



Tree Trust TBM Expert Tree Care Day focused on a very special Sycamore Tree

You are invited to watch the Tree Trust TBM arborist team perform their high canopy tree climbing and tree care for a unique sycamore tree near the Clendenan Dam. The date is **Friday, August 23**, from 9am to 11am. Mark it on your calendars!

Sycamore trees are large and uniquely beautiful, and this one is no exception. Sycamore is a Carolinian species, which means we are near the northern limit of its natural habitat. They are relatively rare in our area, but they can thrive in low-lying riparian sites, and several can be found along the Beaver Valley.

The tree chosen for special care by Tree Trust is a healthy, well established, older, tall beauty. Sycamore trees can grow to a height of 40 meters and live for more than 300 years.

Tobias Effinger, lead arborist for Arboreal Tree Care, will give a talk about sycamore trees and the work underway for this particular specimen. Braedon Witt, program manager at Tree Trust in Elora will also be available to talk about the TBM Tree Inventory project that is now underway. Our experts will be happy to answer your tree-related questions.

The location for this event is on the 10th Line, just south of Clark Street, Clarksburg. Head down the 10th Line from Clark Street toward the Clendenan Dam and look for the Tree Trust signs. Parking is available at the Clendenan Dam parking lot, just a short walk from the tree care site.

We hope you can join us to watch skilled arborist care for a very special tree, and learn more about protecting and enhancing our critically important tree canopy.

Tree Trust TBM is a charitable organization dedicated to preserving and enhancing our tree canopy. For more information email programs@treetrust.ca or visit the Tree Trust website at www.treetrust.ca.

Join Us in the Cycle for Dignity: A 700-Kilometre Ride to Support Safe 'N Sound

Level 5 Tiling & Renovations, operated by Jason and Steph in Tobermory, is proud to announce the Cycle for Dignity, a 700-kilometre bicycle ride taking place from August 22-28, 2024, along the stunning Niagara Escarpment. This year's journey will start in Niagara-on-the-Lake and conclude in Tobermory, traversing a portion of the Trans Canada Trail.

As avid cyclists and adventurers, Jason and Steph have made it a tradition to explore the hidden gems of Ontario each year, riding through small communities, meeting incredible people, and pushing their limits of endurance and strength. This annual ride not only offers them a chance to reflect and cultivate gratitude but also highlights the basic comforts that many take for granted: a hot shower, a change of clothing, a comfy bed, a wholesome meal, and a safe roof over their heads.

Recognizing the growing struggles faced by many, Jason and Steph have decided to use their journey as a platform to raise awareness and funds for those in need. This year, they are excited to partner with Safe 'N Sound in Owen Sound, Ontario. Safe 'N Sound provides essential services, support, and advocacy for the homeless and those at risk of homelessness, as well as a refuge for victims of addiction.

"Every human has a unique life story, and we'll never truly know what a day in another's shoes is like. We can only respond to cries for help with empathy, non-judgment, and practical means of helping," said Steph.

During the Cycle for Dignity, Jason and Steph will raise awareness and funds for Safe 'N Sound. Donations will be directed towards life-saving, high-priority items for the drop-in centre. The journey will include a special stop at Safe 'N Sound on the second-last day, where they will join staff and community members at the annual summer BBQ.

Jason and Steph are calling on friends, neighbours, colleagues, clients, community members in Grey Bruce County, and local businesses to make a donation of any amount. Funds raised will go directly to Safe 'N Sound, and receipts can be provided upon request.

"We thank you for your support as we take this idea and evolve it over time, and we thank Safe 'N Sound for doing what they do," said Jason.

For more information on how to donate and follow Jason and Steph's journey, please visit <https://gofund.me/4c829166> or @level5finishing on Instagram.

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Enhancing Mental Health Supports in Grey Bruce:

The Community Safety and Well-Being Planning (CSWBP) Mental Health Action Table has been diligently working to address and meet the mental health needs of community members in Grey Bruce. Leading the action table are key collaborative partners: Keystone Child, Youth and Family Services, Brightshores Health System, and the Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) Grey Bruce.

Enhancing Addiction Treatment and High-Intensity Supports for the Local Population

Brightshores Health System recently opened a new facility dedicated to supporting individuals with addictions and mental health needs. The centre will have 21 withdrawal management beds, 14 relapse prevention and treatment beds and 10 supportive studios for longer term stays – 45 beds in all.

This project is the first of its kind in this region. Based on harm reduction and recovery principles, the Wellness & Recovery Centre will provide a safe environment for individuals in need of support and management of their substance use and mental health concerns. The model of care is based on key wellness outcomes identified in the First Nations Mental Wellness Continuum: purpose, meaning, belonging, and hope.

The Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) Grey Bruce recently received funding for 24-7 comprehensive mental health and addiction supportive housing at a building owned and operated by Grey County at 386 14th Street in Owen Sound. This program will provide high-acuity transitional housing support for individuals with mental illness and/or substance use issues who are homeless or at risk of homelessness. This high-intensity supportive housing model will help individuals transition successfully into stable housing while reducing the reliance on emergency services.

Keystone Child, Youth and Family Services has recently received funding to support an expansion of their live-in treatment program for youth 12-17 years of age. In addition, the organization has recently assumed ownership of a new building that will allow the program to expand from 6 beds to 13. There are 6 beds dedicated to clients who require step-up and step-down services in partnership with Brightshores. With the new space and funding, the treatment model will now expand to include longer term (up to one year) treatment options in addition to intensive in-home supports up to a year in length at the pre-and-post admission stages to support better integration back to the family and community setting.

Addressing Identified Gaps and Enhancing Local Mental Health and Addictions Supports

The Mental Health Action Table partnership is committed to addressing key outcomes identified at a recent Ontario Health Team Mental Health and Addictions Visioning Day held in Owen Sound. These efforts include improving access to programs and services, promoting recovery and incorporating lived experience through more funded peer positions. Additionally, they include expanding treatment options, championing equitable access by addressing the root causes of social determinants of health (non-medical factors that influence health outcomes), and enhancing early identification and intervention for children's mental health and addictions.

The Action Table partnership is developing a Grey Bruce Mental Health and Addictions Network Scorecard with targets and deliverables on key indicators. Progress will be tracked quarterly, with partners reviewing system-level data to achieve goals such as reducing emergency department visits, length of hospital stays, and wait times for outpatient services.

What is the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan (CSWBP) Grey-Bruce?

Community Safety and Well-Being Planning helps organizations improve the things that keep us healthy, happy, and safe. Together, we use research to create solutions focused on education, health care,

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food, housing, income, crime, and belonging. It is important that we create a welcoming community where problems are solved before they happen and where different professionals and community members come together to help people now and in the future.

The ongoing work of CSWBP is supported by an advisory committee representing over 74 partners from across Bruce and Grey who are working together to address crime prevention by investing in social development, prevention, and risk interventions. This upstream preventative model focuses on creating protective factors that make individuals less vulnerable to crime and victimization.

GBPH Notified of Fifth Suspected Fatal Drug Poisoning in Grey-Bruce This Summer

There were twenty-six reports of suspected drug poisonings in July. These incidents have taken place in several locations in Grey-Bruce, including Meaford, Owen Sound, Georgian Bluffs, South Bruce Peninsula, Saugeen Shores, Southgate, and Hanover. Grey Bruce Public Health has been notified of another suspected fatal opioid poisoning in the area – the fifth since the start of summer – that again highlights the increasing toxicity of the local unregulated drug supply and importance of following harm reduction strategies.

The suspected fatal overdose, along with three non-fatal drug poisonings, took place between Aug. 3 and 6, 2024, prompting Public Health to issue an Opioid Alert to community partners Wednesday.

Two of the overdoses, including the fatality, occurred in Owen Sound, while one took place in Hanover and another in Grey Highlands. Fentanyl is the substance believed to be responsible for one of the poisonings, while the other three involved an unknown substance.

Grey Bruce Public Health has issued 20 Opioid Alerts in the first seven months of 2024, which is more than the 16 alerts issued throughout all of 2023.

Public Health encourages people who use unregulated drugs to use drug test kits in conjunction with other harm-reduction strategies. Test kits for fentanyl, benzodiazepines, and xylazine are available from Public Health and several community partners, including Safe 'N Sound, SOS, Canadian Mental Health Association (CMHA) Grey-Bruce, and the South East Grey Community Health Centre.

The SOS mobile team now offers detailed drug-checking services, providing information about what substances are present in a sample and how much. The team can be reached at 519-379-8743 from Monday to Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

GBPH also urges people to have a sober friend with them when using drugs or to contact the National Overdose Response Service (NORS) or use/download the BRAVE App if using alone. NORS can be reached by calling or texting 1-888-688-6677. A NORS operator will stay on the line with the person while the drug is used. In the event the person becomes unresponsive, NORS will call 911 to ensure help arrives.

Other harm reduction recommendations include:

- Getting overdose prevention training and carrying a Naloxone kit. Naloxone is available for free at most local pharmacies and at GBPH, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. No appointment or prescription is needed.
- Overdose is a medical emergency. Call 911 or go to the Emergency Department.

For additional supports and services:

1. Suicide Crisis Helpline: 9-8-8
2. Connex Ontario: Call 1-866-531-2600 or text 247247
3. Ontario Addiction Treatment Service (OATC): 519-371-0007
4. Withdrawal Management/RAAM Clinic: 519-376-5666
5. G&B House: 519-371-3642 ext.1580
6. Grey Bruce Mental Health & Addiction Services: 519-371-3642
7. Rapid Access Addiction Medicine (RAAM) Clinic: 519-376-3999
8. National Overdose Response Service (NORS): 1-888-688-6677
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Ontario Investing Up to \$260 Million to Train Workers

Applications now open for largest round of Skills Development Fund to train workers in manufacturing, construction and technology

TORONTO — The Ontario government's Skills Development Fund (SDF) Training Stream opens today, with up to an additional \$260 million available, the biggest funding round since the Fund launched in 2021. Building on the success of the previous four rounds, the fifth round will help tackle Ontario's labour shortage by connecting jobseekers with employers, allowing them to begin rewarding careers in in-demand sectors such as manufacturing, construction and technology.

"Under Premier Ford, our government has revived our province's manufacturing and construction sectors – and the key to our success is Ontario's workers," said David Piccini, Minister of Labour, Immigration, Training and Skills Development. "Today, our government launches the fifth round of our Skills Development Fund, with up to \$260 million available in funding – making this the largest round yet and the biggest investment in skills training in Ontario's history. We are calling on Ontario's business and labour communities and everyone with an interest in training workers to submit their proposals and help us build Ontario."

Beginning today, employers, employment service and training providers, labour unions, business and industry organizations, municipalities, hospitals, Indigenous Band offices, Indigenous skills and employment training agreement holders, service system managers and other community organizations eligible for funding should submit their proposals through Transfer Payment Ontario. Applications will be reviewed on an ongoing basis until October 4, 2024.

This latest round of funding brings Ontario's total investment through the Skills Development Fund to up to \$1.4 billion. As Ontario continues to grow, the SDF will help ensure skilled workers are trained and ready to fill rewarding jobs in in-demand sectors in their communities.

Quick Facts

- Inquiries on how to apply to the SDF Training Stream should be addressed to skillsdevelopmentfund@ontario.ca.
- SDF has two streams: the Training Stream supports hiring, training, and upskilling programs for jobseekers, apprentices, and workers; and the Capital Stream supports upgrades or construction of training centres for the skilled trades.
- Since its launch in 2021, Ontario's SDF Training Stream has helped almost 600,000 workers train for in-demand sectors, including over 66,000 construction workers, over 92,000 manufacturing workers and over 36,000 personal support workers and health care workers.
- The SDF Training Stream is supported through labour market transfer agreements between the Government of Canada and the Government of Ontario.

Beaver Trail



A property survey is being completed on the Beaver River Trail between Arthur Taylor Lane and Arthur Street East. The Town plans to move the trail off private property and back onto municipal property.

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Town to Begin 2024 Road Surface Treatment Work

Maintenance / Service Disruptions
June 21, 2024

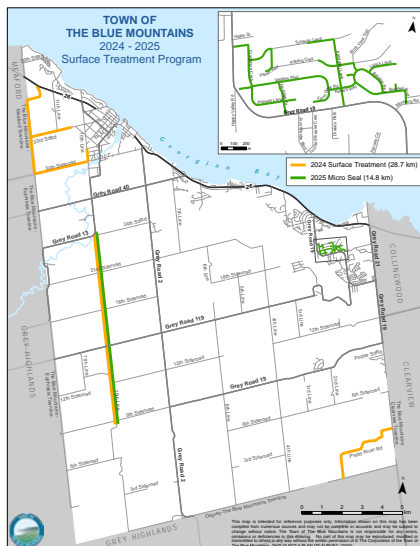
The Town of The Blue Mountains would like to advise the public that surface treatment road work will be conducted on various rural and urban roads beginning in late July. Partial lane closures will be in effect during construction. Work is anticipated to be completed by mid-August.

Road surface treatment will occur on:

- Pretty River Road
- 10th Line between Grey Road 13 and 9th Sideroad
- 10th Line between Russell Street and 30th Sideroad
- 30th Sideroad between 10th Line and The Blue Mountains - Meaford Townline
- The Blue Mountains - Meaford Townline between Highway 26 and 30th Sideroad
- 33rd Sideroad between Duncan Street and The Blue Mountains - Meaford Townline

Residents are asked to reduce speeds on roads that have recently been treated to help lessen the disturbance of the roadway.

The Town utilizes surface treatment paving on many rural roads with low to medium traffic volumes as a more cost-effective and durable alternative to asphalt concrete paving. The maintenance of surface-treated roads occurs every 5-7 years between May and September. To learn more, visit the Road Maintenance webpage.



What is Tar and Chip?

Tar and chip roads look similar to asphalt concrete roads but have some differences. Both pavement surfaces use asphalt cement bitumen (Tar) and Aggregates (Chip). Asphalt concrete road surfaces are mixed in a central plant and shipped to the road site hot and mixed for paving. This type of paving is cost prohibitive for smaller rural municipalities such as The Blue Mountains. “Tar and Chip” pavement involves evenly applying hot asphalt cement tar onto a roadway, followed by an even layer of angular aggregate stones which is rolled into place. The stones are further compacted and pushed into the asphalt cement tar over time by the traffic on the roadway. As a result for a period of weeks or months following the application of Tar and Chip to a roadway, there is some loose crushed stone on top of the road surface. The road will eventually resemble the asphalt concrete roads in higher traffic areas after a period of time dependent on the heat of summer and the volume of traffic.

What can you expect?

On roads that have been previously treated, one layer of tar and chip will be applied (single surface treatment). Roads which are being newly paved will receive two successive layers of tar and chip (double surface treatment). Town road maintenance staff may sweep the road several weeks or months following the initial application of tar and chip to reduce the loose stone. The brief periods of inconvenience will be followed by a road surface similar to an asphalt concrete road for periods of 5-7 years.

What can you do?


When your road has been recently paved using tar and chip technology, residents are requested to not sweep the road during the period when the chip is loose, as sweeping may result in a poor wearing surface and an unsafe road condition. The most helpful thing you can do is reduce your vehicle’s speed. This will help to reduce the disturbance of stone on the roadway to ensure a clean even surface as well as minimizing dust from the road. Be a good neighbour – slow down.

For more information, please contact:

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Construction Notice - Monterra Road - Beginning July 2024

Maintenance / Service Disruptions
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July 12, 2024



The Town of The Blue Mountains would like to advise the public of upcoming construction activity on Monterra Road in Craileith from Grey Road 19 to 200 metres east of Grand Cypress Lane.

Cox Construction Limited will be resurfacing approximately 875 metres of Monterra Road. Work will include a new 7 metre wide road surface and a 1.2 metre wide paved shoulder on the north side of the road for a portion of the road section. Sewer maintenance holes and valve chamber chimneys will be rebuilt and guide rail cable posts will be replaced along with other miscellaneous work.

This work is expected to be ongoing until mid to late August 2024. Monterra Road will remain open, but alternating one-way traffic controlled by flaggers will be in place at times.

Where: Monterra Road, from Grey Road 19 to 200m east of Grand Cypress Lane

When: Beginning July 18, 2024

For additional information, please contact:

Town of The Blue Mountains

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Notice of Public Meeting Proposed Telecommunications Tower

Property Location: 495928 Grey Road 2

A Public Meeting to consider these matters has been scheduled for Tuesday, September 10, 2024 at 9:30 am.

Location: Council Chambers, Town Hall, 32 Mill Street, Thornbury, ON N0H 2P0, OR Virtual via Microsoft Teams

What is being proposed?

Rogers is proposing a new 90 metre guyed telecommunications tower at the above address to improve wireless coverage and to meet rising demands for wireless service.

The geographic coordinates for the proposed site are as follows: N 44o 27' 48.9" W -80o 25' 04.9"

The establishment of new telecommunication facilities is under the exclusive jurisdiction of the Federal Government. Innovation, Science and Economic Development (ISED) Canada is the approval authority for telecommunication towers and requires all proponents of new facilities to consult local planning authorities to ensure local protocols and surroundings are considered during the mandated site selection process. The Town of The Blue Mountains Protocol for Establishing Telecommunication Facilities requires public consultation for all new telecommunication facilities.



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Media Release

August 1, 2024

Notice – Announcing the OPP Detachment Board

The Town of The Blue Mountains is pleased to announce that The Blue Mountains Police Services Board has formally transitioned to The Blue Mountains OPP Detachment Board.

In March 2019, the Ontario government passed the Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019 (“CSPA”) as part of the Comprehensive Ontario Policy Services Act, 2019. The CSPA came into effect on April 1, 2024 and replaced the Police Services Act, 1990.

Under the new legislation, The Blue Mountains OPP Detachment Board will have a more clearly defined and expanded role in the community. The Board has undertaken a number of steps to ensure compliance with the legislation and applicable regulations. Details outlining these changes can be found in staff report FAF.24.071 Update to Council regarding the Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019 and Impacts to The Blue Mountains Police Services Board as presented at the Special Committee of the Whole Meeting on June 17, 2024.

Across the Province, OPP Detachment Boards provide civilian input about how policing is provided in their local communities by the OPP. The Blue Mountains OPP Detachment Board is a civilian body that oversees the Collingwood OPP Detachment and The Blue Mountains Satellite Office. The roles and responsibilities of OPP Detachment Boards are set out under Section 68(1) of the CSPA:

- Consult with the Commissioner regarding the selection of a Detachment Commander and otherwise participate, in accordance with the regulations made by the Minister, in the selection of the Detachment Commander;

- Determine objectives and priorities for the Detachment, not inconsistent with the Strategic Plan prepared by the Minister, after consultation with the Detachment Commander or his or her designate;
- Advise the Detachment Commander with respect to policing provided by the Detachment;
- Monitor the performance of the Detachment Commander;
- Review the reports from the Detachment Commander regarding policing provided by the Detachment;
- On or before June 30 of each year, provide an annual report to the Town of The Blue Mountains Council regarding the policing provided by the Detachment in their municipalities.

The Board is comprised of five members appointed for the term of Council, including two Council Appointees (one being the Mayor), two Public Appointees, and one Provincial Appointee. The current Board composition is:

- Mayor Andrea Matrosovs
- Councillor Gail Ardiel
- Jim Oliver, Public Appointee and current Chair
- Lynn Church, Public Appointee and current Vice-Chair
- Donna Wilson, Provincial Appointee

Staff Resources include Detachment Commander Loris Licharson, Chief Administrative Officer Shawn Everitt and Deputy Clerk/Recording Secretary Kyra Dunlop.

If you would like to provide a Deputation, Correspondence or Public Comment at a Board Meeting, or for questions relating to the Board, please contact:

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Escarpment Corridor Alliance Presents the Inaugural Nature Corridor Summit

The Escarpment Corridor Alliance is proud to announce the inaugural Nature Corridor Summit to be held on Friday, October 25th, at the Alpine Ski Club in The Blue Mountains. This event has been made possible by Larry & Barbara Hall and the South Georgian Bay Innovation Fund, the Summit Founding Partner, who helped spark the idea of this event back in the summer of 2023.

The vision of the Nature Corridor Summit aims to establish and sustain an annual leadership event that convenes regional, provincial, federal, and international experts in environmental conservation and wellness. The goal is to foster collaboration towards creating nature corridors in South Georgian Bay, thereby generating significant impacts on the region's environmental, economic, and human health.

There are several goals of the Nature Corridor Summit:

Inspire Global Thinking, Local Action: Experts from local, provincial, national, and global levels to share insights on successful implementations of similar visions in other regions.

Plan of Action: Develop partnerships and draft actionable plans to foster collaboration and create interconnected nature corridors in South Georgian Bay, enhancing environmental and human health.

Municipal Collaboration: Facilitate discussions among municipal representatives to create a draft work plan supporting collaborative effort.

Pathways for Growth Partnerships: Identify opportunities for local for-profit and not-for-profit organizations that benefit from healthy environments—such as farmers, the outdoor recreation industry, and health practitioners—to establish growth partnerships.

Keynote Speaker, Dr. Kelly L. Cerialo, presented by Paul Chapman, RBC Wealth Management

Dr. Cerialo will provide a global perspective on biospheres and nature corridors with specific examples from Italy and Northeastern United States. She is an Associate Professor and Program Coordinator in the Business and Hospitality Department at Paul Smith's College, Co-chair of the UNESCO Champlain-Adirondack Biosphere Reserve (New York/Vermont), coordinator of the U.S. UNESCO Biosphere Network, and co-founder of the U.S. Biosphere Reserve Youth Network. In 2024, Dr. Cerialo was appointed by the Director General of UNESCO to the International Advisory Committee for Biosphere Reserves. Dr. Cerialo's work focuses on enhancing the human-nature connection to improve both environmental and human health.

There will be three Panel Discussions:

Understanding Nature Corridors: Experts from various fields, including biology, ecology, and policy, will discuss the ecological significance of nature corridors and the challenges in establishing

and managing them. Tom Eisenhower to moderate.

Bringing the Corridor to Life: Presentations on existing funding, policies, and legal frameworks that support the establishment and protection of nature corridors. Bruce Harbinson to moderate.

The Vital Connection: Exploration of how natural corridors benefit human health, recreation, and well-being by providing opportunities for exercise, stress reduction, cleaner air, and social engagement. Martin Rydlo to moderate.

The tickets for the Escarpment Corridor Alliance are now on sale. To find out more information and to purchase tickets, please visit <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2024-nature-corridor-summittickets-901548554997>

We look forward to your participation in this important event, as we work together to create a healthier and more sustainable future for South Georgian Bay. If the \$80 ticket cost is a barrier to you attending this event, please contact Jarvis Strong, Executive Director jarvis@myescarpment.ca

Inquiries:

Jarvis Strong, Executive Director, Escarpment Corridor Alliance

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For more information on the Escarpment Corridor Alliance:

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Wednesday, September 18th, 10 - 2.

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