

# Connecting Albert County

## March 2023

**Sea Fog on the  
Petitcodiac River  
by Gayle Steeves**

### Library Events in March at our Local Hillsborough Library

**Kids Craft:** DIY Puzzle Cube – Thursday, March 23, 3:30-4:30pm.  
School-aged kids are invited to the library to make their own puzzle cube. Registration required as space is limited.

**Adult Craft** – Saturday March 18, 1:30-3pm & Saturday, March 25, 1:30-3pm. Adults are invited to join us to make a fun craft for the home. For more information and to register, contact the library.

**Felt Friday** – Friday, March 10 & 24. Visit the library's Facebook or Youtube (Biblio Hillsborough Library) to view our newest online felt stories for toddlers and preschoolers.

#### March Break Activities

**March Break Activity Kit** – Starting on March 1, activity kits for children will be available for pickup at the library. These kits will include games, puzzles, crafts and more.

**Family Board Game Afternoon** – Wednesday, March 8, 1:30-4:30pm. Visit the library to play one of our family board games.

**Kids Craft:** Salt Painting – Thursday, March 9, 10:30-11:30am. School-aged children are invited to come to the library and make their own unique art using salt.

**All Ages Craft:** Design your own T-shirt – Saturday, March 11, 1:30-3:30pm. Using our cricut machine, cut out and transfer your own image onto a t-shirt. **Registration required as space is limited. Contact the library by Friday, March 3rd to register your place.**

*\*\*For Library Hours check out our Community Events Section\*\**

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## Community Member & Business of the Month Nominations

Do you know a person or business in the communities within Albert County who goes above and beyond what is expected of them? Who supports the community whenever the opportunity arises and who is always willing to help people or groups in need? Why not nominate that person or business for some small recognition in print in the new columns in the Connecting Albert County "Community Member of the Month" and "Community Business of the Month." All nominations are being received via email to [info@connectingalbertcounty.org](mailto:info@connectingalbertcounty.org). Please include the name and address of the person you are nominating, as well as your own name and address. Also include a description of what makes this person or business special and a pillar in the community. If possible, please include a photo as well. We look forward to hearing from you.

### Community Member of the Month ~ Nomination

*(Email all nominations to [info@connectingalbertcounty.org](mailto:info@connectingalbertcounty.org))*

**Name of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Name of Nominator:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Address of Nominator:* \_\_\_\_\_

**Please give a description of what you believe qualifies this person to be recognized as the Community Member of the Month for Albert County. (500-750 words) (If possible, please include a photo of the person as well.)**

### Community Business of the Month ~ Nomination

*(Email all nominations to [info@connectingalbertcounty.org](mailto:info@connectingalbertcounty.org))*

**Name of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address of Nominee:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Name of Nominator:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Address of Nominator:* \_\_\_\_\_

**Please give a description of what you believe qualifies this business to be recognized as the Community Business of the Month for Albert County. (500-750 words) (If possible, please include a photo of the business as well.)**

## *Community Member of the Month*

### **March - Kathy Tower**



This month's community member of the month is Kathy Tower. Kathy has lived and worked in our community for her whole life. She is a compassionate and caring person who spends the bulk of her spare time giving to others who are in need. She has always been an active member in local fundraisers and supported local groups who were raising funds for various activities. Kathy is a wife, mother of two, grandmother of two, daughter and sister. She makes everyone she meets feel like they are a member of her family.

When Covid-19 shut everything down a few years ago, Kathy noticed that many of the local organizations were struggling to maintain their fundraising efforts and Kathy found a way to fill this need for not just one but multiple local organizations. She began an online, weekly, Facebook bingo. She continues to host this bingo and to date has raised over \$15,000 for local groups, organizations and people or families in need. Many of these organizations would not have survived the pandemic without her tremendous efforts. Although she was always involved in fundraisers before Covid, she truly

saved some of the organizations in our area with her efforts during and after the pandemic.

It is also important to note that only those who are most special, like Kathy, have the direct connections that she has; including a direct line to Santa Claus. She tops Santa's Nice List, and can be counted on each year to be one of his helpers at various community parades and events.

Here is what some of the other members of her community have to say about Kathy:

"Kathy is the definition of community. She is always giving and raising money for non-profits and anyone in need. Her relationship with Santa gets our community a great amount of face time with the jolly ole soul every single year. She supports local business by including their products in her donations, always paying out of pocket. She quietly gifts her cross stitch masterpieces to locals and children's toys to the RCMP, never looking for recognition. Kathy Tower is the kind of person that makes people want to live in a small community. Her recognition by Connecting Albert County is well deserved."  
Angela Elliott

"Kathy will help anyone at any time! She is always willing to help any person or group that needs it." Greg Rossiter (aka The Grinch)

"She is really funny. She brightens every room she enters and teaches and encourages other people to help as well." Brooklyn Rossiter (aka The Mini Grinch)

She has made a lasting impact on many people with her generous and caring spirit and this month we honor her for the kind, caring and gentle soul that she is. We are so very lucky to know Kathy and to be a part of the community that she lives in and cares so deeply for. Our community is a much better place because she is a part of it.

If you are interested in participating in her ongoing Online Charity Bingo then check out her page on Facebook and she will get you set up to play on Thursday evenings. [\(1\) Online charity bingo](#) | [Facebook](#)



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## Urban/Rural Rides expands its service area

*by Kelly Taylor*

Urban/Rural Rides completed its first official rides in the new expansion areas of Western Valley and the Northwest Region on February 15th. Volunteers and clients are excited to see the service operating in regions that struggle for transportation solutions. Urban/Rural Rides, using volunteer drivers, offers an affordable transportation option to assist people in accessing medical appointments and other essential life services.

What started as three small groups operating in Southeast NB, Rural Rides, Tele-Drive and the drive program of the Volunteer Centre of SENB have seen record growth since they decided to merge and work together as Urban/Rural Rides. The first phase of growth was to expand service to the entire Southeast NB area encompassing all of Albert and Westmorland Counties. In 2021, Greater Fredericton Social Innovation contacted Urban/Rural Rides to expand and offer service in the greater Fredericton area. Expansion continues there with five municipalities in the region currently receiving service.

In 2022, the Province of New Brunswick assigned transportation as a mandate of the regional service commissions. The Western Valley Regional Service Commission and the Northwest Regional Service Commission then began to look for ways to provide transportation in their regions. Watching the expansion into the

Fredericton region prompted both commissions to reach out to Urban/Rural Rides to expand and offer the same service in their regions as well.

The recruitment and preparation of volunteers began and both services officially launched in February 2023. Now, as the client base builds, recruitment will be ongoing to keep up with the demand.

The board and staff of Urban/Rural Rides are very excited to be able to assist those in need of transportation throughout all four regions. Since its inception, the goal has been to continue to promote and encourage creative and effective ways to solve the lack of transportation alternatives for residents of New Brunswick, and, in particular, senior residents. If you would like to be part of a team of volunteers changing lives one ride at a time, please call 506-962-3073 or visit online at <http://urbanruralrides.ca>



## Albert County Historical Society Hosts Presentation as part of Riverview Winter Carnival! *by Dawne McLean & Janet Clouston*

On Thursday, February 9th from 2-4 pm, the Albert County Historical Society (ACHS) was pleased to host a heritage presentation at the Town Hall in Riverview as part of the 2023 Winter Carnival programming. Through collaborations with the Riverview Parks and Recreation Department, the Albert County Museum had previously hosted senior tours and provided the AC175 Mobile Exhibit for display in the Town Hall lobby during the 2022 Heritage Week. However, the 2023 February heritage talk at the Town Hall was the first 'in-person' presentation by the ACHS scheduled by the Town of Riverview during a major event. The ACHS greatly appreciated this opportunity as it aligns with their mandate of Outreach and Education.

The 40 attendees were treated to an excellent Heritage Talk presented by Dawne McLean, ACHS President and published author of

"A Glimpse of Past Days". Dawne provided an overview of her family's multi-generational connection to the County and shared remarkable stories of "past days" by reading from her new book and displaying momentos and historical items. Along with Museum Manager, Janet Clouston, the two-hour program concluded with a vibrant Question & Answer session with discussions of WWI history, stories of shipbuilding, ship captains, and other unique and interesting aspects of rural life along the Fundy Coast.

Also included in the heritage event was the AC175 Mobile Exhibit (featured in photos). Created in 2020 with support by Tourism, Heritage and Culture NB, this four-sided interactive display features 36 unique stories of the history of Albert County and of "The Land, Sea and People" of the area. A timeline of significant events between 1845 and 2020 wraps around the bottom panels of the



*Dawne McLean, ACHS President, with the Heritage Display.*

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exhibit. The exhibit is a lasting legacy of the AC175 celebration. It has travelled the region, being displayed at Resurgo Place, Riverview High School, Caledonia Regional High School and the Riverside-Albert Recreation Centre. The exhibit will continue to travel to other locations and will return to the Museum for display in the Court House from May 20 onward for the 2023 operating season. If you would like to discuss having the Mobile Exhibit for an event or program, please call 506-734-2003 or email [info@albertcountymuseum.com](mailto:info@albertcountymuseum.com).



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*ACHS Directors Janine Underhill, Dawne McLean, Sharon McIntyre, Angela Smith and Vaughn Snyder. Joining them is Ash Arrowsmith, Community Recreation Coordinator, Town of Riverview (second from the right).*



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# Albert County Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards 2023

The Albert County Chamber of Commerce (ACCC) is pleased to announce that the 6th Annual Business Excellence Awards will be held on Thursday, May 11th. After a successful return to an in-person celebration at Broadleaf Guest Ranch in 2022, the Awards have returned to traveling throughout the County! This year's event will be hosted at Holy Whale in Riverview at the Chocolate River Station.

It's always a pleasure to formally recognize and celebrate the distinguished business and community leaders within Albert County. This year's celebration continues to honour our elegant, personalized and community-focused history attendees know and love. The event will include our signature awards by Glass Roots, local, live music by Fundy Ceilidh, a silent auction featuring beautiful local items, and door prizes - all whilst telling the stories of our local business community.

ACCC continues to grow the Awards event taking into consideration feedback from the business community. This means that this year will offer more opportunities for networking and accessibility. The event will be on a Thursday evening giving more businesses that are busy on weekends an opportunity to attend. In addition, guests will find a more fluid event with more time for mingling over a beautiful multi-course tasting menu offered by Sophia & Spritz, (owned by Albert County resident James Hughes), drink pairings featuring Holy Whale Brewery products, and other delicious Albert County surprises.

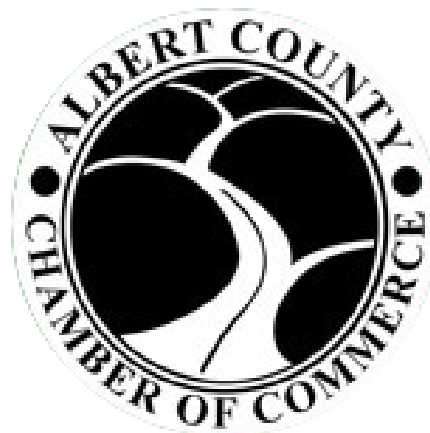
Albert County has always had a special relationship with the arts. From painting to pottery, cuisine to cinema, writing to woodworking, the Albert County Chamber of Commerce believes our region boasts some of the most talented artists in the world, and we want to show them off! As part of our celebration, the Chamber is coordinating an Albert County Artist

Row in the atrium of the Chocolate River Station during the day leading up to the Awards with a special viewing during the event.

Last but not least, nominations are open! We encourage all members of the public to get involved and nominate their favourite Albert County businesses as soon as possible. All nominated businesses will be eligible for the People's Choice Award. The deadline for nominations is April 3rd and public voting for the People's Choice Award will be held online and at participating locations throughout the County between April 6th and 27th.

Tickets go on sale February 27th and the link to purchase will be found on our website, social media pages or on [www.eventbrite.ca](http://www.eventbrite.ca).

To learn more about the Albert County Chamber of Commerce Business Excellence Awards, to make a nomination or to learn about how your business can contribute through sponsorship of this incredible event, go to [www.albertcountychamber.com/2023-acc-awards](http://www.albertcountychamber.com/2023-acc-awards), email [admin@albertcountychamber.com](mailto:admin@albertcountychamber.com), or call/text the event coordinator, Melody Land, at 506-381-8747.





# **News from the New Brunswick Senior Citizens Federation**

## **(NBSCF) by Lise Guignard**

The Board of Directors had its first meeting of the year on Tuesday January 31st (which had to be postponed from January 24th due to bad weather). During this meeting, the Board accepted the request of the office manager, Lise Guignard, for a 4-day work week. Beginning the week of February 6th, 2023, the office now has extended hours from 8 am to 5 pm, Monday through Thursday, and is closed on Fridays.

The standing committees of the NBSCF are all established and have already had the first meetings to discuss changes and modifications to the Strategic Plan and to the policies of the Federation. The government relations committee wants a meeting with government officials in February to discuss the 2022 resolutions.

The representative for Albert County is our Maple Leaf Zone President Doris Pauley (who is also second vice president of the Federation and chair of the Marketing and Revenue Generation Committee). She lives in Hillsborough and can be contacted by phone at (506) 734-8808 or email at [pauleyd@outlook.com](mailto:pauleyd@outlook.com)

### **2023 RESOLUTIONS**

Our Annual General Meeting will take place in Moncton on Tuesday May 9th, 2023. The deadline to submit the 2023 annual Resolutions to the New Brunswick Senior Citizens Federation for presentation at the 2023 AGM is March 31st, 2023.

Guidelines for Presentation of Resolutions to the Federation:

1. It is by way of resolutions that Federation members bring their concerns to the AGM.
2. Resolutions may be submitted by any individual member, club or zone which is a member in good standing of the Federation.

3. All resolutions endorsed at the AGM and which require action by the Province of New Brunswick or the Government of Canada shall be submitted to the appropriate minister, department or agency for response.

4. It is therefore important that resolutions be carefully worded so that the Federation is directed to take the appropriate action and that the proper message is conveyed.

5. The Federation does not wish to receive resolutions which pit one member, club or zone against another.

6. Members, clubs and zones submitting resolutions regarding Community Safety and Crime Prevention matters are advised to focus on the "principle" of the issue being addressed and avoid attempts to reword the criminal code.

7. A national vocabulary should be used when drafting resolutions. Local references may detract from the national significance of resolutions.

8. The Federation does not wish to receive resolutions that contradict the Federation's Constitution and Bylaws.

9. The descriptive clauses (WHEREAS...) should clearly and briefly set out the reasons for the resolution. If the sponsor believes that the rationale cannot be explained in a few preliminary clauses, the problem should be more fully stated in supporting documentation.

10. Resolutions from the floor will be accepted at the AGM as long as they are presented when arriving at the AGM and that copies are available for all participants.

Please send your resolutions to:

The New Brunswick Senior Citizens Federation  
23-451 Paul Street, Suite 209-G, Dieppe, NB, E1A 6W8

By email at [NBSCF-FCANB@outlook.com](mailto:NBSCF-FCANB@outlook.com)

By fax at (506) 857-0315

# Coming up Next Month.....

Foods of The Fundy Valley, in partnership with the Town of Riverview is pleased to announce its third annual "**Taps To Tables, Discover Albert County's Maple" Tour.**

The Maple Tour is a collection of local maple "to-dos" featuring sugar bush tours, maple breakfasts, maple beer, maple-inspired dining, and, of course, maple baked goodies, etc. The Maple Tour will take place during this year's Maple Festival in Riverview March 30 - April 2, 2023. Businesses are invited to showcase everything from a family sugarbush to the largest of maple productions, local maple beers, pastries, coffees, baked goods, pet treats, pizza or perhaps a signature maple dish. The options are endless. Stay tuned to our Facebook page for up to date information on this year's festival as well as a copy of the "maple" map.



We're celebrating maple season here on the farm! Join Farmer Brown's on Saturday April 1st, from 9 am to 12 noon, for a farm-to-table pancake breakfast. The trails will be open, with a few trees tapped, the farm animals will be about, and, of course, the dogs will be here ready to play. Due to last year's amazing turn out, we are moving the breakfast to our greenhouses located at 112 Levy Road East to allow for more room and improved washroom facilities.

The cost is \$15.00/adult and \$9.00/child (plus tax). Children two and under are free. Breakfast includes homemade pancakes, ham, sausage or bacon, baked beans and home fries, as well as coffee/tea or juice & water. Local maple syrup provided by our friends at Briggs Maples.





**The Old Church  
Farmers' Market**

2807 Main Street,  
Hillsborough

**Saturdays 9am to 2pm**

Meet friends at The Old Church Farmers Market for Oliver's German Bakery, meats, eggs, farm foods, crafts, knitting, art, jam, syrups, soaps, potions, vegetables, with a spot of music and Buddha Bear coffee.



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## **Making Ukrainian Easter Eggs**

Learn how to make beautiful Ukrainian Easter eggs. An experienced instructor will walk participants through the process of turning an egg into an art piece, while sharing insights into Ukrainian traditions, customs, symbols, and history that surround the art form. Traditional Ukrainian eggs, known as pysanky, are decorated with symbols and colours that carry meaning and good wishes. While there are various methods and techniques for decorating eggs, participants will have the opportunity to get creative with the batik method (creating designs using dye and wax to seal the colours).

Pre-registration is required by sending a message directly to our Facebook page or texting 506-878-9285. [Farmer Brown's Greenhouse | Hillsborough NB | Facebook](#). The cost is \$60.00/person and will include a light lunch and beverage. Open to all ages. Sunday, April 2nd at 11:00am.

The event is hosted by Farmer Brown's Greenhouse & The Ukrainian Club of Moncton. Workshop will be held at 112 Levy Road East, Dawson Settlement, NB.



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# Upcoming COMMUNITY EVENTS

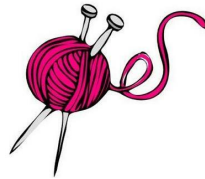
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## Mondays

**Pickleball.** 7-9:30pm. Riverside-Albert Recreation Centre, 9 Bicentennial Rd. Bring court shoes and refreshments (non-alcoholic). Equipment and instruction available. Suggested donation: \$2. For information, call Jim (506-588-3441) or email: [chipoudycrc@gmail.com](mailto:chipoudycrc@gmail.com).

**Stitch & Tea Evening.** 7-8:30pm. **New location-** Caledonia High School, 35 School Lane, Hillsborough. Bring a portable project, enjoy some tea and have a chat. Optional: Donation to the school Breakfast Club.



## Tuesdays

**Tuesday League – Fundy Curling Club.** Games at 7pm and 8:35pm. 16 Mill St. Riverside-Albert. Reminder for those owing dues, kindly arrange to pay dues at the door or e-transfer in advance. Contact [fundycurling@gmail.com](mailto:fundycurling@gmail.com).

## Wednesdays

**Pickleball.** 2:30-4:30pm. Riverside-Albert Recreation Centre, 9 Centennial Rd. Bring court shoes and refreshments (non-alcoholic). Equipment and instruction available. Suggested donation: \$2. For information, call Jim (506-588-3441) or email: [chipoudycrc@gmail.com](mailto:chipoudycrc@gmail.com).

**Hillsborough Kiwanis Bingo.** 6:30-9:30pm. Doors open at 5 pm. 47 Legion St. Canteen available.

## Thursdays

**Men's League – Fundy Curling Club.** 7:30pm. 16 Mill St., Riverside-Albert. Reminder for those owing dues, kindly arrange to pay dues at the door or e-transfer in advance. Contact [fundycurling@gmail.com](mailto:fundycurling@gmail.com).

## Fridays

**Chase the Ace – Fundy Curling Club.** 5:30-7pm. 16 Mill St., Riverside-Albert. Tickets on sale Monday to Friday at Crooked Creek Convenience and on Fridays at the Club from 5:30-7pm prior to the 7:30 draw. Attend in person or watch it live on Facebook [@communityrevitalization](https://www.facebook.com/communityrevitalization).



## Saturdays

**Karaoke Shenanigans.** 7-11pm. Ships Landing Bar at the Royal Canadian Legion, 31 Legion St., Hillsborough. Entertainment, 50/50 draw and bar. Cover charge \$5/person.

## Sundays

**Little Rocks Curling – Fundy Curling Club.** 1:30-3pm. 16 Mill St., Riverside-Albert. Children aged 6-12. For information, fees and registration, contact Alan (506-882-1182) or [eademaline@gmail.com](mailto:eademaline@gmail.com).



# Upcoming COMMUNITY EVENTS

## Wednesday, March 15 and Thursday, March 16

### **Eco360 Mobile Depot-Fundy Albert (Alma).**

Noon-8pm. Activity Centre, 8 School St. No fee. Residents can dispose of waste up to ½ ton truck + utility trailer per day. Material should be bagged, boxed, bundled and ready for easy unloading. For information on acceptable items, refer to [www.eco360.ca](http://www.eco360.ca).

## Saturday, March 18 and Sunday, March 19

### **Pancake Breakfast-White's Maple.**

8am-noon. 4044 Rte. 910, Shenstone. Full homemade breakfast. Price \$14 each, children 10 years and under \$7. Group bookings available. Cash, debit and credit cards accepted. Wheelchair accessible. Maple products for sale and tours available. Contact [whitesmaple@gmail.com](mailto:whitesmaple@gmail.com).



## Saturday, March 18

**NB Genealogical Society-SE Branch.** 2pm. Zoom meeting. Author and researcher Linda Corupe (UE) will talk about genealogical information in the Canadian postal system data. To join this meeting, contact [nbgsseb@gmail.com](mailto:nbgsseb@gmail.com).

## Tuesday, March 21

Annual General Meeting-Chipoudy Communities Revitalization Committee. 7-8:30pm. Riverside-Albert Recreation Center, 9 Bicentennial Rd. All interested community members invited.



## Saturday, March 25 and Sunday, March 26

### **Pancake Breakfast-White's Maple.**

8am-noon. 4044 Rte. 910, Shenstone. Full homemade breakfast. Price \$14 each, children 10 years and under \$7. Group bookings available. Cash, debit and credit cards accepted. Wheelchair accessible. Maple products for sale and tours available. Contact [whitesmaple@gmail.com](mailto:whitesmaple@gmail.com).

## Wednesday, March 29 and Thursday, March 30

### **Eco360 Mobile Depot-Fundy Albert (Riverside-Albert).**

Noon-8pm. Recreation Centre, 9 Bicentennial Rd. No fee. Residents can dispose of waste up to ½ ton truck + utility trailer per day. Material should be bagged, boxed, bundled and ready for easy unloading. For information on acceptable items, refer to [www.eco360.ca](http://www.eco360.ca).



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## 2022/2023 Hillsborough Arena Ice Times

Monday - Preschool Skate 10 am - 11 am (free)  
 Tuesday - Adult Skate 1 pm - 2 pm  
 Thursday - Adult Skate 1 pm - 2 pm  
 Friday - Public Skate 8:15 pm - 9:15 pm  
 Saturday - Public Skate 2 pm - 3 pm & 8 pm - 9 pm  
 Sunday - Family Skate 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm

\$2.00 per person  
 \$5.00 Family

### Hillsborough Arena

#### March Break Skate Schedule

**\*FREE\***

Monday March 6th - 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
 Tuesday March 7th - 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm  
 Thursday March 9th - 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

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Wed 10am -12pm; 1-5pm	Mer 10h-12h; 13h-17h
Thu 10am -12pm; 1-5pm	Jeu 10h-12h; 13h-17h
Fri 10am -12pm; 1-5pm	Ven 10h-12h; 13h-17h
Sat 10am -12pm; 1-5pm	Sam 10h-12h; 13h-17h

# Connecting Albert County

[www.ConnectingAlbertCounty.org](http://www.ConnectingAlbertCounty.org)



**Wondering how to reach your target audience in Albert County?**

**Show the community you care and reach locals and visitors by advertising in our monthly mini-magazine, *Connecting Albert County*.**

For nine years, Connecting Albert County has provided our community with information on people, places and events in rural Albert County. Every month our publications have a readership of more than 1000 and our website receives thousands of hits.

Hundreds of free print copies of the mini-magazine are distributed each month throughout rural Albert County. Our full-colour digital publication has 550 subscribers and a much greater readership - this includes residents and frequent visitors to the area.

**Connecting Albert County is the place to advertise in rural Albert County!**

Ad size *	1 year	6 mos.	1 mo.	Flexibility
<b>Non-profit supporter</b> on back cover	\$100	\$70	\$25	Same each month
<b>Business supporter</b> on back cover	\$150	\$95	\$35	Same each month
<b>Business card</b> + link on back cover	\$400	\$250	\$85	Same each month
<b>1/4-page</b> + link on back cover	\$1350	\$800	\$195	Can change monthly
<b>1/2-page</b> + link on back cover	\$1600	\$1200	\$345	Can change monthly
<b>Full page</b> + link on back cover	\$1950	\$1500	\$475	Can change monthly

\* Business card: 3.5 x 2 in.; ¼- page: 3.65 x 5 in.; ½- page: 7.25 x 5 in.; Full page: 7.25 x 10 in.

\* Advertisers are listed online in the digital publication and on the back cover of each printed issue for the months they advertise. Year-round advertisers are also listed on many pages of our website. Each listing includes a link to the advertiser's website or Facebook page.

**Please reserve your space by March 15th, 2023 for the 2023-24 advertising year** (ads start in the April 2023 issue and end March 2024). However, we welcome ads throughout the year.

**We hope you will consider advertising in Connecting Albert County.** Email Amanda Rossiter at [info@connectingalbertcounty.org](mailto:info@connectingalbertcounty.org) or mail CAC, 8 Forestdale Road, Riverside-Albert, NB E4H 3Y7.

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For details about advertising, please see [ConnectingAlbertCounty.org/Advertising](http://ConnectingAlbertCounty.org/Advertising).

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**Fundy Mud Pottery** [fundymudpottery.com](http://fundymudpottery.com)

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