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# HOLLIS FORD'S COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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**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:** Weight Loss Group at Peniel United Church, Five Islands, 6:30 pm.

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

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

**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:** TOPS NS 5261 at Portauptique Riverside Community Hall, 10 am. Everyone is welcome. Your first visit is Free.

**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:** Craft Group from the area meets 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 dances are held every Tuesday from Sept .13, 2016 to June 27, 2017, at the Truro Legion on Brunswick St. from 7:30 to 10:30. Admission \$6, shared lunch, 50/50 ticket sales. A live 5-piece band for waltz quadrille, round waltz, polka, fox-trot, jive and up to date country singing.

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

**Wednesday's:** TOPS NS 4623 at Bass River Fire Hall, 1pm. Information call: 902-647-2925.

**Wednesday's:** Venipuncture Clinic (Blood Collection), Medical Centre, Bass River, 8:00 am – 10:00 am. Nurse Lynn Swan, RN.

**Wednesday's:** Cards at Senior's Centre, Five Islands, 7:30pm.

**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:** Bingo, Recreation Centre, Economy starting at 7:00 pm. Early Bird game at 6:45.

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

**Thursday's:** Open Mic at the Lower Onslow Community Centre, 6:30 p.m., doors open at 5:30, beginning on September 29th, every Thursday. tea/coffee on the house, 50/50, everyone welcome.

**Thursday's:** Gym classes at Economy Recreation Center - evenings 7 to 8

**Thursday's:** Show Case Dance Studio has classes in Tatamagouche on Thursdays. Mr.Neil Prokop (National Ballet Instructor) teaching. Call 902-899-4115 for more details.

**Friday's:** Show Case Dance Studio has classes in Springhill on Fri for Tap and Jazz. Mr.Neil Prokop (National Ballet Instructor) teaching. Call 902-899-4115 for more details.

**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:** Chase the Ace supporting the Debert Legion and West Colchester Cobras Saturday's 2-4pm draw time 4:15pm must be there to win! \$2 per ticket.

**Saturday's:** Show Case Dance Studio has classes in Springhill on Saturday mornings for Ballet. Mr.Neil Prokop (National Ballet Instructor) teaching. Call 902-899-4115 for more details.

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

**Sunday's:** Sunday Music Afternoon, last Sunday of every month, except December, at Wentworth Community Centre, 1 pm to 5 pm. Music starts at 1:30 pm.

**Sunday's:** Concerts in the Park, Main Street, Parrsboro. Starts at 7:00pm

**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

**Dec 20:** Wheels To Meals at Great Village Legion, Turkey/Dressing, Potatoes, Turnip/Carrots, Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Tea/Coffee/Juice. Dessert: Cake & Ice Cream. Dinner sponsored by The Shoreline Journal with seasonal music supplied by Russell & Sandra McCallum starting at 11:30 am.

**Dec 21:** Debert Baptist After-School Program children will present a Christmas Concert at 7:00 pm. Please join us for this fun time with Debert Elementary kids directed by Shiela Hughes. All are welcome.

**Dec 21:** Originally short films were going to be shown at The Hall, Parrsboro. After everything went to print we were advised the National Film Board of Canada was not doing that event this year. As a result the film committee needed to choose another film. What's being shown now is "Florence Foster Jenkins" (2016) Biography, Comedy, Drama PG-13. Starts at 7:30pm

**Dec 24:** Please join our new Pastor, Rev. Betty Johnson, and the folks of Debert Baptist church at 7:00 pm for their annual Christmas Eve praise and worship service with a message from God's Word called "It's Time!" All are welcome.

**Dec 25:** Debert Baptist Church, 10:30 am. Please come and enjoy our annual Christmas Day community celebrations to mark the birthday of Jesus. All are welcome.

**Dec 31:** New Year's Eve Celebration, Five Islands Fire Hall.

**Dec 31:** New Years Eve Party/Dance at Bass River Victoria Hall. Tickets \$10 each, limited number of tickets available. On sale at Dominion Chair or a hall member.

**Dec 31:** What better way to bring in 2017 then by DANCING to the great tunes performed by Parrsboro's Wazoo Blues Band at The Hall, Parrsboro, starts at 9 PM and goes until 2 AM. \$10.00 per person - tickets at the door. Event is for 19+, ID Required.

**Jan 3:** Wheels To Meals Program at Great Village Legion, 11:30 am. Menu: Pork Chops / Gravy, Rice, Toss Salad. Tea / Coffee / Juice. Dessert: Choc. Pudding / Cream or Ice Cream

**Jan 6:** Paint Night all skill levels welcome. Great Village Legion, 6pm. Cost \$25. Contact Laureen for more info or to register. 902-662-2716

**Jan 6:** Great Village Legion Paint Night Birch Trees in a Moonlit Glow, 6pm. This is a

"Bring-Your-Own-Canvas" event. You can choose your own canvas in whatever size you wish. These are available from both Dollarama and Michaels. If you are having trouble getting one, let me know and I can help. Cost for the class is \$25 with a portion being donated to the Legion. You must pre-register prior to the class. Contact Laureen 902-662-2716 or Heather 902-668-2501

**Jan 8:** "Open Mics" in Great Village at the Legion, 1pm till 4pm.

**Jan 10:** A community meeting, originally scheduled for December 6<sup>th</sup> to possibly revitalize WCCDA, and increase economic and community activity along the shore will be held at Bass River Fire Hall commencing at 7:00 pm. Residents of communities from Five Islands to Masstown are asked to attend.

**Jan 12:** Congregational meeting of the Masstown United Church Thursday January 12<sup>th</sup>, 7pm.

**Jan 12:** Continental breakfast at the Bible Hill Village Fire Hall, 9:30 to 11:30 AM. Admission \$5.00. Special Feature Darlene Rodgers - Reflexologist at Sole to Soul. Special Speaker - Anne Veenhuis "Which Road Are You Travelling On". Please reserve by calling Carol at 902-895-0136 or email [froglady1947@hotmail.com](mailto:froglady1947@hotmail.com). Event sponsored by Truro Christian Women's Club, affiliated with RSVP Ministries (formerly Stonecroft Ministries).

**Jan 13:** Debert Legion Friday night supper. 4:30-6:30 pm. Pan Fried Haddock, vegetables, Dessert, Tea or coffee. Adults \$10, under 12 years \$5. Wheelchair accessible. Takeouts available. 1252 Masstown Rd. Debert.

**Jan 17:** Wheels To Meals Program at Great Village Legion, 11:30 am. Menu: Lasagna / Garlic Bread, Caesar Salad. Tea / Coffee / Juice. Dessert: Pineapple Angel Food Cake or Ice Cream. Great Village Legion

**Jan 17:** A Knit-In will be held at the Historeum, 29 Young Street, Truro, 1:30 to 5:00 pm. The knitters socialize, work on their knitting projects and share information about patterns, materials and more. They welcome any newcomers who would like to learn knitting techniques.

**Jan 20:** Debert Legion Friday night supper. 4:30-6:30 pm. Chicken, vegetables, Dessert, Tea or coffee. Adults \$10, under 12 years \$5. Wheelchair accessible. Takeouts available. 1252 Masstown Rd. Debert.

**Jan 22** "Open Mics" in Great Village at the Legion, 1pm till 4pm.

**Jan 26:** Acadia University Professor of History, Dr. Stephen Henderson, will give a talk, 7:30 pm at the Historeum, 29 Young Street, Truro, entitled "The Life and Failures of a Forgotten Father of Confederation, P. S. Hamilton". Peter Hamilton was a very colourful character from Brookfield who edited the *Acadian Recorder* in the 1850s and 60s. He was a strong proponent of Confederation who carried on "intermittent warfare" with Joseph Howe. He described Howe as "a bold, bad, brutal, blundering blustering, bloody bobby." Join us for an entertaining talk.

**Jan 27:** Debert Legion Friday night supper. 4:30-6:30 pm. Roast Pork, vegetables, dessert, tea or coffee. Adults \$10, under 12 years \$5. Wheelchair accessible. Takeouts available. 1252 Masstown Rd. Debert.

**Feb 3:** 6pm Great Village Legion Paint Night Cardinal on a Wild Berry Bush. This is a "Bring-Your-Own-Canvas" event. You can choose your own canvas in whatever size you wish. These are available from both Dollarama and Michaels. If you are having trouble getting one, let me know and I can help. Cost for the class is \$25 with a portion being donated to the Legion. You must pre-register prior to the class. Contact Laureen 902-662-2716 or Heather 902-668-2501

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