

Londonderry Community Council News



Sally Richard, Londonderry has submitted this picture of Mrs. Purdy's sign, which was taken around the early 1940's. Shown in the picture is Mrs. Purdy in centre with her two daughters, Mary (West) Brown on left and Doris (West) Hosh on right.

By Sally Richard

The first meeting of the Community Council was held on September 13. Twelve members were present. Our President stressed that more members are needed especially some young men to help with the building maintenance. Our source of income is generated from the fundraisers held throughout the year, weekly card parties and rentals from the facility. The cost of keeping the facility open for community use is roughly \$9,000 per year. The costs are made up of insurance, power, telephone, heating fuel, general repairs and snow removal. Most of our members have served on Council for years and are finding it more difficult to keep up with the demands. Please don't dismiss the idea of being a part of the community center. Your contribution, no matter how small, can make a difference. In May our officers were elected as follows: Reid MacVicar, President, Sally Richard, Vice-President, Amanda Mattix, Secretary, Peggy Mattix, Treasurer, Fred Gamble, temporary building superintendent which has now been turned over to Amanda Langille.

Our second fundraiser of this season will be held on Sunday, October 4 from 4-6 pm. A roast beef dinner will be served. Takeouts are available. Our first fundraiser was a penny sale held on September 25. The popular hunter's breakfast will start on Saturday, October 31 from 8-11 am and will continue each Saturday until hunting season closes. If you can help with any of these events, please contact a member. Any help will be greatly appreciated.

The Council would like to send their best wishes to Gerry Richard for a speedy recovery. Gerry recently had surgery in Halifax.

Ida Ripley, formerly of Londonderry, now residing in Montreal visited Charlotte

MacVicar in early September. While here Ida walked all the streets of our tiny village mapping the streets and houses and noting the many houses that are no longer here. Since leaving here fifty years ago, Ida said she still feels an attachment to this community. Some other visitors to Londonderry were Debbie Richard and Charles Nelson of Toronto visiting family and friends. Beverley Rideout and friend Clifford of Glace Bay visited Beverley's mother Jean Patriquin. Ralph Patriquin visited his home on Folly Mountain from Oshawa and Carl Patriquin who has been at his summer place for several weeks is here from Toronto. Congratulations to Victoria (Vicki) Dobson on her marriage to Jamie Lomand on September 19. Vicki is the daughter of Florence and Kevin Dobson.

September 7, Jean (Fisher) MacKay, formerly of Lornevale celebrated her 80th birthday with family and many friends at her son's home in Debert. It was a perfect day for a lawn party. Jean's eight children were all able to be home for this special occasion.

Alma Vaughan has sold her house and property and has moved into an apartment in Truro. Alma's property was widely known for years as "Mac Purdy's Inn" owned and operated by her parents the late Katherine and Mac Purdy. For years this was a popular stop for travelers wishing to stay in this area offering overnight accommodations and meals. A picnic area with tables, swings and teeter totters was developed by the brook. Mrs. Purdy also took in boarders in the later years. In 1967, Mrs. Purdy took down her sign after 34 years in business bringing to an end the last overnight facility in our area. In 1975 Alma and her husband Charlie acquired the property and retired here from Dartmouth. They did several renovations over the years. The property has now

changed hands after several generations of Purdy ownership.

A well attended retirement party was held for Stan Corbett of Bass River in Parrsboro on September 2. Stan retired from the Dept. of Natural Resources after 38 years of service. Stan's late father Harold Corbett played ball with the Londonderry Iron Clads for one season in 1949 as catcher.

On September 12 and 13 a work party of several young men from our community volunteered their time and equipment to make noticeable improvements to Hillcrest Cemetery. In the earlier years Hillcrest was often referred to as 'sore finger hill' because of the rough, rocky and hilly ground. Anyway, on Saturday the entire grounds was moved, the grave lots trimmed and the roadway leading into the cemetery was cut back. On Sunday, grave lots were leveled, brush cut back and a new section was made ready offering 42 lots for sale. Contact Kelly Eagles, Debert, if interested in purchasing a lot. Donations to the cemetery are greatly appreciated as the cost of maintaining the grounds has increased over the years while the interest on the capital fund for perpetual care has decreased to a very small percentage in earnings. The cemetery looks at its best. A special thank you to the volunteers on behalf of the community. A job well done!

Our monthly meetings are held on the first Sunday of each month from 7-8 pm. New members needed. Card parties are held on Monday nights at 7 pm. Everyone welcome. Tea, coffee, cheese and donuts are served. Contact Amanda Langille 668-2300 for hall rental inquiries. Happy Thanksgiving and remember to pray for our troops in Afghanistan and in other dangerous zones.

"Shining the Light" October 16, 17, and 18

By Pastor Larry Tirrell

Singer, songwriter, and evangelist Ed Sealy has recorded six CD's His latest is "Thy Kingdom Come." Many of the songs on this CD, all written by Sealy, deal with the return of Christ.

One song "When the Horses Ride" covers the complete book of Revelation. His previous recordings have enjoyed international success. Socan, a company which tracks air play for artists, has recorded air play in some forty different countries around the world. Sealy records at Outreach Productions, in Fredericton, N.B., which is one of the finest studios in the land.

The CD features some of the most versatile musicians you will find anywhere in your travels. Sealy plays a lot of guitar on this session. As usual the songs come out of a wide range of experiences that Ed himself has faced. This lends itself to comforting and encouraging the listener.

At the 2004 N.B. Gospel Music Hall of Fame awards, Sealy received a Mercy Award for male artist of the year

Ed Sealy was born in Bathurst, New Brunswick, the oldest of eight children. After graduation from high school, he moved from Bathurst to Amherst Nova Scotia where he opened a chain of fast food restaurants. It was here that he began a spiritual search to quench the thirst deep within his soul. His quest ended when he was converted to Christ in 1978.

After his conversion to Christ, Sealy left the business world to study for the ministry. After graduation from Bible school, he pastored a church in Belleville, N.B. for five years before answering the call to return to the Bible school to teach Old and New

Testament Synthesis and personal evangelism. In 1998 he resigned his teaching position to found a ministry known as "Furtherance Ministries." The ministry has a board of directors and is registered with the Canadian government as a charitable organization. The purpose of the ministry is to further the gospel of Jesus Christ around the world. Sealy is a gifted evangelist who brings the gospel message to needy people through message and music.

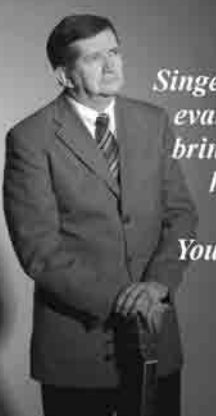
During September 2000, Sealy's life story was broadcast around the world in 147 countries on 1150 radio stations. "Unshackled," a ministry of Pacific Garden

Mission, based in Chicago, Illinois, dramatized his life story and presented it to the world during their September broadcast.

Sealy is married with three children. He and his wife Theresa now make their home in Wakefield, N.B., a small community outside of Hartland.

You will be blessed and encouraged as you attend these special meetings at Bass River Community Hall and Bass River Baptist Church on October 16, 17, 18, 2009. The times are Friday, Saturday, Sunday at 7PM at the Community Hall, and 11AM at the Bass River Baptist Church. Everyone Welcome.

Shining the Light



Singer, songwriter and evangelist Ed Sealy brings a message of hope and life.

You will be blessed.

Where: Bass River Community Hall, and Bass River United Baptist Church, Bass River, N.S.


When: Sept 19, 20, 21, 2008.

October 16, 17, and 18!


Friday, Saturday and Sunday 7 p.m. at Bass River Community Hall
Sunday 11 a.m. at Bass River United Baptist Church

EVERYONE WELCOME.

October 2009



Tide Times



Times based on tides at Bass River & Burncoat Head

DATE	TIME	HEIGHT	TIME	HEIGHT
	HIGH TIDE	HIGH TIDE	LOW TIDE	LOW TIDE
OCT 1	-	-	5:26	2.7
OCT 1	11:30	12.8	17:48	2.6
OCT 1	23:51	13	-	-
OCT 2	-	-	6:12	2.2
OCT 2	12:14	13.2	18:34	2.1
OCT 3	0:36	13.4	6:56	1.8
OCT 3	12:55	13.7	19:17	1.7
OCT 4	1:18	13.8	7:38	1.5
OCT 4	13:36	14.1	19:59	1.3
OCT 5	1:58	14.1	8:19	1.4
OCT 5	14:16	14.3	20:40	1.1
OCT 6	2:38	14.2	8:59	1.3
OCT 6	14:56	14.5	21:22	1
OCT 7	3:19	14.1	9:40	1.4
OCT 7	15:38	14.4	22:05	1.2
OCT 8	4:01	13.9	10:22	1.6
OCT 8	16:22	14.3	22:50	1.5
OCT 9	4:46	13.5	11:07	1.9
OCT 9	17:09	14	23:38	1.8
OCT 10	5:36	13.2	11:58	2.3
OCT 10	18:01	13.6	-	-
OCT 11	-	-	0:32	2.2
OCT 11	6:32	12.8	12:56	2.7
OCT 11	18:59	13.3	-	-
OCT 12	-	-	1:33	2.4
OCT 12	7:36	12.7	14:01	2.8
OCT 12	20:05	13.1	-	-
OCT 13	-	-	2:40	2.3
OCT 13	8:45	12.8	15:10	2.6
OCT 13	21:14	13.2	-	-
OCT 14	-	-	3:47	2
OCT 14	9:53	13.3	16:17	2.1
OCT 14	22:21	13.7	-	-
OCT 15	-	-	4:50	1.6
OCT 15	10:55	13.9	17:19	1.4
OCT 15	23:24	14.2	-	-
OCT 16	-	-	5:48	1.1
OCT 16	11:52	14.6	18:16	0.8
OCT 17	0:19	14.7	6:41	0.7
OCT 17	12:43	15	19:08	0.4
OCT 18	1:10	14.9	7:30	0.5
OCT 18	13:31	15.3	19:57	0.2
OCT 19	1:57	14.9	8:16	0.5
OCT 19	14:17	15.3	20:43	0.3
OCT 20	2:41	14.7	9:00	0.8
OCT 20	15:00	15	21:26	0.7
OCT 21	3:24	14.3	9:42	1.3
OCT 21	15:43	14.5	22:09	1.1
OCT 22	4:06	13.8	10:24	1.8
OCT 22	16:24	14	22:50	1.6
OCT 23	4:48	13.3	11:05	2.4
OCT 23	17:06	13.5	23:32	2.1
OCT 24	5:31	12.8	11:48	2.9
OCT 24	17:50	13	-	-
OCT 25	-	-	0:15	2.6
OCT 25	6:16	12.4	12:33	3.2
OCT 25	18:38	12.6	-	-
OCT 26	-	-	1:03	3.0
OCT 26	7:06	12.1	13:23	3.5
OCT 26	19:29	12.3	-	-
OCT 27	-	-	1:55	3.2
OCT 27	7:59	12	14:17	3.5
OCT 27	20:23	12.1	-	-
OCT 28	-	-	2:50	3.3
OCT 28	8:55	12.1	15:14	3.4
OCT 28	21:20	12.2	-	-
OCT 29	-	-	3:45	3.1
OCT 29	9:51	12.4	16:11	3.1
OCT 29	22:15	12.5	-	-
OCT 30	-	-	4:39	2.7
OCT 30	10:43	12.9	17:05	2.6
OCT 30	23:08	12.9	-	-
OCT 31	-	-	5:30	2.3
OCT 31	11:33	13.4	17:56	2
OCT 31	23:58	13.4	-	-

Patter From Playschool

By Joann Michelin

Lower Onslow Playschool have started Playschool again and are so happy to have our old friends back. 24 children move on from playschool in June for their next educational adventure - Big School.

This fall 31 children are registered in the playschool program with 2 teachers. Playschool operates Tuesday

through Friday mornings from 9:30-12:00. The program offers a variety of social and educational activities to enrich students.

Students, teachers and parents are looking forward to a year full of fun and learning. Pictures will be published in future issues of the Shoreline Journal.