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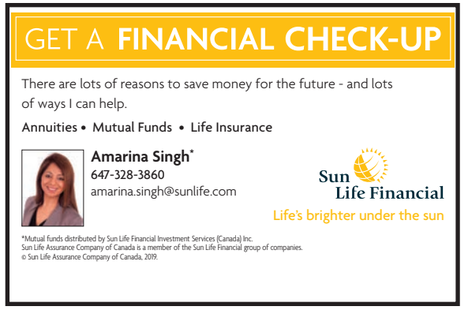


















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Sherwood Forrest Residents Association

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A Spooky Season Like No Other

by Bruno Galle, SFRA President

On behalf of the SFRA team, I hope that you and your families are keeping safe and staying well as we head into this second wave of COVID-19 outbreaks. Hopefully, with the new regulations and guidelines that have been put into place, it will limit the size and scope of this wave.

Unfortunately, as coronavirus cases continue to rise, we at SFRA, like everyone else, have seen our social events go by the wayside. We were planning on having a modified Pumpkin Party in the Park that would have allowed about 100 people to walk through Sherwood Green on Halloween night to have a spooky look at neighbourhood Jack-o-Lanterns. However, this came to an abrupt end as a few days later new provincial regulations were changed to no more than 25 people gathering outside. Our Open House at the Pump that is normally held in November will most likely be cancelled unless guidelines change for the better in the next 4-5 weeks.

I am very thankful that we have a great team of volunteers that continue to dedicate their time, energy and efforts in trying to make our neighbourhood a welcoming place for everyone. We are always looking for new ways to improve our social events so that all our neighbours can come together and celebrate. If you have any ideas or suggestions that you would like to share please reach out to anyone on the SFRA Executive.

On Wednesday, November 4th at 7:30 pm we will be holding our first virtual AGM via Zoom. All you need to do is click on the link that we will be providing and listen in from your computer, laptop or phone. To receive a link for the AGM and the opportunity to submit questions, make sure you have signed up for SFRA email updates at 2019sfrapresident@gmail.com.

I would like to thank all of you for your continued support of our efforts while we navigate through this new normal. Hopefully we will all soon be able to expand our own social gatherings as well as continue to enjoy our renowned neighbourhood social events that we have held in the past.

And don't forget the small businesses that have been hit hard during the first wave of this dreadful pandemic and hope that they will be able to survive this second wave. Let's all do our part and support our local establishments so that we could continue to enjoy their goods and services only steps away from our doors.

We hope that you and all of your families continue to be well and stay safe!



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www.sfra.ca

What's Shakin' in the hood?

Carmel Heights Redevelopment

There has not been a formal resubmission for the Carmel Heights redevelopment, but according to City staff they expect the developer to resubmit a plan sometime later this year.

Hammond House

The Hammond House file has been dormant for over one year so there is nothing new to report.

Sewer Twinning Project

The tunnel construction is expected to be completed by the end of October while the construction of the maintenance holes will continue over the winter months. The construction compounds will be restored back to their original condition by mid-2021. The remainder of the project should not have any impact on traffic as the majority of construction will be contained within the compounds.

Erin Mills Parkway Roadwork

This project has been completed ahead of schedule... one of the very few benefits of COVID.

Sheridan Centre

The new owners of Sheridan Centre plan to keep most of the mall footprint the same for now and later add to the property, so they have permits for a reconstruction or facelift of the mall. They have also been in discussions with new retailers and propose to make the mall a more 'upscale' venue. A name change may be in the offing... perhaps Sherway Towne?!?

SFRA Membership Update

Despite the challenges brought on by COVID, total SFRA 2020 membership dues collected to-date is $2,945. Thank you to everyone who has contributed.



Like It or Not

Like It...

It is a real joy walking around our neighbourhood any time of the year, but I especially love watching the leaves change colour in Sherwood Forrest in October. It makes the end of summer weather a little more bearable.

Not...

School buses and children are back on our street. However, not everyone realizes there are STOP signs on Robin, King Forrest, Hammond, Will Scarlet, etc. Some people do not stop at all, many slow down only and/or do not look when they stop. We cannot control these drivers, so always look out for cars and make sure we do not get hurt by an inconsiderate driver. Please be careful out there!

Like It...

What a great way to meet your neighbours by walking your pets. We live in a beautiful, friendly neighbourhood so get outside with or without your pet and say hi and meet your neighbours! Neighbours do not bite and we all love to see a smile. Focus on your body and mental fitness and being a great neighbour.

Like It...

Our neighbour is collecting winter jackets, blankets, pants or sweatshirts to help those less fortunate. If you have any warm clothing to donate, please drop them off at 2396 Marisa Court.

Have something to say?
Email your Likes or Nots to 2018sfra@gmail.com

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UPCOMING Events

Annual General Meeting

Via Zoom
Wednesday, November 4th
7:30 pm

Open House at The Pump

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Sherwood Green Skating & Hockey Rink

Great news! The City of Mississauga Recreational Department has provided the go-ahead to install ice skating rinks at parks across Mississauga. We have been contacted and the City has agreed to install one rink in Sherwood Green. Unfortunately they did not approve the two rinks we normally have and they have standardized the size of all rinks across the city. However, we provided guidance to the size the rinks should be.

We have also been informed by Matt Mahoney that the City will be contributing $750 toward the cost of the rink liner as part of the community benefit fund. Thank you to Bruno and the SFRA for lobbying on our behalf!

In next couple of months we need to prepare the area, fix the nets and gather a list of people who want to help start up and maintain the ice. **If you would like to volunteer, please email bibs.inc@gmail.com**. Please remember that students receive community hour credits for working on the rink.

We look forward to lots of volunteers (many hands make light work) and lots of skaters! We will let everyone know if the plans for the skating rink change due to COVID-19.

Coronavirus Update

Sadly, the coronavirus has not magically gone away as someone south of the border (which is still closed to travel) said it would. Due to the recent increase of cases in Peel and the GTA, the Ontario government has once again restricted the private gathering limit to 10 people indoors and 25 people outdoors. Social circles of up to 10 people have been cancelled. Masks are now mandatory in all public indoor areas.

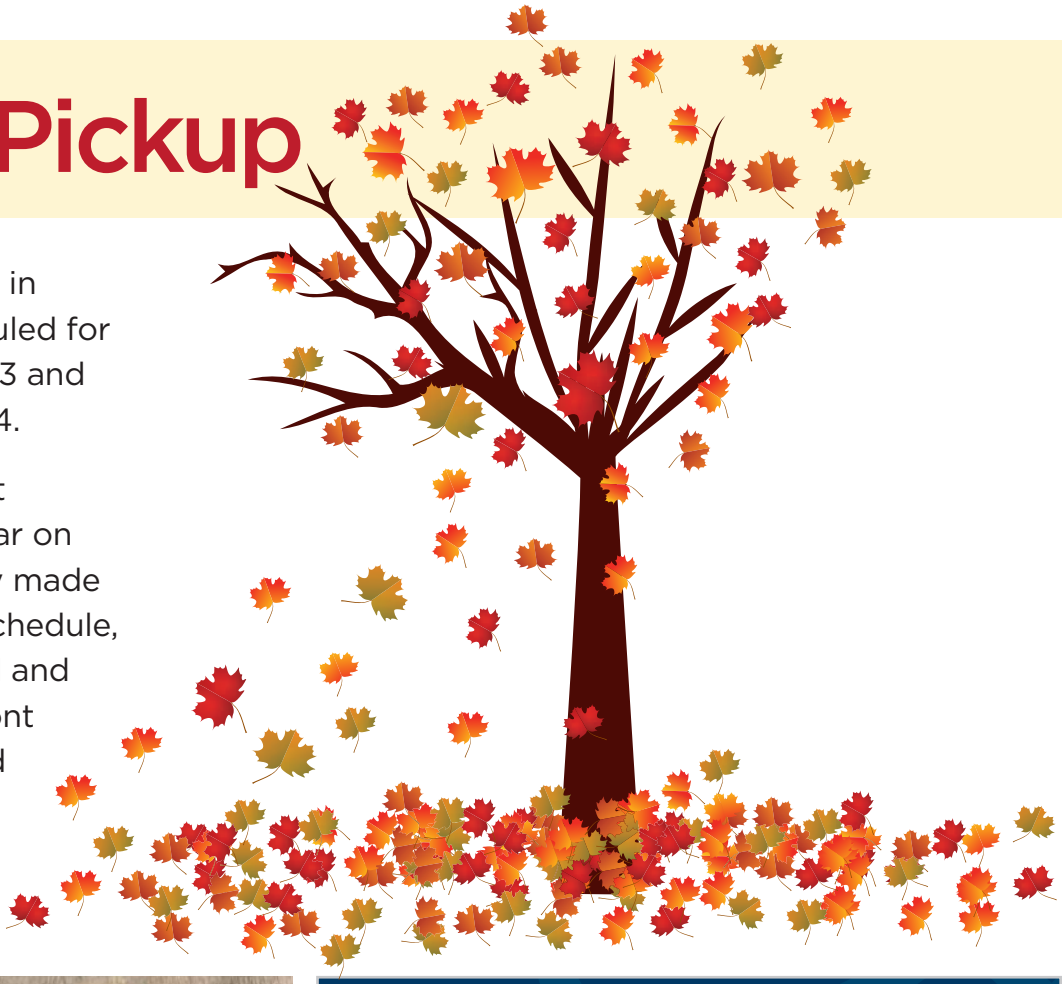
For your health and the health of others, please:

- **Stay 2 metres away** from everyone outside your family circle.
- **Wash your hands often** with soap and water or use hand sanitizer.
- **Wear a mask** when physical distancing is difficult and where they are mandatory.
- **Get tested** if you think you might have COVID-19 or have been exposed to it. Testing is now by appointment only.

For the latest information on the coronavirus, visit peelregion.ca/coronavirus



Fall Leaf Pickup



The fall leaf vacuum pickup in Sherwood Forrest is scheduled for the weeks of November 9-13 and November 30 - December 4.

Remember, we had our first major snowstorm of the year on November 11th, which really made a mess of the leaf pickup schedule, so be sure to keep the road and curbside storm drains in front of your home clear of raked leaves to reduce street flooding and subsequent freezing.

K9 CORNER





Meet **Maggie May**, a beautiful Golden Doodle. Born in Roxton Pond, Quebec, and 5 months old, she's thrilled to make Sherwood Forrest her home. Maggie has had her shots and can now play with other puppies in the neighbourhood so be on the lookout. She looks forward to roughhousing with Blu in the afternoon. Maggie is curious, playful and adventurous yet careful and cautious. She loves beef, cheese, peanut butter, sweet potato and her new family!

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