

## **Beaver Bank Kinsac Bulletin**

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The Voice of the Beaver Bank Community Awareness Association

## Community Wide Yard Sale & More

## Community Yard Sale Saturday August 21st – 8 am to 2 pm

Put out your stuff, put some signs up to show where you are – Advertising is being put on community signs and Kijiji!

The **Lions Club** will be selling at Hartlen's Esso. Space will be available to set up in the parking lot of the Ball Fields (just past Kinsac) on a first come basis.

Seaside FM will be around and will be promoting the sale.

### Hints & Tips:

Have lots of bags and change.

Get together with neighbours and have several tables in one area. Be safety conscious, leave space for people to park, keep your eye on your money.

Drivers! Watch for people on the road!

Rain date Sunday Aug 22<sup>nd</sup>.

## Grand Opening of the Beaver Bank Bike Park

July 31st at the Beaver Bank Ball Fields, 12 to 2 pm Bring your bikes! Barbeque & Prizes! Rain date August 1st

## **HTB PTA Fundraising For Multi-Sports Pad**

Did you know that construction of a huge multi-sport pad on the HT Barrett Junior High School property is slated to begin in the spring of 2011? This 60' X 40' pad will provide the youth of Beaver Bank with a place to go and engage in multiple physical activities (Basketball, tennis, ice hockey etc). Fundraising/Grant applications are taking place now. Coming up in September, we will be selling 1000 tickets (\$2 each) on a chance to win a Netbook with the proceeds going to the construction project. Also, later in the Fall (just in time for Christmas and the 2011 New Year), we will be building a Beaver Bank Calendar where students will submit pictures of Beaver Bank (landmarks etc) to be used in the calendar. Each 2011 calendar will be sold for profit with all proceeds going directly to the multi-sport pad construction.

Have a great summer, HTB/PTA and Community working together!

## Would You Like A Doctor in Beaver Bank?

Charles Beaver, the pharmacist-owner of the Beaver Bank Guardian Drug Store is seeking your support for permanent doctors in Beaver Bank. If you are interested in having a local doctor please visit the Pharmacy and sign the list. Mr Beaver currently has an agreement with a male & a female doctor to work part-time from an office here, and he is currently looking for a lead physician. If successful, the space next to the Pharmacy will be renovated and expanded into an office. Please show your support and stop in to the Guardian.

-Dorothy Selig

## Community DateBook Proudly Sponsored By



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Lions Club Supper & Social, page 2, the meal and cost varies weekly.

#### **Scout & Guide Registration**

Scouts call Jonathan Ritchie 865-3094 jonathan@2ndbeaverbank.ca Guides call Cheryl Jardine 252-2972 cheryl jardine@hotmail.com

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## Introducing New Fire Chief Tim Keddy

First thing I would like to do is to thank the past Chief of our Fire Department, Gord West, for his years of service and his continued support. Gord has moved on as a District Chief for HRM but continues to help our department and the community whenever possible.

I would also like to introduce myself to those who don't know me. I have lived in Beaver Bank for almost 45 years and have been a member of the Fire Department for 21 years. I have been the Acting Chief in Beaver Bank for a couple years and became Chief on May 4<sup>th</sup>.

For the months of May and June your Fire Dept. has responded to 32 calls. They consisted of: 1 power pole fire, 1 fire investigation, 1 MVA, 2 brush fires, 2 structure fires, 3 alarms activated, 4 illegal burns and 18 medical assists. This brings our total for the year to 82. Once again medical assists make up the majority of our calls.

So far this year we have been lucky to not have any major brush fires in our area. If we all burn responsibly we can continue this trend. For those who do plan to burn remember that it is only legal to burn brush and you will require a burning permit. You can obtain a burning permit at the fire hall any Tuesday night from 7-8 pm. If you have an approved burning appliance, such as a chiminea, you will not require a burning permit but there are regulations you will need to follow. These and other regulations regarding outdoor burning and outdoor burning appliances can be found by going to www.halifax.ca and clicking on the "Can I Burn in HRM" link.

Now that the kids are out of school we will be seeing a lot more bicycles on the Beaver Bank and Kinsac roads so we all need to drive with a little more caution. We are also seeing a lot more cars parked along Tucker Lake with people cooling off in the lake so slow down and keep an eye open for people walking out from between the parked cars.

In closing I just want to say how great it is to be the new Fire Chief here in Beaver Bank Kinsac and I hope over time I get to meet you all, of course at a social gathering and not at an emergency scene. Play safe and enjoy the summer weather.

-Tim Keddy, Chief BBKVFD



## Carolyn Pitts is the New King Lion

The Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club was very proud to present 2 bursaries at the Lockview High School graduation, both for \$500.00, one going to Brad Busby and the other going to Megan Dunn. Congratulation to all the graduates

The Canada Day celebrations were a great success thanks to all who supported us at our Barbeque. The Lion's club will continue with it's Friday night suppers for the summer months so come on over and show your support, it is well appreciated.

We will continue to collect used eyeglasses, stamps, ink cartridges, and are now looking for used hearing aides under 6 years old. These can be dropped off at Hartlen's Esso or you can call me and someone will pick them up.

On Aug 21 the Lions will take part in the Community Wide Yard Sale and will set up in the parking lot at Hartlen's Esso. If you would like to donate anything please call Lion Don Graham at 864-1919. We will have a good assortment of wrapping paper, ribbons, and streamers, priced at 25 cents for each new package.

The Club would like to thank Past King Lion Wade Aalders for all he has done over the past 2 years in keeping the club successful, I'm sure we will be able to find lots for him to do now that he has finished his term. The Club is always looking for new members if you have some spare time we meet every 3rd Wed of the month. Come over and introduce yourself or call our membership Chair Lion Don Graham at 864-1919 and he would be glad to give you the information you need. Our next general meeting will be held Sept 15<sup>th</sup>.

-King Lion Carolyn Pitts

## Draft of New Building Presented at BBKCC AGM

The BBKCC Annual General Meeting was held on Thursday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at HTB School. Over 40 people were in attendance. Special guests included Councillor Barry Dalrymple, Ivy Warren, Tracy Burns-Gagnon and Bogdan Hadlaw, all from HRM.

After the business meeting and the nominations of the Executive and Board of Directors, a list of all past and present Volunteers was presented on the power point presentation. Chair Tom Margeson extended a thank you to everyone who ever volunteered on the Board of the Community Centre.

This year the 2010 Business Award went to Jack MacAloney & Joy Jewer, owners of the Black Crow Pub. They have previously supported one of our Annual Golf Tournaments, and helped us advertise for our Community Centre Events. Even after their business closed their doors they still support the Community Centre by letting us keep our mobile sign on their lawn, and they keep the grass mowed around it.

The highlight of the evening was the report from the new Community Centre steering committee. The first draft of the floor plans was unveiled. We wanted everyone to know we are still on track with the new Community Centre design and tender process with a ground-breaking ceremony planned for September and the Grand opening in early Spring. Community members could see the changes that are planned for the new Centre. HRM has approved more square footage than what we had before we lost our Community Centre on September 23, 2009.

#### Our Board of Directors for 2010-2011:

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-Eleanor Lewis

## Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre

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#### Canada Day

Our second annual Canada Day was a great success. We enjoyed a pancake breakfast, pick up hockey tournament for kids, flag raising ceremony, country fair, youth talent concert, potluck supper and local talent beer garden only to end the day off with a spectacular fireworks display. A great big **THANK YOU** goes out to all the volunteers who made this possible as well as Councillor Barry Dalrymple, MLA Percy Paris, Peter Stoffer, Sperry and Partners Architects, Halifax Regional Municipality and Heritage Canada. It was great to see so many faces out celebrating our nation right here in Beaver Bank. If you didn't get a chance to get out or to see the fireworks, you missed a show! Hopefully we'll see you next year!

#### **Summer Day Camp**

Our camps are still accepting registrations- Ages 5-12, \$25/ day; Regular hours are 8:30 am-4:30 pm with early drop off at 7:30 and late pick-up at 5:30. Call today to ensure your spot! Some highlights for August include a visit from the reptile man, a dominos workshop and day trips! Check out the web site for more info or call today 865-5114.

#### **Golf Tournament**

Our 8<sup>th</sup> annual Golf Tournament will be held August 7, 2010 with a tee off time at 2 pm – Lost Creek Golf Course. Always a good time had by all. The cost is \$80 per person and includes a round of golf, steak dinner and prizes. Call Joseph Gudger at 865-1612 for more information or to register

## **Zumba Fitness Fundraiser**

See page 10 for information about this fundraiser that will benefit both the Community Centre and the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation.

### **Guess Who's Coming to Dinner?**

Round 2 of the popular fundraiser will be Friday August 27<sup>th</sup> and Saturday August 28th. Forms and information on BBKCC website or give Norma a call at 869-5677. A great way to meet new people& fire up the BBQ! See Page 4 for more information.

#### **Slow Pitch Tournament**

Our slow pitch tournament has been rescheduled to September 24, 25 & 26 with rain dates set for Oct 1, 2 & 3. So register your team today for what's sure to be an exciting weekend! Remember the tournament is for <u>FUN</u> – no skills necessary. Cost is \$200 per team. Give Jessica Gilby a call at 865-5114 or Barry Dalrymple at 861-1171 for more information!

Be sure to check out our web site at www.bbkcc.ca Check us out on Facebook! -www.facebook.com/bbkcc

-Jessica Gilby



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# Guess Who's Coming to Dinner? – II

Here's a great way to end summer on a celebratory note! Gather a group of friends for a "night out" in Beaver Bank. At \$15, per person, it's a great deal and every penny goes to the rebuild of the BBKCC. Or you can also participate by hosting a dinner – fire up the BBQ! And the guests will arrive.

How does this work? You can volunteer to host 2, 4, 6, 8 or more guests at your home on Friday, August 27 or Saturday, August 28. They will arrive at 6 pm on the evening you have selected. Or you can gather a group of friends to go to dinner. On the evening you have chosen you will receive a call at 5 pm with directions to your dinner party location.

For testimonials from the first dinner in February and/or application forms check out the BBKCC web site. For further information contact Norma 869-5677 or Danielle at 864-4823.

# Policing Office & C@P Site

The RCMP Community Policing Office will reopen in September after the school holiday. It will be open 5 day a week in HTB JR High, during school hours only. Sign in to the Main Office and you will be pointed in the right direction. Also the C@P site now has a computer for public use at the Policing Office, the volunteers will be happy to help you. The phone number is 864-6072.

## Lost Creek to hold Community Street Party

People in the Lost Creek subdivision are hard at work raising money for a park. The goal is to provide a safe, fun playground for kids - a place for neighbors to meet while they take their dog around the future walking trail while the kids ride their bikes. And in

the winter, you can lace up your skates and take a spin around the pond.

The Lost Creek Community Association is a non-profit, volunteer-led group of local citizens who are working with HRM to make this park happen. The first step is to raise money. Right now we're selling tickets on a golf package – green fees and carts for four at the Lost Creek Golf Club.

This whole endeavor, however, is not just about raising money, but also about building community spirit. And with that in mind, we're planning a street party to be held on August 8<sup>th</sup> from 1 pm to 4 pm. There'll be a BBQ, games, street hockey, face painting and more. It will be a great chance for people to have some food and fun while getting to know their neighbors.

We encourage everyone to check out our website at www.lostcreekpark.com for more information on all of these events or to find out how you can get involved.

-Trina Roache

# Beaver Bank Goes To Hollywood!!!

maXspeed from maXspeed.ca "AKA Todd Hartlen" has recently filmed a movie trailer Starring Erika Hale from Beaver Bank! The movie trailer is titled, "Beautiful

Girl" which can be seen at www.maxspeed.ca

The Suspense/Thriller film trailer was recently submitted to an International Trailer Competition based out of California, and has been flying up the charts. These two fellow Beaver Bankers need our support! You can make a difference and dreams come true by only two clicks of a mouse.

Visit <a href="https://www.maxspeed.ca">www.maxspeed.ca</a> Click the BIG YELLOW link and click VOTE! Every single vote moves the "Beautiful Girl" from Beaver Bank to the top of the charts! Lets show Hollywood we have talent!!! Visit <a href="https://www.maxspeed.ca.now">www.maxspeed.ca.now</a>!

-Tamara Comier

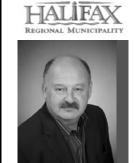
911 Civic Signs can be Ordered From the BBK Volunteer FD From 7 to 8 pm on Tuesday's, a deposit is required \$5 single sided or \$10 double sided

#### HRM Call Centre 490-4000 7 am to 11 pm

Call to report Pot Holes, Broken Street Lights, Existing Sidewalk Problems, Graffiti, etc

#### Deadline for the October Bulletin Sept 4, 2010

Contact Information on Page 2 or email us at bulletin@beaverbank.ca



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## **Scouting News**

Well school's 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 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 happening currently set for September 8<sup>th</sup> 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 in the schools newsletters.

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 8**<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at HTB School. Come on and join the fun!! And make memories that will last a lifetime!!

-Jo-Anne Grove, 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting



# 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting

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## Going Green and Cleaning Up the Roadsides

The Going Green Roadside Cleanup was a great success, and the people who turned up had a really great fun time working together. The BBQ was the reward for helping and it was certainly enjoyed by everyone.

We were really pleased to see the amounts of garbage we have to pick up lessening each year, and the Community has to be congratulated for taking such a pride in their surroundings, and really GOING GREEN. We wish to thank all the people who kindly gave our community donations towards the BBQ. We appreciate your contribution.

-May Renfrew



Left: Jonathan Ritchie, 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting, Allan McLeod, Dave Buck, and Max Miller. Below Left Apollo and his Dad the first helpers; Below Right: Jonathan Ritchie, 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting, May Renfrew 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting, Raymond Grove 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting, Sheila King 2nd Beaver Bank Scouting, Allan McLeod, and Max Miller.





## Friends of Ivy Meadows Residents Society Went Down the Secret Garden Path

"Come Down the Secret Garden Path", a garden event, took place Saturday June 19<sup>th</sup> at 31 Barrett Road in Beaver Bank. Jeanine and Owen Hazel opened their blooming rose garden to host a fundraiser staged by the Friends of Ivy Meadows Residents Society. This society raises funds in order to purchase and run the recreation bus used by the residents of Ivy Meadows in North Beaver Bank.

The premier event consisted of information stations, guest speakers with demonstrations, a silent auction, a plant sale and other activities populating the afternoon. The sun was shining, the breeze was blowing and the air was steeped in rose-scent as the guests moved around thousands of fragrant old-fashioned roses.

The Society made the draw for a garden themed lottery, which they conducted in the months leading up to this event. The prizes consisted of a wooden garden bench won by Betty O'Halloran; outdoor solar lights won by Marg Willett and Barb Carr won the gift certificate worth \$25 from Atlantic Gardens. Congratulations to the winners are extended from FOIMRS.

Volunteers and participants agree that it was an afternoon well spent.

-Carol Jollymore



## **Landscaping Materials**

Bark Mulch
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## BBKSA (50+ Keeners) Fall Program

Commencing on Sept 7, 2010 at the
Beaver Bank Community Hall (Brown Hall)
Tuesdays - Cards 1.30 - 3.30 pm
Wednesdays - Crafts 11 am - 1 pm
Thursdays - Noon Lunch with every third Thursday being a
Potluck with everyone contributing

We were successful in obtaining funding from the Dept of Seniors with which to start our new venture "Drum Away the Doldrums". The first of the drum circle sessions will commence at 2 pm on Wednesday, September 27 and continue on Wednesdays until, and including, September 29th. Location BB Community Hall. Come and have some fun! No fee.

Plans are presently underway for the annual Fall Fair - tentative date is September 25th, location TBA.

-Rae Marlborough

## **BIRTHS**

## Leif Gregory Joseph Jamieson



Marcus Jamieson and Hannah Hefler are pleased to announce the birth of their son, Leif Gregory Joseph Jamieson, born May 19, 2010 at the IWK Health Centre, weighing 8 lbs, 12 ozs. Proud grandparents are Greg and Sue Jamieson, North Kemptville and Joe and Ruby Hefler, Beaver Bank. Big sister Taylor and big brother Rome are delighted to welcome Leif to their family and also wish to congratulate their mum, Hannah,

on receiving her Masters of Educational Psychology from Mount St Vincent University on May 21, 2010. It was an exciting and busy week.

We're on the web at:
www.beaverbank.ca

Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre Fundraising

Mixed Slow Pitch Tournament

Rescheduled to September 24, 25 & 26
Beaver Bank Ball Fields

Pull Your Team Together and Register Today

\$200 Per Team No Skills Necessary This is all about Fun

and raising funds for a good cause

For more information or to register your team contact:

Barry Dalrymple at 861-1171 or by email

lwfbaseball@hotmail.com or barry.dalrymple@halifax.ca

Jessica Gilby at 865-5114 or by email bbkcc@ns.aliantzinc.ca

50/50 Draws — Barbeque Come out and cheer for your favourite teams!!

#### Rowan James Mathew Hines



Hannah would like to announce the arrival of her baby brother, Rowan. Rowan was born on July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2010 weighing 8 lbs, 15.6 ozs. He is the son of Tom and Jillian Hines of Beaver Bank. Proud grandparents Bill and Charlene MacDonald and Bonnie and the late Bill Hines reside in Cape Breton.



Congratulation to Brad Busby who received a bursary from the BBK Lions Club at the Lockview High Graduation. Presentation was made by King Lion Wade Aalders.

# The Ride to Conquer Cancer "Quite Possibly Canada's Fundraiser"

Hello Beaver Bank, my name is Jimmy Nursey and I have been resident of this wonderful community for over 30 years. Much of my childhood was spent riding in and out of our many subdivisions and up and down the extensive Beaver Bank road.... either with or with out my Mothers permission. I remember a time when riding the Beaver Bank Road felt so very long and almost impossible. Now that is more meaningful when speaking about beating the morning traffic or getting out of Tim Hortons... Man things have changed over the years.

Recently I took on a much more mature and current challenge. On the 12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> of June, I took part in one of the most fulfilling events I have ever been involved with. This was the 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Ride to Conquer Cancer, Benefiting the Campbell Family Institute at the Princess Margaret Hospital, based in Toronto, Ontario. This hospital is one of the top 5 Cancer research facilities in the world. Yes, the world... right here in Canada.

The ride takes place over 2 days, which begins in Toronto and ends in Niagara Falls, riding through many outlier communities off the extremely busy highways of Southwestern Ontario. That's over 200 km and for the adventurous over 300 km of well laid out terrain providing a humbling feeling knowing there is much more to Ontario

than the busy Metropolis of Toronto.

This event was formed from the desire and need to help overcome Cancer, an extremely devastating disease, which affects 2 in 5 people.... Yes that means that 40% of the population will hear the words "you have cancer" in their lives. Many of us have not been affected directly by Cancer, but we all know someone who has.

In the fall of 2009, I was asked by a co-worker to sponsor her in the ride to which I replied, "How can I take part?" She enlightened me on the details of the event and with in days I had registered. I understood the event would be very involved but I had no idea how great. The major event sponsors range from West Jet, KPMG, CTV, The Globe and Mail and Vitamin Water to name a few. The event this year generated over \$16 million dollars from over 4100 riders.... That is just in Ontario alone. There are 3 other rides which take place in Quebec, Alberta and BC and they all support local hospitals looking to defeat this destructive disease.

There were so many different people taking part in the ride, who ranged from the extremely fit to the recreational riders and there were some significantly inspiring stories among the participants. Anyone who was



inspired by the cause was very motivated to be involved.

I pledged to raise the minimum of \$2500 this year by August 10th and hope to double that next and hopefully do the same year over year. To this point I have raised half of my goal and I would be very gracious and thankful to anyone who is able to help continue my sponsorship goals. My personal web page can be found at <a href="http://www.conquercancer.ca/goto/richardnursey.com">http://www.conquercancer.ca/goto/richardnursey.com</a> any donation amount would be put to an amazing cause.

Thanks to all who took the time to read this article and at one point I would like to be able to ride in Nova Scotia supporting our own local Cancer research and facilitation. After taking part in such an amazing event, I felt it was necessary to share my experience and pass along the message that we can definitely work together to achieve success and Conquer Cancer in our lifetimes.

Story and Pictures by Jimmy Nursey





## Alice Performed in a Dessert Wonderland at BBK

Alice In Wonderland
Written by Lewis Carroll
Adapted by Kathryn Schultz-Miller
On Wednesday June 2<sup>nd</sup>, ninety-six
people attended the BBK Spring Play,
"Alice In Wonderland". Fifty-five
students in grades 3 to 6 took part in the
play. BBK's music teacher, Jennifer
Sterns, was in charge of the play. The
gym was set up with tables and chairs
and was decorated with many playing
cards strung about. There were fruit and
dessert trays along with tea, coffee and

The parents of the students provided the costumes. Special thanks to Mrs. Bezanson for the aprons for the five girls who played Alice. Grade 4 teacher Mrs Power, with help from students, did a wonderful job with the props. The attractive backdrop was on loan from Hammonds Plains elementary school, who also performed the play.

juice for refreshments.

The students practiced from Jan to May. A special thanks to Mrs Kavanaugh who helped with the drama at afterschool practices. It was a delightful play enjoyed by all who attended. If it were to receive a grade-mark it would be an A+.

-Heather Lunn



Alice #5 - aka Emma Selig

## School Staff Wish Everyone a Great Summer

On behalf of the staff at BBK, Principal Brendan MacGillivray, Vice Principal Angela Comeau and Administrative Assistant Susan Duzak would like to extend their gratitude for a great year of support for the school. They wish the students and their families a happy and safe summer.



The staff and students of Harold T Barrett Junior High School would like to thank the Beaver Bank Community for their support throughout the 2009-10 school year. Mr Moore (Principal), Mr Ferguson (Vice Principal) and Mrs Meek (Secretary) would like to thank everyone who went out of their way to make them all feel very

welcomed. Both Mr Moore and Mr Ferguson are looking forward to serving the community of Beaver Bank for the next few years. They would like to remind the Beaver Bank citizens to support the \$70,000 construction (multi-sport pavement pad) project that will take place on the school property over the next couple of years. Please get behind upcoming fundraisers that will help improve the physical fitness opportunities for the youth of Beaver Bank for many years to come. Late registration day for new students is on August 26th and the first day of school is scheduled for Sept 2<sup>nd</sup>.



-Jamie Moore

The staff of Beaver Bank Monarch Drive (Principal Wallace MacAskill, VP Lynn Stewart and secretary Dianne MacDow, seated) wish all of our school community a safe and happy summer. Hoping you all get to enjoy the summer months and take in some activities as a family. Looking forward to seeing you all in September.

-Diane MacDow

Late Registration Aug 26 First Day of School Sept 2



Thank you to Heather Lunn for these stories and to Carl Lunn for the pictures

Did you know a large proportion of thefts from cars are crimes of opportunity? Lock your doors.

Report every theft to the RCMP, even if you are not making a claim. That way the police know where the problems are so they can step up patrols.

### Church of the Good Shepherd (Anglican Church of Canada)

28 Trinity Lane, Beaver Bank Rector: Rev. Don Shipton 455-5684

Sunday Service: 10:00 am

Family, friends and new members welcome. www.goodshepherdchurchbeaverbank.com Church Wardens: Nancy Kemp 865-6915

nancy.kemp@ns.sympatico.ca Dwain Gordon 864-0024

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, Auction 45 is played every Thursday evening at 7:30 pm, Refreshments provided. Everyone Welcome. \$5.00 admittance We actively support Beacon House and donations can be brought to the Church on Sunday mornings, dropped off at Hartlen's Esso through the week or call Jean Bevan at 865-2262 to make arrangements.

#### Mark your Calendars:

September 27th - Nickel Auction October 16th - Silent Auction/Wine & Cheese November 6th - Turkey Supper

-Marjie Hartlen

#### St. John's United Church

Administration Building, Main Floor Ivy Meadows Continuing Care Facility 125 Knowles Crescent, Beaver Bank

Lay Supply: Karen Ross Sunday Service: 11:00 am

**Contacts:** 

Ron & Carol Cochrane, 865-2962 George & Joyce Hull, 864-7095

**Upcoming Fundraisers:** October 23 - Nickel Auction

Location: Church of the Good Shepherd Hall Time: 1 pm on Saturday Afternoon

All New Items

November 21 - Second Annual Angel **Memory Tree Service** 

Location: United Church Sanctuary Time: 7 pm on Sunday Evening

If you wish to purchase an angel (\$10) in memory of a loved one or to honour someone in your life, please call 865-2962 or 864-7095 or 864-7037. The angels will be placed on the tree during the service. Tax receipts are available upon request. Refreshments will follow the service. All denominations are welcome

-Carole Cochrane

#### Sackville Independent Baptist

114 Beaver Bank Rd (near Tim Hortons)

Minister: Rev. S. Edgar **Phone:** 864-3433

**Sunday Service:** 11:00 am & 6:00 pm Wednesday Service: 7:00 pm

#### **Knox United Church**

567 Sackville Dr., Lr Sackville Minister: Rev. Donna Lovelace

Rev. Donna will be leaving the end of August for a calling in Marystown, NL.

Church Office: 865-9216 Church Kitchen/Hall: 865-1603 **Office hours:** 8:30 am - 1:30 pm Sunday Services: 9:30 am alternating between Traditional & Alternative

Every Wed: 1-3 pm- Time out for Ladies Every Mon night: 7 pm - Bible study

**Upcoming Events:** 

Fultz House Tea: Knox UCW will sponsor this tea from noon - 1:30 pm on August 24th. Money raised will go towards Fultz House Historical Society.

Watch for info on our Church Sign Board You are always welcome!

-Eleanor Lewis

### Living Hope Baptist Church

971 Windgate Dr (Peace Lutheran Church)

Service: Sunday 1 pm Pastor: Rev. Kelly Holt

Promise land for kids, Bible Studies

Youth Group, Fellowship www.livinghopebeaverbank.com Living Hope Baptist Church is now holding their Worship Service and Sunday School at 1 o'clock Sunday at 971 Windgate Drive (Peace Lutheran Church). Everyone is welcome. Rev. Kelly Holt is the Pastor and

can be reached at 864-5789.

#### 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

## 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

#### **Holy Trinity Pastoral Unit** (Roman Catholic)

Consisting of three parishes

St Elizabeth Seton, 125 Metropolitan Ave, St Francis of Assisi. Mt Uniacke St John Vianney, 4 Beaver Bank Rd, 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. Johni Mathew

Associate: Father Zachary Romanofsky Deacons: Robert Doyle, Jim Smith, Claude

LaChance and David Shortt **Holy Trinity Pastoral Unit Staff** 

Catechetical Leader: Ann Burton Clerical Secretary: Teresa Cooke

Finance: Gloria Pottie

Administrative Secretary: Catherine Kidson

Lord's Day Masses:

Saturday - 4:30 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 6:45 pm)

Confessions: Saturday 5:30 to 6 pm (SJV) Tuesday 6:30 to 7 pm (SES) or by

appointment

-Teresa Cooke

### **Peace Lutheran Church** NOTICE

The Congregation of Peace Lutheran have disbanded and the building is in the process of being sold to another congregation. Pastor Slack has relocated to another calling in Quebec. The Living Hope Baptist Church will continue their services at this address.

## **Guideline for Submissions**

The BBK Bulletin is published 6 times yearly, Feb, April, June, Aug, Oct & December. The deadline is usually the first Friday of Jan, March, May, July, Sept & Nov. Please check the current Bulletin or the website for the specific date. Written submissions can be sent by email, no special formatting required. For handwritten articles, please PRINT any names. Articles can also be mailed or dropped off. Pictures are best emailed as a jpg file. Please see page 2 for contact information. Thank you!

## Emily Sheen Receives Social Justice Award From Minister Paris

Since becoming an MLA in 2006, I have furnished the Percy Paris Award for Social Justice. The recipient of the award, chosen by the faculty of Lockview High School, is a graduate who has demonstrated a commitment to issues of social justice – previous winners have been involved in issues relating to the environmental, anti-poverty, animal rights, anti-racism and issues affecting seniors and youth.

This year the school's graduation committee chose Emily Sheen of Beaver Bank. Emily's commitment to social inequity

was cited as outstanding by the teachers and staff at Lockview High. Emily plans to study International Development Studies at St. Thomas University in Fredericton in the fall. Congratulations to Emily and her parents.

Summer may mean vacation time for many working people, but for the unemployed, it is an ideal time to focus their job hunt on getting a foot in the door to cover holidays for others. As always, my constituency office is able to help you a little with your job hunt. My assistant, Megan, is happy to make copies of your resume, you can send and receive local faxes, and use my computer for your on-line job search. Please phone the office for more details on these services. We're here to help.

-Percy Paris, MLA

Percy Paris, mla

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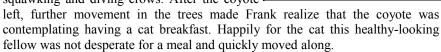
The Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation Atlantic Region



# People Together With Nature het's on the Mony This Morning

What's on the Menu This Morning?

Frank White of Beaver Bank (North) took pictures of this backyard visitor at 7:56 am on July 4<sup>th</sup>. He was alerted to the visitor by squawking and diving crows. After the coyote



We here in Beaver Bank have the pleasure of living where we can see nature and wildlife. While coyote and bears can be dangerous and other animals can be a nuisance (raccoons, crows, skunks, bats) using common sense strategies can let us live side by side, people together with nature. The Nova Scotia Government website gov.ns.ca has lots of good advice under the Department of Natural Resources section. Don't have a computer? Check them out on the web in the C@P Site at HTB Jr High when school opens in September.

-Dorothy Selig

## From Parliament Hill

### Federal Government Should Keep Lighthouses

The government recently announced that they want to rid themselves of 1,000 lighthouses across the country by declaring them surplus property, as they no longer want to be responsible for their maintenance and care. The decision will affect communities with lighthouses in every region of the country, including Atlantic Canada, Ontario, Quebec, British Colombia and the Arctic.

This plan was announced quietly. In late May, they posted the closures on a website of the Department of Fisheries and Oceans as part of an announcement on the implementation of the so-called Heritage Lighthouse Protection Act. They did not consult with communities and other stakeholders about this plan.

We have called for a dollar for dollar comparison of maintaining the existing lighthouses and replacing them with a steel tower and solar light. We are not convinced that the divestiture of these lighthouses is the most cost-effective option. We are also concerned that community groups will not be able to afford to maintain the lighthouses if they agree to take over ownership. This happened to community groups who became responsible for wharves divested by the federal government a few years ago. We have urged the Minister of Fisheries and Oceans to reverse this decision and consult with affected communities and citizens. The public deserves to have a say into the future of these structures.

#### Improvements Needed for EI sickness benefits

My colleague Fin Donnelly (New Westminster – Coquitlam & Port Moody) recently introduced a Private Member's Bill in the House of Commons that would extend medical Employment Insurance benefits for those suffering from chronic or long-term illnesses. His bill would increase EI sickness benefits from the existing 15 weeks up to a maximum of 52 weeks. Donnelly was moved to action after he met a constituent that was experiencing great financial strain while fighting cancer. Currently, people who are fighting cancer or any other chronic illness are only eligible for 15 weeks of sick benefits. We are



## Peter Stoffer Member of Parliament

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hopeful that this gap in the Employment Insurance Act will be addressed. Almost one-third of all sickness claims are now exhausted before the beneficiary returns to work, leaving many individuals with no benefits or income while they continue to recover

I also continue to work on extending Compassionate Care Employment Insurance benefits. Currently family caregivers are only entitled to 6 weeks of Employment Insurance when they have to be away from work temporarily to provide care or support to a family member who is gravely ill and who has a significant risk of death within six months. I am hoping that the government will extend the benefit period for up to 26 weeks.

#### **Possible Fall Election**

Canadians may be heading to the polls again this fall. It is anticipated that an election will be called in September or October. If you would like your name added to the potential list of Elections Canada poll clerks or Deputy Returning Officers for paid work on Election Day, please call our office. We forward all names to Elections Canada after the election is called and they make the final decision on hiring within a couple of weeks after the election is called. You can reach our office at 1-888-701-5557 or 902-861-2311.

As always, please contact my office if you have any concerns or questions at (902) 861-2311.

-Peter Stoffer, MP

Peter writes a monthly column, some of which is reprinted here, please contact his office if you would like to read the full columns.

#### CONDOLENCES

The BBCAA would like to extend condolence to the following community members who have lost loved ones in recent days.

First we would like to send condolences to Helene (Brian) Barrett and family on the death of her mother Rhoda 'Sal' Melanson on May 15<sup>th</sup> at the age of 88 years.

On June 19, life-long resident George Robert 'Bob' Soubliere passed away at the age of 72 years. Condolences are sent to his son Gregory (Melvina), granddaughters Melissa Elaine & Kari Anne and greatgrandson James Robert. He was pre-

deceased by son Gary and recently by his wife Mildred 'Millie'. He was a founding member of the BBK Lions Club.

Also on June 19, Anne Marie (Joudrey) Tobin passed away at the age of 59. Condolences are sent to her husband Joseph, children Denise (Alain), Michelle (Barry) and Joey (Michelle), grandchildren, sisters and brother. She was a daughter of the late George & Florence Joudrey.

On June 24 Cordella Lewis of Beaver Bank passed away at the age of 73 years. Condolences are sent to her husband Martin, sons Daniel (Sherry) and Martin G, grandchildren and brother.

5<sup>th</sup> On July Margaret Mary (Shunamon) Forrest passed away at the age of 90 years at Northwood. Condolences to her daughter Sharon (Gaston) Brisson and son-in-law Vondon McNeille (late Leslie), grandchildren Jeffery (Joanne) McNeille, Bruce McNeille, Jolene Brisson; foster grandchildren The Tran (Tam) and Michael Tran (Thuy); 8 greatgrandchildren. She was the daughter of the late John & Minnie Shunamon and her late husband was George Forrest.

Rest in Peace.

-Dorothy Selig



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