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## Rowers complete 24-day voyage from Gloucester to Nova Scotia

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LUNENBURG - Two Gloucester rowers have completed a remarkable 24-day journey across the Gulf of Maine and along Nova Scotia's coast, arriving in Lunenburg recently after battling strong currents, exhaustion, and unpredictable weather.

Jim Tarantino and Sarah LeWine departed Gloucester, Massachusetts on July 26 in a traditional dory, inspired by the historic crossings of fishermen. A trip over 1,000 kms, they faced three-and-a-half days of open-water crossing, periods of dangerous currents, sleep deprivation, and even hallucinations. At one point, they considered giving up before what they described as "divine intervention" helped them regain progress.

The pair were rowing in a traditional Grand Banks dory built in Lunenburg by Andrew Rhodenizer. Tarantino, a former Survivor contestant, had visited Lunenburg several times as a racer and during one of those visits he stopped in the shop and ordered one.

The pair spent months training in the lead up to their adventure. That included early morning rowing sessions, workouts in the gym, local rowing races and the 20-mile Blackburn Challenge rowing event, but they say nothing compared to the endurance required for nearly a month at sea. They rowed six-to-10 hours daily, covering 15-to-30 miles, and occasionally used a small sail for assistance.

At night, they would hunker down to sleep on air mattresses laid across their equipment. A custom designed canvas canopy protected them from the elements and kept both the rowers and their equipment warm and dry.

Stopping at ports along the Maine and Nova Scotia coasts, the pair were frequently met by locals offering food, shelter, and encouragement. Arriving at their destination in Lunenburg on Aug. 20, Tarantino and LeWine were welcomed into the har-



ED HALVERSON PHOTOS

Sarah LeWine and Jimmy Tarantino with their Dory "Heart O' Gloucester".



Interior Heart O' Gloucester.

bour by a flotilla of rowers and boats as well as local dignitaries. But it was Nova Scotia's sailing ambassador that left an impression on Tarantino.

"The entire crew of the Bluenose standing on the stern, applauding as we rode by. That was pretty powerful," said Tarantino. "Wow, that was incredible to see all these people welcoming us. That's really good cheer."

LeWine says when things got tough, she was inspired by the thoughts of her loved ones who had offered so much support and she didn't want to let them down.

"You know, knowing that we weren't alone out there," said LeWine. "I mean,

we worked with great friends doing it, but also just knowing we had our family and friends and people we didn't know that were from Gloucester or Nova Scotia, just with us, meant everything.

Both rowers say interacting with the natural beauty and wildlife were highlights of the trip, but the kindness and support shown by the people they met along the way are memories they will carry with them for the rest of their lives.

Both Tarantino and LeWine agreed this crossing was a once-in-a-lifetime experience that deepened their respect for the sea and hopefully drew attention to a long-standing maritime tradition.



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# Memorial crosswalk soon to be installed

## Location and design decided

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BRIDGEWATER – The location and a design for a new Remembrance crosswalk is now set and awaiting to be completed.

The crosswalk will be located beside the Bridgewater Curling Club at the crosswalk at Churchill and Dominion Street.

Over the summer, Dan Hennessey, president of the Bridgewater Legion Branch #24 approached town council to see if a project like this could be considered.

It was approved unanimously, and staff was directed to work with Hennessey and the Legion to find a suitable location and design with a time of completion, hopefully prior to Remembrance Day on Nov. 11.

The crosswalk will be a series of red and black stripes, with the black stripes being bare asphalt. The image of a soldier with a rifle in his hand will be at either end of the crosswalk in black with the words ‘Lest We Forget’.

Hennessey is happy with the progress of the project.

“The timing of this project...is perfect, because the Royal Canadian Legion turns 100 in 2026. This is a great contribution by the Legion and the Town of Bridgewater,” he said.

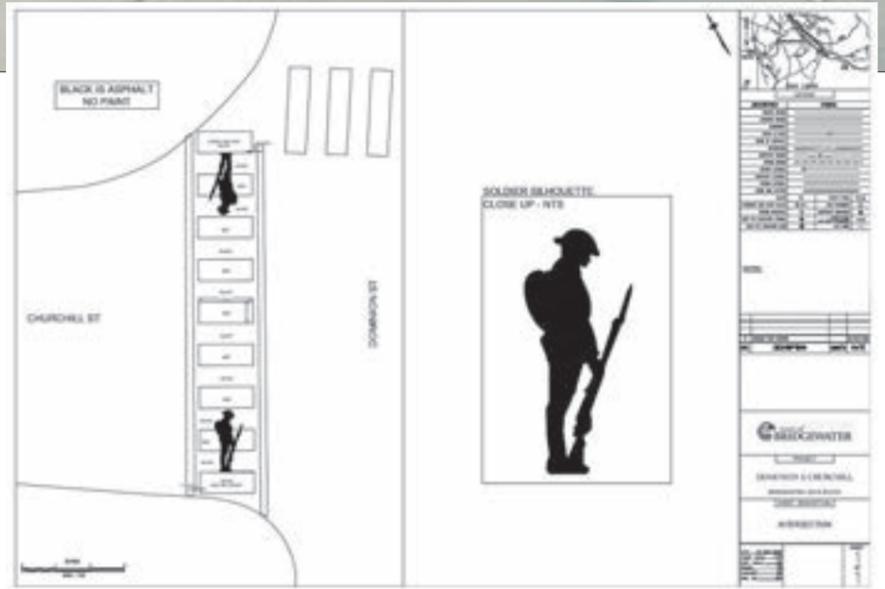
Hennessey added that the Legion was going to get an artist to do the outline of the soldier and the words, but the town has now said they are going to look after the production of the crosswalk.

Rick Wentzell from Atlantic Welding and Millwright has been working on the templates for three soldier and the ‘Lest We Forget’ words to make it easy to refresh things when needed.

“If I can get these this week or next, I can see this all happening in September,” he said.

As for the location, Hennessey had suggested putting it near Veterans’ Memorial Park, however...

“I wasn’t sold on it at first, but then I started thinking about it. Kids are going to be walking to and from school on it every day. There is a ton of traffic on Dominion Street and when the parade comes out of the Legion on Remembrance Day, we are going to walk right by it. It’s a good spot.”



# Bridgewater experiencing rapid growth

By ED HALVERSON

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BRIDGEWATER – This town is on the cusp of a housing boom, with multiple projects set to reshape the town’s landscape and strengthen its reputation as one of Nova Scotia’s fastest-growing communities.

Developer Karim George of InTouch Homes will add 60 single-family homes off Glen Allan Drive on Etna Street, offering a mix of one-level townhouses and semi-detached designs in his latest project, Cedar Hollow.

George has built more than 40

homes in Bridgewater in the last three years. Known for his streamlined building process, George can reportedly complete a house in as little as three months – an unusually fast turnaround in residential construction.

The development comes at a time when density is a hot topic across the province. While some argue single-family homes don’t maximize land use, Bridgewater council supported the project, emphasizing the importance of variety in the housing market. Mayor David Mitchell said single-family developments complement multi-unit housing already approved in town.

“You can’t just build apartments,” Mitchell said. “There are still so many people who want single-family homes. Having that mix is important.”

Infrastructure capacity has long been a concern as Bridgewater expands, but Mitchell said recent upgrades, including new pump stations and ongoing renewal projects, mean the town is well positioned to accommodate growth. With permits issued and site clearing already underway, Cedar Hollow is expected to welcome its first new residents in spring of 2026.

The project is one of several significant developments in Bridgewater. An 800-unit subdivision on Exhibition Drive and Jubilee Road, a 440-unit project on the former Kirk forestry property, and new multi-storey build-

ings on King Street are all in the pipeline. Collectively, these projects are expected to push Bridgewater’s population, now just under 9,000, toward the 10,000 mark in the coming years.

Bridgewater’s ability to consistently grow stands out in Nova Scotia. Since 1985, the town has not experienced a single year of population decline – a unique record in the province. “We’re fortunate to have been quite immune to the population declines some areas are now facing,” Mitchell said. “But we can’t take that for granted.”

Affordable housing remains part of the strategy. The province has committed to deeply affordable, geared-to-income units behind Hillside Pines.

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## Business of the week

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# Dahl's dispatch

EVAN DAHL

Lunenburg County firefighters answered 88 calls for service and Queens County firefighters answered 16 calls for service from Thursday, August 21 to Wednesday August 27 – 18 of these calls were medicals.

During the week, Chester, Blandford, Bridgewater, Port Medway, Liverpool, Mill Village, Oakhill, Hebbville, Hebbs Cross, Mahone Bay, Conquerall Bank, Western Shore, Midville, LaHave, Blockhouse, Lunenburg, Dayspring, New Ross, Italy Cross, Shelburne, Port Williams, Windsor, Havelock, St. Bernard, Lakes and District, Yarmouth, Carleton, Port Maitland, Quinan, Pubnico and Meteghan joined the West Dalhousie response.

## AUGUST 21

**At 12:18 a.m.**, New Germany firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Franey Corner.

**At 2:56 a.m.**, Blockhouse firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Sweetland.

**At 4:22 a.m.**, Cornwall firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Upper New Cornwall.

**At 6:26 a.m.**, Blockhouse firefighters responded to a smoke sighting in Blockhouse.

**At 6:34 a.m.**, Oakhill firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Oakhill.

**At 6:51 a.m.**, Lunenburg firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Martins Brook.

**At 7:26 a.m.**, Chester firefighters responded to a smoke sighting in Chester. Western Shore also responded.

**At 7:52 a.m.**, Italy Cross firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Middlewood.

**At 8:25 a.m.**, Tri District firefighters responded to a smoke sighting in Wileville. Hebbville also responded.

**At 8:33 a.m.**, Tri District firefighters responded to a smoke sighting in Pleasant River. Hebbville and Hemford also responded.

**At 8:39 a.m.**, Hebbs Cross firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Hebbs Cross.

**At 1:08 p.m.**, Liverpool firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Brooklyn.

**At 3:17 p.m.**, Liverpool firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in White Point.

**At 7:15 p.m.**, Chester firefighters responded to a residential fire alarm in Chester. Western Shore also responded.

**At 9:54 p.m.**, Cornwall firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Newburne.

## AUGUST 22

**At 10:52 a.m.**, Chester firefighters responded to a residential fire alarm in Marriotts Cove. Western Shore also responded.

**At 11:34 a.m.**, Hebbs Cross firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Hebbs Cross.

**At 12:11 p.m.**, Oakhill firefighters responded to a transformer fire in Oakhill. Blockhouse also responded.

**At 9:01 p.m.**, Tri District firefighters responded to an illegal burn in West Clifford. Hebbville also responded.

## AUGUST 23

**At 12:11 p.m.**, Mahone Bay firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Mahone Bay.

**At 2:07 p.m.**, Blockhouse firefighters responded to a grass fire in Blockhouse. Oakhill and Mahone Bay also responded.

**At 5:56 p.m.**, Oakhill firefighters responded to a woods fire in Pine Grove. Blockhouse, Northfield and Dayspring also responded.

**At 8:38 p.m.**, Chester firefighters responded to a residential fire alarm in Chester.

**At 9:08 p.m.**, Bridgewater firefighters responded to a vehicle fire in Bridgewater.

## AUGUST 24

**At 7:06 a.m.**, Bridgewater firefighters responded to a vehicle fire in Bridgewater.

**At 9:00 a.m.**, Bridgewater firefighters responded with their drone to assist Springfield at a smoke sighting in Lake Pleasant.

**At 2:08 p.m.**, New Ross firefighters responded to a possible motor vehicle accident in New Russell.

**At 2:30 p.m.**, Hubbards firefighters responded to an electrical fire in Hubbards. Black Point also responded.

**At 2:58 p.m.**, Tri District firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Wileville. Hebbville also responded.

**At 5:17 p.m.**, Cornwall firefighters responded to a grass fire in Middle New Cornwall. Walden also responded.

**At 5:50 p.m.**, Midville firefighters responded to a chimney fire in Auburndale.

**At 9:10 p.m.**, Hebbs Cross firefighters responded to a grass / tree fire in Hebbs Cross.

## AUGUST 25

**At 2:02 a.m.**, Bridgewater firefighters responded to a smoke condition in Bridgewater.

**At 9:43 a.m.**, Bridgewater firefighters responded to a fire alarm in Bridgewater.

**At 10:32 a.m.**, Northfield firefighters responded to a commercial fire alarm in Cookville. Bridgewater also responded.

**At 3:15 p.m.**, Chester Basin firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident in Chester Basin. Chester also responded.

**At 10:18 p.m.**, Hebbville firefighters responded to a power line on fire in Hebbville.

## AUGUST 26

**At 12:12 a.m.**, Liverpool firefighters responded to a possible structure fire in Liverpool. Port Medway, Greenfield and North Queens also responded.

**At 3:02 a.m.**, Bridgewater firefighters responded to a smoke sighting in Bridgewater.

**At 3:29 a.m.**, Northfield firefighters responded to a smell of smoke in Lower Branch.

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# Lunenburg opens doors for Heritage House Tour

By ED HALVERSON

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LUNENBURG - Lunenburgers will once again open their doors to history lovers when the Lunenburg Heritage Society hosts its annual Heritage House Tour Sept. 13.

The volunteer-led event is a rare opportunity to step inside some of the town's most notable homes, churches, and public buildings while learning about the community's rich architectural and cultural heritage.

This year's self-guided tour features 20 sites in total, including six private residences, four churches and 10 businesses and public buildings. Organizers say the collection offers a snapshot of how generations of builders, homeowners, and craftspeople adapted structures for modern living while preserving their original charm.

Participants can begin their tour from either end of the town at the Visitor Information Centre on Blockhouse Hill or at the Lunenburg Academy. Lunenburg Heritage House Tour Chair, Kathy Bradford says between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. people will make their way through town to discover the homes at their own pace.

"Depending on whether you're east or west, they will make their way through town and go to the various houses and businesses and other buildings and once they get to each building, there will be someone there to greet them, and show them around," said Bradford.

The spotlight is on Victorian-era homes, several of which trace their roots back to earlier Georgian influences. Among them is Townsend House, begun in 1816 and significantly updated in 1888, and Casa Codfish, which evolved from its late 1700s origins into a Victorian-era residence.

In addition to the homes, several landmark buildings will welcome visitors, including the Knaut-Rhuland House Museum, the Lunenburg Opera House, the Lunenburg Academy's Heritage Classroom, the Blockhouse Hill Visitor Information Centre, and the Old French Cemetery. Stops at the Big Boat Shed and Boat Shop, Adams & Knickle Ltd., and the Dory Shop will highlight Lunenburg's Maritime roots. The Lorne Street Fire Station and the Lunenburg School of the Arts will also be featured.

Bradford points out that the tour not only showcases the craftsmanship of the past but also highlights the ongoing work of the Heritage Society. Proceeds support projects such as the renewal and conservation of the Knaut-Rhuland House Museum, ensuring the stories of early settlers and generations of Lunenburgers continue to be shared.

"It's not just about, being a fundraiser, which certainly is our primary focus," said Bradford. "But it is a way of really showcasing to outsiders Lunenburg's wonderful, rich cultural heritage."

Tickets are \$30 and can be purchased in advance online at [www.lunenburgheritagesociety.ca](http://www.lunenburgheritagesociety.ca) until Sept. 11, or at the Knaut-Rhuland House Museum. On the day of the tour, tickets will also be available at the registration sites: the Lunenburg Academy Heritage Classroom on Kaulbach Street and the Lunenburg Board of Trade Visitor Information Centre on Blockhouse Hill. Registration opens at 9:30 a.m.

For visitors, the event promises more than a glimpse inside historic walls – it's a journey into the stories of the people who built, lived, and worked in Lunenburg.

# RCMP looking for more information

Do you have information about a recent theft of motorcycles in Mahone Bay?

On July 19, at approximately 2:24 a.m., two people entered a business in Mahone Bay and stole three motorcycles:

- 2022 Kawasaki KX450JPFNN - VIN: JKAKXGJC-5NA026322

- 2023 KTM 250SX-F - VIN: VBKXSXK437PM18837

- 2024 Honda CRF250R - VIN: JH-2ME1223RK600320

Surveillance footage shows two people, one dressed in all black, carrying a black backpack and wearing a

blue helmet, one dressed in a dark grey sweater and black pants, wearing a silver or grey helmet.

This theft is also believed to be connected to the theft of a 2012 Ford F150 from a nearby business which was likely used to transport the stolen motorcycles. The truck was later found in Annapolis County.

If you have information about this theft or may have seen these motorcycles, please call the Lunenburg County District RCMP at 902-527-5555. To remain anonymous, contact Nova Scotia Crime Stoppers toll-free at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477), submit a secure web tip at [www.crimestoppers.ns.ca](http://www.crimestoppers.ns.ca).



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## TO THE EDITOR

# Our firefighter heroes

The Editor,

There are not enough thank yous that we can say to all our firefighters in our towns and communities who protect us and save lives while putting their own lives in danger. We should all be so very thankful to them.

Living next to the firehall we know how many times they get called out. Day and night, during thunderstorms, ice and snowstorms and in extreme heat like they have had to endure this past summer. And all of this with heavy gear they need to fight the fires they are called out to fight.

All the illegal burns, the vehicle accidents, the power pole fires, the house fires, forest fires and so many other calls they answer and deal with.

They leave their beds at night, their meals, their jobs when the calls come in. They jump from their vehicles, run to get in their gear, into the trucks and they are off hurrying to get to their destination as soon as they can.

If we were to thank them, they would probably say, 'thank you, but it's what we do.' All of them are volunteers.



Where would we be without them? I think, in a lot of trouble!

We pray that there will be a lot of young firefighters coming up through the ranks to join the departments and continue doing this wonderful service.

The next time you meet a firefighter,

thank them for the wonderful work that they are doing to keep all of us safe and pray that God keeps them safe every day when the pager goes off and they are called out again...

V. Selig  
Newcombville

## Hospital Auxiliary announced bursary recipients

By SUE DEXTER  
SSRHA Auxiliary

SOUTH SHORE – The South Shore Regional Hospital Auxiliary (SSRHA) recently announced the three winners of their annual bursary totaling \$12,000.

This year's winners are Lauren Hall, Jodi Greene and Kennia Magdaleno Velasco.

All three demonstrate a strong work ethic, a high academic ability and a caring approach to people. The bursaries will assist them in their future studies in health education.

Hall has just finished her first year of the OTA/PTA program at the Nova Scotia Community College in Bridgewater. She is a graduate of New Germany High School and has deep roots in the community.

Her hard work and empathy mean



Lauren Hall



Kennia Magdaleno Velasco



Jodi Greene

she is a good investment in the future of health care and rehabilitation services on the South Shore.

Greene is studying to become a licensed Practical Nurse at the Nova Scotia Community College in Bridgewater. She graduated from Yarmouth High School.

She is an excellent communicator with a natural ability to make others feel at ease; valuable skills in any health care setting.

Magdaleno Velasco graduated from Park View Education Centre in Bridgewater. She has been admitted to the Bachelor of Science (Medical Sciences) program at Dalhousie University this fall.

Her goal is to be a pediatric neurologist after she completes her undergraduate degree.

The SSRHA wishes this year's recipients all the best.

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# Young entrepreneur's business taking off

By KEVIN MCBAIN

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NEW GERMANY – Meet Alfie Wimbush. A nine-year-old entrepreneur who is well-spoken, a natural salesman and the brains behind Eddy's Bites Homemade Dog Treats, a business that has taken off since he came up with the idea late last year.

Alfie, along with parents Amanda and Mike who live near New Germany, have attended several markets and started a Facebook page and a website is currently under development.

You can also buy his all-natural treats at a few stores: Fancy Pants Café in Bridgewater, Timeless Transformations in Mahone Bay and Hello Best Friend in Lunenburg. You can also place orders through their Facebook page and soon, a website.

They are also featured at Shore Cycle, where Mike works in sales.

"Basically, we were there one day and they have dog treats with Milk Bones in them. Basically, because Milk Bones are basically saw dust, we decided to replace them with something healthier," said Alfie, who added that they are person-friendly as well, noting that one of their customers shares them with their dog.

They have also given out many samples to places of businesses and individuals as well, helping to spread the word.



## HOW DID HE COME UP WITH THE IDEA?

Alfie explained that they held an open house and a fall gathering of family and friends. One of his mother's friends brought with them a bag of dog treats that were made by another young man from the city.

"I was just thinking... mom can we make some dog treats. Since you own a dog training business," said Alfie. "She was like 'sure'. Then we found a way to make them."

Amanda has been a business owner for about seven years and owns The Mindful Canine, a dog training business.

Mike said that his son loves dogs, but he also has another motive – an ATV.

"The idea came from our open farm day and he has seen his mother train the dogs with treats. He then came to my work (Shore Cycle) and saw an ATV. Then the wheels started turning and he put the two together," he said.

Each member has their roles in the business. Mom does all of the baking; dad is working on the website and Alfie does the marketing and packaging and logos, while Eddy plays the role of the taste tester.

The family got together and they were able to attend a few markets before Christmas to get the word out.

Alfie said, "I have ADHD, so when I get an idea, I go the full 20 miles (for most people). But for me, it's like 500 miles."

He is almost halfway to his goal of getting his ATV and beyond – more Lego. But, also while doing that he is also thinking about expanding his offerings, putting money aside to one day purchase a dehydrator to make dehydrated dog treats.

They are also looking at possibly renting a kitchen with more than one stove, considering that most of the time making the treats is the baking part of it...it takes about a half hour to cook just one batch.

Alfie says the best part of doing this is going to markets, talking to people about their dogs and offering samples.

"They may buy some treats and

come back sometime later and say, 'my dog loves the treats and thank you.' That's a great feeling," he said. "Our motto is making your dog's day a bite better."

## THE LOGO

Alfie said the logo was made partially for a front page of a school assignment where they were tasked with writing a real-life story. He wrote about the time when his dog, Eddy, fell into a well and had to be rescued.

With a little work it was made to what is now their logo.

## WHAT KIND CAN YOU GET?

Alfie started off by offering training bites and these come in three different kinds – salmon, peanut butter and cheese. He began making peanut butter cookies, recently as well, with some customers asking for larger treats for their larger dogs.

They also make seasonal treats such as turkey and cranberry for the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

## WHAT'S NEXT?

Along with getting a dehydrator and checking out larger kitchens, they are looking at ways to better ship the goods and even going into profit sharing.

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## Community Events: September 3-9, 2025

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

**Bright & Lion Touch Rugby** at Kinsman Field, Maple St., Bridgewater from 7:30 to 8:30 PM.

**BBQ & Show** at The Hank Snow Museum, 17 Hank Snow Drive, Liverpool from 12 to 2:30 PM.

**Feminist Button Making** at Second Story Women's Centre, Dufferin Street, Lunenburg from 3:30 to 3:30 PM.

**BBQ and Ice Cream Social** at Fort Point Museum, 100 Fort Point Rd., LaHave from 2 to 4 PM.

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

**Recreation and Social Program for Mature Adults** at HB Studios Sports Centre, 543 Glen Allan Dr., Bridgewater from 10 AM to 12 PM.

**Liverpool YMCA Youth Centre Free Drop-in Programs** at 40 Water St., Liverpool from 2:30 to 5 PM.

**Bridgewater Toast Master Club** at NSCC Lunenburg Campus, 75 High St., Bridgewater from 7 to 8:30 PM.

**Trivia with Michelle** at King Street Beer, 463 King St., Bridgewater from 7 to 9 PM.

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

**Keep on Track** at HB Studios Sports Centre from 10 AM to 12 PM.

**Clickety Clack Knitters & Crafters** at DesBrisay Museum, Jubilee Rd., Bridgewater from 1 to 5 PM.

**New Germany Farmers' Market** at 5325 NS Trunk 10 from 2 to 6 PM.

**Live Music – Shawn Hebb** at Osprey's Nest Public House from 5:30 to 8:30 PM

**Music Bingo** at King Street Beer Company, 463 King St., Bridgewater from 6 to 8 PM.

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

**Learn Cricket Program** at LaHave Athletic Fields, Glen Allan Dr., Bridgewater from 6 to 8 PM.

**Lockeport Crescent Beach Auto Show** at Crescent Beach from 8 AM to 3 PM.

**Craft Saturdays** at Mahone Bay Museum from 12 to 4 PM.

**Book Reading: Shelagh Meagher** at LaHave River Books, 3421 HWY 331, LaHave from 4 to 5 PM.

**Raas Garba Navratri** at HB Studios Sports Centre from 6 to 11:30 PM.

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

**Bridgewater Ultimate Frisbee** at Kinsmen Field, Maple St., Bridgewater from 10 AM to 12 PM.

**Celtic Sunday Session** at Eli+Trix, 538 Main St., Mahone Bay from 2 to 4 PM.

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

**Regular Meeting of Town Council** at Town Hall, Pleasant St., Bridgewater from 6 to 8 PM.

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

**Game Night** at Michelin Social & Athletic Club, Logan Rd., Bridgewater from 4 to 9 PM.

**Music on the Riverbank – 2025 Concert Series** at Pijinuiskaq Park, King St., Bridgewater from 6:30 to 8:30 PM



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## Bridgewater experiencing rapid growth

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Meanwhile, the Housing Trust of Nova Scotia is building 22 to 24 homes near the South Shore Regional Hospital for health care staff, ensuring frontline workers have access to housing close to their workplace.

Mitchell said co-operation with provincial and federal governments has been vital to ensuring infrastructure and services keep pace with development. "The province wants more housing, the federal government wants more housing, and we do too," he said. "We can't continue to be the service centre for the region without cost-sharing."

Looking back, Mitchell said the town's decision nearly 20 years ago to extend Glen Allan Drive was pivotal. "If you build the road, houses will come," he recalled. Today, thousands of residents live in that area, contributing to Bridgewater's growing vibrancy.

"Doctors live there, engineers live there, teachers live there," Mitchell said. "It was one of the best decisions we ever made."



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### SOUTH SHORE GIRLS PART OF MEDAL WINNING TEAM

Four South Shore girls were members of the bronze-medal winning female soccer team at the recent Canada Summer Games held in Newfoundland. Shown here, from left to right, are Kylie Buchanan, Jada Buchanan, Rebecca McDow and Jane Van Kessel.

## Young entrepreneur's business taking off

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### AMAZING?

Alfie is going into Grade 4 at New Germany Elementary School and doesn't think that many of his classmates own their own business.

"They don't believe me," he said. "They think it's my dad's."

Mike said that it has been great to see what Alfie has learned by running a business.

"It's been neat to see the lessons and the learning of this, working with expenses and savings and everything. At one point he told us that he wanted to put some money aside to 'diversify my product offerings.'"

Alfie did say he has learned a lot of lessons from working through the process.

"I have a newfound appreciation when I walk into a grocery store. A person will come in and buy a pack of carrots, then just walk out," he said. "I now have an appreciation for the workers who spend hours a day just to make those packages of

carrots to get them in the store."

Alfie says that he has many more money-making ideas that he wants to put into motion and offers some advice to young future entrepreneurs.

"If you want to start a business, don't let age hold you back."

## Dahl's dispatch

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**At 9:40 a.m.**, Northfield firefighters responded to a commercial fire alarm in Cookville. Bridgewater also responded.

**At 1:43 p.m.**, North Queens firefighters responded to a motor vehicle accident.

### AUGUST 27

**At 7:42 a.m.**, Liverpool firefighters responded to a smoke sighting in Brooklyn.

**At 9:00 a.m.**, Chester Basin firefighters responded to a possible motor vehicle accident in Chester Basin.

**At 8:28 p.m.**, Mahone Bay firefighters responded to a possible motor vehicle accident in Mahone Bay.

You may reach Evan Dahl by e-mail at [evan-dahl10@hotmail.com](mailto:evan-dahl10@hotmail.com) or via the Dahl Dispatch Facebook page.

# Mustard Pickles

Pickling season is upon us, and I am sharing my mom's favourite Mustard Pickles recipe that is from "The Best in Cooking in Clarence" cookbook published by the Clarence Community Club in Bridgetown in the 1970s, submitted by Claire Ellis. Like all favourite recipes, the pages are marked by ingredients from the recipes themselves.

**INGREDIENTS**

- 3 qts. cucumbers
- 2 or 3 medium onions
- ¼ c. salt
- 2 c. brown sugar
- Vinegar

**PASTE**

- 1 c. sugar
- 1 c. flour
- 1 tbsp. dry mustard
- 1 tbsp turmeric

**DIRECTIONS**

1. Cut up cucumbers and onions. Add salt.
2. Cover with water and soak 4 hours. Drain.
3. Add brown sugar and add vinegar just until you can see it through the top of the pickles (don't quite cover).
4. Cook at least 45 minutes.

**MUSTARD PASTE**

1. Mix sugar, flour, dry mustard and turmeric with a little hot vinegar from the pickle to make a paste.
2. Add to pickles and mix well.
3. Cook at least 15 minutes - be careful not to burn.

(Cauliflower or beans may be used in this recipe.)

**Have a recipe you'd like to share?**  
**Send it in!**  
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Coastal Action is hosting a Coffee & Conversations event, and we want to hear from the community! What makes the LaHave Islands to Port Medway coastline special? What does the community value about the marine environment, and what thoughts do they have on marine conservation?

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## This week in **SPORTS**

# Bright and Lion Rugby growing the game on the South Shore

By ED HALVERSON

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**SOUTH SHORE** - The Bright and Lion Rugby Football Club, also known as South Shore Rugby, is making big strides in growing the sport locally, thanks to a focus on youth and inclusivity.

Founded in 2019, the club now counts around 60 members, with its largest group made up of high school-aged players. While still too small to field full senior squads in Rugby Nova Scotia's official league, the club runs practices, exhibitions, and a popular "touch rugby" program that introduces adults and newcomers to the game without the contact.

Emily Vokey, the club's women's and junior co-ordinator, says the juniors have been a stand-out success. This summer, seven Bright and Lion athletes represented Nova Scotia provincially, with some advancing to the Atlantic championships.

"They've been recognized beyond our club, which is really exciting," Vokey said. Alumni are also making their mark, with players now competing at the collegiate level, including Acadia University's championship-winning women's team.

Provincial Keltic Players from Bright and Lion include: Lily Levy, Riley Dixon, Hannah Nodding,



EMILY VOKEY PHOTO

Members of the Bright and Lion Rugby Club who also played with the provincial Keltics.

Makenzie Kramer (U17 Women's team), Olivia Landry (U16 Women's Team), Abbey Dixon (U15 Women's team) and Luca Jean-Noel (U17 Men's team).

Vokey credits rugby's appeal to its accessibility and welcoming culture. "Everyone has a role," she explained. "You can be big and strong, or small and quick. It's especially important for young women to know their body type is a strength, not a barrier." She also highlighted rugby's reputation as an inclusive space for LGBTQ+ players and those new to sport.

This fall, Bright and Lion is preparing to launch a U17 girls' league, while touch rugby returns in October and runs through March. With support from Rugby Nova Scotia and growing local interest, the club is quickly becoming a hub for the sport on the South Shore.

"Rugby isn't just a game," Vokey said. "It's a community - and that's what keeps people coming back."

## SPORT SHORTS

Lunenburg's Logan Taylor, a former South Shore Seahawks was recently named a captain of his Boston College Eagles football team. The six-foot-seven, 312-pounder was named as an honourable mention all-ACC player for the second season in a row last year and this season is number two on the CFL draft projected list.

The South Shore Schooners Jr. C hockey club is hosting three tryout sessions in Bridgewater this week starting Sept. 3 (9-10 p.m.) and continuing Sept. 5 (9-10 p.m.) and Sept. 6 (6-7 p.m.) at the LCLC. Cost is \$75 per player. For more information, or to register, contact them at: southshoreschooners@icloud.com.

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# Sarah Mitton stripped of title after protest

By KEVIN MCBAIN

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**ZURICH** - Brooklyn's Sarah Mitton threw her best of the season, 20.67 metres (just one centimetre away from her personal best) on Aug. 27 and it was good enough to defend her Wanda Diamond League title.

However, following the event, there was a protest put forward about Mitton's award-winning throw, which was her second throw in the six-throw competition.

Upon review, the protest was upheld. Her momentum had carried her out of the circle prior to the shot landing.

Mitton's second-best throw was 19.99 m (sixth and final throw), good enough for third behind Schilder (20.26m) and Jackson (20.08m).

She also threw 19.82 m, 19.94 m and 19.86 m, which were all better than Schilder's and Jackson's second and third best throws.

Through messenger from Zurich, Coach Richard Parkinson commented...

"If we would have been told the second throw was a foul, we would've changed our strategy and thrown for the win versus 21 m. Changed the whole dynamic of the competition," he said, adding that they didn't even get a say in the matter.

The reigning outdoor world silver medalist and two-time indoor world champion is currently ranked second in the world going into the upcoming world championships taking place in Tokyo from Sept. 13-21. Last year, she finished second in the event.

## Social Column

Enjoy this "social media of yesteryear"  
excerpt from the *Bridgewater Bulletin*.

September 3, 1947

An enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mrs. Annand on Thursday evening when she entertained a number of friends and relatives. During the evening various games as croquet, cribbage, bridge and monopoly were enjoyed. A dainty lunch was served with Miss Jeanie Annand and Mrs. Lawrence Himmelman assisting. Later music and signing were the special attractions.

The electric storm which passed over here last Monday night struck a number of trees and tore the gable end out of Simeon Wentzell's barn. No fire was set and the cattle in the barn were not affected by the bolt.

Mrs. Hector, Duncan, of Bedford, who spent the past month visiting her mother, Mrs. O.G. Dauphinee, returned to Halifax yesterday morning. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Marion Dauphinee, who returned to Halifax to resume her duties as a Principal at the Halifax Ladies' College. Mr. Duncan was a weekend guest at the Dauphinee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Veinot, accompanied by their two children, Robert and Marcia, returned on Friday last from a pleasant motor trip to Prince Edward Island. During the past week, Mrs. Veinot and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Lohnes and sister, Miss Carrie Lohnes at Upper LaHave. Miss Lohnes will shortly return to Boston after having spent the summer with her parents.



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# LIFESTYLES

## Every employee speaks a different language

STEPHANIE MILLER VINCENT  
Business Moments

This morning, a longtime colleague and dear friend reminded me of something I can't stress enough: no two people on your team think, learn, or communicate in the same way.

Years ago, when Melissa was the training manager in the food and beverage department I led, a team of 777 employees, our thought processes could not have been more different. Early in a project, if you overheard our conversations, you might never have guessed we were even working on the same thing.

I would take the twisty, scenic, gravel road in the valley, slow and winding yet full of perspective. Melissa would take the paved road straight up the mountain, fast, direct, and steep like a roller coaster. And yet, without fail, we always arrived at the exact same destination. Our standards, values, and expectations were aligned. We just travelled different roads to get there.

That's the point. A cookie-cutter approach to leadership does not work. Your team members need different things from you. Even if they need the same result, to feel seen, valued, and

supported, they may need it delivered differently.

Think of it like the "love languages" concept in relationships. Employees also have "team languages."

In a restaurant, someone new to serving may need you to walk through every step of service side-by-side. A veteran bartender might just need the freedom to run the bar their way, knowing you trust their expertise and that they'll adhere to the standards set.

In retail, a student working their first job may crave encouragement for small wins, while a tenured associate is motivated by being included in big-picture planning.

In construction, a new apprentice may need extra time and clear step-by-step instructions, while a journeyman who's been on job sites for decades values autonomy and recognition of their craft.

Even within the same workplace, employees carry different experiences. Some will happily walk through your open door policy. Others have been burned by "open doors" in the past, dismissed, belittled, or even punished when they spoke up. For them, your open door might only feel

safe if you step through it first and meet them where they are.

Leadership is not about creating one path and demanding everyone follow it. It's about understanding the many paths your people will take and walking alongside them so they know they matter most.

So, here's the question I'll leave you with: Are you leading your people the way you prefer to be led, or the way they need you to lead? Maybe take a moment this week to notice the different "roads" your team members are on. Ask yourself what each person needs from you. Is it encouragement, autonomy, coaching, or recognition

and then meet them there.

Leadership is never one-size-fits-all. The more you adapt to the individual, the stronger the whole team becomes.

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## Babies having babies:

### The importance of spaying and neutering

ASHLEY KIPPERS  
SHAID Tree Animal Shelter General Manager

At SHAID Animal Shelter, we see countless cats in need of homes each year, and one of the most important ways to reduce this demand is through spaying and neutering. While kittens are undeniably adorable, the sheer number of unwanted litters leads to shelters being overwhelmed and many cats struggling to find safe, loving homes.

Many people don't realize how early cats become sexually mature. A kitten can go into heat and become pregnant as young as four months old. With an average litter size of four-to-six kittens, and the potential to have multiple litters in a single year, one unspayed female cat can produce dozens of kittens in her lifetime. This cycle, if left unchecked, contributes to the heartbreaking reality of cat overpopulation.



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Spaying and neutering are very important. Sakura is a prime example of this. At just five months old she had three babies.

Take Sakura, for example. This lovely, friendly young cat became a mother at just five months old – barely more than a kitten herself. Despite her age, Sakura rose to the challenge and lovingly raised her three sweet babies.

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### Free Training for Community & Volunteer Groups in Lunenburg County

The Municipality of the District of Lunenburg is offering a limited number of free online training spots for staff and volunteers in a course called "**Designing for Belonging.**"

Led by the Reimagining Sport, Recreation and Leisure Collective — a team of experienced facilitators, practitioners, and community-based researchers—this training aims to foster inclusive and welcoming communities.

Participants will gain practical tools and resources to help reduce barriers to participation in activities that your organization provides — like sports, recreation, arts, and outdoor activities. This training is especially helpful for people who want to make their communities more welcoming and inclusive for everyone.

We're looking for people from volunteer organizations providing community services, who care about making programs more welcoming and easier to join and are open to working with people who don't always get the support they need.

#### Training Details:

- **When:** Every Wednesday for 9 weeks from **October 1 to November 26, 2025, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.** (online)
- **Bonus:** A one-day, in-person workshop will be held in early 2026 for everyone to meet, learn more, and share ideas.

For more information on the training, visit:  
[www.reimaginingaccess.ca/design4belonging](http://www.reimaginingaccess.ca/design4belonging)

#### Interested? Here's how to apply

- Visit [modl.ca/latest-news-and-public-notice](http://modl.ca/latest-news-and-public-notice)
- Email your application to [Sandra.Challis@modl.ca](mailto:Sandra.Challis@modl.ca) by **4:00 p.m. Wednesday, September 10, 2025**
- Or pick up and drop off an application at the Municipal Building: **10 Allée Champlain Drive, Cookville**

**Space is limited**, so apply soon! You'll be notified by **September 19** if you're selected.

**Questions?** Contact **Trudy Payne** at [Trudy.payne@modl.ca](mailto:Trudy.payne@modl.ca) or call **902-541-1333**.

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LIFESTYLES

# All about the wood stork

**JAMES HIRTLE**  
*Bird Notes*

I was supposed to go on a pelagic outing from Brier Island Aug. 23. This trip was cancelled until next year due to Hurricane Erin.

I decided to make the trip to the island anyhow in search of a wood stork, which would be a life bird for me. On Aug. 22, I left home much later than I normally would for that type of trip. I birded across country and there were not many birds to be found.

I only saw one warbler on the way and by the time I arrived at Brier Island I had seen under 20 species. I normally would have birded Digby Neck but saw that the wood stork had been seen earlier, so I made a direct

beeline to Brier Island.

I arrived on the island around 14:00. I met some friends who had seen the stork earlier in the day and they had watched it at Bog Meadows for about an hour. I went there and saw no sign of the stork.

After waiting for a long time without results I was advised that on the previous two days at around 17:00 it had been tending at West Light. So, I made for the light in hopes that it would be there.

When driving out the West Light Road, I saw a man with a camera and a large lens walking along the road. I stopped and asked if he had seen anything good and particularly the wood stork.

He said that the stork had flown

over the top of his car as he was driving from West Light. I assumed then that the stork was headed back to the Bog Meadows. So, the man who was visiting from Alberta and I went back to stake out the Meadows again.

We waited quite some time and again there was no sign of the stork. The man from Alberta headed back to West Light and I took his cell number and said that if I saw the stork I would phone.

I had not eaten anything, so decided to go and get something from the cafe. I ordered a fish burger and fries and then went back to Bog Meadows with it. I was just reaching for my meal when the wood stork came flying in. I grabbed my camera and started taking photographs.

Of course, with a rare bird like this, for the second time in my life, I had my camera on the wrong settings so did not get the quality of photos that I would have if the camera had been on my usual setting. The bird also was distant.

I phoned the man from Alberta and didn't the stork drop down out of site a minute before he arrived. I sat with the man and his wife and ate my lunch. After a long wait the wood stork did return, but it did not offer the same photo opportunity that I had previously.

The range of the wood stork is Florida. This is a species in steady decline



JAMES HIRTLE PHOTO

A wood stork found at Bog Meadows on Brier Island Aug. 22.

once nesting along the Atlantic and Gulf coasts from South Carolina to Texas. Also found in coastal areas of Mexico, and Central and South America to Argentina. They have wandered to their former nesting range of California, Arizona and Tennessee.

The wood stork is 87.5 to 112.5 cm long with a wingspread of 162.5 cm. The wood stork is a little over one metre tall with the sexes outwardly alike. The male is larger and there is naked skin on the head and neck which is black or dark.

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## Choosing our alliances

**SUSANNE BECK**  
*Reality Check*

The term 'alliance' is often used to refer to relationships among countries. However, it can also be a useful descriptor for relationships among people and could even open a new perspective for some.

Dr. Glasser and others put a lot of focus on relationships. Glasser suggests that love and belonging is one of our most basic needs. He even goes so far as to suggest that dissatisfaction with a present relationship is what brings people to counselling. Relationships matter.

However, for some people, emotional terms are problematic. If you see yourself as a thought-driven person rather than guided by feelings or 'heart,' then even the term 'relationship' can be a barrier. The words we use matter.

Take love, for example. There are some who would ask, quite sincerely, "What does love even mean?" You may know someone like that!

If you believe that love is the essential ingredient in human relationships,

then it's difficult to have a conversation with someone who professes no understanding of the word 'love.'

What happens? One person is accused of being cold and heartless; the other of being overly emotional. Not a great way to start a relationship. Or even a conversation, for that matter.

Thus, when I recently heard the term 'alliance' used in reference to marriage, it occurred to me that it could help bridge the gap between these different perspectives.

After all, what is an alliance? Two or more entities who share a common interest and make a decision to support each other in some way. They make an agreement about how to align. They will have each other's backs and work out disagreements as partners, maybe even as friends. An alliance offers a benefit for all parties.

There are often public statements. For example, in marriage spouses declare that they are now aligned. Countries sign agreements and make public statements. Making it public

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### 2025 FALL WOOD & METAL COLLECTION

Wood and metal items will be collected on the following dates:

**Town of Bridgewater:**  
September 8 - 12, on your regular collection day

**Town of Mahone Bay:** September 15, entire Town collected

**Municipality of the District of Lunenburg:**  
September 15 - 26, on your regular collection day

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In the matter of the Municipal Government Act and the Municipality of the District of Chester

**TAKE NOTICE THAT** on Thursday, July 31, 2025, Chester Municipal Council provided intention to enter into an Amending Development Agreement with Bear Lake Wind Farm Ltd. And Atlantic Star Forestry Ltd to permit the development of one wind turbine with combined maximum generating capacity of eight and one half (8.5) megawatts and maximum height of 215 metres at PID 60408820, Highway 14 (north of Sherwood).

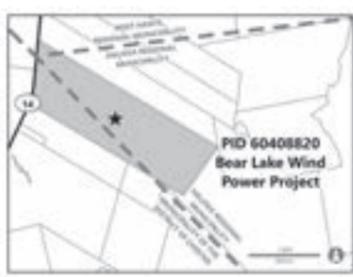
A **PUBLIC HEARING** will be held on **Thursday, September 11, 2025 at 8:45 a.m.** and is being held in Municipal Council Chambers (151 King Street, Chester).

Residents can give their opinions at the Public Hearing by speaking in person or sending written comments to: Pamela Myra, Municipal Clerk, 151 King Street, PO Box 369, Chester, NS B0J 1J0 or [pmyra@chester.ca](mailto:pmyra@chester.ca).

Comments must be received before 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 4th, 2025.

Council may vote to approve or reject the proposed Development Agreement at the Council Meeting which will follow the conclusion of the Public Hearing.

Copies of the proposed changes are available by contacting the Community Development Department, located at 186 Central Street, Chester.



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## The Weekly Crossword

by Margie E. Burke

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- 26 File menu option
- 29 Male turkey
- 31 Calling for backup, e.g.
- 33 Landlord, eg.
- 36 Prophetic sign
- 37 Hotel upgrade
- 39 Type of palm tree
- 40 Reacts to pain
- 42 Rocker Elvis
- 44 High-speed road
- 46 Earliest stage
- 47 Greek letter
- 49 Ground grain
- 50 Maze runner
- 51 Political liberal
- 53 In addition
- 57 Electrolysis particle
- 58 Card game for one
- 60 Singer Cara
- 61 Wilson of "Marley & Me"
- 62 Nail anagram
- 63 They roll in
- 64 Notable events
- 65 Musher's transport

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- 1 Tiny bit
- 2 Alda or Hale
- 3 Barbecue fare
- 4 Newspaper ad unit
- 5 Saunter along
- 6 Woe is me!
- 7 Not a thing
- 8 Place in a crypt
- 9 Fictional mouse
- 10 Roman robe
- 11 Crossings
- 12 White-barked tree
- 13 "The Morning Show" actress
- 18 Muse of poetry
- 22 Bridge supports
- 24 Like Vulcans, notably
- 26 Front of a ship
- 27 Oscar-winning Malek
- 28 Picked from a lineup
- 29 African antelope
- 30 Food, shelter, etc.
- 32 Magazine editions
- 34 Lascivious look
- 35 Tooth part
- 38 Diminutive dog
- 41 Fine furs
- 43 Cereal go-with
- 45 Holmes' companion
- 47 Fold
- 48 Painter Matisse
- 50 Bridle parts
- 52 \_\_\_ of voice
- 53 Squandered
- 54 Clock face
- 55 Lake near Niagara Falls
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- 59 "I \_\_\_ you one"

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### Crossword Solution

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Channel Guide grid showing channel numbers (A-E) for various stations like GLOBAL, ITV, YTV, etc., across different regions.

THURSDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 4. Channel guide for Thursday evening with columns for time slots (6:30-11:30) and various channels (6-56).

FRIDAY EVENING SEPTEMBER 5. Channel guide for Friday evening with columns for time slots (6:30-11:30) and various channels (6-56).

WEEKDAY DAYTIME SEPTEMBER 3 TO SEPTEMBER 9. Large channel guide for weekday daytime hours (7:30-6:00) across multiple days.

SATURDAY DAYTIME SEPTEMBER 6. Table with 21 columns (7:30-6:00) and 56 rows of program listings.

SUNDAY DAYTIME SEPTEMBER 7. Table with 21 columns (7:30-6:00) and 56 rows of program listings.

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MOVIES

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

EVENING

9:00 [CH] "Ricki and the Flash" (Comedy Drama,2015) Meryl Streep, Kevin Kline. A rock singer (Meryl Streep) returns home to reconnect with the family that she left behind. (G) [WTV] "What Women Want" (Romance,2000) Mel Gibson, Helen Hunt. A freak accident lets an ad exec (Mel Gibson) read women's minds. (G) 10:00 [SHOW] "Anchorman 2: The Legend Continues" (Comedy,2013) Will Ferrell, Steve Carell. Ron Burgundy tries to stay classy when he and his team go to work at a 24-hour news channel. (G)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

EVENING

9:00 [ASN] "An Autumn Romance" (Romance,2021) Chad Michael Murray, Jessica Lowndes. A woman tries to save a small, historic hotel from developers. 1:00 [TBS] "Tag" (Comedy,2018) Ed Helms, Jon Hamm. Five highly competitive friends gather for their yearly, no-holds-barred game of tag. (14+) [VIS] "Girl With a Pearl Earring" (Drama,2003) Colin Firth, Scarlett Johansson. Artist Johannes Vermeer (Colin Firth) paints a portrait of a maid (Scarlett Johansson). (G) 2:30 [CMT] "M\*A\*S\*H" (Comedy,1970) Donald Sutherland, Elliott Gould. Hip Army surgeons (Donald Sutherland, Elliott Gould) make their own rules in Korea. (G)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

EVENING

8:00 [AV] "Godzilla: King of the Monsters" (Sci-Fi,2019) Kyle Chandler, Vera Farmiga. Godzilla collides with Mothra, Rodan and the three-headed monster King Ghidorah. (G) [FAM] "Mean Girls" (Comedy,2004) Lindsay Lohan, Rachel McAdams. A teen (Lindsay Lohan) becomes friends with three cruel schoolmates. (G) 9:00 [WTV] "Eat, Play, Love" (Romance,2017) Jen Lilley, Jason Cermak. A veterinarian secretly loves the owner of a dog shelter, who's already engaged. (G) [TBS] "Creed III" (Drama,2023) Michael B. Jordan, Tessa Thompson. Boxer Adonis Creed puts his future on the line to take on a former friend who has nothing to lose. (G) 10:00 [APT] "Uproar" (Comedy Drama,2023) Julian Dennison, Minnie Driver. A 17-year-old is forced to stand up for himself, his family and his future.

11:00 [WTV] "Come Fly With Me" (Romance,2023) Heather Hemmens, Niall Matter. The daughter of an Air Force captain and the daughter of a widower try to play matchmaker. (G) [FAM] "Mean Girls" (Comedy,2004) Lindsay Lohan, Rachel McAdams. A teen (Lindsay Lohan) becomes friends with three cruel schoolmates. (G) 11:25 [SHOW] "Star Trek" (Sci-Fi,2009) Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto. Chronicles the early days of the starship Enterprise and her crew (Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto). (G) 11:30 [TBS] "Creed II" (Drama,2018) Michael B. Jordan, Sylvester Stallone. Rocky Balboa trains boxing phenom Adonis Johnson for a showdown against the son of Ivan Drago. (G) 1:00 [WTV] "Love on Iceland" (Romance,2020) Kaitlin Doubleday, Colin Donnell. Seeking inspiration for work, Chloe gathers her friends back together for a trip to Iceland. (G) [VIS] "Swept From the Sea" (Romance,1997) Vincent Perez, Rachel Weisz. An 1800s British servant (Rachel Weisz) loves a shipwrecked Russian (Vincent Perez). [APT] "Uproar" (Comedy Drama,2023) Julian Dennison, Minnie Driver. A 17-year-old is forced to stand up for himself, his family and his future. [FAM] "Mean Girls" (Comedy,2004) Lindsay Lohan, Rachel McAdams. A teen (Lindsay Lohan) becomes friends with three cruel schoolmates. (G) 2:00 [TBS] "Déjà Vu" (Thriller,2006) Denzel Washington, Val Kilmer. A time-folding federal agent (Denzel Washington) falls in love with a future murder victim. (13+) 2:25 [SHOW] "Star Trek Into Darkness" (Sci-Fi,2013) Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto. An act of terrorism sends Kirk on a mission to capture a powerfully destructive force. (G)

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6

EVENING

6:30 [TBS] "Creed III" (Drama,2023) Michael B. Jordan, Tessa Thompson. Boxer Adonis Creed puts his future on the line to take on a former friend who has nothing to lose. (G) 6:45 [CTVSCI-FI] "Mission: Impossible III" (Action,2006) Tom Cruise, Philip Seymour Hoffman. Agent Ethan Hunt squares off with a ruthless broker of arms and information. (13+) 7:00 [AV] "Guardians of the Galaxy Vol. 3" (Sci-Fi,2023) Chris Pratt, Zoe Saldana. Peter Quill must rally his team to defend the universe and protect one of their own. (G)

[SLICE] "Ella Enchanted" (Children,2004) Anne Hathaway, Hugh Dancy. A young woman (Anne Hathaway) tries to break her curse of obedience. (G) [WTV] "Autumn at Apple Hill" (Romance,2024) Erin Cahill, Wes Brown. A woman inherits an inn from her grandparents. [SHOW] "Star Trek" (Sci-Fi,2009) Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto. Chronicles the early days of the starship Enterprise and her crew (Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto). (G) 8:00 [FAM] "Nancy Drew" (Children,2007) Emma Roberts, Josh Flitter. The young sleuth (Emma Roberts) probes the long-unsolved death of a Hollywood movie star. (G) 9:00 [SLICE] "Downton Abbey" (Drama,2019) Hugh Bonneville, Jim Carter. The Crawleys and their intrepid staff prepare for a royal visit from the king and queen of England. (G) [WTV] "The Groomsman First Look" (Romance,2024) B.J. Britt, Jonathan Bennett. A pediatrician and an overseas doctor, meet at a wedding in Philadelphia. [TBS] "Ocean's Eight" (Comedy,2018) Sandra Bullock, Cate Blanchett. Debbie Ocean assembles an all-female team for a \$150 million diamond heist during the Met Gala. (14+) 9:30 [CTVSCI-FI] "Mission: Impossible" (Action,1996) Tom Cruise, Jon Voight. An elite intelligence agent investigates a failed Prague mission to retrieve a computer disk. (G) 10:00 [CBC] "Dr. Cabbie" (Comedy,2014) Kunal Nayyar, Adrienne Palicki. In Canada, an Indian immigrant turns his taxi into a mobile medical unit. (G) [SHOW] "Star Trek Into Darkness" (Sci-Fi,2013) Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto. An act of terrorism sends Kirk on a mission to capture a powerfully destructive force. (G) [APT] "Changing Lanes" (Thriller,2002) Ben Affleck, Samuel L. Jackson. Two men find themselves in an ongoing feud after a car accident. (14+) 11:00 [WTV] "Love, of Course" (Romance,2018) Kelly Rutherford, Cameron Mathison. An over-involved mother discovers a life of her own when she meets a charming professor. (G) [FAM] "Nancy Drew" (Children,2007) Emma Roberts, Josh Flitter. The young sleuth (Emma Roberts) probes the long-unsolved death of a Hollywood movie star. (G) 11:30 [SLICE] "EMMA." (Romance,2020) Anya Taylor-Joy, Johnny Flynn. Emma navigates her way through wrong matches, romantic missteps and the challenges of growing up. (G)

[TBS] "Jerry Maguire" (Romance,1996) Tom Cruise, Cuba Gooding Jr. An attack of conscience changes an L.A. sports agent's (Tom Cruise) life. (14+) 12:00 [CBC] "Clara" (Sci-Fi,2018) Patrick J. Adams, Troian Bellisario. An astronomer and his assistant make an inexplicable discovery that changes how they see the world. (G) [CTVSCI-FI] "Mission: Impossible II" (Action,2000) Tom Cruise, Dougray Scott. An IMF agent (Tom Cruise) tries to stop the release of a deadly virus. (13+) 12:30 [AV] "Step Brothers" (Comedy,2008) Will Ferrell, John C. Reilly. Two lazy and immature men become rivals when their parents marry. 1:00 [WTV] "Polar Opposites" (Thriller,2008) Charles Shaughnessy, Tracy Nelson. A scientist (Charles Shaughnessy) must prevent destructive Iranian nuclear tests. (G) [SHOW] "Star Trek Beyond" (Sci-Fi,2016) Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto. Stranded on a hostile planet, Kirk, Spock and the rest of the crew must battle a deadly alien race. (G) [APT] "Changing Lanes" (Thriller,2002) Ben Affleck, Samuel L. Jackson. Two men find themselves in an ongoing feud after a car accident. (14+) 2:00 [CBC] "Monkey Beach" (Mystery,2020) Adam Beach, Nathaniel Arcand. A woman with supernatural abilities reflects on her life as she awaits news of her missing brother. 2:30 [SLICE] "Downton Abbey" (Drama,2019) Hugh Bonneville, Jim Carter. The Crawleys and their intrepid staff prepare for a royal visit from the king and queen of England. (G) [TBS] "Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story" (Comedy,2004) Vince Vaughn, Christine Taylor. Dodgeball teams (Vince Vaughn, Christine Taylor, Ben Stiller) compete for \$50,000 in Las Vegas. (G) 2:45 [CTVSCI-FI] "Mission: Impossible III" (Action,2006) Tom Cruise, Philip Seymour Hoffman. Agent Ethan Hunt squares off with a ruthless broker of arms and information. (13+) [CTVSCI-FI] "Transformers: Age of Extinction" (Action,2014) Mark Wahlberg, Stanley Tucci. As humanity picks up the pieces after an epic battle, a shadowy group emerges to control history. (G) 6:30 [SLICE] "About Time" (Fantasy,2013) Domhnall Gleeson, Rachel McAdams. A man (Domhnall Gleeson) uses time-travel and cunning to win the woman of his dreams. (14+)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

EVENING

6:00 [CTVSCI-FI] "Transformers: Age of Extinction" (Action,2014) Mark Wahlberg, Stanley Tucci. As humanity picks up the pieces after an epic battle, a shadowy group emerges to control history. (G) 6:30 [SLICE] "About Time" (Fantasy,2013) Domhnall Gleeson, Rachel McAdams. A man (Domhnall Gleeson) uses time-travel and cunning to win the woman of his dreams. (14+)

7:00 [WTV] "The Groomsman First Look" (Romance,2024) B.J. Britt, Jonathan Bennett. A pediatrician and an overseas doctor, meet at a wedding in Philadelphia. 7:30 [SHOW] "War of the Worlds" (Sci-Fi,2005) Tom Cruise, Dakota Fanning. A man (Tom Cruise) and his children try to survive an alien invasion. (14+) 8:00 [TBS] "Make a Circle" (Documentary,2024) Child care providers try to change how society values the education of its youngest citizens. [FAM] "Matilda" (Children,1996) Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito. Neglected little girl develops extraordinary mental abilities. (G) 9:00 [SLICE] "The Time Traveler's Wife" (Romance,2009) Rachel McAdams, Eric Bana. A time-traveler (Eric Bana) keeps moving in and out of the life of his true love (Rachel McAdams). (G) [ABC] "Indiana Jones and the Dial of Destiny" (Adventure,2023) Harrison Ford, Phoebe Waller-Bridge. Indiana Jones races against time to find a legendary artifact that can change the course of history. (G) 9:30 [CTVSCI-FI] "Real Steel" (Action,2011) Hugh Jackman, Evangeline Lilly. A boxing promoter and his son build a championship contender for the robot ring. (G) 10:00 [SHOW] "Star Trek Beyond" (Sci-Fi,2016) Chris Pine, Zachary Quinto. Stranded on a hostile planet, Kirk, Spock and the rest of the crew must battle a deadly alien race. (G) [APT] "Robin Hood" (Action,2018) Taron Egerton, Jamie Foxx. Robin Hood and Little John lead a band of oppressed rebels against the evil Sheriff of Nottingham. (G) 11:00 [WTV] "The Stepford Wives" (Comedy,2004) Nicole Kidman, Matthew Broderick. A couple move to a strange town where all women act the same. (G) [FAM] "Matilda" (Children,1996) Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito. Neglected little girl develops extraordinary mental abilities. (G) 11:30 [SLICE] "Wimbledon" (Romance,2004) Kirsten Dunst, Paul Bettany. Two tennis players (Kirsten Dunst, Paul Bettany) fall for each other. (G) 12:15 [CTVSCI-FI] "Transformers: Dark of the Moon" (Action,2011) Shia LaBeouf, Josh Duhamel. Sam Witwicky once again joins the battle between Autobots and Decepticons. (G) 12:30 [SHOW] "G.I. Joe: The Rise of Cobra" (Action,2009) Channing Tatum, Dennis Quaid. The G.I. Joe team uses the latest technology in its battle against a mysterious organization. (13+)

[ASN] "A Beautiful Place to Die: A Martha's Vineyard Mystery" (Mystery,2020) Jesse Metcalfe, Sarah Lind. Former detective Jeff Jackson returns to crime solving when a body washes up on Martha's Vineyard. (PG) [WTV] "Perfect Harmony" (Romance,2022) Sherri Saum, James Denton. A singer and a professor must put aside their differences when their friends decide to get married. (G) [TBS] "The Wedding Singer" (Romance,1998) Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore. A wedding singer is left at the altar. He meets Julia and helps plan her wedding. (G) [APT] "Robin Hood" (Action,2018) Taron Egerton, Jamie Foxx. Robin Hood and Little John lead a band of oppressed rebels against the evil Sheriff of Nottingham. (G) 1:30 [SLICE] "About Time" (Fantasy,2013) Domhnall Gleeson, Rachel McAdams. A man (Domhnall Gleeson) uses time-travel and cunning to win the woman of his dreams. (14+)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

EVENING

8:00 [FAM] "Jack and the Cuckoo-Clock Heart" (Animated,2013) Voices of Orlando Seale, Samantha Barks. A man (Orlando Seale) with a clock for a heart is told that he must never fall in love. (G) 9:00 [CH] "The Peacemaker" (Action,1997) George Clooney, Nicole Kidman. A U.S. team (George Clooney, Nicole Kidman) seeks stolen nuclear weapons. (13+) 10:00 [SHOW] "Baywatch" (Comedy,2017) The Rock, Zac Efron. Mitch Buchannon and his elite squad of lifeguards must save the beach from a dangerous crime wave. (14+) 11:00 [FAM] "Jack and the Cuckoo-Clock Heart" (Animated,2013) Voices of Orlando Seale, Samantha Barks. A man (Orlando Seale) with a clock for a heart is told that he must never fall in love. (G) 1:00 [VIS] "Chocolat" (Drama,2000) Juliette Binoche, Johnny Depp. A single mother (Juliette Binoche) opens a chocolate shop in a French village. (G)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

EVENING

9:00 [WTV] "Everybody's Fine" (Comedy Drama,2009) Robert De Niro, Drew Barrymore. A widower (Robert De Niro) goes on a road trip to reconnect with each of his adult children. (G) 1:00 [VIS] "Shakespeare in Love" (Romance,1998) Joseph Fiennes, Gwyneth Paltrow. The young playwright (Joseph Fiennes) falls for the betrothed Viola (Gwyneth Paltrow). (14+)

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## Choosing our alliances

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does add an extra dash of seriousness to the whole declaration.

There are other alliances too. Some of us are fortunate to have decades-long friendships. They may never be declared alliances, yet within such friendships is the implicit knowledge of "No matter what happens, I've got your back." Families may nurture that as well. The mottos "family first" and "blood is thicker than water" can be perceived essentially as statements of alliance.

Tightly knit communities may have an alliance quality to them, where neighbours and friends look out for each other.

Note that the allies don't have to agree on everything. They just need to agree on the area where they are aligning. And while an alliance does address some of our needs, there is no expectation that one alliance will satisfy all of our needs.

I'll offer two suggestions for you to consider regarding alliances.

First, if you find it difficult to discuss emotions or relationships, consider thinking of relationships as alliances. You may find that a more natural fit for you.

Second, if you feel unsatisfied and can't quite put your finger on what's missing, take a look at your alliances. Do the people with whom you are aligned share your values? Are your alliances mutually beneficial; that is, do they offer a benefit for each party? Are you expecting too much from any one alliance? Is that causing distress or tension within the alliance?

Perhaps you'll find that you are lacking trustworthy alliances. If so, then consider activities that would bring you into contact with people who are likely to share your values.

What do you find when you examine your alliances? Let me know at choice@focusonclarity.com or by mail c/o South Shore Bulletin.

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Thank you to all who attended the visitation and funeral on Friday, August 22nd, for Phyllis Himmelman, who passed away on Monday, August 18th, at the age of 97. She will be greatly missed as she touched the lives of many. A special thank you to the staff at the Mahone Bay nursing home who brightened her days and made it her home.  
From, Garth Himmelman.

### MEMORIAMS

**WENTZELL**  
In loving memory of our father, Mark Donald, who passed away September 5, 2010.  
When thoughts go back as they often do, We treasure the memories we have of you. This day is remembered and quietly kept, No words are needed, we will never forget.  
Always remembered, and sadly missed;  
Roger, Bazil, Donna, Ross.

## The winners

The final winners for the Riverport Community Centre 150 Club Draw were: Jennie Carton, Kate MacEachern, Shirley Abberton, Kathy Reid, Sally Gerhardt, Ivan Chegrinec, Shirley Abberton, William Kay

### DEATHS

**Conrad, Keith Eric, 82**, Bridgewater, died August 25, 2025. Arrangements entrusted to Dana. L. Sweeny Funeral Home.

**Forrest, David James, 72**, Middle Sackville, died August 10, 2025, in Middle Sackville. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

**Garven, Thomas Crawford, 89**, Bridgewater, died August 13, 2025, in Bridgewater. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

**Gilbert, Jaqueline Louise, 62**, Newburne, died August 18, 2025, in Newburne. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

**Lohnes, Carolyn Esther, 79**, Lunenburg, died August 16, 2025, in Lunenburg. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

**Louder, Todd David, 52**, Auberdale, died August 23, 2025, in Bridgewater. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

**Lucy, Jean Winans, 88**, Pinegrove, died August 13, 2025, in Bridgewater. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

**McLean, Gladys Pauline, 97**, Mahone Bay, died August 11, 2025, in Mahone Bay. Arrangements entrusted to Personal Care Cremations & Memorial Services.

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## All about the wood stork

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There is a stout bill, somewhat down curved. Flight is with an extended neck. The body is white and there are long stilt-like legs which are black and the feet are pink.

In the 1900s there were about 150,000 wood storks in Florida. By 1930 that number went down to about 100,000. By the 1970s that number went down to 8,000-10,000 breeding pairs.

The food of the wood stork is fish, frogs, tadpoles, snakes, young alligators and other aquatic animals and as well insects.

After seeing the wood stork I did not stay long on Brier Island. Birds were few and far between. I headed off to East Ferry where I had booked a B&B for the night. The habitat behind the house where I stayed was impressive and provided a lot of bird species that I had not previously seen during the day. I ended the day with having seen only 30 species of birds. This is very low for this type of trip.

My goal for Aug. 23 was to bird Digby Neck and back to my home in LaHave. Birding again behind the B&B was great as was the birding at East Ferry. The rest of Digby Neck was virtually devoid of bird life.

I did find four solitary sandpipers at Gulliver's Cove and a group of migrants at the end of Marsh Road. Going up through Bear River and cutting across country back to LaHave again was very quiet. Upon arrival at home, I had seen 41 species of birds.

On Aug. 21 Barbara McLean and I sighted a bufflehead at First Peninsula. This is very early for this species. We also saw a solitary sandpiper at Shoreline Road in Blue Rocks.

After Aug. 23 birding around home has been very quiet. Shorebird numbers have dropped back. Quite a few white-rumped sandpipers are now moving through. Also spotted sandpipers are on the move. The only warblers that I've seen are yellow-rumped warbler, northern parula, yellow warbler, American redstart and common yellowthroat.

Places that have been fair with numbers of species are Shoreline Drive in Blue Rocks, Second Peninsula, and at Crescent Beach. Of course, timing of when you visit these locations can make a big difference.

For instance, I visited Shoreline Drive on Aug. 26, and I had lesser yellowlegs, least sandpipers, and spotted sandpiper and sighted 16 species. Barbara McLean went there later on and had black-bellied plovers, a warbler species that I did not have when there and a turkey vulture.

On Aug. 17 Ray Wershler located a seaside sparrow at Hartlen Point. On Aug. 21 Krystyn Serbic sighted a red knot and a Cape May warbler at Hartlen Point. On Aug. 23 Natalie Barkhouse-Bishop reported a stilt sandpiper at Three Fathoms Harbour. Alex Moore spotted a stilt sandpiper in Falmouth.

As of Aug. 25, the wood stork was still at Brier Island as per Eric Mills. Jason Dain reported six American golden plovers at Grand Pre. Bertin d'Eon discovered a Wilson's phalarope at Sunday Point on Aug. 26.

Several good birds have been spotted along the Grand Pre Road and at the Guzzle. These include a laughing gull, pectoral sandpiper, lesser black-backed gull and American golden plover.

You may reach me at 902-693-2174 or email [jrhbirder@hotmail.com](mailto:jrhbirder@hotmail.com).

## Babies having babies

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Her kittens are thriving, but her story is a reminder that early pregnancies put strain on young cats, who are still growing themselves. Now that Sakura's kittens are weaned, she has been spayed, and she is finally ready for the chance to simply be someone's cherished companion – playful, affectionate, and free from the demands of motherhood.

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If you're considering adoption, Sakura is now ready to meet her forever family. This sweet young cat deserves the chance to grow into her best self – no longer as a mother, but as a beloved companion. To learn more about adopting Sakura or supporting our mission, please visit [www.shaidanimalshelter.com](http://www.shaidanimalshelter.com).

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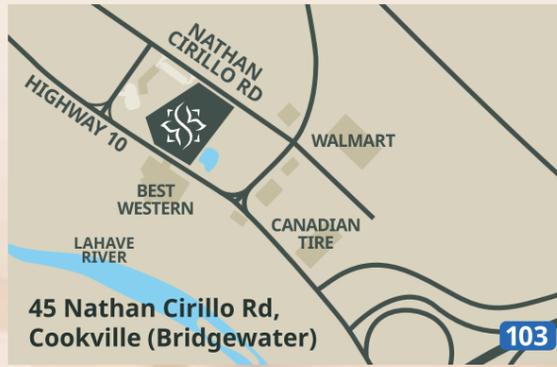
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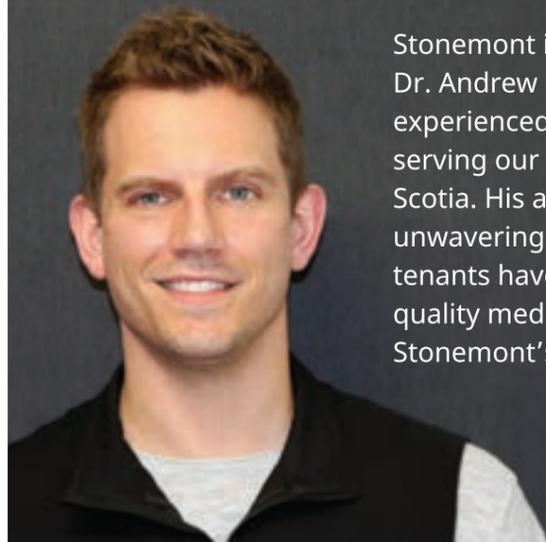
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