



NORTH RUSTICO NEWSLETTER

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Sewer and Water payments are payable by Cash, Cheque or E-transfer

Reminder, we do not accept Credit/Debit Cards for Payments



The Town Office will be closed Friday April 3rd and Monday April 6th

On behalf of the Mayor, Council and Staff we would like to wish everyone a wonderful Easter Weekend!

Blessing of the fishing boats will be held April 14th, 10:00AM at the North Rustico Wharf.

Setting Day is set for April 25th (weather depending). From the Mayor, Council & Staff we would like to wish all our lobster fishers a very safe and successful fishing season!



Deputy Mayor David LeClair

Wednesday April 22nd is Earth Day, each year adopts a theme to promote change with 2026 being Our power, Our Planet. Emphasizing community action, sustainability and climate solutions. As the 56th anniversary, it brings millions of Canadians for activities like clean ups, tree planting, and education to advance environmental protections.



We will be holding our Town clean-up week starting Friday May 1st through to Sunday May 10th. The Town will have dumpsters that will be located near our maintenance building at 174 Timber Lane. Residents can use these dumpsters free of charge for the week to dispose of their residential waste. Take advantage of this free program & keep our Town looking beautiful! **Note: Mattresses, Tires or Yard Waste/Branches are not allowed.**



Shredding Event for North Rustico Residents

The Town of North Rustico is holding a Shredding Event for the residents during our Town clean up week. The exact day and time will be announced soon. The shredding truck will be at 17 Timber Lane (Lions Club Parking Lot).

This event is free to give residents the opportunity to safely destroy personal documents and other papers by an on-site shredding truck. These events promote and highlight the importance of information security and reinforce a sense of community that builds goodwill. Every time we recycle paper, we save more trees.



Spring Dances

Star of the Sea Club North Rustico

April 4th Crow Black Chicken

May 16th Kelly Buote

Cash Bar / 50/50 Draw Admission \$10.00

19 & over Welcome



Star of the Sea Seniors Club North Rustico

Darts on Wednesdays from 7-9 PM



Games Nights on April 10th & 24th, May 8th and 22nd from 7-9 PM.

For more information you can call Kathy Holmes at 902-218-1178.

FUNDRAISING PRIZE/ BINGO
MONDAY APRIL 20TH, 6:30PM

50/50 DRAW

BINGO

DOOR PRIZE

We will have a donation box, if you can bring a nonperishable donation for the Stella Maris Food Bank

ELIYAHU WELLNESS CENTRE
20 RECREATION STREET
HOSPITALITY ROOM





Our Recreation & Events Committee is excited to announce the theme for Canada Day 2026 “Just for Kicks”

(North Rustico Canada Day Celebrates FIFA World Cup Soccer 2026)

Vendor, Food Truck and Applications for the Canada Day Parade are now available at the Town Office or email jmckenna@northrustico.com.



The Events Committee is looking for volunteers for Canada Day, one of the largest Events in North Rustico. We have a schedule of times for volunteers to sell 50/50 and to help with other activities. If you are interested in volunteering, you can call the Town Office 902-963-3211 or email jmckenna@northrustico.com

Summer Job Positions



The Town of North Rustico has openings for summer student positions for the upcoming 2026 summer season. The position entails planning and executing summer activities for children and assisting with special events. It also includes some maintenance & landscaping duties. We also have a position for a secondary student in the marketing/events/tourism field. Please note that applicants must be returning to school in the fall of 2026.

To apply for this position please email jmckenna@northrustico.com or drop off your resume at the North Rustico Town Office 106 Riverside Drive

Reminder to Dog Owners: With the nicer weather and snow melting there are many concerns with residents walking their dogs throughout the community and not picking up after them, causing a big mess in many places including our new Boardwalk. Cooperation from everyone is a must in every community. Please pick up after your pets !



General municipal elections are held every four years with the next general municipal election on Monday November 2nd, 2026, for all municipalities. Nominations open October 7th and we encourage residents to get involved.



Seawalk Park Outdoor Bottle Filler Station & Pet Station

This features two separate areas for hydration, one bottle filling station that helps reduce the use of plastic bottles and a pet station to keep your pets hydrated

Eliyahu Wellness Centre 20 Recreation Street

MP Heath MacDonald’s Office will be hosting a new rotating office. It will be held at the Eliyahu Wellness Centre in the Cultural Centre on Thursday April 16th starting at 9:00 AM – 12:00PM. This will be a regular scheduled event every third Thursday of the month until December. Everyone is welcome to stop by.

Council Decisions

- ❖ Council approved the Rustico Mustangs and Snoopy Cup Tournament to apply for a Special Liquor license to serve alcohol at their Home Games and during the Snoopy Tournament March 26 & 27.
- ❖ Council approved the 2026-2027 Public Budget Meeting for Monday March 16, 2026, at 6:30 pm at the North Rustico Lions Club.
- ❖ Council appointed MRSB as the auditor for the 2025-2026 Financial Audit.
- ❖ Council approved the quote from CBCL for the consulting/engineering scope of work for Phase 2 of the Boardwalk Project- Replacement of Seawalk Park Walkways at a cost of \$18,500 + HST and further approve the CAO and Mayor complete contracts required to fulfill this resolution.
- ❖ Council appointed Douglas Burrige as the North Rustico Fire Company’s Fire Chief for February 2026 to February 2028.

