



WELLINGTON NORTH
SEMPER PORRO

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MOUNT FOREST POOL CLOSED

KENILWORTH – On Friday, June 17, 2022 the Council of the Township of Wellington North made the difficult decision to permanently close the Mount Forest Lion Roy Grant Pool. The decision was made following a failed Public Health Inspection, where extensive repairs and costs were identified in order to re-open.

As such, the Township of Wellington North has cancelled all aquatics programming in Mount Forest and is offering a full refund to anyone affected by the facility closure; staff will be in contact with those that are impacted over the coming weeks. Mount Forest residents may wish to take lessons at the Arthur Outdoor Pool.

As part of the meeting Council directed staff to allocate \$200,000 to the design and development of the new Mount Forest Outdoor Pool and Aquatics Centre. As well, staff were asked to bring a report to Council giving consideration to transportation options and/or transportation subsidies for those users impacted by the closure.

Please watch for updates on our municipal website, Facebook page, Twitter and Instagram.

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