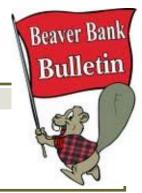
Beaver Bank Kinsac Bulletin

The Voice of the Beaver Bank Community Awareness Association



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Community Date Book

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1st & 3rd Monday of each month -Keeners bingo at the BBKCC

Oct 25th - Church of the Good Shepherd Wine and Cheese Silent Auction

Oct 26th -Halloween Harvest Party

Nov 2nd – Lions Club Paint Night

Nov 24th – Lions Club Parade of Lights

Dec 7th - Breakfast with Santa

Thank You **ScotianWinding** For Your Community Support

FOCUS ON BUSINESS

Presents by the Beaver Bank Business Association

CELEBRATING 20 YEARS IN BUSINESS

Elmer W. Grove

The newly formed Beaver Bank Business Association (BBBA) would like to start our first feature of "Focus on Business" by commemorating Beaver Bank Pizza and would like to extend a heartfelt thanks and congratulations to Elias and Lina as they celebrate 20 years of serving Beaver Bank and area.

This Beaver Bank landmark was originally established 29 years ago, opening its doors in February of 1990, but it was not until November 1st 1999 when the young family of Elias Nasrallah and his wife Lina took ownership of the business and for the past 20 years their family grew as Beaver Bank grew and opened the doors to greater opportunities in our community.

In 2011/12 Beaver Bank Pizza received the Business Appreciation Award from the Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre (BBKCC) on top of being a regular supporter of the Beaver Bank Auction, Monte Carlo Night, churches, hockey teams, spring fairs and so many other events and groups. For ten years they also provided the pizza at Beaver Bank Monarch Elementary's hot lunch program and were able to help out with Caudle Park Elementary's hot lunch program for a year.

When I asked Elias about operating a business in Beaver Bank, he said "the business continues to grow with new people moving into the area and that it just



and better every year." When I asked him what he likes about doing business in Beaver Bank, he stated "it is a special place for over the past 20 years we have relied solely on the word of mouth from our wonderful customers that continue to share their appreciation for our food and our service and when we hear our customers tell us how much they enjoy our food, it validates our hard work."

Elias also wanted all of Beaver Bank to know that they are thankful for the support and are looking forward to many more years of serving the community.

Update from Station 48 – Where did summer go? Fall is in the air

Your fire department would like to thank everyone for continuing to burn responsibly this past summer and post storm Dorian. Even though DNR may end the official burning season on October 15th - it is important to know that the municipal HRM Open Air Bylaw remains in effect for the entire year and the basic rules about burning still apply. You can also check out https://www.halifax.ca/firepolice/fire and click the "Burning Rule & Regulations" for more information.

Since the last edition of the bulletin, the fire department has responded to 33 pages for assistance; 14 medical assists, 7 alarm activations, 5 mutual aid calls outside of response area, 5 illegal burns, 1 motor vehicle accident, and 1 investigation call. This brings our total number of call outs for the year to 119.

The Beaver Bank – Kinsac Volunteer Fire Department continues to keep busy with training and responding to emergencies within our beautiful community. Fire Prevention Week (October 6th to October 12th) is

quickly coming up in early October and the members of the fire department will be out in the community visiting local schools and organisations to spread the word on fire prevention. The theme this year is "Not Every Hero Wears A Cape - Plan and Practice Your Escape". We recommend that all homes have a dedicated escape plan and a meeting place in the event of a fire emergency in your home. This time of year is a good time to practice this plan with the family to make sure everyone knows what to do, where to meet, and that the plan actually works in the event a fire should occur.

As we move into Fall – the evening daylight starts getting shorter and nights are cooler – at some point the old furnace or woodstove will get put back into service to take the chill out of the air at home. Before you flash up the furnace or woodstove for the first time, complete a nice thorough inspection to make sure everything is in good working order whether it is done by yourself or a certified person. For woodstoves, check the chimney and if you haven't

done so since last Spring give it a good cleaning and be ready for the home heating season. On a final note, the Beaver Bank- Kinsac Volunteer Fire Fighters Association will be busy with events within our community leading up to Christmas. We will be holding a Christmas Turkey Bingo at the Beaver Bank -Kinsac Community Center on Wednesday, November 27th. Doors Open at 6:30PM and we will be starting the first game

As well, we will be collecting for the local food banks again this year with the return of "Fill a Porta-Tank" initiative. After our inaugural first-time last year was such a success, we hope to build on the donations for local food banks in our area. Stay tuned for dates and times when we will be setting up the port-a-tank to accept donations.

around 7PM.

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 and its members; together our community grows stronger.

Not every hero wears a cape.

PLAN and PRACTICE your ESCAPE!

firepreventionweek.org

Until next time – stay and play safe.
Kevin Crewe – Station
Chief

Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club

The Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club is proud to recognise the following community contributions their club has made:

Donations to:

Camp Lion Maxwell for Children with Type 1 Diabetes to defray cost for children to attend.

Camp Brigadoon to help defray cost for children with disabilities attend different camps.

Camp Morton helping diabetic child to go to camp

Dog Guides of Canada to supply at guide dog (there are several different types of guide dogs) to someone in our community that is in need through Lions Foundation of Canada.

Donation to Boy Scouts for trip away in August.

To community members:

Paid for furnace repair for senior Provided furnace oil to someone in need Supplied baby supplies to needy family Groceries for a single mom with 2 little children Bursaries to two Lockview High Students from Beaver Bank.

Breakfast Programs at 2 Elementary Schools School Supplies to Harold T. Barrett Junior High for teachers to give out to needy students.

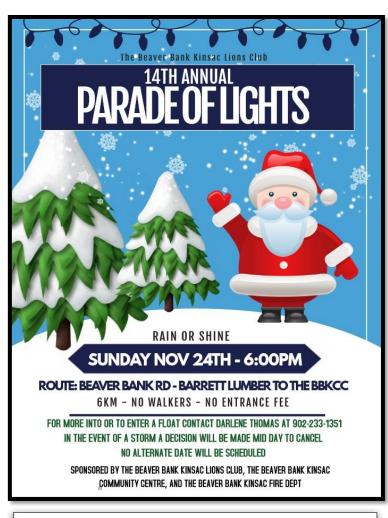
Paid for Medication

Christmas gifts

Free Easter Egg hunt and BBQ for children and their families

Free Christmas Party for the children.







Beaver Bank ATV Club



We've had a busy summer and are now back to regular meetings. If you're interested in joining the club you can join online via the ATVANS website under the Join Us section or you can join at our regular meetings which are the second Wednesday of each month at the Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club at 40 Sandy Lake Rd. 7pm. In September we had our 1st Annual Family BBQ and Fun Run and it was a success! We had over 20 bikes for the run and over 50 people for the BBQ afterwards! We are looking forward to making this even bigger and better next year!

We have lots on the go this fall and are looking forward to getting to work! Look for our Halloween Night Fun Run (Oct 12th) and our Veterans Run (Nov 10th). Both are shaping up to be great events! Check our Facebook page for updates.

Thinking about getting an ATV or SxS and joining us on the trails? There will also be some demo days coming up, check our Facebook page for info on those also!

We have submitted our application for the share the shoulder pilot program to gain legal access to the shoulder of the road from the Lions club to the Beaver Bank Convenience Store thus allowing you to cross the Beaver Bank Road and use the "gas trail" to access the trail network on the west side of the Beaver Bank Road legally. We hope to hear something on this soon! Our rally is coming up on December 5th and the planning for that is in full swing now! We also have some other events in the works as well! Members will receive updates in their email and everyone can get updates via the Facebook page. We will also be looking for members to decorate their machines and ride in the Beaver Bank Parade of

Lights that is usually in November.

If you have questions or concerns, feel free to reach out to us on Facebook or email bbatvclub@gmail.com and we'll do our best to get back to you ASAP! Thank you very much to the community for your continued support!





Beaver Bank Business Association

TIME FOR BUSINESS TO GROW

As the president of the newly formed Beaver Bank Business Association (BBBA) I am please to announce that as of May 2019 the association became a reality. What started as a plan to promote awareness of the approximately 100 plus businesses now operating in Beaver Bank.

Our hope for the coming year is to develop programs and training to help our local businesses grow. We also hope to start anterprenuarship training for seniors and youth alike.

We feel it is time for Beaver Bank Businesses to be recognized and to share what we have to offer to each other and the communities around us. We will be producing an article in the Bulletin called "Focus on Business" to share and promote the success of Businesses in Beaver Bank.

What do we need to do this? Your input and support.

What does this look like? Your input to create

complete business profiles for each of our already excisting businesses and letting us know what business training you think would best suite your needs.

Our goal is simple, we are hear to develope and promote business and business development in Beaver Bank, through promotion, training, meetings and workshops.

Were do we start?

The following is the first steps in our working together and that is through:
Supporting current business growth and development.

- Promote new businesses that would relocate to Beaver Bank
- Improve aesthetics of Beaver Bank Road
 - Hanging baskets(seasonal decorations)
- Business banners
- Advocacy for local businesses
- Business breakfast
- Business connections meet and greet
- Business Calendars

If you would like more information on the Business Association you can email us through beaverbankba@gmail.com

. Our office will be in the HUB Tuesdays 9:30 – 2 Starting in October.

I look forward to sharing our vision of business life in Beaver Bank.

Elmer Grove



Bill's Blog

New PET-CT Scanner for the QEII Health Sciences Centre

Nova Scotians will receive more timely diagnoses and treatment with a new PET-CT scanner at the QEII Health Sciences Centre.

For many types of cancer, PET-CT scans are the most accurate imaging test to determine the extent of cancer spread at diagnosis, show the cancer's response to therapy and look for possible cancer recurrence in follow-up. A PET-CT scan often finds cancer not seen on other imaging tests.

The Province is investing \$3.8 million to purchase and install the new scanner. The QEII Foundation is contributing \$600,000.

Radon Detectors Available for Loan at Constituency Office

Radon is a radioactive gas that is formed naturally by the breakdown of uranium. Recent scientific studies have linked an increased risk of developing lung cancer from exposure to radon at levels found inside some homes. Radon cannot be detected by the senses. It has no colour, odour or taste. However, it can be detected with special instruments. The only way to know if you have a radon problem is to test your home.

I have 2 digital radon detectors available at our constituency office for loan

at no cost to Waverley-Fall River-Beaver Bank residents. These detectors will be loaned out for 6 week periods – the time it takes to complete the test. The 2 detectors are on loan now and will be available again November. If you would like to register your name to loan out one of the 2 detectors, please contact our office at 902-576-3411.For more information on testing for radon, please check out

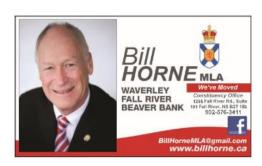
https://novascotia.ca/dhw/environmental/radon.asp.

Notary Public – Commissioners of Oath

Please contact my office if you require the services of a Notary Public or Commissioners of Oath. Some government forms require stamps or signatures from a Commissioner of Oaths or Notary Public. I am legally authorized to administer oaths, affirmations, or declarations to persons making the affidavit. Please contact my office so we can arrange a convenient time for an appointment for this purpose. There is no fee for this service.

Contact us

Please call my office, 902-576-3411, or drop by at 1265 Fall River Road to discuss any concerns you may have. Our email is billhornemla@gmail.com and you can follow me on twitter @bill_horne_mla



The Beaver Bank Community Information Hub's Annual Shred a thon will return in Spring 2020!

Date TBA!

Contact the Hub for more info and updates 902-252-3291



Beaver Bank Community Information Hub

The Hub News

Tell us a story about Beaver Bank that we can share. During the next few months we are inviting you to help us compile a collection of interesting and informative stories. Volunteers will record interviews which can highlight history down through the years. These could be added to the Fultz House collection or featured in future bulletins (your choice). Call us at 902-252-3291 or check our Facebook page for further information.

A reminder that every household should display a Civic Sign. Call us to make arrangements.

The roadside Speed Sign is available. If you have knowledge of a problem traffic area simply call us at 902-252-3291.

We also have Radon Detector kits which can be signed out on loan from our Office.

The Hub Team - Rick, Ginnie, Ken, Susan, May, Rae

Beaver Bank Community Information Hub Phone: 902-252-3291 Email:bbcommunityhub@g

mail.com



Beaver Bank Kinsac Community Centre

Chase the ace is back!
New this year you can
purchase your tickets
anytime the BBKCC is
open! You don't have be
there to win! We also have
an exciting new menu.
Drop in Thursdays between
6pm-9pm! Happy hour is
from 6:30-7:30 with \$2.75
beer. shots & wine!

Hope everyone made out ok in Hurricane Dorian. Unfortunately, we had to reschedule our Street Dance and will now be holding a Halloween Harvest Party on Oct 26! Free admission, free food and free rides home within Beaver Bank! Dress up or come as your spooky self!

Check out all of our drop in programs on page 9 of the Bulletin!

It's almost that time again! Breakfast with Santa will be held on Dec 7th this year from 8:30am-10:30am! \$5 per breakfast which includes pancakes, sausages, juice and tea or coffee. You can also get your picture with Santa! Please bring your nonperishable food items to help the Beaver Bank Volunteer Fire Dept's Stuff a port a tank initiative in support of the Beacon House!

We have a couple vacancies on our Board for the following positions:

Bar Manager - The Bar Manager is responsible for

the operation and management of all bar operations for the BBKCC

Secretary - The Secretary is responsible for general correspondence and for internal communication within the Society.

Youth Rep - To coordinate youth events at the BBKCC.

If you are interested or would like more info please email us at bbkcc@eastlink.ca or call 902-865-5114. As always, we always welcome new Directors as well!

We're on Facebook! Like our page for all the latest news and updates!





Beaver Bank Ball Field Undate



There will be new Fencing, a pickle ball court and new basketball nets.

We are removing the old fencing from the back field and leveling it out. The first steps toward our new Family Park in Beaver Bank!



Beaver Bank Box
Car Races!
Saturday October
19th
10:30am-3:30pm
345 Heatherglen
Drive
Free BBQ & Family
Fun!

Announcements

Alzheimer Disease, Dementias, and ASNS Resources Info Session

All are invited to attend a free 1hr information session and Q&A at the BBKCC, on Alzheimer Disease, Dementias, and ASNS Resources. 2pm, Mon. Oct 28. presented by Kara Gouthro- Murgatroyd, education/outreach worker with Alzheimer Society of N.S.

Many of us know people directly or indirectly affected by brain changes in themselves or their loved ones.

Becoming informed empowers us to be better allies and advocates.

This is the first public information event initiated by BBEE (Beaver Bank Elder Encouragement).

A non profit formed to encourage all ages in the wider community to be aware of those residing and working in the neighbourhood continuing care facility, foster connections and enrich lives.

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!

Burn Safe!

Every day at 2pm the web site www.novascotia.ca/burnsafe is updated with burning restrictions. If your county is red it means no burning that day, yellow means domestic brush burning is permitted between 7pm-8am and green means domestic brush burning is permitted between 2pm-8am. For more information visit the web site. If you do not have internet access and would like to know the burning restrictions for the day please call the community centre at 902-865-5114.

The Brown Hall is available for rent Birthday parties, wedding showers, baby showers etc. Please call 902-865-0757, leave a message and someone will get back to you.

Have you seen the speed sign around the community? We are collecting data to help combat speeding on the Beaver Bank Road. To report speeding issues in your area please call the RCMP non emergency number at 902-244-7208. If you suspect someone is driving under the influence or, have another road related emergency please call 911.

For more information or to request a location for the speed sign please call the Beaver Bank Community Hub (Located in the BBKCC) at 902-252-3291



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 calendar for 2019

Friday, October 25th, Wine and Cheese Silent Auction Saturday, Nov 16th, Turkey Supper 4 to 6

Faith Baptist Church

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

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

8224

Sunday Service: 10:30 am

Living Hope Baptist Church

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

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

Sunday Services: 9:30 am Sunday School: 9:40 am

Holy Trinity Pastoral Unit (Roman Catholic)

3 locations

St. Elizabeth Seton, 125 Metropolitan Ave. St. Francis of Assisi, Mount Uniacke St. John Vianney, 4 Beaver Bank Road 4 Beaver Bank Road

Lower Sackville, NS B4E 1G3

865-2112 Ext 0 office@holytrinityns.ca.

Website: www.holytrinityns.ca

Facebook @ HolyTrinity Pastoral Unit

Pastor: Fr. Bryan Sabourin

Associate Fr. Yves Marchildon Deacons: Deacon Rod Rowlands Director of Operations: Catherine Kidson Coordinator of Evangelization & Ministries Kate Pinto

Coordinator of Discipleship: Alex Craven Office Manager: Vacant

Weekend Masses:

Saturday - 4:30 pm St. John Vianney Sunday - 8:00am St. Francis of Assisi 10am St. John Vianney

12noon St. Elizabeth Seton

WeekDay Masses:

Tuesday 7:00 pm St. Elizabeth Seton Wednesday - Friday 9:00 am St. John

(followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until 9:00pm)

Confessions: Saturday 3:45- 4:15 pm (SJV) Tues. 6:30 to 6:45pm (SES) Wednesday 8:30-8:45am by

appointment.

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 Fave 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 am

St. John the Evangelist Anglican Church

Rector: Rev. Ruby Carter Church: 954 Old Sackville Road,

Sackville

Church Hall: 934 Old Sackville Road,

Sackville

Parish Office Telephone: 864-3154 Parish Hall Telephone: 865-7107

stjohntheevangelistclergy@gmail.com 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 Relaxation Yoga & Saturday@10am

Youth Group - Sunday @ 7pm

Mark Your Calendar:

Friday, Oct 18 - Sackville Concert Band @ 7pm. Admission by donation. Saturday, Nov 23 - 6pm, The Men of the Deeps, Christmas in the Mines concert and 2nd concert Sunday, Nov 24 - 7pm

Saturday, Nov 30th - Knox Turkey Supper

Saturday, Dec 7th - Breakfast with the

Clauses



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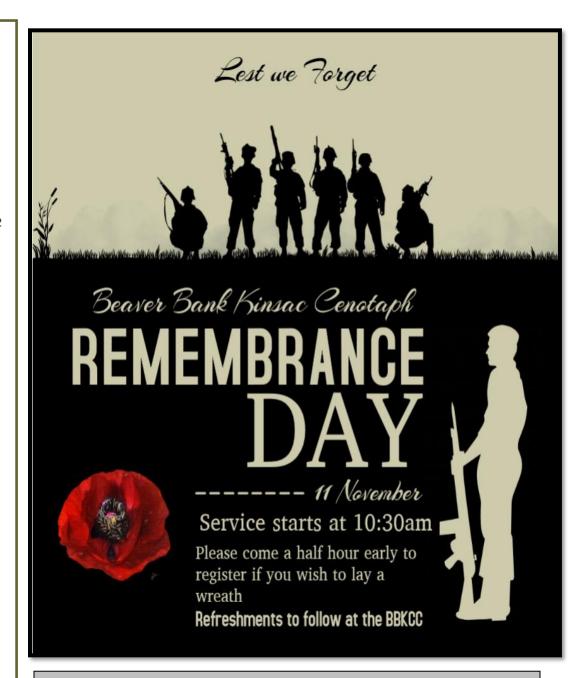
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Bedford Commons

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www.beaverbank.ca



Please submit articles for the next Bulletin by Nov 15th for publication in December

Guidelines for Submissions to the Bulletin

The BBK Bulletin will be published 6 times this year (February, April, June, August, October, and December). The deadline will usually be the 15th of the month before publication. Please check the last page of the current Bulletin for the specific deadline date.

Written submissions may be sent by email at beaverbankbulletin@gmail.com. For handwritten articles, please PRINT any names. Articles may also be mailed to our mailing address. Thank you.