 14, 21, 28, & February 4
Time:	10:30am-12:00pm
Location:	Devon Lions Campground (Meet in the parking lot between the entrances to Lions Park and the Devon Golf Course)
Age:	Adults
Cost:	\$60/4 Lessons
Registration Deadline:	Registration closes January 5th

Introduction to Chi Kung

Chi Kung is a preventative and healing modality, so classes tend to reflect those concepts. It is a growing adjunct to modern Western medicine. Typically, we will begin each session with an information portion which is followed by the practice of the day and that is followed by a question-and-answer time. Instructed by Alex from Parkland Tai.

Date:	Tuesday and Thursday Starting January 10, ending February 23
Time:	1:00pm-2:30pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	18+
Cost:	\$165/session
Registration Deadline:	January 3, 2023

Pizza & Pool Guys Night

Guys, this one is just for you. Join us for pizza, darts and pool. Connect, hang out, relax and flex your mental wellbeing muscles. All free, but you're on your own for any drinks. Open to non-Legion members. Drop in.

Date:	Tuesdays - Jan 10, Feb 7, Mar 7, Apr 4
Time:	6:30-9:00 p.m.
Location:	Devon Legion
Age:	18+
Cost:	Free (except any drinks)

Savvy Savings Basics

With costs increasing all over the place, it makes sense to see where we can save a few dollars here and there. Join us for this practical session on where you can get savings locally and regionally. Free.

Registration required.

Date:	Tuesday, Jan 24
Time:	6:30-7:30pm
Location:	Claypool Room, Devon Community Centre
Register:	devon.recdesk.com by Jan 17

Income Tax Basic Concepts

Join hosts from the Canada Revenue Agency as they talk you through Canada's tax system and basic steps on how to file your tax return. Open to Devon, Parkland County and Leduc County residents. Free. Registration required.

Date:	Tuesday, Feb 7
Time:	1:30-2:30pm
Location:	Virtual
Register:	CSOC@devon.ca or 780-987-8308 with your email by Feb 1

Cooking for One and Two

Is it just you, or you and one other adult at home? This session can teach you bulk cooking that will help stretch your dollars. Join us to cook one recipe over the evening and take away ideas and budget friendly options for the future. Open to Devon residents earning less than \$50k per household. Hosted in partnership with the Leduc and District Food Bank. Free. Registration required.

Date:	Feb 22
Time:	6:00-9:00pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Age:	Adults
Register:	devon.recdesk.com by Feb 13

Mega Trivia Night

Know your music, general knowledge, movies? Want to get out and beat the winter blues? Which team / person will emerge the champion? Gift card prizes! Registration required.

Date:	Tuesday, March 14
Time:	6:30-8:00pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Cost:	Free to play
Registration Deadline:	FCSS@devon.ca by Mar 7

BINGO!

Join us for a fun, friendly game of Bingo. You may even get lucky and win a prize! Registration required.

Date:	Thursday, Mar 23
Time:	6:30-8 p.m.
Location:	Devon Community Center
Age:	Adults and Accompanied Youth (15+)
Cost:	No charge to play
Register:	devon.recdesk.com by Mar 16

Free Tax Assistance Services – March 13 to April 28

These free, volunteer run assistance services can help eligible Devon residents get their taxes done.

Eligibility

To be eligible for this program you must be a Devon resident with a simple return and your TOTAL household income must have been less than (in 2021):

- One person Up to \$35,000
- Two people Up to \$45,000
- Three people Up to \$47,500
- Four people Up to \$50,000
- Five people Up to \$52,500

This is for simple returns only. Residents with income over these thresholds also have low-cost local options that our FCSS staff can provide information on. To learn more about these options, call Devon FCSS at 780-987-8300. Learn more at devon.ca/cvitp

ADULT 55+ PROGRAMS

Drop-In Indoor Winter Walking

Do you need a free, safe space to walk indoors away from the ice and snow? You can drop in anytime between the hours below.

- This is provided as a space to walk and is not a set program.
- Participants are responsible for their own safety.
- Outside footwear must be removed
- No strollers, scooters or pets.

Current availability:	Mondays and Wednesdays
Time:	9:30am–11:30am
Location:	Devon Community Centre, Main Hall

* See online community events calendar for closure dates and updates.

Seniors Connect - Coffee Social

Drop in to connect with others for a friendly chat and hear an update about programming from the Town. Coffee is on us!

Date:	Fridays, Jan 27, Feb 24, Mar 24, Apr 21
Time:	10:00-11:00am
Location:	McDonald's
Age:	60+
Cost:	Free

Advanced Care Planning – 55+

Advance Care Planning, getting your affairs in order for the future so you can continue to live your best life now.

Presented by End of Life Doula, Lisha Gunn.

Date:	Tuesday, Jan 24
Time:	1:30-2:30pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre, Claypool Room
Register:	CSOC@devon.ca or 780-987-8308 by Jan 17

Seniors Connect – Game On!

Join the FCSS team for some fun and games. Charades, Dingbats, Pictionary! All good fun and we will cheer each other on (even as we secretly try to beat the other teams!) Registration required.

Date:	Tuesday, Feb 21
Time:	1:30-3:00pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre, Claypool Room
Register:	CSOC@devon.ca or 780-987-8308 with your email by Feb 14

Seniors Connect – Science Museum

Check out all the great exhibits and activities on offer at the Telus World of Science by joining in on this social outing on the bus. The cost includes admission to the museum only, plus a subsidized bus rate. Registration required.

Date:	Mar. 15
Time:	Pick up at 11:30am, departing TWOS at 3:30pm
Location:	Devon Community Centre
Cost:	\$32.50
Register:	CSOC@devon.ca or 780-987-8308 by Mar. 8

LOOKING FOR HEALTHY LIVING WORKSHOPS?

Check out
Leduc Beaumont Devon
Primary Care Network's
website, lbdpcn.com

DALE FISHER ARENA

Ice skating helmets are mandatory for all participants 18 and under and strongly recommended for all participants during ice activity. No hockey sticks during public skate.

ONLINE ARENA SCHEDULE AND UPDATES:

1. Go to devon.recdesk.com
2. Click on calendar
3. Choose Dale Fisher arena from the drop down menu.



Public Skating

All levels of skaters welcome

Monday & Wednesday	12:00-1:00pm
Tuesday & Thursday	1:15pm-2:15pm
Thursday evening	6:15pm-7:15pm
Saturday & Sunday	3:30pm-4:30pm

Adult Noon-Hour Shiny

Tuesday & Thursday	12:00pm-1:00pm
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Parent & Tot Skating

Monday & Wednesday	1:15pm-2:15pm
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Program times are subject to change. Please refer to RecDesk calendar for updates.

32 HAVEN AVENUE 780-987-4242

INDIGENOUS-BASED PROGRAMS

We offer various cultural based programs and events throughout the year including beading workshops, speaker presentations and many others. We are committed to strengthening the relationship with Indigenous Peoples across the land, as well as supporting our Indigenous and non-indigenous residents through cultural programming and events. Partnering with Indigenous Nations will allow for our communities to come together to learn about various Indigenous cultures, languages and traditions.

*For a current list of upcoming events and programs, go to **devon.ca/indig-events**.*



DEVON PUBLIC LIBRARY

The library programs in this guide are recurring throughout the year. Check our website for other informative & fun programs, added regularly!

Register at www.devonpubliclibrary.ca or phone 780-987-3720.



DEVON PUBLIC LIBRARY

CHILD & YOUTH PROGRAMS

Baby Bounce & Sing

Join Leigha every week in the program room for songs, rhymes, and play that will help your baby learn & grow!

Date:	Tuesdays
Time:	11:00-11:30am
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	0-2 years
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Drop in

Family Storytime

Join Leigha in the program room every week for stories, songs, rhymes, play, crafts, and more! Both sessions have the same content so please join whichever session works best for you.

Date:	Wednesdays
Time:	9:00-9:45am & 10:00-10:45am
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	2+
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Drop in

LEGO Club

Drop in and take on the weekly challenge or make whatever you want using the library's LEGO collection!

Date:	Tuesdays
Time:	3:00-4:30pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	6-12
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Drop in

Anime Club

Join your friends at the library to celebrate all things anime & manga, with themed activities every week.

Date:	Mondays
Time:	3:30pm-4:30pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	13-18
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Drop in

FAMILY PROGRAMS

Family Movie Night

Watch a movie on the library's big screen! Popcorn and drinks provided.

Date:	3rd Friday of the month
Time:	5:45-7:45pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	All ages
Cost:	Free

Registration: Visit devonpubliclibrary.ca/events or call 780-987-3720

Devon Chess Club

Come out and learn the game or play with more experienced players.

Date:	Wednesdays
Time:	6:30-8:00pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	All ages
Cost:	Free

Registration: Drop in

ADULT PROGRAMS

Grownup Games Night

Join your friends in the library for board games and puzzles! If you have a game you'd like to share with the group, please bring it with you. Popcorn, tea and coffee provided.

Date:	4th Friday of the month
Time:	6:30-8:30pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	Adults
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Drop in

Writers Group

Meet with writers of all skill levels to learn, practice writing, and support each other.

Date:	1st Monday of the month
Time:	7:00-8:30pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	Adults
Cost:	Free
Registration:	Visit devonpubliclibrary.ca/events or call 780-987-3720

Book Club

A great way to discover new books and make like-minded friends. Everyone welcome!

Date:	4th Thursday of the month
Time:	7:00-8:00pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	Adults
Cost:	Free
Registration Deadline:	Drop in

SENIORS PROGRAMS

Movie Afternoon

Break up your week with an afternoon film! Popcorn and drinks provided.

Date:	4th Wednesday of the month
Time:	12:30-2:30pm
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	Adults
Cost:	Free
Registration Deadline:	Drop in

Accessible Chair Exercises

Drop in for low-impact exercises performed while sitting in a chair. All abilities welcome.

Date:	Mondays & Wednesdays
Time:	11:00-11:45am
Location:	Devon Public Library
Age:	All ages
Cost:	Free
Registration Deadline:	Drop in

COMMUNITY ADULT LEARNING PROGRAM

Devon Public Library is the holder of the Government of Alberta's Community Adult Learning Program (CALP) grant. Literacy skills are needed every day - at work, at home, at school and in the community. Adult literacy is about much more than reading and writing instruction.

Literacy is an essential life skill, necessary for everyday decision-making to adapt and succeed in a knowledge-based economy.

We offer programs to help the community with access to information and tools they need to learn, work, create, and thrive. Residents and newcomers will have the opportunity to develop employability skills training, literacy skills (including digital), English Language Learning and life skills. We also offer career counselling services in partnership with Bredin Centre for Career Advancement.

Find information on all of our Adult Learning offerings with our dedicated website:

www.devonadultlearning.com/



DEVON'S OUTDOOR



Winter Adventures



Get out there!

Devon Golf Course and Lions Campground trails are groomed for cross-country skiing by volunteers with the Devon Nordic Ski Club. Voyageur Park trails are groomed by volunteers with the Devon Bicycle Association. All other river valley trails are multi-use and unmaintained. Devon's river valley trails are at not maintained during the winter; use at your own risk.

DEVON'S WINTER TRAIL GUIDELINES:

- Ski** on groomed ski trails
- Snowshoe** on multiuse trails
- Bike** on multiuse & bike trails
- Walk** on multiuse trails
- Dogs** must be on leash

PLEASE RESPECT GROOMED SKI TRAILS:

- Stay to the side unless skiing
- Cross perpendicular when necessary

LEGEND

Multi-use trails suitable for hiking, snowshoeing and fat biking

Groomed ski trails

Both multi-use and groomed trails

Parking

Paved Trail

Natural Trail - Easy

Multiuse Trails with Groomed Ski Tracks

Granular Trail

Natural Trail - Moderate

Groomed Classic Ski Tracks

304 Stairs

Natural Trail Difficult

Groomed Skate Ski Tracks

Multiuse Trail

DEVON'S OUTDOOR *Ski Adventures*



Legend

Multiuse Trails with
Groomed Ski Tracks



Groomed Classic
Ski Tracks



Groomed Skate Ski Tracks



Multiuse Trails



Parking

DEVON'S NORDIC SKI AREA GUIDELINES:

This area is owned by the Town of Devon and the trails are maintained by the volunteers of the Devon Nordic Ski Club. Please follow the rules and etiquette for the safety and enjoyment of all trail users. Let's share the outdoors!

1. Check trail conditions, follow signs & posted warnings.
2. Please consider purchasing a Devon Nordic Ski Club membership or make a donation at the trailhead to maintain the groomed trails.
3. When stopping, step off the trail.
4. Do not block intersections.
5. Maintain control of your speed and direction.
6. Ski single-file and to the right except when overtaking.
7. When a skier calls out "track," move to the right to allow passing.
8. Skate ski in designated areas.
9. Ski in the specified direction on one-way trails.
10. Descending skiers have right-of-way on hills.
11. ALL trail users are to keep off greens and tee-boxes on the golf course.

FCSS *is the first call*

If your question is

“Who can help with...”

- Knowing where to start
- Parenting strategies / guiding my family through difficult situations
- Getting subsidized counselling services
- Taxes for lower income families
- Housekeeping support for eligible seniors / disabled persons
- Support after a crisis or abusive situation
- Finding and accessing addiction services
- Locating resources for your mental health
- Not being able to afford food
- What to do when I have lost my job, home or income
- Informative and fun workshops and programming

..... ***We're here to help!***



EVERYONE'S Community Bus!

CURRENT SCHEDULE (subject to change each year)

DAY	DESTINATION	SCHEDULE	PICK UP	DEPART
Mon.	Leduc <i>*Service to Leduc is subject to change based on COVID-19 restrictions.</i>	Year Round	9:00	1:00 pm
Tue.	Devon	Year Round	9:30 am	3:30 pm
Wed.	Available for private rental			
Thu.	Devon	Year Round	9:30 am	3:30 pm
Fri	Available for private rental			

Ring & Ride
780-910-1960

Pricing (round trip)

\$5.00 - Devon

\$11.00 - Leduc

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Visit
devon.ca/bus for
details and updates

- Devon service is available ANYTIME during the hours listed – call for a ride.
- Shopping service available (purchase/delivery)
- Door to door service within Devon
- We can now take children of all ages