## Summary of Ellen's Creek Watershed Group (ECWG) Activities June - November 2022

- ECWG coordinator, Emma Doucette, attended several training sessions (forestry training, WGIS training, living shoreline training, etc.)
- Hiring two students for 8 weeks to do activities to improve the watershed.
- Cleared watercress, collected litter, planted trees and monitored previous planting sites.
- Collaborated with PEIWA to remove glossy buckthorn and plant ~50 native saplings along the walking trail behind the WRCC.
- Held a successful indoor event for the Charlottetown SEAM group at UPEI.
- Assisted with Charlottetown Ecological Pond Study (water quality monitoring, sediment sampling, etc.).
- Maintained Charlottetown Living Shoreline site.
- Emma met with representative from TransCoastal adaptations to learn about coastal erosion assessment.
- Electrofishing survey.
- Strengthened connections with UPEI and Holland College
  - Hosting UPEI Environmental Studies intern,
  - Hosting 3 field trips for Holland College EAST program.
- Emma has been in contact with developers & environmental consultant with Hidden Valley subdivision development
- Collaborated with other watershed groups on field activities & training.
- Working with the City of Charlottetown & CBWES on the expansion of the Charlottetown Living Shoreline site.
- Watershed Coordinator, Emma Doucette, represented ECWG at community events in Charlottetown (City of Charlottetown Climate Change panel, Environmental Histories walking tour hosted by Dr. Ed MacDonald of UPEI History Dept.) with plans to attend more events in November & December.