

New Perlican Town Crier

August 2021



Water Turn-Off

The water will be turned off to the entire town on Monday, August 9th to repair a water line leak on Beaver Pond Road. It is unknown what time the water will be turned off or for how long. Residents are asked to be prepared to lose the water as early as 8:00am. When water is restored to the town, there may be some air in the lines and discoloration of water. Turn on your outside tap and run the water until it becomes clear.

Lift Station

The town has been experiencing problems with the lift station due to items in the sewer lines that just does not belong there. Among the items found are paper towels, face cloths and even a tee shirt. There is a huge problem with sanitizing wipes.



These items go through the lift station and wrap around the impeller and causes the lift station to stop working. This can lead to costly repairs for the town.

Bulk Garbage

The last bulk garbage collection for 2021 will take place on **Monday, October 18th, 2021**. If you have items that cannot wait until October, the Waste Recovery Facilities are open in Cavendish, Old Perlican and Harbour Grace: **Tuesday and Thursday 12:00pm-4:00pm Saturdays 8am - 4pm**. There is no charge to residents for using these facilities.

No Wake Zone

The Town Council would like to remind residents that the harbour is a No Wake Zone. When boats come into the harbour at high speeds, the wake may cause damage to other boats and stages. Please be respectful of other people's property.

Municipal Elections - 2021

2021 is a Municipal Election Year. The date for the election is **Tuesday, September 28th, 2021**. Nomination Day takes place on **Tuesday, August 31st** from **8:00 am to 8:00pm**.

Candidate Qualifications:

- Canadian citizen, 18 years of age
- Ordinarily resident in the municipality or area for at least 30 days prior to the date set for the commencement of the nomination period
- Not in arrears of taxes or other charges payable to the municipality
- Not otherwise disqualified under the *Municipal Elections Act*.

Please consider putting your name on the ballot. For more information, contact the town office.

Voter's List

Have you turned 18 since September 2017?

Will you turn 18 on or before September 28, 2021?

Have you moved to New Perlican since September 2017?

If you answered Yes to any of these questions, please contact the town office so your name can be added to the voters list. This will avoid having to fill out forms on election day.

General Repairs/Permits

The Town Council would like to remind residents that permits are needed before any work is to be completed on

the outside of a property. Please contact the town office for the necessary permits.

Demolition Permit-\$35.00

Deck Permit - \$25.00

General Repairs Permit-\$30.00

Garage/Shed Permit-\$35.00

Home Extension/Addition Permit-\$30.00

New Home Construction Permit-\$150.00

If a new Home Construction Permit is needed, the Town Council is not responsible for ensuring water and sewer services to the property or access to the property. Also, any overhead electrical wires have to be moved at the property owner's expense, if they are in the way.

Heritage New Perlican

Heritage Day - 2021

Join us to celebrate our rich heritage in New Perlican harbour at the Heritage Landing:

**Saturday, August 14th, 2021
11am - 4pm**

(In case of bad weather, it will be held on Sunday, August 15th)

Heritage walks to Bloody Point
Traditional Skills Demonstration
Stations

Vendor Tables - Artisans, Crafts, Baked Goods, Just Like Sisters - Sweet Shop, Nat & Jane Ann's - Ice Cream and Cold Plates

All the World's a Stage
Photo opportunity for New Perlican stage owners to have a free family portrait in front of their stage by Karen Smith Photography

New Perlican Recreation

The New Perlican Recreation Committee is looking for new members. If you are interested in joining the committee, please contact Shelly at the town office.

Chimney Sweeps

Blink... and the summer is gone. Now is the time to prepare for the coming winter (as much as some of us hates that word) and part of the preparations

is to clean your chimney. Brushes and rods are available at the town office for residents to use. The size ranges are from 6" - 8". Let's do our best to prevent chimney fires this year!

The Town Council would also like to take this opportunity to thank Jerome Courtney again for donating these items to the town.

Important Phone

Numbers

**Heart's Content Fire Dept. -
583-1000**

Ambulance - 911

Winterton Fire Dept. -583-2777

RCMP - 1-709-596-5014

Forestry - 1-866-709-3473

Carbonear ER - 1-709-596-5111

When you call 911, the operator will ask for your civic address. Please have your street number displayed prominently on your property. If you are unsure of your civic address, please contact the town office.

New Perlican Day

Saturday - August 21st, 2021

Boat Races

1 Person Junior Kayak, Ages 9-11

\$10/person

3-Person Dory, Ages 12 and up

\$30/team

Contact town office for registration

Ballfield

Games of Chance, Beer Tent, Alf's Food Truck, Washer Toss Tournament, Music, Beer Tent

Field opens 10:00am

Adult Dance (weather permitting)

Doors Open - 9:00pm

Tickets - \$10.00 on door

New Perlican Senior's

Gym

The New Perlican Senior's Gym remains closed, and it will be posted on the New Perlican Senior's Gym Facebook page when it will be re-opened.

Messages

The Town Council requests that people not contact the town clerk/manager on

her personal Facebook with questions or comments regarding town issues outside of town office hours unless it is an emergency. During office hours, please call the Town Office, email, or send a message to The Town of New Perlican's Facebook page. If you send a message to The Town of New Perlican's Facebook page after office hours, it will be answered when the office is open. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Notice

The Town Council would like to remind residents of the need to keep their properties tidy and free of debris and garbage year-round, but especially in the summer when there are tourists visiting residences and business in the town.

Facebook Page/Email Addresses

Just a reminder that the Town of New Perlican has a Facebook page. Just like the page "**Town of New Perlican**" to help you keep informed of water issues, events in and around the community etc. The town office often emails residents on the same issues. If you would like to receive emails, please forward your email address to townofnewperlican@persona.ca.

Town Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 8:00am - 4:00pm

Friday: 8:00am - 2:00pm

Phone: 583-2500, Fax: 583-2554

Email:

townofnewperlican@persona.ca

