





# The Tickle Newsletter July-August 2014

### NL Gymnast from PCSP Wins GOLD in National Championship

Gymnasts from Newfoundland competed for Team NL at the 2014 Canadian Gymnastics Championship in Ottawa, ON in May. Newfoundland and Labrador walked away with a GOLD medal, a feat that had never been done before in woman's gymnastics for the province. Rebecca Squires, (daughter of Tony & Milly Squires) from Portugal Cove – St. Philip's trains with the Cygnus Gymnastics Training Centre finished the event with a nearly flawless vault and a score of 13.6. Congratulations Rebecca!! You are an amazing athlete and your community is very, very proud!

For more information on Gymnastics NL contact: gymnastics@sportnl.ca Follow us on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/gymnasticsnl or Twitter: @gymnastics nl



Coach Devonne Ryan, Gold Medal Winner Rebecca Squires, Coach Allison Kirby

# Congratulations Jennifer Tucker!

In May 2014 Jennifer Tucker of Portugal Cove – St. Philip's, a Grade 12 student at Prince of Wales Collegiate, was awarded a \$60,000 Schulich Leader Scholarship.

Jennifer is one of two students chosen by Memorial University of Newfoundland to receive this prestigious award. The Schulich Leaders Scholarship is offered to students based on their outstanding community, business or entrepreneurial leadership and academic excellence and who intends to enroll in the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) areas of study. Jennifer plans to attend Memorial University in September to begin her studies in Medicine.



Jennifer Tucker - Schulich Leader Scholarship Winner

# 1<sup>st</sup> Beachy Cove Sparks and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Beachy Cove Brownies



On May 26th, 2014 the 1st Beachy Cove Sparks Unit and the 2nd Beachy Cove Brownies were invited to a Mad Hatter Tea Party with their Honours Lieutenant Governor Mr. Frank Fagan and his wife Mrs. Pat Fagan. This was an amazing experience for the girls. Mr and Mrs Fagan were gracious hosts, and after the tea party, the girls were given a tour of the main floor of the house and were read a story by Mrs. Fagan. These tea parties were organized for these groups by Dr. Allison Furey, a Spark and Brownie mom!



On June 9th the 2nd Beachy Cove Brownie Unit welcomed Mayor Tucker to their advancement ceremony to receive a beautiful piece of art that was created by the girls in the unit. As part of their "Key to My Community" badge the girls drew pictures that represented Portugal Cove-St. Philip's. These were combined into a mosaic piece of art entitled "Images of our Community", which they were proud to present to the town. This picture will be hung in the town hall for all to see when they enter the building!



### Sport Newfoundland and Labrador Induct New Members in Provincial Hall of Fame



We are proud to congratulate two members of our community Colin Abbott (Athlete) and Ray Will (Athlete/Builder) for being inducted into the NL Sport Hall of Fame. Colin Abbott may very well go down in history as Newfoundland and Labrador' most accomplished Softball player. Colin is recognized in the Softball community as one of the most feared hitters in the game and his 28-year Softball career led him to many accomplishments on the field from local to international play.

Originally from Erith in the United Kingdom, Raymond "Ray" Will moved here with the reputation as being a great distance runner and shortly after his arrival he quickly lived up to that status. From 1978 –1982 Ray competed in the Masters age group (ages 40 – 44) and was never defeated provincially. During 1978 and 1979 Ray was the top ranked Masters runner in the 1,500 meter, 3,000 meter, 5,000 meter, 10,000 meter and marathon categories in all of North America. Both of these brief



bios do not even come close to truly showcasing all their success and achievements of their careers. Pictured above is Deputy Mayor (Acting Mayor), Gavin Will, Minister Sandy Collins (Tourism, Culture and Recreation), Ray Will, and the Honorable David Brazil. Colin Abbott was unable to attend the presentation due to coaching committments.

### Be Ready



After the rolling blackouts this past winter, the Town continues to better prepare ourselves and our residents for emergency situations. We will be working closely with Canadian Red Cross in the future to ensure that our community is a prepared one. We encourage all residents to see just how ready you are by visiting redcross.ca/ready.

# Murray's Garden Centre and Horticulture Services

Our Canada Day: Pink Days in Bloom event is on Tuesday July 1, 2014 from 9am – 6pm. This is a great fundraiser for the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation-Atlantic Region. There are prize draws, a baked goods sale and Murray's will donate a portion of their gross sales for the day - all in support of the Breast Cancer Research.

Our Eco-weekend Event is from Saturday July 19 to Sunday July 20, 2014. There will be demonstrations on veggie gardening and special offers on Organic Soil amendments. Help us help the environment by bringing in your plastic nursery trays and pots for recycling.

July 19 - Saturday 9am-6pm

July 20 - Sunday 11am-5pm





Public Meeting
July 14, 2014
7:00pm
Recreation Centre

Be a Part of PlaceBuilder! Take our online survey, visit pcsp.ca

# Help Shape Our Community,



### Be a Part of PlaceBuilder

The Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's has partnered with ACOA and Tract Consulting to implement the PlaceBuilder™ process in our town.

PlaceBuilder is an integrated planning, design and development process produced by Tract Consulting Inc. that uses a combination of place branding and place making to support Community Economic

Development.

PlaceBuilder is based on a contemporary approach to community growth and promotion that uses Sustainable Planning and Smart Growth Principles as the benchmarks for the identification and development of projects that lead to Complete Communities. A Complete Community is one that manages finite natural resources, offers opportunities for social interaction, offers something of value for ALL residents, while attracting new - and retaining existing - families and businesses.

A focus of PlaceBuilder is to work with the community to prioritize physical developments in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's. These developments should maintain the natural beauty of the community while creating environments that enhance the site's physical attractiveness and potential for social interaction.

The detailed development process of PlaceBuilder fully engages Council and staff, the business community, various local interest groups and committees, and residents to arrive at community development and marketing priorities.

Another distinguishing feature of PlaceBuilder is the branding and marketing of the community based on an identification of what makes the community distinct: every community has deviations that are rooted in culture and physical attributes. PlaceBuilder seeks to identify these deviations and celebrate them in how the community is presented and markets itself to a wider audience. These deviations are what differentiates one community from another and creates a unique selling proposition for the community, and, thus the region. Tract's past work in this area has served to both elevate community pride and enhance opportunities for economic development and investment.

Our commitment to PlaceBuilder is another part of Council's strategy to enhance the town's position as a great place to live, work and visit. Getting your input is key - a PlaceBuilder survey is currently available on our Facebook page. Please fill it out and help make PlaceBuilder a success.

www.facebook.com/townofpcsp



### Branch 10, Portugal Cove

Legion Happenings...

THE 100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE BEGINNING OF WORLD WAR I

&

THE 70<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY
OF THE BEGINNING OF WORLD WAR II

(\*2013- was the 60th Anniversary of the Ending of the War in Korea 1950-1953\*)

We honour all those who paid the ultimate sacrifice in all of the Wars, Conflicts and Peacekeeping Missions of our time past, present and future. Please join the Royal Canadian Legion on parade in 2014 to honour them in Rememberance and Gratitude. Details will appear in future newsletters.

### **War Memorial**

If there is anyone in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's who believes there are names from their family that should be put on the War Memorial, now is the time to get the information to the Legion.

Please contact JoAnne Power at **895 1047** (please leave a message stating War Memorial) or email **jdgpower@yahoo.ca** or mail to **The War Memorial Committee**, **c/o 5 Legion Road**, **Portugal Cove-St. Philip's**, **NL A1M 2R5** 

Have you considered donating the cost of a bench, a plaque or even a bush in your family's name? Tax receipts available. Contact JoAnne Power for prices. **All donations welcomed.** 

The War Memorial in Portugal Cove-St Philip's has a stone each for WWI and WWII with the names of those who sacrificed their all in the war. There is also a stone for those who have served, came home and have since passed on. It is very important to get these names to the War Memorial Committe as soon as possible if they are not already on the stones, as the War Memorial has already begun its refurbishment stages.

Anyone who served in Korea from Portugal Cove-St Philip's, please send along your information as there is a plaque for Korea in the plans for the War Memorial. Due to privacy laws we are unable to obtain these names from the Korea War Associations. Please note that the War Memorial is scheduled to be refurbished in the spring of 2014. If enough funds become available, additional plaques will be added for other conflicts, if not, there will be a Phase 2.

## Having a Birthday, Wedding, Banquet, Shower, or Family Reunion?

Book your function at the Royal Canadian Legion! Great Rates - Great Hall - Great Fun! Call 895-6521 for more information. Monday - Friday: Open at 4:00pm Saturday: Open at 12:00 noon Sunday: Open at 2:00pm

### **Old Fashioned BINGO!**

#### Every Wednesday Night at 8:00pm

Yes, we still have the old fashioned hard cards: PickaBingo, Early Bird, Lucky 7, and Satellite. Includes a Jackpot Game (Hard Cards). Plus Nevada Tickets and Fun! Come join us!

Please bring your friends to enjoy the fun

### Remember The Beaumont-Hamel Parade Sunday June 29th, 2014 – 3:00pm

Line-up is at 2:45pm. Presentation and soup/ sandwiches to follow at The Legion. For timings watch Legion sign or call 895-6521.

### **Legion Representative Contacts**

Len Collins, Legion President: 895-6521 James Kennedy, District Commander: 689-9241 Brenda Slaney, Executive Director: 753-6666 Micheal Pretty, Branch 10 Service Officer 727-4674 Provincial Command Service Officer 753 6290

### **Scent Free Building**

Due to extreme health issues, please note that the Legion is a designated Scent Free Building. These are life threatening health issues so we respectfully request your cooperation.

### Garden Competition

The Town of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's, Department of Recreation and Community Services will again be awarding residents and businesses who contribute to the beauty of our community with the Garden Competition Awards.

Judging will take place the TWICE to accommodate different growth seasons:

- July 21st 25th
- August 25th 29th

Deadline for Registration is Friday July 18th

Prizes will be awarded for the following categories:

- Best Floral Design
- Best Kept Property
- Best New Garden
- Best Veggie Garden
- Business Beautification Award

To register please call Nicole Clancey at 895-8000 ext 233 or email nicole.clancey@pcsp.ca





### Community Garden

A meeting was held on Wednesday, June 18th that sparked some interest in a PCSP Community Garden. To keep the motivation going we would like to invite all interested individuals to come out to a presentation on the "HOW TO START A COMMUNITY GARDEN". It is very important that we get enough interest in a Community Garden Committee for this project to continue. Please show your interest and be a part of growing your community!

Monday, July 21st at Rainbow Gully Park Hut 7:30pm (outside if weather permits)
All gardeners beginner and experienced welcome!

### Killick Coast Games

This year's Killick Coast Games will be hosted by the Town of Torbay from July 27th — August 1st. The Town has many participants and teams entered to play. If you would like to come cheer on any of our residents check the website on a regular basis after July 21st for the schedule (and any changes).

If you would like to help volunteer at these games or for more information please contact Nicole Clancey at 895-8000 ext 233, or nicole.clancey@pcsp.ca. Check the website on a regular basis after July 21st for the schedule

### Community Clean Up

Thank you to all involved in this year's Community Clean Up. Many areas of the Town were covered by various groups and individuals; thanks to the Girl Guides, Scouts, Neighbourhood Watch Association, and other resident groups and individuals. We look forward to the 2015 event, and hope to make it the best one yet. If you have any ideas or suggestions please feel free to contact Nicole at nicole.clancey@pcsp.ca





### Senior's Event

Come along and enjoy a little bit of NL Tradition! The Town would like to invite all seniors from our community to the Trinity Pageant, in Bonavista Bay. A chartered coach bus will leave from the designated pick up location in the AM and return the same day in the PM. There will be a bag lunch provided for lunch and pizza provided for supper. The Pageant starts at 2:00pm. Please prepare for the possibility of inclement weather, as it is an outside walkabout (proper footwear please). Please note that the site coordinator cannot guarantee that walkers and wheelchairs will always have an unobstructed view. Tickets are on sale by calling Nicole Clancey at 895-8000 ext 233. Space is limited and it is first come first serve.

Date: Wednesday, August 20th

Cost: \$20.00

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**Departure Time:** Approximately 10:00am **Return Time:** Approximately 8:00pm

### Leary's Brook Boccia Program

The Town of Portugal Cove – St. Philip's partnered with the teachers at Leary's Brook Junior High to host a Boccia program for the students. This program took place Tuesdays at noon to help integrate extra physical activity into the student's school day. It also gave participants the opportunity to learn a new sport and socialize with others in the school. The programming was very successful. We look forward to returning this program to the school in September for another year of Boccia fun! We would also like to send congratulations to April Churchill and Nathan Chaulk for receiving MVP Awards!



### Dribbling Disco Basketball Program

NLBT

Have you heard about "Dribbling Disco"?

Dribbling Disco is a fun-filled basketball skills development experience.

It is for any youth interested in basketball, music and having fun. Be prepared to work hard. Don't let the disco lights fool you. All of our funky moves will help you not only on the disco floor but on the basketball court as well.

"So many kids drop out of sports because it's not fun. This program will help kids get skilled while they enjoy themselves. The more skilled the more fun and vice versa."

#### SCOTT NOFTALL NEXT LEVEL BASKETBALL TRAINING

When: Tuesdays & Thursdays

July 8th – July 31st (4 Week Session)

Time: 6:30pm-7:30pm
Where: Recreation Centre
Cost: \$120 per participant

### Library Programs - Fall 2014

**STORYTIME:** Storytime is for children 0-5 years of age. Come join the Town of PCSP Librarian for some craft making activities and exciting storytelling. Children will be given the opportunity to develop their listening skills by reading their favorite stories. Participants will also learn important library responsibilities and behaviors to assist with a child's growth and development.

Registration is now open for the Fall Sessions. Preregistration is required – spaces are limited.

#### **Wednesday Session:**

**Date:** September 10th – December 3rd

**Time:** 2:00pm

**Friday Session:** 

**Date:** September 12th – December 5th

Time: 10:30am Fee: \$20.00 per child

**TOTS & US:** Come out and interact with other families within your community! This program is a good way for children to socialize through craft making and freestyle play and it gives parents/caregivers an opportunity to network with others in a relaxed and enjoyable setting.

**Location:** Recreation Centre

**Date & Time:** September 10th – December 3rd

Wednesdays from 10:00am - 12:00pm

**Drop In Fee:** \$2 per session

If you have any questions about Storytime or Tots & Us, please contact our Librarian Joanie at 895-8000 ext 226 or email joan.white@pcsp.ca

### Mayors March Tournament

Council and staff members from the towns of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's, Flatrock, Pouch Cove, and Logy Bay/Middle Cove/ Outer Cove teamed up and played their hearts out on Saturday June 7th in the Annual Mayors March Softball Tournament, a fund-raiser for the Heart and Stroke Foundation. More than \$2000 was raised for this event! The Town of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's is looking forward to hosting this exciting and worthwhile event in 2015.



# Canada July 1st 2014 celebrations. Нарру Canada Day! From the Mayor, Council and all the PCSP staff

### 12:00pm

#### Flag Raising Ceremony @ Town Hall

Greetings from the Mayor and other dignitaries and Chelsea Parsons will sing O Canada.

### 12:30-1:30pm

#### **Box Car / Bicycle Decorating &**

### **Fire Department Open House**

Children are invited to the Rec. Centre to make their own box car or decorate their bicycles and scooters for the parade! The Fire Dept. will have their trucks and equipment on display, including our Antique 1942 Bickle Seagrave.

### 1:30pm

#### **Parade from Town Hall**

invites you to bring your dogs alone The PCSP Fire Dept., the RNC and others will be leading the parade. Family parade-walk, bike, roller blade (nothing battery operated please) Car Show Participants are welcome!

### 2:00-4:00pm

### Carnival Fun at Rainbow Gully Park

Football, Ultimate Frisbee, Bouncy Castle, Basketball 3-Point Competition, Carnival Games and more... Don't miss it! There are prizes to be won for the best Canada Day dressed youth!

### 4:00-5:00pm

### BBQ, Cake & Car Show @

#### **Recreation Centre**

\$2.00 for hotdog, drink and cake, all served by our own Volunteer Fire Department and all proceeds go to Muscular Dystrophy Canada. Categories for the Car Show include:

Modern, Antique, and Motorcycle.

### 10:00pm

### Family Fireworks @ Rainbow Gully Park

There are great viewing areas around the Recreation Centre and the Town Hall.

### Big Thanks!

Jennifer's Groom Room

and get their free Canada Day

bandana! Please remember

to use a leash.

(Alternate weather date: Saturday July 5th)





# Portugal Gove St. Philip's



## Regatta Festival 2014

**NOTE:** 

Due to ongoing Park upgrades at Voisey's Brook, Regatta Festival Events will be taking place at Rainbow Gully Park. We look forward to hosting future events in both parks.



### **SATURDAY JUNE 28<sup>TH</sup>**

**Breakfast at the Royal Canadian Legion** 

#### 9:00 - 11:00am

Scrambled Eggs, Ham, Toutons, Fresh Muffins, fruit, and more! \$5.00 each

#### **Scavenger Hunt**

#### 9:00 - 12:00pm

Pick up the list for the hunt at 9:00am at the Legion. Items/pictures (just digital not hard copies) need to be returned to the Legion by 12:00pm.

First team/person back with the most correct items will be declared the winner!

There are lots of great prizes to be won!

### SUNDAY JUNE 29<sup>™</sup>

### **Grand Re-Opening of the Rainbow Gully Skate Park**

#### 1:00pm - 3:00pm

A performance by Ballistic Skate Team, and an interactive session with techniques and tips. BBQ to be served.

### Adult Soccer Baseball Tournament Rainbow Gully Softball Field

#### 9:00am

Participate in the Town's first Adult Soccer Baseball Tournament .Register as a team (minimum 10 people), or individually and we'll place you on a team. Due by Monday June 23rd.

#### MONDAY JUNE 30<sup>™</sup>

### **Women's Institute Card Game**

### **Recreation Centre 8:00pm**

Come out for a night of cards, fun, and friends. Everyone is welcome to join, please bring along a nonperishable food item for the WI Food Bank Project. There will be food, refreshments and prizes to be won.

#### Boccia For All Rainbow Gully Multipurpose Court

#### 6:30pm - 7:30pm

Have you ever tried Boccia? If you haven't don't miss out on the fun inclusive game for everyone.

#### TUESDAY JULY 1st

Canada Day Celebrations

### **WEDNESDAY JULY 2ND**

Outdoor Movie Showing "The Nut Job" @ Rainbow Gully Park

(indoor location Beachy Cove Elementary)

#### 9:00pm

Bring along your lawn chairs or blankets to view a movie projected on a big screen at our Softball Field at Rainbow Gully Park. Everyone's welcomed.

Tickets are \$5.00 each or \$20.00 per family (immediate), snacks and drinks included. Purchase at the Town Hall starting June 24 from 8:30am – 4:00pm or at the gate. Family prize to be won.

### Rainbow 50+ Open House Recreation Centre

#### 7:30pm

Everyone is welcome! Enjoy a social filled with fun games of cards or darts. Refreshments and prizes provided. For more information contact Sheila King at 895-3374.

### **THURSDAY JULY 3RD**

**Senior's Event at Murray's Pond** 

#### 12:00pm - 2:00pm

Enjoy an afternoon outside at the beautiful Murray's Pond Country Club. Musical entertainment will be provided by Bob Wiseman, food and refreshments will be served. Transportation will be provided with pick up locations throughout the town. Tickets are \$5.00 each. Space is limited register early.

#### Family Kitchen Party with Ray Lake Rainbow Gully Open Space (indoor location Recreation Centre)

#### 6:30pm

This is sure to be a blast! It's a Kitchen Party for all ages, children and families are invited to come along and dance a jig, sing a tune, and have some fun! Don't forget to bring along whatever NL attire or instrument you have at home (Ugly sticks, spoons, rubber boots, Sou'Wester). Come and have a time!

#### FRIDAY JULY 4TH

### Parent -n- Tot Picnic Party @ Rainbow Gully Park

#### 1:00pm - 3:00pm

All parents and tots are invited to spend a morning of activities at our Regatta Picnic Party. There will be crafts, games, activities, snacks and more. If you would like more information please call Joanie at 895-8000 ext. 226.



### SATURDAY JULY 5TH

### Annual Regatta Day Festival @ St. Philip's Marina

Come out and listen to some of the province's most talented musicians, take in the dory races, concessions, games of chance, inflatable bouncers, slides, treats and more!

#### **Entertainment:**

- 12:00pm Fusion Dance Studio
- 12:30pm Chelsea Parsons
- 1:30pm Fergus O'Byrne
- 2:30pm Jenna Malonev
- 3:30pm Turbot Cheeks
- 4:30pm Nuttin Fancy

The annual dory races have been a part of St. Philip's for over 35 years. Help the community keep the tradition alive by getting out there and participating! Races start promptly at 11:30am. (see race details and schedule)

#### **PCSP Hiking/Walking Club**

#### Start Time 10:00am

Hike from St. Philips beach to Goat Cove & return Start Time: 10am – approximately 1.5 to 2 hours Meet: Beginning of Thorpes Road (across from By the Beach Restaurant at St. Philip's Marina). Parking may be problem due to the Regatta. The trail is ungroomed but in great condition for hiking. The trail is very scenic along the way so don't forget to bring your cameras along.



### REGATTA DAY RACE SCHEDULE

Category	Time
1st Ladies Race	11:30 AM
1st Men's Race	11:50 AM
Combined Men's and Ladies 1st	12:10 PM
2 <sup>nd</sup> Ladies Race	12:30 PM
2 <sup>nd</sup> Men's Race	12:50 PM
Combined Men's and Ladies 2 <sup>nd</sup>	1:10 PM
Junior Race	1:30 PM
3 <sup>rd</sup> Ladies Race	1:50 PM
3 <sup>rd</sup> Men's Race	2:10PM
Combined Men's and Ladies 3 <sup>rd</sup>	2:30 PM
Family Race	2:50 PM
One Man One Way	3:10 PM
Fishermen's Race	3:30 PM
Late Comers	3:50 PM
Combined Men's and Ladies Championship	4:10 PM
Ladies Championship	4:30 PM
Men's Championship	4:50 PM

For more information or to register please call Nicole at 895-8000 ext 233

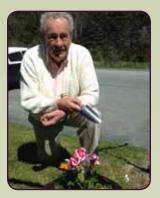
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### August 2014

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			Pageant 2:00pm Rainbow 50+ cards			
			and darts 7:30pm			
			Legion Bingo 8:00pm			
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24/30	25	26	27	28	29	30

### From the Mayor's Desk



The sunshine has finally arrived, the trees and flowers are blossoming, and we all want to get out and enjoy nature a little more. What better way to enjoy our beautiful community than by digging in the dirt a little and showing off your pride in our Annual Garden Competition. Each summer we have so many stunning entries, both from residents and businesses, and it's tough for our

judges to narrow them down to just one. We've done a little gardening at the Town Hall too! June 13, 2014 was officially proclaimed "Garden Day", so I dug my hands in and planted a few blossoms to give a bright and happy welcome to all. There are even more exciting activities coming over the summer, the Regatta Festival, Canada Day, and more. My wish is that you all get a chance to step out and enjoy a healthy, active lifestyle right here in Portugal Cove – St. Philip's.

### Moses

Mayor Moses Tucker

### Rainbow 50+ Club

Every Wednesday at 7:30pm, cards and darts, at the Community Centre.

### **Holy Rosary Parish**

Cemetery Mass and Garden Party at Holy Rosary Parish, Sunday, July 13; Mass at 11:30 am; Garden Party to follow at 1 pm; all the usual games of chance, turkey teas and fun for all; everyone welcome.

Card Game in aid of the Garden party, Tuesday, July 8; good prizes. \$5.00 admission; lunch will be provided; please bring your own cards

## Memorial United Church Portugal Cove

**Selling tickets on a Grocery Hampe**r valued at over \$300 Tickets are \$1 each

If you wish to purchase tickets please contact Linda @ 242-0338

Flora @ 895-2775

Vera @ 895-2226

#### **Flower Services**

Bauline Line Cemetery Sunday July 20th 2014 @ 2:00 PM Days Rd Cemetery Sunday August 3rd 2014 @ 2:00 PM In case of inclement weather, services will be held at the Church.

## Portugal Cove – St. Philip's Lions Club

The Portugal Cove - St. Philip's Lions Club has concluded another successful year of community service. Donations were made to Reason for the Rink, our local Scout and Guide groups, the Anglican Church Girls Auxiliary Group,



the Bell Island Food Bank, our community regattas, a local newborn baby support group, and the playground project at the Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority. In addition, the Club donated to the Lions Diabetes, and Hearing and Speech programs, and donated to the Lions International response to Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines. It financially supported the Lion Max Simms Memorial Camp in Bishop's Falls, it helped two local families with travel costs for medical services for their children, as well as provided funds to the Christmas food hamper programs at our four community churches. The Club assisted with travel costs for two blind athletes, and paid for another blind man's attendance at the Max Simms Camp. During October, we donated 508 floor protector balls for chairs at Beachy Cove Elementary to cut down on classroom noise, reduce floor maintenance, and assist children with hearing and speech difficulties. Our seniors Christmas outreach continued this year, providing gifts and visits to residents and former residents of PCSP who live alone, or in long term care homes all over the Northeast Avalon. The Club also locally sponsored the Air Canada Dreams Take Flight program, sending a deserving child from PCSP to Disney World in April. It held a series of successful coffee house events in Portugal Cove, held two social evenings for our community's seniors, and hosted the Purina Walk for Dog Guides at Rainbow Gully Park. During April, Lions also took the time to cook and serve dinner to residents of Ronald McDonald House. The Club wishes to congratulate Ms. Jenna Maloney of PCSP for winning the Beachy Cove Elementary Grade 6 service award. Lions would also like to express our sincere thanks to our local business community for their unwavering support.

We are always on the lookout for new Lions to help us serve our community. To find out more about becoming a Lion, you can call 895-6940, Google our Club website, or visit www.be-a-lion.org . Don't forget to follow us on Twitter @PCSPLions.



The Lion's at Ronald McDonald House

### Safe PCSP

The vibrancy of Portugal Cove –St. Philips is why we all love living here. Our town lures new residents with its endless green space, quick access to the ocean, and large building lots. With our new school soon to arrive, it is our little haven. Yet, drive through the roadways, and one thing in this picturesque town is missing: pedestrians.

Well, let's not be hasty. Our pedestrians are not really missing. They are walking, running, cycling for sure, just in other communities. The odd few that are willing to take the risk shake their heads, and sometimes fists, in frustration. What is this risk they face? We have roadways with degraded shoulders and no sidewalks. We have high traffic volume on our main arteries Portugal Cove Road and Thorburn Road morning and evening. We have drivers who do not respect posted speed limits. We have drivers who do not respect safe driving practices around school zones or busses. We have a problem.

The Portugal Cove — St Philips Pedestrian Advisory Group was established this May to assist our town with this opportunity for change. We are a group of concerned, committed citizens with a goal to nourish the vibrancy of our community by making our roadways a place for people to walk, run, cycle, and play. Our mandate is as clear as our goal: *To create awareness and assist in the development of a sustainable, community-wide approach on matters relating to pedestrian safety.* 

What does a sustainable, community-wide approach mean? It means we want to see our citizens and our youth safely using our roads. We want business owners to be leaders of safe driving practices with their company vehicles. We want our friends and neighbours to commit to driving the speed limit, and coming to a full stop at stop signs. We want to share with our community safe pedestrian practices. We want everyone to help build a community where visitors admire our town because they feel safe traversing our roadways by car, by foot, or by cycle.

Community feedback is invaluable to this effort! Help create this vision for our town by stopping by our FaceBook page at Facebook.com/SafePCSP or give us a follow on Twitter @ SafePCSP. We publicly post our minutes on our FaceBook page and if you want to be added to our mailing list, email us at SafePCSP@gmail.com. With input from everyone, we can assist the Town Council in creating a sustainable and healthy community, accessible and usable by everyone.

See you on the roads!

Tera McDonald, Chair Norma Reid, Vice-Chair On Behalf of Portugal Cove – St. Philips Pedestrian Advisory Group

### Heritage Committee



The Heritage Committee is trying to keep our past in the present by recognizing and preserving historical areas and structures in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's, and cemetery clean up and preservation is high on that list. The people who are remembered in these cemeteries have all helped shape what our Town is today, so we want to respect their current place in the community.

We reopened the West Point Cemetery in 2013, and began the Holy Rosary Roman Catholic Cemetery clean-up in fall 2013. On June 24, The Heritage Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador along with students from Memorial University assisted our Heritage Committee and the R.C. Church in this project to continue clearing overgrowth and discuss preservation of the markers. We want to extend a big thank you to them for considering this space for their project.

The Heritage Committee is interested in taking on more of these clean-up projects; please contact heritage@pcsp.ca if you are the caretaker of a cemetery that needs some TLC.

# Advisory Committee on the Environment

Portugal Cove - St. Philip's really is a spectacular place to live. The sunsets, the trails, the trees, The birds, the whales, and the sea, The cry of the loon and some evening tea. We live here, and these are ours to enjoy - and ours to protect.

Did you know that if you have concerns regarding the environment and any activity that might affect it you can call the town and your concerns will be addressed? Just call 895-8000.







### Garbage Collection Schedule

- Garbage Pickup (every week)
- Recycling Pickup (every second week)

	JULY 2014						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thur	Fri	Sat	
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AUGUST 2014							
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	SEPTEMBER 2014								
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OCTOBER 2014							
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DECEMBER 2014						
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### **All-Way Stops**

New all-way stops will be installed at the intersections of:

- 1. Neary's Pond Road, Fennelly's Road and Western Heights; and
- 2. Western Gully Road and Princess Mountain Drive.

All-way stops are a means by which to manage the safe flow of traffic. Considerations when implementing all-way stops include visibility, type of roadway and volume of traffic.

### Garbage Collection Tips

A few helpful hints from our Collector Operators...

- Please keep our safety in mind broken glass, syringes and other harmful materials should be disposed of appropriately.
   Please do not place them directly into your garbage bag.
- Please place your garbage to the end of your driveway by 8:00 a.m. on your scheduled collection day.
- Please tie your garbage bags securely prior to placing them out for collection. Garbage bags that are not secured spread litter throughout the community and also attract rodents.
- If you use a garbage box, please keep it clean. Torn garbage bags, litter in the bottom of the garbage boxes and other debris attract rodents. We do not collect garbage from boxes that are infested with rodents as it is a health and safety risk for us.
- Please use regular size black garbage bags for your garbage.
   Do not use contractor size bags and do not overload the garbage bags it makes it difficult for us to collect your garbage. Please note our weight restriction on garbage bags is 50 pounds per bag.
- Pet feces For those residents who include feces from their dog or cat in their garbage, please double bag the feces prior to placing it in your black garbage bag. If you are disposing of kitty litter, please be mindful of the weight associated with it and distribute the weight appropriately.

# Bulk Garbage Pick-up & Spring Clean-up Drop-off Sites

Bulk garbage pick-up is available to residents throughout the year. Collection of bulk garbage is by appointment, usually handled on Monday of each week (except holidays) and weather dependent during the winter season. Appointments can be made by calling the Town office at 895-8000.

Thanks to all residents who participated in the Spring Clean-up Drop-off sites. A reminder that these sites are now closed for public access and we ask for your cooperation in not dropping refuse at the sites.