

INFO TEMIS

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

"RYAM KEEPS YOU INFORMED"

The mill is part of our daily lives. In Temiscaming, it is much more than an employer—it has contributed to the vitality of our community for generations and supports hundreds of local families. In a town like ours, it is important to better understand the issues and projects that affect this company.

Yet, much of what happens inside the mill remains unknown to the public. Without regular updates, it can be difficult for residents to see the progress being made as the company continues its efforts to improve its processes, develop new products, and strengthen its competitiveness.

With this in mind, Info-Temis will occasionally feature articles prepared by the RYAM team. This series, entitled "**RYAM Keeps You Informed**," will give residents a better understanding of the projects, innovations, and initiatives that contribute to the future of both the company and our community.

For this first edition, the RYAM team introduces two new products that are helping the company expand into new markets.

Alain Gauthier
Mayor of Temiscaming

RYAM IS HIRING!



INFORMATION PROVIDED BY RYAM

INSIDE THE MILL

When most people think of a pulp and paper mill, “innovation” probably isn’t the first word that comes to mind.

But here at RYAM’s Temiscaming facility, innovation is happening every day, and chances are many people don’t realize that some of the paperboard produced here is used in food packaging found in grocery stores and restaurants throughout North America.

Our Paperboard operation is food grade certified, meaning the paperboard we produce in Temiscaming meets strict standards required for food packaging. The material produced at our facility is used by packaging manufacturers to create a wide range of food packaging products.

Under our Kallima® brand, our team develops specialty paperboard built to handle real-world conditions. One of our newest innovations is a freezer-grade board designed specifically for frozen food packaging.

Developed right here in Temiscaming, this product can withstand freezer temperatures as low as -18°C while resisting moisture and separation — all without requiring plastic coatings. That means it helps create packaging that performs well in freezer conditions while supporting more environmentally responsible packaging choices.

In addition, our team has developed specialty oil-and-grease-resistant paperboard used in food service packaging applications. Using water-based barrier technology, these products help reduce the need for additional plastic coatings while maintaining the performance required for food service use.

What makes this important for our community is that innovation like this helps keep manufacturing in Temiscaming evolving and competitive in a changing global market. Local employees are helping develop materials used by major food brands while contributing to the future of more sustainable packaging across North America.

As demand continues to grow for alternatives to traditional plastic packaging, the work being done here in Temiscaming continues to demonstrate how forestry, innovation, and sustainability can go hand in hand. That’s something our community can be proud of!

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DRINKING WATER: EVERY DROP COUNTS

Drinking water is an essential resource that we all share the responsibility of protecting. Although it is readily available in our daily lives, it is not unlimited. By adopting good water conservation habits and following the watering schedule set out in the municipal by-law, we help preserve this valuable resource for today and for future generations.

To reduce water waste, lawn and landscape watering using sprinklers or porous hoses is permitted only from 8:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. on even-numbered days for properties with even-numbered addresses, and on odd-numbered days for properties with odd-numbered addresses. Automatic irrigation systems may be used from 3:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m. on Sundays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Manual watering of gardens, vegetable gardens, flowers, trees, and shrubs using a hose equipped with an automatic shut-off nozzle is permitted at any time.

By using water responsibly, we can all help reduce waste, protect our infrastructure, and ensure a reliable water supply for the entire community. Together, let's make every drop count.

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS – AQUATIC ACTIVITIES

Make the Most of Summer with Temiscaming's Aquatic Activities!

The O'Splash will be open daily starting July 16, from 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., offering outdoor fun for the whole family. The municipal pool at The Centre will also remain open on selected mornings and evenings throughout the summer for lap swimming, aquafitness classes, Baby & Me, and public swims.

In the event of bad weather, O'Splash activities will be moved to the municipal pool, where admission will be free.

Have a great summer and enjoy the water!

REMINDER – MUNICIPAL TAXES



The second installment of your municipal taxes is due no later than **July 31, 2026**.

To avoid interest charges, please ensure your payment is made by this date. If you have any questions, please contact us. We will be happy to assist you.

CROSSWALKS: A SIMPLE HABIT THAT SAVES LIVES

Crosswalks are designed to provide the safest place to cross the street. By using them, pedestrians are more visible to drivers, helping reduce the risk of accidents. Before crossing, always make sure vehicles have come to a complete stop and that drivers have seen you.

Keeping our streets safe starts with simple actions. Pedestrians are encouraged to use designated crosswalks, while drivers should slow down, stay alert, and yield to pedestrians. Together, we can make our streets safer for everyone.



THE COLUMBARIUM: A GROWING CHOICE FOR FAMILIES



Installed last summer at the Temiscaming Cemetery, the columbarium is already meeting the needs of many families. It offers a simple, lasting burial option for those who choose cremation. A single fee covers all costs, with no additional fees in the future. To learn more about the available niches, please contact us. **819 627-3273, ext. 104**

Revenue from the sale of niches is fully reinvested in the cemetery to help fund the installation of a second columbarium.