





VOLUNTEER MESSAGE

NEED VOLUNTEERS for property clean up or WANT TO VOLUNTEER? Post on VOLUNTEER MESSAGE on the RothesayNB Facebook page to connect with each other or send an email to Rothesay@rothesay.ca or call 848-6600.

PLEASE WEAR appropriate protective gear

When involved in flood cleanup, please wear appropriate personal protective equipment: safety boots, heavy duty gloves, long sleeves & pants. Wearing hats & sunscreen, drinking lots of water, resting periodically and food are also advised.

Information from the Province of New Brunswick:

Flood cleaning help

The Canadian Red Cross is offering flood cleaning kits to New Brunswickers who are able to safely re-enter their homes and begin cleanup. The free kits can be picked up at its offices at 120 MacDonald St. (Loch Lomond Place) in Saint John and 318 Maple St. in Fredericton from 8:30 a.m. until 7 p.m., including during weekend.

There is a limit of one kit per household. The kits are self-contained in a 20-litre (five-gallon) plastic container that also serves as a bucket and lid, and is filled with useful items such as a mop, broom, squeegee, scrub brush, sponges, work gloves and latex gloves, masks, garbage bags and a bleach-based, all-purpose cleaner.

Before cleaning a home that was flooded, residents are urged to contact insurers where applicable, and to record and register all damage with <u>Service New Brunswick online</u>.

If residents find sewage has backed up into their home, they should wear rubber boots and waterproof gloves if in contact with water and during cleanup. They should wash their hands with warm water and soap after removing the rubber gloves.

Source: People asked to familiarize themselves with proper recovery practices (Province of New Brunswick)