



2010 Summer Events & Activities

Join our museum staff for “Terrific Tuesdays!” through out July and August for family activities:

Tue, July 13th – **Ole' Tyme Games** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 5 – 10 yrs

Learn how to play games that your grandparents would have played when they were your age!

* Canceled if it's a rain day.

Tue, July 20th – **Story Time with the Vanderhoof Library** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 5 – 12 yrs

Come and listen to stories for children, a mix of current stories along with stories from pre-1930 story books.

Fri, July 23rd – **Parade Bicycle Decoration 101** (1pm -3pm)

Suitable for ages 7 – 15 yrs

Have you always wanted to be in a parade? If you have a bicycle in good working condition and a helmet then come on out and let our staff teach you how to “Trick out your bike old school style!” Once your bike is decorated you'll be ready to ride in the parade the next morning for all the Town to see!

Sat, July 24th – **Heritage Parade & Ole' Tyme Engine Show** (11am – 5pm)

Suitable for all ages!

It doesn't matter how young or old you are, you're bound to enjoy this rare and unique parade! Starting at 11am antique tractors along with horses and wagons as well as local children riding their decorated bicycles will be making their way along Steward St. across Hwy 16 W to end at the museum's new parking lot.

Once at the museum enjoy viewing what is for some a first time look at some of the antique tractors and equipment while for others these machine are like old friends! The tractors, farm and lumber equipment will be on display and demonstrated through out the afternoon. Don't miss out on the opportunity to see our latest donation to the museum, a beautifully restored 1918 WADE Drag Saw in action. The size of timbers this saw can cut through is mighty impressive indeed! Of course our 1912 Waterloo Steam Traction Engine will be on display for all to enjoy. It doesn't get out of its shed very often but it will be out on this day!

Tue, July 27th – **Tie Dye Craft Time** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 7 – 15 yrs

Bring a white or light coloured, 100% Cotton piece of clothing and learn how to tie dye creating your own one of a kind groovy wearable piece of artwork!

Tue, Aug. 3rd – **Ole Tyme Costume Play Time** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 5 – 10 yrs

Do you like playing “Dress Up?” then this is a day you don't want to miss! Bring your own cow boy, cow girl, pioneer, fur trapper, train robber, sheriff etc. costume or borrow what we have available and let the fun begin!

* Canceled if its a rain day.

Tue, Aug. 10th - **“Bored” Game Time** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 7-15 yrs

As the summer starts to wind down are you beginning to feel a tad bored? Well come out to join our staff who will have board and card games set up so that you can settle in at a table and play away your boredom!

Tue, Aug. 17th – **Outdoor Cooking Time** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 7 – 15 yrs

OK this is going to be “Way Cool!” Join our staff and help to make a meal for everyone to share! Pick fresh vegetables and prepare, make bannock over an open fire and bake cookies in a solar oven.

Tues, Aug. 24th – **Oral Story Time** (1pm – 3pm)

Suitable for ages 7 – 15 yrs

Join Lil MacIntosh and Vincent Syrette along with our staff and learn about oral stories. Listen to a variety of stories from Mrs. MacIntosh about what life was like when she was a child and growing up on a farm over 90 years ago. Mr. Syrette will introduce you to traditional First Nation story telling and share some wonderful and stirring stories. Work together in smaller groups afterward and create an oral story to share with the other groups.

ARTIST RETREAT DAYZ:

For 2 days once each month from July to September the museum will be inviting a professional artist to share their artistic knowledge and skill with others. Please contact the museum office by phone or email to receive a list of retreat dates as we are still finalizing them and a registration package with all the details and the cost of the course/retreat. These retreats are available to local and non-local people, even if you're just traveling through our community but would like to join a course/retreat. We will hopefully be able to offer the following courses:

1) a. Working with watercolours

1) b. Painting with acrylics

2) a. Quilting

2) b. Knitting & crocheting

3) Spirit Drum Making