



FALL NEWSLETTER 2017

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GARBAGE & RECYCLING

PICKUP FROM RESIDENCES AND BUSINESSES IS EVERY THURSDAY; PLEASE HAVE IT AT YOUR CURB BY 6:00 AM.

RECYCLING: One week is the collection of fibers (paper & cardboard) and the next week is the collection of commingle (cans, plastic & glass).

GARBAGE: Current Bag Limit is 2 bags per residence and 8 bags per commercially assessed property. Each bag shall not exceed 40lbs in weight.

Additional bag tags are available for \$2.00 each at the Township office and the Massey and Webbwood Libraries.

For more waste management information please contact Riverside Enterprises @ 705-869-2447 or 1-800-341-5847

TENNYSON LANDFILL SITE – Tipping Fees apply
Located 8 miles north of Massey on the Tote Road (Hwy 553)
OPEN EVERY SATURDAY – 10am – 2pm

ELECTRONICS WASTE DAY – September 26th, 2017
12:00pm – 7:00pm in the Public Works Yard @ 11 Birch Lake Road. Bring us your electronic recycling.

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

Respecting a Proposed Amendment (5-Year Review)
to the OFFICIAL PLAN of the Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers

Council will hold a Public Meeting on Wednesday, October 11, 2017 at 6:00pm
in the Council Chambers at 11 Birch Lake Road, Massey

Council is seeking input from the public on revisions to the Official Plan.
The format of the meeting will include a presentation by the Township’s planning consultant followed by an opportunity for the public to make verbal or submit written comments.

A complete copy of this Public Notice is available on our website and will be published in the Around and About on September 5th and September 12th, 2017.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES

MASSEY

185 Grove Street
Phone 705-865-2641
Fax 705-865-1781

Jake Marion
Librarian/CEO

Hours:

Mon-Fri 10am-5pm
Mon, Wed & Fri 7pm-9pm
Sat 11am-1pm

Story Hour:

Thurs 10am-11am



WEBBWOOD

16 Main Street
Phone & Fax
705-869-4147

Linda Lendrum
Branch Librarian

Winter Hours:

Mon-Fri 6pm-8pm
Tues 12pm-2pm

Summer Hours:

Mon-Thurs 6pm-8pm
Tues 12pm-2pm
Fri 10am-12pm

Story Hour:

Tues 10am-11am

Board meetings are held the 4th Thursday of each month

Registrations are open for Story Hour.

WIFI AVAILABLE

GENTLE FITNESS FOR SENIORS is a free program focusing on strength, balance, endurance, and fun to prevent falls and promote independent living. Tuesday & Thursday afternoons – Registration is required!

NEW Program for Knee or Hip OsteoArthritis

There is no cure but why not try a 7 week neuromuscular training program to relieve symptoms? It’s called GLA:D Canada. Details on You Tube

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DnwVPjleNuE&t=8s>

Contact **Marg Benian**, NP at Massey Medical Clinic by email margbenian@masseyclinic.ca or phone 705-865-2300 for either of these programs.

MASSEY & DISTRICT COMMUNITY CENTRE AND ARENA

455 Government Road

Brady Ropp, Parks & Recreation Coordinator
705-865-2519 or massey.arena@sables-spanish.ca

Stephanie Stonley, Program Coordinator
programs@sables-spanish.ca

Skating Schedule

Public Skating – Friday 6:30pm – 8:30pm
Moms & Tots/Seniors Skating – Tues 10:30am
Family Skate – Sunday 5:30pm – 6:30pm

**Skating times are subject to change without notice. Call for updates on the winter season schedule, special events and rental rates.



Please visit our Facebook Page: “Township of Sables-Spanish Rivers Parks and Recreation Department” and www.sables-spanish.ca for what is happening at the municipality’s arena, parks, playgrounds and community centers.

MASSEY MEDICAL CLINIC

260 Cameron street
705-865-2300

Dr. Rachel Cherian
Marg Benian, NP

Dr. Allan Garland
Faith Martell, RN

Clinic Hours: Monday – Friday 9am – 4pm
Lab Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 8am – 12:30pm

Same day appointments may be available; please call ahead
DON'T FORGET YOUR FLU VACCINE THIS FALL!
Call to arrange your appointment beginning late October.

COUNCIL

Mayor	Leslie Gamble	705-865-2655
Deputy Mayor	Patricia Hnatuik	705-865-2179
Councillor	Harry Hobbs	705-865-2004
Councillor	Glenda Massicotte	705-862-1614
Councillor	Thoma Miedema	705-865-1312
Councillor	Charlie Smith	705-865-2316
Councillor	Susan Sonnenburg	705-865-2024

Regular Council Meetings are on the **second** and **fourth Wednesday** of each month. Meetings commence at 7:00 pm, in the Municipal Council Chambers and are open to the public. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Our Procedural By-law requires that anyone wishing to be a delegation at a meeting must advise the township office no later than the Friday prior to the meeting date. Requests should be in writing and can be faxed to 705-865-2736 or emailed to the Clerk-Administrator kasloss@sables-spanish.ca

Your elected officials are always willing to listen to you...talk to them!

TAX BILLINGS - Payment of the 2017 Final Property Tax bill is due by September 30th, 2017. Late payment charges of 1.25% will be added to the balance still outstanding on October 1st, 2017.

WATER BILLINGS - The 3rd quarter Water billing is due by September 30th, 2017

PAYMENT OPTIONS - You can pay your bill using online banking, sign up for pre-authorized payments or use the e-Pay service through our website. If you need more information, please contact the Township office at 705-865-2646 or email inquiries@sables-spanish.ca

****For your information a summary of the 2017 Budget is available under the Quick Link "Taxation" on our website www.sables-spanish.ca**

PARKING RESTRICTIONS / WINTER SNOW REMOVAL OPERATIONS

CONTACT PUBLIC WORKS @ 705-865-2181 EXT: 229



*No persons shall park a vehicle on any municipal road allowance between the hours of 2a.m. and 8a.m., or during other periods of snowplowing operations, from November 1st to March 31st, except for emergency and health care vehicles.

*Any vehicles interfering with snowplowing operations will be ticketed or towed away at the owner's expense.

*Parking of heavy vehicles (transports) is restricted on any public streets or roads, except when actually engaged in the activity of loading or unloading the vehicle. Heavy vehicle drivers are permitted to use the tractor for travelling to and from their homes, and to park same in private driveways. Parking of the trailers is available in the Township yard, at your own risk.

*No person shall park a motor vehicle on any highway unless on the right hand side of the highway having regard to the direction of the flow of traffic.

*In the event of freezing rain, equipment will not be out until conditions are safe for employees and equipment, however in case of emergency all efforts will be made to assist in reaching the emergency.

*The removal of snow from private driveways onto the road allowance is prohibited, pursuant to the Highway Traffic Act.

Please exercise caution while driving along Township roads where our Public Works crews are out working.

Thank you

BUILDING PERMITS

The building inspector is in the office on Tuesday's and Thursday's. If you require an inspection, please be sure to call in advance. If you wish to discuss your project with the inspector, please call or email to book an appointment.

Mike Campbell can be reached at 705-865-2646 during normal office hours or by email at building@sables-spanish.ca

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

We are updating the Strategic Plan for Economic Development and will be hosting a Community Consultation on September 14th @ 6 pm at the Massey and District Arena. If you would like to be part of the consultation process or want more information contact Kelli at (705) 865-2646 or khansson@sables-spanish.ca.

ANIMAL CONTROL

Please contact WENRICK KENNELS / RAINBOW DISTRICT ANIMAL CONTROL AGENCY for animal control services. They can be reached @ 705-673-3647 and toll free @ 1-800-836-6661 or shelter@gsshelter.ca with any questions or concerns. Dog & Cat Licences are available from the above, or from the Township office.

SABLES-SPANISH RIVERS FIRE DEPARTMENT

Stations 1 (Walford) and 2 (Massey) are recruiting for new volunteer firefighters.

If you think this may interest you or you have any questions please feel free to call the following Assistant Chiefs:

Station 1 - Walford; Archie Mailloux 705-261-2080

Station 2 - Massey; Guy Constantin 705-863-9426

Practice Fire Safety

"Every Second Counts-Plan 2 Ways Out"

EMERGENCY SERVICES

For all emergencies - call 9-1-1

Callers on a Four-party line dialing 911 will be routed to a Bell Operator, and must identify the emergency location.

If there is a disruption in telephone services when calls cannot be completed to other exchanges:

1. Residents in 844 exchange should call 844-2100 or 844-2047
2. Residents in 865 exchange should call 865-2073
3. Residents in 869 exchange should call 869-3111

EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

If an emergency happens in your community, it may take emergency workers some time to get to you. You should be prepared to take care of yourself and your family for a minimum of 72 hours. By taking a few simple steps today, you can become better prepared to face a range of emergencies – anytime, anywhere.

For more information visit www.getprepared.ca or www.emergencymanagementontario.ca/English/beprepared/beprepared.html

Our Community Emergency Preparedness Plan is available on the Township website. Click on the "Fire Dept." tab and scroll to the 'Emergency Plan' link.