

2022



Lucan Biddulph Community  
Memorial Centre

*Township* OF  
**LUCAN BIDDULPH**  
COMMUNITY GUIDE



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It is with great pleasure that we can present the 2022 Annual Community Guide. While there are still many unknowns for this year, I hope that our Township will continue to offer community programming and events in 2022 that are an integral part of keeping our residents healthy and connected. This Community Guide will highlight many of the great programs, opportunities, volunteerism and businesses that make Lucan Biddulph the great community it is.

The past two years have been like none other we have experienced. The pandemic brought challenges to the Township that we could not have anticipated, both in duration and intensity. However, the community remained strong and resilient. We looked after and supported each other throughout the various waves of COVID-19 affecting our residents and businesses. Even with the impacts of COVID-19, our Township continued to grow, which is a tribute to the successful management of the Township, a good working Council, and the resiliency of the community.

The Lucan Community Memorial Centre will be undergoing a significant renovation in 2022. This is an exciting project that the community has been anticipating. In preparation of our community development campaign, we hope you share in our vision for the Lucan Biddulph Community Memorial Centre Renovation Project... Building Community Together.

On behalf of the Township Council and Staff, I hope residents, visitors and businesses will participate in our year-round activities and events. As always, I encourage you to Discover Lucan Biddulph.



a *Message*  
from the Mayor

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Lucan Biddulph Volunteer Fire Department

Fire Chief, Ron DeBrouwer

519-227-4913

Biddulph-Blanshard Volunteer Fire Department

Fire Chief, Steve Toews

519-225-2830



**Garbage & Recycling**

The Township offers an automated collection system which picks up recycling and waste bins every Friday. Please make sure your bins are placed at the curb/roadside by 7 am each Friday for pickup. Any bin size changes or damaged bin replacements, please contact Bluewater Recycling at 519-228-6678 or bra.org.

**Marriage Licenses**

The Township of Lucan Biddulph issues Marriage Licenses at a cost of \$125 (cash, cheque or debit). Please contact the office to schedule an appointment prior, or if you wish to do a walk-in appointment, please allow at least one day for the license to be ready for pick up.

**Installment Dates**

**Interim and Final Taxes and due on:**

- February 28, 2022
- May 31, 2022
- August 31, 2022
- November 30, 2022.

**Water Bills are due on:**

- January 16, 2022
- April 16, 2022
- July 16, 2022
- October 16, 2022

**Email Billing Delivery**

You can become more environmentally friendly by having your water billing and taxes sent via email. For more information please contact Rhonda at rfreiter@lucanbiddulph.on.ca or 519-227-4491 ext. 28.

**Burn Permits**

If you require a burn permit, please refer to by-law no. 23-2017 and call our office to obtain a copy of the application form.

**Green Waste Bins**

Green waste bins will be placed at the Public Works Facility at 34363 Saintsbury Line, and the Granton Park for "clean yard waste". Clean yard waste includes; grass, leaves, small brush (less than 6" diameter), and garden trim.

These containers will be available at the Public Works Facility and at Granton Park during the spring and fall.

**\*\*Do not drop off at Township Office\*\***

Dates will be confirmed on our website [www.lucanbiddulph.on.ca](http://www.lucanbiddulph.on.ca).

**Overnight Parking**

The Township enforces an overnight parking restriction between November 1st – April 30th between the hours of 3 am and 6 am. Please make sure your vehicle is off the streets during this time period.

**FOG Cups**

Making an effort to reduce FATS, OILS and GREASE from going down your drain will prevent odours, sewer backups and damage to the Township's Wastewater Treatment System. Pick up your complimentary FOG cup at the Township Office today.



## Organizations, Clubs and Groups

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## Organizations, Clubs and Groups, con't

Welcome Wagon  
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## Recreation Facilities and Parks/Businesses

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Lucan Yoga @ The Coach House  
Stacey Wood, Owner  
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Whole Fit  
Jon Celestino, Owner  
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## Faith-Based Organizations

Living Hope Church  
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Lucan Senior Sunshine Club  
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# *Eat Local*

## **North Star**

*14368 Elginfield Road*

## **Tim Hortons**

*33389 Richmond Street*

## **Ed's Fries**

*33406 Richmond Street*

## **Lucan Legion**

*136 Market Street*

## **Barracuda Grill**

*163 Main Street*

## **New Orleans Pizza**

*166 Main Street*

## **Thai Pad**

*175 Main Street*

## **Mjs Roadhouse**

*269 Main Street*

## **Sunshine Chinese**

*168 Main Street*

## **Malibu**

*36316 Richmond Street*

## **Coming Soon:**

Dairy Lovers 174 Main Street

# Come Discover Lucan Biddulph



 <https://www.facebook.com/DiscoverLucanBiddulph>

 <https://twitter.com/DiscoverLucanB>

 <https://www.instagram.com/discoverlucanbiddulph>



# LUCAN BIDDULPH

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## Community Improvement Plan

On April 20, 2021, Council approved the Community Improvement Plan which contained a number of initiatives and programs for future implementation.

The Community Improvement Plan identified the following programs to be considered for future funding:

1. Beautification Program
2. Rural Opportunity Program
3. Conversion, Expansion & Redevelopment Program
4. Industrial Stimulus Program
5. Additional Residential Unit Program
6. Affordable Housing
7. Accessibility Program

\*Not all of these programs will be funded in a year, Council and the Community Economic Development Committee will determine the programs & funds for each year annually.



For more information, contact Lisa deBoer, Economic Development & Communications Officer at: [ldeboer@lucanbiddulph.on.ca](mailto:ldeboer@lucanbiddulph.on.ca)





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## Municipal Election October 24, 2022

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Elections for municipal government are held every four years on the fourth Monday of October. The Legislative Assembly of Ontario legislation (Bill 81, Schedule H), passed in 2006, set the length of terms in office for all municipal elected officials at four years.

The Township of Lucan Biddulph will once again be utilizing the online and telephone voting method similar to the 2014 & 2018 elections.

Nomination Day for candidates will be May 2nd, 2022 and information on how to become a candidate will be available early in 2022.

*All election information will be posted on the Township's website.*

### Who can vote:

Anyone can vote in a municipal election who, on the day of the election, is:

- 18 years of age or older
- a Canadian citizen; and
- either a resident of the municipality or a property owner or tenant or the spouse or same sex partner of an owner or tenant in the municipality during a specified time just before the election.

### Who can be a candidate:

- Candidate must be a resident of the municipality or a non-resident owner or tenant of land in the municipality or the spouse of such non-resident owner or tenant;
- a Canadian citizen and at least 18 years old;
- not legally prohibited from voting; and not disqualified by any legislation from holding municipal office.

# VOTE 2022

# Huron Shores Area Transit

Get where you want to go with the all-new Huron Shores Area Transit bus service! This affordable bus system is designed to provide residents with affordable transportation options while connecting our local towns and villages to one another. This Transit system is made possible through an Ontario Community Transportation Grant. This grant supports local and intercommunity bus services in areas currently underserved by public transit. The Grand Bend to and from London Route (Green Route) runs seven days a week; this is the route that the Lucan Biddulph community is serviced by. Transit fares vary from \$5.00 - \$20.00 depending on where your destination and arrival locations are. Children aged 4 and under ride for free. The Lucan Biddulph bus stop is located on Main Street in front of the Lucan Community Centre.

Stops include Sobeys Plaza in Grand Bend, Main Street and Ontario Street North, Dashwood Road at Centre Street in Dashwood, Mill Avenue at Bluewater Municipal Building in Zurich, 108 King Street at the Heritage Hall in Hensall, Main Street Exeter at Victoria Street, Sanders Street and Huron Street West, Huron Park on Airport Line at Stephen Township Arena, Lucan on Main Street at the Community Centre & Arena and London on Fanshawe Road and North Centre Road in front of the RBC or London Transit Top #705.



For more information, please visit [www.huronshorestransit.com](http://www.huronshorestransit.com) or call customer service at 1-888-465-0783

# Lucan Library

270 Main St, Lucan | 519-227-4682 | [www.library.middlesex.ca](http://www.library.middlesex.ca)

## Employment Resources

Utilize free resources available at the Lucan Library for your job search. Create cover letters and resumés with easy-to-use software, view current job postings, or upgrade your skills with Gale Courses and Udemy, available for free online with your library card.

## Book Clubs

The Lucan Library hosts two monthly book clubs. Book Bites meets the second Wednesday afternoon of the month, and Fiction Addiction meets the second Thursday evening of the month. Meetings may be virtual or in-person, depending on current guidance from the Middlesex-London Health Unit. All are welcome.

## Middlesex EarlyON Child and Family Centre

The Middlesex EarlyON Child and Family Centre offers programming and support for children aged 0 – 6 and their caregivers. Programs may be held virtually, inside at the library, or outdoors in various community locations. For the most up-to-date information about what they are offering in our area, contact them at [earlyon@middlesex.ca](mailto:earlyon@middlesex.ca).

## Talk-In Clinics

Talk-In Clinics are walk-in counselling for children and youth from infancy to age 18 and their families. When possible, the clinics are held at the Lucan Library; contact the library for current information. If you need immediate assistance, please contact Tandem by phone at 519-433-0334.

## Mental Wellness

A CMHA Thames Valley Addiction & Mental Health worker is available on a drop-in basis or by appointment at the Lucan Library on the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Wednesday of the month from 1 – 4 pm. Please call CMHA Strathroy at 519-245-0120 ext. 3252 to schedule an appointment.

## Your Digital Library

Download and stream a variety of content for free with your Middlesex County Library card. Enjoy eBooks and digital audio books from cloudLibrary, Axis360, and Hoopla. Stream movies and television with Kanopy and Hoopla. Access newspapers and magazines from around the world with PressReader. Contact the Lucan Library to learn more.



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Supervisor, Leigh Robinson  
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# Lucan Area Heritage and Donnelly Museum



Museum

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Beginning in 1995 The Lucan and Area Heritage Society has worked tirelessly to preserve and present the history of Lucan and the surrounding area. This includes the story of the infamous Black Donnelly family. This story has continued to fascinate and continues to inspire works of literature and film. Our museum houses the Ray Fazakas collection of Donnelly family artifacts, as well as an expansive section on the history of Lucan-Biddulph. We also have two historic buildings, a barn used by Hearn's Dairy in the region that dates back to the turn of the century, and a log cabin built in the 1860s moved onto the site in the year 2000 which shares a floorplan and construction style with the original Donnelly Homestead.

Sadly, we have had to curtail our programs these past two seasons, but in 2022 we hope to bring back our most popular and successful fundraiser by mounting a brand-new Donnelly Escape Room!

We will be open from May through September and continue to offer services such as the Vigilante Bus Tour, our Donnelly Presentation, and our upcoming Virtual Tours. Our major fundraising gala originally scheduled for the summer of 2020 will now take place June 10th, 2023. So, keep an eye out for more information regarding our 1950s Rock & Roll Extravaganza!

You can keep up with the Museum and all its activities on our Facebook and Instagram pages, as well as at [DonnellyMuseum.com](http://DonnellyMuseum.com).



## *Choosing a child care provider is a big decision.*

As Canada's largest child care provider, we always hear from parents that they want somewhere their child will be safe and well-cared for, where they'll have fun and learn new things, and most importantly, somewhere they'll look forward to going to every day.

In other words, a home away from home; and that's what parents will find at the YMCA.

Through our Early Learning and Care and Before and After School Care programs, we are nurturing the development of all children to give them the best start possible. Parents have peace of mind knowing that their child is not only having fun and making new friends, but they're also developing the skills needed to succeed in kindergarten and beyond.

At the Y, we believe that play is the primary way in which children learn. That's why our dedicated Early Childhood Educators implement our acclaimed YMCA Playing to Learn™ Curriculum at our Licensed Child Care Centres throughout the region. This national, research-based curriculum is regularly cited for its unique and innovative involvement of educators and children in an enriched learning environment.

Over the past four years, our YMCA experienced a meaningful shift in our understanding, knowledge and practice of unstructured outdoor play opportunities within our licensed childcare locations. We shifted from the mindset of putting children in a bubble to one that allows risk, resilience building and confidence.

When we approach play with the lens of participation (as safe as necessary) instead of protection (as safe as possible), we open a world of potential. Unstructured outdoor play provides children with the opportunity to interact authentically within the environment and develop a sense of ownership.

It's been incredible to witness the shift in teaching our children that we trust them to test their limits and know when they are ready to take the next step. When we give them the opportunity to decide for themselves, what feels right, and what to do next, they:



- Learn self-regulation
- Develop resiliency
- Learn problem-solving
- Work together
- Practice empathy

To learn more about the YMCA child care centre in Lucan, you can visit [www.ymcaswo.ca/child-care/lucan](http://www.ymcaswo.ca/child-care/lucan)! Here you can see how to register, take a tour of our facilities, and learn about our commitment to helping our children succeed.



Many of Lucan Biddulph's programs, events, and services would not run without the help of

# Volunteers within our Community.

We are always looking for new volunteers, so if you are looking to get more involved this is your chance!

## Optimist Club of Lucan

The Optimist Club of Lucan is a group of dedicated volunteers who wish to spread hope and positivity to our community. The Optimists strive to meet the needs of young people in the community. By providing hope and positive vision, Optimists bring out the best in youth, our communities and ourselves. The Optimist Club of Lucan hosts seasonal events such as the Granton and Lucan Easter Egg Hunts, the Granton and Lucan Canada Day Bike Rodeos and previously hosted the KidZone at Baconfest. From sponsoring and hosting community events, to helping to fight childhood cancer, to running the Optimist Thrift Store, the Lucan Optimist Club responds to the special needs of our local community. The Lucan Optimist thrift store is located at 188 Main Street and continues to accept clothing and gently used items as donations. All funds raised at the thrift store go back into the community. The Club is always eager for new members and can provide high school students with their required volunteer hours.



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For more information, please visit our Facebook page: @optimistcluboflucan or email [lucanoptimists@gmail.com](mailto:lucanoptimists@gmail.com)

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## Lucan Lions

The Lions Club has been serving the Lucan area for over 70 years. The Lucan Lions Club is a volunteer organization with the motto "We Serve". Members in this Club share a focus on the betterment of our community. You have likely participated in one of the many events throughout the year helping raise funds for those in need; St. Patrick's Day celebrations, Ladies Night and the Lions Den at Baconfest to name a few. Funds are donated to a variety of local minor sport organizations, schools and youth programs. The Lucan Lions Club has also donated substantial funds to organizations such as VON, SARI, Jessica's house and our local hospitals. The Lucan Lions Club continues to sell tickets for the Classic Car draw; funds raised support Sunshine Dreams for Kids and various other worthwhile projects within our community.

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For more information, please visit our Facebook page: @lucanlions1

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## Student Volunteer Opportunities

Additional to the clubs listed above, the Lucan Biddulph Parks and Recreation Department is always looking for students to volunteer during special events, programming and public skates. If your teen is interested in gaining experience, please contact the Lucan Community Centre at 519-227-4442 or email [parksandrec@lucanbiddulph.on.ca](mailto:parksandrec@lucanbiddulph.on.ca).

# Middlesex County Trails

## Lucan Conservation Area

5420 Prince William St., Lucan

*"Thank you to Middlesex County and partners for providing images and information in our Community Guide. Please visit Middlesex County Trails Guide for more great trails!"*

Lucan Conservation Area is an eight-acre property adjacent to the Little Ausable River in the McGillivray Ward of North Middlesex. Half of the property is floodplain and the remainder is a rolling upland hardwood forest.

The Little Ausable subwatershed has a high level of stress with respect to water quality. The property, although small, improves subwatershed health.

**More Information:**

- Horses, motorized vehicles, and bicycles of any kind are NOT permitted in this conservation area.
- Campfires are only permitted in the provided barbecue.
- Hunting and camping are prohibited.



**EASY TRAILS • TRAIL DISTANCE: 0.5 KM**

**DIRECTIONS:** Take Prince William Street (County Road 13), 4 km west of Highway 4 at Lucan.

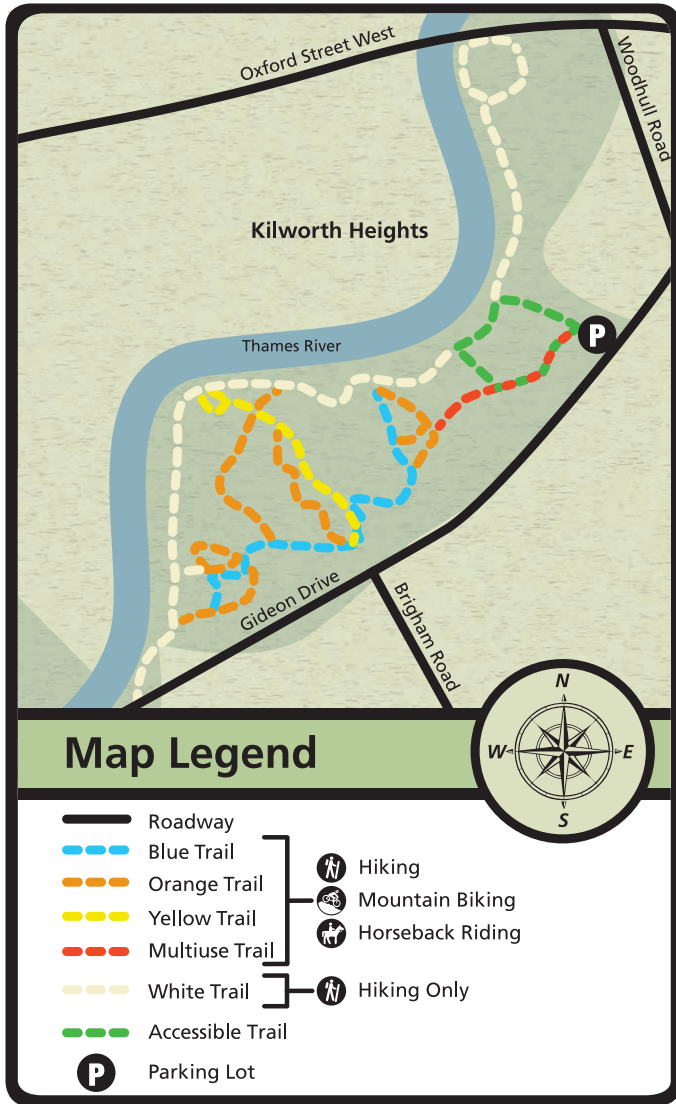
**CONTACT:** Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority, 519-235-2610

**WEBSITE:** [www.abca.on.ca/page.php?page=lucan-conservation-area](http://www.abca.on.ca/page.php?page=lucan-conservation-area)



# Komoka Provincial Park

## Gideon Drive, Komoka



Situated on the western edge of the City of London, the park is a hidden gem offering outstanding views of the Thames River valley. Popular activities at this day-use park include hiking, dog walking, trail running, bird watching, sport fishing and nature photography. Komoka Provincial Park has a vast trail system consisting of coloured trails (orange, yellow, blue) and the White Trail which spans the Thames River and North Thames River from Delaware to St. Mary's. Hiking, mountain biking and horseback riding are permitted on the coloured trails. To preserve features, bicycles and horses are not permitted on the White Trail.

The parking lot at Gideon Dr. and Brigham Rd., as well as the parking lot on Oxford St. will be closed for rehabilitation. A new parking lot has been created at 503 Gideon Dr., east of Brigham Rd., which offers lighting, garbage collection and restroom facilities. This new parking lot allows centralized access to the park and alleviates the problems posed by the former lots. The park boundary has also been expanded to include two provincially acquired parcels. An additional parking lot has been created at 22290 Komoka Rd. to access park lands known locally as "The Ponds."

**MODERATE TRAILS • TRAIL DISTANCE: 12.5 TOTAL**

**DIRECTIONS:** Parking is located off of Gideon Drive (County Road 3), west of Woodhull Road.

**CONTACT:** Port Burwell Provincial Park, 519-874-4691

**WEBSITE:** [www.ontarioparks.com/park/komoka](http://www.ontarioparks.com/park/komoka)

Please visit [www.visitmiddlesex.ca](http://www.visitmiddlesex.ca) for more information and the complete Middlesex County Trails Guide



## Nearby Active Nature Enjoyment!



**Enjoy conservation areas, trails, nature and recreation both in the Township of Lucan Biddulph and in nearby communities!**

In addition to the Lucan Biddulph Conservation Area (5420 William Street), there are many other nearby conservation areas and trails for you to enjoy. Spend time in nature, enjoy the beautiful scenery, get active, and check out other spaces for habitat appreciation and reflection.

Ausable Bayfield Conservation Authority (ABCA) has nine different local conservation areas.

To view the variety of different conservation areas, please visit: [abca.ca/conservationareas](http://abca.ca/conservationareas)

### **Morrison Dam Conservation Area**

Morrison Dam Conservation Area (MDCA) is located about 20 minutes from Lucan at 71108 Morrison Line, east of Exeter. Get outside and enjoy the well maintained trails that the Morrison Dam Conservation Area has to offer. Morrison Lake (Morrison Reservoir) is one of the area's only inland lakes.

### **South Huron Trail**

The scenic, multi-use South Huron Trail is an eight-kilometre trail with two sections, one in rural South Huron and the other with an urban trailhead in Exeter. This accessible trail links MacNaughton Park in Exeter and Morrison Dam Conservation Area at 71108 Morrison Line, two kilometres east of Exeter.

### **Trail-Smart Tips**

Be sure to know what activities are permitted and what activities are prohibited. There are also conservation rules and 'Tips to Enjoy Your Visit' on our conservation areas pages. Please plan accordingly, wear proper shoes, and always bring a water and snack on your trail trip.

### **Protecting soil, water, habitat in partnership with you**

Ausable Bayfield Conservation works in partnership with the Township of Lucan Biddulph and the residents of the municipality. Working together, we help to protect life and property, watershed resources, soil health, water quality, and habitat for all living things.

### **Tree planting**

You can buy trees and help to keep Lucan Biddulph's soil healthy, water clean, and create habitat for living things. The Ausable Bayfield Conservation has spring and fall tree order programs. To order trees, please visit: [abca.ca/forestry/treeorder](http://abca.ca/forestry/treeorder)

Another way to support permanent local tree planting, and capture carbon for the long term, is through the Carbon Footprints to Forests program. Calculate, Donate, Plant: [footprintstoforests.com](http://footprintstoforests.com)



For more information visit [www.abca.ca](http://www.abca.ca)



**Get active, enjoy nature!**

Have you ever considered snowshoeing? It's a great way to be active even in winter. To find out more about the Ausable Bayfield Conservation snowshoe rentals, please visit our webpage.

**All-season activities**

Whether it's snowshoeing and cross-country skiing in the winter or bicycling in the sun, there are a variety of nature and recreation activities all year long at one of our many conservation areas. Before heading out to a trail or conservation area, be sure to check what activities are permitted at: [abca.ca/recreation/uses](http://abca.ca/recreation/uses)

**Have fun and get active  
...all year long!**

# Lucan Biddulph Community Memorial Centre Fundraising

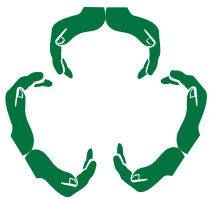
The Lucan Community Centre is the central hub of the Township. It's where family's come to play, celebrate and grow together. It provides jobs, entertainment, child care, and programs for residents and visitors to our community.

Whether you play sports, participate in fitness, attend weddings or community events, this is your home away from home.

In 2018 we were able to showcase to the world our community strength and passion by winning and hosting Kraft Hockeyville. Through this, we received improvements to our hockey rink and memories that will last forever.

Our demonstration of pride and our planning helped award us 5.5 million dollars from the Provincial and Federal government to go towards revitalizing the heart of our community and to make it open and accessible to all.

It's time to come together again and showcase what we can accomplish. To be apart of the growth for our community for years to come, please contact [psmith@lucanbiddulph.on.ca](mailto:psmith@lucanbiddulph.on.ca) or phone 519-227-4442.



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## Lucan 2022 Summer Day Camp

The Lucan Summer Day Camp is a successful local program that takes place at the Lucan Community Centre. Our team works hard each year to provide campers with a safe and fun summer experience. Camp staff are caring and responsible individuals who strive to provide an inclusive and enjoyable environment to each camper. We hope to see you at camp!

**Camp Hours & Location:** Camp runs Monday to Friday from 8 am – 5 pm at the Lucan Community Centre.

**Cost:** \$170 per week per child. Discounts are available for families enrolling more than one child, please note that this price is subject to change.

**Program:** We offer a safe and inclusive program to children aged 4+. Group games, crafts, sports, science experiments, baking, music and off-site local trips are just some of the activities that we enjoy. Our staff participate in each activity with the children and model participation. In addition to visiting the Lucan Library, the camp makes off-site trips to the variety of parks and playgrounds that Lucan Biddulph has to offer. Each Wednesday we also plan an additional themed day/activity in accordance with the weekly programming.

**Staff:** All staff members hold a current Standard First Aid and CPR level C certification. Staff are also required to provide a Criminal Reference Check and complete program training. Training includes Principles of Healthy Child Development (PHCD) from HIGH FIVE, fundamental movement skills, behavioural management, inclusion and program preparation.

**Registration Information:** Registration *opens April 4th*, please visit our website to obtain all applicable forms and additional information.

- Week 1, July 4 – 8  
.....WELCOME WEEK
- Week 2, July 11 – 15  
.....H20h YEAH!
- Week 3, July 18 – 22  
.....TEAM SPIRIT
- Week 4, July 25 – 29  
.....SUPERHEROS IN TRAINING
- Week 5, August 2 – 5  
.....CHALLENGE WEEK
- Week 6, August 8 – 12  
.....SUPER SOAKED
- Week 7, August 15 – 19  
.....GAMES, GAMES, GAMES
- Week 8, August 22 – 26  
.....ADVENTURE AWAITS
- Week 9, August 29 – September 2  
.....SUMMER CELEBRATION



## Senior Exercise Class

**Date:** Tuesday's and Thursday's 8:30 – 9:30 am

**Cost:** \$5.00 per class

All exercises and routines for the senior's exercise class are designed to improve strength, flexibility and balance. Newcomers are always welcome!

## ZUMBA

**Date:** Monday's 7 – 8 pm

**Cost:** \$5.00 per class

Come out and enjoy our ZUMBA class with Julie! No experience is needed and all levels are welcome. Registration for this program is mandatory, please contact the Lucan Community Centre.

## Mat Fit

**Date:** Tuesday's 6:30 – 7:30 pm

**Cost:** \$5.00 per class

Enjoy a pilates-style exercise class with Julie! During this class, you will be using your body weight, bands and light weights. All levels are welcome to join! Registration for this program is mandatory, please contact the Lucan Community Centre.

## Yoga

**Date:** Thursday's 7 – 8 pm

**Cost:** \$5.00 per class

Come experience our yoga class with Jane! Please bring a water bottle, your own mat and a light sweater. No experience is needed and all levels are welcome. Registration for this program is mandatory, please contact the Lucan Community Centre.

## Pickleball

Our pickleball program is now a membership-style registration. For more information, please contact the Lucan Community Centre.

## Parent, Tot and Senior Skating

**Date:** Tuesday's and Thursday's 10 am – 12:30 pm

This program runs until April.

**Cost:** Free

## Public Skating

**Date:** Sunday's only on the following dates

from 1:30 – 3 pm

January 2, 16, 30

February 13, 20, 27

March 6, 13, 20

**Cost:** Free

## March Break Camp

**Date:** March 13 – 17 2022

**Cost:** \$170.00 per child. Discounts are available for families enrolling more than one child, please note that this price is subject to change.

**Program:** We offer a safe, fun and inclusive program to children aged 4+. Comparable to the Lucan Summer Day Camp programming, campers will enjoy a variety of activities, crafts, games, science experiments and off-site adventures during their week at camp. Campers will be supervised by trained and responsible staff. If available, we schedule skating time for campers to enjoy.

**Registration Information:** Registration *opens January 10th*, please visit our website to obtain all applicable forms and additional information.



For more information about programming and camps please visit our Facebook page: @LBParksandRecreation or call 519-227-4442



## The *Lucan Biddulph Community Memorial Centre*

is a hub for the community with many annual events being held at the facility.

### Lucan Biddulph Community Memorial Centre & Arena

#### Main Hall/Gymnasium

- An ideal location for athletic programs, birthday parties, large events, weddings, Stag & Doe's, and fundraisers.
- Tables & chairs are included free of charge along with the setup.
- Hall rental rate includes the use of the kitchen, which is equipped with a large walk-in fridge, stove, dishwasher, plates, cups, and cutlery for a sit-down meal of 300+.
- Licensed bar service is available.

#### Arena/Floor

- The arena floor is licensed, and when the ice is out it can be used for many different events such as dances, Stag & Doe's, fundraisers, and ball hockey tournaments.
- The capacity of this space for a licensed event is 2800.
- The capacity of the arena floor is 1,300.

#### Active Senior Room

- This is the perfect space for bridal showers, meetings, retirement parties, or birthday parties.
- Two bathrooms on site of this space with main access to the gym
- The max capacity for this space is 200, but can comfortably seat 100.





## Lucan Biddulph Community Memorial Centre Park

- Backing on to the Lucan Biddulph Community Memorial Centre, this park offers 3 full-sized soccer fields, 2 ball diamonds, a walking track, playground equipment, tennis court, skate park, dog park and is the site of the Lucan Pool.
- This park also includes the Community Garden, which is located at the end of Community Drive.

## Lion's Market St. Park

- With newly updated playground equipment and a large pavilion space, this park is ideal for wedding receptions, baby showers and family picnics. This park is located off the main highway but is still a quiet spot to play.
- This park includes a walking trail, pavilion, playground equipment, the Scout & Guide Hall and a baseball field.



## Granton Lion's Park

- Granton Park offers a tennis court, basketball court, soccer field, baseball diamond, playground equipment, a new skate park and a pavilion with kitchen access. In the winter, the park also offers an outdoor skating rink which is maintained by the Granton Park Committee. The park is also home to the Granton Community Garden.

## Lucan Optimist Elm St. Park

- This park is on-site of the splash pad and is a popular place to be in the summer. It also includes playground equipment, a walking trail, pavilion, basketball court and baseball field.

## Spencer Ave Park

- This newly acquired park features a small walking path and pavilion with a large open green space. This park will be the home to new multi-purpose courts, construction is to begin in the spring.



To book any of the these facilities please contact Parks and Recreation Department at 519-227-4442 or email [parksandrec@lucanbiddulph.on.ca](mailto:parksandrec@lucanbiddulph.on.ca)



# Program Registration

Program fees are required upon registration.  
Forms for programs and day camp are available online at [www.lucanbiddulph.on.ca](http://www.lucanbiddulph.on.ca).

## Staff can be contacted via the following options:



### Email

[parksandrec@lucanbiddulph.on.ca](mailto:parksandrec@lucanbiddulph.on.ca)



### Phone

Call the Lucan Community Memorial Centre during office hours at 519-227-4442.

After hours or on weekends please leave a message with your name, number, and reason for calling and we will return your call.



### In-person

Office hours are 8:00 am – 4:30 pm  
Monday to Friday.



### By mail

Lucan Community Memorial Centre,  
263 Main Street, P.O. Box 333,  
Lucan, ON N0M 2J0



### Dropbox

There is also a secure 24 hour drop box at the Township office, 270 Main Street.



### Payment

Payment for programs/rentals is cash, cheque, debit, or Visa/Master Card credit. Payment can also be made online if your bank lists "Lucan Biddulph-Parks and Rec" as a payee.

## PerfectMind

The Township of Lucan Biddulph will be upgrading to PerfectMind Booking and Registration Software. This program will allow you to complete ice rentals, program registration, and facility bookings completely on your electronic device. Registration forms, facility contracts, and payments will all be completed on PerfectMind. This software will allow the Recreation Department to streamline inquiries, bookings, and payments. This program will launch in 2022 and will be found through the municipal website. To keep up-to-date with this process, please check our Facebook page for updates.



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### Ice

Prime/Summer .....	\$194.00
Daytime .....	\$112.00
Ticket Ice (1-4 ppl) .....	\$62.00
Floor.....	\$70.00

### Halls

Hall Hold (max of one day).....	\$155.00
Funeral Lunch .....	\$155.00

### Main Hall

Friday - Saturday (350 ppl) .....	\$570.00
Friday - Saturday (450+ ppl) .....	\$720.00
Sunday - Thursday .....	\$385.00
Hourly Rate (min 3 hrs) .....	\$80.00
Gym only – Minors per hr. ....	\$44.00
Gym only – Adults per hr. ....	\$60.00

### Active Living Centre

Full Day Rate .....	\$275.00
Hourly Rate .....	\$62.00

### Parks

Adult/Season .....	\$540.00
Per Game Rate .....	\$55.00
3 Day Tournament.....	\$490.00
2 Day Tournament.....	\$350.00
Pavilion – Granton .....	\$90.00
Pavilions – Market/Elm.....	\$60.00

### Advertising

Rink Board 4 x 8 .....	\$430.00
Zamboni .....	\$2,487.00
Ice logo 4 x 8 .....	\$600.00
Baseball Diamond .....	\$200.00

To book any of the these facilities, or inquire about advertising, please contact:

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