



Canterbury Common Residents' Association

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CCRA INFORMATION BULLETIN

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INTRODUCTION

Brenda

Glover

More pieces of information this month. Perhaps there is life at the end of this never-ending pandemic!

Watch for more news in an upcoming edition of *The Chronicle* or the next *CCRA Information Bulletin*.

COVID-19 UPDATE

You will have recently received an email from the Board of Directors outlining the current restrictions in The Centre because of COVID. We are replicating some of the information in the attachment to this bulletin.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Tom Phipps

Each year the Board of Directors appoints a director to form a Nominating Committee to determine the interest that Canterbury residents might have in serving as a Board or Committee member. The Board meets in June at the Annual General Meeting to accept/confirm the nominations.

This year there are three positions on the Board which need to be filled as the incumbents will all reach the end of their terms in June 2022. The positions coming open are the President, the Secretary, and a Director.

As the Chairperson of this Committee, I would be pleased if you would contact me by telephone at 905-986-4806 or email me at phippstom79@gmail.com to let me know if you have any interest in serving on the Board of Directors.

Also, I encourage you to contact me if you are interested in joining one of our seven standing committees. You will be given information about the committees and referred to the appropriate Chairperson.

Volunteers make our community an excellent place to work and play and we need your help to continue to do so. 2022 will be an exciting year for Canterbury. We cannot reach its true potential without your help.

LAND USE COMMITTEE

George Clapman

Several Board committees are working on plans for the use of our new land based on the residents' survey results. The survey said that you are interested in upgrading the land, returning a portion of the land to a natural forested state and implementing low-cost activities rather than golf or racquet sports.

FROM YOUR BOARD

We are currently addressing storage issues for The Centre as well as increased signage in the community. We continue to do more research on the alternatives and pricing to aid in future decision making.

In the interim, the House and Property Committee will be replacing the parking lot lights at The Centre. Total cost of this upgrade to LEDs is expected to be \$10,000.

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Lauren Maher

"*The kids don't want it!*" Wondering what to do with all the "stuff" you keep? We have the solution for you...the ANNUAL CANTERBURY YARD SALE will return on Saturday, May 7th. Set up in your driveway for this very popular Yard Sale. It attracts Canterburians and draws buyers from Port Perry and the surrounding area. Watch for further details.

MARKETPLACE ON CCRA WEBSITE

Lee Threapleton, Barb Holt, and
Martha Simmons

Thanks to everyone who replied to the recent email asking if you would be interested in having a Canterbury online marketplace. We had a 33.8% response rate from the 251 homes surveyed. (16 homes do not have email so did not receive this survey). We had 85 replies with only 3 not in favour of the idea and 6 who didn't think they would use this service. With this level of interest, we will go ahead with the marketplace. Dave Streeter and his website team are already working on its development. When finalized it will be accessed from the Residents' Pages of the CCRA website. More information will be provided when it becomes available, and instructions/training will be provided before the Marketplace is implemented.

Watch for more news in an upcoming edition of *The Chronicle* or the next *Information Bulletin*.

COMMUNITY SAFETY

A friendly reminder to all Canterbury residents to carry your cell phones at all times when you are outside your homes. Whether going for a walk, putting out the garbage, cutting the grass, shovelling snow or gardening, a medical emergency could occur. What happens if no one is

around in those situations to provide assistance? Your cell phone could be the tool you need to call for help.

It's up to each of us to look after our own safety. This is one simple way of accomplishing that objective.

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

Lou Rocha

Emergency Contact Information

Please check your inbox or spam/junk folders for an email from records@canterburycommon.ca requesting an update or confirmation of your emergency contact information. If you did not receive the email, please send a note to records@canterburycommon.ca. Over 200 residents have already provided this information for their secure Membership Record at the CCRA Office.

Canterbury Email Accounts

CCRA has a number of proprietary email accounts that are used for Association business. Please make sure that emails from the following accounts are not blocked or directed to your spam/junk folders or you will miss important information.

office@canterburycommon.ca – Nora Senechal, Office Manager
accounting@canterburycommon.ca – Lee Maher, Treasurer
social@canterburycommon.ca – Social Committee (not assigned yet)
chronicle@canterburycommon.ca – Linda Porter, Nora Senechal, Frances Hurst
bulletin@canterburycommon.ca – Brenda Glover, editor, The Bulletin
info@canterburycommon.ca – Dave Streeter, Webmaster
mail@canterburycommon.ca – Technology Team
records@canterburycommon.ca – Lou Rocha, Governance Committee
photos@canterburycommon.ca – Frances Hurst, Lou Rocha

Photo Contributions Welcome

We invite you send your photos for publication on the website or *The Chronicle*. Please attach photos to email and send to photos@canterburycommon.ca. Please provide the name of the photographer with your pictures.

QR Code For Vaccination Certificate

All residents are advised to acquire a print or electronic copy of their COVID Vaccine Certificate. Residents can apply for their certificate at <https://covid-19.ontario.ca/proof-covid-19-vaccination>. A laminated wallet-size copy can be made at Envoy Business or Port Perry Printing for five dollars.

In compliance with current provincial regulations, all visitors to the Centre are required to provide a vaccination certificate with a QR code. The certificate may be printed or visible on a cell phone or tablet.

Wifi At The Centre

You can connect your phone, tablet or computer to the internet while you are at the Centre. Search for **CCRA Guest**. The password is **Canterbury127**.