

**Welcome to the "New Horizons" Project  
for Technology Training & Support for Seniors**



***“Technology is best when it brings people together.”  
Matt Mullenweg, Social Media Entrepreneur.***

Are you a Senior who is interested in becoming more “Gadget Smart” when using Hand-Held Technology such as Tablets & Smartphones?

If so, then you should take part in the “New Horizons” Project!.

You are invited to join a series of peer-led Workshops for Seniors living in Northern Wellington. These Workshops will be delivered **in-person** as outlined below:

- **When-** 11 am to Noon.
  
- **Where-**
  - A. Drayton on MONDAYS, September 20th to November 1st, EXCEPT for Thanksgiving Monday, October 11th in the Mapleton Health Centre Boardroom on the lower level (11 Andrews Drive West).
  - B. Mount Forest on TUESDAYS, September 7th to December 14th at the Mount Forest & District Sports Complex (850 Princess St.).
  - C. Palmerston on THURSDAYS, September 9th to December 16th at the Lions Club CNRA Clubhouse (160 Main St West).
  - D. Arthur on FRIDAYS, September 10th to December 17th at the Arthur & Area Community Centre (158 Domville St.).
  
- **Who-** Groups of up to 10 Seniors who are interested in learning how to use Hand-Held Technology to connect virtually with people and programs. **Novices** are welcome and participants may attend any or all sessions!

- **What-** Interested Seniors will learn about:
  - Safe online practices
  - The realities of online fraud and financial abuse
  - How to identify phishing and email scams
  - How to connect with peers and family through email and social media apps
  - How to access information and government services online, such as those found at the [Township of Wellington North](#)
  
- **How-** The Workshops are offered at **no cost** to Participants and Tablets will be provided for use during a Workshop.
  
- **Why-** So that you become a more “Gadget Smart” Senior when using Hand-Held Technology such as Tablets & Smartphones.

For **further inquiries, or to pre-register via email**, please contact:

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To **pre-register by phone for sessions on**

Mondays in Drayton,

please call: The Seniors' Centre for Excellence @ 519-638-1000.

To **pre-register by phone for sessions on**

Tuesdays in Mount Forest, Thursdays in Palmerston and Fridays in Arthur

please call: The Township of Wellington North @ 519-848-3620 ext 4227.

If school busses are cancelled in North Wellington (**DIVISION 3 PINK**) on a day when a Workshop is scheduled, then that **Workshop is also CANCELLED**.

Visit <https://stwdsts.ca/bus-cancellations/> to check if busses are running.