



CAPITAL UPDATE

YOUR WEEKLY MUNICIPAL NEWSLETTER

SNOW REMOVAL SCHEDULE

Monday, March 4, 2024

- Hearne Hill Road from McMeekan Causeway to Otto Drive;
- Morrison Drive from Otto Drive South to McMeekan Causeway;
- 46 Street from Weledah School to 52 Avenue; and
- Forrest Drive from Franklin Avenue to 51A Avenue.

Tuesday, March 5, 2024

- All of Hall Crescent from Coronation Drive to Hall Crescent; and
- All of Hall Court.

Wednesday, March 6, 2024

- 49 Avenue from 46 Street to 43 Street;
- 47 Street from Franklin Avenue to 52 Avenue; and
- All of Knutsen Avenue and Knutsen Court.

Thursday, March 7, 2024

- All of Mandeville Drive and Mandeville Drive South; and
- All of England Crescent.

Friday, March 8, 2024

- All of Hordal Road and Hordal Court.

Residents must ensure parked vehicles are removed from these streets by midnight, or they will be towed. Residents are advised that there will be traffic delays in snow removal areas and if possible, to use an alternate route to avoid delays. The City asks residents to ensure Curbside Carts are returned to their property before the scheduled snow removal on their street. Thank you for your patience, and remember to use caution in snow removal areas and not to pass moving equipment.

If residents have questions with regards to [snow removal](#) or would like to flag a street or neighborhood that requires immediate attention, please contact the City of Yellowknife's customer service desk at (867) 920-5600 or raise your concern via [Click and Fix YK](#). Please note that the snow removal team will take into account current road conditions as well as the overall work plan for snow removal when assessing and addressing the issues raised.

FROM THE LIBRARY...

Speak English Café

Practice speaking English in a friendly, relaxed environment at the Speak English Café! This program, presented by the City of Yellowknife in partnership with the NWT Literacy Council, takes place on **Thursdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** in the Library meeting room. English speakers are also welcome to join the conversation and help others to advance their language skills. Speak English Café is a great opportunity to meet new people, learn about different cultures, and welcome newcomers to our community!

Chess Club

The City of Yellowknife invites you to attend chess club on **Monday evenings from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** at the Yellowknife Public Library. Not sure how to play? No problem! All skill levels and ages are welcome!

To register for a Library Program or for more information, visit www.yellowknife.ca/library or call (867) 920-5642.

COMMITTEE VACANCIES

Board of Revision

The City of Yellowknife is looking for citizens to sit on its Board of Revision, a body established by statute to hear Yellowknife property assessment appeals, and scheduled to sit on **Thursday, April 11, 2024**.

The City welcomes applications from all interested persons, however, those with a background or understanding of the basic process of property assessment and an understanding of how to conduct a hearing effectively to reach appropriate decisions are particularly encouraged to apply. The application deadline is **Friday, March 8, 2024**.

Community Advisory Board on Homelessness

The City of Yellowknife is now accepting applications for one (1) representative from Indigenous Peoples and organizations, Friendship Centres or Indigenous housing organization.

The purpose of the Community Advisory Board on Homelessness (CAB) is to assist the City in an advisory capacity regarding homelessness issues within the municipal boundaries of the City of Yellowknife. The application deadline is **Friday, March 8, 2024**.

Mayor's Task Force on Economic Development

The City of Yellowknife is currently seeking volunteers to fill vacancies on the Mayor's Task Force on Economic Development (MTFED) for one (1) representative from each of the following sectors:

- Retail
- Hospitality

The purpose of the Task Force is to provide input into the implementation of the City of Yellowknife's 2019-2024 Economic Development Strategy (the "Strategy") and provide advice to City Administration on any economic development matters. The application deadline is **Friday, March 8, 2024**.

Individuals should apply online at www.yellowknife.ca or submit a letter of application explaining their interest in serving on the Committee to the City Clerk, City of Yellowknife, City Hall, Yellowknife, NT, fax (867) 920-5649; or email cityclerk@yellowknife.ca.

For further information, please contact the City at (867) 920-5600.

CONVENIENT WAYS TO PAY PROPERTY TAXES

The City of Yellowknife would like to advise residents that there are many ways to make your tax payments, including:

- Pre-authorized payment, by signing up for the interest-free tax payment plan;
- Through your bank's telephone and online banking systems;
- By mail with a cheque; and
- After hours at the convenient drop box located at City Hall.

In order to sign up for the City's interest-free tax payment plan, your tax account must be current. Your monthly payments must be made by automatic bank withdrawals.

To enroll in this service, please complete the pre-authorized payment form on the City's website at www.yellowknife.ca.

DEVELOPMENT APPROVALS NOTICE

The following development permit applications have been approved by the Development Officer. Any persons claiming to be adversely affected by the development may, in accordance with the [Community Planning and Development Act](#), appeal to the Development Appeal Board, c/o City Clerk's Office, tel. (867) 920-5646, City of Yellowknife, P.O. Box 580, Yellowknife, NT X1A 2N4. Please note that your notice of appeal must be in writing, comply with the [Community Planning and Development Act](#), include your contact information and include the payment of the \$25 appeal fee. (The appeal fee will be reimbursed if the decision of the Development Officer is reversed).

There are no Development Approvals for March 1, 2024.

Dated the 1st day of March, 2024.

For more information please contact the City at (867) 920-5600.

WINTER PROGRAMS

Registration for Winter 2024 Recreational Programs is open.

Drop In Flag Football

Do you love playing football? During the month of March, the City of Yellowknife is offering drop-in flag football for adults (18 years and up) on Thursday evenings. This drop-in program will take place at the Yellowknife Fieldhouse on **March 7, 14, 21 and 28 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** No registration required. Regular admission applies, flexipasses accepted.

Dance Play

The City of Yellowknife is offering several Dance Play programs for children ages 3 to 12, as well as Family Dance Play for 3 year olds to adults. Dance Play is a new and innovative physical activity for children that promotes positive mental health through 3 main rules: be positive, have fun and be yourself. Classes will run on Sundays **from April 7 to June 9, 2024.**

To register online, residents must [log in or create an account](#) using the instructions provided. To explore the recreational programming available, visit www.yellowknife.ca/Programs.

MARCH BREAK PROGRAMS

The City of Yellowknife is pleased to be offering several fun and engaging programs for kids over March Break.

LSS Bronze Medallion

The Bronze Medallion Award teaches an understanding of the lifesaving principles embodied in the four components of water rescue education - judgment, knowledge, skill and fitness. Rescuers learn tows and carries, and defense and release methods in preparation for rescues of increased risk involving conscious and unconscious victims of various types. Lifesavers develop stroke efficiency and endurance in a timed swim. Prerequisites - Ability to swim a few strokes with good endurance for a distance of 500 meters and 13 years of age OR Bronze Star Award. This program runs **from March 4 to 8, 2024.**

Bronze Cross & Lifesaving CPR'C

Bronze Cross is designed for lifesavers who want the challenge of more advanced training including an introduction to safe supervision in aquatic facilities. Bronze Cross is a prerequisite for all advanced training programs including the National Lifeguard certification. Prerequisite - Bronze Medallion Award. This program runs **from March 11 to 15, 2024.**

Registration for programs is open and can be done online or by phone at (867) 669-3457. To register online, visit www.yellowknife.ca/programs.

TENTATIVE AGENDAS

Governance and Priorities Committee Meeting

March 4, 2024 at 12:05 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall

- As there were no items for the agenda, the meeting has been cancelled.

To view Council and Committee Agendas visit [Council Calendar](#).

FIRE SAFETY & EDUCATION

Space Heater Fire Safety

When using a space heater, keep these Safety Tips in mind:

- Keep anything that can burn at least 1 meter (3 feet) from the heater;
- Plug it directly into a wall socket; do not use an extension cord or power bar;
- Turn the heater off when leaving the room or going to bed; and
- Ensure it has a ULC or CSA label which shows it is tested to Canadian standards.

Learn more at www.yellowknife.ca/fireprevention.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The City of Yellowknife is currently offering exciting opportunities for the right people to work alongside our dedicated and community focused team of City employees in the following positions:

Human Resources Officer - Employee and Labour Relations

Closing Date: March 8, 2024

Planner I

Closing Date: March 15, 2024

Building Inspector III

Closing Date: March 15, 2024

Fire Fighter/PCP

Open until Filled

Equipment Operator II

Open until Filled

Heavy Duty Mechanic

Open until Filled

Lifeguard/Instructor

Open until Filled

Summer Student - Day Camp Coordinator

Closing Date: April 14, 2024

Summer Casual Library Assistant

Closing Date: April 19, 2024

Visit the City of Yellowknife website at www.yellowknife.ca for more information and to submit your application.

REGISTRATION FOR SPRING AQUATIC PROGRAMS

The City of Yellowknife is pleased to offer additional aquatics programs this spring! New programs include weekly lessons as well as a variety of advanced aquatic certifications for those looking to become a certified Lifesaver or Lifeguard. Registration opens on **Wednesday, March 6 at 9:00 a.m.** and can be done online, in-person or by calling 867-920-5683 or 867-669-3457. For more details, visit our website www.yellowknife.ca/programs. Stay tuned for additional class offerings in April.



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Switchboard (867) 920-5600
Mayor/City Manager (867) 920-5693
Booking Clerk (867) 669-3457

Municipal Enforcement (MED) (867) 920-5630
After Hours (MED) (867) 920-2737
After Hours (Public Works) (867) 920-5699

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