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COUNCIL MEETING DATES

January 24 at 7 PM – Regular Council
February 12 at 9AM – Committee of the Whole / Water and Sewer Budget
February 13 at 7 PM – Regular Council

NOTICES

TOWN HALL CLOSURE

Town Hall will be closed Monday, February 19 for Family Day.
Staff will be available at 8:30 AM on Tuesday, February 20.

GARBAGE AND RECYCLING

There will be **NO CHANGE** to your recycling or garbage collection pick up.

TENDERS

The following Tenders are currently available:

Tender No.	Description	Closing Date:
Tender 01-2018	Surface Treatment	February 14, 2018
Tender 02-2018	Supply of Granular Materials	February 14, 2018
Tender 03-2018	Roadside Grass Mowing	February 21, 2018
Tender 04-2018	Equipment Rental	February 13, 2018

Tender documents available at the Town Hall, 2 Mille Roches Road, Long Sault, up to the day prior to the closing date. For more details, please call the Township Office at 613-534-8889, ext. 212 or visit our website at www.southstormont.ca

2018 LANDFILL PASSES

The landfill pass allows two free loads to the landfill site for 2018. The pass cannot be used for construction material, rimmed tires or appliances containing freon. Landfill passes can be picked up at the Town Hall (if you still have your old landfill pass please bring it to the office) or mailed upon request.

2018 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The next municipal election will take place this fall. In an effort to make voting as convenient as possible, both internet and paper ballot/tabulator voting methods will be used for the 2018 Municipal Election from October 17, 2018 to Voting Day, October 22, 2018.

Bill 181, The Municipal Elections Modernization Act, 2016, came into effect June 9, 2016 and makes changes to the Municipal Elections Act, 1996 for the 2018 municipal election. Please be sure to watch for Municipal Elections updates and additional information as it becomes available. Some of these changes include new timelines as shown below.

Key Dates: Nominations accepted: May 1, 2018
Nomination deadline: July 27, 2018 at 2 PM
Voting Day: October 22, 2018

FINANCE

DOG TAGS

2018 dog tags are now available for purchase at the Town Hall
Fees: Intact Male or Female \$30.00 - Neutered Male or Spayed Female \$20.00

QUARTERLY UTILITY (WATER/SEWER) BILLING

Water consumption will be estimated for October, November and December, 2017. Estimates are based on account history. Bills will be mailed the week of January 22nd with a due date of February 23, 2018. The next on-site meter reading will be done in March/April. Property owners are reminded that any outstanding balances will be transferred to taxes after the due date and will be included on your interim tax bill. Your water/sewer bill can now be delivered by e-mail. Please visit the Township office or our website to fill out an application and send it to kandie@southstormont.ca or drop it off at the Town Hall.

MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT

Improperly placing snow on or near a public road creates hazards including drainage problems, drifting, sight obstruction, unsafe access, slippery areas, frozen ruts or bumps that may contribute to a motor vehicle or pedestrian crash. Section 181 of the Highway Traffic Act states that "No person shall deposit snow or ice on a roadway without permission in writing so to do from the Ministry or the road authority responsible for the maintenance of the road." R.S.O. 1990, c. H.8, s. 181. Plowing, blowing, shoveling or otherwise placing of snow onto a Municipal road is not permitted within the Township of South Stormont.

FIRE & RESCUE

SMOKE ALARMS SAVE LIVES Only working smoke alarms give you the early warning you need to safely escape a fire.

DID YOU KNOW?

- You may have less than 60 seconds to escape a fire in your home.
- There was no smoke alarm warning in 1 out of 3 fatal home fires.
- Smoke alarms can increase your chances of surviving a fire by up to 50%.

How do I protect my family?

- Install smoke alarms on every storey of your home and outside all sleeping areas.
- For best protection, install smoke alarms in every bedroom.
- Test smoke alarms monthly and change batteries at least once a year.
- Develop and practice a home fire escape plan.

NO WIPES DOWN THE PIPES

Wipes and personal hygiene products clog sewer lines and grinder pumps. Many household products, including cleaning towelettes and baby/adult personal hygiene products are labelled and marketed as DISPOSABLE and/or FLUSHABLE. **THEY ARE NOT!** Unlike toilet paper, these products do not break down once they are flushed. When these products make their way into the public sewer system, they collect together and can clog the main collector lines and get tangled in pump stations requiring repair or replacement of equipment. Please visit our website for more information.

RECREATION BILLBOARD

LONG SAULT ARENA JANUARY PUBLIC SKATING SCHEDULE

Tuesday	1:30 p.m. to 2:20 p.m.
Tuesday	5:00 p.m. to 5:50 p.m. *NEW*
Wednesday	1:30 p.m. to 2:20 p.m.
Thursday	10:30 a.m. to 11:20 a.m.
Sunday	11:00 a.m. to 11:50 a.m. *Beginner
Sunday	3:00 p.m. to 3:50 p.m.

Check southstormont.ca for February Schedule

SOUTH STORMONT COMMUNITY GUIDE

Do you have an event or program happening in South Stormont in 2018? Include it in the South Stormont Community Guide! Email information to sherry-lynn@southstormont.ca by February 5, 2018.

PICKLEBALL – LANCER CENTRE

January 11 – April 30
Thursdays 6:15 PM to 7:45 PM
Cost: \$50 or \$5 drop in fee
Register at program

BADMINTON – LANCER CENTRE

January 11 – April 26
Thursdays 8:00 PM to 9:30 PM
Cost: \$50 or \$5 drop in fee
Register at program

COMMUNITY OUTDOOR RINKS

Weather permitting, outdoor rinks will be operational at the following locations:

- Ingleside (Hoople Street)
- Lakeview Heights (Columbia Drive)
- Long Sault (Johnson Crescent)
- Moulinette Island (Sunset Drive)
- Newington (Fairground Drive)
- Rosedale Terrace (Marydale Avenue)
- St. Andrews West (Highway 138)

The maintenance of the ice at these facilities are all done by dedicated community volunteers. Users are asked to help by clearing snow, scraping the ice when done skating and respecting the facilities and other skaters. These free access facilities are available based on weather.

COLLETTE'S ICE HUT RENTALS

Are you interested in ice fishing this winter?
Contact Claude Collette to rent a hut on Hoople Bay. 613-537-8557

VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR

Nominations for the 2017 Fran Laflamme Volunteer of the Year Award are now being accepted. Forms are available at the Long Sault Arena, South Stormont Town Hall and from the Township website. Nominate a volunteer today! Nominations are due February 1, 2018.

SOUTH STORMONT SPORTS HALL OF FAME

Nominations for the South Stormont Sports Hall of Fame are accepted year round. The deadline to submit for inductees is May 1, 2018 and Student nominations are due June 1, 2018. Nomination forms can be found at ssshof.com.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

February 7 - Ingleside Long Sault Lost Villages Lions Club Spaghetti Dinner starting at 4:00 PM at the South Stormont Community Hall.

February 17 - Monte Carlo Night starting at 6:00 PM at the South Stormont Community Hall.

February 21 - Ingleside Long Sault Lost Villages Lions Club Roast Beef Dinner starting at 4:00 PM at the South Stormont Community Hall.

If you are hosting an event in South Stormont, send an email to communications@southstormont.ca with all the event details and we will post your event on our calendar.

TOWN HALL

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