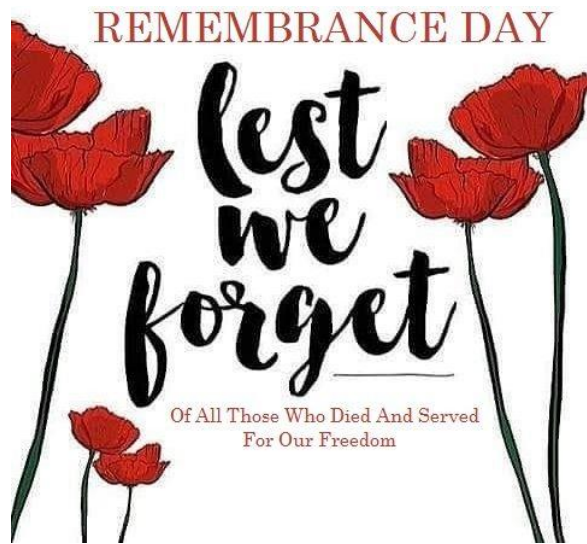


Belledune Messenger

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***The living owe it to those who no longer
Can speak to tell their story for them***

Village of Belledune Contact Information

Municipal Office:

P.O. Box 1006, 2471 Main St.
Belledune E8G 2X9
Phone: 522-3700
Fax: 522-3704
Website: www.belledune.com

Council:

- Mayor Paul Arseneault
parseneault@belledune.com
- Councillor Ron Bourque
rbourque@belledune.com
- Councillor Lilliane Carmichael
Lcarmichael@belledune.com
- Councillor Kristie Carrier
kcarrier@belledune.com
- Councillor Marilyn Guitard-McDonnell
mgmcdonnell@belledune.com
- Councillor Cynthia Robinson
crobinson@belledune.com

Staff:

- Scott Ferguson
Interim CAO: 522-3703
CAO@belledune.com
- Brenda Cormier
(Clerk/Treasurer): 522-3707
bell001@nb.aibn.com
- Nicole Carrier (Administrative Assistant): 522-3710
bell002@nb.aibn.com
- Darrell Culligan (Recreation and Wellness Coordinator):
520-9322, 522-3714
dculligan@belledune.com

Other:

- Belledune Library: 522-3701
- Belledune Veterans Arena
522-2183
- Belledune Rec. & Cultural Centre:
522-3709
- Information on rental of the Centre or
Arena contact Darrell: 520-9322,
522-3714
- Restigouche SPCA: 684-4396 or 686-
0195 for emergency

➤ MUNICIPAL SECTION

Belledune Council – Meetings

- **Committee of Whole Meeting -Monday, November 1/21 at 7:00pm**
- **Regular Meeting of Council – Monday, November 15/21 at 7:00pm**
- Please note - Council meetings on YouTube, if you are not viewing the video while the meeting is going on and wish to view it at a later time, it may take from 12 to 24 hours for the video to be uploaded on the Village of Belledune You Tube. There have been some issues with the You Tube live streaming; however, this is being worked on.

MUNICIPAL OFFICE

The Belledune Municipal office, located at 2471 Main St. is open to the public. Our offices will be closed between 12:00noon to 1:00pm, Monday to Friday. **Masks Must be worn in all Public Buildings.**

You can also call the office at 506-522-3700 and direct your call to anyone on the list or you can email info@belledune.com and your email will be directed to the appropriate person.

The office will be closed Thursday, Nov. 11, 2021 – Remembrance Day

INTERIM CAO

Village of Belledune Interim CAO Scott Ferguson, Mr. Ferguson can be reached at 522-3703
Email address CAO@belledune.com

Notices

- Please note that if you receive a flyer in the mail, a request for tender or quote, etc. and it is not on Village of Belledune letterhead or have our logo on it and/or it is not endorsed by the Interim CAO Scott Ferguson, or by Mayor Paul Arseneault that means it did not come from the Village office.
- If you are sending correspondence to the Village of Belledune please make sure you include your name, a return address and telephone number so we can contact you.

Garbage and Recycling Collection Notice

Please note a few items in regards to the Collection of Recycling and Garbage:

- We are asking people to put their recycling bins out when it is $\frac{3}{4}$ full, when people wait until it's full or overflowing it causes issues with the truck lift. Thank you for helping us out.
- The bins (or garbage bags) must be put out by 8:00am
- Garbage/Recycling bins or bags must be put at the end of the driveway on the shoulder of the road, some people are putting their bins half way up their driveways, if it is not at the end of the driveway, we will not be picking it up.

Garbage normally picked up Thursday, Nov. 11 will be picked up Friday, Nov. 12.

Special Notice – Ditches and Culverts

Prior to doing any work on Village property, such as filling in ditches, installing culverts, etc. You have to contact the Village of Belledune. There are certain regulations that must be followed, for example the size of the pipes, etc.

Housing Subsidy Grant

The Village of Belledune has introduced a grant for residents who have moved to our municipality. If you, or someone you know, has moved their primary residence to Belledune and has purchased a home on or after May 21, 2019, they could be eligible for a grant of up to 2.5% of the assessed value of their home! For more details on this program, we encourage you to reach out to **Interim CAO Scott Ferguson** at CAO@belledune.com or (506) 522-3703.

Message from N.B. Power:

The Council of Belledune and N.B. Power in accordance with Bob Scott, are working together to provide a local contact source for all matters in the Village of Belledune. The purpose of this local contact is to provide faster and more direct information to the responsible sources within N.B. Power. All issues pertaining to power outages, street lighting, down power lines and all other issues should be directed to:

Ron Bourque Deputy Mayor at Home Number 506-507-3493 Cell Number 506-688-1639

[E-mail rbourque@belledune.com](mailto:rbourque@belledune.com)

<p><u>PROOF OF BEING FULLY VACCINATED MUST BE SHOWN IN ORDER TO ACCESS ANY OF OUR BUILDINGS AND/OR PROGRAMS.</u></p>

➤ **BELLEDUNE LIBRARY**

Librarian Gina Card can be reached at 522-3701 or

belledunelibrary@nb.aibn.com

Hours for the Library are as follows:

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 1:00pm – 4:00pm

Wednesdays, 3:00pm – 6:00pm

We encourage everyone to go visit the Library located at 2404 Main St.

There are lots of books to enjoy!

Weekly Programs:

**FITNESS
BOAT
CAMP**



- Yoga – Tuesdays @ 6:30pm – 7:30pm “\$5.00/session
- Senior/Adult Fitness – Wednesdays @ 1pm-2pm - \$5.00/session
- Zumba – Wednesdays @ 6:30pm – 7:30pm “\$5.00/session”

Instructors: Sunny Bosca, Danie Hache-Leblanc, Kate Scott/Janie Robichaud

For more information contact: Darrell Culligan@ 506-520-9322 or email

dculligan@belledune.com

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VETERAN’S MEMORIAL CENTRE ARENA

To rent the ice please contact **Darrell Culligan** at **520-9322** or **522-3714**, or email

dculligan@belledune.com “keep your stick on the ice”

- **Public Skating**, Fridays 5:30pm – 6:30pm and Sundays 5:30pm to 6:30pm
- **Senior Skating**, Sundays 4:30 – 5:30 as of Nov. 7/21
- **Please Note that it is mandatory to wear a CSA Approved helmet for all rental at the arena, Public Skating, Birthday Parties, Family Rentals, etc. or you will not be allowed on the ice.**

Belledune Power Club and Fitness Club

Please be advised that all new members joining the Power Club or returning members who do not currently have a Swipe card will be required to pay a \$10 fee to the Village of Belledune. This fee can be paid at the Municipal Office between the hours of 8:00am-4:00pm, Monday-Friday or can be paid at the Power Club (Ronnie/Steve). The Power Club is operated by a separate organization and not by the Village of Belledune. In order to become a member or receive any information regarding the Belledune Power Club; you must contact one of the directors of the Power & Fitness Club: Ronnie Dempsey at 237-4110 or Steve Shannon at 252-0095

NOTICE: If you were once a member of the Power Club and have a FOB card and do not wish to renew your gym membership, we are asking that you please return this card over to the Village Office or to the Power Clubs directors. **All members have to provide proof of being fully vaccinated.**

Belledune Skating Club Registration

Canskate starts at 5-5:45pm Tuesday, Oct. 12. Juniors 5:45 – 6:45, Senior skaters 5:46 – 7pm

NOVEMBER 2021 EVENT CALENDAR!

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31	01 Pickleball 10am-12pm	02 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am-12pm Yoga 6:30pm	03 Pickleball 10am Fitness @ 1pm Zumba @ 6:30	04 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am VoB Pickleball 6:30-9:00pm	05 Pickleball 10am-12pm JRS BB 6:00pm Boys BB 7:30pm-9pm	06
07	08 Pickleball 10am-12pm Event Committee Meeting 7pm	09 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am-12pm Yoga 6:30pm	10 Pickleball 10am-12pm Fitness @ 1pm Zumba @ 6:30 D.K. P.B. 7:30pm	11 Closed for Holiday	12 Pickleball 10am-12pm JRS BB 6:00pm Boys BB 7pm- 9pm	13 Adult Ball Hockey 11am- 1pm
14	15 Pickleball 10am-12pm	16 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am-12pm Yoga 6:30pm	17 Pickleball 10am-12pm Fitness @ 1pm Zumba@ 6:30pm D.K. P.B. 7:30pm	18 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am-12pm VoB Pickleball 6:30-9:00pm	19 Pickleball 10am-12pm JRS BB 6:00pm Boys BB 7:30pm-9pm	20 Family Fun @ Gymnasium 12pm-2pm Bring a favorite game to play with friends!
21	22 Pickleball 10am-12pm	23 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am-12pm Yoga 6:30pm	24 Pickleball 10am-12pm Fitness @ 1pm Zumba 6:30pm D.K. P.B. 7:30pm	25 Dusty Sneakers 9-9:45am Pickleball 10am Senior Paint class 1pm-3pm VoB Pickleball 6:30-9:00pm	26 Pickleball 10am-12pm JRS BB 6:00pm Boys BB 7:30pm-9pm	27
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Seniors Painting Event

Sponsored by Belledune Recreation and Wellness

and

Painting with Maureen

November 25th 1-3pm

Recreation Center

-maximum of 14 seniors, 65

and older

Please register with Darrell

at 506-520-9322

Photo of project on above

Facebook sites.

Enjoy the water with family & friends!

Waterwheels®

Waterwheels® is perfect for all wheelchair users and those with special needs. waterwheels® is designed to give users the Ideal Outdoor Experience. With the floatable armrests and tires, waterwheels® easily transports you from the beach to the water! Enjoy the ocean or pool while relaxing in your waterwheels®!



For more information on rental (free) contact Darrell Culligan 506-520-9322/506-522-3714 or dculligan@belledune.com Belledune Recreation & Wellness

➤ BELLEDUNE EVENTS COMMITTEE

Notice #1

How to order



MANGER FRAIS
CHALEUR
EAT FRESH

Find a distribution center near you

1

Bathurst Youth Center - 549-3215
2e chance store - 549-3211
Municipality of Beresford - 542-2727
Cooperative La Barque - 542-2611
Municipality of Belledune - 520-9322

2

Register and order

1 time 5\$ fee
bags are 15\$ each

3

Choose pick up or delivery

you **MUST** specify when you order

4

Pick up Or receive delivery

On distribution day

Affordable Fresh fruits and vegetables for everyone

Notice #2

The next Event Committee Meeting is Monday, Nov. 8/21 at 7:00pm at the Belledune Recreation Centre.

Notice#3

The Events Committee will be hosting a Remembrance Day Colouring Contest. All the students' pictures will be displayed at the Legion for Remembrance Day.

➤ GENERAL COMMUNITY ANNOUCEMENT SECTION:

Glencore Canada Corporation – Brunswick Smelter

Over the next few days and weeks, we will be decommissioning the smelter propane systems. Gas technician(s) from Irving will be performing the work. Schedule should be Monday to Friday 8am to 7pm.

It will be normal to see large flames in areas close to the propane storage systems. This is a necessary step in eliminating flammable gases from all circuits. Whenever this will happen, a technician will always be present nearby.

Newsletter

If anyone from the community would like to have access to our quarterly newsletter, they can either send an email to brunswicknewsletter@glencore.ca and ask to be added to the distribution list or they can access previous and upcoming newsletters directly on our website at www.brunswicksmelter.ca.

Remembrance Day Ceremony Thursday, Nov. 11, 2021

Royal Canadian Legion Durham #77

Due to Covid19 restrictions the Remembrance DAY Ceremony will be held at the lower level of the Royal Canadian Legion Durham #77.

The ceremony will begin at 10:30am. The "Moment of Silence" will be at 10:55am. The laying of the wreaths will follow from 11-11:30 am.

All those wishing to attend should be present by 10:15am. Due to restrictions, capacity will be limited to people on a first come, first serve bases. All those entering must have government identification and confirmation of 2 vaccines. There are limited chairs, so if you wish to confirm you have a chair, please bring your own. The ceremony will be followed by a luncheon at 12:00 noon served upstairs at our Legion. Tickets are limited to 150 people on a first come, first serve bases. Tickets will be \$8.00 each for a chicken bouillon, desert, coffee and tea. Tickets for the luncheon must be purchased in advance prior to Nov. 4, 2021. Please call Norma Doucet at 237-2423 for tickets.

Please note that there will be no take-out service on the luncheon.

Anyone wishing to purchase a wreath or cross for the Remembrance Day ceremony, please call Poppy Co-Chairs: Ron Bourque @ 237-5809 or 507-3493 or Clifford Joncas @ 507-0054.

Jacquet River Foodbank

Clothing and other items dropped off at the Jacquet River Foodbank is suspended until further notice. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding. From Johanne – Jacquet River Foodbank

Jacquet River Nature Group

Due to various reasons, we have decided to change the day of our meetings. Our meetings are now going to be held on the second Tuesday of the month - same time (7pm), same place (the Legion). So, our first meeting with our new day will be on Tuesday, 9th November at 7pm, if Covid19 numbers allow. Please continue to wear masks and keep all of us safe. All new members welcome. **IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT WHAT WE DO, PLEASE CONTACT ME AT**

doylec40@yahoo.ca

Chaleur Transportation Cooperative

CTC-Chaleur Transportation Cooperative is looking for volunteer drivers in Belledune and surrounding areas to help a neighbor get to medical appointments, pharmacy, or grocery store.

Use your own vehicle and get reimbursed for mileage and insurance cost associated with their home transportation duties. Contact Information; Email: ctcinfo6@gmail.com Phone: 506-547-2975 Website: www.ctchaleur.ca

Circle of Friends - Activity Center

The community Active Center that was in Lorne is now located at 3963 Main St., Belledune, upstairs. They are a non-profit organization intended to offer problem prevention and recovery services, as well as recreation, integration and socialization opportunities to self-sufficient adults who have or had emotional or mental health problems or suffer from loneliness. There are various activities offered and special workshops. If you feel lonely, wish to overcome isolation and meet new friends, your community Activity Center is the place to be. Call 237-2561.

Help Starts Here – Dial 2-1-1

Life can be hard. Finding help can be easy. Call 2-1-1 to find support for all of life's challenges – Food Access, Financial Aid, Affordable Housing and Mental Health. Free – Confidential – 24/7 – 150+languages.

Super Village Trailblazers Snowmobile Club

Plans are underway for the Super Village Trailblazers Snowmobile Club 2021-2022 seeing. Facebook will be updated as information becomes available. We look forward to seeing old friends and meeting new ones. **PLEASE** be patient with our staff as we safely resume our operations with the Covid restrictions. Thank you



*Painting with
Maureen*



November 23, 6-8:30 pm
Co-sponsored by Belledune Recreation and
Wellness

Location: Belledune Rec Center

\$25 includes all supplies

etransfer.maureenpascal@hotmail.com

Please join "Painting with Maureen" on
facebook for ongoing information on
painting classes.

50/50 Fundraiser

Saint John the Evangelist Christian Community wishes to advise parishioners, friends and the general population that a decision has been made to continue its 50/50 fundraiser for next year, from January to December 2022. Participants would be asked to commit \$20.00 per month, for a total of \$240.00 for the year, which could be paid in full or by installments. Each

draw would be held on the last Saturday of each month, except for the month of December, when it would take place on the last Saturday before Christmas. More details will be published in the next messenger.

JOB POSTING

For Belledune Housing. Looking for a janitor/maintenance person at the senior's Complex in Belledune. Duties, wages and further information is available upon request. Please forward your resume to email belledunehousing@gmail.com before November 15th 2021

There are apartments available at the Belledune Senior's Complex at 2340 Main Street Belledune. For persons 55 and older. Please contact Paula Mc Donnell at 237-3003 or Patsy Talbot at 237-2955

Lost And Found

There was a blue t-shirt that has (think outside the box) on the front of it left behind from the summer program. If you are missing it, you can pick it up at the library during our opening hours Tuesday – Thursday.

The Belledune Messenger for November will be published at the beginning of December 2021; please have submissions in by the 25th of November. For Newsletter submissions, comments or suggestions: Gina at 522-3701 or email belledunelibrary@nb.aibn.com. Due to limited space, some information will be edited for length. If you wish to keep existing messages previously submitted to the messenger, you must contact Gina to confirm, otherwise your submission will be removed.

Seeking Committee Members

The Village of Belledune is seeking Representatives for consideration for the following Chaleur Regional Service Commission Sub-Committees:

1. Regional Planning Advisory Committee
2. Climate Adaptation Committee
3. Tourism Advisory Committee

Regional Planning Advisory Committee:

The Regional Planning Advisory Committee (RPAC) is looking for a citizen to be appointed to represent the Village of Belledune. The member must meet the following criteria:

- a) The member shall reside in a community that receives local planning services from the Chaleur Regional Service Commission;
- b) All members are citizens not sitting on the municipal Council;
- c) Member must have a basic knowledge of the planning functions. In determining the composition of the RPAC, the Chaleur RSC will search for a diversity of skill;
- d) The member appointed to the RPAC must be eligible to vote in provincial elections.

Climate Adaption Committee:

The Chaleur Regional Service Commission on Climate Change Adaption is mandated to oversee the implementation of a climate change adaptation plan for the Chaleur Regions and to advise the Board of Directors of the Chaleur Regional Service Commission on any issues relation to the adaption and resilience plans and measures.

Tourism Advisory Committee:

The member must represent one of the following areas of expertise: festival, food and beverage, accommodation, tourist experience/activity, attractions, visitor information centre or regional organizations. The mandate of the Tourism Advisory Committee is to advise the Director of the Tourism Office in the development and promotion of the tourism industry in the Chaleur Region.

If you are interested in being considered for any of these committees, please submit the form at the end of this page to the following mailing address - P.O. Box 1006, Belledune, NB E8G 2X9 or drop it off at the office, 2471 Main St. or by email to cao@belledune.com or bell001@nb.aibn.com no later than November 9, 2021. If you have any questions, please contact the office at 522-3700.

SUBMISSION FORM:

NAME: _____

MAILING

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____

EMAIL: _____

COMMITTEE NAME: _____

EXPERIENCE: Attached additional page if necessary

