

The Shoreline Tid-Bits

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Sales of Flavoured Cannabis Vaping Products Banned

Nova Scotia is taking further steps to protect youth by banning the sale of flavoured cannabis vaping products when they become available in the new year. Regulations are being prepared to prohibit the sale of cannabis vaping products that have a scent or flavour other than cannabis noticeable before or during use. No synthetic flavouring will be allowed. Packaging and labelling will also be prohibited from mentioning a flavour other than cannabis.

More than 2,200 cases of severe lung disease have been reported in the United States among people who vape e-cigarettes or cannabis products, with 48 deaths. There have been thirteen such cases of severe lung disease reported to the Public Health Agency of Canada. The causes of death have not yet been determined.

Expanded Pharmacy Services

Two agreements between the government and the Pharmacy Association of Nova Scotia means more provincial funding for pharmacists' services. Starting Jan. 1 pharmacists will be funded by the province to assess and prescribe birth control, medication for urinary tract infections and shingles. Starting April 1 pharmacists will also be funded to renew prescriptions for 180 days for many items, including asthma inhalers and blood pressure medications. Government is investing \$9.14 million over the five-year agreement. There are 1,300 pharmacists and more than 300 pharmacies in Nova Scotia.

10 stolen recreational vehicles recovered

On December 5th, police have charged four people after recovering 10 stolen recreational vehicles valued at \$40,000. Four people all in their early 30's have been charged. Two of the people are from Amherst; one from Aulac, NB and the other from Moncton. The investigations are ongoing and led by Cumberland County SCEU and Amherst Police Major Crime Unit.

Tattoo Tickets on Sale

Many consider tickets or souvenirs of the Tattoo make great Christmas Gifts. The event will be held Thursday, June 27, 2020 - Saturday, July 4, 2020 at the Scotia Centre, Halifax. All tickets available at the Ticket Atlantic box office, participating Atlantic Superstores, www.ticketatlantic.com and by phone at (902) 451-1221 or 1-877-451-1221.

My Air Angel

(True Love)

<i>A Lady Of Flight</i>	<i>Tonight I Dream</i>
<i>A Lady So Fair</i>	<i>Of Skies All Clear</i>
<i>She Is My Lady</i>	<i>You Brought My Soul</i>
<i>My Lady Of Air</i>	<i>From Deep With-In</i>
<i>Though I Miss You</i>	<i>To Make Me Love</i>
<i>And Your Heartfelt Touch</i>	<i>To Make Me Grin</i>
<i>Tonight My Thoughts</i>	<i>You Are My Friend</i>
<i>Are Of Yours And Such</i>	<i>A Friend I Hold</i>
<i>That I Feel</i>	<i>With-In My Heart</i>
<i>As If You Were So Near</i>	<i>You Are My Gold!</i>

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Post Election Report

By Maurice Rees

Several recommendations were included in the post 2016 municipal election report prepared by returning officer, Lorraine Dawson. Some of the recommendations included:

Evaluate the electronic voting process to employ e-voting in the Municipality with one polling station in each district using the traditional paper ballot on election day.

Review the requirement for signage at polling locations with the intention of providing at least two signs each location and obtain a plastic banner to be placed on or adjacent to the entrance of each polling location.

Request a version of Elections Nova Scotia data base system be provided with the List of Electors. This would facilitate changes input by office staff and ensure the updates are captured for future elections when the list is returned to ENS.

This election was conducted in 51 polling stations in 24 locations. Advance polling stations were conducted for two days in each of the 11 districts and 4 mobile polls serviced the homes for long term care.

Many complaints were received concerning signage. The report stated, "Signage is important. In many areas the provided plastic sign on the post, located at the entrance to the polling location was not adequate."

Weather Creates Havoc

By Maurice Rees

Not sure if it is a sign of things to come as a result of climate warming, but recently the weather has been creating havoc with planned events. The wishes and excitement of elementary students have been dashed when unfavourable weather has caused cancellations of all Christmas Concerts.

The Shoreline Journal had made arrangements to get photographs from Debert, Chiganois, Great Village, Bass River and other concerts in our area. However all the above mentioned concerts have been cancelled until the week of December 16th which is a day after this issue has gone to the printers.

Cancellation was not confined to schools concerts.

Shortly after lunch on December 11th, Shelley G. Hoeg, Commu-

nications Officer/Executive Assistant to the CAO Municipality of the County of Cumberland sent out an email stating, "Due to road conditions and uncertainty regarding pending weather, please be advised that the Council session scheduled to be held this evening (December 11) is being cancelled."

Her email continued, "Our next Council session will be held January 15th, 2020 and an agenda will be forwarded during the week prior to the meeting".

Here at the Shoreline Journal we are reviewing what coverage for the school Christmas concerts we will be able to provide as the February issue will not be published until the end of January and students will be commencing to think about what they want to do for Valentine's Day or March break rather than look backward at Christmas.

PHOTO FEATURE

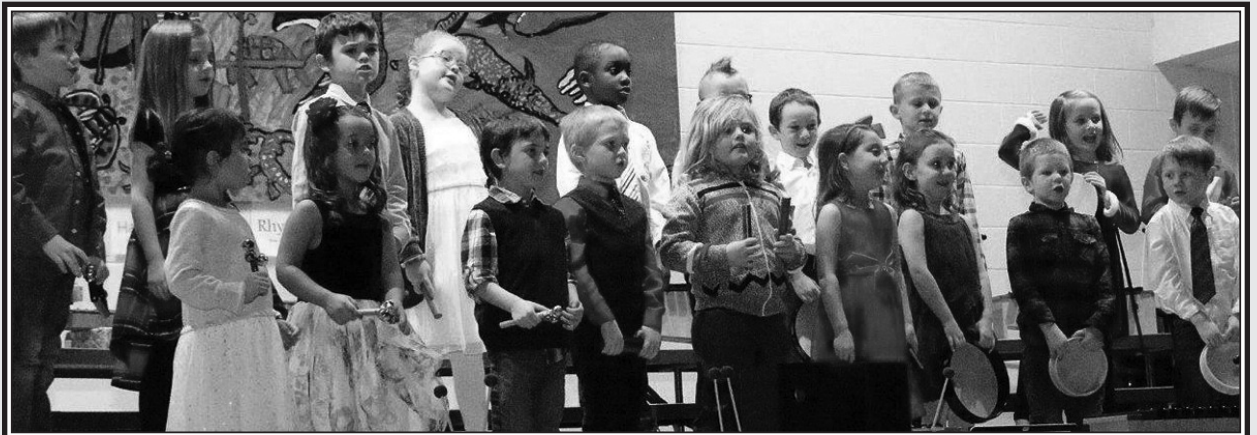
Great Village Elementary School Concert- "Ring the Bells and Play the Drums", took place on Tuesday, Dec. 10th (Harrington Photos)



Mr. Fultz and Ms. Clarke's Grade 3/4 Class sing "Holiday, Holiday".



Mrs. Rushton's Grade 2/3 Class perform "Rock and Roll Santa".



Ms. Wyllie's Grade Primary/1 Class perform "Christmas Boogie".

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