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## THIS WEEK

**NORTHSIDE COMMUNITY NEWS**

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- REMINDER -



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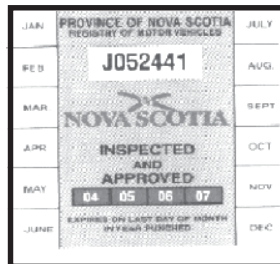
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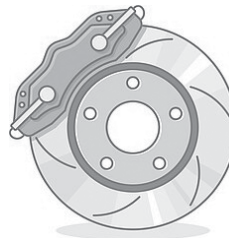
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**All Programs  
are On Hold  
pending COVID  
restrictions  
update from  
N. S. government**

Happy Hour All Day

**Royal Canadian Legion  
Branch 83 Florence**

**NEW SCHEDULE**

**MONDAY, TUESDAY  
WEDNESDAY &  
THURSDAY  
12:00 - 10:00 pm  
FRIDAY & SATURDAY**

VLTs Are  
Open

**ALL PROGRAMS**  
cancelled until  
further notice  
due to COVID  
restrictions

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COVID-19 Proof of  
Vaccine required  
TARABISH - Wednesday  
at 7:00 pm  
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**Sunday BINGO**

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Pens  
Sydney Mines

2:00 pm

**NOTICE**

Due to COVID  
restrictions, all  
programs are on  
hold pending  
N. S. government  
announcement on  
new Guidelines

**BIRTHDAY  
WISHES**

Happy Birthday to a special  
boy, Aaron Cormier, who will  
celebrate his 12th birthday on  
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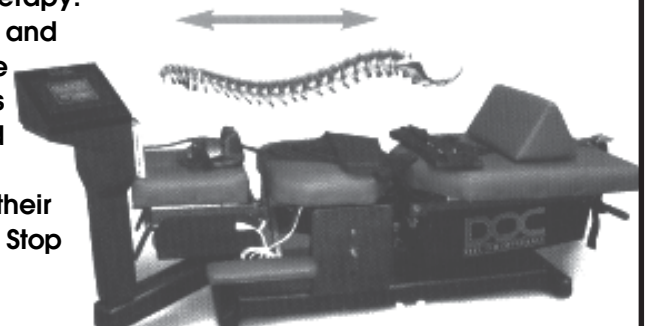
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**NEW DECOMPRESSION TABLE RELIEVES PAIN**

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## SATURDAY COWBOY

Many many years ago as a boy of ten,  
rode with cowboy heroes at our local Odeon.  
Amongst din that did surround me, smell of popcorn in the air,  
lost myself in movie, pretending I was there,

Side by side with range hands, riding hard across The Plain.  
Six guns at the ready, hands tightening on the rein.  
Sighting fleeing figure, Steed straining at the bit,  
closing in on outlaw has to be clean hit.

Suddenly theatre brightened much to my dismay,  
startled back to reality on that Saturday.  
Exiting from the movie show saying all is not in vain,  
will ride with cowboy heroes next week at our Odeon.

This poem describes a ritual which occurred every Saturday in our home town, North Sydney, NS. You see, The Show, as we called it, was the focal point for boys and girls varying in age from seven to twelve who gathered in a lineup fidgetly waiting for Johnnie the manager to instruct Jimmie the usher to open doors to that darkened cavern with its rows of seats facing the silver screen in which we were able to lose ourselves riding with Roy, Gene, Hoppy and their gallant steeds, Trigger, Champion and Topper.

RON GILLIS - NORTH SYDNEY, NS



**NOTE - CLUBS and ORGANIZATIONS** - Going forward you will need lots of publicity to get your club going once COVID is in the rear view mirror - simply send your information to us at this email - [thisweek@kleeradio.com](mailto:thisweek@kleeradio.com) and we'll make sure your event gets published in our weekly paper.

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It's Tax Season once again and we will be running our weekly "TAX TIPS" column to help you prepare your Tax Return for 2021 and maximize the deductions you can claim especially this year with COVID programs - page 6 for details.



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## BRANCH 008 LEGION - SYDNEY MINES

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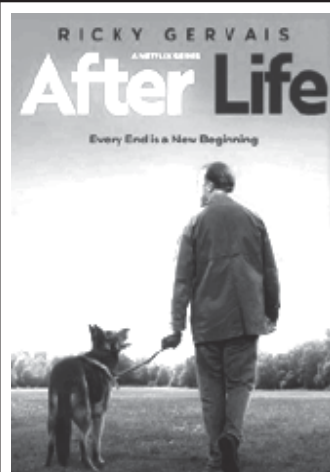
**LADIES AUXILIARY MEETING THIS SUNDAY AT 8:00 PM**

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Ricky Gervais is definitely a catalyst for controversy; personally, like many I think the man is an entertainment genius. He created the original British version of "The Office" and has written, produced and acted in such wonderful movies as "Night at the Museum", "Ghost Town", "Special Correspondents" and "The Invention of Lying", to name just a small few. For me though Gervais excels most in the TV world-creating such wonderful series as "Extras", "Derek", "An idiot Abroad" and many more-but his crowning glory is definitely the Netflix series "After Life". In the series Ricky portrays newspaper writer Tony Johnson, whose life is ripped apart when his wife dies from breast cancer. Tony thinks about suicide but decides instead to spend the rest of his life taking his anger out on the world by saying and doing whatever he wants-no matter what the consequences. Yes, I know some people find Gervais abrasive and blunt (he verbally slaughtered the attendees and nominees present when he hosted the Golden Globes awards show) and his mantra is always "I don't care"-which makes me admire him so much more. The world of comedy is the last bastion of free speech and so many of the haters have



no sense of humour whatsoever-so they gravitate towards hating people like Ricky Gervais, instead of themselves. The first season of the show was brutally honest and blunt, with an over the top level of nastiness that Tony showed towards some strangers, friends and family-but not all of them. He was a ghastly monster but interestingly enough he got along better with those that some would consider the dregs of humanity; Tony saw the humanity in them. By season 2 you could see a small glimmer of light cracking through the wall of darkness. The final season aired recently and what a revelation it was; without giving too much away let's just say there wasn't a dry eye in the room. The life lessons offered are truly inspirational, and the last few minutes of the series gave proper final closure for Tony Johnson-and the viewer. This series was truly amazing.

## \$500 Seniors Care Grant 2022

The Seniors Care Grant provides financial support to low-to-modest income seniors to help them stay in their homes.

The Grant is an annual grant program to reimburse costs up to \$500 to help cover costs of household services. It can be used to cover the costs of such things as snow removal, home repairs, lawn care, grocery delivery and more. It is available to homeowners and renters.

### To be eligible for this grant:

- \* You still reside in your home
- \* The property or lease agreement is in your name or includes your name.
- \* You are 65 years of age or over
- \* You have an annual household net income of \$37,500 or less

All applications must be submitted by May 31st, 2022. You can apply online at

[www.novascotia.ca/seniorscaregrant](http://www.novascotia.ca/seniorscaregrant)

We have copies of the application available to print at home from our website - [www.kleeradio.com](http://www.kleeradio.com).

Mailing instructions are included in the application



## GLEN'S SUPER BOWL 56 ANNUAL PREDICTION

Super Bowl Sunday rolls around February 13th and each year I predict the outcome. I have been correct the last 6 Super Bowls.

Here's my 2022 prediction. I think this year's Super Bowl Champs will be a little more difficult to pick as each team finished 4th in their divisions. I'm going to go against the odds and pick the Cincinnati Bengals over the Los Angeles Rams because of the slight edge in Offense - Let's see what happens.

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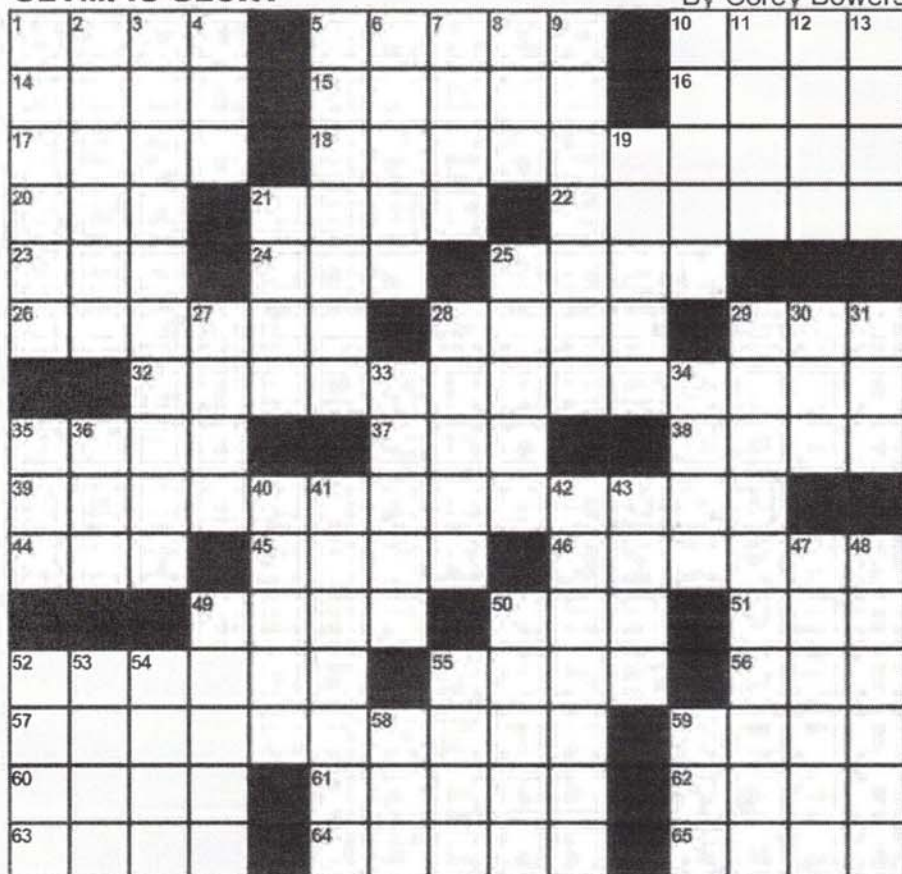
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- 5) Defibrillator output
- 10) Winter transport
- 14) Poet Angelou
- 15) Flu variety
- 16) Be concerned
- 17) Beat in a tournament
- 18) Olympic figure skater
- 20) Fido's dinnertime extra
- 21) Betwixt and between
- 22) More humane
- 23) Unsatisfying game result
- 24) Disburden
- 25) King Solomon had one
- 26) One of the Munsters
- 28) Give food to
- 29) Take credit?
- 32) Legendary multi-sport star
- 35) Brother of Cain
- 37) Deposit in a lode-bearing wall?
- 38) Like summer tea
- 39) Legendary Olympic gymnast
- 44) Some are classified
- 45) \_\_\_ Linda, Calif.
- 46) Short sock
- 49) "The way to a \_\_\_ heart ..."
- 50) "\_\_\_ Bravo"
- 51) It has a long arm
- 52) Stands by for
- 55) Buddies
- 56) Is expanded?
- 57) Legendary track star
- 59) Sicily's mountain
- 60) "Laugh-In" comedian Johnson
- 61) Loyal subject or city in Belgium
- 62) Chicken man, in the circus
- 63) Back of the pack
- 64) White-plumed heron
- 65) Betting figures

## DOWN

- 1) Word often used in razor ads
- 2) Metcalf of "Roseanne"
- 3) Pearl production locales
- 4) Club at Camden Yards
- 5) Pale-yellow color
- 6) Egg-shaped
- 7) Jenny the "Swedish Nightingale"
- 8) \_\_\_ Mahal
- 9) With more curves
- 10) Public commotion
- 11) Come back to earth
- 12) "Fifteen Miles on the \_\_\_ Canal"
- 13) Antlered mammal
- 19) Indian language
- 21) Dubai denizen
- 25) Tragedy by Euripides
- 27) Ivory Coast neighbor
- 28) Terra \_\_\_ (dry land)
- 29) Moved like a fan?
- 30) Misfortune
- 31) Wind up or wind down
- 33) Ensures the failure of
- 34) Try for three points
- 35) Mexican general Santa \_\_\_
- 36) Poorly behaved
- 40) Get \_\_\_ start (be tardy)
- 41) Videogame system, say
- 42) Carpenter's punch
- 43) Son of Seth
- 47) Wasn't just given
- 48) Fine-tunes
- 49) Tight-fisted person
- 50) Where to hit a bucket of balls
- 52) Slightly open
- 53) Contraction with number one
- 54) "The Thin Man" pooch
- 55) Word before "group" or "pressure"
- 58) Store-bought hair
- 59) \_\_\_ trip (self-indulgent activity)

## OLYMPIC GLORY

By Corey Bowers



(Solution on page 8)



## NORTHSIDE NEWS

NORTH SYDNEY  
LIBRARY NEWS

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## TAX TIPS 2021

## IMPORTANT DATES TAX DATES

There are several important dates this Tax Season. Here is a list of the big dates:

**Today** - Canada Pension & Old Age Security slips available through CRA online now

**Feb 1** - T4E slips for Employment Insurance should be available through Service Canada online

**Feb 21** - CRA EFILE opens - first day to transmit returns through the EFILE online system

**Feb 28** - T4 slips must be distributed by employers by end of day

**Feb 28** - T3, T5, T4A & T5008 slips distributed in most cases

**Mar 1** - RRSP contribution deadline for 2021 tax use

**Apr 30** - Tax payments are due, even if you have not filed yet - so interest will accumulate after this date

**May 2** - Personal taxes filing deadline - The annual date is normally April 30th, but that falls on a weekend this year, so we get a couple of extra days to file!

**Jun 15** - Self-Employed tax filing deadline for those filing a T2125 Statement of Business, as well as their spouse or common law partner..

*If you haven't already, now is the time to make sure that your mailing address is correct with everyone you're expecting a slip from!*

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SYDNEY MINES  
LIBRARY NEWS

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MINOR HOCKEY  
50/50 DRAW -

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## THE LATE NIGHT OLDIES SHOW

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# Remember To Replace Your Smoke Detector Batteries

Replace smoke detector batteries According to the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), 71% of smoke alarm failures are a result of missing, disconnected or dead batteries. A good way to remember to change your smoke detector batteries is when you turn your clocks for daylight savings time.

**FACT:** In just two minutes, a fire can become life-threatening. In five minutes, a residence can be engulfed in flames.

A working smoke detector significantly increases your chances of surviving a deadly home fire.



Install both ionization AND photoelectric smoke detectors, OR dual sensor smoke detectors, which contain both ionization and photoelectric smoke sensors. Clover Electric can help you choose the right product for your home.

Test batteries monthly.

Replace batteries in battery-powered and hard-wired smoke detectors at least once a year (except non-replaceable 10-year lithium batteries). Change the batteries two a year, when you change your clock for daylight savings time.

Install smoke detectors on every level of your home, including the basement, both inside and outside of sleeping areas.

Never disable a smoke detector while cooking – this can be a deadly mistake.

## **Did you know that smoke detectors have an expiration date?**

Smoke detectors should be replaced every ten years, or as recommended by the manufacturer. The sensors inside the detector will gradually wear out, eventually leaving it ineffective. You can look for the date yours was manufactured right on the back.

Don't forget the carbon monoxide detectors. Carbon monoxide detectors should be installed on every level of the home and outside sleeping areas.

Are you unsure if your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors are working properly? A technician can test or replace any detector you have in your home. Don't delay. Make the call that could save a life.

North Sydney Fire & Rescue - Ed Fudge, Public Fire Educator



## AROUND THE TOWN

Well, we dodged another major **Winter storm** and I hope we keep dodging them - I'm not a fan of great piles of snow... and, speaking of snow, I have noticed that local merchants have been **skimpy** with shovelling the areas in front of their business so far this year - most have shoveled a two foot wide path in front of their business and when you park the car, you **can't get** to the small opening - think again folks as a lot of your business is now pick up - if I can't get to your store, I'll go to another one that is shovelled.... North Sydney poet/songwriter **Ron Gillis** has another entry for us with "**Saturday Cowboy**" on page 3 telling the story of small boys and girls waiting for the Saturday "show" to start .... on page 4 of this edition **Paul Power** has a review of controversial **Ricky Gervais** and "After Life", it's worth a read..... we have included another **Crossword Puzzle** for you on page 5 and we will continue to do so while we are waiting for our Clubs, Libraries, Fire Halls and Legions to get back to community programming.... Our **Tax Tips** column this week shows the various important tax dates - remember, your tax consultant can get your **Canada Pension & Old Age Security** slips now and you won't have to wait until the end of February to file your return and get your income tax **refund** - contact your local tax consultant and they can provide you with the documents..... Don't forget the **Seniors \$500 Grant** available to both owners and renters, details are available on the application - logon to our website [www.kleeradio.com](http://www.kleeradio.com) to get your free application.... also on page 4 you'll see my annual **Super Bowl** prediction - so far I have been right the last 6 times - Have a great week - GLEN

## OLYMPIC GLORY

By Corey Bowers

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