



WEEK OF MAY 13, 2024

Administration Services

- The Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands has granted an exemption to Noise By-Law 22-049, Section 2, Subsection 2 to the Black Creek Rodeo taking place at the Lansdowne Fair Grounds in Lansdowne on May 24th to 26th from 8:00 a.m. and 1:00 a.m.

Corporate Services

- Special Event Permits
 - The Special Event Permit for the Black Creek Rodeo, scheduled for May 24- 25 in Lansdowne, is in the final stages of approval.
 - A Special Event Permit is being reviewed for Red Canoe Fest on June 1 in Seeley's Bay.
 - A Special Event Permit has been received from the Lansdowne Agricultural Society for the Lansdowne Fair, July 18 – 21.
 - A new Special Event Permit has been submitted for weigh in station for a Fishing Derby on June 23 in Lyndhurst, hosted by the Kingston Avid Anglers.
 - The communities of Lansdowne and Lyndhurst will be in full bloom this weekend. The Lansdowne Agricultural Society (LAS) is hosting its annual plant sale on Saturday, May 18, from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. on the fairgrounds. Stop into the "Meet you in Lyndhurst" Annual Summer Kick-Off Event, which hosts a plant sale, sidewalk sales, and a variety of yard sales.
 - Remember to attend TLT's Touch a Truck event on May 21 at the Township office (1233 Prince St., Lansdowne). Student and school tours will take place from 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., followed by a Non-Sensory Quiet Hour from 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. with the activities going until 6:00 p.m. Bring the family out to explore the big machines and meet the operators. Enjoy the BBQ and donate to the ROLL Aid Food Bank.
- For a list of local and area events, please refer to our [calendar](#).



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Fire Services

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- Fire Services Responded to 9 incidents. 3 burn complaints, 3 medicals, 1 fire (vehicle), 2 motor vehicle accidents.
- The UCLG Mutual Aid meeting was hosted at Leeds Station 4 / RTC on Tuesday, May 14. Three suppliers and approximately 55 Chiefs, Officers, and Firefighters from Leeds and Grenville were in attendance. The guest speaker was Cecilia from Leeds Grenville Victim Services. She spoke about the organization's work and how emergency services can contact them during emergencies.
- The process of changing to a new records management system for Fire Services called FirePro2 has started. This will help the service change to a cloud-based system for storing emergency incidents, fire prevention reporting, and compensation.
- Firefighters held a Mother's Day brunch at Station 1 on Mother's Day. \$435 was collected in donations to Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Leeds and Grenville.

Regional Training Center

- The Railway 101 Course is scheduled with Canadian Pacific Kansas City Railway for June 29 at the Leeds RTC. Invitations have been sent to all UCLG Chiefs.
- Offsite certification testing was performed at Augusta Fire Services for the NFPA 1001 Firefighter II.
- The Fire Chief met with the new Deputy Chief from Rideau Lakes Fire regarding training opportunities and rentals of the RTC.

Fire Prevention

- Fire Prevention visited Sweets Corners Elementary School. Four firefighters attended the class and discussed outdoor safety, hugging a tree if you're lost, campfire safety, and wearing life jackets.
- 10 Conditional Burn Permits were approved.
- A meeting was arranged with the Jefferson County Fire Coordinator and the Thousand Island Bridge Authority to discuss coordinating incident responses during summer construction on the Hill Island bridge.
- Charges were laid for an uncontrolled burning.



WEEK OF MAY 6, 2024

Operations & Infrastructure

Administration

- 33 new Service Requests were received through our [Customer Portal](#), and 22 existing requests were resolved.
- The Roads Crew completed 26 Work Orders, and 17 Work Orders/Inspections were completed by Parks & Facilities staff.

Facilities

- Fire station's
 - HVAC contractor site meetings held at Stations 2 and 3.

Parks

- Kendrick's
 - Canteen set up and operational.
 - Washroom timers have been set.
- 1 Jerry Street
 - Diamond prepped and light test completed for opening.
 - Splash pad tested and opening.
- Furnace Fall
 - Washrooms set for opening, May 17.
- Roads
 - Seabrooke Road upgrade project planning.
 - Preparation for Touch A Truck event underway.
 - Village sweeping started.

Planning & Development

- Public Meetings
 - Monday, June 3 at 6:00pm, application for Zoning amendment to satisfy condition of approval for agricultural land, [2414 Outlet Road](#).
- Community Improvement Plan
 - Applications are currently being accepted, until the May 31 deadline,