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Gascons**

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NEXT REGULAR MEETING 2026

Monday, october 13 / Monday, November 9 / Monday, december 14

WORD FROM THE MAYOR



Dear Citizens,

September marks a return to routine following a busy summer season. With the start of the school year, I would first like to wish a wonderful year to all our young people, teaching staff, educators, parents, and everyone who supports them on a daily basis. To our students, I wish a year filled with discovery, success, and exciting projects.

As autumn approaches, a wide range of activities will be offered to the community over the coming weeks. Whether you are a child, teenager, adult, or senior, you will certainly find opportunities to stay active, be entertained, and come together. I invite you to check the municipal program and take full advantage of the activities offered in our community.

This return to the regular routine also coincides with a very important milestone for our municipality: the imminent completion of the major project to install water and sewer systems in the Gascons sector.

After nearly two years of construction, we are finally reaching the final stages of this massive undertaking. A project of this scale inevitably comes with some inconveniences—altered traffic patterns, dust, noise, occasional access difficulties, and significant changes to the daily lives of many residents.

On behalf of the municipal council and the entire municipal team, I would like to sincerely thank the public for their great patience, understanding, and cooperation throughout the construction period. Your cooperation has greatly contributed to the smooth progress of this major project, which represents a significant investment in the current and future quality of life of our community.

As the work draws to a close, another important step is approaching. A public meeting will be held soon regarding the authorization and procedures for connecting properties to the new municipal water and sewer systems. Affected residents will be informed shortly of the date, time, and location of this meeting. Our goal is to ensure everyone has the necessary information and the opportunity to ask questions before the connection work begins.

With autumn approaching, preparations for making the ice at the Sports Centre will soon be underway so that the rink is ready to welcome you starting in October. We are delighted to once again offer this gathering and recreation space to the community, and we invite citizens of all ages to enjoy the activities on offer.

I would also like to take a moment to highlight Marguerite-Rose Park, which saw remarkable visitor numbers throughout the summer. It is truly heartening to see so many families, children, and residents enjoying the splash pad, sports facilities, rest areas, and the park as a whole.

This high level of use clearly demonstrates that the investments made in recent years have been worthwhile. Our goal was to create a genuine gathering place—accessible and enjoyable for local families—and the public's response confirms that we are on the right track.

I encourage you to make the most of the activities offered this autumn, our municipal facilities, and the wonderful opportunities to get together with family and friends. While the summer season is winding down, work on various municipal files and projects continues to move forward.

Among other things, I must highlight a major event taking place in our municipality very soon: the *Week-end des arts* (Arts Weekend) and its professional painters' symposium, which is celebrating its 25th anniversary. On September 26 and 27, come to our municipal complex to discover local and visiting talent, be entertained, and socialize with one another. I would like to thank Ms. Réjeanne Grenier and all the members of the organizing committee for their dedication to our community.

Wishing everyone a great start to the new season—happy back-to-school and a wonderful start to autumn—and thank you again for your cooperation and trust.

Your mayor,
Henri Grenier



OPEN HOUSE

CIMENT ST.MARYS – USINE MCINNIS

ALTERNATIVE FUELS PROJECT

SEPTEMBRE 18, 2026 4 :00 PM TO 8 :00 PM

MULTIFONCTIONNAL CENTER

SOURCE : Morgan Lessard

M.A.



September 26 and 27, 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Municipal Complex, Port-Daniel Sector

Exhibition, live painting, workshops, face painting, mascots, temporary tattoos, food, hot dogs, cotton candy, popcorn

The organizing committee of "Week-end des arts et son symposium de peintres professionnels" wishes to acknowledge the contribution of its valued financial partners who are helping to make this special 2026 edition, celebrating its 25th anniversary, a success. Come meet some forty painters and artisans professionals, semi-professionals, amateurs, and emerging talents—from all over Quebec.

Thank you to the Municipality of Port-Daniel-Gascons, the MRC du Rocher Percé, Ciment Ste-Mary, Caisse Populaire Desjardins Centre Sud Gaspésien, and Meubles Assels of Port-Daniel.

The organizing committee



PROGRAMMATION D'ACTIVITÉS SPORTIVES AUTOMNE 2026

BOUGEZ • APPRENEZ • AMUSEZ-VOUS!
Pour tous les âges!

ACTIVITÉS POUR TOUTE LA FAMILLE!

ENFANTS & JEUNES						
ACTIVITÉ	QUAND	DATES • DURÉE	LIEU	PRIX	RESPONSABLE	INSCRIPTION / INFO
 Gymnastique 4-5 ans	Lun. 17 h 15-18 h	14 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Vanessa Anglehart	Facebook - 418-680-4769
 Gymnastique 6-12 ans	Lun. 18 h-19 h	14 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Vanessa Anglehart	Facebook - 418-680-4769
 Athlétisme 5+	Mer. 17 h 30	9 sept. • 10 sem.	Complexe municipal de Port-Daniel	120 \$	Brigitte Paradis	Facebook - 418-398-9808
 Taekwondo 6-11 ans	Mer. 17 h 15	7 oct. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	100 \$	Maral Manoudian	Messenger - 438-924-0044
 Gymnastique 4-5 ans	Jeu. 17 h 15-18 h	17 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Vanessa Anglehart	Facebook - 418-680-4769
 Gymnastique 6-12 ans	Jeu. 18 h-19 h	12 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Vanessa Anglehart	Facebook - 418-680-4769
 Intro danse 3-5 ans	Sam. 9 h 15	12 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	100 \$	Danica Manuel & Jade Huard	Formulaire Facebook • Messenger/email
 Hip-Hop 6-9 ans	Sam. 10 h	12 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Danica Manuel & Jade Huard	Formulaire Facebook • Messenger/email

ADULTES						
ACTIVITÉ	QUAND	DATES • DURÉE	LIEU	PRIX	RESPONSABLE	INSCRIPTION / INFO
 Fitness-Crossfit	Lun. 19 h 15	7 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Valérie Castilloux	Messenger - 418-751-4732
 Pilates	Mar. 17 h 30	15 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Thaly-Ann Berger Roussy	Facebook - 581-992-0874
 Danse country intermédiaire	Mar. 18 h 30	22 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	130 \$	Marie-Claude Allain	Messenger - 418-680-3835
 Step	Mar. 19 h 30	6 oct. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	120 \$	Maral Manoudian	Messenger - 438-924-0044
 Danse country débutant	Mer. 18 h 15	23 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	130 \$	Marie-Claude Allain	Messenger - 418-680-3835
 Danse country débutant	Mer. 19 h 15	23 sept. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	131 \$	Marie-Claude Allain	Messenger - 418-680-3836
 Taekwondo 12+	Mer. 20 h 15	7 oct. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	150 \$	Maral Manoudian	Messenger - 438-924-0044
 Yoga	Mer. 19 h 30	9 sept. • 13 sem.	Centre multifonctionnelle - salle 2	208 \$	Émilie Bourque-Belanger	Facebook - 418-616-3724

FAMILLE & POUR TOUS						
ACTIVITÉ	QUAND	DATES • DURÉE	LIEU	PRIX	RESPONSABLE	INSCRIPTION / INFO
 Karaté - Pour tous	Jeu. 18 h 30	3 sept.	Complexe municipal de Port-Daniel	60 \$ / mois	Alexandre Rail	alexandrail27@gmail.com - 514-268-7830
 GxM familiale	Dim. 10 h	4 oct. • 10 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	GRATUIT	Vanessa Chouinard & Jenna Poirier	Facebook - 581-999-0024

50 ANS ET +						
ACTIVITÉ	QUAND	DATES • DURÉE	LIEU	PRIX	RESPONSABLE	INSCRIPTION / INFO
 Viactive 50+	Jeu. 15 h	17 sept. • 13 sem.	Centre sportif - Palestre	GRATUIT	Valérie Castilloux	Centre sportif - 418-396-5225 (137)
 Marche 50+	Sam. 9 h	29 août • 16 sem.	CPA La Souche	GRATUIT	Gilbert Goulet	Groupe Messenger - sourimining@gmail.com

 **KARATÉ – ATELIERS SPÉCIAUX**
Samedi 24 octobre • 11 h à 16 h
Complexe municipal de Port-Daniel

 **POLITIQUE D'AIDE FINANCIÈRE**
POUR LES ACTIVITÉS CULTURELLES, SPORTIVES ET PARASCOLAIRES (17 ANS ET -)
munpdg.ca/documents/politique-daide-financiere/

Bougez. Progressez. Vivez l'automne!

INSCRIPTIONS OUVERTES!
Informez-vous dès maintenant!

 **PORT-DANIEL-GASCONS**

UNE BELLE PROGRAMMATION POUR BOUGER TOUT L'AUTOMNE!

After a well-deserved summer break, "La maison des jeunes L'envolée Jeunesse" in Port-Daniel–Gascons will reopen its doors on September 2, 2026!

The Youth Centre is a meeting place, a place to connect, and a place to participate for young people aged 11 to 17. Come reconnect with your friends, participate in our activities, chat with our team, or simply have a good time in a welcoming and safe environment!

🕒 Our opening hours

- Monday to Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- Thursday and Friday: 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

Induction period for 10-year-olds

An induction period is also offered on Thursdays from 6:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for 10-year-olds in Grade 5, allowing them to gradually discover the Youth Centre and become familiar with the environment before their official entry at age 11.

Where to find us?

La maison des jeunes L'Envolée Jeunesse

2nd floor of the Marco-Sébastien-Cyr Sports Centre

29 Chapados Road, Gascons, Quebec G0C 1P0

📞 Phone: 581-351-1130

✉ Email: maisondesjeunes_gascons@globetrotter.net

We look forward to seeing you! Come visit us!

CERCLE DES FERMIÈRES

Wednesdays from 6 :30 PM / knitting and crochet / open to all

CUISINE COLLECTIVE

Tuesday and wednesday

COLBORNE

The 2026 season for Colborne Parck ends on September 28

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

Flushing inappropriate items such as wipes, tampons, sanitary napkins, diapers, or similar products down the toilet can cause blockages, malfunctions, and problem at wastewater treatment plants. When a breakdown occurs due to one of these items, it will cost the municipality thousands of dollars for each repair. Eliminating these seemingly harmless actions will prevent service interruptions and save municipality time and money.

ECOCENTERS (232, Morin Nord Road)

From november 1st to april 30

Tuesday and staurday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

BULKY ITEM COLLECTION

The registration period runs from August 17 to September 18, 2026. Registration is available online or by phone. Items must be placed at the curbside on September 19 and 20. Collection will take place during the week of September 21.

Additional information:

1. Place bulky items out 48 hours in advance.
2. Ensure items are easily accessible without encroaching on the public roadway—
 - o in your driveway
 - o within 6 feet of the road
 - o easily accessible (not behind a ditch)
3. Do not pile items haphazardly.
4. Separate materials by type (group tires together, keep metal parts together, etc.).

Source: RITMR Gaspésie

La Fabrique de Gascons
invites you to its community lunches on Sundays:
October 4 / November 1 / November 29

CLUB DE L'ÂGE D'OR DE GASCONS "L'ÉTOILE DE LA MER"
invites you to afternoon dances every Sunday starting at 1:30 PM

Monday: board games / Tuesday: Day Centre | Tuesday evening: pétanque & cards
Wednesday: bingo / Thursday: beanbag toss / Friday: military whist
Sunday, December 6: Christmas dinner
Thursday, December 31: New Year's Eve with Fernando Langlois

CLUB DE L'ÂGE D'OR THREE STARS

Tuesday 6:00 PM: petanque / 2nd Wednesday of the month: Military Whist / Friday 1:00 PM: Bingo

CLUB DE L'ÂGE D'OR DE PORT-DANIEL "LA RENAISSANCE"

The club resumes its fall activities:

Monday evenings: Dance classes with Martine Langlois begin September 14
Tuesday afternoons: Ladies' begin September 15 / Tuesday evenings: Pétanque begin September 22
Thursday evenings: Military whist begin September 24
Other activities
Amateurs afternoon with Patrice Richard, September 20
National seniors day recreative afternoon Thursday, October 1
Saturday, October 31: Halloween Dance / Sunday, November 15: Community Breakfast
Saturday, December 19: Holiday Dinner and Party

The club is looking for two dynamic individuals interested in joining the executive committee. Please contact one of the members.

**COLLECTION CALENDAR 2026
PORT-DANIEL-GASCONS**

OCTOBER		
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
5 	6	
12 THANKSGIVING DAY	13 	14  
19 	20	
26 	27 	
NOVEMBER		
MONDAY	TUESDAY	
2	3 	
9	10 	
16 	17	
23	24  	
30		
DECEMBER		
MONDAY	TUESDAY	
	1	
7 	8 	
14	15 	
21	22 	
28 	29	

Source: RITMR GASPÉSIE

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OPENING HOURS OF THE MUNICIPAL OFFICES

MUNICIPALITY OF PORT-DANIEL—GASCONS

From Monday to Thursday

From 8 :30 to 12:00 – 1:00 pm to 16:00 pm

Friday : 8 :30 to 12 :00 Closed aferternoon

Phone : 418 396-5225 Fax : 418 396-5588



MARCO-SÉBASTIEN CYR – SPORTS CENTER

Director of leisure, culture and tourism : 124

Recreative technician : 137

Phone : 418 396-5225 Fax : 418 396-2333



The municipal offices will be closed:

October 12: Thanksgiving Day

November 11: Remembrance Day

December: Holiday Break



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E-MAIL : gascons@munpdg.ca

Send your document before the end of November.