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Henry S. Varley Fund for Rural Life Grant Recipients

Carmangay and District Municipal Library - Barons, $4,000:
Funding will be used to help offer a weekly pop-up library and youth programming in Barons.

Junior Achievement of Southern Alberta, $5,000:
Funding will be used to expand financial literacy and entrepreneurship programs to students in rural Southern Alberta.

Peaks to Pines Residents Association – Crowsnest Pass, $20,000 ($3,200 from a Field of Interest Fund):
Funding will be used to expand the Crowsnest Cruisers service, which provides affordable, assisted transportation to adults over 50 years of age and to persons with mobility challenges.

Pincher Creek and District Historical Society, $30,000:
Funding will be used to document and share the oral history of people in Pincher Creek. Stories will be shared online as well as at the museum.

Rainbow Literacy and Learning Society and Act4Health – Vulcan, $25,000:
Funding will be used to provide support for social programming for seniors to connect and learn about the power of social and community connection, self-efficacy, empowerment, and autonomy.

Crowsnest Pass Family Resource Centre, $12,730:
Funding will be used to offer support and assistance to seniors in rural areas looking to access programs, grants, and services aimed at improving their quality of life.

Warner County and Warner Fireman's Society, $10,144 ($1,200 from a Field of Interest Fund):
Funding will be used to provide medical and firefighter training to the Warner and Milk River volunteer fire departments.

Willow Creek Foundation – Fort Macleod, $5,000:
Funding will be used to provide seniors in Fort Macleod and surrounding area a monthly game event designed to offer opportunities for social connections, cognitive health, and increased mobility.