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Dick Hodgson presents a check from the Rotary Club "Toonie" program to the Spryfield Urban Farm. The funds will be used in the Come Grow With Us family programs for children and youth. Left to right: Dick Hodgson, Rotary Club of Halifax Northwest, Patricia MacLean, President & Elizabeth Eve, Treasurer of the Urban Farm

This Fall at St. Paul's United Church

by Carolyn Mont

As usual, September has been a busy month for everyone. Summer events seem to continue but as we head into fall, the next season crowds our calendars. This is certainly true in churches as well as in individual lives.

At St. Paul's United Church, our Family Resources Institute (FRI) is settling down after a very busy summer. Our day camp, Camp Paul, has had a successful season, with Camp Counsellors taking the children on a wide variety of excursions such as swimming at Kidston's Lake, visits to Citadel Hill National Historic Site, various museums, the Captain William Spry Library, swimming at the Wave Pool and activities at the Oval. You may have seen them walking to some of these places as the Counsellors were wearing bright yellow tee shirts so the children could easily see them on their outings.

The Community Garden was a busy spot this season, with gardeners working their plots throughout the days and evenings. This year, they were joined for several weeks by students from the Dalhousie School of Architecture who were there to work on a project for their course. They designed and constructed a composting toilet, new deck, pergola and a vegetable washing station. At the beginning of the Spryfield Harvest Festival, the chef from Sobey's prepared a delicious harvest stew for over 100 guests and served it on our new deck. Dessert of apple crisp was made by

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the board of FRI.

Tuesday, September 12 was the first day of the Soup's On program for the season. This is a free lunch of soup, sandwiches, tea and coffee that we offer every Tuesday at noon. This is open to anyone in the community who wishes to meet friends or make new ones.

The UCW (United Church Women) meet on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm. They enjoy a time of fellowship and are actively engaged in preparing crafts and baked goods for an annual sale at Scotia Square and in organizing Christmas wreaths to be sold at the church in November.

On Sunday, September 17, the St. Paul's Sunday School hosted a

pancake breakfast before church to welcome returning children and new students to our Sunday School. Although the breakfast was before church, Sunday School is held during the church service, at 11:00 Sunday mornings. New students are welcome.

Music is a big part of St. Paul's United Church. On Monday evening, at 7:30, the choir practices under the direction of organist Skippy Mardon. On Wednesday evening, at 6:45, the Bell Choir practices under the guidance of June Bates. Thursdays at 7:00 the Worship Band meets. This is a group of people who just like to play music and several times a year they provide music for Sunday worship. Something new for our music team is a Drumming Circle which will meet on the fourth Tuesday of each month, at 7:00. Please feel welcome to come and experience both the creation of

group rhythms and a sense of community. Drum circles can be a powerful yet intimate way to reconnect with one another amid the chaos and clutter of our lives. If you don't have a drum, we have a few shakers on hand. No experience is necessary for any of these and all are welcome.

At 7:00 on Sunday evenings in October, a study group, open to the community at large, will look at Praying the News. This will be led by Rev. Anne Hoganson. This is non-denominational and should be very interesting. Each session offers an opening with scripture, a check-in, an audio recording, discussion questions and a group spiritual practice. Come to one or all four sessions. No registration is required.

Of course, our reason for being is worship so please feel welcome to join us any Sunday at 11:00am for our regular service. We are at 173 Old Sambro Rd.

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Federal Minister Karina Gould visits IIsley to talk about cyber-bullying and participate in Pink Day activities



Left to right: MLA Brendan Maguire, Federal Minister of Democratic Institutions Karina Gould and MP Andy Fillmore address an assembly at IIsley

by Ciara Harris

On Thursday, September 14th, IIsley was visited by the Federal Minister of Democratic Institutions, Karina Gould. She was joined by our local Member of Parliament, Andy Fillmore, and our MLA, Brendan Maguire. Minister Gould is travelling the country meeting with young people to discuss digital citizenship, and political engagement. Forty IIsley students attended her presentation, most of whom were wearing pink t-shirts to show support for the anti-bullying movement. Gould's work with cyber-security allowed her to touch on the issues surrounding cyber-bullying, which was fitting for the occasion. She then spoke at length about citizens' rights, but also their responsibilities. She specifically discussed the fact that, as Canadians, we have both the right and the responsibility to vote, and en-

couraged young people to become more active in the democratic process. "We don't really talk a lot about democracy in Canada. We take it as a given." She goes on to say: "But if we're going to maintain the strong democracy that we have in Canada, we need to invest time and effort in talking about what makes it important, what makes it special, and what our contributions will be." Gould was at ease working with young people, and took many questions from the students in the audience. Because she is the youngest woman ever to be elected to the Canadian Parliament, it is no surprise that she has a strong connection to our youth.

The politicians concluded their time at IIsley by participating in a number of Pink Day activities. Staff and students alike were honoured to participate in this political discussion.



Both staff and students attended the discussion

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DISCOVERING OUR PAST

Banners to be installed to honour those killed in two World Wars

by Iris V. Shea

The Mainland South Heritage Society has taken on a project that will honour 24 local veterans who died while serving their country in World War I and World War II. These colourful banners will be installed on poles along the Herring Cove Road and will be in place from the last week of October 2017 until the first week of December 2017. The plan is to have the banners installed at the same time each year.

In the November 2016 article in this newspaper, I included information on six veterans of the First World War, all from Sambro, who were killed in action. Their names are inscribed on a plaque in that community. The name of each of these men, Philip Findlay, Joseph Tough, Harold W.A. Smith, Clyde B. Deville, Lester B. Young and Everett Marryatt, will appear on individual banners. Joseph Tough's surname was spelled Tooke in his military records and that is how his name will appear on the banner. Two other veterans from that war, Cyril Oakley of Spryfield who died June 22, 1918, and Walter Billman from Armdale who died November 5, 1916, will also have individual banners.

During the Second World War, 16 of our local men, ranging in age from 18 to 38 years, the majority in their early twenties, were killed in action or died while in the service of their country. Each will be honoured with a banner.

Jack Forward from Jollimore served as a gunnery instructor in England for four years before transferring to the Regina Rifles Regiment where he was a platoon sergeant. He died March 30, 1945 from injuries following a battle along the Rhine. Jack Forward was buried in the Groesbeek Canadian War Cemetery in the Netherlands, close to the German frontier. The inscription on his gravestone reads "Our darling son and brother who lost his life trying to save his comrade".

Evatt Merchant, also from Jollimore, was a captain with a British Regiment, the Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders. He died November 18, 1944 and was buried in Mierlo War Cemetery.

Daniel Serrick from Jollimore joined the Manchester Regiment in



Staff Sergeant Daniel Serrick of Jollimore, killed in action May 29, 1944 at the age of 23 years. Courtesy Mainland South Heritage Society

1938, before war broke out. In 1942 he became part of the 1st Canadian Special Service Force, training Canadian and American paratroopers. He was killed in action in Italy on May 29, 1944 and was buried in Beach Head War Cemetery, Anzio, Italy. He was awarded the Silver Star, posthumously, by the United States Government.

David Romans of Melville Cove became the first Nova Scotian in the war to receive the Distinguished Flying Cross. As a navigator and bomb aimer, his plane was shot down on September 8, 1941 off the coast of Norway. He was buried in Norway, in the Bygland churchyard. Romans Avenue in Halifax was named in his honour.

Joseph "Leo" Lanigan of Armdale, a gunner in the Canadian Army, was lost at sea December 13, 1941. A park and a street, both in Kline Heights, Armdale, bear his name.

Patrick Terrance "Terry" O'Leary from Armdale, a flight lieutenant in the Canadian Air Force, died February 27, 1943. There is no known burial site but his name is inscribed on Runnymede Memorial, Surrey, England.

Edward Drillio, also of Armdale, was a private in the West Nova Regi-

ment. He died May 23, 1944 and was buried in Cassino War Cemetery, Italy. In September 2004, Halifax Regional Municipality placed a plaque in his memory in the park adjacent to Springvale Elementary School.

John Frederick Duggan of Spryfield was a sergeant in the Royal Canadian Air Force. He died October 4, 1941 and was buried in Gloucestershire, England.

Edward Charles Kidston of Spryfield was a member of the Royal Canadian Army Artillery, 2 Ante-Tank Regiment. He died July 25, 1944 and was buried in Bretteville-Sur-Laize War Cemetery in France.

Gordon MacDougall of Spryfield, a shipwright with the Royal Canadian Navy, was lost at sea 22 Oct. 1940 aboard HMCS Margaree when the ship hit a freighter in the North Atlantic.

Robert Yeadon of Spryfield was a Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer aboard HMCS Athabaskan when it was torpedoed in the English Channel April 29, 1944. He was buried in Isle-De-Batz Cemetery, France.

James McPhee, from Sambro, a boatswain in the Canadian Merchant Navy, was lost at sea aboard SS Western Head, Nassau, May 28, 1942.

Private Gordon Mercer was from Sambro. He was a member of the Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry Highlanders. He died November 1, 1944 and was buried in Adegm Canadian Cemetery in Belgium.

Leonard Guy Thomas of Herring Cove was serving with the Royal Canadian Engineers when he died August 7, 1943. He was buried in Surrey, England.

Dougald Robert Gargan of Ferguson's Cove was a gunner in the Royal Canadian Army Artillery. He died November 2, 1939 and was buried in Ferguson's Cove Roman Catholic Cemetery.

John 'Jack' Claydon Goodman was from Ferguson's Cove. He was captured in Singapore February 15, 1942 while serving as a gunner with the 9th Coast Regiment RA. Jack died of cholera July 3, 1943 while a prisoner of war at Tonchan South Camp (Thailand-Burma Railway). He was buried in Kanchanaburi War Cemetery, Thailand.

The above 16 men who lost their lives in the Second World War, ranged in age from 18 to 38 years (the majority were in their twenties). They deserve to be honoured.

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To the Editor

Chebucto Family Centre wishes to thank Governor's Brook, Rotary Club of Halifax Northwest, O'Regan's and community members for their support in purchasing a new fence. We truly appreciate the support of our wonderful community.

If you have a comment, send it to the editor via email: chebuctoeditor@gmail.com. We welcome your feedback! This is your community voice!

The late Lt. General Edwin Reyno AAFC, CD honoured in Herring Cove

by Wayne Shellnutt

This Plaque was erected in Herring Cove by the Mainland South Heritage Society in 2017 on the 100th anniversary year of the birth of Edwin Reyno, to recognize his outstanding military service provided in war and peace. Edwin grew up on Shore Road in Herring Cove. He obtained a BA degree from St. Mary's University in 1936, joined the RCAF in early 1938 and soon commenced training as a pilot. He went overseas with the No 1 Squadron (Fighter) RCAF in June 1940 as a Flight Lieutenant, one of a small number of RCAF



From left to right: Bud Bernsten, Wayne Shellnutt, Sandy Sandford, Earl McFarland and John Browser attended a ceremony to unveil a plaque in honour of the late Lt. General Edwin Reyno on September 12th 2017 in Herring Cove. Everyone except Wayne is a member of the 111 MicMac Wing RCAF

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members who fought in the Battle of Britain. He returned to Canada in 1941 to train aircrew through Canada under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan. For his outstanding work as a trainer he was awarded the Air Force Cross. In the post war years Edwin was awarded an Honorary Doctorate from his Alma Mater in 1965 and in 1966 was made an Air Marshall. With the unification of the three armed services in 1968 his rank was retitled Lieutenant General. He held various senior appointments including Chief of Air Staff 4th Allied Tactical Air Force Europe; Chief of Personal; Vice-Chief of the Defence Staff and lastly Deputy Commander of the North American Air Defense Command(NORAD)1969-1972) He retired from the CF in 1972 and worked for LTV Aerospace in Dallas for five years retiring as Vice President International. He then worked for a number of years as a graduate lecturer at the University of Texas. He died in Dallas, Texas in 1982 and is buried in St Paul's Cemetery, Herring Cove.

Sambro Ketch Harbour to host Christmas Coffee House and Craft Sale

by Lorrie Boylen
Writer, Administrative Professional and CBC Radio's Community Contact for Sambro

Start your holiday season off right at the Christmas Coffee House and Craft Sale hosted by Sambro Ketch Harbour Elementary School on Saturday, November 4th from 12 to 3 p.m. Your admission includes access to the crafters, delectable desserts, tea, coffee, hot chocolate or juice, along with some festive music to entertain you. \$7 for adults, \$4 for children ages 5-12, and children under 5 are free. Those wishing to browse the craft tables only will pay just \$2.

The school hosted a similar event many years ago and is excited to offer it once again. Small schools like Sambro, which has 104 students enrolled this year, receive limited government monies. Each year the cost of supplies goes up, the students' needs grow and the available funds shrink, so these extra funds go a long way towards optimizing children's educational experience as they start out on their lifelong path of learning. Funds raised

throughout the year help pay for classroom supplies, teachers' startup costs, student agendas, gym equipment, music supplies, Chromebooks, playground balls and toys, field trips, a school-wide Thanksgiving feast, Grade 6 graduation gifts, teachers' parting gifts, and many other things.

The PTA is a dedicated group of volunteer parents, community members and school staff who are committed to ensuring that the school and the children have everything they need. Each year their fundraising efforts raise over \$10,000 through various events which, this year, include holiday wreath sales, bingo, and the ever popular spring fair in June.

The PTA would love to connect with more crafters, who can rent a table for \$10 to sell their wares, and they are also seeking performers willing to lend their talents to the live musical portion of the event. Please contact the school at 902-868-2717.

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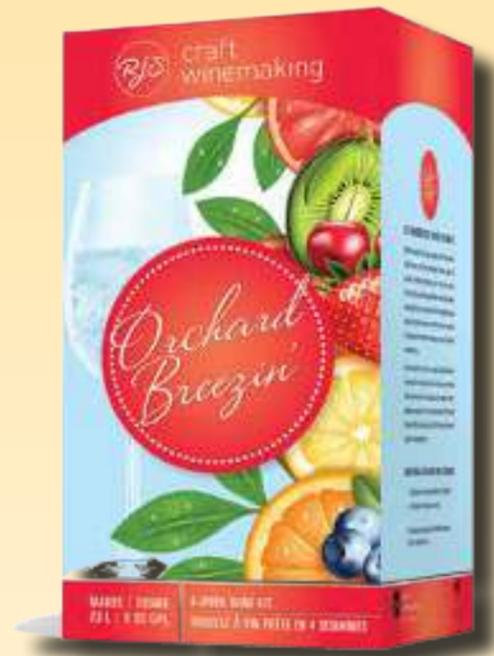
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Ruth E. Cassidy

87, of Spryfield, passed away peacefully on August 8, 2017. Born in Barryville, N.B. Ruth was a daughter of the late Merle Hachey and Mary Grace (Ross) Hachey.

Ruth was employed with the George Eddy Company Ltd. for several years in Bathurst, N.B., married Bernie Cassidy and moved to Halifax. She was a lifetime member of the Catholic Women's League and enjoyed volunteering with Hope Cottage, Hand and Hand, Camp Hill Hospital (Vets), and the Catechetical Program at St. Michael's Parish in Halifax for many years.

Ruth is survived by her husband of 62 years, Bernie; sons, David (Janet), Burlington, Ont; Brian (Marnie), Ripley, Ont; Blair (Penny), Halifax; grandchildren: Sheila, Julie, Sarah, Lauren, Hannah, Emily, and Courtney; sister, Eleanor Olscamp (John), Moncton, N.B. She was predeceased by her stepfather, Jack McGraw; brothers, Hanford, Ross, and George Hachey.

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to all for the outpouring of love, support, and prayers. Thanks to Dr. Kailee Sutherland and Staff from the Spryfield Medical Centre for their kindness and to David Landry and Nurse Algee from the QEII Renal

Clinic Division of Nephrology for their valued information and kindness during our visits.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Michael's Church or a charity of one's choice.

Kevin F. Rafuse

age 48, passed away peacefully on August 14, 2017, surrounded by family and friends. Born in Halifax on February 5, 1969, he was a son of the late Garnet and Peggy (Bowers) Rafuse.

Kevin loved being outdoors, fishing, gardening, going to his brother's camp having huge bonfires, and music. He was self taught on his guitars. He was a handy man and a problem solver. He worked as a scaffolder for many years. Kevin was an amazing husband, father and friend. He will be missed by many.

Kevin will lovingly be remembered by his wife, Lisa; sons, Jeremy (Jade) and Devin Rafuse; daughter, Alexa Fleming-Rafuse (Connor); step grandchild, Bella; brother, Tony Rafuse; sister, Cindy Priske (Jeff) and Theresa Rafuse; mother in law, Donna Fleming; brothers in law, Kenny, Kevin, Benny and Chris Fleming; sisters in law, Anne Fleming, Tanya Eddy; nephews, Adam (Sarah), Cody, Tyler, Logan, Darren and Lucien; nieces, Ashten (Kevin), Samantha, Melissa, Sarah and Dakota; great neices and nephew, Aria, Brooklyn and Kayden; lifelong friends, Ricky Tanner and Brent Collins. He was predeceased by his sister, Chris Rafuse; nephew, Anthony Rafuse; father in law, Ben Fleming.

Arrangements are under the care of J. Albert Walker Funeral Home (2005) Ltd., where visitation will be held on Thursday, August 17 from 2-4 & 6-8 p.m. A Service of Remembrance will be held on Friday, August 18 at 11 a.m. in the funeral home chapel. Interment to follow in Pleasant Hill Cemetery. A reception will be held following the burial at the Purcell's Cove Club.

Helen May McKenzie (Tidgwell)

Age 94, Spryfield, passed away Wednesday August 30, 2017 at Arborstone Enhanced Care. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late Pearl (Orton) Tidgwell.

Helen was an avid artist and painter, loved sewing, crafts, music and dancing. She was a soft spoken lovable grandmother. She is survived by her children, Kathy Drysdale, Herring Cove; Richard, Halifax; Ronald (Mary); Susan (Pasquale), both of Hamilton Ont.; sister Bernadine Dempsey (Cyril), Herring Cove; grandchildren, Donna, Kelly, Heather, Sandy, Rob, John, Rhonda, Kim, Jodi, Joanne and John; local great grandchildren, Mya Gray, David Gray, Quentin Nugent and numerous great grandchildren afar and numerous great great grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Ronald,

daughter, Annette Hawkins, brother, Harold Tidgwell, sisters, Shirley Cleveland, Pearl Ellis and granddaughter Keary Gray.

Memorial donations may be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Nova Scotia.

Kathy and Donna would like to personally thank the staff of Arborstone for their exceptional care shown to Helen.

Lorraine Lucille Pettipas

Age 70, Mahone Bay, formerly of Spryfield, passed away Thursday August 31, 2017 at Mahone Bay Nursing Home. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late Gordon and Betty (Blackett) Pettipas.

Lorraine was raised in Spryfield most of her life until her placement in Mahone Nursing Home. She enjoyed reading, bingo, coloring, attending church and hymn sings. She had a fantastic memory for names, dates and other information. Lorraine was a kind soul, confident, complimentary to everyone and a great sense of humor. She loved her jewelry and being glamorous.

Kathleen Pearl "Kathy" Gough (Lovelace)

59, of Harrietsfield, died surrounded by her family on September 1, 2017, after a courageous battle with cancer. Kathy was predeceased by her mother, Shirley Lovelace, and her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Robert and Sally Gough.

She will be remembered fondly by her long-time co-workers at The Halifax Watch Company and Joseph Howe Elementary School (and formerly St. Patrick's Alexandra School). Kathy is survived by her husband of 40 years, David Gough, Harrietsfield; her loving sons, Robert (Vanessa Downey) and Christopher (Alicia Hogue), Halifax; her father, George McWalters, Oshawa, Ont.; and her aunt, Doris Rafuse, Halifax. She will be greatly missed by her four beloved grandchildren, Gracie, David, Brooklyn, and Carter; her siblings; and two generations of nieces and nephews who loved her very much.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made in Kathy's memory to the Joseph Howe Elementary School Breakfast Program, which was near and dear to her heart—jhowe@hrsbc.ca or (902) 421-6785.

We would like to thank all the wonderful health care professionals that supported both Kathy and our family during her illness.

John William Flemming

Age 64, Spryfield, passed away Saturday September 9, 2017, at home. Born in Halifax, he is a son of Mary (Rhynold), Halifax and the late Earle Flemming.

John was such a selfless sweet soul who would do anything for anybody. He worked hard all of his life until he got sick in 2011 and since then had been dedicated to his family, spending as much time as he could with them! He took on myself and my brother as his own! And one thing he has taught me is how to love something that is not

your own, he will be missed deeply. He is survived by his wife, Barbara Marcotte; children, Jonathan (Debbie) and Candace (Troy) Rafuse; brothers, James (Barbara), Edward (Janet) and Michael; sister, Elizabeth Cann, all of Halifax; eight grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by a brother Douglas.

Katherine C. Higgins

Age 79 of Harrietsfield, passed from this world into Glory on Monday, September 18, 2017. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late W. Gerald and Clara (Moreau) Brown.

Katherine was an avid and skilled wood carver and folk artist. She enjoyed gardening, collecting antiques and dabbled in poetry.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Terry; daughter, Corinne Higgins-Snair (Philip), Halifax; sons, Blair (Linda) Harrietsfield, and Scott (Elisa), Upper La Have; grandchildren, Ray Higgins and Olivia Snair; brothers, Gerald, Gary, Rodney and Kevin; sisters, Doreen and Donna; several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by sisters, Helen (in infancy), Maureen and Clara; brothers, Ronald, Daniel, Donald and Michael.

Robert, Daniel Maddeaux

69, Spryfield, passed away at home on Sunday, September 17, 2017. Born in Fredericton, NB, he was the son of Robert Villers and Geraldine Maddeaux. He is survived by his children Danielle Power, Stephen Power, Debi-Lee Power, and Vanessa Cook, grandsons Hayden and Khale, as well as two brothers, Kevin and Phillip. He was predeceased by his father, Robert Villers, his mother, Geraldine Maddeaux, his adoptive father, Nelson Maddeaux, and his wife, Ruth Power.

Linda Joyce Rolls (Blois)

Age 60, Halifax, passed away Saturday September 16, 2017, at home. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of Annie (Spencer), Halifax and the late Arthur Blois.

Linda had attended school in Spryfield. She had worked in health care all of her life. Linda is survived by her loving husband of 39 years, Randy R. Rolls; sister, Margaret Bobbit (Ward), sister-in-law Francis Blois; second mother, Rosaline Rolls brothers and sisters in laws in the Rolls family; nieces, Pam, Claudia, Jill, Sheila, Nadine and Chrystal; great nieces, Allissa, Jennifer, Emma and Abby and great nephew Joseph. She was predeceased by brother, Arthur and father-in-law Stuart Rolls.

Donations in memory may be made to an animal shelter of one's choice.

Susan Mary Murphy (McNeil)

Age 78, Herring Cove, passed away peacefully on Sunday September 17, 2017, surrounded by family, at Maplestone Enhanced Care. Born in Halifax, she was a daughter of the late William and Evelyn (Bowers) McNeil.

Susan is survived by her loving husband, Raymond; children, Paula Doncaster (Ken), Huntsville, Ont.;

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“Souper Bowl-Fowl”



by Carol MacDonnell

When I wrote my first dinner theatre play little did I think that twelve years later I would still be doing the same. The first time wasn't easy; however, I realized the 11th time was even harder.

One of my favourite things is watching cooking shows on TV and some of the best shows right now take place in a kitchen. There have also been a number of great movies over the past years such as “Julie & Julia” about the famous Julia Child.

The competition to be the top chef in Canada and around the world is intense and shows like Gordon Ramsay's “Hell's Kitchen” and “Kitchen Nightmares” sound a bit “cut throat” as well. We also have the added mix of timed challenge cooking competition reality shows like Chopped and Cupcake Wars which put cooks in the kitchen but under extreme pressure to

produce great food or go home.

Another of my favourite things is reading books, especially mystery novels; keeping in mind that most mysteries include a “dead body” the concern was the appropriateness of a “church” staging this kind of drama. I decided to give up the idea and take a break however wherever I went in Spryfield I would invariably meet one of our loyal patrons who would immediately tell me how they are so looking forward to October and then asking me what the new play was about.

So I sat down at my computer to

try and come up with a theme for a new play and I remembered our parish had a soup competition a few years ago called the “Souper Bowl”. The various groups and committees made a pot of soup and the patrons had a taste of each and voted on the one they felt was the tastiest. We even had a trophy for the winning entry and our “Mothers' Union Group” won first prize.

I asked myself the question, “Was it possible to combine a cooking competition with a “murder” mystery and include music?” The answer is our 2017 presentation “Souper Bowl-Fowl”.

The Emmanuel Players are, as usual, committing some beautiful

summer evenings to rehearsals in our hall. It is lots of hard work however lots of fun and laughs as well and over the years we have become a “family” as well as cast members.

They say “it takes a village to raise a child.” We have learned over the past eleven years it takes a faithful parish to produce a dinner theatre and it takes a village of devoted residents that attend to make it all a success! Thank you all!

Performances: Fri. Oct. 20 & 27, Sat. Oct. 21 & 28, Sun. Oct. 29. For tickets (\$30.) contact Alecta 902 477-7870.

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Heather, Pictou; Dawn and Scott (Shelley); Dawn, both of Hatchet Lake; grandchildren, Benjamin, Logan, Molly and Anna. She was predeceased by brothers, Bill and Ron McNeil. Family and friends meant the world to Susan and her obvious love of life touched everyone who met her.

Donations in memory of may be made to the Alzhiemers Society of Nova Scotia or charity of one's choice.

The family would like to thank the staff of Maplestone for their care given to Susan during her end of life.

Deborah Davis

Age 63, Herring Cove, passed away with her husband and children by her side July 7, 2017. She is a daughter of Noreen (Hanrahan) and the late John Newman. Debbie left a career with the bank when her children were born, though later returned when they were older and had finished school. She was a dedicated wife, mother and proud homemaker during her children's youth and dedicated to their school and community. She was truly happiest when surrounded by her husband, children, grandchildren, family and friends. She is survived by her loving husband of 42 years, Darrell; daugh-

ter, Lisa; son, Edward (Michelle) and two beautiful grandchildren Lana and Samuel; brothers, David (Cathy), Richard (Evelyn), Kevin (Debbie) and Allen; sisters, Susan, Diane (Mike), Brenda (Frank), Trudy, many nieces, nephews and their children. While our hearts ache for our mom to physically be with us and walk with us through life we reach deep to draw some comfort knowing she is indeed with us in everything we do and will never stop watching over us. We love you mom and will forever cherish each and every memory, memories we will speak of everyday with your grandchildren. A special thanks to the palliative care nursing staff and doctors of 7A, VG Site for their compassionate care and support.

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Homemade: Spotlight on Crafters of the Spryfield Community Market



So Glass

Local crafters play such an important role with farmer's markets across Nova Scotia. While the Spryfield & District Community Market runs with 75% food tables during peak production, the crafters provide income during the shoulder season. This allows us to keep the farmer's table fees low while we eagerly await the bountiful fruit and veggies that come during the summer months.

The Spryfield Farmers Market features both regular and seasonal crafters. We are so proud of the variety and creativity behind the products produced by these local artisans. Here's just a few of our craft vendors that you should get to know...

SO Glass – Suzanne & Oren Gould

This talented duo create a variety of handmade gifts ranging from stained and fused glass, felted artwork (complete with handmade barn board frames) and finely crafted boxes, pens and more made with beautiful hardwood. Their work is a great example of when creativity meets resourcefulness – finding ways to make beautiful objects with whatever source material they are able to get their hands on. The process of making fused glass products requires a unique combination of time, patience, skill and creativity. The balance between colour and design choice with proper execution is evident in the end result. Crafters for over 20 years, participating in markets is both an outlet for selling their multiple types handcrafted gifts to the public as well as an opportunity to interact with, and get to know, members of the community.

7th Chakra Designs – Patti Clark

With a background in nursing and mental health, it is important for Patti to make products that go beyond

functionality. With a focus on meditation, her fibre art, yoga bags, bolsters and scented candles are mindful in both practice and purpose. Made from local & organic materials, sacred symbols are often incorporated to provide meaning behind the artwork. She enjoys knowing that her products are providing comfort and assistance to her customers. Participating in local markets is a great opportunity for her to interact with her customers and the community as a whole. New to the market this year, Patti created reusable market bags with hand painted designs. In the future, she hopes to expand the same thoughtful aesthetic to more home decor items. We are looking forward to seeing what she comes up with!



7th Chakra

Martin Creation – Sarah Martin

Sarah brings paintings, photography and a variety of handmade pottery to the market. Often finding inspiration in nature, her work mimics the natural blues, browns and beech tones found on the east coast. Through the choice of acrylic paints and pottery glazes as

well as the images of ocean creatures, her work echoes the feelings elicited when one is out exploring this beautiful province. Sarah takes solace in the process of making pottery. It is a very lengthy, multi-step process which is only complicated by the intricate carving that is often incorporated in her work. But the very nature of how pottery is made forces a kind of patience and self reflection that serves Sarah well in both the creative process and day to day life. She loves being able to sell her wares locally and getting to know the community. The vibe at the market created by the musicians, patrons and fellow vendors really makes it feel like our own little market family!

As a fellow crafter, I can honestly say that being a part of the Spryfield Market Community is so rewarding. The amount of support the vendors and the patrons provide each other is outstanding. We love checking out each other's work and even more, love sharing our work with the Spry-



Martin Creation

field community. Being surrounded by so much creativity, great food and incredible live music is such a great way to spend a few hours every other Sunday morning...thank you for your continued support and hope to see you at the next market!

For more details about the Spryfield and District Community Market including the complete list of vendors and schedule, please check @spryfieldmarket on Facebook or visit www.spryfieldmarket.ca.



Rural Bus Service Moving Forward!

We are pleased to report that a consultant has been chosen to conduct the Feasibility Study for a new Flexible Rural Bus Service to serve the Ketch Harbour Sambro Loop area.

RMP Development Consultants has been chosen and will be holding a stakeholder meeting in mid-October followed by a public meeting in mid-November to receive feedback from the public on what a new service should look like. RMP will present several rural bus service models to stimulate discussion and get ideas from potential users on a new bus service. We will post the date for the public meeting here in the Chebucto News and will make sure it is well publicized throughout the community.

Thank you Volunteers and Sponsors!

The Spryfield Harvest Festival was a tremendous success again this year! From the Family Fun Day to the Antique Car Show to the Gospel Concert and everything in between, a great time was had by all! Many thanks to the Urban Farm Museum Society of Spryfield for hosting the Official Opening of the Harvest Festival during their Fall Harvest Day!

On behalf of the organizers we would like to thank all of the sponsors and volunteers who did so much to make this annual event happen. Special thanks to the Festival Chairperson, Donna Fleming and her co-chair, Darlene Burbridge for the weeks and weeks of work you put into making it all

come together.

Halifax Celtic Festival

This year the Spryfield Business Commission agreed to sponsor the Halifax Celtic Festival Under 18 Rugby Tournament, at Graves Oakley Field in Leblin Park, which took place the same weekend as the Harvest Festival. As part of hosting the tournament the Business Commission held a fundraising BBQ. The funds raised from the BBQ will be used to establish a Spryfield Business Commission Bursary for a graduating J. L. Ilsley student.

The Annual Cook Off Competition (this year competitors had to bake a fruit crisp) was won for the second year in a row by Eric Caines of Cemanco Properties. Congratulations Mr. Caines!

Newsletter

The Spryfield Business Commission is committed to keeping our members and the community informed of our activities and events. In addition to this regular Chebucto News column we invite you to join our regular monthly Mailchimp E-mail Newsletter. Please let me know if you would like to join the newsletter distribution list. You can reach me at sdbc@eastlink.ca or by phone at 902-452-7472.

Reminder: This year's Spryfield Santa Claus Parade will be held on Sunday, November 26th starting at 2: p.m. Applications will go out to past participants in early October or you can e-mail me and I'll send you one.

Reg Horner Memorial *Chebucto News* **Sports Pages**

Judges Football 10th Anniversary



Where have ten years gone! In 2008 a few parents who wanted to see Ilsley start a football program approached the school only to find that Steve Saunders, a policeman and the school's community liaison officer had started the ball rolling. Steve had coached high school football for many years and had played himself back in the day; even walked on and made SMU's football team. Steve took control from day one; ordered gear, set up a locker room, got a coaching staff together, made sure all our ducks were in a row with the school and NSSAF. Steve has always been our moral compass even after he left the program. He is the reason there is football at Ilsley. The group of parents knew we had a leader we could count on although he swore he was only staying for three years. That turned into seven but who's counting! Now at the reins is Brandon Hart, he has been with us coaching since the beginning and was a Judge himself back in his high school days...We are in Fantastic hands and look forward to where Brandon and the Team takes us over this next Decade!!

To get the program up and running we had to knock on a lot of doors and found the community ready and willing to pitch in. We have enjoyed wonderful support in terms of financial aid, raising the tens of thousands of dollars it took to purchase the initial equipment needed to start a high school football program. That support has continued through the years with many local companies coming along for the ride; none more than Uncle Bucks restaurant who has given cash, prizes for auctions and other fundraisers, and generously opened their kitchen to the players for pre-game meals, bus trips and banquets. We have always relied on the hard work of the volunteers who keep the machine running. Usually the players families chip in while their child is in the program but many have stuck with us long after. We won't name names but in our hearts we know you.

The Team has been working hard to return some of this generosity back into the community. Every year approximately 20 players and coaches volunteer to work at the Hope Cottage Golf Tournament. This past year several players and coaches volunteered for a local Habitat for Humanity Build, and most years we dedicate one

home game as a food bank item entrance fee. We have participated for many years in the Spryfield Santa Claus Parade and this year helped out at a Rugby tournament held at Graves Oakley.

On the field, the team has enjoyed varied amounts of success with two 7-1 seasons and a painful loss in the tier two championship. However the bigger story has always

been the affect the team has had on the young athletes who have worn the purple and white. We have seen players go on to great achievements in football and other sports, have had players go on to wonderful careers in various fields and start their families. I think the biggest impact has been on kids who came to play football who had never played a sport before, never been as-

sociated with any school activity, never had a friend before. Our football team became a family to so many of these kids who lived on the fringes of society. It was the reason many of them attended classes and stayed in school; it put many young men on the straight and narrow and kept their feet on a better path. It is a family for all of us; players, coaches, parents, teachers and fans.

From the beginning we have had a core of devoted coaches and have had some wonderful men join the staff and move on to other things; we are lucky to have the group in place we have now but it has been amazing to see former players come back to the program to help guide the next generation of players. We have always done our best to include all athletes who show up to practice and put in the hard work it takes to play the game of football and we will always hold to that standard. It has not always been easy to attract the best athletes to our program in a school that has a rich history in many sports, especially hockey, but we feel like we are getting to a place where football at J.L.Ilsley is something new students aspire to be part of. We continue to field teams of forty to forty-five players and that is something many well established programs envy. We feel like the time is ripe for us to take it a step further and start hanging championship banners in the school gym.

We would also like to invite everyone to an Auction Fundraiser we are holding Oct 20th @ 6pm @ Bubba Rae's 2 in Bayers Lake, Being our 10th Year, most of our equipment need upgrading, so if you would like more information or would like to donate an item for our cause, please contact Heather.leblanc@londonlife.com.

Halifax teen fights to Gold



Coach Katy Pyke on left with Carrington Carroll

Representing Canada, 14 year old Carrington Carroll defeated three opponents to win gold at the recent Pan-American Junior and Cadet Taekwondo Championships. Competing in the Under 47 kilogram female cadet division, the Cunard Junior High Grade 9 student first dominated a Puerto Rican fighter 36-11. This match was followed by a close 4-3 victory over the USA competitor that moved Carroll into the gold medal final. In this match she handily defeated the Nicaraguan player 15-8, winning gold for Canada.

Two days later Carroll strapped on her gear once again to compete in the Costa Rica Open Taekwondo Tournament. Over the course of the day, she fought her way through 5 opponents to grab the gold medal, defeating competitors from Peru (44-1), Ec-

uador (21-0), USA (4-3), Costa Rico (14-9), and Mexico (23-3).

Training at the HP Atlantic Taekwondo Centre with Coach Ms. Katy Pyke, Carroll's back-to-back gold medal victories are a rare achievement that establishes her as one of Canada's most promising taekwondo athletes.

Halifax Argonauts Peeewe football team off to good start

Part of the starting lineup for the Halifax Argonauts Peeewe Football team. The team is currently undefeated at 2-0. All three are 12 years old and are also John W MacLeod School alumni:

For more information about the Halifax Argonaut Football Association, go to our facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/halifaxfootball/>



Noah Harvey makes 1 of 24 saves against the Joneljim Cougars in Nova Scotia Major Bantam Hockey League action on Sunday September 17th to record the win and shut out for the Gulls in their home opener at the Gull Pond. Gulls 4 - Cougars 0 Photo by Kent Goobie



40 Jeremiah "Fumble-ruski" Avery: Offensive Guard, attends Cunard Junior High; 61 Luke "Mr." Biggs, Offensive Guard, Elizabeth Sutherland Junior High; 11 Sam "The Rocket" Atwood, Safety & Fullback, Cunard Junior High

“Another crown jewel of untouched parkland...”

by Stephen Adams, HRM Councillor, District 11

On Tuesday, September 5, I moved a number of motions to continue the process to establish an urban wilderness park to be known as the Shaw Wilderness Park, through the acquisition of what are informally known as the Purcell's Cove Backlands.

This entire process has taken almost 4 years to bring to this point, and wasn't without a lot of negotiation, determination and hard work. Our staff continued to find ways to bring a workable agreement to Council. Brad Anguish and his team were instrumental in laying the groundwork for success. The Shaw Group were firm, but fair. Our local community ensured Council had the necessary information to make an informed decision. John Traves, our City Solicitor and Jacques Dubé, our CAO provided the necessary support and guidance needed to make this work. And finally, I thank Council for their support, patience and vision as we met, debated, amended and discussed the options. I am absolutely delighted with the results.

The purchase of approximately 380 acres (154 hectares) of natural greenspace is contingent on successful fundraising by NCC, but would result in yet another crown jewel of untouched parkland that would serve as a benefit to Halifax residents in perpetuity. In other words, these lands will be protected forever.

The Shaw Group will develop a parking lot and main entrance to the area with a goal of enabling operation of the new park within two years.

Before finalizing this arrangement, we will be seeking public input and support through two levels of public engagement, to ensure citizens understand what's being proposed and so residents can provide Regional Council and staff with meaningful feedback. As mentioned previously, the Nature Conservancy of Canada (NCC) must fundraise for their contribution to the purchase, (\$2.5 million), which they will undergo over the next months.

As many local residents know, the Purcell's Cove Backlands have been used as unofficial park for decades. The area is also a breeding spot for more than 40 species of birds, while Williams Lake is a popular location for non-motorized boating and swimming.

Throughout my 26+ years on Council, this is one of the most significant projects in which I have been involved. When the transaction is completed, it will benefit citizens from all over for generations to come. And from my own perspective, this is one of the most personally satisfying projects I have ever undertaken.

As you drive throughout our many communities, you will have noticed the blue, 'Welcome to' signs along the road. They are pretty standard, with the community name and not much more. Each community in our district has a unique characteristic, whether it be a historical event, a geographical anomaly or something else that sets it apart from others. In the fall, I will be initiating a program to add a tag line to our community signs. I have asked the Mainland South Heritage Society to

work with me, and I would welcome your input, as well. For example, Herring Cove could be recognized as 'Home of Champion Rowers' and Sambro could be 'Home of North America's Oldest Lighthouse'. Continuously operating lighthouse would be more appropriate, but space might be an issue. Please send your suggestions to me at adamss@halifax.ca

As a follow-up to last month's article, I am pleased to provide updates on a number of projects that have been completed, or are near completion.

The Herring Cove resurfacing has been completed, with newly painted lines. You may have noticed an additional turning lane into the William Spry Centre. This request came from a resident. I passed it along to our engineers, and they accommodated our request. For those that travel Herring Cove Road along that stretch, this was always an 'unofficial' turning lane. Now it's official.

Rockingstone Road has been completed, with new asphalt and repaired or replaced concrete curb. On September 1st,

the paving component of this job began, and was finished by mid-afternoon. I appreciate that this did cause inconvenience for some, as I heard of individuals being held up for 10-15 minutes. Unfortunately, repaving does incur delays. I will ensure our staff are aware that Fridays are our waste/green bin/recyclables' collection day, which can add to the congestion.

We have newly replaced playgrounds at the 500 block of Herring Cove Road, and at the corner of Lynnett Road and Forbes Street. There are new swings, slides, spring toys, climbing bars and lots of other equipment. For safety, there is a layer of wood chips as a base, and benches, as well.

The tender for a new tennis court, a pickleball court and basketball court for Graves-Oakley has been awarded. New fencing on acrylic surface and newly painted lines will all be part of this project. We are hopeful that this project will be completed this year. However, the existing work along Leiblin Drive may cause delays. Our staff is working to coor-

dinate the installation of the new court and the ongoing sewer work.

Speaking of Leiblin Drive, this project continues to plod along, as the work makes its way toward the former pump station. I appreciate that this is taking a long time and has been inconvenient for many. I also appreciate the calls, emails and Facebook messages that are keeping me abreast of some of the outages during the work. I will continue to do my best to have these addressed.

I have been in constant contact with our staff to figure out how to have curb installed along the length of Leiblin Drive. Although it was not part of the scope outlined for the project, it would add the feel of a closer community. I have offered to help in the cost, as well.

St. Margaret's Bay Road remains closed to traffic, but is scheduled to reopen by October 27, 2017. Again, the patience of all who have been inconvenienced is appreciated. I have compiled the suggestions sent in by residents, to see how these can be applied, after completion.

Working to make prescription drugs more affordable

by Andy Fillmore, MP for Halifax

Happy autumn, Halifax! Here are two updates from your federal representative in Ottawa.

1. Our plan to legalize and strictly regulate cannabis

You've probably heard by now that our government will legalize cannabis. It was one the most talked about pieces of our election platform, and over the last two years we've done a lot of work to make sure we get it right.

Now, the legislation that will legalize cannabis is making its way through the House of Commons. It has been written with one clear understanding: the current system on the prohibition of cannabis does not work. It has allowed criminals and organized crime to profit, while failing to keep cannabis out of the hands of Canadian youth. We need to do better.

That's why we've created a strict legal framework which will control the production, distribution, sale and possession of cannabis in Canada. It would allow adults to legally possess and use cannabis. But it will also keep cannabis out of the hands of our children and stop criminals from profiting from it.

Our legislation is robust and well informed by experts in many fields, including health, public safety, justice, and law enforcement, as well as input from over 30,000 Canadians.

Based on our extensive consultations across the country, we heard from Canadians who are concerned about how easy it is for kids to buy cannabis today and about a potential increase in drug-impaired driving.

Our legislation addresses these concerns. We're implementing new criminal offences for selling to kids. And we're

creating new and stronger laws to more severely punish those who drive while impaired by cannabis and other drugs.

This is a big change for Canada, and it's not too late to have your say. I want to hear from you, so if you have an opinion on our approach—good or bad—please contact me and share your thoughts.

2. We're working to make prescription drugs more affordable

Every day, prescription drugs make a difference in the lives of many Canadians, yet Canada pays some of the highest drug prices in the developed world.

That's why we're undertaking the most significant suite of changes in over two decades to our pharmaceutical system in Canada—a comprehensive plan to protect Canadians from excessive drug prices. Our plan will improve the affordability and accessibility of the prescription drugs that Canadians need to live healthy, productive lives.

Here's how we'll do it. First, we'll lower the price of prescription drugs by combining our buying power with the provinces and territories, making them more affordable for public drug plans and

lowering generic drug prices for all payers.

Second, we'll provide faster access to safe and effective drugs. We're updating our review process for pharmaceuticals to better respond to the needs of Canadians by ensuring the timely access to the latest medicines.

And third, we'll improve the appropriate prescribing of drugs by working with partners and stakeholders to develop policies for appropriate prescribing. We will identify best practices, support existing initiatives and promote new implementation strategies.

In short, our changes to the pharmaceutical system in Canada will make an important and positive difference in the lives of Canadians who rely on prescription drugs for their wellbeing.

That's all for this month. Share your views on this or anything else at any time—call my office at 902 426 8691 or email me to set up a meeting at andy.fillmore@parl.gc.ca. Or, just stop by my office at Rm 808, 1888 Brunswick Street, Halifax.

Until next time...

Andy Fillmore, MP Halifax



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The Armdale Report

by the Honourable Lena Metlege Diab, MLA for Halifax Armdale

With the fall legislative session well underway, I've been hard at work in the House of Assembly. Our new Lieutenant Governor Arthur LeBlanc delivered his first Speech from the Throne, and Government introduced a balanced budget that makes needed investments in the hiring, training, and retaining of primary health care professionals. I know we have more to accomplish together, and I look forward to working on new bills this session. I encourage you to check out my Facebook page for updates and more highlights from our fall budget.

As a Minister and MLA, I marked a number of special occasions last month. I was grateful to join my female colleagues for the Nova Scotia Advisory Council on the Status of Women's MLA networking reception. This year marks the first time in our province's history that one third of the seats in our legislature will be held by women, and it was a great opportunity to connect with them. I know we are all looking forward to working together to advance gender equality and encourage more women to become politically engaged.

At Saint Mary's University, I was fortunate to join the local Enactus student group as they announced the expansion of their social entrepreneurship project Square Roots. By partnering with local businesses, the Enactus team is helping minimize food waste and fight food insecurity through a unique and affordable token system that helps connect restaurants with surplus food to individuals in our community experiencing food insecurity. It was wonderful to congratulate them on their efforts, and wish them good luck as they travel to London to pitch their project in the Enactus World Cup.

It was also a privilege for me to help unveil a monument in Falmouth to mark the Sainte-Famille Cemetery as an important part of Nova Scotia's heritage. This cemetery was used by the Acadians of the region prior to their deportation, and was found by accident in 1996. This monument pays tribute to our longstanding Acadian history and heritage, and reminds us of the resiliency and spirit of the Acadian people.

Lastly, I was honoured to have joined in the Laying of the Cornerstone ceremony for my parish's new church, the Our Lady of Lebanon Parish and Cultural Centre. This is an exciting and significant moment for my faith community, and I look forward to the completion of our

congregation's new home.

The province's new Student Attendance Policy is now in place. The new policy will address the problem of absenteeism through a balance of supports, incentives, and consequences, without adding to the workload of teachers. The approach taken will vary based on the individual circumstances of the student, and will, for high school students, include the possibility of the loss of credits based upon the professional judgment of the student's teacher and principal. A pilot program will also be launched to connect students with attendance issues and their families to attendance support workers, to determine how to better improve attendance.

Last month was packed with festivals,

New school attendance policy announced

by Brendan Maguire, MLA for Halifax Atlantic

First month back to school

Fall is officially upon us, I wanted to take this moment to congratulate all the students, teachers and staff on their first month back to school. The first month can be one of the toughest as we all adjust to a new school year. I wish you all a fantastic school year and I will see you at the school association meetings and the parent teacher associations.

In the Loop summer celebration

I wanted to take a moment to thank everyone who volunteered, sponsored and attended our fifth annual In the Loop summer family fun day. The community came together for a day of, food, music and fun. I am so proud that the success of this event has made it a much anticipated event in our community.

The Council to Improve Classroom Conditions

This month saw the Department of Education announce, after much consultation, a new attendance and engagement policy. This policy will come in to effect October 1st.

"The policy is intended to help improve student attendance through a balance of supports, incentives and consequences, without adding to the workload of teachers." said Zach Churchill, Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development. "Any time a student misses class is a missed opportunity to learn."

Under the policy:

–students will be considered absent unless they are attending an activity that

and I'd like to thank all organizers, supporters, and attendees of this year's very successful Spryfield Harvest Festival. We have a number of exciting community events coming up this month too, including some key fundraisers for local organizations that do good work in our community:

- Bethany United Church will host their 14th annual Fall Fair on October 14 from 9:00am-1:00pm, featuring a BBQ, a bouncy castle, cakewalk, decor, toys, and jewelry. The church's annual Silent Movie Night with organist Shawn Whyntwill also be held on Friday, October 27 at 7:30pm.

- On October 21, St. James Anglican Church will be hosting a Dot Mandala Workshop fundraiser to help cover the costs of energy efficiency upgrades to their church hall. If you're looking for a unique crafting experience, please consider purchasing a ticket.

- Chebucto Connections will host a fundraiser on October 26 at 6:00pm at the St. Mary's Boat Club. The event will feature a performance by artist Holly Carr, an art gallery, craft vendors, a fashion show, and more. Money raised will go right back into the important year-round programming they provide in our community.

Finally, I'd like to wish the best of luck to the Halifax City Soccer Club U17AAA Boys team and the Halifax Dunbrack Premier Women soccer team, as they both compete this month in national competitions. I know both teams are more than ready to show the rest of our country what Nova Scotia talent looks like!

As always, remember that constituents with questions, comments, or concerns can reach me at info@lenadiab.ca or (902) 455-1610. I thank you for your continued support.

directly relates to their learning, or a school activity

–teachers will not be required to prepare additional materials or release test and exam information ahead of their release to the class

–Grade 10 to 12 students who miss more than 20 per cent of class time for a given course may lose a credit for that course based upon individual circumstance and the professional judgment of the teacher and principal

–addressing absenteeism or chronic lateness will vary based on the age, grade and the individual circumstances of the student.

The policy is based on advice from the Council to Improve Classroom Conditions.

Herring Cove Days are back

On September 17th from 11am until 2pm the Herring Cove fire station was filled with laughter and cheers as Herring Cove Days finally returned to Herring Cove. Bouncy castle, face painting, BBQ, music, ice cream and games meant there were lots of things for everyone to do.

This event happened thank to a lot of hard work from local volunteers

I want to thank Jill Hann Lori Hennessey Sarah O'Brien Matt Conrad Katherine Morrison Sheri Quinn-Hendsbee Robert MacLellan Jennifer Langille Desi Munden and the Munden family, The Herring Cove Fire Department, Ground Force, All State, The Orb Factory and everyone else who took time to make this

a reality.

With the great turnout and the help of so many, I expect next year's event to be even bigger!

SportsWheels hockey gear giveaway

September 23rd was my 4th annual SportsWheels hockey gear giveaway. This year, thanks to your generosity, 100s of skates, sticks, elbow pads, helmets and other gently-used hockey gear was donated and found new homes. Because of your donations, hundreds of youth in our community have been able to afford to play hockey and recreational skating. The smiles on the youths faces the as they grabbed a pair of skates, is something that will stay with me forever.

RIP Harry Poole

This past month saw the passing of someone who was near and dear to my heart. Harry Poole of Herring Cove passed away September 20th after a brave battle with cancer. Growing up in Herring Cove, Harry always seemed larger than life and maybe a bit intimidating. It wasn't until Harry and his late wife Margaret took me into their home and treated me like their son, did I realize how big of a heart Harry had. Harry taught me that hard work and respect will take you far in life. So thank you Marg, Harry, Mark and Craig, your kindness was second to none.

Please contact me anytime: Email: Brendan@brendanmaguire.ca; Office number (902) 444 0147 or add me to Facebook. Brendan Maguire, proud to be your MLA

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The Jason Doherty Memorial COMMUNITY EVENTS PAGE



To have your Community Event listed call or fax us at 477-NEWS or send e-mail to chebuctoeditor@gmail.com. Check our Facebook page for updates & late arrivals

COMMUNITY EVENTS FOR OCTOBER Chebucto Community Health Team (16 Dentith Rd) Events:

- Wellness Profile will be offered again on October 4th and 18th from 8:30am to 11:30am at the Centre
- Time Management Tips: October 11th from 1:30pm to 3:30pm at the Centre.
- Two Week Healthy recipe program (no cooking during the program). October 26th and November 2nd. 1:30pm to 3pm. At the Centre
- **PLEASE NOTE: People eligible for the programs are anyone who lives, works or has a family doctor in the communities of Clayton Park, Fairview, Rockingham Larry Uteck, Fairmount, Springvale, Armdale, Purcell's Cove, Spryfield, and around the Sambro Loop. Please call 902-460-4560, go to www.communityhealthteams.ca or drop-in to register.**

Earl Francis Spryfield Memorial Legion (7 Sussex Street) Events:

- Bingo every Sunday at 1pm. Doors open at 12pm
- Seniors' Dance. Oct. 16th. 12:30pm to 4pm. Light lunch served. \$4 per person. Music by Chain and Anchor Band.
- Crib Oct. 13th. 7pm. \$5 per person. Open to the public.
- Halloween Dance. Oct. 27th 9pm to 1am. Costume Prizes. Music by 2nd Generation. \$10 per person. Doors open at 8pm.

Food Banks:

- Emmanuel Anglican Church (322 Herring Cove Rd) Call Wed. Pick up Thurs between 9:30am and 10:30am. 902-477-1954
- St. Paul's Family Resource Institute (173 Old Sambro Rd). Call Mon/Tues. Pick up Wed between 10am and 12pm. 902-477-5090.
- Greystone Community Centre Association (2 Indigo Walk). Call Mon. Pick up Tues. 7:30am to 12pm. Call 902-431-8087 between 9:30am and 12pm on Mondays

Free meals for those in need:

- **Mondays:**
 - Continental Breakfast at Salvation Army (328 Herring Cove Rd) from 9am to 10am.
 - Mobile Soup Kitchen 7pm Bread of Life Ministries (McIntosh St. & 500 Block of Herring cove Rd)
- **Tuesdays:**
 - Continental Breakfast at Salvation Army (328 Herring Cove Rd) from 9am to 10am.
 - Soup's On Program 12pm to 1:30pm at St. Paul's Family Resource Institute (173 Old Sambro Rd)
- **Wednesdays:**
 - 2nd Wednesday of the month, Spry Café 5:30pm at the Chebucto Family Centre (3 Sylvia Ave). Call 902-479-3031 ext 302. Registration required.
- **Thursdays:**
 - Hot Breakfast 9am to 10am Salvation Army- Spryfield Family Resource Centre (328 Herring Cove Rd)
- **Fridays:**
 - Continental Breakfast 9am to 10am. Salvation Army- Spryfield Family Resource Centre (328 Herring Cove Rd)

Harrietsfield/Williamswood Community Centre (1138 Old Sambro Road) Events:

- Parent/Tot play group meets Oct. 11th and 25th. \$5/family.
- Tai Jitsu every Wed. and Thurs.
- Preteen Halloween Dance. Oct. 19th. Grades 3-6. \$3 per person at the door. No hats allowed. 6:30pm to 8pm
- Drop and Shop. Nov. 25th. 1pm to 4pm. \$10 per family. Fun and games while you shop. Call Tanya at 902-471-2397
- Christmas Craft Fair. Nov. 12th. 9am to 1pm. \$25/table. Call Tanya at 902-471-2397

Urban Farm Museum Society of Spryfield (Captain Spry Centre and Farm at Ardwell and Rockingstone) Events:

- Monthly board meeting will be held Monday, October 16th at 7pm at the Capt. William Spry Centre. All welcome.
- Don't forget to check out the Urban Farm's Forest School located at the UFMSS. We are running programs for ages 3 to 10

Quarter Note Singers (Captain Spry Centre) Events:

- Thursday nights from 7pm until 9pm. Singers Wanted! We are a mixed adult community choir that has been making music for over a decade at the Cap't William Spry Community Centre. Singers of all levels are welcome; there are no auditions. For more info please call Steve Trussoni at 902-477-2664

Spryfield Lions Club (111 Drysdale Road) Events:

- Every Wednesday at 1pm. BINGO! In the rec centre. Come have fun, make friends and support a great organization.
- Spryfield Lions Club meet every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month, 7 pm at the upstairs den of the Spryfield Lions Rink. 111 Drysdale Road. Anyone interested is encouraged to sit in on a meeting, meet some great people and see how you can help your community. For additional information, please call 902-475-1878

Young at Heart Club (212 Herring Cove Rd):

- Crib every Thursday at 1:30pm
- Darts every Thursday at 7pm.

Parkhill United Church Jollimore (5 Kirk Road) Events:

- Annual Indoor Yard Sale will be held October 28th from 9am to 12pm.

St. James Anglican Church (2668 Joseph Howe Drive – at the Armdale Rotary) events:

- Meeting space is available for rent. Please contact Sarah-Jane at 902 477-4106
- Worship Services:
 - Sunday: 08:30 am Holy Eucharist (BCP)
 - Sunday: 10:00 am Choral Eucharist and Sunday School (BCP and BAS alternation) Coffee hour following service.
 - Wednesday: 10:00 am Holy Eucharist – Chapel (BCP) Fellowship and coffee following service.
 - Wednesday: 11:00 am Bible Study
 - Wednesday: 5:00 pm Christian Meditation – Narthex. All are welcome!
- Second Wednesday of each month:

7:00 pm Mother's Union – Townsend Room in church hall

St. James United Church (3811 Old Sambro Road) Events:

- Oct. 14th. 4pm to 6pm. Swordfish Supper. Adult portion \$13. Child portion \$7/ Everyone welcome.

St. Michael's Church (14 St. Michael's Avenue, Spryfield) Events:

- BINGO! Oct. 6, 20, 27. Doors open 5:30. Bonanza game starts at 6 p.m. Mini bingo starts at 6:30 p.m. Regular games start at 7 p.m. 15 regular games, 5 special games, postage stamp, toonie pot, 50/50 draw ...Canteen: pop, water, chips, bars, tea, coffee, (cookies, squares)
- October 13th and 14th. Fall Fair. Games, flea market, bingo, cake walk, face painting, canteen, & much more
- October 22nd. 2pm. Country Music Hall of Fame! \$7 per person
- Halloween Dance. Oct. 28th. 8pm to 12am. \$10 per person.
- New Year's Eve Dance. Rock N Roll Band. \$20 per person. Call 902-477-3530

St Paul's United Church (173 Old Sambro Road) Events:

- Community Drum Circle: 7:00pm, fourth Sunday of every month. NOTE: No experience or drum required
- Small Study Group: Praying the News 7:00pm, every Sunday in October NOTE: Open to the community
- Worship Band Thursdays at 7:00pm NOTE: You just have to enjoy playing music
- United Church Women: second Tuesday of each month
- Recycling on the 3rd Saturday of the month. Drop off between 10am and 1pm. Or, call Elaine at 477-2376 or Jackie at 477-3776 to have them picked up
- For those of you in the Harrietsfield/Williamswood area who fill water jugs at our outside tap, the tap is on 24 hours a day for your convenience

Spryfield Christian Community Church (91 Thornhill Drive) Events:

- Community room is available for rent on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings and daytime Monday through Friday! Includes access to kitchen, bathrooms, storage, and parking. Please contact Judy at 902-479-0772
- Church services Sunday 11-12 am
- Special Remembrance Day service: November 5th from 11am to 12pm
- Oromo Gospel Church: Sunday worship service: 3 pm Tuesday prayer: 10 am.
- Chimo Taekwondo Club. Training: Monday, Thursday @ 6:30 Saturday @10:30 am
- November 4th: 9am to 2pm. Craft show! Table rental \$20. Crafters, vendors, food and more.

Other Events and Notices:

- **Hand in Hand (440 Herring Cove Road)** which is operated by the St Vincent de Paul Society, has new operating hours: Monday to Friday 9:30am to 4:30pm. Saturday 10am to 5pm and Closed on Sundays.
- **Girl Guides of Canada** Registration is now ongoing! Interested girls and aspiring leaders can go to www.girlguides.ca for

more information. Or call 423-3735.

• **Harrietsfield Williamswood Residents:** For those of you in the Harrietsfield/Williamswood area who fill water jugs at the St. Paul's United Church outside tap, the tap is on 24 hours a day for your convenience.

• **3rd Spryfield Cub Pack** (ages 8 to 10) and **Scout Troop** (ages 11 to 14) are looking for new members! We meet at 7pm every Wednesday night at St. Paul's United Church on Old Sambro Road. Contact Robyn Parsons (902-477-1090) or Dan Drabble (902-477-2657) for more info or visit www.scouts.ca.

• Every Tuesday, St. Paul's Resource Centre offers their **Soup's On Program** from 12pm to 1:30pm. This is a great opportunity to socialize with new friends, catch up with old friends, and just get out of the house for a little while. All are welcome to partake in this free lunch program.

• **Women's Choir Seeking New Members.** Do you like to sing? Looking for an easy going outlet for musical stimulation? Then join the **Sorella Singers** choir! You don't have to read music, but do need to sing in tune. Soprano and alto voices welcome. Practice: Tuesday evenings, 7:15-8:45pm, location: Melville Cove area. For more information or to ask about trying us out for a week, call director Shirley at 902-405-8333.

• **October 14 and 15: Giant Book Sale:** 9 am – 6 pm Saturday and 9am to 3pm Sunday In support of Women for Music. Gently-used books, CDs and DVDs. Many are priced \$1 - \$3. Maritime Hall, Halifax Forum, 2901 Windsor St., Halifax B3K 5E5 Free parking. No admission charge. www.womenformusic.com

• Each November, the Cunard Junior High PTA hosts a **Christmas Craft Fair** to raise funds for much-needed educational support materials. This year, the 30th Annual Craft Fair will be held on Saturday, November 25, 2017 from 9 AM to 1:30 PM, and we welcome you to take part again, or perhaps for the first time. Craft Fair location: Cunard Junior High School, 121 Williams Lake Road, Halifax. Crafter setup: Friday, November 24, 2016, 6 PM-8 PM. Craft Fair hours: Saturday, November 25, 2016, 9 AM-1:30 PM. Should you have any questions/inquiries, please email Table Rental Coordinator; Brenda Rooney bdrooney@icloud.com.

• Sambro Ketch Harbour Elementary School PTA will be hosting their **First Annual Christmas Coffee House and Craft Sale** November 4th. 12pm to 3pm. \$7 per adult, \$4 for children 5 to 12, children under 5 free. Should you only want access to the crafts, admission is only \$2. If you are a crafter, we are accepting bookings for craft tables. Please contact the school @ 902-868-2717 or Angie Flemming – angflemming@eastlink.ca

• The **55+ Seniors Group** have a monthly drop in at the ACICC at 341 Herring Cove Rd. We meet the third Wednesday of every month. Contact for the group is: erincxdesmond@gmail.com or 902-452-0876

Check our Facebook page for late arriving events and changes or updates to listed events





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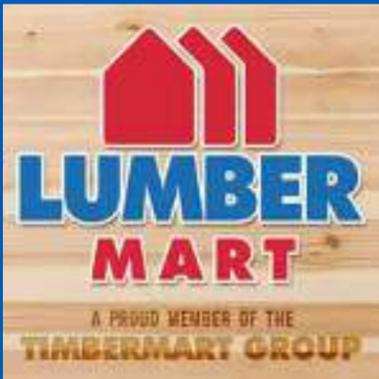
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