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## HOLLIS FORD'S COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**A FREE service to community groups. Phone: 647-2968 or Fax: 902-647-2194****E-MAIL: maurice@theshorelinejournal.com****MAILING ADDRESS: Box 41, Bass River, NS B0M 1B0**

**Monday's:** On the second Monday evening each month commencing at 7:00 pm, the Peniel UCW, Five Islands provides an avenue for fellowship and a means to serve the community. Come join and enjoy the companionship of other women.

**Monday's:** Gym classes at the Economy Recreation Center mornings from 9 to 10 and evenings 7 to 8.

**Monday's:** Tai Chi at the FPW Fire Hall, Port Greville, every Monday at 7pm.

**Monday's:** Cards at the Diligent River Community Hall, every Monday at 7pm.

**Mon & Tues:** Parrsboro Citizens Band Rehearsal, 7 pm. Interested in joining contact Rob Bentley.

**Tuesday's:** Exercises at the FPW Fire Hall, Port Greville, every Tuesday at 10 am.

**Tuesday's:** Band Rehearsals at Parrsboro Band Hall, 7:30pm (for info contact Rob Bentley).

**Tuesday's:** The Goodtime Senior Citizens' Club dances every Tues evening from 8 to 11 at the Legion, Brunswick St. Truro. Music by a 5-piece band. Shared lunch. \$6.

**Tuesday's:** Play Parrsboro Lions Club Bingo every Tuesday at 6 PM on cable 5 and now on the internet at: [www.parrsborolions-bingo.ca](http://www.parrsborolions-bingo.ca)

**Tuesday's:** Shuffleboard at Economy Recreation Centre at 7:00 pm.

**Tuesday's:** Local rug hookers from the area meet at the Economy Recreation Centre from 10:00am to 2:00pm to work on various projects. Bring a lunch if you stay for the whole four hours.

**Tuesday's:** The Goodtime Seniors' Club dance is held every Tues. from 8 to 11 PM at the Royal Canadian Legion on Brunswick Street, Truro. Admission \$6. Shared lunch. 50/50 draws. A live 5-piec band.

**Wednesday's:** Gym classes at Economy Recreation Center mornings from 9 to 10 and evenings 7 to 8.

**Thursday's:** Grandparent's Rights for Nova Scotia meets the 3rd Thursday of each month from 2-4 pm at Sobey's Community Room, Robie Street, Truro.

**Thursday's:** Economy Recreation Centre Bingo starting at 6:45.

**Thursday's:** Canasta from 1 – 3 pm at the Historeum, 29 Young Street, Truro. Both experienced and new learners are welcome.

**Friday's:** Gym classes at Economy Recreation Center mornings from 9 to 10 and evenings 7 to 8.

**Friday's:** Bingo at Five Islands Fire Brigade Hall, 7 p.m.

**Saturday's:** OPEN MIC at the Diligent River Community Hall, 7 pm, every other Saturday unless otherwise posted.

**1 & 3rd Thurs:** Elastic Big Band rehearses at the Band Hall, 7 pm. (Contact Michael Fuller)

**1 & 3rd Thurs:** Truro Toastmasters Club, Non-profit worldwide organization designed to help individuals improve public speaking and leadership skills. 6pm - 8pm. 36 Arthur Street, NSCC Campus, Forrester Hall, Room 335. Admission cost: Guests are welcome to drop in at no cost. Contact: Jann McFarlan, 902-890-9886.

**2nd and 4th Thurs:** Parrsboro Citizens' Choir Rehearsal, 7 pm. Interested in joining contact David Towns

**Nov 26:** Public Lecture at Colchester Historeum, 7:30 pm. Dr. Kirrily Freeman will speak about - The Monuments Women: Capt. Edith Standen and the Restitution of Looted Art. St. Mary's professor and author Dr. Freeman will give an illustrated presentation on Halifax-born Standen and her role in Germany with the Monuments, Fine Arts and Archives Division of the Allied Expeditionary Forces.

**Nov 27:** Friday Night Supper at Debert Legion. Roast Chicken Breast, mashed potatoes, veggies, dessert, tea & coffee. 4:30-6pm, cost \$10 under 12 \$5, wheelchair accessible, take outs available for pick up, stop in or call 902-662-2454. Entertainment Provided

**Nov 28:** Breakfast With Santa at the Masstown United Church - 8am - 10:30am.

**Nov 28:** Hunter's Breakfast at Londonderry Community Centre, 8 am to 11 am. 50/50 draw tickets will be sold each week and the winner will be drawn randomly at the last breakfast in December.

**Nov 28:** Ship's Company Theatre Annual Christmas Concert, 7pm at the Parrsboro High School. Adults \$15 Youth/Students \$5 Call 902-254-2003 for tickets.

**Nov 28:** Great Village Garden Club would like to invite you to the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting. Nov 28th, 10am at the former St James United Church Lawn. Come and help them mark the beginning of the season. Everyone welcome.

**Nov 28:** A Christmas Auction and Bake Sale will be held at Riverside United Church, Bass River starting at 10am. Any donations can be dropped off at church Friday evening or Saturday morning by 9:30am.

**Nov 28:** Breakfast With Santa at Masstown United Church, 8:30 to 10:30 in the morning. Breakfast will be pancakes with sausage or bacon, tea, coffee or juice for \$5.00. There will be a Bake Table, Grab Bags for the children to buy and for only \$1.00 you can get your picture taken with Santa! There is also a door prize, a beautiful wreath, and tickets on it are \$1.00.

**Dec 2:** Movie Night at the Hall, Parrsboro, 7:30pm. Showing: *Mr. Holmes* (2015) - 105 minutes, Drama/mystery, rated PG for thematic elements, some disturbing images

**Dec 4:** Parrsboro's Santa Claus Parade. Starts at 6:30pm; Following the parade, Santa will be at the Hall and refreshments will be served.

## Trefoil Guild to Attend Christmas Events

**By Goldie Chisholm**

The last two Colchester Trefoil Guild meetings have been held at Sobey's Community Room, Truro. We had an average attendance of 10 to 12 members and were pleased to add another member at our October meeting.

Trefoil members who attended the Provincial Fall Meeting in Fall River gave interesting reports of both business and fellowship. They reported a new Trefoil Guild named "Salt Water Sisters" has been formed in Dartmouth.

The November business meeting was shortened somewhat as it was the last meeting for 2015 and we enjoyed

**Dec 4:** Joan Kennedy CD release party at the Hall, Parrsboro starting at 6:00 pm. Tickets \$10.

**Dec 4:** Christmas Tree Lighting at the Masstown Community Park, 7pm. Storm date of December 11<sup>th</sup>. Every one welcome.

**Dec 4:** Friday Night Supper at Debert Legion, 4:30PM to 6:00PM. Roast Pork, mashed potatoes, veggies, dessert, tea & coffee. Cost \$10 under 12 \$5, wheelchair accessible, take outs available for pick up, stop in or call 902-662-2454. Entertainment Provided

**Dec 5:** This is the last of the Hunter's Breakfast at Londonderry Community Centre for 2015. Join us from 8 am to 11 am. 50/50 draw tickets will be sold this week with the winning ticket to be drawn from all tickets sold at the six breakfasts.

**Dec 5:** The DGM Men's Club will hold their breakfast meeting at the Double C Restaurant at 8 am.

**Dec 5:** The Debert & Area Kitchen Party starting at 1:00 pm at the lodge hall, 1191 Plains Road Debert. Light lunch. Everyone welcome

**Dec 5:** Christmas Luncheon, Craft, Bake & Yard Sale, 9:00 am - 1:30 pm at John Calvin Christian Reformed Church, 169 Glenwood Dr., Truro. Free Admission/ Door Prize. Lunch: 11:00 am - 1:00 pm; Adults: \$6.00; Children under 10: \$5.00.

**Dec 10:** Masstown UCW will be hosting their Christmas meeting at the Masstown United Church at 6 pm.

**Dec 10:** Please join us at the Bible Hill Village Fire Hall for

our Christmas Event, 7:00 - 9:00 PM. Special guests Gary Boyd & his wife will be providing a seasonal music program, followed by Gary speaking on the topic "It was the Best of Times, It was the Worst of Times". Admission \$5.00. Refreshments. Please RSVP by Monday, December 7th to ensure we have plenty of refreshments for everyone. Call Joanne 902-897-0884 or email [trurocwc@eastlink.ca](mailto:trurocwc@eastlink.ca).

Program sponsored by Truro Christian Women's Club (a non-denominational/non-profit organization under Stonecroft Ministries)

**Dec 11:** Central Nova Volkspport Club will be holding a Christmas Light Walk at 6 pm. Please meet at the Holiday Inn 437 Prince Street Truro. There will be a 5Km and 10Km walk # 1A on sidewalks. All are welcome. Please call 902-895-1231 for more information. A wine and cheese is to follow the walk.

**Dec 11:** Friday Night Supper at Debert Legion, 4:30PM to 6:00PM. Roast Beef, mashed potatoes, veggies, dessert, tea & coffee. Cost \$10 under 12 \$5, wheelchair accessible, take outs available for pick up, stop in or call 902-662-2454. Entertainment Provided

**Dec 11:** The Bass River Heritage Society will be lighting up the park at 6:30pm. Come out and enjoy some hot chocolate and cookies and get in the Christmas spirit.

**Dec 12:** Starting at 1:30 spend the afternoon entertained at Victoria Hall, Bass River at an old fashioned Christmas Variety Concert

and Bake Sale. The hall has a beautiful new steel roof a big thanks to all who helped make this happen before winter. They are working on the heating system which will be up and running by concert time. If you are interested in performing at the variety show please contact Wendy at 902-647-2720 or Bill at 902-647-2255. We will also gratefully accept any non-perishable food items for the Food Bank.

**Dec 13:** Turkey dinner at the Londonderry Community Hall from 4-6PM. Let Santa's elves do the cooking.

**Dec 16:** Movie Night at the Hall, Parrsboro, 7:30pm. Showing: *Jimmy's Hall* (2015) - 109 minutes, Drama, rated PG-13 for language & a scene of violence

**Dec 18:** Open Mic! at the Hall, Parrsboro, at 7pm - Last one for 2015!

**Dec 18:** Friday Night Supper at Debert Legion, 4:30PM to 6:00PM. Haddock, mashed potatoes, veggies, dessert, tea & coffee. Cost \$10 under 12 \$5, wheelchair accessible, take outs available for pick up, stop in or call 902-662-2454. Entertainment Provided

**Dec 19:** The Debert & Area Kitchen Party starting at 1:00 pm at the lodge hall, 1191 Plains Road Debert. Light lunch. Everyone welcome

**Dec 19:** Cookies with Santa at the Londonderry Community Hall, 11:00 - 12:00.

**Dec 21:** Christmas Concert at the Hall, Parrsboro. Starts at 7:00 pm, Admission is \$10.

is "Let's Sing Day".

We are looking forward to the New Year and Keeping the Spirit Alive.

## Stolen and Burnt Truck

Colchester County RCMP are investigating the theft of a pickup truck and arson that occurred on November 16th, 2015. At approximately 11:30 pm, RCMP and Valley/Kemptown Fire Brigade responded to a call of a truck on fire on Old Pictou Road in Manganese Mines.

Investigation revealed the burnt 2007 Ford F150 pickup truck had been stolen from the Harmony area of Colchester County sometime that evening. Investigators

believe suspect(s) drove the truck to Old Pictou Road in Manganese Mines, removed the tires and rims and then set the truck on fire near a vacant residence.

An early model Toyota car was seen driving away from the scene at the time the fire broke out. If anyone has any information pertaining to these incidents, please contact the Colchester County RCMP at 902-893-6820 or Crimestoppers at 1-800-222-8477.