

The Shoreline Tid-Bits Journal

Relief Officers to bid farewell

Since the devastating incidents of April 18 and 19, the Nova Scotia RCMP welcomed 92 officers from across the country who have provided front line policing services in communities in and around Colchester County. The fifth group of relief officers will bid their farewell to Nova Scotia and to "H" Division on Monday, July 27. Since they arrived almost a month ago, officers have been on the road in Cumberland County, Bible Hill, Millbrook and Enfield ensuring public and community safety.

RCMP member uses Naloxone to revive man

On July 21 near 8 p.m., Colchester District RCMP responded to a call of a man in distress. The caller found a man, barely breathing, laying on the side of the road on Cherry Lane in Brookfield and called police. When police arrived on scene they found some bystanders assisting the 34-year-old man by administering first aid. Suspecting an overdose, one RCMP member administered Naloxone to the man and was able to revive him. Medical assistance was called and the man was transported to hospital via ambulance.

Applications Open for New Climate Change Projects

The province continues to find new ways to remain a climate-change leader and further advance the green economy. Communities, local governments, businesses, First Nations and non-profits can now apply for funding for their green infrastructure projects to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in Nova Scotia. Nova Scotia will invest in projects for public use that increase renewable energy, access to clean energy transportation, energy efficiency of buildings and generation of clean energy. Nova Scotia has set one of the most ambitious climate action goals in the country. The province has committed to reducing greenhouse gas emissions by 53 per cent below 2005 levels by 2030 and net zero by 2050. A new climate change strategy will be in place by the end of 2020. The deadline to submit an application is Sept. 9.

To apply, visit: <https://novascotia.ca/infrastructure-projects-reduce-greenhouse-gas-emissions/>

Angling Licences Available Online

Anglers in Nova Scotia can now purchase their general and salmon sportfishing licences online. License applications are available at: <https://beta.novascotia.ca/programs-and-services/sportfishing-licensing> Anglers can continue to purchase sportfishing licences in person, at one of over 200 vendors in the province. A list of private vendors is at <https://novascotia.ca/fish/sportfishing/licensing-permits/>

Disabled anglers wishing to apply for a fishing licence, at no cost, and anglers wishing to replace a lost licence, for a \$5.00 fee, plus HST, can only do so at district offices of the Department of Lands and Forestry. A list of offices is at <https://novascotia.ca/natr/staffdir/offices.asp>

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My assistant estimated at the height of the string of abusive calls, about 15 different men used obscenities directed

against women.

Lenore Zann is MP, Cumberland-Colchester, Vice-Chair, National Liberal Women's Caucus

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As individuals, one of the best ways we can help with economic recovery in our province is to visit our food and beverage establishments and other shops to make purchases that they so badly need. Premier McNeil's message (STAY THE BLAZES HOME) was very effective in helping to manage the spread of this virus.

He now wants you to get the blazes out, following public health guidelines and supporting our local businesses. We want them to survive. COVID-19 has been tough on our business community. Let's show our support. Let's show that we are better together.

Karen Casey, MLA, Colchester North is also deputy premier and Minister of Finance.

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ever, we must recognize when signing contracts of this scope we must not rush, too much at stake.

Now, just a brief comment on trailers and an article last month where I referenced trailers at Orchard Beach. I want to be clear, I was not speaking specifically about Orchard beach. I was using this as an example of what I consider needs to be reviewed. I am of the opinion as our shoreline becomes more and more public, more and more people will be looking for ways to enjoy it. We must ensure this does not happen at a cost of others.

I am also confident, if we work with good intentions we will solve. This takes me to my next conversation. The Cliffs of Fundy World UNESCO Geopark, in my opinion, can and will be a game changer for our shore. It will also bring some challenges. One being impact it may have on enjoying our shoreline, as more and more tourists mean more and more people wishing to explore and enjoy our shoreline and beaches. I will be asking council to take more responsibility in ensuring our beaches are clean and accessible in places that will have the least impact on local residents. I believe we need to be proactive in protecting a natural asset we have enjoyed for years. What that will look like is anybody's guess. However I believe it prudent to begin these discussions now and not after the horse has left the barn and we need to catch up.

Like I said earlier, I am confident that if we work together and have these discussions in good faith we will get it right.

Tom Taggart is Colchester Municipal Councillor for District 10.



The memorial established by Cees Van den Hoek, who now owns the former Portapique United church just continues to grow. Local people who travel the highway, say there always seem to be someone stopping by several times a day.

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