



### NEWSLETTER | MAY 2013

#### **SAVE THE DATE**

**Art on the Waterfront**June 8th and June 9th

Canada Day Celebrations
South Mountain July 1st

Chesterville Fair July 26, 27 and 28th

Winchester Dairyfest August 8, 9,10 and 11th

**South Mountain Fair** August 15,16,17 and 18th

## CHESTERVILLE FARMERS' MARKET

The Farmers' Market is located on the Chesterville Waterfront and this year it is open every Saturday from 9:00am to 2:00pm from May 18th - October 12th.

www.chestervillefarmersmarket.com

# TOWNSHIP BUILDING DEPT EXTENDED SUMMER HOURS

The building dept is pleased to announce their extended hours of service every Wednesday from 4:30pm to 7:00pm until August 28th.



#### **New Township Website**

The new Township website acts as our primary source of corporate information and services for citizens, staff, businesses, investors, visitors and other stakeholders. The information is presented in a visually pleasing, easy-to-read and easy-to-find manner. In addition the new website has been designed to meet the Provinces' Accessible Information and Communication Standards. Please visit the new website at www.northdundas.com

#### **Building Better Roads**

Township Council has budgeted to continue the aggressive plan to surface treat our gravel roads in 2013, while at the same time ensuring that our other types of road infrastructure are maintained. For the first time in Township history, North Dundas will now have more tar-and-chip roads than gravel roads (177.2km tar and chip vs. 129.3km gravel) at the end of 2013 construction season.

#### **Investing in North Dundas Recreation Facilities**

The Chesterville Arena will see a major revitalization being undertaking in 2013. Work will include the replacement of the rink slab and boards. Engineering and design work for new, expanded dressing rooms and bleachers will also be completed and examined for construction. Also, the Winchester Centennial Pool will undergo a \$293,000 renovation with 50% of the project being funded by the federal government.



#### **Enhancing Economic Development**

Township Council adopted the first ever North Dundas Economic Development Strategic Action Plan in 2012. Numerous recommendations are being implemented by Council and staff. One significant recommendation that was already implemented this spring is the new Township of North Dundas Community Improvement Plan that offers grants and loans to commercial businesses for facade improvements and interior renovations.

#### 2013 Annual Report to Taxpayers

In an effort to communicate more effectively with taxpayers in North Dundas, Council and staff are pleased to release our second "Annual Report to Taxpayers". It can be viewed on the Township website.

#### WHAT IF I DO NOT GET MY TAX BILL?

Property taxes and the payment thereof, are the responsibility of the property owner. If you do not receive your bill it is your responsibility to contact the township office and request a copy. The township is not responsible for any interest charges that incurred due to non payment of your bill.