



# ARMSTRONG & SPALLUMCHEEN



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City of Armstrong







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# ROOTED IN HISTORY

Prior to the incorporation of Spallumcheen and Armstrong, the village of Lansdowne was located on the bench above the valley where Armstrong is now located. In 1891, the route for the Shuswap and Okanagan railway bypassed the village and so by 1892, many of the buildings from Lansdowne, including the Anglican Church, moved to the community of Armstrong. As a consequence, the village of Lansdowne disappeared.

After the Township of Spallumcheen was incorporated in 1892, the council of the day

felt that in order to encourage the growth of the business community in Armstrong, without compromising agriculture and farming, that two municipalities should be formed. As a result, the City of Armstrong was incorporated in 1913.

For over 100 years, these warm and vibrant communities have offered a myriad of activities and attractions for visitors and locals alike to enjoy and explore. We welcome you to our communities!! Come see us at the Visitor Centre.

## SECOND HAND FINDS

### The Bargain Bin

3445 Pleasant Valley Road, 250-546-8813

### Frugal Frocks

3450 Okanagan Street, 250-546-3448

### Gathering Grounds Thrift Store & Express Printing

#12 - 3305 Smith Drive, 778-442-0019

### Kindale Thrift Store

2725 Patterson Avenue, 250-546-3005

### Sea Stars Kids Boutique

2625 Patterson Avenue, 778-442-1717

### The Guy Next Door

3450 Okanagan Street, 250-546-0950

## SPECIALTY SHOPS

### Chocoliro Finest Chocolate

250-546-2886 [www.chocoliro.com](http://www.chocoliro.com)

### Frosted Tier Cakes

#3 - 2625 Patterson Ave, 778-212-5677

### Monashee Outdoors

2595 Pleasant Valley Road  
250-546-9025 [www.monasheehoutdoors.com](http://www.monasheehoutdoors.com)

### The Village Cheese Company

3475 Smith Drive  
1-888-633-8899 [www.villagecheese.com](http://www.villagecheese.com)

### The Twisted Purl Yarn Studio

2541 Pleasant Valley Blvd, 778-442-5455





# STAY & PLAY!

## MEMORIAL PARK

Relax in the shade of a tree, cool off in the spray park or the outdoor pool, exercise on our outdoor equipment and let the kids burn off some energy on the play equipment. During the summer enjoy Valley First Music in the Park!

## SPORTS & ACTIVITIES

Watching or participating, we have options! We are home to the Armstrong Shamrocks lacrosse team and the North Okanagan Knights Junior B hockey.

[northokanaganknights.org](http://northokanaganknights.org)

Locally we offer everything from Roller Derby [osrda.org](http://osrda.org) to curling, skating, swimming, an indoor BMX arena in the winter, hiking and biking with skiing and snowshoeing nearby.

If golf is your game, we have two local courses to choose from:

[royalyorkgolfclub.com](http://royalyorkgolfclub.com)

[spallumcheengolf.com](http://spallumcheengolf.com)

Our area map, available at the Visitor Centre, includes two popular hiking trails and rural roads great for cycling.

## CULTURE & HISTORY

Armstrong and Spallumcheen have two local theatre groups: an indoor theatre company - Asparagus Community Theatre

[asparaguscommunitytheatre.com](http://asparaguscommunitytheatre.com)

and Caravan Farm Theatre which is unique as it's performances are

outdoors! [caravanfarmtheatre.com](http://caravanfarmtheatre.com)

If you want to explore the past, don't miss out on the Armstrong Museum and Arts Society [asmas.ca](http://asmas.ca) and Historic O'Keefe Ranch [okeeferanch.ca](http://okeeferanch.ca). Take a piece of the past with you by visiting a local antique shop.

## FOOD & WINE

Our local Farmers' Market runs 11 months of the year and includes fresh local produce, honey, crafts and more. Local wineries, cheese makers, organic grain producers, asparagus and a chocolatier help to round out our sweet and savoury offerings. An Artisan and Farmers Market is also available on Sundays from July 5 to Aug 30.

Visit us at 3550 Bridge Street so we can point you in the right direction to make your visit memorable.



## AGRITOURISM

### Armstrong Farmers' Market

Follow on Facebook!

### Armstrong Asparagus

4694 Knob Hill Road

250-550-8886

Facebook: Armstrong Asapargus Farm

### Caravan Farm Theatre

4886 Salmon River Rd

1-866-546-8533

[www.caravanfarmtheatre.com](http://www.caravanfarmtheatre.com)

### Edge of the Earth Vineyards

4758 Gulch Road

250-546-2164

[www.edgeoftheearthvineyard.com](http://www.edgeoftheearthvineyard.com)

### Farmstrong Cider Company

4305 Maw Road

250-309-2609

[www.farmstrongcider.com](http://www.farmstrongcider.com)

### Fieldstone Organics

4851 Schubert Road

250-546-4558

[www.fieldstoneorganics.ca](http://www.fieldstoneorganics.ca)

### Orchard Blossom Honey

4150 Crozier Road

250-546-9495

[www.orchardblossomhoney.com](http://www.orchardblossomhoney.com)

### Rogers Foods

4220 Larkin Cross Rd

1-800-356-8735

[www.rogersfoods.com](http://www.rogersfoods.com)

## ANTIQUES

### Allen's Antiques

2510 Pleasant Valley Blvd | 778-442-2444

### Canadian Royal Antiques Post

2520 Pleasant Valley Blvd | 250-307-4908

### Armstrong Antiques, Hardware & Garden Décor

1791 Eagle Rock Rd | 250-938-1962



# ANNUAL EVENTS



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## SPRING

APRIL	Museum Annual Book Sale
APRIL	ASET Green Fair
MAY	Community Excellence Awards
MAY - OCT	Outdoor Farmers' Market
MAY	Outdoor Pool Opens
MAY	"Hands Up" Fundraiser, Caravan Farm Theatre
MAY	Okanagan Shuswap Century Ride

## SUMMER

JUNE - JULY	Countdown to Canada Day
JUNE - AUG	Valley First Music in the Park
JULY	Canada Day Celebrations at Memorial Park
JULY	Okanagan 4H Stock Show
JULY - AUG	Caravan Farm Theatre Show
JULY	Armstrong Metalfest
AUG	Rods 'n Rails Car Show

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## FALL

SEPT	Interior Provincial Exhibition
SEPT	IPE Parade
SEPT - DEC	Movies at the Centennial Theatre
SEPT	Come Taste the Valley
SEPT	North Okanagan Plowing Match
OCT - MARCH	Curling Bonspiels <a href="http://www.armstrongcurlingclub.com">www.armstrongcurlingclub.com</a>
OCT	Field of Screams at O'Keefe Ranch
OCT	Harvest Pumpkin Festival Family Day
OCT	Demolition Derby
OCT	Annual Great Pumpkin Run & Walk
OCT	Downtown Trick o' Treat Spooktacular, Bonfire and Fireworks
NOV	Annual Cheese... It's a Natural!
NOV	Downtown Light Up

## WINTER

NOV- MARCH	Winter Farmers' Market
DEC	Home for the Holidays
DEC	Festival of Trees
DEC - JAN	Caravan Farm Theatre's "Winter Sleigh Ride Show"
DEC	Annual Candlelight Ceremony
JAN	Unplug & Play Week Activities
JAN - JUN	Movies at the Centennial Theatre

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# WELCOME!

## TOWNSHIP OF SPALLUMCHEEN

On behalf of the Township Council and staff we welcome you to our beautiful valley that is a combination of farming, industrial and residential opportunities. If you are a new resident to the area, or one of our many visitors, we hope to help you discover what makes Spallumcheen such a special location. We welcome you to contact us any time you have questions about our charming and scenic community in the Okanagan Valley.



Township of Spallumcheen  
**MAYOR CHRISTINE FRASER**

## CITY OF ARMSTRONG

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the historic City of Armstrong. Founded in 1913, early settlers used the then, new railway, to transport their many and varied agricultural products to market.

Today, Armstrong continues to maintain its agricultural roots as the economic, social and cultural centre of the fertile Spallumcheen Valley. I would encourage you to explore our community with its many shops, historic buildings and recreational opportunities.



City of Armstrong  
**MAYOR CHRIS PIPER**

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

An important part of the Armstrong Spallumcheen Chamber of Commerce & Visitor Centre is promoting the opportunities for business and residents of the City of Armstrong and the Township of Spallumcheen along with providing services to bring our visitors and attractions together.

Whether you are looking for relocation packages, contact information for resources and service clubs, or promotional materials from businesses and other communities, our knowledgeable staff and volunteers will help you find it.



President  
**SEAN NEWTON**



## GREAT TASTE EXPECTATIONS UNCORKED!

### Armstrong Bakery

2565 Pleasant Valley Blvd | 250-546-8283

### The Brown Derby Café

3425 Pleasant Valley Road | 250-546-8221

### Country Bakery

3305 Smith Drive | 250-546-8557

### Farmstrong Cider Company

4305 Maw Road | 250-309-2609

### The Great Wall Restaurant

2545 Pleasant Valley Road | 250-546-8284

### JJ's Pizza Plus

3495 Okanagan Street | 250-546-3333

### Station Diner

3530 Okanagan Street | 250-546-3532

### Tucker's Restaurant

3460 Okanagan Street | 250-804-4400

### The Village Cheese Company

3475 Smith Drive | 250-546-8651

### Wild Oak Café

2539 Pleasant Valley Blvd. | 778-442-2028

## BARN QUILT TRAIL

Pick up a Barn Quilt Trail Map at the Visitor Info Centre  
3550 Bridge Street  
250-546-8155







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## ENJOY OUR FABULOUS FALL FESTIVITIES

Looking for something to do in the shoulder season? Look no further than Armstrong & Spallumcheen! Within the month of October, if the weather is great, you may be able to take in a game of golf at one of our local courses. The fall colours are beautiful and a bike ride is a great way to get some exercise on our back roads.

O'Keefe Ranch offers a corn maze for the whole family and around Halloween you can take in a scarier version both there and at Caravan Farm Theatre.

Thanksgiving weekend is hopping here with our Annual Harvest Pumpkin Festival Family Day which includes the infamous "Great Pumpkin Launch" (yes, homemade catapults, pumpkins and targets!!) as well as games for the kids, a

petting zoo and more! There is the exceptionally successful Demo Derby on the Sunday followed by the Annual Great Pumpkin Run & Walk on Thanksgiving Monday. A perfect time for family to come together to work off some turkey dinner!

Not to be missed is the annual Cheese...It's a Natural! in November. This free daytime event includes local cheese and artisan food displays, cheese seminars and a grilled cheese and cheese ball competition. Do not miss the opportunity to attend the ticketed evening event!! The highlight of this event is an amazing variety of cheese plates all featuring 100% Canadian cheese as well as the option of wines to pair. Save the date and contact us for tickets!

## SERVICES

### Askew's Foods

3305 Smith Drive | 250-546-3039

### Armstrong Pharmacy & Wellness Centre

3300 Smith Drive | 250-546-3169

### Fortune Creek IDA Pharmacy

#2 - 2860 Smith Drive | 250-546-1411

### Haugen Medical Group (no walk-in clinic)

#23 - 3300 Smith Drive | 250-546-8115

### Sani Dump at Armstrong Kin RV Park

311 Park Drive | 250-546-4041

## BANKS

### CIBC

2250 Pleasant Valley Blvd.

### RBC ATM

Esso Gas Station, 3201 Smith Drive

### Valley First Credit Union

2575 Patterson Avenue

### Vantage One Credit Union

3300 Smith Drive

## ACCOMMODATIONS

### Abode B&B

2528 Pheasant Ridge Drive

778-212-6844 | ginetterausch@gmail.com

### Castle at Swan Lake

7905 Greenhow Road, Vernon

778-475-4232 | fd@swanlakecastle.com

### The Armstrong Inn

3400 Smith Drive

250-546-3056 | info@armstr6.com

### The Maple B&B

3060 Rosedale Avenue

250-546-7070 | www.armstrong-bnb.com

## CAMPING

### Armstrong Kin RV Park

311 Park Drive

250-546-4041 | armstrongkinrvpark@telus.net

### Fortune Creek Kennel

3779 Creamery Rd | 250-546-8639

### Historic O'Keefe Ranch

9380 Hwy 97 | 250-546-8639 | info@okeeferanch.ca





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