

EST. **BONNECHERE** 2001 VALLEY TOWNSHIP

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER 2023

Happy Retirement

Thank you to Christine Schreader for your 18 years of service to Bonnechere Valley as the Public Works Administrative Assistant.



PLANNING CONSULTATIONS

Are you thinking about severing a parcel of land? Rezoning a piece of property? Or simply have a planning question that you need answered? We will have a qualified planner from the County of Renfrew in our office on the following dates:

- September 5
- October 3
- November 7
- December 5



If you would like to speak to the planner on your planning issue, please contact our office at 613.628.3101 to schedule your appointment.

SWIMMING LESSONS NON-RESIDENT FEE

The City of Pembroke is waiving the non-resident fee for Bonnechere Valley residents taking swimming lessons at Kinsmen Pool starting August 28, 2023, until December 2023. If you signed up before August 28 you can bring your receipt to our municipal office, and we will reimburse you the non-resident fee.

2023 FINAL TAX INSTALLMENT

The final 2023 tax installment is due October 31, 2023. Residents are encouraged to utilize online payment options through online banking provided by your financial institution. To add the Township of Bonnechere Valley as a payee, use the search-term “Bonnechere Valley” and choose “Taxes” for property taxes or “Water” for Water Utility billing. Your account number is your roll number and it can be found on your bill.

- TAXES - Use your full roll number (account number) starting with 4738 – use all 19 digits of your roll number without any dashes or decimals. Your roll number is located on the top left hand side of your tax bill.
- WATER – Use your account number that is located on the top left hand side of your water bill – use all 14 digits of your account number – do not include any spaces.

*If you own multiple properties you must set up each one as a separate account. Otherwise your payments will not be allocated properly.

OFFICE & WASTE SITE CLOSURES

- September 4** - Municipal Office & Sand Road Waste Site closed.
- September 30** - Sno Drifters, Sand Road, Hwy 41 and Ruby Waste Sites closed.
- October 2** - Municipal Office closed.
- October 9** - Municipal Office & Sand Road Waste Site closed.



WASTE SITE REMINDERS:

- Residents, please break down cardboard boxes before placing them in the bins at the waste sites.
- Last Day for Hazardous Waste Depot is September 23rd, 2023.

WASTE SITE WINTER HOURS START OCTOBER 10

The winter hours are from Thanksgiving Weekend to the Long Weekend in May. All residents may use any of the Township Transfer Sites to recycle materials and dispose of your waste. Bulky waste (construction, mattresses, furniture) must be taken to Sno Drifters. Please call 613.628.2855 for more information.

Waste Site/ Transfer Site	Sno Drifters <small>Bulky waste only</small>	Sand Road	Lake Clear	McGrath	Highway 41	Ruby
Saturday	9am - 3pm	9am - 4pm			9am - 2pm	9am - 2pm
Sunday			12pm - 4pm	12pm - 4pm		
Monday		2pm - 4pm				

UPCOMING EVENTS

FOR MORE...

See the township website for updates & additions to events!

bonnecherevalleytp.com

HOUSING NEEDS SURVEY

Please fill out the Housing Needs Survey at www.surveymonkey.com/r/Z279NB5 or pick up a print copy at the Municipal Office. Please complete the survey by **September 29, 2023.**

EGANVILLE CURLING CLUB

October 1 - 11th Annual Eganville Curling Club Golf Tournament at Whitetail Golf Club, call 628-1836 to register.

EGANVILLE AND AREA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

September 16 - Annual Outdoor Plant Sale, 9am, & Harvest Auction, 10:30 am, @ Legion Field. Fun, spirited auction with Terry Hoelke includes vegetables, pickles, jams, baking, crafts & anything garden based. Bring a lawn chair for the auction. Rain date Sept. 17
October 16 - Guest speakers Gregg & Michele Parsons from Firefly Meadows Farm with "Tomatoes: from seed to table". Free to members; visitors \$5. Social time with refreshments 6:30pm; meeting at 7pm.

VALLEY VOICES LITERARY READING SERIES

September 30 - Renowned poet and author George Elliott Clarke joins us and speaks from his works, 4pm, with an open mic to follow. Potluck @ 6pm. Email valleyvoicesspeak@gmail.com for address and reservation.

PICKLEBALL Wednesday's at E.D.P.S. Large Gym, 7pm
Contact pcdesjardins38@gmail.com for more information

EGANVILLE & DISTRICT SENIORS ECHO CENTRE

September - Seniors Tai Chi on Tuesday's, 10am
September - Strength & Tone Monday's, Wednesday's, and Friday's, 9am, resumes on September 6th
September 6 - Diner's Club, 12pm, \$14 (register in advance)
September 7 - Eldertrekking Kayaking at Rotary Beach, 1pm
September - High Mobility classes Tuesday's & Thursday's, 8:45 am, resumes September 12
September - Mid Mobility classes Tuesday's & Thursday's, 11:15 am, resumes September 12
September - Low Mobility classes Tuesday's & Thursday's, 1pm, resumes September 12th
September 12 - Eldertrekking Hike/Walk at Sauer's Mountain, 1pm
September 13 - Drive-Thru Dinner, 4-6pm. Meal and cost to be determined (register in advance)
September 15 - Learn to...Make a Fall Door Sign, 1pm (register in advance)
September 20 - Birdhouse Painting Fundraiser, 10:30am-12:30pm (register in advance)
September 21 - Eldertrekking E-bikes, Echo Centre to Fourth Chute Road, 1pm
September 26 - Eldertrekking Walk/Hike, Tramore Cliffs, 1pm
September 27 - Bus Trip to Spectacle Lake Lodge, \$75, Lunch and transportation are included. (register in advance)
October - 6-Hand Euchre Tuesday's, 1:20pm
October 20 - Bus Trip to Lac Leamy Casino, \$50, meal is not included in the price (register in advance)
October 4 - Diner's Club, 12pm, \$14 (register in advance)
October 6 - Tie Dye with Rri, 1pm, \$30 (register in advance)
October 28 - Lunch Bunch, 11:30am-2pm, cost by donation

BONNECHERE UNION PUBLIC LIBRARY

September - Youth Night is back! Fun for kids aged 9-12, 5-6pm every Wednesday, resumes September 13
September 8 - October 27 - Homeschool Relief Program: Register your homeschooled kids for this semester about Geography! Limited space. Spots reserved for NAW and BV residents first. Please call or email for more information or to register. Registration opens August 29th.
September 30 - Orange Shirt Day: Stop-by BUPL to see our display in solidarity with Truth & Reconciliation Day and grab a Every Child Matters button.
October - Food for Fines: Every non-perishable, non-expired good takes \$2 off your fines, up to a limit of \$20. Offer does not go towards lost or damaged fees. Food stocks our Little Free Pantry.
October - Public Libraries Month, FNPL Week and OPL week! See our website for events and activities!
October 25 - Halloween themed Bake Sale put on by BUPL's Youth Night! 5-8pm. Donations of baked goods welcomed!
October 31 - Stop by BUPL to trick or treat! Open till 8pm!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for the upcoming Youth Dance on November 3rd. If interested, email sarah@eganville.com.



EGANVILLE LEGION

September - Meals every Thursday
September 8 - Last BBQ for this year
September 10 - Ways & Means Dance
September 13 - Last Bingo for this year
September 17 - Start of Legion Week: Opening Ceremonies, Dance starting at 2pm, weekly fall sports begin (Pool, Darts, Cards, call 613.628.2802 for more information)
September 18 - Euchre
September 19 - Darts
September 21 - Dinner then Dance
September 22 - Closing Ceremonies (details to be announced)
September 22 - Halloween Ways & Means Dance with Greenwood Country
October 29 - Dance (details to be announced)

EGANVILLE FARMERS MARKET

Friday's until Thanksgiving from 2pm-5pm at Legion Field. Live entertainment each week.

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Photos must be wildlife, landscape, or nature related and taken in Bonnechere Valley. Email your photo and photo location to sarah@eganville.com by September 19, 2023.

Let us know about your events in November & December. Email sarah@eganville.com.