

Corporation of the

Town of Laurentian Hills

December 2025

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MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM THE MAYOR, COUNCIL AND STAFF

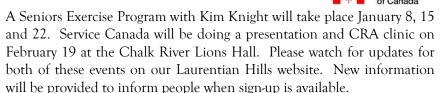
Government

The Municipal office will be closed for Christmas on December 24, 2025 and will reopen January 5. The office is closed on all statutory holidays.

Rink Volunteers Needed

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 <u>Chalk River</u>, <u>Pt. Alexander</u> and <u>Mountain View Subdivision</u>. If you are interested in volunteering at one of the locations, please call the Town office at 613-584-3114.

Horizons Grant for Seniors in Laurentian Hills



Extrication Training

The Fire Department is looking for donations of cars and small pickup trucks for extrication training. Please call 613-584-3114 for details.

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 Businesses and 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. If there is lead present in your plumbing, it will be up to the owner to rectify it. The testing will be performed twice a year and each test will take approximately 45 minutes. Testing periods are once between March 1, 2026 to April 15, 2026 and once between June 15, 2026 to October 15, 2026. 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.

Water Samples Drop off

Water Sample Bottles are available at the municipal office in Point Alexander. Samples are to be taken the **same day** as they are dropped off and preferably after noon. **September to April**—Drop off on **Tuesdays** only. **May to August**—Drop off days are Mondays and Wednesdays.

Your Council Contacts

Anne Giardini	Mayor	mayor@laurentianhills.ca
Bruce Boucher	Ward 1	ward1@laurentianhills.ca
Gary McAnulty	Ward 2	ward2@laurentianhills.ca
Brenda Blimkie Deputy Mayor	Ward 3	ward3@laurentianhills.ca
John Hovle	Ward 4	ward4@laurentianhills.ca

<u>Departments</u>	
Town Office	613-584-3114
Public Works Department	613-584-3865
Chief Building Officialcbo@laurentianhills.ca	613-401-5811
Building Departmentbuildinginspector@laurentianhills.ca	613-401-1436
Chalk River Library	613-589-2966
Pt. Alexander Library	613-584-2714
Fire/Ambulance/OPP	911
NRLOB	613-584-3114
Public Works After	
Hours Emergency	613-584-3865
Emergency Water/Sewer	613-584-3865

Request For Participation

The Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 requires municipalities to address the needs of those within their community with disabilities. The Town is seeking your assistance to help us identify barriers for persons with disabilities in buildings, facilities and playgrounds owned and operated by the Town. Are you facing accessibility challenges in the Town? We want to hear from you! We want your feedback so that we can improve our services and make them more accessible. Please forward your concerns info@laurentianhills.ca or call the municipal office at 613-584-3114.

Paying for Taxes or Water Online

Look for Town of Laurentian Hills, Laurentian Hills Taxes or Town of Laurentian Hills water and sewer

Use your account number for taxes and account number for water payments.

BANK	TAXES	WATER (Don't Use A)
Scotiabank	6 Numbers	6 Numbers
TD Bank	8 Numbers	6 Numbers
RBC	8 Numbers	8 Numbers
CIBC	8 Numbers	6 Numbers
ВМО	15 Numbers	15 Numbers
Telepay	8 Numbers	6 Numbers
Credit Union	6 Numbers	6 Numbers
Alterna Savings	6 Numbers	6 Numbers
Tangerine	15 Numbers	15 Numbers
Meridian	15 Numbers	15 Numbers
National Bank	6 Numbers	6 Numbers

Some banks require more digits that what your account number is. Please use zero's (0) to fill the required numbers.

Taxes and Water and Sewer Payments

The following options are available: Monthly Pre-Authorized, Cash, Cheque, On-line Banking (at participating banks below), 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 Street 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.

Planning on Building? Permit Required?

Any new building <u>over</u> 100 ft ² (10 x 10) including garages, decks, and porches requires a permit. If a building is less than 100 ft ² (10 x 10) it must still meet the zoning and all setback requirements for the property. This includes any addition to an existing building including porches or deck as well as any extensive renovations that would include structural alterations or demolition of any building, all sewage systems, partitioning and finishing a basement, damp proofing or waterproofing foundation walls, including installation of drainage tile.

Baggs Road Landfill

Summer Hours: Tuesday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Wednesday to Saturday 9 am to 4 pm (March 11, 2025 to November 1, 2025) Winter Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 9 am to 4 pm (November 4, 2025 to March 7, 2026) Fees can be paid by cash at the Baggs Road site or at the Town office.

Point Alexander Library

34465 Highway 17 Phone: 613-584 -2714 HOURS: Mon 1 - 6, Tues 10 - 3, Wed 10 - 1

& 6 - 8, Thurs 10 - 3, Sat 12 - 3

Chalk River Library

15 Main Street Phone: 613-589-2966

HOURS: Mon 2 - 5 and Wed 3-6, Tues and

Thurs 6-8, and Sat 12 - 3

Come in and play with our games and toys, colour a picture, and borrow the newest books, magazines and DVDs, free day passes to Ontario Parks, and family passes to various Ottawa museums. Our Explorer Backpacks contain items handy for outdoor activities. Use our free Wi-Fi and computers! Other services available for a small fee are: scanning, photocopying, laminating, and faxing. Our website, library.laurentianhills.ca is the place to find "New Items" lists, online resources, and search the online catalogue. Look for Laurentian Hills Library on Facebook and follow laurentian.hills.library on Instagram to see updated info about hours, programming and events throughout the year.

Chalk River & Area Lions Club Dec. 6 - Schoolhouse Museum & Lions Club Christmas Dance - Music by Ghost Town Cryers - starts at 8:30 pm - \$25/pp. Dec 7 - Children's Christmas Dance from 1—4 with SANTA arriving at 3pm. Sponsored by Digital Copy Xpress. Parents bring a gift for your child to the kitchen. February 5—8 - Annual Winter Carnival. Watch for details on their facebook page.

<u>Chalk River Legion</u> Mondays - Seniors Cards 12 pm-4pm. Friday Night Darts - 7pm - close. Sunday Shuffleboard 11 am - 2pm. 13 Dec - Meet and Greet with Santa following Santa Claus parade. 03 Jan - Youth ice cream thief mystery event. 17 Jan - Legion Breakfast 10 - 2pm. 07 Feb - Ladies Night Vendor Market.

Residents connected to the Chalk River Water System

It is illegal to have a sump pump directly connected to the sewer system. Municipal employees will be enforcing these regulations, along with inspection of sump pump installations for possible infractions. By—Law No. 34—04 states: the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Laurentian Hills does enact as follows that: 1. No person or persons, corporation or other shall discharge into the sewerage of the Town of Laurentian Hills any water or other substance from a sump, sump pump, floor drain, roof leaders, drainage ditch or pond. 5. Any person found guilty of an offense against this By-Law shall, upon conviction, pay a fine of not more that \$10,000.00 nor less than \$250.00 plus costs for a first conviction and not more than \$25,000.00 on any subsequent conviction. The full By-Law can be found on our website under: Council, By-Laws.

Miller Road Construction/Demolition Waste

Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 9 a.m. to noon. Permits can be purchased by <u>cash</u> at the Miller Road landfill or at the Deep River Municipal office.

