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# CHISHOLM NEWSLETTER

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### COUNCIL/COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Rec. Meeting: Wed. Nov. 6 @ 7:00 p.m.  
Regular Council: Nov. 12 & 26, @ 7:00 p.m.  
General Gov't: Wed. Nov. 20, 2024 @ 7:00 p.m.  
Comm. Of Adjustment (pending) – Tues. Dec. 3,  
2024 @ 7:00 p.m.

**Agenda and Minutes and the Zoom link can  
be found on the website under "Your  
Government / Meetings Agendas".**  
Zoom Meeting ID: 836 5238 6073  
Passcode: 123456

### JOB POSTING

Chief Administrative Officer (CAO)-  
Clerk-Treasurer  
  
Non-Union Permanent Full-Time position.  
  
Closes: Monday, November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
at 4:00 p.m.

Please find further details about the job  
posting on the website at  
[www.chisholm.ca](http://www.chisholm.ca) (click on Your  
Government, Employment Opportunity).

### OPEN HOUSE – RECREATION COMMITTEE

Date: Thursday, December 5, 2024  
Time: 7:00 p.m.  
Location: Municipal Office  
Topic: Recreation Committee Input

The Rec. Committee would like to invite residents to  
attend the open house and provide the Committee  
with your ideas and feedback on where you want  
the Recreation Committee to be focusing their  
efforts. This is an informal brainstorming event.  
Refreshments will be provided.

### CHAT WITH CHISHOLM!

The Township of Chisholm is launching a new  
engagement site to allow the residents of  
Chisholm a constructive channel to see what is  
on the go, get involved in the conversation, and  
give their opinion. The site will be launching on  
November 13, 2024, and a link will be available  
on our website and Facebook page, for people  
to go and check it out. To get involved please  
create a user name. This will allow you to engage  
with the township, get correct information and  
make sure your comments are put to good use.  
There is a guestbook on the site as well. Let us  
know what you would like to see on the site and  
what conversations you would be interested in.  
Topics include, Official Plan Review, Recreation  
Committee News and Events, Budget, and more.  
Be patient as staff build the site. We look forward  
to the Chat!



*Let's We Forget*

The Office will be **CLOSED**  
on Monday, November 11,  
2024 to commemorate  
Remembrance Day.

For township emergencies  
please call 705-223-0250.

### RECREATION COMMITTEE

The Recreation Committee is looking for new  
members so if you are interested, then please  
contact the office or e-mail us at  
[admin@chisholm.ca](mailto:admin@chisholm.ca) with your name and  
contact information. Thank you.



### STAFF ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCH

The office will be **CLOSED** on  
Friday, December 6, 2024 12:00  
p.m. – 1:30 p.m. to host our  
annual staff Christmas Lunch.

### Taking Care of Our Own

In case of township emergency.... we are here  
to support our community members. Should  
you or a family member, who resides in  
Chisholm possibly need additional support  
during a township emergency, please call the  
office and have us add your name to our  
Emergency Priority List.



### RECYCLING DATES **November 14 & 28, 2024**

Please have your blue box at the curb by 7:00 a.m.



### IMPORTANT RECYCLING DATE CHANGE

Please be advised the recycling pick up  
date for the last week of December has been  
changed to **Friday, December 27, 2024** (this is a  
one-time change, and will be back to regular pick-  
up dates in January).

### LANDFILL HOURS: AS OF NOV. 6, 2024 (fall/winter)

Wednesdays: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.  
Saturdays: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

*Thank  
you!*

The Recreation Committee would like to  
acknowledge the generosity of Adagio  
Farms for donating the pumpkins for the  
kids pumpkin carving event that was  
recently held.



### SAVE THE DATE! ANNUAL TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY!

Please join us for the Township's Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony.

**Date:** Fri., Dec. 6, 2024  
**Time:** 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Jubilee Park  
(Alderdale & Memorial)  
**Tree Lighting:** 6:30 p.m.

**FREE** hot chocolate, treats & candy canes ... AND Santa Claus will be making a surprise visit!

In the spirit of Christmas, we ask if you could, please bring a non-perishable food item for the Powassan Food Bank.



With Christmas fast approaching, The Twp. of Chisholm will be collecting food donations for the local food bank, and donations can be dropped off at the Municipal Office, Monday –

Friday 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., with a deadline date of **Friday, December 13, 2024.**

### NOVEMBER IS CARBON MONOXIDE AWARENESS MONTH

When Chisholm's firefighters went door-to-door on Village and River Roads to talk to residents about smoke alarms in September, the number one problem noted was a lack of carbon monoxide alarms.

Carbon monoxide (CO) is a colourless, odourless gas produced by fuel combustion. It could come from a woodstove, furnace, or even a car idling in an attached garage. Since 2014 CO alarms are required by law in homes that burn wood, fossil fuels, or have an attached garage.

Protect yourself from death or serious illness from carbon monoxide poisoning by:

- Installing CO alarms beside sleeping areas.
- Having all fuel-burning appliances (including propane, wood and oil-fired equipment) inspected and serviced annually by a contractor registered with Ontario's Technical Standards and Safety Authority (TSSA).
- Clearing outdoor exhaust vents and inspecting your chimney.

For more information, please contact the township office and ask for a return call from the Fire Department.

### SNOW REMOVAL BY-LAW 2019-28

Please remember that no person shall, unless authorized .... "deposit or cause to be deposited any snow or ice upon any portion of any road or bridge located within the limits of the Township".

A complete copy of this By-law can be found on our website <https://chisholm.ca/en/your-government/policies-by-laws>.



### CHRISTMAS WORKSHOPS!

The Recreation Committee will be hosting Eco-Friendly Christmas Crafts.

Recreate, Reuse, Recycle!!

Space is limited, so please email [admin@chisholm.ca](mailto:admin@chisholm.ca) to reserve your spot.

If there is enough interest, two kids' sessions will be held on November 23, 2024.

#### Kids Sessions: (10-12 kids max per session)

**Date:** Sat. Nov. 23, 2024  
**Reg. Deadline:** Wed., Nov. 20, 2024  
**Age Requirement:** 6+ years  
**First Session Time:** 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.  
**Second Session Time:** 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
**\*\* Will only be held if enough interest \*\***  
**Location:** Township Office  
 2847 Chiswick Line  
**Cost:** \$2.00 per child (cash only)

The kids will be making cards and candy boxes, using recycled materials.

#### Adult Session: (15 max.)

**Date:** Wed. Nov. 27, 2024  
**Reg. Deadline:** Wed., Nov 20, 2024  
**Time:** 6:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Township Office  
 2847 Chiswick Line  
**Cost:** \$10.00 (cash only)  
**Craft:** Handmade Christmas Creation

### ROADSIDE LIBRARY

The Rec. Committee is currently looking for a resident who would be interested in donating their time and supplies in building a small "Roadside Library".

Roadside Libraries provide 24/7 access to books and encourage the love of reading!

If interested, please email [admin@chisholm.ca](mailto:admin@chisholm.ca).

### BURN PERMITS

Friendly reminder that burn permits are no longer required (until April 1, 2025).

### Scrap Metal Removal

Unwanted Metal Items, Broken, Outdated



**Greg Teal**  
705-845-7309

I buy any scrap metal, any size!

### JACK'S PLOWING

CALL: 705-498-1359 or  
705-498-4679