

MONTHLY ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR RESIDENTS AND VISITORS
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Cedar Wax Wings - French Basin Trail, Annapolis Royal. Photo by **Ronnie d'Entremont**
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WHAT'S UP ANNAPOLIS?

Happy Birthday CANADA!

This year in the Town of Annapolis Royal: a day long scavenger hunt, family fun and photo booth at Fort Anne, live bands at the "O", a free swim at the Annapolis Royal Pool, tours and more for Canada Day - see annapolisroyal.com for full schedule!

Once again performances at the Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre will keep us entertained all summer long; continuing into July with Music at the "O" every Friday night and Saturday afternoon, Dancing at the "O" with Durline Melanson every second Thursday and live performances from Bill Mac every Tuesday. Find details and up-to-date event listings on the online Community Calendar at annapolisroyal.com.

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Submissions are welcomed and deadlines vary monthly, with the deadline for the August edition being July 19th. Please contact admin@annapolisroyal.com or 902-532-2043 if you have any questions.

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Police Non-Emergency:
902-532-2427

Public Works Emergency:
902-532-8347

MAYOR'S MESSAGE



June 21st marked the summer solstice, the longest day of the year, and annual observance of National Indigenous Peoples Day in Canada.

A time of celebration, it is also a time of reflection. A celebration of First Nations heritage and culture from coast, to coast, to coast - that also recognizes hard truths about a colonial legacy that continues to harm and impact relationships between indigenous and non-indigenous people.

In claiming this place as the cradle of our nation, we are speaking of a nation of people - not a construct of boundaries or politics. A nation of people that arose out of those who gathered upon these very lands. From the Mi'kmaq who occupied these lands for thousands of years, and with other first people are the foundation of our nation, to all those across the centuries who gathered here under a diversity of flags and beliefs.

Politics created the Dominion of Canada in 1867 - and regrettably enshrined a colonial posture of supremacy over indigenous people. Canada needs to reconcile its relationship with indigenous people, and reject any remnants of colonial prejudice or discrimination in its policies and practices.

COMMUNITY

Annual PRIDE Parade

PRIDE Annapolis Royal 2019 is July 27th. At 11:00 am, members of the 2SLGBTQ+ community, their supporters and allies, will gather at the Rainbow Crosswalk next to Market Square and parade up St George Street to the waterfront amphitheater for a day of PRIDE events. Details TBA.

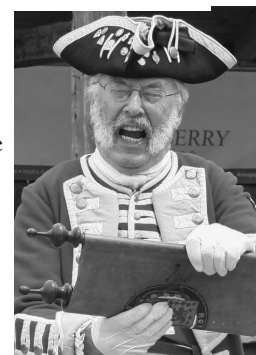
Flower Show and Dessert Tea

Port Royal Legion, July 13th from 2:00pm - 5:00pm. See beautiful flower arrangements and specimens at the Champlain Garden Club's annual Show and Dessert Tea. Tea with savories and homemade desserts served until 4:00pm. \$7 entry, \$25 prize to winning youth flower arrangement. Garden raffle.

To the Moon and Back

June 22, the launch of the Chick IV, marked ARSA (Annapolis Royal Space Agency) plans for their first manned launch. Town Crier, Peter Davies selflessly volunteered to be the inaugural passenger aboard a Chick Mission. "It's an incredible privilege to be the very first Town Crier in Space" said Davies.

As stated by ARSA: famous paintings have been sent to space, but never before has one been created OUT there! ARSA set out to become the first agency to create a painting as the probe returned to earth. This unique work of art and ARSA 360VR footage, with Davies aboard, will be on display as part of the month-long exhibition *To the Moon and Back* at ARTsPLACE. For more information please visit arcac-artsplace.weebly.com or Facebook: ARTsPLACEGallery



Folklore: Dog Days bright and clear, indicate a happy year; but when accompanied by rain, for better times, our hopes are vain.

COMMUNITY

The Historical Association of Annapolis Royal celebrates its 100th Anniversary

Saturday July 20th 9am - Sunday July 21st 5:30pm join Parks Canada on Parks Day to help celebrate the 100th anniversary of a very special community partner, The Historical Association of Annapolis Royal (THAAR). Bring the whole family, take a guided tour, rent an interactive tablet, fly a kite, play some croquet or enjoy a scenic picnic overlooking the historic Annapolis River. **FREE admission.**



Animal Hospital Open House

Port Royal Animal Hospital invites you to our OPEN HOUSE on Tuesday, July 2, 2019 @ 12-4 pm. Celebrating 15 years in beautiful Annapolis Royal! Join us for refreshments, pet photo booth, and more. Although we welcome you and your pets alike, for safety reasons we request that dogs be controlled on leash and realize more non-K9's would rather not partake in festivities :)



The Annapolis Board of Trade

The Annapolis Board of Trade (ABoT) is excited to announce the launch its new Business Awards program. The Nomination Package, with full details and the application form is on the Annapolis Board of Trade website under Business Awards at: www.tradeannapolis.com

Starting immediately until August 31st, everyone is encouraged to think of local businesses to nominate in the following categories: ***Excellence in business, Rising star Award for new business, Outstanding customer service Award, Hospitality & Accommodation industry Award, The not-for-profit of the year Award.*** *All the Nominees and the Winners will be announced at the Annapolis Board of Trade Business Expo on September 28, 2019.



Lions News

The Annapolis Royal Lions Club will be highlighting the work of the Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) as they enter their 51st year of service. Over the years the foundation has awarded over one-billion U.S. dollars through the issuance of over 13,000 grants focusing on vision (preventing avoidable blindness) to millions, youth creating emotional and social learning programs, disaster relief -approving immediate emergency and long-term grants to cope with natural disasters.

In Canada LCIF has been there when needed and here in nova scotia funds have been granted toward helping the deaf repair and recycle hearing aids for those in financial need and a life skill *train-the-trainer* program for youth.

On July 13th the Annapolis Royal Lions will be hosting a fundraising event at the Annapolis Royal Fire Hall from 10am - 3pm. Please come out and support your community needs and enjoy a hot dog BBQ, cakes, musical entertainment, Lion's information, including LCIF info and a motor bike and auto display.

If you are interested in serving the community trough joining the lions, please contact club president Peter Sleight at 902-532-2846 or email petersleight@eastlink.ca.



Port Royal Legion Branch #21 Events - Perpetual

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

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 7pm-9pm (or later) each Friday night. **Chase the Ace Draw** will be at 8pm sharp, arrive early to purchase your tickets. 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.

Civil War Admiral, David Farragut famous for yelling "Damn the Torpedoes, full speed ahead!" Was born on July 5th, 1801



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

Friday, July 12, 9AM – The Heartland Tour is coming to Annapolis Royal!

The Town of Annapolis Royal and County of Annapolis are proud to welcome the 2019 Heartland Tour back to Annapolis Royal! This is a 25 or 50km cycling event that begins in Annapolis Royal at the Farmers Market Plaza and makes the loop to either The Habitation or Bridgetown, then returns to Annapolis Royal. Registration is FREE at www.heartlandtour.ca. Even if you don't wish to participate in the full cycling trip, there will be guided walks and kids' bike rides around Town, displays with information on improving your health, and info on recreation opportunities and fun stuff for kids. Join us! It's free!

The Annapolis Royal 5K Road Race is Sunday, September 1!

There will be a new 5K Road Race in Annapolis Royal on Sunday, September 1st, 2019. Registration is now open. Run past historic buildings, ocean views, and maybe nab some great prizes. To register, please visit: www.raceroster.com/events/2019/21614/annapolis-royal-5k

For additional information about these and other recreation programs, please call 902-955-1205 or email alc@annapolisroyal.com

CHIEF'S CORNER



Chief T.G. (Tim) Moser

Well, no one says that change is easy, but we can all agree that change is constant. Of course, I am referring to the recent traffic change to Victoria, St Anthony, and St George Streets. We have been monitoring this area since the change and have issued several verbal warnings for those who have been driving in auto- mode. Please be aware that you are responsible for your driving and need to be vigilant particularly when it comes to traffic signs whether permanent or temporary. Also, basic rules of the road apply with respect to any intersection with more than one stop sign. As new drivers you would have learned about "Right of Way". When stopping at an intersection where more than one stop sign is posted "Right of Way" is giving to the first person who reached

the stop sign. If you reach the intersection at the same time as someone else – you must "Yield Right of Way" to the person on your right. Please be aware of your surroundings and obey all traffic signs particularly at St George and St Anthony Street where there are 3 crosswalks and a reduced line of sight. Failure to stop at a stop sign can result in a fine of \$180 for the first offence and loss of points. This includes "rolling through a stop sign". I would like to welcome Constable Matt CALDER as the newest member of the Annapolis Royal Police Department. Matt is replacing Constable Sarah ROBICHEAU who left us for Kentville Police Service at the end of June. Matt hails from the Halifax area and is a recent graduate of the Atlantic Police Academy. Welcome Matt and we wish the best to Sarah in her new position with Kentville. I would also like to introduce Mitchell Creighton and John Burton who will be training with us for about 5 weeks – both are cadets from Ravensburg College in Halifax.

July promises to be very busy with several public events in addition to many visitors to the area – please be vigilant and drive with extra caution to allow for the increase in vehicle and pedestrian traffic.

Have a safe and happy 152nd Birthday Canada

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 May

#	Nature of the Call
0	Traffic Accidents
0	Insurance
0	Fail to Remain
1	Driving Disqualified/ Unlicensed
1	Impaired Driving
1	Speeding
0	MV Registration
0	Suspended Driving
2	Parking
6	Warnings
3	Other Motor Vehicle
3	False Alarms
1	Lost & Found
24	Assistance to the Public
24	Property Checks
4	Criminal Background Checks
0	Thefts
0	Firearms Act
1	Suspicious Person
71	TOTAL

Did you know... Scottish settlers arrived at Pictou, Nova Scotia in the Month of July, 1773

EVENTS FOR THE MONTH

Monthly events in Annapolis Royal. Please forward August submissions by July 19th to: admin@annapolisroyal.com.

July 1st

Canada Day Celebrations / All Day / Town of Annapolis Royal / visit: annapolisroyal.com for full schedule

July 1st

Free Canada Day Swim / 2-5pm / Annapolis Royal Pool / FREE ADMISSION

July 3th

Lunar Art with Ted Lind / 2pm - 4pm / ARTsPLACE

July 5th

Outdoor Movie: Plan 9 from Outerspace / 8:45pm / ARTsPLACE

July 5th

First Friday Swim / All Day / Annapolis Royal Pool / 2-for-1 Admission

July 5th & 19th

Karaoke Night with Theresa Porter / 9pm - 12pm / Annapolis Royal Legion / \$3 cover

July 6th

LOS PRIMOS 2019 / 7:30pm / King's Theatre / Tickets at Kingstheatre.ca or 532 - 7704

July 7th

42nd STREET (Stage to Screen) / 7pm / King's Theatre / Tickets at Kingstheatre.ca or 532 - 7704

June 23rd to July 21st

Lunar Art with Ted Lind / 2pm - 4pm / ARTsPLACE

July 13th

Capturing the Sun, Cyanotype Workshop with Bonnie Baker / 10am - 4pm / ARTsPLACE

July 13th

NUA / 7:30pm / King's Theatre / Tickets at Kingstheatre.ca or 532 - 7704

July 14th & July 21st

NEW LIFE CHURCH - Gospel Concert / 4-5pm / Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre (The "O")

July 16th

The Silver at North Hills - Salt Box Talk Lecture Series / 7pm / North Hills Museum / \$6.00

July 17th

Night Hike with Paul Lalonde / 8:30pm - 10:30pm / ARTsPLACE

July 19th

KFS Special Presentation: Apollo 11 (2019) / 7:30pm - 9:03pm / ARTsPLACE

July 20th

HMCS - Acadia Senior Band / 1-2:30pm / Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre (The "O")

July 20th

KITCHEN PARTY: Celebrating Duncan Draper / 7:30pm / King's Theatre / Tickets at Kingstheatre.ca or 532 - 7704

July 25th

Christmas in July Swim / All Day / Annapolis Royal Pool / 2-for-1 Admission

July 27th

PRIDE Parade / 11:00am / St. George Street

July 27th

Bob Marshall and The Basin Street Blues Band / 12:30-3pm / Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre

July 28th

Anne Glover - AR Recreation Kids' Concert / / Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre

July 28th

TOMAS KUBINEK - MIRICLE MAN / 7:30pm / King's Theatre / Tickets at Kingstheatre.ca or 532 - 7704

July 29th

Through the Decades Wedding Dress FASHION SHOW / 2:30pm / St. Andrews United Church / Tickets: \$15

Recurring

Saturday Farmers Market / Sat 8am-1pm / Market Square

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

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

Annapolis Innovation Lab: Open / Mon 1pm-4pm; Wed 10am-2pm; Sat 10am-2pm / Community Hub

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

Annapolis Innovation Lab: Annapolis Makers/ ARSA / Tues 6pm-8pm / Community Hub / Ages 12+

Kniterati / Wed 6:30pm-8pm / Community Hub / Open to all knitters and fibre artists

Knitty Teens / Thurs 3:30pm-4:30pm / Community Hub / Beginners welcome

ARSA - Annapolis Royal Space Agency / Thurs 6pm-8pm / Community Hub

Upcoming meetings

*Open to the public
Agendas available online*

Planning & Heritage Advisory Committee
July 3rd @ 9am

Traffic Flow Advisory Committee
July 11th @ 10:30

Committee of the Whole
July 4th @ 4 pm

Marketing & Economic Development Committee
July 9th @ 6 pm

Board of Police Commissioners
July 10th @ 9 am

Environment Advisory Committee
July 10th @ 2 pm

Council
July 15th @ 4 pm

Upcoming community Meetings

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

ARCAC (ARTsPLACE) events:
arcac-artsplace.weebly.com

All Community Hub events:
www.valleylibrary.ca/calendar/

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

TOWN HALL... STAY CONNECTED

Town Hall will be closed Monday, July 1st for Canada Day



August Meetings

Please note that there will be no council or subcommittee meetings held during the month of August.



Street Closures

St. George Street will close at 11:00 am for the second Annual Pride Parade on July 27, 2019.

St. George Street will close at 5:30 pm from Victoria Street to Drury Lane for a street dance on Friday August 2, 2019.

Streets will be closed during the Annual Natal Day parade from 1:00 - 2:30 pm on August 5, 2019.



2019 Women of Excellence Awards

The Town of Annapolis Royal would like to congratulate Jane Nicholson on being awarded the Community Leader for Betterment at the Annapolis Valley Chamber of Commerce 2019 Women of Excellence Awards!



TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL NOTICE NOMINATIONS OPEN



Municipal By-Election

TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned will accept nominations for the following office in the Town of Annapolis Royal for which a by-election will be held on the 14th day of September 2019:

ONE COUNCILLOR
For a term of one year
FOR THE TOWN OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

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, August 20, 2019, or by appointment during office hours in the five business days preceding nomination day.

DATED at Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia, this 5th day of July 2019.

Melony Robinson
Returning Officer

Volunteer Opportunities

Valley Restorative Justice is seeking volunteers to the Nova Scotia Valley Restorative Justice Program. Volunteers must be 19 years and over and be willing to provide a Criminal Record Check. For more information please call Lisa MacDougall at 902-679-0650, toll-free at 1-888-679-065 or email valleyrj@ns.sympatico.ca.

The Environment Committee is seeking a volunteer. Contact Councillor Holly Sanford at hsanford@annapolisroyal.com.

The Audit Committee is seeking a citizen volunteer. Contact Director of Finance Melony Robinson at finance@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 Advertisements

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: July 10th & 24th
Please contact Valley Waste for all waste related matters:
1-877-927-8300 or see their website for email addresses: www.vworm.com

July, originally known as Quintilis (the 5th Month in the Roman calendar) was later named in Honor of Julius Caesar who was born on July 12th after January and February were added.

COUNCIL MOTIONS

Council May 21, 2019 (From Approved Minutes)

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-04

Councillor Kinsella moved council approval of Valley Waste Capital and Operating Budget; Deputy Mayor Power seconded for purpose of discussion.
Budget Discussion Ensued. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-05

It was moved by Councillor Kinsella and seconded by Councillor Sanford to recommend that council adopt the changes to the Facility Usage/ Rental Policy No 2018-12 and the subsequent appendices. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-06

It was moved by Councillor Kinsella and seconded by Councillor Sanford to support the King's Theatre washroom up to \$2,000. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-07

It was moved by Deputy Mayor Power and seconded by Councillor Kinsella to write-off roll 00092398 and roll 04997409 interim taxes in the amounts \$680.85 and \$2,419.20 respectively for the Town of Annapolis Royal's Town owned properties. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-08

It was moved by Councillor Sanford and seconded by Councillor Kinsella that the applicant at 170 St George Street be given heritage approval to install a projecting wall sign as detailed in the application AR19-010-HER, providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-09

It was moved by Councillor Kinsella and seconded by Councillor Sanford that the applicant at 18 St James Street be given heritage approval to relocate the current shed, add a new work shed 12' x 20' and increase the footprint of the back ell including the use of wooden windows and doors, as detailed in the application AR19-011-HER, providing the requirements of the Land Use By-Law are met. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-10

It was Moved by Deputy Mayor Power and seconded by Councillor Kinsella to table the motion until Councillor Elliot, Chair of the Board of Police Commissioners has an opportunity to provide input on the new design of Police branding. **Motion Carried.**

MOTION #C2019-MAY-21-11

It was moved by Councillor Kinsella seconded by Councillor Sanford that the Leaf and Yard Waste site be open from 9:00 am until 3:00 pm daily, 7 days a week; have staff explore the possibility of alternative sites and hold a public hearing on this issue in June.

Discussion ensued.

Motion Carried.

July 16th, 1969 - The Apollo 11 Lunar landing mission began with a liftoff from Kennedy Space Center at 9:37 am

Flower Show and Tea



**Saturday, July 13
2 - 5p.m.**

**Legion Social Centre
Annapolis Royal**
Sponsored by the Champlain
Garden Club




Indulge in a bowl of our award winning chowder.
2019 Taste of Nova Scotia Winner - Chef Chris Pyne

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**BISTRO
EAST**

According to The Old Farmer's Almanac, the Dog Days of summer are traditionally the 40 days beginning July 3 and ending August 11, which coincide with the dawn rising of the Sirius, the Dog Star.