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The *Tickle* Newsletter November - December 2018

PCSP Pirates Head to 2019 Softball World Series!



Congratulations to the PCSP Pirates of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's on their performance in the USSSA World Series of Softball Qualifier in St. John's. The team beat out all the competition in their respective division, coming first overall in the event!

By winning the tournament, they secured a spot to play next year at the World Series of Softball in Las Vegas. Good luck and best wishes to the team as they spend the year preparing for this exciting international event. Your Town is cheering for you!

PCSP Resident Heads to Invictus Games



Sending good luck and congratulations to Portugal Cove-St. Philip's resident, Retired Corporal JoAnne (Gunny) Gilliland Power, who will embark on her journey to the Invictus Games as a member of Team Canada. The Games will take place in Sydney, Australia from October 20th – 27th.

The Invictus Games are an international sporting event for wounded, injured and ill veterans as well as active personnel. The Games highlight the power of sport to inspire recovery, support rehabilitation, and encourage respect and a wider understanding of those who serve their country.

Mayor Carol McDonald, MHA David Brazil, and Councillor Darryl Harding were very pleased to present JoAnne (Gunny) with a Town flag signed by the students of Beachy Cove Elementary and Brookside Intermediate.

Duke of Edinburgh Bronze Award



L-R: Jared Grace, William Pennell, Andrew Grace, Ethan Norman, Aiden Osmond, Spencer Wellon, Evan Butler, Thomas O'Brien, Brandon Dalton, Emma Bartlett, Jatin Joon, Mary Kate O'Dea, Juliana Tschaja, William Dyke, Lily Dubrowski, Cheyenne Kelly, Mia Waye, Elizabeth Stevens, Anna Jewer, Rachel Moss, Claire Donnan, Amelia Mitchell, Stephanie Wicks, Katie Wicks, Olivia Sala and Anna Parsons.

Congratulations to the combined Brookside Intermediate / LBJH Duke of Edinburgh participants who successfully completed their Bronze Award this year. This award required consistent, repeated effort in the categories of Physical Activity, Service and Skill Development, as well as training for and completion of 10 km and 20 km hikes, carrying all equipment required for their overnight camp.

PCSP Resident Awarded Honour from Writer's Alliance of NL

Congratulations to local author Sheilah Lukins who received the Bruneau Family Award for Children's / Young Adults for her book "Full Steam Ahead: Errol's Bell Island Adventure". This prestigious award was presented at Government House on September 5th.



Breastless & Beautiful

WINK (Women into Networking Kindness) is a non-profit organization dedicated to supporting the community through active participation in volunteerism, fundraising, and acts of kindness for persons in need. The organization recently launched their 2019-2020 Breastless and Beautiful Interactive Story Calendar as a means to not only raise much funds, but also to educate and inspire our community. All proceeds from the calendar sales are donated to the Dr. H. Bliss Murphy Cancer Care Foundation's Patient and Family Support Fund, which helps cancer patients experiencing financial hardship as a result of their diagnosis.

For more information on how you can participate, share and inspire, as well as purchase one of these beautiful calendars, visit: www.breastlessandbeautiful.ca





Christmas in the Cove

NOVEMBER 24, 2018 10am-4pm
St. Lawrence Parish Hall
Portugal Cove-St. Philip's

\$2 Admission
Kids under 12 are free
Crafts, direct sales and food vendors
Door prize 50/50 Canteen

Fun for the whole family and so much more!

A fundraiser for the PCSP Girls trip to Dance the World in June 2019

PublicWorks

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Winter Parking Ban

Residents are reminded that during the period from November 1st 2018 to April 30th 2019, both days inclusive, no person shall park, leave or abandon any vehicle or any portion of any vehicle upon any Street Reservation within the Town between the hours of 12:00 midnight, to and including 8:00 a.m.; and at any time when there is a snowfall and for twelve hours after the snowfall has ceased. Vehicles left on the roadway may be subject to a ticket or be impounded at the owner's expense.

If you own rental property, please ensure your tenants are aware of the parking restrictions.

During snow removal operations and pushback following a weather event, it is very difficult for the Town's operators to effectively clear streets if vehicles are parked on the roadway. This causes them to have to go around the vehicle which then has the potential to leave a lot of snow in the roadway. Help us help you by not parking on the street during weather events.

Residents are also reminded that during this same period, no person shall shovel, plow, blow or cause to be shoveled, plowed or blown any residue snow or ice from a driveway or parking lot unto any Street within the Town.

If you have a private contractor hired for snow removal, please ensure they are aware of the Town's regulations.

Snow Clearing Damage

All Claims for damage must be made in writing to the Town Office no later than May 15th, 2019. Verbal claims will not be responded to. Claims received after this date, will not be considered.

Winter Garbage & Recycling Tips

During the snowy winter months, please keep the following tips in mind:

- Place your bags as close to curbside as possible to ensure our collectors are not walking over icy terrain
- Keep all garbage containers clear of snow and ice
- Do not place your bags on top of snow banks as our operators are not permitted to climb up onto snowbanks to collect bags
- During snow clearing, please ensure your bags or containers are not blocked in by vehicles
- Be mindful that extreme weather affects both our employees and trucks, during those days, your patience is appreciated
- Changes or cancellations to our service due to weather events are posted on the Town's website at www.pcsp.ca

Garbage & Recycling Collection Schedule Changes - December

Please be reminded that during December month the following garbage & recycling collection dates are impacted by holiday schedule changes:

Garbage on:

Tuesday (Dec 25) moved to Thursday (Dec 27)

Garbage on:

Wednesday (Dec 26) moved to Friday (Dec 28)

Garbage & Recycling on:

Thursday (Dec 27) moved to Saturday (Dec 29)

Garbage & Recycling on:

Friday (Dec 28) moved to Sunday (Dec 30)

The 2019 Waste Management Schedule will be posted to the Town's website last week of December 2018 and will be published in the January-February 2019 newsletter.

HEATING SAFETY – Be Warm and Safe This Winter

There is something about the winter months and curling up with a good book by the fireplace. But did you know that heating equipment is one of the leading causes of home fire deaths? With a few simple safety tips and precautions you can prevent most heating fires from happening.

HEATING EQUIPMENT SMARTS:

Install wood burning stoves following manufacturer's instructions or have a professional do the installation. All fuel-burning equipment should be vented to the outside to avoid carbon monoxide (CO) poisoning.

Install and maintain CO alarms to avoid the risk of CO poisoning. If you smell gas in your gas heater, do not light the appliance. Leave the home immediately and call your local fire department or gas company.

FACT! Half of home heating fires are reported during the months of December, January and February.

- Keep anything that can burn at least 3 feet from any and all heating equipment
- Never use your oven to heat your home
- Have a qualified professional install space heating equipment, water heaters, etc.
- Have a professional clean your heating equipment and chimney regularly
- Always turn portable heaters off whenever you leave the room
- Always use the fuel specified by the manufacturer
- Make sure the fireplace has a sturdy screen to stop sparks. Ashes should be completely cooled before putting them in a metal container and keep the container a safe distance from your home
- Test your smoke alarm once a month

Celebrating Our Firefighters

The PCSP Volunteer Fire Department held their 22nd Annual Firefighter's Ball on September 22nd at the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 10. The evening is a celebration of the department's dedication and commitment to the safety and protection of our community. Firefighter Dwayne Rowe received recognition for his 10 years of service on the department, as well, Lt. Terry Scott was awarded Officer of the Year and FF Zachary Parrell was awarded Firefighter of the Year. A number of members also received their certificates in various levels of training.



THE DEPARTMENT WELCOMED SIX NEW MEMBERS:

(Front row L-R) Greg Seymour, Mike Burton, Kaitlyn Seguin, Evan Wheeler, Derek Magnusson, Delaney Rice.

Portugal Cove - St. Philip's

YOUTH COMMITTEE

Seeking young leaders for a new PCSP Youth Committee! The committee will plan social events, help organize a support group, facilitate activities, and more!

Contact Dawn Sharpe for more details:
dawn.sharpe@pcsp.ca or 895-8000 ext. 236

SAVE THE DATE

PCSP Winter Carnival is coming

FEBRUARY 8TH, 2019!



PCSP Winter Carnival

Full details are coming and tickets go on sale in January. Don't miss it!

St. Philip's Anglican Church

ACW Fall Sale is Saturday November 17th from 10am – 3pm at the Parish Center

Fall Fitness Programs

PCSP KICKBOXING (SPACE STILL AVAILABLE)

Wednesdays from 7:30pm to 8:30pm (ends Nov. 28th)
Recreation Centre. \$10.00. Call mike to register: 895-5671

NEW FALL ZUMBA SESSION (6 WEEKS)

Mondays & Thursdays Oct. 29th – Dec. 6th

Mondays: Brookside 8:00pm to 9:00pm

Thursdays: Beachy Cove 8:15pm to 9:15pm

\$48.00 - one class/wk or \$96.00 - two classes/wk

\$10.00 drop in fee/class

Registration opens Monday October 22nd

Fall Program Events

SENIORS MASSAGE

November 5th, from 11:30am to 3:00pm

Recreation Centre. Contact Paula to register 730-6033

PCSP PLAYGROUP CHRISTMAS PARTY

Wednesday December 5th at the Recreation Centre

\$2.00 Drop in fee. Playtime, treats, and a very special visit from Santa!

THANK You!

The Fall Family Festival on Sunday October 14th was a huge success. Thanks to all the families who came out to have fun and celebrate fall with us at Rainbow Gully Park. The event featured pony rides, a petting zoo, tractor rides, giant games, face painting, and of course – lots of tasty Halloween treats! Special shout out to all our wonderful sponsors and partners who made the Fall Family Festival possible: Spirit Horse NL – Stable Life Inc, Murray's Horticultural, Tickle Trunk Entertainment, Facey Financial, VOCM News, and HITS FM.





Christmas Events 2018



UGLY STICK WORKSHOP
Tuesday November 27th 6:00pm
Recreation Centre

A true Newfoundland tradition! Create your own traditional Ugly Stick. Perfect for the Annual Christmas Parade. \$10 per participant. Register through eServices.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

Saturday December 1st 9:00 - 11:00am

Brookside Intermediate

Enjoy a continental breakfast with fruit, yogurt, pancakes, cereal and much more. Register through eServices on November 13th for residents - November 19th for non-residents (space permitting). Children under 1 are free but must be registered through Nicole Clark at 895-5677.



TOWN OF PCSP & VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARADE

Sunday December 2nd 2:00pm

Holy Rosary Parish to the Royal Canadian Legion

Join us for the Annual Christmas Parade with our friend from the North Pole! Volunteers from the Fire Department, local community groups and businesses will be showing off all the things Christmas. Please bring along a non-perishable food item for the local food bank and don't forget your letter for Santa! The parade will begin at Holy Rosary Parish Hall and head toward the Royal Canadian Legion starting at 2:00pm. Traffic will be slowed on Portugal Cove Road for the duration of the parade.

TREE LIGHTING

Tuesday December 4th 6:30pm

Town Hall

Join the Mayor, Council and staff as they turn on the Town's Christmas Tree for the holiday season. Take in some festive Christmas songs, followed by our "dancing tree", brilliant fireworks show and delicious hot chocolate. Remember to dress for the weather as this is an outdoor event.



GINGERBREAD CONTEST

Tuesday December 4th

Following the Tree Lighting at the Recreation Centre

Showcase your delicious construction talents by entering the Annual Gingerbread Decorating Contest. Be as creative as you want but you must use everything provided in the kit. You can add on anything at all, no limits! Bring your completed creation to the Recreation Centre before 6:00pm. Judges will be on hand immediately following the Tree Lighting. There are some terrific prizes to be won! Kits are only \$20, peanut free and will be available for pick up Monday November 26th. Register through eServices.

MERRY & BRIGHT FESTIVAL OF LIGHT

December 17th - 21st

Is your home the best dressed this holiday season? The Recreation and Community Services Department would like to invite all residents to participate in the Merry & Bright Festival of Light! Break out your Christmas decorating skills and your festive spirit, challenge your neighbours to see who can outdo who with their creativity. The Recreation Team will be travelling throughout the community all week long for judging. No pre-registration is required, however if you don't want to be missed please call Nicole Clark at 895-5677. Make sure your lights are on by 5:30pm!



Bill Churchill Memorial Tournament

Thank you to everyone who came out to participate in the annual Bill Churchill Memorial Tournament at Voisey's Brook Park in September. There were eight fantastic teams in the tournament, with the PCSP Minor Softball Executive Team coming out on top as the overall winner.



The tournament is an annual event hosted by the Town of Portugal Cove-St. Philip's and proceeds go towards a scholarship for a minor softball player who demonstrates outstanding leadership skills and contributions to the community. This year's recipient was Adam Miller. Congratulations, Adam!

St. Lawrence Parish

November 11: 9 am- Community Remembrance Day Service followed by service at the Cenotaph.

November 17: ACW Fall Fair- 11am- 1pm

November 25: Family Service with band Jacob's Passage

December 1: 10 am- 12pm- Advent Family Fun Day

December 20: 7:30 pm- Blue Christmas Service

December 23: 10:30 am- Children's Pageant

December 24: 4 pm- Children's Service with band Jacob's Passage
7 pm- Holy Eucharist with band Eastern Gate
10 pm- Holy Communion

December 25: 10:30 am- Holy Communion

December 30: 10:30 am- Service of Carols and Lessons

Afternoon Cards and Fellowship: Wednesday Nov. 7, 14, 21, 28; Dec. 5 last day for cards

ACW Card Game: Nov. 20th bring your own cards and baskets.

Fall Sale: Nov. 17th from 11-1, all the usual tables and brunch.

Library Programs

Yarns for Youngins

Every Thursday morning at 10am

New Session of Paws 4 Stories

Will begin again on November 6th from 5:30pm- 6:30pm

Trivia Tuesdays

November 20th (7-8pm, Adults only, theme TBA)

French Storytime

November 17th (10am-12pm)

Afternoon Tea Book Club for Seniors

Second Tuesday of every month at 2pm

Board Game Night at the Library

Bundle up from the cold and have a game or two. December 5th, 6:30pm-8pm

Trivia Tuesdays

December 11th, 7-8pm (Christmas themed, adults only)

Snowy Stories - Christmas party for Yarns

Thursday, December 13th at 10am

Flurries and Fun

December 15th, Fun Christmas themed activity and story time for the whole family

Holy Rosary Parish

Card Games are the first Tuesday of every month.

Monthly Card Game, Tuesday, November 6 @ 8 pm, Holy Rosary Parish Hall; good prizes; door prize; admission is \$5.00; please bring your own cards and baskets. Everyone welcome, come along and bring your friends.

Christmas Raffle & Bake Sale - Sunday, November 18 from 2 - 4 pm; Holy Rosary Parish Hall (next to Holy Rosary Church). Raffle - turkeys, hams, chocolates, soft drinks, Christmas cheer, etc. Bake sale with bread, cakes, cookies, pies and many other Christmas treats.

Tickets on the Christmas Sweep will be coming out in mid-November. Two draws packed with lots of good things for Christmas. Draw to take place on Sunday, Dec.16th

Monthly Card Game, Tuesday, December 4 @ 8 pm at Holy Rosary Parish Hall; good prizes, door prize; admission is \$5.00; please bring your own cards and baskets. Everyone welcome

Rainbow 50+ Club

A SPECIAL THANK YOU to the Town and especially Mike Stone and the Recreation and Community Services Department for the beautiful afternoon on Monday, Oct.1st, at Murray's Pond for National Senior's Day. You are always there to do things for all seniors of the Town and 50 Plus Club. A GREAT time was had by ALL.

The 50 Plus Club meets every Friday afternoon from 2 – 4pm for cards/darts. Everyone over 50 is welcome to come along and check out the fun.

Friday, Nov. 16th, Executive Meeting followed by General Meeting and Election of Officers for the next 2 years. Nominations welcomed.

Friday, Dec. 14th is the LAST DAY for cards/darts until Friday, Jan.11th, 2019.

The 50 Plus Club is offering a FREE massage to any senior in the Town/Club on Monday Nov. 5th. Spaces are limited. If you are interested please call Paula @ 739-1303 to register.

Lions Club

Meetings every second and fourth Tuesday of the month. Meetings start at 7:30pm at the Voisey's Brook Park chalet. New members are always welcome!



Memorial United Church

CHRISTMAS ROAST BEEF DINNER

Saturday December 1st

6:00pm

Eat in or take out. For more information call 895-6525

NOVEMBER 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week 2019 Budget Public Meeting Zumba Yarns for Youngins Winter Parking Ban Begins Legion Men's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week Rainbow 50+ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week PCSP Hiking/Walking Club
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week 2019 Budget Public Meeting Legion Women's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week Zumba Seniors Massage Legion Men's Single Darts Women's Institute Guy Fawkes Bonfire 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week Holy Rosary Card Game Paws 4 Stories Legion Mixed Darts Family History Club 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CO Awareness Week PCSP Kickboxing PCSP Playgroup Legion Bingo St. Lawrence Parish Cards & Fellowship St. Philip's ACW Fall Sale 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zumba Yarns for Youngins Legion Men's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rainbow 50+ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Hiking/Walking Club
Remembrance Day <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legion Parade Legion Women's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zumba Legion Men's Single Darts Women's Institute 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paws 4 Stories Afternoon Tea Book Club for Seniors Public Council Meeting Legion Mixed Darts Lions Club 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Kickboxing PCSP Playgroup Legion Bingo St. Lawrence Parish Cards & Fellowship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zumba Yarns for Youngins Livable Cities Forum Legion Men's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rainbow 50+ 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Hiking/Walking Club St. Lawrence Fall Sale Legion Christmas Craft Fair Library French Storytime ICLEI Livable Cities Forum St. Philip's Anglican Church ACW Fall Sale
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legion Women's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zumba Legion Men's Single Darts Women's Institute 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ugly Stick Workshop Paws 4 Stories Public Council Meeting Legion Mixed Darts Lions Club 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Kickboxing PCSP Playgroup Legion Bingo St. Lawrence Parish Cards & Fellowship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zumba Yarns for Youngins Legion Men's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rainbow 50+ 	

DECEMBER 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breakfast with Santa United Church Christmas Roast Beef Dinner Spirit Horse Spirit of Christmas Legion Dart Tournament PCSP Hiking/Walking Club
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP VFD Christmas Parade Legion Women's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Zumba Legion Men's Single Darts Women's Institute 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Tree Lighting Gingerbread Contest Holy Rosary Card Game Paws 4 Stories Legion Mixed Darts Family History Club 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Playgroup Christmas Party Library Board Game Night Legion Bingo St. Lawrence Parish Cards & Fellowship 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yarns for Youngins Legion Men's Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rainbow 50+ Submission Deadline Tickle Newsletter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PCSP Hiking/Walking Club
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Holy Rosary Christmas Sweep Draw Legion Women's Darts Legion Bingo Fundraiser 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Merry & Bright Festival of Light Legion Men's Single Darts Women's Institute 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paws 4 Stories Legion Mixed Darts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legion Bingo 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yarns for Youngins Legion Men's Darts 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legion Dance
23/30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Legion New Years Eve Party 24/31	Merry Christmas! 25	26	27	28	29



ACE – Advisory Committee on the Environment

2018 LIVABLE CITIES FORUM – POP-UP EVENT

Thursday November 15, 2018

9:00am-4:30pm

Alt Hotel St. John's, 125 Water Street

The seventh annual Livable Cities Forum is being hosted as a Pop-Up Event in the City of St. John's, Newfoundland. The Forum is a boutique national event widely known for its high-caliber sessions and diverse speakers on climate change action in Canada.

This year's program will be delivered in a variety of unique formats including panel discussions, plenaries and several interactive and dynamic sessions.

- Kick-starting your community climate change adaptation and resilience initiatives.
- Managing local climate risks to social, natural, built, and economic systems within Canadian communities.
- Showcasing local leadership in resilience of local governments and practitioners from across Canada.
- Effectively communicating risks and opportunities associated with climate change to different types of stakeholders such as businesses, elected officials, and residents.

For full details, visit: <http://www.livablecitiesforum.com/>

World Breastfeeding Week Celebrations



World Breastfeeding Week celebrations occur around the globe from October 1st to 7th to help promote the nurturing of healthier babies, mothers, communities, environments and economies. In Portugal Cove-St. Philip's, local families came together at The Grounds Café on October 5th to celebrate breastfeeding in our community. Thank you to the wonderful nurses of the Eastern Health Community Clinic for organizing this event!

Heritage Committee

Heritage Anchor

This fall, Donna Teasdale, Archaeological Conservator, and her intern Josh Forth were in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's to help the Town's Heritage and Programs Services Coordinator do some conservation work on the anchor that was retrieved from the Portugal Cove Ferry Terminal.

Donna runs the conservation lab for the MUN Archaeology Department and Josh is currently working with Donna on the internship component of his Cultural Heritage Conservation and Management Program through Fleming College. In these pictures, you can see them working to carefully remove the crust that has formed on the anchor to prepare it for the next conservation steps.

For further information on this project, contact the Town's Heritage and Programs Services Coordinator, Julie Pomeroy, at 895-5657 or julie.pomeroy@pcsp.ca



Local Artist Solo Exhibit

CALAMITY AND GLASS is a spectacular tour-de-force collection of mosaics in which wall-hangings and sculptures balances the power of stone with the delicacy of cut glass. Vessela Brakalova's newest work creates glittering, pixelated representations of historic maps of St. John's, alongside free-standing sculptures modeled on iconic Newfoundland imagery.

According to the artist "[the mosaics'] contemporary forms [are] inspired by the history and resilience of the people of Newfoundland and Labrador. Creative tension supplied by the non-traditional use of glass mosaic. The modern twist comes from elegant design executed with laser-cut precision."

October 12 – November 12, 2018

Craft Council Gallery, 275 Duckworth Street, St. John's

Women's Institute

The WI would like to send a BIG THANK YOU to all who participated in the Fund raising Card Game on October 15th.

On the 11th day of the 11th month at the 11th hour please join the Royal Canadian Legion in Remembrance of all those who have sacrificed all for our Freedom. Join us on parade, please contact the Legion for details.

LEST WE FORGET

Darts

Every Sunday, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.
Except Nov 19, Dec 16, 24, 31

December 1: Dart Tournament all day event

November 11: Remembrance Day Parade

Form up at St. Lawrence Church parking lot for 10:15am,
parade starts at 10:30am.

November 17: Christmas Craft Fair

10:00 – 4:00. There will be a draw for a turkey.

December 16: Bingo fundraiser 7:00 – 10:00

St. John's Youth Social Justice Society

- Fundraiser to purchase Christmas Hampers for NE Avalon Food Bank
- All welcome to attend

December 22: Dance (Fundraiser for softball) - All welcome

December 31 - New Years Eve: Annual Party

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 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



We are Branch
10 of the Royal
Canadian Legion

DECEMBER 25TH THE LEGION WILL BE CLOSED

The Royal Canadian Legion
would like to wish everyone

*A Very Merry Christmas and
a Happy New Year!*

We look forward to
seeing you in 2019.

Royal Canadian Legion Branch 10

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

Saturday November 17, 2018

11:00 am to 4:00 pm

Turkey Draw at 4:00 pm



Artisans, Crafts, Fresh Baked
Goods, Fashions, Hand Knits,
Home Goods, Baby and Kids
Handmade Goods.



From the Mayor's Desk



Left to right: MHA David Brazil, Retired Corporal JoAnne (Gunny) Gilliland, Councillor Darryl J. Harding, Mayor Carol McDonald

The festive holiday season is upon us once again. We have some exciting events planned and I hope to see everyone out to celebrate the season and community together. I would like to extend best wishes to all the residents, businesses and community groups in Portugal Cove-St. Philip's. One of the real joys of the holiday season is the opportunity to say thank you, to everyone, for all your efforts and contributions to the community and to wish you all Happy Holidays and a Merry Christmas.

With planning for the new 2019 budget underway, we want to get as much input, insight, ideas and thoughts from as many people in our town as possible. Working together will bring us the wisest approach for the future and help create a common vision for Portugal Cove – St. Philip's. A series of budget consultation meetings are planned in November, and I hope to see many of you in attendance. There are many ways to be involved: come to a public meeting, fill out our budget form on our website, engage on social media, or even schedule a presentation to Council. We are focused on creating a 2019 budget that is a true community collaboration.

As our first year as your Town council has come to a close, I would like to thank you for your support thus far. I believe we have listened and charted a new path for Portugal Cove – St. Philip's. For me, some of the highlights this year have been reducing residential and businesses taxes, completing a service level review, eliminating mandatory water metering, seeing our events and programs grow, our collaborative successes with the Chamber of Commerce, and the addition of our new fleet of traditional dories for the regatta. I'm proud of what we've accomplished so far and I am excited to see what the next three years have in store.

Mayor Carol McDonald

2019 BUDGET CONSULTATIONS

Our Town Council is focused on creating a 2019 budget in collaboration with the Portugal Cove-St. Philip's community. There are numerous opportunities to provide your ideas for the budget:

Public Meeting 1
Thursday,
November 1
7:00pm - 9:00pm
Murray's Pond
Country Club

Public Meeting 2
Sunday,
November 4
2:00pm - 4:00pm
Recreation
Centre

**Draft Budget
Presentation**
Wednesday,
November 21
7:00pm - 9:00pm
Recreation Centre

Further details on Budget 2019:
www.pcsp.ca

MAKE A PRESENTATION

Community groups, businesses, individuals, or other stakeholders are invited to book a presentation time to provide insight on your ideas for the new budget.

Email to reserve a time:
stephanie.tucker@pcsp.ca

ONLINE INPUT

This year, we've launched an online form where residents can input their feedback and ideas for the budget.

To fill out the online form, click on the "2019 Budget Consultations" headline banner at:
www.pcsp.ca

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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 January - February 2019 edition is 4:30pm Friday, December 7, 2018. Contact Jeff Lawlor at jeff.lawlor@pcsp.ca or 895-8000 ext 222.