

Newsletter



New! Elections Ontario Portal

Municipal staff now has access to the Elections Ontario Portal. This portal will allow staff to update voter information. To assist us with the upcoming 2026 election, please come into to the office to ensure that you are on the list and your address information is correct.

Civic Numbers Posted

A friendly reminder for all residents and businesses to have your civic numbers posted and clearly visible from the road. This important step will help emergency services respond more efficiently.

Marina Parking

A fee for seasonal, monthly, weekly and daily will be established for the 2025 season for vehicles /trailers that are parked more than 24 hours at the Marina.

Kayak Rentals

Kayaks are available for rent at the Thessalon Marina during operating hours. \$40.00 for 1 kayak or \$70.00 to rent two. All safety equipment and PFD's are included in your rental.

Beach Volleyball

Beginning August 9th, Beach Volleyball will be available at Lakeside Park Beach. Volleyballs will be available to sign out at the park office.

The Rolling Barrage

The cross-country motorcycle ride in supporting veterans, activity duty military and first responders. The ride will be going through Thessalon on August 6, 2024 making a stop at the Esso station around 4:45 pm. Come on down to show your support!

Garbage Pick Up – Extra Bag Tags

Up to three (clear) garbage bags can be picked up during the weekly garbage pick up. If you require extra bags to be picked up, extra bag tags can be purchased at the Municipal Office for \$2.50 each.

PARADE ROUTE NOTICE

The Fullerton Bridge and Huron Street West will remain closed for vehicular traffic over the Civic Holiday Weekend. However, there will be a pedestrian walkway across the Fullerton Bridge and Huron Street West. The intersection at Main St/Huron St. will also be opened along with the alleyways. Please consider walking to the downtown parade to avoid any traffic congestion.

PARADE ROUTE CHANGE:

The parade will begin at the Thessalon Primary School at 1:00 p.m. The map of the alternate parade route can be found on the Town website, Facebook pages, at the Municipal Office and in the North Shore Sentinel.

THESSALON COMMUNITY DAY ROAD CLOSURES

THURS. AUGUST 1, 2024 – SHOW AND SHINE
5:00 P.M. – 9:00 P.M.

MAIN ST. CLOSED FROM
GENELLE ST. TO ALGOMA ST.

SAT. AUGUST 2, 2024 –
ALTERNATE PARADE ROUTE
12:00 P.M. – 2:00 P.M.

PARADE ROUTE CLOSED FROM GOVERNMENT
RD. BETWEEN OWEN ST. AND MAIN ST.
MAIN ST. BETWEEN PEACHY ST. AND BAY ST.,
BAY ST., ALGOMA ST. EAST OF MAIN ST.,
HURON ST. EAST OF MAIN ST.

DETOUR

DURING PARADE – DETOUR FROM RIVER ST.;
TAKE PEACHY ST., TURN RIGHT ONTO SPUR
(PAST THE PUBLIC WORKS YARD) FOLLOW TO
THE LANE BEHIND BIRCHLAND PLYWOOD
VENEER LTD. TO GENELLE ST.

USE AT OWN RISK

Thessalon – Did you know?

The official Town of Thessalon website, www.thessalon.ca is getting a new look as the home page is being revised to be more user-friendly and accessible. The website is scheduled to be updated by end of August, with new navigation menus, a user friendly community calendar, and readily available municipal news and public notices, etc.

Please note that in an effort to be in compliance with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, the Town of Thessalon is committed to making documents accessible that can be shared on our website for viewing wherever possible; however, there are circumstances where it becomes difficult to do so; such as historical documents, complex technical data, mapping, etc.

If you require a document not found on the town website please send your request to townofthess@thessaon.ca and it will be sent to you.

Business owners and representatives: please check back in on the community directory to see if your business' information is up to date. If you require any changes to the directory please send your request to lindsay@thessalon.ca



Recreation

THESSALON Community Days 2024

AUGUST 1 TO 5, 2024 - SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THURSDAY AUGUST 1ST

CAR SHOW & SHINE, MAIN STREET

SPONSORED BY SHAW'S GARAGE 6:00PM TO 8:00PM

- Music by JC
- Horticulture Society Baked Goods, Coffee & Tea
- Horticulture Memberships for Sale
- Ticket Sales: Lions Club Draw, Rainbow Camp Duck Race
- Library Booksale
- BBQ by St. Ambrose Church

FRIDAY AUGUST 2ND

SANDCASTLE BUILDING CONTEST, LAKESIDE BEACH 11:00AM TO 1:00PM

- Free Ice Cream provided by Child Care Algoma

SCIENCE NORTH STELLAR SCIENCE, PUBLIC LIBRARY 1:00PM TO 4:00PM

- Hands-on interactive space science exploration activities

LIBRARY SILENT AUCTION - BIDDING CLOSES AT 4:00PM

FIREWORKS AND VENDOR SHOW, THESSALON MARINA 6:00PM

- Fireworks by K&H Distributing
- Food and Vendor Show
- Music by Brendan Hodgson

SATURDAY AUGUST 3RD

PARADE - 1:00PM

- Staging at 12:30 at the Thessalon Primary School
- Theme is "Carnival"

KIDS ZONE & VENDOR SHOW, PEACE PARK AFTER PARADE TO 4:00PM

- \$5 Admission: Carnival Games, Bouncy Houses, Family Magic Show, Face Painting
- Thessalon Community Calendar Sales
- Vendor Show
- Family Magic Show by The Amazing Rene 2:30p.m. to 3:30p.m.

DUCK RACE, THESSALON RIVER RED BRIDGE - 2:00PM

LEGION MEAT DRAW, LEGION BRANCH 182 - 3:00PM TO 5:00PM

LION'S DEN DANCE, THESSALON MEMORIAL ARENA 9:00PM TO 12:00AM

- \$10 Admission
- Music by Mark Tarantini

***Fairview Buslines will be running a continuous route on SATURDAY,
flag down the driver to catch a ride!***

MONDAY AUGUST 5TH

COUNTRY FAIR & SILENT AUCTION, LITTLE RAPIDS MUSEUM 11:00AM TO 3:00PM

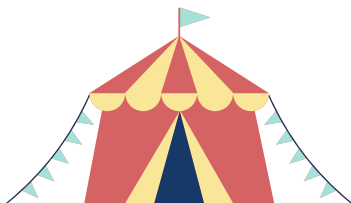
- Live music, food, arts & crafts market, kids zone

THESSALON FAMILY BALL TOURNAMENT

FRIDAY AUGUST 2ND TO MONDAY AUGUST 5TH

- Games continue throughout the weekend. Full schedule and updates can be found on the Thessalon Family Ball Tournament Facebook Page

CARNIVAL
DAYS



Other Upcoming Events

2024 Great Waterfront Trail Adventure Cycle Tour

The Cyclists will be coming through Thessalon on August 15 and 16th. Let's make them feel welcome! There will be a refreshment stand at the Thessalon Marina for the cyclists on Friday morning from 9:00 am to 10:00 am

Summer Fest - Peace Park

August 17, 2024 - 11:00 am - 3:00 pm

Poker Paddle - \$10 entry

Registration 10:00 am to 10:30 am

Cards must be turned in by 12:30 pm

- All participants must wear a lifejacket/PFD
- Under 18 must be accompanied by an adult
- Best poker hand wins!
- Door Prizes
- 4 KM return route (with possibility of additional 10 KM route)
- Food vendors available for food and beverage purchase

Classic Car and Bike Show - Free

Voyager Canoe Rides - Free

Pick up at Peace Park Beach 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Lifejackets and waivers are provided. Canoes fit 20 people per ride.

Community Sitting Yoga Class

In partnership with Algoma Manor, coming in September 2024. Stay tuned for details!