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WHAT'S UP ANNAPOLIS?



February is African Heritage Month. This year, the provincial theme is 'Our History is Your History', chosen by the Province as a way of recognizing "the unique story of African Nova Scotians and how this story is interwoven throughout the past, present and future of all Nova Scotians. The theme reminds us that when we all acknowledge and understand the truths of our shared history through awareness, cooperation, dialogue and learning, we will be able to facilitate positive change in Nova Scotia." Stay tuned for happenings in Annapolis Royal to celebrate African Heritage Month.

The Town of Annapolis Royal invites you to attend the grand opening of its new Community Hub and celebrate completion of the Academy repurposing project – now site of the new Annapolis Royal Regional Library, Innovation Lab, Community Program Rooms, and 38 adjoining condominium residences built by Jacob Tanner Developments. The event will take place at the Library, 143 Ritchie Street, **February 15th at 11am**. Join us in celebrating the collective efforts of everyone involved in creating this fantastic new space! Please RSVP by February 12th to phmc@annapolisroyal.com or 902-532-3145.

Thank you to the many volunteers who worked to once again make December's Parade of Lights a fabulous event. The event kicks off the holiday season and it would not be possible without the efforts of volunteers.

Council and staff would like to say thank you and farewell to the Town's CAO, Gregory Barr. After four years with the municipality, Greg will be moving on to other ventures in February. We wish him well!

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE



This combined Town Crier for the months of January and February isn't intended to suggest that there is less to do in Annapolis Royal during the winter. Nothing could be further from the truth. While some businesses close during the winter months, many others remain open and embrace the charm of winter in Annapolis Royal amidst the sparkle of lights along St. George Street and in Market Square.

Whether it's shopping, restaurants, movies, musical performances, enjoying a drink or coffee with friends, performing or singing along at an open mic night, or tobogganing

in the snow at Fort Anne National Historic Site, there are lots of options. What better way to cap off the day than by a romantic evening stroll along Annapolis Royal's magnificent waterfront and historic streetscapes?



COMMUNITY

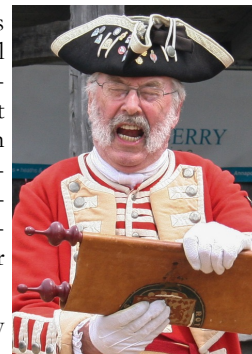
Lions News

The Annapolis Royal Lions Club will be holding its annual Melvin Jones Founder's Day Dinner on Monday, January 28, at the Annapolis Royal Fire Hall at 6:30pm. This is the time we honor the creation of our association over 100 years ago, which led to the creation of the world's oldest and largest service organization. The association became international in 1921 when the Detroit Lions chartered the Windsor Lions. To complement this event we will be inducting Paula Longmire as our newest member and presenting certificates of appreciation to three community volunteers. Donations from the Lions made in January include \$100 to our international foundation and \$250 to our bursary winner.

The Lions will recognize World Childhood Cancer Day, on February 15th. Childhood cancer is an international theme that our association supports. Each year our club makes an annual donation to the IWK in support of this cause and this year we will be making an extra donation to support the Nova Scotia Lions construction of a new chemo room.

Lions International has declared February as Hunger Awareness Month and on February 25th, at our monthly dinner meeting, we will promote this cause with a guest speaker and a food donation.

For more information, contact Peter Sleight at 902-532-2846 or email petersleight@eastlink.ca.



Need Assistance with Income Taxes?

Does the thought of income tax season make you feel colder than the weather? Well, there might be some help available to you. Canada Revenue Agency (CRA) sponsors a service called the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP). This is a free, that's right FREE with no strings attached, income tax preparation service for individuals who meet the criteria. If you are single with an income under \$30,000, or part of a couple with a combined income of under \$40,000, with a simple tax situation, you may be eligible. Tax preparation clinics will start in February, dates and locations to be determined. For more information, or to get your name on a list to be contacted, call Janet at 902-532-7284 or e-mail incometaxhelp@eastlink.ca.

"Everything you've ever wanted is on the other side of fear." - George Addair



COMMUNITY



Exciting New Initiative

Clean Annapolis River Project (CARP) and Bluenose Coastal Action Foundation (BCAF) are teaming up to support communities across southwest Nova Scotia to better manage storm water and improve water conservation practices.

Storm water runoff is a threat to water quality, as it transports pollutants directly or indirectly via sewer systems into lakes, rivers and streams, increases rates of shorelines erosions, warms surface water, and overwhelms sewage treatment facilities. Property owners should be concerned with storm water because of the potential for basement flooding, erosion and other damage to infrastructure.

Climate change requires that citizens and governments take action to ensure that our freshwater resources are managed in a sustainable and responsible manner. CARP and BCAF are recruiting homeowners to participate in a home assessment program that will identify actions to improve the management and use of freshwater on their properties. Assessments will focus on water consumption and storm water runoff issues in order to identify conservation and management options.

The home assessment program is open to residents of Annapolis, Digby, Kings, Yarmouth, Shelburne, Lunenburg and Queens Counties. This is a FREE program made possible thanks to the financial support of Environment and Climate Change Canada.

If you would like to learn more or pre-register for the program, contact Sam Hudson at samanthahudson@annapolisriver.ca or 902-532-7533.



Friends of the Annapolis Pool Society (FAPS) News

FAPS continues to seek new members to our board who are interested in year-round volunteering to support this amazing facility. We welcome newcomers to a board meeting March 26th, in Council Chambers, to kick off the 2019 pool season.

What's to look forward to: fundraiser updates; 2019 summer positions to be posted (March); a call for interest of unfilled executive positions & volunteers; 2019 pool brochure & schedule; and more.



Tree News

We are very lucky to have so many trees in Annapolis Royal and it is hard to imagine the town without them. We are committed to sustainable management of the town forest which includes the protection of the old trees and replanting of new ones.

With elm tree protection in mind, the Town has supported an elm tree management program for several years now, including strict sanitation measures and injection of selected trees. The good news is that in 2018 there was no incident of Dutch Elm Disease in Annapolis Royal! Furthermore, with the help of high school students approximately 25 new trees have been planted over the last two years.

Last summer we started monitoring for Emerald Ash Borer (EAB), a beetle that is a threat to ash trees. You may have noticed large green triangular pheromone traps that were hanging high up in some of the ash trees. The traps have a scent that attracts the beetle to the sticky surface. At the end of the season they were taken down and analyzed by an entomologist. To date, no EAB have been found. There is concern about this beetle showing up in this area, therefore it is better to be prepared. The Emerald Ash Borer has been found in Bedford /Halifax and it has devastating effects on all ash tree species. The Centre of Geographic Sciences (COGS) in Lawrencetown has offered to work on an ash tree inventory as a student project this winter before the trees leaf out. Students will use survey equipment to map the trees and they will need to step on Town residents' property to do their job. They are advised to knock on your door when they come around and be respectful. A good map will be an important tool for managing this pest and we thank you in advance for your understanding.



Mash-up Lab Weekend

Have a business idea? Want to explore bringing it to life with like-minded entrepreneurs? AIRO (Annapolis Investments in Rural Opportunity), in partnership with PeopleWorks and Common Good Solutions, is presenting a Mash-up Lab Weekend on January 26th in the Auditorium Room at the new Annapolis Royal Public Library. This is a full-day event with registration beginning at 8am, and the day ending at 6:30pm. Refreshments and lunch will be provided. Register at mashupweekend.com.



Port Royal Legion #21 Events - Perpetual

Bingo – Bingo every Wednesday evening, starting at 7pm. Please arrive early to buy ticket books.

Weekly Fun Pool Tournament - Weekly 8 Ball Tournaments each Tuesday afternoon, starting at 1pm. Just \$5 to play!

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 biweekly challenges!** Every two weeks a new subject is drawn to produce in the medium of your choice (participation voluntary). (Drinking not required!).

Weekly Music - Great local musicians play a music set from 8pm – 10pm (or later) each Friday night. Don't forget that we have Happy Hour each Friday from 6:30pm–8pm and cocktail specials each Friday and Saturday night See the schedule on our Facebook page or drop by the Legion for more info.

Weekly Fun Open Pool - Weekly 8 Ball fun pool afternoons each Saturday, starting at 1pm.

All events are open to the public & everyone is welcome.

The oldest record of a valentine was a poem Charles Duke of Orleans wrote to his wife when he was imprisoned in the Tower of London in 1415.

GET MOVIN'



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

Now accepting Volunteer Week nominations!

Volunteer Week is April 7-13, 2019. Please visit annapoliscounty.ca to nominate someone. The deadline is February 8th. If you have any questions, please call Noah at 902-955-1205, or email alc@annapolisroyal.com. Don't miss out on this opportunity to nominate your favorite local hero!

Yoga – Vinyasa Flow and Meditation

Yoga with Julie officially starts January 10th and runs throughout February. All levels of experience are welcome, and you can join any time. Thursdays 10am-11am at the Academy Gym; \$72 for 6 classes or \$15/class. Please call Julie at 902-532-0539 for more information or to pre-register.

Moonlit Snowshoe Trek at the French Basin Trail – February 15

Bundle up for a moonlit snowshoe trek (or hike) and bonfire at the French Basin Trail to celebrate the February "Snow Moon". Snowshoes will be available, and warm refreshments served. Meet at the Skate park, 112 Prince Albert Street, at 6pm. Pre-registration is greatly preferred, so please call Noah at 902-955-1205 or Nadine at 902-526-2907 to let us know you'll be joining the fun.

Annapolis Royal Recreation on the Web

For up-to-the minute updates on recreation activities, events, and fun in Annapolis Royal, please visit annapolisroyal.com, under the Residents/ Recreation/ Recreation/ Recreation Programs and Events page, or like @AnnapolisRoyalRecreation on Facebook.

For more information on these and other recreation programs and events, please call Noah at 902-955-1205 or email alc@annapolisroyal.com.

CHIEF'S CORNER



Chief T.G. (Tim) Moser

Happy New Year!

I hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday season. For all intents and purposes, things were very quiet in Annapolis Royal this past holiday season. Unfortunately, we cannot say that for places outside of our community so it is with that in mind that I remain very thankful for the safe and secure environment that we enjoy and not to be taken for granted.

As you try to remain successfully committed to your new year's resolution, I hope that you also remain committed to assisting your police department in keeping our community safe. Sometimes our enforcement may seem trivial due to the perceived lack of seriousness of the matter but it is important to remember that a lack of action on the part of your police department sends the message that we are not doing our job or seem biased on our approach. Regardless of the seriousness of the laws we are all bound to obey it is important to know that action will be taken by your police force and the appropriate remedy will be dispensed. Please be vigilant, respectful, and help keep Annapolis Royal safe and tranquil by obeying all laws – even if deemed minor.

I would like to remind you that February is African Heritage Month. Last year I mentioned two women who were influential African Nova Scotian's - Rose Fortune and Viola Desmond, who is now featured on our new \$10 bill. I think it only fitting to remind everyone of the extraordinary contributions made by our very own Daurene Lewis. Although she is no longer with us, she was a woman of many accomplishments and firsts; not only for Annapolis Royal but also for Nova Scotia and Canada. Also, a very good friend of Ms. Lewis is the former Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, Mayann E. Francis, the first female of African descent appointed Lieutenant Governor in Canada. I would also like to highlight Malcolm Francis, Chief of the Annapolis Royal Volunteer Fire Department until most recently. Chief Francis has been a long time member of the volunteer fire department and was Chief for many years. He should be commended for his leadership and also deserves to be acknowledged for his commitment and loyalty to our community.

By all accounts, 2019 is expected to be a very busy and interesting year. While there is uncertainty in national and international events I hope this will be a very prosperous and influential year for us as Canadians, Nova Scotians, and Annapolitans.

Emergency Line: 911

General Police Line: 902-532-2427

Office Location: 285 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal (right side of the Town Hall)

Social Media: Contact us on Facebook @ARPoliceD or on the Town of Annapolis Royal webpage

CRIMESTOPPERS: 902-422-8477 OR crimestoppers.ns.ca

Police Statistics for the Month of December	
Nov	Nature of the Call
1	Impaired Driving
2	Speeding
1	MV Registration
5	Parking
5	Warnings
2	Other Motor Vehicle
2	Checkstops
3	False Alarms
23	Assistance to the Public
16	Property Checks
3	Criminal Background Checks
1	Thefts
1	Mental Health Act
1	Uttering Threats
3	Misdialed 911
1	Wellbeing Check
70	TOTAL

What did the tree say after a long winter? What a re-leaf.



Warm up your winter with us!

- Jan 10th - Pasta Night
- Jan 25th - Robbie Burns Night - A Kings Theatre Fundraiser
- Feb 14th, 15th & 16th - Valentines Day - Dine & Dream
- Feb 18th - Cooking with Chef Chris
- Feb 28th - The Bombay Festival - A Night of Indian Cuisine

You will see us closing to the public to complete minor renovations from:
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Warton Willie, Canada's famed groundhog, is so beloved and popular that the Town of Warton has branded the town "Willie's Basecamp" and in 1995 erected a statue in his honour.

TOWN HALL... STAY CONNECTED

Town Hall will be closed Monday, February 18 for Heritage Day

January/February Town Crier Newsletter

Please note that the next edition of the Town Crier newsletter is a combined issue of the months March and April. The submission deadline for March/April is February 15th and can be sent to admin@annapolisroyal.com.

Donations and Grants Applications

Organizations wanting to apply for donations and grants from the Town of Annapolis Royal are reminded that the application deadline is January 31, 2019. Full details can be found at <https://annapolisroyal.com/donations-grants-policy/>.

COUNCIL MOTIONS CONTINUED:

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-23

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to re-appoint Pat Power as a council representative on the Annapolis Royal Wharf Association for a one-year term, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-24

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint Sandi Millett-Campbell as Civic Addressing Coordinator for a one-year term, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-25

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to re-appoint Chris Millier as Development Officer & Planner for a one-year term, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-26

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to re-appoint John Kinsella and Owen Elliot as council members; Byron Mersereau as a citizen member, and Melony Robinson as a staff member of the Investment Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-27

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to direct staff to approach the Nova Scotia Electoral Boundaries Commission, requesting that they schedule a public meeting in the Town of Annapolis Royal. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-28

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to create a new line item for an Ash Tree Preservation & Replacement Program for the 2019/20 fiscal year budget. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-29

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power that Council request the Environment Advisory Committee prepare a comprehensive report with respect to single use plastic bags for consideration by Council. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-30

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford that the applicant at 240 St. George Street be given heritage approval for an addition 56' x 24' with asphalt roofing, wood windows, and painted wood siding to match current building, as detailed in the application AR18-035-HER, providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-31

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot that the applicant at 240 St. George Street be given heritage approval to remove and relocate the back ell and reuse as a storage unit, as detailed in the application AR18-035-HER, subject to the ell remaining on the property at 240 St. George Street and further details of the appearance are submitted, and providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-32

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power, to approve the financial support of \$400.00 to the Touring Annapolis Venue Guide project. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-33

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to refer the proposed volunteer coordinator position back to MEDC for further research and consideration. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-36

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to appoint Heather Sprague as a member of Planning and Heritage Advisory Committee, effective immediately for a two year term ending December 31, 2020. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-37

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to appoint Connie Arnold as a member of the Marketing and Economic Development Committee effective immediately, for a one year term ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

"Remember that not getting what you want is sometimes a wonderful stroke of luck." - Dalai Lama

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Board Members Required: The Town of Annapolis Royal has three board member positions available. One year terms on the **Marketing & Economic Development Committee**, **Investment Committee**, in addition to the **Department of Justice** appointee for the **Board of Police Commissioners**. The Town of Annapolis Royal values a diverse and inclusive volunteer base. We encourage applicants from underrepresented groups to self-identify. For more information visit annapolisroyal.com or contact Town Hall.

The Natal Day Committee is seeking volunteers. Contact Holly Sanford at hsanford@annapolisroyal.com.

The annual Easter Eggstravaganza is in need of helping hands, even if you can spare a couple of hours. Contact Sandi Millett-Campbell at 902-532-3145 or phmc@annapolisroyal.com.

Does your organization have volunteer roles to fill? Contact us at admin@annapolisroyal.com to list details in the Town Crier newsletter.

JOB ADVERTISEMENT

Is your organization looking to hire? If so let us know and we will include it in our next edition! Send your information to admin@annapolisroyal.com

WASTE COLLECTION PICK-UP

Pick-up dates: Jan 23rd, Feb 6th, & Feb 20th. Please contact Valley Waste for all waste related matters: 1-877-927-8300 or see their website for email addresses: www.vwrm.com



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COUNCIL MOTIONS



Council December 17, 2018 (From Unapproved Minutes. Approval of minutes will occur at the next Council Meeting)

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-03

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Elliot that Council approve that the solicitor representing the parties in the Valley Waste IMSA is authorized to amend Section 21 to provide the Authority the ability to issue quarterly invoices in advance; amend Schedule B Budget Cost Shares to remove the Municipality of Annapolis County and reallocate percentages among the parties, delete references to Municipality of Annapolis County and Hantsport, and to authorize the Mayor and CAO to execute the amended IMSA, provided that the changes to the IMSA in no way removes the financial obligations from the County of Annapolis. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-04

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to accept the three amendments to the Travel Policy as presented in the Request for Decision dated December 6, 2018, which is compliant with the newly formed travel/expense policy legislative requirements as provided by the Department of Municipal Affairs. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-05

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to accept the adoption of the Hospitality Policy as presented, with an effective date of January 1, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-06

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint Owen Elliot and Pat Power as council representatives, and James McGinis as a citizen member of the Board of Police Commissioners for two-year terms, ending December 31, 2020. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-07

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to re-appoint Owen Elliot and Holly Sanford as council members; Amy Barr, Kenneth Knox, and Chris Hopkins as citizen members of the Marketing and Economic Development Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-08

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to re-appoint Holly Sanford and John Kinsella as council members, and Barry Moody as a citizen member of the Planning and Heritage Advisory Committee for two-year terms, ending December 31, 2020. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-09

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint Owen Elliot and John Kinsella as council members of the Traffic Flow Advisory Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-10

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford that Bill MacDonald and Pat Power be re-appointed as council members; Jane Nicholson, Alyn How, Brian Bohaker, and Paul Paquette as citizen members of the Municipal Effectiveness Advisory Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-11

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to re-appoint Holly Sanford and John Kinsella as council representatives on the Annapolis Pool Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-12

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint Holly Sanford and John Kinsella as members of the Human Resources Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-13

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to re-appoint John Kinsella as a council representative on the Twinning Committee for a one-year term, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-14

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to re-appoint Pat Power and Bill MacDonald as council representatives on the Regional Emergency Management Office Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-15

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint Pat Power and Bill MacDonald as council representatives on the Annapolis Partnership Steering Committee for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-16

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to re-appoint Pat Power as a council representative on the Annapolis Valley Regional Library Board for a one-year term, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-17

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot to re-appoint Pat Power as a council representative on the Friends of the Library Liaison Committee for a one-year term, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-18

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint John Kinsella and Owen Elliot (as an alternate) as council representatives on Valley Waste Resource Management Board for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-19

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to re-appoint Peter Davies as the Town Crier and Valerie Davies as consort for the Town of Annapolis Royal for one year, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-20

It was moved by Councillor Sanford, seconded by Councillor Elliot that Hank Sawchuck and Alfred Doucet be re-appointed as Fire Inspectors for the Town of Annapolis Royal on a fee-for-service basis for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-21

It was moved by Councillor Elliot, seconded by Deputy Mayor Power to re-appoint Alfred Doucet and Cathy Barr as Building Inspectors for the Town of Annapolis Royal on a fee-for service basis for one-year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2018-DEC-17-22

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power, seconded by Councillor Sanford to re-appoint James "Zak" Rose and Tanichia Hamm as the Animal Control Officers for one year terms, ending December 31, 2019. **Motion Carried.**

Did you know the coldest day in North America was on February 3, 1947 in Snag, Yukon? It was a frigid -63 degrees.

EVENTS FOR THE MONTH

Monthly events in and around Annapolis Royal. Please forward March/April submissions by February 15th to: admin@annapolisroyal.com.

JANUARY

Jan 19th

Stage to Screen:: Mozart's Magic Flute—Met Opera / 2pm / King's Theatre

Annapolis Innovation Lab: Useless Skills / 2pm-4pm / Innovation Lab, Community Hub / Ages 12+ years

Jan 20th

Film: Free Solo: Climbing the 3,000ft el Capitan / 2pm / King's Theatre

Jan 21st

Reel Art: Money—The Magic of Water & Light / 7pm / King's Theatre

Jan 22nd

Innovation Lab: Annapolis Makers / 6pm-8pm / Innovation Lab, Community Hub / Ages 12+ years

Skywatch Under Cover: Talk on Astrophotography / 7pm-8:30pm / Innovation Lab, Community Hub / Ages 12+ years

Jan 25th

Robie Burns Night Scotch N Haggis / 6pm / Fort View Golf Course / Tickets through King's Theatre

Jan 26th

Annapolis Innovation Lab: Useless Skills / 2pm-4pm / Innovation Lab, Community Hub / Ages 12+ years

Jan 27th

Rolston String Quartet / 2pm / King's Theatre

Jan 28th

Reel Art: Our City Dreams / 7pm / ARTsPlace

Jan 29th

Innovation Lab: Annapolis Makers / 6pm-8pm / Innovation Lab, Community Hub / Ages 12+ years

Jan 30th

Make an Edge-lit Greeting Card / 6:30pm-8pm / Library, Community Hub / Ages 16+ years / Pre-register online or at 902-532-2226

FEBRUARY

Feb 1st

Film: Green Book / 7pm / King's Theatre

Feb 3rd

Film: Green Book / 2pm / King's Theatre

Feb 4th

Reel Art: Degas—Passion for Perfection / 7pm / King's Theatre

Feb 8th

Movie: Aquaman / 7pm / King's Theatre

Kidcraft / 3:30pm-5pm / Library, Community Hub / Ages 8+ years

Film: Maudie / 7pm / Library, Community Hub

Feb 9th

Concert: Ian Sherwood & Luke McMaster / 7:30pm / King's Theatre

Incredible Edibles, Art, & Collectables Craft Fair / 12pm-5pm / Legion

Feb 10th

Movie: Aquaman / 7pm / King's Theatre

Feb 11th

Reel Art: Our City Dreams / 7pm / ARTsPlace

Paint Like Maud / 6:30pm-8pm / Library, Community Hub / Ages 15+ years / Pre-registration Required

Feb 15th

Grand Opening of the Community Hub / 11am / 143 Ritchie Street / RSVP to 902-532-3145 or phmc@annapolisroyal.com

Feb 20th

Artists' Talk: Maintaining Maud's Captivity / 1pm-2:30pm / Library, Community Hub

Feb 22nd

Movie: The Favorite / 7pm / King's Theatre

Feb 23rd

Trent McClellan's Laugh Every Day Tour / 7:30pm / King's Theatre

Feb 24th

Movie: The Favorite / 7pm / King's Theatre

RECURRING

Winter Farmers Market / Sat 9am-12pm / Historic Gardens

West Annapolis Chess Club / Thurs 6pm-9pm / Rotates between Bridgetown and Annapolis Royal / Chess for all ages and levels, beginners welcome / Info: tfeloc@hotmail.com

Monday Morning Storytime / Mon 10am-11am / Library, Community Hub / Pre-school children

Knitty Teens / Fri 4pm-5pm / Library, Community Hub / Supplies provided for first project

UPCOMING MEETINGS

*Open to the public
Agendas available online*

Municipal Effectiveness Advisory Committee
January 24th @ 6 pm

Council
January 21st & February 19th @ 4 pm

Planning & Heritage Advisory Committee
February 4th @ 9 am

Committee of the Whole
February 7th @ 4 pm

Marketing & Economic Development Committee
February 12th @ 6 pm
Budget Meetings: February 20th & 26th @ 6 pm

Environment Advisory Committee
February 13th @ 3 pm

UPCOMING COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Friends of the Annapolis Library:
Annual General Meeting
January 22nd @ 7pm
Community Program Room, Community Hub (Library), 143 Ritchie Street

If you have any upcoming Community Meetings please let us know! You can email them to admin@annapolisroyal.com

For example: AGM Events

Legion events: see page 3 for recurring events and Facebook for details on their other events.

All King's Theatre events:
www.kingstheatre.ca

For more details & up-to-date events, visit the online Community Calendar at annapolisroyal.com.

****Please note that the Community Hub refers to the Library, Innovation Lab, and Program Room located at 143 Ritchie Street**