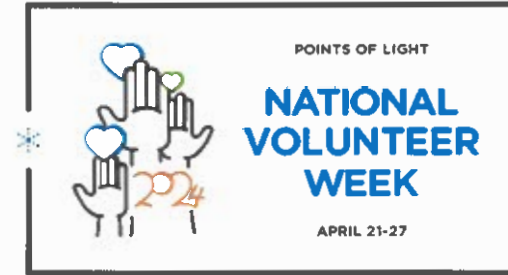




## NEWSLETTER April 2024



Please note that the Township Office will be closed Friday March 29<sup>th</sup> and Monday April 1<sup>st</sup> for the Easter Holiday.

**SECOND INTERIM INSTALLMENT OF TAXES**  
The second interim installment of taxes is due **May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024.**

**HOLIDAY GARBAGE**  
Garbage collection will be delayed one day as a result of the Easter Holiday.

**RECYCLING CART COLLECTION**  
Please have your cart out by 7:30 a.m. Your recycling will be picked up every two weeks. **April 11, and 25.**



**NOTICE:**  
**All dogs in Prince Township must be licensed.**  
Dog Licenses were due March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024. The cost is \$10.00 for spayed or neutered dogs or \$20.00 otherwise, plus a \$15.00 penalty per dog applied to the cost of the license.  
**Please bring in confirmation of last rabies shot.**

To purchase a dog tag come into the Township Office or on our website.

**If you no longer have your dog, please contact the office.**



May this Easter bring you all together for a great celebration filled with lots of joy, happiness and of course chocolate!

### **NOTICE TO TRUCKERS** **HALF LOAD RESTRICTIONS**

Half load restrictions on all municipal roads are in effect until further notice.

Any inquiries may be directed to the Road Superintendent, at (705) 779-2992.

**If you would like to have your newsletter emailed to you every month, please email**  
[deputyclerk@twp.prince.on.ca](mailto:deputyclerk@twp.prince.on.ca)

### **ENBRIDGE GAS**

In early May, Enbridge Gas will be going door to door in Prince Township as part of their natural gas expansion project. During this time, they will be providing information on the benefits of natural gas, the system expansion surcharge, and how to connect. This work is being conducted by Enbridge Gas. All Enbridge Gas employees will carry identification.

If you have any questions or would like to meet with an Enbridge Gas representative, please contact Don Armitage at [don.armitage@enbridge.com](mailto:don.armitage@enbridge.com) or (705) 750-7203.

### **BURNING PERMITS**

Anyone wishing to burn, must purchase a burning permit. Please fill out the form on our website [www.prince.ca](http://www.prince.ca) and email it to [adminassit@twp.prince.on.ca](mailto:adminassit@twp.prince.on.ca). You can send your payment by cheque or by EFT to [deputyclerk@twp.prince.on.ca](mailto:deputyclerk@twp.prince.on.ca). Use **fire** as the password. Or you can drop by the office to pick up your fire permit.

**The seasonal permit fee is \$20.00.**

Please monitor the Prince Twp. Fire Department Facebook page or the Prince Township website for updates on the possibility of a fire ban.

**No day burning still applies.**

**Remember burning without a permit, will result in a fine.**



### COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

Regular Council Meetings  
and Planning Matters  
Tuesday April 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
6:00 p.m.

Agendas are posted on the website, the day before the meeting. If you require a copy, please call ahead so it can be printed for pickup on Monday. A fee of \$0.25/page applies.

### ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Barbie Rudnicki (705)255-0419



### LIBRARY NEWS

***We will be closed Easter weekend.  
Have a Happy Easter***

WE ARE A VOLUNTEER RUN LIBRARY AND OCCASIONALLY ARE NOT AVAILABLE OR RUNNING LATE. PLEASE CALL FIRST 705-779-2992 EX.5

**BOOK CLUB:** This is held on the **THIRD WEDNESDAY** of the month at 1:00 p.m. in the library. You can use the back door for easy entry. Our selection for **April 17<sup>th</sup>** will be **BEFORE WE WERE YOURS** by Lisa Wingate. This novel is based on one of America's true life scandals- in which Georgia Tann, director of a Memphis - based adoption organization, kidnapped and sold poor children to wealthy families all over the country. You are welcome to join us at any time.

**RECOMMENDED BOOKS:** These are from our McNaughton selection found on the **back bookcase**. Some authors are new to us but the genre is what our patrons enjoy. Other newly catalogued titles are on the brown table near the front desk.

**THREE -INCH TEETH** by C. J. Box Is a Joe Pickett novel. Joe a Wyoming game warden faces two different kinds

of raging beasts- one animal, a rogue grizzly bear which has gone on a rampage and one human, Dallas Cates is released from prison, seeking revenge on those who sent him away...

**DREAM TOWN** by Lee Goldberg. When reality super-star Kitty Winslow is killed within the gated community of Hidden Hills, Detective Eve Ronin realizes there is a deadly razor-thin line between what's real and what's imagined.

**ABOVE THE SALT** a novel by Katherine Vaz. Sweeping love story that follows two Portuguese refugees who flee religious violence and reignite their budding romance in Civil-War America. This is based on a true story.

**MANNER OF DEATH** a novel by Robin Cook. A medical thriller features Dr. Jack Stapleton and his wife NYC chief medical examiner Laurie Montgomery who are drawn into a dangerous vortex of a series of homicides that have been cleverly staged as suicides.

**BOOK SALE IN THE LIBRARY DURING LIBRARY HOURS. COME IN AND BROWSE. WE HAVE SOMETHING FOR AGES 0 TO 100!!**

**PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE FOR THE DROP OFF BOX**  
**Bring your library books inside the foyer and put them in the box to the left when entering.**

**I'm springing it on you... winter is over!**



Prince Township EarlyON Child and Family Centre is open for in-person programming! All program and event information can be found at [www.keyon.ca](http://www.keyon.ca) as well as on our Facebook page. Please call 705-779-3627 for more information.

Monday 9:00am – 2:00pm  
Tuesday 9:00am – 12:00pm  
Wednesday 9:00am – 2:00pm  
Thursday 2:00pm – 7:00pm  
Friday 9:00am – 2:00pm

Find us on Facebook: EarlyOn Child and Family Centre Prince, SSM & Sault North



## PRINCE TOWNSHIP BUILDING PERMITS

All permit applications are handled by the City of Sault Ste. Marie Building Dept. Civic Centre, Level 5, 99 Foster Drive, Sault Ste Marie, ON P6A 5X6

## Building Permits

Permits ensure that construction within the municipality meets with standards set out in the Ontario Building Code. No matter what the specific project may be, the enforcement of codes is carried out to protect public health, safety, and welfare. Compliance with municipal by-laws such as the Zoning By-law is also evaluated during the review process.

### Building permits are typically required for the following:

- New buildings
- Additions
- Renovations or alterations
- Demolitions
- Prefabricated structures
- HVAC systems (heating, ventilation, air conditioning)
- Miscellaneous for residential (pools, fireplaces, decks, fences, etc.)
- Temporary buildings
- Installing new windows and exterior doors
- Installing new shingles or metal roofing
- Installing new cladding (siding, stucco, etc.)

To be sure, contact the Building Division at 705-759-5398 or email [building@cityssm.on.ca](mailto:building@cityssm.on.ca), describe the work to be done and investigate what the requirements are. If your questions cannot be answered

over the phone or email, you can show your proposal to the Building Division staff at the Civic Centre - Level 5. They are always ready and willing to help!

### Back to Health Clinic

4619 Second Line W., Prince Township, ON P6A 6K4  
Tel. 705-779-3300  
[ctavormina@sympatico.ca](mailto:ctavormina@sympatico.ca)

**Dr. Alfonso Tavormina, D.C.**  
Chiropractor

Auto and Sports Injuries  
Extremities ~ Full Spine  
Soft Tissue Work ~ Laser Therapy  
Electric Stim ~ Ultrasound



April showers bring May flowers.



## Sharing the Road

Cycling is an effective, healthy and environmentally friendly form of transportation. It is a great way to get around the city, to go to and from work and back and forth from school. It can also be a way to spend time with family and friends.

Just like motorists, cyclists are permitted to ride on the road. In doing so, however, cyclists are expected to obey the Road Rules just as motorists are.

Whether you are a cyclist or motorist we all need to **Share the Road**.



### *Attention Motorists!*

- Respect bicyclists as legal road users with the same rights and responsibilities as motorists. Drive courteously and with tolerance. That cyclist is your neighbour and you are sharing the same road.
- Check over your shoulder, and always check your blind spot. A bicyclist could be there.
- Maintain a safe distance between your vehicle and the bicycle in front of you.
- Cyclists may have to use the whole lane to make themselves more visible to you or if road conditions make it necessary.
- Cyclists can crash into a car door that is suddenly opened in front of them- so check behind you before opening your door.
- Be patient and give cyclists a clearance of at least 1 metre when passing them.

### *Attention Cyclists!*

- Follow the law — it's the safest way to ride. Bicyclists have the same rights and duties as other drivers and need to follow the same traffic laws.
- Be predictable — ride in a straight line, signal turns clearly when making turns or lane changes.
- Come to a complete stop at every stop sign and red light.
- Ride with caution around parked cars and position yourself in the field of vision of a motorist pulling out of a parking space.
- Have a bell, a front light and a rear reflector on your bicycle; and wear clothing that allows you to be seen by drivers both day and night.
- Be aware — anticipate the next move of drivers, pedestrians and other cyclists. Watch for debris, potholes and grates.
- Wear a helmet.

