

# The Ryder

Ryde Community Co-operative Inc.  
*Working together in a co-operative way to be one voice and one community*

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## Coming Events

- **Thursday, September 30th, 7pm-8:30pm** - Municipal Election All Candidates Meet 'N' Greet
- **October 30th, 5:30 PM** Halloween Theme Dinner

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## Election Information

- **Ballots and Voters List**  
Ballots are to be mailed out to those persons listed on the list of electors the week of **September 27th**. There appears to be a large number of people whose names are not on this list, as well as several incorrect addresses. If you do not receive your ballot by Friday, **October 1st**, you should contact the Clerk's Department at the Town of Gravenhurst 687-3412 or attend at the town office at 5 Pineridge Gate. The process is simple – there is a form to be completed and then you will be given your ballot. We will try to have a copy of the list at the All Candidates Meet and Greet on **September 30th** so you can check the list and will try to obtain some of the necessary forms.

The vote is once again by mail. In order for your vote to be counted it must be received by the Town of Gravenhurst no later than **October 25th**.

- **List of Candidates** *in alphabetical order*  
**For the Office of Mayor**  
Mark Clairmont, Paisley Donaldson, Shawn Kelly and Terry Pilger  
**For the Office of District Councillor**  
Sandy Cairns, Bob Colhoun, John Cooper, John Graham, Lou Guerriero, Rosemary King and Bryan Pilger (District Councillors serve on both the Town and District Councils)  
**Trustee (Simcoe Muskoka Catholic District School Board – Ward 4)**  
Carol Corriveau-Truchon and Jim Wilson

- **Ward 4 Council Position Acclaimed**  
We are pleased to advise that our long serving, dedicated volunteer for the Co-op **Randy Jorgensen**, was acclaimed as the councillor for the newly expanded Ward 4. Congratulations Randy.

**Louise Clodd** has also been acclaimed as the Public School Board Trustee.

- **All Candidates Meet and Greet**  
As outlined in previous editions, we are hosting an all candidates Meet and Greet session at the Community Centre, 1624 Barkway Road on **Thursday, September 30 at 7 pm**. This will be an opportunity for you to meet with the candidates and discuss your issues and concerns in a one on one situation. There will be no formal speeches. We can appreciate that some of the candidates have very busy schedules, not only with the election but with family and work commitments as well. Those who are unable to attend will be able to send their literature for our residents.

We are looking for donations of baked goods (nothing with nuts or peanuts please as we have some people attending with this allergy) and volunteers to help with set up and clean up. Candidates for the position of Mayor and District Councillor have been invited to participate. We have also advised the candidates for the council positions in Wards 1, 2, 3 and 5 of this event should they wish to attend, but also informed them that this event is geared towards Ward 4 residents. ❖

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**Events and Goings-on**

- **October 30th, 5:30 PM Halloween Theme Dinner** There's a sign up sheet on the bulletin board for volunteers to help with set up, food prep or clean up. Details will be decided at the next Directors meeting which is October 6 at 7PM.
- **Congratulations to Carl and Iva Break** who recently celebrated 70 years of wedded bliss!

- **Great Response to Pilates Classes** We are pleased to announce that due to the overwhelming response, **Maria O'Grady** is running two Pilates classes this session and both are full for this session. ❖

**ELECT**  
  
**John GRAHAM**  
**DISTRICT COUNCIL**

Choose honesty, integrity, experience and dedication.  
**Vote for Mark Clairmont**  
**Mayor of Gravenhurst**

**For Full-time Representation**  
  
**Re-elect Bob Colhoun**  
**District Councillor**

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**ELECT**  
**Bryan Pilger**  
**For District Council**

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