

EST. **BONNECHERE** 2001
VALLEY TOWNSHIP

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

March & April 2022

Interim Tax Bill Time

You will receive your interim tax bill in the mail in the next couple of weeks. The installment due dates are: **March 31, 2022 and May 31, 2022.**

The final fax bill will be in the mail in August and will have installment due dates of August 31, 2022 and October 31, 2022

Residents are encouraged to utilize online payment options. Tax and water bills can be paid online through your online banking services, through your financial institution.

Add Bonnechere Valley as a payee, use the search-term "Bonnechere Valley" and choose the appropriate "Taxes" for property taxes or "Water" for Water Utility billing. Your account number is your roll and it can be found on your bill.



Taxes: Use your full roll number (account number) starting with 47387 - use all 19 digits of your roll number without any dashes or decimals. *If you own multiple properties you must set up each one as a separate account.

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.

Shop Local - Rural Rewards Program Returns!

The Township of Bonnechere Valley is excited to announce that the Shop Local - Rural Rewards Program is returning for 2022. Built on the last years success this collaborating initiative with six participating municipalities consists of the distribution of Rural Rewards Cards (pick-up in the participating businesses or at the municipal offices). Get them stamped or initialed by a store clerk after making a purchase at any of the businesses within the participating townships.

After 10 completed purchases within any of the six municipalities (Bonnechere Valley, North Algona Wilberforce, Brudenell Lyndoch and Raglan, Killaloe Hagarty & Richards, Madawaska Valley and White-water Region) the Rural Rewards Cards can be dropped off at your municipal office and a new card picked up. Each Township will have a monthly draw (draws occur the 3rd Friday of each month) for a \$25 local gift card/certificate of the winners choosing from one of the participating businesses. The campaign will run until December 2022.

To date the following Bonnechere Valley businesses are participating: My Country Home, Rio Tap & Grill, The Rustic Lens, The Rusty Lantern Barn Boutique, Eganville's Finest, Papa Ron's Discount Store, O'Grady's Flowers & Gifts, Fifth Chute Coffee & Food, the Axe and Paddle, Dr. Kathleen Doran & The Eganville Shell Station



Comprehensive Zoning By-Law

Bonnechere Valley is in the process of updating the Township's comprehensive zoning by-law as required by the Planning Act. The update is Township wide and therefore every property has the potential to be affected.

If you would like to participate in the update process, or would like to receive future notices of public consultation opportunities related to the Zoning update, please contact Laura Jamieson

LJamieson@countyofrenfrew.on.ca
 or by calling 613-735-7288

EASTER EGG HUNT



Bonnechere Valley's
 Easter Egg Hunt

Saturday, April 16th
 1:30 pm
 Eganville's Centennial Park.

Rain or shine! Bring your Baskets.

Email Entries: danaj@eganville.com

SNOW DOWN 2022

SNOW SCULPTURE CONTEST!

\$1000 IN PRIZES!

Facebook Contest: Jan 19 to Mar. 18

danaj@eganville.com

Irish Jig Jam

FEB 21 TO MARCH 21

Send Us a Video of Your Irish Dancing Skills and You Could Win a Pot of Gold!

Irish Jig and Dancing Contest

3 Prizes of \$150 to Be Won!

Prizes will be in the form of gift cards from a local business of the winners choice.

Bonnechere Union Public Library News

Friday Afternoon Gentle Tunes: Mar. 4/22 from 2-3 pm. Enjoy peaceful guitar playing as you browse the stacks, played by the one and only Jon Park-Wheeler.

Paper Bag Princess Day!: Mar 5/22. Tune into the Library's Facebook page to hear Robert Munsch read his incredible story. Stop-in to pick-up a paper bag filled with crafts to take home.

BINGO: Mar. 16/22 from 2-4 pm (15 person limit, registration required).

St. Patrick's Day Fun: Mar. 17/22 from 2-4 pm (15 person limit, registration required).

Drop-in Gaming: Mar. 18/22 from 12-3 pm (Board games, PS4, Switch Light, Lego and more!) *This is March Break programming, call or email bee@bonnechereupl.com or 613.628.2400

April: Poetry Month Celebrations: While in the library, attempt some blackout poetry! Ask the staff what it's all about!

Valley Voices Literary Reading Series comes to BUPL: Apr. 7/22 from 6-8 pm. Poets of all levels are encouraged to come out and read, or sit and listen.

National Canadian Film Day: Apr. 20/22 BUPL turns into a theatre in celebration of the BIGGEST FILM FESTIVAL EVER! They will show a DOUBLE feature with the pre-show at 5:30 pm. Films air at 6 pm & 8 pm.

Online Silent Auction: Apr. 27/22 to May 7/22. In lieu of in-person events, they are having a Silent Auction to help fundraise. If you have any items you'd like to donate, please contact Susan at ceo@bonnechereupl.com

Bonnechere Union Public Library
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Eganville & District Seniors News

Fundraising Drive Thru Dinner: Bangers & Mash, Vegetables, Salad, Bun & Dessert on Mar. 9/22 from 4-6 pm, \$16 per meal. Register/pay by 3 pm on Mar. 4/22 by calling 613.628.2354 or info@eganvilleseniors.com

Footcare Clinics: Mar. 4, 11 & 18/22, Apr. 4, 11 & 18/22- Call to book an appointment at 613.628.2354

Bid Euchre: Mar. 6 & 20/22 & Apr. 3/22 at 1 pm

Memory Café: Mar. 9/22 & Apr. 13/22 at 10:30 am

High Mobility Exercise: Tuesdays & Thursdays at 8:45 am

Low Mobility Exercise: Tuesdays & Thursdays at 11:15 am

Strength & Tone: Mondays at 9 am & 6:30 pm, Wednesdays & Fridays at 9 am

Hobby Club: Mondays at 11 am

Shuffleboard: Mondays at 2 pm

Seniors Tai Chi: Tuesdays at 10 am

Zumba: Wednesdays at 6 pm

6-Hand Euchre: Tuesdays at 1:30 pm

Cooking for One (or two!): Apr. 20/22 at 3 pm

Learn to...Kick Sled: Mar. 10/22 at 1 pm. No spikes on shoes, bring helmet (bike/skate or ski) if you wish to wear one. Demonstration offered by Mad River Paddle Co. Kick Sled available through their lending hub.

Lunchbunch: Mar. 23/22 & Apr. 20/22 from 11:30 am-1 pm. Drop in or take out a bowl of soup. By Donation. Supplied by Hebron Community CRC

Learn to...Create a Happiness Box: Mar. 24/22 from 2 pm-3:30 pm. FREE. Register by Mar. 22/22.

Diners' Club: Apr. 6/22 at 12 noon. Register by Apr. 1/22 at 3 pm. Menu: Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Vegetables, Salad, Bun & Dessert. Cost: \$14 per meal.

Smart Care Clothing: Apr 8/22 from 11 am-2 pm.

PUBLIC SKATING



Sun. Mar. 6/22, 3pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: Eganville Rotary Club

Sun. Mar. 13/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: Live Well Age Well with Jackie Lee

Mon. Mar. 14/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: Top Notch Heating

Tues. Mar. 15/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: North Algona Wilberforce Recreation Committee

Wed. Mar. 16/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: Lahay Mechanical

Thurs. Mar. 17/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

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Fri. Mar. 18/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: North Algona Wilberforce Recreation Committee

Sun. Mar. 20/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: TBD

Sun. Mar. 27/22, 3 pm-4:15 pm.

Sponsor: Ultramar



Training & Learning Centre

OF RENFREW COUNTY

Learning Your Way

Our Ontario Trillium Foundation Recognition event was a success!

The Spring newsletter "The TLC Times" will be out this month!

Have you seen our brand new brochures yet? Watch for them!

Name the Newsletter Contest
Winner - Jess Dupuis

"Somewhere" in Renfrew County Contest
Winner - Trisha LeBlanc-Michaelis

Keep an eye out for more contests and great things happening at TLC!

Thank you!

We would like to thank everyone for all of the support we have received. We are getting closer to the purchase of a Point of Sale system (POS)! Our Online Silent Auction received so many great items from the community, along with a few generous donations from the Eganville Rotary Club, The Cobden and District Civitan Club, and Dr. Kathleen Doran!

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Let us know about your events in May & June