





NEWS & EVENTS FOR 2016

March 19th -  **Burpee/Mills and Gordon/Barrie Island Joint Curling Funspiel** - \$15.00 per person Please register by calling Tammi Middleton 282-2532 or Carrie Lewis at 705-282-2702 - Will begin around 9 am. Don't want to Curl? Bring your Potluck Dish and \$5.00 and join in the social and fun. Pot luck is 6 pm





April - The Gordon Women's Institute will be having a **pancake breakfast** and Maple fest event

April 17th - the week will be **Earth Week cleanup** of Municipal Roadsides. Please stop in to the Municipal office for your bags and T-shirts and find out where your identified area to put the garbage is. The Municipal Staff will pick up at identified places on April 22nd. "Earth Day" 




April 29th - **MICC Clubhouse Open** -The Manitoulin Island Country Club is gearing up for the 2016 season. The clubhouse will be open commencing Friday April 29th for dining service and member registration. The course opening to follow as weather permits. We will be hosting a Mothers Day Brunch on Sunday May 8th. We have a used golf equipment sale the last week in May. If you would like to donate any items please drop off May 15-20th at the clubhouse. Donations greatly appreciated. We are making some changes to our fundraising events this year to include a Golf-a-thon and a Spectacular Fish Dinner & Island Art Auction Event. Tickets will be available in advance. Details for these events will be posted on the micc.gordonbarrieisland.ca website.

June 16th - **Senior and Volunteer Tea** - Hand your nomination forms in by the end of March for Senior of the Year nominations.  Please plan on attending to see who the community selects to celebrate this year and enjoy some community spirit.


July 1st - **Canada Day**  The Culture & Recreation Committee will be hosting celebrations for all ages at the Julia Bay Beach again this year. Come out to enjoy the music, boat races, and potluck supper.

July 17th - Barrie Island Wiener Roast - bring your family out to the Barrie Island Community Centre.

September 10th - Municipal Golf Challenge  - updates will be posted on the website and Facebook as well as posters.

October - Decorate your Gate - Call the Municipal office with your theme ideas for this year. Theme selected will win a prize. Judging date to be announced.

October 28th - Kids Halloween Dance  Get your costumes ready and your dance moves!

 **November 20th - Barrie Island Hunters Spaghetti Supper** - Tickets will be sold - The Committee thanks those who wish to donate in advance for your support of this important fundraiser.

November 26th - Christmas Market  The place to acquire that special gift for someone on your Christmas shopping list.



Fire Message from Gore Bay - Gordon/Barrie Island Volunteer Fire Department -please check your smoke alarm batteries regularly and install new smoke alarms on each floor of your home. Remember to pick up your Fire Permit! The VFD is always looking for new members!

Transfer Station Open June - Sept on Monday, Wednesday, Saturday - Winter season Wednesday and Saturday. Please note new transfer station sorting policies. If you need a copy you can pick one up at the Municipal office.

website: www.gordonbarrieisland.ca

Message from the Reeve and Council. [The Municipality of Gordon/Barrie Island](#) is a fantastic place to raise a family and experience the great outdoors together. Home to great fishing, hunting, golfing, unique businesses and sharing communities. The Municipality and area boasts year-round outdoor recreational opportunities for the entire family, including hiking, skiing & biking trails, camping opportunities, and a 9-hole golf course that will take your breath away. [Come and Visit, Come and Stay!](#)

Reeve Lee Hayden, Council Jack Bould, Betty Noble, Bill Baker & Perry Patterson
Council Meetings are held the 1st Tuesday of each month.

We are always looking for Ideas to add to our Events and Volunteers are always Welcome !