

TOWNSHIP OF NORTH GLENGARRY NEWSLETTER

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NORTH GLENGARRY

Ontario's Celtic Heartland

Summer 2024



A true Glengarry party at Meet Me on Main Street events

This year's Meet Me on Main Street events have been a huge success! Large grounds, great entertainment and delicious food from local vendors have created a true Glengarry atmosphere. These events offer a chance to showcase our local talents, food vendors, breweries, and celebrate our strong community. And we're not done yet! Join us on August 22 in Glen Robertson!



WHAT'S NEW

Bridge construction in Alexandria

Bridge closures on Dominion St and Bishop St from July - September

Council approves AMPS officers

Two Screening Officers and one Hearing Officer appointed for the Township's Administrative Monetary Penalty System (AMPS)



COUNCIL highlights

AMPS Officers Appointed

The use of Administrative Monetary Penalties (AMPs) in the province of Ontario is an emerging municipal approach to dealing with parking and by-law infractions in a manner that is fair, effective, and efficient. Council adopted the AMPS By-law (By-law No. 20-2023) in 2023 and the By-law Enforcement Officer has been using it since. Council appointed two staff to act as the Corporation of the Township of North Glengarry's Administrative Monetary Penalty System (AMPS) Screening Officers and one Hearing Officer to carry out the duties prescribed in Section 6.0 of By-law 20-2023.

Authorized under section 434.1 of the Municipal Act, the AMP process means that fines incurred under the Township's By-laws can now be issued and resolved directly at the municipal level (Township). This provides an expedited resolution for by-law violations and reduce the number of minor violations processed through the Provincial Offences Court system. Administrative monetary penalties systems (AMPS) are a civil (rather than quasi-criminal) mechanism for enforcing compliance with regulatory requirements. They are an effective, quick, clear and tangible way for regulators to respond to infractions of the law. In practice, a monetary penalty is assessed and imposed in the form of a notice with a prescribed date and time for payment.

Passage of Farm Equipment on Unopened Road Allowances

Upcoming Meetings

Regular Meeting of Council
August 12 at 6:00 p.m.

Regular Meeting of Council
September 9 at 6:00 p.m.



Under recommendation from the Township's Rural Affairs Committee, Council approved the Unopened Road Allowances By-law 32-2024. Residents who own land adjacent to the road allowances would be permitted to use and modify them for the passage of farm equipment with some exceptions. To do this, the applicant must either secure the agreement of the landowners who would be adjacent to the passage or must have a legal land surveyor place markers that the applicant is responsible for staying within. They must also pay a small fee for installation of signage by the Township to note the area as an unopened road allowance.

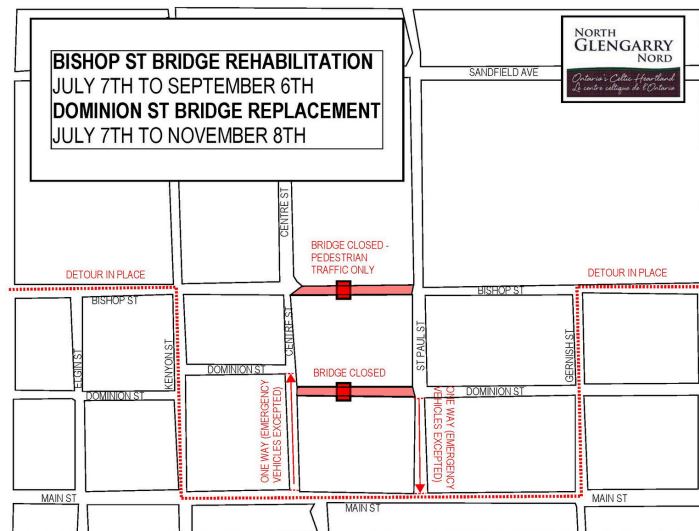


COMMUNITY news

Top stories in North Glengarry

Dominion St and Bishop St Bridge Construction

Significant improvements are happening to the Dominion St and Bishop St bridges this summer. Beginning July 9, both bridges closed to allow for significant repairs to both bridges. The Dominion Street bridge will be fully reconstructed, and add in new sidewalks. Residents are asked to follow the posted detour routes.



Glengarry Soccer League Celebrates 100 years

Players from past and present gathered on August 4th at the Maxville Fairgrounds to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Glengarry Soccer League. North Glengarry's Deputy Mayor, Carma Williams, Eric Duncan, MP, and Stephane Serrazin shared greetings and congratulatory messages.

Congratulations to the Glengarry Soccer League for supporting our community for 100 years!



EMPLOYEE

profile

Have you met....

Ainsley Hunt

Economic Development Officer

Ainsley is one of the newest North Glengarry staff members assuming the role of Economic Development Officer.

Where did you go to school, and what did you study?

I graduated from Carleton University with my Bachelors of Global and International Studies, majoring in Economic Policy.

What is the best part about your job?

Coming into work with a supportive and positive group, and getting to meet and interact with members of the community.

What is the biggest challenge in your job?

Right now, learning all of the acronyms used in the municipal world and by other EDO's (Economic Development Officers).

What other jobs have you had throughout your career?

As a student, I worked mostly in customer service roles, and at one point, I was a summer student for the Township of South Dundas! After graduating, I spent some time in the finance world before finding my way home to North Glengarry!

What are your favourite things to do in your spare time?

I recently picked up skateboarding as a hobby. If the weather is nice and the waters calm, I like to paddle board on the river too.



Ainsley (right) at Maxville's Meet Me on Main Street

What's the best vacation you've ever been on?

Europe for sure! I had the opportunity to visit four beautiful countries during my travels and have been dreaming of them since.

What book or series are you currently reading or watching?

I've been tuning into the Olympics to watch those amazing athletes!

What are your words to live by or best advice?

You won't know until you try!

UPCOMING events

Do you have an upcoming community event? Share it in the North Glengarry Community Calendar. Submit your event details at www.northglengarry.ca

MEET ME ON MAIN STREET GLEN ROBERTSON

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MUSIC
FOOD
CASH BAR

AUG. 22
GLEN ROBERTSON SOCIAL CENTRE
5PM - 8PM

Art Exhibit

Glengarry Pioneer MUSEUM

July 27 - Aug 18
Big Beaver Schoolhouse
1645 County Rd. 30, Dunvegan

AGRI-ACTION LAND STEWARDSHIP TWILIGHT TOUR

HOSTED BY ALUS EST ONTARIO EAST

AUGUST 27, 2024
5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

- On-site farm project viewing
- Stewardship project demonstrations (wetlands, buffers, windbreaks & more)
- Funding opportunities
- Pizza dinner & refreshments provided
- Bilingual tour

Tour Location & Gathering Point:
Kirkview Farms
20921 Laggan Glenely Rd., Dalkeith, ON

FREE participation! RSVP by August 22 at rrca.on.ca/Events or by scanning the code above or contacting info@rrca.on.ca or (613) 938-3611.

ALL FARMERS WELCOME

Glengarry Honey Fair

August 25th from 10 - 4pm
the Glengarry Pioneer Museum. Speakers, local vendors and of course, a honey competition.

10h - 16h Fermé lundi/closed Monday
VERNISSAGE: le samedi 27 juillet, 11h - 13h
New work by local artists
Nouvelles œuvres d'artistes locaux

Free with \$5 museum admission
Gratuit avec entrée au musée (\$5)

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Alexandria Island Park, Sandfield Hall
Sandfield Hall, 102 Derby St W, Alexandria, ON K0C 1A0

Tuesdays 6:00 - 7:00 pm through August 20th, 2024
NEW SESSION in SEPTEMBER!

NO MINIMUM DONATION REQUIRED
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CONCERTS AT THE GROTTO 2024
92 Centre St., Alexandria, ON (7pm-8pm)

JULY 3 - THE WHISKEY BROOKS
JULY 10 - STEWART'S GLEN
JULY 17 - THE COUNTY LADS
JULY 24 - QUIGLEY PIPE BAND (6:30pm)
THE CEILIDH DROVERS
JULY 31 - BIG MULE
AUGUST 7 - GLENGARRY GOLD
AUGUST 14 - THE PAOLO STANTE BAND
AUGUST 21 - THE MACLEOD FIDDLERS
AUGUST 28 - HADRIAN'S WALL

Everyone is welcome! Free admission! Donations will be accepted.
Bring a lawn chair.

THE maxville COMMUNITY MARKET
FRIDAYS 2-6pm
MID-MAY THROUGH OCTOBER