

Mayor Paterson's Community Update

moving our community forward together



May 2016

In this month's newsletter I provide an update on recently announced VIA Rail upgrades to Kingston service, the North King's Town visioning exercise and a preview of the upcoming youth employment strategy.

Be sure to check out my post on the opening of Kingston Penitentiary for tours this summer, a great way to allow residents a glimpse inside the walls as we head into a community visioning exercise for the future of the site and neighbouring Portsmouth Olympic Harbour.

I look forward to connecting with you on these and other city business as I make my way around the community through the new outreach initiative #MayorChats

Until next month,
Bryan

Top Stories

Kingston Penitentiary Open for Tours this Summer!

I am thrilled to announce Kingston Penitentiary will be open for tours starting in mid-June and running throughout the summer. I know this will be exciting news not only for Kingston residents eager to get a glimpse inside the walls...[Read more here](#)



Let's Chat! Introducing #MayorChats

I am thrilled to launch a new outreach initiative today called Chats with the Mayor. I am launching this initiative to connect with Kingstonians where they are to talk about what matters to them...[Read more here](#)

From the Mayor's Chair

May 17 council meeting

I break down the decisions of Council in three minutes or less.

[Watch here](#)





Preview: Kingston's New Youth Employment Strategy

One of my key goals when elected mayor was to champion a made-in-Kingston youth employment strategy to help young people kick-start their careers in our community...[Read more here](#)

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A New Vision for the Inner Harbour & Old Industrial Area

The North King's Town visioning exercise is an opportunity for residents to share their input and feedback for the future of...[Read more here](#)

VIA Rail Upgrades Kingston Service

The President and CEO of VIA Rail was in Kingston to discuss the future of passenger rail service across the country and the exciting enhancements we will see in our local service, into and out of Kingston....[Read more here](#)



Upcoming Community Events

Commuter Challenge & Cycle Week

June 5 to 11

register today to participate

[Learn more here](#)



Movies in the Square

Every Thursday, June 16 to September 1

Springer Market Square (behind City Hall)

[Learn more here](#)



Rockin' the Square presents Wintersleep

June 17 at 8 p.m.

Springer Market Square (behind City Hall)

[Learn more here](#)



Skeleton Park Arts Festival

June 22 to 26

McBurney Park (also known as Skeleton Park), located at Ordnance and Alma Streets

[Learn more here](#)



Calendar of Community Events

For a full listing of events and activities happening across the community visit Tourism Kingston's calendar of events [here](#)



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