

Municipal Minute June 2023



The Municipal Minute is a publication dedicated to providing residents with important information to highlight significant developments and other noteworthy items from the Placentia Council Chamber. The Municipal Minute is published following each Council meeting.

Announcements

Congratulations to Corporal Rob Ryan and Constable Tim Smith who both received the CO's Commendation for Bravery medal at the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in Newfoundland and Labrador "B" Division Exemplary Service Medal Ceremony. This year, the RCMP is celebrating its 150th Anniversary with 73 years of service in NL.

Congratulations to Ethan Fitzpatrick and Blizzard Hockey U14 AA team who took home the silver medal against the top U14AA in Florida.

Congratulations to the Placentia Lions Special Olympics team that participated in the Provincial Track and Field championships in Mount Pearl. This area was well represented with many participants taking home medals. Well done athletes, coaches, and volunteers.

There have been recent black bear sightings at the end of Southeast and on the dirt road. Please be cautious when walking or driving in that area.

The Voices of Placentia Bay Exhibit

Located next to the Placentia Arts Centre, this highly interactive, multimedia exhibition celebrates the singers and players, the storytellers and poets of the region. It is based on the work of the people who recorded and preserved these cultural treasures — leaving us with one of the best examples of Intangible Cultural Heritage in the province and a tradition that both inspires and underpins contemporary music.

In a space that is bright, lively and welcoming, visitors will get to know the people of Placentia Bay as their voices echo through the ages.



Recreation Upgrades

Please note, we are currently upgrading the sand at the Willard Hatfield Memorial Ball Park (Placentia Field). We ask the public to please refrain from using this area until all upgrades are complete.



There is a new piece of playground equipment being installed in the Coal Yard Playground (Jerseyside). We would like to remind residents that this is closed for construction. Thank you for your patience while installation of our new equipment is taking place.

Laval High School Class of 2023

Congratulations to the Laval High School graduating class of 2023. This is an amazing accomplishment. We wish you good luck, and all the best with your future endeavors.



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Things to Do

July 12th-31st - Placentia Theatre presents Uprooted and Battle for Terre Neuve. Check out placentiatheatre.com for more details.

July 13th 2023 - Information Session
STEMforGirls

11:00am and 1:00pm CNA Placentia Campus

July 14th-16th 2023 - Freshwater Days! There will be live music, crib tournament, goods bingo and more. Fireworks show is on Friday, July 14th.

July 21st 2023 - Opening Ceremonies for the 60th Annual Placentia Regatta. Hot Dogs, music and fireworks at dusk!

July 22nd 2023 - 60th running of the annual Placentia Regatta. Races, games and concessions are happening dockside.

July 22nd 2023 - Regatta Night Dance at the Star of the Sea Hall featuring Tangled Roots.

Voices of Placentia Bay Festival Weekend

Join us August 4th-6th 2023 to celebrate music, food and culture. There will be a Kitchen Party, Concert in the Square and a Youth Festival! Our headliners this year are Rum Ragged!

