



# BITES



Town of Eston Office Newsletter



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### Animals

Reminder to residents license your pets with the Town. One time fee of \$5. There are fines if your animal is found to be unlicensed and fines for animal being at large.

### Waste/Recycle Carts & Loraas Bins

Reminder to residents that only household waste and recycling is allowed to be put into these receptacles. These are not to be used for construction or yard waste.

### Keep your eyes out for Street Sweeping

Street sweeping will be happening soon, please keep a look out for information from us regarding dates for your area. We will be putting alerts out on All-Connect and social media. If you haven't signed up for text, phone or email alerts - please contact the office and we can do this for you.

### Back Alleys **ATTENTION**

This year there we are asking residents to participate in an aggressive back alley clean up prior to May 22

The plan is for the Town crew to do some much needed work in the back alleys extending into late summer weather pending. In order to do this, we require your cooperation removing any personal items off of Town property before they arrive with equipment. **Anything that is not removed prior to the clean up, will be taken away by the Town.**

### Yard Clean Up - May 22



Help us take pride in our community this spring by focusing on clean up! Just like every spring and fall, we will be offering organic only yard waste pick-up. All items will need to be bagged in clear yard bags and placed in the back alley by **May 22 or else you could be missed**. Our crew will take the next week to pick up the waste and they **will not go back** if someone fails to put out their waste before **May 22**. Larger branches may be placed next to the clear bags and will also be picked up.

If you miss the pick up date, make a trip to the Landfill. There is no charge for compost or organic yard waste.

Not sure where to take your grass clippings throughout the summer? Loose clippings & compost may be deposited at the old concrete plant on the corner of 5th St & 7th Ave SW. No branches or bagged items accepted at this location.

## WHAT'S NEW

### Recreation:

#### Swimming Lessons - Eston Lions Pool

Register for Swimming Lessons at the Town Office or online at [www.eston.ca/recreation](http://www.eston.ca/recreation) by **Friday, June 2**

Parent & Tot, Preschool: \$35

Swimmer 1-6: \$55

Rookie, Ranger, Star: \$60

Lessons will run June 19-22 and 26-29.



Due to staffing, we we will only be able to offer one set of lessons and we are not able to offer private lessons this year.

#### Adult Recreation Programming

On recent survey results, adult recreation programming was one of the items that residents asked for. We have heard you and have recently started Slo-Pitch and Volleyball for adults 19+. You can keep informed regarding registration for these and other recreation opportunities on our website [www.eston.ca](http://www.eston.ca), monthly Gopher Bites available with your utility notices, and are posted on our website. We will also use social media and All-Connect to get the word out. If you haven't signed up for text, phone or email alerts from the Town of Eston, call the office and we can help you with this.

### Economic Development:

## Did you know

**The Town of Eston has a Business Development Tax Incentive which offers tax exemptions for those that qualify in order to support the attraction and development of business in the community.**

#### Town Office

Mon-Thurs: 9 am-12 & 1-5 pm; Fri: 10 am-12 & 1-5pm

#### Library

Mon-Tue & Thur: 2-5:30 pm; Wed: 2-8 pm; Fri: 10-noon & 3-5:30 pm

#### Landfill

Mon 9 am-4 pm; Tue 9 am - 1 pm; Thur 12-7 pm; Sat 9 am-4 pm

*The Town Office & Library will be closed  
Monday, May 22 for Victoria Day*



