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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 Mondays,

March 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>. 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.

## ATTENTION UNIVERSITY STUDENTS!!



The Town is acceptingresumes for summer positions:• Public Works Labourer

Recreation Labourer
Marina Attendants

Positions starting mid-May, so you must apply early! Resumes can be mailed to the Town Office at 115 Otis Drive, Nackawic E6G 2P1, emailed to townhall@nackawic.com or can be dropped off at the Town Office.



## ALL DOGS ARE REQUIRED TO BE TAGGED IN NACKAWIC!

2022 Dog Tags are available at Town Hall. The cost for dogs that have been vaccinated, spayed or neutered is \$15.00. "No person who is a resident in the Town of

Nackawic shall own a dog without having a valid license for that dog under the Town's Dog By-Law". Fines for not having a dog tag start at \$25.00.



Residents with any and all dog complaints can call NB SPCA at 1-877-722-1522 to report issues.



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

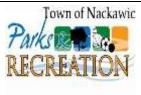
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7:00 am, no person shall stop or park a vehicle unattended on any street in the town.



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.



FREE Public Skating at the Arena: Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 1:00 – 2:00 pm. Saturday & Sunday – please call the Town office or check Town's Facebook pages for exact times.

End of Ice Season – will be Sunday, March 20th. For your safety, we ask that you wear a helmet. LOOKING FOR A GROUP ACTIVITY? CALL AND BOOK ICE TIME! MASKS AND SOCIAL DISTANCING ARE REQUIRED!



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<u>Masks and social distancing are</u> <u>required at the library.</u> The library is open during March Break

Wed., March  $9^{th}$  – Storytime at 10:30 with Minna and 'George". Thurs., March 10 – S.T.E.A.M. activities at 2:30 pm for the school aged kids. (Catapults and

Pom-pom Launchers). Please call 575-2136 to register. Games are available all week for families and kids to play – board games, Jenga, puzzles, Sorry and much more!



Babies at the library: Starting March 15<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am, runs 4-6 weeks. Call 575-2136 to register.

Do you have a child starting Kindergarten in the fall? Register him/her for the <u>Kindergarten Readiness</u> program at the library. Offered

by Valley Family Resource Centre, the program starts Thursday, March 17th, and runs for 10 consecutive Thursday mornings. The 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour sessions will simulate a day at school, including recess and snacks. You can register your child at <u>www.vfrc.ca</u>, and click on Kids programs. <u>Space is limited so register now!</u> Call the library at 575-2136 if you have any questions.



Once again being held Wednesday mornings at 10:30. Join Minna and "George" for stories, songs, crafts, and lots of fun!

Starting up soon. Please see our Facebook page for updates or call us at 575-2136 for information.

Did you know you can now learn to play a musical instrument for free through the library website? All you need is your library card. Visit www.gnb.ca/publiclibraries

and click on <u>Online Library</u>, then scroll down until you see <u>ArtistsWorks</u>. Click on the words highlighted in blue, and it will take you there. You will need to have the Libby app (free in app stores) in order to access ArtistsWorks. Everything from mouth organ to banjo to rock guitar, as well as classical instruments. Take advantage of this great free resource!

<u>Library Hours:</u> Mon., Tues., Wed., & Fri.: 9:00 – 1:00 & 2:00-5:00 Thurs.: 12:00-5:00 & 6:00-8:00





ON-GOING ACTIVITIES Shuffleboard – Mondays at 1:30 pm Cribbage: Tuesdays at 1:30 pm New players welcome! The bowling alley is now up and running. To book a party call Brian Toole at 575-2885.

March 12<sup>th</sup> is our first breakfast of the year from 8:00-10:00 am. Cost is by donation. Co-sponsor is Nackawic Public/School Library.

March 25<sup>th</sup> is our first Jamboree of the year from 7:00-9:30 pm with a break for lunch. Entry by donation with all proceeds going to IWK. To book the Lions Hall Contact Brian Toole at 575-2885.



Nackawic's newly formed Neighbourhood Watch Chapter 21 is accepting new members. If you live in Nackawic Town limits and would like to be an active part of keeping your neighbourhood safe,

joinin<u>g</u> please Neighbourhood consider Watch. Neighbourhood Watch is all about 'Neighbours Helping Neighbours" and it provides tools and assistance to keep your family, your home and your neighbours safe and secure right here in Nackawic. If you are interested in contributing to your Neighbourhood's safety and would like to become a member, please call 471-0822 or 478-0606 for information more or email nackawicneighbourhoodwatch@gmail.com. Membership is easy and involves minimal time commitment.



We would like to thank our most recent donors: NVFD; Waterfront Pub and Shuffleboard; Susan & John Glazier and Flewellings Funeral Service. Many thanks to our

donors! If you would like to donate contact Mrs. Priest at the school at 575-6000.



Nackawic Sno-Drifters Inc. Club 10 Fundraising for this season

is winding down and we

would like to acknowledge our club sponsors, and thank our members as well for all of their support. We all know that this season Mother Nature has appeared to have a different agenda for us, but we can still have some hope. Please ride with caution and report any serious hazards to the Club Executive. Good luck to all who purchased Provincial Lottery Tickets (Draw will be March 15). If you haven't already, please join our Weekly Progressive 50/50 which Lottery. runs all year around (https://snowdrifters.thelottofactory.com/) you lf are interested in receiving club emails, contact us at info@snodrifters.ca. Thank you for all of your support. Please follow us at www.facebook.com/snodriftersclub10 for updates and additional information. Good Luck and Safe Sledding!



Wednesdays from 10-11 am. New participants can register by calling 506-438-7034 or visit

www.amilia.com/store/en/zoomers-on-thego/shop/program.



Simple Income Tax Clinic for families, seniors or students whose income is under \$40,000. Every Monday & Tuesday from 12 – 4 pm and Wednesdays from

9 am – 4 pm starting March 1<sup>st</sup>. Call the Town Office at 575-2241 to book your appointment or you can drop your information off during office hours and receive a call back when it is completed. Please arrive 5 minutes prior to your appointment time to keep to COVID regulations.



The Wheels to Wellness program is operating as usual. If you are in need of a drive to a medical appointment in Nackaiwc or nda Brewer at 575-1999 or email

outside the area call Linda Brewer at 575-1999 or email <u>blindalou92@yahoo.com</u> for more information.

NB International Student **\*** Program Nackawic High School is currently enjoying its most successful year ever with the New Brunswick International Student

Program. Over the course of the year, we will have hosted 7 students from 6 countries. While the 2022-2023 school year still seems far away, we are currently searching for host families for next year's international students. Becoming a host family to a student from a different country and culture is an enriching and worthwhile experience. Welcoming international students into your home helps develop friendships that will last a lifetime. By sharing your home and offering guidance to your student, your family becomes an important part of their life. Placements can be from September to January, February to June, or for the entire school year. 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. Many grandparents, single adults and empty-nesters have volunteered to host students. There is also a financial incentive of \$750/month for host families to help compensate for the extra expense of welcoming a quest for an extended period. If you are interested in 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 by email at sean.newlands@nbed.nb.ca .



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- Financial Aid
- Affordable Housing
- Mental Health

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Southampton Community Centre weekly cribbage every Wednesday at 7 pm. All are welcome.

