# CITY BULLETIN

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**Northern College Haileybury Library** 

# **Council & Committee Meeting**

Committee of the Whole followed immediately by the Regular Council Meeting Tuesday, January 21, 2025 | 3:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

**Committee of the Whole** 

Tuesday, February 4, 2025 3:00 p.m. | City Hall, 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury

Regular Council Meetings are live-streamed on the City's Facebook page.

Question and Answer Period during Regular Council meetings is an opportunity for members of the public to submit questions pertaining to an item on the Agenda, or the business of Council. The questions received by 3:00 p.m. on the meeting day (Regular Council Meetings only) will be read aloud during the Question-and-Answer Period. Members of the public who wish to submit questions may submit in writing or email to

questions@temiskamingshores.ca

Note Any correspondence sent to the Mayor and Council may be included in a Council agenda/package and become part of the public record. Comments or questions submitted via the City of Temiskaming Shores Facebook page, will not be considered, and the moderator of the live-streamed meeting may remove all comments.

For further information contact Logan Belanger, Municipal Clerk:

Phone | 705-672-3363 Ext. 4116

Email | Ibelanger@temiskamingshores.ca

#### City Hall

#### **Proclamation**

The Council for the City of Temiskaming Shores hereby proclaims the following days and respectfully acknowledges the importance of honouring these days in the City of Temiskaming Shores.

January 1, 2025 | Alzheimer's Awareness Month

January 16, 2025 | Alzheimer's Society Flag Raising Ceremony 11:00am at City Hall.

#### **Environmental**

**Ontario Blue Box Transition - January 1, 2025** 

Learn more at: www.circularmaterials.ca/temiskamingshores or visit the city website.

Operational Changes – Recycling Facility (547 Barr Drive)

Effective January 1, 2025, the recycling program in the City of Temiskaming Shores will be managed by Circular Materials Ontario (CMO), under the requirements of the Government of Ontario Blue Box Regulation 391/21.

Effective February 1, 2025, the recycling facility located at 547 Barr Drive will be closed for public use. The depot recycling bins currently located outside of this facility will be relocated to the New Liskeard Landfill (704165 Rockley Road). Any excess recyclable material may be deposited for free at this location.

The City of Temiskaming Shores has entered into an agreement with Phippen Waste Management for the lease of the recycling facility located at 547 Barr Drive from February 1, 2025, until April 30, 2025. Industrial, Commercial or Institutional (ICI) owners currently using the facility or depot bins are encouraged to reach out to Phippen Waste Management to make drop-off arrangements.

The City of Temiskaming Shores is investigating options moving forward as the requirements of the Government of Ontario Blue Box Regulation will change how the current recycling program operates. More information will be provided as it becomes available.

Industrial, Commercial and Institutional (ICI) Curbside Recycling Collection

As of January 1, 2025, Temiskaming Shores' recycling program will be managed by Circular Materials Ontario (CMO), under the requirements of the new Provincial Governments Blue Box Regulation 391/21. Within the regulation, CMO is not required to collect from any ICI establishments, however, will allow the ICI material to be mixed with residential material from January 1, 2025 until December 31, 2025.

Please visit the City's website for further information as to how this will affect your establishment should you be part of the current curbside recycling collection program.

The City of Temiskaming Shores is committed to investigating options moving forward as it is recognized that the new Provincial Blue Box Regulation will have financial implications to the ICI establishments currently part of the program.

**ICI Water Meter Program** 

The City of Temiskaming Shores is scheduled to begin its water metering program as of January 1st, 2025. All properties under the water metering program will be subject to water consumption-based utility billing under By-law No. 2024-058 on a quarterly basis. Thank you for your cooperation.

# Canada Post Strike

Due to the ongoing Canada Post strike, scheduled delivery of individual letters to each property owner under this program may be delayed.

Should property owners under this program have any questions regarding technical matters, please contact:

Jeremie Latour, Engineering Technologist Phone: (705) 672-3363 ext. 4114

Email: ilatour@temiskamingshores.ca

Should you have any questions regarding the water metering program, please contact: Steve Burnett, Manager of Environmental Services

Phone: (705) 672-3363 ext. 4132

Email: sburnett@temiskamingshores.ca

#### **Temiskaming Shores Public Library**

**Library Hours** 

Sunday | Closed

Monday | 10am-5pm Tuesday | 10am-8pm Wednesday | 10am-8pm Thursday | 10am-8pm Friday | 10am-5pm Saturday | 10am-4pm

Monday | 8am-8pm Tuesday | 8am-8pm Wednesday | 8am-8pm Thursday | 8am-8pm Friday | 8am-6pm Saturday | 10am-3pm Sunday | 10am-3pm

Northern College Haileybury Library | Holiday Hours

January 1, 2025 Closed

January 2-3, 2025 | 8:00am-4:00pm

January 4-5, 2025 | Closed

For information about programs visit the calendar on our website. To register for programs contact the Library at:

Phone | 705-647-4215

Email | Info@temisklibrary.com Visit | www.temiskamingshores.ca

Thursday-January 2

Friday-January 3 Weekend Book Sale Saturday-January 4 Weekend Book Sale

Digital Literacy Session

**Digital Literacy Sessions** 

The library's digital literacy sessions are for patrons looking to access help to learn how to use their e-readers, tablets, laptops and other devices. Anyone can make an appointment to learn more about using their smart device. Staff will provide their knowledge and expertise to assist you, and if they are unable to address the issue, will provide guidance for patrons as to where they can go for additional services. Digital literacy session appointments run at 45-minutes intervals to provide specific one-on-one help addressing a patrons' specific question or troubleshooting issue.

PFC Family Pool Passes for Loan

Thanks to a generous donation from the City of Temiskaming Shores' Recreation Department, the Library now has two family pool passes for loan! The passes can be borrowed for 7 days, and allow a family (up to 5 people) free access to the pool at the Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre. Borrowers may take the passes two times in a 12 month period. Holds can be placed on the passes to plan ahead, but there are no renewals.

#### **Programming**

All Age Friendly Programs

Registration required for exercise and mobility class, line dancing and chair yoga. For more information contact:

Lynn Julien | Program Coordinator

Phone | 705-647-5709

Email | ljulien@temiskamingshores.ca

Friday-January 2

Pickleball | 9:00am | New Liskeard Community Hall

Skating | 12:30pm | New Liskeard Arena

Monday-January 6

Aquafitness | 9:00am | \$7.01 | PFC Adult Swim | 12:00pm | \$4.50 | PFC

Indoor Walking | 1:00pm | Northern College Gym-Haileybury

Tuesday-January 7

Women's Exercise Group | 9:00am | Haileybury Arena **Beginner Line Dancing** | 10:00am | New Liskeard Community Hall

# **Animal Services**

# **Notice to Pet Owners**

Fur-Friendly reminder to register your pets!

Annual Pet Tags are due to be renewed as of January 1, 2025. Renewals must be completed at City Hall.

If you have not registered your pet yet, you may still contact the city to register your pet for a license.

Pet Owners of a Dog or Cat must register the Pet with the City of Temiskaming Shores Animal Services. The licensing of pets is one step to encourage responsible pet ownership by properly identifying companion animals in the City. Tags are proof of ownership so animals may be returned to their owners sooner.

# Public Works Services

City of Temiskaming Shores Winter Operations Plan | 2024-2025 View the City of Temiskaming Shores Winter Operations Plan on the city website.

- Please remove all objects, including basketball nets from the roadways and sidewalks. Objects obstruct snow removal and could be damaged if left on the roadway or sidewalk
- Report a problem about snow and or ice online through the Citizen Reporter, located on the City Website.
- ◆ Public Works phone system is now set up for Winter Mode. When you call, 705-647-6220 you will be directed to Public Works between 8:00am - 4:30pm. If busy or after hours the call will automatically transfer to 705-648-5575.
- For issues in regards to Temiskaming Transit please contact Voyago Operations-Temiskaming Shores directly at 705-230-2751.

# **Roadway Service Standards**

To ensure the safety of drivers and pedestrians, major routes are serviced on a 24/7 basis when necessary and are maintained as bare as possible. Secondary routes are attended to regularly, but less often than Priority routes and are maintained in a snow packed condition.

- Priority Road Routes plowing will begin once 5cm of snow has accumulated.
- Secondary Road Route plowing will begin once 8cm of snow has accumulated.

# Sidewalk Service Standards

Sidewalks are maintained in a snow packed condition. When possible sidewalk machines start later than plowing operations, for snow removal and disposal, to address snow that may be pushed onto pathways during snow plowing operations. Not all municipal sidewalks are maintained during winter operations.

- Priority Sidewalk Routes maintenance will begin once 5cm of snow has accumulated.
- Secondary Sidewalk Routes maintenance will begin once 8cm of snow has accumulated.



November 1—March 31 12:00am to 7:00am



#### Recreation/Facilities

Free Public Skating Schedule

Thursday-January 2 | 4:00pm-4:50pm Saturday-January 5 | 6:30pm-7:45pm

Don Shepherdson Memorial Arena | 75 Wellington Street South, New Liskeard

Shelley Herbert-Shea Memorial Arena | 400 Ferguson Avenue, Haileybury Saturday-January 4 | 7:00pm-8:30pm

Wednesday-January 8 | 4:00pm-4:50pm

**Swimming Program Schedule** 

Public Swimming fees are included with a Facility Membership or can be paid for per visit. For more information please contact:

Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre | 77 Wellington Street, New Liskeard

Phone | 705-647-5709

Email | pfc@temiskamingshores.ca.

**Thursday-January 2** 

Sponsored Swim | 2:00pm-3:00pm | Sponsored by: Chevalier De Colomb #8619

Rec Swim | 7:30am-8:30am | 9:00am-11:00am | 6:00pm-8:00pm

Adult Swim | 12:00pm-1:00pm Lane Swim | 3:30pm-5:45pm

Friday-January 3

Sponsored Swim | 2:00pm-3:00pm | Sponsored by: Royal Canadian Legion Branch 54

Rec Swim | 7:30am-8:30am | 9:00am-11:00am | 6:00pm-8:00pm

Adult Swim | 12:00pm-1:00pm Parent and Tot | 3:00pm-4:00pm Lane Swim | 4:15pm-5:45pm

Saturday-January 4

Rec Swim | 1:30pm-4:00pm Lane Swim | 10:00am-11:30am Adult Swim | 11:30am-1:00pm

**Sunday-January 5** 

Rec Swim | 1:30pm-4:00pm **Monday-January 6** 

Rec Swim | 6:30am-8:30am Aquafit | 7:15pm-8:00pm

**Tuesday-January 7** 

Rec Swim | 10:00am-11:30am | 7:15pm-8:45pm

Are you a Water Smart Parent? Check out the Lifesaving Society site and take the test! www.watersmartparents.ca

Youth Gym Admission Policy | Effective January 1, 2025

The starting age for the Waterfront Pool & Fitness Centre is 12. There are no exceptions to this rule. All children ages 12-15 who are using the gym must schedule a Facility Orientation with a Trainer on our Orientation Trainer list.

If you are 12-15 and are a current holder of a gym membership or punch card, your membership will be placed on hold beginning January 1st, 2025 until you can complete an Orientation with one of our listed Trainers. Once completed, your membership will be extended from the days missed.

For questions or concerns contact the Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre at 705-647-5709.

**How to Schedule an Orientation** 

See the Front Desk for a contact of our Facility Orientation Trainers. You are responsible for contacting and scheduling a date to complete your orientation. **Cost of Orientation** 

The cost of the Facility Orientation session is \$50.00 and is to be paid directly to the Trainer completing the orientation. The orientation consists of a detailed tour of the facility, guidance on how to use each machine, and proper gym etiquette.

Completion of Orientation

During the orientation, the Trainer will fill out a checklist. Once complete, the Trainer and a parent or legal guardian must sign off on the completion of your Facility Orientation and liability

Burning Permit Required

What to do after an Orientation

Once you have been signed off, you may purchase a gym membership or a punch card. A punch card must be entered into our computer system. Along with purchasing a membership, all necessary paperwork must be filled out (membership form, Par Q, and liability form).

12-15 Year Old Drop Ins

Drop ins between the ages of 12-15 are not permitted. You must complete a facility orientation

and then purchase a membership or online punch card. 16+ Drop Ins

If you are 16, you are eligible to enter on a drop-in basis, however you may be required to show proof of age, i.e. Health Card, Student Card, Drivers License.

**Memorial Bench Program** 

Applications for the City of Temiskaming Shores Memorial Bench and Tree Program open January 1, 2025. Leave a lasting memory of a loved one by having a bench installed or tree planted in their name. This is a great way to make a low-cost, lasting impact to our community.

Fee includes the bench or tree, plaque, engraving, shipping, installation and applicable taxes.

The application period is from January 1 until April 15 will all installations to take place by September 30. The application form and instructions are available on the city website.

# Winter Holidays | 2024-2025 Schedule

The City of Temiskaming Shores would like to wish everyone a safe

 Dymond Fire Hall - Renewals Only 181 Drive In Theatre Road, Dymond

and happy Holiday Season. For additional information visit the city website or contact: Fire | 911 City Hall Regular Hours | 705-672-3363

City Hall After Hours | 705-647-6220 Pool and Fitness Centre | 705-647-5709

Temiskaming Shores Public Library | 705-647-4215 Phippen Waste Management | 705-647-6217

Website | www.temiskamingshores.ca

City Hall

325 Farr Drive | Haileybury

Tuesday, **December 31** | 8:30am-4:30pm Wednesday, January 1 | Closed Thursday, **January 2** | 8:30 am-4:30 pm

**Waterfront Pool and Fitness Centre** 77 Wellington Street South | New Liskeard

Tuesday, **December 31** | 6:00am-1:00pm

Wednesday, January 1 | Closed Thursday, **January 2** | 6:00am-9:15pm

Temiskaming Shores Public Library 285 Whitewood Avenue | New Liskeard

Tuesday, **December 31** | Closed Wednesday, January 1 | Closed Thursday, January 2 | 10:00am-8:00pm

**Landfill Site** 

704165 Rockley Road | New Liskeard

Tuesday, **December 31** | 9:00am-4:30pm Wednesday, January 1 | Closed Thursday, January 2 | 9:00am-4:30pm

**Curbside Collection Service** 

Pickup times may vary during the Holiday Season.

Wednesday, **January 1** | No Service

Area 3 Collection will take place on Monday, December 30.

Temiskaming Transit

The City of Temiskaming Shores and Voyago Operations would like to wish everyone a safe and happy Holiday Season.

Servicing Temiskaming Shores and Cobalt Area Voyago Operations-Temiskaming Transit | 705-230-2751

Tuesday, **December 31** | Weekday Service Last Bus leaving Walmart at 7:20pm ends in Cobalt at 8:00pm

Wednesday, **January 1** | No Service

Thursday, January 2 | Weekday Service

Plan Accordingly

Locations where Bus Passes can be purchased may be closed or have reduced hours during the holiday season. Ensure you purchase bus passes and/or tickets ahead of time. For additional information contact Temiskaming Transit at 705-230-2751.

# Fire Services

The Temiskaming Shores Fire Department would like to remind all residents of the following: • Before burning, all residents are required to obtain a Burning

Burning Permits are required each year from January 1 to

December 31. Burning during the day IS NOT permitted from April 1 until

October 31. Permitted burn times are between the hours of 6:00pm and 8:00am.

**Permit Fees** 

◆ Annual Permits (Renewal) | \$20.00

◆ Annual Permits (New or altered sites) | \$30.00

**Permit Locations** 

City Hall | 325 Farr Drive, Haileybury Monday to Friday | 8:30am—4:30pm Online

On the City of Temiskming Shores Website www.temiskmingshores.ca under "Resident-Fire Services.

DON'T LET YOUR HABITS GET THE BEST OF YOU!



Smoking is the leading cause of fatal fires during the holidays. All too often alcohol is involved.

**Butt out cigarettes** and cigars in large, deep ashtrays.

Drink responsibly.



Office of the Fire Marshal and **Emergency Management** 

ontario.ca/firemarshal

For more information about fire safety during the holidays, contact your LOCAL FIRE DEPARTMENT.