



ROTHESAY HIVE

Activities Calendar: DECEMBER 2025

Location: Rothsay Town Hall, 70 Hampton Rd
Parking: 65 Hampton Rd, Rothsay
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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1	2	3	4	5
9:30AM 50+ Fitness ® \$5 11AM Chair Yoga ® \$5 Seniors Hockey 11:30AM Seniors Skating 12:45PM 2PM Mahjong & Bridge	1:30PM Coffee & Chat 2:30PM Card/Board Games	9:30AM Bee Mobile ® \$5 11AM Flex & Flow ® \$5 12:30PM Sittercise ® \$5 1:30PM Coffee & Chat 3PM SJNC: English Convo. ®	10AM SJNC Future Engage: David Goss Holiday Stories ® 1:30PM Tai Chi at Wells ® 1:30PM Movie Matinee: Dear Santa (2024) ®	9:30AM Walking Club ® 11AM Latin Line Dancing ® \$5
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CLOSED FOR THE HOLIDAYS The Rothsay HIVE will reopen on Monday, January 5, 2026.				
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Movie Matinee: Dear Santa (2024) ®

Date: Thursday, December 4, at 1:30PM

Come enjoy popcorn and a refreshing beverage while watching "Dear Santa" with other Rothesay HIVE members.

Plot: When a young boy mails his Christmas wish list to Santa with one crucial spelling error, a devilish Jack Black arrives to wreak havoc on the holidays. **Stars:** Jack Black, Robert Timothy Smith, Keegan-Michael Key **Movie Length:** 1hr 47min **Genre:** Comedy

Holiday Potluck – Wear Your Ugly Sweaters/Holiday Attire ®

Date: Thursday, December 11, at 1:30PM

Let's celebrate the Holiday Season in style. Wear your festive holiday attire for a chance to win a present! Please confirm your food item ahead of time to ensure a diverse spread. Beverages provided. **Doors open 15 min prior to start time of the Potluck.** Registration Required - Limited Spaces.

Presentation: Compassionate Grief Centre ®

Date: Friday, December 12, at 2:00PM

Meet the Compassionate Grief Centre, learn about their charity and the free programs they offer. Registration Required.

Mahjong & Bridge Games

Program Length: 2 hours

Type: Group Led

Come play the game of Mahjong (*American Version*) or Bridge with other Rothesay Hive members. Tea and coffee provided.

Lessons ®: Interested in learning how to play Mahjong or Bridge? Join the waitlist to learn when the next round of lesson will be offered!

Coffee & Chat

Program Length: 1 hour

Type: Social

Drop in to enjoy tea or coffee and socialize with other Rothesay Hive members. This is a great time to check out the Hive Libraries.

Card & Board Games

Program Length: 1.5 hours

Type: Group Led

Drop in to play various card and board games such as cribbage, phase 10, Scrabble, Yahtzee and more! Tea and coffee provided.

HIVE Book Club Meeting ®

Program Length: 1.5 hours

Type: Group Led

The HIVE Book Club meets each month to discuss the last book read and decide on the next book to read. Members are responsible for obtaining their own copy of each book, typically chosen books are available at the KV Public Library. Tea and coffee provided.

Lending Libraries: Books, Puzzles, & Pickleball Equipment!

Hive Members can borrow puzzles, books, and sets of pickleball equipment for FREE. Pickleball equipment must be signed out to borrow.

Town of Rothesay - Rothesay Arena: Older Adult Scheduled Ice Time

The Rothesay Arena will open for its 54th season on Monday, October 6th, 2025. Note: These scheduled events may vary due to other special events. Please check our website, social media, or call ahead to confirm: www.rothesay.ca/recreation/facilities/rothesay-arena/

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| • Seniors HOCKEY | Mondays 11:30am-12:30pm | No Charge | Starts: October 13, 2025 Ends: March 30, 2026 |
| • Seniors SKATING | Mondays 12:45pm-1:45pm | No Charge | Starts: October 13, 2025 Ends: March 30, 2026 |

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50+ Fitness ® **Cost:** \$5 / Class **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** Sharon Randell

This exercise class includes warm-up stretching, use of exercise balls, resistance bands and hand-held weights.

Chair Yoga ® **Cost:** \$5 / Class **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** Sharon Randell

Chair yoga is a form of yoga as therapy that is practised sitting on a chair or standing using a chair for support.

Bee Mobile ® **Cost:** \$5 / Class **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** Catt Ferguson

Improve your mobility, range of motion and balance using your own body weight. Complete these sessions standing or seated.

Flex & Flow ® **Cost:** \$5 / Class **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** Deby Siemens

This standing cardio and strength training exercise class will use exercise balls, resistance bands and hand-held weights.

Sittercise ® **Cost:** \$5 / Class **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** Deby Siemens

Designed to improve strength and balance with complete support of a chair, using exercise balls, resistance bands and 1-pound weights.

Tai Chi at Wells Recreation Park ® **Cost:** Free **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** André Thelosen

Tai Chi is a non-competitive, self-paced practice that combines gentle physical exercise and stretching through continuous, flowing movements. Classes will be held at the **Wells Community Centre, 75 French Village Road**, depending on weather and availability the class will be held **outdoors or indoors**. All skill levels are welcome to join this free weekly program sponsored by Kindred Home Care.

Walking Club "The Walkie Talkies" ® **Walk Length:** 45min - 1 hour **Type:** Volunteer Led

The Walkie Talkies will explore the nearby community on foot for some low-impact physical activity and social connection with other members. The weekly walks will start and end at the Rothesay HIVE. Members are encouraged to stay afterwards for tea or coffee.

Latin Line Dancing ® **Cost:** \$5 / Class **Program Length:** 1 hour **Instructor:** Deby Siemens

Dance routines are for beginner to intermediate dancers. Smooth bottomed shoes are recommended to be worn for this class.

Programs offered by the Saint John Newcomers Centre (SJNC) are FREE and OPEN to everyone. Register by contacting SJNC.

SJNC: Future Engage – Seniors Community (50+) ® **Thursdays 10AM-12PM** **Type:** Coordinator Led

A weekly Seniors and Youth Engagement Project that will create intergenerational connections. All are welcome to attend free of charge!

Register by contacting the SJNC Coordinator: Sydney MacEachern, by sydney.maceachern@sjnewcomers.ca or (506) 721-1325.

SJNC: English Conversation Class ® **Wednesdays 3PM-4PM** **Type:** Coordinator Led

Come practice and improve your English in a casual environment. This class is open to all regardless of your immigration status. You can also join the class via Zoom. **Register with Sydney MacEachern**, by sydney.maceachern@sjnewcomers.ca or (506) 721-1325.