

# **Smoky Lake Region**

TOWN AND COUNTY OF SMOKY LAKE & VILLAGES OF WASKATENAU AND VILNA

Your local contact is:

COMMITTEE NAME: PHYSICIANS & HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS COMMITTEE CONTACT: SMOKY LAKE MAYOR/COMMITTEE CHAIR AMY CHERNIWCHAN E: AMY@SMOKYLAKE.CA

# **RECREATION & ACTIVITIES**

- Bonnie Lake Campground
- Iron Horse Trail
- Lakes: Bellis Beach, Garner Lake Provincial Park, Hanmore Lake, & Mons Lake
- Parks: many parks, including the spray park in Smoky Lake featuring a pavilion
- Smoky Lake CN Museum
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- Smoky Lake Seniors Drop-in Centre
- Two area golf courses: Smoky Lake & Vilna
- Metis Crossing: cultural centre, conceived, designed, and built by the Metis people, metiscrossing.com

- Various sports & clubs: 4H, archery, CanSkate/figure skating, curling, dance, competitive & pond hockey, equine riding, shooting sports, snowmobiling, soccer, Ukrainian dancing (three clubs), & more
- Victoria District National Historic Site of Canada
- Victoria Trail
- Vilna Historic Pool Hall
- Vilna Senior Citizens Recreation Centre
- Waskatenau Fitness Facility
- Waskatenau Nature Trail
- Waskatenau Senior Citizens

## **ANNUAL EVENTS**

- Smoky Lake Pumpkin Fair & Weigh-off
- Smoky Lake Stampede
- Town wide garage sale (and Villages)
- Vilna Boomtown Days
- Vilna Car Show
- Waskatenau Fair Days

Be sure to visit Pumpkin Park in Smoky Lake, the Railway Trestle in Waskatenau, as well as the oldest operating pool hall in Alberta and the World's Largest Mushrooms in historic Vilna.

# **VOLUNTEER & SERVICE CLUBS**

- Agricultural Societies
- COPS (Citizens on Patrol Program)
- Kinette Club of Smoky Lake
- Ladies Auxiliary
- Lions Club
- Local Fire departments
- Royal Canadian Legion
- Rural Crime Watch
- Smoky Lake Kinsmen















**Hidden Gem!** Métis Crossing celebrates the story of the Métis Nation of Alberta through traditional crafts, tours, and food experiences. Take a paddle into the past through a voyageur canoe experience, rent a traditional trapper tent for a cozy, cultural stay, or enjoy an immersive winter experience. Strap on snowshoes, set a snare, build a survival shelter, or discover the Red River jig. Special events, rental, and accommodation opportunities are also available. Learn more at metiscrossing.com.

## **RESTAURANTS & GROCERY STORES**

#### **Smoky Lake**

- Andersons Foods
- Betsy's Burger Shack
- Great Bear Café
- Maple Gardens Restaurant
- Noel's Place
- Old Fashioned Bread Bakery
- Pub 28
- Red Chimney Restaurant
- Smoky Lake Bigway Foods

- Smoky Lake Inn
- Skyway on 28

#### Vilna

- D&E Family Grocery
- Porky's Sidestreet Cafe
- The Black Tea House

#### Waskatenau

- Pepper's T&T Iron Horse Cafe
- The Gathering Place Co-op

# **PLACES OF WORSHIP**

#### **Weekly Services**

- First Baptist Church
- New Hope Community Church
- Our Lady of Atonement Roman Catholic Church
- Seventh-Day Adventist Church
- United Church (Waskatenau & Smoky Lake – biweekly)

#### Monthly/Quarterly Services

- Holy Ascension, Ukrainian Greek Orthodox
- Holy Trinity Orthodox Church
- St. Volodymyr & St. Olga Ukrainian Catholic Church

# **SCHOOLS & RESOURCES**

- Family Resource Network
- FCSS (Family and Community Support Services)
- Great Beginnings Preschool
- H.A. Kostash School (K - Grade 12)
- Holy Family Catholic School (Waskatenau)
- Libraries: Anne Chorney Public Library, Smoky Lake Public Library, and Vilna & District Municipal Library county.stpaul.ab.ca, 780-645-3301
- Pumpkin Patch Daycare
- Smoky Lake County Community Learning Council
- Vilna School

# **ADDITIONAL SERVICES & RESOURCES**

- Smoky Lake Regional Chamber of Commerce: <u>smokylakechamber.com</u>
- Town of Smoky: <u>smokylake.ca</u>
- Village of Waskatenau: waskatenau.ca
- VIlage of Vilna: vilna.ca

# HEALTHCARE SERVICES

# **Hospitals & Clinics**

- George McDougall Healthcare Centre: full-service facility
- Our Lady's Health Centre (Vilna)
- Raubenheimer Medical Clinic

#### **Public Health Facilities**

- Smoky Lake Continuing Care
- Smoky Lake Health Unit (located in the hospital)

#### Private/Blended practice

- Bar-V-Nook Manor (Supportive Living Community)
- Dr. Chomay Dental Office
- Massage services available
- Smoky Lake Denture Clinic
- Smoky Lake Chiropractic
- Vilna Lodge (Smoky Lake Foundation)

#### **Pharmacies**

- Shane's IDA
- Smoky Lake PharmaChoice & Home Healthcare
- Vilna Pharmacy & Home Healthcare



We are connected to the Lakeland Primary Care Network

The Town of Smoky Lake acknowledges that we are located on Treaty 6 territory and Zone 2 of the Métis Nation of Alberta and that we benefit from calling this place home. We acknowledge the contributions of Treaty Six First Nations, the Métis Nation, and settlers from around the world in the Town's founding and growth. We respect these histories, languages, and cultures, which continue to enrich our vibrant community.