

# THECLURRENT

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# BURN PERMITS

#### **RECREATIONAL BURNS**

Recreational burns (campfires) are to be contained in a fire-resistant enclosure of metal or stone. These types of fires can be no larger than 2' by 2' by 2' or 60cm by 60cm by 60cm. Fuel must only consist of dry untreated wood, no pressure treated lumber or plywood, no grass clippings and never any garbage.

#### **OPEN AIR BURNS**

Open air burns are for the disposal of small amounts of dry brush. Open air burning must take place from sunset to sunrise unless an exemption has been granted by the fire chief or designate. This is due to the typical decrease in temperature, increased humidity, and a drop in wind speed overnight.

Open air burns must be no larger than 6' by 6' by 6' or 2m by 2m by 2m.

Fuel must consist of dry brush or untreated



## SUMMER SWIMMING LESSONS

The Township of Whitewater Region and the City of Pembroke will be offering swimming lessons to residents of Whitewater Region during the 2022 summer months at the Kinsmen Pool. Non-resident user fees have been waived for Whitewater Region residents

Registration is available through the City of Pembroke. Registration information and class times are available on their website.

#### **REGISTRATION DATES**

- July 14 & 15
- July 28 & 29
- August 11 & 12

Lessons start on the Monday following each regsitration session. Lessons runs for 8 days excluding weekends and holidays.

#### LESSONS AVAILABLE

- Private Lessons
- Swim Pre-school
- Swim Kids 1-4
- Swim Kids 5-10



lumber only. Garbage and the burning of hay is not permitted due to the environmental impact and the smoke disrupting neighboring properties.

#### AGRICULTURAL BURNS

Agricultural burns are for large scale fencerow clearing or other similar situations. These permits require a site visit to ensure safety and by-law compliance.

#### SAFETY TIPS

Always have a means to extinguish your fire present. This could be a garden hose, fire extinguisher or shovel and dirt. Never leave burns unattended, even for short

periods of time.

Garbage is never permitted to be burnt. Please take all garbage to the landfill located at 990 Kohlsmith Road (Wednesday & Saturdays 8am-2pm)

Before every burn call 1-855-922-2652 to register your burn and to confirm there is no restrictions in place.

Burn permits can be created at https://wwr.burnpermits.com/



Rural REWARDS

## \$25 GIVEAWAY MONTHLY

Grab a free card from participating businesses, shop local, get it endorsed, then drop it off at any Township office! Draws take place the 3rd Friday of every month.

A JOINT INITIATIVE BY THE TOWNSHIPS OF:

Bonnechere Valley / Brudenell Lyndoch and Raglan / Killaloe Hagarty Richards Madawaska Valley / North Algona Wilberforce / Whitewater Region



# THE CLUER RENT

### Issue 5 JUNE 2022

## **COUNCIL MEETINGS** REGULAR MEETINGS @ 4:45PM

June 22, 2022

Agendas are available at least 48 hours before the meeting. You can also watch the meeting on the Township's YouTube page.



## JUNE EVENTS

**Tuesday, June 7th - Cobden** 27 Crawford Street, St. Paul's Anglican Church Snacks and refreshments @ 10-1130am Fraud Awareness Part 1

Monday, June 13th - Beachburg

1765 Beachburg Road, Whitewater Seniors Snacks and refreshments @ 1-230pm Fraud Awareness Part 1



The Township of Whitewater Region's municipal election will take place on *Monday, October 24, 2022.* Eligible individuals may consider running for one of the following offices: *Mayor - one elected at large Deputy Mayor - one elected at large* 

Councillor - five elected at large School Board Trustee

Monday, May 2, 2022 is the first day eligible individuals may file nomiation forms for the offices of Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Councillors and School Board Trustee for the 2022 municipal elections. In addition, it is the first day to file a notice of registration as a third party advertiser. This must be done at the office of the Township of
Whitewater Region (44 Main Street, Cobden) by appointment only. The deadline for candidates to submit nomination forms is Friday, August 19, 2022 at 2 pm.

# **INFORMATION FOR VOTERS**

You need to be on the voter's list in order to vote in a municipal council or school board election. To find out if you are on the list to vote please visit www.voterlookup.ca.

#### Thursday, June 16th - Westmeath

119 Synton Street - Recreation Centre Snacks and refreshments @ 1130am-1pm Osteoporosis , Posture & Fractures - Physio House Calls

**Friday, June 17th - Haley Station** 760 Calvin Road - Haley United Church Snacks and refreshments @ 1-230pm Fraud Awareness Part 2

**Tuesday, June 21st - Westmeath** 119 Synton Street - Recreation Centre Snacks and refreshments @ 1-230pm Fraud Awareness Part 2

Wednesday, June 22nd - Cobden 27 Crawford Street, St. Paul's Anglican Church Snacks and refreshments @ 1-230pm Reframing Aging - Angie Lepine

*Friday, June 24th - Beachburg* 1744 Beachburg Road, United Church Soup & Sandwich @ 1130am-1pm

> 1765 Beachburg Road seniors@whitewaterregion.ca 1-833-582-7004

You can add yourself, confirm or update your personal information, change your school support for the purpose of elections and add other electors under your address. You are required to show identification to vote. Identification must include name and address. Photo or signature is not required.



# WELCOME PACKAGES

Are you a new resident or business to Whitewater Region? If you have moved to Whitewater Region within the last year, we would like to welcome you to our beautiful region. You can register for a welcome package at www.whitewaterregion.ca/contact/new-resident-business/

LANDFILL



The Ross Landfill Site is located at 990 Kohlsmith Road and is open Wednesday and Saturday 8am - 2pm. The landfill accepts solid, non-hazardous waste and serves as the Township's long-term centralized waste disposal facility.

Item specific recycling for scrap metal, electronics and scrap tires occurs at the landfill. Stockpiling of clean leaf, yard and brush as well as separated clean lumber is carried out for grinding purposes as well. Refrigerated appliances are accepted at the landfill.

Visit the website for a full list of Landfill User Fees. Proof of residency is required upon entering the Landfill.





