



## MUNICIPAL NEWS LETTER – OCTOBER 2023

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION



#### TIME CHANGE

The time change will (fall back) take place on the night of November 4 to 5, to return to Eastern Standard Time. Adjust your clock, dial and watch!!

### FALL AND WINTER SCHEDULE – TOWN HALL

From November 1 to April 30, 2023, City Hall offices will be open Tuesdays to Fridays, from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

### MINERAL EXPLORATION ON OR NEAR YOUR PROPERTY

Does a company holding a mineral exploration claim want to access your property?

You can refuse these companies access to your property. To support your refusal, we strongly suggest that you complete the form found [here](#) :

[https://ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Refus\\_Acces\\_Exploration\\_Miniere\\_Loi-sur-les-mines.pdf](https://ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Refus_Acces_Exploration_Miniere_Loi-sur-les-mines.pdf) and send it by e-mail to the company in question, with certified copies to the persons designated at the end of the form. Completing this form and forwarding it to the people concerned as mentioned will prove an effective deterrent if all the properties unanimously refuse the claim.

### COUNCIL MEETING

The next Council meeting will be held on Monday, November 20, 2023, starting at 7:30 p.m. The mayor and council members will welcome you at the municipal garage, 628 chemin de la Gare. You may also attend by videoconference. We invite you to consult the public notice to be published on 6<sup>th</sup> November for full details.

<https://ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca/nouvelles-et-avis-publics/>

#### YOUR INTELLIGENT CITIZEN PORTAL



VOILÀ! is a personalized, mobile and web-based citizen file that makes it easy to communicate with the Municipality!

Sign up to receive news and alerts, view your tax account notices online, add a property and tax account to your account, and get a front-row seat for the monthly News letter. To register, click here: <https://ivry-sur-le-lac.appvoila.com/en/>

## ABOUT YOU



### REGISTER OF VULNERABLE PERSONS

The Ministère de la Sécurité publique and the Direction de la Sécurité civile et de la Sécurité incendie advocate the importance of keeping a municipal register of vulnerable persons residing on the territory. In the event of a civil protection incident, some people - the elderly or disabled, for example, who are losing their physical or mental autonomy - may require special assistance from local responders. The purpose of the registry is to identify the particularities that need to be taken into account during an intervention. Responders are then better equipped to offer an

adapted and efficient service in the event of a disaster.

The municipality of Ivry-sur-le-Lac has such a register. It is therefore essential to obtain the information from our citizens. There are two ways to register yourself or a loved one:

- By completing the appropriate form:

[https://ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/2021URB-Enregistrement\\_Vulnerable.pdf](https://ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/2021URB-Enregistrement_Vulnerable.pdf)

By calling 819-321-2332 ext. 3700

This kind of action can make a difference and save lives!

## CONSTRUCTION WORKS

### WORK ON CHEMIN LACASSE ET MONTÉE DAOUST

The work is now complete. A few minor adjustments need to be made in the near future, without disrupting traffic. We would like to thank residents for their understanding and cooperation throughout the project!

#### Pruning and ditch profiling work

Roadside pruning and ditch reprofiling work is continuing in preparation for the winter season.

Please consult **INFO-TRAVAUX** on our website.

## CULVERTS – DRIVEWAY - REMINDER



We remind you that your driveway culvert is entirely your responsibility. It's important to remember that you're responsible for cleaning the culvert, and that you should have it cleaned before winter so that water flows smoothly and ice doesn't form.

## MUNICIPAL BOAT WASHING STATION AND LANDING – LAST NOTICE



### NOTICE OF CLOSURE OF THE MUNICIPAL LANDING – END OF SEASON

The boating season is already drawing to a close. The car wash and municipal landing will close for the season on Tuesday, October 31 at 5:00 p.m.! We ask you to plan your outing no later than October 31, 2023.

From September 2 to October 31, we will be open 7 days from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. After this date, you must make an appointment at least 24 hours in advance by calling 819 321-

2332 ext. 3704.

**WE REMIND YOU OF THE IMPORTANCE OF WASHING YOUR TRAILERS BEFORE TAKING YOUR BOATS OUT OF THE WATER.**

Thank you for your cooperation!

## BUOYS REMOVAL



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On October 17, 2023, our water patrollers removed the buoys on Lac Manitou.

We'd like to thank them for their hard work throughout the season, and look forward to seeing you again next year.

## TEMPORARY WINTER SHELTERS – REMINDER



Time is flying by! Cold weather will take us by storm in a few months and we want to remind you that a temporary winter shelter is permitted in all setbacks and the parking area, as stipulated in bylaw 2013-060 (administratively consolidated bylaw) sections 206 and 368, starting October 1. The shelter must be removed no later than May 1, 2024.

## MRC DES LAURENTIDES – RESORT LOT DRAWING



This year, the Ministère des Ressources naturelles et des Forêts (MRNF), in collaboration with the delegated MRCs and the Société des établissements de plein air du Québec (SÉPAQ), is once again offering the public the chance to take part in a draw for the allocation of vacation lots located on public land.

Registration for the draw will run until October 29, 2023. On the MRC des Laurentides territory, two semi-riparian lots in the Lac Long sector of Amherst are available for lease on an annually renewable basis. For more

information, click here: <https://www.quebec.ca/habitation-et-logement/location-achat-territoire-public/obtenir-terrain/tirage-sort>

## MRC DES LAURENTIDES – TEMPORARY RESUMPTION OF HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION (HHW)

### REPRISE TEMPORAIRE DU SERVICE DE COLLECTE des résidus domestiques dangereux (RDD) dans les écocentres



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MRC DES  
LAURENTIDES

Since August 8, due to a marked increase in the amount of hazardous household waste (HHW) received, and the difficulty of processing it safely, the MRC had temporarily suspended collection at the territory's nine eco-centres.

The MRC announces the temporary resumption of HHW collection at eco-centres, which may be suspended at any time depending on the level of recovery services.

We invite you to contact the eco-centres before your visit to check whether they are able to accept HHW at the time of your visit. The following substances are considered HHW. We can easily recognize them by the pictograms on the containers (corrosive, flammable, toxic or explosive).

Paints, varnishes and solvents  
Used motor oil  
Aerosols  
Oxidizers  
Propane tanks  
Pesticides and fertilizers

Ink cartridges  
Cleaning products  
Compact fluorescent bulbs  
Thermometers  
Fire extinguishers (domestic only)  
Alkaline and rechargeable batteries

## SÉCURITÉ INCENDIE – CHANGE THE TIME – CHECK THE BATTERIES !



Statistics for the past 10 years show that an average of 50 accidental deaths occur annually in building fires. Only 42% of buildings burned down were equipped with working smoke alarms.

Smoke alarms are the best way to save lives. Regularly check your smoke alarm, whether battery-operated or electric.

- Replace the battery periodically, or use a long-life lithium battery if possible.
- Never remove the battery or unplug the alarm, even if it goes off unnecessarily. Instead, use the device's mute button.
- All smoke alarms must be replaced 10 years after the date of manufacture indicated on the casing. If no date of manufacture is indicated, the smoke detector must be replaced without delay (Source: Code de sécurité du Québec (CBCS)).

### Where to install it

- Install one smoke alarm per floor, including basements.
- Make sure all occupants can hear the smoke alarm when they sleep. If not, install a smoke alarm in the bedroom of those who can't hear it.
- Never remove the battery from a smoke alarm that goes off too often - it's probably too close to the kitchen or bathroom. Move it slightly away from these two rooms.
- -Install a smoke alarm at the cottage, too.

## How to install it

- Install the unit on the ceiling, at a minimum distance of 10 cm (4 in.) from the wall, or on a wall, at a distance of 10 to 30 cm (4 to 12 in.) from the ceiling.
- -A smoke alarm connected to a central station means firefighters can intervene even more quickly. Make sure you're well connected, especially if you're having modifications made to your telephone or electrical network (high-speed Internet, IP phone).
- -Have a master electrician interconnect all the electric smoke alarms in your home. That way, when one goes off, they all go off, no matter where the fire is. You'll save precious minutes in evacuating.
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For more information: <https://www.quebec.ca/en/public-safety-emergencies/fire-safety>

## SÉCURITÉ INCENDIE – CHIMNEY SWEEPING



More than 1,200 chimney fires occur on average every year in Quebec. They represent a potential source of building fires that could cause major material and human losses. That's why it's important to entrust the installation of a new heating appliance to a professional in the field. Regular maintenance of the appliance and its components is also essential.

Chimney sweeping helps prevent fires. It also helps :

- Prevent carbon monoxide poisoning by allowing smoke and toxic or noxious gases to escape more easily;
- Remove soot and flammable deposits (creosote) that have accumulated in the chimney;
- optimize the efficiency of the heating appliance and save fuel;
- The chimney sweep's job is to detect any breakage or deterioration of the heating system and its components.

A professional chimney sweep should have the knowledge and expertise to detect installation problems. He or she should be able to advise you on the proper use and maintenance of each appliance, and should have the equipment, tools and protective clothing needed to carry out a safe and effective sweep. The Régie du bâtiment du Québec's register of licensees can be consulted to find or verify certain information about a contractor. You can also obtain information from various heating industry associations.

### What is creosote?

- Creosote is a deposit formed by smoke from incomplete combustion or poor combustion of wood. It clings to the chimney walls and is highly flammable. Only a professional chimney sweep can effectively remove it.

### How can creosote be prevented?

- It's impossible to completely prevent creosote formation when burning wood. However, it is possible to limit its formation by adopting these good habits:
- Start your fire with blazing flames (high heat);
- Burn dry wood;
- Use small logs. They will burn cleaner, thus forming less creosote.
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For more information : <https://www.quebec.ca/en/public-safety-emergencies/fire-safety/fire-prevention/heaters>

## LEISURE, CULTURAL AND ARTISTIC ACTIVITIES



### LA NUIT DES SANS-ABRIS

The organizing committee of the Nuit des sans-abri of the MRC des Laurentides et des Pays-d'en-Haut is pleased to invite you to participate in the local edition of the NSA to be held on Friday, October 20, 2023 at Parc Lagny in Sainte-Agathe-des-Monts.

Info :

<https://www.facebook.com/NSASainteAgathedesMonts/>



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### TRAIL CLEARING EVENTS

Date : Saturday, October 28 2023

From : 9 h to 15 h

Supper pot-luck : 18 h 30

Stay tuned for the exact time and confirmation of the venue!



### HALLOWEEN 🎃

OCTOBER 31, 2023 🎃

Halloween is the favorite night of witches, little monsters and vampires, who stroll around the town.

The municipality asks motorists to be extra cautious and vigilant.

Don't hesitate to let us know about activities taking place in our municipality. Is there a show near you that you'd like us to attend? We'd love to hear from you! Send us your articles (200 words maximum) with one or two accompanying photos, and we'll publish them! Take out your pencils and camera, and send them with the subject line: Monthly Newsletter to the following address: [adjointe@ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca](mailto:adjointe@ivry-sur-le-lac.qc.ca)

Thank you for your confidence and know that it's always a real pleasure to represent you!



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