

KVC Friday Notes ✦

March 21 2025



Administrator Office Hours

Tuesday: 9:00 am - 12:30 pm

Wednesday: 1 pm - 5:00 pm

Thursday: 9 - 12:30 pm

Friday: 11 am - 6:00 pm

Phone number: (705) 748-5188

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Community Involvement Opportunities

Join the Landscape Committee Meeting

April 30, 2025 @ 1:00 pm

Join the Bylaw Committee Meeting

TBA

Social Committee

April 8 @ 6:30 pm

Board Meeting

April 17 @ 4pm

*Thank you to all the members that attended
the recent Social Committee Meeting!*

*Keep an eye out for future events. Their plans
sound exciting!*

Next Garbage Pick Up March 27

It is Here!

Check out Kawathavillage.ca

You can sign up for the Members only
section on your own or the Board can
provide you access.

Please make sure your
email address is up to date with the office.

Town Hall Meeting

KVC is hosting a Town Hall Meeting
on April 5 at 2 pm

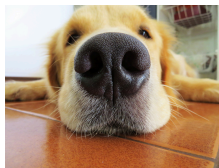
This meeting will be moderated by
Shawn Conway

Shawn has 20+ years of innovative community
building as a qualified mediator, facilitator and
trainer in the for-profit, non-profit and co-op
housing sector and as an educator and program /
project manager including several years as a
community based executive director.



Joke of the Week: "How does cereal pay its bills?"

"With Cerex."



Poo-lution Solution: The Great Thaw and the Emergence of "Pupsicles"

Spring is in the air, and with it comes the melodious sounds of birds, the blooming of flowers, and – oh dear – the re-emergence of those not-so-fondly remembered "pupsicles" hidden all winter under the snow. Yes, fellow co-op residents, as the white blanket retreats, it reveals the chilly misdemeanors of our beloved furry friends.

Let's face it, navigating our green spaces has become more like stepping into a minefield, equipped with hidden surprises that have been sneakily preserved in the frost. But fear not! With a little community spirit and a few handy tools, we can tackle this mess head-on and restore our common areas to their pre-winter glory.

Step 1: Gear Up

Before embarking on this brave quest, arm yourselves with the essentials: a sturdy scoop, biodegradable bags, and perhaps a pair of old shoes that you've been meaning to say goodbye to. Consider the scoop as your sword and the bags as your shield in this noble battle against the forces of nature (and nurture).

Step 2: Adopt a Spot

Why not turn this cleanup into a spirited treasure hunt? Claim a spot and pledge to keep it pristine. You can even make it a competition: who can reclaim the most territory from the clutches of our canine companions' leftovers? Winner gets bragging rights at the next community BBQ (and maybe a free hot dog, if the budget allows).

Step 3: Poo-etiquette

Remember, every pet owner bears the knightly responsibility of the 'stoop-and-scoop.' It's not just about keeping our shoes clean; it's about respecting our shared space and each other. If you see a neighbor forgetting this sacred duty, a gentle reminder with a smile can go a long way – after all, it's possible they just didn't notice their dog's stealthy deposit.

Step 4: Celebrate Good Times!

Once our fields are free from the tyranny of turds, let's celebrate with a community gathering. It's a chance to enjoy the outdoors without having to watch where we step constantly. Plus, it's a great way to thank everyone for their hard work and dedication to maintaining our beautiful living environment.

In Conclusion

Cleaning up after our dogs might not be the most glamorous aspect of pet ownership, but in our co-op, it's a duty we share with a grin (and maybe a grimace). As the snow melts away, let's band together to tackle the aftermath with humor and camaraderie. After all, every poop scooped is a step toward a cleaner, greener, and more guest-friendly community. Let the "**Poo-lution**" begin!

Guide to Using KawarthaVillage.ca & Accessing the Private Members Section

Welcome to KawarthaVillage.ca, the official website for Kawartha Village Cooperative Homes. This guide will help you navigate the website and access the private members section.

1. Website Overview

KawarthaVillage.ca is designed to provide members with important information about the cooperative, upcoming events, policies, and community updates. The site features:

- Home Page: General information about the cooperative living, Community Centre Booking process, office hours, Friday Notes and additional announcements that are planned for the future.
- CABCC Bookings: Details about the community centre and the booking form.
- News & Updates: Recent announcements and community news.
- KVC Bylaws & Policy: This includes the Occupancy and Organizational Bylaws and KVC Policies
- Activity Calendar: Information about meetings regarding committee meetings, etc.
- Applications: Membership Application Form and Community Centre Form
- Private Members Section: A secure area with confidential cooperative information such as board minutes.

2. How to Access the Private Members Section

Step 1: Navigate to the Login Page

- Visit KawarthaVillage.ca.
- Click on the “Members Login” link located in the main menu.
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Step 2: Enter Your Credentials

- You will be prompted to enter your username and password.
- If you do not have login credentials, click on “Request Access” and follow the instructions.

Step 3: Navigating the Members Area

- Once logged in, you will have access to:
- Introduction: List of your Board of Directors, Code of Conduct & Complaints, Friday Notes, and KVC Market Place (coming soon)
- Your Board of Directors
- Board Minutes: The Board Minutes will be posted here once they have been approved at the next board meeting.
- Board (and Committee Reports) from GMM
- Code of Conduct at KVC
- Complaint Form
- Friday Notes
- KVC Market Place

Step 4: Logging Out

- For security purposes, always log out when finished by clicking the “Logout” button in the top-right corner of the page.

3. Troubleshooting & Support

- Login Issues? Ensure your credentials are correct. If problems persist, contact the Website Administrator (Mary Earls Unit 13 temporarily)
- Technical Assistance? If you experience difficulties accessing the site, try clearing your browser's cache or using a different device.

4. Website Best Practices

- Keep Your Credentials Secure: Do not share your login details with anyone.
- Check for Updates: Regularly visit the website for the latest cooperative news and policy updates.

For further assistance, please contact office@kawarthavillagecoop.ca

We hope this guide helps you make the most of KawarthaVillage.ca and stay connected with our cooperative community!

