



CIVIC HOLIDAY

A reminder to everyone that the Municipal Office will be closed Monday August 2, 2021.

TAX BILLS

Final 2021 tax bills were mailed in July. Council passed Bylaw 2021-25 to provide for the township's final tax levy. The due date for the third and fourth installments are Aug. 25th and Oct. 25th.

During the COVID-19 office closure to the public, payments can be dropped off into the black locked box by the entrance door of the Community Centre. Payments can also be paid by telephone or internet banking.

ATTENTION

When you are paying your taxes online, we do not get the information or the money for one or two business days. We cannot apply money into your account until the funds are in our account. You must pay one or two days before the due date, so that interest will not be applied to your account.

Prince Twp. Monthly Newsletters

If you would like the newsletter emailed to you, please email Lorraine at lorraine@twp.prince.on.ca

NEWSLETTER August 2021

HOLIDAY GARBAGE

As a result of the Aug. 2nd Civic Holiday, garbage pick up will be one day late.
Please have your cart out by 7:00 a.m.

PRINCE LAKE HOLIDAY GARBAGE

Garbage collection will be as scheduled.

RECYCLING CART COLLECTION

Please have your recycling cart out by **7:00 a.m.** Your recycling will be picked up every two weeks.
Aug. 6, 19, and Sept. 2.

Please remember to wash out your garbage and recycling containers, so we are not attracting animals, such as bears.



BE BEAR WISE

COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

AUGUST MEETING CANCELLED

NEXT MEETING: SEPT. 14, 2021

911 SIGNS

Residents are requested to make sure that 911 civic number signs are clear of trees, etc. The sign should be visible by emergency personnel from 100 ft.

TOWNSHIP OF PRINCE NOTICE COUNCIL MEMBER VACANCY

TAKE NOTICE that the Township of Prince Council has declared the office of a member of council to be vacant. The Municipal Act permits the vacancy to be filled by appointing a person who has consented to accept the office if appointed or by requiring a by-election.

The Township of Prince Council will accept applications of intent together with a resume from interested persons to fill the vacant Council seat. The applications and resume must be submitted to the Township of Prince Municipal Office at the address specified below or by e-mail no later than Friday, September 3, 2021, at 3 p.m.

Although it is the responsibility of the individual to determine whether he or she is qualified to hold office, generally speaking the individual must be:

- A resident in the municipality or is the owner or tenant of land, or the spouse of such owner or tenant;
- A Canadian citizen;
- At least 18 years old;
- Not disqualified by any legislation from holding municipal office.

Council meetings are normally held the 2nd Tuesday night of each month beginning at 6:45 p.m. Most special meetings, including budget and committee meetings, are also held in the evening. If you require further details, please contact the undersigned.

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Your smile is the most important thing you wear.

2022 COMMUNITY CALENDARS: Library board members will be calling you to renew your calendars. This is the library's major fundraiser. The calendars will remain the **same price of \$10.00. Advertising is \$60.00 for the year, with a onetime charge for a new logo of \$15.00.** If you are new to the township and would like to support the library, call the library at 705-779-2992 ext. 5 and leave your information with a phone number. All orders must be in by Friday September 3rd, 2021

BUILDING PERMIT NOTICE

All permit applications are handled by the City of Sault Ste. Marie Building Dept. Civic Centre, Level 5, 99 Foster Drive, Sault Ste Marie, ON P6A 5X6

Please remember that building permits are required for re-shingling, decks, fences, new windows & doors, siding etc., as well as houses, garages and accessory buildings. If you start your project without a permit, the fine is double the permit cost.



EARLYON CHILD AND FAMILY CENTRE

Prince Township EarlyON Child and Family Centre is excited to announce that as of Monday, July 5, 2021 staff at this location are welcoming families back for indoor and outdoor programming! Pre-registration is required through www.keyon.ca. Enhanced health and safety measures will be in place at all times. Upon arrival, please be aware that families will be permitted entry to the building one at a time to complete the screening process. If staff are not at the entrance, please press intercom button for assistance. Social distancing is to be practiced at all times. Please note that at this time, outside food and drinks will not be permitted in the Centre. Snacks will be provided daily. Thank you, and we look forward to seeing you soon! Please call 705-779-3627 for more information.

Hours of operation

Indoor Programming Only
Monday 9:00am - 1:00pm
Tuesday 9:00am - 1:00pm
Friday 9:00am - 1:00pm

Outdoor Programming Only
Wednesday 9:00am - 1:00pm
Thursday 9:00am - 1:00pm



If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please contact the Municipal Office, or any member of Council:

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ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

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LIBRARY NEWS

Here are instructions on how to access our library materials online to place an order! Call the library to receive your Pin number if you do not have yours.

OPAC

OPAC is similar to Overdrive in the sense that it is an online database, however, OPAC is directly linked to our library and shows a catalogued inventory of all the items we have in the library, synced through ResourceMate. Patrons can use OPAC to request books remotely from their home. This can be used to organize curbside pick-up for their library books. Especially useful during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Access and Operation of OPAC:

1. OPAC for our library can be reached by typing in the following web address into the address bar, <https://16052.rmwebopac.com/>
2. You will be directed to the Prince Township Public Library OPAC home page.
3. You must then click the Sign In icon in the upper right-hand corner of the screen.
4. You will type in the username provided to you from the library, typically in the format: lastnamefirstname
5. Your pin number, also provided by the library, will be the last 4 digits of your 5 digit barcode. Ex. if your barcode is 12345, your OPAC pin will be 2345.
6. When signed in you can search authors, titles, etc. You can add items you want

to check out to your Book Bin.

7. To send the request, click the Book Bin icon once you are done browsing.
8. You must then do the following steps:
 - a. Press the email icon (it looks like an envelope).
 - b. In the From section, fill in your email address.
 - c. In the To section, fill in the library's email address, ptpl@twp.prince.on.ca
 - d. In the Subject section, type something along the lines of "Book Request"
 - e. Specify if you would like to be contacted by Phone or Email in the notes section.
 - f. Press send.
2. When the request is received and processed, you will either be contacted by Phone or Email to set up a pick-up time.
3. All pick-ups will happen at the Library Book Drop-Off Box.

DROP OFF BOX: All items are to be returned through the book drop. Place items in a tied plastic bag.



Report It

See an animal unattended in a vehicle? Report it! ACT FAST. SAVE A LIFE. If you spot an unattended pet in a vehicle that appears to be suffering from heat exhaustion, do not hesitate to:

- Call 310-SPCA (7722), if in Ontario
- Call your local SPCA or Humane Society
- Call your local Police

DON'T FORGET YOUR PET!

Make sure your family emergency plan includes **ALL** your family members.



Pets and Emergencies

Pets are members of the family. Make sure to include your pets when developing your family **emergency plan**. Making arrangements before an emergency will increase your pet's chances for survival and ability to cope. assemble a pet emergency survival kit and be ready to take your pet and their kit with you in the event you have to evacuate.

Pet Emergency Survival Kit Checklist

Prepare a pet emergency survival kit and keep it with your family kit. be sure to check the expiry date of your contents twice a year.

Recommended items for dogs and cats:

- Food, water, bowls, manual can opener and spoon
- Up-to-date Id tag
- Current photo of you and your pet
- Emergency contact list of pet friendly hotels/motels outside your area, friends, relatives and your veterinarian
- Copies of medical records/vaccinations
- Information on feeding schedule, medical and/or behavioural problems

- Medications and first aid kit
- Familiar bedding, small toy and brush
- Leash, collar or harness and muzzle (dogs) Litter/pan and scooper (cats) or poop n' scoop bags (dogs)
- Carrier large enough to transport and house your pet

Emergency kit supplies vary for different kinds of animals. Please contact your veterinarian or visit www.ontariospca.ca if you have any questions.

Pets and Evacuations

If it's too dangerous for you to stay, it's too dangerous for your pet to stay. If safety permits, pets should not be left behind during an evacuation as they may be lost, injured, or even killed as a result of the emergency. Plan ahead to ensure that you have a safe place to take your pet.

- Find out about your municipality's evacuation centre locations and related pet policies.
- Contact hotels and motels outside your immediate area and check their policy on accepting pets during an emergency.
- Ask friends and relatives outside your immediate area if they could shelter your pet(s) during an emergency.
- Include your pet in any local or family emergency drills and exercises.

If an emergency occurs when you are not at home, you can still be prepared. Set up a buddy system with your neighbour. Make arrangements that in the event of an emergency and you are not home they will take care of your pet.

For more information on emergency preparedness visit www.ontariospca.ca

RECYCLING CART COLLECTION SYSTEM

The recycling cart does not have to be placed out every week and should not be put out unless it is half full. Carts must be placed at least 1 metre (3 feet) in front of or beside fences/retaining walls or vehicles.

Please remove caps/lids and rinse food contents before recycling containers. All food trays, strawberry containers, etc. are not accepted and should be placed in your garbage. Cardboard boxes should be broken down to 2' x 2' x 1' bundles and placed beside the collection cart.

Note: Fluorescent lights are to be disposed at the **Household Hazardous Waste Depot**.

Blue Lid

- Steel (tin) food cans
- Aluminum cans
- No. 1 plastic bottles (i.e. pop bottles)
- No. 2 plastic bottles (i.e. shampoo bottles)
- Glass bottles and jars

Grey Lid

- Newspapers and flyers
- Magazines
- Phone books
- Boxboard/small boxes (i.e. cereal boxes)
- Paper egg cartons
- Toilet/towel paper rolls
- Clean milk cartons
- All other paper products (i.e. mail)

