



# *Neighbourhood Update*

## News and notes of interest to neighbours on Mayfair and Forsyth North

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### **Student Residence Move-Out Procedures**

The final day of exams is April 28. The peak period for students moving out of campus residences is April 24-29. To ensure efficient traffic flow, special arrangements are in place. These include the positioning of marshalls in key areas and intersections around campus to assist in orderly entry and exit. Vehicles will enter campus via the Sterling Street gate and will be guided to exit using the gate at Forsyth Avenue North.

### **McMaster Special Duty Police Officers**

With the academic year ending, the special duty Hamilton police officers funded by the University and McMaster Students Union will soon cease patrols for the summer. This year, two officers patrolled the areas neighbouring campus. The proactive identification of houses proved to be very successful as the number of incidents decreased sharply over the year. McMaster supports the Police and City's zero tolerance approach to noise and other infractions. Should you require assistance, please call Hamilton Police Services Central Station at 905-546-4925 or City of Hamilton Municipal Law Enforcement at 905-546-2782.

### **Athletic Fields**

With the warmer weather finally arriving, children's groups and other residents of the City will begin using the athletic fields for soccer, football and other physical fitness activities. Each year thousands of Hamiltonians rely on the University facilities for their recreational and athletic endeavours. This is the first full season that the Ron Joyce Stadium is available to these groups. McMaster Athletics and Recreation uses a prioritization system to schedule activities in its facilities. The stadium, when appropriate, is offered as a first choice to groups. Alumni Field and the 10-acre Field are offered as secondary options. Evening activities are scheduled to end no later than 10:30 pm. Lighting will be turned off at that time.

### **Keeping Connected**

As activities on campus continue, we'd like to stay connected with residents living on Mayfair Circle, Mayfair Place and Forsyth Avenue North. If you are interested in receiving regular updates via e-mail, please e-mail the following information to **Gord Arbeau, Associate Director Public Relations – [arbeaug@mcmaster.ca](mailto:arbeaug@mcmaster.ca)**

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