The Cornerstone

Township Of O'Connor

August 2015

Council Meetings

The next Council meeting will be held on Monday, August 10th in the Council Chambers located at 330 Hwy 595 at 7:00 p.m.

Council welcome your involvement and interest in Council meetings and municipal issues.

Mayor Ron Nelson - 475-9213
Councillors: Kevin Foekens - 577-1698 Jerry Loan - 768-0947
Bishop Racicot - 577-2215 Jim Vezina - 577-6735

O'Connor Day Planning Meeting

An O'Connor day planning meeting will be held on Thursday, August 13th in the Council Chambers located at 330 Hwy 595 at 7:00 p.m.

Mark Your Calendars

O'Connor Day

Saturday, August 22nd (rain date August 23rd)

Look for our full page schedule of events in this issue of the Cornerstone or visit the township website for more information.

Employment Opportunity

The Township of O'Connor is currently looking for an individual to fill the position of Dog Control Officer. The duties of the Dog Control Officer include responding to complaints from residents regarding dogs, explaining municipal by-law and policies to dog owners, impounding lost or homeless dogs for a period of time not to exceed three days and transporting unclaimed dogs to the City of Thunder Bay Animal Services. Anyone interested in applying for the position is asked to submit an application to the municipal office located at 330 Hwy 595 by August 10th, 2015 at 4:30pm.

O'Connor Community Club

The Hoodies and Hats Have Arrived!
If you have pre ordered you can come in and pick yours up during regular office hours. If you did not pre order you can also come in and purchase one. The Colour is tweed (dark grey) and pricing is $45.00 for small to XL and $55.00 for XXL. Hats are also available and are slate with black trim for $15.00. For more information please contact the Municipal office at 476-1451 or stop by at 330 Hwy 595 during regular office hours.

Water Testing

The Thunder Bay District Health Unit has supplied the Municipal office with water testing bottles. These bottles can be picked up during regular office hours and returned to 336 Syndicate Ave. in Thunder Bay. (622-6449)

Emergency Contacts:
Medical Emergencies: 911
Fire: 911
Police: 911

Municipal Office Hours
Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday:
9:00 am to Noon & 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Fridays: 9:00 am to Noon
Closed Wednesdays.

Office Phone:	**476-1451**
Fax:	**473-0891**
Garage:	**476-1453**
Community Centre:	**476-1452**

Website: www.oconnortownship.ca
E-mail: twpoconn@tbaytel.net

Disposal Site Hours

Tuesdays - 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

New for Jun, Jul, Aug & Sept
On Saturdays the Disposal Site will be opened at 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

Building Permits:

By-law 2006-14, being a by-law respecting Construction, Demolition, Inspections, and to set out the rates for permits within the Corporation of the Township of O'Connor states that building permits will be required for the construction, erection, alteration, repair, removal, relocation and change of use of all buildings or structures within the Township of O'Connor.
If you are building anything larger than **108** square feet or a building with heating, you must apply for a building permit. For more information please call the **Township Office or the Township's Chief Building Official, Gordon Cuthbertson, at 708-7548**.
Applications available on the Township website or at the office.

Oliver Paipoonge Library Hours:
Use of both branches is free for O'Connor Residents

Murillo Branch (935-2729)
Monday - 10 - 5 pm
Tuesday 6 - 8 pm
Wednesday 10 - 5 pm , 6 - 8 pm
Thursday 6 - 8 pm
Saturday - Closed

Rosslyn Branch (939-2312)
Tuesday 10 - 5 pm & 6 - 8 pm
Wednesday - 6 - 8 pm
Thursday 10 - 5 pm & 6 - 8 pm
Saturday - Closed

Dogs Running at Large

It's that time of the year when dogs may want to go exploring. Please keep your dogs under your control and in your own yard.

If you are having trouble with dogs, other than your own, in your yard please contact the Township Office at (807) 476-1451

Fire Department News

The O'Connor Fire Department will be having a BBQ raffle at O'Connor Day on August the 22nd! Come buy a ticket and support the team.

Would you like to join our team? Come out and talk to our members at our booth or come to our meetings on Tuesday evening at 7:30pm at the fire hall.

Just a friendly reminder that fire permits are required for fireworks.

Fire Permits

FIRE PERMITS
ARE REQUIRED FOR ALL BURNING

Fire permits are required during the fire season which runs from April 1st to October 31st as per the Forest Fire Prevention Act. A permit is required before starting a fire outdoors, including the burning of grass, brush and the use of Incinerators. Fire permits are valid for 15 days and an incinerator permit is valid for the entire fire season. Permits may be revoked at anytime at the absolute discretion of the Township's Fire Chief Henry Mattas.

Fires for cooking or warmth **do not** require a fire permit.

Fire and Incinerator Permits can be picked up at the following Locations:

Township Office, 330 Hwy. 595, 476-1451
(during regular office hours)

Fire Chief Henry Mattas 741 Barrie Drive 473-9511
(please call)

Smoke Detectors Save Lives.

The O'Connor Fire Department has Smoke Detectors for purchase for $10.00 each and Carbon Monoxide Detector for $25.00 each. These units can be picked up at the O'Connor Municipal office during regular office hours.

Rural 60 Plus: For Those 55 & Older
5 Pineview Road
Kakabeka Falls, ON
475-5779

Closed on Tuesday and Friday for the months of July and August.

The centre will be open on Mondays, Wednesday and Thursday 10.00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Carving, Cribbage and Weaving will still have the usual hours and days of operation.

The Centre will be closed August 3rd. for the Civic Holiday

Fall Opening is scheduled for September 8th.

A beginner's water colour painting course is scheduled for fall – if you are interested in taking these classes please contact Mary Germain at 475-9689.

O'Connor's Women's Institute

The Women's Institute meetings are held the second Monday of every month at 1:00 pm. Come and join us, everyone is welcome! Phone Rose at 577-7031 for more information.

To all our neighbors and friends—a sincere thank you for supporting us at the strawberry festival. It was good to see so many happy faces, especially with the children!

Thanks Again!
- O'Connor Women's Institute

Ontario Renovates

Is your market value of your home at or below $228,087?

Is your total household income at or below $76,400?

Then you may qualify for an Ontario Renovates Assistance/ Forgivable Loan to a maximum of $20,000.00 to repair home deficiencies or to provide home modification to increase accessibility for persons with disabilities.

To see if you meet all the qualifications or to apply, please pick up the Step by Step Guide and application at your Municipal Office, at the District Social Services Office at 231 May Street S., Thunder Bay or from the Thunder Bay DSSAB website. Return Completed Applications to: Housing Operations Division, District Social Service Office.

Rural Cupboard Food Bank
Neighbors Helping Neighbors

P. O. Box 327, Kakabeka Falls. ON POT 1WO
By Gladys Grant

My thoughts go out to everyone in the Nolalu and Hymers area who were flooded out and received damage to their homes and property. Hopefully by now roads are repaired or they are working on them and your homes are getting needed repairs. Mother nature sure throws us some unneeded curves at times. We would like to remind everyone when you start harvesting your garden any extra produce you have would be greatly appreciated for our food bank clients. **A BIG THANK YOU** to Union Gas for their donation of $1,000.00 to the food bank and to some of their employees who came out on July 28th in the evening to clean and stock shelves. The acts of kindness are always greatly appreciated. Proof of residency and identification is a requirement for clients attending and registering with the food bank in order to obtain groceries on a monthly basis. Especially for new clients. Every 6 months beginning in September 2015 and than March 2016 clients will be asked to bring in proof of address by our statistician Judy Fleck.

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM: We are still looking for support for a child of school age registered with the food bank. The child will get enough appropriate items for one week per month of the school year for $50.00. Any donation towards this program would be greatly appreciated. Please mark your cheque or if cash given, that it is marked for this program. A tax receipt will be issued for any donation of $20.00 or more as we are a Registered Non-Profit Charity. The food bank will be open on Wednesday, August 19th from 11 A.M. to 1:30 P.M. for distribution of hampers to the clients. Food can be dropped off at the provincial Alliance Credit Union in Kakabeka Falls, the Oliver Paipoonge Library in Rosslyn Village and the Neebing Municipal Office during business hours. Reusable shopping bags are always welcome and can be dropped off at any of the above locations or at the food bank at times listed below. You can bring them on Tuesday afternoon August 18th from 1pm to 2pm or in the evening from 7pm to 8pm when people are there preparing for food bank day.

Any questions or concerns, the phone number for the food bank is 285-0836. Calls can be received between 10 a.m. and 9 p.m. daily. Please leave a message and someone will get back to you as soon as possible. Donations to the **BUILDING FUND** are always welcome! **Check us out on Facebook!**

Kakabeka Falls & Rural District RCL Branch #225

All events take place at the Kakabeka Legion on Hwy 11-17 in Kakabeka Falls
Call the events line for info. 473-9122 or check out our web page at www.kakabekalegion.ca

Wednesdays - **BINGO** takes place every Wednesday. Payout to a maximum of $1,460.00. License #M728835. Doors open at 5 p.m. Early Birds begin at 6:45 p.m. For more information call Gary at 473-9631.

Sat. Aug 1st- DANCE to the music of Quest 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Admission $7 per person includes sandwiches, desserts and coffee and tea. For more information call Gary 473-9631.

Sun. Aug 9th - BUFFET BREAKFAST 8:30 - 12:00 noon. *All you can eat*, Canadian and Finn pancakes, bacon, sausages, scrambled eggs, hash browns, coffee, tea, juice, toast and jam or try our "Made just for you" omelette. Adults $11, seniors $10 and children's pricing as well. Join the breakfast club and after 10 paid breakfasts you get a free breakfast.

Sat. Aug 29th - DANCE to the music of Quest 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Admission $7 per person includes sandwiches, desserts and coffee and tea. For more information call Gary 473-9631.

Saturdays- CRIB every Saturday from 1 - 4 p.m. Call Tim at 983-2998 for more information

KAKABEKA FARMERS MARKET - 10 a.m. to 1p.m. Meet your friends and neighbours at the market and start your morning with breakfast. Then spend some time shopping from local merchants for everything from plants, baking, honey, preserves, farm fresh eggs to knitting, sewing and other items made locally. Interested in becoming a vendor or for more information e-mail: contact@kakabekafarmersmarket.ca

For bookings at the Kakabeka Legion leave a message on the Legion line at 473-9122 or call Mary Majbroda at 475-9260 or Gary MacDonald at 473-9631.

Happy sunny days everyone!

Employment Opportunity
Pending Grant Approval

Oliver Paipoonge Public Library
2 Positions
Community Access Program Youth Initiative
$14.00/hour, Contract is 420 hours ending March 31, 2016
Must be available during library hours: afternoons, evenings and weekends, with some flexibility in scheduling.
15 to 30 years of age
Must be eligible for employment in Canada
Must be a post-secondary graduate or have completed at least one post-secondary course.
Must be filled by Youth Interns who have not previously received funding from Ontario Library Association.
Successful applicants will be responsible for IT based skills development for customers. Must have transportation to and from Murillo and Rosslyn Library.
Please forward questions or resumes to:
Maxine McCulloch
library@tbaytel.net
Closing date: Friday August 14, 2015 5:00 p.m.

New Ontario Shooters Association Gun Show

Saturday August 22, 2015
9am—4pm
Kakabeka Legion Hall
1KM East of Kakabeka Falls on Hwy 11/17

Admission in $4
12 & Under Free When Accompanied by an Adult

Buy, Sell, or Trade

For More Information Please Call GMK Armoury
346-4088

TOPS

(Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

...a friendly local weight-loss support group

TOPS is a non profit, non commercial weight loss support group. We offer outstanding support to take and keep off pounds sensibly.

The Nolalu chapter meets every Wednesday at the O'Connor Community Centre. Weigh in starts at 6:15 pm and the meeting at 7:00 pm. Membership is $32.00 annually and $1.00 a week for dues. Bring a friend or family member and come see what we have to offer.

There are 16 TOPS chapters in the Thunder Bay and rural areas.

For more information please call
Rose Marie Shandruk at 577-5924 or
Donna at 475-4771

GET MOVING AND GET HEALTHY!

EASY TO FOLLOW LOW IMPACT AEROBICS THAT INCLUDES FULL BODY TONING
Exercise with a variety Leslie Sansone DVD's projected onto the wall of the gym.
Have fun while getting healthy!

Time:
Monday thru Thursday: 10:00 – 11:00 a.m.
If interested call Karin Nelson at 475-9213
Free of charge

Place:
The O'Connor Free Methodist Church
Basement gym
293 Sitch Road
(Near the corner of Sitch and Earl Roads)
O'Connor Township.

The O'Connor Community Centre

When planning your next special occasion please keep in mind that the Community Centre has recently been upgraded with new kitchen appliances both upstairs and downstairs, paint on all levels and it has been equipped with an accessible lift. The Centre's capacity is 132 people when a liquor licence is required. Maximum capacity is 162 people. Please call the Municipal Office at 476-1451 for more information.

O'Connor Hall Rental Fees:
- Social with Liquor - $150.00
- All day rental no liquor - $100.00
- 1/2 day or evening - $50.00
- Use of Kitchen - $25 (May 1st - Oct 31st),
  - $50 (Nov 1st to Apr 30th)

$50.00 damage deposit may be required.

Call to book your event at 476-1451.

Cornerstone Advertising

The fee structure for advertising in the Cornerstone has been set by Council.

- Business Ad - 7.50, Full Page Ad - $15.00
- Personal/Classified Ads - $5.00 (ie garage sale)
- Birthday, Anniversary, Baby Announcements - $2.00

Individual mailing to non-ratepayers Annual Fee: $25

Deadline for ad submission is the 25th of the Month.

Conmee Sk8Park Melodrama Fundraiser

Conmee Sk8Park is featuring Rob Macleod's Capital Players melodrama "The Bones of Blackfly" with Janice Swanson on August 26th. Doors open at the Conmee Community Centre (19 Holland Rd) at 6:30pm, and the show starts at 7:00pm.

The furs going to fly in Conmee!

Adults: $10 Ages 5-12: $5 Under 5: Free!
Tickets available at Conmee
or from Cheri Bilsoski (475-8263)
A great event for the whole family!

Kakabeka FARMERS' MARKET

Saturdays at the Legion 10-1
KFM Breakfast served till noon!

Your local farmers' market for food fun and company

We are looking for local farm food vendors and vendors who sell veggies and fruits or grains from their own properties, or who bake goods containing their own fruits or veggies or grains, or who sell graded eggs or inspected meat raised on their own properties, or maple or birch syrup or mushrooms from their own properties in the wider Kakabeka area.

Market Location:
Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #225
4556 Highway 11/17 Kakabeka Falls

kakabekafarmersmarket.ca
contact@kakabekafarmersmarket.ca

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(Corner of Sitch & Earl Rds)

4th SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH

7 to 10 pm

ANY INSTRUMENT / ANY STYLE

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For more information call Paul @ 475-8973

O'Connor Taekwondo

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NORWEST COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRES – MOBILE HEALTH SERVICES

NorWest Community Health Centres
Centres de santé communautaire NorWest

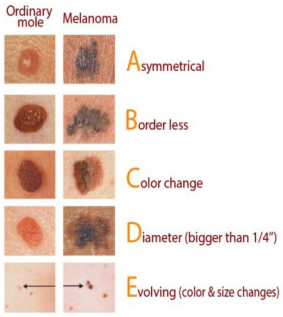
July/August 2015 Program Activities

All programs are FREE to attend. NO registration is needed. ALL ARE WELCOME!

During July & August our Mobile Clinics in (Shebandowan/Nolalu/Kaministiquia/Upsala/ O'Connor/Neebing & Murillo) will be hosting talks about how to stay safe in the sun while you enjoy outdoor activities. Come for a visit during one of our July and August Mobile Clinics and talk about …..

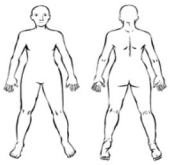
Slip, Slap, Slop, Seek & Slide

Spot The Differences Ordinary Mole vs Melanoma



Get to know your skin….get into the habit of checking your skin for new spots and changes to existing freckles and moles & **BODY MAP THEM.**

Do you have a mole or skin rash worrying you? Visit one of our Mobile Clinics during July & August. Your skin will be assessed and a referral to a skin specialist may be made.



Early Detection = Increased Positive Outcomes

Interactive Fun for Everyone

We will have online fun and interactive tools available for you to try!

-Prevention Education for Adults and Youth
-Interactive Mole Checker/Skin Risk Assessments
-Dangers of Indoor Tanning Questionnaire

Come Check It Out!!

Visit Our Clinics & Enter To Win a Sun Safety Kit

For more information call us at:

626-8474

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE NOLALU CLINCS HAVE BEEN MOVED TO O'CONNOR DUE TO THE RECENT FLOOD

NORWEST COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRES – MOBILE HEALTH SERVICES

August 2015

NorWest Community Health Centres
Centres de santé communautaire NorWest

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 CIVIC HOLIDAY	4	5	6 **UPSALA** 10am-3pm Community Centre **O'CONNOR** 12-6pm Community Centre	7
10 **KAMINISTIQUIA** 9.30am—4pm Community Centre	11 **NEEBING** 12-6pm Municipal Office	12	13 **NOLALU** 9.30am-4pm Community Centre	14
17 **KAMINISTIQUIA** 9.30am—4pm Community Centre	18 **MURILLO** 9.30am-4pm Community Centre	19	20 **O'CONNOR** 12-6pm Community Centre **UPSALA** 10am-3pm Community Centre	21
24 **SHEBANDOWAN** 9.30am-4pm Community Centre	25 **ARMSTRONG** 1-7pm Norwest CHC Clinic	26 **GULL BAY** 9:30am-2:30pm Gull Bay Health Clinic	27 **NOLALU** 9.30am-4pm Community Centre	28
31 **KAMINISTIQUIA** 9.30am—4pm Community Centre	**Nurse Practitioner:** Walk-in's available **Foot Care Nurse:** By availability and appointment only. For more information or to book an appointment, please contact the Mobile Health Services Coordinator at **807.626.8474**			31

= *Diabetes Services Available*

= *Dietitian Available*

NorWest CHCs
is located at
525 Simpson St
Thunder Bay, ON
P7C 3J6
Tele:807.622.8235
TF: 1.866.357.5454
www.norwestchc.org

Find us on facebook

Oliver-Paipoonge Public Library

Murillo Branch 935-2729 | **Rosslyn Branch 939-2312**

August

Murillo Branch	Rosslyn Branch
Monday 10 – 5:00	Tuesday 10 - 5:00 & 6 - 8:00
Tuesday 6 - 8:00	Wednesday 6 - 8:00
Wednesday 10 - 5:00 & 6 - 8:00	Thursday 10 - 5:00 & 6 – 8:00
Thursday 6 - 8:00	Saturday CLOSED
Saturday 1 – 5:00 CLOSED	

Email: oplibrary@tbaytel.net

www.olsn.ca/oplibrary

Watch for our upcoming used book sales Murillo Fair Aug. 15th & 16th. Thanks to Hill's Greenhouses for supplying trees for our Plant a Tree, Grow a Book Fundraising Campaign.

Free Computer Lessons, Thurs. afternoon at Rosslyn Library in August! Call to register for a lesson today!

Thank you:
-John Winslow for your donation in memory of Bea Stadey and Charlie Granfield.
-Chris & Lisa Petersen & Family for constructing and donating a bicycle rack for the Murillo Library.
- Mary Germain and the Gilbert Family for their donation in memory of Jorgen (John) Jenson
- Alasdair Patton for his donation in honour of his mum's (Rena) birthday.

Looking for something fun to do this summer? Visit the Library! – See our Facebook Page for days and times! Pre-registration is required.

My Girl" Doll Club
Attention Doll Owners, bring your doll on an outing to make crafts and accessories just for her!
Aug.10 Murillo
Aug. 4 & 11 Rosslyn
10:00-12:00

Earth Rangers Science Club
Indoors and out, cool activities and experiments for ages 7 and up! **1:30 – 3:30**
Aug. 10 Murillo
Aug. 6 Rosslyn

Mini Film Festival
Ages 7 and up
-film screening
-discussion/reviews
- film production
-acting
-bring your lunch, but we supply the popcorn!
Aug. 5 Rosslyn
10:00 – 1:00

Coding Camp for Kids ages 9 – 12
Introduction to computer coding by creating stories, animations and games.
Aug. 5 Rosslyn
2:00 – 4:30

Expressive Arts Camp
This 2-day camp explores your creative side with art work, drama, dance & music, winding up a performance finale on the second day. **Rosslyn**
Aug. 12 & 13 10-3:00
Sponsored by CAHEP

Taco Soup

Ingredients:
1 lb. lean ground beef
1 14 oz. can of tomato sauce
1 14 oz. can diced tomato's w/green chilies
1 4 oz. can chopped green chilies
2 cans corn
2 cans dark kidney beans
1 pkg. taco seasoning
Toppings (not included in nutrition info):
Frito chips
Fat-Free cheese

Directions:
Brown ground beef over medium heat. While cooking beef, simmer the following items on low heat in a large pot: tomato sauce, diced tomato's, green chilies, corn, kidney beans, and taco seasoning. Add beef. Bring to boil, and then simmer for 15 more minutes. Serve and enjoy. Garnish with chips, cheese, and sour cream!

Happy Birthday!

Paul Corrigan will celebrate his 75th Birthday on August 19th.

Have a wonderful day from all your family!

O'Connor Day

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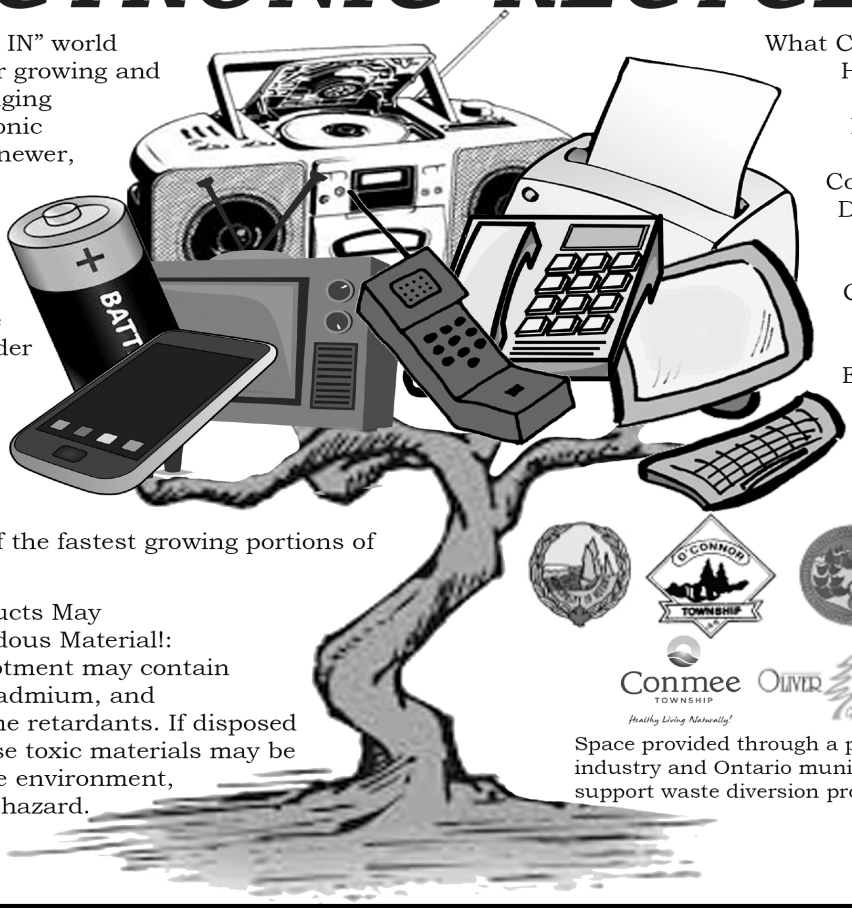
ELECTRONIC RECYCLING

Our "PLUGGED IN" world relies on an ever growing and constantly changing supply of electronic products. With newer, more hi-tech electronics constantly becoming available to fit our lifestyles we are replacing older models at rapid rates with no signs of slowing down. As a result, electronics are becoming one of the fastest growing portions of Canada's trash!



What Can Be Recycled?
Hard Drives,
Monitors,
Keyboards,
Printers,
Cordless Tools,
DVD Players,
VCR's,
Software,
Cell Phones,
Pagers,
Digital
Equiptment,
Scanners

Electronic Products May Contrain Hazardous Material!: Electronic equiptment may contain lead,mercury, cadmium, and brominated flame retardants. If disposed improperly, these toxic materials may be released into the environment, posing a health hazard.

Space provided through a partnership between industry and Ontario municipalities to support waste diversion programs

Searching for Treasure?

Stonecroft Ministries Canada stonecroftcanada.org
invites you to attend
TownePlace Suites by Marriott - 550 Harbour Expwy.

Tuesday, August 18, 2015 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Cost at Door - $10.00 Refreshments included

FEATURE: Geocaching 101 - Svenja Hansen
MUSIC: Eshani Perera
SPEAKER: Ai Oyakawa

RSVP by August 14, 2015
Cancellations appreciated

Rose 807 767 8461
Connie 807 628 8484

Thunder Bay Christian Women's Club / After 5
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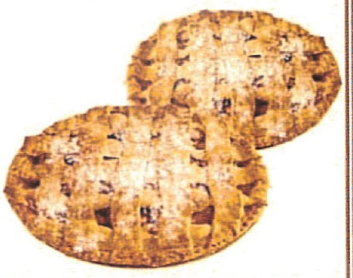
275 Park Ave., Thunder Bay, ON. 807 346-0449

BUY LOCAL
BRING CHANGE

NOLALU MARKET

CRAFTS
AND CROPS
POTATOES
AND PIES

Fridays 4 PM - 7 PM
June 26 - Sept 25
at Nolalu Post Office.
Corner Hwy#590 / Hwy#588 Nolalu



nolalu.ca/nolalumarket.html
Vendors sign-up: contactus@nolalu.ca

Improved Access to Cardiovascular Services Coming to Northwestern Ontario

The Ontario government supports Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre's proposal to expand cardiovascular services to deliver **on-site vascular surgery** and will work together to develop a plan to deliver **full cardiac surgery** closer to home. This builds on the establishment of local angioplasty services which, as your MPP, I was proud to announce in 2009.

Bill Mauro MPP
THUNDER BAY-ATIKOKAN
Thunder Bay Constituency Office
240 Syndicate Ave. S. • 623-9237

www.billmauro.onmpp.ca

Do you have a mole or skin rash worrying you?

Suspicious skin condition, mole, or growth, to be assessed & a referral to a skin specialist may be made.

Sun Safety Kit Draw & Summer Safety information will be provided.

NorWest Community Health Centre- **Mobile Health Services**
525 Simpson Street
Call Susan to book your appointment @ 626-8474

NorWest Community Health Centres
Centres de santé communautaire NorWest

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  - Ditching
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  - Water control
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We are fully licensed and trained to install conventional, as well as tertiary septic systems (clear stream, Eco-Flo, etc).
Every year we install up to 30 septic systems in the Thunder Bay area from small gravity fed systems for a small house to large scale commercial septic systems for camps, fire bases etc. please give us a call and we can design a system that is right for you

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH

www.KakabekaUnitedChurch.org
Clergue St., Kakabeka Falls, Phone: 473-9197

Regular Sunday Service 10:00 am
Sunday School Available, Children Welcome

August 2nd—SERVICE TIME 11AM to be held at the home of Sharon Loghrin (#140, HWY 590, O"Connor Township). Communion and Hymn singing with pot luck lunch to follow

August 9th—Gust leader—Rev. Doreen Lankshear—Smith

August 16th—Leaders—Dodie, Melanie, and Wendy
August 23rd, 30th, & September 6th—No Services at Central. Visit a neighbor's church!

O'Connor-Conmee Fellowship Baptist Church

Sunday: 10:45 a.m
worship for all ages

Small Group Studies…
please phone for information

Last Sunday of Every Month (except summer)… At 5:30 p.m., pot-luck supper, then at 7:00 p.m., a time of music, or a film, or a fun-night.
Feel free to join us!!

O'Connor-Conmee Fellowship Baptist Church
3 Holomego Rd, corner of Hwy 595
Pastor: Chris Frey, Phone: 475-7720, Cell: 627-1133

St. James' Anglican Church
Country Warmth in Christ
John St. Road at Calvert, Murillo
Sunday Service & Sunday School: 11:00 a.m.
Interim Rector and Canon: Paul Carr (939-1103)

St. Mark's Anglican Church
Country Warmth in Christ
St. Marks St., Rosslyn Village
Sunday Service & Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
Thursday Eucharist: 10:00 a.m.
Interim Rector and Canon: Paul Carr (939-1103)

Redeemer Lutheran Church
www.redeemerlcc.ca
Hwy 11/17, Kakabeka Falls, ON
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.
473-9164

St. Theresa's Roman Catholic Church
10 Porter St., Kakabeka Falls
Sunday Mass: 11:00 a.m.
www.dotb.ca
Parish Priest: Fr. Joseph Arockiam
935-2898 (Rectory)

O'Connor Free Methodist Church
293 Sitch Road
Near the corner of Sitch and Earl Roads in O'Connor Township
www.oconnorfreemethodist.org

Pastor Chris Fiorito

Sunday Worship Schedule:
Adult Bible Study ~ 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship Celebration ~ 10:45 a.m.
Children's Sunday School ~ 10:45 September to June

We're a friendly and vibrant church with something for everyone!

Children
Nursery ~ every Sunday morning
Sunday School ~ 10:45 am Sundays September to June
Junior Youth (ages 10 to 12) ~ Every 2nd Monday 7-8:30 pm
Contact Anna Lebel at 577-9047 for more info
Senior Youth (ages 13 to 18) ~ 1st & 3rd Friday each month
Contact Suzanne Fiorito at 626-6083 for more info

Adults
Men's Coffee ~ Earl Hall every Thursday 10:00 a.m. Contact Gary at 623-6331 for more info
Gals of Grace ~ fellowship & fun ~ last Friday of the month contact Lesley at 621-8402
WMI ~ Ladies missions meeting monthly

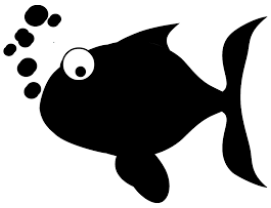
Pastor Chris Fiorito
577-2363 ~ 933-4655 ~ cell 624-6579

Well, here I am again. By the time you read this I will have dealt with my third bout of cancer, this time removing yet another damaged body part. Am I scared? Well, that's a hard question to answer because I love my life and humanly speaking, I'm not keen to give it up! However, many years ago I put my trust in God through Christ and so my full confidence is in His sovereign control of every event of my life.

You may look on the 'bad' things of life (loss, pain, breakup, etc.) as a tragedy, or bad luck, or karma. I don't. God has given me dark valleys for His own specific reasons, and since God is God and I'm not, I am content to trust Him, because I'm not in control of my events anyway! May I enjoy or endure each moment of my days by His grace.

Chris Frey, Pastor O'Connor Baptist, Hwy. # 595

14th Annual O'Connor Day
Schedule of Events:



New Start Time: 5:00 p.m.

Inflatable Jumper - pay $2.00 for all day use (until 8 p.m.) for children under 12.

Fish Pond – Catch a fish and win a prize

Fire Department - Raffle Tickets $5.00 each or 5 for $20.00.
The tickets are only sold during O'Connor Day. Draw at 9:45p.m.
Fire prevention information is also available at their tent.
O'Connor Fire Trucks and Equipment on display
Watch for SPARKY the Fire Dog
Interested in joining the team?
Come check us out and speak to some of our members about the experience!

Township BBQ - Purchase your food tickets first for
Hot Dogs, Sausages, Corn, Hamburgers, French Fries, Poutine, Sweet Potato Fries
Free Coffee will be available

Community Club Concession - Candy, Chocolate Bars, Pop, Water, Popcorn and Glow Products
ICE CREAM AND STRAWBERRIES (While supplies last)

Beer Gardens - In outdoor rink and horseshoe area. Drinks may also be taken into the Cribbage Tournament area. NO Smoking will be permitted and Please obey signs "No alcohol beyond this point" and PLEASE DON'T drink & drive

Free Bike Draw – Bike and helmet - Draw at 9:40 p.m.

Guess the number of Candies in a jar contest – Ballots at the Community Club booth
Winners announced at 9:30 p.m.

INTERACTIVE DISPLAYS – Tired Iron Club,
Thunder Dragons - Tae Kwon Do,
Norwest Community Health Centres and more

Tractor Wagon Rides - load up inside baseball diamond and take a ride up the road until 7:30 p.m.

Dottie T. Clown – Face painting, balloons, games and more! Until 8:30 p.m.

Live Music "by Doctor Buck & the Blues Bangers"- Starting at 6:00 p.m. and will continue throughout the evening until 10:00 p.m. Playing all genres of music!

Horseshoe Tournament Registration

5:30 p.m.

Horseshoe Tournament - Games Begin

Bucksaw and Nailing Driving Contests - There are different age groups and cash prizes.
Until 8:30 p.m. winners announced at 9:30 p.m.

Children's Games

7:00 p.m.

Cribbage Tournament Registration - games to start promptly at 7 p.m. - $1.00 to play (inside the Council Chambers – Back door of municipal office building).

Tae Kwon Do Demonstration – inside the ball diamond

7:30 p.m.

Movie - Inside the hall – PLAYING – "**Home**"

8:00 p.m.

GLOW Products Go on sale at the O'Connor Community Club concession stand

9:30 p.m.

Announcements and Contest & Tournament Winners
Free Bike Draw, Fire Department Draw

All roadways will be blocked in the immediate area for the fireworks so please arrive early.

10:00 p.m.

FIREWORKS!! NO DOGS ALLOWED

Put on by LONDON FIREWORKS

DONATIONS to help cover the costs will be collected throughout the day

Fun for all ages. Round up your family and friends and spend your day in O'Connor. Hope to see everyone there!!

Please note that for emergency purposes there is no parking in front of the Fire Department doors due to fireworks along Broome road. Whittaker road will also be closed to through traffic to allow for the Fireworks display to be set up and wagon rides.

It takes a lot of people to make this day a success. Volunteers are still needed. If you can give a hand for even one hour please give Lorna Jacobson a call at 475-4557 or the Township Office at 476-1451.

Friday evening setup will begin at 7 p.m.
Saturday morning setup will begin at 10 a.m.
and cleanup Sunday morning

Round up some family and friends and come out to O'Connor on August 22nd.

PLEASE NOTE: O'Connor Day will be a smoke free event with a designated smoking area.

O'CONNOR DAY 2015

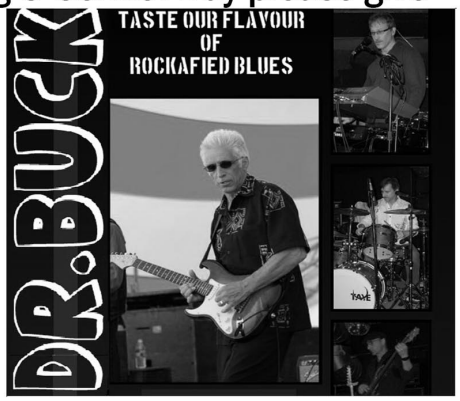
SATURDAY AUGUST 22ND
(RAIN DATE AUGUST 23RD)

Starting at 5pm & Fireworks at 10pm

Watch for updates and the schedule of events on our townships website
oconnortownship.ca

Volunteers are needed! Any help would be greatly appreciated. If you are intersted in donating a few hours of your time, please contact the township office at 476-1451.

Requesting Cash Donations to help offset the costs of the day, business or personal. If you or someone you know may be interested in sponsoring O'Connor Day please give our office a call to request a donation letter.

Smoke free event with designated smoking area!

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