

TOWN NEWSLETTER

Public Works Upcoming Events:

- Annual Spring Cleanup (Bulk Residential Waste Roadside Collection) will start on May 12 and finish by June 13. For any missed collection call the Town Office. Subject to change.
- Street Sweeping will begin around April 28 and continue into the summer.
- Water & Sewer crews will be conducting water system & sewer system flushing activities on a periodic basis.

Come and enjoy the municipality's great facilities!

Kinsmen Park Winter Light Walking & Snowshoeing 9 am to 9 pm daily

**Husky Park Outdoor Skating Loop
10 am to 8 pm daily
*Subject to conditions**

E.J. Broomfield Arena

Senior Hockey Skate Tuesday & Thursday 10 to 10:50 am
Senior Skate Tuesday & Thursday 11 am to 11:50 am
Public Skate Monday to Friday 12:00 pm to 12:50 pm
Public Hockey Skate Monday to Friday 1:00 to 1:50 pm
Friday Night Public Skate 7:00 to 7:50 pm
Sunday Afternoon Public Skate 2:00 pm to 2:50 pm

Admission to Public Skating will be FREE in recognition of 2025 being celebrated as the Year of Sport in Newfoundland and Labrador

Seniors: Free
5- to 18-year-old: \$3.00
19 +: \$5:00
Hockey Skate: \$5.00



Emergency Preparedness Week May 4-10, 2025

Be Prepared. Know your Risks

Natural hazards may be beyond our control, but there are ways to reduce the risk and the impact of whatever emergency we might face.

Emergency Preparedness Week (May 4-10, 2025) encourages people in Canada to take concrete actions to be better prepared to protect themselves and their household during emergencies. The Happy Valley-Goose Bay Fire Department will be hosting an Open House with their emergency response partners during this week. Follow them on Facebook or the Town's website (www.townhvgb.com) for more details.

By taking a few simple steps, you can become better prepared to face a range of emergencies – anytime, anywhere. It is important to:

- Know the risks – Although the consequences of disasters can be similar, knowing the risks specific to our community and our region can help you better prepare
- Make a plan – It will help you and your family know what to do
- Get an emergency kit – During an emergency, we will all need some basic supplies. We may need to get by without power or tap water. Be prepared to be self-sufficient for at least 72 hours in an emergency
- Have your Evacuation Checklist ready in the event and evacuation is called (available on the Town's website www.Townhvgb.com)
- Sign up for Local Emergency Alerts on the Town's website www.townhvgb.com

Visit www.getprepared.ca (or www.Townhvgb.com) for more resources to help you and your family prepare for all types of emergencies.

Would you like to help people that have been evacuated from their homes due to an emergency?

After last years evacuations that brought 1000's of people to our town, the Town's Emergency Planning Committee would like your help to be prepared if we should ever be in a similar situation again. If you would be willing to help with registration, housing people or pets, we ask that you visit www.townhvgb.com and fill out the evacuation volunteer form. This will add your information to our data base of volunteers that we can call upon to assist in an influx of people in our town that have been evacuated from their homes.

Tag your Critters for FREE!



Saturday, June 14/25
11am to 3 pm
Town Office
Call 896-3321 for more info

From the Finance Department:

2025 Tax Bills: Do you want to pay online?

Use the ONLINE BILL PAYMENT option through RBC, BMO, Scotiabank, TD Bank, & Eagle River Credit Union. To get started: 1. Search for "Happy" in the pay section, 2. Add payee, 3. Type your "Municipal Account Number" (add 5 zeroes at the end to make your account # 11 digits as required by the bank). For help check out the Town website under "Tax Bill Payment Options" in "A-Z Services".

Tax Discount:

The deadline for a 3% "Early Payment" discount on your 2025 Tax Bill is March 31, 2025.

Incorrect Name or Address on your tax bill?

Notify us in writing of the correct contact information along with any required documentation. Please submit it to the Town in person, by mail, by fax at 896-9454 or by email at sat@townhvgb.com.

Property Tax Relief:

Residential property owners may be eligible for tax relief. Complete the Property Tax Low Income Relief application form and submit to the Town with a copy of the CRA 2023 Notice of Assessment for each person residing at the address.

Tax Rebate:

Seasonal recreational property owners may be eligible for a tax rebate.

To access the Property Tax Relief or Tax Rebate forms, visit the "A-Z Services" section and select "Application Forms" and then choose the required form.

Looking to start a Home Based Business?
Drop by and see the Engineering Staff at the Town Office and we can help you get started!
Please call 709-896-3321 between 8:00am and 4:30 pm Monday to Friday.

ARE YOU ON THE TOWN CONSTANT CONTACT EMAIL LIST?

Stay up to date on
Boil Water Advisories
Traffic Advisories
Special Event Notifications
Notice of Special Meetings
Arena Events Notifications
& so much more

Municipal Election Day
Thursday, October 2nd
Will your name be on the Ballot?



Permitting?

To learn about permitting requirements:
Visit the "Quick Links" section of our website!

Have you signed up for Emergency Alerts?



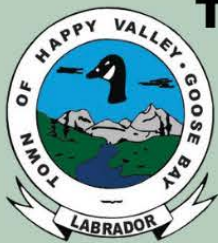
Call Fire Chief Butler at 709-896-3321 and he will help you get set up for this life saving service.



Submit general complaints through Access E11 on our website

For Enforcement & Animal Control Complaints
call 709-896-3322

* Complaints not accepted via Social Media.



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