

## Saturday, April 4, 2026

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### Wesleyville Village Easter Egg Hunt

Date and Time: Saturday, April 4 10:00 am - 1:30 pm

Address: 2082 Lakeshore Rd. Port Hope

Pop out to Wesleyville Heritage Village for our annual Easter Egg Hunt, free for children 12 and under. **The egg hunt starts at 11 am sharp, so be sure to arrive early!** There will be fun activities and games, the Port Hope Fire Department will be on hand with a truck, and we'll have a special Toddler Egg Hunt. Parking is available at the Wesleyville church, 2082 Lakeshore Rd., Port Hope. We hope to see you there!

View the event and invite your friends: <https://www.facebook.com/share/1E7pTSoeim/>

Or learn more at [www.WesleyvilleVillage.com](http://www.WesleyvilleVillage.com)

## Saturday, April 11, 2026

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### Float Your Fanny Down the Ganny

Date and Time: Saturday, April 11 10:00 am - 3:00 pm

Address: Port Hope, ON

Feature Event: Yes

44th annual [Float Your Fanny Down the Ganny](#) event is taking place Saturday April 11, 2026.

[Float Your Fanny Down the Ganny](#) is a race down the Ganaraska River to commemorate the 1980 flood that devastated Port Hope's downtown area. It celebrates the community spirit and resilience that rose in the face of this natural disaster. Now, [Ganny Weekend](#) is a whole vibe in Port Hope!

Those looking to brave the frigid waters of the Ganaraska this spring are invited to visit the event website to review all safety guidelines and register a vessel. [www.floatyourfanny.ca](http://www.floatyourfanny.ca)

All participants are reminded to carefully review safety and registration information to prepare accordingly for the smooth launch of your vessel and safe voyage on the fast and chilly waters of the Ganaraska.

Itinerary:

10am - canoes/kayaks (starting at Canton)

11am - crazy crafts (starting at Sylvan Glen)

10am - 3pm - Fannyville amenities

Canoes, kayaks, and crazy crafts will complete the journey at the finish line in Fannyville (Cavan St Park). Fannyville, the event village, offers family-focused entertainment and activities, as well as the chance to watch the participants float over the last rapids section of the course with live commentary.

Spectators will be able to enjoy food from one of the many vendors along the banks, or take a short walk to shopping, restaurants, or bars. Participants and spectators are asked to support each other to ensure all involved have a safe and enjoyable experience. Please no throwing of water balloons or objects into the river or at participants. With large crowds in Fannyville along the banks of the Ganaraska River, spectators are encouraged to leave their pets at home.

To find out more about what's happening around town for Ganny Weekend, visit [www.porthope.ca/ganny-weekend](http://www.porthope.ca/ganny-weekend)

## A Choral Compass - North and South of Middle C

Date and Time: Saturday, April 11 7:30 pm

Address: St. Paul's Presbyterian, 131 Walton Street, Port Hope

Join Oriana Singers for an evening of inspiring choral music exploring the full range of the choir voice, in collaboration with women's choir Penthelia Singers and Vox Fortis, a chamber ensemble for Forte - Toronto Gay Men's Choir.

## Wednesday, April 15, 2026

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### Connect - Port Hope

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 15 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 130 Highland Drive, Port Hope

Discover your community at Connect! Join Dr. M. S. Hawkins Public School and Port Hope High School for a free community event.

Come out and try a new activity, learn about your community, meet your neighbours and support our schools!

Featuring: A Critical Mass Art Battle, Drop-In Choir with SONG, Cooking Class, Book and Media Sale, Free Pizza (while supplies last), Arts and Crafts activities, Yoga, Community Info Room and More!

### Friends of Wesleyville Village AGM

Date and Time: Wednesday, April 15 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 1 Elias St., Port Hope

Please join us for our **Annual General Meeting** on Wednesday, April 15 at 7:00 p.m. at the Knights of Colum

bus Hall, on Elias Street in downtown Port Hope.

The evening will include the presentation of our Annual Report, with a review of our financial statements, rest oration work undertaken this past year, and highlights from our programming and activities. It is an opportunity to reflect on where we have been and where we are headed next. We are also pleased to welcome Susan Casson as our keynote speaker.

All members whose memberships are up to date are entitled to vote at the meeting. If you are unsure of your membership status, please feel free to reach out in advance.

We hope you will be able to attend!

## Friday, April 17, 2026

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### SONG's NextGen SoundStage

Date and Time: Friday, April 17 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Address: 20 Queen St, Port Hope, ON, L1A 2Y7

#### ***Perform Live on a Professional Stage!***

SONG is giving local youth (under 21) access to a professional stage. We provide the soundcheck, industry mentorship, food and green room. *You provide the talent!*

#### Details:

- When: Friday, April 17, 2026.
- **Location:** Capitol Theatre (Sculthorpe Stage), 20 Queen St, Port Hope, ON
- **Timing: 4:00pm-6pm** Performer Soundcheck/Rehearsal,
- **6pm-6:45pm** Pizza & Artist Mentor session,
- **7pm-8:30pm** ***SoundStage Performance***
- Bring: Any instrument you plan to use for your performance

Our Sunrise Rotary Artist Mentor for this SoundStage is [Lou Pomanti](#).

Performance slots assigned in the order registrations are received. Depending on registrations performers may be limited to one song.

*This is an **All Ages Show** in collaboration with our venue sponsor The Capitol Theatre. Parents, guardians, friends, and family are welcome to attend!*

*SONG and the Capitol want **all fans** to be able to attend -- tickets are "pay-what-you-can", and suggest starting at \$10*

## Thursday, April 30, 2026

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## Port Hope Civic Awards Ceremony

Date and Time: Thursday, April 30 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Address: Capitol Theatre, 20 Queen Street, Port Hope, ON

Feature Event: Yes

The Port Hope Civic Awards Ceremony will take on April 30, 2026 live on the Capitol Theatre stage. Theatre doors open at 6:00 p.m, Ceremony starts at 7:00 p.m.

The ceremony will include live entertainment and award presentations. A reception, with food items from a selection of local businesses, in the lobby will follow!

To view all Program details, visit the [Civic Awards page](#).

The nomination deadline for the 2025 Civic Awards program was March 5, 2026.

<https://calendar.porthope.ca>