

COVID-19 UPDATE

[NEWMARKET.CA/COVID19](https://newmarket.ca/covid19)



At the time of publication, all information below is accurate. However with the changing regulations during the pandemic, programs and events may change. For the most up to date information visit newmarket.ca/covid19

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Committee of the Whole

When: Monday, February 28 at 1 p.m.

Council Meeting

When: Monday, March 7 at 1 p.m.

All meetings will be streamed live online at newmarket.ca/meetings. All meetings will also be recorded and archived online.

NEWMARKET RECREATIONAL FACILITIES REOPENED

Welcome back! We have reopened various recreational facilities in Newmarket for you to enjoy such as swimming, skating, fitness, group fitness, skate park uses and more. Programs such as group fitness, aqua fitness, pickleball, badminton and volleyball will require patrons to register in advance. New schedules will be released for the week on Sunday at 8 a.m.

Register at play.newmarket.ca. See other schedules at newmarket.ca/schedules.

UJAMAA MARKET PLACE: SUPPORT BLACK-OWNED BUSINESSES

See, celebrate and support Black-owned and operated businesses featured on the online market.

Information: newmarket.ca/blackhistory

FULL S.T.E.A.M. AHEAD! ONLINE PROGRAM AT THE LIBRARY

This S.T.E.A.M. focused online workshop will accelerate your child's learning and to encourage your child's natural curiosity towards Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math. Suitable for those aged 6-9 years old. Cost is \$10 per child.

- **Workshop 1:** Raised Salt Painting on **Tuesday, March 8** from 4-5 p.m.
- **Workshop 2:** Potential Energy, Making a spinning card on **Tuesday, March 22** from 4-5 p.m.

Information and to register: newmarketpl.ca or call 905-953-5105.

TAKE EXTRA CAUTION AROUND STREAMS, RIVERS AND STORMWATER PONDS

Take caution around local bodies of water such as Fairy Lake, the Holland River and storm water ponds. Use extreme caution and advise your children not to skate, fish, swim or toboggan in these areas. **Stormwater ponds may look safe but water flow and levels can fluctuate quickly without warning. Please do not skate on stormwater ponds**

COVID-19 VACCINES IN NEWMARKET

Looking to book your first, second or booster shot in Newmarket? Spots are available at the Ray Twinney Recreation Complex and Community Centre vaccination clinics. Walk-ins are also available at both clinics. Book an appointment today at york.ca/covid19vaccine or call 1-877-464-9675 for assistance.

WASTE AND RECYCLING PICK-UP DELAYS

Residents may experience delays for their waste and recycling pick-up on their regularly scheduled pick-up day due to GFL staffing shortages as a result of the pandemic. If your items haven't been picked-up by 8 p.m., please take the items inside for the night and place them outside the next day at 7 a.m. GFL will return the next day to pick-up the items. We apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience.

Information: newmarket.ca/wasteandrecycling

PRIVATE TREE REMOVAL PERMIT

A new Private Tree Protection By-law has been approved that will require property owners to apply for a tree removal permit prior to removing a tree on their property. There are no fees for trees that are dead, dying, or hazardous, however a permit must still be obtained to remove the tree. All fees will be waived until July 2022. This by-law will protect Newmarket's tree canopy as trees provide many environmental benefits such as removing air pollution, providing shelter and food for animals, reducing greenhouse gas emissions, minimizing erosion and more.

Information: newmarket.ca/privatetreeremoval

NEWMARKET'S FAMILY DAY HOURS OF OPERATION

With Family Day weekend right around the corner, please see the hours of operation for Newmarket's facilities on **Monday, February 21** below:

- **Magna Centre:** 7 a.m. to 10 p.m.
- **Magna Fitness Centre:** 7am to 6pm
- **Ray Twinney Recreation Complex:** 11a.m. to 4 p.m.
- **Newmarket Youth Centre and Skate Park:** 12 p.m. to 5 p.m.
- **Newmarket Seniors' Meeting Place:** Closed
- **Municipal Offices:** Closed
- **Newmarket Public Library:** Closed (regularly closed on Mondays)

For after-hours emergencies, please call **905-895-5193** and **press 3** to be connected to our after-hours service. For power outages, please call Newmarket Hydro at **905-895-2309**.



Family Day Fun!

Sat, Feb 19 to Mon, Feb 21
FREE Family Day Fun activities all weekend long!

newmarket.ca/familydayfun



BECOME A NEIGHBOURHOOD HERO

In an emergency, **EVERY SECOND COUNTS**
Keep hydrants and walkways clear of snow for arriving crews.
Adopt a hydrant this winter!

Keep snow below



