



Weekly Update

WEEK OF APRIL 29, 2024

Administration Services

- A report regarding the allocation of funding for eligible cemetery grant program applications will be brought forward to Council at the May 6 Committee of the Whole meeting.

Corporate Services

- Special Event Permits
 - The Special Event Permit for the Black Creek Rodeo, scheduled for May 24- 25 in Lansdowne, is close to completion.
 - The Special Event Permit for the Kingston Ottawa Paddling Race, set for August 10 in Seeley's Bay, is scheduled for approval, with parking details to be confirmed with the event organizer.
 - A Special Event Permit has been received from the Lansdowne Agricultural Society for the Lansdowne Fair, July 18 – 21.
 - Staff have been corresponding with event organizers regarding Special Event Permits for Red Canoe Fest, June 1 and Canada Day, July 1 in Seeley's Bay.
- Community groups are invited to submit their content for the next TLTI Publication by May 17. Please send submissions to commsupervisor@townshipleeds.on.ca.
- TLTI is currently seeking additional garbage bag tag vendors. If your business is interested in selling bag tags and earning commission, please contact deputytreasurer@townshipleeds.on.ca or call 613-659-2415 ext. 201.
- For a list of local and area events, please refer to our [calendar](#).

Fire Services

Fire Services

- Fire Services responded to 9 incidents. 2 public service, 1 mutual aid assistance to Front of Yonge for a grass fire, 1 fire (grass), 2 burn complaints, 1 remote alarm, 1 medical and 1 investigation.
- Stations 1 and 2 participated in the Community Clean-Up in Lansdowne and Seeley's Bay.
- The Annual General Meeting was held at Station 1 on April 29. 73 members were in attendance; this was the largest member turnout for a general meeting.



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Fire Services cont'd

Fire Services

- The Ontario Fire Chiefs Association Conference and Trade Show is being held in Toronto from May 1 - 4. Chief Prior, DC Latimer, and FPO Richardson, along with other officers and firefighters are attending.
- The training schedule has been completed for July - December 2024.
- The annual SCBA Flow Testing is scheduled for June 19 and 20.

Regional Training Center

- The final training day for off-site delivery of Firefighter II to Augusta, FOY, and Prescott will be held on May 4th. However, the exam that was originally scheduled for May 5th had to be postponed by Academic Standard and Evaluation due to a shortage of proctors. A new date for the exam is yet to be determined.
- Course preparation work is being completed for the upcoming commercial cooking and NFPA 1041 Instructor I courses for OFC instructors.

Fire Prevention

- A follow-up inspection was completed with the Building and Planning Department for overdue orders.
- Two campground inspections were completed.

Operations & Infrastructure

Administration

- 43 new Service Requests were received through our [Customer Portal](#), and 8 existing requests were resolved.
- the Roads Crew completed 21 Work Orders; the Parks & Facilities Staff completed 5 Work Orders/Inspections.

Environmental

- Small Water system
 - Kendrick's, Centennial, and Seeley's Bay Harbour are ready for the season opening on the May long weekend.
- Waste Disposal Sites
 - Annual Stats Canada survey completed and submitted.
 - A meeting was held with the Lansdowne village collection contractor.



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Operations & Infrastructure cont'd

Parks

- Hard surface multi use courts are open.
- Seasonal mowing has started.

Roads

- Seasonal weight restrictions have been lifted.
- An emergency road closure for Marble Rock Rd took place due to downed utility line.
- Gravel road grading continues.

Planning & Development

Community Improvement Plan Applications

- Applications are currently being accepted for the Community Improvement Plan until Friday, May 31. Information regarding the available incentives is available on the Township Website, [Community Improvement Plan - Leeds and the Thousand Islands \(leeds1000islands.ca\)](http://leeds1000islands.ca).

Public Meetings

- Information regarding each meeting is available at the links below:
 - Monday, May 6 at 6:00pm- Zoning By-law Amendment to allow a sleeping cabin on the second floor of an existing garage [311 Stratford Road](#).
 - Monday, May 13 at 6:00pm- Zoning By-law Amendment to allow a lot with no improved public road frontage to be developed with a single detached dwelling [Unopened Road Allowance at the end of Beaver Road](#).