

Sunday, March 9, 2025

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March Break Camp

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Cost per day: \$40

Cost for 5 days: \$175

Age: 6-12 years old

Time: 8:30am-4:30pm

March Break Zoo To You

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Come and join the Community Services Department in a Zoo To You experience. Zoo To You is a travelling educational event that is coming to Minden for an hour long session. Participants will get the opportunity to see, hold, interact with the animals while learning fun facts about them. Potentially get your picture taken with them, feel their skin, touch their shells, feed them a meal.

March Break Camp children will be in attendance along with a limited number of additional attendees.

Register before it is too late!

Cost: \$7.50

Open to children 4-15 years old. Adults are permitted to join and wait around perimeter of room.

Participants are expected to arrive at 9:00 a.m. to get set and ready for 9:30 a.m. start with animals.

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Basketball (10+)

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm

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Practice your dribbling, shooting or play a fun game of basketball in a welcoming recreational environment. This is an open drop-in activity for players of all skill level who want to have fun in a non-competitive and friendly environment; participants will organize their own games and share court time.

Welcome for youth aged 10-15 years old.

Daily Cost: Child, Youth \$3.11

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Badminton

Date and Time: Monday, March 10 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

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Come out and join us for some fun and exercise at the SG Nesbitt Memorial Arena.

Our drop-in Badminton program invites all levels of play in a relaxed play environment. Two courts are available to play. Participants are asked to bring clean non-marking indoor shoes.

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Snowshoe Walk

Date and Time: Tuesday, March 11 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Address: SG Nesbitt Memorial Arena (55 Parkside St, Minden)

Work on your cardio while enjoying the great outdoors. Join other like minded individuals in this drop-in program on a walk around the SG Nesbitt Memorial Arena and Minden Fairgrounds.

Snowshoes and registration is located at the SG Nesbitt Memorial Arena Administration Desk.

*snow dependent

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Regular Council Meeting

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Council and Closed Session meetings are currently being conducted in-person (Council Chambers, 7 Milne St., Minden) and with electronic participation.

Meetings begin at 9:00 am unless otherwise noted.

Members of the Public are invited to observe Council proceedings by attending in-person or via the live-stream link on the [Township CivicWeb Portal](#).

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Stay in the game and keep in shape with our shinny program. This non-contact program is for people 16 years of age or older.

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Public Skating

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Address: S.G. Nesbitt Memorial Arena - 55 Parkside Street, Minden

Everyone is welcome to this general lap skating session. Public skating rules apply.

Children 9 years and under are required to wear CSA approved ice-skating helmet. Helmet use for other skaters is strongly recommended.

Daily Cost: Adult \$5.14, Senior \$3.11, Child & Youth \$3.11, Family Pass \$12.43
10 Punch Passes Available

Public Skating

Date and Time: Friday, March 14 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm

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Children 9 years and under are required to wear CSA approved ice-skating helmet. Helmet use for other skaters is strongly recommended.

Daily Cost: Adult \$5.14, Senior \$3.11, Child & Youth \$3.11, Family Pass \$12.43
10 Punch Passes Available

Saturday, March 15, 2025

Archie Stouffer Elementary School 2nd Annual Student Art Exhibition

Date and Time: Saturday, March 15 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

Address: 176 Bobcaygeon Road, Minden

Our 2nd annual Archie Stouffer Student Art Exhibit will celebrate and reflect the rich cultural and natural heritage of The Land Between, the vital and diverse landscape that we call home. The exhibit will be on display from February 13 to March 15, 2025 in the Agnes Jamieson Gallery.

The Township of Minden Hills is part of the traditional territory of the Michi Saagiig and Chippewa Nations, collectively known as the Williams Treaties First Nations, which are Curve Lake, Rama, Hiawatha, Alderville, Scugog Island, Beausoleil and Georgina Island First Nations. We acknowledge a shared presence of Indigenous nations throughout the area, and recognize its original, Indigenous inhabitants as the stewards of its lands and waters since time immemorial.

The Land Between (TLB) was identified as an important landscape in this territory, spanning Parry Sound and Orillia to the Ottawa valley, and sits "between" the Canadian Shield and St. Lawrence Lowlands, harbouring species and features from north and south, but also ones that are unique. TLB is a last stronghold for many wildlife and habitats in southern Ontario, supporting 59 federally listed Species-at-Risk and iconic yet declining wildlife like loon, bear and moose.

Thank you to the Minden Hills Cultural Centre Foundation for donating \$250 to purchase art supplies for the students to use to create their artwork. Awards of Recognition, selected by our jury of local artists, will be handed out in several categories at the Student Artist Reception on Saturday, February 22 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served. All are invited to attend.

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