

News and notes of interest to McMaster's neighbours

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Summer Camps

McMaster's popular summer camp programs begin again on Monday July 4, 2010. Each year several thousand children from across Hamilton attend sports, educational and recreation camps on campus. Once again this year a detailed traffic management plan will be implemented. The plan includes the stationing of a Hamilton Police Services officer each morning at the Sterling entrance to ensure efficient traffic flow. Parents will be directed by marshalls to the appropriate drop off and pick up locations on campus. In addition, camp buses will use the Main Street entrance to drop off and pick up children on campus.

Parents will receive detailed instructions about camp traffic procedures. More information will be sent to neighbours in the June 25 update.

Community use of athletic fields and facilities

Every year, thousands of Hamiltonians take advantage of McMaster's facilities for recreational use, physical fitness and educational development. Children's groups and other residents of the city are using facilities like the athletic fields and the Ron Joyce Stadium for soccer, football and other physical fitness activities. McMaster utilizes a prioritization system to schedule activities in its facilities. The stadium, when appropriate, is offered as a first choice for groups. Alumni Field and the 10-acre Field are offered as secondary options. Evening activities are scheduled to end no later than 10:45 p.m. with lighting turned off shortly thereafter.

**McMaster Centre for Spinal Cord Injury Research and Rehabilitation and the
Centre for Cancer Education**

Construction of the new McMaster Centre for Spinal Cord Injury Research and Rehabilitation and the Centre for Cancer Education continues. The centres will be housed in an addition to be constructed at the Ivor Wynne Centre. The Government of Canada and the Province of Ontario are funding these important new centres through the Knowledge Infrastructure Program. Individual donors are also generously supporting these projects. During construction, trucks will continue to enter and exit campus via the Main Street entry. Trucks will use a short section on the west side of Forsyth Avenue North to briefly leave the construction site and then re-enter the campus before continuing on to Main Street.

Keeping connected

As activities on campus continue, we'd like to stay connected with residents living on Mayfair Circle, Mayfair Place, Forsyth Avenue North, Forsyth Avenue and Sterling. 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**

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