

Join the Metchosin Emergency Program for our continued series of **FREE INFORMATION SESSIONS** – focusing on **Emergency Preparedness in Metchosin**



MARK YOUR 2017 CALENDARS:

January 17

FIRE RESISTIVE PLANTING –

We have invited our local plant expert and Councillor Andy McKinnon to speak to us on landscaping ideas and recommendations for fire resistive and deer deterrent plantings.



February 21

FIRST AID –

Bones: Strains, Sprains & Breaks. This hands on session will review basic first aid treatments in dealing with these painful and sometimes life threatening injuries.



March 21

EARTHQUAKE PROOF YOUR HOME –

Our local expert structural engineer will provide some great safety advice on how to make both the inside and outside of your home as secure as possible during an earthquake.



April 18

PURE PHARMACY -

A trained pharmacist will be here from Pure Pharmacy to speak about medications – interactions, uses, storage and emergency preparedness considerations.



May 16

BC FOREST SERVICES –

BCFS has been invited to speak on Provincial safety initiatives and give us a bit of insight to what and how the Province fights fires – and what we can do to help prevent forest fires.



June 20

SAFE DRIVING –

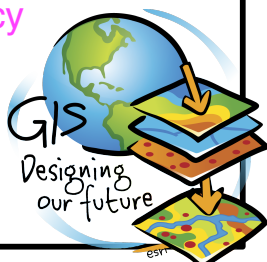
We are bringing in the experts – let's all learn how to be better drivers in our rural and urban settings. DriveWise Driving School will be here to answer our questions.



July 18

GIS/MAPPING/DRONES –

We will take a look at modern technology and its availability and uses in an emergency situation. We will also look at the use of drones for emergency responders.



August 15

FORT McMURRAY –

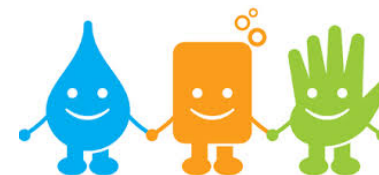
We have a guest speaker who was 'boots on the ground' during the recent fires in Alberta, sharing stories and learning points from this life-changing event.



September 19

COMPOST, PURIFICATION & SANITATION –

How would you cope with these three topics should an environmental event take out our usual way of doing 'business'?



October 17

VEHICLE REPAIRS & SAFETY

This will be a hands-on look at minor repairs and safety features on vehicles like changing tires, breaking glass, airbags, etc. Local area mechanic will be on hand to answer your general safety questions.



November 21

M.S.A.R –

Metchosin Search and Rescue: who they are, what they do and when, where and how they operate. Come and meet this Provincial team that protects Metchosin.



*If you have any questions about these information sessions, please feel free to give us a call:
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