# COMMUNITY EVENTS

### February 3 - 5

Seeley's Bay Frost Fest 2023! Visit www.facebook.com/ SeeleysBayFrostFest.

#### February 7

Every Tuesday, Tai Chi for Beginners at 9:30 a.m. and Continuing Class at 10:45 a.m. Lansdowne Community Building, 1 Jessie St., Lansdowne.

#### February 8 - 12

Rockport Winter Carnival at the Rockport Recreation Hall, 115 Escott Rockport Road, Mallorytown and Rockport Barn, 28 Old River Road, Rockport. Visit www.rockportrechall.com.

## February 11

Valentine's Day Dinner in the Farm House, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst at 5:30 p.m. \$55 plus tax per person. Register at 613-561-2177.

# February 18

Mardi Gras Dinner in the Farm House, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst at 5:30 p.m. \$55 plus tax per person. Register at 613-561-2177.

### February 19

Thousand Islands Watershed Land Trust Hike at 1 p.m. Location to be determined. Register at info@tiwlt.ca.

# February 20

Gananoque Winter Palooza from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the 1000 Islands History Museum, 125 Water St., Gananoque. Call 613-382-2535.

Family Day Pizza Party & Class at Furnace Falls Farm, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$10 plus tax per person. Register at 613-561-2177.

#### February 21

Science Café: Trees, selecting, propagating, planting the new species important for climate change. In person or on Zoom at 7 p.m. Register at info@tiwlt.ca.

#### February 25

15th Annual Lyndhurst Ice Fishing Derby, 413 Lyndhurst Road, Lyndhurst from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tickets are \$20 per person. Register at 613-928-2382.

#### February 26

Beat the Winter Blues Lunch at Furnace Falls Farm, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$20 plus tax per person. Register at 613-561-2177.

#### March 4

Micro Greens and Cold Frame Class in the Barn, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. \$25 plus tax per person and includes a light lunch. Register at 613-561-2177.

#### March 11

Starting Greens in the Barn with Wendy, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$20 plus tax per child and includes lunch. Register at 613-561-2177.

#### March 13 - 17

March of the Museums from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the 1000 Islands History Museum, 125 Water St., Gananoque. Call 613-382-2535.

#### March 15

Starting Greens in the Barn, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. \$20 plus tax per child and includes lunch. Register at 613-561-2177.

#### March 19

Thousand Islands Watershed Land Trust Hike at 1 p.m. Location to be determined. Register at info@tiwlt.ca.

#### March 21

Science Café: migratory birdspreparing for the return. In person or on Zoom at 7 p.m. Register at info@tiwlt.ca.

#### March 26

Easter Bread Making Class with Karen in the Farm House, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. \$60 plus tax per person. Register at 613-561-2177.

#### March 31

Maple Dinner in the Farm House, 504 Old Briar Hill Road, Lyndhurst from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. \$55 plus tax per person. Register at 613-561-2177.



# THE TOWNSHIP TIMES

# February and March 2023



# 2023 COMMUNICATIONS SURVEY

Please complete the following survey and return to the Municipal Office 1233 Prince Street, Lansdowne, ON K0E 1L0 or www.surveymonkey.com/r/tlticommunications

#### **Deadline is February 21, 2023**

The Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands wants to hear from our community about the best way to communicate information. Please take a few minutes to provide us with your feedback by completing the following survey. Your feedback is greatly appreciated!

Which area do you live in or near?

Gananoque	Ivy Lea	Lansdowne	Lyndhurst
Rockport	Seeley's Bay	Other	

What is your age?

		0-15		16-30		31-45		46-60		61-75		Prefer not to say
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When looking for municipal information, do you typically use print or digital?

Digital (ex. website, social media, email)
Print (ex. newseltter, tax insert, newspaper)

How do you prefer to receive information from the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands? (Select all that apply)

Ad Mail (Flyers sent to mailbox & P.O. Box)	Newspaper
Council/Committee Meetings	Online Community Events Calendar
Email Subscription through Township Website	Property Tax Insert
Facebook	Radio (myFM Gananoque)
Posters displayed at libraries, post offices, etc	Township Website
Instagram	Twitter
LinkedIn	YouTube

What types of information would you like to hear about from TLTI? (Select all that apply)

	By-Law Updates		Property Tax	
	Committee and Council Meetings		Recreation Programming and Registration	
	Council Decisions		Road Closures	
	Emergency Services (Fire/Police)		Small Business Initiatives	
	Grants and Funding Opportunities Heritage Initiatives		Waste/Recycling Disposal Information	
			Workshops	
	Local Festivals/Events			

# 2023 COMMUNICATIONS SURVEY

How useful is the Township information provided through these communication channels?

	Very Useful	Useful	Not Useful	N/A
Ad Mail (Flyers sent to mailbox & P.O. Box)				
Council/Committee Meetings				
Email Subscription through Township Website				
Facebook				
Flyers/Posters				
Instagram				
LinkedIn				
Newspaper				
Online Community Events Calendar				
Property Tax Insert				
Radio (myFM Gananoque)				
Township Website				
Twitter				
YouTube				

Please rate the communication you receive from TLTI with regard to each of the following.

	Excellent	Good	Poor
Accuracy			
Clarity			
Overall Effectiveness			
Relevancy			
Style			

Would you consider using a mobile app that provides up-to-date information about TLTI?

	Yes	Maybe	No

Please select the top 5 topics you would find most relevant to access on the mobile app.

By-Law Updates	Property Tax		
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Committee and Council Meetings	Recreation Programming and Registration		
Council Decisions	Road Closures		
Emergency Services (Fire/Police)	Small Business Initiatives		
Grants and Funding Opportunities	Waste/Recycling Disposal Information		
Heritage Initiatives	Workshops		
Local Festivals/Events			

Please provide any additional comments.

# TOWNSHIP NEWS

## **Upcoming Meetings**

Can't attend in person? Tune in to Council and Committee meetings on YouTube. The Township's channel is "Township Leeds".

#### February 2023

- Committee of the Whole February 6 at 6:30 p.m.
- February 13 at 6:30 p.m.
- Committee of Adjustment February 28 at 1:00 p.m.

#### March 2023

- Committee of the Whole March 6 at 6:30 p.m.
- Council March 13 at 6:30 p.m.
- Committee of Adjustment March 28 at 1:00 p.m.

### **Senior Moments**

The Lansdowne Seniors meet every Wednesday for February and March at the Lansdowne Community Building, 1 Jessie Street, Lansdowne. A pot luck lunch and meeting will begin at noon. Euchre and Bingo will start at 1 p.m. Everyone is welcome. Stay warm. Be safe. Marilyn and Richard.

The Seeley's Bay Seniors meet every third Wednesday of the month at 12:00 p.m., at the Seeley's Bay Legion, 116 Bay Street, Seeley's Bay. For details, call 613-387-3750.

### St. Lawrence Parks Commission

St. Lawrence Parks Commission (SLPC) and Elizabethtown Snowmobile Club (ESC) have entered into an agreement to conduct a pilot project whereby ESC will groom a multi-use path in the winter months for mixed recreational use. Snowmobilers must have a Trail Permit. Questions and feedback on the pilot project can be directed to www.parks.on.ca/contact.

#### Committees & Council

Are you interested in knowing more about the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands Council and Committees? The 2023 Council & Committee Schedule can be found on our website here: www.leeds1000islands.ca/en/governing/ Agendas-and-Minutes.aspx. Council agendas are posted by the Thursday prior to the meeting here: https://leedsthousandislands.civicweb.net/Portal/ Default.aspx. Sometimes meeting agendas, dates or times may change and we make every attempt to notify you of these changes.

Did you know that you can attend a meeting in-person at our Township Office or virtually through our livestream? To participate in a meeting in-person, pre-registration is required. Please contact the Clerk's Department at 613-659-2415 ext. 231 or clerk@townshipleeds. on.ca. to register. Seating for public attendance at meetings is limited to fifteen (15) seats at this time. To participate in a meeting virtually, please visit our CivicWeb portal here: https:// leedsthousandislands.civicweb.net/Portal/Default. aspx. Past Council and Committee meeting videos can be found on our Township YouTube Channel: www.youtube.com/channel/UC23hvzYw4\_ paOPTiYNvBLPA.

# TLTI News & Updates

All burn permits for 2022 are expired. Renew or apply for a burn permit for 2023 by completing the online form at lti.burnpermits.com.

2023 dog licence tags are available for purchase at the Municipal Office. If you woul like to have your dog tag mailed to you, please complete the dog licence application on the website and send a self-addressed stamped envelope, with a \$25 cheque payble to "Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands".

Come. Join Us... O O O O













