

# WARDEN'S REPORT

FOR THE MONTH OF:

SEPTEMBER 2025

**SEPTEMBER 3 - Doctor Recruitment:** Asked the team if there were physicians who may be interested in doing some fit testing for new fire fighters. The Physician Recruiter gave her report as did the Community Navigator. It was mentioned that when the area is being promoted, the Dark Skies is used as part of promotion. We are looking at the possibility of merging both Doctor Recruitment and CNOC committees.

**SEPTEMBER 5 -** Meeting regarding expansion of medical services in Tusket.

**SEPTEMBER 10 -** Attended the unveiling of the 2 Heart to Heart benches that are situated at NSCC for World Suicide Prevention. These benches are a visual reminder that you are not alone. The family of Jocelyn Stewart (the Jocelyn Stewart Foundation) have initiated this project and hope to extend to other schools. An astounding statistic was shared at that presentation that 12 Canadians take their life per day.

I also attended the 50th anniversary of New Horizons in East Pubnico. It was a wonderful celebration of friendship and history of the group ending with a performance from the Pubnico ukulele group.

**SEPTEMBER 11 -** Regular Council Meeting

**SEPTEMBER 14 - Wedgeport Firefighters Banquet:** Long service awards were presented to firefighters as well as the ladies auxiliary group. They have an incredible base of committed volunteers in their group.

**SEPTEMBER 15 - Community Navigator Oversight Committee (CNOC):** Met to discuss the financials of the organization.

*Yarmouth Area Industrial Commission (YAIC):* As always, current financials discussed. We also highlighted the importance of succession planning for the organization since the current manager has taken a new position. Further talks with CAOs, Mayor, Wardens will occur.

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**SEPTEMBER 18** - *Mariners Centre Expansion Board (MCEB)*: The Project Manager provided a project update. The project is moving along well. The financials were discussed as well. Brian Bonia is the newly appointed member of the MCEB from the MC Board.

*Yarmouth County Mutual Aid Association*: With the resignation of the current Chair, the group is looking at possibilities for a new chair. They continue to brainstorm ways of engaging members for training.

**SEPTEMBER 25** - *Mariners Centre Management Board*: Monthly check in with CAO and Executive Council meeting

**SEPTEMBER 27** - *Patchwork Pals 25th anniversary celebration*: Another excellent celebration of friendship, sisterhood and belonging through laughter and quilting. This organization has provided so many quilts for fundraising groups in our communities. Municipal, Provincial and Federal certificates were presented. The highlight was the launching of an original song about Patchwork Pals written and sung by Wendell d'Eon.

**SEPTEMBER 29** - Zoom meeting NSFM regarding upcoming amendments to by-laws. Very informative session with an opportunity for questions and answers regarding possible amendments that will be voted on at the upcoming NSFM conference. There will be another information session on October 23 at 6 p.m. . You must register to receive the link.

**SEPTEMBER 30** - *National Truth and Reconciliation Day*: Attended flag raising at the Town of Yarmouth.