



# The Township of Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls Community Newsletter June 2026

## Reminder: Short Term Rentals (STRS) of Cottages are Not Permitted

This is a reminder that short term rentals (STRS) of cottages such as VRBO and Airbnb are not permitted in the Township of Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls unless your property is zoned for tourist commercial use. A review of the Township policy on STRS was conducted as a result of many complaints from neighbours of the rental properties about noise, nuisance and parking issues. In 2024, the Township passed an Official Plan Amendment and Zoning By-Law Amendment prohibiting the short term rental (30 days or less) of residential cottages. The amendments to planning documents were approved by Council after an extensive public consultation program resulting in the community's support for a crack down on Short Term Rentals

Anyone wishing to rent their cottage for a term of less than 30 days requires an amendment to the zoning by-law to permit the commercial use of their property. The application will be evaluated based on the remoteness of the property from any surrounding neighbours, suitability of water and sewer services, access, parking, etc. Application forms are available at the Township office.

If you are aware of any of your neighbours that are renting out residential property and causing undue disturbance, please contact Jeff Port at the Township Office. He can be reached at 807-464-1481 or by email at [jport@snnf.ca](mailto:jport@snnf.ca)

### Sioux Narrows– Nestor Falls Council Meetings

Meetings are held on the first Tuesday of the month and begin at 2:00 p.m., unless otherwise posted. The locations alternate between the Sioux Narrows Municipal Office and the Nestor Falls Municipal Office.

Everyone is welcome to attend these public meetings. A virtual link to view the meeting is included in the Agenda located on the website at [www.snnf.ca](http://www.snnf.ca)

June 2nd meeting—Sioux Narrows  
July 7th meeting—Nestor Falls



Élections **2026** Election

**NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN FOR MAYOR AND COUNCIL POSITIONS FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF SIOUX NARROWS-NESTOR FALLS**

**MUNICIPAL ELECTION OCTOBER 26, 2026**

**FILING AVAILABLE WITH THE CLERK AT THE SIOUX NARROWS MUNICIPAL OFFICE**



**The SN-NF 50+ Activity Centre is Having a Fundraiser!**  
**YARD SALE**

**Friday, June 12th 3:00 pm—7:00 pm**  
**Saturday, June 13th 9:00 am—2:00 pm**

**Sioux Narrows Community Hall**

**Cash or e-Transfer. Bring your own bag or box.**

**JUNE 2, 2026 4-6 P.M.**  
Sioux Narrows Community Hall

**JUNE 4, 2026 4-6 P.M.**  
Nestor Falls Community Hall

## *Sioux Narrows - Nestor Falls* **SOLID WASTE** *Celebration Days*

You are invited to come by and pick up **your free recycling bin!** Staff will be on hand to answer your questions about the changes to recycling in our community, to provide blue bin and recycling information, and to provide landfill permits as needed.

**Let's continue working together to make less of an impact!**

If you are unable to attend one of these events, bin pick up will be available after these dates at the SN Municipal Office, or NF Visitor Information Centre



[snnf.ca](http://snnf.ca)

SAVE THE DATE



### Beyond the Bridge II Public Meeting

**For anyone wanting more information**

**Wednesday, June 17th**  
**1:00 pm**

**Northern Ontario**  
**Sport Fishing Centre**



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# SUPER FUN

## COMMUNITY SOCIAL

**Everyone Welcome!**

**Thursday June 18, 2026 7:30-11:30pm**

**Sioux Narrows Community Hall**

**Great Auction Items!**

**Tickets \$25** (includes light lunch)  
Tickets for sale @ 50+ Activity Centre & Mayer Hardware

Sponsored by the SN-NF 50+ Activity Centre

### Community Fish Fry & Charity Auction

The Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls Men's Club will hold their annual Community Fish Fry and Charity Auction at the Sioux Narrows Community Hall on Thursday, July 9th.

Tickets are \$35.00 per person and go on sale June 10th at Mayer Hardware, Gill's Trading Post and the Northern Ontario Sportfishing Centre.

In addition to a delicious meal, various items will be available in Silent and Live Auctions. All proceeds raised benefit community projects in Sioux Narrows and Nestor Falls.

### Lake of the Woods Chapel

Sunday evening services are at 7:00 pm. All are welcome.  
Mark your calendars: Pie Night—Tuesday, June 16th 6:30 pm—8:00 pm.  
Come out & enjoy homemade pie for dessert. Cost is \$10.00.



### Sioux Narrows Health Hub

5736 Hwy. 71 in Sioux Narrows (Former NWHU)

#### CMHA Mobile Mental Health Clinic Dates:

Sioux Narrows: June 1st	10:00 am—2:00 pm	Nestor Falls: June 3rd	10:00 am—2:00 pm
June 15th	10:00 am—2:00 pm	June 17th	10:00 am—2:00 pm
June 29th	10:00 am—2:00 pm		

#### Water Sampling Drop Off at the Health Hub—First and Third Tuesday of the month.

June 2nd— 9:00 am—11:30 am  
June 16th— 9:00 am—11:30 am


## STARTING MAY 4<sup>TH</sup> 2026

To book an appointment with a Doctor, Nurse Practitioner, Registered Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse, or one of the SCFHT program providers, **simply call (807) 468-6321 ext. 5** to speak to our dedicated booking team.



Sioux Narrows Nestor Falls (SNNF) Site will be open: Tuesday to Thursday 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM

 **Multidisciplinary team of providers**  
(Doctors, Nurse Practitioners, Registered Practical Nurses, Registered Nurses, Pharmacists, Occupational Therapists and more)

 **Four clinic sites New!**  
(Kenora, Keewatin, Lakeside, **Sioux Narrows Nestor Falls**)

 **One Centralized Call Center**

 **807-468-6321 EXT. 5**

- EXT. 4 - cancel appointments at any SCFHT site
- EXT. 5 - **to schedule / reschedule appointments at any SCFHT site**
- EXT. 6 - medical records
- EXT. 7 - reception
- EXT. 8 - admin team
- EXT. 9 - contact info and hours
- # - for alternate care options

## A.A. CLOSED BIG BOOK STUDY NEW MEETING STARTING!

Lake of the Woods Chapel, Sioux Narrows, Ontario



**TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2026  
6:00 PM**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 2026  
6:00 PM**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 2026  
6:00 PM**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 2026  
6:00 PM**

A safe, closed space to study the foundations of recovery from the Big Book of Alcoholics Anonymous. Open to all who have a desire to stop drinking.

Format: Reading & Discussion  
Focus: Singleness of Purpose

Location: Please enter through the side door



Responsibility Statement: I am responsible...  
When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help,  
I want the hand of A.A. always to be there.

e.g., 'siouxnarrowsA@gmail.com' Registration with GSO