

THE SOURCE – AUGUST 2011
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ENVIRONMENT

Ecocenter

2500 St. Joseph
Cowansville, Qc. Tel. #450-263-2351

Free up garbage space and recycle:

Opening hours: year round Monday to Thursday from 7:30am to 4:30pm and Friday from 7:30am to 12pm. and 1:00pm to 4:30pm. The Ecocenter is also open on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays from April to October from 8:00am to noon. The remaining Saturdays for 2011 are August 20, September 3, 17 & October 1, 15. Residents of Brome-Missisquoi are invited to bring their household hazardous waste, computer hardware or electrical appliances to the Ecocenter. It's free of charge for residential items; proof of residency in Brome-Missisquoi is required. Bring your construction, renovation, demolition waste and other large residential items. Charges apply for the disposal of these materials.

GRAPP- Seeking landowners for the creation of a <land bank>/<land link program>

The <Groupe de réflexion et d'action sur le paysage et le patrimoine> (GRAPP) was mandated by the MRC Brome-Missisquoi to develop a land link program that will help bring together aspiring farmers and landowners who aren't actively using their land and who would be willing, under certain conditions, to give access to their land, in any given manner. If you are in this situation and are interested in participating, please contact GRAPP by e-mail or by phone after August 14, 2011.
info@grapp.ca or 450-538-1586.

Hydro-Quebec's <Recyc-Frigo> program has been extended until December 2011. Fridges and freezers that are functional and more than 10 years old are eligible. For more information call 1-888-525-0930.

The Government of Canada has renewed the **ecoENERGY Retrofit –Homes program** from June 6, 2011 to March 31, 2012 to help homeowners make their homes more energy efficient and reduce the burden of high energy costs. Registration can be done on-line at oee.nrcan.gc.ca/register or call 1-800-622-6232.

THE FUTURE OF WEST BOLTON

Thank-you for your interest in completing the questionnaires. The information is being compiled and a public meeting will be held sometime this fall.

Guardian Angel Project

Some 32 West Bolton children attending elementary schools in Knowlton have received smoke detectors. If you reside in West Bolton and have children attending elementary school elsewhere, other than Knowlton, please call or e-mail the municipality (numbers provided above), and provide their names, ages and schools attended so that the municipality can purchase the same smoke detectors for them.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS
Town Hall Office Hours

Director General:
Monday to Thursday
9am-4pm
Friday
9am-noon.

Municipal Inspector:
Monday-Thursday
8am-4pm

**** Appointments made ahead of time are strongly suggested **.**

FIRE AGREEMENT WITH TOWN OF BROME LAKE

A hearing was held April 11, 2011 as the Town of Brome Lake contested our choice of lawyer. We still await the judge's decision on whether or not our lawyer may continue to represent us in the arbitration process.

Cancellation of delivery of the Publisac

Anyone wishing **not to receive the Publisac**, must call Publisac Estrie directly at the following number 819-566-8585 (#5), give their name and address and state they do not wish delivery of the Publisac. A pictogram will be issued which must be installed near the mailbox or in a very visible location.

Precious Information

Did you know that if 500 families participated in composting at home, there would be 50 to 75 less tons of organic material at the dump site each year. Burying costs would be less and composting helps the environment.

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