

Funding Available For Local Community Projects

Wellness Fund applications are now available to community groups to support projects that aim to help community members lead more healthy lives. These funds are distributed by the local Community Health Boards, with funding provided by the NS Department of Health and Wellness. Within the municipalities of Colchester County and East Hants, there are five Community Health Boards - Along the Shore, South Colchester, North Shore, Truro & Area and East Hants.

Wellness Funds are open to non-profit groups and are intended to support new and inno-

vative projects that advance community health board priorities and use a population health-based approach in addressing the social determinants of health. Local Community Health Boards focus on four priority areas: Promote and Enhance Mental Wellness; Healthy Active Living; Affordable, Thriving Communities and Build Relationships & Foster Inclusive Communities.

Local projects can be awarded up to \$3,000 in funds. Projects in the past have made a significant difference in supporting the health of local community members by addressing

common barriers and contributing to the supportive environments that encourage community members to live healthy lives.

Last year, over \$58,000 in funds were awarded to a variety of projects - each project addressing one or more of the social determinants of health. Examples of projects that were funded last year include: health and fitness passes at the library; therapeutic riding and swimming program, learn to run program, seniors support group, breast cancer retreat, international foods program, building autism support network, and more.

The deadline for applications is midnight on Tuesday, Oct. 15. Local community groups can apply to multiple Community Health Boards, depending on the location of the project within the municipalities.

Applications are available online at www.communityhealthboards.ns.ca/wellness-funds or by contacting the local Community Health Board Coordinator. Community Health Boards are volunteer boards that are committed to improving the health of their local communities. There are 37 Community Health Boards across the Province of Nova Scotia.

For more information, please contact: Mandy Moore, CHB Coordinator, AmandaM.Moore@nshealth.ca Or 1-902-890-4383

Gordie Sampson Songcamp Show

The 10th Anniversary Gordie Sampson Songcamp Show presented by CBMIC will be held at the First United Church (711 Prince St, Truro, NS) - Saturday, November 9th at 2:00pm, doors at 1:30pm.

Ten years ago, the launch of The Gordie Sampson Songcamp was created 10 years ago. It's a unique Nova Scotian songwriting experience - one that brought together exceptional and established songwriters from Canada and beyond, to work with Nova Scotia's young and up-and-coming writers.

Grammy Award winner



Gordie Sampson has returned to Cape Breton each summer to host and participate in a week long immersive songwriting camp, with the exclusive goal of helping young artists develop a strong voice and build collaborative writing skills that would allow them to

contribute to the international songwriting industry.

This November, Nova Scotia Music Week and the Cape Breton Music Cooperative are honoured to be presenting The 10th Anniversary Gordie Sampson Songcamp Show. With Gordie Sampson as the host, he will shine the spotlight on eight of the incredible song camp participants from the last decade. The show will include performances by Cameron Nickerson, Carleton Stone, Dave Sampson, Kayleigh O'Connor, Makayla Lynn, Maura Whitman, and Willie Stratton. Gordie Sampson will also be playing some of the songs he's best known for.

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To assist those who had to discard food as a result of being left without electricity during Hurricane Dorian, Premier Stephen McNeil announced on September 17th the government will donate \$50,000 to support Feed Nova Scotia, which helped care for those most in need by distributing food across the province. Nova Scotia's donation matches a \$50,000 donation made by Nova Scotia Power and parent company Emera in honour of their customers, who showed such support and kindness in the aftermath of the storm.

Nova Scotians interested in a clean environment and healthy economy can give their input for new legislation by visiting <https://novascotia.ca/sustainable-prosperity-act-consultation/> and answer three quick questions. The new legislation will update the Environmental Goals and Sustainable Prosperity Act, which was first passed in 2007. Many of the goals under the act have been completed and progress is being made on others. The deadline to provide feedback is Sept. 27.

Serious injury collision in Bible Hill shortly before 8 p.m. on September 6, Colchester District RCMP responded to a serious collision on College Rd., between Teakwood Dr. and East Court Dr. A vehicle was turning left onto College Rd. to travel East when a motorcycle, also travelling East on College Rd., collided with the passenger side of the car. The driver of the motorcycle sustained serious, life-threatening injuries and was transported via LifeFlight to Halifax. The driver of the car was not injured.

Man dies in boating accident on September 6 at Shortt's Lake. Just before noon Colchester District RCMP responded to a call of a boating accident. Two men had been on the lake in a canoe, when the boat overturned and only one man made it back to the surface. The RCMP was assisted by Brookfield Volunteer Fire Department with the recovery of the body of the deceased, a 58-year-old man from Truro. Police noted personal flotation devices were in the canoe but were not in use. Initial investigation has determined when the boat overturned, one man made it to shore. The second man remained with the canoe, but despite the efforts of a local woman who was on a paddleboard, to save him, he was not able stay afloat.

Documentary TV Series, The Big Downsize Season 2, produced by Downsize Me Media II Inc., has been approved for a Nova Scotia Film and Television Production Incentive of \$147,483 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$475,750. Documentary, Notre Dame: Rebuilding a Legend, produced by Rebuilding A Legend Productions Inc., has been approved for a funding commitment of \$56,261 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$204,586. Documentary TV Series, The Curse of Oak Island Season 7, produced by Tell Tale International Inc., has been approved for a funding commitment of \$3,540,925 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$12,003,135. Dramatic TV Series, I Hear You, produced by Interwoven Films Inc., has been approved for a funding commitment of \$52,177 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$179,922. Documentary, My Name is Faith, produced by Bruised Productions Ltd., has been approved for a funding commitment of \$70,617 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$231,530. Dramatic TV Series, Diggstown II, produced by Frog Lake Productions Inc., has been approved for a funding commitment of \$1,965,783 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$6,552,609. Documentary, Trajectoires VI, produced by 3291627 Nova Scotia Limited, has been approved for a funding commitment of \$267,356 based on an eligible Nova Scotia expenditure of \$972,204. More details about productions approved for incentives through the Nova Scotia Film and Television Production Incentive Fund are available on the NSBI website at <http://www.nsbi.ca/filmfunding>

PHOTO CONTEST

The Shoreline Journal is conducting a photo contest for the best photos along the Shore from Truro to Advocate.

\$500 in Prizes

\$125 prize for each of four categories:

Winter, Spring, Summer, and Fall.

- 1st - \$50;
- 2nd - \$35;
- 3rd - \$20;
- 4th - \$15;

Honourable Mention, \$5.

Take photos of each season. Submissions to be made in December 2019.

Judging and awards in January, 2020.

Complete rules and submission details announced in September.

Contact: Maurice Rees: maurice@theshorelinejournal.com



OPEN HOUSE

Ski Swap, Market & Equipment Sale

Saturday, November 16

Ski Wentworth • 10 am - 2 pm

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CSP Ski Swap & Sale

Looking for a good deal on used equipment? A portion of all sales go to the Canadian Ski Patrol System. Selling equipment? Drop off: Fri., Nov. 15 from 5-9 pm or Nov. 16 until 9 am
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Season Pass "NO HST" Sale

Your final chance to save on a season pass! Must come to Open House to get the deal
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