



# APRIL 2022

## *SALMON COUNTRY NEWS* (From Renous to Boiestown)

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**(DEADLINE FOR MAY 2022 EDITION: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27TH)**

The Atlantic Salmon Museum is pleased to present its

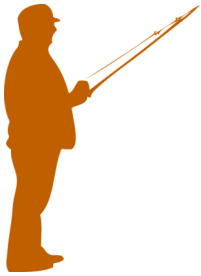
### **SECOND ANNUAL GUIDES BREAKFAST**

**SATURDAY, APRIL 9**

**7:30 – 11:00 AM**

**263 Main Street, Doaktown**

**EVERYONE INVITED**



Celebrate the start of the 2022 fishing season with friends, neighbours, fellow anglers and a hearty breakfast of scrambled eggs, homemade baked beans, bacon, pancakes, toast, juice and, of course, tea or coffee.

Celebrate Spring, the end of COVID restrictions, and being able to "socialize" once again. Come see what the Salmon Museum has been up to since you've been gone or – for you newcomers to our community – give us a chance to introduce ourselves and make you feel welcome.

Throughout the breakfast, we'll be drawing for some "fun" door prizes and author Wayne Curtis will be on hand to sign copies of his new book, *River People*. Starting at 9 am, we will also be drawing for the remaining 25 prizes in our *Salmon Spectacular Raffle* (if you can't be with us in person, we'll be live-streaming on our AtlanticSalmonMuseum facebook page). And, of course, our entire facility – including our new displays and our Gift Shop – will be available for you to explore.

### **ADMISSION**

Guides proudly displaying their pins – FREE

For the general public:

Adults - \$10 / Family of 4 - \$25 / Children under 6 – FREE

Check the Atlantic Salmon Museum Facebook page, email us at [museum@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:museum@nbnet.nb.ca) or call the Museum at 506-365-7787 for more information.

*~ Fly fishermen are born honest but they get over it ~*



The earlier you start planning, the more prepared you will be to respond to changes. To successfully plan ahead, you need to think about how you want to live as you age and what steps you need to take to achieve that lifestyle.

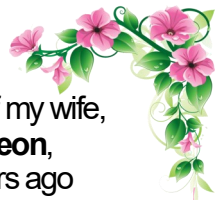
We want to hear from you.

What is the interest of the residents in our Village for Age-Friendly affordable housing?

If there was Age-Friendly affordable housing available in your community, what would you expect from it?

Please contact us with your comments at:

[karen.petitpas@doaktown.ca](mailto:karen.petitpas@doaktown.ca) or [krista.lambert@doaktown.ca](mailto:krista.lambert@doaktown.ca)



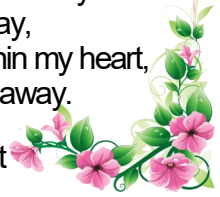
In loving memory of my wife,  
**Theresa Sturgeon**,  
who left us 5 years ago  
on April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

If roses grow in Heaven,  
Lord, pick a bunch for me.  
Place them in Theresa's arms,  
And tell her they're from me.  
Tell her that I love and miss her  
And when she turns to smile,  
Place a kiss upon her cheek  
And hold her for a while.

Remembering her is easy  
I do it every day,

But there's an ache within my heart,  
That never goes away.

Love, Albert



In loving memory of my mom, **Theresa Sturgeon**,  
who passed away on April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

It has been five years since I have seen you.  
Five years of not having you to talk to, share  
things with, and ask for your opinions and advice.  
Five years of missed birthdays, Christmases,  
weddings, and other celebrations.  
Five years, but feels like a lifetime.

All my love, Loey xo



Feel the need to get outdoors, get your hands dirty, and grow something wonderful??

The **Doaktown Community Garden** -- in conjunction with the Doak Provincial Heritage Site -- suggest that it's time to start thinking about gardening. Be it vegetables or flowers, we have the raised beds (and all the materials you'll need) to get you started -- all YOU need to do is a bit of regular weeding and watering, then sit back and watch things burst into life.

We have 30 raised beds available and can provide the soil, fertilizer, watering cans, and hoses. Thanks to our friends at *Joey's Independent Grocer*, we even have seeds -- vegetables (think cucumber, tomatoes, carrots, lettuce, onions, peppers, and peas), herbs and even sunflower and wild flower seeds. Rentals are only \$10 per bed but we will require you to keep your bed and the ground around it neat and tidy (waste containers for weeds and other debris will be provided).

The Doaktown Community Garden is located on the grounds of the Doak Provincial Heritage Site at 386 Main Street, Doaktown. In the weeks leading up to the Doak Site's official opening in early July, you can call **Brenda Munn (365-5554)** or **Anna Mae Basque (365-0083)** for further information and/or to make your rental arrangements.

~ Working together makes everything grow better ~





**Woodmen's Museum**

# **SPRING BREAKFAST**

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- **Orange and apple juice**
- **Tea and coffee**



**Adults: \$12**

**Youth 6-12: \$6**

**Children 5 and under eat free**

**Come on down get a yummy meal, enjoy local fellowship,  
all while supporting your local museum!**

**Masks optional**



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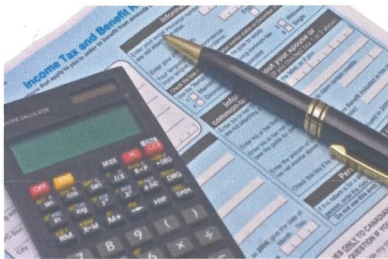
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- Contacting us by phone – 365-7278
- E-mail : Delmer ([nbwhited@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:nbwhited@nbnet.nb.ca))

Judy ([jgaunce@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:jgaunce@nbnet.nb.ca))

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO  
KENNY CARR**



**An Open House to celebrate Kenny's 80<sup>th</sup> Birthday will be held at the Doaktown Legion, 8 Doctor Hamilton Drive, on **Saturday, April 23** beginning at **2:00 pm.****

**Everyone welcome -- just bring your very best wishes for Kenny.**



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**“Know Where You Stand”**



The family of the late **WINSTON PRICE** would like to express their sincere appreciation for all the messages, food, flowers, phone calls and cards.

Special thanks to the ambulance attendants and to our neighbours for their help when needed and to the staff at 2 West at the Miramichi Hospital.

~ Frances Ann and Jake





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## VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETINGS

Regular meetings are held on the third Wednesday of every month beginning at 7:30 pm in the Council Chambers, 8 Miramichi Street, Doaktown.

For further information, please contact the Village Office at 365-7970, Ext. 102.

April 27

May 18

June 15

July 20

August 17

September 21



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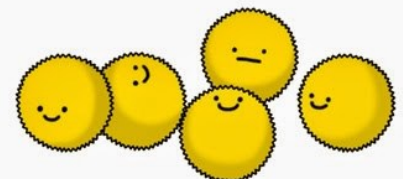
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Weekly Appointment Available

**Monday - Wednesday 8am-5pm**  
**Thursday 8am-4pm**

*Hooray! It's Spring!*



Hello, Allergy Season!

# Atlantic Salmon MUSEUM

365-7787  
DOAKTOWN, NEW BRUNSWICK



## THE ATLANTIC SALMON MUSEUM'S 37<sup>TH</sup> HALL OF FAME DINNER AND INDUCTION CEREMONY

This year we are proud to honour **Mr. Alan R. Graham** of Rexton, New Brunswick, a long time champion of Atlantic salmon conservation. Tickets now on sale – call the Atlantic Salmon Museum at 506-365-7787 or email us at [museum@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:museum@nbnet.nb.ca) for further information or to make your reservations.

**Saturday, May 14, 2022**  
Reception – 4:30 pm  
Dinner / Ceremony – 6:00 pm



Have you got a special event coming up in your life? Maybe it's a grad party, a baby shower, a long-awaited family reunion or perhaps a wedding? If you're looking for a venue that's welcoming and guest-friendly (as well as being moderately priced), we've got TWO for you to pick from: the River Room at the Atlantic Salmon Museum or the Doak Barn at the Doak Provincial Heritage Site.

If you'd like more information and maybe a look-see at what's on offer, we're here to help. For the River Room, call Daphne Nippard at 365-7787 (Museum) or 365-7794 (Home); for the Doak Barn, contact

Karen McAleer at 230-2496. You can also email Daphne at [museum@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:museum@nbnet.nb.ca) or Karen at [karena.mcaleer@yahoo.ca](mailto:karena.mcaleer@yahoo.ca).

On Thursday, March 24, the Atlantic Salmon Museum was delighted to present Principal Sonya O'Donnell-Munn and the Doaktown Elementary School with a cheque for \$898 as their share in the proceeds from our *Salmon Museum and Friends* lottery. Sonya has great plans for the money – everything from a new website in support of literacy, and more “interest” books and snacks for her students – and the Salmon Museum is happy to be a part of it all.

In the months ahead, our “Friend” will be the Doaktown Volunteer Fire Department while they're raising funds for an emergency off-road rescue vehicle. Please join us in supporting this very worthwhile initiative – weekly tickets on our *Salmon Museum and Friends Lotto* are only \$2 and are available from the Museum or by e-transfer at [museum@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:museum@nbnet.nb.ca).







Here is what American comic Jeff Foxworthy has to say about Canadians:

If someone in a Home Depot store offers you assistance and they don't work there,  
You may live in Canada.

If you've had a lengthy telephone conversation with someone who dialed a wrong number,  
You may live in Canada.

If you know several people who have hit a deer more than once,  
You may live in Canada.

If you can drive 90 km/hr through 2 feet of snow during a raging blizzard without flinching,  
You may live in Canada.

If you install security lights on your house and garage, but leave both of them unlocked,  
You may live in Canada.

If the speed limit on the highway is 80 km -- you're going 95 and everybody is passing you,  
You may live in Canada.

If driving is better in the winter because the potholes are filled with snow,  
You may live in Canada.

If you know all 4 seasons:  
Almost winter, winter, still winter, and road construction,  
You may live in Canada.

If you actually understand these jokes, and forward them to all your friends,  
you definitely are Canadian and proud to be one.



**Good Friday – April 15**

**Easter Sunday – April 17**



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### LIBRARY HOURS

Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays & Fridays: 10am - 5pm  
(closed 12:30 - 1:30pm)

Tuesdays: 12:30 - 8pm (closed 5 - 6pm)

Our Library will be closed on Good Friday, April 15, and on Easter Monday, April 18.



## LIBRARY HAPPENINGS

**BOOKS ON WHEELS.** Books delivered and picked up - **Tuesday, April 19**

**HACKMATAK.** Upper Miramichi Elementary School – **Monday, April 25**

**OFF TO SCHOOL with Care 'n Share.** Library – **Every Wednesday morning (10 am – Noon)**

Science East will be visiting CNBA, UMES and MVCA on Tuesday, April 12, Thursday, April 21 and Friday, April 22. Please note: Because of a generous grant from CanCode, the Library is able to partner with Science East to bring workshops to our rural area.



Stop by the Library for **FREE** take-home craft kits. Each kit includes all the supplies you'll need and are available for preschoolers, children, young adults and adults.



The Library loans out: Vehicle Diagnostic (Code) Readers, Blood Pressure Monitors, NB Power Energy Meters, DVDs and CDs, Craft Kits, and Audio Books. Sign one out today (FREE OF CHARGE) with your Library card.

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## April's Charms by William Henry Davies

When April scatters charms of primrose gold  
Among the copper leaves in thickets old,  
And singing skylarks from the meadows rise,  
To twinkle like black stars in sunny skies;

When I can hear the small woodpecker ring  
Time on a tree for all the birds that sing;  
And hear the pleasant cuckoo, loud and long --  
The simple bird that thinks two notes a song;

When I can hear the woodland brook, that could  
Not drown a babe, with all his threatening mood;  
Upon these banks the violets make their home,  
And let a few small strawberry blossoms come:

When I go forth on such a pleasant day,  
One breath outdoors takes all my cares away;  
It goes like heavy smoke, when flames take hold  
Of wood that's green and fill a grate with gold.



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**VILLAGE OF DOAKTOWN  
GARBAGE PICK-UP SCHEDULE  
APRIL 2022**



**Monday, April 4 - Regular Garbage**

**Monday, April 11 - Recycling**

**Monday, April 18 - Regular Garbage**

**Monday, April 25 - Recycling**



All Garbage/Recycling Items are to be placed at curbside no later than 7:00 am on pick-up morning. Thank you for your cooperation.



**VILLAGE OF DOAKTOWN**

**MONDAY, MAY 30**

**People's  
Alliance**



**L'Alliance  
des Gens**

## **IMPORTANT MEETING**

**Southwest Miramichi-Bay du Vin Riding Nomination  
Convention to be held on April 9th, 1 P.M. to 5 P.M.  
at the Renous Rec Centre, 2 Young Lane, Renous, N.B.**

***KRIS AUSTIN, Leader of the People's Alliance of New  
Brunswick, will be the guest speaker.***

**Voting members must have a current membership  
card (dated at least 14 days prior to convention date).  
Once all Nominees have spoken, Voting will take  
place.**

**Come out and have a voice in who you want  
to have representing YOU at the  
New Brunswick Legislature.**

**Any questions, contact People's Alliance of NB at  
506-455-3015, email [office@peoplesalliance.ca](mailto:office@peoplesalliance.ca) or  
Eva Stewart - 506-365-7388**

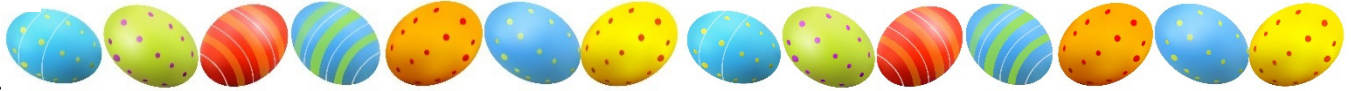




# Doaktown Community-School Library

430 Main Street, Doaktown, N.B.

Phone: 506-365-2018



Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday: 9:30am – 12:00pm and 2:30pm – 5pm  
Thursday: 2:30pm – 5pm and 6pm – 8pm

Follow us on Facebook for up-to-date information on programs and services

We have Curbside Pick-up!!! Call 365-2018 to book an appointment!



## Easter Egg Hunt!! How many eggs can you find on this page?

**New Lending Objects  
at the Library!!**

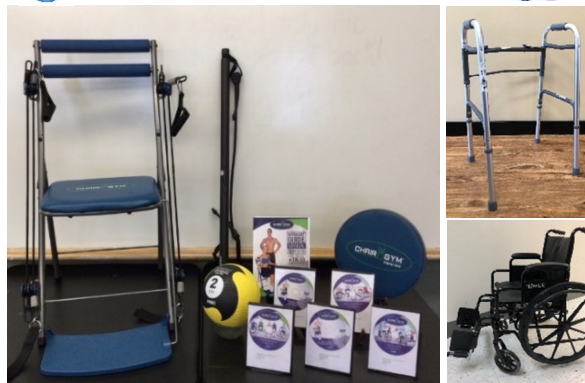
**Catalogued Walkers!!**

**Catalogued  
Wheelchairs!!**

**Catalogued Workout  
Bags!!**



(See below for answer)



**SEED LIBRARY!!**

Start thinking about what you would like to grow in your garden -- we have seeds that you can borrow! In return we ask that you bring us some seeds in the Fall to replenish our supply!

*Make a Difference!*  
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**THANK YOU to the following donors!**



Beresford Price and family - In Memory of Andrew Price



**Winner!! Winner!!** Congratulations to the Doaktown Elementary School students who won our "Once the Lights Go Out" writing contest. Thank you to all the participants!! We encourage the public to stop in and check out these great submissions!

Alan Bucasan - 1<sup>st</sup> Place Kindergarten  
Kaiden Attrux - 1<sup>st</sup> Place Grade 1/2  
Ben Robichaud - 1<sup>st</sup> Place Grade 2  
Peyton Price - 1<sup>st</sup> Place Grade 3/4  
Carly O'Donnell - 1<sup>st</sup> Place Grade 4/5



**Preschool  
"Virtual" Easter  
Storytime!**  
Thursday,  
April 14<sup>th</sup> 10:30am  
Visit the library to  
pick up your  
craft kit!



**Ride-to-Read**  
A reminder to the Doaktown Elementary School students to fill out your Ride-to-Read ballots and return them to the school!

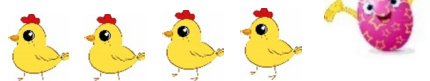


**Stay tuned for more information!!**

We plan to slowly restart some of our regular programs in April! If you enjoy Bridge, Knitting, Quilting, Scrapbooking & Chair Exercises, you won't want to be anywhere else!

**HAPPY  
EASTER**

The library will be closed on Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup> and Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>



**Congratulations!!!**

**Joey Giesbrecht & Louise Peterson**

Joey and Louise were the lucky winners of the *I Read Canadian* Contest!!

Enjoy your \$25 Chapters Gift Cards!!



## *Doaktown Volunteer Fire Department*

*8 Miramichi Street*

*Doaktown NB E9C 1C8*

*Physical Location: 328 Main Street, Doaktown*

March 14, 2022

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

The Doaktown Volunteer Fire Department has now initiated a Fund Raising Campaign to procure an Emergency off Road Rescue Vehicle for our department. Your support plays a vital role in the ongoing effort of our Volunteer Firefighters to provide the fast, reliable fire and rescue protection upon which you depend.

Since the Doaktown Volunteer Fire Department was organized to serve the residents and businesses of Doaktown and surrounding areas, our area of responsibility and residents has grown to include outside our Village limits, we are ready to go 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. Our department has grown to 16 volunteers who give their heart and soul in to protecting our community.

There is no question we are in a difficult economy. Nevertheless, firefighting on a 24/7 basis is a very expensive business. Our operating and capital expense budget covers expenses for the daily operations of trucks, fire hall, radio's, volunteer firefighter's coverage, but we still must rely on our fund raising events and your contributions to help keep the department up to date.

Our Fund Raising Campaign goal this year is to reach \$50,000 for an Emergency off Road Rescue Vehicle. This campaign was kicked off on Tuesday January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 with a generous \$5,000 contribution from JD Irving Limited. This injection of funding is a great start towards our goal.

This asset is critical in the Rescue and Recovery of victims involved in ATV or snow machine accidents, injuries in remote areas during forestry operations, and it will be invaluable for search and rescue.

The department will be holding various fund raising events such as BBQ's, Food Sales, Car Washes, to name a few, throughout the year. Our volunteers will work hard towards this fund raising efforts, but we are dependent on the response and generosity of residents and businesses like yours.

Your financial support is what gives our Volunteers the ability to keep responding every day.

Your support would be greatly appreciated.

If you have any questions, or would like to contribute to the Emergency off Road Rescue Vehicle, please contact Tim Lambert @ 506-365-0179.

Sincerely,

Tim Lambert

Treasurer/Fund Campaign