

Township of La Vallee

Newsletter

Landfill Hours:

Tuesday & Thursday 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

CLOSED ON ALL PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

Website: lavallee.ca

Telephone: (807)486-3452

May 30, 2023

Landfill Waste Haul Attendant

The Township of La Vallee would like to welcome Mrs. Dianne Nordstrom who was the successful candidate for the Temporary Full-time Waste Haul Attendant.

BE ADVISED

Trucks have started hauling material to our municipal landfill. The speed limit on Tausendfrende Road has been reduced to account for the extra traffic. Please use caution when going to the landfill.

Landfill Attendant/Casual Roads Employee Employment

The Township is inviting applications for the position of Landfill Attendant/Casual Roads Employee. The landfill position is 18.5 hours per week. The attendant reports directly to the Road Superintendent and is responsible for maintaining and operating the landfill site and conducting a recycling program. Some paperwork is required. Dozer experience will be considered an asset. Casual Roads position includes assisting the Roads Department with equipment maintenance, operation of some machinery, etc. Hours are dependent on the needs of the municipality. Requirements for this position include a valid driver's licence. A "D" licence will be considered an asset. Further information and job description can be obtained at the Municipal Office. Applications in the form of a resume will be accepted at the Municipal Office until a suitable applicant is found. Mailing address is Box 99, 56 Church Road, Devlin, Ontario POW 1C0.

Summer Student Employment

The Township is now accepting applications for a summer student labourer. Duties include landfill site clean-up, building maintenance, ballpark/rink maintenance and painting. A valid G2 driver's licence is required. Application forms are available at the Municipal Office or applications in the form of a resume will also be accepted. Deadline for applications is Monday, June 12th, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Clean-up Day

The Cemetery Committee is planning a clean-up day on Monday, June 12, 2023. Any decorations, flowers, borders, etc. will be removed if they have become unsightly or are hazardous when cutting/trimming grass. If interested in helping out you can call the municipal office to sign up.

Dogs Running at Large

Please be advised that it is your responsibility to keep your pets under control and ensure that they are contained and not running at large this also includes not allowing them to poop on other's property. We receive numerous complaints every year about dogs running at large and bothering others. If complaints are not resolved or continue, the OPP will be involved.

Emergency Vehicles

Our volunteer Firefighters have a green flashing light installed in their personal vehicles. Should you come into contact with one of these vehicles please pull over as you would for all other emergency vehicles.

Safety Reminder

The Fire Department would like to remind the community to perform smoke and CO2 alarm checks every month. It is good practice to change the batteries when you change your clocks and when the low battery warning beeps. Smoke alarms should be installed on every level of your home. Smoke and CO2 alarms should be located near sleeping areas. Review your escape plan with your family.

Failure to comply with the Ontario Fire Code smoke and carbon monoxide alarm requirements could result in a ticket up to \$360.00 or a fine up to \$50,000.00 for individuals and \$100,000.00 for corporations may be imposed by the court upon conviction of an offence.

Fire Permits

Fire Permits are required from January 1 to December 31 yearly. Please ensure that you have a valid permit for any outdoor burning. Always monitor the weather conditions.

Staying Safe with Needles

It has been brought to the Municipal Office's attention that used needles have been found in public places within the Township. For information regarding what to do should you find a used needle, please visit the following website: <https://www.nwhu.on.ca/our-services/harm-reduction/staying-safe-with-needles/>

Northwestern Health Unit

The Northwestern Health Unit offers dental services to eligible people of all ages. The dental team can answer questions, support the application process, and help eligible clients to access care. Free fluoride varnish treatment is also available upon request. If you need dental care but can't afford it, we may be able to help. Contact the dental team to learn more or apply at: 1-855-407-6453 or email dentalhealth@nwhu.on.ca. You can learn more about free dental care at www.nwhu.on.ca/dental.

Information

There are many ways to keep up on what is going on in the municipality. The Township has a Facebook page and a website. Check these out for updates on anything pertaining to the municipality plus we frequently publish newsletters to provide everyone in the municipality with important information. Contact info and website link are provided on the top of every newsletter.

Please be advised that the Township of La Vallee has a complaint policy that is to be followed in order to deal with any complaints/issues that may arise. Should you wish to make a complaint, please contact the office so that all issues can be dealt with accordingly.

SMOKE DETECTORS SAVE LIVES. CHECK YOURS MONTHLY.