

WEEK OF JANUARY 5, 2026

Corporate Services

- Special Event Permit Application is approved for
 - The Seeley's Bay Lions Club Frost Fest event, February 7 to 8, in Seeley's Bay.
- Stay informed. Don't miss knowing about facility closures, meeting/program cancellations, news, public meetings & notices and road/infrastructure notices by subscribing to [eNewsfeature](#) on our website. The information comes right to your email.
- There's lots to do in and around TLTl. Stay up to date by subscribing to our Community Events calendar page. Subscribe to the [calendar subscription page](#).
- Are you a community group or organization open to the public? We welcome you to be listed in the directory on our [Community Groups](#) website page.

Artwork Submissions | TLTl 25th Anniversary

- We are inviting creative individuals of all ages to help mark our 25th year of amalgamation to design an Anniversary Township logo that will be featured on a commemorative flag and other anniversary material. The original deadline of February 1 has been extended to February 13. Submit your artwork to commsupervisor@townshipleeds.on.ca, as a JPEG, PNG, or in paper format, 12 x 12 inch size to the Township office, 1233 Prince St., Lansdowne.

Fire Services

Fire Administration

- Fire Services ended the year 2025 with a total of 483 calls for service. This is 106 calls ahead of 2024.
- Fire services responded to 6 emergency incidents this first week of January: 2 fire alarm activations, 3 motor vehicle accidents, and 1 carbon monoxide alarm.
- The office of the Ontario Fire Marshal has announced its funding allotment to the Leeds Fire Service. Through the Fire Protection Grant, Leeds Fire was granted approximately \$65,000 to support Cancer Prevention. The service is looking to use these funds for washer/extractors and dryers for all stations. The addition of these units will help to prevent the transmission of carcinogens in firefighting gear.

Fire Prevention

- Residents are reminded to renew their yearly burn permit. It's free and easy to do. The [Burn Permit link](#), is available through our website.

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Fire Services cont'd

Fire Prevention cont'd

- Fire Prevention reminds everyone to educate themselves on the new regulations for Carbon Monoxide Alarms, which changed on January 1. Carbon Monoxide alarms are required on all levels of the home. This includes detached and semi-detached homes, townhomes and cottages.

Regional Training Center

- NFPA 1021 Fire Officer I has begun the online portion of the training, and in class training will start in February.

Operations and Infrastructure

Administration

- Bidding opportunities are available for the following:
 - [Provide Janitorial Services to Municipal Facilities](#)
 - [Supply & Delivery of One ½ Ton 4x4 Crew Cab Pickup](#)
 - [Supply & Application of Surface Treatment](#)
- Coming in 2026 – Customers will be able to pay for entranceway, roadcut, and oversize load permits online. Watch our website for the launch date!

Roads

- 4 winter control events,

Register: [Programs - Township of Leeds and Thousand Islands](#). Program questions can be directed to Alex: Recreation@townshipleeds.on.ca | 613-659-2415 ext. 246.

- *New* TLTI Culture, Leisure, Recreation and Sport Expo – February 20, 2026, 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, February 21, 2026 9 a.m. to noon. Come and check it out.
 - Organizations, businesses, and/or groups who may be interested in attending as a vendor sign up with [the link](#).

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- Yoga With Jodi - Wednesdays, January 7 to March 25, 2026, Seeley's Bay Hall, 151 Main St, Seeley's Bay
 - All Levels Yoga - 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Bring your own mat, limited blocks and mats available at the hall.
 - Chair Yoga & Movement Class, 2:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Foldable chairs provided.
- Fit & Fab 1 or Fit & Fab 2 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, January 5 to March 27, 2026, Lansdowne Community Hall, 1 Jessie St.
 - Fit & Fab 1, 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m., & Fit & Fab 2, 10:45 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. Join Wendy in person or virtually! Contact TLTI to register.

Community Recreation Programs in TLTI spaces

- *New* Girls Inc. Programming [Current Offerings | Girls Incorporated of Upper Canada](#)
 - Makers Market Lansdowne Hall Tuesdays 6:00-7:30pm February to April 2026 - Ages 8-12
 - Virtual (Zoom) Book club Mondays 4:30-5:30pm Jan 26 to March 30 - All reading levels welcome
- New* Learn to Play Ultimate Frisbee with Kingston Ultimate
 - Ages 10-14, cost \$10 per player
 - January 24, 2026, from 2:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 - Lansdowne Community Hall, 1 Jessie Street
 - Register: www.kingstonulti.ca
- *New* Youth Soccer skill development
 - Ages DOB, 2016-2018
 - Saturdays, January
 - Register: 1000islandssoccer@gmail.com
- Tai Chi - Canadian Tai Chi Academy, Lansdowne
 - Lansdowne Community Hall, 1 Jessie St,
 - Tuesdays, 9:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. (beginners)
 - Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.
 - Contact lansdowne@canadiantaichiacademy.org to join.

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Operations and Infrastructure cont'd

Community Recreation Programs in TLTI spaces cont'd

- COR Martial Arts | On-going registration - ages 4 and up
 - Fridays, 4:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., Lansdowne Community Hall - 1 Jessie St,
 - Register by emailing, Cormartialarts@gmail.com. View their website at [Lansdowne Cor Martial Arts](#)
- Recreation Working Group Met November 20, 2026
 - To give feedback or connect contact recreation@townshipleeds.on.ca, 613-659-2415 ext. 246 or through the [Recreation Working Group Webpage](#)
- Looking for an indoor birthday party? Need a space to rent for a holiday gathering? Check out our new web page [Facilities and Park Rentals | Township of Leeds & the Thousand Islands](#).
 - Book through our online portal [Facility Booking - Township of Leeds and Thousand Islands](#), or call 613 659-2415 ext. 246, or email Recreation@townshipleeds.on.ca,
- Community Recreation Opportunity
 - The YMCA is offering Group Fitness Instructor certifications - Winter 2026 in Kingston or Brockville. Contact: cassandra.leduc@eo.ymca.ca

Planning and Development

- Dog Tags
 - All dog owners in the Township are required to purchase a dog tag annually. You can purchase a dog tag, using cash, cheque or debit, at the Township office Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. [Ask a Question/Report a Concern | Township of Leeds & the Thousand Islands](#)
- Building Permits
 - A reminder to check the expiry date on your building permits. Permits have a one year expiry date, but can be renewed. The renewal request form is available at [Building Permit Application Renewal - Leeds and the Thousand Islands](#)

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Planning and Development

- Winter Parking
 - To allow snowplows to safely clear roads, no person shall park a motor vehicle on any of the streets, sidewalks, or highways within the Corporation between the hours of 12:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time between the 1st day of December and the 31st day of March inclusive in the year next following
 - The Parking By-law, 23-064, is enforced through Administrative Monetary Penalties, By-law 22-044. The penalty for parking on a Township Road during winter parking restrictions may range from \$40.00 to having the vehicle towed at the owners expense.
 - If your vehicle has been towed, the license plate number, date and towing company information will be provided to the OPP and the Township administration office.