



TURTLE HATCHLING SEASON



We are in the midst of peak turtle hatchling season! Please keep an eye out on the roads for toonie-sized turtle hatchlings trying to make it to the water! Please do what you can to try and safely avoid hitting our baby turtles!



**DID YOU
KNOW?**



LESS THAN 2% OF BABY TURTLES MAKE IT TO ADULTHOOD? ALSO, ADULTS HAVE TO BE ROUGHLY 8 YEARS OLD BEFORE THEY CAN LAY EGGS. LET'S HELP AS MANY TURTLES SEE THE AGE OF 8 AS POSSIBLE!

INTERESTING FACT

IF YOU WITNESS A TURTLE GET HIT, PLEASE CALL SANDY PINES WILDLIFE CENTRE.

613-354-0264

****PLEASE NOTE THE LOCATION YOU FOUND THE TURTLE****

IT IS ILLEGAL TO KEEP AN ONTARIO TURTLE SPECIES AS A PET AND IT COULD NEGATIVELY IMPACT TURTLE POPULATIONS