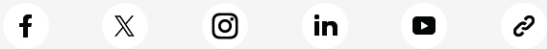


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Autumn has Arrived!

September 25, 2025: Thank you for subscribing to the R-Insider! We hope you enjoy the fall issue of the quarterly community e-newsletter.

Rothesay Town Hall Closures:

- Tuesday, September 30th for the **National Day for Truth and Reconciliation**.
- Monday, October 13th for **Thanksgiving Day**.
- Tuesday, November 11th for **Remembrance Day**.

Reminder - 24/7 service is available by calling 506-848-6600.

Mayor's Message

Happy Fall Everyone!

Although, like many of you, I can't believe the summer is gone!

What a beautiful summer it was - although it seems that climate change has found its way to New Brunswick, with the drought we have experienced. As we contemplate the possibility of future droughts, it may be time for us as a community to give serious thought to water conservation and also begin to look at how each of us individually can do our part.

But the mornings are now cooler, and fall routines are in place. Rothesay's activities will

soon begin, with the Rothesay Arena opening on Monday, October 6, and our Halloween Costume Skate scheduled for the Arena on Sunday, October 26, 3-4 pm. The Annual KV Santa Claus Parade takes place on Saturday, November 29, at 6pm, and the Annual Mayor's Tree lighting will happen on the Rothesay Common on Wednesday, December 10, at 7pm, with a storm date of December 17.

Council and Staff are working hard to bring our #1 priority to life: a new arena and walking track, and conversion of our old arena into indoor court space, a new home for the growing Rothesay HIVE, community gathering space and a community policing office. This Rothesay Intergenerational Community Complex (RICC) project is currently in fundraising mode, and donations from residents and the community are welcome. There will be a number of community fundraising events this fall; please support these if you can:

- McDonald's Community Fundraiser on October 3-5
- Fashion Show at the Bill McGuire Centre on October 15
- REDHAWKS BATTLE AT THE NEST in support of the RICC 14-16

Finally, KV GO, the Valley's transportation pilot project, will run through the fall. Give it a try- schedule available at www.kvgo.org

Wishing all students, teachers, staff, and bus drivers a happy and successful school year. Please, let's all drive carefully to protect our kids. Slow down in school zones - signs are posted - and always stop for red flashing lights on school buses.

Dr. Nancy Grant
Mayor of Rothesay



KV GO

Getting around KV just got easier! Whether you're grabbing groceries, going to the beach or park, heading to a medical appointment, or meeting a friend for coffee — KV Go makes everyday errands stress-free. Learn more [HERE](#)

Operations

Fall Clean-Up 2025

All items must be placed curbside by 7:00am on Monday regardless of your scheduled pick-up day.

Organic Waste Pick-Up – Monday, November 3rd

This clean-up will be for the collection of leaves and yard waste for composting. Residents are encouraged to compost these materials on their own property for use in landscaping and gardening, but if this is not appropriate or desirable, the annual pickup provides an environmentally sound means of disposal.

- Leaves, grass clippings, & bundled twigs with twine no longer than 4ft and weighing no more than 40lbs. No trees larger than 4 inches in diameter.
- Residents are required to use brown paper bags for yard waste.
- Yard waste in plastic bags (clear, black or any colour) will **NOT** be collected.
- Please **DO NOT** use your compost cart for this pick-up.

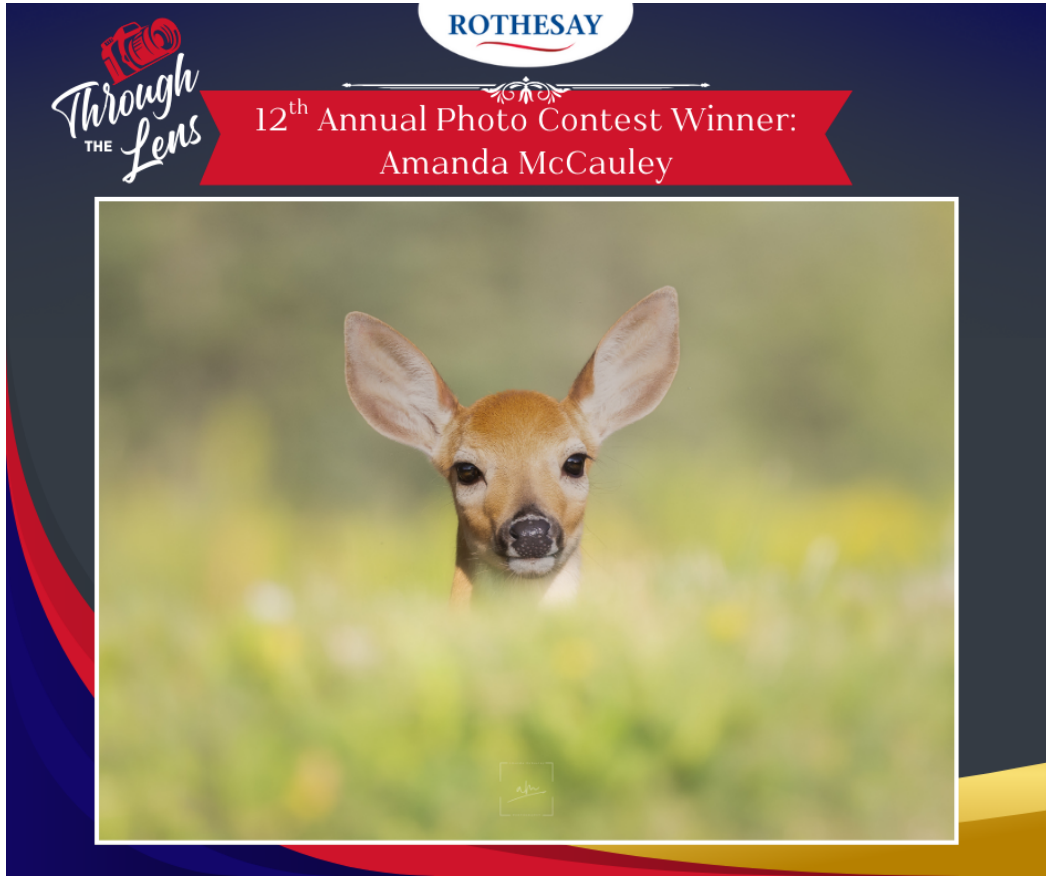
- Construction and demolition materials (such as plywood or pressure-treated lumber), household junk, garbage, or hazardous materials (paints, tires, propane tanks, white goods, etc.) **WILL NOT** be picked up.

Click [HERE](#) to add this event to your calendar.

Solid Waste Collection

Looking for information regarding curbside collection? Our Garbage, Recycling, and Compost website has been updated to provide you with best practices, frequently asked questions, a helpful sorting guide and more. Learn more [HERE](#)

Through the Lens Photo Contest Winner



We are pleased to announce the 2025 Through the Lens Photo Contest Winner is: Amanda McCauley!

Her photograph of a deer received 199 "likes"! Michelle was recognized at the September Council meeting. Congratulations Amanda! Learn more [HERE](#)

Parks & Recreation

Fashion Show - RICC Fundraiser!

Join us for a Fashion Show celebrating women of all ages with Certified Stylist and Image Consultant Lorraine Peters. Intergenerational models will be wearing clothing provided by Boutique Zekara, while demonstrating how to age well with confidence.

Admittance by Donation to the Rothesay Intergenerational Community Complex (RICC) Community Fundraising Campaign.

When: Wednesday, October 15th, 2025

Where: Bill McGuire Memorial Centre, 95 James Renforth Drive

Light Refreshments Provided | Doors Open at 2:00PM | Learn more [HERE](#)



FASHION SHOW CELEBRATING
WOMEN OF ALL AGES!
WITH CERTIFIED STYLIST & IMAGE CONSULTANT
LORRAINE PETERS



**RICC FUNDRAISER
FASHION
SHOW**

Bill McGuire Centre
95 James Renforth Drive
Doors Open at 2:00 PM

LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED
ADMITTANCE BY DONATION:
ROTHESAY INTERGENERATIONAL
COMMUNITY COMPLEX FUNDRAISER

Get in touch: 1-506-799-9240 | kristin.duffey@rothesay.ca | www.rothesay.ca/recreation/rothesay-hive/

Rothesay Arena Opening

The Rothesay Arena will be opening on Monday, October 6th, 2025, for its 54th year! Learn more [HERE](#)



Halloween Skating Party

Join us on Sunday, October 26th, from 3:00-4:00pm at the Rothesay Arena (65 Hampton Road) for a Halloween Costume Skating Party! There will be Public Skating, Face Painting, Colouring, Hot Chocolate, Treats, and more! This is a **free**, family-friendly event. Learn more [HERE](#)



Halloween Safety: It's important to be safe this Halloween, whether you are handing out treats to little ghouls and goblins or going trick-or-treating with your friends and family. Check out these great safety tips [HERE](#) so that everyone has a fun and safe Halloween night!

KV Santa Claus Parade - SAVE THE DATE

The 27th Annual KV Santa Claus Parade will be on Saturday, November 29th with a storm date of Sunday, November 30th. The parade starts at 6pm from KVHS and travels along Hampton Road to Clark Road.

The parade committee is working hard to prepare for this year's parade and applications will be available online Friday, September 26th! This year's parade theme is "The Lights of Christmas". Learn more [HERE](#)



Canadian Tire Jumpstart, P.R.O. Kids & KidSport

Did you know the Canadian Tire Jumpstart, P.R.O. Kids and KidSport programs are available to children and youth who live in Rothesay all year long? These programs help remove financial barriers to participating in art, culture, sport and recreational activities! These programs enable more children to experience the many benefits of recreation, sport and leisure. Learn more [HERE](#)

ROTHESAY HIVE

AGE FRIENDLY
COMMUNITY CENTRE (50+)

A gathering place to nurture the health and well-being of adults (50+) through a hub of activities that focus on socialization, connection, health and wellness, intergenerational programming, lifelong learning, & outreach.

Facebook Group :
www.facebook.com/groups/RothesayHive/

Website :
www.rothesay.ca/recreation/rothesay-hive/

*Come see what all
the BUZZ is about!*



Other Town Business



Rothesay's Raving Reviews

Rothesay's Raving Reviews is a way to let our employees know their hard work is getting noticed by residents, colleagues, & Rothesay! Send a raving review about one of our employees, crews, or departments, to make their day extra special and spread kindness throughout our community. Learn more [HERE](#)

Receive your Rothesay Utility Bills Electronically

Did you know Rothesay sends over 11,000 utility invoices each year? Of course, each invoice must be printed and requires postage. We offer a solution to make it more convenient for our residents to receive their invoices and also save the Town time and money. Learn more [HERE](#)

Rothesay Grant Application

Rothesay is in the process of drafting the 2026 operating budget. Organizations seeking grants and/or donations are encouraged to submit funding requests on or before September 30th to be considered as part of the budget process. The town Grants and Donations policy and the application form are available [HERE](#)

Attention Dog Owners

Please remember dogs **MUST** be on a leash at all times when on public property (any property that is not privately owned by you). Picking up after your dog is considerate and is **the law**. Being a good pet owner and a good citizen means picking up all year long. Your neighbours gratefully thank you! Learn more [HERE](#)

Also, did you know, Rothesay provides dog waste disposal bins and bags on all five of our walking trails? Please do your part in keeping our trails enjoyable for one and all!

Don't forget to license your dog or cat at Town Hall. It is free with proof of vaccinations and the tag is valid for the animal's lifetime or until change in ownership.





Remembrance Day

This year, the Official KV Remembrance Day Ceremony will be held at the Quispamsis qplex (20 Randy Jones Way) on Tuesday, November 11th. The qplex front doors will open at 9:00am with the ceremony beginning at 10:30am. All those planning to attend are asked to be in the building and seated by 10:15am.

The outdoor, community-led Remembrance Day memorial service, will once again take place at the Cenotaph on the Rothesay Common, starting at 10:45 a.m.

Thank you to the many volunteers who make these important ceremonies possible.



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