

Library Cards

Library cards must be renewed annually.

Adult/Teen.....	\$15
Family.....	\$15
Senior.....	Free
Replacement Card.....	\$6

- ♦ Government issued ID and proof of current address are required.
- ♦ Card fees may be waived at the discretion of the Library Director or designate; proof of financial hardship may be required.

Overdue and other fines:

- ♦ DVDs/CDs—50¢/day
- ♦ All other material—35¢/day
- ♦ A/V material returned in book drop—\$2 (temporarily suspended)
- ♦ Lost and damaged items—replacement cost

Office Services Available

Printing fees per page:

Black/white Letter size 1—sided.....	0.25
Black/white Letter size 2—side.....	0.45
Black/white Legal size 1—sided.....	0.35
Black/white Legal size 2—sided.....	0.65
Black/white 11x17 per side.....	0.50
Colour 1—sided.....	1.00
Colour 2—sided.....	1.95

Photocopying fees per page:

Through quick feeder = same as printing

On scanning glass = same as printing + 0.50 per page

Scan to email:

Per file sent to email address.....1.00

Computers & Internet

We currently have two computers available for public. Patrons may book one 90-minute session per day. If you require more time please call ahead.

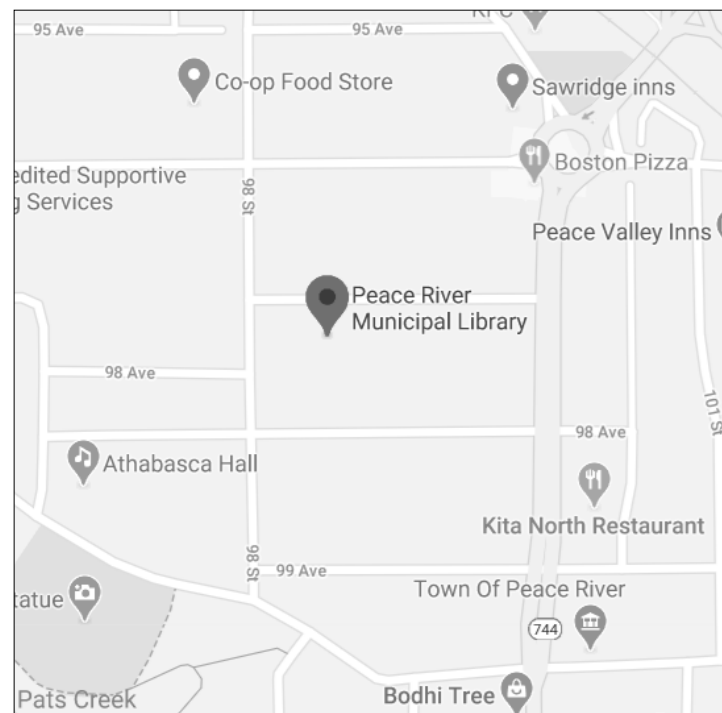
You do not need to have a library card to use the computers.

Free WiFi available. Ask at the desk for password.

Exam Proctoring

If you need to write an exam for distance education, we offer proctoring. There is a fee of \$40 for this service. Please call the Library two weeks before the exam date to book your appointment.

Contact: librarytech@prmlibrary.ab.ca



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Library News

Peace River Municipal Library

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December 2020



Holiday Hours

December 24, 25, 26—Closed.

December 29 & 30—12 to 4pm.

December 31, January 1, 2—Closed



Holiday Greetings

Now that there is snow on the ground, it is really beginning to feel like the Christmas season is upon us. Or is it? Like everything else in 2020, our winter holidays are going

to be different from what we are used to. At the Library, that means that most of our traditional events aren't happening and we have to think of other ways to celebrate with our community. I'm sure many of our patrons are also frustrated that they can't even take comfort in a traditional Christmas this year.

However, this year we have a unique opportunity. This year we get to teach our children what our winter celebrations are really all about. Even though the stories from culture to culture are different, it all comes down to working together to take care of each other. This year we can all do simple things to show our community we care about them.

Happy Holidays and stay safe.

- Your friendly neighbourhood Library Tech

Current Hours

Tuesdays :

1pm to 5pm

Wednesdays :

10am to 12:00 Senior's Safety Hours

12:00 to 7pm All welcome (extended!)

Thursdays :

10am to 5pm All welcome

Fridays :

10am to 5pm All welcome

Saturdays :

10am to 1pm All welcome

Registration for December Story Time is now closed but registration for January is open! Go to www.prmlibrary.ab.ca. Click on Programs and Events. Go to January 8th and click on Virtual Story Time. Scroll to the bottom of the page and you can fill out the registration form. Please register before December 21st to be able to get your activity kit.

Virtual Story Time

Every Friday
10:30-11am

January Registration
Deadline:
December 21st

Partnered with Peace Region
Family Resource Network

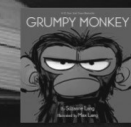



Peace Region
Family Resource Network

Marilyn & Cyndi have teamed up for this returning program that features virtual picture book stories, songs, crafts, science projects, and play activities. The age range has shifted slightly and is designed for children ages 2-6. All are welcome to join in on the fun including younger and older siblings.

Craft and activity kits will be provided monthly and can be picked up at the library.

Registration is required, to register your child visit www.prmlibrary.ab.ca
Click Virtual Story Time on the calendar and register each child individually. You will receive and email with the Zoom link and password.

January Books




Colours of Anxiety

December 1st, 8th, 15th, & 22nd
2pm-3pm

*Virtual program *Registration required
No pressure program, come to the dates that you are able to.

Colouring is said to be a great mindfulness tool to help you pause life and enjoy the moment. Join this program to learn how colouring can help with anxiety. You will receive a free kit with pencil crayons & a colouring book to start you on your mental health journey!

This program is in partnership with AHS Mental Health

 Alberta Health Services

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Canadian Reptile Encounters is joining Peace River Municipal Library for a Virtual Reptile Party and you are invited! Choose December 9th at 6pm or December 12th at 11am. Call the Library to register (780-62404076) and you will be sent a link to join the party from home.





Virtual Reptile Party

December 9th - 6pm
December 12th - 11am

*Registration required
*Choose the day and time that works best for you!


Join Canadian Reptile Encounters to meet reptiles and other cold-blooded creatures live from your computer! Meet boas, dragons, frogs and more! Learn about these fascinating animals as pets and in the wild, conservation, and much more."






Reading Advent Calendar 2020

Teens & Adults




Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Find out how another country celebrates Christmas.	2 Read in bed.	3 Read a magazine article. (online counts.)	4 Read while curled up by the fire. (A pretend fire counts)	5 Find a new holiday recipe to try.
6 Read while waiting for something.	7 Look up the weather forecast for this week.	8 Read at the kitchen table.	9 Read about the Northern Lights.	10 Find out when Hanukkah starts this year.	11 Read with someone in your family.	12 Read a poem. (Or write your own)
13 Read in your pajamas.	14 Read a news paper article.	15 What is Kwanzaa?	16 Read in your favourite spot.	17 Find out how a Christmas tradition got started.	18 Read outside. (Signs count)	19 Catch up day! Do one you've missed.
20	21	22 Draw date. Make sure your entry is in by noon today!	23	24	25 Merry Christmas!	26
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Reading Advent Calendar 2020

Kids!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Read about how another culture celebrates Christmas.	2 Read before bedtime.	3 Read about a bear.	4 Read while curled up by the fire. (A pretend fire counts)	5 Find a recipe to try with an adult.
6 Read under a fort.	7 Read a book with "snow" in the title.	8 Read to your pet. (A pet rock counts)	9 Read about the Northern Lights.	10 Read about Hanukkah.	11 Read with someone in your family.	12 Read a poem about Winter. (Or write your own)
13 Read in your pajamas.	14 Read to yourself in the mirror.	15 Read about Kwanzaa.	16 Read in your favourite spot.	17 Read about a Christmas tradition.	18 Read outside. (Signs count)	19 Catch up day! Do one you've missed.
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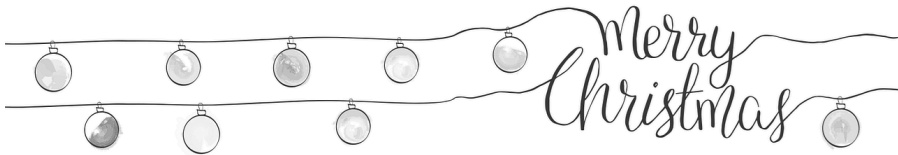


Santa Gift Wrapping Station

November 1st - December 23rd

Don't get wrapped up in the holiday stress. The library has your gift wrapping needs covered with our new gift wrapping station!

Supplies available at our station: wrapping paper, scissors, tape, bows, ribbon, and tags!



Are you worried about being “caught in the act” while wrapping gifts at home? Then come to the library! Starting November 1st and continuing until **December 23rd** the library will have a fully equipped Santa Gift Wrapping Station!



Try this new kind of Advent Calendar! You still get a treat but the treat is reading. Each day will have a new reading challenge. (You should be able to complete each challenge in 20 minutes or less.) Complete the challenge and check it off on your calendar. (We trust you.) When you are done, drop off your calendar at the library or take a picture of it and email it to our programs department. On December 22nd there will be a draw for a prize for two categories—12 and under and 13 and over. Just in time to pick up your prize before Christmas! Advent calendars will be available at the circulation desk and on our website (prmlibrary.ab.ca).

Reading is Snow much fun!



Pick up your Reading Advent Calendar

There's one for ages 0-12 and one for 13+ (that means grown ups too!)

Check off all the activities on your calendar and fill in your contact info. Then drop it off at the Library to be entered in a draw for a prize!

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December 2020



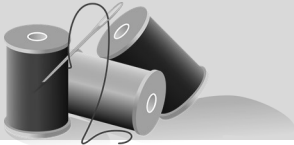
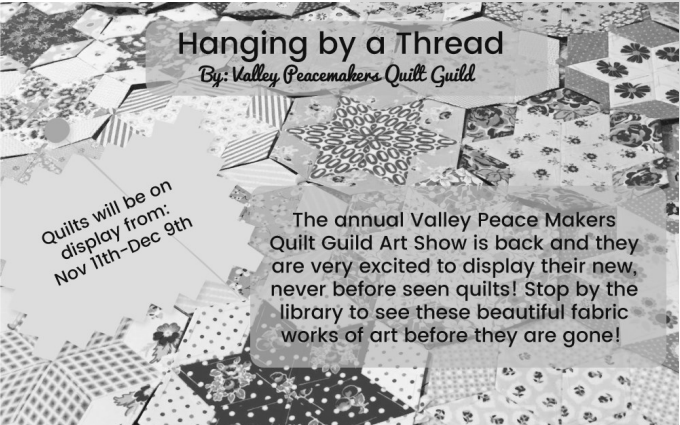
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29	30	1 2pm—Colours of Anxiety (Virtual) <i>World AIDS Day</i>	2	3	4 10:30am—Virtual Story Time	5 <i>International Ninja Day</i>
6	7	8 1:30pm—Bookmobile (HT & PW) 2pm—Colours of Anxiety (Virtual)	9 Last Day for Quilt Show! 6-7pm—Reptile Party (Virtual)	10 6pm—Library Board Meeting. <i>Hanukkah begins</i>	11 10:30am—Virtual Story Time	12 11am-12pm—Reptile Party (Virtual)
13	14	15 2pm—Colours of Anxiety (Virtual)	16 New Art Gallery Shows.	17	18 10:30am—Virtual Story Time	19
20	21 Last day to sign up for January Story Time!	22 Reading Advent Calendar entries due by noon! 2pm—Colours of Anxiety (Virtual)	23 Gift Wrapping Station last day!	24	25	26
27	28	29 Open 12 to 4pm	30 Open 12 to 4pm	31	1	2
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In the Art Gallery...

Hanging by a Thread

Starting November 12th you can come in and view the amazing textile arts of the Valley Peace Makers Quilt Guild. These items will be on display through until December 9th.



Creatures

This a TREX travelling exhibit on display from December 16th to January 20th.
“Creatures of nature translated into things of the mind, a pulsing of spirit...a light-hearted fantasy such as a child might visualize and express in single heartfelt terms.” - Janet Mitchell

PePe Pictures & Creatures Art Show

Opening Day Wednesday, Dec 16th

Art on display from Dec 16th - Jan 20th
Stop by during regular business hours to see this awesome art before it is gone!



Photos by: PePe Pictures



Undone by: Jude Griebel



Sun Dog by: Carrol Taylor-Lindoe

Stop by to enjoy double the art this month! From nature pictures to creature art, there is something for everyone. PePe Pictures are provided by a local artist, Isabel Pereira and Creatures are on loan from the TREX program.

PePe Pictures

These pictures are provided by local artist, Isabel Pereira, and focus on the natural world.

Time is running out!

Ask at the circulation desk for stationary and a pre-addressed envelope!



Letters to Santa

Write to Santa and he will write back!

November 1st - December 2nd

*Letters to Santa must be mailed by December 2nd

*Your letter does NOT require postage and can be either mailed or dropped off at your nearest post office. (If you fill it out at the library we can send it off for you!)

*Don't forget to include your return address!

