Tantramar
Monthly Newsletter

www.sackville.com June 2023

Important June Dates

Regular Council Meeting
June 13, 2023 at 7:00 pm
Town Hall, Sackville

National Indigenous People's Day
June 21, 2023

Committee of the Whole Meeting
June 27, 2023 at 3:00 pm
Town Hall, Sackville

Town Hall Summer Hours
May 29 - September 1, 2023
Monday to Thursday-
8:00am-5:00pm
Fridays- 8:30-4:30pm

Dates and meetings are changing frequently. Please visit the Community Events Calendar for the latest updates.

This Month in Tantramar

There is lots going on this month in Tantramar as we get closer to the start of summer!

We're excited to kick off our Tantramar brand development project. This will help us create a new logo, visual identity, and other communication tools to be used in Tantramar. Residents can participate online at TakePartTantramar.ca or in-person at one of our upcoming events:

- Saturday June 17 Sackville Farmers' Market 9am-12pm Bill Johnstone Memorial Park 68 Main Street, Sackville NB*
- Saturday June 17 Trueman Blueberry Farm 1:30pm-4:30pm 255 Etter Ridge Road, Aulac, NB*
- Tuesday June 20 Dorchester Veterans Community Centre 8:30am- 12:00pm 4955 Main Street, Dorchester, NB

Paper copies of the survey and return boxes will be available at Sackville Town Hall, Sackville Public Library, Dorchester Public Library, and Keillor House Museum (after June 10th).

*These events are weather dependent. Please visit **TakePartTantramar.ca** for event updates.

The summer festival and events season kicks off this month with the Shiretown Festival in Dorchester June 15-18 and Friday Night Cruise in Sackville on June 23rd.

Tantramar is offering extended hours at Town Hall this summer:
- Monday to Thursday: 8:00am to 5:00pm
- Fridays: 8:30am to 4:30pm

These hours will be in effect until September 1, 2023 and exclude civic holidays.

Tantramar

Take Part Tantramar

The new municipality of Tantramar is undergoing a brand development project to create a new logo, visual identity and other communication tools.

You're Invited to Participate

A survey is now open to Tantramar residents. We'd love to hear from you about what makes Tantramar special.

Take the Survey

Visit **TakePartTantramar.ca** to begin the survey and learn more about the project.

There are several ways you can take part:

Online Survey:
The online survey can be taken at TakePartTantramar.ca

In-Person:
Tantramar staff will be onsite to facilitate the survey at the following times and locations:

June 17th | 9am-12pm*
Sackville Farmer's Market
66 Main St, Sackville, NB

June 17th | 1:30pm-4:30pm*
Trueman Blueberry Farm
255 Etter Ridge Rd, Aulac, NB

June 20th | 8:30am-12:00pm
Dorchester Veteran's Community Center
4955 Main St,
Dorchester, NB

* Weather dependent – check TakePartTantramar.ca for event updates.

Paper Survey:
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Girls Get Active Program



Thanks to a grant from ParticipACTION, girls from Marshview and Dorchester schools have been getting the opportunity to try LOTS of untraditional ways to be active! Girls Get Active, an afterschool program on Tuesdays and Thursdays, sees 20 young girls and 4 chaperones head off to learn a new activity each lesson. When kids are between the ages of 10-13, stats show that between the hours of 3:30-6:30 they are less likely to be active and more likely to cause mischief. Having the program afterschool keeps these girls engaged in healthy activities and promotes an active lifestyle!

With two weeks down, three weeks of fun lie ahead for these girls. In week one, the Town partnered with Baton Atlantik and th elocal rugby club. Upstairs in the Curling Club, they twirled their hearts out with instructor Brenda Arsenault Leblanc and her helpers. They even got to see a demo of a Team NB twirling routine! On Thursday, the girls headed down to the Lorne Street Field to learn rugby skills. There were players from Mount Allison's Women's Rugby team, Acadia University's Women's team, and several TRHS Rugby Alumni to help out. The girls learned how to pass, kick and even the fundamentals of tackling! This past Tuesday, the girls walked to the Landing Road shooting range to meet two members of the Sackville Rod and Gun Club with archery equipment. The girls first observed a safety demo and then did it themselves, lots of targets were hit!

For kids who aren't a huge fan of soccer, hockey, basketball, etc., it may seem impossible to maintain an active lifestyle. This program is designed to introduce girls to non-traditional sports and provide them with information on how to continue with them if they so choose. With a bus trip to play some paintball coming up, here's to hoping the next three weeks are just as fun-filled and exciting as these last two have been!

2023 Dog Tags

2023 Dorchester Dog Tags

- $10 tax included for neutered/spayed dog
- $20 tax included for any dog who has not been neutered or spayed
- Premium dog tags are available, prices may vary

All proceeds raised from the sale of premium dog tags go to PAW. For more information, **click here**.

2023 Sackville Dog Tags

Available at Sackville Town Hall, 31C Main Street, 2nd Floor.

Registration fees after March 30, 2023:
· $40.00 for a spayed or neutered dog
· $40.00 for any dog who is not spayed or neutered up to 12 months (proof of age required)
· $60.00 for any dog who is not spayed or neutered over 12 months (proof of age required)

Copies of By-Law 256 regarding dog tags are available at Town Hall or visit www.sackville.com

Tantramar

Recreation Programs

There's plenty to do in Tantramar! All of our programs are free unless specified. Here is a list of our current programs:

Free Evening Pickleball
Mondays and Wednesdays
7:30-9:00 pm
Salem Elementary School

Ukulele
Friday Afternoons
1:00-2:30pm
Bill Johnstone Memorial Activity Centre
Register at 364-4958

Adult Co-Ed Basketball (ages 25+)
Wednesdays
8:00-9:30pm
TRHS Gymnasium

Dorchester Pick-up Basketball
Mondays from 5:30-6:45pm
Dorchester Consolidated School

Dorchester Pickleball
Thursdays from 5:30-6:45pm
Dorchester Consolidated School

Senior's Indoor Walking
Mondays-Fridays
7:00-8:30am
Dorchester Consolidated School

For full details or to register for any of the above programs, please visit www.sackville.com/programs.

For other community recreational opportunities in Tantramar, please visit **www.sackville.com/calendar**.



Register at www.sackville.com/programs

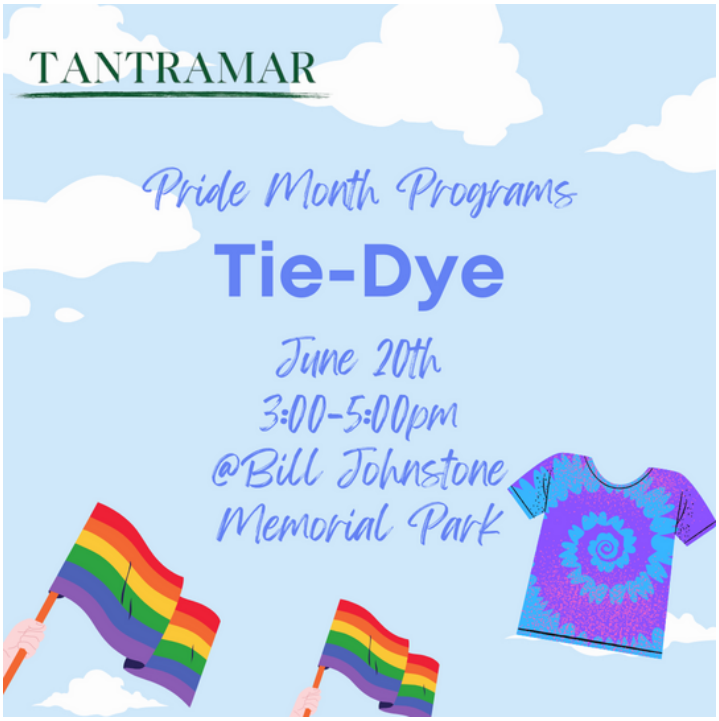







TANTRAMAR
Pride Month Programs
Pride Walkway
& Rock Painting
June 7th
3:00-5:00pm
@Bill Johnstone
Memorial Park


TANTRAMAR
Pride Month Programs
PRIDE PICNIC
June 14th
5:30-7:00pm
@Bill Johnstone
Memorial Park


TANTRAMAR
Pride Month Programs
Tie-Dye
June 20th
3:00-5:00pm
@Bill Johnstone
Memorial Park


National Indigenous Peoples Day
Celebrate with Fort Folly First Nation and Tantramar!
• Traditional drumming & dancing
• Vendors
• Craft tables
• L'nu Tacos
• Activities
• and more!
June 21, 2023
4:00pm-7:00pm
Bill Johnstone Memorial Park


OLD FASHIONED FRIDAY NIGHT CRUISE
FRIDAY, JUNE 23, 2023
6:00 - 9:00 PM
BBQ offered by Tantramarsh Lacrosse Association
Performance by: Jerry LeBlanc
Roll into Sackville, NB with your classic car to Main Street between Bridge and Wellington Streets.
Setup begins at 5:00 pm
While you are there, be sure to check out the EV cars and bike repairs from Barnyard Bicycles!
Contact rclong84@bellaliant.net or 1-506-540-0971 for more information.


TANTRAMAR
CANADA DAY
AT BILL JOHNSTONE MEMORIAL PARK & THE DORCHESTER VETERANS COMMUNITY CENTRE!
10:00AM: 5KM CANADA DAY RUN & WALK
12:00-3:00PM: LIVE MUSIC BY KEVIN CHRISTOPHER, ACTIVITIES, SHINERAMA BBQ, AND CAKE
3:00PM: HISTORICAL WALKING TOUR OF SACKVILLE
4:00-6:00PM: DORCHESTER CELEBRATIONS, GAMES, MUSIC AND ANOTHER SHINERAMA BARBECUE
VISIT WWW.SACKVILLE.COM/PROGRAMS FOR MORE INFORMATION.


TANTRAMAR
CANADA DAY
SATURDAY JULY 1ST 2023
FOOD, MUSIC, MOVIE IN THE PARK & GAMES
Come celebrate Canadas 153rd Birthday with live music from Christine Gilroy, a bouncy house, lawn games, BBQ with Shinerama, cake and a movie in town square
FREE ENTRY, 6-8PM
DORCHESTER
4955 Main St, Dorchester,
FOR UPDATES AND DETILS CHECK OUT OUR SOCIALS
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CANADA DAY 5K
BILL JOHNSTONE MEMORIAL PARK
10:00 AM START TIME
REGISTRATION STARTS AT 9:00AM


FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK FOR UPDATES
SACKVILLE KIDS FEST
LLAMA-ZING ADVENTURES
GAMES
LIVE MUSIC
FOOD
Saturday, July 8th
3pm–6pm
Bill Johnstone Park
BOUNCY CASTLE
SPORTS
CRAFTS
ENTERTAINMENT
VENDORS
& MORE!
This FREE family event is sponsored by:
JENNY CELLY REALTY
506.295.5058
TANTRAMAR

Notices of Public Hearings

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF OBJECTIONS TO REZONE A PORTION OF 131 MAIN STREET, SACKVILLE FROM RESIDENTIAL HISTORIC COMMERCIAL TO URBAN RESIDENTIAL 3

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of Tantramar intends to consider a proposed by-law to amend By-law No. 244 “Town of Sackville Zoning By-law”.
The proposed By-law is intended to rezone a portion of the property known as PID #00969048, 131 Main Street, Sackville from Residential Historic Commercial to Urban Residential 3 on the Zoning Map for the purpose of developing a six storey multiple unit dwelling (71 units) on the property.



Any person wishing to inspect the proposed By-law may do so at the Town Hall, 31 Main Street,
2nd floor, Sackville, NB during regular office hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday except holidays.

Council has set the Committee of the whole meeting of Tuesday, June 27th, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. in
the Council Chambers at the Town Hall 31 Main Street, 2nd Floor, Sackville NB as the PUBLIC HEARING for any person wishing to speak for or against the proposed rezoning.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OF OBJECTIONS TEXT AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING BY-LAW SACKVILLE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of Tantramar intends to consider a proposed by-law to amend By-law No. 244 “Town of Sackville Zoning By-law”.

The proposed amendment to the Zoning By-law is intended to change the maximum height of a building in the Urban Residential 3 zone from 15.3 m (50’) to 19.8 m (65’).

Any person wishing to inspect the proposed By-law may do so at the Town Hall, 31 Main Street, 2nd floor, Sackville, NB during regular office hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday except holidays.

Council has set the Committee of the whole meeting of Tuesday, June27th, 2023 at 3:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at the Town Hall 31 Main Street, 2nd Floor, Sackville NB as the PUBLIC HEARING for any person wishing to speak for or against the proposed amendment.

Written comments for either notice may be sent to:
Lori Bickford, Planning Manager/Planner
Plan360 - Southeast Regional Service Commission
112C Main Street, Sackville, NB E4L 0C3
Email: lori.bickford@nbse.ca

Spring Bulk Garbage Collection and Mobile Eco-Depot

Spring Bulk Garbage Collection Dates:
Citizens are encouraged to clean up their properties and have their waste materials hauled away at this time.
Dorchester: June 1, 2023
Local Service District areas: June 9, 2023

Residents should place their garbage curbside the day before their regular garbage collection day.

Items that WILL be picked up in addition to normal household garbage include: bagged leaves, furniture, appliances, tree limbs no longer than 4 feet, neatly tied in bundles (not entire trees) and construction debris, up to 50 kg (placed in a separate pile).
Items that WILL NOT be picked up: cars and car parts*, trees, brush, or Household Hazardous Wastes, or items from apartments greater than 4 units (currently not receiving municipal pick-up).

*Residents in the former LSD areas can place up to four (4) tires not on rims out for collection. Black garbage bags will not be accepted.

Questions? Residents from former Sackville and Dorchester can call Miller Waste at (506) 855-9783. Residents in former LSD areas can call Fero Waste at (506) 855-3376.

MOBILE ECO-DEPOT

Spring Mobile ECO-Depot dates:

Tantramar (Sackville) June 14-15, 2023
Tantramar Veterans Memorial Civic Centre,
182 Main Street, Sackville



The Performers' Company Theatre Presents...

The Performers' Theatre Company is putting on a production of Stanton's Garage by Joan Ackermann and directed by Chris Farella. Performances are June 16, 17, 18 and June 22, 23, 24 at 7:30pm, including two matinees at 2:00pm on June 18 and 24. All performances are being held at 3 Fairfield Rd, Sackville. Don't miss this hilarious play!

Book tickets online at **performerstheatre.com**.

SACKVILLE'S COMMUNITY THEATRE
PERFORMERS' Theatre Company INC.
Something to get excited about.

Operation Creation Day Camps

The Church by the Lake (14 Church Street) will host a FREE Operation Creation Day Camp from Monday-Friday, June 26-30, 2023 for children entering K-6 this fall. The program begins at 9AM (doors open @ 8:30AM) and runs until 5PM daily.

Online registration opens June 5th until all spots are filled (**www.churchbythelake.ca**). Each day will be spent learning about the natural world in partnership with local organizations.

OPERATION CREATION
DAY CAMP

Meals to Seniors Drivers Needed!

If you are interested in helping seniors in our community, the Drew Nursing Home is looking for Volunteer Drivers for the Meals to Senior's program. Meals are provided at noon Monday to Friday to clients in the Sackville and surrounding area.

If you are available, please call Donna Lowerison, Food Service Manager – 364-4909.

Updates from Greater Dorchester Moving Forward Co-op

Community Trails Walk
Join the Greater Dorchester Moving Forward Co-op on Saturday, June 3 to walk some local Dorchester trails and help identify what can be done to improve them. The Moving Forward Co-op Trails Committee has been hard at work producing an online map of more than a dozen local trails so come to learn about all the beautiful hiking places you can go in Greater Dorchester! There will also have a BBQ and refreshments for all of the hikers. Please express your interest or if you know you plan to come along by writing programs@station8nb.ca or calling 506-334-8746 for more details.

All-Things-Dandelion Workshop
On June 4th from 2:30 - 5:00 pm, join foraging expert Jessika Gauvin of Enchanted Mushroom Forest Walks to learn how to make edible goodies from dandelions like coffee with the roots, fried greens with bacon and salad, and honey and fritters with flower petals! Seats are very limited and already filling up so register today by emailing programs@station8nb.ca or calling 506-334-8746.

Shiretown Festival Events
The Greater Dorchester Moving Forward Co-op is happy to announce that they will be hosting a number of events for the Shiretown Festival from June 16-18, 2023. On the night of Friday the 16th, there will be a movie night directly after the ball game hosted at the Dorchester school. On Saturday afternoon after the parade, the Moving Forward Co-op will be hosting a lawn party BBQ in partnership with the Beavers and Cubs at 8 Station Road in Dorchester. There will be good food and lots of laughs, so grab your family and friends, and come on by! For more information on any of these events, email programs@station8nb.ca or give the Moving Forward Co-op a call at 506-334-8746

Game Nights at the School Gym
The following game nights are offered every week from 5:30 - 6:45 pm at the Dorchester School Gym for:

- Basketball on Mondays
- Pickleball on Thursdays

Everyone is welcome from teens to seniors! Just show up with your sneakers and have some fun!

Station8 Community Fridge
The Community Fridge at Station8 provides free healthy foods - it is completely anonymous and open 24/7 at 8 Station Road. Donations from the community are what keeps the fridge full and Moving Forward appreciates any way you can help, either by dropping off food or making a cash donation. Contact programs@station8nb.ca for more information and follow the Facebook group Station8 Community Fridge for updates.


JUNE 12-18, 2023
SHIRETOWN DAYS 2023
Thursday June 15
Opening Day - Citizen of the Year -6PM (in the Square at the Gazebo)
KIDS DANCE- 7 PM - 9 PM (In the Square at the Gazebo)
Book Sale at the Dorchester Library 11 am-4 pm
Friday June 16
Kids Costume Parade - 6 PM at the Take Out
Book Sale at the Dorchester 11 am-4 pm
Baseball Pick Up Game - at 6:30 at the Dorchester Ball Field
Community Movie following the ball game at Dorchester School
Saturday June 17
Breakfast 7 am- 12 Pm at the Veteran Center (Put on by the Lions Club)
Community Yard Sale - 8am- Noon
Vendors in the Square and Games 8am- 2pm
Book Sale at Dorchester Library - All Day
Cake Auction (at Dorchester Library) - all day put on by the I.O.D.E
Face Painting in the Square - 11am - 1 Pm (FREE)
Parade at 1pm (Line up at 12:30)
Lawn Party BBQ following the parade- 8 Station Road
Music on the Deck at the Village Square Take Out 2-4PM
Watermelon Eating Contest for Kids
2:30-4PM (At the Village Square Take Out)
Water Sponge Games 2:30-3:30 (at the Village Square Take Out)
Music on the Deck at the Village Square Take Out 8PM-11PM
Sunday June 18
Car Show in the Square - 1PM- 3PM
Registration at 12:30 at the Take Out.

ParticipACTION Community Better Challenge



ParticipACTION Community Better Challenge





A Poem from our Poet Laureate



Lineage Spell

I have every one of my teeth,
two rows of white tulips in a suburban front yard,
each one a spoiled child, tended to lovingly.

The travelling dentist who made the rounds,
when my mother was a kid in the 1960s,
through small, northern, Manitoban mining towns,
took a more Babylonian philosophy:
Eye for an eye. Tooth for a tooth.
Surgery for a cavity.

By the time my mother left town for Winnipeg
the big city,
first in her family to attend university,
her mouth was a hodgepodge garden of bor
surviving stones moving and blooming to fill in hol
not a tooth where you'd expect it to be,
a jumbled jigsaw puzzle to forever confoun
representatives of modern dentistry.



Even later when, further south, further east
rerooted in a landscape of neat concrete curbs
edging fully paved roads with two sets of sidewalk
each—
the gentle, dull world on which I was nursed.



Years and years later,
acclimated to kinder winters
luxuries once alien
now expectation,
barely distinguishable
from her suburban
neighbours,

there remains,
for the trained eye
who can pry open the mouth,
peer inside,

the bone's singular formation,
the bone's brutalization.

Laura K. Watson

WRITERS' OPEN MIC

SUNDAYS, MAY 28th + JUNE 25th
3:00 - 4:30
BILL JOHNSTONE MEMORIAL PARK CENTRE
70 MAIN ST. SACKVILLE, NB



FREE · MASKED · SNACKS PROVIDED · ALL WELCOME

The Westmorland Historical Society is Hiring

Are you a history enthusiast with a passion for local history? Are you fascinated by textiles? Do you enjoy working with museum visitors and want to expand your experience?

Join our team! We have several summer positions available:
Textile Museum Assistant
Curatorial Assistant
Museum Docent

Ideal candidates will have completed grade 12 and have an interest in local history. Applications (cover letter and resume) must be e-mailed to: keillorhousemuseum@gmail.com

Candidate must meet all eligibility criteria for the Young Canada Works in Both Official Languages **summer jobs program**.

We look forward to hearing from you!



Sackville Memorial Hospital Update

Horizon's Sackville Memorial Hospital (SMH) is a community hospital that provides care and service to residents of the Tantramar region and surrounding area.

At SMH, emergency services are provided daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (patients are registered between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.) and there are 21 family practice beds. Other services provided at the hospital include ambulatory care, dietitian and diabetic education, medical imaging, family medicine, laboratory services, palliative care, rehabilitation, speech language pathology, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, and a perioperative department providing same-day elective surgical services as well as a day surgery program.

Through the generous support of their donors, the Sackville Memorial Hospital Foundation enhances the delivery of health care at SMH by raising funds to buy much-needed equipment, for renovation and construction projects, to support education, research, and innovation. While volunteers with the Sackville Memorial Hospital Auxiliary dedicate their time to activities that improve patient care and enhance programs and services. They run the gift shop at SMH and dedicate thousands of hours annually to raise funds for equipment, staff education bursaries, services and programs.

Horizon also continues to work in strong collaboration and partnership with the Rural Health Action Group, a group of engaged community members, on key priorities identified to improve health care delivery in the Tantramar Area.

Sackville Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Prize Winners

The Sackville Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Fundraising Committee is pleased to announce the winners of their recent fund raising campaigns.

Winner of Dinner for 4 at Patterson's Family Restaurant – Lynn McGrath.

Winner of Picnic Basket – Tim Rose

The fund raising committee is very grateful to Patterson's Family Restaurant for the above donation and The Painted Pony Bar & Grill for donating 5% of all sales on Mother's Day.

A heartfelt thank you to the following establishments for their support:

1. Royal Canadian Legion Branch 26
2. Rod and Brenda Allen
3. Jean Coutu Pharmacy
4. Creative Cut Hair Design
5. Citizens of Tantramar and surrounding areas, who purchased tickets
6. Numerous businesses who allowed posters to be displayed
7. Volunteers at the SMH gift shop for selling tickets
8. Sackville Fire Department

Update from the Rural Health Action Group

Community interest in medical services for the Tantramar region has been heightened by the impending departure of two family physicians from their Sackville practices. Members of the Rural Health Action Group (RHAG) are meeting with officials of the Horizon Healthcare Network to help devise interim solutions to the anticipated shortage.

“Progress is already under way to explore short-term and long-term options,” said Dr. Ross Thomas, a retired Sackville physician and member of RHAG. “Possibly some sort of clinic could be established for patients without a family doctor or Nurse Practitioner, where a Patient Navigator would assist in arranging referrals, prescription renewals, lab tests and the like.”

The volunteer RHAG was formed over a year ago in response to reduction in the hours at the Emergency Department of the Sackville Memorial Hospital, and the possible closure of acute care beds. Vigorous protests by local residents rapidly gave rise to a consultative process that has assured the continuity of full service and initiated a new phase of collaboration (dubbed Collaboration 2.0) that will address a variety of healthcare priorities in the coming months.

Three of these have been highlighted for immediate action:
• Improvement in access to primary healthcare;
• Enhanced ambulatory care services and rural transportation.
• Ongoing collaboration on communication and governance;

Longer term action plans are being developed for:
• Mental Health and addictions.
• Nursing homes without walls and long-term care;
• Improved wellness through prevention and education;

Recently, the RHAG hosted a meeting attended by representatives of the Town of Tantramar, the Port Elgin Health Clinic, Mount Allison University, the Rotary Club of Sackville, the Sackville Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and Foundation, and the Drew Nursing Home (with regrets received from representatives from Strait Shores). At this event, those present formed an RHAG Steering Group, to provide analysis, strategic planning, and communication for the community effort. Two or three of its members will be designated to attend meetings of the Collaboration 2.0 Steering Group hosted by Horizon, in order to track progress on the priorities and to ensure two-way communication.

Three joint working groups were also established, one for each of the three initial priorities noted above. Each of these groups is chaired by an appropriate Horizon representative, includes community representation, and has the power to recruit appropriate expertise as needed.

“With this community structure in place,” stated RHAG co-chair John Higham, “we are confident in our ability to continue collaborating with Horizon on addressing short-term needs and the development of long-term strategies for good and consistent rural healthcare throughout our region.”

Contact: memramcooktantramartaskforce@gmail.com

Tantramar Adult Learning Centre- Adult Upgrading and GED Preparation

Reading, Writing, Mathematics, Social Studies and Science

New students welcome - start any time!
Study with the help of a teacher at your own pace and schedule.
Class is open all summer. Free!

For further information, call or email:
Ticca Ogilvie at 536-2204 or Ticca.Ogilvie@education-se.ca
New Location: Sackville Curling Club: 22 Lansdowne Street

SOUTH EAST
ADULT EDUCATION
The door to your future



Community Trails Walk

Saturday, June 3
10:00 am - 3:00 pm



Celebrate International Trails Day!

Bring your friends and your whole family! Trails range from easy to moderate to hike and you can choose which one(s) work for you! During the hike, info will be gathered on how the trails system can be improved. Email the Moving Forward Co-op at **programs@station8nb.ca** to register or for details!

FREE BBQ AND REFRESHMENTS FOR HIKERS!!!


JUNE 13TH
MAIN ST. CAFÉ
COMMUNITY KITCHEN
20 MAIN STREET
(MAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH)
EVERYONE IS WELCOME AND THE COST IS FREE!
IF YOU NEED A GOOD MEAL, ARE HURTING,
NEW TO THE AREA OR COULD USE SOME COMPANY,
COME ON OVER AND SEE US!
SERVING 11AM – 1PM
SOUP & SANDWICHES
TEA & COFEE
DESSERT
MAIN ST. CAFÉ WILL REOPEN
JULY 11TH


AREA 1 PRESENTS
HAPPY TOGETHER!
AC&C 2023
JOIN US IN CELEBRATION OF A CAPPELLA SINGING IN THE BARBERSHOP STYLE!
FRIDAY, JUNE 2, 2023
QUARTET CONTEST - 12:15 PM
CHORUS CONTEST - 7:00 PM
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR:
$15 (ADULTS)
$10 (AGES 12-19)
FREE (11 AND UNDER)
Convocation Hall,
Mount Allison University
Sackville, NB
For more info visit
harmonyarea1.ca



ONE-AT-A-TIME THERAPY

A service providing quick access to a **one-time, personalized, private, safe, and FREE** counselling session for those who wish to talk to a trained counselor about mental health and/or addiction.

If you are concerned about your mental health or an addiction issue **we can help.**

Open to all ages.

To book an appointment or to learn more about One-at-a-Time Therapy, please call:

506-856-2444

If you are in crisis and/or need immediate support, please call:

CHIMO Crisis Helpline:	1-800-667-5005
Kids Help Phone:	1-800-668-6868
Hope for Wellness Helpline (Support for Indigenous People):	1-855-242-3310
Local Emergency Services:	911

Réseau de santé Horizon Health Network

Flow
Access
Experience
Retention



New Nouveau Brunswick CANADA

Réseau de santé vitalité Health Network





Dorchester Memorial Public Library Used Book Sale for Shiretown Days
Thursday, June 15th, Friday June 16th, and Saturday June 17th during the library's regular open hours, 10-12 & 1-4. Most items will be "pay what you will."
(We recommend that you wear a mask.)

Dorchester Memorial Public Library Board Silent Cake Auction
It's back! The library board's famous silent cake auction will be held on Saturday, June 17th, from 1-3 p.m. Final bids must be made by 3 p.m. Winners must pick up and pay for their cake by 4 p.m. If you're donating a cake, please bring it to the library on Saturday between 10 & 12.
Please wear a mask when looking at the cakes!

Connecting Farmers and Consumers: Locally Grown Food Options

In the interest of supporting local food, each month we will provide a list of local farmers and the goods and services they provide. Below is a list of farmers and food producers waiting to serve you.

Wysmykal Farm
Wysmykal Farm will be selling organic vegetables at the Sackville Farmers Market on Saturday mornings. They have a variety of spring greens available. Wysmykal Farm also offers online ordering and home delivery of vegetables in the Tantramar area. www.wysmykalfarm.ca.

Willow Farm
Willow Farm is hosting a Grand Opening for their new Farm Stand on Saturday, June 10th from 10:00am-2:00pm. The stand will be open daily and stocked with fresh, seasonal produce throughout the season.

During the event, there will be a seedling and plant sale for gardeners, a BBQ with $1 burgers and hot dogs, and tours of the farm.

All are welcome; and bring the kids! 4659 Route 106, Middleton NB.

Jolicure Farm
Jolicure Farm will be at the Sackville Farmer's Market year round. Several varieties of fresh tomatoes are still available, spinach, garlic, squash, onions, leeks, fennel, lemon grass, rosemary and much more! They also bake fresh bagels and will soon be offering dried tomatoes and gluten free Kale crackers! Samples will be available.

Dixon's Farm Fresh Beef
Dixon's Farm Fresh Beef is gearing up for a busy season. They sell product every day from the farm which can be arranged with a quick phone call (506 536 1964 or 364 7969) at 689 Route 16, Point de Bute or at the Sackville Farmer's Market which runs Saturday mornings year round. –The Market will be moving into their summer location at the Bill Johnstone Memorial Park from May 6th until October 28th. Customers have the option to pre-order their favorite cuts to avoid disappointment or order a box of various beef items and choose the dollar amount you wish to spend. Support for local product has been strong and consistent and they wish to thank their customers for their continued patronage! Happy summer everyone!!

FOOD SMART

FOOD BOX PROGRAM



About the program:

The Community Food Smart program is a bulk food buying club for individuals and families keen on purchasing quality fruits and vegetables at affordable prices, sourced from local farmers when possible. Members place an order by the first Wednesday of each month and pick up their food bag on the second Thursday of each month. We send out a reminder email leading up to the deadline and orders are confirmed with an e-transfer of $15.

What's in the box?

Each bag contains three orders of vegetables and three orders of fruit. We purchase $15 worth of food wholesale for each bag. That means you receive $25-$30 worth of food per bag.

What does it cost?

$10 annual member fee
\+ $15 for each food box

$25 for first order each year
$15 for all other orders

*This program contributes to community food security, resource sharing, sustainability, and resiliency.

For More Information
sackvillecommonsfoodsmart@gmail.com

The Sackville Commons Co-op

Town Hall Updates

May was another busy month in Tantramar. Here are the key motions approved at our Regular Council Meeting:

Council appointed Councillor Mike Tower as the Council Representative for Tantramar to Southeast Regional Service Commission.

Council awarded RFP #tan-2023-02 Brand Development to the Details Design in the amount of $67,850.00 hst included.

Council approved the purchase of Tantramar domain names from Tantramar Interactive Inc., in the amount of $25,000 plus hst.

Council authorized the Mayor and Clerk to sign and seal all documents with NB Power for the installation of three (3) 100kw dc fast chargers at the Tantramar Visitor Information Centre.

Council authorized the closure of Bridge St from Main St to Lorne St on Friday, August 25, 2023, at 1:00 p.m. to Sunday, August 27, 2023 at 12:00 noon, for the Sackville Street Chalk Festival.

Council authorized the Mayor and Clerk to sign and seal the usage agreement with Maritime Paddle for a period of one (1) year beginning on May 1, 2023 and ending on April 30, 2024.

Council approved several motions for the Shiretown Festival including loaning of equipment, the closure of a section of Woodlawn/Cape Rd on Saturday, June 17, 2023 from approximately 1:00-2:00pm, and their application for a special events liquor license.

Council approved a Special Events Grant in the amount of $1,250 to support the Westmoreland Historical Society's event.

Council approved a new Tantramar facilities rental agreement.

Council approved the Dorchester Daycare Rental Agreement at the Dorchester Recreation Centre to continue for an additional year beginning July 1, 2023 and ending June 30, 2024.

Council approved the office furniture purchase from Ergoworks in the amount of $10,745.10 plus hst for offices located at the Tantramar Veterans Memorial Civic Centre to accommodate two staff members of the Active Living and Culture Department.

Council awarded Tender no. Tan-2023-03 Sanitary Trunk Sewer Renewal to the lowest bidder, Dexter Construction Company ltd., in the reduced amount of $497,547.50 hst included with the reduced scope to suit the budget subject to the town receiving the ministerial order for our May 8, 2023 hearing date.

Council amended the dates of the Committee of the Whole meetings of June, July and August to the fourth Tuesday of the month, being June 27, July 25 and August 29, 2023.

Council has considered two applications from JN Lafford Realty. A public hearing will take place June 27, 2023.

Council gave second and third reading section by section to By-law no. 2023-06, a By-law Respecting Dangerous or Unsightly Premises within Tantramar.

Council gave first reading in name only to By-law no. 2023-07, a By-law Respecting Buildings in Tantramar.

Follow us on Social Media

Check out our new TantramarNB social media accounts! 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.

Follow Tantramar here:
Facebook (@**TantramarNB**)
Instagram (@**TantramarNB**)
Twitter (@**TantramarNB**)
Youtube (@**TantramarNB**)

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 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!

Register for Emergency Alerts on Voyent Alert



Voyent Alert is Tantramar's emergency alert system. Residents can download the Voyent Alert app on the App Store or Google Play 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 **clicking here** or by calling 364-4930.

Sign Up With the Community Directory

Our 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 **click here** and follow the instructions. **If your organization is no longer operational or if you need to update your information, please email info@sackville.com.**