



**Halloween
in the
Park
October 31st**

October 2026

****Office closed October 12th, 2026
for the Thanksgiving Holiday****



**October 6th - Garbage & Recycle
October 13th - Garbage
October 20th - Garbage & Recycle
October 27th - Garbage**



MONTHLY MEETINGS

THE NEXT REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE RURAL COMMUNITY OF UPPER MIRAMICHI
WILL TAKE PLACE ON OCTOBER 26TH AT 7PM
IN THE COMMUNITY ROOM AT THE UPPER MIRAMICHI COMMUNITY CENTER
DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF AGENDA ITEMS TO THE CLERK FOR THIS MEETING IS OCTOBER 22ND BY 3PM

LANDMARK LODGE #51 F & AM
NORMANDY BRANCH #78 LEGION
NORMANDY BRANCH #78 LADIES AUXILIARY
UPPER MIRAMICHI LIONS CLUB

3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
2ND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH
3RD TUESDAY OF THE MONTH
1ST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH



Message from the Mayor

Summer is behind us, School is back in and the Moose season is over. On behalf of myself, Council and Staff we hope that everyone had a great summer and are looking forward to a beautiful Fall season.

October and early November will give us some nice weather and beautiful colors. Peak colors are typically the first week of October. Take the time to look around, it's a beautiful time of the year.

So far everything is going great in the community. Myself and the new Council, along with Staff are working well together. We are working at finishing up a few left over items, as well as working on the budget. Our two summer students are done now, I would like to thank them for their work and for being conscientious, hard working employees.

I have a request of the community. We would like to form a Tourism committee. It will consist of Councillor Joe Hunter, Chair of Tourism, two members of the Tourism industry namely Kate Hall - Owner of Ponds Resort and Dan Rooney - Executive Director of the Woodmens Museum, there is a need for two volunteers from the community to join the team. The goal is to come up with ways to increase our Tourism numbers. The advantage of a group is that it will bring different views and opinions and tends to lead to new innovative ideas.

Please call the office, if you would be willing to serve on this committee.

506-369-9810

Thank You - Mayor Frank McKeil

Rural Community of Upper Miramichi Contact Information

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Office : 506-369-9810

Clerk - Mary Hunter - 506-365-0160 email: mhunter@uppermiramichi.ca

Asst Clerk - Margie McKay-Lyons - 506-470-8185 email: mlyons@uppermiramichi.ca

Maintenance/Park- Darcy Beek - 506-449-9322 email: dbeck@uppermiramichi.ca

Please note new email to be used for ONN ads only

onn@uppermiramichi.ca

If this email is not used your ad may be missed.

Council

Mayor Frank McKeil - 506-447-1305 email: mayor@uppermiramichi.ca

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Ward 2 - Deputy Mayor Grant Ross - 506-260-4822 email: gross@uppermiramichi.ca

Ward 3 - Councillor Nolan Astle 587-338-3465 email: nastle@uppermiramichi.ca

Ward 4 - Councillor Joe Hunter - 506-260-2860 email: jhunter@uppermiramichi.ca

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Doaktown Arena**

**Councillor Joe Hunter
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Planning & Development**

**Councillor Grant Ross
Parks & Recreation
Library Board
Fire Department**

**Councillor Nolan Astle
Economic Development
Transportation
Liaison with Village of Doaktown**

**Co Chairs
Tourism
Mayor Frank McKeil & Councillor Joe Hunter**

**Community Housing Development
Mayor Frank McKeil & Councillor Grant Ross**

**Health Committee
Mayor Frank McKeil & Councillor Wendy Wellwood**

Notes for the Building Process

You must have septic approval before you can be issued a building permit – permits will not be issued until the certificate of approval is provided.

Next you will meet with the Development Officer to fill out the application to build

**You will need to pay for the permit before it is given to you
You can pay by check, cash or etranfer**

You should meet with the Development Officer to gather the information needed before you start to build. By doing these steps it could prevent delays in the paperwork and building process.



**Contact Nolan Astle Development Officer
1-587-338-3465
email: rcumplanning@gmail.com**



Joe's Garbage Pick-Up Ltd
506-622-8021

FOLLOW

Joe's Garbage Pick-Up Ltd. On Facebook for updated to your collection schedule.

Metal items will be picked up twice a year Spring and Fall
(Advertisement will take place in the Over North News
at the beginning of each month it takes place)

Examples: fridge, freezer, hot water tank, bed rails, washer, dryer, bbq, dishwasher, treadmill, air conditioner, etc...

Every Garbage Day you are allowed:

6-7 bags of garbage

One large item

Examples: couch, chair, rug, mattress, box spring, tv, microwave, dresser, etc

Windows are accepted if you have a large window or patio door glass should be removed and packaged separately. Examples boxed or in a pail.

We don't accept: Sand, gravel, rocks, bricks, manure, dead animals, car or snowmobile parts, propane tanks, trees, lumber, oil, construction materials, hazardous waste, human waste, dog waste, tires or items heavier than 50lbs.

All items should be bagged, boxed or tied!

All items roadside 6am on your regular day.

Recycleables can be placed in clear blue recycling bags
and put roadside on recycle collection day!



Gatherings at the Park

We would like to remind park/splashpad users of some of the rules of the park.

Yes, you can have a Birthday Party/gathering at the Park!
Please call us at the office 506-369-9810, to let us know when you will be there for the purpose of event planning.

The park will remain open to the public.

Some rules that apply when using the park:

- ~ No smoking/vaping anywhere in the park
- ~ There is absolutely no food or drink allowed in the Splashpad Area
(including the grassed area around the splashpad)
- ~ Any garbage from parties/gatherings must be taken with you when you leave.
- ~ No dogs or other animals allowed in the splashpad area
(including grassed area) or in the playground areas
Dogs must be on a leash when in the park in the allowed areas and you must clean up after your pet.
- ~ No climbing on the splashpad features

These rules and any other posted at the park are necessary to ensure the safety of all people who wish to use the park.
As well as to make it an enjoyable experience for all

Please be considerate of others.



Thank You
Council & Staff of Upper Miramichi



Recycle your batteries at RCUM



Did you know that there is recycle drop off for your household batteries at the RCUM Office during business hours

8:30 - 4:30
closed for lunch 12-1

Sealable bags are available for putting your batteries in - just ask us and we can show you how to prepare and deposit in the recycle box

Halloween in the Park Saturday - October 31st

Starts at 6:00 pm ends when treats are gone or people no longer coming.



To reserve a spot in the park for your group of people to pass out treats please call the office at 506-369-9810.

We will not be accepting donations for this event and will need at least 10 spots reserved to move ahead with the event.

RECYCLING INFORMATION



Porters Bottle Exchange
1 Nelson Hollow Drive
506-365-7326



Redemption Center
(return for refunds accepted)



Hours as follows:
8 am - 4 pm
Monday & Tuesday
Thursday & Friday
Lunch 11:30 - 12:00 (closed)

Closed on Wednesday & Sunday

Closed Monday October 12th - for Thanksgiving



****New hours for Saturday**
Saturday 8 am - 12 noon



Now accepting Electronics
(no fridges, stoves, freezers,
air conditioners or dehumidifiers)

Phamplets outliling items that can be accepted are
available at the shop.

If you have any questions please contact us at the
phone number listed above.



Glass bottles are being accepted
for recycling purposes all other recycling must go to
your recycle bin, any recyclable items other than
glass will be returned to the customers!
Bottles must be rinsed clean and covers removed

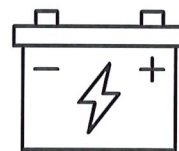
Left over paint can be
returned to



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506-365-4667



Accepts Used Oil, Oil Filters,
Antifreeze, Batteries, Tires
and Scrap Metals for
Recycling

Used tires can be taken to any garage or
store that sells tires. There is not any
charge to drop them off, however due to
limited storage space, there is a drop off
limit of five (5) tires. Anyone with a large
number of tires should contact :

Recycle NB



www.recyclenb.com

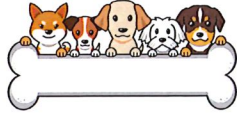
1-888-322-8473

**You CAN recycle milk cartons, and plastic
containers with the numbers :**

**1,2,4,5 and 7
on them.**

Please rinse them first!



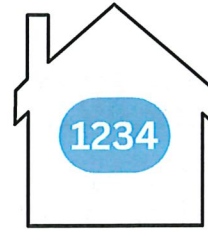


All dogs big or small, don't forget to tag them all! Tags can be purchased at the Rural Community Office.

\$10. Males and Spayed Females
\$20. Un-spayed Females

You MUST show your proof of Rabies Vaccination before you can purchase your tags.

Tags are a one time thing. If you lose your tag, you can purchase a replacement for a small fee of \$3. Your dog must be kept in your control at all times and must remain on your property unless leashed and in your control.



**Residents of Upper Miramichi
can purchase a civic number at the
RCUM Office.**

**It is important to have your number
posted in front of your home in a clearly
visible place.**

**This Number is used by ambulances, fire
and police in case of emergency at your
home.**

\$15. per sign

**It could be the difference in time that is
needed to save a life!**

DID YOU KNOW...

Life line is available in our area!



Anyone interested in acquiring this service for themselves or a loved one, can call the following number to get the information they need!

**Lifeline
1-800-387-8120
Monday - Friday**



**Hours for the
Boiestown Health Clinic
506-369-2700**

**Monday 8 - 7
Tuesday 8 - 4
Wednesday 8-4
Thursday 8 - 4
Friday 8 - 12:30**



ONN AD PRICES

1/4 page : \$15.00

1/3 page : \$20.00

1/2 page : \$25.00

Full page : \$30.00

Entries for the over north news are due
no later than the 15th of each month.

Please submit your ad by this date to ensure it is in
the next edition of the ONN.

When submitting, please have your ad in a JPEG
format to ensure it is entered exactly how you
would like it.

Ads **must** be forwarded to:
onn@uppermiramichi.ca
or drop them off at the RCUM office.

Send Etransfers to: **transfers@uppermiramichi.ca**

We are now able to take
e-transfer payments for services at the
RCUM Office.



Over North News Ads, Dog Tags, Civic
Numbers, Etc.

just send the payment to:
transfers@uppermiramichi.ca

An Early Reminder and Application Form



November 11, 2026 Service

To order:

**a Wreath (\$50), Cross (\$45), make a Memorial donation, or a donation to the Building Fund,
please include the following information so receipts can be generated.**

NAME _____.

ADDRESS _____ **Postal Code** _____

E-mail address (to receive your receipt). _____

Phone #/Cell #. _____

Cross or Wreath _____

IMO (In Memory of) _____

Laid by _____.

Terms: Cash, Cheque (Made out to Normandy Branch #78 or e-transfer to

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Would appreciate information by November 9, 2026 so info can be typed/printed

Thanks

Judy Ross

Poppy Chair

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Friends,

Some news to share, October 14th will be Upper Miramichi Community Meals' 3rd Birthday and our Farewell.

On Wednesday October 14th, we're celebrating something wonderful: three whole years of this community meal — our scrappy monthly gathering. Three years of showing up, pulling chairs closer, saving a seat for a friend, visiting neighbours with piping hot tea and cookies. Three years of this! What a gift.

But, to add more emotions to the day, we're also saying goodbye to the Upper Miramichi Community Meals program.

To everyone who has been part of this: thank you for every shared table where you met someone new, every moment you made this place feel like the warm kitchen of a friend who always has room for one more. We built something gentle and kind here.

I also want to share a special thank you to our incredible volunteers. Your endless hours of work and the care you have poured into this program have been the true heart of this initiative. We simply could not have done this without you.

We will keep these memories with us - the meals, the laughter, the small kindnesses that added up to something big. That doesn't end just because the program does.

Take good care of yourselves and each other,

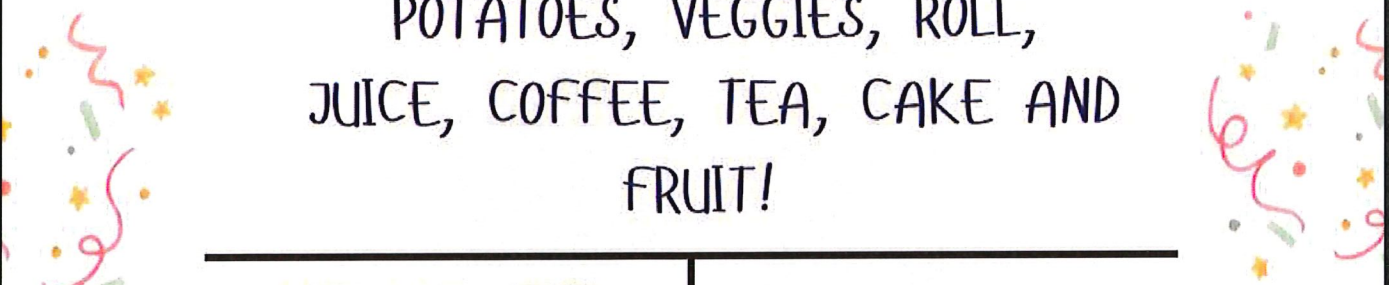
With love and gratitude,

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FAREWELL**

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**14TH OCTOBER
2026**

4:30 PM TO 6 PM

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BOIESTOWN NB
ADULTS: \$5
KIDS: \$2

RSVP BY FRIDAY OCTOBER 9TH
CALL THE UPPER MIRAMICHI LIONS CLUB AT
506-369-7435 TO RSVP.



GATEWAY OF HOPE ASSEMBLY

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*Come worship
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Sunday Morning Worship @ 10:30 am
(Sunday School for Children downstairs)

GOHA Youth Sundays @ 6:00 pm

BYB (Bring Your Bible) Mondays @ 7:00 pm

Wellness Wednesday @ 7:00 pm



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All Welcome



Featuring Local Singers

October 24 • 7:00 PM

"Join us for a cozy night of heartfelt music
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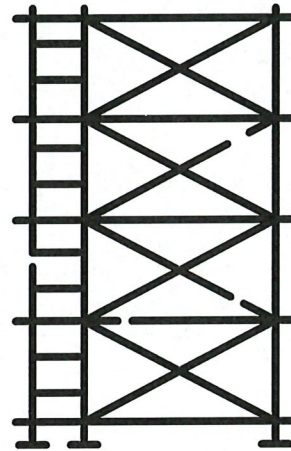
**McNamee Recreation Center
is hosting a Halloween
spooktacular market
on Oct. 31 from 10 until 2.**

**There will be baking ,arts ,and crafts
for sale, and demonstrations , a best
costume contest and other fun
activities.**

**Entry is by donation.
Tables are available for \$10.00 please
contact Leslie at
lglewington@hotmail.com to reserve.**

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Closing the end of October**



RCMP

**Safer Communities and Neighbourhoods
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Men's haircut: \$15

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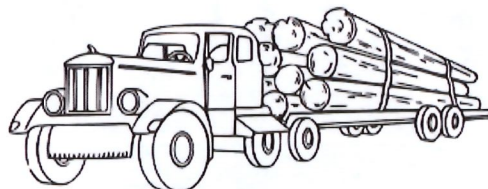


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UPPER MIRAMICHI COMMUNITY SCHOOL LIBRARY

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E9C 2A7

Phone: (506) 365-2096

Email: BiblioUpperMiramichiLib@gnb.ca



HOURS OF OPERATION:

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday:
9:00am - 11:30am & 12:30pm - 4:30pm
Tuesday: 12:30pm - 4:30pm & 5:30pm -
8:00pm

CLOSED:

Monday, October 12th
Thanksgiving



HERE IS WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE LIBRARY

Knitting Club - Every Tuesday at 5:30pm

Everyone welcome! Join us for a fun evening of knitting/crocheting and conversation.

Woodgreen Book Club - Wednesday, Oct. 7th at 7pm

Meet at the Rural Community of Upper Miramichi municipal building

Rings a Bell - Wednesday, Oct. 7th at 9:30am

All are welcome! Keep your mind sharp and your tummy full with brain games and light snacks!

Morning Social - Wednesday, Oct. 28th at 9:30am

MUST REGISTER at the library to join us for a morning filled with laughter, games, and refreshments!

Chess Club - Every Thursday at 3pm

Everyone welcome! Strengthen your chess playing abilities for a fun afternoon.

Cards/Games in the Library - Every Friday at 2pm

Head to the library for an afternoon of games, cards and lots of fun! Everyone is welcome.



WE WOULD LIKE TO
GIVE THANKS TO
ALL OF OUR
SPECTACULAR
PATRONS!

DON'T FORGET
TO BRING
YOUR LIBRARY
CARD TO
EVERY VISIT!



HAPPY
HALLOWEEN

HAVE A SAFE
AND FUN-FILLED
HALLOWEEN!





United Church Schedule

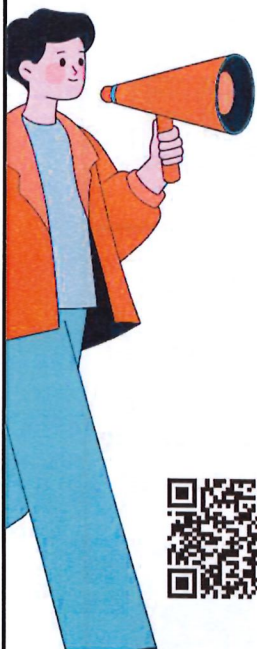
Oct 4th, 11am - St Thomas with fellowship
for World Communion Sunday

Oct 11th, 11 am - Boiestown United with Communion

Oct 12th, noon - Thanksgiving Potluck at St Thomas Hall

Oct 18th, 11 am - St Thomas United

Oct 25th, 11 am - Boiestown United



fb.com/StPhilsDropIn

ST PHIL'S DROP-IN TUES-THURS 2-4 ALL AGES!

- WIFI on Site
- Tutoring and Homework Support
- Christian Themed Role-Playing Game on Thursdays!



Playgroup for children 5-12.
with a parent or guardian.
(It's a drop in, not a drop off.)

Cribbage and cards at 1pm

Organized activities on
Wednesdays!

Homeschooler's welcome!



VARIETY SHOW

**Last Sunday of
each month
6-8 pm**

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CENTRAL NB SELF HELP Newsletter

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CHRISTMAS BINGO



We are having
a Christmas
Bingo
Fundraiser

Date: Nov. 7th,
2026,

Time: 7pm.

Location: Our
Lady of the
Annunciation
Church

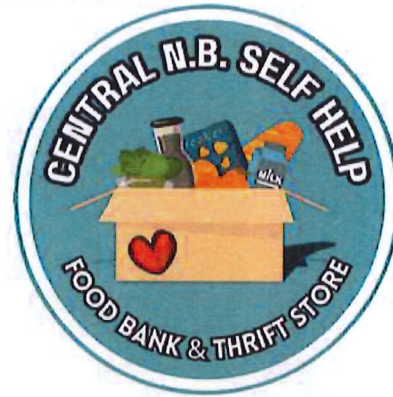
**BRING
YOUR
OWN
DAUBERS**



FOOD BANK NEWS

We have handed out
784 regular monthly
and emergency
boxes since January
1st, 2026

We are helping an average of
87 families a month that live in the
areas from McGivney to Blissfield.
The need is only growing in these
expensive time of life! We appreciate
our communities' help in providing
help to those who need it! Donations
are always welcome!



THE REMAINING BOX DATES

October 22nd

November 19th

December 17th

Please call or facebook message Central NB
Self Help page.

Address: 7a Miramichi Street, Doaktown
Phone number: (506) 365 4374



TOP FIRE PREVENTION TIPS

for a Safe Rural Community

PREPARE TODAY. PROTECT TOMORROW.



HOME SAFETY



1 Install smoke alarms on every level and outside sleeping areas.



2 Test smoke alarms monthly and replace batteries yearly.



3 Have a home escape plan and practice it twice a year.



4 Keep fire extinguishers in kitchens, garages, and workshops.



5 Never leave cooking unattended, especially frying.



WOOD STOVE & CHIMNEY SAFETY



6 Have chimneys inspected and cleaned annually.



7 Keep combustibles at least 3 feet from wood stoves.



8 Store ashes in a metal container outside and away from buildings.



9 Burn only dry, seasoned wood.



WILDFIRE & GRASS FIRE PREVENTION



10 Clear dead grass, brush, and leaves around homes and outbuildings.



11 Keep a defensible space of at least 10 metres around structures.



12 Avoid burning on windy days.



13 Fully extinguish campfires with water, then stir and soak again.



14 Keep spark arrestors on ATVs and equipment where required.



ELECTRICAL SAFETY



15 Replace damaged extension cords.



16 Avoid overloading outlets and power bars.



17 Have older wiring inspected by a qualified electrician.



18 Unplug space heaters when not in use.



FARM & EQUIPMENT SAFETY



19 Clean hay, dust, and debris from machinery regularly.



20 Carry a fire extinguisher in tractors, combines, and workshops.



21 Store fuel in approved containers away from ignition sources.



22 Allow equipment to cool before storing it in barns or sheds.



COMMUNITY PREPAREDNESS



23 Ensure house numbers are clearly visible from the road.



24 Keep driveways accessible for emergency vehicles.



25 Know the location of local water sources, ponds, and dry hydrants.



26 Encourage residents to report controlled burns to local authorities when required.



27 Create a community phone tree or social media group for fire alerts.



FOR RURAL PET & LIVESTOCK OWNERS



28 Have halters, leashes, and carriers readily available.



29 Keep trailers maintained and fueled.



30 Develop an evacuation plan for animals before an emergency occurs.



Remember:

- ✓ Be aware. Be prepared.
- ✓ Small actions prevent big fires.
- ✓ Together, we can keep our community safe.

PREVENT THE SPARK.
PROTECT WHAT MATTERS.



IN CASE OF FIRE
CALL 911

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR LOCAL UPPER MIRAMICHI FIRE DEPARTMENT



CENTRAL NB WOODMEN'S MUSEUM ANNUAL

Christmas Craft Market

6342 Route 8 Boiestown NB
NOV 7, 2026 | 10AM - 2PM

Come discover what our amazing vendors have to offer!
There's sure to be something for everyone on you Christmas list.

FREE ADMISSION

Be sure to stop by the Woodmen's Cafe for
delicious fresh baked treats and drinks.

The Cafe will also be offering various lunch options.

For more info call (506) 369-7214 or
email info@woodmensmuseum.com



Garbage Schedule for 2026

January 6th - Garbage
January 13th - Garbage & Recycle
January 20th - Garbage
January 27th - Garbage & Recycle

July 7th - Garbage
July 14th - Garbage & Recycle
July 21st - Garbage
July 28th - Garbage & Recycle

February 3rd - Garbage
February 10th - Garbage & Recycle
February 17th - Garbage
February 24th - Garbage & Recycle

August 4th - Garbage
August 11th - Garbage & Recycle
August 18th - Garbage
August 25th - Garbage & Recycle

March 3rd - Garbage
March 10th - Garbage & Recycle
March 17th - Garbage
March 24th - Garbage & Recycle
March 31st - Garbage

September 1st - Garbage
September 8th - Garbage & Recycle
September 15th - Garbage
September 22nd - Garbage & Recycle
September 29th - Garbage

April 7th - Garbage & Recycle
April 14th - Garbage
April 21st - Garbage & Recycle
April 28th - Garbage

October 6th - Garbage & Recycle
October 13th - Garbage
October 20th - Garbage & Recycle
October 27th - Garbage

May 5th - Garbage & Recycle
May 12th - Garbage
May 19th - Garbage & Recycle
May 26th - Garbage

November 3rd - Garbage & Recycle
November 10th - Garbage
November 17th - Garbage & Recycle
November 24th - Garbage

June 2nd - Garbage & Recycle
June 9th - Garbage
June 16th - Garbage & Recycle
June 23rd - Garbage
June 30rd - Garbage & Recycle

December 1st - Garbage & Recycle
December 8th - Garbage
December 15th - Garbage & Recycle
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HUNGRY YET?

NEW

THE SMASHBURGER



PONDS RESTAURANT

Smashed fresh. Available now at Ponds.

HOURS

MON & TUE	CLOSED
WED & THU	4-8 PM
FRI	4-9 PM
SAT	9 AM-9 PM
SUN	9 AM-7 PM



506 369 2228

123 Porter Cove Rd Porter Cove NB



Virtual Care NB

Virtual Care NB can provide virtual consultations for common illnesses, injuries, infections or general health concerns.

How can I access Virtual Care NB?

Call Tele-Care 811 and speak to a registered nurse. They can:

- assess your symptoms
- determine the best care option
- connect you to the appropriate services, including booking a Virtual Care NB appointment, if recommended

Scheduled appointments with Virtual Care NB can be booked on the same day or the next day. **You can participate in the appointment using a telephone, cell phone, computer or tablet. Video, telephone and chat consultation options are available.**

No account or specific mobile app is required to access Virtual Care NB.

Before your Virtual Care NB appointment, you must have:

- have been assessed by a Tele-Care nurse
- have valid New Brunswick Medicare card
- be physically located in New Brunswick at the time of the appointment
- be 16 years of age or older (if you are less than 16 years of age, an adult must book your appointment and be present during the virtual consultation with the practitioner)

If a nurse practitioner reviews your appointment details and determines your health concern would be better addressed through another type of care, you will be notified and provided with information on the appropriate next steps.

Appointments for children and dependents (i.e. a guardian)

You can complete a Tele-Care 811 assessment and book a Virtual Care NB appointment on behalf of a child or dependent. However, during the

appointment, you and the individual for whom the consult is intended will both need to be present.

When booking an appointment for someone else, you will give the patient's information (name, DOB, Medicare number)

Services

Virtual Care NB is a bilingual service for anyone with a **valid New Brunswick Medicare card**. **We are unable to accommodate consultations without a valid Government of New Brunswick Medicare card.**

Other virtual care services and providers do exist but are not covered by Medicare and are at the expense of the patient.

Virtual Care NB can assess and treat many common illnesses, injuries, infections or general health concerns, including:

- flu-like symptoms such as fever, chills, body ache and fatigue
- sore throat
- eye infection
- bladder infection
- testing for sexually transmitted infections
- lower back pain from lifting or twisting
- other non-emergency health concerns

The Virtual Care NB provider may request tests to ensure your treatment is appropriate. They may order tests such as:

- blood work
- urine and stool tests
- **New prescriptions**
- The Virtual Care NB service can prescribe medications based on the diagnosis during your consultation or lab results.
- During your consultation, if a prescription is required, the provider will send your prescription to the pharmacy of your choice. You will need to contact the pharmacy to ensure the prescription has been received and is ready for pick up.
- **Prescription renewals**
- Virtual Care NB providers are able to provide prescription renewals for New Brunswickers without a primary care provider, or those who have a primary care provider but are unable to access them in a timely

manner. To book an appointment for a prescription renewal call Tele-Care 811.

- Pharmacists are also able to renew many prescriptions and can help New Brunswickers with this need.
- **Laboratory testing**
- Virtual Care NB providers can order routine laboratory work for New Brunswickers without a primary care provider.

Follow ups for laboratory testing ordered by Virtual Care NB

Individuals who require a follow-up from a previous Virtual Care NB appointment can call Tele-Care 811.

When in-person care or care by another provider may be needed

The Virtual Care NB service cannot address:

- chest pain
- abdominal pain
- sick notes after an illness or without treatment
- medical or insurance forms
- counselling for mental health and addictions
- health concerns that require an in-person physical assessment, including possible fractures

If the Virtual Care NB provider determines that you would be best supported through an in-person assessment, or that they cannot help you with your request, they will direct you to the appropriate health-care service.



Are you without a family provider and need access to care?

Access Clinics will be held for Rural Community of Upper Miramichi/Doaktown area residents who do not have a family doctor/NP and are needing a provider appointment.

When: Every Monday, starting September 14th, 2026, through to May 31st, 2027 (excludes holidays)

Where: Boiestown Health Centre

How to get appointment: Call 506-369-2728 on day of access clinic to try for an appointment that day. Phone will turn on at 8:15am.

Please limit your issue to one per visit.

These appointments are not for emergencies (call 9-1-1 or go to ER for those).

Please note these are same day appointments. This phone will only be answered on days of Access Clinics (Mondays) and will be shut off once appointments are full for the day.



EcoDiversión



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Recycle Your Burnt-Out Light Bulbs **for Free!**

The program is open to everyone, including homeowners, businesses, institutions, and industrial users.

What we accept:

We accept all types of household and commercial lamps, including:

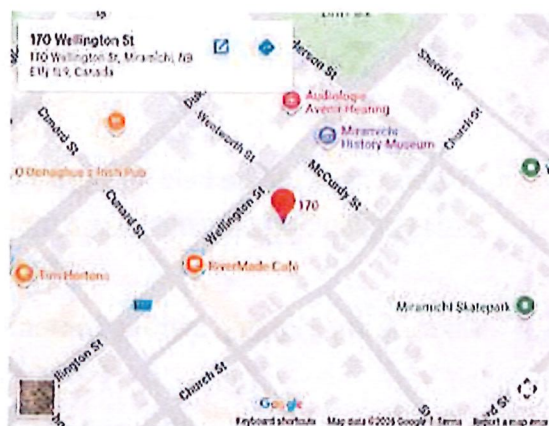
- Fluorescent tubes (straight, curved, and circular)
- Compact fluorescent lamps (CFLs)
- LED bulbs
- Halogen and incandescent bulbs
- High intensity discharge (HID) lamps
- UV and germicidal lamps



Drop Off Location

170 Wellington Street, Miramichi NB

For large quantities of bulbs, such as fluorescent tubes, please contact EcoDiversión at 506-778-2278 to arrange drop-off in advance.



Have Questions? Get in Touch

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The Greater Miramichi Calendar

Your community. All in one place.

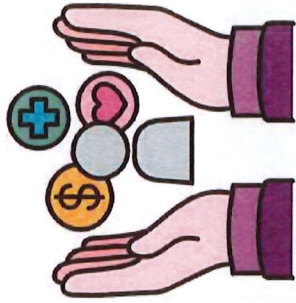
Big events, small gatherings, it's all here. Share what you're planning, and reach **every corner** of the Greater Miramichi region.



Scan the QR code to access the calendar.
Browse events or add your own!

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One calendar. Every community.



SOCIAL WORK SERVICES

We are happy to announce that Social Work services are available in the Boiestown & Doaktown area!

Social work services are by self-referral and no formal intake process is required. To book an appointment please call the following numbers:

- BOIESTOWN HEALTH CENTRE (506) 369-2700
- CENTRAL MIRAMICHI COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE (506) 365-6100



Available supports include:

- Short-term counselling
- Cancer Support & Caregiver burnout groups (currently offered in Doaktown)
- Advocacy and support
- Information about community resources
- Help navigating services and systems

Social Worker's can help support you with:

- Income and financial concerns
- Education
- Family and social relationships
- Employment
- Community involvement and support
- Home support services
- Health habits, lifestyle choices & mental health
- Food insecurity
- Transportation needs