



PEMBI'S PICKS

A weekly e-newsletter of things to check out, experience, see or do in the City of Pembroke – Jan. 23, 2019

1. Burns Night

[The Pub House by Milano](#) invites you to their Robbie Burns event Jan. 25 - [Burns Night!](#)

For \$30, enjoy a three-course Scottish meal, including haggis, some whiskey and live entertainment!

Call 613-732-7070 to make your reservation!

2. Cartomancy Readings with Nancy

Experience a [true old world style fortune-telling](#) done with a standard deck of playing cards, done by Reader Nancy Price at [Brimstone and Belladonna](#) Saturday, Jan. 26.

Readings are \$55 for 30-60 minutes depending on how much information Nancy has to relay to each client. For more information please call 613-629-HERB. To book an appointment please visit [Brimstone & Belladonna](#) with your \$25 non-refundable deposit. Spaces are limited!

3. Yoga Brunch

Join [Pembroke Fitness Centre](#) for their [Yoga Brunch](#) with Jordan Sunday, Jan. 27. Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased at the Fitness Centre or [Westwinds Restaurant](#).

SnoSpree Winter Carnival | Jan. 30-Feb. 3

Our winter carnival presented by [K&A Xtreme Heavy Towing](#) is next week! Check out these major events, and see the [full schedule here](#).

1. SnoSpree Movie Night

We're proud to [present *Ralph Breaks the Internet*](#), the hilarious sequel to *Wreck-it Ralph*, on the big screen at [Festival Hall Centre for the Arts](#) on Thursday, Jan. 31 at 7 p.m. Admission is free and a cash canteen will be available.

All ages are welcome and doors will open at 6 p.m.

2. Downtown HockeySpree

[Downtown Pembroke](#) invites everyone to its annual street hockey tournament and festival - [HockeySpree](#)

- Saturday, Feb. 2 from 12-3 p.m.

The street hockey tournament is open to people ages 7 and up - come play for the HockeySpree Cup!

For hockey fans, enjoy free activities and games, family karaoke, community exhibits, warming stations, food AND meet not only the Pembroke Lumber Kings, but Ottawa Senators alumni as well!

The 19+ crowd can head to Janna & Kerry's from 2-5 p.m. for the [Afterparty](#) with Whitewater Brewing Company!

[Click here](#) for the Facebook event, and [here](#) for tourney online registration.

An event in support of [The Phoenix Centre for Children and Families](#).

3. SnoSpree Central

[SnoSpree Central](#) is the most fun place to be a kid this SnoSpree! It is our main hub of activity on SnoSpree Saturday with all the action happening inside the gym at [Algonquin College Waterfront Campus](#) from 12:30-3:30 p.m.

We have bouncy castles, inflatable obstacle courses, face painting, balloon twisting, fun giveaways, children's entertainers performing exciting shows, interactive demos, and more! The best part, it's all free! SnoSpree Central is presented this year by [Plan Group](#).

4. Snowy Saturday Night

End off SnoSpree Saturday in style with a [night of fun outdoors](#) from 6-9 p.m. brought to you by [HGS Canada!](#)

We will have horse-drawn sleigh rides to take you through the snow at the waterfront, hot chocolate to keep you warm, a snow sculpture building contest for all ages with some great prizes to be won, and a showing of our newest favourite winter film, [Smallfoot](#) at 7 p.m.

Limited supplies of snowshoes will be available to use as well for the evening.

5. PPFA Kids' Ice Fishing Derby

The second annual [Pembroke Professional Fire Fighters Association Local 488 Kids' Ice Fishing Derby](#) is coming on Feb. 3 to the Pembroke Marina! For kids aged 15 and under, this is a great chance to get out on the river and make a big catch!

It is completely free to register, all you need to do is [fill out this form](#) and email it to recreation@pembroke.ca

6. Polar Bear Dip

The [Polar Bear Dip](#) returns to Pembroke Feb. 3 beginning at 11 a.m.! Take the plunge into the icy waters of the Ottawa River to support the [Pembroke and Laurentian Valley Handibus](#).

Pledge forms can be found at:

-the Pembroke & Laurentian Valley Handi-Bus office (170 Ellis Avenue)

-the Parks & Recreation office (Pembroke Memorial Centre)

-Sheppard & Gervais Law Offices (290 Pembroke St. E)

There is a minimum pledge of \$40 per participant. To learn more please call 613-735-6998.

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