

Town of Vegreville JRPM Event Guided Wildlife Walk and Talk

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Trail near St. Mary's Pond (South End Walking Trail, 50th St., Vegreville, AB) Saturday, June 28, 2025 10:00am – 12:00pm (30-minute guided segments, max 15 participants per group)

Wander the Wild!

Take a step into nature with a guided Wildlife Walk & Talk led by local wildlife biologist and naturalist Jessica Melsted. This engaging outdoor event invites participants to explore the trail near St. Mary's Pond, discovering the local species that call Vegreville home.

Jessica Melsted brings over ten years of experience in biology and wildlife education. Based in Vegreville, she's worked across Western Canada and the Arctic and now shares her love for local nature through walks, talks, and hands-on conservation. Whether you're a seasoned birder or a curious beginner, Jessica's passion and deep knowledge will help you connect with the wild right in your backyard.

Perfect for nature lovers, families, and anyone wanting a fresh perspective on the local landscape.

What to expect:

Meet at the entrance of the wetlands area trail where the road ends, stop at the signin/first-aid tent and meet with your time group, follow Jessica through the trail as she helps you spot and learn about our local wildlife!

What to bring:

Comfortable walking shoes, weather-appropriate clothing and a re-usable water bottle is recommended.

Feel free to bring your camera or notepad to capture the wildlife you will see!

Free to attend – Registration and waiver will be required. Limited spaces per segment.



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Name:

Email Address:

Telephone Number:

Preferred Time Slot (select one):

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**Additional required forms include the waiver and PAR-Q+, registrants will not be able to participate unless all forms have been competed. Groups registrations still require individual forms for each person participating.

Please Submit Registration, Waiver and PAR-Q+ to Molly Grant, Recreation Programmer by email to <u>mgrant@vegreville.com</u> or in person at the Vegreville Recreation Centre 4509 48 St, Vegreville, AB T9C 1K8