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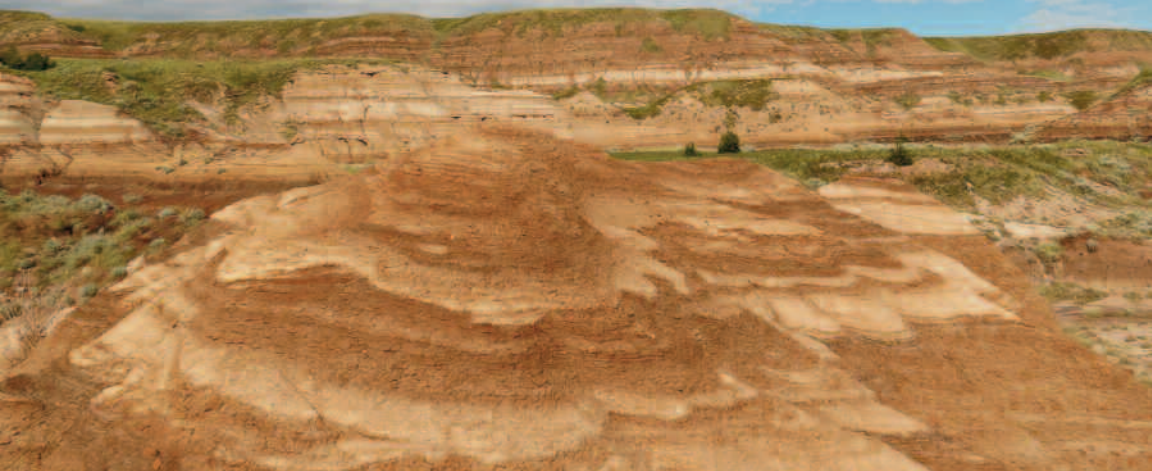
Tucked into one of Alberta's most distinctive and intriguing areas, this town offers a number of unique experiences.

**1** Come face to face with an Albertosaurus, close to where geologist J.B. Tyrrell first found the bones of the fierce predator in 1884. Albertosaurus roamed southern Alberta more than 69 million years ago — well before the **Royal Tyrrell Museum** was named for the geologist. **1500 North Dinosaur Tr. (Hwy. 838), Drumheller, 310-0000, then 403-823-7707, [tyrellmuseum.com](http://tyrellmuseum.com)**

**2** Strap on a miner's lamp and tour the **Atlas Coal Mine National Historic Site**. Follow in the steps of the town's original coal miners as you climb through the conveyor tunnel and up the other side. Explore the dark side of coal mining as you learn about accidents, brawls, the women, and the unmentionable side of Drumheller history. If the supernatural is more your thing, embark on a ghost tour and learn about the accidents, brawls and subsequent mysterious sightings around the abandoned mine. Located 15 minutes east of Drumheller on **Hoodoo Tr. (Hwy. 10), East Coulee, 403-822- 2220, [atlascoalmine.ab.ca](http://atlascoalmine.ab.ca)**



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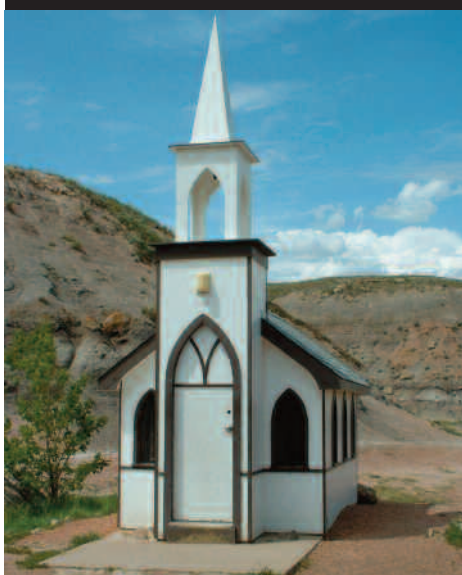


**3** Play a round of golf on Canada's most challenging back nine. Nestled between coulees and badlands, **Dinosaur Trail Golf & Country Club** is a tricky course that has you hitting your ball up canyons. If your golfing leaves something to be desired, stick to the easier front nine and enjoy the view. **6455 North Dinosaur Tr. (Hwy. 838), Drumheller, 403-823-5622, [dinosaurtrailgolf.com](http://dinosaurtrailgolf.com)**

**4** Stand inside the mouth of the **World's Largest Dinosaur**. Weighing in at a hefty 66,000 kilograms of mostly steel, Drumheller's imposing T.rex is located next to the Visitor Information Centre. For a nominal fee, climb up a staircase lined with murals and into her mouth for a view of the surrounding badlands. At more than 26 metres tall, the T.rex is approximately four times larger than the real thing, which roamed the land 100 million years ago. **60 1 Ave. W., Drumheller, 1-866-823-8100**

**5** See how glaciers carved the land when you view down into **Horseshoe Canyon**, stepping over and around the lunar-like land features that have been whittled into curves by the wind. Or take a helicopter tour to see the layers in the earth where the ice receded. Go at sunrise for a postcard-perfect view tinged with vibrant orange. Located **10 minutes west of Drumheller on Highway 9.**

#### THE LITTLE CHURCH



Drumheller's Little Church opened its doors on July 9, 1958. The idea for the Little Church was conceived by Reverend Edgar C. O'Brien of the Pentecostal Church. O'Brien secured Robert "Bob" Gibson to design the church and paint its windows and Trygve "Tig" Seland to build the church. Over the years thousands of people have stopped the Little church to reflect, as they travel along the famous Dinosaur Trail.



# EXPLORING DRUMHELLER ON FOOT

Horse Thief Canyon

The top-heavy hoodoos and furrowed slopes of the Drumheller Valley amaze from afar, but nothing compares to the badlands from ground level

by Todd Andre

## Viewing Horseshoe Canyon

**A glacier-carved “U”** surrounded by golden prairie, the aptly named Horseshoe Canyon is a dramatic introduction to the badlands. The view from the parking lot lookout, 10 minutes west of downtown Drumheller on Highway 9, is as jaw-dropping as they get. Prepare for up to 40°C temperatures in the summer. After a rare prairie rain the mud on the canyon floor is thick and slick as yogurt. Arrive early to get an incomparable sunrise photo.

## Finding Refuge in Horsethief Canyon

**Horsethief Canyon works as well today** as a hiding place from humanity as it did for outlaws more than a century ago. After driving about 10 kilometres west of the Royal Tyrrell Museum, turn left on a side road just off Highway 838 (a.k.a. North Dinosaur Trail). From there, find the trailhead for Horsethief Canyon, the equally beautiful but less-visited cousin of Horseshoe Canyon. Its out-of-the-way location and steep clay walls deter the unpractised from venturing down to the prairie grass and bushes below. Spend the afternoon admiring colourful layers of rock while picturing the thieves who gave the canyon its name hiding in the coulees and rebranding their stolen mares.

## Walking Through History at Midland Provincial Park

**The Royal Tyrrell Museum stands** on the southwest corner of the 280-hectare Midland Provincial Park. A trailhead a few hundred metres east of the museum marks a one-kilometre-long loop, where interpretive signs recount the glacial forces that sculpted the badlands from 70-million-year-old layers of sedimentary rock. One or two kilometres east of this path is another self-guided tour through the remains of the Midland



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Coal Mining Co., a relic of the area's once-thriving coal industry. Explore the remnants among the hills, be they dino-bones or dilapidated mining equipment, but remember to leave everything the way you found it. (North of North Dinosaur Trail and east of Murray Road)

## Making the Most of Drumheller's Pathways

**With 18 kilometres of pathways** running alongside the Red Deer River, around downtown and to the doorstep of the Royal Tyrrell Museum, you can hit all the key sights by bike or on foot. Park your car at the world's easiest-to-find Visitor Information Centre — underneath the tail of the 26-metre-tall World's Largest Dinosaur just north of the town centre — and walk, bike or splash your way through the busy water park to the riverside pathway. Cross the bridge northwest toward the Royal Tyrrell Museum. Pause at the Homestead Museum and see everything from antique teacups to a two-headed calf. Or, skip the antiques and pop into Bumper Boat Amusements for a few hours of bumper boats and mini golf. Back on the path, continue several kilometres through the coulees and gullies that lead you right into the Royal Tyrrell Museum's parking lot. ■



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# DESTINATION DINOSAUR COUNTRY

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Uncover ancient mysteries at the Royal Tyrrell Museum of Palaeontology

**T**he Royal Tyrrell Museum of Palaeontology celebrates the spectacular diversity of life on Earth, from the tiniest grain of pollen to the mightiest dinosaur. This world-renowned Museum and research facility is situated in Midland Provincial Park, six kilometres northwest of Drumheller.



Canada's only museum devoted exclusively to palaeontology—the study of plant and animal life based on the fossil record—offers something for everyone. Hundreds of thousands of people each year are captivated by one of the world's largest collections of dinosaur skeletons, most of which were discovered in Alberta's badlands — one of the best places in the world for fossil discoveries. As the primary repository for all fossils found in Alberta, the Museum's collection is vast and diverse and used worldwide by palaeontological researchers.

In 2016, the Museum will unveil its first major new exhibit in several years. Opening May 20, *Foundations* will introduce visitors to the field of palaeontology and explain Alberta's critical role in the preservation and scientific study of fossils globally. The exhibit will provide the basis for understanding the 3.9-billion-year-history of life on Earth as visitors experience an unparalleled journey through time.



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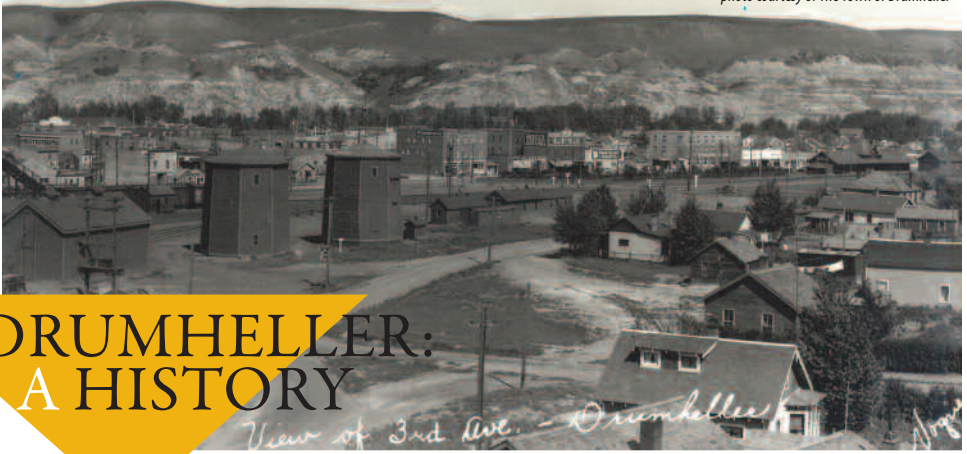
All of the Museum's dynamic displays spark curiosity, dispel myths, and engage people with learning. In the summer, visitors can also participate in educational programs that interpret how the past and present are related. Individuals and families alike can learn about the wonders of the badlands during a guided hike, create a cast of a real fossil, or try their hand at digging in a quarry.



While the Museum is open year-round, it can be very busy during the summer months, so it is recommended to register for programs in advance to secure your spot. The Museum also offers extended hours from May to September, and visiting in the evenings is an excellent option to avoid the crowds. ■

*Owned and operated by Alberta Culture and Tourism, the Royal Tyrrell Museum of Palaeontology is located five minutes northwest of Drumheller on Highway 838. For more information visit [tyrellmuseum.com](http://tyrellmuseum.com) or call 403-823-7707 (dial 310-0000 for toll-free access within Alberta).*

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Over a century of discovery and industry

The history of Drumheller is long and fascinating. Drumheller is known as the dinosaur capital of the world because of the high concentration of fossils located in the area. Millions of years ago the Drumheller area was tropical which created a great environment for plant growth and where dinosaurs could flourish. After a cataclysmic event, these dinosaurs were wiped out leaving only their bones to be discovered millions of years later. In the 1880's, J.B. Tyrrell came to present-day Drumheller looking for coal and found the skull of a dinosaur near the Red Deer River. That dinosaur became known as the Albertasaurus and so began the collection of dinosaur remains that are sought after by museums all over the world.

COAL MINING CHARACTERS



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Fanny Ramsley

"Madame Fanny" started one of Drumheller's longest-running brothels in 1917-18. Like her business rival, Madame Mary Roper, Ramsley kept order in her establishment with a shotgun. She was also very charitable, sending groceries to struggling families during the Depression.

COAL MINING CHARACTERS



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J. Frank Moodie (1878 – 1943)

A saint to some and a "bastard" to others, Moodie opened the Rosedale Mine in 1912. His vision for the mine was a "model camp to end all worker squalor and discontent." But

Moodie clashed violently with pro-union forces several times and even hired a Pinkerton detective to spy on his workers.

Coal was eventually discovered as well. The Calgary-Drumheller railway was opened in 1913 bringing with it the many faces and families who would settle this new community with a profound sense of optimism and excitement. The first load of coal shipped out of the valley was from a Newcastle mine in 1911 by Jesse Gouge and Garnet Coyle who originally opened the mine. The Drumheller coal rush really heated up after Samuel Drumheller bought land in the valley from Thomas Greentree and sold it to the Canadian National Railway to develop a town site. A famous coin toss was made between Samuel Drumheller and Thomas Greentree to decide who would name the town. The coin fell in favor of Samuel Drumheller. Between 1911 and 1979, 139 mines were registered in the valley and over 56 million tons of coal was shipped across Canada. Coal mining was a dangerous job,

FACTS AND FEATURES:

Located 138 km northeast of the City of Calgary (1.5 hour drive), and 279 km southeast of the City of Edmonton [3 hour drive]; the area's moderate climate,

excellent education and recreational facilities, easy access to major city amenities, and relaxed atmosphere make for an excellent place to stay for visitors.

Drumheller is located at: Latitude - 51/28N & Longitude - 112/42W. It is 792mi. or 2597 ft. above sea level

claiming the life of many miners. The names of these miners are commemorated on a special memorial located at 224 Centre Street. The Atlas Coal Mine was the last one to close down in 1979 signaling the end of the coal mining era in the valley. This structure and the coal mining history have been preserved at the original Atlas Coal Mine site at East Coulee, attracting and educating hundreds of visitors each year.



### COAL MINING CHARACTERS



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#### Thomas Belot (1882 – 1925)

In 1922, Belot came to Drumheller with wife Doris and their baby girl to work the mines. On Oct. 21, 1925, Belot's day off, he took an extra shift for a sick co-worker. He was killed that day when a large rock fell on his back. Doris never remarried. When she died in 1985, she was buried next to him in the Drumheller Cemetery.

Today, agriculture is the biggest industry in the Drumheller followed closely by oil and gas production. These sectors employ hundreds of people in and around Drumheller. Tourism is the fastest growing industry in the town with thousands of people visiting the town each year to see the World's Largest Dinosaur, Royal Tyrrell Museum, and Atlas Coal Mine just to name a few. ■





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# MINING THE PAST

## Journey into history at the Atlas Coal Mine

by Nicole Forrest



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**W**ith the clunk of a lever, metal railcars shudder to life, beginning their journey through the Atlas Coal Mine National Historic Site. These open carts, once used to carry miners to the darkest reaches of Atlas No. 3, are now filled with fascinated visitors to the site. They lumber beneath sloping troughs through which coal was once distributed into the hopper cars of waiting trains, past unique historic buildings and through fields of equipment discarded during the mine's period of operation between 1936 and 1956.

Later, visitors climb the narrow wooden shaft of the last standing wooden coal tippie in Canada, once used to prepare and load coal for transportation to market. Walking hundreds of feet along a thick rubber conveyor belt, visitors hear anecdotes about the young miners who worked there. They learn how the tippie and its equipment sorted and preserved the freshly mined coal — from dusty “nuts” and fist-sized “eggs” to the much larger “lumps.”

Donning hard-hats and lamps, visitors shiver as they enter the cool stillness of the mineshaft. Typical of mines in the badlands, this is an uphill hike to where coal deposits are visible externally in the black rings of the hoodoos. The mine is dark and full of mystery, and when all the headlamps are

extinguished it's impossible to see even an inch ahead. At the end of the shaft, visitors find themselves at the height of Atlas Coal Mine #3, with breathtaking views of the valley below. The tour continues with glimpses of the ongoing mine restoration and a walk around the blacksmith's shop.



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As such a spectacular tribute to the Drumheller Valley's mining history, it's no surprise this was chosen as the location for a stage of the *Amazing Race Canada* reality TV competition in 2013. ■



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### GETTING THERE:

Atlas Coal Mine National Historic Site is 15 minutes east of Drumheller on Highway 10

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## BOOM GOES THE TOWN

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When coal was king, Drumheller boomed and a young man's character was forged in the mines

by Sean P. Young

### **It was a time that shaped Drumheller's identity.**

Between 1911 and 1965, coal was king, and it seemed the boom would never end. Brothels, brawlers, bootleggers and all the other characters of a halfcentury of coal mining helped make Drumheller the "Wonderland of the West."

The story began in 1911 when the Newcastle Coal Co. started shipping home-heating coal via rail from Drumheller's first commercial mine. Within a year, eight mines were operating in the area. When Newcastle set up shop, Drumheller had 50 residents; by the late 1920s, the population was around 10,000.

Drumheller's growth earned it many nicknames. "Canada's Miracle City" attracted men (and boys as young as 12) from Europe, the U.S. and eastern Canada to work the mines. But in the early days of the coal boom, the thousands who came seeking work had their own name for Drumheller: Hell's Hole.

Miners suffered winter in canvas tents or mining company houses — "chicken coops" — often with no electricity, plumbing or heat. Miners had to buy their own tools and equipment at inflated prices from the company stores.

Drumheller's nefarious reputation, which persisted into the 1960s, was a result of the miners' everyday struggles. More than 200 were killed in the mines, and many more were maimed, burned or fell ill. Every labour right earned by the mine workers was paid for with clashes against union-busting spies and armed "constables" hired by mine operators during dozens of labour strikes in the Drumheller valley.

But for every bleak account of Drumheller's mining days, there's an accompanying story of resilience, camaraderie or heroism.

Hundreds, like Gertrude Charters — a Volunteer Aid Detachment worker from Carmangay, Alta. — came to Drumheller in 1918 to treat those ravaged by the worldwide

Spanish influenza epidemic. Despite the flu being compared to medieval Europe's Black Plague, Charters worked fearlessly saving lives.

Between 1911 and 1965, a staggering 60 million tons of coal were shipped from the 139 registered mines in the Drumheller valley. The Leduc oil strike of 1947, however, was the beginning of the end of the coal boom. Canadians soon chose cleaner oil and natural gas to heat their homes and, by the 1970s, Drumheller's coal industry had tapered off. The Atlas Coal Mine was, in 1984, the last to close.

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As Drumhellerite Marion Smith writes in her poem *To the Old Miners*, the miners are gone but not forgotten: "Their labours warmed a million homes, gripped by the prairie winter's cold; across all Western Canada, they burned Drumheller coal." ■



The tippie, at Atlas Coal Mine



## DINO ARTS

Bringing you a little bit of charm and character, around every corner  
by Marley Henneigh

**T**he Drumheller DinoArts Association is a volunteer group that fundraises to maintain the dinosaur-related artwork and sculptures in and around the Drumheller valley.



Currently there are over 30 dinosaur sculptures, some of which were originally built in the 1960's. Each year new dinosaurs are added, and volunteers give the old ones a fresh coat of paint. Can you find them all? ■



photo courtesy of Paula Sutherland

## BRIDGES BEER AND BULLET HOLES

The coal boom is long past, but Wayne is proud of its rough-and-tumble history  
by Barbara Balfour

**I**f you should find yourself hankering for a cold beverage while experiencing Alberta's badlands, take the Highway 10X turnoff from Highway 10 just east of Drumheller and head toward the tiny hamlet of Wayne.

Along the six-kilometre stretch that follows, you'll traverse no fewer than 11 one-lane metal bridges. Carrying traffic over the winding Rosebud River and the now-defunct railway tracks — once used to transport coal through local mining communities — these spans are in the Guinness Book of World Records as the most bridges to be found within the shortest distance.

But this bonanza of bridges isn't the only notable thing you'll find. Here in Wayne, 11 kilometres southeast of Drumheller, stands one of the last relics remaining from a once booming mining community — the century-old Rosedeer Hotel and its original bar, the Last Chance Saloon. Rumour has it the saloon got its name because it is, in fact, the last chance for a drink for 65 kilometres, or a day's ride on horseback.

Its nickname, though, was "the Bucket of Blood," because of the numerous fights that occurred there. Among these was a close call in the early 1970s that left three bullet holes in the wall. The story goes that three hooligans refused to pay for their drinks, so the barman calmly pulled out a .45-calibre handgun and fired three rounds over their heads. They then paid and left — swiftly.

During the area's mining heyday, there were 139 coal mines in the Drumheller Valley, the first of which opened in 1911. The last load of coal shipped out in 1979. Six of the mines were in Wayne. "And wherever there was a coal mine, a community sprang up, so people could walk to work," says Julia Fielding, executive director of the Atlas Coal Mine National Historic Site.

The tiny town was once home to 3,000 people, and at least 30 different languages could be heard in the mines and on the streets of Wayne. It was also the first centre in the area to boom and bust.

The vast majority of residents have long since left, but longtime Rosedeer Hotel and Saloon owner Fred Dayman grew up there while his parents were running the place, which they had taken over from his uncle.

The family operated the establishment from the time it was built in 1913, with Dayman and his wife Alisa at the helm for the past 30 years. Last summer, the Daymans handed the business over to new owners and longtime friends Dave and Videll Arsenault.

The hotel welcomes visitors seven days a week to stay in one of its seven rooms, or spend an afternoon enjoying a full menu that includes buffalo burgers and homemade apple pie.



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Rosebud Centre of the Arts presents plays that are worth the short, scenic drive to the hamlet of Rosebud

**W**ind your way through the Rosebud River Valley past badlands and wheat fields, and you'll find a rural gem — one of Alberta's longest-running professional theatre companies. Rosebud Theatre began in 1973, when youth pastor and teacher LaVerne Erickson opened a summer arts camp in the hamlet of Rosebud, a 30-minute drive from Drumheller via highways 9 and 840.

The camp evolved into a private high school and, eventually, into the post-secondary Rosebud School of the Arts and Rosebud Theatre.

At capacity, Rosebud's main venue, the 230-seat Opera House, can more than double the hamlet's population. In 2003, a second stage was added with seating for 65. Each year, more than 35,000 visitors see shows ranging from dramas to musicals, performed by staff, guest artists and students.

Theatre tickets include a buffet meal prepared by head chef Kosta Galanos across the street in the renovated century-old Rosebud Mercantile, also home to Wild Horse Jack's Grill, Rosebud Gifts & Crafts and a conference centre. Nearby, the historic United Church contains Akokiniskway Gallery and Rosebud Creek Recording Studio.

It's art with southern Alberta heart. ■

*(Thinking of spending some time in or near Rosebud? Check the previous page for great area accommodation ideas!)*

### GETTING THERE:

Rosebud Theatre is at 110 1 Ave. W. in the hamlet of Rosebud, 35 kilometres southwest of Drumheller on Highway 9 (then south on Highway 840).

### CONTACT:

403-677-2350 or 1-800-267-7553, [rosebudtheatre.com](http://rosebudtheatre.com)

### SHOWS & DATES

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# SETTING THE SCENE

The Canadian Badlands Passion Play impresses with the greatest story ever told

**F**or over two decades, the Canadian Badlands Passion Play has been transporting audiences back 2,000 years in time with its dramatic depiction of the life of Jesus Christ.

The elaborate three-hour production — complete with live animals and more than 200 actors dressed in authentic period costumes — takes place each July in a 2,700-seat outdoor amphitheatre surrounded by the iconic badlands coulees on the outskirts of Drumheller.

Within the gentle curve of the amphitheatre seating lies the largest drama stage in Canada. The stage is the size of six football fields and includes a number of large set pieces that evoke the feeling of Herod's temple and palace of ancient Jerusalem.

The amphitheatre's acoustics are ideal for large audiences, and a new state-of-the-art sound system ensures that no one will miss a word of the new script for 2016 based on the gospel of Luke and written specifically for the Badlands Stage. The 2016 rendition of the story is unique for it will be the first time in the history of the Badlands Passion Play that the play will begin with Mary and Joseph on their way to Bethlehem.

The Passion Play has attracted over a quarter of a million visitors since its first performance in 1994. Even when it's not on, the site is worth a quick detour should you find yourself in the area — the three crosses on a hill overlooking the site are a continual reminder of the play's dramatic conclusion.

Other events at the site include the Canadian Icons Concert on August 6th featuring Blue Rodeo and a Shakespeare

## FAST FACTS

Between 350 and 400 costumes are used for the production and are revised to fit the colour scheme of each new script.

Eight actors have played Jesus over 23 years.

There is a special manual for the scene in which the actor playing Jesus Christ is raised onto the cross.

From rehearsal to the final performance, the Passion Play takes 11 weeks to produce.

Yearly production costs for the play are \$100,000 per show of which tickets raise half of the required budget.

The Passion Play goes through changes each year to keep the story fresh for both actors and audiences.

The Passion Play has received many arts and culture awards and recently won the Alberta Pride Award from Alberta Tourism.

festival at the end of August. Check the website below for further information.

**CONTACT:**  
1-888-823-2001  
[canadianpassionplay.com](http://canadianpassionplay.com)

## DATES AND TIMES:

Evening performances are at 6 pm on July 8, 10, 15, 22, and 23.  
Afternoon performances are at 4 pm on July 9, 16, 17, and 24.

## TICKETS:

- Adults: \$47 to \$62
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# THE VILLAGE OF DOROTHY

A charming trek into the history of the Drumheller Valley

**J**oin us for a charming glimpse into the 1930s. Bring your family and indulge in the memories of yesteryear as you visit the **Village of Dorothy**, population 7. Dorothy is a timeless little community **seven minutes east of the Atlas Coal Mine** on Secondary Highway 570, which runs along the **Red Deer River**.

Dorothy is located near the intersections of Secondary Highways 570 and 848. Our quaint, historic village allows a real-life view of one hundred years of ranching, farming families and traditions.

Discover what the life of a bachelor was like at a rural school, fish at the river and explore a picturesque valley as beautiful as anything you might find on a postcard.

Dorothy is also the home of two restored churches that capture the true beauty of the rural 1930s architecture. One

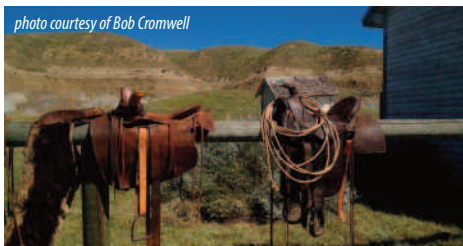


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was originally transformed from a family home while the other was adapted from an early school house. During the ten-year restoration project that spanned from 2005 to 2015, the community thrived on maintaining an authentic settler lifestyle.

The drive offers incredible Badlands scenery and when you arrive, the **Bulletin Board** features a touring map of Dorothy.

**Cottonwood Corner Campground** is open six months of the year and features cabins, tenting and free showers.

Or if you're daring, try the **canoe shuttle**, a 4 - 6 day tour down the Red Deer River from Newcastle Park in Drumheller to **Dinosaur Provincial Park**. It features some Class 1 rapids and is a fine run for novice river paddlers with some good leadership. Contact Willie at 403-442-2207 and say that Linda referred you.

Dorothy Bed & Breakfast is located in a 1909 home on a family ranch, and is open year-round. Contact Linda at 403-822-2124 or visit [www.bbcanada.com/12057.html](http://www.bbcanada.com/12057.html).

We would love to welcome you and your family during your journey through the badlands of Alberta. ■



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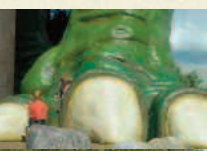
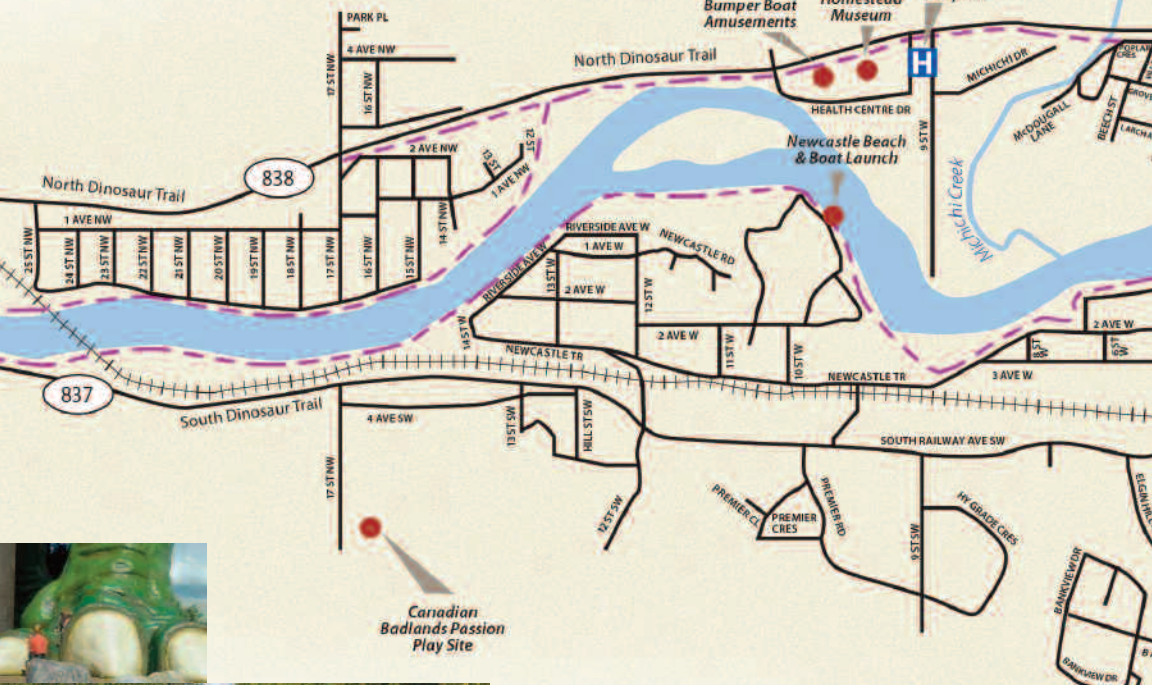
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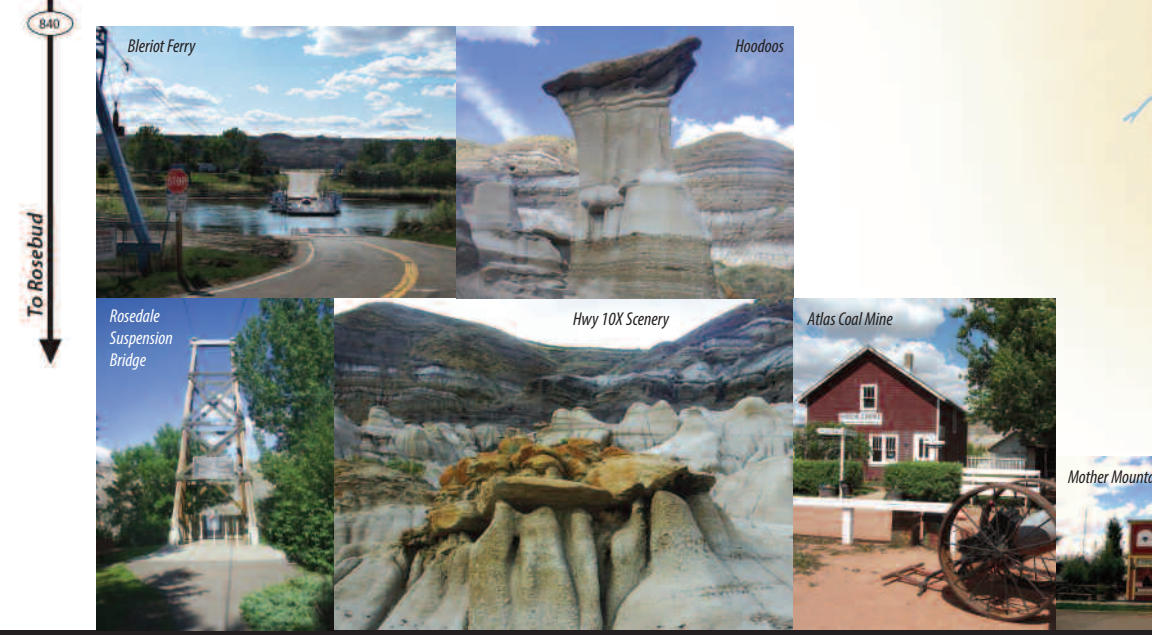
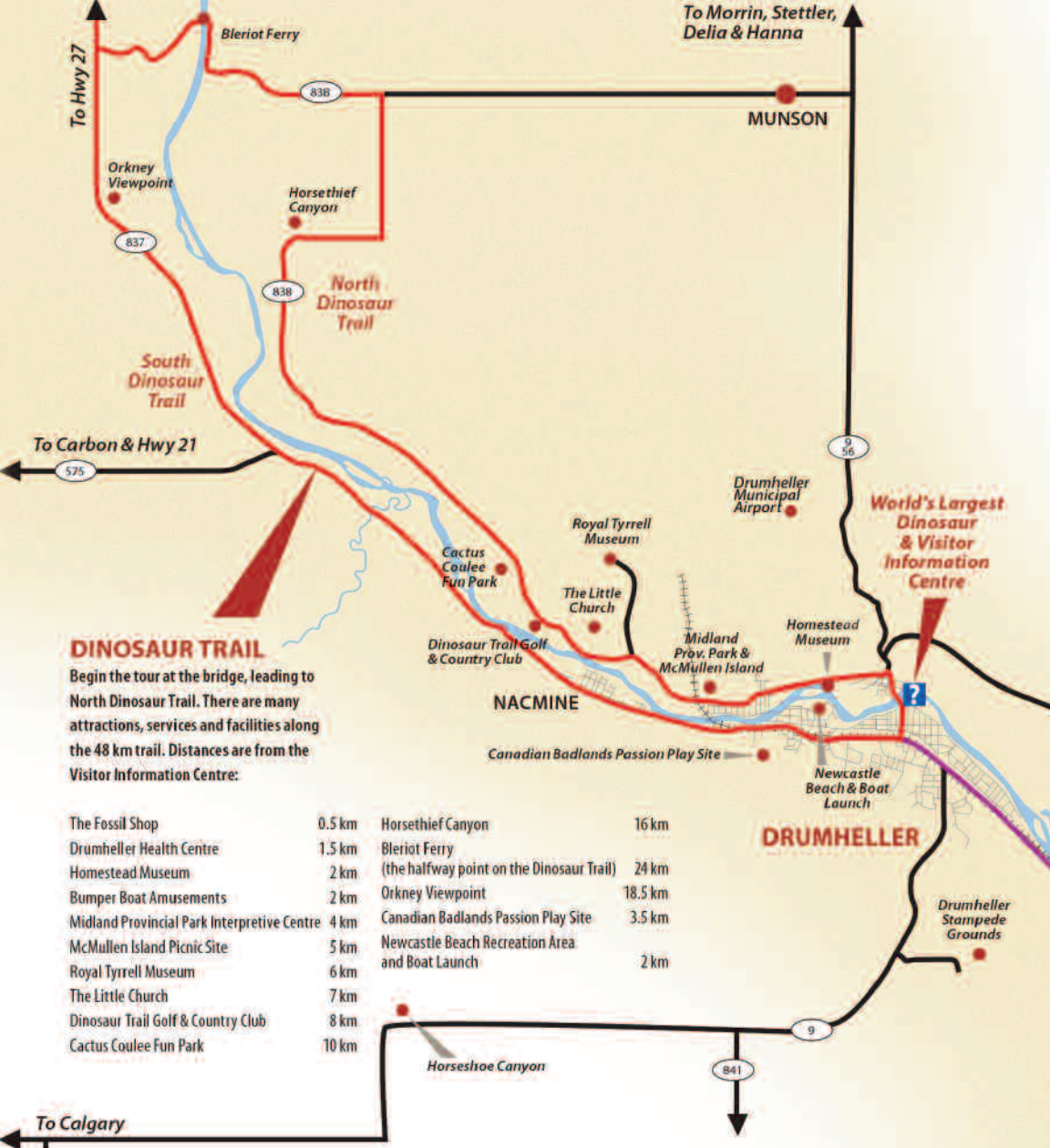
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# CAMPING IN DRUMHELLER

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Here is what you need to know to take the stress out of trip planning and make your visit an unforgettable experience

by Brian Graham

**D**ifferent campgrounds in Drumheller offer various levels of amenities and services for couples, families, groups of friends, and singles who wish to enjoy the camping experience.

Camping is for everyone and it is all about having fun and exploring the outdoors. There are two types of camping: frontcountry camping and backcountry camping. Frontcountry camping is the most popular because campers can drive right up to a campsite. These campgrounds are busiest because they offer more amenities and facilities including showers, flush toilets, theatres, playgrounds, snack bars, interpretive programming, golf courses and some have swimming pools.

Serviced campsites generally offer electrical, sewer and water hook-ups for RV's, trailers tent trailers etc. and each campsite varies in price range. Usually, the more amenities that are available at the campground, the greater the price it is for using the campsite. Note that these serviced campsites are mainly utilized by RV's so it may not be ideal areas for tents but check with the park prior to arriving.

Unserviced campsites are more suitable for tenting since they offer tent pads, plus amenities such as flush toilets, showers and potable water are close-by. RVers and tenters that do not require hookups can use unserviced campsites if alternative serviced campsites are not available.

Pull-through campsites are labeled as such since they are meant for RVers who tow larger RVs or drive Class A Motorhomes. There is an entrance and exit which allows RVers to pull through the site rather than turning back to exit. This set up is especially convenient for RVers who own big rigs, fifth wheels, or long travel trailers that make it easier to maneuver through a campground.

Walk-in campsites can be accessed just by walking to them, but you cannot drive your vehicle directly to a campsite. However, there is usually a parking lot close by where you can leave your vehicle while camping. Note that these campgrounds have fewer amenities than the serviced and unserviced campsites.

Groups of all sizes can reserve group campsites as they are designed for this purpose. Contact the local campground



## DRUMHELLER-AREA CAMPING

by Brenda Gessleman

Throw your camping gear into your vehicle. Pack up your RV. Head out for an adventure! No tent, no problem. Rent a teepee or cabin, Drumheller campgrounds offer plenty of options. Camping is a great way to reconnect with friends and family, enjoy nature and explore new locations.

Take in the educational and fun filled activities the valley has to offer. Tour the amazing badlands. Walk or cycle the miles of trails. Check out the downtown shopping and cafes. Then return to the campground and relax. Pull out your lawn chairs. Start a campfire. Visit with friends and family and plan your next day!

directly for information on the location of group campsites and what is available.

Camping is a great way to unwind and de-stress with the whole family. Booking a campsite and planning a route are crucial to a good experience. **Check out the comparative campground information on pages 42 & 43 of this guide for a great starting point.** ■



photo courtesy Bob Cromwell

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## Morrin

### Morrin Historical Park-"Sod House"

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Contact us at **403-772-3843**  
or [mcbison@netago.ca](mailto:mcbison@netago.ca)



## Rowley

Rowley is an amazing ghost town with an undying spirit! It is also a must to visit when travelling through the Canadian Badlands. The community's main attractions include the newly restored elevators which have been designated as a provincial historic site, the Rowley Church, Prairie School Museum and the Yesteryear Artifacts Museum (housed in the original railway station). The most famous stop in Rowley is Sam's Saloon, a well-known local watering hole and meeting place. Be sure to stop by on the last Saturday of the month (5pm-8pm) for Pizza Night and great entertainment! Free camping is available in designated areas and all donations are greatly appreciated!

Rowley is 8 miles (12.8 km) north of the junction of Highway 56, 9 & 27 (Morrin Corner), then 3 miles (5 km) west on Township Road 32-4.

For tours or event bookings, call **403-368-3757**,  
**403-368-2355** or **403-368-3816**.



## McLaren Dam, Michichi Dam & Starland Recreation Area

These three campgrounds, operated by Starland County, each offer large, spacious campsites in beautiful serene settings. A great place to relax and do some fishing or hiking!

For more information, please call: **403-772-3793**  
or check out Starland County's web page at:  
**[www.starlandcounty.com](http://www.starlandcounty.com)**



## Delia

### Delia Museum & Grist Mill

This original 1913-14 two-room school contains a restored original classroom as well as local artifacts. Adjacent to the Museum is the only "New Ideal of Branford Gould, Shapley & Co." grist mill of this type in Western Canada. This wind powered mill pumped water, ground grain and ran a fanning mill or a lumber saw.

It's a must see in Delia!

Open 10am to 4pm, Tuesday to Saturday, July 1 to Labour Day. Open holiday Mondays. Other times by appointment.

Admission free. Donations always welcome!  
307 Main Street, Delia. Call **403-364-3848**.



### Mother Mountain Tea House & Restaurant (Lic) & Country Craft Store, Delia

Beautifully restored and furnished with antiques located in a 1912 former lumberyard in the Village of Delia, the Tea House offers an excellent dining experience in a quaint and peaceful setting. Friday night we serve our famous baby back ribs. Saturday night we feature a Chef's Special. Sunday evening enjoy our Alberta Triple A Roast Beef. We also feature the largest selection of home-made pies and desserts in the region.

Open 11 am to 8pm, Friday to Sunday.  
Call **403-364-2057** for reservations.

**[www.mothermountainteahouse.ca](http://www.mothermountainteahouse.ca)**





# THE CANADIAN BADLANDS

*Red Rock Coulee. Photos this page courtesy Canadian Badlands*

Embark on a road trip of exciting discoveries and inspiring experiences  
by Chris McLellan

**T**he Canadian Badlands is a unique travel and tourism destination in Canada's west. With scenic drives from several urban centres, the Canadian Badlands has unique coulee landscapes and hoodoo rock formations. The region in Alberta is famous for rich deposits of fossils, including dinosaur bones, natural resources (oil and gas), First Nations culture, western lifestyles, and countless opportunities for recreation and inspiration. The Canadian Badlands region is truly the ideal place for the **Ultimate Road Trip** full of exciting experiences just waiting to be discovered.

The Canadian Badlands is home to some of the most unique attractions and communities you'll find in the province. Museums are plentiful and diverse and include **Medalta Potteries** in Medicine Hat's **Historic Clay District**, the **Galt Museum and Achieves** in Lethbridge, the **Windmill Museum** in Etzikom, and even the **Torrington Gopher Hole**

**Museum**. The arts are alive and well as showcased by attractions and events such as the **Rosebud Dinner Theatre**, **Bow Island Blues Festival**, the **Canadian Badlands Passion Play**, Strathmore's **Running of the Bulls**, Vulcan's annual **VulCon**, and the Brooks **Medieval Faire**.

Visiting **Dinosaur Provincial Park** is like stepping into another world. There's a chance for a new discovery around every corner! Explore the surrounding badlands, camp under the stars, or participate in a fully authentic dinosaur dig. You'll be amazed by the abundant fossils, unusual wildlife and stunning landscapes of this **UNESCO World Heritage Site** near Brooks. Fossils unearthed at the UNESCO World Heritage Site Dinosaur Provincial Park are showcased at the world-class **Royal Tyrrell Museum of Paleontology** in Drumheller and are on display year-round.



Lake Newell. Photos this page courtesy Canadian Badlands

**Writing-On-Stone Provincial Park** is *Where Histories, Stories and Dreams Become One*. Set in the prairie grasslands of southern Alberta, Writing-on-Stone is a sacred landscape. The spectacular Milk River valley contains the largest concentration of First Nation petroglyphs (rock carvings) and pictographs (rock paintings) on the great plains of North America. It also offers stunning vistas of the Badlands and prairie landscapes around it.



Think about staying at a historic ranch house, a tepee village, or a campground for a few nights to really get to know this spectacular and vast region.

Visit us at [www.canadianbadlands.com](http://www.canadianbadlands.com) to see how you can make your trip to the Canadian Badlands a truly personalized experience.

Whether you come to the Canadian Badlands for a day, or road trip for a week, it will inspire song, spirituality, and honest wide-eyed wonder. Welcome to the Canadian Badlands, we hope you enjoy your stay! ■





# DRUMHELLER'S DINING SCENE

by Nicole Forrest

**S**cattered in and around Drumheller is a wealth of impressive dining options — you just need to know where to look. From a gourmet burger at **Bernie & the Boys Bistro**, 305 4th St. W., to the authentic **Vietnamese Noodle House**, 202 2nd St. W., to big-name fast food and sit-down restaurant chains, restaurant choices abound.

Start your morning in the zen-like surroundings of **Café Olé** at Railway Avenue and Centre Street. Here you can treat yourself to nutritious homemade granola, a fresh-baked loaf, hot soup or a tasty wrap alongside your delectable cup of gourmet coffee.

**Athens Greek Restaurant**, 71 Bridge St., is a family establishment serving up delicious home-cooked Greek dishes including souvlaki and baklava.

Looking for pizza and pasta? **Pizza Hut**, 249-3rd Ave. E., and **Pizza249**, 75th 3rd Ave. W, offer a popular range of delicious and satisfying menu choices.

**WHIFS Flapjack House**, 801 N. Dinosaur Tr., has a name that spells out its menu options for passers-by. Specializing in delicious waffles, hamburgers, ice cream, flapjacks and salad, WHIFS is often busy from morning to afternoon as visitors indulge in its delicious offerings.

Throughout the day, **Ivy's Awesome Kitchen & Bistro** provides a wide selection of homemade meals, from sandwiches and soups to main courses and desserts. If you have special dietary concerns, Ivy's offers a variety of choices for you as well.

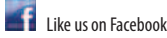
The restaurant that's the most authentically Drumheller has to be **Yavis Family Restaurant**. The Yavises have been in Drumheller for a century, and there are items on the menu that have been there since the restaurant opened in 1917.

Anyone eager to venture a little further into the badlands should drive 20 minutes to Wayne, where the family-friendly **Last Chance Saloon** serves a delicious buffalo burger and cold, refreshing pints in mason jars. Or if you're heading in the opposite direction, the **Mother Mountain Tea House** in Delia offers a quaint experience in a historic setting. ■



## Pizza Hut

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## Mother Mountain Tea House & Restaurant

102 - 1 Avenue W. Delia, AB  
 PH: 403-364-2057  
 www.mothermountainteahouse.ca

Located in Delia, Mother Mountain has served the largest selection of in house made pies and desserts in the region for 20 years. On Fridays, the smoked Baby Back Ribs are a must to try, and Sunday's Roast Beef Dinner is sure to please! Delicious and affordable dining. Lunch, Dinner or Dessert. Unique gift store and patio. Open Friday, Saturday and Sunday 11am – 8pm. (Please refer to Starland County ad page 33 for more information)



## O'Shea's Family Restaurant

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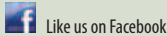


Open Mon. to Fri. 6:15 am - 10 pm, Sat. & Sun. 7.30 to 9pm.

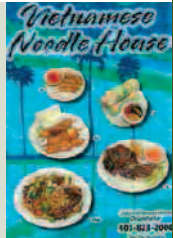


## Vietnamese Noodle House

202-2nd Street West, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-2000



Authentic Vietnamese meals from salad rolls and spring rolls to noodle soups, noodle bowls, and rice dishes. A full assortment of Western dishes and kids' meals as well. For a delicious meal with an Asian flair, nothing beats the Vietnamese Noodle House. Also offering a variety of soft and hard ice creams. Look us up on Urban Spoon! Seasonal Hours: Tues - Fri 11am - 7:30pm, Sat - Sun 12pm - 6pm, closed Mondays.



## WHIFS Flapjack House

801 North Dinosaur Trail, Box 2217, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0  
 PH: 403-823-7595

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## Yavis Family Restaurant & Prop Room Lounge

249-3rd Ave West, in the Valley Plaza, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-8317  
 www.yavisrestaurant.com



Yavis Family Restaurant has been serving the Badlands since 1917. Drumheller's original family restaurant serving everything from soup and sandwiches to steak and shrimp. We serve breakfast all day. Children and senior menus. Wheelchair accessible. Welcome large groups. We are hard to find, but ask anyone—we are worth it! Restaurant open Mon-Sat 6am - 11pm, Sun 7:30am-9pm



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### Athens Greek Restaurant

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### The Beef Club

Box 698, 700 Highway 9 South, Drumheller, AB  
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### Bernie & the Boys Bistro

305 - 4th Street West, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-3318

Our burgers come from naturally raised, free range beef, free of hormones, steroids and antibiotics. We serve generous portions, a variety of salads, wraps and other items. Try one of our 60+ flavours of hand blended milkshakes. Or maybe try a Super Mocha (iced espresso coffee blended with ice cream... mmmmmmmmm!). Owner, and Red and Gold seal chef, Bernie Germain welcomes you to our restaurant. Proudly serving our community since the last century. Open Tues. - Sat. 11 am or 8:30 pm, Friday til 9:00 pm.



### Diana Restaurant

388 Centre St., P.O. Box 526, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0  
 PH: 403-823-3030

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### Ivy's Awesome Kitchen & Bistro

35 - 3rd Ave West, Drumheller  
 PH: 403-856-2402  
 www.ivysawesomekitchen.com



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Ivy's Awesome Kitchen & Bistro specializes in gluten-free, vegetarian and other special diet needs with a home-style menu and "made from scratch" cooking. Ivy's has a full menu featuring gourmet sandwiches and wraps, fresh soup made daily, appetizers, mains and desserts. Ivy's also offers a brunch menu on the weekends including Eggs Benedict with real hollandaise, French Toast and more...eat in or take-out. Discover your comfort food at ivy's! Starting May 1st, open daily 8am - 5pm. Breakfast menu daily with a special brunch menu on the weekends.



### McDonalds Drumheller

100-680 2nd St. SE, PO Box 1779, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0  
 PH: 403-823-3215  
 drumhellermcdonalds@hotmail.com

Open 24 Hours, offering McCafe and Bakery. Breakfast Served 4am - 11am daily.





photo courtesy of Debra Jungling, Jungling Works

# BADLANDS ATTRACTIONS

by Anne Allen

**D**rumheller is situated along the **Red Deer River**, in a valley filled with charming secrets awaiting discovery. Nearby, within a short driving distance, there are an endless assortment of quaint towns, museums, galleries and attractions waiting to be found.

**Starland County** provides several delightful locales to welcome travelers. **Morrin** brings Alberta's past to life with a faithfully recreated **Sod House**, as well as a real, operating **buffalo ranch**. Further north, **Rowley** provides many restored historical sites, including the **Prairie School Museum**, the **Yesteryear Artifacts Museum**, and the famous **Sam's Saloon**. To the east, the **Village of Delia** boasts a **school museum** and **grist mill**. Delia is also home to the **Mother Mountain Tea House & Restaurant**, complete with patio and accompanying gift shop. While making the trip, Starland County provides three spacious campgrounds to accommodate you, and some fishing and hiking spaces for when you just want to kick back and relax.

On the way into Drumheller or on the way out, the **Town of Vulcan**, **Town of Three Hills**, and **Village of Beiseker** provide convenient stops with full amenities and some surprising discoveries of their own.

Back in the Drumheller Valley, stops along **East Coulee** and **Wayne** provide fascinating history and endearing flavour. The **Last Chance Saloon** in Wayne is a vibrant stop, off the beaten path. East Coulee, meanwhile, is home to **Caracol Clay Studio and Gallery**, and the authentic mining-area **East Coulee School Museum**. The latter also

serves as a venue for **Springfest**, an annual festival featuring blues, folk, rock, roots, country and alternative music, taking place **May 6th & 7th, 2016**.

Returning to Drumheller, an array of diverse galleries and museums await, from the **Valley Doll Museum & Gift Shop** to the **Badlands Historical Centre**. **Ateliero Verda Fine Art Gallery & Studio** and **Jungling Works**, feature treasures by talented valley artists.

And to get the most from your visit, be sure to take a carriage ride with **Rare Rides**, a canoe or kayak tour from **Red Deer River Adventures**, or a helicopter ride over **Horseshoe Canyon** from **Mountain View Helicopters**. ■



## Ateliero Verda Fine Art Gallery & Studio

Box 1708, 40 - 3rd Ave West, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-2455  
[www.AtelieroVerda.com](http://www.AtelieroVerda.com) | [jsveda@highout.com](mailto:jsveda@highout.com)

The resident artist, Jacqueline Sveda, is originally from Magog, Quebec, but has lived in Western Canada for the last 30 years. Her work is inspired by her surroundings, in which imagination plays a big role. She works in acrylic and mixed media flat art, as well as stone and wood carving. Guest artists participate in periodic exhibitions. Hours of operation vary, please call the store for detailed hours.

## Badlands Historical Centre

Box 2135, 335- 1st Street East, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-2593

Welcome to the badlands historical centre, a unique museum and gift shop located in the heart of downtown Drumheller. All visitors are welcome to stop in and take a step back to the past. We are a small, volunteer-run community organization dedicated to the preservation and presentation of local heritage and the unseen uniqueness of the Badlands. So much more than dinosaurs, this museum touches on all the great aspects of our heritage that created and developed Drumheller. From coal mining to pioneer settlement, from fossil hunters to the creative minds of local residents, we have it all. Open May-October. Hours of operation vary; times are posted at the facility.

## Caracol Clay Studio and Gallery

169 - 6 Street, East Coulee  
 Phone: 403-822-2258



Janet and John invite you to visit their East Coulee Gallery full of their handmade pottery treasures. Open from 10am - 4pm daily. Just follow the signs. Browsers Welcome.

## East Coulee School Museum (featuring SpringFest)

359 2nd Ave, East Coulee  
 Phone: 403-822-3970  
[ecsmuseum.ca](http://ecsmuseum.ca)



**Experience life in a coal mining community:** a school converted into a museum of the coal mining era. Learn how families lived, take a guided tour, or book an interactive program with the strict school marm! Homemade soups, sandwiches & baking in our café. Rental venue. Alberta Museum Association Recognized Museum status. 15 minutes east of Drumheller via Highway 10. Open May to Sept 30 Monday through Sunday 10am – 5pm Adults \$5 + GST, Family \$15 + GST • Children under 6 Free • No admission charge for café only.

## Last Chance Saloon

555 Jewell Street, Wayne, AB. Mail: 555 Jewell St, Rosedale Station, AB T0J 2V0  
 PH: 403-823-9189  
[www.visitlastchancesaloon.com](http://www.visitlastchancesaloon.com)



Located in Wayne, AB. Stop in and check out the vintage 1900's Rosedeer Hotel, Badlands Camping (RV or Tent Sites), and Live Music. Huge parking area and outdoor seating. Full Bar, Full Menu, Family Dining, Patio Pints.

## Rare Rides

756 Hunter Drive, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-3700



In the Drumheller Valley, Rare Rides is a unique entertainment for our visitors to the Canadian Badlands. Picture a wagon ride through one of the town's river parks, a romantic carriage ride to a restaurant or a sleigh ride at the farm. We are family friendly as are the wagon teams who love kids and hugs. Let us be a part of your Badlands Experience. Happy Trails!

## Red Deer River Adventures

103 Grove Place, Drumheller, AB  
 PH: 403-821-0229  
[www.reddeerriveradventures.com](http://www.reddeerriveradventures.com)

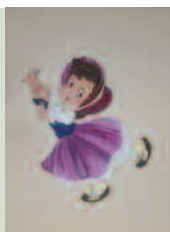



Enjoy the Alberta badlands from the scenic Red Deer River. Canoe and kayak rentals and tours. Shuttles to launch and pick-up areas and guiding services available. Open May through September.

## Valley Doll Museum & Gifts





84 - 3rd Ave West, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-823-DOLL (3655), Fax: 403-823-2703

You are invited to our antique doll museum to experience an era from days gone by which now includes former Premier, Ralph Klein's doll collection. Once you've visited our museum, you will want to shop in our unique gift shop which offers, dolls, doll clothes and furniture, miniatures, table linens, giftware, and a full line of costumes for all ages. Admission is charged to view the museum and we look forward to seeing you. Open year round.





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# DRUMHELLER'S SHOPPING SCENE

by Nicole Forrest

Sunbaked hoodoos gleam under a big blue Alberta sky in a breathtaking large-format print by photographer Michael Todor. Hanging in **3rd Avenue Arts**, 20 3rd Ave. W., the image takes you right to the time and place where it was captured.

And it's not alone. It hangs alongside hundreds of art pieces by fellow Western Canadian artisans, including glittering geodetic glass jewelry and reclaimed steel artifacts transformed into whimsical art pieces. The store is just one of the shops in downtown Drumheller's Gallery Row, which includes **Jungling Works** only a half-block away.

Drumheller's historic town centre offers a wealth of charming shops that combine the unique and beautiful with everyday essentials.

Check out **The Faux Den** and **Dry Canyon Collectables**, along with artisan works, health food, antiques, spas, clothing, quilts, flowers and even tall, hand-crafted totem poles. And of course you'll find groceries, gas, pharmacies and banks.

The town often puts its own unique spin on shopping and services — there's **BuyGone General Store** (a combined pawn shop and fudgery), for example, alongside chain stores such as **Walmart**, **The Brick** and **Shoppers Drug Mart**. **Marilyn's Fashion and Aesthetic** and **Merle Norman Cosmetic Studios** provide two fabulous stores under one roof for a one-stop shopping experience.

And of course, there are ample shopping opportunities for those seeking souvenirs of a prehistoric variety. **The Fossil Shop**, the **World's Largest Dinosaur Gift Shop** and the **Royal Tyrrell Museum Gift Shop** all offer different and unique souvenirs that capture the spirit of Dinosaur Trail. ■



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## Riverside Value Drug Mart

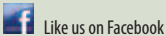
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 Phone: 403-823-DRUG • 403-823-3784  
 www.valuedrugmart.com • riversiderx@valuedrug.ca



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## 3rd Avenue Arts

20 - 3rd Avenue West, Drumheller, AB  
 PH: 403-823-3686  
 www.todorphoto.com



3rd Avenue Arts offers multiple sources of interest. Bicycle rentals. Canadian arts and crafts. Learn about the Badlands from local artists Mike and Carol Todor. In the Valley at this location since 1993. Visit our unique shop at the start of Gallery Row. Located at #20 - 3rd Ave West, Downtown Drumheller. Call 403-823-3686 or visit us on TripAdvisor.



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50 Railway Ave West Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-856-3689 | buygone12@hotmail.com

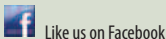


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## Dry Canyon Collectables

175-3rd Ave West, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-856-3556



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## The Faux Den

Bay C 175 - 3rd Ave West, Drumheller  
 Phone: 403-820-5224

Owners Tom and Amie invite you to experience their wide selection of old and new gift items unique to the Drumheller Valley. With a down-home, friendly attitude, the Faux Den will take you on a journey of the history of the valley through antiques, souvenirs, garden ornaments, toys, t-shirts, fossils, unique jewelry and lots more. With a salute to farming, mining and the railway, there is something for everyone.

May - Dec: Mon - Wed 11am - 7pm, Thurs - Sat 11am - 9pm, Sun 1pm - 5pm  
 Off-Season: Wed - Thurs 11am - 6pm, Fri & Sat 11am - 9pm, Sun 1pm - 5pm, closed Mondays and Tuesdays



## Jungling Works

299 - 1st Street West, Drumheller

Phone: 403-823-2208

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## The Salvation Army Thrift Store

349 Centre Street, Box 3097, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0

PH: 403-823-3970

drumsa.org

Store Hours:

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<b>DRUMHELLER</b>														
<b>DINOSAUR RV PARK AND DINO'S RV NEST</b> Corner of Hwy 9 & North Dinosaur Trail PH: (PARK) 403-823-3291 or (NEST) 403-823-3288 www.dinosaurrvpark.ca  Location! Location! Location! Splash park, World's Largest Dinosaur, aquaplex and shopping within walking distance. Pull-thru sites, playground, mini-putt, arcade, C-Store, ATM, portable fire pits, pet friendly, internet available. Park open year-round, long-term rates available.		PWS \$44-53	155	✓	✓	✓	✓	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	V MC DP	
		PW \$39-43	50					50						
		U \$34-38	10											
<b>RIVER GROVE CAMPGROUND AND CABINS</b> 25 Poplar Street, Box 2097, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 PH: 403-823-6655 www.camprivergrove.com  Scenic River Grove offers shaded RV and tent sites. Teepees are \$66 - \$70, and cabins from \$96 - \$170 + GST. (No pets in cabins). Located across the bridge from tourist info centre, World's Largest Dinosaur, waterpark & aquaplex. We have an arcade, playground, C-Store & free Wi-Fi. Quiet time 11 pm to 7 am.		PWS \$46-48	25	✓	✓	✓	✓	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	V MC DP	
		PW \$40-42	58					30						
		U \$34-36	52											
<b>BEISEKER</b>														
<b>BEISEKER MUNICIPAL CAMPGROUND</b> P.O. Box 349, Beiseker, AB T0M 0G0 PH: 403-888-9730 OR 403-947-3774 • FX: 403-947-2146 www.beiseker.com  Open May 1 - October. 24-hour on-site manager, BBQ, camp use area. Firewood / firepits, group camping, pull-thru access. Ball diamonds. Shopping can be found in and around Beiseker.		PW \$30-\$35	32	✓	✓	✓		30	✓	✓	✓	✓		
		PWS \$35-40	15					50						
		U \$15	50+											
<b>CARBON</b>														
<b>CARBON EAST &amp; MAIN CAMPGROUNDS</b> P.O. Box 249, Carbon, AB T0M 0L0 PH: 403-572-3244 • FX: 403-572-3778 www.villageofcarbon.com • E: carbon.village@gmail.com  Office reservation hours: 8a.m.-4p.m., Monday to Friday. All sites have power/water (except tenting), most main sites have sewer. Free showers. First night deposit required to reserve. Trail system, outdoor pool and ball diamonds. 25 minutes to Drumheller. <i>* 20 RV &amp; 7 tenting sites unserviced.</i>		PWS \$32-35	23	✓	✓	✓	✓	30-50	✓	✓	✓	✓	V MC	
		PW \$30	20					30						
		U \$15	20*											
<b>IRRICANA</b>														
<b>IRRICANA FOUNDERS PARK</b> P.O.Box100,Irricana,AB T0M 1B0 PH: 403-371-7376 / 403-935-4672 • FX: 403-935-4270 www.irricana.com  Located 35 minutes NE of Calgary off Hwy 9 and 567. On-site management, ball diamonds, camp kitchen, horseshoe pits, walking paths, rodeo outdoor riding area. Adjacent to Community Hall (available for rent). In and around Irricana are a laundromat and convenience store. We accept Passport America. Weekly rates available.		PS \$28	36	✓	✓	✓	✓	30	✓	✓	✓	✓	DP	
		U \$20	50+											



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<b>STARLAND COUNTY</b>														
<b>MCLAREN DAM</b> SW 23-33-18 -W4M PH: 403-772-3793 www.starlandcounty.com • E: info@starlandcounty.com  Open May 15 – Oct. 15. From the junction of Hwy 9 and Range Rd 17-5, travel 24 km north on SH851, then 3.2 km west, 0.8 km south and east into the site. This serene location offers great fishing opportunities in a quiet country setting.		P \$25	12				30		✓	✓			DP	
		PWS \$25	8											
		U \$20	20											
<b>MICHICHI RECREATION AREA</b> Michichi, AB NW19-30-18 - W4M PH: 403-772-3793 www.starlandcounty.com • E: info@starlandcounty.com  Open May 15 – Oct. 15, this campsite is located 0.5 km south of Michichi along SH849. The campsite offers a beautiful setting with great fishing opportunities, a playground, coin-operated showers and a camp kitchen.		P \$25	8	✓	✓	✓	30	✓	✓	✓			DP	
		PW \$25	11											
		U \$20	20											
<b>STARLAND RECREATION AREA</b> 10 km W of Morrin on Hwy 27 and 1 km N. PH: 403-772-3793 www.starlandcounty.com • E: info@starlandcounty.com  Open May 15 – Oct. 15, this campground is located beside the Red Deer River north of the Morrin Bridge. It offers large spacious camping areas and a scenic backdrop of the river and hills. Besides fishing, canoeing and great hiking opportunities, there are also a playground and three ball diamonds.		U \$20	75					✓	✓	✓			DP	

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<b>BADLANDS MOTEL</b> 801 North Dinosaur Trail, Box 2217, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 TF: 1-888-823-5155 • PH: 403-823-5155 motelbadlands@gmail.com  Closest motel to the Museum. Turn West two blocks north of the bridge. A/C, microwave, fridge, free Wi-Fi, cable in every room. Kitchenettes and 2-room suites available. Famous WHIFS restaurant on site!	\$\$	21	R	SUI K NS	C				M F	10% disc.	✓		A V MC DP
<b>CANALTA JURASSIC HOTEL</b> 1103 Hwy 9 St., Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 TF: 1-888-823-3466 (DINO) • PH: 403-823-7700 www.canaltahotels.com • E: gm@canaltajurassic.com  Free deluxe continental breakfast, guest laundry, high speed internet, elevator, hot tub and steam room. Kitchen Suites and ground floor rooms with exterior access. Hotel is attached to the Cretaceous Conference Center, the ultimate venue for your next event or corporate meeting. Close to Tim Horton's, Extra Foods, convenience store, Dairy Queen, and liquor store.	\$\$\$\$	47	NB	SUI K NS	NB	C		S W E	M F	✓	✓	✓	A V MC DP
<b>DRUMHELLER RAMADA INN &amp; SUITES</b> 680 - 2 St. SE, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 TF: 1-877-807-2800 • PH: 403-823-2028 www.canaltahotels.com • E: gm@ramadadrumheller.com  Indoor pool, waterslide, hot tub, free breakfast, fitness centre, guest laundry, business centre, meeting room, high-speed Internet. Pets with permission. King suites, ground-floor rooms with exterior access, elevators. Close to Super 8, Boston Pizza, A&W, O'Shea's Eatery and Ale House.	\$\$\$\$	74	NB	SUI NS	NB	C M	I N W S	W E	M F	✓	✓	✓	A V MC DP
<b>DRUMHELLER SUPER 8</b> 600, 680 - 2 St. SE, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 TF: 1-888-823-8882 • PH: 403-823-8887 www.super8.com • E: gm@super8drumheller.com  Indoor pool, waterslide, hot tub, free breakfast, guest laundry, exercise room, elevator, king and kitchen suites available, ground floor rooms with exterior access. Close to Ramada, O'Shea's Eatery & Ale House, Boston Pizza and A&W. Pets with permission.	\$\$\$\$	72	NB	SUI K NS	NB	C M	I N W S	W E	M F		✓	✓	A V MC DP
<b>DRUMHELLER TRAVELODGE</b> 101 Grove Place, Box 2350, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 TF: 1-877-464-0646 • PH: 403-823-5302 www.travelodge.com  Located just north of the river, across from Rotary Spray Park. Includes continental breakfast, free Wi-Fi & parking. Suites include king & jacuzzi options.	\$\$\$	49		SUI	L	C			M F		✓	✓	A V MC DP
<b>ECONOLODGE DRUMHELLER</b> 392 Centre Street, Drumheller, AB T0J 0Y0 TF: 1-877-823-0022 • PH: 403-823-3322 • FX: 403-856-4864 www.econolodgedrumheller.com • www.choicehotels.ca/cn825 gm.cn825@choicehotels.com • drumheller.econolodge@gmail.com  *For our best available rate please visit our website or call our front desk at 403-823-3322 Dial -0. Renovated in 2014, located downtown, minutes from the Royal Tyrrell Museum, Badlands Community Facility and World's Largest Dinosaur. 53 a/c rooms with exterior access, microwave, fridge, free Wi-Fi, comfortable queen beds. Pet fee \$25.	*	53	NB	NS		C	NB		M F		✓	✓	A V MC DP



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