

# Municipal Minute July 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 Brooke Lannon, Captain of Team Canada who took home gold from the U21 Junior World Championships for ball hockey in Liberec, Czechia. Brooke, you have made Placentia very proud! Way to go Team Canada!



Congratulations to Earle Hall, formally of Placentia, who is president and CEO of AXES.ai and has been named one of the 25 People to Watch in 2023 by Global Gaming Business.

Congratulations to the male & female Placentia Lions that took part in the Constable William Moss Memorial Softball Tournament in St. John's. All the male Placentia Lions teams - U11, U13, & U15 took home silver medals.

Congratulations to the U13 Placentia Lions who won silver at the Provincial Fast Pitch Tournament this past weekend on home turf.



## Breakwater Farm and Market

Congratulations to everyone that was involved in putting off another successful Breakwater Farm and Market this past Sunday in Freshwater.



## 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.



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## Placentia Regatta

Great job to all our locals crews who rowed in the 60th running of the Placentia Regatta!

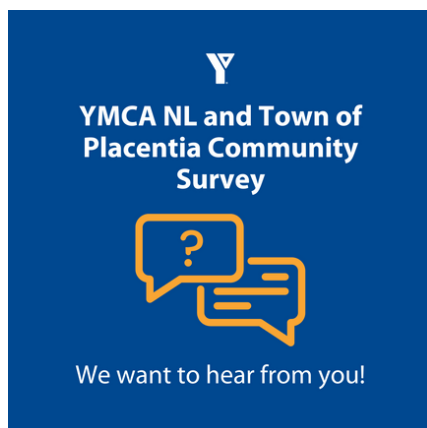
Fantastic community spirit was displayed in the competition between Placentia Fire Department, Placentia Rowing Club and Town of Placentia!! Hats off to all who participated! Congratulations to Placentia Fire Department on their competitive win!



## YMCA Community Survey

In 2016, the Town of Placentia and the YMCA of Newfoundland and Labrador conducted a survey, the results of which were helpful in the planning for the new Placentia Wellness Centre now under construction. We are now at the business and program planning stage. Please complete this 2023 survey to help us with additional guidance for operational plans.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/VGVKH6H>



## Things to Do

**August 4th** Voices of Placentia Bay Kitchen Party featuring "Switch" 10:00pm-1:00am

**August 5th** Voices of Placentia Bay Festival in the Square featuring locals musicians and our headliner "Rum Ragged". Dance to follow at the Star of the Sea Hall featuring "East Point Music"

**August 6th** Youth Music Festival at Castle Hill National Historic Site from 2:00pm-4:00pm.

**August 12th** Placentia Area Historical Society Annual Tea Party! 2:00pm at O'Reilly House Garden.

**August 15th** Monthly Council Meeting 7:00pm

**August 20th** Breakwater Farm and Market followed by a Kitchen Party featuring music by Fergus O'Byrne and Jim Payne.

## Voices of Placentia Bay Festival Weekend

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**Friday, August 4th 2023**  
**KITCHEN PARTY**  
La Fontaine Club - The Switch 10:00pm  
**Free Admission**

**Saturday, August 5th 2023**  
**FESTIVAL IN THE SQUARE**  
Ed Smith/Yvonne Milley/Brendan Smith/  
Braedan Mulrooney/Lucas White/  
Andy Skiffington/The Laces/What Odds/East Point

**RUM RAGGED**

**19+ Star of the Sea Beer Tent**  
**Food Vendors KidZONE**  
**\$10.00 Gate Admission U12 Free**  
**Dance to follow at Star of the Sea Hall!**

**Sunday, August 6th 2023**  
**YOUTH MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
Castle Hill National Historic Site of Canada  
2:00pm-4:00pm  
**Free Admission**