

FALL 2025 Wards 2 & 6



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As summer winds down and we settle back into our regular routines, we want to take a moment to reflect on the past few months and look ahead to the exciting season ahead.

We were thrilled to connect with so many residents this summer, from our giveaway at the Mount Pleasant Square Movie Night for tickets to Hockey Night in Brampton, where Austin Matthews served as team captain in support of Brampton's second hospital, to our Summer BBQ at Sandalwood Creditview Park, which was filled with great food, laughter and wonderful conversations with neighbours. It was inspiring to see Brampton's community spirit in full force.

Our parks are the heart of our community and each year we work hard to make them even better. We're especially grateful to our seniors' clubs, community groups and for our local initiatives whose efforts bring people together and make these spaces vibrant and welcoming for residents of all ages.

This year, we have been hosting town halls more frequently and the turnout has been amazing. We look forward to continuing that momentum at upcoming Brampton Community Safety Advisory meetings.

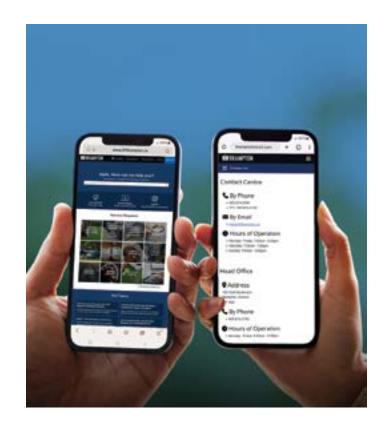
With back-to-school season, we wish all students a successful and rewarding year ahead. For those not returning to school, we encourage you to take some time to enjoy the crisp air, beautiful fall colours and the many community events happening around us.

Above all, let's continue to make safety a priority — slow down in school zones, watch for pedestrians and cyclists and drive with care so that everyone in our community can enjoy the season safely.

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CONNECTING WITH THE CITY JUST GOT EASIER!

Experience a new phone system when you call 311 or Brampton Transit. Our enhanced self-service options make it easier for you to reach the right representative and get timely access to the City services you need. Learn more at **311brampton.ca**



HAVE YOUR SAY IN SHAPING BRAMPTON'S PARKS

Residents are invited to share feedback on the improvements and amenities they'd like to see in their neighbourhood parks. Your input will guide future revitalization projects, ensuring parks reflect community priorities, enhance experiences and provide equitable access to quality spaces. By participating in the survey, you'll help create vibrant, inclusive parks that meet the evolving needs of our growing city. Learn more at **brampton.ca/parksplanning**

MAKE WINTER BREAK FUN WITH BRAMPTON CAMPS

Turn the school break into an adventure with Brampton Recreation's Winter Break Camps, running December 22 to January 2. Kids ages 4 to 13 can choose from Camp Winter Fun, Camp Einstein, Camp Kids in the Kitchen and Camp Sports. Inclusive options are also available through Camp No Limits for ages 6 to 13, 14 to 20 and 21+. Spots fill quickly – explore our programs and register today at brampton.ca/registerforprograms



EXPANDING BRAMPTON'S RESIDENTIAL RENTAL LICENSING PROGRAM

The City of Brampton's Residential Rental Licensing (RRL) program ensures rental homes meet fire, building, and property standards, protecting tenants and creating safer, healthier neighbourhoods. Currently, rental properties in Wards 1, 3, 4, 5 and 7 with four or fewer units must be licensed. To support landlords, fees are waived for the remainder of 2025, and eligible landlords can receive a free smoke alarm for a limited time. In 2026, the program will expand to Wards 2 and 8, where fees will also be waived and introduce enhanced training, streamlined applications and updated licence classifications. Learn more at **brampton.ca/RRL**



BRINGING SAFETY CONVERSATIONS TO YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

The Brampton Community Safety Advisory Committee brings residents, local agencies and City officials together to raise awareness and take action on safety issues. Supported by the Community Safety and Well-Being Office, the Committee advises Council and promotes community safety initiatives. For 2025, there are meetings taking place across Brampton -- making it easier for you to join the conversation and share your voice. Stay informed and get involved! Details at brampton.ca/communitysafety

BRAMPTON'S NEW NHL-SIZED OUTDOOR RINKS ARE COMING SOON!

This winter, Sandalwood Park will become Brampton's ultimate outdoor skating destination with two NHL sized rinks for both casual fun and competitive play. Future phases will add expanded parking, food vendor space and a heated field house with changerooms and accessible washrooms -- creating a year-round community hub! This investment reflects the City's commitment to active living, stronger community connections and bringing top-quality amenities closer to home. Learn more about this project and explore Brampton's outdoor rinks at **brampton.ca/parks**

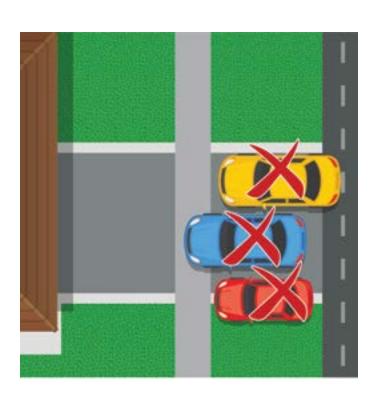


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COYOTE AWARENESS AND SAFETY

Coyotes are part of Brampton's natural environment and we can safely share our spaces with them by taking a few precautions. Keep pets leashed, remove food sources from yards and parks and never feed wildlife. Residents are encouraged to check Brampton's Coyote Sightings Tracker and report any sightings online. Together, we can protect both our pets and our neighbourhoods. Learn more at brampton.ca/coyotes





SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE PARKING

Residents are reminded to follow parking rules to help keep Brampton's streets safe and accessible. Street parking is not permitted between 2 am and 6 am, and vehicles may not be parked for more than three hours without a permit. Drivers must ensure they do not block traffic, sidewalks, fire hydrants or bike lanes and should only park in designated areas. Learn more at **brampton.ca/bylaws**



KEEP BRAMPTON CLEAN

Proper waste disposal helps keep our city clean and welcoming. Dumping garbage in public spaces is prohibited. Residents should use the Region of Peel's waste services and compost bins for food waste, store bins securely off sidewalks/streets and keep lids closed to prevent litter. Bins should only be placed at the curb after 7 pm the night before collection. Learn more at **brampton.ca/bylaws**



PAY YOUR PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are billed twice a year, with residents receiving both an Interim and Final Notice bill. Payment is made in three instalments and can be completed by cheque, debit, in person at a Service Brampton location or your bank, online through your bank's website or by enrolling in the pre-authorized payment plan. Learn more at **brampton.ca/tax**



REPLACE YOUR SMOKE ALARMS

Smoke alarms have a lifespan of 10 years and must be replaced when they expire or if they are malfunctioning. Residents should check the date on their smoke alarms regularly to ensure they are in good working order. Proper maintenance and timely replacement can save lives. Learn more at **brampton.ca/smokealarms**



Regular tree maintenance is essential for safety and neighbourhood appearance. Pruning helps prevent the spread of disease by removing dead or dying branches and trimming long or low-hanging branches improves visibility and access. Under City property standards, the lower half of all trees must be kept free of low branches. Failure to properly maintain trees can result in fines. Learn more at **brampton.ca/treecare**



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UPDATE ON THE PEEL POLICE OPERATIONAL SUPPORT FACILITY

We recently had the opportunity to tour the new Peel Police Operational Support Facility at 8100 Mississauga Road and it is truly impressive. We are fortunate to have such a state-of-the-art hub right here in Ward 6. This facility will strengthen community safety by providing increased frontline policing and advanced operational support. It's not only a major step forward for public safety, but also a boost to our local economy, bringing new jobs and opportunities to Brampton.



WARDS 2 & 6 SUMMER BBQ

We were thrilled to host a community BBQ this summer and are so grateful for the incredible turnout. It was a fun, welcoming event for all ages, filled with great food, laughter and meaningful conversations. One of the best parts of the day was seeing so many familiar and new faces come together, families, friends, and neighbours all sharing in the spirit of community. Events like these remind us how fortunate we are to represent such passionate, engaged and supportive residents. Your energy and enthusiasm are what make Brampton such a special place to call home. Thank you to everyone who joined us!

BRAMPTON'S NEWEST MULTISPORTS DOME

Exciting progress is underway at 1050 Sandalwood Parkway West! In July, we officially broke ground on the future Cassie Campbell Field Hockey Multisport Training Dome, set to open in 2026. This investment will feature a professional-grade turf for field hockey, cricket and baseball batting cages, a straight indoor track with jump pits and a year-round dome complete with a pavilion and change rooms. More than just a sports facility, this project is about unlocking potential, building community and keeping Brampton active and connected all year long.



FULL-SIZE CRICKET FIELD AT CREDITVIEW SANDALWOOD PARK

We're proud to celebrate the official opening of a brand new full-size cricket field at Creditview Sandalwood Park, another exciting step in strengthening Brampton's position as the cricket capital of Canada. This state-of-theart facility features player pavilions, a scoreboard, sight screens, irrigation and field lighting to support highlevel play. The new field complements the park's many existing amenities, including an accessible splash pad, playground, outdoor fitness equipment and multi-sport fields. This facility supports local athletes while advancing the goals of the new Brampton Sport Tourism Strategy, enhancing the City's reputation as a premier destination for major sporting events.





CANADA DAY AT CHINGUACOUSY PARK

We had an incredible time celebrating Canada Day at Chinguacousy Park! The day was filled with Canadian pride, live music, delicious food, games and family fun. Thousands came out to enjoy outstanding performances by Teigsxo, James Barker Band and Dallas Smith, with a special surprise appearance by Dean Brody that brought even more excitement to the evening. It was a fantastic way to reflect on how fortunate we are to call Canada home. Thank you to everyone who joined us and helped make it such a memorable celebration!



CONNECTING WITH OUR COMMUNITY IN THE PARKS

This summer, we've had the chance to join in on so many neighbourhood gatherings and connect with residents across our wards. What makes these community groups so special is the way they bring people together, whether it's sharing ideas, hosting street parties, looking out for one another or organizing park cleanups. Every gathering shows the care and pride neighbours have for their community, and we're so thankful for everyone who takes the time to be involved.

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