

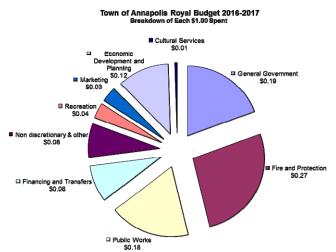
The Town Crier

TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

Town of Annapolis Royal Budget for 2016/17

On Monday, June 20th, 2016, Town Council approved a \$1.8M operating budget. Town Council was able to keep the tax rates at \$1.65 for Residential and \$3.15 for Commercial. Please see the graph for a breakdown of how each \$1.00 of tax is spent. For details on this budget please go to our website or contact Town Hall.

Council also approved a \$1.5M capital budget which includes contributions from the Town in the amount \$465K that is **contingent on grant funding**. The most significant capital items include the waterfront development project, upgrades to sewer lines, sidewalk repairs, and repaving sections of St. George Street. If grant funding is not obtained then the projects will be re-evaluated.



Budget fact: since switching to iPads in lieu of hardcopies for meeting materials, the Town has saved an estimated \$267/mth.

Come celebrate Canada Day and Natal Day Weekend in Annapolis Royal. Details of events on pages 6 & 7.

There is lots of fun to be had!

Thank You to the Community



We are thrilled to announce that 9 Condos have now been SOLD! We have reached the halfway point with only 9 more to sell before construction can begin in August.

A huge thank you is extended to the citizens of the Town and to residents of the surrounding area for their tremendous support. You have been instrumental in helping us reach this important milestone.

The word is certainly out there that if people live in Annapolis Royal, they'll be part of a welcoming community and be within walking distance of everything that they could ever need.

Please continue to "spread the word" by directing friends near and far to our website at ouracademy.ca and to our weekly Facebook updates at The Academy – ARRA.

The Sales Office at the Academy is open Wednesday to Sunday so drop in for a tour or call 526-0220 to make arrangements for a time which is more convenient for you.

Thank you again for your support,

Tim Tanner
Jacob Tanner Developments

Strategic Planning Review

The Town is excited to announce the next round of public meetings for the Strategic Planning Review.

You are invited to offer further input and help shape the future direction of Annapolis Royal. We know that summer is always a busy time so three dates have been set. Come to one or all of the meetings.

Each meeting will provide a background and overview of the proposed mission statement, vision, and economic development strategic area currently being worked on by the Marketing and Economic Development Committee. The three remaining proposed strategic areas will be addressed one topic per meeting. Come prepared to provide your input and suggestions.

When: July 13th—Topic: Municipal Services

July 20th—Topic: Asset and Infrastructure Management

ment

July 27th—Topic: Governance & Operational Performance

6:30pm-8pm

Where: Upstairs in the Library at ARRA (the Academy)

A copy of the PowerPoint that will be presented at the meetings will be available on the Town website by July 8th.

If you witness any vandalism or unlawful behavior within the Town of Annapolis Royal, please report the incident to the Annapolis Royal Police Department. Thank you for your help in this matter.

To contact the Annapolis Royal Police Department CALL 902-532-2427 Any time, 24 hours a day

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

Mayor Michael Tompkins mayor@annapolisroyal.com

Deputy Mayor Pat Power patpower@annapolisroyal.com

Councillor Paul Paquette paulpaquette@annapolisroyal.com

Councillor Sherman Hudson shermanhudson@annapolisroyal.com

Councillor Byron Mersereau byronmersereau@annapolisroyal.com

Next Meetings

Planning and Heritage Advisory Committee July 4th @ 9:30am

> Special Council Meeting July 6th @ 6:00pm

Committee of the Whole July 6th @ 6:00pm

Marketing & Economic Development Committee July 12th @ 6:00pm

Board of Police Commissioners July 13th @ 9:00am

Municipal Effectiveness Advisory Committee July 14th @ 10:00am

> Council July 18th @ 6:00pm

Waterfront Development Committee July 21st @ 6:30pm

Town Hall -285 St. George Street PO Box 310 Phone: 902-532-2043 Fax: 902-532-7443 Toll Free 1-877-522-1110 E-mail:

admin@annapolisroyal.com www.annapolisroyal.com Open Mon-Fri, 9am-3pm

Public Works Emergencies:

Please contact 902-532-8347

Mayor Tompkins is available by appointment. Call or email Town Hall.

MOTIONS FROM COUNCIL- MAY & JUNE SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETINGS

Council - May 16, 2016:

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-03: Adoption of an Updated Policy

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Hudson to accept the change to the *Public Participation Policy*. Motion carried. Councillor Mersereau abstained from voting.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-04: Leaf and Yard Waste Site

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Paquette that council make the funds available to have a grinder brought in to clear the existing yard waste that is at the town Public Works Yard. After this is done that the leaf and yard waste will be organized with designated areas with signage and some thought to composting, not grinding. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-05: Valley Regional Waste 2016/17 Budget

It was moved by Councillor Hudson, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to accept Valley Region Solid Waste-Resource Management Authority Draft 2016-2017 Operating and Capital Budget. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-06: Planning Permission

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Hudson that the applicant at 11 Prince Williams Street be given heritage approval to install a facial sign as detailed in the application AR16-011-HER, providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-07: Planning Permission

It was moved by Councillor Hudson, seconded by Councillor Mersereau that the applicant at 241 St George Street be given heritage approval to install a vinyl window sign as detailed in the application AR16-014-HER, providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-08: Planning Permission

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power that the applicant at 833 St George St be given heritage approval to install an eight (8) foot wooden fence along the hospital boundaries and along the Gartner side of the property to the shed, then the remainder of the fence on the Gartner side will be a maximum of six (6) feet, add a wooden ground level deck on the side of the house, remove one window to be replaced with a wooden door to access the new deck as detailed in the application AR16-013-HER, providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-09: Funding Approval

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Paquette to approve the amount of \$8300.00 to the Annapolis Board of Trade in the following amounts; \$6000.00 for the Visitor Information Centre, \$1000.00 for First Fridays, \$1000.00 for Arts Unleashed, and \$300.00 for the Parade of Lights. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-10: Adoption of a New Policy

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Hudson that the Equipment Replacement Policy, in the form of the draft submitted to Committee of the Whole on May 5, 2016, be adopted. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-11: Approval of Waterfront Development Projects

It was moved by Councillor Hudson, seconded by Councillor Mersereau to give in principal approval for continuing to proceed with the Water Development project outlined in the ICF Concept Paper of April 25, 2016. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-12: Approval to Commence the Process for Capital Projects

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power that council approve commencing preparatory work to undertake the three capital projects outlined under recommendations 1, 2, and 3 on the Infrastructure Replacement Priority List namely sidewalks and paving work on St. George Street between Victoria Street and Drury Lane, sewer line replacements, and paving of St. George Street from Victoria Street up to Mile Board corner. Motion carried.

MOTION #C-2016-05-16-17: Lease Agreement with King's Theatre

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Councillor Paquette to enter into a lease agreement with King's Theatre based on the draft presented to Council by the CAO. Motion carried.

Special Council – May 26, 2016:

MOTION #SC-2016-05-26-01: Hiring of Two Summer Students

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Mersereau to give pre-approval to hire two summer students, PHAC student (with grant) and Public Works/Recreation summer student (without a grant). Motion carried.

Special Council - June 2, 2016:

MOTION #SC-2016-06-02-01: Approval of a Funding Application for Replacement of Sanitary Lines

It was moved by Councillor Hudson, seconded by Councillor Paquette that Council approves submission of a funding application for a project to the Provincial Capital Assistance Program (PCAP) that entails replacement of sections 1460, 1470, 1490, 1500, 1910, 1920, 1930, 1940, 1950, and a portion of section 1120 of town sanitary lines and new manholes as outlined in the project submitted to PCAP for the sum total project costs of \$274,411, as provided by Hatch in their estimate dated May 20, 2016. Motion carried.

Want to know about events and announcements in the community? Contact us at admin@annapolisroyal.com to be added to the email list.

The Town Crier is produced by Town Hall. If you want to advertise an event for free in Annapolis Royal or the immediate surrounding area, or a business within Annapolis Royal, contact us at admin@annapolisroyal.com.

July Calendar of Events

July 1	CANADA DAY See pg 6 for details on events.	
July 2	Family Nature Day at First Lake, 11am-3pm. See pg. 12 for details.	
July 2	Young Company Productions Workshop (FREE) at ARRA, 10am-12pm. See pg. 10 for details.	
July 3	75 th Anniversary of the Official Grand Opening of Port-Royal NHS: 1pm -4pm. Come and participate in a very unique experience; the 75 th anniversary of the official grand opening of the first major reconstruction undertaken by the Federal Government of Canada	
July 6	Strawberry Supper at the United Church, 5-6:30pm. See pg 3 for details.	
July 7	Helen Opie's Grand Cruise to Paradise, 10am. See pg. 5 for details.	
July 8	Wine & Roses at the Historic Gardens, 5pm-7pm. See pg. 5 for details.	
July 9	Young Company Productions Workshop (FREE) at ARRA, 10am-12pm. See pg. 10 for details.	
July 9	House & Garden Tour, 10am-4pm. See pg. 5 for details.	
July 9	Concert: Skipper's Alley at King's Theatre, 7:30pm	
July 10	Rejuvenation of a Community, 9am-5pm. See pg. 5 for details.	
July 13	Public Strategic Planning Review Meeting in the Library at ARRA, 6:30pm-8pm. See pg 1 for details.	
July 14	Traditional Music on Thursdays at Port-Royal National Historic Site, 1:00pm - 4:00pm	
July 15	Children's Flower Arranging Workshop at the Legion, 1pm. See pg 3 for details.	
July 16	Champlain Garden Club's Annual Community Flower Show and Tea at the Legion, 2pm-5pm. See pg. 3 for details.	
July 16	Parks Day at Fort Anne National Historic Site Insider's tour of the Officers' Quarters and the Fort Grounds. Museum tours: English tour at 10:30am / French tour at 11:30am. Fort Grounds Tour: English tours at 1:00pm & 3:00pm / French tours at 1:30pm & 3:30pm. Tours are free with regular admission.	
July 16	Young Company Productions Workshop (FREE) at ARRA, 10am-12pm. See pg. For details.	
July 16	Concert: Morgan Davis at King's Theatre, 7:30pm	
July 17	Mi'kmaq Culture Day at Port-Royal National Historic Site, 1pm – 4pm Come and experience the history and traditions of the Mi'kmaq; a culture that has been here for thousands of years. Sing a Mi'kmaw song, accompany the song with a drum, participate in the ancient game of "waltes" and interact with the Mi'kmaw craftspeople.	
July 20	Public Strategic Planning Review Meeting in the Library at ARRA, 6:30pm-8pm. See pg. 1 for details.	
July 23	Young Company Productions Workshop (FREE) at ARRA, 10am-12pm. See pg. For details.	
July 23	Fire Department's Golf Tournament Fundraiser. See pg. 4 for details.	
July 27	Public Strategic Planning Review Meeting in the Library at ARRA, 6:30pm-8pm. See pg. 1 for details.	
July 29- 31	Encampment Days at Fort Anne National Historic Site. See pg. 7 for details.	
July 29- Aug 1	Natal Day Weekend! There are lots of activities taking place in town. See pg. 7 for details and stay tuned for more details on events.	
July 30	Young Company Productions Workshop (FREE) at ARRA, 10am-12pm. See pg. 10 for details.	
July 31	Wine and Cheese at Satso Gallery, 1pm-3pm	

RECURRING EVENTS:

Tuesdays: Weekly Fun Pool Tournament at the Legion

Horseshoes / Crib Night at the Legion

Wednesdays: Bingo at the Legion

Thursdays: Drink & Draw at the Legion 7pm Fridays: Friday Night Music at the Legion

Saturdays: Weekly Fun Pool Tournament at the Legion

Farmers' Market outdoor at the Market Square

8am-1pm

See pages 4 for details on recurring events.

For more complete details on events, please see the Town online Events Calendar: www.annapolisroyal.com/events



The Champlain Garden Club's Annual Community
Flower Show and Tea will be held on Saturday, July 16,
2016 from 2pm- 5pm, at the Legion Social Centre, Annapolis Royal. Admission is \$7.00. Tea, savouries and cakes are served from 2:00pm-4:00pm. Everyone is eligible to compete in the show. Specimen list is available at the Historic Gardens. Cash prizes, special categories and free admission (afternoon tea) to children who enter exhibits!

On Friday, July 15, at 1pm at the Legion, a **Children's**Flower Arranging Workshop will take place for 8 – 12

year olds to prepare show entries. Contact Sherry
Caldwell for the children's workshop details
(sherry.caldwell@eastlink.ca).



STRAWBERRY SUPPER July 6th

United Church [brick church at the lights]

5pm-6:30pm Eat in or take out [no deliveries] \$12 adult, \$6 under 12



Are you looking for an opportunity to make an impact in your community? Join our residential campaign!

September is Arthritis Awareness Month! The Arthritis Society is looking for interested volunteers to canvas areas throughout Nova Scotia during the month of September. Canvassing in communities across our province allows The Arthritis Society to raise awareness of arthritis, while continuing its mission to fund important research and provide education, support, and solutions for individuals living with arthritis in your community.

Your support makes a differencel if you are interested in carwassing or would like more information, please contact Laura Brining at <u>lbrining@arthritis.ca</u> or 902-429-7025, extension 8229.

WE HAVE ARTHRITIS! IT DOESN'T HAVE US









Legion Events - Perpetual

Bingo – The Port Royal Branch #21 Legion in Annapolis Royal holds bingo every Wednesday evening, starting at 7pm. Please arrive early to buy ticket books. **Open to the public & everyone is welcome.**

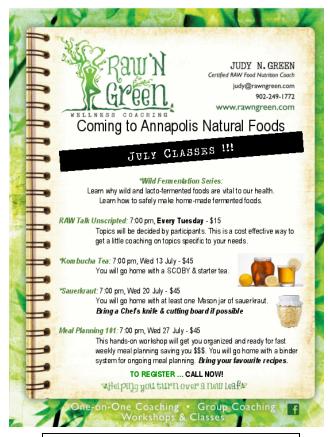
Horseshoes / Crib Night - Port Royal Legion, Branch #21 in Annapolis Royal will host a weekly Crib and Horseshoe night each Tuesday starting at 7pm all summer. We also have pool tables, dart boards and chess boards available for anyone interested. Drop by for a fun games night and bring a friend! **Open to the Public & Everyone is welcome.**

Weekly Fun Pool Tournament - The Port Royal Branch #21 Legion in Annapolis Royal holds weekly 8 Ball Tournaments each Tuesday afternoon, starting at 1:30pm. \$5 to play, all proceeds go into prizes. **Open to the public & everyone is welcome.**

Drink & Draw – Do you paint, draw, quilt or are otherwise artistically gifted (or not!)? Come out for Drink & Draw at the Port Royal Legion, Branch #21 in Annapolis Royal, every Thursday night, starting at 7pm. **New bi-weekly challenges!** Every 2 weeks a new subject is drawn to produce in the medium of your choice (participation voluntary). **Open to the public & everyone is welcome.** (Drinking not required!).

Weekly Music - Port Royal Legion, Branch #21 in Annapolis Royal is happy to announce that our great local musicians will play a music set from 8pm–10pm (or later) each Friday night! The **Chase the Ace** draw will begin the night, with the draw at 8pm sharp, so arrive early to ensure your chance to win the jackpot! Tickets are on sale all week long. See the schedule on our Facebook page or drop by the Legion for more info. **Open to the public & everyone is welcome.**

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Leslie Erickson Art Gallery

29 Victoria St. Annapolis Royal, N.S., Canada 902-532-1359 fribius@yahoo.ca

> contemporary art handmade paper African jewellery Japanese calligraphy

5th ANNUAL ARVFD Auxiliary Fund Raiser Golf Tournament

WHEN: Sat July 23rd, 2016.
WHERE: Annapolis Royal Golf & Country Club
TIME: 10 am SHOT GUN START
\$60 PER PERSON OR \$240.00 PER TEAM

Hole in one sponsor:
BRUCE AUTO GROUP-DIGBY
Tickets on 20 lbs of lobsters
& 50/50 Tickets
Putting Contest

Please note: If you pay your registration fee at Scotiabank (Annapolis Royal) they will match the registration fee!!!

We encourage everyone to do this; the more who register, the more we raise! Pick up registration forms from Brenda @ 902-532-0397, Weasy's Hair Salon, or at Scotiabank.



Helen Opie intends to set sail for her Grand Cruise to Paradise on July 7th at about 10am. Rain dates July 8th or 9th. Anyone who wishes is invited to come sail, paddle, or row along part way or all the way. The point is to have fun on the river in vessels without motors in order to enjoy the sounds of nature and cause no pollution. Bring your canoe, kayak, paddle board, to the beach at the causeway just north of the hydro station/visitors centre. Or just come and wave us off. It will be a rising tide, so no fear of being sucked into the sluice. Then go to the second RiverFest the following weekend.

The West Annapolis Chess Club
Whether you're a chess master
or simply want to learn how to
play chess. Thursday nights 6:00
pm to 9:00 pm rotates between
Bridgetown and Annapolis
Royal. Contact via e-mail at
tfeloc@hotmail.com or
l.c.lombard@ns.sympatico.ca
for more information.









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ANNAPOLIS ROYAL BRANCH

285 St. George Street Phone: 902-532-2226 http://www.valleylibrary.ca



What's Happening at the Annapolis Royal Library:

Summer Reading Club starts June 27th, and it's not just for kids any more. We've added activities and prizes for adults as well.

July 4th, 10am-11am: **Pre-School Disco**. An hour of music, dancing and stories to start your day! Ages 2+

July 11th, 10am: Little Ray's Reptiles are back. Come see these amazing creatures up close and personal!

July 25th, 10am: **Storytime with a Farmer** – A valley farmer will be our guest reader this morning!

July 4th through the end of August **Technology Assistance Available** – If you have computer-related questions, you can book a one-hour session that will address whatever issues you may have. We will also have group sessions on various topics throughout the summer.

Don't forget the **Friends of the Library Book Sales** at the Farmer's Market, July 2nd and July 16th. You never know what fabulous books you might stumble across, so be sure to check it out

Heritage Treasure Hunt in conjunction with the Sinclair Inn Museum and the O'Dell House Museum. Have fun finding and identifying architectural details around town and win a book.



Once again there are a host of activities to celebrate Canada Day in Annapolis Royal. The day kicks off at 11:45am at Town Hall. What better way to begin the celebrations than with cake and the raising of the flag? After that, make your way over to Fort Anne where there will be music, a photo booth and face painting. Cool off with a FREE afternoon dip in the community pool or swim under the stars later in the evening. Or, take in some of the history with a Mik'Maq Tour or Graveyard Tour. If that wasn't enough fun, to top it off, July 1st also coincides with First Friday.

Annapolis Royal Golf & Restaurant CANADA DAY FRIDAY BBQ 1ST JULY

From the CUBAN BBQ BOX

Pork & Salmon Selection of Salads, Bread, Potatoes **BBQ** - Apple Sauces Desserts

\$19 plus tax

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21 in Annapolis Royal will host Lewis Hodgson from 8pm-10pm or later for Canada Day Celebrations! Join us for some great music weekly with no cover charge! Don't forget our Chase the Ace Draw will be at 8pm sharp, so arrive early to purchase your tickets! Open to the Public & Everyone is welcome.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL COMMUNITY POOL

FREE

Canada Day Swim July 1st, 2016

1-4 pm

Everyone welcome!







TOWN HALL WILL BE CLOSED JULY 1ST





12h-13 h: Concert d'Annapolis Bas Community Band 13 h 15-14 h 30: Spectacle musical avec Caleb Miles

12h-15 h: Croquet et autres apportez votre équipement!

12h-15 h: Photomaton

 bring your own! Planta Planta Carrella Carrella

Noon: FREE Canada Day ca

Noon-1pm: Annapolis Basin Community Band concert

Noon-3 pm: Croquet and lawn game

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Celebrate Canada

At the Fort:

Fort Anne is open all day FREE until 8:00pm. Bring your kite to fly at the Fort! 6:00pm to 8:00pm - Music by Caroline Bosley

At the Farmer's Market:

mapolis Royal's new Face Painting with Julia Redgrave Truck on display 7:00pm to 9:00pm - Music by Julia Tynes Popcorn, Candy on a Stick, and Candy Apples

On the Boardwalk:

6:00pm to 6:30pm - Zumba Kids | 6:30pm to 7:00pm - Zumba Adults

Around Town:

Late Night Swim - \$4

Graveyard Tour at 9:30pm

Locals 4 Locals Event around Town

Contact for further information: Holly @ 902-532-2070

Show your local receipts at participating merchants to get discounts!

Enjoy First Friday with plenty of time to see the Bridgetown Fireworks!



NATAL DAY WEEKEND

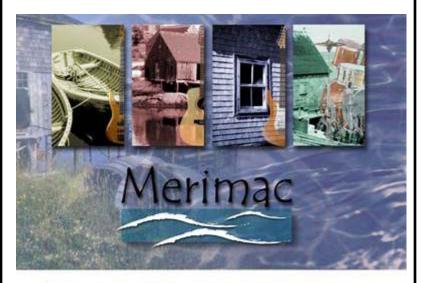
The Natal Day Committee is working on planning a great schedule of events for everyone to enjoy. This year's theme is "Homecoming". The events start on Thursday July 28th and run through to Monday August 1st. The regular annual events are on the schedule and the Committee is working on adding a few more. A complete schedule of events will be posted on the Town's website, www.annapolisroyal.com.

Currently we are working on the Natal Day booklet so if you wish to be a sponsor please let us know. If you would like to volunteer your time over the weekend please contact Holly Sanford at hollyesanford@gmail.com or Angela Amero at annapolisnatalday@hotmail.com.



Natal Day Opening Ceremony

Free Outdoor Concert!



Upbeat Maritime Favourites from the 70's, 80's 90's and More...

Music by Merimac (merimac.ca) and an appearance by the Natal Day Princesses.

Come out and sing along to your favourite Maritime music, dance the night away, or sit back and take it all in. Bring your own chairs and blankets.

Where: Front Lawn of the Academy (ARRA), 590 St.

George Street

When: Friday, July 29th Start Time: 6:30pm

Satso Gallery
Wine and cheese
July 31st from 1pm-3pm
253 St. George Street, 2nd floor

www.satsogallery.com 902.526.0881

AT THE



ANNAPOLIS ROYAL FIRE HALL

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ARE SELLING
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> 2 DRAWS for 10 LBS OF LOBSTER (Draw Natal Day weekend)

- > 5 CORDS OF WOOD cut, split , delivered in 15 mile radius (Draw Sept 3)
- > \$2 EACH OR 3 FOR \$5.00

Contact any member of the Fire Dept. for tickets....also... 902-308-9658

FRIDAY, July 29TH

- Karaoke Dance 9 pm − 2 am \$10 cover charge
- High Energy DJ services Rick Dexter

* SATURDAY, July 30th

- CAR WASH & BBQ 10 am 1 pm FREE WILL OFFERING
- LOBSTER & WOOD TICKETS ON SALE
- INTRO TO THE NEW FIRE TRUCK & walkthroughs (coloring books and hats for the kids, while quantities last)
- RAYS REPTILES SHOW...2 pm Main Hall
- TEEN DANCE... (this is a town sponsored event, watch for details)
 SUNDAY JULY 31ST
- FIREFIGHTER BREAKFAST 8 am 11 am FREE WILL OFFERING
 Bacon, scrambled eggs, toast, hash browns & beans
- FIREWORKS AT DUSK- QUEENS WHARF (IN BACK OF TOWN HALL AREA)
- BEER GARDEN 8 pm 2 am music by DC entertainment \$10 cover charge

Encampment Days: July 29 (evening) to July 31 (noon) - Fort Anne National Historic Site: Enjoy the sights, the smells, and the sounds of black powder musketry, outdoor cooking and life in an 18th century military camp. The 84th Regiment of Foot 2nd Battalion (Royal Highland Emigrants) create a vivid picture of the conditions of centuries-old military life. Saturday afternoon (weather permitting) a tactical battle features 18th century military techniques.

PARKS CANADA CORNER

#PortRoyal75 - July 3rd

This summer, Port Royal National Historic Site celebrates 75 years since its reconstruction, marking the beginning of the historic preservation movement in Canada. Parks Canada, in collaboration with the Province of Nova Scotia and the Annapolis Royal community, invites you to join us Sunday, July 3rd as we celebrate the occasion.

All will be welcome to receive the Order of Good Cheer: a tradition that first began at the Port Royal Habitation. This distinction is normally reserved for visitors to our province. However, on this special day, the Order of Good Cheer will be granted to ALL attendees, including Nova Scotians

July 3rd will also mark a once-in-a-lifetime stop on the Taste of Nova Scotia Good Cheer Trail. Visitors are invited to sample locally-made food and drink from Good Cheer Trail members against the backdrop of the Order of Good Cheer's birthplace.

Celebrations will also feature a locally-produced vignette harkening back to the 1941 grand opening celebrations at Port-Royal. This play tells the story of Harriette Taber Richardson and her love of the Habitation. Order of Good Cheer swearing-in ceremonies will take place throughout the day, as will Kids Zone activities including airbrush tattoos and visits from Parka, the Parks Canada mascot. The Annapolis Community Band will provide a beautiful live soundtrack to the day!

Parking is limited, so car pool with a friend (or two!), bring a lawn chair, and enjoy the day - rain or shine!

Fort Anne: Open for Business!

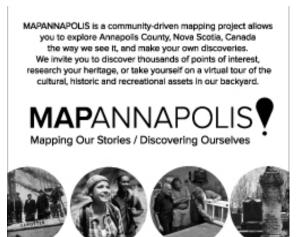
Parks Canada wants to remind the community that while we have a bit of siding work left to complete on the Officers' Quarters, Fort Anne National Historic Site is indeed open for the season – come in and see us! Behind-the-scenes work continues as we prepare for our 100th anniversary in 2017.

Visit us online at www.parkscanada.gc.ca and follow us on Twitter: @ParksCanada_NS

Annapolis Royal Lions Club Year in Review

During the 2015-16 Lions year, the Annapolis Royal Lions Club carried out over 198 projects totalling 1382 Lion hours of labour and raised over \$19,650.00 for various fundraising events, including the Annapolis Valley Radio Lions Bingo. The club donated over \$9300.00 toward activities such as sight, health, needy, seniors children and youth, drug awareness, civic improvement, local emergencies, volunteer fire brigade, hospital, and many other charity activities.

Remember--WHERE THERE IS A NEED THERE IS A LION-whenever a Lions Club gets together problems get smaller and communities get better. That's because we help where help is needed-in our own community and around the world-with unmatched integrity and energy. With over 1.5 million members, the Lions are the Worlds oldest and largest service club-Why not join us today? The Annapolis Royal Lions Club needs your kind in its ranks!



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ABoT July Meeting

The Annapolis Board of Trade Council Meeting takes place on Thursday, July14th, at 7pm at PeopleWorx, located at 326 St. George Street, next to the Annapolis Natural Foods. All ABoT members are welcome!



Possible Canada Post Work Stoppage

As you may be aware, Canada Post is notifying customers of a possible labour disruption that could impact mail delivery. As a result, the Annapolis Royal Water Utility will be mailing the June 30th water bills out early. Please pay online or stop in at town hall to ensure your payment is received by August 2nd (end of day) to avoid interest charges.

Thanks to the Town and our member exhibitors, Society of Fibre Artists of the Annapolis River's (SOFAARS) launch was a huge success. Stay tuned for an August-September event. Please visit our website at sofaar.ca or contact info@sofaar.ca for more information, including membership benefits.



Town Hall Notices:

Election 2016

The Municipal Election in Nova Scotia is October 15th

Please visit Town Hall to check if your name is on the list of Electors for the Fall 2016 Municipal Election AND to receive the most current iteration of the "Candidates' Guide to Municipal and School Board Elections".

If you wish to receive an electronic copy please contact:

Melony Robinson, Returning Officer for the Town of

Annapolis Royal at 902-532-3147 or

finance@annapolisroyal.com

The Province of Nova Scotia has announced the passing of Bill 177, which will enable municipalities to create a bylaw to phase in increases in commercial assessments in urban areas as a means to encourage business development. Council for the Town of Annapolis Royal is pleased to announce that it passed a motion on June 20, 2016 to develop a draft for a by-law to then apply *Bill 177*.

A Reminder to All Property Owners....

...that a Contractor's Permit is required for any work being done that will require use of Town land. For example; scaffolding or equipment being placed on a sidewalk while work is done to a property. The application form is **not** cumbersome and needs to be completed by your contractor. It can be picked up from Town Hall. Once completed, it will take a few days to review so please be sure to allow ample time prior to the beginning of a construction project.

Building and Design Awards

The Town of Annapolis Royal and the Planning Heritage Advisory Committee is pleased to announce that the Building and Design Awards are back this year. The Awards Program is intended to promote the preservation and restoration of heritage buildings and to encourage contemporary construction that is sympathetic to its historic environs. The information and application can be picked up at Town Hall or downloaded from the website. For more information please contact Sandi Millett-Campbell at phmc@annapolisroyal.com or 902-532-3145.

Coming Soon...

The Town of Annapolis Royal and the Waterfront Development Committee will soon be launching a hands-on demonstration on how to build a Tancook Whaler. While efforts are underway to have a permanent location to host this attraction, the committee is seeking an immediate temporary location so tourist and community members can enjoy this activity for 2016. The King's Theatre plaza is currently being considered. More information to follow.

POLICE NEWS

Message from the Chief of Police:

An update regarding a scam involving phone calls from individuals claiming to be from Canada Revenue Agency (CRA).

No agency or banking institution is going to call or email you asking for personal information, passwords or account numbers, and they **don't** send emails directing you to a link to confirm this type of information. Never click on a link in an email from CRA or a banking institution and if you receive a suspicious call, hang up and contact the appropriate agency or institution. Don't be fooled by what appears to be a legitimate phone call or email. Here is a link to CRA to check out any calls that say they are from CRA. http://www.cra-arc.gc.ca/fraudprevention/

Just a reminder that on all Parks Canada sites it is illegal to let your animals run loose. The fine for this is \$ 208.75.

If anyone has any concerns please give us a call any time at 902-532-2427.

	Police Statistics for the Month of May
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	Nature of the Call
2	Traffic Accidents
1	Speeding
1	Seat Belt
1	Cell Phone
1	Dangerous Driving
1	Motor Vehicle Registration
2	Parking
3	False Alarms
1	Unnecessary Noise
1	Lost and Found
2	Assistance to the Public
2	Property Checks
11	Criminal Background Checks
1	Thefts
2	Disturbance of the Peace
1	Assaults
1	Fail to Comply UT
1	Indecent Exposure
1	Fire Prevention Act
1	Firearms Act
2	Mental Health Act
1	Public Mischief
2	Uttering Threats
Total 42	

Bad Joke of the month:

Q: What did the pig say at the beach on a hot summer's day?

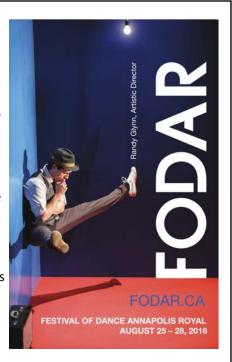
A: I'm bacon!

FESTIVAL OF DANCE ANNAPOLIS ROYAL UNVEILS 2016 SCHEDULE – AUGUST 25 THROUGH 28 FIVE SPECTACULAR PRODUCTIONS INTERNATIONALY ACCLAIMED ARTISTS AND CHOREOGRAPHERS

June 22, 2016 – ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, NS: Now in its third year, Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal (FODAR) is upping its game. FODAR officially announced its lineup today at King's Theatre, venue for the Festival.

In her welcome to Launch attendees, Grace Butland, Chair of Society of Company of Angels Dance Projects, which oversees FODAR, marveled at how far the Festival had evolved in such a short time. Mrs. Butland underscored the key role that Government Partners, donors and volunteers play in the Festival's success and in its commitment to keeping FODAR accessible through reasonable ticket rates. "Without this kind of ongoing assistance we would not be able to present such high calibre work at prices within the range of our rural audience. We are extremely grateful for this support."

FODAR Artistic Director Randy Glynn ran down the roster of diverse performances that the Festival is bringing to King's Theatre August 25 through 28. "We're proud to offer another season of stellar contemporary dance and movement theatre. As FODAR continues to grow, we remain committed to our original focus to showcase the breadth of talent that is present-day Canadian contemporary dance, and to celebrate the groundbreaking works from our past. There is so much great dance flying around out there. We want everyone to catch the bug."



TICKETS NOW ON SALE

Tickets for Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal August 25 through 28 at King's Theatre are \$18 Regular and \$12 Youth (18 and under) and are on sale now. They can be purchased online at kingstheatre.ca or by calling the theatre Box Office at 902-532-7704. Learn more about FODAR 2016 productions, dancers and chorographers at fodar.ca.

YOUNG COMPANY PRODUCTIONS ANNOUNCES THEATRE DAYS: THE PLACE TO ACT OUT!, a series of theatre-arts workshops for teens and pre-teens (aged 10-18) in the

Annapolis and Digby County area. This workshop series is free of charge and is supported by the Town of Annapolis Royal.

Theatre Days aims to be a hands-on, fun experience. The summer program kicks off on July 2 with Gillian Ormerod moderating a workshop of improvisation and drama games. Other topics include auditioning, clowning around, acting basics, scriptwriting and directing. Later in the summer, participants will have an opportunity to visit and tour King's Theatre in Annapolis Royal to learn about the work involved in putting a production on-stage.

"I'm so thrilled to see the selection of the workshops that are being offered. Young people in our community interested in theatre arts now have a venue to experience a variety of workshops. This can develop into a lifelong contribution to theatre arts in the community. Theatres everywhere will benefit from this." - Flora Hall, Chair, Young Company Productions Association (YCP).

By the end of summer those involved will have a well-rounded introduction to the theatre. YCP is extremely happy to be able to rely on the talent of a diverse group of moderators for these workshops - some are seasoned members of the Annapolis District Drama Group (ADDG) while others are offering their professional skills to develop programs for the series. YCP is hoping the enthusiasm from these moderators will inspire a lifelong love of and appreciation for theatre.

Workshops will be held each Saturday in July and August and run for two hours. All



Ages 10 - 18. Space is limited! Reserve your spot by emailing: youngcompanyproductions@gmail.com On Facebook: Young Company Productions Association

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workshops are free of charge, although pre-registration is recommended as spaces are limited. There is no limit to the number of workshops that one individual can register for. To pre-register email youngcompanyproductions@gmail.com with your name, age, phone number, and which days you would like to attend. All workshops will be held at the Annapolis Royal Regional Academy gymnasium in Annapolis Royal at 590 St. George Street.

Tree News

It is July and one of the hottest months of the year. Our native tree species are well adjusted to wet and cool spring weather and a mature tree has usually no problem surviving the dry and hot summer months. Here are some tree care tips for July:

- * Water newly planted trees for at least two seasons
- * Maintain mulch circles around trees. They create a cool and moist environment for the root system
- * Fertilize younger trees with compost and /or bonemeal, put compost first and then cover it with mulch
- * Avoid high nitrogen fertilizers. These would promote rapid growth but create an imbalance in the tree. Over fertilizing makes the tree more susceptible to diseases and insect damage
- * Do not whipper snip around trees. It will damage the bark and the wound will attract insects like the apple borer or other infections and the tree can die

Some common problem to look out for:

Dutch Elm disease (DED):

- Look for so called "flagging". Limbs in the crown of an elm tree will all of a sudden turn red. This could be the first sign of DED
- Call the Town for an inspection.

Gypsy Moth:

- Caterpillars prefer to eat oak trees but will eventually eat the leaves of any tree. Their population can grow so large that they will defoliate whole areas.
- Caterpillars have red and blue dots on their back and the moth will lay their eggs in a sponge like cocoon. When you find these, destroy them to prevent an outbreak.

Apple Borer:

- Likes apple trees and crab apples. They lay eggs in the bottom of the tree trunk and the larvae will "bore" into the trunk and hollow out the tree. They prefer grass or other shelter around the base of the tree. They will also lay eggs near wounds for easier access.
- Remove long grass around apple trees, create mulch circles and avoid damage of the trunk.

For any tree related questions: 902-220-8638 or angelika-waldow@bellaliant.net.

Pool News

The Town of Annapolis Royal's Community Pool opens on July 1st with a fun-filled day of swimming!

July 1st FREE afternoon swim from 1pm-4 pm. Thanks to a provincial THRIVE! grant.

BBQ hotdogs and drinks available. Hotdogs \$2 and drinks \$1.

Come out and meet the team!

July 1st First Friday evening swim from 8:30pm-10:30 pm. \$4. Come out and swim under the stars.

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Friday, July 15th: evening swim from 8:30pm-10:30 pm. \$4. Come out and swim under the stars.

BBQ hotdogs and drinks available. Hotdogs \$2 and drinks \$1.

Pool passes now available!

Sign up for swimming lessons beginning July 4th by contacting Pool Manager Susan Robinson-Burnie at southeeouze@gmail.com. Our schedule is available at the pool, on the FAPS website and Facebook page and also on the Town website, annapolisroyal.com. Thank you for supporting YOUR community pool!

Friends of the Annapolis Pool Society (FAPS) is also looking for new volunteer members to sit on its board. Please consider speaking with FAPS president Christine Igot if you are interested in getting involved. We are looking for board members as well as a vice-president and treasurer. Our AGM will be held in September.

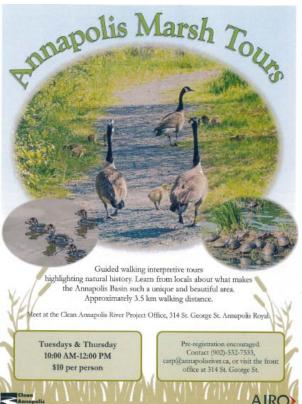
Funding Opportunity

The goeasy Community Project is inviting Canadians to submit a project in their community for a chance to win up to \$50,000 to help transform their community and make a meaningful impact. Submissions are being received until July 8th. Anyone can enter a project. Details can be found online at http://goeasy.com/communityproject.

Active Living News

Here's what's happening in the Town of Annapolis Royal to help keep you active, healthy, and happy...





Co-Ed Youth Basketball Camp July 11th & 12th, 10am-4pm at the ARRA gym

Are you looking to improve your game? Do you want an edge on your competitors? The Annapolis All-Star Basketball Camp is exactly what you are looking for. This co-ed camp is designed for players with a variety of skills and levels of experience.

Working with Ryan Scranton, Head Coach of the AWEC Wolfpack Senior Boys Basketball Team, players will learn the fundamentals of shooting, passing, rebounding and ball handling. They will also be able to put these skills to work in game settings. This is a great opportunity to learn some new moves and improve existing skills. Campers should wear appropriate court shoes and gym attire, and should bring a lunch and a water bottle.

Pre-registration is required and space is limited. The cost for this two day camp is To register, please contact 902-955-1205 Noah at alc@annapolisroyal.com.

Theatre Days

FREE theatre workshops for through Young youth Company Productions. Details on page 10.

SUMMER PILATES in Annapolis Royal

Pilates is a body movement discipline that integrates body awareness, stretching, flexibility, core strengthening, and coordination. Pilates is beneficial for all ages/ levels and improves strength, range of motion, mobility and posture.

Pilates classes will run from Wednesday, July 6th to August 10th, 6pm-7 pm in the ARRA Gym (590 St. George Street). For more information, contact Pat Lohrenz at 902-532-1869 or patient-enz@gmail.com. \$5 drop-in or \$25 for 6 classes.

CANgaroo Tennis - Youth Tennis Camp, July 18th-22th at the Annapolis Royal **Tennis Courts**

There will be a Youth Tennis Camp for kids aged 4-12 years, held at the Annapolis Royal Public Tennis Courts. Camp days run from 9am-5pm for a full-day camp, or 9am-12pm for a half-day. The minimum age for a full-day is 7 years as it's a long day with lots of activities. Cost is \$95/week for full-day campers, \$60 for half-day campers. Activities include tennis instruction, competitions, games, multisport activities, and swimming. Equipment provided to those who need it, though campers must bring their own snacks, water, and lunches.

Can't get away from Town for the weekend?? Don't worry! We have a perfect outdoor space for you to escape to, just 5 minutes out of Annapolis Royal Family Nature Day at first Laken 11:00 AM- 3:00 PM Saturday July 2 Drop in at First Lake for a variety Family event- a parent or guardian should accompany all youth participants under the age of 14. Age 14+ can be of activities and games that will get you exploring nature. dropped off. Bring a water bottle, snack, Pre-registration not required, but sunscreen, bug repellant, and appreciated. For more information dress for the weather. Expect to contact Katie McLean (902)-532-7533, katiemclean@annapolisriver.ca get a little messy.

Parking for First Lake is at the carpool lot at HWY 8 &

Please call Noah at 902-955-1205 or email alc@annapolisroyal.com to register, or visit www.cangarootennis.ca for more details.

WASTE COLLECTION PICK-UP Pick-Up Dates: Wednesday, July 13th & 27th

Please contact Valley Waste for all waste related matters: 1-877-927-8300 or see their website for email addresses: www.vwrm.com