

DELTA PILOT.

November ~ December 2018

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24th Annual Delta Country Christmas

Saturday, November 24th at 6:30 p.m.

Featuring
the *“Deltones Community Choir”*



Start the evening with a Spaghetti Supper
at the United Church at 4 p.m.

The pageant begins at the Baptist Church at 6:30 p.m. with
a short walk to the United Church and then onto St. Paul's
Church before returning to the Mill Drive Shed. There will
be choir anthems and carol singing amidst the Christmas
story narrative with children dressed in biblical costumes
representing the people in the Christmas story.

There is no admission charge but donations to the
Delta Food Bank are welcome which can be dropped off at either
the Baptist Church or the United Church



The Lower Beverley Lake Park Management Board
invites you to enjoy the sights of

CELEBRATING THE SEASON

Bundle up for an evening stroll or wagon ride around the Park
to see the trees and buildings all magically lit with over 100,000 lights.

4 WEEKENDS ONLY !

Open Friday & Saturday Nights from 5:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

November 30th & December 1st December 14th & 15th
December 7th & 8th December 21st & 22nd



Meals are served at the **United Church**, 36 King Street, Delta (Side Entrance)
4 p.m. to 7 p.m.

December 1st

Beef Stew / \$12 per person

December 8th

Lasagna / \$12 per person

December 15th





Turkey Dinner / \$18 per person

* Reservations are required for the Turkey Dinner
by calling 613-928-2712 or emailing harymary@ripnet.com

December 22nd

Shepherd's Pie / \$12 per person

Between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m.....

-  Wagon ride tours to the park will depart
from the Fair Grounds at 110 Mill Creek Drive.
-  Admission for Adults (13 years of age and older): \$5
Youth (12 years of age and under): Free
-  Tours of the Old Stone Mill will be offered at
44 King Street.
-  Hot Dogs / Coffee / Public Washrooms will be
available at the Old Town Hall, 8 Lower Beverley Lake
Road.



"Instilling a Passion for Our Heritage"

Telephone: 613-928-2584

Email: info@deltamill.org

Website: www.deltamill.org

It has been a very busy season for the Members and Volunteers of the Delta Mill Society with a lot of events being held at the Old Stone Mill and the Old Town Hall.

Christmas At The Mill

Friday and Saturday evenings between November 30th and December 22nd



Lit up with festive candles as part of *Celebrating the Season*, the Old Stone Mill will be open for tours between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. The Old Town Hall will also be open at the same time for visitors to enjoy hot dogs and refreshments prior to shopping at the gift table.

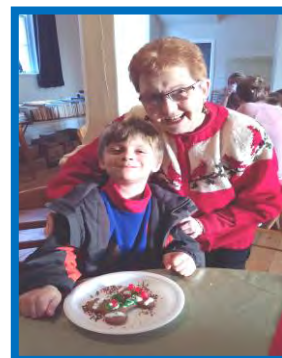
The Public Washrooms will also be available at the Old Town Hall throughout the event dates.

Kid's Gingerbread Craft Fair

Saturday, December 1st

Hosted by the Delta Mill Society between the hours of 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m., children accompanied by their parents are welcome to have fun decorating gingerbread cookies at the Old Town Hall. Cookie supplies will be provided at no charge. As the children enjoy an afternoon of decorating cookies, parents can enjoy a hot drink while listening to Christmas music and shopping in the gift shop. Hotdogs and soft drinks will also be available for purchase.

Contact cathy.livingston@sympatico.ca for additional information



Christmas Craft Market

December 7th and 8th



Now available with expanded hours of operation, the Christmas Market will once again be held at the Old Town Hall. This year's market will be open to the public on Friday, December 7th between the hours of 4:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m. and again from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 8th.

Refreshments will be available to warm shoppers as they browse or sit down to snack and rest.

Vendors interested in reserving a table at the Christmas Market are asked to contact the Mill Office by calling 613-928-2584 or via email to info@deltamill.org. 6' tables rent for \$5.00 for the Friday sale and \$10 for the Saturday sale.

TERRY FOX RUN for CANCER RESEARCH

The 2018 Edition of the Terry Fox Run for Cancer Research was held in Delta on Sunday, September 16th.



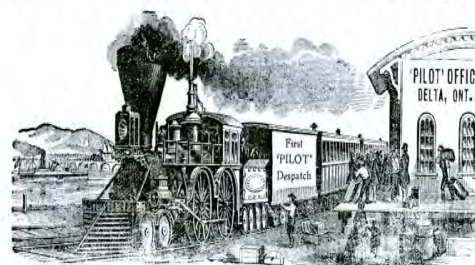
Based at the Delta Fair Grounds, the event began with the registration desk opening at 8:00 a.m. A total of 46 participants walked / ran through the Village and Lower Beverley Lake Park throughout the morning.

\$4,025.00 was raised at this year's Delta event with \$1,150.00 coming from Lower Beverley Lake Park camper sponsorships. Since the campers started supporting this cause in 2003, a total of \$17,550 has been collected within the park.

THANK YOU for YOUR SUPPORT

First issued on February 28th, 2011, this version of the *Delta Pilot* has been promoting the activities of Delta's not-for-profit and charitable organizations for the past eight years. While all of the expenses incurred with producing and distributing the Pilot were initially covered by the Lower Beverley Lake Park Management Board, an invitation was extended to all of the organizations in Delta to join with the Park Board to ensure the longevity of the Pilot.

TOOT! TOOT! TOOT!



Thanks to the combined generosity of the following organizations, the residents of Delta and area have been able to receive the Delta Pilot in 2018.

A NOTE OF



Beverley Senior Citizens' Club #460, Delta
Delta Agricultural Society
Delta Athletic and Recreation Society
Delta Baptist Church
Delta Mill Society
Delta United Church
Lower Beverley Lake Association
Lower Beverley Lake Park Management Board
Rideau Lakes Public Library
Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #207 and Auxiliary
St. Paul's Anglican Community Committee
Township of Rideau Lakes



Members of the Community are invited to join the
Comrades of **Royal Canadian Legion, Branch # 207 Delta**
for a **Memorial Service** at the **Cenotaph** in Stone Mills Park on
November 11th at 11:00 a.m.



Refreshments will be served at the Legion Hall following the Service.
In the event of inclement weather, the Service will be held at the Legion Hall.

"Why Wear a Poppy?"

by Don Crawford



"Please wear a poppy", the lady said,
And held one forth, but I shook my head.
Then I stopped and watched as she offered
them there,
And her face was old and lined with care;

But beneath the scars the years had made
There remained a smile that refused to fade.
A boy came whistling down the street,
Bouncing along on carefree feet.

His smile was full of joy and fun,
"Lady" said he "may I have one?"
When she pinned it on, he turned to say:
"Why do we wear a poppy today?"

The lady smiled in her wistful way
And answered, "This is Remembrance Day,
And the poppy there is a symbol for
The gallant men who died in the war."

"And because they did, you and I are free,
That's why we wear a poppy you see.
I had a boy about your size,
With golden hair and big blue eyes."

"He loved to play and jump and shout
Free as a bird, he would race about.
As the years went by, he learned and grew
And became a man - as you will too. "

"He was fine and strong, with a boyish smile,
But he'd seemed with us such a little while.
When war broke out and he went away;
I still remember his face that day."

"He then smiled at me and said good-bye.
'I'll be back soon, Mom, so please don't cry.'
But the war went on and he had to stay.
And all I could do was wait and pray."

"His letters told us of the awful fight
(I can see it in my dreams at night),
With the tanks and guns and cruel barbed wire,
And the mines and the bullets, the bombs and
the fire."

"That sure did sound like an awful fight,
But your son - did he come back alright?"
A tear rolled down each faded cheek;
She shook her head but didn't speak.

I slunk away in a sort of shame,
And if you were with me, you'd have done the
same;
For our thanks, in giving is aft delayed,
Though our freedom was bought - and
thousands paid!

And so, when we see a poppy worn,
Let us reflect on the burden borne
By those who gave their very all
When asked to answer their country's call
That we at home in peace might live.
Then wear a poppy, be thankful and give!



SEASONAL CAMPERS DONATE \$7,500



The Seasonal Campers' Recreation Committee at Lower Beverley Lake Park recently donated \$7,500 to the park to cover all expenses associated with the children's programs and activities offered at the park this summer. Funds were raised through bingos, raffles and various catering projects.

Photo (l-r): Al Moorhouse - Campers' Liaison, Recreation Committee Treasurer Joyce Morley and Park Manager William Morris.

MONDAY MORNING COFFEE

Be sure to stop by the United Church Hall for some coffee, donuts and fellowship. This activity is offered every Monday morning as part of the Church's Outreach Program between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. There is no charge but a free will donation is welcomed.



SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST CLUB

Enjoy delicious food and fellowship every Saturday morning between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. at the Delta United Church Hall.

The breakfast menu includes bacon with eggs and cheese on an English muffin, home fries and coffee.

From humble beginnings in 2007, 'Build A Mountain of Food' now collects food and cash for the food banks within 11 local communities. Last year alone, a record breaking 213,732 pounds of food and \$168,174 in cash donations was collected over a six-week campaign in the towns and villages of Almonte, Carleton Place, Perth, Lanark, Smiths Falls, Westport, Elgin, Portland, Merrickville, Athens, and Delta. If all goes according to plan, organizers of the 'Build A Mountain of Food' campaign will top the 1-million-pound mark of food collected in the past 11 years.

The Delta Food Drive will be held at the Delta Country Market on December 15th between the hours of 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m.



DELTA BRANCH of the RIDEAU LAKES PUBLIC LIBRARY

18 King Street, Delta, ON K0G 1E0

Phone: 613-928-2991

Website: www.rideaulakeslibrary.ca

Facebook: www.facebook.com/rideaulakespubliclibrary



Rideau Lakes
PUBLIC LIBRARY

Delta Branch Hours

Tuesday 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Thursday 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Onwards we go into the cool weather of late fall and early winter so it is time to cozy up with a great book and a hot beverage. It has been said by some that more mystery books are read at this time of year than ever, so why not stop by and grab a book by your favourite author? Need some ideas, staff are available to help! Don't forget you can also download your materials using Hoopla, Libby and Flipster from home, using your library card and PIN numbers. We can help you get started.



Story Time is held every other Tuesday morning between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. from October 2nd to December 11th. This program is for parents and caregivers with children up to 6 years of age. Come in to enjoy playtime, stories, songs and rhymes with Laura Lee Davis. For more info, contact Laura Lee at lauralee@rideaulakeslibrary.ca

Library staff continues to partner with volunteers with the Rideau Lakes Local History Centre to help digitize local collections of photos and documents. For additional information, contact Sue via email to rideaulakeshistory@gmail.com. The Centre remains open on Thursday afternoons between the hours of 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Contact Ashley (ashleyrideaulakes@gmail.com) to book a one-on-one tech help session.

WINTER ROAD MAINTENANCE

Pushing snow across roads and streets is not only a safety hazard; it is against the law. The Ontario Traffic Act states that 'No person shall deposit snow or ice on a roadway without permission in writing to do so from the Ministry or road authority responsible for the maintenance of the road.' R.S.O. 1990, c H8, s. 18



DELTA COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE

Volunteers with the Delta Community Improvement Committee (DCIC) have been working hard since the launch of Delta's new logo "DO Delta Ontario" and community colours in October of 2017. The new website (www.deltaontario.com) showcases the logo and colours. Additionally, the Delta Matters Facebook page along with the DO Delta Ontario's Instagram and Twitter accounts are excellent venues to share information within the community.



The current DCIC project focuses upon the redevelopment of the waterfront park across the street from the Jubilee Block. Following a request for proposals, Riverview Design Solutions from the Brockville/Prescott area was chosen as this firm has developed the waterfront in both Brockville and Prescott and are familiar with working with the various levels of government in



this environment. During the summer, Riverview developed two options which were presented to the community at a Public Meeting at the Old Town Hall on September 15th with over 40 people attending including residents, Municipal Councillors and electoral candidates. At the conclusion of the meeting, Option 2 was selected as the preferred choice. For a more detailed view of Option 2, please visit www.deltaontario.com.

The implementation of the park plan will be completed in stages as funding becomes available. The work of the DCIC, in co-ordination with the Township of Rideau Lakes, will be to identify funding opportunities from various levels of government and private foundations in order to attain the goal. At the regular meeting of the Municipal Services Committee of the Township on October 9th, the DCIC was permitted to apply for grant opportunities in association with the municipality and Council was asked to consider a call for 'matching funding' from the Parks and Recreation Fund, as was done for the Elgin Rink project.

Phase one will involve the completion of a survey and the stabilization of the shoreline. This project will take time and will need the community to work together but the citizens of Delta have a strong commitment to make it happen!

Additional information regarding this project can be obtained by contacting Liz Priebe at 613-928-2902 or via email to priebe.liz@gmail.com.

St. PAUL'S ANGLICAN COMMUNITY COMMITTEE

Commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the end of World War One at St. Paul's Church on November 11th with the tolling of the church bells at 4:30 p.m. All members of the community are welcome to attend.

Be sure to visit the Christmas Craft Market at the Old Town Hall on December 8th between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. and shop at the St. Paul's table where there will be a lot of Christmas goodies to purchase!



Join in the singing of Christmas carols around a campfire on the lawn of St. Paul's Church on December 12th at 6:00 p.m. Warm drinks and snacks will be available for all participants to help keep the chill away. If the weather does not cooperate, the carols will be sung inside the church.



What's New @ The Delta Recreation Centre

Thank You Families

We would like to thank all of the families who participated in the 2018 Summer Programs for Kids. We had 30 kids from 17 families across the Township join us every Wednesday for sports, art and fun. If you would like to be notified of upcoming programs and activities, please follow us on Facebook.

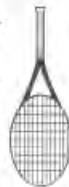


Find our page by searching:
Delta Athletic Sub Committee

Sunday Yoga Series



Join us at the Rec Centre every Sunday in November from 9am to 10am for our yoga and meditation series led by Ashley Chant. \$80 for 5 classes. Weekly rates available. Space is limited.



After School Fun

October's Wednesday nights were filled with the sounds of ball hockey, basketball and laughs. The courts were alive with sounds of kids playing and getting lots of fresh air. Is there anything better?

Interested in running more activities? Let's hear your ideas. The Centre is available for use by the community. We would love to see it buzzing with activity all year long.



Skate Swap

Thanks to the community members who donated skates this summer. We will now have skates in several sizes available to borrow or trade once the ice surface is ready to go. Yes, we are still accepting donations of skates.

Pickle Ball & Tennis 2019

If you would like to join a court sport league, play or teach lessons, please reach out to the committee members.



Time to Volunteer

The smooth operation of our ice rink depends on the dedication and diligence of local volunteers.

We are grateful for residents that are willing to take on the challenge of creating and maintaining a safe ice rink environment for the community and Township guests to enjoy.

Want to help keep the ice surface in tip top shape?

Join us at a
Volunteer Meeting
Saturday, November 17th
10am at the Rec Centre

or contact a DASC committee member for more details:

Pat Phillips, Angus Brown
Michelle Miller, Tanis Cowan

Winter Carnival is coming...

HARVEST FESTIVAL DECORATING CONTEST RESULTS

Congratulations to the following individuals for their efforts and participation in the Harvest Festival Decorating Contest.



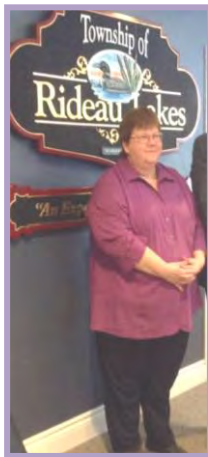
Amy and Mike Gray
Residential Category



Sharon and Jeff Findlay
Business Category

MUNICIPAL NEWS from Councillor Cathy Livingston

Email: cathy.livingston@sympatico.ca
Telephone: 613-928-2796



I would like to thank all of the residents who supported me in the municipal election with special mention of my family members. Council selected a new voting system this time in which voters could either vote by phone or on the internet thinking that it would get more people voting because we didn't need to leave our homes; however only 41% cast their ballots compared to 44% in 2014. I expect this will be taken into consideration for the 2022 election. Nonetheless for those who did vote, the majority chose myself and Portland resident Carolyn Bresee to represent the Ward of Bastard & South Burgess.

We have some good things happening that I hope will come to fruition such as the Delta Waterfront Project that Council gave their approval to proceed with Option 2. We are hopeful some funding will be put aside in the 2019 budget plus we will be applying for grants and fundraising efforts. If you would like to give a donation towards this project, a cheque can be made out to the Township of Rideau Lakes with Delta Waterfront Project in the memo area. An income tax receipt will be given for any donation over \$25 and the money will be allocated to this project.

So, with a new Mayor and Council, I am sure there will be many more challenges and opportunities over the next 4 years and I look forward to serving you once again.

Municipal Election 2018

The Township of Rideau Lakes is a rich, vibrant community in which residents are willing to contribute their time, talent and resources to work together for the betterment of the entire municipality. Public service is one of the noblest pursuits an individual can undertake and service on Municipal Council provides a wonderful opportunity to give back to one's community.

A sincere vote of thanks is extended to all of the candidates who participated in the 2018 election followed by congratulatory wishes to the following individuals who will represent the Ward of Bastard & South Burgess during the next term of council:

Candidates Elected	Contact Number	Contact Email
ARIE HOOGENBOOM Mayor elect	613-323-0901	arieathome@hotmail.com
CAROLYN BRESEE Councillor elect	613-272-8837	cd.bresee3@gmail.com
CATHY LIVINGSTON Councillor elect	613-928-2796	cathy.livingston@sympatico.ca
JAMIE SCHOLAR School Board Trustee elect (Upper Canada District SB)	613-326-0402	jamie.scholar@gmail.com
ROBERT REIL School Board Trustee acclaimed (Catholic District SBEO)	613-345-4354	Robin.Reil@cdsbeo.on.ca

Special thanks to Mayor Ron Holman and Councillor Rob Dunfield for representing our community on Council during the previous term of office.



Election Results, October 22nd, 2018 / Representatives for Ward 1: Bastard & South Burgess

OFFICE OF MAYOR	CANDIDATE	VOTES RECEIVED
	Dunfield, Rob	1882
Elected	<i>Hoogenboom, Arie</i>	3184

OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR	CANDIDATE	VOTES RECEIVED
	Banks, Paula	228
Elected	<i>Bresee, Carolyn</i>	620
	Brown, Kimberley Dawn	284
	Cannon, Marcia	479
Elected	<i>Livingston, Cathy</i>	715
	Sheldon, Kris	152

OFFICE OF SCHOOL TRUSTEE (Upper Canada District)	CANDIDATE	VOTES RECEIVED
	Dunfield, Sue	2215
	Richards, Susan	2595
Elected	<i>Scholar, Jamie</i>	2686

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE for the
January / February 2019 Edition is December 14th, 2018**

Upcoming
**COMMUNITY
EVENTS**

Beverley Senior Citizens' Club #460

- Meeting / Pot-Luck luncheon on November 28th at noon in the United Church Hall.
- Meeting with catered meal on December 19th at noon in the United Church Hall.

Delta Agricultural Society

- Board meeting on November 28th at 7:00 p.m. in the Fair Office.

Delta Athletic and Recreation Society

- Volunteer Recruitment Meeting on November 17th at 10:00 a.m. at the Recreation Centre.

Delta Baptist Church

- Bible study every Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in Memorial Hall at the Baptist Church.
- Diner's Club on November 9th & December 14th at noon in Memorial Hall at the Baptist Church.
- Christmas Eve Service on December 24th at 6:00 p.m.

Delta Food Bank

- Open on the second Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in the United Church Hall.
Call Linda at 613-213-4828 for information.
- Build a Mountain of Food Collection on December 15th at 1:00 p.m. at Delta Country Market.

Delta Mill Society

- Kid's Gingerbread Craft Day on December 1st (3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.) at the Old Town Hall.
- Christmas Craft Market on December 7th (4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.) at the Old Town Hall.
- Christmas Craft Market on December 8th (10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.) at the Old Town Hall.

Delta United Church

- Monday morning coffee and donuts from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the United Church Hall.
- Saturday morning breakfast from 8:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. in the United Church Hall.
- Spaghetti supper on November 24th at 4:00 p.m. in the United Church Hall.

Good Food Box

- Fresh fruit and vegetables are available at wholesale prices for all community members.
Payment is due on the 7th of the month; delivery is made on the 3rd Tuesday.
Call Claire at 613-928-2761 for information.

Lower Beverley Lake Park

- See Page 2 for complete details regarding Celebrating the Season Christmas program.

Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #207 and Auxiliary

- Euchre tournaments are held every Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the United Church Hall.
- Remembrance Day Memorial Service on November 11th at 11:00 a.m. in Stone Mills Park.

St. Paul's Anglican Community Centre

- Tolling of the Bells at 4:30 p.m. on November 11th at St. Paul's Church.
- Carolling on the Lawn on December 12th between 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. at St. Paul's Church.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

United Church at 9:15 a.m. / Baptist Church 9:30 a.m.

LOWER BEVERLEY LAKE PARK MANAGEMENT BOARD

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