SUMMER 2024 NEWSLETTER





























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Welcome to Clare Recreation Services' Summer 2024 newsletter! The events featured in this newsletter are divided by age group and into the following categories:



COMMUNITY EVENTS AND FESTIVALS



HOBBIES & **INTERESTS**



SPORTS & MOVEMENT



To stay informed, get more details on events and complete your registrations, visit the community calendar on our website at www.clarenovascotia.com or follow us on social media!

SCAN TO OPEN OUR:



Facebook



Community



Instagram

ACTIVITIES FOR ALL AGES

PRIDE EVENTS

WHEN? Friday, June 14, at 10:00 a.m. and at 5:00 p.m.



WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for these events.

*Join us for a flag-raising ceremony in the morning at the municipal office and later in the day at the Meteghan Lions Club and Seth Lake to celebrate the 2SLGBTQ+ community with music, games and a BBQ!

BURGER D'LA BAIE

WHEN? Friday, June 14, to Sunday, June 23.

WHERE? Participating businesses around Clare.

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Participation is free, but burgers must be purchased.

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

*Participating locations will be announced in the community calendar and on our Facebook page. Voting for the best burger will be online.

WENTWORTH LAKE PARK GRAND RE-OPENING

WHEN? Tuesday, June 18, at 5:00 p.m.

WHERE? Wentworth Lake Park.

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event, and kayaks can be borrowed on site.

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*Come see the improvements we've made to Wentworth Lake Park and join us for our grand re-opening! There will be music, games, and a BBQ.



















COMMUNITY PADDLE NIGHTS

WHEN? Tuesdays, June 18, July 2, July 16, and July 30, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

WHERE? Seth Lake or Wentworth Lake (check the community calendar or the Clare Recreation Services' Facebook page for details).

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event, but please contact Clare Recreation Services if you'd like to borrow a kayak (you can also bring your own).

*For community paddle nights on Seth Lake, the meeting point is at the Meteghan Lions Club, and at the Wentworth Lake Boat Launch for evenings on Wentworth Lake.

COMMUNITY CAMPFIRES

WHEN? Tuesdays, June 25, July 9 and July 23, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

WHERE? Various locations in the community (check the community calendar or the

Clare Recreation Services' Facebook page for details).

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

*Bring a story, a song, an instrument, a joke or just something to toast on the fire. In the event of a fire ban, join us for games, music, and fun at the announced location!

CANADA DAY

WHEN? July 1, from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., fireworks around 9:30 p.m. (see note below).

WHERE? Le Richelieu in the afternoon and Meteghan in the evening.

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

*This year, our last fireworks show will take place at dusk around 9:30-10:00 p.m. in the Meteghan beach area. Please pass this message to anyone (humans or pets) who might be sensitive to fireworks and loud noises.

BEACH YOGA WITH STÉPHANIE AND VALÉRIE

WHEN? Every Thursday in July and August at 6:30 p.m. starting July 4.

WHERE? Mavillette Beach, meet at first staircase (395, John Doucette Road).

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

*Classes alternate between English and French. In case of bad weather, the event will be postponed to the next day. Yoga mats will be available to borrow.

SLIP N' SLIDES

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

WHEN AND WHERE? All the activities below start at 6.30 p.m.:

- Monday, July 8, at the Havelock Community Centre
- Monday, July 22, on the Université Sainte-Anne campus
- Thursday, August 8, at École Stella-Maris
- Monday, August 19, at École Stella-Maris

*This activity will take place rain or shine.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS SEND OFF

WHEN? Friday, July 12, at 8:30 a.m.

WHERE? Sainte-Marie Church parking lot (Church Point).

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

















BEATS BY THE BAY

WHO? Evervone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

WHEN & WHERE?

- Friday, July 12, at 6:00 p.m. (in collaboration with Les Beaux Vendredis) in Joseph-et-Marie-Dugas Park.
- Sunday, July 21, at 6:00 p.m. at Smugglers Cove Provincial Park.
- Saturday, August 24, in Joseph-et-Marie-Dugas Park. Time to be determined.

FAMILY DAYS

WHEN? Saturday, July 13, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and Monday, August 5, 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

WHERE? Meteghan Family Park (July 13) and Mavillette Beach (August 5).

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

*Bring your family and friends for a fun-filled day with a variety of games, music, and a delicious BBQ.

POKER WALK

WHEN? Monday, July 15, Wednesday, July 31, and Wednesday, August 21, at 6:30 p.m.

WHERE? Belliveau Cove Boardwalk.

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Yes, register online in advance or in person at the event.

*Pick up cards along your walk to form your best poker hand! Prizes for the three best hands.





TRIVIA AND PHOTO HUNT

WHEN? Wednesday, July 24, at 6:30 p.m.

WHERE? Meeting at the Salmon River Fire Hall, and various locations around Clare.

WHO? Everyone is welcome, teams of 2 to 5 participants.

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by July 20.

*Participants will answer a questionnaire, followed by a photo hunt. Participants must have access to a car and a smartphone.

Photos must be submitted by 8:30 p.m.

CAPE TO CLIFF BEACH RUN

WHEN? Sunday, August 11, at 9:00 a.m.

WHERE? Mavillette Beach, middle parking lot (335, John Doucette Road).

WHO? Ages 16+ (children accompanied by an adult can also participate).

COST? \$30.

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by August 10, but the deadline to register and receive a T-shirt is July 10.

*Choose a 4 km, 6 km, 8 km, or 10 km route. All courses start and finish on Mavillette beach.

TUSKET ISLAND TOUR

WHEN? Wednesday, August 14, at 1:00 p.m.

WHERE? Departure from and return to Salmon River Fire Hall.

WHO? Everyone is welcome!

COST? \$150 per person, including round-trip bus transportation, ticket, and dinner.

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by July 31.











TINTAMARRE

WHEN? Thursday, August 15, at 5:55 p.m., car decorating party starting at 4:30 p.m.

WHERE? Saint-Bernard Church (overflow parking available at the Saint-Bernard Fire

Hall) to Salmon River Fire Hall. **WHO?** Everyone is welcome!

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

*Because it's the Congrès mondial acadien, the tintamarre will be different this year. It will start in Saint-Bernard and run through Clare to the Salmon River Fire Hall. This is the most logical solution for those wishing to continue to Yarmouth for further Quinzou celebrations!

ACTIVITIES FOR ADULTS

WASHERS TOURNAMENT

WHO? Adults.

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Registration is not required for this event.

WHEN AND WHERE? All the tournaments below start at 10:30 a.m.:

- Friday, June 28, at the Havelock Community Centre
- Friday, August 9, at the Havelock Community Centre
- *A BBQ will be served for lunch but bring your own chair.



• Friday, July 26, on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



BUS TRIP TO THE ROYAL NOVA SCOTIA INTERNATIONAL TATTOO

WHEN? Sunday, June 30, from 8:15 a.m. to approx. 9:30 p.m.

WHERE? Depart from the Rendez-vous de la Baie, travel to the Scotiabank Centre in Halifax and return.

WHO? Adults aged 50 and over.

COST? \$100 per person, including round-trip bus fare and ticket (meals not included).

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by June 14.

MINI TRIATHLON

WHEN? Saturday, July 20, at 10:00 a.m.

WHERE? Wentworth Lake Park.

WHO? Ages 13+.

COST? \$20 per person.

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by July 18.

*An exciting event where you run, kayak, and bike your way to the finish line! Participants can bring their own equipment or use ours (please contact us in advance for equipment loans).

BEACH VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT

WHEN? On Monday, August 5, the tournament starts at 9 a.m.

WHERE? Mavillette Beach.

WHO? There will be a mixed youth division for ages 13 to 16,

a women's division for ages 17+, and a men's division for ages 17+.

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by August 3 (or on-site registration if spaces are available).

SPIKEBALL TOURNAMENT

WHEN? Sunday, August 18, tournament starts at 10:00 a.m.

WHERE? École Stella-Maris field.

WHO? Ages 16+, there will be a men's division and a mixed division.

COST? \$5 per person.

REGISTRATION? Yes, register online in advance or in person at the event.













ACTIVITIES FOR YOUTH AND TEENS

TEEN SPORTS CAMP

WHEN? Monday, July 15, to Friday, July 19, from 12:30 to 4:00 p.m.

WHERE? Université Sainte-Anne campus.

WHO? Youth aged 10 to 15.

COST? \$10 per day.

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by July 1.





TEEN BAKING CAMP

WHEN? Monday, July 22, to Friday, July 26, from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

WHERE? Inclusion Clare (1711, Highway 1, Church Point, N.S.).

WHO? Youth aged 13 to 17.

COST? \$10 per day.

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by July 8.





CHILDREN'S PARADE

WHEN? Tuesday, July 30 at 1:30 p.m.

WHERE? Departure from Villa Acadienne to Meteghan Park.

WHO? Children aged 12 and under (must be accompanied by a guardian).

COST? Free!

REGISTRATION? Yes, registration is required by July 28.





L'ESPRIT DE LA CJA

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

Full day at the Havelock Community Centre



CARNIVAL WEEK

THURSDAY, JULY 4
(afternoon) at Joseph-et-Marie-I

Half-day (afternoon) at Joseph-et-Marie-Dugas Park (Belliveau Cove)

FRIDAY, JULY 5

Half-day (morning) in the École secondaire de Clare field

TUESDAY, JULY 9

Half-day (afternoon) at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



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Full day, location to be confirmed.

THURSDAY, JULY 11

Half-day (morning) at Hidden Hemlock Stables

TUESDAY, JULY 16

Half-day (morning) at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



OCEANS WEEK

WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

Full day at the Oceanographic Environment Research Society (483 Highway 1, Comeauville)



THURSDAY, JULY 18

Half-day (afternoon) at Mavillette beach

TUESDAY, JULY 23

Half-day (afternoon) at the Villa Acadienne



COMMUNITY WEEK

WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

Full day at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



THURSDAY, JULY 25

Half-day (morning) at the Meteghan Lions Club

TUESDAY. JULY 30

Half-day (morning) at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



ACADIAN WEEK

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

Full day at the Musée des Acadiens des Pubnicos (meeting at the yurts)

OLYMPICS WEEK



THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

Half-day (afternoon) at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

Half-day (afternoon) at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



FRIDAY, AUGUST 9

Half-day (morning) at the Havelock Community Centre



TUESDAY, AUGUST 20

Half-day (afternoon) at Smugglers Cove Provincial Park



OUTDOOR ADVENTURE WEEK

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 21

Full day at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus



THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

Half-day (morning) at the yurts on the Université Sainte-Anne campus

