



# The Neebing News

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## Welcome Back!

Rosslyn Library will be opening to visitors every Tuesday from 10:00 to 7:00 beginning October 13<sup>th</sup>.

We want to continue to keep people safe in our community and therefore, we are limiting how patrons can use the library. Key things you need to know when coming into Rosslyn Library:

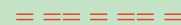
- ✓ Library service will be available at Rosslyn Library on Tuesdays from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. (beginning October 13<sup>th</sup>).
- ✓ There will be a limit of 3 patrons in the Library at any one time or if a household has more than 3 people, then a single household unit will be permitted into the Library.
- ✓ There will be a limit to the amount of time that each person/ household can be in the Library. The limit is 15 minutes per person/ household.
- ✓ Before entering the Library, a hand sanitizing station will be set up and you must use it before coming into the library.
- ✓ Masks or face coverings must be worn when entering the Library (Oliver Paipoonge Mandatory Mask Policy By-Law No. 65 2020) and must cover the mouth, nose, and chin as outlined in the Policy and recommended by health authorities.
- ✓ Toys and equipment including computers will not be available at this time.
- ✓ The used book room will be open under the same limitations as the main library area.
- ✓ Patrons' movement in the library will be guided by tables/ shelves. Please respect physical distancing amongst patrons and staff.
- ✓ Curbside service will continue to be offered at Rosslyn Library between 2:00 and 7:00 on Tuesdays and at Murillo Library every Wednesday from 2:00 to 7:00.

The Board of Oliver Paipoonge Library is working hard to expand library visit lengths, bring back public computer use and programs and open Murillo library to in-house service. If you have any questions you can email [oplibrary@tbaytel.net](mailto:oplibrary@tbaytel.net) or phone either Library

Murillo Library 935-2729 or Rosslyn Library 939-2312

## NEEBING IS FALLING BEHIND! Help us not be last - Get your Vax!

According to the Thunder Bay District Health Unit Neebing residents are falling behind in regional vaccination trends. The CLE Clinic is open for walk-ins 5 days a week, and a rural Vaccination Clinic is being planned.

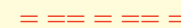


## CLE COVID VACCINATION CLINICS

WALK-IN APPOINTMENTS: Anyone born in 2009 or earlier is eligible to receive a first or second dose of COVID-19 vaccine.

Walk-in appointments at the CLE Clinic are available during the following hours:

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.



## NOT GETTING YOURS?

Coronaviruses have been around a long time. The common cold is one form of coronavirus. The SARS (severe acute respiratory syndrome) coronavirus outbreak in 2003 and MERS (Middle East respiratory syndrome) epidemic in 2012 accelerated the development of the SAR-COVID-2 vaccines that have been approved by governments around the world.

### THERE ARE TWO VALID EXEMPTIONS FOR REMAINING UNVACCINATED

- serious adverse events following the administration of the first COVID-19 immunization
- those with certain medical conditions that may affect their response to immunization

According to the Province, people who have the above exemptions may still be able to be vaccinated under controlled conditions with expert consultation. More information on medical exemptions is available from the Thunder Bay District Health Unit (TBDHU) or the Ministry of Health



## TBDHU - Ask a Nurse

The Thunder Bay District Health Unit has nurses available to answer questions related to COVID-19 vaccines.



Contact Ask a Nurse if you:

- have questions about the safety or effectiveness of the COVID-19 vaccines and can't find credible information elsewhere.
- are an international student or someone who has been immunized in another province/ country and have questions about recording vaccines in Ontario or if you qualify as fully vaccinated.
- have unique circumstances and would like to discuss options for accommodating your vaccine appointment.

Call (807) 625-5900 (ext. 5108 or press 4 when prompted) to speak to a nurse between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday or email [vaccines@tbdhu.com](mailto:vaccines@tbdhu.com).

You can also find important information at: <https://www.tbdhu.com/VaccineFacts>



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| <p><b>Murillo Library</b><br/>Curbside Service<br/>Wednesday 2:00 – 7:00<br/>935-2729</p>   | <p>Email:<br/><a href="mailto:oplibrary@tbaytel.net">oplibrary@tbaytel.net</a><br/>Website:<br/><a href="http://oliverpaipoonge.olsn.ca">http://oliverpaipoonge.olsn.ca</a></p> | <p><b>Rosslyn Library</b><br/>In-house service<br/>Tuesday 10:00 – 7:00<br/>(limited capacity)<br/>939-2312</p> |
|    | <p>Great News!<br/>Ontario Parks Passes are still available to borrow from the library. This program will be extended until the end of 2022!</p>                                |                              |
| <p><b>Back by popular demand - Radon detectors!</b><br/>Using your library card you can borrow a portable radon detector that will quickly give you readings of radon levels in your house.<br/>Learn more at <a href="https://www.ecosuperior.org/radon">https://www.ecosuperior.org/radon</a></p> |   |                              |



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## THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING

### Notice of a Meeting being held to Adopt Neebing's Official Plan (Subject to Provincial Approval)

Please take notice that the Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of Neebing, will be meeting on Wednesday, November 17, 2021 at 6:00 pm, via web conference, to adopt the final wording and map schedules to Neebing's proposed new Official Plan under Section 26 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended.

A review process was commenced in May of 2013 and finalized late in 2017. Council adopted (subject to Provincial approval) a revised Official Plan in late 2017. The Provincial review in 2017-2018 resulted in recommendations for significant wording changes to the plan adopted by Council. Because of the municipal election held in October of 2018, consideration of the Provincial comments was delayed. The review by the new Council concluded in 2019, and a revised Official Plan was submitted to the Province for consideration in early 2020. Many of the Provincial wording changes suggested in 2019 were considered appropriate by Neebing Council, and incorporated in the revised Official Plan. Some suggestions were not incorporated. Further, Council also considered other changes, including adding language to enable the adoption of some property standards, and the removal of a parcel of land from the "Agricultural" designation and inclusion of that parcel of land in the "Rural" designation.

The COVID-19 pandemic, which originated in mid-March, 2020, further delayed matters.

A further public meeting was held on March 24, 2021, to update the public on the proposed new Official Plan.

Wording changes were formally adopted by Council on April 7, 2021. Mapping was not available at the time, however, verbal descriptions of mapping changes were provided at the public meeting.

Apart from some technical amendments (i.e. changes to the titles of provincial ministries) no wording changes are being considered by Council on November 17th, from those previously approved April 7th.

The purpose of the public meeting is to consider the final wording for Neebing's proposed Official Plan, as well as the map schedules to the plan.

Details of the final wording and map schedules for the proposed Official Plan, and meeting login information will be available on the Municipality's website at <https://www.neebing.org/notices>. Hard copies may be obtained by contacting the Clerk-Treasurer.

For more information about this matter, including information about appeal rights, contact the Clerk-Treasurer, or consult the website.

DATED AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING this 22nd day of October, 2021.

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## The Rural Pharmacist:

# It's Still Vaccine Season, and the Flu Shot is the Familiar Character

by Henry Tempelman, Pharmacist/Owner Evergreen Pharmacies

Don't roll that sleeve back down yet.. Show me that shoulder. It's a new season with a new (but familiar) character. The flu shot is back, and it's as important as it's ever been.

Many have received their COVID vaccines in the last few months, and more people are still coming to get vaccinated, which is great to see! With the pandemic, there has been an increased awareness about the positive impact vaccines can have on an individual's health, along with the health of those close to them. We saw this firsthand at our pharmacy last year, with a significant increased uptake on our flu shot offerings.

National polls leading up to this flu season support these concepts. 58% of Canadians who responded to the poll said they intend to get the flu shot, and 53% of those who intend to get it said they are likely to get it at a pharmacy. 34% of respondents mention that the pandemic is more likely to increase the likelihood of them getting the flu shot rather than reduce the likelihood of getting the flu shot.

It's also worth noting that the flu (influenza) and COVID-19 are different viruses and that the vaccine for one will not protect you from the other virus. The symptoms of infection from both viruses can present similarly in early stages (fever, shortness of breath, sore throat, cough). We are still in the pandemic and public health is recognizing these symptoms as a potential case of COVID-19. The flu shot is important in preventing the flu and reducing your chances of undergoing unnecessary COVID-19 testing/isolation and missed time from work/school. And, of course, if you're young and healthy then getting your flu shot is still important to protect your family (grandparents/children) from getting the flu, even if you're at low risk for having serious complications from the flu.

We have three different flu vaccines available, but it is important to remember

to get the vaccine available to you that day. Vaccine shopping delays your immunization and increases yours and your family's risk of contracting the flu virus. ALL FLU VACCINES are safe and effective in protecting against the flu virus. The flu vaccines available this year are high dose senior 65+ dose vaccine and two different standard doses. Don't forget... the kids! This year Ontario pharmacists are eligible to administer flu shots to children ages 2+!

Another important thing to note, NACI has updated their recommendations and now allow two vaccines, particularly the COVID vaccine, to be administered in one day. So if you need multiple vaccines then don't wait! Make one appointment to get them in the same day. (There is one type of adjuvanted flu vaccine that needs to be separated by 1 or 2 weeks from the shingles vaccine, so let our pharmacist know if you've gotten you shingles vaccine recently!)

For the initial wave of flu vaccines, we are going to be operating by appointment only. Book your vaccine with us by visiting our website [www.evergreenrx.ca](http://www.evergreenrx.ca). You can find the links to book at either Kakabeka or Rosslyn on our home page. Once we move through the first wave of flu shots and things slow down then we will move to a hybrid appointment and walk-in model.

Please remember.. this is a really busy time for us in our pharmacies! If you can, please try to call in your prescription refills at least one day in advance. Wait times can be longer at the beginning of flu season and we appreciate your patience and cooperation! We appreciate you!

PS: Have you seen the action next door on the construction of our new location in Kakabeka?! We get to watch (and hear!) the action all day long.. and it's music to our ears!

## Neebing Municipal Services During COVID-19

Updated November 1, 2021



### Municipal Office:

The Neebing Municipal Office is open. The wearing of face masks and maintaining a 2m physical distance is mandatory.

### Municipal Council Meetings

#### – November 3 and November 17

- Council meetings are virtual and held on regular council dates being the first and third Wednesday of each month. A 'virtual meeting' is the hosting of a meeting in a virtual environment and not face-to-face. Participants call in by telephone or connect online through the internet.
- Prior to all meetings, agendas, meeting documents and public participation details are posted on our website [www.neebing.org/events](http://www.neebing.org/events).

### Vaccine Passport Requirements

**Blake Hall:** As of September 22, 2021, all patrons of the Blake Hall will need to be fully vaccinated and provide proof of vaccination along with ID in order to access the facility.

Individuals can provide proof of immunization by downloading or printing their vaccine receipt from the provincial booking portal

<https://covid-19.ontario.ca/covid-19-vaccine-booking-support#vaccination-receipts> or by calling the Provincial Vaccine Booking Line at 1-833-943-3900.

### Municipal Services:

Municipal matters requiring in-person consultations should be scheduled in advance. Please call the office at 474-5331 to book an appointment.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact us by telephone at 474-5331 or drop us an email at [neebing@neebing.org](mailto:neebing@neebing.org).

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## What's Been Happening at Council Meetings?

Since the October edition, there has been two regular Council meetings on October 6 and 20. There have also been three Special Council meetings on September 22, September 29 and October 6.

At the Special Council meeting on September 22, Council sitting as Committee of the Whole reviewed information on property line issues related to a tennis court on Memory Road. No decisions were made. Administration was directed to obtain a survey of the municipal land around the tennis court.

At the Special Council meeting on September 29, Council heard comments from members of the public related to possible changes to election wards and the size of Council. No decisions were made.

At the Special Council meeting on October 6, Council sitting as Committee of the Whole heard an application for a re-zoning to allow a second dwelling on a property. Recommendations from the Committee were ratified by Council at the regular meeting held later the same evening.

At the regular Council meeting on October 6, the following matters were considered:

- Council reviewed changes to the Roads Maintenance Policy
- Council directed Administration to bring forward a by-law to make changes to the reserve funds.
- Council authorized Administration to issue a requests for proposals for engineering services.
- Council authorized a trial for a new Building Permit Module.
- Council approved the installation of a new porta potty at the Little Pigeon Bay Boat Launch in the spring.

- Council directed Administration to circulate a follow-up survey relating to Council Composition
- At the regular Council meeting on October 20, the following matters were considered:
- Council reviewed the information from the Highway 61 Preliminary Design Public Information Centre.
  - Council proposed changes to the Crown Forest Sustainability Act, Professional Foresters Act and Public Lands Act.
  - Council approved a correction to the name of Willowdale Road in the Roads Maintenance Policy in order to match the Road Names By-law.
  - Council discussed attendance at the 2022 Rural Ontario Municipal Association and Ontario Good Roads Association Conferences.

This article contains only highlights from Council meetings – visit the website to see the approved minutes from each of the meetings. The minutes of each meeting are approved at the following meeting, and are posted on the website once they have been approved and signed. If you don't have internet capabilities, you can always contact the office for copies of approved minutes. Meeting agendas are always posted online on the Friday prior to the Wednesday meeting. Come out and see what your Council is doing on your behalf. Feel free to contact the Municipal Office for further information or with input into any of the items that Council is considering. During the pandemic, all meetings are being held virtually. The links to login to the meetings are posted on our website in the calendar details.



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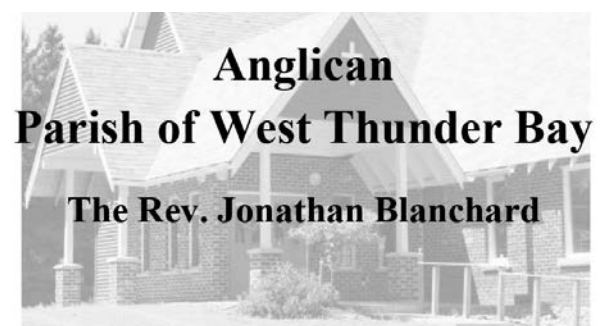
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## Winter Landfill Hours

A reminder that winter hours start at the landfill on October 1<sup>st</sup>  
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 Sundays: 12:00 pm to 4:00 pm



## Garbage Bag Tags

Regular household garbage requires a Municipal Garbage Bag Tag. Pick up your tags at the landfill sites directly during regular hours of operation. You must present photo ID to the attendant in order to receive your tags.



## Back to Bags for Plastics & Cans

Please BAG your plastics and cans. Clear and blue bags are recommended. Bags help to keep the mountain of recycling much more manageable. Cardboard does not have to be bagged, only flattened.

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 SUNDAY DECEMBER 26TH – OPEN 12-4  
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by Randy Creighton, President

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# Neebing Emergency Services



by Dale Ashbee,  
Fire Chief, Neebing



## November – Getting Ready for Winter Months is Here!

As I write, the first day of ‘Fall weather’ has arrived at last, and the air is cold and damp. However, in this unusual year, we were still harvesting ripe tomatoes from the garden until mid October! We have enjoyed a spectacular Fall as the trees changed colour, with frequent clear skies and warm temperatures. We were even fortunate in receiving and some welcome (but not enough) rain to help green up the grass and get the ground ready for winter.

**November 1, 2021** is an important day to Neebing residents for a number of reasons:

- **Fire Season 2021 comes to an End:** Residents no longer require a municipal fire permit(s) to have a campfire or to burn some brush. Although the requirement for a valid fire permit is lifted until April 1, 2022, residents are reminded that they should still follow safe fire practises when engaging in any type of burning.
- **Clock Time Change:** Ontario switches from Daylight Savings Time (DST) to Eastern Standard Time (EST). Residents are reminded to turn their clocks back 1 hour and, if necessary, adjust their activity schedules to meet the changes in sunrise and sunset times.
- **“Carbon Monoxide (CO) Awareness Week” (November 1-7):** All residents are reminded that CO is a deadly gas, both odourless and invisible, and is a common by-product of fuel combustion. Its presence in your home can only be detected by a working CO alarm. If your home has a fuel-burning appliance, a fireplace or an attached garage, you **must have** a working CO alarm adjacent to each sleeping area of the home. Additionally, you should have all your fuel-burning appliance(s) inspected annually.

November in Neebing is all about getting things ready for winter; ensuring that everything outside is put away, so that it doesn’t get covered by the first serious snowfall and then ‘disappear’ for 4 months, getting your firewood split and piled, servicing your furnace, checking smoke and CO alarms, and cleaning your woodstove and chimney to make them ready for the coming ‘heating season’. It is also time to switch to winter tires on your vehicle(s), and plan that your winter socks, boots, hats and jackets are all ‘ready to wear’ and placed in handy locations.

I would like to move on now to a “Neebing Good News (but still fire related) Story”! As you can see in the picture below, the weather on Wednesday, Sep-

tember 29th, this year gave no hint of the pending seasonal change soon to head our way. Instead, it provided an excellent backdrop for a small ceremony held at Blake Hall to officially welcome our new NES fire pumper - **P108** - into full service in Neebing. While it had been hoped that the official welcoming could take place earlier in the fall at a larger community event, COVID realities necessitated a much scaled-down celebration. However, it is hoped that we are able to hold a more extensive community gathering – one that would allow for a formal introduction to, and demonstration of the new pumper - once COVID restrictions are safely relaxed.

The new fire truck was ‘revealed’ to attending guests at Blake Hall, where the new **P108** was welcomed to our NES fleet by traveling a short way under two fire-stream water arches delivered by two ‘long service’ Neebing fire pumpers. Following this ‘ceremony’, our new fire **Pumper 108** demonstrated some of the many interesting features it has available on-board to assist with the provision of superior fire-suppression services in Neebing. The truck possesses a retractable **remote-controlled turret gun** on the top of the truck that can deliver a serious stream of ‘fire-stopping’ water to a fire incident several hundred feet away, as well as **automatic tire chains**, which can be deployed to assist in making timely responses to fires even when snow and ice conditions are present. The presence of extensive **LED lighting** on the truck is available to provide bright light - even on the darkest night - to allow for scene safety and accurate operating conditions.

Welcoming **P108** to Neebing was only possible due to the many efforts and contributions made by all those who, in so many varied ways, helped to bring our dream of this new pumper to fruition. To the many who worked on; the details of truck design, the tendering and budgeting, the innovative fundraising efforts of the Neebing Fire and Rescue Association (NFRA) members and to the broader community and extended non-resident “friends” of Neebing, NES sends a huge and sincere **Thank You!** It was the individual actions taken by the many that brought NES to this day, and to all we are truly grateful.



P 108 Chilling after the ceremony



P108 is Welcomed through the fire stream arches



Searching out the target at 150'



The Cake

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# Neebing Fire/ Rescue Association NFRA News



Respectfully submitted: Joy Harris, President NFRA

Here are some of the ways your NFRA has been involved in your community this Autumn!

## At the new pumper 'Christening':

'We are Neebing Fire/Rescue Association, a group dedicated to fundraising for the needs of Neebing Emergency Services. We are very pleased to have helped outfit this beautiful pumper and it is all thanks to this wonderful community of Neebing.

Every donation, whether financial or in the form of returnables/recyclables at landfills, has contributed to this magnificent piece of apparatus! I hope every Neebing resident feels a little pride in the "I HELPED" way when they see this pumper on the roads.

NFRA would like to thank our generous corporate donors like Copperfin Credit Union; represented here by Stef and Emily. Their contribution brought our Fill the Fire-hose campaign to it's successful conclusion.

Congratulations Dale and all of the Neebing Fire Team! And Thank you!"



Ways for you to get involved: Mark your calendars

Saturday, December 4th is the planned date for our 2nd annual Food Drive for the Rural Cupboard Food Bank.



Did you know that rural residents are unable to use the food banks in the City of Thunder Bay?

From their website:

"The Rural Cupboard Food Bank serves rural residents in a catchment area that stretches from the US Border in the south, to Pass Lake in the northeast, and west to Upsala. Clients come from the Townships of Conmee, Gillies, and O'Connor and the Municipalities of Neebing, Oliver Paipooonge and Shuniah. We also serve clients in the unincorporated areas surrounding the City of Thunder Bay. You must live outside of the City of Thunder Bay to qualify to use the Rural Cupboard Food Bank."

Perhaps put an extra item or 2 of non-perishable goods in your cart on your next grocery runs! We'll collect them at our Food Drive on December 4th!

NFRA will also be launching a **Christmastime Fundraising campaign** soon to raise money to gift the Fire Team a portable pump. This is another opportunity for you to help our Neebing Emergency Services, as they help all of us.



And of course, look for NFRA volunteers selling Firewood Raffle tickets at Neebing events beginning in November. We will have great 2nd and 3rd place prizes too! Draw date: June 18, 2022.

## At Sand Hill landfill:



What a difference! What started out as a quick refresh to the backdrop for a new NFRA sign that's coming evolved into a complete rehab of the shed! New stain, some new sheathing and studs and a new roof! Thank you to NFRA Board Member Nancy and her family! It looks terrific!

## Diverting ~ 6 TONS of metals from Neebing landfills!

NFRA is closing in on returning/recycling 12,000 pounds of metals this year, and we have two months to go! This is a new record for us! Thanks to YOU!



As the Canada/US border is set to open soon, please remember:

### U.S. beer cans are NOT returnable in Canada.

NFRA will still accept them for recycling (currently we get 50¢ per pound) **IF** they are in a separate bag labelled U.S.

If mixed in with Canadian beer cans they become impossible to sort out and all of those cans will be turned in for metal recycling only, like pop cans, with a lower return. Thank you for watching for these!



NFRA sends our thanks to our recent financial donors. We truly appreciate your new and continued support for NFRA! Thank you.

*Be safe, be well and be kind. We are in this together. Joy Harris*



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*Chix in the Stix*  
**The Secret Garden**

by Cindy Harasen

Like most country folks, a vegetable garden has been part of our lives since like forever. We've had large ones and small ones. Every year we have grand plans and good intentions. Some years we succeed and follow through. Some years not so much. You know how it is. Life changes. Kids grow up. Etc. Some years the rows are straight, the walk-ways tilled and there might even be a raised bed here and there, and under-cloth to keep the weeds in check. Other years it's more like we throw the seeds and its every plant and weed for themselves. It still works, just not as pretty. Of course the more organized approach definitely pays off when it comes time to harvest. And harvest is the best part of gardening don't you think? Because it's certainly not the weeding. Which I avoid at all costs. I can take it or leave it when it comes to the planting too actually. And frankly even the watering. Yeah pretty much all of it. Just not a big fan. I have no remorse. I am probably one of those people that most devoted gardeners silently (or not so silently) loathe. I have never once pretended to be a gardener so there's no big surprise. That title is reserved for my husband. And he knows full well that while I will gladly eat all the fresh veggies his garden brings forth, it is very unlikely that I will be out there at his side doing the work. Thankfully he is very forgiving of me and my limitations. He enjoys gardening. I do not. We leave it at that. There are many other things I do enjoy and am happy to do, chores which he likely finds offensive and chooses to ignore. So it evens out. It will probably come as no surprise that during berry season I am also not known for picking but definitely known for eating. Sorry not sorry. We all must fulfill our natural roles.

will emerge with an arm full of veggies. Not only is growing things a bit of an obsession for him, but food is his love-language, so dumping a pile of home grown food on the kitchen table is a meaningful gesture. Based on the number of zucchini in my kitchen and the boxes of green tomatoes in my porch – I am well loved!

Yup, and then there's me. I'm not even sure I know exactly where our garden is this year. It's 'out back' somewhere. I think I could find it if I needed to. But I don't. So I won't. Besides, I have my own kind of 'gardening'. It just looks different. But it still involves puttering and toiling. And it still yields nice things. And it happens to be part of MY love-language. It just looks more like cleaning. And tidying. I putter inside while he putters outside. I shine the taps, I scrub and sanitize the bathroom, polish the tables and wipe the counters. I sweep, vacuum, mop. I put the place-mats out. I set the candles just right. I light the incense. I find the right spot for the lamp, the afghan, the books, the blankets. Working to keep our home clean, tidy and welcoming. Out of love for my family and those who enter in. And I'm sure there is someone out there who does this AND manages a mighty fine vegetable garden. You rock. Me, not so much.

So you may be one of those actual gardeners. Or you may nurture and grow and tend to other things. Maybe it's your home. Maybe it's family, friends, children, neighbours, pets or more. Maybe it involves creating art, music, poetry. Could be knitting, could be cooking, scrapbooking, woodworking. The list goes on. I bet we are all gardeners in some sense. Planting seeds can mean different things to different people. It can all involve nurturing and growing and embracing life. It can all be part escape, part self-care, and part service to others. Some of it might yield food that you can eat. Some food for the heart and soul. So don't feel bad if like me you don't even know where the actual garden is. Your secret's safe with me. Just be sure to embrace and take pride in the gardening you do know and the blessing I'm sure it is to yourself and those around you.

I do still clearly recognize and appreciate the joy he reaps from gardening. The puttering and toiling. The reward when the job is done. I get that. The garden and all it offers is a soothing wonderful hobby. I respect its importance to him and to others. When life gets rough or he's just had a bad day, he retreats to the garden. Sometimes it's the first thing he does when he gets home from work. He unwinds there. He switches gears. I will see his truck pull into the yard but when he doesn't come right in the door I know exactly where he is and that soon he

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**WOMEN'S INSTITUTE RECIPES**



**SLATE RIVER W.I.**

Brrr! The leaves are off the trees and the cold weather is settling in. Soon there will be snow and our thoughts will be of Christmas and preparing foods for Christmas. November is a good time to get a step ahead with baking and foods to freeze for the holiday season. This month we are highlighting Mary Germaine's perogy recipe and from another longtime but now past member we have a favourite cookie recipe from Kay Greer. Both recipes freeze beautifully and will make a lot of people happy.

**MARY'S PEROGIES**

The secret to Mary's dough is the addition of potato flakes which makes the dough easier to roll out.

**DOUGH:**

- 5 cups flour
  - 1/2 cup instant potato flakes
  - 1 teaspoon salt
- Mix the above ingredients together

**ADD:**

- 1/2 cup oil
  - 2 cups of boiling water
- Knead the dough then let it stand for 10 minutes

**FILLING:**

Boil a Dutch oven sized pot of potatoes using 1 teaspoon of salt in the water. Once the potatoes are cooked, drain, then mash well. Grate 1 pound of old cheddar cheese and mix into the potatoes. Make 1 tbsp size balls. May refrigerate these overnight.

To make the perogies, roll out the dough. Cut 3 inch circles using a cookie cutter or empty can. Place a ball of dough onto each circle. Fold over to create a semi circle and crimp the edges together.

To cook the perogies, boil 6 at a time until the perogies rise. Once cooked, drain and either serve with fried onions or bacon and a dollop of sour cream. You can also fry the perogies and serve them in the same way. Perogies may be frozen for later use. This is a favourite recipe amongst the Slate River WI Women.

**KAY GREER'S SCOTCH SHORTBREAD**

This was Kay Greer's favourite Christmas cookie, which she gave to many as their Christmas gift. She told me that it was important to knead the butter and sugar into the flours together by hand. Each handmade cookie was crafted with love. These cookies literally melt in your mouth.

- 1 lb. butter at room temperature
- 1 cup of fruit sugar
- 4 cups of flour
- 1 tablespoon of potato starch or cornstarch flour

Knead the butter and sugar together by hand. Add the flour gradually kneading until the mixture is a soft ball. Make small cakes 1/2 to 1/3 inch thick. Prick the top of each with a fork and bake until cooked but not too brown. Oven temperature 350 degrees F.

*Everyone stay safe now and stay warm. - Dodie Legassick*

**ROSSLYN W.I.  
ONE BOWL APPLE CAKE**

- 2 eggs
- 1 3/4 cups sugar
- 2 heaping teaspoons cinnamon ( yes you need this)
- 1/2 cup oil
- 6 medium apples
- 2 cups flour
- 2 teaspoons baking soda's

Preheat oven to 350'.

In large bowl, mix eggs, sugar, cinnamon and oil. Peel and slice apples and add to liquid mixture (coating apples as you stir so apples don't turn brown).

Mix together flour and baking soda and add to apple mixture. Hand mix with a fork till all the flour is absorbed by wet ingredients

Pour mixture into greased 9x13" pan or two greased 9" round pans.

Bake for 55 minutes until golden brown and cake springs back.

Cool and cut into pieces or serve slightly warm with whipping cream or ice cream.

This is a lovely dessert that cuts into 15 pieces. Freezes well.

*Sent in by Sandy Vibert*



**THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING**

**Notice of a Public Meeting being held to consider an Application for a proposed Severance**

Please take notice that the Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of Neebing, sitting as Committee of the Whole, will hold a Public Meeting on Wednesday, November 17, 2021, at 5:00 p.m., via electronic meeting to consider a proposed severance under Section 53 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c. P.13, as amended. The Committee's recommendations to Council will be considered for ratification at the Regular Council Meeting on the same evening, commencing at 6:00 p.m.

The Application (B05-2021) is brought by Bruce Holmes, the property owner. The land parcel which is the subject matter of the application is a vacant parcel with no municipal address, located on Cloud Lake Road. The legal description of the land is: Concession 2 Part North S/S Lot 6, within geographic Crooks Township, Municipality of Neebing, in the District of Thunder Bay. This is referred to as the "Subject Property".

The purpose of the proposed severance is to sell a portion of the property to a neighbouring land owner to correct an issue associated with an encroaching structure. The parcel of land to which the severed parcel is proposed to be added is 923 Cloud Lake Road. The severed parcel will be rectangular in shape, and will have frontage on Cloud Lake Road. A sketch showing the lot configuration is included with the application, a copy of which is available on the Neebing website ([www.neebing.org/notices](http://www.neebing.org/notices)) or by contacting the Municipal Office.

ANY PERSON may attend the Public Meeting and/or make written or verbal presentations either in support of, or in opposition to, the proposed severance.

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- a) Submit comments in writing by email, to [clerk@neebling.org](mailto:clerk@neebling.org) or by regular mail to November 17, 2021.
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION related to the proposed severance is available for by calling the Clerk-Treasurer at 807-474-5331.

DATED AT Neebing, Ontario, this 20th day of October, 2021

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Erika Kromm  
Clerk-Treasurer  
The Corporation of the Municipality of Neebing

**THE CORPORATION OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING**

**Notice of a Public Meeting being held to consider the Formal Closure of a Road**

Please take notice that the Council of The Corporation of the Municipality of Neebing, sitting as Committee of the Whole, will hold a Public Meeting on Wednesday, November 17, 2021 at 5:00 p.m., via web conference to consider a request to close a road in the Municipality. Authority to close roads is found in Section 34 of the Municipal Act, 2001.

The road under consideration was formerly known as part of "Flank Road West". It exists between Concession 2 North Part Lot 11 and Concession 3 South Part Lot 11 in Pearson Township. The road travels east from Salo Road to the Pine River.

The Pearson Local Roads Board maintained the road when Pearson was a township without municipal organization. The former bridge across the Pine River and maintenance of the road ceased sometime before amalgamation with Neebing

The road is not recognized by the Municipality in its by-laws or the Municipality's Road Maintenance Policy. While the Municipality has never maintained the road as a public road, a formal closure is being recommended by staff to create more certainty for the general public.

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DATED AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING this 22nd day of October, 2021.

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# AUTUMN



## Outside the Home

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### The resulting fire could destroy your vehicle.

• Flammable liquids should not be stored in inside the home or in an attached garage or shed. This includes any unused fuel still in the fuel tank. Store this equipment away from your home or drain excess fuel out of the tank before storing. This simple safety precaution will help prevent accidental fires from escaping fuel vapors.

- Remove fuel from lawn mowers before storing them for winter.
- Contact your utility company if trees or branches are not clear of power lines. Prune back trees, and rake up leaves and debris. If you live in an open area with a lot of natural vegetation, consider creating a defensible fire zone around your home.
- Prune the bottom branches from trees and remove shrubs and trees within 20 feet of your home
- Don't store cardboard boxes, paper or other flammable materials in the backyard. These materials provide ready fuel for a fire and all it takes is one spark.

## Heating your Home Most Important!

- Check all smoke and carbon monoxide detectors to make sure they work, and change the batteries. It is the law for all Ontario homes to have a working smoke alarm on every storey and outside all sleeping areas. This covers single family, semi-detached and town homes, whether owner-occupied or rented.
- Have a useable fire extinguisher available.

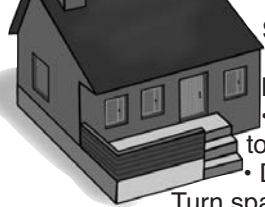
## Central Heating

- Get your central heating system cleaned, inspected and serviced by a certified HVAC (heating, venting and air conditioning) contractor every year before using it.
- If you have a gas heater, make sure that you have a sufficient quantity of fully functioning carbon monoxide detectors installed in your home.
- Keep all flammable materials away from your furnace. This includes, clothing, paint products, toxic materials, cardboard and more.

## Fireplaces and Woodstoves

- Have heating appliances serviced and chimney flues examined for defects.
- Have fireplaces and fireplace dampers checked.
- Fireplaces should be equipped with an appropriate screen or glass enclosure to prevent sparks from flying out.
- Wood burning stoves should be examined and the flue and chimney checked for creosote buildup. Creosote is a deposit from smoke that can build up in a chimney and can start a fire.
- Use only seasoned woods, and avoid soft woods like Pine, etc.
- Never use a flammable liquid to start a fireplace.

- Never overload the hearth with wood or artificial logs, the resulting fire may be too large for the unit.
- Put all ashes outdoors and away from the house in a metal container.



## Space Heaters

- Make sure that any space heaters are surrounded by at least three feet of empty space.
- Never place clothing or any other objects on a space heater to dry.
- Do not place space heaters near furniture or drapery.

Turn space heaters off when you leave the house or go to bed.

- Avoid storing any combustible items near heaters

## In The Home

- Cooking fires are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries. The leading cause of fires in the kitchen is unattended cooking. Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove. If you are simmering, baking, roasting, or boiling food, check it regularly, remain in the home while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking. Keep anything that can catch fire — oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels or curtains — away from your stovetop.
- Do not overload electrical outlets or use extension cords in the place of additional outlets.
- Check electrical appliances regularly for wearing cords and plugs. Do not leave electrical appliances plugged in if they do not need to be.
- Lack of maintenance is the number one cause of dryer fires. That is why it is critical to clean the lint filter before and after each use, and wipe away any lint that has accumulated around the drum. Perform periodic checks to ensure that the air exhaust vent pipe is unobstructed (lint accumulation) and the outdoor vent flap opens readily. Do not run the dryer without a lint filter. You are encouraged to not leave the dryer running if you go out, in case it malfunctions.

## Candles

- Extinguish candles when leaving the room or going to sleep. Keep lit candles away from items that can catch fire
- Place candles in sturdy, burn-resistant containers that won't tip over and are big enough to collect dripping wax.
- Don't place lit candles near windows, where blinds or curtains may close or blow over them.
- Don't use candles in high traffic areas where children or pets could knock them over.
- Never let candles burn out completely. Extinguish them when they get to within two inches of the holder or decorative material.
- Never leave children or pets alone in a room with lit candles.
- Do not allow older children to light candles in their bedrooms. A forgotten candle or an accident is all it takes to start a fire.
- During power outages, exercise caution when using candles as a light source.
- Many destructive fires start when potential fire hazards go unnoticed in the dark.
- Never use a candle for light when fuelling equipment such as a camp fuel heater or lantern.

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- Keep candle wicks short at all times. Trim the wick to one-quarter inch (6.4 mm).
- Be wary of buying novelty candles. Avoid candles surrounded by flammable paint, paper, dried flowers, or breakable/meltable containers.
- Extinguish taper and pillar candles when they burn to within two inches of the holder, and container candles before the last half-inch of wax begins to melt.
- When buying or using novelty candles, try to determine if they pose a potential fire hazard (if they contain a combustible component for instance). If they do, or if you suspect that they might, inform your local fire department.
- Use extreme caution when carrying a lit candle, holding it well away from your clothes and any combustibles that may be along your path.

## Public & Life Safety

This information is provided by the members of the Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs, the Ontario Fire Service, Ontario Fire and Life Safety Educators and the Office of the Fire Marshal. Questions regarding fire education and prevention should be directed to your local fire department.

**Prevention is the best way to fight a fire!**




# Holiday Craft & Vendor Market

**Gillies Community Centre**  
**Saturday, December 4**  
**11 - 2 pm**

Local Crafters & Artisans  
 Unique Handmade Gifts,  
 Vendors and MORE!

**All spots are now full!! Thank you!**  
 The GCC is located at 1835 HWY 595 - Admission is FREE!  
 Masks are mandatory as is proof of vaccination & identification  
 Patrons will also be required to 'sign in' for contact tracing.  
 Follow the Gillies Community Centre Facebook Event Page for details and updates



**Gillies Community Centre** 1835 HWY 595

## BOOK SWAP!

November 6 & 7      2 weekends in November!  
 November 27 & 28      NO December Swap

11:5 PM DAILY! 1000'S OF BOOKS!  
 \$\$ DONATIONS ENCOURAGED FOR THIS FREE EVENT!  
 \*Masks, sign in and hand sanitization mandatory upon entry.  
 Maximum 10 ppl in building at one time.

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## November 2021

| Mon   | Tues  | Wed  | Thurs  | Fri |
|---|---|--|--|-----|
| 1<br><b>KAMINISTIQUIA-PCare</b><br>9am-3:30pm<br>Community Centre   | 2   | 3  | 4<br><b>UPSALA -PCare</b><br>10am-3:30pm<br>Community Centre<br><b>O'CONNOR-PCare</b><br>10:30am-5pm<br>Community Centre       | 5   |
| 8<br><b>ARMSTRONG</b><br>1-6pm<br>NorWest CHC Clinic  | 9<br><b>ARMSTRONG</b><br>8:30—Noon<br>NorWest CHC Clinic<br><b>O'CONNOR—Footcare</b><br>10am-4:30pm<br>Community Centre | 10   | 11<br><b>Closed For Remembrance Day</b>  | 12  |
| 15<br><b>NOLALU -Footcare</b><br>9:30am-4pm<br>Community Centre   | 16  | 17   | 18<br><b>NOLALU - PCare</b><br>9:30am-4pm<br>Community Centre<br><b>O'CONNOR-PCare</b><br>10:30am-5pm<br>Community Centre      | 19  |
| 22  | 23<br><b>NEEBING-PCare</b><br>11am-5pm<br>Blake Hall<br><b>SHEBANDOWAN—Footcare</b><br>9:30am-4pm<br>Community Centre   | 24   | 25<br><b>SHEBANDOWAN-PCare</b><br>9:30am-4pm<br>Community Centre<br><b>UPSALA -Footcare</b><br>10am-3:30pm<br>Community Centre | 26  |
| 29<br><b>KAMINISTIQUIA-PCare</b><br>9am-3:30pm<br>Community Centre<br><b>KAMINISTIQUIA-Footcare</b><br>9am-3:30pm<br>Community Centre | 30<br><b>NEEBING - Footcare</b><br>10:00am-4:00pm<br>Blake Hall   | For more information or to book an appointment, call <b>807.622.8235</b> |  |     |

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## Oliver Paipoonge Library Virtual Advent Story Calendar

Sponsored by the Vibert Family in memory of Gary Vibert (March 2020)

To ring in this Christmas Season, the library invites you and your family to participate in our Virtual Advent Story Calendar. This is your opportunity to celebrate Christmas by sharing your favourite Christmas story with the whole community!

**How it works:**

- Record yourself or someone special reading a Christmas Story or poem of your choice. Feel free to embellish your story or add your own special touch. Any age can participate and you can dedicate your story to someone special.
- Send your video to [oplibrary@tbaytel.net](mailto:oplibrary@tbaytel.net) before Nov. 21<sup>st</sup>.
- If you do not have a device to record your reading, contact the Library and we can help.
- We have room for 24 stories and will be in contact with details if your story is chosen.
- Selected participants will receive a prize of a gift card to Entershire Bookshop, 196 Algoma St.
- Stories can be viewed at <https://calendar.myadvent.net/?id=9376229c75e09b5406943ffb379679af> beginning Dec. 1<sup>st</sup>.
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