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# CHISHOLM NEWSLETTER

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### COUNCIL/COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Comm. of Adjustment: Tues. Dec. 5, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.

Council Meeting: Tues. Dec. 12, 2023 @ 7:00 p.m.  
(NOTE: only one Council meeting for the month of Dec.)

Meetings are now opened to the public or via Zoom  
(as noted below).

*Agenda and Minutes and the Zoom link can be found on  
the website under "Your Government / Meetings  
Agendas".*

<https://zoom.us/join>

Zoom Meeting ID: 836 5238 6073

Passcode: 123456



### IMPORTANT RECYCLING DATE CHANGE

Please be advised the recycling pick up  
date for the last week of December has  
been changed to **Friday, December 29, 2023** (this is  
a one-time change, and will be back to regular  
pick-up dates in January).



### 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony!

Please join us for the Township's  
1<sup>st</sup> Annual Christmas Tree  
Lighting Ceremony.

**Date:** Fri., Dec. 8, 2023  
**Time:** 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
**Location:** Jubilee Park  
(Alderdale & Memorial)  
**Tree Lighting:** 6:30 p.m.

**FREE** hot chocolate, treats & candy canes ... AND  
Santa Claus will be making a surprise visit!

In the spirit of Christmas, we ask if you could,  
please bring a non-perishable food item for the  
Powassan Food Bank.



*Council and Staff would like to wish everyone  
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! May  
this Christmas be bright, cheerful and may the  
New Year begin on a prosperous note!*



### HOLIDAY OFFICE HOURS

The Office will be  
closing at noon on Friday,  
December 22, 2023 and will  
be **CLOSED** for the holidays. We will be  
reopening on Tuesday, January 2, 2024.

For urgent Township issues during this time,  
please call the after-hours line 705-223-0250.

Reminder that for emergency matters please  
call 911.



### OFFICE CLOSURE

The office will be **CLOSED** on  
**Friday, December 8, 2023 from  
12:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.** to host  
our annual staff Christmas

Lunch and to prepare for the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual  
Christmas Tree Lighting.

### LANDFILL SITE HOURS

The landfill hours will remain the same for the  
month of December.

Wednesdays: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.



### RECYCLING DATES – \*\* NOTE DATE CHANGE\*\* December 14 & 29 2022

Please have your blue box at the curb by 7:00 a.m.



With Christmas fast  
approaching, The Twp. of  
Chisholm will be collecting  
food donations for the local  
food bank, and donations can be dropped off at  
the Municipal Office, Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. –  
4:30 p.m., with a deadline date of **Friday,  
December 15, 2023.**

The Powassan Food Bank user numbers have  
increased by 30% this year.

### Holiday Tips from the Chisholm Fire Dept.

Help firefighters enjoy silent nights this Christmas,  
with these seasonal fire safety tips:

- If you have wood heat, prevent chimney  
fires by ensuring your stack is clean. (As a  
bonus, a tidy chimney helps St. Nick do his  
job.)
- When you light a candle for the season,  
please remember to put it out before you go  
to bed. Keep candles away from flammable  
things like wrapping and Christmas trees,  
and keep lighters, matches, etc. away from  
small children (and junior elves.)
- If you have a natural Christmas tree, keep it  
happy – give it lots to drink. (We recommend  
water.)
- Finally, the members of the Chisholm  
Township Fire Department wish township  
residents and visitors a very merry Christmas  
season, and a happy, healthy, fire-safe New  
Year!

## Scrap Metal Removal

Unwanted Metal Items, Broken, Outdated



**Greg Teal**  
705-845-7309

I buy any scrap metal, any size!

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## Johnson Construction

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[caljohnson06@gmail.com](mailto:caljohnson06@gmail.com)

Sand & Gravel Pit

Equipment Rental

1524 River Road

Chisholm, Ontario

Tyler Johnson - 705-477-0623

[tjohnson8@hotmail.com](mailto:tjohnson8@hotmail.com)

Opening Spring

2023



DEALER FOR:  
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- COVER CROPS

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## COLORING CONTEST

We are holding a coloring contest for the following age groups.

- 4 yrs. & under, 5 yrs. - 7 yrs. AND 8 yrs. - 10 yrs.

Deadline: Monday, December 18, 2023

Submissions can be dropped off at the Municipal Office in our Drop Box at the front doors OR scanned and emailed to [admin@chisholm.ca](mailto:admin@chisholm.ca).

Winners be announced on Wednesday, December 20, 2023.



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_