

APPENDIX D

Township Events at WLCC and Other Facilities

Family Day

As the planning for Family Day 2022 began, potential Covid-19 closures and/or restrictions were a possibility. Thus, an event plan with moderate in-person activities was presented. Three free public skating times were offered and take-home kits were available for pick up.

Easter Egg Hunt

The 2022 Easter Egg Hunt was held outdoors at the playground and greenspace area on the north end of the Community Centre property. In previous years the event was held at the Leisureplex Park. The change in location was well received. The estimated attendance was 1000.

Farmers' Market

In 2021 the Township was awarded funding from the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs for the establishment of a Farmers' Market. A Market Coordinator was hired in July 2021 and the Market opened July 23, 2021. It was held on Friday afternoons/evenings in the south west corner of the Community Centre parking lot. New hydro was installed for vendors who required it.

In 2022, the Market continued for a full season from May to October. There was also an Easter Market and a Christmas Market held indoors in the Community Centre gymnasium. A meeting was held at the end of the season with participating vendors and some adjustments have been made for the 2023 season based on feedback and suggestions from the meeting. In 2023, the Market will be held on Tuesdays.

Music in the Park

In 2022 the Music in the Park concert series returned after Covid-19 cancellations for the 2020 and 2021 seasons. Four concerts were held in the new bandshell at the Community Centre and they were held on Friday evenings to align with the Farmer's Market. The concerts were well attended and feedback was great about the performers and the venue. The estimated attendance over 4 concerts was 600. In 2023, Music in the Park will not be held on the same night as the Farmers' Market. Six concert dates have been set for Wednesday evenings in 2023.

Movies in the Park

In 2022, Movies in the Park also returned after two years of cancellations due to Covid-19. Two movie nights were held in the greenspace area at the north end of the Community Centre property. In previous years, Movies in the Park was held at the Leisureplex Park. The Community Centre space allowed for better lighting in the parking area, easier access to hydro and access to indoor washrooms. Attendance was estimated at 350 over the two movie nights. In 2023, four Movies in the Park events will be offered and they will continue to be held at the Community Centre greenspace.

Canada Games Torch Relay Event

The 2021 Canada Games were planned to be hosted by Niagara in 2021, however Covid-19 forced the event to be postponed until 2022. To open the Canada Summer Games, a Torch Relay was planned across the Region. Each municipality hosted a leg of the Relay. The West Lincoln leg began at the Leisureplex Township Park with an opening ceremony and torch bearers carried the torch to the end of the leg at Community Centre. A cultural event of musical performances and activities was held in the bandshell area.

Partial funding for the construction of the bandshell at the Community Centre was received from the host society for the Canada Summer Games.

Canada Games 13 for 13 Event

As part of the Games, each municipality in Niagara hosted a 13 for 13 cultural event. The Township was paired with the province of Saskatchewan and an event was held on August 8 at the Community Centre. Inclement weather pushed the outdoor event indoors. There were musical performances, vendors, a photo booth, a magic show and food vendors. The event was well received by the community and attendance was good.

Seniors Community Grant

In 2022, the Township received funding through the Seniors' Community Grant to host a series of workshops and events for older adults. The events offered through the grant were:

- Welcome Mat Workshops
- Bath Bomb & Bath Salts Workshops
- Watering Can Floral Arrangement Workshops
- Tai Chi
- Chair Yoga Mini Sessions
- Crokinole
- Cornhole

The workshops and events were very well attended and feedback from participants was good.

Harvest Routes

The 2022, the Harvest Routes returned with both workshops and a market after Covid-19 had limited the number of participants and cancelled the market in 2020 and 2021. The event was held at the new facility along with events taking place at the Caistor Community Centre, the Wellandport Community Centre and all three branches of West Lincoln Libraries. Harvest Routes took place on Friday with workshops at the Community Centre and on Saturday with workshops in Caistor and Wellandport as well as the Community Centre. A vendor Market was also held in the gymnasium at the Community Centre on Saturday. An estimated attendance for the event at all locations on two days was 2000.

Parade

Due to Covid-19 potential restrictions in 2021, the West Lincoln Santa Claus Parade Committee hosted a “reverse parade” at the West Niagara Fairgrounds. The 2022 Santa Claus Parade made a return to a traditional parade and adjusted the event to evening rather than daytime. The West Lincoln Community Centre parking lot was used to stage entries and bands for the start of the parade. The parade finished at Regional Road 20 and Industrial Park Road.

In 2022, Township staff played a greater roll in facilitating and executing the parade than in previous years. Staff assisted with the coordination of road closure permits and Niagara Regional Police services and Township Staff were on duty for the event to assist with parade entry coordination and road closures.

Township Meetings and Gatherings

Many Township departments made use of the new facility by booking meetings and gatherings throughout 2022. The community rooms and the gymnasium offer staff with expanded opportunities for hosting business events. Council Inauguration and the Staff Christmas dinner were held at the Community Centre in 2022 instead of at non-Township owned locations.

Go-VAXX Mobile Vaccine Clinics

The Township hosted the Go-VAXX Mobile Vaccine Clinic Bus twice in 2022 in an effort to increase vaccination opportunities for West Lincoln residents. Clinics were hosted on February 8, 2022 and January 11, 2023.

Township Events at Other Locations

Earth Day (various Township parks)-estimated participants 70

Canada Day (Leisureplex Township Park)-estimated attendance 2000

Township of West Lincoln presents

FAMILY DAY

2022

FREE SKATING

Monday February 21, 2022

9:00am to 10:00am

11:00am to 12:00pm

2:00pm to 3:00pm

Skating times may be adjusted in response to
COVID-19 Provincial regulations as required.



TAKE HOME KITS By My Painted House

Create this beautiful piece at home with your family!

RESERVE YOUR KIT

Reservations Open: February 14th @ 9:00am

Call: 905-957-3346 ext. 4682

1 per family, limited kits available

PICK UP YOUR KIT

West Lincoln Community Centre

177 West Street, Smithville

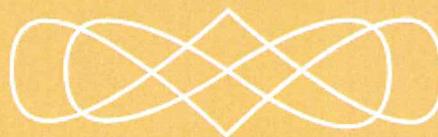
February 18th 10:00am to 7:00pm

FREE!



Township of West Lincoln presents

Easter Egg Hunt!



Friday April 15th, 2022

West Lincoln Community Centre
177 West Street, Smithville

OPENS at 9:00am

Egg Hunting at 10:00am

- Age group hunting areas (0-3yrs, 4-7yrs, 8-12yrs)
- Exchange coloured eggs for chocolate
- Dream Acres Petting Zoo
- Photos with the Easter Bunny
- Niagara Face Painting

West Lincoln Community Care
Donations Accepted

OUTDOOR EVENT - RAIN OR SHINE

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MUSIC IN THE PARK

2022

WHERE: WEST LINCOLN COMMUNITY CENTRE BANDSHELL

177 West Street, Smithville

Friday July 15

Starts at 6:45pm

RILEY MICHAELS



The 21-year-old singing and guitar slinging phenom from Niagara, Ontario, Riley Michaels brings an energy and fire to the stage that has never been seen before! No matter the audience size, location or circumstance, Riley Michaels and his band put on a show that commands attention, and is truly unforgettable! In 2021, the self-titled Riley Michaels EP was released and gained significant media attention internationally. Fast-forward to 2022, Riley is currently working on his next and biggest project yet.

***Also Canada
Summer Games
Torch Relay
Event**

Friday July 22

Starts at 6:00pm

M.T. WALKER



M.T. Walker's works have been featured on major network shows across America ("Cold Case Files", "Beauty and the Geek"), and have been played on national radio in Canada with the TOTS hit "Please". When you consider M.T. has toured supporting the likes of Matthew Good, The Sam Roberts Band, The Tea Party, Colin James, Kim Mitchell, and Switchfoot, you start to get a sense of the kind of talent M.T. Walker displays. His debut eponymous solo album, produced at Kensington Sound in Toronto by music-designer Ben Pelchat, is available now on vinyl and all digital platforms worldwide! M.T. Walker's musical ascent is just getting started - keep your eyes peeled in his direction.

Friday August 5

Starts at 6:00pm

**WENDY LYNN
SNIDER**



Wendy Lynn Snider, raised in Temagami, Ontario, is a Status Indian and member of the Temagami First Nations Indian Band. Wendy started in the music business in April, 2009 at the age of 45 and in a short few years recorded 3 albums with some of Canada's top musicians which include Darren Lachance, Doug Johnson (who still perform with her today), Steve Piticco, Elton Lammie and Steve O'Connor to name a few.

Pre-Covid, Wendy was very busy performing at festivals, fairs and other venues throughout Canada and in the USA. Many of Wendy's songs from her albums are played on numerous radio stations across Canada, USA & Europe. Wendy is a member of a theatre show called "The Premier Classic County Show" with Elton Lammie, Darren Lachance, Doug Johnson and Dave Menard. She also spends several weeks annually travelling throughout Florida performing at numerous RV parks and venues with fellow musicians. The show is a hit amongst the over 55.

Friday August 12

Starts at 6:00pm

WICKED TRUTH



The award-winning, internationally touring, concert experience of Wicked Truth is something that must be seen to be believed.

Having just completed their 2022 15-week American Tour, Wicked Truth are excited to be a part of the West Lincoln Township's Music In The Park concert series.

Known for their medleys, mash-ups and original arrangements of popular songs, WT plays everything from Adelle to ZZ Top and everything in between.

Don't miss this high energy, engaging and interactive performance of one of Ontario's most popular Coverbands.

Seniors Community Grant **FREE** Programs!

How to Register for Workshops and Fitness Programs:

Workshops - For the Welcome Mat, Bath Bombs & Bath Salts, the Watering Can Floral Arrangements and the Candle Making workshops you must register in advance. Space is limited and will be first come, first served basis. To reserve your spot call 905-957-3346 ext. 4682 or email bfisher@westlincoln.ca.

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Drop-in programs (No registration required):

Older Adult Social - Come by on Friday's to the Older Adult Social 55+. Coffee, tea and snacks will be offered as well as card playing, ping pong and Crokinole.

Cornhole - Try Cornhole on Friday afternoons! It is easy on your muscles and joints and is fun and interactive.

APRIL.22

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	
3	4	5	6	7	8	
10	11	12	13	14	15 GOOD FRIDAY	
17	18 EASTER MONDAY	19 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	20	21 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	22 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	
24  WELCOME MAT WORKSHOP 10:00am	25	26 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	27	28 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	29 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	

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


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MAY.22

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 	2 CANDLE MAKING WORKSHOP 9:30am	3 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am Chair Yoga Mini-session 12:00pm-12:30pm	4	5 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	6 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	7
8	9	10 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am Chair Yoga Mini-session 12:00pm-12:30pm	11	12 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	13 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	14
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22	23 VICTORIA DAY	24 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am Chair Yoga Mini-session 12:00pm-12:30pm <small>THE WATERING CAN FLORAL WORKSHOP 2:00pm</small> <small>Watering Can FLOWER MARKET</small>	25	26 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	27 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	28
29 	30 BATH BOMB & BATH SALT WORKSHOP 9:30am	31 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am Chair Yoga Mini-session 12:00pm-12:30pm				

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
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JUNE.22

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2 Tai Chi CANCELLED	3 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	4
5	6	7 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am Chair Yoga Mini-session 12:00pm-12:30pm	8	9 Tai Chi 10:00am-11:00am	10 Adult Social 10:30am-12:00pm Cornhole 1:00pm-3:00pm	11
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Harvest Routes

West Lincoln

September 30

October 1

Artists' Marketplace

October 1

10:00am to 4:00pm

West Lincoln Community Centre

177 West Street, Smithville, ON

Local artists, crafters and makers will display and sell their creations.

Ker Church Open House & Coat Drive

October 1 - 10:00am to 4:00pm

1892 Pipe Organ Performance 11:00am

Ker Church

9353 Twenty Road, Smithville, ON

Workshops

September 30 & October 1

10:00am 12:00pm 2:00pm

West Lincoln Community Centre

177 West Street, Smithville, ON

Wellandport Community Centre

5042 Canborough Road, Wellandport, ON

Caistor Community Centre

9184 Regional Road 65, Caistor Centre, ON

Workshop Registration

Opens September 21st at 10:00am

ONLINE

Visit westlincoln.ca

(Recreation and Leisure - Annual Community Events - Harvest Routes)

<https://www.westlincoln.ca/en/recreation-and-leisure/harvest-routes.aspx>

BRING PAYMENT TO EACH WORKSHOP-CASH ONLY

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Recreation Services
905-957-3346 ext.4688
recreation@westlincoln.ca

A Celebration of Arts and Culture

Workshops - September 30

West Lincoln Community Centre

177 West Street, Smithville, ON

September 30 "The Watering Can" Workshops

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$15)

Create an Autumn floral piece.

Workshop #1 - Adults 14yrs+ at 10:00am

Workshop #2 - Adults 14yrs+ at 12:00pm

Workshop #3 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm



September 30 "Card Making" Workshop

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (FREE!)

Create a seasonal set of greeting cards.

Workshop #7 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm

Please bring a non-perishable item for donation to West Lincoln Community Care for this workshop.

Caistor Community Centre

9184 Regional Road 65, Caistor Centre, ON

September 30 "ANG Design" Workshops

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$15)

Make a welcome door mat.

Workshop #11 - Adults 14yrs+ at 10:00am

Workshop #12 - Adults 14yrs+ at 12:00pm

Workshop #13 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm



Wellandport Community Centre

5042 Canborough Road, Wellandport, ON

September 30 "My Painted House" Workshops

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$15)

Make an Autumn wreath.

Workshop #17 - Adults 14yrs+ at 10:00am

Workshop #18 - Adults 14yrs+ at 12:00pm

Workshop #19 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm



Workshops - October 1

West Lincoln Community Centre

177 West Street, Smithville, ON

October 1 "The Watering Can" Workshops

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$15)

Create an Autumn floral piece.

Workshop #4 - Adults 14yrs+ at 10:00am

Workshop #5 - Adults 14yrs+ at 12:00pm

Workshop #6 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm



October 1 "Creative Bug" Workshops for Kids

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$10)

Create a seasonal set of greeting cards.

Workshop #8 - Kids 3 to 6yrs at 10:00am

Workshop #9 - Kids 6 to 10yrs at 12:00pm

Workshop #10 - Kids 10yrs+ at 2:00pm



Caistor Community Centre

9184 Regional Road 65, Caistor Centre, ON

October 1 The "ANG Design" Workshops

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$15)

Make a welcome door mat.

Workshop #14 - Adults 14yrs+ at 10:00am

Workshop #15 - Adults 14yrs+ at 12:00pm

Workshop #16 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm



Wellandport Community Centre

5042 Canborough Road, Wellandport, ON

October 1 "My Painted House" Workshops

MUST PRE-REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS (\$15)

Make a hanging pumpkin.

Workshop #20 - Adults 14yrs+ at 10:00am

Workshop #21 - Adults 14yrs+ at 12:00pm

Workshop #22 - Adults 14yrs+ at 2:00pm



West Lincoln Public Library Projects NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED

September 30 - Remembrance Rock Painting

Caistorville Library 9549 York Road, Canfield, ON

Smithville Library 177 West Street, Smithville, ON

October 1 - Autumn Wreath Project

Caistorville Library 9549 York Road, Canfield, ON

Smithville Library 177 West Street, Smithville, ON

Wellandport Library 5042 Canborough Road, Wellandport, ON