



# Happening In Oxford

Your monthly newsletter about our town!  
April 2025



Town Website: [oxfordns.ca](http://oxfordns.ca) – Rec FB Page: [facebook.com/townofoxfordrec](https://facebook.com/townofoxfordrec)

## Welcome!

We are pleased to bring back a monthly newsletter that highlights the events and activities happening in our beloved town.

For a complete list of events and activities, check the Community Calendar posted on the town website (click on Recreation on the home page) or on our Town of Oxford Recreation Facebook page.

As your MPAL (Municipal Physical Activity Leader, AKA Recreation Director), I am working as hard as I can to organize events and activities, but to also promote the wonderful things already happening. Is there an event or group's activities I've missed? Please let me know and I'll get it posted ASAP!  
[mpal@oxfordns.ca](mailto:mpal@oxfordns.ca) or 905 614 0645.

Enjoy your Easter chocolates and I'll see you around town! – Marion Abbott

## Magical Easter Gardening Saturday April 19th

9am–10am  
outside the Town Hall

Children ages 1–4 (and their parents) are invited for magical Easter gardening fun!

\*older siblings are welcome to observe\*



## The Easter Games!

Saturday April 19th

2pm–5pm at The Oxford Arena

All families are invited to The Oxford Easter Games! There will be 15 Easter games for children of all ages and abilities to play. For every five they complete, they'll win a prize! Games include Feed The Bunny, Spring Fever, Gobbling Eggs and Pelt The Pesky Fox (With Marshmallows 😊).

Laughter and smiles are guaranteed!



# Mayor's Corner

As I write this the sun is shining and while the air still has a cool bite to it, spring seems to be around the corner. One thing can be said about the winter's snow, it covers up a lot of general untidiness. With Earth Day fast approaching, (April 22) it seems like a good time to start that spring clean up we all talk about but sometimes rarely get around to completing. A few years ago, when it was announced that CBC's Still Standing was coming to Oxford to film an episode, the town enjoyed a clean up that involved a lot of citizens pitching in to "do their part" so Oxford could put its best foot forward. We might not have a nationally broadcast TV show coming to town to film anything this year it would be fantastic if the town looked like it was. We can all do our part to "Put Waste In its Place".

I was asked recently about unsightly premises and why the town did not step in to address the matter. For the town to start any sort of corrective measures, it first needs to receive a formal complaint from a citizen. Complaints of this nature can be emailed to [cao@oxfordns.ca](mailto:cao@oxfordns.ca).

Parking has proved to be a bit of a topic over the last week or so, but by keeping an open line of communication the matter was resolved. Just a reminder for those who park downtown all day that utilizing the town parking lots will leave more open parking spaces for those every so important customers who keep our downtown core going.

I wish you and your families a very happy Easter Season.

Mayor Greg Henley



## Comedy Night

Saturday April 26th

7:30pm – Capitol Theatre

Support the building of our new community centre by laughing!

Tickets \$30 – adults only  
[oxfordcomedy@night@gmail.com](mailto:oxfordcomedy@night@gmail.com)  
for more info



## Easter Worship Services

The churches of Oxford are offering an array of Easter Worship Services. Please call to confirm dates and times.

All Souls Anglican Church  
902-447-2426

Oxford Church of the Nazarene  
(902) 447-2539

Oxford Baptist Church  
(902) 447-3367

St James Presbyterian Church  
(902) 447-3013

Trinity United Church  
(902) 447-2541

## Spring Programs For Youth!

Programs include co-ed floor hockey, drawing and painting class, media club, pop choir, craft club, co-ed basketball, indoor soccer and creative play!

Registration opens Tuesday April 1st. You can find information and links to registration forms on the town website and the recreation Facebook page. Or, come into the Town Hall for paper copies. We can't wait to get started!

## Looking Ahead To May ...

**Town Wide Yard Sale & Barbecue with Live Music!**

**Frozen Jr Performances**

**Pottery Making For Adults**

**Friday Night Jams**

