



# HISTORIC ANNAPOLIS ROYAL

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**BUSINESS NEWSLETTER**

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## Reasons to Shop Local

Starting this week in the Annapolis County Spectator there will be a Shop Local Campaign. Each week for 52 weeks there will be a list of reasons why people should shop locally. If you would like to send your suggestions, or comments please send them directly to editor@annapolisspectator.ca. Let's remind everyone how shopping local affects each and everyone of us.

## Strategic Planning

The last in a series of public meetings was held on November 30th at the Legion. There was good attendance and once again, a lot of good feedback. Some written submissions were also received. All of the information will be appearing on the Town's website and will be reviewed comment by comment. The deadline for submissions is Dec 29/06. Please email them to admin@annapolisroyal.com or fax 532-7443.

## Meeting of the Annapolis District Board of Trade and Town Council

Representatives of the Board of Trade, members of Town Council and the CAO had lunch this week at the invitation of the Board of Trade. There was a good discussion about enhancing linkages between the Town, the ADBOT, the business community at large and other groups such as the Tourism Destination Committee, the Attractions group, the B&B Association, and the new Regional Development Authority.

## New Year's Eve Gala "Silver Bells"

A Celebration of the Silver Anniversaries of the Historic Gardens in 2006 and the Annapolis Region Community Arts Council in 2007. Sunday December 31st from 9pm to 1pm at the Annapolis Legion. Dance the night away to the swing sounds of the Annapolis Big Band, hot and cold Hors d'oeuvres, tickets \$25 per person. For tickets and information please call the Historic Gardens at 532-7018, or ARCAC at 532-7069.

## Regional Development Agency

The members of the Selection Team will be meeting with the consultant hired to conduct the search for a Managing Director early in January. It is expected that interviews will take place in late January and/or early February. For more information contact Harry Jost or Linda Brown.

## Tree Lighting

Thanks to all for coming out in the rain to kick off our Christmas season.

## Christmas Schedule of Events

Dec 8 \* Open House at Town Hall  
1pm—4pm Refreshments will be served.  
\*O'Dell House Museum Victorian Christmas  
7pm—9pm

Dec 9 \*Breakfast with Santa Annapolis Fire Hall  
9am-11am  
\*Santa Claus Parade 1pm  
\*Children's Workshop ARCAC ages 6-12  
1pm to 3pm 532-7069  
\*O'Dell House Museum Victorian Christmas  
7pm to 9pm

Dec 10 \* Community Band Concert  
King's Theatre 2pm  
\*O'Dell House Museum Victorian Christmas  
1pm to 4pm

Dec 15 \*Wagon Rides 7pm -9pm

Dec 16 \*Lion's Club Free Movie  
King's Theatre 10:30 "The Polar Express"  
\*Wagon Rides 1pm-3pm  
\*The Rocks Show AWEC  
King's Theatre at 8pm \$5 admission

Dec 17 \* A Royal Consort  
St Luke's Church 7:30pm