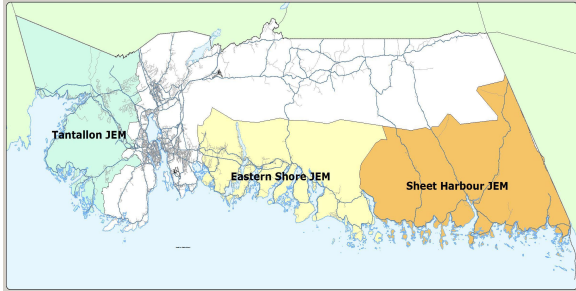


## JEM MISSION STATEMENT

*The mission of JEM Teams is to promote awareness of local community resources, to train local agencies to work together and provide a structure for coordinated local emergency response.*



## ES-JEM MONTHLY MEETINGS

**7 pm** on the **first Wednesday** of each month at the Search and Rescue building at **#15688, Hwy 7**, Head of Chezzetcook.

**We are NOT 1st Responders and we DO NOT Replace 911 but .....**

*If you have, or are aware of, particular needs (food, clothing, shelter, safety etc.) within the Eastern Shore communities during a disaster or crisis contact the ES-JEM team at **827 5414***

## JEM CONCEPT

- To work with local agencies and community residents
- Participate in emergency preparedness planning & response
- Participate in coordinated humanitarian efforts
- Support role to 1st Responders
- Bring local community resources to bear during emergency event
- Act as single voice from our communities to establish priorities & resource allocations
- Maintain local Community resource lists
- Train to assist our community through future unknown perils



*ES-JEM & First Responders at the JEM Jamboree, Porters Lake Superstore Emergency Preparedness Week 2007*

## COMMUNITY STATUS REPORTERS (CSRs)

We have 48 communities along the Eastern Shore with CSRs who, during a community wide emergency crisis, advise the ES-JEM team of the status of their area (roads conditions/power outages/flooding etc.), and of any needs or particular concerns within their home community. These people are residents of the Eastern Shore volunteering their time and information to help communicate needs in a time of crisis

***If you would like to volunteer to be a CSR in your area please contact us.***

### ES-JEM CSR Communities List

North Preston	East Preston
Lake Echo	Mineville
Lawrencetown	Keltic Gardens
West Lawrencetown	UprLawrencetown
East Lawrencetown	Three Fathom Hbr
Seaforth	Grand Desert
West Chezzetck	Mdle PortersLake
West Porters Lake	Porters Lake
Hd of Chezzetcook	East Chezzetcook
Lwr East Chezzetck	Pearson Rd
Mine Rd	East Chezzetcook
Gaetz Brook	ConradSettlemnt
West Pepetswick	East Pepetswick
Musquodoboit Hbr	Martinique
Smith Settlement	Head of Jeddore
West Jeddore	Pleasant Point
Myers Point	English Point
Oyster Pond	Hartlin Settlement
East Jeddore	Clam Bay
Lake Charlotte	Upper Lakeville
Ostrea Lake	Clam Harbour
South West Cove	Owl's Head
Debaie Cove	Lower Ship Hbr
Ship Harbour	

## WHAT CAN ES-JEM DO FOR YOU

- Assist with your own preparedness planning
- Connect to resources outside your community
- Facilitate faster and better emergency response
- Provide access to additional resources in an emergency
- Coordinated response with agencies and other communities

### ES-JEM needs:

- Community Group Representative to attend meetings
- Community Representative(s) (Community Status Reporters)
- Knowledge of and help from Community Resources  
**Clubs, Associations  
Churches, Recreation  
Centers, Schools, etc.**

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If you would like to attend an ES-JEM meeting or send a representative from your community group we'd be glad to see you!

If your organization would like to have an ES-JEM representative speak to your group we would be pleased to come and meet with you.

**Please contact us at 827- 5414**

### ***'Be prepared for 72 hours'***

Emergency preparation would suggest you set aside the following items in a

#### **HOUSEHOLD EMERGENCY KIT**

- Flashlight and batteries
- Radio and batteries
- First aid kit
- Cash and spare car keys
- One change of clothing and shoes
- Important papers (ID & personal documents etc.)
- Blankets or sleeping bags
- Toilet paper and personal supplies
- Medication (a 72 hr supply of usual meds)
- A whistle to attract someone's attention.
- Canned food & bottled water for 3 days\*
- Manual can opener

For more information on personal preparedness, visit:

[www.emergencypreparednessweek.ca](http://www.emergencypreparednessweek.ca)

*(\*remember to replace canned food and dry goods twice a year)*

*Have you considered - a basic (non power dependant) **phone** may be key to your ability to communicate in a power outage.*

*"Our strength lies in the local knowledge of our communities, combined with training to plan and respond during times of emergency. By pooling and coordinating resources that already exist in our area; we can more effectively support our communities during emergencies."*



## **E.S.-J.E.M.**

*.....a team of area residents and emergency responders bringing together local resources with EMO in a coordinated, customized response to emergency needs in times of crisis or disaster in our community*

## **Eastern Shore Joint Emergency Management**

*Serving the Eastern Shore of Nova Scotia from Lawrencetown and Preston to Ship Harbour*

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