

AUGUST BULLETIN

STAVELY EDUCATION FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP



The Stavely Education Foundation is now welcoming applications for scholarships available to post-secondary students who have attended Stavely School. Applications will be accepted no later than

October 31, 2026. Criteria and application forms are available from Leanne Watson or go to <http://stavelyschool.ca/documents/general/Stavely%20Education%20Foundation%20Scholarship%20Application.pdf> to download the application form. Please do not hesitate to call Kelly Hall (403-646-5813) or Leanne Watson (403-549-3841) if you have any questions.

FLANAGAN CITIZEN OF THE YEAR AWARD

Nominations are being accepted for the Flanagan Citizen of the Year Award. Deadline is August 8th. The award is open to anyone living in the Stavely recreational area who has been involved in community organizations, sports, etc. Please send your nominations to: Stavely Elks Lodge, Box 414, Stavely, AB T0L 1Z0. Nominations can also be emailed to stavelyelksbpoe112@gmail.com. Mark your submissions "Citizen of the Year".



text or call for appointment
403.688.5353

book online
VidaSalon.co

5003-50 Avenue Stavely

Florence A. Wilfred Scholarship

This annual scholarship has been established for a 'well rounded student' who completed a minimum of six years at Stavely Schools. It is intended to encourage the pursuit of a post-secondary education, including all recognized Universities, Colleges, Technical schools, or Apprenticeship programs. The award recipient is chosen based on leadership, community service and academic standing in both high school and post-secondary. Candidates must have completed at least one semester or term at a post-secondary institution. Application forms must be sent to Stavely Elementary School (Attention: Leanne Watson), Box 339, Stavely, AB T0L 1Z0 and received by **October 31st, 2026**. The link to access the scholarship form is <http://www.stavelyschool.ca/documents/general/Florence%20A.%20Wilfred%20Application.pdf>. If you have any questions, please call Leanne Watson at 403-549-3757 or 403-549-3841.

glow GOLF
When the sun goes down, the game lights up.

SATURDAY AUGUST 8

- 7:30 PM REGISTRATION**
- 8:00 PM TEE OFF TWILIGHT 9**
- AFTER 9 HOLES HOT DOGS & SNACK**
- AFTER BREAK GLOW BALL 9 IN THE DARK!**
- GLOW BALLS SUPPLIED**
- HOLE PRIZES THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT!**

4-PERSON SCRAMBLE | **ALL AGES WELCOME!** | **FUN FOR EVERYONE!**

\$50 MEMBERS | **\$60 NON-MEMBERS**

Museum News

Game Day at the Museum
Drop In – Ages 8 and Over
August 15th

10:30 am-12:30 pm – 1:30-3:30 pm

Lots of outdoor games (lasso, shoot 'em up, spear throwing, egg rolling and more !!!). Weather permitting.



Movie Night at the Museum
Ages 8-18 (No adults allowed)
Thursday, August 20th
6:45-9:00 pm (ish)
Popcorn & Milkshakes



Golf News

Glow Golf
Saturday, August 8th
Registration 7:30 pm



Stavely Elks Golf Tournament
Sunday, August 9th

Eddie Cochran Memorial Golf Tournament
Sunday, August 23rd
Registration 9:30 am

Golf Club Meeting Thursday, August 27th at 7:00 pm

STAVELY & DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
64th ANNUAL LOCAL AMATEUR RODEO
★ SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 2026 ★
★ RODEO AT 2:00PM ★

1. Mutton Bustin' – 4-6 years – no entry fee	7. Open Team Roping – entry fee \$40.00/team	12. Hide Race – may be limited spots. – entry fee \$10.00/team
2. Child/Adult Team Roping – under 18 yrs – entry fee \$20.00/team	8. Sheep Dressing 3 man team – 12 yrs & under – entry fee \$6.00/member	13. Wild Cow Race – 3 man team – entry fee \$40.00/team
3. Barrel Racing – 8 yrs & under – entry fee \$10.00	9. Cow Riding – entry fee \$15.00	
4. Barrel Racing – 9 – 14 yrs – entry fee \$10.00	10. Pole Bending – 9 yrs & under – entry fee \$10.00	
5. Ladies Barrel Racing – 15 yrs & over – entry fee \$10.00	11. Pole Bending – 10-16 yrs – entry fee \$10.00	
6. Boys' Steer Riding – 14 yrs & under – entry fee \$15.00		

***** EXTRA \$300 CASH PRIZE FOR WILD COW RACE *****

ALL ENTRIES IN RODEO MUST BE "LOCAL" – Stavely, Claresholm, or Nanton post office address

TEXT ONLY Entries to Kayla 403-601-1625

MONDAY, AUGUST 17 8:00AM – 11:00AM

BBQ BEEF ON A BUN \$10 (6 & under free) | 1:00 PM
ALL PARTICIPANTS ENTER BOTH RODEO & SHOW AT THEIR OWN RISK

64th ANNUAL OPEN HORSE SHOW
SUNDAY, August 30, 2026
SHOW AT 8:30AM

1. Open Halter – Mares	15. Western Horsemanship – 14 to 17 years
2. Open Halter – Geldings (Grand/Reserve to follow)	16. Western Horsemanship – 18 years & over
3. Showmanship on Halter – 8 years & under	17. S5 Bill Class – 8 years & under (not bareback)
4. Showmanship on Halter – 9 to 13 years	18. Toilet Paper Race – 9 years & over
5. Showmanship on Halter – 14 to 17 years	19. Reining – 9 years & over
6. Adult Showmanship – 18 years & over	20. Command Class – 17 years & under
7. Lead Line – 5 years & under	21. Command Class – 18 years & over
8. Western Pleasure – 8 years & under	22. English Pleasure – 17 years & under
9. Western Pleasure – 9 to 12 years	23. English Pleasure – 18 years & over
10. Western Pleasure – 14 to 17 years	24. English Equitation – 17 years & over
11. Western Pleasure – 10 years & over	25. English Equitation – 18 years & over
12. Junior Horse Pleasure Horse – horse 5 years & under	
13. Western Horsemanship – 8 years & under	
14. Western Horsemanship – 9 to 13 years	

Judge: Barb Tracey

*** \$10 Entry Fee
* \$12 Post Entry Fee
* \$2 number Fee**

If fewer than 3 entries in a class, the committee may decide to combine classes. 8 years & under are all walk/trot ONLY.

Horse Show entries can be made until **NOON on THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 2026** via Google form

Email: sarah01andrews@gmail.com for link or Phone: 403-603-8062

AUGUST 2026 Library News

Monday – 1:30 to 6:00 pm
Tuesday – 9:00 to 5:00 pm
Wednesday – 12:00 to 6:00 pm
Thursday – 1:30 to 5:00 pm
CLOSED Monday, August 3rd for Heritage Day

Thank you to those who donate every year to our Library. With the increased cost of books and DVD movies, your contributions are much appreciated!

Stavely Library Board-Next regular meeting Wednesday, September 23rd @ 7:00 pm.

THE FRIENDS OF STAVELY LIBRARY SOCIETY

Friends Society next regular meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 10th @ 6:00 pm. Everyone welcome to attend. We are always looking for new members who share our passion to support the Town of Stavely Library! For more information about our Friends Society, please “Like” us on our Facebook Page.

The Plot Thickens Garden Club Lecture Series–will begin again in September. Thank you to everyone who attended this year so far and supported this program.

BOOK CLUB – Next meeting will be Thursday, September 3rd in the Library at 7:00 pm. September Selections are “Books set in Hotels”, which will be handed out that evening. They include:

- ❖ The Hotel Nantucket by Elin Hilderbrand - 2022
- ❖ The Wedding People by Alison Espach - 2024
- ❖ The Glass Hotel by Emily St. John Mandel - 2020

If you are interested in participating, please come to our informal meetings! Suggestions are welcome – New members are always welcome! This club is for readers who would like to be introduced to new authors, new genres or talk about new books being published; or just to attend a casual evening of socializing with friends/neighbors!

TD SUMMER READING PROGRAM IS BACK in the Stavely Library on Wednesday afternoons from 1:30-3:00pm. This year’s theme is *Dive In!* as we set sail on an adventure across all kinds of waterways—ponds, lakes, rivers and vast oceans. The fun and excitement will begin on Wednesday, July 15th and continue once a week until Wednesday, August 19th with a variety of games, crafts, stories and prizes. All children 12 years and under are encouraged to participate. Register your child to get the official club notebook and stickers by contacting the Library. Studies show that kids who keep reading all summer do better when they return to school in the fall. TD Summer Reading Club is a great way to keep them engaged.

Stavely Golden Age Centre

Monday – Thursday from 1 PM to 4 PM

We are always seeking new members; the membership is only \$25.00 and there are so many benefits to membership.

Coffee and Social is at 2 PM every day.

- **Mondays:** Come on down to play a game of Bridge.
- **Tuesdays:** We host drop in Pool and the “Stitchers” come down and enjoy crafting.
- **Wednesdays:** Drop in crib starts at 1:30 PM. If you love crib or would like to learn how to play come on down.
- **Thursdays** Euchre has paused for the summer but will be up and running again in the fall, please feel free to pop into the Centre and enjoy some socializing.
- **August’s Crib Tournament:** August 14th starting at noon. There is always a great turn out. You do not need to be a member of the Golden Age Centre to attend.

Jam Session – Open Mike, will resume in September, the session will be September 18th at 6:30 PM We welcome everyone, you do not need to be a member of the Centre to join in. We welcome all types of musicians. Guests are asked to make a donation to the help support the Centre. *Musicians, your time and talent are your donation.*

From Monday to Thursday: we always have coffee and snacks in the afternoon; it is a great place to come and socialize.

HALL RENTALS: Did you know you can rent the Stavely Golden Age Centre facilities? It is an amazing space and very affordable. Please reach out for more information.

If you have any suggestions for activities or would like to volunteer, please reach out at the email below.

If ever you have any questions or concerns regarding any Stavely Golden Age Centre matters, please feel free to email us at stavelygoldenage@outlook.com and we will be happy to assist. We wish you the best making summer memories.

The Board of Directors of the Stavely Golden Age Centre.



Drop In Pickleball
Monday-Wednesday-Friday
10:00 am-12:00 pm
School Tennis Courts



ATB Loves Our Local Community!

ATB has been serving Albertans since 1938. And proudly serving Stavely for the last 35 years. Providing a range of services from, Personal banking, Business banking, Agricultural banking, Investments, Wealth Management Services and Estate Planning to name a few.

- Did you know that right now, any new money you put into a savings account for the month of August and September will get you bonus interest?
- Students headed off to Post Secondary school, ATB would like to get you started on building a strong credit rating. Stop by and talk to someone about our Master Card offer for Post Secondary Students.
- Are you looking to start a business? Simply grow your business? Is buying a home, or a new vehicle in your future? ATB will work with you to get your lending needs in order.

If you are looking to set up savings for a new home, the dream vacation, school, retirement, or any of life’s other big moments ATB is here and ready to help.

ATB is more than just Stavely’s local financial institution - we are your trusted partner. Supporting local business, farms, families, and community organizations. We aim to strengthen the local economy, build strong relationships with our neighbours and contribute to the community.

Our commitment will always remain to personalized service and making a positive impact on rural Alberta. Stop by and talk with someone to see how ATB can help you reach your financial goals.



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MEMORIAL
BULL RIDING
JUNIOR BULLS & LOCAL STEER RIDING

**SATURDAY
AUGUST
15
2026**
OUTDOOR ARENA
STAVELY, AB

\$40 /PERSON
PBR CANADA
BULL RIDING &
LIVE MUSIC
(12 & UNDER FREE)
PRE-SALE TICKETS
AVAILABLE ONLINE
SHOWPASS.COM
OR AT COWBOY COUNTRY
CLOTHING (NANTON)
& TOWN OFFICE (STAVELY)

\$45 AT DOOR

4PM GATES OPEN
BEER GARDENS/
FOOD TRUCKS ONSITE

6PM PBR CANADA
BULL RIDING

9PM DANCE/LIVE MUSIC
FOLLOWING THE EVENT
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