

2020 Community Events Guide

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Fort Anne National Historic Site, Annapolis Royal




COUNTY *of* ANNAPOLIS

NATURALLY ROOTED

2020 Community Events Guide

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A group of hikers is seen on a dirt trail in a forest. The hikers are wearing various hats, backpacks, and using trekking poles. The scene is bright and sunny, with sunlight filtering through the trees. The hikers are moving along a path that is surrounded by lush green vegetation and tall trees.

Nordic Hiking on one of several
public Annapolis County Trails



COUNTY of ANNAPOLIS
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Welcome to the 2020 Annapolis County Community Events Guide!

I will be attending as many events as possible and I'd love for you to join me.

The breathtaking natural beauty of the Bay of Fundy shoreline, the lush Annapolis River valley, and hundreds of lakes and waterways will capture your heart and challenge your skill at hiking, biking, canoeing, kayaking and a dozen other outdoor pursuits.

Fall in love with our coastal communities, towns, village, historic properties, and the stunning parks that are the pride of our county. They provide the perfect stage for the occasions you see listed in this guide. In gardens, theatres, and community halls, we celebrate the rich tapestry of our history, traditions, and diverse cultures. These features are made possible thanks in no small part to the efforts of our many dedicated volunteers.

Come and discover Annapolis County and see why we are so proud to call it home!

See you there!

Timothy Habinski
Warden
County of Annapolis

Bridgetown Regional Outdoor Sports Hub

30 Faye Road, Bridgetown

This multimillion dollar Sports Hub is a partnership arrangement with the County of Annapolis, the Province of NS, and the Federal Government of Canada.

Amenities of the Sport Hub complex:

- **Memorial Park:** This area consists of the Chimney Swift Roost Tower, small park with walking pathways and parking.
- **Natural Turf Soccer Field:** (50 m x 70 m).
- **Tennis Courts:** New resurfaced tennis courts.
- **Synthetic Eight Lane Running Track** complex combined with a **Synthetic Turf Soccer Field** located inside the track (68 m X 100 m field). **Jumping Runways** for triple and long jump are located on the east side of the track. The **Steeplechase Water Jump** and the **High Jump** are located on the north end of the track.
- Adjacent to the Sports Hub is a natural turf field (55 m x 100 m) that was built as part of Bridgetown Regional Community School (BRCS). This includes the **Throwing Areas** for javelin, discus, and shotput.

The new Sports Hub will open in the spring of 2020. Visit www.AnnapolisCounty.ca in late April for updates.

For more information contact :

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Recreation Manager, County of Annapolis

dryan@annapoliscounty.ca

www.annapoliscounty.ca

902-665-5010





VOLUNTEERING

Clean Annapolis River Volunteers

Celebrating Our Volunteers!

Volunteering is a great way to meet new friends, learn and share skills/talents, gain work experience, help develop communities and, most of all, have fun while enriching the lives of others.

Volunteer efforts can be seen on a daily basis around Annapolis County, in our community halls, churches, hospital/health centres, schools, volunteer organizations, boards, sport and recreation groups, and facilities.

Each April, we celebrate our volunteers during Volunteer Week where individuals are honoured with an Annapolis County Volunteer Award. A huge congratulations goes out to all our worthy recipients.

Visit our website to learn more about volunteering in Annapolis County and how to nominate a deserving volunteer.

Annapolis County is excited to be introducing a volunteer youth initiative in the fall of 2020 called VIP! This program will encourage young people in our area to go out into their communities, contributing their time and energy to helping those around them. We are lucky to have such an abundance of talented and giving young people in our region. We want to provide them with an outlet to make a difference and to be recognized for their efforts.



Volunteer Nova Scotia is a free searchable database of available volunteer opportunities from across Nova Scotia. Visit volunteerns.ca

Ongoing Events in Annapolis County

► Ongoing Events

Summer Reading Challenge

June 27 - Aug 22

10am-5pm

Annapolis Valley Regional

Library (AVRL)

Angela Reynolds (902) 532-2665

areynolds@valleylibrary.ca

www.valleylibrary.ca

Head to your local Annapolis Valley Regional Library location and join the Summer Reading Challenge. The whole family can participate and win prizes. Cultural events, computer classes, art workshops, story times, and more happen all summer long. Enjoy free WiFi in all locations. Visit website for the most updated event listings.

Annapolis Community Pool July-August

Annapolis Community Pool

62 Champlain Dr.

Annapolis Royal (902) 532-1777

annapoliscommunitypool@gmail.com

Swim lessons, Day Camp, Family & Lane swims daily. Visit us on Facebook (Annapolis Community Pool)

Annapolis Community Pool

Society of Fibre Artists of the Annapolis River Presents our Architectural Heritage

June 14-Aug 2

Chapel Gallery

ArtsPlace, 396 St. George St.

Annapolis Royal

Céleste Thibodeau-Stacey

(902) 760-2394

thibodeaustacey@yahoo.ca

Exhibition of fibre art by members of SOFAAR.

Candlelight Graveyard Tours at Fort Anne

June 1-Oct 15, 9:30pm

Fort Anne National Historic Site

323 St. George St.

Annapolis Royal (902) 532-3035

<http://www.tourannapolisroyal.com/graveyard.html>

Tour one of the oldest English graveyards in Canada. Presented by The Historical Association of Annapolis Royal, tours are held seven nights a week. The 75 minute tours are rain or shine. Meet at the Fort Anne parking lot. No reservation required. Visit the website for rates and more information.

► Monthly Events

Cornwallis Park

Monthly Breakfast

Saturday, Jan 11-Dec 12

8am-10am

Felker Hall Community Centre

734 Broadway Ave.

Cornwallis Park

Marty Felker (902) 638-3164

maarstan98@yahoo.com

Adults \$6; 12 and under \$3.

Parking at rear of building.

Bridgetown Area Garden Club

Tuesday, Jan-Dec

7pm-9pm

St. James Anglican Church

289 Granville St., Bridgetown

Deb Bowes-Lyon (902) 665-4656

www.bagardenclub.weebly.com

bagardenclub@gmail.com

Bridgetown Area Garden Club meets the first Tuesday of each month. We offer a variety of speakers and workshops on a wide range of gardening topics. Garden tours in the summer months.

Bridgetown
Lions Club
Breakfasts



Middleton Fireflies Luncheons
Tuesday, Jan 28-Nov 27
11am-1pm

Middleton Fire Hall
49 Church St., Middleton
Middleton Fireflies:
(902) 825-3246

On the last Tuesday of each month (except - June, July, August and December) come enjoy a home-cooked menu which can feature hearty soups, chowders, and other great meals. Free delivery to homes or businesses.

Bridgetown Lions Club
Breakfasts

Saturday, 8am-10am
Bridgetown Legion
20 Jeffery St., Bridgetown
Rita Hurlburt (902) 588-2016
rita.hurlburt@yahoo.ca

First Saturday of each month (except - July, August and September) come enjoy pancakes, sausage, hash brown, ham, toast, juice, tea, and coffee. Good will offering.

Good Cheer
Self-Sufficiency Society

Lower Granville Hall
3551 Granville Rd.
Lower Granville
Medea Holtz (902) 955-1955
info@lowergranvillehall.com

Various topics - growing food, raising animals, food security, import replacement, green energy and living well. Monthly meetings and dates will vary. \$2 Hall donation.

► **Weekly Events**

Year-Round
Seniors' Fitness Classes
Jan-Dec, Monday through
Friday, 10am-11am

401 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Amery Boyer
amery.allii@gmail.com

Summer Outdoor Aquafit
Classes: June-Sept
Monday through Friday
11:20am-12:20pm

Annapolis Royal
Community Pool

62 Champlain Dr.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-0556
amery.allii@gmail.com

In June and early September, the classes will be held at a private pool in Upper Clements. Please call the number provided to register.

Bridge
Wednesday, 1:30pm

St. George and St. Andrew
United Church (Jan-Apr.)
393 St. George St.
Anne Flewwelling
(902) 532-2452
beaucy11@gmail.com

Join other Bridge enthusiasts for some great card playing and wonderful social time. Please be aware the location may change for May-June. There is usually a break over summer but reconvenes in the fall.

TOPS
(Take Off Pounds Sensibly)

Jan 9-Dec 18
Thursday, 8am
Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Stephen Peck (902) 467-3838
speck727200@gmail.com

TOPS is a weight support group. Weigh-in at 8 am. Meeting at 9:15 am.

Meat Bingo
Sept 11- May 29 (2021)
Friday, 7:00pm

Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Carol Harris (902) 376-2005
or (902) 638-8009
nordland@eastlink.ca

Twenty games - 50/50 draw/door prize. Doors open at 6 pm. Everyone welcome.

Library
Jan 7-Dec 15
Tuesday, 1pm-3pm
Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park

Lynn Nordland (902) 638-8009
nordland@eastlink.ca

Also available anytime the community centre is open for other activities.

Cribbage
Sept 3-Dec 17
Thursday, 1pm

Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Pete Nordland (902) 638-8009
nordland@eastlink.ca

Contact Pete for details.

Exercises
Sept 9-July 31 (2021)
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
9am-10am

Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Carole Mason (902) 638-3373
davidmasonca@yahoo.com

Chair exercises.

Darts
Sept 13-May 24 (2021)
Sunday, 2pm
Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Peter Cleland (902) 249-0101
peter.cleland@gmail.com

Information also available from Peter Nordland (902) 638-8009.

Music at the 'O'
July-Aug, Friday
6pm-8pm
Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre
275 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Community Dev. Coordinator
(902) 532-2043, Ext. 105
admin@annapolisroyal.com
www.annapolisroyal.com

Spirited, musical performances under the stars every Friday night at the Annapolis Royal's spectacular waterfront Amphitheatre. Rain location is The Academy gymnasium (590 St. George St., Annapolis Royal).

Traditional Music on Thursdays

July 9, 23 / Aug 6, 20

Thursday, 1pm-3pm

Port-Royal National Historic Site:
The Habitation
53 Historic Lane, Port Royal
Ted Dolan(902) 532-2898
(902) 532-2321 (off-season)
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
portroyal

If you enjoy traditional music, mark Thursdays on your calendar. Come and enjoy talented entertainers who will showcase traditional music in a special musical series! Clap your hands, tap your feet and listen to the fine singer(s) and musician(s) who will be happy to entertain you!

Weekly 8 Ball Pool

Jan 7-Dec 29

Tuesday, 1pm-5pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St.
Annapolis Royal
Maurice Parker (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@
hotmail.com

Join us at the Legion for a fun-filled 8 ball Pool Tournament each week! Open to the public and Legion members. Just \$7 to play with prizes for all the winners! Visit us on Facebook (Port Royal Branch 21).

Friday Night Music

Jan 3-Dec 18

Friday, 7pm-9pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St.
Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@
hotmail.com

We are happy to announce that we will be holding regular Friday Night Music ALL YEAR LONG! Our great local musicians will play a music set from 7-9 pm (or later) each Friday night. Happy Hour will be from 5:30-7pm each week with cocktail specials each Friday and Saturday nights. Also, our Chase the Ace draw will

be held 8 pm sharp so arrive early to ensure your chance to win the jackpot. Chase the Ace tickets are on sale at the bar all week long, as well as our sponsoring satellite sites (ticket sales cut-off at 7:45 pm at Legion and 5 pm at satellite sites). Visit us on Facebook (Port Royal Branch 21) to see schedule or drop by the Legion. All members and guests are welcome.

Art for Fun Night

Jan 2-Dec 31

Thursday, 7pm-9:30pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St.
Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@
hotmail.com

Do you like to paint, draw, hook or are otherwise artistically gifted (or not!)? Come out for Art for Fun Night (formally Drink and Draw) at Annapolis Royal Legion, Branch #21. Free admission. All members and guests are welcome. Drinking not required! Visit us on Facebook (Port Royal Branch 21).

Winter Farmers' Market

Oct-May

Saturday, 9am-12pm

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7018
www.annapolisroyalwinterfarme
rsmarket.wordpress.com

Buy local food products and more!

A Rendez-vous with Samuel de Champlain

July 15/July 29/

Aug 12/Aug 26

Wednesday

(Additional program on Aug16.)
Port-Royal National Historic Site
The Habitation
53 Historic Lane, Port Royal
Ted Dolan (902) 532-2898
(902)-532-2321 (off-season)
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
portroyal

Come and meet Samuel de Champlain. He will share his adventures and experiences in Acadia with you. Learn about his voyages of exploration; his experiences at Saint Croix Island and Port-Royal; his founding of the "Order of Good Cheer" and of the friendship and alliance that was established between the Mi'kmaq and the French at Port-Royal. English Program 2 - 3 pm; French Program 3:30 - 4:30 pm.

Macdonald Museum

Farm Market

Jun 6-Sept 5

Saturday, 9am-1pm

Macdonald Museum
21 School St., Middleton
Janice Slauenwhite
(902) 825-6116
janice@macdonaldmuseum.ca
www.macdonaldmuseum.ca

Live music, coffee, breakfast and lunch foods, produce, baked goods, crafts and collectables. All vendor types welcome.

Yoga with Amy

Jan 7-Dec 15

Tuesday, 6:30pm-7:30pm

Three River Community Centre
41 Messinger Rd.
Torbrook Mines
Amy Neufeld Klein
(902) 824-3605
twistedk@eastlink.ca

Yoga with Amy! Yoga for every body. Gentle stretching, Yin and Restorative yoga. Call Amy or see our Facebook Page (Three River Community Centre) for more information.

Games Night

Oct 17-Apr 17 (2021)

Saturday, 7pm-9pm

Three River Community Centre
41 Messinger Rd.
Torbrook Mines
Amy Neufeld Klein
(902) 824-3605
twistedk@eastlink.ca

Games Night! Cards, Crokinole, Tock, Crib or bring your own game. Third Saturday of the month. Light lunch provided. Free will offering.

**Fundy Squares:
Square Dance Club
Sept-May**

Wednesday, 8pm-10pm
Wilmot Community
Centre 13972 Hwy 1, Wilmot
Al Worthen (902) 765-4788

Square dancing - all welcome!

**Annapolis Royal Farmers' &
Traders' Market
May 16-Oct 10**

Saturday, 8am-1pm
Market Square
178 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
www.annapolisroyalfarmers
market.com

*Farm fresh produce, meats and
flowers; homemade goodies and
skillfully handcrafted items at the
largest outdoor market in Nova
Scotia.*

**Annapolis Royal Farmers' &
Traders' Market**

**July 1-Aug 26
Wednesday, 10am-2pm**
Market Square
178 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
www.annapolisroyalfarmers
market.com

*Enjoy some farm market goodies
every Wednesday during the
summer in Annapolis Royal.*

**Granville Ferry Sunday Market
June-Sept**

Sunday, 11:30am-3pm
Granville Ferry Community Hall
5352 Granville St., Granville Ferry
Natalia Gartley (902) 532-8142
granville.ferry.market@
gmail.com

*This is where friends meet on
Sundays! Enjoy locally grown
produce, baked goods, food, live
music and more! The Market
promotes a zero waste lifestyle.
Visit us on Facebook (Granville
Ferry Sunday Market)*

**West Annapolis Chess Club
Jan-Dec**

Thursday, 6:30pm-9pm
Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Andrew Ross,
AveumCu@gmail.com
Steve Kilb, stevekilb@gmail.com

*Chess at the Legion. Thursday
evenings. Beginners to experts
welcome. Friendly games,
tournaments, helpful tips to
improve your game. Bringing
your own set is optional. Also see
the list of Chess Clubs across the
province at:
[https://www.chessns.ca/
chess-club-listing/](https://www.chessns.ca/chess-club-listing/)*

Chess Club

**Jan-Dec
Wednesday, 6:30pm-9pm**
Middleton Legion, Branch #001
205 Marshall St., Middleton
Contact Lloyd Lombard:
l.c.lombard@ns.sympatico.ca
www.chessns.ca

*It's fun and free! Learn how to
move the chess pieces, chess
tactics, strategy, openings and
endings. Learn how to write
down your moves and how to
use a chess clock, all at your own
pace. Generally, just have some
fun playing chess. Also see the
list of Chess Clubs across the
province at: [https://www.
chessns.ca/chess-club-listing/](https://www.chessns.ca/chess-club-listing/)*

Coffee Club

Apr-Nov. Monday, 10am
Lower Granville Hall
3551 Granville Rd.
Lower Granville
Sharon Moody (902) 532-5664

*Join us on Mondays for a cup of
coffee and good company! \$2
Hall donation.*

Portrait Club

**Every other Tuesday
10am-12pm**
Lower Granville Hall
3551 Granville Rd.
Lower Granville
Medea Holtz (902) 955-1955
info@lowergranvillehall.com

*Spring and Fall sessions.
Sketching group with
participants posing as models. \$5*

Chair Yoga

Wednesday, 10am-11:30am
Lower Granville Hall
3551 Granville Rd.
Lower Granville
Judy Lind (902) 955-1955
judy.ted.lind@gmail.com

*Spring and Fall sessions. \$10 pre-
paid for 4 sessions; \$12 drop-ins*

Habitation Hookers & Crafters

Apr-Nov, Thursday, 1pm
(Exception of 1st Thursday)
Lower Granville Hall
3551 Granville Rd.
Lower Granville
Nancy Smith (902) 532-1856

\$2 Hall donation.

**Friday Night Music
Port Royal Legion**



Monthly Events in Annapolis County
April / May

Spring



Annapolis Royal Historic Gardens - Trish Fry

► **Annapolis County Attraction**

Annapolis Royal Historic Gardens / May - Oct
441 St. George St, Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7018 / historicgardens.com

Showcasing hundreds of rose cultivars and thousands of fragrant and colourful blossoms, while representing more than 400 years of local history. Escape from the hectic pace of everyday life with a visit to Annapolis Royal's beautiful Historic Gardens where you can literally "stop and smell the roses!"

► April

Breakfast with the Easter Bunny

Apr 4, 9am-11am

Three Rivers Community Centre
41 Messinger Rd.,
Torbrook Mines
Donna Pittman
(902) 760-2471, (902) 824-3095
twistedk@eastlink.ca

Breakfast with the Easter Bunny! Full breakfast, Easter Egg Hunt and games for the children. Free will offering.

ART: 21

Apr 6, 7pm-9pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Screening and discussion of film about 21st century artists.

Easter Eggstravaganza

Apr 11, 11am

Fort Anne National Historic Site
323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-2043
www.annapolisroyal.comadmin
@annapolisroyal.com

The fun starts at Fort Anne with two Easter Egg Hunts (divided by age group), fun activities and a free movie to follow at the King's Theatre. A great way to spend a family day in Annapolis Royal. "Hop" to see you there.

14th Annual Easter Bunny Breakfast

Apr 11, 8:30am-10:30am

Port Royal Legion, Branch #2166
Victoria St. Annapolis Royal
Noel Young(902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@hotmail.com

Hop on over for our 14th Annual Easter Bunny Breakfast. Part of the Town of Annapolis Royal's Easter Eggstravaganza. We will serve delicious bacon, eggs, sausage and pancakes with coffee/tea and juice for the kids. \$8/adult; \$4/child. The Easter Bunny will be on hand with treats! Everyone is welcome!

Maplefest Dinner & Supper

Apr 18, 12pm-2pm; 4pm-6pm

Milford & Area Community Hall
5439 Hwy 8, South Milford
Terry Roscoe (902) 532-5606
robo76@eastlink.ca

Come for a good feed! This community fundraising dinner serves pancakes fresh off the griddle with Robyn Warren's local, pure maple syrup; roasted, old-fashioned (Armstrong's) bone-in ham; homemade baked beans; potato salad; rolls; pickles and assorted pies. All proceeds for the Milford & Area Community Hall. 21 kms south of Annapolis Royal; Adults \$15; Children (under 12) \$8. Sorry no reservations.

Soup and Corn Chowder Luncheon

Apr 18, 11:30am-1pm

Centrelea Community Hall
3495 Hwy 201 Centrelea
Trish Mailman(902) 955-1325
tmailman622@gmail.com

Come enjoy a warm, tasty lunch of soup or chowder. All proceeds go to the Hall.

ARCAC Fundraiser:

Denim & Diamonds.

Apr 18, 7pm-11:45pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Sophie Paskins (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Keep your jeans and jewels at the ready - Arty Party is back with Denim & Diamonds, an unforgettable night of tunes and dancing to support the Annapolis Region Community Arts Council. Bring your party mood and personal style, whether you dress-up glam or dress down in your favourite jeans, this a party for everyone! Live music from award-winning and "Best of Halifax 2017" nominee Merimac will get you on the dance floor. And, that's not all, there's an art sale, 50/50 draw (tickets on sale now), raffle and superb

refreshments. Tickets are \$25 (\$30 at the door) and are on sale now at the ARTsPLACE (396 St. George St., Annapolis Royal) or the Round Hill Studio (280 St. George St., Annapolis Royal; (902) 955-0365).

Annapolis County Volunteer Awards Ceremony

Apr 22, 7pm,

King's Theatre, 209 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Nadine Barteaux (902) 665-4010
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

This very special ceremony is held during Annapolis County Volunteer Week to honour extraordinary individuals who generously give their time and efforts to make Annapolis County such a wonderful place to live, work and play. The Volunteer Award Ceremony is open to the public with limited seating. RSVP will be required. Please call or email for details.

Artists' Café

Apr 22, 2pm-4pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Informal gathering with presentations by local artists, poets, musicians and writers.

IODE Rummage Sale

Apr 24, 1pm-3pm

NSCC - Middleton Campus
295 Commercial St. Middleton
Valerie Davies (902) 532-2739
daviesval22@gmail.com

The Rosemary Chapter IODE Rummage Sale is part of a Canadian Women's Organization. The rummage sale is twice a year, April and October, with proceeds going back into the community through scholarships, breakfast programs and assistance to those in need. The rummage sale includes household items, clothing and books.

Seedy Saturday
Apr 25, 9am-12pm

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Seed and seedling swaps and purchase during the Winter Farmers' Market.

City Nature Challenge

Apr 26, 1pm

Old Mill Trail, 213 Adam Dr.
South Farmington
Nadine Barteaux (902) 665-4010
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Mark your calendars! Annapolis County Recreation is teaming up with the City Nature Challenge, Hike NS, and Clean Annapolis River Project (CARP) for a hiking bioblitz event that will see participants identifying trees, plants, and exploring this riverside trail. They will learn about nature while observing the flora and fauna in the area. We will also be introducing the iNaturalist app along with other interesting tools used to explore nature. This wheelchair accessible trail is approx. 800m in length and is suitable for all ages. Visit our website for more information and to register.

Nictaux Fire Ettes Breakfast
Apr 26, 8am-11am

Nictaux Fire Hall
9349 Hwy 10, Nictaux
Teri Nichols (902) 825-2264
nictauxfalls2@gmail.com

Scrambled eggs, baked ham, homemade baked beans, toast, tea, coffee & juice. Free will offering.

ARTS TALK

Apr 27, 7pm-9pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Presentations and conversations led by regional artists.

► **May**

Bridgetown Lions Spring Dinner

Date/Time To be Announced
Bridgetown Legion
20 Jeffery St. Bridgetown
Rita Hurlburt (902) 588-2016
rita.hurlburt@yahoo.ca

Come enjoy ham, beans, potato salad, coleslaw and dessert. Pick-up or delivery only. Tickets can be purchased from any Lions member or you can contact Rita.

Celebrating Magnolias

May 1-15

Annapolis Royal and area
(902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Experience more than 100 magnolias in the Historic Gardens and throughout Annapolis Royal

Introduction to Botanical Art

May 2-3, 10am-4pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Introduction to Botanical Art - A Place to Start: Observation & drawing with Margaret Best.

ART: 21

May 4, 7pm-9pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Screening and discussion of film about 21st century artists.

Mother's Day Take-out Lunch

May 9, 11am-1pm

Centrelea Community Hall
3495 Hwy 201 Centrelea
Trish Mailman (902) 955-1325
tmailman622@gmail.com

Treat the ladies to a wonderful lunch! Happy Mother's Day!

Lequille Country Store Trout Derby

May 9, 10am-2pm

First Lake
Mike Scott(902) 532-5107
mike.scott@ns.sympatico.ca

Free registration on-site. Great prizes awarded in five different age categories. Lots of free giveaways and hotdogs. Located on #8 Hwy just outside of Annapolis Royal. Non-gas powered boats allowed.

Historic Gardens Season Kickoff

May 9-10, 9am-5pm

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Admission by donation - this weekend only!

4-H Fluff'n'Buff

May 15

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St.
Lawrencetown

12th Annual Blackfly Music Festival

May 16, 1pm-10pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young(902) 532-5196
annapolisroyalleghion@hotmail.com

Join us for our annual celebration of our perennial pest, the blackfly! Lots of great musical acts all day long. Only \$7 cover for the whole day! BBQ available from 12 - 7 pm. Visit our Facebook Page (Port Royal Legion Branch 21) for updated info. Open to everyone 19+.

Annual Plant & Bake Sale

May 16, 8:30am-12pm

West Paradise Community Hall
5154 Hwy 201 West Paradise
Sue Coogan (902) 825-9247

This long-standing annual event is our only fundraiser of the year. A very popular event that is well attended. All are welcome.

Videoconference with the National Gallery of Art, Ottawa
May 20, 2pm-4pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Videoconference with the National Gallery of Art, Ottawa, with a focus on contemporary art.

Turkey Supper
May 21, 4:30pm-6pm
Three Rivers Community Centre
41 Messenger Rd.
Torbrook Mines
Amy Neufeld Klein
(902) 765-3049
twistedk@eastlink.ca

Turkey supper with all the trimmings, including homemade pies. Take-out available. \$13, \$6 under 12.

Tri County Equestrian Club Horse Show
May 22-24
Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown

Hanley Mountain - Time Trial
May 23
Sean Duff (902) 363-2188
sean@roadents.ca
https://roadents.ca

Cyclists will race against the clock, departing one-by-one from Cottage Cove Provincial Park to go up and over Mount Hanley to Clarence Road and then back. The 16 km route features 345 meters of climbing and descending. No race license or club membership required. Only road bikes allowed. Visit website for event information and registration details.

The Harvest Moon Trailway Geocaching GeoArt Series
Launch
May 23rd, 1pm
Bridgetown
Nancy Chisholm (902) 665-3022
nchisholm@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

In partnership with the Annapolis Valley Trails Coalition, County of Annapolis, Geocache.com and the

Annapolis Valley Geocachers, we are inviting you to attend the launch of this new GeoArt series. The first of two events will take place in Bridgetown showcasing one of the many access routes to the trail. Another event will be held in the Kings County (date to be determined). For details and further information, visit our website.

Spring Tea, Bingo and Ticket Auction
May 23, 1:30pm
West Dalhousie Community Hall
4868 West Dalhousie Rd.
West Dalhousie
Debbie Giffin, (902) 665-2355
d.giffin@bellaliant.net

"Tea" available for \$5 while you try your luck at bingo or get some tickets on our ticket auction. Bingo cards \$0.25 each or 6/\$1; Jackpot game \$1/card of 6/\$5. Ticket auction envelopes \$1 ea. Doors open at 1 pm; Bingo start at 1:30 pm.

Four Mile Stillwater Trail

This is one of the regions newest trails located at 2176 Highway 8, Nine Mile Woods, Annapolis County.

The 1.4 km footpath follows along the Mersey River and features Hemlocks and a large erratic. It is officially located within the Medway Lakes Wilderness Area. A section of the river was known as Lewis Dump, where the fish would drop down or "dump" into the stillwater below the rapids. It was a popular fishing area.

Annapolis Basin Community Band Spring Concert

May 27, 7:30pm

King's Theatre
209 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Katie McLean, (613) 857-2530
katiemclean@annapolisriver.ca
www.abcb.ca

Come enjoy a musical evening with the Annapolis Basin Community Band.

88th Annapolis Valley Apple Blossom Festival

May 27-Jun 1

Annapolis Valley
325 Main St. (Unit #8) Kentville
Office Manager (902) 678-8322
info@appleblossom.com
www.appleblossom.com

Join us as we celebrate the 88th year of a treasured Annapolis Valley tradition with the reflective theme of "Let Imagination Blossom". Several events will be held throughout the entire Valley, providing an opportunity for residents and tourists to engage and honour our agricultural heritage.

Annapolis Valley African Violet Society Show and Sale

May 30, 2pm-4pm

St. John's United Church Hall
202 Main St. Middleton
Frances Shilliday (902) 825-4600
f.shilliday@msn.com

If you have never been to this annual event you are sure to be impressed by the stunning display of gesneriad blooms of all kinds. The Annapolis Valley African Violet Society welcomes everyone to come and enjoy their colourful and uplifting show and, perhaps, purchase a few plants to try. The theme this year is "Our Violet Hobbies". Wheelchair accessible. Free will donation at the door.

Heart of Scotia Hunter/Jumper Show

May 30-31

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown

4th Annual Tour de Keji Omnium

May 30-31

Kejimkujik National Park & National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge. (902) 682-2772
pc.kejimkujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

The award-winning Tour de Keji will once again bring cyclists to Kejimkujik for two days of fast-paced action, along with great food and activities for all ages. Organized by Roadents Competitive Cycling, this year's edition will feature a time trial and circuit race on Saturday concluding with a pursuit race on Sunday. No licenses or memberships are required to participate. Kids will have their own trio of races. Competitors, volunteers and spectators are invited to attend. Visit <https://www.roadents.ca> to learn more.

Tour de Keji - Time Trial

May 30

Kejimkujik National Park & National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
Sean Duff (902) 363-2188
sean@roadents.ca
<https://roadents.ca>

The fourth annual Tour de Keji begins with individual cyclists racing against the clock along a quiet 16 km course inside Kejimkujik National Park and National Historic Site. No race license of club membership required. Separate categories for TT/aero, Triathlon and Merckx/non-aero. Visit our website for event information and registration details.

Tour de Keji - Circuit Race

May 30

Kejimkujik National Park & National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
Sean Duff (902) 363-2188
sean@roadents.ca
<https://roadents.ca>

The fourth annual Tour de Keji continues with mass-start races on a technical 3.4 km course at Merrymakedge. Each race will last between 30 and 50 minutes. No race license of club membership required. Separate categories for TT/aero, Triathlon and Merckx/non-aero. Visit our website for event information and registration details.

Tour de Keji - Pursuit Race

May 31

Kejimkujik National Park & National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
Sean Duff (902) 363-2188
sean@roadents.ca
<https://roadents.ca>

The fourth annual Tour de Keji concludes on Sunday with a new addition to the series; a fun 3-lap handicap race on Kejimkujik's quiet parkway. This race type enables riders of different abilities to compete together by giving slower groups a head start. No race license of club membership required. Separate categories for TT/aero, Triathlon and Merckx/non-aero. Visit our website for event information and registration details.

Historic Gardens Green Carpet Spectacular

May 31

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

A brand new SPECTACULAR fundraiser in support of the Historic Gardens, in the most special of surroundings. Visit our website for tickets and information.

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Monthly Events in Annapolis County
June / July / August

Summer



Dragon Boat Races, Riverfest - Bridgetown

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Riverfest - Annapolis River Festival
Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park
228 Granville Street, Bridgetown
annapolisriver.ca/annapolisriver-festival

A full day festival celebrating the environmental, cultural, historical and recreational values of the Annapolis River! Highlights include: Dragon Boat races, a variety of canoe races (sprint, obstacle course), guided historical/natural heritage boat tours, food tent with local craft beer and wine, hands on demonstrations and activities for all ages, kids' games, bouncy tent, and live music.

See Page 21 for event details

► June

Annapolis County Bike Week June 1-7

Annapolis County
Nadine Barteaux, (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Keep checking our website and Facebook page for a list of events taking place throughout Bike Week! Including the Bridgetown Criterium, an exciting criterium on Bridgetown's streets around the former elementary school. Come out to cheer on the cyclists or pull out your bike and participate in a race yourself!

Annapolis County Light Horse Equine Fluff and Buff June 6

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown

Heart of Scotia Hunter/Jumper Show #1 June 6-7, 9am

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Karen-Griffen Balcom
(902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca
https://annapolisvalleyexhibition.com

A Scotia Series Hunter/Jumper Competition to promote development of local equestrians. Hunters on Saturday, Jumpers on Sunday.

Park Wide Yard Sale

Jun 6, 8am-1pm
Cornwallis Park
Marty Felker, (902) 638-3164
maarstan98@yahoo.com

Join some friends and check out the great deals. Call (902) 638-3164 for rain date, if necessary.

Bridge to Bridge Yard Sale June 6, 8am-2pm

Hwy. 1, Allains Creek Bridge to Bear River Bridge, including Waldeck Line and all other roads.
Elizabeth McMichael
(902) 638-3416
elizmcm@mail.com

This yard sale will include centralized and individual locations; a true cooperative and community building event. Also a great opportunity to promote distribution of useful items.

4-H Light Horse Clinic and Point Show #1 June 6-7

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Kari Brown, (902) 223-8085
Kari.Brown@novascotia.ca

FREE Family Fishing Derby June 6, 9am-2pm

Durlings Lake (Spectacle Lake)
West Dalhousie
Jonathan Gillis, (902) 665-2409
jonathan0990@hotmail.com

FREE entry! The lake is stocked for our event and no fishing license is required. Please, no motors for boats. Great day for the whole family. BBQ with hotdogs and sausages and a small canteen will be available (cash only). Port-a-Potty on-site. Sponsored by the West Dalhousie Community Hall

Nictaux Fire Ettes Annual Yard Sale & BBQ

June 6, 8am-1pm
Nictaux Fire Hall
9349 Hwy 10, Nictaux
Teri Nichols, (902) 825-2264
nictauxfalls2@gmail.com

Rain or Shine. To book tables or make a donation (no clothing, please), contact Teri.

Workshop//Sashiko with Kate Ward//Wabi Sabi Sashiko Beginners

June 6-7, 10:30am-4:30pm
ARTSPLACE,
396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal, (902)532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Join us for this workshop - Sashiko with Kate Ward; Wabi Sabi Sashiko beginners.

Bridgetown Criterium

June 7
Bridgetown
Sean Duff, (902) 363-2188
sean@roadents.ca
https://roadents.ca

Let's celebrate Annapolis County's Bike Week with an exciting criterium on Bridgetown's streets around the former elementary school. Start-finish area will be next to the community swimming pool. Come out to cheer on the cyclists or pull out your bike and participate in a race yourself! No race license or club membership required. Visit our website for event information and registration details.

Valleyview - Time Trial June 7

Hampton
Sean Duff, (902) 363-2188
sean@roadents.ca
https://roadents.ca

Immediately following the criterium in Bridgetown, cyclists will regroup and depart individually to race up Hampton Mountain Road and past Valleyview Provincial Park to the top! Weather permitting, the more experienced participants will have the option to race back down the mountain while everyone else may coast down casually. The 2.5 km route features 190 meters of climbing. No race license or club membership required. Visit our website for event information and registration details.

ART: 21**June 8, 7pm-9pm**ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca*Screening and discussion of film
about 21st century artists.***Western Draft Horse
Show and Pull****June 13-14**Exhibition Grounds,
570 Main St.
Lawrencetown. (902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca
<http://www.annapolisvalleyexhibition.com>**Canada's Garden Days****June 13-21**Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com*Join us in celebrating the role
and benefits of gardens in our
communities. At the same time,
we launch our annual Garden
Sculpture display.***Joe Tidd Memorial****June 13-14**Bridgetown Lawn Bowling Club
72 Chipman Ave., Bridgetown
<http://www.bridgetownactivebowling.com/bridgetown-lawn-bowling-club/>*Get a team together and enjoy
two days of great bowling!***ARTS TALK****June 15, 7pm-9pm**ARTsPLACE
396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca*Presentations and conversations
led by regional artists.***Artists' Café****June 17, 2pm-4pm**ARTsPLACE
396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca*Informal gathering with
presentations by local artists,
poets, musicians and writers.***Summer Solstice****Shoreline Walk****June 19, 6pm**Cottage Cove Provincial Park
11935 Shore Rd., Cottage Cove
Nadine Barteaux, (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca*Celebrate June is Recreation
Month and Summer Solstice by
the beauty of the Bay of Fundy.
Enjoy a relaxing walk to the
scenic Sand Keating Beach and
Waterfall. This approx. 7 km walk
(in total) will take you along the
shore road from Cottage Cove to
the breathtaking Sand Keating
Beach. This will be topped off
with a stop at Cottage Cove
Provincial Park to enjoy a
summertime BBQ. Pre-
registration preferred. Visit our
website and Facebook Page for
details.***Father's Day Take-out Lunch****June 20, 11am-1pm**Centrelea Community Hall
3495 Hwy 201, Centrelea
Trish Mailman, (902) 955-1325
tmailman622@gmail.com*Treat Dad to a great lunch!***Middleton Lions
Antique Car Show****June 20, 9am-2pm**Centennial Park, 41 School St.
Middleton. Jonathan Archibald
(902) 363-2665 / (902) 702 3201
bluegriffinbooks@eastlink.ca*Antique Car Show hosted by the
Middleton Lions Club. Vintage
and antique cars, this has been a
popular show for over a decade.
Free to the public, the entry fee
for the cars is a free-will offering
with proceeds going to support
Lions community projects. It's
always a fun day with a wide
selection of cars and a BBQ.
Washroom facilities on-site. Visit
us on Facebook
(MiddletonAntiquecarshow).***Redneck Rodeo****June 20-21**Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Gidget Oxner, (902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca<http://www.annapolisvalleyexhibition.com>*Join us for a family-fun weekend
for the Redneck Rodeo. Truck &
tractor pulls, kids events, as well
as crazy family-fun games and
competitions like the frying pan
throw, and Redneck Olympics
just to name a few. Something
great for everyone! Visit our website
for details.***National Indigenous
Peoples Day****June 21, 1pm-3pm**Kejimikujik National Park &
National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge. (902) 682-2772
pc.kejimikujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parks canada.gc.ca/keji*Mark this special day with a visit
to Kejimikujik. Designated a
National Historic Site because of
its significance to the Mi'kmaq
people, Kejimikujik is a perfect
place to celebrate Mi'kmaq
culture on national indigenous
Peoples Day. Visitors are invited
to drop by the Merrymakedge for
a variety of on-site cultural
activities and demonstrations.***5km Walk - Mental Health
FUNraiser****June 21, 9:30am-11am**Market Square
178 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Jane Power-Grimm
(902) 532-7279 / (902) 225-5556
janepowergrimm@gmail.com
<https://annapoliswesthealthfoundation.com/achc-auxiliary>*Join us for a 5km walk along a
beautifully scenic and accessible
route. All are welcome! No fee
but donations to the Annapolis
Community Health Centre's
Auxiliary are welcome with 100%
of money raised going to support
mental health initiatives in the
Annapolis region. Income tax
receipts will be issued for
donations of \$20 or more. Feel
free to jog, ride, scooter or wheel
if you prefer, as you help end
stigma and show support for
those with mental health
challenges.*

Celebrate in Annapolis County

Canada Day

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Canada Day Celebrations

Canada Day celebrations take place in many of our Annapolis County communities. From Bear River, Fort Anne and Port-Royal National Historic Sites, Kejimkujik National Park and National Historic Site, and the Historic Gardens in Annapolis Royal. Additional celebrations take place in Cornwallis Park, Bridgetown, Lawrencetown, Middleton and Melvern Square. Come and celebrate Canada's birthday with us!

See details for the RCMP Musical Ride on Page 26.

Bridgetown Canada Day

Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park
228 Granville Rd., Bridgetown
Nancy Chisholm (902) 665-3022
nchisholm@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Celebrations all day long leading up to a magnificent fireworks display. Visit our Facebook Page (Annapolis County) for a list of the day's activities as the day draws nearer.

Canada Day in Melvern Square

11:15am-1pm

Melvorn Square & Area
Community Hall
165 Bridge St., Melvern Square
Karie-Ann Parsons-Saltzman
(902) 824-1112
karieparsons@hotmail.com

Come enjoy a parade, flag raising, cake, BBQ and soap slide. Parade registration at Melvern Square United Baptist Church.

Lions Canada Day Breakfast

8am-10am

Bridgetown Legion
20 Jeffery St. Bridgetown
Rita Hurlburt (902) 588-2016
rita.hurlburt@yahoo.ca

Kick-off your Canada Day celebration with a yummy Bridgetown Lions Pancake Breakfast! Free will offering.

Canada Day BBQ

11:30am-1pm

Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N. Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Marty Felker, (902) 638-3164
maarstan98@yahoo.com

Hamburgers, sausages, hotdogs available with side dishes, drinks & sweets. Door prizes. Nominal fee.

Canada Day - Gardens Style!

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
(902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Family fun in celebration of Canada's birthday!

Canada Day Celebrations

12pm-3pm

Fort Anne National Historic Site
Annapolis Royal
323 St. George St.
Ted Dolan (902) 532-2898,
pc.fortanne.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/fortanne

The Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre,
275 St. George St.
Noah Scanlan (920) 955-1205
alc@annapolisroyal.com
www.annapolisroyal.com

Engage all your senses - sing O'Canada as you proudly watch the flag raised at Town Hall; join Parks Canada's mascot, Parka the Beaver, in the procession to the Fort; enjoy a piece of cake; set out your blanket for a picnic and enjoy the musical entertainment. Canada Day Photo Booth will be on-site. Weather permitting, the Annapolis Basin Community Band will be providing music. There will be exciting games and a free concert at the "O", Annapolis Royal's amphitheatre. A fun-filled day for the whole family.

Canada Day Celebrations

1pm-3pm

Port-Royal National Historic Site:
The Habitation
53 Historic Lane, Port Royal
Ted Dolan (902) 532-2898
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/portroyal

Come celebrate Canada's 153rd birthday! Visit Parks Canada's first reconstructed site. Listen to musical entertainment by Harvey Marcotte. Enjoy a slice of Canada Day cake at the oldest, permanent European settlement north of Saint Augustine, Florida. Free Admission.

Canada Day Celebration

1pm-3pm

Macdonald Museum
21 School St., Middleton
Janice Slauenwhite
(902) 825-6116
macdonaldmuseum@
ns.sympatico.ca
www.macdonaldmuseum.ca

Join friends and neighbours at Macdonald Museum as we celebrate Canada's birthday! Flag raising ceremony at 1 pm followed by great live music, BBQ and cake. Fun games for children too! A free family event in co-operation with the Town of Middleton. This will be an indoor event if it's raining. We acknowledge the financial support of the Government of Canada.

Canada Day Celebrations

1pm-5pm

Lawrencetown Fire Hall
549 Main Street, Lawrencetown
Melissa Roscoe (902) 584-3082
villageclerk@
lawrencetownnovascotia.ca
www.lawrencetownnovascotia.ca

Come and join us to celebrate Canada Day with food & refreshments, a bounce castle, wagon rides, balloon twisting, musical entertainment, wall of water and finish off with a swim at the Lawrencetown Pool.

Ice Cream Social

2pm-4 pm

West Paradise Community Hall
5154 Hwy 201, West Paradise
Sue Coogan (902) 825-9247

Come to West Paradise on to celebrate Canada's birthday with some ice cream!!! Free will offering.

FREE Canada Day Swim

2pm-5pm

Annapolis Community Pool
62 Champlain Dr.
Annapolis Royal, (902) 532-1777
annapoliscommunitypool
@gmail.com

Please join us for a FREE Canada Day swim!

► July

Celebrating Roses

July 1-5

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
(902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Events, tours and activities in celebration of one of the largest rose collections in Eastern Canada!

An Evening of Wine & Roses

July 3, 5pm-7pm

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
(902) 532-7018
www.ExploreOurGardens.com

Enjoy live music, hors d'oeuvres and a glass of local wine as you stroll through thousands of magnificent rose blossoms in the Historic Gardens. See website for tickets & info.

First Friday Swim

July 3

Annapolis Community Pool
62 Champlain Dr.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 532-1777
annapoliscommunitypool@gmail.com

Bring a friend on the first Friday of the month and get 2 for 1 admission. Visit us on Facebook (Annapolis Community Pool).

Heart of Scotia

Hunter/Jumper Show #2

July 4-5

Exhibition Grounds,
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Karen Griffen Balcom
(902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca
https://annapolisvalley
exhibition.com

The second competition of a series of provincially sanctioned Scotia Series competitions promoting development of equestrians.

Raven Haven Beach Party

July 4, 1pm-4pm

Raven Haven Beachside Family
Park, 2239 West Virginia Rd.
West Springhill
Nadine Barteaux (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come play on our beach! An afternoon of fun for the whole family. Entertainment for all ages.

Silver Fox Open Pairs

July 4-5

Bridgetown Lawn Bowling Club
72 Chipman Ave., Bridgetown
www.bridgetownactiveliving.
com/bridgetown-lawn-bowling-
club/

Come out and enjoy a weekend of great bowling!

South West Nova Scotia

Poultry Sale

July 4, 8am-2pm

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Jamie Inglis, Kate Hudson,
Cheryl Simpson
(902) 229-8868 / (902) 483-4005
jam.kat@live.ca

Join us for our unique event, linking buyers and sellers of chicks, eggs, poultry, waterfowl, and so much more! Sellers can purchase spots for \$15 and set-up for the day. Buyers are asked to bring their own cages or boxes for purchases. Rain or shine!

Annapolis Royal House & Garden Tour

July 4, 10am-4pm

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
(902) 532-7018
www.ExploreOurGardens.com

Visit the Historic Gardens and special private gardens and houses in & around Annapolis Royal.

Annapolis Royal House and Garden Sunday Series

July 5, 9am-5pm

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
(902) 532-7018
www.ExploreOurGardens.com

Complete your House & Garden Tour Weekend in Annapolis Royal with a series of Sunday activities which will allow you to explore various aspects of our community.

4-H Boot Camp

July 6-8

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Kari.Brown@novascotia.ca

4-H Point Show #2

July 9

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Kari Brown (902) 223-8085
Kari.Brown@novascotia.ca

4H Light Horse Show

July 9

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Kari.Brown@novascotia.ca

CARP's Annapolis River Festival

July 11, 9am-5:30pm

Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park
228 Granville St., Bridgetown
Susan Lane(902) 532-7533
susanlane@annapolisriver.ca
www.annapolisriver.ca/
annapolis-river-festival

A full day festival celebrating the environmental, cultural, historical and recreational values of the Annapolis River! Highlights include: Dragon Boat races, a variety of canoe races (sprint, obstacle course), guided historical/natural heritage boat tours, food tent with local craft beer and wine, hands on demonstrations and activities for all ages, kids' games, bouncy tent, and live music. Some events require advanced registration, please check the website for details.

► Farmers' Markets

**Annapolis Royal
Farmers' & Traders' Market**
Sat / May-Oct / 8am-1pm
Wed / July-Aug / 10am-2pm
178 St. George St.
(Market Square)
Annapolis Royal
annapolisroyal
farmersmarket.com
See Page 9

Winter Farmers' Market
Sat / Oct-May / 9am-12noon
Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Trish Fry
(902) 532-7018
admin@historicgardens.com
historicgardens.com
See page 8

**Macdonald Museum
Farm Market**
Jun 6-Sept 5
Saturday, 9am-1pm
Macdonald Museum
21 School St.
Middleton
Janice Slauenwhite
(902) 825-6116
janice@macdonaldmuseum.ca
www.macdonaldmuseum.ca
See page 8

Granville Ferry Sunday Market
June-Sept
Sunday, 11:30am-3pm
Granville Ferry Community Hall
5352 Granville St.
Granville Ferry
Natalia Gartley (902) 532-8142
granville.ferry.market@
gmail.com
See page 9

Annual Flower Show and Tea
July 11, 2pm-5pm
Annapolis Royal Fire Hall
5 Anthony St., Annapolis Royal
Bob Howard (902) 532-0834
mayflowergardens@
ns.sympatico.ca

Please come enjoy this traditional Flower Show and Tea with desserts (some gluten-free). Judged show with beautiful flower arrangements and flower specimens. Garden raffle and fun afternoon for all ages and families. \$25 prize to winning youth flower arrangement. Tea service ends at 4 pm. \$7 entry.

**127th Annual Bear River
Cherry Carnival**
July 11, 9am-10:30pm
Bear River Fire Hall
1277 River Rd., Bear River
Chris Howe (902) 467-3633
or (902) 249-0428
chowe@eastlink.ca
www.brfd.ca

The Bear River Cherry Carnival is sponsored by the Bear River Fire Dept. Come out and enjoy a fun-filled day. We'll have water sports, parades, family activities and the popular "grease pole" event. End your day with a "Bang" with a fireworks show that is sure to please everyone. Visit our website to learn more about this long-time tradition.

**Maritime Barrel Racing
Association Jackpot**
July 11-12
Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Tracy Higgins (902)890-7641
tracemack003@hotmail.com
www.annapolisvalley
exhibition.com

Join us for an exciting weekend with some of the fastest barrel and poles horses in the Maritimes!

Mi'kmaq Culture Day
July 12, 1pm-4pm
Port-Royal National Historic Site:
The Habitation
53 Historic Lane, Port Royal
Ted Dolan (902) 532-2898
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
portroyal

Come and experience the history and traditions of the Mi'kmaq; a culture that has been here for thousands of years. Sing a Mi'kmaq song, accompany the song with a drum, participate in the ancient game of "walties" and interact with the Mi'kmaq craftspeople. Through demonstrations, singing and drumming you will gain an appreciation of the unique culture of the first people of this land.

**Port Lorne Beachcombing
& Bonfire**
July 15, 5:30pm
Port Lorne Wharf area
Port Lorne
Nancy Chisholm (902) 665-3022
nchisholm@annapoliscounty.caw
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come play on our shore! See what treasures you can find along the shoreline and enjoy a bonfire. Everything tastes better over an open fire!

Heartland Tour
July 17, 8:30am
Market Square
178 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal. (902) 526-2907
www.heartlandtour.ca

The Heartland Tour is returning to Annapolis County for another exciting adventure. Cyclists will be travelling along the Annapolis River, enjoying the sights from Annapolis Royal to Bridgetown. Visit www.heartlandtour.ca to register.

70th MRHS Reunion
July 17-18
Middleton Regional High School,
(18 Gates Ave.) and Rotary Park,
(337 Marshall St.)
Wendy Rodda, (902) 825-6295
and (902) 824-1258
Wendyrodda@eastlink.ca

Come to your high school to see former teachers and classmates. Remember the dances, basketball games and soccer games. Get your group of friends together. Facebook can not replace a hug from an old friend. COME HOME...in July 2020. Visit our Facebook page (MRHS 70th Reunion) to learn more.



Heart of the Valley

July 17-18

Middleton

Heart of the Valley Committee
festival@hotvf.ca www.hotvf.ca

A big fun weekend in the Heart of the Valley. Events will take place throughout Middleton over two days. Just a few things that you've seen in the past: Family Fun Run, free movie in the park, Grand Street Parade, live entertainment, Children's Pavilion and Bounce Kingdom, The Halifax Circus, Strongman Competition, all wrapping up with one of the best fireworks shows in the Valley! Visit our website for details.

Raven Haven Cuban Night!

July 17, 8pm-10pm

Raven Haven Beachside

Family Park

2239 West Virginia Rd.

West Springhill

Nadine Barteaux (902) 526-2907

nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca

www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come dance the night away with Freddie as he fills the beach with a Cuban beat. This family-fun event will have you shaking maracas and tapping toes. Get up and dance, sit back and enjoy the music, and grab a bite at the beach BBQ.

Valley Performance Obstacle Show

July 18-19

Exhibition Grounds

570 Main St., Lawrencetown

Janice Bennett (902) 824-3952

ohnmyohngoldcard@hotmail.com

https://vpoc.janicebennett.ca

This will include classes for the Green Rider, Green Horse and Open competitor. Again this year we will have obstacle classes specifically for our mini horse competitors! Saturday's classes will be focused on performance - you're typical flat class offerings (Equitation, Horsemanship and Pleasure) classes (not patterns in Equitation or Horsemanship). The classes will include divisions for Green Rider and Green Horse, as well as Junior, Senior and Open.

The Green classes are walk/trot only classes. Two Ranch classes: Ranchmanship and Ranch Riding. Sunday will be dedicated to Arena Mountain Trail Obstacle Challenges.

BandFest Grand Finale Concert

July 19, 2pm

Fort Anne National Historic Site

323 St. George St.

Annapolis Royal

Katie McLean (902) 857-2530

katiemclean@annapolisriver.ca

http://annapolisbasincommunity

band.wordpress.com/bandfest/

Bandfest is a weekend long workshop and festival where community musicians from across Nova Scotia, and beyond, come together under the leadership of guest conductors. Rain location: The Academy (590 St. George St., Annapolis Royal).

Middleton's Seniors' Celebration

July 19, 12pm-1:30pm

Middleton Centennial Park

10 Center St.

Middleton Dept. of Recreation

(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3

recoffice@town.middleton.ns.ca

www.discovermiddleton.ca

We welcome all seniors to come out and enjoy each other's company, live entertainment and refreshments in one of our favourite parks.

Regional Pony Club Camp

July 21-23

Exhibition Grounds

570 Main St., Lawrencetown

valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca

Port George Country Jamboree

July 25, 8am-7pm

Port George Recreation Centre

12256 Shore Rd., Port George

Lion Bob Lyle (902) 765-3225

bobbarb@eastlink.ca

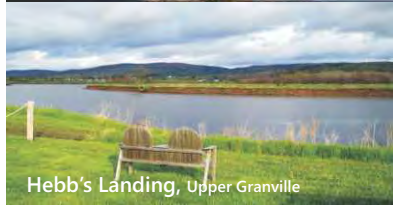
www.countryjamboree.ca

This is an all-day event sponsored by the Middleton, Kingston, Lawrencetown Lions Clubs and the community of Port George. There will be a delicious

▶ Water Access Points



Jubilee Park, Bridgetown



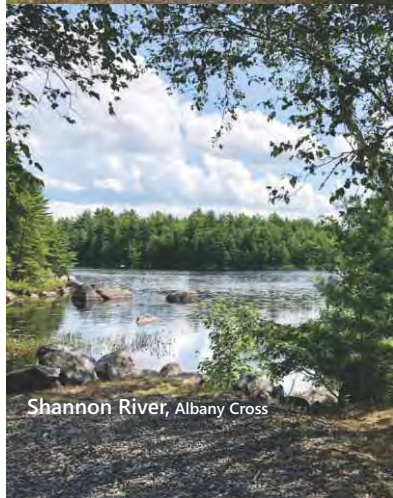
Hebb's Landing, Upper Granville



Causeway Marina, Annapolis Royal



Lake Pleasant



Shannon River, Albany Cross

breakfast in the morning, over 200 flea market rental tables, music all day by local talent, and delicious foods - such as fish and chips, lobster rolls, burgers, strawberry shortcake and much more. Come for a full day of entertainment and bring a lawn chair. A full-course dinner will be held at the Recreation Centre in the evening. No dogs allowed on site.

Ice Cream Social

July 25, 1pm-4pm

Tupperville School Museum
2663 Hwy 201, Tupperville
Gordon A. Boyce (902) 434-3835
tuppervillemuseum@gmail.com
<https://tuppervilleschoolmuseum.ca>

BBQ, homemade ice cream in several flavours (including ginger), entertainment and more. Visit the museum while enjoying our playground. Wheelchair (limited) accessible, including washroom. Visit us on Facebook (Tupperville School Museum).

4th Annual Show and Shine

July 26, 11am-2pm

West Dalhousie Community Hall
4868 West Dalhousie Rd.
West Dalhousie
Jonathan Gillis, (902) 665-2409
jonathan0990@hotmail.com

Registration from 10 am-12 pm, open to public 11 am. Awards to

be handed out at 2 pm. Parking for Show and Shine vehicles not on concrete and our hall is air conditioned for your comfort! Canteen available, 50/50 draw, Bingo (starts at noon) and vending spaces available. Dash plaques for the first 50 cars!

Construction Traditions

July 26, 1pm-4pm

Port-Royal National Historic Site:
The Habitation
53 Historic Lane, Port Royal
Ted Dolan(902) 532-2898
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/portroyal

Interact with craftspeople who will share their skill and knowledge of some of the traditional techniques used to reconstruct the Port-Royal Habitation; Parks Canada's first major reconstruction. Enjoy demonstrations in hewing timbers, making shingles, turning wood, making handles for tools and blacksmithing. Make certain that you visit the Habitation. You will truly appreciate the architecture of this very unique structure.

Paddle in the Park

July 30th, 1pm-4pm

Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park
228 Granville St., Bridgetown
Nancy Chisholm (902) 665-3022

nchisholm@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come join us at Jubilee Park in Bridgetown for a fun recreational opportunity for all ages. Try out our kayaks, canoes or paddle boards while enjoying the beautiful Annapolis River. All safety equipment will be provided. For more information visit our website or find us on Facebook (Annapolis County).

Encampment Days on Natal Day Weekend

July 31, (Evening)

August 2, (Noon)

Fort Anne National Historic Site
323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Ted Dolan(902) 532-2898
pc.fortanne.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/fortanne

Take a stroll around the encampment of the 84th Regiment of Foot 2nd Battalion (Royal Highland Emigrants). Enjoy the sights, the smells and the sounds of black powder musketry, outdoor cooking and life in an 18th century military camp. Experience the conditions of centuries-old military life. On Saturday afternoon, weather permitting, observe military techniques in a tactical battle.

Mi'kmaw Culture Day



**Annapolis & District
Natal Days**

July 31-Aug 3

Annapolis Royal and various locations

Community Dev. Coordinator
(902) 532-2043, Ext. 105
admin@annapolisroyal.com
www.annapolisroyal.com

Join us for our annual Natal Day Celebration. The Town is full of activities for the young and young-at-heart, starting with our Street Dance. The entire weekend is packed with many activities and events for all to enjoy like the Fun Run, Teddy Bear Tea, entertainment at the Amphitheatre, Grand Street Parade and, of course, don't miss out on our famous fireworks display.

**74th Crusader Riverside Rally
July 31 (12pm)-Aug 3**

74th Crusader Motorcycle Club
104 Bike Club Rd., Moschelle
www.74thcrusaders.ca

This is a motorcycle enthusiasts "must attend" rally. This year marks the 42nd consecutive year for this event on the shores of the beautiful Annapolis River Basin at the property of the 74th Crusaders Motorcycle Club. Check out our website where you can find more rally information, how to contact Rally Chairman Christopher Hamilton, and a downloadable pre-registration form.

Natal Day Karaoke

July 31, 10pm-2am

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St.
Annapolis Royal

Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@
hotmail.com

We will host a special late night karaoke with Theresa Porter following the Natal Day Street Dance! It will be a fun night of karaoke with friends both old and new, and don't forget that we will also offer drink specials each Friday and Saturday nights! Just a \$5 cover at the door. Open to the public & everyone is welcome. 19+ crowd.

**Natal Day Weekend ~
Gardens Style!**

July 31-Aug 3

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
(902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Music and family fun in celebration of Annapolis Royal's Natal Day.

Annapolis & District Natal Days



► August

North Hills Museum 11th Annual Vintage Automobile Show

Date To Be Announced

North Hills Museum
5065 Granville Rd.
Granville Ferry, (902) 532-2168
northhillsmuseum@gmail.com
www.annapolisheritagesociety.com

View cars, trucks and tractors dating back from 1900-2000. Chat with owners, take pictures and enjoy the museum. All are welcome to this family event. If you have a vintage automobile, collector or classic car you would like to include in the show please call to register and for further information.

Keji's 51st Birthday

Aug 1, 1pm

Kejimikujik National Park & National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge (902) 682-2772
pc.kejimikujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

Let's get this party started! Join us at Merrymakedge Beach to celebrate this special occasion with cupcakes, lemonade and some birthday fun.

Explore the Cradle of Acadie August 1-15

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal, (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

The spotlight will be on the Acadian House and 17th century life in the Annapolis Royal area, once the Cradle of Acadie.

N.S. Pairs (2021)

Aug 1-2

Bridgetown Lawn Bowling Club
72 Chipman Ave., Bridgetown
www.bridgetownactiveliving.com/bridgetown-lawn-bowling-club/

RCMP Musical Ride

Aug 1 (7pm), Aug 2 (3pm)

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Gidget Oxner, (902) 584-3339
manager@annapolisvalleyexhibition.com

<https://annapolisvalleyexhibition.com>

The Annapolis Valley Exhibition is proud to present the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Musical Ride. A Canadian tradition since 1876, a troop of 32 scarlet coated "Mounties" on majestic black horses present a 30 minute how of intricate figures and cavalry drills choreographed to music. When the Musical Ride visits a community as part of its tour, it helps raise funds to assist charities and non-profits organizations that make a difference in your community. Take advantage of this truly Canadian experience and see one of the our national treasures perform live. For tickets call the office or visit our website.

41st Annual Fun Run & Walk Aug 1

8:30am (registration)

9:15am (race starts)

Municipal Office
752 St. George St.,
Annapolis Royal
Nadine Barteaux (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come celebrate this Natal Day favourite; a tradition for many families. This is a free event but pre-registration preferred. 4 km Fun Run, partly on paved road, partly cross-country. Register online at AnnapolisCounty.ca. Race day registration is limited.

Lequille Country Store

Mackerel Derby

Aug 1, 10am-2pm

Annapolis Causeway Park
Annapolis Royal
Mike Scott (902) 532-5107
mike.scott@ns.sympatico.ca

Free registration for the Mackerel Derby. Great prizes awarded in five different age categories. Lots of free giveaways during the event.

Natal Day Legion Dance

Aug 1, 9pm-1am

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@hotmail.com

Join us for our annual Natal Day Dance! Limit 120 tickets sold. Please contact legion bar for inquiries and advance tickets. Tickets are \$10 each. Everyone 19+ welcome!

Bridgetown Kids (ages 5-12) Fun Triathlon

Aug 1,

8am (registration)

9am (start time)

Centennial Pool
18 Freeman St., Bridgetown
Nicole Hackenschmidt
bridgetownfunrun@gmail.com

Bridgetown Kids Fun Triathlon commences with a swim at Centennial Pool, followed by a run and bike ride with all event distances based on age. Ages 5-12. On-site registration. \$15 entry fee.

Music, Sunset Ceremony and Fireworks

Aug 2, 7:30pm

Fort Anne National Historic Site
323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-2397
pc.fortanne.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/fortanne

Come early, lay down your blanket and settle in on the scenic grounds of Fort Anne. Sway to the beautiful melodies and let the music of the HMCS Acadia Sea Cadets Band fill your ears. After the concert, take in the wondrous open sky and watch the spectacle as the Cadets perform a Sunset Ceremony. No need to move, you're in the perfect spot to enjoy Annapolis Royal's magical fireworks display beginning at 10 pm from the Town wharf.

Bridgetown Triathlon

Aug 2, 6am-3pm

Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park
288 Granville St., Bridgetown
Peter Whiteley (902) 488-4610
racedirectorbridgetown@gmail.com
www.bridgetowntriathlon.com

The Bridgetown Triathlon is an adult event that runs on Natal Day Weekend annually. It starts at approximately 6 am with a swim, carrying on to bicycles and then a run. It is a time event and has

been a qualifier for bigger events. It has also been a Provincial Championship for the Olympic event. Registration is done through Race Roster. There is no onsite registration. Registration opens April 1, 2020.

George Thibodeau Horseshoe Tournament
Aug 2, 10am-5pm
Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@hotmail.com

Join us for our annual Natal Day Horseshow Tournament for the George Thibodeau Memorial plaque. \$5 from every man, woman and child will enter you in this fun-filled day. There will be a BBQ starting at high noon (12:00 pm). Registration is at 10 am, with plays starting at 11 am. Everyone welcome!

Christmas in August
Aug 2, 9am-2pm
Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@hotmail.com

Christmas is coming early with our "Christmas in August" craft sale/yard sale/flea market! Something for everyone! BBQ starting at noon. Table reservations can be made at the Legion bar or by calling (902) 526-0609.

Natal Day Parade and Prizes
Aug 3, 1pm
Fort Anne National Historic Site
323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-2397
pc.fortanne.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/fortanne

Visit Annapolis Royal for the annual Natal Day Parade starting at 1pm. After the parade, join us at 2:30 pm in the Fort Anne's parking lot to take a closer look at the handiwork involved in creating these colourful displays. The jury is out, who will be this year's float winner? Don't miss the excitement.

Natal Day Popsicle Party
Aug 3, 3pm-5pm
Annapolis Community Pool
62 Champlain Dr.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-1777
annapoliscommunitypool@gmail.com

Popsicle Party at the Pool! Please join us after the Street Parade for a free popsicle with regular admission at the pool. Visit us on Facebook (Annapolis Community Pool).

Cow Patty Bingo
Aug 3, 2pm-7pm
Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@hotmail.com

Join us for our ever popular Cow Patty Bingo! Squares will be on sale at the Legion bar July 1st. Don't wait until the last minute to get yours for this fun, family event. \$5 each or 3 for \$10. BBQ from 12-5 pm available. Visit us on Facebook (Port Royal Legion Branch 21) for more info.

Lake Pleasant Paddling Event
Aug 6, 1pm-3pm
Nancy Chisholm (902) 665-3022
nchisholm@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come join us at this great little park and boat launch. Participants have an opportunity to try out canoes and stay for a BBQ. Pre-registration preferred. For more information contact Annapolis County Recreation.

First Friday Swim
Aug 7
Annapolis Community Pool
62 Champlain Dr.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-1777
annapoliscommunitypool@gmail.com
www.annapolispool.ca

Bring a friend on the first Friday of the month and get 2 for 1 admission at the pool. Visit us on Facebook (Annapolis Community Pool).

Picnic in the Park
Aug 9, 11am-1pm
Centennial Park
10 Center St., Middleton
Middleton Dept. of Recreation
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
recoffice@town.middleton.ns.ca
www.discovermiddleton.ca

A real celebration of community! Live entertainment, games and, of course, a BBQ. So much fun! We hope you can make it!

ARTS TALK
Aug 10, 7pm-9pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

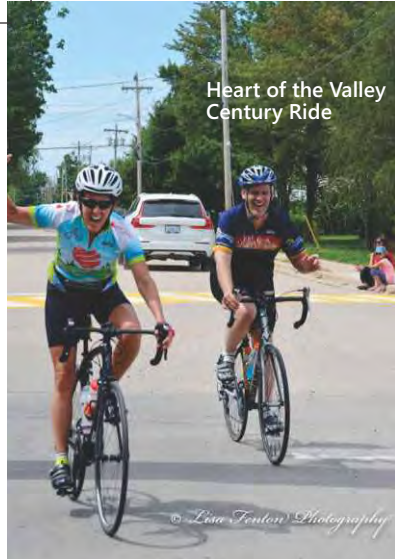
Presentations and conversations led by regional artists.

River Run: Lawrencetown to Bridgetown
Aug 12, 12pm-5pm
12 Lawrencetown Lane
Lawrencetown
Nancy Chisholm (902) 665-3022
nchisholm@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Come join us for a paddle along the beautiful Annapolis River. Starting in Lawrencetown we will paddle to Jubilee Park in Bridgetown and end the day with a fun BBQ. Pre-registration is required, some canoes are available on a first come first serve basis. Contact Annapolis County Recreation for further information.

Paint the Town
Aug 15-16
ARTsPLACE
396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Sophie Paskins (902) 532-7059
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca
www.arcac.ca

Paint the Town - Join us in celebrating our 25th Anniversary! An outdoor art and painting weekend where over 80 artists will set up their easels at various locations throughout Annapolis Royal. This popular event draws onlookers and art



Heart of the Valley Century Ride

© Lisa Tontore Photography

buyers from around Atlantic Canada and beyond. Emerging and established artists from across Nova Scotia find a special spot that inspires them to paint, sculpt, carve, photograph or sketch. Spectators can meet the artists at work while watching the creative process unfold on the boardwalk, the wharf, at Fort Anne, and the Historic Gardens. As their paintings are finished, volunteers deliver the artwork to the Paint the Town Gallery returning to Port Royal Legion, Branch 21 (66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal), where patrons can bid during the silent auction process (10 am - 6 pm daily), or grab the piece of their dreams immediately as each piece has a "buy it now" price (this option available until 5 pm daily).

Celebrating Paint the Town ~ Gardens Style!

Aug 15-16
Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Watch artists at work painting their favourite scenes in Annapolis Royal and the Gardens, then buy your favourites! An Arts Council (ARCA) event.

Nictaux Family Fun Day

Aug 15, 1pm-4pm
Nictaux Playground
15 Old Runway Drive, Nictaux
Nadine Barteaux (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Join Recreation staff for some family fun. We'll be gathering in the Nictaux community for some summertime activities, music and BBQ. Keep checking our website and Facebook Page for details as they become available.

Middleton Heart Run

Aug 15, 9am-2pm
Rotary Park,
337 Marshall St., Middleton
Middleton Dept. of Recreation
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
recoffice@town.middleton.ns.ca
www.discovermiddleton.ca

Come check out the Middleton Heart Run, in the beautiful Heart of the Valley. The run has a challenging but rewarding terrain meant to bring beginners and seasoned runners together for one awesome run! Distances are: 5km, 10km, or 25km. The run starts at 9 am (8 am for the 25km), and will start and finish at the Rotary Park where there will be refreshments before and after the run for fuel! Check-in and same-day registration starts at 8:30am (7:30am for the 25km).

A Celebration of Art Aug 15-23

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Join us for art-themed exhibits and activities with a natural emphasis on art in the garden!

Heart of the Valley Century Ride

Aug 16, 9am-4:30pm
Rotary Park, 337 Marshall St.
Middleton
Middleton Dept. of Recreation
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
recoffice@town.middleton.ns.ca
www.discovermiddleton.ca

Long considered the most scenic ride, this event continues to grow and yet maintains the charm and hospitality Middleton and Annapolis County are known for. Riders have options of 25km, 50km, 100km, or 160km route, all of which offer beautiful scenery. Registration usually opens in late May or early June.


Light Horse Point Show

Aug 16
Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Kari Brown (902) 223-8085
Kari.Brown@novascotia.ca


4-H Days at the Ex

Aug 17
Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Kari Brown (902) 223-8085
Kari.Brown@novascotia.ca

Come kick-off the Annapolis Valley Ex with 4-H day!



Cow Patty Bingo



Paint the Town

Annapolis Valley Exhibition **Aug 17-22**

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown
Gidget Oxner (902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca
<http://www.annapolisvalleyexhibition.com>

This is the 94th Annapolis Valley Exhibition! The six-day long event provides competition for all areas of the agricultural community and allows the public an educational glimpse into our rural heritage. It also offers modern entertainment such as Modified Truck and Tractor Pulls, top-notch musical entertainment on the beautiful John Longley Memorial Riverside Stage on Saturday night or on the Youth Arena stage each evening.

Visitors can wander through our quaint barns and buildings to see livestock, garden displays, and home-crafts. There is also the exciting midway and the opportunity to watch ringside the various competitions - 4-H, beef and dairy, horse and ox pulls, equestrian show jumping, driving classes from miniature to draft horses. We have many vendors on site! There is something for every family member to enjoy.

Festival of Dance **Annapolis Royal** **Aug 18-23**

King's Theatre,
209 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Communications Director:
(902) 532-1399
media@fodar.ca
<http://fodar.ca>

Now in its 6th year, Festival of Dance Annapolis Royal (FODAR) - FODAR's eclectic programming

attracts newcomers and dance buffs alike. A fixture on Eastern Canada's dance landscape, FODAR presents six days of the finest in Canadian and International contemporary dance and showcases remounts of classic modern dance works from the past. Opening night features "Dance on Film" followed by four nights of critically acclaimed productions onstage at King's Theatre. This year, the Festival presents one off-site production on the final day. For updated information on FODAR 2020, visit our website or follow us on social media - Facebook, Instagram, Twitter (@fodardance), and VIMEO (vimeo.com/fodardance).

Delaps Cove Wilderness Trail **35th Anniversary** **Aug 23, 1pm**

Nadine Barteaux (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Join us as we celebrate 35 years of one of Annapolis County's most beloved trails! Enjoy this beautiful hike with its scenic background and some fun surprises to commemorate this special occasion. Keep checking our Facebook Page and website for updates.

Digby County Exhibition **Aug 26-29, 9am**

Exhibition Grounds
854 Riverview Rd., Bear River
Michelle Levings (902) 308-0402
info@digbycountyexhibition.ca
www.digbycountyexhibition.ca

The 141st Digby County Exhibition is organized by a small group of devoted

volunteers. It's an event that strives to keep the traditions of our agricultural roots. Come watch Horse Pulls, Ox Hauls, Heavy Horse Pulls, Light Horse Shows, and view the talent of the non-livestock competition. Listen to our live entertainment, chat with teamsters and enjoy a delicious home-cooked meal from our dining hall. Family Day events will be held on Saturday, August 29th.

Bishop Park Gala Days **Aug 27-29**

Bishop Park, 1351 Hwy 201
Round Hill
Cindy Whitman (902) 526-0443

Thursday, Aug. 27th come to the Round Hill Hall (1689 Hwy 201) for a Bingo & Ticket Auction. Doors open at 6 pm. On Saturday, Aug. 29th, start your day at the Round Hill Hall for a yummy pancake breakfast and then join us at Bishop Park for ball games, games of chance, music, water sprinkler, our famous Pork BBQ and more.

Free Family Fun Day **Aug 29-30**

St. Anne's Camp (Gibson Lake)
3232 West Dalhousie Rd.
West Dalhousie
Debbie Giffin (902) 665-2355
d.giffin@bellaliant.net

Bring the family for a full day of outdoor fun! Swimming (unsupervised), canoes, Bert Messenger Washer Toss Tournament, potluck BBQ supper, games for the kids and a campfire with marshmallows. Cabins available for use on a first come, first serve basis. Tents welcome. Sponsored by West Dalhousie Community Hall.

Annapolis Valley Exhibition



Monthly Events in Annapolis County
September / October

Fall



Gleann na Gaeilge

► **Annapolis County Attraction**

Gleann na Gaeilge:

A weekend of immersion in the Irish language and culture
Town of Annapolis Royal and Granville Ferry
902-778-1049
gailgesaghleann@gmail.com / www.gleann.ca

Join us for a weekend of celebration of the Irish language and culture in Annapolis Royal. Language classes, supported by fluent Irish speakers, will be offered at various levels. Workshops in dance, singing and other cultural activities will help you deepen your link to your Celtic roots! Come for an evening of called dancing during our Céilí and get your instrument out for our traditional Music Session.

See Page 37 for event details.

► September

North Hills Museum Tea and Garden Party

Date/Time To Be Announced

North Hills Museum
5065 Granville Rd.
Granville Ferry (902) 532-2168
northhillsmuseum@gmail.com
www.annapolisheritage
society.com

Join us for an afternoon of live music, tea and wonderful treats. All welcome to this family event.

Wharf Rat Rally

Sept 2-6

Digby and surrounding area
www.wharftrally.com

Rumble and roar your way to Digby for the 16th Annual Wharf Rat Rally! Music, contests, vendors, stunt shows, fireworks and more! Be part of the excitement as thousands and thousands of motorcycles gather with the beauty of the scallop fleet in the background.

Western Kings Community Fair

Sept 5, 9am-9pm

Fair Grounds
792 Meadowvale Rd., Tremont
Perry Spinney (902) 825-2255
pspinney@eastlink.ca

WKCF is an annual event. Sometimes referred to as the World Fair. Light horse show, heavy horse and oxen pulls, beef & dairy, arts & crafts, foods, flowers, and agricultural shows. Canteen on grounds and meals

in the Pavilion. Entertainment and many other events throughout the day.

Family Weekend in the Gardens

Sept 5-7

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

Visit the Gardens for some family time before the kids head back to school. Be sure to plan on taking some family photos at the same time.

2nd Annual Annapolis Royal 5K Sept 6

Market Square
178 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Terrence Sooley (902) 526-2323
Ts@endurance-engine.com
<https://raceroster.com/events/2020/27939/annapolis-royal-5k>

Immerse yourself in history as you race through beautiful and historic Annapolis Royal. There is plenty of history to run through, and a lot of excitement as you race past ocean views, historic buildings and graveyards - and of course enjoy the local hospitality. Come out for a fun, fast run on a CERTIFIED course; then stay for the after-show. Amazing prizes, goodies, music and plenty of running chatter to follow. And, of course, every finisher receives a collector's medal and SWAG! Linger a little longer to explore running -and walking- friendly Annapolis

Royal at a slower pace, and enjoy the cafes and shopping. Onsite registration 8:00 am; Race 9:00 am and Awards 10:00 am. Register at raceroster.com

37th Bridgetown Ciderfest Sept 10-13

Bridgetown. Gary Olsvik:
(902) 665-4428 or
(902) 309-1679
g.olsvik@live.ca
www.bridgetownciderfest.com

Join us for our 37th annual community festival for Bridgetown and area. It is a fun-filled, four days of community spirit featuring a harvest dinner, parades, music and dances, carnival of games and events, duck race, silent auction, show and shine and much more.

Doors Open for Churches Annapolis County

Sept 11-12

Western Annapolis County
Nora T Peach (902)-638-3086
fntp1@ns.sympatico.ca

Explore some of the oldest and most interesting church buildings in the province. This year we'll open the doors of a variety of churches both in use and repurposed at the western end of Annapolis County. You are welcome to visit any of the Doors Open church buildings and talk to a local person who knows its history. For more information visit <https://www.facebook.com/HeritageTrustNovaScotia/> or <https://www.htns.ca/events.html>

North Hills Museum



**Keji Multisport Festival
Sept 11-13**

Kejimikujik National Park &
National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
Shannon Read (902) 682-2700
kejimultisport@gmail.com
<https://kejimultisport.wordpress.com/>

Keji Multisport Festival is a three-day event consisting of a warm-up, single sport event on Friday evening; followed by a dedicated Triathlon for Women, an afternoon Kids Triathlon, and on Sunday will feature the Atlantic Triathlon Championships with 2021 Team Canada World Championship spots for the Standard Distance. Keji is a spectacular venue with a built in sense of adventure! The swim takes place in beautiful and clean Keji Lake – historically 20 degrees this time of year. The Main Parkway provides a flowing bike course lined with majestic sweeping pine trees and is traffic free. Running on Eel Weir Road athletes are treated to a hard packed trail/service road lined with shade trees and graced with a footbridge over a beautiful brook. This race also features a roomy transition area next to beautiful Merrymakedge Beach and Race HQ. Come and experience the magic at

*Kejimikujik National Park and
Historic Site!*

www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji
*Registration information:
<http://atlanticchip.ca/events/>*

**Bridgetown and Area Friends
of the Library Silent Auction
Sept 11-12**

Bridgetown Library,
38 Queen St., Bridgetown
Marilyn Booth
(902) 665-4839, (902) 599-4839
marhank320@gmail.com

Have fun at our yearly Silent Auction, in conjunction with Bridgetown Ciderfest. We accept gently used or new donations throughout August and up until the Wednesday prior to the event at the library, or through a Friend of the Library member. The money raised supports the library. Follow us on Facebook to get a sneak peek.

**12th Annual
Tournament of Kings
Sept 12**

Fort View Golf Course
3816 Hwy 1, Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7704
www.kingstheatre.ca

*Don't miss this annual favourite!
Tee-up for a good cause, the
King's Theatre!*

**Autumn River Festival
Sept 12, 12pm-2pm**

Canoe/Kayak Launch
12 Lawrencetown Lane
Lawrencetown
Melissa Roscoe (902) 584-3082
villageclerk@lawrencetownnova
scotia.ca
www.lawrencetownnovascotia.ca

*Come and join us at the new
Canoe/Kayak launch located in
the Village of Lawrencetown.
Bring your canoe/kayak and
enjoy the beautiful sights of the
Annapolis River. Hot dogs, cake
and refreshments will be served.*

**Tri County Equestrian Club
Horse Show
Sept 13-14**

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St., Lawrencetown

**Fall for the Stars,
Dark-Sky Weekend
Sept 18-20**

Kejimikujik National Park &
National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge (902) 682-2772
pc.kejimikujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

*When the land of the fairies
lights up at night, it's quite a
sight to behold! Head to Nova
Scotia's only Dark-Sky Preserve
for a weekend of dark sky*

Dark Sky Weekend

delights. Search our spectacular night skies for planets, galaxies, constellations and much more! Whether you're new to stargazing or a seasoned observer, there will be stories and discoveries for all ages. Plan to stay overnight in the area (Jeremy's Bay Campground is closed for improvement); you don't want to miss the show. Presented in partnership with the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada (RASC).

Newfoundlanders Fish Cakes and Beans

Sept 19, 4:30pm-6:30pm
Centrelea Community Hall
3495 Hwy 201, Centrelea
Trish Mailman (902) 955-1325
tmailman622@gmail.com

*Come enjoy authentic
Newfoundlanders Fish Cakes!*

Celebrating the Harvest Sept 19-27

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7018
www.historicgardens.com

*Join us for tours and activities
celebrating the bountiful fall
harvest in the Annapolis Valley.*

40th Anniversary Terry Fox Run

Sept 20, 1pm
Kejimikujik National Park &
National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge (902) 682-2772
pc.kejimikujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

*Celebrate the 40th Anniversary
of Terry Fox's Marathon of Hope
by walking, biking, or running
one of the two routes in
Kejimikujik. Stick to the road,
explore Kejimikujik's newest trail,
or do a combination of the two.
It's a recreational run, so go at
your own pace. Registration
starts at noon at the Visitor
Centre and the event kicks-off at
1 pm. Visit <http://terryfox.org>
to download a pledge sheet ahead
of time or simply donate at the
run. This great family event is
organized by the local
community. Come on out and
show your support.*

Artists' Café

Sept 23, 2pm-4pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

*Informal gathering with
presentations by local artists,
poets, musicians and writers.*

International River Day

Sept 27, 11am-8pm
Bear River Millyard Recreation
1145 River Rd., Bear River
Bob Benson
(902) 467-3549 or
(902) 249-0250
millyard@eastlink.ca
<http://www.millyardrecreation.com/>

*A parade of water craft, kayak
races, river history, stories and
events. Musical entertainment,
games & food.*

ARTS TALK

Sept 28, 7pm-9pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

*Presentations and conversations
led by regional artists.*

Autumn River Festival, Lawrencetown



► October

2020 Fall Hiking Series

October

Annapolis County
Nadine Barteaux (902) 526-2907
nbarteaux@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

The County of Annapolis, in partnership with Hike NS, will host a series of free-guided hikes designed to increase fitness and an appreciation of our breathtaking landscape. Come explore the beauty that Annapolis County's backcountry has to offer! Visit the County website and Facebook page for event locations, times and updates.

NSCC Annapolis Valley Campus Sustainability Days 3-Day Event

Time/Date To Be Announced

Nova Scotia Community College (NSCC), 87 Warwick St., Digby

Time/Date To Be Announced

Nova Scotia Community College (NSCC) COGS, 50 Elliott Rd. Lawrencetown

Time/Date To Be Announced

Nova Scotia Community College (NSCC), 295 Commercial St. Middleton

Jackie Bigelow (902) 825-5268
jacqueline.bigelow@nsc.ca

Come see our invited exhibitors promoting sustainability efforts and learn new ways to help our environment and become more sustainable. All events are free and open to staff, faculty, students and the public. Visit us on Facebook

Nictaux Fire Ettes Annual Ticket Auction

Oct 1, 12pm

Nictaux Fire Hall
9349 Hwy 10, Nictaux
Teri Nichols (902) 825-2264
nictauxfalls2@gmail.com

Doors open at noon. Draw starts at 7:15 pm. New items donated by local businesses, crafters and community. To make donations, contact Teri.

Annual Fundraiser Auction

Oct 3, 11am

Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Marty Felker (902) 638-3164
maarstan98@yahoo.com

Opens at 10 am for viewing with auction starting at 11 am. Lunch will be available for a fee. Always lots and lots of items to be auctioned off. Drop in and find just what you can't do without.

Savour the Trail at Kejimikujik

Oct 3

Kejimikujik National Park & Historic National Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
(902) 682-2772
pc.kejimikujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

Discover a unique way to savour the fall at Keji. Take to the trails and experience stunning colours and sample delicious flavours – served up by Mother Nature, NS Community College's culinary arts students of Lunenburg Campus and Kingstec Campus and participating local suppliers. Enjoy a variety of nature-inspired and locally sourced dishes and beverages while hiking among the beautiful fall scenery of Kejimikujik. It will satisfy your soul...and your palate. Watch our Calendar of Events page for details on how to purchase tickets for this year's edition.

ART: 21

Oct 5, 7pm-9 pm

ARTSPACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Screening and discussion of film about 21st century artists.

Thanksgiving Weekend at Kejimikujik

Oct 10

Kejimikujik National Park & National Historic Site
Maitland Bridge
3005 Main Parkway

(902) 682-2772
pc.kejimikujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

Soak up the brilliant colours of fall and enjoy one of the most beautiful weekends of the year at Kejimikujik! Kick-start your Thanksgiving weekend with our first ever Turkey Trot, Run, and Walk. We'll have prizes for best costumes and fun is guaranteed. Next, take the plunge at the annual Cold Turkey swim at Merrymakedge Beach. Don't want to brave the waters yourself then come cheer the swimmers on! Round out your Saturday with a Thanksgiving meal served up at the Maitland Bridge Community Hall. It's the perfect weekend to spend with family and friends! Take advantage by staying overnight in the area. Remember, Jeremy's Bay Campground is closed for improvements. Watch our Calendar of Events page for more details, including how to purchase tickets and reserve your spot at the Thanksgiving table.

3rd Annual Annapolis Board of Trade (ABoT) Expo and Business Awards

Oct 17,

Time/Location To Be Announced

<https://www.tradeannapolis.com>

The 3rd Annual Annapolis Board of Trade Business Expo is scheduled to coincide with Small Business Week. And, we will again be announcing our Small Business Award winners at the event. It's open to members and non-members and registration information will be available online by June on our website. ABoT is committed to provide marketing, networking and business education opportunities for its members. This is a chance for local business owners to make great connections and form alliances with other business owners and get better known by the local community at the event.

Milford Harvestfest

Oct 17, 4pm-6pm

Milford House
5296 Hwy 8, South Milford
Terry Roscoe (902) 532-5606
robo76@eastlink.ca

Come enjoy roasted and glazed old-fashioned (Armstrong's) bone-in ham with potato scallop vegetables, rolls, pickles and a variety of fruit crisps for dessert. Enjoy the splendor of the fall colours near the lakes and wilderness of the beautiful Milford House. Proceeds to the Milford & Area Community Assoc. Adults \$15, children under 12 \$8. Sorry no reservations.

North American Conker Championship

Oct 17

9am: Registration
10:30am: Playtime

Historic Gardens
441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
King Konker Peter Davies
pcrofton28@gmail.com
<https://annapolisconkers.wordpress.com/>

Playing for the honour of the Title, a Champion's medallion and the prestigious Crofton Chalice. A small registration donation will be required. Proceeds to the Historic Gardens.

Ghost Town



Players limited to 8 years of age and older. Try your hand and eye coordination while competing for this valuable trophy. Free practice area available prior to competition.

ART: 21

Oct 19, 7pm-9pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Screening and discussion of film about 21st century artists.

Turkey Supper

Oct 22, 4:30pm-6pm

Three River Community Centre
41 Messinger Rd.
Torbrook Mines
Amy Neufeld Klein
(902) 765-3049
twistedk@eastlink.ca

Turkey supper with all the trimmings, including homemade pies. Take-out available. \$13, \$6 under 12.

Ghost Town

Oct 23-31

Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7018
www.ExploreGhostTown.com

Annapolis Royal will become a Ghost Town in October. Be sure to visit...if you dare!

Conker Championship



IODE Rummage Sale

Oct 25, 1pm-3pm

NSCC - Middleton Campus
295 Commercial St. Middleton
Valerie Davies (902) 532-2739
daviesval22@gmail.com

The Rosemary Chapter IODE Rummage Sale is part of a Canadian Women's Organization. The rummage sale is twice a year, April and October, with proceeds going back into the community through scholarships, breakfast programs and assistance to those in need. The rummage sale includes household items, clothing and books.

Artists' Café

Oct 28, 2pm-4pm

ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Informal gathering with presentations by local artists, poets, musicians and writers.

Halloween Dance

Oct 31, 9pm-1am

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young(902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@hotmail.com


All Ghouls and Gals are invited to a night of fun dancing and dress-up where you can boogie until your legs drop off! Cocktail specials all night as well as prizes for best costume! \$10 admission, advance tickets available at the Legion bar. Everyone welcome. 19 +

Fall Hiking Series



Monthly Events in Annapolis County
November / December / January

Winter



Shared Use Trails - Annapolis County

► Annapolis County Attraction

Outdoor Recreation in Annapolis County
County of Annapolis
(902) 665-5010 / dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Whether it's your love of bicycling, enjoyment of hiking, ATVing, snowmobiling, or your passion for canoeing, Annapolis County's outdoor recreation opportunities are bountiful. Planning a trip or need a little more information? Contact us!

► November

16th Annual Nictaux Fire Ettes Christmas Fantasy Craft Sale

Nov 1, 10am-3pm
Nictaux Fire Hall
9349 Hwy 10, Nictaux
Teri Nichols (902) 825-2264
nictauxfalls2@gmail.com

Start your shopping with us, have lunch and enjoy the work of local crafters. 50/50 Draw, a door prize, Christmas ticket auction and canteen available. Admission \$2. To book a table or make a donation, contact Teri.

ARTS TALK

Nov 2, 7pm-9pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Presentations and conversations led by regional artists.

Glenn na Gaeilge

Nov 6-8
O'Dell House Museum
136 Lower St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Paul Lalonde (902) 778-1049
gaeilgesaghleann@gmail.com
www.gleann.ca

A full weekend of Irish cultural events in Annapolis Royal, including Irish Gaelic classes, cultural and music workshops, Céilí and banquet, and traditional music session.

Centrelea Chili Cook-off

Nov 7, 12:00pm
Centrelea Community Hall
3495 Hwy 201, Centrelea
Trish Mailman (902) 955-1325
tmailman622@gmail.com

Prepare your own particular recipe for Chili Con Carne. Bring it on in and submit it to the taste-testers! Prize to be won.

ART: 21

Nov 9, 7pm-9pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Screening and discussion of film about 21st century artists.

Christmas Tea, Bingo and Ticket Auction

Nov 14, 1:30pm
West Dalhousie Community Hall
4868 West Dalhousie Rd.
West Dalhousie
Debbie Giffin (902) 665-2355
d.giffin@bellaliant.net

Bingo cards \$0.25 ea. or 6/\$1; Jackpot game \$1/card or 6/\$5. Ticket auction envelopes \$1 ea. Doors open at 1 pm and "tea" available for \$5. Bingo starts at 1:30 pm. There will be two chances to win complete turkey dinners with all the fixings!

Artists' Café

Nov 18, 2pm-4pm
ARTsPLACE
396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.ns.aliantzinc.ca

Informal gathering with presentations by local artists, poets, musicians and writers.

Christmas Craft Show

Nov 20, 5pm-9pm
Nov 21, 10am-4pm
Macdonald Museum
21 School St., Middleton
Janice Slauenwhite
(902) 825-6116
macdonald.museum
@ns.sympatico.ca
www.macdonaldmuseum.ca

Join us for the 34th Annual Craft Show! Many crafts, jams, jellies, pickles and baked goods! Canteen with homemade food, bake sale table, 50/50 draw and door prize. Admission \$2/person, children under 12 are free.

ART: 21

Nov 23, 7pm-9pm
ARTsPLACE, 396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca

Screening and discussion of film about 21st artists.

Parade of Lights

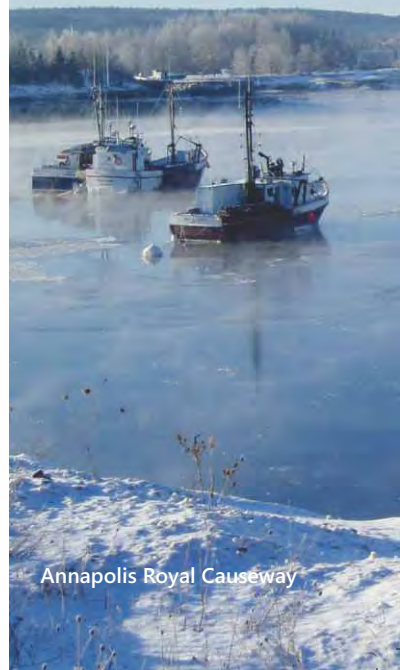
Nov 27
Time To Be Announced
Annapolis Royal Court House
377 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
<https://www.tradeannapolis.com>

On the last Friday in November, the Annapolis Board of Trade and its community partners will once again offer the popular Parade of Lights starting at the Court House in Annapolis Royal, proceeding down St. George Street to the Town Hall and concluding with a visit with Santa at the Farmers' Market, along with hot chocolate and cookies for everyone. Bring your lantern and join the fun!

Bridgetown Lions Christmas Wreath Sale

Rita Hurlburt (902) 588-2016
rita.hurlburt@yahoo.ca

Get your holiday décor started with a beautiful Lions Christmas Wreath. Contact Rita or a Lions member for more information. Campaign starts mid-November. \$20/wreath.



► December

Victorian Christmas

Date/Time To Be Announced

O'Dell House Museum
136 Lower St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 532-7754
annapolisheritage@gmail.com
www.annapolisheritage
society.com

Step back in time with our costumed animators and enjoy hot apple cider, cookies and caroling. We welcome one and all, from near and far, to rejoice and be merry this holiday season at the O'Dell House Museum. Admission by donation.

Town of Middleton's Holiday Celebrations

Dec 4-5

Middleton
Middleton Recreation Dept.
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
recoffice@town.middleton.ns.ca
www.discovermiddleton.ca

Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony of Friday evening from 6:30 - 7:30 pm. Sing carols along with local entertainers and sip hot chocolate around the Fireman's bonfire...we know how to kick off a season of good tidings! You may even see fireworks. Family Holiday Celebrations on Saturday morning from 10 - 11:30 am. Tons of fun for the whole family. In the past, we've decorated cookies, done crafts, had a bounce castle, music, a visit from Santa and more!

Christmas in the Village

Dec 5, 4pm-6pm

Exhibition Youth Arena
590 Main St., Lawrencetown
Melissa Roscoe (902) 584-3082
villageclerk@lawrencetownnova
scotia.ca
www.lawrencetownnovascotia.ca

The Lawrencetown & District Volunteer Fire Department will bring Santa through the Village with a stop in front of the Fire Hall at 4 pm to light the Christmas Tree. Then, on to the Youth Arena to join Santa for an evening of skating, hayrides, a bonfire, hotdogs, chili and hot chocolate.

Breakfast with Santa

Dec 5, 9am-11am

Three River Community Centre
41 Messinger Rd.
Torbrook Mines
Amy Neufeld Klein
(902) 765-3049
twistedk@eastlink.ca

Breakfast with Santa! Full breakfast, fun for kids of all ages. Free will offering.

Christmas Potluck

Dec 5, 5:30pm

Centrelea Community Hall
3495 Hwy 201, Centrelea
Trish Mailman (902) 955-1325
tmailman622@gmail.com

Wonderful Christmas gathering. Everyone welcome!

Old Fashioned Christmas Craft Sale

Dec 5, 9am-3pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196
annapolisroyallegion@
hotmail.com

This year we will host 65+ vendors selling jewelry, crafts, baked goods, sweets, leather, hand-crafted metal, stained glass, paintings, collectables, soaps, chainsaw carvings, and so much more! Breakfast and lunch canteen available. There is a FREE shuttle bus service between all five locations in Town! Santa and his Elves will be on hand to entertain from 11 am - 3 pm. Everyone welcome! \$1 admission.

Brunch with Santa

Dec 13, 10am-12pm

West Dalhousie Community Hall
4868 West Dalhousie Rd.
West Dalhousie
Debbie Giffin (902) 665-2355
d.giffin@bellaliant.net

Free will offering - Pancakes, sausages, potato hash, scrambled eggs, toast, muffins, juice, tea and coffee. There will be a photographer on hand to take photos of your child/family with Santa for a small fee.

Christmas Party and Gift Exchange

Dec 19, 7pm

Felker Hall Community Centre
734 N Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
Marty Felker (902) 638-3164
maarstan98@yahoo.com

Gift exchange - a man brings a gift for a man and a woman brings a gift for a woman (worth around \$10). If you like, do a reading, tell a story, etc. Get in touch with Marty. Bring along your special snack to share. Everyone welcome!

► 2021

Annual New Year's Levee

Jan 1, 12pm-4pm

Port Royal Legion, Branch #21
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
Noel Young (902) 532-5196

Help us ring in the New Year with our annual New Year's Levee! Always a popular event, come out and see some old friends and meet some new ones. There will be a HUGE free buffet held in conjunction with the Town of Annapolis Royal. All ages welcome!

Brunch with Santa



Welcome to
**Fundy
YMCA**
Join Us!



Group Fitness Classes



Three Pools



Childrens' Activities

Hours of Operation

Monday - Friday:
6:00am - 9:00pm

Saturday & Sunday:
8:00am - 5:00pm



Fitness Floor



Fundy YMCA
1043 Hwy. 1
Cornwallis, NS
B0S 1H0
TL (902) 638-9622

 @ymcafundy

 Fundy YMCA

www.fundyymca.com

*Trails, parks, water access and special places
to discover throughout Annapolis County*

Recreation



Harvest Moon Trailway

► Annapolis County Attraction

Harvest Moon Trailway
Annapolis Valley

The 110 km (68 mile) Harvest Moon Trailway traverses the Annapolis Valley through beautiful towns and communities along the former rail bed, connecting the historic seaside Town of Annapolis Royal to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Grand Pré. Discover the area's rich Acadian heritage and abundant culinary experience.

See Page 13 for details on an exciting geocache event happening this summer on the Harvest Moon Trailway.

Annapolis River Causeway Park

Access to Annapolis River and Annapolis Basin
4468 Hwy 1
Granville Ferry

Annapolis Royal Wharf

193 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal

Annapolis Royal Historic Gardens

441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal / 17 acres
(902) 532-7018
historicgardens.com

A horticultural paradise located in historic Annapolis Royal. Historically themed areas tell the story of Nova Scotia settlement from an agricultural and horticultural perspective, showcasing gardening methods, designs and materials representing more than 400 years of local history.

Annapolis Youth Skate Park

112 Prince Albert St.
Annapolis Royal

Belleisle Marsh Trail

Near Little Brook Lane
off Hwy 1, Belleisle / 8.2km

Hike along old roads through protected marshlands. Great for walking, hiking and mountain biking.

Bishop Park

1351 Hwy 201
Round Hill
(902) 532-7988
alnancydress@yahoo.ca

Baseball diamond, playground area & picnic tables.

Bridgetown Lawn Bowling Club

72 Chipman Ave.
Bridgetown
(902) 665-2795

Home of Canadian champions. Watch a tournament with competitors in fresh summer whites on the beautifully groomed greens.

Centennial Park

41 School St.
Middleton
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
discovermiddleton.ca

A small, peaceful picnic area located in downtown Middleton which includes a splashpad.

Cottage Cove Provincial Park

11935 Shore Rd. East
Cottage Cove

Scenic walking trail that follows along the rocky shoreline of the Bay of Fundy with shady areas for picnics.

Delaps Cove Wilderness Trail

2077 Shore Rd. West
Delaps Cove
(902) 665-5010
dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

There are two trails connected by the Old Shore Rd. Trail meanders through 130 acres of canopied forests, a marsh, the Bay of Fundy's shoreline and past a large waterfall with a viewing platform. A beautiful place for hiking, bird watching and photography.

Fort Anne National Historic Site

323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-2397
pc.fortanne.pc@canada.ca
www.parksCanada.gc.ca/
fortanne

Fort Anne is Canada's first National Historic Site of Canada.

French Basin Trail

112 Prince Albert St.
Annapolis Royal

Follows the perimeter of the Ducks Unlimited pond. A 1.2km loop great for walking, hiking and snowshoeing.

▶ **Borrow A Book Bike**

April - October

Annapolis Royal Library
143 Ritchie St.,
Annapolis Royal

Bikes will be available on a first-come basis, and are due back the same day, no later than 30 minutes before the library closes. Borrow it for the day or for a couple hours. Ride the trails or use the bike to get your shopping done around town. Get moving with a BookBike! Visit <http://renewyourcuriosity.ca/boobikes/> for more information.



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Village of Lawrencetown
West Dalhousie Community Hall

Thank You!

► Nictaux Fire Ettes

Congratulations on 50 extraordinary years of community service!

This small but mighty group of ladies was originally formed to support the Nictaux Fire Department.

Over the years they have raised money by hosting card parties, bake sales, ticket auctions, variety shows, breakfasts, receptions, yard sales, craft shows, and more.

However, their efforts have gone way beyond the fire hall as they also host benefits for families in need, donate monies to many different causes such as Companion Animal Protection Society, Home and School lunch programs, IWK Telethon, and Salvation Army.

These ladies come out to make lunches for the firefighters when they are on a fire call no matter what time of the day or night.

They are always willing to help with whatever they can. They do this with a big smile on their faces and passion in their hearts.



Nictaux Fire Ettes

Grant Potter Memorial Park

Lower St. George St.
Annapolis Royal

Located in historic downtown Annapolis Royal, this waterfront park offers picnic tables, several play pieces including the locally designed, replica scallop dragger and natural play space features.

Harvest Moon Trailway

Former railway trail system throughout Annapolis County

Officially opened in 2017, this multi-use trail is 110 km in length and connects communities from Annapolis Royal to Grand Pré. The Trailway runs along the former rail corridor known as the Dominion Atlantic Railway and the new pathway will provide connections to towns, villages and communities in the Annapolis Valley. Many sections provide views of the Annapolis River and the North Mountain. Visit Fort Anne National Historic site in Annapolis Royal and walk or bike to Grand Pré National Historic Site and create memories of the two iconic historic sites and the Trailway itself.

Hebb's Landing Park & Boat Launch

Open year-round
Access to Annapolis River
7464 Hwy 1
Upper Granville
(902) 665-5010
dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Located on the banks of the Annapolis River, this beautiful location offers a boat launch and picnic tables.

Jake's Landing (Kejimkujik)

Whynott Adventure
The Keji Outfitters
1507 Main Parkway
Kejimkujik National Park & National Historic Site
Maitland Bridge
(902) 682-2282
info@whynotadventure.ca
whynotadventure.ca

Explore Kejimkujik's waterways by renting a canoe, stand-up paddle board or kayak for an hour, for the day, or for a week. Beginners & experts welcomed. Jake's Landing also rents bicycles so you can enjoy the many scenic bike trails that start right from this location.

Kejimkujik National Park & National Historic Site

3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
(902) 682-2772
pc.kejimkujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parksCanada.gc.ca/keji

Discover historic canoe routes, experience Mi'kmaw petroglyphs, and swim in the warm waters of Kejimkujik Lake. Don't forget about Kejimkujik Seaside. Turquoise waters, white sand, and seals basking on nearby rocks will captivate you.

Lake Pleasant Park & Boat Launch

808 Lake Pleasant Rd.
Springfield

Includes a boat launch for small motor boats, canoes and kayaks. It includes a parking lot, picnic areas and pathway viewing areas along the shoreline.

Lawrencetown Boat Launch

12 Lawrencetown Lane
Lawrencetown

In the heart of the Village, this area includes a small parking lot and picnic area; no washrooms on site.

Margaretsville Wharf

37 Haddock Alley
Margaretsville

Merrymakedge Beach (Kejimbukujik)

Kejimbukujik National Park
& National Historic Site
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
Open May-Oct, 10am-8pm
(902) 682-2772
pc.kejimbukujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

Enjoy Keji's warm dark waters and an unsupervised beach. Dog-friendly (dogs must be on leash and under control). No alcohol is allowed on the beach.

Mickey Hill Provincial Park

Graywood
novascotiaparks.ca
May-Oct (serviced)

Mickey Hill is a day-use park with a 1km loop trail and a swimming area. The Park features gravelled trails with boardwalks in rough areas and steep staircases through rocks. Trails are marked with nature interpretive signs. There is a picnic area on the river, an unsupervised beach on the lake and vault toilets. Crosscountry skiing is available in the winter months.

Old Mill Trail

213 Adam Dr.
South Farmington
(902) 665-5010
dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
AnnapolisCounty.ca

A trail with beautiful views of the Annapolis River and features benches, picnic tables and bridges. Wheelchair accessible; no motorized vehicles permitted

Nictaux Park and Playground

15 Old Runway Dr., Nictaux

The playground is open to the public. Follow the walking pathway to the play area.

Port-Royal National Historic Site

(The Habitation)
53 Historic Lane
Granville Rd.
Port Royal
(902) 532-2898
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
portroyal

A reconstruction of a small French compound begun in 1605. See write-up on pg. 53.

Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park

228 Granville St.
Bridgetown
(902) 665-4637

Located in Bridgetown on the Annapolis River. The Park features a pavilion area and gazebo, a play area, picnic areas, boat launch and a new floating dock for public use.

Raven Haven Beachside Family Park

2239 Virginia Rd.
West Springhill
Sandy Bottom Lake
Mid-June to Labour Day
(902) 532-7320
Oct-May / (902) 665-4637
ravenhaven@
annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Raven Haven offers free access to a beach (please inquire about seasonal schedule), canoes, kayaks and pedalboat rentals, and beach volleyball. Canteen, picnic area and camping available.

Riverside Park

80 Bridge St.
Middleton
(902) 825-4891, Ext. 3
recoffice@town.middleton.ns.ca

Features a walking trail, a boat launch and picnic area along the Annapolis River.

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Tide Times
waterlevels.gc.ca

Rotary Raceway Park

337 Marshall St.
Middleton
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
discovermiddleton.ca

Features a picnic area, children's playground, two tennis courts, two baseball diamonds, horseshoe pits, outdoor basketball and volleyball courts, soccer fields, a one-quarter mile track and a skatepark. The Pavilion provides a sheltered picnic area and washroom facilities. For field bookings or rental for groups or family reunions, please contact Middleton Recreation.

Scotney Pathway

101 Orchard Dr.
Nictaux
(902) 665-5010
dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

This pathway connects the two subdivisions in Nictaux and offers rest areas along the way. The pathway offers the opportunity to create walking loops in and around the community.

Shannon River Canoe Access Park

4081 Hwy 10
Albany Cross
(902) 665-5010
dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

Gateway water access to Shannon River and Lakes, McGill and Big Molly Upsim (picturesque picnic spot).

South Shore Annapolis Valley Recreational Trail

New Germany
Lunenburg
Cory Robar
(902) 547-2702

The trail begins in Middleton and travels south through to Springfield, then to Pinehurst, Lunenburg County. A multi-use trail for walking, cycling, skiing, equestrian, ATVs and snowmobiles.

Valleyview Provincial Park

960 Hampton Mountain Rd.
Hampton
(902) 665-2559
novascotiaparks.ca

Valleyview Provincial Park is among the best scenic places to visit. Enjoy a picnic lunch and take in the outstanding view of the Annapolis Valley.

Veterans Memorial Park

266 Spinnaker Dr.
Cornwallis Park

Willett Park

Margaretsville

Red cliffs tower over the Bay of Fundy, offering a scenic view of the water and a picnic area.

Young's Cove Coastal Access Park

6169 Shore Rd. West
Young's Cove
Access to the Bay of Fundy
(902) 665-5010
dryan@annapoliscounty.ca
www.annapoliscounty.ca

The park includes a small parking lot and pathway to a viewing area of the shore. The pathway is flat and easy to walk for people of all generations. In less than two minutes, you are viewing the shoreline and the Bay of Fundy. Sit and enjoy a picnic or go hiking along the shore and explore tidal pools along the rocky outcrops. This access gives users the opportunity for a 5 km, easterly hike along the Bay of Fundy's rocky coastline and return via Shore Road West. Take note of the Bay of Fundy tides.

Note: Many schools in Annapolis County also offer additional playgrounds, courts & fields not listed here. Additional recreation facilities and programs vary by community - contact your local municipal office for info.

► Additional community resources



Valley Connect.ca

Explore - Discover - Play

Valley Connect is an online database consisting of over 1900 records of things to do in the Annapolis Valley.

This includes recreation opportunities, sports and fitness programs, trails, clubs, activity programs, and facility information. The website is available for public use free of charge.

Annapolis Valley residents who run activity opportunities may submit their information to this database to have their opportunities listed.



MAPANNAPOLIS!

Mapping Our Stories / Discovering Ourselves

mapannapolis.ca

Go there - and discover layers of maps that are continually updated, thanks to dedicated community volunteers, students and people like you!

This community-driven mapping project allows you to explore Annapolis County, Nova Scotia, Canada the way we see it, and make your own discoveries. Take a self-guided driving loop, research your heritage, or take yourself on a virtual tour of the cultural, historic and recreational assets in our backyard.

Project made possible by the Age Advantage Association, the Centre of Geographic Sciences (COGS, Lawrencetown), Nova Scotia Communities, Culture and Heritage, AIRO (Annapolis Investments in Rural Opportunity), Town of Annapolis Royal, and the County of Annapolis.

► Facilities

The Academy Gymnasium
590 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 955-1205

The Academy Loft
Climbing Gym
590 St George St.
Annapolis Royal (902) 220-5700

Annapolis Community Pool
62 Champlain Dr.
Annapolis Royal *Outdoor Pool
(902) 532-1777

Annapolis Royal
Community Centre
66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-5196

Bridgetown Curling Club
333 Granville St., Bridgetown
(902) 665-4662

Bridgetown & District
Memorial Arena
30 Jeffery St., Bridgetown
(902) 665-2767

Bridgetown Centennial Pool
18 Freeman St.
Bridgetown *Outdoor Pool

Fundy YMCA
1043 Hwy 1
Cornwallis Park
(902) 638-YMCA (9622)
fundyymca.com

Lawrencetown Youth Arena
590 Hwy 1
Lawrencetown
(902) 584-3339
geomapix.com/lawrencetownns/
exhibitionyoutharena

Lawrencetown & District
Swimming Pool *Outdoor Pool
159 Trout Lake Rd.
Lawrencetown
(902) 584-7172

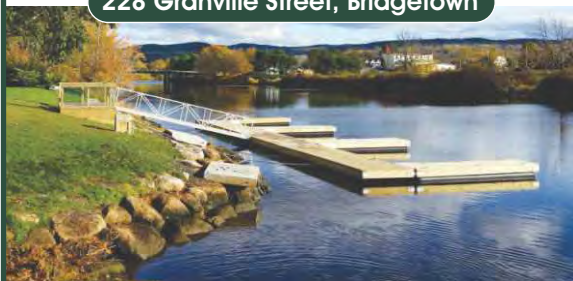
Middleton Curling Club
6 King St.
Middleton

Middleton & District Arena
18 Gates Ave.
Middleton
(902) 825-3583

Middleton Swimming Pool
29 Gates Ave.
Middleton *Outdoor Pool
(902) 825-6600

Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Park

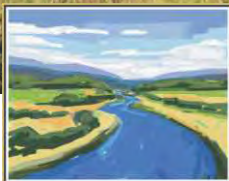
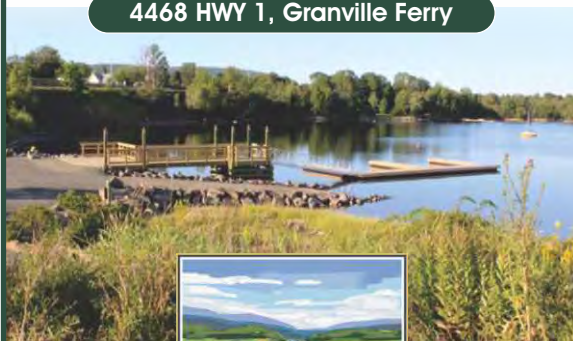
228 Granville Street, Bridgetown



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Annapolis River Causeway Park

4468 HWY 1, Granville Ferry



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► Publications

Bicycle Annapolis County

22 cycling routes are clearly mapped and placed in a brochure for your convenience.

Canoe Annapolis County Map and App

With over 220 lakes and waterways in the region, Annapolis County is a paddler's paradise. 27 canoe routes, ranging from day to overnight trips, are listed. The Canoe Annapolis County web app is now available on the County of Annapolis website. A brief description of routes with links to other resources is part of this new app. Tenting sites and portages, as well as entry & exit points, are displayed on this web-based map.

Outdoor Recreation Map

Now into a second edition, this map is part of the County of Annapolis' commitment to active living.

Public Access to Waterways Map

Join us for paddling, boating or fishing. This free brochure features public access to the Annapolis River and other County locations.

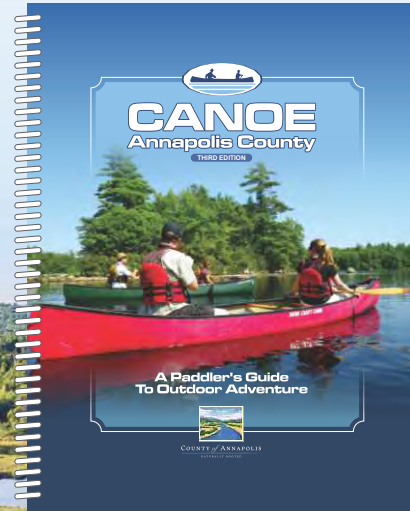
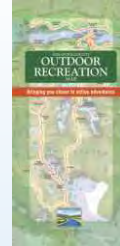
For more information about outdoor recreation in Annapolis County, please see Page 36 for details.

Kejimikujik National Park, Maitland Bridge

► Equipment Rental

The County of Annapolis offers a FREE loan out program of recreational equipment to make it easier for you to discover our great outdoors, such as PFDs, snowshoes and walking poles.

There are also canoes, kayaks and paddle boards to rent. Contact (902) 665-3022 to check availability.



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★ Open for the Season: June 10 - Sept 7! ★

Beachside Family Park

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Sandy Bottom Lake,
Annapolis County, NS

902-532-7320 • Off Season: 902 665-4637



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Culture & Heritage



Port-Royal National Historic Site

► **Annapolis County Attraction**

Port-Royal National Historic Site
53 Historic Lane, Granville Ferry, NS
(902) 532-2898
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/portroyal

Port-Royal Habitation is one of North America's oldest European settlements. From 1605 to 1613, French colonists, including Pierre Dequa, Sieur de Mons, and Samuel de Champlain, created and lived in this fortified compound, forging ties with the Mi'kmaq who welcomed them to their territory and who helped them survive.

Acadian / Mi'kmaq Heritage Tours

Lighthouse, St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Late June - Early-Sept
Tue & Fri / 2pm
(902) 532-3035 (rain or shine)
TourAnnapolisRoyal.com
acadian.html

Experience Acadian and Mi'kmaq history, music, dance and food recipes in the Birthplace of Acadie. Private and group tours also available.

Annapolis County Courthouse National Historic Site

377 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal

One of Canada's oldest operating courthouses and the site of one of our country's last hangings. Take a walk through the grounds and be sure to visit in May to see the magnolias in bloom.

Annapolis Heritage Society Research & Genealogy Centre

O'Dell House Museum
136 Lower St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7754
annapolisheritagesociety.com

With extensive hard copy and microfilm records for local surnames, the genealogy centre is an excellent resource for individuals looking to trace their family tree.

Annapolis Royal National Historic District Guided Tour

Lighthouse, St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Late June - Early-Sept
(902) 532-3035
TourAnnapolisRoyal.com
Check for dates & times

From the first European settlement in Canada to a walk along the shoreline of the battlefields to Victorian architecture, this special tour showcases life in historic Annapolis Royal, both past and present. Private and group tours are also available.

Annapolis Tidal Generating Station Interpretive Centre

236 Prince Albert Rd.
Annapolis Royal
June - Sept
(902) 532-0502
nspower.ca

Visitors learn about how this innovative generating station works. Visitor Information Centre on-site.

Annapolis Royal Historic Gardens & Acadian House

441 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
May - Oct
(902) 532-7018
historicgardens.com

Experience 17 acres of gardens showcasing the rich heritage of the area from a horticultural perspective. Visit the website for up-to-date bloom reports and events.

Annapolis Valley Exhibition Exhibition Grounds

570 Main St.
Lawrencetown
(902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca
annapolisvalleyexhibition.com

This facility holds an excellent exhibition, normally mid-August. Events include horse shows (light and draft), ox and horse pulls, dairy and beef shows, a midway and high performance Canadian musical entertainment. Calf penning competitions and light horse shows take place on weekends throughout the summer and are open to the public.

Annapolis Valley Exhibition Agricultural Museum

Exhibition Grounds
570 Main St.
Lawrencetown
June - Sept
Thurs-Sun / 10am-4pm
Mon-Wed / 10am-4pm
(by chance or appt.)
(902) 584-3339
valleyex@ns.sympatico.ca
annapolisvalleyexhibition.com

Come and see a wonderful display of antique agricultural artifacts and Exhibition memorabilia that show the rich history of our area. Bus tours welcome! Admission is free, goodwill offer

Macdonald Museum

21 School St.
Middleton
(902) 825-6116
macdonald.museum@ns.sympatico.ca
macdonaldmuseum.ca

Housed in the first consolidated school in Canada, built in 1903, the Museum contains permanent exhibits, such as the Nova Scotia Museum's antique clock and watch collection, as well as many temporary exhibits and art shows. It also hosts community events, such as Canada Day celebrations and a Christmas Craft Sale.

ARTSPPLACE

396 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7069
arcac@ns.aliantzinc.ca
arcac-artsplace.weebly.com

The Annapolis Region Community Arts Council (ARCAC) is a registered not-for-profit charitable organization dedicated to encouraging and promoting the arts. ARTSPPLACE runs a full schedule of arts activities and exhibitions year-round. It also houses an artist-run centre that showcases contemporary professional visual art. Opening receptions at ARTSPPLACE are usually held on the first Sunday of an exhibition and admission to events is free unless otherwise advertised.



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for maps of Pre/Post-Confederation houses, Acadian & Black Loyalist communities, galleries, cemeteries, historic points of interest and more!

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Annapolis Royal Lighthouse

Hampton Beach Lighthouse

Margaretsville Lighthouse

Port George Lighthouse

Shaffner Point Lighthouse
Port Royal

Victoria Beach Lighthouse

The Art Shack

37 Haddock Alley
(wharf side) Margaretsville
Sharon Hutton
(902) 765-2884
huttons@ucalgary.ca
Facebook.com/The Artists
Circle, Annapolis Valley
Check for dates & times

A gallery featuring original artwork by members of The Artists' Circle: a group of local artists working in a variety of mediums. Visitors to the gallery will find beautiful works of art for sale in a unique setting.

Bloody Creek

National Historic Site
Hwy 201 west of Bridgetown

In 1932, the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada erected a plaque to mark the national historic significance of two military encounters in the Bloody Creek area.

Bridgetown Historic Cyprus Walk

Starts at Queen Elizabeth II
Jubilee Park
228 Granville St.
Bridgetown
(902) 665-4637

Self-guided tour covers many interesting features of historic Bridgetown.

Candlelight Graveyard Tour

Meet at Fort Anne Parking
Lot 323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
No reservations / Rain or shine
TourAnnapolisRoyal.com/
graveyard.html
Check for dates & times

Explore one of Canada's oldest English graveyards by candlelight with heritage interpreter, Alan Melanson. Sponsored by The Historical Association of Annapolis Royal, this is one of Nova Scotia's most popular tours.

Evergreen Theatre

1941 Stronach Mountain Rd. E
Margaretsville. March - Dec
evergreentheatre.ca

Presenting professional performers from the local scene, Nova Scotia, the rest of Canada and the world.

Goat Island Church

2340 Hwy 1
Upper Clements
(902) 638-3175
Jamesranger38@yahoo.co

200 year old church building in original state. Ongoing restoration.

Fort Anne

National Historic Site

323 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-2397
pc.fortanne.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
fortanne

Fort Anne is Canada's oldest National Historic Site, established in 1917. It reveals the centuries old story of the struggle for empire between the British and the French. It is the most fought-over piece of land in the country, changing hands seven times between the British and the French. The 1702 earthworks are the earliest Canadian example of a Vauban-style Fort. Visit inside to see the magnificent Heritage Tapestry, the Nova Scotia Charter, and try on some period costumes to help learn about the lives of the soldiers and their families.

Hampton Lighthouse

65 Wharf Rd.
Hampton
(902) 665-2138
lousan@eastlink.ca
hamptonlighthouse.com
Check for dates & times

100-year-old lighthouse close to Hampton Beach. Take in the view from the recently restored lamp room and an exhibition of historical photographs of Hampton and surrounding area.

James House Museum
12 Queen St.
Bridgetown
(902) 665-4530
jameshousemuseum.com

Built by merchant Richard James in 1835, the house is the setting for society meetings and various activities, including Victorian Christmas celebrations. It serves as the depository and archive for many artifacts, documents and photographs. An important part of that is our military history preserved with James House in the Memorial Military Museum section, sponsored by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #33. A small Victorian garden is maintained behind the museum.

**Kejimkujik Visitor Centre
Kejimkujik National Park
& National Historic Site**
3005 Main Parkway
Maitland Bridge
(902) 682-2772
pc.kejimkujik.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/keji

Enjoy exhibits and a short introductory video in both official languages that showcases the Mi'kmaw culture and natural features of Kejimkujik. Plan your visit with our knowledgeable staff. Visit website for hours of operation.

King's Theatre
209 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Year-round
(902) 532-7704
gm@kingstheatre.ca
kingstheatre.ca

King's Theatre is committed to fostering a greater appreciation of the performing arts by presenting high quality, vibrant and eclectic programming celebrating our community's diverse interests. Presenting – music, dance, theatre/drama, school and community outreach, residency programs.

Lequille Gristmill
470 Dugway Rd.
Lequille


A replica of North America's first gristmill, built in 1607. The present structure houses a modern hydroelectric plant operated by Nova Scotia Power.

**Melanson Settlement
National Historic Site**
3870 Granville Rd.
Port Royal
6.5km from Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-2321
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
melanson

Working cooperatively with family and neighbours, these Acadian settlers built a network of dykes to hold back the seven metre tides, creating land for planting, pasturing and cutting salt hay. Melanson Settlement contains the archaeological remains of a pre-Deportation Acadian community (c.1664-1755). These archaeological resources reflect the family communities settled by Acadians and Acadians' unique dyke-land agriculture practiced along the Annapolis River (formerly Dauphin River).

**Historic Walking Tour
of Middleton**
Year-round
Town of Middleton
(902) 825-4841, Ext. 3
recoffice@town.middleton.
ns.ca
discovermiddleton.ca

Stroll through Middleton and enjoy fine century homes and historical venues. Anecdotal information on these properties will help you to explore Middleton's past.

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▶ Live Music / Jams

Brickton Community Hall
Wednesday, 7pm-10pm
12062 Hwy 1, Brickton
James Frank
(902) 584-3047 / (902) 825-7511
jfrank@ns.sympatico.ca

Friday Night Music
Fri, 8-10pm
Port Royal Legion Branch 21
66 Victoria St, Annapolis Royal

Fundy Community Hall
Friday (Year-Round) 7pm
5407 Shore Rd. West
Young's Cove
Barb Rafuse (902) 532-2579

Habitation New Horizons Club
Monday, May-Oct, 7:30pm
1771 Granville Rd., Port Wade
Ron Henshaw (902) 532-2450

Port George Regional
Recreation Centre
Monday, Year Round
7pm-10pm
12256 Shore Rd. East
Port George
Sherry Fritz (902) 765-3988

Wilmot Community Hall
Thursday, 7pm-9:30pm
13972 Hwy 1, Wilmot
Al Worthen (902) 765-4788



Live Music Jams - Everyone welcome!



Middleton Railway Museum

61 School St.
Middleton
May-end of September
Mon-Fri / 9am-5pm
Sat / 10am-2:30pm
Closed Sundays
(902) 825-6062
<http://www.middletonrailwaymuseum.org/>

Enjoy a free visit where you can see many unique railroad artifacts: model railways, railroad implements, antique station paraphernalia, historical books, manuscripts and pictures. The site has many outdoor features, such as a Trolley railway, a garden area with a scenic miniature railway (work in progress), a picnic area and ample parking. Donations welcome; museum is wheelchair accessible.

The Mohawks at Annapolis Royal

Lower St. George St.
Annapolis Royal

A plaque now stands at lower St. George Street representing the area where, in 1712, the headquarters of a Mohawk company used to be located. The company was brought from New York by Major Livingston as British allies to control the regional Mi'kmaq-French alliance.

Mount Hanley School House Museum

2130 Mount Hanley Rd.
Mount Hanley
Open weekends and holidays
from July 1-Sept 7.
Hours: 1pm-4pm
marilynajones1@gmail.com

Mount Hanley School House Museum was a one-room school house that operated from 1850 to 1963. The museum is full of interesting artifacts, not only school related, but of general interest as well. Everyone welcome

North Hills Museum

5065 Granville Rd.
Granville Ferry
(902) 532-2168
northhillsmuseum@gmail.com
annapolisheritagesociety.com

Located in a 1764 farmhouse on one of the most historic roads in Canada. North Hills Museum features Georgian decor assembled by the late antiques collector Robert Patterson. His collection of 18th century paintings, ceramics, glassware and furniture is one of the finest in Canada.

O'Dell House Museum

136 Lower St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
Year-round
(902) 532-7754
annapolisheritagesociety.com

Built by a former Nova Scotia Pony Express rider, the museum was originally operated as a stagecoach inn and tavern. The museum's collection is divided between a reproduction of a Victorian inn and tavern on the first floor and contemporary museum exhibits on the second. The O'Dell House Museum is also the headquarters of the Annapolis Heritage Society.

Old Holy Trinity Church

49 Main St., Hwy 1
Middleton

Built in 1789-1790, its white-painted clapboard construction with large rectangular windows, some with original glass, and the square tower with its slim, rounded spire, give the church an air of confident dignity. The first church service was held on August 14, 1791. It is the only unchanged, surviving Loyalist church in North America.



Old St. Edward's Loyalist Church Museum

34 Old Post Rd., Clementsport
Off Hwy 1 - signs posted in
Clementsport
Linda Isles, (902) 638-8081
wayne.linda@eastlink.ca

A Loyalist church in original condition with a fine collection of Loyalist artifacts and some historical records. Old cemetery on a high hill overlooks the Annapolis Basin; panoramic view from tower. Anniversary service held the third Sunday in August at 3pm.

Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre

275 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-2043
admin@annapolisroyal.com
annapolisroyal.com

The Oqwa'titek Amphitheatre is a truly picturesque location and provides seating for approximately 140 people. It hosts events such as: music, weddings, tai chi, and more.

Pony Express National Historic Site

Granville Rd.
Victoria Beach

Commemorative plaque recognizing Nova Scotia's role in the Pony Express and Associated Press.

Port-Royal National Historic Site (The Habitation)

53 Historic Lane, Granville Rd.
Port Royal
7.5km from Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-2898
pc.portroyal.pc@canada.ca
www.parkscanada.gc.ca/
portroyal

Port-Royal Habitation is one of North America's oldest European settlements. From 1605 to 1613, French colonists, including Pierre Dequa, Sieur de Mons, and Samuel de Champlain, created and lived in this fortified compound, forging ties with the Mi'kmaq who welcomed them to their territory and who helped them survive.

Sinclair Inn Museum

230 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-7754
annapolisheritagesociety.com

Designated a National Historic Site in 1995, the Sinclair Inn Museum is one of the oldest surviving

woodframed structures in Canada. With portions of the building dating to 1710 or earlier, this is the oldest Acadian-built house still standing. Make sure to visit the recently discovered 'Painted Room'. If you are lucky, you might even be able to meet the ghosts of the Sinclair Inn.

Tupperville School Museum

2663 Hwy 201
Tupperville
Mid-June to first week in Sept, Wed-Sun / 10am-5pm
Closed Mon and Tues, except for Canada Day and Annapolis Royal Natal Day
(902) 665-2427
alan_barkhouse@hotmail.com

A one-room country school house (pre 1875) with old pine desks, organ, teacher's desk and chair, school book collection, including Royal Readers and pre-1950 photographs and scrapbooks. Small collection of Mi'kmaq crafts by Louis Jeremy. Homemade ice cream for sale. Picnic area with three picnic tables, no potable (drinking) water, fully accessible washroom.



Your guide to services and
resources in Annapolis County
Community Info

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 21

► **Annapolis County Attraction**

Services and Resources
Annapolis County

Annapolis County's many community halls, fire halls, schools and libraries offer a wide selection of venues that host public and private events, and offer other important services to the public, assisted by many very dedicated volunteers.

Photo: Old Fashioned Christmas Craft Sale. See Page 38



Volunteers making Christmas Wreaths

► **Community Halls**

Brickton Community Hall

12062 Hwy 1
Brickton
(902) 824-2597

Centrelea Community Club

3495 Hwy 201
Centrelea
(902) 955-1325

Clarence Community Club

3337 Clarence Rd.
Clarence East

**Deep Brook Waldeck
Lions Club**

948 Hwy 1
Deep Brook
(902) 467-0431

**Felker Hall
Community Centre**

734 Broadway Ave.
Cornwallis Park
(902) 638-3164

**Forest Glade
Community Hall**

745 Forest Glade Rd.
Forest Glade
902-765-3206

Forrester's Hall

3434 Clementsvalle Rd.
Clementsvalle
(902) 467-1516

**Fundy Community
& Recreation Club**

5407 Shore Rd.
Young's Cove
(902) 532-5337

**Granville Centre
Community Hall**

5650 Hwy 1
Granville Centre
(902) 665-2397

**Granville Ferry
Community Hall**

5352 Granville Rd.
Granville Ferry
(902) 532-0263

**Habitation
New Horizons Club**

1771 Granville Rd.
Port Wade
(902) 532-2416

**Hampton Social &
Recreation Society**

8319 St Croix Cove Rd.
Hampton
(902) 665-2558

Inglisville Community Club

1407 Inglisville Rd.
Inglisville
(902) 584-3798

**Litchfield-Delaps Cove
Community Hall**

2792 Shore Rd. West
Litchfield
(902) 532-8798

Lower Granville Hall

3551 Granville Rd.
Port Royal
(902) 955-5196

**Maitland Bridge
Community Hall**

701 Hwy 8
Maitland Bridge
(902) 682-2192

**Margaretsville
Community Hall**

1 Seaman St.
Margaretsville
(902) 825-4067

**Melvorn Square & Area
Community Association**

165 Bridge St.
Melvorn Square
(902) 824-1112

**Middleton & District
Lions Club**

8921 Hwy 10
Nictaux Falls
(902) 825-6381

**Milford Area Community
Association**

5439 Hwy 8
Milford
(902) 532-5606

Moschelle Community Hall

718 Hwy 201
Moschelle
(902) 532-5268

**Mount Rose
Community Club**

1840 Arlington Rd.
Mount Rose
(902) 824-2264

Oakdene Centre

1913 Clementsvalle Rd.
Bear River
(902) 467-3101

Paradise Community Hall

10300 Hwy 1
Paradise
(902) 584-3511
(902) 825-9198



Community Halls - Serving up a feast!

Parkers Cove Fundy Thread & Thimble Club

4462 Shore Rd.
Parkers Cove
(902) 532-2718

Port George Regional Recreation Centre

12256 Shore Rd.
Port George
(902) 825-3858

Port Lorne Community Centre
(Fundy Hall)

557 Port Lorne Rd.
Port Lorne
(902) 824-4030

Round Hill Hall

1689 Hwy 201
Round Hill
(902) 526-2114

Three Rivers Community Association

41 Messenger Rd.
Torbrook Mines
(902) 765-3838

Tupperville Community Hall Association

2586 Hwy 201
Tupperville
(902) 665-4494

Upper Clements Community Hall

2951 Hwy 1
Upper Clements
(902) 526-2515

West Dalhousie Community Hall

4868 West Dalhousie Rd.
West Dalhousie
(902) 665-2355

West Paradise Community Hall

5154 Hwy 201
West Paradise
(902) 825-9247

Wilmot Community Group

13972 Hwy 1
Wilmot
(902) 765-4788

► **Fire Halls**

Annapolis Royal Fire Hall

5 St. Anthony St.
(902) 532-5833

Bear River Fire Hall

1277 River Rd.
(902) 467-3633

Bridgetown Fire Hall

31 Bay Rd.
(902) 665-4505

Lawrencetown Fire Hall

549 Main St.
(902) 584-3444

Margaretsville Fire Hall

2768 Hwy 362
(902) 825-3839

Middleton Fire Hall

49 Church St
(902) 825-3246

Nictaux & District Fire Hall

9349 Hwy 10
(902) 825-4343

Port Lorne Fire Hall

532 Port Lorne Rd.
(902) 584-3189

Springfield & District Fire Hall

986 Hwy 10
(902) 547-2888

► **Royal Canadian Legions**

Branch 21

66 Victoria St., Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-5196

Branch 22

1877 Clementsvalle Rd.
Bear River
(902) 467-3705

Branch 33

20 Jeffery St., Bridgetown
(902) 665-2820

Branch 122

2008 Hwy 1, Clementsport
(902) 638-3303

Branch 112

490 Main St., Lawrencetown
(902) 584-3027

Branch 001

205 Marshall St.
Middleton
(902) 825-4751

Remembrance Day ceremonies are held every November 11 at Royal Canadian Legions throughout Annapolis County. Contact your local Legion for details. All are welcome and are encouraged to take time to remember.

Delap's Cove Wilderness Trail

Celebrating 35 Years! - August 23rd, 1pm

The Trail meanders through 130 acres of canopied forests. Nature enthusiasts may enjoy the natural splendour of the area and breathe in the briny, salt air that surrounds the windswept coastline of the Bay of Fundy. As well as being a great place to hike, the trail provides opportunities for bird watching and photography.

The wilderness trail system officially opened in 1985. The trail encompasses three main ecosystems: (1) forest, (2) coastline, and (3) stream. Each ecosystem has its own unique flora and fauna. Interpretation sites are located along the trail to provide you with information about the natural habitat. Visitors can observe rock walls, foundations and lilac bushes on more remote areas of the trail. Names popular at this time include Pomp, Scank, Francis, Sims, Esser, Brothers and Morton.

Located at 2077 Shore Road West, Delaps Cove, Annapolis County Nova Scotia

See page 29 for event details.



► Hospitals

Annapolis Community Health Centre

821 St. George St.
Annapolis Royal
(902) 532-2381

Soldiers Memorial Hospital

462 Main St.
Middleton
(902) 825-3411

911 EMERGENCY
811 Telecare Health Service
511 Road Conditions
411 Directory Assistance
211 Community
& Social Services

► Bylaw / Animal Enforcement

396 Main St., Lawrencetown
(902) 584-3693



► Transit

Kings Transit Authority

A public transit service that operates services in Annapolis, Digby, and Kings Counties.
(902) 678-7310
Toll Free: 1 888 546-4442
info@kingstransit.ns.ca

Trans County Transportation Society

A not-for-profit service that provides door-to-door service.
(902) 665-1212 / tcts.ca

► Schools / Educational Facilities

Annapolis East Elementary School (AEES)

325 Marshall St. / Middleton / (902) 825-5330

Annapolis West Education Centre (AWEC)

100 Champlain Dr. / Annapolis Royal / (902) 532-3150

Bridgetown Regional Community School

25 Cromwell Court / Bridgetown / (902) 665-5400

Champlain Elementary School (CES)

109 North St. / Granville Ferry / (902) 532-3270

Clark Rutherford Memorial School (CRMS)

234 Spinnacker Dr. / Cornwallis / (902) 638-4800

Lawrencetown Education Centre (LEC)

10 Middle Rd. / Lawrencetown / (902) 584-4524

Lawrencetown Consolidated School (LCS)

10 Middle Rd. / Lawrencetown / (902) 584-4500

Middleton Regional High School (MRHS)

18 Gates Ave. / Middleton / (902) 825-5350

Nova Scotia Community College (NSCC)

Annapolis Valley Campus

295 Commercial St. / Middleton / (902) 825-3491

The Centre of Geographic Sciences (NSCC)

Annapolis Valley Campus

50 Elliott Rd. / Lawrencetown / (902) 584-2060

► Libraries

Annapolis Royal Branch - Annapolis Valley Regional Library

143 Ritchie St. / Annapolis Royal / (902) 532-2226

Annapolis Innovation Lab

143 Ritchie St. / Annapolis Royal / (902) 532-2226

Bridgetown & Area Library

38 Queen St. / Bridgetown / (902) 665-2758

Rosa M. Harvey Middleton & Area Library

45 Gates Ave. / Middleton / (902) 825-4835

Dr. Frank W. Morse Memorial Library

489 Main St. / Lawrencetown / (902) 584-3044

W.K. Morrison Special Map Collection (NSCC)

50 Elliott Rd. / Lawrencetown



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County of Annapolis
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New to the area or thinking about moving here?

Albert Dunphy, Director of Community Development
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► Visitor Information (Seasonal)

Annapolis Royal

236 Prince Albert Rd. / Annapolis Royal / (902) 532-5454

Bear River

1884 Clementsvalle Rd. / Bear River / (902) 467-3184

Bridgetown

232 Granville St. / Bridgetown / (902) 665-5150

Lawrencetown

570 Main St. / Lawrencetown / (902) 584-3339

Middleton

21 School St. (Macdonald Museum) / Middleton / (902) 825-4100

Bear River

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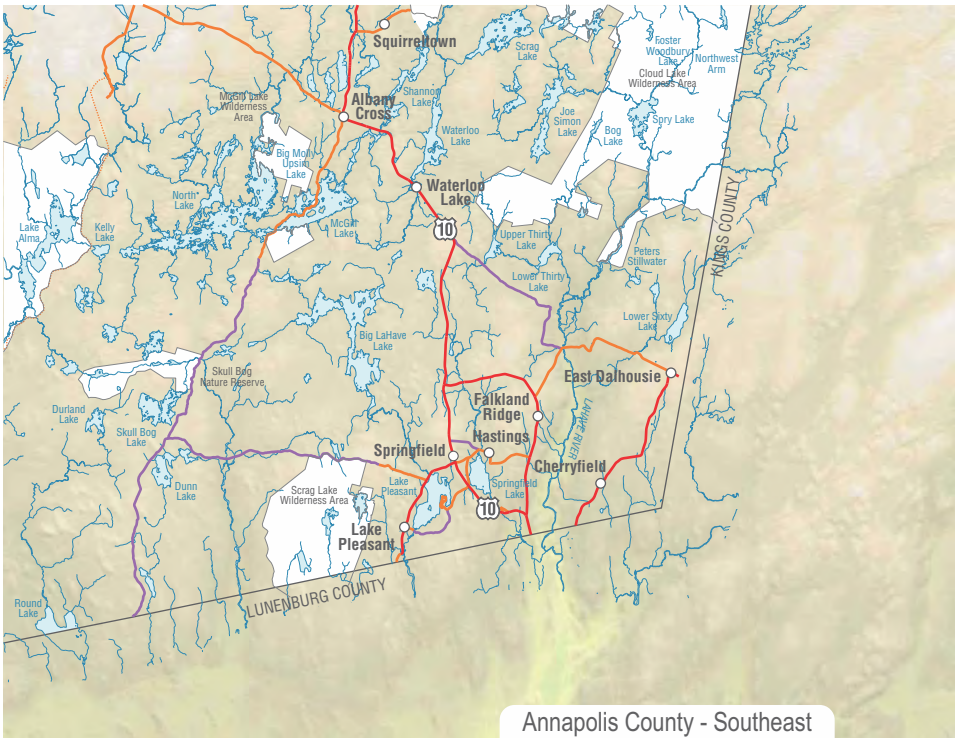
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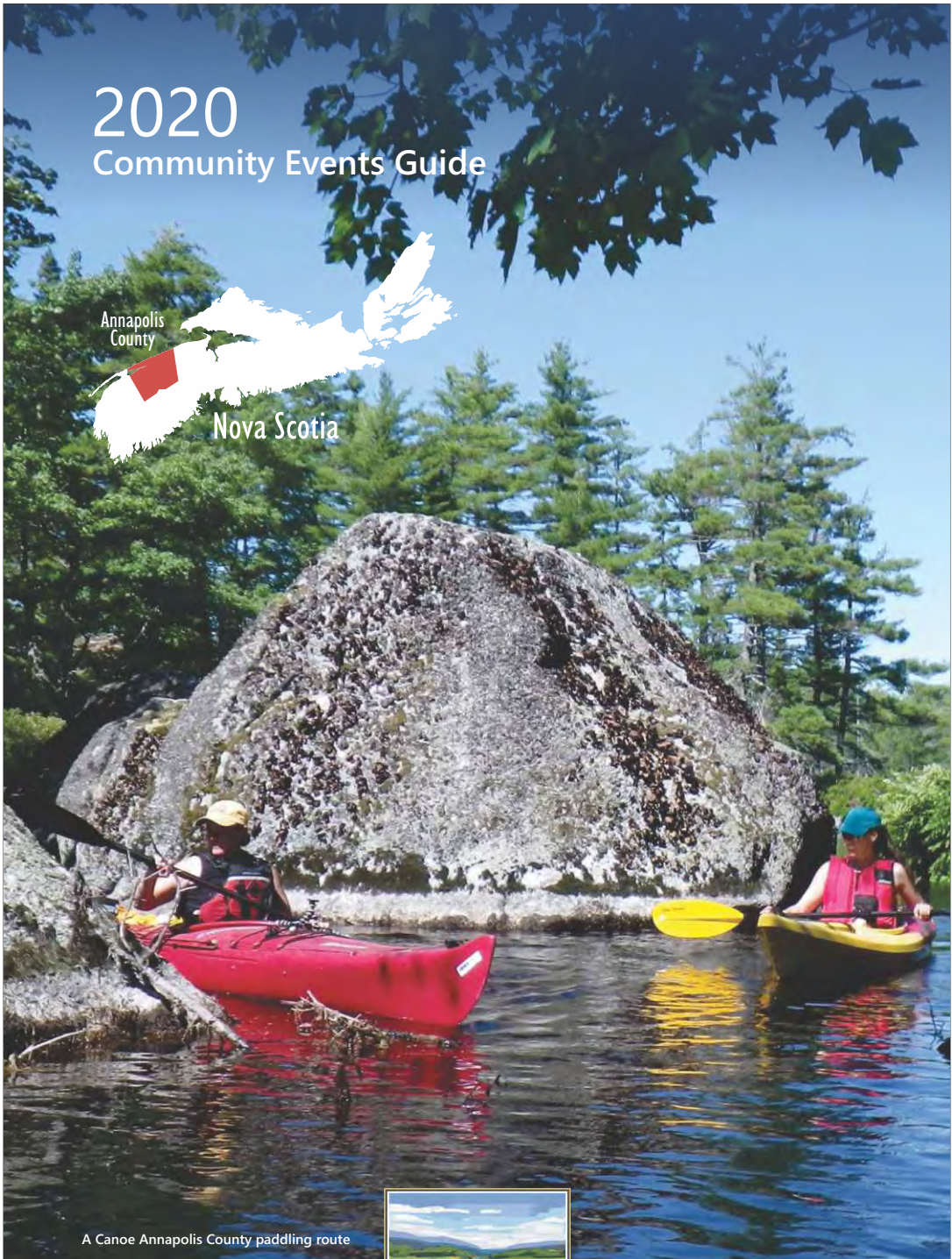
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A Canoe Annapolis County paddling route



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