

# Municipal Newsletter

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## Council Meeting Schedule

### Committee of the Whole Meeting

Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Municipal Office @ 5:00 p.m.

### Council Meeting

Monday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Municipal Office @ 6:00 p.m.

Agendas are posted on the website [redlake.ca](http://redlake.ca) after 4:00 p.m. one business day preceding the regularly scheduled meeting.

## Board/Committee Meeting Schedule

### Truth & Reconciliation Committee

Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Municipal Office at 12:00 p.m.

### Committee of Adjustment & Planning Advisory Committee

Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Municipal Office at 5:00 p.m.

### Public Library Board

Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Red Lake Library at 6:00 p.m.

### Heritage Centre Board

Wednesday, November 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
Heritage Centre at 6:00 p.m.

### OPP Detachment Board

Wednesday, November 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024  
OPP Board Room at 3:00 p.m.

### Red Lake/Ear Falls Joint Community Safety & Well-Being Committee

TBD

All meetings are open to the Public



Change Your Clocks Back ✓ Check Smoke Detector Batteries ✓

**LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT** - We, the Municipality of Red Lake acknowledge that our foundation and the spaces in which we live and maintain are on the lands of the Anishinaapek of Red Lake; the traditional lands of Lac Seul and Wabauskang First Nations, and Treaty 3 territory. As we are all Treaty people, we will continue to cherish the reciprocity of all our relationships on these sacred Lands and Waters.

## New Student Councillor

We would like to welcome Carleigh McKenzie-Marcellais as the new Student Councillor for the Municipality of Red Lake. Student Councillor McKenzie-Marcellais will be participating in monthly Council and Committee of the Whole Meetings where she will have the opportunity to provide input and updates from the youth of Red Lake.

We look forward to working Student Councillor Carleigh McKenzie-Marcellais!



## User Fees and Charges By-Law

NOTICE is hereby given that Council has adopted a User Fees and Charges By-Law at its Regular Meeting of Council held on Monday, October 21, 2024. All fees will be effective January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025.

**New for 2025:** There are now non-resident fees included within the Tariff of Fees. Non-resident fees will apply to any person who does not live within the Municipal boundaries. An exception to the non-resident fee will be made for persons under the age of 18 who are a non-resident but while in the area, are residing with a resident. These fees are designed to ensure fairness between residents and non-residents as residents contribute to these services through property taxes in addition to the user fees. Please note: you may be required to show proof of residency when paying for municipal products / services subject to the non-resident fee. Proof of residency can include photo identification with a civic address, copy of a property tax or utility bill, or rental receipt that shows the civic address.

Non-resident fees will apply to ice rentals, facility rentals, Recreation Centre memberships, cemetery charges and transfer station charges.

A copy of the fees and charges is available for inspection in the Office of the Clerk, Monday to Friday, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. or on the municipal website at [www.redlake.ca](http://www.redlake.ca).

## Proclamation

As Mayor of the  
Municipality of Red Lake  
I hereby proclaim

**November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024**

as

**“International Day for the  
Elimination of Violence  
Against Women”**

in the Municipality of Red Lake

Fred Mota

## Employment Opportunities

The Municipality of Red Lake is currently accepting applications for the following positions:

- Equipment Operator 1
- Mechanic
- Arena Helpers / Rink Rats
- Municipal Planner
- Infrastructure Supervisor
- Customer Service & Administration Clerk
- Economic Development Officer
- Fire Chief & Chief Building Official
- Casual Front Desk Attendant
- Facilities Maintenance

Please visit the municipal website at [redlake.ca](http://redlake.ca) for more information and detailed job descriptions.

## Red Lake Firefighters Ball

Join the Red Lake Firefighter’s Association at their Annual Ball! There will be dinner, dancing and an auction.

When: November 23, 2024 - Doors Open at 5:00 pm, Dinner at 6:30 pm

Where: Red Lake Legion

Tickets: Station 105, Red Lake Marine, Antonio’s Balmertown Variety - \$65

## Annual Seniors Christmas Dinner

We hope you can join us for the 52<sup>nd</sup> Annual Seniors’ Christmas Dinner where you can enjoy a lovely turkey dinner and live entertainment to welcome in the Christmas season. The dinner will be held at the Red Lake Legion on **Tuesday, November 26, 2024**. Dinner will be served at 6:00 pm and doors will be open at 5:00 pm.

If you are sick and not able to attend in-person at the Legion, you can request a take-out dinner by calling Karleen at 807-728-2269 no later than Friday, November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024.

Complimentary transportation will be provided by Red Lake Taxi and departs at 5:15 pm from the following locations:

- Follansbee Apartments
- George Aiken Manor
- Legion Villa

## Call for Committee Members

We are looking for individuals to serve on the following Committees:

- Planning Advisory Committee / Committee of Adjustment / Property Standards Committee (1 Member) – Applications accepted until filled.
- Red Lake Public Library Board (1 Member) – Applications accepted until filled.

Appointment is for the remainder of the term ending November 14, 2026.

Application forms and each Committee’s mandate are available on our website at [redlake.ca](http://redlake.ca).

## Updates from Truth & Reconciliation Committee

The Municipality of Red Lake established a Truth & Reconciliation Committee in June 2021 with a mandate to provide leadership, education and action on Municipal responses to the Truth & Reconciliation Commission of Canada's Calls to Action. Projects the Committee has and continues to work on:

- Land Acknowledgement Statement is read aloud at all Council and Committee Meetings and displayed at all Municipal Facilities.
  - Collaborate with community partners in organizing various community education events.
  - Finalized design for new welcome sign at Harry's Corner which includes indigenous language and syllabics. Installation of sign to occur in Spring 2025.
  - Provide input as it relates to cultural components in Norseman Park upgrades (teepee and meditation area complete in 2024, with turtle area and seven teachings area to follow).
  - Recommend Council name a new street with Indigenous language – Kanawenim Drive (off Hughes Crescent)
  - Mandatory reconciliation education for all municipal staff.
  - Recommend Anti-Racism and Inclusion Policy for approval by Council.
  - Recommend Mayor and CAO sign the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan Advisory Committee's Diversity and Inclusion Accord on behalf of the Municipality of Red Lake.
  - Survivors' Flag flown at half-mast at Phillip Thomas Vinet Centennial Park on National Day for Truth and Reconciliation for a period as determined by the Committee.
  - Organized Lunch and Learns for Municipal Staff in the week leading up to National Day for Truth and Reconciliation.
  - Drafting Reconciliation Action Plan.
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## 55+ Age-Friendly Mondays are back!

Join us every Monday to meet up with your peers and learn about various topics of interest.

**Place:** Red Lake Heritage Centre

**Time:** 10:30 am – 1:00 pm

Come on out to learn something new, make new friends and enjoy a FREE light lunch.

For more information or to be added to the Age-Friendly distribution list, contact our Age-Friendly Program Coordinator at [agefriendly@redlake.ca](mailto:agefriendly@redlake.ca) or call (807) 728-2205.

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## No Parking By-Law in effect November 1<sup>st</sup>

Effective November 1<sup>st</sup> until April 30<sup>th</sup> there is no parking on any street between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 7:00 a.m. within the Municipality of Red Lake (Cochenour Townsite is exempt).

As per the Snow or Ice By-Law, No person shall leave any basketball net or any other items on a Highway, Sidewalk or Boulevard that will interfere or obstruct snow removal operations. Now is a good time to start cleaning properties in preparation for snow removal – this includes ALL Municipally owned roads and laneways. Campers, trailers, snowmachines, boats, basketball nets, etc. on roadways and laneways interfere with snow removal.

Thank you for your cooperation in removing these items from roads and lanes as soon as possible.

This Events Calendar is developed in partnership with Chukuni Communities Development Corporation (CCDC). To submit a community event please contact the CCDC office at 727-3275 or email [info@chukuni.com](mailto:info@chukuni.com)  
All events listed are up-to-date at date of printing and are subject to change. For up-to-date schedule and event details please visit [www.chukuni.com](http://www.chukuni.com) or [www.redlake.ca](http://www.redlake.ca)

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
PTVCP – Phillip Thomas Vinet Centennial Park RLCC – Red Lake Community Centre RLDALC – Red Lake District Adult Learning Centre RLDHS – Red Lake District High School RLIFC – Red Lake Indian Friendship Centre RLRHC – Red Lake Regional Heritage Centre		<b>CONTACTS:</b> Red Lake Community Centre Programs: <a href="http://redlake.ca">redlake.ca</a> / 727-2064 Evolution Recreation Centre Programs: <a href="http://evolutionrecreationcentre.com">evolutionrecreationcentre.com</a> / 735-8914			1 PD Day Wrapped in Courage Flag Raising @ PTVCP Minor Hockey RL Miners Home v. Islanders	2 Minor Hockey Figure Skating Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena Recreation Hockey RLWES Tim Hicks Poppy Day Tea @ Legion
3 Figure Skating Minor Hockey	4 Age-Friendly Monday @ RLRHC Minor Hockey Parent Relief Program – Turtle Hurdle @ RLIFC Infant Massage Class – Red Lake EarlyON Child & Family Centre	5 Drum to the Beat @ RLCC Minor Hockey Recreation Hockey	6 Senior Power Hour @ RLCC Minor Hockey	7 Figure Skating 55+ Strength and Stretch @ RLCC Step Class @ RLCC Beaded Poppy Workshop @ RLDALC Radio Bingo	8 Minor Hockey Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena RL Miners Away v. FF Lakers	9 Yoga @ RLCC Minor Hockey Figure Skating Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena Recreation Hockey RL Miners Away v. FF Lakers
10 Figure Skating Minor Hockey	11 <b>REMEMBRANCE DAY</b> Ceremonies @ Legion  WE REMEMBER Minor Hockey Parent Relief Program – Turtle Hurdle @ RLIFC Infant Massage Class – Red Lake EarlyON Child & Family Centre	12 Hiit the Step Class @ RLCC Strength Class @ RLCC Drum to the Beat @ RLCC Minor Hockey Recreation Hockey RL Miners Away v. Islanders	13 Senior Power Hour @ RLCC Minor Hockey	14 Figure Skating Radio Bingo RL Art Show Opens @ RLRHC	15 Minor Hockey Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena RL Art Show @ RLRHC Christmas Winter Wonderland Craft Show @ Legion RL Miners Home v. Lumber Jacks	16 Minor Hockey Figure Skating Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena Recreation Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC Christmas Winter Wonderland Craft Show @ Legion CIM Lobsterspiel RL Miners Home v. Lumber Jacks
17 Figure Skating Minor Hockey SJS Christmas Market	18 Age-Friendly Monday @ RLRHC Minor Hockey Parent Relief Program – Turtle Hurdle @ RLIFC Infant Massage Class – Red Lake EarlyON Child & Family Centre RL Art Show @ RLRHC	19 Hiit the Step Class @ RLCC Drum to the Beat @ RLCC Minor Hockey Recreation Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC	20 Senior Power Hour @ RLCC Minor Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC	21 Figure Skating 55+ Strength and Stretch @ RLCC Step Class @ RLCC Radio Bingo RL Art Show @ RLRHC	22 Minor Hockey Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena RL Art Show @ RLRHC RL Miners Home v. Bombers	23 Yoga @ RLCC Minor Hockey Figure Skating Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena Recreation Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC Firefighters Ball @ Legion RL Miners Away v. Bombers
24 Figure Skating Minor Hockey	25 Age-Friendly Monday @ RLRHC Minor Hockey Parent Relief Program – Turtle Hurdle @ RLIFC Infant Massage Class – Red Lake EarlyON Child & Family Centre RL Art Show @ RLRHC Purple Shirt Day RL Miners Away v. North Stars	26 Hiit the Step Class @ RLCC Minor Hockey Recreation Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC Seniors' Christmas Dinner @ Legion RL Miners Away v. North Stars	27 Senior Power Hour @ RLCC Minor Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC	28 Figure Skating 55+ Strength and Stretch @ RLCC Step Class @ RLCC Radio Bingo RL Art Show @ RLRHC	29 Minor Hockey Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena RL Art Show @ RLRHC Patricia Players	30 Yoga @ RLCC Minor Hockey Figure Skating Open Skate @ Arena Pay to Play @ Arena Recreation Hockey RL Art Show @ RLRHC Patricia Players Pub Quiz Night @ RLRHC