



"We Need Every Body"

If you would like to be a part of the Official Community Plan Public Hearing please come by the Community Hall located at 1473 Broughton Boulevard, Port McNeill, BC.

Monday, March 7, 2022 at 7:00pm.



Room to Dream. Room to Grow.
Port McNeill BC



Serving the North Island since 1970.

March						
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Recycling pick-up days

Garbage pick-up days

For information regarding garbage and recycling pick-up please call
Fox's Disposal at
250-949-6306

Kayak Guiding Foundations

Get certified as a sea kayaking guide and in wilderness first aid, engage in marine wildlife interpretation training, and gain professional guiding skills suited for work leading groups tours within the standards of the Sea Kayaking Guides Alliance of BC. We are seeking 10 eligible participants from Mount Waddington Regional District. Program has no cost to participants and is open to unemployed or under-employed applicants. Program will be delivered to meet or exceed all current Covid-19 guidelines essential and being ready for employment opportunities in the region.
Port Hardy March 1-May 21
Contact Renee at 250-923-9724 or ceninfo-cr@nic.bc.ca for more information and to apply.



Tonight we move the clocks ahead
one hour and spring forward.



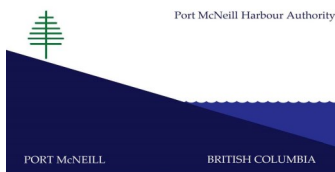
March 13, 2022
After the winter we've had,
I'm all for anything with the
word "spring" in it!

Town Office Hours

OPEN: 9:00am - 5:00pm, Monday to Friday

Phone: 250-956-3111

For emergencies after hours call 250-956-4521



Harbour Office & Info Center Hours

OPEN: 8:30am - 4:30pm, Monday to Friday

Phone: 250-956-3881

For emergencies after hours call 250-974-8499

Meetings in March

Regular Meeting of Council

March 8 & 22, at 7:00pm at The Community Hall

Committee of the Whole

March 1, at 9:00am at The Community Hall

Harbour Advisory Group

March 10, at 7:00pm at The Harbour Office

Budget meeting

March 3, 17 & 31, at 9:00am at The Community Hall

<https://portmcneill.ca> For more details



All meetings are open to the public. Occasionally meeting dates and times may change due to other events. Watch for meetings on Microsoft Teams, our Town website and Facebook page. All meetings are recorded for future viewing.

Wanted – Adult Learners and Tutors

Do you want to learn about computers, but don't know where to start? Are you scared to death of writing a test or exam? Do you need help with basic math or reading skills? If so, then this free program is for you! The Adult Literacy Program from Mount Waddington Family Literacy Society offers help in all these areas and more! Learn in small groups or have one-on-one sessions with tutors who can help you reach your goals. Learn at your own speed with no pressure. This free program is available to anyone over age 18 years. It's a great day to get started, and help is available at any time. For more information or to join, contact Nickka Hutton Adult Literacy Coordinator, Mount Waddington Family Literacy Society 250-902-7149

Nickka.MWAdultLiteracy@gmail.com

"The secret of our success is that we never, never give up."
– Wilma Mankiller

Gate House Theatre

"Check our website for details about movies and upcoming events" Returning from 2021 Music Fest, CURL, Blues & Beyond! March 26 at 8pm. This trio of women perform a wide range of Blues & Soul, plus original music from their two CDs Please consider becoming a member of Gate House Community Association. We have a great new lineup of membership perks:
1. One free popcorn at each event
2. 10% off event tickets with early purchase
3. One \$100 rental /year (value \$150)
4. Your name entered into a quarterly draw for event tickets or merchandise
5. The opportunity for committee involvement

-Individual membership \$25
-Family membership \$50



CHILTON ARENA

~ March 2022 ~

EVENTS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Public Skate 2:45-4:00pm	Public Skating 11:30am-1:00pm	Parent & Tot 11:00am-12 Noon Stick Time 12:00-1:15pm Senior Stick time 1:15-2:15pm	Public Skating 11:30-1:00pm	Parent & Tot 11:00am-12 Noon Stick Time 12:00-1:15pm Senior Stick time 1:15-2:15pm	Public Skating 5:30-7:00pm	Watch for Hockey Game schedule on our Facebook Page
Arena Phone 250-956-3522 E-Mail smarshall@rdmw.bc.ca						

Please watch our Facebook Page [CHILTON REGIONAL ARENA](#) for all updates, changes, cancellations and new activities

March Tide Predictions											
Day Time		Metres Feet		Jour heure		mètres pieds					
1	0045	4.3	14.1	16	0036	4.1	13.5				
	0612	1.9	6.2		0608	2.0	6.6				
	TU 1159	4.9	16.1		WE 1155	4.4	14.4				
MA 1901	0.5	1.6	ME 1844	0.9	3.0	17	0104	4.3	14.1		
	0123	4.5		14.8	0646		1.7	5.6			
	0700	1.6		5.2	TH 1238		4.5	14.8			
WE 1249	4.9	16.1	JE 1913	0.9	3.0	18	0130	4.5	14.8		
	ME 1938	0.5		1.6	0724		1.4	4.6			
	0157	4.7		15.4	FR 1320		4.6	15.1			
3	0745	1.4	4.6	VE 1941	0.9	3.0	19	0157	4.6	15.1	
	TH 1335	4.9	16.1		0803	1.2		3.9			
	JE 2011	0.6	2.0		SA 1402	4.5		14.8			
4	0230	4.7	15.4	SA 2009	1.1	3.6	20	0223	4.8	15.7	
	0828	1.3	4.3		0844	1.0		3.3			
	FR 1418	4.7	15.4		SU 1446	4.4		14.4			
VE 2041	0.9	3.0	5	0259	4.7	15.4	21	0251	4.8	15.7	
	0910	1.2		3.9	0928	1.0		3.3			
	SA 1459	4.4		14.4	MO 1531	4.2		13.8			
6	0328	4.6	15.1	DI 2038	1.3	4.3	22	0323	4.8	15.7	
	0952	1.3	4.3		0844	1.0		3.3			
	SU 1540	4.1	13.5		LU 2110	1.5		4.9			
DI 2134	1.6	5.2	7	0356	4.5	14.8	23	0401	4.7	15.4	
	1036	1.4		4.6	1112	1.1		3.6			
	MO 1624	3.8		12.5	WE 1722	3.6		11.8			
LU 2203	1.9	6.2	8	0425	4.3	14.1	ME 2232	2.2	7.2		
	0425	4.3		14.1	1125	1.5		4.9			
	TU 1714	3.5		11.5	MA 2236	2.3		7.5			
9	0501	4.1	13.5	24	0449	4.5	14.8				
	1222	1.7	5.6		1218	1.2	3.9				
	WE 1821	3.3	10.8		TH 1847	3.4	11.2				
ME 2320	2.6	8.5	JE 2334	2.5	8.2	25	0554	4.3	14.1		
	0549	3.9		12.8	1337		1.3	4.3			
	1330	1.8		5.9	FR 2035		3.4	11.2			
TH 2016	3.1	10.2	VE	26	0106	2.7	8.9				
	11	0029			2.8	9.2	0717	4.1	13.5		
		0657			3.8	12.5	SA 1458	1.2	3.9		
FR 1447		1.7	5.6	SA 2158	3.7	12.1	27	0258	2.6	8.5	
	VE 2213	3.3	10.8		0842	4.1		13.5			
	0205	2.9	9.5		SU 1609	1.1		3.6			
12	0813	3.8	12.5	DI 2253	3.9	12.8	28	0422	2.2	7.2	
	SA 1559	1.6	5.2		0958	4.2		13.8			
	SA 2304	3.5	11.5		MO 1706	0.9		3.0			
13	0339	2.8	9.2	LU 2337	4.2	13.8	29	0520	1.9	6.2	
	0922	3.9	12.8		1102	4.4		14.4			
	SU 1654	1.4	4.6		TU 1752	0.8		2.6			
DI 2339	3.7	12.1	14	0443	2.5	8.2	30	0015	4.4	14.4	
	1019	4.1		13.5	0608	1.5		4.9			
	MO 1737	1.2		3.9	WE 1157	4.5		14.8			
LU	15	0009	3.9	12.8	ME 1831	0.8	2.6	31	0049	4.6	15.1
		0529	2.3	7.5		0652	1.2		3.9		
		TU 1109	4.3	14.1		TH 1245	4.5		14.8		
MA 1812	1.0	3.3	JE 1904	0.9	3.0						

Port McNeill Harbour

Harbour annual moorage fees are due on March 31, 2022. Due to a very long waitlist for the 2022 season, if you have not paid by this date your reserved slip will go to the next in line. Please call the Port McNeill Harbour Office at 250-956-3881 if you have any questions.

Annual parking and boat launch passes are available for purchase and pick up at the Harbour Office for the 2022 season.

\$225 for Annual Parking
\$100 for Annual Resident Boat Launch
\$160 for Annual Commercial and Non-resident Boat Launch Pass

Yard Waste Bunker

The Town of Port McNeill has provided a bunker for Port McNeill residents to drop off garden debris and lawn clippings. Located at the top of Tower Street by the Public Works Yard.

Please note: the bunker and large bin beside are only for grass clippings, garden debris and small branches.

Please clean up after your dog

The Town of Port McNeill would like to remind pet owners of their responsibility to pick-up after their dogs. We have provided several dog poop bag stations around the Town, for your convenience.

Fire Department Pre Fire Planning Checklists

Each year the Port McNeill Volunteer Fire Department needs all owners and operators of commercial establishments to complete a Pre-Fire Planning Checklist. The checklist provides valuable information to our fire department if there is ever a fire call to establishments that serve the public. If you have not received a new checklist please contact the Town Office at 250-956-3111

Happy St. Patrick's Day

Recycle BC

To keep more containers out of landfills and waterways, the Recycling Regulation has expanded the deposit-refund system to:

-Change the minimum refundable deposit on all containers to 10-cents
-Cover all beverage containers, including milk and milk-substitutes. Starting February 1, 2022.