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Colchester District 10 Election Heating Up

By Maurice Rees

MacInnes out; Taylor and Lomond in; Lewis not decided.

District 10 residents may be feeling some sort of election has become a monthly event. November 6 they will go to the polls in a special by-election for District 10. The special November 6th, Colchester District 10 by-election to fill the seat left vacant when long term

councillor, Tom Taggart, resigned following his election as MLA for Colchester North.

Since the election was announced, activity for candidates has included one declared candidate withdrawing from the race; two area women announcing their candidacy and another saying she has not made a decision.

Those wishing to put their

name forward have until October 12th to fill the necessary paperwork. Nominations will be accepted by appointment during Municipality of Colchester office hours commencing September 30th, 2021. All nominations shall be filed no later than 5:00 p.m. on nomination day, Tuesday, October 12th, 2021. Guy Wheeler, who was returning officer in the

municipal election in fall of 2020 has returned to the position for the by-election.

Last month's issue of the Shoreline Journal included an announcement by former District 9 councillor, Doug MacInnes, he would be offering for the vacant seat because about 15 months ago he changed his residential address, and now lives within the district. In mid-September, MacInnes announced, due heavy work commitments at Wilson's Heating was withdrawing his candidacy and will not be filing papers to fill the seat.

Londonderry residents Victoria Lomond and Rebecca Taylor have announced their candidacy and will be filing paperwork when accepted at the municipal election. Lomond and Taylor's candidacy announcements are printed on page 11, in this issue.

Many have speculated area resident, Serena Lewis might be encouraged to fill the vacant council position. The Shoreline Journal contacted Serena who replied, "I haven't made any decision on this. I have had a few people inquire if I would. No papers have been submitted".

Those wishing information on the by-election or to book an appointment are asked to contact the Returning Officer, Guy Wheeler at 902-956-9592.



Bioblitz (also known as a biological survey) where groups went to the Geosites of Ward Falls and Five Islands Provincial Park estuary trail to document the biodiversity of these areas of the Geopark. (Cliffs of Fundy photo)

June to September was a Busy Time by the Cliffs

The Cliffs of Fundy newsletter reports the past three months have been spent getting out and talking to as many people as possible! The small in numbers staff have been working to expand their network of business partners and volunteers. The staff have run so many different programs with people whose interests and lifestyles are diverse have been helping staff to look at some these spectacular places. They have been able to lead Guided Walks to the following loca-

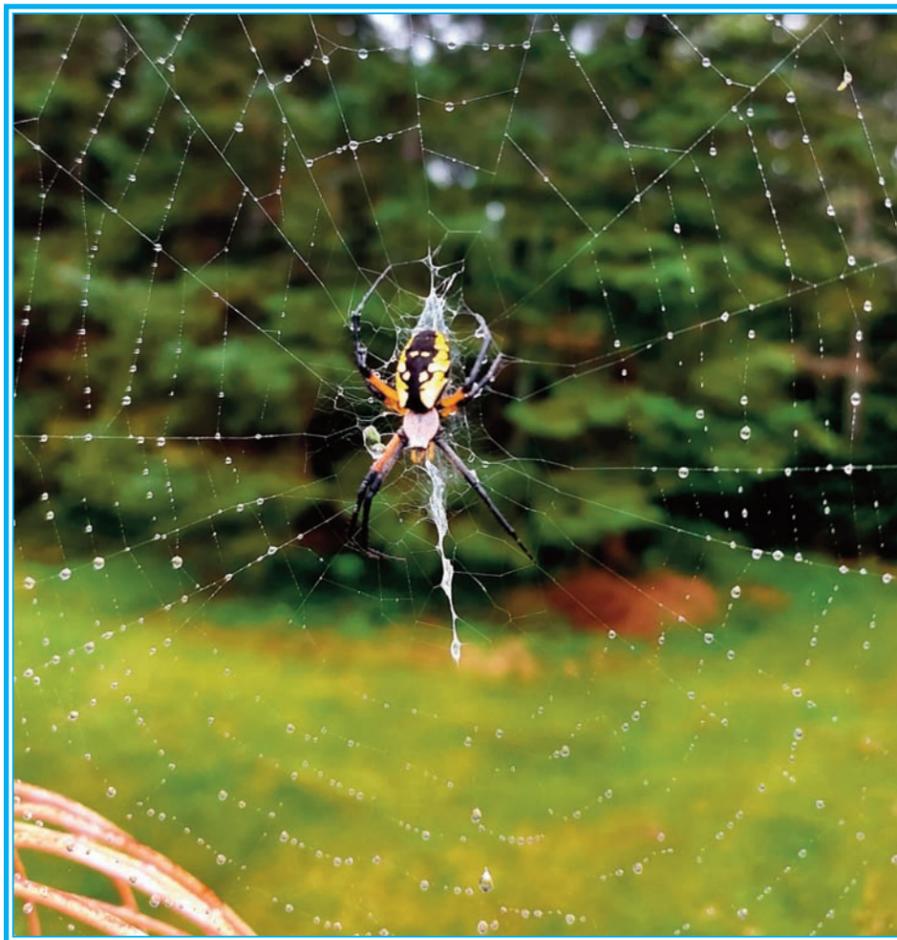
tions: Thomas Cove, Economy; Ward Falls, Dilligent River; Cape Chignecto, West Advocate and Cape d'Or, Advocate Harbour

They were able to partner with some amazing local experts and offered some Special Guided Tours, including: Horseshoe Cove and Cape d'Or with Laurie Currie of Local Guy Adventures; Black Rock at the Fundy Ocean Research Centre for Energy (FORCE) with staff Sandra Currie and Five Islands Provin-

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Members of the guided tour to Thomas Cove relax and watch the tide coming in. (Cliffs of Fundy photo)



This is what is known as a Garden Spiker, however Liza Madore refers to them as "Web Writers", because they always write in their webs. This spider was making her Web on Lisa's deck in Debert. (Liza Madore Photo)

Update: Mass Casualty Commission

The following update is an attempt to explain how the public sessions will be conducted. In some ways, it is a message to the media on what is expected of them in conducting themselves in their professional capacity. In another way it is a message to the general public to ensure they understand the steps being taken to ensure they are comfortable and treated with empathy.

The Mass Casualty Commission have Community Open Houses scheduled for late September to share information with community members about their work. Capacity is limited inside the venues.

Members of the media who wish to attend are requested to arrive early. The commission will work to accommodate time during the first half hour of each open house. It is the commission's goal to make sure attendees are comfortable speaking freely with Commission members. The media as been asked not film anyone at the events without their permission. Photos of the open houses will be posted to the media centre www.MassCasualtyCommission.ca

Those interested in speaking with a Commission spokesperson, please reach out in advance. When possible

and appropriate a media opportunity will be arranged. Additionally, any interviews with members of the public will not be arranged by the Commission and we ask that if members of the public choose to speak with media that interviews are done in designated media areas, which in some cases will be outside the venue, depending on capacity.

The purpose of the Open House is to share information and to answer any questions community members may have about the inquiry process. Please note there will be no evidence or facts shared

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Municipalities to Receive Additional \$32-Million

The Houston government has moved quickly to provide an additional \$32 million to help municipalities pay for crucial services as promised during their election campaign. The Municipal Financial Capacity Grant is paid to municipalities and towns that need assistance to fund a standard level of services such as police, fire protection and transportation.

The Town Foundation Grant is provided as recognition of the particular challenges faced due to local road responsibilities and assessment bases. The extra funding will be given to municipalities this fall through these two programs.

"Municipal services are among the most important in our day-to-day lives. Over the years it's become more expen-

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