

CANADA DAY HOLIDAY

A reminder to everyone that the Municipal Office will be closed Monday July 3rd, 2023 for the Canada Day Holiday.

TAX BILLS

The final tax bill for 2023 will be mailed around the 15th of July. There are two installments on this bill, August 25 and October 25. Interest is charged monthly on overdue balances, at a rate of 1.25%.

HOLIDAY GARBAGE AND RECYCLING

Garbage and recycling collection will be delayed one day as a result of the Canada Day Holiday. Please have your cart out by 7:00 a.m.

GARBAGE AND RECYCLING CARTS

If the cart is lost, stolen or damaged, it is the responsibility of the resident to purchase replacement carts.

It is also important that carts be placed at the curbside correctly so that they can be lifted by the automatic arms.

RECYCLING

Please have your cart out by 7:00 a.m. Your recycling will be picked up every two weeks. July 7, 20, Aug. 3.







NEWSLETTER

July 2023



Wishing everyone a safe and happy Canada Day!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Here is a chance for students to get their volunteer hours for school.

The library did not get funding for a student this year and they want to keep the library open during the summer. Please call Rita at 705-779-2992 ext. 5.

OPEN-AIR BURNING

Prince Township is currently under a Fire Ban.

At this time, no open air burning is permitted and no permits are being issued.

BURNING PERMITS

When the fire ban is lifted.

Anyone wishing to burn must go to our

website princetownship.ca and fill out the form. You can send your \$20.00 e-transfer's to deputyclerk@twp.prince.on.ca or drop a check off in the black locked mailbox outside the door or come into the office. We would love to see you.

Please use **firepermit** as the e-transfer password.

It is your responsibility to make sure there are no fire restrictions before you burn.

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

PRINCE TOWNSHIP 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, 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!

COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

Regular Council Meetings Tuesday July 11th, 2023 6:45 p.m.

Via Zoom. A link will be provided to you on our website princetownship.ca.

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.





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

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ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER
Barbie Rudnicki (705)255-0419



LIBRARY NEWS

CALENDARS: The Library Board members and Friends will be contacting you to renew your community calendar shortly.

PHOTOS NEEDED (horizontal view), depicting PRINCE TOWNSHIP for the calendar. Please drop them off to the library with your name on the envelope.

JULY HOURS: Some are new/changed. Please call before you come. 705-779-2992 EXT. 5

MON: 10:00 – NOON and 2:00 – 4:00

TUES: 1:00 - 3:00 WED: 10:00 - 2:00 THURS: 1:00 - 3:00 FRI: 10:00 - 2:00

library.

CLOSED SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

WE DID NOT GET FUNDING FOR A SUMMER STUDENT; THEREFORE, OUR JULY and AUGUST HOURS WILL BE LIMITED WINTER HOURS.

STUDENTS NEEDING VOLUNTEER HOURS ARE WELCOME. CALL THE LIBRARY 705-779-2992 EXT 5 AND LEAVE A MESSAGE

YOU CAN USE OPAC TO SEARCH FOR ITEMS AND WE CAN FILL YOUR ORDER FOR PICK UP DURING TOWNSHIP OFFICE HOURS 8:30 – 4:30 Mon.-Fri. If you need your OPAC Information, call the

Recommended Books: These are from our McNaughton selection but check the Large print to the right of them.

THE DIG a novel by Anne Burt.

"When Sarajevo -born siblings Antonia and Paul join a wealthy Midwestern family in the 1990s, a series of events with deadly consequences is set in motion..."

LADY TAN'S CIRCLE OF WOMEN by Lisa See." According to Confucius, "an educated woman is a worthless woman," but Tan Yunxian is being raised by her grandparents to be of use. Her grandmother is one of only a handful of female doctors in China. A story of women helping other women, begins in 1469 when Tan is eight years old.

THE LAST SECRET OF THE SECRET ANNEX by Joop Van Wijk-Voskuijl and Jerden De Bruyn. The untold story of Anne Frank, her silent protector, and a family betrayal

PLEASE NOTE THE CHANGE FOR THE DROP OFF BOX

Bring your library books inside the foyer and put them in the box that is on the chair.

ON GOING BOOK SALE DURING LIBRARY HOURS FOR ALL AGES





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.

 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

PRINCE TOWNSHIP RECYCLING CART COLLECTION

The recycling cart does not have to be placed out on every pick-up. It should not be put out unless it is at least half full.

Carts must be out by 7:30 a.m. on your pick-up day.

Please make sure the lids are completely closed.

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. Large quantities of cardboard boxes should be broken down to 2' x 2' x 1' bundles (taped or tied with string) and placed beside the collection cart.

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

Blue Lid

- Steel (tin) food cans
- Aluminium 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
- Clean pizza boxes
- All other paper products (i.e. mail, computer paper)





Tips to Reduce Problem Bears

People are reminded to take the necessary steps to help avoid attracting bears into populated areas.

Garbage, outdoor grills and bird feed commonly attract black bears. Minimize your chances of attracting bears by:

- Putting garbage out only on the morning of collection.
- Storing garbage in waste containers with tight-fitting lids.
- Frequently wash garbage cans, recycling containers and lids with a strong disinfectant.
- Remove grease/food residue from BBQ grills including the grease cup, after each use.
- Put away bird feeders and offer natural alternatives like flowers, nesting boxes and fresh water.

Often a bear is just passing through, and if it does not find a food source it will simply move on.

For more information on what to do if you encounter a black bear on your property or while enjoying the outdoors, visit the MNR website at www.ontario.ca/bearwise.

If a bear appears to be threatening, persistent or aggressive, call the Sault Ste. Marie Police Service immediately.

DO NOT FEED WILDLIFE

Threats to wildlife

- animals can become dependent on artificial food sources
- animals can lose their natural fear of humans and pets, becoming more prone to conflict
- artificial feed is not healthy for wildlife
- wild animals may gather in large numbers when they are being fed — this concentration of animals in one area can spread parasites and disease and cause destruction of natural habitat
- feeding animals near roads increases their risk of being hit by vehicles

Threats to people

- feeding wildlife may attract "unwanted" animals to your property
- animals will learn to associate humans with food, and can become a problem to neighbours
- habituated animals can become aggressive
- feeding animals near roads increases the risk of motor vehicle accidents, resulting in property damage, injury or death.



Are You Prepared?

Emergencies can strike anywhere, at any time. That's why everyone in Ontario is encouraged to be prepared—by having a plan, assembling a survival kit, and by staying informed.

Build an Emergency Survival Kit

Your emergency survival kit should have everything you and your family would need to be safe and take care of yourselves for at least three days immediately following an emergency.

The following list is broken down into the essentials, items you may need to meet your family's unique needs, and items to have ready in case you must leave your home.

WHAT TO PUT IN YOUR SURVIVAL KIT

Essentials

- Food (non-perishable and easy-toprepare items, enough for 3 days) and a manual can opener
- Bottled water (4 litres per person for each day)
- Medication(s)
- Flashlight

- Radio (crank or battery-run)
- Extra batteries
- First-aid kit
- Candles and matches/lighter
- Hand sanitizer or moist towelettes
- Important papers (identification, contact lists, copies of prescriptions, etc.)
- Extra car keys and cash
- Whistle (to attract attention, if needed)
- Zip-lock bag (to keep things dry)
- Garbage bags

Special Considerations

- Items for babies and small children diapers, formula, bottles, baby food, comfort items
- Prescription medication
- Medical supplies and equipment
- · Pet food and supplies
- Any other items specific to your family's needs

Extra Supplies for Evacuation

- Clothes, shoes
- Sleeping bags or blankets
- Personal items (soap, toothpaste, shampoo, comb, other toiletries)
- Playing cards, travel games, other activities for children

Be Informed

There are two main ways that you can be informed about emergencies: sign up for Ontario's emergency alerts and learn more about the hazards you can ace and how you can be prepared for them.

During an emergency, you should stay tuned to local news channels. Be sure to have a portable, battery-operated or crank radio in your survival kit in case of power outages.

Emergency Alerts

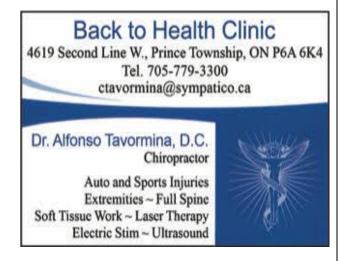
Ontario's three types of alerts—Red Alerts, Emergency Information
Advisories and Tornado Warnings—
quickly deliver information on threats or emergencies that have occurred via email, text message, RSS feed, and other channels. They usually include information on how to keep you and your family safe.





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

NOW OPEN ACCEPTING NEW PATIENTS





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!

