



# Kortright Hills

-Your Neighbourhood Group

“creating a village in the city”

### Please Contact Us

We are located in the community room at  
**Kortright Hills Public School**  
 23 Ptarmigan Drive Guelph, ON N1C 1B5  
 519.993.5264 [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com) www.khng.ca

### Our Boundaries

- North** – Downey and Niska Rd from Hanlon to Niska Bridge - North to Stone Road
- East** – Hanlon Expressway;
- West** – City Limits;
- South West** – City Limits to Downey Rd;
- South East** – Teal Dr. from Downey to Hanlon.











## April 2022 issue

Visit us on the Web: [www.khng.ca](http://www.khng.ca)

### Eggstravaganza Virtual Community Scavenger Hunt

March 27th - April 13th, 2022

Below is questions for our Kortright Hills community scavenger hunt. Once you have answered at least 5 of our 10 questions, fill out the google form (link below), to be entered into our random draw for a chance to win 1 of 3 prize packages. **Good Luck!**

1. What venue hosts the annual Guelph Greek Food Festival? 
2. The Guelph Maps Guy indicated that this particular street, with houses decorated with Minions, is a must see in the 2021 Guelph Christmas Lights Map. What street is it? 
3. What year did the YMCA open in its current location? 
4. What is the city's bus route number? 
5. Name one of the medical doctors whose practice is located at Downey Plaza. 
6. What year did Kortright Hills Public School opened? 
7. Which street doesn't have any homes on it? 
8. Besides Downey Drive, name a street that has a free little library. 
9. Several streets are named after fallen World War soldiers with the poppy symbol commemorating their names. Name one street that is named after a soldier. 
10. What year did the Kortright Waterfowl Park closed down? 

 **Winners will be contacted Thurs Apr 14th to arrange prize delivery** 

To enter our contest, click on the below link and fill out the google form:  
<https://forms.gle/CzMwNJKqN3NKUKv7>

Thank you to our sponsors:



# KHNG VIRTUAL CONTEST MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

1) Eggstravaganza  
Virtual Community  
Scavenger Hunt!  
Mar 27 - Apr 13/22

2) Mother's Day  
Virtual Contest  
Apr 20 - May 4/22

3) Father's Day  
Virtual Contest  
May 30 - Jun 13/22

# KHNG VIRTUAL CONTEST INFORMATION



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## Virtual Mother's Day Contest

April 20 - May 4, 2022

(prizes delivered before Mother's Day)

### How To Play!

1) List 8 famous Moms you see in the images to the right



2) List what movie/show they were in

Each entry will have a chance to win 1 of 3 prize packages

Good Luck!



Fill out the google entry form below & your name will be entered into our Mother's Day Virtual Draw for a chance to win 1 of 3 prize packages.

Entry form link:

<https://forms.gle/fqXcFeYCLnkjZHqy7>

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# Virtual Father's Day Contest

## May 30 - June 13, 2022

(prizes delivered before Father's Day)

### How To Play!

1) List 8 famous Dads you see in the images to the right



2) List what movie/show they were in

### Good Luck!

Fill out the entry form & your name will be entered into our draw for a chance to win 1 of 3 prize packages.

## Happy Father's Day!



Entry form link:

<https://forms.gle/FIzthBujUexDYKs57>

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# HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!



# Kortright Hills Community Photos Captured



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## Thank You TO OUR FABULOUS Volunteers



Thank you to Vanessa and Andrew Duszczyszyn, Olaf Bulman and Adrianna Zeleny our wonderful community volunteers.

They spent many hours prepping and creating a rink at Mollison Park for everyone to enjoy this winter.

Volunteers are needed to continue with our Mollison Park Rink. If this is something that you are interested in helping with for the 2022/2023 Winter, please email [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com).

The more volunteers that we get the easier the task to keep this wonderful winter activity going.

We appreciate all the support to have a safe and fun winter activity for our KHNG community families to enjoy.



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Carolina Chickadee  
Nest Box

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*Welcome!*

If you are new to the Neighbourhood, we extend a warm welcome to you and your family! Please consider joining us for our regular monthly meetings to help plan social & recreational events.

*Thank You!*

A special 'thanks' goes to all of our volunteers and community partners, 26th Guelph Scout Group, Kortright Hills Public School and the GNCS. Your support for our neighbourhood is greatly appreciated!

*Stay Informed:*

To get email updates of our neighbourhood events delivered to your inbox, please send your request to [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com). Visit our website, Facebook group or page telling you of upcoming events, programs and workshops.

# Spring Info!



## REGISTER TO ATTEND A SCOUTS CANADA PROGRAM NEAR YOU

Programs are STEM based

To join contact Paul by email:

[paulleone@sympatico.ca](mailto:paulleone@sympatico.ca)



Beavers	ages 5-7	meet Mon 6:30-7:30
Cubs	ages 8-10	meet Wed. 7:00-8:30
Scouts	ages 11-14	meet Tues 7:00-8:45
Venturers	ages 14-17	meet Tues 7:00-9:00

## WE WELCOME YOUR PARTICIPATION & NEED YOUR HELP

Can you help us continue to deliver social and recreational programs for our community? In the coming months we are seeking your assistance with:

\*\*\* Please note that several events & programs have been cancelled or virtual until further notice. Check the KHNG facebook page & emails for any updates in the near future. \*\*\*

- \* Planning of upcoming events
- \* Becoming a leader with 26th Scout Group
- \* Volunteering with KHNG

If these or similar opportunities are of interest to you, contact us today at [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com)

Your help is needed – call or e-mail us today!!



## Guelp School Board Holidays

Mark your calendars, below are the student days off of school for both boards.



### Upper Grand District School Board

(H-Statutory Holiday P-Professional Activity Day B-Board Designated Holiday E-Exam Day)

#### Elementary Calendar:

April 15, 18 (H)

May 23 (H)

June 3 (P)

#### Secondary Calendar:

April 15, 18 (H)

May 23 (H)

June 21-27 (E), 28 & 29 (P)

### Wellington District Catholic School Board

(H-Statutory Holiday P-Professional Activity Day B-Board Designated Holiday E-Exam Day)

#### Elementary Calendar:

April 15 & 18 (H)

May 23 (H)

June 3 (P)

#### Secondary Calendar:

April 15 & 18 (H)

May 23 (H)

June 22-24, 27-28 (E), 29 & 30 (P)



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**KHNG Newsletters January, April, July and October 2022**

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**Business card size, graphic, logo and border**

\$15.00 for Newsletter \$10.00 for Website

**Small word ad, max 15 words, No graphics, FREE**

Newsletter advertising helps fund KHNG events

**Advertise in our next newsletter July 2022!!**

**\*\* KHNG OFFICE \*\***

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**TO REACH OUR STAFF PLEASE**

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**Phone Number: 519.993.5264**





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# Spring/Summer Info!



## 2022



**Kortright Hills Neighbourhood Group & 26th Guelph Scouting Group**

### Clean and Green



**Saturday April 30, 2022**

Sponsored by:



**9:00 am – 11:00 am**

**Meet at the Kortright Hills Community Room**  
(KHNG community room, side entrance of the school)

Join us for our 14th annual family clean up of our public green spaces & parks.  
Gloves, maps and garbage bags will be provided.  
Help keep our community beautiful.



For more information contact  
Leone Schadenberg KHNG Neighbourhood Support Worker  
[kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com)  
or [www.khng.ca](http://www.khng.ca)





**Calling all gardeners!**

Plots are now available for rent at Mollison Park Community Garden for the 2022 gardening season. Please contact Nicole at [mollisonparkcommunitygarden@gmail.com](mailto:mollisonparkcommunitygarden@gmail.com)

**Volunteers Needed!**

Mollison Park Community Garden is looking for energetic volunteers to help out their neighbours while earning hours towards high school graduation. Please contact Nicole at [mollisonparkcommunitygarden@gmail.com](mailto:mollisonparkcommunitygarden@gmail.com) for more information.



## SUPPORT LOCAL BUSINESS

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## 😄 KHNG GIGGLE CORNER ..... 😄



Colouring picture for lazy people.

Not Wordle, just some flowers



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**Share Community News In The KHNG Newsletter:**  
 KHNG sends an electronic newsletter, four times a year, next issue is July 2022. Want to advertise your business? Want to share your favourite recipe? Write an article of interest? Or are you a student looking to offer your services (i.e. babysitting, shoveling snow, cutting/raking the lawn). Send your information by E-mail to: [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com). This is a great way for Kortright Hills Neighbours to come together by sharing thoughts, talents & services with our community neighbours.

# Kortright Hills Community News!



## Life Gears & KHNG Summer Camp

This summer Kortright Hills NG will be partnering with Life Gears Academy to offer 6 weeks of summer STEM camps.

Find camp descriptions and registration here  
<https://www.lifegears.org/camps/summer-camps>

**Location:** (still being confirmed) Kortright Hills Neighbourhood Group Community Room (23 Ptarmigan Dr)  
**Dates:** July 11 to August 26th (excluding Aug. 2 week)  
**Time:** Monday - Friday 9am - 4pm  
 (8:30am - 4:30pm extended care for an additional \$5/day)  
**Ages:** 8-11  
**Cost:** \$210 for a 5 day week



## STEM Camps Ages 8 to 11 Guelph



Kortright Hills P.S.  
**\$210/week**  
**9am to 4pm**  
 extended care available

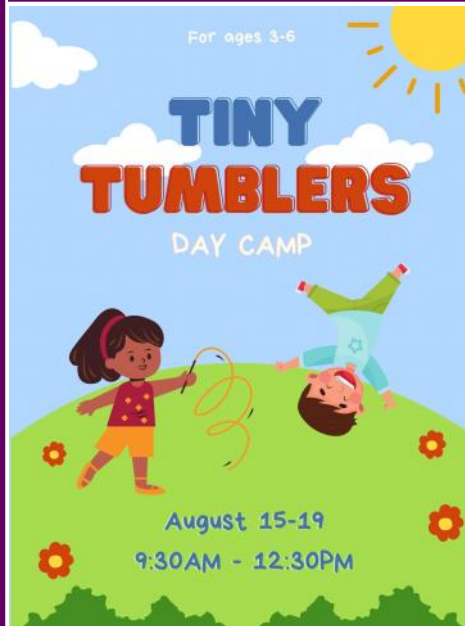


Week 1	Week 2	Week 3
July 11 - July 15	July 18 - July 22	July 25 - July 29
Young Engineers	STEAM Team	Jr. Mad Scientists
Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Aug 8 - Aug 12	Aug 15 - Aug 19	Aug 22 - Aug 26
Magic STEM	Girl STEMpowerment	Nature Explorers

**Website:** [www.lifegears.org](http://www.lifegears.org)  
**Email:** [admin@lifegears.org](mailto:admin@lifegears.org)  
**Text/Call:** 5197663030



## Connection Dance Collective Summer Camp



Connection Dance Collective offering Summer Camp  
 July 5th to Sept 1st.  
 Register at:  
[www.connectionsdancecollective.com](http://www.connectionsdancecollective.com)



July 25-29 | 9am-4pm | \$40/day

### Summer Classes

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
KID ZODIAC	TINY TUMBLERS	KID ZODIAC
JAZZ	JAZZ & TUMBLING	TUMBLING
JAZZ	JAZZ	LINCOLN & SPENCER
KID ZODIAC	CONNECTIONS	JAZZ & TUMBLING

Class Dates: July 5 - September 1  
 The classes happen 1x  
 Register: [www.connectionsdancecollective.com](http://www.connectionsdancecollective.com)

## Skill Samurai Guelph Summer Camp

Skill Samurai Guelph is offering summer camps this year with UGDSB. Registration is open for two great options. Outdoor Adventure camps:



<https://forms.gle/rAGBu9rPpYXea1Qs8>  
 and Skill Samurai Guelph (Tech minded children/teens):  
<https://www.skillsamurai.com/guelph/summer-camps/>  
 we are offering discounts to help with the recent increases in life. Email Skill Samurai Guelph [bgould@skillsamurai.com](mailto:bgould@skillsamurai.com) if you are interested and a discount will be sent to you. (please note location has not been secured due to waiting for confirmation from UGDSB)



# Kortright Hills Community News Cont'd!



## 26th Scout Group Virtual Craft Fair ... Join Us!



### 26TH SCOUT VIRTUAL CRAFT FAIR

**APRIL 3RD TO 9TH/22  
EASTER EVENT**

JOIN US TO VIEW A VARIETY OF VENDORS WITH AN ARRAY OF GIFT IDEAS FOR YOUR EVERY DAY NEEDS!

FUNDS RAISED BY BOOKING AS A VENDOR, GOES DIRECTLY TO THE 26TH SCOUTING GROUP TO HELP OFFSET COSTS OF AN UPCOMING JAMBOREE TRIP TO THE NETHERLANDS IN 2023

DUE TO COVID-19 ALL IN PERSON FUNDRAISERS ARE CANCELLED INDEFINITELY

FULL VIRTUAL DETAILS & OTHER DATES AVAILABLE FOR 2022 YEAR CAN BE FOUND THROUGH BOOKING LINK:  
<https://forms.gle/1V6JENwmbxeP9UQ97>



### 26TH SCOUT VIRTUAL CRAFT FAIR

**APRIL 24TH TO 30TH/22  
MOTHER'S DAY EVENT**

JOIN US TO VIEW A VARIETY OF VENDORS WITH AN ARRAY OF GIFT IDEAS FOR YOUR EVERY DAY NEEDS!

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### 26TH SCOUT VIRTUAL CRAFT FAIR

**JUNE 5TH TO 11TH/22  
FATHER'S DAY EVENT**

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## 26th Guelph Scouting Group

**Attention:** We are looking for volunteers to help run our scouting programs: Beaver Scout, Cub Scout, Scouts, Venturer Scout. If interested please contact Paul Group Commissioner of the 26th Guelph Scout Group: [paulleone@sympatico.ca](mailto:paulleone@sympatico.ca)



## KHNG Asking for Support

Have you missed Eggstravaganza, Summer Chill Night and Booonanza as much as we have?

Since the pandemic began, in-person events have stopped and KHNG moved to virtual contests to stay connected with the community.

For each virtual contest, KHNG has given away three prize packages to members of our community, thanks to generous donations from our community sponsors. We'd like to continue with our virtual contests until we can get back together in person to enjoy our awesome events.

To help us continue bringing good cheer to members of our community through our virtual contests, we are reaching out to you to ask if you would consider making a donation. Either a gift item or a monetary donation (via e-transfer to [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com)) If you have any questions please do reach out to Leone by email [kortrighthillsng@gmail.com](mailto:kortrighthillsng@gmail.com) Thank you for your support!

## Guelph Paint & Bike Re-Use & Goods Exchange

Guelph's Bike & Guelph Paint re-use opens April 18, 2022

Guelph's Goods Exchange weekend will be May 20 - 23, 2022



## KHNG Pet Corner

Sparky is a 9 year old who lives with his momma. His extended family includes aunts Kay and Mary and his best friend is Kaiser. Sparky's favourite treat is liver snaps. He likes to play with his stuffed toys at home with his momma. He goes and gets them for his momma to throw them & then he tosses them up in the air before bringing them back to his momma. Sparky prefers to greet other small dogs at the park with the exception of Kaiser.



## City Of Guelph Hiring For Summer

**GUELPH IS  
HIRING  
STUDENTS  
FOR  
SUMMER  
JOBS**

**We're hiring!**

This Summer be a:

- Camp counsellor or Lifeguard
- Parks, Operations or Environmental labourer
- Customer service representative or Clerical assistant
- Research or Program Assistant

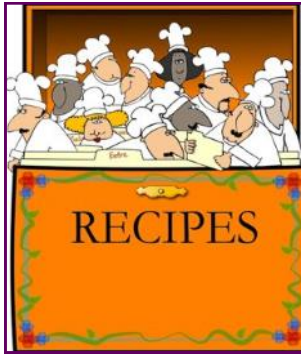
Hiring dates:  
December 6-January 17 for labour, camps and aquatic positions  
January 5-January 30 for clerical and program assistant positions

Apply at [guelph.ca/careers](http://guelph.ca/careers)





# Kortright Hills Recipe Corner!!



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## Appetizing Bread

### Ingredients:

- 1 (1 pound) loaf unsliced white bread
- 1 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese
- 1 cup grated Romano cheese
- 6 cloves garlic, crushed
- ½ cup chopped fresh parsley
- 1 cup extra virgin olive oil
- 2 tablespoons dried red chile peppers



### Directions:

Preheat oven to 300 degrees F (150 degrees C).

Place the unsliced white bread loaf in a large oven safe serving dish. Cutting only about half way down the loaf, make 8 slices. Sprinkle Parmesan cheese, Romano cheese, garlic, parsley, and 1/2 the extra virgin olive oil over loaf. Spread dried red chile peppers around base of bread.

Bake in the preheated oven approximately 15 minutes, or until the cheese is melted but not browned. Remove from oven and cover with remaining olive oil. Serve at once!

## Very Easy Fruit Salad



### Ingredients:

- 1 pint strawberries - cleaned, hulled and sliced
- 1 pound seedless grapes, halved
- 3 kiwis, peeled and sliced
- 3 bananas, sliced
- 1 (21 ounce) can peach pie filling

### Directions:

In a large bowl, combine the strawberries, grapes, kiwis, and bananas. Gently mix in peaches. Chill for 1 hour before serving.

*"Cooking is an expression that crosses boundaries"*

## Spring Vegetable Soup

### Ingredients:

- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- ½ cup chopped broccoli
- ½ cup torn spinach
- ½ cup chopped carrots
- 2 (32 fluid ounce) containers chicken broth
- 1 cup canned white beans

- ½ cup chopped onion
- 1 medium potato, peeled and chopped
- ½ cup frozen corn
- ½ cup chopped fresh mushrooms
- ¼ cup chopped cabbage
- 6 ounces egg noodles

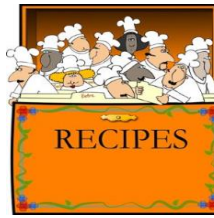


### Directions:

Heat the oil in a large pot over medium heat, and cook the onion and garlic until tender. Mix in potato, broccoli, corn, spinach, mushrooms, carrots, and cabbage. Pour in chicken broth and bring to a boil. Reduce heat to low. Simmer 20 minutes, until potato is tender.

Stir egg noodles and white beans into the pot, and continue cooking 7 minutes, or until noodles are tender and beans are heated through.

# Kortright Hills Recipe Corner!!



## Classic Chicken Fajitas

### Ingredients:

2 tbsp. vegetable oil  
1 onion, sliced  
2 red, yellow, orange bell peppers, sliced  
1 garlic clove, minced  
2 boneless, skinless chicken breasts, sliced  
1 tbsp. fresh lime juice  
1/2 tsp ground cumin  
1/4 tsp salt  
8 white, 7" tortillas warmed



2 tsp chili powder  
1/4 tsp cayenne pepper  
1/4 tsp black pepper

### Directions:

Heat a large frying pan over medium high. Add 1 tbsp. of the oil, then onion, peppers and garlic. Cook until vegetables are tender, about 3 to 5 minutes. Remove vegetables from pan and set aside.

Add remaining 1 tbsp. oil to pan, then chicken. Cook, stirring occasionally, until no longer pink, about 5 minutes.

Stir in lime juice, chilli powder, cumin, cayenne pepper, salt & pepper. Return vegetables to frying pan.

Fill tortillas with chicken & vegetables. Serve with your favourite toppings such as shredded cheese, chopped tomatoes, shredded lettuce, refried beans, sour cream and salsa.



## Main Dish Macaroni Salad

### Ingredients:

1 cup mayonnaise  
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese  
1/4 cup chopped parsley  
2 tablespoons milk  
1 clove garlic, minced  
2 cups corkscrew pasta  
1 1/2 cups diced ham  
2 cups halved cherry tomatoes



### Directions:

Cook pasta in a large pot of boiling water until al dente. Drain, rinse, and drain once more. Set aside.

In a large bowl, combine mayonnaise, grated cheese, parsley, milk, and garlic. Mix well. Stir in pasta, ham, and tomatoes. Chill several hours.

## Down East Maine Pumpkin Bread

### Ingredients:

1 (15 oz) can pumpkin puree  
4 eggs  
1 cup vegetable oil  
3/4 cup water  
3 cups white sugar  
3 1/2 cups all-purpose flour  
2 teaspoons baking soda  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
1 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves  
1/4 teaspoon ground ginger



### Directions:

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Grease and flour three 7x3 inch loaf pans.

In a large bowl, mix together pumpkin puree, eggs, oil, water and sugar until well blended. In a separate bowl, whisk together the flour, baking soda, salt, cinnamon, nutmeg, cloves and ginger. Stir the dry ingredients into the pumpkin mixture until just blended. Pour into the prepared pans.

Bake for about 50 minutes in the preheated oven. Loaves are done when toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.



## Strawberry Orange Rhubarb Cake

### Ingredients:

6 stalks rhubarb, cut into 1/2 inch pieces  
1 pint strawberries, hulled and sliced  
1 1/2 cups white sugar, divided  
1/2 cup butter, softened  
1 egg  
2 teaspoons grated orange zest  
1 teaspoon vanilla extract  
1 1/4 cups all-purpose flour  
1 teaspoon baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon baking soda  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
3/4 cup buttermilk



### Directions:

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Grease a 9 inch square baking dish.

Place the rhubarb and strawberries into a bowl. Stir in 2/3 cup of sugar until fruit is coated. Pour into the prepared pan and spread out to cover the bottom. In a medium bowl, beat the remaining sugar with the butter until light and fluffy, about 3 minutes. Mix in the egg, orange zest and vanilla. Combine the flour, baking powder, baking soda and salt; stir into the batter, alternating with the buttermilk. Pour the batter over the fruit in the dish.

Bake in the preheated oven until a toothpick inserted into the center comes out clean, about 55 minutes.