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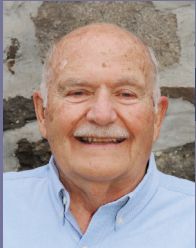
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A WORD FROM THE MAYOR

Thank you to the residents who have contacted us to thank us for the opening of phase 1 of Lake Beattie Park. We are proud to say that the 300 hectares are protected against development for at least 40 years thanks to the agreement signed with the city of Lachute and that this site is accessible for the safe practice of outdoor and nautical activities.

Despite the grants received from the provincial government and the MRC d'Argenteuil, which allowed us to complete Phase 1 of our magnificent park, no subsidy exists to pay the salaries of our attendants, which are essential to the safety and environmental protection of the park. The other parks in Gore are free (the Parc des Pionniers, the Parc Denommé), but they do not require the presence of municipal staff to ensure their proper functioning.

The main objective of the Beattie Lake Nature Park is to be a recreational space, accessible to the population and to tourists for the practice of outdoor activities (4 seasons). By protecting and enhancing this exceptional natural environment, we are able to offer diversified activities for exploring natural environments (fishing, cross-country skiing, hiking, snowshoeing, fatbiking), interpretation of nature and fun activities (sporting events) for our residents, the population of the MRC d'Argenteuil and tourists in general. There is currently no nature park in the MRC d'Argenteuil and no public access to a lake, apart from Lake Beattie.

The creation of a network of multi-service trails (hiking, mountain biking, fatbiking, cross-country skiing, snowshoeing) allows the population to have access to an incredible, diverse and accessible natural environment.

As complementary objectives, through the creation of this park, we wish to raise public awareness of natural environments (education, interpretation), protect natural environments and fauna and flora species (abundant presence of wetlands on the park site) and develop a favorable research environment (biological inventories and other studies) in the region.

We intend to continue the development of the park to provide an exceptional natural recreational environment.

As always, I can always be reached on my cell phone at **514 941-2224**.

Your mayor
Scott Pearce



AUGUST 2ND COUNCIL MEETING – SEAT RESERVATION

After many months of having to hold meetings in camera, the Municipal Council is happy to report that the public will be able to attend the next Council meetings.

Places are limited and in order to attend, each person must reserve his or her seat in advance. Reservations will be taken during office hours. For the next meetings, only ten (10) places are available and must be reserved by calling the office at **450 562-2025**.

Reservations will be accepted starting on Monday July 26th until Monday August 2nd at 4 p.m. for the August 2, 2021 meeting and starting on Monday August 30th to Tuesday September 7th at 4 p.m. for the September 7, 2021 meeting.

Each person must reserve their own seat. Group reservations or reservations for other people will not be accepted.



The seats are reserved on a first come, first served basis. We also ask that reservations are limited to one person per household. Sanitary measures will be in effect (wearing your mask, disinfecting your hands, keeping a safe distance).

The draft agenda for the meeting will be posted at the municipal office and on the website on the Friday before the meeting, at the latest. The Council meetings will continue to be recorded and published on the municipal website for those unable to attend in person.

Anyone wanting to ask a question concerning the topics on the agenda can do so by emailing info@cantondegore.qc.ca or calling the office before 4 p.m. the day of the meeting. If ever you have reserved a space and cannot make the meeting, please call the office to remove your name from the reservation list as soon as possible in order to permit someone else to attend.

LES SENTIERS DE GORE



TRAIL MAINTENANCE DAY – SATURDAY AUGUST 21ST AT PARC DENOMMÉ

Les Sentiers de Gore invites you to participate in a trail maintenance day on Saturday, August 21st at Parc Denommé. Meeting time is 9:30 am on site (parking on Densa Rd.). In case of rain, the maintenance day will be postponed (check the newsletter and facebook). Bring your loppers, shovels, pickaxe, rakes etc., depending on what

you have at home, as well as gloves and a bottle of water. We look forward to working with you!

Also, the DVD of the film "The Triumph of Nature: Margaret Cook and the Pioneers of Gore" will be on sale this summer with all proceeds going towards the translation and republication of Margaret Cook's 1969 novel *Land Possessed*.

To learn more about Margaret Cook, visit the following page:

www.lessentiersdegore.com/index.php/fr/triomphe-de-la-nature

SCHOOL EFFECTS DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

As in 2020, the distribution of school supplies to families in need will be organized by Holy Trinity Church. Please note that only residents of the Township of Gore can benefit from the School Effects program. School bags will be distributed only to new participants in the School Supplies program.

To register for the program, have your school supply list ready and call Rose Manconi at **450 562-3397**.



LAKE BEATTIE PARK



To become a member of the Lake Beattie Park and contribute to the sustainability of the park, visit the section dedicated to the park on our website.

To buy a day ticket:

www.amilia.com/store/fr/municipalite-du-canton-de-gore/shop/programs/64835

You can also come to the Town Hall to pay your park entrance fee or buy it directly at the Park during opening hours.

To become an annual member:

www.amilia.com/store/fr/municipalite-du-canton-de-gore/shop/memberships?

Or come to the town hall to pay on the spot.

CONSERVATION LAKEFIELD

Discover Gore's natural wealth through outdoor education. Conservation Lakefield's most recent hike led a small group through one of Gore's oldest forests (COVID-compliant!). Our guide, environmental consultant Mathieu Madison, allowed us to make interesting discoveries about a local wetland and watershed,

identifying moose tracks and birdsong. We even spotted a rare tree! To join our mailing list and receive invitations to future events, contact us at info@conservationlakefield.ca or via Facebook Messenger [@conservation_lakefield](https://www.facebook.com/conservation_lakefield). We can't wait to meet you!



URBAN PLANNING – PERMIT APPLICATIONS

We are receiving an impressive volume of permit applications at this time. Please, to submit a complete permit application, be sure to provide all the required documents. Here is a reminder for your future requests:

FOR A WELL:

This request only requires the “permit request” form available online which indicates the name of the well professional who will send a report within 30 days of completing the well. The certificate is conditional upon receipt of the drilling report. The cost for a certificate of authorization is \$ 50.

FOR A SEPTIC SYSTEM:

This permit requires 4 elements including:

- Completed “permit application” form.
- Soil test carried out by a professional qualified to perform the tests required by provincial regulation Q2R22.
- Complete report duly sealed and signed by a professional (technologist or engineer) for the design of the septic system according to Q2R22.
- Certificate of implementation of the property, indicating the location of the tank, the purification field, as well as the required distances from the lot boundaries, from the main building, according to Q2R22. This installation certificate must be coordinated between the land surveyor who will carry it out and the professional in the design of the septic system. The cost for the permit is \$ 50.

FOR A NEW CONSTRUCTION (MAIN BUILDING):

This permit requires 3 elements:

- Completed “permit application” form.
- Complete plans of the future property, with details, sections, materials and duly signed and sealed.

- Coordinated certificate of implementation indicating all the proposed elements, including the location of the septic tank, the leaching field, the driveway, the limits of deforestation, etc. If there are wetlands or water-courses listed in the field, they must be surveyed by a biologist and indicated on the establishment certificate.



The cost of this permit is \$ 200 plus a contribution to the growth fund of \$ 1000 + 5.38 / m² living space (including attached garages). As soon as the foundation walls are erected, we need the certificate of location.

In addition, for a new house, you must PAY FOR THE DRIVEWAY CULVERT (if your lot is on a municipal road).

Once the plans and documents are prepared and complete, duly transmitted to the inspector to obtain the permits, the municipality of Gore will carry out a site reconnaissance visit and establish the diameter and length of the culvert required to achieve the driveway entrance as indicated on the plans - and as installed on the site. The latter will be carried out by the municipality at the rate of \$ 70.55 / m.lin for a 15-inch culvert or at the rate of \$ 98.58 / m.lin for an 18-inch culvert.

NEVER START WORK BEFORE YOU HAVE OBTAINED YOUR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT.

ENVIRONMENT

THE BUTTERFLY EFFECT CONTINUES

Since 2018, the Township of Gore has been certified as a Monarch Friendly Township- Silver Award by the David Suzuki Foundation. For a second consecutive year, our butterfly project continues.



In an effort to protect and raise awareness, the butterfly signs will be back on secondary roads indicating the presence of milkweed plants. These signs will help limit the cutting of these plants, which are essential for our friends the monarchs. Did you know that milkweed is the only source of food for monarch caterpillars? After a very long journey from Mexico, monarch butterflies lay their eggs on milkweed plants. The caterpillars will then feed on these plants which contain a toxic milky sap that protects them from predators. Since the monarch is an endangered species, protecting milkweed plants is essential to help its survival. Feel free to plant milkweed and pollinator-

attracting flowers to ensure the protection of this threatened species. It should also be noted that for safety reasons, the edges of major roads must be cleared of vegetation, thus limiting the risk of accidents.

LAKE WATER QUALITY MONITORING

In order to continue our data acquisition and to establish a continuous global picture of the quality of the Municipality's surface water, water testing will be carried out again this year. To adapt to today's environmental issues, new sampling points will be added. This new data will be beneficial in obtaining a better representation of our territory which is constantly evolving. In collaboration with the various lake associations and the Ministry of the Environment's Lake Monitoring Network (RSVL), this data will complement those acquired in recent years. The results of the water analyses for the year 2020 are available on the Municipality's website.

MUNICIPAL TAXES

The last installment for 2021 municipal taxes is October 4. For all people who have not made their 3 previous installments or have not paid the arrears on their tax bill, we will issue reminder notices in September. Recall notices incur a charge of \$ 5 per tax account. If you are experiencing financial difficulties, please contact Ms. Diane Chales at City Hall by email at dchales@cantondegore.qc.ca or by phone (450 562-2025, extension 3523) to make payment arrangements.



WASTE MANAGEMENT

Here are your options for your waste in August:

- Waste collections for the month of August:
August 12 and 26
- Recycling collections: August 5 and 19
- Bulky items collection of the month: August 12
- The ecocentre: Open Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays,
9 am to 5 pm.

Remember that bags of leaves and plant waste from your garden cannot be left at community compost drop-off points.



GOOD NEIGHBOURS
ECOCENTER

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE GARBAGE OR RECYCLING AT COMMUNITY COMPOSTING SITES. THANK YOU!

COMMUNITY

COMMUNITY LIBRARY - SPECIAL SCHEDULE

ATTENTION: TEMPORARY LIBRARY SCHEDULE CHANGE
from Tuesday to Thursday evening during part of August:

6 p.m. - 8 p.m. : THURSDAY July 29, August 5, August 12, August 19

August 26 - CLOSED

August 31 - OPEN on regular Tuesday evenings

If you would like to volunteer at our library, write to Jody Anker at janker@cantondegore.qc.ca.



Café Partage
d'Argenteuil

CAFÉ PARTAGE ARGENTEUIL: HEALTHY BASKETS, ECONOMICAL GROCERY AND PREPARED MEALS

It is with great pride that the Municipality's General Manager, Julie Boyer, joins the Board of Directors of Café Partage d'Argenteuil for a two-year term. Ms. Boyer believes in the mission of Café Partage d'Argenteuil, which provides access to healthy baskets, prepared meals and affordable groceries for the entire population of Argenteuil. **The services of Café Partage are for everyone and it is through the strength in numbers that they manage to obtain good prices for quality products.**

This Lachute community organization prepares affordable fruit and vegetable baskets every two weeks (between \$ 10 and \$ 22 approximately).

These baskets are delivered directly to Gore at the community center on THURSDAY mornings. Contact them for prices (there are three different basket sizes) and availability for delivery.

Café Partage d'Argenteuil employs people with intellectual and physical challenges and contributes to their reintegration into the community. Among other things, several users of the Center du Florès work at the Café Partage.

Le Café Partage also offers an inexpensive and traveling Grocery Service and also prepared meals, which they deliver to Gore along with the fruit and vegetable baskets. If you would like to consult the list of all the products available in grocery stores - do not hesitate to contact Café Partage or the municipality directly.

To reach the Café Partage d'Argenteuil:
450 562-0987.

*The Café Partage model is unique
in the Laurentians!*

ACTIVITIES

DANCERSIZE

It's easy, it's fun and the music is cool. Tuesday and Thursday 1:15 - 3:00 (1 hour to start). The Community Center – 2 Ch. Cambria

You need a mat, stretch band and a hand weight. This course is free with a welcomed donation towards the Christmas baskets. For more information please contact Lynne Powell at **450 432-2156**.



RUNNING CLUB

Date: Wednesdays (August 18th to October 6th)

From: 6:00pm to 7:00pm

At: the Municipal Park, 45 Cambria Road, Gore

Some suggestions:

- Running shoes are the most important!
- Comfortable clothing; proper exercise bra for women
- To have your hands free, have a water holder.



For more information, contact Jody Anker at **450 562-2025 extension 3543**
janker@cantondegore.qc.ca

WE ARE WAITING FOR YOU!!!

Acoustic Song Circle with bilingual hosts Guillaume and Jody

Budding and experienced musicians, you are invited to join our weekly musical gathering. We welcome all types of acoustic instruments and invite people with all skill levels to share their music with others. Please bring your own instrument, your singing voice, or just your admiration for good music.

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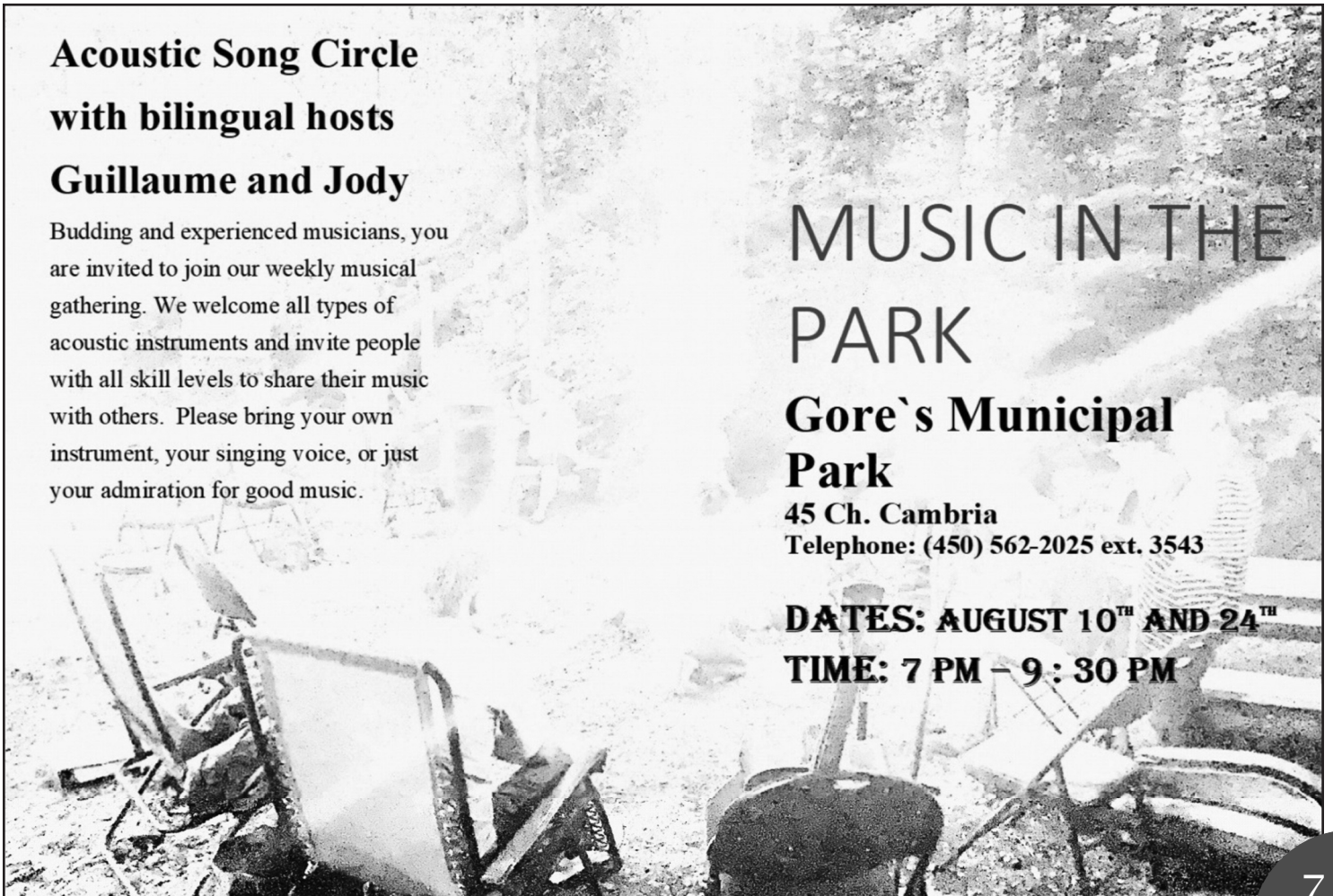
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Telephone: (450) 562-2025 ext. 3543

DATES: AUGUST 10TH AND 24TH

TIME: 7 PM – 9 : 30 PM



ACTIVITIES (cont'd)



Tennis and Pickleball Schedule

Reserve your slot to play at the Gore Municipal Park courts. A maximum 24 hours in advance policy is in place following a friendly community shared space approach. A white board is located on the outside wall of the chalet acting as this year's scheduling board. There will be an online option soon! Until then, Play On and enjoy the nature of Gore.

For more information Call Jody at (450) 562-2025 ext. 3543




Breathwork
EN FORÊT
PLEINE LUNE

Pairing the power of breathing with that of nature, the moon and the group. What is breathwork?

Breathwork can extend to a variety of breathing techniques. The one used during this meeting is part of the Essence of Breath modality and is conscious connected breathing.

This deep breathing technique is a powerful tool for personal transformation offered in the form of guided meditation. It can assist us in all dimensions of our being, both physically and emotionally. Using the breath, a deep inner massage takes place, creating space, movement and a re-connection to oneself.

BEATTIE PARK

2 sessions:

Evening: Saturday August 21, 2021, 7:00 p.m. to 9:15 p.m.

Day session: Sunday August 22, 9:30 am to 11:45 am

On registration, limited places – \$ 33 per session


For more info or to register:

Hélène D'Astous – 514 659-5919

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ACTIVITIES (cont'd)

REPAIR OF THE SURFACE OF THE ICE RINK AND DEVELOPMENT OF A PÉTANQUE COURT

Thanks to the PRIMADA grant (Programme d'infrastructures Municipalité amie des aînés) from the provincial government, we are pleased to announce that the surface of the rink will be completely refurbished, including new lines for the practice of tennis, pickleball and basketball. This significant contribution from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and the Seniors' Secretariat of the Ministry of Health and Social Services, in the amount of \$ 33,000, will allow us to complete this work quickly.

The repair work on the ice rink and the development of the pétanque area will be carried out in early August and will result in the temporary closure of the ice rink. There will be workers and machinery at the municipal park for the duration of the work.



La Ferme des bon-bons Légumes Bio are offering a drop off point in Gore for anyone interested in a basket of organic vegetables.

The drop-off point will be at the Gore Community Center – 2 Ch. Cambria, starting July 8, 6:15 p.m. - 6:45 p.m., every Thursday.

Call Manon Lanteigne at 450 675-7707 to register your basket.

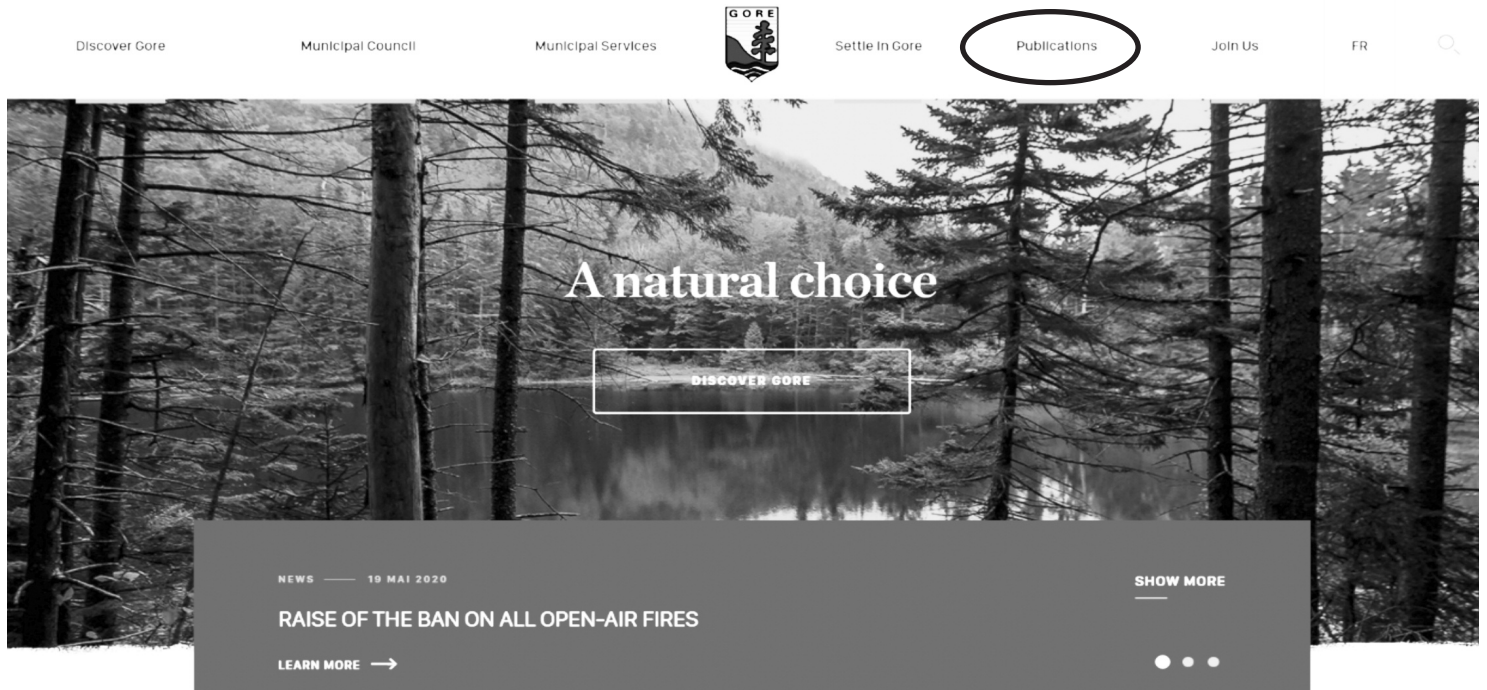
MONTHLY CALENDAR

AUGUST 2021

S	M	T	W	T	F	S		
1	 Municipal Council – 8 pm	2	3	4	 Recycling	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	 Garbage + bulk items	12	13	14	
15	16	17	18	 Recycling	19	20	21	
22	23	24	25	 Garbage	26	27	28	
29	30	31						

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