

Monthly Report

Community Living

March 2023

Active Living

- Dave Simpson has been meeting with community organizations, schools, recreation providers and the Fundy Regional Active Living Coordinators groups
- Also continues to organize multisport activities

Community Well Being

- Finalizing the PRAC strategic plan, developed agenda packages and attended meetings
- Team meetings with staff
- Participated in the Cumberland County Youth Development Centre Strategic Planning Day
- Worked on reports for Council, Committees
- Attended meetings with the County of Cumberland, Town of Amherst and Physician recruitment, retention and appreciation committees
- Attended meetings re: procurement, Athletic Achievers, Acadian Committee, CANSA re: diversity, capital budget, Joint AYTC/CCYC meetings, Community Arts meeting, and International Women's Day activities
- Attended the Community Carnival Fun-day at the stadium
- Presented to CANSA Board

Culture, Events & Marketing

- Winter Carnival 2023 – Planning and executing activities for the Town of Amherst's Community Carnival
- Hosted Athletic Achiever's celebrations and Acadian Society set up
- Hosted Queens Jubilee
- Prepared information for call out for AYTC applications

Community Navigator

- Allison Watson started on Monday the 27th of February
- First week was reaching out to key stakeholders, reviewing documents around expectations, developing KPI's and marketing strategy for materials development
- Attended meetings with committees and set meeting with key health personnel in the region and around the province

Task Updates:

Task: Free Ice discussion

Update: A report on the continued relevance of this initiative in time for budget discussions is being prepared.

STATUS: STARTED

Task: Requests for Proclamations and Flag Raising Ceremonies Policy Amendments

Update: This draft amendment has been reviewed by the IDE committee and recommendations have been forwarded back to COW for the March meeting

STATUS: COMPLETED

Task: Street Banner Policy

Update: Council requested the legion be consulted on the draft policy as it relates to their Veterans Banner program.

STATUS: ONGOING

Task: Green Space Beside Town Hall

Update: Staff will meet with Legion to discuss the overall goal of the green space to be inclusive and meet the goals set out by Council in October 2022. A rendering of the green space has been completed by our Planner, and Justin has requested to present to Council in April.

STATUS: ONGOING BUT GOING WELL