

Cremona Community Engagement Site

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Opportunities to Learn
"A Campus Alberta Central Learning Site"

February 2012

HORT WEEK 2012

Winter Speaker Series

Winter is a great time to begin planning your yard, garden and landscaping and now you can learn more about it while we await spring's arrival! Join us on the fourth Wednesday of January, February, March and April for evening presentations by Olds College Hort Week instructors who will be sharing their expertise in this new Winter Speaker Series. Get a taste of the Hort Week experience at these **FREE** presentations.

WEDNESDAY ♦ Feb 22 ♦ 7-8:30pm FREE - Residential Landscaping Basics with Angela Sommers

WEDNESDAY ♦ Mar 28 ♦ 7-8:30pm FREE - Environmentally Friendly Yards with Dr. Ken Fry

WEDNESDAY ♦ Apr 25 ♦ 7-8:30pm FREE - The Best Vegetables to Grow In our Short Season

with Peter Johnston-Berresford

PLEASE CALL TO PRE-REGISTER!

FEBRUARY BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, February 8th

7:00 pm – 8:30 pm **FREE**

The Forgotten Garden – by Kate Morton

From the #1 internationally bestselling author of *The House at Riverton*, a novel that takes the reader on an unforgettable journey through generations and across continents as two women try to uncover their family's secret past.

MARCH BOOK CLUB

Wednesday, March 14th

7:00 pm – 8:30pm **FREE**

The Glass Castle – Jeannette Walls

truly astonishing -- a memoir permeated by the intense love of a peculiar, but loyal, family. Jeannette Walls has a story to tell, and tells it brilliantly, without an ounce of self-pity.

CARD MAKING CLASSES

TUESDAYS

February 14th, 28th, March 13th, 27th

Instructor: Julia Van Arnam

If you are new to paper arts or a seasoned pro come and join us to learn some new techniques and leave with a finished product.

Tuesday, Feb. 14th



Birthday card using brads, thread and dimensional tape.



Tri-fold Card using Stickles Glitter Glue.

Tuesday, Feb. 28th

Baby cards/gift card/money holder

Tuesday, March 13th

Masculine cards using heat embossing

Tuesday, March 27th

Cards using the peel-off stickers and various colouring techniques.

Take one or take all 4

Time: 7:00 pm—9:00 pm

Cost: \$25/class includes kits to make 2 cards & 1 to take home to finish.

Please register one week prior to each class by calling Jan @ 403-637-3856 or by email: jshand@chinooksedge.ab.ca

Needed: Basic card kit (Scissors, pencil, eraser, double sided sticky tape (Scotch Brand works well) If you don't have these supplies there will be some available to share or purchase.

Please note that the Cremona CES will be closed from Friday, Jan. 27—Sat. Feb. 4. If you wish to book a session please email jshand@chinooksedge.ab.ca or leave a voice mail message. @ 403 637-3856 ext: 4862

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Computer "Know How" Series

Dates: Wednesday Evenings **Time:** 7:00pm—8:30pm

Cost: \$20.00/session.

Instructor: Derrik Hartman

Come to one topic in the series or come to all 8. Each topic is chosen to help you become more familiar and educated with your computer and electronic devices.

Wed., Feb. 15—Virus Protection

Wed., Feb. 29—Cleaning Up Your Computer

Wed., Mar. 14—Transfer Photos (Comp., Facebook, etc.)

Wed., Mar. 21—Using Skype

Wed., April 4—Popups & Updating Your Computer

Wed. Apr. 11—Backing Up Your Computer

Wed. Apr. 18—iPads, Notebooks & Shopping for Computers

If you have questions about your computer or electronic devices these classes are for you!

Please call to preregister.

FUNDRAISING SKILLS & IDEAS

Date: Thursday, February 16th

Time: 1:30 am – 1:00 pm

Cost: \$10/person

This session is focused on widening your view of fundraising activities and providing you with over 200 ideas for fundraising projects. Topics include food sales, sale of services, dinners, specialty sales, used goods, concessions, auctions, earned income from 'business' enterprises, equipment rental, cash donation options, educational programming, publishing and intellectual property licensing, special events and games of chance.

SENIORS HEALTH CAFÉ 3-PART SERIES

Session 1: *Ten Secrets to a Longer Life.* February 14

Session 2: *Becoming a Late Bloomer.* March 14

Session 3: *Our Memory as We Age.* April 11

Time: 1:00 pm—3:00 pm **Cost:** \$10/session
or \$20 for all 3 sessions

Please pre-register by calling Jan at 403 637-3856 or by email: jshand@chinooksedge.ab.ca ***You MUST register 2 weeks prior to each session!***

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH

Dates: Mondays, Feb. 13th, 20th, 27th, March 5th, 12th, 19th

Time: 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Cost: \$100 includes dictionary

\$90 if you already have our dictionary

Please pre-register before Mon. Feb. 6th

TRAVEL TIDBITS—Please call to register



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Date: TUESDAY ♦ FEB 21

Time: 11:00 am—12:30 pm

Cost: \$10/person, includes lunch

Repeat: 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm \$5/person(snacks)

Please call to book your seat!

CAMPUS ALBERTA



WATCH FOR NEW CAMPUS ALBERTA POSTSECONDARY COURSES BEING OFFERED AT THE COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SITE STARTING IN THE FALL—more information to follow.

Community Education Service

Music Therapy: What Is It and Why Does It Work?

This presentation delivered by Video Conference from the Alberta Children's Hospital will cover where music therapy came from, how it works, and what can be done to make people more aware of its possibilities. The accredited music therapists will speak about their experiences working with populations including the brain injured, adults and children with developmental delays, mental health, oncology, and Individuals in extended care facilities.

Date: Thursday, February 16, 2012

Time: 11:00 – 12:30 pm

Sign in: 10:45 am

Cost: FREE

Please call to pre-register for this session.



PRESENTATION ESSENTIALS:

HOW TO FINE TUNE YOUR PERSUASIVE PRESENTATION TO WIN MORE BUSINESS!

Key points covered in this session are definition of a persuasive presentation; the difference between a goal and an objective and how to write an audience-centered objective; how to analyze any audience to uncover concerns; how to fully counter concerns; how to ensure your objective is realistic; and how to determine only the information to include to meet your objective.

Date: March 1, 2012

Time: 9:30am-11:00am

Cost: \$25/person

The presenter:

Peter Temple is first and foremost a coach for presenters and on-camera personalities. But his coaching talents go beyond mere performance. He is skilled at crafting highly focused, succinct speeches, scripts, or presentations that get to the point and get results.

