

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Bass River Hall Operating Hours Tue:7pm-11pm Fri: 6pm-12am Sat: 2pm-12am Sun:1:30pm- 1:30am		,	Harcourt Fire hall -karate (6:30pm)	Targettville Rec Center -Music Night (7:00pm) Harcourt Fire hall -karate	1 Bass River Hall -Bingo (7pm)	2 Harcourt Legion - music circle (1-4 pm) Greenwood Lodge -Spring breakfast 8-11am Bass River Hall -Kid's Night Out 6:30pm - 9:30pm
3 Bass River Hall -Music night (7:30)	4	5 Atlantic Pacific Office -Clairville Rec Council Meeting (7:30pm)	6 Harcourt Fire hall -karate (6:30pm)	7 Targettville Rec Center -Music Night Harcourt Fire hall -karate	8 Bookmobile (See page 2) Bass River Hall -Bingo -Pool Tournament	9- Rexton Lions Club -Bottle Drive Grangeville Baptist Church -Men's breakfast (8:30am) Bass River Hall
10 Harcourt Legion Meeting (1pm) Bass River Hall -Music night Trails and Tales Horse Club -Meeting (8pm)	11	12	13 Harcourt Fire hall -karate	14 Targettville Rec Center -Music Night Harcourt Fire hall -karate	15 Grangeville Baptist Church -Grangeville Cafe (7pm - 10pm) Clairville Kid's Movie Night 7:00pm Bass River Hall -Bingo -Pool Tournament	16 Brown's Yard Church Hall -Supper (4-6pm) Harcourt Legion -Men's Night Out 6:00pm; Dance 9:00pm Bass River Hall -Kid's Night Out 6:30pm - 9:30pm
17 Bass River Hall -Music night	18	19 Newsletter Deadline for submissions Harcourt Legion Senior's Luncheon 12:00 noon	20 Harcourt Fire hall -karate Harcourt Legion Ladies Auxiliary Meeting 7:00pm	21 Targettville Rec Center -Music Night Harcourt Fire hall -karate	22 Bass River Hall -Bingo -Pool Tournament Good Friday	23
24 Bass River Hall -Music night Easter Sunday	25	26	27	28 Targettville Rec Center -Music Night Harcourt Fire hall -karate	29	30 Bass River Hall -Kid's Night Out 6:30pm - 9:30pm Beersville Fire hall -Dinner(4-7pm)

NEWSLETTER POLICY... It is the goal of Upriver newsletter to inform residents about events, groups, issues, etc., in our community. We want to serve all residents and be independent of any political factions. It is therefore our policy that we will not publish any unpaid political advertising; however, if a political party wishes to reach their constituents through our newsletter we will accept paid political advertisements and label them clearly as such." Submissions to the Upriver newsletter may be made to Tina Beers at 785-4348 or tina.beers@upriver-news.ca or you may place your announcements and articles in the newsletter boxes located at Thompson's General Store in Bass River and Harry's Variety in Harcourt. The deadline for submissions is the 19th of every month. We reserve the right to edit and please keep all submissions under 300 words. Thank you to all who contribute!



UPRIVER SUPPORTS LOCAL

Welcome spring and welcome to the April issue of the **Upriver news!** Plans for the **Upriver Country Market** are underway! In the spirit of celebrating community, The Bass River Country Fair Hall has partnered with Market organizers and we are pleased to announce the on-site barn facility will be home for the Upriver Community Market. Preparations in the building and on grounds will begin as soon as the snow clears, with opening ceremonies to take place on the morning of **Saturday**, **July 2^{nd, 2011}**. The cost is \$10 per table/space or \$85 per season, for a table/space. We are reserving spaces for the market now so if you would like to reserve a spot give me a call. Tina Beers 785-4348 or email tina.beers@upriver-news.ca

Thank you to all who have submitted information to our very first 2011 **Upriver Community and Business Directory**; the directory will be mailed out to residents of the Parishes of Weldford and Harcourt along with the May Upriver Newsletter and hand delivered to cottagers as well as published on our **Upriver Website** at www.upriver-news.ca. Copies will also be available in area stores for \$2.

For those of you wishing to publish events in the Upriver newsletter you may also use the website email events@upriver-news.ca. The **Upriver Website**, as well as I, will receive the information. The website allows you to publish more information about your event as the Newsletter space is limited. The website also allows space for cancellations and you can reschedule events as well. The website posts the monthly newsletter and much more! Check it out! www.upriver-news.ca

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UPRIVER LITERACY

Mill Write: Notes from A Small Place Ford's Mills, NB. Saturday, April 9, 2011 at 4:00pm The Greenwood Lodge, in partnership with the Writers'

Federation of New Brunswick, presents Mill Write; an **evening of stories and music**. The dinner will take place in a cozy community center located in a quaint, rural setting in Ford's Mills, Kent County. The evening is dedicated to the memory of Al Purdy as the original event, held in April 2009, was inspired by the Save Al Purdy's House initiative. This event is presented in support of Laubach Literacy New Brunswick and begins with a "meet and greet" at four o'clock followed by a roast beef dinner at five. This year we are pleased to present Carla Gunn from Fredericton, Jason Lawson form Main River and, back by popular demand, David Weale from PEI. During the dinner, there will be live, acoustic music by Moncton musician, Nic Gould and at six; there will be readings and stories by local and visiting authors. The theme of this year's event is storytelling and we are inviting members of the audience to offer their stories. As there is limited time, we encourage anyone interested in participating to contact the organizers as soon as possible to add their name to the list. We ask that each presentation, which can be in the form of poetry or prose, to be no longer than 5 minutes. There will be a display table for authors' books and everyone with books to sell or display is encouraged to bring them.

Cost of the dinner is \$12/person and includes dinner, beverage and dessert. Tickets will be on sale until one week prior to the event to allow the cooks to calculate how much to prepare. Vegetarian fare is available upon request. There will also be a cash bar. To purchase dinner tickets or for more information, contact Grace at 854-5849, Nancy at 785-6652 or email greenwood lodge@hotmail.com.

Bookmobile Schedule

Friday: April 8, 2011 Acadieville - 10:00 - 10:30 Acadieville Church - 4049 Route 480

Saint Ignace - 11:00 - 11:45

St. Ignace Church-1923 Chemin St. Ignace West

Branch - 1:00 - 1:30

Zion Church - 709 Zion Church Rd

Bass River - 2:00 - 2:30

Thompsons General Store - 7829 Route 116

Harcourt - 2:45 - 3:15 Post Office - 7997 Route 116 For information call 506-453-5380 or bookmobile.southeast@gnb.ca

Please note: All times are approximate and may vary by 10-15 minutes due to road or weather conditions and response at previous stop.

UPRIVER GATHERINGS

HOCKEY NIGHT IN HARCOURT 2011 VIP winners



Front row left to right- Toronto Fans: Aubrey Hunter and Sonny McPherson Montreal Fans: Kenny Flanagan and Mike Ahern, Back Row: Referee's for the game, Judy Hunter and Korena Cormier.

Hockey Night in Harcourt 2011 was held at the Harcourt Legion, sponsored by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Branch #75, on Feb 12th, 2011. Fans watched their two favourite teams play a great game of hockey. Tickets were drawn for VIP seats, two Toronto Fans and two Montreal Fans got VIP treatment, front row seats for the game and were given gift bags with special prizes, just for them. The Referees served the VIP winners food and refreshments while they enjoyed the game and there were draws for prizes all evening for those who did not win a seat in the VIP section. Special

thank you to those who donated prizes and bought tickets and helped make our evening a great success. Submitted by:

Beatrice LeBlanc President Ladies Auxiliary

Luncheon Invitation to all Area Seniors

Harcourt Area Friendly Seniors Club Harcourt Legion, 6471 Rte. 116 Harcourt NB Tuesday, April 19, 2011, 12:00 noon

Open to all area seniors! Members of the Harcourt Area Friendly Seniors Club wish to invite all area seniors to a special luncheon featuring a guest speaker from the Alzheimer Society in Moncton. On the luncheon menu is soup, sandwich, desert and beverage. Come on out and bring a friend! Please contact Mary 785-4545 or Dorothy 785-4328 to confirm attendance by April 15th. All are welcome!

Kid's night out!

Kids of all ages are invited to a night of kid's games and fun! This will take place at the Bass River Hall every Saturday night (provided there is no dance going on) from 6:30 - 9:30. You are asked to bring a toonie that will go toward the program (snacks, drinks, materials, prizes etc.) This is a drop in and parents are welcome to stay or go. Children of all ages are welcome but should be at least 5 years old if they are staying without a parent. For more info contact Terri at 785-9196 Bring the kids out for some fun!

Kent Family Resource Center

The Kent County Family Resource Center serves parents and children ages 6 and under. On Wednesday (English) and Thursday (French) mornings we offer a playgroup for parents and children from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Come and join us for crafts, songs, games and a snack. You can forget about your housework for the morning and simply enjoy spending time with your child! You will have the chance talk to other parents while your child makes new friends. Our Activity Center is located in the basement of the green tourist information building in Richibucto. The address is 9236 Main Street. For more information about this or other programs we offer please call **524-9192** or www.frc-crf.com/richibucto.

Richibucto Public Library

The Richibucto Public Library would like to invite everyone to come and use its services. The library is holding children's story time and crafts Fridays 10:30 to 11:30 and Saturday mornings at 10:30- 11:15. We also have activities scheduled on Thursdays; such as our Wii games night, April 28th from 6:00-7:00. Drop in and

pick up a copy of our full activity calendar or visit our page on Facebook!
Laura Myers, MLIS
Acting Library Manager
New Brunswick Public Library Service,
Richibucto Public Library, 9376 Rue Main,
Richibucto, NB 506-523-7851

WHAT TO DO UPRIVER

Spring Breakfast Croopwood Lodge

Greenwood Lodge 3579 Rte. 510 Ford's Mills, NB Saturday, April 2, 2011 from 8am - 11am

Cost: "Pay What You Can"

Rec Council meeting

Atlantic Pacific Office 1230 Route 465, Clairville, NB Tuesday, April 5, 2011 at 7:30pm

Bottle Drive

Saturday, April 9, 2011
Proceeds raised will go towards insulation for the Rexton Lions Club. Call Vance Symes 785-4237 if you live in Targettville, Fords Mills, Cail's Mills, Bass River Emerson or Harcourt areas. Call Leo Murphy 955-3056 if you live in St. Norbert, Ford Bank, or Bella Philip areas. Call Terry Kavanaugh 338-0197 or Sonia Sippley 523-0007 if you live in the Rexton area.

Kid's movie night

Clairville Hall 1063 Route 465, Clairville, NB Friday, April 15th, 2011 at 7:00pm No admission treats provided.

2nd Annual Lasagna Supper

Brown's Yard Church Hall 150 Brown's Yard Church Rd., Brown's Yard, NB Saturday, April 16th, 2011, 4:00 PM-6:00 PM Cost: \$10.00

Proceeds in support of the "Richibucto Food Bank"

Men's Night Out

Harcourt Legion, 6471 Rte. 116 Harcourt NB Saturday, April 16, 2011 at 6:00pm Roast Beef Supper with \$1000 draw Dance to follow from 9:00pm to 1:00pm with band **Jack Knife**

May also buy tickets at the door for the dance at \$10 per person. Proceeds raised will go towards the

Harcourt Home and School, Breakfast and Hot Lunch

Program. Tickets \$30.00 each

Contact: Juanita Thompson 785-9006 Shelley Wellman 785-6766 or

Lisa Daigle 785-1813

Please come out and support your local school!

Beersville Fire Department Annual Roast Beef Dinner

Beersville Fire Hall [in Ford's Mills]
Saturday, April 30th 2011, 4pm to 7pm
Come out and support your volunteer firefighters, while enjoying the fellowship of our community and the hospitality of a fine home-style meal. Eat-In or Take-Out! Tickets are available from any member of the fire department or can be purchased at the door [advanced purchases allow us to make sure we have enough supplies]. Adults \$12 Children [ages 12 & under] \$6 Call 506-785-4383 for information Thank you for your support!

Washer Tournament

Clairville Hall 1063 Route 465, Clairville, NB Sunday, May 22nd, 2011 at 2:00pm

Mixed Ball tournament and BBQ

Clairville Ball Field
Saturday, June 4th, 2011
Ball tournament to start at 8:00am
BBQ to run all day
If anyone is interested in putting in a team call Troy
Lynds 785-1182 or Trevor Ryan 785-6696

Plant Swap/Sale and Bake sale

Clairville Hall 1063 Route 465, Clairville, NB Saturday, June 4, 2011 from 10am - 12pm

Sugar Bush "La Causerie"

178 La Causerie Rd., Ste. Marie de Kent
The annual Pancake Breakfast Buffet, all you can eat, is
on every Saturday and Sunday...9am to noon. Cost:
\$11 for adults, under 14 - \$7, under 4 - \$4
Live music is often playing! Maple licking is also now
on! Groups are welcome, throughout the week by
Appointment! Call 506-955-9082 or
www.sugarbushlacauserie.com

For Sale

Large Budgie Cage with accessories - 3 ft in height - Reg. \$70 asking \$15 for everything. Call Gary at 785-6708.

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