

## Saturday, April 1, 2023

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### Easter Bake Fair & Cake Decorating Contest

Date and Time: Saturday, April 1 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Address: 31 James Street, Arnprior

Don't feel like baking for Easter or looking to earn some money? If so, Seniors At Home have you covered!

We are holding our first **Easter Bake Fair and Cake Decorating Contest/AUCTION** at the Masonic Hall on James Street in Arnprior.

COME CHECK OUT THE CAKES AND GET YOUR EASTER BAKING ALL AT THE SAME TIME!!

FREE ADMISSION - Doors open at 9:00 a.m.

Judging of cakes will take place at 12:00 p.m.

*Proceeds to benefit Arnprior Braeside McNab Seniors At Home Program Inc.*

To learn more, contact Suzanne at 613-623-7981 ext. 104

### Mayor's Open House

Date and Time: Saturday, April 1 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Address: 105 Elgin Street West Arnprior, ON

Mayor McGee will be holding an open house tomorrow from 12 - 2 pm at her Town Hall Office located at 105 Elgin Street West, entrance on Madawaska Street. She will be holding monthly open houses however, she can also reach her by phone 613-322-0271 or email [lmcgee@arnprior.ca](mailto:lmcgee@arnprior.ca), and schedule a meeting as well.

## Wednesday, April 5, 2023

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### The Lunch Bunch by Seniors at Home

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 5 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Address: 54 Elgin St W, Arnprior

A full course luncheon event at Jim's Restaurant on Wednesday, April 5 from 1pm-3pm. Choice of sandwiches BLT or Egg Salad. Aerik Watson will entertain. Tickets \$11 available from agency until noon on April 3. For Seniors or Adults with Disabilities.

### Cultural Night Market Community Planning Meetup

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 5 6:00 pm

Address: 35 Madawaska Street Arnprior, ON

The Cultural Night Market is back and we want your input and ideas to make this year even better. Join us at the Arnprior and District Museum on April 5th at 6:00 pm for our Community Planning Meeting.

Make sure to save the date, August 26th for the 2023 Cultural Night Market

## Thursday, April 6, 2023

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### Youth Night - Minute to Win It

Date and Time: Thursday, April 6 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 77 James St

This is our recurring series of youth programs that is designed to give kids between the age of 8-13 a safe and inclusive place on a Friday night where kids can be kids.

This program is parent-free and led by young Recreation Staff. Parents are encouraged to drop off their child and return at the end of the session.

To register, please visit [www.arnprior.ca/registration](http://www.arnprior.ca/registration)

### Cultural Night Market Community Planning Meet-Up

Date and Time: Thursday, April 6 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 35 Madawaska Street Arnprior, ON, Canada K7S 1R6

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## Wednesday, April 12, 2023

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### Open House - Caruso and Legion Park Design

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 12 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Address: 77 James St

A pair of Arnprior parks are being upgraded this summer, thanks to a grant from the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program (ICIP). Through the ICIP funding, the Town of Arnprior received \$59,486 for Caruso Park improvements and \$129,797 for the enhancements coming to Legion Park.

Caruso Park will have a new play structure and pathway installed. Legion Park will have a new play structure featuring a rubber play surface to support accessibility and safety, along with paved pathways connecting the structure with entry points at Edey Street and Wilfred Crescent. Work on Caruso Park is already underway with the removal of the existing play structure.

The Department of Recreation invites the public to the Community Hall at the Nick Smith Centre on Wednesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023 from 5:30-7:30 p.m. to review the designs of these upgrades and provide their feedback. The public will also have the opportunity to review designs and submit feedback through the Town of Arnprior website.

Another major recreational trail project being undertaken in the Summer of 2023 will see improvements to the waterfront trail from Madawaska Street to the Robert Simpson Park beach. This section of the trail will soon feature a paved pathway including lighting, benches and waste and recycling receptacles, supporting active transportation and accessibility for our residents and visitors.

## Thursday, April 13, 2023

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### Family Games Night & Scrabble Tournament Fundraiser

Date and Time: Thursday, April 13 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: 398 John Street North

A fundraiser for the Arnprior Public Library, join us on National Scrabble Day, Thursday, April 13, for dinner, family games night, and Scrabble tournament. Ticket \$25 for adults, \$10 for kids includes dinner and games. Hosted by Galilee Centre. Check out our website for details and tournament qualification. <https://www.galileecentre.com/family-games-night-and-scrabble-tournament/>

## Monday, April 17, 2023

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## Pitch-In Week

Date and Time: Monday, April 17 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Address: 77 James St

In honour of Earth Day on April 22, the Town of Arnprior is celebrating Pitch-In Week from April 17-22 by giving out free Park Clean Up Kits.

Visit the Nick Smith Centre during Pitch In Week to collect a garbage bag, yard waste bag, a pair of gloves and a voucher for a free coffee from Ottawa Valley Coffee.

Thank you to our community sponsors, Home Hardware and Ottawa Valley Coffee, for making this campaign possible.

## Tuesday, April 18, 2023

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### Pitch-In Week

Date and Time: Tuesday, April 18 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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## Wednesday, April 19, 2023

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Date and Time: Wednesday, April 19 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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## Thursday, April 20, 2023

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### Pitch-In Week

Date and Time: Thursday, April 20 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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### Cultural Night Market Planning Session

Date and Time: Thursday, April 20 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: Arnprior & District Museum (35 Madawaska Street, Arnprior, ON K7S 1R6)

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## Friday, April 21, 2023

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### Pitch-In Week

Date and Time: Friday, April 21 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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## **Saturday, April 22, 2023**

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### **Pitch-In Week**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 22 8:00 am - 6:00 pm

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### **Earth Day Bike Bingo**

Date and Time: Saturday, April 22 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

Address: 400 John St N

Township of McNab/Braeside and Town of Arnprior invite you to participate in this Earth Day event bringing awareness to the reduction of our carbon footprint.

Let's face it, getting around on two wheels is better for the planet!

All ages are welcome to participate.

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9:30 am - Registration, Safety Rules, Collect BINGO Card.

10:00 am - Begin cycling to collect your BINGO.

You can register at 9:30 am at either of these locations in Braeside or Arnprior:

-Red Pine Bay - 642 Usborne St. Braeside

-Robert Simpson Park - 400 John St. N. Arnprior

Both locations will go over some basic rules of the road for cyclists, and hand out your BINGO card to participate in the fun!  
Different locations, landmarks, and activities can be marked off on your BINGO card once found/completed. Once you have a BINGO you can submit your completed card at Arnprior Public Library any time before 12 pm for your chance to win some great prizes!  
No need to pre-register. Simply show up at Red Pine Bay or Robert Simpson Park at 9:30 am to grab your BINGO card.  
Additional cards can be found at Arnprior Public Library between 10 am-12 pm.

## Rotary Great Lakes Watershed Cleanup

Date and Time: Saturday, April 22 9:30 am - 12:00 pm

Address: Antrim Truck Stop

**All (16 years of age and older) are welcome to participate in the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual cleanup**

**Gather at the *Antrim Truck Stop at 9:45 am on April 22<sup>nd</sup>***

**Participants will collect debris from the Hwy 417 overpass and west along the  
*White Lake Rd, County Rd 2***

**Bring work gloves, waterproof boots, long sleeve shirts, long pants and wear bright clothing**

**Come out and do your bit for the local environment**

**Join an event involving 100's of Rotary Clubs around the Great Lakes in Canada and the US**

**Make a real impact on Earth Day!!**

## Friday, April 28, 2023

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### Video Games with Valley Nostalgia

Date and Time: Friday, April 28 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 77 James St

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