



## Puslinch Community Newsletter June 2019

### Aberfoyle Agricultural Society

**CHICKEN BBQ AND SILENT AUCTION** Thursday, June 6<sup>th</sup>, 5-7pm Puslinch Community Centre. Cost ½ chicken \$18, child under 10 years \$10. Meal includes baked potato, cold slaw, bun and homemade pies. Please buy tickets in advance (no tickets at door) from Ag Soc. members or call Don McKay 519-822-2984 or Flo Peer 519-763-9782.

### Aberfoyle Farmers' Market

The Aberfoyle Farmers' Market is your local market next door with farm-fresh foods, locally grown produce, and handmade goods. Grow with us, every Saturday 8am – 1pm until the end of October. Follow us on Facebook @aberfoylefarmersmarket and Instagram @aberfoylefarmers for regular updates, and mark your calendars for the following special event days.

**KIDS' DAY.** June 22, 8am – 1pm. Join us as we celebrate our 9th annual Kids' Day at the Aberfoyle Farmers' Market! Lots to learn, see, do and taste! Fun for the whole family. FREE samples & activities with our wonderful LOCAL vendors!

### Badenoch Community Centre

**TEA AND PENNY TABLE.** Tuesday June 11 at 1 pm. Cost is \$5.00 and penny tickets will be available.

**ANNUAL COMMUNITY BBQ.** Saturday August 24 at 4pm. Entertainment, raffles and quilt draw. Tickets \$15.00. For Quilt or BBQ tickets please call Flo 519-763-9782.

### Mount Carmel-Zion United Church

**SENIORS POTLUCK LUNCHEON.** Wednesday, June 5, 2019 at noon (gathering from 11:30 a.m.) at Puslinch Community Centre in Aberfoyle with a speaker from Guelph Wellington Master Gardeners. Reservations with the names of those attending are appreciated so that we can have chairs set and name tags prepared. Call Mary Beth at 519-822-6211 or email [janetc@sentex.net](mailto:janetc@sentex.net) Everyone welcome. Bring a friend!

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR.** Wednesday, October, 2nd — Potluck Luncheon - Accordion Player Chris Skibinsky will entertain. Wednesday, December, 4th— Christmas Dinner - Elvis (Mike Marinovic) will entertain. Tickets are necessary for the Christmas dinner, available at October Luncheon.

### Optimist Recreation Centre

**PICKLEBALL** - Every Monday (except statutory holidays) and Wednesday, 1:30 - 3:30pm. Optimist Recreation Centre gymnasium, \$5.00 each session. Everyone welcome. For further information contact June 519-763-0309, Lois 519-831-4052. Note: July and August pickleball will be Mondays only, from 2:30 to 4:30 (no pickleball on statutory holidays)



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### Parish Nurse Program at Duff's Church

**SMART.** Seniors Maintaining Active Roles Together every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 9:30 - 10:30, free event.

**SENIOR'S LUNCH AND LEARN.** Wednesday June 12th at 11am, lunch to follow, free event-donations accepted to cover cost of lunch. Looking for something to do this summer, come and find out what the Heart of Ontario has to offer!

**MOVIE.** Wednesday June 29th at 1:30pm. "Me Before You" Based on the New York Times bestseller. Lou's cheery outlook is put to the test when she becomes the companion/caregiver to Will. Will is wheelchair-bound after an accident, and has all but given up on life. Lou is determined to show him that life is worth living and they have several interesting adventures. Both characters get more than they bargained for, and find their lives changed. Popcorn provided, free event.

All programs are at Duff's Church, 319 Brock Rd S, Puslinch ON. Questions: contact Karen 519-820-8114 or [karenharding349@outlook.com](mailto:karenharding349@outlook.com)

### Puslinch Branch Library – June/July Programmes to register for programmes call 519-763-8026

**STEAM STORY TIME (5 YEARS AND UNDER)** Bring your preschoolers to explore Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts and Math using stories and hands-on activities. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to participate. Please register. Thursday, June 6, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm.

**STORIES & STROLLERS BOOK CLUB (ADULTS)** Adult book club for parents/caregivers with young children, meeting the first Tuesday of each month. Discussing "Wild" by Cheryl Strayed. Please register. Tuesday, June 4, 1:00 - 2:00 pm.

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### **PA DAY PROGRAMME – LEGO BUILD IT! (GRADES JK-6)**

Join us for some exciting LEGO challenges! You bring your creativity and we will provide the building blocks. Please register. Friday, June 7, 10:30 – 11:30 am.

**FRIDAY BOOK CLUB (ADULTS)** Discussing "Americanah" by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie. Please register. Friday, June 7, 1:00 - 2:00 pm.

**KIDS DESIGN STUDIO (PRETEENS)** Learn what makes the world go round. Discover the basics of science, technology, engineering and math through experimentation and play. Please register. Saturday, June 8, 11:00 am – 12:00 pm.



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**THIRD TUESDAY BOOK CLUB (ADULTS)** Discussing books by author Bill Bryson. Please register. Tuesday, June 18, 1:30 - 2:30 pm.

### **GET YOUR SUMMER READ ON LAUNCH (ALL AGES)**

Join the fun, wherever your summer takes you! Drop in and register for the TD Summer Reading Club, Teen Summer Reading Challenge, or our third annual Adult Summer Reading Challenge. Saturday, June 22, 10:00 am – 5:00 pm.

**LAST THURSDAY BOOK CLUB (ADULTS)** Discussing "The Kitchen House" by Kathleen Grissom. Please register. Thursday, June 27, 6:30 - 7:30 pm.

**STORIES AND STROLLERS BOOK CLUB (ADULTS)** Adult book club for parents/caregivers with young children, meeting the first Tuesday of each month. Discussing The Nightingale by Kristin Hannah. Please register. Tuesday, July 2, 1:00 - 2:00 pm.

**SCRABBLE CLUB (ADULTS)** Join us for an afternoon of casual word building entertainment! No experience necessary. Please register. Wednesdays, July 3, 17, 31, 2:00 – 4:00 pm.

**STORY TIME (5 YEARS AND UNDER)** Our Story Times are designed to help your child get ready for reading. Share stories, songs, rhymes, and activities aimed at developing your child's early literacy skills. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to participate. Thursdays, July 4, 11, 18, 25, 11:00 – 11:45 am.

**LET IT GROW (GRADES JK-2)** Seeds become plants, kittens become cats, and words become stories. Explore our ever-changing world and see how ordinary things can become extraordinary! On the growth chart today: pollination and gardening! Please register. Tuesday, July 9, 2:00 – 3:00 pm.

### Puslinch Lake Conservation Association

**PUSLINCH LAKESIDE LIVING HOME TOUR.** Our most famous event for all. Tour by car or by boat and visit 5 homes in the community. Held annually on the third Saturday of June, rain or shine. Ticket sales start in the spring and sell out quickly. Ticket sales begin May 2019 for the event which will be on June 22nd 2019 from 10am-4pm and selling for \$30 per person. To purchase tickets click here:

<https://www.mypca.com/shop/2019-home-tour-tickets>

### Puslinch Minor Ball

**LOOKING FOR PLAYERS.** Age 10-11or 12 years. Please contact Sandra Gunson 519-824-1942.

### Township of Puslinch

**FACILITY RENTALS.** Looking to host an event? For facility rentals or more information please visit us at <https://www.puslinch.ca/en/explore-us/community-facilities.asp>



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### Township of Puslinch (cont.)

**DOG CONTROL AND DOG CATCHING.** The Township of Puslinch is now using the Cambridge Humane Society for dog control and dog catching. Please call the Cambridge and District Humane Society at (519) 623-6323 or (519) 623-7405.

### Sunrise Therapeutic Riding & Learning Centre

**6TH ANNUAL CELEBRATE SUNRISE!** Fundraising event. Sunday, June 23 12:30-4:00pm. Demonstrations by Sunrise riders, live and silent auctions, late lunch by Chef D. Tickets \$50 - available at <https://sunrise-therapeutic.ca/celebrate/> or by calling 519-837-0558 x32. All proceeds support Sunrise Therapeutic Riding & Learning Centre. Event held at 6920 Concession 1, Puslinch. Rain or shine!

**SUNRISE SUMMER LESSON VOLUNTEERS:** Lead a horse or sidewalk (alongside horse and rider) in group lessons taught by certified instructors. Flexible weekday schedule: volunteer when you are able (morning volunteers especially needed). Must be 14+, training provided. Contact Fiona at 519-837-0558 x35 or learn more at [www.sunrise-therapeutic.ca](http://www.sunrise-therapeutic.ca)

### Whistle Stop Co-op

**PRESCHOOL.** Spaces available for September 2019. Program runs Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings at the Puslinch Community Centre 9:00am-11:30am. For more information please contact Sandra Gunson 519-239-9878.