

CIVIC HOLIDAY

A reminder to everyone that the Municipal Office will be closed Monday August 1, 2022.

TAX BILLS

Final 2022 tax bills were mailed in July. Council passed Bylaw 2022-15 to provide for the township's final tax levy. The due date for the third and fourth installments are Aug. 25th and Oct. 25th.

Payments can be made at the office, dropped off into the black locked box by the entrance door of the Community Centre or paid by telephone or internet banking.

ATTENTION

When you are paying your taxes online, we do not get the information or the money for one or two business days. We cannot apply money into your account until the funds are in our account. You must pay one or two days before the due date, so that interest will not be applied to your account.

PRINCE TWP. TRACTOR CRUISE

Saturday July 30th 2022
Starting at the Prince Township Pavilion
3042 Second Line West
Tractors Depart at 11 a.m.

Free Registration (See flyer on last page)

NEWSLETTER August 2022

WELCOME Andrew Nowlan Prince
Township's new Municipal Administrator!
Staff is happy to have you join our team.
We look forward to getting to know you,
sharing an office camaraderie, and of
course getting lots of work done.
Congratulations on your new role, you are
a welcome addition.

HOLIDAY GARBAGE

As a result of the Aug. 1st Civic Holiday, garbage pick up will be one day late.

Please have your cart out by 7:00 a.m.

PRINCE LAKE HOLIDAY GARBAGE

Garbage collection will be as scheduled.

RECYCLING CART COLLECTION

Please have your recycling cart out by **7:00 a.m.** Your recycling will be picked up every two weeks.

Aug. 5, 18, and Sept. 1.

Please remember to wash out your garbage and recycling containers, so we are not attracting animals, such as bears.





BE BEAR WISE

COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

AUGUST MEETING CANCELLED

NEXT MEETING: SEPT. 13, 2022

Museum

The Prince Township Museum is happy to welcome Olivia as our summer student. Olivia welcomes you to visit the museum between the hours of 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday to Friday until the end of August. We are closed for the Civic Holiday.

PRINCE TWP. VOTES 2022 Municipal Election

The next municipal election will be held on Monday, October 24, 2022. Elections for municipal government are held every four years on the fourth Monday of October.

Who can vote in the elections?

Anyone can vote in a municipal election who, on the day of the election is:

- 18 years of age or older
- a Canadian citizen; and

• either a resident of the municipality or a property owner or tenant or the spouse or same sex partner of an owner or tenant in the municipality during a specified time just before the election.

Your name must be on the voters' list for you to cast a ballot.

The voters' list is prepared in three steps:

- 1. A preliminary list is created by the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC) based on data it keeps on home ownership and tenancy.
- 2. The preliminary list is sent to the municipal clerk after a by-election has been called or in advance of a regular election which occurs every 4 years. The clerk can correct any errors on the list, and the corrected list then becomes the voters' list.
- 3. Changes can be made to the list. If you are not on the voters' list, or if your information is incorrect (for example, you have moved and may be listed at a former address), you may apply to have your name added or your information corrected. This may be done until the close of voting-on-voting day in a regular election or by-election. You may have your name added to the voters' list at the voting place. You may be asked to show identification to establish that you are eligible to vote. More information about getting on the voters' list will be provided at a later date.

Who can be a candidate?

- A candidate must be a resident of the municipality or a non-resident owner or tenant of land in the municipality or the spouse of such non-resident owner or tenant.
- A Canadian citizen and at least 18 years old
 Not legally prohibited from voting; and not

- disqualified by any legislation from holding municipal office.
- You will need 25 signatures from eligible electors on your nomination form and must pay a fee of \$100 (\$200 for mayor). Additional information for voters and candidates about the 2022 municipal election will be communicated more into 2022.



ONTARIO POLICE REMINDER



Police are reminding drivers to renew license plates when they expire. It's become more of a concern since the Ontario government scrapped the stickers and fees associated with renewal.

In February, the Ontario government announced an end to license plate renewal fees and a refund to drivers for the cost of renewal for the past two years.

However, the move did not end the requirement to renew licenses and ensure insurance premiums and any outstanding tolls or municipal fines are paid.

OPP said license renewal notices no longer automatically come in the mail, although drivers can sign up through Service Ontario online to receive digital reminders.

911 SIGNS

Residents are requested to make sure that 911 civic number signs are clear of trees, etc. The sign should be visible by emergency personnel from 100



BUILDING PERMIT NOTICE

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

Please remember that building permits are required for re-shingling, decks, fences, new windows & doors, siding etc., as well as houses, garages, and accessory buildings.

If you start your project without a permit, the fine is double the permit cost.



If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, please contact the Municipal Office, or any member of Council:

<u>Mayor</u>

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lan Chambers (705) 998-3189 ichambers@princetwp.ca

Enzo Palumbo (705)975-4343 epalumbo@princetwp.ca

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David Harnish (705)779-9927

ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Barbie Rudnicki (705)255-0419



EARLYON CHILD AND FAMILY CENTRE

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 as well as on our Facebook page. Please call 705-779-3627 for more information.

Summer Hours of operation Monday 9:00am – 2:00pm Tuesday 9:00am – 2:00pm 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



LIBRARY NEWS

The Friends of the Library and the Library Board thank Grace for the awesome job that she did and wish her all the best in the coming school year.

CALENDARS: Renew your Community Calendar to support the Prince Township Public Library. The price of the calendar is \$12.00, including tax. Advertisements are \$70.00 including HST. We MAY have a spot for you if want to advertise. Call the library at 705-779-2992 ext. 5

from our leased McNaughton Books, which is covered by the sale of calendars. Any "new to us" books will be catalogued and put on the brown table near the circulation desk.

THE YOUNGER WIFE by Sally Hepworth. A novel of domestic suspense: the husband, the former wife who needs to be divorced, the daughters, and the younger wife... they all have secrets!

NOBODY BUT US by Laure Van Rensburg. A well-respected professor and a graduate student have a perfect romantic get away for two planned at an isolated cabin. He's not who he says he is, and neither is she...

TAKE YOUR BREATH AWAY by Linwood Barclay. A psychological thriller about a missing woman who has suddenly returned under mysterious circumstances...

DEEP WATER by Emma Bamford is a debut novel. It is excellent. The dark side of paradise is exposed when a terrified couple relate their experience on a remote island in the Indian Ocean to the captain of a Navy rescue vessel, only to realize they're still in the grips of the island's secrets...

DONATIONS: Please contact us **BEFORE** you put books in the return box. **We are accepting books 2012 and newer.**

DROP OFF BOX: All items are to be returned through the book drop. Place items in a tied plastic bag.

SUMMER HOURS:

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9 to 12, 1 to 4 Tuesday and Thursday 1 to 5, 6 to 8.

Closed Saturday & Sunday and Statutory Holidays.

PRINCE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

There is a planning meeting with North Tarentorus on Wednesday August 31 at 1:00 p.m. It will either be here or at 99 Pine Street. Bring your suggestions for program, barter basket, motto, and roll call.





Report It

See an animal unattended in a vehicle? Report it! ACT FAST. SAVE A LIFE. If you spot an unattended pet in a vehicle that appears to be suffering from heat exhaustion, do not hesitate to:

- Call 310-SPCA (7722), if in Ontario
- Call your local SPCA or Humane Society
- Call your local Police

DON'T FORGET YOUR PET!

Make sure your family emergency plan includes **ALL** your family members.



Pets and Emergencies

Pets are members of the family. Make sure to include your pets when developing your family **emergency plan**. Planning before an emergency will increase your pet's chances for survival and ability to cope. assemble a pet emergency survival kit and be ready to take your pet and their kit with you in the event you must evacuate.

Pet Emergency Survival Kit Checklist

Prepare a pet emergency survival kit and keep it with your family kit. be sure to check the expiry date of your contents twice a year.

Recommended items for dogs and cats:

- Food, water, bowls, manual can opener and spoon
- Up-to-date Id tag
- Current photo of you and your pet Emergency contact list of pet friendly hotels/motels outside your area, friends, relatives and your veterinarian
- Copies of medical records/vaccinations Information on feeding schedule, medical and/or behavioral problems
- Medications and first aid kit
- Familiar bedding, small toy and brush
- Leash, collar or harness and muzzle (dogs) Litter/pan and scooper (cats) or poop n' scoop bags (dogs)

 Carrier large enough to transport and house your pet

Emergency kit supplies vary for different kinds of animals. Please contact your veterinarian or visit www.ontariospca.ca if you have any questions.

Pets and Evacuations

If it's too dangerous for you to stay, it's too dangerous for your pet to stay. If safety permits, pets should not be left behind during an evacuation as they may be lost, injured, or even killed as a result of the emergency. Plan ahead to ensure that you have a safe place to take your pet.

- Find out about your municipality's evacuation centre locations and related pet policies.
- Contact hotels and motels outside your immediate area and check their policy on accepting pets during an emergency.
- Ask friends and relatives outside your immediate area if they could shelter your pet(s) during an emergency.
- Include your pet in any local or family emergency drills and exercises.

If an emergency occurs when you are not at home, you can still be prepared. Set up a buddy system with your neighbour. Make arrangements that in the event of an emergency and you are not home they will take care of your pet.

For more information on emergency preparedness visit www.ontariospca.ca

RECYCLING CART COLLECTION SYSTEM

The recycling cart does not have to be placed out every week and should not be put out unless it is half full. Carts must be placed at least 1 metre (3 feet) in front of or beside fences/retaining walls or vehicles.

Please remove caps/lids and rinse food contents before recycling containers. All food trays, strawberry containers, etc. are not accepted and should be placed in your garbage. Cardboard boxes should be broken down to 2' x 2' x 1' bundles and placed beside the collection cart.

Note: Fluorescent lights are to be disposed at the **Household Hazardous Waste Depot**.

Blue Lid

- Steel (tin) food cans
- Aluminum cans
- No. 1 plastic bottles (i.e. pop bottles)
- No. 2 plastic bottles (i.e. shampoo
- bottles)
- Glass bottles and jars

Grey Lid

- Newspapers and flyers
- Magazines
- Phone books
- Boxboard/small boxes (i.e. cereal boxes)
- Paper egg cartons
- Toilet/towel paper rolls
- Clean milk cartons
- All other paper products (i.e. mail)



Our Prince Twp. Volunteer Fire Dept. use green flashing lights in their personal vehicles when they are responding to the fire hall for an emergency. If you see a vehicle with a **green flashing light**, please yield the right of way.

Thanks for your co-operation!



Prince Twp. Monthly Newsletters
If you would like the newsletter
emailed to you, please email
deputyclerk@twp.prince.on.ca

Prince Recreation Committee Presents...



SUMMER CONCERT SERIES IN PRINCE TWP

UNDER THE PAVILION

Saturday, July 30, 2022 from 8:00PM until 12:00AM

Soundcheck

Cost to attend is \$10 per person

Soundcheck is a four person band that plays modern and classic country, modern and classic rock.

Beer and Drinks available for purchase 19+ Seating Available Doors open at 7:30PM

#princerec2022

