

THE IN-CIDER

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Mark Your Calendars!



VOLUNTEER CELEBRATION

8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

250 Veterans Drive
Berwick Lions Hall, Berwick

Drop by the Berwick Lions Club from 8:30 to 10:30 AM to grab a coffee or tea, some delicious treats, and a chance to thank some of our Town's most dedicated volunteers.

Whether you are a volunteer yourself or are a member of the community, everyone is welcome!



BFC FIFTH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

250 Veterans Drive
Berwick Fitness Centre,
Berwick

The Berwick Fitness Centre is turning five! Drop by between 10 AM and 12 PM for fun challenges, prizes and more.

Congratulations to the Berwick Fitness Centre on five successful years of operation.



EVENING MARKET & MONSTER MASH

4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

149 Union Street
Centennial Park, Berwick

Join us for a family-friendly evening in Centennial Park!

This event will feature live music, market vendors, food vendors and Halloween fun!

Remarks from Mayor Clarke

With the changing of the seasons, Berwick's current council enters the fourth and final year of their term. Despite the pandemic-related complications of the first two years, council persevered, and has spent the third year celebrating the 100th anniversary of the Town's incorporation. The centennial celebrations began on New Year's Eve in 2022 and will wrap-up New Year's Eve 2023.

One of the proudest achievements of Berwick over the past century is the community solar garden on Willow Avenue, which is currently in the commissioning stage. Before the year ends, the community solar garden will be producing renewable, green electric energy. This power will become part of our energy mix, at a time when global issues and pressures on energy costs are causing prices to rise substantially. While we may see a short-term increase in Berwick Electric prices, the power generated by the community solar garden will provide a stabilizing effect on the price we have to pay for any power we purchase. With wind power from Ellershouse, hydroelectric power from our Factorydale dam and the new community solar garden, we will be purchasing less and less power from other utilities.



Donald E. Clarke

Important Information!

Update: New Front Desk Hours at Town Hall

Effective August 8th, our front desk hours at Town Hall are 8:30 AM to 4:00 PM.

If you have any billing matters or inquiries, appointments can be scheduled from 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM. Please feel free to contact us at 902-538-8068 if you have any questions or would like to set up an appointment.

Keep in mind that staff members remain available by email or phone until 4:30 PM.

Fall Clean Up!

Whether you are cleaning out your house or cleaning up your yard, we've got you covered. The Town and Valley Waste provide services and information to get your property looking fresh.

TOWN BRUSH & LEAF CLEAN UP

UNTIL NOV 30: DROP-OFF BIN

A large bin is available at 216 Main Street (Public Works) to drop off your leaves and brush at your convenience.

OCT 16-27: BRUSH PICK-UP

NOV 6-10: LEAF PICK-UP

Leaves and brush should be placed curbside no earlier than the previous weekend.

- Leaves **must** be placed into environmentally friendly paper bags. No plastic!
- Brush is to be cut into 4' lengths and neatly piled.

Each residence is limited to one half-ton pick-up size of material, with **one pick-up only** per civic address.

For more information call 902-538-8717 or email tharding@berwick.ca

Items placed curbside for pick up should be placed in front of your own property and not impede traffic.

VALLEY WASTE CURB SIDE CLEAN-UP

WEEK OF OCT 16-20

Rules for clean up

- Residents should have items out no later than 7AM on the Monday, October 16.
- The truck will be along **once** during that week. There is no specified day.
- Please remove batteries from items.
- Bagged items **must** be in clear bags.
- **Maximum of 20 items** will be collected.
- Items not collected are the residents responsibility and must be removed from roadside when clean-up is finished.
- **No** recyclables, cardboard or yard waste. These can be included with your regular garbage.

Valley Waste also has information available on how to dispose of **tires, hazardous materials, gas, electronics and more.**

For more information visit www.vworm.com or call 902-679-1325



TAX BILLS ARE DUE!

Final Tax Bills for 2023

We have sent out the final tax bills for 2023 to our residents via email or mail.

Please note that two versions of the final tax bill were sent due to a computer error that resulted in incorrect amounts being calculated.

The correct balance due will be reflected on the latter bill that you have received. Our staff is always available to help you in case of any confusion or questions.

To learn more, visit our website, Facebook page, or contact us at 902-538-8068.

Please make sure your tax bills are paid by the deadline of October 31, 2023.



CENTENNIAL HOLLY JOLLY JUBILEE: A CENTURY OF COMMUNITY CHEER

November 30 - December 3

Holiday celebrations will return to the Town of Berwick again this year, November 30th to December 3rd!

Save the date and look for updates on the Town of Berwick's website and social media!



CHECK BEFORE YOU BUILD!

*Building a house?
Planning a deck?
Adding a shed?*

Did you know that before you build, renovate, locate or change the use of a building or property you need a development permit?

The Berwick Land Use Bylaw (LUB) sets out standards and requirements for a wide variety of construction and development activity within the Town.

For more information contact planning@berwick.ca or (902) 538-8068 ext. 4020