



# Bonnechere Valley

## COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER MAY & JUNE 2026

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49 BONNECHERE ST E. EGANVILLE, ON

As of Apr. 20th **CELEBRATING 25 YEARS OF BONNECHERE VALLEY!**

May and June events include:

- Eganville Seniors Diners' Club
- Eganville Seniors Mother's Day Luncheon
- "Thistles and Cedar, Hearts Entwined in War" by Wendy Jocko
- Horticultural Society Book Sale
- Stuff The Cruiser
- Eganville Seniors Open House
- Eganville Seniors Lunch Bunch
- Family Research Files Discussion
- 25 Books in 2026 BINGO
- Eganville Night Market
- Eganville Seniors Father's Day BBQ Luncheon

See more details online. Events will continue to be added, so stay tuned!



### WASTE SITE CLOSURES

- Sand Road will be closed May 18

### OFFICE CLOSURES

- The Municipal Offices will be closed May 18

### WASTE SITE SUMMER HOURS

Summer hours in the schedule are in effect from Saturday May 16, 2026 until October 12, 2026.

Waste Site/ Transfer Site	Sno Drifters	Sand Road	Lake Clear	McGrath	Highway 41	Ruby
Sunday			1 pm to 6 pm	12 pm to 4 pm		1 pm to 3 pm
Monday	*8 am to noon	3 pm to 6 pm				
Tuesday	*8 am to noon				3 pm to 6 pm	
Wednesday	*8 am to noon	3 pm to 6 pm				12 pm to 2 pm
Thursday	*8 am to noon		3 pm to 6 pm			
Friday						
Saturday	9 am to 3 pm	9 am to 4 pm			9 am to 4 pm	9 am to 3 pm

\*The Monday-Thursday hours of 8 am to noon for the Sno Drifters Site begins on Tuesday, May 19, 2026 and will end on Thursday, August 27, 2026.

The Hazardous Waste Depot at the Sand Road Waste Site will be open on SATURDAYS ONLY beginning May 16, 2026 until September 26, 2026.

### PUBLIC WORKS NOTICE

- Grading is normally done 3+ times a year depending upon the impact from weather and traffic. Early spring grading is to rid the road of the potholes. Late spring grading is to shape the road and prepare it for dust suppression and base stabilizing calcium chloride applications. If all goes well, there will be a late summer grading and finally a fall grading to prepare the roads for winter travel.
- Shouldering is performed on an as-needed basis in response to heavy runoff caused by spring thaw or heavy precipitation and related washouts.
- Street Sweeper is conducted on hard-Top roads in April and May.
- Calcium Chloride is applied to freshly graveled roads and newly graded roads from May to June. This reduces dust generated from traffic and helps maintain the graded shape of the road in the summer months.
- Roadside mowing involves cutting the grass back from the shoulders. This is typically done in June and July to provide proper driving sight lines.
- Brushing and Ditching are activities that take place on selected lengths of roadway when drainage is impeded and or growth begins to impose on the driving envelope.
- Patching of roads using a Hot or cold mix material is used in filling potholes, depressions, and to restore road edges.
- Key safety tips for construction zones are: slow down, keep your distance, stay focused, obey flaggers, expect the unexpected and respect roadside workers.

### PLANNING CONSULTATIONS

Do you have a planning question that you need answered? We will have a planner from the County of Renfrew in our office once a month. If you would like to speak to the planner on your planning issue, please contact our office at 613.628.3101 x 226.

### LEVEL 3 FLO CHARGING STATION - NEW!

Located at 49 Bonnechere St E. To use the Charging Station, download the FLO App. For 24/7 assistance at the charging station, call 1-855-543-8356.



### MUSIC IN THE PARK

Music in the Park showcases volunteer singers, musicians, and bands to play on Wednesdays & Fridays from late-June to mid-August from 7-8 pm in Gerald Tracey Park, at the Guy Jamieson "Ceilidh" Amphitheatre. Contact the office if you are interested in performing.

### COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT PLAN FAÇADE & SIGNAGE FUNDING

Fostering local economic development by preserving and improving the Bonnechere Valley Commercial Districts. Funds are limited and are available on a first come first serve basis. Applications are available at the Municipal Office or online.



Effective JUNE 1st it is prohibited to set, maintain or allow to be set or maintain any Open-Air Fire between April 1st through October 31st that is not a camping fire as defined in By Law 2026-026 and maintained within an approved pit.

# Upcoming Events

IN BONNECHERE VALLEY

SEE TOWNSHIP WEBSITE FOR MORE. ALL EVENTS AND PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE.



**SUMMER DAY CAMP**

CAMP SMITTY by bgc

STAY TUNED FOR MORE INFORMATION!

98 Mink Lake Rd. Eganville | (613) 628-2403

## Stuff the Cruiser

Eganville and District Community Food Bank Fundraiser

Date and Time:  
Saturday May 16, 2026  
10:00am - 12:30pm

Location:  
Eganville Foodland Parking Lot  
8754 Hwy # 60  
Eganville Ontario

### Monetary Donations Accepted

Donation needs list:



Eganville and District Community Food Bank

## Diaper Drive



Drop off Mondays between 10am and 12pm  
165 John Street Eganville Ontario

In need of:  
• Diapers (assorted sizes)  
• Baby Wipes

Free draw for those that donate

Draw to be made on Monday May 25th at 12:00pm

Organizer credit:  
Eganville and District Community Food Bank

## 2026 AQUAFIT FOR ADULTS/SENIORS

JULY 10 | AUGUST 7  
JULY 17 | AUGUST 14  
JULY 24 | AUGUST 21

TWO SESSIONS EACH

FRIDAY:  
• 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
• 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM

ROTARY BEACH  
178B JANE ST.  
EGANVILLE

A FUN,  
LOW-  
INTENSITY  
WORKOUT  
PROGRAM

\$20  
5 SESSION  
PASS  
\$5  
DROP IN



## SWIM Program 2026

### JULY & AUGUST SESSIONS

Preschool Swimmer 1-6

Rookie, Ranger, Star

\$65 PER LEVEL

Bronze Levels \$120 per level

Register by May 8

Rotary Beach  
178-B Jane St. Eganville, ON

Find more information and register at  
[www.bonnecherevalleytwp.com/residents/swim-program/](http://www.bonnecherevalleytwp.com/residents/swim-program/)



CRC Game On! Summer Day Camp | August 11<sup>th</sup> - August 14<sup>th</sup>  
Contact [trudy.kerr@crc-renfrewcounty.com](mailto:trudy.kerr@crc-renfrewcounty.com) for more information | Eganville Arena Ice Surface

## EGANVILLE AND AREA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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

Meets at the Eganville Legion, Social time 7pm, meeting at 7:30. Annual membership \$20 (family \$25).

May 16 - Outdoor Spring Plant Sale, Legion Field, 9-11am

May 18 - An Update on Ticks & Tick-borne Diseases by Dr. Michaeline McGuinty

June 15 - Reptiles & Amphibians in the Garden & Beyond by David LeGros

June 20 - Book Sale, Old Firehall, 165 John St, 9am-4pm

## EGANVILLE GENEALOGY CLUB

613-628-9898

Meetings held at the Echo Centre, 12:30 - 2:30 pm. Drop-in fee of \$2 appreciated.

May 13 - Discussion & Brainstorming: What to do with your research files if no one wants them when you're gone?

June 10 - Guest speaker Wendy Jocko presents the story of her Scottish-born mother and Algonquin First Nation father who met during WWII

## EGANVILLE LEGION

57 Veteran's Way Eganville | 613-628-2802

**Mondays** - 6 Hand Euchre 1pm

**Tuesdays** - Fish & Chips 4-7pm Dine in/Take out, 1pc \$15 2pc \$20 Bar Open

**Wednesdays** - Shuffleboard 1pm, Darts 7pm

**Thursdays** - Dinner & Dance, 5-8pm, \$18

**Fridays** - Social Time 2-5pm, Pool 7pm

**Ways & Means Dance** - May 3 & June 7, 2-6pm, \$8, bring your favourite desserts & sandwiches

**General Meeting & Elections** - May 4, 7pm

**Square Dancing** - May 8 & May 22, 7pm

**Wing Night** - May 9, May 23, June 6 & June 20, Food 4:30-6:30pm, Live Band 6-10pm

**Breakfast Buffet** - May 10 & June 14, 9-12:30pm, \$15 per adult

**Bingo** - May 13 & May 27, 7pm

**Pool Tournament** - May 30, Tom Ross Trophy 8 ball, Registration 11am, \$12 entry fee

## EGANVILLE SENIORS

30 Bell St, Eganville | 613-628-2354

**Pebble Mosaic Making** - May 1, 1-3pm (register)

**Diners' Club** - May 6, \$20 & Jun 3, 12pm \$25

**Eldertrekking E-Bikes** - May 7, 14, 21, 28

10:30am (register)

**Mother's Day Luncheon** - May 8, 1pm, \$12/ adult, child cost by donation (register)

**Community Drive Thru Fundraising Dinner** - May 8 & Jun 10, \$22/meal

**RC VTAC In Your Community** - May 13,

10:30am (register)

**Vaccine Clinic** - May 13, 10:30am

**Advanced Care Planning Conversation** - May 15, 10:30am (register)

**Vulnerable Road User Presentation** - May 20, 1pm (register)

Contact Eganville Seniors for more programming!

**Heart Disease Screening** - May 21 (register 613-696-7412)

**Open House** - May 23, 10am

**Free Community CPR/AED Lesson** - May 26, 1:30pm (register)

**Floor Shuffleboard** - May 27, 2pm (register)

**Lunch Bunch** - May 27 & Jun 24, 11:30am to 1pm

**Fundraising Euchre** - May 29 & Jun 26, 1:30pm, \$7

**Barn Quilt Fundraiser** - May 30, 9am (register)

**Managing Caregiver Stress & Burnout** - Jun 5, 10:30am (register)

**How to Support a Palliative Friend** - Jun 12, 10:30am (register)

**Cycling and Pedestrian Safety** - Jun 15, 1pm (register)

**COPD Presentation** - Jun 17, 1:30pm (register)

**Mamma Mia! & Tucker's Restaurant Bus Trip** - July 28. (register & pay by May 8)

## BONNECHERE UNION PUBLIC LIBRARY

74-A Maple St, Eganville | 613-628-2400

May 2, 16, 30 - Retro Cartoons! Throwback Franklin, Dr. Seuss, and others every Saturday. Free!

May 7 - Author Talk with Trudy Driscoll @ 6 PM. Speaking on her book Breaking Free After 50. Free!

May 9 - Mother's Day Drop-in Craft, 10 AM- 2 PM, Make a special gift for your mum! A self-led drop-in craft in the makerspace.

May 30 - Speed Puzzling Event, 11 AM- 1 PM, Register your team of up to 4. Limited space. \$20 per team, and you keep the 750-piece puzzle. Winner gets a prize!

June 13 - Get Your Summer Read On! 12- 2 PM, Register and find out about our Summer Reading Club! Prizes and snacks to be had! Contact BUPL for more programming!

## BONNECHERE MUSEUM

85 Bonnechere St W, Eganville | 613-628-1000

**Season Opening** - May long weekend

**Night Market** - June 13 from 5-9pm

**EGANVILLE FARMERS MARKET** 8668 On-60, Eganville | [eganvillefarmersmarket1@gmail.com](mailto:eganvillefarmersmarket1@gmail.com)

**Opening Day** - May 15 at new location, the Jolly Fryer. New & occasional vendors this season!