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Your

MUNICIPAL BULLETIN

Wentworth - October 2018



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From the Mayor

Hello fellow citizens,

Fall is upon us and what a wonderful summer we passed in Wentworth, filled with beautiful weather and great events. I wanted to express to our staff and the community how proud I am of all the hard work put in on numerous events this summer. We had two "Mayor's Breakfasts" that were a great chance to exchange on some of the projects the town is working on and we were able to raise hundreds of dollars for two of our non-profit organizations. "Wentworth Day" saw a huge turnout with tons of information available but the biggest success of the day was the market. I was very impressed with the quality of artisans we have here and based on sales, I think everyone else was too! We will definitely repeat the market again in the near future. We recently presented "*Argenteuil je me souviens*" to a large audience and had narration from the always entertaining Robert Simard, Historian. Due to the high demand, look for a repeat event this winter with some additional local content. But I think the event that impressed me the most this summer was the "Pub Night Fundraiser" we held to start a scholarship fund. I was overwhelmed by the generosity of our community. You came out in large numbers for the event and we received many donations. All told, we raised just short of \$20,000. An incredible amount, a great first year and an assurance our children can have some of the burden removed from higher education. We'll be working on the details of the fund over the winter and expect to issue our first scholarships for the next school year. Unfortunately due to weather, the "St-Jean-Baptiste Celebrations" had to be cancelled. However, in collaboration with our neighboring Municipality, we offered a free Corn Roast for the inauguration of the park in the Lake Grace sector. I think we can all be proud of our community and I hope we can build off this summer's success in continuing to offer you more and better events.

As part of our "Program for the management of residual materials" obligations, you will probably have noticed the new composting containers installed in the Municipality. As you know, the provincial government requires us to reduce the amount of garbage sent to dumps by 2021. This includes policies on recycling and composting. We are fortunate that the government is allowing us to manage our compost through home composting and the large containers for organic materials (like meat, bones, bread, etc.) that cannot be composted easily at home. The alternative would have been another door-to-door collection and a significant tax increase. I hope you will all do your part to implement these changes. It will take some adjustments but in time will become routine. The good news is that as we reduce our garbage tonnage the government rewards us with bonuses. This year we received \$32,000! Also, the garbage collection contracts are due for renewal and based on recommendations, we will be moving to a new schedule of garbage collection every two weeks. We have reserved the right to move to weekly recycling collection in the future if the need is there.

Finally, just a quick update on some of our major projects. We had a delay on the completion of our plans for the new town hall as we made some cuts to ensure that the budget would be respected. We will go to tender soon with the intension to break ground in spring. We are disappointed with the delay but felt it was more important and responsible to watch our costs. The high speed internet extension to Curran Lake is slowly moving forward but we continue to have difficulty with approval for the line installation. The current estimate is an installation by the end of the year. The larger MRC project is moving ahead well and on schedule and we look forward to big public announcements in the near future.

Until next time, enjoy your families and community and be safe.

Your Mayor,

Jason Morrison




Municipal Council

**Monday Nov 5th
Monday Dec 3rd**

You are invited to attend
your Municipal Council
Meeting held at the
Wentworth Community
Center at 7pm
(86, chemin Louisa)



The switch to standard
time (or winter time)
will take place
**in the night from
Saturday to Sunday,
Nov 3rd to Nov 4th,
at 2 a.m.**

You will have to turn
back the time and
then get an extra hour
of sleep!



Would you like to contact us ?

Several options are available:

By phone, Email or in person

The Municipal Office is open:

Monday to Friday, 9:00am to 4:30pm



MUNICIPAL OFFICE

114 Louisa Road, Wentworth, Qc J8H 0C7

Phone: (450) 562-0701

Fax: (450) 562-0703

Email: info@wentworth.ca

Website: www.wentworth.ca



Tax Department



You may have forgotten

The 3rd installment of municipal taxes was due September 14th. If you have not yet made your payment, please contact the Municipal Office at 450 562-0701 to find out the balance due including calculated interest.

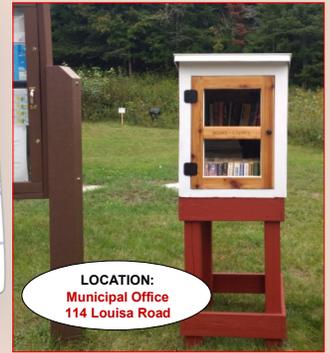
Township of Wentworth...

Where country living is a reality !



NEW!
Another Book Box
is now available in
the neighbourhood of
the Township !

OTHER LOCATIONS:
Neill Road
Boyd Road



LOCATION:
Municipal Office
114 Louisa Road

Thanks to

Mr. Steve Darlington for his initiative and craftsmanship!



Wentworth Day



On **JULY 7th**, "**WENTWORTH DAY**" took place and there were many participating in this great annual celebration! The sunny weather and good humor were also present! Thanks to the local artisans, conference speakers, various kiosks, associations, committees, volunteers, municipal employees, Council members, Fire Department, and Sureté du Québec for a day of information, services, ideas, tips and of course, lots of fun among friends and neighbours.

Finally, **THANKS TO YOU, dear citizens**, for your presence! **See you next year !**





Fire Department

For any **emergency**, call **9-1-1** or for more information or questions about fire safety, kindly contact your Fire Department at (450) 562-0701 ext. 2929.



Fire Prevention Week : October 7th to October 13th, 2018 "It's in the kitchen that's happening!"

Good habits to take...

To prevent a kitchen fire from occurring, fire prevention professionals suggest the following good habits :

- Use a timer;
- Use kitchen tools and cooking equipment (eg.: oven mitts, handle grips, etc.);
- Keep the cooking area clear at all times;
- Keep the lid of the pan handy;
- Handle hot or boiling foods with care;
- Position saucepan handles so they do not exceed from the range;
- Regularly clean the cooking appliances and the range hood;
- Wear safe clothing when using a stove (be careful of loose clothing, easily flammable fabrics, etc.);
- Use an approved fryer equipped with a thermostat;
- Cool the burner of a fondue stove before filling it with fuel;
- Use the barbecue in a safe manner according to the manufacturer's guide.

The mistakes to avoid in cooking...

Most kitchen fires are caused by human error **due to lack of time or space, fatigue or distraction**. Incident analysis reveals several inadequate or inappropriate behaviors in cooking. Here are some examples :

- Prematurely switch on the stove heater;
- Undervalue the speed of cooking of certain foods;
- Move a pan in flames;
- Take care of other tasks or be distracted while cooking (eg.: answering phones, watching TV, etc.);
- Forget to close the heating element after cooking;
- Put combustible objects near or on the cooking surface, such as cardboard boxes, paper towels, dish cloths, grocery bags, etc.;
- Temporarily put combustible objects in the oven (eg.: pizza boxes).

Many unfortunate events can be avoided by simple preventive actions. Enjoy safe cooking !

Important! Never try to extinguish an oil fire with water! The addition of water supplies and spreads the fire!



Your Fire Department wishes you a safe and colourful autumn season!

Brian Morrison

Fire Chief

Phone: (450) 562-0701 ext. 2929

Email: bmorrison@wentworth.ca

To learn more, visit www.securitepublique.gouv.qc.ca



TEMPORARY GARAGES (TEMPO) - Temporary garages(Tempo) are permitted **as of October 1st**. They must be installed at least 4.5m from all lot lines and cannot impede visibility on corner lots.

A maximum of 2 temporary garages per residence is authorized. Enjoy the season !



TO REPORT ANY EMERGENCIES, INFRACTIONS OR ANY INCIDENTS IN RELATION TO PUBLIC WORKS AFTER OPENING HOURS, **AT ALL TIMES DIAL 9-1-1**

GOOD NEIGHBOURS **ECO**CENTER

(40 Sideline Road, Gore)

FALL-WINTER SCHEDULE

Saturday & Sunday, 9am to 4:30pm

Visit our website to know all about the accepted and non-accepted materials: www.wentworth.ca

GOOD NEIGHBOURS **ECO**CENTER





THE GREEN BULLETIN



Residual Materials Waste Management across the MRC of Argenteuil

Launch of on the **3-2-1-0 Strength in Numbers** campaign, a regional initiative to count down to Zero Waste

On July 4th, the MRC of Argenteuil and its nine local municipalities including the Township of Wentworth, launched the **3-2-1-0 Strength in Numbers**. The purpose of the campaign is to promote the different waste management services offered on the territory and to change our behavior, helping us to adopt good habits. Ultimately, the campaign aims to engage us in making a commitment to reduce the amount of waste we send to landfill.

In the MRC of Argenteuil, every time we sort our waste, we think about what we throw away, recycle or compost. Are you ready ?

Recyclable materials - What can I put in my blue bin ?

Cardboard: cardboard boxes, egg cartons, milk and cream cartons, multilayer containers (Tetra Pak, such as juice and milk boxes), disposal coffee cups, toilet paper and paper towel rolls.

Paper: newspaper, circulars, magazines, catalogues, envelopes, paper bags, phone directories, notebooks, wrapping paper, brochures, promotional inserts.

Metal: cans, covers and lids, aluminum foil, aluminum pie plates, aluminium cans (returnable or not). Note: aluminum can pull tabs are collected to raise money for *Les Bons Déjeuners d'Argenteuil*.

Plastic: All plastic items with the three-arrow triangle recycling symbol and the numbers 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7.

Glass: Food containers (bottles and jars) of all colours. Wine and beer bottles.

Organic waste - What can be composted ?

Kitchen waste (dry/brown matters):

Fruits, vegetables, meat and cooked fish, seafood and mollusk (including shells), bones, leftovers (pasta, rice, sauces, cakes, pastries), bread, cereals, dairy products, coffee with filter, tea bag, egg shells.

Others: pizza boxes, cardboard contaminated with food, paper towels, used paper napkins and tissues, hair, animal fur.

Green waste (wet/green matters):

Cut grass, dead leaves, branches (less than 1 centimeter in diameter and less than 60 centimeters long), flowers, plants (with soil bark, wood chips, saw dust, weeds).

What are the different ways to compost ?

- **Backyard composter (at home):** Green waste and Kitchen waste (**except** meat, fish, mollusks & shells, bones, cheese and dairy products, bread and pasta, ashes, rhubarb leaves, nuts and peanuts, fats and oils, plastics, metals, pet waste, cat litter).
- **Grasscycling (at home):** Leave grass clippings on the lawn after mowing. Mow your leaves in the fall instead of raking them. These techniques will provide your soil and plants the necessary minerals for the winter.
- **Community composting (voluntary basis):** All organic waste (kitchen waste and green waste).



3 new community composters are now available in Wentworth:

- At the Municipal Office - 114 Louisa Road (next to the Fire Hall)
- At the intersection of Dunany Rd. & Boyd Rd.
- At the intersection of Glen Rd. and Charlie Chaplin Rd.

To find out more about waste management: www.3-2-1-0.com or call the Municipal Office at 450 562-0701

COUNTDOWN TO OUR GOAL: ZERO WASTE.....3-2-1-0 Go!

- ♻️ Be a wise consumer by minimizing waste at its source
- ♻️ Recycle paper and cardboard, glass, plastic and metal by putting it in your blue bin
- ♻️ Recycle organic waste through backyard composting, grasscycling or municipal compost
- ♻️ Reduce food waste
- ♻️ Recycle certain renovation materials
- ♻️ Opt for bulk items or those without much packaging
- ♻️ Move from disposable to sustainable products
- ♻️ Use natural cleaning products and explore alternatives to toxic products





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- ◇ Reminders & other interesting news !



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Chewy Oatmeal and Pumpkin Cookies



Ingredients (24 cookies)

- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 1/2 cup quick-cooking oatmeal
- 1/2 tsp baking soda
- 1/2 tsp cinnamon
- 1/4 tsp salt
- 1/2 cup soft butter
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1/2 tsp vanilla extract
- 1/2 cup pumpkin puree
- 1 cup raisins

Directions

Preheat oven to 350°F (175°C).

Combine flour, oatmeal, baking soda, cinnamon and salt. Set aside. In large bowl, cream together the butter with the brown sugar and the sugar. Stir until smooth. Whisk in the egg, vanilla, then the pumpkin. Gradually pour into dry ingredients and mix just enough to combine. Add the raisins. Scoop spoonful of dough on ungreased cookie sheets. Bake 8-10 minutes. Wait 5 minutes before transferring cookies to a wire rack to cool completely.

Bon appétit !



FAMILY AND SENIORS POLICY



Organized by



A healthy basket in your community

**LOW-COST FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES
DELIVERED TO WENTWORTH (EVERY 2 WEEKS)**

  8.50 \$	  13 \$	  19 \$
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Would you like to order a healthy basket ?

To get more details and order your healthy basket, contact Johanne at the Municipal Office at 450 562-0701 (ext 2928) or by Email at info@wentworth.ca



Centre intégré de santé et de services sociaux des Laurentides



INFLUENZA VACCINATION CAMPAIGN 2018

Argenteuil Sector

(no appointment clinic)



Stay away from the flu. Get vaccinated!

To learn more, visit www.santelaurentides.gouv.qc.ca

HARRINGTON

Community Hall
2811 Route 327

**Tuesday
November 6th
9:30am to 11:30am**

GRENVILLE

Community Hall
21 Tri-Jean street

**Wed November 7th
1:30pm to 7:30pm
Wed November 28th
1:30pm to 7:30pm**

GORE

Community Hall
2 Cambria Road

**Wednesday
November 21st
9am to 3pm**

LACHUTE

Carrefour d'Argenteuil
505 Bethany Avenue

DATE	HEURE
2 novembre	9h00 à 16h00
9 novembre	13h00 à 20h00
14 novembre	9h00 à 16h00
15 novembre	13h00 à 20h00
17 novembre	9h00 à 16h00
23 novembre	13h00 à 20h00
30 novembre	13h00 à 20h00
5 décembre	9h00 à 16h00
12 décembre	13h00 à 20h00



ACTIVITIES

in the neighborhood of the Township



BINGO NIGHT

Friday October 19th at 7pm
(Bingo starts at 7:30pm)

Admission \$10 (includes 10 cards)
Non-monetary prizes

Wentworth Community Center
(86 Louisa Road)



S.A.Q. permit
Refreshments

Everyone
Welcome!

Information: June Parker (450) 562-8664 // Lois Armitage (450) 562-9625

HALLOWEEN PARTY for all, Kids & Adults !!!

Friday, October 26th at 6h30 at the Wentworth Community Center (86 Louisa Road)

Come and discover the «Witch's Trail of Terror!»



Games, prizes, snacks & scary fun!

Carved Pumpkin Contest

Info: Natalie Black 450 495-0331

Candy donations welcome



RESERVE DECEMBER 1ST ON YOUR CALENDAR !!!
IT'S A DAY OF CELEBRATIONS IN WENTWORTH !!!

Ho! Ho! Ho!

SANTA ARRIVES AT WENTWORTH!

CHRISTMAS PARTY - Kids 10 years and under
Saturday Dec 1st, from 10am to noon
At the Wentworth Community Center (86 Louisa Rd.)



Bring a small gift wrapped with
your child's name for Santa to give

Info: Karen Graham 450 533-4690

UGLY SWEATER PARTY



In the evening, it's the
parents' turn to have fun!

You will soon be advised
on all details!

BRIDGE NIGHT



Every Thursday
at 7:30pm at the
Wentworth Community
Center

For information:

Bob Mason
Tel: (450) 533-4721

Richard Lauzon
Tel: (450) 533-6267



ST.AIDAN'S
Anglican Church
(86 Louisa Road)

Services: 3rd Sunday
of each month at 11am

PROTECTION OF THE MOTHER OF GOD MONASTERY
Orthodox Archdiocese
(168 Louisa Road)

Divine Liturgy
Every Sunday at 10:30am

