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Chevron Canada in Northwestern Alberta

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Chevron is committed to being a good community partner and neighbour of choice wherever we are in the world. We make investments to help expand economic development and improve social well-being. We align community programs with local community needs and government priorities and plans and, wherever possible, partner with local providers. We focus on programs that contribute to positive, sustainable outcomes in education, economic development, health, community-building, and Aboriginal initiatives.

50 years of history in the Fox Creek area
Chevron Canada’s history in the Fox Creek area stretches back more than 50 years. Our roots in the forested foothills region run deep, and include the discovery of the largest wet-gas reservoir in Canada and construction of the largest sour gas plant in the world. We also helped build the town, creating 60 homes and an apartment complex for employees, who soon called the town home and helped build a sense of family and community in and around the area. Today, Chevron Canada and its partner the Kuwait Foreign Petroleum Export Co. (KUFPEC) Canada Inc. are assessing potential development in the Duvernay formation in an area we call Kaybob Duvernay.
Community investments in the Kaybob Duvernay Area

Aboriginal partnerships and programs

We actively consult with Aboriginal communities on whose traditional territory we are working to understand each other's aspirations and concerns. We support a variety of cultural and traditional events, education programs and skills training to ensure that communities realize the benefits of resource development. These programs include: the Sturgeon Lake Cree Nation Education fund; Junior Achievement’s Aboriginal Financial Literacy program; Indigenous Leadership Management scholarships at The Banff Centre; Tatanka Workshops for Youth; and Women Building Futures.

Friends of Fox Creek Hospital Society and Fox Creek Hospital

We are helping to improve regional health care by providing training opportunities in Non-Violent Crisis Intervention, Advanced Cardiac Life Support, Emergency Nursing Pediatric Care and Trauma Nurse Core Certification. Chevron Canada has also provided a donation to the Hospital for equipment upgrades.

Fox Creek Fire Hall

In times of crisis, we know the men and women of the Fox Creek Fire Department are ready to respond when called. That’s why we're proud to support the Fire Hall with a contribution toward essential equipment costs.

Educational support

We support teaching and learning in the areas of science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM). By sponsoring a variety of school-based initiatives such as science and math supplies, support for local science fairs and field trips for hands-on experiences, we hope to inspire curiosity and critical thinking. We also recognize that great teachers help create great students, so we also support teachers through ongoing professional development opportunities.

Fox Creek Water Tower

With funding from Chevron Canada, local artists and brothers David and Allan Thomas refreshed the ground-level tank with a 20-by-8-metre mural showcasing the region’s spectacular scenery and diverse wildlife. Situated in the heart of Fox Creek’s residential area, the water tower was last painted in 1998 by Chevron Canada volunteers as a way of showing their affinity for the community.
Leadership programs – The Banff Centre

Chevron Canada has funded scholarships in Leadership at the world-renowned Banff Centre for more than 35 years. Current support is focused on the Indigenous Leadership and the Non-Profit Leadership programs, both of which provide leaders with the skills and support network necessary to achieve positive change in their communities.

Recreation and community celebrations

We understand the importance of investing in projects and programs that help deepen a sense of community. In 2014, Chevron provided financial support and donated tools, equipment, and volunteer time to help build the Fox Creek Nordic and Trail network, located on the west side of Fox Creek. In 2015, Chevron contributed to the completion of the next phase of the trail. This new trail system significantly bolstered recreation opportunities in the area and can be enjoyed throughout every season.

In late 2015, Chevron provided a donation to the 1st Fox Creek Scouts to help finalize kitchen renovations for their building.

And finally, in 2015, the Chevron Facilities Construction team in Kaybob Duvernay raised almost $2,000 and collected toys for the Santa’s Anonymous hamper program sponsored by the Lion’s Club of Fox Creek.

Tatanka workshops and You’re Just Right

Chevron was the lead sponsor for the launch of Tatanka Workshops’ book You’re Just Right, aimed at building confidence in Aboriginal children. Workshops have taken place in a number of schools throughout the Treaty 8 area, and each child received a copy of the book to take home and share with their families.

Junior Achievement Aboriginal Financial Literacy Program

Junior Achievement’s Aboriginal Financial Literacy Program helps Aboriginal youth improve their skills in money management, credit, savings, tax and insurance issues.

Women Building Futures

We are proud to support the work of Women Building Futures, which is helping to break down barriers for Aboriginal women and prepare them for a future career in trades. The organization provides comprehensive support for women through the trades’ employment process, from readiness assessments through to on-the-job training.