

# SENIOR MOMENTS

Marilyn and Richard from the Lansdowne Seniors **miss you all**, but are waiting until the Covid-19 situation improves before they begin planning a get together.

CPHC's **Senior Centre Without Walls** is a phone program where seniors can participate in **trivia, bingo** and other **fun activities** during the week. Each session lasts 45 – 60 minutes. All programs begin at 2:00 p.m, each day. To participate, call at 613-342-3693 or 1-800-465-7646 ext. 2311.

The **Seeley's Bay Seniors Club** will meet once restrictions have lifted on every 3rd Wednesday of the month at the Legion. Brown bag **picnic lunches** will be provided for all who show!

# YOUTH ZONE

The **Youth Bursary Program** is accepting applications until **March 31, 2022** for graduating or recently graduated TLTI youth. The program awards a modest bursary to the top three applications received to assist post-secondary education or an apprenticeship. To get more details and complete your application, visit **visit [www.leeds1000islands.ca/YouthServices](http://www.leeds1000islands.ca/YouthServices)**.

Jerry Park **Outdoor Rink in Lansdowne** is open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. as weather and local public health guidance allows. Visit our Facebook Page, @Twp.Leeds1000Islands to stay updated!

# FAMILY FUN

**EarlyON Child and Family Centre** are **temporarily closed** for in-person indoor/outdoor programs, and will be shifting to supports and services via phone 1-866-433-8933 ext. 2374, email [childrenservices@uclg.on.ca](mailto:childrenservices@uclg.on.ca), Facebook Messenger @CSUCLG and video based programs.

**Family Day** is on February 21st! Looking for some **activities** to do with the **family**? Be sure to check out the **TLTI Library** to borrow some snowshoes or board games for the weekend! Use this day to take a hike with your family, snowshoe together, watch a movie or play a few games! All items from the libraries are free to borrow with a valid Leeds and the Thousand Islands Library Card.

# DID YOU KNOW...

The Leeds and the Thousand Islands **Historical Society** (LTIHS) are sending out their Newsletters for February. For **news and updates** please check their website at [lthistoricalsociety.org](http://lthistoricalsociety.org). LTIHS invites you to visit the **Springfield House Facebook Page**. They have joined together with other Township community members and organizations to support improvements to this valuable historic property.

The **ROLL-Aid Centre** is a volunteer organization based in Seeley's Bay that **distributes food and household supplies** monthly to those in need throughout the Township. We welcome new clients! All that is required is your identification verifying your name and address and some information about your household. Your privacy and confidentiality is our top priority. If you feel you could benefit from the services, we encourage you to contact us. All **food pick-ups** are coordinated in our parking lot; if you live outside Seeley's Bay and are unable to attend in person for monthly pick-up we can arrange for delivery to your home one Wednesday each month, please ensure you identify this need with our administrator. For more information, please contact:

ROLL-Aid Centre, Royal Canadian Legion Branch #491 | 116 Bay Street, Seeley's Bay, ON K0H 2N0  
[rollaidcentre@gmail.com](mailto:rollaidcentre@gmail.com) | Facebook: ROLL Aid Centre (Non-Profit) | 1-613-770-2935

# THE TOWNSHIP TIMES

## February and March 2022

### News & Updates

- The Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands is pleased to open its **Community Grants Program** in 2022. Please note the following dates:
  - Spring intake opens **February 1st**. Application form can be accessed on our website under Governing; Grants and Funding. **Deadline** to apply is **April 1st**. Grants awarded by Council in May.
- The Township is actively **recruiting!** Visit or subscribe to the Current Opportunities page to be notified of upcoming opportunities.
- Please see the **COVID-19 page** on the Township's website to stay updated on how **pandemic restrictions** affect Township services. Staff are available through all phases of the pandemic. Contact 613-659-2415/ toll-free 1-866-220-2327 or email [info@townshipleeds.on.ca](mailto:info@townshipleeds.on.ca)
- On-street **parking** is prohibited from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. annually from December 1 - April 1 inclusive on all TLTI roads.
- All burn permits for 2021 are expired. Renew or apply for a **burn permit** for 2022 by completing the online form at [lti.burnpermits.com](http://lti.burnpermits.com).
- 2022 **dog license tags** are available for purchase at the Municipal Office. If you would 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 \$25.00 cheque payable to "Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands."

### Interim Property Tax Bills

**Interim property tax bills** will be issued in February 2022. If you do not receive an interim property tax bill by March 1, 2022, please contact the Township office at 613-659-2415 ext. 202 or by email at [taxutilities@townshipleeds.on.ca](mailto:taxutilities@townshipleeds.on.ca) to confirm your mailing address and to receive your bill. Please note that the interim property tax bill payments are **due March 18, 2022**.

### Upcoming Meetings

Tune into the following **Committees** and **Council meetings on YouTube**. The Township's channel is "Township Leeds".

#### February 2022

- Committee of the Whole  
*February 7 at 6:30 p.m.*
- Council Meeting  
*February 14 at 6:30 p.m.*
- Committee of Adjustment  
*February 22 at 1:00 p.m.*
- Economic Development  
*February 23 at 4:00 p.m.*

#### March 2022

- Committee of the Whole  
*March 7 at 6:30 p.m.*
- Council Meeting  
*March 14 at 6:30 p.m.*
- Economic Development Committee  
*March 23 at 4:00 p.m.*
- Committee of Adjustment  
*March 29 at 1:00 p.m.*



*Come, Join Us...*



To submit information, email  
[businessadmin@townshipleeds.on.ca](mailto:businessadmin@townshipleeds.on.ca)  
or call 613-659-2415 ext. 207



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# COMMUNITY EVENTS

Saturday, January 29

**Frost Fest** is modified due to Covid-19. A **silent auction** will start on Facebook at 4:00 p.m. and will end on February 5th at 4:00 p.m. Visit @SeeleysBayFrostFest on Facebook for more information.

Tuesday, February 1

**P.A Day** for all UCDSB & CDSBEO students.

**TLTI Community Grant** Program Opens!

Saturday, February 5

**Frost Fest** is holding a take-out **Roast Beef dinner, a colouring contest** and **Lawn Art Contest**. Visit @SeeleysBayFrostFest on Facebook for more information.

Fishermans Hardware, **Ice Fishing Derby**. Starts at 6:00 a.m. **Registration** is \$25 or free for kids. Email info@FishermansHardwareAndAuto.shop.

Sunday, February 6

TIWLT **snowshoeing**. Email info@tiwlt.ca for meeting place and time.

Saturday, February 12

Join the Church of the Redeemer from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for a **Valentines Food Drive Drop**. Contact Hugh Grant hcg@ripnet.com or 613-923-2337.

Monday, February 14

**Valentine's Day!**

Wednesday, February 16

**Snow Moon Snowshoe!** Bring your own or borrow a pair of snowshoes to enjoy an evening snowshoe on the night of the "Snow Moon" full moon. Contact the TLTI Recreation Assitant for more details.

Sunday, February 20

TIWLT **snowshoeing**. Email info@tiwlt.ca for meeting place and time.

Monday, February 21

**Family Day**; Statutory Holiday; TLTI Office & Waste Sites are closed.

Celebrate Family Day with LTIPL as they host a **live virtual puppet** show at 10:00 am. Puppeteer Mike Harding will be entertaining us with one of his original puppet shows. Email staff@ltipl.net to sign up.

Monday, February 21 to 27

**Heritage Week!** Fun Fact, TLTI used to have four schools: Front of Lansdowne Maple Grove, Emery Secondary, Willowbank Secondary and Rockport Secondary School.

Sunday, March 13

**Daylight Savings**. Remember to change your clocks. The Leeds and 1000 Islands Fire Service reminds you to change the batteries in your smoke detectors.

Monday, March 14 to 18

**March Break** for all UCDSB and CDSBEO students.

Tuesday, March 22

First day of **Spring!**

**Science Cafe** with Brian Henderson, former head of Upper Canada Village gardens is speaking about pre-confederation gardens. Join us at 7:00 p.m. via zoom. Email info@tiwlt.ca for the link

Thursday, March 31

**Thousand Islands Sports** and the Gananoque Flag Football League is open for registration. Click "Sign Up" on our Facebook to register, it closes March 31. Contact us at GananoqueFFL@gmail.com or (613) 909-1789.

The **Youth Bursary** Program **Closes!**

## TLTI LIBRARY

The **TLTI Public Library** introduces **two new digital resources** for our community; Overdrive Magazines and Transparent Language Online.

**Overdrive Magazines** provides access to thousands of full colour digital magazines. Access these resources on the Libby app, or by visiting [odmc.overdrive.com](https://odmc.overdrive.com).

**Transparent Language Online** allows you to explore a new language in the comfort of their own home. Create an account at <https://library.transparent.com/ltipl> or by downloading the Transparent Language App.

If you need help accessing these resources please call your local library branch.

# LYNDHURST, SEELEY'S BAY & DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Lyndhurst, Seeley's Bay & District Chamber of Commerce is an impressive 80 members strong. Since 1993, the rural Chamber of Commerce continues to assist its business members with promotion, education and support, to strengthen our business community and local economy. Plans are underway to co-host a **Second Annual Rural Business & Agricultural Expo** in June 2022. New businesses and organizations are always welcome! For more information, visit [www.lyndhurstseeleysbaychamber.ca](http://www.lyndhurstseeleysbaychamber.ca). Call 613-928-2382, or email [info@LSBChamber.ca](mailto:info@LSBChamber.ca).

## TLTI RECREATION PROGRAMS

- **Fit and Fabulous 1** is designed for adults to help improve aerobic capacity, strength, flexibility, balance and coordination. The Winter/Spring session runs from 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. until April 1 (on Zoom during COVID-19 related closures) at the Lansdowne Community Building. Participate 1-3 times per week on Monday, Wednesday and/or Friday.
- **Fit and Fabulous 2** is designed for older adults and is slower paced than Fit and Fabulous 1. The Winter/Spring session will run from 10:45 - 11:45 a.m. until April 1 (on Zoom during COVID-19 related closures) at the Lansdowne Community Building. Participate 1-3 times per week on Monday, Wednesday and/or Friday.
- **Seeley's Bay Fitness** is a full body workout for beginner and intermediate level. Modifications will be offered to make exercises more challenging or more simple. This class runs Tuesday evenings from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Pending COVID-19 restrictions, the winter session runs February 1 - March 8 and the Spring session March 22 - May 25, 2022.
- **Body Blast** stretches your limits and takes your fitness to a new level. This interval training uses hand weights, bands, medicine balls, your own body weight and stepping platforms to strengthen and tone. This class runs from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. starting February 1 to April 12 in Lansdowne.
- **Cardio Box Fit** is a high intensity workout combined with martial arts, cardio and resistance work to improve strength, agility and balance, followed by a toning segment. All levels are welcome at this class in Lansdowne on Thursday's from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
- **Lansdowne Pickleball Club** is an enthusiastic group of players who get together for some fun, exercise, and social interaction. Indoor play during the Winter-Spring session takes place at the Lansdowne Community Building. Find "TLTI Lansdowne Pickleball Club" on Facebook.
- **Introduction to Tai Chi** involves a series of movements performed in a slow, focused manner and accompanied by deep breathing. For details or to register contact [LansdowneTaiChi@gmail.com](mailto:LansdowneTaiChi@gmail.com)

**For more information contact:** [recreation@townshipleeds.on.ca](mailto:recreation@townshipleeds.on.ca) | 613-659-2415 ext. 228

## LANSDOWNE AGRICULTURE SOCIETY

Happy New Year from the **Lansdowne Agricultural Society!** We are hopeful that we can present some form of **entertainment** in July. Please stay tuned for information as it happens. In the meantime, **volunteers are needed** for maintenance work on the grounds, working in the kitchen, carpentry work and many other interesting tasks. If you have some spare time to help us out, please email [lasinfo@1000island.net](mailto:lasinfo@1000island.net). The Lansdowne Agricultural Society would like to thank everyone for their support during these trying times of the pandemic. Hope to see you in July 2022!