



Two levels of the brand new Rock Camp at Ship's Company Theatre will be held July 9-13. Cost is \$120.00. Shown above is instructor, Jill Chambers. (Richie Wilcox Photo)

Ship's Company Introduces Rock Camp

By **Richie Wilcox**

Ship's Company Theatre is deciding to try something new this summer by starting up a Rock Camp for youth in Parrsboro and the surrounding area! Do you know someone who dreams of being in a rock band? This camp is for them, no matter their experience.

The Rock camp is being offered in two different levels. Level One is for beginners - those who have always wanted to try an instrument or have just started playing one. Also, it

could be for that person who has sung in choir but has really wanted to belt out a rock song! The Level One camp meets at 10am to 12:30pm the week of July 9 - 13.

Level Two is for young musicians with some experience with an instrument. Perhaps they want the experience of playing with a band and are looking to take their skills to the next level or maybe it's a singer in need of a back up band! The Level Two camp meets at 1:30pm to 4pm the week of July 9 - 13.

The instructor for the camp is local musician Jill Chambers. Before relocating to Parrsboro Jill had been teaching guitar in the Halifax area for fifteen years and playing with local folk, blues and country musicians. Jill is known for her solo gigs as well as playing in Ryan Cook's and Willie Stratton's band, among others. She has a Masters in Musicology from Dalhousie University. Jill is thrilled to be on board with the new Rock Camp - "I have taught music to people for years. It's pretty awesome to watch people explore music and find some new skills or discover their talent! I can't wait to rock out with the next generation of players this summer!"

Artistic Producer Natasha MacLellan is also excited for the new camp. "We have offered theatre camps for years. We will still have our

theatre camp this upcoming August but it makes sense to branch out and offer music as an option as well."

Both levels of the Rock Camp will take place at the

Legion in Parrsboro and cost \$120. To find out more regarding the camp or to register, call 1-800-565-Show or 902-254-3000.

Voting by the Numbers

By **Maurice Rees**

There have been 8 general election and two by-elections in Cumberland South, since the late Guy Brown won his last election in 1993 as the Liberal standard bearer. He did not reoffer for the 1998 general election, which started the Progressive Conservative constant strangle hold on the riding with Murray Scott winning five consecutive elections, resigning in 2010 causing a by-election

permitting the new party leader, Jamie Baillie to start his run of three successful elections until his resignation earlier in 2018.

Brown and Scott were both very popular politicians. Since 1993 Murray Scott captured 76.76% of the popular vote in 2006 and 67.66% in 2009. Meanwhile, Guy brown captured 75.63% in his last election in 1993. In last week's election Tory Rushton, garnered 59.19%

of the popular vote.

The following data, shows voting results of the 10 elections since 1993. The data lists the candidate, party affiliation, number of votes cast on their behalf, percentage of the popular vote and their party's increase or decrease from the previous election. The on-line Elections Nova Scotia data also lists the number of eligible voters; number of votes cast, percentage of turn-out for the elections of 2013, 2017 and the June 19th election.

June 19, 2018 By-election: Tory Rushton, PC, 3417 (59.19%), 7.70%; Scott Lockhart, Liberal, 1829 (31.68%), -8.79%; Larry Duchesne, NDP, 292 (5.06%), -0.74% and Bruce W. McCulloch, 235, 4.07%. Total eligible voters, 10,889; Total valid votes, 5,773; 53.02%; -9.35%.

2017 Nova Scotia General Election: Jamie Baillie, PC, 3,536 (51.49%), 0.53%; Kenny John Jackson, Liberal, 2,779 (40.47%) 0.26%; Larry Duchesne, NDP, 398 (5.80%), -0.98%; Thor Lengles, Atlantica; 154, 2.24%. Total eligible voters, 11,066; Total valid votes, 6,897; Rejected ballots, 35; Turn-out, 62.37%, -0.19%.

2013 Nova Scotia General election: Jamie Baillie, PC; 3,655 (51.0%) -6.2%; Kenny Jackson, Liberal, 2,884 (40.2%), 2.2%; Larry Duchesne, NDP, 486 (6.8%), 2.0%; Bruce McCulloch, Green Party, 147 (2.0%), 2.0%. Total eligible voters, 10,987; Total valid votes, 7,172; Rejected ballots, 50; Turn-out, 65.73%.

2010 Nova Scotia by-election: Jamie Baillie, PC; 3,262 (57.20%), -10.26%; Kenny Jackson, Liberal, 2,165 (37.96%), 32.89%; Scott McKee, NDP, 276 (4.84%), -21.06%.

2009 Nova Scotia General election: Murray Scott, 4,334 (67.66%), -9.10%; Don Tabor, NDP, 1659 (25.9%); Joseph Archibald, Liberal, 325 (5.07%), -5.24%; Danny Melvin, Green Party, 878 (1.37%), -0.02%.

2006 Nova Scotia General election: Murray Scott, PC, 5,082 (76.76%), 5.06%; Andrew Kernohan, NDP, 753 (11.37%), 0.49%; Mary Dee MacPherson, Liberal, 681 (10.29%), -7.11%; James Dessart, Green Party, 92 (1.39%); David R. Amos, Independent, 13 (0.20%).

2003 Nova Scotia General Election: Murray Scott, PC, 4,898 (71.70%), -2.31%; Harriet McCready, Liberal, 1,118 (17.40%), 4.01%; Scott McKee, NDP, 745 (10.90%), -1.70%.

1999 Nova Scotia General Election: Murray Scott, PC, 5,527 (74.01%); John Harrison, Liberal, 1,000 (13.39%); Scott McKee, NDP, 941 (12.60%).

1998 Nova Scotia General election: Murray Scott, PC, 4,714 (58.69%); Mike Uberoi, Liberal, 2,153 (26.80%); Sandy Graham, NDP, 1,089 (13.56%); James MacLeod, 76 (0.95%).

1993 Nova Scotia General Election: Guy Brown, 6,713 (75.63%); Mac Bennett, 1,570 (17.69%); Douglas Meekins, NDP, 431 (4.85%); Phillip T. Donkin, Independent, 162 (1.82%).

Cumberland South June 19, 2018 Poll-by-Poll Election Results								
Poll	Polling Location	Electors on List	Total Votes	Larry	Scott	Bruce W.	Tory	Rejected Ballots
				Duchesne	Lockhart	McCulloch	Rushton	
				NSNDP	NSLP	GPNS	PC	
001	Advocate Fire Depart	244	151	10	57	12	72	0
002/033/034	Advocate Fire Depart	120	53	1	22	2	28	0
003	FPW Fire Brigade	307	144	14	52	10	68	0
004	Parrsboro Fire Depart	440	120	8	52	12	48	0
005/035	Parrsboro Fire Depart	600	168	20	62	28	57	1
006	Parrsboro Fire Depart	541	174	12	68	7	87	0
007	Southampton Rec Ctr	434	194	6	61	4	123	0
008	Joggins Fire Dept	300	156	8	58	5	85	0
009	River Hebert Legion	308	161	10	63	4	84	0
010	River Hebert Legion	413	192	8	69	9	105	1
011	Nappan United Church	306	129	7	34	5	83	0
012	Springhill Jct Com Ctr	349	86	8	24	4	50	0
013	Springhill Wesley United	516	72	2	27	6	37	0
014	Springhill Wesley United	405	82	11	34	4	31	2
015	Springhill Wesley United	363	65	3	26	2	34	0
016	Springhill Srs & Retired	382	61	1	22	2	36	0
017	Springhill Srs & Retired	277	41	2	23	1	15	0
018	Springhill Srs & Retired	356	73	4	35	4	30	0
019	Springhill Srs & Retired	355	60	4	34	1	21	0
020	Springhill Srs & Retired	189	35	0	18	2	15	0
021	Collingwood Fire Dept	351	164	10	44	4	104	2
022	River Phillip Hall	262	90	2	28	5	55	0
023	Brookdale Com Hall	423	113	4	37	1	71	0
024	Leicester Fire Depart	368	115	0	26	11	78	0
025	Oxford Legion	456	225	6	34	1	184	1
026	Oxford Legion	444	242	24	34	7	176	0
027	Oxford Legion	403	211	14	31	2	164	0
028	Oxford Legion	211	105	0	11	1	93	0
029	Westchester Fire Dept	202	94	1	26	3	64	0
030	Wentworth Rec Ctr	390	131	7	36	5	83	0
031	Springhill Mobile 1 High	68	15	0	8	0	7	0
Advance 1	Parrsboro	0	291	13	107	26	143	2
CPoll1	Brookdale Com Hall		134	5	39	5	85	0
CPoll2	Wentworth Rec Ctr		62	2	20	5	35	0
WI	Springhill - Elgin St		72	4	24	0	44	0
RO-CP	Springhill - Elgin St		1509	61	483	34	922	9
Totals		10,783	5,790	292	1,829	234	3,417	18

Thank You



Thank You to all those who supported me in the June 19th election. I will work hard to represent all residents of Cumberland South.

Tory Rushton
MLA-elect Cumberland South

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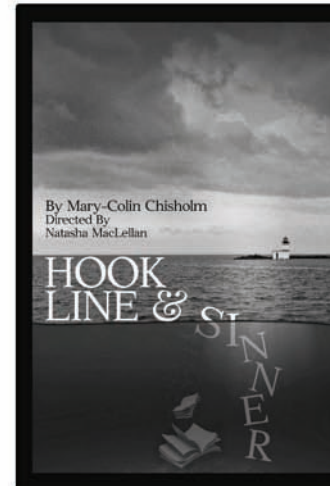
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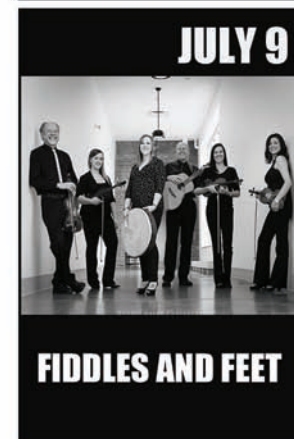
JULY 4 - 29



By Mary-Colin Chisholm
Directed By Natasha MacLellan

Sister Vivian Salter returns for the final installment of our Mystery Trilogy. She must exonerate her old friend, Ken, in this classic whodunnit, set in Parrsboro and filled with laughs!

HOOK, LINE & SINNER



JULY 9

FIDDLES AND FEET



JULY 16

DIYET AND THE LOVE SOLDIERS



JULY 23

PRETTY ARCHIE



JULY 9-13

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