



Chiefs May Report

K'we, Dear Lennox Island First Nation Families

On behalf of the Lennox Island Band Council, I want to take this opportunity to congratulate former Councillor Wendell LaBobe on his appointment as Regional Chief Of PEI. We will certainly miss him at the Council table, but I know he will do great work amplifying the voices of the PEI Mi'kmaq Leadership. We wish RC Labobe the very best in this new role.

So, because we are more than 1 year away from a general election, there will be a by-election to fill this seat on Council in June.

John J Sark Memorial School students presented us with a wonderful Spring Concert! I am just so happy with the growth I see across the board with the children in our school. They are engaged, involved, and interested in the many different opportunities that our terrific teachers, staff and education director have put in place for them to flourish. From learning music, (I understand one student is learning 4 instruments!) to the many groups, activities and land-based learning, the children are embracing the opportunities. As well I am always impressed with the work being done at our school regarding Mi'kmaq Language and culture!!!Tahoe!!!!

Our team had a really good meeting with our Premier, Dennis King. We had lots to talk about but the major item on the agenda was the land for our Solar Project, Nakuset. I am happy to report that the Premier, who was given an in-depth presentation of our project, absolutely supports our work and has committed to conveying the land to us so that we can get on with the project that will have a long-lasting positive impact on Lennox and all PEI will benefit from the development of this and our Wind Energy project, Wejipek!

We will be giving the community an update soon on progress of these two major Projects. Keep your eyes peeled for more information, regarding dates etc.

This time of year, we are excited for all those who are graduating, whether it's kindergarten or university, we are all excited to see our families celebrate these monumental successes!!! So, a BIG Congratulations to all our graduates!! Well done. Now on to the next chapter in the story of your lives! Dream Big! Be Kind.

With the beautiful Spring, comes time for cleaning our yards and properties.

The community is getting ready to welcome visitors etc. Lennox Island is breath taking, with its amazing views and landscapes. We are truly blessed to call this special place home! So let's all do our part to keep our homeland clean and free of debris etc!

As well now is a good time to remind pet owners to please keep an eye on your Fur babies, we don't want them running around in the community. I know we all love our fur babies like family so we have to keep tabs on them, so they don't get hurt!

In closing, I want to wish everyone joy in the coming summer season! Stay safe!

In Unity,
Chief Darlene, xo





LENNOX ISLAND FIRST NATION

LENNOX ISLAND TRADITIONAL TUESDAY

- Wear traditional clothing (ribbon skirts, ribbon shirts, beaded items, moccasins etc.)
- Speak the Mi'kmaq language
- Prepare and/or eat traditional foods
- Create some traditional artwork

EVERY TUESDAY!!!

ART BY LENNOX ISLAND

First Tee Program at Mill River Resort

FREE Learn-to-Play Golf Program!
Instruction is focused on the fundamentals of golf: putting, chipping, pitching, and full swing.

Session Dates & Times:
8-week program 1 session per-week 1-hour sessions

Mondays July 1st - August 26th, 2024
07/01 / 07/08 / 07/15 / 07/22 / 07/29 / 08/05 / 08/12 / 08/19 / 08/26

No session on 07/25!

Ages 7-9
• Mondays: 5:00pm - 6:00pm

Coaches:

- Mackenzie Brennan, Lead Coach
- Tyson Gavin, Lead Coach
- Theo Hurler, Assistant Coach
- Maguire Brennan, Assistant Coach

Additional Information:

- 24-participant capacity
- Previous golf skills are NOT required.
- Golf equipment is NOT required; equipment will be provided for participants during each session.

REGISTER HERE

MILL RIVER | first tee premier départ atlantique | atlantique

RBC | Community Junior Golf

O'Leary Music Festival

Exam Time!

Do you need a quiet place to study?

June 11th - 13th

MCPEI staff will be at John J Sark Memorial School in the cafeteria from 4:00-7:00

Snacks and refreshments are provided!

June Activities/Groups
Monday, June 3rd - Judo 6:00-8:30 pm
Tuesday, June 4th - Traditional Tuesday
Wednesday, June 5th - Judo 6:00-8:30 pm
Thursday, June 6th - Eagles Group end of year trip
Friday, June 7th - Game night with Megan and Tylan at JJSM
Monday, June 10th - Judo 6:00-8:30 pm
Tuesday, June 11th - Traditional Tuesday - MCPEI study group @JJSM cafeteria 4:00-7:00 pm
Wednesday, June 12th - Judo 6:00-8:30 pm - MCPEI study group @JJSM cafeteria 4:00-7:00 pm
Thursday, June 13th - MCPEI study group @JJSM cafeteria 4:00-7:00 pm - Eagles Group end of year trip
Monday, June 17th - Judo 6:00-8:30 pm - JJSM Grade K4-2 end of year field trip
Tuesday, June 18th - Traditional Tuesday
Wednesday, June 19th - Judo 6:00-8:30 pm - JJSM Grade end of year 3-6 field trip
Friday, June 21st - No School for JJSM - Indigenous peoples day
Monday, June 24th - Westisle Graduation @7:00pm
Tuesday, June 25th - Traditional Tuesday - JJSM Graduation @1:15pm - Hernewood Graduation @7:00pm
Wednesday, June 26th - Last Day of School for students

John J Sark Memorial School Grade 6 Graduation
Tuesday, June 25th at 1:15 pm

Hernewood Intermediate School Grade 9 Graduation
Tuesday, June 25th at 7:00 pm

Westisle Composite High School Grade 12 Graduation
Monday, June 24th at 7:00 pm

CLASS OF 2024

We want to celebrate you!

High School, College and University.

Please send your name, program and graduation picture to kim.colwill@lennoxisland.com

Outdoor Learning at John J Sark Memorial

