



Ripples

June/July 2019

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Points of Interest:

- The South River Municipal Office will begin summer hours effective July 1st to September 15th : Monday to Thursday 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Fridays 8:30a.m. to 2:30 p.m.
- The Municipal Office will be closed Monday, July 1st.
- The next Large Item Pick-up is Monday, August 19th. Please refrain from putting your items out too far in advance. You must register for this service no later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, August 14, 2019.
- The next Hazmat Drop-off at the Strong Landfill site #1 will be Saturday, August 24th.
- Garbage cans at Tom Thomson Park and around town are not for household garbage.



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Youth Soccer 2019

Soccer registrations are now being accepted at the municipal office and a **registration night** will take place on **Thursday, June 6th** from **6 to 8 p.m.** at the South River - Machar Community Centre & Arena. The fee is only \$25/child and the last day to register at the South River Municipal Office is **June 7th**. Registrations are accepted on a first come, first served basis. Space is limited. **Sorry, no late registrations can be accepted.**

Games will be on Thursdays from June 27th with the final fun day planned for August 8th. Please see the brochure for full details. www.southernriverontario.com. Volunteers are needed!



Doing Your Part

Each spring and fall, the Village offers a curbside compost collection service for residents. This service is meant only for lawn rakings, leaves, needles, twigs and small branches. There has been an issue with people putting other matter in their compost bags. If there is suspected to be other matter in your compost bags, they will not be picked up and will be your responsibility to dispose of properly.

In an effort to be more environmentally friendly, the Village of South River is strongly urging residents to use paper bags for their leaves and lawn rakings. In order to best serve our residents and the environment, paper bags may become mandatory in the near future.

Please also give consideration to managing your own compost by starting a compost bin or pile at home. Even if you're not a gardener, you could make use of the valuable compost on your lawn or share with a nearby gardener in your neighbourhood.

The next compost collection programme will take place in October.

Fling Into Spring and Show & Shine June 1st

The South River Lions Club is hosting 'Fling Into Spring' dinner and dance June 1st from 6 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Smoked Brisket, Pulled Pork, Salads, Baked Mac n' Cheese & Cake for desert. Entertainment by the Swamp Donkees.

\$25/Adult, \$12/children under 12 yrs or \$10 for the dance at the door.

Show & Shine BBQ held at the Lions Pavilion behind the arena. Bring your ATV's, motorcycles, trucks, cars or bicycles! Prizes for the dirtiest & cleanest. Hot dog or hamburger, pop or water \$5.

Support the Lions and celebrate the long awaited Spring season!



Barbeque & Silent Auction Fundraiser for Children to Attend Day Camp



Kawartha Credit Union is hosting a barbeque and silent auction on **Friday, June 28, 2019** from **11:00am to 2:00pm** just outside the branch at 83 Ottawa Avenue East. Last year, with the support of members and the local community, 20 children were sponsored to attend the South River - Machar Day Camp for one week! Contact the municipal office for information about how to register for the South River - Machar Day Camp.

Seasonal Fire Safety

Fire permits are required year round and are available at the South River Municipal office for \$5. A permit is not required for a camp fire up to .3m³ in size.

Visit the South River - Machar Fire Department's website for current fire ratings & other helpful information: www.srmfd.com

Emergency Preparedness

Remember to check your 72 hour emergency kit. You may need to depend on this kit to sustain your family for 72 hours without assistance in the event of an emergency. Read more about preparing for an emergency online:

www.emergencymanagementontario.ca

Canada Day

Celebrate Canada Day with the Lions Club during their annual festivities being held this year on Saturday, June 29, 2019.

Plan to participate and show your Canadian spirit! Watch for local advertising to include more details.



Tell Us What's Happening

Please send us an e-mail or submit a request to post an event on our website. This service is free and can help spread the word about your community event. We can also advertise your community event in an edition of 'Ripples' as space permits. Visit us at www.southernriverontario.com.

Community Gardens

A few Community Garden plots are still available. Call the municipal office if you would like to use one this growing season. Available while quantities last.



Celebrating Senior's Month

To celebrate Senior's month, the South River Friendly Circle is hosting a dance and wishes to invite all those 50 and over to be their guests Friday, June 7th from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Live music and refreshments at 10 Isabella Street.

Spring

After a long winter we are finally into the long awaited spring season. Public Works has been trying to get the streets swept despite circumstances beyond their control such as the continuing wet weather. Thank you for your patience as this task continues until its completion.

Notice To Pet Owners

The Village of South River has by-laws governing the keeping of animals in the village. These by-laws are available for review on our website or at the municipal office. Dog & cat tags are valid for a two year period from the time of purchase— be sure you have one for your pet. Please remember to stoop and scoop.