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Village of South River

Ripples

March/April 2025



Waste & Recycling Information



Seasonal Compost Collection is scheduled to take place on May 5th, 12th, 20th and 26th. This service is for the collection of lawn rakings, leaves and small bundles of brush and twigs. Bagged compost must be in paper bags. Plastic bags will NOT be accepted. Brush must cut into 4' lengths and tied into manageable bundles. This service is provided by municipal staff and may be delayed due to circumstances beyond control of the village i.e. (weather, unplanned water distribution maintenance, emergencies, etc.) You may also want to consider composting your lawn rakings for future use.

The next *Large Item Pick-up* is *Monday, April 28th* You must register for this service no later than 4 p.m. on Wednesday, April 23rd, by calling the South River Municipal Office (705)386-2573 Ext 1

North Bay's Household Hazardous Waste & Electronics Program accepts various hazardous waste products and electronics on a year round basis for Village of South River residents at 112 Patton St. North Bay, Wednesday to Saturday 8 AM to 6 PM. For more information visit the Village of South River Website.



Joint Building Committee Notice

The Joint Building Committee will be starting to send out letters this year to property owners with open building permits that are more than two years old. As per our Building By-Law, Permit Maintenance Fees can be applied annually to any open permit after two years. Annual fees for dwelling and additions are \$250.00, accessory structures are \$200.00 and commercial permits are \$300.00. There will be a 30-day grace period to close off your building permit before the fees are applied. Fees can be applied annually with interest incurring after six months and if unpaid maybe applied to your property taxes in accordance with the Municipal Act, 2001 s.434 (2).

We encourage anyone that is aware of an open building permit more than two years old on their property to contact the building department office to close off your permit at (705) 384-9444.

2025 Tax & Water Due Dates

TAXES

- Monday March 31, 2025
- Monday, June 30, 2025
- Monday September 29, 2025
- Friday November 28, 2025

WATER

- Friday, March 14, 2025
- Thursday May 15, 2025
- Tuesday, July 15, 2025
- Monday September 16, 2025
- Friday November 15, 2025

Interest is added monthly beginning on the first day of default.

*These dates are subject to change.

There is a fee of \$30.00 for duplicate copies of receipts, bills, etc.

Fire Permits

are required year round in the Village of South River & are available at www.srmfd.com.

Reminder

The garbage bag limit is 2 per household/unit and to have your waste and recycling out to the curb no later than 8:00 AM each Friday for pick-up

Have you got a comment or a complaint, about something in the community? A comment/complaint form is required in writing before any action can be done. Our By-Law officer CANNOT follow up on any complaints unless it is in writing signed and delivered to the office. Forms are available at the office or online at southeriver.ca If it's not in writing ...it didn't happen!

HOLIDAY CLOSURES

THE MUNICIPAL OFFICE
WILL
BE CLOSED ON THE
FOLLOWING
DATES, IN RECOGNITION
OF
GOOD FRIDAY & EASTER
MONDAY.

FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 2025
MONDAY, APRIL 21, 2025



Please take a moment
to make sure we have
your current
mailing address,
email and
phone number on file.

You can call or email the
office to update.
admin@southeriver.ca

Follow us on Facebook!

The Village of South
River is on Facebook.
Be sure to visit us there to
you can see current
Information and pass it
along



Community Gardens These
garden plots are available on a
first come first serve basis
please call the office to
reserve
705-386-2573 Ext 1

Fire Safety Reminder from the South River Machar Fire Department

The South River Machar Fire Department reminds residents to:

- ◆ Test all smoke and carbon monoxide (CO) alarms at least once a month.
 - ◆ Never remove batteries or disable alarms.
 - ◆ Learn and practice your building's evacuation plan.

Need assistance with alarm installation, testing, or other fire safety concerns?

Book a free fire safety inspection!

Contact Fire Prevention at **705-386-0066** or email **fpo@srmfd.com**

Be sure to take a moment to check your emergency kit which should be stocked properly to sustain your family for a minimum of 72 hours in the event of an emergency. Visit our Emergency planning page on our website for tips www.emergencymanagementontario.ca.

Summer Day Camp 2025 is back!

Very exciting news, Summer Day camp held at Hockey Opportunity Camp is back this summer!!!

We will have all the information of pricing, and registration available on March 17, 2025. Watch our Facebook page and website for more information. Day Camp will run for 8 -1 week sessions Monday to Friday starting June 30 to August 22, 2025.

Remember Space is limited so register early!



Soccer Program 2025



Stay tuned for updates about 2025 Soccer season! Keep an eye on our Facebook page for the official announcement.

Important Reminder:**Public Works Does Not Handle Household Plumbing or Maintenance Issues**

Please be mindful before contacting Public Works for household issues. Public Works is responsible for maintaining public infrastructure, not plumbing or general home repairs. If you're facing plumbing problems or other maintenance issues, please reach out to a licensed plumber, a designated handyman, or your landlord if you're renting. This will ensure that your concerns are directed to the appropriate professionals who can assist you properly. Thank you for your understanding!

**SOUTH RIVER MACHAR AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY
PRESENTS****LUMBERJACK BREAKFAST**

Saturday March 15th, 2025 Starting at 8:00 am
SRM Community Centre
Tickets available at KWIKWAY and at the door
Adults \$15.00 Children 6 and under \$7.50

SEED AND SEEDLING EXCHANGE

Sunday March 16th, 2025 10:00 am to 1 pm
SRM Community Centre

Come trade seeds/seedlings, tips, family friendly activities and links to regional farmers.

SRM CRAFT SALE

April 12th, 2025 9:00 am to 3:00 pm
SRM Community Centre

Come out and enjoy our craft sale featuring local artisans, bakers and produce
Lunch is available on site

VENDORS WANTED Contact Hilda Johnson (705) 840-8035

All proceed go towards the children's activities at our 2025 Fall Fair