

# Tourism - Events and Happenings

## At The RECC

The Rath Eastlink Community Centre offers a full line-up of programs for all ages. Check out the summer programs such as Swimming Lessons, Day Camps, Night Rock Climbing, Women's Summer Hockey League and more...

Kim Mitchell performs on Thursday, June 30th. Ticket prices and event information on Facebook and online at <https://www.rathestlinkcommunitycentre.ca>

## First United Church SUMMER LUNCHEON CONCERTS

Once again, the Summer Lunch time Concerts are back at the First United Church on 711 Prince Street, starting every Wednesday at 12:15pm. Free admissions but donations appreciated. Check out the exciting line-up. For more information contact <https://www.facebook.com/firstunitedchurchtruro/>

## The Marigold Centre

An exciting line-up at the Marigold Centre on Prince Street in Truro includes: In July, check out the following:

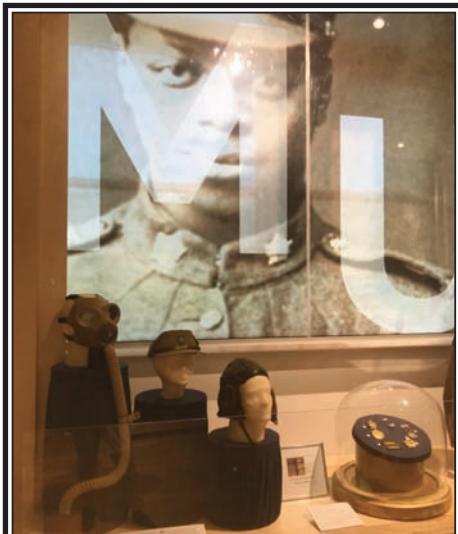
Saturday, July 9th, TRAVAGANZA. It's Dragstravaganza providing lots of laughs and fun. / Wednesday, July thirteenth features LAILA BIALE an award winning Canadian songwriter and pianist. / and Tuesday July 26th, YOURS TRULY CAPE BRETON is in Town performing with laughs, and singing that celebrates everything Cape Breton. Visit the or Marigold on facebook or <https://www.marigoldcentre.ca>

## 75KM YARD SALE - July Saturday 9, Sunday 10th

2022 West Colchester 75km Yard Sale is the perfect opportunity to find treasures and have fun. Runs from Mingo's Corner, Onslow to Parrsboro. Visit their facebook page and along the way be sure to visit the Great Village Antiques Exchange located at 8728 Hwy No. 2 in Great Village. They are filled to the brim with beautiful items for every décor.



Residents and visitors can enjoy the fascinating exhibits at the Colchester Historeum. This year Walking Tours will be held every Saturday from July 2 to August 27 from ten - thirty to twelve noon. Tours start from the Museum located at 29 Young Street. There is an admission fee for students and adults. For more information visit: [colchesterhistoreum.ca](http://colchesterhistoreum.ca) or call 902 895 6284. (Contributed)



The Colchester Historeum on Young Street in Truro has presented a lecture series and engagement sessions this year and in the past to salute the local heroes and descendants of the No 2 Construction Battalion, [the Black Battalion]. Visit: [colchesterhistoreum.ca](http://colchesterhistoreum.ca) for information. On July 9 at the TAAC grounds on Prince Street in Truro, there will be a National Apology event to honor the No 2 Construction Battalion and their Descendants. Eastlink will carry the program live. (Contributed)

## More Platinum Jubilee Medals Awarded

### By Maurice Rees

Four additional residents within the Shoreline Journal coverage area have been awarded the Queen Elizabeth II's Platinum Jubilee Medal in an announcement on June 2nd of the first 70 recipients by Lt.-Gov. Arthur J. LeBlanc. Cumberland-Colchester MP Dr Stephen Ellis previously awarded 75 metals which were outlined in last month issue of the Shoreline Journal. Being awarded medals from this area were: Don Julien, Truro; Beth Peterkin, Parrsboro; Alan Sylboy, Millbrook First Nation and Cpl. David John Douglas Cross, Brookfield.

Over the coming months, it will be awarded to 5,000 Nova Scotians in recognition of significant contributions and

service to the province.

A description of the medal's design was highlighted on Page 1 of last month's issue.

The Government of Nova Scotia established the Queen Elizabeth II's Platinum Jubilee Medal program in March.

During her reign, the Queen has visited Nova Scotia on five royal tours, the first in 1951; at Government House in Halifax in 1959, the Queen announced the appointment of the first French Canadian Governor General, Georges Vanier; the inaugural Platinum Jubilee Medal presentation ceremony will be held in July 2022.

The medal program is modeled on the highly successful Queen Elizabeth II's Diamond Jubilee Medal, which saw 3,800 Nova Scotians recog-

## Millbrook Heritage and Cultural Centre

Now open for the season and offering so many artifacts, stories and displays. Located on Hwy 102, Exit thirteen A , 65 Treaty Trail, Truro Power Centre. For more information visit: [www.millbrookheritagecentre.ca](http://www.millbrookheritagecentre.ca)

## Parks Day July 16th

There are so many beautiful Parks in Colchester such as the Five Islands Park located 70km west of Truro , the Stewiacke River Park located 14km south of Brookfield, Victoria Park located in the heart of Truro, and the Nelson Memorial Park located beside Tatamagouche Bay, 2km west of Tatamagouche. The Victoria Park in Truro has line-up events to celebrate Park Day. Visit [truro.ca](http://truro.ca) for parks information visit: [colchester.ca](http://colchester.ca) or [parks.novascotia.ca](http://parks.novascotia.ca) or [www.explorecentralns.ca](http://www.explorecentralns.ca)

## Farm Equipment Museum

Over 5,000 artifacts that help us to learn and understand farming life of the past, awaits you at the Farm Equipment Museum. They are located on Ryland Avenue in Bible Hill on the NSPE grounds. Free admission but donations very much appreciated. The Museum is open every Tuesday and Thursday from 10am to 12noon and one pm to three pm in the afternoon. To learn more visit: [nspe.ca/farm-equipment-museum](http://nspe.ca/farm-equipment-museum).

## LIVE Harness Racing

Live Harness Racing at the Truro Raceway located off Main Street in Bible Hill or off Ryland Avenue in Bible Hill. Meet your friends every Friday night for a great time of live racing. Check the schedule: [truroraceway.ca](http://truroraceway.ca)

## Cobequid Spartans Gymnastics Day Camps

Summer Day Camps available for children ages 5years to 12years plus Summer Classes in recreational and advanced programs in gymnastics and trampoline for ages 1 and up. Visit their Facebook page. You can register online [www.cobequidspartans.com](http://www.cobequidspartans.com) or email the Program Director at [recprograms@cobequidspartans.ca](mailto:recprograms@cobequidspartans.ca) Note, new location at 250 Crossley Ave., Truro Industrial Park.

## Veterans Memorial Park AGM

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Several design options have been drafted by Dept of Transportation & Infrastructure Renewal (NSTIR). Final design has not been selected, but the one most favoured involved taking away part of the veterans park's entrance and parking area, causing the lumberman's model log sawing park and display to be moved.

Another area of concern from organizers is the possible upheaval when the new bridge is built in 2025.

Although the design has not been completed, traffic and Department of Fisheries and Oceans are mandating the height of the bridge must be raised at least nine feet as a result of the bridge spans being doubled.

The board will have its AGM with hopes of attracting some new members July 10th, 6 pm at Victoria Hall.

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