

MEDIA SCAN

Tourism Industry Association of Nova Scotia

[Nova Scotia spends \\$2.5M to help host 2024 Congrès mondial acadien](#)

The Nova Scotia government is spending \$2.5 million to help the Argyle and Clare regions host an international gathering of Acadian communities held every five years.

[Crombie Selling Barrington Place](#)

Crombie REIT has a deal to sell Barrington Place, with recent corporate filing hinting Halifax developer Scott McCrea is the buyer waiting to take over the downtown hotel and office complex.

[New owners 'pretty excited' about purchase of iconic Old Orchard Inn in Annapolis Valley](#)

The Old Orchard Inn celebrated its 50th anniversary this year, but its second half-century is starting under new ownership. The Wallace family has owned and run the hotel and convention centre outside Wolfville since 1972, adding a spa several years ago.

[Volunteer effort important part of Aug. 15 nationally-broadcast Acadian Day concert in West Pubnico](#)

There is a huge production effort underway to get Pubnico ready for a National Acadian Day concert that will be broadcast to a national audience on Aug. 15. But the event also couldn't take place without the huge volunteer effort that is happening too.

[Twinned Highway 101 section near Falmouth, N.S. due to open later this year](#)

Work is progressing on the Highway 101 twinning project near Windsor, but it will be a few years yet before the various sections of roadway are completely tied together.

[Wildlife Habitat Conservation Grants Announced](#)

Conservation groups, community-led associations and universities are receiving grants to help protect Nova Scotia's wildlife and habitat. August 10th, Natural Resources and Renewables Minister Tory Rushton announced 13 project grants totalling more than \$225,000 from the Habitat Conservation Fund.

[Meet the 'sea glass archeologist' who sells his art next to Sydney's Big Fiddle](#)

Picking sea glass is a popular Nova Scotia pastime and enthusiasts spend hours combing the province's beaches in search of the colourful, frosted shards, but few know their history.

