Rimbey Neighbourhood Place

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Tues to Thurs

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Caregivers

You can assist a child in your community!

Within Central Alberta, there are children who need a secure safe home and caring individuals to support and nurture them as they grow.

Central Alberta Child and Family Services Authority

There are many options available to individuals who choose to assist children to reach their full potential. To assist a child you can:

1. **Become a foster parent** - Foster parents open their homes to children in need, and support them to return to their family home when possible. Some foster parents may choose to adopt the children they provide care to if the children are eligible.
2. **Become a kinship caregiver** - Individuals who have a significant relationship with a child in care can provide that child with a home. Grandparents, relatives, coaches, teachers, or neighbours, may have a role to play in helping a child stay connected to their culture and their community.
3. **Provide a permanent home to a child or a sibling group** - A permanent, loving home is what our children need to grow strong.
4. **Help spread the word** - That foster parents, kinship caregivers and adoptive parents are needed. Word of mouth is the best way to let others know that there are children in our community in need.

If you are interested in assisting or if you need more information, please call (403) 755-6104. For toll-free service first dial 310-0000.

Rimbey Nursery School

The Rimbey Nursery School will be hosting an Open House on Tuesday, September 6 from 3ð 8 pm at the Community Centre. For Information call Lynne at 403-843-6820 or Donna at 403-843-3447

Rimbey & District Employment Centre

Rimbey Employment Centre is located in the Blindman Youth Centre and is open from 8:30 to 12:30 Monday to Friday.

We provide assistance with resume writing, job searches, workplace training programs and job placements. Come and talk to us about opportunities for paid workplace training.

We can also help with workplace related faxes, photocopies and computer access.

Workplace Training Program
Employers, train your new employees and get paid for it; wages and training costs can be provided for up to 6 months. Job Seekers, use this opportunity to sell yourself to employers; they can be paid to train you. Call the Rimbey Employment Centre for more information at 403-843-2034

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Are you interested in early child development and how your community can have a positive impact on your young children, nieces, nephews or grandchildren?

If so, you are invited to attend the next meeting of the developing Rimbey (Ponoka County) ECD Coalition to be held

Wednesday October 5th @ 1:00 p.m. @ the Rimbey Neighborhood Place office.

Join us as we have an update on the early child development (ECMap) provincial project and look at establishing roles & leadership for the developing community coalition in Rimbey. We will look at ñwhat are the hopes and dreams and wishes we have for the young children in our communityò as we work towards developing an intentional plan of action for the coalition.

To confirm your attendance at the meeting please contact Carla @ rimbeynp@telusplanet.net or 403-843-4304

For more information go to www.ecmap.ca or contact your local community development coordinator
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Early Child Development Mapping (ECMap) Project
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ECMap Early Child Development Mapping Project Alberta

Rimbey Addiction Clinic

Addiction counseling every Thursday at Rimbey Mental Health for people experiencing difficulties with alcohol, drugs, or gambling or who has a loved one having difficulties with addictions. Please call 403-340-5274 to arrange an appointment.

Town of Rimbey — A Community on the Move

Rimbey Neighbourhood Place

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Rimbey Community Services

Contact Recreation Department
403-843-3151
programs@rimbey.com
www.rimbey.com

Rimbey is a unique and exciting community with all sorts of recreational activities and programs available. Each month brings new opportunities so be sure to check back regularly.

Featured Programs

Geo-caching

No one is too old to enjoy a good old fashion scavenger hunt. Cache locations will be hidden around Rimbey and their GPS locations will be posted on www.rimbey.com. Each location will have a weather proof container that will contain a ñlogbookò and a gift item from the sponsor organization. Anyone from the public can search for the caches using a GPS. Once the location has been found, the person will sign in the logbook, take the prize from the sponsor organization and replace it with a gift of their own for the next person. For more information, please visit www.rimbey.com.

After School Program

Starting in September of 2011, the Town of Rimbey will have an ongoing after-school program operating in the Rimbey Elementary School. The program is designed to provide Rimbey parents with a safe and convenient place to have their children, ages 6-12, spend their time after school. The program will run in conjunction with the school calendar as well as on PT days. It will go from 3:10pm - 6:10pm on normal school days and 8:30am - 6:10pm on PT days. We can only take 30 children per day so please register soon. If you have any questions or to register, please contact the Rimbey Community Center (403-843-3151).

www.rimbey.com

August at a glance…

Å**Drop-in Sports**
Ultimate Frisbee - Mondayôs
7pm; ages 16+; Free; BMX Park
Floor Hockey - Wednesdayôs
7pm; ages 16+; $2 (free with pass); Rimbey Arena
Family Soccer - Sundayôs
2pm; all ages; Free; BMX Park

Å**Racquet Tuesday's** - Tuesdayôs
6:30pm - 9:00pm; all ages & abilities; Tennis/ Squash/Racquetball Courts

Å**Free Yoga in the Park** - Tuesdayôs
12pm - 1pm; all ages & abilities;
June 14 - Aug 30
Pas Ka Poo

Å**Fun Fit Program** - Tues & Thurs
6:30pm - 7:30pm; ages 16+;
July 19 - Sept 8
Drop-ins welcome
Rimbey Community Center

Å**Summer Fun Program** - Mon - Fri
1pm - 4pm; July 4 - August 26;
Ages 6-12
Drop-ins welcome
Rimbey Community Center

Å**Geo-caching** - 24/7
GPS units available at the
Rimbey Community Center

Upcoming Events…

ÅFarmer's Market - Aug. 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th
ÅFCSS Charity Golf Tournament - Aug. 11th
ÅSidewalk Sale - Aug. 12th
ÅCentral Alberta Raceways - Aug. 14th
ÅHorticultural Show - Aug 19th & 20th
ÅBlood Donor Clinic - Aug. 24th
ÅReal Canadian Wrestling - Aug 26th

Rimbey Library

Summer Reading Program: we are offering the following programs from Aug 2 - August 24. Pre-register at the Library.
For more info call 403-843-2841

Time:	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
10-11	Story Time	Summer Reading Program		Story Time	
11 -12	Pat-a-cake Kids				Drop-in: Book reading
1-2					
2-3	Summer Reading Program	Summer Reading Program	Drop-In Craft/ Activity	Stories in the Park: All ages	
3-4					Drop-in: Craft/ Activity
4-5					
5-7	Teen Nights		Movie Nights		

August 24, 1 pm, professional story teller Maryann Lippiatt will be in Pask A Poo Park, interesting to all ages ð see you at the Park. There is no need to pre-register.

Plan Ahead…

ÅMass Registration - Sept 8; 6pm - 9pm
All community organizations are welcome to set-up a table (free).

ÅAfter School Program - Sept 1
Ages 6-12 @ the Rimbey Elementary School