## **JANUARY**

## **MOUSETALES**

2025

### **Monthly Newsletter:**



Lions Club Draw - November's & December's Winners! **CONGRATULATIONS!! NOVEMBER** 



**Souris Lions Club** members meet the first and third Thursday of each month @ Legion!



\$500 -Tracadie Lions Club

\$100 - A. Baker, D. Laybolt, R. Elliotte

\$50 - B. Leard, Fort Augustus Lions Club, K. Gulewicz, W. Rose **DECEMBER** 

1000 - T. MacInnis

100 - R. Cahill, S. Mallard, S. O'Brien

50 - K. Harris, J.J. Chaisson, E. Murphy, P. Gallant



Visitors are always welcome to attend Souris Lions Club meetings Contact Larry Fitzpatrick or email @ sourislions@gmail.com.....follow us on facebook www.facebook.com/sourislionsclub

**SOURIS LEGION** - 56 Main Street (902)687-2300

 $\overline{\mathrm{EGION}}$  Open 11 to 11 Monday – Thursday, Open 11 to 12 Friday & Saturday.

Next regular meeting is Tuesday JANUARY 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM.

FOOD is served 11 to 7 each day. Come and enjoy your meal in the COOL comfort of the Legion. REGULAR EVENTS- OPEN CRIB- WED. AT 6:30. BINGO- FRIDAY AT 7 PM. SATURDAY AFTERNOON JAM SESSIONS AT 2:30, EVERYONE WELCOME. SATURDAY EVENING --DIG for the DEUCE, with live entertainment. TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE LEGION OR ONLINE AT www.acechaser.com. FOOD BANK—SATURDAY MORNINGS -- 9-11 AM, at the back door to the basement of the Legion. BUDDY CHECK-1ST & 3RD TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT 10 AM. NEXT YARD SALE will be in the spring of 2025.. CHECK SOURIS LEGION BRANCH #3 FACEBOOK PAGE FOR FURTHER DETAILS ABOUT EVENTS.

OUR CHRISTMAS HOME DECORATING CONTEST WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN FEBRUARY'S MOUSETALES. HOPE THE COMMUNITY HAD FUN DECORATING!





## **YOU ARE INVITED!! JANUARY 1, 2025**

2:30-4:30 PM

New Years Day with the Mayor, Council and town staff @ EKSP: FREE event!! Hot dogs, Hot chocolate, water, juice \*Skating - 2:30 PM to 3:45 PM

\*Bingo (last 5 games dedicated for children only)

Adult Bingo 2:30 PM to 4:00 PM - Children's Bingo 4:00 PM to 4:30 PM

Fun family friendly bingo with crazy fun prizes..



### CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CHRISTMAS PARADE FLOAT WINNERS ARE:

Ecole La Belle Cloche for Community Spirit Souris Fire Department for Best Theme Souris Regional School Grad Class Judges Choice



#### **JANUARY'S NEWS & EVENTS**





#### **HAPPY NEW YEAR!!**



On behalf of the Mayor Joanne Dunphy, councillors: Boyd Leard, Rebecca MacPhee, Stephanie Mitsuk, Kim Outhouse, Curtis Laybolt and David Jenkins as well as Shelley LaVie CAO, Liz Chaisson, Jeannie Roche, Greg Jay, Danny Grant and Jason Larocque we would like to wish everyone a safe, healthy, happy New Year.

SOURIS PUBLIC LIBRARY 75 Main Street, Souris PE COA 2B0 902-687-2157 Ext. 4 <a href="mailto:souris@gov.pe.ca">souris@gov.pe.ca</a> HOURS: Tuesdays & Thursdays: 2:00pm-6:00pm Fridays & Saturdays: 10:00am-3:30pm Free WiFi Family Storytime Enjoy stories, songs and rhymes for kids Saturdays at 10:30 am, Ages 0 - 5 Kid's Tech Club, Ages 6+

**Tuesday, January 28th, 3:30pm** Come join us at the library to try out some tech gadgets and games. Feel free to bring any tech repairs or questions. **Valentines for Veterans, Families Tuesday, January 14th, 3:30pm** Join us at the library to make Valentines to send to Veterans across Canada. All supplies provided.

**Neurographic Art, Adults Tuesday January 21st, 3:30pm** Relax and destress through using watercolours and pens in a guided meditative painting practice. All supplies provided. Please register.



A JOYFUL SOUND CHOIR celebrates "The Twelfth Day of Christmas" Sunday, January 5th, 2025, 2 pm at St. Mary's Church in Souris 7 pm at Hillcrest United Church in Montague. Admission by donation to Joyful Sound.

#### **THANK YOU**

To all the amazing VOLUNTEERS that helped make the 44th Annual Souris Christmas Festival & Parade a great success Amazing volunteers are hard to find & impossible to forget!! And Thank you to our sponsors: Canadian Heritage, Town of Souris, Souris Credit Union, Maritime Electric, Remedy RX, Artisans on Main, Souris Sauces, Seaside Bakery, Evergreen Café, Independent Market, Souris Co-op, & Robins.





### **SOURIS TOPS** (Take off Pounds Sensibly)

Our chapter meets every Wednesday 5:30 to 6:30 at the SILVER THREADS SENIORS CLUB on Main Street. We would love to have new members join our chapter, please call Mae 902 687 2877

Morning Stretching Exercises Thursday's @ 9:00am at St. Mary's Parish Hall Beginning January 9<sup>th</sup> - March 13<sup>th</sup> For more info call Thelma 902-687-2652



#### FYI

If you do not see the OPEN flag flying at town hall and it is during the week - it means we are still open - just the wind is too strong, and we don't want to lose the flag!!

NOTE: The deadline for **FEBRUARY'S Mousetales** is **JANUARY 20**<sup>th</sup> by noon time. Send your information to jroche@sourispei.com.



# 55+ Souris & Area Winter Games January 18-25

Everyone 55 years and older are welcome to take part!
You can pick up a registration form at the Souris Town Hall.
Registration deadline is January 10th, 2025
Please Send or drop your registration form and fees to:
Town of Souris 75 Main Street/P.O. Box 628 /Souris, PE COA 2B0
902-687-2157

Events: Crokinole, Curling, Washer Toss, Darts, Hockey, Recreation Pickleball, Cribbage, Duplicate Bridge, Auction 45, 5km Run, Women's Competitive Pickleball, Shuffleboard, Men's Competitive Pickleball, Snowshoeing

On behalf of the Staff and Residents of Colville Manor, Souris they would like to thank all those who donated gifts, made monetary contributions, or helped in any way to ensure our Residents enjoyed the holiday season. We are very blessed to be part of such caring and supportive communities.

Thanks for all you do and all you give!! It is appreciated immensely!!!

Best wishes to all for a wonderful, healthy and happy, 2025!!

#### **DIAL 811**

To talk to a registered Nurse! - You are always just three numbers away from peace of mind and reliable health care information! Dial 811 – to talk about your medical issue. Do you need to make a trip to the doctor or the emergency department, or can you take care of it yourself? With 811, you will get the advice and information you need. – HEALTH PEI

TOWN OF SOURIS Holiday Office Hours.

Mon 23, Open - Tues 24, 8:30AM-12:30PM - Wed 25, closed
Thurs 26, Closed - Fri 27, OPEN - Mon 30, OPEN - Tues 31, 8:30AM-4:30PM - Wed Jan. 1, Closed
We will be at the New Year's Levee at the EKSP 2:30-4:30PM Thurs Jan. 2, Open
Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays!



The Town of Souris Traffic Bylaw has **parking restrictions** in place from **Nov 15** to **April 15** annually. On-street parking within the Town of Souris is prohibited between 1 a.m. and 6 a.m. Your cooperation is appreciated.

### **Mental Health Counselling in Souris**

Julie Lindsay, a licensed Counselling Therapist (CT) and a Canadian Certified Counsellor (CCC), is fully booked until Sept. but accepting clients in Souris on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting Sept. 3. Julie works with individuals, families, couples, and groups. She has years of experience working with children and adolescents, grief and loss, couples/relationships, parenting, anxiety, depression, and trauma. Julie holds graduate degrees from Mount Saint Vincent University, Halifax, and Lehigh University, Pennsylvania, as well as Bachelor's degrees from Dalhousie University and Carleton University. Please note that all clients are now exempt from the 15 percent tax previously charged on counselling therapy in Canada.

You can contact Julie for more information, to arrange a confidential session, or a free 10-minute phone consultation at: <a href="mailto:julielindsaynye@gmail.com">julielindsaynye@gmail.com</a>

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#### **Harmony Trails**

Located 6 km north of Souris, Prince Edward Island at Harmony Junction on Route 305, Harmony Trails includes 8 loops for skiing (classic and skate) and snowshoeing, totalling 13 kilometres.

**Season Passes** 

\$20 per person - \$10 kids under 12 Free under 6
Day passes and rentals \$5 each



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If you need a drive, local or long distance. i.e. Moncton, St. John, Charlottetown or Halifax or to doctor's appointments, airport or general travel call Danny at (902) 940-6689 Please don't drink & drive!

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## SARA'S WALKING GROUP SCHEDULE!

For more info call 902-969-1940

Thurs Jan 2-Souris Striders Snowshoe Trail

Sat Jan 4 - Cardigan Trail Thurs Jan9 - Boughton Sat Jan11-Brudenell Thurs Jam16- Forest Hills Sat Jan18 - Souris Striders Thurs Jan 23- Crowbush Sat Jan25- Rollo Bay (Sara's) Thurs Feb1- Brudenell



## **PHARMASAVE**

**Main Street Pharmasave** 

128 Main Street 902.687.4104 www.pharmasave.com



Souris Co-op 83 Main St. Souris, COA 2B0 ph. 902 687 2723 fax 902 687 2020 HOURS:

Sunday 12 pm - 6 pm Monday to Friday 8 am - 8 pm ~ Saturday 8 am - 6 pm

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