

All programs are
FREE!

Boundary Community Literacy Calendar Fall 2016



	Boundary StrongStart Centres	Boundary Family Centres	Boundary Childcare Resource & Referral (BCCRR)	Grand Forks & District Public Library
Monday	StrongStart Hutton: 8:30 – 11:30 am Christina.Lake: 8:30 – 11:30 am Midway: 9 am – 12 noon Perley: 12:30 – 3:30 pm Greenwood: 1- 4 pm	Together to Learn* Glanville Family Centre 12:30 - 3 pm	Come and Play 10 am – 4 pm	Closed
Tuesday	StrongStart Perley: 8:30 – 11:30 am Beaverdell: 9 – 11:30 am Rock Creek: 1 – 4 pm Hutton: 12:30 noon – 3:30 pm	Breastfeeding Café Glanville Family Centre 10 – 11:30 am	Come and Play 10 am – 4 pm	Community Learning Place* 1 - 3 pm Chess Club 4 – 7 pm
Wednesday	StrongStart Perley: 12:30 – 3:30 pm Hutton: 5 – 8 pm Christina Lake: 12:30 – 3:30 pm	Mother Matter Group Rock Creek StrongStart 10:00 - 11:30 am Alphabet Soup* Hutton StrongStart 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm (Oct. 5 - Nov. 23)	Rhyme and Shine 10:30 - 11:30 am	Geneology Club 10 am – 12 noon (1 st Wednesday of the month)
Thursday	StrongStart Hutton: 8:30 – 11:30 am Perley: 12:30 – 3:30 pm Midway: 1 – 4 pm Rock Creek: 9 am – 12 noon	CAPC Parent Education Granville Centre 1 – 3 pm Baby's Best Chance Glanville Centre 10:30 am – 1 pm	Come and Play 10 am – 4 pm	Writers Guild 6 pm (3 rd Thursday of the month) Kids Knit 3:30 - 5 pm (Grades 4 and up)
Friday	StrongStart Hutton: 8:30 – 11:30 am Greenwood: 9 am – 12 pm Christina.Lake: 8:30 – 11:30 am	Aboriginal Weekly Gathering Glanville Centre 12 – 3 pm	Come and Play 10 am – 2 pm (Oct. 14, Nov. 18 and Dec. 9)	Movie Club and Lego Land 2 – 3:30 pm Preschool Storytime 10:30 – 11 am
Saturday		*programs offered by or in partnership with CBAL		Seniors' Computer Class 2 – 3:30 pm (until Oct. 22, must pre-register) Chess Club 3:00 – 4:30 pm

On-going Opportunities

Settlement Services

Newcomers to Canada can get help with English language training, accessing local services, finding work, preparing for citizenship and more.

Contact Shayna Jepsen:
boundarysettlement@cbal.org

One to One Adult Tutoring

Adults can improve basic reading, writing, math, computer, and job skills with a trained tutor. They can also get help with forms and tests.

Contact Erin Perkins:
boundarycoordinator@cbal.org

Watch for these events!

Author Reading with Leslie Davidson

Grand Forks Library
Oct. 13, 6:30 pm

Story Time with Leslie Davidson

Grand Forks Library
Oct. 14, 10:30 – 11:00 am

Hold on to Your Kids Workshop

BCCRR
Oct. 4, 6:30 pm

Story Stones

BCCRR
Oct. 18, 6:30 – 8:30 pm (Pre-register)

Halloween Howl

Perley School Gym
Oct. 27, 9:30 – 11:30 am
(for preschooler and parent or caregiver)

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Boundary Public Libraries

Grand Forks & District Public Library: 250-442-3944
Greenwood Public Library: 250-445-6111
Midway Public Library: 250-449-2620
Christina Lake Living Arts Centre Library: Wednesdays, 10 am – 3 pm

Grand Forks and District Public Library (7342 5th St.)

Community Learning Place*

- Offers adults help with basic computer skills, reading, writing, math, test preparation and skills upgrading.

Chess Club

- Games and instruction for all levels of players.

Genealogy Club

- Research your family roots and learn techniques from others.

Kids Knit

- Free drop-in program for kids 9 years and up.

Story Time

- An interactive half hour of stories for preschool children.

Movie Club and Lego Land

- Offers free children's movies and having fun with Lego.

Seniors' Computer Classes

- A seven-week program. Pre-registration required.

Writers' Guild

- Join local writers to discuss techniques and share your work.

To learn more about Boundary literacy programs contact Erin Perkins, Community Literacy Coordinator:
250-442-2704 ext. 229
boundarycoordinator@cbal.org

Boundary Childcare Resources and Referrals (162 72nd Avenue Grand Forks)

Open Monday - Thursday, 10 am – 4 pm
For information contact Louise or Ginette: 250-442-5152

Come and Play

- A free drop-in space for children and their parents/caregivers.

Rhyme and Shine

- Songs, rhymes and loads of fun for infants to preschoolers.

Toy Lending Library

- A great selection of toys and games to borrow.

Monthly Workshops

- Offers workshops for parents and childcare providers.

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Ministry of Jobs, Tourism and Skills training
Raise a Reader
Regional District of Kootenay Boundary
School District #51
Selkirk College

Glanville Family Centre (Beside Perley School)

For information contact: 250-442-2267 or 1-800-442-5355

Aboriginal Weekly Gathering

- Open to all aboriginal and non-aboriginal people interested in learning more about the culture and traditions of aboriginal people.

Alphabet Soup

- Offers families a food based health literacy program that includes stories, reading and numeracy.

Breastfeeding Café

- A supportive environment for moms and babies.

CAPC and Parent Education

- Offers programs for parents each week with a lunch included.

Mother Matter Group

- A place for women to discuss pregnancy and parenting.

Pregnancy Outreach and Babies Best Chance


- Offers a nutritional lunch, workshops, guest speakers, free prenatal vitamins and weekly \$10 food voucher.

Together to Learn*

- Offers parents the opportunity to work on upgrading English, math and study skills with a Selkirk College instructor. Childcare is provided. Call 250-442-2704.

Columbia Basin Alliance for Literacy – Boundary

For program descriptions go to cbal.org/boundary. For tips, ideas and the latest information on literacy events

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