



Machin Messenger

Serving Minnitiaki, Eagle River, Vermilion Bay
And surrounding area



Municipal Notes

COUNCIL NEWS

Mayor and Council would like to congratulate all of the graduates at Lillian Berg School this year. Best of luck to you all as you move on to High School! We'd also like to take the time and thank all the staff at the Lillian Berg School. The programs and events that are offered to kids in Machin and the surrounding communities because of your hard work is truly appreciated.

The playground and fitness equipment at the Pine Tree Park has been installed! We encourage everyone to head out to the waterfront to see the equipment and play safe. As a reminder, the entire costs of the project were funded by the Ontario Trillium Foundation through the Capital Grant stream which municipalities can apply for equipment/products related to healthy active living.

On Tuesday June 20th, Councillor Ray Pilkey, on behalf of the Municipality, attended the Treaty #3 150th Anniversary celebrations in Dryden. A presentation on the history of Treaty #3 and words from Don Jones & Treaty #3 were just a couple of the many great activities that took place that day. Thank you to the City of Dryden and Treaty #3 for hosting and inviting our Municipality.

Machin staff followed up with the Ministry of Transportation's Associate Minister Cho's office on some of the issues we discussed with them at the NOMA Conference in April. Issues discussed at the NOMA Conference were regarding digital speed sign permitting, land transfer delays, and the Cascade Bridge connecting link issue. The Municipality put the main emphasis on dealing with the Cascade Bridge issue, more specifically allowing Machin to apply for funding through the Connecting Links Program for the eventual replacement of the Cascade Bridge. This program provides provincial funding for roads and bridges that are connecting links to highways as designated by legislation. This is an issue that has been brought up in the past; however, it's importance continues to get higher as the years go on and is something we want addressed as soon as possible.

Staff from Minister Piccini's office (Minister of the Ministry of Environment, Conservation, and Parks) were able to get Mayor Griffiths and municipal staff a meeting with Ministry employees to talk about current Machin landfill issues. Although we are appreciative of the time spent discussing this issue, we are not happy with the answers that we received. Working through government legislation is not easy, or fun. Trying to highlight where particular legislation is directed to larger areas like southern On-

tario is an ongoing process. We will continue to try and work on this problem and will keep the public updated as we do.

Everyone please welcome Cheryl Murray to the Municipality of Machin staff! Cheryl has accepted the position of Deputy Clerk. We are happy to have you here!

EDO:

The Municipality applied for two grants in June, one to the Ontario Trillium Foundation (OTF) and the other to FedNor. Under the capital grant that is offered by OTF, municipalities are able to apply for equipment that are related to extending the lifespan of a facility, more specifically facilities that result in healthy/active lifestyles. Machin applied for the costs of removing the current hot water tank boiler system and installing 3 on-demand tankless hot water units in the Woodland Arena. The current system is no longer working and must be replaced before the 2023 season. Through the Community Initiative program offered by FedNor, the Municipality applied for another 3 years of funding for an Economic Development Officer position. The proposed funding is set-up as a decreasing amount each year to try and shift the Municipality's focus to financially sustaining the position on their own. The goal is project implementation, we hope to have certain development projects completed in the next couple years to sustain this position.

Preliminary surveying has been completed at the V-Bay North Cemetery in June, by mid-July the entire survey should be completed and we will be moving forward in the Crown Land disposition process. We started this project in April of 2021 and this project is a great example to show the lengthy time process that is involved for Crown Land disposition. I was able to talk more with a staff member from Minister Piccini's Office as well as Minister Rickford's office this past month on our Ely Lake Cottage Lot Development Project. Both offices are aware and have heard our concerns with the Lakeshore Capacity Assessment and are doing everything they can to get us answers as well as progress this project.

The former Credit Union building has officially been sold. If you recall in the January Messenger it was mentioned that a rent-to-own agreement was in place for the building. Welcome West End Cannabis, who is now up and operating in Vermilion Bay! The funds received from this sale are going to be used towards future development projects and the costs that go along with them.

Max Nagy, EDO

MESSENGER DEADLINE

Submissions for the Machin Messenger must now be in by the **LAST WEDNESDAY** of the month, by noon. **The deadline for the July Messenger will be Wednesday June 28th.** Send your submissions to pilmar@sympatico.ca, subject line "Machin Messenger". Ads will need to be pre-paid prior to insertion in the Messenger. **Please note that there are price changes for ads. Call the Municipal Office for details.**

Property Owners in Vermilion Bay with Aqua Flow units are reminded to turn them on to prevent your water from freezing. Please ensure that they remain on until the middle of April. Should you have any questions please call Shawna Alberts at 227-2064.

MESSENGER ADS

If you wish to advertise in the Machin Messenger, please call the Municipal Offices at 227-2633 to find out the

Recreation:

Time flies when you're having fun, and July will be packed with a whole lot of that! Along with T-ball, Rollerblading, and Yoga this month, I'm pleased to welcome a great evening of fun Wednesday nights from 6-8pm at the Eagle River Recreation Centre. Everyone is welcome, young and old! Come out and see what's going on. A small concession will be available.

Thank you to everyone who reached out and showed an interest in Kids Camp this year. We had an overwhelming number of responses. Unfortunately, we were not able to accommodate everyone due to the limited number of spots. Next year I will be considering hosting 2 camps so that everyone is able to attend, so please apply again next year! A quick reminder to those who are coming this year, please make sure you visit the municipal office and fill out the required forms. A huge Thank You to the anonymous donation to kids camp this year! The donation has helped pay for the costs of the instructor and subsidizes the entry fee for each Kids Camp participant.

I would also like to send a big THANK YOU to Sara Neall for hosting yoga and donating her time to do so. It's been great for the community. Also, a huge thanks to my wonderful group of friends (you all know who you are) for always being there for me. It doesn't go unnoticed. I say it again, I wouldn't be able to do it if it wasn't for the volunteers.

Happy July to everyone! More fun coming in August!
Carman Brignall, Recreation Facilitator

Public Works:

As some residents may be aware, we were able to install the flashing stop sign at the intersection of Cascade Rd and Townline Rd. It'll now prevent any traffic from passing through the stop sign at night that was due to low visibility. We hope to have our grass crew finalized shortly but, in the meantime, we will be starting roadside cutting in July.

Thumbs up 👍 👎 Thumbs down

Thumbs up 👍 to Zoey, Sophie & Audrey for helping at The Eagle River Park and to Basil Goodchild for donating flowers for Eagle River & Minnitaki planters.

Thumbs up 👍 to all the volunteers who planted flowers and changed over the flags in our 3 communities, they look fantastic! Your time and effort are very much appreciated. Thank You!

Thumbs up 👍 to Jason Kirouac for the garden hose that he donated to our Community Garden. Thank You.

Thumbs up 👍 to the Volunteers who came out to the Quibell Cemetery as a group and cut the grass, fixed headstones, wash downed the headstones with a pressure washer. Your hard work and dedication to our cemetery is greatly appreciated.

Thumbs up 👍 to Walter Leutschaft for trimming the grass around the garden plots in the Community Garden. Thank you!

Attention Machin Taxpayers: Final Tax bills for 2023 were mailed out on June 16, 2023, and payment is due July 31, 2023. If you did not receive your tax bill by the end of June, please call the Machin Office at (807)227-2633. Failure to receive tax notice does not relieve the taxpayer from payment of taxes nor liability of penalty of past due payment.





To Report a Forest Fire
310-FIRE
OR
1-888-284-3473



Machin Mayor, Council and Staff hope everyone
had a safe and Happy Canada Day!



[Need a Ride to Dryden?](#)

[Try Out Our Seniors Bus.](#)

This is a Door to Door Service – you do not have to worry about parking or walking. We drop you off right at the door of your medical appointment or essential shopping and return to pick you up.

The cost is \$10.00 per person to ride to and from Dryden on Tuesday or Thursday. Should you have mobility issues both getting on and off the bus or shopping and carrying your items, thanks to the Happy Go Lucky Seniors Club they have provided funding for an Assistant to ride on the bus to help with these issues. We welcome Gord Canan as the new assistant.

Please call the Municipal Office at [227-2633](tel:227-2633) Ext. #228 to book your ride or if you have any questions.

You do not have to be a senior to use this service. Any adult can ride, however seniors do come first for this service.



Fuel and Boat Safety Tips for A Safer Summer

Treat fuel with care. Despite its everyday use, it's important not to underestimate the dangers of gasoline.

Filling gasoline containers:

Only use fuel containers that have been certified by an accredited certification organization such as the Canadian Standards Association (CSA) International or the Underwriters Laboratories of Canada (ULC).

Keep portable containers at least three metres away from sparks or ignitions sources and on the ground, with the dispensing nozzle in full contact with the container in order to prevent buildup and discharge of static electricity – a possible source of ignition.

Fill containers only about 90% full to allow some room for expansion.

When finished refilling the container, tighten both the fill and vent caps.

Storing gasoline – Store fuel containers in a detached garage or shed, well away from all heat sources, including direct sunlight. Never leave the container in the trunk of a car.

Using and refilling gas-powered engines:

Turn off equipment as well as any auxiliary power sources and allow equipment to cool down for a few minutes before refuelling.

Stay at least three metres away from sparks or ignition sources.

Keep a BC Class fire extinguisher handy as water will only spread the flames of a gasoline-based fire.

Only use gas powered equipment in a well-ventilated area, never in an enclosed space such as a garage, basement or tent.

Disposing of gasoline:

The best way to dispose of gasoline is to use it up. Small amounts can be left outside to evaporate – leave in an open container away from children and pets.

If gasoline must be discarded, take it to a hazardous waste disposal centre. Never pour gasoline onto the ground, into a lake, down the drain, etc.

Boating – It is your responsibility to ensure you are well-trained and informed about how to stay safe on the water.

Always Wear Your Lifejacket – if you don't wear it, it won't work. OPP data shows that eight out of ten victims who die in boating incidents are not wearing a Personal Floatation Device (PFD). Most drownings happen unexpectedly when boat capsizes, or someone falls overboard. Having a PFD on board is not good enough; it needs to be worn.

Don't Drink and Boat – the same laws apply to boating as apply to driving.

Be Prepared – know your boat and have safety equipment onboard.

Stay Clear and Stay Safe Around Dams – Stay back from waters above or below hydro facilities; keep out of areas with fences, buoys, booms and barriers; never stand, anchor or tie your boat below a dam; and always obey all warning signs.

Courteous Boating – be good neighbours, help others when they need it, clean up after yourself and be respectful to the people and environment around you.

310-FIRE (3473) – TO REPORT FOREST FIRES

Machin Volunteer Fire and First Response is recruiting volunteers. No experience required. If interested, contact the department for more information or pickup an application at the Municipal Office. Also contact the department if in need of a smoke/CO alarm or fire safety information:

Facebook / Instagram: @machinfire | email: machinfire@bellnet.ca | mail: PO Box 249, Vermilion Bay, ON P0V2V0



Spring has arrived and with it comes the urge to renovate your home or perhaps start a new build. As a Municipality of Machin resident, it is your responsibility to acquire a building/demolition permit **before** you start your building/demolition project. It is also your responsibility to be aware of the Machin Zoning Bylaws.

The following is a list of items to help you determine whether a permit would be required for a renovation project in the Municipality of Machin:

- Constructing accessory buildings with an area of more than 15 square metres (160 square feet), or an addition to an existing building
- Constructing attached or detached garages
- Structural alterations
- Excavating, repairing, or underpinning a foundation
- Heating ventilation, air conditioning, plumbing, or electrical work
- Constructing one or more new separate dwelling units within a building
- Finishing previously unfinished spaces within a building
- Adding new entrances or windows, changing the size of entrances or windows, or closing entrances or windows
- Constructing chimneys or fireplaces
- Installing swimming pool enclosures, constructing detached decks more than 60.96 centimetres (24 inches) above ground, or building any deck attached to a building.
- Demolishing or relocating all or part of a building.

You are not required to obtain a permit for these renovations:

- Replacing stucco, siding, or shingles with the same material
- Replacing doors or windows without altering the opening,
- Constructing fences (except pool enclosure fences)
- Patching, painting, and decorating
- Installing cabinets or shelves

Prefabricated accessory buildings are becoming more and more popular, and they do require a permit when over 15 square meters in size. These types of buildings have usage limitations in the Ontario Building Code and in the Machin Zoning Bylaw. If you are unsure whether your situation requires a permit, please feel free to contact Shawna Alberts, CBO at 807- 216-8285 or cbo@visitmachin.com.

JULY EVENTS

Free Tiny Totts Tball

Every Tuesday evening, 5:45—6:45, ages 2-5 @ Coopers Park behind The Woodland Arena

Free Eagle River Family Rec Night

Wednesday nights at 6-8pm @ The Eagle River Recreation Centre. Everyone welcome, canteen will be open.

Disco Roller Blading/Skating

Every Thursday 6pm-8pm @ The Woodland Arena. Adults \$10, 12 and under \$5 Roller Blades/Skate rental \$5. 12 and under require a helmet. Birthday Partys available Just call Carman 807-227-2633

Free Yoga

July 1st & 29th, 9am @ Eagle River Recreation Centre

Kids Camp

Starts July 31—August 4th. 10am to 3pm for ages 5 to 12

In the mornings we will have activities, games and special guests. We ask you to bring a bagged lunch, we will provide snacks in between and water.

The afternoon will be in the water with Sunset Swim Academy for lessons.

Please bring life jackets and sun screen. To register please call Carman

807-227-2633

LILLIAN BERG SCHOOL

Class of

2023



**JOHNNY BRATLAND
VIOLET ELLIOTT
LAUREN ENGLISH
XANDER HUNTER
HUNTER MIREAULT
FINLEY OWZAREK
ZACH ROBINSON
CECE ZURBRIGG**

**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADE 8 GRADUATING
CLASS OF 2023**

WE WISH YOU ALL THE BEST AT DHS!

Lillian Berg School's News before Summer Break

As I am writing this last submission, our school is eerily empty. All students have traveled to Dryden to celebrate “National Indigenous Peoples Day” with a Pow Wow, food games, crafts and learning about Indigenous traditions and respecting each other’s culture. Students will wind up this hot day with a visit to Dryden’s “Splash Pad” located beside the soccer fields near New Prospect Public School.

Our Grade 8 students packed up their suitcases and headed out on an exciting 3-day trip to Winnipeg with Mrs. Zurbrigg and Mr. Nyberg. They were excited to end their elementary school years on a fun adventure, and will certainly stay in their memories forever! Once they are back, they will be busy preparing for their Graduation, on Tuesday, June 27th.

CONGRATULATIONS to:

**Johnny, Violet, Lauren, Xander,
Hunter, Finley, Zach and CeCe!**



Our “Senior Kindergarten” students also celebrated their move up to become “First Graders”, on Wednesday, June 28th. They are absolutely ready to tackle the academics and structures for Grade 1!

Looking back at the month, our students participated in Soccer Tournaments for junior and intermediate students, coming back to LBS with a third place! We are so very proud of their team effort and achievements!

Again, we say “**THANK YOU**” for all the donations towards our Garage Sale! Grade 8 students raised around \$3,500.00 to add to their travel and graduation funds.

Grade 8 students were able to make another trip to

DHS early in the month, to make the transition to the secondary school smooth and inviting.

Members of the local “**Lion’s Club**” came for a visit on June 9th in our Kindergarten / Grade 1 room to hand out Canadian flags and interact with the children.

A big treat of “Pizza” was handed out by our local Physician **Dr. Gagnon, and his colleagues / staff at the Points North Family Health Team**. We truly say **THANK YOU** for taking the precious time to visit with our students and the PIZZA!

Grades 1 to 4 students went to Dryden to watch a performance by the “African Circus”! They returned with a great perspective of human talent and imaginations.

Grades 2 and 3 took an afternoon to go “Nature Hunting” with their clip boards in hand. They had to find and identify insects and other interesting things they saw in our backyard. Our supply and student teacher Ms. Williams had great stories about flowers and insects that sparked their curiosity. It was amazing to see the students independently follow up observing ants in their habitat and watching them carry little materials into their homes.

In closing, we are announcing that our Principal Mrs. Doris St. Jules will be leaving Lillian Berg School to move to the Sault St. Marie area to closer to her family and to work as Vice-Principal with the Algoma District School Board. Words cannot describe our respect for her Leadership, her Charisma and almost never-ending caring attitude for her staff and the students. We are sad to say “Good-Bye” and at the same time wish her only the best as she starts a new chapter in her career and personal Life.

On Thursday, June 29th we invited families to celebrate with a “Water Fun Wind-Up” at the school. We had burgers and salads at lunch and fun summer activities. This event was sponsored by the Municipality of Machin, and we say THANK YOU!



A Big *THANK YOU* to Machin Fire Department for cooling us off at the School Fun Day!

Points North Family Health Medical Team

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re-apply every 2 hrs or more often

...especially if swimming, towel-drying, or sweating heavily

Consider testing your sunscreen on a small patch of skin

If your skin develops a rash, becomes itchy, or otherwise reacts:

- Stop using the product
- Talk to your health professional if you have questions or concerns OR
- Choose a product with different ingredients

Use about 7 tsp (35 ml) for the entire body. 1 tsp for:

- Face and neck
- Each arm and leg
- Front
- Back

DON'T FORGET often missed areas: tops of ears, nose, shoulders, feet, scalp (if hair-challenged)... Use a sunscreen lip balm to protect your lips, too!

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The Machin Medical Clinic/Points North Family Health Team staff would like to send a big Thank You to the 'flower fairies' for beautifying our entrance year after year. We very much appreciate it.



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Thank you from the Vermilion Bay Lions

The 3rd Annual Vermilion Bay Lions Plant Sale held on Saturday, May 27th was another great success in our community. The organizing committee would like to thank the following organizations and people who made it possible:

- All the plant growers from the community, the Dryden Horticultural Society and Lions members,
- The many members of our community, the Dryden High School and our fellow Lions members, who helped set up on May 26th and the day of the plant sale. As well Glendon and Francis from Marcel Paquin Carpentry who helped shift tables,
- The Municipality of Machin and Tony Blair for the use of the Woodland Arena for two days
- Wayne Finch for the donation of his whiskey barrel planters (silent auction),
- Donations for the door prizes from Shirley & Marcel Gauthier for the garden organizer & tools and Al Koroniak for the garden basket & tools,
- Dryden area businesses that donated soil – Rona, Canadian Tire and Home Hardware,
- Donations of soil – Lion Shelley and donations of used pots & trays – anonymous donors,
- All the vendors who added their creative touch to our event with their unique wares,
- The Imagination Library BBQ run by Lions & friends for serving up delicious burgers & smokies to keep us going,
- All the Auction bidders for raising money on the Whiskey Barrel planters,
- And especially the members of the public who come out and support the Vermilion Bay Lions every year in our events.



Vermilion Bay United Church



All are welcome to join us for
Summer Services - Wednesdays 7 p.m.

Special Services in July include

- **Shelagh Toews - July 5**
Ukraine Missionary Trip
- **Adult & Teen Challenge - July 12**
Addiction Rehab & Support

Come on out to learn more. Some of our new2u leftover donations go to Adult & Teen Challenge Thrift Stores to help fund recovering clients.



Vermilion Bay Lions Lines

New Lions Executive

As we embark on a new year, we welcome a new executive and new member Linda!

Past President: Lion Veronica

Leray President: Lion Jack

Rhyner 1st Vice President: Lion

Richard Leray 2nd Vice

President: Lion Trish Paquin

Treasurer: Lion Susan Mann

Secretary: Lion Jennifer

Cunningham Directors: Lion

Conrad Musyj, Lion Len Suomu,

Lion Forrest Mann, Lion

Veronica Leray, Membership:

Lion Marie Therrien Club

Administrator: Lion Alan

Koroniak



Lions medical equipment

If you need a hospital bed, bathroom equipment, stair climber, walker, motorized wheelchair, lift, etc. contact Gary at 807-227-2449 or garyehutchison@gmail.com or Conrad at 807-221-8055 or 40moosh@gmail.com

We welcome cash donations and medical equipment that we can lend out at no cost.

Vermilion Bay Lions Hall:

The Lions Hall is available to rent for any event. These include:

- Trainings
- Birthday Parties
- Baby showers
- Family events
- Meetings

The hall is equipped with full kitchen, electronic white board, internet and sound system. Our hall is recently renovated with new lighting and acoustic tiles.



Contact Al at 807-220-1107 or rentals@vermilionbaylions.org

Funeral / End of life celebrations

Hall is available for Funeral / End of life celebrations by donation. Contact Helen @ blueberrybroad@gmail.com



Family Fun Day Cancellation

Regrettably, we were unable to get enough volunteers for the Family Fun Day this year and have decided to cancel the event this year.

Vermilion Bay Lions Club, Dolly Parton's Imagination Library Program



This program offers 1 free book monthly to children until they turn 5. Eligible postal codes are P0V2V0 P0V2J0, P0V2E0, P0V2X0, P0V1S0

You can register at <https://imaginationlibrary.com/ca/affiliate/ONVERMILIONBAY/>

We thank all our community for another great year!



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JULY 2023



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2	3 coffee	4	5 coffee	6 Marmie Kornas	7 coffee Mahjong 10 a.m.	8
9	10 B.B.Q. Noon pot luck	11 Evie Hartle	12 coffee	13	14 coffee Mahjong 10 a.m.	15
16	17 coffee	18 Marcel Gauthier	19 coffee	20	21 Coffee Mahjong 10 a.m	22
23/30 Venus Thomas (23rd)	24/31 coffee	25	26 coffee	27 Forester Henriksen	28 coffee Mahjong 10 a.m.	29 Doris Johnson


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The Vermilion Bay Co-op would like to let the shoppers know the following monthly dates for 2023

STORE HOURS: 9 A.M.— 6 P. M.
MONDAY—SATURDAY
CLOSED SUNDAYS

Shareholder Days	Senior Days	Flyer Days
July 14	July 19	July 7—July 13 July 21—July 27
PLEASE REMEMBER		

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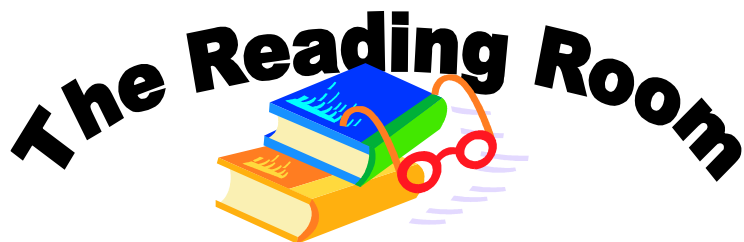
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**Contact Information for
Mayor & Council**

Mayor:
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Deputy Mayor:
Dennis Peterson 220-1558 (cell)
Councillor:
Tony Blair 227-5410 (cell)
Councillor:
Ray Pilkey 755-1701, 220-1502 (cell)
Councillor:
Greg Swanson 220-3615 (cell)

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Machin Council Meeting: Monday July 10th immediately following the Public Works meeting, and Monday July 24th, **6:00 p.m.** in Council Chambers, Machin Municipal Office

Public Works Meeting: Monday June 12 at 6:00 p.m., in Council Chambers in Machin Municipal Office

Revitalization Committee: TBA

Lions Club—First and third Wednesdays of every month, 7:00 p.m., Lion’s Hall.

Happy-Go-Lucky Seniors:

Friends of Pine Tree Pathways: TBA

TOPS—Now meeting Thursdays at 12:30 p.m. at the Evangelical Church.

AA - 7:00 p.m. Tuesdays and Sundays at the Evangelical Mission Church, 55 Willow St., Vermilion Bay. Social distancing rules apply.

AL-Anon Family Group: Every Thursday 630 p.m., at St. Mark Lutheran Church. For more info call Darlene @938-7061.

Kinettes—The first **WEDNESDAY** of each month, 7:00 p.m. in the Bayview meeting room.

Seniors Friendship Club of Eagle River—Second Wednesday of each Month.

Police Services Board—TBA

Waldhof Wranglers—Contact Emma Benham at 807-220- 0554, waldhofwrangles2011@gmail.com , or check out the Waldhof Wranglers Facebook page.

Building Permit Applications and general inquiries are available at the Machin Office. Any questions on building, please call the Chief Building Office, Shawna Alberts at (807)-216-8285 or the Municipal Office at 227-2633.

Area Church Services



Our Lady of Fatima
Roman Catholic Church
Hwy 17 Vermilion Bay
Mass on Fridays at 5:30 p.m.

Vermilion Bay United Church
97 Spruce Street
Vermilion Bay
Worship Services:
Easter to the end of September

Eagle River (Ebenezer) Baptist Church
Services at First Baptist Church
58 King Street, Dryden, Ontario
Morning Worship Service at 10:30 a.m.

St. Mark Lutheran Church
Hwy 17 Vermilion Bay
Services: Sundays 11:30 a.m.

Evangelical Mission Church
55 Willow Street, Vermilion Bay
Services: Sundays 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.

Upper Falls Baptist Church
Hwy 105 North
Worship: Sundays 11:00 a.m.
Sunday School/Bible Study:
10:00 a.m. (all ages)



SUMMER DUMP HOURS
Effective Tuesday May 2, 2023

	TUESDAY	THURSDAY	SATURDAY
VERMILION BAY	2 p.m.— 6 p.m.	9 a.m.—1 p.m.	9 a.m.—1 p.m.
EAGLE RIVER	9 a.m.— 1 p.m.	2 p.m. - 6 p.m.	2 p.m.—6 p.m.

Copies of the water systems monthly summary, annual reports and the financial plan are available for viewing at the Municipal Office if any of the general public would like to review them. Also available at the Municipal Office the public may access the Water Quality System Policy for the Vermilion Bay water treatment plant and distribution system which forms part of the Operational Plan. Should anyone have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact Shawna Alberts at 227-2064.