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# ROSS FERRY FARM GATE MARKET

Starts July 4th and goes through September every Sunday from noon until 3:00 pm.

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Canada Day has come and gone and this year it was very sombre in light of the Residential Schools news. K-LEE RADIO broadcast from the Boardwalk (see picture and story opposite) and it was a very cool and damp broadcast but peple still showed up and walked for exercise.... Phase 3 of the Nova Scotia COVID Re-Opening is in effect and phase 4 will start in two weeks - it appears that things will return as close as possible to "normal" if there is not another flareup of COVID, let's hope we can have a good Summer season and especially for local businesses that have been suffering from closures.... the North Sydney Fire Hall is now open on Pierce Street and they have done some renovations during the COVID closure.... the MammoWarriors Dragon Boat practices have been relocated to the Yacht Club in North Sydney on Tuesday and Thursay evenings at 6:00 pm and Saturday mornings at 9 am - new paddlers always welcome..... the Summer Reading Program has started at the local librairies and there are some very nice prizes to be won - see details on page 7 i\of this edition..... Northside poet/songwriter Ron Gillis has another poem for us this week,"Little Band Of Gold" and it's on page 2..... coming up in the Fall is the second Annual Luminary Of Love to be held at Indian Beach September 26th, read the details of the excellent program on page 5 lof this edition..... the mackerel are now running in Cape Breton and this draws a lot of local fishermen to the wharves and along the harbour - we have an amusing (and true) story of an incident that happened many years ago on Sydney Harbour - see "Capt. Highliner and The Mackerels" on page 8 - this is one of the stories from the "Tall Tales & Udder Lies" Book availabe at your local book stores and online at www.kleeradio.com..... The Ross Ferry Farm Gate Market started July 4th - and goes through September every Sunday from noon until 3:00 pm - Over 14 Vendors on the Kempt Head Road with vegetables, eggs, meat, plants flowers, artisan bakers and crafters and a few surprises see story on page 3.... And finally, my beloved Montreal Canadiens couldn't bring the Stanley Cup back to Canada but they gave it a very good try - see you next year..... **PUBLICITY** - If your group or organization is planning an upcoming community event and want some free publicity, simply email us with your information and we'll publish it free of charge - just send us your information at this email address thisweek@kleeradio.com



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owners to engage in activities with their dogs. ?The area inside the fence will be off-leash, but dogs must be leashed outside of the fenced area.

Dog owners can park at the walking track and walk up to the park.

Any comments or questions can be directed to CBRM at www.cbrm.ns.caConstruction will begin this week and CBRM will announce when the park is open and ready for use.

Dog park users are required to abide by the following rules:

- 1. Dogs must have current CBRM tags (available from the CBRM Citizen Service Centre and SPCA)
- 2. You must carry a leash.
- 3. You must keep your dog within sight.
- 4. Do not allow your dog to dig holes in the park.
- 5. You are responsible for any damages or injuries caused by a dog in your care.
- 6. Dogs must not interfere with other park users.
- 7. Aggressive dogs, female dogs in heat, and puppies under three months old are not permitted in off-leash areas.
- 8. You must pick up your dog's waste immediately and dispose of it in the garbage can.

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All proceeds directly benefit the Northside/Harbourview Hospital Foundation, allowing us to fulfill our mandate of improving the lives of patients across our two local hospitals.

1 Luminary - \$20 Donation 3 Luminaries - \$50 Donation

To reserve a luminary, contact the foundation office at (902) 794-5402.

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#### **JACK COOL K-LEE RADIO DJ NEWS**

Late Nite Oldies with Jack Cool broadcasts on Friday evening at 11 pm - check the link on our website www.kleeradio.com

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Logan MacFarlane and the amount - \$14,761. Thank you for your continued support.



#### **1409 Kitchen SCHEDULE** Take Out & Dine In Thursday 3 - 7 Friday, Saturday and Sunday 12 - 7 **PHONE 794-1409**

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#### **NORTHSIDE NEWS**



## NORTH SYDNEY LIBRARY NEWS

#### WELCOME BACK

It's so good to have the library open again just in time for the Summer Reading program.

See page 7 of this edition for all the details on The Summer Reading Program and how to win prizes in the Grand Prize Raffle.

Masks are still required for Library visits.

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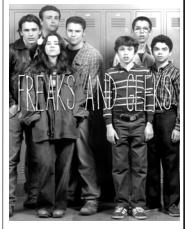
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# Take 2 DIRECTOR WITH PAUL POWER

I'm sure that most of us have been spending more time than usual in front of the idiot box (now with restrictions easing and nicer weather lets get out more, right?) but with so many choices what does one watch? I've done my fair share of starting a series-only to get 2 or 3 shows in and then saying "Nope". Bruce Springsteen has a song called "57 channels and nothing on", well multiply that by 1000 and you get a lot of crap on TV-the key is finding something worth investing time in-I rediscovered such a series. The free CBC gem app offers up the complete series of the amazing teen comedy-drama "Freaks and Geeks". Unfortunately there was only 1 season (18 shows) produced during the 1999-2000 season on NBC before it got canceledonly to go on to achieve cult status, win awards and show up in numerous lists of the top television shows of all time. To summarize, the show is set in a Detroit suburb in 1980-1981 and holds a a magnifying glass over "the sad, hilarious unfairness of teen life". Produced by Judd Apatow and created by Paul Feig the series launched the careers of Seth Rogen, James Franco, Linda Cardellini, Jason Segel, Busy Phillips, Martin Starr, Samm Levine and John Francis Daley.



As each episode progresses we witness a metamorphosis of the main charactersbecoming something totally different from what they used to be; one episode story line in particular may be the first (or one of the first) to address sexual identity and gender assignment at birth. This series offers a perfect blend of drama and comedy, made even more relatable by having characters that truly represented what and who most of us were in high school-the jocks, the band nerds and of course the freaks (stoners) and geeks (just plain old nerds-who may very well turn out to be be the coolest group of all). For me, the alltime best 2 TV programs about growing up are "The Wonder Years" and this one: I love "The Wonder Years" but "Freaks and Geeks" opened the door for the majority of the cast to go on to do much bigger things. I actually have the DVD box set of this series, with extras included-but for now you can find the series online. Enjoy!



#### SYDNEY MINES LIBRARY NEWS

#### **WELCOME BACK**

Summer is coming and our Summer Reading program is set for 2021.

See page 7 for the details on how to win great prizes in the Grand Prize Raffle.

Each book you read earns you points, so get busy with your favorite authors and titles.

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# JACK COOL LATE NITE OLDIES

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I had the pleasure last week of doing a Zoom interview with Dani Bailey.

She is the golden ticket winner who won the opportunity to be killed by Jason and how this all came about is a very interesting story. She is a big Friday 13th fan - biggest one in her opinion and Bailey was beyond thrilled for Vengeance

the first one and she got right on it and became a Kickstarter for the initial campaign and she pre-



purchase the DVD to make a long story short she got her chance to get killed by Jason Voorhees She is also going to be in Vengeance 2 Bloodlines.

She couldn't talk about exactly what part she's going to be playing in the movie because she wasn't too sure if she was allowed discuss that just in case.

When the okay comes to talk about that I will definitely put it in the paper.

If you would like a copy of the interview please email me Jack jackcool@mail.com



I had the absolute pleasure of doing the Zoom interview with actress Sanae Loutsis.

Sanae has been very busy not only is she back as Tommy Jarvis' youngest daughter Ashley Jarvis alongside her sidekick who plays her sister Angelica Jarvis played by Kelly Tappan.

She also got the star in another Friday the 13th fan film called Rose Blood where she got to meet actor Terry Kiser and Lar Park Lincoln who are both in this movie.

Another movie that Loutsis is going to be in is the Last Slay Ride.

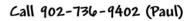
Special thanks to her father Shawn Loutsis for arranging this interview and her manager Alexi Angelino for all her support.

if you'd like a copy of this interview you are welcome to have that by emailing me at -jackcool@mail.com. Have a great week everyone - all the best, God bless - Jack

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Reading books, eBooks, magazines, comics, listening to audiobooks count and so does reading aloud to some-

one, or someone reading aloud to you.

Not online this Summer? Not a problem - fill in paper logs and update the CBRL staff.

There's a Summer Reading Program for Teens and Adults too!

#### **SUMMER READING - TEENS & ADULTS**

Summer is a season made for reading. Enjoy your Summer reads and earn points for tickets in our Prize Raffle - 1 book = 100 points - and with 300 points, you can purchase a ticket in the Prize Raffle.

Stuck for what to read next? Here are some CBRL reading lists http://cbrl.ca/pinterest-book-lists-adult-lists/

#### **SUMMER READING CLUB 2021 FOR KIDS**

It's time for Summer Reading adventure! This Summer find the books that interest you and read where you want and when you want to read - in a hammock, at your Grandma's, on a drive, in a blanket fort.

Read all Summer and track your reading at cbrlreads.readsquared.com Keep track of the minutes, or the books you read for program points and use your points to purchase tickets in the Grand Prize raffle on the readsquared site.

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PRIZE 3 - Board Games package

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Explore TD Summer Reading Club 2021 to, for access to eBooks, fun activities and online programs -tdsummerreadingclub.ca



### **Capt. Highliner & The Mackerels**

Ambrose Coffin was a retired Newfoundland sea captain who lived on the Esplanade next to Sydney Harbour. He would always say, "The mackerels is runnin" and that would be the signal for hordes of would be fishermen to head for the Sydney Government Wharf.

Ambie, as we called him, also kept a dory and he would go out in it from time to time to fish or to catch the mackerels.

On the day in question, he was jigging the makerels when a ship's horn sounded. He didn't move as he was catching fish. The ship kept on coming and blowing the horn. The ship wanted to dock at the wharf and felt it had the right of way.

Ambrose had to frantically row his dory out of the way as the big ship steamed into the wharf. The prop wash caught the dory and it capsized with Ambie losing his fishing



gear and the mackerels. The crew on the ship were laughing at the sight of Ambrose soaking wet on the shore.

Ambrose filed a lawsuit against the captain and the shipping company. When it came to court, the captain had a high priced lawyer defending him. Ambrose had a copy of the Mariners' Law of The Sea and quoted that an unpowered vessel had right of way over a motorized vessel and the ship should have given way.

The lawyer tried to argue that the ship had to land its cargo and Ambie way blocking his way. The debate went on for three hours but at the end of it, the judge ruled in favor of Ambrose and awarded him damages. The captain muttered, "I should have run the old bugger over."

The judge heard him and banged his gavel and said sternly, "And another \$500 for the lost mackerel!" Ambrose danced a jig and the captain stormed away. From that day forward we christened Ambrose "Captain Highliner" and he would tell the tale of the \$500 mackerels to anyone who cared to listen.

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- \* Do not throw cigarette or cigar butts on the ground or out of a vehicle. Dispose of them properly and make sure the are completely extinguished.
- \* Keep a 30 foot "safety zone" surrounding your home. This area should be clear of brush, with grass cut short. Store firewood and other combustible materials at least 30 feet away from any buildings. For homes that sit on a steep slope, the safety zone should be increased accordingly.
- \* Keep your yard healthy, cut and watered it is a natural firebreak.
- \*Clean up dead leaves and twigs from yard, roof and gutters. Cut tree limbs within 15 feet of the ground and remove dead branches that extend over the roof.
- \* Do not park cars, trucks or recreational vehicles on dry grass or shrubs. Exhaust systems on vehicles can reach temperatures of more than 500° C. It only takes about 200° C to start a grass fire in the Summer.
- \* Use an approved spark arrester on all internal combustion engine power equipment. This special muffler helps ensure that sparks generhis story is From "Tall tales & Udder Lies?ated by off road vehicles, chainsaws and other equipment don't start grass fires.
- \* Parents should emphasize to their children the dangers of playing with fire. Children who have no idea how quickly flames can grow and spread, start many grass fires.
- \* Homeowners who barbecque should maintain a 10 foot area free of brush and shrubbery around grills and propane tanks. Never leave a grill unattended.
- \* Keep a shovel, buckets of water, fire extinguisher or garden hose on hand any time while burning outside.
- \* If conducting a controlled burn, have a water hose close by and inform your local fire department before burning.

From your Public Fire Educator Ed Fudge any questions or information contact me at 902 371-4044