

2025 CALENDAR

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Old Stone Mill, National Historic Site of Canada Delta, Ontario - John Ronson

JANUARY

January

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
paper, cardboard, boxboard	valid bag tag or will not be acc collection or at Refer to the bac	ction: All garbage must k n each (3 bag per week lin epted for either curbsid the Portland Transfer St k pages of this calendar fo ing information or visit of aulakes.ca.	mit). Black/dark bags e tation. or	1 NEW YEAR'S DAY No Curbside Collection Office closed Transfer Station Closed	2 Wednesday Collection	3 Thursday Collection	4 Friday Collection Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	5	6 Council Mtg	7	8 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	9	10	11 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	12	13 MSC Mtg	14	15 Transfer Station Open	16 MHAC Mtg	17	18 Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	19	20	21	22 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	23	24	25 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	26	27 MSC Mtg	28	29 Transfer Station Open	30	31	DON'T FORGET! Purchase your 2025 permit for open air burning and your dog licence
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Winter Sunset on Upper Beverley Lake - Kelly O'Neill-Falkner

FEBRUARY

February

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MARCH

March

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
paper, cardboard, boxboard	residents are ask action on climat Don't forget to s	ncouraged to take part in l ked to turn off non-essent te change. For more inforr set your clocks ahead 1 ho good idea to change the b	ial lights and appliances t nation, go to wwf.ca/ear our before going to bed oi	to raise awareness of the 1 thhour . n March 8 th as Daylight Sa	need to take Ving Time starts	Get your Open Air Burn Permit at rl.burnpermits.com or call 1-800-928-2250 Ext 243 for help.	1 Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	2	3 Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	4	5 Transfer Station Open	6	7 Deadline for nominations for Rideau Lakes Business Awards	8 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	9 Daylight Saving Time Begins	10 MSC Mtg	11	12 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	13	14	15 Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	16	17 the st. PATRICK'S DAY	18	19 Transfer Station Open	20 First Day of Spring MHAC Mtg	21	22 Earth Hour 8:30 - 9:30 pm Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	23	24 MSC Mtg	25	26 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	27	28	29 Transfer Station Open
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April

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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paper, cardboard, boxboard	6	7 Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	8	9 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	10	11	12 Transfer Station Open
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plasuc, metal & glass bottles & jars	27	28 MSC Mtg	29	30 PAP Withdrawal Transfer Station Open	bags out in a secure (not the night befor after each use, and t	your part in <u>not</u> attracti bin on the morning of yo e), remove food and grea fill bird feeders only throu 7 to report bear problems	our collection day Ise from BBQ grills Igh winter months.

Help keep your Township looking great by picking up roadside litter during **Rideau Lakes PITCH-IN.** Pitch-In bags are free to volunteers and can be obtained at the Township Office and libraries, or call and arrange to have them delivered. Pick up roadside litter, place it in a Pitch-In bag and set it out for collection on your regular day (no tag required). For more information, call 1-800-928-2250 Ext. 230 or email Ben at brothwell@rideaulakes.ca.

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Fire Season is April 1 to Oct 31. Open Air Burning permitted after 6pm and before 8am only with activated permit. See our website for details: Emergency Services under the Live tab rideaulakes.ca

Butterfly in the Garden, Sand Lake – Maggie Boudens



May

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	Tł	IURS	SDA	١Y			FRI	DAY			SA	TUR	DA	Y
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	you MUST purchas rideaulakes.ca for Burn Permit Activa	ou are having an open air c e & activate a burn permit more information. Before tion Line at 1-833-853-347 t any time. Campfires no l ırn permit.	:. Check W : you burn, call the 73 as a burn ban		1					2				3	Tran	isfer S Oper		l
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	bags at any location be	nber 7 th , 2025 (the last sen efore or after the hours of	rice day) from 4:00 - 6:00 service as this is consider	om. Do not leave your ed littering and is a	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	fineable offence of up	to \$500 per offence.			20			23		25	26		23	24	25	26	27	28
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Island on Sand Lake – Scott Parker

June

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
boxboard	1 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	2 Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	3	4 Transfer Station Open	5	6	7 Transfer Station Open
glass bottles & jars	8 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	9 MSC Mtg	10	11 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	12	13	14 Transfer Station Open
boxboard	15 FATHER'S DAY * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	16	17	18 Transfer Station Open	19 MHAC Mtg	20 First Day of Summer	21 Transfer Station Open NATIONAL INDIGENOUS PEOPLES DAY
glass bottles & jars	22 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	23 MSC Mtg	24	25 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	26	27	28 Transfer Station Open
boxboard	29 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	30 PAP Withdrawal	your bags in a can, in some way to ide arrives, it is your re containers/bins ins	bags are YOURS until the dr /container/bin or cover the entify for the driver that the sponsibility to clean up the side until the morning of y s with a tarp or old blank	em with a tarp/blanket. If e container/bin contains e mess. To prevent garba our collection day.	f you use a container/bin bags. If your bags are tor ige disasters, keep your g	, make sure it is marked n apart before the truc
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July

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
paper, cardboard, boxboard			1 CANADA DAY Office Closed No Curbside Collection	2 Tuesday Collection Transfer Station Open	3 Wednesday Collection	4 Thursday Collection	5 Friday Collection Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	6 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	7 Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	8	9 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	10	11	12 Transfer Station Open Elgin Days
paper, cardboard, boxboard	13 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm Elgin Days	14 MSC Mtg	15	16 Transfer Station Open	17 MHAC Mtg	18	19 Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	20 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	21	22	23 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	24 Delta Fair begins	25	26 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	27 * Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	28	29	30 Transfer Station Open	31 PAP Withdrawal	Household Hazardo In previous years this s Rideau Lakes has take Watch local newspape website for event info the United Counties o at 1-800-267-8146 Ext	pecial event in n place in July. ers, Facebook/X and our rmation or contact f Leeds & Grenville

* Sunday Island Service is FOR ISLAND & WATER ACCESS ONLY PROPERTY OWNERS.

This service is not for mainland residents who have weekly curbside collection. Refer to the back pages of this calendar for more details including service locations. Please note this service runs from May 18th - September 7th, 2025 (the last service day) from 4:00 - 6:00 pm. Do not leave your bags at any location before or after the hours of service as this is considered littering and is a fineable offence of up to \$500 per offence.

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Aurora over Cow Island – Allen Tian

August

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paper, cardboard, boxboard	24 * Sunday Island Service 4-6 pm	25	26	27 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	28			2	9 PA	P Withc	Irawal		30	Trans	sfer St Oper	ation	
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SEPTEMBER

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Autumn at Davis Lock – Dustin Bulloch

September

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars		1 LABOUR DAY Office Closed No Curbside Collection	2 Monday Collection Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	3 Tuesday Collection Transfer Station Open	4 Wednesday Collection	5 Thursday Collection	6 Friday Collection Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	7 * LAST DAY Sunday Island Service 4 - 6 pm	8 MSC Mtg	9	10 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	11	12	13 Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	14	15	16	17 Transfer Station Open	18 MHAC Mtg	19	20 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	21	22 First Day of Fall MSC Mtg	23	24 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	25	26 Final Tax Bill Due	27 Delta Harvest Festival Transfer Station Open
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	28	29 PAP Withdrawal	30 NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH & RECONCILIATION Office Open	To report a lost or for or to report a dog iss contact Frontenac B Enforcement at 613-	sue, please CAN y-law		1
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Rideau Lakes is the Daffodil Capital of Ontario.

Now is the time to purchase and plant daffodil bulbs for blooms next spring! Check rideaulakes.ca for bulb prices or purchase from local retailers.

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OCTOBER

October

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	that collection ta Your collection d of where you place	nksgiving is always the <u>l</u> kes place down <u>most</u> p ay doesn't change, just ce your bags. For a list c ynship, visit rideaulake	rivate roads. the location f events taking	1 Transfer Station Open	2	3	4 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	5	6 Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	7	8 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	9	10	11 Transfer Station Open
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plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars		THANKSGIVING Office Closed No Curbside Collection Rideau Canal Closes	Collection MSC Mtg Last Week for Curbside Collection on Private Roads	Collection Transfer Station Open	Collection MHAC Mtg	Collection	Trash 2 Treasures Day Friday Collection Transfer Station Open
rd,	19	20	21	22 PACA Mtg Transfer Station	23	24	25 Transfer Station Open
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	sign, and turn their 'tra into someone's 'treasu		ag around the handle & st ether – see photo (full tag	tick both must be visible).	21 22 23 24 2	5 26 27 16 17	18 19 20 21 22
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Fall Morning, Otter Lake – Giselle Nayel

November

	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY		
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	Sign-up now for o Subscribe throug by contacting Leil Istafford@rideaula with the subject li	n our website or a at	to change the batteries monoxide detectors at t Local Food Bank Drop food donations in Nover	• Off Location – Drop off you mber and December at the N riday from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm	s and carbon Ir non-perishable Aunicipal Office 👔	Fire Season ends: Open Air Burning permitted anytime with activated permit.	1 Transfer Station Open		
paper, cardboard, boxboard	2 Daylight Saving Time Ends	3 Ec Dev Mtg Council Mtg	4	5 Transfer Station Open	6	7	8 Transfer Station Open		
plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	9	10 MSC Mtg	11 REMEMBRANCE DAY Office Closed	12 Tuesday Collection PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	13 Wednesday Collection	14 Thursday Collection	15 Friday Collection Transfer Station Open		
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plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	23	24 MSC Mtg	25	26 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	27	28 Final Tax PAP Adjustment Withdrawal	29 Transfer Station Open		
ırd,	30	Tip: To ensure your wast	e and recycling is picked up	during the winter months,	OCTOBER 2025 SURGAN MONEAN TUESDAN WEDNESDAN 1	THURSDAY FIELDARY SATURDARY SOLUTION SUBJECT MODELOR 2 3 4 1	терани нередани тневоди несни залевани 2 3 4 5 6		
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December

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plastic, metal & glass bottles & jars	7	8 MSC Mtg	9	10 PACA Mtg Transfer Station Open	11	12	13 Transfer Station Open
paper, cardboard, boxboard	14 // — PAY CL	15 ose attention to	16 THE CHRISTMAS / NE	17 Transfer Station Open	18 MHAC Mtg	19 NGES FROM YEAR TO	20 Transfer Station Open
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paper, cardboard, boxboard	28	29 Office Closed	30 Office Closed	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE Office Closed	the Angel Tree Program of Lanark, Leeds, and Gr	g and sharing joy. The Towns organized by the Family and enville. You can pick a tag ar our community at the Muni	d Child Services

DO NOT include these items in your recycling as they are garbage: tinsel/ornaments, waxed boxes, string/ribbon/bows, shiny/foil/sparkly or metallic wrapping paper, tissue paper & gift bags, extension cords or Christmas lights/bulbs. Garbage must be in clear bags, with a bag tag on each (3 bag per week limit). **Black/dark bags will not be accepted.**

Real Christmas trees (without tinsel, lights or decorations) can be disposed of, free of charge, at the Portland Transfer Station during regular hours of operation.

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After-Hours Service 1-877-798-5725:

This service is available for *urgent matters* that cannot wait until the next business day (e.g. a tree has fallen down on/over a Township road or a road is flooding). <u>Do not</u> call this service with general inquires, waste & recycling issues, animal control problems or to report that a road needs grading.

Social Media:

Interested in things to see and do in Rideau Lakes? Follow our "Experience Rideau Lakes" Facebook page at facebook.com/ExperienceRideauLakes/ or on Instagram at instagram.com/experiencerideaulakes/

Municipal Office Information:

Visit our website at rideaulakes.ca

For community news, events and programs, continue to follow facebook.com/twprideaulakes and join our e-mailing list by emailing Leila Stafford at Istafford@rideaulakes.ca to subscribe.

Mayor's video messages are posted on our YouTube channel at youtube.com/c/RideauLakes

Township Community Events:

For a list of events taking place in your Township and information regarding ongoing and weekly community events, visit the Community Calendar located on our website.

Dog Licence:

All dogs over 6 months of age are required to be licenced under By-Law 2012-3. Licence forms can be found on our website or stop by the Office to purchase a licence. A municipal dog tag is valid from January 1st to December 31st each given year and is the most successful means of identification.

Animal Control:

To report a lost/found dog, dogs running at large or dogs that are a public nuisance (persistent barking/howling), call Frontenac By-Law Enforcement at 613-541-3213.

Burn Permits:

If you are having an open air controlled burn you MUST purchase & activate a burn permit. Permits are available at **rl.burnpermits.com**. On our website, check out the Emergency Services page under the Live tab for more information. Before you burn, call the Burn Permit Activation Line at 1-833-853-3473 as a burn ban could go in place at any time. Campfires no larger than 3'x3'x3' do not require a burn permit.







CURBSIDE COLLECTION — ALL BAGS MUST BE OUT BY 7:00 am

Garbage

Each household is entitled to place 3 bags of household garbage out each week. Household garbage must be in a clear bag (no colour) with a current Rideau Lakes bag tag (\$2.50) attached, weighing less than 40 lbs. All bags set out for collection must be tied and your bag tag <u>must be clearly visible to the driver</u>. During hot weather, freeze decaying material as bags will not be picked up if maggots are

present. Garbage bags containing mostly recycling material will not be collected, as we encourage everyone to recycle. **Dark bags will not be picked up.** Bags may be placed inside a garbage container, however, tags must be at the top, clearly visible to the driver (see example). All bags/containers must be in plain view of the driver and cannot be hidden behind a tree, hedge, mailbox, fence or car. Large items and non-essential household waste are not collected at curbside and must be disposed of at the Portland Transfer Station (see tipping fees).

To ensure your waste & recycling is picked up during the winter months, place your bag(s) on top of the snow bank so it is easily visible to the driver. When temperatures drop below 0, bag tags can become less sticky. If this happens, affix your tag to the bag at room temperature before going to the curb or <u>fold</u> the tag around the handle & stick both ends together – see example above (full tag must be visible).

Remember, your bags are YOURS until the driver puts them in the truck. If you have issues with birds & critters, place your bags in a container or cover them with a tarp/blanket. If your bags are torn apart before the truck arrives, it is your responsibility to clean up the mess.

Businesses do not receive curbside collection and must dispose of their waste & recycling at the Portland Transfer Station. This policy will be strictly enforced.



Stat/Civic Holidays:

When there is a holiday, collection takes place one day later than normal (with the exception of Christmas & New Year's schedules). Only the week in which the holiday falls is affected. Example – when the holiday is on a Monday, collection takes place Tuesday through Saturday. When the holiday falls on a Wednesday, collection takes place Thursday through Saturday (only Wednesday to Friday are affected).

Pay close attention to the Christmas & New Year's schedules as these change every year. Refer to each month for the holiday schedules.

Private Road Curbside Collection:

All private roads in Rideau lakes are now potentially eligible for summer and winter curbside collection. Summer collection runs from Victoria Day to Thanksgiving and winter collection runs from Thanksgiving to Victoria Day. The Township has adopted a policy for minimum road standards (width, maintenance etc.) required to obtain one or both types of service. Please check **rideaulakes.ca** for a copy of the policy and a current listing of eligible roads. If you have questions or would like to discuss what upgrades are required to obtain or enhance your current service, please contact Ben Rothwell at brothwell@rideaulakes.ca or 1-800-928-2250 Ext 230.

County Household Hazardous Waste Day (HHWD):

Never put hazardous waste in your garbage or recycling, as it is not permitted with regular disposal. Materials such as batteries, fluorescent bulbs, paint, oil/gas, must be disposed of at special depot days. In 2025, the Township will again partner with the United Counties of Leeds & Grenville for one Household Hazardous Waste Event in Rideau Lakes. In previous years this special event day has taken place in July in Rideau Lakes. Watch local newspapers, Facebook/Twitter and our website rideaulakes.ca for more information.



Bag Tag Purchase Locations:

Chantry Crosby Elgin	The Village Store Brown's Marina (seasonal) Municipal Office Rideau Lakes Building Centre Gordanier Freshmart, Elgin Library	Portland Rideau Ferry Seeley's Bay Smiths Falls	Portland Foodmarket, Portland Ultramar, Portland Transfer Station Covell Building Supply Seeley's Bay Ultramar Jonsonn's Independent Grocer, Bill's Small Engine
Delta Lyndhurst	Delta Country Market Wings Live Bait & Tackle	Westport	Repair Shop, Buck or Two Plus Kudrinko's Country Grocer, Lower Mountain Mercantile, Westport Home Hardware, Herlehy Home Building Centre

Thank you to these businesses!

Moving to an Enhanced Recycling System:

Circular Materials, a not-for-profit organization and the administrator of the common collection system, will become responsible for Rideau Lakes recycling program as of March 1, 2025. After this date, if you have recycling questions, please contact Emterra: customercareont@emterra.ca 1-888-597-1541.

ALL RECYCLING MUST BE CLEAN and flattened.

Every household is entitled to place 5 bags of recycling material out each week for **FREE** (no bag tag required). All accepted recycling material must be properly sorted, CLEAN, in a clear blue bag, tied and weigh less than 40 lbs. Cans should be crushed and plastics should be flattened when possible. All cardboard boxes must be flattened. You may bundle and tightly tie your cardboard and paper (no bag required).

Note: Recycling material is collected on alternating weeks. Simply follow along with the images at the beginning of each week – for plastic/ metal weeks, for paper/cardboard weeks. You can also find the schedule on our website under the recycling page. Plastics/metal containers are collected one week, while paper/cardboard/boxboard is collected the next week. Recycling does not require bag tags.

PLASTIC, METAL CONTAINERS:

CLEAN PLASTIC # 1-5 (including but not limited to):

Water/pop/juice bottles, butter/margarine/yogurt tubs, plastic egg cartons, plastic bottles (shampoo, conditioner, body wash, ibuprofen, lotion, liquid soap, ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, salad dressing, peanut butter, toilet bowl cleaner, laundry soap, disinfectant wipes, etc.)

CLEAN METAL & ALUMINUM (including but not limited to):

Clean aluminum food trays (pie plates, take out, etc.), clean aluminum foil (no food debris), clean metal & aluminum cans.

CLEAN GLASS BOTTLES & JARS ONLY (lids must be removed) pickles, olives, cheez whiz, salsa, sauces, jam, etc.

Examples of Plastic, Metal & Glass Recycling



Non-Recyclable Materials

Non-Recyclable Plastics – Just because it's plastic, doesn't mean it's recyclable.

ALL plastic bags (grocery, wood pellet, water softener, etc); ALL black plastics; milk/soup/juice cartons; tetra packs; foil juice containers and clam shell containers. Due to the changing plastic recycling market world-wide, these items are no longer acceptable in many programs.

<u>Plastic items that are not recyclable and go in the garbage include</u> – ALL plastic bags (grocery, milk, ziploc, wood pellet, water softener, cereal liners); ALL black plastics; milk/soup/juice cartons; tetra packs; foil juice containers; clam shell containers; most coffee pods, granola bar/candy/chocolate bar wrappers; plastic wrap from cheese, cold meats, fruits & vegetables; plastic utensils; straws; hard rigid packaging; make-up containers (e.g. lipstick/ lip chap tubes, blush compacts, eyeliner pencils); hoses; shelving; totes; bubble wrap; hangers; laundry baskets, ornaments/decorations; toothpaste tubes; razors; feminine product wrappers; pill packs for medication; small appliances (coffee maker, blender); hand & power tools; school supplies (rulers, scissors, plastic string); home improvements items (vents, piping, sockets).

Top items that people mistake as recyclable: soap pump dispenser tops, non-paper gift wrap, plastic bags, tissues/paper towel, coffee/tea cups, wine/drinking glasses and glass cookware. These items are garbage, so place them in your garbage bag.

Other non-recyclable materials include: heavily waxed/coated boxes; lined/waxed dog food bags; shiny/sparkly gift bags; mixed content containers (cardboard and metal – pringle chip tubes, frozen juice tubes; coffee canisters); used and dirty paper products such as tissues, paper towels and serviettes. Some items, such as plastic bags, black plastics, milk/soup/juice cartons, tetra packs, foil juice containers, and clam shell containers are currently not recyclable, but will become recyclable in 2026.

If you're unclear of where it goes, contact Ben Rothwell at brothwell@rideaulakes.ca or 1-800-928-2250 Ext. 230 until February 28th. As of March 1st, please direct these questions to Emterra at customercareont@emterra.ca or 1-888-597-1541.

ALL Styrofoam is garbage, regardless if it has a symbol and number on it. Put all styrofoam items (plates, cups, trays, blocks, peanuts, etc.) in your garbage bag.

Recycling — PAPER, CARDBOARD, BOXBOARD:

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Newspapers, flyers, magazines, catalogues, telephone books, clean ice cream cardboard containers, paper towel, toilet paper tubes, cardboard egg cartons, corrugated cardboard (flattened), boxboard boxes (cereal, crackers, cake mixes, granola bars, tissue, pasta, potato, oatmeal, toothpaste, chocolate and candy boxes, clean fast food containers (burger boxes, french fries container, etc.), soft-covered books, hard-covered books (covers removed), envelopes, junk mail, printer/copier paper.

All recycling must be clean and flattened. Heavily waxed or coated boxes are not accepted as recycling as they are garbage. Used and dirty paper products such as tissue, paper towels and napkins are garbage.

Remove the inner plastic bags/liners from inside cereal and cracker boxes and put them in your garbage bag. All cardboard/boxboard must be flattened. You may bundle and tightly tie your cardboard, newspapers and magazines (no bag required), however you may only place bundles the size of a regular garbage bag out (26" x 36") and only up to 5 bundles (equivalent to 5 bags). If your bundle is too large, it will not be collected.



TRASH 2 TREASURES DAYS – Saturday, April 26 and Saturday, October 18, 2025 🧭

As the saying goes... 'one person's trash is another person's treasure'! Do you have used items that are of no use to you any longer, but are not quite ready for the landfill? They might become someone else's treasure! Saturday, April 26 and Saturday, October 18 have been marked as Rideau Lakes' Trash 2 Treasures Day. We encourage residents to place their 'trash' at the end of the driveway, with a "FREE" sign, and turn their 'trash' into someone's 'treasure'. This is a great opportunity for people to travel through the Township and collect little treasures and take them home and re-use the items that are surplus for someone else. Think about joining the many in Rideau Lakes on Trash 2 Treasures Day!

If you would like to have your address added to our list as a Trash 2 Treasures participant, email Ben at brothwell@rideaulakes.ca and we will have a list to share with interested 'shoppers'.

SUNDAY ISLAND SERVICE – FOR ISLAND/WATER-ACCESS-ONLY PROPERTY OWNERS

The Township is unable to provide water-access-only properties with curbside collection; therefore, any resident who owns property on an island or has strictly water-access-only will benefit from this weekly Sunday Service from Victoria Day weekend to September 7th, 4:00 - 6:00 pm ONLY. If you live on the mainland and have weekly curbside collection, you are not entitled to use this Sunday Service.

This represents islanders/water-access-only residents' curbside collection and all the rules associated with curbside collection apply. For rules and regulations, please read the curbside section or visit our website at **rideaulakes.ca**.

- 3-bag limit for bagged household waste (with a bag tag on each), 5-bag limit for properly sorted recycling materials (no bag tag required).
- Construction or demolition material and other large items are not accepted during this Sunday Service.

Do not leave your bags at any location before or after the hours of service as this is littering and is a fineable offence of up to \$500 per offence. By-Law #2007-46, prohibits the throwing, placing or depositing of refuse or debris on land without the owner's consent.

Locations: Sand Lake Marine; Franklin's Drive Boat Launch; Portland Harbour; Lower Beverley Lake Park Boat Launch; Newboro Harbour, Forrester's Landing Boat Launch (from 3:15 - 3:45 pm only).

PORTLAND TRANSFER STATION (PTS): 4427H Old Kingston Rd, Portland

August 2019 marked the closure of the landfilling operations at the PTS. The Site is now a Transfer Station only and all waste goes into bins and is transferred out. The Site remains open as a Transfer Station on Wednesdays & Saturdays from 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. When visiting the PTS, Township policy requires you to sort and discard material in the proper locations. There are different areas for recycling, household wet waste, tires, scrap metal, electronics, construction material, brush/leaves etc. If you are not willing to place your items where they belong, you may be denied access. **Please note:** As of March 1, 2025, the Transfer Station will no longer accept blue box recyclables due to the transition to producer responsibility for recycling. All other material will continue to be accepted.

Example: Anything made of metal <u>must</u> go in the scrap metal bin. *Tip: load your vehicle to follow the sorting requirements to help save time when unloading.* Large items (such as mattresses and furniture) and items not collected at curbside can be disposed of during regular hours of operation. **Bag tags are accepted at the PTS for bagged household waste.**

Tipping Fees:

All waste entering the PTS is chargeable at a rate of \$222/tonne, with a minimum charge of \$10. Brush is chargeable at \$35/tonne (this includes brush under 8 inches in diameter). Small amounts of construction material are accepted (e.g. drywall, lumber, insulation, carpet/flooring, etc). Demolition material is <u>not</u> accepted. The Township reserves the right to limit the quantity of material brought into the PTS at any one time. **Any bagged waste MUST BE IN** <u>CLEAR</u> **BAGS (dark bags are not accepted).** The PTS accepts cash, debit, mastercard/visa. Personal cheques are not accepted.

FREE at the Portland Transfer Station (PTS):

Recycling, tires (clean & off the rim), electronics, scrap metal & Christmas trees are free for disposal, when placed in the proper location.

Large Item Disposal:

Here are a few options for you to consider when disposing of a large item: take it to the PTS and pay the applicable charges; take it to a waste disposal company near you; call a local contractor to dispose of it for you; call a family member or neighbour with the means to help you; donate a gently used item to a local charity or post it on social media; place it at the end of your driveway with a "free" sign on it.



Waste & Recycling Collection Map

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<u>Monday:</u> Private road collection in the Wards of North Crosby-Newboro, South Crosby and Bastard & South Burgess, <u>except</u> if you live within village limits. If your private road is within a village, your collection day is the same as the village. <u>Tuesday:</u> Within the same as the village. <u>Wednesday:</u> Within the <u>BLUE</u> boundary lines. <u>Thursday:</u> Within the <u>ORANGE</u> boundary lines.

Friday: Within the **GREEN** boundary lines.

For the full road listing, visit rideaulakes.ca





















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Rideau Lakes Public Libraries:

For the most current hours, please visit the library website at www.rlpl.ca, or contact the Admin Office at 613-359-5334. Libraries offer many services including DVDs, talking books, magazines, book clubs, senior outreach, children's programs, reference services, photocopying, faxing, high speed internet and wireless access.

COMMUNITY HALL RENTAL NUMBERS

Chaffey's Lock Community Hall	613-359-5706
Elgin Municipal Complex	613-340-7029
Morton Community Hall	613-340-7029
Newboro Community Hall	613-340-7029
North Crosby Community Centre	613-273-3008
Ronald E. Holman Municipal Complex	613-285-6225

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Township of Rideau Lakes	1-800-928-2250
Township After Hours	1-877-798-5725
Burn Permit Activation Line	1-833-853-3473

LEGEND

Council = Council Meeting 6:00 pm at the Twp Office Ec. Dev = Economic Development Committee Meeting 10:00 am at the Twp Office
MHAC = Municipal Heritage Advisory Committee Meeting 9:30 am at the Twp Office
MSC = Municipal Services Committee Meeting 10:00 am at the Twp Office
PACA = Planning Advisory & Committee of Adjustment Meeting 1:00 pm at the Twp Office
PAP = Pre-Authorized Payment
Sunday Island Service – May 18 th to Sept 7 th , 4:00 - 6:00 pm, (Forrester's Landing 3:15 - 3:45 pm only)

Transfer Station Open = Portland Transfer Station open 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

MUNICIPAL STAFF LISTING

ADMINISTRATION

Chief Administrative Officer – Ext. 231 Clerk – Ext. 293 Administrative Assistant – Ext. 223 Recreation and Volunteer Coordinator – Ext. 238 Economic Development and Cultural Heritage Coordinator – Ext. 288 General Inquiries – info@rideaulakes.ca

DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Manager of Development Services – Ext. 236 Chief Building Official – Ext. 225 Deputy Chief Building Official - Ext. 280 Associate Planner – Ext. 234 Development Services Analyst (Planning) – Ext. 285 Development Services Analyst (Building) – Ext. 290 Building Inquiries – building@rideaulakes.ca

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PUBLIC WORKS

Manager of Roads and Drainage – Ext. 227 Works and Facilities Coordinator – Ext. 230 Manager of Facilities and Parks – Ext. 245 Recycling (effective March 1, 2025): 1-888-597-1541

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