

CUMBERLAND WINTER FESTIVAL

February 20 - 28, 2010



ALL WEEK

Cumberland Health Authority Staff Snow Sculpture Contest will take place at all hospital sites and several CHA Community Agency sites

Week Long Specials at the Amherst Wandlyn!
13% Dining Room Discount
Rooms from only \$65 (some restrictions may apply)
Week long Bake Sale, all proceeds going to the Relay for Life.

Week Long Specials at the Super 8 in Amherst!
\$10.00 off the hotel's best available rate to anyone who needs accommodations and mentions the Winter Festival while making the reservation or at check in.

Northumberland Curling Club Open House
Monday to Friday starting at 6pm. The Club will be decorated with a Winter Olympics Theme. Come for specialty drinks with Olympic Sports names.

Snow Sculpturing Contest
Judging will take place February 20. Create your snow sculpture anytime before the 20th behind the Northumberland Community Curling Club, Pugwash. For more information contact, Trink Hudson at 243-2638. Take pictures and enter to win our *Snow Creations Photo Contest!*

Davison's Pancake House & Maple Products (Parrsboro) will be open Friday, Feb 26th to Sunday Feb 28th (8am-7pm)

Snow Creations Photo Contest
All week long, build a snowman or create a snow sculpture and take a picture. Drop it off at the County office or e-mail it to Stephanie Fage by Mar. 2 at sfage@cumberlandcounty.ns.ca to enter your picture for a great prize package from Get Active Cumberland! Please submit the picture with name, phone number and permission to be used for public viewing.

Events Photo Contest
Are you hosting a Cumberland Winter Festival event? Drop your best picture off at the County office or e-mail it to Stephanie Fage by Mar. 2 at sfage@cumberlandcounty.ns.ca to enter your picture for a great prize package from Get Active Cumberland! Please submit the picture with name, phone number and permission to be used for public viewing.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 20

Cumberland Winter Festival Funspiel (February 19 & 20)
Northumberland Community Curling Club Bonspiel on Friday evening and Saturday - Register at the curling club - \$10 (goes toward food). You will be assigned to a team when you register and new curlers are welcome.

Parrsboro Arena Free Skate (9 - 10 am)

Balanced Living Expo (10 am - 4 pm)
Heartz Hall, Trinity St-Stephen's United Church, Amherst

Snowshoeing at Wards Falls (1 - 4 pm)
Free of charge. 30 pairs of snowshoes available

Amherst Stadium Free Skate (4:00 – 5:30 pm)
Free Bus from River Hebert!
Meet at the River Hebert High School at 3:00pm.
The skate is for all ages and skaters will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis up to a maximum of 48 people.
Includes free voucher for a hot dog and chocolate milk!

Firefighter's Winter Carnival (6:00pm)
Oxford Fire Hall - \$2 per person, infants free.

Canadian Tire JumpStart Free Costume Skate
Richard Calder Arena , Springhill (6:30-7:30pm)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Pancake Breakfast (7-10)
Field and Marsh Dining Room, Amherst Wandlyn
\$5.00 (Children 4-8 1/2 price) Includes blueberry or plain pancakes, bacon or sausage and tea/coffee

Family Ski Wentworth Day (8:30am-5:30pm)
Bus to the slopes leaving the Cumberland YMCA at 8:30am

Public Skating at Parrsboro Arena (9:00-11:30am)
Cost \$2, Family \$5

Indoor Yard Sale (9am - noon)
Cumberland Room, Amherst Wandlyn
Kids games and prizes. Proceeds to Relay for Life

Free Snowshoeing, Lion's Park, Springhill (12-1pm)

Oxford Arena Free Skate (1:00 – 2:30 pm)
Free Bus from Pugwash to Free Skate in Oxford on Feb 21st!
Meet at the Pugwash District High School at 12:15pm.
The skate is for all ages and space is limited, so be sure to reserve a seat on the bus by contacting Greg Nix by Thursday Feb. 18 at 243-3295 or e-mail at gregalvina@yahoo.ca.

Free Senior's Card Game (1- 4 pm)
Salon A, Amherst Wandlyn - Drinks and prizes provided

Free Little Rocks – Parent's Curling Challenge
Northumberland Community Curling Club, Pugwash (1:30-4pm)

Free Sleigh Rides, Hot Chocolate & Hot Dogs (2-4pm)
Lion's Park, Springhill

Oxford Arena Free ADULT Skate (7:30 - 8:30pm)

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Indoor Winter Walking (10 am - noon)
Meet at the Parrsboro Firehall

Seniors Wii Time (1-3pm)
At the Four Fathers Memorial Library, Amherst.
For all seniors - Drinks provided

Knitten' Mittens (6:30-8pm)
Learn to knit or show us how at the YMCA! Snacks provided.
Register at 667-9112

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

Free Skate for Adults and Seniors (8:30-9:30am)
Amherst Stadium

Indoor Winter Walking (10 am - noon)
Meet at the Parrsboro Firehall

Polar Bear Dips at the YMCA– Free Swim! (10:30-11:30am)
Call the YMCA at 667-9112 to register

Amherst Stadium Free After School Skate (2:45-3:45pm)

Cakes & Hot Cocoa with the Mayor, Council and Youth Council- Parrsboro Town Hall (3:30-4:00 pm)

Artisans Display Sweet Tooth Night (6-8pm)
Northumberland Community Curling Club, Pugwash

Grades 7-12 Dance Dance Revolution Party (6-8pm)
Four Fathers Memorial Library in Amherst. Snacks!

Polar Bear Dips at the YMCA– 2nd Free Swim! (6:30-7:30 pm)
Call the YMCA at 667-9112 to register

The Cumberland Twirlers Free Basic Lessons and Demonstrations (7-9 pm)
Experimental Farm Pavilion, Nappan
For more info, 447-2857 or mclellan.gm@ns.sympatico.ca.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24

CUMBERLAND COUNTY DAY AT SKI WENTWORTH!
Show your ID at Ski Wentworth and receive 2 for 1 lift tickets and rentals!

Free Skate for Adults and Seniors (8:30-9:30am)
Amherst Stadium

Soup and Chilli Luncheon (11:30am-1:00pm)
Bridge Adult Service Centre, 16 Station St, Amherst
\$7.00 includes Soup or Chilli, roll, tea/coffee & dessert.
Take out available, 667-8433

Brown Bag Theatre (Noon)
Tantramar Theatre, Victoria Street Amherst. Play written and directed by Don Miller. Doors open at 11:30 am with lunch provided by Bambinos. This comedy tells the story of a blushing bride and her really cheap groom. This noon hour show is over by 12:50 pm in time to get back to work!
Cost is \$12.00 and TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE by calling the Tantramar Theatre at 667-7002

Free Kids Movie for children aged 3-12 (3-4pm)
Parrsboro Library

Ball Hockey at the Parrsboro Town Hall (3-6pm)
Contact Marc Chagnon, 254-2036 for more info

Wine Tasting and Appetizers (6-9pm)
Northumberland Community Curling Club, Pugwash

Girl Guides Free Skate (6:15-7:15pm)
Join the Springhill Girl Guides for a free skate, hot chocolate & timbits at the Richard Calder Arena

Chilly Dog Walk Departing from the YMCA (6:30pm)
Dog lovers unite for an evening walk around the Town
Register at the YMCA or by calling 667-9112

Free Movie Night at the Band Hall, Parrsboro (8-10pm)
Emma, 1996 film starring Gwyneth Paltrow

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Free Skate for Adults and Seniors (8:30-9:30am)
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Amherst Stadium Free After School Skate (2:45-3:45pm)

After School Frosty Fun (3-4 pm)
For the kids in the YMCA after school program
Learn winter safety tips with fun games and crafts
Register at the YMCA or by calling 667-9112

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 26

5th Annual Old Souls Bonspiel Begins
Brookside Curling Club - Register a team for \$10 a player
To register your team, contact the curling club at 251- 2512
You will be assigned to a team when you register and new curlers are welcome.

Snowshoe or Hike the Trails at the Wallace Museum
Sponsored by WADA (9am-4pm)

Public Skating at Parrsboro Arena (9:00-11:30am)
Cost \$2, Family \$5

Friday Morning Fun Times (9:30-11:30am)
Maggie's Place Family Resource Centre and Public Health invite parents, caregivers and children to the Rotary Park (across the street from Maggie's Place, at 11 Elmwood Drive in Amherst) to build snowmen, paint the snow and have lots of outdoor fun! Free snacks provided!

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Red Cross Information Session for Seniors (2 pm)
Held at the Tidnish Community Centre - Refreshments served.
Register by calling Tanya at 667-1927

YMCA Snowball Dance (8-10pm)
A fun dance for youth 7-14 years of age with a winter theme
Dress in white and watch yourself glow in the black lights!
Register at the YMCA or by calling 667-9112

Musical Entertainment (9 pm)
Northumberland Community Curling Club, Pugwash

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27

5th Annual Old Souls Bonspiel Concludes
Brookside Curling Club - Register a team for \$10 a player
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Amherst Masonic Society Breakfast (8-11am)
Masonic Temple, 20 Lawrence Street, Amherst
Enjoy a great deal on a hot breakfast of blueberry pancakes, sausages or bacon, homefries, white or whole wheat toast, and coffee, tea, or juice.

Breakfast at the Parrsboro Legion (9am-1pm)
\$7.00 per person

Outdoor Winter Challenge (11 am)
Teams of 5 will compete in a variety of fun challenges!
Held at the Rotary Park in Amherst
Cost is \$75 per team before Feb 15th and \$100 after.
Proceeds to the YMCA and Cumberland JumpStart
Register at the YMCA or by calling 667-9112

Wagon Rides (1:00 - 3:30pm)
Leaving from the Town Hall in Parrsboro - Free Will Offering

Ship's Company Theatre Snowman Competition
Includes exhibits and hot cocoa (1-3 pm)

Family Snow Sculpture Event (1-3 pm)
Rodney Estabrooks Memorial Sports Field in Tidnish
Free Hot chocolate. Bring your own tools but the TCACA will supply some water bottles and food coloring for your sculpting pleasure. Take pictures and enter to win our *Snow Creations Photo Contest*

Catholic Church Casserole Dinner (4 - 6pm)
St. Brigid's Hall – Cost: \$8adult, \$3.50 Children under 12

Cabin Fever Biathlon (4:30 pm)
The YMCA will host a biathlon event which will include run/walk/jog obstacle course and swimming activities.
Please call the YMCA at 902-667-9112 to register

Family Fun Bowling (6 - 8 pm)
Hosted by the Cumberland YMCA and held at Kingpin Bowling Alley, Amherst. Come out and show off your bowling skills! Please call the YMCA at 902-667-9112 to register.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Breakfast at the Parrsboro Legion (9am-1pm)
\$7.00 per person

Outdoor Family Skate (1-3 pm)
Tidnish Bridge Skating Rink - Tidnish Community Association will bring the hot chocolate, you bring your skates and helmets! (weather permitting)

Snowshoeing (1:30 - 3:30 pm)
Seagull Property on Thomson Road - offered by the Friends of the Pugwash Estuary. Contact Bob Nogler, 243- 2985 to register and reserve your snowshoes today!

Family Coasting Party (3:00 – 4:30 pm)
Pit Pond, Springhill - Coasting, Cookies & Cocoa!
Hosted by the Springhill Baptist Church

Oxford Arena Free ADULT Skate (7:30 - 8:30pm)

