

CORPORATION OF THE

Town of Laurentian Hills

34465 Highway 17, RR #1, Deep River, ON K0J 1P0 Office Hours: 8:30 to 4:30 Monday-Friday Call: 613-584-3114 Fax: 613-584-3285

Merry Christmas from the Mayor, Council and Staff

The Municipal office will be closed for Christmas on Thursday December 24 at noon and will re-open Monday January 4, 2016. Regular office hours are: Monday-Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The Town office will be closed for Family day on Monday February 15, 2016.

Christmas and New Years Garbage Pick Up Change

Christmas and New Year's Garbage will be CHANGED from December 25 to *Thursday* December 24 and the January 1 will be moved to *Thursday* December 31.

Committee Meeting Change

The January 5 Committee will be moved to January 12, 2016.

The Council meeting on January 20, 2016 will not change.

You May be Eligible for a Credit on your Hydro Bill

You may qualify and be eligible for a reduction with the Ontario Energy Board program that lowers electricity bills for low-income households. The OESP will provide a monthly credit to eligible customers based on household income and household size. The OESP credits will be applied directly to eligible customers' bills. For more information or an application go to:

OntarioElectricitySupport.ca

A Word from the **Fire Chief**

As of April 15, 2015 it is mandatory for all residences with solid fuel burning appliances OR an attached garage to have working CO alarms as well as working smoke alarms on every level of their dwellings. If you do not have one of these devices present or in working order they will be issuing a \$235 fine for each faulty /or missing device.

Chalk River Winter Carnival

February 5 to 7, 2016 Parade Magic Show + Face Painting + Indoor/Outdoor Activities Please see the NRT for details regarding the carnival.

Parking on Roadways

Please take note that effective December 1, 2015 winter parking restrictions are in effect. These restrictions prohibit parking a vehicle on any street, highway or Municipal road in such a manner as to interfere with Town services such as snow plowing or road maintenance. Vehicles in violation may be ticketed or towed at the owners expense.



dumping garbage, you could face

serious consequences including a fine of \$1,000.00.

DECEMBER 2015

Council Contacts

John (Jed) Reinwald Mayor	584-2497
Bruce Boucher Ward 1	586-2355
Anne Giardini, Ward 2 Deputy Mayor	584-3981
Brenda Blimkie Ward 3	589-9696
Dennis Hyde Ward 4	589-2368

Departments

Town Office	584-3114
Public Works Department	584-3865
Building Department	584-4015
Pt. Alexander Library	584-2714
Chalk River Library	589-2966
North Renfrew Landfill Board	584-9194
Fire Ambulance OPP Emerg.	911

Rink Volunteers

The Town of Laurentian Hills is looking for persons or groups interested in volunteering to help with shoveling, flooding and maintaining the outdoor rink surfaces. The outdoor rinks are located in Point Alexander, Chalk River and Mountain View Subdivision. If you are interested in volunteering at one of the locations, please call the Town office at (613) 584-3114.

Information You Should Know . . .

No owner or person in charge of any animal shall allow the animal to defecate anywhere on property unless the owner ensures that the excreta are removed and disposed of in a sanitary manner. By-law No. 14-05 failure to comply is subject to a penalty. A reminder to NOT let your dogs or cats on beaches or playgrounds and be sure to NOT let them roam freely. Be sure your pet is on a leash at all times.

For more information on

Property Standards, Official Plan, Outdoor Furnace information, Building Permit fees etc., please visit our website at www.laurentianhills.ca and then click on Building and Planning.

WATER SAMPLE DROP OFF

Water Sample Bottles are available at the municipal office in Point Alexander. Samples to be taken the *same day* as they are dropped off.

September to March -> Drop off Tuesday and Wednesday only and from April to August-> Monday to Thursday.



Dessert and Card Party January 21 from 1 to 4 p.m. Book early to reserve a spot! Only \$8 per person.

Point Alexander Library



Monday: 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday:10 a.m.-12 p.m. 1-3 p.m. Wednesday: 10 a.m. -12 p.m., 6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday: 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 1-3 Saturday:10 a.m. -12 p.m. Closed: Fri, Sun & Holidays

Water Reports

All water reports from Ministry of the Environment and American Water are available on our website under Reports and are available in printed version at both Point Alexander Library and Chalk River Library.

Chalk River Legion

Every Tuesday at 7 pm-Stitch & Gab. Every Thursday at 7 pm-Zumba. Sunday December 13 at 11 am to 2 pm-Lunch with Santa. December 31 at 8 pm-New Years Eve Progressive Euchre & Pot Luck. January 16 at 1 pm-4Hand Euchre. January 24-Robbie Burns Dinner. For more info, refer to the NRT.

Please let our office know if you have a P.O. Box # at the post office to ensure you receive your mail.

Methods for Paving for Taxes and Water/Sewer

Pre-Authorized, Cash, Cheque, On-line Banking (at participating banks), or at the Scotiabank Branch and Credit Union in Deep River. Cheques for taxes and water payments may be left in the night deposit box in Chalk River at 19 Railway or in Point Alexander 34465 Highway 17 at the main office.

Do Not Put Cash in the Drop Box. The Municipality will not be responsible for cash left in the drop box. For more information, please call the office at 613-584-3114.

Town of Laurentian Hills

Chalk River Library

- Monday: 3-6 p.m.
- Tuesday: 6-8 p.m. Wednesday: 3-5 p.m.
- 589-2966 Thursday: 1-4 p.m.
- Saturday: 10 a.m. 12 p.m. Closed: Sun, Fri & Holidays



Keep Kids Safe

Please discourage children from playing on snow banks near the streets. Vehicles and plows may not see the children and may not be able to stop in time.

Meetings (Council + Committee)

Protection to Persons & Property Committee, Planning Committee, Public Works Committee, Community & Social Services Committee, and Finance & Personnel Committee are the first Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Council - On the Wednesday 15 days after the first Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. If you wish to address Council as a delegation, a written signed request must be submitted by noon the Thursday before the Council and Committees.

IMPORTANT

Recycling Information

Please keep bags (grocery, plastic

from water bottles, bread bags, outer

milk bags, flyer bags) together in one

bag. Be sure they aren't left loose in

your bin. Keep Blue and Yellow bin

items separate. Shredded paper is

accepted in a clear bag. Cardboard

with wax will not be picked up.

Cardboard must be broken down or

cut up and not be any larger than 3

feet by 2 feet. Please do not keep

plastics and cans in plastic bags,

keep them loose in your bin/box.

Please place aerosol cans, frozen

juice cans, peanuts cans and hot

chocolate cans in your garbage.

They are no longer recyclable. Con-

tainer bins / boxes must not be lar-

ger than 18" x 20" x 21".

Baggs Road Landfill

Winter Hours: are November 3, 2015 to March 12, 2016. Tuesday to Saturday 9

a.m. to 4 p.m.

Summer Hours: March 13 to November 6, 2016, Tuesday 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. and Wednesday to Saturday 9a.m. - 4 p.m.

Fees can be paid at the Baggs Road site or the Town office.

Chalk River Lions Club

Every Thursday - Weekly Bingo starts at 6:45 p.m. There is a progressive jackpot of \$1000 and Nevada tickets are also sold.

February 5-6-7 is the 36th Annual Winter Carnival. Events are still being planned but confirmed so far are: Breakfast Sat and Sun morning from 8am to 11am, Parade - starting from the Legion at 10:45 a.m. proceeds to Lions Hall, Saturday Lunch -Provided by Minor Hockey. Magic Show for the Children at noon, Comedy Show & Saturday - Wood Carver on site - Tom Stefan's Carvings







Festival of Outdoor Rinks

Come out to the Chalk River Rink on February 19 to 21, 2016 and enjoy this Free Event.

28 Rinks. 3 Days. 1 Festival. For more information, go to www.festivalofoutdoorrinks.com

House School Museum Website: schoolhousemuseum.ca

VOLUNTEER /

ENTREPRENEUR

The Town of Laurentian Hills is looking for a volunteer / entrepreneur / or groups interested in operating the Chalk River and/or Point Alexander rink canteens for the 2015–2016 winter season.

If you can provide set hours for the operation of the canteen the Town will provide the facility and cleaning supplies. All profits from the operation of the canteen will remain with the operator.

For more information please contact the office at 613-584-3114 or submit a letter of interest to the Town at 34465 Highway 17 RR1 Deep River ON K0J 1P0



March allowed

air fires