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# A MESSAGE FROM LORD MAYOR ZALEPA

As we set sail into another spring and summer season, there is no better time to take advantage of all Niagara-on-the-Lake offers. Whether you are a long-time resident or new to our community, our Town offers countless opportunities for adventure, connection, and celebration.

One of my favourite parts of the season, the Strawberry Social, is quickly approaching. This event is an excellent opportunity for our senior residents to gather for a day of food and fellowship. Residents aged 65 and older are invited to register for this free celebration at the Niagara-on-the-Lake Community Centre. Stay tuned to our Community Events Calendar for the date and registration information.

Spring and summer also mark the arrival of our fresh and tender fruits and vegetables, grown right here in Niagara-on-the-Lake. From peaches and plums to vegetables and berries, these locally grown delights highlight the dedication of our farmers and the wonderful farmlands that make our Town unique. I encourage you to visit our local markets and farm stands to experience the incredible flavours of the season.

Welcome to new residents! We are so glad you're here! Be sure to visit Town Hall at 1593 Four Mile Creek Road, Virgil, to pick up your New Resident Welcome Package. It is a great way to familiarize yourself with all Niagara-on-the-Lake offers.

This Community Guide is a great resource for staying informed about the many events and activities happening throughout the season. From outdoor concerts and festivals to farmers markets and family-friendly events, it offers countless opportunities to explore and connect with our community. For those looking to stay informed about local governance, Council meetings are held on Tuesday evenings. Be sure to check the online Council Calendar at [www.notl.com/council-government](http://www.notl.com/council-government) for more details.

I look forward to seeing you in the community and wish you the best for the spring/summer season.

Sincerely,



Gary Zalepa Lord Mayor



## GENERAL NOTICE

The Niagara-on-the-Lake Community Guide is published semi-annually. The next issue, 2025-2026 Fall/Winter, will be published in Fall 2025. If your group or organization is interested in submitting information for the upcoming guide or you would like to advertise your business, please email [communications@notl.com](mailto:communications@notl.com) or visit [www.notl.com/community-guide](http://www.notl.com/community-guide) for more information.



## NEW RESIDENTS WELCOME PACKAGE

Niagara-on-the-Lake warmly welcomes new residents with a Town-branded tote bag containing valuable information, complimentary amenities, and more. To receive your package, stop by the Town Administrative Building at 1593 Four Mile Creek Road in Virgil. We can't wait to meet you! For additional details, please visit [www.notl.com/new-resident](http://www.notl.com/new-resident).





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# COMMUNITY CONTACTS & INFORMATION

**Stay connected with the Niagara-on-the-Lake community!**

This page provides contact information for local government, municipal services, community organizations, and waste collection. Whether you need assistance, have a question, or want to get involved, these resources are here to help!

## GOVERNMENT CONTACTS

### Niagara Regional Police Service - 905-688-4111

MP Tony Baldinelli - 905-353-9590

MPP Wayne Gates - 289-241-2238

Niagara Region - 905-980-6000

Regional Councillor Andrea Kaiser - 905-658-8793

## LOCAL MUNICIPAL CONTACTS

Humane Society of Greater Niagara - 905-682-0767

Niagara Lakeshore Cemetery - 905-468-2747

NOTL Community Centre - 905-468-4386

NOTL Hydro - 905-468-4235

NOTL Public Library - 905-468-2023

Queenston Public Library - 905-262-5173

Town Municipal Offices - 905-468-3266

## COMMUNITY CONTACTS

NOTL Chamber of Commerce - 905-468-1950

Community Support Services - 905-682-3800

District School Board of Niagara - 905-641-1550

Friends of Fort George - 905-468-6621

Meals on Wheels - 905-356-9194

Newark Neighbours - 905-468-3519

Niagara Catholic District School Board - 905-735-0240

Niagara Historical Society & Museum - 905-468-3912

Niagara Nursery School - 905-468-9055

Niagara Parks Commission - 1-877-642-7275

NOTL Palliative Care Services - 905-468-4433

Parks Canada - 905-468-6614

Riverbrink Art Museum - 905-262-4510

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 124 - 905-468-2353

Shaw Festival Theatre - 905-468-2153

## WASTE COLLECTION CONTACTS

Large Item Pick-Up - 1-833-621-0726 (Miller Waste Systems)

Recycling Collection - 1-877-667-2626 (Circular Materials)

Waste Info Line - 905-356-4141 (Niagara Region)

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# COUNCIL & STRATEGIC PLAN

## TOWN COUNCIL 2022-2026

Council Members in the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake are happy to serve you and address any questions, suggestions, or concerns you may have about the community.

As a non-ward system, all residents and members of the community are welcome to reach out to any Council Member via the email addresses provided at [www.notl.com/council-members](http://www.notl.com/council-members).



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## 2022-2027 STRATEGIC PLAN

The 2022-2027 Strategic Plan serves as a roadmap for success, guiding Council's decision-making and investments throughout this term. It ensures that today's choices set the course for Niagara-on-the-Lake's desired future.

Strategic planning is the process of defining an organization's vision, mission, and priorities, along with actionable plans to achieve and evaluate its goals. The Strategic Plan, supported by the Implementation Plan and Indicators of Success document, provides a clear framework for the Town's initiatives and operational decisions. It aims to enhance community well-being by setting measurable goals and priorities.



**Vision** - Enriching and protecting our heritage, agriculture and natural beauty, while creating a resilient, vibrant and welcoming community for all.

**Mission** - To efficiently deliver a high standard of municipal services and dependable infrastructure to support the community and to take leadership in planning, decision-making and policy development to ensure a healthy and financially sustainable future.

### TRACK PROGRESS ONLINE WITH OUR DASHBOARD

Stay updated on the Strategic Plan's progress through the Town's Strategic Plan Dashboard, which provides key metrics and milestones for specific objectives and initiatives. The dashboard is updated bi-annually in June and December to provide insights to the public.

### LEARN MORE ABOUT THE STRATEGIC PLAN

To learn more and view the Implementation Plan and Dashboard, please visit the Town's website at [www.notl.com/strategic-plan](http://www.notl.com/strategic-plan) or scan the QR code.

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# PUBLIC SERVICES

## BY-LAW

Municipal By-laws are enforced to regulate many areas of the community affecting health, safety and the enjoyment of property. The By-law Division's responsibilities are parking enforcement, Short Term Rental licensing and enforcement, private tree protection, property standards, and many more listed on the Town's website. By-law Staff are committed to working with residents and the public to address concerns and make positive, continuous improvements that benefit the community.

To report a By-law concern, please submit an online Service Request at [www.notl.com/service-request-webform](http://www.notl.com/service-request-webform).

## CEMETERY SERVICES

### Lakeshore Cemetery – 1483 Lakeshore Road, Niagara-on-the-Lake

All administrative functions of the cemetery are managed onsite. This includes transactions such as lot purchases, headstones, markers, tree and bench dedications for the cemetery grounds, interments, cremation scatterings, and record and lot availability inquiries. Please make an appointment prior to your visit.

The Town has an online burial site and marker lookup tool, a mapping application designed to help users search for loved one's locations and burial plots within the Niagara Lakeshore Cemetery. Please visit [www.notl.com](http://www.notl.com) to access the map. Should you have any questions, concerns, or require assistance, please contact David Voogt, Cemetery and Grounds Specialist, by email at [david.voogt@notl.com](mailto:david.voogt@notl.com) or phone at 905-468-2747.



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# PUBLIC SERVICES



## CLIMATE CHANGE

### A message from the Town's new Climate Change Coordinator

As our climate continues to change, we have an opportunity to take proactive steps towards protecting our community and ensuring a sustainable future. As the Climate Coordinator for the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, I am dedicated to leading our efforts in building resilience against the impacts of climate change, strengthening our infrastructure, and safeguarding our natural environment. The challenges ahead require us to work together as a community, integrating climate considerations into everything we do, from our policies to everyday actions. Adapting to climate change is a shared responsibility, and each of us plays a vital role in preserving the unique charm and character of our town. By working together, we can ensure the long-term health, prosperity, and resilience of our community, its residents, and businesses.

**Kassie Burns**

Climate Change Coordinator



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### Climate Change Adaptation Plan & Strategic Plan

The impacts of climate change are already being felt across our region and will only intensify in the years to come. To ensure our community is prepared and resilient, the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake took a transformative step forward in 2022 with the creation of our Climate Change Adaptation Plan. This plan outlines 26 impactful actions across six key goals designed to address extreme weather and minimize climate impacts. These goals, ranging from incorporating climate change in design and construction, to reducing flooding risks, and enhancing public awareness, will help us manage risks, seize opportunities, and safeguard our future. As municipalities are on the frontlines in climate change adaptation, we are committed to protecting our community and infrastructure. These efforts are highlighted in Council's Strategic Plan under the Community Pillar: Enrich Community Assets, Environment, & Infrastructure. Together, we have the power to build a more resilient and sustainable future for all.

### THE TIME FOR CHANGE IS NOW!

The climate crisis is real, but so is our collective ability to overcome it. Together, we have the power to reshape our future, protect our ecosystems, and ensure a healthier, more sustainable world for generations to come. **Scan the QR code** or visit [www.notl.com/climate-change](http://www.notl.com/climate-change) to learn more on climate change in NOTL.

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# PUBLIC SERVICES

## DEVELOPMENT & PLANNING

### What is planning?

Land use planning in Niagara-on-the-Lake plays an important role in shaping the community. The purpose of land use planning is to manage land and resources to create a safe, healthy and inviting place to live, work and play. Some of the components that planning considers are:

- How residents travel to where they need to go;
- How residents can access their homes;
- Where people can gather with family, friends and neighbours; and,
- Where houses, businesses and parks should be located to make the Town accessible.

### Who sets the rules?

In Ontario, the Province, Region and local municipalities work together. The Province sets the ground rules and directions for planning, through the *Planning Act* and the Provincial Planning Statement (PPS). These rules help protect the environment and make sure the Town is growing appropriately. In Niagara-on-the-Lake, area-specific provincial plans, including the Greenbelt Plan, Niagara Escarpment Plan, and the Niagara Official Plan, work together with the PPS.

The Town is responsible for implementing the provincial and regional land use planning policy framework through the Town's Official Plan and Zoning By-law. Through Council and/or the Committee of Adjustment, the Town is also responsible for making land use planning decisions to achieve the community's economic, social, and environmental objectives. Municipal decisions on development applications must be consistent with the PPS and conform to provincial plans, allowing for municipalities to be given some flexibility in deciding how to best achieve provincial policy direction.

### How can community members play a role?

Community members input on development applications is an important part of the planning process. Town Staff encourage public comment on planning matters, and all comments received are considered in the review of development applications. Community members can get involved with development applications in a few ways: through attending Open Houses to learn more about the proposal, speaking about a proposal during a Public Meeting or Committee of Adjustment Hearing, and/or providing written comments. Public notices, opportunities to provide input, and information on current development applications and appeals can be found on the Town's website at [www.notl.com/business-development](http://www.notl.com/business-development). For more information on Town planning matters and processes, please visit the Planning Services webpage at [www.notl.com/business-development/planning-services](http://www.notl.com/business-development/planning-services).

### Official Plan Review

The Town has developed a work plan for the completion of a new Niagara-on-the-Lake Official Plan by the end of 2025, building upon work completed in 2019, while addressing changes in provincial planning legislation, such as the new Provincial Planning Statement and recently approved Niagara Official Plan. Public open houses will provide the opportunity for the public to learn about the Official Plan and seek input on the review. An updated draft Official Plan is targeted for mid-year, with the goal to adopt the Official Plan by the end of 2025.

#### LEARN MORE

Scan the QR code or visit [www.notl.com/official-plan-review](http://www.notl.com/official-plan-review) to learn more about the Official Plan Review and provide your feedback.

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# PUBLIC SERVICES

## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

**A message from the Town's Government Relations, Economic Development and Tourism Officer.**

Local businesses are the backbone of our economy, bringing character to our community, creating jobs, and driving innovation. As the Government Relations, Economic Development and Tourism Officer for the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, I am dedicated to fostering an environment where businesses can thrive and grow. By empowering local businesses, we create a more vibrant and diverse community that benefits everyone. The success of local businesses strengthens the overall economic health of our Town.

Niagara-on-the-Lake is rich in heritage, agricultural beauty, and offers a thriving tourism sector, positioning us as an unparalleled destination for both visitors and investors. Located near key transportation routes and international markets, combined with an engaged local government dedicated to collaboration, Niagara-on-the-Lake provides a foundation where businesses can establish roots for success.

I am here to serve as a resource and partner to support our business community and reinforce the vital role that local businesses play in establishing economic growth and resilience. By fostering meaningful partnerships and advocating for initiatives that support our local business community, we are building a resilient and dynamic economy that benefits residents and visitors alike. Together, we can ensure Niagara-on-the-Lake remains not only a premier destination but also a hub of innovation, prosperity, and opportunity.

**Ashleigh Myers**

Government Relations, Economic Development and Tourism Officer

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## BUSINESS

- **Businesses in NOTL:** 1,025\*
- **Population in the labour force:** 13,626\*
- **Major economic drivers:** Agriculture and Tourism
- **Top sectors:**
  - Retail Trade: 13%
  - Accommodation and Food Services: 12%
  - Professional, Scientific and Technical Services: 7%
  - Manufacturing: 7%
  - Health Care and Social Assistance: 7%
  - Agriculture: 6%

## POPULATION

- **NOTL population:** 20,472\*
- **Population growth:** 9%+ (versus 2020)
- **Five community hubs:** Glendale, Old Town, Queenston, St. Davids, Virgil

## TRANSPORTATION

- **Two major highways:** QEW and 405
- **One airport:** Niagara District Airport
- **International border crossing:** Queenston-Lewiston (USA)
- **One waterway:** Welland Canal

\*Statistic provided by Stats Canada.



# FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES

The Niagara-on-the-Lake Fire & Emergency Services Department is a volunteer organization made up of 100 firefighters who work together to create an efficient and high-quality emergency service. With a dedication to prevention, education, and emergency response, Niagara-on-the-Lake Fire & Emergency Services' goal is to be high-performing, progressive, and visionary in the provision of emergency services within the community.



## GREEN LIGHT AWARENESS

Beautiful sunny weather brings busy summer streets, making it very important to keep an eye out for the green light when driving in Niagara-on-the-Lake. When volunteer firefighters respond to an emergency, they first drive their personal vehicles to their respective fire stations before they can respond to the emergency in the fire trucks that we're all familiar with. A green light may appear in any type of vehicle at any time of the day or night. When you see a green light, please yield to the right and let the vehicle pass. The faster firefighters get to their stations, the faster they can get the fire trucks responding to the emergency scene. Remember, when you see a green light, move to the right!

## ALARM ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

In November of 2023, the Niagara-on-the-Lake Fire and Emergency Services Community Risk Reduction (CRR) Division launched the Alarm Assistance Program (AAP). This free, ongoing program is intended to assist Niagara-on-the-Lake homeowners aged 65 and over and anyone with a disability or limited mobility with smoke and carbon monoxide alarm safety in their homes. Since November 2023, CRR members have visited and assisted over 50 homeowners and encourage homeowners requiring assistance with their alarms to sign up for a visit.

Residents can sign up online through the Town's website at [www.notl.com/alarm-assistance-program](http://www.notl.com/alarm-assistance-program), or by calling the Town at 905-468-3266.

## SMOKE & CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS EXPIRE

Many people don't realize that smoke and carbon monoxide (CO) alarms expire! Most smoke and smoke/CO combination alarms last 10 years, while stand-alone CO alarms expire in 5-7 years, depending on the brand. Check the manufacturer or expiration date on the back or side of your alarm. If you can't find it and the alarm seems old, replace it. An expired alarm may not work properly, putting you at risk. Check yours today; it could save your life!



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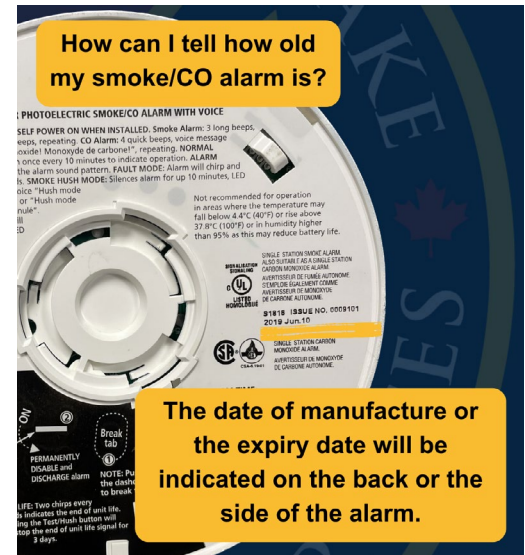


# FIRE & EMERGENCY SERVICES

## SMOKE & CARBON MONOXIDE ALARM MAINTENANCE

In Ontario, working smoke alarms are required by law on every level of your home, outside sleeping areas. Carbon monoxide alarms are required on every level of your home that has a bedroom or where someone sleeps, outside of sleeping areas. Have a look at the maintenance tips below to make sure your home is protected.

- Confirm that none of your alarms are expired by looking at the date on the back or side of the device. If an alarm is expired, replace it!
- Make sure your alarms function properly by pressing the “Test” button on all of them at least once a month.
- Familiarize yourself with the alarms’ sounds and signals by referring to the manufacturer’s instructions, checking the information on the back of the device, or listening to the different alarm sounds when you test the device.
- Change the batteries in every alarm at least twice a year.
- If your alarms are hardwired, replace the battery backups in every alarm at least twice a year to ensure operation during power outages.
- Keep your smoke alarms clean by gently vacuuming them to ensure they can accurately sense smoke.



Taking these precautions can make a significant difference in your safety and the safety of your loved ones. If you are unable to check and test your alarms yourself, please see the **Alarm Assistance Program** on Page 13 for more information.



## OPEN-AIR BURNING & BACKYARD CAMPFIRES

In Niagara-on-the-Lake, open-air burns are only permitted for farmers to burn off their agricultural waste in rural areas of town who have applied for permission annually on the Town’s website and are following the provided guidelines. Open-air burning is not permitted in urban areas of town. Burning garbage or construction waste is not permitted at any time and is subject to cost recovery fees for the Fire Department’s response. Residents with yard waste are encouraged to bundle their yard waste and place it at the road for disposal with their household waste and recycling free of charge. Niagara-on-the-Lake residents who wish to have a backyard fire are encouraged to purchase a listed, natural gas or propane fire pit or table as these devices do not give off the undesirable smoke and embers that a wood-burning fire pit produces.

## COMMUNITY RISK REDUCTION

For more information and fire prevention resources, please visit the NOTL Fire & Emergency Services Community Risk Reduction webpage at [www.notl.com/community-risk-reduction](http://www.notl.com/community-risk-reduction) or scan the QR code.

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Significant rainfall can lead to extensive flooding, impacting municipal infrastructure, private residences, and public properties. Niagara-on-the-Lake residents may experience unexpected surges in water levels during heavy rainfall due to several factors, including blocked waterways, dry ground, changes to the natural drainage pathways, overflowing storm drains, etc.



## PRE-RAINFALL PREPARATIONS

### TOWN STAFF'S ACTION

- 1 Clear catch basins, inlets, and culverts.
- 2 Inspect storm ponds.
- 3 Conduct ditching operations to ensure effective water flow.

### HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP

- 1 Regularly clear debris from catch basins, gutters, and downspouts.
- 2 Ensure that sump pumps are functioning correctly.
- 3 Have an emergency plan in place.



## DURING EXTREME RAINFALL

### TOWN STAFF'S ACTION

- 1 Check and clear problem areas.
- 2 Erect signage and close roads as necessary for public safety.
- 3 Monitor and assess areas while waiting for water levels to lower.

### HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP

- 1 Ensure water is flowing away from your property.
- 2 Drive safely and avoid flooded areas.
- 3 Keep an eye on weather updates and advisories.



## POST-STORM ACTIONS

### TOWN STAFF'S ACTION

- 1 Repair roads and eroded shoulders, remove debris from ditches, catch basins and culverts as needed.
- 2 Communicate with residents who have submitted Service Requests related to flooding.

### HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP

- 1 Clear debris to restore water flow.
- 2 Submit a Service Request to the Town to report issues or concerns regarding flooding and property drainage.



### SUBMIT A SERVICE REQUEST

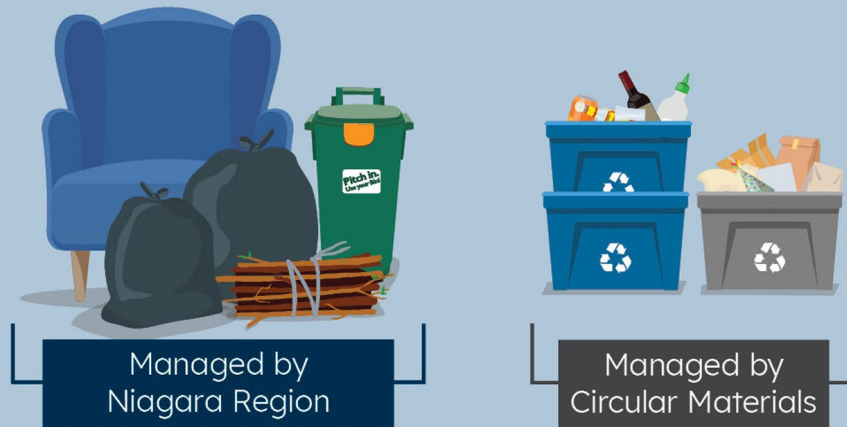
The Town encourages residents who experience flooding-related issues to submit an online Service Request. To submit a request, **scan the QR code** or visit **[www.notl.com/request-service-or-file-issue](http://www.notl.com/request-service-or-file-issue)**.



# PUBLIC SERVICES

## GARBAGE & RECYCLING

Effective January 1, 2024, Circular Materials took over the delivery of residential blue/grey box recycling collection service that was administered by Niagara Region.



### Quick Facts:

- Curbside recycling collection services will remain unchanged until December 31, 2025, except for books, which will no longer be accepted. There will be no change to the collection day or frequency (weekly).
- Niagara Region will continue to manage residential curbside garbage collection, including large household items, organics (green bin), and leaf and yard waste.
- The new Blue Box regulation does not cover industrial, commercial, and some institutional (IC&I) establishments, so Niagara Region will continue providing blue and grey box recycling collection services until December 31, 2025.
- Never forget your collection day again! Download the Niagara Region Waste app to get notifications to your phone for collection day reminders and service disruptions.

Download the app at [www.niagararegion.ca/waste](http://www.niagararegion.ca/waste).

### Where can I buy/replace my blue/grey bins?

Residents can contact Miller Waste Systems, Niagara-on-the-Lake's collection contractor, to order blue/grey bins. Miller Waste Systems will deliver them directly to your home!

- For recycling information, please contact Miller Waste Systems: 1-833-621-0726 or [area19@millerwaste.ca](mailto:area19@millerwaste.ca)
- Residents can continue picking up green bins only at Town Hall (1593 Four Mile Creek Road, Virgil). Business owners who show a receipt of bins purchased from the Niagara Region can pick up blue/grey and green bins at Town Hall.

## LEARN MORE

For more information about garbage, recycling, and organics, please visit the Niagara Region's website at [www.niagararegion.ca/projects/blue-box-transition/default.aspx](http://www.niagararegion.ca/projects/blue-box-transition/default.aspx) or scan the QR code.

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# PUBLIC SERVICES

## HEALTH & SENIOR SERVICES

### HAMILTON NIAGARA HALDIMAND BRANT HEALTHLINE (HNHBHEALTHLINE.CA)

**Contact:** 1-800-810-0000 | [www.hnhbhealthline.ca](http://www.hnhbhealthline.ca)

Hnhbhealthline.ca is an innovative website that puts accurate and up-to-date information about health services at the fingertips of consumers and health care providers across the Hamilton Niagara Haldimand Brant region of Ontario. Hnhbhealthline.ca provides easy access to a reliable source of data, and empowers consumers to find the services they need close to home. Contact them any time between 8:30 a.m. and 8:30 p.m., 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

### NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE COMMUNITY PALLIATIVE CARE SERVICE

**Contact:** 905-468-4433 | [notlpc@bellnet.ca](mailto:notlpc@bellnet.ca) | [www.notlpc.com](http://www.notlpc.com)

**Where:** 1882 Niagara Stone Road, NOTL

Niagara-on-the-Lake Community Palliative Care Service provides seamless, equitable access to specialized community-based palliative care. Their service has Palliative Care volunteers available for companionship and caregiver relief, as well as professional Psychosocial Spiritual Counsellors available for end-of-life and bereavement support. They also provide peer-to-peer support for all clients. Their service includes mobility equipment lending, transportation and caregiver support. All services are free of charge.

### NIAGARA REGION ADULT DAY PROGRAMS

**Contact:** 905-984-2621 | [www.niagararegion.ca/living/seniors/community-programs.aspx](http://www.niagararegion.ca/living/seniors/community-programs.aspx)

**When:** Monday - Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** NOTL Community Centre, 14 Anderson Lane, NOTL

**Cost:** \$16.20 per half-day session

The Adult Day Program offers planned programming in three-hour sessions every weekday, helping adults 60+ stay physically active, cognitively stimulated and socially connected. The program offers a safe atmosphere where seniors can socialize and engage in meaningful programming. Caregivers can benefit from valuable respite and peace of mind.

### NIAGARA LONG TERM CARE RESIDENCE

**Contact:** 905-468-2111 ext. 210 | [www.niagaraltc.ca](http://www.niagaraltc.ca)

**Where:** 120 Wellington Street, NOTL

Niagara LTC believes in a better future for senior care, one designed around every unique life, with new standards of safety and sustainability. Their long-term care home is built to maintain independence in comfortable living spaces where residents find support and connection.

### RADIANT CARE PLEASANT MANOR

**Contact:** 905-468-1111 | [www.radiantcare.net/live-here/pleasant-manor/](http://www.radiantcare.net/live-here/pleasant-manor/)

**Where:** 15 Elden Street, NOTL

Radiant Care offers senior housing and care, including long-term care, apartments, wellness suites, and life lease units.

### MEALS ON WHEELS

**Contact:** 905-356-7548 | [mealsonwheels.nf@outlook.com](mailto:mealsonwheels.nf@outlook.com) | [www.mealsonwheelsniagara.ca](http://www.mealsonwheelsniagara.ca)

A non-profit volunteer-based group of caring and committed people who provide home delivery of hot or frozen meals as planned with their clients. The meals are prepared under the direction of a qualified dietician, and the costs of the meals are based on a non-profit reasonable rate.

# PUBLIC SERVICES

## HERITAGE PLANNING

The Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake is proud to celebrate and preserve its rich cultural heritage, which plays a vital role in defining our community's identity. To conserve this heritage, the Town has a Heritage Permit system in place. This system ensures that any proposed alterations to designated heritage properties conserve and enhance the cultural heritage value of these significant sites.

The Town's municipal heritage register includes 429 properties, consisting of:

- Part IV designated properties (individually designated under the *Ontario Heritage Act*).
- Part V designated properties (located within the Heritage Conservation District).
- Listed properties that are recognized for their heritage value but not formally designated.

In 2023, the Town launched its Priority Heritage Designation Program with 200 listed properties.

The Town has identified priority properties for designation. These properties were selected because they represent significant pieces of Niagara-on-the-Lake's history or identity. The priority properties were identified as those which, if lost due to demolition, neglect, or inappropriate alteration, would result in the substantial loss of a piece of Niagara-on-the-Lake history or identity. Progress continues on evaluating and designating properties on the priority lists.



### DESIGNATE YOUR PROPERTY & LEARN MORE

Interested in designating your property or learning more about heritage homes and planning in Niagara-on-the-Lake? **Scan the QR code** or visit [www.notl.com/heritage-planning](http://www.notl.com/heritage-planning).

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### QUEEN-PICTON (OLD TOWN) HERITAGE CONSERVATION DISTRICT STUDY

This initiative, in alignment with Council's Strategic Plan, is dedicated to preserving the unique charm and historical significance of Old Town through detailed research, public engagement, and expert guidance. From local historians to passionate volunteers, this project is powered by those who care deeply about NOTL's rich history.

By documenting the Town's historical assets, Council and Staff are working to ensure future generations can appreciate the beauty and history of the Town's iconic streetscapes.

The Study is currently in Phase One, and will involve opportunities for public engagement. Council considered the adoption of a Study Area By-law identifying an area of Old Town to be evaluated for potential expansion of the heritage conservation district currently bounded by Prideaux, Wellington, Johnson and Gate Streets surrounding the commercial core of Old Town. If passed, this By-law would place a temporary one-year restriction on alterations to property within the Study Area, with exemptions for minor alterations, while the Study is underway.

### LEARN MORE

To learn more about the Heritage Conservation District Study, **scan the QR code** or visit [www.notl.com/heritage-planning/queen-picton-heritage-conservation-district-study](http://www.notl.com/heritage-planning/queen-picton-heritage-conservation-district-study). Opportunities for public input will be shared on this webpage, in local newspapers and the Town's social media.

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# KNOW YOUR RATE OPTIONS

As a residential customer, you have 3 Regulated Price Plans (RPP) to choose from. The following is an overview of your RPP options as of Spring 2025.

## TOU

### TIME-OF-USE

7,374 Residential Accounts

Time-of-use (TOU) is the **default** price plan for residential accounts. There are three TOU price periods: On-peak, Mid-peak, and Off-peak. TOU price period times change twice a year in summer (May 1 to October 31) and in winter (November 1 to April 30).

The electricity you use from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. every day, and all day on weekends and holidays, is the lowest TOU price all year round. With TOU pricing, you can help manage your electricity costs by shifting your usage to lower price periods when possible.

## RATES

Effective Nov 1, 2024

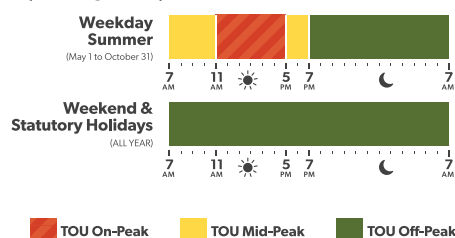
On-Peak - 15.8¢ /kWh

Mid-Peak - 12.2¢ /kWh

Off-Peak - 7.6¢ /kWh

## TIME PERIODS

(Starting May 1)



## TIERED

### TIERED RATES

1,018 Residential Accounts

Under Tiered Pricing, you can use a certain amount of electricity each month at a lower price. Once that limit (threshold) is exceeded, a higher price applies.

The monthly Tier threshold for residential customers changes twice a year: 600 kWh during the summer period (May 1 to October 31); 1,000 kWh during the winter period (November 1 to April 30).

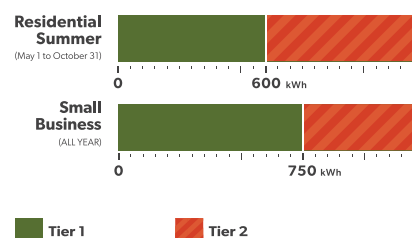
If you typically use less than 600 kWh per month in the summer months, or less than 1,000 kWh in Winter months, then you might save the most on Tiered Price Plan. As a bonus, you won't need to adjust your habits such as doing laundry at night.

Tier 1 - 9.3¢ /kWh

Tier 2 - 11.0¢ /kWh

Tier 1 Winter Period - Nov 1 to April 30 = first 1,000 kWh.

Tier 1 Summer Period - May 1 to Oct 31 = first 600 kWh



## ULO

### ULTRA-LOW OVERNIGHT

30 Residential Accounts

With the Ultra-Low Overnight (ULO) price plan, there are four price periods: On-peak, Mid-peak, Weekend Off-peak, and Ultra-Low Overnight.

The Ultra-Low Overnight period is between 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. every day, when demand for electricity is lowest on average. There is a higher On-peak price for consumption between 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on weekdays, when demand is usually higher.

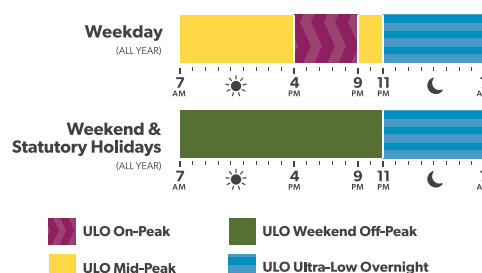
The ULO price periods are the same all year round. You can help manage your electricity costs by shifting high usage activities, like electric vehicle charging, to lower price periods when possible.

On-Peak - 28.4¢ /kWh

Mid-Peak - 12.2¢ /kWh

Weekend Off-Peak - 7.6¢ /kWh

Ultra-Low Overnight - 2.8¢ /kWh



## HOW DO I CHANGE MY RATE?

Changing your rate is simple. Visit our website and complete an easy web form to make your switch. Paper forms are also available at our office at 8 Henegan Road (Virgil). If you think you'll save with Tiered in the winter and TOU in the summer, submit a change request. You can switch once per bill cycle.

# PUBLIC SERVICES

## LIBRARIES

### QUEENSTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY

**Contact:** 905-262-5173

**When:** Tuesdays 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** 32 Queenston Street, Queenston

Visit the Queenston Library, a unique venue that can be rented for meetings and small informal gatherings. To inquire about reservations, please email [bookings@notl.com](mailto:bookings@notl.com).



Providing professional service  
to the Niagara and Hamilton  
area for over two decades



BOOK AN  
APPOINTMENT

Commercial & Residential

905-687-9814



## Newark Neighbours Food Bank & Thrift Shop

Newark Neighbours operates the only Food Bank serving Niagara on the Lake, including the communities of Old Town, Virgil, St. Davids, Queenston and Glendale.



Our services rely entirely upon community generosity, comprising primarily: our volunteers, food and monetary donations, and donations of goods for resale in our Virgil Thrift Store.

All donations and revenue from the Thrift Store, after operating expenses, are utilized to provide registered Food Bank Clients with a healthy selection of non-perishable groceries every two weeks, and provisions for three primary annual celebratory holidays. Newark Neighbours receives no financial support from any level of government.

Run and operated solely by a volunteer workforce, and supported by a giving community, Newark Neighbours is a charitable operation in the truest sense.

### Contact Information:

Phone: 905-468-3519

Website: [www.newarkneighbours.ca](http://www.newarkneighbours.ca)

Address: 1534 Niagara Stone Road, Virgil ON

### Regular Thrift store hours:

Monday to Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Thursday the store remains open until 7:00 p.m.

Open Sundays from April to October





## Adult Programs

- 5 book club programs
- Scrabble, knitting & crochet groups
- Educational workshops
- Tech literacy workshops and one-on-one sessions
- Cookbook clubs
- Lecture series
- Author talks



## Children & Youth Programs

- Baby programs - Giggle & Grow, Tumble Tots, Cuddle & Play
- TechniCOOL + Science, Creation Station, Video Game Club
- Teen book club
- PA Day activities
- Summer reading club and programs



## Library Services

- Free computer & Wi-Fi access
- Study and meeting rooms
- Printing services
- Hands-on digital literacy workshops
- The Hive: Cricut, 3D printing, digital media transfers, sticker and button maker.
- Programs at St. Davids Firestation



## Lending

- Home delivery
- LINC collection-sharing across Niagara
- Interlibrary loan service
- Virgil & St. Davids pick up locations
- Library of Things: Cricut Joy, Ontario Parks passes, ukuleles, crochet kit, portable projector and more!



## E- Resources

Access e-books, digital magazines, audiobooks, video streaming and more all with your NOTL Library card!



Visit our website for program info, hours, library card registration and more!



[notlpubliclibrary.org](http://notlpubliclibrary.org)

Call us at 905-468-2023

@notllibrary



# PUBLIC SERVICES

## LICENCES & PERMITS

### BUILDING

Are you planning to install a swimming pool or hot tub? Please remember to apply for and obtain a permit before installing an inground or above-ground pool or hot tub. Our convenient online building permit application service is available through Cloudpermit at [www.ca.cloudpermit.com/login](http://www.ca.cloudpermit.com/login).

A building permit is also required for the following construction activities:

- Buildings greater than 10 metres squared
- Decks greater than 600 millimetres above grade
- Sheds greater than 15 metres squared
- Demolition of existing structures
- Additions to existing buildings
- Interior renovations involving structural and/or plumbing modifications
- Finished basements
- Damp-proofing basements
- Changing the use of a building (including secondary dwelling units)
- Replacing water, storm, or sanitary sewer lines



### LEARN MORE

Visit the Town's Building Services webpage at [www.notl.com/building-services](http://www.notl.com/building-services) or scan the QR code to learn about all applicable requirements early in your planning process. For more information, contact Building Services by phone at 905-468-3266.



### DOGS

Niagara-on-the-Lake dog owners are required to register and vaccinate their dogs against rabies. Dog licenses are valid for a full 365 days after the date of purchase. Residents must obtain a current year's license within 14 days of acquiring or moving a dog into Niagara-on-the-Lake. Registration includes a unique license tag, which serves as an official license and offers the HomeSafe™ 24/7 lost pet service. Dog owners can purchase a license online at [www.notl.docupet.com](http://www.notl.docupet.com).

### EVENTS

A Special Event is an event which may occupy all or part of Town owned property or may result in the disruption of the local flow of traffic. A special event may be defined as, but not limited to, a parade, festival, filming, race, procession, and/or any other activity that may include the following component(s): street closure(s), fireworks or pyrotechnics, live entertainment, temporary structures/tents, service of food or alcohol, large volumes of vehicular or pedestrian traffic.

In order to hold a Special Event within the Town, please complete and submit a Special Event Application Form found at [www.notl.com/recreation-events/special-events](http://www.notl.com/recreation-events/special-events). For more information on events, please email [specialevents@notl.com](mailto:specialevents@notl.com) or call 905-468-3266.

As of January 1, 2025, a \$100 application fee applies to all Special Event Permits to support administrative processing costs. A comprehensive review of the Special Events program is underway, with recommendations expected later in 2025.



# PUBLIC SERVICES

## HERITAGE

A Heritage Permit is required when the owner of a designated property wants to alter the exterior of a building designated under Part V or the designated portions of a building designated under Part IV of the *Ontario Heritage Act*. For more information regarding the Town's heritage resources, contact the Town's Heritage Planners at [heritage@notl.com](mailto:heritage@notl.com) or visit [www.notl.com/heritage-planning](http://www.notl.com/heritage-planning).

## PLANNING TO DIG?

Building a fence, putting in a pool, planting a tree, or completing any other small digging project? Request a locate from Ontario One Call if you plan to dig in your yard. It is important to contact Ontario One Call so you can dig safely. Please visit [www.ontarioonecall.ca](http://www.ontarioonecall.ca) or call 1-800-400-2255 before you dig.

## SHORT TERM RENTAL

In the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake, a license is required to operate a Short Term Rental including a Bed & Breakfast, Cottage Rental, Country Inn, Villa or Vacation Apartment. A renewal application must be submitted every four years to maintain an active license, which includes a re-inspection of the Short Term Rental. This ensures that the Short Term Rental continues to meet the safety standards set forth by the Ontario Fire Code and the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake By-laws.

The Town's By-law Enforcement Officers work in partnership with the Short Term Rental compliance program, Granicus, to provide support to the community. Residents can use an online reporting system to submit concerns regarding Short Term Rentals. They can also contact Granicus and speak to a Host Compliance Operator, available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, by calling 289-210-7226.

Please visit the Town's website at [www.notl.com/short-term-rentals](http://www.notl.com/short-term-rentals) for further information.

## TREES

A permit may be required if you are planning to remove a tree from your property. Property owners are required to apply for a Tree Removal Permit before removing any tree with a trunk measuring 12.5 cm or larger in diameter. Information regarding the requirements and the permit process can be found on the Town's website or by contacting the By-law Enforcement Officer – Urban Forestry at 905-468-3266 ext. 379. The private tree removal application form can be completed and submitted online at [www.notl.com/form/private-tree-removal-application](http://www.notl.com/form/private-tree-removal-application).

## HERE TO HELP!

Contact my office for assistance  
with federal government programs



Canada Revenue Agency



Canada Pension and  
Old Age Security



Immigration



Employment  
Insurance

### TONY BALDINELLI MP NIAGARA FALLS

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4056 DORCHESTER ROAD, SUITE 107  
NIAGARA FALLS, ON L2E 6M9  
TEL.: 905-353-9590

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48 JARVIS STREET  
FORT ERIE, ON L2A 2S4  
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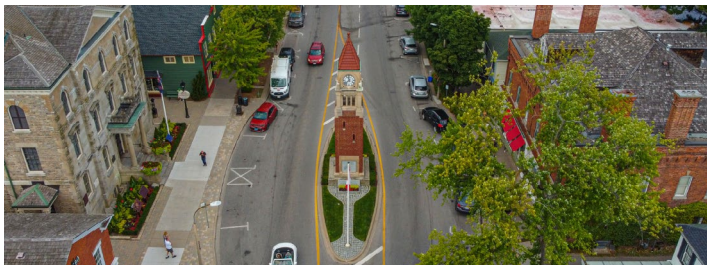
# PUBLIC SERVICES

## PARKING

### PARKING IN NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE

Planning a visit to the picturesque and historic Heritage District of Niagara-on-the-Lake? While parking is free at Town facilities and most areas outside the Heritage District, paid parking is in effect within the Heritage District. Be sure to check signage for locations, rates, and regulations to ensure a smooth visit.

The Town offers convenient parking payment options for residents and visitors. You can pay online through HONK Mobile or ParkedIn, or use one of our payment machines located in the Heritage District.



### PAY FOR PARKING



#### PAY AT A MACHINE

Visit the nearest parking machine to pay for parking using coin, cash or debit.



#### PAY ONLINE

Pay using the HonkMobile or ParkedIn app.



Pay using the  
**HonkMobile App.**



Pay using the  
**ParkedIn App.**



### RESIDENT PARKING PERMITS

Resident Parking Permits are available exclusively to residents of Niagara-on-the-Lake. Permit holders can park in any metered parking space or lot in the Heritage District for up to three hours at one time. It's perfect for visiting Old Town to shop, dine, or catch a show! The permits cost \$30.00 and can be purchased online at [www.notl.com](http://www.notl.com) or by visiting the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake Administration Building at 1593 Four Mile Creek Road in Virgil. Valid identification is required as proof of address to obtain a permit. Permits are valid for the vehicle identified by license plate number and are nontransferable. They are valid from January 1 to December 31 of each calendar year.

### ACCESSIBLE PARKING

Accessible parking spaces are located throughout the Town on the street and in municipal parking lots. All vehicles parking in an accessible zone must display a valid Accessible Parking Permit on their dashboard and are not required to pay for parking. The fine for parking in an accessible space without a valid permit displayed is \$400.00.

### PARKING REMINDERS

- Please do not block driveways or sidewalks.
- Pay close attention to posted signs limiting or restricting parking.
- Parking your vehicle within 10 metres of an intersection or 3 meters of a fire hydrant is not allowed.
- You may not park in one spot for longer than 12 hours at one time.
- Always park your vehicle in the same direction as the traffic flow.

Scan the QR code or visit  
[www.notl.com/town-services/parking](http://www.notl.com/town-services/parking) for more information  
about parking in Niagara-on-the-Lake.

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# PUBLIC SERVICES

## **PROPERTY TAX**

Property taxes in Niagara-on-the-Lake fund essential services like road maintenance, Town parks, fire and emergency services, community programs, and more.

The Town issues tax bills twice a year: the Interim Tax Bill in February and the Final Tax Bill in July, each payable in two installments. Payment options include pre-authorized payments, online banking, credit card payments (via Paymentus, with fees), and in-person at Town Hall (1593 Four Mile Creek Road) or by mail. Residents can also opt for e-billing (eSend) for digital statements.

Scan the QR code or visit  
[www.notl.com/council-government/property-taxes](http://www.notl.com/council-government/property-taxes)  
for more information about  
property taxes in NOTL.



# Show Staff Some Love



Have you had a positive experience with Town Staff?

We would love to hear about it!

Scan the QR Code to compliment a Town employee **NOW.**



## Rotary

Club of Niagara-on-the-Lake



*Rotary is where neighbours, friends, & problem-solvers share ideas, join leaders, & take action to create lasting change.* Through Rotary clubs, people from all continents & cultures form friendships & professional connections while making a difference in their backyards & around the world. Our members pour their passion into completing projects that have a lasting impact.

Club social events & volunteer projects offer networking opportunities that build personal & professional connections. Rotarians can extend those networks by visiting other clubs around the globe.

Our club has been involved in numerous local & international projects: from eradicating polio; providing shelter, clean water & food; to improving medical facilities & more. Projects address priority needs identified by the communities they serve, to help people to help themselves, using environmentally sustainable practices.



Find out more at:

[niagaraonthelakerotary.ca](http://niagaraonthelakerotary.ca) | [info@niagaraonthelakerotary.ca](mailto:info@niagaraonthelakerotary.ca)



# PUBLIC SERVICES

## TRANSIT

Niagara Region Transit offers OnDemand transit and specialized transit to Niagara-on-the-Lake residents, businesses and visitors. OnDemand transit is a ridesharing service that lets riders request trips in real-time through a mobile app or over the phone by selecting a pickup point and destination.

Niagara Region Transit can transport riders in Niagara-on-the-Lake to:

- A different location within the Niagara-on-the-Lake boundaries.
- A designated service area located across Niagara.
- A designated transit hub located in Port Colborne, St. Catharines or Welland.

Plan your trip, pay online and book a ride using the NRT OnDemand mobile app.

Visit the Niagara Region Transit website at [www.nrtransit.ca](http://www.nrtransit.ca) for more information or call 1-833-678-5463.



**Transit for everyone.**



Scan here to get the app.

Learn more at  
[www.nrtransit.ca/microtransit](http://www.nrtransit.ca/microtransit)

## WATER & WASTEWATER

The Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake owns and operates two separate drinking water distribution systems which are the Niagara-on-the-Lake drinking water system (Niagara-on-the-Lake DWS) and the Bevan Heights drinking water system (Bevan Heights DWS). The Town maintains responsibility for water distribution only; the facilities for water treatment and storage are owned and managed by the Niagara Region. The two drinking water systems distribute treated drinking water within a service area of approximately 12,600 hectares. The service area is bounded by Lake Ontario, the Niagara River, the City of Niagara Falls and the City of St. Catharines.

### SAMPLE STATIONS

Curious what those green objects are that stand alone and look like green parking meters? They are water sample stations! These stations allow the Town to test the quality of the water we drink, as they provide a direct line to the watermain. These stations enhance the Town's ability to test a wider area of the Town's water supply. With 15 stations already within the system, the Town can help ensure the water residents are drinking meets and exceeds Ministry Legislation where possible. The water system that the Town has is one of the best in the country and with the wider array of testing, Staff can stay on top of any issues that may arise.

## DONATE TO A TOWN INITIATIVE

Niagara-on-the-Lake is known for many wonderful things, and the generosity of its residents is certainly one of them! A big thank you to everyone who contributed to our various fundraising initiatives in the past. The Town warmly welcomes continued donations for current fundraising opportunities.

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Scan the QR code to make a donation. When making a donation, tax receipts will be issued for donations above \$25. Donations can also be

made online at [www.notl.com/recreation-events/community-initiatives-events](http://www.notl.com/recreation-events/community-initiatives-events) or in person at Town Hall (1593 Four Mile Creek Road, Virgil) via cash, debit or cheque (payable to the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake).

**Thank you for making a positive impact on our community!**

# TOWN AMENITIES & FACILITIES

## COMMUNITY CENTRE

The Niagara-on-the-Lake Community Centre is located at 14 Anderson Lane, Niagara-on-the-Lake

The Community Centre is open daily!

Weekdays from 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Weekends from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

(Please visit [www.notl.com](http://www.notl.com) for holiday closures.)

## RENTAL SPACES

The Niagara-on-the-Lake Community Centre's spacious **Auditorium** is perfect for holding your upcoming special event. This large hall is 4500 square feet and can be divided into three sections. The space includes a stage and other convenient amenities such as a kitchen, bar, built-in sound system and projector. This venue can hold 450 guests with assembly seating or 300 guests seated at tables. This is the perfect space for any event, from wedding receptions, seminars, fitness classes, parties, stag and does and more!



The **Simpson Room** is 1560 square feet with a kitchenette, perfect for all types of social gatherings such as bridal or baby showers and parties up to 80 guests.



Book the **Mori Room** for your next event. The room features a kitchenette and lots of natural light. The space is 1015 square feet and has a maximum capacity of 60 people.



Rent the **Studio Room** to teach your fitness, dance, or karate class. This 950 square foot multipurpose room has mirrors and a built-in sound system.



Host your next meeting in the **Martin Sheppard Fraser Board Room**. This professional space seats up to 12 people comfortably with Wi-Fi and AV services available.



## LEARN MORE

Visit the Town's Community Centre webpage at [www.notl.com/community-centre](http://www.notl.com/community-centre) or scan the QR code to learn more. All inquiries can be made by phone by calling 905-468-4386 or emailing [bookings@notl.com](mailto:bookings@notl.com).

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# TOWN AMENITIES & FACILITIES

## PARKS & FACILITIES

The Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake's green spaces and outdoor play areas are easily accessible and meticulously maintained. These beautiful parks are available to the public free of charge and are a great source of pride within the community.

### DISC GOLF COURSE

The NOTL Community Centre (14 Anderson Lane, NOTL) is home to a nine hole disc golf course. It is a great place for new and seasoned players have some fun! The course hours are 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. and the game is free to play. Discs are available for free at the Community Centre front desk and NOTL Public Library during business hours.

### FITNESS CENTRE

Support your well-being at the local fitness centre, where you can enjoy an indoor walking/running track and workout stations to meet your fitness goals. For more information and to purchase a gym membership, please visit [www.notl.com/community-centre](http://www.notl.com/community-centre).

### PICKLEBALL

Looking to play pickleball in NOTL? The Town has public

courts at the Virgil Sports Park (1565 Four Mile Creek Road, Virgil), available on a first-come, first-served basis with no fees. Learn more at [www.notl.com/pickleball](http://www.notl.com/pickleball).

### SKATE PARK

The Skate Park, located at the Virgil Sports Park (1565 Four Mile Creek Road, Virgil), is open from dusk until dawn with exciting obstacles designed to facilitate the most impressive skateboarding tricks!

### TENNIS

The Town has courts available at Memorial Park (370 King Street, NOTL) and Garrison Village Green Park (12 Upper Canada Drive, NOTL). Courts are open to the public on a first-come, first-served basis.

Scan the QR code to view the Town's interactive online Park Locator Map for park locations and amenity information.

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## FACILITY RENTALS

Are you planning a wedding, event, or corporate function in our picturesque Town? Look no further! You can also explore hosting your outdoor event in the natural beauty of our numerous municipal parks or arranging your sports tournament on our well-maintained sports fields.

### ARENA ADVERTISING AND ROOM RENTALS

The Meridian Credit Union and Centennial Arenas have advertising space available. Arena advertising is a highly effective way to market your company and build brand awareness. The Mary Snider Room and board rooms at the arena are also available to rent all year round.

### GAZEBO

The gazebo at Queens Royal Park (45 Front Street, NOTL) can hold up to 12 people and be reserved for engagements and small weddings.

### PAVILIONS

Enjoy your next family gathering picnicking outdoors by renting one of the pavilions at the Virgil Sports Park or Memorial Park.

### SOCCER FIELDS

The Town maintains four soccer fields (two regulation size and two mini fields) at Memorial Park, five soccer fields at the Virgil Sports Park, and one recreational soccer field at Rye Heritage Park.

Scan the QR code, call 905-468-4386, or email [bookings@notl.com](mailto:bookings@notl.com) to learn more about facility rentals.

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# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS



## DROP-IN RECREATION

**When:** Saturdays 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (April 5 – June 7)

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$5.00 per child / \$10.00 per family (Pay as you go)

Children ages 2-12 can enjoy rotating sports like badminton and soccer, plus soft play toys, balance bikes, and creative stations. Participants under 6 must be supervised by a caregiver (14+).

## GROWING ARTS

**When:** Tuesdays (April 15 – June 3)

- Session 1 (ages 4 - 8): 4:45 - 5:45 p.m.
- Session 2 (ages 9 - 12): 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.

**Where:** Penner Room, NOTL Community Centre

Participants will explore various artistic mediums. The program's experienced instructor, Stewart Fanning, will guide them through educational lessons and engaging projects.

## MINI MOVERS

**When:** Saturdays 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. (April 5 – June 7)

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

Movers programs for ages 2-7 offer a fun, inclusive space to build motor and sensory skills through play. Sessions include 30 minutes of guided activities and 15 minutes of free play.

## SPORTBALL

**When:** Thursdays (April 3 – June 5)

- Parent & Child: 5:00 - 5:45 p.m. (ages 18 months – 3)
- Junior Multi-Sport: 5:45 - 6:45 p.m. (ages 4 - 7)

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

Sportball provides non-competitive sports instruction for children 18 months to 7 years. It helps kids develop physical literacy and a life-long love of movement and sport.

## TRACK & FITNESS AREA – FREE TRIAL (AGES 13-18)

**When:** March 27, April 24 and May 29

**Where:** Track & Fitness Area, NOTL Community Centre

Youth can register for a free one-hour trial fitness session at 7:00 p.m. or 8:00 p.m. Each one-hour session starts with a certified personal trainer covering machine use, warm-ups, cool-downs, gym etiquette, and responsibility.

## YOUTH OPEN COURT

**When:** Fridays 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. (April 4 – June 6)

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

For Grades 4 - 12. Enjoy activities like table tennis, volleyball, pickleball, outdoor disc golf, and more in an "open gym" format. A lounge area with games and TV is also available. Participants younger than 13 must have a guardian present in the facility for the duration of their stay.



## PLAY IN THE PARK

A free drop-in program to engage community members in outdoor play! This summer, enjoy a variety of sports like soccer, basketball, golf, spike ball, frisbee, and more at parks across Niagara-on-the-Lake. All skill levels and abilities are welcome—just show up and play!

**For more information and a schedule, please visit**  
[www.notl.com/programs-youth-family](http://www.notl.com/programs-youth-family).



## LEARN MORE & REGISTER TODAY!

Visit [www.notl.com/programs-youth-family](http://www.notl.com/programs-youth-family) or scan the QR code to learn more about the Town's Youth & Family programming, and register online. For questions about programming, email [programs@notl.com](mailto:programs@notl.com) or call 905-468-3266 ext 402.

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# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

## YOUTH & FAMILY

### EARLYON CHILD AND FAMILY CENTRE

**Contact:** Anna Lisa Conidi | 905-357-2398

earlyon@ncdsb.com | annalisa.conidi@ncdsb.com

**When:** Tuesdays and Fridays 8:30 - 11:45 a.m.

**Where:** St. Michaels Catholic Elementary School, 387 Line 3 Road, NOTL

Play, learn and connect at your local EarlyON Centre. Enjoy free, high-quality drop-in programs for children from birth to six years of age, their parents and caregivers. Everyone is welcome!

### JUNIOR GO TENNIS

**Contact:** Shawna Macfarlane (Go Tennis Director)

askus@NOTLtennis.ca | [NOTLtennis.ca](http://NOTLtennis.ca)

**When:** Weekly sessions starting May 7 (Season ends mid-September)

**Where:** Memorial Park, 370 King Street, NOTL

Together we will play! Join us for JUNIOR GO TENNIS. The NOTL Go Tennis Team brings over 40 years of coaching experience, passion for teaching and understanding of the fun factor in learning. We follow the Tennis Canada Tennis Pathway Program with a variety of groups to provide players with the best opportunity to learn quickly. Our primary play day is Wednesday afternoon, 4:00 and 5:00 p.m. Learn more and register online at [NOTLtennis.ca](http://NOTLtennis.ca).

### NOTL MINOR LACROSSE

**Contact:** [niagaralacrosse.com](http://niagaralacrosse.com)

The Thunderhawks mission is to foster, perpetuate, and improve the game of Lacrosse. For more information, please visit our website.

### NOTL SOCCER CLUB

**Contact:** [niagarasoccerclub@gmail.com](mailto:niagarasoccerclub@gmail.com)

**When:** May to August

**Where:** Memorial Park and Virgil Sports Park

The NOTL Soccer Club promotes soccer for all skill levels. We offer fun, age-appropriate programs for ages 4-15, focusing on skill development, teamwork, and fair play.



### NOTL MINOR SOFTBALL

**Contact:** [notlsoftball.org](http://notlsoftball.org)

NOTL Minor Softball considers itself a starter league in Niagara-on-the-Lake to offer kids the opportunity to play and learn about the game.

### NOTL YOUTH COLLECTIVE

**Contact:** NOTL Youth Planning Committee

info@notlyouth.com | [www.notlyouth.com](http://www.notlyouth.com)

**When:** Spring Session (April - June)

**Cost:** Free or minimal fees (Pre-registration required)

NOTL Youth Collective provides a safe space for youth to gather, make connections, develop skills, and be inspired. Visit our website and follow us on Facebook to learn more.

### 'SAFE HAVEN' YOUTH GROUP

**Contact:** YongSeok Baek | 905-357-8878

sdqminister@gmail.com

**When:** First and third Friday of every month 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

**Where:** St. Davids-Queenston United Church, 1453 York Road, St. Davids

'Safe Haven' is a free program for local youth (ages 12 and up). We provide a safe and positive place where youth can freely come, relax, play, and enjoy light snacks and drinks.

### 809 NEWARK SQUADRON, ROYAL CANADIAN AIR CADETS

**Contact:** Capt. Dan Couroux | 905 468 7584

**When:** Mondays 6:30 - 9:15 p.m. and Wednesdays 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. (September - June)

**Where:** 124 Branch, Royal Canadian Legion, 410 King Street, NOTL

This is a national program for youth from 12-18 years that focuses on building leadership and citizenship qualities, promoting physical fitness and developing an interest in aviation and the RCAF.

# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS



## POOLS

### Niagara Pool (370 King Street)

June 21, June 22, and June 28 (Offering Lane Swim 12:00 - 2:00 p.m. and Public Swim 2:00 - 6:00 p.m.)

June 29 - September 1 (Full programming)

### St. Davids Pool (1446 York Road)

June 29 - August 30 (Full programming)

## SPLASH PAD & WADING POOL

Cool off this summer at the Virgil Splash Pad (1565 Four Mile Creek Road) and Simcoe Park Wading Pool (25 Picton Street).

Visit [www.notl.com/aquatics-programs](http://www.notl.com/aquatics-programs) for hours of operation.

## AQUATICS PROGRAMMING

Explore a variety of aquatics programs designed for all ages and skill levels. Whether you're learning to swim, enjoying water aerobics, or taking leisurely laps, there's something for everyone. From family splash sessions to fitness-focused activities, our inclusive and welcoming environment is perfect for making a splash and staying active!

## 2025 AQUATICS MEMBERSHIPS & DROP-IN FEES\*

Swim memberships provide unlimited access to Aqua Fitness, Family Swim, Lane Swim, and Public Swim at both Memorial Pool and St. Davids Pool, with priority entry 30 minutes before each session. Memberships are valid for the full summer season and can only be purchased online. \*Prices are subject to change.

### NOTL Resident Membership Pricing:

Youth (4-15 years): \$64.00

Adult (16-59 years): \$70.00

Senior (Ages 60+): \$64.00

Family (Up to five members from one household): \$122.25

Guest Pass (One-week): \$23.00

### NOTL Non-resident Membership Pricing:

Youth (4-15 years): \$71.25

Adult (16-59 years): \$78.00

Senior (Ages 60+): \$71.25

Family (Up to five members from one household): \$136.00

Guest Pass (One-week): \$25.75

### Drop-in Fees:

Preschool (0-3 years): Free

Youth (4-15 years): \$3.00

Adult (16-59 years): \$4.00

Senior (Ages 60+): \$3.00



## AQUATICS SCHEDULE & PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Visit [www.notl.com/aquatics-programs](http://www.notl.com/aquatics-programs) or scan the QR code to view the 2025 aquatics program schedule, learn more about aquatics programming, and register.

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# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS



## NOTL SUMMER CAMP

Summer Camp is open to children aged 6 to 12. Located at Centennial Sports Park and Arena (1565 Four Mile Creek Road, NOTL), the camp runs on week days from 8:45 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Camp registration is for full weeks only, with each week featuring exciting themed activities, sports and games, outdoor play, crafts, swimming, trips to the splashpad and more!

### CAMP REGISTRATION & FEES\*

**Weekly Registration:** Resident Rate: \$188.25 | Non-Resident Rate: \$208.50  
**Extended Care:** 7:00 - 8:45 a.m. / 4:30 - 6:00 p.m. | \$6.00 per use  
**NEW Hot Lunch:** A hot lunch will be served every Friday (optional).

**Resident Registration:** March 17 at 10:00 a.m.  
**Non-resident Registration:** March 24 at 10:00 a.m.

\*Prices are subject to change.

CAMP WEEK	CAMP THEMES
Week 1: June 30 - July 4	Colour Explosion
Week 2: July 7 - 11	Racquet Rally
Week 3: July 14 - 18	Epic Heroes & Villains
Week 4: July 21 - 25	H2Whoa!
Week 5: July 28 - August 1	All Sorts of Sports
Week 6: August 5 - 8	Camp Carnival
Week 7: August 11 - 15	Imagination Station
Week 8: August 18 - 22	Arctic Explorers
Week 9: August 25 - 29	Survivor Week



## PA DAY CAMP & PROGRAMMING

The Town offers a number of programming options for PA Days. Join us for PA Day Camp, St. John Ambulance's Home Alone and Babysitting Basics courses at the Centennial Sports Park and Arena (1565 Four Mile Creek Road, NOTL) on April 4 and June 6, 2025.

### LEARN MORE & REGISTER FOR DAY CAMPS

Visit [www.notl.com/day-camps](http://www.notl.com/day-camps), scan the QR code or call 905-468-4386 to learn more about NOTL Day Camps and register.



For more information regarding any of these programs, see "Recreation & Community Programs" starting on **page 30** of the 2025 Spring/Summer Community Guide.

## Monday

## Tuesday

## Wednesday

## Thursday

## Friday

## Saturday



### Youth & Family

Air Cadets  
Play in the Park

Growing Arts  
Play in the Park  
EarlyON  
Child & Family Centre

Air Cadets

Sportball  
Play in the Park

Youth Open Court  
Play in the Park

Drop-in Recreation  
Mini Movers



### Dance & Music

Classic Line Dancing  
Evergreen Singers

Queenston Women's  
Chorus

Adult Ballet

Nia with Didi



### Fitness & Sports

Autumn Leaf Taiji  
Niagara Short Mat Club  
NOTL Lawn  
Bowling Club

Yoga with Ands

Barre Fit  
Boogie Nights!  
NOTL Lawn  
Bowling Club  
Senior Ladies  
Badminton  
Therapeutic Chair Yoga  
White Wing Tai Chi

Autumn Leaf Taiji  
Niagara Short Mat Club  
Reactivated Coaching  
& Training System  
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### Clubs & Committees

NOTL Duplicate  
Bridge Centre  
Niagara Golden  
Age Club  
Rotary Club of NOTL

Casual Bridge Club  
NOTL Duplicate  
Bridge Club

NOTL Duplicate  
Bridge Centre



### Local Interest Groups

Make a Card Mondays

NOTL Horticultural  
Society



# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS



## DANCE & MUSIC

### ADULT BALLET

**Contact:** Jena Slingerland | 905-401-0711

trainingbyjena@gmail.com

**When:** Wednesdays 3:00 p.m.

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$15.00 per drop-in class, \$135.00 for 10 classes or \$99.00 for 8-week session (HST not included)

Ballet is a beginner/intermediate level class suitable for people who have danced in the past or are new. This class focuses on the basics of ballet technique with a classic ballet class format.

### CLASSIC LINE DANCING

**Contact:** Janice Barker | 905-468-4494

jbarker23@cogeco.ca

**When:** Mondays 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

Dance to waltz, tango, folk, country, etc. You will learn many line dance step patterns. Join us for fun and exercise. There is no charge, and no partner is needed. The room opens at 9:30 a.m. for set-up.

### EVERGREEN SINGERS

**Contact:** Barbara Waller | 905-468-8484

evergreensingersnotl@gmail.com

**When:** Mondays 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.

**Where:** Grace United Church, 222 Victoria Street, NOTL

**Cost:** \$100.00 annual fee

Together for over 20 years, we enjoy singing a wide variety of music. If you enjoy singing, please join us. There is no audition, and the ability to read music is not required.

### NIA WITH DIDI

**Contact:** Didi Wilson | 289-228-5293

dididances1111@gmail.com

**When:** Thursday mornings 10:00 a.m. (Starting April 3)

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$20.00 per drop-in class

Nia is spirited movement for body and soul, fusion fitness that promotes better balance, and mobility. Come dance with our welcoming group to modern and world music. Feel the joy and have fun!

### QUEENSTON WOMEN'S CHORUS

**Contact:** Lisa Brillon | 905-401-4088

queenstonwomenschorus@gmail.com

**When:** Tuesday 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.

**Where:** St. Davids-Queenston United Church, 1453 York Road, St. Davids

The Queenston Women's Chorus is made up of women who love to sing from Niagara and have been in existence for over 20 years! We present two concerts/year and give our proceeds to local charities.

# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

## FITNESS & SPORTS

### AUTUMN LEAF TAIJI

**Contact:** Molly Yep | 289-501-5666

autumnleaf.taiji@gmail.com

**When:** Mondays 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. (Taiji Flow), Thursdays 9:00 - 9:45 a.m. (Taiji Flow Plus), and Thursdays 9:45 - 10:30 a.m. (Taiji Forms)

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** Monday (60-Minutes): \$8.00, Thursday (45-Minutes): \$5.00

Beginners Taiji-Flow: Go with the Flow by mirroring the instructor for whole body movements to music

Taiji-Flow Plus: Learn the popular 24 Form.

Taiji Forms: Learn the 32 Sword Form.

### BARRE FIT

**Contact:** Jena Slingerland | 905-401-0711

trainingbyjena@gmail.com

**When:** Wednesdays 2:00 p.m.

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$15.00 per drop-in class, \$135.00 for 10 classes or \$99.00 for 8-week session (HST not included)

Barre Fit is a fitness class inspired by ballet technique. This class focuses on total body strength and mobility using bodyweight, bands and light-weights. Please bring a yoga mat!

### BOOGIE NIGHTS!

**Contact:** Emma Barker | info@everybodyneedstoboogie.com

**When:** Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. and 7:15 - 8:15 p.m.

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$15.00 per drop-in class, \$110.00 for 8 classes

A fabulous way to get fit, have fun and just boogie! There is a new theme each week; this applies to the music and style of dance. Join our All-Levels class, suitable for everybody or, the 'Low Impact' specifically for older adults!

### NIAGARA SHORT MAT CLUB

**Contact:** membership@notlbowls.ca | [www.notlbowls.ca](http://www.notlbowls.ca)

**When:** Mondays and Thursdays 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$90.00 for the season, \$3.00 for one game, \$5.00 for

two games

From mid-October to early April, we bowl indoors on carpets using lawn bowls. Bowls are available for rental. We have a social gathering at the end of each month. For more information, please visit [www.notlbowls.ca](http://www.notlbowls.ca).

### NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE LAWN BOWLING CLUB

**Contact:** Paul McHoull | pmchoull@notlbowls.ca

**When:** Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays 1:30 p.m., and Tuesdays 6:30 p.m.

**Where:** Mori Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$70.00 annual fee (first year), \$140.00 annual fee (following years)

Lawn bowling is a great way to make new friends while having fun and getting some gentle exercise. New members are always welcome, no experience necessary. We'll provide coaching and equipment to use.



### NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE TENNIS CLUB

**Contact:** Wendy Dell (Club President) | 905-751-5092

askus@NOTLtennis.ca | [www.NOTLtennis.ca](http://www.NOTLtennis.ca)

**Where:** Memorial Park, 370 King Street, NOTL

The Niagara-on-the-Lake Tennis Club is a community, non-profit, volunteer-run organization located in Memorial Park. Our members and guests enjoy a wide range of play options on 6 hard courts with lights for evening play. We offer a full range of programs from round robins, club groups, member-run groups, ball machine, tournaments, social events and an instructional program. Online court booking is available for members via GAMETIME. New members are always welcome. Please view our website [NOTLtennis.ca](http://NOTLtennis.ca) for full details.



# RECREATION & COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

## FITNESS & SPORTS

### REACTIVATED COACHING & TRAINING SYSTEM

**Contact:** Jenny Brown | 905-988-8852

jbreactivated@gmail.com | [www.reactivated.ca](http://www.reactivated.ca)

**When:** Thursdays and Fridays 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** Fitness Centre, NOTL Community Centre  
Custom fitness training which may include a functional assessment to reveal your needs. Posture, goals, sports background, lifestyle, and wellness level are considered for your program. Learn to train with purpose and passion to become REACTIVATED!

### SENIOR LADIES BADMINTON

**Contact:** Diane Walker | 905-468-0638

dianewalker4232@gmail.com

**When:** Wednesdays and Fridays 1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$4.00 per session

We are a drop-in program for a group of enthusiastic ladies who want to have fun while keeping fit. If you are new to badminton and want to try the sport, a racquet can be provided.

### THERAPEUTIC CHAIR YOGA

**Contact:** Elizabeth Spence | 289-259-4209

espence@live.ca

**When:** Wednesdays and Fridays 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$14.00 per class or \$60.00 per five classes

Through the practice of gentle stretches and breathing, we explore natural movements in the body.

### WHITE WING TAI CHI

**Contact:** Sue Baxter | 905-228-1718

susan.baxter@me.com

**When:** Wednesdays and Fridays 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

Tai Chi is a gentle form of exercise and helps in balance and concentration.

### YOGA WITH ANDS

**Contact:** Andrea van Niekerk | 647-968-8585

andrea@justmyscene.com | [www.yogawithands.com](http://www.yogawithands.com)

**When:** Tuesdays 9:00 a.m., Thursdays 9:30 a.m. and 5:45 p.m. and Saturdays 9:30 a.m.

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$20.00 per 1-hour session

I teach an upbeat hatha yoga session with a focus on foundation, strength, balance and mobility. Men welcome too! Saturdays we add weights (optional)! Drop in!



### VOLUNTEER TALENT BANK

Interested in volunteering or looking for volunteers? Look no further! The Town has an online Volunteer Talent Bank.

Scan the QR code or visit [www.notl.com/recreation-events/volunteer-talent-bank](http://www.notl.com/recreation-events/volunteer-talent-bank) to learn more.

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### 2025 SPORTS WALL OF FAME



The Town is seeking nominations for outstanding athletes, trainers, coaches, officials, or executive members for the 2025 Sports Wall of Fame! Nominations are due by May 1, 2025.

Scan the QR code or visit [www.notl.com/recreation-events/community-initiatives-events](http://www.notl.com/recreation-events/community-initiatives-events) to learn more.

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# LOCAL CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS



## CLUBS & COMMITTEES

### CASUAL BRIDGE CLUB

**Contact:** Jim Baird | 905-468-9313 | [jimbaird@sympatico.ca](mailto:jimbaird@sympatico.ca)

**When:** Thursdays 12:30 - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** A \$2.00 donation toward prizes is suggested.

Casual, non-ACBL sanctioned games, geared to seniors.

Basic bridge knowledge is required; support is offered when needed. We run four sessions of four games for a total of 16 games. Singles welcome.

### NOTL DUPLICATE BRIDGE CENTRE

**Contact:** Heather Beckman | 905-468-1787

[hbeckman606@gmail.com](mailto:hbeckman606@gmail.com)

**When:** Tuesdays and Fridays 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$7.00 per game (\$5.00 for members)

This ACBL-sanctioned Bridge Centre offers a friendly and welcoming setting for duplicate players. There are all levels of lessons available, including introductory bridge.

### NOTL DUPLICATE BRIDGE CLUB

**Contact:** Pat Braun | 905-468-2335 or

Verne Chant | 905-468-0809 | [vernechant@outlook.com](mailto:vernechant@outlook.com)

**When:** Thursdays 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$2.00 for members and \$3.00 for non-members.

Membership fee is \$10.00 per year

The Duplicate Bridge Club has been active for over 60 years. It is a non-profit club run by volunteers. We have several social activities prior to the game throughout the year. Our aim is to provide a friendly atmosphere for playing duplicate bridge.

### NIAGARA GOLDEN AGE CLUB

**Contact:** Marg Boldt (President) | 905-468-3756

**When:** Tuesdays 12:00 - 5:00 p.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$15.00 annual membership fee

Euchre begins at 1:00 p.m. This is a great way to meet and make new friends.

### THE NOTL NEWCOMERS CLUB

**Contact:** [notlnewcomers@hotmail.com](mailto:notlnewcomers@hotmail.com)

[www.notlnewcomers.com](http://www.notlnewcomers.com)

**When:** Last Friday of the month, September - May

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$30.00 annual membership fee

NOTL Newcomers is a social club for women who have moved to NOTL in the past 3 years or who have had a change in circumstances and would like to get to know others in the area. Interest Groups are key.

### NOTL SOCIAL CLUB

**Contact:** Audrey Pellett | [notlsocialclub@gmail.com](mailto:notlsocialclub@gmail.com)

**Where:** NOTL Community Centre as well as other community locations

**Cost:** \$25.00 annual membership fee (\$10.00 renewal)

The Social Club is for active individuals and couples residing in NOTL and who enjoy camaraderie and meeting new people. There is a rich program of events and interest groups available to all members.

### THE EPHEMERA CLUB

**Contact:** Marnie Taylor | 289-868-9799

[marnie609@gmail.com](mailto:marnie609@gmail.com)

**When:** Third Tuesday morning of every month

**Where:** NOTL Museum, 43 Castlereagh Street, NOTL

Are you a collector of books, postcards, stamps, documents, or other fragile mementos of the past? Please join us at the Museum for our monthly meetings. Guests always welcome. No fee to attend.

### ROTARY CLUB OF NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE

**Contact:** Carol Lipsett | [info@niagaraonthelakerotary.ca](mailto:info@niagaraonthelakerotary.ca)

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

**When:** Tuesdays 12:00 - 1:30 p.m.

**Where:** Auditorium, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$290.00 annual membership fee

We are People of Action. Our global network of 1.4 million neighbours, friends, and leaders volunteer their skills and resources to solve issues and address community needs both locally and internationally. Join us to do good in the world, make new friends and have fun.

# LOCAL CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS



## LOCAL INTEREST GROUPS

### DICKENS FELLOWSHIP NOTL CHAPTER

**Contact:** Gerry Hass | 905-643-3775

**When:** 2nd Tuesday of the month 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.  
(September - June)

**Where:** Board Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$30.00 annual membership fee

Our explorations of the books are lively and respectful of differing points of view...and fun! This year we have been discussing Nicholas Nickleby, first published by Charles Dickens in 1838.

### MAKE A CARD MONDAYS

**Contact:** Wilma Bosgraaf | 905-468-5363

**When:** Mondays 1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$5.00 class fee + \$3.50 per card made

Learn how to create beautiful greeting cards to send to friends and family for all sorts of occasions, Birthday, Christmas, Sympathy, Thinking of You, etc. Beginners welcome, no experience required.

### MEANINGFUL CONVERSATIONS

**Contact:** Toubia | 905-359-6107

**When:** First Tuesday of every month

**Where:** NOTL Public Library

Join a group of enthusiastic ladies who get together every month to have meaningful conversations. 100% Free!

### NOTL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

**Contact:** notlhortsociety@gmail.com

[www.notlhortsociety.com](http://www.notlhortsociety.com)

**When:** Saturdays 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. (Contact for dates)

**Where:** NOTL Public Library

**Cost:** \$20.00 (\$15.00 for members)

Join the NOTL Horticultural Society for a gardening seminar series hosted by renowned coach Joanne Young. Enhance your gardening skills and create a vibrant, sustainable garden.

### THE NIAGARA GARDEN CLUB

**Contact:** Elizabeth Goldman | 416-436-2012

[elizabeth@jarilee.com](mailto:elizabeth@jarilee.com)

**When:** 3rd Thursday of the month

### SENIORS FOR CLIMATE IN NIAGARA

**Contact:** Frances Stocker | [effemess56@gmail.com](mailto:effemess56@gmail.com)

**When:** Bi-weekly meetings

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# LOCAL CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS



## RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

### BETHANY MENNONITE CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-3505 | [office@bethanymennonite.ca](mailto:office@bethanymennonite.ca)

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

**When:** Sundays 10:00 a.m.

**Where:** 572 East & West Line, NOTL

We have Adult Sunday School at 11:15 a.m. and two bell choirs: one for kids and one for adults on Tuesday nights.

### BAHÁ'Í COMMUNITY OF NOTL

**Contact:** 905-468-0834 | [notlbahais@gmail.com](mailto:notlbahais@gmail.com)

We hold regular devotional gatherings, study circles and other programs that impart the sense of joy, fellowship and love that embrace the human spirit that is universal and that enriches the relationships among participants. Please contact for details.

### THE BROCK MEMORIAL CHURCH ST. SAVIOUR'S ANGLICAN

**Contact:** 905-262-5111

**When:** Sundays 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** 12 Princess Street, Queenston

### CENTRAL COMMUNITY CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-937-5610 | [www.centralcc.ca](http://www.centralcc.ca)

**When:** Sundays 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

**Where:** 680 York Road, NOTL

Our mission is simple: Helping you connect to God and others. We are a large, vibrant, multi-cultural community of people from all different walks of life in the Niagara Region. Whether you're brand new to us or you've been a part of our community for years, we want you to feel loved, known, and supported as we navigate this life together.

### CORNERSTONE COMMUNITY CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-7155 | [admin@ccchurch.ca](mailto:admin@ccchurch.ca)

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

**When:** Sundays 10:00 a.m.

**Where:** 434 Hunter Road, NOTL

You will experience a warm welcome, no matter who you are, no matter what questions and doubts you have, and no matter what your experiences with church has been in the past.

### EMMANUEL GRACE CHURCH

**Contact:** [emmanuelgracechurch@gmail.com](mailto:emmanuelgracechurch@gmail.com)

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

**When:** Sundays 9:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

**Where:** 1416 Line 3 Road, NOTL

A time to share together, worship together and pray together from a Biblical worldview.

### GATEWAY COMMUNITY CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-8971 | [office@gatewaynotl.com](mailto:office@gatewaynotl.com)

[www.gatewaynotl.com](http://www.gatewaynotl.com)

**When:** Sundays 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** Simpson Room, NOTL Community Centre  
Interim Pastor Dan Mcgalas leads our warm & welcoming multi-generational congregation.

### GRACE UNITED CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-4044 | [mail@graceunitedchurch.com](mailto:mail@graceunitedchurch.com)

[www.graceunitedchurch.com](http://www.graceunitedchurch.com)

**When:** Sundays 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** 222 Victoria Street, NOTL

Grace United is a vibrant and active church with a large choir and a passion for music.

### LIFE ABUNDANT NIAGARA

**Contact:** 905-688-3958 | [info@lifeabundantniagara.com](mailto:info@lifeabundantniagara.com)

[www.lifeabundantniagara.com](http://www.lifeabundantniagara.com)

**When:** Sundays 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** 384 Concession 7 Road, NOTL

We love God, love people, and love our community.

### NIAGARA UNITED MENNONITE CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-3313 | [office@redbrickchurch.ca](mailto:office@redbrickchurch.ca)

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

**When:** Sundays 10:45 a.m.

**Where:** 1775 Niagara Stone Road, NOTL

For parents with children from ages 3 to 10 we have our Red Brick Kids Program on Sundays from 9:15 to 10:20 a.m.

# LOCAL CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS



## RELIGIOUS ACTIVITIES

### PRAYERS FOR UNITY & REFLECTIONS ON OUR ONENESS

**Contact:** Touba Agahzadeh | [touba.agahzadeh@gmail.com](mailto:touba.agahzadeh@gmail.com)

**When:** First Sunday of every month at 2:00 p.m.

**Where:** 11 Harmony Drive, NOTL

Interfaith devotions. One people, One Destiny, One World. The beauty in our diversity. Please join us to pray for the Unity of mankind and to share your thoughts and prayers with others.

### ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-3363 | [standrewsnottl@gmail.com](mailto:standrewsnottl@gmail.com)

[www.standrewsnigara.com](http://www.standrewsnigara.com)

**When:** Sundays 11:00 a.m.

**Where:** 323 Simcoe Street, NOTL

St. Andrew's is a warm and joyful Christian congregation, worshipping in a beautiful and historic sanctuary dating back to 1794. Our Sunday service is traditional, with an inspiring music program and Sunday School for younger children. Opportunities for spiritual growth, fellowship and outreach are frequent and varied. We are home to NOTL's annual Strawberry Festival and host many uplifting events including Gateau & Grace gatherings in the summer. All are welcome.



### ST. MARK'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

**Contact:** 905-468-3123 | [www.stmarksnotl.org](http://www.stmarksnotl.org)

**When:** Sundays 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

**Where:** 41 Byron Street, NOTL

St. Mark's was founded by the Rev. Robert Addison in 1792. The church and cemetery have been in continuous use longer than any others in Ontario and have always been a significant presence in Niagara-on-the-Lake.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

**Contact:** 905-468-7272 | [st.vincentdepaul@bellnet.ca](mailto:st.vincentdepaul@bellnet.ca)

**When:** Saturdays 5:00 p.m., Sundays 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

**Where:** 73 Picton Street, NOTL

### TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

**Contact:** 289-213-8650 | [trinitynotl@cogeco.ca](mailto:trinitynotl@cogeco.ca)

[www.trinitynotl.com](http://www.trinitynotl.com)

**When:** Sundays 10:00 a.m.

**Where:** 2027 Niagara Stone Road, NOTL

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## ART PROGRAMS

### NIAGARA PUMPHOUSE ARTS CENTRE

**Contact:** 905-468-5455 | [office@niagarapumphouse.ca](mailto:office@niagarapumphouse.ca)

**Where:** 247 Ricardo Street, NOTL

Niagara Pumphouse Arts Centre is the art hub that connects the community by providing ART for ALL. We offer a range of visual arts programs, exhibitions and events. We give back to the community by giving access to the arts for those in need.



## HERITAGE

### FRIENDS OF FORT GEORGE

**Contact:** [admin@friendsoffortgeorge.ca](mailto:admin@friendsoffortgeorge.ca)

[friendsoffortgeorge.square.site](http://friendsoffortgeorge.square.site)

The Friends of Fort George is a non-profit, charitable organization that works with Parks Canada, while offering special programs throughout the year. Visit [friendsoffortgeorge.square.site](http://friendsoffortgeorge.square.site) for more information

## PARKS CANADA - HISTORIC SITES

**Contact:** 905-262-4759 | [ont-niagara@pc.gc.ca](mailto:ont-niagara@pc.gc.ca)

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## WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE REVISITED

**Contact:** James Webber | [jimweibo@hotmail.com](mailto:jimweibo@hotmail.com)

**When:** The fourth Wednesday of every month 2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

**Where:** Studio Room, NOTL Community Centre

**Cost:** \$25.00 Annual Membership fee

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##### Nature's Palette

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Mar 16 – Jul 17, 2025

##### Paintings by Geoff Farnsworth

Mar 26 – Apr 27, 2025

##### Living Environments

Sue Archibald  
Apr 29 – May 25, 2025

##### The Spring Shoreline: What Do You See?

Tanya Markvart  
May 27 – Jun 22, 2025

#### Events

##### Art at the Pumphouse

Aug 2 & 3, 2025  
[artatthepumphouse.ca](http://artatthepumphouse.ca)

##### Art by Robert Crosby

Jun 25 – Jul 27, 2025

##### In And Out of This World

Marilyn Cochrane  
Aug 5 – 31, 2025

##### NOTL Hydro Box Beautification Group Exhibition

Aug 7 – Sept 11, 2025

#### Classes & Workshops

- Painting
- Drawing
- Glass
- Mixed Media
- Pottery
- Collage
- Textile
- Lectures
- Private Art Parties
- Art Camps for children
- More!

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# ARTS & HERITAGE



## MACKENZIE PRINTERY

**Contact:** [www.niagaraparks.com](http://www.niagaraparks.com)

**When:** 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (May to October)

**Where:** 1 Queenston Street, Queenston

The Mackenzie Printery offers a hands-on experience with a working linotype and eight operating heritage presses. Don't miss the oldest printing press in Canada.

## RIVERBRINK ART MUSEUM

**Contact:** Janet Zylstra | 905-262-4510

[jzylstra@riverbrink.org](mailto:jzylstra@riverbrink.org)

**Where:** 116 Queenston Street, NOTL

RiverBrink Art Museum is a collecting and exhibiting art museum open to the public since 1983. Museum programming and operating is supported by the Weir Foundation, private donations, volunteers' fundraising, and admissions fees. The museum's exhibitions and educational offerings change regularly.



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