

GROWING TOGETHER

Asphodel-Norwood Business Connection

Your Quarterly Newsletter from your **Business Advisory Committee**

SECOND QUARTER

June 2026

Your new digital town square designed to keep our local business community informed, inspired, and connected.



Whether you're a long-standing cornerstone of our community or just opened your doors (welcome-we're glad you're here), this space is for you.

INSIDE, we'll be sharing updates on:

- **New business openings**
- **Upcoming developments and projects**
- **Infrastructure improvements**

OUR GOAL IS SIMPLE:



Keep you informed and help our business community grow-together.

THINGS YOU **NEED TO KNOW**



Reconstruction News

As you know, it's going to be a busy construction season all around the Township. We want to draw your attention in particular to the County Road 40 reconstruction project.

Residents are advised that the County Road 40 Reconstruction Project (from Wellington Street to Albine Street) is scheduled to begin June 29, 2026, and will require a full road closure for approximately six (6) weeks. The roadway is expected to reopen mid-August, weather permitting.

Site preparation activities may begin in advance of the construction start date.

COUNTY RD 40 RECONSTRUCTION

Wellington Street to Albine Street

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Full Road Closure - approx. 6 weeks (Reopening Mid-August)
- Detours will be in Place

Starting June 29, 2026

[LEARN MORE](#)





Municipal Elections

The 2026 Municipal Election will take place on **October 26, 2026**. Make sure to check, update, or add yourself to the voters list until August 12, or directly with the Municipal Office after this date.



[REGISTER TO VOTE](#)

NEW **BUSINESSES**



Jack's Family Restaurant

4327 Highway 7
8:00 am - 8:00 pm
(705) 837-3474

[Learn More](#)



Apirl's Place (Restaurant)

4247 Highway 7
7:00 am - 6:30pm
(705) 639-5753

[Learn More](#)



Flying High Balloon Creations

4247 Highway 7
(705) 996-1770

[Learn More](#)

THE **BULLETIN BOARD**



Community Market



YOU'RE INVITED! The first Norwood Market of the season was a huge success. And what a beautiful day it was. From the live music and local shopping, to the amazing turnout from the community, we truly could not have asked for a better way to kick off our 2026 season.

Vendor applications are still open for the remainder of the 2026 season!

MARKET DATES:

Saturday Markets 8:00am to Noon

- Market 2: **June 20**
- Market 3: **August 1**
- Market 4: **September 5**
- Night Market: **September 24**
(3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.)





Employment Workshop Opportunities

Looking for additional training opportunities for staff? The Library is exploring a partnership with Muskoka-Kawarthas Employment Services to offer Employability Skills Workshops locally.

[Explore Workshop Topics](#)

If your organization or staff would be interested in participating should a session be scheduled locally, please contact Trish Reed, CEO/Librarian, at treed@antownship.ca.



IN THE SPOTLIGHT

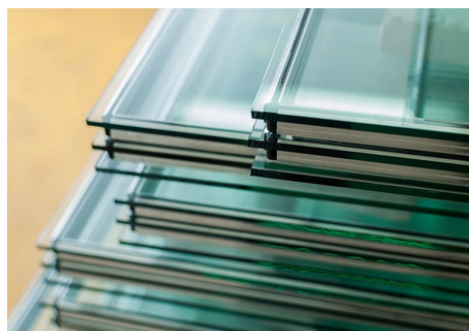
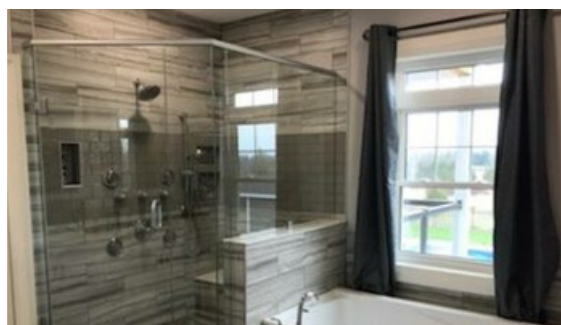


FEATURED BUSINESS

County Custom Glass



County Custom Glass Ltd., located on our main street at 2354 County Rd 45, is a family-owned and operated business proudly serving Norwood and surrounding communities since 2014. They provide professional residential, commercial, industrial, marine, automotive, and custom glass services throughout Peterborough County, Kawartha Lakes, Durham Region, Belleville, Bancroft, Haliburton, cottage country, and many remote locations that other companies often won't service. From local projects to island jobs, back roads, and cottages, they are committed to delivering dependable workmanship wherever our customers need us.





They specialize in custom glass fabrication and installation, including windows, doors, replacement glass, skylights, storefronts, curtain wall systems, commercial entrances, custom shower enclosures, mirrors, mirror walls, railings, pool gates, partitions, and safety glass solutions. The shop offers in-house glass cutting, polishing, drilling, notching, custom shaping, and engraving services with a wide range of clear, tinted, laminated, patterned, mirrored, acrylic, and Lexan products available. They also repair and fabricate window screens, provide custom aluminum fabrication, residential flashing and cladding, commercial hardware installation, automatic door operators, barrier-free hardware, locks, latches, caulking, and much more.



County Custom Glass also services classic cars, RVs, trailers, marine applications, machinery glass, fireplace and woodstove glass, and custom specialty projects. We carry Neo Ceram fireplace glass, seals, gaskets, hardware, adhesives, and glazing supplies to support repairs and installations. We fully stand behind our work with strong warranties, quality materials, contractor-direct pricing, and customer service built on over a decade of trusted experience. If it involves glass, aluminum, windows, doors, or custom fabrication — just ask, because chances are we can do it.

[Website](#)

2354 County Road 45
info@countycustomglass.com
(705) 639-8999





ASK OR OFFER: Are you a business who needs a good recommendation?
“Anyone know of a good window cleaner?” OR Have something to share?
“I have short-term storage space!”. We’re stronger together.
 Share your resources etc. in the “Submit Your News” box below. ↓

Community Futures Peterborough

Community Futures Peterborough is here to ensure business owners have the tools to succeed through accessible financing, expert advice, and collaborative partnerships. Whether you are looking to launch a new business or expand an existing operation, we provide the specialized support necessary to support you!

We understand the unique challenges of operating in our rural region and offer tailored solutions. From flexible business loans to free one-on-one advisory and strategic planning, our team is dedicated to your long-term resilience. By investing in your vision, we are collectively investing in the future of the Township of Asphodel-Norwood.



START OR GROW YOUR BUSINESS

ARE YOU READY TO TURN YOUR IDEAS INTO A THRIVING BUSINESS?

At Community Futures Peterborough, we provide financing, resources, guidance, workshops, and programs to assist you at every stage of your journey!

LEARN MORE >> cfpeterborough.ca



Discover how our resources can be the catalyst for your next big milestone. **Visit us today at www.cfpeterborough.ca to learn more!**

FRIENDLY BUSINESS TIP



Support Local ! This week, shout out another local business on your social media channels. Collaboration makes our community stronger!

FEATURE YOUR BUSINESS



Whether you’re a new addition or a long-standing favourite, every business and storefront is a story worth sharing.

SUBMIT YOUR NEWS



Send us what you’d like to have published in upcoming issues here: info@antownship.ca

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