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oeycornwall@giag.ca

Adult Day Program

Programmes de jour pour adultes

Enhancing seniors' physical, intellectual and social needs. Vise à maintenir et améliorer la santé physique et mentale des personnes âgées.

Youth in Transition Programme IJT

Supporting youth transitioning from child welfare programs into adulthood.

Pour les jeunes en transition du secteur du bien-être de l'enfance.

yitw@giag.ca











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Front (I-r): Mayor Lachlan McDonald and Deputy Mayor Martin Lang. Back (I-r): Councillors Trevor Bougie, Stephanie Jaworski and Sam McDonell.

Need assistance? Council is here for you! Residents and community members can reach out to Council members with questions, suggestions, or concerns. Contact information for all Council members is available on the Township website: www.southglengarry.com.





TOWNSHIP CONTACTS & INFORMATION

Stay connected with us!

South Glengarry Municipal Office 6 Oak Street, P.O. Box 220, Lancaster, ON K0C 1N0



(a) 613-347-3411

www.southglengarry.com



CORPORATE SERVICES

Chief Administrative Officer - Ext. 2101 Clerk/GM of Corporate Services - Ext. 2102 Deputy Clerk - Ext. 2111 Communications/EA - Ext. 2104 Front Desk - Ext. 2109

PLANNING, BUILDING & ENFORCEMENT

General Manager - Ext. 2201 CBO/Dir. of Development - Ext. 2204 Community Planner - Ext. 2207 Inquiries, Permits, and Inspections - Ext. 2205 Economic Development Officer - Ext. 2106 By-law Enforcement - Ext. 2206

INFRASTRUCTURE

General Manager - Ext. 2502 Infrastructure Coordinator - Ext. 2503 Technical Supervisor - Ext. 2501 Director of Water/Wastewater - Ext. 2504

WASTE MANAGEMENT

Garbage (HGC) - 613-933-0202 Recycling (Emterra) - 1-888-597-1541







FINANCE

Treasurer/GM of Finance - Ext. 2113
Accounts Receivable Inquiries- Ext. 2110
Accounts Payable Inquiries- Ext. 2114
Finance Clerk - Ext. 2109

PARKS & RECREATION

General Manager - Ext. 2302 Recreation Facilitator - Ext. 2301

FIRE SERVICES

Fire Chief - Ext. 2441

Dep. Fire Chief/Training Officer - Ext. 2442

AFTER-HOURS EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Water/Wastewater - 613-551-4457 Roads - 1-888-310-1122



Have a concern or feedback? Scan here to let us know!

NEW WEBSITE. SAME ADDRESS.

Our website just got a fresh update - same URL address, same community, brand new experience. We've made it easier to find what you need, whether you're looking for local information, services, recreation programming, or business resources. Take a look around and let us know what you think!





CLERK'S CORNER

COMMISSIONER OF OATHS

The Township provides Commissioner of Oath services for documents requiring an official oath, affirmation, or declaration. This includes documents such as vehicle transfers, insurance claims, foreign pension forms, and immunization exemptions - though we reserve the right to refuse certain documents. Signatures must be made in the presence of the Commissioner, and valid photo ID is required. Services are available at the Municipal Office during business hours by walk-in or appointment. **Note:** Notary Public services are not offered.

RECOGNITIONS

The Township of South Glengarry's Resident Recognition Program celebrates community members for their dedication and achievements. Residents can request a certificate of recognition from the Mayor for milestone birthdays (75+), anniversaries (50+ years), retirements, business achievements, school events, and MORE!

Requests are accepted year-round. Certificates can be mailed or picked up. For details, please contact 613-347-1166, ext. 2104, or email clerk@southglengarry.com.



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FINANCE at a glance



The Township issues <u>2</u> tax bills annually, each with <u>2 installments</u>, with due dates on the last business day of:

March

May

August

October



Each year there are <u>6</u> water bills, due bimonthly, on the 15th, starting in **January**, followed by **March**, **May**, **July**, **September**, and **November**.

Never pay interest again by signing up for **Pre-Authorized Payments!** Complete the form **online or in person** and submit it to **ar@southglengarry.com** or at the Township Office.





Welcome to iCity Online

South Glengarry's Online Financial Service Portal

The Township of South Glengarry now offers convenient online services, available anytime. To register, you will need an Access Code. You can obtain your Access Code by:

- Visiting the Township Office in person
- Calling us at 613-347-1166
- Submitting a request online (see QR below or visit www.southglengarry.com)

Once you have your code, you'll be ready to create your account and manage your information with ease.

Online Services

Property Taxes

Access your property tax account including account statements and past bills.



Utility Billing

previous bill amounts and usage statistics.



Register for E-Billing

Access your water account to review Registering for e-billing gives you the option to receive your tax bill via email or be notified when it is ready to view on your account.



Questions?

Learn more about iCity on the Township's website www.southglengarry.com

Contact Us

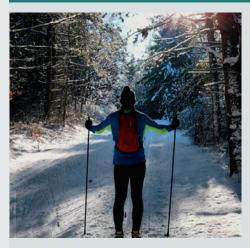
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THE FRIENDS OF THE SUMMERSTOWN TRAILS





WHO ARE THE FRIENDS OF THE SUMMERSTOWN TRAILS?

The Friends of the Summerstown Trails (FOTST) is a vibrant, community service organization of 17 years in existence. We are not a sports club, nor a social club, we basically exist to offer various fitness and leisure opportunities to the community.

We are an incorporated, volunteer, not-for-profit organization whose mission is to maintain the 30 km of trails in the Summerstown Forest and offer programs and events to the community. To achieve this, we have over 350 members and, every year, around 80 of them provide volunteer hours to help us do all that we do for the community. Since Covid, more than 23,000 to 25,000 visits are registered yearly.

WHAT CAN VISITORS EXPECT AT THE SUMMERSTOWN TRAILS?

In winter, visitors can enjoy groomed trails for cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, fat biking, and walking. The trails are well maintained, and weekend equipment rentals make it easy for everyone to take part — no experience or membership required. Special events like our Family Day event, ski races, and school outings add to the vibrant seasonal atmosphere.

In **non-winter** months, the trails are just as inviting, offering a peaceful natural setting for walking, biking, and Nordic walking programs. Spring brings a spectacular Trillium bloom, while fall offers colourful foliage and crisp hiking weather. Events like a high school cross-country meet and a fat bike food drive also keep the trails active year-round.



ARE THERE ANY FEES, MEMBERSHIPS, OR EQUIPMENT RENTALS REQUIRED TO ACCESS THE TRAILS?

The trails are situated on public lands, and as such there is no cost to access the trails year-round— no fees, permits, or memberships are required to enjoy the trails. For those who need gear, weekend equipment rentals (including cross-country skis, snowshoes, and fat bikes) are available during the winter season for a small fee. While not required, memberships can help support trail maintenance and programming.

ARE VOLUNTEERS OR DONATIONS NEEDED - AND IF SO, HOW CAN PEOPLE GET INVOLVED OR CONTRIBUTE?

We are always looking for new volunteers and donations. Those wishing to volunteer can do so by sending an email to **summerstowntrails@gmail.com** or through our website at **www.summerstowntrails.com**. Those wishing to donate can do so at the trails when they visit or through our website. But the best way to support what we do is by becoming a member, thus contributing on a yearly basis.

TELLUS MORE ABOUT THE SCHOOL PROGRAM.

On any given day (mostly mornings), a school bus will roll in the parking lot with anywhere between 40 and 50 grade 4 to 8 students and their teachers. Our volunteers (we usually have 6-8) are ready. Usually, half the group skis and the other half snowshoe. Our volunteers help them putting on the equipment that we provide and then will lead them in small groups on the trails for 60-90 minutes depending on weather and age. Back at the parking lot, we give them a cup of hot chocolate, and then off they go back to school for lunch. What a great morning for all!

SINCE THE TRAILS ARE SITUATED ON PUBLIC LANDS, DO YOU NEED PERMISSION TO OPERATE?

Yes, we do. The United Counties of SDG own most of the forest where the trails are located, a small section to the west is owned by the Ministry of Natural Resources. We have a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with SDG and the Township which outlines the responsibilities of each and lists the activities and programs we are allowed to do.

OUTSIDE OF WINTER, WHAT ARE THE BEST TIMES TO VISIT THE TRAILS?

In the spring, there is the Trillium bloom; it occurs in May, and lasts approximately ten days (dates vary each year depending on the weather). In many sections of the forest, the Trillium literally carpet the forest floor. It's quite spectacular. And you don't have to walk far: just 300-400 m from the parking lot and you start to see them.

And of course, after summer, there are the beautiful fall colours which last a fair number of weeks.

FINALLY, WHAT'S ONE THING YOU WISH MORE PEOPLE KNEW ABOUT THE TRAILS?

That we are a volunteer organization that provides access to the trails, and the parking lot, for free all year-round.

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Parks, Recreation & Culture

Char-Lan Recreation Centre 19740 John St., Williamstown, ON 613-347-1166 ext. 2301 recreation@southglengarry.com

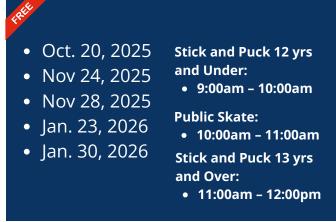
TOWNSHIP SKATING PROGRAMS

Free to attend. No registration required.

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	• Sundays: 12:00pm – 1:00pm
Public Skating	• Fridays: 4:00pm-5:00pm
	• Sundays: 10:00am – 11:00am
Beginners Skate	• Tuesdays: 10:00am - 11:00am
55 + Skate	• Tuesdays: 9:00am – 10:00am
	• Thursdays: 9:00am – 10:00am
55 + Shinny	• Tuesdays: 11:00am – 12:00pm
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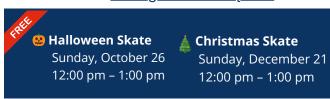
P.A. DAY ICE SCHEDULE

Free to attend. No registration required.



SPECIAL SKATING EVENTS

Free to attend. No registration required.



HOME OF THE



Char-Lan Skating Club Contact:

charlanskatingclub@gmail.com



Junior B Glengarry Brigade Contact:

www.glengarrybrigade.com



Char-Lan Minor Hockey Assoc. Contact:

leagues.teamlinkt.com/clmha

ARENA ICE RENTAL RATES

September 2025 - March 2026

The Char-Lan Recreation Centre offers quality ice time for leagues, teams, and community groups throughout the fall and winter season.

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Prime (Weekdays after 4:30 pm and Saturday & Sunday)	• \$200.00 per hour
Non-Prime (Day time Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm)	• \$150.00 per hour
Youth (Non-profit)	• \$140.00 per hour
Training Ice (Booked within 24 hours of the rental)	• \$80.00 per hour

RECREATIONAL PROGRAMMING

A variety of community-led programs promoting wellness, creativity, and connection.

BALANCE FOR LIFE

Location: Char-Lan Recreation Centre (Tartan Hall)

Date & Time: Mondays and Wednesday 8:45am, 10:00am and 11:15am.

The Township has partnered with Seaway Valley Community Health Centre (SVCHC) to offer this group exercise program for older adults, led by a certified instructor. You must be registered to participate.

Contact: Seaway Valley Community Health Centre at 613-930-4892

EARLY ON

Location: Char-Lan Recreation Centre (Tartan Hall)

Date & Time: Tuesdays from 9:00am-12:00pm

Offered by GIAG, this fun program lets you and your child explore art, music, and nature together.

Age: The program is for children aged newborn to 6 years old with their caregivers.

Contact: www.giag.ca or call 613-551-0199/613-930-9211 Ext. 231

MACCULLOCH DANCERS

Location: Char-Lan Recreation Centre (Tartan Hall) and Martintown Community Centre

Date & Time: Wednesdays 4:30pm-7:30pm (Char-Lan) or Tuesdays 4:30pm-8:30pm (Martintown)

This program offers highland and step dancing classes.

Start Date: September 24th (Char-Lan) or September 23rd (Martintown)

Contact: Deborah Wheeler at 613-938-3196

MACPHEE FIDDLERS

Location: Glengarry Celtic Music Hall of Fame

Violin and piano lessons on weekends at the Glengarry Celtic Music Hall of Fame.

Contact: David MacPhee at 613-528-4892

MARTINTOWN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

This community-based organization, established in 1965, for people to enjoy gardening. Guests can attend the monthly meetings filled with gardening information and outstanding speakers.

Contact: Ginny Blair at ginnyblair@gmail.com

SDG FITNESS

BODY PRECISION: Strength & Tone, Mobility & Core

Location: Martintown Community Centre

Date & Time: Mondays 6:00pm

30-30: Half Cardio, Half Strength, Toning, Mobility and Core

• Wednesdays at 6:00pm Martintown Community Centre

ZOOM FITNESS: From the Comfort of your Own Home!

• 13 Weekly Classes to Choose From

Contact: Marilyn Parisien at marilynparisien@live.com or 613-932-9168

WILLIAMSTOWN "GREEN THUMB" HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

Location: Char-Lan Recreation Centre (Tartan Hall)

Meeting Dates: October 6, November 3,

and December 1

Where gardeners of all levels grow together through expert-led workshops, fun events, and a shared love of plants.

Contact: greenthumbswilliamstown@gmail.com or "Williamstown Green Thumbs" on FB



RECREATIONAL PROGRAMMING at Char-Lan District High School

For more information, please contact the **Recreation Department** at **613-347-1166 ext. 2301** or **recreation@southglengarry.com**

PICKLEBALL

All ages, free drop-in program Beginning September 29, 2025 Mondays: 7:00pm - 8:30pm

BADMINTON

All ages, free drop-in program Beginning October 1, 2025 Wednesdays: 7:00pm - 9:00pm

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Beginning September 11, 2025

Thursdays evenings

Email to Register: southglengarrybasketball@gmail.com

MARTINTOWN GOODTIMERS PROGRAMMING

Location: Martintown Community Centre



Party Bridge

Social Card Game, \$2/session Mondays at 1:00pm Contact: Sandy Robertson 613-527-5135



Senior Exercise

Low-Impact Fitness, \$5/session Mon. & Wed. 9:00-10:00am Contact: Allyson Barclay 613-528-4663



Euchre

Social Card Game Thursdays 1:30-3:30pm Contact: Cindy Marjerrison 613-577-7067



Rug Hooking

Fabric Art, \$3/session 2nd & 4th Thursdays 9:00am-12:00pm Contact: Ginny Blair 613-528-4679



Duplicate Bridge

Contact: martintowngoodtimers@gmail.com

Competitive Play, \$3/session Tuesdays 12:30-4:00pm Contact: Judy Bradacs 613-528-4427



Pickleball

Drop-In Games Mon., Wed. & Fri. 10:00am-2:00pm Contact: Jennifer Monk 613-528-0128



Shuffleboard

Slide, Score, Socialize Thursdays 9:00am-12:00pm Contact: Wayne McNaughton 613-528-4653

LAN-CHAR CENTRE PROGRAMMING

Location: 20 Victoria Street, Lancaster **Contact:** 613-347-1175



BINGO Mon. & Fri. 1:00pm



CRAFTERS
Thursdays
1:00pm



FAMILY PHYSIOTues. & Thurs.
11:00am



CARDS Wednesdays 1:30pm



YOGAFridays
9:00am



FLOWER LETTERS2nd & 4th Tuesdays
of the Month



CHAIR & BALL EXERCISES Mondays 9:00am



ESSENTRICS
Tues. at 2:30pm
Fri. at 10:30am



THERABANDS
Tues. & Thurs.
9:00am



CONGREGATED
DINERS**
12:00pm
Call to Reserve



SOUP & SANDWICHESTuesdays
as Scheduled



BRUNCH
2nd & 4th Mondays
of the Month
10:30am



**Martintown: 3rd Wed of the Month



MEAL DELIVERY

Monday-Wednesday-Friday
(for individuals who qualify)

NEW VOLUNTEERS WELCOME! PHONE: 613-347-1175

GREEN VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE PROGRAMMING

Location: 4159 MacKinnon Rd

PICKLEBALL

Free to attend. Beginners welcome! Please bring your own paddle

Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:00pm - 8:00pm

Contact: Tracie Perron at **tracey.perron@me.com**Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00am - 11:00am

Contact: Micheline Jeaurond at michelinesj18@gmail.com

Tuesdays from 11:00am - 1:00pm

Contact: Carolyn Lovas at 666kar@gmail.com



ACTIVE USE PARKS



EMPEY-POIRIER PARK

† 6086 Vine St, Williamstown (Glendale Subdivision)

Features: play structure, outdoor rink, open green space.

GREEN VALLEY COMMUNITY PARK

📍 4159 MacKinnon Rd, Green Valley

Features: play structure, lit multi-purpose pad (outdoor rink in winter), open green space, 1 basketball court, and 1 pickleball/tennis court.

GLEN WALTER REGIONAL PARK

† 6618 Glen Walter Park Rd, Glen Walter

Features: play structure, 1 basketball court, 2 soccer fields, 3 tennis/6 pickleball courts, 2 beach volleyball courts, & a pavillion.

JACK DANAHER PARK

† 6095 Florence St, Bainsville

Features: lit multi-purpose pad (outdoor rink in winter) & small recreation centre.

KENNETH BARTON SR PARK

† 4850 County Rd 20, Martintown

Features: open green space along the Raisin River, bocce ball courts, water access & a small craft launch.

MARTINTOWN COMMUNITY PARK

† 5116 Nine Mile Rd, Martintown

Features: play structure and swing set, lit multipurpose pad (outdoor rink in winter, with change shack), 1 basketball court, 1 baseball diamond, 1 tennis/2 pickleball courts.

NORTH LANCASTER OPTIMIST PARK

[†] 4837 2nd Line Rd, North Lancaster

Features: play structure, lit multi-purpose pad (outdoor rink in winter, with change shack), & 1 lit Level "A" soccer field.

PAUL ROZON MEMORIAL PARK

19715 John St, Williamstown

Features: play structure and swing set, lit multipurpose pad (outdoor rink in winter, with change shack), 1 basketball court, 1 baseball diamond, & a splash pad.

SMITHFIELD PARK

₹ 34 MacDonald St, Lancaster

Features: play structure and swing set, lit multipurpose pad (outdoor rink in winter, with change shack), 1 soccer field, 1 beach volleyball court, 20m zipline, & a pavillion.

VOLUNTEER OPERATED OUTDOOR ICE RINKS

Several Township parks offer outdoor rinks during the winter season, weather permitting. These rinks are maintained by dedicated community volunteers, so availability may vary depending on weather conditions and volunteer support. You can find our outdoor rinks at...

- Empey-Poirier
- Green Valley Community
- Martintown Community
- North Lancaster Optimist
- Paul Rozon Memorial
- Smithfield
- Jack Danaher

Contact recreation@southglengarry.com to get involved!

FACILITY RENTALS

Planning a special event or gathering? The Township of South Glengarry offers a range of facility rentals perfect for meetings, celebrations, and community events. For rates and other information, please contact our Parks, Recreation, and Culture Department.

CHAR-LAN RECREATION CENTRE

19740 John St, Williamstown

Floor Surface: Available May to August **Ice Surface:** Available September to March

TARTAN HALL

19740 John St, Williamstown

within the Char-Lan Recreation Centre

Capacity: 240 (128 Seated)

Licensed facility with a full kitchen, restrooms, tables, chairs, Wi-Fi, and audio system.

MARTINTOWN COMMUNITY CENTRE

1 4850 County Rd 20, Martintown

Capacity: 150 (100 Seated)

Facility with a full kitchen, restrooms, tables, and chairs. Outdoor portion includes patio area and bocce ball courts.

GREEN VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTRE

† 4159 MacKinnon Rd, Green Valley

Capacity: 135 Standing (75 Seated)

Facility with a full kitchen, restrooms, tables,

and chairs.

NORTH LANCASTER OPTIMIST HALL

1 4837 2nd Line Rd, North Lancaster

Capacity: 100 (50 Seated)

Facility with a full kitchen, restrooms, tables, and chairs.

PAUL ROZON PARK BUILDING

19715 John St, Williamstown

Capacity: 50 (30 Seated)

Facility with a small kitchenette, restrooms, tables, and chairs.

SMITHFIELD PARK BUILDING

↑34 MacDonald St, Lancaster

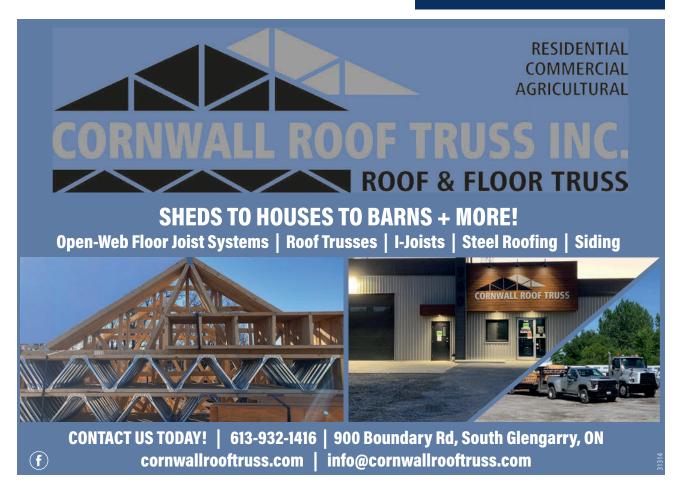
Capacity: 40 (20 Seated)

Facility with a small kitchenette, restrooms,

tables, and chairs.

CONTACT US!

613-347-1166 ext. 2301 recreation@southglengarry.com www.southglengarry.com

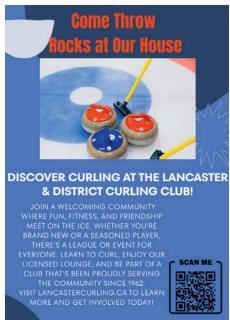




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>>> 2025/2026 SEASON

CHAR-LAN MINOR HOCKEY REGISTRATION - U7

IS YOUR CHILD READY TO TRY HOCKEY?
NO SKATING OR HOCKEY EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

WHO: KIDS BORN IN 2019, 2020, OR 2021
 WHERE: CHAR LAN RECREATION CENTRE
 WHEN: SEPTEMBER 2025- MARCH 2026

OUR COACHES ARE CERTIFIED!
OUR CHILD WILL LEARN IN A SAFE, FUN, AND SUPPORTIVE
NVIRONMENT LED BY EXPERIENCED, CERTIFIED COACHES.
THIS PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO BUILD CONFIDENCE,
FRIENDSHIPS, AND A LIFE-LONG LOVE OF THE GAME.

EGISTER NOW AND GIVE YOUR CHILD A FUN, SUPPORTIVE FIRST STEP INTO CANADA'S GAME!

⊕ VISIT: HTTPS://LEAGUES.TEAMLINKT.COM/CLMHA











The Raisin Region Conservation Authority works to protect, restore, and enhance our local environment. Through conservation areas, stewardship programs, and partnerships with landowners, RRCA helps ensure a healthy watershed for generations to come.

Explore Our Conservation Areas

- Cooper Marsh Boardwalks, viewing towers, interpretive centre, trails, and wetlands.
- Charlottenburgh Park Year-round trails, summer beach, boat launch, and camping.
- Gray's Creek Trails, marina, arboretum, playgrounds, and winter snowshoe rentals.







Cooper's Marsh.

Charlottenburgh Park

Gray's Creek

Programs & Stewardship

- Land Donation Leave a lasting natural legacy.
- Grassland Stewardship Funding available for creating and maintaining grassland habitats.
- Forestry Full-service tree planting with up to 90% project cost savings.
- Agricultural Stewardship Best practices to improve soil health, reduce erosion, and support farm sustainability.

RRCA Administration Office – 18045 County Road 2, Cornwall info@rrca.on.ca | (613) 938-3611 rrca.on.ca





Growth in Action - 2024 Building Stats

How building permits and inspections helped shape our community last year

In 2024, our community continued to grow, and our Building Department was busy helping make it happen. From new homes and local businesses, to renovations and safety upgrades, every building permit represents an investment in where we live. Behind the scenes, our team worked hard to review applications, issue permits, and complete hundreds of inspections to make sure each project met safety and quality standards. These numbers show just how much we accomplished together last year.



287
PERMITS
ISSUED



\$74,638,991 ESTIMATED CONSTRUCTION VALUE



60-100
INSPECTIONS
PER MONTH

Types of Permits Issued Institutional Commercial **Agricultural** 16 125 Residential Water/Sewer 18 **Demolition** 20 **Onsite Sewage Systems** 63 **Tents Swimming Pool** 21 Solar Panels 60

Considering a building project?

Be sure to consult with our knowledgeable Building Department staff prior to beginning a construction or renovation project.

Connect with us!

permits@southglengarry.com 613-347-1166 ext. 2205





Tarion & the Ontario New Home Warranties Act and Regulations By law, all new homes built in Ontario are provided with a warranty by the builder if the builder undertakes the performance of all the work and supply of all the materials necessary to construct a completed home whether for the purpose of sale by themself or under a contract with a vendor or owner. This law is called the Ontario New Home Warranties Act & Regulations. Tarion's role is to ensure that purchasers of new homes receive the coverage they are entitled to under their builder's warranty.

If you are acting as your own general contractor (i.e., you are personally hiring and paying each of the various construction trades) and you intend to live in the home after construction, then your home may not be required to be covered by warranty under the Ontario New Home Warranties Plan Act. To learn more about whether the warranty is required, please contact the Home Construction Regulatory Authority (www.hcraontario.ca).

What it is the warranty under the Ontario New Home Warranties Plan Act?

Coverage includes financial protection before you take possession and protection against construction defects after you take possession

How does the warranty work?

A new home built by a Home Construction Regulatory Authority (HCRA) licensed builder/vendor is eligible if it meets four criteria under the ONHWP Act (there must be a "home", "vendor", "builder", and "owner"; each of these are defined on the HCRA Website). The coverage begins when you sign the Agreement of Purchase & Sale and remains in effect for up to 7 years even if the home is sold. Each warranty comes with certain limits and obligations on you as a home buyer and owner, as well as your vendor/builder.

Who provides the warranty?

The vendor or builder pays the warranty enrolment fee to Tarion as a term and condition of an Enrolment Confirmation.

Effective February 1, 2021, Tarion's previous licensing responsibilities have been transitioned to the Home Construction Regulatory Authority. The HCRA is now responsible for regulating new home builders and vendors in the province. To learn more about the HCRA, visit www.hcraontario.ca.

For more information about Tarion & the Ontario New Home Warranties Act and Regulations, please visit https://www.tarion.com/.

Please note, a completed Tarion Declaration Form is required a building permit application for a new single-family dwelling.

WASTE MANAGEMENT

October 2025						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15 	16	17 	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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November 2025							
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
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	*	Last week of Leaf & Yard Collection					
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
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30							

December 2025						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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LEGEND:

TOWNSHIP OFFICE CLOSED: The Municipal Office is closed for the day

LANDFILL OPEN: The landfill is open 9:00am to 5:00pm

LANDFILL CLOSED: The landfill will be closed on October 11th, December 25th, and December 27th

HOLIDAY: Garbage and Recycling collection is a day later this week

LEAF AND YARD WASTE: Weekly pick up until November 3 on your regularly scheduled collection day.

Landfill Site Hours

Beaver Brook

19281 Beaver Brook Road (east of Chapel Road) Open: October 1 – May 31 Thursdays & Saturdays | 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

REMINDER: Please treat our landfill staff with respect. They are there to help you, but have rules and regulations to follow. Physical and verbal abuse will **NOT** be tolerated!



CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION

Week of January 5-8 and 12-15 on your regularly scheduled collection day. Please remove all lights, ornaments, and tree bags

FULL WASTE COLLECTION CALENDAR AND SCHEDULE CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE

www.southglengarry.com

GARBAGE & RECYCLING



LANDFILL UPDATES!



EXCITING NEWS!

We're excited to announce that out Township Landfills are now equipped with Point-of-Sale (POS) terminals. Residents can now pay with debit and credit, in addition to cash.

NEW! BY-LAW 2025-28



A new Solid Waste Management By-Law for the Township of South Glengarry has come into effect, this means...

- · Residential and Agricultural materials will only be accepted if transported by a dump trailer that is 5 cubic meters or smaller.
- · To help preserve the lifespan of the landfill, Industrial, Commercial, and Institutional (IC&I) waste will no longer be accepted.



REMINDER:

The Township cannot accept waste generated outside of South Glengarry. Any waste from outside the Township will be refused.

Thank you and we appreciate your cooperation as we implement these changes!

Discover South Glengarry's Community Profile Tool

ABOUT THE TOOL

Our Community Profile Tool (available at southglengarry.com) provides the most up-to-date local data from reliable government and industry sources.

Each chart or graph includes a menu (three dots in the corner) where you can:

- View the source of the data, when it was published, and the period it covers
- Download and save the graphic as an image for reports or business planning

The menu on the left lets you quickly switch between different types of information, including:

- Economic data
- Resident demographics
- Households & dwellings
- · Workforce characteristics
- · Livability indicators



SHARED RESPONSIBILI-TREE

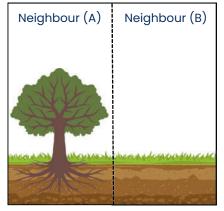
In Ontario, boundary trees are considered co-owned property and fall under the legal provisions of the **Ontario Forestry Act R.S.O. 1990**. The Forestry Act indicates that it is a **prosecutable offense** for one co-owner to injure or cut down a boundary tree **without** the other co-owner's permission.

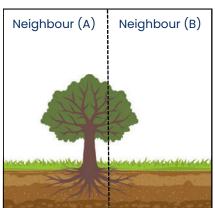
It is important to note that "boundary trees" differ from "shared" trees, where a portion of the root structure or the canopy of a tree may cross the boundary between adjoining lands. The roots and the canopy portions of a tree are not protected by the Forestry Act in the same way that the trunk of a boundary tree is. It is the responsibility of a property owner to discuss with their neighbours the potential impacts to both shared trees and boundary trees that may arise from activities on their property. Should such trees be injured to the point of instability or death, the developer or property owner may be held responsible through civil action.

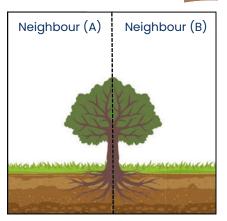
PRIVATE TREE - SINGLE OWNERSHIP

SHARED TREE - SINGLE OWNERSHIP

BOUNDARY TREE - CO-OWNERSHIP











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WINTER CONTROL



WINTER MAINTENANCE

From **November 1**st **to April 15**th, Township of South Glengarry employees patrol, plow, sand, and salt roads and sidewalks. If winter conditions extend outside of the dates noted above.

Township employees **will still respond** as required.

SNOW & ICE DEPOSIT

Blowing of snow and/or pushing snow across roads and streets is a **safety hazard**, and against the law. Please do not blow snow or push snow across roads, streets, and sidewalks. It creates **unnecessary hazards** to the travelling public in South Glengarry.

WINTER PLOWING

The Township of South Glengarry maintains approximately **390km** of roads during winter operations. Our Roads Department monitors weather reports throughout the winter to dispatch snowplows as needed to prevent and treat icy roadways, and to respond to snowfall accumulation based on the **depth of snow** and **class of road**.



Class 3 & 4

Crews dispatched within 12-16h of 8cm of snowfall



Class 5

Crews dispatched within 24h of 10cm of snowfall



Class 6

No standards



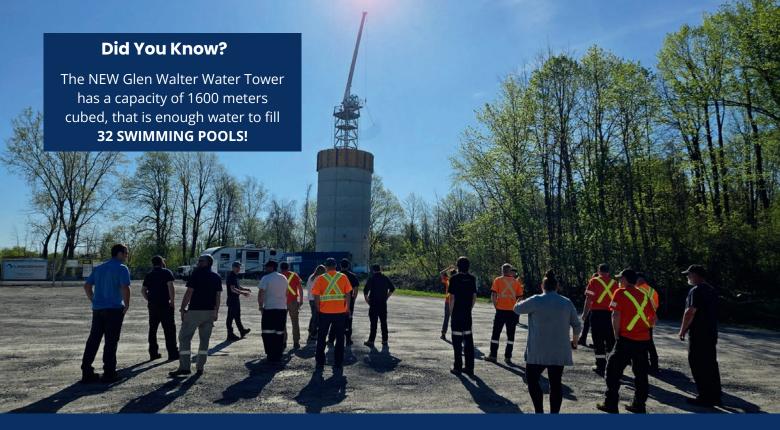
It's important to watch out for our snow plows when their lights are flashing and they are spreading out materials or removing snow!

MAILBOXES

Mailboxes that are **older, less sturdy, or not securely mounted** may be damaged by
snow from passing plows, and the Township
is not responsible for such damage. If the
Township Roads Department determines
that a plow vehicle made **direct contact**, the
mailbox will be repaired or replaced with a
standard Canada Post metal mailbox
on a wooden post. <u>All</u> repair or
replacement decisions are at the
Township's discretion.

PARKING

As winter approaches, please be considerate when parking to help ensure **safe and efficient** snow removal/salting. Please leave enough space for plows to maneuver, especially during/after heavy snowfall and avoid parking where it may **block or impede** our snow-clearing efforts. Let's work together to keep our community **safe** & accessible! Thank you!



Show Staff Some Love



Have you had a positive experience with Infrastructure Staff? We would love to hear about it!

Scan the QR Code to compliment an employee!



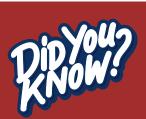




IT'S A TOILET, NOT A TRASH CAN!

...where does it go?

Treating water from the St. Lawrence River is much simpler than purifying community wastewater to a standard that allows it to be safely reintroduced to the river. Flushing harmful items down your toilets and drains can disrupt this complex and costly process, making it more challenging for our dedicated plant workers to manage and eliminate harmful bacteria, before it re-enters the St. Lawrence River.



Despite being marketed as "flushable," products like baby wipes and facial tissues often contribute to significant plumbing issues and sewer system damage



PROTECT

your **PIPES**

Avoid putting the following items in your toilet and drain...



Cotton Balls or Swabs



Bandages



Feminine Hygiene Products



Cooking Oil, Fat, or Grease



Plastics



Hair



"Flushable" Items



Candy/Food Wrappers



Paper Towels



Medications

HEAT your HOME SAFELY

As temperatures drop, staying warm is essential—but so is staying safe. Heating equipment is one of the leading causes of home fires during colder months. Here are some tips to keep your home cozy and fire-safe this winter.



SPACE HEATERS

- Keep a 3-foot zone around heaters
- Plug it directly into the wall, no power bars
- Turn it off before you leave the house



FIREPLACES

- Burn dry, seasoned wood only, no trash or recycling
- Have chimneys cleaned annually
- Use a fireplace screen to catch sparks



FURNACES

- Have your system inspected and serviced
- Change furnace filters regularly
- Keep air vents clear of curtains and clutter

Holiday HAZARDS!

The holidays should sparkle with joy - not fire hazards. Whether you're preparing a festive feast, lighting candles, or decorating your home, a few simple precautions can help you avoid common fire risks and keep your celebrations safe.

Cooking is the leading cause of holiday home fires. Never leave the kitchen while cooking and keep it cleared - move flammable items away, and use timers to avoid forgetting food while entertaining

Candles are cozy, but can easily cause fires if left unattended. Keep candles on a sturdy surface, away from children, and always remember to blow them out before you leave. Alternatively, Fire Chief Robertson advocates for battery-powered candles, which bring the same glow, minus the flame.

Festive decorations can be pose serious fire risks. Inspect lights before you plug them in and dispose of strands with frayed wires or broken bulbs. Be sure to turn off all lights and decorations before going to bed or leaving the house.

BESEN, BESAVED

EVERY SECOND COUNTS

Snowbanks, frost and early sunsets can make your house number disappear - and that can slow down emergency responders when you need them most. Fire, ambulance, and police can't help you if they can't find you!

This Winter, make sure to remove any snow obstructing your civic address number. Please ensure that your civic address is visible, attached to the front of your home if you reside in a village, or located on a civic address post to the side of your driveway.

Time spent looking for the correct civic address can now be spent helping you and your loved ones.





Meet Your

STATION CHIEFS











Station 1

BRIAN POIRIER

Glen Walter

Station 2

RODNEY KENNY

Martintown

Station 3
CHAD WARDEN

Williamstown

Station 4

DAN CHOLETTE

Lancaster

Station 5
ROCK ROZON
North Lancaster

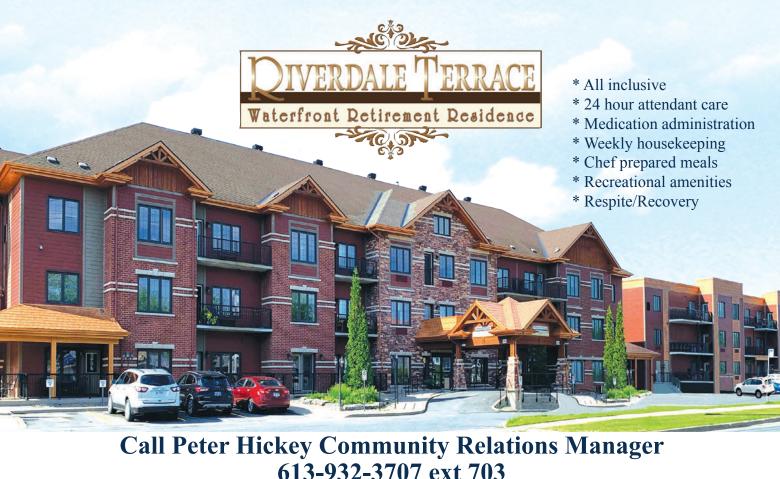
Emergency Services

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