



**Families First Society**  
FORT SASKATCHEWAN

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## November 2018 Newsletter

### Santa's Workshop

Bring your little ones to the Santa's workshop and let our elves help them pick out gifts for the special people on their lists.

**Saturday, November 24, 2018**

**12:00 to 7:00 pm**

**Fort Saskatchewan Alliance Church**

9935 - 93 Avenue

- For **Kids ONLY!** (2 to 12 years old)
- Children shop with the help of an elf
- No parents/caregivers allowed downstairs (shopping area)
- All gifts are \$5.00 or less (Max. 5 gifts per child)
- All gifts are wrapped by volunteers



**NEW!**

**REGISTRATION starts November 1st at 8:30 am.**

To better honour our families and shorten wait times, please register online for a shopping time.

*All gifts are not put out at the beginning of the workshop.*

*A new selection of gifts will be added throughout the day.*

**REGISTER ONLINE at [familiesfirstsociety.ca/whats-happening](http://familiesfirstsociety.ca/whats-happening)**  
or for more information please call **780-998-5595 ext. 224.**

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**SANTA'S WORKSHOP 2018**

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 24**

We need volunteers for:

- Elves (youth preferred; minimum age 11+)
- Gift Wrappers
- Tear down

\*Shifts available from  
11:30 am to 7:30 pm

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[familiesfirstsociety.ca/whats-happening](http://familiesfirstsociety.ca/whats-happening)  
or call **780-998-5595 ext. 230**



While you wait to shop, enjoy the **Christmas Carnival!**

Brought to you by Fort Alliance Church.  
Food • Face Painting • Holiday Games



### How can I help or donate to Santa's Workshop?

We are now accepting donations of new or gently used items for Santa's Workshop. Please bring your items to Families First Society.

**Monday to Friday, 8:30 am to 4:00 pm.**

Cash donations will also be gratefully accepted.

Every item donated goes a long way. No contribution is too small.

**Thank you in advance for your contribution!**

- Candles
- Ornaments
- Pictures
- Toys
- Sporting goods
- Tools
- Toiletries such as bath salts, deodorant, etc.
- Gifts for men
- Gifts for teens
- Gift certificates
- Gift boxes and bags
- Large gift bags
- Tissue paper



**#GoPurpleAB** in November for Family Violence Prevention Month

Family Violence Info Line: 310-1818  
[alberta.ca/EndFamilyViolence](http://alberta.ca/EndFamilyViolence)





## Last day of Fall Programs in Sturgeon County!

- November 21 - Let's Play (Morinville)
- November 22 - Let's Play (Redwater)
- November 26 - Let's Play (Bon Accord)
- November 27 - Let's Play (Gibbons)
- November 29 - Coffee Talk (Legal)
- December 12 - Dadventures (Bon Accord)



**Mark Your Calendars!** For program details please go to our website.

October 29	EPIC
October 29	Newbee Parents
October 31	Happy Halloween! CHIPS Party. Scholastic orders due
<b>October 31</b>	<b>No Dadventures (Bon Accord)</b>
November 1	Speech Language Pathologist
November 1	Dadventures (Fort Sask)
November 3	TWEET
November 5	Newbee Parents
November 5	EPIC
November 7	Kids Can Cook
November 7	Dadventures (Bon Accord)
November 8	Dadventures (Fort Sask)
November 9	WECAN Order Due
<b>November 12</b>	<b>Office closed / no programs - Remembrance Day</b>
<b>November 12 to 16</b>	<b>No CHIPS (fall break)</b>
November 14	Dadventures (Bon Accord)
November 15	Dadventures (Fort Sask)
<b>November 16</b>	<b>Office Closed for Staff Professional Development Day</b>
November 17	TWEET and Dry Kitchen
November 19	EPIC
November 19	Newbee Parents
November 21	Let's Play (Morinville) - Last day before break
November 21	Kids Can Cook
November 21	Dadventures (Bon Accord)
November 22	WECAN Order Pickup – 10:00 am to 4:00 pm
November 22	Let's Play (Redwater) - Last day before break
November 22	Dadventures (Fort Sask)
November 22/23	Community Kitchens
November 24	Santa's workshop

## WINTER REGISTRATION

**Books, Sing & Sign  
and Parent-Child Mother Goose  
Registration**

**November 29 at 8:30 am  
To REGISTER call  
780-998-5595 ext. 226.**

Please leave a message with your name, your child's name, age, and phone number.  
We will return your call within a week.



**CHIPS will not be running  
from November 12 to 16  
for Fall Break!**

## Come visit us at:

9901 - 90 Street  
Fort Saskatchewan, AB

**780-998-5595 ext. 221**  
(Toll free 587-487-6176)  
Fax: 780-998-5503  
[www.familiesfirstsociety.ca](http://www.familiesfirstsociety.ca)  
[info@familiesfirstsociety.ca](mailto:info@familiesfirstsociety.ca)

## Hours:

Monday to Friday  
8:30 am to 4:00 pm



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