



Town of Baie-D'Urfé

Summer Newsletter

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Municipal Council Meetings—7:30 P.M.

Tuesday, June 9th

Tuesday, July 14th

Tuesday, August 12th

**At Fritz Community Centre
20477 Lakeshore**

Tuesday, September 8th

**At Town Hall
20410 Lakeshore**

JUNIOR COUNCIL MEETING

Thursday, June 11th at 7 P.M.

**Fritz Community Centre
20477 Lakeshore**

The next meeting of the Junior Council will take place June 11th at 7 p.m. at the Fritz Community Center. Let your children know.

Our junior council members meet on a quarterly basis to discuss issues in Town which are important to them and which should be addressed.

All youths aged 10 and over are invited to attend the junior council meetings. If you have any questions about the junior council, please send an e-mail to info@baie-durfe.qc.ca and mention Junior Council as the subject.

Please note that the Town Hall will be closed the following Legal Holidays :

St-Jean-Baptiste—Wednesday, June 24th

Canada Day—Wednesday, July 1st

Labour Day—Monday, September 7th



Public Information Meeting Morgan Entrance—Landscaping

Wednesday, June 17th at 7:30 P.M.
At Fritz Community Centre—20477 Lakeshore

We plan to improve the look of the entrance to the Town at Morgan, to turn it into something more welcoming and more fitting for the Town's main entrance. This project should be completed in time for the centenary of the Town's incorporation in 2011.

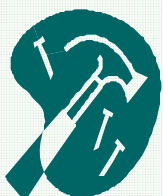
Three landscape designers were asked to submit designs for the embankments on the east and west sides of Morgan where it meets the highway ramps, as well as the embankment at the south-east corner of Morgan and Surrey. Preliminary designs will be presented and the three designers will be in attendance to answer questions.

CITIZENS ON PATROL DRIVERS NEEDED



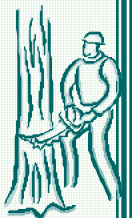
The Baie-D'Urfé Volunteer CITIZENS ON PATROL is in need of volunteer drivers for this service in town. For an application, please go to the Rescue Squad web site at [http://sbdrs.ca/index.php?pr=CITIZENS ON PATROL](http://sbdrs.ca/index.php?pr=CITIZENS_ON_PATROL) and complete the form. Information on the organization's mandate, role and responsibilities is available from the Rescue Squad Web site as well.

The CITIZENS ON PATROL provide a set of eyes and ears in the community to help prevent crime. Drivers will be expected to operate in pairs for a minimum of two-hour shifts. Much like a Community Watch Program, this program will provide a second level of surveillance of our property and community. Drivers will receive training before participating. For more information : www.sbdrs.ca or call Peter Neville at 514 457-9277. Applications are also available at the Town Hall.



MUNICIPAL PERMITS

Residents are required to obtain a building permit for all construction projects including pools, sheds, fences and retaining walls. Please note that it is also necessary to obtain a permit before cutting down trees measuring more than six inches and situated on your property. To obtain a town permit, please phone our municipal inspector, Gordie Charette at 514 457-5339 to schedule a meeting.





BRANCH PICKUP

This service is provided to citizens who have pruned their trees and placed the branches on the roadside for the Town to shred and dispose of.

This service does NOT include the removal of trees cut or pruned by a contractor. The contractor must remove the branches in addition to the tree.

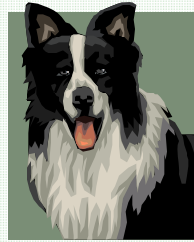
Please note that this service will be interrupted from Friday, June 19th to Monday, August 24th.

Residents who place branches by the road during this time will be fined.



WATERING MATURE LAWNS

Council encourages residents to use water responsibly by not watering mature lawns between 7 A.M. and 7 P.M.



BYLAW FOR PET OWNERS

Our municipal by-law states that dogs should be on a leash at all times unless they are in a fenced yard. Pet owners must also poop and scoop while on public or other private properties as well as dispose of it in a proper manner.

LET'S KEEP OUR TOWN CLEAN



Garbage collection is on Tuesdays. Please be reminded that our nuisance by-law states that garbage should not be put out before 8 P.M. Monday night. This is especially important in the summer months.



DRAINAGE SYSTEM

Residents are reminded that the drainage system belongs to the Town and that no modifications to this system may be made without the Town's permission. You cannot raise, fill, pipe or modify in any way the ditch or pipe which may be located on your property or the town-owned land adjacent to the street.



Household Hazardous Waste Collection

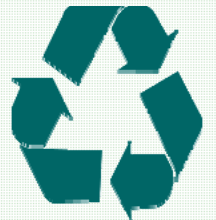
The next collection in Baie-D'Urfé will be held at
Public Works 300 Surrey on
Sunday, September 20th from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M.

For more information on items collected and a complete list of collection sites, contact the Town Hall or visit our website at www.baie-durfe.qc.ca



RECYCLING BINS

The new wheeled recycling bins were distributed during the first week of May. We hope that you are becoming used to yours and find it easy to use. Just a few reminders:



- Your recyclable materials no longer have to be sorted, although plastic bags should still be gathered together into one bag.
- A list of what is and is not recyclable was included with the new bins, and is also available on the town website at www.baie-durfe.qc.ca.
- The old blue boxes should no longer be used.
- When putting your wheeled bin out, the above recycling logo should face the street with the wheels facing your property.
- All materials must be inside the bin.

If you are wondering what to do with your old blue box, you have a few options:

- You are welcome to keep it as a storage container.
- It can be returned to the Public Works building.

Do not place your old blue box in the new wheeled recycling bins.



White Grubs

Pick up your pamphlet on short and long term eco-steps for battling white grubs at the Town Hall or download it from our website at www.baie-durfe.qc.ca.

Please note that McGill University's Urban Nature Information Service can assist residents with any questions regarding wildlife, grubs and horticultural problems. This free service is available from May 15 to August 15 at 514 398-7882. You can also visit their website at: <http://unis.mcgill.ca>.



LET'S HELP REDUCE SCAVENGER PROBLEMS IN OUR TOWN

We receive many complaints about raccoons in our Town. To this effect, we must remind citizens that it is against our bylaw to feed wild animals. It is also important to make sure that your garbage container is raccoon resistant. Our animal control officer is not mandated to control wild animals, however she does offer some good tips on her website: www.geocities.com/bdanimalcontrol.

FREE SWIM FOR BAIE-D'URFÉ RESIDENTS

**BAIE-D'URFÉ AQUATIC CLUB—20613 LAKESHORE
OFFERS FREE SWIM FOR BAIE-D'URFÉ RESIDENTS
ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:**

**MONDAYS , WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS
FROM 2 TO 3 P.M.**

PROOF OF RESIDENCE IS REQUIRED

**BAIE-D'URFÉ TENNIS CLUB
20617 LAKESHORE
FREE TENNIS FOR BAIE-D'URFÉ RESIDENTS
ON SUNDAYS FROM 4 TO 6 P.M.**



Players must have proof of residence, wear tennis shoes and respect the club's dress code.



**Baie-D'Urfé
Library
50th Anniversary**

**Saturday, June 20th
from noon to 2 P.M.**

Come and celebrate the 50th anniversary
of the Baie-D'Urfé Library
20551 Lakeshore

Mayor Tutino will cut the ribbon to officially open
the library's newly renovated premises.

Gifts, balloons and birthday cake.

Theatre in the Park

This year's presentation of *As you like it* by Shakespeare performed by the Repercussion Theater will be held on the grounds of Fritz Farm on Tuesday, July 28th, 2009 at 7:30 P.M.

Bring a chair and enjoy !
In case of rain, the performance will be held at the Red Barn.



Photo: Anne Kmetzko



Baie-D'Urfé Blood Drive Friday, June 19th - 1:30 to 7:30 P.M.

This year again, it will be the Friday of Baie-D'Urfé Days. Every 80 seconds, someone needs blood in Québec. Héma-Québec must collect a minimum of 1,000 donations per day to meet Quebecers' needs.

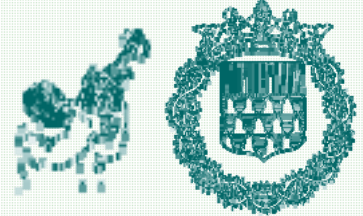
Mark Friday June 19th on your calendar and join Mayor Tutino at our Fire Station on Surrey. Let's continue leading the way in building a caring, sharing society.

Baie-D'Urfé Days— June 19 to 21, 2009





Free Bandstand Concerts
Thursdays at 7:30 P.M.



Mimosa Wind Ensemble	June 18
B Sharp Big Band	June 25
Big Band Club	July 2
Kirkland Concert Band	July 9
Lachine Concert Band	July 16
Lakeshore Concert Band	July 23
Bob Jazz Big Band	July 30
306 Wing Concert Band with Pipes and Drums	August 6
Hudson Big Swing Band	August 13

All concerts will be held in the bandstand
near the Fritz house, Lakeshore Road

Each concert will feature a « March around the Bandstand »
for children in attendance.

Bring a comfortable chair.

Consider coming early with picnic supper, and listen to the
concert after your meal.

Parking is available on Westchester,
at the Whiteside Taylor Center and
on the meadow via Carrière.

In the event of rain, concerts will be held at the Red Barn.

