

The Town Crier

TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

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Town Office Hours of Operation The Town Office will

be open
Monday to Friday
from 9am to 3pm

Town of Annapolis Royal 2013/14 Operating Budget Highlights

Tax Rates

Reduction in residential tax rate from \$1.70 to \$1.65 per \$100 of assessed value Maintains commercial tax rate at \$3.15 per \$100 of assessed value

Marketing and Economic Development

\$60,000 in Marketing and Economic Development projects, grants to non-profit organizations and support of local attractions including:

New Year's Levee

Natal Day Fireworks Display and Natal Day Committee

Canada Day Celebrations

Town Crier and Town Newsletters

Christmas Promotions

Historic Gardens, King's Theatre

Board of Trade Visitor Information Centre

The Future of Annapolis Royal Regional Academy, The Explorer, Arts Festival, Saltscape, BandFest, Eggstravaganza, Promotional Materials, Wharf Rat Rally, Queen Annapolis Royal Float, Welcome Wagon, Transit Subsidy, Public Washrooms, County Events Calendar and First Fridays.

Recreation

New half time Recreation/Physical Activity Coordinator in partnership with funding from the Province.

New Council and Friends of Annapolis Pool Society Committee, Trails Maintenance, After School Programs, Tennis court support

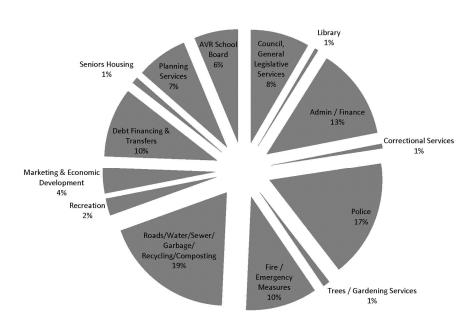
Grants to: the Pool Society and Soccer Association

Planning Coordination and Heritage Properties

These functions will now be provided at your local Town Hall rather than under contract to a municipality outside Annapolis Royal. See article on page 4 for details.

Solid Waste, Recycling and Composting

The Town is joining other municipalities as a member of Valley Waste Resource Management. Information on page 8.



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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 532-2427

Any time, 24 hours a day

MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

Mayor Michael Tompkins mayor@annapolisroyal.com

Deputy Mayor Pat Power pat.power@ns.sympatico.ca

Councillor Sherman Hudson idontknow@ns.sympatico.ca

Councillor Byron Mersereau byron.artown@gmail.com

Councillor Paul Paquette paulpaquette@annapolisroyal.com

> The public is welcome to attend all meetings.

Next Meetings

Planning and Heritage Advisory Committee September 3 at 9:30 am

> Committee of the Whole September 4 at 6 pm

> Marketing & Economic **Development Committee** September 10 at 6 pm

Board of Police Commissioners September 11 at 9 am

> **Town Council** September 16 at 6 pm

Council & Committee Meetings for the Month of August 2013

The Town Council has agreed to suspend all regular meetings of the Town Council and Town Committees for the month of August 2013.

Motions from the Unapproved Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting Held July 15, 2013

MOTION a

It was moved by Councillor Hudson, seconded by Councillor Paquette, to support the resolution "Promoting a Provincial Dialogue on Poverty in Rural Settings" as presented based on the position paper of the work of the Annapolis Valley Poverty Coalition. One nay; MOTION CARRIED.

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Hudson to approve a grant in the amount of \$500.00 to the Natal Days Committee to allocate as they see fit. CARRIED.

MOTION c

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Councillor Hudson that Council direct the CAO to proceed with drafting a new Vending By-law based on but not limited to the model by-law provided by Municipal Relations, to include among other suggested changes: revised and new definitions and prohibitions, and give consideration to a fee structure; and that the first draft of the by-law be placed on the Committee of the Whole September 4, 2013 agenda with the intention of Council giving consideration to first reading of the by-law at the September 16, 2013 Regular Council Meeting. CARRIED.

MOTION d

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Hudson to authorize Mayor Tompkins and CAO St-Amour to sign the Memorandum of Understanding between the Town of Annapolis Royal and the Friends of the Annapolis Pool Society.

MOTION e

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Paquette that Council ratify the electronic poll of July 12, 2013, that Council approve the Fire Department to place a temporary sign at the Fire Hall in the location where the old sign used to be located until such time as a new sign is installed" and to include "the temporary sign shall not be in place for more than 10 weeks". CARRIED. MOTION f

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Councillor Hudson, to recommend approval of the application from the Fire Department that allows the fire department to erect a new sign on Town land subject to the sign being approved by the Development Officer and being fully in compliance with all signage conditions as per the land use by-law. One Nay, CARRIED.

MOTION g

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Hudson that the Town of Annapolis Royal does not want to participate in being a signatory to the transit agreement. CARRIED.

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Councillor Hudson to add a line to the Sandwich Sign Application Form under the fee structure to include "to provide for the occasional promotion of special events by non-profit organizations; normally one sandwich board permitted; the Town Administration may authorize up to three sandwich boards. CARRIED.

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Paquette, that the Town enter into a lease agreement with Café Compose for the seasonal use of sidewalks as a sidewalk café or restaurant as set out in the Streets and Sidewalks By-law of the Town of Annapolis Royal. CARRIED.

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power, that the Town enter into a lease agreement with Bistro East for the seasonal use of sidewalks as a sidewalk café or restaurant as set out in the Streets and Sidewalks By-law of the Town of Annapolis Royal. CARRIED.

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau seconded by Councillor Hudson to approve the application to install a venting sash at 314 St. George Street subject to all regulatory requirements of the building code being met and providing all conditions of the Land Use By-law are met. CARRIED.

It was moved by Councillor Paquette, seconded by Councillor Hudson, that upon presentation of a budget from the Art Festival, approval of an event grant of \$650.00 to be used for art programming. CARRIED.

MOTION m

It was moved by Councillor Hudson, seconded by Councillor Mersereau that Council refund an amount equal to the HST refund portion for the promotional documentary, back to the promotional documentary fund for the purchase of DVD's or other promotional items. CARRIED.

MOTION n

It was moved by Councillor Mersereau, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power that Council meet with the Farmers Market Association for an initial conversation with a view to accomplishing the removal of the vendors from the Farmers Market Parking Lot and move them to Church Street. CARRIED.

MOTION o

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Paquette, that Council approve the Town of Annapolis Royal administration to accept donations for two projects: the Annapolis Royal Wharf Association Wharf Project and the Annapolis Royal Promotional Documentary. CARRIED.

Mayor Tompkins is available at <u>mayor@annapolisroyal.com</u>. Mayor Tompkins will not be available during the month of August, 2013 for his regular visitor's hours of Thursdays, 6-8 pm.

August Calendar of Events

HAPPY NATAL DAYS!	11	Alan Fraser-Two Sunday Evenings with Rachmaninoff. In this	
National Historic District Tour Journey along one of North America's oldest thoroughfares with a costumed interpreter and explore the scenic National Historic District the largest in Canada. 2:00-3:00pm. Cost: \$7.00 Adults, \$3.00 Youth 13-18,		second evening, Fraser combines the same Sonata in D minor, Op. 28, with 5 preludes and Rachmaninoff's other piano sonata, the B flat minor, Op. 32. 8:00-10:00 pm. King's Theatre, For more details visit www.kingstheatre.ca.	
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Market (across from the wharf) 7:00-8:00pm	16	Blue Engine String Quartet The Blue Engine String Quartet strives to be one of Canada's most innovative chamber	
Candlelight Graveyard Tour Fort Anne National Historic Site Come see what everyone has been talking about for the last 21 years! 9:30-10:45 pm. RAIN or SHINE. For more info 902-532-3035 or www.TourAnnapolisRoyal.com	17	ensembles. This is a 'Blue Weekend' event. 8:00-10:00pm. King's Theatre, For more details visit www.kingstheatre.ca. The Hupman Brothers in Concert! Most often, Scott offers	
Encampment Days, evening, at Fort Anne, The 84th Regiment of Foot 2nd Battalion create a vivid picture of the conditions of military life in the 18th century. For more info call 902-532-2397		textured and percussive guitar and bass work and Ryan performs exciting and intricate guitar solos. The second thing you notice is that their music, while steeped in the golden age of Blues, does not strictly adhere to the standard Blues formula. 8-10 pm at King's Theatre, For more details visit www.kingstheatre.ca. More than 70 artists will converge on Annapolis Royal for the annual Paint the Town © event. Throughout the weekend, they will paint or carve or shape iron at various sites around the town. The public is invited to watch the artists at work throughout the day, then view and bid on the newly finished paintings as they are displayed. Most artists are at work by 10 a.m., and final bidding is from 5 to 6 p.m. each day at the Legion. All work produced on Saturday will be sold on Saturday, and the process will begin again on Sunday. A full list of participating artists is available on the ARCAC website, www.arcac.ca.	
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"Black & Blue" Wayne Boucher & Don Pentz, Exhibition Opening Reception, free admission. Artists will be present. 2-4pm, ARTsPLACE Gallery, 396 St. George Street, For more			
Irish music group, "Celtic Shift" Irish Traditions with Modern Verve, will be playing a coffee house at ARTsPLACE at 7:00 pm There will be iced tea and coffee. A free will offering will be	to Sep 2	Annual Photo Contest and Exhibit. The O'Dell House Museum & Historic Gardens are each home to one half of this exhibit. Make sure that you get your vote in for the People's Choice Award. For more info 532-5574 or 532-7018.	
http://arcac-artsplace.weebly.com/eventsworkshops.html. 396 St. George Street, For more information contact arcac.ca / 532-7069	17 & 18	First time in over 100 years we will be playing a cricket match at Fort Anne. On Saturday we will have a series of workshops and training opportunities for those eager to learn. On Sunday beginning at 1pm the Annapolis Royal Gentlemen and Players	
"Pixie Hallow" Stacey Plourde, Exhibition of Photographs, ARTsPLACE Gallery, 396 St. George Street, For more information contact arcac.ca / 532-7069	18	will take on the Invitation 11. For more info 902-532-2397. Construction Traditions at Port-Royal, 1-4pm, Interact with a variety of craftsmen who will demonstrate their skills and share their knowledge of the techniques used to reconstruct the Port-Royal Habitation. For more info call 902-532-2898	
Dancing at the Market Annapolis Royal Farmers' and Traders' Market (across from the wharf) 7:00-8:00pm			
Cheryl Wheeler in Concert! Cheryl Wheeler has to be seen to be appreciated. Nothing you read and nothing you hear from her albums prepares you for how entertaining a performer she is. 8:00-10:00 pm. King's Theatre, For more details visit www.kingstheatre.ca.	19	"Capturing the Light in the Landscape with Watercolor" workshop. Join William Rogers CSPWC TWSA SCA for a workshop in capturing the coastal light of Annapolis Royal in watercolor. Workshop fee per person \$90.00 + hst Workshop Limited to 12 participants. Class times: 9:00am - 4:00pm, For	
The Champlain Garden Club hosts Gail Schwartz, president of the Orchid Society of Nova Scotia. All welcome. 7:30pm at the United Church (by the lights).	25	more info contact arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca 532-7069 "Climbing the Walls" wallpaper design workshop, North Hills	
Jonathan Edwards in Concert! An artist who measures his success by his ability to attract and take good care of an audience, Jonathan maintains that it is the feedback he receives		Museum Family Workshop. This series is for budding artists 5-12 years of age accompanied by an adult. Cost per child \$5.00 Advance Registration required 532-2168.	
after his shows that keeps him going. 8:00-10:00pm. For more details visit www.kingstheatre.ca.	31	Giant Labour Day Weekend Yard Sale on the grounds of the North Hills Museum. Annapolis Heritage Society Community	
Annual Vintage Automobile Show, Enjoy viewing cars and trucks from 1900-1980 while chatting with the owners. All are welcome at this free family event! 1-4pm North Hills Museum. If you have a vehicle you would like to bring, please call the museum at 532-2168.		Yard Sale. Everyone welcome! No charge for a table, please book your space in advance. Call 902-532-2168 or email northhillsmuseum@gmail.com.	
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The Annapolis Royal Police Department dealt with the following complaints during the month of June

- 1 Mental Health Act
- 2 Disturbing the Peace
- 2 Other Provincial/Territorial Statutes
- 1 Controlled Drug Substance Act
- 1 Mischief
- 1 Suspicious Person
- 2 False Alarms
- 6 Assistance to the Public
- 1 False Fire Alarm
- 1 Weapons (lock down drill)
- 16 Criminal Record Checks
- 2 Motor Vehicle Accidents
- 5 Speeding Summary Offence Tickets
- 10 Summary Offence Tickets
- 3 Town Parking Tickets
- 10 Motor Vehicle Warnings
- 1 Off Road Vehicle
- 3 Verbal Warnings

Check out our facebook page at annapolisroyalpolicedepartment

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

PLANNING COORDINATION SERVICES: Town of Annapolis Royal

EFFECTIVE AUGUST 6, 2013

Planning Technician Keith Saunders will coordinate the delivery of Planning and Development Services for the Town of Annapolis Royal. Keith is located in the Town Hall in Annapolis Royal and will continue to provide GIS, Mapping and Civic Addressing Services to the Towns of Annapolis Royal, Bridgetown and Middleton, as well as GIS and Mapping services to the Municipality of the District of Digby.

> His contact information is: 285 St. George Street,

P0 Box 310, Annapolis Royal, NS B0S IA0

Phone: 532-3145 Cell: 955-1436 Email: mapping@annapolisroyal.com

Pick up and drop off of forms and payments will be at Town Hall. Municipal Planning Strategy and Land Use By-Law documents, as well as application forms for permits, planning amendments and heritage alterations can be found on the Planning Services website at www.avilu.ca.

Reminder to Residents:

The Town of Annapolis Royal wishes to remind residents that development and building permits are required for any construction project, regardless of size. In addition, heritage approval may be required.

Whether you are renovating an existing building, constructing a new house or just putting up a baby barn, you need to obtain a permit before starting the job. Permits are required for small-scale projects such as signs, decks, porches, swimming pool fences and garden sheds, as well as for repairs, alterations, additions, or demolition of existing buildings. A development permit is also needed for a "change of use" such as a new business.

Call the Annapolis Royal Police Department

If you witness drivers of vehicles who may be intentionally driving poorly and you have the opportunity to record the license plate number and/or type of car and/or description of driver; call it in. The Police can locate the individual with this information. Let's make our Town streets safe.

Utility Account Payment

If you are making payments online for your utility payments please confirm that you are using the correct account number. Your account number is the 3 digits in the Utilcode and Civic Address Box (as shown below). Use only the 3 digits before the decimal, 123 in the example here. Payments made with the wrong account number will be returned as of August 30, 2013. If you have any questions about your number please let me know. Sandi Millett-Campbell 532-3148

accounting@annapolisroyal.com

Utilcode No. and Civic Add.

00000123.00

1 St George Street

DID YOU KNOW? . . .

The Town has a policy regarding sandwich boards. Find out more at

www.annapolisroyal.com



NATAL DAYS SOCCER TOURNAMENT 2014?

Due to unfortunate circumstances there will not be a Natal Days Soccer Tournament this year. The Marketing and Economic Development Committee of the Town of Annapolis Royal is looking to create a new Natal Days Soccer Tournament in 2014. If you are interested in organizing the soccer tournament please contact the

Town Office at 532-2043 or Email

admin@annapolisroyal.com





Summer is here

Come out and enjoy our patio experience Now carrying Propeller Brewing Company Beer on tap and bottle

Bistro East

is now offering breakfast. Summer hours are 8am-10pm 7 days a week. Please come in to join us. Live music continues, every Friday & Saturday night, now 7pm-9pm. *We now have Customer Loyalty Cards for free pizza & coffee*

Hansi Gerold-Murphy CH, RHN, DOMP Osteopathic Manual Practitioner

Combining osteopathic treatment with herbals, homeopathics and lifestyle changes to enhance your health and wellness.

Located in the Kerr House, at the Historic Gardens. 467 St George Street Annapolis Royal, NS 526-0899 Sweet Pea Esthetics Annette Earley - Clinical Aesthetician 467 St. George Street Ph: (902) 532-8559 By Appointment Only



Annapolis Valley Regional Library - Annapolis Royal

Animation Workshop, August 6th, 1:00-2:30pm, Join us for this 1½ hour workshop and create your own interactive stories, games and animations. Use computer software to think creatively and work with others. Ages 10-17

Watch it GO! August 12th, 11:00 am to 12 noon, We'll have a whole hour of building, creating and playing with things that move. You'll take home a few toys that will have you shouting, "Watch it GO!" Ages 6-10

3D Imaging, August 13th, 1:00-2:30 pm, Learn to use a 3D imaging program and create your own 3D image, create your own action figure, model vehicle, the possibilities are endless. We'll then send your creation away to be printed or "produced". Ages 10-17

Lego Stop Motion Flick, August 20th, 1:00-3:00 pm, Be creative and have some fun! As a group we'll design the set and characters with Lego, along with a story-line. Take some pictures and transform them into a stop motion flick. Ages 7-10 **Ancestry Workshop**, August 27th, 1:00-2:30 pm, Learn to use Ancestry.com and learn about your family history.

Mrs. Nicholson

Mrs. Nicholson

"New" Vintage Home Decor! Expect to find furniture, lighting, art, pillows and other accessories from the 1930s to the 1980s. The store is located downtown at 212 St. George Street, next door to Far Fetched and across the street from Bainton's. Hours are 10 am to 5 pm Tuesday to Saturday and noon to 5 pm on Sunday. Mrs. Nicholson Home is closed on Mondays.

Nova Scotia Tourism Agency has launched a new Blog

New inTouch feature stories are now available on the NTSA corporate website at novascotiatourismagency.ca, along with the latest research, marketing activities, and industry tools and resources.

http://novascotiatourismagency.ca/intouch/2013/07/welcome-intouch

Submitted by Paul Stackhouse



To all residents of Annapolis Royal Want to make someone's day and it doesn't cost you a cent?

During the months of **July and August**, when in downtown doing whatever, just say "**Good morning** "or "**Good afternoon**" as the time of day suggests, **To everyone you meet** on the street....friends, neighbours, locals, visitors, young and not so young. You don't have to stop and talk, just smile and as you pass say **Good morning/Good afternoon**. The feel good effect will be felt by both you and the recipient of your greeting.

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Port Royal Legion for the month of August 2013:

Mondays - Bridge @ 1:15 pm Tuesdays - Senior Pool @ 1:00 pm Wednesdays - Bingo @ 7:00 pm

Natal Day Events:

available at the Legion)

Friday 2nd August - Karaoke Finals 9:00 pm - 1:00 am - \$5.00 admission

Friday 2nd August - BBQ 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm - \$8.00 plate (includes Boneless chicken breast, potato salad, coleslaw, tomato, lettuce)

Saturday 3rd August - Pancake Breakfast (pancakes, bacon, sausages and hashbrowns) - 8:30 am - 11:00 am - \$7.00 Adults, \$5.00 Children under 12, or Family of 4 (2 parents & 2 children) \$20.00 Saturday 3rd August - Dance 9:00 pm - 1:00 pm - Featuring Jokers Right - \$10.00 a ticket (tickets

Sunday 4th August - Horseshoe Tournament 10:00 am - 4:00 pm - Registration at 10:00 am with Start time at 10:30 am

Sunday 4th August - BBQ 12:00 pm - 3:00 pm - \$8.00 plate (includes Boneless chicken breast, potato salad, coleslaw, tomato, lettuce).

Annapolis Heritage Society

Saturdays 10am-noon: Join us at the O'Dell House Museum on Saturday mornings for candle dipping and traditional crafts.

Saturdays 2-3pm: Hewing to the Line: at the Sinclair Inn Museum we will have demonstrations of hand hewing and squaring timbers.

Sundays 2-4pm (except July 7): The O'Dell House Museum is once more the site for traditional children's crafts. Try papermaking, ink made from berries and a variety of other crafts.

Watch for details on our presentation of **Washing Soldiers, 1797** on the O'Dell House Museum Stage. This popular play by local writer Kent Thompson is coming back for a summer revival.



Save the Date!

8:00 pm August 22, 2013 St. Lukes Church 340 St. George Street Annapolis Royal!

Spend a lovely evening with Fred and Julia of Castlebay Music! Wonderful celtic music played on Harp, Fiddle, Guitar and Flute!

Tickets are \$10 in advance available at Westside Studio. \$12 at the door!

For more information call Caroline at 532-0275



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ARTs Unleashed!

in Annapolis Royal

ARTs Unleashed! is coming to Annapolis Royal. This 8-day celebration of the arts will kick off with Paint the Town on Saturday, August 17 and end on Sunday, August 25. Throughout the week, arts-related activities are planned throughout the Town. If you, or an organization you know, would like to participate by offering an activity or event, please contact Grace Butland at 532-1611 or grace.butland@bellaliant.net.

For more information on specific activities, please contact the sponsoring organization/business. For general information about ARTs Unleashed!, contact Grace Butland. For Schedule of Events visit www.annapolisroyal.com. ARTs Unleashed! gratefully acknowledges support from the Town of Annapolis Royal and Destination Southwest Nova/ Nova Scotia Tourism.



For seniors

- A safe, supervised, and enriching afternoon
- An opportunity to keep active and maintain independence
- A chance to socialize and exercise
- A respite opportunity for caregivers Come and enjoy and afternoon of fun!
 Monday and Thursday afternoons 1 to 4 pm at the Annapolis Royal Nursing Home

Cost \$5.00

(A nutritious snack will be served)
For more information call
Jane MacKay, Coordinator 532-8389

Join us for The

5th Annual Tournament of King's

our annual fundraiser for King's Theatre in Annapolis Royal. Saturday September 14, 2013, Annapolis Royal Golf and Country Club Help us Keep the Curtain Up at King's Theatre

Information: Lesley Crysler, 532-1932, or King's Theatre, 532-7704

golfkingstheatre@gmail.com www.kingstheatre.ca



Farmers' and Traders' Market

Every Saturday at Market square from 8:00am to noon. Featuring the Town Crier at 10am. Musical entertainment. Every Wednesday during August 10am – 2 pm. For more information, contact Corinne at 245-4824.



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There will be a Swim a thon August 9th-10th, 5pm to 5pm at the Annapolis Community Pool. Swimmers and sponsor donations needed. Please contact the pool at 532-1777 for sponsor sheets to participate or to sign up to sponsor a swimmer.

Outdoor Soccer

Wednesday @ 7 pm at the AWEC fields, anyone can play ages 15+ free

Contact Brian Gibson 532-1954

Tree news for August 2013

It's August. We have had a hot and humid summer so far, good growing conditions for trees. August is the time to look out for signs of Dutch elm disease in our elm trees. Usually it starts with "flagging" in the crown. Suddenly one limb or more will start wilting and turn red. We have had hardly any trees last year that were infected. Some of the larger trees were injected with Dutch Trig, a tree vaccine. We still have to keep an eye on all elm trees. If you have any concerns or need more information email angelika-waldow@bellaliant.net.

I have also seen evidence of apple borers on some of the crab apple trees. If you have a young apple tree, you can check for holes in the trunk. Sometimes you can save the tree just by removing the larvae.

During the summer months especially keep your young trees well mulched...it is so simple but makes such a difference. The tree will thrive and grow faster and it prevents it from damage around the roots and the trunk. Another side effect is that you spend some time with the tree and it is easier to notice any problems that might be there....roots, trunk, leaves....but don't suffocate the tree, give the tree lots of breathing space directly around the trunk. The tree can't be buried deeper than where the roots start. And enjoy the rest of the summer! Angelika

Changes to Waste Management

Over the past number of months, Council has considered options for greater efficiency, effectiveness, and improvements to the way the Town's composting, solid waste and recyclables are being managed, and also in response to some residents and businesses concern with waste management including the condition and location of green garbage dumpsters.

To address this issue and manage waste overall, effective October 1, 2013 Annapolis Royal is slated to become a partner with Valley Waste-Resource Management – joining the Towns of Berwick, Bridgetown Hantsport, Kentville, Middleton and Wolfville, as well as the Municipality of the County of Annapolis and the Municipality of the County of Kings. This partnership will come at no additional cost in tax rate to the taxpayer.

Valley Waste will manage all aspects of waste collection and launch an information program to inform residents and businesses of details about solid waste management, composting and recycling pickups. Public meetings will be held and information packages will be available for everyone.

Please watch the Town website, the Annapolis Spectator and your mailbox over the coming months for meeting details and information packages from Valley Waste Resource Management.





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Garbage and Recycling Collection Days 2013

Picked up bi-weekly on Tuesdays; please note garbage must be at the curb by 8:00am.

Community Compost Bins

Looking for the Community Compost Bins? ... They are located at the public works yard and the leaf waste drop off site.

August 2013	September 2013
Tues Aug 13	Tues Sept 10
Tues Aug 27	Tues Sept 24

For more information on garbage and recycling collection please visit www.annapolisroyal.com/collection.php

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