

# March 2025

eNewsletter - news & updates



## Upcoming Events

See what's happening this **month**.

### Smith Landfill Winter Hours

The Smith Landfill (1480 County Road 18) is now operating on Winter Hours.

- Sunday: Closed
- Monday: Closed
- Tuesday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
- Wednesday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
- Thursday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
- Friday: 9:00 AM - 4:00 PM
- Saturday: 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM.



### Property Tax Installment Due Monday, March 3rd, 2025!

You can pay your property taxes online, in person at our office (1310 Centre Line) or automatically with your Pre- Authorized payment plan.

[More Information!](#)



[Watch Live Council Meetings](#)

### March Council Meetings

- March 4th - 5:00 PM - *Special Council Meeting - Public Meeting: Triple T. Holdings Ltd. - Lakefield South Subdivision*
- March 11th - 1:00 PM
- March 25th - 1:00 PM

Watch Council business from the comfort of your home by visiting the Selwyn Township YouTube Channel.

**Think you missed something at a past meeting?** Recordings are also available!

## Notice of Study Completion – Ward Street

Peterborough County has

completed an Environmental Assessment (EA) to study alternatives for the reconstruction of Ward Street in the settlement area of Bridgenorth due to the removal of the Bridgenorth bypass proposal from Peterborough County's Transportation Plan. The project has been completed as a Schedule 'C' Class EA in accordance with the Municipal Class Environmental Assessment. The study area includes Ward Street (CR18) from Champlain Road to the James Gifford Causeway (CR14).


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## Study Completion

Ward Street, Bridgenorth

The Environmental Study Report is available for review on the County of Peterborough's website for a 30-day review period.

Written comments will be accepted until March 14th.



 Peterborough County

[www.ptbocounty.ca/notices](http://www.ptbocounty.ca/notices)

The Environmental Study Report (ESR) is available for review on the County's website for a 30-day review period following the issuance of this notice. Interested individuals can reach out to Peterborough County's Engineering & Construction Division, or its consultant, Engage Engineering Ltd., for further information or to provide written comments.

**Comment deadline:** March 14th, 2025

[More Information](#)

## We're Hiring!

### Grounds Maintenance Attendant - Seasonal

You'll be mowing lawns, trimming trees, picking up litter, and ensuring our community spaces are clean, safe and beautiful. Plus, you'll help set up and clean up for festivals and events. If you enjoy working with your hands, love being outside, and want to be part of a supportive team, this is the perfect job for you!

**Deadline to apply:** Monday, March 3rd, 2025 at 12:00 PM

[Detailed Job Description](#)



Township of  Selwyn

### We're Hiring!

### Grounds Maintenance Attendant (Seasonal)

Deadline to apply: March 3rd at 12 Noon  
[selwyntownship.ca/employment](http://selwyntownship.ca/employment)

### Lakefield Marina Dock Attendant - Seasonal

You'll assist boaters with docking, provide top-notch customer service, and keep our marina looking its best. From maintaining the docks and gardens to operating the snack bar and handling registrations, every day will be filled with diverse and engaging tasks. If you love being by the water, enjoy helping people, and want to be part of a friendly team, this is the perfect summer job for you!



**Township of Selwyn**

**We're Hiring!**

**Lakefield Marina**  
**Dock Attendant (Seasonal)**

Deadline to apply: March 3rd at 12 Noon  
[selwyntownship.ca/employment](http://selwyntownship.ca/employment)

**Deadline to apply:** Monday, March 3rd, 2025 at 12:00 PM

[Detailed Job Description](#)

## Office Assistant - Summer

As an Office Assistant at the Township of Selwyn, you'll be one of the friendly faces at the front counter, handling inquiries and providing top-notch customer service. If you're organized, love multitasking, and want to be part of a supportive and dynamic team, this summer position is perfect for you!



**Township of Selwyn**

**We're Hiring!**

**Office Assistant - Summer**

Deadline to apply: March 3rd at 12 Noon  
[selwyntownship.ca/employment](http://selwyntownship.ca/employment)

**Deadline to apply:** Monday, March 3rd, 2025 at 12:00 PM

## I.T Support Specialist

The Township is seeking an I.T. Support Specialist who will support the installation, configuration and maintenance of new and existing I.T. infrastructure.



**Township of Selwyn**

**We're Hiring!**

**I.T Support Specialist**

Deadline to apply: March 3rd at 12 Noon  
[selwyntownship.ca/employment](http://selwyntownship.ca/employment)

**Deadline to apply:** Monday, March 3rd, 2025 at 12:00 PM

## Deputy Treasurer

The Township is seeking a Deputy Treasurer who will be responsible for the administration of municipal accounting activities in accordance with the statutory requirements set

under applicable legislation and regulations.

**Deadline to apply:** Monday, March 17th, 2025 at 12:00 PM



**We're Hiring!**

## Deputy Treasurer

Deadline to apply: Monday, March 17th at 12 Noon  
selwynthowship.ca/employment

[Detailed Job Description](#)

# March News & Reminders!



## Selwyn Municipal Grant Program!

The Selwyn Municipal Grant Program application is now available!

**Deadline to apply is March 31st, 2025**

Eligibility information and the application form is now available on our [website](#).

## Half-Load Restrictions in Effect (March 1st to May 1st, 2025)

Seasonal load restrictions are put into place to protect our roads from damage or failure during the spring when the winter's frost is thawing and the snow melt and rain have saturated the road base material.



## March 9th, 2025 - Change Your Clocks, Change Your Batteries!

Clocks will spring forward one hour at 2:00 AM on Sunday, March 9th, 2025 and the Selwyn Fire Department is recommending residents install new batteries in their smoke and carbon monoxide (CO) alarms when they change their clocks!



You can recycle household batteries year-round at:



- Smith Landfill (1480 County Road 18.)
- Selwyn Township Municipal Office (1310 Centre Line)
- Any Selwyn Public Library branch

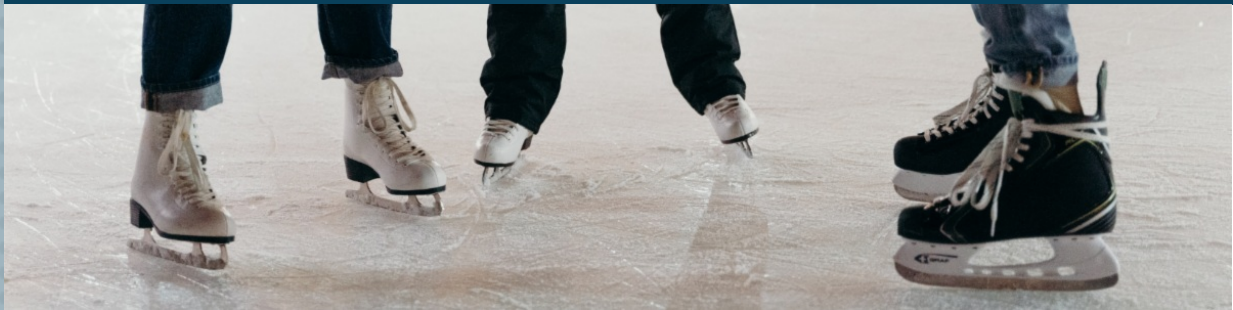
**Fun Fact:** In 2024, the Selwyn battery recycling bins collected 5,268 pounds of batteries!



## Winter Parking Regulations

We remind everyone that there is no parking on all Township roads overnight during the winter season to allow for safe and effective snow clearing.

## Public Skating Programs



### Public Skating Schedule

Thank you to our local businesses for sponsoring public skates this season!

#### **Lakefield-Smith Community Centre** - Saturdays from 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

- Saturday, March 1 - Sponsored by Lakefield Dentistry
- Saturday, March 8 (March Break) - Sponsored by Lakefield Farmer's Market
- Tuesday, March 11 (March Break) from **1:00 PM - 2:30 PM** - Sponsored by The Lakefield Trail Committee
- Thursday, March 13 (March Break) from **12:30 PM - 2:00 PM** - Sponsored by Nexicom
- Saturday, March 15 - Sponsored by Ennismore Optimist Club
- Saturday, March 22 - Sponsored by Terra Firm Construction

#### **Ennismore Community Centre** - Sundays from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

- Sunday, March 2 - Sponsored by Sherry-Lee Georgen Real Estate
- Friday, March 7 (March Break) from **1:00 PM - 2:30 PM** - Sponsored by Bridgenorth Chiropractic
- Sunday, March 9 (March Break) - Sponsored by Selwyn Family Dental
- Monday, March 10 (March Break) from **11:00 AM - 12:30 PM**
- Wednesday, March 12 (March Break) from **12:30 PM - 2:00 PM** - Sponsored by Scott Concrete
- Friday, March 14 (March Break) from **11:00 AM - 12:30 PM** - Sponsored by Bridgenorth Dental
- Sunday, March 16 - Sponsored by Ennismore Optimist Club

- Sunday, March 23 - Sponsored by Causeway Christian Assembly

### **FREE Senior Skating**

Our drop-in senior skate offers a slower paced leisurely skate, which provides a safe environment.

- **Ennismore Community Centre:** Every Monday from 1:00PM to 3:00PM. **Free-of-charge** thanks to our sponsors Blue Diamond Window Cleaning & Swish Maintenance
- **Lakefield-Smith Community Centre:** Every Tuesday and Friday from 9:00AM to 11:00AM. **Free-of-charge** thanks to sponsor The Regency of Lakefield

### **Parent & Tot Skating**

Our drop-in parents & tots skate offers a slower paced leisurely skate, which provides a safe environment. This is a great way to introduce your child to skating. **Fee: \$3/adult**

- **Ennismore Community Centre:** Every Monday from 10:00AM to 11:00AM
- **Lakefield-Smith Community Centre:** Every Tuesday from 11:00AM to 12 Noon

## **Selwyn Firefighter Receives The Lifesaving Award!**

The Selwyn Township Fire Department is proud to announce that one of our Firefighters, Keely McCue-Whetung, recently received The Lifesaving Award given out by the Chief of Police Jeff Skye of the Anishinabek Police Services.

It was in recognition of Keely Mc Cue-Whetung and Wes Coppaway's exceptional actions during a dog attack that occurred April 2024. Their bravery and quick thinking during this incident have made a lasting impact and their efforts deserve to be honoured.

The Lifesaving Award reads:

*"In recognition of demonstrating extraordinary courage in a life-threatening situation and selflessly acting to save a life. Your swift decisive actions reflect the highest standards of professionalism and heroism".*



The award was presented in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario February 13th, 2025.

**Congratulations Keely and Wes!**



## Shamrock Hunt (All Ages)

The Library Leprechaun has lost his shamrocks again! Grab a hunt sheet from the front desk at any branch to help him out. Once you've found them all, turn in your hunt sheet for a chance to win a prize bag for you and your family. There will be one winner per branch. Goes from Friday, March 7 to Saturday, March 15.

## Hello Spring Sign Set

Join us for a social time of sign making. Vinyl will already be cut. You will paint your signs, if you wish, and then apply the vinyl cutouts. All supplies are provided. Large sign is 8 inches by 8 inches. Small sign is 5 inches by 5 inches. Lots of paint colour options. Vinyl cutouts will be white.



**Date:** Thursday, March 27th, 2025

**Time:** 3:00 PM or 6:00 PM

**Cost:** \$25

[Learn More!](#)

[Learn more about the Selwyn Public Library's Programs!](#)

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