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Batawa Bursting with Spring Events

Batawa's annual Community Yard Sale will be held again this year in conjunction with the Plant and Bake Sale on Saturday, May 9th. The BDC will be providing newspaper advertising to publicize the event for the community. If you participate, you hold the sale at your own home. The BDC is also providing free flowers to Batawa homes. Bring your voucher to the Sacred Heart Plant and Bake Sale to pick them up.

Trash Bash Cleans Up the Community

We are delighted to report that 49 volunteers came together on Saturday, April 25. Together, they collected 184 bags of trash, making Batawa cleaner and greener! This was part of the wider Quinte Trash Bash. Volunteers in Batawa were treated to a gift from the BDC, as well as a free BBQ lunch cooked up by Chef Nelson at the Ski Hill. Congratulations to the winners of the gift certificates to Tomasso's, L'Auberge de France, Centre Theatre, Toys 'R Us, and Home Hardware. The winners were: the Rochester family; Sacred Heart School; the Eisenstadt family; the Pavlica family; the Ray family; and the Lions Club.

Upcoming Events in Batawa

9 May	Plant and Bake Sale @ Sacred Heart Church
9 May	Community Yard Sale throughout Batawa
10 May	Mother's Day Brunch @ the Ski Hill
20-21 May	Quinte Children's Water Festival @ the Ski Hill
5 June	CFB Trenton Surf 'N Turf Relay Race @ Batawa Trails
6 June	Spring Craft Fusion @ the Community Centre

Photo Review



The 15th Annual Easter Egg Hunt saw a record of 350 kids



Thank you to everyone who cleaned up Batawa at Trash Bash



The return of the Snowmobile Race saw over 1000 visitors



Batawa Residents Show Their Generosity

On April 1, the Batawa Lions ran their Easter Food drive. 535 lbs of food was collected around the community! The food went to the Frankford Food Bank and will help many less fortunate families. The Lions would like to thank all of the generous families in our community for making this food drive a success!

Plant & Bake SALE
A Batawa Community Tradition

Saturday, May 9, 2015
Sacred Heart Batawa Catholic Church
8 am - 12 pm

"From our oven to your table"
Fresh Canadian-European baking for Mother's Day.

Mother's Day flower arrangements, perennials, baked treats, coffee, and tea for sale.

NEW THIS YEAR!
ON SITE GARDENING TIPS FROM BEA THE GARDENER OF NATURAL THEMES!

9th Annual Community Garage Sale
will be held throughout the village

Mother's Day Brunch

Bringing Families Together in Batawa

10AM - 2PM, MAY 10TH
AT THE
BATAWA GRILL

- MENU -
Cinnamon-Brown Sugar French Toast ✕ Scrambled Eggs ✕ Bacon, Sausage and Home Fries ✕ Belgian Waffles with Fresh Fruit ✕ Spanish Strada ✕ Fresh Baked Cinnamon Buns ✕ Homemade Muffins ✕ Croissants ✕ Spinach and Strawberry Salad ✕ Mediterranean Pasta Salad ✕ Batawa Maple Honey Glazed Bone-in Baked Ham (carved at station) Juice, Coffee, Tea

ADULTS \$16
SENIORS (65 & over) \$10
CHILDREN (10 & under) \$10

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News from Sacred Heart School

Principal Darcey French sends along word that May 4th to 8th is Catholic Education Week. Also, May 7th is the school's Talent Show at 6:30pm. Sacred Heart School will also be taking part in the Batawa Community Yard sale on May 9th to raise money for the Grade 7/8 Year-End Trip.

Did you know?

Among the 100 Czech families who founded Batawa, there were many children. The Czech children were rapidly able to speak English as fluently as the local children. "By Christmas of 1939, we spoke and wrote pretty good English and were placed in our appropriate grades," remembers Tony Daicar, who was one of the Czech children who came to Canada with his parents in 1939.



Batawa ... beautiful by nature & design