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Harley Township reviewing draft official plan

Darlene Wroe

Local Journalism **Initiative Reporter**

HARLEY TOWNSHIP - Harley Township council and staff are continuing their process to put a new official plan in place.

The document is currently in its draft stage, and was presented to council at the township's regular meeting August 13.

Council is currently reviewing the plan in order to provide notes to planner David Welwood of J.L. Richards who is based in Sudbury.

Welwood spoke to council virtually at the August 13 meeting.

He was seeking council's approval to send the draft official plan to the Ontario Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing for their comment.

Welwood noted the ministry review could take

A public meeting will take place after the ministry has provided its comment.

Council agreed to accept the verbal report of Welwood, and has printed the document so that the members of council and staff can review the draft together and provide notes to Welwood to be incorporated.

Harley Township clerk-treasurer Krystle Seymour later explained in an email that the official plan describes policies on how the land should be used,

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COOL PLACE TO PLAY

Annie Schubert, 5, of Kerns Township, was among the many children enjoying the cool water of the Temiskaming Shores Rotary Splash Pad in New Liskeard on August 25, as temperatures soared to around 27 degrees. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)





ROBERT A. NICHOLLS & ASSOCIATES Financial Peace of Mind Starts at Assante

51 Armstrong St., New Liskeard 705-647-6838 www.nichollsandassociates.ca



DID YOU GET The Speaker THIS WEEK?

Here are some of the stories in our August 28 edition...

- A fire in Evanturel Township destroyed a home and displaced a family with two teenaged children.
- · Rene Lafleur was chosen as the newest Cobalt councillor to fill a seat vacated by Harry Cooper.
- · Those who have been impacted by drug overdoses can take part in several local events planned for August 29 in Temiskaming Shores and Englehart.
- · The Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre will be fresh and ready for area swimmers after a summer maintenance shut down.
- Camp Temiskaming has benefitted from a Frog's Breath donation of \$17,000 replace the camp windows.
- · A new chapter has begun at the Cobalt Paul Penna Public Library with the hiring of a new librarian.
- The 2024 Rhino Hockey Camp was another huge success as 165 girls took part in the week-long camp.
- The Cubs are on the ice this week finalizing their roster for the upcoming Great North Triple A U18 season.



STORMY WEATHER

A car made its way through a downtown New Liskeard parking lot amid stormy weather on Tuesday afternoon. Environment and Climate Change Canada issued a series of watches and warnings August 27 as it forecast thunderstorms and rainfall amounts approaching 50 millimetres. (Staff photo by Diane Johnston)





POKÉMON BOARDWALK

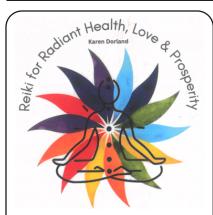
Landon Ryan-Livingston, 7, was taking aim to capture all 20 Pokémon characters along the New Liskeard boardwalk and STATO trail August 22, while his brother Oliver, 8, stood by waiting his turn. They were being taken along the path by their mother Krystin Livingston and grandmother Ruth Ryan. The City of Temiskaming Shores hosted the event August 22, 23 and 24 in partnership with the Timiskaming Health Unit. Active travel programmer Mary-Jaye Ethier created the activity. She said she enjoys playing Pokémon Go on her phone and decided to turn it into a real-life activity. The objective was to find 20 Pokémon cutouts along the shore, toss a bean bag through the hole in the cutout, colour in the sheet to show which one you got, and then return for a prize. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

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Temagami Family Health Team

Submitted by Ellen Ibey

Anxiety in Children

Does any of this sound like your child or teen?

- Clinging, crying and/or tantrums when you separate
- Excessive shyness, avoiding social situations
- Constant worry
- · Avoiding situations or places because of fears
- Complaints of frequent stomach aches or headaches
- Experiencing sudden and frequent panic attacks

If you answered yes to any of these statements your child may be experiencing anxiety.

As a parent of an anxious child, you are not alone. Anxiety is one of the most common mental health concerns for children and adults, affecting upwards of 20% of children and adolescents over the lifespan. Anxious youth are often quiet and well behaved, and thus frequently go unnoticed by their parents, teachers, and coaches. Alternatively, others can be disruptive and act out, being labeled as having attention deficit disorder or being a "bad" kid. Both scenarios result in children failing to receive the help they desperately need. Sadly, untreated anxiety can lead to depression, missed opportunities in career and relationships, increased substance use, and a decreased quality of life.

Pointers for Helping Children Escape the Cycle of Anxiety

The goal is not to eliminate anxiety, but to help a child manage it

The best way to help kids overcome anxiety isn't to try to remove stressors that trigger it. It's to help them learn to tolerate their anxiety and function as well as they can, even when they're anxious.

Don't avoid things just because they make a child anxious

Helping children avoid the things they are afraid of will make them feel better in the short term, but it reinforces the anxiety over the long run. If a child in an uncomfortable situation gets upset, starts to cry and the parents whisk them out of there, or remove the thing the child is afraid of, they learn that coping mechanism, and that cycle has the potential to repeat itself.

• Express positive but realistic expectations

You can't promise children that their fears are unrealistic, but you can express confidence that they are going to be okay, they will be able to manage it, and that, as they face their fears, the anxiety level will drop over time. This gives them confidence that your expectations are realistic, and that you're not going to ask them to do something they can't handle.

For more information about anxiety in children, visit https://www.anxietycanada.com/articles/parent-child

Committed to keeping you and your family healthy!!



Family Health Team

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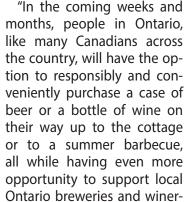
EDITORIAL

Whose convenience?

The Ontario Ford government will make the sale of beer, cider and ready-to-drink beverages available September 5.

including large-pack sizes.

As of October 31, all eligible grocery and big box stores will be able to sell beer, cider, wine and ready-to-drink beverages,



The premier has justified this move by saying it will be a more competitive marketplace and it will improve choice for consumers while creating economic growth for local retailers.

ies," said Premier Ford.

Businesses who wanted to become outlets for booze had to apply for a permit beginning on June 17.

Does the premier not understand there is a housing

crisis, a homelessness crisis and an affordability crisis in the province for a good many Ontarians?

Ontarians who don't have the luxury of zipping up Highway 400 to their luxury cottages in the Muskokas with a case of beer or wine in their Tesla.

It's all fine and dandy for the premier to provide more access to booze for his wealthy friends and supporters, but the stark reality is, Ontarians are experiencing tough times.

The high price of gasoline, groceries and rent is forcing some people onto the streets.

We know we have a homelessness crisis in the province and in our region as well.

In the world we live in there are millions of dollars being handed out for electric-vehicle battery plants, but what is being doled out for addiction services, an over-burdened health care system, mental health treatment and homeless shelters in our opulent province?

Doug Ford's push to make alcohol more available to Ontarians could quite possibly cost millions more in health costs from expanded alcohol

Who is going to monitor the thousands of corner stores so they don't sell alcohol to children?

We have to wonder how many more drunk driving incidents, addiction and domestic violence cases there will be in our communities.

Who is paying for the nurses, social workers and police that will be needed to clean up the ills from increased booze availability?



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A more humane world



Sue Nielsen

I saw an elderly person wandering the streets the other day and they appeared to be lost.

I was reminded of a neighbour I once knew who had dementia.

They would forget pots on the stove and wander around town and not know how to get back home.

This man was often berated for mixing up his words or forgetting where he lived.

On more than one occasion he was left alone to manage his affairs and clearly he needed help.

He had worked all his life in the mines in Cobalt and raised a sizeable family.

He was a good man, a kind man and a gentle man.

Perhaps his family didn't want to think of their father as having dementia and needing help.

The old adage being: it's too close to home. Dementia was perhaps too close to home for his family and/or friends.

He had become messy and his memory became blurry.

How hurtful it must be to look at your loved one and they do not remember who you are.

I wanted to shout out and tell people that dementia is not contagious and someone needed to take care of him and love him and make sure he was safe.

My mother would often bake our neighbour cakes and cookies and when she brought them over to his home, he smiled as if he remembered a time when his own wife had done the same thing for him.

The thought of my neighbour wandering the streets lost, scared and worried, waiting for someone to take him home was heartbreaking.

The thought of that helpless man looking for safety while being afraid of the world is not unlike how many of us may be feeling at times.

Aren't we all waiting for folks to be kinder, gentler, and to offer us comfort, a shoulder to lean on or a hand up?

I have noticed that people seem to be shorter on decorum and longer on impatience and anger these days.

Especially in this era of an aging baby boomer generation, dementia cases are on the rise while one in five people in Canada will experience dementia and wander at some point.

In a world becoming more isolationist, looking after the most vulnerable among us is

We need to be compassionate while outfitting our loved ones with identification kits available through the Alzheimer Society.

Thank goodness we have the Lifeline Alert system here in our region distributed by Victim Services of Temiskaming.

This is an electronic system that sends an alert to police, victim services or emergency services personnel so they can find that person.

As much as we like the idea of being alone, alone does not thrive in a humane society. It takes a community.



HONOUR OUR VETERANS BANNER PROGRAM

The purpose of the Banner Program is to

- Recognize & honour Canadian Veterans
- Promote Remembrance in our community



The program is coordinated by Legion Branch 54 Haileybury, partnering with Branch 33 New Liskeard.

Each banner will include a photo, name, military affiliation, and the name of the sponsor. Banners will be proudly displayed throughout the City of Temiskaming Shores during

the Poppy Campaign and Veterans Week, from October 25 to November 12.

Legion membership by the honouree or the sponsor is not a requirement for participation in the program. If you wish to honour a war veteran, or a retired or former member of the Canadian Armed Forces, request an application form and information sheet by email to <u>rclegion54@yahoo.ca</u> or contact the Branch 54 Service Officer, Hank Moorlag at (705) 650-2930.



937907 Marsh Bay Road, Coleman, 705-679-8833 OFFICE HOURS **MONDAY-FRIDAY** 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

COMMUNITY NEWS

COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

Monday, September 23, 2024

All meetings start at 6:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers. To participate by zoom, you will first need to register. You can register by email at: toc@colemantownship.ca

DRY WEATHER SAFETY

Under dry conditions, spring/summer activities such as grilling and setting off fireworks have the potential to cause large fires. Always use CAUTION when handing anything that produces heat or could produce a spark,

TAKE EXTRA PRECAUTIONS DURING ESPECIALLY DRY WEATHER.

The Municipality asks that residents use extreme caution and follow all Provincial and Municipal laws and regulations when having an outdoor fire. Visit the Fire Services/Education and Licenses on the Municipal website for more info. www.colemantownship.ca

WISE ABOUT BEAR - Who to contact

Not every bear sighting is an emergency situation. Here is who to call if you encounter a bear.

Emergency situations Call 911 or your local police if a bear poses an immediate threat to personal safety and exhibits threatening or aggressive behaviour, such as:

- enters a school yard when school is in session
- stalks people and lingers at the site
- enters or tries to enter a residence
- wanders into a public gathering
- kills livestock/pets and lingers at the site

Non-emergency encounters Call the toll-free Bear Wise reporting line at 1-866-514-2327 or TTY 705-945-7641 if a bear:

- · roams around or checks garbage cans
- breaks into a shed where garbage is stored
- is in a tree
- pulls down a bird feeder or knocks over a barbecue
- moves through a backyard or field but does not

This line operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week, from April 1 to November 30, for more information visit: Be Bear Wise and prevent bear encounters | ontario.ca

MUNICIPAL WASTE SITE HOURS

Hours of Operation: Tuesdays and Saturdays 9 - 4pm We collect regular household waste through weekly curbside collection every Tuesday. Please ensure your waste is out by 7 a.m. and is easily and safely accessible for collectors, at a maximum distance of one meter from the curb.

RECYCLING SCHEDULE September 17, 2024



NOW AVAILABLE Lindsay Cote books





\$35.00 each

Our cartoonist Lindsay Cote's books are now available at the Temiskaming Speaker office. Get your copy today!

18 Wellington Street S., New Liskeard, ON

DUCKS PUT THE FUN IN FUNDRAISER

Latchford firefighter Trent Matton (left) and his daughter Anna, 3, were eager to have a look at the nearly 600 ducks that were entered in the seventh annual Latchford Duck Race that took place August 24. The fire department fundraiser was supervised by Fire Chief Mike Beaupre (right). Tickets were \$10 each and the sales were the best so far. The winning ticket holder was Mary Arthur (\$1,000). Laurie Miller won \$300, and Tracy Mitchell won \$200. Beaupre said the fundraiser goes toward instruments and tools that are over the budget. The department has dedicated volunteers but could always use some new volunteers, he said. (Staff photo by Darlene Wroe)

Wedding Anniversary! Please join us!

Please join us!
Saturday,

When September 7th
2-4 pm

Where

OMPH Parish Hall

Come and celebrate the 60th Anniversary of Ron and Anne Bailey



Harley Township reviewing draft official plan

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and establishes a vision for the future of the municipality, and "provides policy direction to manage future land use patterns and growth."

It outlines locations for housing, industry, offices, shops, and services including roads, water mains, sewers, parks and schools. It also outlines "when, and in what order, parts of the community will grow; and community improvement initiatives."

GUIDES DECISIONS

She continued that "land use planning helps municipalities

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MARCHER ENSEMBLE

The Temiskaming Pleasure Horse Club held two days of competitions August 24 and 25 at the New Liskeard riding ring. Pictured here in the English division competitions are Val d'Or riders (from the left): Aurelie Coté, Eve Picotte, and Megalie Bouché. (LJI photo by Darlene Wroe)

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Council & Committee Meeting

Committee of the Whole

Tuesday, September 3, 2024 | 3:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 17, 2024 | 6:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

Regular Council Meetings are live-streamed on the City's Facebook page.

Question and Answer Period during Regular Council meetings is an opportunity for members of the public to submit questions pertaining to an item on the Agenda, or the business of Council. The questions received by 3:00 p.m. on the meeting day (Regular Council Meetings only) will be read aloud during the Question-and-Answer Period. Members of the public who wish to submit questions may submit in writing or email to questions@temiskamingshores.ca

Note Any correspondence sent to the Mayor and Council may be included in a Council agenda/package and become part of the public record. Comments or questions submitted via the City of Temiskaming Shores Facebook page, will not be considered, and the moderator of the live-streamed meeting may remove all comments.

For further information contact Logan Belanger, Municipal Clerk:

Phone | 705-672-3363 Ext. 4116

Email | Ibelanger@temiskamingshores.ca

City Hall

Public Survey Have your voice heard! **Community-Based** Complete the online survey! Strategic Plan



https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/TSStrategicPlan

We are looking for your input!

July 24 to August 31

The City of Temiskaming Shores is seeking your input to help further understand the Temiskaming Shores community, as well as define potential opportunities for sustainable growth.

If you have any questions about the Strategic Plan process or this survey, please contact: Mathew Bahm | Director of Recreation

Email | mbham@temiskamingshores.ca

Website I www.temiskamingshroes.ca



Temiskaming Shores Public Library

Library Hours

Monday | 10am-5pm Tuesday | 10am-8pm Wednesday | 10am-8pm Thursday | 10am-8pm Friday | 10am-5pm Saturday | 10am-4pm Sunday | Closed

Northern College Haileybury Library Summer Hours

Monday to Friday

8:00am-4:00pm (closed for lunch)

Saturday and Sunday Closed

For information about programs visit the calendar on our website. To register for programs contact the Library at:

Phone | 705-647-4215

Email | Info@temisklibrary.com Visit | www.temiskamingshores.ca

Wednesday-August 28

Library Settlement Worker

Thursday-August 29

Gadget Helper | Call for appointment

Friday-August 30

Pay-As-You-Please Weekend Booksale

Saturday-August 31

Pay-As-You-Please Weekend Booksale Sphero Battle Bots | 10:30am-11:30am

Tuesday-September 3

Library Settlement Worker

Sphero Battle Bots

Registered participants shall construct their own battle bot and take turns against one another to determine the day's sphero battle bot champion. Using the minimum of the supplied items, participants will user their creativity to create a functioning "shell" for their sphero mini to act as their battle bot. This shell must be able to steer easily with the sphero mini without tipping over. The shell must also allow a balloon to be easily attached to the back that they must defend. The goal for each participant will be to attempt to pop your opponent's balloon before they pop yours. Last one standing

Government Funded Immigrant Services

Providing guidance and support in the area of; work permit, study permit and PR applications, Canadian Citizenship applications, Accessing immigration documents, government services and benefits (such as SIN/OHIP/Child Tax Benefits/ Ontario drivers' licence), Increasing knowledge of English/ French languages, social activities and networking with other immigrants, Employment support, Free professional document translation, Accessing health care (walk in clinics, hospital, pharmacies, etc.), Daycares and schools. We are here to guide and support you, meet our library settlement worker, Raghav Chopra.

Email | raghavchopra@timminsmulticultural.ca Phone | 705-492-5565

Gadget Helper

Do you need some help with your tablet or device? If so, you can book a FREE Gadget Helper appointment at the library! We offer weekly 45-minute one-on-one timeslots on Thursdays.

Financial Services

Notice to Taxpayers | 2024 Final Tax Bills | Due Date Reminder

First Installment | Monday, July 15, 2024

Second Installment | Monday, September 16, 2024

Payment Options

In person | 325 Farr Drive in Haileybury (City Hall)

Mail | P.O. Box 2050, Haileybury, ON P0J 1K0

Drop box | 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury (City Hall) or

77 Wellington, New Liskeard (Pool Fitness Centre)

Telephone or Online Banking

1. Add the City of Temiskaming Shores as a payee

For alternative payment options (e.g. pre-authorized plans, financial institutions, mortgage companies) or for inquiries regarding your property tax bill, please contact the Taxation Department at 705-672-3363 or finance@temiskamingshores.ca.

Additional information may also be found online at:

www.temiskamingshores.ca/en/city-hall/Taxation.aspx

Employment Opportunities

The City of Temiskaming Shores is committed to an inclusive, barrier free environment. Accommodation will be provided in all steps of the hiring process. Please advise the Director of Corporate Services if you require any accommodations to ensure that you can participate fully and equally during the recruitment and selection process. We thank all applicants; however, only those considered for an interview will be contacted.

For further information on Employment Opportunities with the City of Temiskaming Shores, please visit the website under "City Hall-Employment Opportunities."

Crossing Guard in Haileybury

Hours of Work | 10 Hours per week Compensation | \$17.42 per hour Location | Recreation Department

Submission Email | szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

Applicants are encouraged to submit their resumes by regular mail or email to: Shelly Zubyck | Director of Corporate Services P.O. Box 2050 | Haileybury, Ontario | POJ IKO szubyck@temiskamingshores.ca

Public Works Service

Service Disruption—Road

Please drive cautiously in the area as vehicle and pedestrian traffic will be increased during this time. Local traffic will have access to driveways from either end of the closure.

When

Start | Saturday September 7 at 8:00am End | Monday, September 9 at 12:00pm

Why

Request for Road Closure Haileybury Block Party

Where

Haileybury Broadway Street between Ferguson Avenue and Georgina Avenue

For questions or concerns please contact Public Works at 705-647-6220.



Facilities / Recreation

Temporarily Re-Opened | July 18, 2024

Pete's Dam Park Bridge | Highway 65 West | New Liskeard

The city has received an engineers report on the bridge and are able to open the bridge on a temporary basis until repairs are made. City staff will be monitoring the bridge on a regular basis for any changes to the bridge piers and may need to temporarily close the bridge if necessary. Thank you for your cooperation.

Open for the Season | August 6, 2024

Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena 75 Wellington St. South, New Liskeard

Open for the Season | September 16, 2024

Shelley Herbert -Shea Memorial Arena 400 Ferguson Ave. | Haileybury

Contact us today to book your ice time. 705-672-3363

Swimming Program Schedule

Pool Schedule may change with or without notice, we are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause Public Swimming fees are included with a Facility Membership or can be paid for per visit. For more information about public swimming please contact the Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre (77 Wellington St. S | New Liskeard)

Phone | 705-647-5709

Email | pfc@temiskamingshores.ca.

Sunday-September 1

Rec Swim | 1:30pm-4:00pm

Tuesday-September 3

Rec Swim | 4:00pm-6:00pm **Aquafit** | 6:15pm-7:00pm

Lane Swim | 7:15pm-8:30pm

Are you a Water Smart Parent? Check out the Lifesaving Society site and take the test! www.watersmartparents.ca

Fall Registration

Residents | September 10 Non-Residents | September 12

- ◆ Learn to Swim
- Aquatic Leadership Courses
 Take a "Leap" into Aquatics! Become a Lifeguard and Instructor!

Collectively Bike the Trans-Canada Highway

Bike 7821 km as a community!

Congratulations! We've made it! We have arrived at St. John's, NL.

Our community has successfully cycled the length of the Trans-Canada Highway! To celebrate this milestone, we have selected the winners of the Yeti giveaway.

Congratulations Ray Duval and Renee Duval. Thank you to everyone who participated in this community initiative!

This initiative had a total of 29 participants, we encourage everyone to take pride in the incredible distance we have achieved.

Consider active travel in your daily commutes whenever possible.

For additional information visit the city website under "Resident-Recreation-Active Travel"

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From City Hall



Labour Day

- Monday, September 2, 2024 -

The City of Temiskaming Shores respectfully acknowledges the importance of honouring this day.



Facility Holiday Schedule

City Hall

325 Farr Drive | Haileybury

Closed | September 2

Pool and Fitness Centre

77 Wellington Street South | New Liskeard

Closed | September 2

Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena

75 Wellington Street South | New Liskeard

Closed | September 2

Temiskaming Shores Library

285 Whitewood Avenue | New Liskeard

Closed | September 2

Temiskaming Transit

Servicing Temiskaming Shores and Cobalt Area

Weekend Service | September 2

Curbside Pickup

Area 1-Monday Collection

- No collection | September 2
- Area 1-Monday Collection will take place on Tuesday, September 3

Landfill Operations

704165 Rockley Road | New Liskeard

- Closed September 2 (as regular Schedule)
- Closed September 3

For additional information, visit the City Website Www.temiskamingshores.ca

The Council for the City of Temiskaming Shores hereby proclaims the following days and respectfully acknowledges the importance of honouring these days in the City of Temiskaming Shores.

August 31, 2024 | International Overdose Awareness Day Whereas Council for The Corporation of the City of Temiskaming Shores acknowledges the harm and hardship caused by the drug poisoning (overdose) crisis; and Whereas the purpose of International Overdose Awareness Day is to remember loved ones lost to drug poisoning, and to end the stigma of substance use and mental health; and Whereas drug poisoning in Timiskaming claimed the lives of more than nine (9) residents last year, together with countless more affected forever.

Therefore be it resolved that Council for the City of Temiskaming Shores hereby proclaims August 31, 2024, as International Overdose Awareness Day in the City of Temiskaming Shores.

Programming

All Age Friendly Programs

Registration required for Women's exercise class and chair yoga. For mor information contact:

Lynn Julien | Program Coordinator:

Phone | 705-647-5709

Email | ljulien@temiskamingshores.ca

Wednesday-August 28

Outdoor Pickleball | 8:30am | New Liskeard Tennis Courts Horseshoes | 10:00am | Algonquin Beach Park Pits Music in the Park | 1:00pm | Haileybury Harbourfront

Thursday-August 29

Chair Yoga | 2:00pm | Dymond Community Hall

Friday-August 30

Outdoor Pickleball | 8:30am | New Liskeard Tennis Courts

Tuesday-September 3

Women's Exercise Group | 9:00am | Haileybury Arena Kubb | 10:00am | next to the splash pad in New Liskeard



Fire Services

Fire Safety Basics for **Student Accommodation**

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When young people attend college or university, they will often be living away from home for the first time.

This can be a concern for parents as they try to ensure their children will be safe when they're not living under the same roof. The following is important fire safety information that every student should know before moving away from home.

Parents should discuss these basic fire safety rules with their kids before dropping them off at their new dwelling.

Cooking

Cooking is the number one cause of home fires in Ontario. If the student's accommodation has cooking facilities, there are some basic fire safety rules they must follow to prevent cooking fires:

- A stovetop fire can start in a flash, so stay in the kitchen when something is cooking on the stove.
- Keep all combustible items a safe distance away from the stove. This
 includes tea towels, wooden or plastic spoons and paper towels.
- Keep a pot lid near the stove to smother flames if a fire starts in a pot.

Space Heaters

The central heating systems in older accommodation is often supplemented with space heaters. To prevent heating fires:

- Keep the space heater at least one metre away from anything that can burn, such as paper, bedding, furniture and curtains.
- Turn off the space heater before going out or going to bed.

Candles

The use of candles is becoming more and more popular, especially among young people. To prevent candle fires:

- Use tea lights or votive candles in non-combustible containers as they are generally a safer choice than tapers.
- Place the candles in a location where they can't be knocked over or come in contact with combustible items.
- Blow out all candles before leaving the room or going to bed.

Social Gatherings

Parties are as much a part of student life as attending classes. While most student parties are harmless fun, the consumption of alcohol combined with cooking or smoking can create a serious fire risk. To minimize the risk of fires during or after parties:

- Avoid over-crowding. The more people attending the party, the easier it is to lose control of the situation.
- Encourage guests to smoke outside. Consider putting up no smoking signs that direct guests to an outside smoking area.
- Refrain from burning candles during parties. They can easily be knocked over or ignite nearby combustibles, unnoticed.

Smoking

Fires caused by smoking can be deadly. Even if they don't smoke themselves, chances are the student will have friends that do. To prevent smoking fires:

- Encourage smokers to go outside.
- Keep large, deep ashtrays on hand that will reduce the risk of ashes and cigarette butts falling onto rugs or upholstery.
- Allow ashes to cool completely before disposing.

Smoke alarms

If a fire does occur, it is critical that the dwelling have working smoke alarms to alert occupants as soon as possible.

- The responsibility for smoke alarm installation and maintenance lies with the homeowner or landlord, however it is a good idea for parents to provide their child with a smoke alarm for his or her bedroom.
- It is against the law for tenants to disable or tamper with a smoke alarm.
- If a smoke alarm activates due to steam from the shower or cooking on the stove, oven or toaster, ask the landlord to move the alarm to a different location, or to install a smoke alarm with a pause feature.

Electrical Equipment

Overloaded circuits and octopus wiring are dangerous electrical hazards that can be avoided. To prevent fires caused by electrical equipment:

- Use an approved power bar with a circuit breaker and surge protector to plug in computer and stereo equipment.
- Avoid the use of extension cords as permanent wiring.
- Make sure electrical cords are not concealed under carpets or rugs where they can be easily damaged.

Fire Escape Planning

When the smoke alarm sounds, everyone must know what to do and where to go. Encourage students to develop a fire escape plan, keeping the following in mind:

- Know two ways out of every room, if possible. The first way out would be the door, while the
 alternate escape could be a window that can be exited safely. Make sure all designated escape
 routes are accessible and free of clutter.
- · Leave the building as quickly as possible. Once outside, don't re-enter the building for any reason.
- Call 9-1-1 from outside the building using a cell phone or neighbours' phone.











FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT FIRE SAFETY IN STUDENT ACCOMMODATION, CONTACT THE LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire Services

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Student Accommodation

A parent's guide to finding fire-safe accommodation for students attending college or university

Parents have many issues to consider when seeking suitable accommodation for a daughter or son attending college or university. The following information will help to determine if potential accommodation make the grade when it comes to fire safety.

Smoke Alarms

It is the law in Ontario to have working smoke alarms on every storey and outside all sleeping areas. The law applies to single family, semi-detached, townhomes and apartments (including basement apartments), whether owner-occupied or rented. Rooming houses have specific regulations about smoke alarms or fire alarm systems. In addition to smoke alarms within each unit or suite, apartment buildings and student residences operated by the school may also have a building fire alarm system. Make sure the landlord, administrator or superintendent identifies and explains the fire alarm and detection features in the building and unit.

Carbon Monoxide Alarms

Ontario law requires all homes/ apartments to have a working carbon monoxide alarm outside all sleeping areas if there is a fuel-burning appliance or fireplace in the home/apartment. If the building has a service room or a garage, carbon monoxide alarms must be installed outside each sleeping area of all apartment units above, below and beside the service room or garage. If there is a service room, a carbon monoxide alarm also must be installed

Fire Separations

in the service room.

Students often find accommodation in older homes that have been converted to apartments or rooming houses. At the time of the conversion, a building permit should have been obtained to ensure that fire safety features such as proper exits and fire separations between units are provided. Ask the owner if the property complies with the Building Code and Fire Code and to explain the fire safety features.

It is important to consider how people will escape from a room or apartment in an emergency. Every room or apartment requires adequate exits that will permit unobstructed escape from the building. Make sure to ask the landlord or superintendent to identify all of the designated exits. All windows and doors should open fully and easily.

Stairways and hallways must not be used for storage as this can pose serious fire safety hazards. Furniture and other obstacles can physically block exits and may fill hallways or stairways with smoke if they catch fire. This practice must be strictly avoided.

Fire Escape Plans

In a fire emergency, everyone must know what to do and where to go. Large apartment buildings and student residence buildings require a fire safety plan, which informs the occupants about emergency procedures. Ask the building administrator or superintendent to explain the procedures in the fire safety plan.

Smaller apartment buildings and houses that have been converted to apartments or lodging rooms may not have a fire safety plan, however it's a good idea to ensure there are two ways out of the unit. The alternate way out can be a window that can be safely exited in an emergency.

Security

Some property owners install bars on windows as a security measure. While this may seem appealing from a security point of view, it can prevent students from escaping in an emergency situation. Security bars on windows should be equipped with a quick-opening device on the inside so the bars can be removed quickly.

Electrical Safety

Many buildings offering lodging to students are older homes that may not have upgraded wiring. Outlets in bathrooms or within one metre of the kitchen sink should be the Ground Fault Circuit Interrupter (GFCI) type.

Consider the number and location of electrical outlets in the room or apartment. There should be enough outlets so that appliances such as lamps, computer equipment and stereos can be operated without the use of extension cords. If extension cords can't be avoided, use multi-outlet power bars that are approved and provide surge protection and a circuit breaker. Make sure that electrical cords of any kind are not concealed under carpets or rugs where they can be easily damaged.

Avoid overloaded circuits and octopus wiring.

See the reverse for valuable fire safety information that every student should know before moving away from home.

For more information:

Contact the administration offices of the college or university. They will frequently maintain a registry of available accommodation for students. Call the local fire department to determine if the building has been inspected for Fire Code compliance.

Electrical safety tips and information about common electrical hazards can be found at the Electrical Safety Authority website at: www.esainspection.net

Fire safety tips and information can be found at the Office of the Fire Marshal website at: www.ofm.gov.on.ca

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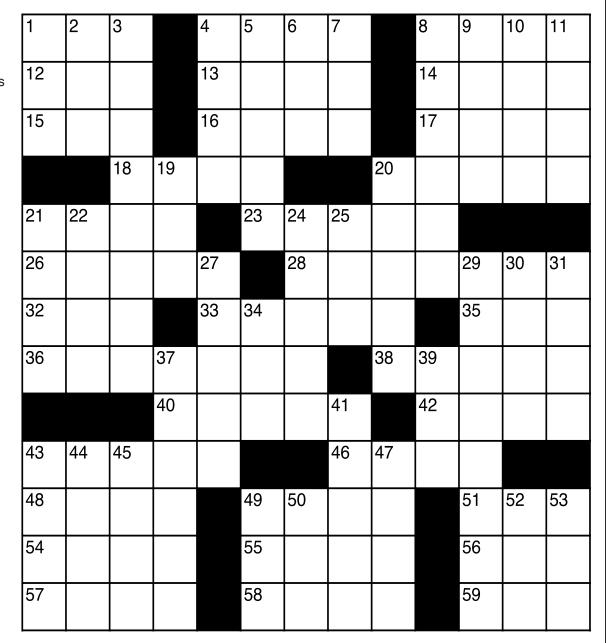
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You'll have a lot of work and urgent details to sort out at home and work this week. Don't hesitate to ask your family for help. They'll be happy to lend a hand!



TAURUS

Well-meaning friends might invite you to exercise regularly to stay in shape over winter. This will help you feel good about yourself and stay healthy.



GEMINI

This week, you'll devote your time to your home and family. You'll decorate your space how you like and be happy with the results. The New Moon will bring action into your life.



CANCER

You'll be on the go this week or play taxi driver for your nearest and dearest, which will take some time. You'll also spend time talking on the phone and being active on social media. You'll be curious and easy to talk to.



LE0

A mountain of files awaits you at work. This will cause some stress but bring in much-needed extra income, so you may need to double-check some invoices.



VIRGO

Your friends will want to go shopping with you. Although you'll suggest various activities, you may end up going on an adventure on your own. You could play a sport or do another fun activity.



Take a step back to relax and gain a better perspective. This will help you determine how to make your personal or professional life more interesting.



SCORPIO

Your friends may ask you to join them for a relaxing weekend retreat, or your partner could take you on a romantic getaway. Either way, you'll have fun in a rejuvenating atmosphere.



SAGITTARIUS

You might be given new responsibilities at work, requiring a few extra hours to complete your projects. However, this could lead to better job opportunities in the future.



CAPRICORN

A training course suggested by your boss will open doors to a more promis-ing future, with possible advancement after graduation. A celebratory trip is in the cards. Lots of fun ahead!



AQUARIUS

September is a time for new beginnings – a new school year for students and a return to work for others. Take this opportunity to think about what you want to do with your life and start working toward it.



PISCES

You'll be responsible for organizing a big event despite feeling uncomfortable in crowds. This will show you that stepping outside your comfort zone can help you succeed and accomplish



Answers for Crossword **Puzzle from** page 13

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Harley Township reviewing draft official plan

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and communities set goals for growth and development by providing tools to manage change. It balances the provincial, community, and individual interests taking social, economic, and environmental factors into consideration. Official Plan for the Township Land use planning helps in managing land and resources and guides municipalities' de-

cisions about where to: build homes and factories; locate parks and schools; and provide essential public services. Further, land use planning can help shape and protect the 'character' of a community."

She stated that "the current of Harley has been in place for over 30 years, and since its passing, the Province has

made significant updates to the Planning Act, as well as the Growth Plan for Northern Ontario 2011 and the Provincial Policy Statement (PPS) 2020. In 2021, JLR was hired to undertake a new Official Plan. The purpose of the Official Plan and Zoning By-law project is twofold," said Seymour.

"One, it helps to advance the community's vision, goals

and objectives for land use planning. Secondly, it ensures that the land use policy and regulatory framework has regard to matters of provincial interest listed under Section 2 of the Planning Act; is consistent with policy statements issued under Section 3 of the Planning Act; and conforms with provincial plans or does not conflict with them."



SISTER SHOPPERS

Sofia Burton, 8, and her little sister Layla, 4, were looking for bargains at a recent yard sale held at Northern Animals Rescue and Sanctuary in New Liskeard. The event was held to help the sanctuary raise much-needed funds for day-to-day operations including rent, food and health care for the animals. (Staff photo by Steven Larocque)







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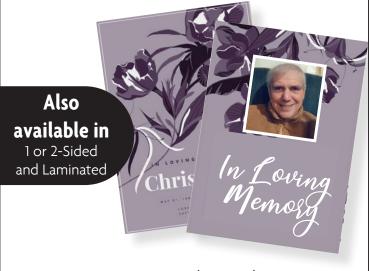
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PARISH WEBSITE: Our Mother of Perpetual Help Parish has updated its parish website. It contains information about the Parish, the weekly bulletin and a host of other useful information and links. Check out the website at www.ourmotherofperpetualhelp.ca.

NOTICES / COMING EVENTS

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THE LITERACY COUNCIL OF SOUTH TEMISKAMING will be holding its annual General Meeting on September 3, 2024 at 10 am via zoom. The meeting is open to the public and all are welcome to attend. For more information please call Sue at 705-647-4040.

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BID EUCHRE is played at 1 p.m. every Saturday at the Northdale Manor. Players are welcome. Please use the parking lot entrance

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OPEN STUDIO LIBRE (2nd floor of the Shelley Herbert Shea Arena, 400 Ferguson Ave) welcomes you to make art. Drop in hours are Tuesdays 10-7, Thursdays 4-7 and Friday 1:30-4. Thursdays are Make Art with Mel with adult only drop in happening downstairs. Everything is by donation.

TEMISKAMING TREASURES QUILT GUILD meet the last Thursday of every month at 7pm at the St. Pauls & St. Johns Hall (506 Rorke Ave., Haileybury). Welcome to all interested in quilting. For more information please contact Linda at 705-647-5812.

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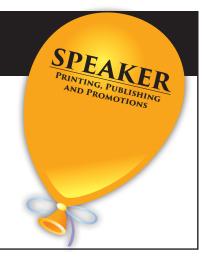
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More screening needed to detect colorectal cancer

DISTRICT (Special) - Despite being Canada's second leading cancer killer, nine out of 10 colorectal cancer cases can be prevented through screening.

The Colorectal Cancer Re-

source and Action Network (CCRAN) is a non-profit dedicated to reducing the burden of this devastating disease and is sounding the alarm on inadequate screening rates in Canada.

Since the introduction of colorectal cancer screening programs across the country, there has been a significant decline in colorectal cancer rates in the eligible population: those who are 50 and

older and at average risk of developing the disease.

Screening works, but only for those who participate. Participation in screening programs ranges from 20 per cent to 51 per cent across Canada: over half of Canadians are missing out on a quick, painless, at-home test that could save their lives.

CCRAN calls upon governments, healthcare practitioners, and individuals to take action to save lives and works collectively with diverse stakeholders to improve uptake of screening.

Disturbingly, there is an alarming rise of early-age onset colorectal cancer (EA-OCRC) being diagnosed before the age of 50, yet these younger Canadians remain ineligible for screening. Across Canada, individuals under 50 frequently face barriers related to detection and diagnosis, leading to the disease often being diagnosed at a later and more lethal stage.

Additionally, the disease characteristics tend to be more aggressive in many EA-OCRC patients.

In response to these findings and the growing number of younger patients seeking support, education, and advocacy, the action network has dedicated a mandate to addressing early onset and calls for immediate, comprehensive, and collaborative action from all stakeholders.

CCRAN is dedicated to raising awareness of this disease and advocating for lowering the screening age. Screening saves lives and Canadians under 50 must be able to avail themselves of life-saving screening tests.

"The rise in early age onset cancer rates is deeply concerning and demands urgent



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Housing and homelessness survey extended

DISTRICT (Staff/Special) - DTSSAB is reaching out to the public once more to get their thoughts on housing and homelessness in the district.

The District of Timiskaming Social Services Administration Board (DTSSAB) is working with OrgCode Consulting Inc. to gather information on the topic, and says public input is crucial in developing an effective and sustainable plan.

In an August 20 media release, DTSSAB said it's "releas-

ing a survey to continue the data collection efforts that took place on July 29 and 30 in Kirkland Lake and New Liskeard. DTSSAB extends sincere thanks to the 50 to 65 individuals who generously donated their time to participate in the community engagement sessions held throughout the district during the week of July 29. Your involvement reflects a strong commitment to the community and to the development of strategies that

support housing in our area. The success and sustainability of a Housing and Homelessness Plan tailored to the district's unique needs rely on this community input, as well as the valuable insights we've received from our partners.

"This initiative plays a vital role in DTSSAB's Housing and Homelessness Plan, as required by the Ontario Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing. The plan must be

support housing in our area. regularly reviewed and up-The success and sustainabil- dated to align with current ity of a Housing and Home- needs and conditions.

"As the Service Manager for Community Housing and Homelessness, DTSSAB is dedicated to building a sustainable, integrated, and affordable housing system. This effort includes collaboration with local municipalities, various levels of government, private developers, non-profit housing providers, community agencies, local

businesses, and residents. Key partners in this initiative include the Canadian Mental Health Association, Salvation Army, Hope Haven, Zack's Crib, and Pavilion," the media release continued.

The survey has been prepared by OrgCode Consulting Inc. and can be found at https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DTSSABHousing.

The survey will close September 10, 2024.

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action," said Filomena Servidio-Italiano, president and CEO of CCRAN.

"Through our initiatives, we aim to provide support, raise awareness, and drive meaningful progress in the fight against early age onset cancer."

Colorectal cancer is the second leading cause of cancer death in Canada and the third most diagnosed cancer in men and in women. In 2023, 24,100 Canadians were diagnosed with the disease and 9,300 Canadians died from colorectal cancer. Unfortunately, both cases and deaths are expected to increase beginning in 2030, and this will largely be driven by those currently under the age of 40.

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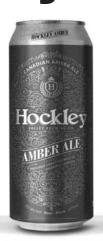


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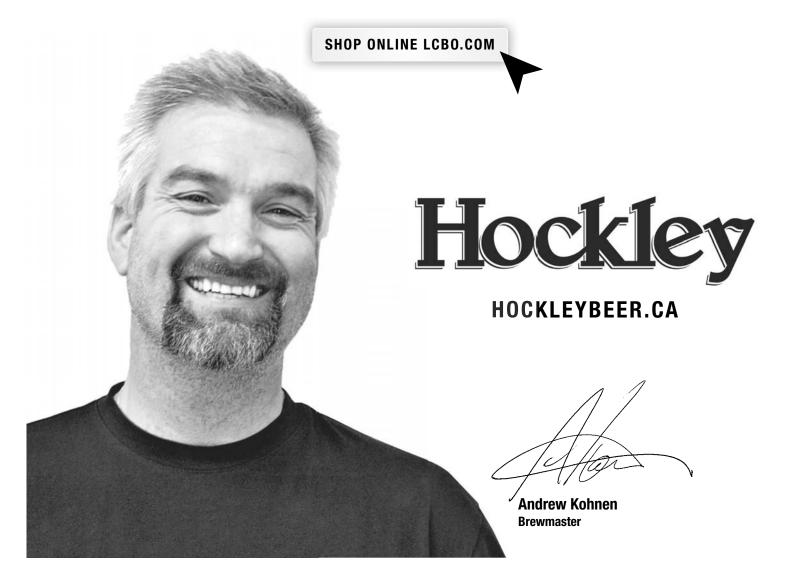








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