

# TOWN OF SHELBURNE, NS



## Message from the Mayor

To the Citizens of the Town of Shelburne,

It has been almost a year since you voted in your Council, so I would like to briefly comment on some key points. The number one commitment was to improving the financial position of the Town. After making some difficult decisions and because a number of events were reduced due to COVID-19 restrictions, we were able to move a surplus of \$416,000. With this surplus going to the operating reserves we are getting closer to what is an acceptable level. We will continue to be financially focused in the near future, allowing plans to begin for some small projects that need to be done.

There were a number of events that did take place this summer, such as the Farmers Market, the Guild Hall Summer Series, the Lawn Chair Festival, the Bluenose II visit, as well as the HMCS Oriole visit. These events could not have taken place without the commitments of a large number of volunteers. We are a town dependent on volunteers and they are always there when needed. To those who have stepped up, a huge Thank You, it is much appreciated by the Town of Shelburne.

On behalf of the Town and its citizens, I would also like to give a Thank You to our RCMP, Health Care Professionals, Shelburne Volunteer Fire Department as well as the Frontline Workers for their much appreciated dedication and professionalism. We as a Town are so fortunate to have such hardworking, committed staff in all departments- Thank You for all that you do.

It has been a very stressful and difficult year and a half. It is nice to see individuals thanking and supporting one another when the opportunities arise, it's a great gesture.

In closing, I'd like to welcome all the new residents to the Town. Thank you for choosing Shelburne. Feel free to reach out at the Town Hall for any concerns or questions at any time.

~Harold

### Upcoming Events:

#### **-October 2nd**

Fall Town Wide Yard Sale

#### **-October 2nd**

Council BBQ at the Guild Hall  
11:30-1:30

#### **-October 9th**

Giant Pumpkin Festival on  
Dock St 9-11am

#### **-October 12th-22nd**

Fall Metal Collection will take place

#### **-November 11th**

Remembrance Day at the  
Community Centre, 11am

#### **-October 31st**

Trunk or Treat (details TBD)

#### **-November 26th-28th**

Shelburne Celebrates Christmas  
(details TBD)

**Friendly Reminder**

-Please refrain from flushing anything but toilet paper in the sewer system.

-Wipes and chemicals are harmful for operation of the sewer plant.




<https://www.shelburnecounty.ca/>

For events, festivals, restaurants, beaches, places to stay & more!



<https://beta.novascotia.ca/apply-heating-assistance-rebate-heating-assistance-rebate-program>

**Shelburne County Community Health Board**

The Shelburne County Community Health Board is a volunteer board of Nova Scotia Health that represents YOU, residents of the Town of Shelburne, on matters of community health such as food security, affordable housing, recreation and wellness, community connections, and more! This fall, the CHB is focusing our efforts on affordable housing, including organizing the Shelburne County Housing Coalition and sharing information with our communities. To learn more about SCCHB, visit our Facebook page or call Coordinator Elisabeth Bailey at (902) 350-0478. If interested in joining please call Elisabeth for an application or for more information!



The last market day for the year is October 10th 2021. Thank you to the many volunteers that made this year's market a huge success!



The Eastern Shelburne County Accessibility Committee will be launching an online survey in the very near future!

Keep an eye out on the Town website and Facebook page!

**Community Use at SRHS**  
Community Use has begun at SRHS again, please see the Facebook page "Keep It Moving" for more information or call (902) 875-2831 Email [benn.himmelman@municipalityofshelburne.ca](mailto:benn.himmelman@municipalityofshelburne.ca)



**Roseway Hospital Charitable Foundation**

The Roseway Hospital Charitable Foundation is still seeking support and donations towards the new x-ray machine. Together we can reach our goal of \$650,000. We are almost there!!!

No donation is too small!

PO Box 610, Shelburne NS B0T1W0  
[www.rosewayhospitalfoundation.ca](http://www.rosewayhospitalfoundation.ca)  
More info: 902-875-4214

Sept 15-October 15 all bottle donations at Enviro Depot are going towards x-ray machine!



**Shelburne County Giant Pumpkin Festival**

Saturday October 9th 2021 from 9-11am

Bill Norman Park, Dock St.

Fun for the whole family!

Giant Pumpkin weigh in, BBQ, Pumpkin bouncy house, face painting, pumpkin carving and more!

