

### August 2024

## What's happening at the Art & Culture Centre???

- ★ Koreen Deheus is our Artist of the Month for August
- ★ August 14 11 am to 2 pm Tea with Mickey Death
- ★ August 16 12 pm to 4 pm Youth Show & Sale
  - Register with Kennedy at touristinfo.bacs@gmail.com
- ★ August 17 2 pm to 3 pm Tea with Christina Good
- ★ August 25 @ 2 pm Opening Day
  - Main Gallery "Alberta's Roots & Scenic Skies" Multi-Artist Exhibit
  - Mini Gallery Elke Kiesewetter

# Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre

Mickey Death "Close to Home" - Main Gallery-

July 28 to August 22, 2024 Darcie Bader
"A Day On The Ranch"
-Mini Gallery-



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Free admission



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#### Beaverlodge Area Cultural Society 2024 Calendar of Gallery Exhibitions

Main Gallery	Mini Gallery
January 3 - 25	January 3 - 25
BACS 10th Annual Re-homing Art Sale	BACS 10th Annual Re-homing Art Sale
(Official opening: Jan 7, 2 pm)	(Official opening: Jan 7, 2 pm)
Janary 28 - February 22	Janary 28 - February 22
North West Polytechnic	BACS Fundraiser
Art Students' Exhibit Sponsored by West County Animal Clinic	Silent Auction
February 25 - March 21	February 25 - March 21
Beaverlodge Art Society	Mimi Zhang-Mackie's
32nd Annual Mini Exhibit & Sale	Watercolour Student Exhibit
March 24 - April 25	March 24 - April 25
31st Annual Quilt Show	31st Annual Quilt Show
Exhibit & Sale	Exhibit & Sale
	Sponsored by Acuity Eye Care
April 28 - May 23	April 28 - May 23
Beaverlodge High School	St. Mary Art Students' Exhibit
Art Student's Exhibit	Hallway: Beaverlodge Elementary
May 26 - June 27	May 26 - June 27
Brenda Schenk	Monique Hommy
Art Exhibit & Sale	Intro to Indigenous Art

All Exhibits open at 2 pm at the Art & Culture Centre.

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<b>Main Gallery</b>	Mini Gallery
June 30 - July 25	June 30 - July 25
Chris Jammer	Aleeta Kent
Art Exhibit & Sale	Art Exhibit & Sale
July 28 - August 22	July 28 - August 22
Mickey Death	Darcie Bader
Art Exhibit & Sale	Art Exhibit & Sale
August 25 - September 26	August 25 - September 26
"Alberta's Roots &	Elke Kiesewetter
Scenic Skies*	Art Exhibit & Sale
Multi-Artist Exhibit & Sale	
September 29 - October 24	September 29 - October 24
Donna Kaut	Lynne Brown
Art Exhibit & Sale	Memorial Exhibit
October 27 - November 21	October 27 - November 21
Beaverlodge Art Club	April Smith
"Small Town Big Dreams"	Pottery Exhibit & Sale
November - December 20	November - December 20
Peace Region Federation of	BACS Christmas Gift Shop
Canadian Artists Exhibit & Sale	Local Art & Fine Craft Sale

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# Lynne Brown Memorial Exhibit September 29 to October 24



Photo provided by Chervl Brown

As you know, our community lost a beloved fibre artist and instructor, Lynne Brown, last year. We are working on putting together an exhibit in the Mini Gallery to remember Lynne and what she has meant to us here at the Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre.

We are inviting the community to share photos and stories that we may include in this memorial exhibit. They can be emailed to <a href="mailto:bacs@telus.net">bacs@telus.net</a> or dropped off at the Culture Centre, Attn: Harmony.

\*\* If you wish your items to be returned to you at the end, please ensure that you have it labeled with your name and leave a phone number for us to contact you in October.

# Youth Art Show/Sale!!

Friday, August 16th 12-4



Looking for a fun way to showcase your art and crafts, and maybe make a bit of money? Bring a table, chairs, and your beautiful art, and join us on the lawn at the Beaverlodge Art and Cultural Centre!

\* Enjoy a refreshment in our pink tea room, as well as a juice stand outside!

Sidewalk chalk available for the little ones!

Bring a painted rock to add to Art the Anaconda!!

Call (780)-354-3600, or stop into the Cultural Centre Tuesday-Friday from 10-5 and speak to Kennedy to register!

BACS will not be charging any fees or taking any commission on sales.

All sales will be handled independently of BACS

#### **Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre**





Last summer, we had so much fun rock painting at the Art Walk, we jumped on the community rock painting trend. We created "Conner the Cultural Caterpillar". Between June and September, he grew to be over 120 feet long the distance from the ramp to the fence.

#### **Meet "Art the Anaconda"!!!**



Paint a rock for us to add to "Art" and see if we can beat last year's distance!
You can add painted rocks to him starting
Tues, June 11th!

#### Become a Member of the Beaverlodge & Area Cultural Society



The Beaverlodge Cultural Centre is a Free Admission public gallery. This is made possible with support from our community. By purchasing a membership you support the Society in its Mission to:

- Provide an outlet for craftspeople and artists to sell their work
- Provide studio space for artists
- Provide safe storage for a permanent art collection
- Provide an art gallery to showcase local artists
- Provide a tea room every afternoon

#### BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

- BACS newsletter about upcoming exhibitions and activities delivered to your email inbox
- Advance Invitation to Special Events
- Satisfaction supporting a Free Admission gallery
- As an artist, eligibility to be featured in the Galleries or Gift Shop
- A vote on issues and Board Members at the Annual General Meeting



## Annual Membership

Only \$10

#### Have you got your membership yet?

You can come in to the Centre to fill out the application, or you can find the online form at

http://beaverlodgegallery.com/membersh
ip-application/

#### **Artist of the Month**

August 2024

#### **Koreen Deheus**

Koreen Deheus was born in Hythe, Alberta and has lived in the Peace Region her entire life. Her county dwelling provides rural landscapes that beckon her to capture them on a wide variety of captivating subjects.

She is very proficient in oils and acrylics but has also dabbled in watercolor, ink pen, and watercolor pencil (also great fun).

Many enjoyable years were spent teaching art classes at Valhalla as well as some at LaGlace and in Hythe. Many good friendships were formed that are cherished to this day.

Her accomplishments include four wins at the "Capture the Beauty of the Peace" contest sponsored by Picture Perfect, with two first place wins and two third place wins.



#### **UPCOMING EXHIBITS & EVENTS!**

- August 25 to September 26, 2024
  - Main Gallery "Alberta's Roots and Scenic Skies" Multi-Artist Exhibit
  - Mini Gallery Elke Kiesewetter Art Exhibit & Sale
- September 7 & 8, 2024
  - Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre will be a Host site for Alberta Culture
     Days with activities for the whole family! Stay tuned!
- September 29 to October 24, 2024
  - Main Gallery Donna Kaut Art Exhibit & Sale
  - Mini Gallery Lynne Brown Memorial Exhibit
- October 27 to November 21, 2024
  - Main Gallery Beaverlodge Art Club "Small Town Big Dream"
  - Mini Gallery April Smith Pottery Exhibit & Sale

Do you know about 'Doris' - the private art gallery upstairs of the Art & Culture Centre?

The west-facing space, rented by Peter von Tiesenhausen, has been operating for over a year now as a private space for artists to display their work.

Interested in taking in the art on display in 'Doris'? Peter has provided us with a key to enter the space to anyone who wishes to take a look.

Check out this article!

https://www.cbc.ca/arts/in-tiny-beaverlodge-alta-a-diy -gallery-in-a-former-hospital-draws-artists-from-all-ov er-1.7281011



# In tiny Beaverlodge, Alta., a DIY gallery in a former hospital draws artists from all over

Everyone's welcome at Doris, but the contemporary art space might be the best-kept secret in town



<u>Leah Collins</u> · CBC Arts · Posted: Jul 31, 2024 10:53 AM MDT | Last Updated: July 31









# Did you know?

The Beaverlodge Art and Cultural Centre is most known for it's gorgeous Pink Tea Room, where you can enjoy a refreshment after taking in the beautiful art.

#### Tea/Maskihikiwapoy

In the Cree language, the word for 'tea' is 'maskihikiwapoy', this directly translates to "medicine water" or "medicine tea". This is because to many Indigenous communities, tea is used to heal. While it is a comforting beverage, it also has it's cultural roots in being used for medicinal purposes.







#### FEATURING:

- \* Beavelodge Art Club
- Beaverlodge Craft Club
- Beaverlodge Mural Foundation
- \* McNaught Preservation Society
- \* local artists, musicians, & dancers

Talk with Artists

Art Demos

Live Music & Doncers

Art Activities

Door Prize Draws Food & Drinks

# Alberta Culture Days at the Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre!

512 - 5th Ave Beaverlodge (behind the Big Beaver)

Saturday, September 7, 2024 1 pm to 5 pm & Sunday, September 8, 2024 1 pm to 5 pm

Want to see your Company Logo on this Poster?? We're accepting sponsorship towards this incredible event during Alberta Culture Days Thank you to our Sponsors!





AlbertaCultureDays.ca September 2024

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#### **TOURISM SEASON HAS BEGUN!**

We are honored & excited to welcome visitors and travellers who make Beaverlodge one of their stops

#### Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre

- Visitor Information
- Gift Shop & Souvenirs
- 2 Art Galleries
- Washrooms
- Public Tea Room
- Free Admission

Did you know the Centre was the Beaverlodge Hospital from 1937 to 1956?



Come see our famous stained glass wall!

PH: 780-354-3600



May 1 to September 30 Hours

Tuesday to Friday 10 am to 5 pm Saturday & Sunday 1 to 5 pm Closed Mondays

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find us on Facebook

# Beaverlodge Area Cultural Society's 2nd Annual Silent Auction Fundraiser

In the Mini Gallery from January 26 to February 20, 2025





If you would like to donate to our Silent Auction, please contact us at 780-354-3600 or bacs@telus.net





With your support, we raised over \$2300 to assist with the operations of our Art & Culture Centre in 2024!

Did you know that the Beaverlodge Art & Culture Centre relies on volunteers to operate 6 days a week?

Are you looking for a non-profit organization to donate just a bit of time to?

If you are interested and would like more information to see if this is the right fit for you, please drop by or give us a call.

If you know anyone who might be interested, please share this opportunity with them.

Our community is so lucky to have a dedicated Volunteer mindset. Thank you for all that you do!

We now have an online application! http://beaverlodgegallery.com/become-a-volunteer/

# Do you have 3-8 hours a month to support the Arts in Beaverlodge?

Have you considered becoming a



at the Beaverlodge Cultural Center?

Our centre is staffed by volunteers each afternoon. It is an opportunity to engage with the community and enjoy the exhibits each month.

#### Hosts are needed to:

- Welcome patrons and inform them of the exhibits in the Main and Mini Gallery.
- ❖ Share historical information about the building.
- ❖ Provide tea or coffee in the Tea Room.
- ❖ Assist patrons with the purchase of art or items from the gift shop.
- Assist tourists with information about the area.

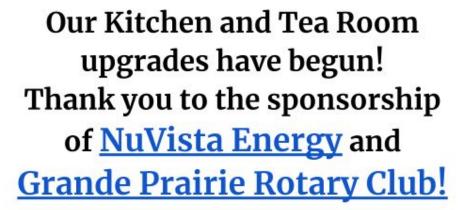
For more information or for a volunteer application please contact:
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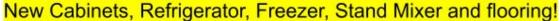
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# Making a Difference, One Step At A Time

We are always working to make improvements and efficiencies within the Art & Culture Centre. Apart from making a large donation or providing sponsorship funding, how can YOU help?

- Become a member (\$10/year)
- Help spread the word about our Centre and its needs
- Visit the Centre regularly and sign our guest book each time
- Purchase greeting cards, gift ideas, etc from our gift shop
- Have your coffee group meet in our complimentary tea room and make a small donation (cost of a cup of coffee)
- Volunteer your time as a host or inquire how else you may help
- Provide stories, feedback, or advice when we are searching for public input

All of these things add up and assist us with finding government and corporate funding. We appreciate all of the support we receive.

# Thank you to our Sponsors!



















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