



Municipal Newsletter

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Hours of Operation

Monday – Friday
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

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After Hour Trouble Calls

Please call 727-2597

PUBLIC INPUT REQUESTED FOR ROAD UPGRADES

The Municipality of Red Lake is in the process of preparing an application for funding for the improvement of local roadways. As part of this program, public input will be considered during its evaluation. The Municipality hereby extends an invitation to all residents and users of the public roadways in the Red Lake area to provide comments regarding their safety and usage concerns. It will be helpful if respondents provide specific roadway names as a minimum, as well as any other references that may be helpful.

Please direct your replies to rloperations@goredlake.com or by mail to R. Chorneyko, Operations Superintendent, Municipality of Red Lake, P.O. Box 1000, Balmertown, Ontario, POV 1C0.

The deadline for submission of comments is September 5th, 2006.

BEST START PROGRAM NOW AVAILABLE

To give our children their best start, parents need access to quality child care. Ontario's Best Start Initiative will offer care on alternating days for JK/SK students to provide children with the best environments to live and grow.

Best Start will be available at St. John's Municipal Child Care Centre for JK/SK preschool students when school resumes this fall. Until the renovations are completed at the school, children will be welcomed at Red Lake Child Care Centre.

Golden Child Care Centre expanded by 10 toddler spaces and although filled, we are accepting names for the waiting list.

To register your child or for more information, please contact Maureen at 727-2411 or 735-2411.



Council Meeting Schedule

Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 5th, 2006
Tuesday, September 19th, 2006
(start 6:00 p.m.)

Committee of the Whole

Tuesday, September 12th, 2006
(start 12:00 noon)

All meetings are open to the Public. The Meetings will commence at the times noted above.

Delegations will not be permitted at a Committee of the Whole Meeting.

Individuals or groups wishing to appear as a Delegation at a Regular Council Meeting shall submit a request, in writing, to the Clerk not later than 4:30 p.m. on the Wednesday prior to the meeting. The individual or group shall state the nature of the business to be discussed and to which the said person shall confine their remarks.

Agendas can be picked up at the Municipal Office after 3:00 p.m. on the Friday before the Meeting.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION DAY

A Hazardous Waste Day for the collection of household hazardous waste will be held this fall. Watch the Municipal Newsletter for further details.

HELP WANTED – ELECTION WORKERS



Municipal Elections for the Municipality of Red Lake are scheduled for Monday, November 13th, 2006. Unless all offices are filled by acclamation, election workers will be required for the positions of Deputy Returning Officers and Poll Clerks.

Persons who are a resident in the Municipality of Red Lake and are eighteen years of age or older are eligible to apply. Persons with previous experience are encouraged to apply. Interested persons can pick up an Application Form from the Clerk's Office during normal office hours. Applications will be accepted up to and including October 18th, 2006.

You are encouraged to get involved in the upcoming election. Your assistance is vital to the success of the election process.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Shelly L. Kocis, Clerk & Returning Officer, at 735-2096, Ext. 232.

OFFICES CLOSED



All departments under the Municipality of Red Lake will be closed for the **Labour Day Holiday, Monday, September, 4th, 2006.**



Have a safe and happy holiday!

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Fall Registration Night
September 7th, 2006 at 6:00 p.m.
Campbell Curling Rink

Register for all your fall and winter activities.

Strength & Stretch

Thursday's, 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
September 14th to November 16th, 2006
Red Lake Community Centre
Cost - \$40.00

Registration with payment required.
For further information call 727-2064.



For this program, respite care is available through the Community Resource Centre – Red Lake Site at a cost of \$5.00/hour. Please contact the Resource Centre directly to reserve your spot at 727-3576 or 735-2577.



THANK YOU



I would like to take this opportunity to thank all Municipal Employees, Glad Tidings Church & Congregation, local supermarkets, Friendship Centre and all the other volunteers for their generous donations during the Red Lake Emergency Shelter shut-down. It is a true show of community spirit when we understand the barriers some of our citizens endure and reach into our pockets and our hearts to help.

Tracy McFatridge
Ontario Works Welfare Administrator

NUISANCE BEAR CONTACT NUMBERS



Nuisance Bear Concerns
Toll Free Hotline – 1-866-514-BEAR (2327)



Life Threatening Bear Emergencies 9-1-1

A RECYCLING HINT

from the Red Lake Green Committee

Do you regularly throw cardboard boxes into the garbage? Most grocery stores in the area have an ongoing use for grocery boxes. Why not ask your grocer if you could bring to the store any clean, dry mid-sized boxes that you do not need. This would be an excellent way to re-cycle these boxes instead of sending them to the landfill site.

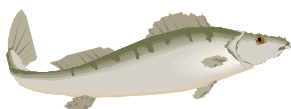
Red Lake re-cycles – in small, but significant ways!



GOVERNMENT DOCK TURNAROUND CLOSURE

The Government Dock Turnaround on Howey Street, will be closed to vehicular traffic during the Red Lake Fall Classic Catch and Release Tournament, commencing 4:00 a.m., Saturday, September 2nd, 2006, to 8:00 p.m., Sunday, September 3rd, 2006. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

On behalf of the Corporation of the Municipality of Red Lake



WELCOME ANGLERS

