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Our 50th Anniversary Celebrations!

Our 50th Anniversary Celebration was a complete success! Council was very pleased to hear the celebration described as fabulous, fantastic, amazing, and impressive.

The Meet & Greet Casino Night was a spectacular start to our celebrations providing the perfect venue for people to mingle, have fun and reunite with family and friends.

Our Community Centre filled to capacity for the Local Talent Concert. Never before have we seen so many in attendance. As always, the concert was enjoyed by all. Hats off to the very talented performers from our community, and thank you to the many volunteers behind the scenes.



The flotilla was a wonderful addition to the festivities. It was a beautiful sight to see so many boats in the Harbour. Thanks to all who participated.



The festivities at the ball park were both colorful and lively starting with our mummer's parade which set the mood for our celebration. There was something for everyone. The highlight of the event, as many people indicated, was spending time with family and reuniting with old friends, and simply appreciating our community.



The music throughout the weekend was outstanding from the Jag Rays to Young Guns. It was an extraordinary lineup! One person commented that the music was excellent from start to finish! Another commented on the venue, noting the ball park as a facility to be proud of!

It takes a significant amount of planning, commitment, and hard work to organize a five-day event. This celebration was made possible by the Come Home Year Committee led by Lydia Burke. This dedicated team of volunteers was the force behind the success of our 50th Anniversary Celebrations. Council extends their sincere appreciation and gratitude to Lydia and the Come Home Year Committee. Mayor Gary Keating said, *“This event is a demonstration of what can be achieved in a community when we work together toward a common goal.”* Council also thanks the many volunteers, our staff and our summer students for their hard work and contribution to this very special event.

As well, we extend our sincere gratitude to our major sponsors; Vale NL, Long Harbour Development Corporation, Eastern Composite, Magtek Industries, I.J. Smith Home Building Centre, Keating Insulation, Stewart McKelvey Law, and Concord Paving Ltd. Your generosity is much appreciated. In addition to being a major sponsor, Vale provided a bus tour of the Vale site. Many people took advantage of the opportunity to see the Vale site up close and learn a little about nickel production, thus making the bus tours another successful part of our celebration.



Long Harbour-Mt. Arlington Heights has a lot to be proud of and our 50th Anniversary Celebration points to a proud community with a bright future!

2018 Long Harbour-Mt Arlington Heights Gravy Boat Slow-pitch Tournament



2018 Gravy Boat Champs!

The 12th Annual Gravy Boat Softball Tournament was a big hit! Thank you to the organizers and sponsors Bev Bruce and Kevin McDonald who work tirelessly to host this event each year. Also, thanks to the teams and the volunteers who help make the Gravy Boat the great success it is.

Catch the Community Spirit!

Congratulations to the Green Team coached by Cory Bruce:

Back Row L-R: John Byrne, Kendra King, Wayne Kelly,
Evan Brothers, Tom Bruce, Danny Burke and Jeff Affleck.

Front Row L-R: Ben Russell, Janice Byrne, Cory Bruce, and
Rebecca Murphy.

Municipal Bi-Election - 2018

The Municipality of Long Harbour-Mt. Arlington Heights will call a bi-election in October, 2018, to replace former councilor Felix Bailey. Felix resigned from Council because of on-going health issues. It was with great regret that Council accepted his resignation. Felix was a pleasure to work with and he will be missed. Both council and staff wish him all the best for a speedy recovery.



Nomination of Candidates

For the Municipality of Long Harbour - Mount Arlington Heights, nominations of candidates for election to the council for the municipality of Long Harbour - Mount Arlington Heights will be received between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. on Monday, September 17, 2018 at the Long Harbour - Mount Arlington Heights Town Office at 262A Main Street.

Nominations shall be in writing and state the name and civic address of the candidate and shall be signed by the Proposer and Secunder both of whom shall be present together with the candidate who shall sign also signifying his/her acceptance. In the event that a candidate cannot be present for his/her nomination, his/her proposer and seconder can complete the required form.

Every candidate shall at the time of his/her nomination, deposit with the Returning Officer a non-refundable sum of ten dollars (\$10.00).

The qualifications of a candidate for election to council are as follows:

- Canadian citizen who is 18 years of age or older;
- Ordinarily resident in the municipality or area for at least 30 days prior to the date set for the commencement of the nomination period;
- Not in arrears of taxes or other charges payable to the municipality; and
- Not otherwise disqualified under *The Municipal Election Act*.

Back to School!

The Town Council would like to remind the public to please watch for our children racing to and from our bus stops. Let's make this a safe and accident free schoolyear!

To our students and teachers, we wish you a safe, happy and successful schoolyear!



Come Home Year Keepsakes

There is a number of memory books as well as Come Home Year T-shirts and bags for sale at the Town Office. The books are selling for \$20.00, and the T-shirts are selling for \$15.00. The Come Home Year bag is just \$5.00 and includes a water bottle with the Come Home Year logo, a town pin, a scratch pad and pen and an event booklet - magnificent keepsakes. Any of these items would make a great gift idea for anyone connected to our community.

Mayor's March for Heart & Stroke



Our province leads the country in cardiovascular and cerebrovascular disease-related deaths - a startling statistic that the Heart & Stroke Foundation is working tirelessly to change. The Newfoundland and Labrador Heart & Stroke Foundation is seeking our help in raising much needed funds to aid in their fight. Our community has been challenged to take part in the Mayor's March for Heart & Stroke.

The Mayor's March is an opportunity for Mayors, Councillors and Community Residents to walk together in solidarity to improve the Heart and Brain Health of Newfoundland and Labrador.

Let's Make the Mayor's March a Community Event!

Register for the walk by calling the Town Office. Please register before September 14th to ensure we have your 2018 Heart & Stroke T-shirt and a Come Home Year water bottle ready for you.

On September 23, 2018, join us here at the Municipal Complex at 2:00 p.m. Together we will walk the trail in support of the Newfoundland and Labrador Heart & Stroke Foundation.

Let's show our Community Spirit! Let's walk for everyone we know affected by cardiovascular and cerebrovascular disease.

For Sale by Tender

The Town of Long Harbour & Mount Arlington Heights will accept sealed tenders up to 4:00 p.m. Thursday, September 20, 2018 for the following item:

Gym Equipment - **One Hoist Rack with Six sets of Weights**

This package includes one Hoist Rack and two each of 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, and 50lb. weights.

All tenders must be sealed and clearly marked Tender Gym Equipment. Mail your sealed bid to the following address:

Town of Long Harbour - Mt. Arlington Heights
P.O. Box 40
Long Harbour, NL A0B 2J0

Your sealed bid can be dropped off at the Town Office in the Municipal Complex at 262A Main St., Long Harbour, during regular office hours, (Weekdays - 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.).

For additional information or to view the items please contact the Town Manger or Office Administrator at 709 228-2920. Emailed bids will not be accepted as they are not sealed.

Tenders will be opened at the regular meeting of Council, Thursday, September 20, 2018. The sale must be completed within five days of the tender opening.