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New Virtual Urgent Care option enhances access in Liverpool and Middleton

An additional option for people to access care for urgent health concerns will soon be available at Queens General Hospital in Liverpool and Soldiers Memorial Hospital in Middleton.

Nova Scotia Health is offering a virtual option for people coming to the hospital with urgent, non-life-threatening health issues. Virtual Urgent Care is not a replacement for the local emergency department but can be particularly helpful during times when the local emergency department is temporarily closed. Virtual care is available at several emergency departments across the province and was introduced at Fishermen's Memorial Hospital in Lunenburg and Roseway Hospital in Shelburne earlier this year. The service has been available at the Digby General Hospital since 2023 and is showing an increase in patient use.

Virtual Urgent Care starts at Queens General Hospital on Tuesday, August 20. **It starts at Soldier Memorial on Wednesday, August 28.** Virtual Urgent Care will be available at both sites - Queens General Hospital and Soldiers Memorial Monday to Friday, from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. At Queens General it will also be available Saturday and Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Weekend service will start at Soldiers Memorial on September 14. Even if the local emergency department is closed during these times, the virtual option will be available most days unless otherwise noted. Signs will be posted at each hospital letting people know when the service is available.

Public, open house sessions will be held in Liverpool and Middleton in the weeks ahead to share information about the new virtual urgent care service and to answer questions about how it works, and what health issues are appropriate for the service.

Receiving urgent care virtually is simple, safe and confidential.

At times when virtual urgent care is offered, patients will be assessed by onsite triage staff and register as usual. This can happen if the emergency department is open or temporarily closed. If their health matter is appropriate for virtual care, the patient is asked if they would like to see a virtual physician or nurse practitioner. If the patient agrees, a visit is arranged through a computer tablet in a room at the hospital. Once the virtual provider finishes the visit, staff on-site will print any requisitions for follow-up, and help book any additional tests or appointments for patients that need assistance. Follow up on tests/ appointments will be completed by the virtual care nurse practitioner or physician.

When an emergency department is closed, patients with emergency health matters should call 911 for care.

Some examples of what may be able to be seen through a virtual appointment include: prescription refills; sinus congestion; coughs and sore throat; urinary tract infections; skin concerns; bites and stings; mild/ moderate aches and pains; and other conditions as assessed by your healthcare provider.

Girl Guides of Canada

Looking for Girl Guides of Canada in your community? We're looking for you! Youth ages 5-18 and adult volunteers are welcome to join us as we prepare for a return to Fall Guiding. Find units, register and learn more at <https://www.girlguides.ca/web/>

Local units:

Wilmot Spark/Ember Guiding Unit meets weekly on Wednesdays from 6-7pm, starting Sept. 11 at Wilmot Kinsman Centre, 209 Dodge Rd., Wilmot.

1st Greenwood Spark Unit meets on Tuesdays beginning Sept. 10, from 6:15-7:15pm at Kingston & District School, 630 Pine Ridge Ave., Kingston.

Sparks (5-6), Embers (7-8)

All Inked Up

Illustrating the art of creative printmaking., an exhibit of finely crafted prints from Elephant Grass Printmakers Society is coming to Sissiboo Café, Bear River. Using linocut, woodcut, papercutting, collage, monoprinting, gel plate, cyanotype and letterpress processes, EGPS members explore the tradition of making repeatable artworks on paper and cloth the slow way, by hand, sweat and imagination.

The exhibit runs Sept 1- Oct 15. Open Daily. Sissiboo Café, 1890 Clementsvalle Rd., Bear River.



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FANE
Fédération acadienne de la Nouvelle-Écosse



As we celebrate Acadian Heritage Month during the Acadian World Congress 2024, we invite you to join the Municipality of the County of Annapolis, in cooperation with the Federation acadienne de la Nouvelle-Ecosse (FANE), for the unveiling of an interpretive sign dedicated to the Village des Gaudet (17th and 18th centuries); commemorating the village situated on the Riviere du Dauphin (Annapolis River) where Bridgetown is today.

When: Wednesday, August 28, 2:00pm

Where: Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park (228 Granville St., Bridgetown, NS)

FITNESS CLASSES

4 WEEK TERM
Starting Monday September 9th to Thursday October 3rd.
Granville Ferry Hall
(Please come in the back door)

MONDAY:
BODYBLAST 5:30pm - 6:15pm
PILATES (with props) 6:30pm-7:30pm

TUESDAY:
BODYBLAST EXPRESS 11:30am-12:00pm
PILATES (with props) 12:05pm-1:05pm
STEP 'N' TONE 6:00pm-6:45pm
CHAIR PILATES 7:00pm-8:00pm

WEDNESDAY
ZUMBA GOLD 10:00am-10:45am
CHAIR PILATES 11:00am-12:00pm

THURSDAY
BODYBLAST 10:00am-10:45am
PILATES (with props) 11:00am-12:00pm

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Chair Pilates
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Zumba Gold
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If you do two or more classes you receive an additional \$4 off.

Drop-In Rates are also available
If you have any questions please feel free to send me an email I would be happy to answer.

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readerpublishing@outlook.com

Community Calendar

Fri. Aug. 23, 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. Aug. 23, 12:15 -1:00pm A Little Lunch at the Annapolis Royal United Church. This Friday we are so pleased to present Alex and Sharon Constable in a concert of folk songs accompanied by guitar, mandolin, flute and percussion. A lively and delightful program for your pleasure and entertainment.

And, as a grand finale on August 30, a quite different program with tenor Gregory Muszkie, on repeat engagement, but this time with a new jazz program, accompanied on guitar.

We wish to thank all our patrons for their support of this noontime series. The funds are used to pay the performers and also for the maintenance and repair of the music instruments in the church. Hope to see you there! Admission: \$10 Children and students free. For more info call 902 340 -7778

Fri. Aug. 23 and Sat. Aug. 24 SOOFSTOCK Music Festival Help Save Our Old Forests (SOOF) through music! Featuring 18 bands and performers, this family friendly music festival is happening at the West Dalhousie Community Hall (4868 West Dalhousie Road). Gates open on Friday at 4pm with music starting at 6pm. Saturday includes a morning Forest Walk at Goldsmith Lake Wilderness Area (registration required), Kids Corner with crafts and facepainting, SOOFSTOCK Market (10am - 5pm), Free popcorn (Valley Credit Union), and 12 hours of music starting at 12pm (noon)! Food trucks and vendors on site, rough camping available. Tickets are "Pay What You Can" - please check saveouroldforests.ca/soofstock for more details and suggested pricing. The festival will go on RAIN or SHINE because the Hall has a fantastic indoor stage and lots of space! Many thanks to our sponsors: Valley Credit Union, the Municipality of the County of Annapolis, and the Rotary Club of Middleton.

Fri. Aug. 23, 6-7:00pm Yoga with Esme Endres every Friday night from 6-7 at Brickton Community Hall, 12062 Hwy 1.

Fri. Aug. 23, 6-8:00pm Summer Music at the 'O' presents **The Hupman Brothers 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.

Fri. Aug. 23, 7:00pm Jam Session every Friday Evening at the Youngs Cove Community Hall, 5407 Shore Rd.

Sat. Aug. 24, 8am-12:00pm All Saints Anglican Church will be holding a **Yard Sale**. All Saints Church Hall, 521 Pleasant Street, Kingston (turn west off Bridge Street). Furniture, household items, books, puzzles, toys, and more; you name it - we're probably selling it!

Sat. Aug. 24, 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.

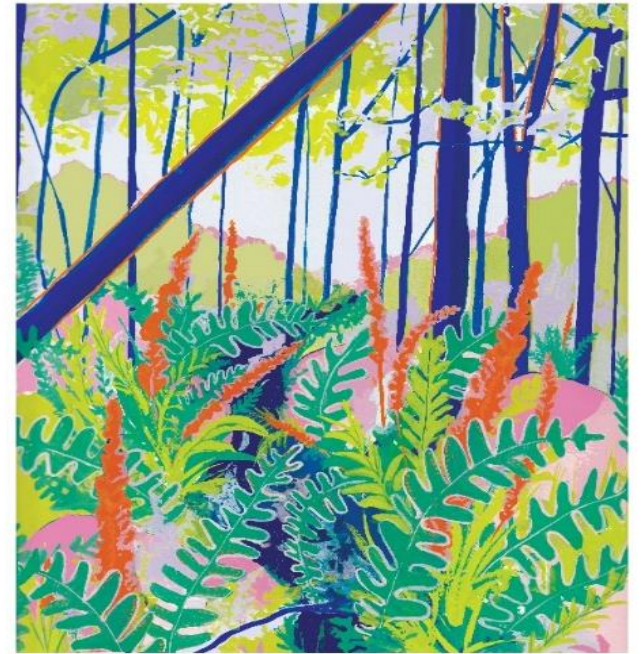
Sat. Aug. 24, 9am-1:00pm Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Market From fresh produce to handcrafted treasures and more, the Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Market is a tradition, each Saturday until Fall. Outdoors at Market Square.

Sat. Aug. 24, 9am-3:00pm Community Market @ Lower Granville Hall in Port Royal. Featuring over 14 vendors selling antiques, homewares, kitchen items, tools, plants, flowers, eggs, herb bundles, books from local authors, raffle tickets for a quilt, unicorns, mermaids, doll house miniatures, Lego sets, felt dolls, other crafts, bake sale, coffee, and so much more. You will find a little of everything! Lower Granville Hall, 3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal. LowerGranvilleHall.com

Sat. Aug. 24, 10am-12:00pm Old Growth Forest Walk with Donna Crossland Before the music gets going at SOOFSTOCK why not take a walk in the woods with forest ecologist Donna Crossland? The walk will take place in a newly discovered area of old-growth Wabanaki/Acadian Forest in the eastern part of the proposed Goldsmith Lake Wilderness Area. The 1.6-hectare old growth forest is close to Corbett Lake and includes Sugar Maple and Yellow Birch that are estimated to be 150 to 200 years old, and possibly older. Participants will meet at the West Dalhousie Community Hall (4868 West Dalhousie Road, site of



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SOOFSTOCK). Maximum participants 20. Registration required. Go to saveouroldforests.ca/soofstock for more information and the link to register.

Sat. Aug. 24, 1:00pm Ice Cream Making at Tupperville School Museum, 2663 Highway 201. **Cancelled due to matters beyond our control.**

Sat. Aug. 24, 1-3:00pm Blueberry Social and Bake Sale St. George & St. Andrew United Church, 393 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal, will be serving up refreshing blueberry desserts and beverages, for a free will offering. For sale will be home-made baked goods and preserves. Join us for a fun and filling social time, with live music. Our talented chefs will be on hand to answer any questions.

Sat. Aug. 24, 1-3:00pm Saturday Afternoon Tea at Felker Hall Community Centre, 734 Broadway Ave, Cornwallis Park. Tea will be 1-2:30 pm. Freewill Offering. Auction items will be drawn at 2:30 pm. For more information, call Marty at (902) 638-3164. Sponsored by Cornwallis Park Community Association (Funding for the Felker Hall Community Centre)



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Sun. Aug. 25, 10am-2:00pm The 8th annual **Forest Market** at the Annapolis Royal Market Square. Cost: Free! The Forest Market brings a wide variety of people together around the central theme of the forest. From woodworkers and maple syrup producers to community groups, foragers and artists - there is something for everyone! The aim of the market is not only to feature the amazing and talented vendors, but also to increase awareness of community forestry, non-timber forest products, and value-added wood products in Nova Scotia. We hope to see you there! Sponsored by the Medway Community Forest Co-op.

Sun. Aug. 25, 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! Be sure to stop by, say hi, and support local! Market runs each Sunday to Fall.

Sun. Aug. 25, 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.

Sun. Aug. 25, 11am-2:00pm Family Service of Nova Scotia is hosting a **Family Fun Day** to promote connection between community members and local service providers. All are welcome to join them at Oakdene Park, Bear River, for lawn games, face painting, information on local programs and resources for the upcoming school year, and a BBQ + popcorn by 'give-what-you-can' cash or school supplies donation. We look forward to meeting you all for some end-of-summer, back-to-school fun!

Sat. Aug. 24, 2:00pm **Bagpipes at Schafner Point Lighthouse**. Bring your lawn chair and enjoy an open-air musical performance by Pipe Major Robert Redden on the clifftop at Schafner Point, 3420 Granville Road, Port Royal. Suggested donation \$5/adults. (Rain date Sun. Aug. 25 at 2pm) PortRoyalLighthouse.ca PortRoyalLighthouseAssociation@gmail.com Visit us on Facebook.

Sat. Aug. 24, 8:00pm **Charm of Finches** play Evergreen Theatre. Australian sister duo Charm of Finches delivers intricate folk-pop that is simultaneously graceful and darkly bewitching. Their seamless blood harmonies traverse melancholy and wonder in equal measure.

The sisters, Mabel and Ivy Windred-Wornes, released their third full length album *Wonderful Oblivion* in 2021 through New York-based label AntiFragile Music to critical acclaim. They have since toured extensively through the UK, Europe and Canada in 2022/23. Winners of the Australian Folk Music Awards Best Folk Album (2022) and Music Victoria Best Contemporary Folk Act (2021), their music has been nominated twice for the prestigious Australian Music Prize.

In February 2023 the sisters spent a month in rural Nova Scotia recording with acclaimed Canadian producer Daniel Ledwell (Jenn Grant, Oh Pep!), inspired by the frozen beauty of the landscape and their transient life on the road with their music. The result is their fourth studio album "Marlinchen In The Snow" released in April 19th 2024. Tickets: Adults \$35, Members \$25, Military \$30, Students \$20, available at www.evergreentheatre.ca or 902-825-6834. 1941 Stronach Mountain Rd, Margaretsville.

Sat. Aug. 24, 8pm-1:00am Join us at the Annapolis Royal Legion for our **End of Summer DJ Dance** with Dance Express DJ Services! Everyone welcome 19+! Pricing: \$10 admission. Advance tickets are available at the Legion bar. 66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal.

Sun. Aug. 25, 9-10:00am Join Mountain Mindfulness, every Sunday at the Fundy Hall in Port Lorne. Teacher, Heron Payne will lead a 15-20-minute **guided meditation** followed by time for questions and community discussion. Whether you have a meditation practice or are just curious, this group is open to anyone. Pay what you can to attend. Email info@embodimentmind.co with any questions!

SOOFSTOCK 2024 PROGRAM

FRIDAY AUGUST 23

Gates Open	4pm
Music	6pm - 12am
50/50 Draw	9pm
Food Trucks	5pm - TBD

SATURDAY AUGUST 24

Forest Walk	10am - 12pm
Vendors Market	10am - 5pm
Kids Corner	10am - 12pm
Music	12pm - 12am
Kids Corner	2pm - 4pm
Forest Talk with Bob	5pm
50/50 Draw	9pm
Food Trucks	TBD



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Music Festival to Support Save Our Old Forests (SOOF)

Black Rock Buoys	Delusion Road	the Dryads
the Goblins	Greg McOrmond	Hear On Earth
Jim Taylor		Steve Mustain
Lorne Allan		Res-O-Matics
Permanent Resonance		Pat Ryan & Paul O'Brien
Still River		Rumour Has It
Robertson & Jaffurs	The Possibilities	Taproom Growlers



SCAN ME 

Friday August 23
Saturday August 24
West Dalhousie Community Hall
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Sun. Aug. 25, 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.

Sun. Aug. 25, 7-9:00pm Fun Darts, every Sunday evening at the Bridgetown Legion, 20 Jeffery Street. \$3 entry returned in prizes.

Mon. Aug. 26, 11am-3:30pm Women's Equality Day at the Women's Resource Centre, 2-694 Main St., Kingston. Calling women and Girls-activities, conversation and a movie! Light lunch provided. RSVP to 902-363-2030, Rhonda.wprc@gmail.com

Mon. Aug. 26, 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. Aug. 26, 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. 26, 7:30pm Granville Centre Community Hall Association will host a general meeting at the Granville Centre Hall. All community members welcome.

Tues. Aug. 27, 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. Aug. 27, 1-3:00pm Mapannapolis will host an **Acadian Celebration** and will be joined by the Municipality of the County of Annapolis and Parks Canada at Fort Anne National Historic Site in Annapolis Royal.

'Acadie: Discover its Vibrant History -- Port Royal: Cradle of Acadie' takes place at the historic fort as part of Acadian Heritage Month. Nova Scotia celebrates Acadian Heritage Month for the first time in August 2024. The event looks at the lives of the province's first European settlers. Mapannapolis documents Acadian history in time and place through online Storymaps, including one on Acadian settlements, the Acadian Deportation, and the final resting place of many at the Acadian cemetery at Fort Anne. To view our Storymaps, go to: www.mapannapolis.ca

Tues. Aug. 27, 7-9:30pm Jam Sessions at Parker Hall, Victoria Vale, across from the church. We have decided to hold Jams every 2nd week. Next Jam Sept. 3. Doors open at 6:30. Come out for an evening of music, fun and refreshment and support the Hall. *

Tues. Aug. 27, 7:15-10:15pm Middleton Legion Bingo Tuesdays at 205 Marshall Street, Middleton. *



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NOTICE
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Municipal and Conseil scolaire acadien provincial Elections

TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned will accept nominations for the following offices in the Town of Annapolis Royal for which an election will be held on the 19th day of October 2024:

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AND TAKE NOTICE that a nomination for Mayor or councillor shall be filed at the Town Hall, 285 St. George Street, between 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. on nomination day which is Tuesday, September 10, 2024, or by appointment during office hours in the seven business days preceding nomination day.

AND TAKE NOTICE that electors in the Provincial Electoral District of Greenwood comprising Annapolis County, Kings County, West Hants Regional Municipality, Annapolis Royal, Middleton, Berwick, Kentville and Wolfville will elect one person to be a *Member of the Conseil scolaire acadien provincial* and a nomination for that office shall be filed at the office of the Returning Officer, Al Kingsbury, Suite 3, 28 Aberdeen Street, Kentville.

The required \$200 deposit shall accompany nomination papers for the Conseil scolaire acadien provincial member.

DATED at Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia, this 15th day of August 2024.

Melony Robinson
Returning Officer

Wed. Aug. 28, 9am-1:00pm Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Market, Wednesday mornings to August 28th at Market Square, across from King's Theatre.

Wed. Aug. 28, 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. Aug. 28, 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. Aug. 28, 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

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. Aug. 28, 2:00pm Interpretative Sign: Gaudet Village at Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park (228 Granville St., Bridgetown). The Municipality of the County of Annapolis in partnership with Fédération acadienne de la Nouvelle-Écosse (FANE), will be unveiling an interpretive sign dedicated to the Gaudet Village. Bridgetown was formerly known as Village des Gaudet in the 17th and 18th centuries.

Wed. Aug. 28, 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. Aug. 28, 4-8:00pm The Bear River Night Market is an evening farmer's market on the Bear River waterfront. Each market will have a variety of food vendors (groceries and prepared food), a live musician each week, and spots to picnic and stay a while. Markets will also take place on Wednesday Sept. 11 and 25, and Oct. 9.

KING'S THEATRE COMING EVENTS



TWISTERS

Chase. Ride. Survive.

Daisy Edgar-Jones, Glen Powell, Anthony Ramos
FRIDAY AUGUST 23rd @ 7:30 PM



JAH'MILA

JUNO nominated/ECMA winning reggae arÉst & her 8-piece band returns to Kings!
SATURDAY AUGUST 24th @ 7:30 PM



INSIDE OUT 2

Big changes. New emoÉons.

Amy Poehler, Maya Hawke, Phyllis Smith
SUNDAY AUGUST 25th @ 3:00 PM



MUSICAL THEATRE CAMP FOR YOUTH

Andrew Morrissey returns to King's Theatre with his popular 5-day musical theatre camp!
AUGUST 26th - 30th 9:30 AM - 4:30 PM



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WEDNESDAY AUGUST 28th @ 7:30 PM



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WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 4th @ 7:30 PM



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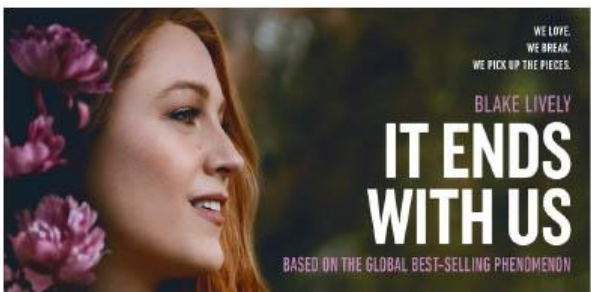
One of our nation's most gifted blues guitarists
SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 7th @ 7:30 PM



HAROLD & THE PURPLE CRAYON

Everything he draws is about to get real.

Zachary Levi, Zoey Deschanel, Alfred Molina
SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 8th @ 3:00 PM



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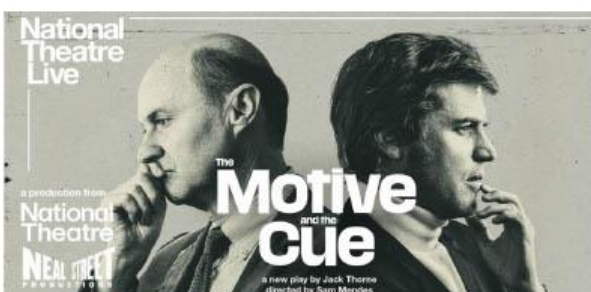
Blake Lively, Justin Baldoni, Jenny Slate
WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 11th @ 7:30 PM



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Wed. Aug. 28, 7:00pm Brickton Community Hall

Jam Sessions-Every Wednesday @ 7. Free will offering. All welcome. *

Wed. Aug. 28, 7-9:00pm Fun Cribbage every Wednesday evening at the Bridgetown Legion, 20 Jeffery Street. \$6 entry returned in prizes. All welcome. *

Wed. Aug. 28, 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. Aug. 28, 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. Aug. 29, 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. Aug. 29, 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. Aug. 29, 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. Aug. 29, 7:00pm Weekly Card Night at the Moschelle Community Hall each Thursday at 7pm. All proceeds will go to maintenance of the hall. *

Sat. Aug 31, 8am-1:00pm Our **Annual Missions Yard Sale** at the Hillsburn United Baptist Church, 3686 Shore Road West, Hillsburn. Lots of treasures to be found!!

Sat. Aug. 31, 9-11:00am Pancake Breakfast at the Moschelle community Hall, 718 Hwy 201. Pancakes or French toast, sausages, baked beans maple syrup and fruit sauce with coffee, tea or juice. \$10/person; 5 and under 12, \$5 and under 5 free.

Sat. Aug. 31, 9am-1:00pm St. Luke's Yard Sale The church will be holding a yard sale in the church hall, 340 St. George St., Annapolis Royal. Come see what treasures you can find!

Sat. Aug. 31, 1:00pm Closing BBQ at Tupperville School Museum, 2663 Highway 201. Note, the museum will remain open to visitors until Sept. 8.

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Sun. Sept. 1, 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. *

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

Wed. Sept. 4, 10:00am Registration for the Lawrencetown & Area Seniors Association (LASA) Exercise Classes, for Seniors 55+ at the Lawrencetown Legion, 490 Main Street, (main entrance). Thanks to the support of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis and the New Horizons for Seniors Program for making these Classes possible.

Wed. Sept. 4, 10am-12:00pm Caregiver Education Series at Emmanuel Congregational Church, 37 Gates Ave., Middleton. This free 6-week course is for family members and Care Partners of people recently diagnosed with dementia. Participants learn about the symptoms of dementia, coping strategies, future planning issues and available community resources. Please call the Alzheimer Society NS to register, 1-800-611-6345.

Wed. Sept. 4, 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. Sept. 5 - Sun. Sept. 8 Bridgetown Ciderfest is an annual fall festival celebrating the apple harvest in the beautiful Annapolis Valley. It's a weekend filled with fun, food and friends. Events include a Grand Street parade, Queen Street talent, Harvest dinner, Kids activities, Car show, Pie eating and baking contest, and much more! Keep up at <https://www.facebook.com/ciderfest> or look for the program out soon.

Thur. Sept. 5, 6-8:00pm Valley Judo Club Open House. Curious about judo? Join us at Valley Judo Club's exclusive Open House tailored just for beginners! Discover the fundamentals of this dynamic martial art in a welcoming and supportive environment. At the Middleton Baptist Church Gym, 26 School St., Middleton.

Fri. Sept. 6, 10-11:30am Community Coffee @ Lower Granville Hall in Port Royal. Come out and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea and bring a snack to share if you are able. Everyone is welcome. \$2/person donation for the Hall. Lower Granville Hall, 3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal.

Sat. Sept. 7 The Annapolis PC Association is holding a **Golf Tournament Fund-Raiser** at Eden Golf Club on Sept. 7. \$500 fee for 4 includes green fees, golf cart and meals. Cash or cheque made out to "PC Annapolis". Deadline Sept. 1. For information contact Mitchell Brown @ 902 324-0584 or annapolispc@gmail.com.

Sat. Sept. 7, 8-10:00am The **Community Breakfasts** resume at Holy Trinity Anglican Church in Middleton. Free will offering. We buy local and we buy fresh and that's the only way to serve the best. "Best eggs east of TOFINO", Anon. Everyone welcome!

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Sat. Sept. 7, 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! *

Sat. Sept. 7, 8:00pm A Double Header: Leanne Hoffman & Good Dear Good at Evergreen Theatre. Leanne Hoffman the Nova Scotia-based multidisciplinary artist builds tension between soundscapes primed for pure pleasure and lyrics that address the interconnected relationship between desire and despair. Good Dear Good's award-winning debut EP "Arrival" echoes bright while you journey to the dark depths of the Atlantic – watching the sun shine a beam straight to the ocean floor. Here you'll find themes of resilience, perseverance, and love within a broken system. Tickets: Adults \$35, Members \$25, Military \$30, Students \$20, available at www.evergreentheatre.ca or 902-825-6834. 1941 Stronach Mountain Rd, Margaretsville.

Sat. Sept. 8, 9am-3:00pm Ticket Auction, Bake table, 50/50 draw & tickets on a Lap Quilt at the Upper Clements Hall, 2951 Highway 1.

Sun. Sept. 8, 7:00pm Games Night @ Lower Granville Hall in Port Royal. Join your friends and neighbours for an evening of fun and fellowship. Some games provided or bring your favourite and a snack to share. Coffee and tea provided. Starts at 7 p.m. \$2 donation for the Hall/person. Lower Granville Hall, 3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal.

Mon. Sept. 9, 1:30pm Lawrencetown and Area Seniors Association (LASA) General Meeting at the Lawrencetown Legion, 490 Main Street, (parking lot entrance). Welcome back as activities are resuming, with a special invitation for new members and those to the area. Come and join us and hear about our Fall and Winter activities with entertainment, exercise, guest speakers, area updates and information.



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Tues. Sept. 10, 7:00pm Book Talk Tuesday at the MacDonald Museum: Beach Moose and Amber: Finding My Jewish History. When Nictaux born and raised author Sharon Goldston-Easton found typewritten pages tucked in the back of her deceased father's accordion folder, she had no idea she was holding an invitation to the greatest writing adventure of her life. The pages were her mother's final attempt to record her Jewish family's history – a history that she had kept secret for decades.

With her mother's written permission to explore the past, Sharon embarked on a journey that would take her from the Russian Revolution to Nazi-occupied Lithuania, ending in rural Nova Scotia, Canada. The journey was often painful, as Sharon learned more about her Jewish identity and uncovered the trauma her family had experienced before and during the Holocaust. MacDonald Museum, 21 School St., Middleton. No charge.

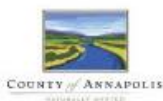
Tues. Sept. 10, 7-8:00pm Annapolis Royal Lions Club monthly meeting at the Firehall. If you've ever wondered what we are all about or have some time to join or volunteer with us, come check us out. All are welcome and we would love to see you. Please enter through the back door.

Thur. Sept. 12, 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

Sat. Sept. 14, 10am-2:00 pm (or until your bowl is finished) Nautical Rope Bowl Workshop! Paradise Heritage Centre at 10307 Highway #1 in Paradise. Cost: \$50, which includes all the materials.

Instructor: Karen Morley. Nautical rope knots have been used for centuries by mariners to secure sails and rigging on ships and boats. Variations or repetitions of certain knots can create a variety of functional and decorative items, such as mats that protect decks from the rigging, to surround railings or to stand on for cushioning. Presenter, Karen Morley, resides in Cottage Cove where she makes items from "reclaimed" lobster rope and sells them at the Clarence Market on Sundays.

Karen invites you to join her to learn this art of decorative nautical knot making. Participants will learn how to first create a nautical thump mat which will then be turned into a bowl. This useful bowl, approximately 10 inches in diameter, can hold fruits, bread or any items you wish. A choice of 2 colours as below of reclaimed rope from a lobster fishing boat will be provided. Written instructions will be provided. Please bring a lunch. For information or to apply for a spot (there are only 12) please e-mail barbarabishop84@gmail.com



Economic Development Coordinator

The Towns of Annapolis Royal and Middleton and the Municipality of the County of Annapolis are located in the wonderful Annapolis Valley, approximately 50 km apart.

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Expectations:

- Research and complete an inventory of all commercial and business enterprises in Annapolis County
- Research and develop a comprehensive community profile that can be used to attract developers, new businesses, new residents including health care workers
- Review the current business climate in Annapolis County, determining where business and service level gaps exist, and develop business and development programs and packages seeking to attract new commercial enterprises to fill these citizen needs.
- Identification of funding opportunities to support the activities identified above, drafting of applications and/or securing support required to assist with grant writing.

Qualifications:

- Demonstrated experience in economic development
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Sun. Sept. 15, 8:00pm Honky-tonk Country Dance with Petunia and the Vipers (Live). Bear River Legion. 2-Step dance lesson at 7:30pm. Tickets: \$15 at door or pre-sale at Bear River Grocery

Mon. Sept. 16, 1:30-3pm Care Givers Support Group (for people who care for loved ones with dementia) The group meets the 3rd Monday of the month, except July and August, from 1:30 - 3:00pm, at St George & St Andrew United Church, 393 St George St, Annapolis Royal, (at the lights), Office Door, side entry. Contacts: Art Jones - 902-532-0784; Lou Fletcher - 902-532-2377

Wed. Sept. 18, 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.

Thur. Sept. 19, 6-8:00pm Awkward Acres Craft Night - Leaf Print Clay Dish, at Lunn's Mill Beer Company, 515 Carleton Rd, Lawrencetown. A lovely leafy craft to open Awkward Acres' Fall Craft Night series. Air dry clay leaf print trinket dishes. Choose a leaf from a special plant or location or one provided. Bring out your playdough Picasso and stamp it into

the clay. Finish your pieces with a water colour paint technique and clear topcoat. Contact awkwardacres@gmail.com with questions or to register.

Sat. Sept. 21, 10am-12:30pm Annapolis County Volunteer Expo and Volunteer Recognition Ceremony at Bridgetown Regional Community School. This is an opportunity for residents to connect one-on-one with representatives from local organizations and for groups to educate people on what they do.

There will be community presentations, entertainment, and lots of food...plenty of activities to enjoy! While some people are playing, others will be visiting the booths finding a community group that is a good fit for them. Immediately following the Volunteer Expo, people are invited to the Annapolis County 2024 Volunteer Recognition Ceremony taking place at 1:00pm in the same location. For more information, contact John Smith at volunteerepo@annapoliscounty.ca

Sat. Sept. 21, 7-11:00pm 70's & 80's Fundraiser Dance for the MacDonald Museum, at the Middleton Legion, 205 Marshall St. Groove the night away to the sounds of DJ John Spencer. Prizes for best costume. 50/50 draw, cash bar. Tickets \$20 person, available online at www.macdonaldmuseum.ca or at the museum, 21 School Street.

Mon. Sept. 23, 7-8:30pm Book Club @ Lower Granville Hall in Port Royal. Join this lighthearted book club starting September 23rd. All genres are open to be explored. At this first meeting, come prepared to explore The Librarianist by Patrick deWitt, a bestselling Canadian Author. Meetings every month to discuss a new book. \$2 donation. Lower Granville Hall, 3551 Granville Rd., Port Royal. LowerGranvilleHall.com,

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October 19, 2024, Municipal Election

REVISIONS TO THE PRELIMINARY LIST OF ELECTORS

PRELIMINARY list of electors has been prepared for use for the Regular Election in the Municipality of the County of Annapolis, which will be held on Saturday, October 19, 2024.

ELECTORS may ask the Revising Officer to check whether their name is on the list of electors.

REVISING OFFICER may make additions or corrections to the list upon application by:

Telephone (902) 532-0815 between 9:00am-4:30pm;

Fax (902) 532-2096 attention Revising Officer;

Mail to Revising Officer, 752 St. George Street, PO Box 100, Annapolis Royal, NS B0S 1A0;

to be received before 4:00 p.m. on Friday, August 23, 2024.

Dated at Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia, this 18th day of July 2024

Carolyn Young, Returning Officer
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Fri. Aug. 23, 7:30pm Twisters (film, PG) Kate Cooper (Daisy Edgar-Jones), a former storm chaser haunted by a devastating encounter with a tornado during her college years who now studies storm patterns on screens safely in New York City, is lured back to the open plains by her friend, Javi (Golden Globe nominee Anthony Ramos) to test a groundbreaking new tracking system. There, she crosses paths with Tyler Owens (Glen Powell), the charming and reckless social-media superstar who thrives on posting his storm-chasing adventures with his raucous crew, the more dangerous the better. As storm season intensifies, terrifying phenomena never seen before are unleashed, and Kate, Tyler and their competing teams find themselves squarely in the paths of multiple storm systems converging over central Oklahoma in the fight of their lives. Tickets: Adults 10.95, Youth 6.95.

Sat. Aug. 24, 7:30pm Jah'Mila (live performance) Jah'Mila and her amazing reggae band return to King's! Jah'Mila is a reggae singer from Kingston, Jamaica, now based in Atlantic Canada. With a deep-rooted love for traditional roots reggae, her music blends the vibrant spirit of Jamaican roots music with elements of jazz and modern soul. She has been blessed to share stages with renowned acts like The Wailers, Black Uhuru, and Groundation, which has enriched her journey as a reggae artist and cultural ambassador. Jah'Mila is passionate about social justice and uses her music as a platform for both a form of entertainment and activism, advocating for community, inclusion, and support for the arts. Tickets: \$35 Adult, \$5 Youth.

Sun. Aug. 25, 3:00pm Inside Out 2 (animated film, G) Teenager Riley's mind headquarters is undergoing a sudden demolition to make room for something entirely unexpected: new Emotions. Joy, Sadness, Anger, Fear and Disgust, who've long been running a successful operation by all accounts, aren't sure how to feel when Anxiety shows up. And it looks like she's not alone. Tickets: Adults 10.95, Youth 6.95.

Wed. Aug. 28, 7:30pm The Fabulous Four (film, PG) If three's a crowd, four's a party! THE FABULOUS FOUR is an uproarious comedy about a group of life-long friends (Susan Sarandon, Megan Mullally, and Sheryl Lee Ralph) who travel to Key West, Florida, to be bridesmaids in the surprise wedding of their best college girlfriend Marilyn (Bette Midler). Over the course of one outrageous trip, sisterhoods are rekindled, the past resurfaces, and there are enough sparks, raunch, and romance to change all their lives in unexpected ways. Tickets: Adults 10.95, Youth 6.95.

Parish of Bridgetown Events

Sunday August 25

9:30am: St. Mary's Anglican Church, Belleisle - Service of Holy Eucharist

11:00am: St. James Anglican Church, Bridgetown - Service of Holy Eucharist

Sunday September 1

9:30am: St. Mary's Anglican Church, Belleisle - Service of Holy Eucharist

11:00am: St. James Anglican Church, Bridgetown - Service of Holy Eucharist

Sunday September 8

4:00pm: St. James Anglican Church, Bridgetown - Special Church Anniversary Service with special guests. This will also be The Reverend Dawn-Lea Greer's last service in the Parish. Fellowship to follow. All are welcome.

Sunday September 15

9:30am: St. Mary's Anglican Church, Belleisle - Service of Morning Prayer

11:00am: St. James Anglican Church, Bridgetown - Service of Morning Prayer



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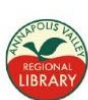

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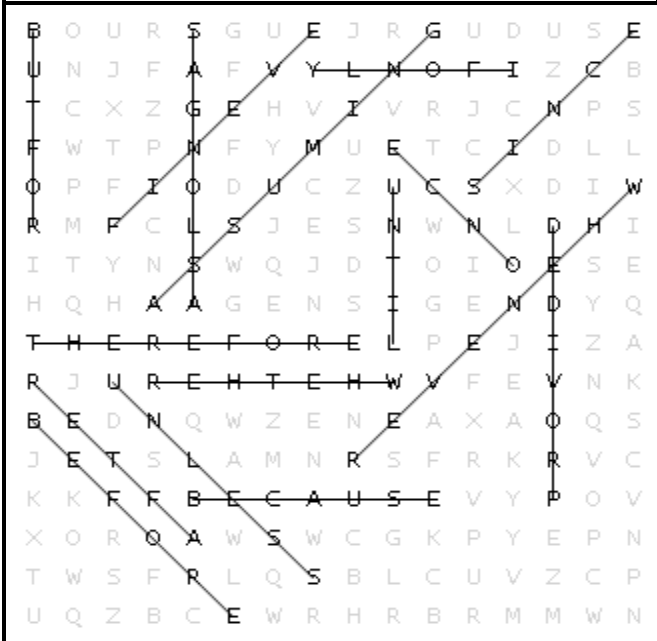
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Annapolis Royal- Blueberry Social, Sat Aug 24 from 1-3 Free Will Offering. St. George and St. Andrew United Church (by the Intersection).
Annapolis Royal- Hats off to all the organizers of ARCAC Paint the Town, The accommodations provided by folks billeting. Artists that travel to enjoy the town. The Volunteers are ESSENTIAL part of the Team! Perhaps you have a bed an artist could use for a night, do you walk around town a lot, perhaps you could volunteer to carry art? Sign up for next year @ ARCAC.
Annapolis Royal - Lions Expo! Sat Sept 21 Annapolis Royal Fire Hall. 10 am - 2 pm. Something for everyone! Music by Theresa Porter, Annapolis Skippers, 50/50 draw, Chinese Auction, BBQ, Lions Info and more. Funds raised will be used for our charity budget to help with community needs.
Belle Isle Acadian Centre - "The Fog" will be coming to the hall on Sat Aug 24 at 7:30 pm. Reserve your seat Call or text Jennifer 902-247-2019 send a message to theacadianpeasant@gmail.com. Cost \$20.
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Ciderfest Weekend in Bridgetown- Thurs Sept 7th to Sun Sept 10, Bridgetown Library Ticket Auction Fri the 8th starts @ 4 & Sat as well! Parade, show n shine, soap box derby, some exciting new events and musical performances in the park! Much, much more. I don't have enough room to list it all. Looking for vendors for the market on Sept 10 Contact CHRISTINEGRANT@HOTMAIL.COM to book a table
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Port Royal- Baggpipes by the Lighthouse! Sat Aug 24 @ 2 pm Bring a lawn chair, Pipe Major Robert Redden on the cliff top Suggested donation \$5 adults. Rain date is Sun Aug 25th @ 2.
Round Hill Bishop Park painting Sat Aug 24th, 8 - 12 pm. Even if you only have an hour to help...together we can make a difference. Painting and odd jobs.
Save the Date- Sept 21 for 2024 Volunteer EXPO! 10 am - 12:30 pm Bridgetown Reg.Com. School. Community groups wishing for a free booth can scan the QR Code on the County of Annapolis FB Page.
Upper Clements- Mark your calendar for Sat Sept 28 9 - 3! Ticket Auction, 50/50. Tickets on a lap quilt with dog pattern on it.
YARD SALE- Now that I have your attention (LOL)- ST Lukes Church St George Street, Annapolis Royal, Sat Aug 31 starts @ 9. Perhaps it'd be a good time to bring a can of soup/ box of kraft dinner/ gloves, something nonperishable for the helping tree out front, in a plastic bag. (This is not a requirement of the yard sale; it was only a suggestion)
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County Commemorates Joseph Broussard dit Beausoleil

The County of Annapolis, in cooperation with the Fédération acadienne de la Nouvelle-Écosse (FANE), celebrated the County of Annapolis unveiling of the interpretive sign in commemoration of Joseph Broussard dit Beausoleil (1702-1765), on Wednesday August 14th, 4-5 pm, at Hebb's Landing Park and Boat Launch (7464 Hwy 1, Upper Granville, NS).

Over 250 people from far and wide – Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Louisiana (USA) – gathered at Hebb's Landing Park and Boat Launch to recognize this momentous occasion.

"I am very proud to be here today on behalf of municipal council to unveil an interpretive sign in recognition and commemoration of Joseph Broussard dit Beausoleil, designated as a person of national historic significance by the Government of Canada," said Warden Alex Morrison. "It is a suiting and wonderful way to celebrate the Acadian World Congress and Acadian Heritage month – significant events in the history of Annapolis County."

Born in Port-Royal (now Upper Granville) in 1702, the legendary Joseph Broussard dit Beausoleil holds an important place in the collective memory of Acadian communities in both Louisiana and the Maritime provinces. During the mid-18th century, he became a leader of the Acadian resistance. In 2023, Joseph Broussard dit Beausoleil was designated as a person of national historic significance by the Government of Canada.

This is the first designation made in an Annapolis County, municipally owned park. The celebration will continue at a second event hosted by the Municipality of the County of Annapolis in cooperation with the Fédération acadienne de la Nouvelle-Écosse (FANE) - the unveiling of an interpretive sign dedicated to the Village des Gaudet (17th and 18th centuries). This will commemorate the village situated on the Rivière du Dauphin (Annapolis River) where Bridgetown is today. This event takes place on August 28th, 2pm, at the Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park (228 Granville St., Bridgetown, NS). These events are being done in recognition of the Acadian World Congress 2024 and Acadian Heritage Month.

Cryptoquote Answer: The impossible attracts me because everything possible has been done and the world didn't change. Sun Ra (as quoted in The Immeasurable Equation: The Collected Poetry and Prose)

If you have an interest in Women's Studies and the Bible join retired Anglican priest Rev. Nita on Thursday mornings at 10am at the Moschelle Community Hall. There will be a series of five talks on Women in the Bible beginning on Sept. 12 with additional sessions to be held on Sept. 19, 26, Oct. 3, and 10. There is no charge to attend, donations to help cover the cost of hall rental is welcome. These talks are open to all interested persons. For more details visit, stlukesannapolisroyal.com.



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Spraying Season is upon us...again.

It is mid-August and we are once again faced with over 100 sites where forestry companies are planning to spray Glyphosate, a herbicide with a dodgy history of environmental damage and suspected health risks. We now have a map of the proposed spray sites, approved by the NS Department of Environment and Climate Change. It shows the breakdown as:

County Listed in Approval	# of sites
Annapolis	12
Colchester	18
Cumberland	74
East Hants	4
Hants	6
Kings	4
Queens	11
Grand Total	129

A link to the map can be found at: linktr.ee/dontsprayns, along with the links mentioned below. Glyphosate is a widely used herbicide that some forestry companies use to “weed” out competing vegetation in favour of crop trees. Aerial spraying is expensive financially as well as ecologically, but some companies find it more convenient than hiring workers to thin out hardwoods. The spraying kills more than the targeted species, impacting a range of organisms including, if ingested, our human gut microbiota. There are many proven and suspected effects on both the environment and human health, but the business of glyphosate is huge, so research on its effects tends to be suppressed and/or heavily biased in favour of its use. Impact of glyphosate on gut microbiota and the brain a cause for concern Glyphosate is the most widely used pesticide in the world, but what are its effects on the intestinal microbiota?

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There are also growing concerns that the mysterious clusters of brain disease found in New Brunswick may be linked to glyphosate exposure. You can find the New York Times article about this at: linktr.ee/dontsprayns

Community Information and Aerial Pesticide Spraying Resources Aerial spraying of Canada's forests has been going on for decades. Throughout the country, communities and groups have been resisting this spraying of pesticides with many small successes. Work is ongoing to stop these destructive chemical campaigns. Most recently in 2023, groups with minimal resources mounted vigorous campaigns in this region to stop the aerial spraying of glyphosate on forests. The groups had many successes, but the corporate/industrial forestry interests continue applying pressure for more spray. Until our government bans this type of indiscriminate poisoning of trees and wildlife there will be ongoing actions resisting this policy. These actions are grass roots in nature, led by committed individuals from communities threatened with aerial spraying. The groups that form to protest and prevent spraying often have considerable public support with a wide variety of members and allied groups and organizations whose primary mission might be outdoor recreation, tourism, fishing, hunting and other forest dependent activities. The following groups' primary mission is to stop this aerial spraying. Support the group closest to you and join their newsletter/feeds.

Don't Spray Nova Scotia Forests
<https://linktr.ee/dontsprayns>

Stop Spraying & Clear-Cutting Mi'kma'ki (Nova Scotia)
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/StopSprayingNS>

Don't Spray Cumberland County
<https://www.facebook.com/dontspraycumberland>

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