

Ontario Power Generation

Winter Friends Family Event

Saturday, December 3

10:00 am - noon or 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Pickering Nuclear Information Centre

Earth Rangers visit to help us learn about animals and their winter habitats. Join us to build a winter home for a winter friend. Pre-registration is required. Online at opg.com/community or by calling 905.839.1151 ext 3745

Cinderella

December 3 & 10 at 8:00 pm

December 3, 4, 10, & 11 at 2:00 pm

Cheer the hero, and boo the villain while enjoying this traditional Christmas pantomime play! Tickets on sale now, call 905.683.8401.

Rouge Hill Seniors Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, December 3

10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Petticoat Creek Community Centre

Bake Table, Vendors, and Lunch for \$6.00.

Poinsettia Tea for Adults 55+

Sunday, December 4

1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

Pickering Recreation Complex

An enjoyable afternoon featuring live entertainment by the George Lake Big Band, light refreshments and poinsettia raffles. Tickets on sale now.

Make a Joyful Noise Music Nights

Tuesday, December 6 and

Thursday, December 8

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Civic Complex, Council Chambers

These free holiday concerts feature local musicians and choirs performing a variety of seasonal favourites. Food bank donations appreciated. Performers are welcome - call 905.420.4620 ext 2064 for information.

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Senior's Holiday Movie & Tea

Tuesday, December 6 at 1:00 pm

Pickering Nuclear Information Centre

Enjoy an afternoon of entertainment including a holiday film along with coffee, tea and goodies. Pre-registration is required. Online at opg.com/community or by calling 905.839.1151 ext 3745

Bicentennial Christmas in the Village

Sunday, December 11

12:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Pickering Museum Village

Village inhabitants are busy preparing for this special time of the year. Step back in time and experience Scottish Hogmanay, Welsh traditions, a Victorian English Christmas and stay for a dance or two at Squire Jonathan's Christmas Ball.

AquaFit for Appetites

December 19 - 23

Free AquaFit class with a food bank donation this week. Class schedule online at cityofpickering.com/recreation

Food for Fitness

Wednesday, December 14

Free Group Fitness class with a food bank donation today. Class schedule online at cityofpickering.com/recreation

Mayor's Light Tour for Adults 55+

Wednesday, December 14

7:00 pm from various pick-up locations

Enjoy the holiday lights on this free neighbourhood tour, including a short stop at the Rec Complex for refreshments and entertainment by the Brian Rose Little Big Band. Check the City website or call for pick-up locations. 905.420.6588

New Year's Eve Family Countdown

Saturday, December 31

7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Pickering Recreation Complex

This family celebration features a free skate, swim or a movie with games, prizes, countdown and this year only... residents can help create our Bicentennial Time Capsule - to be opened in the year 2111.

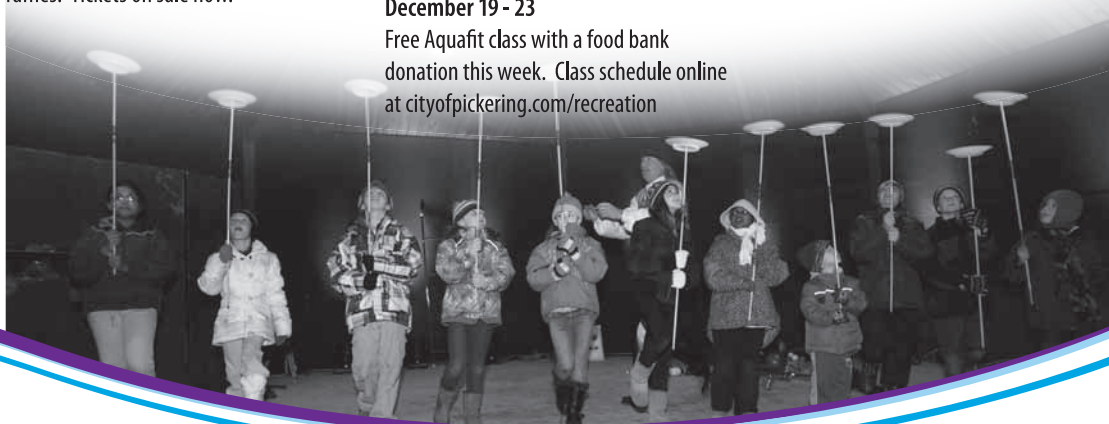
Mayor's New Year's Day Levee

Sunday, January 1

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Civic Complex

Mayor and Members of Council invite you to join them at this new year welcoming party. On the agenda: entertainment, refreshments and fun.



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Open House**Saturday, January 7****10:00 am – 2:00 pm****Pickering Recreation Complex**

Make your goals a reality this year. Let us show you how to make it happen. Enjoy free family swimming, try your hand at squash or tennis, talk to a nutritionist, meet our fitness experts and try us out!

Senior of the Year Award: Nomination

The City of Pickering is excited to honour one local senior for their outstanding accomplishments. To be eligible for the award, the individual must be over 65 years of age and have enriched the social, cultural or civic life of the community. Please let us know about the recipient on one page. Entries must be received by February 10, 2012.

One senior will be selected and invited to a recognition ceremony as part of our Seniors Month Celebration on the first Sunday in June. Nominations can be mailed to: Marisa Carpino (Acting) Manager, Culture & Recreation One The Esplanade Pickering, ON L1V 6K7

Family Day**Monday, February 20****10:00 am - 5:00 pm****Pickering Recreation Complex**

Purchase your family passport for access to a day of family, fitness and fun. 905.683.6582

Heritage Day Celebration**Saturday, February 25****11:00 am****Pickering Town Centre**

Presented by the Pickering Advisory Committee on Diversity Cultural & Heritage Associations can participate in the event by providing cultural performances (dance or music) and/or by providing a display that showcases their heritage. Please join us as we celebrate Pickering's rich heritage and cultural diversity! Visit the City's website to view 2011 event photos.

For more information or to confirm your interest to participate, please call Jody Morris at 905.683.2760 ext. 3601 by January 6, 2012.

Sunday Afternoon Big Band**Sunday, March 25****2:00 pm – 4:00 pm****Pickering Recreation Complex**

Join us for your listening and dancing pleasure, the George Lake Big Band. Tickets are \$5.50 each. For more information call 905.420.6588.

Seedy Saturday**Saturday, February 4****10:00 am – 3:00 pm****East Shore Community Centre**

Annual seed swap and sale with a seedy cafe. \$3.00 admission. 905.683.8401

March Break**Monday, March 12 - Friday, March 16**

Check out this week's great line up of camps and family activities at cityofpickering.com/marchbreak

Check our website often for details on all of our great events!

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  search **Pickering Great Events**

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It's a Happy Birthday

at the Pickering Recreation Complex

Rec Room Romp! 1 to 4 years

Celebrate your child's birthday in the Rec Room at Pickering Recreation Complex. Your choice of unstructured playtime or a party planned by Rec Room staff with games and crafts! Every party has a special keepsake for the Birthday Child to take home.

Duration/Fee:

1.5 hours of Rec Room fun and
1.5 hours in a party room
\$166 (up to 11 children with 2 adults)

Kindergym Parties 1 to 7 years

A great party for active children at Pickering Recreation Complex. Jumping, sliding, climbing and more! This is a party that all will adore! Children under 3 must bring a parent along. Our qualified instructor will lead your group through fun activities using soft equipment especially designed for younger children.

Parties available September through June.

Duration/Fee:

1 hour of Kindergym and
1.5 hours in a party room
\$132 (maximum 11 children)

Creative Play Party 3 to 5 years

Pre-schoolers will be gloriously busy while they explore all the creative play room has to offer. Activities include arts & crafts, painting, and games led by a fantastic instructor at Pickering Recreation Complex. Parties available September through June.

Duration/Fee:

1 hour in the Creative Play Centre and
1.5 hours in a party room
\$166.00 (maximum 11 children)

Family Fit Party 7 to 12 years

You pick the line up and we'll guide the Fun! Choose from: Boot Camp Bonanza, Obstacle Course Kamikaze or Circuit Breaker

Duration/Fee:

1 hour of facilitated activity and
1 hour self guided in a party room
\$169 (up to 12 participants)
\$200 (up to 20 participants)

The Classic Pool Party all ages

We've got a party in the pool at Pickering Recreation Complex. Enjoy exclusive use of the big pool, small pool and the diving well. Make a real splash by adding a meeting room for your guests. Notes: Pool admittance policy in effect.

Duration/Fee:

1 hour in the pool
Add a party room for 1.5 hours \$39.39*

Pickering Recreation Complex
available Saturdays and Sundays
from 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm
\$113.32 (up to 19 people)
\$137.72 (20 - 50 people)

**Book your Recreation Complex party today
call 905.683.6582**

at the Pickering Museum Village

Historic Fun Awaits!

Duration/Fee:

1.5 hours of activity and games and
1 hour in the party room
\$185 (up to 12 children and 3 adults)

Heritage Party 5 to 12 years

Your party guests will enjoy heritage crafts and old-fashioned children's games with our qualified leader at Pickering Museum Village. Choose from blacksmithing, candle making, stenciling, weaving and more. Parties available year round from 10:00 am until dusk, September through June on Saturdays and Sundays. Weekdays also available during July and August. Activity restrictions may apply seasonally.

Mystery Party 8 to 12 years

Super Sleuths will deduce that this is the best party of the year once they attend this mystery birthday at Pickering Museum Village. Guests solve the mystery and have some old-fashioned fun in the mix. Parties available June-September from 10:00 am until dusk on Saturdays and Sundays. Weekdays also available during July and August.

Tea Party 5 to 12 years

Dress up for fun at this Victorian Tea Party at Pickering Museum Village. Your little dolls are sure to have a ball at this traditional tea served up with delicious treats and old-fashioned parlour games. Parties available June-September from 10:00 am until dusk on Saturdays and Sundays. Weekdays also available during July and August.

PMV Themed Loot Bags are available for purchase at an additional cost.

**Book your PMV party today, call
the Museum at 905.683.8401**



Tours • Events • Theatre • Workshops

Outreach Programs

We'll bring the past to your classroom, senior's centre, retirement community or group meeting place. A wide variety of themes can be adapted for students or adults.

Themed Tours

Our interactive on-site tours aren't just for students! PMV staff will conduct themed tours for groups of 10 or more from April to December.

Education Tours

From preschool to post-secondary, PMV specializes in making history fun and interactive. Tour themes meet curriculum guidelines and are "hands-on".

Guest Speaker Presentations

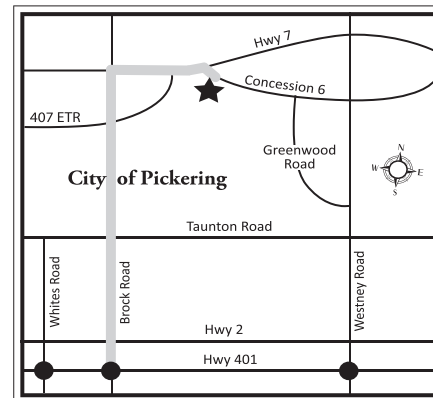
Need a unique keynote speaker for your next meeting or conference? We guarantee a time travel experience on a variety of topics, some of which may include music, dance, and/or drama!

Go online to learn about all of our great programs, events and activities!

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cityofpickering.com/museum

It's no old wives tale ...

Weave, bake and dip candles with live pioneers, all just 10 minutes from home.



Take Brock Road north to Hwy #7, turn right and watch for Bell tower

Printable pdf versions of tour packages and guest speaker presentations are available on our website. Visit cityofpickering.com/museum or call 905.683.8401 for more information to book your time travel opportunity!



PICKERING MUSEUM & Village

Celebrating 50 Years

Looking to Volunteer?

volunteers welcomed ages 6 and up

volunteer opportunities for individuals and families

apply any time training offered in Spring, Summer & Fall

applications online or in person

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Pickering Museum Village
Advisory Committee

10 Quick Clicks to the Past ...
Pickering Museum Village is located just off Hwy. 7 between Brock Rd. and Westney Rd.

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