

Summer 2019

Balcony Watering Reminder

Summer is here, and we love to see the flowers in bloom, but please be considerate of your neighbours below when watering plants. It's recommended to water plants close to the pot to avoid water spilling over the pot and draining to balcony below.



No Swimming Pools/Fire Pits

Please note all residential backyard burning and campfires are prohibited as stated in your lease.

Swimming pools are also not permitted.

Tips on being a responsible pet owner

- Vaccinate your pets.
- Identify your pets with a collar and tag.
- Spay/neuter your pets.
- Make sure pets always have water to drink.
- Keep a leash on your pet.
- Don't let your pet use balconies as washrooms.
- Clean up after your pet.

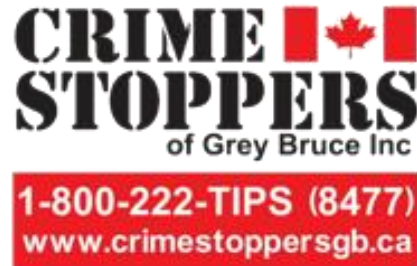


Crime Stoppers

Crime Stoppers is a community-based program that combines the police, media,

and members of the public in a co-operative effort to solve crimes.

Crime Stoppers encourages people to call or submit a secure web tip with information about any crimes that have been committed or are about to occur, and the whereabouts of wanted persons, stolen property, or illegal narcotics. All information provided to Crime Stoppers is anonymous.



Home at Last Program

Home at Last is a program designed to work collaboratively with the hospitals and community support service agencies to help transition older adults home after a hospital stay or visit to the emergency department.

- There is no cost to the clients
- Facilitates a safe and timely discharge from hospital to home
- Coordinates services for a smoother transition of clients from hospital to community
- Improves client discharge experience and client health outcomes using the Client Driven Care approach
- Improves client access to ongoing community support services

To register or for additional information, please call 1-877-502-8277 and ask for the Home at Last Program.

Neighbourly Tips

Getting along well with your neighbours makes your community a happier and safer place to live. Below are some tips on how to be a good neighbour:

- Once you have moved into your new place, make an effort to introduce yourself to your neighbours.
- Keep your place clean.
- Obey parking laws.
- Try to be courteous by keeping your noise levels low.
- Be considerate of neighbours.
- Handle problems respectfully.

Things we love about Summer

- Eating ice cream on a hot day
- Living in your swim suit
- Watermelon slices to cool down
- Riding with the windows rolled down
- Sunsets
- Hitting the lake
- Festivals and fairs



Office Hours

Our office hours are Monday – Friday from 8:30am – 4:30pm
 Phone: 519-376-5744
 Fax: 519-376-0445
 Email: housing@grey.ca

If you have an emergency after hours such as no heat or beeping smoke detector or a flood please contact 519-376-5744 x1.

United Way of Bruce Grey Backpack Program

The backpack program provides school supplies to school-age children. The program started on June 17th and will run until August 23rd. Individuals can dial 2-1-1 on their phone to apply for the Backpack Program.

Once backpacks are available, the United Way will contact the parent and coordinate pickup in Owen Sound or at a depot in



their community. Requests after August 16th may not reach a depot and parents may need to pickup in Owen Sound.

Colour It Home

In the summers, Grey County Housing staff and community partners share information at events that young families in the area might find helpful. Community partners include: Public Health, paramedics, fire departments, the library, the YMCA, Keystone, The OPP and many more.

