



Chezzetcook and District Lions Club
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Regular bingo continues every Monday at 7 pm, doors open @ 5:30pm. Thanks for your support, and for the Lions and volunteers who give their time each and every week. We appreciate all of you!

On August the 28th all school supplies collected at Lions Bingo throughout the month, were passed over to Food Bank volunteers by the Social Cupcakes. The volunteers were very appreciative of the donations. We appreciate all the bingo players, and others, who dropped off the items through August.

Each Monday night throughout **September** we will be accepting donations of winter wear in clean and good condition. These will include mitts, scarves, hats & coats and may be dropped off at the Lions club bingo on Monday nights. On the 30th of September winter items will be available to be picked up. Donations will be accepted and forwarded to Local Food Bank.

On **October 1 a Pasta Dinner** will be served between **4-6pm** at the Chezzetcook Lions Club Hall. Donations received will be forwarded to **local food bank**. Contact **Lynda** at **902.827.4645**



And yes, we are excited to announce the **5th Annual Toy bingo**.

This very popular event will take place **Sunday, November 5th**. Doors open at 12pm, Bingo starts at 2pm. **Jackpot prize is a \$500.00 gift card for furnace oil**. Canteen open. For more information contact event coordinator **Jennie** at **902.827.2377**.



Ongoing projects of Chezzetcook District Lions club include the collection of used eyeglasses, hearing aids and CPAP machines. The Guide dogs tally grows each week with the sale of tickets at each bingo.

New members are always welcomed.

Contact **David Crawford** for hall rentals at **902.827.3552** or by cellphone **902.221.7983**

Right-of-Way (ROW) Charge

The municipality is advising residents that the Right-of-Way (ROW) charge (formerly referred to as the "Stormwater Right-of-Way charge") has moved from the Halifax Water bill to the municipal tax bill.

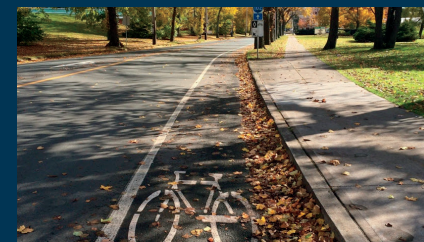
The ROW charge will change from a flat \$40 annual fee that has previously appeared on residents' Halifax Water bills (as either a one-time lump sum or quarterly charge) to a new amount (based on the assessed value of the property) that will appear on their next municipal property tax bill in fall 2023.

The ROW charge is for the maintenance of roads, bridges, trees, lighting, signage and guard rails, as well as for the management of stormwater that comes from the public street right-of-way into Halifax Water's stormwater system. Stormwater is the water from rain, melted snow and ice that runs off from roofs, parking lots, driveways and other hard surfaces. The municipality is responsible for paying Halifax Water for the impact on their stormwater system.

Learn more at halifax.ca/ROW



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Thanksgiving is a time to celebrate the abundance of the fall harvest with family and friends. We come together to give thanks for the many blessings in our lives. Our government continues to work hard to ensure we build an economy that works for everyone.

This holiday is a time for sharing and for giving thanks. Thank you to everyone who donated to a food bank, volunteered at a community kitchen, or contributed to ease the burden of those in need.

I would like to wish everyone the best during Thanksgiving, and a safe and happy Halloween!

All the best,

Darrell



HOPE FOR WILDLIFE

Team Samson had the pleasure of visiting **Hope for Wildlife** for the annual open house that was held on Saturday August 26, 2023, from 12-4 pm.

Despite the rain, it did not keep people away!

If you would like to support this wonderful cause, please visit:

www.hopeforwildlife.net/support?fbclid=IwAR30pTrgNLr-PCENLku7_4wMXhtZMqBZKH2EcnK84g_raL-



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CANADA SUMMER JOBS

This summer, we were able to help secure over \$1.2 million in funding through Canada Summer Jobs to support the creation of 213 summer jobs for youth across Sackville-Preston-Chezzetcook.

Congratulations to all funding recipients!



Former MLA and Warden Lloyd Hines Passes

Former Guysborough-Eastern Shore-Tracadie MLA Lloyd Hines died on September 10 after decades of public service. In a statement, Premier Tim Houston said, "He was a dedicated community leader, public servant and a distinguished Nova Scotian. Guysborough and Nova Scotia are better because of his service."

Hines was born on June 19, 1951, in Neils Harbour, N.S. He began public life in 1982 when he became a School Board Trustee. In 1988, he won a seat as a councillor for the County of Guysborough, and went on to become Warden. He was elected to the Nova Scotia House of Assembly as MLA for Guysborough-Eastern Shore-Tracadie in 2013, and re-elected in 2017. As

MLA, he served as Minister of Natural Resources, Minister of Transportation, and Caucus Chair.

He is survived by his wife of 47 years, Patricia, his four children, three granddaughters, two brothers, and many friends and extended family.



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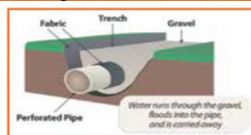


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- have received benefits under the Canada Emergency Response Benefit (CERB)
- have been employed with gross insurable earnings of \$2000 or higher annually, in at least 5 of the last 10 years

The Program:

- Supports new business or an existing one in which you had no prior ownership.
- Provides up to 40 weeks of funding to cover living expenses (78 weeks if you have a disability).
- Requires you to devote at least 35 hours each week to develop and carry out your business plan. You must also show proof of personal financial investment in the business.

CBDC Blue Water is proud to be the coordinator for the Self Employment Benefits Program.

For further information, contact Sheila Spicer, Self Employment Benefits Coordinator, at 902-827-5564 or toll-free at 1-800-565-2773.
Unit 103, 61 Stella Drive
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