

News Release

COVID-19 Update #2

01 April 2020

ST. GEORGE - The Province of New Brunswick remains at a State of Emergency. Residents are instructed to monitor communications from the Province on all matters regarding the COVID-19 pandemic as the authority of Public Health/Public Safety is the Government of New Brunswick, not the Town.

As only essential businesses and services remain open, resident are encouraged to only venture out from the property for essential needs (such as food, prescriptions, doctor appointments) and avoid unnecessarily "shopping" for non-essential items. Please limit your shopping to once per week at the most; purchase items all at once, avoid repeatedly going to the grocery store.

Social distancing is 2 meters... please adhere to social distancing when in the public or at work.

The following are current situations within the Town of St. George:

- There are no known cases of COVID-19 within the Town. (but let's treat the situation like there is!)
- All playgrounds, sports courts, Skate Park, sports fields are closed to the public. Canal Beach remains closed for the season.
- At this time, the walking trails remain open. (currently being monitor for social distancing violations)
- The Town Hall is closed to the public. The Fire Hall is closed to all, unless there is an active fire call, then only fire fighter members are permitted in the fire hall.
- All water and waste water (sewage) services continue uninterrupted.
- Trash and Recycling collection continues as scheduled.
- The Magaguadavic Place Civic Center is closed to the public and all activities/rentals until the end of April have been cancelled.
- Granite Town Hotel and Grove Motel is closed.
- Those retail stores still open are limited customers, enforcing social distancing and have altered hours of operation:
 - LeBlanc's Independent Grocer, Country Market, Great Canadian Dollar Store, Terry's Beef n' More, Vances Auto Supply, Granite Town Farms remain open.
 - Both of the two (2) local pharmacies remain open.
- Restaurant dining areas/rooms are closed however take-out is available.

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