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Soldiers Memorial Hospital Foundation Scholarship Presentation

The 6th Annual Scholarship Presentation by Soldiers Memorial Hospital Foundation was held on Thursday 13 August 2026 on the Veterans Patio at Soldiers Memorial Hospital.

The Foundation awarded a total of \$4000 to support four outstanding medical students from the Mid Valley region catchment area. Each recipient received a \$1000 Medical Scholarship to help advance their medical and emergency care training. The 2026 Awards included one Physician Scholarship, one Nursing Scholarship and two Paramedicine Scholarships.



From left to right: Don Hyslop (Foundation Chair), Morgan Trombley (Physician Scholarship), Lilly Young (Paramedicine Scholarship), Florence Bianco (Paramedicine Scholarship), Marcia McGregor (Nursing Scholarship) and Anne Crowell (Foundation Vice Chair)

Washer Toss is coming to Rotary Park this September!

Join us for three evenings of friendly competition on September 9, 23 & 30 at Rotary Park, 337 Marshall St., Middleton! Whether you're a seasoned washer toss player or just want to come out and give it a try, everyone is welcome.

Registration is 5:30-5:50pm and games begin at 6:00pm sharp and run until approximately 8pm. 18+: \$5 per person, under 18: Free.

How it works:

- Random-Draw Doubles: Everyone registers individually and names will be drawn at random to create teams. Under 18 and 18+ players will be drawn separately.
- Single-Elimination Tournament: Teams will compete in a simple bracket, with games played to 21 points.
- If there's an odd number of players, one team of three will be created, with players rotating throwers.

The winning 18+ team will receive 50% of the adult entry fees, split between the two winning players.

The winning Under 18 team will each receive a gift card.

The remaining proceeds will go directly back into the program to help cover event costs and purchase new washer toss games, washers and other equipment.

No season commitment! Each tournament is a fresh start - register, draw your partner and play! There are no season-long standings, so you can join us for one night or all three.

Please note: Registration closes at 5:50pm, 10 minutes before the tournament begins.

Games start promptly at 6:00pm, so be sure to arrive in time to register!

Come out, toss some washers and see who takes home the win! For questions, contact: mpal@town.middleton.ns.ca or (902) 825-4841 ext. 107

Blues-Berry Fest - Take Two

Sun. Sept. 6, 3-7pm Are You Feeling Corny? Did you think you would get away that easy? 4 Local Live Bands playing on an outdoor stage with that famous Annapolis Valley view (Bring your own lawn chair or picnic blanket). Blueberry Mocktail Bar with local blueberries and syrups. Blueberry Bake Contest, BBQ and Corn Boil. 50/50 and so much more! Proceeds will be going to help drill a new well for our comfort station. Pay What You Can. 3495 Hwy 201.



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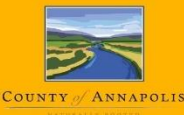
The Municipality of the County of Annapolis is seeking applications from residents of Annapolis County for various municipal committees

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- Annapolis County Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI) Advisory Committee
- Audit Committee
- Climate Change Action Plan Review Committee
- Annapolis County Accessibility Advisory Committee
- Planning Advisory Committee
- Police Advisory Committee
- Source Water Protection Advisory Committee

Application deadline is **September 25, 2026**

For further information on the recruitment process or to apply, please visit:
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Royal Canadian Legion honors James MacLeod with Life Membership

The Annapolis Royal Legion would like to congratulate Comrade James MacLeod on the awarding of his Life Membership in the Royal Canadian Legion! Comrade James MacLeod has been a dedicated Associate Member of the Royal Canadian Legion for approximately 43 years. He first joined Clementsport Branch 122 around 1983 and transferred to Port Royal Branch 21 in 1987.

Throughout his decades of service, MacLeod became deeply involved in Legion and community activities. “Comrade Macleod quickly became immersed in activities, volunteerism, and employment that exemplifies the very ideals of the Royal Canadian Legion.”

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Community Calendar

Thur. Aug. 13-Sat. Aug. 15, 10am-4:00pm daily The Farm Museum open Thur.-Sat. until September, next to the Exhibition Grounds in Lawrencetown. Free admission...for the memories. *

Fri. Aug. 28, 10:00am Weekly Tai Chi classes at the Centrelea Community Hall, 3495 Highway 201. Bring indoor slippers or shoes. Drop ins welcome. Good for balance, posture and relieving stress. Instructor Jamie Edwards of Empty Hand Martial Arts. \$75 for 10-week pass that does not expire. More info @ 902-448-2483 *

Fri. Aug. 28 and Sun. Aug. 30, 10am-3:00pm Digby Farmers and Artisans Market takes place along Admiral's Walk, Digby, Fridays and Sundays to Oct. 4.

Fri. Aug. 28, 12-1:00pm Tai Chi Classes, each Friday at the Bridgetown Salvation Army Church. \$60 for 10 classes. 902-824-0099.

Fri. Aug. 28, 2-4:00pm Crafts & Conversations will take place every Friday at the O'Dell House Museum, Annapolis Royal, throughout the summer season. Crafts & Conversations is a drop-in community program for crafters and artists of all ages and skill levels. Simply bring your current craft project and enjoy an afternoon of conversation and creativity. Surrounded by beautiful textile arts from the AHS collection and in the company of like-minded makers, you are sure to feel engaged and inspired! Knitting, sewing, crocheting, weaving, drawing, sketching, beading, rug hooking, embroidery, etc. All are welcome! 902-532-7754. annapolisheritagesociety.com

Fri. Aug. 28, 5-6:30pm The Hampton Market offers an eclectic mix of vendors featuring staples and a few things you didn't know you really needed! Offers include granola, lemonade, BBQ sauce, salsa, handpies, flowers, jewelry, jams & jellies, crafts and wood-fired sourdough. Plan a trip to Hampton Hall (8319 St Croix Cove Road) on Fridays and stop in for a coffee and a chat. Want to be a vendor? Email Sherry: sherryodell4k@gmail.com

Fri. Aug. 28, 5:30-10:00pm Pub Night at the Bridgetown Legion with music by Corbett & Thurber starting at 6:00. Kitchen Open 5:30-7:30pm. Bridgetown Area Sports Hall of Fame Draw Night and Legion Meat Draw. 20 Jeffrey St.

Fri. Aug. 28, 6-8:00pm Summer Music at the O' with the Rhinestone Romeos. Free admission. At the Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre on the waterfront in Annapolis Royal. Rain location at the Port Royal Legion, 66 Victoria Street. or The Community Hub. Free music every Friday for the summer. *

Fri. Aug. 28, 7:00pm Jam Session every Friday Evening at the Youngs Cove Community Hall, 5407 Shore Rd. *

Sat. Aug. 29, 8-10:00am Pancake Breakfast at Moschelle Community Hall, held the last Saturday of the month at 718 Hwy 201, Moschelle. Come join us for a great breakfast \$10/plate and \$5/plate for children under 5. Your choice of Pancakes or French toast with all the trimmings and includes a side of sausages and homemade beans. *

Sun. Aug. 30, 10am-2:00pm Clarence Country Market, through October at the Clarence Community Hall. The market features local produce, baked goods, crafts, and artisan products from vendors across the Annapolis Valley. New vendors are always welcome. For more information, email clarencecountrymarket@gmail.com or call 902-824-4999.

Sat. Aug. 29, 8am-5:00pm Nova Hollandia Reenactment at Fort Anne National Historic Site to mark the founding of the first English speaking colony in mainland Canada – the Anglo-Scottish settlement of Charles Fort. Although this settlement only lasted 3 years (1629-1632), it would shape the future of both province and nation, and was given a name that would endure across the centuries: Nova Scotia. We will be delving into the lives of these intrepid settlers, showcasing day-to-day skills such as period cooking and handicrafts, as well as discussing the arms and armour of the fledgling colony. The Canada Strong Pass is back! Enjoy free admission at Fort Anne from June 19 to September 7, 2026.

Sat. Aug. 29, 9am-1:00pm Summer Market in the Masonic Hall Church St., Annapolis Royal. From local handmade wood products, cards, Jeanette's Jams, & Annette's apparel; to textiles, vintage clothing & goods, Thai clothing, African jewelry, antiques, collectibles, home decor, books, CDs, LPs and more! Rain or shine. Cash & e-transfer.

Sat. Aug. 29, 9am-1:00pm Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Outdoor Market at Market Square, across from the wharf. Nova Scotia's longest-running outdoor market. With produce and artisan breads, locally made beer and wine, and so much more the Market is a celebration of everything homegrown and handcrafted.

Sat. Aug. 29, 10am-2:00pm Your Valley Farmers Market at the Annapolis Valley Exhibition Grounds, Lawrencetown. Open every Saturday to October 3. Vendor applications are now open for the 2026 market season! Info at Facebook/Your Valley Farmers Market or email us at farmersmarket@valleyex.ca.

Sat. Aug. 29, 12:30pm T & D Kitchen Jam Saturdays, 1407 Inglisville Road, Lawrencetown at the Community Hall. All are welcome! Doors open 12:30, music from 1:30-4:30. \$2 for entry. Snacks, tea /coffee are included in the price. *

Sat. Aug. 29, 3-7:00pm and 9pm-1:00am The Royal Canadian Legion Celebrates 100 years in 2026. Join the Bridgetown Legion for a **Pig Roast & Fundraiser**. 5 to 7pm, live music by Alec Crawford. **Dance** from 9pm to 1:00am with Jokers Right. \$12 Pig Roast plate. \$15 members \$12 non members for the dance.

Sat. Aug. 29, 8:00pm Andru Branch & Halfway Tree are celebrating a milestone few bands ever reach: 30 years of making music together. Andru is the founder and lead of the band Andru Branch & Halfway

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Sun. Aug. 30, 8:50-10:30am Annapolis Shambhala Meditation Centre **Sunday Morning Sitting Practice**, weekly at the Granville Ferry Community Hall. <https://annapolis.shambhala.org>

Sun. Aug. 30, 9:30am Holy Eucharist at the Anglican Church of St. Mary's (6772 Hwy 1 in Belleisle). All are welcome to join us. We are an inclusive church.

Sun. Aug. 30, 10:30am Join us on Sunday at the **Wilmot Mountain Baptist Church** at 2160 Arlington Road in Mount Rose, for a joyful time of worship featuring music by John Montgomerie.

**Sun. Aug. 30, 10:30am
Worship Service.**

Celebrate God’s presence with us at St. George & St. Andrew United Church, 393 St. George St. Annapolis Royal 902-532-7954. Open Doors, Open Hearts, Open Minds.

Sun. Aug. 30, 11am-2:00pm Farmers and Crafters Market, every Sunday at the Lions Club at 948 Hwy 1, Deep Brook. Local vendors and farmers. New vendors welcome.

Sun. Aug. 30, 11:00am Holy Eucharist at St. James Anglican Church (289 Granville Rd, Bridgetown) followed by fellowship and food. All are welcome. We are an inclusive church. Wheelchair accessible via the parking lot door.

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Sun. Aug. 30, 11:00am Bridgetown Baptist continues to worship weekly. Join us on Sundays at the Royal Canadian Legion, 20 Jeffery St., for a joyful time of worship. 902-665-2506. 10:30 for prayer and 11am for worship! bridgetownbaptist@gmail.com

Sun. Aug. 30, 2:00pm Centrelea United Baptist Church, 3492 Hwy 201. Service every week. Join us as we explore The Book of Psalms. Follow our activities and events on Facebook

Sun. Aug. 30, 2-4:00pm Annapolis County Trails Society Annual General Meeting at Centrelea Hall, 3495 Hwy 201. The Harvest Moon Trailway is an Annapolis County gem, offering recreational and tourism opportunities and beautiful vistas as it passes through 53 km of pastoral landscapes following the Annapolis River. You are invited to attend the Annapolis County Trail Society (ACTS) meeting which will provide updates on trail objectives, particularly on new regulatory signage required for safety, and extensive trail resurfacing efforts- aimed at improving conditions for cyclists and walkers while maintaining a safe and enjoyable use for all, including our OHV community. Memberships are available (\$10), and we welcome some new members to join the ACTS board and contribute their perspectives, skills, and time to shaping the future of this important multi-use trail. There are many opportunities to enhance this trail. ACTS welcomes you to be part of its success.

Sun. Aug. 30, 2-4:00pm Fellowship Event - Granville Centre Community Hall (5650 Hwy 1, Granville Centre). Everyone is invited to join us for a social event in celebration of the 250th Anniversary of Anglican worship in the Belleisle area. There will be videos of the 200th Anniversary Service and the building of the current St. Mary's after the fire in 1976. Photos and more. Please join us!



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Sun. Aug. 30, 7-9:00pm Fun Darts, every Sunday evening at the Bridgetown Legion, 20 Jeffery Street. \$3 entry returned in prizes.

Mon. Aug. 30, 9am-12:00pm Summer Open House at the Paradise Heritage Centre, 10307 Hwy 1, Paradise. We will be open on Monday mornings 9-12 for the summer and fall, starting on June 1! There will be coffee and muffins of course- and our quiet, beautiful space to relax for conversation, reading, or research. *

Mon. Aug. 31, 10am-12:00pm Memoir Writing Group meets every Monday morning in the music room at the Annapolis Library to share chapters of their memoirs for friendly discussion. No workshops. Everyone welcome. In the event of inclement weather/ library closure, classes will not be held.

Mon. Aug. 31, 1:00pm Chair Yoga with Esme at the Bridgetown Legion (20 Jeffery St, Bridgetown). Join us for chair supported yoga suited for seniors and limited mobility. For more information contact Esme at (604) 537-5665 or esmeendres@gmail.com *

Mon. Aug. 31, 6:30pm Welcome to our **Genealogy Circle at the Paradise Heritage Centre** on the last Monday of each month. This month- A Maud Lewis Session: How does history judge us? How do we know fact from myth? Or can we? Bring your questions, the answers you think you have found, your favourite Maud print, a story- and let's think about historical and genealogical thinking- about Maud, perhaps about our own ancestors, about how history, myth, and genealogy meet. Everyone knows Maud Lewis, but what is true and what is myth? Would the same questions apply to the oral histories and family traditions of our own? To read more and to register here is a link: <https://paradisehistoricalsociety.ca/event/genealogy-aug-2026/>

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Mon. Aug. 31, 7:00pm Valley Lions Radio Bingo (VLRB) is a Media Bingo broadcast on Annapolis Valley Radio, AVR 97.7FM and other AVR stations from Digby to Windsor, every Monday night from 7- 8pm. Bingo Cards are sold through valley retail locations. Info at www.vlrb.ca *

Mon. Aug. 31, 7:00pm Jam Sessions at Habitation New Horizons Hall at 1771 Granville Road Port Wade. Come sing, play or just listen. Lots of fun and fellowship, all welcome. For info contact Ann Marie 902-955-2244.

Mon. Aug. 31, 7-9:00pm Craft Club @ Lower Granville Hall (3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal). Now EVERY Monday night! Calling all Fibre enthusiasts. Join us at the Hall for a Stitch'n'Bi*ch. All skill levels welcome. Knit, crochet, embroider, felt, mend, sew, quilt, spin, weave, needlepoint, rug hooking... We will put the kettle on. Bring your project and \$2 Hall donation.

Tues. Sept. 1, 1-3:00pm The Annapolis East Seniors Card Group, meet at NSCC Middleton campus every Tuesday.

Tues. Sept. 1, 1:30-4pm Jam Session at Parker Hall, Victoria Vale, across from the church, every 2nd Tuesday. Doors open at 1:00. Come out for an afternoon of music, fun and refreshment and support the Hall. Next Jam Sept. 15.

Tues. Sept. 1, 6:00pm Bridgetown Ramblers join us at the Bridgetown Baptist Church parking lot, 7 Park St., for a fun, social and relaxed ramble around the community. For more information text 902-824-0057.

Tues. Sept. 1 and Thur. Sept. 3, 6:30pm Bridgetown Pickleball at the Sports Hub tennis/pickleball courts. Newbies always welcome. \$2 drop-in fee. Questions? 902-665-4353 or 902-665-4308.

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Tues. Sept. 1, 7:00pm Welcome members and newcomers to **Bridgetown Area Garden Club's regular monthly meeting** held at St. James Anglican Church Hall, 289 Granville St., Bridgetown. Starting off our fall season of guest speakers is Ashlea Viola, horticulturalist at the Historic Gardens in Annapolis Royal. Ashlea's illustrated talk will be on The Effects of Climate Change on Local Gardening. Are there newcomers in your neighborhood? This is the perfect opportunity to invite them to join a welcoming group interested in learning together how to deal with the challenges of climate change. First time attendance is free, annual dues are \$20. See you September 1st!

Tues. Sept. 1, 7:15-10:15pm

Middleton Legion Bingo

Tuesdays at 205 Marshall Street, Middleton. *

Wed. Sept. 2, 10:00am

NS Walks Annapolis Royal

Wednesdays at 10am. Are you interested in getting some exercise, at your pace, with friendly people, and in picturesque surroundings? Join our Walk Group! We meet every Wednesday at 10:00am at the Annapolis Royal Farmers' Market parking lot. Walkers of all ages and abilities are welcome. For further information, call (902) 250-0429.

Wed. Sept. 2, 10:00am

NS WALKS BRIDGETOWN

a walking group for all levels and abilities If you are looking for motivation to get out for a bit of exercise and to socialize come join us. Walkers meet at the Library every Wednesday at 10:00am. All are welcome Registration is not required. For more information check our Facebook Group NS WALKS BRIDGETOWN

Wed. Sept. 2-Sun. Sept. 6, 10am-5:00pm Middleton Railway Museum

open daily except Mon. and Tues. at 61 School Street, Middleton. Visit our HO model railway, restored railway station, and rolling stock. Call 902 221-6922.

Wed. Sept. 2, 2:00pm The Clements Historical Society will be holding its monthly meeting at the Royal Canadian Legion, Clementsport, NS, Hwy#1, in the Upper Hall. Refreshments are always welcomed and served. Everyone is welcome.

Wed. Sept. 2, 7:00pm Brickton Community Hall Jam Sessions

Every Wednesday @ 7. Free will offering. All welcome. *

Wed. Sept. 2, 7-9:00pm Fun Cribbage every Wednesday evening at the Bridgetown Legion, 20 Jeffery Street. \$6 entry returned in prizes. All welcome. *

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Wed. Sept. 2, 8:00pm Al-anon Meeting, for relatives and friends of alcoholics, at the First United Baptist Church at 762 George Street, Annapolis Royal, every Wednesdays at 8pm. Please enter through the front door.

Thur. Sept. 3, 10am-12:00pm Veterans Coffee Morning at the Bridgetown Legion. Veterans, 1st Responders, serving and retired, firefighters and members. Every Thursday. Royal Canadian Legion, 20 Jeffrey St. *

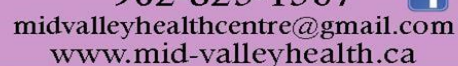
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Sun. Sept. 6, 3-7:00pm Bluesberry Fest Take Two at Centrelea Community Hall, 3495 Highway 201. We were rained out so we're coming back with Music, Food, Fun and Family Activities. Sign up for Blueberry dessert baking contest and a vendors' market by email at centreleacommunityhall@gmail.com

Mon. Sept. 7, 10-11:00am & Wed. Sept. 9, 10-11:00am Lawrencetown & Area Seniors Association (LASA) Exercise Classes Seniors 55+ are welcome to come and join in LASA's Exercise Programs at the Lawrencetown Legion, 490 Main St (main entrance). **Head-to-Toe Exercise class**, Mon. Sept 7 10-11am and **Yoga class** Wed. Sept 9, 10-11am.

General Meeting to follow Exercise Class on Monday, Sept 7, 11am to hear, discuss and plan for LASA's fall and winter activities which include guest presentations, community information, social activities and fitness classes. Thanks to the support of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis & the New Horizons for Seniors Program for making these programs possible.

Tues. Sept. 8, 10:00am Weekly Senior Exercise Class at Bridgetown Legion with qualified instructor. Stretch, strength, cardio, etc. Work at your own comfort level. \$4 per class. Bring hand weights and resistance band if you can. Come out for some fun while working out! Everyone welcome....just show up! 902-665-4308.

Wed. Sept. 9, 1-3:00pm Senior's Day at the Bear River & Area Community Health Clinic, 1112 River Rd. This recurring monthly event falls on the second Wednesday of each month and is intended as a time to catch up with old friends and meet new ones! Enjoy light refreshments and rotating activities through the year. Free will donation at the door. *

Wed. Sept. 9, 2-4:00pm Genealogy Coffee Club Join us for an afternoon of socializing and storytelling at the O'Dell House Museum & Genealogy Centre. All are welcome. Donations Appreciated. The event takes place on the second Wednesday of each month, except for December.

Wed. Sept. 9, 4-8:00pm Bear River Night Market, bi-weekly, on the waterfront (near the Carol Dibble Community Greenhouse & Waterfront Gardens). Local food, art, and music with Ron Parks.

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Wed. Sept. 9, 6-8:00pm Community Conversations with the County of Annapolis. Hosted by Warden Diane Le Blanc at Three Rivers Community Centre (41 Messenger Rd., Torbrook Mines). Community Conversations will follow a World Café-style engagement model, designed to create informal, small-group discussions in a relaxed and welcoming environment. Come share ideas, ask questions, and connect with Council and staff. Drop in for a few minutes or stay the entire two hours.

Wed. Sept. 9, 7:30pm Concert at Belleisle Hall Acadian Cultural Centre with Grouyan Gombo, a Montreal based group that is passionate about Acadian music from Louisiana. Tickets are \$20. Call or text Jennifer at 902-247-2019 or email theacadianpeasant@gmail.com. 16 Little Brook Lane, Belleisle.

Thur. Sept. 10, 11:30am Best Years Fellowship for Seniors, Hillsburn United Baptist Church, 3686 Shore Road West, Hillsburn. Come and join us for a free lunch and entertainment. Theresa Porter and Angela Hudson will be providing the entertainment.

Thur. Sept. 10, 7:00pm The Clarence 4-H Club meets at the Clarence Hall on the second Thursday of each month at 7pm. New members and leaders are always welcome! For more information call Shanda at 902-824-2835

Fri. Sept. 11, 3-8:00pm and Sat. Sept. 12, 9am-3:00pm Kingston Sportsman Show at the Kingston Lions Club, 1482 Veterans Lane, Kingston. Hunting and fishing gear, firearms, ammunition, archery, knives, militaria, and much more. Admission \$5, children under 12 free when accompanied by an adult. Canteen on site. 50/50. Info contact Doug at 902-225-0517, or doujohnson@accesswave.ca

Sat. Sept. 12, 12:00pm Author Event Fundraiser Join the Annapolis Valley Regional Library for an afternoon of celebrating libraries, reading, and community with bestselling author Rachel Reid! This ticketed fundraising event will feature an hour-long conversation and Q&A with Rachel moderated by host Stephanie Domet and a silent auction featuring unique Heated Rivalry items. More details on the auction to follow!

A limited number of pre-signed books will also be available for purchase on-site through local bookseller The Inside Story. Silent auction from 12pm-2pm. Author conversation and Q&A to start at 2pm. Please note that there will be no signing line or meet and greet at this event. Tickets are \$65. At University Hall, Acadia University, 13 University Ave, Wolfville. Tickets and info at https://valleylibrary.ca/



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Sat. Sept. 12, 7:00pm Hillbilly Band at Granville Centre Community Hall. Come on out for an evening of music at the Granville Centre Hall, for the price of a free-will donation. There will be refreshments available at intermission (for free will donation). There will be a Fall harvest basket raffle, silent auction and 50/50 draw. Hope to see you there for an evening of fun, friends and good music!



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Mon. Sept. 14 – Fri. Sept. 18, 10am-4:00pm daily One Week Art Workshop Join artist Lorna Mulligan for this immersive one-week art workshop, A Place in Time, based in historic Annapolis Royal from Sept 14 - 18. The workshop consists of a mix of plein air and in-studio art making/exploration at the Artsplace upstairs space. Your daily visual notetaking will explore different aspects of this place: the landscape, architecture, scenery, people, objects - consider it travel painting with intent! ARTSPPLACE, 396 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal. \$300. There will be a pop-up exhibition on Sept. 19th. For more info and to register email lorna@lornamulligan.com

Tues. Sept. 15, 6:30-7:30pm The Art of iNaturalist In this virtual workshop, Agnes will cover how to use iNaturalist, improve photography skills, and reflect on connections to art, mental health, and nature. We will wrap everything up with a BioBlitz! This is a family-friendly workshop. All participants will need an iNaturalist account (free) and a camera or cellphone. Since this is a virtual event, either a cellphone or computer will be required to connect. Register by email, info@7arts.ca Payment required by Sept 14th to receive the workshop link. Cost \$20 per household.

Thur. Sept. 17, 6:30-8pm Sunflower Paint Night. Join Artist Jenna as she guides participants through the process of creating their very own sunflower masterpiece. All supplies included! \$35 per person. Registration required by emailing info@7Arts.ca. At 7Arts Centre, 619 Central Ave, Greenwood.

Thur. Sept. 17, 8:00pm Angelique Francis and Band at Evergreen Theatre. JUNO Award winner Angelique Francis and her band, The Angelique Francis Band, are versatile and exceptionally gifted musicians. These multi-talented, multi-instrumentalist, multi-genre singer-songwriters/composers have wowed audiences across the globe with their electrifying performances, instrumental abilities and powerful textured vocals. Known for their eclectic mix of various musical genres (including Blues, Folk, Soul, Jazz, Roots, Rock, Gospel and Americana), they have played and shared the stage with renowned musicians such as Buddy Guy, Gary Clark Jr, Joe Bonamassa, Eric Gales, Keb’ Mo’, Jimmy Vivino, Beth Hart, Tom Cochran, Burton Cummings, Sugar Ray and the list goes on. Her diversity, passion and love of music can be heard in all of her original compositions. Tickets: Adults \$40, Members \$30, Military \$35, Students \$20, available at www.evergreentheatre.ca or 902-824-6834. 1941 Stronach Mountain Rd., East Margaretsville.

Fri. Sept. 18 Community Board Game Night at the Middleton Firehall An evening of board games, good company, and a little friendly competition! 6-7:00pm is Low Sensory Hour. This first hour will offer a quieter, lower-sensory environment for those who prefer it. 7-9:00pm, everyone welcome. Bring along your favourite board game or choose from one of ours! Light refreshments will be provided. Middleton Firehall, 49 Church St. Questions? Contact mpal@town.middleton.ns.ca Please note: Children under 14 must be accompanied by an adult.

Sat. Sept. 19, 11:00am Washer Toss Fundraiser hosted by the Lawrencetown Legion, in support of Bridgetown's Happy Tails Dog Park. Open doubles; \$40 per team. Cash bar, raffles and prizes. Register by Sept. 17 at bridgetowndogpark@outlook.com or 902-309-3174.

Sat. Sept. 19, 2:00pm The Delaps Cove Wilderness Trail Ramble Spend a Saturday afternoon wandering one of Annapolis County's most scenic stretches of Bay of Fundy coastline! Join Annapolis County Recreation for a relaxed afternoon of guided walks, coastal views, forest trails and time to explore at your own pace. Discover the rugged beauty of Delaps Cove, from its canopied forest and dramatic shoreline to look-offs and the impressive waterfall at Bohaker Cove.

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Sat. Sept. 19, 4-6:00pm September is Chicken Month and the Bridgetown Curling Club, with the generous support of Atlantic Poultry Incorporated, the Chicken Farmers of Nova Scotia and Eden Valley Poultry, will be hosting their **annual Chicken Barbecue Dinner**. **Take out only** \$23 per plate includes 1/2 barbeque chicken, baked potato, coleslaw, roll and desert. Cash & Debit only. Dinners will be available for pickup from 4:00 to 6:00pm. To reserve tickets please contact Brenda Ernst at 902-665-2935 or email reservations@bridgetowncurlingclub.com. Limited tickets may also be available at the door.



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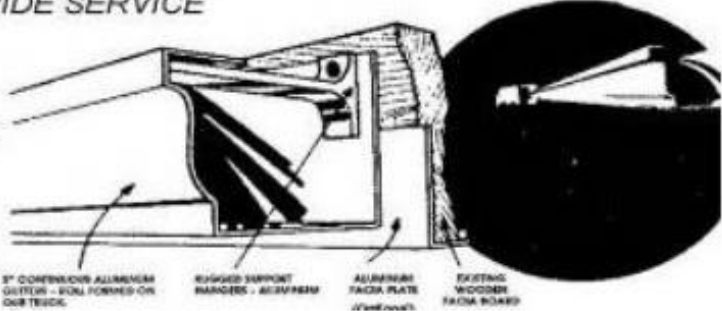
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Tues. Sept 22, 6:30-8:00pm Owl Paint Night. This owl paint night will be a hoot! Gather your flock and join Artist Jenna for a fun night out. All supplies included. \$35 per person. Registration is required by emailing info@7Arts.ca. At 7Arts Centre, 619 Central Ave, Greenwood.

Wed. Sept 23, 1-3:00pm Art with Nature. Join us for this fun class in which Artist Joan will be exploring various art techniques and media in creating nature-inspired works of art. \$20 per person, all supplies included. For ages 18+. Registration is required by emailing info@7Arts.ca. At 7Arts Centre, 619 Central Ave, Greenwood.

Sat. Sept. 26, 8am-1:00pm Soldier's Memorial Health Auxiliary September Yard Sale 2026 at Middleton Fire Hall, 49 Church Street, Middleton.

Sat. Sept. 26 The Annapolis Royal Legion will host the **1st Annual Frank Gillis Memorial Mixed Doubles Dart Tournament** \$40 / Team with all entry fees returned in prizes. Captains meeting will be at 9:30am with play beginning at 10:00am. Signup at the Legion bar or call 902-532-5196 for info.

Prizes for High Finish, High Score and 180's! Maximum of 18 teams, so please register in advance at the Legion bar. There will also be BBQ available for lunch. Everyone is welcome to play, members & guests.

Sun. Sept. 27 Paradise Apple Fun Run 5K A family-friendly 5km run/walk through the orchard, plus a free 1km kids run for children under 12. Enjoy a scenic route, apple-themed fun, and tasty treats at the finish line! Registration Deadline: August 31, 2026. Get more info at paradisehall.ca or register on <https://raceroster.com/> (search for "Paradise Apple Fun Run")

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Sun. Sept. 27, 8:00pm The Once play Evergreen Theatre. With the release of 2024's Out Here, The Once have delivered a thoughtful and playful assembly of songs mingling their musical roots from Newfoundland along with folk, bluegrass, country, Americana, and modern indie rock. Members Geraldine Hollett, Andrew Dale, and Phil Churchill have created a sound representative of their home province of Newfoundland while pushing the boundaries on the great Canadian songbook with their soothing vocal harmony and acoustically rich core.

Lyricaly, The Once's newest collection of songs encompass an arresting sense of loss with the belief that the good can be found in all people, and a desire to bring it out here for everyone to enjoy. A ray of hope in a confusing time. A port in a storm. A provocation with a grin. This material is soaked with the poetic charm and sunny sadness of the trio's collective disposition. Written across Newfoundland and recorded in the band's GingerBeard House studio the band took their time creating this record. Tickets: Adults \$50, Military \$45, Students \$25, available at www.evergreentheatre.ca or 902-824-6834. 1941 Stronach Mountain Rd., East Margaretsville.

Sat. and Sun. Oct. 3 & 4, 7:00pm Dinner Theatre Fundraiser at the Middleton Fire Hall, 49 Church St. The Macdonald Museum is thrilled to partner with the Middleton Railway Museum and the Annapolis District Drama Group to bring you *Washing Soldiers 1797!* Set in Molly's bath house in 18th century Annapolis Royal, this entertaining dinner theatre production is packed with cheeky humour, memorable characters, and plenty of laughs. \$47.50 per person. Your evening includes a delicious, themed dinner: Bathwater Soup, Porcupine Stew, Bear Hunters' Cake, Tea or Coffee

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Wed. Sept. 2
Come and join us for our weekly coffee gathering. 9-11:00am in the Upper Hall. Coffee, tea, treats \$1. Open to everyone – come and meet your neighbours. There is a great turnout for this event. If you have any questions please call the Legion – 902 638 3303.
Pool will be held at the Clementsport Legion on Wednesday nights in the lower level for members and guest. Doors open at 6:00pm and open bar from 7pm until 10pm. Come out and enjoy yourself for an evening of socialization.

Fri. Sept. 4
No supper this week. Next supper will be ribs on Sept. 18.
Pool - 9 Ball. Doors open and games start at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome.
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Line Dancing Intermediate 10:00 – 11:00am To register, please contact Durline at 902-532-3035 or dance.canada@explorerguide.ca
Hatha Yoga 11:30am – 12:45pm Sridhara 1-250-228-3848

Tuesday– Library open 1-3pm. Jackie 902-340-0007 Zumba 6:30 – 7:30pm \$7 per session Wendy 902-532-7736

Wednesday –Keep Fit and Healthy Classes 8:30-9:30am Carole 902-376-2055

Thursday- TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) 8am weigh in and 8:30 meeting. Contact Stephen 902-526-2885 Cribbage 1pm-3:00 Pete 902-376-2007

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Sun. Aug. 30, 6:00pm Once Upon a Time in a Cinema (film, PG) Once Upon a Time in a Cinema is set in a small-town cinema during one eventful Friday night screening from hell. Over the course of one evening, the film follows the travails of beleaguered cinema owner Earl Clancy (Colin Morgan) as he faces a myriad of disasters, any one of which could sink him. Drawing from writer/director David Gleeson's own experience growing up in a family of cinema owners where his father's 78-year career marked the longest in the cinema business in Ireland, if not the world, this film is a love letter to a peculiarly Irish cinema experience, which was as much about connecting with people as it was about the movie. Content expanded. Tickets: Adults \$11.95, Youth \$7.95.

Wed. Sept. 2, 7:00pm Late Fame (film, 14A) Ed Saxberger, a forgotten New York poet, works in the post office. After an eager and flattering young admirer appears on his doorstep, Saxberger is beckoned into a coterie of twentysomething admirers who anoint him as a rediscovered genius. Intoxicated by the attention – and by the alluring presence of Gloria, the group's "tragic heroine" – Saxberger gradually reckons with the authenticity of his newfound poetic circle. This thoughtful, witty film is a wistful yet unromantic look at a lost idea of downtown New York. Tickets: Adults \$11.95, Youth \$7.95.

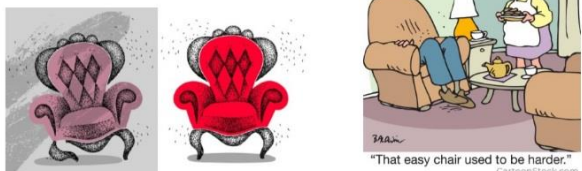
Sat. Sept. 5, 7:30pm Jackson-Wilson Quartet (live performance) Jackson/Wilson Quartet is the combined forces of Juno Award winning trombonist Andrew Jackson, and Four time Music Nova Scotia award-winning guitarist Sam Wilson. Together they have been exploring the interplay of trombone and guitar, honing their musical chemistry since 2014. At the time of their meeting, both musicians were searching for a setting to explore jazz in a less traditional format, and they quickly realized they were on a similar musical discovery. Over the past decade, this has led them to develop a common musical language, creating an original sound that is contemporary, thoughtful, and fresh. Their 2023 album "New Doors" received critical acclaim, and since the release, the two have had the opportunity to tour across the country.

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Sun. Sept. 6, 3:00pm Paw Patrol: The Dino Movie (film, G) After their ship gets caught in a mysterious storm, the PAW Patrol pups crash land on an uncharted tropical island filled with dinosaurs. They meet Rex, a pup who has been stranded on the island for years and has become an expert in all things dino-related. When the PAW Patrol's archrival, Mayor Humdinger, begins recklessly mining in hopes of exploiting the island for its natural resources, he inadvertently causes a huge, dormant volcano to erupt. The PAW Patrol pups are thrown into a series of high-stakes, dino-sized rescues bigger than anything they've done before, as they must stop Humdinger before everything on the island goes extinct.

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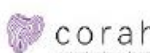
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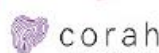
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10 weeks for \$70

Location: Room 121 at NSCC Middleton Campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

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Tai Chi Level 2

Join Jamie Edwards for classes to:

- Reap the full benefits of Tai Chi
- Improve flexibility, balance & stability
- See how Tai Chi can help in your daily life

THURSDAYS: 12:30PM – 1:30PM
September 24 to November 26, 2026
10 weeks for \$70

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Campus
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Line Dancing for New Beginners

Join Justine Reiner on Thursdays to:

- Learn a fun form of dance
- Challenge yourself with new steps
- No experience necessary
- Laugh and have a great time!

THURSDAYS: 2:45pm – 3:45pm
September 24 TO November 26, 2026
10 weeks for \$25

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Gym
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215



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Line Dancing Level 2

Join Justine Reiner on Wednesdays to:

- Improve your dancing skills
- Challenge yourself with new steps
- Laugh and have a great time!

WEDNESDAYS: 2:45pm – 3:45pm
September 23 to December 09, 2026
10 weeks for \$25

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Gym
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

*No class Sept. 30
*No class Nov. 11



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Indoor Walking: Let's Get Moving!

Walk with us! Join Middleton Recreation and CORAH for Indoor Walking to:

- Discover the benefits of walking
- Walk with others, move at your own pace
- Begin or continue and indoor walking routine

THURSDAYS: 9:00am – 10:00am
October 01 to December 10, 2026

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Gym
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

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Chair Yoga with Wendy Balcom Join Chair Yoga (Fridays) to:

- Enhance your flexibility
- Improve balance and strength
- Reduce tension and increase mobility

FRIDAYS: 9:00am – 10:00am
October 16 to December 11, 2026
8 weeks for \$56

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

No class Nov. 20

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for 8
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Chair Yoga with Wendy Balcom

Join Chair Yoga (Tuesdays) to:

- Enhance your flexibility
- Improve balance and strength
- Reduce tension and increase mobility

TUESDAYS: 9:00am – 10:00am
October 13 to December 08, 2026*
9 weeks for \$63

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215



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for 9
weeks



Chair Yoga Dance Flow

Join Wendy Balcom (Thursdays) to:

- Find your flow through music and deep breathing
- Whole-body movements will get your heart rate up, all done from a chair!

THURSDAYS: 2:00pm – 3:00pm
October 15 to December 10, 2026
9 weeks for \$63

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215



\$63
for 9
weeks



Yin Yoga with Amy
Join Amy Neufeld-Klein for Yin Yoga to:
 ● Reduce stress and anxiety
 ● Improve flexibility and joint mobility
 ● A floor-based practice with longer held postures and positions on your mat

WEDNESDAYS: 2:00pm – 3:00pm
October 7 to December 09, 2026
9 weeks for \$63

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

\$63 for 9 weeks



No class Nov. 11

Hatha Yoga with Cheryl
Join Cheryl Gubernt for Hatha Yoga to:
 ● Enhance strength, flexibility & balance
 ● Improve range of motion in your joints
 ● Reduce stress & anxiety

THURSDAYS: 10:30am – 11:30am
September 24 to November 26, 2026
10 weeks for \$70

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

\$70 for 10 weeks



'It's Your Turn' Fitness (co-ed)
Join Sandy for classes to help you start/restart a fitness journey, or if you need modifications:
 ● Increase strength and stamina
 ● Fall prevention, flexibility and mobility
 ● Have fun & feel good: modifications for those recovering from injury, illness, or surgery

TUESDAYS: 10:30am – 11:30am
September 22 to December 01, 2026
10 weeks for \$70

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Campus
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

\$70 for 10 Weeks



*No class Nov. 10

Heart & Sole Fitness (co-ed)
With Sandy of 'Training for Life'
 ● Low impact exercises for the 55+ community
 ● Focus on increasing strength and balance
 ● Improve flexibility, stability, movement

TUESDAYS: 9:00am – 10:00am
September 22 to December 01, 2026*
10 weeks for \$70

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Gym
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

\$70 for 10 weeks



*No class Nov. 10

Men's Strength and Fitness
With Sandy of 'Training for Life'
 ● Focus on increasing strength, stamina, energy, mobility and flexibility
 ● Exercises to create a feeling of well-being

FRIDAYS: 9:00am – 10:00am
September 25 to December 11, 2026*
8 weeks for \$56

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Gym
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

\$56 for 8 weeks



*No class Oct. 16
 *No class Nov. 6
 *No class Nov. 13
 *No class Nov. 20

Women's Strength & Fitness
With Sandy of 'Training for Life'
 ● Focus on increasing strength, flexibility, stability, balance and injury prevention
 ● Low impact exercises
 ● A great group of women to workout with!

FRIDAYS: 10:30am – 11:30am
September 25 to December 11, 2026
8 weeks for \$56

Location: CORAH at NSCC Middleton Gym
Register: corah-avc@nsc.ca OR 902-825-5215

\$56 for 8 weeks



*No class Oct. 16
 *No class Nov. 6
 *No class Nov. 13
 *No class Nov. 20

Public Consultation Open on New Protected Areas

The Province of NS is protecting 5,100 more hectares of Nova Scotia's land and water, including three new wilderness areas, additions to seven existing wilderness areas, and an addition to one existing nature reserve.

Nova Scotians can provide input until October 20 at: <https://www.novascotia.ca/nse/protectedareas/>

The Province has protected about 14.56 per cent of its land and water, covering about 800,000 hectares. If designated, these sites represent an additional 0.09 per cent towards the Province's goal of 15 per cent by December 31. The proposed areas to be protected, now open for public consultation, are:

New wilderness areas:

Herring Cove Backlands Wilderness Area, Halifax Regional Municipality, 2,910 hectares

Musquodoboit Harbour Wilderness Area, Halifax Regional Municipality, 308 hectares

Masons Mountain Wilderness Area, Inverness County, 154 hectares

Additions to existing wilderness areas:

Canso Coastal Barrens Wilderness Area, Guysborough County, 529 hectares

Tobeatic Wilderness Area, Yarmouth, Shelburne, Digby and Queens counties, 498 hectares

Ship Harbour Long Lake Wilderness Area, Halifax Regional Municipality, 475 hectares

Guysborough Headlands Wilderness Area, Guysborough County, 69 hectares

Medway Lakes Wilderness Area, Annapolis County, 61 hectares

Ogden Round Lake Wilderness Area, Guysborough County, 34 hectares

Polletts Cove-Aspy Fault Wilderness Area, Victoria County, 23 hectares

Additions to existing nature reserves:

Chimney Corner Nature Reserve, Inverness County, 107 hectares

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Yard Sale: Sat. Sept. 5, 9:30am to 4pm, 309 Highway 201 Moschelle. I am moving and a lot of things can't go with me. Items are too numerous to list but includes a few small pieces of furniture, lots of bundles of fabric, sewing accessories, pet supplies, children's games and puzzles, bedding, other household items, a few house plants, and a table full of assorted free items. Rain date will be Sun. Sept. 6th. For inquiries call Janet at (902) 532-7284.

For Sale: Hyper Radster Aluminum 20" 36 V Electric Bikes. Pedal Assist 180W Bike motor. 2 bikes, one red, \$400, one blue, \$450 (fat tires). Sold separately or both for \$800. Storage compartment under seat, dual disc brakes, built-in frame charging port. Low step over. Charging time 4hrs. Run time 1 hour or 20 miles. Like new, rarely used. Complete with chargers and keys to remove battery for storage. Cash payment only, no delivery, pickup only in Annapolis Royal. Phone 902 840-0234

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For Sale: Four 18in steel rims (6 bolt pattern). Perfect condition! Reason for selling, does not fit new vehicle. Asking \$300 O.B.O. To view in person please contact Ken @ 705-34-4380 or ken_rowbottom@hotmail.com Pictures also available on request.

For Sale: 44 in Snow blower for John Deer Ride on Lawn Mower, used for two seasons, purchased in 2023. Comes with all attachments, chains, counter weight, manual, etc. Item no longer required. Asking \$2500 O.B.O. To view in person please contact Ken @ 705-34-4380 or ken_rowbottom@hotmail.com, pictures also available on request.

For Sale: Hugo Sidekick Rolling Walker \$125; pristine condition, like new, this quality and lightweight walker has built-in seat with backrest, mesh storage basket. Height adjustable handles, integrated brakes and large wheels for mobility. Original manual included. Please call 902-824-0891.

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For Sale: 2 Cool works 9 inch twin window fans. Brand new, only used once, \$15 each. Singer sewing machine. Table top model, \$45, like new. MFC printer with new toner cartridge, \$40. 902-349-4314.

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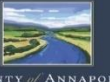
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For Sale: 2016 Mercedes Benz S-Class. Low mileage, like new. \$17,000. Call 902-665-4024 after 1pm.

For Sale: Lowenstein Medical Prisma Smart Plus/Max CPAP Machine. Gently used (3 mos.), excellent condition. Asking \$900 (Paid \$2200). Pride Jazzy Ultra Light Power Wheelchair. Folds up & fits in trunk. Has its own charging system and batteries have been kept charged. Only used 3 times for 10 min each, like "Brand New". Asking \$2000 (paid \$3600). Call Paul at +1-403-680-8240.

For Sale: Vintage Bedroom set. Solid birch, maple colour. Made in Quebec. Dresser, double headboard, mattress and box springs. \$250. 902-825-4945.

For Sale: 4 wooden inside doors: 2 with hinges, doorknobs, and wooden frames. 30 inches by 78 inches- \$50.00 each. 1 with doorknobs, no hinges- 28x1/4 by 80 \$30. 1 with hinges and doorknobs, 31 1/2 by 79 1/2- \$40. Available to view or pick up at Paradise Heritage Center any Monday between 9am and 12. Or call 902 825-9198 for appointment.

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Online Auction Fundraiser for the Bridgetown Royal Canadian Legion Branch 33 for kitchen renovations. Bidding is open Aug. 22 to October 3. Fine the auction at Facebook: Bridgetown Legion Online Auction 2026.

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Public Hearing

TAKE NOTICE that the Municipal Council will hold a PUBLIC HEARING on its intention to adopt the Bridgetown Secondary Planning Strategy and Land Use Bylaw. You are invited to attend and speak or ask questions concerning these proposed planning documents.

Date: Tuesday, September 15, 2026

Time: 11:00 AM

Location: Municipal Administration Building, 752 St. George St., Annapolis Royal (Council Chambers)

Any interested persons who wish to speak on the matter are welcome to make respectful comments or express concerns and may register at the door prior to the meeting start time. A copy of the proposed planning documents may be viewed on the Municipality's website or by visiting the Municipal Administration Building, 752 St. George St, Annapolis Royal weekdays, except public holidays, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm or the Municipal Satellite Office, 292 Marshall Street - Unit 1, Middleton Wednesdays and Thursdays, except public holidays, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm.

For further information, please contact:

Linda Bent, Director of Planning & Inspection Services

Phone: (902) 840-0579

Email: lbent@annapoliscounty.ca

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Painting A River of History: Te'wapskik, Riviere du Dauphin, Annapolis River- a three-day workshop with Janice Leonard, exploring in Art and in Story the idea of the flow of time. At the Paradise Heritage Centre, 10307 Highway 1, September 18, 19, 20, 10am-3:00pm. Cost: \$100.

This workshop culminates in an Art Exhibition and Sale by participants. The public is invited to join us for the Exhibition, with Tea and Cake, \$15. Please register for the workshop at <https://paradisehistoricalsociety.ca/event/artist-workshop/> and Public Exhibition and tea, 2-4pm on the 20th at <https://paradisehistoricalsociety.ca/event/art-exhibition/>

Rug Hooking for Beginners: Sept. 27 and Oct. 4. You start with a “mug rug” and who knows how far you can go? Our next Workshop for Rug Hooking Beginners takes place on September 27 and October 4. There are still a few spaces left, first come first served. The cost: \$100. 10am-3:00pm at Paradise Heritage Centre, 10307 Highway 1, Paradise with Instructor, Monica Bailey. On September 27 you will learn the craft and start your own mug rug. Then you take it home to complete.

On October 4 you return to learn how to do the edge finishing, and take home your creation to enjoy and inspire.

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Upcoming Annapolis Valley Folk School Events

Thur. Sept. 17, 4:30pm Barter Based Session: Basics of Simple Meal Preparation at 2659 Clarence Rd, Lawrencetown. This session will teach you the basics of how to make, store and freeze soups, stews and chili. We will make the meals together going over the basics for preparing and cooking the different meals and try them out for supper.

The Rotary Club and Annapolis Valley Folk School are joining forces for a hands-on cooking session to help stock our community pantry—and we'd love for you to be part of it! Together, we will prepare five different simple, healthy, freezer-friendly meals (including hearty stews, chili, and nourishing soups) to support local community members.

Sat. Sept. 19, 7-10:30pm Lunasa Ceili at Round Hill Hall, 1689 Hwy 201. Free-will offering Bring your bravery, your curiosity, and whatever .version of a jig your legs can manage. We'll bring the tunes, the laughter, and the gentle nudging when you wander off like a happy but confused lamb. By the end of the night, you'll swear you've been céilí-hopping since childhood.

Sun. Sept 20, 2:30pm September's Orchard Makers Swap Pack your folding chairs and grab your free tickets on Eventbrite—the Makers Swap is returning this September! This money-free community gathering welcomes all ages, skills, and experience levels. The concept is simple: bring anything you've made, grown, or a service you can offer, and trade it for treasures made by others. Registration is required. More information to come. Questions or Contact Info: Facebook: @annapolisvalleyfolkschool Email: avfolkschool@gmail.com Phone: Call Maureen at 902-309-0224

Development Agreement Approved

Middleton Town Council has approved a Development Agreement that will allow a new affordable housing development to move forward on a provincially owned property on Magee Drive.

The proposed development includes 27 residential units, along with a community office and boardroom space. Plans for the property also include community green space, pedestrian pathways, landscaping and other site amenities.

The Development Agreement approval follows a municipal planning and public engagement process that included review by Town planning staff and the Planning Advisory Committee, as well as opportunities for public input.

As the municipal approval authority, the Town's role has been to review the proposed development in accordance with its Municipal Planning Strategy, Land Use By-law and applicable planning requirements.

"This is an exciting step forward for Middleton and, most importantly, for the people who need access to safe and affordable places to call home," said Mayor Gail Smith. "Like many communities across Nova Scotia, we know there is a real need for more housing options. The addition of 27 affordable units in our community will make a meaningful difference while supporting Middleton's continued growth. Council is very pleased to see this project moving forward."

The development is planned for Lot 4A-D on Magee Drive (PID 05302047). With the Development Agreement approved, the project can proceed through the remaining permitting and development requirements.

The Town of Middleton looks forward to seeing the project progress and to the addition of much-needed housing options within the community.

Summer Math Camp

@ Lower Granville Hall in Port Royal. (3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal) Fri. August 28th, Mon. August 31st, AND Tues. September 1st. Time: 9:30am - 10:30am (for those entering Grades 3 & 4) or 11am - 12pm (for those entering Grades 5 & 6) Confidence building: Strengthen math facts. Be prepared for the new school year. Hands-on learning projects! Price: \$100 (Paper and project materials included!) What to Bring: Pencil, eraser, ruler

Why Choose Me? Dani Peters earned her degree in Economics from UCLA in California. After working many years as an accountant, she earned a Substitute Teaching Credential. She owned and operated a math learning centre called Mind Over Math for many years, providing individualized tutorial services to her students. Register at: mathwithdani@gmail.com



COMING EVENTS



GYPSY

Fleetwood Mac tribute band. Almost sold out! Thanks to our Official Sponsor, MPL Group.
SATURDAY AUGUST 29 @ 7:30 PM



LATE FAME

A legendary New York poet reignites his artistic passion. Willem Defoe
WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 2 @ 7:00 PM



PAW PATROL: THE DINO MOVIE

The PAW Patrol pups must stop Humdinger before everything on the island goes extinct
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 6 @ 3:00 PM



OCEAN KIN AND SHADOW SELVES

A night of shadow puppetry by Jeighk Koyote, Dawn brands and friends
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 13 @ 6:00 PM



LES BAROCUDAS

Early music ensemble with a fresh approach to Baroque repertoire. Debut Atlantic
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 20 @ 3:00 PM



SPIDER-MAN: BRAND NEW DAY

Fighting crime full-time as Spider-Man in a world that doesn't remember him
FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 25 @ 7:00 PM



ONCE UPON A TIME IN A CINEMA

A cinema owner battles chaos in a disastrous Friday night screening, rallying a town behind him
SUNDAY AUGUST 30 @ 6:00 PM



JACKSON-WILSON QUARTET

Jazz quartet featuring Juno-winning trombonist Andrew Jackson & guitarist Sam Wilson
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 5 @ 7:30 PM



HADESTOWN

The live theatre film capture of the genre defying hit musical

WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 9 @ 7:00 PM



TERRA SPENCER & KIM DUNN

Favourite songs and irrepressible laughs. Sponsored by Acadian Plant Health.
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 19 @ 7:30 PM



TONY

A poignant and heartfelt tribute to culinary icon, Anthony Bourdain.
WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 23 @ 7:00 PM



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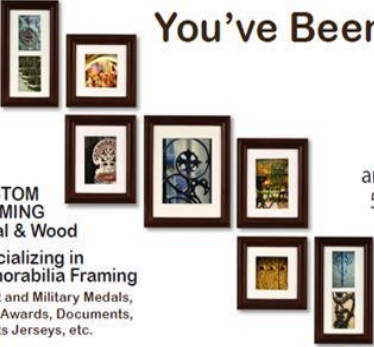
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Sometimes this can be a **BUSTLING COACH CHAOS**. Rearrange the capital letters to a form a four word answer.

When our two boys are **SLEEPING CATS** they can seem **ANGELIC PESTS** or **SPECIAL GENTS**.

“Intimidation” Cryptoquote
Answer: In civilised life domestic hatred usually expresses itself by saying things which would appear quite harmless on paper (the words are not offensive) but in such a voice, or at such a moment, that they are not far short of a blow in the face. C. S. Lewis from The Screwtape Letters

If you don’t know where you’re going, you will probably end up somewhere else.

Lawrence J Peter

Anagrams Answers Puzzle 33
Rearrange all the letters of each word to form two other common English words.

- Canonist – Contains
- Sanction
- Claimers –Miracles
- Reclaims
- Germinal - Maligner
- Maligner
- Montage – Magneto
- Megaton
- Satchel – Chalets
- Latches

Ducks in Rows? Double Puzzle - Unscramble the words below and use the numbered letters to solve the phrase at bottom. Answer next week.

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“Wipe Your Feet!”
Word Search Answer

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“Word We Just Like”
Word Search Puzzle

- Broadside

Dingbats

Indenture

Merlin

Oxbridge

Rebus

Shamus

Skiffle

Vinegar
- Cutpurse

Haywire

Lampoon

Naphtha

Posy

Rostrum

Sixpence

Tantra

Yummie

Find the word or phrase in the puzzle. Words can share letters as they cross over each other. Answer next week.

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Anagrams Puzzle 34
Rearrange all the letters of each word to form two other common English words.
Answers next week.

- Green Tea - _____
- _____
- Hectare - _____
- _____
- Parental - _____
- _____
- Pervious - _____
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- Veined - _____
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“Mastering” Cryptoquote: Each letter in the phrase has been replaced with a random letter.
Answer next week.

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“Getting to Know”...You!

You are invited to send us a short piece about your business or organization. The Bridgetown Reader welcomes articles of up to 500 or so words that would introduce you to the community; we call these stories “Getting to Know...” and they are free for one-time inclusion. Whether your business or group is large or small, we want to help spread the word about what you do, where you are, and how people can get in touch with you. Let us hear from you. Reach us through the contact form at www.bridgetownreader.news, through Facebook/ Bridgetown Reader, email readerpublishing@outlook.com or call or text 902-824-0412.

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“Off Kilter?” Double Puzzle Answer

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FITNESS CLASSES

Starting Monday September 14th-Thursday October 8th.
4 Week Term
Granville Ferry Hall (Please use the back door)

MONDAY:	PRICE LIST... 4 Week Term
3/20 5:45pm-6:45pm (20 Min Aerobics, 20 Min Toning, 20 Min Core/Mobility)	The Toning Zone \$32.00 Pilates with props \$52.00 3/20 \$40.00 Party Mix \$32.00 Chair Pilates \$40.00
PILATES WITH PROPS 7:00pm-8:00pm	
TUESDAY:	
3/20 11:30am-12:30pm	
CHAIR PILATES 12:45pm-1:30pm	
WEDNESDAY	
PARTY MIX 10:00am-10:50am	
PILATES WITH PROPS 11:00am-12:00pm	
THURSDAY	
THE TONING ZONE (Aerobics & hand weights) 10:00am-10:50am	
PILATES WITH PROPS 11:00am-12:00pm	

*Do 3-4 classes get an additional \$4.00 off.

*Do 5 or more classes get an additional \$8.00 off.

*Drop-In Rates Also Available!

*All equipment supplied, just bring yourself, indoor shoes and water bottle. Pilates is done barefoot. All fitness levels welcome!

Let’s Have Fun & Get Fit Together! 😊

To register or if you have any questions, please send an email to...
Susanthefitnessroom@gmail.com

WEASY’S HAIR SALON

4730 Hwy #1 Granville Ferry/ 902-532-2273

- NEW- DeSign me Body mists! drop in and test the testers. 3 gentle fragrances!
- Salon will be closed on Mon Aug 31st, just a bit of downtime for the ole’ girl.
- First day of school(AVRCE) is Thursday Sept 3rd. Mon Sept 7th is Labour Day
- Do you like to support Youth? Do you like hockey in Toronto this November? You get \$1500 cash to get you there! Fundraiser in support of Annapolis Soccer Club, selling tickets for the Toronto V/S Montreal game. It’s section 108, Row 12, seats 15 & 16,Sat Nov 7th, 2026, @ Scotiabank Arena Toronto. Draw date is Oct 1st, 2026. Let’s get these \$10 (cash) Tickets SOLD! at the salon.

Anna/ Royal-Along Prince Albert Rd of the Southbound Lane of Causeway, including the sidewalk will be closed intermittently until mid-Oct. Traffic control will be onsite while crews are working; motorists should expect delays. Questions or concerns, please contact NS Power at engage@nspower.ca. Pedestrians go to opposite side of the road .

Anna/Royal - We need your snapshots for our community photo project! Photos of your favorite local spot ! The deadline is Mon Aug 31st. Collecting photos that highlight local valued places and spaces that you’d like to see included in the Annapolis County Region’s joint Climate Action Plan. Submissions from all ages. Focus on places not faces. Click on & submit your photo <https://annapolisroyal.comcommunity-phpto-project>.

Anna/Royal - YARD SALE on Fri Sept 4th 1 - 3 pm and Sat Sept 5th 9 - 12 pm (Saturday Only is fill a bag for \$5) St. Lukes Anglican Church hall.

Anna/ Royal-North Hills Museum hold afternoon Teas every Sunday from 12:00 - 2 pm, \$5 per person Drop in & Enjoy Civic #5065 Granville Rd. 902-532-2168

Anna/Royal -Aroma Mocha Cafe #324 St George St. has 2 music performances coming up for you to enjoy. Fri Aug 28 Kimberly Holmes upbeat Fiddle Music 2 - 4 pm. Donations gratefully accepted in support of: Maritime Fiddle Festival.ca. Michael Keith ‘Guitar Soundscapes’ will be setting up monthly for the fall on Saturdays 1 - 3pm.

Annapolis Valley Reg. Library- has received a gift of \$300,000 from Best selling author and NS Native Rachel Reid. Join us Sat Sept 12th 12- 3 p. University Hall Acadia. Tickets are \$65 call box-office. Thank You, Rachel Reid! Silent auction and pre-signed books.

Bridgetown- Did you know the James House Museum is missing their screen doors? If anyone knows, just drop them back at the James, no questions asked.

Bridgetown- Chicken BBQ is Back at the Curling Club, they are firing up the grill on Sat Sept 19th. Take out only, Pick up is 4:00 - 6 pm! \$23 per plate Call Brenda 665-2935 or reservations@bridgetowncurlingclub.com

Bridgetown- Do you like to paint? Drop by Busy Bee Artisan #8513 Hwy 1, drop your \$10 entry fee in the payment box, pick up a GREEN buoy, scan and register it <https://forms.gle/PC1p9ktPm63onFjX6> and drop your painted buoy back to them by Sept 15th. The prizes \$150, kids \$50. Thank you, East Coast Buoy Company! @yeahbuoyee

Bridgetown- Bridgetown Family Camping (by the Bridge) Ice Cream Shop has new soft serve ice cream, Slushy machines, and Nor’easters, and classic hard ice cream #BFC.

Bridgetown- Annapolis County has a Backpack Program. Do you have financial need? Do you reside in Annapolis County? If you said ‘YES” to both these questions, fill out an application by visiting the link <https://forms.cloud.microsoft/r/QmmBsTqd1j> or go to the county page and scan the QR code. If you like to help with programs like this you can drop your supplies off to the (The Salvation Army location.) Hats off to the County & SchoolsPlus & all those unsung heroes behind the scenes for helping students.

Clarence & North Mtn- we want your photos of these places, Community fundraiser until Aug 31st. Send to : inquiries.clarencecommunity@gmail.com, if used we give you a prize.

Clementsval- YARD SALE! Sat Aug 29th 8 am - 2 pm Rain or shine @ Foresters Hall

Middleton- Angie’s Family Restaurant is giving their staff some time off with their families before school starts. Closed from Aug 24th and reopen Wed Sept 2nd. Truly appreciate your understanding and continued support.

Middleton Macdonald Museum - looking for crocheters, knitters& sewists! Handmade PURPLE poppies maximum diameter of 3 inches. Call 902-825-6116.

Moschelle Hall- Next Breakfast is Sat Aug 29th. The time is 8 am - 10:00. Cost \$10 Cash

Round Hill- Pork BBQ & fixings is Sat Sept 12th at Bishop Park. Drive thru Pick up is 4:30 - until they run out. Dessert included. Cash only.

Bingo @ Round Hill Hall in support of Bishop Park, Thurs Oct 1st 7 - 9p.Door open @ 6:30 pm. \$20 for 5 cards for all 20 games. Canteen available.

Tupperville- Closing weekend BBQ, Join us for a fun end-of-season celebration Sat Aug 29 @ 1pm. Museum open until Aug 30th. Civic # 2663 Hwy #201

Valley Voices -Facebook Auction- Aug 28th - Sept 11th@ 7 pm.

Bid. support. Make a difference. Thank You for supporting Valley Voices.

Wilmo- HUGE event coming to Dal’s Takeout Counter! Sat Sept 19th with ‘Hell’s Kitchen Finalist Declan Horgan’, Music by Marc Bezanson. Standing/Mingle event. Tickets \$120 plus tax. Call 902-765-2810.