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Monthly Newsletter

Town of Sackville

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August Important Dates

August 5, 2019
Noon - 3:00PM
New Brunswick Day Celebrations
Bill Johnstone Memorial Park

August 6, 2019
7:00PM
Special Council Meeting
Town Hall Council Chambers

August 12, 2019
7:00PM
Regular Council Meeting
Town Hall Council Chambers

August 14, 2019
5:30 - 7:00PM
Chamber of Commerce of Greater Moncton Business After Hours
Cranewood on Main

August 22, 2019
Senior's Prom
The Music Barn

August 23-24, 2019
Street Chalk Art Festival/Roller Disco
Bridge Street

FULL COMMUNITY EVENT SCHEDULE: SACKVILLE.COM/CALENDAR

The Sackville Street Chalk Art Festival Returns!

After the success of the inagural festival in 2017, the Town of Sackville is excited to be bringing back the Sackville Street Chalk Art Festival. Unique to Atlantic Canada, this two-day festival will be held on Bridge Street on August 23rd & 24th, 2019.

The festival will feature several artists creating their artworks directly on Bridge Street; including a couple of renowned Canadian chalk artists: François Pelletier and Jessica Rodríguez Parga.

Alongside the artists there will be drawing, oragami and theatre workshops, a colour toss, kite flying, creativity zones, and much more! Throughout Friday evening and Saturday, there will be live musical entertainment from several local and regional artists!

The festival gets underway at 6:00pm on Friday, August 23rd with an official welcoming from Mi'kmaq Elder, Noel Milliea, and will wrap up on Saturday, August 24th with a public Roller Disco from 7-10pm at the Tantramar Veteran's Memorial Civic Centre.

For the full schedule of events and list of musical and chalk artists, please **click here,** keep your eyes open for brochures around Town, or email sackvillestreetchalk@gmail.com .



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2019 Clean-Up Weeks and Household Hazardous Waste Depot

2019 Clean-Up Dates
Fall Clean-up: September 23 – 27, 2019

Garbage must be placed at curbside the day before their regular garbage collection day.

Items that will be picked up: Televisions, microwaves, any type of appliance, bagged leaves, furniture, tree limbs (no longer than 4 feet) neatly tied in bundles and construction debris (up to 50 kg placed in a separate pile).

Items that will not be picked up: cars/car parts, trees/brush, Household Hazardous Wastes, or items from apartments greater than 4 units (currently not receiving municipal pick-up).

BLACK GARBAGE BAGS WITH CONTENTS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.



For more information, please call Miller Waste at 858-5200.

Eco-Depot (Household Hazardous Waste Depot) Dates:
- August 14 & 15, 2019: 12 – 8 pm
- November 13 & 14, 2019: 12 – 8 pm

Tantramar Veteran's Memorial Civic Centre

The following items will be accepted: Computer towers, servers, laptops, monitors, keyboards, mouse, scanners, printers, fax machines, calculators, telephones, pagers, typewriters, audio/video equipment, computer cords, Batteries, LED bulbs, motor oil, paint, etc.

The following will not be accepted as E-waste: Televisions, microwaves, any type of appliance (toasters, kettles, grills, fryers, etc.). These items can be put out as part of your clean-up weeks.

Quilting Bee Workshop

Sackville Water Fowl Park's Artist-in-Residence Andrew Wilson's project "Needles and Threads: Stitching together Sackville's Stories" looks at how the Sackville Waterfowl Park is the geographical and emotional heart of the Town of Sackville. This project seeks to explore the centrality of this significant location via the medium of the fibre and fabric arts.

This all ages workshop on August 17, 2019 from 9:00am - noon, will be based on the traditional "quilting bee" and will involve hand sewing into a quilt in ways that continue to inscribe and embroider into the quilt the stories, identities and many hands that come together in the quilting process. Much like the Waterfowl Park, which as a micro-environment involves the coming together of various kinds of communities (i.e. plants, animals, the people of the town and its many visitors). The quilt frame will be set up at the visitors' centre where people can drop in and contribute to the quilting or happen upon it if they are passing through.

To register **click here** or for more information contact 364-4938 or visitor@sackville.com.

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Waterfowl Park Performing Artist-in-Residence Presentation

The inaugural performance of the Sackville Waterfowl Park Performing Artist-in-Residence will take place on Friday August 2nd, 2019 at 6pm, at the covered bridge in the Waterfowl Park.

This free contemporary dance event is open to all. The show, entitled "Heart of Home", was choreographed by the resident artist, Leah Wilton, who will be performing along with two local young dancers, Delaney Tree and Norah Wilson. Wilton is a contemporary dance student at the School of Toronto Dance Theatre, who is excited to bring her artistry back to her hometown.

"Heart of Home" is a site-specific work that centers around the idea of developing authentic relationships with oneself, and others. The work explores how mindfulness and our environment influences our choices, and allow us to chose to be content simply being yourselves. You can find these artists hard a work in the Waterfowl Park, weekday mornings. Wilton invites you to stop by, watch, and ask questions at any time.

For more information contact us 364-4938 or visitor@sackville.com.

By-Laws Residents Should Know About

During the summer months, the Town hires by-law students. This allows us to have nearly 24/7 coverage during a busy time of the year while providing students with a great learning opportunity. As summer approaches, here are some of the more common by-laws you should keep in mind:

1. Be aware of 2-hour parking Monday - Saturday and please do not park in no parking zones, sidewalks or fire lanes, and do not park facing the opposite direction as traffic.
2. Loud noise is not permitted after 11pm.
3. Signage, like yard sale signs, are not permitted on telephone/power poles within town limits
4. Must have tags affixed to dog collar & collar must be on the dog at all times. Dogs must always be on a leash!
5. Owner must remove any feces left by the animal on a property other than the property of the owner.
6. Individuals are not permitted in waterfowl park one-half hour after sunset/before sunrise.
7. Individuals are not permitted to loiter/remain in parks between sunset and one hour before sunrise.



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Summer Programs and Events

The best time of the year is upon us, and that means we will have another great variety of programming and events opportunities for you this summer! For a copy of our detailed summer guide, or to register for any of our programs, please **click here:**

Sackville RECREATION
Play like you remember!

Senior's Prom: Class of 1976 or Before
Sackville Ultimate Frisbee League
PEI Bus Trip to Mama Mia!
Counselor in Training (C.I.T.)
Kids Running Club
Roller Hockey
Preschool Program
Summer Swimming Lessons
Beyond Imagination Program
Paintpocalypse
Senior's Socials
Movies in the Park
Basketball
Junior Einstein Program
Kids in Motion
Dance
5th Annual BHP Challenge
2019 Trailblazers Wilderness Survival Camp (Ages 5-8)
2019 Trailblazers Wilderness Survival Camp (Ages 9-12)
5th Annual Sackville Family Cup
2019 Girl Empowerment Camp
PEI Bus Trip: Shining Waters Theme Park 2019
Pickleball
Concerts in the Park

Annual New Brunswick Day Celebrations

Join us at the Bill Johnstone Memorial Park (Rain location the Tantramar Veterans' Memorial Civic Centre) on Monday, August 5th from 1:00-3:00pm for a great afternoon of music from the Lil Jill's and the Junior Jill's and plenty of great activities!

Dunk your favourite summer programmer in the Dunk Tank, take a turn on the bouncy castle, join in the Shinerama Cake Walk, or cool down in the splash pad! You can also **click here** and register your family for the annual family cup! Compete in traditional backyard games for your chance to win the Family Cup plaque and many other great prizes!



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Sackville's First Senior's Prom



The Senior Prom is one of the most anticipated and talked about milestones of a person's high school career. Who says it can't be the milestone of hitting your golden years? Once thought to be a once in a lifetime experience, but no more! Sackville is bringing the prom back to anyone who graduated high school before 1977 and their partners! It will be a night for dressing up, posing for photos, and putting your best dancing foot forward.

This 'dry' event will take place at the rustic Music Barn on Thursday, August 22, 2019 from 7:00 - 10:00pm. The Cool Waters Band will be playing all of your favourite old-time hits from the 50s and 60s! The cost is $30 a couple or if you prefer to fly solo, $15 per person.

We'll be sure to have the snacks and punch ready to go as well!

Register at www.sackville.com/programs or at Sackville Town Hall!

Summer Road Construction Updates

Summer is a busy time of year for all of us, and that is definitely true for road construction. We have a pile of projects on the go this summer and would like to give our residents an update.

The reconstruction of University Avenue is well underway. This project includes a total reconstruction of the infrastructure under the street as well at the street itself and should be done by mid-September. Similarly, we will be starting the reconstruction of Bennett St. and the east portion of St. James St. in mid-September. This work will take about 6 weeks to complete.

We will also be resurfacing several streets over the next couple months as well. Here's a full list of our second phase of summer resurfacing projects as approved by Council at the July Regular Council Meeting:

a. Stanley/Walker Road (400m)
b. Gordan St. (85m)
c. Ford Lane (85m)
d. Crestview Ave. (55m)
e. Clarence St. (250m)
f. Pringle St (250m)
g. Rectory Lance (140m)
h. Ogden Mill Rd. (600m)

The last update we have is our annual centre line painting. This work will get underway within the next couple weeks once the contracted line painter becomes available.



Business After Hours

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Wednesday
August 14th

Cranewood on Main - Bakery & Café
113 Main Street - Sackville

Networking: 5:30pm - 7:00pm

Free for entrepreneurs from Sackville.
Online registration required

Simply Click Here

The Chamber of Commerce for Greater Moncton invites you to attend this business networking event on Aug. 14. This is a follow-up to our information meeting held in June to explore the idea of a Sackville Chapter of the Greater Moncton Chamber. Please join us for refreshments, food and good conversation as we continue to explore this idea!

Organized by

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Lorne Street Mitigation Project Update

After a busy few months, Phase II of our Lorne Street Stormwater Mitigation Project is now pretty much complete! Several benches have been installed, top soil was added in specific areas, and some hydro seeding was carried out near Lorne and Crescent Street, and along St. James Street, to tidy things up. Five new red maple trees were also planted along St. James Street with more to come in the fall. You can already see marsh grass and other native plant species starting to come to life, the service roads are seeing pedestrians and cyclists, and a variety of ducks and other birds have made themselves at home.

Over the next few months we will be installing interpretive panels in strategic areas around the stormwater retention pond to explain why it was constructed, how it works, and the benefits it provides. We're also continuing to work with Ducks Unlimited on a new compound that they will be constructing on the north side of St. James Street this summer. Depending on the balance of the Clean Water and Wastewater Fund, some other improvements may be undertaken, but that will be determined in the weeks ahead.

This has been a very complex development and like all major civil engineering projects, it came with its ups and downs. In the end we're still within our overall project funding through the Clean Water and Wastewater Fund, and now have a fantastic new ecologically diverse engineering and recreational asset in our community for our residents to enjoy.

As we've noted in every post along the way we want to sincerely thank our residents and business community who supported this project from the start. This was a big undertaking, and was a multidimensional project, but we did it.

Despite this phase being completed, we continue to remind residents that this is a short-term solution, but allowed us to make significant improvements with the funding that is available. This new naturalized stormwater retention pond provides 40,000 cubic metres of storage. We need 100,000 cubic metre of storage to be able to accommodate a 1 in 100-year storm event, so we still have work to do. Our long-term stormwater management plan remains unchanged, which will eventually see stormwater redirected to the Tantramar River (near our Engineering and Public Works facility) via a new large drainage ditch. This work will only be possible with future funding and the Province's cooperation to undertake a new, lower aboiteau at the River. Until the long-term goal is achieved, this area of our community is still vulnerable to flooding.

We want residents to know that we're committed to the long-term plan. The Town has submitted an Expression of Interest under the Integrated Bilateral Agreement for the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program. The application for Phase III of the Lorne Street Stormwater Mitigation Project was submitted on June 28, 2019. Wish us luck!

If you have any questions about this project, please contact Jamie Burke, Senior Manager of Corporate Projects, at 364-4930 or j.burke@sackville.com.



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Town Hall Updates

Here's an update on the motions passed at our busy Regular Council Meeting on July 8th:

Council authorized Mayor Higham and Deputy Mayor Aiken, along with Councillors Butcher, Black, Evans, Mesheau, Tower and Phinney to attend the Union of Municipalities of New Brunswick Conference in Fredericton on October 4-6, 2019.

Council approved Policy No. 2019-01, Town of Sackville Workplace Harassment and Violence Policy.

Council gave first reading to By-law No. 268, A By-law Respecting the Bonding and Officers and Employees.

Council authorized the Mayor and Clerk to sign and seal an agreement with Mount Allison Univeristy allowing the Town to use the King Street parking lot to accommodate Hinchey's Amusements & Ground Zero Laser Tag during our 2019 Fall Fair.

Council authorized the Mayor and Clerk sign and seal an agreement with MAC Fireworks Inc. for our 2019 Fall Fair Fireworks.

Council authorized the Mayor and Clerk to sign and seal an agreement with NB Power Pole Agreement for a 2019 Fall Fair Street Banner.

Council approved an additional breakdown for the 2019 Gas Tax Fund for paving projects for a further $289,000 for a variety of streets and distances.

Council authorized the Mayor and Clerk the sign and seal two agreements with CN Rail to upgrade two railway crossings on Crescent Street.

Council approved a revised five-year capital investment plan for the Gas Tax Fund for 2019-2024.

Council gave first and second reading to an amendment to the Zoning By-law to accommodate and define the micro-cultivation of cannabis.



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Follow us on Social Media

The best way to stay up to date on municipal events, updates and news is to follow our various social media platforms. Staff work hard to update them all regularly and are quick to respond to questions.



The Town has various accounts:
Facebook (www.facebook.com/SackvilleNB)
Instagram (@SackvilleNB)
Twitter (@SackvilleTownNB)

You can even subscribe to our Youtube Channel for video of our Regular Council Meetings!

Community Calendar

Do you regularly host public events or know others that do? Are you looking for a great way to get the word out? Our calendar on the Town of Sackville website is by far the most popular feature on the site.

You can easily submit your events to the Town Calendar by visiting www.sackville.com/calendar. Your submission will be reviewed by staff and published in short order for anyone visiting the website to see!

Emergency Public Alert System

The Emergency Public Alert System has been established in Sackville to make residents aware when major emergency events take place. To receive a text, voicemail and/or an email when a major emergency is taking place in the Town, we encourage all residents to register for the system by visiting https://sackville.com/residents/resident-services/ and clicking on the link on the right-hand side of the page. **Click here for a direct link**. If you do not have a computer to register, please call 364-4960 to get yourself registered.

Sign Up With the Community Directory

The Town of Sackville's website has many great features, but one that we are particularly proud of is the Community Directory. Here, local organizations and businesses can submit a directory listing with their contact information, website, and so forth. This easy to use directory makes it much easier for potential customers and users to find your information.

To submit a business or organization, or if you're trying to find one, simply visit www.sackville.com/directory/ and follow the instructions.