

The Echo Bay Sportsplex will remain closed and will re-open on February 12, 2021 providing any type of Provincial lockdown is not extended

Reminder: The Winter Carnival and the Firefighter's Pancake breakfast have been **Cancelled for 2021**

Exciting Activities to look forward too...

February's Flurries of Fun



Ideas in the works



Snow Sculpture Contest
Virtual Ice Fishing Derby
Valentine Crafts and Activities Package
Treasure Hunt around both communities
Snowman Contest—with different categories

Watch for full details in a *February's Flurries of Fun* special addition newsletter closer to the end of the month.

DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS AND THE PROVINCIAL STAY AT HOME ORDER THE RETRO RIDE FOR THIS YEAR WILL BE CANCELLED

LAKE ST NORTH BIRD VIEWING PLATFORM

The Sault Naturalists approached Council in 2020 to build a "boardwalk" to access the Lake St. North Bird Viewing Platform. With the water being so high on the road leading up to the Bird Viewing Platform, it has been very difficult for people to access it. This platform was originally built by funding that the Sault Naturalists received from the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry. It overlooks a beautiful cattail marsh with open water beyond it. The Sault Naturalists have already committed \$3,260.00 towards this project and they have secured a generous donation of lumber for the decking from Sault College. They need your help to come up with the remaining \$5,000.00 that is needed to make this happen.

Donations can be sent via e-transfer to saultnaturalists@gmail.com or via cheque to Sault Naturalists P.O. Box 20040, East End PO, Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 6W3

Please reference this project when donating so that your contribution is allocated appropriately.

Sault Naturalists truly appreciate your support!

ECHO BAY UNITED CHURCH ECHO BAY & AREA FOOD BANK

NEW-The Food Bank will be open on *the first and third Wednesday of every month* from 1:00-2:00 p.m. at the Echo Bay United Church. It will also be open *the second Wednesday of the month* from 6:00-7:00 p.m. During the Pandemic, the Church has remained closed but, the food baskets will be brought to you in the parking lot.

If anyone is in need of any assistance or you cannot make it to the Food Bank at the scheduled times, please call 705-248-2891 and we will accommodate.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME! DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT US IF YOU REQUIRE ANY ASSISTANCE.