



Pathways Family Services Foster Care News

“Providing children and families with safety, stability and belonging”

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Pathways Office will be closed Monday, September 6th for Labour Day. Contact our On-Call with any emergencies.



UPDATE! 

COMING SOON!!

We will soon be launching:

- *New Phone System*
- *On-line Portal for submission of receipts & documents which will aid in tracking of your expenses*

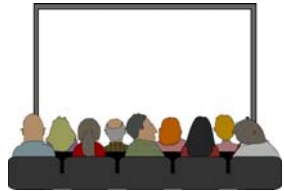
Watch future newsletters and remember to check your emails for more information.

Pathways Annual General Meeting & Policy Review

Wednesday, October 27th

Times: 9:30 to 11:00 am & 7:00 to 8:15 pm

Attendance by at least one caregiver per family is mandatory.
Meeting location to be determined.
Watch your email for more information.



Deadline for submissions to the October Newsletter is Friday, September 10th. Contact Marla at (780) 442-0113 with information.



Indigenous Languages/Cultural Corner



Cree

me	her or him
nīya	wīya
nee YA	wee YA
you	them
kīya	wīyawâw
kee YA	wee ya WOW

Saulteaux



water	meat
nipi	wīhyas
ni peh	WEE yas
milk	potatoes
tohtōhsapo	opinīn
too TOO sa po	OH pi nin

Pronunciations are approximate. To hear a language spoken and for access to more words, download a language app to a tablet or smart phone. Apps used here are “Maskwacis Cree” and “Saulteaux.”

Fort Edmonton Park

If you haven't already done so, be sure to check out the new Indigenous Peoples Experience at Fort Edmonton Park. Go to fortedmontonpark.ca for information.

“Gather and explore life through the diversity of First Nations' and Métis peoples' histories, cultures, experiences, and perspectives, local to Indigenous life in the Beaver Hills, or Edmonton region.

Deep conversations with over fifty Indigenous Elders, historians, educators, and community members informed the content. The stories, music, artwork, and text in the experience come from local Indigenous perspectives and voices, gathered through engagement with local Indigenous communities, historical documents, and research.



These stories, teachings, and memories have been passed through millennia. They reflect a rich and resilient history and deep connection to the land and seasons. Whether in Cree, Dene, Anishinaabe, Nakota, Blackfoot, or Michif, this shared knowledge is timeless. It does not just exist in the past. It is here today.”



Royal Alberta Museum

**Explore Indigenous stories in the Human History Hall
Go to royalalbertamuseum.ca for information.**

“Experience our province through the eyes of Indigenous people – their innovative use of the natural world for survival in ancient times, their artistry and spirituality, and the tenacity with which they kept their culture alive during colonization. Marvel at a 1,600-year-old roasting pit in which Blackfoot people cooked a feast. Learn more about the intricate floral beading techniques used by Métis people, and diverse materials Indigenous people used to construct canoes for water travel. Bear witness to the poignant, often difficult narratives that come as a result of the First Nations' contact with European settlers.”

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