

The Key

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Updating Nackawic on Recreational, Social, and Cultural Activities

TOWN HALL OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday - 8:15 am - 4:30 pm

Council meetings for the month will take place on Monday, March 2nd & 16th at the Town Hall. Council meetings are open to the public and are called to order at 7:00 pm. No matter shall be placed on the agenda for consideration at any regular Council meeting unless the request for consideration of the matter is received by the Chief Administrative Officer, in writing, before 12:00 noon on the Friday preceding the day on which the meeting is to be held.



Water & Sewer payments can now be added to your bill payments on your online banking. Town of Nackawic-Water and Sewer is the name of payee. Please call the Town Office to find out if your bank is on the list.

DOG TAGS



2020 Dog Tags are available at Town Hall. The cost for dogs that have been vaccinated, spayed or neutered is \$15.00. Section 3.01 of By-law S-12 states, "No person who is a resident in the Town of Nackawic shall own a dog without having a valid license for that dog under this by-law". Fines for not having a dog tag start at \$25.00.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Please be advised that the Public Works Garage is open from 7:30 am to 4:00 pm, Monday – Friday. By-law T-1, states, "During the months of December, January, February and March, between the hours of midnight and 7:00 am, no person shall stop or park a vehicle unattended on any street in the town." Vehicles will be towed at the owner's expense.



As spring is approaching, we're all eager to renovate or start construction. All development and construction projects in Nackawic are overseen by Regional Service Commission 11 Planning and Development. If you have any questions regarding Nackawic Building By-Law B1 or building and development permits, please call the RSC 11 at 453-2956 or the Town Office at 575-2241.

NEWS ON THE RECREATION FRONT



FREE PUBLIC SKATING - Wednesday, Thursday & Fridays, from 1:00 - 2:00 pm, also Saturday and Sundays; we ask that you call for exact times, there could be time changes due to scheduling. For your safety we ask that you wear a helmet. Looking for a group activity? Call and book ice time!

End of Ice Season – will be Sunday, March 22nd.
Western Valley in Motion Sr. Winter Bowling – Woodstock on Thursdays – March 19th and April 16th 10:00 am until noon with light refreshments! Please wear indoor shoes.
For more information contact the Rec Department at 575-2241 or email randywilson@nackawic.com or follow us on Facebook.



Take Off Pounds Sensibly meet every Tuesday night at the Nackawic Baptist Church on McNair Drive. Weigh in from 5:00 – 6:15 pm and meeting at 6:30 pm. If you have any questions, contact our leader Pam Billings at 575-2574.



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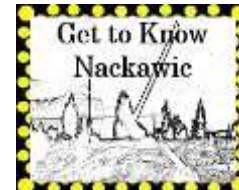
WHERE: Waterfront Pub
WEEKLY DRAW: Thursdays from 5:30-7:00pm
HAPPY HOUR: 4:30 – 7:00 pm

- Weekly prize.
 - Tickets sold at Water Front Pub each Thursday between 5:30 – 7:00 pm. (Draw shortly after)
 - Cost is \$5 – 1 ticket
\$10 – 3 tickets
\$20 – 7 tickets
 - If winning ticket does not come forward within 15 minutes another ticket will be drawn.
- Sponsored by Nackawic Fire Dept. & Waterfront Pub.

NACKAWIC PUBLIC/SCHOOL LIBRARY



Story Time on Wednesday, March 4 at 10:30 will be a Beach Party! Pretend you're on March Break down south – beach themed games, stories and crafts. In the afternoon, from 2:00 – 5:00, kids are welcome to drop in and use any of our S.T.E.A.M. kits to have fun with science, technology, engineering, art, and math.



Whether you're a newcomer or a long-timer, do you really know what's available to you in your community? Drop in on Thursday, March 19 between 6 – 8 pm and find out! Service clubs, businesses, wellness groups, library programs, and much more. Come on in and meet some of the people in the community who provide these services. Also check out our genealogy collection to learn a little of the history of the area. Light refreshments will be served. Everyone welcome!



Snowshoes: Do you know you can now borrow snowshoes at the library? We have 6 adult pairs and 4 child pairs that you can borrow for lots of family fun! Thinking of buying a pair but not sure if you'll like it? Borrow ours first to help make your decision. Remember, more than just books at your library! We also have cake pans and puzzles you can borrow.



Thursday Evening Game Night: There will be lots of board games, etc. set up in the Reading Room and main library space for adults and children of all ages to enjoy. You can also come in and work on puzzles if you wish. Make Thursday nights at the library a regular outing for your family!

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You can help your library by purchasing a number (1.00 per week) – a very easy way to have a chance at a 50/50 draw every week, AND to help your library purchase new books and other items for the community to borrow at no cost. Last month's winners – Phi Leger; Dilys Toole and Dawn MacFarlane.



Wednesdays at 10:30 am. Join Nanny Dee for stories, games, songs, action rhymes and crafts. Children of all ages are welcome!



Every Wednesday after school S.T.E.A.M. (Science; Technology; Engineering; Art; Math) based programs for school aged children. These free programs are fun and educational as the kids get to play with robots, electronic circuits, art projects and games.



Browse'n Café: Fridays at 11:00 am – Join us for a hot or cold beverage and a sweet treat and see what is new at the library.
Knitting Group: Thursdays at 2:00 pm – bring your knitting or other needlework and enjoy the company and a tea!

LIBRARY HOURS:

Mon., Tues., Wed., Fri.: 9:00 – 1:00 and 2:00 – 5:00
 Thursday: 12:00 – 5:00 and 6:00 – 8:00

FREE
Income Tax
Preparation



CABIN FEVER



MyGym. Each month a name will be drawn at random.



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| • President: | Ralph LeBlanc | 575-2366 |
| • Treas. – Sec.: | Ross Carruthers | 575-2139 |
| • Service Officer: | Roger McMillan | 575-2317 |
| • Poppy Chair: | Joyce Hape | 575-8680 |



NHS is partnering with the New Brunswick Association for Community Living in their Cash for Clothes fundraiser. This is an opportunity to clean out your closets of unsoiled, non-ripped clothing, shoes, accessories and blankets and donate them to NHS, who will in turn give them to NBACL for a cash return. All funds raised will be used for student wellness activities. Bags of items can be dropped off at NHS until March 13. (School will be open during March Break).



NHS 2020 Prom Committee will be selling tickets on a basket of gift cards, apparel, food, business merchandise and much more valued at over \$1000. Tickets will be 1 for \$2 or 3 for \$5. Please contact the school if interested in tickets. The draw date will be in early April. Thank you for your support.



The North York Christian men's group meeting will take place Thursday, March 26th at Burt's Corner Baptist Church at 7:00 pm. Men from all denominations are welcome. For more info call Ralph LeBlanc at 575-2366 or email oldskier@rogers.com.



Save the Date! Saturday, March 7. Annual Poker Rally – everyone welcome! Registration will be at Waterfront Pub and MOCO Mactaquac, between 11 am – 1 pm. Regular menu items will be available at both locations. Things are a little different this year, watch for further details in the emails from the Club or Facebook. Follow us on Facebook or email info@snodrifters.ca if you are interested in receiving club emails.

LIONS CLUB

Shuffleboard - is held on Mondays at 1:00 pm.

Senior exercises - Tuesday and Thursdays at 10:30 am. **Cards (crib)** are held Tuesday at 1:30 pm.



If you want to book the bowling allies for a birthday or an adult party, contact Kara Good at 262-0924 after 4 pm on weekdays and weekends. She is replacing Shelby Christie.



Saturday, March 14th from 8:00 to 10:00 am, by donation. The profits will go between the Lions Club and Mason's Masonic Lodge. Come out and support a worthy cause.



Saturday, March 28th from 7:00 – 9:30 pm with a snack at 8:00 pm. Cost is by donation and all profits are being donated to IWK. Come out and enjoy an evening of music and dancing.

For Hall Rentals contact Brian Toole at 575-2885 or 461-0095 and for Health and Welfare contact Sharon Berube at 575-8464.



Nackawic High School continues to participate in the New Brunswick International Student Program with four students from Germany, Turkey and Brazil attending school this semester. We are currently seeking host families for the 2020-2021 school year.

Placement can be for a full-year, half-year or short term (8 weeks). Visiting students live with a host family, attend regular classes at Nackawic High School and participate in extra-curricular and community activities for the duration of their visit. A host family does not need to have a child who currently attends school. There is also a financial incentive for host families to help hosting an International student next year, or if you would like more information about the responsibilities of host families, please contact Sean Newlands at 575-6041 or email at sean.newlands@nbed.nb.ca



Will be held at St. Simon & Jude Catholic Church on Friday, March 6th at 2 pm. For more information call Rita Ouellette 575-8376 or Pat Lawson 575-8162. Everyone welcome!

St. Simon & Jude CCW 50/50 Bingo is back! Monday, March 2nd at 7:00 pm at the Lions Centre. Please note change in day. More players the bigger the pot! Everyone welcome!



The 5th annual music festival will take place at Nackawic Baptist Church on Monday, April 6 (approx. 9 am-4 pm) and Tuesday, April 7 (8:45 am-4 pm).

Irma Mulherin will adjudicate all music and speech disciplines during the festival. Donation at the door and programs are \$2. All proceeds go to the music festival. A variety of performers will be invited to return to perform in the Showcase of Talent on Thursday, April 9 at 6 pm at Baptist Church. Admittance/programs is a donation. Everyone welcome! A huge thanks to our financial supporters and volunteers! If you would like to make a donation contact Melissa Lagacy at 575-9626 or nackawicmusicfestival@gmail.com. Follow us for more info at www.facebook.com/nackawicmusicfestival.

Morning Out



Moms and Tots (birth-K) runs each Tuesday morning from 10:00 - 11:30 am at the Nackawic Baptist Church. For more information call Evelyn Rossiter at 575-8717.



Notices for non-profit groups can be faxed to 575-2035, e-mailed to townhall@nackawic.com, or mailed to Town of Nackawic, 115 Otis Drive, Nackawic, NB E6G 2P1. The deadline for submissions is the 24th of each month. Find The Key at www.nackawic.com.