



SUMMER / FALL NEWSLETTER 2025



3rd Annual Bike Rodeo and Community BBQ

August 13th, 2025

Amaranth Municipal Office
Bike Rodeo: 5:00pm-6:30pm
BBQ to Follow



We are excited to partner with the Orangeville Optimist Club again to bring the Bike Rodeo to our community. Open to all children of Dufferin County, this event provides kids with the opportunity to show off their bike safety skills along with a unique, first-hand experience with Dufferin County's emergency services personnel and vehicles. Registration is required so please contact the office for a registration form. Completed forms can be dropped off at the Office. There is no charge for participating in the Bike Rodeo!

Space is limited so book soon!

BBQ tickets will be available for purchase while quantities last!

Township Contact Information

Municipal Office
374028 6th Line
Amaranth ON L9W 0M6
Phone: 519-941-1007 Fax: 519-941-1802
Email – info@amaranth.ca
Website – www.amaranth.ca
Office Hours
Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 4:30 pm

Council 2022-2026

Mayor Chris Gerrits (519) 288-6177
Deputy Mayor Gail Little (519) 925-2983
Councillor Susan Graham (519) 215-3407
Councillor Brad Metzger (416) 420-9083

2nd Annual Community Market

Don't miss out on the two remaining Community markets being held at the Township Office.

July 9th 6-8pm

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August 13th 6-8pm



AMARANTH
COMMUNITY MARKET



SELFIES WITH SANTA

SAVE THE DATE

SATURDAY DECEMBER 6, 2025
1:00PM TO 4:00PM

COME TAKE YOUR PICTURE WITH SANTA
AT THE TOWNSHIP OF AMARANTH
BANQUET HALL - 374028 6TH LINE



Check out our Facebook page for information, news and events.

Like us on Facebook!
<https://www.facebook.com/amaranthtwp/>



The Township now has a LinkedIn Profile. Follow us on LinkedIn!

<https://ca.linkedin.com/company/township-of-amaranth>



SPRING 2026 TREE PROGRAM

The Township, in conjunction with the GRCA, offers a seedling program for distribution in the Spring of 2026. Please complete the information below and on the reverse. Order forms are due Friday October 3, 2025.

Forms must be accompanied by cash or a cheque payable to: Township of Amaranth
374028 6th Line, Amaranth, ON L9W 0M6

Note: No trees are to be planted on the east side of the road within 30m of property line.

Distribution Day – May 2, 2026. This will be the only day for pick up. Pick-up reminder and receipt will be mailed prior to pick up date. Only pre-ordered trees will be available on distribution day.

SPECIES
CEDAR – White (seedling)
MAPLE – Red (plugs)
MAPLE – Sugar (plugs)
OAK – Red (plugs)
PINE – White (seedling)
SPRUCE – Norway (seedling)
SPRUCE – White (seedling)

Tax Roll#:

22-08-000-00 ____ - ____ -0000

Name: _____

Address & Postal Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

5th Annual Amaranth Bale Trail October 2025



Registration Deadline: September 19, 2025

To enter the bale contest or to participate with a farm gate sale, please complete the attached form and drop off at the Office or email to info@amaranth.ca.

Registration is required to enter the contest and receive bales (even if you are providing your own bales). Residents and visitors will see the creative side of our local farmers, residents and bale artists. Bales will be on display for the month of October. The Bale Trail map will be available on the Township's website and Facebook page in early October.

Categories:

*Animals/Bugs *Food *Characters *Flowers/Plants

1st Place Prizes for each category

If you do not indicate a category on the registration form the judges will determine the category for you.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

- Bales must be decorated by October 10. One winner from each category will be announced in November.
- Entries will be judged on eye appeal, construction, use of material and creativity.
- Registrants are responsible for providing decorating supplies. It is recommended that decorations be weather and wind proof. If you did not purchase the bales, decorations must be removed from the bales by November 7 in order to be picked up.



Bookmark
YOUR
Adventure!

Summer Reading Challenges for all ages on **Beanstack**

 Shelburne Public Library
HQ: 201 Owen Sound St., Shelburne
Kiosk: 824 Ojibway Rd., Shelburne



Explore - Connect - Enrich
www.grandvalley.org
519-928-5622

- Books, Magazine, Books on CD & DVDs
- eBooks, eMagazines & eAudiobooks
- Music - streaming and downloading available
- Programs - adult, children and teens
- Seed Library
- Online Resources -crafts, research, learning languages, education and more
- Hotspots - mobile internet device
- Chromebooks
- Playaway Launchpads - preprogrammed learning tablets
- Video Games
- Passes - day passes to parks and museum
- Birdwatching Kits
- Puzzles/Radon Detectors/ Happylights/ Dash Robot



Get your library card today

Books are just the beginning — fun summer programs, park passes, eBooks, magazines and more!

Sign up online or visit Orangeville Public Library.

519-941-0610
orangevillelibrary.ca



Building Permit Services

Township of Amaranth now provides Building Services through the Cloudpermit platform. Submit applications, check permit status, schedule inspections online, and more. Any open permits with the County of Dufferin will remain with the County of Dufferin until closed.

For questions please contact:
RSM Building Consultants
519-496-1434 ext. 0
info@rsmbuildingconsultants.com

Check out the Township's New Building Permit webpage for more information and to get started!

www.amaranth.ca/municipal-government/building-permits





Saturday September 27, 2025
To stay up to date on the 2024 Tour make sure to follow along on Facebook
<https://dufferinfarmtour.com/>

Register today.

RegisterToVoteON.ca
1.866.242.3025

Never miss your waste collection day!

View your waste collection schedule, receive notifications, and search the **Which Bin?** tool with the **DufferinWaste** app!



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Name: _____ Phone#: _____

Address: _____

Location of Bale Placement: _____ (if different than above)

Email Address: _____

Category: _____

Requested # of Bales: Round _____ Square _____

Providing own bales _____

If you would like to keep the bale(s), indicate below.
There is no entry fee. There will be a charge to keep the bale(s), \$20 for round and \$10 for square. Bales will be picked up as soon as possible after the contest ends.
Keep Bale(s) _____ Have Bale(s) Picked up _____

PARTICIPATION WAIVER

I agree to all rules and regulations of the contest. I certify that I am at least 18 years of age and voluntarily enter the contest and assume all risks associated with this event. I waive, release and agree to indemnify all organizers of this event, Township of Amaranth and the representatives from any and all claims, damages, or liabilities arising from participating in this contest. I agree to not decorate the bales in a political, religious or inappropriate way. I authorize that any photographs taken of the bales on my property may be used for promotional use and posted on social media by the Township of Amaranth.

Signature of Registrant _____ Date _____

To be completed by Township office

Total Received \$ _____ Date _____

Signature of Township Representative

TOTALS								
Price/ Bundle (incl. tax)	\$18.50	\$21.50	\$24.00	\$21.50	\$14.00	\$16.00	\$16.00	Total Owing
Enter Number of Bundles (10 Trees in 1 Bundle)	10 seedlings x Bundles	10 plugs x Bundles	10 plugs x Bundles	10 plugs x Bundles	10 seedlings x Bundles	10 seedlings x Bundles	10 seedlings x Bundles	Total # of Bundles:
APPROX. SIZE	8-12 in. Conifers	8-16 in. Hardwood	8-16 in. Hardwood	8-16 in. Hardwood	8-12 in. Conifers	8-12 in. Conifers	8-12 in. Conifers	
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