

Township of La Vallee

Newsletter

Website: lavallee.ca

October 7, 2010

Voting Reminder

The Municipal Election is October 25, 2010 from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. The Advance Poll is October 16, 2010 from 12:00 to 5 p.m. Voting will take place at the Municipal Office. Don't forget to cast your vote! The list of candidates is as follows:

For Reeve

Ross W. Donaldson
Kenneth R. McKinnon

For Councillor

Dennis E. Allen
Jim A. Belluz
Freeda J. Carmody
Harold I. Kellar

Lucille F. MacDonald
Donald (Darcy) D. Robson
Dale R. Stamarski
Brian R. Trimble

School Board Trustees:

English Public

Glenda M. Belluz
Ralph E. Hill

English Separate

Paul Cousineau
Anne-Marie Fitzgerald
Harold Huntley

Landfill Attendant Employment Opportunity

The Township of LaVallee is inviting applications for the position of Landfill Attendant. This position is a part-time position. Dozer operation experience will be considered an asset and you must have a valid drivers' license. Further information may be obtained at the Municipal Office. Applications must be received at the Municipal office by October 20, 2010 at 12:00 (noon). Mailing address is: Township of LaVallee, P.O. Box 99, 56 Church Road, Devlin, Ontario, P0W 1C0.

Landfill Reminder

Please be advised that winter hours take effect November 1, 2010. Hours of operation from November 1st to April 30th are: Saturdays and Sundays from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Please be sure to bring your landfill card with you. If you don't have one, stop by the municipal office to get a replacement. Please note that access to the wood pile and scrap metal pile requires the assistance of the attendant.

Building Permits

Just a reminder that building permits are required for any building construction within our municipality. If you have any questions as to whether or not you need a permit please call the municipal office or our Building Inspector, Henry Van Ael at 274-8531 or 276-0473.

Snowplowing Waivers

To all residents requiring snowplow services this winter please make sure you sign a snowplow waiver. They are available at the municipal office. Outstanding balances must be paid in full before snowplowing service will start.

Energy Credit Forms

Application Forms for the Northern Ontario Energy Credit (NOEC) are available at the municipal office. For more information you can check out the website at ontario.ca/NorthernEnergyCredit.

Restorative Justice Week 2010

Restorative Justice Week will be held in Canada, and throughout the world, from November 14th – 21st for the purpose of sharing the concrete learning and results that have come from the growing experience of practitioners and stakeholders in the application of a restorative justice approach and processes. The theme this year is “Reflexions Past, Present and Future”.

Safety Tips

Check your chimney and clear any obstructions at the start of the heating season, and make sure damper controls work properly to keep smoke and toxic gases from building up inside the home. Check chimneys and flue pipes often for creosote and soot build-up and clean to prevent a chimney fire. Your chimney may have problems you can't see. If in doubt, consult a WETT (Wood Energy Technical Training) certified chimney sweep.

Know What To Do If You Are Asked To Evacuate

Leave Immediately.

Take your emergency survival kit with you.

Listen to the radio and follow the instructions of local officials.

If you are instructed to do so, shut off your water, gas and electricity.

Wear shoes and clothing appropriate for the weather conditions.

Lock your home.

Use the travel routes specified by authorities (taking a shortcut could take you to a blocked or dangerous area).