



# The Key



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### TOWN HALL OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday – 8:15 am – 4:30 pm

The Town Office will be CLOSED on Thanksgiving Day,  
Monday, October 9<sup>th</sup>.

Council meetings for the month will take place on Monday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup>. Council meetings are open to the public and are called to order at 7:00 p.m. 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.

*Mayor Kitchen, Council and Staff would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.*

### FALL CLEAN-UP

The Annual Fall Clean-Up will be held on Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017. Regular garbage pickup will also be on this same day. Please place all Fall Clean-Up materials separate from your regular garbage because, in some cases, it will be picked up by another truck. Another flyer will follow in the coming weeks. For more information, please contact Kearney's @ 328-6139 or the Town Office at 575-2241.

### RON BERUBE NOMINATIONS

The Ron Berube Volunteer of the Year Award is presented each year in recognition of a volunteer who has contributed in a special way to the Town of Nackawic and surrounding communities. If you would like to nominate an individual who has a strong commitment to volunteerism in their community, nomination forms are available at Town Hall or online at [www.nackawic.com](http://www.nackawic.com). All nominations are to be received at Town Hall by Friday, October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

### NEWS ON THE RECREATION FRONT

Ice Season – The first day of ice will be Monday, October 16<sup>th</sup>.

Western Valley in Motion Sr. Winter Bowling Schedule:

**WOODSTOCK** - NOTE – All dates are on Thursdays with the exception for October it is on a Wednesday.

October 11 <sup>th</sup>	November 16 <sup>th</sup>	December 21 <sup>st</sup>
January 18 <sup>th</sup>	February 19 <sup>th</sup>	March 15 <sup>th</sup>
April 15 <sup>th</sup>	May 17 <sup>th</sup>	

Docks – Please note, our docks have been removed.

Car Show – Our annual car show was well attended – with 38 cars, a donation will be made to the Louise Breaux Memorial Medical Trust Fund.

Run the River – Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup> – Registration is now open.

*For all your recreation needs, please feel free to contact the Nackawic Rec. Dept. at 575-2240 or email: [randywilson@nackawic.com](mailto:randywilson@nackawic.com).*

### NACKAWIC & AREA WELLNESS COMMITTEE

Pickle Ball – starts at the Nackawic Elementary School on Tuesday, October 9<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 – 8:00 pm. All equipment is supplied. A great opportunity for families. Cost is FREE!

Bikers – Danny Tonner is looking for bikers to take a spin with him in Fredericton. If you don't have a bike, no problem, as you can rent one from Savages for \$10 - \$15. Looking at Tuesday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> with a 10:30 am meet in Fredericton or a 9:30 am meet at MyGym. Always wanted to bike the Fredericton trails, here is your chance. RSVP to Danny Tonner at 818-0123.

Hikers – Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>, hike to Green Hill Lake – meet at MyGym at 9:30 am or at Norma Gene's, 2611 Rte. 104 at 10:00 am – we will have snacks etc. on top of the mountain!

Thursday, October 12<sup>th</sup> – Flat Top – meet at MyGym at 9:30 am.

Pipers – Tom Monroe is interested in starting bag pipe lessons in Nackawic. Class will start in November and if you are interested or have questions give Tom a call at 575-8483.

Golf; Pickle Ball; Cards; Bowling – and much more at the Nackawic and Area's own "ber" Games. Applications and information available from MyGym, the library or Town Office. Come join and have some fun! Cost is \$5 for the day including beverage breaks and lunch.

Canning Workshop – with Alison Juta organic farmer, horticulture and food preserving teacher. Wednesday, October 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm place to be announced. This workshop will look at the dos and don'ts as well as some tips and tricks. This is a FREE workshop with limited seating. Interested? E-mail [gail.farnsworth@gmail.com](mailto:gail.farnsworth@gmail.com). For more information.

### FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

October 8<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017

***"Every Second Counts, Plan 2 Ways Out"***

Mayor Kitchen and Council extend their thanks and appreciation to our firefighters for their commitment and dedication to protect our community. Please remember to show your support and appreciation to your local fire department.

### NACKAWIC PUBLIC/SCHOOL LIBRARY

October is Canadian Library Month – There will be 23 library systems across the country, including the New Brunswick Public Library Service, participating in the #LibraryMoments campaign. We would encourage you to share your library moments using the hashtag #LibraryMoments on Facebook, Twitter or any other social media. If you don't use social media, you can email your "library moment" to us at [Nackawic.library@gnb.ca](mailto:Nackawic.library@gnb.ca) or drop in and tell us about it. We can then share it on our Facebook page. Perhaps you have a particularly enjoyable experience at your library, or learned something from a program, attended a special event, or had library staff locate a specific item you had been seeking for a long time. What a wonderful testament to the power of libraries; to see stories from across Canada reflecting the many ways libraries improve and expand people's lives.

Regular Story Time – Wednesday pre-school story time's opening party will be held on September 27<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 am. It will be repeated on Thursdays at 6:30 pm. Join Nanny Dee in the "Story Garden" for this free program which includes stories, action rhymes, songs, games and crafts. This is a great way to have your preschooler socialize with other children, and to develop a love of reading at an early age.

New!! Free After School Program – Full S.T.E.A.M. – Starting Wednesday, October 18<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 – 4:30 at the library. This program will be held on the third Wednesday of each month and is open to school aged children. Fun activities incorporating the 5 arms of S.T.E.A.M. – Science; Technology; Engineering; Art; Mathematics – will inspire the children as they learn, code, build, create, and solve! There will be many different types of activities, including "Little Bits" which will be used in our first program. This kit has interlocking parts that attach magnetically as kids use their imaginations to build something cool. Come try something different at your library!

Free Passes to the Beaverbrook Art Gallery – visit the library between October 1<sup>st</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> to get your free pass to the Beaverbrook Art gallery. All you need is your library card – one free pass per card. If you don't already have a card, we can give you one of those free too! The art gallery pass is good from November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017 to March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018. Explore the Beaverbrook Art gallery's exhibits and newly opened expansion!

Pathway-to-Reading Piggybanks – Here's an easy way to help out your library – drop in and pick up one of our cute little pink piggybanks, fill it up with your loose change, and bring it back to the library! Any bank with \$10 or more will receive an income tax receipt. Help your library raise funds for the purchase of new library materials.

Loonie Lottery – Get in on the weekly 50/50 draw at your library. The cost is \$1.00 per week and all money raised goes towards the purchase of new books for your library. Last month's winners were Liz d'Entremont, Marsha MacIsaac, Brenda Currie and Bev Jacobson.

Browse 'n Café – Coffee, tea and a sweet treat every Friday morning at 11:00. Come see what's new at your library.

Check out used books at MyGym. All funds raised are used to purchase books for the library. Thanks to Gail and Joyce for looking after this for your library. The sale has raised almost \$4000 over the last three years.

Library Hours: Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri: 9:00 – 1:00 & 2:00 – 5:00

Thursdays: 12:00 – 5:00 and 6:00 – 8:00

**LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED MONDAY, OCTOBER 9<sup>TH</sup>  
FOR THANKSGIVING.**

### ALZHEIMER SOCIETY – FREE EVENT

Alzheimer Journey: Care in the Later Stages – is recommended for family members and their caregivers of those in the late and end of life stages of the disease.

Tuesdays at the Carleton Manor, Woodstock, Sept. 26<sup>th</sup> – October 10<sup>th</sup>. To register call 506-634-8722 or [info@alzheimernb.ca](mailto:info@alzheimernb.ca). Week 1: Approaches to Care; Week 2: Making Important Decisions; Week 3: The Dying Process and Grieving Process. THIS IS A SCENT-FREE EVENT.

### LION'S CLUB

**Bowling** – If you are interested in League Bowling or if you have a group of a minimum of eight bowlers that want to bowl or if you want to book the bowling alleys for a Birthday Party, contact Ron Berube @ 575-8464 or Shelby Christie @ 323-2059. Senior bowling is Monday afternoons. **Shuffleboard** – is held on Monday afternoons starting at 1:00 pm. Call Margaret Cormier at 575-1992 for more information. They move outside for other activities when the weather is suitable.

**Senior Exercises and Cards (crib)** – have started, crib is held on Tuesdays at 1:30 pm and senior exercises are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 am.

**The Country Jamboree** – will be held the last Saturday of the month, October 28. The funds raised will go towards Hurricane victims. It is from 7:00 - 9:30 pm with a snack at 8:00. Cost is by donation and there is a 50/50 draw.

**Community Breakfast** – at the Lion's Hall on Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup> from 8:00- 10:30 am. The proceeds will be split between the Lion's Club and the Graduating Class of Nackawic High School.

**The Annual Lion's Christmas Craft Sale** - Saturday, November 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 am until 3:00 pm. Table rentals are \$10, call Bernice @ 575-2419 for more information or to book your table.

For Hall Rentals contact Brian Toole @ 575-2885 or Cell 461-0095.

For Health & Welfare contact Sharon Berube @ 575-8464.

### UNIFOR LOCAL 219 NOTICE

To all retirees of Local 219, this notice is to advise you that we are in the process of forming a retirees association for this area. A meeting of the group will be set up in the near future to explain the purpose and direction of the group.

If you want to be a part of this group and we have not already contacted you, please call one of the following people so you will be put on the list. We will require a phone number and an e-mail address, if you have one, so we can contact you in the future.

- Ron Berube 575-8464
- Dewayne Boone 575-2542
- Robert Nason 575-2129
- Steve Manuel 328-7118
- Jim Rockwell 471-5273

### ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BRANCH 27

Regular monthly meetings are held the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month starting at 3:30 pm at the Nackawic Lions Club. If you need to contact a member please see the contact list below:

- President Ralph LeBlanc 575-2366
- Sec/Treasurer Ross Carruthers 575-2139
- Service Officer Roger McMillan 575-2317
- Poppy Chairperson Joyce Hape 575-8680

The 2017 - 2018 dues are now available from Ross Carruthers for \$45.

### NACKAWIC COMFORT QUILTERS

The Nackawic Comfort Quilters is looking for new people who would like to learn to make a quilt top, learn to tack properly without tying knots or learn to quilt. We are also looking for donations of all sizes of material to help with this worthwhile project of making and donating comfort quilts to people in the local area diagnosed with cancer or a life threatening disease. Since starting in May 2016 we have given 38 quilts in 2016 and 48 quilts so far this year. We meet every Thursday at the Nackawic Wesleyan Church from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm or come for part of the day. Coffee break and snacks are provided. We do a box lunch.

### RVCA REGISTRATION 2017-2018

River Valley Christian Academy is a private school in the Town of Nackawic. If you are looking for an alternate educational experience for your child which includes smaller class size, more one on one with teaching staff call 575-1010 to set up an appointment to visit and see what RVCA can offer. For printable forms visit our website at [www.rivervalleychristianacademy.ca](http://www.rivervalleychristianacademy.ca) and information, e-mail [rvca@nb.aibn.com](mailto:rvca@nb.aibn.com). Grades offered are Junior Kindergarten up to and includes grade 8.

\*\*Junior Kindergarten Program (age 4 by Dec. 31/17) only one spot left!

### TOPS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets every Tuesday night at the Nackawic Baptist Church. Weigh-in is from 5:00 -6:15 pm and the meeting starts at 6:30 pm. Please contact our leader, Evelyn Rossiter at 575-8717.

### LADIES' NIGHT OUT

Ladies' Night Out takes place on Thursday, October 12<sup>th</sup> at Nackawic Baptist Church at 7:00 pm. For more information, please contact Louise Lagacy at 575-2539. All ladies are welcome!

### NORTH YORK CHRISTIAN MEN'S GROUP

The October meeting of the North York Men's fellowship will be held at the Springfield Community Church on Thursday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm. Men from all denominations are welcome to attend. For more information contact Ralph LeBlanc at 575-2366 or [oldskier@rogers.com](mailto:oldskier@rogers.com).

### 50+ HEALTHY LIVING & AGING WELL EXPO

TJ Harvey, MP/Tobique-Mactaquac will be hosting a 50+ Healthy Living & Aging Well Expo on Wednesday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017 at the AYR Motor Centre 105 Connell Park Rd, Woodstock, NB.

Coffee & roundtable discussion on seniors: 10 am – 12 pm, Sam's Room; Lunch: 12 – 1 pm, Gallery Room;

Expo: 1-3 pm, Court 1

RSVP: [TJ.Harvey@parl.gc.ca](mailto:TJ.Harvey@parl.gc.ca) or call 1.800.671.6160.

EVERYONE IS WELCOME! Information booths, health clinic, roundtable discussion, complimentary light lunch and live music!

In partnership with: Go Ahead Seniors and the Government of NB.

### 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL RUN THE RIVER

Everyone is invited to join us at the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Run the river road race fundraiser, taking place on Saturday, November 4<sup>th</sup>. You can take part in many ways, with a 3K or 5K walk or run, a 10K run, and a 1K Kids Fun Run to start the morning off. Everyone will receive a finisher medal and draw prizes as awards. Last year we welcomed over 400 participants to our "last-race-of-the-season" event, which is sponsored by Liv9 nutrition, Ryan's Pharmacy, and the Town of Nackawic. With the help of our wonderful crew of volunteers (thank you!), we are raising funds toward the Skis in Schools initiative, run by the Nackawic Ski Club. To register on-line, go to [www.atlanticchip.ca](http://www.atlanticchip.ca) OR [www.raceroster.com](http://www.raceroster.com) (no same day registration). If you would like more information, or would like to join our volunteer family, please visit us at [www.facebook.com/runtherivernackawic](http://www.facebook.com/runtherivernackawic), or contact us directly at 450-5802 (Greg MacFarlane) or 471-2218 (Anna MacFarlane). Thank you for your support, and for helping us to encourage our youth to stay active and healthy, throughout all seasons of the year!

### NIGHTHAWK OF THE MONTH

Do you know a Nackawic High School Student who goes above and beyond in the community? Maybe they are very involved in their church. They may help coach a community team. Perhaps they perform random acts of kindness for neighbours and strangers. If this sounds like a student you know, please consider nominating them for a Nackawic High School Nighthawk of the Month Award. Students can be nominated for a number of reasons, including academic achievement, citizenship, special accomplishments, dedication, leadership, improvement, perseverance, or any other positive quality that you identify in a student. Similarly, is there a teacher, admin assistant, custodian, cafeteria worker, librarian, or educational assistant at NHS who goes above and beyond the call of duty each day at work and has had a significant positive impact on the lives of NHS students? If so, please consider nominating them for NHS Staff Member of the Month. Please contact Sean Newlands at 575-6020 or [sean.newlands@nbed.ca](mailto:sean.newlands@nbed.ca) if you would like to nominate a student or staff member for either of these monthly awards.

### LADIES DAY

Sure Life Assembly will be hosting a "Ladies Day" on Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 am until 2:30 pm. Special speaker/singer by Sis. Brenda Jones. Lunch provided! EVERYONE WELCOME!!

### LIVE AUCTION

There will be a live auction at the Millville Legion on Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00 pm. All proceeds go to the Louise Breau Memorial Medical Trust Fund.

### THANKSGIVING DINNER

The Anglican Parish of Prince William will be hosting a Thanksgiving dinner on Monday, October 9<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 until 6:00 pm. The menu will include: Turkey, potatoes, squash, peas, dressing, gravy, cranberry sauce, pickles, rolls & a variety of pies for dessert. Admission: Adults \$14, children under 12 \$5. A family rate of \$30 will also be offered. Hope you can plan to attend!

### NES BREAKFAST PROGRAM

Our school breakfast program will start October 2<sup>nd</sup> this year. We provide breakfast 5 days a week and it is available to any student who is hungry. If you are interested in volunteering or supporting our program by giving a donation please contact Nicole Priest at 575-6000.

### THANK YOU

Thanks to the golfers, the workers, all who donated prizes, made financial donations and to those who made the delicious salads. Thanks to Trevor and Roger for manning the barbecues. A special thank you to the Golf Club for all their support. It was a great day with \$3303.50 raised.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE KEY

Notices for non-profit groups can be faxed to 575-2035, emailed to [townhall@nackawic.com](mailto:townhall@nackawic.com), or mailed to Town of Nackawic, 115 Otis Drive, Nackawic, NB E6G 2P1. The deadline for submissions is the 24<sup>th</sup> of each month prior. You can also view and download the Key on our website at [www.nackawic.com](http://www.nackawic.com).