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# WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE

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# NOTICE OF COUNCIL MEETINGS



Council Chambers • 111 Sandiford Drive

TUESDAY, MARCH 18 Council Meeting – 3 p.m. Public Meeting – 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25
Alternate Public Meeting (if necessary) – 7 p.m.

The agenda for these meetings will be available for review at the Municipal Offices, Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library and on our website at noon the Thursday prior to the meeting. The Calendar of Council meetings for this year is available on our website. Council Meetings will be audio-recorded and broadcast on Whistle Radio 102.7 FM.

### NOTICES

# TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES Main Street – from Park Drive to Market Street

Tuesday, May 13 (rain date May 20) – 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. Thursday, June 19 (rain date June 20) – 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. Thursday, July 17 (rain date July 18) – 4 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Thursday, August 21 (rain date August 22) – 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. Thursday, September 11 (rain date September 12) – 4 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Council will be considering a Staff Report and By-law for Temporary Street Closures at its March 18 meeting. This By-law and Temporary Street Closures are designed to accommodate the merchants, dining and entertainers associated with the Summer Street Series Events. Members of the public are welcome to attend the Council Meeting and speak to the Temporary Street Closures if there are any issues or concerns.

# MUNICIPAL WATER SUPPLY MEETS WATER QUALITY STANDARDS

The Town has received enquiries from residents concerning sales representatives from private companies selling water treatment devices. These sales reps are currently going door-to-door and some are implying that they are working on behalf of the Town. They ask to conduct a water test inside your house using aggressive sales tactics and make claims that the water testing and filtration system is mandatory.

Residents are reminded that the Town does not sell or endorse water treatment equipment. Any Town staff who may need to visit your home will always properly identify themselves with a Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville ID badges and/or uniforms and vehicles. The Town will also provide hand delivered notices, information in the local newspapers and on our website identifying any contractors working on behalf of the Town.

The Town provides clean, safe drinking water which meets all of the Ontario Drinking Water Quality Standards that is tested at an accredited laboratory licensed by the Ontario Ministry of the Environment.

For more information regarding the Town's water system, please refer to the Water Quality Reports (to link to website page) available on our website. Residents are encouraged to contact York Regional Police at 1-866-876-5423 to report misrepresentation of Town staff or aggressive sales tactics.

## NOTICES CONT'D

# CIVIL MARRIAGES AT TOWN OF WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE



Planning a wedding is an exciting, yet sometimes stressful experience. If you've decided on a destination wedding, or if you just want something very low-key and reasonably priced, let us assist you in planning a civil marriage here at the Municipal Offices. Over the years our trained marriage officiants have been part of small, intimate groups of 4 and larger parties of 50

or more. In every situation, our focus is on creating a unique and enjoyable experience for the couple. For more information, contact our Customer Service Centre or visit our website.

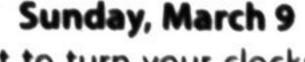
## REMINDER TO RESIDENTS

# **WASTE COLLECTION TIMES**

Residents are advised that GFL has increased the number of collection vehicles within the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville which may result in earlier collection times.

Residents are reminded to have blue boxes, green bins and garbage placed out for collection by 7 a.m. to avoid being missed. The collection contractor will not return for missed collections due to late set-outs. The Town thanks you for your cooperation.

# DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME





Don't forget to turn your clocks forward one hour! This is also a good time to check the batteries in your smoke alarms to ensure they are working.

# **UPCOMING EVENTS**



WHITCHURCH-STOUFFVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARYS



Annual Book Sale

 Opening Evening:
 March 26
 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

 Seniors' Hour (60+):
 March 27
 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

 Regular Sale Dates:
 March 27
 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

 March 28
 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

 March 29
 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

March 30

Location: 2 Park Drive, Stouffville

Lebovic Leisure Centre, Multi-purpose Room



10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Payment by cash or cheque only.

For more information, contact us at: 905-642-READ (7323) or www.wsplibrary.ca

## **UPCOMING EVENTS CONT'D**

# FIND YOUR UNIQUE VOICE: BUSINESS COMMUNICATION WORKSHOP

Wednesday, March 12 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Municipal Offices

Businesses are invited to a workshop to develop confidence in networking and sales by creating and communicating a clear message on the spot. In this interactive workshop you will work on developing your personal message and learn the tips and tricks that will help you communicate with customers, suppliers and peers in the business community more confidently and clearly. Please sign up with Nirvana Champion at ext. 2301 or nirvana.champion@townofws.ca.

# GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS AND RESOURCES FOR ENTREPRENEURS NEW DATE

Wednesday, March 26 from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Municipal Offices

Small business owners and entrepreneurs are invited to attend a session by Canada Business Ontario to learn about the services and programs offered. Whether you're starting a new business, growing an established company or adapting to the changing economic landscape, Canada Business Ontario is your business information connection. You will learn about secondary market research, permits and licenses and sources of financing and more. FREE to attend. Please register by contacting Nirvana Champion at ext. 2301 or nirvana.champion@townofws.ca.

## P.A. DAY SKATE & YOUTH SHINNY Friday, March 7 from 1 p.m. – 3 p.m. Stouffville Arena



Youth Shinny requires full gear including a C.S.A approved hockey helmet. Regular admission prices apply. For more information, contact Leisure Services at 905-642-PLAY.



# ST. PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION FOR SENIORS Friday, March 14 from 10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. WS Public Library

Treats and a special performance by the Irish Dance Studio.

Admission is free!

## **MARCH BREAK FUN**

Monday, March 10 - Friday, March 14

Looking for something to do during March Break? Visit our Community Calendar on our website to find more information about March Break Camps. Please contact Leisure Services at 905-642-PLAY to register.

Hockey Camp
Sports Camp
Junior Power Skating
Family Learn to Skate
WS Museum & Community Centre March Break Camp

# **LEISURE CENTRE & LIBRARY EXPANSION**

Details available online at www.townofws.ca/expansion.



Are you the next Mayor or Councillor for the Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville?

Learn more about the 2014 Municipal Election by visiting our website!

www.townofws.ca/elections

