

DELTA PILOT.



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NEWS from the LOWER BEVERLEY LAKE ASSOCIATION

The **Annual General Meeting** will be held on Wednesday, July 8th at 7:00 p.m. at the Delta Fair Exhibit Hall. Refreshments will be served at 6:30 p.m. The guest speaker for the evening will be Michael Runtz and his topic will be Dam Builders: The Natural History of Beavers and their Ponds. He is one of Canada's most highly respected naturalists, nature photographers, and natural history authors. A birdwatcher since the age of five, he has lived, breathed and worked with nature all his life. Professionally, Michael has worked as a naturalist in Canada's national and provincial parks, and has performed numerous biological surveys, including one on the rare Peregrine Falcon. Members of the general public are welcome to attend.



You can learn all about the **Osprey and Bald Eagle Recovery Program** by coming to see Bud Andress at the Bradford Pavilion in Lower Beverley Lake Park on July 18th at 11:00 a.m. The presentation will provide details about the complete recovery of the osprey population and the fact that the bald eagle continues to recover on both shores from the 1000 Islands. Inland residents on Upper and Lower Beverley Lakes will be able to appreciate the information provided whereas the same recovery has been taking place on 'the back lakes' for over 30 years following the DDT contaminant era of the 1940's through to the early 1970's. Many organizations and people have been involved in active habitat management and research of these species which has assisted the recovery process.

Volunteers are needed to participate in the annual **Clean the Lake** program which will be held on Thursday, August 6th. Volunteers are asked to meet at the Village Boat Launch at 10:00 a.m. A pizza lunch will be provided at the end of the session. Friday, August 7th has been set as the rain date.

Be sure to mark Saturday, August 8th on your calendar as everyone is invited to participate in our **Annual Picnic** at 3:00 p.m. at Kendrick's Park. Join us as we share some fun, games, laughter and food. While you may bring a dish to share, hot dogs and lemonade will be provided.

PIE SALE



Fresh home baked pies will be available for purchase on Saturday, July 11th and Saturday, August 22nd at 10:00 a.m. in the Bradford Pavilion at Lower Beverley Lake Park. This Pie Sale is sponsored by the Delta United Church.

Come early so you will not be disappointed!

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TREASURE HUNT 2015

Children between the ages of 4 and 14 years are invited to attend Vacation Bible School at the Delta Baptist Church.



Held daily between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 11:55 a.m. from July 13th to July 17th, participants will spend their time making crafts, singing, and playing teamwork building games. Participants will learn about love around the world from various Bible characters.

For information or to register, contact Brian at 613-928-2963 or email deltabaptist@gmail.com



VOLUNTEERS MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

More than five million Ontarians volunteer each year and contribute more than 800 million annual volunteer hours in helping Ontario grow stronger. They play a significant role in building strong and diverse communities, and are instrumental in the enrichment of their respective communities across the province.

In 2015, the Ontario Ministry of Citizenship and Immigration recognized 9,000 volunteers across the province through the presentation of Ontario Volunteer Service Awards. The following individuals were recognized with pins and certificates on June 23rd at the Brockville Country Club for their support of Delta based organizations:

Beverley Senior Citizens, Club 460

Elizabeth Gray	10 year pin
Doreen Kelly	10 year pin
Gerald Phillips	10 year pin
Arvin Riskie	10 year pin
Lillian Willison	10 year pin

Community Primary Health Care (CPHC)

Vivian Morris	15 year pin
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Delta Agricultural Society

Yvonne Landon	50 year pin
Anne Nichols	20 year pin
Brian Hart	20 year pin
Kathy Leggett	20 year pin
Cathy Livingston	10 year pin
Heather Young	5 year pin
Connor Pearson	Youth Award
Rebekah Perrin	Youth Award

Delta Beautification Committee

Claire Angerman	20 year pin
Doug Eyre	20 year pin
Mariska Kriebel	5 year pin
Connor Pearson	5 year pin

Delta Maple Syrup Festival

Bruce Ross	20 year pin
Ruth Sheridan-Griffiths	20 year pin
Millard Goodsell	20 year pin
Stephen Ball	15 year pin
Tracy Perrin	15 year pin
Grant Ross	10 year pin
Emily Nichols	Youth Award
Caroline Nichols	Youth Award
William Nichols	Youth Award

Delta Mill Society

Anna Greenhorn	40 year pin
Art Shaw	30 year pin
Mary Freiday	15 year pin
Doug Bond	10 year pin
Ken Watson	10 year pin
Dann Michols	5 year pin
Matt Okum	5 year pin

Lower Beverley Lake Park Management Board

Mary Ellen Moulton	10 year pin
Peter Palmer	10 year pin
Donald Biccum	5 year pin
Penny Biccum	5 year pin
Paul Kellogg	5 year pin
Hazel Wykes	5 year pin



Delta Fair

185th Anniversary Edition

July 23rd - 26th

SHOW LOCATIONS

Animal Land (A)	Cattle Barn (C)	Horse Ring (H)	Main Stage (M)
Band Shell (B)	Goat / Sheep Barn (G)	Infield (I)	Pavilion (P)

THURSDAY, JULY 23rd

9:00 a.m.	Homecraft / Ag. Produce Judging
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A)
12:00 p.m.	Mini King & Queen Pageant (I)
1:00 p.m.	Clarol the Clown Magic Show (B)
1:00 p.m.	Horse Drawn Wagon Rides
1:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
2:00 p.m.	Children's Races (M)
3:00 p.m.	Clarol the Clown Magic Show (B)
3:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
5:00 p.m.	Ambassador Pageant (M)
5:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
6:30 p.m.	Official Opening (M)
	Announcement of Ambassador
	Citizen of the Year Announcement
7:00 p.m.	Jimmy Flynn Comedy Show (M)
	Mature themed show
8:30 p.m.	Texas Tuxedo (M)
9:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
11:00 p.m.	Grounds Closed

FRIDAY, JULY 24th

10:00 a.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Open
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A)
	Bowmanville Exotic Animal Display (A)
	With Camel Rides
12:00 p.m.	Ry-Guy Magic Show (B)
12:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
1:00 p.m.	Scavenger Hunt (I)
1:00 p.m.	Big Time Pro-Wrestling 2015 (M)
1:00 p.m.	Horse Drawn Wagon Rides
2:00 p.m.	Ry-Guy Magic Show (B)
2:00 p.m.	Bob Burtch Band (B)
3:00 p.m.	Fill Your Face Eating Contest (I)
3:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
4:00 p.m.	Ry-Guy Magic Show (B)
5:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
6:00 p.m.	Ry-Guy Magic Show (B)
7:00 p.m.	Motor Madness (M)
7:00 p.m.	Mechanical Bull Challenge (P)
8:30 p.m.	DJ Rock Wizard (P)
9:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
11:00 p.m.	Grounds Closed



Website: www.deltafair.com

SATURDAY, JULY 25th

9:00 a.m.	Leeds 4-H Sheep Club Achievement
9:00 a.m.	Family Horse Show (H)
10:00 a.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Open
10:00 a.m.	Horse Draw (M)
11:00 a.m.	Baby Show (I)
11:00 a.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A)
	Bowmanville Exotic Animal Display (A)
	With Camel Rides
12:00 p.m.	Scavenger Hunt (I)
12:00 p.m.	Goat Show (G)
12:00 p.m.	Leeds County 4-H Cloverbuds (C)
12:30 p.m.	Lucas Wilson Illusionist (B)
1:00 p.m.	Irish Roots (B)
2:00 p.m.	Talent Show (I)
2:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
2:30 p.m.	Lucas Wilson Illusionist (B)
2:00 p.m.	Lawn Mower Races (M)
3:00 p.m.	Irish Roots (B)
4:00 p.m.	Chicken Barbecue (P)
4:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
4:30 p.m.	Lucas Wilson Illusionist (B)
7:00 p.m.	David Frizzell (M)
8:30 p.m.	Auction of Chainsaw Carvings (M)
9:00 p.m.	Yuk Yuk's Comedy Tour (M)
9:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
11:00 p.m.	Grounds Closed

SUNDAY, JULY 26th

9:00 a.m.	Registration for Tractor Pull
9:00 a.m.	Leeds 4-H Dairy Club Achievement
10:00 a.m.	Western Horse Show (H)
10:00 a.m.	Antique Tractor Pull (M)
10:00 a.m.	Main Exhibit Hall Open
11:00 a.m.	Pet Show (I)
11:00 a.m.	Arm Wrestling Registration (P)
12:00 p.m.	Animal Land Opens (A)
12:00 p.m.	Little California (B)
12:00 p.m.	Motorcycle Show and Shine (I)
12:00 p.m.	Arm Wrestling Tournament (P)
12:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
1:00 p.m.	Children's Pedal Tractor Pull (M)
2:00 p.m.	Children's Soccer Shoot (I)
2:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
4:00 p.m.	Chainsaw Log Carving
5:00 p.m.	Main Exhibition Hall Closed
5:00 p.m.	"Cheer for a Year" Raffle Conducted
	\$2080 in LCBO gift cards or \$1800 cash

2015 DELTA FAIR DISCOUNTS



WORLD'S FINEST SHOWS ADVANCED SALE RIDE COUPON



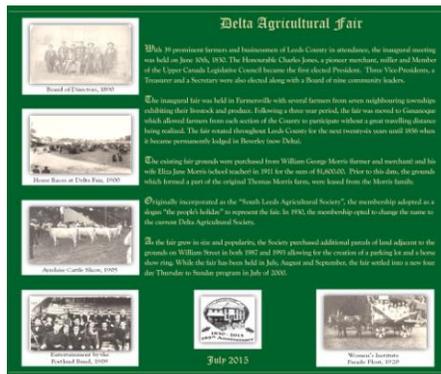
Unlimited Ride Coupon for any one day of the fair: **ONLY \$28**
Purchase the coupon before July 23rd at Lower Beverley Lake Park or Delta Country Market and **Save \$7**

Midway Hours of Operation			
July 23 rd	1:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	July 25 th	11:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
July 24 th	12:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.	July 26 th	12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

4 DAY GATE ADMISSION PASS: Only \$25 in advance

Purchase at Lower Beverley Lake Park or Delta Country Market before July 23rd and **Save \$11**

BEAUTIFICATION NEWS



Thanks to an ongoing partnership between the Lower Beverley Lake Park Management Board and the Delta Beautification Committee, a heritage plaque will soon be installed at the Mill Creek Drive entrance to the Delta Fair Grounds.

This plaque, which is designed to commemorate the 185th Anniversary of the Delta Agricultural Society, will be the seventh in a series of heritage displays in which photos and anecdotes of Delta's history are showcased.

A vote of thanks is extended to all of the volunteers who helped in painting the 2 gazebos, benches and the flower barrels and to those volunteers who helped plant the flowers. The municipal watering program for the flower pots in Delta provides a student to water the flowers every Wednesday and Friday. Assistance is needed in watering the flowers on the alternate days.

Future beautification plans include the enhancement of Stevens Park through the addition of benches, flowering shrubs and another heritage plaque which would honour Elder Abel Stevens, the first settler and founder of Delta. The plaque would also include other photos of the area including the former Beverley Elementary Public School. The Beautification Committee is in search of anyone who has a clear photo of just the school building. Anyone with such a photo is asked to contact Cathy Livingston @613-928-2796 or via email to cathy.livingston@sympatico.ca.

LOOKING TO DISPOSE OF UNWANTED MATERIALS?



The Delta United Church is collecting scrap metal, copper, and lead acid batteries as a fund raising project. Materials may be placed in the container at 34 King Street, Delta. This recycle bin is NOT intended for regular garbage; thank you for your cooperation.
Additional information is available by contacting Mac at 613-928-2353.

LOWER BEVERLEY LAKE PARK
SUMMER of 2015



Events for the Entire Family!

Unless noted otherwise, all events are held at the Bradford Pavilion

Date	Event	Time
Every Saturday Evening June 20 – September 12	Wagon Rides	6:30 p.m.
Every Wednesday (July/August)	Dart League	7:00 p.m.
Every Sunday	Ball Game-Lakersfield Diamond	2:00 p.m.
July 1	Children's Activities with Ice Cream Sundaes	10:00 a.m.
July 3	Teen Dance	8:00 p.m.
July 4	Children's Air Castles	10:00 a.m.
July 4	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
July 10	Movie Night: Walt Disney's 2015 Production, <i>Cinderella</i>	8:30 p.m.
July 11	Pie & Sale	10:00 a.m.
July 18	Kid's Crafts	10:00 a.m.
July 18	LBLA Presentation about the Osprey and Bald Eagle Recovery Program	11:00 a.m.
July 18	Hot Dog Barbeque in support of the Food Bank	12:00 p.m.
July 18	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
July 25	Children's Activities	10:00 a.m.
July 31	Karaoke	7:00 p.m.
August 1	Kid's Bingo	10:00 p.m.
August 1	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
August 2	Fun In the Sun Horseshoe Tournament	9:00 a.m.
August 2	Children's Mini-Putt Challenge with Hot Dog Barbeque	10:00 a.m.
August 2	Entertainment: The Posse	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
August 7	Teen Dance	8:00 p.m.
August 8	Car Show	9:00 a.m.
August 8	Entertainment: The Reasons	10:00 a.m.
August 9	Fiddlers' Plus Jam Session	1:00 p.m.
August 14	Movie Night	8:00 p.m.
August 15	Kid's Crafts	10:00 a.m.
August 15	Bingo	7:00 p.m.
August 22	Craft & Yard Sale	9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
August 22	Pie Sale	10:00 a.m.
August 22-23	Ball Tournament	Daily
August 29	Children's Halloween Party	10:00 a.m.



BREAKFAST AT THE CANTEEN

The Canteen is now open 7 days a week between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 9:00 p.m. A breakfast special is also available every Saturday and Sunday morning at 9:00 a.m. which includes bacon or sausages with eggs, home fries, toast and coffee.

Food services are available for members of the general public as well as campers.

**LOWER BEVERLEY LAKE PARK
SUMMER of 2015-Continued**



ATM

For the convenience of our campers and members of the general public, an automated teller machine has been installed in the Gate House.

PROPANE TANK EXCHANGE PROGRAM

A propane tank exchange program is available for the convenience of our customers and members of the general public. Empty 20 pound tanks may be exchanged for full tanks provided that the tank issuance date is not prior to 2007. Tanks with propane may also be purchased at the Gate House.



DELTA UNITED CHURCH



Effective July 1st, Lynne Gardiner of Brockville will be officially starting her ministry with the Delta-Toledo Pastoral Charge. Lynne has just completed her Master of Divinity degree at Queen's University in Kingston and will be working with the charge to complete her ordination over the next few months. Lynne's first service will be on Sunday, July 12th.

Welcome to the Delta Community Lynne!



Exciting days ahead for the
DELTA ATHLETIC AND RECREATION SOCIETY

A fond farewell has been made to the old asphalt rink surface and construction has begun on the new surface. By the end of July, the new concrete surface, complete with lines for tennis and basketball games, should be ready for use. The new smoother surface will improve the ball hockey experience and make it much easier to maintain a good ice surface throughout the winter.

Once the new rink surface has been completed, additional sporting events and activities will be offered. Suggestions and ideas can be shared with D.A.R.S. by emailing dars.delta@gmail.com.

A base is also being laid for a new storage building which is expected to be constructed in the fall. Volunteers are always welcome to come out and lend a helping hand!

Be sure to watch for upcoming details on the official "Grand Re-Opening" of the facility in the fall. A vote of thanks is once again extended to the all of the community volunteers, the Township of Rideau Lakes and the Ontario Trillium Foundation for their continued support.



MONDAY MORNING COFFEE



Be sure to stop by the United Church Hall for some coffee, donuts and fellowship. This activity is offered every Monday morning as part of the Church's Outreach Program between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. There is no charge for the coffee and donuts but a free will donation is welcomed.

THE FESTIVAL OF SMALL HALLS

Imagine hearing quality, renowned music in small community gathering places frequented hundreds of times for celebrations, weddings, euchre nights, stag and does, and fundraisers. Music drifts out into the cool evening and applause swells from familiar hands. All witness to a celebration of big music in treasured rural spaces across the region. That's the reality of The Festival of Small Halls—welcoming big name musical acts to rural Ontario, while showcasing some great local talent, so music fans can revel in an evening of special music at the community gathering places that residents hold near and dear.



Organizers of The Festival of Small Halls are excited to announce that big name Canadian acts are being welcomed across eastern Ontario and the Upper Ottawa Valley including Juno Award winners, The Strumbellas (www.thestrumbellas.ca) who will be performing at the Old Town Hall on September 25th. The event will offer a pre-show LCBO licensed dinner for \$10. Dinner tickets will be sold separately as will any alcoholic beverages.

Tickets are now available online for this show and other similar musical events starting on June 19. For more information, please visit www.thefestivalofsmallhalls.com.



The Delta Mill Society is hosting a fish fry on Saturday, July 4th at the Old Town Hall. Starting at 4:00 p.m., attendees will be able to enjoy 1 piece of haddock fish, fries, coleslaw, a dinner roll, cheesecake and a beverage for \$12.00 per person. Children up to the age of 12 years may dine for \$8.00 per person. Additional pieces of fish are available at a cost of \$3.00 each. Take-out meals are available.



HAPPY 90TH BIRTHDAY

Alma White

August 21st

HAPPY 60TH ANNIVERSARY
Millard and Irene Goodsell

July 1st





Submission Deadline for the September / October Edition is August 17th, 2015

Delta Agricultural Society

- General Meeting at the Fair Office on July 16th at 7:00 p.m.
- General Meeting at the Fair Office on August 27th at 7:00 p.m.

Delta Baptist Church

- Vacation Bible School from 9:30 a.m. to 11:55 a.m. during the week of July 13th.
- Choir Practice is held every Thursday at 1:30 p.m. New members welcome!

Delta Food Bank

- Open on the second and fourth Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. in the United Church Hall. Call Sharon at 613-928-2885 for information.

Delta Mill Society

- Fish Fry starting at the Old Town Hall on July 4th at 4:00 p.m.
- Fund Raising Dinner with a "Scottish Theme" will be held on August 22nd. The evening will start with appetizers in the "Old Stone Mill" at 6 p.m. followed by a meal and entertainment at 7:00 p.m. in the Old Town Hall.

Delta United Church

- UCW Meeting on third Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m. in the Church Hall.
- Choir Practice is held every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. New members welcome!

Good Food Box

- The Good Food Box offers fresh fruits and vegetables at wholesale prices for all community members. Payment is required on the 7th of the month and delivery is on the 3rd Tuesday. Call Claire at 613-928-2761 for information.

Lower Beverley Lake Association

- Annual General Meeting will be held on July 8th at 7:00 p.m. in the Delta Fair Hall.
- Presentation featuring the Osprey and Bald Eagle Recovery Program will be held on July 18th at 11:00 a.m. in the Bradford Pavilion at Lower Beverley Lake Park.
- Clean the Lake program will be held on August 6th (Rain date of August 7th) at 10:00 a.m.
- Annual Association Picnic will be held at Kendrick's Park on August 8th at 3:00 p.m.

Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #207

- Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Legion Hall.
- Euchre party is held every Friday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Legion Hall.

Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #207 Ladies Auxiliary

- Meetings are held on the third Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. in the Legion Hall.

SUNDAY SERVICES	
Baptist Church	9:30 a.m.
Last Sunday of the month is Children's Sunday	
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United Church & Sunday School	9:15 a.m.

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