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## Quick Facts

towers in at **86** ft tall (25m)

climb **106** stairs to the top

up to **12** people can fit  
inside her mouth

**4.5** x bigger than a real T-Rex

measures **151** ft long (46m)

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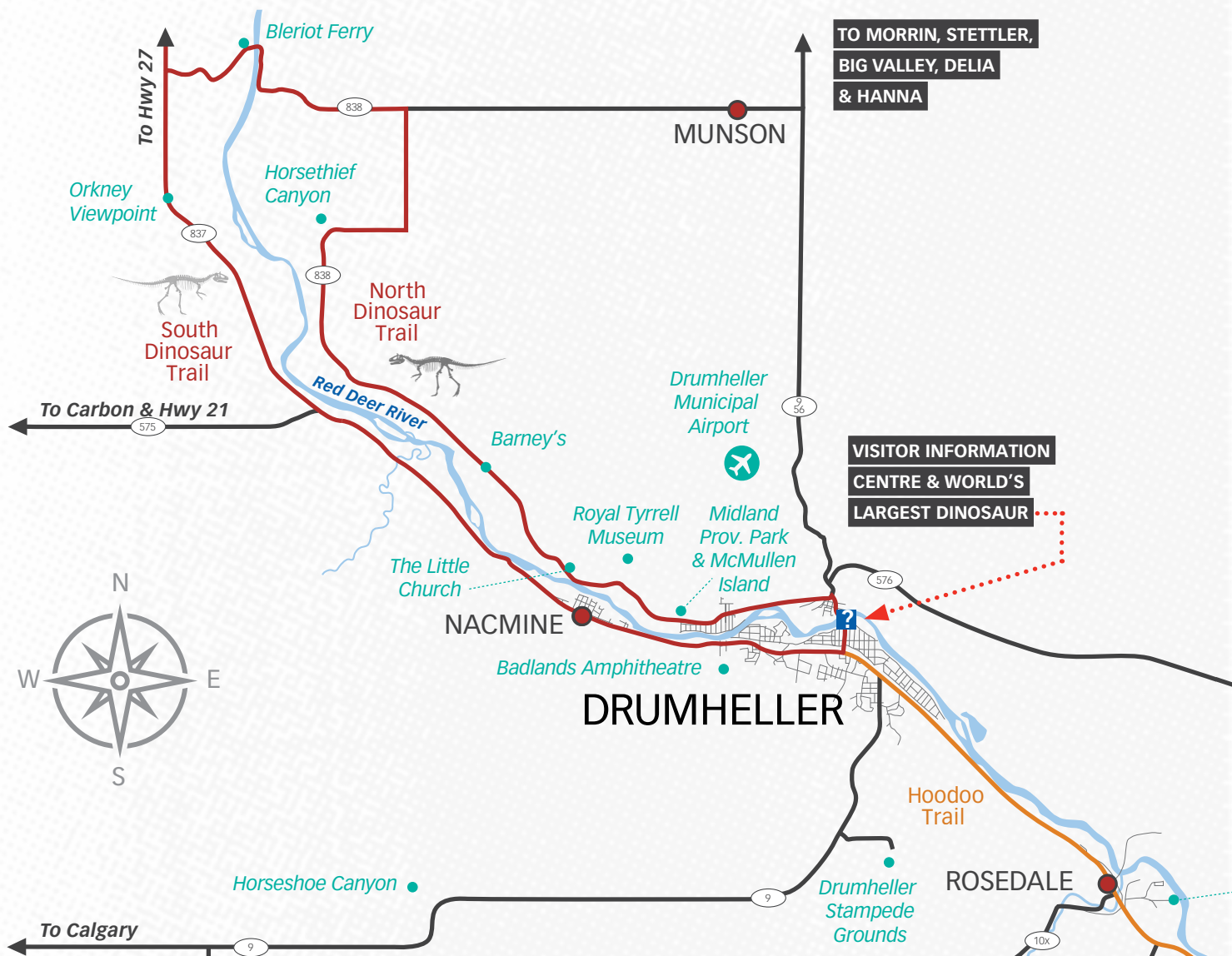
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### DINOSAUR TRAIL

Begin the tour at the bridge, leading to North Dinosaur Trail. There are many attractions, services and facilities along the 48-km trail. Distances are from the Visitor Information Centre:

The Fossil Shop	0.5 km
The General Store	2 km
Homestead Museum	2 km
Bumper Boat Amusements	2 km
Fossil World Dinosaur Discovery Centre	3 km
Midland Provincial Park Interpretive Centre	4 km
Royal Tyrrell Museum	6 km
The Little Church	7 km
Horsethief Canyon	16 km
Bleriot Ferry (halfway point on the Dinosaur Trail)	24 km
Orkney Viewpoint	18.5 km
Badlands Amphitheatre	3.5 km
Newcastle Beach Recreation Area and Boat Launch	2 km
Rosebud Theatre	35 km

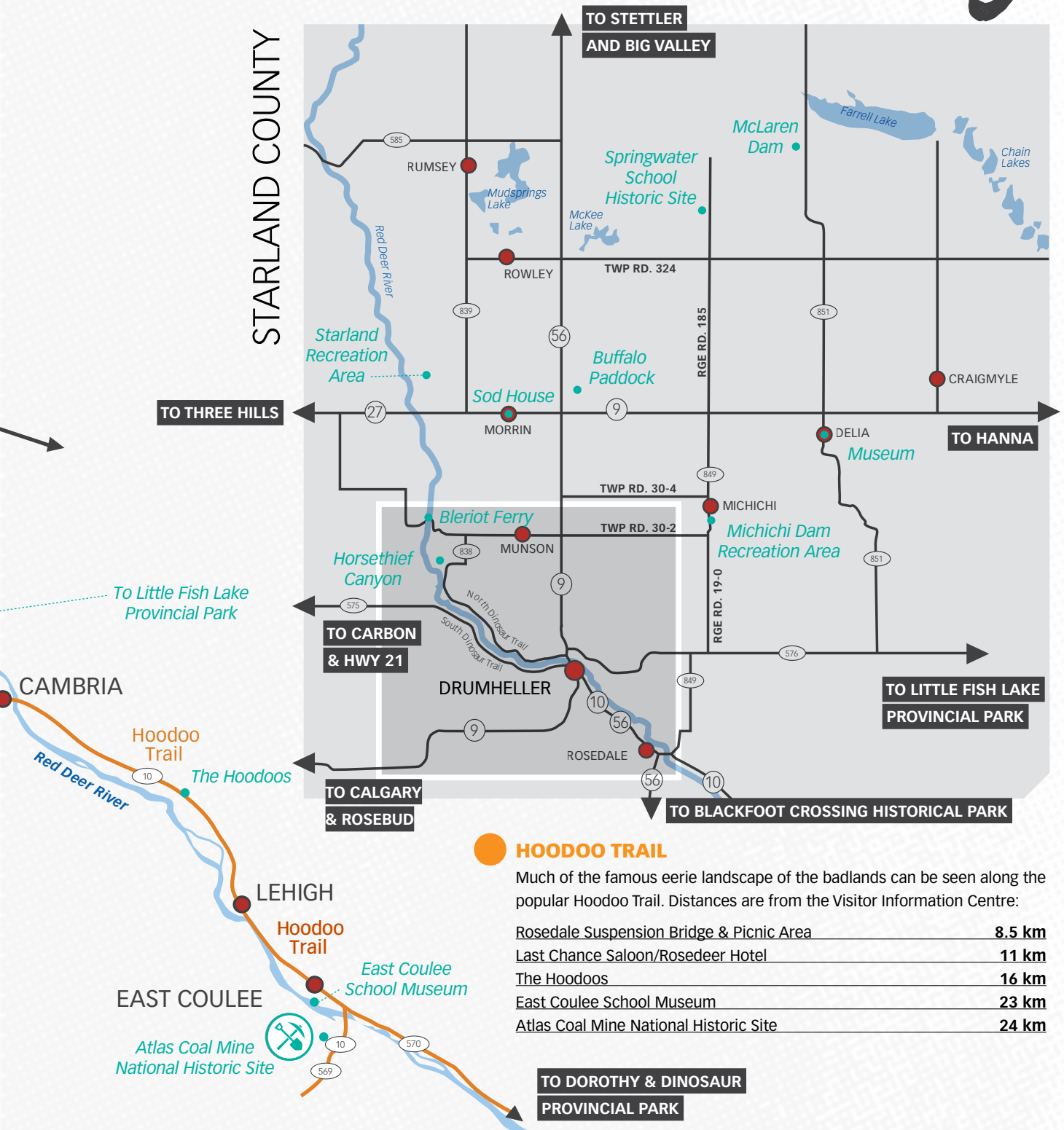
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To get to Rosebud turn south off of Highway 9 onto Highway 840. Continue south for approx 10 km to Rosebud

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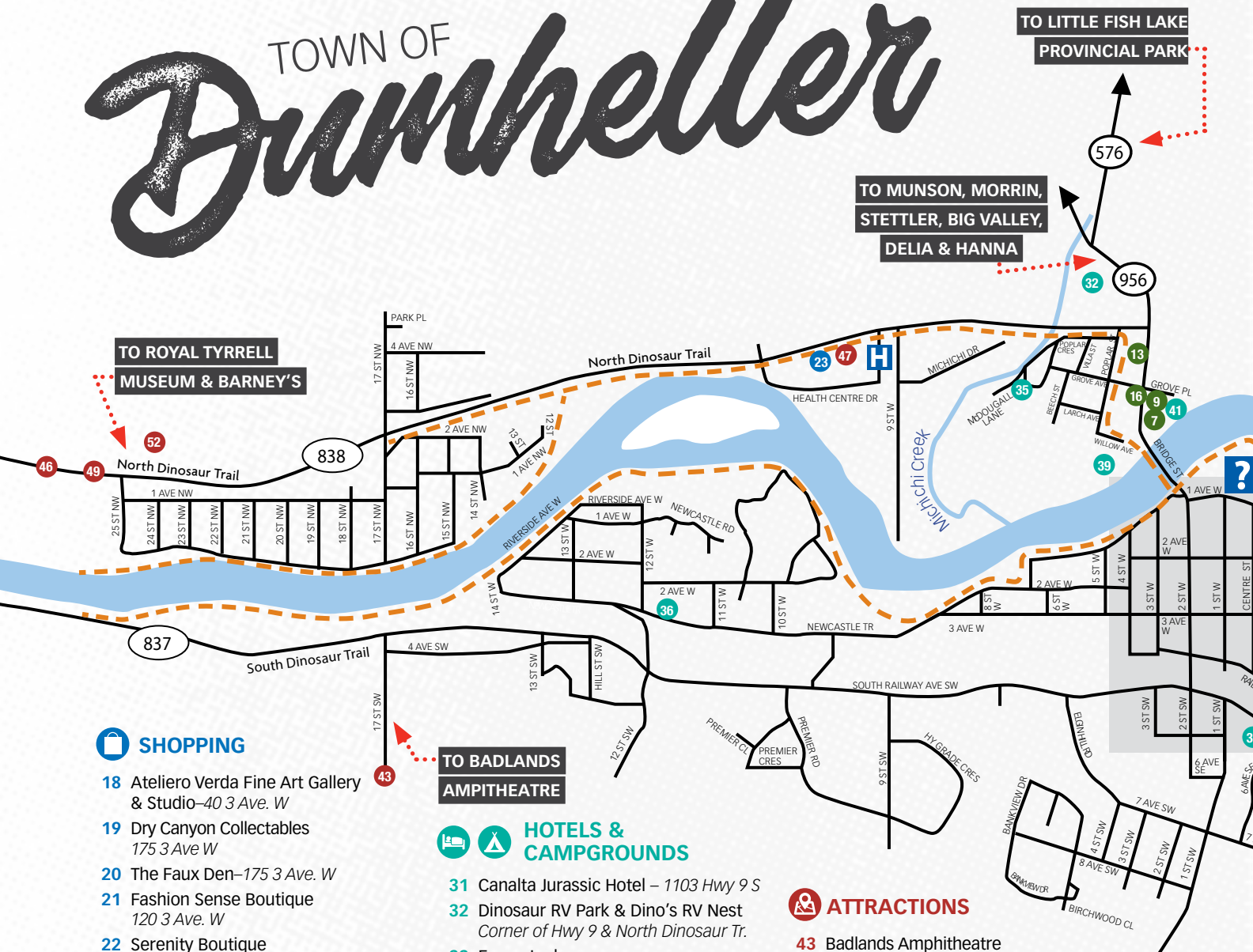


# THE Drumheller Valley





# TOWN OF Drumheller



## SHOPPING

- 18 Ateliero Verda Fine Art Gallery & Studio-40 3 Ave. W
- 19 Dry Canyon Collectables 175 3 Ave W
- 20 The Faux Den-175 3 Ave. W
- 21 Fashion Sense Boutique 120 3 Ave. W
- 22 Serenity Boutique 110C, 3 Ave. W
- 23 The General Store 901 North Dinosaur Tr
- 24 Jungling Works 299 1 St. W
- 25 Natural Light Images 175D 3 Ave. W
- 26 Pearl & Hart 680 2 St SE
- 27 Riverside Value Drug Mart 167 Centre St.
- 28 Rustic Chic 40 3 Ave. E
- 29 Sage Shoppe Refillery 65a 3 Ave. W
- 30 Stores on Centre 338 Centre St.

## HOTELS & CAMPGROUNDS

- 31 Canalta Jurassic Hotel - 1103 Hwy 9 S
- 32 Dinosaur RV Park & Dino's RV Nest Corner of Hwy 9 & North Dinosaur Tr.
- 33 Econo Lodge 392 Centre St. & Railway Ave.
- 34 Heartwood Inn 320 North Railway Ave. E
- 35 McDougall Lane B&B 71 McDougall Lane
- 36 Newcastle Country Inn 1130 Newcastle Tr.
- 37 Quality Hotel - 100 6 Ave SE
- 38 Ramada Inn & Suites 600, 680 2 St. SE
- 39 River Grove Campground and Cabins 25 Poplar St. N
- 40 SureStay Plus by Best Western 800, 680 2 St. SE
- 41 Travelodge - 101 Grove Pl.
- 42 T-Rest B&B - 281 2 St. W

## ATTRACTIONS

- 43 Badlands Amphitheatre 605 17 St. SW
- 44 Badlands Gallery - 50C 3 Ave. W
- 45 Badlands Historical Centre 335 1 St. E
- 46 Barney's Adventure Park North Dinosaur Tr.
- 47 The Homestead Museum 901 North Dinosaur Tr.
- 48 Rosebud Theatre 116 Main St., Rosebud
- 49 Royal Tyrrell Museum - Hwy 838
- 50 Valley Brewing - 242 3 Ave. W
- 51 World's Largest Dinosaur 60 1 Ave. W
- 52 Dinosaur Trail Golf Course 6455 N Dinosaur Trail



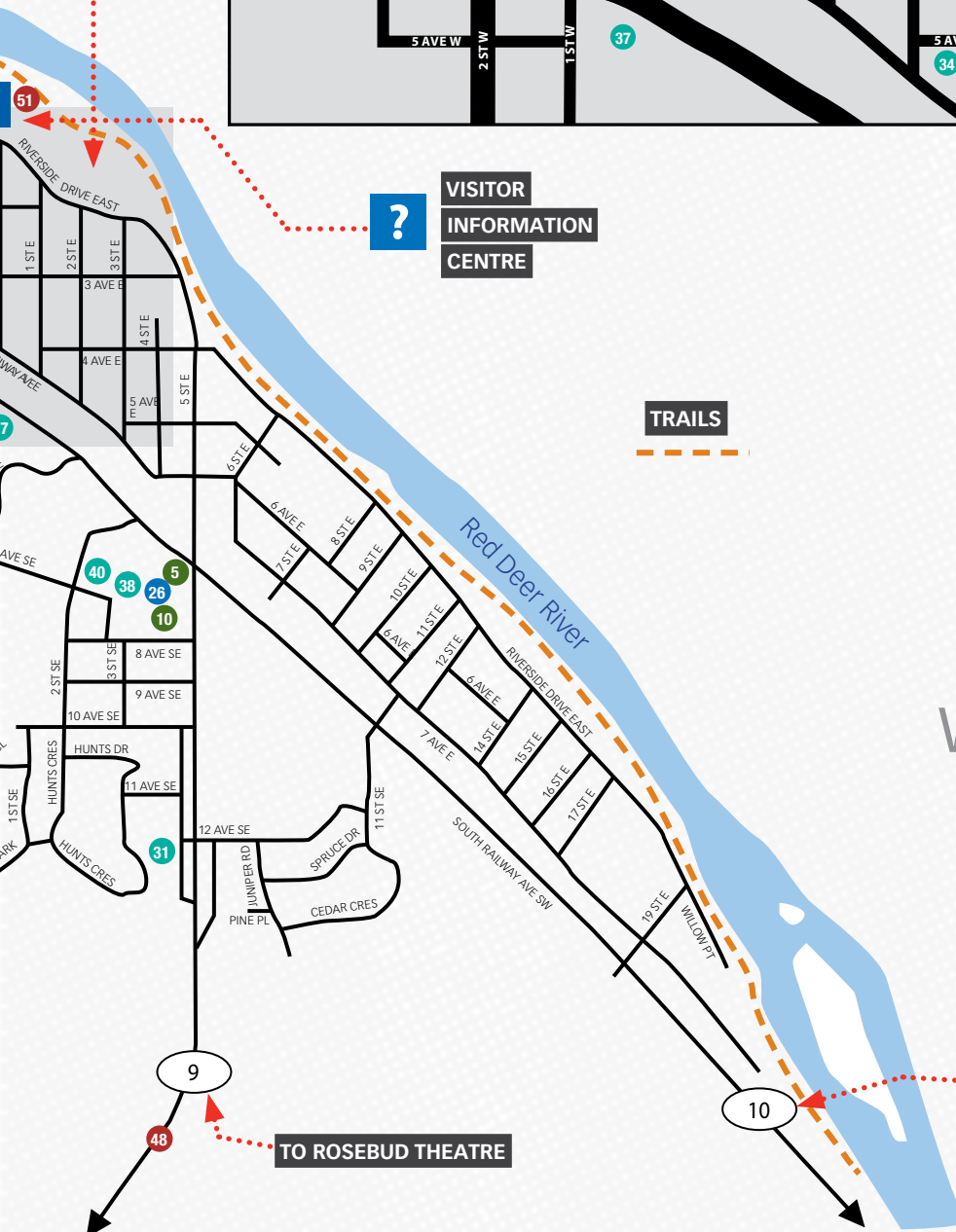


## CAFES & RESTAURANTS

- 1 Amara Pastries  
140 3 Ave.
- 2 Au Croque Monsieur  
323 Centre St.
- 3 Bernie and Boys Bistro  
305 4 St. W
- 4 Black Mountain Roasters  
150 3 Ave. W
- 5 Boston Pizza - #500 680 2 St. SE
- 6 Cafe Ole - 11 Railway Ave.
- 7 Damoa Sushi  
103B Grove Pl.
- 8 Diana Restaurant  
388 Centre St.
- 9 Marcs Place  
103 Grove Place
- 10 Pearl & Hart - 680 2 St SE
- 11 Pizza Hut  
Valley Plaza, 249 3 Ave. W
- 12 Sizzling Kitchen Chinese Food  
160 Centre St.
- 13 The old Grouch - 87 Bridge St.
- 14 Vietnamese Noodle House  
202 2 St. W
- 15 Vintage Tap House  
30 Railway Ave. W
- 16 Yang's Hot Pot  
71 Bridge St.
- 17 Yavis Family Restaurant  
Valley Plaza, 249 3 Ave. W

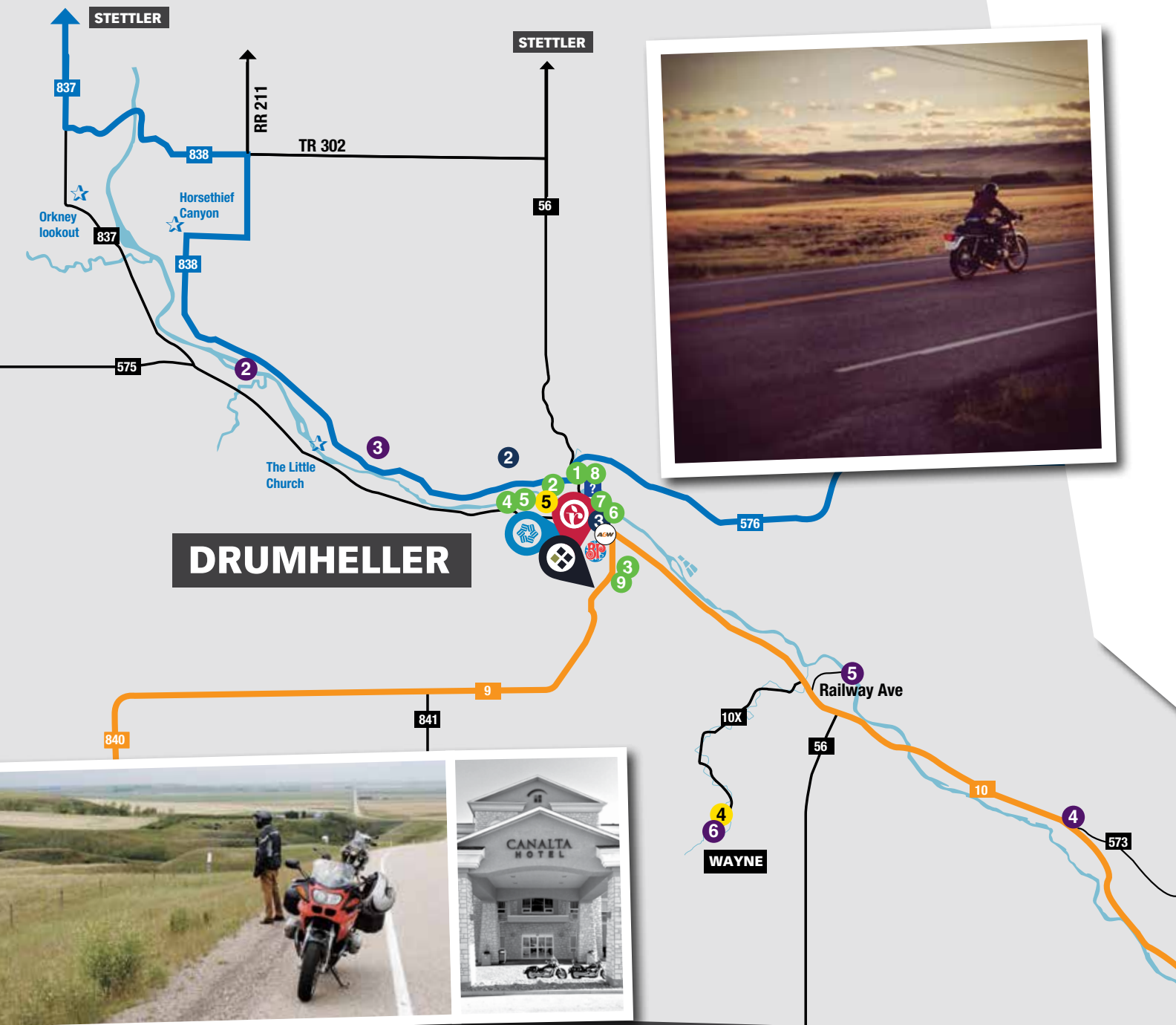
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& EAST COULEE**

**TO ROSEBUD THEATRE**



## SHOPS

- 1** Hoodoo Voodoo Cycle & Motorsports  
160 Railway Ave West  
403.856.7955
- ?** Tourist Information  
60 1 Ave W  
1.866.823.8100
- 2** Wanderlust Boutique at the Country Store  
Highway 575  
wanderlustboutiquedrum.com

## SIGHTS

- 1** Atlas Coal Mine  
20 mins SE of Drumheller  
atlascoalmine.ab.ca
- 2** Barneys Adventure Park  
North Dinosaur Trail  
barneysdrumheller.com
- 3** Royal Tyrrell Museum  
Hwy 838 Midland Prov. Park  
tyrrellmuseum.com
- 4** Hoodoos Trail  
canadianbadlands.com
- 5** Suspension Bridge  
canadianbadlands.com
- 6** Last Chance Saloon  
555 Jewell St, Rosedale Station  
visitalstchancesaloon.com

## Motorcycle Friendly HOTELS

- Canalta Jurassic**  
1103 Hwy 9 S  
canaltahotels.com
- Ramada**  
600-680 2nd St. SE  
canaltahotels.com
- SureStay Plus**  
680 2 St. SE  
bestwestern.com
- 4** Rosedeer Hotel (Wayne, AB)  
visitalstchancesaloon.com
- 5** Heartwood Inn & Spa  
320 Railway Ave E  
innsatheartwood.com

## EATS

- 1** The Old Grouch  
87 Bridge St.  
403.823.5755
- 2** WHIFS Flapjack House  
801 N Dinosaur Tr.  
403.823.7595
- 3** The Roll - 1102a AB-9  
403.856.0079
- 4** Bernie & the boys-305 4 St W  
403.823.3318
- 5** Noodle House - 202 2 St W  
403.823.2000
- Boston Pizza** - 680 2 St SE  
403.823.9700
- A&W**  
650 S Railway Ave  
403.823.8108
- 6** Au Croque Monsieur  
323 Centre St.  
403.823.2202
- 7** Black Mountain Roasters  
150 3 Ave W  
403.821.1455
- 8** Damoa Sushi - 103B Grove Pl.  
403.823.9323
- 9** Pho Dinosaur Vietnamese  
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403.856.0665



# Regional Tours

## THE PROVINCIAL ( 127 KM )

This quick route can take as long or short as you like. Stop and take in an Alberta Prairie Steam Train Tour or have a rest at Big Knife Provincial Park. Do a quick detour towards Battle River or just aim towards Donalda where you can check out it's coulee and Lamp Museum. Yes, that's correct, there is a Lamp museum, and this town is also home of the World's Largest Lamp. You can check that off your bucket list.

## THE GREAT LAKE LOOP ( 264 KM )

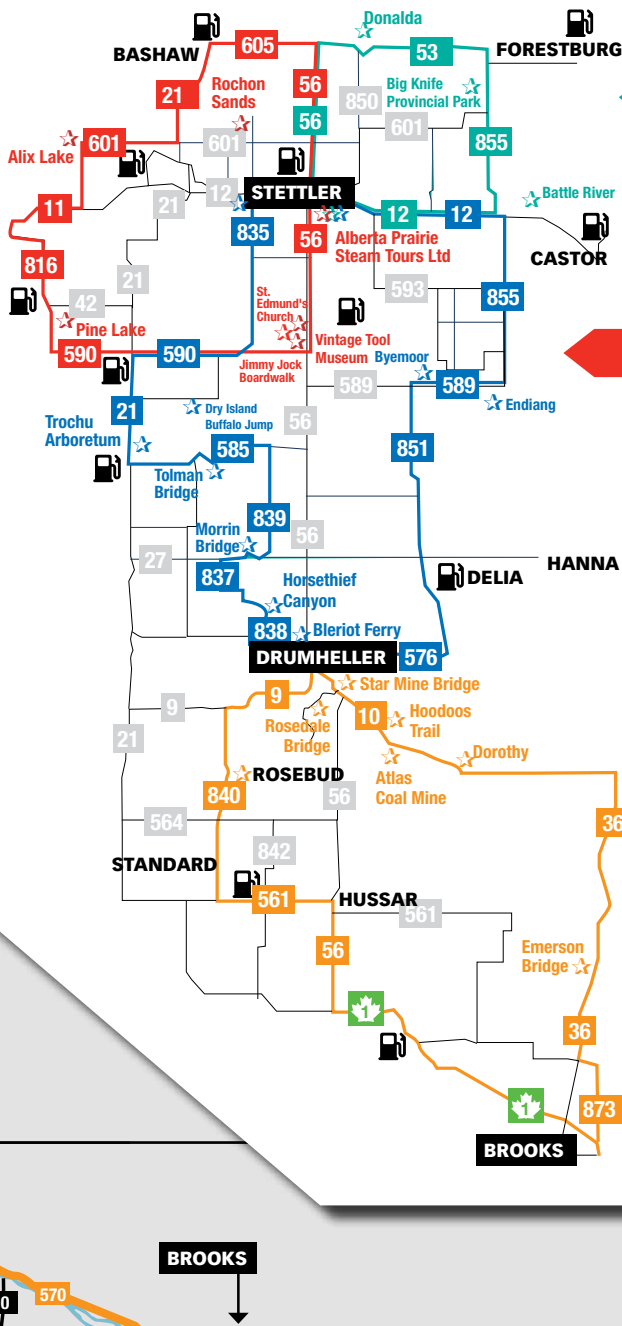
Head west of Stettler for a relaxing ride and take in some beautiful local lakes. Check out the Alberta Prairie Steam Train Tours or soak in Rochon Sands. Want to take in some history? Make sure to stop by Big Valley to check out their Tool Museum, the Jimmy Jock Boardwalk and take a peek at the St. Edmund's Church before heading back towards Stettler. Refuel with a good meal and an even better sleep.

## BRIDGING THE GAP ( 378 KM )

If you are starting in Drumheller, be sure to start at the Bleriot Ferry, then head northwest and stop at The Little Church on your way towards Horsethief Canyon. Enjoy the winding corners that speckle the badland landscape until you approach the stunning Morrin bridge. Take a break for some great photos, then continue on towards Tolman. Check out Dry Island Buffalo Jump provincial park then stop for a drink at the Trochu Arboretum. Swing through Stettler, have a bite to eat then continue towards the charming hamlets of Byemoor and Endiang. This route is guaranteed to be a memorable one.

## BIG SKY ROUTE ( 334 KM )

This makes a great short day ride going through the Alberta Badlands - a desert-like area where many pre-historic bone-beds have been found. Be sure to stop in Drumheller to check out a few of their many attractions. Another great part of this ride? Taking in the hoodoos. If time allows, take a slight detour onto 10X towards Wayne. Visit the Last Chance saloon or carry on to Highway 10 towards Dorothy... You're not in Kansas anymore... about 35 km south east of Drumheller resides this tiny hamlet – population of six. This road is very special—built on top of an abandoned rail bed this strip of two lane blacktop is pretty well the best road in the area. Long easy sweepers make it a great ride and the scenery is some of the best in the Valley. Continue on through Brooks and if time allows, do a slight detour towards Kinbrook Island Park or head farther east towards the Dinosaur Provincial Park that is near Patricia. Once you have taken in all of the sights, loop back and enjoy the small town of Rosebud before arriving back in Drumheller.



## Hit the road and catch these events.

These areas in Alberta are famous for riders. Drumheller was even a finalist in "Canada's Most Rider Friendly Community" contest. Below are a list of events to mark on your calendars.

### JUNE/JULY/AUG

Evenings at the Plaza  
[drumheller.ca](http://drumheller.ca)

Farmers Market  
[drumheller.ca](http://drumheller.ca)

Last Chance Saloon's  
Open Market  
[visitlastchancesaloon.com](http://visitlastchancesaloon.com)

Triple Crown Series  
Round 2 ( Drumheller, AB )  
[triplecrownseries.ca](http://triplecrownseries.ca)

### SEPTEMBER

Roots, Blues and BBQ  
[Badlandsmp.com](http://Badlandsmp.com)

### OCTOBER

Oktoberfest at the Plaza  
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# DRUMHELLER VALLEY

## Calendar of *events*

All year round there are events and festivals happening in the Drumheller Region. Cycle the Canadian Badlands in the Badlands Gran Fondo, explore new trails at the Dinosaur Valley half marathon, listen to talks from international paleontologists at the Royal Tyrrell Museum, gasp at the driving feats at the races at the stampede grounds, watch in awe as ice sculptors create masterpieces at Festival of Lights or dance under the stars at an outdoor concert at Canadas largest outdoor stage- the Badlands Ampitheatre. Have fun and seize the chance to experience something new.

Below are some of the events happening through the year. Make sure you also check our events calendar to see what is happening when you are in the Drumheller region!

### SUMMER EVENTS

#### 1 ENJOY DOWNTOWN DRUMHELLER IN *May*

Visit all of the quaint shoppes and restaurants in our Downtown!

From  
*June 1<sup>st</sup>*



#### 2 *Downtown Farmers market* 11am - 3pm every Saturday until Thanksgiving. Find out more at f [drumhellerfarmersmarket](#)

From  
*July 1<sup>st</sup>*

#### 3 Enjoy entertainment downtown Friday and Saturday evenings with *Summer at the Plaza* Find out more at [drumheller.ca](#)



#### 4 Enjoy the demolition derby, and more at *Race Days* at the Stampede Grounds. Find out more at f [dinosaurdowns](#)



# July 1

## Canada Day Celebrations

Find out more at [drumheller.ca](http://drumheller.ca)



## FALL EVENTS

# July & August

**5** A 20 minute drive from Drumheller is the beautiful hamlet of Rosebud where you can enjoy, music, arts and culture throughout the summer. Enjoy **Outdoor Concerts on the weekends in Rosebud**. Visit [rosebudfestivals.com](http://rosebudfestivals.com)

**6** **Rosebud Chamber Music Festival**  
Find out more at [rosebudfestivals.com/](http://rosebudfestivals.com/)



**7** **Waynestock** - Small, boutique music festival held over 3 days nestled in the valley of Wayne.  
Find out more at [visitlastchancesaloon.com](http://visitlastchancesaloon.com)

**8** **Big Weekend at the Badlands Amp**  
Find out more at [badlandsamp.com](http://badlandsamp.com)

**9** **Vanfest at the Badlands Amp**  
Find out more at [badlandsamp.com](http://badlandsamp.com)



**1** **Roots Blues and BBQ at the Badlands Amp** Learn more at [badlandsamp.com](http://badlandsamp.com)

**2** **Dinosaur ½ Marathon**  
Learn more at [dinosaurhalf.com](http://dinosaurhalf.com)

**3** **23 Rosebud Plein Air Paint Out** Learn more at [f RosebudAreaEventsPage](https://www.facebook.com/RosebudAreaEventsPage)

**4** **Oktoberfest**  
Find out more at [drumheller.ca](http://drumheller.ca)



**5** **Downtown Halloween Trick & Treating** Learn more at [drumheller.ca](http://drumheller.ca)



## HOLIDAY EVENTS



**1** **Rosebud Theatre Christmas Production**  
Find out more at [rosebudtheatre.com](http://rosebudtheatre.com)



**2** **Festival of Lights**  
Find out more at [festivaloflights.com](http://festivaloflights.com)



**3** **Christmas in the Coulee**  
Find out more at [atlascoalmine.ab.ca](http://atlascoalmine.ab.ca)



**4** **Lightfest at the Badlands Amp**  
Find out more at [badlandsamp.com](http://badlandsamp.com)

# Be our Best guest

Located on the traditional territories of Treaty 7 First Nations—the Siksika (Blackfoot), Kainai (Blood), Piikani (Peigan), Stoney-Nakoda, and Tsuut'ina (Sarcee) peoples. The Badlands of Drumheller offers some of the most spectacular and unique out-of-this-world landscapes Alberta has to offer. Every year Drumheller welcomes 1 million visitors from across Alberta, Canada and the World!

Here are the top four tips to help make your visit more enjoyable and help preserve the Drumheller valley for future generations to enjoy.

1

## HOODOO'S & DON'TS



Hoodoos take millions of years to form and are very fragile. No matter how tempting it might be—please do not climb on them. Stick to the pathways, follow all signage and respect private property. The hoodoos will thank you!

2



## KEEP IT CLEAN

No matter where you travel in the Drumheller Valley, please help us keep it clean. Take your trash with you and please pick up after your dog. Local wildlife can be affected by what you leave behind.

3

## BE PREPARED

- ☐ hat / sunglasses
- ☐ sunscreen / bugspray
- ☐ long sleeves
- ☐ hiking shoes
- ☐ water / first aid kit

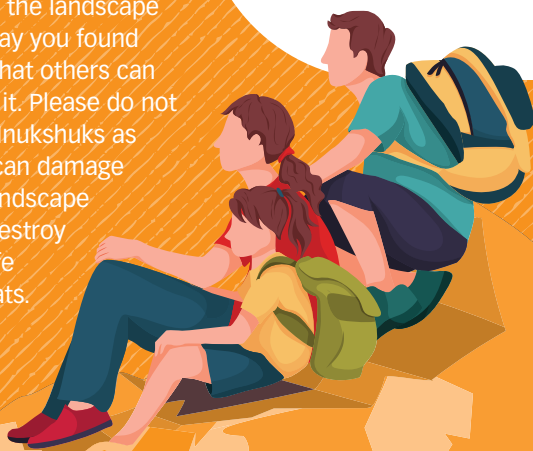
Start long hikes early in the morning or late afternoon to avoid the heat of the day. Always check the weather before heading out. Note that many trails are bentonite which is extremely slick when wet. Stick to trail paths and keep an eye open for wildlife in the area!



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## TREAD CAREFULLY

Leave the landscape the way you found it so that others can enjoy it. Please do not build Inukshuks as they can damage the landscape and destroy wildlife habitats.



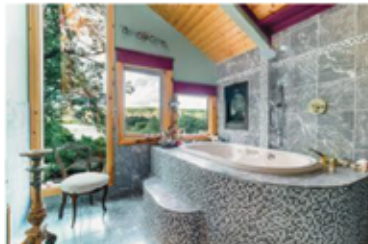
We thank you for visiting the Drumheller Valley. Preserving our beautiful badlands is our main focus so we can continue to create lifelong memories for you, your family and friends.



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## HORSESHOE CANYON CAMPGROUND

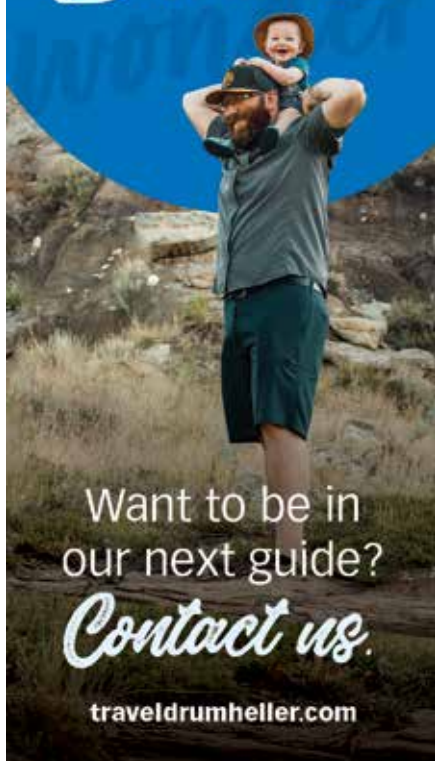
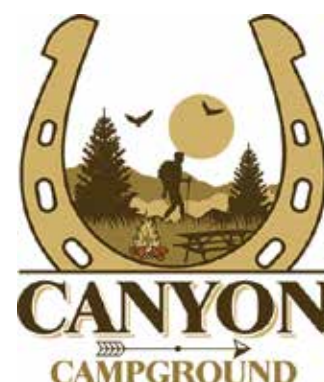


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[horseshoecanyon.ca](http://horseshoecanyon.ca)



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# — UNIQUELY — Drumheller

By Michelle Stewart

## Looking for a uniquely Drumheller experience?

Here are some of our top recommendations to help you explore the very best of what the Drumheller Valley has to offer and not to mention some of the best hidden Instagram-worthy spots.



Premium artisan coffee roasters, Black Coffee Mountain Roasters, offer a variety of locally roasted coffee beans!

Photo: CurioCity Calgary





Photo: CurioCity Calgary



E-bike to some of the best  
instagram worthy spots!

Photo: Travel Alberta/Kate Goldie



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## BIKES AND BITES

Located in the Badlands Community Facility at 80 Veterans Way in Drumheller, Bikes and Bites offers E-Bike rentals and picnics to go. You can order their delicious bites online and pick up your order during shop hours before you head out on your adventure. They offer youth pedal bikes, a ride-along trailer and two child trailers along with their e-bike rentals. Their bites include delicious sandwiches, snacks and drinks with vegetarian, vegan and gluten-free options. All orders with a bike rental come packed in an insulated cooler bag. Bike rentals are weather-dependent from late spring to later summer, but their delicious food is available year-round.

For more information and to book your e-bike adventure check visit **[bikesandbites.ca](https://bikesandbites.ca)**



## WALKING TOURS

Experience the beautiful Drumheller Valley and its hidden gems with a private walking tour. The three tours showcase the different parts of the valley whether it's along the extensive river path trails, or a hike in the hills. Drumheller Nordic walking tours are open to all ages and levels of experience (and are not just for walking with poles); you can even bring your furry friend and are available year-round. **Choose from one of the below tours (all of which are 1.5-2 hours long)**



### RIVERSIDE TOUR

6 km return natural riverside trails in and out of downtown

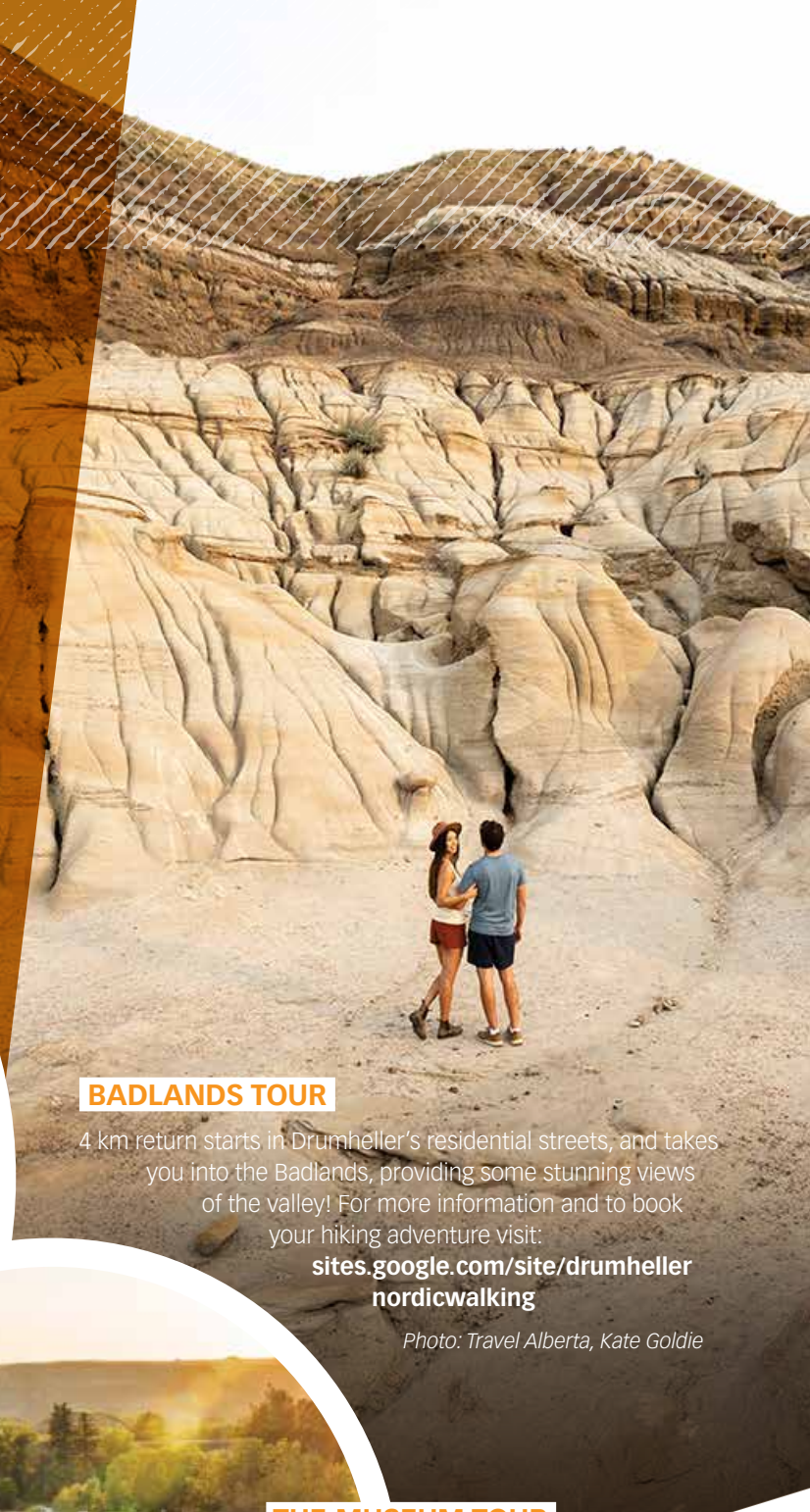
*Photo: Badlands Photography*



### THE MUSEUM TOUR

7 km return through Midland Provincial Park's badland scenery to the Royal Tyrrell Museum.

*Photo: Badlands Photography*




### BADLANDS TOUR

4 km return starts in Drumheller's residential streets, and takes you into the Badlands, providing some stunning views of the valley! For more information and to book your hiking adventure visit:

**[sites.google.com/site/drumheller-nordicwalking](https://sites.google.com/site/drumheller-nordicwalking)**

*Photo: Travel Alberta, Kate Goldie*





The northern lights are spectacular over the Badlands scenery.

### STAR GAZING

Drumheller is home to some of the most spectacular star-gazing spots in Alberta. Enormous prairie skies are known for lots of sunshine which means clear night skies. Our canyons and badlands make the perfect atmosphere for stargazing and of course, there is almost no light pollution. They also provide some of the most stunning backdrops to any photo. The parking lots at Horsethief Canyon and Horseshoe Canyon provide beautiful, easily accessed views, right off the highway, just a few minutes' drive from Drumheller.

### RED DEER RIVER ADVENTURES

Located at the Newcastle Beach recreation area in Drumheller, Red Deer River Adventures offer kayaking and canoeing tours and rentals along the scenic Red Deer River. Whether it is a guide or self-guided tour, they operate from May to October, weather and conditions permitting. The Island tour is a 14 km guided tour done either by kayak or canoes starting in Kneehill County. This 2-3 hour tour will take you past where the first Albertasaurus was discovered and the stunning beauty of the valley of the badlands.

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### Swalwell Dam

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South of Three Hills on Highway 21.

## visit

### Orkney Viewpoint

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# SEASONAL Road Trips

By Michelle Stewart

Drumheller is a year-round travel destination, so why not come and explore away from the heat of the summer.

Get your dinosaur fix at the Royal Tyrrell Museum of Paleontology and the World's Largest Dinosaur both of which are open year-round and of course all the fun dinosaurs livening up many corners in town. Wander through the many locally owned stores. Enjoy a perfect hot chocolate and treat at one of our coffee shops and bakeries. If you fancy something a little stronger, why not head to Valley Brewing? They are Drumheller's only microbrewery and serve beers to suit every palate.

***In the evening enjoy some amazing theatre at Rosebud theatre, 30 km southeast of Drumheller.***

Of course, there are fun seasonal adventures as well. From pumpkin patches, corn mazes, ghost tours and haunted houses in the fall, to holiday festivals in November and December.



Photo: Badlands Photography

*Enjoy the beautiful fall colours of the Badlands, hikes away from the summer heat and a slower pace in the heart of the badlands.*

## **PUMPKINS AT BARNEY'S ADVENTURE PARK**

This fun family event has something for everyone. With over 2000 pumpkins, you are sure to find the perfect one. It also offers impressive photo spots, a dinosaur trail, games, farm animals and a corn maze. A great way to spend a fall afternoon in the Drumheller Valley!

Visit [barneysdrumheller.com](http://barneysdrumheller.com)

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## DRUMHELLER HALF MARATHON

The Half Marathon and 10k have been certified by Athletics Canada, while the 5k is shorter and family friendly. All runs start and finish at the east side of the Badlands Community Facility, which is just a block away from Drumheller's world renowned "Tyra." Where else can you brag about running past the World's Largest Dinosaur? Half Marathon, 10k Walk/Run, and 5k Family Fun Run.

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# in the Winter

Photo: Mother Pixels

Uncover the wonder with our snow covered hoodoos, hills, and ice-covered river.

## WINTER HIKING

It's a local favourite activity, and Drumheller Nordic Walking and Red Deer River Adventures provide great winter hikes or snowshoe tours. Visit: [sites.google.com/site/drumhellernordicwalking/home](https://sites.google.com/site/drumhellernordicwalking/home) and [reddeer-river-adventures.com](https://reddeer-river-adventures.com)



## HOCKEY GAMES

Get close to the action as you watch our local AJHL team the Drumheller Dragons play at the Memorial Arena.

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## HOLIDAY FESTIVALS

the Festival of Lights with fire pits, carolers, entertainment, and the lighting of the tree kicks off the holiday season in our historic downtown. Christmas in the Coulee celebrates the traditional Christmas of the valley with the wooden tippie at the Atlas Coal Mine looking spectacular covered in Christmas lights. Lightfest at the Badlands Amp lights up Canada's largest outdoor stage.

Photo: Badlands Photography



## STARGAZING AND NIGHT PHOTOGRAPHY

Canyons, hoodoos, and badlands make the perfect atmosphere for stargazing. Photographers and stargazers love coming to Drumheller for night sky photography and constellation spotting. Our beautiful landscape makes a great foreground for the vibrant winter colours of the Milky Way.

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# HIT THE ROAD WITH YOUR **Best** FOUR LEGGED **Friend**

By Julia Fielding | Photo: Badlands Photography

The Drumheller region is a fantastic place to walk your furry friends. Plan ahead by reviewing our trail options at [drumheller.ca/play/trails](http://drumheller.ca/play/trails)

Drumheller can get extremely busy, so please keep your dogs on a leash in all areas for the safety of you and your pets. This includes Midland Park, Horseshoe Canyon, McMullen Island and the Hoodoos. Stay on the trail when walking your dog. Drumheller has three off-leash dog parks for our K-9 lovers. They can be found on Newcastle Trail by the Newcastle Inn, on 7th Avenue East by Drumheller Valley Secondary School and on 1st Ave NW by North Dinosaur Trail. You will also find a small fenced dog park in the Newcastle Recreation area.



## MANY OF OUR ATTRACTIONS DO NOT ALLOW DOGS ON SITE.

The Royal Tyrrell, the Atlas Coal Mine and Barneys are just some of our attractions that **DO NOT** allow dogs (apart from service dogs). However, our local kennel, Jurassic Bark Pet Resort, have options for day stays, allowing you to enjoy these sights while your doggo can relax.

visit [jurassicbarkpetresort.ca](http://jurassicbarkpetresort.ca)

## BEAT THE HEAT

Drumheller is hot in the summer, and it doesn't take long to put your pet into a harmful situation when left in a vehicle on a warm day. Public parking often lacks shade and protection from direct sunlight, causing the vehicle's interior temperature to jump from 20°C to 30°C or greater rapidly. Even opening a car window does not provide enough ventilation and reprieve from the heat in the car, (even on cooler days), and heatstroke can happen within 15 mins.

### Some great alternatives to leaving your dog in the car are:

- ✓ Shop at pet-friendly stores where your dog is welcome to browse with you.
- ✓ Eat at one of our outdoor cafés where your dog can sit with you.
- ✓ Check out Jurassic Bark Pet Resort to take your furry friends into a safe space on those hot days.

Even though you may see an animal in distress in a vehicle, it is strongly recommended that you do not break the glass nor cause damage to the vehicle in question.

*If you have a concern, please call  
Emergency and Protective Services  
at 403-823-1363.*

Many of our hotels and campgrounds are pet friendly and make your pets feel welcome. These are just some of the pet-friendly accommodations: Canalta Jurassic, The Ramada, The Quality Inn, and campgrounds such as Dinosaur Trail RV resort & cabins, Horseshoe Canyon Campground and 11 Bridges.

Learn more at [traveldrumheller.com](http://traveldrumheller.com)



## POST YOUR PHOTOS!

We love seeing your pets enjoying our beautiful area and so tag us in any of your photos with the hashtags **#Uncoverwonder** and **#petsinthebadlandsalberta**





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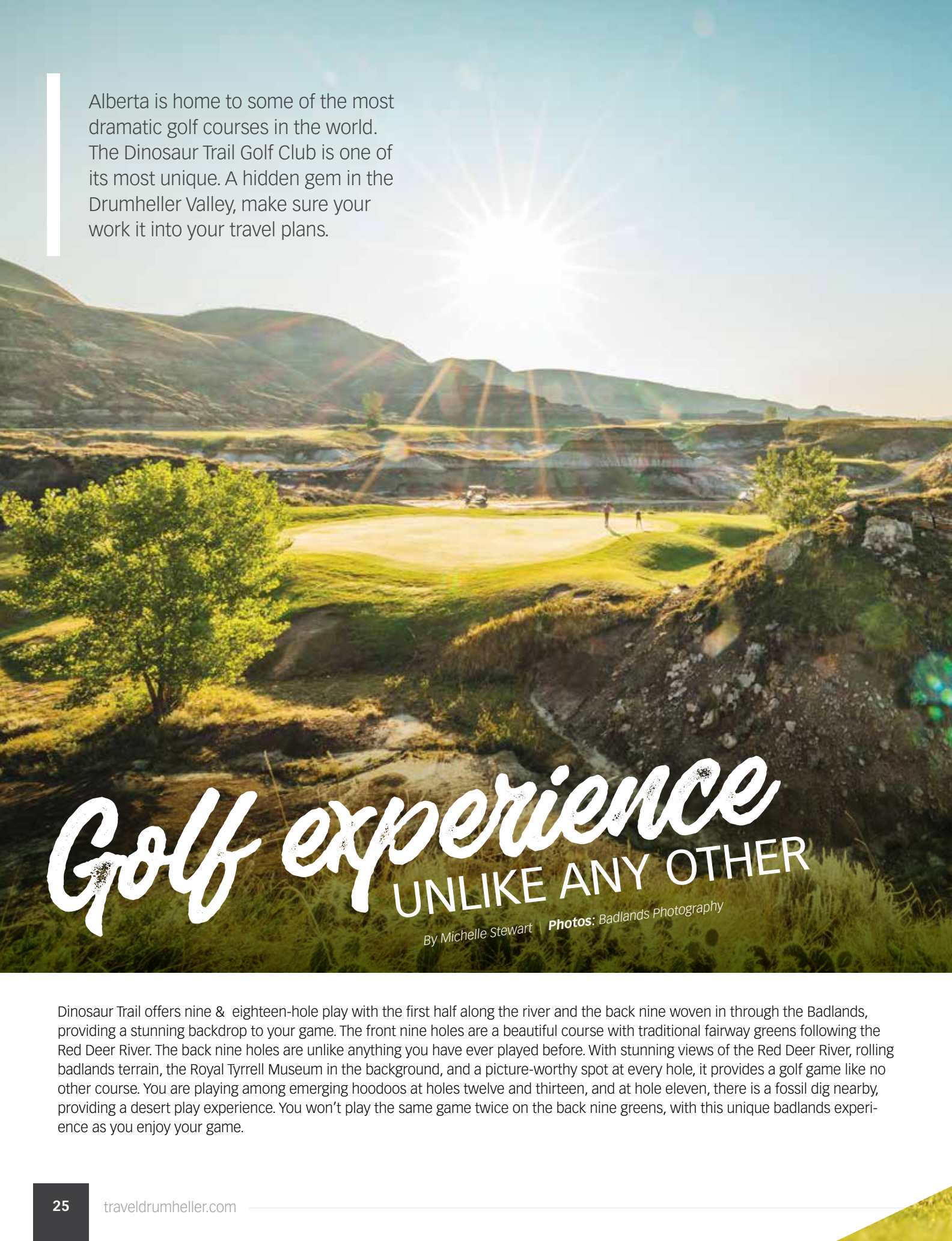
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# Golf experience UNLIKE ANY OTHER

By Michelle Stewart | Photos: Badlands Photography

Dinosaur Trail offers nine & eighteen-hole play with the first half along the river and the back nine woven in through the Badlands, providing a stunning backdrop to your game. The front nine holes are a beautiful course with traditional fairway greens following the Red Deer River. The back nine holes are unlike anything you have ever played before. With stunning views of the Red Deer River, rolling badlands terrain, the Royal Tyrrell Museum in the background, and a picture-worthy spot at every hole, it provides a golf game like no other course. You are playing among emerging hoodoos at holes twelve and thirteen, and at hole eleven, there is a fossil dig nearby, providing a desert play experience. You won't play the same game twice on the back nine greens, with this unique badlands experience as you enjoy your game.





The clubhouse has a spacious lounge with a pro shop, sports TV and pool table. But, of course, none of this would be complete with delicious mouth-watering snacks and thirst-quenching beverages.

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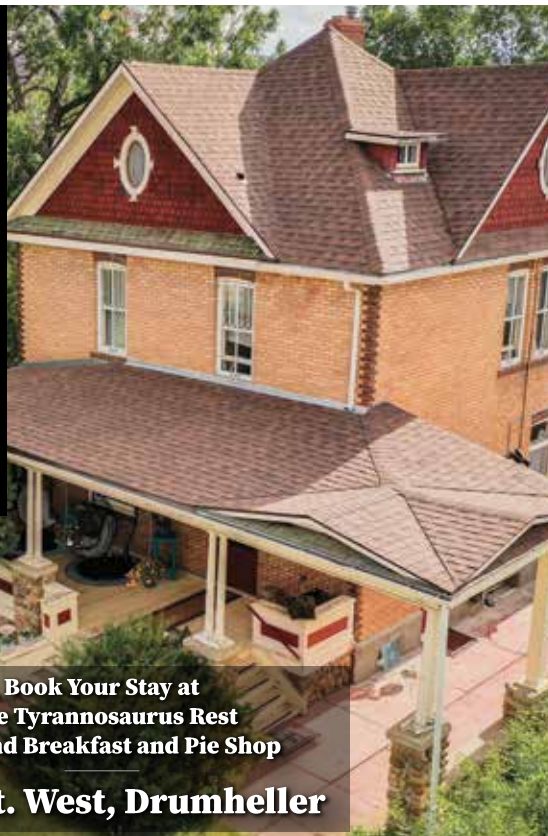
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# I found a Fossil!

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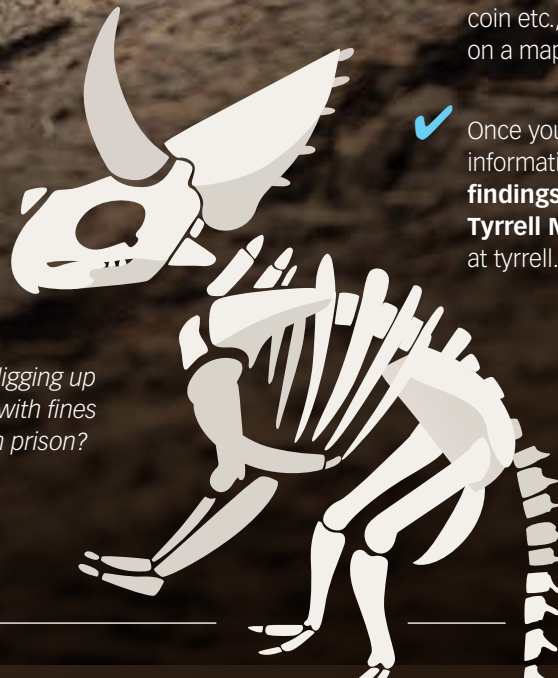
By Michelle Stewart | Photo: Badlands Photography

Thirteen thousand years ago, the Canadian Badlands were formed from the melting glacial waters of the Laurentide Ice Sheet. Still, the area and many fossils date back even further to 75 million years ago in the Late Cretaceous period.

## So what do you do?

- ✓ **Note the location of the fossil** - do not move it. Location is just as important as what you found. Take a picture, use a pen, coin etc., for scale and mark the location on a map with coordinates or GPS.
- ✓ Once you have collected all the information, it is essential to **report your findings and pictures to the Royal Tyrrell Museum's Head Technician** at [tyrrell.fossilreport@gov.ab.ca](mailto:tyrrell.fossilreport@gov.ab.ca)

Deposits from dinosaur bones, ammonite (fossilized shell), pieces of amber to dinosaur teeth. But did you know that in Alberta, digging up or removing a fossil is punishable with fines up to \$50,000 CDN and one year in prison?



Visit the Royal Tyrrell Museums' website for more information on what to do if you find a fossil.

[tyrrellmuseum.com/research/found\\_a\\_fossil](http://tyrrellmuseum.com/research/found_a_fossil)



Old mining structures can be seen throughout the Valley

# Instagram worthy SPOTS

By Michelle Stewart | Photos by Badlands Photography

The Canadian Badlands provide some of the most spectacular and Instagram-worthy spots in the province year-round. So, grab your best friend and selfie-stick and check out these prime locations that will leave your followers with a severe case of envy. Here are our five top spots for that perfect picture!



1

## The Hoodoos

provide a stunning and otherworldly backdrop for any photo with a sense of adventure. The towering sandstone structures took millions of years to form and will leave your friends and family in awe.



2

## Horsethief Canyon and Horseshoe Canyon

provide a dramatic backdrop to any photograph, with the badlands firmly the star of the show alongside the Red Deer River. Sunrise or sunset are the best times to capture warm red-orange skies in the canyons.



3

## The Little Church

is a must-visit for anyone. A tiny church that seats ten thousand people, six at a time with one person pews and pulpit. This small church is one of the unique historical spots in the valley.





4

## Tyra the World's Largest Dinosaur

sitting at 86 ft tall, is an irresistible Instagram-worthy spot. You can climb up her stairs and take pictures in her mouth, giving a whole new meaning to being eaten alive!

5

## Orkney Viewpoint

is a must-see in the area providing stunning views of the Red Deer River and valley. High above the valley it is perfect for a romantic couple's scenic photoshoot or your family's next holiday card.

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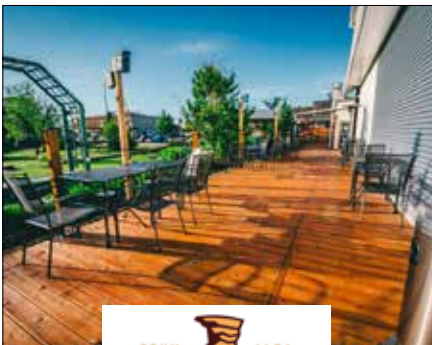
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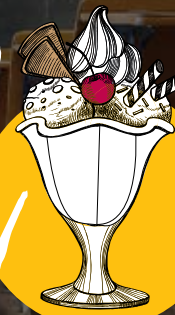


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