

Town Crier, August 18, 2018

# Stratford Town Crier

Public Information, Notices and Meeting Schedules

## **PAY BY LICENCE PLATE PARKING MACHINE INSTALLATION**

The City of Stratford has recently installed Pay By Licence Plate parking machines in the Upper Erie Lot and in the Albert lot.

There are a number of advantages to the new machines, including:

- Pay by coins (\$0.05, \$0.10, \$0.25, \$1, \$2) or credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express);
- Option of a printed receipt
- It's no longer necessary to return to the vehicle to place a parking stub on the dashboard

Here are a few tips to help ensure the payment process works smoothly:

1. Have your licence plate number ready before you begin. If you need to return to your vehicle, your session may timeout, resulting in your credit card payment not being processed or your coins being deposited into the coin return
2. Insert coins slowly
3. If the screen is dimmed, wake up the machine by pressing the red or green button
4. Because payment is linked to your licence plate number, enter it accurately
5. If one of the machines is not working and a second machine is nearby, please use the second machine to deposit payment. Following the depositing of payment, please contact 519-271-0250, ext. 230 to report the issue. For the Albert lot, which does not have a second machine, please call 519-271-0250, ext. 230 to report the issue

For more information on the new Pay By Licence Plate units, visit:

<https://www.stratfordcanada.ca/en/livehere/parking.asp>

## **BRONZE STAR RECOGNITION PROGRAM**

This program was put in place by Stratford City Council in 2002 in order to recognize and honour national or international citizens who have worked or contributed profoundly to the cultural and/or social fabric of the City or a Stratford citizen who has achieved national or international status. The Stratford Festival is also involved with this program. If you know of someone meeting this criteria and would like him/her considered for a Bronze Star for 2019, please contact the Mayor's Office, Pat Shantz, 271-0250, ext. 236 or by email [pshantz@stratford.ca](mailto:pshantz@stratford.ca).

## **ANNE HATHAWAY DAYCARE - LICENSED CHILDCARE SPACES AVAILABLE**

**Anne Hathaway Day Care Centre** has a limited number of full time openings available for **2.5 and 3 year old** children. Enriching child-centered programs led by a team of highly skilled and experienced Early Childhood Educators:

- Nutritious lunch and snacks provided
- Outdoor play in a new natural play space
- Financial assistance available upon qualification
- Newly renovated facility

## **EMERGENCY OR SHORT TERM CHILD CARE SERVICES**

Operated by the City of Stratford, Anne Hathaway Daycare is a child and family friendly licenced early childhood education centre. Emergency or short term childcare services are provided on an 'as available' basis. For information about services, availability and fees, please contact the Daycare at 519-273-1803.

For further information contact: Corry Gunn, Manager - 103 Bruce St. Stratford 519-273-1803

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