



# Municipality of the District of St. Mary's Newsletter

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## Meetings of Council

The next regular meeting of Council is Monday, July 11th, 2022 at 7:00pm at the Goshen Community Centre. Committee of the Whole meetings for July will take place Wednesday, June 6th & 20th at 4:00pm. Agendas, minutes and audio files are available at [www.saint-marys.ca](http://www.saint-marys.ca). **The Municipal Office and Transfer Station will be closed on July 1st.**

## Travelling Municipal Council Meetings

Council has chosen to conduct the next 7 Regular Council Meetings at a location in each of the districts of St. Mary's. This initiative is aimed to help council meetings to become more accessible to residents. Please watch the newsletter as well as the municipal Facebook page and website for locations each month!

## Before and After Care Program Returning to St. Mary's

The Municipality is very excited to announce that the Before and After Care Program is returning to St. Mary's Education Centre and Academy this September! Keep an eye out for early registration, subsidy information and job postings! Call 902-522-2598 for more information. The Municipality is pleased to partner with St. Mary's Education Centre and Academy to offer this program, which is made possible through funding from the Government of Nova Scotia.

## Tax Bill Due Date Reminder

Municipal Tax Invoices have been mailed out and payments are due by July 31st, 2022. All taxes not paid by the due date of July 31st, 2022 will accrue interest at a rate of 14 per cent per annum. If you have not received your property tax invoice or if you have a mailing address change please contact the Municipal Office at 902 522 2049.

## Boundary Review

In accordance with ss. 369 (1) of the MGA, in the year 1999, and in the years 2006 and every eighth year thereafter, Council shall conduct a study of the number and boundaries of polling districts in the municipality, their fairness and reasonableness and the number of councillors. Consultants with Upland Urban Planning & Design Studio will conduct the work to review the boundaries of St. Mary's municipal electoral districts as required by the Province of Nova Scotia. The first stage of the process is to determine the appropriate number of Council members to serve the Municipality. There will be a public survey launched in July and the Municipality would like to encourage all residents to participate and provide feedback concerning the size of council.

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The deadline for the August Municipal Newsletter is Wed. July 20th at 4:00pm. Submissions can be faxed to 902-522-2309, dropped off in person at the Municipal Office or emailed to [newsletter@saint-marys.ca](mailto:newsletter@saint-marys.ca). Subscribe to our contributor email list to receive reminders by calling 902-522-2598.

St. Mary's Municipal Transfer Station is open Monday, Tuesday, Friday & Saturday from 9:00 am – 4:30 pm.

## MacMillan's Recyclables Pick Up

Recyclable collection will take place on July 9th and 23rd starting at 10am at the St. Mary's Recplex.

## June 2022 Solid Waste Collection

Eastern Shore Cartage: 1-800-261-0372

<b>Tuesday</b> (Zone 1)	<b>July 5</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item	<b>July 12</b> Garbage & Recyclables	<b>July 19</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item	<b>July 26</b> Garbage & Recyclables	<b>August 2</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item
<b>Wednesday</b> (Zone 2)	<b>July 6</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item	<b>July 13</b> Garbage & Recyclables	<b>July 20</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item	<b>July 27</b> Garbage & Recyclables	<b>August 3</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item
<b>Thursday</b> (Zone 3)	<b>July 7</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item	<b>July 14</b> Garbage & Recyclables	<b>July 21</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item	<b>July 28</b> Garbage & Recyclables	<b>August 4</b> Garbage & 1 Bulky Item

**ZONE 1:** New Chester, Ecum Secum, Liscomb to Sherbrooke including Sonora and Old Road Hill.

**ZONE 2:** East Loon Lake, Smithfield, Denver, Newtown, Glenelg Church Rd, Aspen to Goshen to Borneo Rd inclusive.

**ZONE 3:** Hwy 211, IHL to Port Bickerton, Stillwater, West Melrose, Lead Minds Rd, to Waternish inclusive.

# Municipal News

## **Congratulations St. Mary's Volunteers**

This spring, Municipal Council launched a volunteer nomination process to help identify the St. Mary's Volunteer of the Year. The Municipality is pleased to formally announce that Ruth Legge has been chosen as Volunteer of the Year. Ruth will be honoured by the Province of Nova Scotia in a ceremony this fall as well as locally at a volunteer event held in St. Mary's. Council received additional volunteer nominations and would like to celebrate their achievements as well. Keep an eye out in the upcoming newsletters for biographies on all of the nominated volunteers. Congratulations to all of those who were nominated, and thank you to the residents who took the time to make the nominations.

## **Ruth Legge, St. Mary's Volunteer of the Year**

Since 2012, Ruth has been committed to preserving the history of the Municipality of the District of St. Mary's. She is one of the founding members of the St. Mary's Genealogy Research Centre, located in the community of Sherbrooke. The Society collects, processes and makes available genealogical and historical materials that have been preserved for the municipality and communities beyond. It is a vigorous and healthy organization that has attracted many members to carry out successful projects. Ruth commits several days a week to volunteer at the centre to obtain grants, supervise employees, and train volunteers. The valuable historical records of this county would be lost or inaccessible without the centre, and it would not exist without Ruth and her tremendous dedication.

## **Internet for Nova Scotia Initiative**

Did you know that you can get an update on the Internet for Nova Scotia Initiative online? Develop Nova Scotia's website has a search function to see when Fibre-op services will be available in your community. Visit <https://internet.developns.ca/search/> and use your community name or postal code to get an update.

## **Municipal Notification System**

The Municipality has implemented the Voyent Alert Notification service to keep residents informed during times of crisis and for day-to-day notices. Notifications can be sent to a landline, cellphone, or email. You can self-register at [register.voyent-alert.com](http://register.voyent-alert.com) and choose what type of notifications you would like to receive. For more information please call the Municipal Office, 902-522-2049.

## **Your Civic Address**

Maintenance of civic addresses are important to the delivery of effective emergency services, mail delivery, and other municipal services. The Municipality provides civic signs for businesses and residents of the District. These signs made specifically for each owner can be purchased from the Municipal Office, complete with a 2-metre angle iron post to be secured in the ground, at a cost of \$40.00. To order your sign call 902-522-2049.

## **BAP Employment Opportunity Before and After Care Supervisor**

The Before and After Care Program Supervisor will implement and manage the Before and After Care Program at St. Mary's Education Centre Academy according to the delivery standards. Candidates with a degree or diploma in Early Childhood Education or related field are desired. This is a part time position with 20-25 hours/week from Mon-Fri and the hourly rate of \$15-\$19 depending on qualifications and experience. A full job posting with application information can be found on our website [www.saint-marys.ca](http://www.saint-marys.ca)

## **BAP Employment Opportunity Before and After Care Leader**

The Before and After Care Program Leader will assist with the delivery of the Before and After Care Program at St. Mary's Education Centre Academy according to the delivery standards. Candidates with a combination of experience and education will be considered. This is a part time position with 20-25 hours/week, Mon-Fri with an hourly rate of \$14.35. A full job posting with application information can be found on our website [www.saint-marys.ca](http://www.saint-marys.ca)

## **Municipal Accessibility Plan Consultation**

The Municipality of the District of St. Mary's is committed to equitable access to community life and participation in society for people of all abilities. The Municipality will work to eliminate and prevent barriers to ensure that environments are welcoming, inclusive, and an accepting place for all people. The Accessibility Advisory Committee will be hosting Community Consultations to gather information to develop the Municipal Accessibility Plan. A survey will be circulated in the community. It will be available online, if you would like a paper copy, please call the Municipal Office at 902-522-2049 to have one mailed out to you with a pre-paid return envelope or you can complete it over the phone. Sessions will also be held in the community to gather community feedback in early August. A schedule for consultations will be included in the August edition of the Municipal Newsletter.

## **The Fishing Gear Coalition of Atlantic Canada End of Life Fishing Gear**

Atlantic Canadian fisheries need to use large amounts of fishing gear (e.g. rope, lobster traps, crab pots, nets, etc.) to fish safely and successfully. When this gear is no longer safe and/or useful for fishing, due to damage or wear and tear, it becomes what is known as "end-of-life fishing gear". Not all fish harvesters can easily dispose or recycle their end-of-life fishing gear, as there is no single, consistent, environmentally friendly system in place to recycle or repurpose different kinds of end-of-life fishing gear. If you are aware of any end of life fishing gear that needs to be disposed of please contact your local municipal councillor for more information.

### **Welcome Back Active Living Coordinator**

The Municipality is pleased to welcome Active Living Coordinator Maggie MacLellan back to her position in the Community Development and Recreation Department after a maternity leave. Maggie will be hard at work completing the St. Mary's Active Living Plan and jumping into summer programming. For any questions relating to the Active Living Plan or physical activity opportunities in St. Mary's, give Maggie a call at 902-522-2598 or email [active.living@saint-marys.ca](mailto:active.living@saint-marys.ca)

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### **Recreation Master Plan Update**

The Municipality is in the final stages of the development of a Recreation Master Plan. A final draft of the document is expected over the summer months. Once the document has been completed, it will be made available to read online or pick up hard copies. Keep an eye out on our website, social media and upcoming newsletters for updates.

### **Summer Walking Challenge**

St. Marys, lets get out and get active with our summer walking challenge starting July 9th and running until August 27th. Register today, track your steps, and submit them each Saturday for a chance to win a number of great prizes!! We have tiers set up with a number of steps assigned to each tier, your name will be entered for a prize each time you hit a new tier. We have pedometers that are free to rent and available at the Municipal Office if needed. Register before July 4th for a chance to win an early bird prize. For more information or to register please call 902-522-2598 or email [active.living@saint-marys.ca](mailto:active.living@saint-marys.ca). Keep an eye on our Municipal Facebook Page for the tier requirements and the awesome prizes to be won! Only residents of the Municipality of the District of St. Mary's are eligible for prizes, but all are welcome to take part.

## **Economic Development**

### **CBDC Guysborough County**

Need financing for your business? Loans are available to any legally operated business in Guysborough County. Some sectors include, fishing, trucking, retail, manufacturing, service, accommodations, food service, etc.

- Business loans up to a maximum of \$600,000 with flexible interest rates starting at prime plus 2% with flexible re-payment schedules.
- Loans available for business start-up, expansion, renovations, line of credit, etc.
- Quick approval Micro Loans available up to \$10,000.
- Business start-up info and counseling available.

Self-Employment Benefits Program -. (SEB) - Qualifying participants can receive benefits and training opportunities during business startup.

Guysborough County Community Business Development Corporation Limited. PO Box 199, 46 Main Street, Guysborough County, NS B0H 1N0. Guysborough Office: phone: (902)533-2770 fax: (902) 533-2016 Email: [wanda.macdonald@cbdc.ca](mailto:wanda.macdonald@cbdc.ca)

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### **Business ACCESS-Ability Grant Program**

Businesses can apply for a cost-shared grant to make enhancements to improve accessibility for clients and customers, for employees, or both. The Business ACCESS-Ability program offered through Communities, Culture, Tourism and Heritage, provides grants up to \$100,000 per year. Funding can be used for projects related to built environment, accessible communication services, assistive devices, universal design capacity building, and accessible transportation. Applications are due by July 29, 2022. For more information please visit <https://cch.novascotia.ca/business-access-ability-grant-program>

### **Municipal Planning Strategy & Land Use By-Law**

The Municipality is currently updating its Municipal Planning Strategy & Land Use By-Law and will hold a Special Council meeting on July 4<sup>th</sup> for the First Reading of the drafts. If approved, the drafts will be made available to the public through the municipal website or by calling the municipal office Monday-Friday from 8:30am - 4:00pm. If the draft documents are given First Reading by Council on July 4<sup>th</sup>, as per section 206 of the *Municipal Government Act* there will be a Public Hearing on July 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm in the council chambers of the municipal office at 8296 HWY #7, Sherbrooke NS. This hearing will allow members of the public to make a submission to Council prior to the Second Reading and approval of the documents. Please watch the municipal Facebook page and website for up-to-date information regarding these tentative dates.

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### **Welcome to new Economic Development Officer**

The Municipality would like to welcome our new Economic Development Officer, Denise Dunn, who is working in an 8-month term in the position. Her academic background is environmental technology & science and has career experience in power generation, automotive manufacturing, consulting & business development, and education & training. Denise, her husband and youngest two children live in St. Mary's. Please join us in welcoming Denise as we work together to facilitate viable growth and sustainable development for the District of St. Mary's.

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### **Advertise Employment Opportunities**

Are you a local business looking for local qualified employees to fill positions with your company? Utilize the Municipal Newsletter.

# Recreation

## **Babysitters Course**

A Red Cross Babysitting Course will be held at the Municipal Office on July 13th, from 9am to 2:30pm. The course is \$70 with all material and gear provided. Participants must bring a lunch, snacks and drinks. This course is for youth ages 11+. Call 902-522-2598 or email Kerri at [recreation@saint-marys.ca](mailto:recreation@saint-marys.ca).

## **Yoga Class**

The Municipality will be offering a yoga class the St. Mary's Recplex on Thursday's at 6:30pm over the summer. Classes will be \$10 each. Five class punch cards are available for purchase for \$50 at the Municipal Office. Call 902-522-2598 for more information.

## **Guysborough County 55+ Games Registration**

Deadline to register for the 55+ Games to guarantee overnight accommodations is July 15th. Call 902-522-2598 for more information. A registration form is included on page 9. Can be returned to Municipal Office.

## **Soccer and Softball**

This program will take place over 7 weeks on Tuesday evenings starting July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 from 6:00-7:30pm in the SMECA soccer field. Children ages 4-9 are welcome. It will be a total of 4 weeks of soccer and 4 weeks of softball by rotating each week. Pre registration is required and can be found on our website at [www.saint-marys.ca](http://www.saint-marys.ca). If you have any further questions or concerns get in touch at [recreation@saint-marys.ca](mailto:recreation@saint-marys.ca) or call 902-522-2598.

## **Summer Youth Multi-Sport**

A youth multi-sport for ages 10-17 will be held over 7 weeks on Tuesday's from 6-7:30pm starting July 12th. Youth will get a chance to try out a new sport each week. This program will take place in the SMECA soccer field. Pre-registration is required and can be found on our website at [www.saint-marys.ca](http://www.saint-marys.ca). If you have any further questions or concerns get in touch at [recreation@saint-marys.ca](mailto:recreation@saint-marys.ca) or call 902-522-2598.

# Community Services

## **Kids First at SMECA**

Summer Programs in the District of St. Mary's July & August 2022. Together with St. Mary's Recreation, Kids First will hold the following outdoor programs, if raining, we will hold the playgroup at the Kids First room at St. Mary's Education Centre. All families are welcome, we ask you not to attend if you are feeling unwell.

Wed., July 6<sup>th</sup> Lochiel Lake Park 10-11:30

Wed., July 13<sup>th</sup> SMECA playground 10-11:30

Wed., July 20<sup>th</sup> Liscomb Legion Playground 10-11:30

Wed., July 27<sup>th</sup> Goshen Com. Ctr. Playground 10-11:30

Wed., Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup> Lochiel Lake Park 10-11:30

Wed., Aug. 10<sup>th</sup> SMECA Playground 10-11:30

Wed., Aug. 17<sup>th</sup> Liscomb Legion Playground 10-11:30

Friday, Aug. 26<sup>th</sup> Port Hillford Beach from 11-1pm

The **Guysborough County Prenatal Program** is open to all women expecting a baby who live in Guysborough County. Self-referrals are welcome! Call 902-533-3881 or toll free at 1-888-533-3881 for more information. The **Parenting Journey Program** is a support for parents with children up to 16 years. Self-referrals are welcome. For more info call Paula at 902-870-7437 or email [parentingjourney@kids1st.ca](mailto:parentingjourney@kids1st.ca). All participants of Kids First programs must follow Covid 19 guidelines to attend programs.

## **Guysborough Co. Adult Learning Association**

We offer the opportunity to upgrade your skills (math, reading, writing, computer, GED prep, etc.). Online learning is available now. We strive to meet your learning needs. Call 902-533-4252 (GALA office) or 902-783-2360 (Louise, St. Mary's GALA Instructor).

## **St. Mary's District Food Bank**

Please contact 902-338-0981 or 902-833-2920 if you know of a need in the community. Confidentiality is strictly upheld. The box to receive food donations is located at Clover Farm. Please check the "best before" date. Cash donations can be sent to St. Mary's District Food Bank, P.O. Box 102, Sherbrooke, NS, B0J 3C0. Thank you to those who have made donations in memory or as a gift. Cards are sent to the family stating that a donation has been made. All support is greatly appreciated.

## **Guysborough Co. Community Health Board**

We are now accepting volunteer board members! Are you interested in helping your community with issues related to poverty, food security, early childhood development and social inclusion? The Community Health Board can offer you the opportunity to have your voice heard, promote and improve health and wellness in your community, meet new people, give back to your community and have a say in how wellness grants are awarded. Please contact our Coordinator; Dorothy Bennett at 902-768-4500 ex 4272 or email [dorothy.bennett@nshealth.ca](mailto:dorothy.bennett@nshealth.ca).

## **Sherbrooke Opportunities Society (SHOPS)**

SHOPS would like to thank each and every person who attended our very first Abled Art Exhibit on Friday, June 17! Because of our supporters, our team of local artists have gained confidence, built skill and made money in their own community! Also, this is your friendly reminder to play your toonie for SHOPS biggest fundraiser, The Toonie Draw, each Tuesday by noon! Pre pay so that you don't have to remember each week! Thank you for your continued support!

# Congregational Services

## **Indian Harbour Lake Pentecostal Church**

Regular Sunday Services are at 10:30am. Come by for a free BBQ Hot Dog and Pop at Indian Harbour Lake Pentecostal Church Parking Lot, 1643 Highway 211. July 9th from 11:30am to 1:30pm weather permitting. Hope to see you there, all are welcome!

## **Calvary Faith Baptist Church**

Monthly services for July  
Jul 3rd, 6pm  
July 10th, 11am  
July 17th, 6pm  
July 24th, 11am  
July 31st, 6pm

## **United Baptist Church**

Rev. Scott Chandler. Service is at 3 pm.  
July 3rd: Sonora  
July 10th: Port Hillford  
July 17th, Port Bickerton  
July 24th: Sonora  
July 31st: Port Hillford

## **Goshen Gospel Church**

20672 Highway 316, Goshen. 902 783 2972 or 902 318 0711. Email: [johnluten3@gmail.com](mailto:johnluten3@gmail.com). Our Services to our Community: **Sunday:** 11:00am – Worship Service in our building and on Zoom (combined). **Wednesday to Saturday:** Bible Study devotional via internet. **Wednesday:** 1pm – Midweek Bible Study and Prayer at our building. If you would like to receive an invitation to our Zoom service, send a request. We will be glad to include you. If we can in any way help, please, let us know.

## **St. Mary's Pastoral Charge**

Combined Sunday worship services in July:  
July 3, 11:00am at Bethany in East River St. Mary's  
July 10, 11:00am at Kirk in Glenelg  
July 17, 11:00am at St. John's in Sherbrooke  
July 24, 11:00am at Bethany in East River St. Mary's  
July 31, 11:00am at Kirk in Glenelg

## **Anglican Parish of Liscomb – Port Bickerton**

Worship Services July 2022  
Sun. July 3 - Feast of St. Thomas the Apostle  
9:00 AM St. Paul's, Port Bickerton  
11:00 AM St. Thomas, Indian Harbour Lake  
Sun. July 10  
9:00 AM St. Luke's, Liscomb  
11:00 AM St. James, Sherbrooke  
7:00 PM St. Paul's, Port Bickerton  
Sun. July 17  
11:00 AM St. Luke's, Liscomb  
7:00 PM St. Thomas, Indian Harbour Lake  
Sun. July 24  
7:00 PM St. Luke's, Liscomb  
Sun. July 31: No in-person services  
Or join us for our online services which are posted every Sunday.  
[www.facebook.com/AnglicanParishLiscombPortBickerton](http://www.facebook.com/AnglicanParishLiscombPortBickerton)

## **Bethel Community Church**

1369 Hwy 7, Lochiel Lake. Contact Pastor Freda Steeves for an updated service schedule for this month.  
[www.bethelcommunitychurch.ca](http://www.bethelcommunitychurch.ca)

## **Goshen Vacation Bible School**

Goshen Vacation Bible School will be held July 4th - 8th at the Goshen Gospel Church between 9:00am and 12:00 noon. Ages 3 and up, including a teen class will be offered. Big Fish Bay will include studies about Jonah and his adventures, crafts, puppets, games, singing and snacks. An evening concert on Friday, July 8th @ 6:00 p.m. will feature the students and will be followed by a BBQ. For further information, please contact Marion Kaiser @ 902-328-2024 or Pastor John Luten @ 902-318-0711.

## **St. Paul's Catholic church - Sherbrooke**

Beginning July 3rd, 2022, Mass will return to 11:30am. We continue to observe Covid19 protocols & keeping everyone safe.

# Community News & Events

## **Sonora Riverside Cemetery**

In order to keep your loved ones resting place cared for, we are asking anyone who has a loved one in our cemetery to place donate to help with the upkeep of the grounds. A tax receipt will be given for your donations. Thanking you, Audrey Jordan, Treasurer.

## **Maple Manor Bake Sale**

Visit Clara Wulf every Friday between 11 am – 3:00 pm at Maple Manor for fresh baked goods.

## **Chase the Ace**

St Mary's District Lions Club & Sherbrooke & Area Volunteer Fire Dept. Chase the Ace will be held each Friday evening starting at 7:00. Tickets will be sold until 8:30, with the draw taking place shortly after. Follow us on Facebook at S&AVF St. Mary's District Lion's Club Chase the Ace.

## **Maple Manor Tea**

There will be a tea held at the Maple Manor every Tuesday from 9:30-11am. Everyone is welcome.

### **St. Mary's Lion's Club Bingo**

Wednesday is Bingo night at the St. Mary's District Lion's Club. Doors open at 6:30pm with games starting at 7:45pm. Each player must purchase a regular game booklet to play bingo or to purchase Bonanza or Specials. There will be 17 games in total. Masks are not mandatory. They are the choice of the wearer. Canteen will be open. The continuation of bingo is dependent on numbers. So feel free to bring a friend and come support your local Lions Club.

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### **Canada Day Adult Dance**

A Canada Day Dance will be held on July 1st at the Lion's Hall in Sherbrooke from 9pm-1am with music by Craig Robertson.

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### **Thank You From the Hudson Family**

The Hudson Family would like to thank each and everyone who reached out to us with kindness and support during this difficult time. Special thanks to the wonderful staff at High Crest Nursing Home in Sherbrooke for your love, support care and compassion, we are forever grateful. To Rev. John Lutén, thank you for the visits and the beautiful service. Lewis, Aaron and Shelley at Giffin's Funeral Home, we thank you for the beautiful service and support. Special thank you to Home Care, Deborah and Marlene for their support. To everyone who kept us in your thoughts far and near, we are eternally grateful. Love Brian, Eric, Scott and Families.

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### **Country Harbour Gun Club**

Events in July: Friday, July 8th, Trivia and Dance Night. Trivia takes place from 8-10pm and the dance from 10am. 19 years and older. \$5 admission. Saturday, July 16th, Country Breakfast 8:30-10am. \$10 for Adults and \$3 for Kids. July 31st, Water Poker Rally. Registration at the Country Harbour Marina from 1-2pm. \$10 a hand.

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### **Sonora/St. Mary's River Community Centre**

We would like to thank everyone who supported our penny auction and sale for our centre. Without your help it would not have been such a great success. Thanks again.

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### **Sherbrooke Village July Events**

There is lots to see and do in the Sherbrooke Village this month! For more information on any of the below listed events, please visit [www.sherbrookevillage.ca](http://www.sherbrookevillage.ca).  
July 2nd, Artisans in Action  
July 3rd, Sawmill and Goldmine Revelry  
July 9th & 10th, Sherbrooke Village Gaelic/Scottish Heritage Days  
July 14th, Courthouse Concert featuring Hal Bruce  
July 17th, Strawberry Social  
July 18-21st, Road to Stanfest Songwriters Camp  
July 21st Road to Stanfest Grand Finale Concert  
July 23rd, Jubilee Garden Party  
July 28th, Courthouse Concert.

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### **Royal Canadian Legion Branch 86 Liscomb**

Open Thursdays, Fridays, and Saturdays 5pm to 11pm. Come enjoy the video lottery machines, pool table, shuffleboards, canteen, and bar. **Cribbage** every Thursday and Saturday at 8pm. Try your luck with **Raffles**: Lucky Card Raffle, \$5.00 to play, and Rafflebox 50/50 Online. Hootenanny: the first annual End of Lobster Season Hootenanny was a great success. Thank you to everyone who came out! Class of 2022: The Liscomb Legion is proud to offer a scholarship to a St. Mary's graduating student. The recipient will be named in early July. We are also pleased that the graduating class chose to hold their fundraising penny auction at the Legion Hall. We send out a hearty congratulations to the 2022 graduates, and we wish all our students a safe and happy summer. Check out our Facebook groups for updates.

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### **St. Mary's Shooters Association**

The July schedule for St Mary's Shooters Association: July 3rd Aubrey Gammel Memorial Handgun Shoot 9am-3pm. No registrations after 2pm. The trap shoot of June 5th went well top shooters 1st George Ferguson, 2nd Rick Day, 3rd Mike Hawkins. There were no junior shooters. We would like to see young people and their parents to come and try the shooting sport, it is good safe fun and well supervised. For info call 902 783 2820 for John Day or 902 522 2172 for Mike Ackermann.

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### **Goshen Community Recreation & Centre**

Bargain Shop hours - Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 1-3pm. Game day is Wednesday 1-4pm. Our annual Canada Day Parade will begin at 11:00am from the Fire Hall to the Community Centre with float line up starting at 10:30 at the Fire Hall. Please join us after parade at the centre for Canada Day Celebrations. Everyone is welcome. Recyclable bottles are being collected and can be dropped off at the Centre.

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### **Ecum Secum Community Park**

We are very pleased to share that we have received a couple of grants and with the money we raised fundraising; are well on our way to the Playground of our dreams! Originally, we hoped to have started building by now but there have been a few delays regarding the equipment. Our new trajectory is to start building in the fall! There are plans in motion to have a fun day in Ecum Secum at the Firehall Saturday, August 27th and a duck race! Be sure to keep an eye on our Facebook page for more information!

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### **Culture Club Sherbrooke**

July 2022 Program  
First Artist Group Show, Saturday July 9, 7-9pm. Local Artist: Tianjie (Jen) Yang – Sherbrooke, China Susan Roux / Roch – New Glasgow, Hilary Rivera – Sherbrooke, Peter Bujold – Sherbrooke. Modern Jazz Session Number II, Sunday July 17, 7-8pm Musician: Jake Hanlon (Guitar), Josh Hanlon (Piano), Paul Ruskha (Bass). Book Reading Event with Alec Bruce (Writer & Journalist) Saturday July 23, 7-8pm. For more information contact Meinhard Pfanner at 902-318-1699 or [meinhard.pfanner@gmail.com](mailto:meinhard.pfanner@gmail.com)

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*Concert for the Port Hilford Old  
School House*



*Back again after  
3 years!*

*Please save the date.*

A summer evening of musical entertainment with many of the Sherbrooke Market Musicians and special guests!

**When:** Tuesday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>  
7:00 pm

**Where:** Indian Harbour Lake  
Community Centre

Light refreshments following the music.

Voluntary contributions gratefully accepted for continued maintenance on this historic building.

Doors open at 6:30pm

# SHERBROOKE MARKET SOCIETY PRESENTS...

**2022  
SEASON**



**OPENING  
JULY 9TH  
9AM**

## AT SHERBROOKE VILLAGE HERITAGE PARK

- ENTRANCE ON COURT STREET
- PARKING AT SHERBROOKE VILLAGE PARKING LOT (NOT ACCESS ROAD)
- FOR MOST UPDATED INFORMATION, JOIN OUR FACEBOOK PAGE "SHERBROOKE SATURDAY MARKET" OR CHECK THE BULLETIN BOARD AT SHERBROOKE POST OFFICE
- TO PARTICIPATE AS A VENDOR, MUSICIAN, PERFORMANCE ARTIST OR VOLUNTEER, CONTACT GABRIELA SCHUPBACH ON MESSENGER. IF YOU DON'T HAVE ACCESS TO INTERNET, CALL 1-902-338-0290
- SEE YOU THERE!

"Be creative, think outside the box, then put it in the box and take it to the market."



33<sup>rd</sup> ANNUAL GUYSBOROUGH COUNTY 55+ GAMES  
 LISCOMBE LODGE – AUGUST 17th – 18th, 2022  
 Registration Deadline: July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Return this form to:  
 St. Mary's Municipal Office  
 Care of: Kerri Penney

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

(By giving us your email address you are giving us permission to send you information about the 55+ games)

**MEDICAL CONDITIONS/DIETARY REQUIREMENTS**

(PLEASE LIST ANY CONDITIONS WHICH ARE SERIOUS IN NATURE)

**Event Schedule**

DAY 1 – WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17th			DAY 2 – THURSDAY, AUGUST 18th		
Time	Event	Participation (please mark events you will be participating in)	Time	Event	Participation (please mark events you will be participating in)
9:00am	Registration Under Tent & Opening Remarks		7:00am	Breakfast (your choice/cost)	
10:15am	Walking event		9:00am	Indoor Shuffleboard	
	Ladder Golf			Carpet Bowling	
	Crokinole		12:00pm	Lunch (your choice/cost)	
10:30am	Boat Ride		1:15pm	45's	
11:45am	Lunch (your choice/cost)			Darts	
12:45pm	Washertoss		4:00pm	Closing Remarks	
	Outdoor Shuffle Board		<b>Please note:</b> Banquet is free for registered participants. Meal is Hot Turkey. Contact Liscombe Lodge at 902-779-5000 for other options. If you would like to take part in a boat tour, please sign up at the Lodge front desk. Swimming is available at any time		
	Scrabble				
3:00pm	Cribbage				
Room Check in					
3:30 pm	Boat Ride				
5:00pm	Free Time or Boat Ride				
6:30pm	Banquet				
8:00pm	Entertainment				

**TRANSPORTATION:** Do you require transportation? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 Can you provide transportation to others? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTRATION FEE OF \$50.00 ENTITLES YOU TO FREE BANQUET ON DAY 1**

Includes: Two days of games, banquet, entertainment, boat ride, snacks and more.

**Event Fees**

Registration fee: \$50.00

**Accommodations**

Single Room – \$120	Two persons to a room - \$60.00	Three persons to a room - \$48.00	Four persons to a room - \$40.00
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(All cheques can be made out to the Guysborough County Older Adult Games)

**WAIVER:** I understand that some of the activities in the Guysborough County 55+ Games are physically strenuous in nature. I feel that I don't have any health issues that would restrict me from safely participating in the Guysborough County Older Adult Games.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# July 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1 Happy Canada Day! Goshen Parade 11am Municipal Parade 4pm Adult Dance 9pm-1am MM Bake Sale 11am	2
3 Handgun Shoot Register by 2pm	4 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Goshen Vacation Bible School 9am-12pm	5 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Goshen Vacation School 9am-12pm Maple Manor Tea 930-11am Softball/Soccer 6pm Multisport 6pm	6 Rec. Day Camp 8am-4:0pm Goshen Vacation Bible School 9am-12pm Kids First Event 10-11:30am Goshen Game Day 1-4pm COTW Mtg. 4pm Lion's Bingo 7:45pm	7 Rec Day Camp 8am-430pm Goshen Vacation Bible School 9am-12pm Yoga Class 6:30pm Liscomb Crib 8pm	8 Goshen Vacation Bible School 9am-12pm MM Bake Sale 11am Chase the Ace 7pm CH Trivia & Dance 8pm	9 Sherbrooke Saturday Market 9am Bottle Depot 10am Sherbrooke Culture Club Event 7pm
10	11 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Regular Municipal Council Mtg in Goshen 4pm	12 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Softball/Soccer 6pm Multisport 6pm	13 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Babysitters Course 9am Kids First Event 10-11:30am Goshen Game Day 1-4pm Lion's Bingo 7:45pm	14 Rec Day Camp 8am-430pm Yoga Class 6:30pm Liscomb Crib 8pm	15 MM Bake Sale 11am Chase the Ace 7pm	16 Sherbrooke Saturday Market 9am CH Breakfast 830am
17 Sherbrooke Culture Club Jazz Session 7pm	18 Rec Day Camp 8am-430pm	19 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Softball/Soccer 6pm Multisport 6pm	20 Rec. Day Camp 8am-4:30pm Kids First Event 10-11:30am Goshen Game Day 1-4pm COTW Mtg. 4pm August Newsletter DL 4pm Lion's Bingo 7:45pm	21 Rec Day Camp 8am-430pm Yoga Class 6:30pm Liscomb Crib 8pm	22 MM Bake Sale 11am Chase the Ace 7pm	23 Bottle Depot 10am Sherbrooke Culture Club reading 7pm
24	25 Rec Day Camp 8am-4:30pmCal	26 Rec Day Camp 8am-4:30pm Softball/Soccer 6pm Multisport 6pm	27 Rec. Day Camp 8am-430pm Kids First Event 10-11:30am Goshen Game Day 1-4pm Lion's Bingo 7:45pm	28 Rec Day Camp 8am-430pm Yoga Class 6:30pm Liscomb Crib 8pm	29 MM Bake Sale 11am Chase the Ace 7pm	30
31 Municipal Tax Bill Due Date CH Poker Rally 1pm						