



JUNE 2019

CORPORATION OF THE Town of Laurentian



Mail: Town of Laurentian Hills
34465 Highway 17, RR #1,
Deep River, ON K0J 1P0
Office Hours: 8:30 to 4:30 Mon-Fri
Email: info@laurentianhills.ca
Web: laurentianhills.ca
Phone: 613-584-3114
Fax: 613-584-3285

Happy Canada Day from the Mayor, Council and Staff

The Municipal office will be closed for Canada Day on Monday July 1, 2019 and for the Civic Holiday August 5, 2019.

Regular office hours are: Monday–Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The office is closed on statutory holidays.

Watering Restrictions

Even numbered houses may only water on even numbered days and odd numbered houses may only water on odd numbered watering days. The watering hours are between 6:00 am and 8:00 am, and between 6:00 pm and 9:00 pm. ***It is illegal to connect your sump pump to the sewer system.*** (By-Law 19-10)

Ontario Family Free Fishing Week

Canadian residents can enjoy fishing in Ontario licence-free during the annual Ontario Family Fishing.

Father's Day Weekend in June (June 15-16, 2019) and Family Fishing Week in June (June 29–July 7, 2019)

Chalk River Water System Users

In order to comply with provincial regulations and as part of the ongoing efforts to ensure the safety of drinking water, the municipality must test the drinking water supply for the presence of lead. The Town of Laurentian Hills is looking for 1 Business and 9 Residential Home Owners who are connected to the Chalk River Water System to participate in the testing and permit staff from the Water Treatment Plant to take water samples for lead testing.

The testing will be performed twice a year and each test will take approximately 45 minutes. Testing periods are once between March 1, 2019 to April 15, 2019 and once between June 15, 2019 to October 15, 2019. Volunteers will be given ample notice prior to any testing and will be provided of copies of the test results. If you are willing to participate and allow the Town to sample water please contact the Town office at 613-584-3114.



Dogs and cats are not allowed on beaches or playgrounds. Be sure to **not** let them roam freely. Your pet must be on a leash **at all times.**

Animal waste attracts rats, transmits disease and contains bacteria that can contaminate water which contribute to swim advisories and increased health risks for people using the beach. Always pick up after your pet.

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
John Hoyle Ward 4	589-2999

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	911
Emergency Water / Sewer	639-9077 or 585-9077

BEFORE YOU DIG

<https://www.on1call.com> Use the Ontario One Call online locate form to locate underground infrastructure before you dig or call:

1-800-400-2255

A Word from the Chief Building Official

What you need to know...

- A building permit is required for the construction of a tower. • Complete plans and specifications, engineered drawings and a site plan are required to be included in the permit application. • The zoning setbacks from property lines apply to tower location on the lot. • An inspection by your local building official of the footing excavation and forming, before concrete is poured, is required to ensure compliance with the engineered drawings.

Please note that no work is to commence until the building permit is issued. There may be liability concerns as to who is responsible if a tower should collapse and cause damage or injury, check with your insurance provider. Contact your municipal building department if you have any questions to ensure the construction process is followed.



Planning on Building? When is a Permit Required?

Any new building over 108 ft² (9 x 12) including garages, decks, and porches. If a building is less than 108 ft² (9 x 12) it must still meet the zoning and all setback requirements for the property. Any addition to an existing building including porches or decks. Any extensive renovations that would include structural alterations. Demolition of any building. All sewage systems. Partitioning and finishing a basement. Damp proofing or waterproofing foundation walls, including installation of drainage tile.

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.

LIBRARY HOURS

Point Alexander Library Chalk River Library

584-2714

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 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m. -12 p.m.
Closed: Fri, Sun & Holidays

589-2966

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

Volunteers Needed

The Point Alexander and Chalk River Libraries are looking for volunteers of all ages. Volunteering with the Library is a great way for students to get their high school volunteer hours. Please contact Scott at

library@laurentianhills.ca or 613-584-2714 for more information.

Council / Committee Meetings

Protection to Persons & Property Committee, Planning Committee, Public Works Committee, Community & Social Services Committee, and

Finance & Personnel Committees 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.

Calling all Business Owners

The Town would like to update our Business directory to highlight the variety of businesses and services that exist within our own municipality. If you have a business, service or a home-based business that you would like to be included on our website directory, please send an email to

info@laurentianhills.ca. Include your business name, category of business or service as well as your contact information. Or call the office at 613-584-3114 and we will be happy to take your information.

Incremental Yoga

5 Years of Celebration - For the love of teaching Incremental Yoga in our community. It's a feel-good celebration of goals achieved, shared knowledge and experiences, joyful community and limitless gratitude. What we focus on expands. Classes at The Point Alexander Studio or in Deep River until the end of July. www.incrementalyoga.ca

Registering for Nursery School

The Chalk River Nursery School is taking names for their waiting list for the 2019-2020 school year. Parents may register their children by calling 613-589-2540. The school year runs from October to May, Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9:30 to 11:30. Spaces are available for children 2.6 years (30 months) to 4 years. Children should be potty trained. For more details email: crnursery@nrtco.net

Garbage Collection Guidelines

2 bag limit per week for garbage - Bag tag required on the third or more bags
- Maximum volume of 154 litres of household waste (without a tag) - All bags brought to Baggs Road Landfill will require payment of \$2.00 per bag. Wrap bag tag around neck of bag and stick ends together. - Tags can be purchased at the Town office or at Baggs Road -Copying or reproducing bag tags is illegal. For collection concerns contact the Town office :613-584-3114.

Have garbage curbside by 7:00 a.m. and recycling curbside by 7:30 a.m.

Lending Hub

The Town currently has the following summer equipment available to lend out to our residents: - Nordic walking poles, Pickle Ball equipment, Kayaks, Stand up paddle boards, lifejackets, water mat, golf clubs, assortment of sizes (children to adult). To sign for the equipment you must be 18 years of age and provide proof of ID. The equipment and lending forms are located at the Municipal office 34465 Highway 17 from Monday to Friday from 8:30 am - 4:00 pm.

A Word from the Fire Chief and Firefighters

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, and if the fire department responds to a call at your home, you may be subject to a \$235 fine for each faulty /or missing device. Please call the office at 613-584-3114 if you have any questions.

Water Samples 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. **April to August** → Drop off Monday to Thursdays. **September to March** → Drop off **Tuesday and Wednesday only**.

Memorial Tree and Bench Program

This program provides residents with the opportunity to honor loved ones, families or groups by having a tree/bench put onto municipal property. For more info please call 613-584-3114.

Miller Road Landfill Construction and Demolition Waste Permits

Hours of Operation: Tuesday to Saturday 9 a.m. to noon.
Permits can be purchased by cash from the Miller Road landfill or at the Deep River Municipal office.

Baggs Road Landfill

Summer Hours: March 12 to November 9, 2019 Tuesday 9 a.m.–6 p.m. and Wednesday to Saturday 9 a.m.–4 p.m. Fees can be paid by cash at the Baggs Road site or at the Town office.

Taxes and Water and Sewer Payments

The following options are available: Monthly Pre-Authorized, Cash, Cheque, On-line Banking (at participating banks), or at Scotiabank, Bank of Montreal 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. The Municipality **will not** be responsible for cash left in the drop box. For more information, please call the office at 613-584-3114.