Seniors Take Action Coalition
...promoting age-friendly communities
Coalition des aînés en action
...soutien aux communautés amies des aînés

DECEMBER 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sun - Nov 30 St Louis CWL Christmas Bazaar Louisdale Parish Hall Doors Open at 11am Turkey Dinner -11:30 Bake Sale 11am to 1pm L'Ardoise Community Centre Holiday Decor Swap and Cookie Exchange and Youth Makers Swap- 2pm Javrin Island Community Centre Bring what you make. Leave with something new	**Mon - Dec 1** Mass at 9:30am D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall Line Dancing 10am to Noon West Bay Community Centre Seniors Take Action Coalition Board of Directors and General Meeting 10am Isle Madame New Horizons Club Arichat	**Tues - Dec 2** Jolly Club Sewing Group 9am in L' Ardoise Tuesday Morning Coffee/Tea Drop-In West Bay Road Fire Hall 10am to Noon Weather permitting Digital Wellness L'Ardoise Jolly Club 9:00 to 11:45 am 12:30 to 3:30pm Richmond Literacy St. Peter's Office Pilates Wellness Circle Followed by herbal tea and social Royal Canadian Legion Branch 150- Arichat 10am-Noon Sliding pay scale Min $5-Max $10	**Wed - Dec 3** NS Walks with Sonia Pondville Beach 10am Weekly Coffee 9-1130am Fire Department Red Islands Morning Coffee St George's Channel Hall- 10:00 - 12 noon Digital Wellness Richmond Literacy St. Peter's Office 8:30am - 9:45am 11:30am - 2:00pm Riverdale Seniors Club Get Together Lunch Lower River 12 noon to 2pm	**Thurs - Dec 4** Coffee and Conversation 10am to Noon West Bay Community Centre Story time- 10:30am Grandparents and caregivers are welcome to bring children Petit De Grat Library Digital Wellness 9:00am - 12:00pm Richmond County Municipal Office Arichat D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall 1:00 - 2:30 pm 	**Fri - Dec 5** Fiber Club Informal Knitting/Crocheting Petit de Grat Library 2pm to 4pm Come when you can' kind of group A Night of Christmas 6:30pm Christmas Music with the Broussard Family and Friends La Picasse, Petit de Grat Cash Donations for Isle Madame Food Bank Isle Madame New Horizons Club Christmas Dinner and Dance 7 to 11pm Members Only	**Sat - Dec 6** Angel Fund Holiday Market 10am to 2pm D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall Isle Madame Fire Dept and RCMP Community Food Drive- Arichat 8am to 4pm Charles Forest Coop Christmas Art Show and Sale Richmond Artist Alliance Art Gallery D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall 10am to 4pm

Sun - Nov 30

Christmas at
Lenoir Forge
Museum
Arichat
2:30 to 5:30 pm
(Organized by École
Beau-Port, La
Picasse, CDÉNÉ,
Caisse Populaire)

Isle Madame
New Horizons
Seniors Club - Arichat
Cribbage - 6pm

Mon- Dec 1

Visionnement de film
Notre cabane sur l'Île
Madame – La veille
de Noël
Avec Eunice dans le
rôle de Hortence

Movie Night
at La Picasse!
Featuring Eunice as
Hortence
La Picasse, centre
communautaire
culturel
Petit de Grat
6 pm

Popcorn et échange
de cadeaux! Popcorn
and Gift Exchange!

Pour participer à
l'échange, apportez
un objet usé de la
maison, joliment
emballé

To join the exchange,
bring a used
household item,
nicely wrapped.

SVP confirmez votre
présence :
902-226-0149

Please confirm your
attendance:
902-226-0149

Tues - Dec 2

Cafe Reminisce
1:00-2:30
With special guest
artist
Dr. Kingston Centre
L'Ardoise
Call to Register
(902) 587-2800 ext:3

Isle Madame
New Horizons Club
Pay Me 6:30 pm
Arichat

45's card game
St. George's Channel
Hall 7:30pm

45's Card Play
Acadiaville
Community Centre
Hall
West Arichat 7:30pm

Wed - Dec 3

Caregivers Support
Group
10:30 am to 12:30 noon
Arichat
Isle Madame
New Horizons Club
To register
1-877-488-7390 or
Gloria- 902-219-3102

Bereaved Families NS
Support N Share
1:00 – 2:30pm
Bonnie Brae Seniors
Club- St Peter's
Facilitated by Celeste
Gotell and Sonia Morris.
Call to register
902-564-6795

Line Dancing - 2-4pm
Drop In- $5.00
St Louis Parish Hall
Louisdale

Seniors Connecting
Wreath Making- Free
with local artist
Jenna Jameson
6:00 to 7:30pm
Call Rachael to register
902-587-2800 x 3

Strait Richmond Health
Care Foundation
Tree Lighting- 6pm
join us for carolling and
cake.
Santa will pay a visit

Thurs - Dec 4

Walking Group- 11am
Weather Permitting
Dr. Kingston Centre
L'Ardoise

CLUB DE CONVERSATION
CONVERSATION CLUB

Petit De Grat Library
12 noon. Join others
to practice your
conversational skills in
French!

Cross Stitch Group
Drop In- 1pm
D'Escousse Civic
Improvement Hall

Johnstown
Sewing/Handicraft
Fire Department,
Red Islands 1:00 pm
Everyone welcome

Adult Drop-In- 1-4pm
St. Peter's Lion Hall
For more information
(902) 587-2800 ext: 3

45s Card Play 7:30 pm
D'Escousse Civic
Improvement Hall

Fri - Dec 5

Six Week Stride for
Strength and Wellness
10-11am
With Sonia Morris
$35.00 or $7.00 weekly
drop in fee
Call Sonia at
902-302-0694

Christmas in the Village
Annual Tree Lighting
St Peter's Community
Cultural and Heritage
Greenspace
6pm- Join us
Hot Chocolate,
Christmas Cookies, and
a visit with Santa

Christmas Carol Sing
St George's Channel
Hall- 7pm
Free sing-along with
music by Adam Cooke
Sweet music with Sweet
Christmas goodies!

Sat-Dec 6

Music Circle
Legion Branch 150
Arichat- 2:00pm
Free Admission
Bring your instrument

Rocky Bay Irish Club
Annual Tree Lighting
6:30pm
Music to follow with
Carli, Jamus and
Friends- Free

L'Ardoise Annual
Christmas Parade and
Children's Party
Parade at 5:30pm
followed by activities,
Visit from Santa and
Tree Lighting

Sun - Dec 7

Community Breakfast
Legion Branch 150
Arichat - 8 to 11am
Eat In or Take Out

Breakfast is Served
Riverdale Community Centre- Lower River
9am
Come Visit with Santa- 10-12 noon
Riverdale Market
10am to 12 noon

Christmas Art Show and Sale
Richmond Artist Alliance Art Gallery
D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall
Noon to 4pm

Seasonal Carol Singalong - 3 pm
St John's Centre for the Arts - Arichat
Refreshments served
Admission by donation

Mon - Dec 8

Seniors Take Action Coalition
Board of Directors Meeting- 10am
On Zoom

Line Dancing
10am to Noon
West Bay Community Centre

Pilates Wellness Circle Followed by herbal tea and social
Royal Canadian Legion
Branch 150- Arichat
10am-Noon
Sliding pay scale
Min $5-Max $10

Song Circle hosted by the St. George's Channel Hall
6:30pm to 9ish
Doors open at 6:00
All Levels Of Talent Welcome
By Donation
Light Lunch Available

Tues - Dec 9

Jolly Club Sewing Group 9am
L' Ardoise

Tuesday Morning Coffee/Tea Drop-In
West Bay Road Fire Hall
10am to Noon
Weather permitting

Louisdale Lions Club
Annual Christmas Tree Lighting
4:30 to 8:00pm
Carolling, Hot Chocolate, Fireworks, Photos with Santa
Lions Waterfront Park

Isle Madame New Horizons Club
Pay Me Cards
6:30 pm- Arichat

Wed - Dec 10

Morning Coffee
St George's Channel Hall
10:00 am - 12 noon

Weekly Coffee
9:00 am - 11:30
Fire Department
Red Islands

Digital Wellness
Richmond Literacy
St. Peter's Office
8:30am - 9:45am
11:30am - 2:00pm

NS Walks with Sonia
Pondville Beach
10am

Isle Madame New Horizons Seniors Club - Arichat
45s Card Game - 2pm

Thurs - Dec 11

Coffee and Conversation
10am to Noon
West Bay Centre

Story time- 10:30am
Grandparents and caregivers are welcome to bring children
Petit De Grat Library

Walking Group- 11am
Weather Permitting
Dr. Kingston Centre
L'Ardoise

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12 noon
Join others to practice your conversational skills in French!

Johnstown Sewing/Handicraft
Fire Department,
Red Islands 1:00 pm
Everyone welcome

Fri - Dec 12

Six Week Stride for Strength and Wellness
10-11am
With Sonia Morris
$35.00 or $7.00 weekly drop in fee
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Fiber Club
Informal Knitting/Crocheting
Petit de Grat Library
2pm to 4pm
Come when you can' kind of group

Noël en chanson
Christmas Carols
6:30 pm
Église St-Joseph, Petit De Grat / St-Joseph Church
Donation à la porte / Donations at the door

Rocky Bay Irish Club
Ugly Sweater
7pm

Sat - Dec 13

Christmas Art Show and Sale
Richmond Artist Alliance Art Gallery
D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall
Noon to 4pm

Join the RCMP and the local Fire Department
Cram the Cruiser Food Drive
Foodland Grocery
St Peter's
10am to 2pm

Strait Area Mutual Aid Food Drive
Louisdale Coop on
10am to 4pm

Washer Toss
L'Ardoise Legion 1pm

Sun - Dec 7	Mon - Dec 8	Tues - Dec 9	Wed - Dec 10	Thurs - Dec 11	Fri - Dec 12	Sat - Dec 13
 Weekly 45 Card Game- 2pm Tara Lynne Community Centre River Bourgeois Isle Madame New Horizons Club Christmas Dinner and Dance 7 to 11pm Members Only The Turnbull Brothers 7:00 to 9:00 PM D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall This concert will definitely put you in the Christmas spirit! $20.00 per ticket		45's card game St. George's Channel Hall 7:30pm 45's Card Play Acadiaville Community Centre Hall West Arichat 7:30pm	Legion Isle Madame Branch 150- Arichat General Meeting 2:00 pm. Election of Officers - All members invited to attend	 Cross Stitch Group Drop In- 1pm D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall Adult Drop-In- 1-4pm St. Peter's Lion Hall Recreational Games For more information (902) 587-2800 ext: 3 Atelier de création de boules de Noël / Special Christmas Creative Workshop! 6:30 pm- Free La Picasse, centre communautaire culturel, Petit de Grat Limited Spots- Call to reserve- 902-226-0149 45s Card Play 7:30 pm D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall 	Washer Toss Acadiaville Community Centre Hall West Arichat 7:30pm 	 Christmas Tree Lighting- 6pm to 8pm Crafts, Cookie Decorating, Hot Chocolate Little Anse Sampson's Cove Social Action Centre- Free Eastbound Christmas Concert 6:30 pm-8pm Black River Church "An old-fashioned community Christmas Concert featuring festive music by talented youth from communities. (Goodwill donation gladly accepted) Christmas Trivia L'Ardoise Community Centre- 7:30pm To enter a team call 902-293-6651 or 902-302-1244

Sun - Dec 14

Sunday Hungryman's Breakfast
D'Ecousse Civic Improvement Hall
8am to 11am

Christmas Art Show and Sale
Richmond Artist Alliance Art Gallery
D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall
8am to 4pm

Children's Christmas party
1:30-3:30pm
West Bay Community Centre
Parents may bring a wrapped $5 gift for their child to receive from Santa.
Cookie decorating, hot chocolate and a visit from Santa

Isle Madame New Horizons Seniors Club - Arichat
Monthly Meeting
1:30 pm

Mon - Dec 15

Line Dancing
10am to Noon
West Bay Community Centre

Tues - Dec 16

Jolly Club Sewing Group 9am
L' Ardoise

Tuesday Morning Coffee/Tea Drop-In
West Bay Road Fire Hall
10am to Noon
Weather Permitting

Pilates Wellness Circle
Followed by herbal tea and social
Royal Canadian Legion Branch 150- Arichat
10am-Noon
Sliding pay scale
Min $5-Max $10

Isle Madame New Horizons Club
Pay Me Cards
6:30 pm- Arichat

45's card game
St. George's Channel Hall 7:30pm

Wed - Dec 17

Morning Coffee
St George's Channel Hall
10:00 until 12 noon

NS Walks with Sonia
Pondville Beach
10am

Riverdale Seniors Club
Get Together Lunch
Lower River 12 noon to 2pm

Isle Madame New Horizons Seniors Club - Arichat
45s Card Game - 2pm

Thur - Dec 18

Coffee/Conversation
10am to Noon
West Bay Centre

Story time- 10:30am
Grandparents and caregivers are welcome to bring children
Petit De Grat Library

Walking Group-11am
Weather Permitting
Dr. Kingston Centre
L'Ardoise

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Adult Drop-In- 1-4pm
St. Peter's Lion Hall
For more information
(902) 587-2800 ext: 3

Cross Stitch Group
Drop In- 1pm
D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall

Fri - Dec 19

Six Week Stride for Strength and Wellness
10-11am
With Sonia Morris
$35.00 or $7.00 weekly drop in fee
Call Sonia at
902-302-0694

Fiber Club - Informal Knitting/Crocheting
Petit de Grat Library
2pm to 4pm
Come when you can' kind of group

Managing Holiday Stress - Protecting your mental health
Julia Goldworthy
Registered Therapist
Dr. Kingston Centre
L'Ardoise
12 noon
Call Rachael to register
(902) 587-2800 ext: 3

Jam Session - 7-10pm
Isle Madame New Horizons Club
Arichat - $5.00
Includes a Light lunch

Sat - Dec 20

Square Roots
D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall
11-1pm
Access to healthy and affordable produce seconds

Legion Branch 150 Arichat
45s Card Play
in support of the Poppy Trust Fund
7 pm- Prizes Awarded

Sun - Dec 14	Mon - Dec 15	Tues - Dec 16	Wed - Dec 17	Thur - Dec 18	Fri - Dec 19	Sat - Dec 20
 Christmas Community Celebration- 2-4pm Refreshments, Music, Visit from Santa Community Centre River Bourgeois St John's Centre for the Arts - Arichat 2 pm The Pear Tree (Adrianna Ciccone and Ellen Gibling) Christmas Music with fiddle and harp f902-227-8303 Fleur-de-Lis Seniors Club Christmas Dinner and Dance- 5-11pm Music by Gerald MacIntyre Hot Turkey with Trimmings- $20.00. Must be a member		 45's Card Play Acadiaville Community Centre Hall West Arichat 7:30pm		Adult Drop-In- 1-4pm St. Peter's Lion Hall For more information (902) 587-2800 ext: 3 45s Card Play 7:30 pm D'Escousse Civic Improvement Hall	Noël en pyjama - Un déjeuner pour souper / Breakfast for Supper! 5 pm La Picasse, Centre communautaire culturel Réservation : 902-226-0149 Un théâtre musical, danse et chant de Noël, Créé par les enfants de la communauté / Followed by a musical theatre performance, dance, and Christmas songs, created by the childrens of our community 👉 Portez vos pyjamas de Noël pour rendre la soirée encore plus festive ! / Wear your Christmas pajamas to make the evening even more festive! Fish Fry - Arichat Legion Branch 150 4:00 pm -6:30 pm eat in or take out $16.00 per dinner *Christmas treat bags for the kids.*	

Sun - Dec 14 South Mountain Arm of Gold Community Association St. George's Channel Hall Monthly Sunday Breakfast 8:30 – 11:00 am Cribbage Tournament L'Ardoise Community Centre - 1 pm Weekly 45 Card Game- 2pm Tara Lynne Community Centre River Bourgeois Isle Madame New Horizons Seniors Club - Arichat Cribbage - 6pm St. Peter's United Church- 6:30 to 8pm Carols by Candlelight						

Sun - Dec 21	Mon - Dec 22	Tues - Dec 23	Wed - Dec 24	Thurs - Dec 25	Fri - Dec 26	Sat - Dec 27
 Louisdale Lions Club Monthly Breakfast 8:00am to 11:00 am Louisdale Lions Community Centre Dessert Cafe 2-4pm St. Joseph's Hall Petit de Grat $10.00 Weekly 45 Card Game- 2pm Tara Lynne Community Centre River Bourgeois Isle Madame New Horizons Seniors Club - Arichat Cribbage - 6pm 	 Line Dancing 10am to Noon West Bay Community Centre Song Circle hosted by the St. George's Channel Hall 6:30pm to 9ish Doors open at 6:00 All Levels Of Talent Welcome By Donation Light Lunch Available Make sure to confirm this is still on.	Tuesday Morning Drop-In West Bay Road Fire Hall 10am to Noon Weather permitting Pilates Wellness Circle Followed by herbal tea and social Royal Canadian Legion Branch 150- Arichat 10am-Noon Sliding pay scale Min $5-Max $10 45's card game St. George's Channel Hall 7:30pm 45's Card Play Acadiaville Community Centre Hall West Arichat 7:30pm	 Morning Coffee St George's Channel Hall- 10:00 to 12 noon NS Walks with Sonia Pondville Breach 10am 	Are you alone and looking for company? On Christmas Day from 11am to 2pm the Farmer's Pantry in St Peter's is hosting a free eat-in Christmas Dinner 	 	 Legion Branch 150 Arichat Tarabish Card Game 7:00 pm Bring a partner - Prizes awarded

Sun - Dec 28	Mon - Dec 29	Tues - Dec 30	Wed - Dec 31	Thurs - Jan 1	Fri - Jan 2	Sat - Jan 3
 Cribbage Tournament L'Ardoise Community Centre 1pm	 Line Dancing 10am to Noon West Bay Community Centre		NS Walks with Sonia Pondville Breach 10am Isle Madame New Horizons Club New Year's Eve Ball 9pm to 1am Members Only	SonicSon's Fitness New Years Resolution Annual Loop Walk Pondville Beach 11am	Six Week Stride for Strength and Wellness 10-11am With Sonia Morris $35.00 or $7.00 weekly drop in fee Call Sonia at 902-302-0694 Fiber Club - Informal Knitting/Crocheting Petit de Grat Library 2pm to 4pm Come when you can' kind of group 	

Note: Seniors Take Action Coalition wishes to acknowledge the financial support provided by the Municipality of Richmond County to continue our Seniors Centre Without Walls and produce this calendar, offer programs on Telile, produce our Better With Age newsletter, and keep an active social media presence. Remember to register for events online at richmondriverroots.ca or by calling 902-785-7918 or by email riverroots2020@gmail.com and the Dr Kingston Centre for other activities at (902) 587-2800 ext: 3.