

Special Events



First Fridays



Natal Days



Entertainment at the "O"

CANADA DAY EVENTS

July 1

Celebrate Canada's 152nd birthday with free admission to Fort Anne NHS! Engage all your senses. Sing "O Canada" as the flag is raised at Town Hall; join Parka the Beaver in a procession to the fort; enjoy cake; bring a blanket and picnic; and enjoy musical entertainment. Fun for the whole family, from noon until 3 pm, 902-532-2397. There will be a Free Swim at the Annapolis Public Pool 1-4 pm, family fun at the Historic Gardens and music at the Amphitheatre. Port-Royal NHS will feature music and a Canada Day cake from 1 - 3 pm. 902-532-2898

WINE & ROSES

July 5 (5 - 7 pm)

Enjoy live music, hors d'oeuvres and a glass of local wine as you stroll through thousands of magnificent rose blossoms in the Historic Gardens. 902-532-7018, www.ExploreOurGardens.com

RAVEN HAVEN FAMILY FUN DAY

July 6 (1 - 5 pm)

Play on the beach! The 24th Anniversary of Raven Haven's Family Fun Day offers an afternoon of fun with carnival games, BBQ, live music and entertainment for all ages. Enjoy a public beach with on-site canteen. Exit 22 off Hwy 101, follow Rt 8 towards South Milford. Turn right onto Virginia Rd., and head for Sandy Bottom Lake. 902-665-3022, www.AnnapolisCounty.ca

HOUSE & GARDEN TOUR WEEKEND

July 6 - 7 (10 am - 4 pm)

Visit the Historic Gardens and special private gardens and houses in and around Annapolis Royal, July 6. "Innovation & Transformation" is the theme. Explore other aspects of the community with a series of Sunday activities, July 7. 532-7018, www.ExploreOurGardens.com

MUSIC AT PORT-ROYAL

July 11, 25, Aug. 8 & 22 (1 - 3 pm)

If you like traditional music, mark Thursdays at Port-Royal National Historic Site on your calendar. Come clap your hands, tap your feet and enjoy the fine singers and musicians in this special traditional musical series.

ANNAPOLIS RIVERFEST

July 13 (9 am - 5:30 pm)

Fun for all ages at Jubilee Park in Bridgetown. Free admission. Food, drinks & entertainment on site. See p. 6. To register for canoe races, 902-532-7533, carp@annapolisriver.ca

FLOWER SHOW & DESSERT TEA

July 13

Champlain Garden Club's annual show at the Legion, 2-5 pm. (Tea with savouries and desserts 'til 4 pm.) \$7 entry. 902-532-0834

MI'KMAW CULTURE DAY AT PORT-ROYAL NHS

July 14 (1 - 2 pm)

Experience the history and

traditions of the Mi'kmaq, a culture that has been here for thousands of years. Sing a Mi'kmaq song, play a drum, participate in the ancient game of "waltes" and interact with the Mi'kmaq craftspeople. Through demos, singing and drumming, you will gain an appreciation for the unique culture of the first people of this land. 902-532-2898

A RENDEZ-VOUS WITH SAMUEL DE CHAMPLAIN

July 17, 31, Aug. 14, 18 & 28 (2 - 3 pm) English (3:30 - 4:30 pm) French

Join Champlain as he shares stories of his many adventures in Acadia. Hear first-hand why he founded the "Order of Good Cheer", and learn about friendship and alliances between the French and Mi'kmaq. 902-532-2898



ROSE FORTUNE
HSMBC Plaque Unveiling
100th Anniversary of
The Historical Association
of Annapolis Royal

July 20 • 11am • Wharf

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THE HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION OF ANNAPOLIS ROYAL'S HISTORICAL WALKING TOURS

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