

WELCOME TO

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Fort Vermilion

RECREATION AND ACTIVITIES

- Boat Launch (access to the Peace River)
 - Community & Cultural Complex - includes arena, curling rink, hall, & museum
 - Fort Vermilion Airport and Forestry Landing Site (Wop May Memorial Airport)
 - Fort Vermilion Community Library
 - Fort Vermilion Heritage Centre
 - Fort Vermilion Rodeo Grounds
 - Fort Vermilion Visitors Information Centre (Bourassa/St. Germain House built in 1923)
 - Heritage Bicentennial Park
 - Machesis Lake Provincial Recreation Area (30 km east on Highway 58)
 - Market 1788 (farmers market)
 - Old Bay House (built in 1908)
 - Parks – D.A Thomas Park, Pioneer Park, FV Arena Park
 - The Clark House (built in 1907)
 - Trappers Shack Provincial Historic Site (built in 1912-1916)
 - Wadlin Lake Provincial Park (26km southeast of Fort Vermillion)
- Don't miss the Town 'n' Country Fair and River Daze held in early August!

RESTAURANTS, COFFEE SHOPS, & GROCERY STORES

- Bulk City Foods
- Copper Cookery
- First Town Foods
- Friesen's General Store
- Lime Blu Ice Cream Parlor and Restaurant
- Tall Cree Foods

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR COMMUNITY, VISIT:

- mackenziecounty.com/communityprofiles
- Learn about this historic hamlet's history mackenziefrontier.com/fort-vermilion-historical-guide



Did You Know? Fort Vermilion is one of the oldest settlements in Alberta. The mighty Peace River was the original highway, first to and from Fort Chipewyan to the east and later, between Fort Vermilion and Peace River to the south. This community is rich in both history and beauty.



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Lime Blu Cafe

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For more information visit RhPAP.ca.



Did You Know? AHS contracts 11 fixed-wing aircraft to provide 24-hour air ambulance services throughout the province, and Fort Vermilion has one of those bases. Air ambulances are tightly integrated with ground ambulances since both are part of the health system, with consistent medical direction and an integrated dispatch system.

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

- ATB Financial

PLACES OF WORSHIP

- St. Luke's Anglican Church
- Church of God in Christ, Mennonite
- Faith Gospel Fellowship Fort Vermilion
- St. Henry's Roman Catholic Church

SCHOOLS & RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

- Fort Vermilion Public School (grades 7–12)
- Northern Home Education (home education program for grades 1–12)
- Northern Lakes College – Fort Vermilion Campus
- Pathways (online education for grades 1–12)
- Rocky Lane School (grades K–12)
- St. Mary's Catholic School (grades K–6)

ADDITIONAL SERVICES & RESOURCES

- Boreal Housing Foundation
- Brighter Futures Society
- Centre Fort Vermilion Seniors Centre
- FASD Society
- FCSS (Family and Community Support Services)
- Food Bank - Métis Nation of Alberta,
- Local Council #74
- Frontier Vet Service
- Mackenzie Regional Victim Services
- The Village – Mackenzie Family Resource Network (Fort Vermilion, High Level, La Crête, & Rainbow Lake)

VOLUNTEER & SERVICE CLUBS

- Fort Vermilion Fire and Rescue
- Fort Vermilion Rangers
- Hallet-Hansley Branch #243
- Royal Canadian Legion



Hidden Gem! The **walking trails alongside the Peace River** are breathtaking, no matter the season. Hungry? Be sure to stop by the Lime Blu Cafe and Ice Cream Shop - it earns rave reviews! This ice cream/cafe/gift shop overlooks the mighty Peace River.

Visit the Old Bay House. Built in the early 1900s, this beautiful big yellow structure is only Hudson's Bay Company factor's house on its original site in Alberta and provides a unique glimpse of Alberta's fur trade settlers. Pick up the Fort Vermilion Historical Guide at the Fort Vermilion Heritage Centre for more information!

HEALTHCARE SERVICES

Hospitals & Clinics

- Dynalife Medical Labs (located in the hospital)
- Fort Vermilion Associate Medical Clinic
- Fort Vermilion Community Health Centre
- St. Theresa General Hospital

Pharmacies

- Pharmasave Pioneer

Private/Blended practice

- Fort Vermilion Massage & Wellness



We are supported by **Emergency Medical Service**



We are connected to the **Northwest Primary Care Network**

The land on which the community of Fort Vermilion is situated is the traditional territory of Treaty 8 and is within the Métis Nations of Alberta Region 6. The histories, languages, and cultures of First Nations, Métis, Inuit, and all First Peoples of Canada continue to enrich the community of Fort Vermilion, surrounding area, and the province of Alberta.