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## lest we forget

The Town of Petrolia Municipal Office will be closed on Tuesday, November 11, 2026 in observation of Remembrance Day. Please join us at the Cenotaph in Victoria Park at 10:50 a.m.

Regular hours resume Wednesday, November 12, 2026 and waste collection remains on schedule.







## 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

## 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 twagner@petrolia.ca!

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

Oct 26-Dec 7- Autumn Leaf Collection

Nov 1- Cenotaph Veteran Salute Service Parade at 1:45pm

Nov 1- Sharecrow Community Event at Kerr Park- 2:00-4:00pm

Nov 5-8- Petrolia Community Theatre Presents The Classic Christmas Tale, Yes, Virginia There is a Santa Claus at Victoria Hall

Nov 7-Lambton Central Petrolia Optimist Club- Fall Craft & Gift Show at L.C.C.V.I. -9:00-4:00pm

Nov 7 & 21- Petrolia Farmers' Market Pop Up Market 8:00am-Noon

Nov 11- Remembrance Day Service at the Cenotaph at 10:45m

Nov 17- Dec 6- Starbright Christmas on stage at Victoria Hall

Nov 17-Fashion Show at Christ Church Petrolia at 7:00pm

Nov 20-21- Petrolia Business Association, Christmas Open House- Downtown Petrolia

Nov 28-St. Paul's United Church- Christmasfest Craft & Gift Show 10:00-3:00pm

## RECURRING EVENTS

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

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

Every Wednesday– Royal Canadian Legion Euchre 7p.m.- $6pp

Every Thursday– Royal Canadian Legion– Pepper-1p.m.- $5pp

Every Thursday– LC Petrolia Optimist Meat Raffle at Chuck's Roadhouse 6 p.m.

Every Friday– Royal Canadian Legion Adult Karaoke– Doors open at 7pm

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

Every Saturday (starting May 16)- Petrolia Farmers' Market 7:30a.m.-12:00p.m.

Third Saturday– Royal Canadian Legion Progressive Euchre Tournament– Lunch at noon $8and Euchre starting at 1p.m. $10

First Saturday– Royal Canadian Legion– Kids Karaoke from 5-8p.m.

Third Sunday– Royal Canadian Legion– Progressive Euchre Tournament– Lunch at noon $8and Cards at 1p.m.- $10

Second & Last Saturday– Royal Canadian Legion– Joker Eucher1-5pm– Lunch at 11:30-1p.m.




**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!

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.circularmaterials.ca/resident-provinces/ontario 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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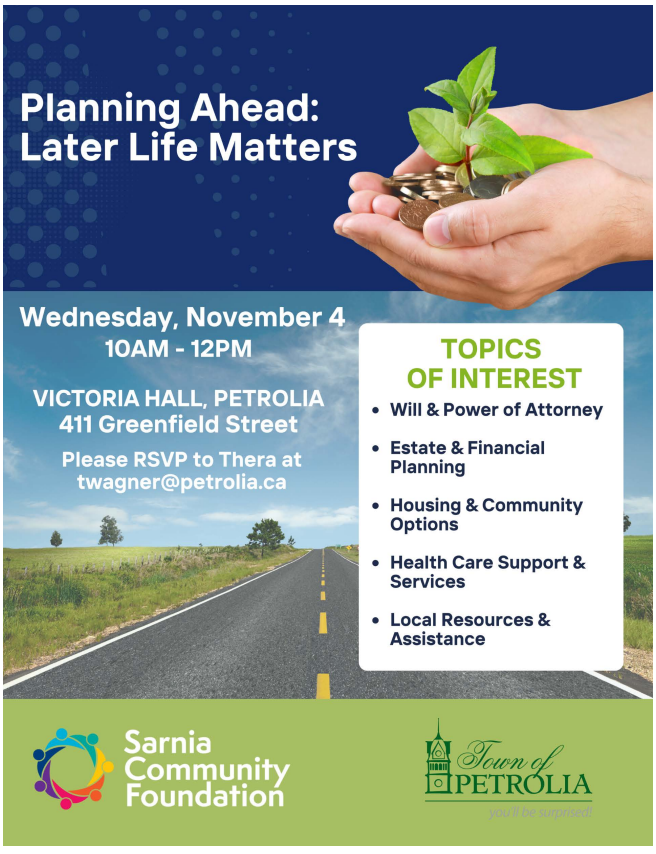
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INVITES YOU TO OUR

# FASHION SHOW

Online Shop
www.countrybarnboutique.ca

IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE COUNTRY BARN BOUTIQUE

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 17, 2026

7:00 PM

414 OIL ST.
PETROLIA, ON N0N 1R0

Optimist Club of Lambton Central - Petrolia

## CRAFT & GIFT SHOW

**Saturday, November 7th**
**9am - 4pm**

L.C.C.V.I. (High School)
4141 Dufferin Ave., Petrolia
Entrance into show from back parking lot

**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!

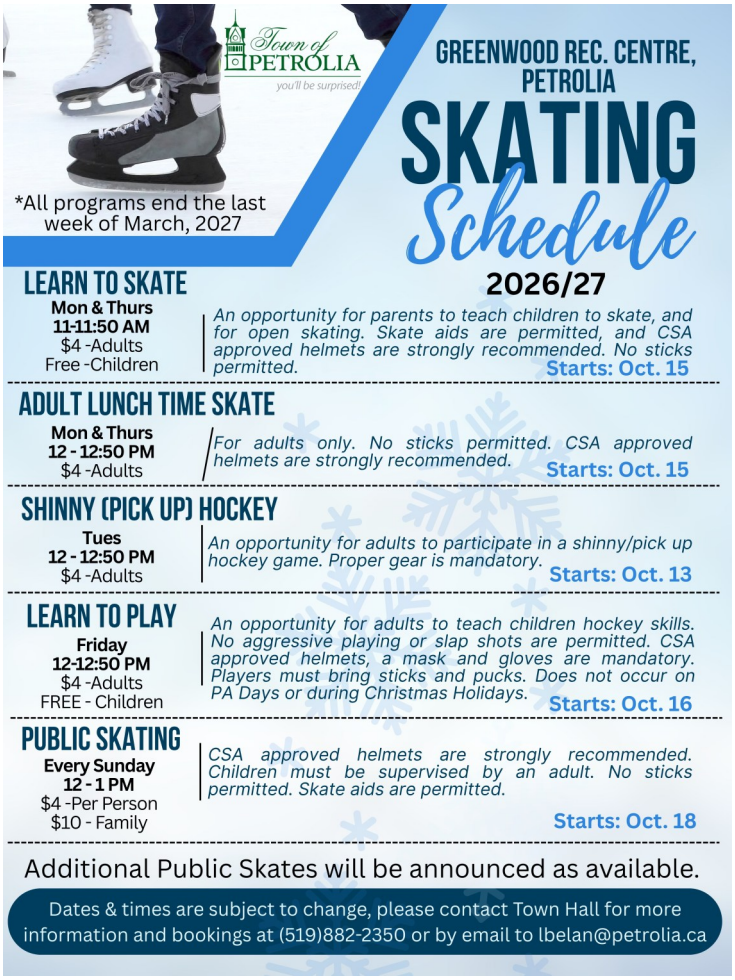


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## DO YOU HAVE A QUESTION?

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/

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**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**

## COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

Looking for a job? *FREE* Employment Consultation

Text: 519-312-3189

WINDSOR REGIONAL Employment Network
Windsor-Essex · Chatham-Kent · Sarnia-Lambton

Canada

EMPLOYMENT ONTARIO

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Town of Petrolia, ON

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## Text the town to find information and report issues!

Text **Hi** To:

**289.769.9799**

Additional Keyword Options:

- Contact
- Water Issue
- Events
- FAQ
- Taxes
- Waste Services
- Report
- Council
- By-Laws

Visit: textmygov.com/opt-in-terms-conditions to view terms and privacy policy info. Msg & Data rates apply. Msg frequency varies. Text STOP at any time to opt-out.

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## 2026 Petrolia Holiday Waste & Recycling Collection Schedule

**Garbage**

Mon., Dec. 21 - No Change
Tues., Dec. 22 - No Change
Wed., Dec. 23 - No Change
Thurs., Dec. 24 - **BOTH THURDSAY & FRIDAY**
Fri., Dec. 25 - **NO COLLECTION, MOVED TO THURS., DEC. 24**

**Recycling**

Mon., Dec. 21 - No Change
Tues., Dec. 22 - No Change
Wed., Dec. 23 - No Change
Thurs., Dec. 24 - No Change
Fri., Dec. 25 - **NO COLLECTION, MOVED TO SAT., DEC. 26**
Sat., Dec. 26 - **FRI., DEC. 25 COLLECTION**

**Garbage**

Mon., Dec. 28 - No Change
Tues., Dec. 29 - No Change
Wed., Dec. 30 - No Change
Thurs., Dec. 31 - **BOTH THURSDAY & FRIDAY**
Fri., Jan. 1 - **NO COLLECTION, MOVED TO THURS., DEC. 31**

**Recycling**

Mon., Dec. 28 - No Change
Tues., Dec. 29 - No Change
Wed., Dec. 30 - No Change
Thurs., Dec. 31 - No Change
Fri., Jan. 1 - **NO COLLECTION, MOVED TO SAT., JAN. 2**
Sat., Jan. 2 - **FRI., JAN. 1 COLLECTION**

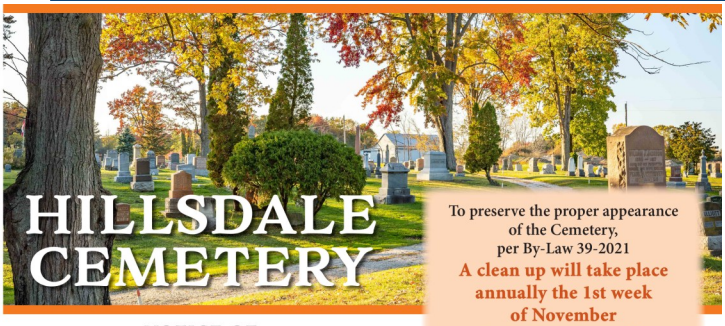
Garbage Collection Concerns: (519)882-4288 Ext. 0
Recycling Collection Concerns: 1 (888)597-1541

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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 required to remove wreaths, flowers, etc. to facilitate the clean-up.

**Please remove all items prior to October 31st**

· 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.

**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







## What Can and Can't Be Composted

### What CAN be composted

**YARD WASTE**
Grass
Leaves
Weeds
Hay/Straw
Annual, Perennial and Vegetable Garden Plants
Fruit Tree Waste
Pumpkins with no candles, paint, or decorations

**BRUSH**
Sticks
Tree branches up to 4" in diameter
Hedges
Vines
Bushes
Corn Stalks
Shrubs

### What CAN'T be composted

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Root bulbs
Dirt
Clay
Tree Trunks
Sawdust
Stumps
Walnuts

**EVERY VISITOR NEEDS A VALID PASS!**

Corporation of the Town of Petrolia 546 Maude Street Leaf & Yard Waste Depot Environmental Compliance Approval (ECA) number A031607

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## CHRISTMASFEST 2026

ST. PAUL'S UNITED CHURCH
4169 Petrolia Line, Petrolia

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 28, 2026**

**10AM - 3PM**

Vendors

Door Prizes

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

Free Admission

Christmas Shopping

call 519-882-1390 or text 519-312-6505
carol.stpaulspetrolia@gmail.com

FUNDRAISER FOR ST. PAUL'S

## PETROLIA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

# Christmas OPEN HOUSE

Friday Nov 20th & Saturday 21st

***Come and visit beautiful Downtown Petrolia for all your Christmas Gift Ideas***

SHOP • DINE • DISCOVER

## OVERNIGHT STREET PARKING ENDS NOVEMBER 15, AND WILL RESUME ON APRIL 15.

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Optimist Club of Lambton Central ~ Petrolia

# Weekly Meat Raffles

at CHUCK'S ROADHOUSE BAR AND GRILL Petrolia

Every Thursday
Starting at 6pm
6 Rounds

COME & JOIN US ON THURSDAYS!

**Tickets ONLY $1 each**

**1 of 3 - $40 Meat Packages**
**OR 1 of 3 - $40 Gift Cards**
Meat Packages & Gift Cards, supplied by Wyoming Foodland

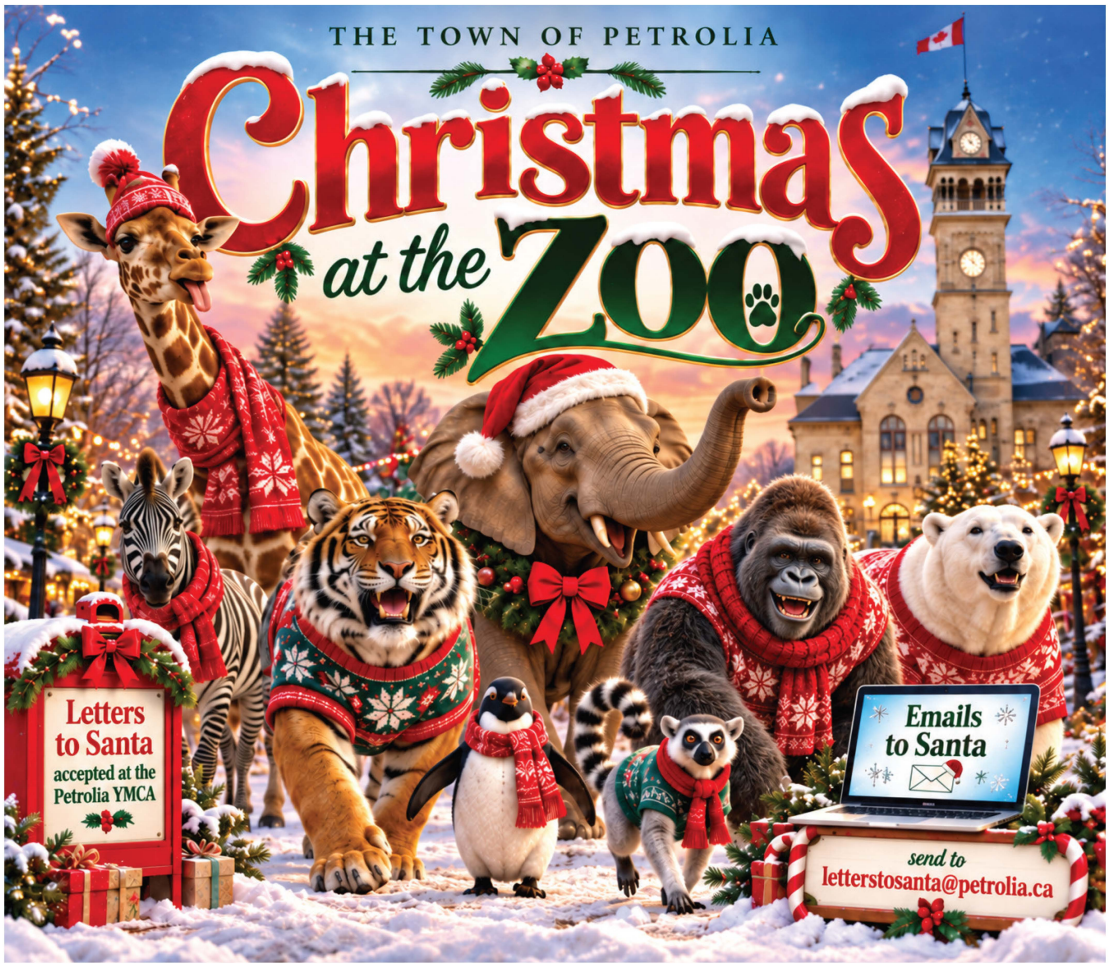
1st Ticket drawn: Choice of Meat Package or Gift Card
2nd Ticket drawn: $5 Chuck's Roadhouse Gift card

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR CLUB AND ALL THAT WE DO!**

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## FRIDAY, DEC 4

6PM-8PM

### CHRISTMAS in Victoria Park

- LIGHTING OF THE LIGHTS 6PM
- DELICIOUS CHILI 6PM
- LAMBTON CENTRAL PETROLIA OPTIMIST The Angel Tree
- Music by Churches of Lambton Band
- WAGON RIDES
- IODE HOT DRINKS -AND- FREE COOKIES

## SATURDAY, DEC 5

9AM-2PM

### PETROLIA CHRISTMAS MARKET

At Petrolia Farmers Market
396 Fletcher Street

Immediately after the Parade
Get your picture taken with Santa
360 Tank Street
The Petrolia Camera Club will be there to take photos!

2PM

### SANTA CLAUS PARADE

THEME:
Christmas at the Zoo
*Throughout Downtown*

During the Parade
Petrolia & North Enniskillen Fire Department
*will be collecting cans for a*
**FOOD DRIVE** for the **Petrolia Food Bank**
*Please bring a food item to the Parade*

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