



# Community of Clyde River Newsletter

## Spring 2018

### Spring & Summer Events

Mark your calendar. We hope you can attend some of these community events planned for the warm weeks ahead. Keep an eye on the community website, [www.clyderiverpei.com](http://www.clyderiverpei.com), for more information on each of these events as the date draws closer.

- **Canada Day Celebrations: Sunday, July 1, 12:30 to 2:00, Riverview Community Centre.**  
It's a birthday party! Be a kid again or still. Enjoy hotdogs, cupcakes and ice cream. Help us raise the flag, sing the anthem and celebrate Canada's big day.
- **Strawberries and Ice Cream Social: Wednesday, July 11, 6:30 to 8:30, Riverview Community Centre.** The big summer event for Clyde River Women's Institute is, of course, the annual Strawberries and Ice Cream Festival where young and not so young gather to enjoy the scrumptious desserts and meet friends and neighbours. Admission at the door.
- **Art in the Park: Saturday, July 21, 9:00 to Noon, Murchison Place Park (shine or light rain).**  
Art in the Park welcomes all levels of painters, especially the beginner. Come on out for an enjoyable morning of painting with new and old friends, under the dappled canopy of the park. We also welcome those who enjoy watching art being created.  
All are invited to join a free demo and painting lesson in an interactive workshop style with artist Julia Purcell, starting at 9:30 am. Get started working in Plein Air painting and learn to develop a well-built start for your painting by using a view finder to shape a limited focus, plus many other painting insights. Bring your own painting materials and easel if you have one. View finders will be provided. If you plan to participate in this lesson, we ask you to pre-register by emailing [juliampurcell@gmail.com](mailto:juliampurcell@gmail.com). Coffee and water provided. There is a washroom on site.

### Part-time Position Available

The Clyde River Council is seeking a new municipal administrator. We are looking for a well organized person who can work on their own and with Council to ensure the smooth running of the community's official business. The administrator works from home and must have a telephone, computer and internet access. This position is part-time and paid through a fixed regular stipend. Start date: June 2018.

For an outline of the duties involved, check out the article on [www.clyderiverpei.com](http://www.clyderiverpei.com).

For more information call Hilda Colodey at 902-675-3171

## **Youth Summer Employment Opportunity**

The Clyde River Council has once again applied for funding to hire a summer student under the provincial Jobs for Youth program. Young people living in Clyde River and 16 years of age or older, who are interested in being considered for the position must submit an application with the provincial Employment Development Agency. This can be done on the provincial government website, [www.princeedwardisland.ca](http://www.princeedwardisland.ca). Once there, search for:

*“Apply to the Seasonal and Student Job Registry* to find the application.

The successful candidate will be employed for 8 weeks in July and August doing a variety of tasks including lawn and garden maintenance. The Council hopes to know by early June if their application is approved.

If you have any questions, please contact Bruce Brine at [clyderiver.cic@pei.sympatico.ca](mailto:clyderiver.cic@pei.sympatico.ca).

## **Clyde River Women’s Institute**

Summer is on its way and even though we had a better than average winter we are eager to feel the sunshine and warmth of summer. Are we having a Strawberries and Ice Cream Social this summer? – you bet we are – so circle Wednesday evening July 11<sup>th</sup> with serving beginning at 6:30 pm to come and enjoy fresh PEI Strawberries and Ice Cream accompanied by an array of home-made goodies. Also enjoy some chit-chat with friends and neighbours to complete the evening.

‘Tis also Graduation season and we wish to congratulate all those graduating this year and wish them the best of luck as they begin the next phase of education or begin their future path in life.

Our WI Group has changed its meeting time and now we meet on the first Monday afternoon of the month at 1:30 pm. We would welcome new members at any time and for more info on our group you can call President Lois MacLeod at 675-2993 or any member.

Just a reminder that our wheelchair accessible centre is available for rentals and is a wonderful place to hold small to medium gatherings such as birthday parties, anniversaries, meetings, family gatherings etc. For more info phone Betty Watts at 675-2840.

We in Clyde River WI wish everyone a safe and happy summer!!!

## **Recreation and Swimming Reimbursements Available**

A recreation reimbursement is available to residents (18 years of age and under); the annual maximum amount is \$30/child. All types of recreation that enhance a healthy lifestyle qualify.

A swimming reimbursement is also available to residents (school-aged) for an annual maximum amount of \$30/child. Contact Bruce Brine [clyderiver.cic@pei.sympatico.ca](mailto:clyderiver.cic@pei.sympatico.ca) to receive your reimbursement.

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