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# The MANITOULIN EXPOSITOR



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**SING IT LOUD, SING IT CLEAR**—The Burns Wharf Theatre Players ended every performance of their hit rendition of the Gilbert and Sullivan operetta HMS Pinafore with the unfurling of this visual statement. The Burns Wharf Theatre Players have been displaced from their homebase Burns Wharf Theatre (between the SS Norisle and Manitoulin Roller Mills on the Manitowaning waterfront) for the last three seasons because of upgrades to the building demanded to meet fire and accessibility codes. The “sisters, cousins and aunts” among the rest of the cast and crew are continually fundraising and lobbying to see the necessary repairs made. This year’s show, which finished its run last Thursday night, was performed at the Debajehmujig Storytellers’ Creation Centre, also in Manitowaning.

## Central considering multi-use recreation centre

by Michael Erskine (with files from Tom Sasvari)  
**CENTRAL MANITOULIN**—Central Manitoulin council has agreed to establish a committee to investigate the possibility of building a multi-use complex in the community.

“I guess from the last property committee meeting (June 14) the committee agreed to look at a facility somewhat like Little Current has, accommodating an arena, hall and possibly other amenities,” said Central Manitoulin Mayor Richard Stephens after a council meeting where they considered the establishment of this investigating committee.

The concept was brought forward by Mindemoya teacher and Mindemoya Arena Advisory Committee member (MAAC) Michael Bridgeman. “Really, I was surprised that nobody has brought this forward up to this point,” he said. “There was little enthusiasm for putting the kind

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## Ontario backs down on age limits for autism interventions

by Michael Erskine  
**TORONTO**—They say you can’t fight city hall, but for the parents who have been fighting controversial changes to the province’s

autism programs for months, a recent announcement by the provincial government that it is backing off most of those changes is offering hope that you can

change minds at Queen’s Park.

The June 28 announcement that the province will be fast-tracking a new program that will provide more flexible support to children with autism on Tuesday has been greeted as a positive first step, but some parents remain skeptical.

“It’s amazing,” said Pamela McLaughlin of Gore Bay, whose daughter Molly’s experiences were documented within the pages of *The Expositor* in April.

Although Ms. McLaughlin admitted that she had not been following the developments that closely over the last week, what she had heard she felt was a positive step forward.

Autism activist Valerie McIntyre also admitted that she had not followed the story personally, but offered that from what she had gleaned from comments online, the government’s changes

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## Canada declares microbeads toxic

by Alicia McCutcheon  
**LAKE HURON**—Last week the federal government moved to list microbeads as a toxic substance under the Environmental Protection Act, thus giving the government power to ban the use of the microplastics (plastics smaller than five millimetres in size) in items such as body washes, cleansers and toothpastes.

According to Environment Canada, a substance is considered toxic if, “it is entering or may enter the environment in a quantity or concentration or under conditions that: have or may have an immediate or long-term harmful effect on the environment or its biological diversity; constitute or may constitute a danger to the environment on which life depends; or constitute or may constitute a danger in Canada to human life or health.”

The ban follows a motion posed last year by NDP MP Megan Leslie to see microplastics added to the list of toxic substances, with unanimous approval from all parties.

The Environment Canada notice also points out that five of the 14 companies belonging to the Canadian Cosmetic, Toiletry and

Fragrance Association have already eliminated the use of microbeads from their products

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Eunice and Dick Bowerman’s own ‘fence of nations’ representing the heritage of the individuals that live in South Baymouth.

## South Baymouth proudly proclaims its international citizenry

by Robin Burrige  
**SOUTH BAYMOUTH**—Eunice and Dick Bowerman’s South Baymouth home has become a popular tourist stop due to the 19 flags on display in their front yard representing the heritage of the individuals that live in that community.

Inspired by the Bridge of Nations in Sudbury, the couple began asking their neighbours about their heritage and put the flags up for the annual South Baymouth Canada Day parade last year.

“It was a lot of work and people seemed to like it so we decided to leave it up,” said Ms. Bowerman.

“It’s fun to watch people stop out front and take photos or look up the flags to see where they are from because we don’t have them named,” added Mr. Bowerman, who noted that the collection includes an Irish flag for he and his wife’s heritage.

“We have flags for England (two), Wales, Switzerland, Ireland, Germany, Aruba, Scotland, China, Finland, Hong Kong, the Dominican Republic, America, Wikwemikong, Norway, the Netherlands, the Ukraine, Spain and France,” said Ms. Bowerman.

“A lot of tourists stop, but the locals are used to it now,” laughed Ms. Bowerman.



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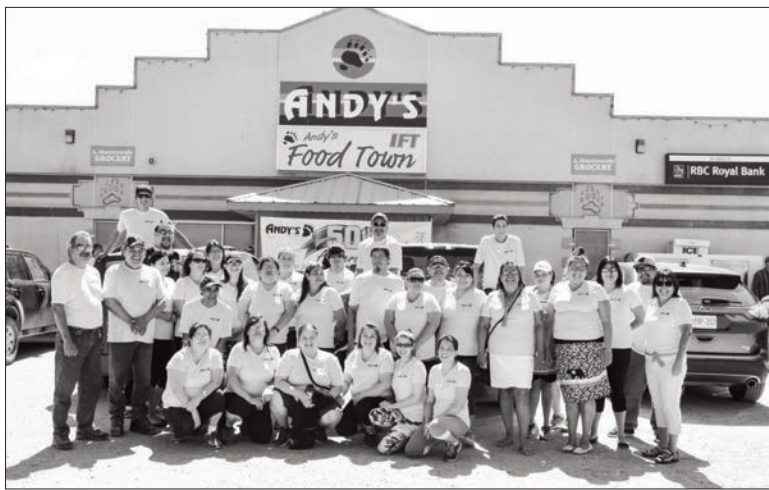
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# Community celebrates Andy's 50th with cake and big sales

**by Michael Erskine**  
**WIKWEMIKONG**—The half century of vision, dedication and hard work which built Andy Manitowabi Group of businesses that has formed the core of Wikwemikong's business district and provided employment for literally hundreds of community members was celebrated with games, speeches, a great cake and some awe-inspiring sales events throughout the day.

The drum group Young Biisineh began the 50th anniversary celebrations on June 21 and Wikwemikong Chief Duke Peltier acted as master of ceremonies throughout the day. Following the drum song, a moment of silence



Employees of Andy's in Wikwemikong gather for a group photo during the store's 50th anniversary celebrations.

photos by Michael Erskine

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## Edwards Studios and Art Gallery celebrates 20 years

**by Sharon Jackson**  
**KAGAWONG**—Barbara and Richard Edwards hosted a social gathering of colleagues, friends and neighbours at their gallery recently. The special occasion was to celebrate 20 years of fine arts and gifts crafted by local and regional visual artists housed at Edwards Studios and Art Gallery.

A variety of refreshments and delicious finger foods were offered while Jim Smith played



Barbara Edwards poses with a collection of fused glass.

saxophone and invited guests chatted and enjoyed an opportunity to offer their congratulations.

Mr. Edwards thanked everyone for coming stating, "we have really enjoyed people's support. When we took over this space the building had been unused for 30 years."

"In 1996, we were approached by the Township about opening a gallery in the Old Mill Building," Mr. Edwards began. "The Histori-

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## Student-designed sculpture unveiled in Mindemoya

**by Betty Bardswich**

**MINDEMOYA**—Last year, the organization 4elements Living Arts and the Manitoulin Island Cycling Advocates (MICA) joined to create a sculpture along with the split Grade 7 and 8 pupils at Central Manitoulin Public School (CMPS), with the students doing the actual design.

A grant from the Ontario Arts Council (OAC) had enabled the arts group to partner with MICA, a non-arts association. The purpose of the partnership was to work together to get permanent sculptures on cycle trails on Manitoulin and began with Sophie Edwards, the executive director of 4elements, Maja Mielonen, the head of MICA, Guy Nielon, a MICA board member, and Heather Thoma, a member of the arts group meeting with the students and to begin the process of teaching them about scale, sites and composition. The students were also taken on a bike ride to a path in the woods that led to the area where the final piece would be erected which was by the government dock on Lake Mindemoya.

There were four artists that worked with the project including Ms. Edwards, Heather Thoma, Marianna LaFrance and Patricia Mader. As Ms. Edwards explained, a development process led to teaching about design principles and a process for designing a sculpture and how to do a creative collaboration.

The pupils were given wire and wood shims to make one of two sculptures and the results would be



CMPS students, CMPS Principal Tracey Chapman, 4elements Living Arts Executive Director Sophie Edwards, MICA members, Central Manitoulin Mayor Richard Stephens and MPP Michael Mantha attended the recent unveiling of the sculpture Freedom at the Mindemoya government dock area.

photos by Betty Bardswich

juried. Central Manitoulin councillor Pat MacDonald and Mr. Nielon served in this role and the designs were judged on visual aspects, emotional or intellectual interest, the viability of the structure, the proposed scale and the connection to the site and

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Lindsay Jones and Shanna Crispo of the Canadian Cancer Society Sudbury and District Unit present Freda Bond with an award for her 10 Years of Service with the Canadian Cancer Society.

photos by Robin Burrige

## Canadian Cancer Society honours Island volunteers

**by Robin Burrige**

**MANITOULIN**—The Canadian Cancer Society recognized over 20 volunteers from across Manitoulin at a special event held at the Little Current Royal Canadian Legion last week.

The evening started with an opening prayer from Suzanne Knapp Chandler, followed by welcoming remarks.

"We are very excited to be here tonight," Cathy Burns, manager of the Sudbury and district community office, began. "We are so honoured and grateful for each and every one of you and what you do."

Ms. Burns noted how impressed she was with the constant dedication and leadership of the Manitoulin volunteers.

"Whether it is driving, peer support or fundraising—your help ensures that no one faces cancer alone," said Ms. Burns.

"The work you are doing is making a tremendous difference," said Julie Datta, Screening Saves Lives manager. "From the bottom of my heart I would like to give a big thank you to each one of you."

Lindsay Jones, volunteer engagement coordinator, said that Manitoulin has contributed \$383,983 in the last 10 years through the volunteer fundraising efforts and the generosity of Island residents.

"That is astronomical for a community your size," said Ms. Jones. "You should be extremely proud of yourself."

Cathy Burns presented the Five Year of Service Awards to Anna Aelick, Ginger Wood, Ginger Morison and Chris Lanktree. She also presented the 10 Years of Service Awards, recognizing Molly Ainslie, Freda Bond, Lyna Holmes, Judy Wood, Nancy McDonald and Dale McDougall. The 15 Years of Service Awards were presented to Mary Larouche, Rose Jackson, Judy Laid and Lois Ann Lanktree.

Mona Lewis was recognized for her 25 years as a residential canvasser.

"In conjunction with her team of canvassers, Mona has contributed to over \$147,000 in fundraising revenue in the last 10 years for the East Manitoulin District," said Ms. Burns.

Kelly and Craig Timmermans were awarded a Community Impact Award: Celebrating Impact in Community Revenue for their fundraising efforts in organizing the Relay for Life last year on Manitoulin and the Black Tie PJ Party which together raised \$14,100 for the Canadian Cancer Society.

Reggie Leach was also recognized with a Community Impact Award for organizing his annual golf tournament while Lois Ann Lanktree received a Community Leadership award.

A number of individuals received the Canadian Cancer Society's Distinction in Prevention Awards for "their tireless work in education people on the need to get screened for cancer in order to diagnose the illness at earlier stages, significantly increasing survival rates."

"Canadian Cancer Society Ambassadors are saving lives and bring-

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## Assiginack has you covered with summer events for the whole family

**ASSIGINACK**—Summer Recreation in Manitowaning has something for everyone! This summer the Township of Assiginack has changed things up a bit. Programming for youth is now being offered at the museum and library by the summer students, and many other instructors have joined the team to offer some great activities to our youth.

There is weekly T-ball for the younger ones and softball for the teenagers. Community Safety Officer Steve Hart is running three sessions of off-road cycling at McLean's Park in July. Larry Harasym is teaching a tennis camp at the end of July, and Gino Cacciotti is conducting a soccer camp in August for children. Weekly beach activities and Ultimate Frisbee are also on the summer schedule. Board games for youth in the evenings at the library are being introduced too. Head out to the waterfront this summer for Zumba with Casey Boisvert as well!

Assiginack's popular swim lessons are back with three different choices of two week sessions to choose from. The fun bike challenge in August for kids to race and test their skills is back.

Adults/seniors have much to choose from as well with nature walks at McLean's Park, a night of tea tasting on Thursday, July 7 with Becky Chisholm and sushi making with Christine McNaughton are on the menu. Welcome to tennis and evening cycling rides with Constable Steve Hart are also scheduled for fun in Assiginack. Local historian David Smith is doing two walk-about of Manitowaning's history in July and August for all to enjoy. Following the youth fun, there is card night at the library for adults and two great sessions of Zumba at the waterfront!

For details on all these exciting activities please go to the website [www.assiginack.ca](http://www.assiginack.ca) to get the information, or call 705 859-3196.



Early bird winner

Paul Sisson accepts the \$500 cheque for his wife Carole Sisson who was the early bird winner of the Manitoulin Expositor Salmon Classic. Ms. Sisson's name was drawn out of the hundreds of individuals who purchased derby tickets prior to the June 23 deadline. There will be a second draw on Friday, July 22 and will include all tickets purchased by midnight July 21. The prize will include a two-night stay at the Manitoulin Hotel and Conference Centre and dinner for two at Green Acres Tent and Trailer Park and Restaurant. To learn more about The Manitoulin Expositor Salmon Classic see the advertisement in this week's edition of the paper or visit [fishmanitoulin.ca](http://fishmanitoulin.ca).



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opinion

## editorial

### Great Lakes water must, above all, be returned to the lakes

It is troubling that, of the nine American states bordering the Great Lakes and whose governors or their proxies had the final say to a proposed water diversion in Wisconsin that will send Great Lakes water beyond the Great Lakes Basin and into another watershed area, none of these states ultimately objected to the proposal as they could have done under the terms of the Great Lakes Compact.

The provinces with Great Lakes coastline, Ontario and Quebec, are not part of the Great Lakes Compact except by observer status although representatives from the two Canadian jurisdictions were invited to the table when the decision was made to grant the city of Waukesha, Wisconsin the right to eventually divert as much as 8.2 million gallons per day of Lake Michigan water.

Granted, the city of Waukesha was forced to modify its original request which was for a higher volume of water which would have been dispersed to an area beyond the city. As it presently stands, only the city itself and its outlying boroughs will benefit from the eventual diversion.

The diverted water, which will eventually become Waukesha's single source of water, will be returned as treated sewage to Lake Michigan via the Root River.

In a letter to the editor in last week's edition of The Expositor, Wisconsin resident Jim Nies, who also spends time at his Kagawong area cottage and is a keen environmental observer, quoted the mayor of Racine, Wisconsin, through which Waukesha's treated sewage will pass on its trip to Lake Michigan, as saying that, with this decision, the Great Lakes compact "is over."

Racine Mayor John Dickert has also threatened a lawsuit from his city if the Waukesha plan was to proceed, which it now has licence to do.

Waukesha, about 50km northwest of Racine, geographically straddles the Great Lakes Basin so the fact that it enjoys this historic surveyor's perk opened the door for it to apply for Lake Michigan water not only for the city itself but also for communities definitely outside of the Great Lakes Basin but which are associated with Waukesha.

The main point of this exercise is that, as Mr. Nies pointed out in his well written letter, this has been a precedent-setting decision and the ramifications are enormous to the Great Lakes, situated as they are to the north of central and western United States regions that are running out of fresh water.

Now that this battle has been fought and won with the ultimate acquiescence of the other eight Great Lakes governors and the quiet permission of the premiers of Ontario and Quebec, the next time such a request comes before the Great Lakes Compact, and such a request (or several of them) are doubtless being drafted right now in the wake of the Waukesha decision, it will be difficult for the group to ultimately deny it (them).

Granted, we're sitting beside a large proportion of all the world's fresh water as residents of Great Lakes communities.

We can only assume that the governors and premiers determined

that it would be unfair to continue to hoard this wonderful resource in light of the case a community like Waukesha made to be able to continue its growth and development, even beyond its primary urban perimeter.

It's not that the water is being sold; it's being diverted and most of it will return to the Great Lakes as treated sewage, just like Chicago, Toronto, Buffalo, Cleveland, Thunder Bay, Sault Ste. Marie (both of them), Kingston, Belleville, Owen Sound and all Manitoulin Island communities on the North Channel and Lake Huron equipped with waste water treatment systems presently do.

We are used to drinking and bathing and cooking with water that has passed through millions of kidneys and has been treated, disinfected and returned to source.

That is not the point of all the concerns that are being raised.

The point is, for future applications for diversion from any of the five Great Lakes, how far beyond the Great Lakes Basin will it be pumped and piped?

Will it be 50 km? 100 km? Half a continent?

In the current debate, Waukesha is committed to bearing the cost of pumping and piping in the diverted Lake Michigan water; treating the waste water and routing the treated water through a river system that brings it back to Lake Michigan, Lake Huron's twin lake in terms of water levels.

It appears that we are going to have to live with this new arrangement.

What we should not have to live with, however, and the politicians we send to Ottawa, Queen's Park and Quebec City should receive this message loudly, clearly and soon is, based on this precedent, the Great Lakes cannot be seen as a watering can for vast and thirsty areas of North America south of the 49th parallel.

We now will, within a decade, be sending some water beyond the Great Lakes Basin and we'll be getting most of it back.

The precedent must be this but no more than this.

The Great Lakes is a unique repository of fresh water but it is, like most natural resources, not inexhaustible.

During the past 30 years, the levels of Lakes Huron and Michigan have fluctuated by as much as 10 feet and, only three years ago when these lakes' official measure of depth finally dipped below chart datum, there was enormous concern among the residents of communities that border these two enormous bodies of water.

The water is coming back up now, but when it was low that had nothing to do with water diversions and much to do with the vagaries of nature, over which we have absolutely no control.

The Great Lakes Compact, both its American and Canadian delegates, must bear in mind the natural ebb and flow of these lakes when other application for water diversions are being considered.

At the very least, the rule that the water taken out of one of the Great Lakes must be returned to it must be honoured above all.

## letters

### A few suggestions for the Plaque Deception Stress Disordered

#### *Porketta bingo anyone?*

**To the Expositor:**

This letter is being submitted in response to the letters which were sent in by Mr. Terry Bolton from Chatham (herein referred to as the 'Honesty Capital of Ontario,' or HCO for the sake of convenience), who seems to have been permanently scarred by what he refers to as 'plaque deception.' (A tale of disputed traffic lights unfolds, June 15, page 4)

It seems Mr. Bolton has taken great issue with the fact that we now have several stoplights, in various locations, around our great Island, while the historical plaque found at the swing bridge indicates that the stoplight there is our one and only. As the editor of this fine paper already pointed out, the stoplights found along Hwy 540 are temporary. Temporary, as in impermanent; provisional; and short term. These temporary stoplights will be in place for a few months while necessary road construction takes place, whereas the plaque you're referring to is a permanent fixture and not one that, as you suggest, we 'take to the dump' or 'throw into the channel' (I can't believe someone from the HCO would even suggest such a thing!)

Speaking of the great HCO, I hope you are able to find a local support group which can assist you in recovering from your recent trip to Manitoulin Island and this blatant ruse you were exposed to. Perhaps, Mr. Bolton, you might even consider lobbying the World Health Organiza-

tion to include 'Plaque Deception Stress Disorder' (PDSO) as an internationally recognized disorder, right up there with PTSD no doubt!

Now, call me crazy, but I get the feeling from your first two letters that you might be someone with a fair amount of free time on your hands. That being said, I'd like to offer up some alternatives so that those of us who enjoy reading The Manitoulin Expositor aren't subjected to any more of your unfounded longwindedness (yes, I did make that word up—I'm a Haweater, we can do shit like that). First alternative/suggestion: bump up your weekly bowling practice from once a week to twice a week (heck, if your bowling arm isn't too stressed from typing, go for three practices a week!). Second alternative/suggestion: check the Chatham Daily News or the Chatham Voice for local porketta bingos—not only will this help fill in your time, you just might come home a winner (assuming, of course, that the Mitchell brothers don't beat you in the bingo hall as they've been known to do at the bowling alley).

In closing, I'd like to address the fact that in your letter you listed three solutions. Please let me offer a fourth. Don't come back.

Susan Whynott (Van Horn)  
Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands  
#proudhawewater  
#plaquedeceptionwhatacrok

### A rebuttal to scurious historical hockey allegations

#### *We don't need no sneaky whistles to win a hockey game—we had Ellis Caddle!*

**To the Expositor:**

In response to 'Central Manitoulin hosts sports reunion,' June 29, page 7, and the 1953-54 hockey finals between Providence Bay and Mindemoya, the Providence Bay Maroons did not need a phantom whistle from the stands to win the Fullerton Trophy. (EDITOR'S NOTE: The Expositor incorrectly named the trophy in question as the Pearson Cup.) Providence Bay had a great young team, faster and dedicated compared to the older and slower Mindemoya team that year.

We also had a great goalie in Ellis Caddle. We won the games fair and square, as did Mindemoya. The year after, no excuses, Mr. Cooper did not mention the fact that Duff Brown dispatched Wilfred Wagg and Morrison Caddle to Providence Bay to get our goalie drunk the day

before the final game.

Thanks to Glenn and Ellis Caddle, they sent the boys and their booze packing back to Mindemoya with their tails between their legs,

Shame, shame on you Don Cooper to show so much lack of sportsmanship and bias after all these years. We were there and we are still here.

Harold Dewar and Abe Oakes  
Providence Bay

PS: Providence Bay Maroons won the Fullerton Trophy division two years in a row.



# Aundeck Omni Kaning hosts 2016 Grand Council Assembly

by Robin Burrige

AUNDECK OMNI KANING—Aundeck Omni Kaning First Nation (AOK) hosted the 2016 Grand Council Assembly last month.

The event started out on a celebratory note, as the Chippewas of Rama rejoined the Union of Ontario Indians.

“I am so glad to be part of the Union and honoured to be here today,” said Rama Chief Rodney Noganosh. “Thank you for welcoming us back with opening arms.”

After opening remarks from AOK Chief Patsy Corbiere, Grand Council Chief Patrick Madahbee and Deputy Grand Council Chief Glen Hare, the elders panel was introduced: Elsie Bissaillon, Leroy Dolson, Mike Esquega, Gordon Waindubence and Donna Debassige.

Mr. Esquega, from Northern Superior, began the panel discussing how the Union is all one big nation working together as a family. “We need to be sovereign and to govern ourselves,” said Mr. Esquega. “We should respect each other and we need to visit those seven grandfather teachings to live the best we can. Our language and culture is who we are as people and we need to work with the elders in our communities to learn the language and learn the ceremonies so we can know the culture.”

Ms. Debassige, from M’Chigeeng First

Nation, spoke in Ojibwe, which was translated by Chief Glen Hare. She stressed the importance of sweat lodges and standing together as a nation. She also spoke of missing and murdered aboriginal women and how something needs to be done to stop it.

Ms. Bissaillon repeated the importance of “language to our nation.”

“The teachings from elders has always been of value,” said Ms. Bissaillon. “The creators instilled in us to be caretakers of the land.”

She explained that the eagle staff, wampum belt and bundle are all message carriers to the Creator. “They let us take messages back like the eagle, one of the birds that can fly the highest,” she said.

“We need to bring that spirituality back to our people for our younger generation,” said Ms. Bissaillon.

During the assembly there was also a chief’s circle, an opportunity for the chiefs to talk about what is happening in their communities, a review and resolutions concerning the Child Well-Being Implementation Plan, a discussion of the Anishinaabemowin Language Portal and discussions related to restorative jurisdiction, lands and resources, economic development, the Motherrisk Commission and the annual portfolio panel.



The Elders’ Panel included Elsie Bissaillon, Leroy Dolson, Mike Esquega, Gordon Waindubence and Donna Debassige.

photo by Robin Burrige

## more letters

### It’s time to be vigilant for turtles and snakes on our roads

#### *Many Ontario turtles and snakes are endangered species*

To the Expositor:

At this time of year drivers need to be on the lookout for turtles trying to cross the road. Every year I come across dead turtles and snakes in my travels. This year I found two turtles and one snake. All three were in places with slow speed limits where they should have been easy to avoid hitting. I found a dead painted turtle today, on Ketchankookem Trail near Mindemoya, where the speed

limit is 40 kilometres per hour. If that speed is slow enough to avoid toddlers, it should be slow enough to avoid turtles. So what happened? Was the driver speeding, or not watching the road? Or was the driver trying to kill this vulnerable animal? Painted turtles move during the day, so it was likely run over in the morning. Poor visibility at night was not likely a factor.

Many Ontario turtles and snakes have become species at

risk, their numbers steadily shrinking. We drain their swamps for our homes and cottages, leaving less and less habitat for them, and kill them on roads. Sometimes it’s unavoidable, but often I think a more careful driver could have safely avoided them.

Jan McQuay  
Mindemoya

### An open letter to the Honourable Glenn Thibeault, Minister of Energy

#### *You said something should be done about gas prices when you were NDP, so do something now that you are a Liberal*

The following is an open letter to the Hon. Glenn Thibeault, Minister of Energy.

Re: Gas Prices

Dear Minister:

People across Ontario, and especially the North, are being ripped off at the gas pumps.

As an opposition MP you were vocal on this issue. Now is the time for you to act. As the Minister responsible for the Ontario Energy Board, you should direct the OEB to monitor gas pricing, reduce volatility and increase competition. This is something you can do today.

As every driver in Ontario knows long weekends often lead to big spikes in gas prices. We are calling on you to act now, before the Canada Day long weekend.

We are also calling for a meeting at your earliest convenience to discuss ways to get gas prices and energy prices in Northern Ontario under control.

There is something seriously wrong when Sudburians

pay above the average 90 percent of the time, and when drivers in Sudbury consistently pay more than people in North Bay, something you have suggested is price fixing. As you know, this isn’t unique to Sudbury: all across Ontario there are communities being gouged.

In the past you specifically highlighted the fact provinces can and should take a leading role in regulating prices and ending gouging, noting,

“A way to deal with rising prices could be regulation, [Thibeault] added, and with that, ‘anything is on the table... ‘There’s regulation in place in places like New Brunswick and other Atlantic provinces where ... it’s not all of a sudden going to jump on a Friday ... by five or 10 cents a litre and then drop back down on a Monday.’”

You went further, noting that, “The Government needs to bring forward a system that allows consumer complaints and concerns to be properly heard.”

Why does this matter to people? As you, yourself, told the Sudbury Star in November 2014,

“When they have to worry about putting another 10 bucks in gas in their car, it takes away from food on the table”

This summer, people across Ontario will be heading out on the road to visit friends and family, go fishing, camping and enjoy the outdoors. They deserve to pay a fair and predictable price when they fill their tanks.

For years you promised people you wanted to take action to get gas prices under control. Here’s your chance to act.

Sincerely,

Michael Mantha, MPP Algoma-Manitoulin  
Gilles Bisson, MPP Timmins-James Bay  
Sarah Campbell, MPP Kenora-Rainy River  
France Gelinias, MPP Nickel Belt  
John Vanthof, MPP Timiskaming-Cochrane

### A recent Island resident recites the reasons we are lucky to live here

#### *Thrilled to have moved here from Hamilton*

To the Expositor:

Hello, after reading the recent article about a negative tourist viewpoint, I’m new to living here and thought it would be refreshing to remind your readers how lucky Manitoulin residents are!

Why I love living in Manitoulin and why I’m so thrilled to move here from Southern Ontario:

1. Clean fresh air year round, none of that gross city pollution! I now feel like I need a mask when I go to Toronto.
2. You see deer on a daily basis, even fawns—it’s incredibly adorable.
3. Clean lakes to swim in minutes away from your house.
4. Amazing trails minutes away.
5. Nature and animals everywhere.
6. No traffic (minimal during tourist

time).

7. No stoplights (one just outside of Little Current, which I don’t even count).

8. Minimal crime (if it happens you will know who did it).

9. Feeling of safety. I still can’t believe how safe I feel here even though that’s not to say bad things can’t happen here but coming from the GTA you definitely feel relaxed.

10. It’s incredibly easy to stay active (one of the reasons we love living in town as we can walk daily).

11. Licence renewal is half the price as you classified as ‘Northern Ontario.’ Woo hoo I was so happy this year when I found this out!

12. Lots of farmers around very easy to buy local!

13. Power goes out on occasion and you can pretend you are pioneers (this is a big hit at our house!).

14. Less instant materialism as there is remarkably fewer stores.

15. You can save lots of money since there are fewer stores.

16. Your family becomes healthier since you’re forced to cook 24/7 with the occasional restaurant meal.

17. No fast food chains on Island. Yay, no more Tim Hortons timbit temptations for kiddies; they have to eat homemade goodies.

18. It’s easy to have a happy dog here, there’s so much more nature for them.

19. Sports costs less money (especially the big things like hockey, or so I hear).

20. Beach weekends all the time in the

summer with clean water and super cool fossils to find.

21. The best playground I’ve ever seen is at the Providence Bay beach. I mean seriously, fitness on the beach, wow!

22. House prices are way cheaper than southern Ontario.

23. Easy to get a job during the summer with the tourist demand (a perk for my future teens!).

24. You actually feel all four seasons and the summers aren’t nearly as hot as southern Ontario!

25. Island time—I need not say anymore.

Annie Ochel-Cook  
Gore Bay (formerly Hamilton)

### Save our rural heritage

#### *Wagg’s Park and the Old School should be saved*

To the Expositor:

As a past councillor and past chairman of the local school board, I am writing on behalf of myself and other concerned citizens to dispute the sale of dedicated property, Wagg’s Park, and also to object to the sale or destruction

of the Old School, a heritage building which is a source of income for the municipality.

Thank you,

Kenneth Tipper, DVM  
Mindemoya

### A rural sage weighs in on stoplights

#### *A tale of mountains and molehills*

To the Expositor:

Regarding June 15’s page 4 letter by Terry Bolton, ‘A tale of disputed traffic lights unfolds,’ this is a prime example of someone

making a mountain out of a molehill.

Lyle Dewar  
Providence Bay



### Driver charged with drug possession

At approximately 8:45 on June 17, a member of the Manitoulin Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) was dispatched to a motor vehicle collision on Highway 6, at Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands (NEMI).

As a result of the investigation, a 24-year-old man of Valley East has been charged with possession of cannabis marijuana, contrary to the section 4(1) of the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, and with several Highway Traffic Act of Ontario charges.

The accused is scheduled to appear at the Ontario Court of Justice in Gore Bay on July 18.

### Driver charged with drug possession at OPP traffic stop

At approximately 8 am on June 22, a member of the Manitoulin Detachment of OPP conducted a traffic stop on Highway 6 in NEMI Township.

As a result of the investigation, a 43-year-old male of Sudbury has been charged with possession of cannabis marijuana, contrary to section 4(1) of the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, and with speeding, contrary to section

## Northeast Town Council Notes

### Fire department

Northeast Town Fire Chief Darren Bailey reported that there had been three calls for service recently including an assist with a brush fire in the Otter Lake area on May 19, a fire alarm on June 11 at the Manitoulin Health Centre and a bush fire in the Perch Lake area.

Mr. Bailey commended the Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNR) on their work with the water bomber helping fight the Perch Lake fire. He also noted that there wouldn't be a charge to the municipality other than for the ground crew from 10 am to 2 pm (even though they stayed the night) because they were already in the area and it was a first response.

Mr. Bailey also stated in his report that there had been 28 calls for service so far in 2016 and that a few members of the department attended an auto extraction training session along with other members from across the Island with Paratech Rescue representatives.

### Community services and public works

Reid Taylor presented council with the community services report for June. He said the recreation centre staff was busy prepping for upcoming events and completing maintenance tasks.

"The Sea Cadet Review and Little Current and District Fish and Game dinner went very well," said Mr. Taylor of two events recently held at the recreation centre.

For parks, Mr. Taylor said that youth sport programs were completed by June 30 and that the trails, parks and washrooms were being inspected and maintained regularly. He added that the Northeast Town Community Picnic is being held on Sunday, July 10 at Low Island.

"Spider Bay Marina is operating and seeing increased business each week," said Mr. Taylor. "The Port of Little Current is open and seeing more traffic each week."

Mr. Taylor said that there were two rendezvous that would be visiting the port—one on June 28 and the second on July 21.

He also noted that cruise ships would be visiting on June 28, July 7, July 13, July 20 and 21.

The public works report noted that grading and the placing of calcium on roads was underway and that culverts were being replaced where needed.

The report also noted that roadside grass cutting was underway and that operations at the landfill were going well. The new half-ton truck has arrived and the Highway 6 crossing (culvert) will be starting shortly.

Councillor Mike Erskine suggested posting bear alert signs next time there is a bear at Low Island Park, referring to an incident of a bear at the park in June when the park had to be shut down until the bear moved on.

### Building controls

Council was presented with the building controls report for June. The report stated that there had been 22 permits issued to date and that another three applications had been submitted and are under review.

"The total value of construction to date is \$2,890,636 with total building permit revenue of \$34,780.53," the report stated.

### Transfers

Council approved the transfer of \$31,249, representing one-time funds received in 2015, to the working capital reserve account. Council also carried a motion authorizing the town to withdraw \$97,235 out of the working capital reserve account to cover the 2015 operating deficit.

### Canada Day

The Northeast Town council contributed \$1,900 to the Little Current Business Improvement Area that the town received through Celebrate Canada for Canada Day events and activities in Little Current.

### Turtle sign

Council reviewed a letter from Joan Bell requesting the installation of a frog/turtle/snake sign on Limekiln Road and Townline Roads.

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## Law & Order

128 of the Highway Traffic Act of Ontario.

The accused is scheduled to appear at the Ontario Court of Justice in Gore Bay on August 25.

### OPP finds impaired driver behind the wheel

In the early morning on June 19, members of the Manitoulin Detachment of the OPP conducted a traffic stop on King Street in Mindemoya. The driver of the automobile was arrested after he failed the approved screening device test for alcohol on the roadside.

As a result of this investigation, a 32-year-old of Walden has been charged with impaired driving, and exceeding the legal limit of alcohol in his blood, contrary to section 253(1) (a) and 253(1) (b) of the Criminal Code of Canada.

The accused is scheduled to appear at the Ontario Court of Justice in Gore Bay on July 18.

### AOK RIDE check results in charges

During the afternoon hours of June 18, UCCM Police were conducting a RIDE check on the Aundeck Omni Kaning First Nation when a vehicle entered the spotcheck and the driver was determined to have open packages of liquor.

Officers seized all the liquor in the vehicle in conjunction with the liquor infractions.

Charged is a 21-year-old male of the Aundeck Omni Kaning First Nation with: drive motor vehicle with open container of liquor.

The UCCM Anishnaabe Police are reminding the motor-

ing public that RIDE spotchecks will be occurring regularly throughout the summer and across the Manitoulin Island by all Island police services.

### Man tasered outside Tim Hortons

On June 24 at 4 am, the Espanola Police Service received a call to attend the Tim Hortons on Centre Street, in relation to a customer who was causing a disturbance inside.

While responding, an officer was waved down in the area of Queensway Street by a frantic male and female, who told the officer that the individual from the Tim Hortons had followed them out of the restaurant, and wouldn't leave them alone. The male, later identified as a 30-year old resident of Sarnia, was across the street yelling at the two individuals, and appeared agitated. He then began walking in an aggressive manner towards the police officer, despite the officer's commands for him to stop, and ignored warnings to stop yelling or he would be arrested for causing a disturbance. Upon the arrival of a second officer, the male, who had refused to stop yelling, was advised that he was under arrest and resisted by pulling his arm away, then striking one of the officers, momentarily knocking the officer to the ground. As the male continued to struggle, and took up a fighting stance, an officer deployed his Taser, which quickly incapacitated that male, and allowed him to be brought under control.

As a result of the incident, the Sarnia resident was charged with causing a disturbance, assault police, and possession of an unauthorized weapon, as a concealed switch blade knife was located on his person. He will appear in Espanola Court on August 2 to answer to his charges.

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**Mindemoya Classic**

The 15th anniversary of the Run, Paddle and Pedal, Mindemoya Classic, was graced with perfect weather, great participants and tireless volunteers. The fastest time of the day came from the relay pair of **Mike Reuter** and **Alex Anstice**. With some 22-plus km to cover, their time of 1:16 is dumbfounding! Also, Alex posted the fastest cycling leg, needing only 24 minutes over the 13 km of trails and roads. Second in the division were **Kierra Marquis** and **Mike Banks** in a great 1:20. **Lisanne and Chris Gauld** the Gaulden Warriors were third (1:42).

The next fastest division was the two-person endurance class where both teammates need to complete the run, the canoe and the bike sections! Congratulations to **Michael Niven** and **Brandon Belan** who zipped through the course just behind the winners with a 1:17 clocking. Taking second in the Endurance Pairs were **Ben and Sarah Quackenbush** at 1:32 and at third were **Greg Bond** and **Denise Brady** in 1:37!

The Four Person Relay division was the third fastest with Team Haner winning the title with a 1:18 time thanks to **Stacy Haner** running, **Chris and Al Haner** paddled and **Ben Haner** on his two-wheeler. In second were the Go-Rillas including: **James Scott**, **Tina Pippy**, **Devon Axam** and **Jasmine Emmerson** (1:25:23). In third were the Five Stars featuring: **Marjorie Scott**, **Paris Axam**, **Heather Thompson** and **Brian Doan** (1:37).

Next division to break the tape was the Family division with the Parks family taking it in only 1:20. Runner **Kennedy Parks**, paddlers **Hughie and Nancy Parks** and cyclist **Caleb Parks**. Taking second was the family dubbed Thomas's Tomatoes including **Thomas**, **Zoe**, **Matthew**, **Steve Redmond** and **Peter Ford** (1:26). In the bronze medal position was the Tustian family of: **John and Mason Tustian**, **Dave Dunn** and **Jeanne Lefebvre** (1:39).

The solo racers were next in thanks to a great performance by **Steve Arthurs** (1:26) and **Dale Wallace** (1:28)! Steve easily paddled the fastest leg on the day in only 19:53!

The Four Person Endurance class welcomed the return of the Jeffrey clan who easily won the toughest division. With all four needing to run, paddle and pedal **Geoff**, **Adam** and **John Jeffrey** and **Julie Bechard** eclipsed the division with a 1:30 time.

Finally, the hotly contested corporate division was an out of eatery experience for the Schoolhouse Restaurant. With team Schoolhouse I up against Schoolhouse II it was I before II to claim colleague supremacy. Team I included: **Devin Pilon**, **Greg Niven**, **Victoria Cranston** and **Vanessa Glasby** (1:30). Team II featured: **Rick Petersen**, **Maddy Niven**, **Nick Head-Petersen** and **Liz Oswald** (1:39).

As usual some of the most memorable moments on the day did not make the top-finishers of their respective divisions. In the family division, **David and Susan Johnson** made up some serious time once they hit the water for their canoe leg. Susan, who has made steady gains after a serious stroke several years ago was commanding in her bow seat to help her and David to move up several positions. In other memorable moments, one (unnamed) canoe pair who had not been in a canoe in a decade had a steep re-learning curve as they endured three "refreshing" swims before they, "got the hang of it" and finished with smiles on their faces. Their team was an inspiration to everyone to just get out, do your best and most importantly have fun.

The good times could not all be attributed to the weather alone however as the Classic volunteers everything kept running smoothly. Many thanks to **Melodie Cyr**, **Tori Leblanc**, **Murray Haner**, **Hailey Leblanc**, **David Johnson**, **Denise Leblanc**, **Larry and Corinne Leblanc**, **Tom Scott** and **Wade Leblanc**.

**Softball silver!**

In a recent ball tourney in Azilda the Wikwemikoong Sons of Pitches came within an eyelash of winning the high-level, fast-pitch gold. Members of the team included: **Kyle Baibomcowai**, **Ralph Gonawabi**, **Blair Morrison**, **Colten Pheasant**, **A.J. Abitong**, **Brent Nashkawa** and **Darren Zack**. Great effort gentlemen!

**Homecoming**

The Canada Day Homecoming, long weekend saw the Mindemoya squad use home-field advantage to take the A division on their familiar turf. The team members included: **Al Lanktree**, **Logan Bayer**, **Corey Karn**, **Happy Gilmour**, **Dawson Campbell**, **Chris King**, **Cole King**, **Tyler King**, **Ryan Prior**, **Stuart Pearson**, **Justin Lanktree** and **Jeff Delange**. It's always sweet to win town's own event, congrats. Hats off to M'Chigeeng as well, who took the B-Title.

**Multi-sport MVP!**

Well-known local athlete **Gregory Paquet Trudeau**, son of former Wikwemikong athlete **Ramona Trudeau**, cleaned up at the St. Charles College athletic banquet. Greg won the MVP for Varsity hockey as well as Boys' Soccer while also wrapping up the Most Outstanding Athlete award. Congrats to Gregory and Mom too!

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Youngsters line up to claim their brand new bike helmet from UCCM Constable Peltier, OPP Constable Hart and the UCCM Police's Ann Ziegler thanks to a partnership between provincial, regional groups.

**UCCMM schools receive a generous donation of over 700 bike helmets**

by **Betty Bardswich**

M'CHIGEENG—There are a lot of happy kids in United Chiefs and Council Manitoulin (UCCM) area schools, not just because they are on holidays, but also because a recent partnership formed of many diverse organizations led to the distribution of free bicycle helmets for all kids from pre-school to Grade 8.

UCCM Chief of Police Rodney Nahwegahbow got things rolling at Lakeview School in M'Chigeeng by saying, "Our most valuable resource is our kids. We want to remind the parents to make sure the kids wear their helmets so everyone has a safe summer." He went on to tell the kids in attendance that it was good to come to this really special event and said, "Give yourselves a pat on the back. Have a safe summer and put on your helmets whenever you ride your bike."

Chief Shining Turtle of the Whitefish River First Nation was one of the partners and stated that he was a big supporter of the program. "This is our first helmet distribution and it is the biggest one in Ontario thanks to Rodney. This is really our best partnership distribution. This is a great opportunity to promote partnerships. When you have a partnership, you're working together, you're working for the communities, for safer communities, starting with the kids and then their parents. On behalf of the chiefs of the Island, Rodney and the others, they want to make your summer safe. Use your head, wear

your helmet."

Also on hand at Lakeview School for the handing out of the helmets was Brian Patterson, representing the Ontario Safety League, who is responsible for all of Ontario for that organization. He began his talk by talking about Manitoulin Transport. "They have the safest fleet in Ontario," he said. "They live safety. When I see their trucks, I always think safety. Now it's kids' safety as well. We will be giving every

school an Elmer the Safety Elephant flag to remind them all about safety." He went on to explain that 750 bike helmets would be given out. There is no reason, he told the children, to be without a helmet when cycling. He also gave thanks to M'Chigeeng for hosting the event and for the great spirit of cooperation. "This will be going," Mr. Patterson added, "all the way up to the premier to know that this is

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# Schools out for summer: fun activities for kids on Manitoulin

by Robin Burrige

MANITOULIN—With school out for the summer, kids and parents are looking for activities and Manitoulin has them covered with a variety of summer camp and day programs across the Island.

In Manitowaning there will be fun morning sessions at the museum/library on Tuesday and Thursdays. Wednesday afternoons there will be organized beach activities.

Swimming lessons will be offered in three sessions: July 11-22; July 25 to August 5; and August 8-19.

There will also be Zumba at the waterfront with Casey Boisvert as well as orienteering at McLean's Park, tennis camp, soccer camp, youth t-ball, teen softball, cycling at McLean's Park, bike challenge race/relays, Ultimate Frisbee and evening board games.

For details go to [www.assignack.ca](http://www.assignack.ca) or call 705-859-3196. See a full article on Assignack's summer offerings on page 3.

The Northeast Town is offering several summer camps including a 'Welcome to Summer Party from July 5-7,' 'The Race is



Sue Meert of Manitoulin Streams shows off the crayfish she found in the Kagawong River, just one example of the treasures to be discovered at River School.

On' from July 12-14, 'Superhero Week' from July 19-21 and 'Wacky Science' from July 26-28.

Each week of fun for kids is at Low Island Park in Little Current from 9:30-11:30 and is \$2 a day/child.

For more information call 705-368-2367 or email [lhallaert@townofnemi.on.ca](mailto:lhallaert@townofnemi.on.ca).

The Faculty of Engineering from the University of Ottawa is hosting a Science Camp at the Kenjegin Teg Education Institute in M'Chigeeng July 11 to 15 from 9 am to 3:20 pm daily. The camp is for youth ages 7 to 13. Activities include creating a wave machine, laser cutting, designing a paper roller coaster, making/playing scratch video games and making a small house.

Call Brian Bisson for more information or to register at 705-377-4342 or [education-counsellor@ktei.net](mailto:education-counsellor@ktei.net).

Billings Township will be offering swimming lessons at the Kagawong Town Beach for non-swimmers to Swim Kids level 10. Lesson sessions will run from July 4-29 and August 2-26. The cost is \$30 each session. Register at the Billings Township office 15 Old Mill Road, Kagawong.

On Friday, July 22, the Billings Library will be hosting an activity day with Science North from 10 am to 3 pm at the Kagawong Park Centre. Admission is free.

Manitoulin Streams and 4elements Liv-

ing Arts are collaborating on a River School series of summer programs for kids in Kagawong combining art and science activities with river exploration.

The River School will run Wednesday, July 6, 13, 20 and August 3 from 9 am until noon for kids ages 4-6 and 7-9.

There will also be an all day River School program for kids ages 4-6 on Mondays, July 25 to 29 from 10 am to 4 pm.

For more information or to register call 705-282-0444 or visit [4elementslivingarts.org](http://4elementslivingarts.org) and see page 11A.

Mindemoya will be running a summer fun program Monday to Fridays for eight weeks starting this week (starting Monday, July 4) from 10 am to 4 pm at the Providence Bay Arena.

The camp is for youth 5-12—children over the age of 12 are welcome to attend but are responsible for themselves. Activities will include sports, crafts and games and attendance is free. Lunch is provided for a small fee. There is no registration, but numbers are limited.

## ...UCCMM schools receive a generous donation of over 700 bike helmets

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the safest area in Ontario."

Mr. Patterson told The Expositor that his grandmother was one of the original Fosters on Manitoulin. "She was born in 1881 and named Pearl Edith Foster at the 10th Concession. She was married on the Island in 1903."

Todd Fullerton, the Regional Marketing Planner for Northern Ontario for the Ministry of Transportation, was also at the bike helmet event and thanked the chiefs and councils and the communities on the Island for inviting the ministry to participate.

"The Honourable Steven Del Duca, the Minister of Transportation, couldn't be here today," he explained, "but he sends along his greeting and the message that 'cycling is an important part of a happy childhood, and on behalf of the Ministry of Transportation, I hope today's event helps more children build fond memories of their time spent on a bike. I'm particularly pleased we can promote safe cycling by reminding children and adults of the need for cycling safety, especially the need to wear a helmet.'"

The Assistant Deputy Minister for the Road User Safety Division, Heidi Francis, also sent her greetings and said, "Ontario is a



Elmer the Safety Elephant hangs out with his new friends at Lakeview School, now deemed to be one of the safest schools in Ontario and where everyone has a bike helmet.

world leader in road safety and public education and partnerships like the one represented today with the Ontario Safety League, the Ontario Trial Lawyers Association, the Insurance Bureau of Canada, police services, health care professionals, the M'Chigeeng Board of Education, Lakeview School, and the UCCMM First Nations."

"Cycling can be a great part of a healthy lifestyle as well as an efficient mode of transportation," she continued. "We are always very supportive of our road safety partners and injury prevention advocates' efforts in promoting helmet use and cycling safety for children and adults. I wish

everyone great success in this campaign that will reach out to First Nations communities and thank you for your commitment and dedication to road safety."

Also joining up with the other partners were UCCM Constable Murray Still and OPP Constable Steve Hart who, along with Lakeview School Principal Neil Debassige, showed the kids the correct hand signal signs for turns right, left and slow and had the children laughing as Mr. Debassige was given an iPad for his efforts, which was actually a pad for his eye.

Mr. Debassige asked the kids, "This is the second

last day of school. Who's excited?" to a very enthusiastic response from the group. Pointing at Elmer the Safety Elephant, he also asked "Elmer never forgets what? His helmet and safety."

Public Health Nurses Kelly Bayer and Serena Verboom, representing the Sudbury and District Health Unit, were at hand and Ms. Verboom told the kids, "We are here as a partner with the Manitoulin

Injury Prevention Coalition, promoting safe use of cycling." She then gave a demonstration of the proper way to fit a helmet, using the 2-V-1 system which is two fingers above the eyebrow, a V at the ears and one finger between the chin and chin strap. Ms. Verboom also showed the importance of a helmet for safety by using a melon which she dropped to the cement while standing on a ladder to show the students what could happen to their heads if they are not wearing their helmets and also what could happen if the helmet was not strapped in.

Mr. Patterson led the kids in making a promise by having them say, "I pledge to wear my helmet all summer whenever I ride my bike." A safety flag was presented to Lakeview School and area, which will be the safest place in Ontario all summer.

## Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event

### What to bring

#### From your workbench

- Adhesives, glues, resins
- Hobby Supplies, artist supplies
- Latex, oil paints (SEE TIP)
- Stains, thinners and strippers, Varsol, solvents, Linseed oil

#### From your garage

- Car batteries, dry cell batteries
- Engine degreasers, brake fluids
- Transmission fluids
- Engine oil
- Antifreeze

#### From your yard

- Insecticides, herbicides, Pesticides
- Propane cylinders (small)
- Swimming pool chemicals and bleach (do not mix)
- Wood preservatives
- BBQ lighter fluids

#### From your house

- Aerosol cans
- Cleaners (oven and drain), spot removers
- Hearing aid (button-style) batteries

- Ni-Cad batteries
- Photo chemicals
- Pharmaceuticals
- Fluorescent light tubes (4 ft) and fluorescent bulbs
- Nail polish and Nail polish removers
- Rat and mouse poisons

### What not to bring

- Ammunition, fireworks, explosives
- Infectious and biological waste
- Syringes (your local drugstore will handle those)
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A Mini Putt Fundraiser was held on June 17 at Gordon's Park Eco Resort to help raise funds for Dawn Young to receive the double transplant that she needs. From left are staff member Noelle Schmidt (Eco-Tourism Coordinator) presenting the raised funds to Tristan Tolsma (Dawn Young's nephew) and Pat Young (Dawn's mother). Approximately 20 participants turned out for the event, and a little over \$100 was raised.



# Gore Bay woman drowns in early summer tragedy

TOBACCO LAKE—In the late afternoon of June 29, members of the Manitoulin Detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) responded to a report of a drowning at the public beach on Tobacco Lake in Gordon Township.

Upon arrival, police found a bystander performing artificial respiration on a woman. Cardio pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) was then commenced by police.

The victim, Penny Chmielak, 56 years of age of Gore

Bay, was transported to a local hospital by ambulance where she was pronounced dead.

An OPP investigation has determined that the death is not suspicious in nature. The coroner has ordered a post mortem examination to determine the exact cause of death.

Ms. Chmielak is survived by a daughter, granddaughter, brothers, nieces and nephews.

# ...Central considering multi-use recreation centre

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of dollars into the renovations that would be needed for the arena (\$500,000 in one instance and a further \$750,000 in another proposed renovation and upgrade). Buildings have a lifespan, and the Mindemoya arena was built in 1946, so there comes a time when you have to assess things with an open mind. There are a lot of issues with the current facility.”

“Our biggest problem is we are looking at buildings that we have such as the (Mindemoya arena) and accessibility requirements that have to be met in the next few years and whether we should keep spending money on repairs on buildings such as the arena that is 70 years-old when it does not meet accessibility standards,” said Mayor Stephens.

“The (MAAC) committee said we need to make sure the all the municipal community centres are on board and if a new building is constructed that it should be a multi-use facility,” said Mr. Bridgeman. “We are in the very, very early stages of this whole

proposal.”

A new modern facility would enable more activities and services to be provided, noted Mr. Bridgeman, who cited his students’ use of the current arena and the example of his own parents who live in southern Ontario. “They go to a local mall where there are walking programs in the winter. With a modern facility you can use it for a lot more things.”

The current ice service remains wet for up to seven weeks in the summer, pointed out Mr. Bridgeman.

At the council meeting last week, Councillor Derek Stephens said, “I’d like to see at least one councillor from each ward to work on the committee. Because of what this investigation is all about, I would like to see the whole township working together on this project.”

Mayor Stephens said, “the appointment of Mr. Bridgeman would be to lead the committee but there will be a number of people from the community on the committee.”

“In the committee they said they would use the MAAC committee mem-

bers, and I have no problem with that, but I think there also needs to be broader representation,” said Councillor Derek Stephens.

Council passed a motion to appoint Mr. Bridgeman to lead a broad-based committee composed of members appointed by council from all three wards of the municipality to investigate the replacement and options for a new multi-use facility, considering such things as location and activities and this committee report to the property committee with their findings.

Appointments have not yet been decided or announced, but potential community representatives are being vetted and the committee will likely start work soon. “We are in the very early stages,” reiterated Mr. Bridgeman.

In a related issue, council passed a motion at its meeting for municipal staff to proceed with the original plans as set out in the funding application for the east wall repairs at the J.H. Burt Memorial Arena.

# ...backs down on age limits for autism interventions

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amounted to little more than tokenism that would not be of much help to children with autism living in the North. “It’s Mike Harris all over again,” she asserted.

The Ontario Autism Program was initially slated to be implemented in 2018, but will now begin in June 2017 according to an announcement by the Ontario Ministry of Children and Youth Services. The programming will now begin a full year ahead of the original plan and will also boast increased access to services and supports.

The province promises that the new Ontario Autism Program will provide all children, regardless of age, with more flexible services that will meet each child’s individual needs.

Autism or Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) is a lifelong, complex, neuro-developmental disorder, characterized by persistent deficits in social communication and interaction and repetitive behaviours where symptoms can vary significantly and range widely in severity.

According to the provincial announcement, the new program will increase the number of treatment spaces and significantly reduce wait times to accommodate the rising prevalence of autism diagnosis.

There are an estimated 40,000 children and youth in Ontario with autism and according to some studies in the US, prevalence has grown from 1 in 150 in 2002 to 1 in 68 in 2010.

The government met with experts, stakeholders and families since the initial 2016 announcement of the program to aid their development of the support they will provide. The additional supports will include: access to earlier diagnosis, more direct funding and more choice, more resources for families and more supports in schools.

The 2016 Ontario Budget had committed \$333 million over five years for the program, in addition to the \$190 million Ontario provides for autism services annually, but the enhancements will now invest an additional \$200 million over the next four years to better support children and youth with autism and their families.

Ontario NDP leader Andrea Horwath called this new program an important win for youth and children with autism. “Parents and children across Ontario living with autism stood up to fight for the services they need, and today is a victory for families,” said Ms. Horwath. “They knew that with the right supports, their children could live up to their full potential, and they didn’t give up hope. Today is a win for the future of all of those children.”

As part of the new approach being touted by the province, an advisory committee of parents, stakeholders, advocates and service providers will begin meeting this summer to advise the ministry on the design of the new program.

Kids of all ages with an autism diagnosis can now count on the treatment when they need it, regardless of age, said Children and Youth Services Minister Michael Coteau during an announcement made at Queen’s Park. “The new program will provide all children, no matter how old they are, with the level of intensity they require. Every single child will receive the services they need, period.”

The new announcement indicates that the Ontario government has backed away from the controversial age limit it imposed earlier this year on funding for intensive therapy for children with autism where children over five would be cut off, regardless of how long they spent on the waiting lists and has introduced a new program for therapy funding in the province. In March, the province had announced \$333 million in funding for autism programs over five years, but at the same time eliminated government-funded intensive therapy for children aged five years and older.

That move was widely criticized by affected families and advocates leading to a Tuesday, June 28 media release stating that it “has listened closely to experts, stakeholders, service providers and families.”

The government’s new autism plan adds another \$200 million over four years to speed up program delivery and provides \$1,000 per week for therapy for children five years old

and up while they’re on the wait list.

The transition to the new program will begin in June 2017 instead of 2018, the ministry said, adding that “the new program will provide all children, regardless of age, with more flexible services at a level of intensity that meets each child’s individual needs, significantly reduce wait times for service and increase the number of treatment spaces available to serve more children and accommodate the rising prevalence in autism diagnoses,” the province said.

Additional supports announced on June 28 include a choice of direct funding or immediate and continuous access to applied behaviour analysis (ABA) services and supports for children five and over who were on the intensive behavioural intervention (IBI) waitlist, to provide access to continuous service until children are able to enter the new program next year. The supports include strengthened autism supports in schools to help children transition to and continue in full-time school; increased access to diagnostic assessments to allow for earlier diagnosis and treatment; greater

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## ...Canadian Cancer Society honours Island volunteers

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ing our communities together to create a world where nobody has to fear cancer," said Jo-Anne Thibodeau-Audett, coordinator of the Screening Saves Lives program. "It's an honour to work side-by-side with such committed volunteers."

The volunteers include Angela Fenton, Lisa Madahbee, Patsy Corbiere, Shirley Corbiere, Stephanie Corbiere, Sandra Pope, Jeanette Corbiere Lavell, Suzanne Knapp Chandler, Valerie Cooper, Mariah Abotossaway, Nicole Thibodeau Howard, Cathy Kaitting, Tony Audette, Courtnay Peltier, Crystal Young, Cynthia Owl Behm, Lind-



Canadian Cancer Society's Distinction in Prevention Awards were presented to Angela Fenton, Lisa Madahbee, Patsy Corbiere, Shirley Corbiere, Stephanie Corbiere, Sandra Pope, Jeanette Corbiere Lavell, Suzanne Knapp Chandler, Valerie Cooper, Mariah Abotossaway, Nicole Thibodeau Howard, Cathy Kaitting, Tony Audette, Courtnay Peltier, Crystal Young, Cynthia Owl Behm, Lindsay Corbiere, Gail Kiki Pelletier and Tammy Maguire.

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The volunteer appreciation event concluded with a draw with 14 prizes

donated from Little Current businesses and cake.

## ...Student-designed sculpture unveiled in Mindemoya

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community. Ms. MacDonald was particularly impressed with the sculptures and took the project to council where she got a good response.

The sculpture that was chosen was called 'Freedom of Flight,' later shortened to 'Freedom.' One Kwe's Kathryn Corbiere of Mindemoya was the welder who manufactured the piece. Ms. Corbiere had taken a five-month course at Northern Welding Academy in Hanmer where she received her Canadian Welding Bureau certificate. She has art work on display at the Ojibwe Cultural Foundation (OCF) and a Thunderbird work on the Chi-Chemaun. "It is an exhibit panel," she explained. "It is collapsible, it folds up." She has also done metal signs and furniture and is in the process of doing new yardage signs at the Brookwood Brae golf course. "This is the first time doing sculpture art," she said. "I would like to do more design pieces in the future."

MPP Mike Mantha was on hand for the official display of the sculpture. "What a beautiful structure," he said, "It is always



CMPS students bike to the Mindemoya government dock area for the official showing of the sculpture Freedom, done by the students in partnership with 4elements Living Arts and MICA, the Manitoulin Island Cycling Advocates.

a joy to come to Mindemoya and share our talents. This will be a point of destination for people." Mr. Mantha also reminded the youngsters from CMPS that they are the eyes and the minds of the future. "Don't forget where your home is," he reminded them. "We will need you as decision makers."

Central Manitoulin Mayor Richard Stephens also attended the event and spoke of his pleasure to be in attendance at the unveiling. "This is a piece of art that will be here for many, many years," he said as he

gave special thanks to Ms. Corbiere.

CMPS student Julia Desbiens-St. Amand of M'Chigeeng spoke also. "Last year," she told the students, "you were in Grade 7 and we were asked to design a sculpture. First we went biking three times and when we came back, we wrote down what biking felt like. Next, we took pieces of wire and made small sculptures. The best sculptures were 'Freedom of Flight' and 'Good and Bad.' So the class was split in two groups and we took the first ideas and made

them better. The finished designs were amazing and both properly fit the area and reasons we bike. Sadly, we could only pick one. The winning design was the new and improved 'Freedom of Flight,' and that is the design of the sculpture we are all here to see today. Our whole class has worked together and everyone put something in to this sculpture so seeing it built is fantastic. Thanks to everyone who helped build this sculpture and to everyone who came out to see it today."

There is a plaque, to be installed at the sculpture, that is entitled 'Freedom 2016.' It goes on to say, "The design for 'Freedom' was created by the 2016 graduating class of Central Manitoulin Public School through a collaborative process facilitated by 4elements Living Arts. The sculpture represents the student's experiences of riding bikes along Mindemoya cycling trails.

Design: Graduating class of 2016, CMPS  
Lead Artist-Educator: Sophie Edwards  
Fabricated by: Kathryn Corbiere

The students gratefully recognize the partners and funders that made this project possible."

## ...Community celebrates Andy's 50th

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was observed for those partners and employees who have passed on.

"I am blessed to be invited," said Chief Peltier, who is the nephew of Andy's founder Andy Manitowabi. It was hoped that Mr. Manitowabi, who recently celebrated his 94th birthday, could attend the festivities, but as Chief Peltier noted, "he has earned the right to go where and when he wants to."

Chief Peltier noted that Andy's "definitely is a community institution."

Partners James and Jenni Manitowabi spoke to the assembled employees, customers and other community members.

"I started working with my dad in 1977," said Mr. Manitowabi, "right out of Grade 12, so the school bus dropped me off here right after the last day of school."

Mr. Manitowabi took the audience through the various expansions of the Andy's Group, starting out with a handful of convenience store items in the corner of the livingroom, the arrival of the gas tanks for the original gas station, the establishment of the laundromat, coffee shop, grocery store and the hardware store.

"My late brother Ross had a vision," he recalled. His brother commissioned an artist's rendering of a mall development. "It was pretty incredible what he was look-



Andy's partners James and Jenni Manitowabi cut the cake at the celebration.

ing at." Ms. Manitowabi noted that at the time, the other family members were incredulous that Ross had invested \$600 in the drawings. Although the plans were tucked away in the back of the office, as the partners were planning the 50th celebrations they revisited those drawings.

"We still have them," noted Mr. Manitowabi. "We realized that about 80 percent of what Ross was looking at is what we have today."

Mr. Manitowabi said that his father Andy had "always wanted to serve the community and create jobs for band members. We are continuing that vision."

Andy's Group partners Mr. Manitowabi

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## Killarney Mountain Lodge kicks off summer with a grand opening party

by Robin Burrige

KILLARNEY—Killarney Mountain Lodge held a grand opening party recently celebrating the many changes the Lodge has made since last summer.

"It went really well," said Killarney Mountain Lodge General Manager Kelly McAree. "The owner hosted a CCR (Creedence Clearwater Revival) concert for friends, family and guests, over 400 people on Friday night and on Saturday we had over 1,500 people attend the grand opening."

The grand opening celebrations included samples of the Lodge's fine food, a fish fry, tours of the new facilities, music by Andy Lowe and the Bluez Brothers, representatives from several of their beer and wine suppliers, activities for kids and fireworks.

Holden Rhodes, whose



Killarney Mountain Lodge guests enjoy sampling appetizers at the Lodge's grand opening party.

family vacationed in Killarney growing up, bought the Lodge in January of 2015 and has invested \$18 million in the restoration and renovation of the Lodge and property. He also purchased

Killarney's Sportsman's Inn Resort and Marina earlier this year in a continued effort to make a difference in the local community and grow its economy.

Mr. McAree revealed that the Lodge plans to under go a third phase of renovations starting late August including the addition of another 60 units, bringing the room count up to 95 and the resort able to accommodate 300 guests.

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## ...Canada declares microbeads toxic

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In a 2011 Great Lakes survey of microplastics, Dr. Sherri Mason, a chemistry professor at the State University of New York at Fredonia, was able to take 21 samples from three of the Great Lakes, eight of which came from Lake Huron.

The samples taken closest to Manitoulin came from near St. Joseph Island, which also showed the largest amounts of plastics in Lake Huron—up to 5,000 pieces of plastic per square kilometre.

Lake Superior had the smallest number of plastics in a sample, Lake Huron had more and Lake Erie had the most—up to 600,000 plastic particles per square

kilometer in two of this lake's samples.

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## ...backs down on age limits for autism interventions

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access to information and direct supports for families to help in transitioning to the new program.

"It is a complete sea change for the autism program from what was announced in March and what was going on beforehand," said Bruce McIntosh, president of the Ontario Autism Coalition. "They have stepped forward in a major way and it's going to meet the needs of every kid touched by autism in Ontario. Whether they've been on the wait list, whether they've been in the [Intensive Behavioural Intervention] program, it's going to take care of all of them."

"What the parents are looking for more than anything is a clear statement that if their kid is over the age of five and has a severe diagnosis, that they're not going to get thrown under the bus, that they will get intensive intervention," said Anne Jovanovic, spokesperson for the Alliance Against the Ontario Autism Program.

The Ontario Autism Coalition will be participating in a new 12-member implementation committee to guide the transition under the new policy.

"We are delighted that the government has recognized the urgency of the need to move forward with the accelerated implementation and the assurance that the 2,200 children removed from the waiting list are not left behind while also ensuring the

needs of those in service continue to be met," reads a statement from the coalition. "This program will be addressing the unique individualized clinical needs of each child with autism living in the province of Ontario."

"The most important thing is early intervention," said Ms. McLaughlin, who credits IBI with changing her child's future for the better. "We spent a relatively short time on the waiting list," she said. "Others had to wait much, much longer to access the services they need."

Ms. McLaughlin noted that the therapy helped her daughter develop language skills that allowed her to go to school. In an odd Catch-22 with the previous program, Molly improved so much by the time she was six, that she no longer qualified.

"It allows children to grow up knowing how to communicate, to be able to go to school, get a job, be able to take care of themselves," she said. "I know governments are always looking at the short term, this budget, the next election, but over the long term being able to be employed, to be able to look after themselves, children with autism will not be a burden to society in the long term. Which makes more sense."

At first blush, it seems the provincial government has decided that Ms. McLaughlin and her fellow parents are right.

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# Wikwemikong Board of Education bids farewell to two retirees

by Michael Erskine  
**WIKWEMIKONG**—The Wikwemikong Board of Education honoured two retiring teachers and 130 staff during a staff appreciation luncheon held at the Wikwemikong High School on June 30.

“We are here to acknowledge the commitment and dedication of all of our staff to our community,” said Education Director Dominic Beaudry who introduced the retirees, Jean Flamand and Julie Pangowish.

The staff were greeted by band councillor and Culture and Education portfolio holder Cecilia Pitawanakwat, WBE board member Barbara Peltier and Wayne Osawamick, band director of operations, who thanked both the staff and the parents and guardians who have helped students to achieve their best.

Elder Frank Fisher delivered an invocation before the attendees settled into a luncheon featuring fried bread tacos and fresh fruit, as well as a delicious homemade cake, all prepared under the more than capable hand of Patsy’s Catering.

“Today is Jean’s special day,” said Junior School Principal Harold Fox in introducing Ms. Flamand. “Look around at all of these beautiful family members and colleagues, people who have come out to honour her and say farewell. You didn’t know did you, Ms. Jean, that so many people



Jean Flamand is presented with a Thunderbird quilt held by Junior School Principal Harold Fox, education portfolio holder Cecilia Pitawanakwat and Wikwemikong Board of Education Dominic Beaudry while elder Frank Fisher looks on.

photos by Michael Erskine



Retiree Julie Pangowish is congratulated on her retirement by Junior School Principal Harold Fox, elder Frank Fisher, Wikwemikong Board of Education board member Barbara Peltier, Education portfolio holder Cecilia Pitawanakwat, Wikwemikong High School Principal Michael Staruck and Education Director Dominic Beaudry.

would be celebrating your departure.”

Mr. Fox noted that “Ms. Jean has been an icon at the Junior School for many years, she always seemed to be the first one in every day and she would be racing around like she had five cups of coffee. She always had something cheerful to say before 9 am—I’m just curious, how in the heck

can someone be so cheerful and energetic like Ms. Jean day in and day out?”

Ms. Flamand was presented with a raft of gifts, including a stunning Thunderbird quilt and was serenaded by her colleagues with a song “O Jean-a.” “But retirement, you are free, no more homework or spelling bees” went the refrain.

Ms. Flamand for her part

recalled her arrival in 1999 to teach in her home community after spending years away teaching in schools in communities like Grassy Narrows. Her teaching career spanned 27 years in all. “This is a special moment for me,” she admitted, thanking her teaching assistants, the guidance of Mr. Fox and leadership of Mr. Beaudry. “I will miss every one of you.”

Ms. Flamand had a special presentation for Mr. Fox as well, her key to the front door of the school.

“When Julie Pangowish joined the board, I think the Internet has just arrived at the school and cell phones were just making a breakthrough,” said Mr. Fox. “Julie started with the board in times of great change,” he said, adding that wherever she worked, “she had an impact with all of the students she assisted with their day-to-day enrollment. She was always fair and consistent with each of her students. She showed compassion and had a certain unique personality with each of her students.” Ms. Pangowish, he said, followed the maxim “the best way to keep power is to share it and the best way to influence is to listen.”

For her part, Ms. Flamand was succinct in her remarks. “I really enjoyed working with the Special Ed students,” she said. “Miigwetch.”

At the conclusion, hand drummer Zack Williams sang an honour song.

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# Kenjgewin Teg graduates 47 students in June ceremony

by Betty Bardswich  
 M'CHIGEENG—June 23rd saw the graduation of 47 students in the secondary, college and university school levels at Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute (KTEI) in M'Chigeeng.

The event began with the pipe ceremony in the student and staff learning tipi. Thanks were given to the Creator for fresh air, clean water, animals, the stars, the moon and everything that Mother Earth provides. A special thank you was given to the Creator in honour of the 2016 graduates. This was followed by breakfast and a special elder message to the graduates in a private session.

The procession, with an opening thanksgiving song by Ojibwe Nation Singers, saw faculty first, followed by elders, then staff and graduates, all in black robes trimmed with four directions colours or Anishinabek ribbon shirts or skirts trimmed with KTEI colours or graduation red.

Next in the ceremony was the opening smudge by a KTEI elder and singing by the children of Mindoo Mnising Kinoomaage Gamig, the M'Chigeeng Ojibwe immersion school, followed by a congratulatory message and then remarks by Stephanie Roy, the executive director of KTEI.

After welcoming everyone to the commencement, Ms. Roy said, "I want to take the time to thank our visiting college and university partners who have made



The Convocation for 47 students from Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute was held on June 23. Pictured with Queen's University representative Peter Chin are graduates of the Aboriginal Teacher Education Program including Tia Peltier, Brenda Francis, Rebecca Reynolds-Seltzer, Laurie Beaudin, Jennifer Tilston, Principal Kelly Crawford and KTEI Executive Director Stephanie Roy.

photo by Patrick Kiley

attending our community based graduation an important day to confer your certificate, diploma or degree. That is Sault College, Canadore College, Wilfred Laurier University and Queen's University. Without their support, today would not be possible. These representatives work and advocate on our behalf within their institutions, exhibiting true partnerships. Miigwetch for all you do to ensure together we offer the best learning opportunities for our students. Additionally, today would not be possible without our teachers, instructors and our faculty who work directly with our students every day. I say miigwetch for the work, the passion and the dedication

you do to teach our students for it has helped tremendously. Also, we have our staff behind the sciences who support all of the back end supports, paperwork, coordination and follow up so programs run as smoothly as possible."

Ms. Roy then gave some examples of the work ethics of the students and finished her talk by saying, "We were happy to be one part in your journey and as you continue to chart your path forward for yourself and your families, I hope you visit often and keep in touch and be active community members wherever you live and become actively engaged and participate in making each and every one of our communities a great place

to live and work. Your contributions will be needed and welcomed. Never underestimate the power of civic contributions to make our communities healthy and prosperous. I hope you will continue to learn, support and advocate our Anishinabek ways and identity and hold it close to your heart. Mino bimadziwin."

Guest speaker at the convocation was language program graduate Jessica Benson who gave her talk in Ojibwe and told her audience that what makes the Anishinabe people are the language, land ceremonies and secret oral stories. She went on to say that language tells us who we are, gives us something to feel

good about and to feel pride rather than be ashamed of one's identity and who one is.

Earning a KTEI Secondary School diploma were Jessica Aguonie and Cynthia McMaster while Ms. Benson, Cecile Migwans, Andrew Pangowish, John Turner and Patricia Turner completed the Anishinabemowin Immersion Program Certificate in KTEI partnership with Sault College of Applied Arts and Technology.

Students earning the Entrepreneurship Training Program Certificate were

Katelynn Abel, Carol Aquoine, Oscar Corbiere, Maigan Fox, Bruno Henry, Mary Lou Jacko, Tashina Migwans, Clarissa Osawamick, April Recollect, Candace Shigwadja, Adolphus Trudeau, Lee Wajmer and Angela Wemigwans.

Amanda Gibbons, April McDowell, Chi ZiiBii kwe (Patricia McGibbon), Nyrha Rivers, Sunset Sagutch, Joy Simon and Jesselyn Wittig received their Mental Health and Addiction Diploma which was in partnership with Canadore College

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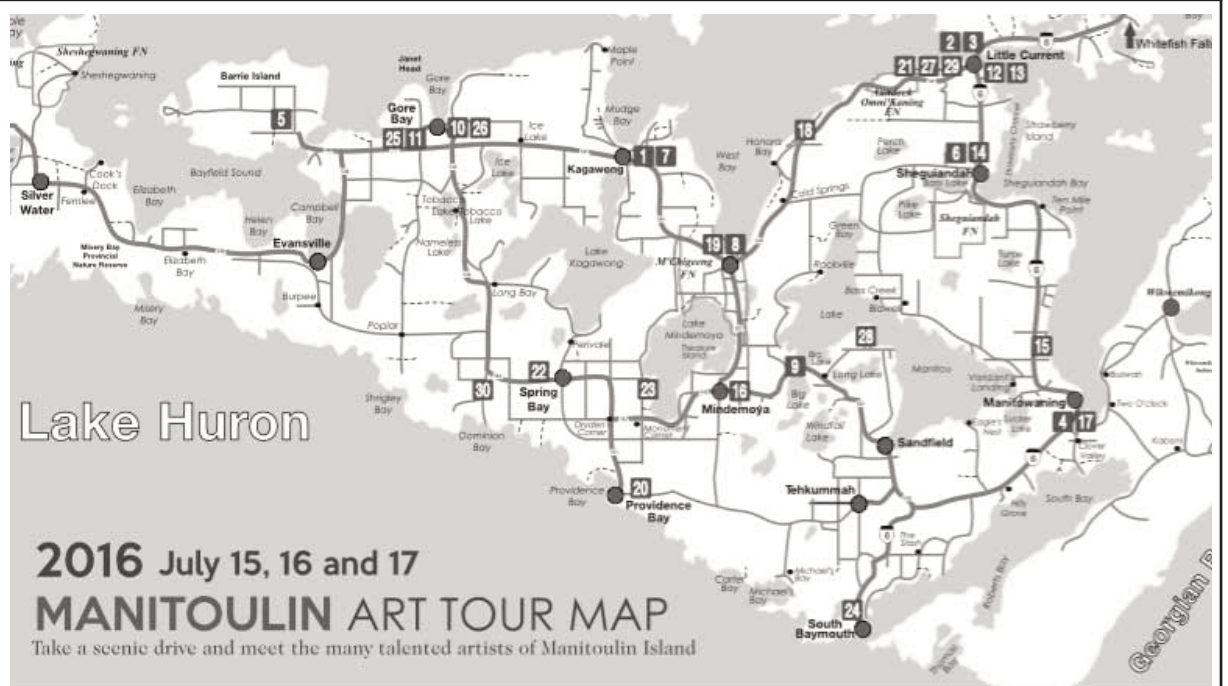
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of Applied Arts and Technology. There were several graduates in the Aboriginal Teacher Education Program including Lauraine Beaudin, Tia Peltier, Rebecca Reynolds-Seltzer and Jennifer Tilston with Bachelor of Education degrees, and Brenda Francis and Giselle McGregor earning a Diploma in Education.

Graduating with a Master of Social Work Degree were Dianne Debassige, Grace Debassige, Marilyn Debassige, Judith Dunstan, Gerlinde Goodwin, Steven Koptie, Elizabeth Maracle, Carrie McCutcheon, Elaine Migwans, D Lisa Osawamick, Sarah-Lynne Redgers and Jacqueline Tenute.

Several awards were handed out at the graduation ceremony with every KTEI board member making a donation for the honours. The KTEI Board of Director's Award was presented to Brynn Trudeau in the Secondary Program for demonstrating exceptional achievement in her personal educational goals, serving as an exemplary role model in the KTEI learning environment.

The Sara Peltier Memorial Award was

given to April Recollet for demonstrating exceptional commitment and dedication to her personal education goals, serving also as an exemplary role model.

Jessica Aguonie, a KTEI Secondary School graduate, received the Glen Crawford Award for demonstrating a commitment to nurturing her identity and embracing her educational journey.

The Martin Bayer Award was given to Nathan Shawanda for demonstrating dedication to school attendance and serving as an exemplary role model in the KTEI learning environment.

Patricia McGibbon received the Kino-Maage Gimaa (Executive Director) Award for high achievement in academics, culture, language, and community service.

The KTEI Leadership - Lewis Debassige Award was handed to Sunset Sagutch for demonstrating exceptional leadership qualities and also serving as an exemplary role model.

An Aboriginal Institutes Consortium was given to Jessica Benson, a deserving student and instructor, serving as exemplary role models in culture and language.



**Congratulations to the Shawanosowe Grade 6 graduates**

The Expositor congratulates the Grade 6 graduates of Whitefish River First Nation Shawanosowe School. The graduates, backed by their Grade 5 colleagues, sing a song during ceremonies held Wednesday, June 29 at the Manitoulin Hotel and Conference Centre. In blue robes are Avery Sutherland, Eli Paibomsai, Jordan Pitawanakwat, Ava Owl and Raven Shawanda.

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# Biofest attendee turns presenter at the fourth annual Batman's Biofest

by Robin Burrige  
SHEGUIANDAH—The many attendees at the 4th annual Batman's Biofest were in for a special treat this year, as a long time seasonal resident of the campground and past Biofest attendee himself, Noah Loiselle, was one of this year's presenters, sharing his passion for the snakes of Manitoulin.

"I have been interested in reptiles and amphibians as long as I can remember," shared 18-year-old Noah Loiselle of Dowling. "My family grew up renting a cottage at Batman's, eventually having a permanent lot there, and I have been attending Biofest since it started."

Mr. Loiselle said that he was introduced to Biofest organizer entomologist Dr. Joe Shorthouse by the owners of Batman's several years ago and what started as a mutual love of nature and its critters turned into a friendship.

He also knew this year's fellow Biofest presenter herpetologist Dr. David Lesbarreres, after being connected through his biology teacher.

During his presentation, 'Snakes of Manitoulin: Our Misunderstood Friend,' Mr. Loiselle talked about the nine of the 17 species of snakes found in Ontario that live on Manitoulin. He described how to recognize them and explained the importance of snakes.

"Snakes are important for the ecosystem—they play an important role," said Mr. Loiselle. "Snakes have gained a bad reputa-

tion from TV, but we need to teach kids that snakes are important."

Mr. Loiselle said he woke up at dawn on the morning of Biofest and went out in search of a snake to show



Herpetologist Dr. David Lesbarreres and fellow Biofest presenter Noah Loiselle show attendee a turtle they found in the waters along Batman's Campground.

opportunity to learn about the native beetles, frogs, turtles and snakes.

His passion for reptiles and amphibians has grown through his friendships with both Dr. Lesbarreres

would be a weevil," said Dr. Shorthouse, before reviewing what a beetle is.

He also reviewed what beetles do on Manitoulin including walking on water, making light, swimming and eating trees and noted how they were the first pollinators on the planet.

Dr. Lesbarreres talked about the difference between reptiles and amphibians. He also spoke

of the importance of frogs as biological indicators for both water and land.

"Another cool thing about frogs is that they have been around for over 250 million years," said Dr. Lesbarreres. "That is something that we need to respect and we need to protect creatures that have been here for that long. There are more than 2,000 (frog) species that are in danger and more than 200

species have gone extinct since 1979."

Dr. Lesbarreres spoke of diseases which effect frogs around the world as well as the problems that can occur when frog species are introduced into foreign environments.

The 4th annual Batman's Biofest concluded with a trip to the south beach in search of interesting critters.

photo by Lorie Loiselle

the youth during his presentation.

"I had been out searching at 6 am, and minutes before Biofest started (at 9:30 am) I found a water snake and was able to catch it," said Mr. Loiselle. "The kids really loved it. They were so curious."

Mr. Loiselle explained how he had just returned from a year studying in Ecuador where he had the

and Dr. Shorthouse and Mr. Loiselle hopes to attend Laurentian University next year to study zoology.

Dr. Shorthouse gave his presentation this year on beetles. During his presentation he pointed out that both the largest and smallest insect are beetles.

"If you lined up all the animals in the world every fifth species would be a beetle and every 10th

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# Golden retrievers get second chance in loving Manitoulin homes

by Betty Bardswich  
 MANITOULIN—Oh my, the excitement! The great anticipation. The tears and laughter. Ten couples waited at Toronto's Pearson Airport Air Canada Cargo West building on June 1 for a very special delivery. People came from Collingwood, Bowmanville, Whitby and other parts of Ontario as well as Fall River, Nova Scotia to meet their canine fosterdogs who had come all the way from Turkey.

Overseeing the orderly welcome for the dogs and their handover to their new owners were volunteers from Golden Rescue, a Canadian not-for-profit organization that has been rescuing and rehoming golden retrievers for over 25 years.

Volunteer Vive Tann, chair of the Golden Rescue Board of Directors, had wel-



Ten couples showed up at the Air Canada Cargo West building on June 1, to welcome golden retrievers into their families. The dogs had travelled from Turkey where goldens can have a tough existence. This was the 9th Mission of Love of Operation Istanbul. Golden Rescue will continue to ensure that these beautiful animals can have a new life in Canada.

end up in the hospital for other reasons.

Ms. McDermid also emphasized that the work of the organization could not have been done without the donations made to the organization that allows Manitoulin Pet Rescue to save and rehome animals in need. Tax receipts will be issued for all financial donations. The group welcomes new members who can help with fundraising, transporting and fostering. The mailing address is Manitoulin Pet Rescue, PO Box 29, Mindemoya, ON POP 1S0.

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For dog intake and adoptions, contact Julie McDermid at 705-377-4800 or go to [juliemcdermid@amtele.com.net](mailto:juliemcdermid@amtele.com.net).



John Szewczyk and Betty Bardswich are pictured at the Air Canada Cargo West building June 1, as they welcomed Rusty, a golden retriever from Turkey, to their family. Pictured with John is Angel, a nine year old golden who hails from Ottawa and who was adopted recently through Manitoulin Pet Rescue.

comed the expectant owners saying, "A huge thank you to all of you who are here to adopt and open your homes and your hearts to these goldens." This was the ninth Mission of Love of the organization for Operation Istanbul, an initiative to rescue dogs from a country that does not support euthanization. Hundreds of dogs are spayed or neutered and receive their rabies shots and are left to survive on the streets, in the woods or in shelters.

Goldens are a docile bunch and do not fare the best on the streets of Istanbul as they are attacked by other dogs. A volunteer funded trip to that city to size up the situation of the goldens led to the Canadian organization extending their reach beyond this country. Many of these dogs from Turkey have found forever homes here and Golden Rescue will continue to transport the animals, stopping only when weather gets too hot, as Air Canada will not allow the transport of the goldens under those circumstances. A temperature of 29°C at either Istanbul or Toronto airports will mean the end of rescues for a while.

When the goldens arrive at Cargo West, they are released one by one from their travel crates and two volunteers spend a few minutes to reassure the dogs after their long flight and tie a bandana with their name on it on them. The animals are already wearing a necklace of Turkish charms, called Nazars, made by the shelter workers in Istanbul to insure safe travel. They are then passed on to their owners-to-be who are given

an envelope containing a health passport, which includes confirmation of the rabies vaccine, a Turkish commands and translation sheet, two home alone wallet cards, a vet information sheet and a copy of the organization's quarterly newsletter. The dogs are given water and a trip outside before posing for a group photo and heading off to their new homes.

Here on Manitoulin, goldens are also included with the rescues of any type of dog or cat by Manitoulin Pet Rescue. As one of the founding members of the organization told The Expositor, there have already been 55 rescues and adoptions by the organization since its inception in September of 2015. Julie McDermid also added that, "Our foster families are slowly increasing which allows us to help more animals in need. We are still experiencing a huge shortage of foster homes for cats and kittens. The communities on Manitoulin and the North Shore have shown us such tremendous support by sharing all our adoption posts with families and friends, by donating gently used pet supplies and food and by providing financial donations."

The Manitoulin Pet Rescue association has great plans for the year ahead with t-shirts and goodies for sale and other fundraising. Check out the awesome prizes that will be showcased at the Mindemoya Market along with wallet cards selling for \$3 which will tell others about your pets at home if you are in an accident or

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**Is Overeating Creating Problems in Your Life?** (OA) Overeaters Anonymous Can Help You. **Cancelled for the summer.** Beginning again Wednesday September 14, at 6pm Meeting Place: Little Current Public School in Library at 18 Draper Street Saturdays at 1 pm. Tfn

**New N.A. Meeting** beginning Monday, January 25, 2016 at 7 pm in the Manitoulin Community Withdrawal Management Service building, beside the Manitoulin Health Centre. For information call 705-368-0058. 42tfn

**Gateway To Life Church,** Sunday Morning Prayer and Praise, 9:45 am to 10:15 am; Sunday Worship and Children's Super Church, 10:30 am; Wednesday Bible Study, 10 am. Affiliated with the P.A.O.C. 22 Vankoughnet Street East, P.O. Box 681, Little Current, Ontario P0P 1K0. Pastor Philip Hovi 705-368-0245, email office@gate-waytolifechurch.com. 5tfn

**Have you a DRINKING PROBLEM?** Maybe Alcoholics Anonymous can help you. Meetings Wednesdays and Saturdays, 8 pm at St. Bernard's Church, Little Current. tfn

**The Expositor Office** can meet your various printing needs: wedding invitations, invoices, letterhead, business cards, rubber stamps, envelopes. Call 705-368-2744, ask for Dave.

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**Parkinson's Disease Support Group.** For those affected by the disease and their caregivers, meetings will be the third Thursday of every month (no meetings in July and August), 1:30 - 3:30 pm. **NEW LOCATION:** Mindemoya Public Library (at the Municipal office building), Mindemoya. Call Marilyn at 705-368-0756, Ext 238 if there are any questions. All welcome. tfn

**Deadline** for text ads, like this, as well as boxed ads is Friday at 4 pm.

**services**

**Are you concerned about someone's drinking?** Al-Anon has one purpose: Welcoming, giving hope and comfort to help family and friends of alcoholics. Changed attitudes can aid recovery. Stepping Stones Al-Anon Group: Thursdays at 7 pm in the library room at the Missionary Church, 51 Young Street, Mindemoya, 705-377-4892/705-377-5138. Espanola Al-Anon, Tuesdays at 7 pm, Anglican Church, 213 Tudhope Street, Espanola, 705-869-6595. tfn

**Passport photos** are taken Monday to Friday from 9 am to 4:30 pm at the Expositor Office. \$20.50 including tax. **No appointment necessary.** 705-368-2744. 6-10p

**1998 Massey Ferguson 231,** 34hp tractor. Has less than 1,000 hours. It is in excellent condition. Asking \$8,000 obo. For more information call 705-377-4957. 52-9p

**4x5 round bales of hay** at Union Road on Manitoulin, also cedar logs 8', 10', 12'. 15 McKechnie Road, Slash. Call 519-698-0143 for more information. 3-80a

**1990 37' Legend trailer** located on Lot 53, Manitoulin Resort, Manitowaning. Two bedrooms, one large double bed with four bunks. New shed, 8x10, three years old. New deck, 10x33, three years old. New metal roof on trailer and deck, three years old. Asking \$20,800 obo. Call 1-905-348-9042. 6-10p

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**5530 Heston round baler,** low hp pull, \$1,600. Located at 858 10th Sideroad, Tehkummah, 705-859-3774. 7p

**2007 Equinox LT** for sale. \$2,500 includes new brakes, new driveshaft and studded winter tires. Just under 300,000 km, highway miles. Selling as is. Call 705-368-1357 or text/call 705-991-2277. 7tfn



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Roasters, oven ready  
 Avg. wt. 3.9 lbs, **\$20.00 ea.**

**No Antibiotics, No Hormones**  
**All Natural**

**Black's Bay Farm**  
 Providence Bay (705)-377-4039  
[chicken@bbay-farm.ca](mailto:chicken@bbay-farm.ca)

**SILICA/QUARTZ STONE**  
**For Sale.**  
 Various sizes.  
 Loading Available.  
 Call  
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**One universal 4-wheeler,**  
 windshield with cabin. One  
 truck box unloader. 18' 3-  
 point hitch cultivator with  
 hydraulic wings and 718 New  
 Holland forage harvester with  
 hay head, and 2-row corn  
 head. One Dion left hand  
 unload storage box and  
 wagon. One I.H. crop chop-  
 per. One 2000 B Black Creek  
 wood processor with log  
 tables and engine guard. Call  
 705-282-2356.

**PRICE REDUCED--2002**  
 Honda Shadow 600cc motor-  
 bike. Only 13,800 km. Price is  
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**PURVIS FISHERIES**  
  
**LAKE HURON FISH**  
 Est. 1882  
**MANITOULIN ISLAND**

**Fresh & Smoked Fish**

**Every Friday**  
**Until Sept 2nd**  
**Gore Bay:**  
 • 9am - 12 noon at the  
 Farmer's Market

**Mindemoya:**  
 • 2 pm - 5 pm  
 Island Foodland  
 parking lot

**Legion Events**

**CANCELLED--Fish Dinner,**  
 Saturday, July 15, Little  
 Current Legion, 4 pm to 7 pm.  
 Adults, \$15; 10 years and  
 under, \$8; 5 years and under,  
 free. Menu: Whitefish, rain-  
 bow trout, french fries or  
 potato salad, coleslaw,  
 dessert, tea and coffee.  
 Come out and support the  
 Legion.

**marine**

**25' SeaRay Sundancer,**  
 1980, runs great. Sleeps four  
 comfortably. \$7,000 OBO.  
 Newish canvas, upgraded  
 deluxe trailer, low hours and  
 miles. Can be seen at Spider  
 Bay Marina. 705-368-6240.  
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**Wayfarer sail boat, 16'** with  
 sails, all rigging and trailer,  
 dolly, excellent condition,  
 \$2,500. 519-636-4143.  
 5-8c

**Dinghy, 2014, Walker Bay,**  
 10' with sail and inflatable  
 tubekits oar. Used to row,  
 sail, motor, or as a towable  
 dinghy. Less than half pur-  
 chase cost \$900. Kagawong,  
 705-282-8449.  
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**Mercury 8.9 outboard motor**  
 1988 for sale. \$450 nego-  
 tiable, 705-869-2549.  
 7c

**wanted**

**Donate your old car** or truck  
 or farm tractor, etc., or even  
 an old metal boat to our  
 church. We can send a truck  
 right to you to pick these up,  
 and in return you will receive  
 an income tax receipt for the  
 scrap value of your donation  
 to St. Bernard's Church, Little  
 Current. Please, no smaller  
 items such as fridges, stoves,  
 hot water tanks, etc. Contact  
 Tony Ferro at 705-368-3066  
 or Jim Griffin at 705-859-  
 2289.  
 17tfn

**wanted**

**Volunteers Needed--**The  
 Municipality of Central  
 Manitoulin is seeking volun-  
 teers to assist the  
 Beautification Committee  
 with general garden care of  
 our floral displays throughout  
 the municipality. Respon-  
 sibilities include  
 designing, purchasing, plant-  
 ing, mulching, watering and  
 weeding. Green thumbs and  
 students welcome. For more  
 information call 705-377-  
 5726.  
 6-7c

**Old postcards,** Canada or  
 USA, used or unused, the  
 older the better, often stored  
 in albums. Call 705-859-  
 2410.  
 7-8p

**yard sale**

**Huge Garage Sale** at the  
 Lyons Memorial United  
 Church Hall in Gore Bay, July  
 8 and 9, 9 am to noon.  
 5-7p

**Saturday, July 9, Yard Sale**  
 at Monkhouse Farm, 7525  
 Hwy 542, Lake Mindemoya, 8  
 am to ? Antique white frame  
 bed, air hockey table, bikes,  
 western books, and DVDs.  
 7c

**Yard Sale,** Manitoulin  
 Centennial Manor (in the  
 gazebo), 70 Robinson Street  
 West, Saturday, July 9, 8 am  
 to 12 pm.  
 7p

**Moving Out Yard Sale,** 19  
 Thorburn (north end), Gore  
 Bay, Saturday, July 9 from 9  
 am to 2 pm. Household,  
 wheelbarrow, some tools, etc.  
 No early birds please!  
 7oaa

**rentals**

**Furnished Studio**  
 Apartment. Great location,  
 close to downtown Little  
 Current and park. Quiet and  
 professional building.  
 Reduced rate for one-year  
 lease. 705-368-6240 for  
 viewing appointment.  
 2tfn

**Newly renovated** two-bed-  
 room apartment, 34 Draper  
 Street, Little Current, full-  
 sized family room, kitchen,  
 close to all amenities. Asking  
 \$850/month plus utilities. Call  
 Mike at 416-906-4138.  
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**For rent, shed 36x60.** Will  
 store boats, cars, etc. 15  
 McKechnie Road, Slash. Call  
 519-698-0143.  
 3-8c

**Furnished two-bedroom**  
 home for rent on the North  
 Channel in Little Current.  
 Ideal for retired couple, no  
 pets. \$790 per month plus  
 utilities. Available August.  
 Call 705-368-2186.  
 3tfn

**Cottage for rent.** Two-bed-  
 room plus pullout, on one  
 acre at Silver Water. Boat  
 ramp and swimming avail-  
 able at Silver Lake. \$750 per  
 week. Call 647-280-1307 or  
 email  
[willowbeachcottage@gmail.com](mailto:willowbeachcottage@gmail.com).  
 5-8c

**rentals**

**STORAGE UNITS AVAILABLE**  
**705-368-2652**  
**MANITOULIN SELF STORAGE**

**Large one-bedroom** apart-  
 ment close to shopping and  
 downtown Little Current. No  
 pets, non smoking, \$575 per  
 month plus utilities, first and  
 last, and references required,  
 705-377-5801.  
 7p

**coming events**

**"The Little Shoppe Around**  
 The Corner" at Knox United  
 Church, Manitowaning  
 Summer Hours: Thursdays,  
 Fridays and Saturdays from  
 10 am to 3 pm. Clothing to fit  
 all sizes and gift items. We  
 Believe In Jesus!  
 7tfn

**Knox United Church** is open  
 for private prayer and medita-  
 tion on Fridays and  
 Saturdays from 10 am to 3  
 pm, now until October 29. We  
 Believe In Jesus!  
 51-23p

**Farmers' Market Café** will  
 take place every Friday from  
 9 am to 12 noon at Red Roof  
 Pavilion on the waterfront in  
 Gore Bay. Join us for a sweet  
 treat and a beverage from  
 now to October 7. See you  
 there!  
 2-28p

**Tehkummah Outdoor**  
 Market, every Friday 9 am to  
 1 pm, July 8 to September 2  
 inclusive. Various vendors,  
 various products. Something  
 for everyone. See you there,  
 at the Tehkummah Seniors  
 Hall, downtown Tehkummah.  
 6-7p

**Bake Sale, and Book Sale,**  
 Saturday, July 16 at 9 am at  
 St. Francis Anglican Church,  
 Hwy 542 West, Mindemoya.  
 6-8p

**"WE LOVE THE ISLAND**  
 WEEK!!" Sponsored by  
 Manitoulin Community  
 Church, Tehkummah.  
 Wednesday, July 6 "FREE  
 CAR WASH", 10 am to 2 pm,  
 Tehkummah Fire Hall.  
 Thursday, July 7, "Family  
 Community Baseball", 6 pm  
 to 8 pm, Tehkummah Ball  
 Diamonds. Thursday, July 7,  
 8 pm to Friday, July 8, 9 am,  
 "Teen All-nighter", Grades 8-  
 12, Manitoulin Community  
 Church. Saturday, July 9, 10  
 am to 11:30 am,  
 "Princess/Prince Tea", come  
 dressed as Royalty, adult  
 accompany child. PLEASE  
 CALL to register your child,  
 Manitoulin Community  
 Church. Sunday, July 10.  
 "One Year Anniversary  
 Celebration" for Manitoulin  
 Community Church, 10:30  
 am, free barbecue and picnic  
 games following service. For  
 info on any of the events,  
 please call 705-859-3384.  
 6-7p

**coming events**

**Cookie Walk and Bake Sale**  
 (cookies, baking, books), 1  
 pm to 2:30 pm, Mindemoya  
 United Church, Wednesday,  
 July 13.  
 7p

**The Lake Manitou Area**  
 Association Annual General  
 Meeting (AGM) will be held  
 on Saturday, July 9, 2016 at  
 10 am at the Sandfield  
 Schoolhouse. Members are  
 encouraged to attend.  
 7c

**Elizabeth Bay United**  
 Church Trunk and Bake Sale,  
 Indian Point Bridge Park on  
 Saturday, July 16, 9 am to  
 noon. To reserve a spot for  
 \$10, please call Joyce at 705-  
 282-2430.  
 7-8p

**Dessert Night and Auction**  
 at St. Paul's Anglican Church  
 in Manitowaning on  
 Wednesday, July 13 at 6 pm.  
 Admission \$7, all welcome.  
 7-8p

**Grace Bible Church** pre-  
 sents COW-a-bunga Farm  
 "Growin' with Our Faithful  
 God", July 18 to July 21, 6:30  
 pm to 8 pm for Grades JK to  
 Grade 4. Join us for lots of  
 great stories, prizes, songs,  
 crafts and games.  
 Registration starts at 6 pm on  
 Monday, July 18 or you can  
 preregister by calling Grace  
 Bible Church at 705-368-  
 3208. Also, check us out on  
 our Facebook page!  
 7-8p

**Spaghetti Dinner**  
 Fundraiser. Fundraiser for  
 local animal rescue groups,  
 Saturday, July 16, 5 pm to 7  
 pm at the Mindemoya  
 Community Hall. \$10 per per-  
 son; kids under 5, free.  
 Tickets available at the door,  
 homemade pies for sale at  
 the door.  
 7-8oaa

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# Auction Sale

Lavern Middlebrook

90 "B" lot 12 Burke St., Lonely Bay Subdivision  
Spring Bay, South at intersection (church) to lake 4km  
**Saturday - July 16, 11am**

Antiques, items never seen on Manitoulin, equipment etc.

19ft. Jet boat (GM) with trailer, black powder pistol 1870 flint lock, 1871 Queen Victoria black powder rifle, (7) 1800's black powder rifles (flint lock), antique French parlour stove, antique wash board, antique wringer washer, snow shoes, antique gas lanterns, antique French parlour cook stove, new 16ft. metal chain gate, concrete cement mixer, 5 electric portable heaters, portable propane heater, 5 insulated tarps (12ft by 24ft), 8" stainless steel pipe, 2in centrifugal pump, hand pumps, gas pump, wacker plate compactor, million gas construction heater, pipe truck rack, 125 cfm ingersol compressor, antique phone, old horse harness, whipple trees, neck yokes, heavy duty 4 wheel wagon, medical periscope, antique surveyor transit, antique gold scales with brass wts, glass tracing board, windows, oak French door, antique organ, antique player piano, treadle Singer sewing machine, (2) refrigerators, freezer, blasting charger, antique transformer, 23 ft. pontoon steel deck platform, steel pipe truck rack, miners' lights, Swiss wine vial, black powder flask, "Sheds of Gems"...lots & lots!

**Auctioneer: Norm Morrell Clerk: Carol Gilmore**  
Owner/Auctioneer not responsible for accidents and or / losses day of sale

**MORRELL AUCTIONS**  
**705-282-2430**

Terms: Cash, approved cheques HST  
Food and refreshments available on site  
Email: morrellnj@explornet.com

# Auction Sale

Laura Martin

6009 King St., Mindemoya  
Hwy 542, Next to Manitoulin Chrysler  
**Tuesday Night - July 12, 6pm**  
Rain Date: Wednesday July 13, 6pm

Culligan water purifier, Microwave, Wooden table (patterned chairs) excellent, Yamaha electronic organ with bench, Platform rocker, Stool rocker, Beige couch, Coffee tables, Flowers, End tables, Toshiba TV with stand, Dining table with 6 chairs (excellent), Chest of drawers, Swivel chair, Dishes, Magazine stand, Exercise machine(s), Quilt rack, Picnic table, Glass ware, Steam shark, Crock, Wall cabinet, Shovels, Rakes, Hoes, Lawn chairs, Wheel barrow, Bird cage, ladders, Cub Cadet riding mower with bagger, Plus much more!! Nice clean items!!

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# Mindemoya Market

**Saturdays**  
**9 am - 12:30 pm**  
at the Arena  
on King St.

• Local produce • Baking  
• Café • Crafts • Events  
For info: 705-377-4045



**Gordon's Park**  
18777 Hwy 6  
(705) 859-2470  
rita@gordonspark.com  
gordonspark.com  
Limited space, please register

**ASTRONOMY THURSDAYS**  
@ 9pm

**NIGHT HIKE**  
July 8, 15, 22 & 29

**MOONLIGHT HIKE & WOLF HOWL**  
July 9, 16, 23 & 31

**MANITOULIN STAR PARTY**  
Aug 5-8

**PERSEIDS METEOR PARTY**  
Aug 12-15

# Manitoulin Flee Market

Open 7 Days a week  
10am - 4pm

9685 Hwy #6  
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**Southeast Manitoulin Lions Club 34th Annual**

**SUMMERFEST 2016**  
**July 15, 16 & 17**

## FRIDAY

Slow Pitch • Beer Gardens • Darts  
Hockey Tournament • BBQ  
Music by the Crooked Hookers

## SATURDAY

Slow Pitch • Pancake Breakfast • Parade  
Bed Races • Kids Games • Bouncy Castle  
Waterslide • Euchre • Darts • Washer Toss  
Bike Races • BBQ • Food • Beer Gardens  
Horse Pull • Vendors

## SATURDAY NIGHT DANCE

Kicks 91.7 FM Video Dance  
9:00 PM • \$15.00 • Age of majority

## SUNDAY

Smash Up Derby • Vendors  
BBQ • Beer Gardens  
More Info Call Dorothy Chapman  
**705-859-3503**

• Gigantic • Humongous • Totally Insane •

# Robbie's Garage Sale

July 7, 8, 9, 10  
Starting at 8:00 am to ?

At the old Gore Bay Fire Hall  
Downtown Gore Bay • Watch for signs

Antique Furniture, China, Glass,  
Household, Camping Items, Tools, Oil and  
Watercolour Paintings, Jewellery, Comics,  
Collectibles, and oodles more!



**GREAT BARGAINS**

• We buy scrap gold & silver

Sale rain or shine



UPCOMING SESSIONS:

**Kids: July 13, 9-12**

Plant and  
Animal Life:

Kagawong River

**Adults: July 14, 1-4**

Watershed:

Photo-documentation



# NEMI FARMERS' MARKET

Now open every  
Saturday morning  
9 am - noon

by the Bank of Montreal on  
Water Street in Little Current.

Baking, Crafts, Jams  
& Jelly, Fresh Bread,  
Pies, Produce as  
available & so  
much more!

Come down and see  
the friendly people and  
all the various products  
we have to offer!

For info, call Ken at  
705-368-2468

Passport photos are taken  
Monday to Friday from 9 am  
to 4:30 pm at the Expositor  
Office. \$20.50 including tax.  
**No appointment necessary.**  
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The Expositor Office can  
meet your various printing  
needs: wedding invitations,  
invoices, letterhead, business  
cards, rubber stamps,  
envelopes. Call 705-368-  
2744, ask for Dave.

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## OPEN HOUSE

Assiginack Public Library  
& Municipal Office

Friday, July 8, 2016  
11 AM - 3 PM

Ribbon and cake cutting at the  
Library at noon.  
Come by for cake and lemonade!

Follow the fish and bookworms on the  
sidewalk to navigate from one location to  
the other, made by local youth!

Check out the new amphitheater while  
you are in town.

Kicking Mule Ranch is having a

# JAMBOREE!

Friday, July 8th . 7PM - 9PM

\$8 per person (half price for kids)

- Horse drawn buggy rides available
- Homemade ice cream
- Food and drinks available for purchase
- Bring your own lawn chairs

Featuring Hal Love, Darrell Dewar  
& Murray Sagle

Fundraiser for Fort McMurray Fire Relief  
101 Gauthier Road, Tebkummah  
(off Hwy 6, just north of the Hwy 542 intersection)

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- Trail Rides • Pony Rides • Petting Zoo (riding lessons too)

**PHONE 705-859-1234**

[williekmr@gmail.com](mailto:williekmr@gmail.com)

[www.manitoulin-island/kmr.com](http://www.manitoulin-island/kmr.com)



# SOAP BOX DERBY

July 23 at 10:00 AM

Cash Prizes  
\$5 Entry fee

Rules, regulations & registration are available  
at the Gore Bay town office  
or on the website: [www.gorebay.ca](http://www.gorebay.ca)

No pallet jacks or grocery carts  
**Beer Tent on Friday from 7:00 PM - 11:00 PM**



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# SPAGHETTI DINNER



**Fundraiser**  
**for local animal rescue groups**

**Saturday July 16<sup>th</sup>    5:00 – 7:00pm**

**Mindemoya Community Hall**  
**\$10.00 per person, Kids under 5 Free**  
**Tickets available at door**  
**Homemade pies for sale at door**

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**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Superior Customer Service with good listening skills
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- Excellent communication skills
- Must be able to multi-task and be extremely flexible
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**Qualifications:**

- Good Customer Service and Data Entry skills
- Knowledge of service area, geography and time zones an asset
- Efficient and Organized
- Ability to multi-task an asset
- Ability to work well in a Team Environment

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## Help Centre Assistant Internship Mindemoya – Manitoulin Island, ON

**LOCATION**  
Mindemoya, Manitoulin Island, Ontario

**MFR MISSION**  
To enhance the quality of life of individuals and families by providing resources, advocacy, support, and education through the agency's three program areas of Children's Services, Violence Against Women Prevention, and Emergency Food Assistance.

**POSITION SUMMARY**  
The Help Centre Assistant Intern will work under the direction of the Help Centre Program Coordinator, and collaboratively with volunteers, staff, and community partners, in achieving program sustainability and improving system delivery through the Food Bank and Thrift Store.

**OVERVIEW OF KEY RESPONSIBILITIES**  
Assist MFR Help Centre Program Coordinator in operations including:

- Implementation of best practices, programming and policies,
- Volunteer coordination and support,
- Statistical data records management,
- Client intake and maintenance of confidential information
- Research funding opportunities and assist with preparation and writing of proposals/ reports to potential funders,
- Research and develop framework to resolve service gaps with local community partners
- Support with annual Christmas campaign.

\* Heavy lifting and physical labour is required\*

**QUALIFICATIONS**

- College diploma or university degree in social work, indigenous studies, public health, nutrition, or degree/diploma combined with experience in social services or related field
- Must have graduated from their relevant program within the last 3 years.
- Must meet the requirement that this position provides them with first time employment in their field of study; those who have participated in a previous internship program are ineligible. Candidates must be legally entitled to work in Canada.

**ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

- Collaborative capabilities;
- Superior communication, inter-personal and organizational skills;
- Strong partnership-building skills;
- Highly motivated, efficient, creative, attentive to detail, and flexible;
- Computer and software proficiency.

**REMUNERATION**  
The successful applicant will be paid an hourly rate for a one year contract. Hiring is dependent upon approval and funding through the NOHFC.

**SUBMISSION DETAILS**  
**Deadline for application: Friday, July 8, 2016 at 12 noon**  
Please send resume and cover letter by email, fax, or mail to:  
Denise Leblanc  
Email: [dleblanc@mresources.net](mailto:dleblanc@mresources.net) • Fax: 705 377-4863  
Mail: Manitoulin Family Resources  
PO Box 181  
Mindemoya, Ontario P0P 1S0

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 The Manitoulin Health Centre requires a

**FOOD SERVICES AIDE**  
to work on a casual basis at its Little Current hospital site.

Qualifications/preferences include:

- Food Handling Certificate
- Experience in a food services environment
- Availability on short notice

**Please apply by July 11th to:**  
Human Resources Department  
Manitoulin Health Centre  
PO Box 640, Little Current ON POP 1K0  
Email: khannaway@mhc.on.ca

Thank you to all who apply; only those to be interviewed will be contacted.

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- Grader experience would be an asset
- Backhoe experience would be an asset

Hours of work: 40 hours/week fulltime

References, drivers abstract and criminal reference check must be attached to letter of application.

Interested persons should apply before **FRIDAY, JULY 8, 2016 AT 4 PM** to:  
Tehkummah Municipal Office  
456 Hwy. 542A  
Tehkummah, Ontario  
POP 2C0

**HELP WANTED**  
*Office Assistant*

**Responsibilities**

- Provide general clerical support
- Accounts Receivable
- Answer calls from customers regarding their inquiries
- Prepare and modify documents including correspondence, reports, and emails
- Maintain office supplies for department


**Qualifications:**

- 2+ years of hands on clerical support experience
- Proficiency in MS Word, MS Excel and MS Outlook a must
- Knowledge of operating standard office equipment
- Knowledge of accounting principles and practices
- Strong communication skills – written and verbal
- Ability to adapt to business specific software
- Ability to work in a team environment or independently

Submit cover letter & resume to:  
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c/o Manitoulin Expositor  
P.O. Box 369  
Little Current, ON  
POP 1K0

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Job Opportunity

**Youth Job Connect Program Coordinator**  
Waubetek Business Development Corporation

**Contract Position until March 31, 2017** with possibility of extension

Through the Youth Job Connect Program funded by the Ministry of Training, Colleges, and Universities, the Waubetek Business Development Corporation is seeking an individual with excellent interpersonal skills, computer literacy and organizational skills to oversee the Youth Job Connect Program to assist Aboriginal youth with job readiness and supports.

This position requires an experienced individual who meets the following requirements:

- Must have earned a post-secondary degree/diploma preferably in the field of social services, education, or youth worker;
- Must have solid computer technical skills and a sound working knowledge of the Microsoft Suite of Office Applications, Windows, etc.;
- Must have proven organizational skills;
- Must have excellent attention to detail and numeracy skills
- Possess a good working knowledge of First Nations youth, employment, and social service programs and services throughout North-East Ontario;
- Must have the ability and the means to travel throughout Manitoulin Island as required; and
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Salary to commensurate with qualifications and experience.  
Please submit a resume with 3 letters of reference, marked "confidential" no later than **NOON, Friday, July 15, 2016** to the attention of:

General Manager  
Waubetek Business Development Corporation  
General Delivery  
Birch Island, Ontario POP 1A0  
Fax (705)285-4584  
[dmadahbee@waubetek.com](mailto:dmadahbee@waubetek.com)

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**SALE OF LAND FOR TAX ARREARS BY PUBLIC TENDER**

*MUNICIPAL ACT, 2001*  
SALE OF LAND BY PUBLIC TENDER  
*THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF NORTHEASTERN MANITOULIN AND THE ISLANDS*

TAKE NOTICE that tenders are invited for the purchase of the land(s) described below and will be received until 3:00 p.m. local time on 3 August, 2016 at the Municipal Office, 14 Water Street East or by mail at PO Box 608, Little Current, Ontario POP 1K0

**Description of Lands:**  
Roll #040-001-10700-0000  
PT LT 16 CON 3 HOWLAND AS IN T23360; S/T & T/W T23360; NE MANITOULIN & ISLANDS, DISTRICT OF MANITOULIN PIN47124-0079 LT  
*Minimum Tender Amount: \$3,049.20*

**Description of Lands:**  
Roll #040-001-10000-0000  
PT LT 16 CON 3 HOWLAND AS IN T21062; S/T & T/W T21062; NE MANITOULIN & ISLANDS, DISTRICT OF MANITOULIN PIN47124-0090 LT  
*Minimum Tender Amount \$2,977.19*

**Description of Lands:**  
Roll #020-001-18500-0000  
PT LT 16 S/S CAMPBELL ST. 16 N/S MEREDITH ST PL SHAFTESBURY AS IN RM51112; NE MANITOULIN & ISLANDS, DISTRICT OF MANITOULIN PIN47122-0724 LT  
*Minimum Tender Amount \$28,423.22*

**Description of Lands:**  
Roll #010-001-12600-0000  
PCL 398 SEC MANITOULIN; ISLAND TP959 SITUATE IN MCGREGOR BAY OF LAKE HURON DISTRICT OF MANITOULIN PIN47136-0068 LT  
*Minimum Tender Amount \$17,165.93*

Tenders must be submitted in the prescribed form and must be accompanied by a deposit in the form of a money order or of a bank draft or cheque certified by a bank or trust corporation payable to the municipality and representing at least 20 per cent of the tender amount.

Except as follows, the municipality makes no representation regarding the title to or any other matters relating to the land to be sold. Responsibility for ascertaining these matters rests with the potential purchasers.

This sale is governed by the Municipal Act, 2001 and the Municipal Tax Sales Rules made under that Act. The successful purchaser will be required to pay the amount tendered plus accumulated taxes and the relevant land transfer tax, and any other applicable taxes.

The municipality has no obligation to provide vacant possession to the successful purchaser.

For further information regarding this sale and a copy of the prescribed form of tender contact:  
Mrs. Sheryl Wilkin, Treasurer  
The Corporation of the Town of Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands  
14 Water St. E.  
P.O. Box 608  
Little Current, ON POP 1K0



# ...Edwards Studios & Art Gallery in Kagawong celebrate 20 years

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 Society had installed new windows and the transformation it created showed its potential.”

The duo had been involved in many galleries and were well aware of how much time and effort such an undertaking would entail. While on vacation in Mexico, the decision was made to not take on the endeavour. However, when they returned everyone asked when the gallery opening would take place. That was March. The gallery opened in June with a little help from their friends.

“A lot of people helped get it ready,” he stated. “There was incredible support. It could not have been possible without you.”

“I am really impressed with the turnout; this is awesome,” Mr. Edwards continued. “Jim’s music adds so much. Both he and (wife) Joanne were here 20 years ago when we first began. This has been a wonderful experience; we have enjoyed it so much.”

Mayor Aus Hunt was in attendance and said, “we are very fortunate to have you here (in Kagawong).”

In 1976 Manitoulin Secondary School (MSS) art teacher Jacquie Gordon met Mr. Edwards at an art show in southern Ontario. Ms. Gordon invited her new friend to lead a silk screening demonstration for her high school students. This was the first taste of Manitoulin Island for Mr. Edwards. In 1983 the couple built their home studio in Kagawong and became permanent residents 10 years later.

After moving to Kagawong, the couple worked from their home studios until transforming the upper story of the historic Old Mill into a working studio and art gallery.

Mr. Edwards has conducted workshops in many locations over the years, predominantly plein air (French for ‘the open air’) classes in watercolour, acrylic and oils. He has been the instructor of the La Cloche Art School for the past 26 years. Edwards Studios has led countless workshops and demos since opening in 1996: everything from fashion shows, jewellery making, paper making and painting.

For the 2016 season they will be holding fused glass workshops led by Ms. Edwards. The technique uses pieces of coloured glass and transforms them using a layering method which is then kiln fired to create plates, wall hangings, ornaments and other beautiful pieces of art. There will also be demonstrations and workshops in pottery, spinning, weaving and lamp work bead making.

The art gallery which is flooded with natural light and charm, showcases paintings, weaving, pottery and other items. The gallery opened its doors to the public for the season during the Victoria Day long weekend and runs until the Thanksgiving weekend.

While neither of them come from artistic background Mr. Edwards “can’t remember when I didn’t draw or paint.” When he was in school, people told him all the time that he would be an artist. He did not believe them. “Barb is always drawing,” commented Mr. Edwards.

Mr. Edwards feels that it is amazing that for a village the size of Kagawong it boasts both a museum and an art gallery. When he and his wife were first settling into the gallery space 20 years ago, their friends



Celebrating 20 years with their grown children who are also artists. From left, Richard, Barbara, Kendra and Morgan Edwards.

from the city thought they were crazy. They were impressed, however, with the building and the area, but there were no people.

When first exploring the Island as a potential permanent home, they visited other communities, “but we always came back to Kagawong,” shared Ms. Edwards. The couple had a Top 10 list of must haves for where they would make their Island home and luckily Kagawong had all 10. Some of these included year round road access, a school for their then young children, a library (as they both love to read), a beach for swimming and a post office.

The view of the Channel through the building’s north facing windows provides “perfect light for painting,” shared Mr. Edwards. “You can look out the same window each day and the water is never the same,” he noted. Mr. Edwards’ love of nature and water is evident in his creations and many of them are of bodies of water. He enjoys the four seasons as they offer a variety of appealing and inspirational subjects for painting.

A new addition to the gallery’s collection, ‘Moonlight,’ depicts Kagawong’s must see Bridal Veil Falls; the moon shines above

give back to the community in their already busy lives. Ms. Edwards sits on the Library and Museum Boards and Mr. Edwards was on Billings Economic Development committee for many years. Ms. Edwards said she feels Kagawong has a strong sense of community and Mr. Edwards finds people are “fairly progressive; not afraid to try something new.”

The support of the full-time residents in the village is the basis of the gallery, stated Mr. Edwards. Many have become their friends, bringing visiting family and friends to the gallery.

Approximately 15 artists from Northern Ontario showcase their work at the gallery including pottery, wood workers and textiles.

Edwards Studios is a working studio, “so there is always glass work, painting, weaving and framing underway as well as custom framing,” shared Mr. Edwards.

The couple is hosting an art show in September at Artists in Elgin featuring Mr. Edwards original serigraphs and Ms. Edwards’ fused glass.

Mr. Edwards has been involved with the La Cloche Art Show for numerous years and this year his painting ‘Clear Water’ was awarded first place in Watercolour.

Their son Morgan is a graduate of Ontario College of Art and Design and daughter Kendra is a graduate of the University of Ottawa. Morgan’s paintings can be viewed at the gallery and Kendra’s graphic designs are at the Outpost General Store in Little Current and Mudge Bay Mercantile in Kagawong.

The gallery is open daily to the public from 11 am to 4 pm with the exception of Mondays. For more information visit them online at [www.edwardsartstudios.com](http://www.edwardsartstudios.com).

photos by Sharon Jackson

offering an almost haunting glow in the night sky reflected on the water.

Mr. Edwards is getting ready for LaCloche Art School, which runs from July 11-15. During the second week of classes while Mr. Edwards is away, Ms. Edwards will welcome visitors during the Manitoulin Art Tour, which runs from July 15 to 17. The couple has been a part of the tour since 1996.

There is always time to

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## ...Andy’s

...continued from page 10 and Ms. Manitowabi were effusive in their praise of their employees. “Without you Andy’s wouldn’t be what it is today,” said Ms. Manitowabi.

Greetings were brought to the celebrations by a number of business partners of Andy’s, including Bill Morrison, president of ACE Hardware, Mike Tasse of RBC and Ryan McLean, of Lumsden Brothers/Independent Food Towns (Sobeys).

Shannon Manitowabi, general manager of Andy’s, then recognized long service employees of the company.

To help the community celebrate the important landmark, Andy’s held a number of amazing one hour sales throughout the day and anyone who spent \$25 got a balloon containing an additional discount. For an hour at 1 pm it was 50 percent off snowblowers, at 2 pm the 50 percent applied to lawnmowers, tillers, bikes and lawn tractors and at 3 pm it was lawn chairs, gazebos and lawn furniture.

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### MARINE MECHANIC


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**Required experience:**  
**Marine Mechanic - 3 years**  
**Please send a copy of your e-resume to:**  
**[krose@harborvue.ca](mailto:krose@harborvue.ca)**



### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING CONCERNING A PROPOSED SITE SPECIFIC ZONING BY-LAW AMENDMENT

5 WORTHINGTON STREET  
 SHAFTESBURY TOWN PLOT 2, PT LOT 21  
 SS ROBINSON STREET, BEING 31R-1696 PART 1  
 TOWN OF NORTHEASTERN MANITOULIN AND THE ISLANDS

TAKE NOTICE that the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands will hold a public meeting on **July 19, 2016**, at 7:00 p.m. at the Municipal Office, 14 Water Street East, Little Current. The purpose of this public meeting is to consider a proposed Site Specific Zoning By-law Amendment under Section 34 of the Planning Act for the property located on Shaftesbury Town Plot 2, Pt Lot 21, SS Robinson Street, Being 31R-1696 Part 1 (5 Worthington Street), Town of Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands.

The effect of the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment is to permit by Special Provision, Section 8, a ground floor residential unit as an accessory to a commercial unit in a Core Commercial zone

ANY PERSON may attend the public meeting and/or make written or verbal representation either in support of, or in opposition to, the proposed By-law Amendment.


If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting or make written submissions to the Town of Northeastern Manitoulin & the Islands before the proposed By-law Amendment is passed, the person or public body is not entitled to appeal the decision of the Council of the Town of Northeastern Manitoulin & the Islands to the Ontario Municipal Board.

If a person or public body does not make oral submissions at a public meeting, or make written submissions to the Town of Northeastern Manitoulin & the Islands before the proposed By-law Amendment is passed, the person or public body may not be added as a party to the hearing of an appeal before the Ontario Municipal Board unless, in the opinion of the Board, there are reasonable grounds to do so.

An explanation of the purpose and effect of the proposed By-law Amendment, describing the affected property, a Key Map showing the location of the affected property to which the proposed By-law Amendment applies, and a copy of the complete proposed By-law Amendment is available for inspection during regular office hours at the Municipal Office, 14 Water Street East, Little Current.

DATED at the Town of Northeastern Manitoulin & the Islands on 2016-06-23

Ms. Pam Cress, Clerk  
 Town of Northeastern Manitoulin & the Islands  
 14 Water Street East; P.O. Box 608  
 Little Current, ON POP 1K0  
 Ph. (705) 368-3500





# ...Northeast Town Council Notes

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"In previous years I have seen the endangered Blandings turtle on that road near the little wetland area," wrote Ms. Bell in her letter to council. "The annual road mortality is contributing greatly to the decline of reptile and amphibian species throughout Ontario including Manitoulin."

Council carried a motion to authorize the placement of a frog/turtle/snake sign at the intersection of Limekiln and Townline Roads.

### Vankoughnet Street

The Pastoral Council of the Gateway to Life Church requested council that "appropriate signage be installed on the existing street signs to identify and direct worshippers to our church," said the letter to council from Pastor Philip Hovi. "We request that signs be installed in two locations at the corners of Vankoughnet and Highway 6 and Vankoughnet and Highway 540. If there is any charge for this service, please advise us

of the particulars." In a recorded vote, councillor Michael Erskine, Marcel Gauthier, Bill Koehler, Dawn Orr, Paul Skippen, Bruce Woods and Mayor MacNevin voted in favour of the motion while councillors Laurie Cook and Melissa Peters voted against it. Council carried a motion authorizing the placement of the two signs.

### Speed limit reduction

Council received a letter from Bruce Hatton of Tamarack Lane in Little Current requesting that the speed limit be reduced from 60 km/h to 40 km/hr due to the use of the road by young children, seniors and cyclists.

In a recorded vote, councillor Michael Erskine, Marcel Gauthier, Bill Koehler, Dawn Orr and Mayor Al MacNevin voted in favour of the request, while councillors Laurie Cook, Melissa Peters, Paul Skippen and Bruce Woods voted against it.

The motion was carried, reducing the speed limit on Tamarack Lane as requested.

### Mobile snack cart

Council approved a request for Kohyn and Saraya Eshkawkogan and Kyleigh Biedermann to operate a mobile lemonade/snack cart on municipal property with proof of liability insurance in the amount of two million dollars.

The small mobile cart would sell freezies, candy bags and lemonade.

### Autism therapy

Council carried a motion "supporting the town of Shelburne's motion to have the government amend its policy on Autism Spectrum Disorder to allow all children on the current waiting list to receive the IBI services promised to them, to remove the age limit from

IBI therapy, to ensure oversight by professionals and parents based on the development progress criteria and milestones and to adopt a direct funding offering model in lieu of the current direct services offering mode.

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## † in memoriam

**GIBBONS**--In loving memory of Shawn who left us too soon on July 10, 2014. Sometimes I sit quietly reflecting for a while, Imagining your voice, your face, your warm and loving smile. For it's so lovely to recall the happy times we had, When you played such a loving role as both husband and dad. With all my heart I only wish you knew, That I'd give the world for one more hour with you. I still have my memories and since we've been apart, It comforts me so much to know you're right here in my heart. Forever loved and missed by Amanda, Michael and Zachary 7c

**LOVE-METCALFE**--In fond memory of our dear sister Wilma who passed away July 4, 2011. Those we love don't go away; They walk beside us every day. Unseen, unheard, but always near, So loved, so missed, so very dear. Missing you always, sister Marilyn, brothers Charlie, Hal, Ed, Mark, and all our families. 7c

## thank you

**May I take this opportunity** to thank the "Mellow Movers" exercise class in Little Current for their kindness in taking me out for lunch recently. It was such fun and I have always enjoyed our class so very much. Thank you all sincerely. 7p

**I would like to thank** everyone for their care and concern while I was in the hospital and since I have come home. To all who visited and sent cards, food and well wishes, thank you so much. Everyone has shown so much kindness and support. Please know that it is very much appreciated. Borden Noble 7oa

## † in memoriam

**LAIDLEY**--In loving memory of Albert James Laidley, October 24, 1938 to July 9, 2013. A special smile, a special face. In our hearts, a special place, Memories are a gift to treasure, Ours of you will last for ever. Your love remains with us always. Marlene, Kevin, Connie, Chris and families 7p

**CHATWELL**--In loving memory of my dear wife, our cherished mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, Fay Chatwell, who went to heaven June 28, 2015. A year has passed and we still think of you every day. And miss you more than words can say. Even though you are no longer with us you are always near. Loved forever, deeply missed and always dear. 7c

# Death Notices

## ROY FREDERICK JAMES ST. JACQUES NOVEMBER 29, 1943 – JUNE 11, 2016

Roy Frederick James St. Jacques passed peacefully at Science North Hospital on June 11, 2016. Beloved son of Tessie Hill and Vincent St. Jacques (deceased). Dear brother of Betty, Willard (Sandra deceased), Wayne (Bonnie deceased), Perry (Linda), Blake (Noreen), Sherry (Ab), Brad (Debra), Viola (André), Leo (Tana), Mark (Anna) and Merle (Eddy). Uncle to many nieces and nephews. Will also be sadly missed by Lisa Soullier, where Roy lived for many years. Roy had a passion for bowling 5 and 10 pin where he won several awards and trophies. Roy belonged to the St. James Church. He was a hard worker, loved people, and had a very kind heart. We will never forget you.

## JEAN ALEXANDRA (MCDERMID) HALE

Jean Alexandra (McDermid) Hale passed peacefully at Dufferin Oaks on Sunday, January 31, 2016 at the age of 94. Beloved wife of Jack Hale (2004), mother of Fern and her husband Wally Pugh. Cherished grandmother of Kate Macdonald and her husband Craig, and Trevor Pugh and his wife Amy. Special great-grandmother of Abigail, Amelia, Caelan and Claire. Predeceased by her brother Ken McDermid. Remembered by her sister-in-law Maria McDermid, nephews David (Bev), Gord (Marilyn), Robert (Brenda) and other relatives and friends. Interment to be held at the Providence Bay Cemetery at 1:30 pm on July 12, 2016. Time to Remember: The family of Jean Alexandra (McDermid) Hale wishes to invite her relatives and friends to a time of remembering Jean. We will greet family and friends on Tuesday, July 12, 2016 at 2:30 pm at the Providence Bay Community Hall, Providence Bay. Refreshments will be served.

## PENNY CHMIELAK

Penny Chmielak passed away suddenly on Wednesday, June 29, 2016 in her 57th year. Survived by her daughter Kendale Wheaton of Sudbury, granddaughter Kaylee-Anne Wheaton, brothers Neil (Diane) Chmielak, Doug Chmielak, Don (Diana) Chmielak, nieces Stephanie Chmielak-Gray, Erin (Marc) Lariviere, Dana Chmielak, nephews Ryan (Tara) and Adam Chmielak, as well as her special friend Al Fitzpatrick. Predeceased by her parents Joseph and Lois (Smith) Chmielak. A memorial service will be held at the Simpson Funeral Home, Gore Bay, on Thursday, July 7, 2016 at 11 am. Interment at Mindemoya Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to Pet Save or Charity of Choice as expressions of sympathy. Online condolences may be made through [www.simpsonfuneralhome.ca](http://www.simpsonfuneralhome.ca).

## CHARLES RAYMOND GERARD SHAWANDA



In loving memory of Charles Raymond Gerard Shawanda, 51 years, who passed away at his residence Sunday, June 26, 2016. Beloved partner of Paula Corbiere. Cherished father of Jarrod (Adrianna), Zachariah (Selena), Sara, and Jacob. Treasured grandfather of Jeremiah. Dear son of Henry and Marguerite Shawanda (both predeceased). Special brother of Steve, Mark (Debbie), Margaret (predeceased), Bruce, Robert, David (Robina predeceased), Jacinta (Bill) and Trevor (predeceased). Loving godfather of Cheryl Shawanda. Charles will be sadly missed by Sheri Nahwegahbow (mother of Jarrod, Zachariah and Sara) and by many nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, and feline companion, Jingle. Charles was a very caring, loving father and grandfather. He was involved in sports as a hockey player and was a successful coach, leading his daughter's team to win the Little NHL Midget Championship in 2014. He also spent many years cheering on his children, nephews and nieces as a fan. Some of his many other interests included playing golf, chess and poker. Charles found spiritual fulfillment attending the Anishinabe Spiritual Centre, participating in the Ministries weekends and Ignatian exercises. He always made time to visit friends, family, and those needing comfort while sharing his humour and love of life. Charles was a strong advocate of education, inspiring youth to strive for excellence. He strove daily to live by the Seven Grandfather Teachings as well as his beliefs in the Catholic Church. "Seek health in all areas of your life, and you will find happiness." Rested at Whitefish River First Nation Complex, Birch Island. (Friends called after 3 pm, Thursday, June 30, 2016.) Funeral Mass was in Church of St. Gabriel Lalemant, Birch Island, Saturday, July 2, 2016 at 11 am. Arrangements entrusted to the Lougheed Funeral Home, Sudbury.

Memorial donations are gratefully appreciated and can be made at the admitting office to the auxiliaries of the Manitoulin Health Centre and the Renovation Fund in both Mindemoya and Little Current and the Gore Bay Manitoulin Lodge Auxiliary Incorporated, 3 Main Street, Gore Bay, Ontario, P0P 1H0 and the Manitoulin Centennial Manor Auxiliary, Postal Bag 460, 10 Robinson Street, Little Current, Ontario, P0P 1K0. Donations can also be made to the Manitoulin District Cenotaph Fund, Box 656, Little Current, Ontario P0P 1K0 or Pet Save Manitoulin, Box 393, Gore Bay, Ontario P0P 1H0.

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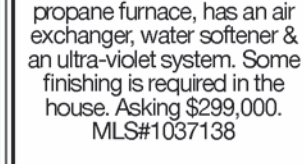


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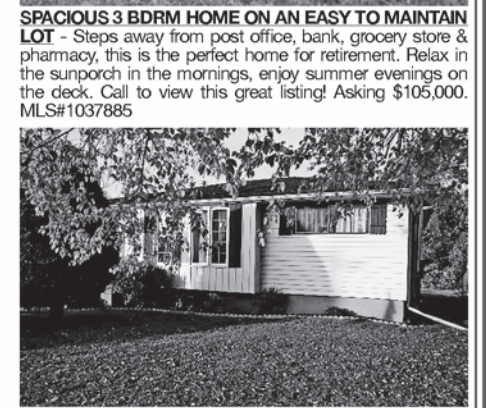
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**2 BDRM COTTAGE ON LEASED LAND WITH BEAUTIFUL LANDSCAPED LOT!** - The gorgeous lot has a dug well, septic system & an outhouse with a flush toilet plus a full 3 piece bathroom in main cottage. Located in the Loydville subdivision on Lake Mindemoya a 30 second walk to a beautiful kid friendly sand beach. The lake is great fishing for walleye, bass, perch & whitefish. The grocery store, hospital, golf course and other amenities are a short drive to the town of Mindemoya. Asking \$53,900. MLS#1037465



**HIGH QUALITY 2 BDRM PLUS LOFT WITH 214 FT OF BEDROCK SHORELINE ON SOUTH BAY!** - Located just 15 mins from the ferry this beautiful cottage comes fully furnished with a vaulted ceiling & a large deck & has a very nice view south facing over South Bay. The shoreline is slightly terraced to the water & gets deep in a hurry. This Bay provides great swimming, boating & fishing for most fresh water species. The lot is almost maintenance free. Assessed at \$262,000 but listed at just \$250,000. MLS#1037274



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**1.77 ACRE BUILDING LOT WITH 151 FT OF BALD ROCK SHORELINE SOUTH-FACING OVER LAKE HURON!** - Located on the south shore of Manitoulin Island in Lonely Bay Estates this great building lot is on a year round road & has hydro & telephone available at the lot line. School bus service & garbage pick-up are at the end of the driveway. Listed at just \$59,000. MLS#1036020

**2.77 ACRE VACANT LOT ON LAKE MINDEMOYA!** - This estate size waterfront lot comes with a beautiful sand beach, great for swimming on a lake that has very good fishing for walleye, bass, perch & whitefish. The lot is located only 10 mins from the Town of Mindemoya which consists of such amenities as Manitoulin's largest grocery store, a hospital, hardware stores etc., asking \$249,000. MLS#1034639

**VACANT LOT AT HWY 542** - south end of Lake Mindemoya, year round road access, close to Mindemoya & Golf course. Asking \$39,000. MLS#1030657

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**HIGH QUALITY 2 BDRM MINDEMOYA BUNGALOW ON LARGE LOT!** - Beautiful hardwood & ceramic floors, nicely painted ready to move in 968 sq. ft. home is all on 1 floor & comes with a single car garage & a storage shed. It is a short walk to downtown Mindemoya & its amenities. Listed at \$150,000. Book your showing today! MLS#1037014

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**LAKE MINDEMOYA WATERFRONT** - This home or all seasons cottage on a year round road has wonderful landscaping leading to an appealing shoreline suitable for swimming or boating. The home features open concept living, dining & kitchen areas with patio doors leading to a deck which over-looks the lake. Including all appliances this property is move in ready. There is a 2 car garage for all toys. Reduced to \$350,000. MLS#1035687

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**FANTASTIC 5 YR OLD 3 BDRM / 3 BTHRM LUXURY HOME ON LAKE MANITOU!** - Listed at \$529,000. Amazing sunrise view across a beautiful landscaped terrace & out over Manitoulin's largest inland lake. The driveway extends to the waterfront which comes adorned with a great dock & boat lift. The quality & layout features of this house will WOW you!!!! MLS#1035634

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**WONDERFUL LAKE HURON 25 ACRE BUILDING LOT!** - This large estate lot over looks 2 bays on Lake Huron from the back of your house you can see Bayfield Sound & own hundreds of feet of shoreline. At the front of your house you will look over majestic Julia Bay with a beautiful public sand beach & a boat launch. This property has potential to be divided into several lots or you can own it all yourself. This is also a great deer hunting property located along Hwy 540A at the causeway to Barrie Island. Owner willing to do Vender Take Back. Asking \$129,000. MLS#1037379

**JUST LISTED** - 54 acres of great hardwood bush (mostly maple) and hundreds of feet of shoreline on Archie's Lake which features a wide variety of waterfowl including ducks, geese, sandhill cranes and occasionally swans. List price \$79,000. MLS#1036642

**152 ACRES OF MOSTLY HARDWOOD BUSH ON ARCHIE'S LAKE!** - This beautiful treed land has nice roads and trails through it. This property is home to many deer and other wildlife with hundreds of feet of shoreline on a lake that is home to a large variety of waterfowl including ducks, geese, cranes and swans. Listed at \$169,000. MLS#1036640

**WHAT A NICE HOME AT A GREAT PRICE!** - 3+1 bdrm, 2 bthrm waterfront home on South Bay, nicely landscaped with vegetable & flower gardens, a good garden shed & private boat launch. The detached double garage has hydro, concrete floor, work shop & a built in smoker. Heating is by a forced air electric furnace & an insert wood fireplace. There is gorgeous decking on 3 sides of the home with walkouts from the kitchen, living/dining room, & master bdrm which is only a few steps to a large hot tub. Listed at just \$289,000. MLS#1033510

**BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY!** - Formerly known as Bridal Veil Bed & Breakfast, this building is currently used as a 6 bdrm, 2 bath, private residence with a commercial business at the store front in the bustling town of Kagawong. This property has great commercial potential for a B & B with a coffee shop or many other possible uses. Comes with a large lot fronting on 2 streets & nice single car garage & plenty of parking. Only \$129,000. MLS#1033462

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Private waterfront home on Bass Lake. This private setting is minutes from Highway 6 and a short drive to Little Current. An ideal spot for your retirement or simply as a summer getaway. MLS#1037288

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**COUNTRY HOME \$175,000**

Country home on the outskirts of Mindemoya situated on just under 1 acre. Nicely landscaped lot in a very private setting with wildlife by your side on a daily basis. Only 5 short minutes to all important amenities such as the Mindemoya Hospital, largest grocery store on Manitoulin, Brookwood Brae golf course, and much more. Includes Large 2 Storey detached garage. MLS# 1037582

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**SANDFIELD HOME \$165,000**

Very attractive Sandfield country home featuring an above ground pool with a wrap around deck built for enjoyment with the whole family. The home offers 3 bedrooms, and 2 full bathrooms with plenty of space for your growing family. Brick and vinyl siding makes for sharp looking, low maintenance exterior. Less than a 15 minute drive to Mindemoya and all the amenities it offers. This home is a must see and is attractively priced. MLS#1037667

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**MUDGE BAY KAGAWONG COTTAGE \$149,900**

Three bedroom rustic treasure, paved road, municipal water, location of quality homes and cottages, marina just a short walk away, stone fireplace, electric and propane features, newer shingles, verandah and decking, lots of upgrades, potential for year round use. (1456) (MLS#1028613)

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**KAGAWONG HOME 4 ACRES \$187,500**

Located on a paved road overlooking Mudge Bay, 2 + 2 bedrooms, 3 washrooms, full finished basement, two wood fireplaces, municipal water, large expansive deck, detached garage, electric heat, attractive lawn area, private location, only 10 minute walk to the marina and harbour. Asking only \$187,500 (MLS # 1033517)

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**PRIME LOCATION INCOME PROPERTY**

Prime location at one of Manitoulin's busiest intersections. The building consists of a main floor commercial space and three bedroom residential unit. Both units are currently rented. MLS#1033366 Asking \$175,000

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**TRUE NORTH LOG HOME \$459,000**

This log home is situated on 262' of lakeshore with maple bush and towering pines surrounding it. There is a two storey stone fireplace and chimney in the middle of the home which provides a centre-piece to the amazing log structure and vaulted ceilings. A full basement, large decks, large garage and large rooms are just some of the features of this waterfront home. MLS#1035400

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**SPECTACULAR LAKE MINDEMOYA HOME**

Built in 2010, this waterfront setting offers amazing sunset views across Lake Mindemoya and Treasure Island. Quality finishes are found throughout this 4 bedroom home. A full finished basement, large double detached garage, wrap-around decking and 390 feet of desirable shoreline are just a few of the features. Call for details! Asking \$469,000 MLS#1035099

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**KAGAWONG VILLAGE HOME \$189,000**

Located a few hundred feet from Bridal Veil Falls, this Kagawong home is an ideal location for your family or retirement. Municipal water and many interior and exterior upgrades make this a perfect move-in ready home in one of Manitoulin's nicest villages. MLS#1037287

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**BASS LAKE HOME \$249,900**

Beautiful view of Bass Lake with over 12 acres of land. This property offers excellent access with municipal water, and forested acreage for recreation possibilities. There is also potential for lot severance to create an additional building lot. MLS#1030409

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**250 ACRE FARM \$495,000**

Large 4 bedroom 2 bathroom home, many recent up grades including natural cedar interior, livestock barn, gravel pit on property (not registered), mixture of work land, pasture and mixed bush, ponds for watering, excellent opportunity for livestock operation or rural ranch, paved road access, this size of farm is rare on Manitoulin Island (MLS#1031304)

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**CUSTOM HOME ON 12 ACRES \$498,000**

Stunning 2 storey Victorian style home and horse farm, sitting on a 12 acre estate size lot with double attached garage. Located very close to the hospital and downtown Mindemoya. Scenic views to all directions, most notably Lake Mindemoya. MLS#1035244

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**LAKE KAGAWONG WATERFRONT HOME**

Well built brick bungalow on Perivale Road, both an attached and detached garage, partly finished full basement, natural pine interior walls, shed, wood burning brick fireplaces, two washrooms, natural brick exterior on home, home backs on to a hay meadow, attractive location asking \$299,000 (MLS#1037463)

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**LOTS**

**ESTATE SIZED BUILDING LOTS** near Lake Mindemoya. Hydro, municipal road and lake access. Four to choose from. Asking \$18,999 each

**LITTLE CURRENT BUILDING LOT.** One acre. Country Setting. Asking \$25,900. MLS#1027217

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**LAKE MINDEMOYA WATERFRONT LOT** just minutes from the town of Mindemoya. Perfect lot for swimming, boating and amazing sunsets. Hydro on site and easy to develop. Ready for your dream home! Asking \$94,900. (MLS#1031297) Call Jordan

**LITTLE CURRENT BUILDING LOT** close to the school and grocery store. Single car garage already on site. Level lot. Ready to build. Asking \$29,000. (MLS#1030914) Call Jordan

**11 ACRES ALLAN TOWNSHIP** - Located on Checkerboard Lane, comprising 2 - 5.45 acre parcels, mixed tree cover and good local deer area, access off Hwy. 542 just south of Gore Bay, survey required before building permit allowed, asking \$24,900 MLS # 1033298

**ICE LAKE WATERFRONT LOT.** Nicely treed. Asking \$49,900. MLS 1019632

**LARGE BUILDING LOT** in Sheguiandah. Municipal water to the lot. Great location for a home or business. Asking \$25,000. MLS 1036059

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**COUNTRY BUILDING LOT** with access to Lake Mindemoya. Build your dream home on this estate sized lot, located less than 15 minutes from all amenities. MLS#1020120

**ELIZABETH BAY WATERFRONT LOT** - Large estate sized lot, approx. 3 acres in size with over 200 feet frontage, sandy type shoreline, hardwoods, driveway and outdoor privy, above average features, great building location. \$79,000 (1402) (MLS#1021922)



**GORE BAY DOWNTOWN \$185,000**

newer commercial building currently housing jewellery store on main level and three bedroom apartment on second floor. well established business, electric heat, a solid opportunity to work and live in the same location. (1353) (MLS#1015566)

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**COUNTRY HOME ON BIDWELL RD \$219,800**

This upgraded raised ranch bungalow features a large deck and many recent upgrades including a new roof, doors, water system and heating system with additional new wood stove and wood shed. The main floor also features stunning new cherry hardwood flooring along with beautiful local pine flooring in the spacious bedrooms. The 3+ acre lot with gardens and fruit trees also adds to the appeal. Don't miss out on the opportunity to own a little piece of true Manitoulin paradise. MLS# 1037285

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**HOME IN MAPLE BUSH \$239,900**

This all brick bungalow is nestled amongst mature maple trees in the village of Sheguiandah. This 7+ acre bush lot with storage barn creates a perfect setting for this family or retirement home. There is a screened in porch and hot tub on the rear patio. The basement is ready for your finishing touches with an upgraded wood-stove already in place. MLS# 1037694

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**SOUTH BAYMOUTH WATERFRONT HOME \$349,000**

Your own private dock, large garage/work shop approx. 60 x 60 feet, over 2000 square foot two storey home, three bedrooms, two washrooms, oil and wood heat, surveyed lot, walk to ferry dock, municipal water, lots of potential for other uses, salmon fishing at your door step. (MLS#1013194)

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**LITTLE CURRENT HOME \$255,000**

Centrally located within walking distance of downtown and Low Island recreation area, this home is perfect for your family or retirement. Quality finishes are found throughout this 2000+ square foot home. Features include a recently renovated kitchen and bathrooms, upgraded hot water on demand, propane stove, master ensuite, and a full basement with endless potential. MLS#1037898

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**ICE LAKE \$179,000**

Over 860 feet of shoreline on Ice Lake. Minutes from Gore Bay, 3 Bedroom, 2 Bathroom cottage. Ready for summer fun! MLS#1026349

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**BRIDAL VEIL ESSO, KAGAWONG \$549,000**

Well established business for sale. Excellent location on Hwy. 540, only 5 minute walk to the falls. Gas, groceries, coffee shop, propane service, ice cream, fishing equipment, courier service, commercial and residential tenant income, frontage on Kagawong river, ATM, LCBO outlet, a quality commercial offering, asking \$549,000 (1399) (MLS#1021556)

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**MINDEMOYA RANCH STYLE BUNGALOW**

Three Bedroom, Three Bath home on a well maintained corner lot! Features include a custom kitchen and screened-in porch. This home is a short golf cart ride from Brookwood Brae Golf course, and an even shorter ride to the beach and government dock at Lake Mindemoya. Call for details. MLS# 1038008 Asking \$209,000

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**WHITE'S POINT WATERFRONT \$349,000**

Large waterfront lot with western exposure for amazing sunsets. Features include master bedroom with ensuite and walk-in closet, attached garage, walk-out basement, large deck, waterfront beach area and the list goes on. Call for details. MLS #1027720

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**NORTH CHANNEL VIEW \$219,000**

Soak in the breathtaking views of the North Channel and LaCloche Mountains with this 10 year old, three bedroom home. Features include hardwood floors, open concept kitchen/living room, full basement all on a 3+ acre lot. A north facing windows and a large deck allow you to enjoy one of the best views on Manitoulin. MLS#1036652

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**TOBACCO LAKE HOME \$162,000**

Three bedroom single storey home with attached carport, part block basement, three bedrooms, large covered veranda and deck, oil heat, approx. 150 feet waterfrontage on this attractive lake, only 10 minutes to Gore Bay shopping. (MLS#1036258)

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**MINDEMOYA HOME \$199,000**

Centrally located in Mindemoya. This recently updated family home offers hardwood floors, large rooms and a large patio area with a pool. The home is walking distance to every amenity that Mindemoya has to offer. Too many features to list. MLS#1033364

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Nicely wooded lot, some hardwood growth areas, access off Poplar Road on unopened road allowance, hunt camp and sauna building, good deer location. (MLS#1033090)

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**WHITE'S POINT LAKEHOUSE \$317,500**

This waterfront offering is located on desirable White's Point, just minutes from Little Current. The home features many upgrades including an open concept kitchen/living room and renovated bathrooms(2), as well as a custom fireplace with high efficiency wood insert, which provides very low cost heating. Other features include a shoreline bunkie, dock, sand beach area, new fire pit area, large screened-in porch and a 32'x24' detached garage. MLS# 1038225

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**LAKE HURON 10 ACRES WATERFRONT**

South shore in Mills Township, seasonal road, no services, cottages in area, limestone shoreline, attractive setting on this southerly exposed location, asking \$99,000 (MLS#1038369)

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**MELDRUM BAY** vaulted ceiling home or cottage on walkout basement in a natural setting w/198.9 ft. of clean limestone shingle beach. Completely equipped 1024 sq. ft. plus spacious loft w/2+1 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, sunroom, kitchen, living & dining area. Additional sleeping quarters & full bath in bunkie. Vacant lot next door available. \$199,000 (1264)



**LAKE KAGAWONG COTTAGE** on 7 ac. w/165 ft. frontage accessed via Perivale Road. All wood 516 square feet w/steel roof, one bedroom, 3 piece bath & open kitchen dining living area. Two sleep cabins for family, storage shed & carport. Very exciting fractured limestone outcrop shoreline. \$164,000 (1092)



**LAKE MINDEMOYA** waterfront home w/150 ft. on Hwy542. Well maintained bungalow 1550 sq. ft. on full basement w/2+2 bedrooms, 2 full baths, dining & living rooms w/hardwood flooring & propane stone fireplace, kitchen, family room & double attached garage. Great water or pastoral views, beach, private deck, paved driveway, propane heat & hot water, central air, shed, apple trees & 3 stainless appliances. \$287,000 (1235)



**FOREST HOME** in Robinson Township via Kemp Lake Road west of Silver Water on surveyed 35.67 ac. w/hardwood. Cedar chalet & bungalow addition 1280 sq. ft. overlooking a very pretty private pond called Mac's Lake. Home w/3+1 bedrooms, 4 pc. bath, kitchen & dinette, living room, two decks facing the sun, walk out basement to double carport. Superb garage 40x50 ft. built 2012 w/power, insulated, finished interior, 3 huge bays & enclosed woodworking shop. VTB considered. \$219,000 (1286)



**FAMILY FOREST COTTAGE** on 100 ac. between Gore Bay & Kagawong via Scotland Road. Quality cedar cottage 880 sq. ft. w/3 bunkrooms, 3 pc bath, complete kitchen & great room, finished in pine & cedar walls & ceilings. Natural gas generator, wood burning soap stone stove, cedar sauna, sheds, contents, tankless hot water, buried water tank, all ready for occupancy. Great, off the grid, living! \$159,000 (1268)



**LIGHTHOUSE ROAD WATERFRONT HOME** w/great North Channel view. Gore Bay bungalow 1800 sq. ft. built 2001 w/3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, laundry, living room, large eat in kitchen w/extended sunroom. Private & beautiful setting w/attached garage, limestone patio, stone front wall and full open basement built w/concrete filled foam blocks for more warm & cozy space. \$349,000 (1115)



**LOG & STONE COTTAGE HOME** on Lake Kagawong facing westerly w/150 ft. & year round access. Well built & maintained 840 sq. ft. w/one bedroom, bath & great room with stone stove hearth. For more space add loft, utility room, covered porch 8x30 & guest house 576 sq. ft. containing a bath, upper level bedroom w/balcony, main floor living quarters & sauna. Extras include most contents, workshop 12x12, playhouse, carport 20x20 & beautiful raised picket fenced garden 25x30. All roofs steel & non wood surfaces faced in stone. A pleasure to show! \$250,000 (1293)

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**LAKE KAGAWONG** maple landscaped lot w/200 ft. frontage & dock in place. Bungalow cottage 879 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, bath, eat in kitchen, living room & covered deck accessed via McArthur Trail. Extras of sleep camp w/bedroom bath laundry 289 sq. ft. & workshop shed the same size. Very pleasant summer escape. \$229,000 (1245)



**BASS LAKE LOT** w/200 ft. frontage & 300 ft. deep. Seasonal access over right of way from Indian Mountain Road. Boundaries marked & partly cleared to water. Vendor take back possible. \$39,000 (1232)

**ICE LAKE WATERFRONT** w/250 ft. on year round Emery Road & 2.36 ac. Hardwood property w/large building site cleared, filled & levelled plus asphalt mix on driveway, log wood shelter & privy. White pines planted around perimeter & 3 apple trees. Ready to build. \$69,000 (1275)

**GORE BAY HOME** on surveyed, landscaped, level lot at corner of Mary St. & Hwy551. Board & batten bungalow 1367 sq. ft. on part basement w/2 bedrooms, bath, separate family & great rooms. Detached garage 18x24 ft. w/insulated & drywalled interior plus attached 10x23 drive in storage. New septic system 2015, drilled well, steel roofs & eavestroughs on all building including 8.5x10 shed. Worth a look! \$169,000 (1271)

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**SOLAR RECREATIONAL RESIDENCE** of 1680 sq. ft. in private setting of 4 ac. & 1,010 ft. of frontage at south end of Ice Lake via Strawberry Point Rd. Pristine area w/wetland boardwalk. All comforts of living w/MBR at one end & 2 BRs at other separated by sunroom w/each end having own bath. Spacious great room for cooking, eating & relaxing w/wood fireplace. Turnkey offering includes a bank of 20 batteries, 10 solar panels, generator, treated water, septic, propane appliances and most other contents Must be seen! \$324,000 (1290)

**WEST BLUFF HOME** overlooking water of Gore Bay. Very spacious 2 storey over 1900 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 3 full baths, laundry, office, eat in kitchen w/new cabinets, dining area, large living room w/stone fireplace plus attached triple garage, all heated w/hot water. Hardwood floors throughout, cathedral ceiling, upper floor balcony landing w/ huge master & ensuite. All the interior recently restored. \$299,000 (1106)

**MAGNIFICENT LOG** waterfront home on Lake Kagawong built 1992 w/200 ft. frontage & 1.14 ac. rimmed w/hardwoods. Vaulted ceiling over 1376 sq. ft. plus bedroom loft on full finished basement. White pine averaging 18 in. & hardwood flooring throughout for a spectacular interior. Spacious entry from covered verandah 32 ft., 3 pc. bath, kitchen dining living great room. More recreational & sleeping areas on lower level. Garage 26x32 made from same log w/full storage loft, guest cabin, most contents & dock. \$469,000 (1298)

**TROUT BAY WATERFRONT** on Barrie Island w/good municipal access over White Tail Drive & Goose Gap Crescent. Two lots, side by side, each w/150 ft. of walk out shoreline & 4 to 5 ac. open prairie & gently sloping forest. Telephone available, otherwise off the grid. \$47,000 ea. (1119 & 1120)

**TWO FULLY SERVICED WATERFRONT** lots side by side w/100 ft. ea. on Gore Bay's Lighthouse Road. Level land w/municipal water & sewer, hydro, telephone, year round access & wide North Channel view. Water capital paid. \$79,500 ea. plus HST (1202 & 1203)

**BILLINGS COUNTRY HOME** on 1.88 ac. of lawn & forest w/283 ft. fronting Hwy540. Spacious 1.5 storey 1500 sq. ft. plus playroom/storage loft 233 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, full bath, eat in kitchen, living room, laundry/mud room, closed porch 6 x 20 ft. & open deck. Extras of up to date oil tank, several sheds, carport. \$119,500 (1252)

**WESTERN MANITOULIN WATERFRONT** on Lake Huron w/150 ft. frontage & 25 ac. just west of Misery Bay Provincial Park. Forested & open areas w/limestone shoreline. Legal seasonal road access. Great place to get away w/water, views & nature. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$42,900 (1239)

**SMALL COUNTRY HOME** on 2.4 ac. w/313.5 ft. fronting Hwy542 west of Spring Bay. Bungalow 576 sq. ft. w/1 bedroom, 3 pc. bath, open kitchen dining living area all finished w/laminate & pine. Electric baseboards, chimney in place for alternate heat, dug well, approved septic, 2 decks, 12x18 workshop. \$84,900 (1226)

**THREE LOTS** side by side in Providence Bay's McDermid subdivision w/year round access, hydro, phone & 100 ft. ea. fronting Cedar Crescent. Wooded 0.5 ac. parcels to be purchased as 1, 2 or all 3. \$12,900 ea. (1297)

**COUNTRY HOME** on 99.5 ac. just west of Loon Lake w/1320 ft. fronting Hwy 540. Heavily treed acreage w/large diameter cedar was never logged. Older 1.75 storey 1458 sq. ft. plus enclosed front & side porches w/2 bedrooms, 3 pc. bath, eat in kitchen, living room. New septic, rewired, replumbed & steel roof 20 yrs. Steel garage 24 x 24 ft. Backs onto provincial parkland. \$149,000 (1300)

**MAPLE POINT CHALET** cottage 1408 sq. ft. on 2 levels. Finished open concept kitchen dining living w/bright east facing lounge. Second level spacious bedroom fully wired & insulated to be completed. Wrap around decks from kitchen, living room & upper level. Ready to enjoy w/propane heat & year round access. Large 8.75 ac. w/hardwood ridges & 2 bow hunting tree stands. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$145,000 (1219)

**GARLAND STREET LOT** 123.5 sq. ft. w/clear, level building site in Providence Bay. Hydro available. \$19,900 (1272)

**MAPLE RIDGE HOME** at end of Oak Street surrounded by hardwood. Well insulated bungalow 768 sq. ft. w/steel roof, 1000 sq. ft. decking, 12x12 shed, one bedroom, 4 pc bath, great room w/ceramic flooring, municipal water. Oil stove, refrigerator, electric stove, washer, dryer & microwave included. \$119,000 (1274)



**SANDFIELD HOME** w/100 ft. of Highway 542 frontage but hidden in a garden of trees. Brick bungalow 891 sq. ft. on a full basement w/3 bedrooms, bath, eat in kitchen & living room. Some decking & garden shed. \$124,500 (1249)



**GORE BAY SPACIOUS HOME** 2720 sq. ft. plus 410 more of covered wrap around porch w/many recent interior upgrades including a new kitchen. Two storey on large lot w/double detached garage 26x34 plus insulated loft workshop. New windows, well insulated 6 inch walls, newer vinyl siding & shingles on this house w/spacious rooms including 4 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, kitchen, sunroom dinette, dining & living rooms, family room & laundry mud room. Heated by FA oil furnace or pellet stove. \$199,900 (1267)



**A-FRAME HOME** w/spacious dormer addition offering 1629 sq. ft. living space w/3+1 bedroom, 1.5 baths, sunroom, living & family rooms each w/own stone fireplace, kitchen & dinette. Large hardwood lot in Treasure Trails w/access to Lake Mindemoya & short walk to golf course. Extras of attached & detached garage, wood shed. outside basement entrance & 4 appliances. \$169,000 (1292)



**KAGAWONG HOME** completely renovated, set-back from Hwy540. Spacious 1.75 storey 2382 sq. ft. w/1751 on main floor w/5 bedrooms, 2 baths, open great room, mudroom, all on full walk in basement. Second floor private MBR w/5 pc. bath & walk through closet. Lots of extras including 20x40 steel queen set built 2012 w/concrete floor, power & propane heat. \$247,000 (1281)



**WATERFRONT COTTAGE HOME** w/great water view yet surrounded by trees & grassy slopes. Mansard roof 2 level style 1316 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, open kitchen dining living w/electric & wood heat, municipal water, 150 ft. on Main Street & Mudge Bay w/firm sand bottom. \$205,000 (1155)



**DOWNTOWN HOME AT WATERS EDGE** of Gore Bay w/98.48 ft. frontage facing beautiful East Bluff escarpment. Vaulted ceiling two storey over 1800 sq. ft. plus full walkout basement party finished w/4 bedrooms, 3 baths, great room w/a wall of windows, recreational area, laundry room & 488 sq. ft. of covered decking. Home & cottage in one package. \$299,000 (1259)



**DOWNTOWN HOME** w/full water view of Gore Bay & East Bluff on corner of Dawson & Water Streets w/detached garage. Two storey 1500 sq. ft. w/3+1 bedrooms, 2 baths, spacious eat in kitchen, living & sun rooms, laundry & large basement family room w/walk in entrance offering home business potential. Currently rented as an income property. \$126,000 (1277)



**DUTCHMEN TRAILER** 39 ft. w/2 tipouts on Lake Kagawong waterfront Lot #9 at Norm's T&T Park. Park Model w/2 bedrooms, full bath, great room & separate bunkie on covered deck. Private setting w/shoreline deck, gardens, shed & all contents. Lease \$1950 plus tax includes hydro paid up to May 2017. \$24,900 (1248)





**GORGEOUS WATERFRONT HOME ON LAKE KAGAWONG!!** - Located close to Ontario's prettiest Town of Kagawong, this beautifully landscaped waterfront 3 bdrm open concept home with a loft comes fully furnished with a double detached garage, dock & boat lift & is priced to sell at \$339,000. MLS#1034932



**LITTLE CURRENT** - Spacious home with excellent locational factors in very desirable area of town! This 3 + 1 bdrm home has been constantly updated & shows pride of ownership plus extreme energy efficiencies that include solar powered pool heating, after peak time heating convection heaters & air to air hot water heating with propane fired hot water. Interior layout features formal dining room, attached sunroom plus living room with fireplace, an abundance of closet space & mostly finished basement. Attached garage leads to spacious entry way. Very attractively priced! Reduced to \$283,900. MLS#1036268



**GORE BAY** - spacious home of 2720 sq ft plus 410 more of covered wrap around porch with many recent interior upgrades including a new kitchen. Meredith St. 2 storey on a large lot with detached double garage 26x34 ft plus second floor insulated loft workshop with wood stove. New windows throughout, well insulated six inch walls, newer vinyl siding & shingles on this house with spacious rooms including 4 bdrms, 1.5 baths, kitchen, sunroom, dining, living room, family room & laundry mud room. Heated by forced air oil furnace or pellet stove. \$199,900. MLS#1035172



**LITTLE CURRENT BUNGALOW WITH FINISHED BASEMENT** - This 1 + 1 bdrm home has been nicely refinished & has modern upgrades throughout the residence. An open concept, living, dining & kitchen area with main floor bdrm. New patio doors lead to an appealing rear yard deck. New shingles & oil tank in the past two years. A carport for convenience & a storage garage. This home has been nicely cared for & is in 'move in' ready condition. Reduced to \$139,500. MLS#1034453



**EXCEPTIONAL VIEW & GREAT QUALITY HOME** - Situated close to Little Current this spectacular home offers one of the finest views anywhere on Manitoulin. Features include spacious rooms, terrific layout, stone fireplace, triple garage, excellent landscaping & a very private location with awe-inspiring 360 degree views. Call for full details. MLS#1035050



**WEST END LITTLE CURRENT FAMILY HOME** - Very attractive brick and vinyl sided 3 bdrm home on fully landscaped lot with 114 ft street frontage. Substantially updated side split including new architectural shingles, fiberglass oil tank, oil fired fireplace, modern windows, large deck, paved drive, attached carport & finished lower level. Great price at \$199,900!! MLS#1037024



**MANITOULIN FLEE MARKET** - Thriving family business on busy thoroughfare (Hwy. 6). Building consists of 7,500 sq ft, 3 acres with 530 ft of highway frontage, located 2 miles South of Little Current. Additional income from solar panels for 15 years. Incredible walk-in clientele daily. Priced to see at \$299,000. MLS#1033608



**PROVIDENCE BAY HOME** - Fully Landscaped, fenced lot with detached carport, nice sized lawn area & trees at the back. This home has been completely renovated & completely painted inside. It has 3 bdrms on the main floor with full bath plus en-suite, kitchen, main floor laundry, large walk-in closet in the master bedroom & walk outs from the dining area & master bedroom to a large deck. The basement has a large finished area with one bdrm, a kitchen, a separate entrance & a workshop area. Behind the house is a storage shed, a campfire area & Bunkie. Appliances are included. Asking \$229,000. MLS#1037206

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**MINDEMOYA FAMILY HOME**

Looking for the perfect home? Centrally located within walking distance to most amenities, this property has it all. Main features include modern construction, great layout, spacious room sizes, part finished basement, attached garage & huge yard situated in a great location in Mindemoya. Nicely finished with hardwood & tile flooring. Please call for complete details. Asking \$248,900. MLS#1036253



**JUST LISTED** - 100 acres of recreation land, close to South Bay Mouth. Great for recreation, Hunting or an off the grid get away. Just mins from the ferry terminal & about 30 mins from Mindemoya. Asking \$99,000. MLS#1036372

**AFFORDABLE LARGE ACREAGE PARCEL** - Assignack Twp. 200 acre site with mature tree cover & appealing terrain that includes some escarpment & un-parallel privacy. Can be purchased with abutting 29 acres & 4,000 ft waterfront on Sucker Lake. ATV access on opened concession allowance. Great price! \$129,000. MLS#1032602

**VACANT WATERFRONT LOT** - Excellent waterfront property on Manitowaning Bay! This is a nice sloping lot from the road to the water. Partial driveway installed and hydro and telephone available. Well treed for excellent privacy. Asking \$69,500. MLS#1035748

**SUNSITE ESTATES** - Large landscaped building lot with septic system, hydro & circular driveway. Water levy is paid in full. This property backs onto a park area with direct access to Manitowaning Bay. Very reasonably priced at \$39,000. MLS#1032803

**LITTLE CURRENT** - Fully serviced building lot. Owner anxious, no reasonable offer refused. Only \$24,900. MLS#1033419

**OUTSTANDING LAKE VIEW LOT** - Located within 5 minute drive of Little Current, offering mature hardwood forest on 4.94 acres of land plus available municipal water supply. Hydro, year round road, driveway installed and ready for new home. One of the best views available for sale on Manitowaning Island. Priced to sell at \$77,000. MLS#1038275

**BASS LAKE** - Desirable waterfront lot with exceptional Southern exposure. Year round road. Hydro & telephone available at lot line. Don't overlook this picturesque building site. Asking \$89,000. MLS#1032490

**SPECTACULAR ACREAGE PARCEL** - one of the finest 100 acre bush lots available on Manitowaning Island! Hardwood forest, escarpment ridge with fantastic views of Manitowaning Bay. 400 meters frontage on the beach. All utility services available. Excellent building site for great rural acreage for your dream home or as a bonus maple syrup production an option in your future! This one want last long at only \$98,500. MLS#1037881

**NORTH CHANNEL WATERFRONT ACREAGE** - Only a short drive from Little Current this mainly level 15.52 acre site has it all. Year round access to the beach. All utilities available, north west facing, great for boats and an attractive cottage for your summer home or swimming. Great for your beach home or summer cottage! Asking \$79,900. MLS#1036186

**SOLD**



**TEHKUMMAH HOME** - Great opportunity to live Off-The-Grid. This country home is set up with solar system & wind turbine on a quiet country lot of just over one acre. Only minutes from the ferry terminal in South Baymouth. Asking \$135,000. MLS#1038070



**OWN YOUR OWN PRIVATE ISLAND** - Very well kept cedar log cottage on a 1.92 acre private island located close to the main landing servicing McGregor Bay. It features all modern amenities, is fully furnished & includes boat and motor. Additional features include extensive decking, great dockage plus covered breezeway to guest cottage & shower building. Year round road. Hydro & telephone available at lot line. Don't overlook this picturesque building site. Asking \$89,000. MLS#1032490



**MANITOWANING** - Built for family, friends & fun, this solid, beautifully maintained brick home is move in ready & waiting for you! Gorgeous decks invite you to gaze over the beauty of Manitowaning Bay & the private yard has plenty of room for play! Asking \$349,000. Mls#1037142



**FARM HOUSE** - Located on 5.52 Acres West of Little Current on Hwy 540. This would be a great starter home for someone or for someone who likes a little space. There have been substantial improvements to the property over the last few years such as new well, new septic system & a wood/oil forced air furnace. There is a barn at the rear of the property, a creek along one side & lots of room for a gardening enthusiast. Asking \$115,000. MLS#1037358



**HONORA BAY LAKEFRONT** - Spacious 3400 sq ft home. 2 bdrms & den, separate dining area with stone fireplace. Hardwood flooring throughout. Family room 36 x 24, vaulted ceilings, field stone fireplace, (Harper built), master bedroom 20 x 16 plus 5 piece en-suite bath & 2 walk in closets. Workshop 30 x 40 has own septic system & bath. Guest cottage has 3 bdrms plus eating area. One of the most outstanding homes on the market. Priced to sell at \$698,000. MLS#1037545



**MANITOWANING** - A great starter home at a great price! Several upgrades on this 2 bdrm home, including new garage with hydro, completely redone bathroom, updated electrical, new deck with propane outlet for summer barbecues! Close to school, shopping, doctors office & shopping, this home is a must see! Reduced to \$147,900. MLS#1037137



**LAKE MANITOU HOME WITH MANY FEATURES** - This 3 bdrm home with double attached & heated garage is on a pretty lot & is only 5 yrs old. It has a kitchen & bathroom with granite counter tops, a sunroom with Florida windows & a workshop area in the garage. The house has forced air oil heat, central air & a new gas fireplace. Outside there is a deck at the front, lawn to the water's edge which has a sandy bottom, a storage shed & a roll out 60 ft. dock. Asking \$489,000. MLS#1034302



**LOVELY BAY ESTATES YEAR ROUND COTTAGE OR HOME** - A very well kept 3 bdrm cottage with a 250 sq ft screened in summer porch ideal for those afternoon naps! Open concept living room with wood stove, dining room & kitchen & full bath all upon a full concrete block foundation. Year round water & access. 200 amp service plus a single car garage. 80ft dock included with boat lift. Some furnishings & appliances. Asking \$229,900. MLS#1035686



**LAKE MANITOU** - Exceptional west facing waterfront lot with 438 feet of scrolled limestone shoreline, private boat launch, 2 bedroom cottage with small boathouse/garage. Very reasonably priced at \$259,000. MLS#1036432



**LARGE WATERFRONT ACREAGE** - 195 acres of pristine forest with approximately 400 meters waterfront on Loughheed Bay on the south shore of Manitowaning Island. Exceptional offering for private retreat, potential for development & perfect for getting away from it all. Please call for full details. MLS#1035469



**MANY UPGRADES ON THIS RECENTLY RENOVATED 3 BDRM BEAUTY!** - Newer siding, shingles, main bathroom with Jacuzzi tub, fabulous back deck for entertaining, & 16 acres of land to play on! Make use of the converted, heated barn as a workshop/family space or revert it back to its original use. A great family home at a great price! Asking \$289,000. MLS#1037535



**MINDEMOYA** - Attractive 1,300 sq ft bungalow, 3+1 bdrm, with attached garage & great enclosed breezeway/mudroom. The main level includes a south facing bright kitchen with laundry area, dining room, living room, 2 bdrms, 1 bath, & a master bdrm with walk in closet & en-suite. The full basement features a woodstove, finished room suitable for bdrm or office, plenty of storage & 3rd bath. This house has municipal water & sewer & recent up-grades. This home is close to all local amenities. Very attractively priced at \$179,900. MLS#1036419



**FAMILY ESTATE IN BAY OF ISLANDS** - Situated in a pristine natural environment on a fantastic 2.85 acre site surrounded by mature White Pine forest offering excellent appeal. Features include a very private setting backing on to crown lands, exceptional 3 bdrm Main Cottage, two separate guest cottages, sauna building, workshop, extensive decking, walkways & excellent dockage on protected bay. Short boat ride to landing in Whitefish Falls, over the top fishing opportunities & outstanding views of the bay & LaCloche Mountains add substantially to this very attractive offering! Great Buy at only \$299,000. MLS#1038262



**PROVIDENCE BAY** - Large majestic very private lot at the end of a dead end street! A very short walk to the beautiful sand beach. This nicely landscaped lot comes adorned with a new well, 2 large driveways, 2 sheds, great little bunkie, spectacular fully insulated 30 X 30 ft heated garage with 12 ft ceiling, metal roof & a cement pad & a 2 bdrm bungalow with partially finished walkout basement, all newly renovated & upgraded plumbing, wiring etc. Priced to sell only \$189,000. MLS#1029947



**COTTAGE IN A GARAGE??** - A beautiful open 1 acre lot with 154 ft of frontage on Lake Manitou. This large lot is the perfect place to build your future dream home. Already built is a fantastic garage which has been renovated into a very nice 3 bdrm cottage usable as such for as many years as it takes to finish your dream & revive your garage if desired. This wonderful property also comes adorned with a bunkie, a composting toilet in its own building & a large old barn. Asking \$189,000. MLS#1030345



**'LAKE MINDEMOYA' WATERFRONT HOME!** - This year round waterfront 3 + 1 bdrm brick home is located across the street from a beautiful sand beach & government dock. The property features a brand new cement patio, small garden, paved driveway & very nice stone fireplace. Conveniently located close to hospital, golf course & amenities of Mindemoya. Asking \$249,000. MLS#1030893



**LAKE MINDEMOYA** - Cottage/Garage South facing with 150 ft Shoreline, flat lot & kid friendly beach! Large garage with sleep loft currently being used as a cottage & built on the east side of the lot leaving plenty of room to build your dream home. Hydro is available at the lot line & the property is located on a year round municipal road at the north end of the lake. Reduced to \$150,000. MLS#1032471



**RUSTIC COUNTRY HOME!** - This 4 bdrm 1700 sq. ft. home has a stone front exterior, 3 sides of the foundation is very thick walled cemented stone & one wall is solid carved bedrock. The basement is truly unique & bone dry (it doesn't even have a sump pump). The walls & ceilings in this lovely country home are wood. This house of stone in the slash is nicely landscaped, has a beautiful elevated view over large field & comes with attached double garage & detached single garage, list price \$150,000. MLS#1031173



**JUST LISTED IN MANITOWANING** - Comfortably sized 3 bdrm home with full, unfinished basement. Double detached garage has plenty of room for parking & a home workshop. Fabulous yard for kids to play in, close to the school. Asking \$135,000. Mls#1037720



**EXCEPTIONAL** - 3+1 bdrm, spacious family home on a private double lot. Hardwood floors, tons of storage space, beautiful grand foyer. Separated double garage is heated on one side - ideal for a workshop! Help pay your mortgage with income from the bright 1 bdrm basement apartment. Equipped with a quick hook up for generator - great for those scheduled power outages! Asking \$269,000. MLS#1037568



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**MCGREGOR BAY COTTAGE** This private 2 bedroom, 1 bath log cabin is located in a private area. Large kitchen/dining/living areas. 14x16 foot deck and dock. Most furnishings and appliances plus 2 - 20 foot docks included. This is the perfect spot to sit back relax and take in all the beauty that this area has to offer. 1.8 Acres. \$255,000. MLS#1027106.



**MINDEMOYA** - A 3+1 bedroom home (1989) with 2 full baths conveniently located in town. Ideal for a young family being within a 1-2 minute walk from the public school! Finished living space in the basement including a large rec room. \$188,000. MLS#1038306



**SILVER WATER** - Nice 3+1 bedroom country home in the hamlet of Silver Water. It is well maintained on a large lot with a 20' x 40' outbuilding for plenty of storage. The full basement and enclosed breezeway offer additional space. \$149,000 MLS#1038247



**LAKE KAGAWONG** - Beautiful waterfront home on a nicely landscaped lot. This west facing property offers a level approach to the lake and a small harbour providing protection for your watercraft. The master bedroom has a walk-in closet and ensuite bathroom. There is a double detached garage, storage shed, and bunkie with a loft. A well maintained property. \$385,000. MLS#1037417



**BIG LAKE WATERFRONT** - Large well maintained home with much to offer! The main level living area offers bright open space with a beautiful stone fireplace. Master bedroom with walk-in closet, 4 piece ensuite, and patio doors deck. It has operated as a B&B. Many recent upgrades! Fantastic fishing! \$449,000. MLS#1036309



**CLASSIC MCGREGOR BAY COTTAGE** 12.62 acres on Jumbo Island. 5 bedrooms and a bath log cottage with 1837 feet of shoreline. This cottage has electrical service and a septic system. Water pump house and boat house. Enjoy the amazing views that McGregor Bay has to offer from this private setting. \$485,000. MLS#1037963



**WHITE'S POINT** - 3 bedrooms, large living room with wood burning stove, spacious kitchen (centre island), walk-out to deck from dining area. 1.5 baths, detached double garage, berm with marine railway, beautifully landscaped grounds. In a protected bay/channel with easterly views. Appliances included! \$379,000. MLS#1037850



**GORGEOUS WATERFRONT SETTING** Stunning waterfront home on a professionally landscaped west facing property on Mudge Bay. In a tranquil private setting. Open concept main level can be very comfortably heated with the stone fireplace. Please call for complete details. \$395,000 MLS#1035073



**MOVE IN READY!** - Spots raised bungalow, walking distance to school, hospital and downtown. Bright open kitchen and dining area, walkout to patio deck. Living room, 3 bedrooms, full bath on main level. Lower level offers a 4th bedroom (or office/sewing room), large rec room area. Central air, a detached garage, and a nicely landscaped yard. \$217,500. MLS#1036231.

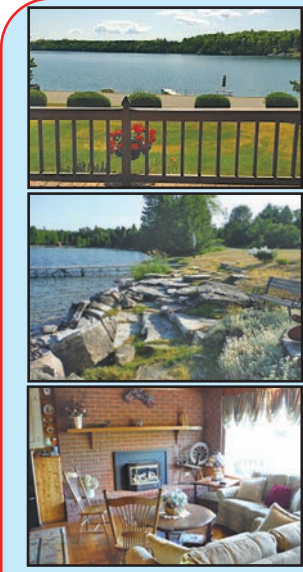
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**LAKE KAGAWONG**  
A wonderful waterfront home or cottage! The property is beautifully landscaped and the residence shows a pride of ownership. It is located in Patterson's Bay and is protected from the prevailing winds. The interior is finished with pine, local & BC cedar, local and southern oak. The basement is mostly finished and there are various outbuildings. It offers the sunrise over the lake and sunsets over the agricultural land to the west. \$350,000. MLS#1038266.



**PERFECT FAMILY GETAWAY!** Great cottage at the end of Big Dam Lake Road. Large cottage with custom woodwork throughout, plenty of room for family, friends. Open concept on main level, with bedroom and full bath. Upper level has 3 pcs bath and 2 bedrooms. Detached garage, plus large storage shed. Excellent level lot. \$339,000. MLS#1037222.



**KAGAWONG** - Wonderful historic home (1927) in the very scenic hamlet of Kagawong just a short walk to the popular Bridal Veil Falls. It has been well maintained with much of the original antique woodwork in good condition. Also a pair of functioning 8 pane French doors. Has operated as a B&B, with self-contained space on the lower level. \$239,000. MLS#1037428.



**GORE BAY HOME** - Nice family home located in a popular residential area. At the end of the street resulting in minimal traffic. Master bedroom has a 4-piece ensuite bathroom. Another 3-piece bathroom on the main level. List price \$219,000. MLS#1034904



**KAGAWONG** - 2 bedroom brick bungalow on municipal water in the hamlet of Kagawong. Rec room in lower level with built in bar, ideal as media room, man cave, or gaming room for the kids! Huge yard with Tiki Bar for family entertaining. Detached garage with loft area. Short walk to the falls, public beach and shops! \$169,500 MLS#1037672



**A RARE HISTORIC FIND!** On Manitoulin Island. A wonderful century home located on a large lot in Gore Bay. Much of the original charm and character has been maintained. In the early years it was referred to as the Rosemount House and it has a fascinating past. Recent upgrades include: wiring, roof, new propane F/A furnace, 2nd level bathroom, and more. Large partially finished attic with lots of potential. List price \$285,000. MLS#1037215



**QUALITY WATERFRONT!** Spacious raised bungalow on the crystal clear waters of the North Channel. Open concept kitchen, living and dining areas, walkout to deck(s). Huge master bedroom with private deck. Lower level has 2 guest bedrooms, large rec room area, laundry and workshop. Many quality features! \$448,000. MLS#1037394



**ON THE BEACH!** - Beautiful water front home on deep water private dockage. Gorgeous ground rental apartment. Must be seen! \$489,000. MLS#1036423



**STATELY BRICK HOME** - Large 4 bedroom home on half acre lot in the heart of Little Current. Private lot with detached single car garage for storage. Large kitchen, formal dining room and living room on the main floor. 4 Spacious bedrooms on 2nd level. 3rd floor family room ideal for another bedroom or media room. New roof shingles in 2015, new furnace 2015. \$249,000. MLS#1037365.



**EXCEPTIONAL COTTAGE** Winterized cottage (seasonal road) on large lot with 250' waterfront, great privacy! All the modern conveniences of home, open concept kitchen, dining, living and sunroom are ideal for entertaining. Full width patio deck. Master bedroom with walk-in closet, full bath with corner jet tub, 2 spacious guest bedrooms and 2nd bath. Full walk-out basement. \$428,000. MLS#1036478



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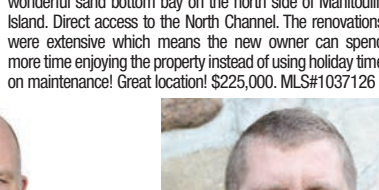
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**MINDEMOYA** - Newly built 3 bedroom and 2 full baths on the main level. The master bedroom has an ensuite bathroom. Walkout to a covered deck from the kitchen. The lower level is unfinished with unlimited potential with ceilings over 8' and roughed-in plumbing for a bathroom. List price \$232,500. MLS#1036504



**MINDEMOYA** - New home construction by local reputable builder in a desirable location. 3 bedrooms and 1 full bath on the main level. Large open concept kitchen, dining, and living room. The lower level is unfinished with unlimited potential. Ceilings are over 8' and roughed-in plumbing for a bathroom. List price \$226,900. MLS#1036505



**STUNNING LAKE KAGAWONG** - Fully winterized home/cottage with West view over lake. Spectacular bright open 20 x 20 kitchen with island and access to large deck. 3 bedrooms, 1 full bath. Full basement, double garage plenty of storage, expansive dock/boat lift/seadoo lift included. Most contents included. List price \$495,000. MLS#1036366



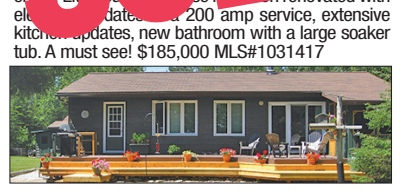
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# Central Manitoulin Lions Homecoming Weekend

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There were plenty of classic autos to be goggled during the parade and at the car show.



The Island Animal Hospital float was the cat's meow.



The fish pond was a great hit with the younger set. Plenty of great prizes were there to be reeled in.



Folks got a chance to check on their community past at the Historical Society booth.



The luck of the Irish inspired this rainbow float.



What's a parade without the Hawewater Shrine Unit float?



Waiting on a parade? Great time to catch up on the Island doings in The Manitoulin Expositor.



It's always Christmas time with the right attitude.



The kids really got into the tunes when Lyle Dewar and friends struck up the band.



Manitoulin Special Olympians were a big hit during the annual parade.



Falling is never as much fun as in the bouncy castle.



Science North's Dominique Gagnon, a staff scientist with the Outreach Program, shows off the gaping maw of a polar bear skull.



Matthew Hallett (left), president of the Central Manitoulin Lions Club, handed a \$5,000 cheque to Norm Murphy, the lucky grand prize winner of the Elimination Draw at the Central Manitoulin Lions Homecoming Weekend draw, dinner and dance. This popular fundraising event at the Mindemoya Arena draws a large crowd every year. For a \$60 ticket, two people get dinner, a dance and 24 chances of winning something if they buy in time for the early-bird draws. Only 400 tickets are sold, with a total of \$8,000 in prizes ranging from \$50 to \$5,000. This year's grand prize winner Norm Murphy is a resident of Cambridge, Ontario, and he and his wife Cathy have a cottage on Lake Manitou. "We've been coming to the Elimination Draw for years now, and love it," he commented. After the grand prize is drawn, all the evening's non-winning tickets are returned to the drum for a consolation prize of \$1,000. This year's consolation prize winner was Kevin Spry of Rockville.

photo by Jan McQuay



It doesn't get much sweeter as kids collect a bounty of candy at the parade

photos by Michael Erskine.



Manitoulin Island Cycling Advocates had an important message to deliver.



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# Aboriginal Day celebrated with song, fun and games in M'Chigeeng

by **Betty Bardswich**  
 M'CHIGEENG—June 21st marks Aboriginal Day across Canada and celebrations were held in M'Chigeeng to mark the occasion beginning with

tea and scones, cultural expressions with remarkable artisan Darlene Bebo-nang and four sacred medicines teachings with Leona Nawehahbow.

By 11 am, the first aid sta-

Jaiden Ense, Lourdes Tauke, Logan Debassige, Jolene Debassige and Mathew Debassige, took part in the celebration wearing beautiful regalia.

M'Chigeeng First Nation Deputy Chief Brian Bisson welcomed the audience to the festivities and thanked people for coming out to this community celebration of Aboriginal Day and noted that there were a lot of activities for all ages. He then thanked the sponsors, saying "miigwetch" to Family Resources Community Support and Youth Program, Community Well-

ness, the Fire Department, Ontario Works, Capital/Public Works, UCCM Police, M'Chigeeng First Nation chief and council, Mental Health, Land Management and Canadian Heritage.

Master of Ceremonies Jesse Beaudin then took charge and the fun-filled day went on with horse and buggy rides, an obstacle course with UCCM Police, a bike safety school, balloon animals, apple bobbing, Indian Ball, and hot dogs and hamburgers for all.

The afternoon saw several competitions including a

potato peeling contest sponsored by Manitoulin Family Resources, and best coleslaw, baked beans and strawberry dessert contests with Ontario Works also being a sponsor of these events. The peeling of the potatoes was done with much laughter and proved to be very useful, as the potatoes were now ready to team up with fish for a fry feast to cap off the day.

Bonita Bebamash took top honours in the potato contest, followed by Samantha Corbiere and Rachel Panamick.

Ms. Bebamash also won

the best coleslaw competition with Harmony Bebamash taking second spot and Pearl Bebamash third. There was only one entry in the baked beans contest and the honours went to Pearl Bebamash. Rebecca Corbiere had the best strawberry dessert and Nyala Hare O'Connor was second and Lily Panamick, third.

All in all, a great day. Songs, dancers, activities, competitions and good food added up to a lot of fun and the celebration of First Nation culture.



Several dancers were on hand to celebrate First Nation language and culture on Aboriginal Day at the Francis Xavier Debassige Memorial Ball Park and Powwow Grounds. Pictured, front, are dancers Jaiden Ense, Lourdes Tauker, Mathew Debassige and back, Jolene and Logan Debassige.

asunrise summer solstice ceremony held at the Francis Xavier Debassige Memorial Ball Park and Powwow Grounds. Other early events held at the Ojibwe Cultural Foundation were a massage with Lynn, herbal

tion was set up as well as vendors and M'Chigeeng Drum made their entrance with a grand entry song using the drum that had first been blessed at a sacred fire. At this point, the dancers, including

## Can you help recover this treasured family heirloom?

EVANSVILLE—The Larocque family recently returned to their beloved piece of Island property on Western Manitoulin to find a family landmark, one that had stood there for over 30 years, stolen—and they want it back.

At 17671 Highway 540, between Evansville and Elizabeth Bay, just before the Elizabeth Bay United Church, a wooden man has greeted the Larocque family to their homestead, handcrafted by the late Pepere Larocque.

"It holds a lot of sentimental value to our family, and we were devastated to find out that someone had stolen him when we showed up at the camp this past weekend," Sylvia Larocque told The Expositor.

According to neighbours, the wooden figure was still there until the second week of June, "so we believe he was taken in the last couple of weeks. My mom used to dress him according to the season, and anyone driving by is familiar with him."

"We would appreciate any help we can find on this matter," Ms. Larocque continued. "We were hoping you could post

this in your paper and maybe someone will spot him and return him, or any information leading to his return. We aren't looking for a reward, we aren't going to press charges or anything, we would just like him returned as he has become a beloved part of our family over the years. Any help will be greatly appreciated!"

Anyone with any information to help the Larocques repatriate this missing family treasure can email

editor@manitoulin.ca.



The Highway 540 wooden man has welcomed the Larocque family to the West End for over 30 years. He went missing last month.

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# Visiting Manitoulin?

## La Cloche Art Show presents 39th

by Michael Erskine  
 WHITEFISH FALLS—Getting a piece into the juried La Cloche Art Show is a seminal highpoint in many artist's careers, such is the competition.

Before the opening reception on June 30, this year's distinguished artist Kathy Dolan of Espanola provided a workshop on how she creates her stunning pastel landscapes which was very well attended.

"I am just so thrilled and surprised," said Ms. Dolan on being chosen as Distinguished Artist for the 39th juried show. "Ever since I first entered the show it has been an aspiration of mine to be a featured artist."

La Cloche Art Show Committee Chair Carmela Ciccarella welcomed the artists to the reception and award show, giving thanks to the many artists, volunteers and sponsors who help to make the show an outstanding success. "A working partnership between artists, sponsors and community is a must to ensure that the La Cloche Art Show will continue to be vibrant and dynamic well into the future," she said. "A thank you to this year's committee Jon and Kerry Butler, Trudy and Peter Bolduc, David and Sheila Cole, Mary Sue Bourget, Nicole Medynski, Judith Mosher and Rachelle Newton."

Ms. Ciccarella also thanked this year's jurors, including Ms. Dolan, Marsha Burden, Rose Cardinal, Hugh Kruzel and Garth Wunsch. "Thank you for your expertise and time," she said.

The chair made special mention of the elementary school art the show received this year from participating schools A.B. Ellis Public School, Espanola Pubic School, Little Current Public School, Espanola's Sacred Heart Public School, Whitefish River First Nation's Shawanosowe School and St. Joseph's in Espanola.

"As always," concluded Ms. Ciccarella, "we are honoured to show three pieces from our artist emeritus, Ivan



La Cloche Art Show committee member Judith Mosher presents first place winner in the Elementary School Art award category to Paige Eadie for 'Fox's Perch.'

photos by Michael Erskine



La Cloche Art Show Committee Chair Carmela Ciccarella presents Best of Show winner David Read with his certificate for his piece 'Flowing Rocks.'

Wheale, one of the co-founders of this show."

Elementary school awards this year included: first, Paige Eadie for 'Fox's Perch'; second Michelle Desbien for 'The Galaxy'; while honourable mentions went to Aaron Seltzer for 'Canadian Moose' and Nathan Carney for 'Misty Forest.'

In the acrylic category, Suzanne Lindsay was awarded first prize for 'Untamed,' Barry Bowerman received sec-

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# juried exhibition on until July 10



ABOVE: Gene Solomon receives the first prize sculpture awarded for his 'Jackleg Miner' from La Cloche Art Show committee member Kerry Butler.

BELOW: Participants enjoy themselves during Kathy Dolan's workshop.



second prize for 'Mourning Glory' and honourable mentions went to Bill Whittaker for 'The Crack' and Suzanne Lindsay for 'Ragged Edges.'

In drawing, first prize went to Donna Kanerva for 'Gossip Girls,' second prize went to Beth Bouffard for 'Almost Home' and an honourable mention went to Ruth Wallace for 'Harvest Moon Dancer.'

In mixed media, Berdina Beaven won first prize for 'Cascading Waters,' second prize went to Laura Landers for 'Low Waters' and honourable mentions went to Linda Helin for 'Glimpse of the Spirit World' and Lionel Venne for 'The Beaver Pond.'

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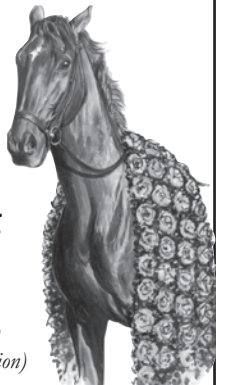
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# The Mutchmor open for great coffee and unique shopping in Providence Bay

PROVIDENCE BAY—The Mutchmor, the former McDermid's Home Hardware building in Providence Bay, held its official grand opening this past Canada Day and is quickly earning a name for itself as a 'must visit' destination on Manitoulin.

The name of the new space, The Mutchmor Galleries, comes from the name of the street on which it stands, with 'Mutchmor' being the original name of Hwy 551 and one of the original family names in the village.

Matthew Garniss, proprietor of Providence Bay's Lake Huron Fish and Chips Co., purchased the 10,000 sq foot historical building last year and renovated the space along with his girlfriend Bridgette Sarpong, turning it into a café, health food store, art galleries, record store and home décor store.

"Everything has been great," said Mr. Garniss of the store since its soft opening. "The first day was really emotional for a lot of people seeing the building open again because it means so much to people in the community. It has been a major cornerstone on the Island for a number of years and a lot of people were really supportive of us buying the building and opening it again."

Mr. Garniss said that the store has been busy since it opened, both with tourists and Islanders from across Manitoulin coming to see

the new store.

"Everyone's reaction has been so positive—it is really encouraging," said Mr. Garniss.

"Matthew and I live in Toronto in the winter, and a big part of my route is getting up and buying a scone and Americano," explained Ms. Sarpong of the idea behind The Mutchmor and the Peace Café. "I wasn't able to do that here (in Providence Bay). We have so many amazing things here, but you have to go to Minde-

moya for coffee."

Ms. Sarpong said that she had wanted to open a café to serve the things that she



Toots McDermid, centre, cuts the ribbon marking the official opening of The Mutchmor in Providence Bay on Canada Day. To the left of Ms. McDermid is Mutchmor owner Matthew Garniss and his partner and Peace Café proprietor Bridgette Sarpong. Ms. McDermid was the proprietor of the former McDermid's Home Hardware that the Mutchmor now occupies.

photo by Christine Lee-McNaughton

loves.

"Matthew wanted to extend the gallery (the small building located next to Lake Huron Fish and

tomers. "I really love good coffee and I've tried to focus on that," said Mr. Sarpong, noting that she only has two

Chips), and I wanted to open a café—we just knew what we wanted to do and it worked together," she explained.

Mr. Sarpong, who is originally from Toronto, worked in cafés in New York while in school, but attended barista training to ensure she had the knowledge to create the best cup of coffee for her cus-

tomers. She will also be bringing in tea from her own company Steep and Jar. With organic teas such as 'cinnamon sunset,' 'lavender city,' and 'peach escape.'

Whether you're sitting at the community table, repurposed from old shelving in the building, or sitting in a comfy chair in the window, there are numerous baked treats to try from Islander Lisa Hallaert such as cinnamon bread, pecan pie and fudgy brownies. There are also a number of specialty health food items and drinks (all in environmentally friendly packaging).

The Oriole Arts Studio and Gallery is located at the front of the building, next to the Peace Café. Artists Erin Blythe Reddie, Jan McQuay, Ursula Hettman, Detlef Heiser and Nancy McDermid share the studio, showcasing their individual works. Ms. Reddie's work includes beaded scarves, notepaper and pieces featuring Haiku, while Ms. McQuay creates pottery and takes beautiful photographs. Manitoulin woodworker Detlef Heiser's Shaker boxes show his exceptional craftsmanship and Ms. Hettman's stunning jewellery and unique cloth-

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The Mutchmor owner Matthew Garniss and his partner and Peace Cafe proprietor Bridgette Sarpong.

photos by Alicia McCutcheon



Customers enjoy an espresso and treats at the Peace Café sitting at the community table created from old shelving from the building.



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# Manitoulin celebrates Canada Day!



Allan, Evan and Kailey Macpherson of Toronto enjoyed the South Baymouth Community Development Association barbecue.



The cardboard boat races as part of Gordon-Barrie Island's celebrations are always a good time.



Gibson Gilchrist, age 4, is transformed into a bunny at the face painting station as part of Little Current's Canada Day activities.



The potato sack race at the Ice Lake community picnic is a popular event.



Jean McCauley rides in style on the occasion of her 100th birthday at the South Baymouth parade.



These youngsters are done up Canada style in honour of the Gore Bay parade.



Assiginack hosted a Canada Day beach party on July 1 with fun and games such as the water brigade.



This South Baymouth Canada Day float pays homage to the Chi-Cheemaun ferry.



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# River School is in session, 4elements hosts kid and adult programs

by Sharon Jackson

KAGAWONG—4e is thrilled to announce a full-fledged River School program thanks to funding from The Ontario Trillium Foundation.

"We've partnered with Manitoulin Streams to deliver a series of summer programs for kids and adults (short and long sessions) along the Kagawong River," shared Sophie Edwards, executive director of 4elements Living Arts.

"Each program will be jam packed with integrated art-science activities and river exploration, specifically tailored to the age group." Ms. Edwards continued. "You or your child will learn in a holistic way that integrates embodied, hands-on scientific learning with creative expression and art and come away from the program look-

ing at the Kagawong River and its watershed in a new way; feeling connected to the place you call home. Also, it's going to be a truck load of creative fun! Check our program page for the details."

"We had such an overwhelming response to last summer's pilot program that we're revamping, re-launching and expanding the program to include a one week intensive for kids aged 4-6, four half-day sessions for kids 4-9, and two adult programs."

Some of the adult programs include watershed photo-documentation, riparian reveries: plants, roots and invertebrates; and sound ecologies.

Kids will learn about riverbed and substrate exploration, plant and animal life of the Kagawong River, water flow,

and riffing on the riparian and River: the art and science of river ecology.

Each kids' session includes a mix of river science and art-making, led by experts and professional art educators. Kids spend a fun filled day outdoors along the river. In the event of heavy rain an alternate indoor program will be offered.

Each adult workshop is facilitated by a team of local experts and highly experienced arts educators. Guest experts compliment the program's activities.

Come prepared to get your feet wet, and your hands dirty. Space is limited. Register soon to avoid disappointment.

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## ...La Cloche Art Show presents 39th juried exhibition on until July 10

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In oil, first prize went to Karin Fediw for 'End of Day,' second prize went to David Read for 'Maybe?' and honourable mentions went to Carol Rodrigue for 'Return to Sender' and Andrew Gallagher for 'On Grace Lake.'

In pastel, first prize went to Beth Bouffard for 'Summer Visitors,' second prize went to Vivian Ripley for 'Go With The Flow' and honourable mentions went to Debra Lynn Ireland for 'What Are You Chicken?' and Susan O'Donnell for 'Worth A Second Look.'

In photography, Gaetanne Riopel took both first and second, for 'In Flight' and 'Le Moulin' respectively, and honourable mentions went to Mary Lou Bickell for 'Inner Beauty' and Pierre Leroux for 'Manitoulin Pink.'

In sculpture, first prize went to Gene Solomon for 'Jackleg Miner' and second prize went to Darren Mick for 'Maple Leaf Mask,' while honourable mention went to Don Alemany for 'A Dandy Day (American Goldfinch).'

In the watercolour category, Richard Edwards won first prize for 'Clear Water,' second prize went to Ruth Reid for 'Rhapsody' and honourable mentions went to Merle Canjar for 'Full Bloom' and Sheila Cole for 'Primrose Pool.'

The Committee's Choice Award went to Cliff Jewell for '57 Chev Bel Air.'

The Peg Forbes Award went to Jay Favot for 'The Crack.'

The Ivan Wheale Award went to Mary Lou MacDonald for 'Hoot.'

Best of Show was won by David read for 'Flowing Rocks.'

The La Cloche Art Show is on now until Sunday, July 10 at the Whitefish Falls Community Centre and is open daily from 11 am to 5 pm daily.



The 2016 artists of the 39th juried exhibition La Cloche Art Show pose for a group photo at last week's opening reception.

## ...The Mutchmor opening

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ing are also featured in the gallery. Ms. McDermid's work includes paintings and her photography printed on canvas.

Diane Cruttenden, weaver and fiber artist (of the former Sheepish Grin), has her own space in the new building, a studio/shop featuring her handspun yarn and detailed tapestries, woven pieces and jewellery.

Island Home Outfitters has rustic home décor from old milk jugs, nautical signs, mason jar wall change holders to barnwood coat hooks made from owner Jennifer Moffat.

Displayed in cases across the store are jewellery from various artists. Muizee's pieces created by Briar Gorton of Toronto are playful and whimsical, while Sugar Blossom features fun, colourful fabric bracelets.

Karatoya Jewellery includes delicate elephant earrings, pineapple rings and palm tree necklaces in gold and silver. Anchored Jewelry, created on Manitoulin by Robin Burrridge, is all hand stamped and includes brass and sterling silver earring, necklaces, rings and bracelets, many featuring the Island outline or the coordinates of Providence Bay.

NPK Naturals is a line of bath and body products such as yummy coffee scrub, raspberry body but-

ter and carrot seed sunblock.

Bowties from VIVID in Toronto come in a variety of styles, and Identity tees and home goods feature pillows made from old Hudson Bay blankets.

Cathwren's Nest has handmade leaf bird baths for sale, while Oshadenah Handcrafts offers a variety of knitted goods.

Sheila McDermid offers beautifully hand painted ornaments, wine glasses and even skates.

Mugs from Greg Voisin, Pendleton Woolen Mills products and Royal Canadian Air Force bags and t-shirts are also for sale, as are tamarack tree cutting boards from Trevor's Boards (made on Manitoulin) and Your Pal, Al's handmade concrete coasters, planters and stools.

The walls of the large store and café feature art work for sale from Anong Beam, Ann Beam, Linda Williamson, Allie Croza, Madonna Aeschlimann and Kabelik.

Also located in the store is a record section overseen by Mr. Garniss, offering a wide variety of new and used records.

The Mutchmor will be hosting its official grand opening on Canada Day weekend. It is open daily from 8:30 am to 5:30 pm.

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# Public input opportunity on Local Food Act goals

**by Michael Erskine**  
 TORONTO—The Ontario Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs (OMAFRA) is seeking public input on a draft of local food access goals stemming from the second aspirational goal of the Local Food Act, 2013.

Under the Act, the goal entitled 'increasing access to local food' was proclaimed and stakeholders and other interested organizations and communities were engaged to refine three (deliberately broad) preliminary draft goals earlier this spring.

"The goals are intentionally broad in order to capture as many local food conversations as possible," notes an OMAFRA release.

"Given the desire of Ontarians to choose local food when available, and to make local food more available to everyone, the draft aspirational local food access goals are as follows: increase opportunities for all Ontarians to choose local food; increase the variety of local food offerings to celebrate the diversity of Ontario and its foods; and increase collaborations and strengthen partnerships among producers, communities, and the public and private sectors."

Manitoulin local food advocate Valerie McIntyre said that the local food organization here has been frustrated by a lack of input into decisions in the region, particularly on Manitoulin.

"I keep trying to have us included, but it has been frustrating," she said. "We were told that the local food hub would be in place on the Island by 2016, but we have not heard anything. We have no idea what is going on."

Ms. McIntyre said that the local group is planning to submit input.

"We are no longer part of the Island Good Food Box program," she noted, pointing out that including the local food options in the box is problematic because of agreements to purchase from local retailers. "They told me it wouldn't be fair to them. They are trying to source Ontario food."

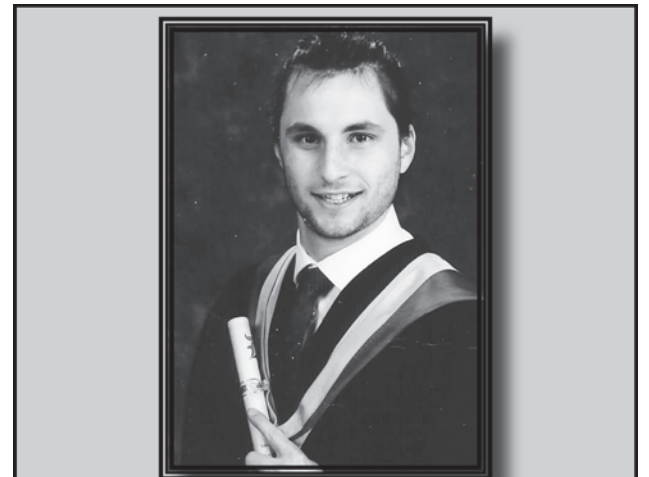
Local food is defined within the Local Food Act

as "food produced or harvested in Ontario, including forest or freshwater food, and subject to any limitations in the regulations, food and beverages made in Ontario if they include ingredients produced or harvested in Ontario; this definition recognizes the traditional knowledge, diverse cultures and holistic belief systems of indigenous peoples and includes their traditional foods."

The Ontario government is looking for public input on the draft local food access goals. "We'd like to hear your general comments regarding the draft aspirational goals and answers to the following guiding questions: How

could the draft goals be revised to better support increasing access of local food to all Ontarians?; What is currently happening in your community to support local food access?; and how should success toward the draft local food access goals

be measured? Those wishing to submit feedback are requested to submit that comment by August 3, 2016 at [www.omafra.gov.on.ca/english/about/local\\_food\\_goals.htm](http://www.omafra.gov.on.ca/english/about/local_food_goals.htm).



Dan and Marilyn Proulx are proud to announce the graduation of their son Lucas Proulx from Laurentian University in the Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology Program, Magna cum laude. They are even more thrilled to announce his admission to McMaster University in September 2016 in the Masters of Science in Physiotherapy Program. *Passions become reality! Congratulations Lucas!*



## farm facts and furrows

by OMAFRA Ag Rep Brian Bell



### OFA 80th Anniversary Bursary

Three new bursaries in the amount of \$3,500 per recipient are available for students of OFA (Ontario Federation of Agriculture) families who are entering or currently pursuing a post-secondary education in an agriculture-related program. The bursaries are part of this year's events and activities to mark OFA's 80th anniversary. The funds were raised at the 2015 OFA Annual General Meeting silent auction and Harvest Tailgate Celebration 50/50 draw. The bursaries will be awarded regionally, selecting one student from each region. The regions include Northern, Eastern and Southwestern Ontario. The amount of the bursary is \$3,500 per student. Eligible applicants include students of OFA families from across Ontario. Applicants should be able to demonstrate volunteer and industry related accomplishments, an interest in agriculture and rural issues, community involvement and satisfactory academic performance. Application forms and all supporting documentation must be submitted to OFA by August 1, 2016. The selected recipients will be announced at the 2016 OFA Annual General Meeting and Convention.

### Growing Forward 2 (GF2) Funding

Be ready when the next round of Growing Forward 2 funding applications opens on June 23, 2016, with applications accepted until July 14, 2016. What are we looking for? Good projects that align with one of the six areas of focus, well-written and well-documented projects, the required

permits for the proposed project are in place, and new projects that have yet to be started. Areas of focus eligible for funding: environment and climate change adaptation; animal and plant health; market development; labour productivity enhancement; assurance systems; food safety, traceability, animal welfare; and business and leadership development. For more information visit the OMAFRA website.

## Tehkummah Talk and Times

On Monday evening I attended a Look Good, Feel Better program, this is sponsored by many cosmetic companies. We each got our own kit, valued between \$300 to \$500, depending on the sponsors for that session. Three nice girls helped us with our kits, and our make up. I have to tell you we were lovely! Our kits were pink, and the volunteers were in pink aprons. Some had 5-year pins! The speaker had been in it since 2004. The girls-Diane, Diane, and Barb. Wednesday evening music started at 6:30. There were three draws, Judy Long, a girl who never wins, won! The band's name, "Country Classic." Omar St Amant, mouth organ, Jaw harp, washboard, etc. and a great dancer as well, CDs too. Claude Rainville, Fiddle; Giles Bedard, guitar and vocals; Fern Desmaris, guitar, bass, keyboard and vocals. Lots of singing along. They entertained in our dining area "good stuff." Tuesday I won a couple of prizes at bingo. I don't think anyone goes away without a prize in hand.

Happy Birthday, Helen Oswald! How could I forget!?

Today, Wednesday, I met Shirley Wilson in the craft room at the Lodge. She is married to a Tehkummah lad (Maitland). This will be a short week, as I can go home tomorrow and my appointment is early too (unless they change it today. Everything is subject to change.) Yesterday while awaiting my turn I sat with the lady who volunteered and was my first chemo assistant. Her husband was walking; he needed another go at the machine, a sign of times I guess. I had a recall too, after drinking more water. I gotta say, it's interesting. Lots of great folks, friendly and upbeat. I also had a (Doppler?) spelling? yesterday too and an exceptionally long hike from one end of the hospital to another!! A young volunteer guided me, his name "Retdick." I should have asked him to spell his name for me!

Susan (Sis) and Lori brought me over on Monday; Lori would be co-piloting on the way home.

So many school buses three days at Science North; there are five this morning. The girls who keep things neat and tidy around here are nice and thoughtful. Did I tell you

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# Providence Bay News and Notes

Winners of the monthly euchre tournament held at the Providence Bay Seniors Twilight Club on June 28 were as follows: 1st place, Bernice and Donna with 91 points; 2nd place, Sally and Kal with 81 points; 3rd place, Bill and Brad with 79 points; and 4th place went to Janet and Mary with 76. The winner of the most lone hands went 1st place to Bernice and Donna with a whopping nine loners (which explains their first place score as well) and second for lone hands went to Sally and Kal. Low hand skunk was won by Linda and Danielle. Bill and Brad were the winners of the door prize. Just a reminder to everyone that there will not be any weekly euchre nights held until September. The monthly euchre tournament will continue to be held the last Tuesday of each month. So the next tournament being held in July will be on the 26th.

Warren and Carson were here visiting their grandparents Pat and Don Burke.

Sally Miller is now cast free after 10 long weeks and had some cousins visiting from across the pond. Visitors Andy and eighteen year old Brandon Weller were here visiting from the town of Crawley in West Sussex, United Kingdom. This was just one of their stops in Canada and they will carry on to Stratford once leaving our beautiful island.

Kerry Barclay nee Cranston was home for the long weekend visiting husband Steve. She enjoyed many outings with her sister and Mom Shirley.

The long weekend had many people come to the village to celebrate Canada Day with us even with the inclement weather that started out the day. The Spring Bay/Providence Bay Lions Club held their annual yard sale both on Friday and Saturday. It was a success again thanks to the many volunteers. The activities on the beach were well attended. The free cake and lemonade that was donated by the Central Manitoulin Lions Club was a hit. Thank you for the donation. The family dance was a huge success. The kids had a blast! The music that was held down at the Discovery Centre was great and had everyone tapping their toes. The fireworks had to be cancelled this year due to the complete fire ban in place for the township. We can't wait to find out when they're rescheduled to.

The Mutchmor held their grand opening on July 1 as well. The festivities began at 11 am with food platters and cake. There was live music and had over 300 people in attendance. The owners Matthew Garniss and girlfriend Bridgette honoured Audrey 'Toots' McDermid with the task of cutting the ribbon on the new venture. Toots is the former owner of the McDermid's Home Hardware that the Mutchmor is now housed in. Having this special lady do it could not have been more perfect.

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Delroy Prescott who celebrates on Wednesday, July 6.

Many people have been complaining about the condition of the beach. In fact there have been many letters written to this very paper. Complaints have been made to the township with little if any results being noticed. People are confused as to where the next step is. How do we get our beach cleaned while protecting endangered species in the environment. I think that everyone is in agreement that pro-

tection is important but we want our beach back. Other communities have been able to successfully clean their beach areas while protecting natural habitat. Does anyone know what the next steps would be?

The monthly Providence Bay Curling Club breakfast will be held on Thursday, July 7. This is an amazing breakfast buffet that runs from 7-9:30 am. The cost is \$10 for scrambled eggs, pancakes, hash browns, sausage or bacon or peameal, toast, fruit salad and coffee or tea. Come on out and help support the curling club.

The Central Manitoulin Public Libraries has some programs starting for the summer. At the Providence Bay Library there will be a Children's Story Hour every Friday at 2 pm during the months of July and August. The first Story hour will be held on Friday, July 8 at 2 pm. Also on Tuesdays at the Mindemoya Library there will be a Children's Fun Time at 11 am during the months of July and August. The first Fun Time will be held Tuesday, July 5 and all children, all ages will be doing a special project: card making. Come and learn how to make lovely cards. Central Manitoulin Public Libraries also has a table at the Mindemoya Farmers' Market selling books, DVDs, talking books, etc. Everything is three for \$1 or \$0.50. Come out and support your local library.

Work continues on the Providence Bay Village Square. The sign posts have been installed. The village square sign will soon be up. We can't wait to see it. Volunteers are welcome to join a core group of workers every Saturday morning at 10 am (rain date on Sundays). Special work bees will be organized throughout the summer to complete a specific phase of the project. The next work bee will be on July 9 to finish preparing and mulching the planting beds and leveling/raking the areas for grass seeding. Bring garden rakes, shovels and wheelbarrows. A reminder to all gardeners, that any donations of perennial plants and/or shrubs are most gratefully accepted. Either bring them to 5252 Hwy 551 (blue house on the main street in Prov) and plant them temporarily in the driveway nursery garden or bring them to the Square later in August when a specific work bee will be held for planting. A huge thank you goes out to all those who have donated time, energy, materials and funds to make this beautification project a reality. It is truly a community effort.

The annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event is being held for the Municipality of Central Manitoulin on Saturday, July 9 from 1 to 4 pm at the Mindemoya Roads Building. This is at 7 Lakeshore Road off Highway 542/551 in Mindemoya. For more information contact the Mindemoya office at 705-377-5726.

If you have any events, birthday wishes, visitors or trips that you would like included in the news, please let us know. You can contact Cheryl at 705-377-7511 or by email at prov\_chick@hotmail.com It makes the column much more interesting when we have input from other community members. All submissions must be made by Sunday at 3 pm for inclusion in the following Wednesday paper.

## ...Tehkummah Talk and Times

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we don't even do our own dishes?

Cribbage tables: high hand, Cal, 24; first, Dorothy A and Lois, 950; second, Simon and Dorothy C, 946; third, Lori and Rick, 925; low, Lloyd and Keith, 831; door, Dorothy, Ruth and Patsy.

Euchre, June 30. Men's high, Rick 85, and 4 lone hands; men's low, Dave Nelder; ladies' high, 86, Rose and 6 lone hands; ladies low, 53, Dorothy C.; Door prize, ?.

I'm getting better at goofing up. I can blame so much on chemo, old age and memory loss!! It was Anita (Greenway) and not Lynn that attended Sammy's dance recital with Chris. Susan and Bids sorry. Bid's little granddaughter, Marina, was celebrating her 6th birthday today. I saw her at the museum BBQ. They sure were busy there, and they also had many great desserts on sale at the bake table.

Saturday, where were the money takers tonight? I should have had a tollbooth set up by Brown's. There sure were a multitude of fireworks watchers. We were prepared with our money but didn't see anyone collecting. Good long-lasting displays. Cal and I left the Pyette reunion and

the timing was almost perfect. The family music was pretty well over. Jeff Pyette, David Labelle and many Pyette family members, excellent fiddle! Kevin Patison said they had 105 registered but, perhaps, 20 didn't make the dinner. A cold plate, was delicious. A lot of credit went to Lisa and family for the great strawberry rhubarb jam (this week) for handouts to everyone who registered, and a jellybean guessing contest was won by Betty?

Lots of visiting and families introduced theirs, and named their parents, and the connection. Old home week/day for many who have Island background and connections.

Of course, they had their usual silent auction inside, where many great donated items and gift certificates were there for us to bid on. I had a phone message when I got home. I purchased a couple of items. And as for the parade, it has to be one of the "best" for such a small community. It was fantabulous!! I hear Lorrie gets a lot of credit for organizing. I have no idea how many floats, tractors, horses, great cars, but there were many! Walkers, etc. too.

The firefighters had their annual "yard" sale. Yards of stuff to look at!

Missed the St. Andrews Church annual fundraising fish dinner, but next time! Maybe?

From Aylmwick gift cards and letter from Jane Johnson, calls from Derek, and Kim and Kathy. I came home from Sudbury with Colleen Giles from Little Current, who is also undergoing radiation. Lori met me at Garry's Restaurant. We, Cal and I, played cards with Rick and Lori on Friday night.

I forgot to mention Mum was in the parade! Across the windshield, Happy 100th Birthday Jean. Riley was driving Eric's car (I believe). Chris and Susan back seat drivers!

You do the most damage the simplest way. I was just reaching across my bed for my watch and I popped (loudly) something in the

calf, below the knee. It's "KINDA IN PAIN" and causes me to moan and hobble!

Pauline and Wayne had their daughter Christine and Dave, and granddaughter Tatyana visiting. They took in South Baymouth's festivities.

After church today I picked up my auction wins at the museum, Patti came in freshly bee stung with her daughter Sarah? (Loretta on duty) The girls tired out from their busy day Saturday. Didn't the weather co-operate beautifully for our local events. Today our minute for mission had the loveliest message on thanking our ministers for all they do. Today it was June McDougall back in the pulpit. Mary Yett and I had lunch at Carol's and Earl's afterward.



*I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved... John 10:9*

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