



Canterbury Common Residents' Association

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CCRA INFORMATION BULLETIN

May 2022

Unfortunately, Bingo Night, which was tentatively planned for May 13th has been cancelled.

Canterbury 2022 This is Us! Grand Opening



Saturday June 4 1pm @ The Centre

Activity & Committee Sign Ups

Guest Speakers

**Bring your mask
& name tag**



HAPPY HOUR

When: June 10th from 4 - 6 p.m.

Where: Outside lower-level patio at The Centre
(Weather permitting)

Please bring your own chairs, beverages and snacks

FROM YOUR BOARD

Masks have been mandated for all large gatherings/events for the month of June. For individual groups, masks are still strongly recommended.

Guests are welcome in The Centre but must comply with our mask policy.

Our Annual General Meeting (AGM) is scheduled for Wednesday, June 15th at 7:00 p.m. in our Centre. Residents' packages are being compiled and will be distributed on June 6th to the individual homes.

Just a reminder of the **Provincial Candidates Forum to be held in our Centre for CCRA residents only on this coming Monday, May 16th from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.** and for Port Perry residents from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Candidates from the Progressive Conservative, Liberal, New Democratic and Green parties will be in attendance. Please refer to Murray Smith's previous notice for more information.

COORDINATOR NEEDED FOR BILLIARDS (POOL) AND DARTS

Please contact John Nesbitt for more information. Tel: 647-233-1031, Email: John@nesbitts.ca

REMEDICATION OF LAWNS ALMOST FINISHED

Many thanks to John Nesbitt for staying on top of this work to make sure that Bell and Rogers complete all the necessary lawn repairs.

HOUSE & PROPERTY COMMITTEE

GARDENS COMMITTEE

Another gardening season is upon us so it's no surprise to see members of the Gardening Committee out doing what they do so well. Even though it's still early days, their work is already making a huge impact on the aesthetic appearance of The Centre and the Coulter St. Island.

It may not be apparent, but properly attending to all the gardening needs around The Centre and outlying areas is a lot of work. **Again this year, the Gardening Committee is looking for more help. A commitment of about 2 hours per week is where we'd like to end up. Contracting out some of the work becomes a real possibility if we are unable to fill our staffing needs. If you think you can help, please contact Ren at 905 985 2361. Thank you.**

Recently, the Gardening Committee repurposed a number of excess garden grasses. A new home was found for all the plants available. More importantly, in return, the Food Bank was the recipient of some very generous cash and food donations. Again, thanks.

REPAIR WORK

Just a reminder of the stone repair work which will begin Tuesday May 17th, in front of The Centre main entrance doors. Two days have been set aside for completion of this work. While the work is being completed, traffic flow in and out of The Centre will need to be redirected. A separate communication will help guide residents in how to navigate this disruption. Apologies for the inconvenience, but current conditions present a safety concern which must be addressed.

CANTERBURY SWIMMING POOL OPENS SOON

We plan to open the pool before the end of May. It will be dependent upon passing the Durham Health Pool Inspection, which is scheduled for May 18th and also weather conditions. We will send out an email with the exact date and also post an **OPEN** sign at the pool gate.

This year, we are really pleased to be able to open the pool to residents and their guests.

We do ask that you follow the COVID protocols and **NOT** come to the pool if -

- **If you have potential COVID-19 symptoms** (including fever, new or worsening cough, sore throat, headache, muscle aches, fatigue, runny nose and joint aches) or have recently tested positive for COVID19.
- **If you have been in close contact with anyone who has recently been sick with the virus**

We must also adhere to the following Durham Health regulations that apply to our Class B pool -

- **No food or drink is allowed in the enclosed pool deck area** with the exception of water. (<https://www.ontario.ca/laws/regulation/900565> ,Section 10, sub 5). However, we encourage you to make use of the upper deck overlooking the pool where you can enjoy a beverage and snack!
- **We must not exceed the capacity limit of 32 people at any given time in the pool and deck area.** This number has been calculated, based on “bather loads” in accordance with the *Durham Recreational Water Facilities COVID-19 Guidelines*. This number is also posted on a sign on the pool fence.

PROCEDURES FOR USING THE POOL

- Enter and exit the pool through the gate (using your existing Centre key) at the end of the pathway from the south parking lot. **Do not enter through The Centre.**
- Prior to entry, please read any posted signs carefully to ensure you are adhering to Durham Health regulations.
- There is a table set up inside the entry with hand sanitizer to use and also a sign-in sheet...no name is required; we just need to keep a lumberman’s tally record on an hourly basis each day. This will assist our pool technicians calculate water replacement requirements, which is based on bather load. When we are able to use our Fobs to enter the pool (hopefully later this year) this will not be required.
- **Before entering the pool, take a shower.** The Durham Health Department mandates this and does require that soap also be used, to rinse off all body oils before entering the pool. The shower is located at the north end of the pool deck area. There is a soap dispenser on the wall to the right of the shower.
- **Bathrooms can be accessed in the lower level of The Centre.** A mask is required to enter The Centre.
- **AND.... FINALLY- enjoy our lovely pool.**

POOL VOLUNTEERS ARE STILL NEEDED

Thank you to all the residents who have stepped forward to help with pool operations this summer. It is very much appreciated. We still need two volunteers to do the pool monitoring (water testing) at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday in July and August. **If we don’t get these two slots filled, we will have to close the pool at 6:00 p.m. (instead of 8:00 p.m.) on those two days.** We also need volunteers to serve as Spares for opening and closing the pool.

Please contact Martha Simmons (simmonsmg89@gmail.com) if you can spare some time one day per week. We would really appreciate it.

POOL SCHEDULE

Time	Monday – Friday	Saturday	Sunday
10-11	Adult Lane Swim/Exercise	Adult Lane Swim/Exercise	Adult Lane Swim/Exercise
11-1	*Open	*Open	*Open
1-2	Aqua Fit	Adult Only	Adult Only
2-5	Adult Only	Adult Only	Adult Only
5-6	*Open	*Open	*Open
For	July & August Only		
6-8	*Open	*Open	*Open

Note: This schedule will also be posted at the gate to the pool area.