

# TRENTON Ntalk

## Remembrance Day Service

Wednesday, November 11, 2026

Trenton Cenotaph on High Street

Formation at the cenotaph by 10:45am

Please come out to honour those who paid the ultimate sacrifice so that we can live free and to show your support and respect for our veterans and service personnel.



**Following the ceremony,** guests over 19 years of age are invited back to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 29 (94 Main Street) and children can head over to the Trenton Fire Hall (122 Main Street) for a light lunch and refreshments.

**Street Closure Notice:** Please be aware **High Street** will be closed to vehicular traffic from Hampson Street to Mechanic Street with Diamond Street blocked during the Remembrance Day ceremony from 10:30am until approximately Noon.

### Wreaths & Crosses for sale at the RCL Bar:

14" Wreath - \$65.00 / 8" Wreath - \$40.00 / Cross - \$60.00

## Poppy Donations

### Honour & Support Our Veterans

All funds raised through the Poppy Campaign directly support Veterans, serving military, and their families. Your donations help support:

- Programs and assistance for Veterans and serving military in need, & their families.
- Medical training & research, & provide community medical appliances to assist in the care of veterans.
- Services through Canadian Military Family Resource Centres
- Housing & care facilities for elderly, disabled and homeless Veterans.
- Bursaries for children, grandchildren & great-grandchildren of Veterans.
- Veterans drop-in centres & meals-on-wheels programs.
- Sponsorship of cadet & youth programs.

## Royal Canadian Legion Branch 29 Trenton

Lots of events always happening at the Trenton Legion (94 Main Street)!

Stay up to date on Facebook: @RoyalCanadianLegionBr29TrentonNS



### 4th Annual Holiday Craft Fair

Thursday, November 5, 2026 from 4:00pm to 8:00pm - \$2 admission (Age 12 & under free). Entrance is located at the side of the building off back parking lot.

### Sip & Paint Wooden Sign Making Workshop with Steeltown Crafts

Thursday, November 26, 2026 at 6:00pm - Cost: \$55 (non-refundable)  
Pre-registration required: To register, please message the Legion Facebook page.  
Registration cut-off: November 12

## November 2026 Council Meetings

Tuesday, November 10, 2026 & Tuesday, November 24, 2026

Council meetings begin at 6:00pm in Council Chambers (upstairs at Town Hall).

Live Stream Meetings at <https://www.youtube.com/@TownofTrentonNS>



## Connect with Council

*A Message from Deputy Mayor Nicole LeBlanc*

We're fully in the swing of fall - and before we know it, the snow will be flying. A reminder to be patient with our small but mighty public works crew. Despite being a small town, there's a lot of roadway and sidewalks to cover, and our crews get out quickly, and often while it's still snowing.

I'd like to extend a welcome to all patrons of our rink - something that helps us all get through the winter months - whether it's taking in a game or on the ice ourselves.

A reminder about the concerns option on our website where you can submit issues, including photos, for staff review. This has been an efficient process for identifying and where possible, quickly resolving some issues in the town.

I'm looking forward to more opportunities to connect with residents, especially as the holiday season approaches the annual Holiday Craft Fair and lots of events at the Legion to support local.

Council remains committed to improved communications and ensuring we're looking ahead for the future of Trenton, together.

*Nicole LeBlanc*

Deputy Mayor, Town of Trenton



## Pictou County Celebrity Hockey Tour

Thursday, December 3, 2026

7:00pm Start at Trenton Rink (75 Park Road)

Tickets on Sale Now! General Admission: \$39.50 per person

Lace up for the Pictou County Celebrity Hockey Tour 2026! ONE NIGHT ONLY: December 3rd from 7:00pm to 9:00pm, former NHL celebrity's come to the Trenton Rink for an action-packed game against a Pictou County All Star Team.

Package options include:

- VIP post game after party with both the NHL and Pictou County team
- VIP Pre Game Dinner with Celebrity NHL Alumni Players
- Youth 1 hour afternoon Hockey Clinic with an NHL Alumni Player.
- 1st and 2nd period Intermission dressing rooms passes

Local Pictou County hockey players have the chance to challenge your skills against former NHL players. Let's see what you got! Check out the "Pledge to Play" auction. Hosted by the Trenton Forge Society: <https://www.facebook.com/trentonforgesociety>

Are you with a business or organization that would like to advertise during the game?! We have Community Support opportunities available for that! Give use a call at 902-921-1963 or email [info@trentonforge.ca](mailto:info@trentonforge.ca)



Don't forget to fall back! Daylight Saving time ends at 2:00am on **Sunday, November 1, 2026**, this is also the perfect time to change the batteries in your smoke detectors & carbon monoxide alarms!

## Public Works Department

902-752-6907

[Darryl.Marcott@trenton.ca](mailto:Darryl.Marcott@trenton.ca)

### Spare Crossing Guards Wanted

The Town is recruiting people who are committed to ensuring the safety of children at designated school crosswalks, enjoy being outdoors and want the flexibility of working part-time. Successful applicants must provide successful completion of a Criminal Records Check and a Nova Scotia Department of Community Services Child Abuse Registry Check. Full job description available on the Town's website. Letters of application, along with a detailed resume, may be submitted to:

Darryl Marcott, Public Works Superintendent

Town of Trenton, P.O. Box 328, Trenton, NS B0K 1X0

E-mail to: [darryl.marcott@trenton.ca](mailto:darryl.marcott@trenton.ca)



### Preparing Your Property for Winter

Taking these simple steps now can help protect your property and ensure snow clearing goes as safely and smoothly as possible this upcoming winter season:

- Remove and store planters, lawn decorations, garbage bins and any other portable objects near the sidewalk before the winter.
- Remove and store portable basketball and hockey nets from the roadway or sidewalks near your property so they don't freeze and cannot be moved easily.
- Mark any permanent structures or objects with a reflector that will be visible above the snow. This helps crews identify obstacles.
- Trim any tree branches and shrubs that originate from your property which can obstruct access and visibility for snow-clearing equipment. If you are not physically capable of completing this work yourself, residents are encouraged to contact a local landscaping company to provide the service. This necessary property maintenance is not the responsibility of the Public Works Dept.

## Pictou County Christmas Fund

### Christmas Sharing in Our Community for over 50 Years!

Registration is now open for those needing assistance from the Pictou County Christmas Fund this year. Registration can be done online by visiting: <https://pictoucountychristmasfund.ca/Registration> or by filling out a paper form available at all Pictou County Library locations. Grocery gift cards will be issued based on family size. While we will do our very best to fill every request for assistance, we are unable to accept any registrations after the posted deadline. The deadline to register for assistance (online or paper) is **November 27, 2026**. Any questions about registration can be emailed to: [pccregister@gmail.com](mailto:pccregister@gmail.com).



[www.pcwastemgmt.com](http://www.pcwastemgmt.com)  
Waste Reduction Hotline: (902) 396-1495

### Fall Leaf Collection - November 13, 2026

Fall leaf collection in the Town of Trenton will take place on your regular collection day: Friday, November 13, 2026.

- ♦ Leaves must be in clear, orange or paper bags  
Unlimited number of bags of leaves accepted
- ♦ Leaves should be set out with but separate from garbage bags
- ♦ Leaves can be put in the green cart on a regular basis
- ♦ Leaves can be put in a backyard composter
- ♦ NO leaves permitted in black bags
- ♦ Bundles of twigs, no longer than 4 feet will be accepted.



### Sharps & Needles Safety

**Did you know?** Waste workers who are pricked by sharps have to go through a year of testing to find out if they were infected. Needles, syringes, and other sharps should NEVER go in your garbage or recycling. Safe sharp containers are free across the province and can be obtained at any pharmacy. Once the container is full, it can be returned to the pharmacy for proper disposal. Help protect workers and keep our waste system safe for everyone! Learn more at [www.pans.ns.ca](http://www.pans.ns.ca) and [www.dontbeaprnick.org](http://www.dontbeaprnick.org).

### What Goes Where?!

- ♦ **Lotion & Cream Containers** - Empty lotion and cream containers can go in your recyclable containers blue bag! Empty containers before recycling & give them a quick rinse if you can! Bottles, tubs, jars, and lotion containers are accepted.
- ♦ **Broken Toys** - Broken toys belong in the garbage. If they can't be reused or donated, toss them! Reminder: Remove any batteries first.

## Gardening with Pride Award - September 2026

The Trenton Garden Club will be choosing two properties each month from May to October. Winners will have a sign placed in their yard for the month, with acknowledgment in the Town Newsletter and social media.

***Congratulations to our September 2026 Gardening with Pride Award recipients!***



Mike Bauer



Angie Moore

Thank you for helping make Trenton a more beautiful place to live. Your hard work, creativity, and pride in your properties brighten our community and inspire others to do the same.

## Trenton Parks & Recreation

The Trenton Parks and Rec office is located at the Trenton Rink (75 Park Road) & is open for public office hours: Monday to Friday, 8:00am to 4:00pm.

902-752-2382

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### Trenton Park Off Season

The Trenton Park Office, splash pad and washrooms are now closed for the season and will reopen in the spring of 2027. For any recreational inquiries over the winter months, please use the contacts above.

### 2026-27 Public Skating Schedule

**Adult Skates:** Monday, Wednesday, Friday 12:00pm to 1:30pm

**After School Skate:** Friday, 3:00pm to 4:00pm

**Parent & Tot Skate:** Sunday, 10:00am to 11:00am



### Trenton Rink Rentals

Trenton Rink offers 2 versatile community spaces. The Viewing Room and Annex are both available for rent to be utilized by local groups and organizations for a variety of events, meetings, and community activities. For rink rental inquiries, please contact Craig Murray by email at: [craig.murray@trenton.ca](mailto:craig.murray@trenton.ca) or call the rink at 902-752-2382.

### Local Skate Sharpening

Get your skates sharpened in Trenton for only \$5 per pair! 34 years experience at sharpening skates. For more information, please call or text Darryl at 902-921-4184.



Stones RV New Glasgow is again hosting Coats For Kids. New or gently-used coats, hats, mittens, shoes and boots are being collected (infant to adult sizing). Clean items requested with working zippers and no stained or torn clothing. Collection will take place **October 1 to November 25, 2026.**

### Donation Drop-off Locations:

- ♦ Stones RV New Glasgow  
2689 Westville Road, New Glasgow
- ♦ United Way of Pictou County  
342 Stewart Street, New Glasgow

### Distribution Date: November 28, 2026

10:00am to 2:00pm  
Pictou County Wellness Centre 2756  
Westville Road, New Glasgow Follow  
@StonesRV for updates.

## Pop-Up Food Giveaway

**Friday, November 6, 2026**

**1:00pm to 3:00pm at the Trenton Library (1 Forge Street)**

Drop in for a pop-up food giveaway, courtesy of Humble Harvest, while supplies last. First come, first served, and please bring your own bags! If you wish to donate for the event, please drop your donations off directly on the day.



## Remembrance Day Office Closure

The Town Administration Office (120 Main Street) will be closed in respect of Remembrance Day on **Wednesday, November 11, 2026**. The office will reopen for public office hours (9:00am to 3:00pm) on Thursday, November 12, 2026.

## Province of NS - Property Tax Rebate for Seniors

### Submission Deadline Quickly Approaching: December 31, 2026

Apply for the Property Tax Rebate for Seniors to help with the cost of your municipal residential property taxes. The program provides eligible homeowners with a rebate of 50% of the municipal residential property taxes they paid for the 2025 tax year, up to a maximum of \$800. Amounts for commercial property, resource property (non-residential land or forest) and municipal rebate ineligible (ex: the Town's Low Income Tax Exemption). To qualify, you need to be 65 or older in 2026, pay your 2025 municipal residential property taxes in full, lived at the property as your primary residence in 2025, receive/eligible to receive the Guaranteed Income Supplement or Allowance from Service Canada.

To apply, you require property tax bills and receipts showing your 2025 property taxes are paid in full or a Municipal Property Tax Sheet completed by Town Hall. Prior to coming to Town Hall, please call 902-752-5311 to request this form. **The FINAL DATE to receive your Tax Sheet or submit from Town Hall is December 22, 2026. Applications MUST be received by the December 31, 2026 deadline.**

**Note:** The Seniors Property Tax Rebate application form also allows applicants to opt in for the 2026-27 Heating Assistance Rebate Program.

## Province of NS - Heating Assistance Rebate Program

### Apply for a heating assistance rebate

The Heating Assistance Rebate Program helps low-and modest-income Nova Scotians with the cost of home heating. Rebates are \$400 for each household. You can apply from October 1, 2026 to March 31, 2027. Eligible home heating costs include: heating oil, electric heat, natural gas heat, wood, wood pellets, coal, other heating sources. Ineligible home heating costs include: heating that's included in rent, the cost of electricity usage that's less than 5,000 kWh per year and heating for investment/income, seasonal/recreational, or commercial properties.

To qualify for the rebate, you need to pay for your own home (residential) heat and meet one (1) of the following criteria:

- ♦ have a 2025 net income of \$30,000 or less & live alone with no kids/dependents
- ♦ have a combined 2025 net household income of \$45,000 or less and live with kids, dependents or other adults (to qualify as a single parent, you need to receive the Canada Child Benefit)
- ♦ receive Income Assistance from the Dept. of Opportunities & Social Development
- ♦ receive Guaranteed Income Supplement (GIS) or Allowance from Service Canada

The Heating Assistance Rebate Program may ask you to provide a heating bill or receipt. The program recommends that you include a heating bill or receipt when applying if this is your first time applying for the Heating Assistance Rebate, you have moved since you last received the rebate, or you live in a multi-unit dwelling. Have questions? For more information, call 1-800-670-4357.

**You need to apply by March 31, 2027.** Applying online is easy and the fastest way to apply. You can apply online at: [www.novascotia.ca/heatinghelp](http://www.novascotia.ca/heatinghelp)



**BE SCAM AWARE - The Dept. of Service Nova Scotia will never text or email you for banking information or ask you to click a link to "deposit" your rebate.**

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