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From St. James Anglican Church

Dearest Bridgetown Readers:

St. James Anglican Church, Bridgetown, is at a crossroads and we are mapping our way forward with a five-year-plan. Because of declining numbers and increased costs in many areas we have taken a long, hard look at ourselves and realize that our future as a church is in serious jeopardy. Rather than withering on the vine, we have decided to spend our remaining years as a church congregation joyfully celebrating God's Love.

We welcome any to join us in our beautiful 121-year-old church as we continue to worship every Sunday at 11:00 am, and experience the joy and love expressed in our faith.

We will continue our community outreach favorites like the chowder lunches, the spring salad plate and the Christmas coffee party, with power to add! Also, we hope to have some new celebrations, even some in different venues. Remember all are welcome to join in at any time!

With that in mind our plan will begin on July 28th, with a morning eucharist service to celebrate St. James Day followed by an afternoon picnic. A Healing Service will take place at St. James on July 31st at 7pm.

Celebrations continue on September 8th, 2024, when we will celebrate the 121st anniversary of the consecration of St. James Church. This special service will be at 4:00pm and The Right Reverend Bishop Sandra Fyfe will be our special guest.

Stay tuned as we continue with new events and activities as we proceed with our plans into the future. To paraphrase James 1: 2-3, "Though joy cannot be forced, it can be experienced in difficult situations". Please join us to make a joyful noise!

St. James Anglican Church, Bridgetown.

"The Anglican Parish of Bridgetown is a welcoming, family-oriented Church seeking to share Christ's LOVE through FAITH, FELLOWSHIP and HOPE."

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Annapolis Royal Natal Day News

The Natal Day Organizing Committee would like to make sure that everyone who wishes to attend the festivities this year is aware of a number of changes. First, the weekend's activities will begin on Friday, August 2, with an opening ceremony and dance at Market Square, an encampment at Fort Anne and Karaoke at the Legion. Most of the other activities take place over Saturday and Sunday, August 3 and 4. The parade will take place on Sunday, August 4 and form up at the fire hall, proceed up St Anthony Street, turn right on Drury Lane and proceed left up St George Street to Fort Anne, and is expected to start at 3:00 pm Please note that there will be no parking from the Royal Bank to Drury Lane during the parade, and as soon as the parade is over, people will be able to park in those areas. If you intend to see the parade, you are encouraged to plan ahead by finding a safe and legal place to park your vehicle and bringing a chair, water, and a hat.

*****Call for Vendors***** for our outdoor Junk in the Trunk spaces. The Market will be held Saturday, August 24th from 9am - 3pm at Lower Granville Hall (3551 Granville Rd. Port Royal). Looking for Crafters, Makers, or Artists, flea market vendors, or something you grow in your garden.

Junk in Your Trunk Space: Tailgate outside the building for \$10 per space. (5 spaces available) We will direct you where to park. Open your trunk and sell your items. You may bring your own table to set up directly behind your vehicle if you wish.

Email LowerGranvilleHall@gmail.com to get added to our list.

Middleton Library's Tiny Art Show

Sign up to receive a miniature 3" x 3" canvas and easel, a submission form, and a booklet of inspiring ideas. Use your preferred medium (watercolour, coloured pencils, oil, etc.) to create an original tiny work inspired by a famous piece of art.

How about Van Gogh's Starry Night... with a pink and yellow sky? You decide. Put your own twist on it! You can even decorate your easel, if you'd like!

Pick up your tiny art take-home bag at the Middleton Library between July 16 and 20. Return your art and your submission form to the Middleton Library by July 30. Artwork will be on display at the Middleton Library for the months of August and September. Open to ages 18+. Registration required. Available while supplies last.

The Bridgetown Reader is published weekly on Friday by TAR Publishing. The deadline for submissions to our next issue is noon Mon. July 15. Community Events, news and Bulletin Board items are free. Email us at readerpublishing@outlook.com



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North Hills Museum Vintage Show & Shine

Sunday July 14th
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Where: North Hills Museum - 5065 Granville Rd. Granville Ferry, NS B0S 1K0

Entrance: Our spacious grounds offer ample room to explore. Museum tours included. Food will be available for purchase. Donations to the museum are greatly appreciated!

Vehicle Registration: On-site registration open from 9:00am-10:00am. Registration fee of \$10 per vehicle. Fee includes raffle prize entry.



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Community Calendar

Bridgetown BASH 2024

Thur. July 11, 6 – 9:00pm **Meet & Greet**, Jubilee Park
 Fri. July 12, 8am – 5:00pm **Memorial Cup & BASH Golf Tournament**, Eden Golf & Country Club
 Fri. July 12, 10am – 3:00pm **Strongman, Pickleball, Family Activities**, Bridgetown Outdoor Sports Hub
 Fri. July 12, 11am – 4:00pm **Street Bazaar**, Rink Street, Bridgetown
 Fri. July 12, 1 – 2:00pm, **Free Public Swim**, Bridgetown Centennial Pool
 Fri. July 12, 4:30 – 9:00pm, **Dinner Theatre: "Doc" McCoy Murder Mystery**, Royal Canadian Legion Br 33
 Sat. July 13, 7 – 10:00am, **Pancake Breakfast**, Bridgetown Volunteer Fire Dept., 31 Bay Rd
 Sat. July 13, 8 – 9:00am, **Aquasize**, Bridgetown Centennial Pool
 Sat. July 13, 10am – 1:00pm, **Senior Social**, Bridgetown & Area Library, 38 Queen St.
 Sat. July 13, 3 – 3:30pm **River Fest/BASH Crowd Photo**, Jubilee Park
 Sat. July 13, 9pm – 1:00am **Beach Party BASH Dance**, Bridgetown & District Memorial Arena
 Sun. July 14, 10am - 4:00pm **Off-Road Vehicle Excursion**, Peter Walker's pit Rice Rd.
 Sun. July 14, 11am - 12:00pm **Open-Air Church Service**, Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park
 More info, tickets and registration at www.bridgetownbash.ca

Thur. July 11, 7:30pm Kelli Trotter in Concert -- fiddle, song, and dance, at The Garden Path, 265 St. George St., Annapolis Royal. \$20 per person, all proceeds go to Fundy Hospice Centre. For Information: elliemacklin@gmail.com 902-532-7509.

Fri. July 12, 10am-3:00pm Digby Farmers and Artisans Market runs from June to September, each Friday and Sunday (10am-3pm) Admiral's Walk, downtown Digby. We have an ever-changing line-up of vendors selling a wide range of locally crafted products that will appeal to all ages. Come find us along the picturesque Admiral's Walk in downtown Digby, weather permitting.

Fri. July 12, 5-6:30pm St. George & St. Andrew United Church in Annapolis Royal is holding a **'Strawberry Supper To Go'**. Menu: Cold plate dinner and Strawberry shortcake, \$15. Pickup 5:00 till 6:30, 393 St. George Street, at the lights. To reserve your meal please call 902-532-2244 or 902-340-0005.

Fri. July 12, 6-7:00pm Yoga with Esme Endres every Friday night from 6-7 at Brickton Community Hall, 12062 Hwy 1.

Fri. July 12, 6-8:00pm Summer Music at the 'O' presents **Big Sound Small Band**. Free admission. At the Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre on the river in Annapolis Royal. Sponsored by The Nicholson Foundation. Rain location Port Royal Legion or Community Hub.



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Fri. July 12, 7:00pm Jam Session every Friday Evening at the Youngs Cove Community Hall, 5407 Shore Rd.

Fri. July 12, 8-11:00pm or later Karaoke Night with Theresa Porter at the Annapolis Royal Legion. Join us for a fun night of karaoke with friends and help us celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the McCharles Family Classic! Just \$3 cover at the door. Everyone welcome!



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9AM-5PM

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DRAGON BOAT RACES/ 8:30 AM - 1:30 PM
GUIDED HERITAGE RIVER TOURS/ 2:30, 3:45, 5 PM
KID'S DRYLAND OBSTACLE RACE. 2:30 PM
CANOE OBSTACLE COURSE/ 3:34 PM
CANOE, KAYAK, SUP RACES/ 5 PM

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www.annapolisriver.ca/riverfest  CARP's Annapolis River Festival

Sat. July 13, 9am-1:00pm Summer Market in the Masonic Hall Church St., Annapolis Royal. From local handmade live-edge wood products, driftwood crafts, cards, vintage fabric tote bags, Annette's birdhouses & Jeanette's Jams; to Thai clothing, African jewelry, textiles, baskets, home decor, vintage goods, collectibles, antiques, books, CDs, LPs and more. Rain or shine. Cash & e-transfer.

Sat. July 13, 9am-1:00pm Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Market From fresh produce to handcrafted treasures and more, the Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Market is a tradition, each Saturday until Fall. Outdoors at Market Square.

Sat. July 13, 9am-5:00pm Annapolis River Festival (Riverfest) at Bridgetown's Jubilee Park. Sponsored by Clean Annapolis River Project (CARP). The Annapolis River Festival is a family-oriented event centered on the Annapolis River. Admission to the site is free, with a wide variety of activities free of charge including the "Skills Village", kids' games, guided boat tours (advanced registration recommended, seating limited), and live music. A variety of food and beverage vendors will be on-site (please bring cash, as some vendors have no option to pay by card). More info to come. Keep up with the schedule at <https://www.annapolisriver.ca/>

Sat. July 13, 10am-5:00pm Skills Village at Jubilee Park The Annapolis Valley Folk School has joined with Clean Annapolis River Project for an amazing day at the river. Come try your hand at the following skills offered by our amazing teachers here at Annapolis Valley Folk School!

Bees wax candle making, Knot tying, Hoola Hoop Making, Rug Hooking, Knitting, Henna, Doll making, Fermenting, Printing Press, Book Binding, Wind Chimes, Birdhouse building, Needle felting, Rope Wreath Making, Basket Weaving, Water Color, Peg Loom Weaving!

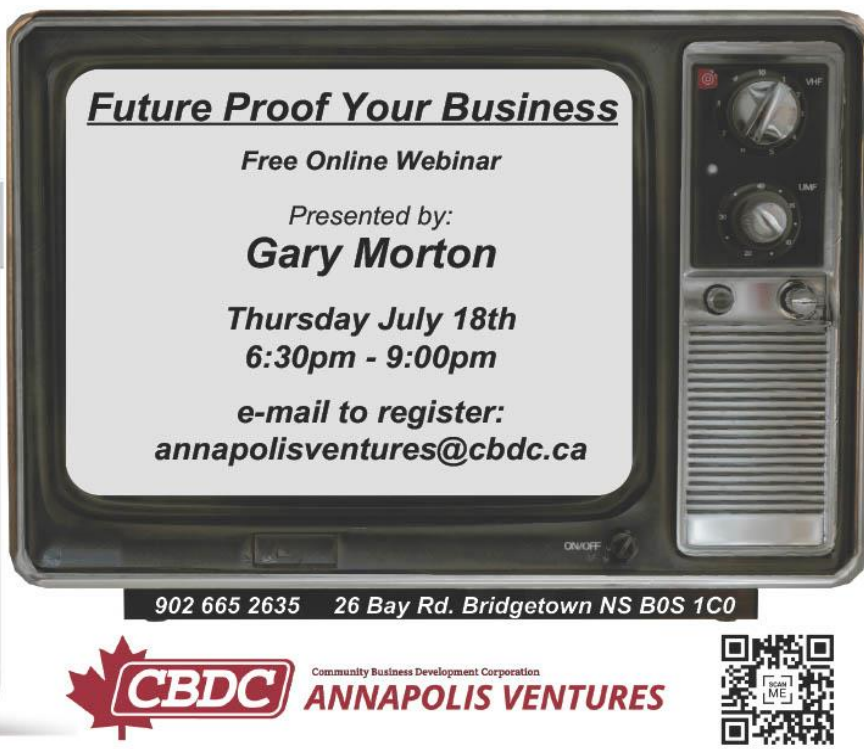
No ticket for this event but we do suggest that you bring a contribution to the AVFS Pantry located at 43 Lawrencetown Lane. If you are able a few items for the pantry would be greatly appreciated. Possible items, cereals, canned meats, veggies, meals, soups, milk, pastas, rice, oats... Find the Annapolis Valley Folk School on Facebook for more events.



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Sat. July 13, 10:00am Pride Weekend in Annapolis Royal From family-friendly activities at the Fort Anne Grounds to our vibrant Pride Parade (1:30pm Saturday) and the "T Dance" at Market Square right after, there's something for everyone! Find Annapolis Royal Pride Association on Facebook to see the latest schedule.

Sat. July 13, 1-3:00pm Pride Parade Booth St. Luke's Anglican will be outside the church while the parade is passing by! We will have stickers and freezies, stop by to say hello.

Sat. July 13, 4-6:00pm Port Royal Lighthouse Association's **Annual Lobster Roll Dinner**, a fundraiser for ongoing restoration and support of the Schafner Point Lighthouse. Eat in/carry-out, at the Lower Granville Hall, 3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal. The dinner includes: Lobster Roll on a Brioche Bun; generous servings of Potato Salad & Cole Slaw; and a Slice of Homemade Pie. Free coffee/tea for eat-in patrons. Pre-sale tickets only, while they last, \$25 (cash only). Tickets available at The Red Onion Market in Annapolis Royal, & Weasy's Hair Salon in Granville Ferry.

Also on tap for July 13th: Live music with Stephen Klein on the fiddle at the Hall, and Rob Redden on bagpipes at the Lighthouse (starting at 4:45pm). Plus, a bake sale, and a Chance Raffle for a Commemorative Pen and 2 Adirondack Chairs. A great community event! Special Thanks to our local sponsor: Valley Credit Union. For more information call: 902-526-2231. PortRoyalLighthouseAssociation@gmail.com / PortRoyalLighthouse.ca / Visit us on Facebook.

Sat. July 13, 4:45pm Bagpipes at the Schafner Point Lighthouse. Enjoy an open air musical performance by Pipe Major Robert Redden on the cliff top at Schafner Point, 3420 Granville Rd., Port Royal.

Sat. July 13, 7:00pm Jam Sessions, every Saturday night at the Litchfield Hall. Come out for an evening of music, fun and refreshments and support the hall. *

Sat. July 13, 8:00pm Old Man Luedecke at Evergreen Theatre. Two-time Juno award winner Old Man Luedecke is known for his high energy banjo driven stompers, touching guitar ballads and dry humorous stories., He has been making a soundtrack to an authentic life for nearly twenty years. Tickets: Adults \$35, Members \$25, Military \$30, Students \$20, available at www.evergreentheatre.ca or 902-825-6834. 1941 Stronach Mountain Rd, Margaretsville.

Sun. July 14, 10am-2:00pm Clarence Country Market. Plenty of vendors selling a wide array of homemade, homegrown and home baked items! ! With around 15 vendors, indoors and outdoors at the Clarence East School, 3337 Clarence Road!

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Sun. July 14, 10am-3:00pm Annual Show & Shine Car Show at North Hills Museum. The show grounds feature a wide grassy lawn to park and display your vehicles alongside the beautiful heritage property. Indoor public washrooms and shaded areas are available. Food will be available for purchase on-site. Visitor admission by donation. Vehicle registration fee of \$10 includes automatic raffle prize entry. All vehicles are welcome: Antiques, Hot-rods, Customs, Trucks, Motorcycles, and Tractors! North Hills Museum, 5065 Granville Road, Granville Ferry.

Sun. July 14, 4:00pm Classical Second Sundays at St. Luke's. You are invited to come and hear Russian concert pianist Anya Alexeyev perform a very interesting program called "Tapestry: Weaving a journey through musical traditions from around the world". Doors will open at 3:30pm. 340 St. George St, Annapolis Royal. Admission by donation, all welcome!

Sun. July 14, 7-9:00pm Fun Darts, every Sunday evening at the Bridgetown Legion, 20 Jeffery Street. \$3 entry returned in prizes.

Mon. July 15, 6:00pm Jam Session at Habitation New Horizons Hall at 1771 Granville Road in Port Wade. All welcome. For info call Ann Marie at 902-955-2244 *

Mon. July 15, 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 *

Tues. July 16, 9:00am Yoga for All Ages and Levels every Tuesday at Clarence Community Hall, 3337 Clarence Road, 10 to 11am. There will be a free will offering to cover heating costs for the hall. Bring your mat or if you are a chair yoga person they will be available. Also, if you are able a few items for the food pantry that Annapolis Valley Folk School runs in Lawrencetown would be greatly appreciated. Email avfolkschool@gmail.com or call Maureen at 902-825-3070. *

Tues. July 16, 7-9:30pm Jam Sessions every Tuesday evening, at Parker Hall, Victoria Vale, across from the church. Doors open at 6:30. Come out for an evening of music, fun and refreshment and support the Hall. *

Tues. July 16, 7:15-10:15 Middleton Legion Bingo Tuesdays at 205 Marshall Street, Middleton. *

Tues. July 16 and Wed. July 17, 8:00pm FODAR Market Dances at Market Square, Annapolis Royal. Soak in the scenery and the setting sun and watch contemporary dance in a relaxed and casual atmosphere. Sometimes quirky, sometimes hilarious, sometimes poignant – always stimulating! Inaugurated in 2020, Market Dances has become a

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popular part of Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal (FODAR). It's your chance to see most of the festival MainStage artists performing works created especially for FODAR's 10th Anniversary. Ever watched a tap-flamenco dance-off? Now's your chance! Raining? No worries! The event will take a leap from Market Square to the Annapolis Royal Legion. Free.

Wed. July 17, 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. July 17, 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 10:00 am. All are welcome Registration is not required. For more information check our Facebook Group NS WALKS BRIDGETOWN

Wed. July 17, 10:00am CMHA NS Peer Support Group - Circle of Friends Connections are important for overall mood enhancement and can help us through 'blue' periods as well as during times of isolation. If you'd like to improve your communication skills and improve your ability to connect or just broaden your circle, join Circle of Friends! This virtual peer support group is a safe, confidential place for peers to connect and share their journeys as they offer peer support to one another. Sessions are held each Wednesdays via Zoom. Newcomers are welcome! To register, visit www.novascotia.cmha.ca

Wed. July 17, 11:30am-1pm The Women's Place Resource Centre (WPRC), 694 Main St., Kington, is hosting a **Let's Talk Change lunch-time get together**. Women and girls are invited to create conversation regarding thriving as women both locally and globally. RSVP to 902-363-2030

Wed. July 17, 3:00-pm Mad Hatter Books & Bar presents **Open Mic for Book Conversations**, the third Wednesday of the month. 902-532-2070. 213 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal.

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July 12 - 14th, 2024

12 JULY	5:00PM - FLAG RAISING AT TOWN HALL 5:30PM - 19+ MIX & MINGLE AT ANNAPOLIS BREWING COMPANY 7:30PM - SCREENING OF "THE BIRDCAGE" AT KING'S THEATRE
13 JULY	09:00AM - PRIDE AT ANNAPOLIS ROYAL MARKET 10:00AM - KIDS ACTIVITIES AT FORT ANNE GROUNDS 1:30PM - PRIDE PARADE - ST. GEORGE ST. 2:00PM - 4:00PM - T-DANCE AT MARKET SQUARE 7:30PM - 19+ PRIDE KARAOKE AT ANNAPOLIS BREWING COMPANY
14 JULY	10:00AM - PRIDE CHURCH SERVICE AT ST. ANDREW & ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH TBC - MULTI-FAITH CHURCH SERVICE AT OQWA'TITEK AMPHITHEATRE 11:00AM - DRAG BRUNCH AT WHISKEY TELLER AT FOUNDER'S HOUSE *TICKETED EVENT*



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Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal wishes to acknowledge that our festival takes place within the Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People.

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Wed. July 17, 3-5:00pm Farmers and Crafters Market, every Wednesday at the Lions Club at 948 Hwy 1, Deep Brook. Local vendors and farmers. New vendors always welcome. *

Wed. July 17, 7:00pm Brickton Community Hall Jam Sessions-Every Wednesday @ 7. Free will offering. All welcome. *

Wed. July 17, 7-9:00pm Fun Cribbage every Wednesday evening at the Bridgetown Legion, 20 Jeffery Street. \$6 entry returned in prizes. All welcome.

Wed. July 17, 7:00pm CMHA NS Men's Peer Support Group Unrealistic expectations based on gender and a lack of

suitable mental health options can prevent those who identify as men from honouring their mental health and reaching out for support when they need it. CMHA NS Division's virtual Men's Peer Support group provides a safe, confidential space for those who identify as male to connect without judgement. Sessions are held each Wednesday via Zoom. Newcomers are welcome! To register, visit www.novascotia.cmha.ca Questions? Contact Keith Anderson, Provincial Lead - Peer Support and Community Suicide Prevention at keith.anderson@novascotia.cmha.ca

Wed. July 17, 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.

Wed. July 17, 8:00pm FODAR Market Dances See Tues. July 16, 8:00pm

Thur. July 18, 12 4:00pm Greenwood Mall Farmers Market. Every Thursday. Our mission is to promote healthy living by eating, drinking and shopping local! Greenwood Mall.

Thur. July 18, 2-3:00pm Nova Scotia Works Job Search Club Embarking on a job search journey? Join our dynamic Job Search Club! Connect with like-minded individuals, share insights, and gain invaluable support and resources to ace your career transition. Let's navigate the job market together and land your dream job! Weekly at PeopleWorx, 298 Marshall Street, Middleton.

Thur. July 18, 3-7:00pm Kingston Farmers Market takes place every Thursday, June to October, on the grounds of the Aurora Inn, 831 Main Street, Kingston. 50+ vendors, live music, workshops, children's activities and more!

Thur. July 18, 7:00pm Weekly Card Night at the Moschelle Community Hall each Thursday at 7pm. All proceeds will go to maintenance of the hall.

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Thur. July 18, 7:30pm and Sat. July 20, 2:00pm FODAR Program 1.

Whether you're new to contemporary dance or a committed fan, you'll be drawn into Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal's dazzling MainStage performances at King's Theatre. FODAR presents two different programs alternating over 3 days.

Program One:

Soudain L'Hiver Dernier - a powerful duet by celebrated choreographer James Kudelka and danced by Toronto's Citadel + Compagnie. Widely acclaimed, this work was an award-winner at the 2007 Edinburgh Fringe Festival.

Solo (Not Solo) Water Study - Choreographed and danced by Meryem Alaoui (Toronto), this is a lighthearted work where one dancer and one percussionist, attempt to reach an accord between sound and movement.

Big Time Miss - Multi Dora Award-winner Rock Bottom Movement (Toronto) returns to FODAR with a soft World Premiere! Set to an original dancepunk score, this brilliant absurdist production is brought to life through the spectacular dancers of the company and the unbridled imagination of choreographer and Artistic Director Alyssa Martin. Tickets: Regular \$35, Student \$15, Package for both programs \$50.

Fri. July 19, 1:00pm FODAR Studio

Showing at St. Luke's Anglican Church Hall, Annapolis Royal: The Colour Red - This dance-theatre hybrid is in the creative hands of the multi-talented Flamenco, dancer, choreographer, Maria Osende (Halifax) and Layne Coleman (Toronto), an award-winning actor, playwright and theatre director. Limited seating. Pay What You Choose.

Fri. July 19, 5-8:00pm West Dalhousie Community Hall Monthly Market,

4868 West Dalhousie Rd. Free admission; \$10 per table, please contact Cindy for book yours: email sindioncreations@gmail.com. There will be a 50/50 draw and a cash canteen/BBQ. Syd Read, from Granville Ferry, will be performing. As a singer / songwriter he performs on mandolin, octave mandolin, keyboards, African djembe and Celtic bodhran. Stop by and grab a burger for supper and browse at the market!

Fri. July 19, 7:30pm and Sat. July 20, 7:30pm FODAR Program 2

Whether you're new to contemporary dance or a committed fan, you'll be drawn into Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal's dazzling MainStage performances at King's Theatre. FODAR presents two different programs alternating over 3 days. Program Two:

One Step at a Time - A tap dance legend, he has rhythm in his soul, power in his performance and the passion of his ancestors in his heart. Travis is based in Toronto but whether it's Shanghai, Dusseldorf, Paris, or New York, he always leaves audiences spellbound.

Blur - A duet created and performed by Halifax-based Marrin Jessome and Issac Abriel, this vanguard piece is a sensual challenge of gender roles dissolving stereotypes through virtuosic and highly physical movement.

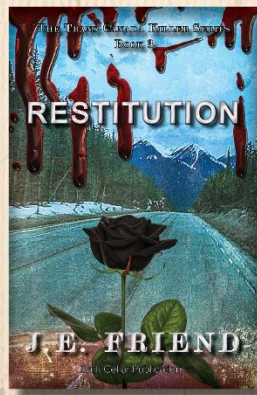
What We Carry - An Eastern Canada premiere created and performed by award-winning Montreal-based Mohawk choreographer Barbara Kanerattoni Diabo (A'nó:wara Dance Theatre). This deeply personal work explores the memories that indigenous women hold in mind, body, and spirit.

The Man in Black - This all-time FODAR audience favourite returns! Critically hailed as "The alchemy of dance and song", the production is choreographed by the masterful James Kudelka and performed by the stellar dancers of Citadel + Compagnie (Toronto). It draws from country-western dance styles and

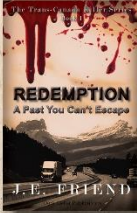
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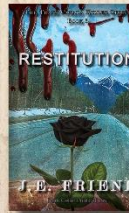
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Sat. July 20, 10am-4:00pm Heart of the Valley Outdoor Craft Market at the MacDonald Museum. Free admission. Interested in being a vendor? Spaces \$20 each. Please contact us for more details. 902-825-6116. 21 School St., Middleton.

Sat. July 20, 2:00pm FODAR Program 1. See Thur. July 18, 7:30pm.

Sat. July 20, 2pm-4:00pm Pewter Exhibit Opening With more than 200 pieces ranging from tankards to teapots, the Dr. Reginald Moore pewter collection is one of the largest and most impressive in North America. Join us in celebrating its official launch with light refreshments and good conversations! Entry by donation. O'Dell House Museum, 136 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal.

Sat. July 20, 2-4:00pm Summer Tea with Rug Hooking Display at Kingston United Church, 733 Main Street Kingston. Assorted Sandwiches & Sweets. Admission: \$10. All are cordially welcome.

Sat. July 20 Middleton & District Arena & Pool Bingo Bonanza at the Middleton Arena (31 Gates Avenue, Middleton). Doors open @ 4:30pm; Bingo starts @ 6:00pm. Join us for a thrilling evening of fundraising Bingo at Middleton Arena! Every dab of the marker brings us closer to securing the future of our beloved community hub. As we gear up for the next season, Middleton Arena needs your support to continue future operation. We will have a 50/50 draw, canteen, cookie jar and cash prizes! 15 games and the final game is \$500!

But that's not all! Our fundraising efforts will also extend to Middleton Pool, as the pool embarks on a mission to transform its facilities into a more inclusive and accessible space for everyone. Your generous contributions will aid in renovating the pool facilities, ensuring that individuals of all abilities can enjoy the benefits of aquatic activities in a welcoming environment.

So, mark your calendars for July 20th and gather your lucky charms for a night of fun and fundraising. Together, we can ensure that Middleton Arena and Pool remain vibrant community assets for years to come. Let's make a splash for a good cause!

Sat. July 20, 7:30pm FODAR Program 2 See Fri. July 19, 7:30pm

Sun. July 21, 2:30-4:30pm July's Makers Swap, an Annapolis Valley Folk School event at 1963 Clarence Rd. We are headed back outside for this month's swap so pop your chairs back in the car and get your tickets.

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/julys-makers-swap-tickets-932329932927> or find the link on our Facebook page. For those who are new to the Makers Swaps, this is a simple community gathering where all ages and abilities are welcome and the concept is simple: bring anything you have made with your hands, grown or a service you have to offer and trade for treasures from others.

It is also greatly appreciated if you can bring a few pantry items to the swap. Our pantry located at 43 Lawrencetown Lane. A few suggestions are crackers, canned pasta, meats, and veggies, rice, macaroni and cheese, pastas and sauces. We were gifted a fridge so milk, cream, margarine, yogurt, cheeses can all be dropped off as well. If you have any questions reach out to us on facebook [@annapolisvalleyfolkschool](https://www.facebook.com/annapolisvalleyfolkschool) or at avfolkschool@gmail.com or call Maureen at 902 825 3070.

Sun. July 21, 8:00pm The Wonder of it All at Evergreen Theatre. Full of humour and heart, *The Wonder of It All* is a witty, touching and acutely observed new comedy by Canadian playwright Mark Weatherley, which has been entertaining audiences across the country for the last few years. If marriage is the right to annoy one special person for the rest of your life, then

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Fri. July 26 - Sun. July 28, 11am-10:00pm (7pm on Sunday) 2nd Annual Valley Wide Ribfest

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The 14 Wing Jazz Combo will entertain with live music, Airshow Atlantic tickets will be on sale, BBQ and fish & chips truck on site, and the Canex Mall will be open to all. Free Iltis Jeep rides, workshop demos, a car weigh station (\$5), and a fly past is planned to commemorate the RCAF's 100th birthday. Enter a vehicle in the show and earn the chance to win one of 21 etched-glass trophies and \$1000 in prizes. Rain date: Sunday July 28. \$5 to enter a car, free spectator admission.

Sat. July 27, 1:00pm Join author J. E. Friend in the DeVenney room at the Bridgetown library for the **launch of her fourth book, Restitution**. The launch will include a reading, book signing and light refreshments. Copies of all her books will be on hand and available for purchase. There will also be a door prize and draw for a signed copy of Restitution. Restitution is the final book in the Trans-Canada Killer Series.

Sat. July 27, 2-4:00pm Book Launch for the anticipated, **Incomplete History of West Paradise Vol II**, by Susan L. Saunders. West Paradise Community Hall, 5154 Hwy 201. Come pick up your copy and get it signed by the author. Refreshments served!

Sun. July 28, 4:00pm Choral Evensong We gather at St. Luke's Anglican Church (340 St. George St., Annapolis Royal) for the service of Choral Evensong, which is the sung evening worship service of the Anglican Church based on the monastic tradition. You and your family are cordially invited. Free Admission.

Sun. July 28, 2-5:00pm Maritime Kitchen Party at North Hills museum! Bring your fiddle, guitar or dancing shoes and join local players for a summer traditional jam session and BBQ. Rain or shine - It's a family friendly event and open to anyone who wants to play some tunes or just to come and have a listen! No entrance fee - donations are welcome. \$2.50 for hot dogs and \$4 for hamburgers.

Sat. August 3, 8-10:00am Monthly Breakfast. The first Saturday of every month to October 5th the Margaretsville Firehall will be holding a monthly breakfast. It is a full breakfast including eggs, bacon, sausage, homemade potato hash, beans and pancakes, fruit, toast, juice tea and coffee. Prices are \$15 adults, \$7.50 12 and under, 5 and under are FREE! Call 902-825-4327 or 902-825-4067 if more info is required!

Sun. Aug. 4, 8-10:00am Monthly Breakfast at the Port George Rec Centre, first Sunday of each month, April through to December, 12256 Shore Rd., Port George. Bacon, sausage, eggs, hash browns, pancakes, toast, tea, coffee, juice. \$12 per person. \$6 per child (12 to 6) and children under 5 free.

Sun. Aug. 4, 11:00am "I'll Introduce You", Southern Gospel Music and sacred recitation celebrating the person and promises of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Annapolis Royal Baptist Church, 762 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal.

Wed. Aug. 7, 3:00pm Mad Hatter Books & Bar presents an **Author Reading and Chat**, the first Wednesday of the month. 902-532-2070. 213 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal.

Thur. Aug. 8, 6:30-7:30 pm Marking the Spot - Built Heritage Workshop at the North Mountain Meeting House (2659 Clarence Road). A workshop covering the how and why of protecting built heritage and how registration is a key part of that. This workshop also includes an overview of how to do research on buildings and an overview of the legal protections for heritage property that are provided by the municipal, provincial and federal laws. The goal is to demystify protecting built heritage and, hopefully, make it seem less intimidating. Fre admission. Hosted in partnership with the Heritage Trust of Nova Scotia's Emma Lang

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"Quiet Life" Cryptoquote Answer: "About the only contact I have with the outside world is through my mailbox and a travelling Bookmobile" – Ernest Buckler. The quote continues, "and an author's problems get scant sympathy in the country. Writing is regarded as at most a harmless eccentricity, like an abnormal appetite for marsh greens."

60th Wedding anniversary – Jean and Charles Tidd

On July 18, 2024, Jean and Charles Tidd, Bridgetown, will celebrate their 60th Wedding anniversary. As part of that celebration, they would like to invite all family and friends to an open house at the Bridgetown Fire Hall, 31 Bay Road Bridgetown NS, on Sunday July 21 from 2pm to 4pm. All are welcome to stop by and extend best wishes to the happy couple.



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Middleton Library. Every Wednesday, 3:45-4:45pm. July 17-August 28. 45 Gates Avenue. 902-825-4835

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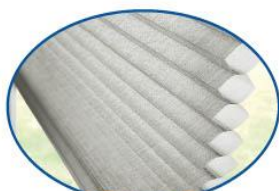
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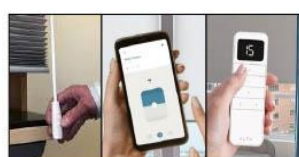
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The James House: A Special Appeal

Moving to Nova Scotia from Prince George, British Columbia in the summer of 2019 was a great leap of faith. We didn't know then that we would run headlong into a pandemic but we also didn't know that we were landing in a vibrant, friendly and welcoming community. I remember driving down the valley for the first time being mesmerized by the view at Grande Pré when



Blomidin came into sight. The Annapolis Valley is such a treasure. Then we found our lovely home in Centrelea and we fell in love with the history and beauty of rural Nova Scotia.

In order to tell the next part of this story you need to know that I could get lost in a phone booth. It takes me a long time to figure out landmarks and directions. When we first moved here my husband and I would go out and run errands and I would inevitably say, "oh, what is the name of this place, it is such a lovely little town" every time we drove through Bridgetown and he would say, "this is Bridgetown." I did this rather too many times until I finally embedded the landmarks in my mind: Graves Freshmart, Home Hardware, the Salvation Army Thrift store and, of course, the James House. Bridgetown's Queen street was, and still is, such a treasure and so rich in history. I love the many times I have been told "what used to be in such and such building." But the story I love most is the story of the tearoom in the James House. So many people have told me about that thriving tea room and I can easily image it there in that beautiful old building. In fact, it is because of that beautiful old building that I am writing this story.

It's no secret to anyone walking by the James House that it needs some TLC but until I met up with the new James House Board I didn't realize that what it needs goes far beyond tender loving care. What I discovered is that it needs emergency surgery. That poor old building is currently closed because the wiring is knob and tube and it has to be replaced. The building cannot be insured so the Board is working hard to find someone to do the work and the funds to get it done. Under the leadership of Jennifer D'Aubin, the small but mighty team of Board members and some volunteers have started a "SAVE THE JAMES HOUSE" fund. Since the loss of the beloved Baptist Church only a few short months ago, we are all reminded of how easily heritage buildings can be lost. This fundraiser is a biggie. We need \$30,000 at least to get the building back up and running. The Board is seeking grants but they need help now. So here I am asking for all those long-term residents and for us "come from aways" who want historic Bridgetown to thrive, can you please help us out? Let us work together so that anyone passing through or stopping for groceries, a coffee, or a good book will say, "what is the name of this place? It is such a lovely town." Tracy Summerville, Fundraising Committee

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The James House, in Bridgetown is looking at a costly electrical repair. If you are able to help, you can etransfer to donate@jameshousemuseum.com or drop cash or cheque off to D'Aubin Family Meats (president)

Did you know there is a NEW crosswalk by the French Basin Trail & the Home Hardware Entrances on the #1 Hwy in Annapolis Royal.

Locals Andrew & Owen of Still Fired Distilleries get recognition in curatedmagazine.ca to see their celebration.

Riverfest in Bridgetown- starts Fri July 12 on RINK ST. with Bash Street Bazaar (824-2799) Bash events are on as well. Riverfest is All Day

Sat July 13 is also Riverfest at Jubilee Park Bridgetown. ALL day Family Fun!

Sat July 13 is also Pride weekend (flag unveiling Fri 12 @ 5pm) parade is Sat @ 1:30, Karaoke is Sat @ 7 pm @ Annapolis Brewing Company

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-If you're interested in Annapolis Natal Day Parade happening next year-

#1 The committee is in need of a parade Marshall for next year, hoping a volunteer would step up this year in order to shadow Katie and make the transition smoother.

#2 You are invited to a 'Sponge Pompom' making party (for the Splash Mob) Mon July 15th from 7 - 9 pm at the Mad Hatter Wine Bar, St. George St. Anna/Royal. If you have a good pair of cutting scissors to cut sponges, please bring them along. If you'd like to let Sybil know you'll be attending or have questions, you can just show up or send a message to nataldays.ar@gmail.com.

-Celebration of the life of Wanda Joy Choquette will be held at the Annapolis Legion, Saturday July 13, starting at 4 pm Everyone is welcome. Donations in Wanda's memory can be made to the local branch of the NS SPCA. Obituary at <https://kaulbachfamilyfuneralhome.com/tribute/details/1567/Wanda-Croquette/obituary.html>.

- Celebration of the Life of Kathy Dudka will be held at the Annapolis Legion, Wednesday July 17th starting at 4 pm. Everyone is Welcome. Donations in Kathy's memory can be made to Stellarton Legion Branch # 28 to support their meal program. Obituary at <https://angusfuneralhomes.com/tribute/details/2295/Katherine-Dudka/obituary.html>

-Celebration of the life of Gilda Lee Perkins will be held at the Annapolis Legion, Sat July 20th starting at @ 1 pm. Everyone is welcome. Donations in Gilda's memory can be made to the Canadian Diabetes Association or the Annapolis Royal Legion, Branch #21. Obituary at www.dignitymemorial.com/en-ca/obituaries/digby-ns/gilda-perkins-11543164.

Lower Granville Hall is looking for more vendors for their TAILGATE: junk in your trunk space Market on Sat Aug 24 from 9 - 3pm. Sell it from your trunk and a table type thing.

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- The Annapolis Royal Farmers Market is now on Wednesdays 9 - 1 pm, as well as Saturdays 9 - 1pm. They are looking for Youth entrepreneurs to sell their crafts or artsy creations. Please reach Manager@AnnapolisRoyalFarmersMarket.com

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Music at the 'O' Oqwa'titek- Amphitheatre on the river, Annapolis Royal

July 12 is The Big Sound Small Band, July 19 is Kim Doolittle, 26 is Rhinestone Romeos

For those people asking about the picture we have in the salon for the Fundy Hospice, the flyer online says it'll be a 5 patient hospice bed facility when it goes into operation in 2030. You can also send email to: info@fundyhospice.ca

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Thur. July 18-Sat. Jul 20 Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal (FODAR). Whether you're new to contemporary dance or a committed fan, you'll be drawn into Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal's dazzling MainStage performances. FODAR presents two different programs alternating over 3 days.

PROGRAM ONE runs July 18th (evening) and July 20th (Matinée). PROGRAM TWO runs evenings on July 19th and 20th. Go to The Reader's Community Calendar for details.

Mon. July 22-Fri. July 26 5-Day Youth Acting Camp with Dany Rousseau For Youth ages 8-16. July 22-26, 9:30am-4:30pm. \$195 + tax per participant for the week. (Registration is refundable up to 14 days before the start of the Camp, after which only an account credit will be issued for the value of the registration fees.)

Dany Rousseau brings Method Acting for Young Performers to King's Theatre with a scaled-down introduction to the Strasberg Method! There will be a Final Dramatic Performance on the last day for friends and family. Participants are asked to bring their own snacks, lunch, and beverages.

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July 16 - Annual ARCAC Members Exhibition Submission Deadline. Interpret the theme "Wild Nature" through a variety of media, showcasing your unique perspective. Explore uncultivated nature and qualities that flourish without boundaries or constraints. | Exhibition Dates: July 27-August 31 in ARTSPPLACE Main Gallery. Eligibility: Exclusive to ARCAC members (including new joins and renewals). Apply online at www.arcac.ca/wildnature

Wednesday, July 24, 6pm-7pm, New Volunteer Orientation Session, Paint the Town 2024, upstairs at ARTSPPLACE. Are you new to town? Has it been a few years since you volunteered? Join us for our next info session to learn about the different roles volunteer roles. We have a job for everyone, of all ages, interests and activity levels. Meet a new circle of positive, community-minded people and accomplish a satisfying project together! Returning volunteers are not obliged to attend an orientation session but do get in touch if you haven't signed up for a shift yet! | Contact admin@arcac.ca with questions or to sign up for volunteer shifts.

Paint the Town 2024. Now accepting artist registrations. 75% of artists slots already filled. Register today to take part Nova Scotia's top outdoor art weekend in Annapolis Royal. This popular two-day event has brought artists, art lovers and art buyers together in Annapolis Royal for 29 years. | Dates: August 17-18. Register at www.arcac.ca/ptt2024 - Visit www.arcac.ca/paintthetown to view profiles of this year's registered artists.

Do you have room to house a Paint the Town artist? Dates: Evenings of Fri. Aug. 16 & Sat. Aug. 17. Hosting an artist at your home is a memorable experience for you and the visiting artist. All you are expected to provide is a place to sleep, access to a washroom and a kitchen. There is no obligation to provide meals. Ideally, within walking distance or a short drive from Annapolis Royal. Contact Sophie at artsplace@arcac.ca to express interest.

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Celebrations of Life

Wanda Joy Choquette, Saturday July 13th, starting at 4pm. Everyone is welcome to attend and celebrate the life of our little "Naughty Nan". Donations in Wanda's memory can be made to the local branch of the NS SPCA. View Wanda's obituary at: <https://kaulbachfamilyfuneralhome.com>

Katherine B. Dudka, Wednesday July 17th, starting at 4pm. Kathy was an integral member of the Legion and the community and is sorely missed. Donations in Kathy's memory can be made to Stellarton Legion Branch #28 to support their meal program. View Kathy's obituary at: <https://angusfuneralhomes.com>

Gilda Lee Perkins, Saturday July 20th, starting at 1pm. Donations in Gilda's memory can be made to the Canadian Diabetes Association or the Annapolis Royal Legion, Branch #21. View Gilda's obituary at: <https://www.dignitymemorial.com>

All take place at the Annapolis Royal Legion, Branch 21, 66 Victoria Street and all welcome.

The Parish of Bridgetown Services for the month of July

Sun. July 14, 9:30am: St Mary's, BelleIsle-Service of Holy Eucharist.
11:00am: St. James, Bridgetown: Service of Holy Eucharist.

Sun. July 21, 9:30am: St. Mary's, BelleIsle: Service of Holy Eucharist.
11:00am: St. James, Bridgetown: Service of Morning Prayer.

Sun. July 28, 11:00am: St James, Bridgetown - St. James Day, Parish Service with parish picnic to follow!

Wed. July 31, 7:00pm: St. James, Bridgetown- Anointing for Healing and Holy Eucharist Service.

Off-Road Vehicle Excursion with Annapolis County ATV and Multi-Use Trails Society

FREE. Sun. July 14, 10am-4pm. Proceeds of BBQ lunch (freewill offering) and 50/50 benefit Annapolis County Ground Search and Rescue. Come equipped for the weather and conditions. Bring your own vehicle, safety equipment, sufficient fuel, drinks to stay hydrated, snacks and food. Route highlights include Walker Lake, Neaves Road, Birch Hill Lake, Thorne Road, plane crash site, Gibson Lake, Goldsmith Lake. Participants required to sign waiver attesting to legal equipment, vehicle and operation. Helmets required. No alcohol or drugs. No impaired operation. Starting point: Peter Walker's pit on Rice Road (South of Hwy 101, Exit 21). Sponsored by Bridgetown BASH. Info at bridgetownbash.ca

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Words That Begin
With "Foot"

Word Search Puzzle

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|---------|--------|
| Ball | Bath |
| Board | Bridge |
| Dragger | Fault |
| Lights | Locker |
| Loose | Note |
| Path | Print |
| Race | Steps |
| Stool | Wear |

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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E L S K T T O A T C E I C X D
B B A O O U J A C E H W V R Q
O Y O B N K P D D E S O A G G
P L V K I T W H H G P O L O T
O R E K C O L T X P B I O M L
W H A T K A E A J R G C X L Y
C O Y D Y S D B I H R A E W T
O F H P R I N T T B J V J S D
T A S V R A H S L B G F B Z Y
A U R V P J G L O F V S T A F
I L O H V S J G Z F T T A H A
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