



# The Hepburn Howler

## November 2024



Town Office will be closed on Monday, November 11, 2024 in observance of Remembrance Day.

## Council Update

The current council is active until November 13, 2024. The new council will begin their term at the upcoming November meeting - scheduled for mid-November. If you have correspondence to submit, email to [info@hepburn.ca](mailto:info@hepburn.ca) on or before November 15.

## Election Day

Advance Poll is set for Wednesday **November 6**, from 5-8pm. Election Day is Wednesday **November 13**, from 9am-8pm, at Pine Room in Heritage Common. Municipal Positions were all filled by Acclamation; School Division candidates are Carrie Lalonde and Christa Ann Willems. Bring your identification to VOTE!



## Staff Update

The Director of Administration, Marketing & Events position is now closed. Thanks to all who applied. Interview candidates will be contacted shortly from the [careers@hepburn.ca](mailto:careers@hepburn.ca) email account. The Chief Administrative Officer position is still open until November 29.



## Arena Season is Coming!

**\*Join the Sponsorship Team!** Sign up for Arena Signage Sponsorship or the Public Skating Sponsorship by emailing [recreation@hepburn.ca](mailto:recreation@hepburn.ca) by November 16. New signs need to be ready for installation by Nov 25.

**\*Volunteer! Ice-Making** sign up link here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/60B0D44A9A62DABF85-52896448-flooding>

**\*Make a booking:** [arena@hepburn.ca](mailto:arena@hepburn.ca). View calendar here: [www.hepburn.ca/recreation/arena.html](http://www.hepburn.ca/recreation/arena.html)

## Snow Removal

Please remove vehicles and bins off town streets promptly where there is a snowfall to allow grader access on all roadways.

## HOT Mess Grill is BACK!



Hot Mess Grill will be running out of the Hepburn Arena Concession Kitchen for the 2024-2025 season – Miranda Martens and Joni Guenther. Watch for news about opening days.

## Heritage Common Bookings

HERITAGE COMMON  
*a place for gathering*



**& Tours** Fall Sale Prices are on until November 30. Organize your getaway, gathering, celebration, creative evening, staff party, birthday, or fundraising event with us! Heritage Common is a vibrant hub for learning, leisure, and connection! Reach out to [events@hepburn.ca](mailto:events@hepburn.ca) or call 306-947-2180. Schedule a tour today! <https://heritagecommon.ca/>

## Wedding Fair Thank You!

Heritage Common was at Happily Together Bridal Showcase in October 20th. Have an upcoming wedding planned? Contact us for open dates in 2025 and 2026.



## Hepburn Volunteer Fire Department

The Hepburn Fire & EMS Department is looking for volunteers. Visit the town office to pick up an application form. Their team meets usually three times a month at the Hepburn Fire Hall.

## Community Safety Officer –306-232-4839 Dispatch Number!

The Twin Rivers Community Safety Officer (CSO) Program provides community safety services with an additional uniformed presence. The Town of Hepburn partnered with the Towns of [Waldheim](#), [Duck Lake](#), [Rosthern](#), and the [RM of Rosthern No. 403](#) on this joint enforcement effort to ensure safer municipalities for our residents. The CSO will provide proactive policing through public educational opportunities, engagement with local stakeholders, and creating relationships with residents to encourage bylaw compliance. Read more:

[https://hepburn.ca/living\\_here/emergency\\_services/tw\\_in\\_rivers\\_community\\_safety\\_officer.html](https://hepburn.ca/living_here/emergency_services/tw_in_rivers_community_safety_officer.html)



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**NOVEMBER 2024**

**WHAT'S HAPPENING IN HEPBURN!**

## PARKS & RECREATION EVENTS

**AWARDS FOR VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR & Youth VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR (ages 16-22)** – Due **November 18** - Suggest someone that you have seen contribute to the community and area. Email the name & why they deserve to be recognized.

**BOOK CLUB** – **Thursday November 21**, at Birch Boardroom, 7:30pm. Book This Month is Five Little Indians. **Email:** [reading.for.reconciliation@gmail.com](mailto:reading.for.reconciliation@gmail.com)

**LIGHT UP HEPBURN CONTEST** - Decorate your home and yard for the season, and nominate yourself and your neighbours for chances to win prizes. Nominations are welcome from Nov 18-Dec 31. Send exact street address and why you like it! You can submit as many nominations as you like.

**MINUTES FROM ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING** – **Did you or your group miss this year's AGM** in October? Email to request minutes - available after **November 5**.

## LIGHT THE NIGHT CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL & MARKET – Mon November 25, 4:00-10:00pm.

See you at Heritage Common and Hepburn Centennial Gazebo for tree lighting, carol singing, special visitors, fireside, marshmallows, FIREWORKS, activities, photos with Santa and Mrs Claus, reading corner, cookies and beverages, and MORE! Dress warm & bring your own lawn chair. No Cost!

**\*CAROL SINGING** – You can enjoy singing OUTDOORS or indoors this year. We will have a facebook live up in Heritage Common in the Pine Room.

**\*CHILI SUPPER** - Join in our **Chili Cookoff event** by Garden Group. For \$5, sample all the chilis and vote on your favorite! E: [hepburncommunitygardens@gmail.com](mailto:hepburncommunitygardens@gmail.com)

**\*MARKET** – Limited vendor spots. \$20/spot. **Deadline Nov 15** or when spots are filled. Email to volunteer at event, & to book a spot! Set up time is from 2:30-4:00pm. Community Groups are welcome to have a table to promote their fundraisers, sales, events, and wish lists.

**\*MUSIC JAM SESSION** – Play an instrument? Love to sing? Message Lisa about a Jam Session in the Ballroom.\*

**\*SCHOOL PROGRAM** – Hepburn School and the K-12 students will be partnering with the Festival - program to be held in the Ballroom mid-evening. Times to be announced.

**\*FOOD HAMPER COLLECTION & DONATIONS** – Bring donations of dry goods and cash for the Good Neighbours Food Centre, and for Hepburn Christmas Hampers Program.

**VOLUNTEERING OPTIONS!** – Sign up for November

\*ONE POSITION IS still OPEN on the board.

\*Lots of Positions are OPEN for Subcommittees – Light the Night Event **November 1-26**, Christmas Break Programs

December 20-January 5, and MORE. Email Lisa at [recreation@hepburn.ca](mailto:recreation@hepburn.ca) to find out more OR go to the website [www.hepburn.ca/recreation/parks\\_recreation\\_board.html](http://www.hepburn.ca/recreation/parks_recreation_board.html)  
\*Public Skating Volunteers – Sunday & School Breaks – starting in December.

**\*CONNECT WITH THE BOARD** - *We want to hear from you!*  
Parks & Recreation Board Meeting is on **Monday, November 4, 2024**. Send in Correspondence by Sunday, November 3 to [recreation@hepburn.ca](mailto:recreation@hepburn.ca).

## COMMUNITY GROUPS & EVENTS

**NEW: POUND CLASS** – Free Class on Tuesday November 5 – at Heritage Common Ballroom. Tuesdays 5, 12, 19, 26. \$10/class for other dates. See Flyer / Poster around town. Register with Natalie at – 306-981-4358.

## HEPBURN CHRISTMAS FOOD HAMPERS

Confidentially nominate a Hepburn family or individual by email to [hepburnchristmashampers@gmail.com](mailto:hepburnchristmashampers@gmail.com) with name, contact number, reason for need, and number of people in the household. Donate at Post Office, Gospel Church, MB Church, Hepburn School Office, or by mail to Hepburn MB Church PO Box 237 S0K 1Z0. Mark for Christmas hampers. **Contact Jean-Yves & Gloria Marsolais for more info.**

**MOMS & LITTLES ROMP AND RUN** - at Heritage Common Gym. By Hepburn MB Church Moms and Parks and Recreation - Wed, Nov 20 at 9:00-11:30am. No Cost. Free Coffee.

**HEPBURN SCHOOL NEWS:** \*Junior Boys Volleyball Playoffs – **Tuesday Nov 5** from 1-6pm, at Heritage Common. \*No School Days – **Nov 8 and Nov 11**

**HEPBURN SENIORS** – **Coffee Time:** Wednesdays November 6, 13, 20, 27, at 9am. **Forever in Motion Classes:** Wed 10:20am.

## HEPBURN CHRISTMAS BANQUET by Seniors

**Christmas Banquet:** Friday **November 29** at The Centre. Punch at 5:30pm, Supper at 6:00pm. Get Tickets \$25 from Jim 306-371-2809, or Morris 306-947-2191.

## REGIONAL, PROVINCIAL, & BUSINESS ACTIVITIES

**BUSINESS FEATURE:** **Grandma's House**

<https://www.vrbo.com/en-ca/cottage-rental/p7894208>

\*Area Businesses:

[www.hepburn.ca/doing\\_business/business\\_directory.html](http://www.hepburn.ca/doing_business/business_directory.html)

## HERITAGE COMMON COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

**HOMESCHOOL GYM TIMES** – Tue, 1-3pm. Court 1 is Volleyball for Gr 7-12. Court 2 for children K-Grade 6. **November 5,12,19,26.** \$2/youth. Adults should accompany their group & all Children and youth must be supervised.

**WALKING TIMES** - \$2, OR \$10/monthly pass. Mon-Fri 9:00am-11:30am. Bring clean gym shoes and water bottle.

TOWN OF HEPBURN

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