

# 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](http://lavallee.ca)*

*Telephone: (807)486-3452*

*November 20, 2023*



**Township of La Vallee's  
Annual Community Christmas Party & Fun Day  
Sunday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
Starting at 3:30 p.m.  
At the Devlin Community Hall**

**Pot Luck Supper at 5:00 p.m.  
Bring your favorite family hotdish or salad  
Kiddie's Craft Corner  
Santa's visit with goodies for the kids!**



Bring along your cards, cribbage boards or any other game you wish to play or share!

## **Community Service Hours Available**

We are looking for Secondary Students who may wish to do their Community Service Hours in this Township. Students are needed to assist with the annual Community Christmas Party & Fun Day, helping with the Kiddie's Corner, clean-up and general assistance wherever needed. To sign up contact the Municipal Office at 486-3452.

## **Holiday Office Hours**

During the Holiday Season the Municipal Office will be closed from December 25<sup>th</sup> to January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2024.

## **Holiday Landfill Hours**

During the Holiday Season the Landfill will be closed on Tuesday, December 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

**Just a reminder to residents, please do not bring hot ashes to the landfill. We have areas designated for wood, scrap material, fridges etc. Please avoid bringing oil, paint and/or antifreeze as the Ministry of Environment classifies these as hazardous waste. Individuals bringing in unsorted materials to the landfill will be charged a fee.**

## **Roads**

The Roads department is trying to get all the roads graded and in shape before snowfall. There has been more than one instance where individuals have spun up roads right after the grader has graded the road. This leaves ruts and washboard on the road. If this continues, the OPP will be involved and that will cost each tax payer more in policing costs.

### **Snowplow**

Please be advised that should you require snowplow services, a waiver must be signed each year. Reminder - when we receive heavy snowfall, all municipal roads are plowed first and driveways are done the next day. Our roads department will not plow driveways on the weekends or during the Christmas Holidays, so please make sure you have other arrangements during this time. Also your driveway will not be plowed if any individual or animal (dog) is outside when they come and try to plow. This is for safety reasons.

Please do not leave snow or bumps on any municipal roadway when plowing your driveway. This is a hazard and you will be billed if a mess is left on the roadway and the roads department has to clean it up.

### **Fire Permits**

Fire permits are required on a yearly basis from January 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>. Please ensure you have a valid permit for your burning barrels, chimneas, fire pits and any other outdoor burning. Visit [www.lavallee.ca](http://www.lavallee.ca) to obtain your burn permit.

### **Landlords**

Please remember that when your tenants change to please advise the municipal office so that a new landfill card can be issued to the current tenant and remind your previous tenant to turn their card into the municipal office.

### **Annual Stuff-a-Cruiser**

Volunteers are required for the annual Stuff-a-Cruiser food drive on Saturday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Cloverleaf Grocery Store. Volunteers are needed to help for one to two hours to help hand out bags and collect grocery items at the doors. All items collected go to the Emo Food Bank. Students can earn their volunteer hours. Call Charlene McTavish at 275-8841 to sign up or for more information.

**THE COUNCIL AND STAFF WOULD LIKE TO WISH EVERYONE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

