



# Peace River Aboriginal Interagency Committee

## Meetings Schedule 2020/2021

### Background

The Peace River Aboriginal Interagency (PRAIC) is an informal information sharing network that is hosted by Community Social Services (CSS), Northwest Alberta since 2003. There are two primary elements to the interagency, the monthly meeting and the email network platform ([NWAboriginalServices@gov.ab.ca](mailto:NWAboriginalServices@gov.ab.ca)). Members are invited to attend meetings when they are available, as well as sign up to receive email correspondence that helps share program, event and referral information. We work to keep the information relevant to the catchment areas, and are able to share information with other AICs, with email networks in Grande Prairie, High Level, High Prairie and Peace River.

### Meetings

PRAIC meets once per month, from September through June on the third Tuesday and are open for anyone to take part; membership is inclusive, flexible and diverse. It is not required that everyone attends every meeting. Below is a listing of the meetings that will be held during the upcoming year. All meetings are held at Peace River Sagitawa Friendship Centre, 10108 100 Avenue, from 9:30 am -12:00 pm.

### 2020-21 Meeting Schedule

September 15, 2020	October 13, 2020	November 17, 2020	December 15, 2020	January 19, 2021
February 16, 2021	March 16, 2021	April 20, 2021	May 18, 2021	June 15, 2021

### Format

The Peace River Aboriginal Interagency (PRAIC) promotes a collaborative and holistic approach while engaging in solutions-based dialogue that embraces culture and history, and strives to enhance individual and community work towards the best possible outcomes for Aboriginal children, families and communities. Our informal format provides an open avenue for agency representatives, community members to network with one another and share ideas, resources and programming information. Standing Subcommittee committees are Sisters in Spirit, Peace River Pow Wow, Peace River Soup Kitchen, Education Committee, TRC Committee and Indigenous Art Show. On occasion other subcommittees may be formed if need arises. Attendance is open to anyone and we do not require that everyone attends every meeting. Please keep in mind the round table portion of our meetings will not be recorded.

If you have anything that you would like added to the meeting’s agenda, or if you would like to do a short presentation about your programs and services at a meeting, please contact [Wendy Goulet](#). We do have AV equipment available. Please keep in mind the round table portion of our meetings will not be recorded. For more information, including each of the four regional Aboriginal Interagency Committee’s (AIC) vision, mission, terms of reference, co-chair’s name and contact, visit the <https://northwestaic.com/team/praic/>

The AIC website also has a mass of information and resources that impact Aboriginal issues so please feel free to explore. If you have any questions contact us [NWAboriginalServices@gov.ab.ca](mailto:NWAboriginalServices@gov.ab.ca)