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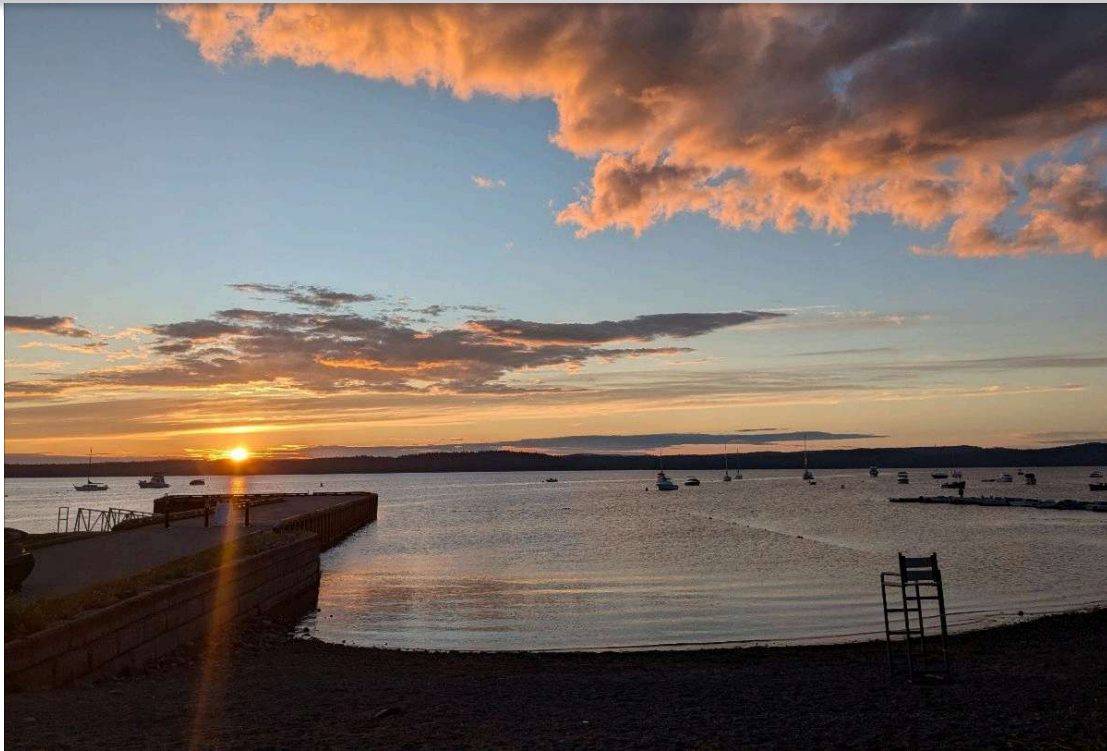
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Summer has arrived in Rothesay!

June 24, 2026: Thank you for subscribing to the R-Insider! We hope you enjoy the summer issue of the quarterly community e-newsletter.

Mayor's Message

[Click Here to Read the Mayor's Message](#)



Town Hall



Meet Your New Rothesay Mayor and Council

Alexander, Councillor Helen Boyle, and Councillor Dave Brown.

The Oath of Office took place on June 8th and now they're ready to get to work for Rothesay! Congratulations to all, and thank you for putting your name forward to serve this community.

Rothesay Citizen Survey

Rothesay Residents: Have you completed your 2026 Citizen Survey?

This is your opportunity to share your thoughts on our community and help shape the future of Rothesay. As noted in your mailed invitation, we ask that responses be limited to ONE person per household.

The survey only takes about 8 minutes. Simply scan the QR code in your envelope to get started.

Prefer a paper copy? They're available at the front desk at Town Hall during regular business hours. Just be sure to return the filled out survey by Friday, July 3, 2026.

Rest assured all responses remain completely anonymous. We value your privacy and appreciate your honest feedback.

Upcoming Town Hall Closures

- Wednesday, July 1, for Canada Day.
- Monday, August 3, for New Brunswick Day.
- Monday, September 7, for Labour Day.

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

Keeping Pools Safe: Ensuring a Secure Environment for Fun

Swimming pools and hot tubs are great for having a good time and relaxing, but ensuring they are safe for everyone is essential. There are rules and regulations in place to ensure pool safety.

You must obtain a building permit before constructing a pool, fence, deck or pool house. Building permit applications are downloadable [HERE](#). Submit a site plan that indicates the location of the pool and any structures, along with the structure's height. These plans ensure that the construction meets the Rothesay's Zoning By-Law's. Learn more [HERE](#).

Respect the Peace: Rothesay's Noise By-law Reminder

To help keep our community peaceful and enjoyable for everyone, Rothesay's Noise By-law sets clear guidelines around noise levels and activities.

Unnecessary noise—including loud music, shouting, vehicle noise, and barking dogs—is not permitted, especially during quiet hours from 9:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.

Construction activity is also restricted during this time. Sound levels should not exceed 65 dBA during the day (7:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.) and 55 dBA at night.

Receive Your Utility Bill by Email

Would you like the convenience of receiving your quarterly utility statement directly to your email inbox? It is simple to switch to paperless billing! Send an email with your name and address to: utilities@rothesay.ca

Your next utility bill will arrive to your email address which will improve timeliness of receiving your bill (no waiting for postage!), give you access to your bill away from home, and reduce the environmental impact of printing and mailing paper bills (less paper, ink, plastic, fuel).

Operations



Asphalt Resurfacing Project 2026

The Asphalt Resurfacing Project for 2026 is currently underway. Residents can expect minor interruptions and single-lane closures in order to complete the necessary road work. Learn more [HERE](#).

Solid Waste Collection

Looking for information regarding curbside collection? Our Garbage, Recycling, and Compost website has all the information on best practices, frequently asked questions, a helpful sorting guide, and more. Learn more [HERE](#).

Parks & Recreation

Register Your Kids for the Playground Programs

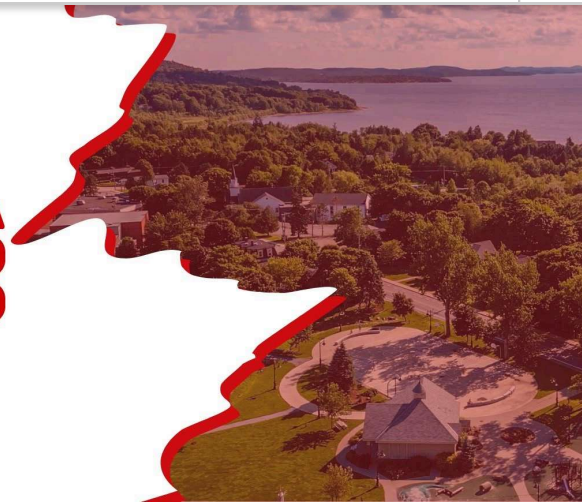
Rothesay Playground Programs are for kids ages 5-12 (including kids who are 4 years old turning 5 by December 31 of this year). This is a drop-in/punch pass program that operates at 3 different locations: KPark Elementary School, Rothesay Park School, and Wells Recreation Park, beginning on Monday, June 22 running until Friday, August 21, 2026. Please note that Playground Program Punch Passes are being sold online again this year through the Rothesay Recreation Online Portal. Learn more [HERE](#).

TIP: Learn how to apply for Jumpstart, P.R.O Kids, or Kidsport click [HERE](#).

CELEBRATE
**CANADA
DAY** **JULY 1 | 12-3 PM**
Rothsay Common

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Come out and celebrate our Nation's 159th Birthday on Wednesday, July 1st, from 12-3pm on the Rothsay Common. 🍁

Activities begin at noon with a Flag-Raising Ceremony and remarks from **Premier Susan Holt, MLA Alyson Townsend, and Mayor Dr. Matt Alexander.**

Then stay for an afternoon of free family fun: live music, face painting, balloon animals, circus performers, giant inflatables, bouncy castles, hair tinsel, lawn games, and more. BBQ snacks will be available for purchase.

Overflow parking is available at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church (31 Gondola Point Road). Rain location: Rothsay Arena, 65 Hampton Road.

For more information, please visit our website.

CONCERT 20 IN THE COMMON 26

FREE LIVE MUSIC | FAMILY & AGE FRIENDLY

Rothesay Common | 24 Gondola Point Road
Thursday Evenings | Shows Start at 7:00PM

The following performers will showcase their talents at the Rothesay Common. Take your evening walk, bring your blanket/chair, and enjoy **FREE** outdoor live music!

	JULY 2 PARTYLINE BAND
	JULY 9 JARRETT GAUTREAU
	JULY 16 DAVE HANSEN
	JULY 23 DEUCES WILD
	JULY 30 ETHAN ASH
	AUGUST 6 ELLA CAMPBELL
	AUGUST 13 BIG RIVER RAMBLERS
	AUGUST 20 SAINT MARY'S BAND
	AUGUST 27 TODAY JUNIOR

Rain Location: Wells Community Centre

www.rothesay.ca/event/concert-in-the-common-2026/



Concert in the Common is back for the Summer of 2026! Each Thursday in July and August take your evening walk, bring your blanket/chair, and enjoy free outdoor music on the Rothesay Common stage from 7-8pm. You won't want to miss the amazing performances that we have lined up for this year! Learn more [HERE](http://www.rothesay.ca/event/concert-in-the-common-2026/).



Rothesay Beaches Open!

Our lifeguards are all trained and ready for the swimmers!

Lifeguards will be on duty:

K-Park Beach

Monday to Friday, 11:00 AM – 5:00 PM

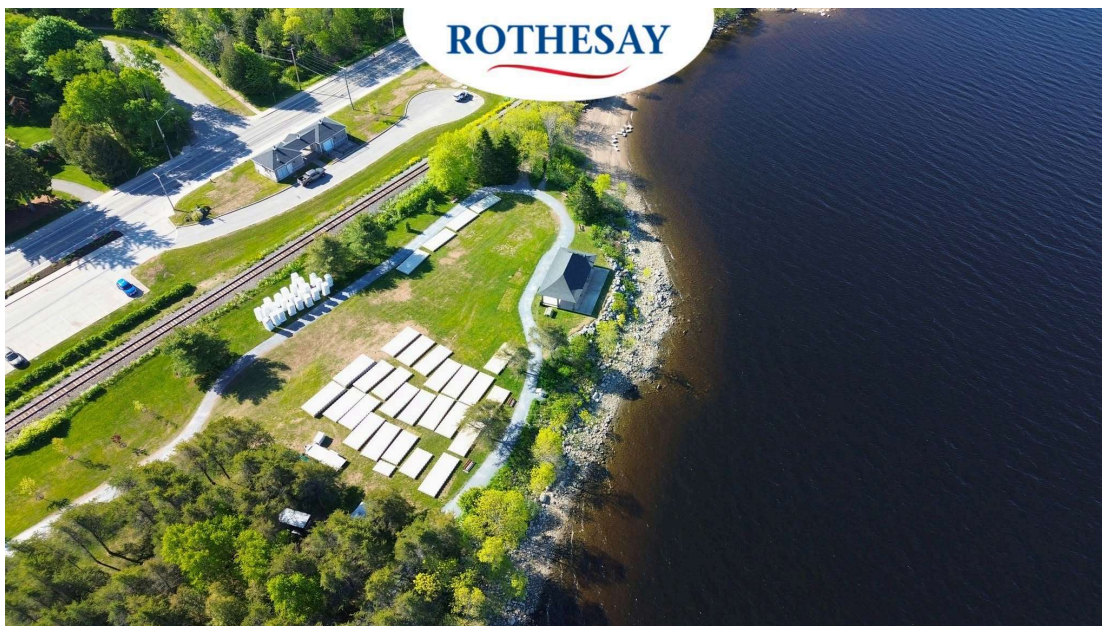
Renforth Beach

Monday to Sunday, 11:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Beaches are not supervised by lifeguards outside of regular operating hours or on statutory holidays, including Canada Day (July 1) and New Brunswick Day (August 3).

Please note that there will be no Swimming Lessons offered this year.

Learn more [HERE](#).



ERK Park Floating Walkway

residents safe walking access in and out of their neighbourhood. Fortunately, the flooding did not get bad enough to have them installed and the docks went into storage, where they've been sitting ever since...

Well, we found a better use for them.

Work is now underway at East Riverside Kingshurst Park to turn those dock sections into a brand new floating walkway along the Kennebecasis River. Starting at the picnic shelter, crews are building a semi-circular retaining wall and foundation — a significant undertaking on its own — with a ramp that will eventually lead down to a floating dock running parallel to the shoreline.

It's a great example of making the most of what we have, and when it's done, it's going to be a unique feature on the river that the whole community can enjoy.

We'll keep you posted as work progresses. Stay tuned



Sunset Yoga at Renforth Rotary Park

Free Sunset Yoga Sessions are back! Join us for relaxing and rejuvenating community yoga sessions this summer. Take your "Me Time" and enjoy the picturesque sunset on the Kennebecasis River at Renforth Rotary Park, 141 James Renforth Drive. No experience is necessary! Yoga sessions are for people of all ages and abilities. Please bring your own yoga mat. Please do not park along James Renforth Drive, overflow parking is available at the Bill McGuire Centre (95 James Renforth Drive). Rain date will be on the following evening. Learn more [HERE](#).

You have the chance to win a \$50 Yoga Haus gift card raffle draw at each session!

- Tuesday, July 14 at 7PM
- Tuesday, August 11 at 7PM



Enter the Through the Lens Photo Contest

Our Town is well known for its people, history, quality of life and picturesque location in the Kennebecasis Valley. Rothesay boasts parks, beaches, wharves, playgrounds, hiking trails, biking lanes, many recreation sites and some hidden gems too! Every year from May until September, Rothesay hosts an annual photo contest to see and share our community gems through the lens of your camera.

Enter your photos for your chance to win the **13th Annual Photo Contest by Wednesday, August 19!** Learn more [HERE](#).

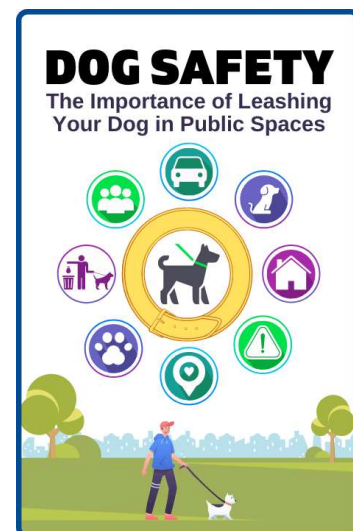
Other Town Business

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 and putting the bag in a bin. Your neighbours gratefully thank you! Learn more [HERE](#).

Also, did you know, that 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.



Community Events

Interested in promoting your own community event? Learn more [HERE.](#)



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