# Please Contact Us

We are located in the community room at Kortright Hills Public School 23 Ptarmigan Drive Guelph, ON N1C 1B5 519.837.0974 khng@bellnet.ca www.khng.ca

# **Our Boundaries**

North - Downey and Niska Rd from Hanlon to Waterfowl Park - 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 2014 issue

Snacks will be provided!!



Kortright Hills

-Your Neighbourhood Group

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# Visit us on the Web: www.khng.ca



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# Spring Programs!



PHOTO CLUB: Welcomes new members who are interested in digital photography to meet in the community room at Kortright Hills PS the first Monday of each month at 7:00pm. Contact Gregg Parsons for more information: 519.824.6107. NOTE: Next Photo Club Meeting May 5, June 2 & July 7, 2014



HOME DAYCARE SUPPORT GROUP: If you are providing child care in your home in our neighbourhood, come to the community room on Wednesday mornings from 9:30-11:30 to meet with other caregivers and children. Call Cheryl Campagnolo 519-837-2462 or cheryl.campagnolo@rogers.com for more information.

SCOUTS: Do you enjoy camping, making new friends, developing leadership skills and much more? If so, the 26th Scout Group is the group for you. Registration is available in all sections for the 2013/2014 scouting year

Beavers ages 5-7 meet Mondays 6:30-7:30 Cubs ages 8-10 meet Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 Scouts ages 11-14 meet Tuesdays 7:00-8:45 Venturer ages 14-17 meet Mondays 7:00-8:45



It starts with Scouts.

The above scouting programs meet at Kortright Hills Public School. Contact 26th Guelph Registrar Leone 519.821.6948 or email 26thguelph@w.scouter.ca for further information.

Welcome!

Thank You!

Informed:

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# A special 'thanks' goes to all of our volunteers and community





Visit other Neighbourhood Groups in Guelph for community events throughout the city.

Grange Hill East: Email: info@gheng.ca

Hanlon Creek Neighbourhood Group: hanlon creek neighbourhood@yahoo.ca

Two Rivers Neighbourhood Group: www.tworiversng.ca

Downtown Neighbourhood Association: www.guelphdna.ca/contact

Parkwood Gardens Neighbourhood Group: www.freewebs.com/parkwoodgardens/

Brant Ave Neighbourhood Group: http://brantaveng.com/

Waverley Neighbourhood Group: Phone: (519) 821-9677

Exhibition Park Neighbourhood Group: www.epng.ca

Onward Willow Neighbourhood Group: www.onwardwillowbetterbeginnings.ca/

Clairfields Neighbourhood Group: New Group

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

- Planning of Earth Day, Plant Swap, BBQ etc.
- Becoming a leader with our Scout Group \*
- Planning other social, recreational events \*

If these or similar opportunities are of interest to you, contact us today at khng@bellnet.ca Your help is needed - call or e-mail us today!!

# Mark your calendars to attend KHNG upcoming Events:

KHNG Monthly meeting/social: Tuesday April 15, 2014 Thursday May 15, 2014 Thursday June 19, 2014

- Garden Fresh Box Pick Up Wed Apr 16, May 21, June 18 2014
- KHNG/Wyndham House Fri May 2, 16, 30 June 13 & 27, 2014 multi sport drop in night KHPS School Gym
  - KHNG Annual Earth Day Saturday April 26th
  - \* KHNG Annual Plant Swap - Saturday May 3, 2014
- 26th Guelph Annual Compost Fundraiser Saturday May 3, 2014
  - \* KHNG Annual BBQ Saturday June 21, 2014

Visit KHNG website for up to date events: www.khng.ca Consider getting involved with YOUR Neighbourhood Group Join us the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm in the Community Room!



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# Two for Two is What You Do!



If you don't have dental insurance and can't afford care, we have free dental services for your children at Public Health. At our dental clinics, we provide free cleanings for children. We can help children with cavities and other urgent problems get the treatment they need.

For more information about our dental services, call our Dental Line at 1-800-265-7293 ext. 2661 or visit www.wdgpublichealth.ca





# 26TH GUELPH COMPOST FUNDRAISER

Help the 26th Venturer Group raise money to travel to a 2014 EAST COAST JAMBOREE IN AUGUST!! \$3.00/cubic square foot bags Pre Order your compost today!! Please call Paul 519-821-6948 Or Email: paulleone@sympatico.ca Pick up your orders Sat. May 3rd, 2014 23 Ptarmigan Dr., 9am to 2pm

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Guelph's south-end is growing fast and you and I are part of that!

**IRFIELDS** 

Do you love connected community?

I want to know my neighbours and what you want this neighbourhood to look like?

**So, let's participate in Clairfields** Neighbourhood Group

The Clairfields neighbourhood group gives us a place to meet, co-create and share ideas or get together to build connections.

Come out and bring your opinions + friends on:

May 15th @ 7pm

Sir Isaac Brock School

111 Colonial Dr. classroom #104 Snack will be provided

I hope to see all of you there!

For more information contact Rita Esber at clairfieldsng@gmail.com

# <u>26th Guelph</u> <u>Scouting Group</u>

Looking for volunteers to help run our scouting programs in the Fall Beaver Scout Cub Scout Scouts Venturer Scout Programs If interested please contact Paul Schadenberg Commissioner 26th Scout Group 519-821-6948



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# Want to Advertise in KHNG Quarterly Newsletter:



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KHNG sends an electronic newsletter out four times a year, next issue July 2014. If you wish to advertise your business, a small sponsorship fee will apply. Share your favourite recipe with your neighbours, write an article of interest or if you are a student looking to offer your services (i.e. babysitting, shoveling snow, cutting/raking the lawn) and wish to put your information in our newsletter E-mail khng@bellnet.ca. This is a great way for Kortright Hills Neighbourhood to come together by sharing thoughts, talents and services available, neighbours helping neighbours.

# Kortright Hills Classifieds!!

Community Volunteers Needed!!

# Volunteers Needed for "KASP" Program

Kortright After School Program need volunteers to assist with this program. KASP runs Mon, Tues, Wed and Thurs, 3:20 to 5:30 pm, students JK to Gr. 6. This would be a perfect opportunity for stay-at-home parents, grandparents and/or high school/university students to give back to the community. If interested please contact Leone khng@bellnet.ca

### 26th Guelph Scouting Group

Do you enjoy the outdoors? Do you love to work with children aged 5 to 17? Become a volunteer leader at the 26th Guelph Scouting Group. For further details contact 26thguelph@wellington.on.scouts.ca

Kortright Hills Neighbourhood Opportunities

## KHNG Community Room

Are you looking for a place to hold a community meeting, start a club, provide a workshop or have an idea for adult or children programs? Would you like to share your time/ideas with the neighbourhood. Call or email KHNG to find our more information or book the community room.

### KHNG Electronic Mailing List

Join KHNG mailing list to receive newsletters/posters of recreational and social events within your neighbourhood. Tell your friends and neighbours, call or email Leone to add your email to our electronic list.

# Local Home Daycare

Boogaloos Home Daycare Full and Part-time openings available Children ages 18 months to six years old. Contact: Brandy at 226-706-6000

## www.daycare.boogaloos.ca



# 26th Guelph Scouting Group

Join The Adventure of 26th Guelph Scouting Group

# Interested in joining BEAVERS, CUBS, SCOUTS...

Register now for this scouting year 2013/2014. The 26<sup>th</sup> Guelph Scouting Group meets in the school gym at Kortright Hills Public School Beavers ages 5-7 meet Mondays 6:30-7:30 Cubs ages 8-10 meet Wednesdays 7:00-8:30 Scouts ages 11-14 meet Tuesdays 7:00-8:45 Venturers ages 14-17 meet Mondays 7:00-9:00 For more details contact Leone 519-821-6948 or 26thguelph@wellington.on.scouts.ca



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# Makin' Faces Face Painting/Infinite Body Arts!!

Makin' Faces Face Painting/Infinite Body Arts Face Painting & body art plus henna, jagua, glitter, belly painting & airbrush tattoos.

With an awards winning & insured Crew of specialty artists we can accommodate events of all sizes from birthday parties to festivals. 519-942-7539 infinitebodyarts@gmail.com or makinfaces@gmail.com



# Want to Advertise in KHNG Newsletter

KHNG Newsletters January, April, July and October 2014 Sponsorship Suggested Rate Scale:

- Full page ad, graphics, logo and border \$100.00 for Newsletter \$50.00 for Website
- Half page ad, graphics, logo and border \$50.00 for Newsletter \$25.00 for Website
- Quarter page ad, graphics, logo and border\$25.00 for Newsletter\$15 for Website
- 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 April 2014!!



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# Kortright Hills Classifieds Continued!!



Community Room Available!! Community Teacher Needs Your Help!! One of our community members, a teacher with the Upper Grand District Do you have an idea for an: School Board, has helped to launch a new program for Teen Parents. It operates out of the Shelldale Community Centre in the afternoons. Their Event mandate is to provide support to the Teen Parents as well as the Program opportunity to finish their high school diplomas. There are several ways for you to contribute to this worthwhile initiative Social such as: that may interest others in the 1) Being a mentor who will meet on a periodic basis with the parents 2) As a community member who has the ability to donate either Kortright Hills Neighbourhood? financially or with donations of clothes, toys, diapers, bottles etc. 3) As a community member who could offer their services pro bono (i.e. Ask KHNG about using the community room! taxes etc.) Call Leone 519.837.0974 or e-mail: khng@bellnet.ca Thank-you in advance for your generosity and for helping to make a positive difference. Contact KHNG:

Please contact Kim Durst at 519-831-3720 or kimberley.durst@ugdsb.on.ca





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# Summer Safety Tips for Everyone:

# SUN SAFETY

- Apply sunscreen that is SPF 15 or more 20 minutes before you go outside
- Wear clothes that cover your skin such as hats, shoes, long pants, and long sleeved shirts
- Protect your eyes with sunglasses that are UVA and UVB rated
- Stay in the shade



- Heat Waves
- Drop into a cool store, restaurant or Theatre every so often
- Stay hydrated by drinking enough water and avoiding caffeine and alcoholic beverages
  - If you do not have air conditioning, try sitting in front of a fan
  - Take cool showers to help lower your body temperature

# Thunderstorms/ Lightning

- Go inside or remain in your vehicle
- Inside buildings, stay off corded phones, computers and other electrical equipment that put you in direct contact with electricity
- Stay inside your vehicle; you may get a shock if you step outside
- Lightning victims do not carry an electrical charge, are safe to touch, and need urgent medical attention

# Seasonal Safety Tips

April - The nice weather will be starting and there will be an increased number of cyclists on city roadways. Please share the roadway and take note of cyclists around you.

May - Make sure you car is in proper repair to start your holiday weekend. Please don't drink and drive. Kids, make sure you wear you bicycle helmet.

June - School's out... make sure you are aware of the increased pedestrian and bicycle traffic from youths on city streets and neighbourhoods.

Other tips can be found on the Guelph Police Services website: http://www.guelphpolice.com







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GUELPH POLICE SERVICE PRIDE SERVICE TRUST

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# Kortright Hills<br/>Recipe<br/>Corner!!Image: Constant of the cityRecipe<br/>Corner!!Image: Constant of the city

# Berry, Mango & Spinach Salad

# Ingredients:

- 4 cups tightly packed baby spinach leaves
- 1 cup chopped mango s (3/4-inch chunks)
- 1 cup fresh strawberries , quartered
- 1/2 cup thinly sliced red onions
- 1/4 cup Kraft Fruit & Veg Berry Balsamic Dressing 1/4 cup toasted slivered almonds

# Directions:

Cover platter with spinach; top with fruit and onions.

Drizzle with dressing just before serving.

Sprinkle with nuts.

# Miracle Devilled Eggs

Ingredients:

6 hard-cooked eggs , cut lengthwise in half 1/3 cup Miracle Whip made with Olive Oil Spread\* 1/8 tsp. paprika



Directions: Mash egg yolks in medium bowl with fork. Add Miracle Whip; mix well. Fill whites with yolk mixture; sprinkle with paprika. \*Made with a blend of oils including olive, canola, and soybean oil.

# Potato Gems

Ingredients:

1/2 lb. (225 g) each new red and white potatoes (1 to 1-1/2-inch)1/4 cup Pure Kraft Refrigerated Creamy Balsamic Dressing1 Tbsp. chopped fresh chives

Directions:

Heat oven to 400°F.

Spread potatoes onto rimmed baking sheet; spray lightly with cooking spray.

Bake 20 to 25 min. or until tender; place in large bowl. Add dressing; toss to coat. Return to baking sheet. Bake 5 to 8 min. or until lightly browned.

Transfer to serving dish; sprinkle with chives.







# Ingredients:

- 3 cups coleslaw blend (cabbage slaw mix)
- 4 skinless salmon fillet's (1 lb./450 g), 1 inch thick
- 1 cup cherry tomatoes , halved
- 1 small onion , thinly sliced

1/4 cup Kraft Calorie-Wise Sun-Dried Tomato & Oregano Dressing

# Directions:

Heat barbecue to medium-high heat.

Spoon coleslaw blend onto centres of 4 large sheets heavy-duty foil; top with remaining ingredients. Fold to make 4 packets.

Grill 10 min. or until fish flakes easily with fork.

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# Kortright HillsRecipeCorner!!

Ingredients:

1-1/2 cups flour

1 egg, beaten

Directions:

Refrigerate 1 hour.

1 tsp. sugar

1/2 cup butter, softened

1 can (19 fl oz/540 mL) cherry pie filling

tending edge of dough over top of jar.

starts to bubble through slits. Cool 1 hour.

# Caramelized Carrots & Onions

# Ingredients:

1 small sweet onion , chopped 1/4 cup Kraft Extra Virgin Olive Oil Fig Balsamic Dressing 1 lb. (450 g) carrot s, cut diagonally into 1/4-inch-thick slices 1 tsp. zest and 1/4 cup juice from 1 orange 1 Tbsp. brown sugar



# Directions:

Cook onions in dressing in large skillet on medium-low heat 15 min. or until onions are soft and caramelized, stirring occasionally.

Meanwhile, cook carrots in boiling water in large saucepan 2 to 3 min. or until crisp-tender; drain.

Add carrots, orange zest, juice and sugar to onions in skillet; mix well. Cook on medium heat 2 to 3 min. or until carrots are heated through and evenly glazed, stirring frequently.

# Hip-Hop Bunny Cake

# Ingredients:

2 baked 9-inch round carrot cake layers , cooled 1 pkg. (250 g) Philadelphia Light Brick Cream Cheese Spread , softened 1/2 cup butter , softened 1 pkg. (500 g) icing sugar 2 tsp. vanilla



2-2/3 cups flaked coconut , divided few drops red food colouring

1/2 tsp. water

decorations: 2 pieces red string licorice, 2 large flat gumdrop candies, 17 small gumdrops

# Directions:

Cut 1 cake layer as shown in Diagram 1. Arrange cakes on tray or large platter as shown in Diagram 2.

Beat cream cheese spread, butter, sugar and vanilla with mixer until blended; frost cake.

Reserve 1/4 cup coconut. Mix food colouring and water; toss with remaining coconut until evenly tinted. Sprinkle over cake. Add reserved coconut for the cheeks and inner ears.

Add decorations to resemble photo.



Cherry Cutie Pies in a Jar

1/2 cup (1/2 of 250-g tub) Philadelphia Cream Cheese Spread

Beat cream cheese spread and butter in large bowl with mixer until blended. Gradually beat in flour; shape into ball. Wrap in plastic wrap.

Heat oven to 375°F. Roll out dough on lightly floured surface to 1/8-

inch thickness. Remove lids from 6 clean (125-mL) jam jars. Use the

ring from 1 jar to cut 12 (4-inch) rounds from dough, rerolling scraps as necessary. Press 1 round onto bottom and up side of each jar, ex-

Spoon pie filling into jars. Brush edges of dough at tops of jars evenly with half the egg. Cover with remaining dough rounds; seal edges with

fork. Brush with remaining egg. Cut slits in tops with sharp knife to

allow steam to escape. Sprinkle with sugar. Place on rimmed baking

sheet. Bake 35 to 40 min. or until tops are golden brown and filling

Growing Vegetables from Kitchen Scraps....in Water!

**It's hard to wait until fresh vegetables are ready from the garden,** but you can easily regrow vegetables in your window sill from vegetable scraps.

You only have to cut the bottom of the plant (vegetable) off and **place the 'root' in a container with about an inch of water. Change** the water a couple times a week.

In about 3-4 weeks, you will have a small vegetable ready to harvest. You can transplant them into soil for a larger plant.

Try this with celery, lettuce, green onions, kale and bok choy.

Enjoy!!





CUT OFF THE ROOT!!



ONE WEEK GROWTH!!

THREE WEEK GROWTH!!



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