

# Brockton Buzz







## Brockton Buzz Issue June 1, 2014

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### Household Hazardous and Special Waste Collection Schedule 2014

When in doubt, don't throw it out! Help keep environmental contaminants out of our landfills and waterways. You can clean out your house, garage and basement and remove hazardous and special waste materials and dispose of them in an environmentally safe manner at **NO COST** with Bruce County's Household Hazardous and Special Waste Collection. Household hazardous and special waste includes, but is not limited to, the following products:

Corrosive	Toxic	Flammable	Reactive
			
Batteries, Drain Openers, Oven Cleaners	Pesticides, Pharmaceuticals, Cleaners	Gasoline, Antifreeze, Paint, Oil, Solvents, Propane Tanks	Aerosols, Pool chemicals, Ammonia, Bleach, Fluorescent bulbs and tubes

The County of Bruce will be conducting 2014 Household Hazardous Waste Collection Events throughout the County. The 2014 locations in or around Brockton include:

Sites	Location	Date	Time
Paisley	Bruce County Highways Garage - 242 Canrobert Street	August 9	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Walkerton	Bruce County Highways Garage - 94 County Road 2	September 13	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Please Note: Commercial, Agricultural, Industrial Wastes, PCB's, Infectious or Radioactive Wastes will NOT be accepted.** For complete information about Bruce County's Household Hazardous and Special Waste Collection program visit [www.BruceCounty.on.ca](http://www.BruceCounty.on.ca) and search for 'Waste Management'.

### New Film Plastics Recycling Pilot Project Launches June 2, 2014

Beginning June 2, 2014 Brockton will launch a pilot project to recycle film plastics to keep these plastics out of our landfills. The program will accept retail and packaging bags, food and produce bags, product packaging and wrap marked with #2 HDPE and #4 LDPE recycling symbols. Residents can collect accepted film plastics in an empty grocery or retail bag, tie tightly and place these bags in the yellow bins at their landfill site during landfill hours or at the 24 hour Walkerton Recycling Depot (320 Kincardine Highway, Walkerton). Complete information and a list of accepted and unaccepted items can be found at [www.Brockton.ca/FilmPlastics](http://www.Brockton.ca/FilmPlastics) or on the bins themselves.

### Notice of Walkerton Watermain Flushing

As part of the ongoing maintenance of the Walkerton Water System, Veolia Water will be flushing the Walkerton distribution system throughout June and July 2014. This is estimated to take approximately 1 ½ months to complete. Residents are asked to run a cold water tap after the flushing has been completed in your area to discharge any discoloured water before use. We apologize for any inconvenience that this may cause. If you have any questions please contact Veolia Water at 519-881-1474.



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### **Volunteer Firefighters Probationary / Auxiliary**

The Walkerton Fire Department is currently accepting applications for the position of Probationary Volunteer Firefighter. All successful applicants will be required to be "on call" during certain periods and be required to meet certain levels of attendance for emergency response, training and other fire department related activities. Application packages are available at the Municipal Office located at 100 Scott Street, Walkerton, Ontario. Applications will be accepted until Monday, June 9, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. Interviews will be held on the evening of Monday, June 16, 2014. Visit [www.Brockton.ca/Careers](http://www.Brockton.ca/Careers) for more information.

### **Brockton Parks and Recreation**

Walkerton Centennial Pool opens Saturday June 7. Visit [www.Brockton.ca/Pool](http://www.Brockton.ca/Pool) for pool and swimming lesson schedules. Session 1 begins June 9. Evening Aqua Fit begins June 17.

Longest Day of Play will be celebrated on Saturday June 21st. Be sure to record your hours of being active at [www.playbrucegrey.com](http://www.playbrucegrey.com).

Register today for Summer Fun Day Camp and Summer Specialty Days and Camps. Visit [www.Brockton.ca/DayCamps](http://www.Brockton.ca/DayCamps) for a full listing of opportunities. Summer Fun Day Camp program will be offered at Cargill Community Centre on Wednesdays if minimum participant numbers are met.

### **Bulletin Board**

**Walkerton Firefighters Breakfast and Touch a Truck** Saturday June 7 from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Explore, play, eat and dream at the Walkerton Fire Hall, 510 Napier Street. Entry by Donation.

**Elmwood Firefighters Breakfast** June 7 from 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Tickets available at the event. All you can eat for Adults \$10 Children \$5. Fire trucks on display, homecoming display and yard sale.

**Longest Day of Golf Community Festival** "Cancer is Not a FAIR Way" Tuesday June 24 at the Walkerton Golf and Curling Club. Free community breakfast 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Advance tickets only are available at Marlin Travel until June 10. To book a tee time or for more information call Joe Rys 519-881-1953.

**Music in the Park** Sunday June 29 featuring Bonez of Contention from 7:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Walkerton Heritage Water Garden. Please bring your lawn chair. Visit [www.Brockton.ca/MusicInThePark](http://www.Brockton.ca/MusicInThePark) for this summer's schedule.

### **Office Closed**

The Municipal Office will be closed on Tuesday July 1 for Canada Day.

#### **Brockton Municipal Office**

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Hours: 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.