

# Municipal Newsletter

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## MUNICIPAL OFFICE

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807-727-2597

## Council Meeting Schedule

Committee of the Whole Meeting  
Monday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Municipal Office @ 5:00 p.m.

Council Meeting  
Monday, July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Municipal Office @ 5:00 p.m.

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

## Board/Committee Meeting Schedule

Heritage Centre Board  
Wednesday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Heritage Centre at 6:00 p.m.

Public Library Board  
Wednesday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Red Lake Library at 6:00 p.m.

Truth & Reconciliation Committee  
Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Municipal Office at 12:00 p.m.

Committee of Adjustment & Planning Advisory Committee  
Tuesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Municipal Office at 5:00 p.m.

Red Lake – Ear Falls OPP Detachment Board  
Thursday, July 16<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
Municipal Office at 3:00 p.m.

Red Lake/Ear Falls Joint Community Safety & Well-Being Committee  
Thursday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2026  
Municipal Office at 2:00 p.m.

All meetings are open to the Public

**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.



**JUNE IS NATIONAL SAFETY MONTH**

**BE PREPARED**  
Plan ahead and be ready for emergencies.

**DRIVE SAFE**  
Buckle up, avoid distractions, and obey traffic laws.

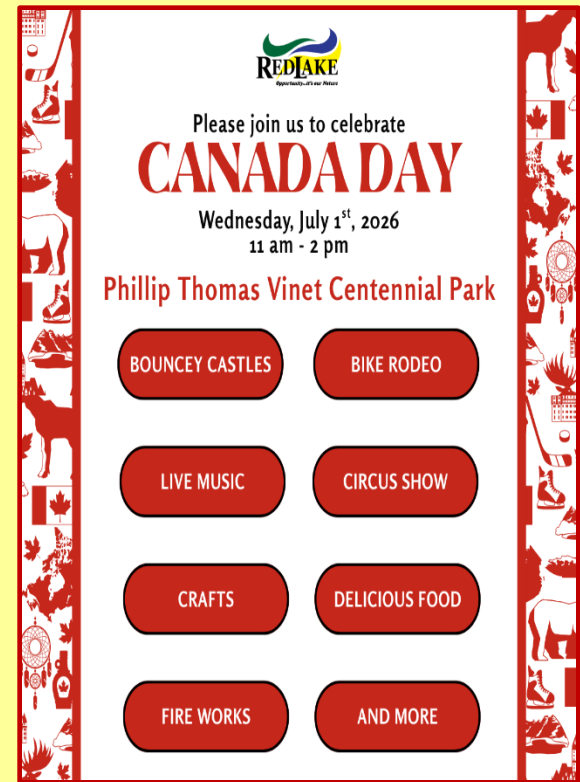
**STAY SAFE AT HOME**  
Prevent hazards and practice safety every day.

**PROTECT YOURSELF & OTHERS**  
Look out for one another and speak up about safety.

*Working Together FOR A SAFER COMMUNITY*

**SAFETY STARTS WITH ALL OF US**

**SAFETY TODAY. HEALTHY TOMORROW.**  
*Every Choice Matters.*



Please join us to celebrate **CANADA DAY**  
Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026  
11 am - 2 pm

**Phillip Thomas Vinet Centennial Park**

BOUNCY CASTLES    BIKE RODEO

LIVE MUSIC    CIRCUS SHOW

CRAFTS    DELICIOUS FOOD

FIRE WORKS    AND MORE

Red Lake's **NORSEMAN FESTIVAL**  
JULY 17 - 19, 2026



Enjoy the Norseman Festival with fun for everyone!  
Family Activities, Live Bands, Beer Tent,  
Vendor Market, Food Trucks, Fish Fry,  
Pancake Breakfast, Rib Fest, Fireworks, Float Pumping

Wristbands will be available for advance purchase at CCDC  
Monday to Friday 8 am to 4 pm



## Facility Closures

All municipal facilities are **CLOSED** Wednesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026, with the exception of the Red Lake Community Centre from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. for the Canada Day Festivities.

# Employment Opportunities

Interested in applying for a position with the Municipality of Red Lake? Job descriptions for the positions below are available at [www.redlake.ca](http://www.redlake.ca).

### Fire Chief

Status: Full-time (40 hrs / week)  
Annual Salary: \$120,000 - \$140,000  
Requirement: Valid DZ Driver's License

### Programming Assistant

Status: Casual  
Hourly Wage: \$25.00

### Equipment Operator II

Status: Full-time  
Hourly Wage: \$30.56  
Requirement: Valid DZ Driver's License

### Municipal Support Clerk

Status: Contract (12 months)  
Hourly Wage: \$25.16

### Public Works Supervisor

Status: Full-time (40 hrs / week)  
Annual Salary: \$80,000 - \$90,000

### Gardener

Status: Seasonal-Casual  
Hourly Wage: \$22.46

All prospective employees please submit your resume via email, in-person or by mail. Accommodations for job applicants with disability are available upon request.

For more information, please contact Erika Burfoot at (807)735-2096 or via email at [careers@redlake.ca](mailto:careers@redlake.ca).

# Upcoming Events RLIFC

Red Lake Indian Friendship Centre has a few events and services being provided in July! Please see the events calendar on page 2.

Food bank every Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Pride Window Decorating – decorate your window every month and win a prize! Send in submissions to [diversity2@rlifc.ca](mailto:diversity2@rlifc.ca).

Students looking for summer employment, please reach out to [careers2@rlifc.ca](mailto:careers2@rlifc.ca) for assistance.

# Getting Married?

The Municipality offers Marriage Commissioner Services for Civil Marriage Ceremonies. These are non-denominational and dignified marriage ceremonies which adhere to the requirements of the *Marriage Act* for the Province of Ontario.

If you are interested in using our Marriage Commissioner services please note that our Marriage Commissioners book up fast, so we recommend **BOOKING EARLY!**



# Planning to vote in the municipal election on **October 26**?

## Get on the voters list!

You can check, update or add yourself to the voters list with our online tool until **August 12**, or directly with your municipality after this date.



For information on eligibility and to register, visit [RegisterToVoteON.ca](http://RegisterToVoteON.ca).





**CHUKUNI**  
Communities Development Corporation

# Events Calendar

# July 2026

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
RLCC – Red Lake Community Centre RLIFC – Red Lake Indian Friendship Centre RLRHC – Red Lake Regional Heritage Centre RLGCC – Red Lake Golf & Country Club NSW – New Starts for Women			<sup>1</sup> Fish for Free (Canadian Residents) Canada Day Celebrations – Centennial Park Paint a Square - RLRHC  All Municipal Facilities Closed except RLCC 11am-2pm (gym closed all day)	<sup>2</sup> Fish for Free (Canadian Residents) Summer Pickleball – Rahill	<sup>3</sup> Fish for Free (Canadian Residents) Food Box Order Due – RLIFC The Garage - NSW Meat Draw @ Legion	<sup>4</sup> Fish for Free (Canadian Residents)
<sup>5</sup> Fish for Free (Canadian Residents) French Café – Tim Horton's	<sup>6</sup> Blood Pressure Clinic – RLIFC Summer Camp Starts - RLIFC	<sup>7</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill In-Person Prenatal Classes - NWHU The Garage - NSW Jada Siwak Book Release - RLRHC	<sup>8</sup> In-Person Prenatal Classes – NWHU Food Bank - RLIFC	<sup>9</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill	<sup>10</sup> Meat Draw @ Legion The Garage - NSW	<sup>11</sup> CIM Annual Golf Tournament - RLGCC
<sup>12</sup>	<sup>13</sup> Blood Pressure Clinic - RLIFC	<sup>14</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill In-Person Prenatal Classes - NWHU The Garage - NSW	<sup>15</sup> Food Box Order Pick-up - RLIFC In-Person Prenatal Classes - NWHU Food Bank - RLIFC	<sup>16</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill Norseman Festival Home Run Derby	<sup>17</sup> Norseman Festival Norseman Festival Slo-Pitch Tournament The Garage - NSW Rabbit & Bear Paws Puppet Show – Centennial Park Meat Draw @ Legion Toy Story 5 - RLRHC	<sup>18</sup> Norseman Festival Norseman Festival Slo-Pitch Tournament French Board Games Handcrafted: The Keepers of Cultural Heritage Exhibit - RLRHC
<sup>19</sup> Norseman Festival Norseman Festival Slo-Pitch Tournament	<sup>20</sup> DriveTest - Legion Blood Pressure Clinic - RLIFC	<sup>21</sup> DriveTest - Legion Summer Pickleball – Rahill The Garage - NSW	<sup>22</sup> Annual General Meeting - RLIFC Food Bank - RLIFC	<sup>23</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill Ojibwe Tea - RLIFC	<sup>24</sup> The Garage - NSW Meat Draw @ Legion	<sup>25</sup>
<sup>26</sup>	<sup>27</sup>	<sup>28</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill The Garage - NSW	<sup>29</sup> Food Bank - RLIFC	<sup>30</sup> Summer Pickleball – Rahill Pride Window Contest	<sup>31</sup> The Garage - NSW Meat Draw @ Legion	

# 2026 Waste & Recycling Collection Schedule

July				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

August				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

September				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

October				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

November				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

December				
Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30	31	

**Red Lake** – Residential Garbage  
**Madsen/Starratt Olsen** – Residential Garbage  
**McKenzie Island** – Residential Garbage  
**Red Lake** – Commercial Garbage  
**Balmertown** – Commercial Garbage  
**Cochenour** – Commercial Garbage

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**Cochenour** – Residential Garbage  
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**Red Lake** – Commercial Recycling  
**Chukuni Subdivision** – Residential Garbage

**Balmertown** – Residential Recycling  
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**Cochenour** – Residential Recycling

## WHAT CAN I RECYCLE?

**NEW ITEMS Effective Jan. 1, 2026**

**Metal** - food and beverage cans, aluminum foil and containers, caps and lids, aerosol containers



**Papers** - envelopes, newsprint, paper



**Cardboard** - cereal boxes, egg cartons, corrugated cardboard, paper towel rolls, tetra paks, pet food bags



**Glass Containers**



**Plastics** - containers, bottles, wrapping for food products, drinks, cosmetics, personal hygiene products, toothpaste tubes, deodorant



List of new items accepted Jan. 1, 2026 →



## Recycling & Waste Collection Tips

- ✓ Sort recyclable materials from garbage and organics
- ✓ Flatten and bundle cardboard
- ✓ Empty and rinse containers
- ✓ Keep materials loose
- ✓ Place items 1m from roadway
- ✓ Place waste in a bin with bag tag or cover with blanket the morning of pickup

# The Corporation of the Municipality of Red Lake



## Vulnerable Sector Emergency Registration Form

The Corporation of The Municipality of Red Lake invites residents who require **special assistance** to participate in providing valuable information to the Municipality in the event of a Community Emergency.

Examples of those that are **most vulnerable in an emergency situation**:

- the elderly;
- disabled;
- special medical requirements;
- live alone and no local support network; and/or
- lack of transportation.

**The Clerk's Office maintains a listing of the Vulnerable Sector Emergency Registration Forms. If you previously completed a Vulnerable Sector Emergency Registration Form, you are not required to complete another one, unless your information requires an update.**

Completed forms may be submitted as follows:

In person, mail, fax, email or online.

2 Fifth Street, P.O. Box 1000, Balmertown, Ontario, P0V 1C0

Phone: (807) 735-2096

Fax: (866) 681-2954

Email: [municipality@redlake.ca](mailto:municipality@redlake.ca)

Website: [www.redlake.ca](http://www.redlake.ca)

The Vulnerable Sector Emergency Registration Form is available in accessible format on our website at [www.redlake.ca](http://www.redlake.ca).

Large Font applications are available at the Municipal Office.

If you require assistance in completing this form, please contact the Municipal Office at (807) 735-2096.

In addition to completing this form, all residents are strongly encouraged to sign up to receive **Emergency Alerts**. These alerts can be sent via text, phone call (including landlines) and email. Register by visiting [www.redlake.ca](http://www.redlake.ca) or by phoning (807)735-2096.



The Corporation of the Municipality of Red Lake  
Vulnerable Sector Emergency Registration Form

It is the responsibility of the participant to provide updated information, as necessary.

<b>General Information</b>						
Name:	Last Name		First Name			
Address:	No.	Street	Townsite		Unit/Apt. #	
Telephone:				Cell Phone:		
Emergency Contact:	Name		Telephone		Cell Phone	
Common Entrance to Home:	Circle one	Front	Back	Side	Other: Please Specify	
<b>Special Assistance Information</b>						
Please check all that apply:						
Vision Impairment:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Total Vision Loss	<input type="checkbox"/>	Partial Vision Loss		
Hearing Impairment:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Total Hearing Loss	<input type="checkbox"/>	Partial Hearing Loss		
Mobility:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Total Immobility	<input type="checkbox"/>	Partial Immobility		
There is <input type="checkbox"/> Wheelchair Availability <input type="checkbox"/> Stair Lift <input type="checkbox"/> Elevator Access <input type="checkbox"/> Ramp at your residence						
<input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Disability						
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Medical Condition						
<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health						
<input type="checkbox"/> Other, please specify:						
<input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty with Speech or Language – Please specify:						
<b>Life-Sustaining Equipment Information</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Ventilator	<input type="checkbox"/> Oxygen	<input type="checkbox"/> Dialysis	Other, please specify:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Require electricity for Life-Sustaining Equipment						
<input type="checkbox"/> Require electricity after _____ hour(s) to remain safe						
<b>Other Important Information</b>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Live alone						
<input type="checkbox"/> No local support network						
<input type="checkbox"/> No transportation						
<input type="checkbox"/> No one to provide transportation						

Notice with respect to Collection of Personal Information:

Personal information collected is protected under the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection to Privacy Act (MFIPPA) R.S.O. 1990, c. M56, as amended, and under the legal authority of the Fire Protection and Prevention Act, 1997, S.O. 1997, c. 4, Part II.

This information will be used by the Municipality for the purpose of responding to the needs of residents who require special assistance in the event of a community emergency and to assist the Fire Dept. in the event of an emergency situation at the residence within the Municipality of Red Lake.

Questions regarding collection of this information may be directed to Christine Goulet, Clerk, at (807) 735-2096.

Updated March 2022