A Brief History of the Lower Sackville School

There are some residents in the community who can remember attending Lower Sackville School, which was built in 1899.

For many area residents it is this school that many of our older citizens remember as being the school that existed for most of the twentieth century in the community.

The school was situated on what was once Schoolhouse Lane, now known as the Sackville Cross Road.

At the end of its life, the building was a two-room school, with the second classroom constructed in 1929.

To ease the overcrowding at the Lower Sackville School on the Old Sackville Road, the grade levels had to be split up into two buildings in 1942. Grades one through four stayed at the school, while students in five to eight moved to the Acadia Hall (built in 1923) for their lessons.



The Lower Sackville School in the mid-1900's

The Lower Sackville School operated until 1948, the year the Acadia School was built and opened. The Acadia School was built as a four-room schoolhouse in 1948 as an adequate means to house Sackville children for their studies.

The entire structure was torn down in 1986.