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## L'ÉCHO DU CANTON DE MELBOURNE TOWNSHIP BULLETIN

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### Your photo on our 2023 Calendar? Why not?

The council members of the Township of Melbourne request your participation to submit your pictures for next years municipal calendar.

Originality is essential and remember that in order to be selected, your pictures must be compatible with the orientation of a calendar:

- ❖ Taken horizontally, like this;
- ❖ 2MB resolution;
- ❖ Preferably color photos;
- ❖ JPEG format;
- ❖ Photos of one of the 4 seasons of the year.



Email us your files: [admin@melbournecanton.ca](mailto:admin@melbournecanton.ca).

Don't forget to indicate where the photo was taken.

### Welcome to our 7 newborns in 2021



The Mayor, Mr. James Johnston and the director general, Mrs. Cindy Jones distributed gift bags to highlight the arrival of 7 newborns in 2021. We are proud to welcome 1 baby boy and 6 baby girls:

- 👶 Jayden **son** of Jessica Vandal-Mitchell and Brian Faucher;
- 👶 Cleo **daughter** of Bridget Taylor and Christopher Smith;
- 👶 Saule **daughter** of Alexandra Pinsard and Jean-Gabriel Martin;
- 👶 Rosalie **daughter** of Amanda Markis Morrison and Sean St-Hilaire;
- 👶 Freya **daughter** of Vanessa Johnston and Casey Smith;
- 👶 Alessia **daughter** of Amanda Boersen and Marc-Alexandre Fonda;
- 👶 Marion **daughter** of Louise Moreau and Marc-André Sansoucy.

A great initiative by the Town of Richmond with the participation of the Township of Melbourne and the Township of Cleveland that has been going on for more than 10 years.

### The road... It's to be shared!

The road is a public space where people circulate using various means of transport. Whether it's pedestrians, cyclists, tractors, semi-trailers or cars, we're all concerned by the importance of sharing this road space harmoniously and safely.

For everyone's safety, we ask that users respect the speed limits on our various roads, be respectful of agricultural vehicles, school buses and all other means of transport crossing our municipality.



### Eliminate styrofoam number 6

In an effort to reduce the garbage sent to our landfills, the Township of Melbourne invites its citizens to reduce the ecological impact by bringing styrofoam eligible, for recycling to the EcoCenter located on Keenan Road.

This type of styrofoam is found in electronic device packaging or even take out food sold in polystyrene containers.

When renting our community center, we will be strongly suggesting to replace the styrofoam food containers such as coffee cup, plates, etc, by more ecological alternatives.



### Tax Credit for the Upgrading of Residential Waste Water Treatment Systems

You can claim this refundable tax credit for the 2017 to 2022 taxation years if you or your spouse paid qualified expenditures for the upgrading of a system for the discharge, collection and disposal of waste water from your principal place of residence or your cottage under a signed contract with a qualified contractor after March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, and before April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022. For more details visit our website at : [www.melbournecanton.ca /citizens/municipal inspector urbanism / septic systems](http://www.melbournecanton.ca/citizens/municipal_inspector_urbanism/septic_systems).

### Expired permit - Application for permit - What you should do?

Your permit has expired or is about to expire and there is still some work to be done? You must contact the inspector as soon as possible. Renovations or construction work performed without a valid permit is not permitted.

The firm Gestim has the mandate to study files, to issue new permits and also to answer questions concerning urban planning regulations. It is important to send your requests by email since this mode of communication will be prioritized.

Allow up to 30 days for issuance of a permit. Print the permit application form available on our website and return it by email at: [inspecteur@melbournecanton.ca](mailto:inspecteur@melbournecanton.ca).

Visit: [www.melbournecanton.ca / citizens / inspector - urbanism / permits](http://www.melbournecanton.ca/citizens/inspector-urbanism/permits).

### How to pay your municipal taxes

It is possible to pay your taxes directly at the townhall from Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to noon and 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. Only payment in cash or by cheque is accepted. We do not have debit or credit payment.

It is also possible to pay through your financial institution. The reference to be entered is the customer number appearing on the payment slips. Add "0"s to get a sequence of four digits. (e.g. 0001).

*N.B.: not functional with CIBC and Royal Bank*