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Annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon

Community volunteers are invited to Council's annual Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon happening on November 16, 2024, from 11:30 am – 1:30 pm at the Sydenham Legion Hall. Nominations will be accepted for special recognition at the luncheon. Categories are 'Youth Volunteerism', 'Good Neighbour', and 'Dedication Recognition'. Nominations will be reviewed, and one person from each category will receive a special thanks at the luncheon. The luncheon event is open to all South Frontenac residents who have generously volunteered their time during 2024. It is free to attend but RSVP is required. Plus-ones are welcome. To register or to nominate someone for the special recognition, please visit southfrontenac.net/volunteer before November 8.

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2025 Budget Survey – DEADLINE EXTENDED

The deadline to complete the Township's 2025 budget survey has been extended until Friday, October 11. The budget is more than just dollars and cents-it impacts you through the programs and services you receive and is one of the Township's most important strategic documents, serving as a guide for everything we do. Please take a few minutes to complete our short online survey to share your input. Residents can take the survey online at www.surveymonkey.com/r/SF2025Budget.

Spooky South Frontenac House Decorating Contest

It's back for the fifth year running! Decorate your front yard and enter the contest for your chance to win a \$75 gift card to a local business! To enter, you must submit up to four (4) photos of your display by October 27, 2024, and consent to the contest rules and disclaimer. Our panel of judges, the 'Creepy Crew', will rank the entries in three fa-boo-lous categories, the highest-ranking house in each category will win! The categories are:

- Spookiest Most frightening display.
- Give 'Em Pumpkin to Talk About Best jack-o-lantern display.
- Bold & Boo-tiful Best fall/harvest themed display.

The winners will be announced on Monday, October 28. Entries will be promoted on the Township's website and social media pages and families will be encouraged to take a tour of the community and celebrate the spirit! For more information and to enter, visit southfrontenac.net/contest

Preliminary Design Phase for the Reconstruction of Craig Road

In 2024, Council approved the Pre-Engineering Roads 2025 budget, which includes the preliminary design for the reconstruction of Craig Road. Please go to engagefrontenac.ca/craig-road-reconstruction for additional information

Drive-Thru Flu Clinics

We're teaming up once again with the Sydenham Medical Clinic to host two drive-thru flu clinics this fall at our Public Services yard at 2490 Keeley Road. No appointments necessary. Please bring your health card and wear short-sleeves or sleeves that are easy to roll up.

- Tuesday October 22: 10 am 1 pm
- Tuesday November 5: 3 pm 6 pm

For more information, please contact the clinic at 613-376-3327.

NEWS AND PUBLIC NOTICES

Construction and Road Closures

Perth Road – Road reconstruction will commence early October 2024 with an estimated duration of four weeks. Road construction located between Loughborough Lake boat launch and O'Neil Lane. Construction to be completed by Kiley Paving Ltd.

TOWN HALL

Office Closures & Garbage/Recycling

Our municipal offices will be closed on Monday, October 14 for Thanksgiving. All garbage and recycle collection will move one day later the week of October 14 due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

Monday collection moves to Tuesday Wednesday collection moves to Thursday Thursday collection moves to Friday Tuesday collection moves to Wednesday

Our Loughborough landfill site will be closed on Monday, October 14.

Return to Winter Hours

Green Bay WDS will return to its regular hours of Fridays 8:30 am - 4:30 pm on October 18, 2024. Bradshaw and Salem WDS will close for the Winter on December 1, 2024

Reminder: Town Hall Municipal Offices Have Temporarily Moved

Our Town Hall in Sydenham at 4432 George Street have moved into temporary buildings during our renovation. The Town Hall and Council Chambers will be inaccessible during the expansion. Here's how to find us and access

- The main **Reception and Treasury department** have relocated to the Sydenham Library Community Room at 4412 Wheatley St.
- The Building and Planning departments have relocated to the Storrington Centre administrative offices at 3910 Battersea Rd. The Storrington Centre will still be available for community groups to book.
- There is no impact to the Township's **Public Services** department located at 2490 Keeley Rd.
- Council and Committee meetings will relocate to the Storrington Centre starting in September.

The Sydenham Branch of Kingston Frontenac Public Library will remain open on its regular days and times of the week. See the special ad in this week's Frontenac News or the "We're moving" page on our website for specific contact information for teams, individuals and services.

Upcoming Meetings

Here is a list of upcoming meetings:

- October 10 Committee of Adjustment 7 pm
- October 15 Council Meeting 7 pm

Public meetings take place in person or on Zoom (computer and telephone) and streamed live on our Facebook page /SouthFrontenacTwp. Go to the Events Calendar on our website for the link to register.

THINGS TO DO

Service Canada Information Session

On October 30, 2024, from 10:00 am - 3:00 pm, the Storrington Lions Hall will be hosting Service Canada to deliver an information session to help the community apply for the following programs and services: Social Insurance Number (SIN), Employment Insurance (EI), Canada Pension Plan (CPP), Old Age Security (OAS), CDCP - Canadian Dental Care Plan - Application, Community members must RSVP in advance by calling Marie at 613-449-4744 or by emailing mac.wilkins@outlook.com. This is not a Township sponsored event.

Public Skating

Public skating this year at Frontenac Community Arena will be offered on Sundays from 12-1:20 pm and Wednesdays from 9-10:30 am (parents with strollers welcome – stroller wheels must be clean). Skating will cost \$3 per person. A CSA approved helmet with screen is recommended. Public skating may be cancelled from time to time due to tournaments or public holidays. Please call the arena in advance to confirm.

25 Things to Do in South Frontenac – Fall Edition

The Fall edition of 25 Things to Do in South Frontenac is now out. Look for a copy in local retailers or view the online version at southfrontenac.net/25-things-to-do.