

Newsletter

February 2008

Larder Lake Township

***** Invitation to Tender*****

Raven Beach Park Operator

Interested individuals are invited to submit a proposal to hold the position of Park Operator at Raven Beach Park. For more information contact Anne Kmyta, Clerk-Treasurer at 643-2158 or Anne.Kmyta@ntl.sympatico.ca

***** Employment Opportunity*****

The Township of Larder Lake has an immediate opening for the position of "Cleaner" for the Municipal Office and the Recreation Centre. The position demands approximately 29 hours every two weeks with additional hours required depending on the activities at each location. All interested individuals should submit a resume to the township office by Monday, February 18th, 2008.

***** Recycle *****

- 1 The Township of Larder Lake will be collecting all old Telephone Books for recycling purposes. Feel free to drop them off anytime.
- 2 Anyone wishing to recycle their pop cans can drop them off at the Larder Lake Co-op "Your Store". The Ski Hill receives 50% of all proceeds from the pop can recycling. Recycle and help keep our costs down.

***** Larder Lake Ski Hill *****

- 1 Just a reminder that there is a cantina at Ski Hill Chalet. Bring your family out for a meal at the Hill and support our local businesses.

***** Tax Discounts *****

The Township of Larder Lake would like to remind the residents of Larder Lake that anyone wishing to prepay their 2008 taxes will receive a discount of one percent (1%) for the month of February and a discount of half of one percent (0.5%) for the month of March.

***** Just For Laughs *****

What is the fastest thing in water? A motor pike!

A FRIENDLY REMINDER FROM THE LARDER LAKE FIRE DEPARTMENT:
Please remember to have your chimney cleaned and inspected on a regular basis. This is very important to assist in the prevention of home fires. Thank you.

******* Food Handler Certification Program*******

The Timiskaming Health Unit will be offering a Food Handler Certification Course for food handlers who serve food to the public. This program provides information on legislation, safe food handling methods and sanitation. See below for spring dates and locations. Note this program is free of charge and a certificate will be provided for upon completion. If there is sufficient interest, a French program will be offered. For more information please contact the Health Unit at 705-567-9355.

DATE	LOCATION
February 14	New Liskeard
February 23	Englehart
April 24	New Liskeard
April 9 & 16	Kirkland Lake
April 23	Englehart

******* Township of Larder Lake Website *******

The Township of Larder Lake's website has undergone some renovations and is now up and running with a new look. You are invited to visit <http://www.larderlake.net> online and leave your comments in the guest book.

Also new to the website is the set-up of the **Business and Accommodations Directory**. Currently, every business and service in the Larder Lake area may be listed for free on that page, and if you have a website there will be a link to your site. Those with personal sites may also be listed.

If you wish to have a larger business advertisement on your own page with your graphic or business card, there will be a small fee for this service. The advertisement will be linked from the Business and Accommodations directory. Each page is the size of the white text area on the website home page and may consist of 1 graphic (photo) no larger than 7" x 4" and up to 100 words (not including your address and contact information). The fee for this service will be \$100.00 per year, payable to the Township of Larder Lake.

If you require a larger area for your advertisement, this can be arranged for an additional fee.

Another new feature of the larderlake.net website is the **Events Calendar**. To view the events on any given day, simply go to the calendar on the Events page and select the month you wish to see from the drop-down. Click on the event title in the date box and you can read the particulars of the event. We encourage everyone to submit their event details via email or bring them in to the town office if you do not have the Internet. If you don't submit your events, then they can't be listed. To have your event listed in the Events Calendar is a free service and all events, such as meetings, teas, personal garage sales, craft sales, art shows, open houses, fishing derbies, bingo games, children's activities and so on are most welcome.

For more details on advertising or adding your event, contact the webmaster at llake@ntl.sympatico.ca or drop into the Town Office during business hours.

******* Larder Lake Public Library *******

The Larder Lake Public Library is very pleased to announce that the automation project we have been working on for the past four years is near completion. As of March 3, 2008 we would like to invite all members of the community to come in and register for a membership card as well as try out the new user friendly system.

By-Law #1203-08 – 2008 Fee Schedule

By-Law #1203-08 regarding the 2008 Fee Schedule was passed at the Council Meeting held February 5th, 2008. Please note that many changes have been made to the fee schedule. The by-law will be posted on the Township's website for you to review.

Disposal of Construction Material and Other Debris at the Larder Lake Dumpsite

Please note effective February 18th, 2008, the Township of Larder Lake will be charging a Waste Disposal Fee for the disposal of construction materials and other debris that is not considered regular household waste.

Prior to disposing of such materials at the dump site, you are required to visit the township office to obtain an authorization voucher:

Disposal Fee Schedule

Construction Materials & Other Debris	\$12.00/ ½ Ton Truck/Trip
Trailers or Dump Truck	\$ 5.00/Cubic Yard
Tire – Car	\$ 2.00/Tire
Tire – Truck	\$ 5.00/Tire

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Anne Kmyta, the Clerk-Treasurer.

******* Larder Lake Youth Committee *******

The Larder Lake Youth Committee would like to take this opportunity to thank the following sponsors for their generous donations allowing our 1st movie night to be a big success.

- 1 Northern College for the use of their big screen projector.
- 2 Lasalle Movie Theatre for the free movie passes used for door prizes
- 3 Larder Lake Co-op for the free movie rental used toward door prizes

We are looking forward to our movie night becoming a monthly event during the winter months, a possible skating party (come and roast some marshmallows, have some hot chocolate and skate to the music), the kids keep a look out to register for our pool lessons/tournament and knitting classes.

Help us to improve on and keep the youth centre alive in our community. Interested in helping us provide more events for our local youth and families please call:

Michelle Fecteau @ 643-2419
Debbie Gravelle @ 643-2576

Let's Support Our Community!

The local businesses, organizations and service clubs of Larder Lake make an enormous and positive contribution to the quality of life in our community. The businesses contribute to the local tax base which in turn helps to provide services, boosts the economy and improves the overall quality of life in our town. Organizations and service clubs donate both money and valuable time to activities in our area. It is important that we as a community continue to support our local businesses, organizations and service clubs to our community strong.