

Community Events

January / February

Christmas Tree Disposal Residents are reminded that they can drop off their Christmas Trees behind the Northern Carleton Civic Centre (40 McCain St.) until noon on January 13 for disposal.

Annual Potato Barrel Classic The 24th Annual Potato Barrel Classic takes place from January 2 - 4 place at both the Carleton North High School and Centreville Community School. The long standing tradition of this tournament is a testament to the dedication of the many community volunteers and the generous financial support of our many local businesses. Cheer on both our men's & ladies' teams. Find them on Facebook *Potato Barrel Classic* for scheduling and updates.



Valentine Fundraiser The Rotary Club of Florenceville presents its annual Valentine Fundraiser. The fundraiser will run through the month of January with the Grand Prize drawn on February. 3. Grand Prize is dinner for 4 at Fresh Fine Dining along with a Bouquet of Roses. Secondary prize of a One-Night Stay at any Amsterdam Inn and finally three weekly draws of \$100 will also be given away. Rotarians will be set up in local stores throughout the month. Proceeds from ticket sales go towards funding community service projects. The Rotary appreciates the tremendous support the community gives to this and all their fundraising events.



Snowmobile Demo Day The Aberdeen Snowmobile Club (55) is hosting a Snowmobile Demo Day on Saturday, February 1 from 11am-4pm. The event to be held at the Glassville Community Centre (1429 Route 580). There will be BBQ/Chili, Poker Hand, and Door Prizes!

New Brunswick Federation Snowmobile Clubs (NBFSC) has up to the minute trails conditions at www.nbfsc.com.

Tourism Weekend Permits for February 21,22,23, 2020 now available online .



Manage Conflict in the Workplace Workshop The Town of Florenceville-Bristol will be hosting a *Manage Conflict in the Workplace* on Tuesday, January 14 at the Florenceville Community Hall (8696 Main St.). Deadline to register is January 6. Cost \$40/participant. For complete details www.florencevillebristol.ca.



Ladies Fun Spiel Taking place Saturday, January 11 at the Florenceville Curling Club (22 McCain St.). Cost to register is \$120/Team with lunch and supper provided along with prizes! Only 16 teams being accepted. Registration deadline is January 6. Contact Dawn @ 425-7973 or Brent @ 425-0597 email florencevillecurling@gmail.com.

Junior Fun Spiel Taking place Saturday, January 18 at the Florenceville Curling Club (22 McCain St.). Cost to register is \$60/Team with lunch provided. Maximum of 16 teams being accepted. Registration deadline is January 13. Contact Ralph Holmes ralph_holmes2002@yahoo.ca or phone 392-7032.





SNOW BLAST 2020



Snow Blast Family Fun Day Join us for this one-day Family Fun Day on Saturday, February 8 at Riverside Park along with other locations throughout the town. Offering great events like: the always popular Children's / Adults Cardboard Classic Sled Races, Taffy on the Snow, Adult 45's Card Tournament, Woodsman Water Boil Competition, Mayor's Pancake Breakfast, Kinsmen Family Sliding Party, snowshoeing, skating and so much more! For more information www.florencevillebristol.ca or Facebook. Organizers of Snow Blast thank the many local businesses and community groups for their support. Hope to see there!

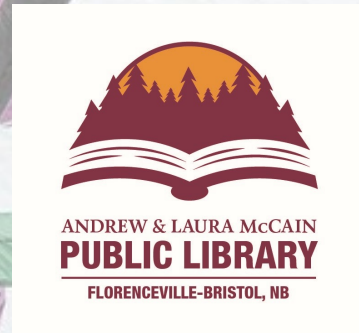
Public Art Opportunity (Call to Artists) The Public Art Committee of Florenceville-Bristol invites professional artists and artist teams to submit their qualifications for consideration in the first of a two-stage process to develop and design a permanent site-specific artwork in celebration of the 125th Anniversary of Marich House in Florenceville-Bristol, NB on June 13, 2020. Full details can be found at mccainartgallery.com/?tribe_events=public-art-opportunity-call-for-artists.



Upcoming Exhibition The gallery's first exhibition of 2020 will feature Amanda Balestreri from February 8 - March 14. Ms. Balestreri will be at the gallery on March 14 from 2-4pm to discuss her work. All are welcome!

Book Sale The Andrew & Laura McCain Library will be hosting our annual book sale January 22-25. All sales are by donation, proceeds towards new materials & programming for the library. This is our only scheduled fundraiser for 2020!

Resume Workshop On Wednesday, January 29 from 2-3pm, the Andrew & Laura McCain Library will have representatives from the Career Information Centre and CVCVB Employment Assistance Services present a free Resume and Job Search workshop. Please call the library to register 392-5294.



Family Literacy Day The Library will be celebrating FLD throughout the day on Saturday, January 25. Follow us on Facebook for or visit our website for more information.

Outdoor Skating Rink The Town's Recreation Department will be working to have an outdoor skating rink on the field behind the gazebo at Riverside Park (9179 Main St.). The plan is for it to be completed sometime over the holidays (weather permitting) and be open to the public 8am-10pm daily.

Please Note: regarding the Northern Carleton Civic Centre, all ice activities are cancelled indefinitely due to refrigeration system malfunctions. Up-to-date information of the repairs and possible re-opening date will be posted on their Facebook page www.facebook.com/florencevillebristolrecreation/.

Other Events & things to remember...

Groundhog Day - Sunday, February 2

Flag Day - Saturday, February 15

Family Day - Saturday, February 17

