



## FINAL TAXES DUE October 15, 2019

### THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

Please note that the Prince Township Office will be closed on Monday October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

### HOLIDAY GARBAGE

Garbage and recycling collection will be delayed one day as a result of the Thanksgiving Day Holiday. This includes Prince Lake garbage pick up.

### NOTICE: PRINCE LAKE RESIDENTS

Prince Lake Residents who are allowed year-round residency will be receiving notices regarding waste disposal services via mail. If you qualify and do not receive a letter by mid-October, please contact the office at 705-779-2992.

### NOTICE: RECYCLING CHANGE

Effective November 1, the pick-up for recycling will be one business day after the garbage pick up. Recycling will now occur every second week on Thursday. (Friday if there is a holiday on Monday) This change is a result of scheduling changes in the City.

Please have your cart out by 7:00 am.  
Your recycling for Oct. will be:  
Oct. 2, 17 and 30, etc.

## NEWSLETTER October 2019



### CHANGE YOUR CLOCK, CHANGE YOUR BATTERIES

On November 3<sup>rd</sup>, you set your clocks back one hour. When you change your clocks, change the batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors too!

### PRINCE TWP. PROPERTY FOR SALE

The municipality is listing 3 properties for sale. One is at the corner of Mountain View Drive and two are in the Jackson Island subdivision. The listing will be found at [https://www.century21.ca/choicerealty/CA/ON/Sault\\_Ste\\_Marie](https://www.century21.ca/choicerealty/CA/ON/Sault_Ste_Marie) and at <https://www.realtor.ca/> after Monday, September 30, 2019.

### ATTENTION: NEWSLETTER CHANGE

In an effort to save time and expense, the December 2019 newsletter will be the last newsletter that will be delivered to your home. Effective January 2020, the newsletters will be posted to the website @ <https://www.princetownship.ca/newsletters.html>. You can also register your email address with Lorraine ([lorraine@twp.prince.on.ca](mailto:lorraine@twp.prince.on.ca)) and she will add you to the email list to have the newsletter send directly to your account. If you do not have access to a computer, you have 2 options:  
1. Pick up a copy at the township office  
2. Pick up a copy at the Airways General Store

### MAILBOXES

It's hard to believe with the week's weather, but winter is fast approaching.

Please check your mailboxes and make sure they are at the standard height to avoid damage from snow removal equipment. Also, ensure that they are reinforced to handle any snow load. Specifications for your mailbox can be found at:

[https://www.canadapost.ca/cpo/mc/assets/pdf/personal/rmb\\_guidelines\\_e.pdf](https://www.canadapost.ca/cpo/mc/assets/pdf/personal/rmb_guidelines_e.pdf)

The city will only be responsible for mailboxes that their equipment physically damages. They will not replace mailboxes damaged by snow load or improper installation.

Thank you for your co-operation.



## CAO/CLERK-TREASURER'S REPORT



Just a friendly reminder that the second installment of your final 2019 taxes is due on Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup>. The office will remain open on Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, for your convenience. Interest will not be added until after the 16<sup>th</sup>.

I hope you are all enjoying this lovely extension to our summer. We experienced one of the nicest summers in a long time, in my opinion.

Thank you for your patience as the construction has continued along Second Line and Airport Road. The Ministry of Transportation has lived up to their promise of paved shoulders, allowing for safer pedestrian and bicycle traffic.

Council meets on the second Tuesday each month at 6:45 pm. All are welcome to attend. A copy of the agenda is posted to our website at <https://www.princetownship.ca/council-agendas.html> on Monday before the meeting, or the day of the meeting if Monday is a holiday.

The office will be closed on October 14<sup>th</sup> for the Thanksgiving holiday.



Respectfully,

Peggy Greco  
CAO/Clerk-Treasurer

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

### Mayor

Ken Lamming (705) 971-3663  
[klamming@princetwp.ca](mailto:klamming@princetwp.ca)

### Councillors

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[damadio@princetwp.ca](mailto:damadio@princetwp.ca)

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### **BY-LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER**

David Harnish (705)779-9927

### **ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER**

Barbie Rudnicki (705)255-0419  
Barbie will handle domestic animal issues.

## **COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE**

### **Council Meeting**

Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019

6:45 pm

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.**



## **EarlyON Child and Family Centre**

### **ABC, You & Me!**

ABC, You & Me provides children with an opportunity to learn and explore in a group setting. We will include a variety of fun, interactive and hands-on activities for children, reinforcing literacy, numeracy, listening, and socialization skills. Every Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:00am. Also, Thursday at 2:00pm.

### **Mother Goose and Story Time**

Come on out and enjoy Mother Goose! We will be having interactive stories and songs with all materials we use to take home to keep. Begins at 10:45am on Wednesday, October 2, 2019 for five weeks.

### **Prince Picassos**

See, touch, taste, smell & play! This program is designed for babies to use their senses during exploration of various materials. Using different

textures, fine motor skills, hand-eye coordination and creativity your child will be able to create a masterpiece while having messy fun! At the end of the program, you will be given a wonderful portfolio of your child's creations. Registration is required. Starting Tuesdays on September 24, 2019 at 1:30pm for five weeks. Please call 705-779-3627 for more information - session is currently full.

### **Tummy Time**

Tummy Time includes a variety of activities, positions, songs, and routines to keep your infant spending a significant amount of time on their tummies while promoting neck and core strength which will eventually prepare them for crawling. This six-week program is designed for infants from 0 - 9 months old. Wednesdays, beginning October 16, 2019 at 1:00pm. Registration is required, please call 705-779-3627 for more information.

### **Alternative Stories**

Children love to see the shapes, colours and textures of materials, while experiencing stories, songs and rhymes. We will be using a variety of techniques to stimulate involvement, stretch and get rid of the wiggles. Thursday evenings beginning October 3, 2019 at 5:30pm for four weeks.

### **Music & Movement**

Music naturally delights and moves most children. Come and join us, in singing songs, dancing and making musical instruments to help your children get up and get rid of the wiggles. On Friday, October 4, 2019 at 10:30am for four weeks.

### **Fun Fall Crafts**

Fall is full of fun things from bright, colourful leaves to big, plump pumpkins! Join us in creating fun fall crafts using a variety of

materials from outside and inside the home! Saturday, October 5, 19 & 26 2019 and Sunday, October 27, 2019 at 11:00am.

### **Halloween Party**

Come drop by dressed up in your favourite costume on Thursday, October 31, 2019 from 10:00am - 1:00pm for a special Halloween Party! We will be having yummy snacks and playing lots of fun games! Please note that we are asking all families to bring one canned good for donation to our food bank.

### **One to One Primary Care Triple P**

This Triple P Program includes brief one to one sessions that assist parents to develop parenting plans to manage behavioural issues (such as tantrums, fighting, going shopping) and skill development issues (such as eating independently, toilet training, staying in bed at night). For appointments, please call 705-779-3627.

### **Nipissing District Developmental Screen**

Early supports through the use of the Nipissing District Developmental Screen provide parents with the opportunity to follow their child's growth and development examining the thirteen key developmental stages. Based on screening results, we initiate registration or refer to specialized services through the local access mechanism. For appointments, please call 705-779-3627.

**Please note we are closed Monday, September 2, 2019.**

### **Winter Hours**

Monday to Wednesday	9 - 1pm
Thursday	1 - 7 pm
Friday	9 - 1 pm
Saturday	10 - 1 pm
Open 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday Only	10 - 1 pm

\*Please note that hours are subject to change with little notice. Thank You!

Visit us on Facebook: EarlyON Child and Family Centre "Prince, SSM & Sault North"  
Or Google: EarlyON Child and Family Centre "Prince Township" if you do not have Facebook  
Email: [earlyoncentreprincetwp@gmail.com](mailto:earlyoncentreprincetwp@gmail.com)



### **LIBRARY NEWS**

**BOARD MEETING:** \*\*\*THURSDAY, OCT.3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:30 p.m. All board meetings will be held at this time.

**CALENDARS:** The orders have been compiled and sent away. We should be getting them in November. THANK YOU, to the volunteers and especially to the advertisers. Please support them. We also thank you our patrons for supporting our library.

Your **BLIND DATE WITH A BOOK** is waiting for you in the Library. Pre-packaged bags of different genres with 8 different authors for \$4.00.

**WEB SITE.** Our web site ptpl.ca has been updated. Please visit and see what Tiffany has done.

**BOOK CLUB:** We are meeting on Wednesday Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 1:30 to discuss **THE LIGHTKEEPER'S DAUGHTER** by Jean E. Pendziwol a Thunder Bay author.

**RECOMMENDED BOOKS:** These are found at the back on the bookcase; but check the brown table near the desk for the newly catalogued books or the paper back rack.

**ELLIE AND THE HARPMAKER.** This is a heartwarming, charming debut novel by Hazel Prior, that reminds us that sometimes you can find love in the most unexpected places.

**THE TESTAMENTS** by Margaret Atwood.

Fifteen years after the events in *The Handmaid's Tale*, there are signs that the theocratic regime of the Republic of Gilead is beginning to rot from within.

**THIS TENDER LAND** by William Kent Krueger.

This novel starts off in 1932 Minnesota is a Huck Finn adventure of four children who run away from Lincoln School- a residential school for Native Americans, of whom three are orphans, to St. Louis. It is also a look at how the Great Depression affected all people in all ways. Here are two quotes from the book. *"Of all that we're asked to give others in this life, the most difficult to offer may be forgiveness."* And *"We breathe love in and we breathe love out. It's the essence of our existence, the very air of our souls."*

**WHERE THE CRAWDADS SING** by Delia Owens is another must read. "Owens reminds us that we are forever shaped by the children we once were, and that we are all subject to the beautiful and violent secrets that nature keeps"

**DROP OFF BOX:** Please put your items in a tied plastic bag.

## NEW WINTER LIBRARY HOURS FOR 2019-2020

CLOSED SUNDAY AND MONDAY and ANY HOLIDAY WEEKEND.

TUESDAY: 2 – 4 p.m. & 6 – 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: 10 a.m.– Noon & 1 – 3 p.m.

THURSDAY: 2 – 4 p.m. & 5:30 -7p.m.

FRIDAY: 10 - Noon & 2 – 4 p.m.

SATURDAY: 10:00- Noon



## PRINCE WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

We had an excellent presentation from Deanna Benoit of the Ontario March of Dimes regarding their service that are available to the community. There is information at the front desk in the library.

- Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> meeting is our 110<sup>th</sup> birthday luncheon, at Gliss where Cesira's was on Spring St. Call Margaret Christenson if you are coming by Oct. 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Next meeting is on November 18<sup>th</sup> in the Library . Margaret will tell us about ACWW Triennial in Melbourne Australia and her following tour. If you would like to hear about her trip, you are welcome to join us at 1:00p.m. in the Library.

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

The Friends of the Prince Township Library are once again holding a **Giant Book Sale** in the former English Butler store at the **Station Mall** (near what used to be the mall entrance for Wal Mart).

**Thursday, October 17 from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.**

**Friday, October 18 from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m.**

**Saturday, October 19 from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.**

A wide selection of fiction and non-fiction books in good condition, such as novels, mysteries, romance, science fiction, cookbooks, literature, history, religion, children's books, including picture books, early reading and young adult; books on First Nation culture and history; Art books; Collectable books, including ones by local authors and many out of print books (priced individually)

Please come to the book sale and support the Friends and your library.

The Friends are happy to receive your donations of books, CDs and DVDs. You can drop them off at the library during library hours.



## 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](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!



**JOY-Full Socks...**  
and so much more.

“JOY-Full Socks” was launched eight years ago by Leslie Cassidy-Amadio. Last year, over **3500 pairs of socks were donated and shared among multiple different local charities.** We are happy to announce that the campaign will be running again this year.

It's an easy way to get involved in helping those in need. It's as simple as purchasing socks and filling them with grooming products, such as toothpaste, toothbrush, shampoo, soap, etc. The products and socks can be aimed at a particular gender or age group.

You can fill the socks with the grooming products or place all in a gift bag.

We also take gently used clothing or toys, or you can buy a new toy for a child. We also take financial donations. Just use your imagination and have fun. There are so many ways to be involved and each and every way will make a difference. Your simple gift will mean a great deal to someone who has very little or nothing at all.

Last year we delivered to 18 different charity locations, with the patrons of the Soup Kitchen Community Centre being the main recipients.

Please bring your donation by **November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019** to the Prince Township Office at 3042 Second Line West or call Leslie [\(705\) 779-2836](tel:7057792836) for pick up.



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!

### 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 ft

## Halloween safety: Tips for families



Halloween can be a fun and exciting time for kids. These safety tips for parents, children and homeowners will help keep everyone safe and happy this Halloween.

### For parents:

- Do not use masks. Masks make it hard for children to see what's around them, including cars. Try a hypoallergenic (less likely to cause an allergic reaction), non-toxic make-up kit instead.
- Make or buy costumes in light-coloured material.
- Place strips of reflective tape on the back and front of costumes, so that drivers can better see your child.
- Costumes should fit properly to prevent trips and falls. Avoid items such as oversized shoes, high heels, long dresses and long capes.
- Dress your child for the weather. Add layers if needed.
- Put your child's name, address and phone number on his costume.
- Children under 10 should be accompanied by an adult for trick or treating. By the age of 10, some children are ready to go trick-or-treating with a group of friends.
- Keep in mind that gum and hard candy can pose a choking risk for young children.

- Remove make-up before bedtime to prevent possible skin and eye irritation.

### If your child is going out without an adult:

- Make sure your child is in a group of at least 3 people.
- Give them a flashlight. A cell phone is also a good idea if you have one.
- Discuss in advance the route they should follow. Ask them to call you if they plan to go on a street that isn't on the route.
- Set a curfew (and make sure they have a watch with them).
- Tell your children not to eat anything until they get home.

### For children and youth:

- Carry a white bag or pillowcase for your candy, and add some reflective tape.
- Dress for the weather. Cold weather or water absorbent materials in the rain can be very uncomfortable.
- Bring a cell phone, in case you need to make an emergency phone call.
- Always travel in groups. Be sure there are at least 3 of you at all times.
- Let your parents know where you're going to be at all times.

- Don't visit houses that are not well lit. Never go inside a stranger's house.
- Use the sidewalk whenever possible. If there's no sidewalk, walk on the side of the road facing traffic.
- Don't criss-cross back and forth across the street. Work your way up one side of the street, and then start on the other.
- If you have any allergies, tell the person who is giving out the treats.
- Don't eat any of your treats before you get home. Once home, ask your parents to look through your treats with you to make sure everything is okay.

### For homeowners:

- Turn on outdoor lights, and replace burnt-out bulbs.
- Remove items from your yard or porch that might trip a child.
- Sweep wet leaves from your steps and driveway.
- Use alternative to candles in your pumpkins, such as a flashlight or a battery-operated candle.
- Remember that some children have food allergies. Consider giving treats other than candy, such as stickers, erasers or a yo-yo.

### Alternatives to traditional trick-or-treating

- Local community centres sometimes offer Halloween night activities.
- Local shopping centres often have trick-or-treat nights for young children in a more controlled environment.
- Plan a Halloween night at home with themed games and movies. Invite friends

## Emergency Preparedness Starts With You

### Family Emergency Kit

During an emergency you may have no electrical power or be asked to evacuate. An emergency kit contains essential items you and your family need to survive on your own for at least 72 hours. Keep a kit at home, work and in your car. Your kit should be easy to carry and portable such as a knapsack or suitcase. Check the contents twice a year to ensure the freshness of food and water, and refresh items if needed. KIT ESSENTIALS:

- Non-perishable food
- Prescription medication
- Manual can opener
- Bottled water (4L per person, per day)
- Flashlight, glow stick
- Radio (w/batteries) or crank radio
- First-aid kit
- Whistle to signal for help
- Cell phone with chargers and backup battery
- Clothing, footwear, blankets or sleeping bags
- Moist towelettes, hand sanitizers and garbage bags for personal sanitation
- Extra keys and cash
- Copies of important papers (identification, insurance)

Customize your kit to meet the unique needs of your family. If you or someone in your household has a disability or special need, check out the Emergency Preparedness Guide for People with Disabilities/Special Needs at [ontario.ca/beprepared](http://ontario.ca/beprepared) for additional information on what to include in your emergency kit and family plan.

### Pet Emergency Kit

Bring your pets indoors at the first indication of an emergency. If you have to evacuate, take your pets with you if it's safe to do so. Build a pet emergency kit and keep it with your family kit. For more detail, please visit [ontariospca.ca/](http://ontariospca.ca/)

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## GAS METER SAFETY

### Gas Meter Safety



It's important to keep your natural gas meter and exhaust vents free of ice and snow in winter, and clear of storage boxes, garden tools and vegetation in summer. This helps ensure that gas-fired equipment functions safely and efficiently, and allows Union Gas easy access for accurate meter readings or emergency response.

Indoor heating equipment – your furnace, water heater and thermostat – needs to be accessible too. Please ensure that storage boxes and household supplies are kept well away from indoor appliances so Union Gas or your heating contractor can get at them for emergency service or repairs.

Be sure your pets are secured and not blocking access to your gas meter or equipment during meter reading and service calls. A visiting Union Gas representative can surprise even the friendliest dog and lead to aggressive behavior and bites.



# **Eat, Drink & be UGLY!**

The Prince Township Recreational Committee is hosting an UGLY Sweater PUB on **Saturday November 23, 2019 from 7:00 pm to 1:00 am**. Come out for an evening of food, fun, dancing and prizes!!  
Cash Bar will be available!

**Tickets are \$15.00 each and are available at the township office or from Rec Committee members.**

**Only 115 tickets will be sold and include your Country Redneck Dinner, as well as Chances to:**

**Win the Fabulous Door Prize**  
**Win the UGLIEST SWEATER AWARD**  
**Win many other prizes/games**  
**Show off your IMPRESSIVE Dance moves**  
(Band to be announced)

For More information, please contact Jane Weir at 705-257-7926 or [weir.j@icloud.com](mailto:weir.j@icloud.com)

All proceeds from this event will support the Annual Car show.



We're having a

# Painting Bee



Create your own 11 x 14 alcohol ink painting or follow along with easy instructions to make a vibrant sunflower in any colour!

**Saturday Oct. 26, 2019 @ 6:30 pm**  
**Prince Township Community Centre**

- \$40 per person (20 seats avail.)
- Must be legal drinking age
- Bar available
- Bring your own snacks

Your finished art will be matted with backboard and clear protective sleeve - ready to frame or gift

**Register for this event by email inquiry**

**To: [taniacaputo13@gmail.com](mailto:taniacaputo13@gmail.com)**

**Subject: Prince Painting Bee**

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**OCTOBER 31ST  
2019**

# Prince Township

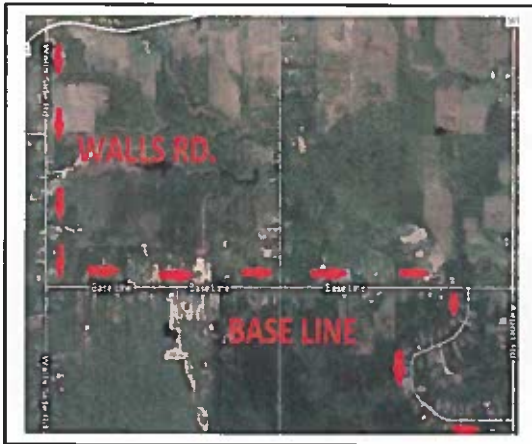


# Halloween

ALTERNATE DROP OFF  
BOX WILL BE PLACED  
AT PRINCE TOWNSHIP  
HALL IF YOU ARE NOT  
ON OUR ROUTE

# Canned

# Food Drive



**All goods  
collected  
will be  
donated to  
local Soup  
Kitchen**



**Children  
will  
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