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## **NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETINGS**

Council Chamber, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor



Assistive Listening devices available upon request

TUESDAY JUNE 17, 2008
COUNCIL MEETING AT 3:00 PM
PUBLIC HEARING MEETING AT 7:00 PM

### **UPCOMING EVENT**

THE START UP TEAM for Nineteen on the Park! invite you to attend an Evening of Celebration and Discussion.

Wednesday, June 25, 2008 7:30 - 9:00 pm Council Chamber

Participate in roundtable discussions with other cultural stakeholders, business representatives, service club members and interested residents to help us as we lead up to the gala opening of Whitchurch-Stouffville's new Arts, Culture and Entertainment Centre in Spring 2009.

Be a part of the "opening act...ion" and contribute to the fulfillment of the vision for Nineteen on the Park! as a dynamic, inclusive and multi-faceted arts, culture and entertainment centre, programmed by the community, for the community.

## **DECORATION DAY**

#### STOUFFVILLE CEMETERY SUNDAY JUNE 15TH

Service 2:30 p.m. at the Cemetery
Speaker: Rev. Scott Clubine
of EastRidge Evangelical Missionary Church
(in case of rain, service at the church 12485 Tenth Line)

You are invited to the annual Decoration Day Service at Stouffville Cemetery, a non-denominational service celebrating the memory of loved ones. We welcome donations in honour of a loved one. For further information, contact Colleen Clarke 905-640-1910 or 905-895-5299 ext. 225.

## COMMUNITY SATISFACTION SURVEY RESULTS

THE RESULTS ARE IN!

DPRA, a third-party research firm undertook a telephone-based community satisfaction survey of residents across Whitchurch-Stouffville in early 2008.

Over 94% of participants indicated their overall satisfaction with the Town's quality of life and 93% with municipal government services. Services and programs with which residents indicated greatest satisfaction included fire and emergency services, the new waste management contract, including the recently introduced Green Bin program, Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library and leisure and swim programs.

Some local services which the Town could improve upon include road and sidewalk maintenance, traffic control and safety measures, neighbourhood planning and environmental protection.

The survey will be used to help the Town address gaps and will serve as a benchmark for future surveys.

Copies of DPRA's full report are available on the Town's website www.townofws.com or at the Lebovic Leisure Centre, Museum and Town offices during regular business hours.

## RECRUITMENT

#### PROBATIONARY VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS

Whitchurch-Stouffville Fire & Emergency Services is currently seeking individuals who are interested in meeting the challenge and commitment of becoming a volunteer firefighter in the Stouffville or Ballantrae area.

Volunteer Recruit Information packages and application forms may be obtained from:

Fire Station 51, 6392 Main Street, Stouffville Fire Station 52, 15400 Hwy. 48, Ballantrae Municipal Office, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor, Stouffville

Or by visiting "Emergency Services" on the Town's Web Page @ www.townofws.com

For further information call Debbie Brock, Fire & Emergency Services at 905-640-9595, Ext. 229.

Please forward your completed application by Friday, July 11th, 2008 to:

Administrative Assistant, Human Resources, Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th floor, Stouffville, ON L4A 7X5 or fax to: 905-640-9259 or email: chris.paule@townofws.com

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

THE FOLLOWING STREETS SHALL BE CLOSED TO VEHICULAR TRAFFIC DURING THE FOLLOWING PERIODS: Burkholder Street (from Franklin Street to Park Drive) from 12:00 noon on Thursday June 26, 2008 to 6:00 pm on Sunday June 29, 2008;

Park Drive south (to Burkholder Street and Thicketwood Blvd.) from 7:00 am on Thursday June 26, 2008 to 11:00 pm on Sunday June 29, 2008;

Main Street (from the east side of the railway tracks to Stouffer Street) on Saturday June 28, 2008 from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.;

Civic Avenue on Saturday June 28, 2008 from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Burkholder Street (from the entrance to the Lebovic Leisure Centre to Thicketwood Blvd) on Tuesday July 1, 2008 from 4:00 p.m. to 12:00 midnight.

## "TOW AWAY ZONES" VEHICLE PARKING ON ONE SIDE OF THE STREET ONLY

Thicketwood Boulevard, Booth Drive, Stuart Street, Lori Avenue (Thicketwood Blvd. to Stouffer Street), Wheeler Crescent, Park Drive (north to Manitoba Street), Tindale Road, Maytree Avenue, Church Street, Duchess Street, George Street, Warriner Street, Hawthorne Avenue (Tindale Road to Stouffer Street) between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. on Saturday June 28, 2008. Vehicles may be towed.



## JUNE 25 - 29 & JULY 1ST

Visit their website at www.strawberryfestival.ca for a complete listing of events

## **COMMUNITY NOTICES**

WATER BILLS
DUE DATE – JUNE 20, 2008

WATER bills have now been mailed. Those who have not received their bills should contact the Town as soon as possible. Failure to receive a water bill does not eliminate the responsibility for payment of water or the penalty charge for late payment.

WATER PAYMENTS may be made by mail, at most Financial Institutions, banking machines, by telephone and internet or in person at the Town Office, 37 Sandiford Drive, 4th Floor. After hours, water payments may be made in the drop box at the front west entrance door at 37 Sandiford Drive. For inquiries, contact Connie McVicar, 905-640-1910 or 905-895-5299 ext. 242

## ADVERTISE YOUR UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENT IN OUR FALL AND WINTER LEISURE GUIDE FREE OF CHARGE

The guide is delivered in the Stouffville Sun/Tribune and is also available for download on our website. It will cover the period from August 2008 to February 2009.

Events could be anything from performances and shows to registration dates and special events. If you would like your event(s) to be listed, please email leisure.services@townofws.com by June 20th and include the following information: name of the event, date/time/location, brief description of the event and contact information.



# Are you odd? ... or even?

As of May 19th, all of York Region's municipalities are under a Water Conservation Notice, meaning that residents must follow local outdoor water-use bylaws until September 2nd.

Odd house numbers may use water outdoors only on odd numbered days of the month and even house numbers may use water outdoors only on even numbered days of the month.

- Outdoor water use is allowed between 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
- One-month grace period for new sod and seed

#### What about Water Bans?

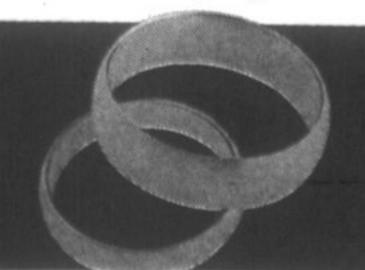
Should hot, dry weather deplete our water supply levels and hamper our ability to handle emergencies (i.e. fighting fires), the Region — or parts of the Region — will be under a Water Ban with no outdoor watering permitted.

Visit www.waterfortomorrow.com for water conservation tips.

For further information, please visit our website at www.townofws.com or call Public Works at 905-640-1910 or 905-895-5299 ext. 306.

## JULY 1 (CANADA DAY) RETAIL BUSINESS HOURS

Please note that retail businesses in Whitchurch-Stouffville are permitted to be open on July 1st (Canada Day) from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. per Region of York By-law LI-8-95-76



THE TOWN IS PLEASED TO OFFER CIVIL MARRIAGES
FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE AT WWW.TOWNOFWS.COM