

# Brockton Buzz



September 1, 2013



## **NOTICE OF SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING**

O.P.P. Presentation Wednesday September 11, 2013 at 3:30 p.m in Brockton Council Chambers.

## **BROCKTON HOUSEHOLD WASTE PICKUP RESUMES TO BI-WEEKLY COLLECTION**

BI-WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD WASTE pickup for the **BRANT WARD** of Brockton, will resume on Tuesday September 10<sup>th</sup> and every two weeks thereafter. The last weekly pickup was August 27<sup>th</sup> and there will be no pickup on Tuesday September 3<sup>rd</sup>.

BI-WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD WASTE pickup for the **GREENOCK WARD** of Brockton will resume September 6, 2013 and **every two weeks** thereafter.

BI-WEEKLY HOUSEHOLD WASTE pickup for the **Ward of Walkerton** will be as follows:

- Tuesdays – West of Yonge St. & Valleyside beginning September 10<sup>th</sup> and **every 2 weeks** thereafter. There will be no pickup on Tuesday September 3<sup>rd</sup>.
- Wednesdays – East of Yonge St. beginning September 11<sup>th</sup> and **every 2 weeks** thereafter. There will be no pickup on Wednesday September 4<sup>th</sup>.

## **COUNTY OF BRUCE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS & SPECIAL WASTE EVENT**

Bruce County will be conducting a Household Hazardous Waste Event for all residents of Bruce County on Saturday September 7<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm-4:00pm at the Bruce County Highways Garage, 94 County Road 2 in Walkerton. For more information please visit the Bruce County Website

<http://www.brucecounty.on.ca/waste-management.php>

Telephone: 1-877-681-1291 Ext. 4

## **RESIDENTIAL HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY- SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

**For residents of the Town of Hanover & Walkerton Ward.** This special event will be held at the MTO Yard 320 Hwy 9 from 10:00am – 2:00pm and is for **household hazardous waste only**.

\*\* Commercial or industrial waste *will not* be accepted.

## **MUNICIPALITY OF BROCKTON'S NEW WEBSITE UPDATE**

Staff continues to work hard on the new website and many hours have been committed to the redesign. We have approved the sitemap and chosen our concept. As of August 28<sup>th</sup> the content has been sent to eSolutions Group, who is managing this project for us. We hope to have a November 1<sup>st</sup> launch...so please keep watching!



**Give Us Your Best Shot!** We'd love to see your shots of Brockton on our new website - people, places, events - share what makes Brockton special to you. Submit your photos in person at the Municipal Office or by email at [info@brockton.ca](mailto:info@brockton.ca) Photos will be changed each season so keep on snapping.

**REMINDER TO MOTORISTS!** September means back to school for hundreds of students. Please take extra care to watch for walkers, cyclists, school buses, and young drivers as they make their way to school!

**Sparky's Back-to-School Safety Tips!** Visit <http://www.sparky.org/news.html>





**REMINDER:** Tax installments are due September 30<sup>th</sup> and November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2013. Please note: Post-dated cheques, Telephone Banking Payments and PC Banking Payments are all accepted for payment of taxes as well as cash, cheque or debit in the office.



**"Prevent Kitchen Fires"—that's the message of this year's Fire Prevention Week**

From October 6<sup>th</sup> to October 12<sup>th</sup> we will be spreading the word that more fires start in the kitchen than in any other part of the home—and how to keep cooking fires from starting in the first place.

The Walkerton Fire Department will be holding a number of events throughout the week. Please watch for details in the October 1<sup>st</sup> edition of the Brockton Buzz.

**BROCKTON PARKS AND RECREATION**

The Walkerton Centennial Pool will be closing for the season on Sunday September 1st after the 2:00pm-4:00pm Public Swim. Thank you for supporting our local pool! Close to 400 children participated in swimming lessons – a lifesaving skill!!

The Brockton Fall Mass Registration will be held on Thursday September 5<sup>th</sup> at the Walkerton Community Centre from 6:00pm - 8:30pm. Visit [www.brockton.ca](http://www.brockton.ca) for a list of all groups/clubs participating in this event.

Skating opportunities including Parent/ Tot, Noon Skate, Senior, Student and Public/Family skating begin after the Labour Day weekend.

**The very popular Community Sponsored Skating Opportunity needs you!**

If your business or service club is interested in sponsoring a community skate for the 2013/2014 season, please contact Brockton Parks and Recreation Office 519-881-0625 for more details! Please contact the recreation office if you are interested in an ice rental as well.

**BULLETIN BOARD**

**18<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ALZHEIMER SOCIETY GREY BRUCE "COFFEE BREAK" KICK-OFF**– Everyone is invited to join Mayor David Inglis and members of council for coffee on Friday, September 13<sup>th</sup> between 10:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. in the Municipal Office lobby. Our municipality is delighted to participate in this kick off!

**WALKERTON GOLF & CURLING CLUB** - The first schedule starts the week of Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>. You can register at the Fall Mass Registration Event on September 5<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm-8:30pm at the Walkerton Community Centre, or by visiting the Walkerton Golf & Curling Club, or calling 519-881-0709. For more information please visit our website:

[http://www.walkertongolfandcurlingclub.com/Walkerton\\_Golf\\_and\\_Curling\\_Club/Home.html](http://www.walkertongolfandcurlingclub.com/Walkerton_Golf_and_Curling_Club/Home.html)

**- OFFICE CLOSED -**

**The Municipal Office will be closed Monday September 2nd for Labour Day.**