

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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# Hop into the fun in Port Colborne this Easter holiday weekend

**PORT COLBORNE, ON –** As we prepare to hop into the Easter holiday weekend, here is what you need to know about upcoming events and holiday closures in the City of Port Colborne.

#### **Easter Farmers' Market**

The Downtown Port Colborne BIA is kicking-off the Farmers' Market season with their Special Easter Market on Thursday, April 6, from 7 a.m. to 12 p.m. in Market Square, 59 Charlotte Street.

For more information about the Farmers' Market and the 2023 season, follow them on Facebook.

## **Tugboat Bunny**

Come PORTicipate and help us welcome the Easter Bunny Saturday, April 8 at 10 a.m. as he sails in along West Street on the pilot boat. Tugboat Bunny is brought to you by the Downtown Port Colborne BIA.

# **Easter Egg Hunt**

After he arrives via tugboat, the Easter Bunny will hop over to the Vale Health & Wellness Centre for the annual Easter Egg Hunt and other family-oriented activities.

10 a.m. & 12 p.m. Eggciting Easter Workshop with Dena Gelentso

10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Face Painting

10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Colouring Station

**11 a.m. Easter Egg Hunt**: Bring your own basket. Participants should register at the main entrance of the Vale Health & Wellness Centre by age group: 1-5 years old, 6-10 years old, and 11-15 years old. If inclement weather occurs, the event will move indoors.

12 to 2 p.m. Free Skate

1 to 4 p.m. Free Swim with the YMCA

To accommodate these events, the walking track will be closed from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

# **Holiday Closures**

Municipal offices, including City Hall, Roselawn Centre and Sugarloaf Marina will be closed Friday, April 7 and Monday, April 10. Offices will re-open Tuesday, April 11 at 8:30 a.m. To connect with our customer service representatives, call 905-835-2900 or email <a href="mailto:customerservice@portcolborne.ca">customerservice@portcolborne.ca</a>.

The Port Colborne Public Library will be closed Friday, April 7 and Monday, April 10 to, but will be open Saturday, April 8.

The Vale Health & Wellness Centre is open all weekend. To view the arena programming schedule, visit our webpage.

To report a Public Works emergency during the holiday closure, call 905 835 2900 and press '9' to reach dispatch.

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