OCTOBER 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.**

VIDA Salon

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Golden Age News

Sunday, October 4th- BBQ & Annual General Meeting
Friday, October 9th – Crib Tournament 12:00 (Potluck)
Thursday, October 15th – Birthday Party 2:00-4:00 pm
Friday, October 16th – Jam Session 6:30 pm

Annual General Meeting
Sunday, October 4th
Doors open at 11:30 am
BBQ Lunch at 12:00 pm
Burgers & hot dogs will be provided
Please bring a side dish or dessert to share
Meeting to follow BBQ Lunch
All members are encouraged to attend!
We look forward to seeing you there.

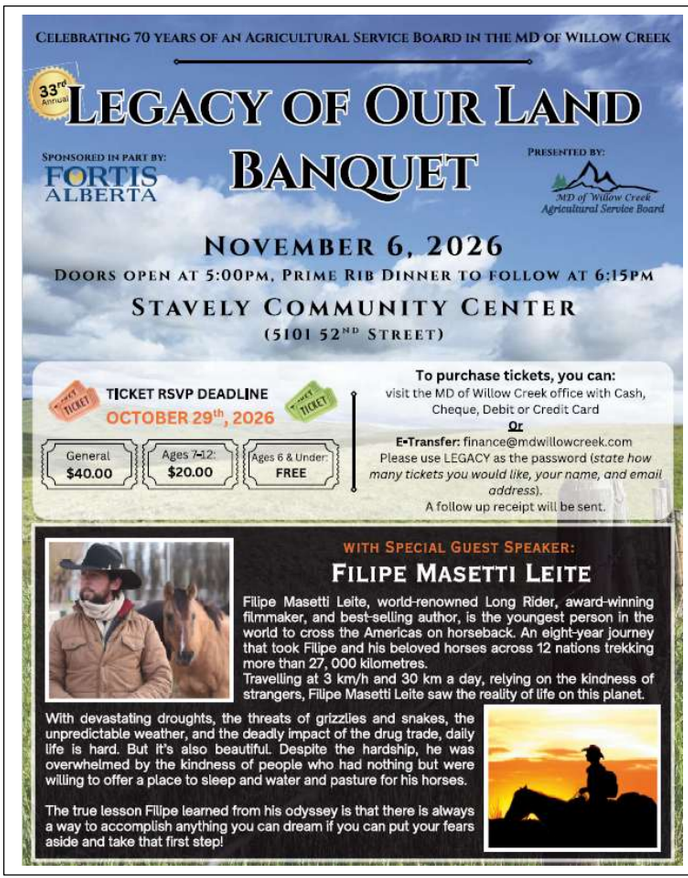
A friendly reminder that yearly membership is $25.00, due January 1st. Members must be 40 years of age or older to join. There are lots of activities and events happening throughout the year! Check the Stavely Newsletter and Calendar for a full list of upcoming events. Come out, get involved, and enjoy the community!

The Stavely Golden Age Centre members and Board of Directors were saddened to hear of the passing of Jeannette Yanosik in August. Jeannette was a valued member of our community, and she will be remembered fondly by those who knew her. We are grateful that three of our members were able to attend the service in Whitecourt to represent the Stavely Golden Age Centre and all of us who knew Jeannette. Our thoughts and condolences are with Jeannette's family and friends during this difficult time.

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.%20Wilford%20Application.pdf.** If you have any questions, please call Leanne Watson at 403-549-3757 or 403-549-3841.

Stavely Royal Purple Elks & Stavely Elks
Joint Supper Meeting
Tuesday, October 20th
Cocktails: 6:00 pm
Supper: 6:30 pm





OCTOBER 2026 Library News

CLOSED Monday October 12th for Thanksgiving Day

THE FRIENDS OF STAVELY LIBRARY SOCIETY

Friends Society Next regular meeting and AGM is scheduled for **Thursday, November 19th at 6:00 pm**. Everyone is 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 – next lecture is on Thursday, October 15th at 7:00 pm. The Stavely Public Library will be hosting Jacquie from Randle Handles Horticulture in the Library 7:00-8:30 pm. Tips on pruning fruit trees and suggestions for more to plant!! As well as any other tree or shrub questions you may have. Come join us for an evening with snacks provided and an attendance draw. Pre-registration would be appreciated by contacting **help@stavelylibrary.ca; or texting 403-682-8880,** but drop-in is welcome as well. There will be a cover charge of $10.00 for each participant for this presentation. If you are interested in gaining knowledge of plants, gardens and gardening, join us each month for a variety of presenters. Information will be posted on the Library Website @ **www.stavelylibrary.ca**; Stavely Municipal Library Facebook page, and Stavely Newsletter. All manner of gardeners are welcome – from pot to plot! No Library membership necessary! If there is a subject regarding gardening that you would be interested in learning about in one of our presentations, please email the Library. Suggestions are always welcome!

The last Lecture for 2026, in the Plot Thickens Garden Lecture Series, is scheduled for November 26th at 6:30pm in the Library. Once again, Stavely's own Leo Nugteren of Baron Design in Nanton will be demonstrating how to make your own Christmas décor. Mark your calendars for this fun event! More information to follow soon.

BOOK CLUB – Next meeting will be Thursday, October 1st in the Library at 7:00 pm. We will be discussing "The Hotel Nantucket" by Elin Hilderbrand; "The Wedding People" by Alison Espach and "The Glass Hotel" by Emily St. John Mandel. October *Selections* will be "*Mythic Reads for Dark Nights"* which will be handed out that evening. They include:

- The Mysterious Bakery on Rue de Paris by Evie Woods - 2025
- First Frost by Sarah Addison Allen – 2014
- The Book of Magic by Alice Hoffman - 2021

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!

Scholastic Book Fair – is back again this fall! The Stavely Municipal Library/Stavely School will be hosting the Book Fair open to the public starting Monday, November 30th to Thursday, December 3rd – 10:00 am to 6:00 pm, with the last day to purchase on Monday, December 7th, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. All purchases go toward our Book Fair dollars to support our cause to put more books on the shelf for our school and community. With Christmas around the corner, give the gift of reading!

FEATURED BOOKS OF THE MONTH

- The Someday Garden by Ashley Poston
- The Forgotten Midwife by Laua Anthony
- Conspiracy by Colleen Coble
- The Story Keeper by Kelly Rimmer
- Into the Fading Twilight by Catherine Cowles
- Falling Into You by Jill Shalvis
- The Secrets We Hide by Karin Slaughter
- The Secret Society Librarians by Kate Thompson
- I See You've Called in Dead by John Kennedy
- Deceptions by Jeffery Deaver
- Lost in the Summer of 69 by Eliza Knight
- God's Country by William Kent Krueger
- The Truth About Ruby Cooper by Liz Nugent
- The Rainy Day Bookshop by Raeanne Thayne
- The Witches of Cambridge by Alice Hoffman
- The Pirate Queen by Ariel Lawhon
- Scent of Hope by Susan May Warren
- Missed Connections by Aimie K. Runyan
- An Infinite Sove Story by Chanel Cleeton
- The Shadow Friends by Tess Gerritsen
- Not a Word by Linwood Barclay
- Fury in Death by J.D. Robb
- The Missing Pages by Alyson Richman
- Beneath the Orange Blossom by Emma Cowell
- When the Silence Breaks by Elizabeth Goddard
- The Castle in the Glen by Rhys Bowen
- Paper Ghosts by Sarah Addison Allen

FEATURED DVD MOVIES

- The Sheep Detectives
- Marshalls: Season One
- Minions & Monsters
- Landman: Season Two

COMING SOON

- Spider-Man: Brand New Day
- Moana 2026
- Toy Story 5
- Paw Patrol: The Dino Movie
- Practical Magic 2

Ian Night
Ranching – The Beginnings of Alberta
Stavely Museum
October 21st
7:00-9:00 pm
Ages 18+
Snacks Provided



Museum Society of Stavely & District
Annual General Meeting
October 27, 2026
7:00 pm

We are always looking for new volunteers. Especially those who like to tinker with old machinery.

Annual Community Chest Meeting
Wednesday, October 28, 2026
7:00 pm
Small Community Hall
Everyone Welcome!

Golf News

Thank you to everyone who supported and made our tournaments successful this year.

Golf Club Meeting – Thursday, October 22, 2026 @ 7:00 pm

Saddle Mountain TIRE

❤️ Our Love Local for October is Saddle Mountain Tire! ❤️

Saddle Mountain Tire is your local tire and automotive service shop, proudly serving Passenger, Light Truck, Commercial, and Farm vehicles. They offer tire sales and repairs, rotations, oil changes, routine maintenance, and safety inspections.

Their knowledgeable team is committed to quality products, expert service, and personalized recommendations to help keep your vehicle safe and road-ready.

🚙 Get ready for winter! Give Saddle Mountain Tire a call to book your winter tire changeover.

Stop by ATB and check out their display. Enter our draw for a chance to win a free winter tire changeover valued at $150! Simply enter your name for your chance to win

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