

Emergency Preparedness Week

May 1 - 7, 2022

Emergency Preparedness Week (EP Week) is a national event that has run for more than 25 years in Canada and takes place annually during the first full week of May.

Together we have an opportunity to encourage the people in our communities to invest a few minutes of their time to become better prepared to face a range of emergencies.

This year's EP Week theme: *Emergency Preparedness: Be Ready for Any-thing*, is a reminder that preparedness isn't just about being ready for the next big disaster, it's about making preparedness a part of our regular rou-tine so we are better able to navigate disruptions, big or small

When community members are prepared for emergencies, it makes com-munities stronger and more resilient, creating a stronger foundation for emergency management overall.

This national event is coordinated by Public Safety Canada, in close col-laboration with the provinces and territories and partners

National: www.getprepared.gc.ca **Provincial:** www.ontario.ca/beprepared **Municipal:** www.neebing.org/beprepared

Emergency Preparedness: Get Flood Ready!



Wood Ka

In support of Neebing Fire/Rescue Association

Being prepared for a flood can save money, property, and lives. Take simple steps to the Flood Ready and protect what matters most.

Don't wait for the water!

Flooding is the most common natural disaster in Canada, and the severity of floods is increasing. Floods can happen anywhere, at any time of year, and to anyone. No matter where you live, it's important to take simple steps to protect your home and property against potential flood damage.

FOLLOW THESE LINKS FOR MORE INFO: Know the Risks

Prepare your Home

Help your Community
Stay Informed

Emergency Preparedness: Be Ready for Anything!



Know the risks

If you know what the hazards are in your community, you know what to prepare for. Common hazards for the Municipality of Neebing would be severe weather and lengthy power outages. Being aware of the hazards in your community help reduce your risk.



Get informed and stay informed

Get informed by signing up to the Neebing Text Alert emergency warning system and through identification of trusted sources of information before an emergency occurs. When we know what is happening we can make more informed decisions during times of stress.



Create financial resilience

Being financially prepared is about more than just having money in the bank. Insurance is a financial safety net. When you have the right coverage, it can help you and your loved ones recover when something bad happens. Do a check-up on your homeowner's insurance policy to be sure it covers specific perils like flooding.



Start a conversation

Start the conversation about emergency preparedness with those around you. Talking about emergencies often leads to action and can be the first step in making your emergency plan.



Build an emergency kit and gather supplies

Emergencies and disasters can impact grocery stores, pharmacies, even gas stations and banking services. Having supplies is one thing you can do to help your household manage unexpected situations, big or small. Prepare an emergency kit or purchase a ready-made one. Stock it so you are prepared for a 72-hour shelter in place order or an emergency evacuation.



Make an emergency plan

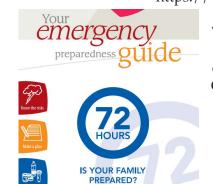
An emergency plan will help you cope with the stress of an emergency or disaster. Being prepared is different for everyone. Think about your personal needs to create an emergency plan that works for you.

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS: 72 HOURS - IS YOUR FAMILY PREPARED?

If an emergency happens in your community, it may take emergency workers some time to reach you. You should be prepared to take care of yourself and your family for a minimum of 72 hours.

Learn how quick and easy it is to become better prepared to face a range of emergencies – anytime, anywhere. Emergency Preparedness guides are available in .pdf format online through Public Safety Canada at:

https://www.getprepared.gc.ca



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This publication is also available in multiple formats: audio CD, Braille, large print, and electronic text. To order please call: 1-800-O-CANADA (1-800-622-6232).

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EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS: Using technology during a disaster

We rely on technology more and more to keep in touch with our family, friends, and colleagues with a click of a button. But what happens in the event of a major emergency? Suddenly these tools can become vital in helping you and your family deal get in touch and stay informed. So here are some tips on the use of technology in an emergency:

- If possible, use non-voice channels like text messaging, email or social media. These use less bandwidth than voice communications and may work even when phone service doesn't.
- If you must use a phone, keep your conversation brief and convey only vital information to emergency personnel and/or family. This will also conserve your phone's battery.
- Unable to complete a call? Wait 10 seconds before redialing to help reduce network congestion. Note, cordless phones rely on electricity and will not work during a power outage. If you have a landline, keep at least one corded phone in your home.





RURAL 60 PLUS IS OPEN!

5 Pineview Road, Kakabeka Falls 475-5779, email rural 60 @tbaytel.net Website: www.rural 60 plus.ca

Carving is Monday from 10 am to 3 pm
Disking is Monday from 1:00 to 3:00
Weaving is Tuesday and Thursday from 10 am to 3 pm
Quilting is Wednesday from 10 am to 3 pm
Cribbage is Wednesday from 1 to 3
Carving is Wednesday from 10 am to 3 pm
Yoga Thursdays from 10 am to 11 am and now runs to May 26th because of the weather delays,

Knitting Tuesday and Thursday, 10 am to 3 pm in Library Craft Room is open Monday to Friday from 10 am to 3 pm Chess - anyone interested please call the Centre 475-5779 or email rural60@tbaytel.net

Watercolour Painting starts Thursday May 5th from 1:00 to 3:00 running for six weeks except for June 2nd ending on June 16th

• Keep a charger for your mobile device in your emergency kit. Consider getting a solar-powered, crank, or vehicle phone charger. If you don't have a cell phone, keep a prepaid phone

card in your emergency kit.

 Keep your contacts up to date on your phone, email and other channels. This will make it easier to reach important contacts, such as friends, family, neighbours, child's school, or insurance agent.

- If you have a smartphone, save your safe meeting location(s) on its mapping application.
- Conserve your smartphone's battery by reducing the screen's brightness, placing your phone in airplane mode, and closing apps you are not using. You never know how long a power outage will last!

Remember, in an emergency or to save a life, call 9-1-1 for help.



PLANT, BAKE AND YARD SALE

St James' Church

Corner of John St Rd and Calvert Rd, Murillo



Saturday, May 28, 2022 10am-2pm



Fundraiser for the church and our community outreach projects!



The Junction

in Rosslyn

Providing emergency food & clothing to rural individuals or families in need.

Clothing - Hygiene Products - Pantry

If you or someone you know is in need of food or clothing please contact us. Care pkgs. available. All Items are free. Currently open by appt. Find us on Facebook or call 475-5140.

NEW MOMS-We can help with diapers, wipes etc.

THE NOMINATION PROCESS FOR THE 2022 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

This notice is for anyone proposing to be a candidate in the Municipal Election on October 24, 2022. Section 33(1) of the *Municipal Elections Act* provides that a person may be nominated for an office by filing a nomination with the Returning Officer in the Municipal Clerk's Office in person or by an agent. The nomination form shall be in the prescribed Form 1 (Nomination Paper); the nomination fee is to be paid in cash or by debit or certified cheque or money order; the fee is \$200.00 for Mayor and \$100 for Councillors & all other offices. Facsimile signatures are not acceptable.

The nomination form for the following offices may be filed during normal office hours beginning Monday, May 2, 2022 up to Thursday, August 18, 2022, and on Nomination Day, Friday, August 19, 2022 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. Appointments are not required, but are recommended. To book an appointment call (807) 474-5331. The term of office is November 15, 2022 to November 14, 2026.

MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING – Erika Kromm, Clerk-Treasurer & Returning Officer		
Mayor	(1 to be elected)	
Councillor At Large	(1 to be elected)	
Ward Councillors	(1 to be elected from each of 5 Wards)	

THE NOMINATION PROCESS FOR THE 2022 DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS

Candidates may be nominated for the Office of Trustee by filing the prescribed form in the Office of the Returning Officer, in person or by an agent, at any time during normal office hours beginning Monday, May 2, 2022 up to Thursday, August 18, 2022, and on Nomination Day, Friday, August 19, 2022 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. The term of office is November 15, 2022 to November 14, 2026.

The Nomination form shall be in the prescribed Form 1 (Nomination Paper); the \$100 nomination fee is to be paid in cash or by debit (where available) or certified cheque or money order. Facsimile signatures are not acceptable.

Nominations FOR ALL OF THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL BOARDS to be filed with:

Returning Officer: Krista Power Office of the City Clerk, City Hall 500 Donald Street East Thunder Bay, ON P7E 5V3

For the City of Thunder Bay, nominations will be received by appointment, only. Walk-in appointments are not guaranteed. To book an appointment visit www.tbayvotes.ca or call (807) 625-2230.

LE PROCESSUS DE MISE EN CANDIDATURE POUR LES ÉLECTIONS DE CONSEIL SCOLAIRE DE DISTRICT 2022

On peut présenter des candidatures à un poste de conseiller scolaire en déposant les documents exigés au bureau du directeur du scrutin, en personne ou par l'entremise d'un agent, à tout temps pendant les heures normales de bureau, commençant le lundi 2 mai 2022 jusqu'à jeudi 18 août 2022 et le jour de la déclaration de candidature, soit le vendredi 19 août 2022 entre 9h et 14h. Le mandat des conseillers scolaires s'échelonne du 15 novembre 2022 au 14 novembre 2026.

Le formulaire de mise en candidature est le formulaire I (déclaration de candidature). Il faut payer les frais de dépôt de 100 \$ en espèces, par débit (où disponible), par chèque certifié ou mandat-poste. Les signatures par télécopie ne sont pas acceptées.

Les candidatures pour tous les conseils scolaires suivants doivent être déposées auprès de :

Returning Officer: Krista Power Office of the City Clerk, City Hall 500 Donald Street East Thunder Bay, ON P7E 5V3

Pour la ville de Thunder Bay, les candidatures seront reçues uniquement sur rendez-vous. Les rendez-vous sans rendez-vous ne sont pas garantis. Pour prendre rendez-vous, visitez www.tbayvotes.ca ou composez le 807-625-2230.

SCHOOL BOARD	TO BE ELECTED	
ENGLISH Language PUBLIC Trustee for the Lakehead District School Board	EIGHT (8) TRUSTEES	
SCHOOL BOARD	TO BE ELECTED	
ENGLISH Language SEPARATE Trustee for the Thunder Bay Catholic District School	SIX (6) TRUSTEES	
Board		
SCHOOL BOARD	TO BE ELECTED	
FRENCH Language SEPARATE Trustee for the Conseil scolaire de district	FIVE (5) TRUSTEES	
catholique des Aurores boréales	FIVE (5) INUSTEES	
Conseiller ou conseillère d'écoles CATHOLIQUES de langue FRANÇAISE pour le	CINQ (5) CONSEILLERS	
onseil scolaire de district catholique des Aurores boréales		
SCHOOL BOARD	TO BE ELECTED	
FRENCH Language PUBLIC Trustee for the Conseil scolaire public du Grand Nord	ONE (1) TRUSTEE	
de l'Ontario	ONE (1) INUSIEE	
Conseiller ou conseillère PUBLIQUE de langue FRANÇAISE pour le Conseil scolaire	UN (1) CONSEILLER	
public du Grand Nord de l'Ontario		



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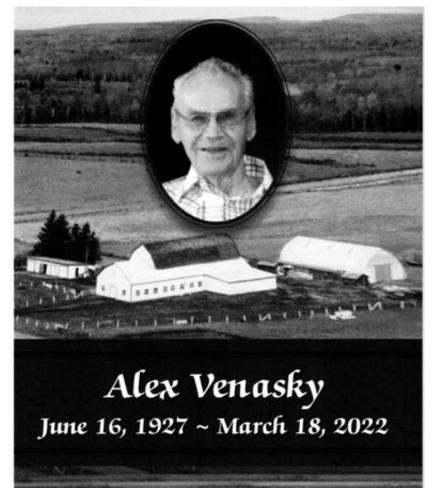












Alex Venasky, lifetime resident of Blake Township (Neebing) passed away at the age of 94. He lived on what is now known as Farm Road all his life.

He loved farming the land, birds and animals and will be greatly missed by family and all that had known him. Forever in our hearts.





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, May 4, 2022, at 5:00 p.m., at the Neebing Municipal Office to consider an application for a Validation Order under Section 57 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 (V01-2020) is brought by Randolph and Douglas Gamerschlag, the property owners, through their agent, Evan Juurakko (Ericksons LLP, law

A validation order is required to restore a severance approval that occurred prior to 1972. The land parcels which are the subject matter of the application are located along Jarvis Bay Road West and Highway 61. One of the parcels has municipal address 24 Jarvis Bay Road West. The other has municipal address 5751 Highway 61. Together, these two parcels are referred to as the "Subject Property".

Historic records of the severance approval are no longer available, however, both the Municipality and the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation have, for many years, recognized two separate lots comprising the Subject Property.

The proposed Validation Order will recognize the existence of two lots, one of which, at 24 Jarvis Bay Road West, is legally described as North Part Lot 2, Concession 3, Parcel 5436, and the other, at 5751 Highway 61, is legally described as North Part Lot 2, Concession 2, Parcel 6358 W/S. Both lots are located within geographic Crooks Township, Municipality of Neebing, in the District of Thunder Bay.

A copy of the complete application, including the proposed lot configuration, is available on the Municipality's website (www.neebing.org/notices), or through 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.

How to provide input: You can provide input on the application as follows:

- a) Submit comments in writing by email, to clerk@neebing.org;
- b) Submit comments by regular mail to 4766 Highway 61, Neebing, ON, P7L 0B5;
- c) Register to speak at the Public Meeting (whether in-person or electronically) , in advance, by email, to clerk@neebing.org, or by calling the Clerk-Treasurer at 807-474-5331; or
- d) Attend the public meeting in-person, or via electronic means, and register with the Clerk-Treasurer, upon arrival, indicating your wish to address the Public Meeting orally.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION related to the proposed severance is available for by calling the Clerk-Treasurer at 807-474-5331.

DATED AT THE MUNICIPALITY OF NEEBING this 11th day of April, 2022.

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

MAKE YOUR OWN DREAMCATCHER SATURDAY, MAY 28 1 TO 4 PM FOR ALL AGES **SENIORS** WELCOME ON ASAKO-GIIZHIC Please register crowe@tbaytel.net call 807-627-5768 Canadä Located at: Hosted by: Niibing Tribal Tours www.blueskyCHC.ca www.niibing.ca

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The Application (B02-2022) is brought by Kenna and Gregory Huffman, the property owners. The land parcel which is the subject matter of the application has municipal address 440 Salo Road. The legal description of the land is: Part South ½ Lot 11, Concession 1, Parcel 23776, within geographic Pearson Township, Municipality of Neebing, in the District of Thunder Bay. This is referred to as the "Subject Property".

The proposed severance would result in two new lots, and the retained lot. 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) or by contacting the Municipal Office. The retained lot will have frontage of approximately 285 meters on Salo Road and 425 meters on Highway 595. The first severed lot will have frontage of approximately 120 meters on Salo Road, will be rectangular in shape with a depth of 830 meters, and an area of approximately 9.96 hectares. The second severed lot will have frontage of approximately 300 meters on Highway 595, will be rectangular in shape with a depth of 580 meters, and an area of approximately 15.75 hectares. The retained lot will be rectangular in shape, with depth of approximately 530 meters from Salo Road, and an area of approximately 29.29 hectares in area. All measurements are "approximate", and will be finalized when the required survey has been completed.

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.

How to provide input: There are several ways in which the general public can provide input on the application, such as:

- a) Submit comments in writing by email, to clerk@neebing.org or by regular mail to the address below. Comments shall be submitted by 4:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 4, 2022.
- b) Register to speak at the Public Meeting in advance by email, to clerk@neebing.org. You will be able to participate either in-person or by joining the meeting electronically. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting electronically. Please note that neither a computer, nor a video sharing device is required to participate in the electronic meeting. You may also opt to call in from a cell or landline. A toll-free number will be provided for this purpose. To register by phone please call: 807-474-5331.

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May "Spring Be With Us" Soon!

I had to check the calendar first to be sure, but yes, it is already the 3rd week of April 2022. I truly can't say that the view out the window has really changed much since February, but if we conclude that the calendar is correct, things should change dramatically by the time this article appears in print!

I trust that everyone who snowshoes, snowmobiles, skis-cross country or downhill - or simply enjoys throwing snowballs at things - has enjoyed the extended winter season. I'm thinking this winter's weather may provide some insight into why the eco term 'global warming' seems to have been replaced by the broader term of 'climate change'. Focusing attention on 'global warming' would be a little difficult in Neebing right now with four (4) feet of snow still in the bush, 'single digit' daytime high temperatures the unseasonable norm, and another Colorado Low in the forecast.

Although to date this Spring there have been no identifiable signs of any wildfire threats, a timely reminder is in order to all our residents that the official 'fire season' did in fact begin on April 1st, and that as of that date any/all open burning in Neebing (until October 31st rolls around) requires a valid (current) fire permit. As a caution, it should be noted that when the snow does in fact melt, last year's leaf, needle and grasses can dry out very quickly in warm, dry weather, and may become readily ignitable. As a result, the weeks between snow loss and 'green up' can be one of the more dangerous times for wildfire-starts on your property. It is also important to be especially careful to burn only when low-wind and damp conditions are in play. May is also a great month to carry out vegetation trimming, thinning and initiate FireSmart landscaping changes around your home to reduce its vulnerability from wildfire threats.

While in May our attention usually begins to be directed to outdoor summer activities, a recent fatal house fire in Ontario at the end of March (that killed all six (6) family members in the home) is a reminder of how important it is to have working Smoke and CO alarms in your home no matter what the season. When installed and maintained correctly, these alarms faithfully monitor your well-being '24/7 - 365 days a year', and will serve as a first line of defense delivering an early warning of potential fire or CO dangers in your home. Partnered with a practiced family Home Fire Escape Plan, they can help to ensure a safe escape from severe harm, or possible death. The pictures of the home involved in the fatal Ontario fire revealed a structure that, while showing signs of fire damage, still retained much of its shape and is a reminder that both the interior open-space living we have come to enjoy, and much of the modern materials and furnishings in our homes today, support rapid fire-growth and the production of large volumes of smoke. To remain safe from fire, residents require an early alert to fire conditions in the home and must be prepared to make an immediate exit to a 'safe place' in order to avoid serious injury.

Fortunately, the numbers of fire deaths in Ontario dropped considerably since the mandated requirement that functioning smoke alarms be installed in all homes, falling from 30.9 deaths per million to a low of 4.6 deaths per million in 2019. Interestingly this number has recently shown signs of growing, perhaps another unexpected impact of pandemic life. It is a reminder that even as we move much of our activities to the outside for the summer, it is important to ensure that the inside environment of our homes remains safe. Take a moment now, or schedule a time soon, to check and ensure your smoke and CO alarms are in good shape and working properly and to refresh and practice your home fire escape plan so it is fresh in the minds of you and your family should you have a fire emergency in your

In closing, I will share a couple of quick notations for your May calendar: Mayday this year will fall on Sunday, May 1st, and all the snow will hopefully have disappeared, to the pleasure and enjoyment of all those who are planning outdoor celebrations. In addition, Mother's Day will be celebrated one (1) week later, on Sunday May 8th.





The Thunder Bay District Health Unit will be holding a COVID-19 Vaccine Community Pop-Up Clinic at the Blake Community Hall.

Community pop-up clinics are open to anyone 5 years of age or older needing *any dose* of COVID-19 vaccine.

All clinics are by walk-in and **no appointment is needed!**

DATE: Thursday, May 5, 2022 **TIME**: 3:30 pm - 6:30 pm **PLACE:** Blake Community Hall

71 Blake Hall Road - Neebing, ON

For more information on COVID-19 vaccines, please contact the Thunder Bay District Health Unit at 625-5900.



Pending funding approval:

Youth Summer Employment Opportunity

at Oliver Paipoonge Public Library Position: Literacy Programmer

36.25 hours weekly for 7 weeks \$15/hour, contract begins July 4th, 2022

Students hired by recipient organizations must meet the eligibility criteria of the

- · All students must be currently enrolled in a secondary, or post-secondary institution or within six months of graduation and have reached the age of 15 and not yet reached the age of 25 upon commencement of employment or up to 29 years for persons with a disability, if disabled, within the meaning of s.10 of the Ontario Human Rights Code, R.S.O. 1990, c. H.19, as amended from time to time.
- Students must be employed full time for a minimum employment contract length of 232 hours or 32 days at 7.25 hours per day.
- Proof of student enrolment must be provided to the employer.
- Students must be residents of Ontario during the period of employment.
- Students must be eligible to work in Canada and have a Social Insurance Number (SIN).

Note: The student must be living in Ontario at the time they start work. The intention of the program is to provide career related experience to eligible students that are also eligible to work in Ontario.

 must have transportation between library branches Deadline for applications: Thursday June 2nd 5:00 p.m.

Please forward resumes by email to: Maxine McCulloch library@tbaytel.net





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appointment, call 807-622-8235



Chix in the Stix Country Roads

There is a stretch of road along Monteith Rd. from Boundary to Barrie Drive. I drive it for work at least once a week. After a difficult year with a child who is very unwell, I have done my fair share of crying on that drive. And also solved many problems along the route. All under the glorious wide open country sky.

Country roads. They have a sort of magic don't you think? I mean sometimes you have to look beyond the snow drifts. Or the washboard. You have to keep an eye out for wildlife. And tractors. But the gift is there for the taking. And it's worth it! It's no wonder people from the city like to take drives in the country. Or maybe it's just in my blood.

I was a city girl. I grew up in Port Arthur. Sunday drives to the country were a weekly occurrence my grandparents encouraged. They came after church and before Sunday dinner. I may have grumbled a bit back then, but in looking back now, it was a priceless tradition and I cherish the memories.

Even then I recognized that country roads provided an escape from the seriousness of adult-ing and the responsibilities of raising a family. It was a change of atmosphere. An opportunity for adventures and new discoveries. A chance to decompress and unwind. There were the long flat stretches where we sat still and quiet for more than a few minutes. And the parts with lots of chatting and deep conversation and maybe some back seat sibling shenanigans. There were the hills that my grandfather would coast down and the roads that felt like roller coaster rides and made us squeal with delight. Weather permitting we were allowed to open the windows and stick our arms or heads out. We pulled over to check out a good view, to stretch our legs, maybe pick some berries, wild flowers, or pussy willows, or find a place to pee. Seeing cows and horses was always exciting. There was a favourite coffee shop where we stopped for pie and lemonade. It felt like more of a vacation than just a Sunday drive. And 'cause we were kids it felt like we were gone forever and had driven half way around the world. I never knew I would be living in the country myself one day. And now that I am, not only do those childhood memories still mean a great deal, but country drives continue to be a deliberate part of my life. My perspective may be different but they

still provide an escape, a chance to catch my breath and are sometimes key to my mental health and survival during life's crazy-ness.

For many of us, even just driving back to the country after a day in town after working, shopping, visiting or running errands, provides a much needed time of reflection and transition.

Sometimes it means I have a chance for complete silence. Other times I can listen to the news uninterrupted. Or crank up the volume on MY music and sing as loud as I want. I of course don't know all of the country roads and there are probably MANY great ones that I have yet to discover (feel free to recommend some!). But those that are part of my regular routine, like my treks down Monteith, are a blessing to me.

There is a stretch along HWY 61 south of Hacquoil Rd. and before 130 where you round a bend and the majesty of the valley opens up before you. When she was little it would make my daughter gasp with delight every time. It was that inspiring! There are some stretches of road that are so familiar that after driving them for decades I will sometimes arrive home and not even remember how I got there – you know that sort of auto-pilot that our brains switch to sometimes when driving on familiar terrain.

So yeah, I have my favourites. The winding River Rd. is always fun to drive. And the drive to South Gilles on the way to Hymers or beyond is a drive that seriously makes my day. For years my kids attended Round Lake Bible Camp in Nolalu and I was always happy to be the designated driver getting them and even their friends to camp and back every year. You didn't have to ask me twice. I guess you have to like driving too and the sense of independence it brings, but when you add the peacefulness and scenery of a country road, you just can't beat it. Even with the price of gas I am rarely inclined to take short cuts. In fact grabbing a coffee in town and taking the long way home through Rosslyn Village is probably one of my favourite things. So, it seems whether you're escaping the city for some respite, venturing out to clear your head, or returning home to your rural stomping ground, or somewhere in between, country roads have a sort of magic that can calm the mind, soothe the soul and warm the heart. Like John Denver said – almost heaven.

RURAL CUPBOARD FOOD BANK

Neighbours Helping Neighbours
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19 Holland Rd, Kakabeka Falls P0T1W0
807-285-0836

We sincerely thank all those that continue to support us during COVID-19. Your donations enable the food bank to remain open Next Food Bank Wednesday, Wednesday, May 18th Registration 9 am to 11 am Drive-Thru Pick-up



SLATE RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH

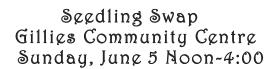
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FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE

Sundays @ 11am

Sunday Sermon Message posted on-line each week at 11am.

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This is an outdoor event:

Tailgate style. Please bring your extra seedlings, perennial divisions, bulbs, corms, tubers, cuttings to swap or sell!

If you have gently used garden

tools or books those are great too!

Looking forward to a lively get together with fellow gardeners to chat, plan, swap and get back into gardening after such a long winter.

Register for a vehicle spot (encouraging sharing with a friend as there is limited space!)

at alggriafarmandgarden@gmail.com A \$10 donation to Gillies Community Centre is encouraged.



Hymers Fair News

The Board of Directors of Hymers Agricultural Society is getting ready for an in person Fall Fair on the Labour Day Weekend. This is our Spring (!) callout for Volunteers! The Hymers Fall Fair

needs many volunteers to help make this year a success! There are a variety of spots to be filled so there is something for everyone! Working with animals, feeding hungry fairgoers, helping in the main exhibit hall, and the list goes on...

Please contact volunteers@hymersfair.com

Please contact volunteers@hymersfair.com to sign up and get more info.

Volunteers are the heart of the Fair! Come out and have fun!

RURAL CUPBOARD FOOD BANK MONTHLY GENERAL MEETING

May 4th, 2022

If you would like to attend our virtual meeting,
please email Mark Halabecki
at ruralcupboardfoodbank@gmail.com
by May 2nd at 4 pm
You will be issued a link to attend the meeting.
Would you like to take part in the conversation?
Love to hear from you!!!!

What's Been Happening at Council Meetings?

Since the April edition, there has been two regular Council meetings on April 6 and 20. There has also been one Special Council meetings on April 6.

At the Special Council meeting on April 6, Council sitting as Committee of the Whole heard an application for a minor variance for a reduced front yard setback on Cloud Lake Road. Recommendations from the Committee were ratified by Council at the regular meeting held later the same evening.

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

- Council directed Administration continue with traditional voting methods for the 2022 election.
- Council directed Administration to provide comments to the Ministry of Transportation regarding the Highway 61 widening
- Council passed a by-law to amend the zoning by-law in relation to the minor variance application for a reduced front yard set-

At the regular Council meeting on April 20, the following matters were considered:

- Council heard deputations from Blue Sky Strategic Group and FoodCycle Science.
- Council adopted policies related to inclement weather and use of municipal resources during the municipal election.
- Council scheduled the summer meetings for July 20 and August 10, 2022.
- Council approved a memorial to be installed at the cemetery.
- Council passed a by-law to delegate certain authorities in the event of a restricted Council after Nomination day.

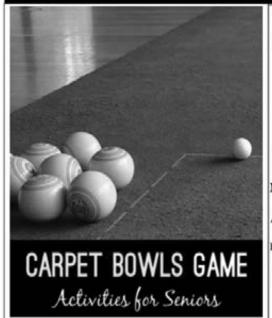
This article contains only highlights from Council meetings – visit the website to see the approved minutes from each of the meetings. The minutes of each meeting are approved at the following meeting, and are posted on the website once they have been approved and signed. If you don't have internet capabilities, 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. The meetings are now being held at the Municipal Office, but there is the option to attend virtually as well. The links to login to the meetings are posted on our website in the calendar details.



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For more information visit: www.neebing.org/elections or call 807-474-5331

Murillo Library

Monday 10 – 8:00 pm Wednesday 10 - 8:00 pmSaturday 9 – 12 pm 935-2729



Email: oplibrary@tbaytel.net Website:

http://oliverpaipoonge.olsn.ca

Provincial Park Passes available for check out! Celebrate Spring by borrowing a park pass which will allow you free day admittance to any Ontario Provincial Park. Lending time is for a one-week period.

Rosslyn Library

Tuesday 10 - 8:00 pm Thursday 10 to 8:00 pm Saturday 1 – 4 pm 939-2312



Used books and dvds are available to purchase for 50 cents each at both library branch locations. Donations of books and dvds in good condition are also gratefully accepted.

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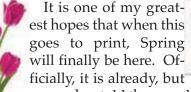
Neebing Fire/ Rescue Association NFRA News

Respectfully submitted: Joy Harris, President NFRA

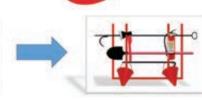
Mmmmm. Did someone mention a Bake Sale? NFRA is once again having a community baking table at our June 18th Tailgate Sale

and we need donations of baking to fill it. Anything from breads to bars and everything in between is

If you like to bake and can help out, please call Karen at 475-0269 or email us at NFRAevents@gmail.com.







no one has told the snowbanks in my yard. I have been starting new seedlings in the hope they will be transplanted outside in June. That's not too much to ask, is it? As your snow begins to melt and you start to see the unattractive pile(s) of old metal in your yard, it may be time to consider **donating** it to Neebing Fire/Rescue Association! NFRA picks up recyclable metals and turns it into cash to fund equipment purchases for Neebing Emergency Services. Just email Fire Chief Dale Ashbee at

firechief@neebing.org to make arrangements. You'll have a cleaner yard, receive a tax receipt for the value and have the

> satisfaction of knowing you are helping our community!

That's a win-win-win!



NFRA Tailgate Sale

In support of the Neebing Emergency Services

Saturday, June 18th, 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Location: Neebing Municipal Office and Parking Lot, 4766 Hwy. 61 Overflow parking at Emcon site, 4790 Hwy. 61. NO PARKING on Hwy. 61

❖ Tailgate Garage Sale

Pre-registration paid at the Office prior to June 1 is \$15.00 for every 10' x 15' stall. Those registering after June 1 pay \$20.00. Set up time is 8:30 a.m. Local vendors are encouraged to display their products by renting a stall.

Throughout the day there will be: Fire Safety Demonstrations Emergency First Response Booth munity Bake Sale 🂠 Children's Activities 💠 Firewood Raffle Draw

Penny Auction Other organizations will be present. ❖ Food Booth – Hamburgers, Hotdogs & Smokies ALL ARE WELCOME

your spot at the Neebing Municipal office 474-5331 or Clara (807) 620-2922 vents@gmail.com. We are always looking for new members and volunteers **Organized by Neebing Fire/Rescue Association**





NFRA would like to thank our generous donors, you make our community a better place to live! It is because of you that our Emergency Services is one of the best-equiped teams around. Thank you.

Be safe, be well and be kind. Joy Harris, NFRA - President



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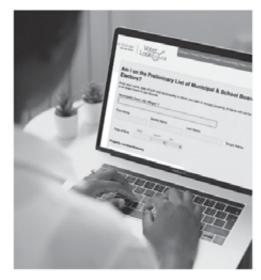
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Make sure you are on the list to vote in the 2022 Municipal and School Board Elections on October 24.

Register at www.voterlookup.ca.

Make sure you're on the Voters List!

Are you registered to vote in the 2022 Ontario Municipal and School Board Elections on October 24?

To make sure you are on the list, and that all your information is accurate, visit www.voterlookup.ca.







The Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) is responsible for compiling information from eligible Ontario voters to create a Preliminary List of Electors for municipal and school board elections.

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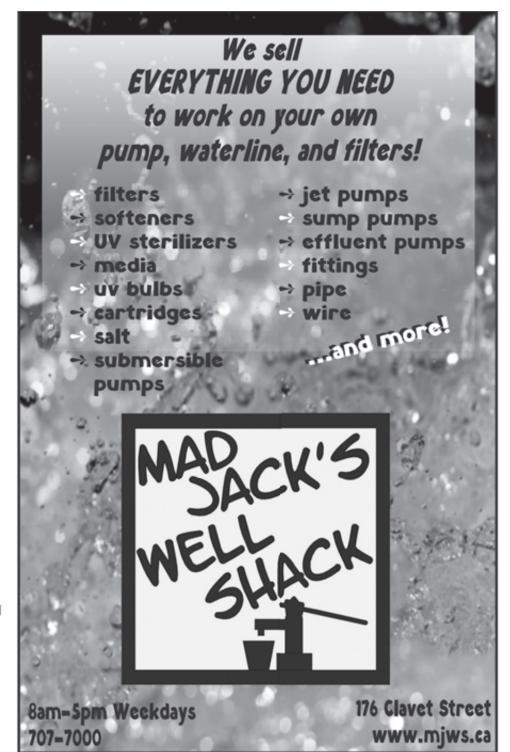
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NORTHERN PRODUCER ANIMAL HEALTH NETWORK VETERINARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Large animal veterinary practices have been established in areas of the province where livestock owners are dispersed across a large geographic area. The region's 3,600 farms represent 5% of the farms in Ontario.

The North's beef industry is larger than that of any Atlantic Province, and the North's dairy industry is comparable in size to New Brunswick's. The North's dairy and beef industries account for more than 80% of agricultural activity in the North. (VAP)

The VAP (Veterinary Assistance Program) helps promote the viability of the livestock in-

dustry by ensuring access to large animal veterinary services by providing conditional grants to participating Veterinarians.

Eligible livestock are: horses, cattle sheep, goats, swine, rabbits, poultry, bison, deer, or animals maintained in captivity for producing fur, velvet or meat.

The VAP is delivered in collaboration with participating producers and veterinary representatives. These stakeholder organizations include: The Northern Producer Animal Health Network (NPAHN) and the Designated Area Veterinarians Association (DAVA).



To get in touch or receive information on the activities of either NPAHN or your local VSC, please contact the Secretary/Treasurer of NPAHN.

G. Mitchell, Secretary & Treasurer NPAHN, 42 Lake Drive Huntsville, Ontario, P1H 1E7 705-571-1033 mitchg@vianet.on.ca

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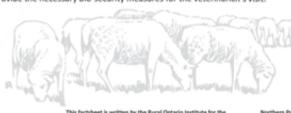


The Veterinary Assistance Program is a benefit to livestock producers in Northern Ontario. The relationship between the producer and veterinarian is critical to the success of the program. This factsheet outlines ways to have positive and productive animal health calls for both the producer and the veterinarian.

- Veterinarian Service Committees could co-host workshops with your veterinarian(s) on best practices such as castrating, dehorning, etc.
- Schedule regular animal health visits rather than having to react to emergencies.
- Have animals ready for the veterinarian visit.

Make sure your livestock handling and animal restraining facilities are designed for safety to decrease injuries in animals and people. Arrange for well-lit and accessible areas for the easiest access.

Keep accurate records to identify recurring problems and solutions. Provide the necessary bio-security measures for the veterinarian's visit.



This factsheet is written by the Rural Ontario Institute for the November 2021.



Develop Communication Alternatives

information as possible to the e situation can be valuable in the

veterinarian in advance of the visit. All knowledge about the situation can be valuable in the diagnosis and treatment of your animal. Describe the situation in detail and provide photos if applicable.

- Make contact with your veterinarian before it's an emergency. If there is a situation that is
 escalating, early contact will enable the veterinarian more time to engage.
- Explore a virtual communication alternative like texting, facetime or zoom for tele-vet care. Ask
 your veterinarian the best way to connect with them,

Build Positive Relationships

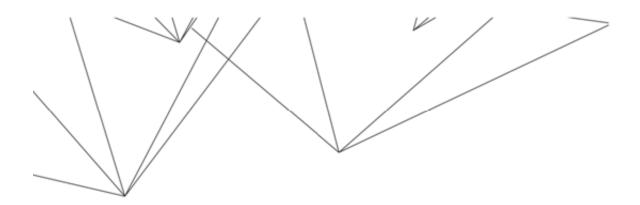
- Building a relationship of trust takes both time and effort on everyone's part. Manage the
- expectations of both the producer and veterinarian by encouraging two-way communication and asking questions.
- Veterinary Service Committees could host 'meet and greet' sessions with producers and veterinarians.
- In emergencies when emotions can run high, keep a positive attitude and consider all the
 options and keep the focus on the health of the animal(s) and the farm where the visit is
 occurring.

Acknowledgement

This factsheet was based on the thoughtful conversations of the participants attending the NPAHN Annual General Meeting in October 2021. The information and ideas have been expanded and further developed to provide a resource for the benefit of all Veterinary Services Committees and all those involved with the Northern Producers Animal Health Network.







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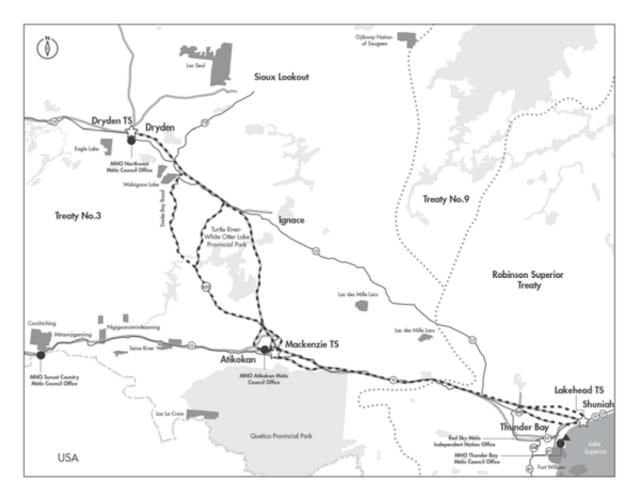
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WAASIGAN TRANSMISSION LINE COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSES

April 20, 2022

Hydro One is committed to supporting growth in the northwest by building the Waasigan Transmission Line between Shuniah, Atikokan and Dryden. Once built, the new line will add 350 megawatts of electricity to the region – which is more than two times what it takes to power the City of Thunder Bay.

Hydro One is hosting in-person and virtual community open houses to provide opportunities to meet the project team, share updated project information, and collect your feedback. This project is currently undergoing an environmental assessment, which includes evaluating alternative routes, as shown on the reverse map, to identify a preferred route; assessing potential effects of the project on the environment; identifying measures to minimize and/or eliminate potential negative affects; and incorporating Indigenous knowledge. Your feedback to date has helped shape this project and we want to continue hearing from you so that we can build a line that respects the interests and needs of your communities.



For more information, to sign up for the project contact list, or to ask questions, please contact Hydro One Community Relations:

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May 4, 2022 – Atikokan 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. EDT Royal Canadian Legion 145, 115 O'Brien Street, Atikokan

May 5, 2022 – Thunder Bay 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. EDT Current River Community Centre, 450 Dewe Avenue, Thunder Bay

JOIN US VIRTUALLY

May 18, 2022 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. EDT

HOW TO JOIN:

- Visit HydroOne.com/Waasigan to register in advance and view the live event
- Dial 1-800-643-5970 to participate by phone at the time of the event
- 3. Submit a question in advance by contacting Community Relations
- *Any public health guidelines in effect at the time of the events will be followed.

Map Legend

Existing Transformer Station (TS)

--- Alternative Routes

----- Existing Transmission Line

— Highway

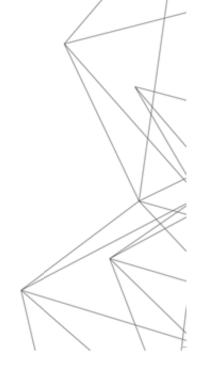
--- International Border

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Lakehead Region **Conservation Authority**

submitted by LRCA Staff

Spring is upon us (believe it or not) which means that people will be out visiting our Conservation Areas and enjoying the great outdoors once again! We would like to remind visitors that all dogs must be kept onleash, and that mountain bikes are not permitted on our trails. If you visit frequently, consider purchasing an Explore Card Parking Pass for \$40.00 +HST to forgo the mandatory \$5.00 per vehicle parking fee for a calendar year. If you visit us more than eight times, the pass will pay for itself. Visit our webstore at www.store.lakeheadca.com to purchase your Explore Card Parking

The LRCA has several exciting public events scheduled throughout 2022, including Hazelwood Lake Family Fun Day on Sunday, July 17, Little Trout Day by the Bay on Saturday, August 27, and our popular Watershed Explorer guided hike programs. Visit our website, follow us on social media and sign up for our e-newsletter for up-to-date events information.

Please note that the Tree Seedling Program is back for 2022! There are an extremely limited number of seedlings available (at the time of writing), so if you are interested,

to our webstore www.store.lakeheadca.com to purchase your seedlings now! Seedling orders close on May 11 (or earlier depending on stock availability). Online orders only. Bundles are \$10.00 +HST each.

There are still a few tickets (at the time of writing) left for the 2022 Wine Tasting & Dinner at Whitewater fundraising event, which is scheduled for Thursday, May 12. Head to our webstore to purchase your tickets now! Tickets are \$100.00 each and include a tasting of 6 wine varieties as well as a dinner. Visit www.store.lakeheadca.com for tickets (first-come-first-served).

The mid-April snow survey measurements are the highest measurement ever recorded (1974 to 2021). Measurements taken on April 14, 2022 recorded between 64-107 centimetres of snow, compared to the average of 6-26 centimetres; water content measured between 220 to 325 millimetres of equivalent water content, compared to the average for the same period of 20 to 84 millimetres. The previous record was set in 1996 with 46 to 79 centimetres snow depth and 127 to 224 millimetres water content measured.



MURILLO MINOR ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION 2022 SPRING SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Hello Everyone! The 2022 MMAA youth softball season is approaching! The MMAA league is all about FUN FRIENDSHIP and FITNESS. The season starts on Monday May 9th (if the snow ever melts) and ends Saturday June 25th with our annual Tournament and BBQ Day. We have over 315 registered players from over 200 families coming from far and wide; town and country. There are 27 teams in 5 divisions: 6 each for T-Ball, 3: Pitch and Atom; 5 PeeWee and 4 Bantam. Games are played weekday evenings on the five ball diamond: behind the Murillo Community Centre starting at 6:30 pm - so plan to come on out and cheer on our youth.

Thank you to the more than 80 volunteers who will be coaching our players and helping run the league, and to the Municipality of Oliver-Paipoonge for the ongoing support with facility maintenance. Finally, thank you to the local businesses that have sponsored teams, provided support, and/or donations. These are:

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Child and Family Centre

2022 Neebing Burning Permits

April 1st marks the start of the Fire Season in Ontario. In Neebing, a burning permit is required for all open air burning from April 1st to October 31st.

> **Beginning April 1st, burning permits** will be available on our website 24 hours a day.

Visit www.neebing.org/firepermits

Daytime burning is not permitted during the Fire Season.

You may ignite the fire no sooner than two hours before sunset and you must extinguish the fire no later than two hours after sunrise.

~ Municipality of Neebing Fire Department ~



July 8-10: Little Lambs Camp (ages 4-8) July 17-22: Child & Youth Camp (ages 7-16)*

Due to our two-year hiatus from summer program we are only able to offer one full week of camp this summer. Children will be in cabins with children in their own age group and some activities will also be in their own age groups during the week.

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WOMEN'S INSTITUTE RECIPES

May the first, better known as May Day is a good time to celebrate all that spring has to offer. This month we get to celebrate Mother's Day and for many of us the May long weekend is a good time to open up our camps or get out our fishing gear. This month I have two recipes for you to enjoy.

Wishing all of you a Happy Spring! Please check out our ad in this month's paper for our District Women's Institute's annual general meeting to be held at Pinegrove on May 19th. hosted by the Slate River W.I.

The Molasses Maritime bread recipe makes 5 to 7 loaves and they freeze very well. It's a good time to make a large batch and bring some out to camp to share with friends. The rich tastes of molasses and raisins appeals to all ages especially toasted and lathered with butter.

MOLASSES RAISIN BREAD

5 cups of scalded milk 2/3 cup margarine or butter 1 cup of molasses 3 tsp. cinnamon 1/2 cup of brown sugar 2Tbsp. salt 1 cup of warm water 1 egg beaten 2 tsp.sugar 3 envelopes or 3 tbsp. of yeast 5lb. flour which is 15 cups 1 lb. raisins

Use a very large bowl for this recipe.

Scald the milk. Stir in the molasses, the salt, cinnamon, brown sugar and egg. Stir 2 teaspoons of the sugar into 1 cup of warm water and sprinkle in the yeast. When the yeast is dissolved and bubbled up, stir it into the the milk and molasses mixture. Gradually add the five pounds of flour which equals 15 cups. Add the one pound of raisins with the first addition of flour. Add enough flour to make a stiff dough. Knead, let rise until doubled in bulk; knead again and shape into loaves; let rise again to double. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 minutes or so til browned. Makes seven beautiful loaves .

Next is a light chowder. Perfect comfort food in a bowl or large mug. It will remind you of fishing days and summer trips to the maritimes and camps. Try out your favourite fish in this recipe.

FISH CHOWDER

2 tbsp. butter 1 cup chopped onion 1/3 cup chopped celery

3 cups diced peeled potatoes 1 large diced carrot salt, pepper

3 cups water (may add a fish boullion cube here optional)

1 lb. fish such as salmon, haddock or cod cut into large chunks

1 cup milk 1 cup light cream

Chopped fresh parsley or paprika or grated nutmeg as a garnish but all are optional

In a large heavy saucepan/pot melt the butter; cook the onion and celery until softened. Add the carrots and potatoes and then salt and pepper. Add the water and bring all to a gentle boil; reduce the heat, cover and simmer for ten minutes or until the potatoes and carrots are just tender.

Add the fish, cover and simmer til fish flakes easily with a fork. Add the milk and light cream. Heat gently until very hot. **Do not boil!** Add more salt and pepper to taste. Serve with a sprinkling of parsley, paprika or nutmeg.

Rosslyn

W.I.

Submitted by

Sandy Vibert

Here are recipes one could make to celebrate Mother's Day - May 8th

Butter Tarts

1/2 cup brown sugar packed 1 egg beaten 1/4 cup corn syrup 3 tbsp butter 1/2 cup raisins 1 tsp vinegar 1 tsp vanilla or rum Good dash of salt

Combine all ingredients in a heavy saucepan, mixing well. Bring to a boil. Boil until thick stirring mixture all the time. Pour into BAKED tart shells.

White Chocolate Cranberry Fudge

6 oz dried cranberries 1 can sweetened condensed milk Pinch of salt 1 tsp vanilla

3 - 3/4 cups white chocolate chips

Sparkling sugar sprinkles (for top decoration if desired)

Line a 9x9" pan with parchment paper. Put chips and condensed milk in large bowl Microwave on high for one minute. Stir in the rest- mix well. Pour into lined pan - add sprinkles if desired. Let cool several hours. Store in covered container in cool spot.

Lemon Meringue Angel Cake

One angel food cake prepared. Cut cake in half lengthwise.

Spread a 10 ounce jar of lemon curd on the bottom half to the edges.

Add top half back to cake.

Spread with the following meringue recipe:

4 egg whites

3/4 tsp cream of tarter

1/2 cup of sugar

Beat egg whites and cream of tartar to soft peaks

Beat in sugar 1 Tbsp at a time to stiff glossy peaks and sugar

Spread meringue over top and side of cake.

Bake cake for 15 minutes at 350' until golden brown.

Refrigerate leftovers.

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Submissions and photos of community events and articles of interest are welcome, and can be sent to Chris Vaclav at designhouse@tbaytel.net. 628-7271

May 1-7, 2022 **Emergency Preparedness** Week GetPrepared.ca Canadä^{*} Government Gouvernement of Canada du Canada

NEEBING LANDFILL NEWS



Summer Landfill Hours

A reminder that summer hours start at the landfill on April 1st

Saturdays: 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sundays & Wednesdays: 4:00 pm to 8:00 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.





OUR RECYCLING PROGRAM HAS GROWN!

Recycling is EASY!

- 1. Accepted Cardboard: cereal boxes, shoeboxes, packing boxes, and clean delivery boxes. Don't forget to remember to flatten your cardboard! You can also tie your cardboard bundle securely with twine
- 2. Accepted Plastics and Cans: pop cans, milk cartons, juice boxes, metal cans, all #1 through #7 plastic containers (e.g. drink bottles, soap bottles, salad and fruit containers). Containers must be rinsed of any liquid or food residue. No plastic shopping bags.

PLEASE FLATTEN CARDBOARD BOXES

Help us recycle even more by flattening your cardboard. It's as easy as opening the top of the box!

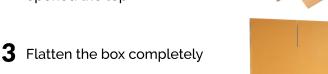
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