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## The Tickle Newsletter September - October 2018

## Charlie Hynes Wins Oarsman of the Year



Charlie Hynes pictured with Shannon Brown (Oarswoman of the Year)

Congratulations to Charlie Hynes on being awarded "Oarsman of the Year" at the 200th Royal St. John's Regatta on August 1st. The recipient of the annual "Oarsman of the Year" award is selected based on a ballot vote from all rowers participating in the regatta. This is Charlie's first year rowing and he was very successful. He rowed this year in memory of his mother, Debi Hynes, who passed away earlier this year. Charlie works with the Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's in the Public Works Department.

## Kid's Kampus Rowing Team



Congratulations to the Kid's Kampus Male Squirt under 12 years old rowing team who finished 2 seconds shy of second place (Race 3) in the 200th Royal St. John's Regatta. Team members (left to right) include: Dennis Greeley, Sam Richards, Kyle Manning, Robert Greeley (Coxswain/Coach), Cody MacWhirter, Isaac Lamb and Jesse Richards. Missing from photo is Coach Kevin Greeley. The team rowed in memory of Sandy Greeley, avid rower, Coxswain and Regatta 2011 Hall of Fame Inductee. Special thanks to Kid's Kampus who graciously sponsored the young team! Way to go boys!!

## **Remembering Mildred Squires**



The Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's is remembering Mildred (Millie) Squires, a former member of the Town staff.

Millie worked for the Town from August 1990 (she first worked for the Town of Portugal Cove, and then the Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's after amalgamation in 1992) and retired in January of 2006. She worked with our former Town Clerk, the late Loretta Tucker, as well as former Town Clerk, Judy Squires. She was a very nice lady with a great sense of humour, everyone loved her.

Those wishing to view her obituary or send condolences may visit the Carnell's Funeral Home website.

### "Kayaking for a Cause!"



A fantastic cleanup of Mitchell's Pond on Bennett's Road was conducted by the duo behind "Avalon Pond Cleanups." The two men, Eugene and Jason, snorkel and kayak ponds around the Avalon Peninsula and clean up trash on the bottom. Their mission: "to make our ponds cleaner and healthier for the next generation."

During their pond clean-up in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's, they found discarded hubcaps, fishing rods, hockey pucks, a VHS player, a shovel, an excessive amount of broken glass, and lots more. They described their day at the Mitchell's Pond cleanup by stating, "we filled both 'yaks in the rain, but at least our families, along with all the fish, eels and birds can enjoy a much cleaner and litter free bottom!"

The Town would like to remind residents not to litter and to always properly dispose of trash. Those wanting to join in the effort to help keep Portugal Cove-St. Philip's clean and beautiful can stop by the Town Hall to pick up free community clean-up bags and gloves any time during the Town Hall's open hours. Free pick-up of all garbage collected during community cleanups can also be arranged by contacting the Town Hall.

## Celebration of Pride in PCSP



Members of the Town Council and Town staff gathered outside the Portugal Cove-St. Philip's Town Hall for a rainbow flag raising event in celebration of Pride Week. Each July, Pride Week is recognized in various communities across the province to acknowledge and show support for the LGBTQ+ community. This year's theme was Pride Together!

## East Coast Trail Expanding in PCSP

A partnership has been established between the East Coast Trail Association and the Towns of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's, Conception Bay South, and Paradise to commence trail enhancement of the historic path between Topsail Beach and Portugal Cove.

In 2016 the Towns of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's and Conception Bay South signed Memorandum of Understandings (MOUs) to formalize their commitment to work together to maintain and protect the East Coast Trail. An MOU signing with the Town of Paradise was a final step in building the partnership necessary to begin the reclamation work to open the historic Path, a trail



traditionally used by residents of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's, Conception Bay South, and Paradise to travel between these communities, and by residents of the area who worked in the Bell Island Iron ore Mines from 1895 until its closure in 1966.

"We are very excited about the re-invigoration of a historic connection between our neighboring communities – through The East Coast Trail" says Mayor Carol McDonald, "our section of the trail offers stunning views high upon a mountain ridge overlooking Conception Bay, one of the most beautiful views on the island. We are pleased to offer this new opportunity for active living in such an incredibly picturesque setting."

### SPN National Men's D Division Champions

Quinlans Home Construction won the Slo-Pitch National Men's D Division 2018 softball championship in St. John's on August 2nd – 6th. Member of the team included some talented residents: Devin Hibbs, Rodney Coombs, Shannon Thorne, and Jeremy Johnson. Congratulations gentlemen!



# PublicWorks

Streets • Fleet • Waste Management • Water & Wastewater • Facilities

#### Welcome – Charlie Hamlyn

The Town of Portugal Cove -St. Philip's would like to welcome Charlie Hamlyn in the role of Director, Public Works. As Director, Charlie is responsible for the leadership of the Public Works Department and its three operating



divisions: (1) Street, Fleet and Waste Management; (2) Water and wastewater; and (3) Facilities.

Charlie's background lends itself well to this Director position, as he has over 20 years' experience in executive and senior management roles. His leadership skills, in combination with 20+ years in the construction, land development, capital projects, and project management industries, make Charlie a true asset to the Portugal Cove-St. Philip's staff team.

Throughout his career, Charlie has worked at all levels of land and infrastructure developments, from managing engineers and consultants for major capital projects and asset management, to strategic planning and operational efficiencies for small to medium sized enterprises. Charlie is a professionally trained Project Manager, Professional Technologist (P.Tech) and Certified Management Consultant (CMC). He is committed to high ethical standards in business and personal relationships and he has a long-standing and stellar reputation as a community volunteer.

Charlie is excited and honored to be a part of the PCSP community and looks forward to working with the residents, Town council and Town staff.

#### **Animal Control Services**

Wondering why there is a blue Town of Torbay Animal Control vehicle driving around our community? It's because the Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's has partnered with the Town of Torbay for shared services for the enforcement of Animal Control. The Animal Enforcement Officer (AEO) is a municipal employee through the Town of Torbay who has been appointed by the Provincial Government to enforce the provincial animal protection legislation (*Animal Health and Protection Act*) as well as the Town's Dog Control Regulations.

During the designated business hours for PCSP, the Animal Enforcement Officer provides street patrol, animal health and welfare inspections, collection and housing of dogs at large, and the administration of associated fines and fees.

Fees associated with collection of dogs at large are as follows:

First pickup - \$50.00 Second pickup - \$100.00 Third and Subsequent pickups - \$150.00

Summary Offence Tickets issued at the discretion of Animal Control for "Failure of Owner to Keep Dog Safely Tethered or Penned:

First offence - \$50.00 Second offence - \$100.00 Third and Subsequent offence - \$250.00

Any fees associated with the collection and housing of dogs overnight are charged to the owner as a cost recovery fee to the Town.

Bulk Collection Appointments still available for October 15, 22, & 29 and November 5, 19 & 26 Call 895-8000 x228 to schedule yours.

### Brookside Intermediate – Back to School Information



Parents / Guardians and Students of Brookside Intermediate are advised that school opens on Wednesday, September 5th and will be a full day of classes for all students. Grade 5, 6 and 7 students will go to the gym and their homeroom lists will

be announced at that time. Grade 8 and 9 students will go to their homerooms. Homeroom lists for grade 8 and 9 students will be posted around the school. Busses will begin their morning run at the usual time and depart school at 3:00 pm. For bus route information can be found on the NLESD website.

#### Let's Get Growing!



Look at the beautiful veggies growing in the community garden beds at Rainbow Gully Park! Our residents have been dutifully tending to their garden beds in the **Rainbow Gully Community** Garden all summer long. Each bed is unique and filled with a tasty blend of vegetables and herbs. Gardeners have planted strawberries, carrots, potatoes, beets, turnip, zucchini, kale, lettuce, onion and lots more! Thanks to the wonderful residents, Kevin and Jane Aucoin, for all their efforts to lead the community garden this year.

Didn't get a chance to get things growing this year, but want to try your hand at gardening? Join our community garden mailing list for all the latest information and updates on the 2019 growing season. Email Julie.Pomeroy@pcsp.ca for details.

## New PCSP Business Directory

The new PCSP Business Directory is now available online at www.pcsp.ca. In July 2018, the Directory was distributed to all households and businesses in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's. The directory was created in partnership with the PCSP



Chamber of Commerce and the Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's. It aims to add value and opportunity to the Portugal Cove-St. Philip's business community and increase awareness of local businesses to residents. New businesses interested in being added online to the Business Directory can contact Jeff Lawlor, Director of Economic Development, Marketing and Communications at jeff.lawlor@pcsp.ca



# Thank You

For Attending Canada Day & Regatta Festival 2018



The Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's would like to thank everyone involved in making Canada Day and our Regatta Festival a huge success! A special thanks to the PCSP Volunteer Fire Department for all their hard work. Many thanks to those who helped organize and volunteered their time and effort for all these events, we could not do this without you! We look forward to many more great events!

Portugal Gove

St. Philip's

## St. Lawrence Parish

Our Sunday Services will be at 8:30 am & 10:30 am, beginning September 2

CLB Registration Wednesday, September 12, (7:00 to 8:00 pm)

- Afternoon Cards & Fellowship Wednesday, September 12, 19, 26; October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 (2:00 pm)
- Girls Groups (Sunbeams / J.A. / Y.G.A.) Will begin Monday, September 17, (6:30 pm)
- Soup Supper (6:00 pm), Card Game (7:00 pm) Tuesday, September 18
- Back To Church Sunday, BBQ, Family Fun Day September 23, 10:30 am

Dinner Theatre September 29 (7:00 pm). Tickets must be booked in advance.

Fairy Garden Tea Party Sunday, October 14

Family Service (Child-Friendly) Sunday, October 21, 10:30 am

**Card Game** 

Tuesday, October 23 (8:00 pm)

## 1st Portugal Cove Scouting Group

The 1st Portugal Cove Scouting Group would like to extend thanks to our great community for their support of our community youth through the 2017-2018 Scouting year. Without such a supportive community, our Group could not be as successful as we are



in providing our community youth with the activities and adventures that they thirst for. We would also like to extend a heartfelt thank you to our volunteer Scouters, without whom we would be unable to offer such great programming to our youth.

Registration for the 2018-2019 Scouting year is currently ongoing at www.scouts.ca/join.

Learn more about our Group, and our community youth adventures at www.facebook.com/portugalcovescouts. Hope you had a safe and adventurous summer!

## Summer Reading Fun



Ahoy Kids! We hope you had fun joining us on a summer reading adventure and filling out your Pirate Log Books! Congratulations to all the mateys who won some treasure from the challenge.

We challenge you to keep the stories going and continue your reading this fall. Make your own reading goals and try to read a new book each week, or even each day! Come by the PCSP Library to borrow from our wide selection of books. There's sure to be something fantastic to read for everyone in our collection!

## Learn to Run Clinic

Sept. 24th - Oct. 25th

Monday & Thursday from 5:30-6:30 pm at the Recreation Centre

Cost: \$20 per participant

Session includes 20-30 minute instruction followed by an outdoor run.

## Library Programs

Afternoon Tea Seniors Book Club

2nd Tuesday of Each Month

2-4pm

Join us for an afternoon social, cup of tea and a sweet as we dive into some of your favourite books and authors. Each month is a different theme.

#### Trivia Tuesdays

Every 2nd Tuesday 7-8pm

Bring your friends, get competitive, eat snacks, and win prizes! Space is limited so call today to register your team. Adults only please.

## Regatta Race Results

Race	First Place	Sponsor				
Co-Ed 1st Race	Simone & Bruce (10:24:38)	Councillor Madonna Stewart—Sharpe				
Ladies Race	Simone & Carolyn (5:54:12)	Councillor David Bartlett				
Men's Race	Stephen & David (6:65:52)	Councillor Johnny Hanlon				
Co-Ed 2nd Race	Julie & Noah (9:35:78)	Facey Financial				

Races we're cancelled at this point due to high winds and safety concerns.

Boats we're moved into the Marina and anyone could get in and try rowing them. Many families took the chance to get in and enjoy our traditional Newfoundland and Labrador Heritage. Some people for the very first time!







Tractor rides, carnival games, horse rides, facepainting, and so much more! Wear your favourite Halloween costume, and bring the whole family. Full details coming to pcsp.ca

## Fall Programs

#### Zumba- 6 weeks

Monday September 17th to Thursday October 25th Time: Monday at Brookside- 8-9pm Thursday at Beachy Cove- 8:15-9:15pm Cost: \$48.00 for one class/week \$96.00 for two classes/week

#### Yoga-13 weeks

Monday September 10th- Thursday December 13th When: Monday & Thursday at Rec Centre: 6:30pm to 7:30pm Cost: \$110.00 for one class/week \$200.00 for two classes/week Note: No class on Monday October 8th Thanksgiving No classes November 19th to 26th

#### Older Adult Fitness- 12 weeks

Monday September 10th – Thursday November 29th Time: Monday and Thursday at Rec Centre: 9:30 am to 10:30 am Cost: \$30.00

#### **Kickboxing-12 Weeks**

Wednesday September 12th – Wednesday November 28th When: Wednesday at Rec Centre: 7:30pm to 8:30pm Cost: \$100.00

#### Early Morning Bootcamp- 4 weels

Tuesday October 2nd – Friday October 26th When: Tuesday at Rec Centre: 5:15am to 6:15am Cost: \$70.00

#### Teen Kickboxing- 4 weeks

Thursday October 4th – Thursday October 25th Time: Brookside Intermediate during lunch break Cost: \$10.00 per participant

PCSP Playgroup Wednesday September 5th - December 5th

## French Storytime at the PCSP Library!

Join us on Saturday, September 29th from 10am-12pm at the PCSP Library for French Storytime! We will be read a story, sing songs, and make a craft- all in French! This is a great opportunity for children to practice the French language with Mme Amy and Mme Kailey! Suitable for children 7 and under. To pre-register your child's spot, call the PCSP Library 709-895-5655 or e-mail Kailey.cahill-meeker@pcsp.ca. Deadline for registration is September 27th, 2018.

## St. Philip's Anglican Church

September 25 – ACW Card Game: 8:00pm October 30 – ACW Card Game: 8:00pm

#### Women's Institute

St. Philip's W.I. will be starting up again on September 10 at 8:00 p.m. in the Recreation Centre.

## Touch Tank Wednesday In The Library



Seas the day! On August 8th, the PCSP Library welcomed residents to an exciting new event: Touch Tank Wednesday. Attendees experienced an up-close and personal look at the underwater world of Newfoundland and Labrador! Our saltwater visitors included starfish, sea urchins, crabs, and more. Thanks to the Ocean Sciences Centre for bringing their touch tank to the library for everyone to enjoy.

Check out the Library page at www.pcsp.ca for a list of upcoming events or pop by during open hours, Mondays: 1pm-5pm, Tuesdays: 1pm-4pm and 5pm-7:30pm, Wednesdays: 1pm-4pm and 5pm and 7:30pm, and Thursdays: 10am-12pm.

### Caturday Café Helps Animals in Need

Families spent a purrfect day in the PCSP Library for the "Caturday Café." The fundraising event was a collaboration between the PCSP Library and SPCA St. John's. Five fuzzy kittens from the SPCA were brought to the library for an afternoon of fun amongst the book stacks! People who attended the event had the opportunity to play with the kittens and have some delicious snacks with tea, coffee, and other refreshments.

Besides being an afternoon of furry fun, the Caturday Café raised over \$400 in cash donations for the SPCA. Many visitors also brought cat food, litter, and treats for the animals at the shelter. Thanks to everyone who came out and made this event such a success! Keep an eye on the Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's social media channels for details of the next Caturday Café, taking place on Saturday, October 27th from 10am-3pm.





#### September - October 2018

## **SEPTEMBER 2018**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>Beautification Awards Judging</li> </ul>	Beautification Awards     Judging	<ul> <li>First Day of School</li> <li>Beautification Awards Judging</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Beautification Awards Judging</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Beautification Awards Judging</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> </ul>
2	3	4	• Legion Bingo 5	6	7	8
	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Family History Club</li> <li>Afternoon Tea Seniors Book Club</li> <li>Lions Club</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence CLB Registration</li> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Heritage Commitee</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> </ul>	Bill Churchill     Tournament	<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> <li>Bill Churchill Tournament</li> </ul>
9	10	<ul> <li>Trivia Tuesday</li> <li>11</li> </ul>	Legion Bingo     Kickboxing     12	13	14	15
Bill Churchill     Tournament	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>St. Lawrence Sunbeams/J.A./Y.G.A.</li> </ul>	St. Lawrence Soup Supper & Card Game	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> <li>Legion Bingo</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zumba</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Legion Country Corral Open Mic</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> </ul>
16	Begins Zumba 17	18	• Kickboxing 19	20	21	22
<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Back to Church BBQ &amp; Fun Day</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Zumba</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Philips ACW Card Game</li> <li>Lions Club</li> <li>Trivia Tuesday</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>Legion Bingo</li> <li>Kickboxing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zumba</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> <li>Library French Storytime</li> </ul>
23/30	24	25	26	27	28	• St. Lawrence Dinner Theatre 29

## OCTOBER 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Zumba</li> <li>National Seniors Day</li> </ul>	Early morning bootcamp	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> <li>Legion Bingo</li> <li>Kickboxing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zumba</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Teen Kickboxing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Tickle Submission Deadline</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> </ul>
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	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Zumba</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Early morning bootcamp</li> <li>Afternoon Tea Seniors Book Club</li> <li>Lions Club</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> <li>Legion Bingo</li> <li>Kickboxing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zumba</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Teen Kickboxing</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> </ul>
7	8	• Trivia Tuesday 9	10	11	12	13
<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Fairy Garden Tea Party</li> <li>PCSP Fall Family Festival</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Zumba</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Early morning bootcamp</li> <li>Family History Club</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> <li>Legion Bingo</li> <li>Kickboxing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zumba</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Teen Kickboxing</li> <li>Ustikes Constitution</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Legion Country Corral Open Mic</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> </ul>
14	15	16	• Kickboxing 17	Heritage Commitee     18	19	20
St. Lawrence Child Friendly Service	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Zumba</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Early morning bootcamp</li> <li>St. Lawrence Card Game</li> <li>Lions Club</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> <li>PCSP Playgroup</li> <li>Legion Bingo</li> <li>Kickboxing</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Zumba</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> <li>Teen Kickboxing</li> <li>Heritage Commitee</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>PCSP Hiking/Walking Club</li> <li>Caturday Café in the Library</li> </ul>
21	22	• Trivia Tuesday 23	24	25	26	27
	<ul> <li>Women's Institute</li> <li>Yoga</li> <li>Older Adult Fitness</li> </ul>	St. Philips ACW Card Game	<ul> <li>St. Lawrence Cards and Fellowship</li> </ul>			
28	29	30	31			

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#### ACE – Advisory Committee on the Environment

WATER QUALITY TESTING & STREAM ASSESSMENTS



Pictured from L-R: Natalya Dawe, Erika Murphy, Tyler Cogswell, Kyle Roberts

The Portugal Cove-St. Philip's Green Team have been conducting stream assessments as well as doing water quality testing at various locations in the community, with a focus on ponds and their associated systems. The team uses specialized equipment to test for certain pollutants and water quality indicators, such as the pH and dissolved oxygen of the sample site. Water samples are taken from selected sites and brought back to the lab where the team is able measure phosphate and nitrate levels in the water. The purpose of the team's research is to identify areas in the community where there may be signs of over-enrichment caused by either natural or anthropogenic processes, and identify the potential sources of pollution.

The Portugal Cove- St. Philip's Green Team is using a variety of methods to organize as well as present our data such as the use of ArcGIS, PowerPoint, Microsoft Word and Google Documents. One of the main goals of the project is to try and communicate our findings and research in an accessible and approachable manner. We aim to make our research and findings understandable to the general public and leave them with the knowledge to be able to make their own judgements with the information presented.

The team would like to make a special thank you for the continuous support from our proponent Julie Pomeroy, the Heritage Programs and Services Coordinator for the community of Portugal Cove - St. Philip's. The Advisory Committee of Environment (ACE), consisting of Dick Whitaker (chair), who has been very informative and insightful during the whole project, as well as Rita Anderson, Sonya Rideout, Sheena Tucker, Glenn Sharp, Nikita Stapleton, and Tina Neary. We also thank Geoff Whiteway and Ryan Pretty from the Marine Institute for assisting with training the Green Team in water testing and providing supplies and great support. Finally, we would also like to thank Newfoundland and Labrador Hydro for sponsoring this project.

Team members: Tyler Cogswell (Lead), Natalya Dawe, Erika Murphy and Kyle Roberts

#### Heritage Committee

Ancestry Ancestry library edition

#### We Have Ancestry Library Edition!

Thanks to the Heritage Committee and the dedication of the Family History Club Ancestry Library Edition will now be available to PCSP Library patrons. The two computer workstations will soon have Ancestry Library Edition set up on them to be used by anyone, for free. As well, the Library has recently purchased some great genealogy books to help get people started.

Don't know where to start? Start in the library! Plus you can attend the Family History Club meetings that take place in the library at 10am on the 3rd Tuesday morning of the month.

#### The next meetings are:

September 11th at 10am October 16th at 10 am

The PCSP Heritage Committee will resume regular monthly meetings in September after their summer hiatus. Meetings take place at the Voisey's Brook Hut at 7pm.

#### Next meetings will be taking place on:

September 13th at 7:00pm October 18th at 7:00pm

#### HAVE A LOVE OF HISTORY OR HERITAGE AND **COMMUNITY?**

Why not find out what your town's Heritage Committee is all about!

For more information contact: Julie Pomeroy: julie.pomeroy@pcsp.ca or 895-5657 Michael Pretty: whereoncetheystood@nl.rogers.com

## **BUDGET 2019** PUBLIC CONSULTATIONS

Will be scheduled throughout the months of October and November. Visit the Town's website, Facebook and social media pages for further details coming soon.

## **Kitchens Inc**



Now open in lovely Portugal Cove- St. Philips, Kitchens Inc is the next generation of Living Rooms (which closed in Churchill Square earlier this year after almost 40 years in business). Too busy to cook tonight or have company coming? Stop by and try our gourmet take- home meals or one of our delicious sandwiches (from 12-2pm Monday– Friday) to go. We also have a great selection of gifts and housewares. From host gifts to birthday gifts, for the collector to the gourmand, Kitchens Inc has something for everyone. Looking forward seeing familiar faces and meeting new friends at our new store!

For the person who has everything, we have everything else...

## <sup>ra</sup> Annua **Bill Church** Memorial Softball Tournament

#### September 14 - 16, 2018

Voisey's Brook Park Mixed Tournament (min. 4 females per team) Register your team today! Contact: Nick Miller 895-5661 or email Nick.Miller@pcsp.ca



Legion Happenings... 895-6521

#### Darts

Men's: Thursday nights at 8:00 pm Mixed: Tuesday nights at 8:00 pm Men's Single league: Monday nights at 8:00 pm Women's: Sunday nights at 8:00 pm Contact the Legion at 895-6521 for more information

#### **Country Corral Open Mic**

Friday September 21 and Friday October 19

#### 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.

#### **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.

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

#### Book your function at the Royal Canadian Legion! Great Rates - Great Hall - Great Fun!

The hall has A/C and and an outdoor deck Call 895-6521 for more information Monday-Friday: Open at 4:00pm Saturday: Open at 12:00noon Sunday: Open at 2:00pm

#### **Legion Representative Contacts**

Len Collins, President: 895-6521 Michael Pretty, Service Officer: 727-4674 Provincial Command, 753-6290

"find" us on **I** facebook We are Branch 10 of the Roval **Canadian Legion** 



## On Display to Welcome the World



Local Artist Vessela Brakalova says she is humbled by the opportunity to have her work on permanent display at the St. John's International Airport. The three large mosaic pieces are on display in the new section of the airport and offer travelers a bold and iconic sense of Newfoundland culture.

Vessela would like to extend her gratitude to Keith Collins and Marie Manning, "who trusted my professional integrity", John Hearn "who provided a canvas and vision of the space that inspired me to submerged in my creative imagination", and to Jennifer Young and Amy Henderson from Business & Art NL "for their support through trials and tribulation".

#### From the Mayor's Desk



As we approach the one year anniversary of our current council's time in office, I am very proud of the progress and achievements we have made so far for the Town. We are committed to continuing to listen to our residents and the business community as we strive to make this Town the best in Newfoundland and Labrador.

We will be completing comprehensive budget consultations again with the public this year to ensure all those who want to speak will have the opportunity to have their voices heard by our council. Residents can expect to hear more about our plans for the budget consultations and for the upcoming year throughout the fall of 2018.

As summer comes to a close, a new chapter begins for all the young students in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's. I would like to wish all the boys and girls good luck as they begin another wonderful school year. I also wish the teachers and staff of Brookside Intermediate and Beachy Cove Elementary all the best as they return to their classrooms this fall. I hope this school year brings lots of opportunities for learning, development, and fun for the youth of our town.

**Mayor Carol McDonald** 

We want to hear from you! Send in your pictures, community events or any information you would like to see in the newsletter. Deadline for submissions for the November - December 2018 edition is 4:30pm Friday, October 5th, 2018. Contact Jeff Lawlor at jeff.lawlor@pcsp.ca or 895-8000 ext 222.