

Beaver Bank - Kinsac - Lions Club Christmas Parade of Lights - 2023

December 20, 2023

To the Beaver Bank - Kinsac Community,

I would like to say thank you to everybody that participated in the annual Beaver Bank - Kinsac - Lions Club Christmas Parade of Lights. This includes the community participants that took the time to watch the parade as well as all of the volunteers involved.

The event was a huge success with so many people in the community that attended it and the perfect weather for a parade. All along the route there were so many people gathered at the edge of Beaver Bank Road that watched as each of the parade floats passed by. It warms my heart to see such a great participation in the community with a huge and tremendous turnout. The intersections at each of the streets on to Beaver Bank Road were packed with families watching as the parade pass by. This speaks volumes on the unity within our community.

My thanks to the following in helping to organize and execute this event:

Organizers

- Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club
- Elizabeth Booth - Windsor Junction Keloose
- Beaver Bank - Kinsac Community Centre - Jessica Davison
- Val Collins - Tree Cutting & Decoration
- Devon Stephens - Parade Day
- Barrett Lumber and Robin Barrett - Initial Start Point
- Alysha Leaman - Pictures with Santa
- Keeners - Cookies & Hot Chocolate
- BB Fire Department - Station 48
- Sackville Knights JR B Hockey Club - 20 Intersection Volunteers
- Les Strong, Jeff Payzant - Sackville Patriot Days - Parade Day
- Chris Kaulback - Kaulback Metal Works - Tree Stand Fabrication & donation
- Royal Canadian Mount Police
- Laker News - Pat Healey
- Dagley Media - Matt Dagley

Sponsors

- EZ Junk Removal
- East Coast Credit Union
- Lynette Carter
- Dexter's Construction
- Aerotec Engines
- Victor Cobb, Cobbco Designs - Road Signs

Community Supporters

- Lisa Blackburn HRM
- Paul Russell HRM
- Brian Wong MLA
- Steve Craig MLA
- Darrell Samson MP
- Parade Participants
- Lyle, Evan and Graham Mailman
- Canada Border Services Agency
- Councillor Paul Russell
- U11A Sackville Flyers
- EZ Junk Removal
- Halifax Regional Municipality (HRM)
- Beaver Bank ATV Club
- MAC Laser Studio / Jaydas Barbershop
- EXIT Realty Metro
- Stephen Morris Landscaping and Stephen Morris Realty
- Homerun Plumbing, Pumps and Renovations
- SafeD Dryer Vent Cleaning
- Southland Transportation
- Electric Vehicle Association of Atlantic Canada (EVAAC)
- Beaver Bank - Kinsac Volunteer Fire Department
- Rhyno's Landscaping Inc
- East Coast Credit Union
- Softball SPN Maritimes
- The Church of the Good Shepherd
- Erica's Place Support Services Society
- Top Coat Automotive
- Memory Lane Family Place
- Watson Racing
- Beaver Bank ATV Club
- Beaver Bank Kinsac Lions Club
- Ivy Meadows
- Mike Herman & Sons Landscaping Materials
- Property Buddies
- Georgia Transport
- Aerotec Engines
- Jayda's Barbershop / MAC Laser Studio

It was through the combined effort of all of the people and groups listed above that made the parade as successful as it was this year. A key piece of this success was also the strong presence of all of the families in our community. My thanks to everybody.

Thank you,
David F. Barrett.