

A weekly e-newsletter of things to check out, experience, see or do in the City of Pembroke – Jan. 17, 2018

# 1. SnoSpree - Pembroke's Winter Carnival Jan. 31-Feb. 4

That time of year is upon us once again! Pembroke's winter carnival, <u>SnoSpree</u> runs Wednesday, Jan. 31 until Sunday, Feb. 4! The <u>full schedule of events</u> is out, and it's jam packed with fun for people of all ages!

Some highlights include:

- Soup Sensations in support of First Step Options Feb. 1
- Skating Party hosted by the Rotary Club of Pembroke at Rotary Park Feb. 2
- <u>SnoSpree Family Movie Night</u> Feb. 2
- Boys & Girls Club of Pembroke SnoSpree Trivia Night Feb. 2
- SnoSpree Central Free games and activities for kids Feb. 3
- Rockin' the Snowflake Dance Feb. 3
- Polar Bear Dip Feb. 4
- Kids Ice Fishing Derby Feb. 4

And SO MUCH MORE!

### 2. Downtown HockeySpree Street Hockey Tournament

Join Downtown Pembroke Saturday, Feb. 3 during <u>SnoSpree</u> for the third annual <u>Downtown</u> <u>HockeySpree</u> Street Hockey Tournament!

Teams in three divisions will play for the HockeySpree Cup while raising funds for <u>The Phoenix</u> Centre for Children and Families.

Full details on team size, costs, divisions, equipment and more are on the Facebook <u>event page</u>. Click <u>here</u> for registration information. Registration deadline: Wednesday, Jan. 31, 2018 Don't play hockey? Join in the free activities and games at the Hockey Arcade!

## 3. Montreal Canadiens Alumni Tour Coming to Pembroke

The Montreal Canadiens alumni game is only a week away! Head to the Pembroke Memorial Centre Thursday, Jan. 25! Game time is 7 p.m. and tickets are available at the Parks & Recreation Department office at the PMC. Tickets are \$20 for adults, \$10 for seniors and students and free for children 5 and under.

This event is a fundraiser for Ottawa Valley Thunder Girls Hockey.

#### 4. The Music Garden at Pembroke Public Library

Parents, caregivers and children ages 0-4 are invited to the <u>Pembroke Public Library</u> Thursdays for <u>The Music Garden</u> - a time to share songs, laughter, imagination and inspiration! Pre-registration is required.

## 5. Trivia Fundraiser for Air Cadets

Get a team together and head to the <u>Pembroke Legion</u> Jan. 19 for a fun evening of friendly competition during the <u>Trivia Night Fundraiser in support of 638 Air Cadet Squadron.</u>
Doors open at 7 p.m. Trivia begins at 7:30 p.m. Teams of up to 8 players, \$10 per person. Adults only event.

### **6. National Cupcake Day Kickoff Party**

Join the Renfrew County Animal Centre as they kick off the sweetest time of the year with a CUPCAKE PARTY at the Pembroke Mall on Saturday, Jan. 20 from 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Receive info on how you can get involved in this campaign that aims to save animal lives in our community. Some very special guests will be joining in the event and of course there will be lots & lots of CUPCAKES!

#### 7. Funny in a Good Way

A kick-off event to the annual week of Prayer for Christian Unity, <u>Funny in a Good Way</u> is a family friendly comedy show. It runs Jan. 20 at <u>Festival Hall</u> starting at 6:30 p.m. The event will also include fellowship and Bible trivia. Tickets are \$15, available at <u>The Grind Pembroke</u>, <u>online</u> or at the door. Proceeds will support The Grind Pembroke.

#### 8. Free Public Skate Sunday

Grab your friends and family this Sunday, Jan. 21 and enjoy a free skate at the <u>Pembroke Memorial Centre</u> courtesy of <u>Malcolm, Deavitt & Binhammer Funeral Home</u>. The skate runs from 2-3:30 p.m. Winter public skating runs Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays. Click <u>here</u> for the full January schedule.

#### 9. Pembroke Lumber Kings Hockey

Watch your favourite Junior A hockey team in action twice this weekend! First the <u>Kings</u> take on the <u>Navan Grads</u> Friday, Jan. 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the <u>Pembroke Memorial Centre</u>. Then on their regular Sunday night game, the Kings hit the ice at 7 p.m. against the <u>Ottawa Junior Senators</u>. Go Kings Go!

# 10. Fun at Ry-J's Funzone

If you're looking for a place for the kids to enjoy some games and inflatable fun, take them to <a href="Ry-J's">Ry-J's</a> Funzone at the <a href="Pembroke Mall">Pembroke Mall</a>! Check out their <a href="January schedule">January schedule</a> for times.