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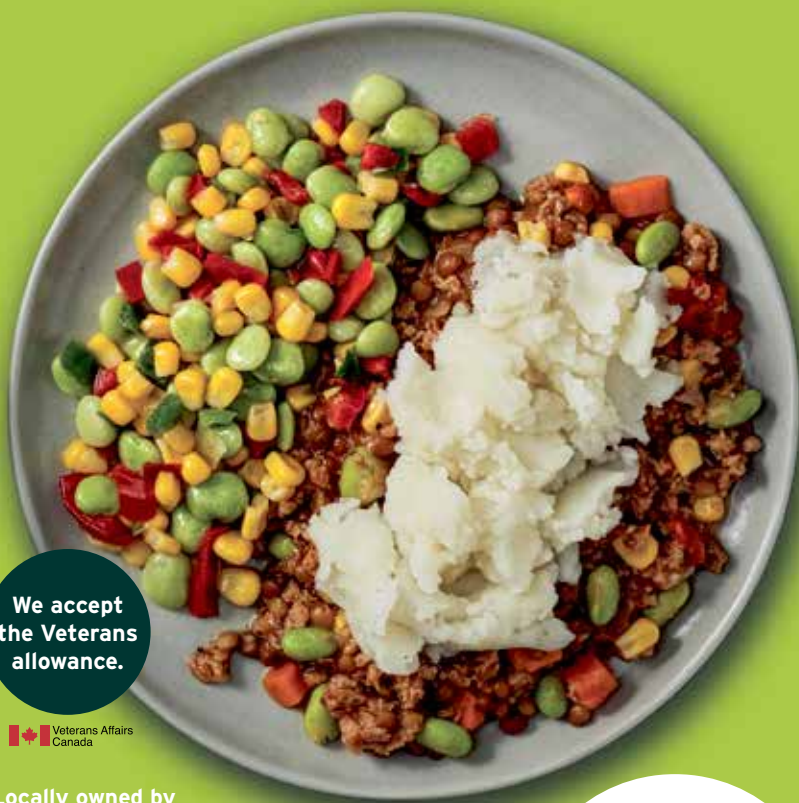
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A great ending to the regular season, with the post-season coming up next



The regular season of the AJHL has now wrapped. The Whitecourt Wolverines are in a great spot heading into the postseason. Pictured is McPherson between two Kodiaks.

By Serena Lapointe

That's a wrap, folks! The regular season has closed after two big games for the Whitecourt Wolverines at JDA Place. Over 600 fans attended the game on Friday night against Drayton Valley. The Thunder will not be in the playoffs this year, as only the top four from each division make it.

With a tie in the works between the Wolverines in the north and the Calgary Canucks in the south, Drayton was in a spoiler role with the chance to foil the Wolverines' plan to get to first over-



A happy fan after answering a question and scoring a gift card.



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Whitecourt shines for grants, contracts and sponsorship successes in 2024



Last year, the Allan and Jean Millar Centre was busy with birthday parties, holding a whopping 250 celebrations. During a recent Woodlands County Council meeting, council members heard from the Community Services arm of the Town of Whitecourt how grant dollars and sponsorships are a significant part of its functions. Food is largely made possible thanks to donations and grants.

By Serena Lapointe

Snagging grants is something the Town of Whitecourt has mastered. The Community Services Department, headed by Director Chelsea Grande, applies for many grant opportunities every year and is often successful for the betterment of the community. On March 12, her team, including Angela Mitchell, Manager of Family Community Support Services (FCSS) and Kelly Sadoway, Manager of Recreation, provided Woodlands County Council with a yearly report of the goings on in the department in 2024. Randy Feist, Manager of Facilities, was unable to attend the presentation.

A new part of the report, added this year, highlighted the grants, sponsorships and con-

tracts obtained by the department. Grande explained that those dollars make Whitecourt unique, as the municipality goes after a lot of outside dollars, and the amount received in 2024 was not small by any means.

Under Family Community Support Services alone, there were over one million in grants and contracts in 2024, with roughly \$1,050,000 supporting various programs. "There's about a million dollars of services that residents have access to that are fully funded from sources other than the municipality. These have allowed us to do quite a bit. Our residents (can) access a million dollars in extra services that aren't from municipal funding, and that's just from having contracts,

grants and donations," explained Grande.

The Family Support Program, through the Children and Family Services (Family Resource Network), received nearly half a million dollars. The annual grant for Children & Family Services for the Family Violence Initiative received just over \$130,000. Other funding boosts included \$276,683 from the Minister of Seniors, Community and Social Services and \$76,067 from the United Way through Alberta Healthy Aging for a newly started Social Prescribing program.

A service under the Family Community Support Services umbrella, the Whitecourt Food Bank, does what it does thanks to the generous donations received from the com-

munity, which in 2024 totalled over \$120,000. Last year, \$80,000 of grant funding was successfully attained to help fund food bank operations. The community's support and grants are integral as the food bank saw a 27 percent increase in clientele last year compared to 2023.

Under facility management, grants played a significant role in helping replace two aging pieces: the McLeod roof and the boiler at the Allan & Jean Millar Centre. "The replacement of the McLeod roof was a highlight in 2024. We were able to secure an energy grant through MCCAC to do that. It was in the life cycle plan to be replaced but the costs came in higher. We were able to do two things with (the grant): replace (the roof) but also make it more energy efficient," explained Grande.

She said users have since commented that it's warmer in the McLeod rink, making for a more enjoyable experience while using the facility. "So, not only were we able to get something done that needed to be done, but it's also helping with operations because we will be reducing our costs with utilities, and the users are finding it much more enjoyable there."

The grant also enabled a REALice System, which allows staff to use cold water to flood the rinks, reducing the energy needed. "Users have indicated that the ice quality is better with that," added Grande. The grant for the roof replacement and REALice system was \$177,583. As for the boiler replacement, Grande explained that they applied for the same energy grant through MCCAC to get dollars to replace the boiler at the AJMC to the tune of \$167,631.

Under recreation,

sponsorship was a big theme. Last year, nearly \$55,000 in monetary sponsorship was raised towards the community's Party in the Park Festival, with even more in-kind donations. The event also received a grant worth \$22,800 through the Federal Government's Building Communities through Arts and Heritage Program.

Sponsorship continues to support the community when it comes to facilities, including areas throughout the Allan & Jean Millar Centre that local companies have put their names on, including the running

track (Rotary), hot tub (GFI Solutions), field-house (Complete Projects), meeting room (Crown and Anchor Pub), waterslide (Fast Mechanical), free Wi-Fi (Whitecourt Communications), court and FITstudio (Alberta Newsprint Company), aquatic centre (Pembina Gas Infrastructure) and the Go Active Zone (McDonalds Whitecourt). Dollars attained through non-municipal streams, meaning not through municipal taxes, past or present, means rising costs can either be absorbed without increasing fees

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The Community Services guests (left) and Councillor Burrows who called in.



Director Grande (left), Manager Mitchell and Manager Sadoway.



Councillor Kuelken spoke very highly of the Community Services group.

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to residents or programs and services can be expanded, offering more opportunities to the area. Grande reiterated that utilizing grant dollars, as Whitecourt does, is unique.

Following their presentation at the Wood-

lands County meeting, Councillor Peter Kuelken provided kudos to the group. "Thank you for the work you guys do. This is probably the most valuable work that municipalities can get involved in, and part of that is the reason why I believe in social and economic develop-

ment," he began.

He said the data within the report was interesting. "The beauty of this is that because you do what you do in your communities, and we do what we do in our communities, we are seeing the value of what human connec-

tion (and) the empathy that has to go with the development of these programs. What I liked about it is that it shows us the negative side, that the food bank is being used more. But it also shows us the positive side of what you're doing, which is engaging our youth

at social events so that they actually become grounded here," commented Kuelken.

"This is part of what we really need to start to do as municipal governments, start working together on not just these things but our whole regional ideals. What is it that we want

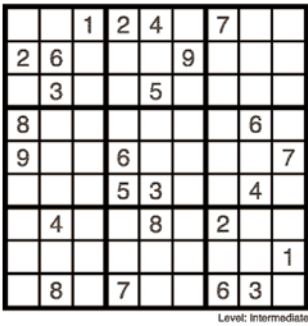
it to look like? And you guys are starting to provide the groundwork for that, and I really, truly appreciate it."

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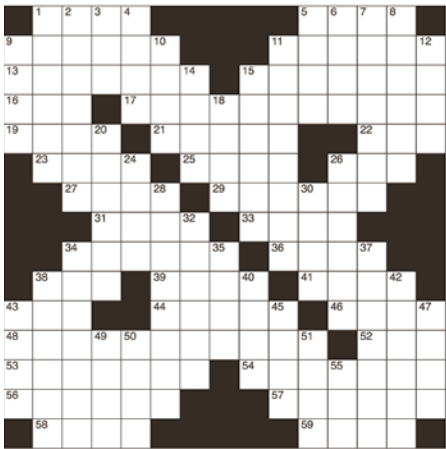
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Crossword Clues

CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Take heed
- 5. One's superior
- 9. Prepped meat
- 11. Tighten anew
- 13. Type of textile fiber
- 15. Animalistic
- 16. When you hope to get somewhere
- 17. Offender
- 19. Former NYC mayor Ed
- 21. Type of cryptocurrency
- 22. Mauna __, Hawaiian volcano
- 23. Herring-like fish
- 25. Popular PBS program
- 26. Congressman (abbr.)
- 27. Flightless Australian birds
- 29. Defrosted
- 31. Prior Yankee sensation Kevin
- 33. Nasal mucus
- 34. Some are southern
- 36. A place to construct
- 38. Popular beer brand
- 39. Shouts of farewell
- 41. Network of nerves

- 43. Make a mistake
 - 44. Showed old movie
 - 46. Body parts
 - 48. A divisor
 - 52. Congressional investigatory body
 - 53. Papers
 - 54. Most unnatural
 - 56. Judge the worth of something
 - 57. Makes sounds while sleeping
 - 58. Which
 - 59. Hungarian Violinist
- CLUES DOWN

- 1. Pages
- 2. Head pain
- 3. A loud utterance
- 4. Large brown seaweed
- 5. Hulu's chef Carmine
- 6. Greek mountain
- 7. Made final
- 8. Bar
- 9. Tai subgroup
- 10. What you eat
- 11. Teaches again
- 12. Small constellation
- 14. Type of berry
- 15. Cows fattened for meat

- 18. A way to hoof it
- 20. Exaggerated a role
- 24. About two
- 26. Long upholstered seat
- 28. What employees earn
- 30. Fiber from a coconut husk
- 32. Digits
- 34. Polish by rubbing
- 35. Liquid body substances
- 37. Furniture with open shelves
- 38. Edible part of a chicken
- 40. Satisfy
- 42. Tool used to remove
- 43. Icelandic poems
- 45. Swiss village
- 47. Drunks
- 49. Evergreen plant genus
- 50. Light precipitation
- 51. Ribosomal ribonucleic acid
- 55. An informal debt instrument

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A tandem jump.

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all in the league.

In the first, the two teams traded goals. Wolverine Travis Verbeek struck first, scoring his thirteenth of the season, assisted by Spencer Claerhout and Marcello Giorgi. Less than a minute later, Drayton tied it off the stick of Caedem Emmet. In the second, neither team could get on the scoreboard, aside from each serving one penalty. The game remained tied, 1-1.

In the final period, the Wolverines came out roaring. Jack Pollock started the push, scoring his second goal, assisted by Marcello Giorgi and Travis Verbeek. Five minutes later, Dylan Ruptash scored his twenty-fourth goal, the second-highest goal scorer for the team in the regular season.

With less than a min-

ute left, the Thunder pulled their goalie, hoping to get back into the game. Braden Keeble put a quash on that almost immediately, scoring his eighteenth, assisted by Jalen Bianchet (his thirtieth) and Travis Verbeek (his twenty-third). The Wolverines took the win 4-1.

Less than twenty-four hours later, the Wolverines were back on the ice for their final game of the 2024/2025 regular season with over 600 fans inside JDA Place. Unlike the Drayton Valley Thunder, who are not in the postseason, the Camrose Kodiaks are in the playoffs, coming in fourth in the southern division.

At the first drop of the puck, the game was playoff-like, with both teams pushing hard. Just like the game the night before, the Wolverines scored first,



Russell and Kim heading in to score.

with Mason Russell snagging his fifth, assisted by Tim Kim. Twenty-one seconds later, the Kodiaks tied it up, ending the period 1-1.

In the second period, the Camrose Kodiaks gave the Wolverines three chances on the man advantage, with three penalties, one for high sticking and two for tripping, but the home team couldn't find the back of the net. Towards the end of the period, the Kodiaks squeezed one past Wolverine goalie Elliott Pratt, taking the lead 2-1.

In the final frame of the game, the Wolverines snapped back into action, unleashing three unanswered goals against the Kodiaks. Ty Rayan was first assisted by Mason

Russell and Tim Kim. The second goal was an especially exciting one. Jalen Bianchet ended up with a penalty shot, with the chance to give his team back the lead. He did not miss. The crowd was energized and cheering loudly, following his beauty of a goal. In the final seconds, with nothing in his way, Travis Verbeek rocketed the puck into the Kodiak's net for an empty net goal. The Wolverines won 4-2.

The top goal-getter of the regular season is Jalen Bianchet, with twenty-five goals, eleven more than he got last season. For assists, Wolverine Joey Vetrano takes the cake, with 34 assists in his first AJHL season. The top five players for points are Jalen Bianchet (55), Braden Keeble (47),



Battling for the puck.

Dylan Ruptash (45), Joey Vetrano (45) and Travis Verbeek (37). The top four rookies this season were Kyle Tucker, Tyler Rowland, Ty Rayan and Mason Russell. Tucker led rookies with points (23), and Rowland led with assists (17).

For the team, the Wolverines tied the Lloydminster Bobcats league-wide for having the longest winning streak of the season, with nine games between October 9 and November 5. On the flip side, the Wolverines are also tied, league-wide, with the Calgary Canucks for having the shortest losing streak, with three games between January 3 and January 8.

The Whitecourt Wolverines ended the 2024/2025 regular

season in first place in the AJHL North Division with 78 points, eleven points over the second-place team, the Grande Prairie Storm. The Wolverines finished tied for points with the southern champ, the Calgary Canucks, who also landed at 78. The Devon Xtreme finished the season in last place in the league with 26 points.

The Wolverines take on the fourth-place team in the north, the Fort McMurray Oil Barons, to kickstart the playoffs at home on Friday, March 21 and Saturday, March 22. If more games are needed following the first four, game five will be at home on Friday, March 28, and game seven will be at home on Tuesday, April 1.



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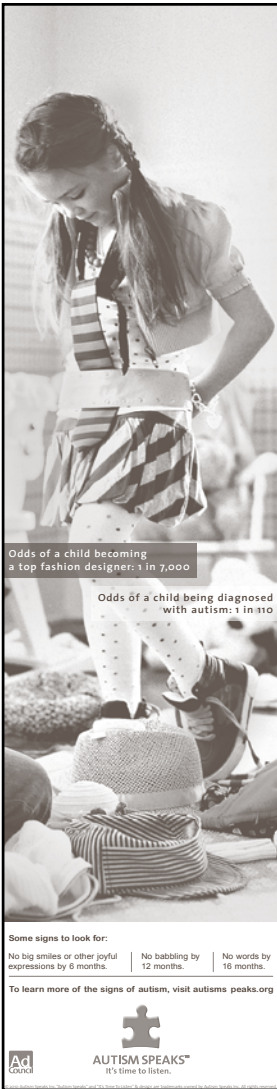
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		Mix of sun and clouds	Mix of sun and clouds	Mix of sun and clouds	Mainly sunny	Cloudy
P.O.P.		20%	30%	30%	20%	30%
High		5°C	8°C	8°C	6°C	7°C
Low		-7°C	-8°C	-4°C	-5°C	-1°C
Wind		W 7 km/h	W 7 km/h	W 10 km/h	NE 7 km/h	NW 18 km/h
24-Hr Rain / Snow		-	-	-	-	-

If your life is in danger
or you know someone's life is in danger
DIAL EMERGENCY NOW 911!

If you are experiencing suicidal thoughts, you need to know that you're not alone. You can also call if you are not in crisis, seeking additional information. The new Canada Suicide Prevention Service (CSPS), by Crisis Services Canada, enables callers anywhere in

Canada to access crisis support by phone, in French or English: toll-free 1-833-456-4566 Available 24/7
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in Canada by texting TALK to 686868 to reach an English speaking Crisis Responder and TEXT0 to 686868 to reach a French-speaking Crisis Responder on any text/ SMS enabled cell phone.
KidsHelpPhone Ages 20 Years and Under

in Canada 1-800-668-6868 (Online or on the Phone). First Nations and Inuit Hope for Wellness 24/7 Help Line 1-855-242-3310
Canadian Indian Residential Schools Crisis Line 1-866-925-4419
Trans LifeLine – All Ages 1-877-330-6366

Have you been bullied, and want to share your story?
Email wctpress@telus.net All submissions remain confidential

Putting a face
on suicide



Every 40 seconds somewhere around the world someone dies by suicide, that's 99 people every 66 minutes. Every day, that's almost 100 people in the United States alone, and over 2160 worldwide. Putting a Face on Suicide (PAFOS) is a suicide awareness project that creates posters and videos to pay tribute to those we have lost to suicide with dignity and respect. PAFOS humanizes the daunting statistics; lovingly replacing numbers with faces.

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- Fridays 7:30pm at the Whitecourt Baptist Church

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This can include help with parking costs for hospital visits, living expenses and unforeseen medical expenses. Applications can be made through the Drs at both Whitecourt Medical Clinics or (office hours, can leave a message):

Kim Nendsa (President of Whitecourt Cancer & Wellness Society) **780-778-0932**
Aimee Grierson **780-262-0222**

<https://wctcancerwellness.com/>

****Monthly meetings have been postponed due to COVID-19**



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The Whitecourt Food Bank is operated by the Town of Whitecourt Food Bank Coordinator and dependent on volunteers to operate. The Food Bank relies on donations of cash or food from individuals and organizations. Local grocery stores drop off baked goods including bread and pastries weekly. Other corporations and schools schedule food drives throughout the year.

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Preventative Education:

Provides Workshops, Information and Awareness to Schools, Community Organizations, Agencies and Businesses



Family Resource & Crisis Centre

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Whitecourt Alcoholics Anonymous Group



Meetings are three times each week

- Monday 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm
- Wednesday 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm
- Friday 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm

New Women's AA Group on Saturdays @11 am

Located at the United Church Basement 5201 - 50 St

Please Leave a Message for AA member (780)424-5900

or **Contact Addictions Helpline @1(866)332-2322**



Support group on Tuesdays 6:30pm - 8:30 pm.

Our next series starts Tuesday, February 4 at Crossroads Community Church, 4419 44 Ave, Mayerthorpe. \$35 includes 12 weekly sessions.
Pre-register by calling 780-786-2533.

PUBLIC NOTICE

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TAKE PART! GIVE BACK!
Opportunity for Public Participation

The Town is recruiting citizens to fill a volunteer position on an Advisory Board. Board members provide Town Council with perspective and recommendations regarding important civic issues. Whitecourt is a diverse, growing town, and citizens are in the best position to provide input on our changing community needs. Get involved! It's your town. Share your knowledge and meet new colleagues.

Community Services Advisory Board
"To create a healthy, strong community by meeting the leisure and social needs of the community."
(1) Member – term to expire in October 2027
Applications will be accepted from residents of Whitecourt or the Woodlands County agreement area.

If being on a Council Committee interests you, please complete an application form which can be found on the Whitecourt website at <https://www.whitecourt.ca/your-town/mayor-council/public-participation> or picked up at the Town Office. Applications must be received before 12:00 noon, Monday, April 7, 2025 to:

Whitecourt Town Administration Office
Attention: Executive Assistant
5004 - 52 Avenue, Box 509
WHITECOURT, AB T7S 1N6
email: administration@whitecourt.ca

Applications will be presented to Town Council at the April 14, 2025 Regular Meeting.

Questions?

Contact our Administration Department at 780.778.2273 or email administration@whitecourt.ca.

You can also scan the QR code for a direct link to the application form:



COMMUNITY CLEAN UP PROGRAM
FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY

The Town of Whitecourt is seeking non-profit organizations to perform refuse pickup duties within the community, including highway ditches and boulevards. The refuse pickup schedule will run throughout April to the end of October (weather permitting). At least one group is needed for July and one group for August.

To qualify for the program, groups must provide a written request to the Town, outlining how the funds would be used, confirming dates that the group would be available to perform the work, and providing an address and phone number for two group representatives.

Please note: All those participating in clean-up activities must be 9 years of age or older. All groups awarded projects under the Community Clean-Up Program will be required to abide by all current public health guidelines. Information on protocols will be provided to groups prior to performing scheduled refuse pick up duties.

Groups must provide a minimum of 12 volunteers, with at least one adult for every two youth (aged 9 to 17 years); Applicants can submit a proposal to complete between 50 and 100 hours of service; the time commitment must be confirmed prior to approval. Approved applicants shall receive \$12.00 for each hour of service, and total allocations for the program will be based on the annual budget.

For further details, please contact the Infrastructure Services Department at 780-778-2705.

Written letters of application must be received at the following address by **12:00 noon on Monday, April 7:**

TOWN OF WHITECOURT
Re: Community Clean Up Program Application
Box 509, 5004 - 52 Avenue
WHITECOURT, AB T7S 1N6
Fax: 780-778-2408
E-Mail: cathysudderdean@whitecourt.ca

NOTICE OF DECISION

The following decision was made by the Municipal Planning Commission:

Application 25-005: 14 Feero Drive – Discretionary Use Home Occupation, Family Day Home – Approved with conditions.

Date of Decision: March 13, 2025 **Appeal Closes at 4:00pm:** March 31, 2025

An Appeal of the above decision may be made by submitting a written appeal and appeal fee (\$310) to the Office of the Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, Town of Whitecourt Administration Building, Box 509, Whitecourt, Alberta, T7S 1N6 prior to 4:00pm on the above noted date. Any person(s) affected by the said proposal(s), has the right to appeal prior to the above date.

The following decision was made by the Development Authority:

Application 25-006: 39 Riverdale Bend – Administrative Variance to Reduce West Yard Setback from 4.0m to 3.3m – Approved with conditions.

Date of Decision(s): March 10, 2025 **Appeal Closes at 4:00pm:** March 31, 2025

An Appeal of the above decision may be made by submitting a written appeal and appeal fee (\$310) to the Office of the Secretary of the Subdivision and Development Appeal Board, Town of Whitecourt Administration Building, Box 509, Whitecourt, Alberta, T7S 1N6 prior to 4:00pm on the above noted date. Any person(s) affected by the said proposal(s), has the right to appeal prior to the above date.

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DUST CONTROL

Residents who wish dust control applied adjacent to their property can submit an application to Woodlands County beginning **March 15th** until **May 1st**.

Rates for dust control are as follows:

- \$425 + GST for 100 metres
- \$750 + GST for 200 metres
- \$4.25/metre + GST for any dust suppression application over 100 or 200 metres

Application forms and more information about dust control are available at woodlands.ab.ca/p/dust-control.

Please submit an application prior to Thursday, May 1, 2025:

Application forms are also available at:

Woodlands County
Municipal Office
#1 Woodlands Lane
Whitecourt AB T7S 1N3
Telephone: 780-778-8400
Fax: 780-778-8402

OR

Woodlands County
Regional Municipal Office
P.O. Box 33
Fort Assiniboine AB T0G 1A0
Telephone: 780-584-3866
Fax: 780-584-3988

PAYMENTS CAN BE MADE WITH DEBIT, VISA, MASTERCARD, CHEQUE OR CASH AT EITHER COUNTY OFFICE

WOODLANDS COUNTY RFQS, RFPS AND TENDERS AVAILABLE

Woodlands County is seeking quotations for the following projects:

- **Vegetation Control – Right of Way Mowing**

Detailed information on the proposals are available on the Woodlands County website:
<https://woodlands.ab.ca/p/rfps-and-tenders>

Woodlands County reserves the right to waive informalities in, or reject any or all tenders, or accept the tender deemed most favourable in the interest of the County.



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Whitecourt celebrates local volunteers

Whitecourt is now accepting nominations to the 2025 Volunteer Awards Program – and we want to hear from you! Tell us who is making a difference in our community by recognizing them with a nomination.

“Part of what makes Whitecourt so special

is the willingness of our residents to step up and help out,” stated Whitecourt Mayor Tom Pickard. “Residents and organizations offer their time, knowledge and skills to a variety of worthy causes, and this program is just one way for us to recognize

their work and show our appreciation.” The Whitecourt Volunteer Award Program launched four years ago and recognizes individuals, corporations and agencies/groups in five different award categories. This year, the winner of each category will be announced

during the Volunteer Celebration Lunch scheduled for April 28 during National Volunteer Week. If you know of someone or an organization that has gone above and beyond, please nominate them by filling out the online form at [www.volunteerwhite-](http://www.volunteerwhitecourt.ca)

[court.ca](http://www.volunteerwhitecourt.ca). The nomination deadline is April 22, 2025. **Whitecourt Volunteer Hub** The Town of Whitecourt recognizes how important volunteers are in our community. In 2024, Whitecourt launched www.volunteerwhitecourt.ca – an

online volunteer recruitment site that helps local organizations find volunteers, and helps volunteers find meaningful opportunities to lend their time. The site also provides resources volunteer organizations, including links to funding and training opportunities.

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Dollar Values as of March 19, 2025

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Fireguard underway



The work on Whitecourt's fireguard is chugging along. A big pile of trees and equipment were spotted just past Ecole St. Joseph's School in the cleared area at the end of McIlwaine Drive. The fireguard extends along the eastern boundary of the community, from Highway 43 down past the school, providing major support for crews should a wildfire get close. Pictured are trees from the fireguard project.

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Eagle River Casino & Travel Plaza

Now Hiring Food & Beverage Supervisor

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Actively promotes an environment conducive to high quality customer service and employee relations by being a positive leadership example.
- Assist for scheduling, disciplinary actions, training and mentoring for staff of food and beverage outlets.
- Inventory each month
- Work with Marketing & Advertising to promote the food & beverage outlets.
- Understand security requirements.
- Ensure maintenance of safety and sanitation standards and policies
- Provide overall direction, coordination, and ongoing evaluation of operations.
- Understand basic asset management.
- Must be able to work other duties assigned.
- We are in the people business and therefore it is part of everyone's job to actively provide customer service. This means that for every customer that comes in, you will attempt to make eye contact, greet and welcome to our business. This also means that you must always be attentive to the customer's needs so there are no undue delays and we will serve our customers in a cheerful and efficient manner. Our service attitude also implies and obligation to each other. We must greet and acknowledge each other in a sincere professional way. And seek to assist each other wherever practical, thereby demonstrating that success is a shared experience among our teams. Excellent customer relations and team work are essential part of every job in this environment.

QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE

- 4-5 years' experience in the Food & Beverage Industry.
- 3-4 years demonstrated experience in supervisory within the Food & Beverage Industry.
- Experience in a casino setting preferred.
- Post secondary education in a related field preferred but not required.
- Training in management and employee development preferred but not required.
- Continuous training and education to keep abreast of changes in the industry and external environment.
- Excellent written and oral communication skills.
- Ability to meet deadlines in a rapidly changing business environment.
- Ability to work independently.
- Extensive food & beverage knowledge and ability to develop and apply practices, procedures, and principles in a casino environment.
- Developed writing skills sufficient to prepare written materials involving detailed descriptions and explanations requiring the accurate use of specialized terminology.
- Self-planning skills sufficient to schedule, organize, and carry out work assignments according to established work plans, adjusting work schedules according to changing priorities.
- Developed judgment and problem solving skills sufficient to interpret and/or analyze factual and conceptual information with the ability to adapt general procedures or approaches when formulating responses to problems.
- Manages workload independently, and works well in teams.
- Develops security and systems knowledge through on the job experience.
- Must display leadership skills, the ability to multi-task and adjust to multiple jurisdictions.
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- Must be able to provide RCMP security clearance check.
- Working knowledge of MS Word, MS Excel, MS PowerPoint.

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Eagle River Casino & Travel Plaza

Restaurant Assistant Manager NOC 60030

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Plan, organize, direct, control and evaluate the operations of a restaurant, bar, or other food or beverage service
- Determine type of services to be offered and implement operational procedures
- Recruit staff and oversee staff training
- Set staff work schedules and monitor staff performance
- Control inventory, monitor revenues and modify procedures and prices
- Resolve customer complaints and ensure health and safety regulations are followed
- Negotiate arrangements with suppliers for food and other supplies
- Negotiate arrangements with clients for catering or use of facilities for banquets or receptions.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Completion of a college or other program related to hospitality or food and beverage service management is usually required.
- Responsible beverage service certification is usually required
- for managers of establishments serving alcoholic beverages.
- Several years of experience in the food service sector, including supervisory experience, are required.

Experience: 3 – 4 years.
Education: Completion of secondary school is usually required. Terms of Employment: Permanent full-time 44-hour work week.
Language: English
Employment Conditions: Shift work, Day, Evenings, Weekends, Holidays, Nights. Wage: \$26.00/hour
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Eagle River Casino & Travel Plaza

Now Hiring Cashiers NOC 65100

RESPONSIBILITIES

- Greet customers
- Receive and process payments by cash, cheque, credit card, or automatic debit
- Provide information to customers
- Calculate foreign currency exchange
- Calculate total payments received at end of work shift and reconcile with total sales
- Verify the age of customers when selling lottery tickets, alcohol or tobacco products
- Operate cash register
- Process money, cheques, and credit/debit card payments
- Scan Items
- Tabulate total payment for goods or services required
- Receive payment for goods or services
- Calculate daily/shift payments received and reconcile them with total sales
- Suggestive selling
- Provide excellent customer service
- Assist customers with self-service items
- Participate in promotional activities

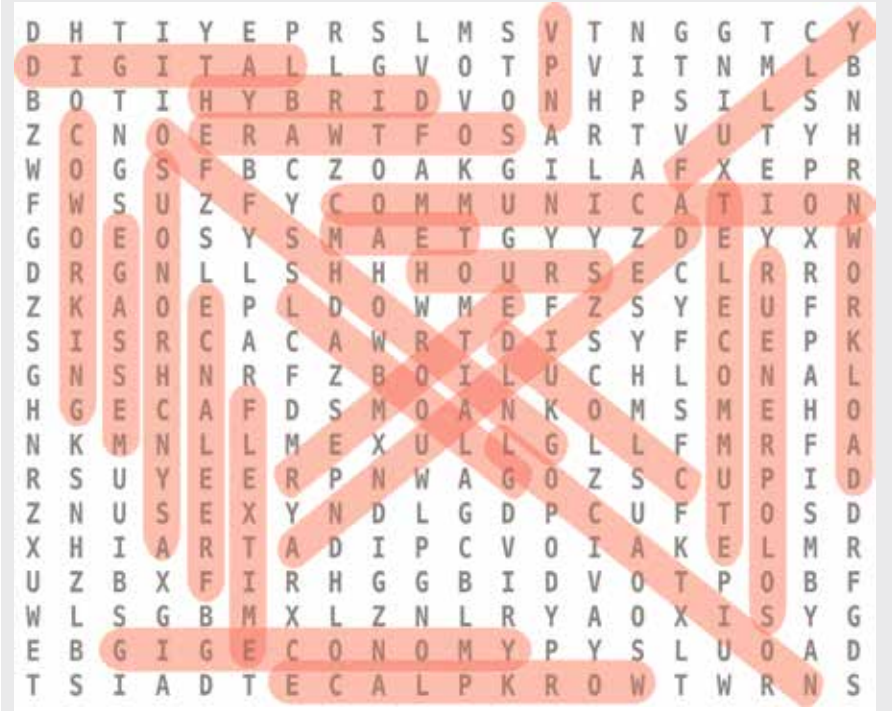
QUALIFICATIONS

- Some secondary school education is usually required. High school graduation may be required by some employers.
- Eligibility for bonding may be required.
- A casino gaming license may be required for cashiers working in gambling casinos.
- Must be able to complete Smart training courses
- Must be able to complete AML

Experience: 2 – 3 years, or we will train.
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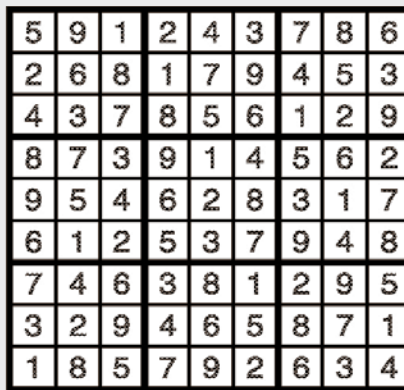
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