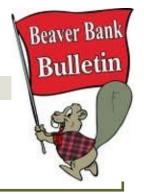
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The Voice of the Beaver Bank Community Awareness Association

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Dec 1 – Breakfast with Santa

Dec 3, 4 – Tinsel the Talking Tree at the BBKCC

Dec 8 – BB ATV Club Rally day

Dec 9 - Ornament making workshop

Dec 9 – Party with Santa at the Lions Club

Dec 31 – NYE at the Lions Den

The Beaver Bank
Awareness
Association would
like to wish you and
yours a safe and
happy holiday
season and all the
best in 2019!

Lest We Forget



Laid by	In Honour/ Memory / on behalf of
Joanne Pasha	Walter Lively
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Darlene Thomas	George Albert Thomas
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Kathleen, Josephine & Karen	Edward Palmer Shunamon
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4 th Sackville Cub Pack	
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Update from Station 48 – Merry Christmas everyone – here comes 2019

Season's Greetings on behalf of the volunteer men and women of the Beaver Bank – Kinsac Volunteer Fire Department. 2018 seems to have flashed by and 2019 is almost upon us.



The Beaver Bank - Kinsac Volunteer Fire Department continues to keep busy responding to emergency calls, training on Tuesday nights, and getting out visiting within our beautiful community. During Fire Prevention Week the members of the fire department were out and about in the community to spread the important message of fire safety, fire prevention, and tips on being prepared in the event of an emergency. As well, we were honoured to take part in the Remembrance Day service at the cenotaph.

The call outs for emergency responses continue to keep us busy. Your fire department has responded to 32 pages for assistance since the last edition of the bulletin. We have responded to 16 medical assists, 5 alarm activations, 1 structure fire (our response area), 5 structure fires (mutual aid), 2 illegal burns, 1 motor vehicle

accident, 1 special service call, and 1 investigation call. This brings our total number of call outs for the year to 161.

As it is December, winter and the Christmas holidays are fast closing upon us, the members of the fire department would like to pass on some safety tips to keep in the back of your mind as the snow begins to fly and the holiday cheer begins to spread.

We have already experienced an early dose of winter with some snow events. Even though we know snow and winter conditions are coming, we tend to wait until the snow is upon us before we adapt. Here are some reminder tips for this upcoming winter driving season. Prepare your vehicle for the wintery roads. Clean off the snow and ice from your vehicle before hitting the road, have the snowbrush handy, top up the windshield washer fluid, have a roadside emergency kit in the trunk, and put on those winter tires. The most important tip we can share is drive for the conditions you are experiencing on the road; give yourself a little more distance between you and the car in front in case of a sudden stop on icy roads, and give yourself a little extra time getting to your destination. We want everyone to get safely home to enjoy the company of family and loved ones. If conditions are too bad and

you don't have to be out in them, take the day and stay at home.

Of course, many people will be making the rounds visiting and catching up on old times. If you plan to have a few social refreshments, please don't drink and drive. Have a designated driver, take a cab home, stay the night, or enjoy a brisk walk and leave the car at home.

As we are approaching Xmas, the members of the



fire department are collecting non-perishable food items to donate to Beacon House. This year we are trying something a little different. This year we are "Filling a Port-A-Tank for Beacon House" Our goal this year is to fill our portable water tank with food donations in support of Beacon House. If you would like to drop off a nonperishable food item to help us achieve our goal, you can stop by the Fire Station/Community Center during "Breakfast with Santa" and "Tinsel the Talking Tree" events. We will also be accepting items on Tuesday nights at our

fire station if you want to drop them off.

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As the days on the calendar continue to pass by, a new year is quickly approaching. On behalf of the volunteers

that make up your fire department, I want to thank the community we serve for supporting your local fire department in 2018 and for a safe and prosperous 2019 to your family from ours.

Until next time – stay and play safe.

Kevin Crewe – Station Chief



Bill's Blog

I would like to wish a Merry Christmas to all residents of Beaver Bank. I hope you have the opportunity to enjoy the many festivities put on by the wonderful volunteers in our community. Have a wonderful holiday season!

<u>Do You or Someone You</u> Know Need Help?

Continuing Care Services are provided to eligible people who need care outside of the hospital in their home and community. Care can be provided on a long or short-term basis.

Continuing Care Programs and Services include:

Home Care (Nursing, Home Support, Respite and Palliative Care), Long-Term Care (Nursing Home or Residential Care Facility), Home Oxygen Services. Adult Protection Services. Protection for Persons in Care, Aboriginal Continuing Care, Caregiver Benefit Program, HELP-Bed Loan Program, Personal Alert Assistance Program, Self-Managed Care Program, Supportive Care Program. Specialized Equipment Program (Long Term Care) and Respite

Care at home or in Long Term Care.

The toll-free number for information for Continuing Care is **1-800-225-7225**. This number operates between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., seven days a week. Call to learn more about what options are available to you.

2018 Property Tax Rebate - Deadline December 31, 2018

The Property Tax Rebate for Seniors Program is offered help eligible seniors remain in their homes by providing a rebate on the municipal property taxes. Eligible homeowners can receive a 50% rebate up to a maximum of \$800 per year. The rebate is based on the taxes paid in the previous year. Applications are available at our office, online https://novascotia.ca/sns/ac cess/individuals.asp or by calling 902-424-5200.

Influenza Vaccine Now Available

All Nova Scotians over six months old are encouraged to get a flu shot. The flu vaccine is available free of charge to all Nova Scotians

and everyone is encouraged to get one.

Adults over 65 years of age, children six months to five years of age, pregnant women, Indigenous Peoples, and people with chronic medical conditions are encouraged to get a flu shot as soon as possible to reduce risk of developing influenza related complications.

The seasonal flu vaccine is now available from most pharmacies, family doctors, family practice nurses, nurse practitioners and workplace clinics. For more information, visit Nova Scotia.ca/flu

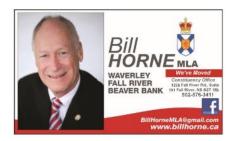
Beaver Bank Hub Office Hours

Please join me at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre Hub office every second Monday of the month between 1:00 – 3:00 p.m. Please let me know if you require an appointment outside of the Hub hours. Please call my office, 902-576-3411, or drop by at Suite 101, 1265 Fall River Rd. to discuss any concerns you may have. Our e-mail is billhornemla@gmail.com

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From The Lions Club



A Message from Darrell Samson

Greetings friends!

It seems like just a few weeks ago that we were visiting the beaches across the riding in scorching temperatures. Yet. December is here, and we've already had our first snowfall of the season. As we wrap up the last weeks in Ottawa for the year, I've been reflecting on some of the great times experienced together throughout 2018.

From participating community events to visiting Beaver Bank businesses for tours and to greet their Canada summer students. And of course, my favourite memories are of meeting as many of you as I could during my time there and in surrounding communities

You should be receiving my 2019 calendar soon. This year, it features scenic water vistas from across the riding. With over 40 communities scattered between Beaver Bank and Chezzetcook, and only 12 months of the year to showcase them, I'm pleased to say that I included one of Tucker Lake! I hope you enjoy them all.

Update: Ships STAYS here There was a lot of talk Unifor's recently about 'Ships Stay Here' campaign and how important it was for ALL of the communities in Sackville—Preston— Chezzetcook, including

Beaver Bank and Kinsac. With 20% of Irvina Shipyard's workforce being from our riding, this means long-term jobs with good wages for people in the community!

Shortly after the first ship launched. was our government awarded \$7.0 billion in contracts to three shipyards for repair work on 12 Halifax-class frigates, with most of that work landing at the Halifax yard. On Nov 2nd, the Minister of National Defense. Harjit Sajjan, was back in Halifax to announce more exciting news. First, he quashed rumours that some of the shipbuilding may be shuffled to other shipvards: all five of the promised Arctic Offshore Patrol Ships (AOPS) plus construction of the fifteen Canadian Surface Combatants was staying here! Then, he announced that Halifax would also be building a sixth AOPS! This is fantastic Halifax for the Shipyard, and for every community in our riding!

CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

With the turning of the last page on the calendar, most of us will be gearing up in preparation for the holiday season. It's a time when we can easily get lost in the hustle and bustle, buying wrapping and gifts, decorating and baking, etc. We might not be as aware of those in our community who

struggling with the season and could use a friendly hand. Maybe it's a family dealing with financial hardship (and too proud to ask for help) that could use an anonymous donation or be surprised with new toys or clothes for their children.

Also, let's not forget that some of our neighbours may be struggling with what like unbearable seems If you know of stress. someone in need of helpor if you ever need helpplease down jot this information so it is right at hand:

Mental Health Crisis Line 1-888-429-8167 (toll free) Available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

After a year of sitting in the House of Commons listening to politicians bickering, I look forward to the Christmas break and more pleasant exchanges of peaceful wishes between people. It doesn't matter what the seasonal greeting is, there is one reply that suits them all.

If someone wishes you, "Merry Christmas!" and you're not Christian— "Joyeux Noël!" and you're not Francophone— "Happy Hanukkah!" and you're not Jewish— "Happy Kwanzaa!" and you're not African-Canadian—or "Happy Holidays!" and you are religious; the reply that works for me is, "Thanks!

Same to you!" Let's all look past the words used by person so we can appreciate the good intention of the seasonal wish.

My wife and I are looking forward to the first Christmas for our new grand-daughter, Emma Ruth, who will be just over one month old (and yes, she is adorable!), as well as spending time with friends and family. From my family to yours, we wish you a happy and healthy holiday season, and look forward to seeing you in the New Year! Office Darrell Samson, M.P. / Bureau de Darrell Samson, député Sackville-Preston-Chezzetcook Suite 201, 2900 Highway 2 Fall River, Nova Scotia BZT 1W4 Tel. (902) 861-2311





Beaver Bank ATV Club

What's going on at the Beaver Bank ATV Club? Well we've had a busy and productive first half of the season. Since September when we resumed our meetings, we've done 3 fun runs, some trail work on the 5k and lots of planning going on for future trail work.

Our elections are coming up in the new year and we are going to be forming a nomination committee to seek out a new secretary, membership coordinator and a treasurer. These two positions have been filled by long time dedicated volunteers and we thank them for their dedication and the amount of time

and effort they have put into the club over the years they were in those positions! If you are interested, please contact us via the club Facebook page or email bbatvclub@gmail.com

Thank you very much to both Eric Rideout (treasurer) and Dawn Maxwell (secretary), both of which I can't say enough about. Without the dedication of volunteers: our club wouldn't exist. They have decided to "pass the torch" so to speak and stay as an active part of the club but as a general member rather than an executive and we all thank you for staying a part of the club!

Our other big news is, WE'RE HAVING A RALLY!!! There is a TON of work going on right now by the club rally committee to get our first rally underway.

If you have an ATV or know someone who does, invite your friends and come out and join the club in making our first rally a success!!

See you at the next meeting, Corey Osborne (VP)

If you see any OHV violations or issues on BLC lands please contact Jonathan Calnen at (902) 456-7922

Beaver Bank Community Hub

Our successful Shredathon in October netted \$420.00 and a carload of food for the Beacon House. Thank you to all who participated.

After three and a half months of scanning old photographs, taking up to date photos and a great deal of computer work the Beaver Bank "Then and Now" Heritage Calendar was produced. At the time of the Bulletin printing we still have some remaining but they are going fast. Many people are planning to send copies to relatives and friends who have left

the area. If you require any, please contact us.

Follow us on our new page on Facebook
@bbcommunityinfohub

From the Hub Team (902)252-3291 bbcommunityhub@gmail.co



Beaver Bank Then and Now 2019 Heritage Calendar



THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO SUPPORTS THE BEAVER BANK
BULLETIN! PICK UP YOUR COPY AT BARRETT LUMBER, BEAVER BANK
STATION, BEAVER BANK PIZZA, FOO SING, TUCKER LAKE PIZZA, THE
BEAVER BANK KINSAC COMMUNITY CENTRE, THE GUARDIAN
PHARMACY, CHENS, BEAVER BANK CONVENIENCE AND, THE LIONS
CLUB!

The Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre

Chase the ace is back Thursday nights at the BBKCC! 6-8pm Tickets: 1 for \$5.00, 3 for \$10.00 and 7 for \$20.00 (must be 19 years of age to purchase) Cash bar on site and check out our awesome new canteen menu!

The BBKCC had a great fall full of events, parties and weddings! Congrats to all the new married couples who had their special day at the BBKCC. We have great rates available for events and meetings – call us to inquire about booking or visit our site at www.bbkcc.ca/rentals for a full list of spaces and fees.

Thanks to everyone who came out to enjoy the Halloween dance – it was a fun night of dancing, snacks and community spirit! Lots of great costumes and fun had by all. Special thank you to the organizing committee and volunteers who made it possible.

We are so excited about our Annual Breakfast with Santa which will be held Dec 1 this year from 8:30-10:30 am. Breakfast is just 5 bucks! For the first time ever, Tinsel the Talking Christmas Tree will be here Dec 3rd and 4th from 6-8pm! Admission is a food bank donation in support of the

Beaver Bank Volunteer Fire Dept Stuff a port-a-tank endeavor.

With all the exciting things happening at the BBKCC we always welcome new volunteers. Whether you would like to volunteer at events or programs or you are thinking of joining the Board please reach out to us! Everyone is welcome! It's a great way to get out and meet people and have FUN! If you have an idea for an event or program at the BBKCC we would love to hear from you! Our Board is here to support the community and their efforts.

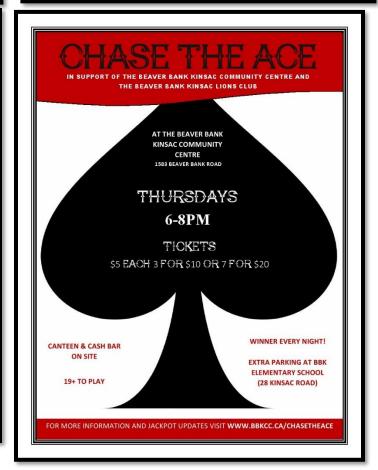


Have a safe and happy holiday season from the PBKCC!



BEAVER BANK KINSAC SENIORS ASSOCIATION 50 PLUS KEENERS AUTUMN SCHEDULE September, October, November, December 2018 FITNESS with Lynn 902-864-0791 Sept. 10th – Dec. 10th then resuming in January 10:00 am Monday: **BINGO** with **Mary 902-864-3414 & Marilyn 902-865-1465** Doors open at 6:00 pm. 1st & 3rd Mondays. 6:45 pm Tuesday: 9:00 am WALKING with Georgina 902-864-2019 & Marion 902-865-8744 1:00 pm CRIBBAGE with Helen 902-576-5028 Sept. 19st - Bus Tour* - Details Below GARDENING with Rae 902-865-1035 & Mary 902-864-2144 September & October (weather permitting) 8:00 am 9:00 am SSF FITNESS with Lynn 902-864-0791 Sept. 12th – Dec. 12th then resuming in January. 10:00 am PAINTING with Marie 902-865-1105 Sept. 12th - Dec. 12th 1:00 pm then resuming in January. - FILLED EAT OUT with Joan 902-865-6993 2nd Thursday of the month 12:00 pm Sept. 13th Birthday Pot Lucks – 3rd Thursday of month September 20th, October 18th, November 15th 12:00 pm NEW! African Drumming! with Dr. Henry Bishop. Starting Sept. 21st, For info contact Susan 902-252-0799. Friday: 10:00 am BRIDGE with Cheryl 902-865-5945 Starting Sept. 14th 1:00 pm GRIEF SUPPORT SERVICES Rev. Joan Helpard, Anglican Deacon, has graciously agreed to provide this service by appointment (902-865-6993) to anyone experiencing loss. Membership is still only \$10.00 or \$15.00 per couple Most activities take place at the BBKC Centre. Exceptions: Walking Club, Eat Out, Gardening Thank you for your interest and support. Ann - 902-865-0381 No SCENTS make good SENSE Sharing our skills, wisdom and experience for the good of our Community.





Announcements

In loving memory Darren Gilby



June 14, 1963 - October 31, 1976

Loved and missed every day

Love, Mom, Buff, Reg, Greg, Scott and Gaelyn



Thank you

I would like to thank the members of the Beaver Bank Kinsac Fire Dept as well as EHS for their rapid and effective response when my wife, Sandy, encountered a sudden medical problem on Nov 16. I would also like to thank my neighbours for their generosity, kindness and support.

Sincerely,

Byron Bolt.

Brown Hall available for rent

Birthday parties, wedding showers, baby showers, etc. Please call 902-865-0757 and leave a message and someone will get back to you.







Left: Some floats from the 2018 Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club Parade of Lights!

Church Services

Church of the Good Shepherd

Anglican Church of Canada 28 Trinity Lane, Beaver Bank Rector: Rev. Cathy Lee Cunningham Sunday Service 10:00 AM

Family, friends and new members welcome.

Church Wardens

Dwain Gordon 864-0024 Jill Evans-Glenen 223-7266 Past Warden Brian Britten 864-0678

Please contact Rev. Cathy Lee regarding Baptisms, Weddings, Illness or a Pastoral

visit at 865-0203.

We actively support Beacon House and donations can be brought to the Church on Sunday mornings.

Hall Rentals

Fred Cox 864-1090 Marjie Hartlen 719-7760 Please check out our website at beaverbankchurch.com

Mark your Calendars for 2018

October 19th, Friday, Wine & Cheese Silent Auction, doors open 7pm(contact Judy Gordon at 864-0024 for tickets/information) November 17th, Saturday, Turkey Supper 4 to 6 (Eat in/ Take out)

November 25th, Bishop visiting to celebrate confirmation and Holy Eucharist with aPotluck Luncheon after the service.

December 2nd, Holy Eucharist, 1st Sunday in

Advent, White Gift Sunday

December 9th, Nine Lessons and Carols, plus a reading of the Memorials for Memorial Sprays.(If you would like to purchase a Memorial Spray, please contact Cora Sampson at 902-864-7070) before November 25th.

December 16th Holy Eucharist, 3rd Sunday in

December 23rd Holy Eucharist, 4th Sunday in Advent and we will decorate the Church after the service

December 24th Christmas Eve, Holy Eucharist Service (check our Website or our sign on the Beaver Bank Road for service time).

December 30th Holy Eucharest, 1st Sunday after Christmas when we'll be singing favorite Christmas Hymns.

Faith Baptist Church

299 Stokil Dr., Lr Sackville Phone: Office 865-5419 Kitchen / Hall: 865-3773

Email: faithbaptist@ns.aliantzinc.ca Website: http://faithbaptist.ca Pastor: Rev. Borden Scott 865-8224

Sunday Service: 10:30 am

Holy Trinity Pastoral Unit (Roman Catholic)

Consisting of three parishes:

St. Elizabeth Seton, 125 Metropolitan Avenue, Lower Sackville, NS

Summer Mass times: Tuesdays 7 pm /

Sundays at 12 noon

St. Francis of Assisi, Mount Uniacke Summer Mass times: Sundays at 8 am St. John Vianney, 4 Beaver Bank Road, Lower Sackville, NS B4E 1G3 (mailing

address for all three churches)

Mass times: Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays at 9 am / Saturday 4:30 pm /

Sunday at 10 am Phone: 902-865-2112

Email: karen@holytrinityns.ca Website: www.holytrinityns.ca

Pastoral Administrator: Fr. Ken Lao. CC Associate Pastor: Fr. Bryan Sabourin, CC

Secretary: Karen Smith Coordinator of Family Faith Formation: Alex Craven

St. Francis by the Lakes Anglican Church

192 First Lake Drive Lwr. Sackville NS

Archdeacon Mark Kingsbury 902 223-3120 Rev'd Ken Turner 902 865-8559 Rev'd Faye Forbes 902 860-2752

Rev'd Joan Helpard 902 865-6993

Schedule of Service

Sept - June 8:00 A.M. 10:00 A.M. Summer July - August 9:00 A.M. Hall Rental Donna 902 865-8169

Sackville Independent Baptist

Address: 92 Beaver Bank Road Pastors: Pastor Jeremy Eastwood

and Pastor Greg Little Phone: 864-3433

www.sackvilleindependentbaptist.org Sunday Service: 11:00am. & 6pm Sunday school: 9:45am for all ages Wednesday: Prayer meeting 7:15 pm "Serving Him only by His grace and power" (Ephesians 3:7-8)

Sackville United Baptist Church Address: 1240 Old Sackville Rd

Pastor: Pastor Peter Metcalfe

Phone: 902-865-3681

Sunday Service and Sunday School 10:30

St. John the Evangelist Anglican Church

Rector: Rev. Norma Mitchell Church: 954 Old Sackville Road,

Sackville

Church Hall: 934 Old Sackville Road,

Sackville

Parish Office Telephone: 864-3154 Parish Hall Telephone: 865-7107 Email: site@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Services: 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. on Sundays and 7:00 p.m. on Wednesdays

Knox United Church

567 Sackville Drive, PO Box 210

Sackville, NS B4C 2S9

Interim Minister: Rev. Sandra Cox Church Office: 902-865-9216 Office email: admin@knoxsackville.ca

Website: www.knoxsackville.ca Worship Service: 10:30 am

Weekly Events:

Time Out for Ladies - Wednesday @ 1pm Choir practice - Wednesday @ 7:30pm Gentle Yoga & Relaxation Saturday@10am

Youth Group - Sunday @ 7pm

Mark Your Calendar:

C.O.M.E. Free meals 3rd Thursday of each month

White & Pink Gift Service - 10:30am -Dec 9th

U.C.W. Candlelight Service - 7 pm -Dec 11th

Cantata - The Wonderful Story -10:30am - Dec 16th

Longest Night Service - 7 pm - Dec 20th

Family Worship Service - 4pm - Dec 24th

Lessons & Carols and Communion -8pm - Dec 24thJanuary 2019 we welcome Dave Carroll (United breaks Guitars) Concert

Everyone is Welcomed at Knox.

Living Hope Baptist Church

Address: 971 Windgate Drive Worship: Sundays 10:00 am Sunday school: Sunday 9:00 am

Pastor: Rev. Kelly Holt

First Sackville Presbyterian

60 Beaver Bank Rd.

Lr. Sackville

(Across from Glendale Plaza) Minister: Rev. Ken MacLeod Church Office:865-4053 (machine) Email: kenandmarilyn @eastlink.ca

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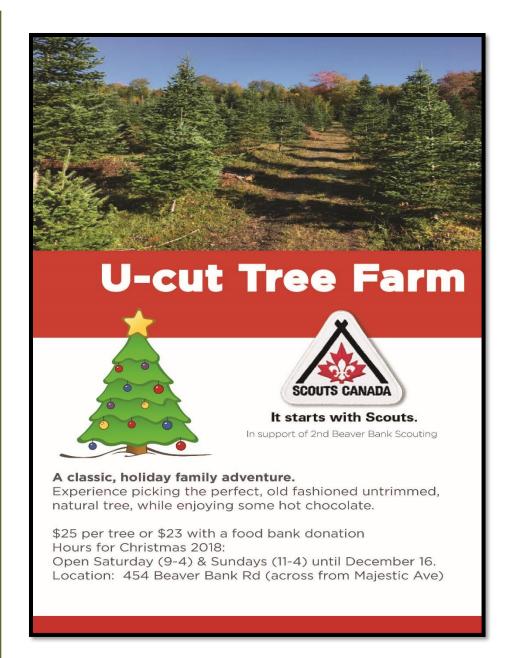
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