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WELL BEYOND THE ORDINARY

COUNCIL MEETINGS

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

June 19 at 9 a.m.

COUNCIL MEETING

June 26 at 1 p.m.

All meetings take place at the Municipal Offices (395 Mulock Drive) and are streamed live, recorded and archived online at newmarket.ca/meetings

WHAT'S ON

JUNE IS...

Newmarket has lots to celebrate during the month of June, check out some of the activities going on all month long. Learn more at newmarket.ca/juneis

PRIDE MONTH

Celebrate the LGBTQ2S+ community, diversity and inclusivity at the Elman W. Campbell Museum and create a rainbow ribbon wand. Suitable for ages 4 to 10.

When: Saturday, June 10 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Where: Elman W. Campbell Museum (134 Main Street S) Register: newmarket.perfectmind.com

Join York Region in celebrating 10 years of the York Pride Parade and 23 years of Pride events with a twoday festival, including the York Region Pride Parade on June 17 at 3 p.m. on Main Street, Newmarket.

Information: yorkpride.ca/pridefestival

RECREATION AND PARKS MONTH

Communities across Ontario celebrate Recreation & Parks Month to recognize the contribution that recreation and parks make to each individual's quality of life. Explore and engage the senses with Nature Play!

When: Saturdays (June 10, 17 and 24) at 10 a.m. Where: Ken Sturgeon Park (1035 Lockwood Circle) Register: newmarket.perfectmind.com

NATIONAL INDIGENOUS HISTORY MONTH

June is a time to recognize the rich history, heritage, resilience and diversity of First Nations, Inuit and Métis people.

The Town has partnered with the York Region Arts Council to install a new piece of public art that is part of a regional series. Stop by Fairy Lake Park (off Water Street) after June 22 to see the new trail marker.

Design a painted paddle artwork print at the Elman W. Campbell Museum. Suitable for ages 4 to 10.

When: Saturday, June 24 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. Where: Elman W. Campbell Museum (134 Main Street S) Register: newmarket.perfectmind.com

SOUTH OF DAVIS DRIVE AREA (SODA) **POP-UP EVENT**

Newmarket is studying the SODA area and needs your help. Tell us what you'd like to see in the future for this area. Participate in a survey and get a coupon for one free drop-in swim, gym or public skate.

When: Tuesday, June 13 from 10 to 11:30 a.m. Where: In front of the Elman W. Campbell Museum (134 Main St South)

Information: heynewmarket.ca/soda

PUBLIC NOTICES

BLUE BOX, KITCHEN CATCHER & GREEN BIN SALE

In honour of Canadian Environment Week, we are selling Blue Boxes, Kitchen Catchers and Green Bins at a discounted rate from June 5-11 for the following prices:

Blue Boxes: \$10.50 Kitchen Catchers: \$5.60 Green Bins: \$19.60

Limit 2 per household. Please place your order online at newmarket.perfectmind.com. You will need to create an account to place your order. All orders will be delivered by GFL in 1-2 weeks.

Information: info@newmarket.ca or newmarket.ca/ecoevents

YARD WASTE REMINDERS

Yard waste is collected every other week. Remember:

- Use kraft paper bags or reusable bins with a 'Yard Waste' sticker.
- Acceptable items include leaves, shrubbery and weeds.
- Grass clippings are not accepted.
- Do not overfill bags.

Information: newmarket.ca/yardwaste

TURTLE NESTING SEASON

It's turtle nesting season in Newmarket. Please take extra caution, keep your eyes open and respect their habitats.

If you spot a new nest, email info@newmarket.ca!

GRILLING SAFETY TIPS

BBQ season is upon us. Keep these tips in mind to prevent fires and accidents:

- Check your BBQ and make sure its leak free
- Open the lid before turning on the propane
- Never move a lit BBQ
- Ensure the burner orifice is clear of dust and cobwebs

Learn more: cyfs.ca

KEEP NEWMARKET CLEAN AND GREEN

If you are visiting one of our parks/trails remember to:

- Use the waste and recycling bins to dispose of your waste. If none are available, please bring your waste home.
- Sort your waste out using the recycling, organics and waste bins.
- Do not litter.

Not sure how to dispose of some items? Visit newmarket.ca/recyclecoach

HELP COMBAT FOOD INSECURITY. DONATE TO THE NEWMARKET FOOD PANTRY

There has been a significant increase in the use of food banks across Canada. Help combat food insecurity by donating to the Newmarket Food Pantry. You can donate non-perishable food items or make a monetary donation online to the Food Pantry directly.

Information: newmarketfoodpantry.com





June is Bike Month. Celebrate cycling this month by cycling along our trails or on one of our many bike lanes. Remember to:



- Wear a helmet
- Use safe speeds
- Stay alert



newmarket.ca/cycling







QUESTIONS?