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SUNDAY, NOV. 3, 2024

WITH GRATITUDE FOR THOSE THAT SERVED. ON BEHALF OF MAYOR R. BRAD LOOSLEY,

COUNCIL AND STAFF

Upcoming Changes to Waste and Recycling Collection



Starting week of December 2, 2024

2 New Carts delivered November 18-29

Collection day will remain the same.







We are always here to answer your questions!

Please call us at (519)882-2350 from Monday—Friday, reach out to us on Facebook or Twitter or send an e-mail to petrolia@petrolia.ca!

Do you want the monthly Petrolia Connection delivered to your e-mail inbox? Send an e-mail to petrolia@petrolia.ca!

BY-LAW CONTACTS

Water related Emergency, call 1-888-522-0117, Public Works Emergency (non water), call 519-882-2351 General By-Law Enforcement, call 519-845-5420, Parking Enforcement, call 519-845-5420, Animal Control, call or text -519-312-1322, or reach us through our online portal https:// petrolia.civicweb.net/Portal/CitizenEngagement.aspx





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NOVEMBER AT A GLANCE

- 2- Optimist Craft & Gift Sale at L.C.C.V.I.
- 2- Kiwanis Stride for Youth Walk/Run
- 2- Compost Transfer Site Open (8:00am-noon)
- 3— Petrolia 150 Birthday Party at the YMCA (1:00-3:00pm) FREE SWIM
- 3— Remembrance Day March and Service at Cenotaph (2:00pm)
- 11- Service of Remembrance (11:00am) Cenotaph
- 11- Remembrance Banquet at the Legion (6:00pm)
- 12– Regular Meeting of Council at Town Hall (7:00pm)
- 13- Lions Gift Card Bingo at Lions Hall (7:00pm)
- 4-Dec. 9- Leaf Collection on regular waste days
- 15 & 16-PBA Downtown Holiday Open House & Winter Wonderland
- 17- Ladies Auxiliary Breakfast at the Legion (9:00am-noon)
- 17-Petrolia 150 Birthday Party at Greenwood Rec. Centre (1:50-2:50pm) FREE SKATE
- 20-Jamboree and Lunch at the Legion (noon-4:00pm)
- 23– St. Paul's United Church 3rd Annual Christmasfest Craft & Gift Show (10:00-3:00pm)
- 26- Lambton Elderly Outreach Diners Club at the Lions Hall
- 30- Breakfast with Santa at Lion's Hall (9:00-11:00am)

Please do your part, and clean up



Dogs are not permitted to run at large or be off-leash in Parks.

Concerns with lost/found dogs, dogs running at large or general dog complaints (example: barking) Please contact:

JSG Animal Solutions (Jeff) at (519)312-1322 (call or text)



RECURRING EVENTS

Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. - Planner Hours at Town Hall

Every Tuesday—Petrolia & Area Kiwanis Meat Raffles at Black Gold Brewery

Every Thursday – Lambton Central Optimist Meat Raffles at Crabby Joe's Petrolia 6-8pm

Every Friday- Royal Canadian Legion Karaoke- 8pm

Every Saturday – Royal Canadian Legion Lunches – 12pm

Third Wednesday – Royal Canadian Legion – Jamboree's – 12-4pm

Second & Fourth Friday—Petrolia Community
Refrigerator—Salvation Army complimentary hot meals served

Third Sunday – Royal Canadian Legion Breakfast – 9am

Every Tuesday—Toastmasters, 7-8 p.m. at St. Andrew's Church, 416 Queen Street

Waste Management Cart Information Meeting

Join us for the Open House Nov 13th

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We're hosting an Open House to help answer any questions you may have about the upcoming changes to our waste, recycling collection program.

Thursday, November 13, 6 - 8 p.m. at the Municipal Office.



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Fully Automated Collection

Begins December 4, 2024

Dear Petrolia Resident,

WM will begin using automated trucks for waste and recycling collection. Carts will be collected weekly.

These trucks use automatic lifting arms to empty carts, making collection efficient and safer for the community.

Two 64-gallon carts will be delivered to each residence over two weeks. Deliveries are scheduled from November 18-29.

WM is excited to provide Petrolia residents with a modern collection system.



Important Service Information

Beginning December 4, 2024, please use your 64-gallon cart with green lid for waste collection and yellow lid for recycling. We encourage residents to optimize the carts and set out for collection when full. Your waste and recycling will be collected weekly.

Proper cart placement for automated collection

Remember to place your carts at least 3 feet apart and 3 feet away from any obstacles (trees, cars, mailboxes, etc.) to allow the automatic arm to lift and empty the carts. Place wheels of cart toward house.





The cart with yellow lid is exclusively for recycling - All recyclables should be placed loosely inside the cart. Do not bag your recyclables or place plastic bags or film plastic in the recycling cart. Containers should be rinsed and free of food and liquid. A list of acceptable items are listed opposite page.



Have your carts at the curb the night before or **no later than 7:00 a.m.** on your collection day.



Use the cart with green lid for waste -

Place your cart at the curb by 7 a.m. on your collection day. You are responsible for cart placement and retrieval. All carts will have a RFID code attached to each address.



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SATURDAY NOVEMBER 23, 2024 10AM - 3PM

The Kitchen will be open with food, beverage and sweets for Sale

A very exciting one day shopping event of handcrafted, homemade, home baked one of a kind treasures made by local talent.

Some gift vendors as well.

Chair Lift Available





call 519-882-1390 or text 519312-6505 carol.stpaulspetrolia@gmail.com FUNDRAISER FOR ST. PAUL'S



PETROLIA Community THEATRE

St. Paul's United Church





Victorian Christmas

Friday, **November 29** at 7 pm Saturday, **November 30** at 2 pm

Get into the Christmas spirit with five short heartwarming and humorous scenes depicting the nostalgia of Christmas in the 1890s with Christmas music in between each vignette. After the show, enjoy a seasonal hot beverage with a decadent selection of sweets.

Performed at

St. Paul's United Church

4169 Petrolia Line, Petrolia

– Chairlift access –



TICKETS \$20 play & light tea



Available from church & theatre members and the church office (519-882-1390)

Or carol.stpaulspetrolia@gmail.com

More info at www.petroliatheatre.com





DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION?

LET US HELP YOU!

THIS IS THE FIRST STEP TO FINDING AN ANSWER FOR YOUR QUESTIONS!

Please ask your question to our friendly administrative staff.



Call Town Hall • 519.882.2350

or visit www.town.petrolia.on.ca or find us on Facebook
If you have further questions:



Ask for the Department Director or the Clerk

If you don't know the department you need, our friendly staff can help direct you.



Do you still need more information?

Please ask for the Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)

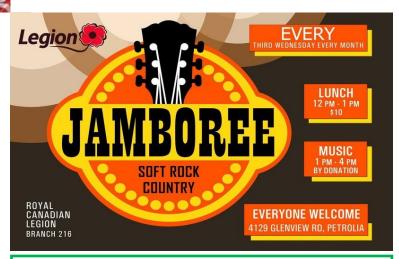


Contact Your Members of Council

Their contact information is available by visiting www.town.petrolia.on.ca/town-hall/mayor-council/



Town Hall Business Hours Monday to Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm If you are still not pleased with the response you are welcome to **Attend a Town Council Meeting**



Do you know what is acceptable to recycle in Petrolia? Have you ever wondered if something you are recycling is supposed to be recycled or thrown away?

Check out www.RORR.com and find out all about it! PS—You can even recycle this newsletter when you're finished reading and sharing it!



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Optimist Club of Lambton Central - Petrolia

CRAFT & GIFT

Saturday, November 2nd 9am - 4pm



L.C.C.V.I. (High School) 4141 Dufferin Ave., Petrolia

LOTS OF GREAT VENDORS!

Start your Christmas shopping early unique gift ideas ~ SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE

FREE ADMISSION

Toonie Table Raffle ~ Door Prizes Food & Refreshments Available

Visit us on facebook or www.lcpetroliaoptimist.org

For more information, please contact:

Optimist Deb Kohoutek d_kohoutek@hotmail.com 519-330-1802

Thank you for supporting our Club and all that we do for the youth & our community!



The Optimist Club of Lambton Central-Petrolia is having a Special Meat Raffle!

Thursday, November 14th

6pm ~ 6 Rounds ~ \$1 per ticket At Crabby Joe's, Petrolia

Plus 'Second Chance' Draws!

For every ticket you purchase, you will receive FREE ballot for a chance to win some great prizes!

Proceeds will be donated to Community Life Centre!

Also, if you wish to bring along youth size warm mittens, gloves, hats or socks, they will be donated as well. Thank you!



Thank you for your continued support of our Club and all that we do for the Youth and our Community!



DRAW DATE

Sun., Nov. 24th ~ 3pm At Heidi's Y.I.G.

RUN DATE

Sun., Dec. 1st ~ 3pm At Heidi's Y.I.G.

Ticket are \$2 each or 3 for \$5

1st PRIZE

5 Minute Run (max. \$1000)

2nd PRIZE

3 Minute Run (max. \$500)

3rd PRIZE

\$200 Gift Card (Heidi's Y.I.G.)

4th PRIZE

\$100 Gift Card (Heidi's Y.I.G.)

Tickets are now available from Lambton Central-Petrolia Optimist Members or find us at Heidi's Y.I.G. Friday evenings, Saturdays & Sundays! If you have any questions, please contact Optimist Ted. G. 519-882-1255

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR CLUB AND ALL THAT WE DO FOR THE YOUTH & OUR COMMUNITY!



Optimist Club of Lambton Central ~ Petrolia



Weekly Meat Raffles

at Crabby Joe's, Petrolia Every Thursday starting at 6pm ~ 6 Rounds

COME & JOIN US ON THURSDAYS!

Tickets only \$1 each

Choice of:

1 of 3 - \$30 Meat Packages <u>OR</u> 1 of 3 - \$30 Gift Cards

Meat Packages & Gift Cards, supplied by Wyoming Foodland

1st Ticket drawn: Choice of Meat Package or Gift Card 2nd Ticket drawn: \$5 Crabby Joe Gift Card

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IODE MEETINGS: Second Monday of the month, except July and August. Please contact Dawn McNally at 519-882-4919 for more information! Visit us at www.iodemargaretstokespetrolia.ca or find us on Facebook!





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Employment Network
Windsor-Essex - Chatham-Kent - Samis-Lambton

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This Employment Ontario program is funded in part by the Government of Canada, the Government of Ontario



STORM WATER DRAINAGE

AND

REAR YARD DRAINAGE

When there is significantly higher rainfall than average, this contributes to increased stormwater levels.

·Higher stormwater levels can overwhelm any drainage systems, leading to localized flooding and other issues. This is a common challenge many communities face due to changing weather patterns.

Public Works actively monitors these significant events and where able take steps to mitigate the impact including increasing the frequency of drain inspections and clearing.

Residents can help by ensuring that leaves and debris are cleared from storm drains near their properties. Simple measures like this can significantly improve drainage efficiency.

·If you notice any blocked drains or flooding, please report it immediately to our public works department at 519-882-2351, we are here to assist you and address any concerns promptly. The municipality is responsible for maintaining and managing public drainage systems, including streets, public parks, and other community areas. This ensures that the public infrastructure functions properly and prevents flooding on public property.

Drainage issues that occur within the boundaries of private property, such as ear yards, are generally the responsibility of the property owner. This includes ensuring proper grading, maintaining private drainage systems, and addressing any water runoff issues.

The reason for this division of responsibilities is that municipalities are not equipped to manage the individual drainage issues that can arise on private properties. Each property has unique characteristics and needs that are best addressed by the property

Some common measures to improve rear yard drainage include re-grading the yard to ensure proper slope, installing French drains, and using rain gardens or other landscaping techniques to manage excess water.

related to water runoff from a neighboring property, we encourage you to discuss the matter with your neighbor to find a mutually agreeable solution.



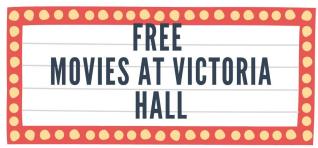
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THE VICTORIA PLAYHOUSE PETROLIA FOUNDATION PRESENTS



VICTORIA HALL, PETROLIA
411 GREENFIELD STREET

Nov. 2- 6:00pm- Nightmare Before Christmas
Nov. 2-8:00pm- Bad Boys Ride or Die
Nov. 3- 2:00pm- The Garfield Movie
Nov. 5- 7:00pm- Ghostbusters- Frozen Empire
Nov. 6-7:00pm- Bridesmaids
Nov. 8- 7:00pm- 1917
Nov. 9- 6:00pm- Inside Out 2

Nov. 9-8:00pm- Fury Nov. 10-2:00pm- Despicable Me 4

Doors open 1/2 hour before the show time!

No tickets needed, no outside snacks or drinks please, entry includes popcorn.

400 person capacity.







Royal Canadian Legion & Ladies Auxiliary Petrolia Branch 216

Remembrance Pinner

November 11, 2024

Beth Hackett

BOURQUE

BrokerLink

Jewn of PETROLIA

Kiwanis

Cocktails at 5:00 p.m. Dinner at 6:00 p.m.

\$25 per meal Meal includes ROAST BEEF, mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetable, coleslaw, dinner roll, dessert

Tickets Available at Legion Branch 216 4129 Glenview, Petrolia or by calling 519-328-4653



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Understanding the Transient Trader (Door-to- Door Sales) Bylaw



Who needs a permit?

Everyone. Except charities.

Do charities still need to register?

Yes.

How will I know if a permit or registration has taken place?

It will be posted on the Town website, on social media, and in the newspaper*/Petrolia Connection*.

How should I report door to door solicitors without a permit in my neighbourhood?

Call: (519)845-5420

If you are feeling intimidated or pressured call the Non-Emergency OPP at 1(800)310-1122

*If enough notice is given.

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HILLSDALE CEMETERY

· NOTICE OF ·

FALL CLEANUP

We appreciate your assistance with this clean up, please be advised that all wreaths, saddles, flowers, etc. placed at the grave are to be removed before these dates to facilitate the clean up.

Any wreaths, saddles, flowers, etc.... that are not weathered or worn will not be removed, this includes items placed for Thanksgiving Remembrance. The Cemetery Manager retains final discretion on what is determined as weathered or worn.

Removed items will be held for thirty (30) days at the cemetery office for collection. Items not collected within thirty (30) days will be discarded. The Corporation shall not be responsible for loss or damage to any removed items.

Items Placed on Graves after the 1st week of November:

Artificial wreaths and monument saddles *without* glass or plastic covers may be placed on the lot after the 1st week of November, provided they are securely fastened to the monument. Where there is no monument, it shall be mounted on a stand of at least 30 inches (76.2cm) high and securely anchored to the ground.

Solar Lights:

Solar Lights are only permitted at the Cemetery from November and April. Any Solar lights placed in the fall shall be removed annually prior to the end of April.

To preserve the proper appearance of the Cemetery, per By-Law 39-2021

A clean up will take place annually the 1st week

of November
prior to Remembrance Day.

All Interment Right Holders are

etc. to facilitate the clean-up.

Please remove all items
prior to October 31st

required to remove wreaths, flowers,

As a reminder these items are not permitted:

- Glass or pottery containers of any kind
- Hanging baskets, trees, hedges, shrubs, flowering or other plants
- Borders, fences, railings, walls or cut-stone coping
- Trellises, arches, or iron rods of any kind
- Home made of hand constructed decorative markers ie: metal signage, bird houses, etc.

Thank you for your co-operation, if you have any questions please feel free to contact the Municipal Office at 519-882-2350.

Mandi Pearson Clerk/Operations Clerk Cemetery Manager



Call (519)882-2350 for more information.

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