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PETITCODIAC HOLIDAY LIGHTS TOUR DECEMBER 16, 2022

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*Wishing you a
Merry Christmas and
Happy New Year from the
Staff of the
Local News & Views*



PETITCODIAC HOLIDAY LIGHTS TOUR

We are encouraging everyone to decorate their homes in Holiday fare to share with each other and kick off the Holiday season!

The Village of Petitedcodiac welcomes you to participate in the 2022 Petitedcodiac Holiday Lights Tour. The event will be held on Friday December 16th from 6-9 pm.

We encourage all residents to deck their halls in the season's festive décor for everyone to enjoy. By submitting your address as part of the tour you will be entered into a draw to win 1 of 8 \$25 value gift cards to our village businesses:

- The Great Canadian Dollar Store
- Foodland
- Zanna's Sizzling Cafe
- Honey and Spice Bakery
- The Vault
- Wine o Warehouse
- Chumley's
- The Pantry

For any questions please contact Natalie at 756-0289 or Misty at the Village office 756-3140.

SALISBURY CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING AND KIDS CHRISTMAS CRAFT NIGHT

The annual Christmas Tree Lighting at Highland Park is scheduled for the evening of Friday, December 9. This fun event will include SANTA CLAUS (bring your letters to Santa!), horse wagon rides, music, treats, and hot chocolate, please bring your own mug!



More on Village Holiday Celebrations:







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Another presentation by the Department of Recreation and Wellness will be its annual Kids Christmas Craft Night taking place on the evening of Tuesday, December 6 upstairs at the municipal building at 56 Douglas. Cost is \$5.00 per child

Registration is required and can be done by calling 372-3280 or emailing recreationandwellness@salisburynb.ca For updates on their plans for the Holiday Season, be sure to follow the Salisbury & Petitedcodiac Recreation Facebook page!

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From the Editor

Winter has arrived in New Brunswick!



What a wonderful trip we had to Prince Edward Island, on the weekend of November 18th and 19th for our 15th and 16th Maritime Motorsports Hall of Fame Induction. It was a great venue at the Rodd Royalty Resort. Total attendance was about 250 motorsport enthusiasts. I also want to take this opportunity to publicly say "THANK YOU" to all the people that helped in any way to do this event, it takes many hands to do something as special as this. We are already looking forward to the 2023 Induction Ceremony to be held in Nova Scotia. Have a look on the next page for photos of our new inductees, and if you have someone you think should be nominated stop by the hall!

December 3rd is the Christmas Bazaar at the Maritime Motorsports Hall of Fame on 5 Hooper Lane. Our Bazaar will be from 9:30am-2:30pm, there are many other craft sales happening in the area, if this is your interest be sure to read the paper carefully as not to miss any of the other announcements.

Starting the 1st of January, the Hall of Fame will be closed Saturdays, Sundays, and Mondays until the 1st of June, unless by appointment.

Have a Merry Christmas, Happy New Year and a Great Holiday!

From your editor,
Winona McLean

LOCAL NEWS & VIEWS

MONTHLY BULLETIN

- Local News & Views Monthly Bulletin is published once a month by the Maritime Motorsports Hall of Fame Inc.
- The purpose of the Local News & Views is to inform the general public what is happening at the Hall of Fame, as well as what is coming up within each community.
- It is also a venue for business to advertise their products and services each month.
 - It is intended to assist all the local service clubs in their endeavor to support their communities.
- Local News & Views will tell the stories of Local people as they go about their day to day activities making a positive difference in their communities.

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Sewing For The Dolls

Jeanie wanted to start early for Christmas.

"I would like to have my doll, Sarah, wear a new dress for the holidays," She told her playmate, Mary.

"I would like a new coat for Linda, my best doll," said Mary.

The two little girls got out their sewing kits, and found scraps of material in

the sewing box. Jeanie found a piece of bright red silk. She held it in front of her Sarah. "This is the right color for you," said Jeanie.

Mary found some green woolen material.

"This will keep Linda warm, and be pretty, too," said Mary.

The two little girls were busy with their sewing all morning. When they finally had the two small garments finished, they put them on the two dolls.

Linda looked very pretty in her green woolen coat, and Sarah looked beautiful in her bright red silk dress.

Without knowing it, they had chosen red and green, two of the Christmas colors, for their dolls.

"They look very Christmassy together," said Jeanie.

2021



back row: Paul Forgrave (accepting on behalf of Hinson Ashe), Raymond Bastille, Allan McPhail, Rudy Croken (accepting on behalf of the PEI Antique Auto Club), Glen St. Clair Walker, Deryl Peters (accepting on behalf of David Peters), Dwight Giddens, Kris Fournier

front row: Emmett "Emmo" Donahue, Bobby White, Kris Fournier, Jane Ogilvie

2022 Inductees



back row: Michael McCarville, Michael (Glenn) MacLean, Richard (Rick) Cashol, Kirk Johnston (accepting for Everett "Layton" Johnston), Paul Arsenault, Rudy Croken

front row: Tommy Harmes, Gary & Donald Roache (not in attendance), Kandy Mitton, Robert (Bob) Riley (not in attendance), Ruth Croken



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D e c e m b e r	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Maritime Motorsports Hall of Fame Hours: Monday-Friday 9:30AM-4:30PM				1 -Legion Branch Meeting	2 - Chase the Ace @ Legion	3 - Christmas Craft Show @ Legion - Christmas Bazaar Maritime Motorsports Hall of Fame
	4 -Church Services -Sunday School JAM -Discovery Kids -A.K.A Dance Studio	5 -Pilates -Air Cadets -Foot Care @ Legion - Youth Group - Petty Puppeteers - Seniors Meeting @ Legion - Crib @ Legion	6 -Afterschool LEGO @ Library -A.K.A Dance Studio	7 -Library Storytime -Pilates -A.K.A Dance Studio -Legion Noon Meal - KD Wednesday @ Baptist Church	8 -Book Club @ Library	9 -Cricut Craft @ Library - Chase the Ace @ Legion	10 - Craft Sale @ Elgin Fire hall
	11 -Church Services -Sunday School JAM -Discovery Kids -A.K.A Dance Studio	12 -Pilates -Youth Group - Petty Puppeteers - Merry Makers 2 @ Legion - Crib @ Legion	13 -Afterschool LEGO @ Library -A.K.A Dance Studio -Women's Institute	14 -Library Storytime -Pilates -A.K.A Dance Studio -Village Council -Legion Noon Meal - KD Wednesday @ Baptist Church	15 -Petitcodiac Sportsman Club	16 - Chase the Ace @ Legion	17 - Last Chance Sale @ Havelock Memorial hall
	18 -Church Services\ -Sunday School JAM -A.K.A Dance Studio	19 -Pilates -Air Cadets	20 -Afterschool LEGO @ Library -A.K.A Dance Studio -ATV Club	21 -Library Storytime -Pilates -A.K.A Dance Studio	22	23 - Chase the Ace @ Legion	24 Christmas Eve - Christmas Eve Services 
	25 Christmas Day 	26 Boxing Day 	27 -A.K.A Dance Studio	28 -Library Storytime -Pilates -A.K.A Dance Studio	29 -Codiac Classics	30 - Chase the Ace @ Legion	31 New Year's Eve 

A.K.A. Dance Studio

Class schedule until Dec. 12
 Sun 1:30-2:15 - Intro to Hip Hop(6 & up)
 2:15 - 2:45 - 1-3 yrs Mommy & me
 Tues., .6-6:45 - 3-4 yrs Tap & Jazz
 Wed., 3:15-4:15 - Acrobatics Level #2+3
 4:15-5:15 - Acrobatics Level #2
 5:15-6:00 - Acrobatics Level #1
 6:00-7:00 - 5-8 Yr old Tap & Jazz
 7:00-8:00 - Acrobatics Level #2
 Contact Alanna for more info: 233-3052
 Visit us on facebook at:
 A.K.A Dance Studio. 85 Renfrew.

639 F.P.MacLaren Air Cadets

Mon. at 6 pm @ Legion. Ages 12 to 18 are welcome to join. For info contact: C/O Jason Forester - 850-9276

Church Services

-Petitcodiac Baptist
 Morning Worship at 10:30 am.
 -Petitcodiac Mennonite
 Worship Service 11:00 am.
 -St. Andrew's Anglican
 Sunday Service 9:00 am.

Christmas Craft Sales

Dec 3rd - Maritime Motorsports Hall of Fame Christmas Bazaar
Dec 3rd - Legion Christmas Craft Show (see "Legion" below for details)
Dec 10th - Elgin Fire Hall. Craft Sale 9am to 2pm. Canteen available. For more information contact Kim Chambers or Trycia Wade
Dec 17th - Havelock Memorial Hall - Last Chance Sale. 9am to 1pm. For more information contact Kim Chambers

Codiac Classics

Meeting Last Thursday of the month @ 7 pm.

Kiwanis

Call Dan Pollock 756-1084 for more information.

Petitcodiac Sportsman Club

- Meets on 3rd Thurs. of the month at 7:30 pm. New members welcome. Club house is located at 1030 Sanatorium Road. www.sportsmanclub.ca

Legion

18 Kay St, Petitcodiac.
 756-3383

- Thurs., Dec. 1 - Legion general meeting, 7 pm.
 - Sat., Dec. 3 - CHRISTMAS CRAFT SHOW - 9 am - 2 pm. - Vendors can contact the Legion at 756.3383 for an 8' table for \$20 Canteen with soup, sandwiches, dessert, tea and coffee available.
 - Mon., Dec. 5- Seniors meeting, 2 P.M Supper 4 p.m.
 - Mon., Dec. 5 & 12 - Crib starting at 7 p.m.
 - Mon., Dec. 12 - Merry Makers 2. - 10 am to 2 pm. Light lunch at noon for \$6.
 - Fridays, Dec. 2, 9, 15, 23, 30. Chase the Ace. Tickets now \$5 each, sold 6:30 to 8 pm. Draw at 8:15 p.m. 50/50 draw. Tickets will be available during the week at the Legion bar during operating hours , Needs Convenience Store and Jean Coutu Drug Store. If your ticket is drawn and you are not present, you will be called. Come meet your friends and enjoy live music.
 - Monday, Dec. 5 - Coleman's Therapeutic

Foot care, Jessica Melanson, LPN; Advanced Foot care Technician; call for an appointment 381.5422.

PLEASE NOTE: Levee Sunday, Jan, 1, 1 - 4 pm. ENTERTAINMENT WILL BE CHERYL HOPPER AND DAVE PIKE

- Legion Noon Meals. \$12.00.
 - Dec. 7 - Roast Beef
 - Dec. 14 - Cod Fish

PLEASE NOTE: Dinners will start up again Jan. 18 and cost will be \$15

FACEBOOK: Royal Canadian Legion Branch # 41."like" it.

- Hall Rental: If you wish to rent the hall for a wedding reception, birthday or any other function, call Legion.

- Attention: If any Legion member knows of another member ill or in hospital, please call us at 756.3383

Pilates

Mon. at 5:30 pm, Wed. at 6 pm at 800 Route 885 (Havelock Rd.). Private consultations available Mon. Wed. and Fri. Call Lee at 756-9008 for details.

Sudoku

	2		6			4		
	7		8		9			
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		2			5		9	

The objective is to fill a 9x9 grid so that each column, each row, and each of the nine 3x3 boxes (also called blocks or regions) contain the digits from 1 to 9.

Answers on page 8

Library (756-3144)

OPEN HOURS:

- Tues: 10 am - 1 pm / 2 - 5 pm
- Wed: 10 am - 1 pm / 2 - 5 pm
- Thu: 12 - 4 pm / 5 - 7 pm
- Fri: 10 am - 1 pm / 2 - 5 pm
- Sat: 10 am - 1 pm / 2 - 5 pm
- Afterschool LEGO Construction Club - Tuesdays, 2:30 - 4:00 pm.
- Storytime (Ages 0-5) Wednesdays from 10:30-11
- Adult Book Club - Book Club will be starting back up again! Join us to help pick our books for 2023. Thurs., Dec. 8 from 5:30 - 7 pm.
- Christmas Cricut Craft (Ages 4 - 10). Fri. Dec. 9 from 2:30 - 4:00. Come to the library to make a fun Holiday-themed cardstock craft with our Cricut machine!
- Please visit our website and Facebook page for information and updates.

Petitcodiac Baptist Church

- Sunday Morning Service @10:30am (Nursery available)
- Sunday School JAM - 10:30am (K-Gr. 5)
- Discovery Kids - Sun @6:30pm (K-Gr.5)
- Petty Puppeteers - Mondays @6:15pm
- Youth BLAST - Mon. @7:30pm (Gr 6-12)
- KD Lunch - Wed. @Noon (Gr. 9 - 12)

Petty Trailblazers ATV Club

Meets 3rd Tuesday @ 7pm at the Club House.

Village Council

Meetings open to public. If you wish to address council, make a formal written request to office 48 hours prior. This Month: Dec. 14 @ noon.

Women's Institute

Meets second Tuesday of the month at 1PM. Call Blanche for more info 756-2011



Village Council News

The Village of Petitcodiac and the Petitcodiac Fire Department in conjunction with the Boys and Girls club of Petitcodiac/Salisbury are proud to present the annual Santa Claus Festival of Lights Parade Friday December 2, 2022 at 7pm. A reminder to young and old, don't forget to write your letter to Santa as they will be collected along the parade route. Santa Claus will be at the fire hall following the parade handing out treats. Hotdogs and hot chocolate will also be available.

This year's Holiday Lights Tour will take place on December 16. Council is encouraging everyone to decorate their homes in Holiday fare. We encourage all residents to deck the halls in the season's festive decor. By submitting your address as part of the tour you will be entered into a draw to win one of eight \$25 gift cards from some of our local businesses. For more information contact Natalie Griffin at 756-0289 Village Council would like to congratulate Petitcodiac Kiwanis club for raising \$2000 at their latest breakfast. This money will be donated to the Maggie Corey fund.

Hat's off to the Petitcodiac and Salisbury District Minor Hockey Association for putting on a great

competitive level hockey tournament. Congratulations to all the players, coaches, parents and friends who played supported and/or attended the games.

Hopefully when you read this the new Maple Street rink will be up and running. The new light poles are in, but today it still needs lights installed, the changing hut positioned and everything wired up. All of these items are in the works.

Once again, the village has Leased a payloader equipped to help plow the village streets. It would be a perfect winter if snow only fell on the snowmobile trails, snowshoe trails, cross country ski trails and the ski slopes around Petitcodiac but probably not going to happen!

I would like to congratulate the first council elected for the Community of Three Rivers. I have the greatest confidence they will do a great job representing all residents of the new Community of Three Rivers over the next four years.

On behalf of the Petitcodiac Village Council I want to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Please remember "kindness is free, so sprinkle it everywhere."

Evening of Carols, Candles, and More!

New Canaan Baptist Church

Sunday, December 11th (snow date 18th)

7:00PM

Refreshments following
Everyone welcome

The Harrisons

by Parker Goddard





With the holidays quickly approaching we would like to invite you to shop local this Christmas at The Pantry Food Hub. A reminder that every purchase made goes back to support the talented entrepreneurs from our area and our mission at The Pantry, to reduce food waste, enhance food security

and support the local economy. We are thankful this holiday season to be apart of such an amazing community and want to say thank you for your continued support.

We have lots of unique food products for the foodie in your life or locally produced craft & gift items, many being produced right here in Petitcodiac.

You can find:

- Colpitts Family Beeswax candles
- Knitted slippers, mittens, crafts and more by Maritime Crafting
- One Field Farm Soap, bath bombs & shampoo
- Local photo cards & prints
- Woodworking such as cutting boards, pens, shelves & garden weeders
- Krafty Keith's Scrunchies
- Beeswax wraps

- Bird houses
- Candles
- Lip balm
- Macrame
- Re-usable grocery bags
- & more!!

We will also be offering custom gift boxes and baskets filled with local products! Perfect as a corporate gift or hard to buy for person on your list.

Be sure to stop by before or after the parade, December 2nd as we will be open late for our holiday shop local event.

Please note we have extended our hours for the holidays and will stay open later Saturdays.

December hours:
Wednesday - 10-5pm
Thursday - 10-7pm
Friday - 10-5pm
Saturday - 10-5pm

Happy Holidays & Hope to see you soon at The Pantry



PETITCODIAC KIWANIS HAPPENINGS



KIWANIS PRESIDENT LEN DUNFIELD WITH TRIVIA NIGHT WINNERS

The weekend of November 4th and 5th was a busy and successful weekend for the Petitcodiac Kiwanis. On Friday night we held our 13th bi-annual trivia night. There were 11 teams participating and our trivia guru, Rick Brown, had 100 memory testing questions to make it an evening of fun, lots of laughs and a few "how did we miss that question?". The team of Erica Brown, Josh Corey, Megan MacLeod, Geoff MacLeod, Heather Epp and Rob Brown took home the top prize of \$1,200, they were repeat winners from May of this year. Plans are in the works to hold our next Trivia Night in May 2023. It is never too early to ask family and friends to pull a team together!

Less than eight hours later we were back at the Petitcodiac Legion preparing for breakfast in support of Maggie Corey. Jim Stark, Kiwanis Breakfast Chairman said this was one of the largest attended breakfasts held by the Kiwanis. Thanks to the 240 people who supported the breakfast by buying tickets and many of those who donated money as well - we raised \$2,000 in support of Maggie. Thank you

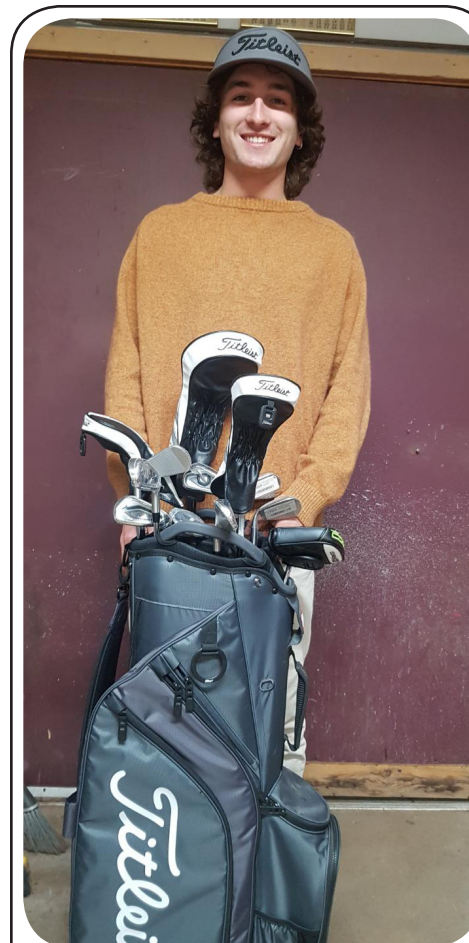
to Degenhardt Meats for donating the sausage, Dan Kelly for donating the maple syrup and our Local News & Views for their promotion.

A big thank you to the Petitcodiac Legion for the use of their great facilities for both of these events.

The next big event is our 3rd annual Legion/ Kiwanis Seniors Christmas Dinner on December 10th. This full turkey dinner is no charge, will be delivered within village limits with pick up also available. See the bulletin in this News & Views for full details on how to place your order.

On top of these special events, the Kiwanis Canteen at the arena is in full operation. We are open evenings and on the weekends. We are known throughout the hockey circuit for our onion rings and hot chocolate.

Want to get involved in your community? Consider becoming a member of Petitcodiac Kiwanis. We need new members to continue to support the youth and other projects in our community and we have fun doing it. **If interested contact Len Dunfield at 434-2233.**



A big congratulations goes out to Christian Landry of Colpitts Settlement who won the raffle on the Titleist golf bag and clubs (retail value over \$4500) Hopefully it will help him out in our golf tournament next August 26th!

Sliding Down the Railing

By Gloria Scribner

I never walked downstairs at all
 And Mama how she'd frown
 I climbed the stairs at bedtime
 But I "rode the railing" down

It wasn't nearly half the fun
 For on my way to bed
 I'd rather stay up all night long
 And be a kid instead

But bedtime came at 8 o'clock
 And I had best obey
 Oh why could night time not be
 A bit more like today

But Christmas Eve t'was difficult
 To sleep you see, because
 I'd hung my empty stocking
 To be filled by Santa Clause

I tried to stay awake until
 I heard him on the roof
 I yawned and nodded off instead
 And never heard a hoof

But when the old clock chimed the hour
 I tiptoed through the night
 And seeing red before my eyes
 I laughed at such a sight

For with his pack upon his back
 And a Ho! Ho! He was sailing
 As on the stairway - I saw
 Santa sliding down the railing!



PETITCODIAC AND DISTRICT FIGURE SKATING CLUB



Last month we talked about PreCanSkate and CanSkate. Now let's talk about figure skating. And our Christmas Showcase!

After a skater has gotten their Stage 4 CanSkate badge (there are six badges in total), they are eligible to move to the Jumpstart program. Jumpstart is the transition between CanSkate and the Figure Skating program. Jumpstart skaters are still technically Can Skaters and will continue to work on the elements for the remaining two badges. They are on the ice with skaters that are in the StarSkate program - more about that in a moment. Jumpstart skaters work in group lessons and are always supervised. They also start working on things that they will need as they finish their badges and move out of Jumpstart and into the StarSkate program. As Jumpstart skaters are still technically CanSkaters, they wear their helmets.

After your skater has finished their Stage 6 badge, they then move into the StarSkate program. There skaters will learn dances, skills and free skate elements - the jumps and spins that are so exciting. There are tests in these streams starting with Star 1 and going to Star 10, then Gold level tests. In Dance, there are Diamond level dances after the Gold level dances. And to add just a bit more confusion there are also Artistic Free tests that skaters can take. The Artistic tests start at Star 5 level. Skaters will progress through the levels at their own rate. At the lower levels, the coaches can assess the skater when they feel the skater is ready. Eventually, skaters need to be assessed by higher

level judges and will need to test at high level test days.

In the lower Star levels, skaters continue to have some group time and will also start to learn to work independently. Your skater will also need private lessons. These can start at the Jumpstart level. Parents arrange private lessons with the coaches. Typically, a skater will have a primary coach, but it is common for a skater to see more than one coach, particularly at higher levels. This is something that would be discussed between parents and coaches.

Finally, there is equipment. Figure skaters need stretchy, comfortable clothing that they can move in easily. The clothing should not be baggy. Baggy clothing can easily be caught by a skate blade and could cause a bad fall. The most important piece of equipment however are the skates and the blades. Skates need to provide support and should be fairly stiff from side to side but allow the skater to bend a 'bit' forward at the ankle. Blades need to be rust free and still have a rocker. Skates do not have to be new and it is quite common, especially for younger skaters who are growing, to have second (or third or fourth) hand skates.

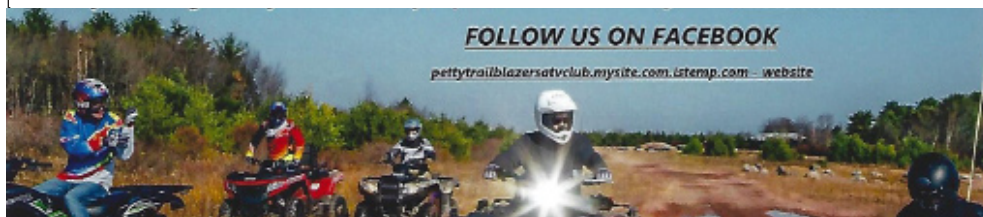
So, now that you know a bit about figure skating, we are planning a Christmas Showcase this year. Our Jumpstart and up skaters will be performing in it. It will be on December 21 at 5:30 pm. There is no charge to come watch and we hope to see you there. Please watch our Facebook page for any updates on the showcase.

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Home of Petty Trailblazers ATV Club

*Meets 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 7pm
at the Club House.*

Check our facebook page for any updates or events.



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Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from all of US



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Sudoku (page 5) Answers

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6	5	8	3	9	2	7	1	4
9	1	3	7	4	6	8	2	5
7	4	2	1	8	5	3	9	6

Comedy at Large

by Laurie Blanchard Salisbury, NB

In an automotive newspaper, in the classifieds, was an interesting product. They claim that this non-toxic solution would keep mice, rats and other unwanted rodents away as they do not like the odor. It then states that their product has the proven ability to protect your automobiles, tractor cabs, boats, campers AND cottages during storage. Now, let me get this straight... you can store the above mentioned for the winter, but a cottage?? How does one store that for the winter? You would have to jack it up and haul it away on a large flat bed to perhaps an old abandoned airplane hangar for the winter? That would be quite costly, let alone the return trip in the spring to put it back where it came from!

As we all know, in early November, diesel fuel spiked upwards a total of 68 cents a litre to \$3.02! Now that a big increase! The following day, in the November 10th paper, it was announced that the price had dropped to just barely under \$3.00 to \$2.99 a litre! I was so tempted to go up to the Big Stop to see the truckers doing cartwheels, jumping jacks and the happy dance for how much lower the price was today! Do you detect a slight air of sarcasm? I thought so!

PEOPLE WHO LAUGH A LOT LIVE LONGER

LET'S HAVE SOME FUN THIS WINTER!



What can I do at Off Grid Adventure during the winter?

- Winter camp
- Snowshoeing - we have 12+ trails!
- Snowmobiling - we have trail access
- Rock climb, zipline & more in our outdoor Adventure Park
- As of Dec 30 - Indoor Rock Climb in our Play & Stay Cabin!

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URBAN/RURAL RIDES RECEIVES LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR'S AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN AGING



appreciation to the Lieutenant-Governor, those who nominated the organization and those in attendance at the event for recognizing the value and contribution volunteer driving programs bring to communities and older adults.

Taylor went on to express gratitude for the recognition of the tireless effort the volunteer drivers, the

On October 15th, Urban/Rural Rides received the Lieutenant-Governor's Award for Excellence in Aging during the Aging Care and Research Symposium in Fredericton. The Honourable Brenda Murphy (right) presented the award to Kelly Taylor, Executive Director of Urban/Rural Rides (left) and Kirstin Shortt, President of the Board of Directors (middle).

The organization had two nominations. One by Jana Jones of Silvermark and the other by Susanne White, Social Inclusion and Community Development Coordinator, Fredericton Region.

Jana Jones from Silvermark, who nominated Urban/Rural Rides for the award, gave a touching speech about why she nominated the program and how in the short time she has been aware of it, since mid 2021, she has witnessed how it changes lives and has impacted hers as well. The recording of her speech is available on the Urban/Rural Rides Facebook page.

Both Shortt and Taylor expressed

staff and the board of directors invest in the program to provide safe affordable transportation to seniors in New Brunswick. She shared that throughout the years there are many stories of how the service has helped older adults stay in their homes longer avoiding nursing homes and long-term care facilities, how many friendships have been formed between drivers and clients, how many drivers report an increased sense of purpose and joy by helping others, and how many clients report a sense of belonging and value because someone cares.

Taylor said "It is more than just a ride. Together we are changing lives one ride at a time."

Urban/Rural Rides is always looking to add more amazing volunteers to their team. If you would like to be part of a team that is making a real impact in the lives of people in the community you can contact Urban/Rural Rides to volunteer at 962-3073, email urbanruralrides@gmail.com or visit the website at <http://urbanruralrides.ca>

From the Desk of Your MLA Ross Wetmore, Gagetown - Petitcodiac

November 12/2022: "Got your winter tires on yet? Ha ha ha, its 20 degrees!"

November 20/2022: "Got your winter tires on yet? I wouldn't want to be out there without them!"

And just like that, winter has found us. It was a good run of warm weather and a big change from a couple of winters back when it snowed in October and really never went away.

I imagine it was quite a jarring change for folks who have recently come to New Brunswick from warmer parts of the world, which could actually be quite a number. According to Statistics Canada, 6581 people immigrated to our province last year.

Some of these folks have arrived here under the worst of all possible conditions, forced from their homelands by war or murderous dictators and regimes. As we ramp up our Christmas and holiday preparations, I hope we will make an extra effort to show these folks what New Brunswickers are known for, kindness and hospitality.

This Christmas and winter season there will be more people needing help as fuel and food costs overwhelm some household budgets. Food banks have been asking people who are able, to help them more than ever. Some food banks have produced a 'Reverse Advent Calendar' with suggested food items to be donated. Home and school groups have also been making an extra effort to help out. Thanks to everyone for helping.

On the home and school front, A great big congratulations to our youth at Petitcodiac Regional School and Sam Cornect, teacher and mentor, on winning the National Award for Youth Involvement from communities in

bloom. Their new student community garden at the school is a shining example of the importance of involving children and youth in planting, growing, and harvesting, along with the importance of protecting our environment. Three Cheers for all!

As we proceed into winter, I will leave you with this Winter poem by Robert Louis Stevenson. Do you think it may have been written as Father Christmas?

Winter Time

by Robert Louis Stevenson

*Late lies the wintry sun a-bed,
A frosty, fiery sleepy-head;
Blinks but an hour or two; and then,
A blood-red orange, sets again.*

*Before the stars have left the skies,
At morning in the dark I rise;
And shivering in my nakedness,
By the cold candle, bathe and dress.*

*Close by the jolly fire I sit
To warm my frozen bones a bit;
Or with a reindeer-sled, explore
The colder countries round the door.*

*When to go out, my nurse doth wrap
Me in my comforter and cap;
The cold wind burns my face, and
blows*

Its frosty pepper up my nose.

*Black are my steps on silver sod;
Thick blows my frosty breath abroad;
And tree and house, and hill and lake,
Are frosted like a wedding-cake.*

Until next time, I hope you and yours stay well and have a wonderful holiday season.

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Local Churches Join for Christmas Cantata

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Mackenzie says "After two years of restrictions this year's choir is more excited then ever to be sharing the Christmas story through music to our surrounding communities this Christmas. It is wonderful to see us come together and celebrate the coming of Jesus. Come out and support the choir and it is our hope that you will find joy, peace and blessing through the music they will share."

The Cantata will be preformed on:

Friday night, December 9th at Elgin Baptist Church
Saturday night, December 10th at First North River Baptist Church
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 • ¼ cup white sugar
 • ¼ cup brown sugar
 • Add 1 egg, beat batter
 • Add ¼ cup milk
 • ½ teaspoon vanilla
 Beat until smooth
 In another bowl mix:
 • 1 ¾ cups flour
 • 1 teaspoon cream of tartar
 • ½ teaspoon baking soda
 • ¼ teaspoon salt
 Add to butter mixture and mix well.
 Spread evenly on a greased pizza pan.
 Bake at 375F degrees for 20 minutes until golden.
 Cool completely.



FILLING:
 Beat until light and fluffy:
 • 8oz block of softened cream cheese
 • 1 ¼ cups icing sugar
 • 1 teaspoon lemon juice
 Fold in:
 • 2 cups thawed cool whip
 Spread evenly over crust
 Arrange over cream cheese to make an attractive pattern:
 • 2 ½ cups sliced strawberries
 • 1 cup sliced kiwifruit
 Heat 1/3 cup apple jelly over low heat until melted
 Brush over fruit to prevent fruit from drying out.
 Chill until ready to serve.

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 I hope everyone has enjoyed cooking these recipes with me throughout the year.

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Common Sense Health - W. Gifford-Jones, MD
 and Diana Gifford-Jones

What Have We Learned in 30 Years?

This month entails a visit to the Gifford-Jones archives. What follows is an excerpt from a column on diabetes published thirty years ago. What has changed in society? You be the judge.

November 1992:

Diabetes results from an abnormal handling of food by the body. Normally some food is converted into a sugar called glucose. This stimulates the secretion of the hormone, insulin, which acts as a "key" to allow glucose to enter the cells. Glucose is then used as "fuel" to provide energy.

There are two types of diabetes. Type I is inherited. It usually occurs before 30 years of age. In these cases, the pancreas produces little or no insulin. It's believed that the immune system in some people gradually destroys the pancreatic cells which produce insulin.

Type II normally strikes after age 40 and these patients are often grossly overweight. The pancreas still produces some insulin, but it's like a tired, overworked horse that's been badly treated for many years. The little insulin produced is also less able to penetrate the cells, a condition called "insulin resistance".

Too many people have been misled by Sir Frederick Banting's discovery of insulin in 1921. This hormone, like a blanket that puts out a fire, prevents diabetic coma

diabetic coma and eventual death. But insulin cannot extinguish the smouldering diabetic ashes which may cause a variety of catastrophic complications later in life.

This smouldering condition affects the large and small arteries of the body. Like plumbing coated with rust, the arteries become narrowed. This is known as atherosclerosis. Prime targets are the coronary arteries resulting in premature heart attack.

Diabetics also suffer more often from diabetic retinopathy. The arteries at the back of the eye become more numerous, weakened, and often rupture releasing blood into the vitreous chamber of the eye. This causes adhesions which tug on the retina and may cause detachment of the lining which sends images to the brain.

About 30 per cent of Type I diabetics and 5 to 10 per cent of Type II diabetics develop chronic renal disease. High blood sugars cause degenerative changes in the nerves triggering numbness and pain in the feet. Damage to blood vessels and nerves also causes impotence in males. Families must ask themselves a paramount question. Is self-indulgence worth this terrible price? If the answer is "no", the next point is equally vital. Weight loss under normal conditions is not easy. But when diabetes strikes,

losing pounds becomes a delicate balancing act. Blood sugar must be controlled while at the same time shedding pounds.

Prevention of Type II diabetes by controlling weight gain is the only sensible route. A first step to avoid obesity is to buy a scale. The next is to step on it every day.

Avoid sugar like the plague. The problem is that hidden sugar wears a coat of many colours. It's disguised in packaged foods, cereals, and soft drinks. Indirectly it's a major source of obesity and Type II diabetes. Don't compound the problem by adding more sugar to your food and beverages.

Eat whole grain foods such as pasta

along with fresh fruits and vegetables. These foods slowly release sugar into the blood following a meal and place less stress on the pancreas. Exercise, exercise, exercise.

Don't expect help from the government or public health associations. They'll protect you from dirty restaurants, but not from Type II diabetes. Their failure to take an aggressive stand on this matter is the most flagrant lapse of responsibility in the history of medicine.

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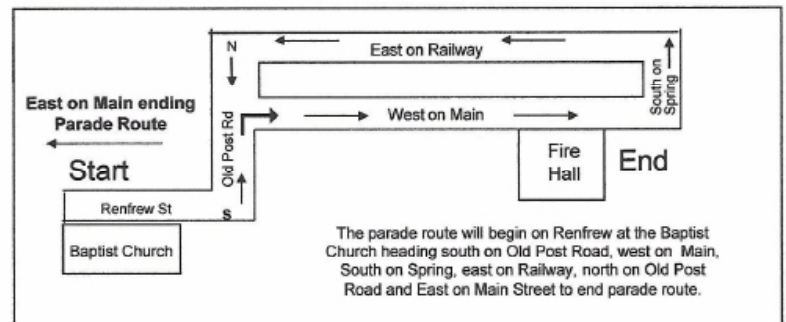
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We're happy to announce
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A Tree, A Hero



Mark Cullen is an expert gardener, author, broadcaster, tree advocate and Member of the Order of Canada. His son Ben is a fourth-generation urban gardener and graduate of University of Guelph and Dalhousie University in Halifax. Follow them at markcullen.com, [@markcullengardening](https://www.facebook.com/markcullengardening), and on Facebook.

"When a tree was planted a tree in my honour, I felt like I was receiving a big hug of thanks! It reminded me that what I do is important in improving the health and well being of the patients that I serve. It encouraged me to continue to do the most that I can every day to help make the lives of my patients the best they can possibly be." Dr. Nora Park, a health care professional.

COVID has occurred at a cost. Our observation is that there are fewer blue ribbons on trees and front yard tributes to our COVID heroes. There are over 2 million Canadians working in the health care profession who carried on through the ups and downs of a health crisis in Canada for the last two and half years.

We have a suggestion. Let's plant a tree that sends a message to the people who have been there for us. Health care workers, first responders, teachers, personal care workers: you can finish the list based on your own experience.

Trees For Life, Trees For Heroes is a program that provides a living acknowledgment to those we want to send a "thank you". We are planting

trees in the urban environment, where Canadians live, work, and play. Full disclosure, Mark is the volunteer Chair of this new organization.

For the last two years, Trees For Life has quietly gone about its business planting over a million trees with the support of the 2 Billion Tree program at Canada's Ministry of Natural Resources and private Canadian donors. This year, Trees For Life will receive \$2.4 million in support from this program and it has pledged to match this money through the Trees For Heroes program.

When you donate \$150 for a tree, you can attach a name to it. A certificate is created and sent to the person you honour with this living tribute to them. At the end of the year, you will be informed as to where your tree is located.

All trees are native to Canada, planted according to strict planting protocols that ensure maximum chances of survival.

The genesis of the idea started here, in this column, more than 8 years ago, when Mark wrote about the value of a healthy urban tree canopy.

That column generated the interest of 14 not for profit tree planting organizations that met for two years to discuss what they could accomplish by working together. Forests Ontario and Landscape Ontario took the lead in a campaign to reforest the Highway of Heroes, 170 kilometres of highway between the Coroner's office at Keele Street and the 401 and CFB Trenton.

At first progress was slow, but
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Trees cont.

as word spread, we gained traction and credibility for doing what we promised: to plant 2 million trees on and near the Highway of Heroes, one for each Canadian lost at war and one for each who volunteered for military service during war.

That campaign is wrapping up now, our last official tree planted on November 2nd by previous Governor General Right Honorable David Johnston, in Toronto at Old Fort York.

The successful campaign to reforest the Highway of Heroes included over 825 planting sites, 4,000 tree planting volunteers, 3,200 donors and \$10 million, half of which came from private Canadians and corporations and

half from government sources.

The experience of the Highway of Heroes Tree Campaign provided many lessons but most of all it has left the volunteer and staff team at Trees For Life, Trees For Heroes inspired. We are taking urban tree planting to a new level, investing in community lead, volunteer driven tree planting in every province in the country. Currently, we are planting in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, British Columbia, Alberta and of course here in Ontario.

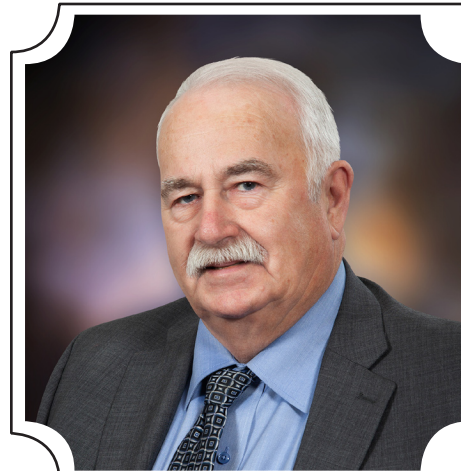
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ELGIN WOMEN'S INSTITUTE

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HAPPY HOLIDAYS
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-Laurie Stewart

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Dear friends of the Elgin Eco Association. We are wishing everybody a happy Hanukkah, a merry Christmas, and a wonderful holiday season.

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We are hoping that with the new rural community of Three Rivers we will

continue to receive adequate funding for our park. As you may remember years ago the LSD of Elgin centre and Elgin parish voted to provide funding for this recreational area. Due to these changes things might be different.

The support of the bottle drop off is incredible and we are so grateful for everyone that drops off their bottles to benefit our association.

Due to the importance of next year's bike race we are already preparing and looking for those interested in volunteering and sponsors for our 20th annual bike race.

Have a great holiday season. We hope to see you in 2023!

Please consider becoming a volunteer. It connects you with the community. Meetings are held the first Thursday of every month except December at 7:00PM, come see what the EEA is all about.

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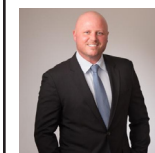
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1993

Mrs. Corey Stiles, Alice (Wilson) holding her great great grandson Corey M. Stiles, standing great grandfather Lawrence E. Stiles, grandfather, Leslie Corey Stiles, Father Michael A. Stiles



2022

Corey M. Stiles holding his son Zayden Corey M. Stiles, son of his wife Alicia Stiles; grandfather Michael A. Stiles, great great grandfather Lawrence E. Stiles and great grandfather Leslie Corey Stiles



Corey and Alice Stiles, Lawrence and Kennie Stiles

MEMORIAL

Remembering a wonderful brother Kenneth Sanford who passed away December 10th 2021 and a wonderful sister Linda (MacPhee) Morris who passed away December 22nd 2014

Both are missed so much, and loved so dearly

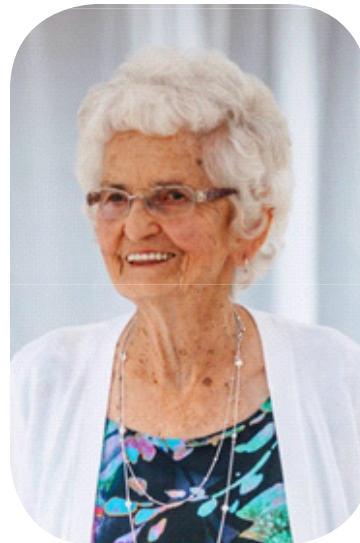
Roger & Bonna, Rhonda, Scott and their families

NOTICE

TOPS weight loss group meets on Tuesday evenings at St. Jude's Catholic Church (Salisbury NB) in the basement. There are no stairs at the rear doors. We meet at 6pm for weigh-in, then a meeting with program at 6:30pm. If interested in coming to see what we do please call Donna at 506-588-1817 or Carole at 506-871-0419

OBITUARIES

Margaret Balzer 1925-2022



It is with sadness and yet great thanksgiving, that we announce that Margaret Shirley Balzer (Bishop) went home to be with her Lord and Saviour on Tuesday, November 15, 2022 at the age of 97.

Margaret Shirley Bishop was born on February 10, 1925, in Hillgrove, NB. She was the daughter of Whitfield and Nettie Bishop and the youngest of 11 children.

On June 2, 1945, Margaret was married to William "Bill" Balzer, a former airman in the Royal Canadian Air Force. The couple resided their entire married life in Petitcodiac, N.B. There they raised their 3 children, Brian, Dwight and Shelley. They also owned and operated "Balzer's Gift Store" for many years in the town. Married for almost 54 years, Bill passed away in 1998.

Margaret was greatly loved by sons Brian (Barbara) of Sussex, NB, Dwight (Nicole) of Moncton, NB and daughter, Shelley (Mark Josephs) of Toronto, ON. She was also cherished by her grandchildren; Christopher, Ryan, Emily, Meaghan, Katie, Jonathan, Charissa, Ellisa and Daniella, and 12 great-grandchildren; Kyle, Cole, Jari, Zion, Deo, Quinn, Iyanu, Elias, Jade, Kensington, Micah, and Olivia.

In addition to raising her family and helping run their business, Margaret also worked as a caregiver for many years, first at Dunham's Nursing Home (owned by her sister Frances) and in the later years at Spencer Memorial Home, retiring from full time work in 1988. She loved to garden, (which was evident to all who drove by her home on Renfrew St.) bake and preserve the vegetables she harvested.

An active member for more than 75 years at Petitcodiac United Baptist Church, she was involved over the years in Pioneer Girls Club, on the social committee and other areas. She rarely

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missed a Sunday service or midweek prayer meeting. She was a faithful servant and loved to serve her family and church in whatever way she could.

She was predeceased by parents, Whitfield and Nettie (Cain) Bishop; brothers Fay, Rupert, Maurice, Ken and Bertrum and sisters Lillian, Sadie, Kathryn, Eleanor and Frances.

Resting at Armstrong's Funeral Chapel, 33 Russell Street (756-3361) visiting was Thursday, November 24 from 4 to 6 pm. The funeral service was held at the Petitcodiac Baptist Church on Friday, November 25 at 1 pm with Rev. David Woodworth presiding. Interment took place following the service at Maplewood Cemetery.

If desired, donations in memory of Margaret to the Petitcodiac Baptist Church would be appreciated by the family. Online donations and condolences at www.keirsteads.ca

Garda Perry 1948-2022



It is with sadness the family announces the passing of Garda (Surrett) Perry, 74, of Salisbury, on November 10th at The Moncton Hospital. Born in Moncton, she was a daughter to the late Lorne & Lula May (Parsons) Surrett.

Garda is survived and sadly missed by her husband, Don Perry; her son, Jody Perry (Chantal); her daughter, Wendy Carter (Steve); her four siblings; her four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Salisbury Funeral Home (372-4800). A Celebration of Life for Garda was held on Wednesday, November 16th, with sharing of memories beginning at 2:30pm. Visiting time was held after, until 4:00pm.

If desired, donations in memory of Garda may be made to a charity of the donor's choice. Online condolences and donations can be made at www.keirsteads.ca

MEMORIAL

Donna Bishop Hargrove
February 1942 - November 2018



In loving memory of my dear wife Donna Marie Hargrove who passed away November 26, 2018
Forever loved and dearly missed by husband Clifford and Family

OBITUARIES

Michael Geldart
1951-2022



It is with sadness the family announces the passing of Michael Stephen Geldart, 71, of Salisbury. Born in Campbellton he was the son of the late Eldridge & Alyuna (Price) Geldart.

A career handyman, Michael led successful vocations as an industrial mechanic for CNR, and later in life spent time as a computer technician and enthusiast. Michael also enjoyed hobbies ranging from competitive handgun marksmanship to watching baseball and nighttime hockey, and was an avid reader and enjoyer of historical film.

Michael is survived and sadly missed by his wife of 38 years, Norma Geldart; his sons, Evan (Meagan) and Nicholas Geldart; his grandchildren, Emry and Briar; his siblings: Kathie Lapierre (Marcel), Susan McPhail (Bruce), Nancy Gilbert (late Stephen), Andy Geldart (Heather) and several nieces and nephews.

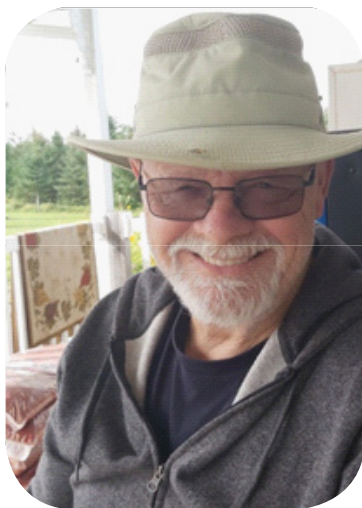
Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Salisbury Funeral Home. As per the family's request all arrangements are being held privately. An interment for Michael will be held at a later date.

If desired, donations made to the ALS Society or to a charity of the donor's choice would be appreciated by the family.

Online donations and condolences may be made at www.keirsteads.ca

OBITUARIES

Kevin Vey
1957-2022



Kevin Lewis Vey, 65, passed away November 9, 2022 at the Moncton Hospital after a battle with cancer.

Born June 10, 1957, he was a son of the late George Douglas and Muriel (Laffergy) Vey.

Known in the Alberta oil fields as "ZOOMBOOM KEVIN", he grew up in Anagance. He loved the woods and loved his family. He will be greatly missed by many family and friends.

Survived by his wife Barb; three daughters, Ashley Garnett, Jessica Garnett (Adrian), Mary-Ann Garnett (Shaun); three grandchildren, Piper, Luna and Bjorn; sister Jane O'leary (Blake); brothers John (Barb), Brian (Penny), Rob (Marj), Stephen, and Scott (Michelle); sister-in-law Pat Vey and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his brother Les Vey and daughter Sharon Vey.

It was his wish not to have a service, but asked that if anyone would like to donate to help the research for Epilepsy Association or Huntington Society, it would be appreciated.

Arrangements are in the care of Salisbury Funeral Home (372-4800).

Online donations and condolences at www.keirsteads.ca

OBITUARIES

Lawrence Melvin
1956-2022



Lawrence Myles Melvin, 66, of Cornhill passed away Wednesday, November 9, 2022 at the Moncton Hospital.

Born in Sussex, he was a son of the late Herbert and Sophia (Price) Melvin. Lawrence was a woodworker, he enjoyed hunting and loved spending time with his family.

He is survived and missed by his wife Margaret (Dearman); sons Joshua and Adam (Melissa); grandchildren Blayden, Dylan, Tyler, Jaxon and Nicholas; siblings Arnold, Lynn, Gary and Florence of London, ON, Spencer of Smith Creek, Myles of New Town, Erban and Della of Cornhill, Raymond of Petitcodiac, Lorenda of Sussex and Darlene of Oromocto and several nieces and nephews. Besides his parents Lawrence was predeceased by his brothers Arthur, Herbert Jr., Herman, Vincent and Sterling.

There will be no service as the family has chosen to celebrate Lawrence's life privately. Thank you for your thoughts and love.

If desired, donations to the Autism Society would be appreciated by the family.

Online donations and condolences at www.keirsteads.ca

OBITUARIES

Myrna MacLeod
1940-2022



It is with sadness the family announces the passing of Myrna MacLeod, 82, of Dobson Corner. Born in Cherryvale, she was a daughter to the late Vaughan & Amy (Paterson) Black.

Myrna is survived and sadly missed by her husband, Stuart MacLeod; her children: Rodney (Sandra), Terry, Jackie (Danny), Fabian (Susan) and Lori (James); her siblings: Gwendolyn Keith, Marie Keith, Beatrice Scribner (Clifford), Alta Tait (Robert) and Clara Boyd (Ronald); her brother in law, Douglas Ross, Gordon MacLeod (Sylvia), Allen MacLeod (Eileen) and Jimmy (Jeannie); her sister in law, Janet Black, Sandra Black, Carol Mullins, Judy Mullins (Danny) and Krystal Lunn; her several grandchildren, several great grandchildren as well as many nieces and nephews.

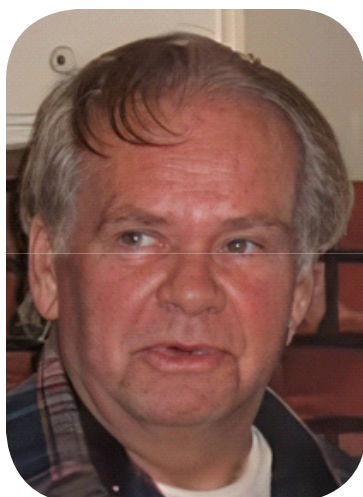
Besides her parents, Myrna was predeceased by her daughter, Karen; sisters, Norma Ross and Velma Black; brothers Wendall and Reace Black; brothers in law, Harley Keith, Walton Keith, Charlie LeBlanc and her sister in law, Pearl MacLeod.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Salisbury Funeral Home (372-4800), from where visitation was held on Saturday, October 29th, 2:00pm - 5:00pm. A funeral service was held at the Salisbury Funeral Home on October 30th, at 2:30pm with Pastor Lloyd O'Blenes presiding. Interment in Monteagle Cemetery was held following the service.

If desired, donations made to the Monteagle Cemetery or to a charity of the donor's choice would be appreciated by the family. Online condolences and donations may be made at www.keirsteads.ca



Roger Smith
1949-2022



It is with heavy hearts that the family of Roger Smith announces his passing on November 9th, 2022 at the Dr. Georges-L.-Dumont Hospital at the age of 73.

Born in Moncton in 1949, he was the son of the late Hubert and Gladys (Davis) Smith. He was predeceased by his wife Sharlene.

In his younger years he served with the Canadian Armed Forces, was a plumber, worked in the woods and worked at the Fawcett Mill in Petitcodiac. Roger was an avid hunter, loved the outdoors, spending time with family and friends, going to yard sales, watching his NASCAR races, and going for drives around the countryside (block). With his passing the deer population of Buckley Settlement will now grow!

He is survived by his Children, Robert Hooper (Sylvie) of Colpitts Settlement, Greg Hooper (Megan) of Salisbury, Keynan Smith (Tasha) of Hillgrove, Jason Steeves of Hillsborough, Shannon Smith of Riverside and Joe Howe (Amy) of Anagance; twenty-two grandchildren;

Sisters Jackie Wagner (Wayne) of Salisbury, Carolyn Wynes (Reg) of Hillgrove and Brother Terry (Heather) of Petitcodiac; several Nieces and Nephews, as well his special friend Anne.

A special thank you goes to the Doctors and Nurses at the Dr. Georges-L.-Dumont Hospital and the Dialysis Nurses at the Sussex Health Centre for the continued care he received at both hospitals.

A Celebration of Life was held at the family home, 411 Buckley Settlement Road, Anagance on Saturday, November 19th 1-4 pm, all are welcome. Arrangements are in the care of Salisbury Funeral Home (372-4800).

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Kidney Foundation or charity of choice.

Online donations and condolences at www.keirsteads.ca

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Dale Steeves
1951-2022

It is with sadness the family announces the passing of Dale Steeves, 71, of Pleasant Vale on November 1st after a brief illness. Born in Petitcodiac, he was a son to the late Kenneth and Myrtle (Wilson) Steeves.

Dale enjoyed spending time in his garden, woodworking, sugar making and all the outdoors had to offer. Dale worked as an RCMP for a number of years, as well as the blueberry fields and in the woods.

Dale is survived by his daughter, Kaitlyn; his siblings: Donald (Allison) Steeves, Joan Chown, Gary (Erin) Steeves, Andrew (Arlene) Steeves as well as several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Salisbury Funeral Home (372-4800). A private family graveside service will be held at a later date.

If desired, donations made to The Pleasant Vale Cemetery would be appreciated by the family. Online condolences and donations may be made at www.keirsteads.ca

Susan Wright (McCordic)
1959-2022

It is with great sadness the family announces the passing of Susan Wright (McCordic), 63, of The Glades on October 21, 2022 at The Moncton Hospital. Born in Petitcodiac, she was a daughter to the late Henry & Barbara (Dunham) McCordic.

Susan's hobbies included building lego projects, bingo with Deb, puzzles and in her earlier years softball and tug-o-war. Susan loved partying and spending time with family and friends.

Susan is survived and sadly missed by her husband, Tom Wright; her son, Andrew Lounsbury; her brother, Donald McCordic; her sisters: Debra Killam, Brenda (Ralph) Branscombe, Laura (George) Harrison, Dianne (Andy) Bannister, Helen McCordic and her grandchild, Sydney Lounsbury.

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Besides her parents, Susan was predeceased by her sister Marilyn and her cherished fur baby, Emily.

The family would like to express a special thank you to the doctors and staff of the Sackville Memorial Hospital - Brunswick Floor.

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Salisbury Funeral Home, (506-372-4800). A service celebrating Susan's life was held on Tuesday, October 25th at 11:00am with a reception that followed.

If desired, donations to the Diabetes Association would be appreciated by the family.

Online condolences and donations may be made at www.keirsteads.ca

David Berry
1961-2022

David Gordon Berry, 61 of Petitcodiac passed away Friday, October 28, 2022 at the Moncton Hospital.

Born in Sussex, he was a son of the late Dennis and Donna (Shaffer) Berry. David graduated from Petitcodiac Regional High School in 1979 and NBCC Saint John in 1980. He worked in Heavy Equipment Truck & Trailer Repair for Terra Nova Transport, Denison Potash, Baughans Transport, Dynatec Gold Mine and finished his career in Alberta. David enjoyed time spent with his family at Mechanic Lake, hunting, being in the outdoors and looking after his GIRLS.

He is survived and sadly missed by his wife Pamela (Taylor); daughters Melissa (Tim) and Rebecca; sister Sue Anne (Conrad); brothers Jeffery (Marie), Kevin (Annette) and Michael (Tammy); sisters-in-law Sharon Seely (Mac) and Ella Killam (Hughie); brother-in-law David Taylor (Marilyn) and several aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and many good friends. He is also survived by his fur babies Mr. Bentley Man, Piper and Lexie.

The family received relatives and friends at the Salisbury Funeral Home, 3350 Route 106 (372-4800) on Monday, October 31, 3 to 6 pm. The service was held in the chapel Tuesday, November 1 at 1 pm with Pastor Robert MacDonald officiating. Interment in Maplewood Cemetery, Petitcodiac.

If desired, donations to the Heart & Stroke Foundation, Diabetes Canada or a charity of choice would be appreciated by the family.

Online donations and condolences at www.keirsteads.ca

Petitcodiac Area
Garden Club

If there was any doubt that winter would arrive, there is no question now! How quickly the + signs have been replaced with - signs and trade our gardening gloves for those with much more warmth. I hope we all take time to between lamenting about the long Summer and Fall that we just had, to appreciate the beauty of fresh fallen snow and hear the excitement of children as the holidays approach.

Our gardens settled for a much-deserved rest from the growing and harvesting season. We kicked off the year with our annual Spring Plant sale that was again a great success. We followed this with a Live The Garden Life event in June, where many enjoyed the first strawberry shortcake of the year. There were three significant projects undertaken this summer: The Orchard Pathway, Communities in Bloom, and the expansion for raised beds at both the garden and within the community. All of these were possible with the support of volunteers, The Village of Petitcodiac, and countless businesses. This year saw nearly 500 lbs of fresh produce distributed to S.P.O.T., seniors, and others. All individual plots and accessible raised beds were used this year, bringing even more fresh produce into people's homes. By the way, if you still have your key, please drop it off at the Village Office and your deposit will



be returned. The final garden activity of the year was the clean-up of Veterans Memorial Park, prior to Remembrance Day. Thank you to those who helped out.

Although gardeners and gardens are resting, the same can't be said for the Garden Club! Plans are well underway for 2023, including new projects, a pre-teen Garden Club, and expansion of the raised gardens both at Maple Park and within the community. Before year end, we are hoping to have a gate installed at the far end of the garden for easy access to the Orchard and improved drainage for the raised gardens, in preparation for next year.

Throughout the winter, we will be sharing more details on next year's plans both here and on our Petitcodiac Area Garden Club page. Please stay in touch and be sure to share pictures of your beautiful poinsettias and Christmas Cacti.

As we say farewell to 2022, we would like to thank

the Village of Petitcodiac for their ongoing support, those who donated plants for our annual sale, community partners, local businesses, and of course, our Volunteers who play important roles in the continued success of the Petitcodiac and Area Garden Club – whether big or small, together we are making a difference in our community. Special thanks also to Joyce Barbour for the dedication and tireless effort she put into the success of Communities in Bloom and the addition of the Train Park. Also heartfelt thanks to Karen Hall-Middleton, who through her continuing leadership and determination brings Gerry Gogan's vision and passion into everything the Garden Club does.

For our readers, we send wishes to you and your families for the Happiest of Holidays, Merriest of Christmases and a Wonderful New Year filled with Love, Joy, Peace, and Gardening.

CHURCH SERVICES

Petitcodiac Baptist Church

- **Sunday Morning Service**
@ 10:30 am (Nursery is available)
 - **Sunday School JAM**
Sundays @ 10:30 am (K - Gr. 5)
 - **Discovery Kids**
Sundays @ 6:30 pm (K - Gr.5)
 - **Petty Puppeteers**
Mondays @ 6:15 pm
 - **Youth BLAST**
Mondays @ 7:30 pm (Gr. 6 - 12)
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Sunday morning

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We will be gathering at the usual times:
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am and at St. John's in Salisbury at
11:00 am. Masks, of course, are highly
recommended (we have some at the
church if you need one).

Everyone's Welcome to attend.

Cornerstone Community Church

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Wheaton Settlement
Sunday morning service @ 11 am
Come out and join us.

Petitcodiac Mennonite Church

Worship Service 11:00 am.

First North River Baptist Church

573 Blakney Road, Fawcett Hill

Morning Worship Service
Sunday 10:00 am.
All Welcome
Pastor Reg Thomas
Youth Group - Thursday 7:30
For more information 756-8580

Second North River Baptist Church

3327 Route 112
Sunday School: grade 1 -adult: 9:45am
Morning service 11 AM
Pastor Doug Howatt
Everyone Welcome!

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"O HOLY NIGHT"

"The stars are brightly shining."
If you watch too much media today,
you can soon start to feel stressed,
depressed, and overwhelmed. Current
statistics will prove that. The culture
around us is screaming at us to pay
attention to just how terrible things
are, from wars to floods to droughts
to earthquakes to famines to global
warming. I am not saying that these
things do not need some of our attention,
but we must not be consumed by the
feeling of hopelessness.

There is more at play than what
the media (and its desire for higher
ratings) would have us believe.

I believe in a creator who is
infinite and who is not shaken. I believe
that my destiny is in His hands, and I
would not want it any other way. (Better
in His hands, than in mine.) When the
media outlets rant on about all that is
bad, I decide to focus on Him that is
Good. I decide not to focus on the noise,
but to focus on the Stillness.

Psalms 46:10 says "Be still, and
know that I am God; I will be exalted
among the nations, I will be exalted in
the earth." God knows that we need
some stillness in our lives. It is good for
the soul. Even if you are not a believer,
it is good to slow down before you fall
down. It is good to stop and look at the
"Stars brightly shining". There is more
wisdom in the phrase "Stop to smell the
roses" than one might think.

Christmas is a busy time of
year. With parties, family gatherings,
shopping and the like, it can be
challenging. Many of these things are
good, but put all together, they can be
counterproductive.

I encourage you to rethink
Christmas and pick your priorities. And
in doing so, make sure one of those
priorities near the top of the list is to
be still, and to see the "stars brightly
shining".

Dave McPherson

Pastor New Canaan Baptist Church,
Route 112

THE REAL "COOL"

by Gloria Scribner

With Christmas in the offing and
the first snow of winter filling in the pot-
holes in the lane I inhale the familiar
aroma of wood-smoke. It's almost as
nostalgic as the piney scent of Christmas
trees and spruce boughs that decorate
the parlour. It's so heartwarming as
I drive home on a wintry, frost-laden
morning and see the roof-tops of the
settlement nestled under a halo of
billowy warmth.

It brings back so many memories,
some as old as I am. I've always said
that at the first hint of winter snow I
could smell fruit cake (still can). I can
also feel the warm woollen mittens of
my childhood and the long awaited ski-
suit mama worked on all summer as the
sound of her scissors and the old Singer
treadle sewing machine kept time to
her own humming. That blue jacket and
pants straight out of a Norman Rockwell
painting.

Every youngster in the
community stared in awe as the first big
snowflakes were released from clouds
and Mother Nature coaxed the lot of
us into yards and lanes as though we'd
never seen a snowflake before.

It always made me shake my
head at the naivety of those geniuses
that insisted that no two snowflakes
were exactly the same, as though they'd
put each one under a microscope and
compared it (oh my) what foolishness!

There's something about
December, and wood-fires, wood boxes,
and wood-piles that warm my heart
in more ways than one. To a child, my
Daddy was my hero. He clicked his
tongue to the horses and held the reins
as off they all went across the frozen
field with bobsleds, saw, and axe, and
didn't re-appear until suppertime.
The logs were piled high, manes were

flowing, and horse bells jingled. Daddy's
moustache was white with frost and
horses nostrils steaming breath as they
trotted along at twilight, eager to be
back in the stall with a taste of oats and
hay as their reward.

Whistling into the kitchen, the
cot was a welcome sight as I had the
privilege of unlacing his big gum rubber
boots, and Mama poured the tea.

Suppertime was togetherness.
The bread was cut, the stew was hot,
and the lamp was lit as the smell of
kerosene joined the pine-tar soap.
No one ever ate a meal in those days
without washing of hands. No one! No
one ever ate a meal then without bowing
their head and offering thanks to God.
Washing, thanking, and eating whatever
was on the table. God provided it, Daddy
shot it, Mama grew it and cooked it, and
we all ate it.

Oncoming winter, as with each
season, was with anticipation, never
dread. I believe the feather bed in the
spare bedroom was my favourite place
in winter. Over the kitchen, I could hear
the sound of Mama's singing. Daddy sang
as well, and when company came to our
little house, everyone sang, told stories,
and children listened.

History unfolded on Daddy's
knee. Current events kept time to the
squeak of Mama's rocking chair, and
the lyrics I learned as a child taught
me more than most children learn in
a lifetime of video games, and wired
brains. We learned the themes of life
from one another, and our memories
were coloured in twilight, and lamplight,
and glorious sunlight.

We not only felt winter in the
offing, we smelled it, tasted it, and
frolicked in it, revelling in winter. We
knew the real meaning of "cool".

Salisbury Lions BINGO

Every Tuesday, 7:00PM
Salisbury Lions Club
63 Peter Street

Entry Fees:

9 Face entry - \$15.00
6 Face entry - \$13.00
Other sheets-prices vary
by game type



Salisbury Legion News



December 4

Kids Christmas party 1 to 4
Hot dogs cookie decorating face
painting and more 12 and under

December 5

Elections 7pm general meeting

December 9

Christmas turkey dinner \$15 4 to
6pm pick up or take out delivery
available in the village door prizes

December 10

Ham and Turkey Shoot 1 pm

Hours:

Tuesday 6:00PM-close
Wednesday/Thursday 5:00PM to close
Friday/Saturday 2:00PM to close

December 17

Christmas dance Broken Road 8 till
midnight

December 23

Christmas sing along with Lionel and
friends 6pm till close

We will be closed December 24 and
December 31

Wishing everyone the best of the
holiday season

Merry Christmas and happy new year
From Royal Canadian Legion Branch
#31 Salisbury

SBC'S ANNUAL Christmas Craft & Bake Sale

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3
9AM - 2PM

SALISBURY BAPTIST CHURCH
3128 MAIN STREET-SALISBURY, NB

OVER 30 LOCAL ARTISANS
SELLING HANDMADE GOODS!

CANTEEN AVAILABLE



**SALISBURY FARMERS AND
ARTISANS MARKET**
Every Saturday | 8:00 a m - 1:00 p m
3134 Main Street Salisbury

**SHOP LOCAL
EAT LOCAL
SUPPORT LOCAL
CELEBRATE LOCAL**

Salisbury Farmers and Artisans Market welcome you to The Old Barn on Main
Street, between Recollections by Jazz and Kayla's Keepsakes.
Every Saturday 8am-1pm until December 17th.

Shop Local for your Christmas gifts, farm fresh eggs, fresh vegetables, baked
goods and tasty ready to serve helpings of yummy food, and so much more.
Special Christmas Market on December 22, watch Facebook for more details!

Are you ready?



Winter weather has arrived, and it's important that all of us be prepared in the event of storms that result in power outages.

In partnership with the New Brunswick Emergency Measures Organization, Salisbury urges its residents to be 72-hours ready; that is, be prepared to manage on our own for at least 72 hours while NB Power works to restore service.

Have an emergency plan and

a storm kit covering the needs of your family (including pets!).

The municipality diligently monitors weather conditions, keeping in close communication with NB EMO in preparation to respond in times of emergency.

With the environment changing, it should be noted that storms are increasing in intensity, if not frequency, further underscoring the importance of being 72-hours ready!

GET A KIT

A basic emergency kit should contain the following supplies:

- ☐ Water (two litres per person per day)
- ☐ Non-perishable food (Canned and dried goods, energy bars, etc. Replace each year.)
- ☐ Manual can opener
- ☐ Wind-up or battery-powered flashlight (and extra batteries)
- ☐ Wind-up or battery-powered radio (and extra batteries)
- ☐ Candles and matches or lighter
- ☐ First aid kit
- ☐ Extra cash money (smaller bills and change)
- ☐ Spare house and car keys
- ☐ A copy of emergency plan and contact information
- ☐ Prescription medications
- ☐ Special items such as infant formula, equipment for persons with disabilities or food, water and medication for your pets or service animal.

Check at home to see if you have everything you need.



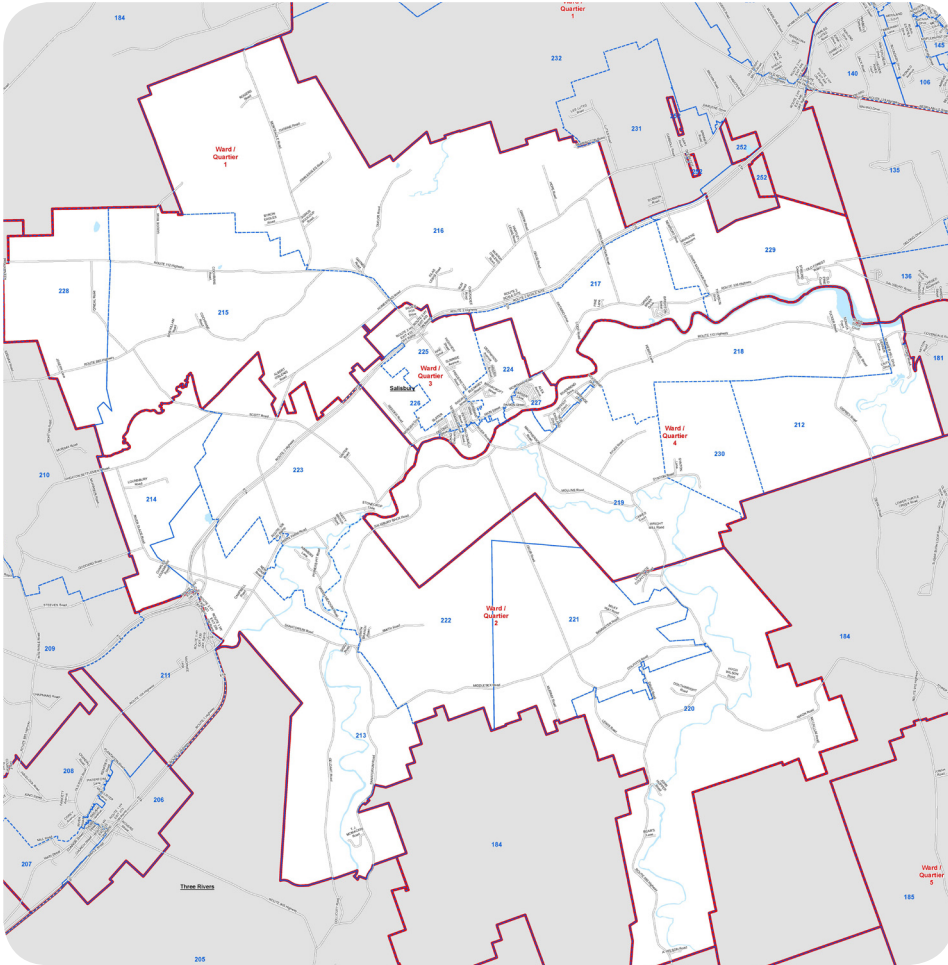
Boys & Girls Club of Petitcodiac was pleased to present a cheque in the amount of \$6,820.50 to Maggie Corey from a gift card fundraiser for local merchants. Maggie worked as a summer student at BGC Petitcodiac. Thank you to all who helped support Maggie and her family!

Pictured are Melissa Golding
(Program Manager, BGC Petitcodiac)
and recipient Maggie Corey.



Salisbury Happenings

SALISBURY CHANGES: PART 1 - A NEW COUNCIL FOR THE NEW YEAR!



It is a time of change at the municipal offices in Salisbury!
Due to local government reform taking place all across New Brunswick, the Salisbury governance limits will expand to include the surrounding area.
For the purposes of municipal council, a ward system will take effect with the changes on January 1, 2023.

The newly elected Council will consist of eight members - a mayor, a councillor-at-large, one councillor for each of Wards 1, 2 and 4, and three councillors for Ward 3.

If you have a question about the local government reform process and its local impact, please direct your email to village@salisburynb.ca

Also, on the Village of Salisbury website (<https://salisburynb.ca/news-updates/government-reform/>) under News & Updates/Government Reform there is a Frequently Asked Questions section that is regularly updated.

VILLAGE OF SALISBURY DOG TAGS

Since April 1st, late fees have been in effect for 2022 Village of Salisbury Dog Tags.

Factoring in this \$15 increase, registration fees are currently: \$10.00 + \$15.00 late fee = \$25.00 for spayed or neutered dogs; \$30.00 + \$15.00 late fee = \$45.00 if not spayed or neutered.

Late fees do not apply for new dogs/puppies

In order to buy a dog tag, you MUST prove up-to-date vaccinations by way of an official veterinarian receipt.

Salisbury Animal Control is provided by New Brunswick SPCA, who can be reached at 1-877-722-1522.

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Dog Tags will go on sale starting January 1st, 2023.



Salisbury Petitcodiac Minor Basketball Association is going strong with our two communities working as one!

We have many dedicated volunteers, eight board members, ten managers, and thirty-six coaches putting in many hours of dedication towards our association's one hundred seventy-five players!
Our future looks bright!

Follow our Facebook page for updates: <https://www.facebook.com/salisburybasketball?mibextid=ZbWKwL>

SALISBURY CHANGES: PART 2 - RECREATION AND WELLNESS HAS MOVED!



The Department of Recreation and Wellness offices in Salisbury have moved!

The Rec and Wellness offices are now located next door at 56 Douglas Street, bringing all three municipal departments under the same roof for the first time.

The offices for Salisbury's Director of Recreation and Wellness, Jarrett Crossman, and Assistant Director Donna Hunwicks-Hopper are now located on the

second floor of the municipal building.

While its offices have moved, the RW department will continue to make use of the storage space at 62 Douglas Street.

Weekdays the 62 Douglas location will be used by South East Adult Education for its Salisbury Adult Learning Centre.

For more information on the Salisbury Adult Learning Centre, email: wendy.doucette@education-se.ca



CHRISTMAS TREE

LIGHTING AND

KIDS CHRISTMAS

CRAFT NIGHT

DECEMBER 9TH

SEE FRONT

PAGE FOR

REGISTRATION

DETAILS



HAPPENING AT THE SALISBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY AT 3215 MAIN STREET



Storytime - Thursday, 10:30am:

Join us for stories, laughs and play!

Adult Crafting Circle - Fridays at 10:30am:

Adults can bring their own crafts to work on while enjoying the company of others.

Library Hours:

Tuesday:	10:00am-12:00pm	and	1:00pm-5:00pm
Wednesday:	1:00pm-5:00pm	and	6:00pm-8:00pm
Thursday:	10:00am-12:00pm	and	1:00pm-5:00pm
Friday:	10:00am-12:00pm	and	1:00pm-5:00pm
Saturday:	10:00am-12:00pm	and	1:00pm-5:00pm
Sunday:	CLOSED		

SALISBURY OFFICE - HOLIDAY HOURS

The Salisbury Municipal Office will be closed at noon on Friday, December 23rd and will reopen on Wednesday, December 28th at 8:30am for the Christmas holidays; and will close at noon on Friday, December 30th for New Year's Eve and will reopen on the morning of Tuesday, January 3rd following the New Year's Day holiday.

CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL

Residents who wish to drop-off their Christmas tree can do so at the following site:

Salisbury Wastewater Treatment Facility, 47 Government Road (in designated area).

Tree bags, tinsel, ornaments, nails, tree skirts, string, stands, etc., must be removed before disposal.

Christmas wreaths will NOT be accepted.

HAZARDOUS WASTE DROP-OFF**MOBILE ECO-DEPOT**

Southeast ECO360's Mobile Eco-Depot will be in Salisbury for two days in late January - on Wednesday, January 25th and Thursday, January 26th from noon-8:00pm both days.

They will be set up in the parking lot of the Salisbury Baptist Church at 3128 Main Street.

For more information, visit them online at www.eco360.ca

**COVID-19 TEST KIT PICK-UP****LOCATION IN SALISBURY**

As of September 1, the New Brunswick Department of Health has included the Salisbury Village Office at 56 Douglas Street as a registered pick-up site for COVID-19 test kits.

To acquire a kit, you are asked to pre-register via the following link: <https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/corporate/promo/covid-19/about-covid-19/testing-tracing.html#1>.

Anyone picking up rapid test kits must be prepared to present an email confirmation of their appointment.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Salisbury is pleased to be partnering with the NB Department of Health to provide this important service.

VILLAGE OF SALISBURY DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND WELLNESS NEWS

FALL FITNESS CLASSES AT SALISBURY BAPTIST CHURCH

Monday 10am-11am

Low impact cardio class with options for lower or higher intensity, followed by some free weights and floor exercises to tone and improve balance and flexibility.

Wednesday 10am-11am

Flex and tone workout with an emphasis on strength, balance, and flexibility.

Thursday 10am-11am

A walk/jog style cardio class followed by full body toning and stretching.

All instructors offer a friendly, welcoming environment.

All mats, weights, etc. are provided.
\$2.00 per class

SALISBURY PICKLEBALL

Held at Salisbury Baptist Church

Monday 11:00am-12:30pm; and
6:00pm-9:00pm
Tuesday 2:00pm-3:30pm
Wednesday 2:00pm-3:30pm
Thursday 2:00pm-3:30pm
Friday 11:00am-12:30

All levels of playing are welcome.
\$2 drop-in fee



For more information about recreation programs contact:
Jarrett Crossman or Donna Hunwicks-Hopper at
372-3280 OR recreation@salisburynb.ca

independent
YOUR INDEPENDENT GROCER

Main Street, Salisbury, NB 372-9323

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS
FROM SANDY & HER STAFF**

Store Hours:
Monday-Saturday 7am - 9pm
Sunday 10pm - 6pm
CLOSED Dec 25 & Open Dec 26 12pm-6pm



Gary Lounsbury, CMR
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COMMERCIAL & TENANT AGENT
233 Old Post Rd., Petitcodiac, NB E4Z 4N4

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Holiday Season*

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Fax: (506) 756-2243
Cell: (506) 756-0685
gary.lounsbury@semutual.nb.ca
www.semutual.nb.ca

Guardian **atoma**

Salisbury Pharmacy Ltd.
3154 Main St., Salisbury, NB
Phone: (506) 372-4760

**Customer Appreciation Weekend
December 2nd - 4th**

**Discounts on Every Purchase
Pick a tag at the checkout and
Win 15% to 100% off your purchase!**

Christmas Store Hours
Closed December 25, 26 & January 1
December 27 & January 2: open 9am - 4pm / Otherwise regular hours
Monday - Friday : 9am to 6pm / Saturday: 9am to 4pm
Sunday - 12 - 4pm

SALISBURY LIONS CLUB



Pancake & Sausage Breakfast,

Salisbury Lions Club

63 Peter Street, Salisbury

Saturday, December 17th, 7 PM TO 10 AM

Breakfast Includes

Pancakes, Sausages, Sweet, Maple Syrup,

Coffee, or Juice

In Support of Lions Community Projects

Cost:

Children under 6 are free

Children 6 – 10 are \$5.00

All others \$10.00



Cash, debit, and credit accepted

Take out is available



Franny's

CEDAR CHEST

3154 Main Street, Salisbury, NB
Phone: 506-215-0238

Parking & Entrance in the rear of the Salisbury Pharmacy Ltd.

**CONSIGNMENT
NEW & USED**

Lots of Great Christmas Gift Ideas

50% OFF
Everything

Christmas Sale

ONE DAY ONLY

Saturday, December 3



December Sale
50% Off
Green Tags

Hours

Tuesday - Saturday - 10:00am - 4:00pm

CLOSED - Sunday and Monday



Check out our facebook page

3070 MAIN ST., SALISBURY



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WHERE YOU PAY LESS AND YOU GET MORE!



**NORTH OF THE EQUATOR
MELT 'EMS**
\$5.00!
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**CERAMIC
CHRISTMAS
TREES**
18 CM / 18 CM / 30 CM
\$15.00!
\$12.50!



**BOX CHRISTMAS
CARDS**
\$4.00!
WHY PAY UP TO
19.99?
15 CARDS & ENVELOPES



LED LANTERNS

\$35.00!
WHY PAY UP TO
59.99?
71CM

\$30.00!
WHY PAY UP TO
49.99?
51CM



**DESIGNER
WRAPPING PAPER**
3.00!
WHY PAY UP TO
9.99?
40 SQ. FT.



WOODEN TIERED TRAYS

**3 TIERED
TRAY**
\$15.00!
37CM

**2 TIERED
TRAY**
\$12.50!
25CM



**LED
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SIGNS**
\$6.50!
29.5 CM X 40 CM



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CHOCOLATE HAZELNUT & CHOCOLAT AUX NOISETTES
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