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ENERGY SAVING TIPS FOR YOUR HOME & WALLET THIS WINTER



With winter right around the corner, you may have already turned on your heat and dug out your warmest winter sweaters, gloves and toques. Did you know home heating makes up the biggest use of energy and accounts for half of the energy bill for most homes in Nova Scotia? Preparing your home for

winter weather and below-zero temperatures can save you money and make your home more comfortable over the upcoming chilly months.

Heat loss from drafts and poor insulation is responsible for 80% of heat loss in a typical home. Small scale upgrades, such as weather stripping around windows

and doors, can help prevent heat loss and keep the cold out. Efficiency Nova Scotia offers rebates on a range of heating and cooling equipment from small scale upgrades to windows and doors, to bigger projects such as the installation of heat pumps or solar thermal equipment. Curious about your home's energy efficiency? A Certified Energy Adviser can conduct a home energy assessment to

review your energy and heating bill this winter. Efficiency Nova Scotia also provides a *HomeWarming* program at no cost for income-qualified homeowners to benefit from energy assessments and upgrades.

Reducing your energy usage this winter can save you money, make your home more comfortable and minimize your carbon footprint!



A birds-eye view of a part of beautiful downtown New Glasgow!

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE
UPCOMING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES!

NOVEMBER

- November 20: **Holiday Stop and Shop: Weekday Holiday Market**, 4:00pm-8:00pm, New Glasgow Farmers Market
- November 23: **The Stanfields**, 8:00pm, Glasgow Square Theatre
- November 30: **Pictou County Women's Resource and Sexual Assault Centre presents: The Slut the Play**, 2:00pm and 7:00pm, Glasgow Square Theatre

DECEMBER

- December 7: **New Glasgow Farmers Market Winter Wonderland Gala**, 7:00pm, New Glasgow Farmers Market
- December 8: **Town of New Glasgow Holiday Tree Lighting**, 6:15pm, following the annual **New Glasgow Fire & Rescue Christmas Parade**, 5:30pm, Glasgow Square Theatre / Downtown New Glasgow
- December 14: **Last Saturday Market of the Year**, 9:00am-1:00pm, New Glasgow Farmers Market
- December 15: **The Celtic Christmas Show**, 2:00pm, Glasgow Square Theatre
- December 18: **Last Minute Market**, 4:00pm-8:00pm, New Glasgow Farmers Market
- December 20: **Christmas at the Square**, 7:30pm, Glasgow Square Theatre
- December 31: **Town of New Glasgow NYE Family First Night**, 5:30pm, fireworks begin at 7:30pm, Glasgow Square Theatre

NEW GLASGOW RECREATION

UPCOMING RECREATION PROGRAMS & EVENTS

LET'S GET MOVING: NEW AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM BEGINNING NOVEMBER 25

This after school program is designed to help your child reach their daily recommended amount of physical activity, all while having fun!



Date: Mondays and Wednesdays beginning November 25, 2019—January 13, 2020
Time: 3:00pm-4:30pm
Location: New Glasgow Academy
Age: Children (grades P-5)
Cost: \$20.00

Email recreation@newglasgow.ca to register

Story Time with Mrs. Claus

While Santa Claus is busy preparing toys for all of the little boys and girls around the world, Mrs. Claus has some free time on her hands. Mayor Dicks made a special phone call to the North Pole and invited Mrs. Claus to New Glasgow to share a story and some Christmas treats!



Date: Thursday, December 5, 2019
Time: 10:30am-12:00pm
Location: Glasgow Square Theatre
Age: Age-friendly (all ages)
Cost: FREE
Registration: Not required

PICKLEBALL IS CONTINUING EACH THURSDAY AT NEW GLASGOW ACADEMY AT 7:00PM. THIS IS FREE AND TONS OF FUN FOR AGES 16+. REGISTRATION NOT REQUIRED.

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PICKLEBALL
FREE DROP-IN PICKLEBALL
AGES 16+
THURSDAYS 7:00PM
NEW GLASGOW ACADEMY

Rules and equipment will be available on site.

Contact 902-755-8363 or recreation@newglasgow.ca for more information.