

# Community Newsletter

## Fall 2019



**HUNT CLUB PARK** Community Association

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Hunt Club Park Community Association (HCPA) will be holding its Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, September 24, 2019 at St. Thomas More School.

HCPA is the organization that puts on Summer and Winter festivals at Elizabeth Manley Parks. We operate the two ice rinks in the community. We oversee the establishment of Neighbourhood Watches in our community. We organize park clean ups. We have the ear of the local City Councillor, the Member of Provincial Parliament and the federal Member of Parliament. We host information sessions to deal with specific safety and crime concerns. The fuel behind all of this work is an active core of HCPA Board Directors and volunteers.

We are looking for your input at monthly meetings which are held every 4th Tuesday

at St. Thomas More School OR volunteering to make the events that we host come to life. We recognize that you may have a specific interest to make Hunt Club Park a great place to live. We need your energy and your ideas to remain relevant to the community. We are looking for Board involvement and volunteers in these areas:

- Assisting with the Hunt Club Park quarterly newsletters; i.e. writing articles, editing and photography
- Special events planning and helping out on the day of the event
- Web design (and maintenance) and social media
- Youth and senior representatives
- Help with the two local ice rinks

Community improvements start with you. Significant changes are taking place across

the City that impact our Community. The commencement of the LRT is expected to bring operational improvements at the local level. We need to keep OC Transpo accountable. We need to monitor how the return to community policing will impact our community. We need to be engaged in the consultation process organized by the City of Ottawa as they prepare the New Official Plan that will help them create the plans and policies that will guide the growth of Ottawa. The Official Plan Review Process will take place over two years and is expected to conclude with a vote by City Council in March 2021.

To find out more about the HCPA, please check out our website at: <http://www.huntclubpark.org> or our FaceBook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/huntclubpark/> ■

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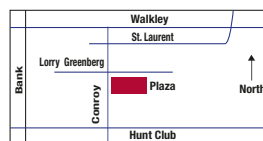
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# Summer Sizzling 2019 - Thank You



On June 22, 2019 the Ottawa Hunt Club Park community hosted its annual Summer Sizzling festival at Elizabeth Manley Park. It was an opportunity to connect with the community on a beautiful and hot day.

The festival featured many activities. The main attraction at the Festival was the landing of the Orange Air Ambulance. The crew showcased and explained the air ambulance

services available across Ontario. Their departure from Elizabeth Manley park was as exciting as its landing.

The festival offered a line up of activities for both adults and children including a horse drawn carriage ride, a bouncy castle for the younger children, and amazing face painting. Students from the John Leroux's World KarateFit delivered a great martial arts demonstration.

We welcomed Constable Brad Burleau along with a few Ottawa Police HoopStars who engaged some children in a game of basketball. The 137th Ottawa Scouts came with S'mores and organized games. The community also had an opportunity to connect with David McGuinty, as well as representatives from John Fraser's office.

We can't forget about the pools which were open to everyone to





enjoy. A big thank you to everyone's best friend "Mother Nature" who brought us excellent weather and joy to everyone.

A special thanks go to our dedicated sponsors: Dr. Vineet Sidhu of Family Dental Care, Frank Gualtieri of Canopy Insurance Services, Todd Morin of Investors Group and Libnan Bakery, and David McGuinty, MP Ottawa South. We also

thank all the community members of the Hunt Club Park Community Association who came out to make this event a success. A special thanks as well to the families and friends who came out to make it a success.

We look forward to seeing residents and friends of the Hunt Club Park community at the WINTER SNOWBLAST event in February 2020. ■



## HERE TO HELP

Please contact my community office if you require assistance with the following:

- Birth, death and marriage certificates
- OHIP cards
- Driver's licenses
- Congratulatory messages
- Landlord or Tenant concerns
- Family Responsibility Office
- The Legislative Page Program
- General inquiries regarding provincial programs



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If I can ever be of assistance to you, on any federal matter, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Mon bureau vous renseigne sur les services offerts par le gouvernement du Canada, notamment:

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Si jamais je peux vous aider, n'hésitez pas à contacter mon bureau.

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# Hello Hunt Club Park Residents!

The weather is getting cooler, the kids are headed back to school, and fall is just around the corner! With so much going on, here is a quick look at what is happening in our community.

## New Police Chief

I am thrilled to announce that this fall the Ottawa Police Service will have a new Chief of Police, Peter Sloly! Mr. Sloly comes to Ottawa with more than 25 years of policing experience. As a former Deputy Chief of the Toronto Police Service, he has an impressive record of success. His passion for community and determination to make needed changes to policing make him someone that the public and members of the OPS can get behind. Mr. Sloly will assume the Chief position in late October. I look forward to introducing you to Mr. Sloly in the coming months.

## Budget 2020

It is the time of year again when Ottawa City Council will begin to consider the 2020 budget directions. As part of the process, I want to hear from you! Your input is critical to help inform my decisions and to better understand your priorities. As in previous years, I will be hosting a public consultation session in advance of the Draft Budget which will be tabled on November 6. The date for this meeting has not yet been determined, but will be posted on my website and in my e-Newsletter in the coming weeks.

Further opportunities for the public to provide input prior to budget tabling will be available through Engage Ottawa, the City's online engagement platform. You can also send your budget suggestions di-

rectly to my office via email at [diane.deans@ottawa.ca](mailto:diane.deans@ottawa.ca) or by phone at 613-580-2480.

## O-Train Confederation Line launched

On Saturday, September 14, the O-Train Confederation Line opened for service at all 13 stations, from Tunney's Pasture Station in the west to Blair Station in the east! In order to integrate the local bus

network, a new schedule will roll out on Oct. 6. For more details, travel planning assistance and new timetables, visit [octranspo.com](http://octranspo.com). ■



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