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VILLE DE / TOWN OF
Stanstead

The Stagecoach

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MAYOR'S CORNER



Hello here are the highlights from the last month:

New Property Assessment Roll for the Town

We will see a new property assessment roll for the Town in 2025. Every three years, the value of buildings, structures, and land within the Town is reassessed to reflect the fair market value of both private and public properties. This mandatory process is carried out by a licensed appraiser's firm appointed by the Town, and it is completely independent from the Town. The assessment serves as the basis for municipal taxation. For more information, please visit: <https://stanstead.ca/evaluations-foncieres/>

Major Work on Passenger and North Streets

Major work is currently taking place on Passenger and North Streets. This project aims to replace aging public utility networks, including the sewer and water systems that need to be updated. The Town would like to thank the residents of the affected streets, as well as those of the surrounding streets, for their cooperation and patience. We are fully aware of the inconveniences these causes, but please know that in the end, this work will improve service delivery and the collection of wastewater and stormwater, helping to reduce rainwater runoff to the Rock Island wastewater treatment plant. The work is valued at 1.6 million dollars and is being funded by the federal and provincial governments.

Preparation of the 2025 Budget

The Town's staff is currently working on preparing the 2025 budget. With the new property assessment roll, adjustments will need to be made to certain tax rates. The Town's goal is to keep any tax rate increase in line with inflation, while also considering the ability of its citizens to pay.

Respect for Properties

During this period of leaf, branch, and garden debris collection, the Town would like to remind the public of the importance of respecting both private and public properties. It is strictly prohibited to deposit leaves, branches, or any other organic waste on a property that does not belong to you without the owner's permission. This rule also applies to properties owned by the Town or other governmental bodies. We count on your cooperation to maintain a clean and respectful environment for everyone.

Improvement of Parks and Green Spaces

The Public Works Department has made several improvements to the Town's parks. At Generations Park, a new fence has been erected to secure the park's play areas, while at Hackett Park, a shock-absorbing surface has been installed to enhance the safety of the play equipment. Additional work is planned for next spring to further improve the safety, accessibility, and activities offered at the Town's parks and green spaces. These initiatives aim to provide enjoyable and safe recreational spaces for all families in the Town.

Jody Stone

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

Monday Council Meeting | 2nd Monday of the month | Town Hall - 425, rue Dufferin | 7 p.m.



BE READY!

**SUBSCRIBE
TO OUR
COMMUNICATION
AND ALERT
PLATFORM**



communication and public
ALERT
system

Services offered by this platform :

- Emergency Measures Notices
- Public Interest Messages Notices
- Public Works Notices



If you need help filling
out the form,
contact us at
819 876-7181 ext. 110 or
come to Stanstead Town
Hall at 425, Dufferin Street
by appointment

Link :| <https://vu.fr/aEwfy>

In order to formalize the launch of our system of
communication and alerting citizens,
an alert TEST will be carried out on
November 20th around 2:00 p.m.

For more information, contact us now

**VACCINATION CLINIC
FOR ADULTS AND CHILDREN IN STANSTEAD**

Place d'habitation Stanstead
19, ColbyCroft St, Stanstead

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH, FROM 9:15 TO 3:45


Influenza- Covid-19

No appointment needed

ENSEMBLE
pour la
VIE




Centre intégré
universitaire de santé
et de services sociaux
de l'Estrie - Centre
hospitalier universitaire
de Sherbrooke

Québec 




PHELPS CLUBS

Every Monday at Lunch Time
Galt - B-206
La Ruche - 1016

Follow us on SNAPCHAT, FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM to learn more!




THE HASKELL FREE LIBRARY & OPERA HOUSE

WRITE TO SANTA. HE'LL WRITE BACK!
ÉCRIS AU PÈRE NOËL. IL TE RÉPONDRA!

Bring your letter to the library and drop it in our special Santa Mailbox!

Apportez votre lettre à la bibliothèque et déposez-la dans notre boîte aux lettres spéciale du Père Noël!



The Shepherd
 BY FREDERICK FORSYTH

SUNDAY **8 DEC** AT 3 PM

THE HASKELL FREE LIBRARY & OPERA HOUSE PRESENTED BY MICHAEL RUDDER

JOIN US FOR A DELIGHTFUL AFTERNOON READING OF THE HOLIDAY STORY "THE SHEPHERD" NARRATED BY MICHAEL. THIS IS A FUNDRAISING EVENT FOR THE LIBRARY, SO YOU CAN ENJOY AN ENCHANTING STORY WHILE SUPPORTING A GREAT CAUSE. THIS IS A PERFECT MULTI-GENERATIONAL FAMILY EVENT!

TICKETS: BY DONATION
 ALL PROCEEDS RAISED GO TO THE HASKELL FREE LIBRARY & OPERA HOUSE

WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME SOMEONE READ YOU A STORY?



Holiday
BOOK SALE
 15th & 16th NOV

at the Haskell
VENTE DE LIVRES
des Fêtes
 15 & 16 NOV



HASKELLOPERAHOUSE.ORG



Holiday High Tea

SATURDAY DECEMBER 7TH
11AM TO 1PM OR 2PM TO 4PM
35\$

COLBY-CURTIS MUSEUM



MUSÉE COLBY-CURTIS

Thé des fêtes

SAMEDI 7 DÉCEMBRE
11H À 13H OU 14H À 16H
35\$

535 RUE DUFFERIN, STANSTEAD, QC, J0B 3E0
COMMUNICATIONS@COLBYCURTIS.CA



Sip & Stitch at the Museum with Cercle de Fermières Stanstead

Hats, scarves, mittens or gloves, slippers,
Christmas decorations or any other idea
for Christmas stockings.

Knit or crochet, come create your
Christmas gifts!

Every Wednesday starting September 18 –
1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

For all levels - Free
Patterns and advice provided.



COLBY-CURTIS MUSEUM
535 RUE DUFFERIN,
STANSTEAD, QC



← EN COLLABORATION →
PRÉSENT



Art of Ethno Cultural Apéro

VIVA STANSTEAD



TRIBAL MUSICAL ATMOSPHERE
WITH LISSA DJ LYLY



Activité parrainée
Par Verushcka
Artiste pluridisciplinaire



23 NOVEMBRE - 21 DÉCEMBRE 2024
25 JANVIER - 15 FÉVRIER - 15 MARS ET 19 AVRIL 2025

DE 18H00 @ 21H00



CENTRE D'ARTS & ARTISTES-ZAN (C.A.A.Z)
10 RUE PHELPS, ROCK ISLAND, QUÉBEC J0B 3E2, CANADA
WWW.CAAZ.CA - INFO@CAAZ.CA - (514) 247-8470

MUSÉE COLBY-CURTIS MUSEUM ICE CANDLES & WREATHS

LES GÉNÉREUSES | THE CAREGIVERS

Wednesday November 27th
10am to 12pm
FREE

In collaboration with the participants of our Les
Généreuses/The Caregivers exhibit, we will be making
Ice candles and table wreaths.

All levels welcome - materials provided.

Mercredi 27 novembre
10h à 12h
GRATUIT

En collaboration avec les participantes de notre
exposition Les Généreuses/The Caregivers, nous
fabriquerons des chandelles de glace et des couronnes
de table.

Tous les niveaux sont les bienvenus - matériaux fournis.

Joignez vous a nous
Please join us for a

Parade & Fête de Noël Christmas parade & party

4.00pm

Samedi / Saturday 7 Dec.

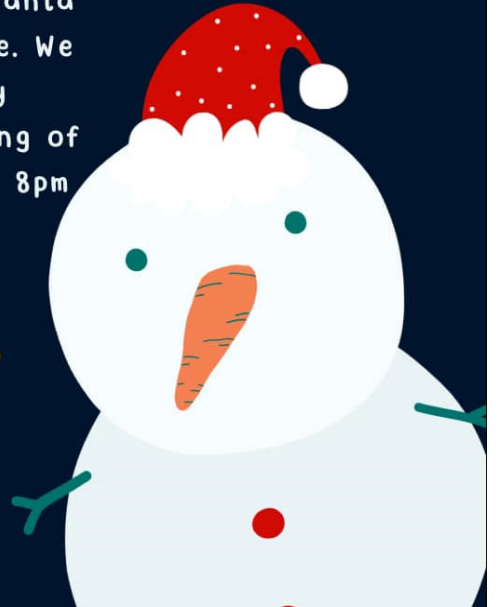
La parade débutera coins Fairfax et Dufferin pour ce rendre jusqu'au Sunnyside où vous allez rencontrer le Père-Noel avant son retour au Pole-Nord. Nous vous attendons avec pleins de surprises!!!

N'oubliez pas l'illumination du sapin de la Ville de Stanstead a 20H en avant de l'Hôtel de ville.

The parade will start on the corner of Fairfax and Dufferin to make its way to Sunnyside, where you will meet with Santa before his trip back to the North Pole. We will be waiting for you with many surprises!! And don't forget the lighting of the tree at the Town of Stanstead at 8pm in front of town hall.



Stanstead



**PHELPS AIDE
PHELPS HELPS**



**GIVING
TUESDAY**
December 3 2024

Help us build an even stronger community for our 400 participants

- / Volunteer:** Tutoring for ages 10 to 17
- / Donate:** Charity receipts provided

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Holiday Decor contest



Source : vecteezy

**Prize: \$100 per winning home from each of the three sectors:
Stanstead - Rock Island - Beebe and
\$100 for a winning business or organization**

To participate: Decorate your property, business or organization, our judges will visit each plot of our beautiful illuminated city during the week of December 16.

The prizes will be awarded when the holidays are over to start the year off right!



FILM

Samedi- le 16 Novembre, 19h
Saturday, November 16, 7pm

Followed by Q&A---Suivi d'une séance de questions-réponses

Haskell Salle d'Opera- 1 Rue Church , Stanstead
5\$



Réalisateur-Scénariste Guy Rex Rodgers




Presented by
présenté par




Embellishment Committee

The town of Stanstead would like to thank the Embellishment committee for all your involvement and work during each season of the year.

Each season, exploring our town is a pleasure to rediscover.





POLARIS QUARTET
VENDREDI 20 DECEMBRE 2024 20H
HASKELL OPERA HOUSE



POLARIS QUARTET PRESENTS

POLARIS QUARTET



20-12-2024 **8 PM. DOORS 730**
HASKELL OPERA HOUSE
TICKETS 35\$. **LEPOINTDEVENTE.COM**

TICKETS ALSO AVAILABLE @ HASKELL OPERA HOUSE



DECEMBER CRAFTS AT THE HASKELL

WEEK 1

SNOWMAN ADVENT CALENDAR



WEEK 2

GINGERBREAD HOUSE PAPER BAG



WEEK 3

INTERACTIVE SANTA CRAFT



WEEK 4

REINDEER PUPPET





HASKELL FREE LIBRARY & OPERA HOUSE
93 CASWELL AVENUE, DERBY LINE VT 05830 USA

AGAINST DEPRESSION WINTER

Until the end of February, the sunny days become shorter.

Why not keep your holiday lights on until the end of winter?

These festive lights will brighten up our winter-sleeping streets.





DECEMBER 4TH 7PM

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

WE'LL BE READY TO WELCOME YOU WITH REFRESHMENTS AS OF 6:30 PM AT TOWN HALL

RSVP @ MARCHESTANSTEAD@GMAIL.COM



MADAME TOURNESOL'S CHRONICLE

This month I'm talking about electricity consumption. In Quebec, we are lucky to have our own electricity company. That's why our rates are almost half of what they are in Toronto, and almost five times lower than in New York. Just because we don't pay much for our kilowatt/hour doesn't mean we should waste it. So here, I'm sharing a few tips to save money all year long.

You can save money just by changing a few habits. The first thing I suggest is to unplug devices that are not in use. Even when they are not in use, there is current flowing through the cable connected to the device. This is called a phantom load. Most small appliances are usually used between 3 and 30 minutes per day; the rest of the time, they are in standby mode. Up to 40% of the annual consumption of all electronic devices occurs when they are turned off. We are talking here about lamps, night lights, small appliances in the kitchen, television, game console (which is very energy-intensive), air conditioner, etc. A home contains on average 20 to 40 devices generating phantom loads. Take a quick tour of the house and unplug the lamps and small appliances used only occasionally in order to eliminate this form of waste.

Once again, I am talking about saving money during the shower. 5 to 7 minutes should be enough to wash, shampoo and rinse. If you want to take the economy a little further, you can reduce the water temperature and turn off the water while soaping. In addition, a 200-liter bathtub half-filled represents 33% more hot water than a 7-minute shower at a flow rate of 9.5 liters per minute. Think about it!

Heating is one of the big expenses. The temperature can be lowered to 18 degrees at night. No one notices it because we are all wrapped up under the covers.

Caulking windows, doors, electrical outlets is also a good practice to save money.

LED lighting is the best option to save money. A 5.5-watt LED bulb is equal in brightness to a 60-watt incandescent bulb. LED is a little more expensive to buy but consumes much less energy and lasts much longer.

Using a timer is practical for devices that only need to be turned on at certain times of the day, such as outdoor lights and accent lamps.

Another good trick to save money is the good old clothesline. In addition to making your clothes smell good, you save on fabric softener and electricity.

If you want to push the search for savings, I suggest you visit the following website: <https://www.hydroquebec.com/residential/energy-wise/> where you will find lots of advice, and you will be able to see the electricity consumption of your home. On that note, I wish you good preparation for the cold season.

Madame Tournesol





AU COEUR
DE MEMPHRÉ

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le répertoire
des organismes de
Memphremagog sur
votre téléphone !

cdcmemphremagog.com

EN SAVOIR PLUS





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COMMUNAUTAIRE MEMPHREMAOGOG