



June  
2025

# The Alliance Update

ISSUE #30

## What's happening near you

**July 1:** Alliance Canada Day Celebration

**June 14-15:** 52nd Annual Killam Indoor Rodeo 4929 50 St, Killam, AB T0B 2L0, Canada

**June 21:** 40th Anniversary of the Alliance Museum - Tailgate Party

**July 18-19-20:** Hardisty Rodeo

**Friday, July 18:** Pancake Breakfast 7am, Street Fair & Car Show 10am, Slack 5pm, Chariots & Chucks 7pm, Wheelbarrow Races 9pm, Outdoor Dance 9pm

**Saturday, JULY 19:** Parade 10:30am, Rodeo 1pm, Chariots & Chucks 5pm, Outdoor Dance 11 pm

**Sunday, July 20,** Rodeo 1pm, Chariots & Chucks 5pm, Combine Crunch 7pm

**August 19:** Movie in the Park, hosted by the Village of Alliance at the Multiplex. Featured movie is MOANA 2! BBQ and children activities starts at 5:30pm

**July 19:** A prairie Town Train Excursion, Forestburg, to Heisler (Lunch), to Rosalind, return to Forestburg

**August 23:** Gathering of the Clans Highland Festival. A fun filled day of highland festivities such as piping, drumming, highland dancing, food, music, artisan vendors, and more. Come for the fun stay for the Dance! At the Sedgewick Rec. Center



## PAINT YOUR CHAIR PROJECT!

Imagine having beautifully painted chairs on Main Street for the July 1st Parade.

To help the Paint Your Chair Project, we are looking for chairs, paint, brushes, fabrics and Volunteers to repair chairs if needed. Paint and store a few chairs until we reveal them on Canada day.



For additional details or to get involved, please contact Odette text 587-991-7461 or email [AtelierOdette@proton.me](mailto:AtelierOdette@proton.me).

# CANADA DAY



TUESDAY JULY 1ST 2025

**Pancake Breakfast - 8:30am to 10:00am**

*At the Community Hall*

**Parade - 11:00am Start**

## AT THE MULTIPLEX

**Scottish Club Pipe Band**

**Ball Games**

**Bouncy Houses**

**Classic Bingo**

**Music Bingo**

**Kids Games & Scavenger Hunt** *(pre-teen/teens)*

**Face Painting**

**Gymkhana**

**Beer Gardens**

**Food Trucks**

**Museum Social with Hot Dogs and Soda Floats**

**Sand Pit**

**Mini Golf**

**Ice Cream truck**

**Quilt Exhibit**

**Live Entertainment**

## Businesses will be open!

## July 1st Quilt exhibit

Join Odette in the first Alliance Quilt Exhibition!

She is currently looking for volunteers to help with this exciting addition to our July 1st celebrations.

A community quilt is also in the works! Would you like to help? Odette is looking for people to make series of lap quilts representing Alliance the old, and the new.

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## That's not all!!

On July 1st there will also be some live entertainment at the Multiplex entrance on Odette's property.

If you would like to perform let her know.

From 1pm to 5pm

Music, poem reading,... We encourage Canadian material

**Next Council Meeting:  
June 19 2025 at 4:00pm**

**Newsletter Deadline  
June 24th**

Items can be emailed to [cao@villageofalliance.ca](mailto:cao@villageofalliance.ca)  
Or Put in door slot at office.  
\*Please note any submissions after the deadline date will no longer be accepted\*

**VILLAGE OF ALLIANCE  
BYLAW #2024-06  
MUNICIPAL BOULEVARD  
BYLAW**

## Section 2. General Maintenance

2.1 A person shall maintain any boulevard or back alley adjacent to the property the owner occupies by:

**i. Keeping any grass on the boulevard cut to a length of no more than 10 centimeters;**

**ii. Preventing weeds or other vegetation from growing uncontrolled;**

## Section 5. Violations and

**Penalties:** Any person who commits a breach of any of the provisions of this Bylaw shall be liable to a penalty of one hundred (\$100) for a first offence and two hundred (\$200) for subsequent offences within a period of one (1) year.



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		<div> <div> <b><u>Syl's Info Column - June 2025</u></b>  Alliance and Area Senior Information  Senior Drop in Coffee Group: Open to those 55 years of age and older.  Membership is \$20 a year.  <b>Gatherings are on Tuesdays &amp; Thursdays 1-4pm</b> </div> <div> For more information or sign ups call:  Chairperson, Donna Chalifoux: 780-385-1236  Secretary/Treasurer, Dale Lambden: 780-781-0053  Communications, Phyllis Lambden: 780-281-0851  <b>SENIORS FIRST</b>  Donna Coombs: Senior programs and information 780-679-4191  seniorsfirst@outlook.com </div> </div>	
		<div> <div> <b><u>THANK YOUS</u></b>    <b>The Alliance Museum Board</b>  A special thank you to Dodd, Gary, Blake and Adrian for the removal of the spruce tree at the Museum    <b>The Alliance Community Garden</b>  We would like to thank everyone for their help and donations! Since the beginning of this gardening season, we have doubled in size and we still have room for a few more members. </div> </div>	
		<div> <div> <b>Movie in the Park</b>    On August 18, Alliance will host its first Movie in the Park and we are seeking prizes for the games before the movie screening.    If you would like to become a sponsor for this event, please bring item of all shape and sizes to the Village Office.    Ideally, the prizes should be kid friendly and small enough to fit in a Solo cup. However, if necessary, we can provide a written description of the prize on a piece of paper.    We are also looking for volunteers to cook hot-dogs.    We need about 6 people from 4:30pm to 8pm.    If you are interested in helping let us know at the Village Office. 780-879-3911 or cao@villageofalliance.ca </div> </div>	
<div> <div> <b>Alliance Directory</b>  <b>Village of Alliance Office: (780) 879-3911</b>  Open on Tuesdays, Wednesdays &amp; Thursdays - 9am to 3pm  www.villageofalliance.ca or follow us on Facebook    <b>SENIOR'S FIRST</b> Donna Coombs: Seniors Programs Information &amp; Help 780-679-4191    <b>FOOT CARE BY ANDREA GRIEBEL:</b> Call or Email for appointment Licensed Practical Nurse: (403) 916-4299 or footcarebyandrea@gmail.com    <b>FFCS/FIRST:</b> (leave a message if no answer they will always return your call) Handivan/Care-A-Van for out-of-town medical appointments - 780-385-3976    <b>FOOD BANK</b> in Killam/serving everyone in Flagstaff (Tuesdays &amp; Thursdays) 780-385-0810    <b>SENIOR DROP IN COFFEE GROUP:</b> For more information and sign ups call: Donna Chalifoux (780) 385-1236, Dale Lambden (780) 781-0053 or Phyllis Lambden (780) 281-0851    <b>ALLIANCE UNITED CHURCH:</b> Services every Sunday at 10:00am Sunday school provided during the service - For more info call Beth Davidson: 780-879-2173 You can also find us on Facebook "Alliance United Church"    <b>THE ALLIANCE LIBRARY:</b> Open on Tuesday 12pm-6pm &amp; Thursdays 10am-4pm - 780-879-3733 - www.alliance.prl.ab.ca    <b>ALLIANCE MUSEUM:</b> Open Wednesday and Saturday 1:00pm to 4:00pm. Museum contacts are: Steve (780) 906-6581 or Mary (403) 575-5562    <b>FORESTBURG MEDICAL CLINIC:</b> Phone 780-582-5185 Open Tuesdays and Thursday: 8am to 12pm - 1pm to 4:30pm    <b>CASTOR MEDICAL CLINIC :</b> (403) 882-2665    <b>KILLAM MEDICAL CENTER:</b> (780) 385-7890 Mon, Wed &amp; Thurs / 8:30-4:00    <b>BOTTLE DEPOT:</b> Open Wed, Thurs &amp; Sat 10-5 - 780-385-4413    <b>LANDFILL HOURS: OPEN</b> Wednesday and Saturday 1:00pm TO 4:30pm    <b>ALLIANCE CEMETERY:</b> Village Office (780) 879-3911, Bob Rombough (780) 879-3632/(780) 717-1480, Dale Lambden (780) 781-0053 </div> </div>		<div> <div> <b><u>Alliance United Church</u></b>    <i>“We delight in the beauty of the butterfly, but rarely admit the changes it has gone through to achieve that beauty.” ~Author Unknown</i>    June 1 – Dale Jones &amp; Dell Wickstrom  <i>June 8 – 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at Knox United in Castor @ <b>10:30</b></i>  <i>*There will be a place for history: photos and stories</i>  <i>*Pot luck lunch is finger food – sandwiches &amp; squares</i>  June 15 – Roger Spady  June 22 – Steve Penner  June 29 – Outdoor Service  <b><u>NO SERVICES in JULY or AUGUST</u></b>  September 7 – Dell Wickstrom and Dale Jones    <b>A Note from Rev. Barbara Zimmerman</b>    <b>Dear Alliance Congregation,</b>  On June the 8<sup>th</sup>, I invite you to attend the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary service at Knox United in Castor. (Although, if you absolutely cannot make it over there, it will be live streamed on <a href="http://deogloria.ca/united">deogloria.ca/united</a>) It begins at <b>10:30</b>, and I think it will be very exciting to be together, as we not only celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the inauguration of the United Church of Canada, but also Pentecost; and we will celebrate the sacraments of Baptism and Communion, and 3 Confirmations! And then we will wrap it all up with a time of fellowship and sandwiches and sweets.    Don't worry, I promise to have you home in time for supper. (just joking – it shouldn't take much more than an hour...) Write to us: <a href="mailto:allianceunitedchurch@gmail.com">allianceunitedchurch@gmail.com</a> / 780-879-2173 / 780-390-0266  FB/Messenger - “Alliance United Church” </div> </div>	
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