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# Dream Cottage 2019

## Bonus Prize Winners

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- Donna Gibbs Martin - #6541
- George H. Ginnish - #23251
- Brian Haines - #22337
- Paul Holder - #17423
- Arnold McCleary - #24701
- Arthur Sanford - #6689
- Kirk Somers - #13172
- Caroline St. Pierre - #16991

### Drill Set

- Diane Breau - #2209
- Kenneth Cripps - #18392
- Jeffrey Hambrook - #20663
- Michael Hogan - #3251
- Jan MacDonald - #9415
- Debbie MacKenzie - #9467
- Traci Matchett - #7860
- Kathleen Thomson - #29822
- Roy Walsh - #24051
- Darren White - #189



Dream Cottage Winner:  
Maura Flynn - Miramichi, NB

### Electric Cooler

- Calvin W. Baisley - #3707
- Yvon Cormier - #28377
- Diane Levesque - #29153
- Robert MacDiarmid - #21437
- Elizabeth McCafferty - #24672
- Lucy McCray - #21319
- Don McNeil - #27855
- Linda Morrison - #11698
- Jennifer Siddall - #15921
- Cathy Ward - #24772

### Fire Bowl

- Robert Fernandez - #14113
- Ruth Gollop - #5357
- Jacques Hachey - #23065
- Jean Horton - #11781
- Rita LeBlanc - #13064
- Jan MacDonald - #6745
- Eric Mullin - #4858
- Sharon Simpson - #16961
- Frank Trevors - #8249
- Darren White - #322

### Luggage 4 Pieces

- Dorothy Dickins - #30297
- Kenda Donovan - #1994
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- Odette Hickey - #16156
- Kendall Hubbard - #21867
- Viola LeClair - #732
- Vicki Peterson - #28259
- Lois Russell - #24653
- Audrey Wilmot - #28783

### Portable BBQ

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- Roger Black - #14762
- Joan Driscoll - #18057
- Joe Gaudet - #2151
- Keith Kendi - #32676
- Beth Penny - #10940
- Doug Sullivan - #10601
- Aundrea Trevors - #32288
- Judy Williston - #20745
- Dave Young - #21844

### Soda Machine

- Andrea Arsenault - #32601
- Calvin W. Baisley - #3715
- Prem Gandham - #8707
- Barbara Hunter - #23277
- Chalintip Khamthond - #28748
- Charles LeBlanc - #22445
- Terry Matchett - #23809
- Virginia McCrae - #25246
- Linda Nelson - #27144
- Andrea Pleadwell - #3036

### Tabletop Patio Heater

- Ingrid Brooks - #28861
- Terry Colton - #16169
- Jacky LeBreton - #12620
- Toby Manuel - #986
- Margaret Richardson - #8266
- Julianne Robichaud - #11131
- Blaine Rolfe - #897
- Stephen Soenen - #5076
- Norma Turnbull - #2018
- Roy Woodside - #29068

### Weather Station

- Alfred Basque - #460
- Geralda Boucher - #16270
- Anna Bourque - #7864
- Nancy Buggie - #9060
- Jocelyn Burns-McCue - #26094
- Lorriane Joseph - #30874
- Sarah Simon - #1782
- George Springer - #15116
- Andreas Traub - #22087
- Roy Woodside - #29062

### Wireless Speaker

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- Carol Ann Bernard - #12587
- Ann Berthiaume - #16833
- Fred Harris - #19822
- Eddie Howe - #6811
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# Country Cousins Square Dance Club ~ Open House Dance on September 5th

COUNTRY COUSINS SQUARE DANCE CLUB is organizing an open house dance on September 5th, 2019. We dance at the Women's Institute Hall in Burnt Church from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm on Thursday nights. We do Modern Western Square Dancing. The music is contemporary, the steps are easy, we laugh a lot, and exercise without even knowing it. Square dancing is social, inter-generational and a great people mixer, and lots of fun. We have a basic admission fee of \$6 per night, and provide coffee and refreshments. Next year will be our 21st anniversary as a non-profit club.

Because square dancing is a community form of dancing where everyone dances with everyone else in their square, we don't require people to come as couples, nor to dance as couples. It is quite common to see best friends dancing together,

one in the gent's role and the other in the ladies. We welcome singles, couples and groups of friends to dance together. To get a good idea of our club, we would welcome you to take a look at this short PBS

documentary done on one of our sister clubs in Plattsburg New York: <https://youtu.be/8TnmVybO9jQ>

This video will give you real feeling of what square dancing is like, and how we form a welcoming community. So, if you want to try a dancing activity that is just a little bit special, we welcome you to join us.

The Women's Institute Hall is located at 326 Church River Rd, Burnt Church NB. For more information, please email me at : [mc44doak@rogers.com](mailto:mc44doak@rogers.com)



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# Events

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men's Hospital Facebook page by the end of September and find this event on Facebook.

## **Sept. 21: Atlantic Salmon Museum's 36th Annual Hall of Fame Dinner and Induction Ceremony**

Beginning with a reception at 4:30 pm. Tickets are limited so please reserve yours early. For tickets and/or additional information, please contact Karen at the Salmon Museum by phoning 1-506-365-7787 or emailing [museum@nbnet.nb.ca](mailto:museum@nbnet.nb.ca). This year's inductees include: Peter D. Clark, James "Jim" E. Laws, Manley W. Price, Joseph L. Price (posthumously), and Ralph S. Warren (posthumously)

## **Sept. 21: Knights of Columbus Casino Fun Night**

The 2nd annual Casino Fun Night will be held from 6 PM to 9 PM at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 67 King Street in Miramichi. Games include Crown and Anchor, Blackjack, Horse Racing game, Roulette and Texas Hold 'Em. A minimum of \$20 buys you \$20,000 in play dollars with approximately \$500 in prizes to be won. There will be refreshments and snacks will be available for purchase throughout the night, and all the proceeds raised from this Casino night go to support Camp Sheldrake - a nonprofit camp for kids located in Bartibog Bridge, NB.

## **Sept. 22: 2nd Annual Fall Fair and Antique Car & Bike Show**

From 1 pm to 5 pm, come out to the Blackville School for the antique car & bike show hosted by Blackville Home & School. There will also be a baking & preserves sale, BBQ, face painting, and entertainment for all ages. Located at 12 MacLagan Drive.

## **Sept. 22: Courage In The Storm: A Tale of William Davidson**

Friends of Beaubears Island partners with the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi to offer a reprise matinee performance of **Courage in the Storm: A Tale of William Davidson** at 2pm at Wilson's Point (admission by donation). See details pg. 13.

## **Sept. 27-28: Miramichi Quilt Guild's 2019 Quilt Show and Market**

From 10 AM to 6 PM on Friday and from 10 AM to 4 PM on Saturday in the Miramichi Agricultural Exhibition Association, located at 24 Church Street, Miramichi - Chatham. This year mark's the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Miramichi Quilt Guild. Please use the John Street Entrance. Admission is only \$5. a person. Come view our many quilts on display (some are for sale). purchase a ticket on modern dresden plate quilt, stroll through the guild market place, view the bed turning, 11 AM and 3 PM (both days) - each quilt has a story, and enjoy a hot beverage with sweets in our tea room. **EVERYONE WELCOME!!**

**Sept. 6: Ten Thousand Villages Annual Sale** — Hosted by the Anglican Church Women of the Saint Andrew's Anglican Church, this annual event is back for another year selling hand-craft items from around the world, 9 am to 9 pm. See pg. 11

## **Sept. 7: Miramichi Treehouse & Camping Kite Festival**

Starting at 11am, watch the sky fill with colour, twists and twirls, kites of all shapes and sizes as well as music and local food to celebrate our cultural and agricultural make up. If you don't have a kite, there will be lots for sale on site. Catalyst will be performing, and there will also be food, a craft market, and a kite building contest! 116 North Black River Rd. [www.campingmiramichi.com](http://www.campingmiramichi.com) Call for info: 506-773-6252

## **Sept. 8: The 3rd Annual Gray Rapids Fall Fair**

(Rain Date: Sunday, September 29) Admission is free! There will be lots of food and activities for the kids from 2 pm to 5 pm at the Gray Rapids United Pentecostal Church, 958 Route 118 Highway. Food will include: BBQ Burgers, Mac Burgers, Bacon Burgers, Burger Bar, BBQ Chicken with Signature Sauce, Corn Dogs, Deep Fried Pickles, Poutine, Onion Rings, Beavertail with Toppings and Doughnut Holes. Also Jumping Castle, Carnival Games, Cotton Candy and Balloon Animals. Tel: 506-843-2448.

## **Sept. 10 – 11: Great Benjamin's Circus on the Miramichi**

Come out to the Miramichi Airport, for three great shows for just two days only of the Great Benjamin's Circus on the Miramichi. Showtimes are at 7 pm (Sept 10) and 4:30 pm and 7 pm (Sept 11). Find the event on Facebook for more information, pricing and more!

## **Sept. 14: Community Market and Bake Sale in the Blackville Municipal Park**

A community market and yard sale will be held from 9 am until 12 pm. All vendors welcome - sell your jellies, pickles, preserves, baked goods, crafts and yard sale items. [www.villageofblackville.com](http://www.villageofblackville.com)

## **Sept. 16: Apple Pie Pre-Booking Orders**

The Seaman's Hospital Miramichi will be making Apple Pies again as a fundraiser! Contact them on this date from 9 AM to 9 PM at 1-506-778-2349 to preorder. Leave your name, telephone number and the number of pies you desire when you call the Seamen's Hospital. Delivery date will be posted on the Sea-





### Sept. 27: Downtown Music Festival

Downtown Music Festival is an eclectic mix of original music artists, performing live at four locations in Miramichi - Queen Elizabeth Park, Aperio Lounge, Dooryard co. Cafe and Mill Cove Coffee House. See page 18 for details.

### Sept. 28: Fall Harvest APEGNB Pumpkin Fling

At Waterford Green Park, 9am to 4pm along the Miramichi River the orange pumpkins will be flying high! This fall festival event will feature STEM based games and activities, creativity and challenges, food, vendors and more. Find the event on Facebook.

### Sept. 28: Autism Resources Miramichi Annual Autism Walk

Come out to Waterford Green Park in Chatham in conjunction with the APEGNB Pumpkin Fling as we walk to raise funds and awareness for Autism. There will be plenty of activities for all ages! Participants are asked and encouraged to come dressed as pumpkins, or wear orange, to help celebrate the APEGNB Pumpkin Fling! Tel:506-622-8137 for info.



### Sept. 29: Best Kind Comedy Tour 2 at the Vogue Theatre

The b'ys are back and this time it is LIVE! Three of Canada's top comics return with a show that you are not going to want to miss. Doors open at 7:30PM show starts at 8PM. Find the event on Facebook.

### Oct. 1: Turkey Pie Pre-Booking Orders

The Seaman's Hospital Miramichi will be making Turkey Pies again as a fundraiser! Contact them on this date from 8 AM to 9 PM at 1-506-778-2349 to preorder. Leave your name, telephone number and the number of pies you desire when you call the Seamen's Hospital. Delivery dates will be posted to the Seamen's hospital by the end of October or November 2nd.

### Oct. 5: Teacups & Linens Sale

Join us at Darlene's Country Cottage for teacups and linens and scones, oh my! Vintage linens and china teacups & saucers will be for sale along with some baking and preserves. Also serving a light brunch for \$10. Coffee/Tea, ham & cheese quiche, blueberry scones, rosemary scones, homemade butter and jams. 186 Barnettville Rd. Tel:843-7878



### Oct. 5: Jason Cyrus LIVE at the Vogue Theatre

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compare! Expect nothing less than sensational when you watch Jason in action! The fun, the thrills, the uncontrollable laughter, it's the most hilarious journey into the mind you will ever take! Witness the power of hypnosis! A guaranteed unforgettable experience! Tickets are available at Creative Grounds Café and also on EventBrite.

### Oct. 11: Angels and Demons Masquerade Ball

Are you an Angel? Or are you a Demon? Imagiflair Events is pleased to present this event at the Rodd Miramichi River Hotel. Come in semi-formal attire and on theme! Masks are a MUST! This is a 19+ event as the bar will be open on site! Dance the night away with us from 9pm until 1am. DJ: Kenny Breaux, Music Force Entertainment and tickets are only \$25. each with limited quantities available. Find the event on Facebook.

### Oct. 18: 4th Annual Women's Cancer Survivor Wellness Day

From 9 am to 3 pm, come out to the Central New Brunswick Woodsmen's Museum and enjoy a day of pampering, new activities and spending time with others who have gone through their own cancer journey. This year's

theme is: Music as Medicine "Sometimes music is the only medicine the heart and soul need." The day's events will be centered around the benefits of music used as therapy. There may even be a kitchen party! This is a free event with lunch provided. Spaces are limited. For more information and to register, call Lisa Lovelace at 506-365-6100.

### Oct. 19: Miramichi Food Truck FEASTival 2019

It's back for another exciting year and this year's event will be hosted on the grounds of the Miramichi Airport in Chatham. It will be also featuring a special event - Airport Hangar party with Raglan Road 4.0. Also, they are looking for local artists who are willing to volunteer to play at this years event Plug in and play at the Airport Hangar from 11 AM to 6 PM! Contact Change Miramichi / Volunteer Miramichi at 1-506-622-6565

### Oct. 20: NEWSTART Health Expo

Based on the NEWSTART lifestyle change program, this expo is free to the public, and offers health testing, counselling and advice at 12 different stations for checking glucose levels, BMI, blood pressure, lung capacity and more. Presented by the 7th Day Advent

Church at the Miramichi Kin Centre, from 2-6pm.

### Oct. 26: 6th Annual Appreciation Dinner and Chinese Auction

In appreciation of the following members of the Village of Doaktown and Rural Community of Upper Miramichi (Boiestown) - Irma O'Donnell, Grant Ross, Alta and Paul Colford at the Upper Miramichi Lions Club. Meet and greet 5-6 pm and dinner at 6 pm. For tickets call 506-365-7670.





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# Making an Impact on Children's Lives in Miramichi

**Big Brothers Big Sisters / Boys & Girls Club** is committed to the healthy development of all children. We provide a variety of mentoring and after school programs to meet the needs of our community's children and youth so they have the tools and supports they need to be successful in school and in life, and reach their full potential!

Our **In School Mentoring Program** is a great way to get involved with a child. Volunteer Mentors (Bigs) share time with a child (Little) in their school during the school day. Mentors meet with the student following the 20-20-20 rule: 20 minutes of catching up with each other, 20 minutes of school work and 20 minutes of free time (doing arts / crafts, shooting hoops or playing board games).

**Teen Mentoring** is a In School Mentoring for high school students. They get to volunteer during the school day and go to an Elementary school close by. The focus is on friendship, literacy and homework help. This program runs at MVHS, JMH, Blackville and NSER.

**Group Mentoring Programs**— Go Girls, Game On, Fun Friends and Kids 'n Kops give kids and youth the opportunity to learn new life skills in small group settings that boost confidence!

**SNAP – Stop Now and Plan** is a program that teaches kids how to make better choices “in the moment”. This 13-week program is delivered in grade 3 and 4 classrooms in local schools. Over 400 kids received the SNAP program in the last school year. This is a licensed program of the Child Development Institute.

Kids can start their day off right with our **Breakfast Program**. We provide the financial grant to each school to cover the costs of their Breakfast program. We know that children and youth learn better on a full stomach, so that's

why we are proud to sponsor the Breakfast Program at 23 schools.

The first day of school can be fun but also a little worrisome. **School Supplies and Back Packs** are necessary for school, but also expensive. We help 150 kids and families feel good about the first day of school by providing Back Packs and Basic School Supplies for those families that need the extra help.



**Everyone LOVES to Swim**, so we provide Swim Passes to 230 kids so they can go to one of the Outdoor Pools every day throughout the summer.

During July and August, over 350 kids and teens attend **Summer Camps** where they can see old friends and make new friends, try new activities and gain self-confidence! Our Summer Staff are High Five trained and guarantee a fun-filled summer!

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We offer **Babysitter's Training** 5 times a year for those youth over 12 years of age, so they can babysit with confidence!

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# NBGS Miramichi Helping Visitors Search their Roots

By Denver Matchett

Continuing an annual tradition, the **Miramichi Branch of the New Brunswick Genealogical Society (NBGS Miramichi)** took part in Canada's Irish Festival on the Miramichi. Volunteers set up a Research Room at the Rodd Miramichi River Hotel, and over two days they assisted the many people who attended with tips and tricks in finding their genealogical roots.

The entire conference room was filled with tables showcasing the impressive collection of books and records, which includes information from census's, cemetery records and newspaper clippings dating back to the 1800's, along with a variety of books. The mass of invaluable information is key in aiding those seeking to trace their genealogical roots.

From Alabama, to Western Canada, to Vietnam, and many points in between, visitors dropped in to view the collection. All were amazed by the beauty of the region. Some were enthusiastic to share what they had learned over the

years of tracing their very own genealogical roots - including one who had traced their roots back to royalty!

On Saturday afternoon, a workshop was held for those who are new to the field of genealogy, and for those who are most curious about their roots. The workshop, entitled *Tracing Your Roots - Lessons We've Learned*, was hosted by Faye Baisley and Dianne Mullin. The workshop was highly beneficial and greatly enjoyed by the dedicated group who attended.

The Genealogy society's involvement played just a small role in one of the largest festival's in New Brunswick. People of all ages enjoyed live music and activities at Waterford Green throughout the weekend, while thousands showed up for evening pubs on Friday and Saturday evenings. The cultural celebration is an annual tradition that continues to grow every year, and the Miramichi Branch of the New Brunswick Genealogy Society is proud to continue to be part of the festival every year!



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Above: Mike Rediker (left) from Alabama, gets help from NBGS Miramichi volunteers to research his genealogical roots during Canada's Irish Festival on the Miramichi.

Summer student Denver Matchett conducted an interview with Mike Rediker who travelled from Birmingham, Alabama to trace his family roots.

*What Brings You to Miramichi?*

Mike: "Genealogical family root tracing."

*Is this your first trip to Miramichi?*

Mike: "Yes it is. It's beautiful. The river is spectacular."

*Who were some of your ancestors from this area?*

Mike: "The first settler or oldest arrival that I have is Charlotte Taylor and her second husband Captain John Blake."

*When did your family move to Alabama?*

Mike: "My family on my mother's side has been in the United States since 1619 at Jamestown and they migrated from Virginia to Maryland to South Carolina, Tennessee, then Alabama. On my father's side they went from New Brunswick to Fort Fairfield, Maine to Minnesota. My father came south when he was working for the United States Steel

Corporation which had a big plant in Birmingham, and he met my mother. So North and South joined then in 1938."

*What are some significant pieces of genealogical information you have found?*

Mike: "I have found two of my ancestors came to New Brunswick in 1783 as a result of the British Fleet coming from New York. One was a Scot Duncan McCray, and the other was a German farmer from New Jersey, who had been in the New Jersey volunteers, and they were offered land grants here in New Brunswick in the 1780's. Then later, John Rediker moved into Maine with his offspring, but the McCray side merged with the Blake side here in Miramichi."

### About the Miramichi Branch of the New Brunswick Genealogical Society

Formed in 1991, NBGS Miramichi has "*a constitutional mandate to promote the collection, preservation and accessibility of genealogical and heritage records through projects pertaining to genealogy and heritage.*"

With 153 members spanning 3 countries, 8 provinces, and 20 US states, the group has a very diverse membership intrigued by tracing their genealogical roots.

**Meetings** are held on the 4th Tuesday of every month (excluding June, July, August and December) at the Chatham Public Library at 6:15pm, and guests are welcome at all meetings. The next meeting is Tuesday **September 24th.**

**Membership** in NBGS-Miramichi is \$40 a year and gives you full access to the website, a copy of the groups newsletter and a copy of the provincial genealogy magazine, *Generations*. You can also access their **private library** held at the Chatham Public Library which contains all of their published books of census, cemetery transcriptions, obituary collections, church records, vital stats from local newspapers and several family histories as well as local books of genealogy and history.

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# Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation CIBC Run for the Cure<sup>†</sup>

## Featured Survivor Joyce Tucker, Shares Her Story

**The annual CIBC Run for the Cure Miramichi will be held on Sunday, October 6, 2019** at the Kin Centre, 100 Newcastle Blvd, Miramichi. Run start time is at 1 p.m.

The CIBC Run for the Cure is a 5k or 1k walk or run that raises funds for the Canadian Cancer Society. It is the largest single-day, volunteer-led event in Canada in support of the breast cancer cause.

To learn more and to register for the run visit:

[cibcrunfortheCure.supportcbcf.com](http://cibcrunfortheCure.supportcbcf.com)

The featured survivor for this year's event is Joyce Tucker. She shares her triumphant and inspiring story with us here.

My name is Joyce Tucker and I am a two-time breast cancer survivor. I have now been cancer free for the past 36 years and this is a story of my journey and the battles of a lifetime.

I begin, I want to say that I am a wife, mother of four biological children, three stepchildren and ten

grandchildren.

My story begins in the fall of 1983. I was 20 years old and a new mom with a six-month-old daughter. It was supposed to be the happiest time of my life. I had noticed a lump in my breast

I thought I was going to faint. My whole world seemed like it had come crashing down around me. Then, I thought about my newborn baby and I knew that I wanted to see her grow up and I had to fight with all I had. So, I



while I was pregnant and associated it with pregnancy soreness due to hormones, and after giving birth I thought it was from not breast feeding. I had a mammogram and other tests without much concern for it. Then I got the worst news of my life – I had Stage 1 Breast Cancer.

had a lumpectomy to remove the mass. I took radiation and after a long battle and what seemed an eternity of fighting, my tests revealed I was in remission. I was ecstatic and started enjoying life more and went on to have two more children in the next few years.

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# Ten Thousand Villages Fair Trade Gift Sale - Sept. 6th

Ten Thousand Villages will have a sale of fair-traded goods and items from around the world on Friday, September 6th at St. Andrew's Anglican Church Hall in Newcastle, hosted by the Anglican Church Women.

Ten Thousand Villages is the oldest and largest fair trade organization in North America, selling artisan-crafted personal accessories, home decor and gift items. You'll find baskets, jewellery, textiles, linens, scarves, bags, birdhouses, windchimes, pottery, toys, woodworking, coffee, chocolate, spices and much more at great prices!

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That means you can trust that every handmade purchase you make directly impacts the life and community of its maker in a developing country. For more information, contact Mrs. Olive Trevors at 506-622-2711.



**When:** Friday, September 6th, from 9 am to 9 pm  
**Where:** Saint Andrew's Anglican Church Hall, 214 Pleasant Street in Newcastle  
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Olive Trevors displaying hand-made baskets at the Ten Thousand Villages sale in Miramichi.



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## There's still time to visit... Beaubears Island and Wilson's Point

Though our summer staff members have returned to their studies, with our thanks, the Friends of Beaubears Island are set to close out the 2019 summer season with a bevy of activities throughout the month of September. From picnics to plays, outdoors to olden days, there's no shortage of events to experience on and around these two National Historic Sites.



**Access to the Island by ferry (\$10/person), for hiking, will be available daily until September 28th.** Self-guided walks allow you to marvel at the lofty pines which have stood sentinel for more than two centuries, and keep watch for the Island's abundant wildlife, including our family of bald eagles – maps and Flora/fauna guides provided at no extra charge. For those looking for something more in depth, a visit alongside one of our guides (\$15/person) lasts about 45-

minutes, but can be adapted to long-form to suit your interest. This tour covers only a portion of the Island's trails, the area where habitation occurred. Hear history come alive, with stories of Acadian mothers and Commander Boishebert himself. From there, our historic tour carries you and yours into a time when the sound of auger, saw, and file were heard plainly among the pines and the Island shipyard turned out some of the finest vessels in the world.

In addition, a new, **“Bite of Beaubears”, picnic experience** will debut on **Saturdays in September** (\$30/person). Tapping into the rich history of the Island as a recreation destination between 1857-1913, period-inspired alfresco dining will be hosted by proprietors Peter Mitchell and Ann Harley. Guests are invited to take on a role of their own or choose to see the experience through the lens of a past personage. Games and music will pervade the experience, closing with a period photo – a keepsake given to each participant upon returning to the Interpretive Centre.

Another new experience, debuting this year, is forester, Jim Saunders' **“How to Grow an Island” ecological walks** (\$20/person). These 90-minute trail-based encounters with nature, focus on the seasonal changes that take place in the Beaubears Island ecosystem. Key stops will be made on each tour, but spontaneity will be built in, to allow guests a role in choosing other stops, and topics of discussion, as the tour progresses. These excursions will attempt to take a holistic view towards relational ecology, paying particular attention to biological associations,



particularly across species and between the plant and animal kingdoms. Highlighting the interconnected nature of the Beaubears Island Acadian Forest will be a priority; prior reservation is required.

On **September 22**, Friends of Beaubears Island partners with the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi to offer a reprise matinee performance of **Courage in the Storm: A Tale of William Davidson** at 2pm at Wilson's Point (admission by donation). The play, well received when it was first staged in 2015, explores Davidson's role in Miramichi the last, and arguably most eventful, years of his life.

In the first act, Davidson faces off against Loyalists Benjamin Marston and John Willson, and both sides propose divergent futures for the River in the course of the province's first election.

In the second act, William deals with new challenges, posed by his friend, and local merchant, James Fraser, while Sarah Davidson and the enigmatic Charlotte Taylor are forced to contend with the destructive forces of gossip and rumour. The entire production allows its audience to look back at a history filled with triumph, levity, drama, and a determination



that's come to characterize our region; certainly a chance not to be missed.

Our team is very much looking forward to seeing you and yours this September, join us and hear the stories of a place where fortunes were made and lives were lost.

For further information, contact the Interpretive Centre – 622-8526 or [info@beaubearsisland.ca](mailto:info@beaubearsisland.ca)



Above: The walking trails at Wilson's Point meander along the river and look out onto Beaubears Island. It is at this point where the Northwest and the Main Southwest Miramichi Rivers converge into one.





## Wilson's Point Historic Site

At the point where two rivers converge lies a protected historic site. Make your way to the end of the Enclosure Rd where you will find the best kept secret in the form of Wilson's Point Historic Site. Visit the St James Church Replica, which houses an interpretive centre where knowledgeable staff greet you with a smile and regale you with stories the tumultuous history and happenings of Wilson's Point beginning nearly three centuries ago.

This spot has been summer hunting and fishing grounds for the **M'ikmaq**, a refuge for expelled **Acadians**, the site of a bustling **Scottish** settlement and the midway point of a horse powered ferry system from Nelson to Newcastle and later a gift to the Province from Lord Beaverbrook. It is now cared for by the **Miramichi Scottish Heritage Association**. There once was a tavern and several businesses on the property and a graveyard that predated the original church.

**The church replica** is built in the same fashion as the original with only wooden pegs and tongue and groove boards, there isn't a nail to be found. This beautiful little building is naturally air conditioned and has perfect acoustics

to hold musical events in as well as the annual church service that is held the last Sunday of July.

Ever dream of a small quaint wedding in a little country church? You can make this dream come true at Wilson's Point. The church is the perfect place to begin a life together, and is available for rent. The area is a great venue for weddings and family photos.

**The Church and Trading Post are open daily from June to October, and admission is free.** The grounds are available to visit at your leisure year-round.

Seek out the troubled spirits of times long past...if you dare...on **October 26th as part of the Graveyard Tour** at 7pm and at 9pm. Make sure to bring a flashlight and someone's hand to hold as you brave the dark and enter the gates that are normally locked for a very good reason.

For more information and times of events please check out the Wilson's Point Historic Site Facebook page, Instagram, and website at [www.highlandsociety.com](http://www.highlandsociety.com) or call 506-627-0162.



Pass through these iron gates into one of the oldest graveyards in Miramichi. At one time it was the resting place for nearly 250 Scottish settlers. Sadly there only 17 recognizable graves still in existence, including Williams Davidson's himself. The footing course of the original church that stood from 1791-1832 still remains.



The Wilson's Point dock stands near the site of the old ferry landing and it makes for a great spot to cast a line in hopes of reeling in a striped bass. During the spring months you'll be hard pressed to find a parking place as the bass fishers vie for a spot along the shoreline.





# NB Sports Hall of Fame Calls For Nominations

As fall approaches, it is once again time to start thinking about induction nominations for the New Brunswick Sports Hall of Fame (NBSHF).

The New Brunswick Sports Hall of Fame Inc. was established in 1970 to recognize and honour those athletes, teams and builders who have achieved outstanding success, and those who have made a significant contribution to the advancement of competitive sport in this province.

NBSHF relies on people like you, to nominate worthy athletes, sport builders and teams to be inducted into the provincial shrine. Candidates must be nominated before they can be elected, so please take the time to nominate a deserving individual or a team from your community or sport.

The nomination deadline is November 30th.

Forms and guidelines are available here:  
[www.nbsportshalloffame.com/hm/nominate](http://www.nbsportshalloffame.com/hm/nominate)

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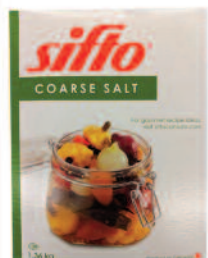
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# Miramichi Timberwolves

## Celebrating 20 Years this Season

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Only a handful of players from last years squad have left and the team is looking for a successful 2019 – 2020 season.

Special events have been planned with the players attending and the organization is hopeful that the public will set involved. Remember the team is fully community funded and has been operated by the same individuals and organizers for the past number of years.

Again the organization is very excited from the upcoming year and if you have questions about tickets, please call 506-623-9935.

### Miramichi Timberwolves Staff:

President – Jamie Keays

Head Coach – Robert MacDonald

Assistant Coach – Butch Watters

Assistant Coach – Jim Matheson

Video Coach – Adam Matchett

Equipment Manager / Trainor – Todd Tozer

Medial Physical Therapist - David Dunnett



### Upcoming Exhibition Games and Home Schedule

Sun. Sep 1	Campbellton vs Miramichi	2pm
Sat. Sep 7	Fredericton vs Miramichi	7pm
Sun. Sep 8	Campbellton vs Miramichi	2pm
Sat. Sep 21	Edmundston vs Miramichi	7pm
Thu. Sep 26	Summerside vs Miramichi	7pm
Sat. Sep 28	Fredericton vs Miramichi	7pm
Sat. Oct 5	Campbellton vs Miramichi	7pm
Sat. Oct 12	Campbellton vs Miramichi	7pm



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# DOWNTOWN

## Music Festival

Sept. 27 *miramichi, nb*



### Schedule of Events - September 27:

#### FREE Shows! (all ages)

Festival Kickoff, Buskers On The Square (5pm)  
 Amelia Underhill (5pm)  
 Wade Hallihan (6pm)  
 Bobby Cotton (7pm)  
 Aftersurf (7:30pm)  
 Six Gun Smoke (8pm)  
 Bring your lawn-chair!

#### Ticketed Shows! (\*19+)

##### Apero Lounge presents...

jessii the artist (9pm)  
 Kendra Gale (11pm)  
 \$20 at the door (or purchase festival 'Friday Pass')

##### 'Mill Cove After Dark' presents...

Jenna Carson (9pm)  
 Dillon Ryan & The Dream Romantic (10pm)  
 FM Berlin (11:30pm)  
 \$20 at the door (or purchase festival 'Friday Pass')

\*Please note that Aperio Lounge & Mill Cove After Dark shows are for ages 19+.

Downtown Music Festival is an eclectic mix of original music artists, performing live at four locations in Miramichi - Queen Elizabeth Park, Aperio Lounge, Dooryard co. Cafe and Mill Cove Coffee House.

There will be a little Country, a bit of Pop, a lot of Rock, Jazz & Blues and everything in between! Please support this great event so that we can make it an annual party and aim to bring even more musical talent to our beautiful Downtown in the future!

The festival kicks off at 5pm Friday night, Sept. 27, alongside the Night Market at Queen Elizabeth Park "on the square". Bring your lawn chair and enjoy free shows presented by the Night Market and Dooryard co. along with vendors, buskers and browse the artisans and craft tables at the market. Later, head out to the evening shows where tickets are required and shows are 19+.

**Ticket Info:** Downtown Music Festival all-access FRIDAY PASS (\$30 each). Festival Passes go on sale on Saturday, August 10th at 9am at Mill Cove Coffee House, 144 Newcastle Blvd., Miramichi.

**Secure Online Purchases:** send message to [seventhreads@outlook.com](mailto:seventhreads@outlook.com) for easy e-transfer info.

For more information find Downtown Music Festival event page on Facebook.

*To all returning students, teachers, educational assistants, administration and staff, I extend my very best wishes for a safe and happy school year.*

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# Chow Chow Recipe

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## Instructions

8 cups of sliced and halved green tomatoes  
3 tblsp salt  
2-3 medium sized chopped onions

-In a large bowl combine tomatoes, onions and salt. Add just enough water to cover. Let stand overnight on the counter.

-Drain off and discard all the water, but do not rinse.

In a large pot combine the following:

2 cups white vinegar  
2 cups white sugar  
3 tblsp mustard seed  
1/2 tblsp celery seed  
1 tsp tumeric

Bring to a boil and simmer on medium low for five minutes.

Add the drained tomatoes & onions to the pot and cook on a low boil for 1/2 hour or longer until they are cooked.

Seal in hot sterile mason jars while the mixture is still hot.



Variation: you can also add red and green bell peppers to the mixture if you have some of those to use up from the garden.

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In 1987 I found out I was no longer in remission and the cancer had returned. I underwent the lumpectomy once again and the radiation and chemo. I thought that I could never fight this enemy again, but somehow, I was also fighting for my children and the right to raise them and see them grow.

During my battles, I can honestly say I went through periods of total mental anguish. I felt that nobody could possibly understand my pain and desperation to cling to life. I blamed God for being so unfair to me, and even lost my faith for the longest time. Each time I looked in the mirror, I hated the person looking back at me. The person who was so pale and had lost her hair only to look ugly and disgusting. All I could see was the skeleton of a woman that I was. I slowly withdrew from everyone and everything. Many times, the pain and anguish can easily overcloud the reason for your fight and you feel like giving in to it.

What saved me was the faces of my children, looking into their eyes, and I knew I had to fight with all I had to prove to my children that their mommy was a warrior, a fighter and a winner.

To make a long story short, I fought long and hard and won the battle, AGAIN! I made the decision to not take life for granted and make my life count in this world. I began looking at what was most important to me, my children and their future, their happiness and mine.

When you are faced with the toughest fight of your life, focus on what you want to achieve and what you do not want to lose. Never lose sight of what you are fighting for in the first place, THE RIGHT TO LIVE!. When you notice that you're having negative thoughts about how all of this is going to pan out, you need to remind yourself that you are not a very good fortune teller. We are not able to predict the future

and all we can do is live in the present and take it one day at a time, one hour at a time. Every minute gained is a victory in itself.

I want people to think about how I fought it twice, how I won and how I came out even better on the other end. I want to encourage, inspire and motivate people to fight for their lives. Encourage women to be aware of their bodies and know what is normal for them. Don't put off getting a mammogram because ignorance is not worth dying for. I want to inspire women who hear my story and are fighting breast cancer to know that there is hope and to fight on. And lastly, I want to motivate everyone no matter what their situation is and to strive to make each day count by being the best they can be mentally, physically and emotionally. Cancer woke me up big time and I feel like I have been given a second and third chance.

Cancer is such a frightening and emotional roller coaster that we are forced to go through. It's a ride we all want to get off and forget the most horrifying ride of your life. When that happens, find and focus on what will hold you together. It could be family, religion, friends, a favorite sport, relaxation, yoga, music or even a peer support group. And lastly, sometimes our pets can be amazing healers for us. Your most secret and inner thoughts can be told to them freely without the fear of being judged. You then feel relieved that you told it, that it is out and gone to the wind.

And most important of all, be patient and don't give up. Trust me when I say you will come out changed and stronger on the other end of this. Let cancer know that you are in the driver's seat and you will steer your life in the direction you want to go, not the direction Cancer wants to take you. You will cross that Finish Line more determined than ever!

*Joyce Tucker, Miramichi New Brunswick*

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# Trail Cameras North of Miramichi

by Brian Donovan

Late last fall I started putting a few trail cameras in the woods north of Miramichi to see what animals I might be able to photograph. I purchased a couple of Tasco 8 MP trail cameras for this hobby.

Given I have an interest in animals like American Marten and Fishers they were the initial targets. Once it became apparent that Fishers were in the area I focused on them resulting in photographing 12 different fishers in an area about 500 sq kms.

I started by setting up a bait station using a suet feeder cage. Given it was early winter, mackerel was still readily available so I used that as a bait. I wired a pole to a tree to provide a perch for the animals which also gave me a better

chance at a good picture.

Once I started having success with the photos I added a 20MP camera to see if I could improve photo and video quality.

I generally set the cameras up along waterways or places where animals might be narrowed in between a waterway and adjacent landform. There were a number of places where travel lanes were very visible.

Of course, I was also wondering when the first bear would show up – April 22nd in this case. Sometimes the bear just takes the bait station with him/her. Another note for Bears is I have had four of them turn the camera 90 degrees (to improve the shot I assume).



Female fisher above left, and a male fisher on the right. Twelve different fishers were caught on camera in an area of 500 sq. km.

## Take-Aways:

The running poles let you position the camera very well for animals like Marten and Fisher. Ideally the cameras should be facing north so as not to have the sun shine directly into the camera. I keep the cameras about 8 feet away from the target location.

The Jays (Canada and Blue) will empty your bait station within minutes of you leaving so I line the suet cages with ¼" mesh to slow them down (does not stop them)

Battery life is very good if you are taking single pictures. I was getting 6 months or more on the Tascos with 8 AA batteries. Battery life on video can be as short as 1 -2 months

Wind is an issue – Trees that are blowing will trigger the cameras and if you are shooting video will fill the cards or drain the batteries or both.

A friend also told me to watch for ferns growing in front of your camera – it makes for a great study perhaps...

Bears are very curious – They will breathe on, lick, move your cameras, steal your bait stations, make a general mess and then leave. I was able to video two bears having a back scratch – you can see that on the videos links which I provide below.

I have put the videos on my facebook page and into a Youtube playlist. Simply open Youtube and search for "Miramichi Wildlife". You should see the best Otter video you will ever see come up first.

You never know what you will see on these cameras...





My biggest surprise came when this Lynx showed up (North of Miramichi, South of Heath Steele mines)



Two months later I saw more lynx pictures five km from the first sighting, and another two times about 50 km away in June.



This Turkey Vulture was another surprise...



... as was this Otter sunbathing on a cloudy day.



Bears are very curious and will steal your bait stations. In another photo time stamped 27 seconds after this one, the bear is gone, along with the bait station.



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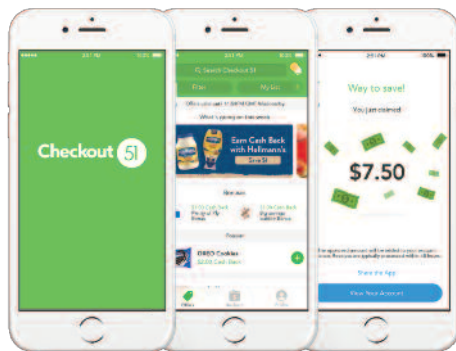


# Website and App Tips

## A Few of our Favourite Things

We're always sharing info around the office about our favourite apps and websites, so we figured it's time we shared some with you! Our suggestions below will help you save money, organize your grocery list, and get lost in the stars.

**Checkout 51** is an app that sends you weekly offers on groceries and household items that earn you cash back when you make a purchase and scan in your receipt. All you need to do is find the offer in the app, purchase the item in-store,



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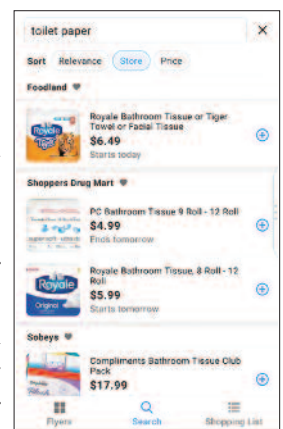
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## Miramichi Shrine Club ATV Winner

The Miramichi Shrine Club Facts & Figures Unit announced the winner of the local ATV draw to be **Rick Daley** of Miramichi East.

Rick is seen pictured here seated on his new Polaris 570, provided with the support of LJ Patterson Sales & Service in Napan.

Miramichi Shrine Club/ Facts & Figures Unit wishes to thank everyone who supported this fundraiser by purchasing tickets and for supporting our other endeavors throughout the year. Without you we couldn't do what we do!

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# Submissions

If you have photos, stories, tips or tidbits to share we always welcome your submissions. Send submissions to [submit@mightymiramichi.com](mailto:submit@mightymiramichi.com). For photos please send high resolution jpg's (not resized for email) and remember to include your name for the photo credit and the location where the photo was taken or description of the subject matter.



Photo by Edna Dennison



A Gray Jay, also known as a Moose Bird or Whiskey Jack, comes in close for a snack. Photo by Dawn Lynch



End of lobster season. Photo by Robert Savoie, taken in Oak Point.



Photo submitted by Robert Savoie of colourful poppies in bloom in Oak Point.





Laura Lea Comeau sent us this photo of her garden enjoying a cool summer shower under the sprinkler. And her old-fashioned Irises (top right).



Giv'er Magazine's favourite little dog, Camaro Sue, visits the Exhibition. Photo submitted by Jean Joudry.

### Photo Opportunity

The Harvest Moon will be full in our area on September 14th, at 1:35am. So says the Farmer's Almanac. Get your camera's and tripods ready!



Sunset at Waterford Green. Photo by Stacy Underhill



# Here We Grow Again!



**Cali.Co Café** – Coffee, Espresso and Eats – Miramichi's New Coffee Shop, has opened in the same building as ARM Book Nook at 1 Allan Street in Douglstown. Owned and operated by Caleigh Chadwick, the newly renovated space has a fresh, urban feel and staff provide a welcoming atmosphere. The café offers an extensive selection of specialty coffees, teas, cold beverages, paninis and sandwiches and plan to offer soups, vegan, keto friendly and gluten free items. Open Monday to Friday 6:30 am to 6pm and Saturday and Sunday 8 am to 6 pm.



Two new stores were recently opened in Miramichi by Jennifer Edwards. **Branded on the Boulevard** has opened beside Greco around the square. They carry many different brands including: Bali, Nygard, Soya Concept, Artex and more. They carry ladies fashions in regular and plus sizes as well as menswear, handbags, jewellery and shoes. Open Mon. to Sat. 10am-6pm. **Twice Treasured** is a trendy and upscale family clothing store. They carry new and gently used clothing and accessories for men, women and children. Open Monday to Saturday 12-6pm at 101 Jackson Street.

**Correction from the Summer Issue** - The Here We Grow feature on Down Home Dentures should have read: The owner Ashley Richard has been in the dental field for 14 years, 9 years as a dentist.

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The Green Leaf Award acknowledges outstanding environmental contribution by individuals, organizations, institutions and businesses for the positive impact they have made on the Greater Miramichi Region.

### Nominations can include initiatives such as:

- ♻️ Championing of the Residential Curbside Recycling Program,
- ♻️ Composting or organic waste reduction,
- ♻️ Reducing environmental footprint,
- ♻️ Encouraging the three R's in the community,
- ♻️ Environmental protection,
- ♻️ Public education and awareness, etc.

***Please submit the completed nomination form by September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2019.***

***Awards will be announced on October 23<sup>rd</sup> during Waste Reduction Week.***

