



TOWN OF WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE "COUNTRY CLOSE TO THE CITY"

FUBLIC NOTICES

**COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2003 - 3:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

**TO CONSIDER AMENDMENTS TO 2003
CAPITAL BUDGET**

***** STREET CLOSURES

At the Council meeting scheduled for June 3, 2003 a by-law to provide for the temporary closure of the following streets will be presented to Council for consideration. Strawberry Festival events:

Burkholder Street from Franklin Street to Park Drive from 12:00 noon June 26, to 11:00 p.m. June 29;

Park Drive South to Burkholder Street and Thicketwood Blvd. from 7:00 a.m. June 26, to 11:00 p.m. June 29;

Main Street from the east side of the railway tracks to Stouffer Street on June 28 from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.;

Blake Street from Main Street to Burkholder Street on June 28 from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.;

Burkholder Street from Blake Street to Franklin Street on June 28 from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.;

Civic Avenue on June 28, 2003 from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Tow away zones are requested for one side of the street on Thicketwood Blvd., Booth Drive, Stuart Street and Lori Avenue for Saturday, June 28, 2003.

***** STREET NAMING

A By-law will be considered at the **3:00 p.m. June 3rd, 2003** Council Meeting for the naming of streets within the Country Walk Phase 3 Plan of Subdivision in Part Lots 32, 33 and 34, Concession 9, east of Park Drive and west of the intersection of Hoover Park Drive and Thicketwood Boulevard. **The proposed names are Harper's Gate Way and James Ratcliff Avenue.**

LIBRARY

Victoria Day Weekend Hours

Saturday, May 17th 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, May 18th 12:00 noon - 5 p.m.
Monday, May 19th 9:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.

For more information call:
905-642-READ (7323)

ELECTION

Free Election Seminar

**Session d'information gratuite sur les Elections
Thursday, June 12th, 2003 - 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
Regional Municipality of York, Administrative Centre
17250 Yonge Street, Newmarket
(west side, between Eagle Street and Davis Drive)**

Understanding the Rules on Campaign Contributions/Expenses and Related Financial Statements

This seminar will be conducted by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing and is available for any candidates in York Region wishing to run for any office in the upcoming Municipal Elections. There have been changes to the Municipal Elections Act, 1996. As a result, all registered and potential candidates for the 2003 Municipal Elections are encouraged to attend. Please note that the presentation will be conducted in English only.

To register for this FREE Election Seminar or for more information, please call Dianne Barnes at (905) 640-1910 ext. 222 or (905) 895-5299 ext. 222. Seating is limited, so please register early.

Ce document est également disponible en français au bureau du Secrétaire, aux Bureaux municipaux de la Ville de Whitchurch-Stouffville.

LEISURE SERVICES

ARTSLINK YORK REGION

You're invited to attend a meeting hosted by Artslink York Region and the Department of Leisure Services to discuss the creation of a York Region Arts Council. The meeting will be held on Thursday May 22, 2003 from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. at the Lebovic Leisure Centre.

For further information, please contact:
Artslink York Region
905-830-4444 Ext. 158
artslink@region.york.on.ca

Summer Camp

We are now offering five kinds of Daycamps for your enjoyment this summer. Our General Adventures Daycamp, Sports Camp, Skatepark Camp, Volleyball/Soccer Camp and Performing Arts Camp. Call us for more information or register at the Lebovic Leisure Centre.

Victoria Day Fireworks

The Vandorf Ratepayers Association, along with the department of Leisure Services, is again offering a Victoria Day celebration of fireworks at the **Vandorf Park on Monday May 19, 2003. The show will begin at dusk.** Donations will be accepted.

Standard First Aid

Make sure you get your certification before the rush. Our standard First Aid/CPR course is recognized by the Heart and Stroke Foundation and WSIB.

Pleasure Craft Operator Card

Boating season is nearly upon us. Now is the time to get your Pleasure Craft Operator Card. Anyone born after April 1, 1983 or driving a powerboat under 4m must have their card to drive. There is one more course left. May 26. No need to wait, sign up now at the Leisure Centre.

SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Clerk's Department requires a well-organized, self-motivated student currently enrolled in By-law Enforcement studies in college to perform a variety of by-law enforcement duties including parking control, enforcement of Town by-laws and typing information. Evening and weekend work will be required. The individual must provide his/her own vehicle. Salary commensurate with experience, plus mileage. Enquiries are to be directed to Keith Saunders, Senior By-Law Enforcement Officer at (905) 640-1900 or 895-2423 Ext. 254 or Michele Kennedy, Town Clerk at Ext. 224.

Apply in confidence with work resume to: Administrative Assistant, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville, Ontario L4A 7X5.

Deadline for resumes is Tuesday, May 20th, 2003.

We thank all applicants and advise only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

WEST NILE VIRUS

The primary responsibility for addressing the concerns with respect to West Nile Virus rests with the Region of York. For further information, please contact the York Region Health Connection Line at 1-800-361-5653 or visit the Region's web site at www.region.york.on.ca.

The Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville is actively undertaking a number of steps to assist in the containment of the West Nile Virus.

These are:

- Working co-operatively with area municipalities and York Region to share pertinent information to assist with the control of West Nile Virus
- Preparing a list of possible mosquito breeding sites and reporting to York Region for mapping and educational purposes
- Reducing mosquito breeding sites on Municipal property
- Assisting York Region Health Services Department in educating Municipal staff regarding reduction of breeding areas and personal protection measures
- Participating in all multi-stakeholder Regional West Nile Virus Control meetings and assisting where appropriate
- Preparing any necessary By-laws to assist with the control of possible West Nile breeding sites

York Region Health Services is offering a West Nile Virus Public Information Open House on Tuesday, May 20th, 2003, at the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville, Council Chambers, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville. Drop in anytime between 7:00 pm and 8:30 pm.

SMALL BUSINESS SEMINAR

sponsored by
**Business Development Office
Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville**
in association with
**YMCA Markham Business Centre
Stouffville Neighbourhood Employment
Resource Centre
York Region District School Board
Human Resources Development Canada**

Delivered by professionals in their respective fields. Designed to meet the needs of individuals at all stages of small business development.

**"Cash Flow & Financial Forecasting"
Stouffville Neighbourhood Employment
Resource Centre**

Tuesday, May 20th, 2003, 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Find out how easy it is to prepare a 12-month cash flow statement for your company. Analyze such factors as seasonality and trends.

Seating is limited. To register, call Stouffville Neighbourhood Employment Resource Centre at (905) 640-2856.

Eligibility:

- *Persons interested in starting a business in York Region or Bradford
- *Unemployed and on Employment Insurance (or Reachback)
- *Any individual interested in developing a new business idea
- *Persons currently self-employed looking for support and information

MUSEUM

The Whitchurch-Stouffville Museum is a proud participant in **May is Museum Month 2003**. Join in the celebrations by...

Supporting the Museum's Building Conservation Endowment Fundraising Campaign!

Museum staff and Volunteers will be holding a Museum Road Toll on Main Street on **SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 17TH**. Donation jars will also be located at the Town Hall, Lebovic Leisure Centre, Bank of Montreal, CIBC and Scotia Bank throughout the month of May. Your support is **DOUBLY IMPORTANT** to us as proceeds will be matched by the Province of Ontario. Interest earned on the investment of this Endowment Fund will support the maintenance and conservation of the Museum's historic buildings.

**2003 Exhibit Opens, Friday, May 16th
A Day on the Farm**

Explore technological advances and changes in farming practices through the 1800s and early 1900s; learn about daily chores for all the members of a farm family; find out what social activities were popular in a rural community and examine the role that clubs and organizations like agricultural societies, the women's institutes and 4H played in providing continuing education opportunities and improving living conditions in rural areas.

Exhibit closes Friday, September 12, 2003.

TAXES

The Second Instalment of the 2003 INTERIM TAXES are due on or before MAY 16, 2003

TAX PAYMENTS may be made by mail or in person at the Town Office and at most Financial Institutions through tellers, banking machines and by telephone. Banking fees may apply. Penalty will be charged and added to your tax account at our office on payments made at the bank after the due dates. After hours tax payments may be made in the drop box at the front west entrance door of the Imperial Building (37 Sandiford Drive).

THE PENALTY charged for non-payment of 2003 taxes is one and one-quarter (1 1/4) percent imposed on the first day of default and on the first day of each month thereafter.

TOWN OFFICE HOURS
MONDAY to FRIDAY, 8:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Ruth Armstrong, AMCT, CMIC
Tax Collector

Stouffville: 905-642-7123
Newmarket: 905-895-2423