

Town Crier, September 12, 2020

# Stratford Town Crier

Public Information, Notices and Meeting Schedules

## 2021 COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATIONS

The City's online 2021 Community Grant application is now available. Please check the City's website at [www.stratford.ca](http://www.stratford.ca) under 2021 Budget for application details and information about the City's community grants program.

The deadline for accepting applications is September 25, 2020 or November 27, 2020, depending on the type of grant being applied for.

You may also contact by email at [stfdbudget@stratford.ca](mailto:stfdbudget@stratford.ca) or by phone at 519-271-0250 ext. 5202 if you have any questions about the City of Stratford's 2021 grants and budget process.

As a reminder, those who have received a 2020 City grant must submit their online year-end reporting by November 1, 2020, in order to apply for a grant in 2021. Information about this year-end reporting can be found on the City's 2020 Budget/2020 Community Grants webpage.

## ANNE HATHAWAY DAYCARE – LICENSED CHILDCARE SPACES FOR CHILDREN 18 MONTHS – 4 YEARS

Anne Hathaway Day Care Centre offers enriching programs led by a team of highly skilled and experienced Early Childhood Educators. To add your child's name to our waitlist, please go to [onehsn.com/Stratford/](http://onehsn.com/Stratford/)

Enriching child-centered programs led by a team of highly skilled and experienced Early Childhood Educators:

- Nutritious lunch and snacks provided
- Outdoor play in a new natural play space
- Financial assistance available upon qualification
- Newly renovated facility

### Emergency or Short-Term Child Care Services

Operated by the City of Stratford, Anne Hathaway Daycare is a child and family friendly licenced early childhood education centre. Emergency or short-term childcare services are provided on an 'as available' basis. For information about services, availability and fees, please contact the Daycare at 519-273-1803.

For further information contact: Corry Gunn, Manager - 103 Bruce St. Stratford, 519-273-1803  
[cgunn@stratford.ca](mailto:cgunn@stratford.ca)

## STRATFORD TRANSIT

On Monday, August 31, Stratford Transit passengers returned to front-door boarding of the buses, and regular fares are being collected. For everyone's safety, passengers are asked to wear a face covering while riding the bus, if they are able.

## BACK TO SCHOOL

Monday, September 14 marks the first day back to school for local elementary and high school students. As pedestrian traffic increases, the City would like to remind motorists to:

1. Slow down, be aware and drive safely.
2. Obey the crossing guard's stop sign.
3. Allow pedestrians and the crossing guard to completely cross the street before proceeding.
4. Pay particular attention when other vehicles in the curbside lane are stopped near a school crossing, as they may block your view of the crossing guard or pedestrians.
5. Drive slowly through school zones and other residential areas where young people may be walking.
6. Be cautious, be courteous and be patient.

For more information about Stratford's crossing guards, including a list of crossing locations, visit the City's website.

## FLUSHING OF FIRE HYDRANTS

Beginning September 8, 2020, and continuing for approximately five weeks, flushing of fire hydrants will take place within the City of Stratford. Customers could experience some discoloured water. Water quality is not affected by this colouration. Discoloured water will clear, but before doing laundry, please check to see that water has cleared. If you have any questions, please call the City Water Division at 519-271-0250, ext. 5281 during business hours.

## MEETING SCHEDULE

Sept 14	Committee of the Whole	In-camera	1:00pm	Electronic Participation
Sept 14	Regular Council Meeting		3:00pm	Electronic Participation

**Sept 15**

Social Services Sub-Committee

3:30pm

Electronic Participation

Given the COVID-19 Pandemic, the declared emergency and the closures of the building to the public, Rogers will be posting the video of the Regular Council meeting through their service and on their website. The City will also be posting a video to our website once available. Agendas can be accessed from the City's website. The Town Crier is also posted on the City's website.

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