



Beaver Bank Kinsac Bulletin

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The Voice of the Beaver Bank Community Awareness Association

2nd Annual Communitywide Yard Sale

Saturday August 8th, 8 am to 2 pm

The rain date is set for August 9th, please see the website www.beaverbank.ca, if the weather is in doubt. We encourage everyone to come out and buy or sell, remember your junk is someone's treasure.

There is no registration, no cost to join in the fun. Advertising is being done by Jennie Simser on kijiji, the community signs and the radio stations. Make sure you put out your own signs so people can find you. Subdivisions may want to get together and make a large sign for on the main road. Confirmed sales will be advertised on our website's community calendar, email bulletin@beaverbank.ca to add your address and what you are selling. Tips for a good yard sale: Make sure your merchandise is clearly priced. Properly display your merchandise. Have lots of plastic bags for your customers. Make sure you have plenty of change and keep it out of sight.

Please Note: the senior's group 50+ Keeners will be renting out tables in the Community Centre parking lot, call the Policing Office 864-6072 to make arrangements. Those with tables are able to set up in the ballfield's parking lot, contact Bonnie Ryan (see page 2) for more info, space is limited. The Lions Club will be selling at Hartlen's Esso; all proceeds go to benefit the community. The Beaverettes Walk for the Cure team will be raising money for cancer research.

Remember have fun, drive safely, watch for cars and pedestrians, we had a huge turnout last year, here's hoping for a great day!

Check Out Our New Website at www.beaverbank.ca!

Thank you very much to Jeff MacDonald and Tammy Smeltzer for redesigning and updating our old site. Jeff graciously volunteered to help the BBCCA and the C@P site and Tammy is one of our new Board Members. Thanks also to Allen Clay our past webmaster for all his previous work.

HTB Athletes Attend Provincials

Congratulations to Brianna Bethune, Brandon Revels and Justin Noyes for a great showing at Provincials in June. Brianna ran a great race and came in 3rd for the province in the first year for the Junior Girls category for the 400m. She is 12-years-old and her time was 1:04:37. Brandon had very good throws and came 9th in the province for Discus. Justin has some very good jumps and ran well in the Special Olympics and came 5th and 6th respectfully in the province. Thanks to Peter Bethune for the pictures of Brianna in competition.



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Do You Have an Emergency Plan?

For the months of March and April your Fire Department has rolled out the door 35 times. These consisted of: 1 brush fire, 1 MVA, 1 alarm activation, 1 industrial accident, 1 structure fire (in our area), 2 mutual aid structure fires (outside our area), 2 chimney fires, 3 illegal burns, 4 special service calls, and 19 medical assists. This brings our total for this year to 65. This is up from last year already.

I just got back from 2 days at the fire in the Purcell's Cove area, like the Lake Echo/Porters Lake fire, this was a very devastating loss for many people. This brings to light how real the threat of fire is. Can this happen here? You bet it can!! Are you ready to leave your home in short notice? These emergency incidents can happen day or night, spring, summer, winter or fall. This is not a seasonal thing. People need to think of what they would need if they only had minutes to get out. EMO has info to help you prepare for this kind of event. You can check with them for many helpful pamphlets or go their website www.gov.ns.ca/EMO. The other part to this story is for people to realize how important it is to burn safely and to look around your yard for things that may bring the fire closer to your home if one should come by. The way your property is landscaped can make a big difference in whether or not your home is impacted.

From fires to floods. Not too long ago we had rainfall amounts along with the spring thaw that caused much grief. There were many floods including one that washed out Davis Drive in our area. The people living in that subdivision were basically cut off from the rest of the world, fortunately only for a short time. There can be issues with some subdivisions with only one-way in and out. So in saying all of this you need to have plans for these events that may someday happen in your neighbourhood. If you had to leave your house right now and couldn't get a hold of your spouse or child, have you talked about what you might do?

In closing I'm not going to preach to you how important smoke alarms, seat belts, life jackets and helmets are in preventing serious injury or even death. Instead I'm going to let you know that illegal burning is becoming an issue in HRM. So far it's not a real issue in this area. If you do want to burn brush you need to get a DNR permit. You can get these permits at our Hall on Tuesday nights between 7 and 8 pm. If that's not convenient you can pick them up at DNR in Waverley Mon thru Fri 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Any persons found to be burning illegally risk the chance of being fined. Properly set-up campfires do not need a permit. If you have any questions on any of this please feel free to give us a call (Tues nights between 7 and 8) or check the HRM website at www.halifax.ca

-Play Safe, Chief Gord West

The Friends of Ivy Meadows Residents Society

The Friends of Ivy Meadows Residents Society (formerly Scotia Nursing Home) would like to say thank you to all who purchased tickets and to those who donated the articles for their recent fundraiser; Afghan donated by Hazel House was won by Barb Carr; Lap Quilt donated by Ida MacMullin was won by Dawn Barrett; Meal Gift Certificate donated by Gerry Lepage was won by Paul Legere.
Rocking For The Residents

This upcoming event will be held on Saturday September 19th 9 am to 9 pm. If you would like to "Rock" or otherwise support the "Rockers" call Aneta Lively 864-7078. The Friends also have a Gospel CD for sale. It was recorded by local artists. To obtain a copy you can also call Aneta or purchase one at Hartlen's Esso.

-Heather Lunn

911 Civic Signs can be Ordered From the BBK Volunteer FD

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BBKCC AGM - About 50 Community Members were in attendance at the BBKCC AGM on Wednesday June 17th, 2009. Special guests included MLA Percy Paris, Councillor Barry Dalrymple, Ivy Warren - HRM, Tracy Burns-Gagnon - HRM, and Henri Michaud - Wilde Timmans Michaud Inc.

After the Business Meeting and the Nominations of the Executive and Board of Directors, thank you certificates were presented to Spencer MacEachern, Freeman MacNeil, Georgina Stronach, Matthew Brufatto, Dave Buck and Shawn Young for their support of the Community Centre.

The 2009 Business Award this year was presented to Laurie & Marjie Hartlen who have been in the gas station/convenience store business here in Beaver Bank for 23 years. They are big supporters of the Community Centre helping sell tickets in their store for dances, and always letting us post posters for upcoming events.

After the AGM was over everyone enjoyed a great spread of different kinds of cheese and refreshments.

Our Board of Directors for 2009-2010:

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Keener's Rep - Don Graham;

Fire Dept Rep - Gord West;

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Canada Day festivities - Our Canada Day festivities went underway on June 26 with a family dance and family walk on June 27. 30 plus people showed up for the walk down Kinsac road and free pedometers were given to everyone who

attended. The Battle of the Bands on June 27 drew a crowd of more than 200. The winner decided by votes was Apnea taking home a \$400 cash prize. Special thanks to Tom Margeson and Jones Soda for sponsoring this event and the MacNeil family for organizing. We also had free ice-cream for the kids on June 29, lots of kids showed up with their report cards for their free treat. The weather held off just enough for our family swim at Tucker Lake with about 20 participants enjoying the dip. On July 1st we had our pancake breakfast where 300 + members of the community came out to enjoy the meal. We also had ball hockey, a flag raising ceremony, a country fair for the kids with a bouncy castle (thanks to Mannie Lewis for loaning us the generator), races, obstacle courses and popcorn, lots of kids and their parents showed up for the event and a good time was had by all. We also held a beer garden here at the centre showing off some local talent and finally the fireworks. It was a spectacular show down at the Beaver Bank ballfield with much of Beaver Bank in attendance. Thank you to Bob Crosby and Jamie Wade for putting together the show.

Summer Camp - our summer camps are underway! With trips to the pool, museums, and lots of fun themes each week it's sure to be a memorable summer!

Golf Tournament - Our 7th annual Golf Tournament will be held on August 8, 2009 at the Lost Creek Golf Club. The cost is \$80 per person and includes a round of golf, steak dinner and prizes. Call the Community Centre at 865-5114 or visit the website for more information. www.bbkcc.ca

- Jessica Gilby & Eleanor Lewis



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Computer Access at C@P Site Now Free

The CAP Site is open during the summer, and access is now free. You can arrange lessons in Computer Basics, as well as photo uploading, e-mail, poster-making etc. These lessons can be booked by visiting the cap site, calling Colleen at 864-6072, or e-mailing cefraser@mta.ca. Rae Marlborough continues these courses throughout the rest of the year, and she can be contacted the same way, but by e-mail at bbksakeeners@yahoo.ca

Vervain Fair Fall Craft Show

Join us for the second annual Vervain Fair Fall Craft Show Saturday September 12, 2009 from 10 am-4 pm at St John the Evangelist Church Hall, 954 Old Sackville Road, Sackville Nova Scotia. This year's show will feature unique local crafters and artisans, free admission and fabulous door prizes. For more information email Vervain@accesswave.ca.

-Sonia Harrod

Deadline for the Next Bulletin

September 4th, 2009

**Call or email Bonnie Ryan to
Submit an Article (see page 2)**

**Always looking for articles, old
photos and current events**

Lions News

The Beaver Bank Lions started a new year July first, our new officers have been sworn in and everyone seems very eager to get on with the job of being the best Lions they can be. Supporting our community, students, seniors, disabled and those in need will be our focus for the year ahead.

We were very pleased to support the 3 schools in their breakfast programs, and to provide 2 bursaries to help further the educations of 2 of our Beaver Bank high school grads who will be going to Mount Saint Vincent in the fall. As well we helped to send a deserving little girl to Camp Maxwell for a week this summer.

We support the Blood Donor Clinic, which is held every 2 months at the Community Centre with volunteers helping you through the process and handing out cookies and juice. In the up coming year you will see us out with our boot at the road toll, we had a Bar B Q at the July 1st celebration at the Community Centre and we will have tables out for the Communitywide yard sale Aug 8th at Hartlen's Esso.

Every Friday evening we have a social night at the club, come up and see us. We are interested in hearing from you if you would like to become a Lion and we meet every 3rd Wed of the month. All of this is held at 40 Sandy Lake Rd. We are making great progress with our property clean up; thank you Lion Merle Parker and his many helpers for the great job they are doing.

The Lions lost a very dear member on July 5th, Millie Soubliere passed away in her sleep. A deep sense of loss will be felt by all.

Remember to save all your cancelled stamps, eyeglasses, pop tabs and ink cartridges for our club; these can be turned in to support those in need. Please call me if you are in need and I will find a Lion who may be able to assist you.

Have the best summer ever.

-P.R.C. Lion Carolyn Pitts 865-5479.



Lion Carolyn Pitts presents bursaries at the Lockview Graduation, while below Lion David Merrigan (treasurer) receives a cheque from Barry Dalrymple & Jack MacAloney & Shelly Pierce of the Black Crow Pub. A big thank you for your support !



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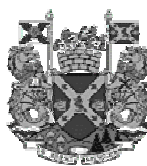
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A Thank You From the Roadside Clean-Up

I would like to thank a few people for coming out and braving the elements on Saturday June 6th for our 4th Annual Beaver Bank Road Cleanup. Firstly Percy Paris whom, although very busy with the election on the following Tuesday showed up to offer his support for our cause. Also thanks to Marina Johnson who although could not stay to help, still came to give us some encouragement to get the job done; Freeman McNeil also for his support. Mr. Fred Gallop who for the third year in a row manned the BBQ. Eleanor Lewis for her involvement in advertising. Mannie Lewis for the use of his truck and trailer. Mrs Marlborough who helped me set up and get the hall ready. Barry Dalrymple on behalf of HRM also came to show his support. Mr Max Miller who has been with us through wind, rain and sun for the 4th year in a row. I would also like to offer my appreciation to the Fire Department for their services by manning the station to help if anyone got hurt and bringing us coffee. Tom Margeson for supplying all the cold drinks. Kelly McNeil for putting up the sign at the Community Center and the Boy Scouts for letting us use their sign; Clean Nova Scotia and DOT. As you can tell we had a skeleton crew and a lot of the road was not covered. If people could over the next few weeks take a few minutes out of their busy schedule, go out to the ditch in front of their home and clean it up. If there is someone close to you that cannot do it themselves, please offer your assistance. I have an ample supply of garbage bags. If you need them call me. I will get them to you. Next year I will be talking to HRM, DOT and Clean Nova Scotia and see if there is a way that we can have a rain date set up in the inevitable case of rain which always seems to have no trouble finding us on the days of the cleanup. Thanks again and let's make next year's bigger and better.

-Dave Buck

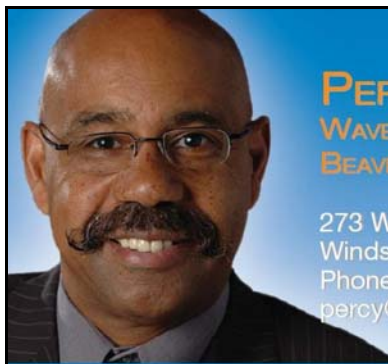
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Thank You From Percy Paris

I'd like to extend my heartfelt thanks to the citizens of Waverley – Fall River – Beaver Bank and surrounding communities for re-electing me as your MLA. It is a privilege and honour to serve as your representative in a government led by Premier Darrell Dexter.

On June 19, I also had the honour of being appointed to Cabinet as minister for three portfolios: Tourism, Culture and Heritage; Economic and Rural Development; and African Nova Scotian Affairs. I am also the minister responsible for Nova Scotia Business Incorporated. These are all important, interesting and challenging Cabinet positions and I look forward to working with citizens and groups from all sectors affected by the work of my departments.


I'm writing this column just days after Darrell Dexter was sworn in as Premier of Nova Scotia. On June 25, the Legislature convened in a special session to swear in all MLAs and appoint legislative committees, which do important work in many areas, including veterans' affairs and community services. While these are early days, one thing is clear: our new government has a lot of work to do this summer and fall. We need to begin implementing our platform to create jobs, improve access to health care, and take the provincial portion of the HST off home electricity. We also need an audit of the province's books before bringing down our budget. The independent review will begin July 6, with an interim report due Aug. 7. The first phase of the report will examine the government's finances, while the second phase will study a number of issues previously raised by the Auditor General. In the meantime, government business can run on special warrant spending, just as it did after John Hamm was elected in July 1999. The new government will introduce a



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provincial budget this fall.

Constituents raised a diverse range of concerns this election—mostly about issues I also hear on a day-to-day basis in my role as MLA, and on which I've been working for the past three years. People's concerns with municipal services such as water, waste collection and public transit underscore the need for the province to work closely with the municipality. Concerns about health-care delays and emergency services as well as assistance for seniors reinforce the importance of our platform commitments to reduce wait times, open the Cobequid Centre 24/7, and provide more support for seniors to stay in their own homes and communities longer.

Congratulations To Graduates

This is a time of exciting beginnings for many people. Congratulations to all our Grade 12 high school students who are attending their graduation ceremonies and opening a new chapter in their lives.

-Percy Paris, MLA

A Few Words From MP Stoffer

Active Living

I recently joined the all-party parliamentary fitness group to promote and encourage physical activity and health. I hope that everyone has an active and great summer.

Financial Assistance for Home Owners

There are a number of programs that offer financial assistance for home repairs. If you are a low-income homeowner, you may qualify for assistance for mandatory home repairs through Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC) Homeowner Residential Rehabilitation Assistance (RRAP). If you have a disability and your

home needs modifications to make it accessible, you may be eligible for assistance under CMHC's RRAP program for Persons with Disabilities. As well, CMHC offers financial assistance for low-income seniors to make minor home adaptations to perform daily activities in their home independently and safely. The program is called Home Adaptations for

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Canada Day Celebration Great Start to Summer

With a prayer, a promise and the weather cooperating, the first annual Canada Day Celebration in Beaver Bank was a huge success! The committee, comprising of Krista Hippenstall, Tom Margeson, Corinna Burke, Arnette Shears, Darcy Hendsbee, Danielle McLearn and Sue McLearn, worked very hard to plan, organize and make all the events happen and would like to thank Chris Gallivan of Pitney Bowes for printing and folding the flyers to get the word out to Beaver Bank on such short notice - they really came through!

On Friday, June 26th, a Family Dance was held at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre, which was well attended by many families in the area. DJ Services were provided by Joe Hippenstall of It's Party Time DJ Services and Oasis refreshments were kindly donated by Tom Margeson of Lassonde Sales Group.

The Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre was also the scene for The Battle



of the Bands on Saturday, June 27th. 17 local bands competed for the ultimate honor, at the end of the evening the victory belonged to Apnea, second place was Charge the Capitol and third place was Believe on Three. Pizza was enjoyed by all in attendance. A huge thank you goes out to Jones Soda for sponsoring this very successful event and to the MacNeil family for organizing the Battle!

Sunday, June 28th was the day for a 3.5 kilometre walk on the Kinsac Road. Participants started at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre, up Kinsac Road to William Nelson Drive and back to the Community Centre. This year all participants received a free pedometer,

made possible by the grant received from Heritage Canada. Once back at the Community Centre, participants enjoyed hamburgers, hot dogs and strawberry shortcake. Thank you Lassonde Sales Group for providing the



hydrating station on William Nelson drive.

On Monday, June 29th, the students of Beaver Bank schools brought their report cards to the Community Centre where they received ice cream for another year of hard work. Thank you Scotsburn for providing the ice cream and to Jessica Gilby for all her help.

A Family Swim was held at Tucker Lake from 2 to 4 on Tuesday, June 30th. After a foggy morning the sun broke through for a beautiful afternoon at the lake. Thank you to all participants and our lifeguards!

Canada Day started in Beaver Bank with a free Pancake Breakfast for community residents sponsored by Percy Paris, Peter Stoffer and Barry Dalrymple. Over 300 hundred people were served between 8:30 and 10:30. Thank you to our government officials! And thank you to Lassonde Sales Group for providing juice for the breakfast.

Between 8:30 and noon, many aspiring athletes showed up at the Beaver Bank Skate Park for a fun ball hockey tournament. We had 20 youth players, 7 adult volunteers and 10-15 spectators. Special thanks to Matthew Bruffato for making this possible and to Lassonde Sales Group for providing refreshments. Given the caliber of play, who knows who will be watching next

year!

Shortly before 11, Earl Shears brought everyone's awareness to all things Canadian with some songs on the bagpipes. Tom Margeson said a few words in respect to Canada's 142nd birthday, thanked our many volunteers and participants and invited Arnette Shears, who saw this wonderful event through from the beginning, to raise the flag. While the winner of the Beaver Bank Idol, Margaret Hughes, sang O'Canada, the flag was raised. Percy Paris completed a ceremonial cake cutting and Danielle McLearn's Cupcake Canada Flag was enjoyed by all. The availability of a Canada Day cake was made possible through the grant provided by Heritage Canada.

The Beaver Bank Kinsac Elementary School's yard was the focal point of the Country Fair. The family crowd thoroughly enjoyed the bouncy castle, the obstacle course, the potato sack races, face painting and balloon animals. The Beaver Bank Lions Club kept us fed with a hot dog and hamburger stand and the Community Centre supplied bags of popcorn.

At 6 o'clock, activities once again centered around the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre. Many local performers graced us with their talents. Thank you to Julie Gilby, Bob Eisen, Ed Bowden, George Hull, Vic Alders and the Acousticats, Laurie Little and Glenn Embree! A great time was had by all in attendance.

Of course, what Canada Day

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Celebration is complete without a spectacular show of fireworks? With the clouds threatening to burst, a great number of the community watched in awe. Thank you to Bob Crosby and Jamie Wade for putting together the show and again to Heritage Canada for their financial support.

The Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre and the committee involved in the planning and coordination of all the Canada Day events would like to thank our participants and sponsors. A special thank you to Heritage Canada - the whole week of events would not have been possible without their support. We look forward to making this an annual event in the community, with everyone's continued support!

-Corinna Burke & Arnette Shears

Engagement Crosby-Davis

Kristina Crosby, daughter of Sheryl and Bob Crosby and Daniel Davis, son of Yolande Petitpas and Wayne Davis will be united in marriage on Sept 5, 2009 at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre.

-Heather Lunn

Lively—Birth

Congratulations to Arni and Elizabeth Lively on the early and safe arrival of their son Cash Dylan on May 17, 2009. Proud grandparents are Pat and Dennis Lively and Helen Murphy all of Beaver Bank. God Bless.



Savanna Nicole Harris B. Kines (Hons.)

Congratulations go out to Savanna Harris on her Honors Kinesiology Degree from Memorial University of Newfoundland. Savanna did her 4-year program in 3 years & is presently studying for her MCATS. She hopes to pursue a medical career. Congratulation from mom & step-dad Charlene (Chaulk) & Roy Eary, brother Reiner & grandparents George & Geraldine Chaulk.



Crosby – Danells Wedding

On May 16th at the BBKCC, Meghan Laura, daughter of Mr & Mrs Robert Crosby, and Scott Elliot, son of Mr & Mrs Calvin Danells were united in marriage. Rev Kelly Holt officiated. The bride's attendants were Kristina Crosby and Grace Danells. The groom's attendants were Daniel Davis and Nicholas Crosby. A reception was held following the ceremony.

-Heather Lunn



Beaver "banks" are available to purchase at Hartlen's Esso and the Policing Office.

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Made Exclusively for the BBKCC by Effie's Ceramics,
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Scouting & Guides Registration to Take Place at HTB School Wed Sept 9th 6:30 pm

SCOUTING NEWS

Well schools out and summer programs are on their way but before you know it school will be starting up again. If you can't seem to decide what activities to put your children in to keep them busy during the fall and winter months, why not try Beavers (ages 5-7) Cubs (ages 8-11) and Scouts (ages 11-14) in 2nd Beaver Bank. We do all sorts of fun things like adventure hikes, crafts, camps, games and lots more, just join up and see.

Our registration this year is currently set for September 9th at 6:30 pm at Harold T. Barrett Jr. High School. Don't forget your child's health card and any medical information. So mark the date on your calendar. If there are any changes in the date of registration, notices will be set on the scout sign and at the schools.

As always we are looking for new leaders for beaver, cubs and scouts and group committee, if you are interested in helping these kids have fun and make new memories, please contact our Group Commissioner Jonathan Ritchie, at 865-3094 or come and fill out a registration form on registration night. Again that night is Wednesday September 9th at 6:30 pm at HTB School. Come on and join the fun!! And make memories that will last a lifetime!!

-Jo-Anne Grove

GUIDING NEWS

After a relaxing summer holiday, we are starting to prepare for another exciting year of Guiding. Guiding is THE place for today's girls. Girl Guides of Canada-Guides du Canada (GGC) offers challenging, active girl-centered programming for all girls aged 4 to 17+. Through Guiding, girls can have fun, make new friends and grow through a wide variety of experiences.

We welcome all girls to be part of the following groups:

Sparks - 4, 5 and 6 year olds

Brownies - 7 and 8 year olds

Guides - 9 to 11 year olds

Pathfinders - 12 to 14 year olds

Rangers - 15 to 17+ year olds

Registration for 2009-2010 will take place Wednesday, September 9 2009, 6:30 pm at Harold T Barrett Jr High, 862 Beaver Bank Road.

New leaders are always welcome!

As well, there will be a consignment table set up to sell/purchase gently worn uniforms. If interested in selling old uniform items, please bring the uniforms on registration night by 6:30 pm.

For more information on uniforms, registration or Guiding, please contact Cheryl Jardine at 252-2972 or cheryl_jardine@hotmail.com.

-Cheryl Jardine, District Commissioner

The Grennan House 156 Beaver Bank Road

In 1959 the construction of the house started. It took three years because it was a "pay as you go" project. They moved into the house in Nov 1962, after their marriage. Jack Slauenwhite of Upper Sackville was the carpenter. The house had seven rooms with a full bathroom. Part of their original lot is included in Sunnyvale Subdivision.

Jack Grennan was born and grew up on a farm at 229 Beaver Bank Rd, the youngest of seven children. Catherine (nee O'Malley) grew up in Halifax. She was the youngest of 11 children and her family owned O'Malley's Bakery. Jack loved to garden and worked as a brakeman for the railroad. There was a wooden swing chair in the yard and they could be seen there relaxing in good weather. Following their deaths the assets of the estate were to be sold as they were both the last remaining members of their families.

The property was purchased and there will be townhouses under construction soon. Thank you to Brian and Linda Grennan for the information and photo.

-Heather Lunn

Those travelling the Beaver Bank Rd in June saw the home of Jack and Catherine Grennan being dismantled. The garage was moved from the property.

50+ Keeners Events

RCMP Senior Academy, 2009 Graduation

After seven weeks of informative health and safety presentations a graduation ceremony was held at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre on Thursday, July 3rd 2009, with 30 of the 40 graduates in attendance. Constable Mike Bracken presented the diplomas and Councillor Barry Dalrymple gave the closing remarks. The attendance of many of the RCMP Policing Office volunteers added an RCMP flavour.

After a tasty Potluck Dinner the first Annual General Meeting of the BBKSA (50+ Keeners) was held on June 23 and was well attended. Why not join us for future luncheons held on Thursdays at noon with a Potluck every third Thursday of the month.

On Saturday, September 12th, the BBKSA (50+ Keeners) will host a Country Fair to be held at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre. In August, look for Posters that will give further details.

Another date to mark on your calendar is the Beaver Bank Kinsac Senior Association (50+ Keeners) 2nd Christmas Shopping Spree and Trade Show to be held at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre on October 17th, 2009. If you would be interested in knitting mittens, gloves or scarves the knitting needles and yarn will be supplied. Contact the RCMP office, 864-6072 for information.

The BBKSA Walking Club is interested in entering a team in the Cobequid Community Health walk on Sunday October 18th. If you are interested in walking with the team please contact the Beaver Bank Policing Office (864-6072) for further details.



Church of the Good Shepherd (Anglican Church of Canada)

28 Trinity Lane, Beaver Bank

Priest: Rev. Don Shipton 455-5684

www.goodshepherdchurchbeaverbank.com

Sunday School: 10:30 am every Sunday.

Family, friends and new members welcome.

Sunday Service is at 9:30 am Aug & Sept.

Church Warden:

Nancy Kemp 865-6915

nancy.kemp@ns.sympatico.ca

Past Warden:

Dameon Lowe 865-2320

Please contact Rev. Don regarding Baptisms,

Weddings, Illness or a pastoral Visit.

Card Socials:

Church of the Good Shepherd Hall

45's are played every Thursday evening,

Auction 45 on the 1st and 3rd Thursday

Refreshments provided. Everyone Welcome.

\$5 admittance.

Beacon House:

We actively support Beacon House and

donations can be brought to the Church.

Mark your calendars:

September 26th, Penny Auction

October 16, Wine and Cheese Silent Auction

November 7, Turkey Dinner

-Marjie Hartlen

Knox United Church

567 Sackville Dr., Lr Sackville

Ministers: Rev. Donna Lovelace

& Rev Jean Udall

Church Office: 865-9216

Church Kitchen/Hall: 865-1603

Office hours: 8:30 am - 11:30 pm

Sunday Service: 9:30 am

Turkey Soup Luncheon:

1st Tuesday of each month, \$6/person

Farmers Market in the Church parking lot

Every Saturday Morning until Sept 26th,

9 am to 1 pm

Monday, August 3rd, 7:30 pm – Bruce &

Cheryl Harding Concert

(Bruce & Cheryl are recording artists &

worship leaders from Vancouver, BC.)

Suggested donation fee of \$10 pp.

Tuesday, August 25th from noon – 1:30 pm –

Knox UCW will sponsor the Fultz House Tea.

Watch for info on our Church Sign Board

You are always welcome!

-Eleanor Lewis

Living Hope Baptist Church

Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre

1583 Beaver Bank Road

Service: Sunday 11 am

Pastor: Rev. Kelly Holt

Promise land for kids, Bible Studies

Youth Group, Fellowship

www.livinghopebeaverbank.com

St. John's United Church Sanctuary

Administration Building, Main Floor

Ivy Meadows Continuing Care Center

(Previous Scotia Nursing Home)

125 Knowles Crescent, Beaver Bank

Minister: Lay Supply - Karen Ross

(Search for new minister in progress)

Sunday Service: Regular 11:00 am

Inquiries Contact: Ron @ 865-2962

Please note change:

August only - our services will at 10:00 am

Upcoming Event: Nickel Auction at the

Community Centre on October 21

6 to 9 pm

-Carol Cochrane

Peace Lutheran Church

971 Beaver Bank-Windsor Jct Crossroad

Ministers: The Members of Peace

Pastor: Jim Slack 864-6506

Office: 864-1625

E-mail: peace.lutheran@eastlink.ca

Web: www.peace.evangelical-lutheran.ca

Sunday Worship: 11:00 am

Sunday School: 11:00 am

Jesus Loves You

-Pastor Jim Slack

1st Sackville Presbyterian

60 Beaver Bank Rd. Lower Sackville.

(Across from Glendale Plaza)

Minister: Rev. Jean MacAulay 865-4053

Church Office: 865-4053 (machine)

Email: firstsackville@pccatlantic.ca

Sunday Service: 9:30 am

Sunday School: 9:40 Sept - June

Nursery Provided: Sept - June

Upcoming Events:

Watch the PCCAtlantic.ca website for further updates.

-Marian Tomlik - Clerk Of Session

Sackville Independent Baptist

114 Beaver Bank Rd (near Tim Hortons)

Minister: Rev. S. Edgar 864-3433

Sunday Service: 11:00 am & 6:00 pm

Wednesday Service: 7:00 pm

Faith United Baptist Church

299 Stokil Dr, Lr. Sackville

Supply Pastor: Dr William Brackney

Phone: 865-5419

Sunday Service: 10:50 am

Church of the Nazarene

650 Sackville Dr - Acadia Hall

Pastor: Rev. Roy Austin

Phone: 865-2135

Sunday School (all ages) - 10 AM

Morning Worship - 11 AM

Everyone is Welcome

Holy Trinity Pastoral Unit (Roman Catholic)

Consisting of three parishes

St Elizabeth Seton, 125 Metropolitan Ave,

St John Vianney, 4 Beaver Bank Rd,

St Francis of Assisi, Mt Uniacke

Mail for all 3 Parishes: 4 Beaver Bank Rd,

Lr Sackville, NS, B4E 1G3

Phone: 865-2112 ext 0 (Secretary)

Emergency after hours: 865-6133

Fax: 864-8645

Email: holytrinity@eastlink.ca

Website: www.holytrinityns.ca

Pastor: Fr. John Mathew

Associates: Father Zachary Romanofsky and

Bishop Colin Campbell

Deacons: Robert Doyle, Jim Smith and

Claude LaChance

Holy Trinity Pastoral Unit Staff

Catechetical Leaders: Ann Burton, Catherine

Kidson

Finance: Gloria Pottie

Secretary: Teresa Cooke

Lord's Day Masses:

Saturday - 4:30 pm (SES), 6 pm (SJV)

Sunday - 11:15 am (SES); 9:15 am (SFA);

9:00, 11:00 am & 6 pm (SJV)

Week Day Masses:

Monday & Tuesday 7:15 pm (SES)

Wednesday 9:00 am (SJV)

(followed by exposition of the Blessed

Sacrament until 11:45 am)

Thursday & Friday 9:00 am (SES)

Confessions: Saturday 5 to 5:30 pm (SJV)

Tuesday 6 to 7 pm (SES) or by appointment

-Teresa Cooke

Do you know a House of Worship serving the citizens of Beaver Bank Kinsac not represented on this page? If they wish to provide their contact information for this page it may be submitted to bulletin@beaverbank.ca, our mailing address is on page 2.

Also if anyone listed here does not wish to be or if information needs to be updated, please let us know.

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Busy School Year For Public Health Nurse

It is hard to believe that another school year is over, and that I, as your Public Health Nurse, have not taken advantage of using this newsletter to update my community of all the Health Promoting School activities that have occurred within my schools over the last several months.

In February, we celebrated Take the Roof Off of Winter and all three schools in Beaver Bank designated, the last day of the month as a Walk to school Day. Great Prizes such as nice red hats were won by students at Beaver Bank Kinsac, Beaver Bank Monarch, and HT Barrett and it was great to see students take the time out of their day to have a walk. Also, in February, I was involved in a Girls Soar at Beaver Bank Kinsac where all the girls from primary to grade 6, participated in an education session on nutrition and healthy choices and 20 min of physical activity. It was funded by Nova Scotia Health Promotion and Protection and supported by Active Halifax Communities, Halifax Regional School Board, the Halifax YWCA, and the Halifax Regional Municipality who all work to offer programs during the week. The girls received backpacks, water bottles (donated from Hockey Town), pencils, and other items to promote a healthy lifestyle.

March, brought Nutrition Month and we were fortunate to get nutrition grants for Beaver Bank Monarch and Kinsac. Beaver Bank Kinsac used their grant to put on a Boys Soar, and I was involved in educating all the boys from primary to grade 6 on nutrition and healthy choices and 20 minutes of physical activity. The boys received lunch bags, Canada Food guides, and other items to keep them healthy!

Sexual Health Education. The new Growing Up Ok http://www.gov.ns.ca/hpp/publications/11020_GrowingUpOk_booklet_Mar09_En.pdf book was delivered to all the students in grade 5 and 6 and it was agreed that the color and overall look was so much better than the older version. The information was mostly the same however there were changes, which brought great discussion. The grade 5 and 6 students in Beaver

Bank Monarch participated in a formal survey on the new book for me. I look forward to analyzing the information. This information will go back to the Province and may impact on the book next year. Thank you to the students for providing their time to read one or both books and for participating in the survey. Also, thank you to the parents for your support.

The School - based Immunization Program. This is the 2nd year we have offered HPV (Human Papillomavirus Vaccine) to all of our Grade 7 girls. The HPV is a series of 3 needles and the last given 6 months after the 1st immunization, very similar to the Hepatitis B dose schedule from grade 4. Both Grade 7 boys and girls have received their Tetanus and Pertussis booster this year and Meningococcal group C vaccine (if they have not had it). Other school based vaccines are Hepatitis B, and a reminder that if you are in Grade 7 or 8 and have not had this vaccine than you need to contact the Public Health Immunization Line 481-4956 to receive it. Leave your name, school, and number and we will get back to you. The Grade 4 immunization program was moved to Grade 7 last year. Also, the Immunization Line is new this year and you can call this line any time if you

have any questions about any immunizations. They do not have to be questions about immunizations within our schools only.

Enhanced Vision Screening Program (EVSP) was delivered to the new primary students going to school at both elementary schools. It is important to have your child's vision checked prior to starting school and MSI covers the cost under the age of 10 years of age. Most vision problems are correctable prior to the age of 7.

The Primary Immunization Forms. Please fill out the forms completely with accurate dates and pass them in once your child has received their MMR and Tetanus Booster. Public Health Services has an electronic immunization database called ANDS, so it is in the best interest of your child for their immunization dates to be accurate. You do not have to wait until your child is 5 years old for the MMR. The sooner the better!

Finally, please remember hand washing is the best way to prevent disease and sickness and to cough into your sleeve. Ask your children because I have taught them all the right way to do it. Let's see if they remember! Have a safe and healthy summer and see you in September. Please do not hesitate to contact me any time. Thank you.

Karin Harrison BScN, RN
Public Health Nurse
Lockview Family of Schools
Primary - Grade 8

Good-bye & Good Luck

When Beaver Bank Kinsac School re-opens in Sept, the three members of the staff photographed here will be missed by students, parents and co-workers. Principal Lynn Corkum will transfer to Grosvenor-Wentworth, vice-principal Kara MacGillivray will transfer to Gertrude Parker and secretary Donna Rogers is undecided on her Sept employment.

-Heather Lunn



Thank you for Your Support

The BBCCA would like to thank the following families and businesses who are supporting us with the purchase of a Share in Our Community. Also please welcome Alison Crawford who will be our new chair of the Shares Committee.

Beaver Bank Children's Learning Centre
Ron & Carol Cochrane
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Veronica Whalen
Peter & Judy Woods

Thank you also for donations from Jeff MacDonald & Jack MacAloney received through Barrett Lumber's wood roads access program.

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Seniors' Independence (HASI). For more information on any of the above financial assistance programs, please contact the Housing Services Office of the Nova Scotia Department of Community Services at 1-800-774-5130 or CMHC at 1-800-668-2642. You can also visit www.cmhc.ca for more information on the above programs.

Federal and provincial rebates and a zero interest loan up to \$5,000 are also available to homeowners looking to make energy efficiency upgrades to their home. Please contact Conserve Nova Scotia at 424-0790 for more information on these programs or www.conservens.ca.

As always, if you have any concerns or questions, please contact my office at 902-861-2311 or 1-888-701-5557.

-MP Peter Stoffer

Beverley S "Bev" Lloyd

Bev (Beverley Sterling) Lloyd passed away on July 2nd at the age of 77 after a battle with cancer. He was a resident of Beaver Bank for over 50 years. He and his wife Janice (Lively) had just celebrated their 53rd Wedding Anniversary, having been married on June 23, 1956 at St George's Church in Halifax. He was the first to install a streetlight on the Beaver Bank Rd in 1964 (Alvin Lively was the 2nd). He had a long devotion to the Anglican Church and was instrumental (with his sons) in building the current Church of the Good Shepherd in Beaver Bank, where he also served many years as a Warden. Bev also built the light-up cross at the top of the church and the 2 hymn boards flanking the Alter. Along with his wife he is survived by sons, Philip, Christopher and wife Patty, Randy and wife Jill, all of Beaver Bank, along with 7 grandchildren and 2 sisters. Bev was predeceased by his son Glenn, grandson Philip, parents and 4 siblings. Thank you to the family for the photograph.

-Dorothy Selig



Condolences

The BBCCA would like to express condolences to the following families.

We would like to again express condolences to Wally Garnett and son Richard and family on the death of daughter and sister Beverley Ann Lively on May 15th at the age of 51 years.

Condolences to the family and friends of Frank (Francis Edmund) McMahon who passed away at the age of 87 years on May 28th. Frank will be remembered for his passion for stock car racing as "Speed" McMahon, and he was inducted into the Sackville Sports Hall of Fame in 2004.

Some of you will remember Isabel Elsie Publicover who was the principal of the David Hornell School at the RCAF Station at the Beaver Bank Villa many years ago. She passed away at the age of 95 years in Hubbards on June 6th.

Condolences to Cathy Shippien and children Crystal (Hugh) Way and John (Dawn) on the death of husband and father Brian Peter Shippien on June 7th. He is also survived by his five grandchildren.

Condolences to Paula and Graham Bell on the death of her brother Allan Carman Snyder in Ontario at the age of 59 years on June 13th.

Condolences to Marilyn & Tom MacDonald and family on the death of her father Clayton Devere Clattenburg on June 16th at the age of 87 years. He is

also survived by sons David and Clayton, 5 grandchildren, 1 great-grandchild and brother Gerald.

Condolences to Wesley and Frances Ettinger on the death of his mother Edith Mae (Clark) Ettinger at the age of 89 years on June 25th. She is also survived by two more daughters, a son and a daughter-in-law.

Condolences Roy Russell and children Trevor and Ashley on the death of wife and mother Nancy Sharen on July 1st at the age of 59 years. They live in Kinsac. She is also survived by a brother and sister, nieces and nephews.

Condolences to Bob Soubliere and son Greg (Melvina) on the death of wife and mother Mildred Anne "Millie" (Boutilier) Soubliere on July 5th at the age of 66 years. She was a charter member of the BBK Lions Club. She is also survived by her two granddaughters Melissa and Kari. She was predeceased by son Gary.

Condolences to Carl Rodgers Jr on the death of his wife Lorraine Frances Rodgers on July 9th at the age of 59 years. She is also survived by two sisters, a brother and nieces and nephews.

Condolences to Janine Seymour and sons Barry and Darryl on the accidental death of husband and father Glenn Gary Seymour at the age of 56 years on July 9th. He is also survived by a sister and three half brothers.

May they rest in peace.

-Dorothy Selig



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