



The Town Crier

T O W N O F A N N A P O L I S R O Y A L



Thank You

Many thanks to the efforts of the Natal Day Committee and all of the volunteers and individuals who worked tirelessly to put together another wonderful Natal Days weekend. The weekend would not be possible without your hard-work and dedication! On behalf of Town Council, THANK YOU!

**TOWN HALL WILL BE
CLOSED MONDAY,
SEPTEMBER 5**

Election 2016

The Municipal Election in Nova Scotia is being held

October 15th
(8:00 a.m.-7 p.m.)

Advance Polls are being held October 6, 2016 & October 11, 2016
(12:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.)

Nomination day is Tuesday, September 13, 2016. Papers can be filed at Town Hall between 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. on that day.

You can file your nomination paper early, starting five business days before nomination day, by appointment with the Returning Officer. Candidates are encouraged to file early, so that any potential problems can be resolved prior to the deadline.

How Do I Become a Nominated Candidate for Council?

1. Obtain Nomination Forms and other nomination information (online at www.annapolisroyal.com or in-person at Town Hall)
2. Complete the Nomination Forms
3. Provide a Tax Certificate obtained from Town Hall (\$25 fee)
4. Meet with the Returning Officer to make the nomination official

Please visit Town Hall to ensure your name is on the List of Electors (Voters List). The deadline for revising the list of electors is September 30th, 2016.

Melony Robinson, Returning Officer for the Town of Annapolis Royal
902-532-3147 or finance@annapolisroyal.com

Looking for information on the upcoming election? The Union of Nova Scotia Municipalities has a breadth of information at
<http://www.unsm.ca/municipal-elections-2016.html>

Public Notice:

Nova Scotia

Power will be undertaking maintenance work at the Tidal Plant. This will result in traffic lane closures on the Causeway. Commencing Tuesday, September 6, one lane of traffic will be closed and traffic lights in effect.

The schedule for the short, two lane closures at night will be confirmed later as work progresses.




Thank You!

There are not enough words to convey our sincere thanks and appreciation to the volunteer firefighters who selflessly put themselves at risk to fight the wildfires in August. On behalf of council, staff, and residents a HUGE THANK YOU!

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

Municipal Effectiveness Advisory
Committee
Sept 1st @ 10am

Planning and Heritage Advisory
Committee
Sept 6th @ 9:30am

Committee of the Whole
Sept 7th @ 6pm

Municipal Effectiveness Advisory
Committee
Sept 8th @ 10am

Marketing and Economic Development
Committee
Sept 13th @ 6pm

Waterfront Development Committee
Sept 15th @ 6:30pm

Council
Sept 19th @ 6pm

Municipal Effectiveness Advisory
Committee
Sept 22nd @ 10am

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, 8:30am-
4:30pm

Public Works Emergencies:
Please contact 902-532-8347

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

MOTIONS FROM COUNCIL:

As no meetings were held in August, July's Council motions will be approved at the September 20th Council meeting. Motions will be available on the Town website after September 25, 2016.

TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL NOTICE

NOMINATIONS OPEN

Municipal and School Board 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 15th day of October, 2016:

MAYOR

FOUR COUNCILLORS

For a term of four years

FOR THE TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

And

One REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER

FOR THE ANNAPOLIS VALLEY REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD

for the Electoral District #2 - comprised of Town of Annapolis Royal and Annapolis County Polling Districts: #4, #5, #6, #7, #8, & #10

And

One AFRICAN NOVA SCOTIA MEMBER

For the entire school region

FOR THE ANNAPOLIS VALLEY REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD

And

One Member

FOR THE CONSEIL SCOLAIRE ACADIEN PROVINCIAL

To serve for the Provincial Electoral District of Greenwood comprising the Counties of Annapolis and Kings, District of West Hants, and the Towns of Annapolis Royal, Berwick, Hantsport, Kentville, Middleton, Windsor and Wolfville

AND TAKE NOTICE that a nomination 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 13, 2016, or by appointment during office hours in the five business days preceding nomination day.

AND TAKE NOTICE that electors in the Electoral district comprising the Town of Annapolis Royal and polling districts #4, #5, #6, #7, #8, and #10 of the Municipality of the County of Annapolis will elect one person to be a district member of the **Annapolis Valley Regional School** and a nomination for that office shall be filed at the office of the Returning Officer, Town Hall, 131 Commercial Street, Middleton between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on nomination day which is Tuesday, September 13, 2016 or by appointment during office hours in the 5 business days preceding nomination day.

AND TAKE NOTICE that the electors in the school region served by the Annapolis Valley Regional School will elect one person to be the **African Nova Scotian member of the Annapolis Valley Regional School** and a nomination for that office shall be filed at the Office of the Returning Officer, David Poole for the Municipality of the County of Kings at the Municipal Building, 87 Cornwallis St. Kentville.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that electors in the Provincial Electoral District of Greenwood comprising of the Towns of Middleton, Annapolis Royal, Berwick, Kentville, Windsor, and Wolfville, and the Counties of Annapolis and Kings 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, Carolyn Young, for the Municipality of the County of Annapolis at the Municipal Building, 752 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal.

The required \$200 deposit shall accompany nomination papers for the Annapolis Valley School Board positions, including the African Nova Scotian member and Conseil scolaire acadien provincial member.

DATED at Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia, this 24th day of August, 2016.

Melony Robinson
Returning Officer

**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.

September Calendar of Events

Sept 2	Cow Patty Bingo at the Legion, 4pm	Sept 13	Movie: Sunset Song at King's Theatre, 7:30pm
Sept 2	First Fridays, downtown Annapolis Royal, 6pm-9pm	Sept 17	Slowly I Turn – A Vaudeville - Zuppa Theatre Co. at King's Theatre, 7:30pm
Sept 5	Labour Day	Sept 20	Movie: Dheepan at King's Theatre, 7:30pm
Sept 6	Girls Night at the Legion, 7pm	Sept 24	Concert: Marty Haggard - Songs of My Dad at King's Theatre, 7:30pm
Sept 8	Champlain Garden Club's Monthly Meeting at the United Church, 7:30pm	Sept 27	Movie: Sing Street at King's Theatre, 7:30pm
Sept 9	Concert: JP Cormier at King's Theatre, 7:30pm-9:30pm	Sept 29	Concert: Everything Fitz (Family) at King's Theatre, 7:30pm
Sept 10	King's Theatre's 8th Annual Golf Tournament	Sept 30	Last day of the season at Fort Anne
Sept 12	Pre-school Storytime begins again at the Library, 10am	Further details on events can be found on pages 3-5	

RECURRING EVENTS:

- Tuesdays:** Weekly Fun Pool Tournament at the Legion
Horseshoes / Crib Night at the Legion
- Wednesdays:** Bingo at the Legion
Farmers' Market outdoor at the Market Square 10am-2pm
- 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

FUNDING OPPORTUNITY FOR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

In 2017, Canadians across the country will mark the 150th anniversary of Confederation. Nova Scotia is supporting this event with the creation of the 150 Forward Fund. This fund will provide opportunities for Nova Scotians to create, promote and participate in local and regional events and programs that will build a sense of pride in Nova Scotia, and demonstrate Nova Scotia's vibrant past and promising future.

Application period is from July 1st to Oct 31, 2016. Full details are available at: www.novascotia.ca/150.

Contact: Angela Dennison, Phone: (902) 424-3876 or email Angela.Dennison@novascotia.ca

ANAPOLIS HERITAGE SOCIETY

ANAPOLIS ROYAL • NOVA SCOTIA • CANADA

MEMBERSHIP

The Annapolis Heritage Society depends almost entirely on volunteers and membership in the society. We thank you for your support in the past and we hope you will be able to continue your support.

There are four categories of membership in the Annapolis Heritage Society:

- \$15.00 – Annual individual
- \$25.00 – Annual family
- \$50.00 – Annual business
- \$200.00 – Lifetime patron

Please send your cheque or money order in Canadian funds to:

The Annapolis Heritage Society

136 Lower St. George Street
P.O. Box 503

Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia B0S 1A0

Please make your cheque payable to the "Annapolis Heritage Society."

CALLING FOR A TREASURER

The AHS board of directors needs a treasurer. If you have some financial expertise and have a few hours a month that you can give to our society, please give executive director Wayne Smith a call at 902-532-7754 or send him an email at annapolisheritage@gmail.com.

VOLUNTEERS

We are always on the lookout for volunteers. If you have some extra time, give Wayne a call to let him know if you can give a few hours.



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

BIOGRAPHICA CAROL COLLICUTT



Once, 2016, altered photograph printed on mylar 72.5 x 93cm

AUGUST 28 - OCTOBER 9 2016
OPENING SUNDAY AUGUST 28, 1 - 3 PM

396 ST. GEORGE STREET, ANNAPOLIS ROYAL, NS, B0S 1A0
902-532-7069: ARCAC@NS.ALIANTZINC.CA : WWW.ARCAC.CA



Helen Opie hopes to do Part 2 of sailing to Paradise after Labour Day, weather and success of repairs after sea trials, permitting. This might not be the final part; it might continue into 2017.



Please join us at **Ye Olde Towne Pub** for the delicious food you've enjoyed for 30 years plus enjoy some wonderful new specials over Labour Day weekend!

Summer hours through the end of October; 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. for food service and for bar service, 10 a.m. - until you decided to go home or 2 a.m., whichever comes first.

Located at 9-11 Church Street - across from the End of the Wharf and opposite the Saturday Market.

Bring your friends for good food, good drinks and good times! Phone 902-532-2244 for additional information.

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Weekdays - 2 pm
Lighthouse

25th Year!

Candlelight Graveyard
7 Nights a Week
9:30 pm (Rain or Shine)
Fort Anne

Adults: \$9 13-18: \$5 Under 12: \$3

www.TourAnnapolisRoyal.com

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL BRANCH
285 St. George Street
Phone: 902-532-2226
<http://www.valleylibrary.ca>

**Pre-school Story-
time begins
again on Sept.
12th!**



For Jazz Café Fans,

Wednesday, August 31, 2016 will be our last Jazz Café for the season at North Hills Museum and our feature talent will be Ariana Nasr.

Ariana Nasr loves music, and she is not afraid to show it. Whether she is singing Edith Piaf, an Italian art song or a jazz standard, she will give you everything she's got (and sometimes more). In addition to singing, she also plays accordion, saxophone and violin. She will be presenting a new solo act featuring well-known songs from around the world accompanied by her chromatic button accordion.

The concert will be from 7pm-9pm, and as usual accompanied by the delicious desserts created by Paula Buxton of Leo's Café.

Tickets are \$20.00 each, advance sales only. Please call [902-532-2168](tel:902-532-2168), or email northhillsmuseum@gmail.com

North Hills Museum is located at 5065 Granville Road, Granville Ferry NS

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.**

Weekly Fun Pool Tournament – The Port Royal Branch #21 Legion in Annapolis Royal holds weekly 8 Ball Tournaments each Saturday evening at 7pm. \$5 to play, all proceeds go into prizes. **Open to the public & everyone is welcome.**

Lola's

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200 St George St
Annapolis Royal
902 532 1902

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Soups, salads and loads of sweets and desserts.

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Guardian

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Annapolis Royal, N.S., Canada
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King's Theatre September Schedule

(Check our website for updates -

kingstheatre.ca)

September 09, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:30 PM):

JP Cormier - The Tournament of King's

September 13, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:45 PM)

King's Film Society:

Sunset Song

September 17, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:00 PM):

Slowly I Turn - A Vaudeville - Zuppa Theatre Co.

September 20, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:25 PM)

King's Film Society:

Dheepan

September 24, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:30 PM)

Marty Haggard - Songs of My Dad

September 27, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:05 PM)

King's Film Society:

Sing Street

September 29, 2016 (7:30 PM - 9:30 PM):

Everything Fitz (Family)

The Chocolate Shop & Café

Light Lunches
Coffee & Espresso
Handmade Chocolates

Great Expectations
Books & Antiques

165 Lower St. George Street
902-532-0129

COW PATTY BINGO

Friday September 2nd, 2016
4:00pm at the Annapolis Royal Legion Field

Afternoon BBQ
5 - 8pm
Cow Patty Cookies
Cow Patty Burgers
YUMMY!

Win up to \$1000.00

Support Port Royal Legion Branch #21

Squares: \$5 each or 3 for \$10
(Attendance not necessary to win prize!)

Come have some fun and treats with our new friend Henry the Cow!

SATSO ART GALLERY & STUDIO

Satso (earth lake) Gallery showcases the art work of contemporary artist Sharon Irving-Kennedy and visiting artists.

253 St. George Street
Upstairs
Annapolis Royal, NS
902-526-0881
studio.irvingkennedy@gmail.com

THE ACADEMY
AT ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

CONDO SALES OFFICE NOW OPEN!
590 St George Street / Annapolis Royal
Wed - Fri / 11 - 5
Sat / 9 - 5
Sun / 12 - 5

LIFESTYLE CONDOMINIUMS IN THE HISTORIC HEART OF NOVA SCOTIA

SATSO GALLERY

GROUP ART EXHIBITION
TITLED: "SURFACING",
DATE: AUG.26- SEPT. 25TH.
www.satsogallery.com

Music Lessons

Have you always wanted to learn to play an instrument, or are you looking to brush up on your Guitar/Bass/Mando/Banjo skills?

Annapolis Royal based-musician Alan Jeffries, is now offering private lessons. Alan is a professional musician and graduate of the Sound Engineering Program at the Centre for Arts and Technology.

Best known for his ECMA award winning bluegrass band as well as being a long time member of the David Myles band.

Alan is eager to share his love of music with YOU! Lessons will be starting in September and are open to all skill levels.

Email: Jeffries.audio@gmail.com

First Friday 2016
Annapolis Royal
6pm-9pm
September 2

Celebrate Labour Day

At the Farmer's Market:
7:00pm to 9:00pm - Bishop Mountain Band

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

Around Town:
6:00pm to 8:00pm - Loose Ends Sidewalk Chalk Contest
Loose Ends Parking Lot (Prize!)

6:00pm to 8:00pm - Milo "T" Clown at Tidal Boatworks (the old Irving)
Face Painting with Julia Redgrave
Fort Anne Kite Flying & Playtime on the Rolling Hills!
Graveyard Tour at 9:30pm

Locals 4 Locals Late Night Event around Town
Show your local receipts at participating merchants to get discounts!

Stroll, Shop & Enjoy!

FRIDAY Sep 2

Proudly Sponsored by the Annapolis Board of Trade

Annapolis Board of Trade
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Contact for further information: Holly @ 902-532-2070

FilmBuff is Back and Better than Ever!

Want to know how to turn \$20 to \$49? Become a Film Buff and enjoy discounted admission and free popcorn at ALL Hollywood weekend and King's Film Society screenings. 100% of FilmBuff card sales provide operational support for the historic King's Theatre.

8th Annual Tournament of King's
Saturday, September 10, 2016

On September 8, 2016 at 7:30pm, the Champlain Garden Club will host it's monthly meeting at the United Church, Annapolis Royal (at the traffic lights). George Chisholm will use his wonderful photographic collection to take us on an inspirational gardening trip around the world. Everyone is invited to join us for the evening.

SOFAAR'S members' meeting is September 7th at 6:30pm at ARCAC, featuring Cheryl den Hartog presenting "Iceland through a Fibre Artist's Eyes". SOFAAR's Exhibit, "The Art of Fibre", continues throughout September in The Chapel Gallery at Art's Place, closing on September 25th.

Exciting Funding Announcement

The Town of Annapolis Royal is excited to announce the revitalization of the Waterfront!

Recent funding announcements from the federal and provincial governments are making redevelopment of the waterfront possible. The Atlantic Canada Opportunities Agency is providing \$371,953 in funding at a federal level. Through Communities, Culture and Heritage and the Department of Energy, the Provincial Government has committed to \$150,000 in funding, while the Town of Annapolis Royal will provide \$135,125 toward the project.

This project will include the addition of a new outdoor amphitheatre at Petit Park, upgrades to the boardwalk including beach access, and a platform extension to house the interactive boat building experience (currently located at the Irving lot). A big thank you to the Waterfront Development Committee and everyone who has worked hard to make this a reality! Construction will begin Fall 2016 and continue into Spring 2017.



ABoT News

The September Council meeting of the **Annapolis Board of Trade** will take place on Thursday, **September 8th at 7pm** at PeopleWorx, 326 St. George Street. All members are welcome. With over 125 business and professional members, we are an economic force in Annapolis Royal and District. If you'd like to join us, find the application at <http://www.tradeannapolis.com/boardoftrade/application>



Representing the Annapolis district area since 1946

Band Pie Sale

The Annapolis Royal School Band members are collecting orders for apple pies and bags of apples. If you would like to place an order please contact a musician or call 902-532-0444. Thank you for your continued support!



Volunteer Opportunity Community Ambassador

A volunteer opportunity with Efficiency Nova Scotia is unlike any other you've had. You'll be challenged. You'll be inspired. And you'll be proud. Because whatever your role is here, you'll be making a difference in our customers' lives and their homes.

Our Community Ambassadors are innovative leaders within their communities; they are capable of fostering creativity in others as well as being a catalyst for social change. They are leaders that put people first, encourage involvement, and are passionate and engaging storytellers that lead through personal connection by showing an ability to build strong, meaningful relationships. They also play an active role in supporting energy efficiency and conservation efforts and have a passion for continued learning and skill development.

To be qualified for this role you will have/be:

- Adept at problem solving and creative thinking;
- Strong communications skills, both verbal and written.
- Some experience of Efficiency Nova Scotia's programs and services
- Strong interest in Energy Efficiency.
- Active within your community.

Becoming a Community Ambassador offers the following benefits:

- training and networking opportunities
- Gain and develop skills in energy efficiency and conservation, community engagement, and leadership
- Contribute to building and creating positive change in your community
- Enjoy the flexibility of determining your own schedule, determining how best to apply your skills, abilities and talents and the scope of what you can offer
- Transfer and apply your skills and knowledge working with other Ambassadors and sharing your experiences

If you would like to be considered for this position, please submit your resume and covering letter, in confidence to opportunities@efficiencyns.ca

PARKS CANADA CORNER



Fort Anne – putting her face back on!

Fort Anne's face lift is nearly complete! Behind-the-scenes preparations are underway to start the installation of the new siding on the Officers' Quarters building at Fort Anne National Historic Site. As the siding goes up, you may notice that something is a little off about the colour. Don't worry; while the new siding goes up grey, it will indeed be painted the traditional white!

Seasonal schedule change at Fort Anne and Port-Royal national historic sites

Parks Canada reminds the community that with Labour Day weekend comes the seasonal schedule change at Fort Anne and Port-Royal national historic sites. Both sites will move to a 5-day visitation week and close on Sundays and Mondays for the remainder of the season. This change takes effect Sunday, September 4th. (Sites are closed September 4th and 5th).

Fort Anne's last day for the 2016 season is Friday, September 30th and Port-Royal's is Saturday, October 8th.

Bye, bye exhibits:

Come in for one last look at the Fort Anne exhibits! A major interpretation renewal is underway and brand new exhibits will be installed over the winter. The completely re-vamped Officers' Quarters will be unveiled next summer for Canada's 150th birthday!

Port-Royal Fun Family Day: ***September 10, 2016 **POSTPONED TO** May 27, 2017***
Port-Royal has postponed their Fun Family Day until next season in order to incorporate it into the celebration of the 150th anniversary of Canada. On May 27, 2017 attend our season opening party; a special family day sponsored by the Municipality of the County of Annapolis and co-hosted with Parks Canada.

Next month: more infrastructure projects rolling out at Fort Anne!

TREE NEWS

'Tis the season to think about elm trees again.

Elm trees infected by Dutch elm disease (DED) will display the following symptoms:

-flagging, meaning that single limbs will suddenly turn red

or

-a lot of dieback that seems to develop from the outside in.

In order to slow down the spread of DED, elm trees that are diagnosed will have to be removed during the winter season. Joey Peters, from Atlantic Arborists, will be taking samples of identified elm trees in town. The samples will be sent to a pathologist for confirmation. The drought this year has made trees more susceptible to disease.

September is also a good month to plant trees. It takes careful consideration to decide on where to plant a tree or what species to select.

For any tree related questions, contact Angelika at angelika-waldow@bellaliant.net or 902-220-8638

THANK YOU!

ARTs Unleashed!

A 9 DAY CELEBRATION OF
ART, CULTURE & HERITAGE

Thanks to everyone who made this year's
ARTs Unleashed! Festival possible:
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PARTICIPANTS / ORGANIZATIONS / ADVERTISERS
OUR SUPPORTERS and to the entire
Town of Annapolis Royal and area for
celebrating art, culture & heritage!

Canada

NOVA SCOTIA

Annapolis Royal

Annapolis

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A copy of the 2016 Audited Financial
Statements for the Town of Annapolis
Royal can now be found online at
www.annapolisroyal.com.



LIONS CLUB NEWS

International Literacy Day September 8th. In 1965 UNESCO declared September 8th International Literacy Day to raise awareness of literacy issues and increase education in developing countries. In 2016, the 51st year of the program, our theme is captured by the phrase "the sky is the limit", with emphasis on eliminating the digital divide and promoting student engagement via a digital learning platform. Lions Clubs International, a non-government member of the United Nations, is part of the program. Through the Reading Action Program (RAP), Lions clubs around the world promote literacy and have conducted 84,000 projects with over 6.3 million service hours serving 7.5 million people.

The ability to read and write is the foundation for education and social development. Many adults lack minimum literacy skills and millions of school age children are not attending school to obtain them. Through the Reading Action Program, Lions Clubs have committed to a 10 year program to increase reading and literacy rates. Lions make a difference where there is a need. As part of RAP and Literacy Day, the Annapolis Royal Lions Club has chosen to conduct a book drive in support of our local library.

Remember the more hands that are available, the quicker and better the done will get done. Our Lions Club is looking for new members to serve the community. On September 26th the Nova Scotia Lions District Governor will be the guest speaker at the Club's dinner meeting at the Annapolis Royal Fire Hall. The club invites all those interested in learning about Lionism to contact us to attend. New members welcome! Contact Peter Sleight by September 22nd at 902-532-2846 or petersleight@eastlink.ca

Bad Joke of the Month:

What did the sea say to the sand? Nothing, it simply waved.



The Jacob Tanner Group is thrilled to announce that Condo #21 has SOLD!! The new owners worked with the developers to re-design Condo 302 into a 1718 sq ft residence with two balconies.

Many beautiful condos are still available. If you are interested, please drop into the Sales Center at 590 St. George Street. We are open Wednesday to Friday 11am-5pm, Saturday 9am-5pm, and Sunday 12pm-5pm. Call 902-526-0220 for more information or to arrange for appointments outside of the regular Sales Office hours. You can also visit the website at <http://www.ouracademy.ca> Don't forget, we're at the Annapolis Royal Farmers and Traders Market every Saturday!

Police Statistics for the Month of July

	Nature of the Call
4	Traffic Accidents
3	Speeding
1	Cell Phone
1	Fail to Remain
2	Impaired Driving
4	Parking
13	Warning
7	Liquor
8	False Alarms
1	Possession of Drugs
1	Animal Calls
1	Fail to Comply
12	Assistance to the Public
6	Suspicious Person
13	Criminal Background Checks
8	Thefts
1	Mischief
1	Public Mischief
1	Insurance
Total 86	

POLICE NEWS

Message from the Chief of Police:

A reminder to lock your cars and not to leave any valuables unattended. If you notice any suspicious activity, please contact us.

There are still phone scams occurring in the area. DO NOT give out personal information over the phone. Contact the police if you do receive one of these calls.

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



Active Living News



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

Fall Activity Programming in Annapolis Royal

This fall and winter, Annapolis Royal Recreation will offer adult Field Hockey, Indoor Cricket, Table Tennis, Basketball, Badminton, Volleyball, Indoor Ball Hockey, and Indoor Soccer programs. There will also be Power Hour, Zumba, and Pilates fitness classes offered! The schedule is currently being finalized and will be posted on www.annapolisroyal.com, or please call Noah at 902-955-1205, or email alc@annapolisroyal for more information on rates.

The gymnasium at ARRA is also available for public use Monday through Friday from 10am-12 noon, and 1pm-3pm. The cost of use is \$5/adult per day, with monthly and annual member discounts available. This is a great venue to use to stay active (and warm!) in the upcoming winter months. Please contact Noah to arrange a visit or learn more.

Also, please keep an eye on Facebook this fall for the launch of an Annapolis Royal Recreation page that is separate from the Town's current page. This page will keep you up-to-date on programs and activities, as well as offer resources on fitness, healthy living, and tips on leading an active lifestyle.

Terry Fox Run is September 18! Starts at 1pm at Town Hall

The 35th annual Terry Fox Run will be held in Annapolis Royal on Sunday, SEPTEMBER 18th at 1pm, starting at Town Hall. This is a fun-filled, non-competitive event to raise money for cancer research that celebrates the heroic efforts of this incredible man. To learn more about how the Terry Fox Foundation supports cancer research, view a route map, or download a pledge form please visit terryfox.org or call 1-888-836-9786.

POOL NEWS

The ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Friends of Annapolis Pool Society (FAPS) will take place Wednesday, September 14th at 6:30pm at Town Hall. This meeting is open to the public. If you would like to have more information about how your community pool is run, we would love to see you at the meeting.

FAPS is also actively seeking new board members. The pay is terrible (none) but getting the pool up and running every summer for residents and visitors is a great reward for months of off-season work. We are looking for a treasurer and a vice-president as well as new directors. This is our community pool and it takes the community to run it so please consider giving some time to the pool. For information, please contact FAPS President Christine Igot at christine@latext.com.

Our 2016 pool season has come to an end and it has been a wonderful summer for all of us. On behalf of FAPS, I would like to thank all community members who have financially contributed to the pool through donations to Scotiabank and our pool market table; by coming to our Mother's Day Brunch; by buying swimming passes and by coming to swim.

Other community members contribute in non-financial but very important ways and we never forget them and are very grateful: Rob Lawrie at AHHBC, Donnie Brown and Brown Bros., Danny McClair and Hutchins Pharmacy, Helen Hardy who prepares all the paychecks, Phil Roberts and Wendy Abramson who run the pool market table all season, David Gregory and Independent Grocery, and Kevin McLean at Town Public Works. Thank you to all of you.

FAPS is a not-for-profit, charitable organisation that works to raise tens of thousands of dollars every year to run our community pool. If you would like to know just how much it costs to run the pool for eight weeks, please come to the AGM.

For major financial support, we would like to thank the Town of Annapolis Royal, Annapolis County and THRIVE!, the provincial and federal governments for their summer student grants, RBC Annapolis Royal, Scotiabank Annapolis Royal, and Awesome Annapolis.

Finally, I would like to thank my 2016 volunteer board: Pierre Igot (treasurer), Lynn Longmire (secretary) and directors: Sue Bonnington, Donna Conyers and Starr Cardwell. Our pool is well run thanks to the hard work of our pool manager Susan Robinson-Burnie. And of course our 2016 Life-guard team: Peter Janson (Deck Manager), Gemma Tompkins, Grace-Lyn Longmire, Sam Cooper, Lorena Heubach, Emily Olsen, Finn Hafting and Jillian Hardy.

Thank you all.

-Christine Igot
FAPS President

Volunteers Wanted!- The Annapolis Royal Nursing Home is a 65 bed facility located in Lequille, Annapolis County. Our residents have a wide range of abilities and interests. We are looking for volunteers - be it to spend one-on-one quality time with a resident, a group activity such as cooking, baking, games, crafts, music or telling about a trip, etc. If you are interested, please contact Daphne Fish, Activity Director, 902-532-2240 ext. 238 or e-mail at dfish@macleodgroup.ca.

WASTE COLLECTION PICK-UP

Pick-Up Dates: Wednesday, September 7th & 21st

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