



# Special Events

## THEATRE AT THE O'DELL HOUSE MUSEUM

**July - August**

The "Tales from a Tiny Perfect Town" play series returns to the O'Dell House Museum by popular demand. The new offering, "Naked at the End of the World", is the third play in the trilogy by noted local playwright, Kent Thompson. For dates and show times call 532-7754, [www.annapolisheritagesociety.com](http://www.annapolisheritagesociety.com)

## HOUSE & GARDEN TOUR

**July 2**

Visit the Historic Gardens as well as homes and private gardens in and around Annapolis Royal. In support of the Gardens. 532-7018.

## WINE & ROSES

**July 8**

Enjoy wine, nibbles and live music as you stroll and sniff the Historic Gardens amidst thousands of rose blossoms from 7 - 9 p.m. Rain or shine. [www.historicgardens.com](http://www.historicgardens.com)

## RAVEN HAVEN FAMILY FUN DAY

**July 9**

The 16th Anniversary of Raven Haven's Family Fun Day offers games, prizes and entertainment for all. Free access to the park, supervised swimming, canoe/pedal boat rentals. Bring the family out for a great afternoon of fun beginning at 1 p.m. Take Exit 22 off Hwy 101, follow Rt 8 towards South Milford, turn right onto Virginia Rd., and head for Sandy Bottom Lake. Info: 532-2334, Recreation link at [www.annapoliscounty.ns.ca](http://www.annapoliscounty.ns.ca) or email [rec@annapoliscounty.ns.ca](mailto:rec@annapoliscounty.ns.ca)

## FLOWER SHOW & DESSERT TEA

**July 15**

Don't miss Champlain Garden Club's annual show, 2-5 pm. (Tea 'til 4.) Entries welcome. Numerous categories: 532-0957.

## PARKS' DAY

**July 16**

Enjoy the special celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Parks Canada at Fort Anne NHS with free admission and unveiling of refreshed exhibits for the museum. 532-2397, [alan.melanson@pc.gc.ca](mailto:alan.melanson@pc.gc.ca)

## MI'KMAQ HERITAGE DAYS, PORT-ROYAL NHS

**July 17, Aug. 21, Sept. 11**

Learn about various Mi'kmaq traditions during three unique days at Port-Royal NHS. Story telling, music, crafts and fun for all ages from 10 a.m. - 3 p.m. 532-2898 or email [wayne.melanson@pc.gc.ca](mailto:wayne.melanson@pc.gc.ca)

## NORTH HILLS MUSEUM COMMUNITY BARBECUE & POTLUCK

**July 20**

This community celebration at North Hills Museum starts at 6 p.m. Bring a salad or dessert, and North Hills will provide the rest. All are welcome to enjoy good food, music and the unique museum. 532-2168, [northhillsmuseum@gmail.com](mailto:northhillsmuseum@gmail.com) or [www.annapolisheritagesociety.com](http://www.annapolisheritagesociety.com)

## BANDFEST 2011

**July 22 - 24**

The 16th annual Bandfest will welcome community bands from across Nova Scotia and beyond for a weekend of learning and performing. Highlights include a weekend of children's activities, music, fun at the Historic Gardens plus a public concert on Sunday afternoon. For details: 532-7694, [www.annopolismusic.ca/bandfest](http://www.annopolismusic.ca/bandfest)

## NATAL DAY WEEKEND

**July 29 - August 1**

Four delightful days including the Coronation of the 65th Queen Annapolis Royal, Fun Run, Princess Tea and Fashion Show, Queen's Ball, Farmers' and Traders' Market, 74th Crusaders Motorcycle Rally, Outdoor Concert, Art Shows,

Legion's Barbecue and Sports Day open to all, Mobile Canteen and Beerfest, Fire Hall Pancake Breakfasts, Mini Golf, Horseshoe and Sports Tournament, Magic Show, Natal Day Birthday Party, Grand Street Parade, Ecumenical Service, Historical Vignettes, Sunset Ceremony, Fireworks and more!

The Historic Gardens will also feature family activities, music and more Natal Day fun, plus children are free. 532-2043, 532-2397, 532-7018 or [www.annapolisroyal.com](http://www.annapolisroyal.com)

## LOCAL ARTISTS' ART SHOW & SALE

**July 29 - August 7**

Don't miss this free Art Show and Sale, Masonic Hall, Church St., daily 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. 532-7622.

## NATAL DAY ENCAMPMENT

**July 29 (pm) - August 1 (am)**

Join the 84th Regiment of Foot at Fort Anne to learn about the life of a soldier and his family in years gone by. Enjoy military drills and black powder demonstrations. 532-2397, [alan.melanson@pc.gc.ca](mailto:alan.melanson@pc.gc.ca)

## MOTORCYCLE RALLY

**July 30 - August 2**

Enjoy the 31st Annual Rally. 532-7269, [www.74thcrusaders.ca](http://www.74thcrusaders.ca)

## 32nd ANNUAL FUN RUN

**July 30**

Join in a 3km run in historic Annapolis Royal. Prizes awarded to runners of all ages and abilities. Pre-register at Recreation link on [www.annapoliscounty.ns.ca](http://www.annapoliscounty.ns.ca) Limited run day registration begins at 8:30 a.m. at Municipal Building, 752 St. George Street. Run starts 9:30 a.m. sharp! Admission is a freewill donation to the KidSport and Jump Start programs. Donation box at the registration desk. 532-2334, [rec@annapoliscounty.ns.ca](mailto:rec@annapoliscounty.ns.ca)

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## RESTAURANT COMPOSÉ

### DINING BY THE SEA

We offer a variety of fresh seafood & lobster specials based on traditional EUROPEAN CUISINE. Enjoy the incredible water view!

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### NATIONAL HISTORIC DISTRICT



**2:00 at the LIGHTHOUSE  
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY**

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### ACADIAN HERITAGE TOUR



**2:00 at the LIGHTHOUSE  
TUESDAY & FRIDAY**

THE HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL'S HISTORIC WALKING TOURS