

MAYOR'S REPORT - JANUARY 27, 2020

GRANTS FOR NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS

The City distributes approximately \$30,000 annually to non-profit, charitable and service organizations that benefit the citizens of Port Colborne and enhance the quality of life in the community.

Council recently updated the grant policy and application form and all information can be found on our website.

The City is accepting the first round of grant applications until Friday, January 31, 2020.

CUSTOMER SATISFACTION SURVEY

The City of Port Colborne is looking to gather feedback to improve our customer service delivery by launching a customer satisfaction survey.

Input from the community will assist the City with the modernization of our service delivery and improve our front line service to residents and visitors.

PORTicipate by completing the survey, which takes approximately five minutes, by visiting www.portcolborne.ca/page/customer_service.

Hard copies of the survey are also be available at City Hall (66 Charlotte Street) and the Port Colborne Public Library (310 King Street).

SPORTSFEST

It's almost time to get out and enjoy our upcoming SportsFest, February 7th to 9th.

Providing a sense of community pride and greater awareness of each community group, SportsFest offers activities for all ages, promotes a healthy lifestyle, and is an opportunity for organized fund raising within the City of Port Colborne. Check out the city website for a full list of activities.

The Mayor's Cup Invitational Hockey Tournament will have your Port Colborne team playing at 6 pm on Friday night and 2 and 4 pm on Saturday at the Vale Health & Wellness Centre. Come out and cheer us on.

The final event of the weekend is the Polar Plunge to raise money for Special Olympics. Registration will take place at the boat launch at H.H. Knoll Lakeview Park on Sunday at 1 pm with the plunge happening at 3 p.m. Come out and cheer on the PORTicipants who will be Freezin' for a Reason.

PHOTO CONTEST DEADLINE

Our #PortColborneProud photo contest deadline is approaching on January 31st.

The purpose of the photo contest is to showcase what's beautiful, creative, innovative and authentic about Port Colborne and feature original, engaging photos that will evoke a sense of community pride in residents and inspire visitors to discover Port Colborne and explore all the City has to offer.

All details of how to submit your photos is on the city's website.