

JULY-AUGUST
2024

Recreation OROMOCTO

Building a Healthy Community

Community Guide



SIR DOUGLAS HAZEN PARK, THE PLACE TO BE THIS SUMMER! Mark your calendars!

Wednesday Nights in Oromocto have never looked so good.

Sir Douglas Hazen Park is host to the Summer Concert Series and Grimross Beer Garden. The Oromocto Night Market will be set up at the Hazen Centre and nearby Second Nature Outdoors all come together to bring one exciting night a week down by the beautiful waterfront.

The Summer Concert Series kicks off July 3rd at 7pm with different local musicians each week, showcasing our region's diverse culture. See page 3 for more information on the concerts.

You can also stay up to date by following "Oromocto Recreation & Tourism" on Facebook or Instagram.

TOWN OF OROMOCTO RECREATION AND TOURISM DEPARTMENT

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SPLASH PAD INFORMATION

Locations: Anniversary Park, Gesner Park & Deer Park

HOURS OF OPERATION: Monday - Sunday 10:00am - 8:00pm

Rules:

- Footwear or sandals are strongly recommended.
- Please WALK when on the Splash Pad.
- Roughhousing or unsafe play is prohibited.
- Please do not climb on the structure.
- Please do not have food, drink, gum or glass containers on the Splash Pad.
- No bicycles, skateboards, inline skates, scooters or other wheeled toys are permitted on the Splash Pad.
- Please keep pets on a leash; no pets allowed on Splash Pad.
- No smoking or alcohol permitted.

The Splash Pad may be closed at any time due to weather, maintenance or operational concerns.



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SUNBURY SENIORS FRIENDSHIP CLUB

Meetings held the 2nd Thursday every month from
1:30 pm to 3:30 pm at the Hazen Centre.

COME AND JOIN THE FUN!

For more info, please call President Lucille Crawford at (506) 446-5179.



137 MacDonald Avenue
Oromocto, NB E2V 1A6
Phone: (506) 357-7892

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Activities @ Sir Douglas Hazen Park

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Each Wednesday at the Sir Douglas Hazen Park Band Shell, enjoy a wonderful concert featuring a number of local artists and groups from 7:00pm to 8:00pm.

July 3: Oromocto First Nation Singer & Dancers

July 10: Sheldon Gordon and the Tone Kings

July 17: Katherine Moller

July 24 Higher Ground

July 31: Anthony Gray

August 7: Sour Dough Boy's

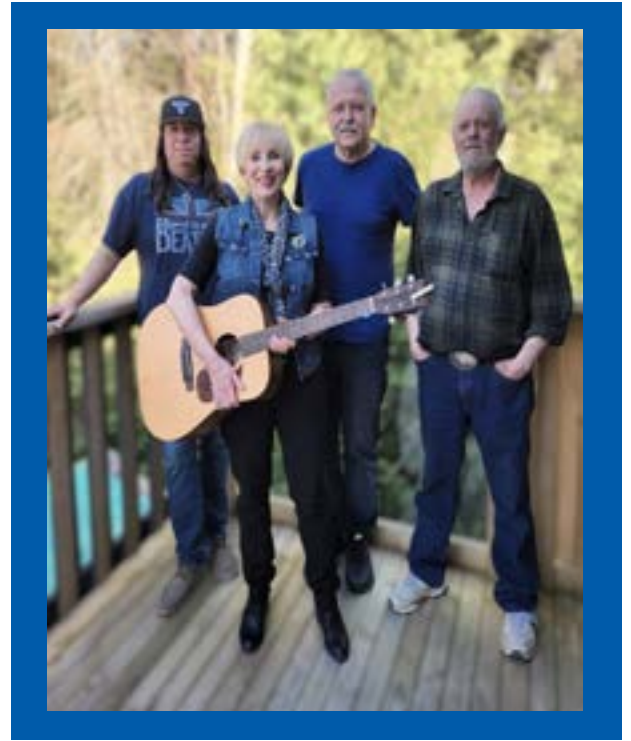
August 14: Cathy Hutch

August 21: CORSA

August 28: Melvin Fraser & Brooklyn Clowater

In the event of rain, the concerts will be held the next day on Thursday.

Stay up to date by following "Oromocto Recreation & Tourism" on Facebook or Instagram.



GRIMROSS BEER GARDEN

Located at Sir Douglas Hazen Park, near the Oromocto Boat Club!

HOURS:

WED/THURS 3-9pm

FRI/SAT 12pm-9pm

SUN 12pm-7pm

Can't wait to see you all there!
Grimross | Your Community Brewery



THE OROMOCTO MARKET

Located at the Hazen Park Centre!

SUMMER DATES

SATURDAY MARKETS: 21 JULY & 18 AUGUST 10-2PM

NIGHT MARKETS: EVERY WEDNESDAY JULY AND AUGUST 6-9PM

RAIN OR SHINE!

Follow "The Oromocto Market" on Facebook for updates!





FAY TIDD PUBLIC LIBRARY INFORMATION

JULY/ AUGUST 2024

This year's Summer Reading Club will kick off on Saturday, June 22nd at 10am with a drop in launch party! Children of all ages can register at the library anytime to receive a logbook to track their summer reading. We have a full summer of fun programs planned around this year's theme that's all about travel, Around the World in 8 Weeks!

Children can join the club anytime and stop by the library to update the logbook throughout the summer so we can track how much we read together!

For this year's **TEEN READING CHALLENGE** there will be activities teens can do in the library or take home, as well as featured books.

All library programs are free of charge.
Please register in advance by calling (506) 357-3329.

OASA 
LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!!
oromotosoccer.powerupsports.com

Interested in helping your community?
OASA is looking for volunteers interested in coaching our recreational and competitive programs!

Contact
coaches@oromotosoccer.ca
for more info!

FAY TIDD PUBLIC LIBRARY PROGRAMS

Weekly Programs

Wednesdays

Children (2-5 years old) are invited to join the READ TO ME CLUB Wednesdays at 10:30am. This 45 minute program is packed full of stories, games, play and crafts.

Thursdays

School-aged readers (5-8 years old) in the SUMMER READING CLUB will meet at 10:30am for an hour of fun and games, stories and crafts. Every week will be a new focus for this year's passport to reading! There will be plenty of guests, too!

Fridays

1. Youth 8 years and older are invited to join us for READING CHALLENGE at 10:30pm. There will be a packed hour of games, activities, experiments, maker projects and challenges. There will be plenty of special guests, too!

2. Need help downloading an ebook or audiobook, creating an email account, formatting a resume, or have another tech related question? We are booking HELP APPOINTMENTS on Fridays at 2pm. Please call in advance to book your spot.

Saturdays

Families can join us by Gesner Elementary School at 11am for our outdoor stories and games to MOVE, PLAY, LEARN. This program is weather permitting.

Special Events

Thursday, August 15

The Summer Reading Club will end with a CLOSING PARTY at 10:30am.

Saturday, July 6 and Aug 3

Set your goals and intentions or just have fun in our ADULT JOURNALING CLUB at 2pm. New members are always welcome and supplies are provided.

Wednesday, July 17 and Aug 21

We're hosting a COFFEE KLATCH at the library. A chance for adults to meet, socialize, and partake in coffee and tea from 2-3pm.

For more information and special events go to www.gnb.ca/publiclibraries or follow us on Facebook.

LIBRARY HOURS

Tues & Wed

10:00am – 9:00pm

Thurs, Fri, Sat

10:00am – 5:00pm

TOWN NOTICES

Council Highlights

PAVING PROJECTS

Paving is an essential part of the Town of Oromocto's annual maintenance work for its roads and streets. These projects involve several steps of work where roads remain open, however, traffic may be impacted by the phase of work. Look for orange painted areas highlighting caution to changes in road elevations and raised manholes. Drivers are reminded to slow down and pay extra attention in these areas as to avoid any potential damage to vehicles.

OROMOCTO COMMUNITY AND WELLNESS CENTRE

The Town continues to move forward its planning for a new recreation and wellness centre. It awarded a contract to Fougere Menchendon Architecture Inc. in the amount of \$873,850, plus HST, to undertake the preparation of funding applications, a design-build request for proposals and the construction administration of the Town of Oromocto Community Recreation and Wellness Centre Project.

2023 ANNUAL REPORT

This report is prepared annually pursuant to section 105 of the Local Governance Act. The report contains general information about the Town as well as detailed information regarding Town council, the provision of grants and types and cost of services provided. It also contains a copy of the 2023 Audited Financial Statements. It is available on the Town's website www.romocto.ca.

BY-LAW READING

The third reading of the by-law establishing Control of Animals was adopted. A copy of the by-law can be found on the Town's website: Oromocto.ca.

FIRE RESCUE TRUCK - TENDER AWARD

Metal Fab Ltd was awarded the tender for the replacement of the R421 Rescue Truck in the amount of \$1,237,490.31 plus HST.

HUMAN RESOURCES

1. Appointment of Mr. John Christie to the building maintenance section of the Engineering and Public Works Department.

AGREEMENTS APPROVED

1. The Mayor and CAO entered into a mutual aid fire services agreement with 5CDSB Gagetown; and
2. The annual service agreement with Indigenous Services Canada was approved for the period of 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025.

MARINA UPGRADES (FUEL TANKS)

Council approved an expenditure of \$150,000 to supply and install a 13,000-litre capacity fuel tank at the marina.

LAND SALES

Two parcels of land were sold for future residential development in Oromocto West:

1. A parcel of land (3169 sq.m.), located on Terry Fox Drive was sold for a price of \$207,000, plus HST.
2. A parcel of land (8133 sq. m.), located on Finnermore Street was sold for a price of \$320,000, plus HST.

Department of Engineering and Public Works Information:

Meter Reading

The Department of Engineering and Public Works will be performing their quarterly meter reads throughout the town during the month of July. Our staff are identified by a vehicle with Town of Oromocto decals. Questions about your Water & Sewer billing or changes to your account can be sent to finance@romocto.ca or by calling 506-357-4400 and selecting Option #2 for Payments & Reception.

Locates

Are you a resident of the Town of Oromocto or a contractor performing work and are planning any projects involving digging of properties within the Town in Wards 1-3? Whether you're planning a home improvement project, planting a tree, or installing a fence or deck, ensure to call or email before you dig to safely identify any buried utility lines. Connect with the Department of Engineering & Public Works at 506-447-8481 or email publicworks@romocto.ca.

Pest Species of Concern

The Provincial Department of Natural Resources and Energy Development (DNRED) keeps an active watch over some native and non-native species, including Spruce Budworm, Hemlock Looper, Spruce Beetle and Emerald Ash Borer. Learn more at <https://www2.gnb.ca>

*We also have information re: the Emerald Ash Borer on the Town's website <https://www.romocto.ca/emerald-ash-borer>.

Annual Hydrant Flushing

The Town of Oromocto's annual Water Main Flushing Program is anticipated to take place during the month of July 2024.



Town of Oromocto Notice of Meetings

Council in Committee:

16 July & 20 August

Regular Session:

18 July & 22 August



All meetings begin at 5:30pm and are held in Council Chambers, located at Town Hall. (4 Doyle Dr)

COMMUNITY PROGRAM FEATURE

Meaningful Connections Adult Day Care Centre

Meaningful Connections Adult Day Centre provides respite to caregivers of persons with dementia. We always have registered staff on site/accessible for health monitoring. We provide engagement that is stimulating in all domains of health to promote the highest quality of life possible.

We welcome "trial days" for anyone interested. Contact us for more info.

www.meaningfulconnectionsadultdaycentre.com

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Dates: Monday - Friday / 9am-3pm

Locations: St. John Anglican Church
& Hazen Park Centre



2024 Pioneer Days

Snap shot of the Events:

June 27-July 1: Activities, Midway Rides, Vendors and Entertainment

June 28: 7pm Live band at the Green & Pioneer Pub

June 29: 7pm Live band at the Green & Pioneer Pub

June 30: Kids Day on the Green

July 1: Activities, Concerts, Fireworks @ Sir Douglas Hazen Park

July 1: Canada Day Parade @11AM

For more information: www.pioneerdays.ca

Water & Sewer Accounts

Connect with us to:

- ✔ Set up a water & sewer billing account
- ✔ Change your water & sewer account
- ✔ Close out your account
- ✔ Provide a water meter reading
- ✔ Ask about your water & sewer bill

☎ 506-357-4400 (select Option #2)

@ finance@oromocto.ca



OROMOCTO

LOCAL RECREATION ORGANIZATIONS

NB Military Family Resource Centre – (506) 422-3352

PSP Gagetown – (506) 422-2749

Oromocto Minor Hockey Assoc. – www.omhahockey.ca

Oromocto Ringette Assoc. – visit their Facebook page

Oromocto Skating Club – visit their Facebook page

Capital Area Minor Football Assoc. – visit their FB page

Oromocto & Area Minor Baseball Assoc. – visit their FB page

Oromocto Minor Softball Assoc. – visit their FB page

Oromocto Area Soccer Assoc. – visit their Facebook page

Oromocto Dragons Judo Club – info@dragonsjudoclub.com

Oromocto Boxing Club – oromoctoboxingclub@gmail.com

Oromocto Youth Bowling (YBC) – rodnitz@rogers.com

Piranhas Youth Volleyball – nic.boucher@nbed.nb.ca

Gage Golf & Curling – www.gagegolfandcurling.com

Oromocto & Area Pickleball Club - visit their FB page

**To have your group listed, please email
bnoseworthy@oromocto.ca**

Oromocto Pioneers



**SIGN UP BY
June 30**

Rally Cap and Rookie (4-9 year old) are still open until they are full.
This level will be on summerfield playing on or about 24 Jun 24.

All other levels are full and have already commenced practices.

<https://oromctobaseball.com>

MEALS ON WHEELS OROMOCTO & AREA (VOLUNTEERS NEEDED)

For more info, please contact: Nancy Nitz-Ashby (Coordinator) (506) 357-0950 Murry Parlee (President) (506) 357-2543

OROMOCTO QUILTERS

We meet the third Thursday of the month at 6:30pm at the Hazen Center. Everyone welcome! Learn new skills or improve old ones. Membership for the year is only \$20. For more information call Ute Lamb at (506) 440-2131 or email utelamb@gmail.com

THE OROMOCTO MARKET

The market is a community co-operative featuring vendors from our great community. Check Facebook page for dates. Stop by for lunch, get some shopping done, and meet other members of this wonderful community! Both rooms of the Hazen Park Centre are full of vendors.

OROMOCTO PIONEER GARDENS CEMETERY COMPANY INC.

The Oromocto Pioneer Gardens Cemetery Committee is seeking dedicated volunteers to serve on its Board of Directors. This community-based organization manages, organizes, & executes all matters related to the cemetery. For more info, email us at info@oromctopioneergardens.ca or check our Facebook page www.oromctopioneergardens.ca.

OROMOCTO SPORTS WALL OF FAME

Nomination Forms are available at the Town of Oromocto Municipal Building, 4 Doyle Drive, 3rd Level.
For info, please call Jerry McCann at (506) 687-4420.

Second Nature Outdoors



992 ONONDAGA STREET, OROMOCTO

ABOUT US

We are Oromocto's home for adventure on the river!

We offer single kayaks, canoes, stand up paddleboards, fishing kayaks and double kayaks!



55+ Recycled Teenagers

Mild exercise class held each Monday & Wednesday morning from 9:00 to 10:00am at the Oromocto Legion. Will resume sessions again in September.

Please call Carmel at (506) 357-5406 for info.

AUTUMN YEARS 50 PLUS CLUB

Meetings will be held the second Tuesday of every month at the Oromocto Legion.
Card Party on Saturdays @2pm at the Hazen Centre

Contact Carmel (506) 357-5406 for more info.

55+ Carpet Bowling/Bean Bag Toss

Every Tuesday and Wednesday morning from 10:30 to 12:00 noon at the Hazen Centre.

Please call Betty at (506) 357-6664 for more info.

55+ Bridge

Wednesdays from 1:00 to 3:15pm at the Hazen Centre.
Please call Moe at (506) 357-1808 for more info.



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(506) 357-8883
WWW.NAPACANADA.COM



**OROMOCTO
DENTAL
CENTRE**

DR. JESSICA NIELSEN • DR. JONATHAN GALLANT

202 RESTIGOUCHE RD. (506) 446-3300



Annual Hydrant Flushing Campaign

The Town of Oromocto conducts an annual flushing campaign. This is done to keep the water mains clean, as well as to deliver the best quality of water possible. During flushing residents may experience a temporary loss in water pressure as well as turbid water. Turbidity will go away quickly by running a tap for a few minutes. Should conditions continue, residents can contact our office.

Dept. of Engineering &
Public Works
Water & Sewer Division
506-447-8481
publicworks@oromocto.ca



YARD WASTE DROP-OFF



181 Black Watch
Oromocto, NB

506-447-0450

publicworks@oromocto.ca

www.Oromocto.ca

Permitted items:



GRASS CLIPPINGS

*Lawn rakings & leaves
are to be bagged*



BRANCHES

Sticks, limbs & brush



BUSHES

Bushes



**GARDEN REFUSE &
SIMILAR ITEMS**

Soil plants, mulch, etc.

COMPOST PILE

Grass clippings
Leaves
Soil plants

REGULATIONS

NO stumps
NO building materials
NO concrete blocks
NO stones
NO metal
NO garbage
NO household waste
**NO COMMERCIAL
DUMPING**

BRUSH PILE

Sticks
Limbs
Brush

**AVAILABLE ONLY TO RESIDENTS OF
THE TOWN OF OROMOCTO**

Residents are encouraged to use compostable bags