



The Township of Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls Community Newsletter February 2018

MUNICIPAL MUSINGS

Happy New Year everyone!

To keep the public informed here is a list of our 2018 sanctioned Municipal Committees and Boards.

Municipal Emergency Community Control Group

Head of Council: Mayor Jerry O'Leary

CEMC (Certified Emergency Management Coordinator): Wanda Kabel

Alternate CEMC (Certified Emergency Management Coordinator): Tyrell Griffith

Emergency Management Program Committee

Chair: Mayor Jerry O'Leary

Municipal Emergency Community Control Support Group

OPP representative as appointed

Planning Advisory Committee

Chair: Doreen Holland

Public Library Board

Council representative as appointed

Sportfishing Centre Steering Committee

Chair: Jeff Polakoff

Nestor Falls Recreation Committee

Chair: Pam Edwards

Sioux Narrows Recreation Committee

Chair: Lauri Mayer

Police Services Board

Chair: Mayor Jerry O'Leary

Sioux Narrows-Nestor Falls Fire Rescue Service

Chief: Tyrell Griffith

Sioux Narrows (Station 1): Deputy Richard Mathieu

Nestor Falls (Station 2): Deputy Harvey Cottam

There is an existing list of each of the Councillors portfolios as well as the names of the township staff and council representatives at <https://www.snnf.ca/town-hall/>.

Thank you,
Gale Black, Councillor

36th Annual Nestor Falls Winter Carnival

Friday March 2nd - Sunday March 4th

Friday Events

- ◇ 4:00pm - 9:00pm - Fish Cook Off & Dessert Competition
Nestor Falls Community Hall

Saturday Events

- ◇ 7:00am - 4:00pm - Fish Derby
- ◇ 9:00am - 4:00pm - Wildlife Theme Photo Contest
- ◇ 9:00am - 5:00pm - Silent Auction
- ◇ 11:00am - Blind Curling
Nestor Falls Curling Rink
- ◇ 11:00am - 2:00pm - Ralphie the Clown
Nestor Falls Curling Rink
- ◇ 11:00am - Community Hall Canteen & Cash Bar opens
- ◇ 11:00am - Cribbage Tournament
Nestor Falls Community Hall
- ◇ 5:00pm: Event Awards / Prize Draws
- ◇ 9:00pm - 1:00am - Dance

Sunday Events

- ◇ 8:30am - 11:30am - Pancake & Sausage Breakfast

Please call Pam at 807-484-2103 for more information about the Nestor Falls Carnival.



SIoux NARROWS WINTER CARNIVAL 2018 FEB 16-18TH

FEB 16TH -

Kids Dance - 5:30 - 8 p.m.

*Hosted by Parent Council

*Concession will be open

FEB 17th -

Kids Games - 11:30 - 3 p.m.

*Outside Games - Dress Appropriately

*Inside games/crafts/music

*Lunch will be available for purchase

Spaghetti Dinner - 5:30 - 9 p.m.

*Hosted by SNNF Fire Department

*Adult \$12/person-Kids 6-12 \$5/person -Kids Under 5-Free

*Tickets available at: Gills Trading Post,
Copperfin & Mayer Hardware

*Cash Bar

*Raising money for Fireworks

FEB 18th -

Ice Trail Skate - 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

*Everyone Welcome - Government Dock Access

*Hot Chocolate & Treats will be available @ Vilij Well

Cribbage Tournament - Start time 12 p.m.

*\$10/person

*Prizes Determined by amount of Participants

*Concession available

Parental Supervision is REQUIRED with all activities

Nursing Station

DR. JOHN HAMMETT

Wednesday, Feb 7th & 14th, 10:00am - 12:45pm

Friday, Feb 9th & 16th, 10:00am - 12:45pm

DR KERRY ANDERSON

Friday, Feb 2nd & 23rd, 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Wednesday, Feb 21st & 28th, 1:30pm - 4:30pm

DR. DEAN KOZAK, DENTIST

Hours to be determined.

Please call nursing station.

PLEASE CALL FOR APPOINTMENTS & LEAVE YOUR NAME & TELEPHONE NUMBER
SOMEONE WILL RETURN YOUR CALL AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. NURSING STATION—226-1081
FOR AMBULANCE, FIRE & POLICE EMERGENCIES, CALL 911

Millie Rydberg, Nursing Station Clerk



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KENORA DISTRICT SERVICES BOARD (KDSB)

You are invited!

Please join us for a parent consultation session in our EarlyON Centre formerly known as The Best Start Hub with Kenora District Services Board. We will be sharing the results from our parent survey and first consultation. The next step in the transformation journey relates to the development of your local centre. Your input is greatly valued!

Please join us on:

Date: Wednesday February 7th

Time: 10:00 to 12:00

Location: SN Community Hall

We would like to thank you in advance for your time and input into EarlyON Child and Family Centre planning for your community. We look forward to the time we will spend with you on effective future development for children and their families in your community.



In Touch

Every driver has a responsibility to direct their entire attention to driving safely. Distracted driving refers to all forms of distracted or inattentive driving, such as adjusting a vehicle's entertainment or GPS unit or stereo, eating and drinking, using a hand-held device, self-grooming or tending to children in the backseat etc. Drivers need to remember that the true danger to public safety lies in the distraction, not the device. Collision fatalities in which driver inattention was a factor have surpassed alcohol-related fatalities since distracted driving laws came into effect in 2009.

The OPP and other police services have been enforcing distracting driving legislation since the beginning of 2010. Distracted Driving continues to be a serious issue. Last year (2017) 343 people died on our roads – the highest number since 2009 and driver inattention as a causal factor accounted for the highest number of fatalities when compared to speeding, impaired driving and lack of seat belt use.

- ◇ Driver inattention-related deaths: 83
- ◇ Speed-related deaths: 74
- ◇ Lack of seat belt use: 49
- ◇ impaired-related deaths: 44

There are three main types of distraction:

- ◇ Visual — taking your eyes off the road
- ◇ Manual — taking your hands off the wheel
- ◇ Cognitive — taking your mind off what you're doing

Amendments to Ontario's Highway Traffic Act took effect on 01Sep15 which raises the fine for using a hand-held device while driving to \$400 plus three demerit points (plus victim surcharge). And lastly, if you should require the police or would like to make a report – please call the Provincial Communication Centre at 1-888-310-1122 or 911 if you require immediate police assistance. I cannot take police calls on my personal cellular phone - all calls must go through the police dispatch.

P/C Karen Rustige #8788 Sioux Narrows/ Nestor Falls Detachment Community Safety Officer

Nestor Falls New Books & DVD for Sioux Narrows Library Jan 2018

Bomb Maker – Thomas Perry	Odd Child Out – Gilly Macmillan	Darkness, Sing Me a Song – Housewright
Secrets of Cavendon – Bradford	Unbound – Stuart Woods	Midnight Bell – Jack Higgins
The Wanted – Robert Crais	Lonely Hearts Hotel - H. O'Neill	Breakdown – B. A. Paris
Behind Closed Doors – B. A. Paris	Final Girls – Riley Sager	Operator Down – Brad Taylor
Expecting to Die –Llisa Jackson		
	DVD'S	
Paris Can Wait	Gone Girl	Dunkirk
Game of Thrones - Season 7	Death in Paradise Season 6	Wizard of Lies
Wind River	Home Again	Victoria & Abdul
Hitman's Bodyguard	Mountain Between Us	Glass Castle

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Unbound – Stuart Woods	In the Midst of Winter – I. Allende	Lucky Boy – Shanti Sekaran
Killers of the Flower Moon - Grann	Road to Jonestown – Jeff Guinn	Separation – Katie Katamura
The Wanted _ Robert Crais	Whispering Room – Dean Koontz	
	DVD'S	
Game of Thrones 7	Walking Dead 1 – 7	Home Again
Glass Castle	Mountain Between Us	Hitman's Bodyguard
Victoria & Abdul	Paris Can Wait	Wind River
Dunkirk	Cars 3	Murder on the Orient Express

Lake of the Woods Chapel

Hope everyone has been enjoying the mild temperatures. So, here we are in February....the month for Valentine's Day, Family Day, Ash Wednesday, and our annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on February 13th. Shrove Tuesday, also known as Mardi Gras in New Orleans, refers to the practice of the final night of eating richer, fatty foods before the ritual fasting of the Lenten season which begins on Ash Wednesday. So, come to the Community Hall on February 13th at 5:30 p.m. for pancakes, sausages, and dessert! Everyone is welcome!



Sunday services at Lake of the Woods Chapel United Church continue to be held in the afternoon at 2:30 p.m. with our minister, Pat Chabluk. Again, all are welcome!

