RECREATION

MONTHLY REPORT

JUNE 30, **2025**

FIVE RIVERS

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MARLEY BURKE - Recreation

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June 2025

June is over! Things accomplished:

RECREATION REPORT

Rexton Sports & Recreation Centre

- **Matthieu Vienneau –** MXT Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu to use Recreation Center (Ice Surface) Wednesdays and Saturdays
- **Roots & Rivers Fest –** Reached out to Rexton Lion's Club to see if they are interested in hosting a fundraiser brunch in the lobby and a market on the ice surface for Roots and River's Fest. Saturday, July 26. Will meet with Bianca and Megan or Donna in the next week to discuss details.
- **Remi Boudreau – Magician and Illusionist –** July 28 3:00PM to 4:00PM. Had activities for kids beginning at 1:30 (face painting, jumbo games, coloring, enter to win a magic kit) Great feedback from guests.

Splash Pad

- **Open 8am – 8pm**

Carson's Landing

- **Boat Launch Passes -** now available for purchase
- **Driveway filled and redone on Sunday July 29**
- **2 - Summer Students –** Trained and started working
- **Open sign installed**
- **Moved shelving to create more room.** Benefits staff and customers**.**
- **Now selling –** ice, pop, water, chips, freezies, choc bars
- Making pamphlets to give to customers that explain why we charge the amount we do for daily passes and seasonal passes.

Kid's Camp

- **4 - Summer Students Hired** (2X Camp Leaders – 2X Camp Counselors). Trained and 8 weeks of summer camp planned. Start date – June 23
- **Continued to promote kids camp on social media and physical flyers at local businesses and organizations.**
- **Kept track of registration forms coming in through email**. Worked with Tiffany for payments
- **Confirmation emails sent to parents**
- **Attendance lists for each week created.**
- **Permission slips for leaving the property created.**
- **Starts today, June 30. Runs until August 22.**

Bonar Law Common

- **Opens today, June 30. Runs until August 29.**
- **2 - Summer Students Hired and trained** (1X Museum Interpreter– 1X Recreation Worker) – Start Date June 23.
- **1 - Maintenance Worker Hired –** Start Date June 2. (deck currently being replaced. Small barn/Chicken coop repaired)
- **Update on Gov. NB Documents for Site Operations –** Requested by Marley through Anne Hamilton. Waiting for response. Emailed MLA on June 18 with no response. Will send follow-up email this week.
- **Gift Shop Update** – met with 8 vendors this month. Received inventory. Pricing done. Ready to open.
- **2 weddings –** great feedback from guests
- **New Brunswick Museum – Claire Titus** reached out to visit our Museum on Aug 18 – wants to hear about successes, challenges and visions of the museum. Marley, Juanita Hebert and Catherine Hebert will be attending the meeting.
- **Destination SouthEast –** Robyn Jones reached out for a tour on July 3. A bus load of locals from Bouctouche are visiting local museums and heritage sites. They requested we have a small prize for a draw for the attendees. Purchased a $50 gift card for Seaside Restaurant.
- **Weekly schedule of activities posted on social media.** (See Appendix E)
- **Roots and Rivers Fest** – Continue to work hard on this. Secured funding from Richibucto Home Hardware, Babin Paving, Warren Industrial Services, Atlas, TransAqua, Miller Group, Auroraw Pet Wellness Retreat, Nathalie's Flower Shop, Richibucto River Wine Estate
- **Radio Ads –** have been in contact with 69.9 Moncton and 95.9 Miramichi. Miramichi will give us 70 radio ads for $391. Will get sponsor to cover the cost. Waiting on reply from 96.9. Both radio stations will have their summer cruiser attend the Roots and Rivers Fest on Saturday July 26.
- **Confirmed the following –** Amber Walls Performance Friday, July 25, Old Cherry Performance Saturday July 26, Bouncy castles, foam machine, horse and wagon rides, Historical Society will host field games on Saturday, Touch a Truck Sunday (Rexton Fire Dept, RCMP, Miller Group, Gallants Sanitation) (See Appendix D)
- **Canada Day Celebration –** Preparing for tomorrow. Full day of fun and Canadian Pride! (See Appendix C)

Community Garden

- **Rows have been made / leaves and compost mixed in / Rhonda and Dave purchased organic goat manure which has been incorporated in both gardens**
- **Gazebo Donation –** not in good condition, damaged and taken down
- **Workshops** with Mario and Rhonda – waiting for reply from Mario
- **Produce Stand – will fill and advertise once produce is available**
- **Storage shed assembled**
- **Still plots available – will continue to advertise**

- **I noticed some things, so I created a poster for Community Garden Rules and posted. (**See Appendix A)

Rexton Ball Field

- **BLMS Seniors vs Teachers -** June 3 @ 4pm – 6pm. Rain date June 4
- **Marley spoke with Brent Goodwin and Mark Perry about forming a team to play against the RCMP this summer for a charity event (Guns & Hoses).** Still waiting for a reply.
- **Storage shed purchased**
- **Order made of $1129.00 for field equipment. (**See appendix B**)**

Other

- **Will be holding next Multicultural Meeting here at the main office. July 14 at 9:00AM** (See Appendix F)

Appendix A

COMMUNITY GARDEN RULES

- **No fertilizers or chemicals:** Please use only organic methods to keep our garden healthy and safe.
- **Keep the garden area tidy:** Clean up your tools and any debris after working to maintain a pleasant space for everyone.
- **Keep shed doors closed when not in use:** This helps protect tools and supplies from weather and theft.
- **Please do not leave water running overnight:** Help conserve water and avoid flooding or damage.
- **Please do not drive on the grass:** To protect our green spaces, avoid driving on grassy areas.
- **If possible, park at the red shed:** Parking near the shed helps keep pathways clear and accessible.

For any questions or concerns, please contact Marley:

recreation@5-rivers.ca

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COMMUNITY GARDEN

Appendix B

Marchants.com Invoice for Order #106951

849 Progress Ave
Toronto ON
M1H 2X4
Canada

Bill To

Marley Burke
Municipality of Five Rivers
82 Main Street
Rexton, New Brunswick E4W 5N4
Canada

Phone: 506-523-6921
Email: recreation@5-rivers.ca

Ship To

Marley Burke
Municipality of Five Rivers
82 Main Street
Rexton, New Brunswick E4W 5N4
Canada

Phone: 506-523-6921
Email: recreation@5-rivers.ca

Order:	#106951	**Order Date:**	2025 Jun 18th
Payment Method:	Credit Card (via Stripe) (CAD $1,129.22)	**Shipping Method:**	Purolator (Purolator Ground)

Order Items

Qty	Code/SKU	Product Name	Price	Total
2	M500	Pro Quality Rubber Base Set	CAD $260.95	CAD $521.90
3	A-BBRPLUGS	Ground Anchor Mounts - sold individually	CAD $21.45	CAD $64.35
1	A-BBDIGOUT	Ground Anchor Dig Out Tool	CAD $65.45	CAD $65.45
2	A-BBBLPLUGPK	Big League Base Plugs (3 pack)	CAD $93.95	CAD $187.90
2	GH07-CHA	Champion Official Size Pitcher's Plate	CAD $36.95	CAD $73.90
			Subtotal	CAD $913.50
			Shipping	CAD $68.42
			Tax	CAD $147.30
			Grand total	**CAD $1,129.22**

Appendix C

FIVE RIVERS PRESENTS

CANADA DAY

TUESDAY JULY 1ST 2025

FOOD, MUSIC & GAMES

9am - 5pm Museum & Gift Shop OPEN
2pm - 8pm Bouncy Castles & Games
2pm - 7pm Food Vendors on-site
2pm - 9pm Canteen & Bar OPEN

FREE ENTRY, EVENT STARTS AT 2PM

BONAR LAW COMMON

31 Bonar Law Ave., Rexton

2PM - MAYOR'S MESSAGE & SISTEMA & CAKE
- SISTEMA PERFORMANCE & O'CANADA
- CAKE IN THE GAZEBO
3PM - VINCE BARLOW & FRIENDS
5PM - OLD CHERRY
5PM - THE HEALING FARM
7PM - CHARLIE BROWN BAND
9PM - FIREWORKS

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Appendix D

FIVE RIVERS

Roots & Rivers Fest

PLATINUM SPONSORS

WARREN INDUSTRIAL SERVICES

THE MILLER GROUP

SALTY DNA

Richibucto St. Louis

Day 1 July 24

Evening :

6pm - 8pm	Variety Show

Day 2 July 25

Evening :

6pm - 9pm	Live Music with Amber Walls
9pm	Boat Parade
6pm	Pool Tournament - Bass River Hall

Day 3 July 26

Morning :

9am - 12pm	Upriver Country Market - 20 Fearon Cross rd.
10am - 6pm	Bouncy Castles & Games
10am - 2pm	Washer Toss Tournament

Afternoon :

12pm - 4pm	ATV Poker Run
5pm - 6pm	Hot Dog & Pudding Contests

Evening :

7pm	Award Ceremony
8pm - 12am	Outdoor Concert - Old Cherry

Day 4 July 27

Morning :

9am - 4pm	Touch-a-Truck -Presented by The Miller Group
9am - 4pm	Bouncy Castles & Games

Afternoon :

12pm - 2pm	Foam Party & The Healing Farm
1pm	Pool Tournament & Music Jam - Bass River Hall
2pm - 4pm	Wagon & Horse Rides

ALL ACTIVITIES WILL BE HELD AT BONAR LAW COMMON
31 BONAR LAW AVE, REXTON
UNLESS SPECIFIED OTHERWISE (BASS RIVER HALL - 20 Fearon Cross Road)

Appendix E

BONAR LAW COMMON

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

MONDAY →	9AM - 10AM YOGA WITH STACEY $10 9AM - 430PM MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP 10AM - 11AM CHAIR YOGA WITH STACEY $10 COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND
TUESDAY →	9AM - 430PM MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP 10AM - 2PM JUMBO GAMES COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND
WEDNESDAY →	9AM - 430PM MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP 10AM - 4PM WASHER TOSS WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND
THURSDAY →	9AM - 430PM MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP 1PM - 3PM TEA PARTY (BY-DONATION) COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND
FRIDAY →	9AM - 430PM MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP 1PM - 3PM MARITIME SPINNERS COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND
SATURDAY →	9AM - 430PM MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP 10AM - 2PM FAMILY DAY ACTIVITIES COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND
SUNDAY →	MUSEUM AND GIFT SHOP CLOSED COMMUNITY GARDEN & PRODUCE STAND

Appendix D

Many Cultures, One Community – Let's Unite!
MULTICULTURAL DAY
September 13, 2025
Bonar Law Farm
Rexton
Time:
11:00 am
to
3:00 pm
Saturday
13
September, 2025
Location:
31 Bonar Law Av
Rexton
To RSVP, please confirm now to Monique:
Monique.Boucher@CSRK.ca or 506-625-8768
Presented in collaboration with:
Beaurivage
FIVE RIVERS
Rural Settlement Network
Le Réseau d'établissement rural
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