Village Update

May 3, 2024

UPDATES FROM THE MUNICIPALITY

Utility Notices Have Been Mailed



Please see the updated layout provided below

The Village of LIONS BAY

UTILITY NOTICE

DUE DATE: May 31/24
Service Address:

Access Code:

CUSTOMER COPY	
BILLING DATE Apr 30/24	ACCOUNT NO.
SERVICE PERIOD Jan 01/24	Dec 31/24
BALANCE FORWARD	0.00
Water	1,977.11
Garbage & Recycling	402.41
CURRENT CHARGES	2,379.52
ADJUSTMENTS	0.00
DISCOUNT IF PAID BY DUE DATE	53.62-
AMOUNT DUE IF PAID BY DUE DATE	2,325.90

Name of Resident
Address

SAMPLE

CURRENT Billing Detail

Water	Single Family	1 @ 1,977.11	1,977.11
	Total Water		1,977.11
Garbage & Recycling	Single Family	1 @ 402.41	402.41
	Total Garbage & Recycling		402.41

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND WAYS TO PAY, PLEASE SEE REVERSE

UTILITY BILLS are due December 31, 2024. Pay by May 31 2024, to receive the discount. Unpaid balances as of December 31, 2024, will be rolled-over into your tax account and begin accruing daily interest until balance is paid.

SECONDARY SUITE CHARGE

All Secondary Suites must be declared. If your Secondary Suite is unoccupied, occupied by a family member, or volunteer firefighter, the Secondary Suite charge is not payable. Please fill out the Secondary Suite Declaration enclosed in your package and return to the office It is also available on-line: https://www.lionsbay.ca/services/building-services/online-secondary-suite-declaration.

Questions? Please contact accounting@lionsbay.ca or call 604-921-9333, ext. 1004.

Secondary Suite Declaration:

If you've previously declared a Secondary Suite, the associated charge is automatically included on your Utility Notice. If an immediate family member or volunteer Lions Bay firefighter resides in the suite, kindly declare this either online through our **website** or at our office.

If you have any questions please email: **accounting@lionsbay.ca** or call 604-921-9333 ext. 1004 .

2024 Resident Parking Passes

- Two (2) Resident Parking passes have been enclosed with your 2024 Utility Notice
- Please remove the 2023 purple permit from your vehicle
- To attach to windshield, remove plastic film on the front of the permit and press firmly onto the windshield
- Additional permits are $40 each
- Lost, stolen or damaged passes may be replaced but are subject to the $40 replacement fee
- Proof of residency is required when requesting passes

Any questions, please call or email **604-921-9333** ext. **1000** or **reception@lionsbay.ca**





The Village of Lions Bay is currently hiring for a Bylaw Enforcement Officer and Parking & Park Patroller (2 Positions).

Please **click here** for more details.



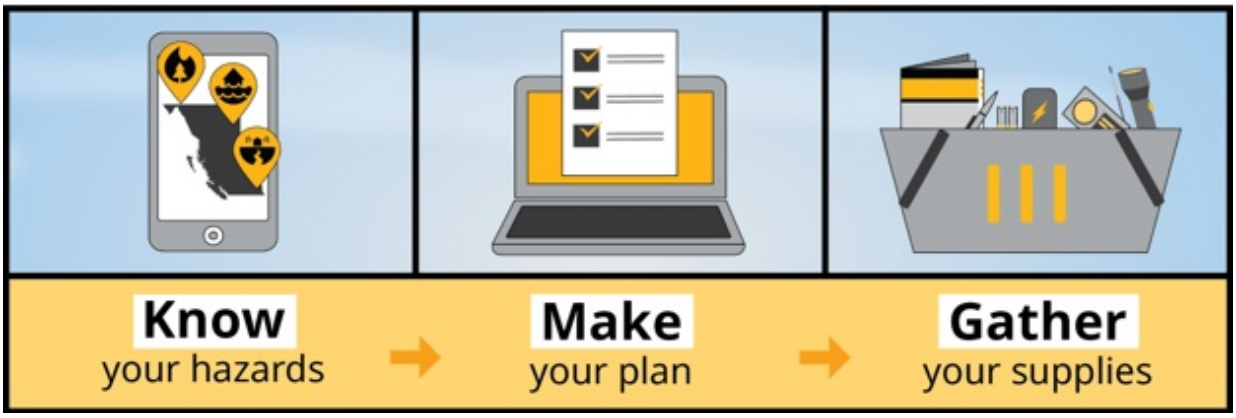
The Village is seeking nominations for the annual Citizen of the Year & Citizen of Distinction awards.

Please review the criteria below to nominate a Citizen by sending an email to **office@lionsbay.ca** by **May 16, 2024**. Please include their name and the reason you think they are deserving of the award.

Please click HERE for more details...

UPDATE FROM EMERGENCY SUPPORT SERVICES

Emergency Preparedness Week May 5-11, 2024



Preparing for an unknown may seem overwhelming. Here are some tips. Choose three and make implementing them a family event.

- Make your emergency plan by clicking **HERE**
- Pre-register for Emergency Support Services on Evacuee and Registration Assistance (ERA) **HERE**
- Add your insurance information to your emergency plan to ensure it's handy when you need it. You can also keep the below link handy with any insurance related questions, link: **Insurance Bureau of Canada**

- Know how to turn off your utilities. Make this part of your emergency plan. Make sure everyone knows how to do this.
- Have an out-of-area emergency contact who the family can touch base with if you are separated during an emergency. Make this part of your communication plan.
- Make a pet plan. Have leashes, harnesses, cages, food and medicines ready for quick access: link **HERE**
- Build your emergency kit (for shelter in place) and your Grab-and-Go bag (for immediate evacuations): link **HERE**
- Sign up for emergency messaging through the **Alertable app**
- Keep an old pair of shoes under each bed. If you need to evacuate your home quickly and household debris (broken glass, building material) is littering the floor, these can be use to allow you to safely move about your house.
- Save digital copies of important documents, such as birth certificates and financial records on a memory stick, or make photocopies of them. Place these in your grab-and-go bag.





The Curly Stewart Memorial Trust Fund was established to honour the life and public service of the first mayor of the Village of Lions Bay, Allan M. “Curly” Stewart, who served from 1971 to 1981. A **$1,000** award is given annually from the trust fund to the applicant who best exemplifies the criteria described in the official terms of reference for the award.

To apply for this award:

Complete the **ONLINE APPLICATION FORM** (and submit sealed reference letters to Lions Bay Village Office in person)

OR Submit a hard copy of the entire application to Lions Bay Village Office in person **(DETAILS HERE)**

Your application along with all relevant documents must be submitted by close of business on or before **May 7th, 2024.**

Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation
CALLING ALL GRADE 12 STUDENTS!

The Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation presents scholarships each year to successful Grade 12 applicants from the Lions Bay Community who are pursuing further education at a post-secondary institution.

Once again this year, additional privately funded scholarships are being administered by the Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation. The Rafe Mair Scholarship and The Rudy Luethy Scholarship may be applied for through this one application process. Please review the criteria carefully on the application form. Students may be eligible for more than one Scholarship.

Applications are due 4pm Tuesday, May 7th, 2024 for the Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation, Rafe Mair and Rudy Luethy scholarships.
Students ~ complete your applications early and seek your applicable reference letters now.

2024 APPLICATION FORM

An Invitation to all Lions Bay Grade 12 students and parents

Please join us for a:
Reception for Graduates and their families
Tuesday, May 21st, 2024 from 7pm to 8pm
at Broughton Hall
Refreshments and Brief Presentations

The Lions Bay Community Scholarship Foundation Board members are delighted to Celebrate our Lions Bay Graduates and their Families. Please join us for a reception to celebrate and honour the Lions Bay Graduates of 2024.

Please RSVP at your earliest convenience to help us plan for this evening

RSVP



NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL:

May 21, 2024 at 6:00pm*

*Closed session will begin at 6:00pm followed by the public meeting at 7:00pm

Special Council Meeting: May 7, 2024 6:00pm

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Committee of the Whole Meeting - May 7, 2024 at 6:00pm (CANCELLED)

Infrastructure Committee Meeting - May 16, 2024 at 6:00pm

Climate Action Committee Meeting - May 22, 2024 at 6:00pm

Note: please check the Village website calendar for meeting schedule changes or cancellations.

View the Council and Committee Schedules, Agendas, & Minutes HERE!

Video conferencing is available for public participation via Zoom. Instructions on how to attend and publicly participate in a meeting can be found **here**.

Public Viewing Etiquette:

- Public participation is available on Zoom, during the Public Participation section of the agenda. Attendees will have two minutes to speak on any matter at the beginning of the meeting.
- Silent viewing only until you are called upon to speak (if desired).
- Please do not interrupt Council discussion.
- Limit background distractions by muting your microphone and keeping video turned off until such time as it's your turn to speak (if applicable).
- If interruptions are repeated, the participant will be removed from the meeting.

COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD & UPCOMING EVENTS

Bird Friendly Community Event
May 11th 9.15 - 1 in the Village Hall

Lots for kids!



photo credit: Garden Therapy

9.15: BUILD A BUG HOTEL
Something like this!
Sponsored by Thyra Mckilligan of Remax Masters Realty.

SIGN UP FOR BOTH!



Details & Sign Up here!

9.15 - 1: TWO NATURE-FRIENDLY ART PROJECTS
A pretty dragonfly card
A bumble bee to take home

Tea, Bird Friendly coffee, treats BBQ, prizes and more!

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THE RED COUCH BAKERY
Celebrate Everything

Wild Birds Unlimited Nature Shop

www.lionsbaybirdfriendly.ca

Bear Smart 101

- Recycling must be clean when placed curbside. Smelly cans/packaging will attract wildlife.
- Place waste curbside or drop off at the Works Yard in the correct time slots.
- Garbage/food waste must be in cans with tight-fitting lids.
- Freeze food waste & keep cans clean (use liners).
- By bylaw, waste must be stored in bear-proof structures at all times.



Food waste and garbage must be stored in enclosures that are inaccessible to wildlife. Freeze food waste until waste collection day.



Bears are quick learners. If they access an open garage and find food, they have learned that any garage, open or closed, may contain food.



This green can is bear-RESISTANT, not bear-PROOF. It must be kept indoors or in a bear-proof structure.



Barbeques and drip pans should be cleaned/burned off after each use, as grease and fat are a high calorie food source for bears.

Report all bear sightings to:
www.lionsbaybearsmart.ca



Lions Bay Giveaway Weekend

Saturday, May 18th - Monday, May 20th, 2024

Once again, please help keep waste out of our landfills by putting out any of your unwanted items at the end of your driveway marked FREE. Items can include furniture, books, sports equipment, toys, gardening equipment, building supplies…anything goes, there are no rules!!

Drive, walk or cycle around the village over the May long weekend and see what treasures you can find for yourself.

Parking regulations will still be in effect so please be mindful of where you stop to shop. Kindly remind your kids not to drop any 'wanted' bikes or scooters near FREE signs.

*Please note we cannot accommodate a village-wide pick up at the end of the weekend, it is up to owners to please put away/donate their own unwanted items.

Contact: Heather Hood - **hoodinlionsbay@gmail.com**



SATURDAY June22 "AVATAAR: Worldview" Jazz Concert at Lions Bay **Village Hall**.

7 Reasons TO COME HEAR AVATAAR in Lions Bay:

#5: Cultural Diversity: Masterfully creating enchantingly diverse cultural tapestries, Avataar celebrates cultural diversity and promotes cross-cultural understanding through their music. This multicultural approach resonates deeply with listeners from all walks of life – COME HEAR! **SPONSORED BY** Realtor Thyra McKilligan of Re/Max Masters.

TICKET LINK HERE

Village of Lions Bay | **lionsbay.ca**

View local air quality live on our **Real-Time Air Quality Map**

Encourage Lions Bay friends and neighbours to **subscribe** to the Village Update and the municipality's **Facebook page** - The only official media outlets of the Village of Lions Bay.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns pertaining to the Village Update, please email

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