

Community Futures

BUSINESS NEWSLETTER

WHAT IS COMMUNITY FUTURES?

Community Futures Lac La Biche is a non-profit organization dedicated to building an economically diverse future for the communities of our region.

Staffed by business professionals and guided by a volunteer Board of Directors, we are more than just a business lender. With over 30-years of experience, we can help rural entrepreneurs grow and thrive as small business owners.

Our services for small businesses help Lac La Biche & region residents start, grow, expand, franchise, or sell their businesses.

With flexible business loans and free one-on-one assistance, we are here to help you achieve your business goals.

Contact Us!
780-623-2662
contact@cfllb.com



SAFEGUARDING YOUR BUSINESS: INSURANCE, RISK MANAGEMENT, AND SAVING STRATEGIES

Business owners purchase insurance for various reasons, primarily to protect their investments and ensure financial security. Insurance is crucial for meeting lease requirements imposed by building owners and securing loans from banks. By understanding the importance of insurance, implementing risk management measures, and exploring savings opportunities, you can secure your business while optimizing financial resources.



CANADA DIGITAL ADOPTION PROGRAM (CDAP)

As part of CDAP, the Government of Canada ISED has partnered with Business Link and Digital Main Street to deliver the Grow Your Business Online program. Eligible businesses will receive a micro-grant up to \$2,400 to help with the cost relating to adapting digital technologies. Intake is open until March 31, 2025



ART PROPOSAL

Calling all artists! Looking for an opportunity to flex your artistic talents? Community Futures Lac La Biche is inviting submissions for 4 murals to be painted on the exterior west wall of Community Futures Lac La Biche. We are now accepting submissions until the 15th of August. Don't miss this exciting opportunity to showcase your artistic talent and contribute to the vibrant culture of Lac La Biche! For more details, read more.



BUSINESS NEWS & EVENTS

MAIN STREET FEST

In collaboration with Lac La Biche County and the LLB Chamber of Commerce, we invite you to join us on August 23rd from 2 PM to 6 PM for the exhilarating Main Street Festival! Immerse yourself in the vibrant culture, enchanting music, delectable food, and captivating art of Lac La Biche. Don't miss out on the opportunity to connect with the Community Futures Lac La Biche team and explore how we can assist you in achieving your business objectives!



LEARN MORE 

HYLO HARVEST DAYS

Celebrate our farmers and the harvest season this year at the Hylo Harvest Days held at Hylo Venice Recreational and Agricultural Society! This event will head on for two days from August 25th to 26th. It is an event great for all ages! For more details, read to more to find out or visit our Facebook page to stay on top of updates.

Hylo Harvest Days
Cash Only August 25th & 26th

Friday

Horticultural Show

Movie in the Park



Dinner

Saturday

10am-Noon Pancake Breakfast

Noon Brisket Cookoff

12:30pm Parade

Kids Entertainment

Beer Garden with Music

Contests and Prize Draws

Concession Available

5pm Pig Catch 

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CANVA TRAINING SESSION

Create eye-catching graphics and visuals through Canva! This training workshop will guide you through the basics of using Canva. Join us online or here at 10106 102 Ave, Lac La Biche, AB T0A 2C0.

AUGUST 15TH (12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

TUES AUG 15 12 PM
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Get your business seen on Facebook! Learn how to use social media more effectively and create captivating content! Come join us online or here at 10106 102 Avenue, Lac La Biche, AB T0A 2C0.

AUGUST 29TH (12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

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FACEBOOK/META BUSINESS
TUTORIAL AND BEST PRACTICES WORKSHOP

A lot changed when Facebook became META.
Feeling left behind?
Come get all your questions regarding META answered.
Get the most out of this powerful social media platform, and make it work for your business!



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GROWING COMMUNITIES ONE IDEA AT A TIME