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NEWSLETTER



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Tête à la Baleine

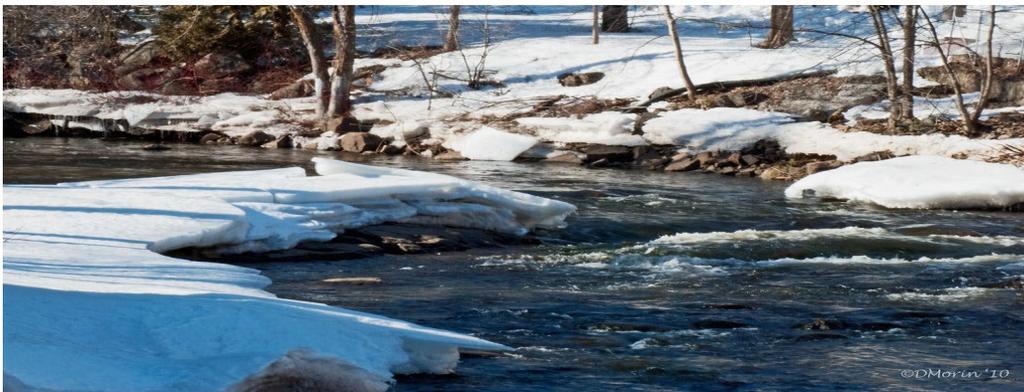
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Spring is early and we urge you to be cautious on waterways.

Happy reading! 😊



Northern landfill

***Regulations of use**

One of the major challenges for municipalities is to responsibly manage the residual materials produced on their territory. Indeed, disposal has long been the only way to dispose of waste. Today, the concept of waste management goes far beyond landfill and incineration.

That's why the Municipalité de la Côte-Nord du Golfe du St-Laurent is working to implement recycling programs in each of our communities. Chevery and Harrington already have a system that works very well. Recycling makes it possible, among other things, to minimize the costs associated with cleaning up sites, extend the life of sites and to avoid pollution by burning recyclable materials such as plastic. In this sense, the Québec Residual Materials Management Policy proposes more environmentally friendly management while contributing to Québec's social and economic development.

The terms "residual materials" or "residues" used in the policy mean any residue from a production, transformation or use process, any substance, materials or product or more generally any movable property abandoned or intended for abandonment by the holder. The municipality or its representative can still incinerate these residual materials safely and with respect for the population.

However, the policy does not cover the following categories of tailings: gaseous materials and soils that contain contaminants in quantities. We are talking about so-called "dangerous goods" materials. Inside our depots, there is a specific place for each of these categories. Please take the time to locate the right place when you need to dispose of such materials.

The municipality is currently working on an action plan with the MRC to get scrap metal out of our municipal sites. Contractors will also be notified of the prohibition on disposing of any non-household waste in our open dumps. They can refer to the municipality at : info@mcngsl.org, for more information.

- Source : Gouvernement du Québec

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Ponant Group cruise in September 2024

The Ponant cruise line group, a French luxury and adventure company with approximately 125 people on board, approached the Municipalité de la Côte-Nord du Golfe du St-Laurent via the Port of Hâvre-St-Pierre to welcome a cruise ship in September 2024.

The cruise line's request was made for the Port of Harrington Harbour and the Port of La Romaine. Following a meeting between the partners in the field, it was decided to propose a stopover on Providence Island and to offer adventure tourists to cross to Chevery.

Stopover will be approximately 6 hours and a proposal for each port has already been sent to the Ponant Group.

An AD HOC table has been created to prepare our stakeholders to properly receive cruise passengers. The duration of the stopovers being quite short, a precise schedule will have to be established.

The involvement of citizens will be crucial to ensure that we offer a maximum experience to passing tourists and perhaps create a precedent.

We will keep you updated of future developments.

This is a great opportunity for our region and the economic spinoffs will be quite significant.

If you have any suggestions or questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at: info@mcngsl.org.

Municipal elections

As a reminder, municipal elections, with the approval of the MAMH, will soon be held in the village of **Chevery** ; the only village in our municipality where we do not have a local committee.

In preparation for the election process, if you know of a potential candidate to fill the 3 to 5 seats on the local committee, you can recruit these people now. They can contact the municipality either by email at: info@mcngsl.org or by phone at: 418-787-2244 to express their interest.

We reiterate the importance of having representatives within each village. Their importance should not be minimized because they represent their respective communities.

Come join the municipal team!

TELMATIK



The Municipalité de la Côte-Nord du Golfe du St-Laurent now regularly uses the automated population information system, Telmatik, to inform the population of upcoming events in each of the communities and for emergency situations.

We hope that the entire population is comfortable with this means of communication.

If you have any comments or do not receive alerts for your community, please notify us by contacting the municipal office at: 418-787-2244.



Emergency contact

For information purposes and to ensure that you have this information as close as possible to you, here is a reminder of the numbers to contact in case of an emergency in your community.

When an emergency is related to the operations of the Municipality, in our villages, please contact: **418-787-2246** and this, **7 days a week, 24 hours a day**.

If this emergency is related to an accident, fire or violence, please call **911** directly.

The Sûreté du Québec officers are also available at **310-4141** at all times. Do not hesitate to contact them. Several calls for the same problem will encourage officers to travel around the territory. We have to break the cycle of saying that it does not help to call on them.

*To contact **Hydro-Québec** to report a theft or breakage: **1-877-816-1212**

* **Source : Hydro Quebec**

New municipal structure proposal

The Municipalité de la Côte-Nord du Golfe du St-Laurent is working with representatives of each village and the Executive Director of MAMH to propose modifications to our municipal structure.

We are waiting for the Minister's comments on this proposal for future discussion with the population. These changes would bring the municipal structure closer to a municipal council while retaining the administrator.

This proposal would be more representative of our situation and these discussions have been ongoing since 2018.

Meetings with the population will be planned in the coming months.

Land acquisition from the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forests

*To lease or purchase public land as a first applicant, you must:

1. [Fill out an application to use public land \(PDF 204 Kb\)](#) (in French only).
2. Attach the documents specified in the "Additional Documents Required" section of the form, including :
 - a [notice of compliance with municipal by-laws \(PDF 144 Kb\)](#) (in French only).
3. Pay a non-refundable administration fee of \$137.97 (including GST and QST) when you submit your application:
 - By cheque or money order made payable to the Minister of Finance of Québec.
4. Send your complete application, by mail or email, to the contact information below.

Centre de services du territoire public
Ministère des Ressources naturelles et des Forêts 5700,
4e Avenue Ouest, bureau E-318
Québec (Québec) G1H 6R1
droit.terre.publique@mern.gouv.qc.ca

5. Once your application has been examined, you will receive a notice of acceptance or refusal. If your application is accepted, the notice will be accompanied by administrative and contractual documents (e.g. lease for signature).
6. The next step will then be for you to apply for a building permit from your municipality.

*Source : Gouvernement du Québec

Happy Easter!



We would like to take this opportunity to wish the entire population of our municipality a very nice Easter weekend. Enjoy time with your family and be careful when travelling.

The municipal office will be closed on Friday, April 7 and Monday, April 10.

Happy Easter **WORD SEARCH**

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SPRING
TULIP
GRASS
TREAT

CROSS
PEEPS
MIRACLE
SUNDAY

DYE
CARROT
LAMB
BONNET

EGGS
CANDY
JELLYBEANS
HOP