



# Tarbutt Times

April 2023

705 782 6776  
9am to 4pm

[www.tarbutt.ca](http://www.tarbutt.ca)

emails:

[clerk@tarbutt.ca](mailto:clerk@tarbutt.ca)

[admin@tarbutt.ca](mailto:admin@tarbutt.ca)

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## Apply for your annual Fire Permit online.

Visit: [tarbutt.ca/fire-permit/](http://tarbutt.ca/fire-permit/)

Trailer permits are required in Tarbutt



Tarbutt Council wishes to remind all property owners that Trailer Permits are required each year for trailers or recreational vehicles on all properties for summer or occasional use. Applications can be found on the website at [www.tarbutt.ca](http://www.tarbutt.ca) or by calling 705-782-6776.

Dogs Lost or Found  
Call the Animal Control Officer:

705-971-6135



Please be a responsible dog owner by purchasing your annual dog tag. Proof of vaccination is required.

**Annual Dog Tag Fees:**

Microchipped & Spayed/Neutered - \$3

Neutered/Spayed - \$5

Not Neutered/Spayed - \$25

Kennel License - \$30

Replacement License - \$5

Leashing and Dog Tags are required every year for every dog any time they are off their own property



Tags ensure that your dog can be returned to you safely, rather than being seized and treated as a stray.

The cost to release a dog from impound is far greater than the price of a tag.

Dogs wearing tags are a sign that they are cared for and vaccinated and therefore a stranger may more likely take protective action rather than having them impounded.



Landfill Hours change after the May Long Weekend to  
Wednesdays 12 - 7pm  
Saturday 9am - 5 pm

**2023 Tax Installment Dates:**

February 28<sup>th</sup>

April 28<sup>th</sup>

August 31<sup>st</sup>

October 31<sup>st</sup>



## Community Members Wanted - Tarbutt Cemetery Board

The Township of Tarbutt is inviting individuals to join the Tarbutt Cemetery Board. The Cemetery Board provides information, advice and assistance to staff and Council in accordance with the Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act, 2002 for the Port Findlay Cemetery on Hardwood Drive, as well as the pioneer cemetery known as the Stickney Cemetery on Barr Road. There are no residency requirements to sit as a member of the Board; simply an interest in ensuring the continued care, maintenance and operation of the Port Findlay Cemetery, and to ensure that the historical value and dignity of the Stickney Cemetery is maintained. The term of office for the Board coincides with the term of Council.

Interested individuals are encouraged to contact the Clerk by telephone, or by submitting an expression of interest to [clerk@tarbutt.ca](mailto:clerk@tarbutt.ca).

## SUMMER JOB OPPORTUNITY

The Township of Tarbutt is accepting applications from individuals **up to 30 years of age** for full time summer employment.

The Parks Attendant/Office Assistant will ensure that outdoor public spaces are clean, safe and welcoming. This position will also actively participate in roads maintenance projects, as well as administrative office duties such as digitization and organization of records, mapping, classifying documents and research.

Two community events are to be planned, organized and promoted including the creation of marketing materials, mapping cycling routes and widespread advertising. Successful applicants must have a valid drivers' license and be self directed to work with minimal supervision. A job description is available by contacting the Township office by e-mail at [clerk@tarbutt.ca](mailto:clerk@tarbutt.ca) or 705-782-6776, or on the Township's website at [www.tarbutt.ca](http://www.tarbutt.ca). Interested candidates should submit a cover letter and resume outlining relevant work experience to The Township of Tarbutt, 27 Barr Road S., Desbarats, Ontario P0R 1E0, or by e-mail to [clerk@tarbutt.ca](mailto:clerk@tarbutt.ca) no later than Monday, May 1, 2023.

## FIRE PERMITS ARE FREE

The Province sets out rules for burning. Please ensure you are familiar with the **10 conditions** on the permit that need to be followed including...

- No daytime burning
- Keeping the fire at least 15 meters (50 feet) from any structure and 5 meters (17 feet) from any combustible materials (trees, grass, woodpiles, etc.)
- Fires must be less than one cubic metre in width.

To obtain your permit go to [tarbutt.ca/fire-permit/](http://tarbutt.ca/fire-permit/)



# LANDFILL NEWS

Please place all household waste in the green bear-proof bins placed behind the Shareshed to prevent bears and other wildlife from getting into the garbage.

Furniture and large bulky items that are not recyclable should be placed in the large bin alongside the raised ramp. The containers are shipped out in an effort to extend the life of the landfill and save it from filling up.

Please secure your load before taking it to the landfill.

Unsecured loads cause garbage, litter and waste to blow and land on the road and on private property, creating hazards and trash for others.

CONSTRUCTION WASTE SHOULD ALWAYS BE SEPARATED into metal, clean wood, painted or stained wood products, shingles, drywall and other materials. Ashes, brush and unpainted wood are accepted in segregated areas.



LANDFILL QUESTIONS???

Please call The Township of Tarbutt between 9 am and 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday at 705-782-6776 or [clerk@tarbutt.ca](mailto:clerk@tarbutt.ca)

**PLEASE USE THE LANDFILL STICKERS PROVIDED BY YOUR TOWNSHIP** when entering the site. These stickers indicate that you have landfill privileges. If you have not received a sticker, please call your local township office.

## REMINDER: HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DEPOT OPENING FOR SEASON

The Household Hazardous Waste Depot located at 402 Fifth Line East, Sault Ste. Marie will be **OPEN** for the season as of **APRIL 18** until **OCTOBER 21**.

Open Tuesday - Saturday 8:30am - 4:30pm.

Household Hazardous Waste - General Inquiries 705-759-1567

### *Share shed Volunteers*

Do you like to organize, straighten, and display items?

Are you a people person?

Do you want to help extend the life of the Landfill?

The Johnson Tarbutt Landfill Share Shed is currently seeking volunteers to work occasional shifts, Wednesdays and/or Saturdays, year round.

Interested individuals are asked to contact the Clerk at Tarbutt Township at 705 782 6776 or [clerk@tarbutt.ca](mailto:clerk@tarbutt.ca)



## 2023 RENEW YOUR DOG LICENCE



### ARE YOU PREPARED???

If an emergency happens in our community, you should be prepared to take care of yourself and your family for a minimum of 72 hours.

#### Emergency Kit List



- Water – at least 2 litres per person per day
- Food that won't spoil, such as canned food, energy bars and dried foods
- Manual can opener
- Crank or battery-powered flashlight (and extra batteries)
- Crank or battery-powered radio (and extra batteries)
- First aid kit
- Extra keys (vehicle and home)
- Cash in smaller bills, and change for payphones
- A copy of your emergency plan and contact information
- Special items such as prescription medication, infant formula, and equipment for people with disabilities

#### Parking Restrictions

Parking is not permitted on Pine Island Road.

The Tarbutt Volunteer Fire Department and all emergency services use the Pine Island Road turnaround and the Port Findlay dock area to fill the firetrucks. These areas **shall be clear of vehicles at all times**. In the event of an emergency, all roads must be free of obstructions. Please park well off the travelled road.

## Pickleball at the WI Park - Richards Landing

### Scheduled Play

Monday, Wednesday, Friday - 9 a.m. to 12 noon

Saturday, Sunday - 9 a.m. to 12 noon

Open play on all courts after 12 noon

Schedule Time to Play Using - [playtimescheduler.com](http://playtimescheduler.com) (location type in "North Shore")  
Watch for Richards Landing Pickleball on "St. Joseph Island Community page on Facebook"

### NOTICE: PORT FINDLAY CEMETERY & STICKNEY CEMETERY

The Township of Tarbutt has submitted a by-law to the Registrar of the *Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act, 2002*. Any interested parties may contact the Township Office at 705 782 6776 for information, or to receive copies. By-laws or amendments may be reviewed or copied at the Township office, 27 Barr Road South, Desbarats.

This by-law is subject to the approval of the Registrar of the *Funeral, Burial and Cremation Services Act, 2002*. Telephone: Bereavement Authority of Ontario at 1-647-483-2645 or 1-844-493-6356.