



# McNab/Braeside Township Times

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

April 18 – Regular Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m.  
 May 2 – Regular Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m.  
 May 9 – Planning Advisory Committee Meeting – 7:00 p.m.  
 May 16 – Regular Council Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

## SPRING CLEANING YOUR YARD?

Check Local By-laws before Open Air Burning

The McNab/Braeside Fire Department is advising residents to contact them regarding any restrictions governing open air burning, before starting any fires or burning brush. "With spring outdoor cleanup starting, we know some folks choose to burn brush and yard debris on their property," explained Fire Chief Hartwick. Cleaning up debris and limiting the level of flammable vegetation surrounding your home is a good practice, but make sure the way you do it is safe – for you, your home, your neighbors, and the surrounding area. A permit is required with specific conditions for burning as per open air burning by-law 2015-99. Open air burning can include the use of outdoor fireplaces and cooking fires not involving the use of a barbeque. Some outdoor appliances used are not recommended because there is potential for personal injury, property damage and increased risk of a grass fire. "Whether in the backyard of your home, the cottage or at a campground, make fire safety a priority," said Fire Chief Hartwick, "Open air burning, especially if left unattended, can become difficult to control and can result in a serious widespread fire". Always keep fire safety in mind, contact McNab/Braeside Fire Department for more information or any questions you have about our open air burning requirements 613-623-5756 ext. 233.

## EASTER OFFICE HOURS

The Township office will be closed on Good Friday, April 14, 2017 & Easter Monday, April 17, 2017.  
 Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, April 18, 2017.

## EARTH DAY COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP

The McNab/Braeside Community Clean Up is being held on Saturday, April 22, 2017.

Stop in at the Township Office located at 2508 Russett Drive for your garbage bags and gloves.

Snacks/Coffee will be provided from 9:00 a.m. until noon.

Take pride in your community and participate!

Call 613-623-5756 ext. 226 for more details.

## GARBAGE & BLUE BOX COLLECTION EASTER SCHEDULE

If your regular collection date should be **April 14, 2017**, your collection day will now be on Wednesday, **April 12, 2017** instead.

If your regular collection date should be **April 17, 2017**, your collection day will now be on Wednesday, **April 19, 2017** instead.

Only the residents that have garbage or blue box collection that falls on the holiday will be effected. Reminder – Please ensure garbage and recycling is at the roadside by 7:30 a.m.

## NOTICE – REDUCED LOAD RESTRICTIONS

NOTICE is hereby given that restricted vehicle loading regulations, in accordance with the Highway Traffic Act and the Township of McNab/Braeside By-Law No. 2012-12, will be **in effect immediately until May 31, 2017**. Vehicle loads will be restricted to 5 Tonnes per axle on **ALL** Township roads. Signs will only be erected at intersections of major highways throughout the Township or where load restrictions are not enforced by adjoining road authorities.

For enquires about the reduced load limits please contact the Townships Public Works Department at 613-623-5756 x 227.

## PUBLIC NOTICE - 2016 CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

As per Section 295(1) of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, notice is hereby given that the Township of McNab/Braeside's 2016 Consolidated Financial Statements and Auditor's Report are now available. The 2016 Financial Statements can be found on the Township's website at <http://www.mcnabbraeside.com/municipal-services/finance/> under the "Financial Report" link. For residents without access to the internet, a copy of this report may be obtained from the Township Office free of charge.

## TOWNSHIP BOAT LAUNCHES

Please be reminded that you must have a parking pass if you park your boat trailer at any of the Township's boat launches.

**Season passes** can be purchased at the Township Office (during operating hours) \$50/resident or \$75/non-resident.

**Day passes** can be purchased after March 15<sup>th</sup> for \$10 (during operating hours) at the Township Office, Robbins Confectionery, White Lake General Store, Antrim Truck Stop, Waba Cottage Museum & Gardens (May-September) and the Burnstown Beach Canteen (June – August). The parking pass **MUST** be visible to avoid being ticketed.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We currently have openings for volunteers to assist with the following projects:

Township 150 All-Canadian Relay (participants and workers)  
 Herbfest 2017 (event ambassadors, working with kids activities)  
 Parks and Recreation Department (clean-up crews)  
 Canada Day(Organizing Committee)

For more information call the Parks and Rec Dept. at 613-623-5756 x 226

\*Please note: Volunteer Community Hours could be utilized towards students' requirement for High School Graduation criteria

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