

# BURNT RIVER ACTIVITIES GUIDE



July 2016



## **Burnt River Firefighter's Car Wash**

On **Saturday July 2<sup>nd</sup>**, the Burnt River Firefighter's Association will hold their annual car wash to be held at the Burnt River Fire Hall, 186 Burnt River Rd., **9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** Come out and enjoy a peameal on a bun, hamburger, hot dog and refreshments. All are welcome. Help support your local Fire Department.

## **Pie Sale and Garage Sale**

A pie sale, along with a garage sale will be held **Saturday July 2<sup>nd</sup>** from **8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at St. Luke's Anglican Church in Burnt River. The pie sale starts at **9:00 a.m.** (as pies arrive).

## **Brunch & Bucks Euchre Tournament – Thursday, July 14<sup>th</sup>**

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## **Community Church Service**

A church service will be held on **Sunday July 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.** by St. Luke's Anglican Church at the Burnt River Community Centre. Everyone is welcome. A light lunch will follow.

## **Burnt River Children's Summer Reading Program**

The City of Kawartha Lakes Library presents **Woolly Wonders** on **Wednesday July 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 a.m.** at the Burnt River Community Centre. Everyone is welcome.



### **SAGE (Seniors Activity Group Exercise)**

SAGE exercises will take place at the Burnt River Community Centre every Monday and Friday at **9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.** SAGE established a seniors' gentle exercise group that is open to all ages, e.g. surgery patients. These exercises can be done sitting if you are unable to stand. Everyone is welcome to come. The more we have the better.

### **Quilting and Crafts**

Every **Tuesday** at the Burnt River Community Centre **10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.** Group programs or do your own thing. Everyone is welcome!

### **Swimming Lessons**

Swimming lessons will be available at the public beach on Four Mile Lake. To register, call the City of Kawartha Lakes at 705-324-6411 Ext. 1558.

### **Burnt River Bingo**

Every **Tuesday**, Bingo is back at the Burnt River Community Centre until December. Doors open at **5:30 p.m.** Come and enjoy the new program.

### **Meals-on-Wheels**

Meals-on-Wheels takes place on Wednesdays. A nutritious and delicious meal at affordable prices is delivered right to the door through Meals-on-Wheels to seniors, people with disabilities, and people recovering from illness or injury. Ask about our special diet options, including diabetic, no salt and low fat. Also, frozen meals are delivered to your door. For more information, please call Community Care at 705-324-7323 to find out the costs and delivery schedule. Additional information is also available on our "Service for Seniors and People with special needs information sheet".

### **Diners' Dinner**

**No Diners' Dinner** at Burnt River Centre during July and August. Dinners will resume in September.

### **Annual Mixed Lobball Tournament**

The Burnt River Bullies Mixed Lobball tournament is back again this year. Come out with family and friends on the **Civic Holiday** weekend. The website is: <http://burntriver.wix.com/lobball> . Hope to see you there!

### **July Events**

2 <sup>nd</sup>	Pie Sale and Garage Sale 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Firefighter's Car Wash 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
14 <sup>th</sup>	Brunch and Bucks Euchre – 11:30 a.m.
17 <sup>th</sup>	Community Church Service – 11:00 a.m.
27 <sup>th</sup>	Burnt River Children's Summer Reading Program – 11:00 a.m.

### **August Events**

Civic Holiday Weekend Annual Mixed Lobball Tournament
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## Weekly Activities at Community Centre

Sewing and Crafts Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Bingo Tuesdays, doors open at 5:30 p.m.

SAGES Mondays and Fridays 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Meals-on-Wheels Wednesdays

Darts Thursdays 7:30 p.m.

The B.R.A.G. staff welcomes your submissions and suggestions. For the next month's issue, email your submissions to Glenn Thompson at [thompson@ Sutton.com](mailto:thompson@ Sutton.com) by **July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2016**. Have your BRAG conveniently sent directly to your own email address by emailing us. Free access to the internet is available at the Burnt River library as well as at the Burnt River Post Office.

## Recipe of the Month

### Thai Salad

This is an easy recipe that my sister-in-law (a wanna-be chef) gave to me a number of years ago. The dressing used to be readily available as a PC product, but has since been withdrawn. However, the honey lime dressing is very easy to make from scratch and keeps well.

#### Ingredients:

leaf or romaine lettuce  
red onion thinly sliced (halves)  
Asiago cheese (grated)

cucumber sliced (half or quarter slices)  
cherry tomatoes (halved)

#### Honey Lime Dressing:

¼ cup olive oil  
½ lime (or more) squeezed  
1 – 2 tsp. honey

1 clove garlic, minced  
1 tbsp. balsamic vinegar  
(might add soya and/or Tabasco sauce)

#### Directions:

1. Assemble the greens, etc. in a large enough bowl to toss the salad with the dressing easily.
2. Make up the honey lime dressing (can be used immediately) and toss with the salad. You may not need all the dressing, so store it in a glass jar.

Carolyn Thompson

BRAG Food Editor 😊



# **BRUNCH & BUCKS EUCHRE**

**WHERE - Burnt River Community Centre**

**WHEN - THURSDAY, JULY 14<sup>th</sup>**

**TIME - 11:30 AM**

**COST - \$15.00 per person**

**THEME - SURPRISE**

**CONFIRM BY THURSDAY, JULY 7<sup>th</sup>**  
**by telephoning or e-mailing the co-ordinator**  
**Hugh Armstrong at 454 8085 or**  
**[armstrong.hugh.ruth@gmail.com](mailto:armstrong.hugh.ruth@gmail.com)**

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