

**SPRING NEWSLETTER 2011
TOWNSHIP OF HARLEY**

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Office hours: Monday to Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Council meetings:

- Harley Township Council Chambers
- 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m.
- meetings are open to the public

Reeve: Pauline Archambault

Councillors: Auldin Bilow Clifford Fielder
Richard McNaughton Marc Gosselin



911 Service and Identification Numbers: The 911 service for emergency situations is available within the township. Your identification numbers are located on the blue sign by the road ... 6 digit numbers. Learn your identification number by heart and use it as much as possible on all your correspondence, along with your road name. ***Have your identification number and road name near your phone, in case of emergency. You are responsible for the sign with your identification numbers : make sure it is always visible all year round ... your life could depend on it.**



Harley Hall Rental Rates

Monday to Thursday : \$30.00 per day
Friday to Sunday and Holiday : \$100.00 per day
For information or rental, please call the municipal office at
647-5439 during regular office hours.



Dog By-law 92-03:

A dog should not be on another person's property without permission. Be a good neighbour and remember that you are responsible for your dog's actions and damages caused by your dog.

Municipal Service Provider:

The Township of Harley has acquired the services of the Municipal Service Provider. If anyone has a problem with stray dogs, the Municipal Service Provider will pick up the dog under the following conditions: **The dog must be under control and either tied or contained in a cage.** When the dog is controlled, call the Township Office who will then authorize the pickup.

MUNICIPAL LANDFILL SITE

119114 Sale Barn Rd

The Dump Supervisor is Don Bilow.

SUMMER HOURS: April 1st to October 31st

Wednesday - 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Saturday - 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

WINTER HOURS: November 1st to March 31st

Saturday - 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

TAKE NOTICE that everyone using the Landfill site has to sign an attendance sheet, indicating their 911 number or physical address and the township they are from. **TIPPING FEES:** There will be a tipping fee of \$3.00 per cubic yard for contractors dumping material at the landfill site while doing work in the Townships of Casey and Harley.

New Information: Since January 2010, the municipality has joined the Ontario Tire Stewardship Program. This means that we now take tires of all sizes at the landfill site at no charge. The tires are picked-up periodically as the pile increases. For this program to be beneficial to the township, ***ABSOLUTELY NO RIMS ON THE TIRES WILL BE ALLOWED.***

Important changes to the Operation of the Landfill Site:

Mr. Bilow parks his truck at the front gates. Every load is inspected and all ratepayers must sign in. After your load has been inspected, Mr. Bilow will direct you to one of the following sites:

Recycling, Metal, Tires, Composting and Regular Garbage

Tipping fees: There will be a tipping fee of \$3.00 per cubic yard for contractors dumping material at the landfill site while doing work in the Townships of Casey and Harley.

P.S. Dispose of hazardous waste with care. There are designated locations for batteries, propane and oil tanks, fridges containing Freon, pesticides and herbicides containers. These items are not accepted at the landfill site nor are they accepted in our recycling containers. The plastic bags for bales and old fences are not accepted at the landfill site.

WHY RECYCLE?

Recycling is very important for many reasons. Often we promote recycling as a way to keep waste out of landfill sites. Recycling reduces pollution and saves energy that would have been expended making products from “virgin” or unrecycled raw materials. Recycling helps the environment by slowing down the rate at which we have to bury garbage in landfill sites. Recycling helps by reducing our need to consume fresh natural resources to make new products. As a result, we save these resources for use by future generations. Most importantly, recycling saves energy and pollution. This could help slow down global climate change.

Thank you to everyone who is recycling. The recycling bins are at the Landfill Site. The “**Recuperators’s Perfect Guide**” is included with the newsletter to help you with the recycling process. **POST IT** where you can easily refer to it!

Recycle your electronics: NOW at the Harley Landfill site, you can dispose of your electronics in special containers. We have set up the program with Ontario Electronic Stewardship and you will find containers at the landfill site designated especially for disposing of your electronics. 44 different types of home, office and portable electronics will be accepted, including: amplifiers, audio and video players, cameras, cell phones, computers and peripherals, copiers, fax machines, monitors, pagers and PDAs, printers, radios, receivers, scanners, speakers, telephones and answering machines, tuners, turntables, televisions, video projectors. For more information please visit: <http://recycleyourelectronics.ca>. A pamphlet of the program is included with this newsletter!

RECYCLE IT JUST MAKES SENSE!

**Please do not put any garbage in and around the recycling bins ... garbage bags go into the landfill site!
Thank you for your cooperation!**

Building permits:

Building permits are required for the following:

- new buildings / prefabricated structures / additions / renovations where structural changes are made / heating systems (wood stove, etc) / chimneys / ventilation systems / plumbing / demolitions / patio decks



*You must obtain a building permit **before** you start any kind of construction. You must fill in an application for a building permit available at your municipal office or available to print off our web site at www.harley.ca. Once completed, return the application with a \$50.00 deposit to the municipal office. The form will then be forwarded to our Chief Building Inspector. Mr. Clayton Seymour was hired to issue the building permits, do the inspections on site and answer questions relating to a construction project. For more information, you may reach him or leave a message at 705-563-2375.

Fees for any building permits are payable at the municipal office when receiving your building permit. The fee schedule for building permits is also available on our web site www.harley.ca.



ROADS DEPARTMENT

Guy Godmaire, Roads Superintendent

Garage phone: 705-647-6322

email: guygod@parolink.net

Bales of hay and straw:

It is very important not to stockpile the bales of hay and straw too close to the road. These stockpiles are safety issues due to the reduced visibility and snow accumulation during the winter months. The Township is asking its residents to call the roads superintendent **before** piling any bales next to the road.

Replacement of culverts:

If you need to have any repairs done to a culvert, or are interested in making an entrance way to your property, please contact the office before starting any of the work.

The Township would like to thank everyone for their ongoing cooperation, patience and goodwill.

Our objective is to always try to work together with our rate payers.

Thank you for working with us!!!



HARLEY VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

email: harleyfire@parolink.net



The Harley Volunteer Fire Department is always looking for individuals interested in joining the fire department. If you are interested, please call the Fire Chief, Wayne Hearn.

Smoke Alarms : It's the Law!

Under the Ontario Fire Code, every home in Ontario is required to have working smoke alarms.

Homeowners must ensure that smoke alarms are installed between sleeping and living areas. They are also required to maintain the smoke alarms in working order.

In rental accommodation, the obligation to install and maintain smoke alarms in operating condition falls to the landlord. Landlords must also provide smoke alarm maintenance information to the occupant of each unit.

It is an offence for any person to disable a smoke alarm. This requirement applies equally to homeowners, landlords and tenants.

Failure to comply with the smoke alarm requirements of the Fire Code can result in a ticket of \$235 or a fine of up to \$50,000 for individuals or \$100,000 for corporations.

For further information about smoke alarms, contact the fire department.



Fire Permits:

Fire permits are required between April 1st to October 31st. Permits are free of charge and may be obtained at the Municipal Office during regular office hours. A fire permit is not required for heating or cooking (campfire).

YOU MUST FOLLOW ALL INSTRUCTIONS ON YOUR FIRE PERMITS : DO NOT BURN DURING THE DAY!!!

The permit is not valid between 2 hours after sunrise and 2 hours before sunset on any day. **Winds shall not exceed 5 km per hour.** If you don't follow the terms and conditions of your permit, you could be charged by the MNR and upon conviction, shall be subject to a fine of up to \$1,000.00 exclusive of costs. You must phone the Dispatch Office at 705-647-6360 **before** starting to burn.

***** If there is a fire restriction or fire ban by MNR and/or fire department, no burning is permitted, no permits will be issued and all permits previously issued before the fire ban will be cancelled.**

PLASTIC AND PLASTIC BAGS ARE
NOT ALLOWED TO BE BURNED.

Fire tip: The burning of windrows is to be done after October 31st.

NOTE: If a fire gets out of control on your property and MNR has to intervene, whether you have a fire permit or not, you are responsible for your fire and the cost of MNR assistance will be charged to the owner.



Need information on emergency situations, emergency preparedness guide, emergency survival kit or any other emergency subject, please look up *Emergency Management Ontario* site at www.emergencymanagementontario.ca.

To get information on different security features, you can visit The Office of the Fire Marshal web site at: www.ofm.gov.on.ca.



SUMMER BASEBALL

The Harley slow pitch baseball is once again in full gear for this year. We are proud to have teams for age groups T-Ball, 8 to 10, 11 to 13 and 14 to 17 who will play games every week as per the schedule for the summer and participate in the slow pitch tournament at the end of the season. THANK YOU to the coaching staff and for all the assistance from the parents and friends!

Monday night - T-Ball (coach Richard McNaughton)

Tuesday night - 8 to 10 age group (coach Lisa Bélanger)

Wednesday night - 11 to 13 age group – Sponsored by Tim Horton (coach Sylvie Rivard)

- 11 to 13 age group – Sponsored by Brownlee Equipment (coach Phillip Veley)

Thursday night - 14 to 17 age group (coach Phillip Veley)



INDUSTRIAL PARK

The Township of Harley has an Industrial Park situated on Lot 8, Concession 4 in Harley Township (9-mile corner) and has commercial/industrial lots for sale. For more information, please contact the municipal office during regular business hours. **If you wish to see the map of the Industrial Park, please go to our website at www.harley.ca and look into the map section.**

NEW BUSINESSES IN HARLEY TOWNSHIP

The past year has been a very productive year in the Township of Harley. Three (3) new companies had their Grand Opening to let everyone know they were open for business in the township.

K.D. Quality Pellets which is a biomass pellet manufacturing plant is located in the new Harley Industrial Park. Construction of the plant will begin in the summer of 2011.

Mid-North Recycling accepts any scrap metal in order to clean the environment and is located on Maybrook Rd West. RV Parts which is a business where you can have your trailer/motorhome or RV repaired. They are located on Highway 11, next to KBR Wabi.

Congratulations to these new «Entrepreneurs»; we wish you all a very successful and a long future ahead!

IN MEMORY OF GERALD ROY

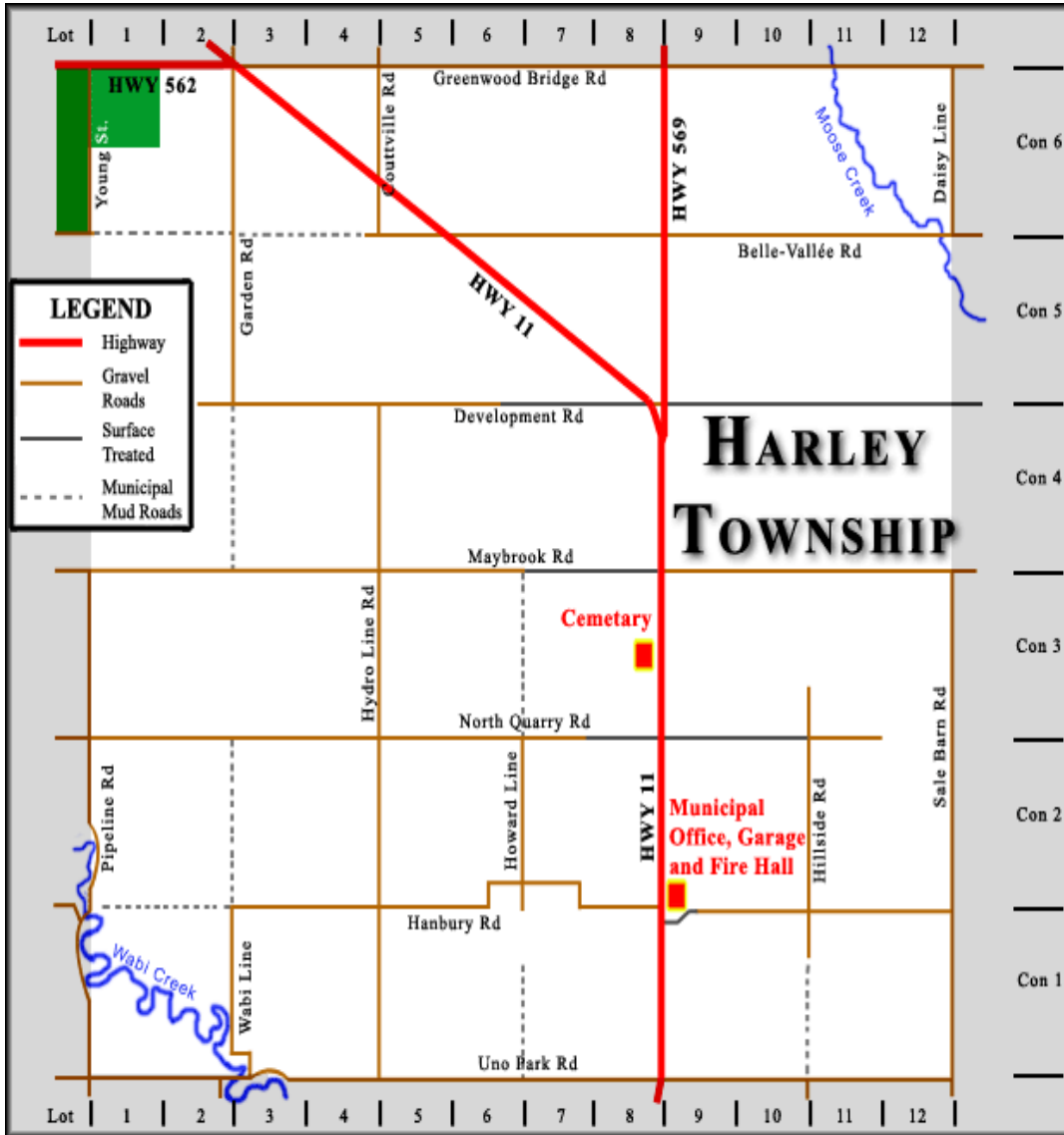


On December 24, 2010, a tragic accident took the life of Mr. Gerald Roy, Reeve of the Township of Harley for 24 years. He was only 59 years old. He was a well-known business man and a man of the earth. He will be fondly remembered as an excellent municipal leader.

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy again to his wife Celica, his mother Anna, his sons Gerald Jr. and Christopher, his brother Claude and his sisters Charmaine and Jeannine and their families.

Gerald will be remembered as a true Harley resident; he was always looking to improve the township and expand the business side of the township. The Industrial Park was one of his many hopes for the township; he would be very proud that the Township of Harley Industrial Park is now open for business. R.I.P. Gerald!

MAP OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HARLEY



All the Concession Roads and the Road Names are indicated on the map for easier referral.