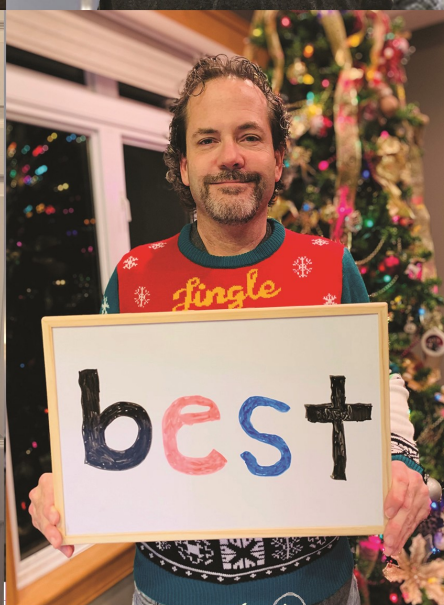
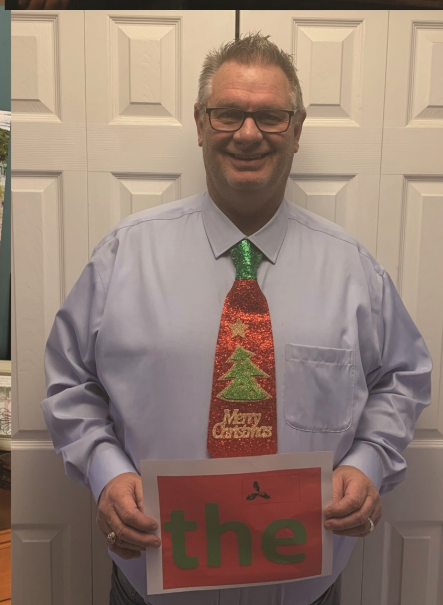


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Sincerely,
Town of Petrolia
Mayor, Council
& Staff, 2020



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CHRISTMAS & NEW YEARS

WASTE COLLECTION SCHEDULE

With the holidays, we will have some amendments to our waste collection pick ups.

Regular Day	For the week of: December 21-25, 2020	For the week of: Dec.28/20 - Jan. 1/21
MONDAY/TUESDAY	AS SCHEDULED	AS SCHEDULED
WEDNESDAY	NO COLLECTION	NO COLLECTION
THURSDAY	Wed., Dec. 23, 2020	Wed., Dec. 30 , 2020
FRIDAY	Thurs., Dec.24, 2020	Thurs., Dec. 31, 2020

From Mayor Loosley, Council and Staff
we wish you all the best this holiday season,
and send warm wishes to you and yours
for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

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GIVE
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Pre-order your
COMMEMORATIVE COIN SET
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Town of Petrolia's 150th Birthday in 2024!

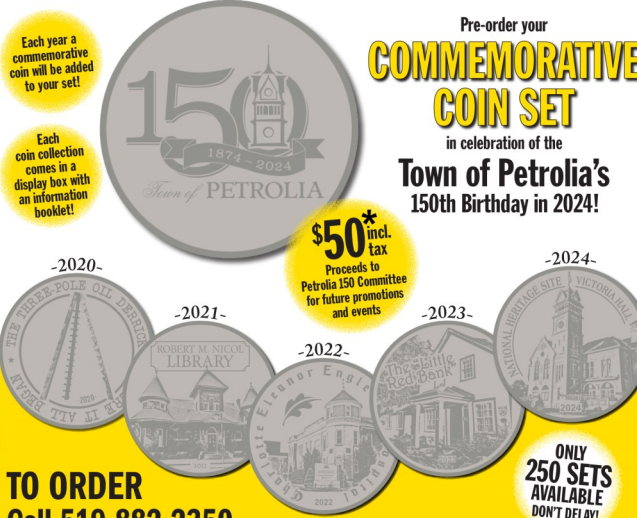
Each year a commemorative coin will be added to your set!
Each coin collection comes in a display box with an information booklet!

\$50* incl. tax
Proceeds to Petrolia 150 Committee for future promotions and events

ONLY 250 SETS AVAILABLE DON'T DELAY!

TO ORDER
Call 519-882-2350
with your credit card ready!

*For shipping please add \$20.



Let's get back to the basics of recycling.

Remember these three rules each time you recycle:

-  1  Recycle all empty plastic bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.
-  2  Keep food and liquids out of the recycling.
-  3  Empty recyclables directly into your cart - NO bagged recyclables.

A helpful guide to keep in mind:

- Please flatten your cardboard and keep it smaller than 36" x 12".
- Rinse your recyclables.
- No masks or gloves.
- Waxed cardboard is not accepted.
- No plastic bags.
- No diapers, or household wipes.
- Styrofoam is not recyclable.
- Any paper items are recyclable but remember to remove personal information prior to recycling.

For more information, please visit: <https://www.wm.com/us/en/recycle-right/recycling-101>

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Jingle
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BUCK\$
\$10⁰⁰

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Great stocking stuffers and perfect for that hard to buy for person

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Limited Quantities Available

CELEBRATE PETROLIA HERITAGE
THIS Christmas
WITH A
Commemorative ORNAMENT

See Petrolia Heritage in full colour on your tree!

A NEW ORNAMENT WILL BE RELEASED EACH YEAR FOR 10 YEARS!

2020

Victoria Hall
Greenfield Street, Petrolia, ON

A late 19th Century public building, Victoria Hall is a fine example of the Queen Anne style architecture of George F. Darnand. Victoria Hall represents the culmination of three decades of achievement in Canada's early industrial development. Originally built to house the Town Hall, an Opera House, Police Station and Fire Hall, today, this National historic site and provincially designated heritage building continues to act as Town Hall, is home to the Municipal Administration Offices and the world renowned Victoria Playhouse Petrolia professional theatre.

ONLY 150 AVAILABLE DON'T DELAY!

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COMMEMORATIVE ORNAMENT
of a Heritage building in Petrolia
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2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029

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Elbee Countryview Estates - Official Plan and Zoning Amendment Public Meeting - Access Information

1. Dial (toll free): 1-855-703-8985 Canada Toll-free
2. Enter the Meeting ID: **December 14/20 only: 826 9149 2166#**
3. Enter the Password: **362454#**

You will now have access to the meeting. Should you wish to participate by video, please visit www.town.petrolia.ca for the link.

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3. Enter the Password: **274486#**

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Contact Information:

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Fire By-Law Enforcement: Open Air Burning—Phone: 519-312-1238

Parking By-Law Enforcement: Phone: 519-312-1238

General By-Law Enforcement: Phone: 519-845-5420 Inspect@county-lambton.on.ca

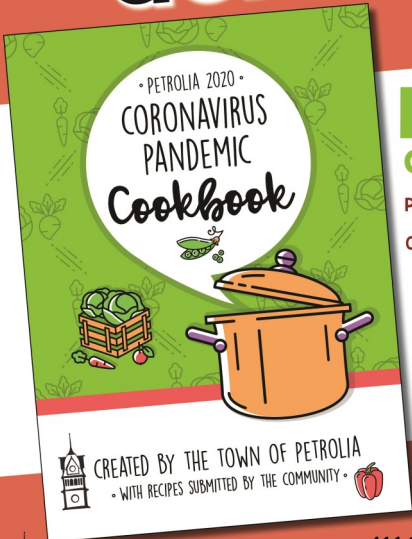
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Autumn LEAF COLLECTION

WEATHER PERMITTING
OCTOBER 15
through
DECEMBER 15
ON YOUR REGULAR WASTE COLLECTION DAY
BETWEEN 9AM & 3PM

NEW! LEAF BAG

NEW! Leaves must be in brown paper bags and placed at curb for collection.
- ONLY LEAVES WILL BE ACCEPTED -



GREENWOOD REC. CENTRE OPEN FAMILY SKATING



**GATHER YOUR FAMILY BUBBLE OR SOCIAL CIRCLE
OF UP TO 10 PEOPLE AND BOOK HALF OF
GREENWOOD REC. CENTRE FOR A FAMILY SKATE!**

30-MINUTE SLOTS AVAILABLE DURING THE FOLLOWING DAYS:

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24 (9AM - 11AM AND 12:30PM - 4PM)

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27 (9AM-6:30PM)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31 (12PM - 9PM)

-PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

-ONE BOOKING PER DAY PER FAMILY

-ONLY FAMILY BUBBLES or SOCIAL CIRCLES OF 10 TOTAL

- \$3 PER SKATER, PAYABLE UPON ARRIVAL

TO REGISTER: EMAIL LELLSWORTH@PETROLIA.CA

REGISTRATION CLOSING AT 4:30 PM ON

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23 FOR ALL EVENTS.

CALL (519)882-2350 FOR DETAILS.

COVID-19 protocols in place, and masks are required.



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Reminder



**In all Petrolia Parks.
Thank you!**



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1. Be kind. Always. 
2. Stay at least 6 feet apart. 
3. Wash hands thoroughly, and often. Sanitize hands. 
4. Wear a mask (if you are able)
Mandatory starting Aug. 14, 2020*
*For details: visit www.town.petrolia.on.ca 

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PLANNER HOURS ADJUSTED AT PETROLIA MUNICIPAL OFFICE

Petrolia is growing again with many current and potential developments on the horizon and is seeing a surge in residential property improvement projects. To continue to provide excellent service to residential, commercial, industrial developers, and residents the Town of Petrolia is pleased to announce that County of Lambton Senior Planner, Rob Nesbitt will be working out of the Petrolia Municipal Office two full days each week.

The County of Lambton and the Town of Petrolia have partnered for more than 20 years with a shared Planner, and Mayor R. Brad Loosley said, "We always strive to provide the best customer service to developers and residents by making the development process easy for them, and by working closely with them to take the guesswork out of new developments or renovations. I am very pleased with the two full days that Mr. Nesbitt is available to our developers and residents, his skills are an excellent asset to Petrolia."

The role of the Planner is to determine the best way to use land and resources. They help draft legislation, plan the construction of new public facilities and buildings, help protect the environment, and suggest zoning regulations for private property. In addition, the Planner meets with public officials, developers, staff, and the public regarding development plans and land use. They gather and analyze economic and environmental studies, censuses, and market research data, and conduct field investigations to analyze factors affecting land use.

Mr. Nesbitt's hours in the Petrolia Municipal Office will be Wednesday's and Thursday's from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. each week. Residents are welcome to visit the Municipal Office on either of these days to speak with Mr. Nesbitt regarding your planning items. Appointments are strongly encouraged and can be arranged by reaching out to Mr. Nesbitt. All COVID-19 restrictions continue to be followed, and as a reminder, masks are required, and those attending in-person meetings are asked to register upon arrival.

Even when Mr. Nesbitt is not working at the Petrolia Municipal Office, he is available at the County of Lambton building, by telephone to (519)845-0801 or by e-mail to rob.nesbitt@county-lambton.on.ca.



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Resident Survey Available Regarding 2022 Petrolia Municipal Election

Petrolia – As staff begin to prepare for the 2022 Municipal Election in Petrolia, a survey has been developed to help them shape the future of voting for the future in Petrolia.

In 2018, eligible voters were given the option to vote by telephone or online, and the Town of Petrolia saw historic voter turnout.

In keeping with our promise to keep residents informed, we are asking for your feedback. A very short survey designed to answer this question has been developed and we ask that residents take a moment to complete it to help us better understand where our residents and business owners' opinions are on this matter.

Survey Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/8KYS85H>

The survey is available until Friday, January 15, 2021 at 12:00 p.m. and the results will be included on a future Regular Council Agenda where it will be discussed.

For those that wish to provide more feedback, please forward any written correspondence you would like to have considered by Council during that meeting to our Municipal Clerk at mpearson@petrolia.ca and it will be placed on the public agenda. Paper copies are available at Town Hall.



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- Public Meetings
- Council Meetings
- Public Open Houses
- and more!

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2. Select Your Interests
3. Enter Your E-mail

Questions? Please contact the Clerk's Office



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dog tags

expire December 31st



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Phone: (519) 882-2350

Please have proof of updated vaccination provided

www.townpetrolia.on.ca

2 dog limit, all dogs are to be licensed each year

Tags can be bought in person during office hours, or mail renewal form in (include additional \$2 for tag return)

Direct questions to clerksdepartment@petrolia.ca

WASTE COLLECTION Reminder to Residents

- Waste/Recycling is to be placed at the curb no earlier than 7:00 p.m. the night before collection
- Please have Waste/Recycling at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on day of collection



For more information on what can/cannot be placed at the curb for recycling/waste collection please visit:
www.townpetrolia.on.ca



GREENWOOD REC. CENTRE PETROLIA

PHASE 1 PUBLIC SKATING SCHEDULE

TYPE	GUIDELINES	SCHEDULE
Mom's Pops and Tots	Tots defined as 6 and under No sticks Skate aids are available*	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 11:00 a.m. to noon
Adult Skate	19 years and older No sticks	Monday, Wednesday, Thursdays from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.
Learn to Play	Children 6 and under with parent or provider Sticks and pucks permitted No aggressive play Helmet, and gloves are mandatory at minimum	Fridays from noon to 1:00 p.m.



⇒ Maximum number of people at any individual event = 10 (Entrance restricted once limit is reached) ALL SKATER MUST PRE-REGISTER by calling (519)882-2350 or emailing lellsworth@petrolia.ca

⇒ All Greenwood Recreation Centre COVID-19 safety measures will be enforced.

⇒ Masks are mandatory on and off the ice for everyone over the age of 2.

Given the COVID-19 reduction in capacity, and due to the additional time between users for sanitation, residents are advised that, at this time, Sunday Public Skating will not be available.

A full list of regulations can be found at www.townpetrolia.on.ca/news

Please call (519)882-2350 with any questions.

An update to this schedule will be posted once available. \$3 per skater, \$6 per family



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WINTER MAINTENANCE NOTICE

Snow Removal

- Under the Highway Traffic Act Section 181 - Deposit of snow on Roadway, states that “No person shall deposit snow or ice on a roadway without permission in writing to do so from the Ministry of Transportation or the road authority responsible for the maintenance of the road.”
- This generally applies to the snow that accumulates in laneways from precipitation and from private or municipal snow plowing operations, those who insist on plowing snow from private property onto public roads can be fined

Overnight Parking

- Residents are reminded there is no overnight parking on Town streets between 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m.
- This allows for the Town’s Road Crews to plow the roads safely and efficiently, we ask that you please abide by the by-law and be considerate of the road crews when they are out doing their best to keep our roads open and in safe condition

Parking on roadway

- Under the Highway Traffic Act Section 170.

Vehicles interfering with traffic

(12) Despite the other provisions of this section, no person shall park or stand a vehicle on a highway in such a manner as to interfere with the movement of traffic or the clearing of snow from the highway. R.S.O. 1990, c. H.8, s. 170 (12).

Sidewalks

- Under By-Law Business owners are required to maintain the front area of their storefront, this includes the removal of snow
- The Sidewalk Plow will make its way through Town once permissible, Roads are the priority for Works Crew once they are clear Sidewalks

Sporting Equipment

- Please ensure all sporting equipment ie: hockey nets, basketball nets are removed from the curb & roadway

Your co-operation is appreciated

Mike Thompson
Director of Operations