



December 2021

CORPORATION OF THE

Town of Laurentian Hills



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Merry Christmas from the Mayor, Council and Staff

The Municipal office will be closed on December 24 until January 3, 2022. The office will be closed for Family Day on February 21, 2022.

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

Calling All Business Owners

The Town would like to update the 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.

Outdoor Rinks

With the help of our valued volunteers the Town is hoping that all three outdoor rinks will be open to the public again this winter. Please note that we are still following COVID-19 guidelines and the rink buildings will remain CLOSED to the public. Please maintain physical distancing of 2 metres (6ft) from anyone outside of your household when off of the ice. If you cannot maintain distancing off of the ice, then masks or face coverings will be required - unless you are alone or with your own household members. Stay home if you are sick or experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19. Sites may be periodically monitored to ensure Provincial guidelines are being adhered to. Failure to adhere to the guidelines may result in the closure of the outdoor rinks.

Point Alexander and Chalk River Library

Access our catalog and online resources by visiting our website library.laurentianhills.ca There is lots to see. Both the Chalk River and Point Alexander Branches of the Library are open for In-person Visits (to browse and borrow) and also for Curbside Pickup Service. Your branch has lots of new books, DVDs, magazines and free day passes to several Museums. One computer per branch is available for printing, email, etc. Print and laminate your COVID proof of vaccination for free at Point Alexander.

Chalk River schedule: (613-589-2966) In-person visits: Tues 6-8 pm. and Sat 10 am.-12 noon. Curbside service: Mon 1-3 pm, Wed 1-3 pm, Thurs 1-3 pm.

Point Alexander schedule: (613-584-2714) In-person visits: Mon -Thurs 1-3 pm.

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 March: Drop off Tuesday and Wednesday only.

April to August: Drop off Mondays to Thursdays.

Council Contacts

John (Jed) Reinwald, Mayor	613-717-4911
Bruce Boucher Ward 1	613-586-2355
Anne Giardini Ward 2, Deputy Mayor	613-584-3981
Brenda Blimkie Ward 3	613-589-9696
John Hoyle Ward 4	613-589-2999

Departments

Town Office	613-584-3114
Public Works Department	613-584-3865
Building Department	613-401-6955
Pt. Alexander Library	613-584-2714
Chalk River Library	613-589-2966
North Renfrew Landfill	613-584-9194
Fire / Ambulance / OPP	911
Emergency Water / Sewer	613-584-3865
Public Works	
After Hours Emergency	613-584-3865

Please Take Note

If you come to the Town Office you **MUST** wear a face mask and be sure to follow instructions on the doors and walls when in the building. (eg. Wear a mask, practice social distancing, fill out the COVID-19 self assessment screening form, follow the arrows, observe the allotted allowance for people in the hallways and offices etc.) Please take note that washrooms will not be available to the public.

Holiday Water Samples

The final drop-off during the holidays before Christmas: **December 21**. Water samples will not be accepted on the following days: December 22, 2021 through to January 3, 2022.

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 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.

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.

<u>BANK</u>	<u>TAXES</u>	<u>WATER <i>don't use A</i></u>
Scotiabank	6 Numbers	6 Numbers
TD Bank	8 Numbers	6 Numbers
RBC	8 Numbers	8 Numbers
CIBC	8 Numbers	6 Numbers
BMO	15 Numbers	15 Numbers
Telepay	8 Numbers	6 Numbers
Credit Union	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 than what your account number is. Please use zero's (0) to fill the required numbers.

Plan to Build? 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.

Before You Dig

Use the Ontario One Call online locate form to locate underground infrastructure before you dig at www.ontarioonecall.ca or call: 1-800-400-2255.

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 than \$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.

Baggs Road Landfill

Winter Hours: Tuesday to Saturday 9 to 4 p.m. (November 9, 2021 to March 12, 2022) Fees can be paid by cash at the Baggs Road site or at the Town office.

Summer Hours: Tuesday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Wednesday to Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (March 15, 2022 to November 5, 2022)

Miller Road Landfill Construction/Demolition Waste

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

Chalk River Legion

We are currently looking for volunteer bartenders; if interested please contact 613-602-6445. Smart Serve is required.

Santa Claus Drive through - December 11th 5:30 pm start. If you would like to participate with a float please contact Kimberly Sullivan.

New Years Eve Dance - December 31st 8:00 pm-1:00 am \$20.00 per person. DJ Tazman. For advance tickets please contact 613-585-9723. Proof of double vaccination required.

January 22 Spaghetti Dinner served with Garlic Bread & dessert. 613-589-2224.

February 19th-Shepherds Pie, served with peas, Sourdough bread and a dessert. 613-589-2224.

Parking Restrictions



Please take note that effective December 1, 2021 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. Vehicles in violation may be ticketed or towed.