Morell Matters

Remembrance Day

On November 11, Remembrance Day, we remember and honour the Canadian men and women who have served our country, and especially those who made the ultimate sacrifice to protect Canada and defend freedom at home and abroad.

The Rural Municipality of Morell and the Morell–St. Peter's Legion Branch 26, in partnership with local veterans, serving members of the Canadian Armed Forces and RCMP, invite everyone to attend the Remembrance Day ceremony on Wednesday, November 11. The ceremony will begin with a parade and march past at 10:45 a.m. at the Morell Cenotaph**.**

Morell–St. Peter's Legion Branch 26

The annual Poppy Campaign is underway. Poppy donation boxes are available at the usual locations throughout Morell and St. Peter's, and Branch 26 volunteers will be at the Morell Co-op on weekends accepting donations. Thank you for your support.

Legion Branch 26 volunteers will also be contacting individuals, businesses and community groups that have purchased Remembrance Day wreaths in previous years. Anyone wishing to purchase a wreath or obtain additional information can call or text *902.316.6001.*

On Tuesday, November 3, at 7:30 p.m., the PEI Legion Choir, accompanied by the Belfast Pipe & Drum, will perform the concert *True North* at Morell Regional High School. The concert is a tribute to the 100th anniversary of the Royal Canadian Legion. Tickets are $20 and are available from Legion President Garry Doyle at *902.316.6001*, Cletus Dunn at *902.853.7648*, Legion volunteers at the Morell Co-op on weekends, or at the door.

Tuesday, November 3, is also the deadline to purchase tickets for the *Remembrance Day Dinner* on Wednesday, November 11, at the Jimmy MacAulay Centre in St. Peter's Bay. A reception at 6 p.m. will be followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are $25 and are available from Lyla MacDonald at *902.940.3855*, Cathy MacKinnon at *902.629.9881,* or Emmerson and Alice Crane at *902.626.6151.*

Morell Public Library

Every Wednesday at 10:30 a.m., we are hosting ***Read, Sing, Play Storytimes***. Enjoy stories, songs, and rhymes, perfect for little ones and their grown-ups *(recommended for ages 0–5).*

On Friday, November 6, at 2 p.m., children can get creative with ***Button Art*** as part of our PD Day programming *(recommended for ages 6–12).*

On Saturday, November 14, at 10 a.m., join us for ***Colour Lab: Mix It Up!*** Children ages 6–12 will discover how colours change as they mix and separate!

On Tuesday, November 24, at 6 p.m., adults are invited to ***Holiday Card Making***. Create your own handmade watercolour holiday cards. No painting experience is required, and all supplies will be provided.

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On Friday, November 27, at 2 p.m., children can enjoy ***Colourful Foil Prints*** during our second PD Day program of the month *(recommended for ages 6–12).*

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

Tuesday	*5–8 p.m.*
Wednesday	*10 a.m.–4 p.m.*
Friday	*1–4 p.m.*
Saturday	*9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.*

Please drop in at 89 Red Head Road for any further information or contact Sarah MacLeod, Branch Technician, at *902.961.3389* or *morell@gov.pe.ca*.

Halloween Safety Tips

With trick-or-treaters out and about on Halloween, please slow down while driving and watch carefully for children crossing streets or walking along roads.

Please make sure your trick-or-treaters are visible to drivers. Glow sticks, reflective tape, and flashlights are great ways to help them stand out.

Morell Co-op

Congratulations to our October 50/50 draw winners, Chris Murphy, Heather MacKinnon and Shawn Britschgi. Proceeds from the draw have been donated to St. Peter's Community Cupboard, Circle Club, Morell Fall Fest, Seniors Bingo, Morell Regional High School, Morell Consolidated School, Beans & Weiners Supper, CWA Dinner, Co-op Week, various benefits, and medical travel assistance for members.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our Co-op Week activities! A special thank you to our staff, members, and customers. We truly wouldn't be here without you. We are proud to be part of this wonderful community and look forward to celebrating with you again next year!

The Morell Co-op will close early at 5 p.m. on Saturday, October 31, for Halloween and will be closed on Wednesday, November 11, in observance of Remembrance Day.

St. Peter's Circle Club Seniors

Members of the St. Peter's Circle Club will visit the Morell Regional High School Leadership Class on November 12 and 26. These visits provide a wonderful opportunity for seniors and teens to get to know one another while chatting, playing games and enjoying a snack together.

Our next regular meeting will be held on Thursday, November 19, at 1 p.m. Please join us as well for the regular weekly Club activities:

- Mondays, 1 p.m.–Games Day, *$2, tea and snack*
- Tuesdays, 10 a.m.–Crokinole, *$5*
- Wednesdays, 7 p.m.–Cards, *$5, progressive 45s*
- Thursdays, 6:30 p.m.–Partners Cribbage
- Fridays, 7:30 p.m.–Ceilidh music and dance, *$5*

Partners Cribbage is $10 per player or $20 per team. Everyone is welcome! For additional information, please call *902.961.2670*.

Seniors Christmas Dinner

The Morell Lions Club is pleased to host its free *Morell and Area Seniors Christmas Dinner* on Saturday, December 5, at the Morell Fire Hall.

Doors open at 2:00 p.m. for cards, with dinner served at 4:00 p.m. Entertainment will also be provided. Dine-in and takeout options are available. Please register by Monday, November 23, by contacting Shawn Ryan at *902.629.5878*.

The Morell Lions Club looks forward to celebrating the holiday season with you!

Morell Legion Seniors

The Morell Legion Seniors are pleased to introduce the new executive: Margaret FitzGerald, President; Alice Crane, Vice President; and Joan LaPierre, Secretary and Treasurer. Regular meetings are held on the last Tuesday of each month at 1 p.m. at the Morell Fire Hall.

The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 26, 2027. New members are always welcome! Anyone interested in joining or seeking additional information can contact Margaret at *902.628.7684*.