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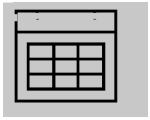
The Department of Environmental Health and Safety is here to assist departments and units in keeping the Queen's community safe by providing procedures, guidance and tidbits of information. Please take time to read and share these announcements.

Between May 6 to 10th, there is opportunity to learn, plan, and advance the culture of safety in our workplaces. Take a moment to read an item that relates to your role directly or learn something new. Register for a free webinar. Information that is shared with each other and implemented is a way to prevent injury and illness in the workplace, at home, and in the community.



As we head into summer and the field research season begins, this is a reminder that if you are working in proximity to Ontario roadways you may need to have a traffic safety plan in place to comply with the requirements of the OHSA and the Ministry of Transport's Ontario Traffic Manual – Book 7. Detailed information can be found in [_____](#). If you are working around roadways outside of Ontario, there is the possibility that similar safety requirements exist. You should consult with the applicable government agency in the jurisdiction you are working in to learn more about what requirements might be in place.

Spring has sprung, signaling ticks to wake up from their winter slumber and workers to take precautions against tick-borne diseases. With many faculty, staff and students outside for research and work, the risk increases at this time of year. Check out this [_____](#) and [_____](#).



Visit us at the 2024 Science Rendezvous on Saturday, May 11th from 10 am -3 pm at the Slush Puppy Place! Our booth called "What Does That Safety Sign Mean?" will feature interactive infor-

