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**GOLDEN GALA**—Extencare Assist Management and Consulting Services director of operations Tracey Mulcahy traded the \$2,000 travel voucher door prize for one of Mike Dubreuil's legendary butter tarts in one of the evening's many surprises. Mr. Dubreuil's wife Manor Director of Care Sylvie Clark and Manor Administrator Michelle Bond were all smiles when one dozen of the butter tarts sold for \$50 and a second dozen topped that at \$260. **SEE STORY AND MORE PHOTOS ON PAGE 5**

## Wiikwemkoong bids for 'guaranteed income' centre pilot

### Province seeking First Nations communities for next phase

**by Alicia McCutcheon**  
WIKWEMKOONG—Following the launch of the three-year Basic Income Pilot project in three Ontario municipalities, Wiikwemkoong has announced that it is seeking to be chosen as one of the communities to participate in a parallel project specific to First Nations. Wiikwemkoong Chief Duke Peltier told The Expositor that his community has sent a letter of intent to the province, with the knowledge that the government is currently looking at First Nations in which to run a similar pilot.

"Shortly after the launch, we felt we were positioned regionally to be considered because we know there is an absence in Northeastern Ontario of a (program) site," Chief Peltier said. "So perhaps the province will consider Wiikwemkoong." In Northeastern Ontario, the city of Thunder Bay was picked as one of the initial three communities to pilot the new program.

Chief Peltier noted that his community runs a full-service Ontario Works program in-house and has done so for many years. The Wiikwemkoong Ontario Works office also collaborates with many of the other community programs on offer through its

administration. "Because of the amount of clients we have (utilizing Ontario Works), it's our determination that it would be a very good fit," the chief said, "not only for clients to obtain additional workforce training, but there's an added economic boost to Manitoulin and the region."

"We have a good working relationship with the mayor and council in (neighbouring) Assiginack," Chief Peltier explained. "Many of our people do some

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## Municipal nod to Hydro One's Garlon spraying trumps citizen fears

**by Alicia McCutcheon**  
MANITOULIN—Hydro One announced in a newspaper ad in last week's Expositor that it will begin its brush control operations in the Northeast Town from next Monday, May 15 to June 14, at times using the herbicide Garlon RTU as part of its brushing.

The Hydro One ad notes that all property owners affected will be contacted, but Mike Barnett of

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## Major regional sawmill sees US lumber tariff as challenge but enjoys good domestic market

### AECOM at Nairn Centre employs many Islanders

**by Michael Erskine**  
MONTREAL—Softwood lumber has long been a sticking point in trade relations between the US and Canada, as US producers bris-

tle at the way timber rights on provincial Crown land are sold. That dispute came to a head recently, as the US Department of Commerce imposed an interim

tariff on Canadian timber of 19.88 percent on Canadian exports into the US, and made that tariff retroactive to January.

EACOM Timber Corporation, which operates the mill in Nairn Centre, ships as much as 50 percent of the production from its mills in Ontario and Quebec into the US, according to Christine Leduc, director of public affairs at EACOM's head office in Montreal. The new tariff regime will doubtless impact the company's

responding to calls on First Nations, send in a reporting form about the number of calls and the nature of those calls on an annual

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## First Nations fire departments seek parity priority in training, equipment

**by Alicia McCutcheon**  
MANITOULIN—The rate of house fires on Canadian First Nations is 10 percent above the national average and has resulted in 175 deaths in the last 15 years—a figure that has caused the federal government to stand up and pay attention.

The Expositor spoke with Steve Nolan, president of the Ontario Native Fire Fighters Society (ONFFS) just moments after this organization's meeting with Indigenous Affairs Minister Carolyn Bennett last week.

"We had a brief discussion with the minister and her staff," Mr. Nolan said, noting that Minister Bennett committed funds to the Society's June conference, to be held in Thunder Bay, and a promise to reinstate the reporting program.

Mr. Nolan explained that the reporting program will see First Nation fire departments, or municipal fire departments

## Manitoulin Indigenous Games

### Island schools (and beyond) invited to participate

**by Robin Burrige**  
M'CHIGEENG—Kenjegin Teg Educational Institute (KTEI) will be hosting the inaugural Manitoulin Indigenous Games on Wednesday, May 31 at the M'Chigeeng powwow grounds, bringing together area students to compete in several traditional games.

"The games were the brainchild of KTEI Executive Director Stephanie Roy," KTEI Indigenous Games instructor Steven Pruchnicki told The Expositor. "The games weren't being taught in the area schools, but they are very much a part of indigenous culture. Stephanie wanted to revitalize the indigenous games and reintroduce them in the schools on Manitoulin and beyond."

Fellow KTEI Indigenous Games instructor Diana Stevens added that sports are an integral part of aboriginal culture and that the games are providing students the opportunity to connect with their heritage.

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Little Current Public School Grade 4/5 students practice their lacrosse skills with Steven Pruchnicki, Kenjegin Teg Educational Institute (KTEI) Indigenous Games instructor, for the upcoming Manitoulin Indigenous Games being hosted by KTEI in M'Chigeeng later this month.

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The scene last Wednesday afternoon as a fire claims the home of a Sheguiandah First Nation family.

photo by Joe Hannah



The blaze destroyed the home belonging to Kim Waindubence and Dave Doucette and their three children.

photo by Robin Burrige

# Relay for Life returns to Manitoulin June 2

by Michael Erskine

M'CHIGEENG—A perfect storm of personal tragedies amongst the three guiding teachers last year, including a family death due to cancer, a hospitalization and another death in the family delayed the biannual hosting of Relay for Life at Manitoulin Secondary School (MSS). But the cancer fundraiser is back on track and ready to go full steam ahead on June 2.

"Normally we have it every two years, it involves a lot of work," noted Leslie Marshall, Relay for Life mentor at MSS. "But we decided to put it off for another year because of all that was going on."

The theme of this year's event is 'Kick'n Cancer - Let's Give Cancer the Boot.' Prizes will be given out for the team that raises the most money, the best decorated tent area, the most spirited team and the best dressed team.

MSS student volunteers are hard at work, recruiting teams and fundraising for the event. "This year we have a very strong group of students who really wanted to do it," said Ms. Marshall.

Relay for Life has proven very successful as a fundraiser. "They usually raise between \$30,000 and \$40,000 with the event," said Ms. Marshall. "Over the years it has raised a lot of money."

In 2016, Relay for Life raised over \$28 million from 432 events across the country.

The first Relay for Life event in Canada was held in 1999 and raised \$85,000. Since then the fundraiser has pulled in over \$500 million for the Canadian Cancer Society. Those funds are used to support Canada's most promising cancer research and vital support services for people with cancer and their families. With your help, the Society has been able to impact so many lives.

In the Relay for Life, eight to 12 friends, family members, co-workers, etc. form a relay team. Each participant pays a registration fee of \$15 and raises a minimum of \$100 in pledges. Funds may be raised by individual members or as a team via bake sales, car washes, or any other chosen strategy. The registration fee includes a t-shirt and one luminary. Extra luminaries can be purchased for \$5 each.

On relay night, Friday, June 2, participants will be assigned an area to set up a team tent, which will serve as their team headquarters/rest area for the event. Tents should be decorated in the teams chosen theme.

The relay may be run, walked, strolled or wheelchaired. No rollerblades or bicycles please. Competition is friendly and even optional.

Cancer survivors are individually introduced during the opening ceremonies and are invited to begin the relay by walking the survivors' 'victory' lap around the track. As the survivors' lap is completed, the relay participants join in behind the survivors. Each team must have one (or more if they chose) representative on the track at all times (1/2 hour shifts are common). Teams may keep track of laps if desired.

After dark, a luminary ceremony will be held. Candles that have been purchased and placed around the track are lit by participants in memory of those who lost their fight with cancer and in honour of those who have survived. These candles remain lit throughout the night. Luminaries are available through participants, in businesses around Manitoulin and at the event until 8:00 pm.

Throughout the event, participants not on the track are able to enjoy a variety of lively entertainment and activities—some may even catch a few winks.

"Everyone goes home a winner for having participated in such a giving event," noted Ms. Marshall. "The experience is sure to be unforgettable for all involved."

In order to register a Relay for Life team you can either call MSS at 705-368-7000 and ask for Ms. Marshall or one of the other Relay for Life organizers, or you can go online to "accept the baton" at [www.relayforlife.ca/manitoulinss](http://www.relayforlife.ca/manitoulinss). A \$15 registration fee can be paid at MSS, cheques should be made out to the Canadian Cancer Society.

## Sheguiandah family of five loses home to fire

*Community seeking donations for parents, children*

SHEGUIANDAH—Manitoulin has seen its fourth house fire in as many weeks as a fire tore through a Sheguiandah First Nation home last Wednesday afternoon, destroying the house belonging to a family of five.

The house belonged to Kim Waindubence and Dave Doucette and their three children, a 12-year-old boy, 11-year-old girl and a four-year-old girl. The family is in need of donations as they begin to piece their lives back together.

"At 3:43 pm we got a call for a fully involved structure fire on the Sheguiandah First Nation," explained Darren Bailey, Northeast Town Fire Department fire chief. "We were on the scene 12 minutes later and the house was indeed fully involved."

Mr. Bailey said it took his crews about two hours to extinguish the blaze.

"We were told on the scene that everyone was out of the home but the dog," Mr. Bailey explained. Fire crews located the dog an hour-and-a-half later, alive, hiding in a closet. The dog was taken to a veterinarian but on the advice of the vet, the dog was euthanized due to smoke inhalation.

The United Chiefs and Councils of Manitoulin (UCCM) Anishinaabe Police Service enlisted the help of the Ontario Fire Marshal (OFM) to help determine the cause of the blaze.

Sgt. Brad Mack told The Expositor that the cause of the blaze is still under investigation and that it will likely be two to three weeks before the UCCM Police receive the results from the OFM.

"We are looking to interview a number of people and are asking for any information from the public," Sgt. Mack said.

Anyone with any information on the fire is asked to contact the UCCM Police at 705-377-7135 or by contacting Crimestoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

Family member Nicole Waindubence is spearheading a collection for the Waindubence-Doucette family that includes clothes, household items and monetary donations with items to be dropped off at the Sheguiandah First Nation Elders' Centre, 11108A Highway 6, across from the Manitoulin Trading Post.

A GoFundMe account has also been created for the family by Terri Lynn Waindubence and can be accessed at [www.gofundme.com/m9js86-fire-loss](http://www.gofundme.com/m9js86-fire-loss).

## Lake Huron water levels down over last year

LAKE HURON—Despite the wet spring, Lake Huron water levels are down slightly from this time last year.

28 cm above the period-of-record average (1918-2016) and 11 cm below April 2016 levels.

average and 6 cm below last year's beginning of May numbers.

The beginning of May level is 31 cm above the period-of-record

The April monthly average is

## South Porcupine Bridge dedicated to fallen police officer with Island connection

*Ontario Honours OPP Cpl. Maurice Roger Leavoy who died in line of duty in Little Current*

MATHESON—On Monday, May 1 a bridge at Highway 11/Watabeag River, Bowman Township in Matheson, was officially dedi-

cated in memory of Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) Corporal Maurice Roger Leavoy, formerly of Little Current, who died fol-

lowing an incident while on duty.

On March 28, 1986, Corporal Leavoy and his partner, Constable A. Doug Mitchell, attended a disturbance call at the Shaftesbury Inn in Little Current. Both officers were attempting to arrest a man who resisted. The arrest resulted in a struggle between the man and the two officers, and

back-up was called to the scene. When the officers returned to the detachment, Corporal Leavoy reported pain and was rushed to hospital. Corporal Leavoy passed away from heart complications two days later.

Memorial signs with the officer's name and police service crest have been posted at each side of the bridge in his honour.



**Coming up Aces**

Marlene Spry, left, is all smiles as she accepts her winnings from the May 3 Little Current Lions Catch the Ace Progressive Raffle Lottery. Ms. Spry's ticket drew the envelope containing the ace of spades, so not only did she take home the weekly prize, she also snagged the cumulative prize for a total of \$9,474.50. As for her plans for the windfall, the ever practical Ms. Spry is looking at some new windows for her house. Ms. Spry is joined by Catch the Ace committee members Lions Treasurer Mike Dubreuil, President Bruce Burnett, Secretary Lori Draper and Little Current Royal Canadian Legion Branch 177 Little Current member Rick Thurston.

photo by Michael Erskine



Pictured are OPPA President Rob Jamieson, Norma Leavoy, wife of Corporal Roger Leavoy and OPPA Director John Cerasuolo.

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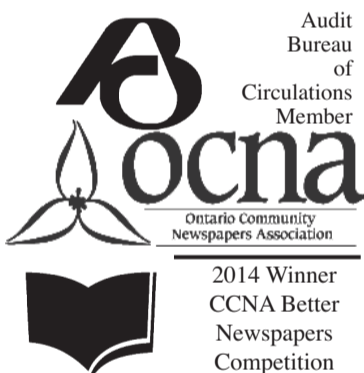
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**editorial**

## Trade is the very lifeblood of prosperity, don't kill it

Several thousand years ago humanity stumbled upon its most important discovery since fire. An early human, faced with an abundance of one thing and a shortage of another, traded some of their own surplus to another hunter-gatherer who had plenty of that which they themselves lacked. It was trade, and as humanity made greater and further advances, moving from the hunter-gatherer lifestyle to that of the herder and farmer and thereby creating ever-increasing surplus production and then the means to preserve, store and transport that production, came wealth.

With that wealth came leisure time in which to make greater discoveries, to invent new means of production, new products to produce in a cycle that has led us to the present day, where, in the industrialized world at least, we enjoy a lifestyle that to not put too fine a point on it, would appear godlike to those hunter-gatherers of yore.

Curiously, however, as humanity has amassed greater and greater wealth, we seem to have lost sight of that basic element that lies behind the creation of prosperity. Somehow, populists have managed to create the illusion that, were it not for the avarice and unfairness of our trading partners, even greater and more impressive wealth would be ours—and thus was protectionism borne.

This is not a new concept and, in an odd turnaround of current events, protectionism and the imperialist control of trade actually lie at the roots of the creation of America itself. Boston tea party anyone?

If there has ever been a poster child for the benefits of free-trade, it has been the relationship between two of the world's largest trading partners, Canada and the US. Few, if any, borders are as fluid in the back-and-forth integration of trade as is the longest unprotected border in the world. Many things pass back and forth across our borders, begun in one province, added to in another state, then passed

back again for yet another addition in another province. The auto trade is a prime example of this, as is the trade in cattle, where animals born in one country are sent to the other to be fattened and prepared for market, before being sent back to the slaughterhouse in the other.

This steady back-and-forth flow has created wealth on both sides of the border.

Now, that wealth and prosperity is being threatened for cheap political gain by demagogues who seem more intent on their own grasp on power than the weal of their citizens. It isn't that they do not know better, those at the apex of power cannot help but know the basics of how the capitalist system they espouse works and works best.

Unfortunately, as we have made technological advances and more and more jobs are lost to mechanization, robotics and better, more efficient means of production, those left out in the cold need someone to blame. As is usually the case with demagogues and populists, that villain is often someone outside of the tribe—in the case of America and the softwood lumber and dairy industry, that enemy is us.

As is too often the case when trade disputes erupt, calls for tit for tat responses have already begun to grow strident on our side of the divide, as the current (and potentially future) premier of British Columbia has not only requested the federal government reply in kind to the US imposition of tariffs, but is initiating her own trade war salvo.

It can only be fervently hoped that, for all our sakes on both sides of the border, wiser heads in congress will behead the current monster of protectionism that has begun to sink its talons into our mutual prosperity. There will be no winners in this nascent trade war should it be allowed to boil up into full scale madness—in the end we all be poorer if trade between us becomes strangled.

**letters**

## Manitoulin Centennial Manor Golden Gala was a rare experience

*So many hearts and wallets were opened generously*

**To the Expositor:**

To have been invited to participate in the fundraising gala of the Centennial Manor was a great privilege, which ended up being a rare experience.

As I journeyed home I had time to ponder over what it was that made this evening so great.

First, that an auxiliary existed with many long time members, assisted by staff and community people, who cared enough about the welfare and care of the residents to do all this work.

Secondly, that so many donors made such a great contribution to provide the items for the auction.

Third, that some 160 people came from all across Manitoulin to support the fundraiser; they came from west, to centre and the east. One couldn't help but get the feeling that people still felt that 50 years ago this was our first and only home belonging to the taxpayers of Mani-

toulin. Today, 50 years later, we the people can always control its destiny.

Fourth, that so many guests would open their hearts so generously to give to the cause. People attended from Toronto to the Soo. Some maybe further. They spoke with their wallets.

There is a perception these days that the one and only thing that unites Islanders is the water surrounding making it an island. Whether true or not, perception becomes reality.

By the time I arrived home, I was grateful to know that at least 160 people believed in the dream of our forefathers. Manitoulin is the people on this beautiful island, gathering around the flag, doing what is best for us all, with caring and love, not dissensions and division. Remember the sun comes up, in the east; the same sun sets in the west.

**Norm Morrell  
Evansville**

## Garlon debate in Billings should ponder the unknowns

*Hoping that council comes to see the light*

**To the Expositor:**

Billings council will hopefully make a final decision on their stance for or against use of Garlon on May 16. It is clear from the statements made at the last council meeting that positions have now been staked out, some clearly against the public's request, some leaning towards supporting it. I'd like all members of council to take a deep breath and think because we have all been hitting Google, council members and Billings taxpayers alike, with superficial questions on what is known about the active ingredients of Garlon, but I would like them also to think about the "unknowns" and what Donald Rumsfeld, George W. Bush's Defense Secretary calls the "unknown unknowns" before deciding [of course he was talking about the WMDs that turned out to a figment of his imagination so who knows!]

I was told a story once about a late friend by her mother. When I had first met the lady's daughter, she proudly told me she was a cancer survivor. In the short time I knew her she had cancer twice more. She also once casually mentioned that she had had her tubes tied (she was still a young woman). After her death, her mother filled in the blanks. Back in the 60s, when the mother was pregnant with her, physicians were prescribing all sorts of drugs to reduce risk of miscarriage, morning sickness etc. Her mother was prescribed three. Diethylstilbestrol (DES) a synthetic form of the female hormone estrogen. It was prescribed to pregnant women between 1940 and 1971 to prevent miscarriage, premature labor, and related complications of pregnancy. A generation later, the female offspring of those women became known as DES Daughters. Research by then confirmed that DES Daughters were at an

increased risk for: Clear cell adenocarcinoma (CCA), a rare kind of vaginal and cervical cancer (which was the third cancer visited on my friend). They also prescribed Thalidomide (we all know about that now) and one other whose name for now I forget but a generation later was found (like Thalidomide) to result in a very high rate of badly deformed children born to the daughters of these women (hence my friend deciding to be sterilized).

I have no idea what the unknowns are with the active ingredients of Garlon—none of us do—but I don't want to risk it. We know it is highly toxic. We know the Pesticide Act says it can only be used following strict instructions, use of hazmat suits, banning of humans and presumably other living creatures for days following its use. We know Hydro and the Town of Billings have as their primary tool brush cutting equipment which clears the area. They do not need to use Garlon to basically sterilize the ground after for years to come!

Because of the way the province changed the Pesticide Act in 2009, Ontario municipalities cannot ban or indeed approve use of pesticides. Their bylaws on this are rendered "inoperative" (Pesticide Act Section 7.1.5) but they can, and Billings should, express their opposition to Hydro's use of Garlon (as Assiginack did in 2002), and indeed, if the Township uses pesticides itself, it should cease and desist its use to show how much council are concerned. I hope that on May 16, they see the light and reduce risk and unknowns and finally put this issue to bed!

**Paul Darlaston  
Kagawong**

# Manitoulin Centennial Manor Golden Gala packed in the fun

by Michael Erskine

**LITTLE CURRENT**—The Manitoulin Centennial Manor Golden Gala gave the Island a chance to shine, and show off a little polish, as they came together to celebrate 50 years of existence for the Manor; and to raise money to help improve the lives of those who live and work at the long-term-care facility—think really expensive butter tarts (but more on that later).

Manor administrator Michelle Bond welcomed those in attendance for coming out to help celebrate the Manor's 50 years, and for "the ongoing support and generosity shown by individuals and organizations. Thanks to your generosity we are able to enhance the quality of life for our residents who make the Manor their home."

Ms. Bond said that she was honoured to be part of the Manor community and to be able to share the moment with so many won-



Manor supporters, organizations and businesses from across Manitoulin Island purchased tables and individual tickets and came together to enjoy a great night out while kicking in for a fantastic cause.

photos by Michael Erskine

door and you are already in the black."

The silent auction proved popular, as attendees milled around the displays in the centre of the hall engaging in friendly rivalry to secure their favourite items, donated by local businesses and individuals. But it was the live auction where things really started to liven up.

There were barbecues, recreational kayaks and furniture up for grabs, but ounce for pound, it was Mike Dubreuil's butter tarts that brought the greatest surprises. The first set of 12 tarts moved the bar up to a dizzy enough height at \$50, but it was the second dozen that made it plain these were no ordinary buttery confections—topping out at a whopping \$260.

That bid turned out to be a canny move, however, as the winning draw on the \$2,000 travel voucher door prize was first drawn by Extendicare Assist Management



Emcee KT (Kelly) Timmermans and auctioneer Norm Morrell helped keep the evening moving along smoothly (and profitably).



The Anchor Inn Hotel catering crew delivered a great dining experience with a chicken marsala, roast beef, seafood pasta combo complemented with roasted potatoes and a vegetable medley that had something for just about every taste, all topped off with a delicious cheesecake.

derful people.

Among those wonderful people were Island Auctioneer Norm Morrell, who plied his wiles to help lighten the wallets of those in attendance.

"To have been invited to participate in the fundraising gala of the Manor was a great privilege which ended up being a rare experience," said Mr. Morrell. "As I journeyed home I had time to ponder over what it was that made this evening so great."

"I also have to thank KT (Kelly) Timmermans for her work as emcee for the evening and Brenda Reid for the amazing work in setting up the hall for the gala and all the volunteers," said Ms. Bond.

The Manitoulin Centennial Manor Golden Gala organizing committee was also foremost in her mind, she noted. "They did such an amazing job and put so much work into making the gala a



Mike Dubreuil, left, and his wife Manor director of care Sylvie Clark joined Manor administrator Michelle Bond and Bob MacDonald ponder the auction potential of Mr. Dubreuil's legendary butter tarts. In the end, the tally was to far exceed anyone's wildest dreams.

success." The organizing committee consisted of Charlene MacDonald, Wilberta Leeson, Wendy Gauthier and Cathy Morden.

"We are still sifting through all that," noted Ms. Gauthier when queried as to how much was raised in total. "We should have

the total in time for next week's board meeting. But I can tell you that it is a pretty comfortable position to be in when you walk in the

and Consulting Services director of operations Tracey Mulcahy, who had travelled up from southern Ontario to join regional director Keith Clement at the event.

Because she worked for Extendicare, the management consulting team of the Manor, Ms. Mulcahy declined the prize, offering to exchange it either for "one tart" or a redraw. Bill Batman, the winner of the tart auction chose to part with a tart, and went home with the voucher.

"The support of the Island community really was gratifying," said Ms. Gauthier, who is also a member of the Manitoulin Centennial Manor board. "It is a pretty clear measure of success when you have a full house."

Funds raised from the Golden Gala are going towards the Manor's patient ceiling lift fundraising campaign.

## letter

### A call to stand up for Northern Ontario at the ballot box

*Cast your vote in the next election for the new Northern Ontario Party*

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North Bay**

# Central Manitoulin Public School packs an education week punch

by Michael Erskine  
**MINDEMOYA**—Creating a winning fall fair entry doesn't just happen, it takes a fair bit of work and more than a smidgen of determination to secure the red ribbon accolade denoting best in class. Students from Kindergarten to Grade 8 at Central Manitoulin Public School attended a fall fair boot camp of sorts, with an Education Week lineup of educational opportunities that ran quite the gamut of topics presented by Island experts in their fields.

Presenters and topics included: Julie Buyers, cake decorating; Madonna Aeschlimann, water colour painting; Steve Smith, growing pumpkins; Pat Marcotte, dairy presentations; Jeff Wahl, water; David and Nancy Kaines, bees and pollinators; Shane O'Donnell, Kids Can Grow—planting; Dorothy Ferguson, sewing on a button; and Greg Bond, cheese making.



Julie Buyers teaches the CMPS students the fine art of cake decorating during a fall fair education workshop held in honour of Education Week last Thursday.

Add the rennet mixture and stir for another 30 seconds (a lot of stirring and shaking is involved in this process), allow to sit for five minutes and then cut into one-inch cubes. Heat

“Then you cool it in ice water.”

Throughout the process, Mr. Bond enlisted the aid of the students, in shaking the various mixtures, cre-

ating butter and other products used in the recipe.

Once the cheese was ready, Mr. Bond cut it into slices and placed it on a



Greg Bond teaches the students how to make mozzarella cheese, curds and whey and all.

**RIGHT:** The finished product.



plate with crackers and the homemade butter before inviting the students to sample the result. A polite, orderly feeding frenzy ensued. When the crowd dispersed, nary a crumb remained for a church mouse.

Throughout the school various similar scenes were unfolding as students

took in the skills and information they could put to good use come next year's fall fair—and best of all, it looked like a lot of fun.



Pat Marcotte, secretary and treasurer of Northern Ontario Agri-Food Education and Marketing chats with the students about all things milk.



Jeff Wahl of Wahl Water talks to the importance of clean, safe water.

Each presenter took their charges through an in-depth (relative to grade and age) discussion and demonstration of their topic, providing the students with an opportunity to engage in hands-on and interactive learning.

Mr. Bond's cheese making demonstration illustrates the workshops. An avid amateur cheese maker, Mr. Bond shared his not-so-secret recipe for the popular, if fairly mild, mozzarella cheese. Starting the base of 1/4 tablet of rennet, historically it would have been a small chunk of small animal intestine shares Mr. Bond (now it is just a simple tablet you can order online), in a 1/4 cup of water set it aside, add into a large bowl 1 1/2 tsp of citric acid in one cup of water, then four litres of milk. Stir. Then heat to 90 degrees (about 32 degrees Celcius), “my recipes are mostly in Fahrenheit because they come from the US,” noted Mr. Bond.

to 105 degrees Fahrenheit (40.5 degrees Celcius) while stirring and then spoon the resulting curds into a bowl and squeeze out the whey.

Mr. Bond asked the students if they had ever heard the nursery rhyme where little Miss Muffet was sitting on a tuffet, eating her curds and whey. “When you get down to it, it was really all basically about a cheese recipe,” he said.

The mixture is then microwaved for about 60 seconds, kneaded to squeeze out more of the whey, then microwaved again for 35 to 40 seconds. “Be careful in this part,” cautioned Mr. Bond. “It gets really hot.” Then kneed again and the cheese is ready for the magic part.

“This is what makes mozzarella, mozzarella,” Mr. Bond said as he began to stretch the cheese out. “You stretch, and stretch, and stretch,” he said.

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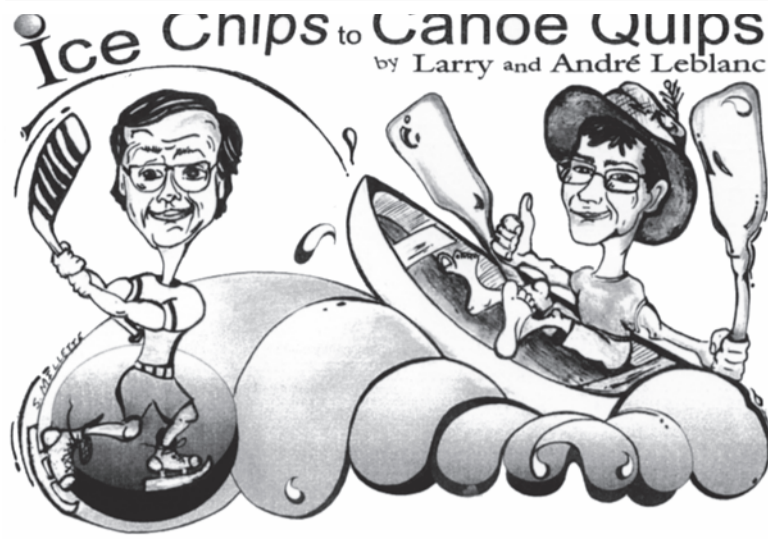
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**Manitowaning Wolves howl!**

The Manitowaning Wolves held their annual hockey banquet last week with a truckload of awards given out to many of the young participants. Taking home their share were the Atoms who had the opportunity to display their Soo Extravaganza banner they were presented with as winners of that tournament.

A nice addition to the banner was the name of each player on the victorious squad, including: **Ava Assinewai, Brooke Gibeault, Xavier Mara, Riley Wassegijig-Migwans, Grace Pitawanakwat, Emily Roque, Ava Fields, Zoey Trudeau, Andrew Cooper, William McComb, Brodie Pennie, Alex Peltier and Kordell Elijah.**

**Ex-pat garners honours**

**Aurora Ominika-Enosse** of Wikwemikoong spent this past year in the Toronto area and had an extraordinary list of accomplishments. She was the head of a leadership campaign to be student trustee for the North York District School Board. She was also named the captain of her high school football team and to top it off she was named to the North York Midget girls! Way to go Aurora, only up from here!

**Lady Wolf at Provincials!**

Congratulations to Mindemoya's **Hailey McGillis-Prior** and her Bantam Lady Wolves on their Provincial push two weeks ago. The team did very well, finishing 11th out of 56 teams in the province for the year! They started by playing Guelph and won 3-0 then they played the Whitby Wolves (who ended up winning the bronze) Friday night and lost in a close, very hard fought game 1-0, just coming up short. On Sunday they played Ennismore (who won silver) and lost to them 4-0. All in all the girls had a very good year. Way to go Hailey, keep up the hard work, for next year.

**Young Manitoulin Lady Wolves sign**

Congratulations to a member of this past year's champion, Manitoulin Peewee Panther **Aysia Debassige** who will skate for the Sudbury Lady Wolves this coming season. Aysia, who previously played for the Wolves, played for the Panthers this past year to solidify an excellent team. Although beset by a number of injuries this year, she was able to return late in the season and help the Peewee Panthers win the NDHL Cup.

Also being signed by the Lady Wolves is the hard-working, two-way playing **Ava Assinewai** and athletic and active netminder **Macie Setterington**. Congratulations girls and have an amazing season.

**...another AAA Islander**

Ten-year-old **Jaden Shawana** (youngest of **Eddie** and **Ramona**) played hockey in the Sudbury this past year Major Atom AA Sudbury Wolves. The youngster just made the lineup to the Minor Peewee AAA Sudbury Wolves where he is a smart, strong defenseman and continues to work hard and is really enjoying the game. Have an awesome season, Jaden.

**NOJHL to Dudley, yes. Then to RBC?**

Salutations to **Bo Peltier** and his Powassan Voodoos (farm team for the OHL's North Bay Battalion) on winning the NOJHL championship over the Blind River Beavers in a convincing final series. The Voodoos thus qualify for the Provincial Jr. A championship series for the Dudley-Hewitt trophy. The all-Ontario matchup is to be held next week in Trenton. Opponents will include the hometown Hawks, the Dryden Ice Dogs and the Georgetown Raiders. The winner advances to the Canadian championships, known as the RBC Cup which will be held in Coburg from May 13-21. Go Bo!

**Golf anyone?**

The Rainbow Ridge golf course in Manitowaning is set to host their 2017 Warm-up Scramble on May 13. Also, not actually sports but sure to get your heart pumping, they also plan a murder mystery on the 12th. Add to that on the next weekend a Glow Ball tournament. Like the Canadiens, Flames and the Leafs you can start your golf earlier than expected. For more information check out rainbowridgegolfcourse.com

**NAIG kudos**

Congrats to **Grace Assiniwe** (daughter of **Sally**) on being named to the Ontario Under-19 soccer team for NAIG 2017 to be held in Mississauga this summer.

**Happy birthday to you!**

Best wishes to (now) Aundek Omni Kaning's **Reggie Leach**, the Riverton Rifle. We admire the attention Reggie pays to young, Island players. Thanks for your time improving hockey for our youngsters, Mr. Leach.

**Fitness Fame**

Wiikwemkoong's **Marion Jacko**, who is a coach with the NAIG Team Ontario, also has two daughters playing minor hockey in the Toronto area this vicinity. **Thuraya** suits up for the North York Storm Peewee A on top of playing lacrosse on a boys' team. Older sister **Wasky** also plays for North York on a midget team where she is a goalie. Marion herself always active, recently donned the equipment in a road-hockey Cure for Cancer fundraiser. Congratulations to this energetic family. If you can nominate anyone (yourself included!) for a "Fitness Fame" acknowledgement please send info to address below.

# Islanders wanted for Sunday participation in Passage Ride

by Alicia McCutcheon

MANITOULIN—Islanders are invited to participate in Day 2 of the hugely successful 7th annual Manitoulin Passage Ride on Sunday, June 4 with an incentive that includes a free lunch at the Kicking Mule Ranch for the first cyclists to register.

The Passage Ride, hosted by Manitoulin Island Cycling Advocates (MICA), begins on Friday, June 2 and for those from off-Island, another incentive is free sailing aboard the Chi-Cheemaun for Passage Ride participants to get to Manitoulin. It is a good way to encourage the burgeoning cycling market to come north and explore Manitoulin.

This year, MICA is hoping to get Manitoulin people pumping their pedals too, opening up the Sunday for Island cyclists to participate.

"They can start where they want, but Mindemoya is the official starting place," Ms. Mielonen told The Expositor, noting that there are three different rides that can be taken, each of which ends in South Baymouth, depending on how far you want to pedal. Cyclists are free to go as far or as short a distance as they want.

"Lunch is included at Kicking Mule Ranch for those who register, as is cyclist support," she added. "It will be based on a first come, first serve basis because of all the meal prep, so please be sure to register," she reiterated.



Riders head off the Chi-Cheemaun in South Baymouth at last year's Manitoulin Passage Ride.

Expositor file photo

Ms. Mielonen said she hopes the Sunday ride will act as an introduction to get the people of Manitoulin on their bikes and celebrating the Island, and also the nation's 150th birthday.

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# Manitoulin Light Horse Club members learn equine first aid

by Michael Erskine  
 MANITOWANING—Understanding the basics of equine first aid, how to triage and apply a first response to a horse's injury is an important part of the care and keeping of horses and ponies. Help can be a long way off if you are out on a trail ride or your horse is some distance from the veterinarian.

Equine first aid instructor Denise Pisarski of London held an equine first aid course at Sylvia Moggy's Red Willow Ranch on Highway 6 near Manitowaning on Saturday, May 6 for members of the Manitoulin Light Horse Club.



Equine first aid instructor Denise Pisarski of London delivers a course on horse first aid to Island horse enthusiasts at Red Willow Ranch in Manitowaning.

During the course, students discovered the key rules of first aid, to wit: don't panic; identify the problem, assess the three Bs in priority order, breathing, bleeding and body; implement action such as getting horse and humans out of danger; stop bleeding, minimize shock and take vital signs, contact vet; and then reassess.

The three Cs outline priorities for wounds: clean the wound; clot by applying a pressure pad, keep the horse calm and maintain pressure; and cover,

remember to use a sterile wound dressing if you are bandaging to hold some wound gel in place, then bandage appropriately.

Ms. Moggy doesn't board horses, as such, or run a commercial stable. For her it is all about the love of horses and the club. "I really think this was something that would be good for members of the club," she said. "Knowing how to provide first aid for your

horse is very important and this seemed like a great way to learn."

Ms. Pisarski is a certified Equi-Health Canada first aid instructor. Equi-Health Canada is an international organization dedicated to helping horse owners and lovers improve the health and safety of horses by providing emergency first aid training to individuals, clubs and organizations across Cana-

da and the United States and further. In order to hold the SR certification, an instructor must have at least three years of experience and maintain their certifications each year.

"Equine First Aid is the first available treatment available to a horse before a veterinarian can attend to the animal," said Ms. Pisarski. "The program was born over a decade ago, with the vision of

educating horse owners in emergency first aid and providing quality training and products in this area. Developed by veterinarians in conjunction with farriers, equine chiropractors, equine massage therapists, back country outfitters and numerous other horse experts, the courses and products provided are recognized across the continent and beyond."

During the course, students learned through both hands-on and in-classroom instruction. A small paddock held several different breeds of horses (palomino, thoroughbred, quarter horse and even a miniature horse). For the classroom instruction, a temporary multimedia classroom was set up within the barn, complete with a well-stocked snack table and a hearty lunch of chili.

photo by Michael Erskine



### Curling champs

The rink of Wendy Gauthier, Margo Bickell, Mandy Case and Beth Bond-McCullagh were the winners of the Little Current Curling Club Women's Bonspiel held in April.

## Northeast Town council approves final revision of Canada 150 mural

LITTLE CURRENT—The Northeast Town has officially approved the final image for the Canada 150 mural, which will transform the Campbell Street ramp in Little Current.

SA•WAT•SKI Concept Reality based out of Collingwood was the successful bidder on the project at \$14,900 plus HST, which will be funded through a \$15,000 grant from the Ministry of Canadian Heritage Celebration and Commemorative Program the Northeast Town received to celebrate the community of Little Current through Canada's 150 years.

The Northeast Town council was specific in its vision for the mural, wanting it to incorporate Little Current's First Nation founding fathers, the town's sawmill history, a representation of Little Current's war history and area landmarks (including the swing bridge).

The winning mural includes the migration of Anishinaabe following the War of 1812, the Picnic Island and Red mills, the downtown dock circa 1920, Little Current's first car ferry, the steamship Hiawatha, the swing bridge complete with train, the coal docks and the Strawberry Island lighthouse.

There were concerns from councillors when a draft of the mural was brought to council in March that there were no women represented, or farmers. Staff were directed to bring the concerns back to the designers to be incorporated.

A final draft was approved by council at its meeting last week. The wall will need to be prepared prior to the installation of the mural, with the exact start date hinging on its completion, although the hope is to start on the mural after the May long weekend.

The mural is estimated to take one week to complete

and staff will shut the southbound lane of Worthington Street during that time. Southbound traffic will be detoured up the Campbell Street ramp.

**Manitoulin Secondary School**

## Player Profile

by Yohana Ogbamichael

*Public Relations, M.S.S. Athletic Association*

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Matthew Redmond

Matthew Redmond is an outgoing, sporty and funny grade 10 student at Manitoulin Secondary School. His involvement in a wide variety of sports is admirable and demonstrates commitment. When Matthew was in public school he was on the track and field, soccer, 3-pitch, cross country, basketball and volleyball teams. He is also a dedicated hockey player and has been playing hockey for 12 years now as a defenseman. He has played on the Mindemoya Thunder, the Manitoulin Panther hockey team, and this school year he played on the Manitoulin Secondary School hockey team. When he was in grade 8 he was named Athlete of the Year. At MSS, Matthew has been on the track and field, badminton, volleyball and basketball teams. This year, Matthew and his volleyball team worked hard to qualify for and compete at the Ontario Federation of School Athletic Association (OFSAA). Last year, he made it to NOSSA for discus and shot put, which almost qualified him for OFSAA. Matthew's favourite sport is hockey. He enjoys it because of the speed, the thrill and the competitive edge of the game. He also likes it because of the team companionship it builds. Matthew's inspirations in life come from his grandfathers. He admires their achievements in sports, along with their dedication to their families and the strong role model images they provide. In the winter months, Matthew spends 3-4 nights a week reffing hockey. His favourite thing about sports is the team camaraderie it builds. In his spare time Matthew enjoys running, cycling, playing video games and spending time with his friends. In school Matthew's two favourite subjects are gym and math class. After high school, he would like to attend university and is currently considering pursuing studies in the medical field. Congratulations Matthew on your athletic and academic accomplishments so far! You are a well-rounded and determined student athlete.

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# Manitoulin hero cat holds place in Islanders' hearts despite not winning national award

by Robin Burrige

TEHKUMMAH—Ivy the hero cat, who played a key role in the rescue of Tehkumma Reeve Eric Russell last fall, has not been selected for the Purina Animal Hall of Fame, but will remain a hero in many Islanders' hearts for her brave actions.

"I'm not surprised," said Ivy's owner Mary Johnston when learning that Ivy hadn't been chosen. "She did a great thing, but there are lots of heroic pets out there I imagine."

Ms. Johnston said that Ivy had already received plenty of recognition for her actions.

"I have a whole file on her," she said, noting that Ivy was featured in numerous Expositor articles, on CBC, Woman's World magazine and various other publications. "Everyone around here sure knows her and loves her, so that's great."

As The Expositor has previously reported, Ivy, a rescue cat from Fixing our Felines in Manitowaning, had just moved into her new home with her owner and Mr. Russell's neighbour, Mary Johnston, a few weeks before



Ivy the hero cat relaxing at home in Tehkumma.

the incident.

Mr. Russell was working on the pulley of his garage's overhead door when screws in the spring came loose, causing the door to come sailing down on him as he was perched on a ladder. The reeve was pinned with his arm ensnared in the door 13 feet up. Mr. Russell called for help several times and was beginning to lose hope when Ivy alerted Ms. Johnston to the emergency and she rushed to the reeve's aid.

Ms. Johnston was lost in a book and hadn't heard Mr. Russell's calls, but Ivy did and began jumping from the couch to the window to her owner to get her attention, leading Ms. Johnston to hear Reeve Russell in distress.

Ms. Johnston called Mr. Russell's wife Betty and the two reached out to Don McMurray and Bob Beard for additional help to get the reeve's arm free. An ambulance was called and Mr. Russell was taken to the Manitoulin Health Centre in Mindemoya where his dislocated shoulder was 'popped' back into place. He also suffered some nerve damage and is still recovering from the incident.

Mr. Russell credited his rescue to Ivy and gifted her with a thank you card and gift certificate to a pet store.

The Expositor nominated Ivy for the Purina Animal Hall of Fame, submitting articles featuring Ivy as part of the application. Purina representatives reviewed Ivy's story and contacted The Expositor, Ms. Johnston and Reeve Russell for more information, meaning that Ivy's application made it to the second phase of the process. Unfortunately, she wasn't one of the final animals chosen, but Ms. Johnston said that hasn't phased Ivy. "She's sitting on a shelf on her cat tree right now, looking out the window happily," Ms. Johnston said. "I love her and I'm very proud of her."



### Sheguiandah group donates to Manor

Dale Woods and Moe Dakin present a donation of \$445 to Manitoulin Centennial Manor board member Wendy Gauthier towards the long-term care home's fundraising efforts to purchase new patient ceiling lifts. The funds were raised through monthly jam sessions at the Sheguiandah Seniors Hall. The use of the hall was donated, along with hall volunteers running the canteen.

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The rain and the cool weather has its blessings. The rain is giving the ground the much needed moisture we didn't receive all last spring and summer. I really noticed it this year with the wild leeks. They are growing "gang busters" and to me they are a delicious spring jewel. When I start using the leeks in recipes, it is the true arrival of spring and the beginning excitement of the gardening season.

When digging the wild leeks, just take a few from each patch, you want them there for the next year. We have been digging from the same patches for over 30 years in our maple bush.

### Wild Leek and Potato Soup

Usually, when I make this soup I don't measure. I just add until it looks right; onions, wild leeks, potatoes, water and 35% cream at the end. The recipe is a guide so you can change it to your "flavour." I didn't add any stock because the leek flavour is enough.

- 2 tbsp butter
- 1 medium onion chopped
- 3 cups chopped wild leeks
- 2 cups peeled, chopped potatoes
- 6 cups water
- 2/3 cup 10% or 35% cream
- Salt and pepper to taste

In a large pot, melt butter over medium-low heat; add the chopped onion and sauté until lightly brown. Add the leeks and cook stirring occasionally, until wilted and tender, about 5 minutes.

Stir in the potato and salt. Add the water; bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer, covered, until potato is tender, about 30 minutes. Let cool for 15 minutes.

Using a blender or an immersion blender, puree the soup until it is smooth. Add the cream and gently reheat the soup. Add more salt and pepper to taste.

### Breakfast Casserole with Sausage and Leeks

You can put this casserole together the night before and then bake in the morning for breakfast. You can also make it for lunch or dinner and serve it with a salad. The recipe calls for breakfast sausage but I used sausage that was made locally from our farmers.

- 1 pound breakfast sausage
- 1 Tbsp oil
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 2 cups chopped wild leeks
- 6 large eggs
- 2 cups milk
- 1 tsp dry mustard
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1/4 tsp black pepper
- 4 slices hearty whole grain bread, cut into small pieces
- 2 cups extra old shredded cheese or a mixture of your favourite cheese, 8 ounces

1. Cook the sausage, drain and set aside to cool. When cool enough to handle cut the sausage into bite size pieces.

2. Saute the chopped onion until soft. Add the leeks until they are softened and wilted. Set aside.

3. Whisk together the eggs, milk, leeks, onion, dry mustard, salt and pepper.

4. Grease a 9x13-inch pan and pre-heat the oven to 350°F.

5. Spread the bread pieces, evenly in the baking dish. Add the sausage pieces on top and then the shredded cheese. Pour the egg mixture evenly over the bread and pat gently.

6. Bake the casserole for 40 to 45 minutes, or until a clean knife inserted into the center of the casserole comes out clean.

\*\*\*Add thinly sliced tomatoes just before baking.

## Countless hours of volunteerism lie behind every powwow

by Michael Erskine  
AUNDECK OMNI KANING—Before the last drumbeat had faded into memory at the Aundeck Omni Kaning powwow grounds last year, the powwow committee was already at work on this year's 27th edition of the popular first Island powwow of the season.

"A lot of people travel a long way to attend the powwow," noted powwow coordinator Mandy Shawanda. "We ask and invite them for next year."

Part of that invitation is the offering of tobacco, setting in place a bond. "It is like giving your word," said Ms. Shawanda. "It is a bond. If they accept the tobacco, you know they will be there."

Tobacco is an Anishinaabe sacred medicine and it is not given or received lightly. In fact, tobacco figures very prominently in the lead up to a powwow. "We put tobacco down when we are picking the cedar for the powwow," said Ms. Shawanda. In tradition, it is only women who can pick the cedar boughs, but that's okay, there are plenty of duties for the men in the community.

There is a bit of a lull in the immediate aftermath of a powwow, but it doesn't last long. "There is a lot of fundraising that takes place throughout the year," she said. "It helps a lot with the cost." Canteen sales, community yard sales and, of course, the ubiquitous bingo fundraisers.

"In fact, we have a big community indoor yard sale coming up this weekend," said Ms. Shawanda. "It is taking place this weekend (Saturday, May 13, 9 am to 2 pm), here at the Four Directions Complex in Aundeck Omni Kaning." Yard sale tables are open to anyone and tables rent for \$10.

The success of the powwow depends heavily on volunteers, and the core volunteer committee varies in makeup from year to year. "We are up to six members," said Ms. Shawanda. "The committee members this year are Connie Esquimaux, Lindsay Corbiere, Joanne Audette Thibideau, Debbie Shawana and Lois Nahwegahbow."

But there are many other volunteers who step up when their efforts are needed. "The staff here in Aundeck Omni Kaning all volunteer their time," she said. "There are lots of people who don't want to commit to sitting on a committee, but they come out to help when and where it is needed. There are about 20 people I can call, I work off a list."

The volunteer fire department provides security for the powwow. "They are a great help," said Ms. Shawana, and chief and council step in to lend a hand throughout the weekend where needed.

When it comes to gathering the cedar, it is usually volunteers from the health centre who step up and, as mentioned, they must be women. Since they also must wear skirts when doing the harvesting the lone male at the health



Mandy Shawanda, Aundeck Omni Kaning powwow coordinator, speaks on the countless hours of volunteer work by her committee to put on a traditional powwow.

centre probably breathes a sigh of relief.

"Darren Madahbee and his brother Damien help out with the sound system every year," she said. "They really know what they are doing."

About two weeks before the powwow grand entry a work crew goes out to prepare the grounds. As the first powwow of the season, that is usually the earliest after the spring rains that things can be done. Grass is cut, general cleaning takes place. "Everything has to look good for powwow," said Ms. Shawanda. A powwow, after all, is the premier welcome into the community event of the year.

The cabins at Endaaang Tourism, which are rented through the summer, are called into service for the powwow weekend as well and they need to be in

tip top order.

During the powwow there are registration booths to be manned, a steady set of hands on cleanup of the grounds is ongoing and everyone is going pretty much all out for the three days of the powwow, but for the core group it really starts on Thursday.

"I put in about 125 hours on that weekend," laughed Ms. Shawana. "That's on top of doing my regular job." By the time the event is over, all that are left are the real hard core.

"Everybody just wants to go home by then," she said. "But there are still a lot of things that have to be done when everyone else has gone home."

The annual powwow is an important opportunity to enhance culture and traditions in the community,

photo by Michael Erskine

and volunteering is certainly a time honoured tradition in Anishinaabe communities.

"I don't even want to think about where we would be without our volunteers," said Ms. Shawana. "They are the ones who really make things possible."

Ongoing cultural events in the community include a Wednesday evening class provided by veteran dancer Sophie Pheasant. "She provides teachings on all of the different dances, their histories and how they developed."

The 27th annual Aundeck Omni Kaning Powwow will be taking place the first weekend in June, Saturday, June 3 and Sunday, June 4.



### Catwalks of Mindemoya

The Treasures Thrift Shop spring fashion show saw models strut their stuff for a good cause on April 29, showcasing Manitoulin's fine sense of fashion while raising funds for a worthy cause.

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# ...Manitoulin Indigenous Games will invite all schools' participation

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Ms. Stevens, Mr. Pruchnicki and fellow Indigenous Games team member Carri-  
anne Agawa, education  
coordinator, have been  
working with area schools  
since last fall to revitalize  
the games in the schools.

"We started working with  
schools around M'Chigeeng  
in November (2016) and  
then circled out to other  
schools in the area," shared  
Mr. Pruchnicki. "We ran  
through the seven games  
that will be part of the  
Indigenous Games includ-  
ing lacrosse, Cree double  
ball, pole push (a Dene  
game), stick pull, cross

country, archery and two-  
foot high kick (an arctic  
winter game)."

He noted that the games  
selected represent many of  
the communities from  
across Turtle Island.

"We're not only teaching  
students the games, but  
also the history behind the  
games," continued Mr.  
Pruchnicki. "We talk about  
how and why they are  
sacred and what nation cre-  
ated them—this really  
helps the students under-  
stand the importance of the  
Indigenous Games."

The KTEI team has  
worked closely with a  
champion at each school  
who has been working on

the games with the students  
between the team's visits.

"The students have  
gained a good handle of the  
games over the last six  
months and developed the  
skills to play them," said  
Mr. Pruchnicki. "Learning  
the games have effected  
them in a positive way. The  
students have also been tak-  
ing the experience and  
knowledge home with them  
and we have had parents  
stop us in the communities  
to shake our hands and talk  
about the program. We're  
not just teaching a game, we  
are establishing a connec-  
tion with the students and  
communities. This is what  
KTEI does—forge positive,

healthy relationships in the  
communities we serve and  
the response we have gotten  
is a testament to that."

"There has been  
increased excitement  
when we go into the  
schools," said Ms. Stevens  
of the students' attitudes  
leading up to the games.  
"They will have the oppor-  
tunity at the games to par-  
ticipate in at least three of  
the events, up to all seven  
if they wish."

The KTEI Indigenous  
Games will be held on  
Wednesday, May 31 at the  
M'Chigeeng powwow  
grounds. Opening cere-  
monies will start at 9 am,  
followed by the games com-

mencing at 9:30 am. Mem-  
bers of the public are invit-  
ed to attend and KTEI  
expects approximately 100

students to participate from  
across Manitoulin, Birch  
Island, Espanola and Webb-  
wood.

# ...US lumber tarriff challenges prov. timber producers

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bottom line, in fact in some ways it already has.

"We have already seen a softening in US demand," she  
admitted.

The company has five sawmills in Ontario, four in the  
Northeast, and the US market is a large focal point for  
some of those operations. "Clearly it will have an impact,"  
said Ms. Leduc of the tariff.

Asked how the tariff will impact the company's opera-  
tions, she said that determining that "is actually compli-  
cated. For us right now, prices are higher," she continued,  
citing a number of factors that may impact the market.  
"Certainly we know that the Department of Commerce  
review tended to push prices up. It is also possible that cus-  
tomers are holding inventory in advance." If customers  
had purchased extra inventory in anticipation of the im-  
position of the tariff, that could also help to account for  
some of the softening in demand.

The ruling by the Department of Commerce had been  
telegraphed for several months trending from the expiry  
of the previous agreement. In the long and storied saga of  
the softwood timber trade between North America's  
largest trading partners the US has previously imposed  
tariffs, only to lose the dispute when challenged in the  
courts.

In the short term, however, the slowdown in orders will

have an impact on Canadian mills.

The Nairn and Timmins mills tend to supply the still  
robust Toronto market, while some other mills, such as  
that in Ear Falls, are better poised to benefit (or suffer)  
from a downturn or protectionist measures in the US mar-  
ket.

In the end, it looks as though the main losers in this lat-  
est round of trade actions will be the American consumer.  
The US supply is unlikely to be able to meet the demand of  
their domestic market, Canadian wood fills as much as 30  
percent of the US market.

Ms. Leduc said she had difficulty responding to a ques-  
tion as to whether job losses at mills impacted by the  
American market would transfer to mills such as that at  
Nairn Centre that are more domestic market oriented.  
"There are so many details involved in that," she said,  
pointing out that there are numerous collective bargain-  
ing agreements with the company's union partners.

Instead, Ms. Leduc noted that the company and its work-  
force work well as a team, focussed intently on reducing  
production costs and improving efficiencies.

"We endeavour to share timely information with all of  
our employees," she stressed.

EACOM Timber Company is headquartered in Montre-  
al, Quebec and all of its operation are located in either  
Quebec or Ontario.

# ...Hydro One's Garlon spraying trumps citizen's fears

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Red Lodge Road believes the phone  
call might not amount to much, judg-  
ing by a conversation he had with  
Hydro One.

Mr. Barnett said he was told that  
Hydro One will only take a landown-  
er's concern into consideration if the  
spray will be used on their property  
directly, but not if they are an adja-  
cent landowner. So, he said, in his  
case, if Hydro One plans to spray on a  
Northeast Town road allowance that  
abuts his property, he has no actual  
say in the matter, only that Hydro One  
'would take it under consideration.'

"You get a say, but it's not determi-  
nate. They'll contact you, but it means  
nothing."

"Why does NEMI agree with this?"  
a frustrated Mr. Barnett queried.

The Expositor contacted Hydro One  
to give Mr. Barnett's concerns.  
Tiziana Baccaga-Rosa, Hydro One  
senior media relations officer,  
explained that the majority of the  
land Hydro One will be spraying is  
municipal but that those landowners  
who will be affected will be contacted.  
She agreed with Mr. Barnett's con-  
cerns that if a landowner has adja-  
cent property to municipal land being  
sprayed, it won't be a factor in Hydro

One's determination.

Billings council, at its last meeting,  
announced that it had yet to make a  
decision on whether or not to pass a  
bylaw against having Hydro One  
spray Garlon RTU within its bound-  
aries, but with spraying set to com-  
mence soon on Manitoulin, time is  
running out.

Regional areas to be sprayed begin-  
ning May 15 include the Northeast  
Town and, on the North Shore, Bald-  
win Township, the Municipality of  
Espanola and Curtin and Mongowin  
Townships. To opt out, contact 1-866-  
898-5310.

# ...Wiikwemkoong bids for 'guaranteed income' centre pilot

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shopping in Manitowaning.  
If an individual, through  
this project, has added  
funds, local retailers, not  
just in Manitowaning,  
stand to benefit.

Chief Peltier asked  
neighbouring Assiginack  
for its support at its last  
council meeting.

In a letter to Mayor Paul  
Moffatt and council,  
Chief Peltier explained,  
"We have a community  
that is actively moving  
towards recognizing the  
need for healing and  
restoration and can offer  
many supports as this  
project moves forward.  
We also have a solid track  
record within our Ontario  
Works program by contin-  
ually demonstrating last-  
ing partnerships that  
provide regional cost sav-  
ings in shared programming."

Assiginack passed a  
resolution of support  
which was forwarded on  
to the Minister of Com-  
munity and Social Serv-  
ices, Helena Jaczek.

The province has not

yet announced when the  
First Nations pilot will  
commence or which com-  
munities have been chosen,  
only that it will be "soon."

The intent of the Basic  
Income Pilot is to "study  
whether a basic income can  
better support vulnerable  
workers and give people the  
security and opportunity

they need to achieve their  
potential. It will also study  
whether giving people a  
basic income can be a sim-  
pler and more economi-  
cally effective way to provide  
income security support to  
people living on low  
incomes."

The basic income plan  
would provide up to \$16,989

per year for a single person  
and \$24,027 would be pro-  
vided to a couple.

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## APPLICATION FOR CONSENT UNDER SECTION 53 OF THE PLANNING BOARD

To be held on Wednesday, June 7, 2017  
at 7pm at the Waterfront Artisan Incubator and Technology Center

File No. : Con2017-01  
Applicant: Gordon R. Keatley  
Owner: Thos. Farquhar & Sons Co. Limited  
Legal Description: Lot 20, Concession 12, Howland Township Part 1, 31R3882  
Property Address: 9130 Highway 6  
Official Plan: Rural  
Zoning: Rural  
By-law: Zoning By-law No. 2002-32

**PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION**

The applicant is seeking a Consent to nullify the consent approval pertaining to Part 1, Plan 31 R-3882 such that lot additions will merge with the retained lands.

**CONSENT IS REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

In order to nullify the consent approval pertaining to Part 1, Plan 31R-3882 the owner requires the Consent of the Approval Authority.

ANYONE INTERESTED IN THESE MATTERS MAY ATTEND the Committee of Adjustment Hearing concerning this application. If you have specific comments regarding this application, you may submit a letter to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Committee of Adjustment prior to or at the meeting. IF YOU DO NOT ATTEND this Hearing, it may proceed in your absence and, except as otherwise provided in the Planning Act, you will not be entitled to any further notice in the proceeding.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION regarding this application is available to the public for viewing at the Municipal office between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday; or you may contact Ms. Pam Cress, Clerk and Secretary-Treasurer of the Committee of Adjustment, at (705) 368-3500 ext. 228.

KEY MAP please see application Con2017-03

Dated May 10, 2017

Town of Northeastern Manitoulin & the Islands, 14 Water St. E.; P.O. Box 608. Little Current, ON POP 1K0, Ph.:(705)368-3500

## APPLICATION FOR CONSENT UNDER SECTION 53 OF THE PLANNING ACT

To be held on Wednesday, June 7, 2017  
at 7pm at the Waterfront Artisan Incubator and Technology Center

File No. : Con2017-02  
Applicant: Gordon R. Keatley  
Owner: Deborah Collins- Maskell  
Legal Description: Lot 20, Concession 12, Howland Township  
Property Address: 9092 Highway 6  
Official Plan: Rural  
Zoning: Rural  
By-law: Zoning By-law No. 2002-32

**PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION**

The applicant is seeking a Consent to make simultaneous consent application for lot additions to subject land.

**CONSENT IS REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

In order to create a lot addition of 2.45 hectares the owner requires the Consent of the Approval Authority. ANYONE INTERESTED IN THESE MATTERS MAY ATTEND the Committee of Adjustment Hearing concerning this application. If you have specific comments regarding this application, you may submit a letter to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Committee of Adjustment prior to or at the meeting. IF YOU DO NOT ATTEND this Hearing, it may proceed in your absence and, except as otherwise provided in the Planning Act, you will not be entitled to any further notice in the proceeding.

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KEY MAP please see application Con2017-03

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## APPLICATION FOR CONSENT UNDER SECTION 53 OF THE PLANNING ACT

To be held on Wednesday, June 7, 2017  
at 7pm at the Waterfront Artisan Incubator and Technology Center

File No. : Con2017-03  
Applicant: Gordon R. Keatley  
Owner: Lawrence Edward Ferguson and Ashleigh Kathleen Ferguson  
Legal Description: Lot 18 & 19, Concession 12, Howland Township  
Property Address: 9164 Highway 6  
Official Plan: Rural  
Zoning: Rural  
By-law: Zoning By-law No. 2002-32

**PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION**

The applicant is seeking a Consent to make simultaneous consent application for lot additions to subject land.

**CONSENT IS REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

In order to create a lot addition of 0.65 hectares the owner requires the Consent of the Approval Authority. ANYONE INTERESTED IN THESE MATTERS MAY ATTEND the Committee of Adjustment Hearing concerning this application. If you have specific comments regarding this application, you may submit a letter to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Committee of Adjustment prior to or at the meeting. IF YOU DO NOT ATTEND this Hearing, it may proceed in your absence and, except as otherwise provided in the Planning Act, you will not be entitled to any further notice in the proceeding.

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## APPLICATION FOR CONSENT UNDER SECTION 53 OF THE PLANNING ACT

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at 7pm at the Waterfront Artisan Incubator and Technology Center

File No. : Con2017-04  
Applicant: Clark Hall  
Owner: Clark Hall  
Legal Description: Con 1 lot 3, 31R790, Part 1 & 2 31R774, Part 3 31R2647 Part 2  
Property Address: 126 Townline Road  
Official Plan: Rural  
Zoning: Rural  
By-law: Zoning By-law No. 2002-32

**PURPOSE OF THE APPLICATION**

The applicant is seeking a Consent to Create a new lot.

**CONSENT IS REQUIRED FOR THE FOLLOWING:**

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**Important Notice Regarding Brush and Tipping Fees**  
During Spring Clean-up week ONLY there will be no charge for brush brought to the landfill site. All other tipping fees apply.

**Landfill Hours**  
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Thursday 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.  
Sunday 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

**Reminder**  
The landfill will start opening on Sundays 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on May 21 continuing until October 15, 2017  
For further details, please inquire at the Municipal Office 368-3500

# Spring Wing Ding dance raises funds for Angel Bus

by Sharon Jackson  
KAGAWONG—An enthusiastic crowd clad in tie-dye t-shirts and bell bottom pants and grooved to the tunes of the '50s, '60s, '70s and '80s at a Spring Wing Ding fundraiser dance held at the Park Centre this past Saturday evening.

Organizers Sandy Cook, Ted Kilpatrick along with Jan Bainbridge are in their third full year with the Angel Bus which provides transportation for seniors. To date, they have attended events such as school concerts, the annual Providence Bay Fair and many church and community activities.

Disc jockey John Rozon spun vinyl 45s bringing back memories of sock hops, peace signs, slow songs at high school dances and big hair.

Tickets were sold for a chance to win 11 prizes generously donated by local businesses. Ten play golf cards at Manitoulin Island Country Club, and also donated by Gordon/Barrie Island, was won by Charlene Chambers. Richard Edwards donated 'Early Morning,' an absolutely beautiful piece of white tailed deer grazing on a misty morning. Phil Burnford auctioned this painting off and Brian Bell finally outbid Richard Anger to take the painting home. Chuc and Linda Willson donated a tasty basket from Our Garden for the best costume. Shirley Farquhar

or Killarney tours was won by Jean Ward. Twelve yards of crushed gravel donated by Randy Noble Construction was won by Bob Carroll. A half day fishing charter donated by Bob Henderson of Double B Fishing Charters was won by Shirley Farquhar. A gorgeous handmade cedar bird feeder donated by Doug Clark of Dig and Doug Furniture was won by Maria Carroll. A Sunset Dinner Cruise for two aboard the Chi-Cheemaun donated by Owen Sound Transportation Company was won by Mary and Brian Bell. Dinner for two at the Schoolhouse Restaurant donated by Heather and Greg Niven went to Susan Snelling. A one hour Island sightseeing plane ride donated by Tim St. Amand was won by Wayne Martin. Two nine holes of golf at the Manitoulin Island Country Club, and also donated by Gordon/Barrie Island, was won by Charlene Chambers.

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The three winners for best costumes were Phil Burnford who won first prize, centre, and Mary and Brian Bell on either side Mr. Burnford, second and third prizes.

photo by Ruth Farquhar

donated two gift certificates from the Cod Mother for second and third prizes. Carolyn Volpel ran this contest and each person who arrived in costume was given a letter to pin on their outfit. About 9:30 pm the contestants were asked to strut their stuff to show off their best Wing Ding outfits. They were then asked to write their favourite letter on a ballot, that was tallied with the winners announced at 10 am. Phil Burnford won the

Our Garden gift basket with Mary and Brian Bell winning the Cod Mother gift certificates.

A light lunch provided by Burt Farm Meats, and sweet treats made by the churches on the Island was enjoyed over lively conversation and coffee.

"It was a ton of fun," shared Ms. Cook. Everyone had such positive energy; a great crowd."

Mark May 5, 2018 on your calendar for next year's Spring Wing Ding.

# ...First Nations fire departments seek parity priority

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basis. "Within the last 15 years, there have been 175 deaths in Canada, on First Nations alone," Mr. Nolan said. "Those numbers are staggering."

"If that happened in every day Canada, people would be crazy," the president added. "We want the same equipment, the same training."

"Fires on First Nations are happening almost bi-weekly and yet no one knows about it," he added. "If people knew, society would be shocked and shamed."

Mr. Nolan explained that First Nations fire departments receive \$25 per community resident from the government to operate while municipal-run fire departments get at least \$170 per resident.

"There are checks and balances there that are not fair," he added. "Our ultimate goal is that all 133 First Nations (in Ontario) be treated the same."

The Ontario government has also announced that any home on a First Nation will receive two smoke alarms for free.

Mr. Nolan said that his organization has also initiated some fire personnel training at the Six Nations Fire and Emergency Training Academy facility on the Six Nations of the Grand River in collaboration with Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada. Training opportunities will also be coming up in the Thunder Bay area and at Garden River.

"We're trying to get money to train 100 people per year," he added, "as well as money for equipment and ongoing training—it's a massive undertaking."

Mr. Nolan sent out a "big thank you" to the Ontario chiefs for asking the ONFFS to be the representative to meet with the federal government.

"Today was a bit nervewracking, but very exciting," he said of his visit with Minister Bennett.

Despite the positive move forward, Mr. Nolan fears that there will never be enough money to reach parity. "Our reserves and fire departments are so far behind."

"Let's be fair, let's be safe," he added. "Fire, water, structure—those things are all related," Mr. Nolan continued. "Housing conditions on many of our communities are poor at best."

The president said he is optimistic that Minister Bennett will keep her word to help and that Canada will soon see an indigenous fire marshal's office, as she told the Toronto Star last week.

One thing he knows for sure. "Today's a better day," Mr. Nolan concluded.

In the last month, there have been two fires on First Nations on Manitoulin, the first in Wiikwemkoong (which has its own fire department) that has been deemed an arson, and the second, just last Wednesday, at Sheguiandah First Nation that is currently under investigation. The Northeast Town Fire Department responds to all fires in that neighbouring First Nation community which, since 2014, has seen four house fires.

On Manitoulin, Wiikwemkoong, Aundeck Omni Kaning, M'Chigeeng and Birch Island all have fire departments while Sheshegwaning has a First Response Team.

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# Beyond

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** In her column *Beyond Rx*, Andrea Wong, a 4th year Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD) candidate from the University of Waterloo, and a very new member to the Manitoulin community, will be exploring topics on health and wellness, medical advances, and everything in between in the pages of this newspaper. In her first column, Ms. Wong explores the current opioid crisis that is plaguing our nation.

## Part I: The Dark Narcs – A current snapshot of the opioid crisis

As an almost-pharmacist, I think it is safe to say that drugs fascinate me. As a bright eyed teenager starting her first work placement at a local pharmacy as part of my high school co-op program, I remember staring up at the shelves and shelves of medication bottles. I remember thinking, "How can a tiny pill save lives?" Now in pharmacy school, what I learned is that medications tether on a rather delicate line between saving and harming lives. This double edged sword is extremely evidence in a class of medication called "opioids." If used properly, it can relieve pain symptoms for those suffering from chronic illnesses to a point where people who were previously unable to even get out of bed are now able to move functionally and maintain a good quality of life. On the other hand, if abused or not taken properly, opioid overdoses can slow your breathing down to the point of requiring emergency room visits and possibly, death. It is safe to say that pharmacists and physicians are extremely cautious with opioids and it is definitely a balancing act to prescribe.

The buzzword "opioids" are also commonly known as "narcotics" or "painkillers." These medications include both prescribed and non-prescribed medications. For example, common prescribed opioids include suboxone, methadone, codeine, morphine, demerol, fentanyl, hydrocodone, hydromorphone and oxycodone. Non-prescribed opioids include heroin and fentanyl analogues. Recent opioid tasks forces have reported over 40 types of emerging street opioids designed to mimic fentanyl and its effects including carfentanil and acrylfentanyl. These new

types of street fentanyl are extremely dangerous since they have a longer duration of action in the body and require multiple treatments of the antidote to reverse an overdose with high fatality rates. However, opioids do not include drugs like benzodiazepines such as lorazepam and diazepam or stimulants like cocaine and methamphetamine.

Canada has the highest opioid consumption rates in the world and yet currently, there are no national level data on opioid-related mortalities. In Ontario specifically, the number of opioid-related deaths has increased by 463 percent between the years 2000 and 2013. Preliminary 2015 data also indicate that 707 people in Ontario have died opioid-related deaths, now exceeding the number of those killed in motor vehicle accidents. Needless to say, these statistics highlight the fact that this is a highly prevalent problem that needs to be addressed.

There are many emerging strategies attempting to deal with the opioid crisis from all different angles. Health Canada is funding a 2017 update of the national guidelines of opioids in chronic pain to affect physician prescribing habits. In pharmacies, there is a proposal for mandatory warning sticker labelling on opioid prescription bottles to caution people on the risk of addiction and overdose, similar to current stickers saying "Take with food" or "May cause drowsiness." Pharmacies are also able to dispense the opioid overdose antidote naloxone at no additional costs to the patients. In the community, there are an increasing number of community outreach initiatives through public health programs to increase awareness and education on the signs of an overdose and how to manage it.

The landscape of the opioid crisis is constantly changing with new laws coming out seemingly every month and every other news headline reporting on it. Although the opioid crisis is a seemly dark subject matter, the amount and the timeliness of changes happening in our healthcare system to address this issue is certainly a step in the right direction. Next week, Part II of the Dark Narcs will discuss the opioid overdose antidote "naloxone."



Andrea Wong is a 4th year Doctor of Pharmacy candidate from the University of Waterloo currently working and living in Mindemoya.

### Community Members' Feedback Invited! Noojmowin Teg Health Centre Evaluation of Services

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2. On-line Client Survey: Complete the survey using the link on Noojmowin Teg's Facebook page at "Noojmowin Teg Client Survey 2017."
3. Telephone interviews with clients – The evaluation team members would be pleased to schedule a time with you to complete a one-on-one telephone interview.
4. An electronic survey for our community partners in the health, social, policing and justice sectors.

All feedback is anonymous and confidential. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to call Lorrilee McGregor at (705) 285-4141 (communitybasedresearch@hotmail.com) or Pamela Williamson, Noojmowin Teg Executive Director (705) 368-2182 x 204; or p.williamson@noojmowin-teg.ca. Miigwetch, thank you.



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# New subscription box promotes, showcases Manitoulin talent

by Robin Burrige  
 MANITOULIN—Manitoulin Island now has its own subscription box—Island Box—a monthly box of goodies that features a variety of products made on the world's largest freshwater island.

"I was looking into subscribing to a dog themed subscription box," explained Island Box creator Julie Rochefort-Wood who resides in Sheguiandah. "It sparked the idea that a Manitoulin subscription box might be a neat idea. I know a lot of people who make great things, but because Manitoulin is so spread out not everyone has a chance to find out about the products or purchase them."

After the initial 'spark' Ms. Rochefort-Wood said she couldn't stop thinking about the idea and decided to run with it.

"I was so excited that I stayed up late conceptualizing and connecting with makers," said Ms. Rochefort-Wood. "I did a lot of research on other subscription boxes—there were ones for everything from food to makeup etc., but I wanted to focus specific on Manitoulin businesses and artisans. There is such a variety of talented people on the Island."

Ms. Rochefort-Wood came up with the idea for Island Box at the end of March and by April had launched the website and had the first box for sale.

"It was really quick, but



The first edition of the Island Box is filled with all kinds of made on Manitoulin goodies.

the response has been amazing," she shared. "I decided on \$45 a box, it just felt like a good price where I could offer a good variety of products."

The Island Box will feature up to five Manitoulin products each month themed around the seasons.

The first box, which shipped out earlier this month, was a spring theme and featured a Manitoulin scenic card from Jenna Carter, handcrafted soap and a bath bomb from Maiden Manitoulin, a body wash and body mist by Bare Naked Beauty, earrings from Mo'Lovely, a Garden's

Gate trail mix cookie from the Island Jar and seed bombs made by Ms. Rochefort-Wood.

Island Box can be purchased monthly online and can either be shipped directly to your home or you can skip the shipping cost and it can be picked up at The Island Jar in Little Current.

The unique Island Box packaging not only looks great, but is completely compostable including the inner package that is made from shredded newspapers and flyers.

"Even the stamp that I use is water-based ink so you can use it as a fire starter," said Ms. Rochefort-Wood, noting that she didn't want to increase the amount of garbage heading to landfills with the Island Box.

The response for the spring box was great, with Ms. Rochefort-Wood shipping Island Boxes to North Bay, Sudbury, Brockville, London and Windsor, in addition to a number of boxes picked up at the Island Jar (15 Water Street East).

"One woman was so excited that she wanted to order six months worth of boxes," she said. "I'm glad that everyone is liking Island Box. It doesn't even seem like work to me. I have been having so much fun creating the boxes and getting to know so many

cool people."

The June Island Box is on sale now, with orders due on May 22 and the boxes available for pickup/shipping out on June 1.

The June box is camping/outdoors themed and will include products from 4elements Living Arts, Anchored Jewelry, Manitoulin Brewing Company, VDW Photography, Mani-

toulin Botanicals, Bare Naked Beauty and the Island Jar.

There will also be a special addition Father's Day box, which will be a slight variation of the June box, specifically designed for men.

For more information about the Island Box or to order the June box visit, [www.islandbox.ca](http://www.islandbox.ca). If you

are a business owner interested in getting featured in a future Island Box you can contact Ms. Rochefort-Wood at [julie@islandbox.ca](mailto:julie@islandbox.ca).

Ms. Rochefort-Wood will also be a vendor at this year's Manitoulin Trade Fair from Friday, May 26 to Sunday, May 28 at the Northeast Town Recreation Centre.

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# Lakeview's Little Mermaid offers audiences 'a whole new world' of wonderful theatre

by Robin Burrige

M'CHIGEENG—Lakeview School in M'Chigeeng wowed audiences on Monday with their sixth school production, *The Little Mermaid Jr.*

The production included a cast of 22 students and three crew members who have been rehearsing since January.

"We held auditions when the students returned from Christmas break and started rehearsals soon after," said one of the production's directors, Connie Freeman. "The students practice three to four times a week during recess and closer to from 3:30 until 5 pm two times a week."

Last Friday, *The Expositor* sat in on the dress rehearsal, which was presented to the students at Lakeview School.

From the costumes, acting, singing and sets—everything about this year's production was superb.

On Monday the students performed for over 175 students from Island schools, followed by an evening production for parents, community members and Island residents.

The production was written by Doug Wright, based on the Hans Christian Andersen story and the Walt Disney film.

The *Little Mermaid* is the story of a young girl Ariel (Darci Debassige) who falls in love with a prince (Nolan Hare) and makes a deal with a sea witch Ursula (Alex Joshua-Matthews) to be able to trade her fins for legs so she can be with the prince.

The cast included Nolan Hare as Prince Eric, Darci Debassige as Ariel, Zaagaasge Corbiere-Toulouse as Grimsby, Shade Kaiser as King Triton, Jaron Panamick as Sebastian, Aspen Debassige as flounder, Harmony Panamick as Scuttle, Alex Joshua-Matthews as Ursula, Kaylee Corbiere as Flotsam, Katryna Bebonang as Jet-



Ursula (Alex Joshua-Matthews) steals King Triton's (Shade Kaiser) staff as Ariel (Darci Debassige) fights to save her father.



Ariel (Darci Debassige) learns about human objects with her side-kick flounder (Aspen Debassige) from Scuttle (Harmony Panamick).



Sebastian, played by Jaron Panamick, sings the famous 'Under the Sea' song with help from his fish friends in the chorus including Katanya Corbiere, Lourdes Taukei, Kira Panamick, Jaiden Ense-Rollo, Destiney Bebonang, Hannah Lovelace and Ava Corbiere.



Prince Eric (Nolan Hare) and Grimsby (Zaagaasge Corbiere-Toulouse) sail the seas in the opening act of Lakeview School's production of *The Little Mermaid*.

photos by Robin Burrige

sam, Savannah McCauley as Carlotta, Ian McCauley as Chef Louis, Ava Corbiere as the pilot, Ms. Farquhar as Aquata, Ava Corbiere as Andrina, Katanya Corbiere as Arista, Hannah Lovelace as Atina, Lourdes Taukei as Adella, Kira Panamick as Allana and Jaiden Ense-Rollo, Rylee Purcer and Destiney Bebonang as the princesses.

The chorus included Katanya Corbiere, Lourdes Taukei, Kira Panamick, Jaiden Ense-Rollo, Destiney Bebonang, Hannah Lovelace and Ava Corbiere.

The directors were Ms. Freeman, Kristin Farquhar, Meagan Middleton, Dianne Glasby-Debassige and Craig Cress. The crew included Jennifer Holub as the music director, choreography by Craig Cress and Kristin Farquhar, sound by Amy Mavec and Natasha Bebonang, set design and props by Adam Roy, Bud Debassige, Robin Debassige, Dianne Glasby-Debassige, John Roy with the Grade 8 class and the Lakeview School Creative Club and costume design from Dorothy Glasby, Dianne Glasby-Debassige and Bonnie Bebamash.

"The show is fantastic," said Ms. Freeman. "I have been so impressed with how professional the kids have been. They have been working really hard and are a pleasure to work with. This is our sixth production and every year we get more ambitious and the students have really risen to the occasion."

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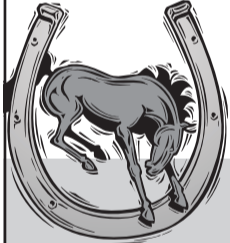
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**Parkinson's Disease Support Group.** For those affected by the disease and their caregivers, meetings will be the third Thursday of every month, 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm. Mindemoya Public Library (at the Municipal office building), Mindemoya. Call Marilyn at 705-368-0756, Ext 238 if there are any questions. All welcome. tfn

**Manitoulin Family Resources** offers programs to support and promote positive family relationships on Manitoulin and the North Shore. Violence against Women Services: Haven House Shelter, Outreach Counseling Crisis Line 705-377-5160; Toll Free Crisis Line 800-465-6788; Children's Services: Manitoulin Best Start Hub, Child Care 705-368-3400; Help Centre: Treasures Thrift Shop, Food Bank 705-377-5532; Administration 705-377-5532. Tfn

**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

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**N.A. meetings** are now being held at the Manitoulin Health Centre! Use main front door and take elevator to the right up to 3rd floor. Meeting will be in the multipurpose room first door to your left. All Monday evenings at 7 pm. For info call 705-368-0058. tfn

**Gateway To Life Church,** 9 am to 10 am; Gateway Kidz Ages 4-12, 10:30 am; Sunday Worship, 7 pm; Tuesday Bible Study. Affiliated with the P.A.O.C., 22 Vankoughnet Street East, P.O. Box 681, Little Current, Ontario POP 1K0. Pastor Philip Hovi 705-368-0245, email office@gatewaytolifechurch.com. tfn

**NEW MEETING!!** Adult Children of Alcoholics-ACA, every Tuesday at 7 pm in the Manitoulin Community Withdrawal Management Service, 17 Meredith Street East, Little Current. tfn

### for sale

**30' Prowler 2004,** two bedrooms, full bathroom, kitchen, large tip-out in livingroom, large deck, very clean. Call 705-377-4650. 47tfn

**2010 Ford F150 XLT 4x4** SuperCrew cab. 117,000 km, bed liner, tow package, four studded tires on rims, new brake job. \$18,900. 705-282-7401. 50-53c

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### for sale

**37' 1990 Legend trailer** in great condition on a corner lot in Manitoulin Resort on Manitoulin Island. Sleeps eight with two bedrooms (double bed, four bunk beds and fold-out couch). Three-piece bathroom with full kitchen and dinette. Three-year-old 40' x 10' deck with metal roof over deck and trailer. Includes wood-constructed 8' x 12' shed (three years old). Smoke and pet free. \$15,300 includes 2017 park fees if purchased by May 31, 2017. (<http://www.manitoulin-resort.com>) Please call 905-734-9042. 51-52p

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**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

**Attention everyone!** We are planning an Island-wide History of Community of Christ (RLDS) event in September. We are looking for any information, pictures, or stories of people who have attended any of our Island churches for weddings, blessings, suppers, and services throughout the years. We are trying to put together a timeline of our history. Any information would be greatly appreciated. You can email me at [aprilmcallister2014@gmail.com](mailto:aprilmcallister2014@gmail.com) or send me a private message on Facebook, or feel free to post directly to our Facebook page: Providence Bay Community of Christ. Thank you very much. 43tfn

### yard sale

**Neighborhood Yard Sales,** May 13 & 14, 9 am, Mindemoya, Limberlost Lane #15, #28, #45 (moving) and #39 Island View Trail (moving). Tools, etc. 50-51p

**Yard Sale, May 20 & 21,** 9 am to 4 pm in Tehkummah, 329 Concession 2. 51-52c

**Yard Sale:** Curbside boutique, Saturday, May 20 and Sunday, May 21 at 9 am, 11 Robinson Street, Little Current. Four families, household items, gently used CDs, tapes, clothes, everything must go. 51-52p

**Garage Sale:** Saturday, May 13, household furniture, round oak table with four chairs, china cabinet, desk, comforters, quilts, lawn furniture and many more items. 2432 Bay Estates Road North, 9 am to 4 pm, 705-368-0838. 51p

### rentals

**Retail space available** for rent: 880 sq. feet restaurant/café. Email: [smandoshkin@yahoo.com](mailto:smandoshkin@yahoo.com). 26tfn

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**Two-bedroom apartment** for rent, all electric heat, no pets, non smoking. \$800 a month, first and last month required. Available May 10. Call 705-368-1859, leave a message. 48-51c

### rentals

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### Legion Events

**Royal Canadian Legion** Branch #177 Little Current winter hours: Closed Sundays and Mondays until further notice. Open Tuesday through Saturday, 4 pm to closing. 25tfn

**Fish Fry Friday,** May 19 at the Little Current Legion, 5pm-7pm. Adult, \$15; 6-10, \$10; 5 and under free. Whitefish, smelt, fries, coleslaw and dessert. 51p

### Sea Cadet Events

**#348 Royal Canadian Sea** Cadet Corps: Sea Cadets meeting each Monday from 6:30 pm to 9 pm, Little Current Public School, ages 12 to 18. For information call 705-368-2031. 15tfn

### coming events

**Weekly Grief Support** Group, Spring Bay Pentecostal Church, 9351 Hwy 542, Spring Bay. Sessions are held on Thursdays, 7 pm to 9 pm. You are welcome to begin attending our Grief Share group at any point. Phone 705-377-5060 for more info. [www.griefshare.org](http://www.griefshare.org). 49-9p

**Mother's Day Tea** at Tehkummah Hall, Wednesday, May 10 at 7:30 pm. Admission \$8. Sponsored by Fairview United Church Junior UCW. 49-51p

**Bluegrass Dinner Cruise,** Thursday, June 8 on North Channel Tours. Leaving Little Current at 6:30 pm. Winterline Bluegrass Band performing on board. Free shuttle bus from Providence Bay. For tickets and more info: [bluegrassinthecountry.net](http://bluegrassinthecountry.net) or 705-282-0368. 49-51c

**Annual meeting** of the Michael's Bay Historical Society, Friday, May 12 at 7:30 pm at the South Bay Museum. Light lunch and coffee served. Please plan to attend and hear of the history of Manitoulin's oldest ghost town. All welcome. 50-51c

**Lions Spring Roar,** Saturday, May 20, Providence Bay Community Centre, 8 pm to 2 am. Barbecued pulled pork on a bun, with baked beans and slaw. DJ. Licensed by LCBO. 50-51c

**Come join us** for an evening of live entertainment with George Williamson and Friends at the Shequiandah Seniors' Club on May 27, 7 pm to ? For more information call 249-777-3140. 50-53c

**Relay for Life** at Manitoulin Secondary School on June 2. Please donate to Relay for Life supporting "Team Kennedy" for cancer survivor Wyatt Kennedy. All donations go to the Canadian Cancer Society. Help the Society that helps you when you need it the most. Donations can be left at Luc's Pizza and Eatery, Little Current. 50-54p

**Big Lake Community** Association euchres start May 15 and go until October 30 at Big Lake Schoolhouse beginning at 7:30 pm. Refreshments served. \$3. Everyone welcome! 51c

**i coming events**

**The Grass Roots Garden Club** invites you to our plant sale on Saturday, June 3 from 10 am until we are sold out. The plant sale will take place at the Manitoulin Hotel & Conference Centre parking lot (66 Meredith Street, Little Current). All proceeds will go to local charity.

51-2p

**Fish Fry at St. Paul's Anglican Church** in Manitowaning on Tuesday, June 6, 5:30 pm and 6:30 pm sittings. Serving fish, baked potatoes, salads, rolls, home-made pies, and beverages. Adults, \$18; ages 6-12, \$9; five and under, free. Limited number of tickets to be sold, so get yours now! Tickets available from church members or call 705-859-3041, 705-859-2110, 705-859-3426 or 705-859-2125. All proceeds to St. Paul's Anglican Church.

51p

**i coming events**

**Homemade Lasagna Dinner**, Friday, June 2, 5 pm to 7 pm, Park Centre, Kagawong. Take-out available. Adults, \$15; children under 10, \$7. For advance tickets call 705-282-1031 or pay at the door. Fundraiser for St. John's Anglican Church.

51-54p

**Spring Luncheon** at St. Francis Anglican Church in Mindemoya, Wednesday, May 31 from 11 am to 1 pm. A delicious lunch of soup, sandwiches and dessert. \$12. Take-out available, free delivery in Mindemoya. Call 705-210-0409.

51-54p

**Please join us** for our second Historical Walking Tour of downtown Mindemoya. Jean's Walk, Part II will take place on May 18 from 1 pm to 3 pm. Meet at the Mindemoya Welcome Centre. Refreshments will be served at the Museum after our walk.

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**i coming events**

**AUCTION SALE**

**Jean (late Al) Farquharson**  
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Under the direction of the Service Supervisor, the CWBW will provide for the safety and well-being of children in accordance with KGCFS policies and procedures and Ministry Standards. The CWBW will work collaboratively with all KGCFS resources, biological and foster parents, extended family and First Nation communities to ensure that our children are protected and stay connected with their culture, language, and community while strengthening family and community relationships.

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Under the direction of the Service Supervisor, the AHW will provide emergency response for Child & Family and Foster Care Services during weeknights, weekends, and holidays outside the agency's regular office hours. Provides for the safety and well-being of children in accordance with KGCFS policies and procedures and Ministry Standards. Please Note: The AHW position offers a \$31.19 hourly call-out rate and a standard weekly stand-by rate.

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#### For both Child Well-Being Worker and After Hours Worker:

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- At least two (2) years of work experience in the delivery of direct, frontline, social service programming targeting children, youth and families, preferably within an Anishinaabe community/organization.
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## Manitoulin Health Centre (MHC) Seeks Applicants Board of Directors

The Nominating Committee of the Board of Directors, as the committee responsible for bringing forward suitable candidates to the Board, is seeking applications from persons residing in the District of Manitoulin who are interested in serving as Directors.

MHC is a two-site hospital corporation, with locations in Mindemoya and Little Current, whose Mission is "To contribute to the health and well-being of all who come to us in need." The Board governs the organization, and is responsible for issues such as strategic direction, capacity, quality, collaborative ventures, risk management and fiscal soundness of the organization. Towards these activities, Directors act in the best interest of the hospital corporation, ensuring through appropriate governance endeavors that the hospital fulfills its mission.

MHC selects Board Members with consideration based on skill sets, including:

- Geographical considerations (across the Manitoulin Region, bringing local knowledge of health issues);
- Quality assurance/risk management knowledge
- Financial knowledge
- Legal skills
- First Nations
- Ethics
- Other relevant skills desirable to the Board

Diversity of skills, knowledge and viewpoints is desirable for a high-performing Board, and so the Board encourages applications from suitable individuals with an interest in serving in this capacity.

Interested persons are asked to submit:

- A cover letter indicating the reason(s) why they wish to sit as a Director;
- A resume outlining skills and qualities they will bring to the Board;
- A description of any past experiences in serving other non-profit associations, organizations, or community groups; and
- Three (3) references

By 12:00 pm (noon) on Monday, May 29, 2017 addressed to Chair, Nominating Committee, Board of Directors, Manitoulin Health Centre, P.O. Box 640, Little Current, ON P0P 1K0 or by fax (705) 368-3603 or by email [dgraham@mhc.on.ca](mailto:dgraham@mhc.on.ca).





The Corporation of the Township of Tehkummah is accepting applications for the following position:

**MARINA ATTENDANT**

This is a seasonal position from May to October, located at the South Baymouth Municipal Marina.

**Tasks and Responsibilities:**

Under the direction of the Clerk-Treasurer

- Responsible for enforcing the regulations of South Baymouth Marina Harbour, in order to ensure the safety of navigation, the security of the harbour and the correct operation of the facilities
- Responsible and accountable for the day-to-day operations of the municipal marina
- Participate in daily operations of the marina
- Ensure all docked boats have proof of payment for mooring (seasonal and transient)
- Record daily boats departure and arrival for safety purposes
- Operate cash register and point of sale terminal to receive payment for goods and services
- Balance cash and take funds and sales report to municipal office
- Make sure shower house, washrooms and laundromat are cleaned daily and checked regularly.
- Ensure there is appropriate stock of supplies including gas
- Ensure proper gas pricing is in place
- Dispense fuel for sale, take daily fuel dip readings
- Ensure that garbage is ready for pick-up on a regular basis
- Grounds keeping of marina area
- Maintenance / repairs to buildings and fixtures as directed
- Support the Salmon Classic
  - Sell Tournament Tickets on behalf of the Salmon Classic Tournament
  - Operate the Weigh-In Station as per tournament regulations:
    - Weigh in fish
    - Send weigh-in forms to tournament headquarters by email or fax

**Knowledge and Skills:**

- Self-motivated, good written and oral communication
- Must be able to work cash register / debit machine and reconcile sales reports
- Computer skills: Excel spreadsheets, Word documents, email
- Valid certificates or able to undertake training in Fuel handling safety, Marina radio operation
- Valid certificates in Health & Safety, WHMIS, First Aid and CPR desirable
- Able to recognize fish species
- Good organizational skills
- Good public relation skills and ability to exercise diplomacy
- Personal appearance must be neat and tidy.
- Protective Personal Equipment: safety boots, safety vest

This is a 12-hour rotational schedule at \$15.84 per hour.

Applications clearly marked **MARINA ATTENDANT** are to be submitted prior to **Monday, May 15th, 2017 at 4:00 pm.**

Township of Tehkummah  
456 Highway 542A, Tehkummah, Ontario P0P 2C0

Email: [twptehk@amtelecom.net](mailto:twptehk@amtelecom.net)



**JOB OPPORTUNITY**

**The Manitoulin Publishing Co. Ltd.**

has an opening for an all-round **SUMMER STUDENT POSITION**

**SCOPE OF WORK**

The successful candidate would be expected to:

- assist on the busy production department (an interest in graphic design would be an asset for this aspect of the job and this interest will be developed through hands-on experience and training)
- assist with Expositor events like The Manitoulin Expositor Salmon Classic

**QUALIFICATIONS**

The successful applicant should:

- be enthusiastic
- have the ability to work in a busy environment
- have some familiarity with Adobe graphic design programs (InDesign, Photoshop, Acrobat) and programs in Microsoft Office Suite.

**APPLY AS SOON AS POSSIBLE (BY MAY 15, 2017) WITH RESUME AND REFERENCES:**

By mail:

The Manitoulin Expositor

P.O. Box 369

Little Current, ON P0P 1K0

By email: [expositor@manitoulin.ca](mailto:expositor@manitoulin.ca)

By hand: to the Expositor Office, 1 Manitowaning Road, downtown Little Current, Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm

By fax: (705) 360-3822



**KENJGEWIN TEG IS RECRUITING!  
LITERACY AND BASIC SKILLS INSTRUCTOR**

Kenjgewin Teg is an Anishnaabe controlled and directed education organization that strives to provide a comprehensive, qualitative, cultural and holistic approach to First Nations based education, training and services. Our vision is to give students the ability to see the gift they were given, in order to be able to succeed in this world!

We are currently recruiting an individual who is committed to continuously strive to nurture confident, resilient learners who are culturally grounded in personal identity and who are active participants engaged in their own learning with high aspirations of becoming a good citizen...living a good life. This position is for an individual who is a passionate people person who will lead a small student population of Indigenous and non-Indigenous learners with tremendous potential (approximately 40 students enrolled annually) who require individualized instructional and student support services to ensure LBS program student retention, achievement and completion.

**Literacy and Basic Skills Instructor – May 2017 to May 2018**

**Salary and Benefits:** KTEI Teacher Salary Grid (Qualified Level)

**Positive Objective:** The Literacy and Basic Skills (LBS) Instructor is committed to creating and promoting an adult learning environment that reflects Anishinabek culture, language, traditions, principles, values and history. The LBS Instructor will support Anishinabek practices and protocols in program delivery components in support of overall organizational educational philosophies of learning. The LBS Instructor will ensure that the established Ontario Literacy and Basic Skills performance objectives are met, using curricula and strategies that maximize the achievements of students.

**Qualifications:**

- Preferred: Bachelor of Education degree or Diploma in Education with Intermediate/Senior qualifications; Special Education qualifications preferred; Minimum three (3) years of successful teaching experience; member in good standing with the Ontario College of Teachers;
- Will consider Certificate in Adult Education or other equivalent; minimum of three (3) years' teaching experience in an adult learning environment;
- Knowledge of Anishinabek cultural teachings and Anishinaabemowin; (note: minimum requirement for this position is a willingness to learn, participate and model learning in Anishinabek language and culture);
- Experience in teaching within an Indigenous organization and/or Indigenous students using varied instructional strategies for student success;
- Knowledge of adult learning principles supporting literacy and numeracy, student learning assessments and data management skills;
- Strong interpersonal skills required, industrious work ethic, positive outlook and attitude to contribute to the program and organization working environment;
- Strong software experience in Microsoft applications including Word, Excel and Outlook is required

To learn more about this employment opportunity or to request a detailed job description please contact the Director of Operations at 705-377-4342 or by email at [HumanResources@ktei.net](mailto:HumanResources@ktei.net).

**Deadline: Monday, May 15, 2017**

**Interested individuals can send a complete application package that consists of:**

Cover letter, a detailed resume, three (3) current (within one year) letters of reference, two of which must be professional on organizational letterhead and authored by direct supervisor, and written permission to contact references. Please note that the successful candidate will be required to provide a current Vulnerable Sector Check.

Applications can be received marked **confidential** either through mail or fax only, to:

Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute  
"LBS Instructor"  
c/o Director of Operations  
374 Hwy. 551, P.O. Box 328, M'Chigeeng First Nation, ON P0P 1G0  
Tel: 705-377-4342 Fax: 705-377-4379

**Please note:** Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute's Fitness for Duty Program is implemented which is designed to promote the development and maintenance of the highest possible levels of worker health and safety in an efficient and productive workplace.

**Please note:** Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute has taken steps to ensure that the organization is inclusive within the school community. This includes the shared practice of First Nation tradition of smudging.

*Late applications will not be considered. While we thank all applicants, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Personal information contained in applications will be used for recruitment purposes and collected as per Freedom Of Information (F.O.I.) And Protection Of Privacy Act, 1987.*



**MANITOULIN HEALTH CENTRE**

*"One organization with two hospital sites, serving the Manitoulin Island region..."*

We invite applications for the position of **Nurse Manager**

The Nurse Manager reports to the VP Clinical Services/CNO and plays a key role on the nursing management and hospital management teams. The Nurse Manager oversees all nursing areas with primary responsibility for leadership in emergency room, chemotherapy satellite program, endoscopy/minor procedures and medical device reprocessing.

**Qualifications include:**

- Current certificate of competence with the College of Nurses of Ontario, BScN preferred
- Minimum 3 years' current progressive experience in a clinical setting
- Post RN preparation in administration and management or a demonstrated commitment to continuing education through upgrading in both clinical and managerial skills
- Recent experience in a supervisory position preferred, including scheduling, development of staff, budgeting, and labour relations

For further information or to apply:

Kim Hannaway, Director of Human Resources

PH: 705-368-2300, Ext. 2507

E-mail: [khannaway@mhc.on.ca](mailto:khannaway@mhc.on.ca)

*Consideration of applications will begin immediately until the position is filled (or the posting is withdrawn). Please apply to [khannaway@mhc.on.ca](mailto:khannaway@mhc.on.ca)*

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**Municipality of Central Manitoulin**  
**Landfill Site Attendant**  
 Anywhere from 8 to 16 hours per week, weekend work, at the Providence Bay and Big Lake Landfill sites. Must have own vehicle.  
 Resumes may be sent to the address below and must be received **no later than 12:00 (Noon) Monday, May 15, 2017.**  
 R. Frawley, CAO/Clerk  
 6020 Hwy 542  
 P.O. Box 187  
 Mindemoya ON POP 1S0  
 Telephone: 705-377-5726  
 Fax: 705-377-5585  
 Email: centralm@amtelecom.net

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**MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN**  
**JOB OPPORTUNITY**  
**SUMMER STUDENT**  
 The Municipality of Central Manitoulin has the following position available for the summer of 2017:  
 • Swimming Instructor (7-week term)  
 Further details are available at the Municipal Office. Deadline for receiving applications is noon (12:00 p.m.) May 19, 2017.  
 Eligible students must hold WSI, be planning to return to school full-time in the fall, be eligible to work in Canada, as well as be at least 15 years of age upon commencement of employment.  
 Please direct all inquiries and applications to:  
 Sarah Bowerman  
 Municipality of Central Manitoulin  
 P.O. Box 187  
 Mindemoya, ON POP 1S0  
 Phone: 705-377-5726  
 Fax: 705-377-5585  
 Email: centralaa@amtelecom.net  
*Only those persons invited for an interview will be contacted.*

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**The PORT**  
  
**JOB OPPORTUNITY**  
**FULL-TIME OR PART-TIME**  
**MUST BE AT LEAST 16 YEARS OF AGE**  
**KITCHEN EXPERIENCE NOT REQUIRED BUT PREFERRED**  
**CALL 705-734-4167**  
**OR EMAIL: THEPORTLC@GMAIL.COM**

  
**HELP WANTED**  
**Dishwasher & Prep Cook**  
 Ideally willing to work full-time until Thanksgiving.  
 Email resume to:  
 schoolhousedining@gmail.com  
 or call 705-377-4055

**DENTAL LAB TECHNICIAN ASSISTANT**

Part time assistant required for busy denture clinic in Little Current. No experience required but dental background and WHMIS would be an asset.  
 Wage dependent on experience.  
 Fax resume to 705-368-0943  
 or email to  
 manitoulindentureclinic@hotmail.com

  
**SCOTT VETERINARY SERVICES**  
**JOB OPPORTUNITY**  
**Full-time Receptionist**  
 position available at Scott Veterinary Services.  
 If you are passionate about animals, client service and being a part of a progressive, positive team environment, you may be a perfect fit.  
 Please email your resume to Kathy at kathy@scottvet.ca

  
**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - CLINICIAN**  
 The NAANDWECHIGE-GAMIG Wikwemikong Health Centre is seeking a Clinician within the Nadmadwin Mental Health Program.  
**Summary**  
 Under the direct supervision of the Nadmadwin Mental Health Manager/Clinician, the Clinician provides professional clinical assessment, counselling, education and referral services to individuals, groups and families; and health promotion services in the form of educational and primary prevention activities to the community of Wikwemikong.  
**Responsibilities (for a complete job description please contact Melissa Roy)**  
 1. To ensure that culturally appropriate and effective clinical services are provided to the community of Wikwemikong.  
 2. To facilitate culturally appropriate and efficient mental health services to the community of Wikwemikong.  
 3. To ensure culturally appropriate quality of service by working under close supervision of the Mental Health Manager.  
 4. To keep abreast of current trends, developments and issues in appropriate fields of interest and communicate information to the Mental Health staff.  
 5. To assist with the facilitation of professional development of other staff.  
 6. To maintain culturally appropriate professional competency on an ongoing basis.  
 7. To promote culturally appropriate mental health services in the community of Wikwemikong.  
 8. To participate in the "Critical Incident Response Plan" for Wikwemikong.  
**Qualifications**  
 • Bachelor's degree in psychology or social work or one of the helping disciplines; or successful completion of a college diploma program in the social services field.  
 • Membership or membership qualification in a recognized provincial regulatory body is an asset.  
 • Minimum of three years of social work experience in a healthcare setting or social service agency is an asset. (one of the three years may have been a social work internship.)  
 • Excellent assessment, interviewing, and counselling skills.  
 • Expertise in mental health and substance abuse areas preferred.  
 • Knowledge of therapeutic interventions.  
 • Must possess the ability to make independent decisions when circumstances require and must know when to refer a patient for further medical assessment.  
 • Able to effectively communicate both verbally and in writing.  
 • Computer literacy, including effective working skills of MS Word, Excel and e-mail required.  
 • Able to deal with people sensitively, tactfully, diplomatically, and professionally at all times.  
 • Highly flexible, with solid interpersonal skills that allow one to work effectively in a diverse working environment.  
 • Able to work efficiently as part of a team as well as independently.  
 • Good organizational, time management and prioritizing skills.  
 • High level of sound and independent judgment, reasoning, and discretion  
 • Strong morals and ethics, along with a commitment to staff privacy.  
 Salary is in accordance with WUIR Salary Grid. All applicants **MUST submit a letter of application, current resume, copies of credentials and two (2) names of immediate supervisors with information, marked CONFIDENTIAL to:**  
 Clinician  
 Attention: Melissa Roy, Executive Assistant  
 NAANDWECHIGE-GAMIG Wikwemikong Health Centre  
 P.O. Box 101, 16A - Complex Drive  
 Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0  
 Telephone: 705.859.3164 Fax: 705.859.3300 Email: mroy@wikyhealth.ca  
**Deadline: May 19, 2017 @12:00 Noon**  
**Copies of the following will be requested from the SUCCESSFUL candidate: CPIC/VSS, Driver's License & Abstract. DO NOT INCLUDE IN PACKAGE.**  
*We thank all applicants; only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Incomplete submissions will not be accepted. No return of submissions.*

  
**WIKWEMIKONG BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**POSITION: School Principals**  
**SALARY: According to WBE Salary Grid**  
**START DATE: September 2017**  
 Under the direct supervision of the Wikwemikong Board of Education and general direction of the Education Director.  
**DUTIES:**  
 • Must be prepared to implement new curriculum as set by Ministry guidelines, while ensuring Anishinabe inclusive curriculum is implemented at all grade levels.  
 • As principal, administer and oversee school programs and all operations.  
 • Supervise and evaluate all classroom teachers and support staff.  
 • Provide direction to Maintenance Supervisor according to program needs.  
 • Maintain liaison with Local Delivery Mechanisms (inter-agency resources).  
 • In charge of management, organization, attendance, discipline of school, extra-curricular supervision, and other records; comprehensively administer school programs.  
 • Engage parents/community in all aspects of school operations.  
 • In consultation with school board and supervisor, improve, adapt and develop curriculum, course outlines, long range plans and calendars.  
 • Maintain a daily report of activities in a supervisory daybook.  
**QUALIFICATIONS:**  
 • Bachelor of Arts/ Science Degree, Bachelor of Education Degree & Principals Qualifications  
 • Registered with the Ontario College of Teachers  
 • Additional Qualifications in Guidance/Special Education/ Native as a Second Language, are strongly recommended.  
 • Knowledge of School Board Policy and Ministry of Education Statutes and Regulations.  
 • Team player, experience in administration, behaviour management and counseling preferable with strong interpersonal communication skills.  
 • Experience in a supervisory capacity as Principal or Vice-Principal are definite assets.  
 • Knowledge and appreciation of Anishinabe language and culture are definite assets.  
 • Provide a resume, 3 current work references on letterhead, a current (original) criminal/vulnerable reference check (within the last 90 days), TB Mantoux test (formal Medical Form/Letter from Family Doctor) within the last 90 days.  
 • Recent copy of performance appraisal/ evaluation.  
 • This position comes with full Ontario Teacher's Pension Plan (OTPP) and benefits.  
**Please send your resume and documentation to:**  
 Education Director  
 Wikwemikong Board of Education  
 34 Henry Street  
 WIKWEMIKONG, Ontario, POP 2J0  
 Tel: 705-859-3834 Fax: 705-859-3787  
**DEADLINE: Friday, May 26, 2017 @ 2:00 p.m.**  
 \*Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.\*



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**Registered Practical Nurses (Casual) Wanted**  
**Noojmowin Teg Health Centre**

Noojmowin Teg Health Centre is seeking the services of Registered Practical Nurses on a casual basis. The RPNs will support the primary care team (physicians and nurse practitioners) specifically at the Wikwemikong Health clinic. The casual nurses will be supervised and under the direction of the Primary Care Manager. The goal is to improve services to clients for medical purposes from initial contact to follow-up care.

The casual registered practical nurse will prepare clients for clinic visits to physicians and nurse practitioners by: completing vitals as necessary; updating client demographic information and patient profiles; obtaining most current results as relevant to the client's care prior to seeing clinician; completing requests from providers as relevant to client's care, etc.

The casual RPNs must provide: relevant credentials; be a member in good standing with CNO; have minimum of two (2) years' work experience; current CPR and First Aid, current and clear; and experience working with Anishinabek people preferred.

Submit a covering letter, resume including three (3) work-related references, current criminal records check, and proof of registration. Please mark correspondence as "Confidential." We thank all for their interest and applications. Only those under consideration will be contacted.

Contact: Pamela Williamson  
 Noojmowin Teg Health Centre  
 Hwy 540, 48 Hillside Road, Bag 2002  
 Little Current, Ontario POP 1K0  
 www.noojmowin-teg.ca  
 (t) 705-368-2182  
 (f) 705-368-2229

The Corporation of the Township of Tehkummah is accepting applications for the following positions:  
**ASSISTANT TO MUSEUM CURATOR**

Employment location is the Little Schoolhouse and Museum located in South Baymouth. This position is funded under the Canada Summer Jobs 2017 program.

**To be eligible, students must meet the following criteria:**

- Be between the ages of 15 and 30 years of age at the start of employment
- Have been registered as full-time students in the previous academic year and intend to return to school on a full-time basis in the next academic year
- Be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act
- Be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations
- Does not contravene the Nepotism clause of the Articles of Agreement

**Tasks and Responsibilities:**

- Under the direction of the Museum Curator
- Act as heritage interpreter
- Provide orientation and interpretation of local history through storytelling, guided tours and public presentation
- Assist with set up of displays and maintenance of artifacts and records
- Other duties as assigned by Curator

This position commences June 28, 2017.  
 40 hours per week at \$11.40 per hour


Applications clearly marked Assistant to Museum Curator are to be submitted prior to **Monday, May 15th, 4:00 pm.**

**Township of Tehkummah**  
 456 Highway 542A, Tehkummah, Ontario POP 2C0  
 Email: twptehk@amtelecom.net



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.

**notice**



**Kagawong Water System Annual Water Main Flushing**

**Wed. & Thur., May 10, 11**

- Temporary lack of pressure or discoloration may occur.
- Run your tap until water clears.

**Part-time Bar Steward Wanted**  
 for  
 Little Current Legion Branch 177

Smart Serve Required

Send resume to:  
 R.C.L. Br. 177  
 P.O. Box 656  
 Little Current, ON  
 POP 1K0



**HELP WANTED**

Full time seasonal help required for July & August at the Pine's Inn in Killarney  
 Email resume to:  
 pauls\_garage@yahoo.ca

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**TOWN OF GORE BAY**

Request  
 "Tender for Sidewalk Replacement"

The Town of Gore Bay invites qualified contractors to submit a tender to replace the Sidewalk between Loco Beanz and Canada Post, 6 1/2' w x 60' l x 6" d. Complete details outlined on Tender form which are available for pick up at the town office, or you can request a copy by email or phone from undersigned.

Tenders are to be submitted on the prescribed form, sealed in an envelope marked "Tender-Sidewalk Replacement" to the undersigned, until 2:00 p.m., local time, May 26, 2017. Submissions received after closing date/time will not be considered.

Annette Clarke, CAO/Clerk-Treasurer  
 Town of Gore Bay  
 15 Water Street Gore Bay, Ont. P0P 1H0  
 Tel: 705-282-2420 email aclarke@gorebay.ca

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**TOWN OF GORE BAY**

Request for Proposals (RFP's)  
 Waterfront Boardwalk Replacement

The Town of Gore Bay is now accepting Proposals for the Replacement Construction and Installation of The Waterfront Boardwalk.

RFP Packages (1 for material 1 for labour) can be attained by contacting the undersigned via phone, email, or in person. Deadline for submission is Monday May 29, 2017, 1 p.m. local time.

Annette Clarke, CAO/Clerk-Treasurer  
 Town of Gore Bay  
 15 Water Street Gore Bay, Ont. P0P 1H0  
 Tel: 705-282-2420 email aclarke@gorebay.ca

**FUEL OIL TENDER**

The Manitoulin Centennial Manor invites tenders for the supply of heating fuel oil to 70 Robinson Street, Little Current, commencing **June 1, 2017 until May 31, 2018.** Fuel consumption is approximately 100,000 litres.

All bidding companies must complete a Contract Bid Form which can be picked up at the Administration Office. **Tenders must be received at the administration office by May 17, 2017 before 1600 hours and must be in a sealed envelope marked "Fuel Tender."**

Forward tenders to:  
 Manitoulin Centennial Manor  
 Attn: Board of Management  
 Postal Bag 460, Little Current, ON POP 1K0

For further information contact:  
 Michelle Bond at 705-368-2710, ext. 312

**NOTICE TO ALL USERS OF GORE BAY WATERWORKS SYSTEM**

**INTERRUPTION OF WATER SERVICE**

All residents using the Gore Bay Waterworks system may experience water pressure and / or dirty water on the following dates:  
**May 15 to May 18, 2017**  
 PLEASE MARK THESE DATES ON YOUR CALENDAR. Ontario Clean Water Agency will be flushing the distribution lines as part of the yearly maintenance program.

If you experience dirty water, let your tap run until it runs clear. Your co-operation is appreciated.

If you have any questions please call 282-2420

**Volunteers Needed**

The Municipality of Central Manitoulin is seeking volunteers to assist the Beautification Committee with general garden care of our floral displays throughout the municipality. No experience necessary. Responsibilities include designing, purchasing, planting, mulching, watering and weeding. For more information call Nancy at 705-377-5726.

Private classified word ads, like this, are \$8 for up to 25 words and 10 cents for every additional word, per week, plus HST. Pre-payment (VISA, MasterCard, cheque or cash) is required. Private sales only. Call 705-368-2744 to book your ad.

**MORDEN LEESON MONUMENTS**

**Sales Service Restoration Plaques**

**705-859-3915**  
 redlogshack@hotmail.com

# Death Notices

## PATRICIA DIANNE CLARK



Patricia Dianne Clark, of Kagawong, passed away peacefully with her family by her side on Tuesday, May 2, 2017 at Health Sciences North, in her 72nd year. Beloved wife of Allen and dear mother of Greg (Michelle) and Colleen (Richard) Vander Weerden. Special Gramma of Shane, Haley, Paige, Sofia, and Gregoire. Predeceased by her parents Pat and Mabel (Edwards) Haley and her brother Robert Haley. She will also be sadly missed by her brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Margie and Tom Stringer, Marilyn and Mike Farquhar, Ken and Shelly Clark, Anne and Eric Parsons and Jim and Melody Clark, as well as her many nieces and nephews. Dianne loved to spend time with her family. She enjoyed sitting on the deck of her camp and the cottage, watching the birds and other wildlife. She also enjoyed spending time at the sugar shack, boating, camping, fishing and having shore lunches with family and friends. She had an adventurous side that led her on many excursions with Al. She was a good sport about everything, from alligator hunting in Louisiana, to halibut fishing in Alaska. At home, she enjoyed reading, baking, doing crosswords and keeping her daily journals up to date. A celebration of Dianne's life was held at the Simpson Funeral Home, Gore Bay on Monday, May 8, 2017 at 11 am. Memorial donations may be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation or a charity of your choice as expressions of sympathy and may be made through [www.simpsonfuneralhome.ca](http://www.simpsonfuneralhome.ca).

## WILLARD IRWIN ST. JACQUES

Willard Irwin St. Jacques, a resident of Iron Bridge, died peacefully at North Shore Health Network, Blind River on Monday, April 17, 2017 at the age of 71. Born to Tessie (nee McMullen) (Hill) and Vincent St. Jacques, in Mindemoya, on July 14, 1945. Predeceased by first wife Gail and second wife Sandra. Loving father of Vincent and Theresa (Glen). Dear brother of Elizabeth Ann St. Jacques, Roy (predeceased), Wayne (Bonnie predeceased), Perry (Linda), Blake (Noreen), Sherry (Ab Parkinson), Brad (Debbie), Viola (André Gagne), Leo (Tana), Mark (Anna), Merle (Eddie Sagle). Will always be remembered by many nieces, nephews and friends. Graveside service in Mountainview Cemetery on Saturday, June 10, 2017 at 11 am. Record your thoughts, memories and photos at [www.islandfuneralhome.ca](http://www.islandfuneralhome.ca).

## DAVID ANTHONY LEONARD WASSENGESO "Chicken George"



David Anthony Leonard Wassengeso "Chicken George" passed away peacefully to the spirit world on May 4, 2017. He was born on December 27, 1940 to David and Lucy George (nee Shawana), both predeceased. Survived by his loving wife of 55 years, Janette, and his children Daniel "Sonny" (Trissy), Bernadette "Smallcook" (Maheengun) and Edward "Eddie". Cherished grandfather of six grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and three godchildren. Will be greatly missed by his sister Angeline and brother Clifford (Phyllis) and his brothers and sisters-in law. Predeceased by his siblings, Henry, Freda and Anthony. He will forever be remembered by his many nieces and nephews and his special friend, "Laddie." Leonard worked as a carpenter and a farmer, but his true passions were horse pulling, plowing, bluegrass, fiddle music and lastly, hockey, as he was always "waiting for the call." Leonard was admired and loved by many, but always kept his humbleness. He was a quiet, but gentle man who always had a smile and kind word for all those he met. Leonard has been described from many as a legend, and a legend he will always be. Visitation started on Saturday, May 6, 2017 at 6 pm at St. Ignatius Church. Funeral Mass was at 11 am on Monday, May 8, 2017 at Holy Cross Church. Interment will be at Upper Wikwemikong Cemetery. Arrangements entrusted with Island Funeral Home, Little Current.

## ALLAN CHRISTOPHER ROY "Prof Peabody"

October 12, 1958 - April 29, 2017

Son of Rosie (Shigwadja) Roy (predeceased). Father of Mark, Bradley, Crystal, April and stepsons Danny and Mikey. Truly cherished his time with his nine grandchildren: Brianna, Ailysa, Shayla, Jayden, Jenassa, Aaliyah, Cameron, Riley and Kiren. Brother of Elmer, Rosemary, Barbara (all predeceased). Survived by siblings George, Raymond, Gloria, Suzanne, Janice, Marilyn, Boniface, Joanne. Sadly missed by all his nieces and nephews. Allen will be sadly missed by many. He was a loving, caring grandfather. Who loved spending quality time with his family and grandchildren. He enjoyed the outdoors and was always there to lend a helping hand for his family members. He always had stories to tell and a good sense of humor. Family and friends gathered at St. Ignatius Church, Buzwah. Visitation was from 10 am on Friday, May 5, 2017. Funeral Mass was at 3 pm on Saturday, May 6, 2017. Burial at Buzwah Cemetery.

## AILEEN CULGIN-PEPLER

Aileen Culgin-Peppler died Wednesday, May 3, 2017 at Stevenson Memorial Hospital in Alliston. She was in her 92nd year. Aileen was a resident of Kingsmere Retirement Suites in Alliston, where she enjoyed life to the fullest. She was an accomplished pianist and could often be found playing piano in the lounge or entertaining friends in her room while playing the organ. Aileen loved people and was always up for a chat. She was always ready to reminisce with old friends but enjoyed making new ones. She loved to laugh and always had a purse full of jokes at the ready. Aileen was born in Adjala and was the daughter of the late Alma and Oliver Pettit. Predeceased by sister Vi. In 1947 she married Jack Culgin who predeceased her in 2000, and together they operated a dairy farm. Aileen also trained as a hairdresser and real estate agent, a job that she loved. Loving mother of Ted (predeceased January 2017) and his wife Barb, Mary Jane and Sean Ronan. Proud grandmother of Andy (Dawn), Jack (Natascha), Ben (Kat). Dear Gigi to Willow. Much loved Aunt to Susan (John), Lynn (Kathleen), Cheryl (Ray), Paul (Helen), Rodger (Judy). Dear friend of Dennis Courneya. Aileen married Bill Peppler in 2001. He survives her as well as his much loved children Carla (Dan), Rand (Martina), Graeme and Grandson Willoughby. A celebration of life will be held at Kingsmere Retirement Suites, Alliston on Sunday, May 7, 2017 from 1 pm to 4 pm. Donations in memory of Aileen can be made to the Alliston Food Bank or charity of your choice.

## ROBERT (BOB) JAMES SMITH July 19, 1943 – April 28, 2017

Robert (Bob) James Smith passed away after a short illness, at Mindemoya Hospital, in his 74th year. Predeceased by wife, Marion. Survived by wife, Tari; stepchildren Paul (Marjorie), Cheryl, Tanya (Ang), Jason (Nancy); Grandchildren Cheasnessa, Christina, Elijah, Colyn, Bryce, Hunter, Nathan, Taylor; great-grandson, Julius. Remembered by brothers Wayne (Peggy), Darrell; and sister Cheryl; and many nieces and nephews. Lovingly remembered by special daughter Melissa (Jacob); grandson Brendan; golf partner Brad (Monique); and many good friends. Bob was raised in Sandfield on Manitoulin Island, and attended both the Sandfield and Big Lake Schoolhouses. After leaving the Island, he attended Sudbury Tech, then joined the army at the age of 17, becoming a member of the Black Watch 2nd Battalion where he spent two years in Germany during the Berlin Crisis (when the wall went up). He also spent many years as a security manager in Toronto and Hamilton. Robert was a life member of the HNVA (Hamilton Naval Veteran's Association), holding many executive positions over the years--Secretary (13 years), 1st Vice (3 years), President (4 years), and a retired member of their Colour Party. He was also a long-time member of The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 58 (Hamilton), and held a position with their Colour Party as well. Following his retirement, Bob returned to Sandfield where he enjoyed many hobbies--fishing, cribbage, and golf. He also took great interest in his associations with the Injured Workers/War Pensioners of Manitoulin; Merry Makers of Sandfield (assisting with their annual Strawberry Social Picnics); and the Manitoulin Rifle Team. Celebration of Life to be held Saturday, May 27, 2017, at the Sandfield Community Centre (site of old Schoolhouse) from 12 noon to 4 pm. Light luncheon provided by the Sandfield Merry Makers. Celebration of Life in Hamilton to be held Sunday, June 4, 2017, 12 noon to 4 pm, at the H.N.V.A., 108 Parkdale Avenue North. Light luncheon provided by members.

This is how Bob wanted to be remembered.

*"Miss Me But Let Me Go"*  
*When I come to the end of the road,*  
*And the sun has set for me,*  
*I want no rites in a gloom filled room,*  
*Why cry for a soul set free?*  
*Miss me a little – but not too long,*  
*And not with your head bowed low,*  
*Remember the love that we once shared,*  
*Miss me – but let me go.*  
*For this is a journey we all must take,*  
*And each must go alone,*  
*It's all part of the Master's Plan,*  
*A step on the road to home.*  
*When you are lonely and sick at heart,*  
*Go to the friends we know,*  
*And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds,*  
*"Miss me – but let me go."*  
Arrangements entrusted with Island Funeral Home, Little Current.

## DONELDA MARY BEANGE GILCHRIST

Please join us at Grimesthorpe Cemetery in Spring Bay on May, 20, 2017 at 10:30 am for the burial of Donelda Mary Beange Gilchrist. Light lunch to follow at the Pentecostal Church.

## thank you

It is with a very heavy but grateful heart that I write this "Thank You" note to so many people after the passing of my husband and best friend for 62 plus years. He was such a caring and wonderful father, grandfather and great-grandfather. To Dr. Shelagh McRae, you were so kind, thoughtful and caring to Bill and myself during the two months he was home. Thank you. Without your help we could not have had Bill at home. Thank you also to the girls at the Gore Bay Medical Centre; you were always helpful to us. To the doctors and nurses and all the staff at the Mindemoya Hospital, what can I say about your care for Bill? You went above and beyond to keep him comfortable and answer all our concerns and questions. Thank you. We would also like to thank Stewart and Sheila at the Simpson Funeral Home for their guidance and help in planning the celebration of Bill's life. You made a difficult time much easier. Thank you to Janice from Sentimental Flowers for the beautiful and personal flowers and planters. Nancy Panton, you did a superb service, we thank you so much. Courtney, our granddaughter, for delivering the eulogy and for the help with the pictures and everything. Thank you. Thank you to Larry Morrison and Marnie Saunders for your kind words and stories about Bill. To all our family, what would I do without you? For the many trips to the hospitals in Sudbury and Mindemoya to be with your dad and me, your support meant so much. Thank you to all our family for traveling so far to be with us. To friends who travelled far to be with us, thank you. To our many friends who visited Bill at home and in the hospital, thank you. To all who came to the funeral, for your donations, flowers, sympathy cards and for all the food that was brought to our homes, thank you. Thank you to the A.C.W. (All Saints) for the luncheon after the funeral. You did a wonderful job, especially as there was such a large crowd. There are no words that can express our thankful appreciation to each and every one of you. Bill was a loving husband, father and Poppa to our large family. We were so blessed to have him until he was 86! His legacy and our memories will live on, always in our hearts. God Bless You, Vera Chatwell and family

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The family of Gerald (Jiggs) Elliott would like to extend a heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all the family and friends who came out for our father's Celebration of Life gathering on April 22. It was uplifting and healing to see so many people and share stories and memories. Thanks to all for the kindness and thoughtfulness shown at this time by the visits made by many to our mother and us, for the many cards, great food donated, flowers, donations and many phone calls. Thanks again for the support and concern given to our mom. Dad will remain forever in our hearts.

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## thank you

Nano Debassige, thank you from the bottom of my heart for all the help you gave me when my little red car, bought from Northern Ford three days before, broke down. Nano, you are one of the very best.

Freeman Middaugh

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## † in memoriam

ROWLAND--In memory of Joe, Mable and Lewis Rowland.

There was an old homestead That sat back in a distance, But all that's left are our memories.

Like that old homestead, We hold the memories of what was close and dear in our hearts to treasure forever. Gone but not forgotten.

If roses grow in heaven, Lord, Please pick a bouquet for me. Always loved by Charles and Sheila Rowland

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ST. JACQUES--In loving memory of Fred, Alena and Frank St. Jacques.

The time has passed so quickly,

It seems like only yesterday. We hold the memories of what was close and dear in our hearts.

Always remembered, always loved.

So, may the clouds remain clear

So you can see from above What was, what is.

So, if roses grow in the garden above,

Lord, please pick a bouquet for them and tell them they come from us.

Always loved, Charles and Sheila Rowland and Clarence and family

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ST. JACQUES--In loving memory of Brenda St. Jacques.

The Lord put you here to do a job,

But at some time He asked you to come back home.

Although your time here was cut short

Your memories will linger on.

We will always cherish those memories and hold them close and dear in our hearts.

If roses grow in the garden above,

Lord, please pick one for us.

Loved always, Charles and Sheila Rowland

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# Indigenous Career Day explored all options—with a digital award

by Michael Erskine  
M'CHIGEENG—Display booths lined the cafeteria at Manitoulin Secondary School as students discussed the various career options available both in traditional and mainstream streams.

"In working with the Ministry of Education's Career Studies Pilot Project and as the only participant in Rainbow District School Board, it became clear to me that my school likely had the largest indigenous student population of any of my colleagues," said MSS teacher Shan Keatley. "I am still working on the Digital Literacy module for the pilot program. In return for my efforts in the Pilot Project, my class got 15 Chromebooks from ministry funds; we had none prior to this. I asked my ministry colleagues about the possibility to do something beyond the module, for more classroom equipment, etc. because the feedback and input of all my students would fulfill a demographic niche. They agreed and pulled funds from a separate line of monies for my mini-career fair. These funds were slated for indigenous-connected educational projects. These funds will likely go toward some useful and expensive A-V equipment for the school, or at the very least, toward more Chromebooks for my careers class." Ms. Keatley said the final decision on that allocation is still to be determined.

"Many of the youth on Manitoulin consider returning to the Island for work, but they are often unaware, beyond the large employers on the Island, as to what career and job options exist here," said Ms. Keatley of her vision for the career fair, which she aligned with the school's annual powwow. "The annual powwow and the terms of the extra funding from the ministry seemed to align nicely with the concept of having established indigenous entrepreneurs, indigenous organizations and traditional/cultural indigenous mentors invited to MSS prior to the powwow, to share their expertise with the student body. The guests would also be invited to join in the afternoon powwow with all of us. This experience, I hope, will provide the students with knowledge of indigenous organizations that hire both indigenous and non-indigenous employees in a wide variety of fields, while at the same time, showcasing indigenous culture and promoting awareness."

As part of her ongoing project, Ms. Keatley engaged Isaac Gosse, a senior Mustang and A-V expert, who agreed to film the Career Day and to visually record key components of the day. "After editing his work, Mr. Gosse will provide me with a final copy which I will share with my colleagues in Toronto later this week," she said.

"My two careers classes became the student-led



Wilkwemkoong fashion designer, jeweller and photographer Bruno Henry with some of his works at the Indigenous Career Day held at MSS.

photos by Michael Erskine



Cindy Corbiere and Trinity Leeson fill plates for students to take to the Indigenous Career Day exhibitors.



Christine and Keegan Peltier are about to set up shop as Moonlight Consulting. Ms. Peltier is a psychologist practicing on Manitoulin.

facilitators of this experiential networking opportunity," continued Ms. Keatley. "Michelle Jones, MSS Aboriginal Support worker for the Grade 9s, and I teamed up. We generated a grand list of potential guests who fit the criteria I was looking for and, from this list, the Careers students each sent out a business formatted invitation to one person."

"Manitoulin Secondary School would like to extend a huge chi-miigwetch to the SpeakUp Grant funding under First Nation Education," said Ms. Jones. "This project was established to promote community engagement and to bring in our surrounding First Nation community resources, businesses and authentic craft persons." To that end it was a great success. "We had a wonderful turn-out. This collaborated project was a well demonstrated team effort along with the students of the Civics and Careers class. Each vendor was there to mention dif-

ferent fields and educational avenues of business and employment opportunities for all students that live on Manitoulin Island. The Grade 9 Aboriginal Support Program is here to build healthy foundations for our students to become successful individuals. The spirits were high and it was an exciting time. We will be looking forward to bringing the community to the school again."

Ms. Keatley noted that the process helped develop and hone the skills that students will utilize in their own career searches. "They learned how to attach a Google doc to their email, to carbon copy (CC) me, as their teacher, so that I would see any responses first-hand too, and they did various jobs to help the guests on April 27."

Among those various jobs was a traditional gesture of respect, as the career students lined up to assemble plates of food to deliver to their guests. The meal consisting of moose

meat, scone and wild rice was prepared by local caterer Candy Corbiere.

"Following Career Day, the students each will send out personal thank you letters via email to the guests who attended," noted Ms. Keatley, "as well as filling in reflection and feedback forms. I will take these to the ministry with me this week, in Toronto."

The turnaround for the event was tight and called for considerable focus due to ministry deadlines. "Ms. Jones and myself only had about two weeks to put all of this together," she said. "We were thrilled with the turnout and the response from our guests and others during the Career Day. The careers students and guests enjoyed a traditional feast of stuffed moose, wild rice and bannock—all compliments of our guest caterer and funding we received through a Speak Up grant. The careers students brought the guest their meals personally and got to make those face-to-face connections that are so vital to networking."

"It has been a very interesting day," said traditional healer Joseph Laford, who had a collection of his pipes and other items on display. He noted that nearly all of the items on his table had come as gifts, through barter with others or as gifts from the land.

The ripple effect of the Career Day event will soon be felt beyond the shores of Manitoulin Island. "I look forward now to sharing our Manitoulin experience with my

career studies pilot colleagues later this week," said Ms. Keatley. "It was a lot of work, as many of my students now understand first hand, to organize and run an event, but it was well worth it. Everyone had a good time and learned a bit more about each other. Personally, my vision of this small event shows how education can have a role in some of the fundamentals suggested by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. The more we all learn about

each other, and how our lives are entwined—especially here on Manitoulin—the brighter our future as we move forward together."

## in memoriam



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**ALMOST 1 FULL ACRE**, level building lot in Little Current with frontage on Hwy 540. **MLS#1039010** Asking \$44,900  
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**MANITOU RIVER \$79,000**  
 very rare offering on the Manitou River leading to Michaels Bay, over 400 feet frontage on the river, frontage also on year round road (Michaels Bay), hydro at road side in area, nicely treed level lot, surveyed, great building site for cottage or home, come and watch the trout swim by!! **MLS#1024342**

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**MANITOULIN FARM!!** - Located along Hwy 6 close to the town of Little Current, this farm features 94 acres fenced with pasture land, mixed and maple hardwood bush, great deer hunting, year round ponds and a river in which fish from lake Huron swim up to spawn. On the property is a large barn and a beautiful 3 bedroom plus loft farm house with a magnificent view. Newly renovations include windows, doors, roof, insulation, siding, flooring, trim a new kitchen, bathroom, new deck and a swimming pool in the back yard. Priced to sell at \$299,000. MLS#1042517



**RETAIL BUSINESS FOR SALE IN CENTRAL MANITOULIN!!** - Located in the town of Mindemoya at the intersection of Hwy 551 & Hwy 542 this retail operation has 5 income streams: 1) fuel & propane 2) grocery, confectionary & lottery 3) ice cream parlor 4) laundry mat & 5) 3 residential rental units. All amenities of this expanding town which has become the hub of Manitoulin are in walking distance. The building is well maintained & upgraded, the lines to the gas pumps have also been upgraded to meet new codes & the property has undergone an environmental study with a clean bill of health. The sellers are willing to hold a mortgage on this turnkey retail business. Priced to sell at \$499,000 plus inventory. MLS#1042095



**1070 SQ. FT. 3 BDRM, 2 BATH BUNGALOW IN LITTLE CURRENT!!** - This beautiful little home located within walking distance of downtown, hospital & old age home. This well maintained home with many upgrades including wiring, plumbing, flooring & roof is the perfect size, style, & location for a senior couple or single person. Appliances & some furnishings included. Asking only \$148,000. MLS#1039461



**THRIVING MINDEMUYA RESTAURANT FOR SALE OR RENT-TO-OWN!!** - Currently known as 'The Roosteraunt' this long established business has a great downtown location with parking on street front as well as in back. The building has many upgrades with beautiful licensed bar & a great little outdoor summer patio. Listed at only \$179,000. MLS#1038919



**BAY ESTATES** - Waterfront cottage with sleep camp on gentle sloping lot to shoreline. 6ft high basement with propane stove & concrete floor, open concept living/kitchen/dining facing lake with patio doors to deck. Some finishing needed in bedrooms, 4pc. bathroom with washing machine. Asking \$249,000. MLS#1032814



**LITTLE CURRENT** - Older 3 bdrm home on a corner lot has a new deck, large porch, a new asphalt roof (2013), & a solid foundation. Interior requires a little TLC. Priced to sell at \$78,500. Call now! MLS#1039758



**LAKE KAGAWONG** - Delightful 2 bdrm partially finished cottage, Cathedral ceiling plus 2 extra bdrms. 350 sq ft desirable frontage with 11 acres of mixed bush. Priced to sell at \$229,000. MLS#1038402



**QUALITY WATERFRONT LIVING** - Spacious 3 bdrm home situated on an extremely well landscaped waterfront site that includes many extra features focused on exceptional waterfront living. Quality construction, boatdock & marine rail system for your yacht, detached 880 sq ft garage, huge decks, gazebo, storage buildings, appliances, massive fireplace, cathedral ceilings & quality finish throughout. Possibly the best landscaped waterfront site available on the market today! MLS#1043024

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**BAY ESTATES**

Beautiful, spacious per-engineered Bonneville waterfront home with 8 inch insulated walls, with 2 +1 bdrms, 2 full baths, a fireplace, modern updates & features that provide comfort, quality, durability, design excellence & minimal upkeep costs. The main floor living room has a cathedral ceiling, & floor to ceiling windows. The living room, dining room, & master bdrm overlook the manicured grounds & waterfront. The dining room & master bdrm have verandahs with tempered glass railings. All main floor flooring features knotty birch, & tile. The rec room is a large open concept with a slate electric fireplace, and walkout to a screened in Jacuzzi at one end, & another screened in verandah at the other end. The home has year round water & access, a 200 amp service, plus an insulated detached garage, & plenty of storage space. Just 20 mins from Little Current. Please call for details. MLS#1042909



**McGREGOR BAY- SPECTACULAR PRIVATE ISLAND** - South east McGregor Bay location offers a truly fantastic setting with mature White Pine forest plus smooth "windswept" white bedrock, exceptional views over the bay and open views to the north and west for sunsets. A real gem of a location surrounded by LA Cloche Mountain Range and offering some of the best McGregor Bay can offer. Only \$175,000. MLS#1042986

**WATERFRONT PROPERTY** on Meldrum Bay for you! One of the best salmon fishing spots in the island. Reduced to \$39,900. MLS#1038949

**VACANT WATERFRONT LOT** - Over 5.5 acre waterfront lot with 200 ft of frontage on Ice Lake listed at only \$55,000!!! The lot is fully treed & located on Ice Lake Drive which has a private roads committee that keeps the road nicely maintained & plowed in the winter. Ice Lake has good bass & pike fishing & this lot is located only about 10 mins from the amenities of Gore Bay. MLS#1040639



**LITTLE CURRENT** - Quality family home in a desirable area of town! This 3 + 1 bdrm home has many updates plus very private back yard & shows pride of ownership. Features formal dining, spacious kitchen with all appliances, sunroom plus large living room with fireplace. Also large family room in the lower level plus double attached garage. The back yard features a swimming pool & storage sheds. Don't miss out on this fine offering! Asking \$269,900. MLS#1042673



**180 FT OF BEAUTIFUL SOUTH BAY SHORELINE!** - This secluded year round home is directly on a maintained road. Yard boasts a workshop & garden sheds, as well as a covered seating area & fish cleaning station. A cozy place with lots of space, this home is waiting for you! Asking \$350,000. Mls#1040399



**COZY 2 BDRM COTTAGE/HOME ON ICE LAKE!** - This cottage/home is on a fully treed (hardwood & cedar) 4.59 Acre lot with 200 ft of shoreline. The cottage features wood cupboards, wood stove, & an open kitchen/dining, living room concept overlooking a beautiful landscaped yard. This charming cottage/home located on Ice Lake Drive has a private roads committee that keeps the road nicely maintained & plowed in the winter. Ice Lake has good bass & pike fishing & this lot is located only about 10 mins from the amenities of Gore Bay. This cottage/home comes with most furnishings/appliances & is listed at \$189,000. MLS#1042940



**LAKE MANITOU EXECUTIVE ESTATE** - Truly exceptional show piece home situated in a pristine natural environment with 165 acres and 3,157 feet shoreline comprised of 5 separately deeded waterfront acreages. Modern 4 season home features 6 bedrooms, 7 baths, 3 bay garage, stone fireplace, huge decks, geothermal heating and cooling plus in-ground pool and spa, 3 bay boat house/float plane hangar, mature hardwood forest, on site gravel and limestone quarry's and exceptional landscaping. Recent construction, fully furnished, over the top quality and appeal all situated on Lake Manitou. Please call for complete details! MLS#1039412



**DREAM HOME** - Highest quality of finish & ultimate in privacy. 4,850 sq ft with 12 rooms plus double attached garage. 4 fireplaces, 6 baths, Trex sun decks, stone sided detached garage with 4 bays. Mature hardwood forest surrounds trout river & ravine that dissects this 162 acre property. Features 3,040 ft of desirable waterfront comprised of 5 separately deeded sites. 4 km to airport. Numerous other features, please call for complete details. Great New Lower Price! MLS#1039263



**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



**WATERFRONT COTTAGE** - Located on the South Bay waterfront, this 2 bdrm cottage is situated on a 1/2 acre lot with 115 feet of land on the shore. The home features a 2 km view of the lake, a private dock, and is set up for a year round home with both Solar & Wind power generation. This property offers a very low cost alternative to convention cottage properties plus a setting that lends very well to being one with the natural environment. Great New Price at \$110,000! MLS#1040866



**SPECTACULAR COUNTRY HOME** - Featuring modern construction with exceptional amenities such as massive white pine log construction, metal roofing, in floor hot water heating, tile & hardwood flooring, stunning stone fireplace, double heated attached garage & a very private 5 acre site to get away from it all. Located within 15 mins of the ferry docks at South Baymouth & a short commute to Manitowaning or Mindemoya for shopping supplies. Over the Top quality & appeal & one of the finest log homes built on Manitoulin! Please call for complete details. MLS#1042302



**PERFECTLY CHARMING!** - It doesn't get more quaint than this beautiful 2 bdrm home with so many unique touches! Custom cupboards, custom tile floors & beautiful stone work are just a start. An exceptional yard, with park access to Lake Kagawong in behind, means water access without the high taxes. Lots of storage in the large backyard shed. Call to view today! Asking \$149,000. MLS#1039196



**HIGH PROFILE COMMERCIAL LOCATION** - Quality construction & one of the Islands most visible locations offered at a very attractive price. 1,500 sq ft structure with metal roofing, full basement, low maintenance exterior finish, huge parking lot & no interior bearing walls for easy layout changes. General commercial zoning allows most retail or office uses! Currently set up for restaurant & pizza sales. Attractively priced at only \$198,900! MLS#1040646



**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



**BAY OF ISLANDS ISLAND RETREAT** - Exceptional location with outstanding views to the north, south and west, acreage site for privacy, excellent dockage, decks, etc. Two bedroom main camp with stone fireplace and west facing sun room to enjoy the views. Also includes work shop, laundry, guest cottage and a perfect setting to get away from it all. Impeccably Maintained and great appeal from one of the better sites available in the Bay! Asking \$315,000. MLS#1043012



**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



**SUBSTANTIAL PRICE REDUCTION** - Completely re-modelled 3 bdrm bungalow featuring attractive open layout & great quality of finish inside & out. Numerous amenities include full basement with 2nd bath, double garage, covered & open decks, carport, fantastic landscaping & new propane furnace. Quiet west end Little Current location! Half acre lot with double services, great potential for severance of a building site. Reduced to \$229,900. MLS#1038447



**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 Manitoulin Island. Priced to sell at \$77,000. MLS#1038275



**COUNTRY HOME** - on approx. 1.5 acres close to Bidwell & Manitowaning. Big modern kitchen, 2.5 baths, 3 bdrms, all brick, full basement. Attached garage, new windows 3 yrs ago. Well maintained & insulated. Big deck & also UV light system & water softener. Very reasonably priced at \$265,500. Please call Sales Person Al Frank at 705-859-3297. MLS#1042282



**LITTLE CURRENT SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENCE** - a 3 bdrm very clean home with a large back yard. This home also has an insulated full unfinished basement. It is located very close to the hospital & within walking distance of most stores and businesses. Asking \$229,000. MLS#1042870



**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



**GREAT BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY** - Fully equipped & functioning restaurant ready for takeover. This is a turnkey operation on 16 acres overlooking the Blue Jay Creek with beautiful flower gardens, upgraded buildings & a double garage. The building has new siding, new roof, ample parking central air and seating for 80. This is a great opportunity for someone seeking a new lifestyle. MLS#1033325



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**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. \$379,000 MLS#1035073



**MANITOULIN WATERFRONT COTTAGE** With a great west facing beach! It offers 3 bedrooms, nice cedar exterior, hydro service, and is located on a 4 season road. The buildings have been well maintained and the property nicely developed. Most contents of cottage included. Affordable at \$139,500. MLS#1042924




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**MANITOWANING** - Cozy bungalow with 2 bedrooms on the main floor with an option for a third. Finished basement with bar and entertaining area. Large yard in a quiet neighborhood. Recent addition, roofing, windows and deck! Appliances included! 24x16 detached garage. \$128,000. MLS#1038429



**LAKE KAGAWONG HOME** - Beautiful waterfront home on Lake Kagawong 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! List price \$385,000. MLS#1042700



**PRIME LITTLE CURRENT** Nice bungalow with attached garage, 3 bedrooms on the main floor and 1 in basement. Large family room, spacious kitchen with walkout to new back deck. Laundry on the main and full bath. Potential for an in-law suite or private basement apartment. Many recent upgrades! \$239,900. MLS# 1039840



**WATERFRONT HOME OR COTTAGE OFFERING**

Enjoy waterfront living close to Gore Bay and all its amenities. Seller motivated and quick closing possible!. House features; skylights, open concept kitchen & living space, walk-in pantry with water softener & reverse osmosis drinking water system. Master bedroom with walk-in closet and laundry. Second guest bedroom. Recent upgrades; roof, bathroom, water heater and oil stove. Gorgeous easterly views from your choice of decks. Be sure to watch the video tour! \$179,000. MLS#1033014



**AFFORDABLE WATERFRONT LIVING** - Attractive price for a waterfront cottage (or home) on Maple Point located in the North Channel. In nice maple setting. There is a master bedroom and full bathroom on the main level, with another 2 bedrooms and full bath on the 2nd level. Included is an on-demand water heater, generator panel, and most furnishings. \$209,000. MLS#1032517



**COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITY** - 9000 square foot steel frame building currently used as auto/marine repair shop - 5 x 14' bay doors and 1 X 10' bay door. In floor radiant heat, fully insulated shop. Ideal for many uses, indoor heated storage facility and so on. 3 acres of useable land. Municipal water to property (not connected at present). Great location and easy access off Hwy 6. Great potential for your business! \$219,000. MLS#1042253



**GORE BAY ON THE HARBOUR** - Executive Tudor style 2 storey home located in Gore Bay. This 2980 sq ft home offers 3 bedrooms 3 bathrooms 3 fireplaces and a sunken dining room. Sweeping staircase from the foyer gives a beautiful architectural design to the home. Cedar shake roof and brick and stucco surround the home. Professional landscaping has given this home privacy and great curb appeal. This is the ideal home or retreat for the avid boater as the marina is within view. List price \$500,000. MLS#1041821



**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#1042101.



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**BAY OF ISLANDS BEAUTY!** Island cottage with a view like no other! 1200 sq ft, 2 bedroom cottage with all the amenities. Fully furnished, includes 2 boats (1 - 25' SEARAY), 16' x 20' storage, plus new 8' x 11' storage - Excellent protected docking system, great decks, laundry building. Must be seen to be appreciated! Very attractively priced at \$325,000. Own a piece of paradise today! MLS#1038964.



**BAY ESTATES** - Waterfront Home with Spectacular Views. Open concept living/dining/custom kitchen with propane fireplace on the main. Upper level is a large loft master bedroom with full en-suite bath. Fully finished basement has family room, guest bedroom and full bath. Insulated and heated detached garage. Storage shed and also cabana with hot tub. The large back deck opens to a landscaped yard and 100 feet of waterfront. 15 minute drive to Little Current. Please call full details and a viewing. \$399,900 MLS#1042315



**BARRIE ISLAND** - A large rural home in a quiet location in the country. 3 possibly 4 bedrooms, with a 4-piece bathroom on each level. (2nd level bath may require upgrades). New water treatment system in 2016. New shingles in 2013 or 14. Oil tank dated 2012, and a new furnace was installed about same time. Cellar has been insulated with spray foam. List price \$135,000. MLS#1041787



**SUNSITE ESTATES!** Only 300 Feet from the water, this property has it all. With 3 bedrooms and 2 bathrooms in the main building plus 2 bedrooms 1 bathroom in another, you have plenty of room for family or possible rental income! \$275,000. MLS#1032719



**ROCKVILLE ROAD ACREAGE** - Close to 200 acres of land with 2.4km of year round road frontage. Trailer on site with electrical service. There are blinds, tree stands, and approximately 4km of trails. The land is level with a mix of open areas, bush, and wetland. It is currently pastured which reduces tax rates. \$165,000. MLS#1036976



**LOCATION! LOCATION! LOCATION!** 3+2 bedroom bungalow located on a South facing corner lot on the West side of Little Current. Large bright kitchen/dining/living. The basement is finished with a spacious rec room plus 2 guest bedrooms. Save on hydro by heating the house with the wood burning stove. Large mudroom/breezeway that gives access to the insulated garage and the back deck and fenced in back yard. \$234,900. MLS#1041602



**LITTLE CURRENT** - 2 bedroom, 1 bath bungalow with a short walk to the beach. Open concept living/dining room allows for excellent entertaining. Nicely landscaped with established vegetable garden. Double garage with workshop. Storage galore! Great rental investment! \$124,900. MLS#1036459



**LAKE MANITOU HOME!** 4 Season East facing waterfront Home on Lake Manitou close to Mindemoya. Open concept kitchen/dining/living room and full bathroom on the main floor. Second level has 2 bedrooms with lake view and full bath. Partially finished walkout basement. Large deck and sun room that overlooks Lake Manitou. Single car garage with an attached workshop and extra room for storage or as a sleep bunkie. Well landscaped with 119ft of shoreline and access to launch a boat. Also included is the Aluminium dock. \$385,000. MLS#1042593



**NORTH CHANNEL/WEST BAY** - 50 Acres with approx 3500' of waterfront on the west side of West Bay. Legal access via road allowance. Access also along shore via Fraser Road. Prime shoreline with possible development potential or a great recreational property Very affordable taxes! \$239,000. MLS#1036570.



**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



**TEHKUMMAH** - 2 bedroom, 1 bath bungalow in the hamlet close to the general store and community centre. The home offers a steel roof and features a master bedroom with garden doors exit to a beautiful deck overlooking the nice 1/2 acre lot. Many upgrades in recent years (septic, water system, heating and more!) This property is 10 min from the ferry and fishing is close by. \$109,000. MLS#1040852



**GORE BAY LOT** - Large 124' x 350' lot with municipal services and with great potential easterly views over Gore Bay. Great spot for your dream home! \$39,000. MLS#1040404



**BIG LAKE** - 4.1 acres, beautiful sandy beach with small cove for your boat. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath & ample space for guests and entertaining. Well Maintained with new roof professionally installed last year. Large 26x32 detached garage Severing the lot is possible by sectioning off the home from the water front. \$329,000. MLS#1038814



**GORE BAY HOME** - Convenient 3 bedroom one floor home on a level lot located down town Gore Bay. New roof in 2011, oil tank and kitchen counters in 2015. Would make an ideal starter home, or one to down size to. \$130,000. MLS#1037159



**LITTLE CURRENT** - Cozy bungalow with electric and pellet stove heat. 2 bedrooms with separate dining area, carpet free, single detached garage, close to Little Current Public School, hospital and downtown. Great Starter/Retirement home, also potential to rent. \$88,900. MLS#1040863



Wonderful open concept bungalow with a newer addition (2001) that takes full advantage of amazing views of Sheguiandah Bay and the LaCloche Mountains. Very private setting. Approx. 15 minutes to Little Current. Large 3-bay garage (2000) that is insulated, including the ceiling. Recent upgrades include additional attic insulation in 2014 and new septic system in 2015. MLS#1040822




**WEST BAY** - Beautiful water front lot, close to Kagawong. 293' frontage, mature tree cover and good beach. Hydro to lot line. Good seasonal road access. Eastern exposure over West Bay and northerly views of the North Channel and distant mountains. \$95,000. MLS#1032685



**SOUTH BAY COTTAGE** - Quiet get away on South Bay. Spectacular fishing just in front of this cottage. This property offers 2 bedrooms and 1 bathroom with all the modern amenities. The large loft has plenty of room for children or guests. The boat house is a rare find and could be restored to its former glory. \$149,000. MLS#1041810



**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** - Large waterfront lot with one of the nicest sand beaches on Manitoulin Island and within walking distance to downtown Kagawong. Potential views of Mudge Bay and North Channel. No outstanding water capital charges. \$49,500. MLS#1019486



**GRANDEUR GALOUR** - Great location only steps from downtown amenities and shopping. Over 3,000 sq. ft of living area, 4 spacious bedrooms, 2 full baths, heated sun room, carport, and a beautifully finished 3rd floor loft. This home is ideal for a large/growing family or for professionals looking for extra space for their home based business. Many recent upgrades including exterior siding, insulation, windows and roof shingles, heating and hot water systems, automatic generator for power outages and much more. Please call for full details and a viewing. \$299,900. MLS#1042192



**MANITOWANING** Charming 2 bed 2 bath bungalow with 16x24 garage. Nicely landscaped property offering great privacy and beautiful fruit trees. Propane fireplace alone and low taxes make this home appealing to retirees or those searching for a low cost of living. Recently renovated bath, UPDATED ELECTRICAL, and large deck with propane hook up for BBQ. Great location! \$139,900. MLS#1039375.



**POINT OF VIEW!** Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath waterfront home in a private setting (924' of frontage & 2 acres) on a point in a bay that leads to the famous North Channel. A must see! Listed at \$397,000. MLS#1038423



**COUNTRY HOME** - 3 bedroom rural home on a 1/2 acre lot just under 10km to downtown Gore Bay. Offers nice country vistas. Main floor master bedroom and laundry. New oil furnace and liner in 2015. New oil tank in 2016. \$75,900. MLS#1040215



**SANDFIELD** - 202' of east facing frontage on Lake Manitou. Almost 4 acres in size. Great potential building site in a maple hardwood bush offering elevated views of the lake. MLS#1036074. \$125,000.



**LITTLE LAKE HURON** - Remote recreational property with a 12' x 15' cabin including a porch. It offers a tranquil westerly view over a small inland lake on the west end of Manitoulin Island. There is a one room off-the-grid cabin that was built in 2007. 6.9 acres of land! Seasonal access. \$67,500. MLS#1042559



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The full cast of the Classic School of Dance's Sleeping Beauty ensemble at the end of Sunday's performance. Over 400 audience members attended the school's annual production.

# Classic School of Dance delivers timeless fairy tale

by Michael Erskine

M'CHIGEENG—Over 400 audience members enjoyed this year's Classic School of Dance ballet production of *Sleeping Beauty*, held Sunday, May 7 at Manitoulin Secondary School.

Choreographed and directed by ballet teacher Maja Mielonen, the production included over 40 dancers from across Manitoulin, ranging from 3 to 18 years of age, noted parent volunteer Yana Bauer in a note to *The Expositor*, adding that "the success of the show represents months of training, planning, and preparation by dancers, parents and volunteers."

The production "brought the timeless fairy tale to life with enchanting music and majestic dance."

The ballet performance interprets the classical story of a beautiful princess, a sleeping enchantment and a handsome prince. "In the struggle to find hope in dark times, *Sleeping Beauty* reminds us that kindness and love inevitably triumph over malice and hate, and in turn restore order and beauty," noted Ms. Bauer.

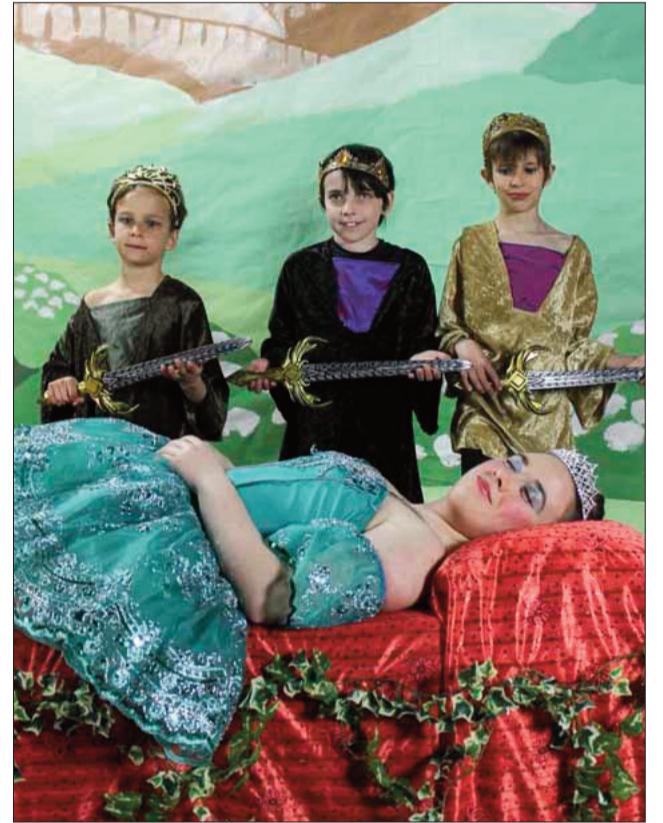
She noted that "the costumes, prepared by parents and grandparents, added colour and flare to the familiar story, charming music, and skilled dancing."

"Lighting, artwork and set design amplified the overall experience of the show thanks to the behind the scenes production team of Madonna Aeschlimann, Lisa Tuerk, Guy Nielen, Daena Arthurs, Sarah Van Horne, Blanche Campbell, Isaac Gosse, Hannah Woestenek, Seth Peltier, Kylie Cranston and Megan Sagle," noted Ms. Bauer. "The packed house was wowed by the technical skill and expressiveness of the performers."

The company also performed the show for Lakeview Public School, Central Manitoulin Public School, C.C. MacLean Public School and Assiginack Public School on Tuesday bringing the joy and beauty of ballet to younger audiences, continued Ms. Bauer. "The energy and commitment of everyone involved made the 22nd production by the Classic School of Dance a resounding artistic success for Manitoulin Island."



Aurora growing up playing with the Animals Emma Chaytor, Layla Bell, Ayriis Noble-Stone and Charlie Orford.



Trying to cut through the vines and brambles to reach sleeping beauty are Princes Dylan Kuntsi, Ryan Kuntsi and Ben Nickolls.



Carabosse, played by Cassandra Kuntsi, is the Evil Fairy who cursed *Sleeping Beauty*, shown here surrounded by her minion rats Phoebe Aeschlimann, Aubrey Lloyd, Nyala O'Connor and Grace Tuerk.



ABOVE: Aurora, played by Michelle Campbell, is blessed by the Lilac Fairy (Yohana Ogbamichael), the Diamond Fairy (Delaney Madore), Aqua Fairy (Donnshai Bruleigh), Gold Fairy (Alina Arthurs), and Sapphire Fairy (Kieran Harper Hogge).



LEFT: The cleaners prepare the palace for a celebration: Evalena Mainprize, Avery Barnes, Violet Aelick, Sloan Tilston, Matuda Hamid Kabron, Lilly Tilston and Halima Kabron.

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# Pipe ceremony kicks off Billings Art and Heritage Trail sculpture design

by Sharon Jackson

KAGAWONG—A pipe ceremony conducted earlier this month. Approximately 20 people including this writer sat in a circle and while the weather was cool, the sun was shining and the afternoon was enjoyed by all who attended.

The event was part of a community arts process hosted by 4elements Living Arts to create a permanent public structure that responds to and explores relationships between environmental history, land and reconciliation. The pipe ceremony and pot luck that followed were intended to celebrate, acknowledge traditions and share ideas about the project.

Executive Director for 4elements and facilitator Sophie Edwards welcomed everyone attending and introduced the permanent sculpture project that is connected to the Canada 150 event to take place July 15.

A sculpture trail, including plaques depicting both settler and indigenous themes will be highlighted throughout the summer and fall.

Mr. Eshkawkogan began the ceremony by sharing that as a member of thunderbird clan, he is “the keeper of the medicine and healing.” Ironically while he was driving to Kagawong, a bird flew alongside his vehicle quite a distance down the highway.

Everyone sat on the ground or on a camp stool, bundled up yet enjoying the bright sunshine.

Mr. Eshkawkogan’s partner Tina asked each person to stand and hold out their arms to be smudged. The elder spoke of the Seven Grandfather Teachings: love, truth, respect, wisdom, humility and honesty, bravery and lastly compassion and forgiveness. He linked the teachings to Truth and Reconciliation as “part of the healing

process to understand who we are now.”

Tina then asked each of us to take a pinch of tobacco from a small tin held in her hand. She asked us to “make a wish for all the things you want in your life; include yourself first and then anyone afterwards.”

The pipe was a gift from a man in Baltimore, its stem made from an ash tree. There is a lot of medicine in it: food for your liver. The power of the tree is in the pipe.

Tina then asked each of us, after making a wish, to put the pinch of tobacco back in the tin which she held in front of us once more. The elder heated the tobacco in a small bowl over a ceremonial flame, put the tip to his lips, offered his voice in song and inhaled and expelled the smoke from it.

The ceremony was to “focus on what we’re trying to do and bring it to life: help the project out; understand why we’re doing what we’re doing to start the healing

process re. Truth and Reconciliation; to bring hope and faith to what this world needs: acknowledge the nature that’s in front of us.”

A cup was given to each of us followed by a strawberry. The strawberry, Tina shared, is in the shape of a heart and tastes sweet. “We want to find sweetness in everyday life. Enjoy your strawberry,” she urged.

Water from a pitcher made from birch bark was then poured in the cup. Everyone was encouraged to drink it: to clean our blood to make it run clear like the spring water.

Following the ceremony everyone was encouraged to share something they were grateful for, give and receive a hug and then enjoy a pot luck meal together.

## Northeast Town hosts workshop in honour of Mental Health Week

by Robin Burrige

LITTLE CURRENT—In honour of National Mental Health Week, May 1 to 7, the Northeast Town hosted a mental health awareness workshop with Allison Hall, a social worker with the Manitoulin Community Clinic (Health Sciences North Little Current site).

Ms. Hall facilitated discussion with the group about mental health and discussed signs and symptoms, resources available on the Island and how to help someone in need.

“The quality of our mental health impacts our physical health, how we feel about ourselves, how we relate to others, our ability to cope, our ability to form relationships, our sense of purpose, our skills development and overall capacity and our safety,” Ms. Hall shared.

She discussed depression, explaining that it “differs from feeling sad or blue for a few days.”

“Symptoms are more severe and longer lasting and impact how we think, feel and act,” Ms. Hall said. “A major depressive episode is characterized by either a depressed mood or the loss of interest or enjoyment in nearly all activities, as well as additional symptoms for a period of at least two weeks and interferes with our relationships and daily function.”

Some of the symptoms of depression Ms. Hall listed are: unusually sad mood most of the day; loss of pleasure and



Allison Hall, a social worker with the Manitoulin Community Clinic (Health Sciences North Little Current Site) leads a workshop on mental health awareness.

photo by Robin Burrige

interest in activities they used to enjoy; unintentional weight gain or loss; sleeping too much or too little, feeling slowed up or unable to settle down; chronic lack of energy; inappropriate feelings of guilt or worthlessness; difficulty concentrating or making decisions and recurrent thoughts

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## The Circle of Life: Over The Rainbow Bridge

by Janice Mitchell

In this beautiful month of spring with new cycles of life around us, the following article may seem a little sad and ironic, for which I apologize. I am talking in particular about end of life decisions for our pets and hope to not only inform but clear up some misconceptions.

The euthanasia decision for a beloved pet may be one of the most difficult choices you must face. It is hard to make a life-ending determination like this for someone who cannot tell you what his/her wishes are, and yet a judgement call must be made. The decision process is arduous as a range of emotions (guilt, grief, uncertainty) and philosophies may be involved.

How do you know when it is the right time? Some pets become debilitated by age or disease to a point when their life quality deteriorates to an unacceptable level. Sometimes, some medical issues can be surprisingly easy to palliate or even solve and it's always important to seek counselling from your vet to see if amelioration is possible. Despite our best efforts however, there is a point where all the love, attention, therapies, and special foods are not enough.

MYTH No 1. "You simply just know when it is time." This idea is not really fair; determining someone else's life quality is not completely intuitive. This is when I literally advise to separate your heart from your head, and look at life through your pet's eyes. To keep it simple, there are three things your pet needs for quality of life: one, food; two, freedom; and three, you. If



your dog, cat, rabbit or even hedgehog cannot eat, cannot move without pain, or doesn't enjoy your company anymore, then their quality of living is definitely deteriorated. Also, if the bad days start to outweigh the good days, a decision needs to be made. Having a quality of life inventory is helpful in seeing your pet's situation in an objective light.

MYTH No 2. "Euthanasia is painful." Nothing is further from the truth. Euthanasia is, in my opinion, an unselfish act that you can provide as it is a gift of dignity and release of suffering for many. Leaving an animal to die a 'natural death' can sometimes be very cruel...just watch BBC Earth Nature programs. The actual act of euthanasia involves injecting a potent anesthetic directly into the vein, often via an intravenous catheter. It is an overdose of a barbiturate and is extremely fast acting as it stops the heart and breathing in a matter of seconds. Our pets truly drift off into a gentle, permanent sleep.

Should I be present? This is a very personal decision, and there is no wrong answer. It is best to decide in advance which family members, if any, wish to be there. It is good to know exactly what will happen so that an informed decision can be made. Once at the veterinary facility, a family member will need to sign a consent

form. All efforts are made to proceed in a quiet, calm and private manner. Sometimes the pet is administered a sedative to help ease any anxiety it may feel and to help with the ease of placing an intravenous catheter. Once the catheter is placed, the euthanasia solution is administered and death comes peacefully in a matter of seconds. Some of the upsetting visuals that can occur are that our pets do not close their eyes, there may be a final twitch or gasp, and often they will urinate or release other body fluids as they relax. Owners may stay as long with their pet as they need, and after the last goodbyes and caresses are completed, the owner simply exits the room when ready and the hospital

staff takes over.

After the procedure is over, there are some options regarding your pet's remains: home burial or cremation. If home burial, please ensure to bury at least 5-6 feet deep to ensure wild animals do not disturb the remains and perhaps plant a memorial tree or plant. If cremation is selected, you can choose between a group or an individual one. A group cremation will not allow you to collect the ashes. An individual one will cost more but you will have your pet's ashes.

Finally, if I may offer a glimmer of light, the "circle of life" refers to the fact that death is not really the end but the seed of some other life. After all, science states that energy cannot be created or destroyed; it merely changes form. And who are we to argue with that?

*EDITOR'S NOTE: Dr. Janice Mitchell is a veterinarian at Island Animal Hospital and Little Current Veterinary Services.*

## ...workshop in honour of Mental Health Week

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She also identified signs of depression you might see in someone such as: the appearance of sadness or anxiety, speaking more slowly than usual; the individual may disregard their appearance or hygiene; they may struggle to make decisions or demonstrate poor memory; they may also show restricted emotional responses, have a negative outlook or show significant self-criticism.

Next Ms. Hall discussed anxiety disorders. She explained that you can tell if it is a problem based on the severity of it, the duration, if it is interfering with your life or is disproportionate to the situation.

"Some of the symptoms of anxiety are: excessive worry, sense of impending doom, difficulty sleeping, rapid, tangential thinking, irritability and an inability to relax," said Ms. Hall.

She explained that our natural inclination when a place or activity causes anxiety is to avoid it, but this only perpetuates anxiety.

Ms. Hall also discussed the stigmas around mental health during the workshop.

"Stigma refers to the negative thoughts and beliefs many of us have about people with mental health issues," she said.

Some examples are that because people have mental health issues they 'just can't deal with reality' they are 'attention seeking' or they have a 'weak character.'

"This leads to a negative way in treating the individual such as avoidance, ignoring, making fun of or gossiping about people or judgmental actions," said Ms. Hall.

"The impact of stigmas is that they create challenges to admitting we need help, not only to our friends, family and health care providers, but even to ourselves," she noted.

"The longer we struggle on our own, the more our condition decompensates and the more likely we are to begin self-medicating."

Self-medicating refuses to using/abusing substances in order to try to address the symptoms of mental health or to feel better, Ms. Hall explained.

Ms. Hall spoke of where people can get help—to get assessment and diagnose of mental health concerns. She listed physicians, nurse practitioners, psychologists, and psychiatrists as people to reach out to.

"Help and support can be accessed through community mental health clinics, primary care clinic and hospitals," she said. "There is also 24/7 crisis line that can be called, 1-877-841-1101."

In addition to community clinics on Manitoulin, there is also the Health Sciences North Little Current Site in Little Current that Ms. Hall works for. She said that the site (located at the Little Current Hospital) offers addictions, mental health and crisis services.

Ms. Hall reviewed some


self-care and maintenance advice. "When we have mental health problems, our symptoms interfere with quality self-care that allows us to feel well and maintain our resilience to stress," she explained. "With poor self-care our condition can worsen much more quickly. Daily practices can keep us feeling well longer, and prevent the progression from mental health problem to mental illness."

She recommended eating well, getting enough sleep, physical activity, avoiding substance use, leisure and fun and talking to someone you trust as ways to help cope with mental health problems.


"By recognizing that self-care assists us in managing stress, we can increase our resilience to mental health problems," concluded Ms. Hall. "It is important to remember that there isn't a certain 'kind' of person who is vulnerable to mental health problems—none of us are immune. Noticing when we are feeling stressed and taking good care of ourselves is good preventative care."

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Another Time, Another Place has been in operation for 17 years. The success has been through in-kind donations and community and island people supporting local shopping. We at CLWA are appreciative of the support throughout the years.

At this time, we would like to inform our supporters; customers and donors that we will be transitioning away from our thrift shop operation to support the shift towards greater inclusion for the individuals we serve.

Our last day of operation will be **Friday, May 19, 2017**. Please stop in to shop as we mark down items for clearance. Also, our donation bins are no longer active and we are no longer accepting donations.

We are truly grateful to our community of Wikwemikong for utilizing our shop and filling our bin daily with donations. More so, we thank you for having kind and gentle hearts, taking the time to visit and demonstrating respect and patience to those we serve in the shop that they have volunteered in for 17 years.

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Chi Miigwetch to everyone who has had a part in establishing Another Time, Another Place and especially to the past Program Director, Jeannette Assinewai and the CLWA Board of Directors for your countless hours of getting this project off of the ground and having a vision for the individuals we serve.

Please stop by Another Time, Another Place at 2098-F, Wikwemikong Way from now until Friday, May 19 for shopping at a discount rate, as we prepare to transition our program.

Miigwetch,  
Jacqueline Hopkin  
Program Director

# Island walkers join global water walk to promote water security



Walkers get ready to set out on the World Vision Global 6K Walk for Water from the Missionary Church in Mindemoya. The walkers joined more than 20,000 people in 585 host sites in more than 18 countries to raise money for fresh water. The six kilometre distance is emblematic of the distance many women must walk every day to provide their families with water.

photo by Michael Erskine

by Michael Erskine  
 MINDEMOYA—Living on the world's largest fresh-water island, it is all too easy to take fresh water for granted, but for 663 million people worldwide, access to fresh clean water is anything but a given.

On Saturday, May 6, walkers, runners and cyclists, some even pushing strollers, set out on the 6 Kilometre World Vision Global Walk for Water from the Mindemoya Missionary Church. They joined walkers from 18 different countries around the world in showing support for access to safe, fresh water.

The six kilometre distance of the walk is symbolic of the distance many people in the world must travel in order to access a water supply, and that is not necessarily even a safe supply.

"Today we are walking for water for those people who have to walk an average of six kilometres a day to access water," said walk organizer Brenda Clarke, "and that is not even for clean water. We are lucky, we have access to clean available water, but a lot of people, particularly in Africa, don't. A lot of women, and it is usually women, have to walk to get their water, and often more than once a day."

"Today is the World Vision Global Six K Walk for water," said World Vision rep John Rotz,

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**farm facts and furrows**

by OMAFRA Ag Rep Brian Bell

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In the program's first year, 45 green farm jobs and 102 green internships were created across the country. Projects included composting, permaculture, land preparation for certified organic production, and the construction of a root cellar for alternative storage for a family operation. Agricultural companies, conservation area organizations and associations completed more than 100 green internships. Some of these involved sustainable crop analysis, environmental instrumentation and monitoring, and projects to support consumer education for local food baskets. If you are looking to make environmental improvements to your farm, or if your organization provides environmental benefits to the agriculture sector, you may be eligible to apply. There are two streams: The Green Farms stream offers farmers funding for up to

50 percent of the cost of hiring young interns, to a maximum of \$10,000 per worker. The Green Internships stream offers organizations up to 50 percent of the cost of hiring young workers (up to \$16,000 per intern) for environmental activities, services or research that will benefit the agriculture sector. Non-profits with five or fewer employees may be eligible for funding of up to 80 percent. For both streams, projects must be no longer than 12 months in length and interns must be between the ages of 15 and 30 inclusive. The internship stream requires that the interns be post-secondary graduates. Applications are being accepted now, and will be approved on a first-come, first-served basis until all funds have been allocated. For more information, call 1-866-452-5558.



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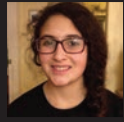
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MSS is overflowing with talent, and spring is the perfect time to showcase it. William Linder, Caleb Byers, Trevor Bailey, Jackie Cooper and Grace Duncanson competed in 2D Animation, Caleb and William competed in carpentry for teams of two, while Trevor was supposed to compete in computer programming but unfortunately got sick and was unable to compete. The group travelled to Toronto for the Provincial Skills Competition from May 1-4. The group spent their first evening at Vaughan Mills Mall shopping for a few hours. The next morning, the group went to the Toronto Congress Centre for the competition. At the Congress Centre, students in the carpentry divisions of the competition (including Manitoulin's own Caleb Byers and William Linder) participated in a record breaking event: the number of people hitting nails at the exact same time. The previous record was 250, but it was broken with 299 people at this year's Skills Competition. There were Guinness world Record officials there, and as an extra surprise, Mike Holmes, Mike Holmes Jr., and Sherry Holmes from the TV show Holmes on Homes attended the event. Each participant got to keep a special hammer that they used to break the record as proof for their friends. The results of the MSS students are unknown so far, but results will be up soon. The boys were competing against 75 teams, and the girls competed against over 40 teams. There were over 100 events and attended by 20,000 spectators. It was a great opportunity for MSS students to showcase their technical talents.

Grace Duncanson said, "The Skills Competition had over 2,300 competitors who were really qualified students from around the province. Many of the winners were from private schools. It was really interesting to see the different techniques and strategies they chose to use. The competition was a really special experience."

SHARE/Go Green had their spring coffee house on May 4. The Star Wars and Spring themed MSS library hosted several different performers, while audience members drank tea and coffee, and enjoyed treats from the bake sale. Performers at the event treated guests to a variety of different genres of music: Mr. Theijsmeijer and Ms. Wilson, Stephen Granville, Carissa Holliday, Paul Best, Kendra Jordison, Jessica Jordison, Isaac Gosse, Josh Noble, and I performed. Some songs were originals and some were covers, but the performers did a wonderful job. MSS Vocal Group members who were at the coffee house performed two of their songs, "Sit Down You're Rocking the Boat" and a "Les Miserables" medley. All donations made for admission and at the bake sale will go to the Somalia Famine Relief and the WE.Org projects in Kenya.

Mr. Theijsmeijer has started up the tennis season at MSS and the students are practicing hard. The MSS

Artastic Fusion group is busy organizing the annual Juried Art Show. If students have entries, they can speak to Mrs. Wesno or April Torkopolous.

On May 18, a group of students is heading to Stratford with Ms. Bauer and Mr. Scott to spend three days immersed in theatre, doing workshops, and watching professional musicals and plays. The group will be going out for dinner at a Greek restaurant and seeing the musicals HMS Pinafore and Guys and Dolls as well as the plays Romeo and Juliet and Twelfth Night.

These fun events and opportunities allowed the MSS Mustangs to show off their schools. 'Til next time, stay golden, Mustangs.

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The regular meeting was held on May 4 in the Multi-purpose Room. In addition to a full house of members present, we were pleased to welcome CEO Derek Graham and Chief Nursing Officer, Pat Morka to the meeting.

Reports were given by the treasurer and by activity representatives for Tuck Cart Showcase, In Memoriam, Goodwill and Facebook. Hours of sale have been changed at Admitting for purchases from the showcase. Items can be purchased from Monday to Friday from 7:30 to 3 pm. As well, you can buy at the Tuck Cart Room Monday to Friday from 11 am till 1 pm.

A cheque for \$1,000 was received from the Van Zant Trust Fund. This is an annual gift for the auxiliary, given in memory of Garry Van Zant an RCMP officer who was found deceased in British Columbia in 1976.

The installation of officers was completed. Dawn Orr (vice-president) and Marilee Hore (treasurer) were installed.

It was a time to plan! The MHC Auxiliary joined the NEMI Farmers' Market. Book Sales begin on Saturday, May 20 from 9 am till noon. A bake sale will be held the same day. To donate cookies, cakes, squares etc. Call Sue at 368-2336. Come and support your auxiliary!

The June dinner will be on Thursday, June 1. The location has not yet been decided. Watch for details

## Auxiliary News



Manitoulin Health Centre Little Current Auxiliary President Elaine Moore, left, presents a cheque from the Van Zant Trust Fund to Pat Morka, CNO, and Derek Graham, CEO, of the MHC.

in Coming Events or call a member.

It was a time to celebrate a successful event and Volunteer Week.

The spaghetti supper held in Manitowaning on April 29 was a success. The hall was decorated in a Canada 150 theme planned by Carole Labelle. Special guests included Carol Hughes MP who donated small flags and a large flag, singer Debbie Robinson, actor Peter Baumgarten and singer Robbie Shawana. Special thanks to Joyce White who spearheaded ticket sales with support from Ila Lloyd and Sandra Pope. Attendance was great, the food was scrumptious and the enter-

tainment pleasing to all. The chatter of the folks attending was an indication of the good time they were having. Elaine Moore was the chief chef and prepared two sauces and all that spaghetti! Other helpers included two students working on their volunteer hours and members Barbara Lawrence, Rena Moore, Wallace Moore, Dawn Orr and Laila Kiviahho. Thank you to those who came to the dinner and to those who ordered take-outs. Every one of you contributed to the success of the dinner. We also had a bonus as six new members were signed up.

Raffle tickets went on sale at the supper. The

prizes are 1st, \$1,000, 2nd \$500 and 3rd, 4th, and 5th are \$100. Tickets are \$5 each. Buy a book for \$20!

Then it was time to celebrate Volunteer Week! Elaine Moore presented a cheque to CEO Derek Graham for \$2,520 for the Falls Prevention Panels. You will soon notice the panels attached to the wall above the patients' beds. There is important information there for nursing staff and visitors that shows a patient's need for assistance for mobility and movement. This is an example of your auxiliary at work.

To show appreciation for auxiliary volunteers, a beautiful cake was served. A gift of a mug containing a really nice pin and three MHC pens was given to each active volunteer. We all enjoyed our treats. Thank you! It's nice to be recognized and encouraged in our mandate.

The next regular meeting is on Tuesday, September 12. Beginning in September our meetings will be on the second Tuesday of the month.

Our best wishes for a wonderful, happy, healthy summer. We look forward to and appreciate your support.



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## WIKWEMIKONG BOARD OF EDUCATION

**POSITION:** Educational Assistant(s)  
**LOCATION:** Wikwemikong Board of Education  
**SALARY:** As per WBE Salary Grid  
**START DATE:** September 2017

The Educational Assistant will work under the direct supervision of the Special Education Resource Teacher, and general direction of the School Principal.

#### DUTIES:

- To assist in program delivery and work closely with the Special Education and Classroom Teacher in integrating individual student education plans.
- Keep a daily log of student's progress, maintain positive contact with parents.
- Contribute to the diagnostic evaluation process.
- Participate in school activities and ongoing professional growth.
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- Implement speech and language programs, physiotherapy and occupational therapy, behaviour modification and life skills programs as needed.
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#### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Developmental Services Worker (DSW), Early Childhood Education diploma or Native Classroom Assistant Program certificate.
- Knowledge of Discipline and Behaviour Theories.
- In excellent health and may be required to become physically involved (and heavy lifting).
- A strong interest and competency in meeting the requirements of special needs children.
- Experience working with First Nations students an asset.
- Fluency in the Anishinabe language, knowledge and appreciation of Anishinabe culture and heritage are considered definite assets.
- Current (original) criminal/vulnerable reference check (within the last 90-days).
- TB-Mantoux Test.
- Provide a resume and three (3) current letters of work-related references, on letterhead.
- Provide copies of practice teaching reports and/or performance appraisals.

#### DIRECT APPLICATIONS TO:

Education Director  
Wikwemikong Board of Education  
34 Henry Street  
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Tel: 705-859-3834 Fax: 705-859-3787

**Deadline:** May 26, 2017 @ 2:00 p.m.

\*Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.\*



## WIKWEMIKONG BOARD OF EDUCATION

**POSITION:** Registered Early Childhood Educator(s)  
**LOCATION:** Wikwemikong Board of Education  
**SALARY:** Based on WBE Salary Grid  
**START DATE:** September 2017

Under the Supervision of the Principal, the successful applicant will perform the following duties:

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- Plan and implement age appropriate program activities for children 3.6 – 6 years old.
- Ensure that the native language and cultural activities are part of daily programming.
- Guide the children in their physical, social, cognitive, and language development.
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- Maintain appropriate information, pedagogical documentation and upkeep journals on a daily basis.
- Work cooperatively with other staff and participate and collaborate in meetings as per program delivery.
- Adhere to job description, schedules, Kindergarten curriculum, and procedures set out by the Wikwemikong Junior School.
- Adhere to Ministry of Education –Early Learning Kindergarten Play-based curriculum and procedures, the WUIR and WBE policies.

#### QUALIFICATIONS:

- Early Childhood Education Diploma/Registered Early Childhood Educator and/or equivalent as per Child Care Early Years Act (CCEYA) and related experience.
- Knowledge of the Anishinabe language and culture.
- A recent medical, up-to-date immunization with boosters and a 2 Step TB test is required; must have a First Aid Certificate.
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# Tehkummah Talk and Times

I listened to the singing waters

Down at the banks of Blue Jay Creek.

The ripples danced and laughed while flowing;

In sunshine there I heard them speak.

They told a story of their travels

Deep from the springs so very cold,

And how they kept the fish there happy

And how its beauty did unfold.

It spoke of times it did remember;

Campfires near of Native tribes,

And of the changes it had witnessed,

Stories left by ancient scribes.

It spoke of shallow restful places

Where we might stop to feel folk's grace,

To say a prayer and quench a thirst

Of willow, wild flower, mossy space.

An old mill did the work for settlers.

This waterway was known to be

A landmark of our Tehkummah Township

On Manitoulin still runs wild and free.

Year?

- Pat Hall

Friday: Unroll the sidewalks on South Baymouth Day. Mum and I were one of the carloads of greeters of the freshly done up Chi-Cheemaun! Nancy didn't kick us off her doorstep, but many folks were circling steady, trying to find a spot to park on Main. Most of the Island perhaps were greeters?

It's funny how we like to see action again. A good load; I counted 75 plus, so many trailers packing who-knows what, and lots of ATVs (on trailers). Was a fairly good day considering the flood of news from down country and beyond?

We said hello to Joan and Gus, waved at many familiar faces at Carol's and Earl's. Shelley and Larry were back in town. (Hey, my one red Trillium has 27 blooms.) We sat with Fred and Carolyn, had a nice visit. Fred's sister, Mary Lou Phillips, is in hospital in Port Perry. Get well soon. Carolyn has a wonderful new apple pie recipe she shared with us! The hunters and the Pyettes have a lovely new granddaughter born May 4 and her name is Timber Rose. So welcome little one, congratulations to the family, brothers Track and Trapper.

I didn't mark down the winners at euchre last evening. I played as a man and got beat out by one

point by Graham Fogal, 81; Pauline got the ladies' high on a cut, 72; lone hands, Linda B and ?; low, Simon and ?; couple of skunks awarded; lunch, Marg and Linda.

We had six tables for cribbage; high hand, Mum and Dorothy, 20; first, Noreen and Roger, 940; second, Doris and Sandra, 926; tied for third, Joy and Bert and Lori and Rick with 923. Could have been a lot of honorable mentions! Low, Mum and Mary, 861; door, Doris, Jessie and Cal. Thanks for the lunch!

I heard last week that Florence Tillson passed away. Sympathy to my nephew Peter McCauley and family and niece Tracy Priet and family on the loss of their grandmother in Cambridge.

The Anstice farm across from Randolph Gordon farm in the past week has gone from looking like chocolate icing dotted with white icing ornaments (seagulls) to minty chocolate. How quick the land changes with the help of Mother Nature.

Better get the humming bird feeders out!

Sherry popped in Saturday morning.

Mum's been winning at Cribbage this week, skunking me too!

Saturday evening we had supper at Carol's and Earl's with Sherry and

Dave after we went to their place and played Sequence. The men were pretty tricky, games equal I think! We saw a fox, and stopped and talked to a doe with the blackest face and black-rimmed ears. She was still standing when we drove away; she wanted to visit longer. Sherry Killens was celebrating her birthday at Carol's and Earl's.

Kate, Rick, Colleen and Allan were dining out too.

When you sneeze and it

hurts your back, it can't be good, can it? Well it was warm in the greenhouse part of the Garden Shed on Sunday, though our cook and waitress wore heavier duds. The food, as always, just delicious!

Sat with June McDougall our minister of the day, Terry and Kathy, and just great to have Mary Yett with us once again. Garden time maybe?

Hey, the Mother's Day Tea is at the Hall on

Wednesday evening, 7 or 7:30? Happy Mother's Day to mothers and fathers everywhere!

What a difference a day makes. No hint of gold on Saturday evening, Sunday A.M. the "cowslips," Marsh Marigolds, were shining, dandelion yellow gold starting to shine in lawns everywhere despite the coolness. Spring calls, anyway.

## Providence Bay News and Notes

Welcome back to all of our seasonal residents. We've missed you. It's wonderful to see the Providence Bay Park gates open and the many seasonal residents there since the beginning of May. It's been so cold, it shows their great love for our beautiful spot on Manitoulin Island.

The Mutchmor Lofts are already creating a stir in the village and they are still in the stages of renovation. They had a truckload full of sheets of dry-wall that needed to make it up to the second floor of the building. What better way to do that than to remove the large upstairs front window and have the truck's crane lift them directly in through the window next to the walls they will soon be covering. Ingenious. And as an added bonus, it provided entertainment to locals and to their friends on Facebook.

The Providence Bay Curling Club had a great turnout for their monthly breakfast on May 4 serving 49 hungry patrons. They send out a big thank you to everyone for supporting the coffee club.

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Bev Cress who celebrated on May 7. All the best for a Happy Birthday goes to Gord Glanville and JT Wright who both celebrate on May 10. Matt Young celebrates on May 11 and he's wished an excellent Happy Birthday as well.

Morels are in season now according to local

pickers. And by all accounts it's a bumper crop this year. The wet spring mixed with a couple of warmer night temperatures will slowly warm the soil to create the perfect environment for the tasty mushrooms. A personal favourite recipe is to simply fry them in butter. Be sure to cook them since they can be toxic if eaten raw.

The Providence Bay/Spring Bay Lions Club is a fantastic local club that does so much to help the community. They are looking for new members. Meetings are held the first and third Sunday of each month at the Curling Club. For more information, contact Matt Young at 705-377-7149.

Remember to grab your rake and work gloves and head on down to the Harbour Centre this Saturday, May 13. Let's all pitch in to keep the Providence Bay Beach clean. This annual volunteer event to clean the beach using non-mechanical means is scheduled to start at 10 am and a BBQ lunch will be provided. Sponsored by the Providence Bay Community Centre Board.

We're really looking forward to the Providence Bay/Spring Bay Lions Club Spring Roar. It even has a great name. The licenced dance starts at 8 pm with a DJ that will get everybody out on the dance floor. They are having a fantastic hot lunch with pulled pork on a bun, BBQ beans and coleslaw.

Come on out and celebrate spring. And roar with the Lions.

If you have anything that you would like to contribute to the Providence Bay News and Notes please give us a call. 705-377-7511. If there are any upcoming birthdays, anniversaries, graduations, retirements or surgeries please give us a call. 705-377-7511. You can also email prov\_chick@hotmail.com All submissions must be received by 3 pm each Sunday for addition to the following Wednesday publication of the paper. Have a great week everyone.

## Youth Job Connect Summer 2017

### Attention Indigenous Youth Aged 15 -18!

**Are you looking for a summer job? Are you looking for employment, skills training, and supports to help you get a job?**

**Through the Youth Job Connect Program, you will receive:**

- Up to 30 hours of paid training to prepare you for the workplace
- Job placement support for up to six weeks
- Mentorship and job-coaching supports

**For this opportunity, you must be:**

- An Indigenous youth between 15 and 18 years of age
- A resident of Manitoulin Island or Birch Island
- A high school student intending to stay in school or to move on to post-secondary
- Must not have been a previous participant
- Able to attend mandatory training the week of July 3<sup>rd</sup>



**To complete an application:**

In person at the Waubetek office

Wasse Abin High School - May 11 & 18

Espanola High School - May 16

Manitoulin Secondary School - May 17 & 24

**Social Insurance Number and Status Card Required. SPACE IS LIMITED**

**Deadline for applications is June 2, 2017**

For more information about the program or for an application please contact:


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## JOINT HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE CERTIFICATION TRAINING

June 5-9 in Little Current

Part One: \$755 +HST | Part Two: \$565 +HST  
Registration deadline: May 25

### FOR INDIVIDUALS

For more information or to register call (705) 368-3194.

### FOR EMPLOYERS

If you wish to offer this training for your employees, you may qualify to receive funding through the Canada-Ontario Job Grant. For more information or to apply, call Meanie Bilodeau at (705) 869-4113 or email [melanie.bilodeau@cambriancollege.ca](mailto:melanie.bilodeau@cambriancollege.ca).

# WHAT'S HAPPENING — THIS MONTH? —



## COMMUNITY SCULPTURE DESIGN

May 15 | 6 to 8:30pm



Join 4e in the design of a community sculpture that explores environmental history, land and reconciliation  
No experience necessary!

Park Centre  
Kagawong

## FRIENDLY YOGA FOR ALL AGES

May 18 | 6:30 to 8pm



OUTSIDE THE BOX

Get ready for the outdoor season with Outside the Box program! Lise Baronet will offer ways to integrate body, mind, and breath through movement, for safe and aware trail walking and other outdoor activities. No mats needed. Wear comfortable clothes and walking shoes. Youth and adults welcome.

M'Chigeeng Youth Centre  
352A Hwy 551



## BEECHWOODS WALK AND PASTEL DRAWING

May 25 | 9:30am to 12:30



OUTSIDE THE BOX

A gentle walk with 4e & local artist Madonna Aeschlimann offering a guided session on pastel drawing in the park. Checkout 4e's Drawing Box on this trail, and learn about other 4e Drawing Boxes Island-wide! Dress for the weather, and bring water and snacks.

McLeans Park  
New England Rd  
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## ELEMENTAL FESTIVAL

10,000|150

SEP 28 – OCT 1

## CALL TO ARTISTS

4e welcomes proposals from artists who would like to participate in this year's Elemental Festival in Kagawong | Gaagigewang

We are interested in temporary sculptural installations, film | new media works and writing, that consider questions of land, and land-use history. We are particularly interested in the relations between the land, environmental change, and reconciliation given the impact of settlement, forestry, farming, and Treaty history, on Manitoulin Island.

To receive a full application package, please email [patricia@4elementslivingarts.org](mailto:patricia@4elementslivingarts.org)

May 31 | Deadline



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