

# *The Town of Whitbourne*

## Spring Newsletter 2017

### **Town Garbage Collection**

For future reference to our residents, our Outside Worker's would like you to respect the following guidelines when disposing of garbage:

- ✓ No small bags – e.g. shopping bags. Use regular sized garbage bags.
- ✓ Garbage shall weight no more than approximately 50 lbs.
- ✓ Bulk Garbage will start the last garbage day of May 2017 and continue on until October.
- ✓ Every resident **MUST** have a garbage box.

### **Municipal Capital works Funding**

The town has applied for Municipal Capital works funding cost-shared 90/10 for Brigus road waterline upgrades. The residents will be notified if the town receives approval and project starts dates.

### **Fire Department**

The town council would like to send out a thank you to all our fire department members for all their training hours and dedication, also a big congratulations to our Fire Chief Mr. Jamie Budden on receiving a life saving award from St. John's Ambulance, which will be presented to him on May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017 by his Honour the Lieutenant Governor of NL.

### **Firemen's 44th Annual Ball**

The ball will be held on Saturday, June 10, 2017 at the Whitbourne Lion's Club. There will be a steak supper and adult dance to follow. Tickets are \$15.00 each. Contact any member to purchase a ticket.



### **Whitbourne Firettes**

The Whitbourne Firettes would like to remind community members that "chase the ace" is held at the Whitbourne Lions club every Wednesday night at 7pm. Please come out and show your support!

### **Contact information update**

To all residents and property owners of Whitbourne.

When changing mailing addresses, phones numbers, etc. Would you kindly inform the town office of the changes!

### **Town contact Information**

Whitbourne Town Council  
35 Station Road  
P.O. Box 119  
Whitbourne, NL  
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Telephone: (709) 759-2780

Fax: (709) 759-2016

Email: [whit.towncouncil@eastlink.ca](mailto:whit.towncouncil@eastlink.ca)

Website: [www.whitbournenl.com](http://www.whitbournenl.com)

Monday-Friday: 8:30am – 4:30pm

### **Payment options**

You may pay your taxes by **cash, cheque, debit, credit (VISA only),** or **online banking** through Scotia bank and TD Canada trust (Select "**Whitbourne Town taxes**") as the payee) and we do accept payments via telephone.

**In-case of an Emergency "ONLY" contact any Outside Worker after hours:**

Jason Hutchings ..... (709) 685-7481

Bradley George ..... (709) 728-6244

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### **Local Athletes Shine!**

Spring has arrived and with that the end of Minor Hockey in our areas. Congratulations to all our boys and girls and their coaches in all divisions for a great season and to all those who brought home medals from their All Newfoundland Provincial Tournaments.

Congratulations to the members of the Crescent Collegiate Wrestling team and their coaches on a successful year, with a grand showing at their competitions and a 10 medal sweep at the Atlantics in Prince Edward Island!



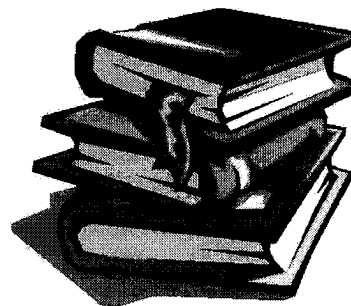
### **Crescent is Alive with the Sound of Music!**



From the Christmas Concert to Kiwanis the students of the music department of Crescent Collegiate have put their school on the map once again with their time and talent under the dedication and leadership of Ms. Sarah MacDonald. A special shout out to the vocal ensemble who have gained international recognition with their awarding winning performance at WorldStrides Onstage competition in Orlando, Florida during Easter break. Congratulations to everyone!

### **Whitbourne Elementary Students Represent!**

It has been a very successful year so far for the students at Whitbourne Elementary! From the Harvest Run to Little Green Thumbs to Skyping with other schools across the country, skating and concerts and bazaars, visits from special guests and of course the overwhelming support and presence of our parents and community, we are having a banner year! Special congratulations go out to the competitors who represented our school at the Lions Club Regional speak off and the Regional Heritage Fair. You did your school proud!



### **Ladies B Team “Darting” off to All Newfoundland!**

The Whitbourne Lion’s Club Ladies Dart League B team will be travelling to Port Aux Basques on Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> to compete at the Provincial Competition! Best of luck to a group of hard working talented ladies who are always there to support their community. Now it’s our turn to cheer them on!

### **Town of Whitbourne Partners with 2584 Whitbourne Army Cadets**

Join us on Saturday, June 10 as we partner with 2584 Whitbourne Army Cadet Corps to participate in their Annual Cadets Caring for Canada. In addition to various areas of the community, we will be paying special attention to Sir Robert Bond Park. This park belongs to ALL of us, and is part of our heritage. It is therefore very important to give it the respect and attention it deserves. Mark your calendar to come out and do your part!

### **Whitbourne Sports and Recreation Dates to remember**

July 1<sup>st</sup> – Canada Day

July 3<sup>rd</sup> – Kick off of summer recreation program (Timbits Soccer new this summer!)

July 29<sup>th</sup> – Annual Regatta and Folk Festival

More details regarding our activities (Canada Day/Canada 150, summer program, regatta weekend) in the coming weeks. Volunteers are always welcome!

