

# WELCOME TO

# Viking

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Your local attraction and retention committee is:

**VIKING HEALTHCARE ATTRACTION & RETENTION COMMITTEE**  
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## RECREATION & ACTIVITIES

- Cloverlodge Stampede (annually)
- Fish pond (stocked with rainbow trout)
- Outdoor skating rink
- Playgrounds
- Rodeo Grounds
- Sports – baseball, gymnastics, hockey, pickleball, skating, soccer, & tae-kwon-do
- Viking & District Museum
- Viking Carena Complex – fitness centre, ice surface, indoor activity centre, mini stick rinks, & walking track
- Viking Curling Club
- Viking Golf & Country Club
- Viking Municipal Library
- Viking Recreational Park

## RESTAURANTS & COFFEE SHOPS

- Ancaron Macarons (bakery)
- Food With Flair Catering and Concession
- La Piazza Donair & Sandwich
- Subway
- Train Station Tea House (seasonal)
- Viking Burger Queen
- Viking Chinese Restaurant

## PLACES OF WORSHIP

- Golden Valley Lutheran Church
- Holy Heart of Mary Catholic Church
- St. Matthew Anglican Church
- Viking Alliance Church
- Viking United Church



**Did You Know?** On top of a high hill near Viking stand the only Ribstones in Alberta that have not been moved since ancient times. Ribstones, also known as Boulder Petroglyphs, are two large stones carved in the shape of an animal's rib cage. These ancient monuments have remained in place just a few kilometers from Viking, Alberta for thousands of years and are one of only nine in the province.



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### Hidden Gems!

**Viking Tea House & Station Gallery:** Located in the original CN Station, which still sees an active Via Rail passenger train pass through, is a seasonal tea house and art gallery. They feature original art from local artists, along with a collection of original Scandinavian Rosemaling items. Next to the station is the beautiful Viking Troll Park featuring a Viking ship and Troll Mountain sculpture.

**Viking & District Museum:** Converted from Viking's first hospital (1922), the museum documents Viking's rich history dating back to the first Scandinavian settlers. The site includes many historical buildings brought together to emulate the old days, giving visitors a true sense of the spirit of Viking.

## VOLUNTEER & SERVICE CLUBS

- B.P.O Elks
- Viking Health Foundation
- Viking Historical Society
- Viking Ladies Auxiliary

## SCHOOLS & RESOURCES FOR PARENTS

- Beaver County Adult Learning Council
- St. Francis Daycare Center
- Viking and Holden Area Food Bank
- Viking Preschool Association
- Viking School (Kindergarten – Grade 12)
- Viking/Beaver FCSS (Family & Community Support Services)

## FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

- ATB Financial
- Community Futures
- Vision Credit Union

## HEALTHCARE SERVICES

### Medical Services

- Viking Community Health Centre
- Viking Health Centre (Hospital)
- Viking Medical Clinic

### Private/Blended practice

- Nature's Table - Massage & Manual Therapy
- Prairie Kneads Health & Wellness

### Pharmacies

- Mint Pharmacy



We are supported by **Emergency Medical Services**



We are connected to the **Kalya Country Primary Care Network**

We respectfully acknowledge that we are on the traditional lands now known as Treaty 6 territory in relationship with many Indigenous peoples. We pledge to continue to work towards reconciliation and in a mutually beneficial reciprocal relationship with the land and all peoples.