# Morell Matters



## CANADA DAY IN MORELL

All are welcome to join us for Canada Day celebrations on Tuesday, July 1 at Leo Rossiter Park from 11 am-1 pm. We will have refreshments, entertainment, horse rides, bouncy castle, and animals from the 4-H Club.

Many thanks to all contributors and to our sponsors: Government of Canada, Morell-St.Peter's Legion Branch 26, Morell Lions Club, and Morell Coop.

## International Trails Day

In our May issue, we asked you to save the date for the International Trails Day in Morell. This event is a part of worldwide effort to raise public awareness about trails and encourage people to spend time outdoors.

The Rural Municipality of Morell will be celebrating the International Trails Day on Saturday, June 7, starting at 8:30 am with opening remarks and light breakfast at the Morell Welcome Center. At 9 am, volunteers will split into groups for trail cleanup and tree planting. A complementary BBQ, sponsored by Morell Coop and cooked by the Morell–St.Peter's Legion Branch 26 will be provided to all volunteers at noon, at the Morell Fire Hall



If you would like to volunteer to help with trail cleanup and tree planting, please contact the municipality at info@morell.ca or just arrive on the day of the event.

Please make sure to dress for the weather. Wear waterproof footwear, sun protection and insect repellent. We will be providing insect repellent and sunscreen, but if you require organic products, please bring your own.

We thank our sponsor-Trans Canada Trail, and our corporate supporters-Athletic Brewing Co, Columbia Sportswear Canada, and Toyota Canada.

## RED ISLE TIP-TO-TIP RELAY

A reminder that on June 22, between 3–6 am, the Rural Municipality of Morell will be hosting a stop for the Red Isle Tip-to-Tip Relay participants.

To welcome the runners and anyone else who wishes to have an early breakfast, Holy Cow will offer a buffet breakfast at 5 am. The Fire Hall will be open as a resting and warming station for relay participants, where hot tea and coffee will be served. Morell Fire Department will be providing traffic control to keep everyone safe.

#### Morell Public Library



Every Wednesday, at 10:30 am we are hosting *Read, Sing, Play Storytimes*. These sessions are filled with stories, songs, and rhymes, which are perfect for children aged 5 and younger.

On Saturday, June 14, at 10 am, join us for *Kids' Craft: Paper Ladybug* (for ages 6–12). Create a colourful paper ladybug with movable wings in this fun and easy craft. All materials are provided, and everyone is welcome to join the fun.

*Morell English Conversation Circle* will be hosted by the Immigrant and Refugee Services Association

of PEI (IRSA) on Tuesday, June 3, at 5 pm. Adults who speak English as a second language are invited for a casual group conversation practice with an IRSA volunteer. No registration is required, just drop in.

Get the Facts: Canada's New Dental Program information session will be held on Tuesday, June 10, at 3 pm. A Service Canada representative will be sharing information about the new federal dental care program, including who qualifies, how to apply, and what is covered. Bring your questions.

Drop in to explore the Jim Davis Art Display "When Wild Horses Returned to the Sea" any time during our open hours. This is a mixed media exhibit featuring painting, assemblage, and existential commentary.

All Morell Public Library programs are free to attend. Our hours of operation are:

Tuesday 2:30–6 pm Thursday 2:30–6 pm Wednesday 10 am–2 pm Saturday 9 am–1 pm

For any further information, please drop in at 89 Red Head Rd or contact Sarah MacLeod, Branch Technician at 902.961.3389 or morell@gov.pe.ca.

### Morell Seniors Club

Morell Legion Seniors will have their last meeting before the summer break on Tuesday, May 24, at 1 pm at the Morell Fire Hall. Everyone age 50+ is welcome to attend. New members are welcome. The next meeting after this one will be in September.

## MORELL CO-OP

We had another successful year thanks to our members and we are giving back a 2% rebate (date to be determined). Hanging baskets are due to arrive the week of June 13. Please note we will be closed on Tuesday, July 1 for Canada Day.

Morell Co-op would like to thank all participants of the 50/50 draw. The May draw winners are Paul Curitz, Allan Trainor and Doris MacDougall. Proceeds from the draw have been donated to St. Peter's Community Cupboard, Morell Lions Banner, Mooney's Pond, Kids Race for Autism, Morell Consolidated, Mount Stewart Consolidated, Morell River Run Festival, Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast, medical travel for members, various benefits, and families in the community.

## St. Peter's Circle Club Seniors

Recent renovations at the St. Peter's Circle Club included new flooring and a fresh coat of paint. Our regular monthly meeting on June 19 will be a BBQ and games day. There will be no monthly meetings in the summer months. Regular weekly Club activities are:

Mondays, 1 pm—Games Day (\$2, tea/snack) Tuesdays, 10 am—Crokinole (\$4) Wednesdays, 7 pm—Cards (\$5, progressive 45's) Fridays, 7 pm—Ceilidh music and dance (\$5)

For club rentals or for more information please call 902 961 2670