



Nackawic-Millville

RURAL COMMUNITY

MUNICIPAL OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:15AM – 4:30PM

THE KEY



JULY 2025

Updating Communities on Recreational, Social, & Cultural Activities

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MUNICIPAL NEWS

Council meetings for the month will take place on Monday, July 7th & Monday, July 21st
Council meetings are open to the public and are called to order at 7PM. No matter shall be placed on the agenda for consideration at any regular Council meeting unless the request for consideration of the matter is received by the Chief Administrative Officer, in writing, before 12:00 noon on the Friday preceding the day on which the meeting is to be held.

MARINA SLIPS AVAILABLE

Call or email Paul at 506-575-2240 or recreation@nackawic-millville.com to rent a slip or if you would like more information regarding slip rentals



RCL BRANCH #27

Regular meetings are held the 3rd Monday of each month at 3:30PM at the lions club in Nackawic.

Contacts: Ralph Leblanc (575-2366) or Ross Carruthors (575-2138)

NACKAWIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PLAYGROUND FUNDRAISER

We have raised over \$27,000 for our playground and we appreciate all of those who have given to us over the years. We continue to work towards installing a new structure on our playground which can cost upwards to \$ 130,000. We are planning a bottle drive in conjunction with the Canada Day weekend and will accept cans and bottles (bagged) at NES by the flagpole between July 2nd and 5th.



NES HEALTHY MINDS

We would like to "thank" everyone for the continued community support to our school. Thank you so much for supporting our Breakfast/Snack Program, Feed the Hawks Program and our playground initiatives: UNIFOR Local 219, Jackie Sharpe, Nackawic Volunteer Fire Department, TOPS 4242, Joe & Sinikka Broczkowski. As we wrap up this school year know that your donations kept us well nourished and provided toys for our outdoor play time.

FESTIVAL ON THE BEND WEEKLY 50/50

The Festival on the Bend holds a weekly 50/50 to help raise money for our local festival and to host the most spectacular Fireworks show in the province! The price is \$2 per week the minimum amount is 5 weeks/ \$10. All we need is a name and phone number. You can join at [Ryan's Pharmacy](#) or contact [Donna Gagnon](#) at (506) 471-4528. E-transfers can be sent to: 2020FOTB5050@gmail.com. 

"POOL PARTY" VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Millville Baptist Church will be hosting a "Pool Party" themed VBS for kids entering kindergarten up to and including those who have just finished Grade 5. This will be taking place four Tuesdays: July 8th, 15th, 22nd, and 29th, from 6:30-8PM. At 1469 Route 605. Contact Anne Wallace at 463-8105 or 292-8794 for more info on this event

GARBAGE COLLECTION

Please be mindful of the following when disposing of weekly household waste: Must be out by 7AM at the end of the driveway to ensure collection, be bagged and receptacles are to be maintained and in good working order. The following will not be collected:

Electronics / Reno Materials / Propane / Gas Cylinders / Auto Parts/ Oil / Tires / LED / Fluorescent Bulbs / Lawn or Garden Chemicals

Please refer to By-Law No. S-2023-2 for further info

GAMES AT THE AXE

Join the Rec Dept Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 1PM-3PM for some fun activities.

Program will run from July 8th - July 30th

We will have basketball, lawn games, Frisbee baseball and more. Everyone ages 6+ are welcome

TUESDAY GAME DAY

Join us beginning on July 8th from 9AM-11AM at the Middle Southampton Community Hall (1782 Campbell Settlement Road) for games, coffee, tea and snacks. The game that is starting the fun is Euchre and then it will be determined what other card games are of interest. All are welcome!

BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENT

Come celebrate with us, it's my husband, Weldon's 75th Birthday, July 12th, We'll be hosting a "Meet & Greet Social Time" from 2PM-4PM at our home 409 Otis Drive here in Nackawic. Stop by for a quick birthday greeting or you're welcome to stay and chat awhile. At least toot on your way by. Everyone is invited. Thank you for helping me make this day special for my husband. Hope to see you there! - Deanna LaKing

MASONIC LODGE: GRANITE LODGE # 54

The local Masonic Lodge, Granite Lodge # 54, meets every 3rd Wednesday at the Temperance Vale Community Center.



Granite Lodge supports the Bikes for Books program in the NES to promote literacy. are many other organizations affiliated with The Masonic order. The Shriners and Eastern Star are but a couple. The Order of the Eastern Star consists of both men and women. The Shriners support the Shriners Hospitals which care for Orthopedic patients, Burns patients, and other conditions for youth at no cost to the families.

If you are in our local community we would welcome you to Granite Lodge #54.

MIDDLE SOUTHAMPTON HALL

Weekly cribbage: Fridays at 1:30PM
Don't miss out on the fun!



NACKAWIC & AREA WELLNESS VOLUNTEER OF THE MONTH

For over 60 years, Danny Merryweather has been a dedicated part of our community. His consistent support at The Gathering Place has been invaluable, and he's cheered on countless local hockey and volleyball teams along the way. A fascinating conversationalist, Danny always brings insight and good humour to every chat. Thank you, Danny, for your kindness, encouragement, and service.

ANGLICAN PARISH OF PRINCE WILLIAM

Summer Breakfast Series: 6839 Rt 102, Dumfries.
The 2nd Saturday of the month: July 12th, Aug 9th, & Sept 13th. Featuring Pancakes, scrambled eggs, home fries, beans, sausage, ham, toast, tea & coffee, fruit salad and muffins.
Cost by donation. We hope to see you there!



NACKAWIC LIONS CLUB

2024/25 300 Club Draws: Final Draw was held Saturday June 7th. All the winners were posted @ Robins, Ryans, & on Facebook. Congratulations to all of the winners! Please contact Lion Michelle Clark/Lion Tina Collier to renew your 2025/26 300 Club tickets. Cash/Cheque or E-Transfer to nackawiclions300@gmail.com. (Please include your name, telephone number along with your ticket number). Thank you for your continued support!

NMRC Lions Chase the Ace: Tickets for sale, E-Transfer nmrclionscta@gmail.com (password: lionscta) (include name & phone number). Thursdays 4PM-7PM, followed by the draw at 7:30PM at The Waterfront Pub. No requirement to be present for the draw! Don't E-Transfer? Contact Lion Janet 575-4566 to arrange for tickets. Please follow along on Facebook "Nackawic Millville Rural Community LIONS Chase the Ace". Let the Chase begin!

Country Jamboree: Mark your calendar for August 16th, Country Jamboree. (Jamboree during Festival on the Bend (FOTB) plans on having it at a different time than normal – Stay tuned!) We will continue the regular Saturday afternoon Country Jamboree's in September

Tuesday Night Bingo: FOTB will run all summer, 1st & 3rd Tuesdays of the month. Stay tuned for updates on the FOTB Bingo Extravaganza August 12th. Community Bingo will resume September 9th

Bowling: Contact Shelby Christie 323-2059

Shuffleboard: Mondays at 1PM

Cribbage: Continues on Tuesdays at 1:30PM through the summer as long as there is a minimum of 12 people. See Facebook group "Nackawic Cribbage"

Hall Bookings: Contact Lion Dilys at 575-2885

Eager to Volunteer? Want to create positive change in your community? Contact any member for more information

Monthly Meetings: Resume Sept. All are welcome!

THANK YOU

The Books for Bikes fundraiser was once again a huge success. This annual event supports literacy at Nackawic Elementary School. The Masonic Lodge #54 would like to thank golfers who braved the elements to raise money and merchants who gave money and/or prizes for this important event

Nicholson & Beaumont / St. Louis Pub Fredericton / Riverbend Log Homes / Irving (Fens Market - Nackawic) / Big Axe Brewery / NAPA - Nackawic / Designs by Marilyn / Topmar Building Supplies / J-Lynn's Independent Grocer - Nackawic / Ryans Pharmacy / Pizza Twice - Nackawic / Nackawic Middle School - Shop Department / Nackawic Elementary School / Nackawic Fire Department / Unifor Local 219 / Upfront Cosmetics / Tangles Hair Salon / Nackawic Golf and Country Club / McLaughlin Overhead Doors / Lions Club / Woodstock Toyota / Robin's Nackawic

NACKAWIC-PUBLIC LIBRARY

Summer Reading Club took off with a BLAST!
Come join us on our Space mission:

Limitless Reading!

Wednesdays @ 10:30am (Newborn-Preschool)

Stories, rhymes, songs, and fun crafts.

Jr. Astronauts (age 6 +) meet @ 2:30pm. Get ready for some super space fun with Mission Commander Maddie Crabbe.

Lego Club: Drop in every Friday @ 2:30pm.

Café: Each Friday at 11AM, join us for coffee, tea, and a sweet treat.

Literacy Tutoring is back: If your child needs a little extra motivation for summer reading, Our One-on-One tutor is here to help. Using fun games and reading strategies our tutor will help prevent any backslide the summer may have.

Call the library at 506-575-2136 for more information on this FREE service.

Adult Book Club: July 10th at 2PM

Current Selection: The Chicken Sisters
by K J Dell 'Antonia



Art in the Park: Fun crafts, drawing, sculpting, canvas painting and much more. July 28, 29, 30, 31. Registration is required.

Family Bookwalks on the Nature trail:

Book 1: July 23 to July 29

Book 2: July 30 to August 5

Bedtime stories on the Axe: July 24 & 31 @ 6PM

Please be advised that the library will be closed July 23 – August 1 for electrical work. All programs will resume as scheduled at the Big Axe except for Lego club on July 25.

NOTICES FOR THE KEY

Notices for non-profit groups can be e-mailed to office@nackawic-millville.com or mailed to: Nackawic-Millville Rural Community 115 Otis Drive, Nackawic, NB E6G 2P1.

The deadline for submissions is the 24th of the previous month.

The Key is available online at www.nackawic-millville.com & on the Municipal Facebook Page: Nackawic-Millville Rural Community.

