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Dear Neighbour!

Happy Friday to the summer weather kicks in - so have community events. Thanks to the Willowdale Chinese Community Services Association and Association of Parents of the **ROYAL Great Minds** for launching the Community Garden Project. Looking forward to the official opening ceremony in September as per Garden Plan. Many thanks to the Community Garden Committee members for their hard work!

WHAT'S NEW IN Council Blog!

Last week I had the if-needed-this-Tuesday-the-celebrations of the Lunar New Year, Vaisakhi and Eid. Thanks to the Community Leaders who joined me related to the celebrating of a Chinese Day Special at Northern Pickle Square which was a great success. Thanks to the Chinese Community Leaders who joined Lunar Square with great creative contributions. We offered a self-standing at the Lunar Square and Northern Pickle Square. Thanks to the Volunteers who were being working in advance and will take pre-updated on the exciting event that will be coming soon! Stay tuned! Stay connected!

Updates in Bills Review for Willowdale

If you haven't done so already, please fill out our quick **Student in Willowdale Survey** to share your thoughts on what's working and what's not in Willowdale and how we can make it better. Deadline for the survey is **June 2**. Click here to fill out the survey!

Invitation to Attendance Township Bills Review and Vote

Bill 139 - Ontario Housing Supply Act, Bill 140 - Bill 141, Bill 47, Bill 47 Stage 2 Bill 48 - Ontario Housing Supply Act and Bill 49 - Ontario Housing Supply Act. Jun 5th from 7-9 pm. Residents are invited to come early and take part in the Community Discussion on Bills Review and Vote. Jun 6th, 7-9 pm. Tentatively Bill 139 and 140 will be voted on. Bill 141 will be voted on. Bill 47 and Bill 47 Stage 2 will be voted on. Bill 48 and Bill 49 will be voted on. Please let me know if you want to attend the ceremony.

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Thank you to the residents who have joined the Community Discussion on Bills Review. Thanks to the residents who have shared their concerns and ideas. Some suggestions to better refine groups of citizens are not only welcomed but also are being taken into consideration. Thanks!

To find out more about the bills, you can consider to read or listen to the news. Click here for more information about the book which is being made available at the Library.

Support for Residents Fight Against Development

The such-name-a-small-circle-action of neighbours discussing their different opinions on the proposed Yonge Street Development Application - Bill 139 - continued to be discussed at the Ward Office. Thanks to the Residents who joined the discussion. Thanks to the Residents who shared their concerns and ideas. Thanks to the Residents who are advocating for a certain building system in which equally better utilize the land and the space. Thanks to the Residents who are advocating for a better-balanced development. Thanks to the Residents who are advocating for a better-balanced development. Thanks to the Residents who are advocating for a proportional government. Click here to find out more about certain bills.

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*2. People should be educated and empowered to participate in government. Power targets power and influence. Power targets power and influence. Power targets power and influence

Walkers and runners of all ages and abilities are invited to participate. Learn more and register.

KEEP COOL

Environment and Climate Change Canada has issued a Heat Warning for Toronto, forecasting daytime high temperatures above 30 degrees Celsius for **Thursday, June 1** until the evening of **Friday, June 2**.

The City activates its Heat Relief Strategy from May 15 to September 30 each year, which includes the Heat Relief Network, providing over 550 cool spaces across the city, such as libraries, community centers, and pools, to help people beat the heat. Find locations on the Cool Spaces Near You map at www.toronto.ca/CoolSpaces. Stay updated on weather alerts with the WeatherCAN app from Environment and Climate Change Canada. Learn more.

COMMUNITY EVENTS ACROSS WILLOWDALE

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOUR WEEK

June 17-24 is NeighbourLink North York's 3rd Meet Your Neighbour Week!

How well do you know the people on your street or floor? NeighbourLink encourages you to host a meet up in your front yard or in a local park to get to know your immediate neighbours better!

Give out lemonade, have a potluck, go for a walk! The possibilities are endless.

Visit www.neighbourlink.org/meet where you'll find meet up ideas, invitations and posters to make hosting a meet up super easy! They also invite businesses, faith organizations, cultural groups and clubs to register a public meet up or have some sort of community building initiative!

FARMERS' MARKET

North York's beloved farmers market at Mel Lastman Square has returned! Running **every Thursday**, May 25th till Oct 19th from **8am - 2pm**. Be sure to come by to say 'hi' to the many returning vendors and grab their fresh produce and delicious eats.

Sat. May 27	Churchill PS, 11am-3pm
Thu. June 1	St. Paschal Baylon, 5:30-8pm
Sat. June 3	Cameron PS, 10am-2pm
Sat. June 3	Lansing Co-Op, 9am-12pm (with Yard Sale & Bike Tune Up)
Fri. June 9	Willowdale Christian School, 3:30-6:30pm
Fri. June 9	St. Cyril, 4-9pm (with BBQ)
Sat. June 10	Yorkview PS, 11am-2pm
Sat. June 10	Hollywood PS, 11am-2pm
Sat. June 10	St. Gabriel, 11am-3:30pm
Thu. June 15	St. Edward, 5-8pm
Fri. June 16	Lester B Pearson, 5-8pm
Fri. June 23	St. Agnes, 4:30-7:30pm

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More Community Events!

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