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M'Chigeeng election is overturned by appeals committee

New elections to be set for chief and council

by Michael Erskine

M'CHIGEENG—The M'Chigeeng First Nation chief and council are facing a return to the hustings following an October 2 meeting of the band's appeals committee where it was decided to overturn the results of the September 9 band elections following an appeal letter filed on September 21. From now until sometime in December when a new election will be held, M'Chigeeng First Nation is without a chief and council at the helm.

"I would like to encourage everyone to be patient and supportive during this process," wrote Ogimaa Linda Debassige in an announcement following the appeals committee decision that effectively removed her from her position. "There is no need for mudslinging or any type of lateral violence at this time. Now is the time to stay strong and supportive of this process that M'Chigeeng is now going through."

Ogimaa Debassige stressed that in matters relating to the election, Isadore Bebamash, chair of the appeals committee, is the official spokesperson.

She went on to comment, however, that she had met with the senior managers and received commitments that all operations would continue uninterrupted. "I believe and have the utmost confidence that the managers have the capacity, knowledge and experience to ensure that the operations will continue through this time," she wrote. "It is important that our laws be respected and adhered to. As a strong First Nation we can get through this together." Ogimaa Debassige concluded by acknowledging the work of the appeals committee and the difficult decisions that sometimes have to be made. "We will get through this."

Ogimaa Debassige had been acting as band manager while the selection process was underway, but now for the interim Les Corbier will be acting as band rep. She noted that band managers have 20-plus years of experience and that they have the authorizations they need to keep things upright on the ship of state in the interim.

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Assiginack says Norisle Society's claim groundless, seeks dismissal before taxpayers hit with big costs

by Robin Burridge

ASSIGINACK—The Expositor has learned that the S.S. Norisle Steamship Society's legal proceedings against the Township of Assiginack could cost taxpayers an estimated \$775,000.

According to a Superior Court of Justice document, affirmed on August 18, the Township of Assiginack's attorney Ian Flett of Eric Gillespie Professional Corporation estimates the costs of defending the lawsuit will cost between \$675,000 and \$775,000.

The breakdown of the estimates includes: pleadings, reviewing the claim, research, preparing defence and counterclaim, \$25,000; affidavit of documents (plaintiffs and defendants), \$25,000; discoveries, various locations, \$75,000; motions, security for costs, refusals etc., \$75,000; settlement and mediation, \$50,000; expert reports and fees, \$225,000; and trial (two to three weeks), prepare for and attend trial, \$200,000 to \$300,000.

Assiginack CAO Alton Hobbs said he was unable to comment on the case, as it is in the hands of the courts. However, Eric Gille-

spie was able to expand on the legal proceedings.

"The estimated costs were submitted to the Superior Court of Justice and we will be asking the court at an upcoming hearing to request the Norisle Steamship Society pay the township's legal fees upfront if they wish to continue their claim against the ...continued on page 9

Former Sheguiandah First Nation chief blocks band office

Orville Aguonie protests alleged conflicts of community electoral personnel

by Michael Erskine

SHEGUIANDAH—Former Sheguiandah chief (and current nominee in the upcoming November 22 election) Orville Aguonie blockaded the Sheguiandah First Nation band offices on Wednesday, October 4, using a half-ton truck and a car to block the doors into the building.

Sitting in a gazebo behind the band office, Mr. Aguonie said that he had taken the action "due to a major conflict of interest by current Chief Andrew Aguonie and one of his staff (Cindy Behm)."

Mr. Aguonie claimed that Chief Aguonie and two of the band councillors had chosen Ms. Behm (the band's lands administrator) to be the electoral returning officer for the November 22 election.

"Not only does Cindy Behm's appointment constitute a major conflict of interest, due to the employee/employer relationship that exists, but she also has a vested interest in the outcome of the election," alleged Mr. Aguonie, speaking publically outside the band offices. "Ms. Behm's ...continued on page 9



LOOKING BACK, HOPE FOR THE FUTURE—Sheila Trudeau's land-based piece explores intergenerational trauma and its ripple effect on today's generation. The house at the centre of the installation contains a mat with words laid on the ground representing intergenerational traumas, such as residential schools and the 60s Scoop which have been "swept under the rug" by society. The bucket of water symbolically pours water onto the words under the mat, washing away negative elements in hopes of a positive change. **SEE MORE PHOTOS AND STORY ON PAGES 15 AND 16.**

photo by Robin Burridge

Canada offers compensation to 'Sixties Scoop' survivors

by Michael Erskine

OTTAWA—Crown-Indigenous Affairs Minister Carolyn Bennett announced Friday morning that an "agreement in principle" has been reached with the legal team representing survivors of the Sixties Scoop, Indigenous children who had been wrested from their families, communities and culture across Canada by child services agencies, and placed in non-Indigenous homes, largely during the 1960s.

"They have lived their lives not being able to be proud Indigenous people," Minister Bennett said of the survivors in making the announcement. "They have lived their lives not having secure personal cultural identity. That was robbed away. Someone thought that a non-Indigenous family somewhere else in the world was going to do a better job."

The children involved in the Sixties Scoop were placed with homes across Canada, and sometimes even overseas and a number of survivors who now live in communities spread across the world were in attendance for the announcement.

As part of the settlement, the government has set aside \$750 million for individual compensation and another \$50 million for the establishment of a ...continued on page 11

Harassment complaint brings OPP to Tehkummah's municipal office

by Michael Erskine

TEHKUMMAH—A man entered the Tehkummah municipal office on Wednesday seeking to confront the clerk-treasurer over the provisions of the Municipal Act and the current vacancy on Tehkummah council.

According to witnesses, the man was expressing himself loudly and in an agitated manner and he was asked to leave. The man

refused to leave and Clerk-Treasurer Karen Gerrard retreated to her office while the police were summoned.

Three police officers attended the scene, but the individual had left the building by the time the officers arrived. According to an OPP spokesperson, the individual has been contacted and cautioned to not attend the municipal offices again.



A large hand-painted plywood sign announced the blockade of the band office, while a pickup truck and small car closed off the entrances to the building.

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Gloria Hall, standing right, displays the Vivian Levinson Award she received at a dinner held on September 28. In photo, left, is Madeline Charlton, who received the Vivian Levinson award last year. The award is presented on the Island on an annual basis to a volunteer who goes above and beyond for their volunteer efforts.

photo by Betty Bardswich

West End's Gloria Hall receives Vivian Levenson Award for volunteerism

by Betty Bardswich

M'CHIGEENG—Gloria Hall of Gordon Township was honoured for her volunteerism on September 28 at Abby's Fine Dining restaurant in M'Chigeeng when she was, surrounded by friends and family, the recipient of the Vivian Levenson Award. This coveted award is given to people who go above and beyond when volunteering.

The evening started with a warm welcome from the event organizer Laila Kiviaho, a blessing and a loud hip hooray for Gloria, followed by speeches.

The first person to sing Ms. Hall's praises was Sandy Cook of the Angel Bus committee who started by stating, "Gloria is to volunteerism what Ghandi was to India's independence. Relentless, resilient, positive, supportive, compassionate, enthusiastic and always focused on the greater good." She went on to say that Ms. Hall represented the Angel Bus, the not-for-profit accessible van for older adults living on the West End of Manitoulin and in need of transportation. The idea for this van came from Ms. Hall.

"I became the champion of the cause," Ms. Cook noted, "and now we have an amazing group of volunteers who organize, dispatch, drive and fix the Angel Bus. Thank you, Gloria, for showing me what volunteering is all about. Making it happen for others with a smile on your face."

Bruce Moffatt of Victim's Services also wanted to

talk about his time with Ms. Hall. "Compassionate, dependable, selfless and having integrity. These are just some of the characteristics we look for in our volunteer crisis responders, but these terms also describe Gloria Hall. She has been an active member with Manitoulin-Northshore Victim Services for the past 19 years."

"She was a part of the first volunteer intake class in 1998, and has since been an active team leader on the receiving end of our 24 hour crisis line," said Mr. Moffatt. "Our crisis responders are expected to respond at a moment's notice in the immediate aftermath of a crime or tragic circumstances to support victims and survivors. This includes emotional support, practical assistance and addressing safety concerns. Gloria has always been there to step up whenever and wherever needed. I can't think of anyone more deserving of this award."

Sharon Stephens also sang Ms. Hall's praises. "Gloria has been a trained volunteer with Palliative Care since 2001," she said. "She has served very professionally in many activities; visiting with clients at the nursing home, in their own homes and in hospital. She also assessed potential clients, promoted the program, did some scheduling and attended special palliative care events in Sudbury, the North Shore and on the Island. She was also caring, empa-

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Robinson Huron annuities case sees first day in court

by Michael Erskine

THUNDER BAY—The opening volleys in a court challenge of the \$4 annuity payments related to the Robinson Huron Treaty have been served in a Thunder Bay courtroom and Wiikwemkoong Ogimaa Duke Peltier's initial impression was positive.

"At least from the sense that the hard work and research that has been undertaken by all our councils has finally been heard in court," he said. "It is a starting point."

The Huron Robinson chiefs' legal counsel presented their position in a "very well thought out manner and brought our arguments in with all of the relevant case law," added Ogimaa Peltier.

"That includes our own oral history of what the understanding was and how it was to be operationalized."

Much of the government's position is based on an earlier court case which they say settled the matter back in the 1800s, but the Anishinaabe point out that there was a fundamental natural justice flaw in that decision.

"We were not represented. There were no Anishinaabe present in the court," noted Ogimaa Peltier. "The two Crowns, the province and the federal representatives were there, but we were not involved." Since the decision had a fundamental impact on the lives of the Anishinaabe and the terms of their nations agree-

ments with the Crown, that lack of representation would be inconceivable today.

According to the Anishinaabek claim, "the 'Ojibwe' agreed to share their lands and resources with the newcomers—approximately 35,700 square miles of territory. The treaty territory covers the lands north of Lake Huron from Penetanguishene to beyond Sault Ste. Marie, up to the height of land. The Robinson Superior Treaty, signed on September 7, 1850, covers lands north of Lake Superior, from North of Sault Ste. Marie to Thunder Bay. The Robinson Treaty territories have yielded vast amounts of revenues from forestry, mining and other resource development activities over the years, yet the annuities remain at a mere \$4 per year."

The court case opened in Thunder Bay, moves on to Sault Ste. Marie and is scheduled to be on Manitoulin Island on October 23.

Anishinabek Nation Ed. Agreement Bill introduced into House of Commons

ANISHINABEK NATION—Anishinabek Nation Grand Council Chief Patrick Madahbee is pleased that the Anishinabek Nation Education Agreement Bill C-61 was introduced in the House of Commons last week to give the Anishinabek Nation Education Agreement the force of law.

"No matter what the question, what the issue, what the challenge is, education is the answer," said Anishinabek Nation Grand Council Chief Patrick Madahbee following the introduction of Bill C-61. "This historic agreement will set the stage for a brighter and stronger future for our children and communities."

The Anishinabek Nation Education Agreement Bill has been introduced into Parliament to pass as

Northeast Town council accepts \$20,000 reserve reimbursement from Island planning board

by Robin Burridge

MANITOULIN—The Northeast Town has accepted an offer from the Manitoulin Planning Board (MPB) for \$20,000 from the board's reserves.

"An offer came in through our lawyer last night that the MPB would give us \$20,000 of the board's reserves," said Mayor Al MacNevin. "We were asking for \$30,000, but council decided that instead of spending more money on legal fees, we would accept the offer—it's a good compromise."

As The Expositor previously reported, Northeast Town council directed staff to seek legal advice to get its perceived \$30,000 (of the approximately \$90,000) share back from the MPB reserves since leaving the board and establishing its own planning authority last year.

In March, the MPB carried a motion that the reserves would remain the property of the board.

At the MPB's April meeting, a motion was put forward by Richard Stephens and seconded by Ian Anderson to give \$15,000 to the Northeast

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Sheguiandah FN receives three nominations for chief for upcoming election

by Robin Burridge

SHEGUIANDAH—Nominations for chief and council of Sheguiandah First Nation were held last Wednesday, October 4. Due to a protest on nomination day at the band office by former

chief Orville Aguonie, the nominations were held at the Sheguiandah Health Centre.

The nominations for chief are: Andrew Agonie (incumbent), Orville Aguonie and Alison

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Northeast Town staff present first draft of 2018 budget

Proposed budget includes 2.5 percent increase in the levy

by Robin Burridge

LITTLE CURRENT—The Northeast Town council was presented with the first draft of the 2018 municipal budget by staff last Thursday night, reflecting a 2.5 percent increase in the levy (the amount needed to cover town operations).

"The original budget we had to bring to council had a proposed 3.68 percent increase to the levy, however we received notice that policing costs for 2018 will be down \$70,000," explained town CAO Dave Williamson. "Taking that into account, we now have a very tight budget that reflects a 2.5 percent increase, or an additional \$107,945.83 that we need to raise (through taxes)."

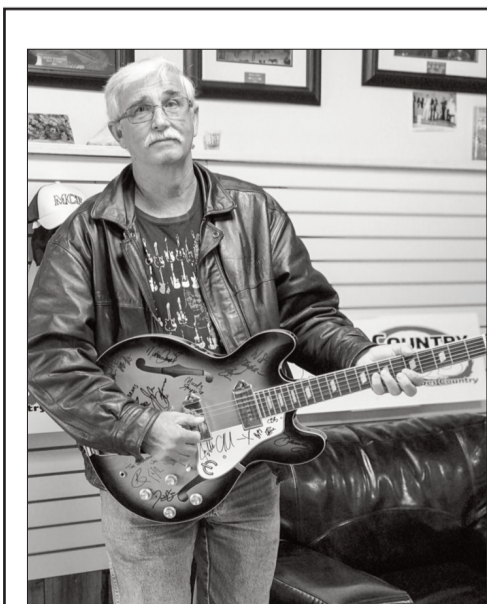
Mr. Williamson reviewed the proposed capital budget, which included a variety of projects.

Under transportation services, the proposed capital project is to finish the connecting link portion of Highway 6 from the swing bridge to the Beer Store at a cost of \$260,000, with \$247,000 to come from a grant and \$13,000 to come from the town's working capital reserve (the project is conditional on receiving funding).

The proposed surface treatments, all to be funded by the Gas Tax refund, include: in Little Current, Campbell Street West at a cost of \$15,000; Cockburn Street, at a cost of \$20,000; in Sheguiandah, Bay Street, \$22,000; in Honora, Gaida's Side Road, \$18,000; North Channel Drive, \$30,000; Green Bay Road (lift and resurface/grade raise), \$35,000; and Limekin Road (lift and resurface), \$32,000.

The budgeted drain is the Meredith Drain at a cost of \$60,000 to come from the working capital reserve. For sidewalks for 2018, staff proposed the repair of the downtown sidewalks at a cost of \$8,200, reflected in the budget. Mr. Williamson noted that the bricks need to be leveled and, if not fixed, could become a liability issue.

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Guitar giveaway

Phil Burnford of Kagawong, the winner of the Community Living Manitoulin (CLM) Guitar Giveaway, shows off his new instrument autographed by the all 2017 Manitoulin Country Fest artists (with the exception of Dwight Yoakam). The guitar was donated by George Copeland of North Channel Music in Elliot Lake.

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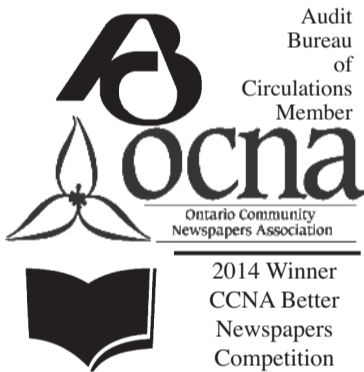
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opinion

editorial

Gamesmanship is no substitute for real policy planks

There is nothing new about the spectre of gamesmanship and misrepresentation of an opponent's statements; "putting a different spin on it" is the modern catchphrase for the activity. One can see the practice at play in the writings of Rome's Julius Caesar on his campaign in Gaul or the full on fabrications of the emperors who followed him (one even claiming a successful invasion of Britain when all evidence points to that worthy never having set a foot across the channel).

In the age of Facebook and "alternate facts" the trend to "spin" seems to have ascended to new and dizzying heights (albeit without the faking of full on invasions of foreign countries taking place...yet), but it is little wonder that the common individual has largely turned its back on the political elites represented by organized partisan politics.

Instead of presenting solid policy positions that will improve the lot of the common serf who spends most of their days trudging in drudgery with the increasingly vain hope of keeping the lights on, heat flowing and gruel on the table, we are presented with one-upmanship and sideshows that serve no meaningful purpose outside of scoring a few partisan points with that party's base or herding the unwary into their fold.

But there is a cautionary note here for the practitioners of "click-bait" misrepresentation of their political opponents' positions and off-hand utterances. Once drawn into the narrative, reasonable peo-

ple, and many of those are the people who actually still vote these days, will react badly when they realize they have been had. Governing is too important an occupation to willfully waste credibility on frivolous sidebars.

It is tremendously difficult not to be drawn into dwelling on the frivolous, especially when the mechanics of elections, those back-room cadres who inhabit the shadows of all political parties, are able to point to studies that show the tactic is effective. "Keep the negative narrative going," is a common admonition. The more hours, days and weeks that a negative impression can be fostered in the not-so-attentive public mind the better their own candidate's chances when they enter the lists and attempt to unseat the incumbent government.

It is tempting to simply cry "a pox on all your houses" and turn our backs on the democratic process, after all, we all have busy lives with more important things to do than engage in sandbox level politics. But we must resist that temptation. Too much depends on peace, order and good government to abdicate our responsibilities as active members of a democratic nation—no matter how flawed the current state of affairs might be.

Each and every reasonable person should set aside any partisan blinkers they may normally wear, if any, and let their representatives at all levels of government know that enough is enough. Get off of the monkey bars and get on with the business of government.

letters

A rebuttal to Conservative and Liberal characterizations of North

NDP intends to focus on things that matter to Northern families

EDITOR'S NOTE: Today, Northern Ontario NDP MPPs released the following joint statement responding to recent comments by the Liberals and Progressive Conservatives about Northern Ontario:

To the Expositor:

In the same debate where the Liberal member from Northumberland—Quinte West called the North 'no man's land,' the Conservative member for Nipissing characterized it as 'rock and swamp.' New Democrats were quick to bring the discussion back to Northern policy then and we'll continue to do so.

The North is not the 'no man's land,' the Liberals describe and is so much more than just 'rock and swamp,' despite what the Conservatives may think—the North is our home and home to many Ontario families. Exchanging political cheap shots doesn't benefit Northern families; it moves the discussion away from solving the challenges and seizing the opportunities the North provides.

Northern families need doctors, specialists, community schools, and jobs and opportunities—especially for young people. It's bad enough that it took a comment in Toronto for the Conservatives to finally realize that the Liberals don't stand up for Northern Ontario but using this issue as a way to avoid talking about policies that can benefit our region

is a disservice to us all.

Northerners haven't forgotten that the last time the Conservatives called the shots, the cuts to the North were deep in health care, rail and bus transportation—municipal transit services vanished altogether in places like Fort Frances and Dryden because of these cuts. The North remembers that they slashed five ridings in our region. Now, the Conservative are hiding any plans they have for the North because they know that Northern families won't like them.

New Democrats will continue to focus on the things that matter to Northern families—sparking the Ring of Fire development, stopping the closure of our schools, lowering electricity costs and ending the deep cuts to Northern health. We don't need comments made in Toronto to know that the Liberals will continue to let us down and that the Conservatives would cut the things we care about. And we certainly don't need Conservatives piling on to those negative stereotypes.

**Michael Mantha (Algoma-Manitoulin),
France Gélina (Nickel Belt),
Gilles Bisson, (Timmins—James Bay),
Sarah Campbell (Kenora—Rainy River),
John Vanthof (Timiskaming—Cochrane)**

The Eye Van is celebrating 45 years on the road

A thank you from the folks on the van for welcoming them into our community

To the Expositor:

In recognition of World Sight Day (October 12), the CNIB Eye Van is celebrating 45 years on the road in Northern Ontario. In partnership with the Ontario Medical Association and the Eye Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, the CNIB Eye Van was established in 1972 as part of the Prevention of Blindness program. Staffed by two ophthalmic assistants and ophthalmologists, the fully-equipped medical mobile eye care clinic on wheels travels more than 6,000 kilometres each year, visiting 30 communities to provide service for more than 4,500 patients.

The on-board ophthalmologists conduct vision exams, treat eye conditions, perform minor surgeries, and offer much-needed medical advice and information about eye health. Ninety percent of the patients screened on the CNIB Eye Van are diagnosed with an eye condition that

could lead to blindness, if left untreated. While this is milestone year for one of CNIB's jewels, it wouldn't be the successful program that it is without the phenomenal support of our partners, including the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, the Ontario Medical Association, the Eye Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, Lions Clubs, Rotary Clubs, Royal Canadian Legions, Sun Life Financial, Goldcorp Inc. and other corporate and individual donors, and community groups.

CNIB has always been an organization of people helping people—nowhere is that more evident than in the incredible work of more than 300 volunteers. Thank you for welcoming the CNIB Eye Van into your community year after year. To learn more, visit cnib.ca/eyevan.

**Lisa O'Bonsawin
Manager, CNIB Eye Van**

Central Manitoulin expresses dissatisfaction with MTO work

by Michael Erskine

CENTRAL MANITOULIN—The agenda items were completed and Central Manitoulin council members were about to entertain a motion to adjourn when Councillor Derek Stephens apologized for missing a matter referenced in the minutes presented to council from the September 5 Road Committee meeting.

The passage Councillor Stephens was referencing read: "That we direct staff to write to the Ministry of Transportation regarding the Municipality's displeasure with the paving that was done on Highway 542 west of Minde-moya this August, in which none of the aprons of the interesting municipal roads were paved as committed to in previous years, creating safety concerns for the municipality and fur-

ther that there appears to have not been any patching of roadway defects before paving was carried out, creating a very unsatisfactory road surface."

"The highways around our community are a mess," said Councillor Stephens. "That is what I have been hearing about constantly in the community."

Councillor Stephens noted that there were a lot of promises made that simply were not, to his mind, followed through on.

"I don't disagree with what Councillor Stephens is saying," admitted Clerk Ruth Frawley. She noted that the motion from the Roads Committee did not come forward as a motion to council as it was not put as a recommendation to council, but rather a direction to

staff.

"It is all I have been hearing," said Councillor Stephens, "that the road work sucks." He suggested that a lot of the municipality's own gravel sideroads were actually in better shape than the MTO's highways. "I am very upset with the work the MTO did here," said Councillor Stephens. He alleged that it appeared that the road was not repaired and leveled prior to repaving and that commitments to pave crossroad intersections was not followed through upon.

Following procedural discussion it was determined that the letter to the MTO should come from council as a whole, rather than simply a letter from staff.

Islands unite

Manitoulin takes part in initial Great Lakes Islands Summit

BEAVER ISLAND, MI—Two representatives from Manitoulin Island, and this newspaper, attended the first-ever Islands Summit themed ‘Laying the Foundation for a Great Lakes Islands Coalition,’ and left the two-day conference hosted by Beaver Island and the Michigan Office of the Great Lakes with a renewed sense of pride in Manitoulin and our Great Lakes home.

“It was a wonderful two days spent on Beaver Island, in quite literally the middle of Lake Michigan,” said Expositor publisher Alicia McCutcheon, who attended the Islands Summit with her mother, Julia McCutcheon.

There were over 70 attendees representing 11 Great Lakes islands. Facilitating the event were representatives of The Island Institute, based in Maine; the Michigan Office of the Great Lakes and the Beaver Island community.

Maine’s The Island Institute started in 1983 to provide forestry and conservation services to landowners on Maine islands but has grown to support and maintain the year-round communities on these Maine islands, the Institute’s website states. “That work has evolved over the years and now encompasses six work areas: community development, economic development, education, energy, marine resources and media.” It boasts a staff of 50 and has an annual operating budget of over \$5.5 million and has branched out to help other islands across the United States.

Brandon Hofstedt of Michigan’s Northland College Center for Rural Communities presented a summary of island data and the value of indicators. He noted that approximately 21,000 people populate all the Great Lakes islands year-round with their collective population growing to 50,000 seasonally. These islands also attract over two million visitors a year and have an estimated \$200 to \$400 million economic impact on the Great Lakes region, he told the group assembled at the Central Michigan University biological research station.

Mr. Hofstedt said that with the islands coming from both sides of the border, plus their combined economic clout, an island coalition could make for a good lobbying presence.

Karen Burns of The Island Institute spoke to the group regarding its role and its Island Fellows program. A fellow is chosen and becomes part of an island community for a one- or two-year stint and helps that island build capacity; bolster its emergency training, work with historical societies; or “gather energy around volunteer recruitment.” Island Fellows are tasked with integrating into the community at every level.

This year there are nine Island Fellows spread across Maine and Michigan, Ms. Burns explained, introducing Beaver Island’s fellow Stefanie Burchill.

“Each of the islands had a chance to stand up and give a quick five-minute overview of their island,” Ms. McCutcheon explained. “Five minutes didn’t seem nearly long enough to explain Manitoulin, but we made it work,” she laughed.

“Manitoulin is wildly different from the other Great Lakes islands,” she added, “and that became evident very quickly, but we all share a passion for the particular island we call home and we all want the best for our people.”

The islands represented at the



Islanders from across the Great Lakes gather for a group photo at the conclusion of the Islands Summit on Beaver Island.

photo by Stephanie Fortino/Mackinac Island Town Crier



Brandon Hofstedt of Michigan’s Northland College Center for Rural Communities speaks to the over 70 representatives of the Islands Summit on the importance of island data.

photo by Alicia McCutcheon

Islands Summit were Beaver Island, Lake Michigan (USA), population 584; Mackinac Island, Lake Michigan (USA), population 481; Drummond Island, Lake Huron (USA), population 1,126; Harsens Island, Lake Michigan (USA), population 1,145; Neebish Island, St. Mary’s River (USA), population 89; South Bass Island and Middle Bass Island, Lake Erie (USA), population 625; Pelee Island, Lake Erie (Canada), population 171; Manitoulin Island, Lake Huron (Canada), population 13,048; Madeline Island, Lake Superior (USA), population 261; and Washington Island, Lake Michigan (USA), population 843.

“Manitoulin’s population is far, far greater than all of the islands and we are also bridged, which seemed to be slightly contentious for some people in attendance,” Ms. McCutcheon noted. “My mother and I pointed out that the bridge does swing and that while having the swing bridge in Little Current is all well and good for the people of Little Current and surrounding areas, it doesn’t mean the people of, say Meldrum Bay or Western Manitoulin, may feel any less isolated.”

All the other islands have ferry services, some year-round and some not. Many rely on charter flight services. Some have schools, varying from up to Grade

8 or to Grade 12, while some islands do not even have a grocery store or a gas station, the McCutcheons explained.

“All of the islands spoke of their frustration with broadband service and all of them spoke of the importance of tourism to their economy,” Ms. McCutcheon added. “Manitoulin is the only island that does not rely solely on tourism for its economy.”

“The Summit made us feel incredibly thankful to live on Manitoulin,” Ms. McCutcheon said. “I’m sure all of the islands are equally beautiful and special, but we are so fortunate to live in a place that boasts an excellent healthcare system, school system, a vibrant island economy, and even paved roads, as well as our unique shared culture.”

“In our closing remarks at the Islands Summit I noted that while many of the islands began their spiel by noting the spiritual and territorial importance of their islands to the First Nations or Tribes of the area, the lack of Indigenous representation on Beaver Island was slightly unsettling,” Ms. McCutcheon said. “I spoke to the fact that the Great Lakes First Nations people are the stewards of the land and water here and the importance of having their voice represented at the table. It obviously had an affect on

some of the islands as we had many people come up to us afterwards to thank us for bringing it up, noting that they would make more of an effort on their own islands, moving forward, at inclusiveness.”

When broken into groups, the islands were asked to write down their challenges and successes on various topics and the McCutcheons say they were able to note many Island successes, including in health, Manitoulin’s ability to attract and maintain healthcare professionals, which has even been noted by the national press, community paramedicine and the non-urgent patient transfer vehicles as unique pilot programs that could be adopted by other island communities; for environment, the success of Manitoulin Streams and spinoffs such as the invasive species intern; and for tourism, the push toward ecotourism and the First Nations leading the way in that regard, an abundant arts scene “and so much more. We really do have a lot to be proud of here.”

Ms. McCutcheon said they also came away with the thought that was first noted by Jim Nies, a summer resident of Kagawong, that perhaps Manitoulin does not think of itself as an island enough.

“The people of the other Great

Lakes islands wear many hats from tourism operator to paramedic to teacher, in some cases,” Ms. McCutcheon said. “Having small populations and being isolated has made them come together and find solutions to problems. It was observed to me before I left for the conference how Manitoulin is comprised of many silos, our seven municipalities, six First Nations and one unorganized township and oftentimes we do not work together nearly enough. Things like waste disposal and composting, even what to do with old cars, is amplified on islands and Mr. Nies is right—we should be thinking more like an island, especially when it comes to our environment and being good stewards of the land.”

Matt Preisser of the Michigan Office of the Great Lakes explained that his boss, Jon Allan, became aware of The Island Institute and thought how the Great Lakes islands, specifically those in Michigan, could benefit from just such a model and thus began a relationship between the Michigan Office and the group in Maine which eventually led to an exchange between Beaver Island community members to the Maine islands thanks to a grant through the Michigan Office of the Great Lakes.

“We realized that (Great Lakes islands) have a very unique set of challenges and mainland decision makers have no clue as to what those challenges are and also that the other islands really don’t communicate much with one another,” Mr. Preisser said.

Mr. Preisser says his office sees itself as a “leader in Great Lakes management” and decided to call a meeting and “see who showed up; have islanders meet other islanders and if there was a value to having something like a coalition then we would help to facilitate it.”

It was Beaver Island that suggested reaching out to the other islands and, not itself having the capacity to do so, the Michigan Office of the Great Lakes kindly agreed to help them take that task on.

“We’re pretty confident that it was a good idea,” Mr. Preisser said of the Islands Summit.

He noted that one of the islanders brought up the fact that an islands coalition could also work as a preventative measure. If one island had an issue or tried something that failed, another island could learn from those mistakes. “That could be a really great function before it happens,” he said.

Moving forward, Mr. Preisser admitted to having much work ahead of him in terms of summarizing the many shared ideas that came out of the summit and will be putting forward regular communication via emails between the islands and creating a charter for an islands coalition leading up to the fall of 2018 and the next summit, which will be hosted by Madeline Island in Lake Superior.

The McCutcheons say it was a worthwhile trip to Beaver Island, commenting on the gracious hosts of that island, and the hopes for a relationship with the islands through the creation of a coalition in the future that could aid in lobbying all levels of government on both sides of the border regarding the health of the lakes, and its people.

“I feel that Manitoulin should be represented in this movement,” Ms. McCutcheon added. “We aren’t sure what the next steps will be, but we need to be at the table.”

Farm properties bearing large percentage of tax burden, Federation of Agriculture

by **Betty Bardswich**
PROVIDENCE BAY—The Manitoulin North Shore Federation of Agriculture is one of 52 county federations of the Ontario Farm Association which encompasses 38,000 members in this province.

Late last month, members met at the community hall in Providence Bay to hold its Annual General Meeting.

Alan Emiry of Massey is the president of this Northern federation and he was the host for this meeting with an agenda that included the passing of minutes, the financial report, elections and guest speakers.

Mary Scott, manager of the Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association, was the first to speak at the meeting and outlined programs that are available to farmers as well as workshops that will be held in the coming weeks. She told the members that there is still funding available until December 15 for the Species at Risk Farm Incentive Program (SARFIP) and funding would also be retroactive to last April. She also talked about other projects under SARFIP that would include fencing, rotational grazing, fencing to keep livestock from water's edge, native tree and grassland planting, solar energy, block planting and in kind labour. Funding is also available to hire someone to get rid of species at risk.

Ms. Scott then explained that there are five workshops offered by the Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association that she will hold this winter. These free workshops as well as webinars are part of Growing Forward 2 (GF2) to assist farm businesses in identifying strengths and weaknesses in five different areas with a goal to positively influence the farm's profitability, productivity and sustainability. The date, time and place of these workshops will be in the Island newspapers.

The workshops to be offered include traceability, which is a one-and-a-half-day workshop to help one gain a competitive advantage and improve your bottom line by implementing a traceability system that effectively uses the information to gain added value through reduced costs, improved profit margins and increased market potential.

The Food Safety Workshop is a two-day in-class session to help one formalize their food safety program while the biosecurity meeting is a one-day in-class, commodity-specific workshop to help one enhance their biosecurity protocols. The Environmental Farm Plan (EFP) workshop is to help one develop an appropriate action plan to improve the environmental sustainability of one's farm business. It too is a two-day in-class sitting.

Growing Your Farm Profits (GYFP) is the final workshop offered and the participants are to meet with the workshop leader

on a one-on-one basis after attending a two-day, in-class seminar. This session provides an opportunity to learn practical methods to organize, prioritize and simplify the steps to achieve financial sustainability of the farm business.

Brian Bell, OMAFRA agriculture development advisor, was the next speaker and he outlined the task of putting together a benchmark production of how one manages their assets. To this end, there is a survey of 99 questions is to be answered with a \$50 incentive to those who participate.

Mr. Bell also spoke of the Heritage Fund which fits into farming growth plans



Mary Scott, manager of the Ontario Soil and Crop Improvement Association, addresses the meeting.

and LAMBAC, which is interested in talking to people regarding tile management, and explaining that there is money available for clearing land and for tile drainage.

Another topic of interest was the federal/provincial/territorial Canadian Agricultural Partnership (CAP) program, a \$3 billion five-year investment to strengthen the agri-food sector in Canada and which begins April 2018. The CAP focus will be on science, research and innovation, markets and trade, environmental sustainability and climate change, value added agriculture and agri-food processing, public trust and risk management.

Mr. Bell also passed on the information that the Beef Farmers of Ontario will be holding a session on October 5 at the Pinewood Motor Inn in Espanola.

The next speaker was Mark Kunkel, the Northern

Ontario Director of the OFA and a dairy farmer in Powassan. He spoke of the Great Northern Caucus which met to discuss Northern affairs and has a presence at the conferences.

He also talked of wildlife and damage to crops and especially mentioned sandhill cranes. "Our goal," he said, "is to get enough data to go to the government."

Mr. Kunkel gave an update on the Northern Ontario Farm Innovation Alliance (NOFIA) about the field trials on yellow barley. He said that at one time about 80 percent of this barley would go to beer companies such as Molson and the 20 percent going to craft breweries. "That has completely changed," he said,

with the numbers flipped the other way.

Mr. Kunkel also talked about livestock disposal, and studies including on land clearing and the dairy industry.

"The fact sheets will be out in February," he said. "Make sure all data, good or bad, comes back to us." He also mentioned the frustration with wildlife damage claims where one has to take pictures, submit the claim and one is then told to go back and take more pictures. The emphasis is for farmers to take lots of pictures of the diseased animal.

Of special concern to Island farmers is the amount of tax on their

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Ice Chips and Canoe Quips

Manitoulin's Nickel City Sons

In a super test against the top, provincially ranked AAA minor bantam teams the N.C. Sons proved once again that they deserve to be in the mix. The northern squad won their first game at the London Ontario's Wendy Dufton Memorial Tournament. The young team features **Carson Shawana, Liam Bridgeman and Sam Assinewai**. Started out with a convincing 6-2 win over the Markham Majors, the northern side was able to keep the games competitive but did not make it into the playoff round. Frustratingly, Markham did! Keep working hard, guys!

Off their rock hockey!

Congratulations to several Manitoulin girls who have made the commitment to play hockey off-Island and assume all of the long commutes on top of a busy and competitive schedule. Making the Sudbury Lady Wolves Peeewe B squad are **Danica Peltier, Destiny Migwans, Sierra McGregor and Kaylee Corbiere**.

Best wishes

Best of luck to **Billy Biederman** as he recovers from major shoulder surgery this past week. Here's to you getting back on the ice soon, Billy!

Bobcats' Invitational

Last Wednesday the annual Bobcats' Invitational was hosted by the Shawanosowe School in beautiful downtown Birch Island. This great event features divisions for Kindergarten kids and on up to the Grade 8 speedsters. There were students from nine different schools in attendance on a day that looked to be a nasty, wet day that turned out to be a mainly sunny and beautiful fall day.

Overall, Central Manitoulin brought a very large team and took the overall school title as a result of their sheer numbers. Individually, here are the top three finishers from each division. In the six and under boys' class it was a 1-2-3 finish for CMPS with **Easton Assinewai, David Joyce and Jesse Cooper** taking the medals. In the 6 girls' division, **Videt Sutherland and Laila Taibossigai** of Shawanosowe were the top-two and **Laily Assiniwe** of Wiikwemkoong was third.

In the 7/8 Boys' race **Jackson Noble** of Espanola took gold while **Jack Bridgeman and Benny Cooper** of Mindemoya were silver and bronze. In the girls' equivalent **Samantha Mackenzie** (CMPS) was first. **Lily Stewart** of Assiginack was second and **Scarlet Mohr** (CMPS) was third.

In the 9/10 boys' event it was sprint to the finish up the tough Shawanosowe "mountain," but **Liam Lariviere** (CMPS) edged **Rylan Pennie** (APS) and **Xavi Mara** (APS) who were second and third. The girls' race was also a thriller at the finish with Biidaaban's **Janice Toulouse** breaking the tape followed by the Wasse Abin pair of **Natalia Pitawanakwat and Jenelle Akiwenzie**.

The 11-12 boys' division was won by APS' **Brodie Pennie** with CMPS' **Bay Migwans** in second then A.B. Ellis' **Ira Paibomsai** in third. The girls' race featured a 1-2 punch from CMPS athletes **Ava Assinewai and Annie Balfe** and third was won by Pontiac's **Mikaila Staruck**.

The elder statespeople of the race belonged to the 13+ division. The boys' race featured **Liam Bridgeman** (CMPS) with the gold and the Espanola pair of **Carter Lacasse and Aidan Kallioinen** garnering the other medals. **Delaney Bridgeman** (CMPS), running up a division, edged former Bobcat **Avery Sutherland** and Sagamok's **Jacinte Eshkawkogan** in third.

Congratulations to organizers who made for a great day. Among many, hats off to **Kevin Legrow and Greg Sutherland**.

Wiky Invitational tomorrow!

The Manitoulin cross country season features its next meet, the Wiky Invitational tomorrow (October 12) hosted in Wiikwemkoong this year at Thunderbird Park (ballfield) and not the Rainbow Ridge Golf Course in Manitowaning. This venerable event features teams competing from across the Island as well as the north shore. The day starts off around 10:30 am with the youngest age division (8 and under) and completes each boys and girls' race until the 13-plus divisions runs sometime around 1:00 and finally finishes the day with an awards ceremony about 1:30 pm.

Killarney keeners!

The picturesque Killarney Fall Classic highlights three classic distances: 5K, 10K and the 21.1K half-marathon. An energetic Manitoulin contingent made the trip for the second annual event. **Tammy Rolston** was second overall in the 10km with **Terri Boyer and Leslie Marshall** on her heels.

Marilee Wright, a perennial Manitoulin Mustang runner in her high school days, took on the half-marathon and ran an impressive 1:49 to finish in fourth position overall!

Wiky Road Race

The 45th annual Wikwemikong 10K Championships and 10K walk is set for Sunday, October 15. Once again the 10 km Slower Runner Division for beginner runners, walkers and even Nordic polers is sponsored by the Wikwemikong Health Centre Diabetes Program and it starts at 10 am in Kaboni.

The 10km championship run starts at 10:50 am, with registration going from 8:30 to 9:30 am at Wasse Abin Pontiac School. The entry fee is still just \$20 for Adults and \$10 for Students and it includes a t-shirt and a sure bet for some fabulous prizes. There is a shuttle service available to get runners up to the start line. A truly great event; why not give it a try. For more information call (705) 859-3164.

Thunder Run!

The annual, Mindemoya Thunder Fun Runs are also set for Sunday, October 15. The two runs (5K and 2K) distances all start from the J.H. Burt Memorial Arena in downtown Mindemoya. The 5K race begins at 9:30 a.m. and the 2K distance begins at 9:45 am. Registration for both events will start at 9 am. This year's bonus includes medals for each participant. There will also be refreshments and treats for sale.

The only "cost" that a runner will incur is a minimum of \$20 in pledges or they can pay the \$20 entry fee at registration. For a family the minimum is \$50 in pledges for up to four family members participating in either race. On top of all of this there is a prize for the top pledges earned so get out there and support your local hockey community.

Pledge forms and further information can be received by emailing lariviere@amtelecom.net.

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Anchor Inn/Labatt Fall Classic

Aquila was the overall winner of the Anchor Inn/Labatt Fall Classic held earlier this fall. The crew included, from left, Ryan Matheson, Kelly Bayer, Captain Scott Matheson and Natalie Hastings.



LCPS Coyotes Junior B Three-Pitch champions

Little Current Public School was named the Junior B Three-Pitch Champion under coach, Joanne Peltier's tutelage. and her players: Caleb Lockeyer, Ryland Priddle, Rhyis Arthurs, Keannu Bisschops, Matthew Wilkins, Peter Kanasawe, Dale Belanger, Zee Toulouse, Kyra Carpenter, Kalli Jones, Alesha Beam, Taylor Goodfellow and Kara Peltier.

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Sixth Annual x-country 'Run with the Bobcats' held October 4

by Rick Legrow

BIRCH ISLAND—This year's Bobcat cross country meet was a great event that involved a total of nine schools from the Manitoulin Island, Espanola and Massey areas.

The first run of the day saw the Shawanosowe Kindergarten students (Bobkittens) running around the track to the cheers of all of the assembled athletes. The Shawanosowe event had almost 300 runners from the age of 6 to 13 and up running. This was a great opportunity for students to come together and represent their school and community values as well as their commitment to physical fitness and fun.

Students raced for individual medals for first, second and third place with all of the runners receiving Bobcat participation wristbands. They also raced for one of two team awards. This year, Central Manitoulin Public School won the overall team trophy for their outstanding racers, many of whom finished on the podium or in the top 10.

The second team award is the Team Spirit Award, which is awarded to the school that demonstrates the most positive spirit, teamwork and sportsmanship. This year, A.B. Ellis won this award for its incredible support for all of their runners and their loud cheering throughout the competition. Not only did they cheer loudly for their strong runners, they supported all their runners



All of the cross country runners pose for a group photo during the Bobcat Run.

photos by Tammy Nahwegahbow



A.B. Ellis was given the Outstanding Team Spirit Award.



WRFN Community member Greg Sutherland, Grade 3 and 4 Shawanosowe teacher Rick Legrow, Chief Shining Turtle and Central Manitoulin Public School team representatives accept the Overall Team Score banner.

right until the finish line in every age division.

Overall, a great time was had by all. Students enjoyed the various sport activities that were provided by the Birch Island youth coordinators. It was great to see runners participating in the Zumba workout! Students and coaches alike both loved the music which was provided Blake Debassige.

It took a small army to host the event with special praises going out the volunteers from the community who helped make this event possible, public works (for their amazing job setting up the site), and the staff at the band office (for helping to

organize and set up the event), the health department (for setting up a first aid tent and helping take care of our young people), UCCM Police (for controlling traffic, leading our runners, and keeping them safe), the youth coordinator (for providing fun games and activities for our runners) and all the staff at Shawanosowe School for contributing their part (making signs, helping run the event and the canteen), and community volunteers and parents who helped out with the bake sale and canteen.

Happy 100th Birthday!

Lottie Nighswander celebrated her 100th birthday recently at an afternoon party at the Comfort Inn in Sudbury with her family by her side.

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...Assignack says Norisle claim groundless

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municipality," said Mr. Gillespie. "The litigation will be very expensive and it is the defendant's view that the taxpayers of Assignack should not have to pay the costs."

"We have been through the process of discoveries," continued Mr. Gillespie. "As a result of the process, it has become clear, in the township's view, that there is little if not any merit to the steamship society's claim. We feel the case should be dismissed now without a trial, and we believe that there is sufficient information to allow the court to do that."

Mr. Gillespie said that the township has already incurred costs associated with the claim. Based on the schedule, it would be roughly \$125,000.

Dave Ham, chair of the S.S. Norisle Steamship Society, said he was surprised by the estimated costs of the legal proceedings, but was unable to comment.

"The case is in the courts so I cannot comment," said John Coulter, director of restoration for the Society, regarding the claim.

When asked about the potential litigations costs to the town, Mr. Coulter responded, "We didn't bring this upon ourselves."

"We made the claim because of the actions of the township," said Mr. Coulter. "If the township hadn't taken action (to sell the Norisle), the ship would be dry docked and on its way to being restored."

The Township of Assignack entered into discussions with the Tobermory

Maritime Association (TMA) last year to sell the S.S. Norisle to the TMA, to be sunk and used as a dive site in Tobermory.

The Steamship Society responded by launching a lawsuit against the municipality claiming \$10 million in damages in addition to an order declaring that the Society is the owner of the Norisle by way of constructive trust. They also claimed \$250,000 for aggravated, punitive and/or exemplary damages; an interim order restraining the town from disposing of the Norisle until the matter has been tried; an interim order compelling the township to continue to provide status quo administrative tasks including providing all risk insurance; to maintain its current accessible dockages, road access and

snow removal, utilities service and ongoing maintenance at its expense until this matter is tried; full indemnity costs of this proceeding plus all applicable taxes; and "such further and other relief as to this honourable court may seem just," according to the Statement of Claim.

As well the claim goes on to accuse Assignack of breaching a joint venture agreement between the town and the Society, a breach of fiduciary duty, unjust enrichment and constructive trust, negligence and damages.

A court date has not yet been set, but Mr. Gillespie said the two parties are looking at a date in December of this year or January 2018.

...Former Sheguiandah First Nation chief blocks band office

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position with Sheguiandah First Nation is not funded by any government agencies and her continued employment hinges on who is elected chief and council."

Although Mr. Aguonie vowed to keep up his blockade until the appointment of the electoral officer was rescinded "by Andrew Aguonie and Indigenous Affairs," he closed down his blockade around 7 pm Wednesday evening.

UCCM Anishinaabe Police Service officers were on hand "to keep the peace" during the protest action, but did not intervene. Band nominations that were supposed to take place at the band office on Wednesday were moved to the Sheguiandah Health Centre.

Chief Aguonie was in Toronto taking part in an Ontario Works conference during the blockade.

"I was talking to Rodney (Nahwegahbow) from the UCCM Police and he told me it was just supposed to be a



A small car blocks an entrance to the Sheguiandah First Nation band offices during a protest blockade.

one-day protest," said Chief Aguonie when he returned. "It was peaceful and wrapped up by 7 pm."

Chief Aguonie was adamant that the band council did not intend to rescind Ms. Behm's appointment. "No, no," he said. "Council is still agreeing to keep her in place. Anyone

who is not in agreement can appeal the election, of course."

Chief Aguonie said operations at the band are continuing as normal and there were no disruptions in service anticipated. "We are continuing to move forward as a community," he said.

...M'Chigeeng election is overturned by appeals committee

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committee was complex, with many historical decisions playing a role, but essentially the controversy stems from a decision to grandfather in a previous membership list when the original custom membership code was created, the so-called "status quo" list, rather than to limit electors and eligible nominees to the list being compiled from those who had reapplied to be recognized as members of the band under the custom code.

A notice from the appeals committee posted on the M'Chigeeng First Nation website announced that the committee had accepted "as consensus, the validity of the appeal letter that the election was in contravention of the elections code." Further, that the status quo list used for the 2017 M'Chigeeng First Nation elections "does not comply with the M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code 2005."

The appeals committee offered as its rationale for the decision that, according to the custom election code, Membership Register means the official list of names and addresses of members maintained by the M'Chigeeng First Nation; a member is eligible to vote if the member is listed on the membership

register; only an eligible member may be nominated as a candidate; if satisfied that an election is not conducted in a manner consistent with this code or the regulations, an election appeal committee may declare a contravention; if satisfied that the contravention materially affected the outcome of the election, the election appeal committee may, in addition to a declaration, make such further orders as it considers appropriate; order a new election, including an election for one or more positions, and give directions to the electoral officer for the conduct of that election; and in this section, "administrator" means the entity acting under the administration agreement between Indian and Northern Affairs and Enkamigak Community Inc."

The committee also referenced an April 29 band meeting resolution that read "whereas M'Chigeeng First Nation chief and council recognizes their duty in failing to maintain a M'Chigeeng First Nation membership register in accordance with the membership code" and an April 13 memo to Chief Linda Debassige from Scott Jacobs, verifier under the Lands Management Act, Lands Advisor Board and an August 4, 2015 report to

chief and council from the law firm of Weaver-Simmons that read "many of the people in this category have been accorded the same privileges and benefits as other members, including participation in elections, in referendums to amend the code and other social housing and education related programs and services. It raised expectations of continued eligibility for programs and services and yet, the law is clear—that membership codes must be followed."

The appeals committee concludes the announcement by ordering a re-election using the M'Chigeeng First Nation membership code list. The announcement was signed by chair Isadore Bebamash and members Renee Corbiere, Rochelle Debassige, Terry Debassige and Molly Migwans.

The referenced letter from the Scott Jacobs, the appointed lands verifier for M'Chigeeng First Nation, noted that according to the custom election code, all members must be compliant with the membership code and those who wish to vote in the election had to follow the proper process outlined in the code to become members. Names can be added to the list up to the day of the election but individuals must pro-

vide proof of membership (usually in the form of a letter from the M'Chigeeng First Nation membership office).

"In conclusion, the Membership Code is the current law of M'Chigeeng First Nation," writes Mr. Jacobs. "The Land Code is developed by members as the fundamental law for the governance of reserve lands and resources Members will vote to ratify the Land Code based on the Community Ratification Process. Use of the "Status Quo" list may allow individuals who are not eligible to be members to participate in a process that is restricted to members."

Based on the appeal letter, whose author has not yet been disclosed, and its deliberations, the appeals committee made the decision to overturn the election results and order a new election, probably some time in December.

Although the day-to-day operations of the band will continue reasonably uninterrupted, there were many online commentators who expressed concern and dismay, with some noting that their program funding applications require band resolutions of support, and that those applications loom well before the new elections can take place.'

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Under public works, the replacement of the 2005 snowplow was proposed at a cost of \$260,000, with \$223,000 to come from the working capital reserve and \$37,000 from the 2018 budget. A new sand dome in Sheguiandah was also listed at a cost of \$350,000, but is conditional on the full amount accessed through a grant.

For environmental services, the replacement of the cast iron water main in Little Current is listed at a cost of \$250,000, with the full amount to come from the Little Current water plant reserve, and the Little Current sewage lagoon upgrade at a cost of \$3,000,000, funded on the condition of the town receiving a \$1,000,000 grant, in addition to \$250,000 to come from reserves and a \$2,000,000 loan.

For recreational and cultural services the proposed projects include: a new pickup truck for community services at a cost of \$30,000, reflected in the budget; ice plant upgrades at the recreation centre with a \$200,000 price tag, conditional on the town receiving a \$180,000 grant and \$20,000 to come out of the working capital reserve; dehumidifier replacement at the arena and curling club, costing \$100,000, conditional on the municipality receiving a \$50,000 grant, and \$50,000 to come from the working capital reserve; arena and curling club light upgrades at a cost of \$25,000, with the project conditional on receiving \$12,500 in funding, and the remainder to come from the town; dock revitalization of Piers 3, 5, and 6 at Spider Bay Marina at a cost of \$400,000, with the project conditional on receiving \$200,000 in funding, and the remaining \$200,000 to come out of the Spider Bay Marina reserves; a clean up of the island shorelines in Ward 1, requested by residents, at a cost of \$10,000 which would be fully conditional on receiving the full funding amount; for the fire department, auto extrication equipment upgrades to e-draulics, a cost of \$46,000, with \$30,000 conditional on funding, and the remaining \$16,000 to come from the budget; and sewer back-up protection at station No. 1 in Little Current at a cost of \$12,000 to the town.

There were also proposed upgrades to the ball field (field B) and the soccer field at Low Island Park at a cost of \$35,000. Mr. Williamson explained that the upgrades to the baseball field would include fencing, a yellow fence guard, and safety upgrades to the dugout.

The project would be conditional on a donation from the Little Current Lions Club of \$25,000 with council also to

allocate funds from the Ross Blum account (\$9,000). Mr. Williamson informed council that the Ross Blum account was created in memoriam for the late Mr. Blum to support kids community hockey and that it has sat unused for several years.

Mr. Williamson said that there is also an additional \$7,000 in a baseball reserve that could be used towards the project.

As well, the proposed capital budget listed a new floor at the Centennial Museum of Sheguiandah, and an upgrade to the painted cement floor in the exhibit area at a cost of \$13,000 to the town.

Councillor Laurie Cook said that she felt that the museum project should be moved to the 'other priorities' list attached to the budget and only be completed if the project received 100 percent of the funding to cover the costs.

Mr. Williamson directed council's attention to the 'other priorities' sheet, noting that the projects listed are important, but the funds are not currently available in the 2018 budget to complete.

These projects include: a building façade improvement to the town office at a cost of \$40,000; a speed indicator sign at a cost of \$6,000, a sidewalk for Hardbargain Road at a cost of \$118,000; the replacement of the 2003 public works backhoe at a cost of \$140,000; a community garden initiative at a cost of \$14,000, a parking lot flex beam for Low Island Park, \$16,000; marketing of the archaeological site at the museum, \$3,145; and a bridge at the old OPP boathouse property (where the boathouse was removed, leaving a gap in the dock), \$75,000.

Also included on the list was the implementation of a new integrated library system at the Little Current Public Library. Mr. Williamson explained that the library board is requesting that the \$22,135 cost be paid for with \$2,135 of grant money, and \$10,000 from the library reserves and \$10,000 from the town's working capital reserves. He informed council that there are sufficient funds in the library reserves to cover the costs (\$36,000) and staff would recommend moving the project to the capital budget if the board would agree that \$20,000 to be used from the library reserve for the project.

He said that as the reserves currently sit, there would be only \$76,122 left if the proposed budget was to remain as presented and the budgeted addition to the reserves for 2018 remained at \$112,735.

Council was asked to review the budget and bring any

questions, concerns and suggestions to staff.

Council will discuss the budget further at the November administration and finance committee meeting.

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Town, however the motion was defeated.

Following an in-camera session at the September 26 board meeting, the

MPB passed a motion, moved by Lee Hayden and seconded by Richard Stephens, "That in the interests of both the MPB and the Northeast Town, and to resolve the issue of the

reimbursement of reserve funds, that legal counsels discuss \$20,000 be paid to the Northeast Town."

...Gloria Hall receives Vivian Levenson Award

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thetic and professional. You are a great volunteer Gloria and very deserving of the (annual) award."

Speaker Norm Morrell described Ms. Hall as one of the greatest people in the whole world. "Gloria," he said, "is, to a large extent, Manitoulin Lodge and when something goes wrong, she handles it masterly well."

"Gloria, that Lodge is basically you," stated Mr. Morrell. "She spends seven days a week and 24 hours a day at the Lodge. No one deserves this award more than you do. You are the sweetheart of Manitoulin Lodge."

Marilyn and Wayne Sparham had also put together some words to let Ms. Hall know how much she meant to them and how much they appreciate her volunteer work. "We know that Gloria loves her family, that she loves and is loyal to her friends, she loves helping people and she loves animals, especially dogs. She is loving, kind, generous, humorous, loyal and non-judgmental and the list goes on."

"She is the kind of person who would find interest and concern with anyone whenever, wherever and whoever," the Sparhams said. "We had the opportunity to work with her in a volunteering position for many years. Gloria could always be

counted on to help when the need was there. In her quiet manner and very busy life, she was always ready to assist."

Ms. Hall's mother, Mona Lewis, was the last speaker of the evening and after congratulating her daughter she said, "you will be able to display it with your other awards. Last year she won the Dragon Lady Award, which is not given very freely, for her proficiency at Manitoulin Lodge."

Ms. Lewis told the gathering about her daughter's life from when she was born to the present and introduced her family as well. She talked about Ms. Hall's work at the Manitoulin Lodge in Gore Bay.

"When the opportunity arose for an activity direc-

tor," she said "she was accepted and has had that job ever since. I've heard folks say 'I can never get Gloria on the phone. Where is she?' Well, you know what? She would likely be volunteering at some function. Like the Lions Club, the Rotary Club, the Trade Fair, VCARS Palliative Care, the Cancer Society or she might be recruiting entertainment for the nursing home. She spends many hours after work and on weekends with the residents. She takes them to church on Sundays, United Church in Gore Bay and Silver Water and Pentecostal Church in Spring Bay."

"The other Sunday she has a tea at the Lodge," said Ms. Lewis. "Who bakes most of the goodies

for teas? She does and she also sees that everyone gets a gift at Christmas, if not from family, then from her own pocket. This is Gloria."

Ms. Hall received written best wishes from Gore Bay Mayor Ron Lane as well as from Member of Parliament (MP) Carol Hughes and Member of Provincial Parliament (MPP) Michael Mantha.

The evening closed with music provided by the Dewar brothers and Carol Gilmore, and lots of good talk.



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...compensation to 'Sixties Scoop' survivors

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 foundation dedicated to reconciliation initiatives.

Lead plaintiff in the class-action suit is 53-year-old Marcia Brown Martel, chief of the Beaver House First Nation in Temagami, north of North Bay. She was taken from her home in 1967 at the age of four and spent years in foster care where she lost contact with her language and cultural identity.

"Today is one of those days that will be marked in history," said Chief Martel in a video statement following the announcement. "It will be marked down for our children and grandchildren that today, Canada has recognized the culture of peoples."

Chief Martel noted that this recognition "is huge," setting in place the fundamental principle that "people's cultural identities matter."

Chief Martel said that she sees the establishment of the foundation as the most important portion of the settlement, as it is "the surety to our future generations" that this kind of thing will "never, ever allow this to happen in Canada again."

Chief Martel noted that the process of reconciliation is far from over, but that the settlement agreement is another step in the right direction.

"Canada is a new place, a new place today," said Chief Martel. "What a

great country this is we live in!"

But amidst the accolades, not all were quite as ebullient.

"On behalf of the Chiefs of Ontario, I congratulate Chief Marcia Brown Martel, who was the lead plaintiff in this long and painful journey towards justice on behalf of the estimated 20,000 Sixties Scoop survivors," said Chiefs of Ontario Grand Chief Isadore Day in an announcement. "While today is a major victory, no amount of money can truly compensate for being taken away from your family as a child."

Wiikwemkoong band member and Sixties Scoop survivor Gloria Eshkibok woke up to the news on Friday and her initial response to the news was "grateful, happy Thanksgiving," but she noted she was "still taking it all in, I am listening to the CBC news on the radio about it. I am seeing on the Sixties Scoop page comments that some people are not satisfied. I'm still taking it in."

She said that she understands the frustration being expressed by those who feel shortchanged in the settlement, pointing to the way the legal system in Canada is one "where we are set up to lose" and that the bitterness caused by the government's tactics in court and the process of a cultural genocide still reverberates in Canadian society. "We cannot be sureties for each other, and a lot of us have had criminal charges," she said. "We are not criminals." Healing historic wrongs will not happen overnight or be completely wiped by any sum of money, Ms. Eshkibok observed.

"After having to take the fight to the Supreme Court, what does \$50,000 do to repair the impact," agreed Anishinabek Nation Grand Council Chief Patrick Madahbee, himself a Sixties Scoop survivor. "No family has not been impacted, directly or indirectly. Action is more important than words."

Grand Council Chief Madahbee said that, although there has been an apology by the Children's Aid Society, "going forward there are still a number of issues."



Chief Marcia Brown Martel, pictured here at the Toronto launch of the lawsuit, was the lead plaintiff of the Sixties Scoop class action lawsuit.

Grand Council Chief Madahbee said it was incumbent upon the federal and provincial governments to provide more than words. "I think they still have to prove themselves," he said.

When it comes to individual impacts, the settlement details indicate that if there are more than 20,000 claimants, each will receive a payout of \$25,000 but if there are fewer than 20,000 each claimant will receive up to a maximum of \$50,000. In the earlier residential school settlement, the number of applicants far outstripped the government's initial estimates.

The government is putting aside an additional \$75 million for legal fees and Minister Bennett said the government has secured a commitment from lawyers that they wouldn't go back to survivors demanding more money, thus avoiding what happened in the Indian residential school settlement where many students faced huge legal bills from their lawyers after receiving compensation.

This settlement follows on a decision in February by an Ontario Superior Court judge who found that the federal government failed to prevent on-reserve children from losing their Indigenous identity after they were

forcibly taken from their homes in the Sixties Scoop. That decision was the culmination of an eight-year court battle.

This settlement is expected to end 18 related active lawsuits across Canada. The class-action suit had originally sought \$1.3 billion on behalf of 16,000 Indigenous survivors in Ontario alone.

Chief Martel said this is not the end of the process but rather a "plateau," noting that "there is still much more healing to do."

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 properties. Assessments have increased 30 percent for the past four years while residential increases are minimal or have decreased. The OFA Service Representative for Manitoulin and the North Shore, Neil Tarlton, spoke of how farm property is bearing a far larger percent of the tax burden in municipalities. When asked by The Expositor if meetings had been held in Central Manitoulin with the mayor and council he replied in the affirmative but acknowledged that little progress had been made. What farmers would like to see is that residential taxes go up a small amount and farm taxes come down and that way the municipality would receive the same tax dollars, he said. Mr. Tarlton also outlined the way to appeal taxes on farm property by going to the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation at MPAC.ca to submit a Request for Reconsideration (RfR) and also to visit aboutmyfarm.ca to see how your property was assessed and to compare it to others in your area.

Elections were held at this meeting starting with directors for the Manitoulin North Shore Federation of Agriculture being Nathaniel Wood, Steve Mailloux and Sandy Yore.

Jim Anstice maintains his position as member of the Policy Advisory Council and elected members to the OFA convention are Erica Speck and Steve Mailloux.

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“Many trees provide pollen and nectar for bees and other pollinators early in the spring before fruit trees and plants flower,” says Forests Ontario Green Leader, Karin Tomosky. “Adding trees to my land was beneficial for my

bees, and trees are also important because they provide homes for nesting birds and animals”

Animals large and small can benefit from the presence of trees, which provide a potential food source, as well as protection from predators and severe weather. Expanding the tree cover on a property can create habitat for wildlife and can quickly start to attract birds, small mammals and pollinators. As well, forested riparian (shoreline) areas are important for their combination of improving water quality, reducing streambank erosion and providing cover to a host of land and aquatic creatures.

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For additional questions, contact the Forestry Outreach Coordinator, Suzanne Perry, at 1-877-646-1193 ext. 239 or at sperry@forestsontario.ca.

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Aguonie.

Nominations for councillor include: Orville Aguonie, Alison Aguonie (incumbent), Robert Manitowabi, Jake Ago Neh, Thomas Trudeau, Ruby Thompson, Pearl Waindubence (incumbent),

April McDowell, Carrie Waindubence, Edward Mishibinijima Sr. (incumbent), Valerie Assinewai, Elvis Mishibinijima, Darren Shawanda, Jackie Kozeyah, Cody Towers and Jackie Bowerman.

The electoral officer for the 2017 Sheguiandah election, Cynthia Behm,

explained that nominees for chief and council have until Wednesday, October 11 to withdraw their names.

The election will be held on Wednesday, November 22.

...Anishinabek Nation Ed. Agreement Bill

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control over the delivery of educational programs and services and how to best allocate education funding.

After the ANEA takes effect, certain provisions of the Indian Act that deal with education will no longer apply to the 23 PFNs. The decision-making power over education will rest in the hands of the First Nations under the AES. The ANEA sets out a process for other Anishinabek First Nations and other First Nations in Ontario to join the AES in the future should they choose to do so.

In moving forward with the ANEA with Canada, the 23 PFNs chose to be a party to the complementary Master Education Agreement (MEA) with Ontario. The provincial agreement creates a new relationship between the Anishinabek First Nations and Ontario that supports Anishinabek student success and well-being in the AES and the provincially-funded education system.

The ANEA with Canada and the MEA with Ontario were signed by the respective parties at an historic signing ceremony on August 16, 2017.

Expositor Correction

In the October 3 edition of The Expositor, the Page 3 story ‘Providence Bay United Church decommissioned and closed’ it states that St. Paul’s United Church on the Hill in Kagawong will be amalgamating with the recently closed Providence Bay

United Church and the Mindemoya United Church. The Providence Bay United Church and the Mindemoya United Church will be amalgamating to form the Trinity United Church, St. Paul’s United Church on the Hill in Kagawong, however,

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Ojibwe Cultural Foundation presents an Anishinaabe telling of the four stages of life

by Betty Bardswich
M'CHIGEENG—The Anishinaabe interpretation of the four stages of life was the focus of a September 26 presentation at the Ojibwe Cultural Foundation (OCF) in M'Chigeeng.

Elder Josh Eshkawkogan of the Thunderbird clan and Keeper of the Medicines was the guest speaker and the topic was 'the four stages of life.' The event was held in the healing room at the OCF complete with fire and tobacco for people to put on it to honour not only the teaching, but also the fire.

Mr. Eshkawkogan began his talk by saying the topic was about life itself, the four hills of life and how we came to be who we are.

"The first stage was very enjoyable," Mr. Eshkawkogan said, "the first contact of our parents. We have so much joy in our mother's womb. In the early days, a woman who was carrying was treated very well and she was very active. And our first contact was at nine months and the most important thing was love."

"The first six months," Mr. Eshkawkogan went on to say, "is reaction to noise. The parents keep the children to themselves. That stage is very important and can be difficult for some children. And the first two years are very important for the family to be close to the child. The first two years are about learning and showing the child how much they are loved and we have to understand our



OCF Elder in Residence Josh Eshkawkogan, pictured with Marissa McGraw Hall, discusses the Anishinaabe four stages of life.

responsibilities. There are a lot of single moms and fathers so the constraints are already there. The child has to have a sense of identity." To this end, there is a naming ceremony for children and the name is based on what was happening the day they were born. Perhaps it rained or the elder doing the naming was near a lake or river and such. Many times the young boys would receive names of animals and plants. The naming ceremony also makes sure that the Great Spirit will recognize the person when they pass on. It is very important that the child understands the purpose of this rite."

This stage of life means there is a lot of care needed. "This is where the uncles and aunties come in," Mr. Eshkawkogan explained. "To connect with the child with respect. It is very important for the extended family to give that respect to the child. It is all about

photo by Betty Bardswich teachings so the child understands. It is very important at this first hill to tell children they are loved."

Mr. Eshkawkogan then moved on to stage two in a person's life, saying that there are challenges to what is in front of the children. "They are moving into a different type of school and we have to be very cautious about the environment the child is entering," he noted. "There is alcohol and drug abuse at this stage. Things have drastically changed. We have to be like a deer, always looking and knowing what is going on around them. There are more people falling down at this second hill. We have to teach our young men and women about responsibility. We have to go back in our teachings about respect and honour. Young women have to have respect for themselves. We need more dialogue. Kids need to understand that they have people

they can talk to. We have a lot of confused kids. Sixteen-year-old fathers and fourteen-year-old pregnant girls. You have to be very conscious of what is going on in those children's mind."

The third hill or stage in life is adulthood and Mr. Eshkawkogan started by saying that there is too much free will at this point and people don't know what is right or wrong. This part of life, from age 18 to 45 is the most difficult as there are so many temptations and disconnections. "It is very important to know how to meet the challenges. For example, the Missing and Murdered Women. There is some reason why they left home, why they left the community. And at age 25 there are still some people living with their parents, there are drugs and alcohol and a lack of motivation. Things are changing so fast we have to know how to adapt. There are young people today who don't know where they are going. Some adults may take a longer time than others to figure out what they want to do and will try different careers. It is very important for those in adulthood to gather all they can about life. What is life? What is it all about?"

The fourth hill is not as steep as the first hill. This is a time for a person to learn about his culture and if a teaching doesn't work for you to pass on it. Mr. Eshkawkogan then asked

the question, "how do you become an elder? I only perceive myself as a teacher. It is how they perceive me in what I do. For a person in hardship, it is good to know that there is someone to go to for advice, for help. I always make sure that someone is there to help them. And the Truth and Reconciliation Commission. We don't even know what we should be called? Anishinabek? First Nation? Indigenous? How do we move forward? Colonialism and dictatorship. We have to look beyond that. We need to have an open mind. We can talk about reconcili-

ation but we have to move forward. With the prayer, 'Help me to let go of those things I don't need.' And don't wait to be asked to do something. Just do it."

Mr. Eshkawkogan is one of many speakers at the OCF every Tuesday. Upcoming events, starting October 3 include women's bundle teachings, a Sisters in Spirit gathering and men's bundle teachings. Workshops at the OCF include beaded Pride rings, leather roses, introduction to clay, mosaic making, quill wrapping and gauntlet making.

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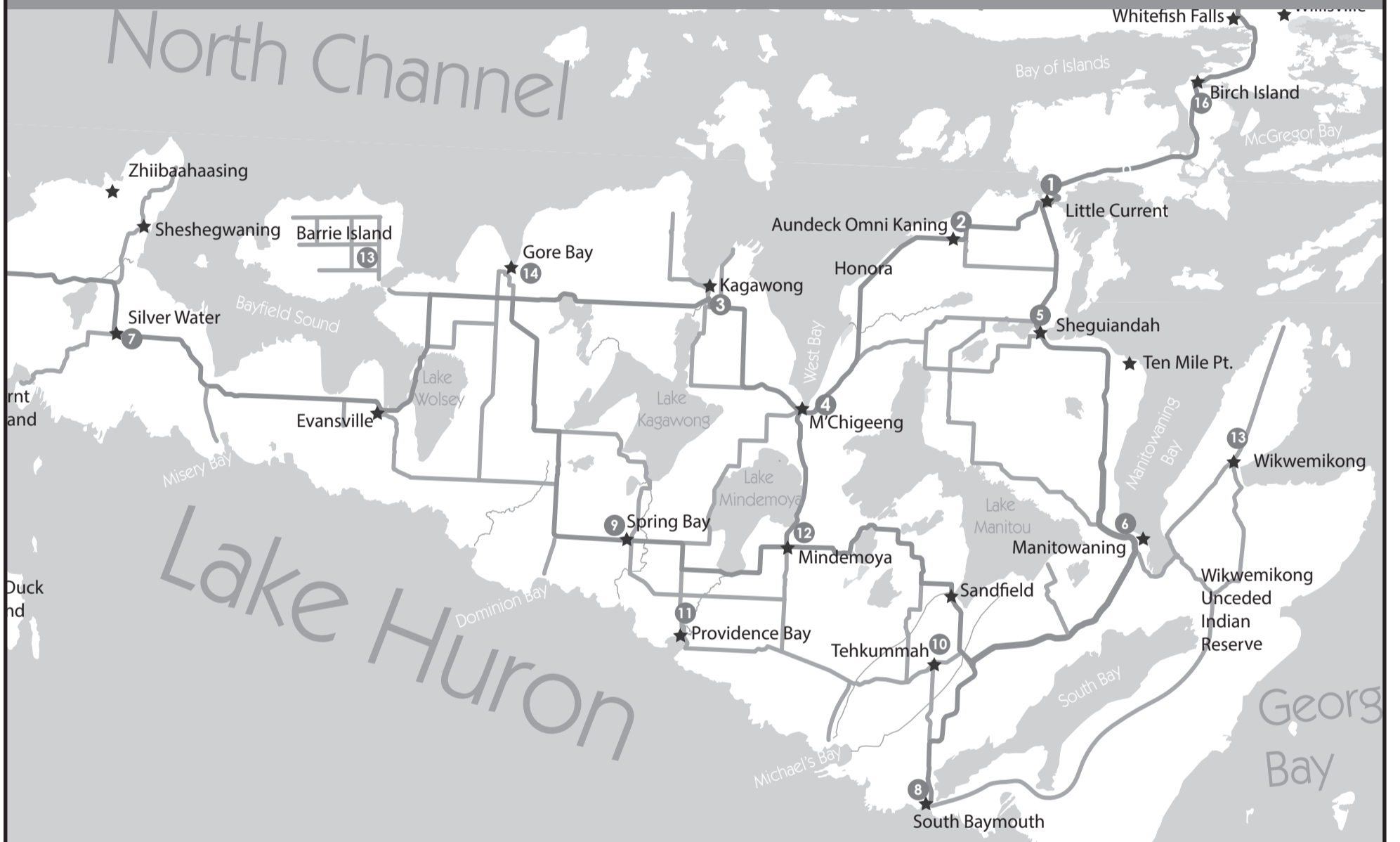
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Debajehmujig 6 Foot Festival pays homage to the ‘Four Kingdoms’

by Robin Burrige
 MANITOWANING—Debajehmujig Storytellers’ 6 Foot Festival was held over Thanksgiving weekend and boasted a wonderful collection of work exploring the theme of the Four Kingdoms: mineral, plant, animal and human.

The festival started last Thursday night with a screening of the document-

ly made of materials from the Kingdoms, while also containing pieces from all Kingdoms in a visual context.

the plant kingdom; a sculpture of hands made of clay from the Debaj garden incorporates the mineral element; while the human element is those who interact with the piece. Ms. Brennan has stations (hide and blood, natural pigments and bark, and clay) set up along the perimeter inviting others to add to the piece.

ly made of materials from the Kingdoms, while also containing pieces from all Kingdoms in a visual context.

“I am hoping that others will help build the piece throughout the festival,” said Ms. Brennan as she set up the exhibit last Thursday.



Kady Peltier with her 6 Foot Festival installation a “tranquil space,” with leaves cascading from the ceiling.

ary ‘Seed: The Untold Story,’ part of the Taggart Sigel trilogy of food documentaries, with a discussion following.

ferent elements,” explained Ms. Jackson, who is from Toronto. “It is a sensory experience of people’s interactions with the kingdoms. I recorded basic shots of the bays as well as sunrises and underwater.”

munity members. In the evening there was a community jam session and potluck.

Contained in three walls, one wall is created from a tanned hide and painted with blood, representing the animal kingdom; another wall is a large piece of bark painted with hoof and animal prints representing

Garrett Corbiere of Wiikwemkoong chose to work with acrylic on canvas for this contribution to the festival.

“I have been exploring ...continued on page 16

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...continued from page 15 acting, improv, beading and painting during my internship with Debaj," Mr. Corbiere told The Expositor. "It has been a great experience. For this project, I wanted to paint and I represented each of the Four Kingdoms with separate paintings and then did a final piece incorporating them all."

"When all Four Kingdoms reside with each other, it gives us the beauty we

see every day," he noted. "The Four Kingdoms is creation, and us as humans, one of our greatest gifts is to enjoy creation."

Sheila Trudeau, also from Wiikwemkoong, explored teachings she had learned from Debaj and the heritage of her family, going back generations, through a land-based interactive piece.

"I originally envisioned a painting," she shared. "The women (made of hay) rep-

resent my family going back generations and are connected through a cord representing an umbilical cord. What happened going back generations has a ripple effect and effected my grandfather (a carved statue of a woman made by Ms. Trudeau's grandfather) and today's generation."

At the centre of the connected statues is a house with a mat. Ms. Trudeau lifted the mat and used a broom to swept words laid on the ground under the mat, representing intergenerational traumas, which have been "swept under the

rug" by society. A bucket of water symbolically pours water onto the words under the mat, washing away negative elements in hopes of a positive change.

"The water represents positive aspects such as art, talking, sharing and forgiveness which will lead to healing and help us move forward," said Mr. Trudeau.

Kady Peltier attempted to create a "tranquil space" with her installation. Leaves cascade from the ceiling as a projection of the Four Kingdoms plays in the background and a small fountain brings forth the

sound of serenity.

"I wanted to create a calm space where people could relax and reflect on nature and the Four Kingdoms," said Ms. Peltier.

Dance Machine was set up throughout the festival with artist Lee Su-Feh encouraging the interactive exploration of the kinetic sculpture that can be transformed into multiple configurations by the actions and movements of the bodies within it. Created out of 64 pieces of bamboo suspended from a central copper disk, batteryopera.com notes the sculpture "can be

moved independently by artists and audience members to create an immersive experience."

"We invite people to explore and engage with the piece and each other," said Ms. Lee Su-Feh.

The 6 Foot Festival concluded last week, but there are always new and exciting projects at Debaj. For more information call Debajehmujig at 705-859-1820 or visit the Debaj website at debaj.ca.



Dance Machine encourages the interactive exploration of the kinetic sculpture.

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Samantha Brennan's piece represents each Kingdom and is exclusively made of materials from the Kingdoms, while also containing pieces in a visual context.



Garrett Corbiere of Wiikwemkoong with his acrylic on canvas pieces representing the Four Kingdoms.

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Fall Feast

Lakeview School, celebrated its annual Fall Feast Wednesday, October 4. The primary students applied and share their knowledge of Anishnaabemowin culture by opening the feast with a prayer and a drum song. The Fall Feast celebrates family and community with prepared food on site as well as potluck style. The Grade 8 students enhanced their knowledge and understanding of cultural norms for gatherings. Students are always ecstatic that their families come and share this special time with them at the school. It is a time to be thankful for what we have, who we are, and what we have to share with others.

photo by Gayle Payette



Hope shines through at Recovery Breakfast

"This year's Shkimaadizwin Recovery Breakfast was held at the 4 Directions Centre in Aundeck Omni Kaning First Nation," said organizer Rob Wabegijig. "The 8th Annual Shkimaadizwin Recovery Breakfast was well attended and provides an opportunity for the local community to share positive stories and spread the message that people recover, treatment works and stigma needs to be challenged." The organizing committee for this year's Shkimaadizwin Recovery Breakfast are, left, Rob Wabegijig, Noojowin Teg Health Centre; Ainslie Michaels, Manitoulin Family Resources; Angela Harper, Sudbury Community Service Centre; Brenda Robinson, Sudbury Community Service Centre; Joan Hoekstra, M'Chigeeng Ontario Works Addictions Services Initiative; Amy Assinewai, Wikwemikong Ontario Works Addictions Services Initiative; Martha McLeod, Ngwaagan Gamig Recovery Centre; and Mark Forsythe, Health Sciences North.

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On Sunday, October 22, the Pumpkin Fest will take place from 12 to 3 pm. Starting off with Stefano Presenza, a Sudbury magician, from 12-1 pm, again thanks to Cambrian Insurance. Face painting, pumpkin shooting, hay bale throwing, and kids' activities will run from 1-2:30 pm. All ages pumpkin-themed contests include Pumpkin Loaf Baking and Paper Mache Pumpkins; cash prizes will be awarded so be sure to submit your best entry.

In conjunction with Harvest Glory Days is a Best Decorated House and Best Decorated Business contest with six cash prizes up for grabs. Vendors will be on site selling their wares and Knox United Church will have lunch available to purchase. The day ends with the Pumpkin Catapult with \$500 up for grabs. There is no cost to get into the Pumpkin Festival.

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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 - 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

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rentals

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Legion Events

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Euchre every Wednesday night at 7:30 pm, \$4 entry.

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coming events

Calling all Quilters! The Island Quilters Guild invites you to their upcoming monthly meeting on Thursday, October 19 at 7 pm at the Mindemoya Community Centre. Our special guest Kelly Kline will be having a trunk show featuring "using your vintage linens in your quilting." Come out and see how to use your doilies, hankies, etc. in a new way. Everyone welcome! Members are free and non-members are \$5. Refreshments included. For more info call Vicki at 705-368-1826.

21-22c

Non-Traditional Mixed Media Art Classes: Starting October 18 Mira Jones will be teaching weekly classes on Wednesdays from 6 pm to 9 pm at the 4elements building in Kagawong. We will be exploring non-traditional landscapes, expressive figures or portraits, techniques such as felting, image transfer, fimo, surface texturing, resin, and more! Classes will help you learn what to do with all those bits and pieces that you are saving. Come make some art and learn new ways of seeing and using your art supplies. First class for \$15, after that classes are \$20. Educators receive 20% off or donate supplies to receive a percentage off. To register or for more info call 704-282-0444 or email mira@4elementslivin-garts.org.

21c

Down Yonder and Friends Country Music Show, October 14 at Tehkummah Hall beginning at 7:30 pm. \$12 per person. Bring your dancing shoes.

21p

A Public Square Rosary Crusade will be held on Saturday, October 14 at 12 noon. Location, Cenotaph Park in Little Current. Let us pray together, asking God's help to stop the secularist advance throughout the world. A prayer program will be provided. Please contact Jackie at 705-368-2963 for more information.

21p

Hello Ladies. RSVP, Stonecroft Prime Time Manitoulin Island's Brunch is on Monday, October 16 at Abby's Restaurant, 645 Crosshill Road in M'Chigeeng. 11:30 am, speaker, Chris Yanke, theme: Silent Harvest Auction, only \$14 all inclusive. For reservations please call Shaon at 705-377-5286.

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coming events

Knitting for Charity, Thursday, October 19 from 9 am to 1 pm at St. Francis Anglican Church, Mindemoya. Everyone is welcome to a come-and-go morning of knitting comfort blankets for chemo patients. Yarn and needles, a simple pattern, snacks and coffee, all provided. Bring 6 mm needles if you have them. More information call 705-210-0409.

20-22p

There will be a Bible Study at the Tehkummah Library every Wednesday at 2 pm starting October 11 and running for eight weeks. This is hosted by the United Church. All are welcome.

20-21p

Anishnaabe World: The "Truth and Reconciliation" report made several recommendations, but how can local churches and communities and local First Nations people come to greater understanding? All are invited to come together to dialogue. We may use the book "Anishnaabe World" as one of the resources. We shall start Tuesday, October 17 at 2 pm at Knox United Church, Manitowaning.

20-21p

Fall Fashion Show featuring clothing from Cindy's Fashions at Trinity United Church (formerly Mindemoya United Church) on Saturday, October 21 beginning at 1 pm, serving dessert and beverage. Tickets are \$8 and available at Cindy's Fashion, 705-377-4551 or call Leila, 705-377-4897.

21-22p

Roast Beef Dinner, Saturday, October 14, 5 pm to 6:30 pm at the Burpee Mills Complex. Advance tickets available, \$14. Call Rick or Elaine at 705-283-1480, Karen at 705-283-1350 or Myra at 705-283-3929. Tickets at the door, \$15 each; children under 12, \$7. Serving roast beef, potatoes, gravy, vegetables, homemade rolls, salad and dessert. Proceeds to Dawson Citizens Improvement Association new fuel system at the Marina.

21p

Euchre tournament and luncheon at the Burpee Mills Complex, Saturday, October 21. Lunch from 11:30 am to 1 pm, \$10 each. Soup, sandwiches, dessert and beverages. Tournament starts at 1:30 pm, \$7 each, \$100 top prize. For more information call Karen at 705-283-1350 or Myra at 705-283-3929. Proceeds to Dawson Citizens Improvement Association new fuel system at the Marina.

21-22p

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coming events

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20-21p

coming events

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The United Chiefs and Councils Of Mnídoo Mnising is Seeking a
OVERALL RESPONSIBLE OPERATOR

The United Chiefs and Councils of Mnídoo Mnising Tribal Council (UCCMM) was established in 1979 to support the First Nation communities of Mnídoo Mnising. The First Nation member communities are Aundeck Omni Kaning, M'Chigeeng, Sheguiandah, Sheshegwaning, Whitefish River and Zhiibaahaasing. Located in M'Chigeeng First Nation, UCCMM provides support and services ranging from Administrative, Finance, Justice, Technical, to Lands and Resources.

The prime responsibility of this position is a shared responsibility and oversight for the day-to-day operations of the UCCMM's Water and Wastewater Hub System and it's First Nation Treatment Facilities.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Provide oversight to First Nations existing operators, work with UCCMM's Level Two Operator and UCCMM staff to effectively provide support for all aspects of water and wastewater operations.

Ensure that all process control decisions with the facility are made with accordance with regulatory requirements, operational manuals or standard operating procedures with the aim to protect human health and the natural environment.

Ensure proper certification/licensing of facilities and operators are maintained to O Reg. 128

Oversee, coordinate and supervise daily activities of the water systems, distribution, sewer systems, at all UCCMM member communities within the First Nation's jurisdiction including efficient and effective use of staffing, equipment, and materials to ensure compliance with respective legislation, protocols and agreements, inclusive of the Protocol for Centralised and De-Centralised Water Systems in First Nations.

Develop and maintain Maintenance Management Systems, Standard Operating Procedures and Source Water Protection initiatives.

REQUIREMENTS

- Water Treatment Qualification – Level 3
- Water Distribution Qualification – Level 3
- Wastewater Treatment Qualification – Level 2
- Wastewater Collection Qualification – Level 2
- Confined Space Entry, WHMIS
- Valid "G" or other Driver's Licence Designation
- Three (3) years experience with a Membrane Treatment Facility
- Three (3) years experience with a Slow Sand Conventional Facility
- Three (3) years experience with a Facultative Lagoon Facility
- Knowledge and experience with SCADA computer system
- Knowledge of the Ojibwe culture, traditions and language
- Ability to work non-standard work hours
- Proficient in MS Office, data entry and reporting

HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates must submit all of the following documents 1) a cover letter addressing qualifications and skills, (2) a resume, (3) a copy of diploma(s), certificates and current operator's licenses (4) three current reference letters. Only applications with all the required documents will be considered for an interview. We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. All interview candidates must provide a current criminal reference check at time of the interview. The successful candidate must provide proof of vehicle, insurance and drivers abstract. Salary will commensurate with qualifications. Closing date for applications is **1 p.m. on Friday, October 27, 2017**

Mail To: Overall Responsible Operator (ORO) Application
United Chiefs and Councils of Mnídoo Mnising
P.O Box 275 M'Chigeeng, On, P0P 1G0
Attn: Hazel Recollet, Chief Executive Officer
Or Via Email To hrecollet@uccmm.ca



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The United Chiefs and Councils Of Mnídoo Mnising is Seeking a
LEVEL TWO (2) WATER & WASTEWATER HUB OPERATOR

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The prime responsibility of this position is to evaluate, perform, assist with operations and maintenance activities for the processes and facilities under the supervision of the Overall Responsible Operator (ORO) of UCCMM's Water and Wastewater Hub System and it's First Nation Treatment Facilities.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Adhere to policies, procedures, and instructions as related to all of First Nations Water Treatment Quality Management Policies, Protocol for Decentralised Water & Wastewater Systems in all communities and Personnel Policies.

Record and maintain records of operations and maintenance of processes, equipment and department facilities, purchases, treatment effectiveness, and monitoring.

Under the direction of the ORO, the Level 2 Operator will provide oversight, assistance and relief to existing First Nation Operators.

Ensure that all process control decisions with the facility are made with accordance with regulatory requirements, operational manuals or standard operating procedures with the aim to protect human health and the natural environment.

REQUIREMENTS

- Water Treatment Qualification – Level 2
- Water Distribution Qualification – Level 2
- Wastewater Treatment Qualification – Level 1
- Wastewater Collection Qualification – Level 1
- Confined Space Entry, WHMIS
- Valid "G" or other Driver's Licence Designation
- Three (3) years experience with a Membrane Treatment Facility
- Three (3) years experience with a Slow Sand Conventional Facility
- Three (3) years experience with a Facultative Lagoon Facility
- Knowledge and experience with SCADA computer system
- Knowledge of the Ojibwe culture, traditions and language
- Ability to work non-standard work hours
- Proficient in MS Office, data entry and reporting

HOW TO APPLY

Interested candidates must submit all of the following documents 1) a cover letter addressing qualifications and skills, (2) a resume, (3) a copy of diploma(s), certificates and current operators license's and (4) three current reference letters. Only applications with all the required documents will be considered for an interview. We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted. All interview candidates must provide a current criminal reference check at time of the interview. The successful candidate must provide proof of vehicle, insurance and drivers abstract. Salary will commensurate with qualifications. Closing date for applications is **1 p.m. on Friday, October 27, 2017**

Mail To: Level Two Water & Wastewater Hub Operator Application
United Chiefs and Councils of Mnídoo Mnising
P.O Box 275 M'Chigeeng, On, P0P 1G0
Attn: Hazel Recollet, Chief Executive Officer
Or Via Email To hrecollet@uccmm.ca



Sheguiandah First Nation CASUAL ON-CALL JOB POSTING Position: Bus Driver

JOB PURPOSE

We have an immediate opening for a Casual/Part-Time School Bus Driver with a valid B license to transport children to and from school in the mornings and afternoons. The successful candidate will have experience driving a bus as well as working with children, and we're looking forward to talking with anyone who has transported grade school-aged kids to school in the past. Our Bus Drivers are an essential part in our educational system, and we value their contributions.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- High school diploma or GED preferred
- B license required
- Experience driving a school bus (training provided for the right candidate)
- Clean driving record (drivers abstract must be provided)
- Successful candidate must provide clear Vulnerable Sector Check/CPIC.
- Ability to carry out assigned route on time
- Excellent communication skills
- 3+ years' working with children preferred

OTHER REQUIREMENTS:

- Verify permissions for children who ride home with friends
- Maintain a clean and mechanically-sound bus at all times
- Obey all traffic laws
- Perform inspections of the bus before and after each route
- Ensure safety of all students
- Maintain a safe and healthy environment
- Attend safety meetings

We thank all applicants for their interest but advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Please submit applications via mail or in person to:

Kevin Mishibinjima, O&M Manager
Sheguiandah First Nation
142 Ogemah Miikan
Site 1, RR #1, Comp. 101
Sheguiandah, Ontario POP 1W0

Or by FAX to: 705-368-3697
DEADLINE TO APPLY: October 18th, 2017 @ 12:00 P.M.
For inquiries, please contact at (705) 368-0366.

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Data Entry
Hours of work are Monday – Friday 1130am – 800pm

QUALIFICATIONS:

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- Basic math skills
- Work with little supervision
- Attention to detail
- Extreme need for accuracy and speed
- Good geographical knowledge
- Ability to work under pressure and with some time constraints

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Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services (KGCFs) EMPLOYMENT VACANCY – SUDBURY CULTURAL ENAADAAMAAGET Phase 2 – New Position, Full Time Regular Internal and External Posting

KGCFs is a designated Children's Aid Society delivering Child Protection Services within seven member First Nations in the Districts of Sudbury and Manitoulin. KGCFs honours and supports our families' and community's inherent authority to care for their children based on unity, traditions, values, beliefs and customs.

Position Overview

The Cultural Enaadaamaaget in collaborative cooperation with the Cultural Coordinator in the delivery of job functions to assist children, families, staff and community partners for the preservation and promotion of traditional practices within Member First Nations. Key is to strengthen the cultural identity for children, families, and staff and ensure children stay connected with their culture, language and community.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must possess a minimum of two year college diploma from an accredited college in a discipline related to Anishinaabe Studies.
- Minimum of three (3) years of experience in the delivery of services to Anishinaabe children and their families or a comparable social service program. However, a combination of skills, work experience and life learning experiences may be considered.
- Preference for an individual living a traditional lifestyle, and learning being a life-long journey in pursuing to further learn traditional Anishinaabe lifestyle.
- Must be proficient in Anishinaabemowin and be willing to continue to learn the Anishinaabemowin language.
- Active participation in the Anishinaabe community especially with building knowledge of the teachings from the medicine wheel will be of significant consideration.
- Prior work experience for placing of Indigenous practices, approaches and methods integral to the design of Social Work practices and principles and Anishinaabe based methods that will help families achieve a healthier lifestyle and safe well-being.
- An individual of Anishinaabe ancestry with understanding, practice and sharing of Anishinaabe history, clan system, protocols, etiquette, culture, traditions, ceremonies, principles and values is preferred, these qualities having resulted in maturity and good judgement.
- Excellent communication skills, written skills for completion of documents and reports, oral, facilitator and presentation.
- Working knowledge of computer equipment and programs, e.g. – Microsoft Office: Word, Outlook, Excel, Power Point and Frontline System / Penlieu.
- Must possess strong organization, evaluation and problem solving skills.
- Must possess a valid Ontario G Driver's Licence, own vehicle and be willing to travel and proof of vehicle insurance.
- Must provide a clear Police Vulnerable Sector Check, Criminal Record Check, and Driver's Abstract and sign an oath of confidentiality.
- Must be alcohol and drug free for a period of at least four years.

Work Environment

The traditional practices of the Anishinabek will expose staff to wood smoke and the burning of sacred medicines, including tobacco, sweet grass, sage or cedar, may occur within the work setting.

Deadline: Monday, October 16, 2017

To review the complete job description and qualifications, please visit our website at www.kgcf.org. KGCFs offers competitive wages, opportunities for training, along with excellent benefits and pension.

To become a team member please submit a cover letter, detailed resume and 2 work related references, along with 1 character reference to:

Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services (**Confidential**)
Attention: Human Resources
98 Pottawatomi Avenue, Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0
By Fax: 705-859-3629 (Main Office) or By Email: hr@kgcf.org

KGCFs services are based on a highly specialized approach to the delivery of child welfare in our area, preference will be given to Indigenous/Anishinabek candidates (please self-identify).

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Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services (KGCFs) FOSTER CARE RESOURCE WORKER Phase 2 - New Position, Full Time Regular Internal and External Posting

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Position Overview

The Foster Care Support Worker is responsible for delivery of the Foster Care Program. The position ensures that the program is implemented in a manner that ensures adherence to the Agency's policies and procedures; and, reflective of the traditions and customs of the member First Nation communities. The Worker as part of a team promotes, recruits, trains, supports and maintains a network complement of foster care homes within the Agency's member First Nation communities.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Education

- Preferred level of education is a Bachelor of Social Work Degree.
- Minimum is a Social Services Diploma or Native Child and Family Worker Diploma
- At least two (2) years direct experience in child welfare
- Management experience preferred

Knowledge & Skills

- Proven knowledge of First Nation communities' standards, the Child and Family Services Act and other relevant federal and provincial legislation.
- Knowledge and ability to interpret and apply a wide range of social work practices, principles and Anishinaabe based methods in respect to protection and placements of children at risk and understanding the principles and goals of families in crisis.
- Proven knowledge of theories of human behaviours and family systems and proven ability to apply social work theories in assessments, planning, action, measure and monitor to ensure competence and excellence of services provided.
- Thorough knowledge of the operation, management and evaluation of child welfare foster care and customary care.
- Must possess knowledge, respect and sensitivity to Anishinaabe culture and be committed to helping First Nation families strengthen and achieve a healthy level of well-being.
- Demonstrated and significant front-line experience in working with First Nation communities.
- Must possess strong organization, evaluation and problem-solving skills.
- Must be able to communicate effectively in writing and verbally.
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite, Frontline, CIMS and Penlieu.
- Must be able to work flexible hours.
- Must have a valid driver's license and possess own vehicle.
- Must be willing to authorize a "Criminal Record Search" and sign an "Oath of Confidentiality".
- Firm understanding of the functioning and dynamics of Anishinaabe families and child care principles;
- Able to speak Anishinabemowin is a definite asset; or, Must be the willingness to learn Anishinabemowin
- Must be willing to participate in the activities, events and circles for the acquisition of cultural competence.

Work Environment

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Deadline: Monday, October 16, 2017

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Attention: Human Resources
98 Pottawatomi Avenue, Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0
By Fax: 705-859-3629 (Main Office) or By Email: hr@kgcf.org

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY-SHAWANOSOWE SCHOOL
Requires - 1 Full Time-Educational Assistant
(EA)/ (DSW)/ (ECE)/ (CYW)
Required for October 23, 2017

Job Summary: Reporting to Shawanosowe School principal (or designate), this position will involve providing direct support, teaching and learning to high need students in all areas of exceptionality. The key role is to support the teacher working with individual groups of students. This position will also work alongside and under the guidance and direction of the Teacher, SERT and Principal. School placements will be determined by the Principal. These tasks may vary, from time to time, with the evolution of the school and may include but not be limited to the following;

Knowledge and Skills Requirements:

- Experience working with a variety of student exceptionalities including but not limited to: medically complex, autism, developmental disabilities, physical disabilities, the areas of personal care, physical care, behaviour management and instructional programming;
- Broad knowledge and training of a variety of support strategies including ABA (Applied Behavioural Analysis), Behavioural Management System, CPS (Collaborative Proactive Solutions) and Augmentative Communication, Crisis Prevention Intervention;
- Demonstrate ability to effectively support students in transitions and/or implement programming in consultation with classroom teacher, special education support team, and respective therapists i.e.: speech, sensory, occupational, physiotherapy;
- Responsible for one-on-one care and supervision with supports and direction from teacher/ SERT/Principal;

Qualifications:

- Developmental Service Worker Diploma, Early Childhood Diploma, Educational Assistant Certification, Child and Youth Worker Diploma and or other child related degrees or diplomas in the social services field.
- Two years experience as an Educational Assistant
- Valid First Aid/CPR Training
- Behavioural Management Intervention Training
- Crisis Prevention Intervention Training
- Physical abilities consistent with requirements of the job which may include personal and physical care;
- Knowledgeable in Behaviour Safety Plans and Individual Education Plans
- Recent and clear CPIC and Vulnerable Sector Screen Report

(Full Job Description available upon request) (Wage: Accordance with WRFN Education Assistant Salary Grid).

Please submit a detailed resume, cover letter, 3 current letters of reference (two with business cover letter) and copies of credentials (OCT, diplomas and/or degrees, certificates, etc.) to:

Shawanosowe School 705-285-1311 Telephone 1002
 Attention: Principal 705-285 -1314 Facsimile
 Box 208 Email: principal@shawanosowe.ca
 Birch Island, Ontario
 POP 1A0

Applications must be received by Friday October 13, 2017 at 4:00 pm



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Fax: 705-523-5427
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Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services (KGCFs)
Employment Opportunity
 Phase 2 – New Positions - 11 Positions
 Full Time, Regular - Sudbury
 Internal and External Posting

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Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services (KGCFs) is expanding and this is resulting in new positions open for our Sudbury Urban Office, also vacancies on Manitoulin Island. We invite you to submit your application that includes your resume detailing your education, work experience, cultural participation and volunteerism.

CHILD WELL-BEING WORKERS (CWBW)

The CWBW 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.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Must possess an accredited college diploma in a related field of study. Preference is a Bachelor of Social Work Honors Degree or one in a related field of study.
- 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. *Applicants with less than the required work experience may be considered on an under-fill basis.*
- Must possess knowledge, respect and sensitivity to Anishinaabe culture and be committed to helping First Nation families strengthen and achieve a healthy level of well-being.
- Experience in an Aboriginal social service agency is an asset.
- Ability to speak Anishnaabemowin is a definite asset.

Work Environment

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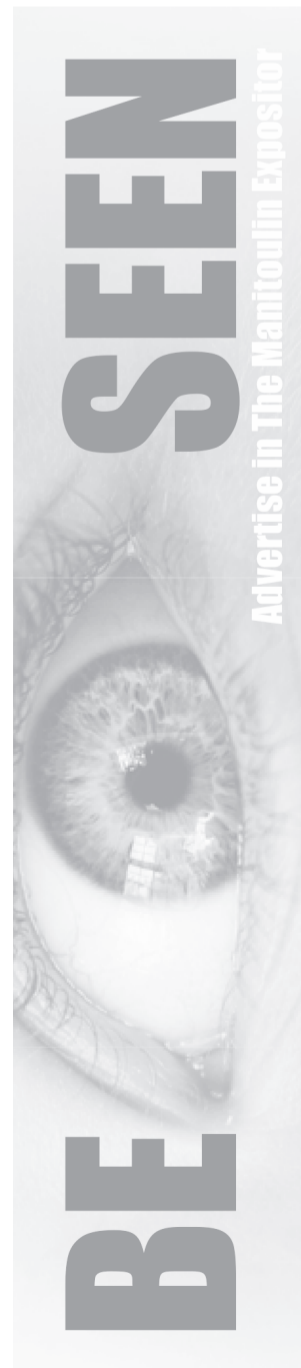
THE POSTING WILL REMAIN OPEN UNTIL ALL NEW P2 POSITIONS ARE FILLED

Please visit our website at www.kgcf.org/employment to review the full job description. KGCFs offers competitive wages, a generous benefit package and pension plan.

Please submit a cover letter, resume and three reference letters (two employment related from recent employers) to:

Attention Human Resources
 Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services
 Main Office - 98 Pottawatomi Avenue,
 Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0
 By Fax: 705-859-2195 By Email: hr@kgcf.org

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LAW OFFICE CLOSING

Blaine Armstrong, LLB
 Barrister & Solicitor
 Island Business Centre
 9050A Highway 6, PO Box 478
 Little Current, Ontario POP 1K0
 Telephone: (705) 368-1460
 Fax: (705) 368-3011

As of December 15, 2017, I will be closing my Little Current office. All files and projects then remaining active will be concluded at my part time location and clients involved will be contacted directly. Any clients for whom original Wills or Corporate materials are being stored may arrange a time for pick up at the Little Current office or wait for direct contact and further information by letter.



The Manitoulin Genealogy Club with the Centennial Museum Advisory Committee would like to give a huge thank you to:
 Cold Water Fisheries (ice); Little Current Lions Club, Town of NEMI, and private individuals (cash prizes); Heidi & Tom Ferguson (tractor display); George Williamson & Tom Beamish (music), Demonstrators; Vendors; and Volunteers who made our 7th Annual Sheguiandah Fall Fair a success.

The MSS Mustangs have had plenty of opportunity to learn through their extracurricular experiences, whether by trying something new on a sports team, or considering post-secondary education.

The Manitoulin Mustangs hosted the first volleyball tournament of the NSSSA season. Three schools other than MSS were present: Espanola High School, Jeunesse Nord and W.C. Eaket.

The senior boys' team played well and won their matches against all three competing teams. The senior boys' team this year is James Scott, Connor Bellmore, Matt Redmond, Tait Wallace, Parker Dickinson, Alex Martin, Greg McGauley, Greg Doane, Bryce Draper, Zack Kategiannis, Brandon Boyle and Chris Haner. The boys are coached by Mr. Kategiannis and the team manager is Sydney Koehler. The junior boys also played well, only losing one match to Espanola. The junior boys' team is Rory Dearing, Lukas Abotossaway, Joe Graham, Tyler Leeson, Nathan Temple, Shannon Debassige, Ben Marshall, Michael Madahbee, Austin Purvis and Boston Thibeault. The junior boys' coach is Mr. Gurney. Both teams will be travelling to Espanola on Wednesday, October 11 for their next league tournament.




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Mr. Gurney was very proud of his team, especially Grade 9 Rory Dearing. "Rory really didn't want to serve during this tournament, but I was glad I made him. Rory served 21 points in a row, breaking the school record."

The junior girls' basketball team had their first game of the season on October 3 in Espanola. The girls lost but still happy with this first effort. This year the girls' basketball team is Amber Wiwchar, Madison Swihart, Abby Smith, Paige VanderWeerden, Avery Sheppard, Emma Chokomoolin, Ayriell Nodecker, Skye Settingington, Ella Stewart, Bailey Yaschuk-Middaugh, Darci Debassige, Willow Corbiere and Sienna McGraw.

The boys' and girls' hockey teams have tryouts underway. The girls' team is being coached by Ms. Addison and Mrs. Wesno. The boys' team is being headed by Mr. Doane and Mr. Smith.

Several Grade 12 students travelled to Espanola for the University Information Program on October 2. MSS will

have a bus going to the College Students' Information Program on October 11 in Espanola. These are both opportunities for students to learn more about post-secondary options.

SHARE/Go Green is doing a winter clothing drive in partnership with Three Fires Confederacy. They will be collecting hats, coats, mittens, scarves, and blankets. SHARE/Go Green is also participating in Waste Reduction Week. From October 16-20, there will be an event each day at MSS to advertise waste reduction: Monday, October 16 MSS will be encouraged to wear blue to show support; Tuesday, October 17 will be the launch of the clothing drive; Wednesday, October 18 will be a classroom waste audit, to monitor how much waste MSS creates; Thursday, October 19 staff and students will be encouraged not to use plastic bottles; and Friday, October 20 will be food waste reduction. Waste Reduction week will be a way for Mustangs to help the environment through simple actions.

There are more ways to learn than just in the classroom. The Mustangs showed their best and keep doing so through sports and changing the world. 'Til next time, stay golden, Mustangs.

in memoriam

LANKTREE--In loving memory of Doug Lanktree, October 5, 2008. We miss you so in many ways, Quietly remembered everyday. No longer in our life to share, Within our hearts you're always there. Love, Shirley, Rob, Sheley, Andrew, Ryan, Scott, and Robyn

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LANKTREE--In memory of Joanne Lanktree, October 13, 2006.

I think you'd be surprised (and a fair bit pleased) To know just how often your name comes up in conversation. As your family, we hear about...

How, while working at the BMO, you helped young couples purchase their first home;

How generous you were when it came to volunteering your time;

And how sometimes a bonspiel wouldn't end until Monday rolled around.

As your family, we already knew...

How much you loved people, the slots, liver and onions and Falcon's Crest; How much you disliked gossip, negative people and disorganization;

And most importantly, just how proud you were of your children and your grandchildren.

Love you and miss you. XOXO.

Lew, Sherry, Dale, Susan and families

P.S. You're a great-grandmother now!

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BAILEY--In loving memory of a loving husband and devoted dad, Glendon Grant Bailey, March 15, 1939 - October 8, 2005.

We do not need a special day

To bring you to our mind.

A day we do not think of you

Is very hard to find.

They say time heals all sorrow

And helps us to forget.

But time so far has only shown

How much we miss you yet.

If love could build a stairway,

And heartaches make a lane.

We would walk up to heaven

And bring you home again.

Forever loved and missed, Betty Jean and Valerie

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Death Notices

NEIL FERGUSON



Neil Ferguson of Huntsville and formerly of Sudbury passed peacefully at Huntsville District Memorial Hospital on Tuesday October 3, 2017. Neil Ferguson, husband of the late Eileen, was in his 89th year. Dear father of Patricia Brown (Ray), Lynda Ferguson (Linda) and Don Ferguson (Jane).

Proud grandfather of 8 grandchildren and great-grandfather of 11 great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild. Neil is survived by his siblings Marion Krohn, Jack Ferguson, predeceased by brother Glen and will be fondly remembered by all of his family and friends. Private family arrangements have been entrusted to the Opatovsky Funeral Home-Dempster Chapel, 210 Ontario Street in Burk's Falls, Ontario. If desired, memorial donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be sincerely appreciated by the family. Online condolences may be made at www.opatovskyfuneral-home.com

LORRAINE LEONA ROSE PITAWANAKWAT

December 30, 1945 - September 30, 2017



Lorraine Leona Rose Pitawanakwat, a resident of Sheshegwaning, died peacefully at Health Sciences North, on Saturday, September 30, 2017 at the age of 71. Born to Irene and Remijus "Remi" Pitawanakwat, loving mother of Yvette, Nicholas Jr. (predeceased), Ashley (predeceased), Michael and Darcy.

Dear sister of Gail Panamick, Deborah Pitawanakwat, Gary Pitawanakwat (predeceased) and Dorothy Pitawanakwat (predeceased). Devoted grandmother of Jordan, Christiana, Anthony, Annabele, Rhianna, Xavier and great-grandmother of Jaiden and Jayce Pitawanakwat. Godmother of Kimberly. Will always be remembered by many nieces, nephews and friends. Lorraine was an awesome baker, she loved to cook, loved her car and really enjoyed traveling. Family and friends gathered at Sheshegwaning Community Complex for visitation from 1 pm on Wednesday, October 4, 2017. Funeral Mass was held at 11 am on Friday, October 6, 2017. Cremation. Record your thoughts, memories and photos at www.islandfuneralhome.ca.

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

Obituaries can be viewed online at:
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This large 1800+ family home is located on a private dead end road within the town limits of Gore Bay. Great income possibility with a potential second entrance to a full basement. Large heated garage & electric sauna highlight this 3+2 bedroom home!
MLS# 2050026 \$219000



2 million dollar view from this 2+1 bungalow with attached 3 car garage. This open concept kitchen/dining/living area provides the perfect place to watch the sun rise and set over the North Channel and LaCloche Mountains.
MLS# 1045541 \$369,900



Live in the heart of Mindemoya in this 3 bedroom bungalow with attached garage. Perfect for the first time home buyer or the retiree looking to downsize. MLS# 1044877 \$139,000



Century Home located on 7 acres of waterfront property in Sheguiandah. This 3 bedroom home has been almost completely maintained in its original form with hardwood floors, doors and railings.
MLS# 1044937 \$389,000



JUST REDUCED!
Sheguiandah - This 4 bedroom 2-storey home is located across from the Sheguiandah Old Mill. Includes 3 bay garage on a corner lot.
MLS# 1044000 \$124,900



Magnificent log home overlooking Lake Kagawong is a nature lover's dream. Hardwood bush surrounds this log home and double log garage and is highlighted by 200 feet of waterfront!
MLS# 1043143 \$499,900



Amazing view of the North Channel and LaCloche Mountains this 3 bedroom home is located on 3 acres in the community of Kagawong. Priced to sell at \$214,000. MLS# 1044555



Located on Perivale Road in Spring Bay, this is a must see! Overlooking Lake Kagawong with a beautifully manicured lot.
MLS# 1040955 \$319,000



This 2 bedroom cottage is tucked away on just over an acre of hardwood bush and over 200 feet of your own private beach in Elizabeth Bay on North Channel. Detached garage and sauna building highlight this property.
MLS# 1044935 \$389,900



Located on a corner lot in Manitowaning, this home has a bright spacious kitchen, large living room with fireplace and 3 bedrooms. The yard is completely landscaped with perennials, apple trees, and a large 1.5 garage.
MLS# 1044771 \$189,000



Spring Bay Area farm for sale. 148 acres includes pasture, workable land for crops and some bush. Property features a creek and pond at west end. Stable barn with hay loft and several out buildings
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Looking to own property on the largest fresh water Island in the world? Don't miss out on this 3+1 bedroom cottage overlooking South Bay. Open concept kitchen/living room provides a spectacular waterfront view.
MLS#1045286 \$179,500

Tehkummah Talk and Times

There seems to be quite a few monarch butterflies around this fall; I guess that's a positive.

Jeneen, recover soon, don't fall just because it's "FALL"! Thinking of you.

"Celebrities," the Tom Quackenbush family "Canadian Living Magazine" saw Tom and (Michael?) at the Township office on Monday. He says they're Facebook famous as well! Something about Toronto (I should have asked more questions!). Congratulations.

Susan and Chris won the last game, but Mum and I won the first two, oops! This is Tuesday evening, 10:30 pm; I'm in my bunk writing.

A check up today at Mindemoya with my N.P. Tara.

I was going to visit Kim, who spent a couple of days at the camp with "Dog Toulain," but met him so turned back to Tehkummah, a little visit in the yard before he headed home. I made homemade pizza earlier, Cal popped in for a bit of a visit before I went to Mum's.

I guess the meeting at the Hall today consisted of elec-

tions of officers for 2018.

Cribbage tournament: Wednesday, 7 tables; high hand, Bill Case, 24; first, Janet and Donna, 944; second, Cal and I, 938; third, Marg and Simon, 934; low, Bill and Ruth McGregor, 850; door, Rick G, Ruth McG, Marg Case.

A visit at Dorothy's front door, Cal, Dennis and I. Then we had a bite at Carol's and Earl's. Good to see Patti with her Mum, Loretta. Patti's here for a few weeks.

Sandfield euchre, four tables; today Wednesday, October 11, is the last one of the season; high, Betty Jean, 79; lone hands, me, 3; low, Irene James, 46; men's, Bill Case, 77; lone hands, Dave James, 4, and low, 46; door, Betty Jean; lunch, Laurene and Sharon.

Don't forget the Triangle Club birthday party the third Tuesday of each month at 1:30 pm.

I got a few calls looking for the Wiki Tribal Police, hope I don't ever have to deal with an emergency!

Sissy, I finally read "The Little Old Lady who broke all the rules," I couldn't put it down. If you older folk

ever need adventure, follow this little Old Lady (basically for folk in retirement homes, nursing homes), don't get ideas!

Seven tables (I think) at Bid Euchre: first, Janet, 258; second, Brad, ??? (forgot); third, Betty Jean, 221; fourth, Donna, 187; low, Josh, 22; 50/50, Judy P; draw, Pat Hall, me; lunch was good! Joan B and?

Jacob dug spuds, Skylar picked them up, I helped, I was the boss!

Card game with Mum, I won. She's been pretty tired, but so am I.

Hope your Thanksgiving was great. Mary O'Neil is back. She and Barry flew to Nova Scotia and took a three-year-old along.

I'm a most unusual person, as you all know, because I confess my sins and flaws in my column. This is a good day, and only a couple of days since new bedding went on my resting spot. I thought you might be interested in what is on the bed, besides the cat "Marble." Only three big pillows and a small one I made years ago (it has raised three cats on it), one pair of scissors, three pens, two Women's World magazines. (Besides reading, I'm almost done

the one crossword puzzle), one pair of glasses, clip-pings of jokes, cartoons, and nice sayings, book on abused animals from PETA, one Sudoku book, one fill it ins (chicken soup style), some flyers, cat treats, my clip-board with poetry and news for my column, a box of Kleenex and a tube of Avon achesy foot rub. Oh, I forgot ME! I forgot the book I am reading too, called "Take Four."



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Providence Bay News and Notes

The Bray construction company has been building the new bridge across the Mindemoya River and has been putting in long hours and working weekends to try and finish. The work is really proceeding and we look forward to its completion. We are still using the single lane Bailey bridge that is controlled by the first stop light in Providence Bay. We're thankful that it will soon be a thing of the past.

The Providence Bay/Spring Bay Lions Club recently hosted a dinner for dignitaries from the provincial level of the Lions Club. They served a wonderful rib dinner while welcoming them to see what the local club has been doing. Dennis McFarlane was inducted as a new member that evening. They are a wonderful service club that does a lot of fundraising that benefits our community. They are always looking for new members. They meet the first and third Sunday of each month at the Providence Bay Curling Club.

Ray Smith of London has been home visiting all week. Great to see you, Ray.

We have some very wonderful volunteers in our community. After the theft of the turkey decoy, some flowers and pumpkins from one of the displays for the Harvest Glory Days contest, they've erected some scarecrows in their place. A priest and a nun have been put up with a sign stating "Thou Shalt Not Steal." Thank you so much for the humour in place of an unsettling act against our community.

Kathy Warner (nee Simpson) from Windsor is home for the Thanksgiving weekend. Her brother Dave Simpson of California is also home. Parents Eddy and Betty must be so happy having the both of them here.

Toots McDermid is turning 90. They are having a celebratory birthday party for her at the Providence Bay Curling Club on Saturday, October 14 from 1-3 pm. Drop by, she'd love to see you.

Now that we are getting temperatures closer to average, it's beginning to feel a bit more like fall. The leaves are all starting to change colour and are looking spectacular. The reds are brilliant. The oranges appear to be on fire. The yellow leaves are blending them all together with some of the remaining green to complete a vivid tapestry of fall. It's such a wonderful time of year.

Now that Thanksgiving has come and gone it's important to remember that we don't have to wait for this annual event to give thanks. Practicing gratitude on a daily basis can greatly improve your quality of life. Try finding three things each day that you are thankful for and contemplate them as you drift off to sleep.

The Huron Island Time ice cream shop has now closed for the season. Everyone really enjoyed the outdoor music concert series this year and look forward to next year's series.

If you have something that you would like to contribute to the Providence Bay News and Notes, please let us know. We know the amazing people and things that happen in our community but let's allow everyone to know. If there is an upcoming birthday, anniversary, fundraiser or celebration, please let us know. You can email Cheryl at prov_chick@hotmail.com or call her at 705-862-1613. Submissions must be received by each Sunday at 3 pm for submission in the following Wednesday publication of the paper. We look forward to hearing from you.

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INCOME PROPERTY IN LITTLE CURRENT!! - Located at 23 Vankoughnet Street East, this property is within walking distance of all the amenities in Little Current including hospital, shopping and swim beach. The single floor building consists of a 705 sq. ft. commercial store front attached to it is a 610 sq. ft. 1 bedroom apartment and a 960 sq. ft. 3 bedroom apartment. This property has tons of potential!!! Listed at only \$199,000. MLS#1044554



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LAKE MINDEMOYA ESTATE SALE!! - Belonging to the late Dr. Tipper, a well-known veterinarian who was respected by all in the community! Beautiful spacious brick home just 2 mins from downtown Mindemoya & walking distance to the hospital. The almost 4 acres of land offers great privacy & the land is gently sloped giving an elevated sunset view over the lake. The lakefront just a few metres across the highway has 274 ft of nice sand bottom for swimming & a dock for your fishing boat. The lake has plenty of walleye, perch, bass & whitefish. Asking \$399,000 & open for offers! MLS#1043927



BACK OF THE MOON!! - On the North Channel, near the beautiful village of Kagawong, is a serene & peaceful 4 season waterfront cottage or year round home for sale. This lovely property is located on 10.3 acres of land with a 576' shoreline. Completely furnished 2 bdrm cottage all cedar interior with 2 baths; an open concept kitchen-living room with a beautiful stone fireplace. This 10 acre property also features a garage with completely furnished sleeping quarters for 8-10 with a 2 piece bath & sliding glass doors leading to a balcony overlooking Lake Huron. There is also a sauna, storage shed, back-up generator & a dock. A MUST SEE!! Reduced to \$359,000. MLS#1043806

EXTREMELY HIGH QUALITY 3 BDRM HOME WITH NICE VIEW OVER LAKE MINDEMOYA!!

This beautiful home with its hardwood floors & vaulted ceilings comes with a magnificent kitchen with cherry stained maple cabinets, 3 baths including the en-suite in the huge 600 sq ft master bdrm found at the top of a spectacular oak stair case. The manicured lot comes adorned with a variety of mature trees which nicely outline the property, amazing concrete driveway & huge sidewalks leading to 2 large decks of which one is a covered verandah. Also on the lot is a 10 X 12 storage shed & a heated completely finished & insulated double size garage. Asking \$370,000. MLS#1037157



MINDEMOYA BUILDING LOT!! - Uniquely located in the centre of Treasure Trails Subdivision that is currently undeveloped; this very large, private, flat, cleared corner lot is approximately 160 ft X 155 ft and has no neighbours across the street neither East nor North. The neighbours to the South and West are hidden by rows of 20 ft high closely spaced cedar trees. The golf course is a short walk or cart ride away as is the public boat dock and sand beach. The amenities such as hospital and shopping is a 5 minute drive into town. Fishing in Lake Mindemoya is very good for walleye, bass, perch, pike and whitefish. Asking \$23,000. MLS#1041711

PRIME LAKE MANITOU BUILDING LOT!! - Over 2 & a half acres, fully treed & gently sloping with over 160 ft of shoreline. Located on Maple Lane only 20 mins from the amenities that the town of Mindemoya has to offer such as; shopping, golfing & hospitals for both animals & humans. No more lots can be created on spectacular Lake Manitou (the largest lake on an island in the world) so once the current lots are built on there will be no more available. Lake Manitou is fantastic fishing for speckle trout, lake trout, walleye, bass, pike, perch, whitefish & ling. Asking \$165,000. MLS#1044178

BUILDING LOT IN CENTRAL MANITOULIN ON MUNICIPAL MAINTAINED ROAD WITH HYDRO AVAILABLE!! - Located in the heart of the island this large level 1.5 acre corner lot comes with 2 driveways both with 20 ft metal culverts and gravel in place. The lot has plenty of soil for a full basement, it also comes with an 8X12 shed. The property comes with a great water view over beautiful Lake Mindemoya & there is access to the lake across the street. Amenities such as hospitals (people & pets) and shopping are just minutes away. Asking \$20,000. MLS#1042214

READY TO BUILD LOT IN SUNSITE ESTATES!! - Lot has septic, hydro, a large circular driveway & \$5200 water levy has been paid in full. Culvert for drainage is in place & property has been landscaped with trees, herb gardens & flowers. Backing onto park area & only steps to the water. A must see to appreciate the beauty of this lot. Asking \$35,000. MLS#1039591

VACANT LOT AT HWY 542 - south end of Lake Mindemoya, year round road access, close to Mindemoya and Golf course. Asking \$39,000. MLS#1043194

200 ACRES OF PRIME DEER HUNTING - In An Area Of Manitoulin That Is Well Known For Its Large Deer Population !! Located close to the town of Kagawong this remote property offers plenty of privacy, atv trails and some tree stands. Also on the property are many acres of fully mature cedar and many acres of hardwood as well. Large marshy ponds connected by a creek also traverses the property and is full of minnows, ducks and geese providing great waterfowl hunting. The property is currently under a Forest Management Plan which is self-directed and allows for a 75% property tax cut. Current access to this spectacular remote property is by ATV. Asking \$200,000. MLS#1045297

7.7 ACRES - with 300 ft of Lake Huron Shoreline on the South Shore of Manitoulin only 20 minutes from Mindemoya. This south-facing endless sea of beauty features a nice flat lot with a rocky shoreline and good fishing for 4 types of salmon and 3 types of trout. This off grid lot has plenty of deer that traverse it and the close by town features such amenities as the island's largest grocery store, a hospital and a golf course. Asking \$60,000. MLS#1045397



4.3 ACRES - with 287 ft of Lake Huron Shoreline on the South Shore of Manitoulin only 20 minutes from Mindemoya. This southwest facing endless sea of beauty features a nice level lot with a rocky shoreline and good fishing for 4 types of salmon and 3 species of trout. Many deer traverse this property and the close by town features such amenities as shopping, a hospital, restaurants and a golf course. Asking \$50,000. MLS#1045396



PRIVATE, SECLUDED & OFF GRID WATERFRONT BUILDING LOT!! - Located on South Shore of Manitoulin Island this 5.47 acre lot comes with 300 ft of water frontage, a cedar/evergreen forest teeming with wildlife and plenty of private shoreline to enjoy a fantastic view or great for swimming and fishing. Deer are also plentiful & the property is accessible by a seasonal road over an open concession allowance. Reduced to \$60,000, try an offer! MLS#1031144



LARGE WATERFRONT ACREAGE!! - Approx. 133 acres of mixed forest with some small meadows & about a half mile of shoreline along the Mississagi Strait of Lake Huron located at the west end of Manitoulin close to the town of Meldrum Bay. The property is accessible by truck. Asking \$189,000. MLS#1020069



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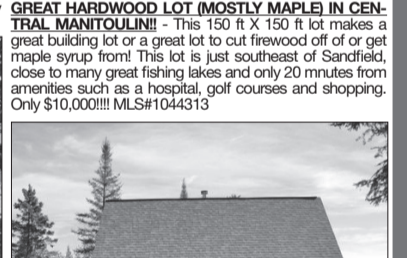
ESTATE SALE!! - 3 Bdrm Beauty In South West End of Sudbury!!! Located on a quiet street with easy quick access to the amenities of Sudbury & very quick access to the out of town freeways. This older home has upgrades such as windows, flooring & roof. This large 109 ft X 102 ft landscaped lot comes adorned with this great bungalow (most furnishings included), a double wide interlocking brick driveway, a backyard garden & a slightly detached double car garage with a workshop & a basement with a walkout as well as access to the basement of the house via an underground tunnel. Asking \$319,000. MLS#1042895



SITTIN' ON THE DOCK ON THE BAY!! - This really cool house of character is located at the mouth of the Mindemoya River in the historic town of Providence Bay. This bay is famous for its sand beach as well as the rainbow trout that run up the river in the spring & the salmon that do the same in the fall. This amazing quality finished home has six different levels to it, a very unique architect designed home with spectacular views over the boardwalk & endless sea of blue called Lake Huron. The large double lot that this magnificent house sits on comes adorned with a beautiful perennial garden & deer protected vegetable beds. Only \$350,000!! MLS#1041839



6 YR OLD 2 BDRM COTTAGE ON LEASED LAND!! - Located at the North end of Lake Mindemoya, this modern looking camp comes adorned with a vaulted ceiling in the open concept kitchen/living room, indoor flush toilet with septic system, water drawn from the lake, a huge L-shaped deck, several outbuildings & a very large beautifully landscaped lot. The waterfront (a short walk from the cottage) consists of a kid friendly, sand bottom great for swimming. The lake features great fishing for walleye, perch, bass, pike & whitefish. The amenities of the town of Mindemoya only 10 mins away. Asking \$65,000. MLS#1044952



11 1/2 ACRE WATERFRONT PROPERTY - 1000ft shoreline & 500ft deep, heavily treed lot, with ATV trail to lake, 1000 sq. ft. Chalet style semi-finished summer home with 2 patio doors to decks facing lake, very secluded & private. Great for hunting, fishing or just plain relaxing. Reduced to \$230,000. MLS#1032037



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2 BDRM RETIREMENT HOME IN ELK LAKE!! - This 1000 sq. ft. bungalow is quality finished including hardwood flooring & has an open concept kitchen/livingroom. The large lot fronts on 2 streets & with a driveway from each. Several sheds & a single car garage adorn the property. Elk Lake is a small community of about 200 homes located along the Montreal River which has good pike & walleye fishing, & is about 1/2 hour from the larger towns of Waukegan & Englehart which have amenities such as hospital & plenty of shopping. A spectacular buy at only \$139,000! MLS#1040713



VISTA WITH A WOW!! - This one acre property is located on a site that has one of Ontario's prettiest cliff views. This nicely manicured acre of property comes with a magnificent 4 bdrm executive-style manufactured log home accented with a centerpiece stone fireplace, granite counter tops with matching table, in-floor heating, highest of quality built-in appliances, great flooring & a 5 piece ensuite with a Jacuzzi & a large steambath/shower. The double garage comes with an attached ATV garage & an exercise room with a bathroom & sauna & the floors in this building are also heated. A steal of a deal at \$799,000! MLS#1038069



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



3 BDRM LAKE KAGAWONG TURNKEY COTTAGE!! - Located in the center of Manitoulin Island this quality finished cottage is on a year round road in Oriole Park Subdivision. The lot is quite private with a nice deck, it has 2 useful storage sheds & some lovely gardens. This beautiful 960 sq. ft. cottage with its marvelous hardwood floors comes fully furnished including dishes & also has a great dockage including boat lift. The amenities of Gore Bay & Mindemoya are both 20 mins away in opposite directions & include such things as a live theater, restaurants, hospital & golf courses. The cottage is well insulated; it has been used in the winter & has both wood & electric heat & could easily be converted into a year round home. The nicely landscaped lot slopes gently to the water which is fine for drinking, swimming & fishing. Asking \$295,000. MLS#1044176



LARGE MAJESTIC VERY PRIVATE LOT AT THE END OF A DEAD END STREET!! - A very short walk to the beautiful sand beach of Providence Bay. Only a 15 min drive to the amenities of Mindemoya including Manitoulin's largest grocery store, a hospital & the golf course. This nicely landscaped lot comes adorned with 2 large driveways, 2 sheds (one of which is a sea can shipping container), a great little bunkie, a spectacular fully insulated 30 X 30 ft heated garage with 12 ft ceiling, metal roof & a cement pad & a 2 bdrm bungalow with partially finished walkout basement, all newly renovated & upgraded plumbing (including new drilled well), wiring etc. Price to sell only \$189,000. MLS#1042981



SPRING BAY - 4 + 2 Bdrm, 1950 sq. ft. Raised Ranch Country Home Is In A Class By Itself!! This beautiful modern home comes with magnificent concrete floors both on the main floor & finished basement all with in-floor heating. The master bedroom comes with a nice en-suite & there is a total of 3 full baths in the house. A huge deck overlooking the large back yard & forest. The landscaped property is adorned with a double garage & big circular driveway; it is 2.35 acres in size & located in the center of Manitoulin Island along Hwy 542 about 2 km west of Spring Bay. \$300,000. MLS#1037910



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



2 BDRM COTTAGE ON LEASED LAND WITH BEAUTIFUL LANDSCAPED LOT!! - The gorgeous lot has a dug well, septic system & an outhouse with a flush toilet plus a full 3 piece bath in main cottage. Located in the Loydsville subdivision on Lake Mindemoya a 30 second walk to a beautiful kid friendly sand beach. The grocery store, hospital, golf course & other amenities are a short drive to the town of Mindemoya. Asking \$44,500. MLS#1043476



CUTE 700 SQ FT BUNGALOW IN MINDEMOYA!! - Located close to golf course & a short walk to public beach & boat launch on Lake Mindemoya, this little summer home comes with an open concept with a large living room, an eat in kitchen, a small bedroom, a large L-shaped deck & a couple of sheds in the back yard. This beauty comes with most furnishings & listed at \$100,000. MLS#1037207



AFFORDABLE COTTAGE ON LAKE MANITOU!! - Located along the Rockville Road close to Mindemoya this 3 bdrm cottage comes with nice hardwood flooring, a large deck, dock, steel roof & large storage shed. The landscaped lot is flat & supports several very large mature trees & the east facing view over the bay is gorgeous. The piers under the cottage need to be straightened up & levelled out. Book your showing today!!!! Asking \$159,000. MLS#1037571



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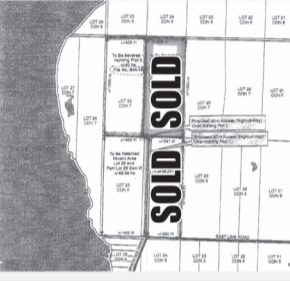
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Great North Channel Cottage

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HUNT CAMP ON 100 ACRES

Good access. Mature hardwoods. Tree stands in place and excellent access via Tower Road. Call for details. Asking \$163,900.



STARTER HOME IN LITTLE CURRENT

Perfect Starter Home in Little Current. Three bedroom bungalow on a quiet street. Large double detached garage. Perfect for your family or retirement! MLS 1039177 Asking \$129,999



COUNTRY HOME IN LITTLE CURRENT

This Little Current home is located on an oversized lot with a country feel. The property includes three bedrooms and a large garden. The home has been well maintained and recent updates have been made to the roof and septic system. MLS# 1042910



RARE LAKE MANITOU OFFERING

This first time offered listing is the full package. The property includes a brick home, a boathouse, two cottages and over 1100' of prime Manitou shoreline with sand and southern exposure. With your finishing touches, the options for this property are endless. Call for details! \$389,900 MLS# 1043224

VACANT LOTS AND ACREAGES

- NEW VACANT LOT** - Little Current Commercial Lot. Close to the swing bridge and Highway 6. Attractively priced. Asking \$15,000
- NEW VACANT LOT** - Gore Bay Residential Building lot. Corner lot in convenient location. Close to all amenities. Asking \$12,500
- BUILDING** - Country building lot with access to Lake Mindemoya. Build your dream home on this estate sized lot, located less than 15 minutes from all amenities. 3 to choose from. MLS 1020122
- HUNTING** - Mixed bush lot with a variety of hardwoods and cedar, as well as towering white pine. Centrally located in Billings Township. Good vehicle access via road allowance from Jerusalem Hill Road. MLS 1045422
- WATERFRONT** - This one acre waterfront lot is ready for your cottage or home. Located Minutes from the town of Little Current and all of the amenities that Manitoulin has to offer. Hydro available. MLS 1044022

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GORE BAY DOWNTOWN

Newer commercial building and business currently housing jewellery store on main level and three bedroom apartment on second floor. Well established business, electric heat, a solid opportunity to work and live in the same location.

\$185,000 MLS#1015566

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BRIDAL VEIL ESSO, KAGAWONG \$549,000

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

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LAKE MINDEMOYA, ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES

Built in 2001, Excellent waterfront opportunity located on the south west shore of Lake Mindemoya, one of Manitoulin's premier lakes. MLS#1040765

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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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LITTLE CURRENT BUNGALOW \$102,900

2 bedroom bungalow on a quiet street in east end of Little Current. House has been completely renovated and also has detached garden shed. This home is a short walk to the grocery stores, hospital, and downtown. Also very close to the waterfront boardwalk. No stairs! Perfect for retirees or starter home. Asking \$102,900. Contact listing agent MLS#1039015

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LAKE HURON COTTAGE \$155,000

Large cottage under construction, approx. 1400 Sq.ft., three bedroom, two washrooms, 1.5 storey in design completion required siding and windows on site. \$155,000 MLS#1042712

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TOBACCO LAKE HOME \$127,000

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

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100 ACRES CAMPBELL TWP \$89,000

Approx. 35 acres nice meadow, remainder mixed bush, year round road, hydro at road side, ATV trail around boundary of lot, small pond, 24 x 24 metal clad concrete pad shed or hunt camp, good deer location asking \$89,000 (MLS#1045179)

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GORE BAY FOUR BEDROOM HOME

Character two storey older home, estate sized lot 80 x 200 feet, oil heat, paved drive, basement area, 4 piece and 2 piece washroom, only five minute walk to public school, asking \$129,000 MLS#1040220

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250 ACRE FARM \$385,000

Year round paved road, mixture of work land, pasture and bush, gravel pit for private usage, totally interior upgraded farm house, natural wood walls and ceilings, 4 bedrooms, two washrooms, drilled well that can supply both home and barn, livestock barn in very good condition concrete bottom area, perfect for the farmer or outdoor enthusiast. MLS#1031304

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BARRIE ISLAND WATERFRONT \$49,000

Three lots on North Channel, 2 acres and 3 acres in size, beautiful elevated view over water, good road access, surveyed lot, possibility of buying as a package, each lot valued at \$49,000 MLS#1045046

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- LOTS** near Lake Mindemoya. Hydro, municipal road and lake access. Four to choose from. Asking \$18,999 each
- ICE LAKE WATERFRONT LOT**, Nicely treed. Asking \$49,900. MLS 1019632
- LARGE BUILDING LOT** in Sheguiandah. Municipal water to the lot. Great location for a home or business. Asking \$25,000. MLS 1036059
- GORE BAY WATERFRONT** Large level waterfront lot on lighthouse road, Gore Bay harbour, easterly facing, municipal water, paved road, area of newer homes and cottages, 150 feet frontage by one acre in size, surveyed lot, only 5 minute drive to Gore Bay shopping. (1321) MLS#1012977 \$69,500
- COUNTRY BUILDING LOT** with access to Lake Mindemoya. Build your dream home on this estate sized lot, located less than 15 minutes from all amenities. MLS#1020120
- VACANT BUILDING LOT** with town services on quiet street in town of Little Current. Adjacent lot also for sale. Contact listing brokerage MLS#1039011 asking \$20,000
- VACANT BUILDING LOT** with town services on quiet street in town of Little Current. Adjacent lot also for sale. Contact listing brokerage MLS#1030913 asking \$22,500
- ALMOST 1 FULL ACRE**, level building lot in Little Current with frontage on Hwy 540. MLS#1039010 Asking \$44,900
- CHECKERBOARD LANE ALLAN TWP** - 5.45 acres, vacant land, mixed bush, deer habitat, good access to parcel, only 10 minutes to Gore Bay shopping, asking \$13,000 MLS#1041827



GORE BAY COMMERCIAL \$149,000

Business and building for sale, main intersection in downtown Gore Bay, abundant vehicular and walk in traffic location, good solid building. Lots of choices for retail marketing, presently operated as Woods Brothers Clothing (1347) MLS#1014826

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190 ACRES NORTH CHANNEL \$169,000

Approx. 190 acres waterfront / recreational treed lands, good access road, mature tree cover, excellent deer hunting location, ideal location for year round or seasonal home / cottage, gentle meadow area, panoramic view of North Channel(1426) (MLS#1025246)

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UNIQUE HOME on Gore Bay's Lighthouse Road is multi level beautifully decorated w/large kitchen, formal dining room, living room w/vaulted ceiling, half bath, laundry & spacious bedroom w/ensuite on main level plus 2 bedrooms & full bath w/whirlpool on upper level. Lower part has family room, workshop & furnace room that walks out to double garage. Amazing home w/fantastic views from multi level decks all on 1.6 ac. lot w/150 ft. frontage on the North Channel. A must see! Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$349,000 (1360)



LAKE KAGAWONG COTTAGE w/spectacular elevated view over water & Kakawia Island. Beautiful maintenance free bungalow w/vaulted cedar ceiling & walls w/2 bedrooms, 3 piece bath, entry & laundry room, great room w/full wall of windows to the deck & view. Everything looks new including all contents less a few items. Seasonal access but all year cottage home. \$297,000 (1374)



MAPLE POINT CHALET cottage 1408 sq. ft. on 2 levels. Finished open concept kitchen dining living w/bright east facing lounge. Second level spacious bedroom fully wired & insulated to be completed. Wrap around decks from kitchen, living room & upper level. Ready to enjoy w/propane heat & year round access. Large 8.75 ac. w/hardwood ridges & 2 bow hunting tree stands. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$138,000 (1219)



GORE BAY HOME on large corner lot 0.5 ac. w/175.56 ft. on Main & 124.08 on Laird split by a creek running through. Two storey 1598 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, kitchen dining area & living room. Newer steel roof, aluminum fascia & soffits, high efficiency oil furnace & top of line tank. New bathroom going in one bedroom & 100 amp electrical being installed. Detached raised garage w/basement & open covered south facing porch 6x15 ft. \$99,000 (1315)



LAKE MINDEMOYA waterfront home w/150 ft. on Hwy542. Well maintained bungalow 1550 sq. ft. on full basement w/2+2 bedrooms, 2 full baths, dining & living rooms w/hardwood flooring & propane stone fireplace, kitchen, family room & double attached garage. Great water or pastoral views, beach, private deck, paved driveway, propane heat & hot water, central air, shed, apple trees & 3 stainless appliances. \$269,000 (1235)



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



STONEHOUSE, in Gore Bay, operating 10 years, as a profitable B&B has become a preferred destination. Three storey, massive stone home 3,258 sq. ft, upgraded to be attractive & efficient. Main floor w/reception, dining, spacious kitchen, formal living room, bedroom & bath for the owners. Second floor w/3 large bedrooms, each with own bath for guests. Third floor loft w/two bedrooms, kitchenette, bath, dining & living rooms for guests or longer rental. Stonehouse can become a grand home or 3 apartments, as electrical already separated. However, the financials will convince you to continue operating the B&B. Check out bbcanada.com/stonehouse \$319,000 (1323)

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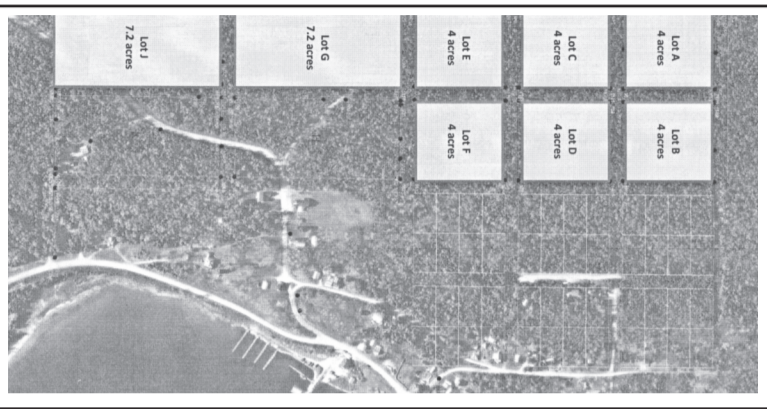
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SMALL ACREAGES IN MELDRUM BAY at affordable prices w/66 feet wide unopened road allowance surrounding each parcel. Eight wooded lots w/four, 4 acre lots at \$4700 each; two, 4 acre lots at \$5900 each, w/trail running through one; one, 7 acre lot at \$7900 w/trail running through & one, 7 acre lot at \$10900 w/road running through. Lots known as A, B, C, D, E, F, G, J. (Files 1376 to 1383)



SILVER LAKE 398 ft. of shoreline w/traditional cottage open to the cedar log roof rafters w/895 sq. ft. plus spacious sleeping loft adding another 400. Mostly wood interior w/wood heat, one bedroom, bath, eat in kitchen & very large family area for comfort & extra dining space. Spacious back yard for play, boat house & garage workshop. All contents making this a turnkey cottage. \$169,000 (1354)



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



GORE BAY HOME on west edge of Town w/spacious back deck for glorious sunsets. Bungalow 1014 sq. ft. w/large sitting room entry from deck, full basement partially finished, 1+1 bedrooms, bath & great room w/ newer kitchen. Detached garage w/workshop area, front & rear garage doors & power. Extra lot available behind fronting Armstrong Road. All appliances. \$189,500 (1347)



ELIZABETH BAY COTTAGE w/direct elevated westerly exposure to Manitoulin sunsets. Beautiful broken limestone outcrop shoreline w/crystal clear water. Cottage 677 sq. ft. w/a wall of windows overlooking water. Guest house 1442 sq. ft. w/pine lower level & full family sleeping loft on second floor. Both buildings have spacious decks. All contents included ready for occupancy. \$189,000 (1345)



WESTERN MANITOULIN country retreat or homestead on 25 ac. of open & forested areas & hardwoods fronting Mississagi L.H. Road. Authentic square log home plus 3 stick built additions totalling 1287 sq. ft. Exterior board & batton w/ log & pine interior w/broad board & granite flooring. New bathroom, kitchen, dining, living & overflow area with very large bedroom. Several outbuildings & large transport trailer for multiple uses. \$139,000 (1325)

HOMES, COTTAGES & CAMPS MELDRUM BAY 503.8 ft. water frontage & 3.03 ac. w/year round access, cabin & sauna w/hydro, running water \$169800 (1217); SILVER WATER HOME 1.5 storey 990 sq. ft. on surveyed lot \$65000 (1077); BARRIE ISLAND hunt camp on 9.4 ac. surveyed & year round access \$49500 (1335); ICE LAKE GET A WAY cabin 16x24 on 6 ac. w/2128 ft. water frontage off the grid. Very private Point. \$104000 (1288); BAKER TRAIL well constructed cabin w/2 bedrooms, sauna, shed & all contents on 16.35 ac. \$79000 (1358); MAPLE RIDGE improved building lot w/1.75 ac. & 360 ft. on Maple Drive w/cedar cabin, privy, shower house, shed, driveway & solar system. Water capital paid in full. \$49900 (1375); LAKE KAGAWONG trailer cottage at Kamp Kagawong Park w/all contents, 2 decks \$21000 (1299); MANITOWANING BAY cottage across from golf course w/106 ft. frontage. \$164500 (1330)

BUILDING LOTS TOLSMVILLE on Cockburn Island fronting on F Street \$4900; GORE BAY Doc Strain Dr. w/Town water, sewer, year round access, hydro & phone \$20000; GORE BAY Doc Strain Dr. & Park St. 3.21a w/ Town water, sewer, year round access, hydro & phone \$39900; GORE BAY West Bluff Fraser St. w/Town water, sewer, hydro, phone & water view \$49000; GORE BAY on west side of Town being 2 lots ea. w/309.65 ft. on Armstrong Road \$21900 & 27900; GORE BAY MILLION DOLLAR VIEW on east bluff escarpment on 2.52 ac. & 209.8 ft. w/driveway to the edge, hydro, etc. \$154000; KAGAWONG'S MAPLE RIDGE on Maple Drive w/municipal water, year round access, hydro, phone & partial water view \$19900.

GORE BAY PAVILION \$300/ FOR RENT month & other terms. (1312).
WATERFRONT LOTS MELDRUM BAY 503 ft. & 2.9 ac. w/year round access, hydro & phone \$99900; MELDRUM BAY 7.7 ac. & 150 ft. on Highway 540 w/deeded right of way access to private section of beach about 140 ft. across road \$49500; MELDRUM BAY east of the Village w/360 ft. private water frontage & 1.7 ac. w/access from highway already in place \$69,500; BARRIE ISLAND 3.49 ac. w/229.6 ft. facing western sunsets \$49500; SMITH BAY just west of Gore Bay w/231 ft. & 1.8 ac. w/open building site \$80000; GORE BAY north east point of bay 3.75 ac. & 781 ft. \$69000; GORE BAY 2 lots on Lighthouse Road 100 ft. w/year round access, municipal water & sewer, hydro, phone, \$79500 ea.; ICE LAKE on Ice Lake Drive w/private year round access & phone \$47,000; MAPLE POINT 150 ft. w/hardwood bush, year round access, hydro, phone \$69000; MCQUARRIE MAPLE POINT 2 lots 150 ft. ea. on North Channel w/year round access \$59000 ea.; LAKE KAGAWONG east end 8 ac. & 528 ft. frontage w/bunkie, toilet, dock, good driveway almost to water \$154000; LAKE KAGAWONG east end 9.4 ac. & 483.74 ft. frontage w/bunkie & roughed in driveway \$124900; LAKE KAGAWONG on Lakeshore Road w/482.9 ft. frontage & 3.6 ac. w/services available & open building sites. Potential split. \$89900; LAKE MINDEMOYA with Monument Road behind 2 lots side by side 150 ft. ea. w/year round access, hydro, phone \$89500 ea.; MANITOWANING BAY w/165 ft. & 2.5 ac. w/driveway, year round on Eastview Lane \$84900; SUCKER LAKE ISLAND almost one ac. & tree covered w/old cabin to be saved. The middle one. Great getaway & fishing. \$29500

ACREAGES BURPEE at end of BELL ROAD, surveyed 10 ac. w/legal truck road access \$15900; Between Gore Bay & Maple Point accessed via SCOTLAND ROAD 200 ac. w/truck road access. Known hunting area. \$149500; CHECKERBOARD LANE 5.45 ac. w/some improvements. Very private. \$19500



LAKE WOLFEY HOME w/full finished basement on floor of w/2000 sq. ft. Raised bungalow w/2200 sq. ft. living space of 2 bedrooms, 4 pc. bath & laundry, open kitchen dining living & spacious family recreational room on lower level. Decking totalling 538 sq. ft. w/256 covered overlooking water. All wood interior on both floors w/oil & wood heat, treated well water, steel roof. Detached 16x24 w/2 more bedrooms & workshop. Appliances included. \$239,000 (1307)



GORE BAY HOME across from School w/attached & detached garages & several sheds for every storage need. Well maintained exterior 1.5 storey plus large dormer w/913 sq. ft. main floor of eat in kitchen, dining & living rooms, master bedroom & full bath. Two more bedrooms on second level & family room, full bath w/Jacuzzi tub & laundry in full basement. \$144,500 (1342)



LOON LAKE COTTAGE 24x32 ft. built 2010, vinyl clad, steel roof w/pine & laminate interior. Enhanced w/deck on 3 sides, boardwalk to water side deck & permanent dock. Lot has 198 ft. water frontage tucked into west side, accessed by boat from Public Landing. Off the grid w/wood stove, propane appliances, solar 12 volt lights, wood fired hot tub, gravity fed water & shower, compost & all contents. Turnkey offering. \$159,000 (1334)



SCHOOLHOUSE COTTAGE HOME east of Silver Water w/954 sq. ft. on level 0.96 ac. of open front yard & forest at back. School room intact w/chalkboard, teacher's stage, 2 bedroom spaces, 2 full baths, open kitchen dining living. Extras of 200 amps, septic, drilled well, shingles 6 years, most contents. Some work needed. \$69,000 (1369)



A SWEET SPOT of 150 ac. fields, prairie, mixed bush & very large section of maple w/4950 ft. fronting year round Beauge Road. Three storey log home 1428 sq. ft. on full basement, garage 26x36 ft. w/2 room guest loft 12x36, sauna w/wood room & lounge area, septic system, solar & propane energy, trails, tree stands, all in a pretty hardwood deer country setting. Most contents. \$327,000 (1311)



EXCEPTIONAL GORE BAY WATERFRONT HOME on 7.55 ac. w/362.7 ft. on Lighthouse Road & 226.5 ft. on Armstrong Road. Bungalow 1991 sq. ft. w/cedar log living room, 3 bedrooms, 3 full baths & family room in basement. Detached double garage w/723 sq. ft. apartment above adding 2 more bedrooms, full bath & great room. All buildings clad in marvellous Manitoulin limestone. Varying terrain of field, bush & lawn w/stone retaining walls & garden shed. Great water view from decks & patios. \$397,000 (1346)



MANITOWANING HOME on large corner Walcot Street lot w/2 bedrooms, living room, kitchen & combined bath laundry. Spacious deck w/storage shed & 20x20 ft. garage. Fully wheelchair accessible. All major appliances & pellet stove included. Nicely landscaped & fruit trees. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$120,000 (1289)



MOUNTAIN VIEW RESORT w/1705.69 ft. of Lake Manitou shoreline w/1396 ft. facing the Manitoulin Island sunsets supported by 145.5 ac. of field & forest suitable for farming, hunting, gardening, etc. Strong revenue from 8 cottages varying from 384 to 693 sq. ft. & from 1 to 3 bedrooms. Comfortable owners' home 2500 sq. ft. including walkout lower level w/all appliances, 3 large workshop sheds totalling 4088 sq. ft., sheltered harbour dockage, all cottage contents plus boats & motors for rentals. Just a short stroll to sand swimming beach. \$825,000 (1356)



HOME OR COTTAGE on Elizabeth Bay w/100.99 ft. of sandy frontage on year round Beach Road West. Bungalow 1120 sq. ft. w/completely renovated interior since 2013 w/lots of windows, spacious waterside porch & wood stove, open great room of kitchen dining living & wood stove, bed sitting area, bedroom & 4 pc. bath. Extras of drilled well in 2011, water treatment, double shed, picnic shelter, water view deck. Most contents included in this turn key offering. It's worth a look. \$199,500 (1322)



DOMINION BAY SAND DUNE COTTAGE/HOME on south side of Manitoulin w/panoramic Lake Huron view from 12x52 ft. deck, pure sand beach w/dunes, year round access. Magnificent raised bungalow 3,116 sq. ft. w/4 bedrooms, 3 baths, laundry & electric sauna, beautiful ground level entry w/sold oak stairs to main level. Lower floor guest room & bath. Upper floor self sufficient apartment 989 sq. ft. on other side of hallway. Main residence w/large open great room, 2 bedrooms & 6 pc bath. Garage below 1,138 sq. ft. w/2 bays, workshop, storage & detached garage 738 sq. ft. w/front & rear doors. Only pictures can provide the detail. Swiss owner even has European electrical outlets along side the North American. All quality & matching contents included w/exception of toys & tools. \$527,000 (1350)



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



PROVIDENCE BAY pure limestone double lot at corner Main & Elm Jane w/large parking lot & beautiful well maintained structure 1358 sq. ft. on full finished basement w/bell tower, good windows, steel roof, limestone foundation walls, electric heat, 2 half baths, kitchen area, drilled well, holding tank & shed. Well worth seeing! How would you use it? \$109,500 (1365)



SILVER LAKE family retreat is a unique 683 ft. of frontage w/sunset views. Contains a log cottage 704 sq. ft., 3 sleep camps, workshop laundry washroom & storage building. Served by drilled well, approved septic, 200 amp electrical & dock. Most contents including boat, motor, canoe & paddle boat. Nicely treed & landscaped w/over half an acre. Road runs behind for privacy. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$198,500 (1366)

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TEHKUMMAH TOWNSHIP - Peaceful country living on Lakeshore Rd North, close to ferry. 1 1/2 storey, 2 bedrooms home on 150 ft x 150 ft. Fully fenced lot with nice flower gardens. Insulated 20 ft x 28 ft garage. Also wood shed and chicken coop with fenced chicken yard. New submersible water pump in 2016. Great starter or retirement home. Asking \$ 95,900. Please call Sales Person Al Frank at 705-859-3297. MLS#1045203



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



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#1043707



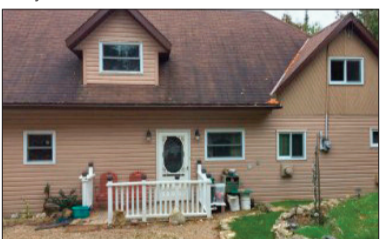
WATERFRONT DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY - 62 acres with 1,931 ft frontage on Manitowaning Bay at High Falls. Exceptional property features include mature hardwood forest, great beach area, hydro & access road to site, historic draft plan subdivision approval & a tremendous setting for waterfront development. Reduced to \$390,000. MLS#1039267



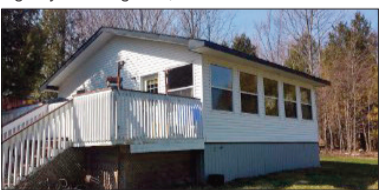
LITTLE CURRENT HOME - with a Modern Living Great Room. Contemporary open concept living layout & design with the 24 x 24 addition that is 9 yrs old. The 'Great Room' addition includes a kitchen/dining/living room layout with a cedar cathedral ceiling. The 3 + 1 bdrm, single family residence home also features 1 inch birch hardwood flooring in the great room, porcelain tile back foyer, oak cupboards, a kitchen island, an insulated unfinished recreational room & two decks; the back is 16 x 14 & the front deck is 7 x 24. Home is close to the hospital & within walking distance of most stores & businesses. Ready to move in. Asking \$198,500. MLS#1043698



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



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

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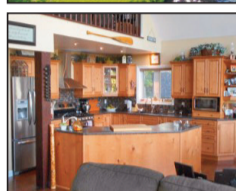
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LAKE MANITOU WATERFRONT HOME!

Spacious 3 bed, 2 bath, 2 storey quality built home on Lake Manitou w/gorgeous flat 2.7 acre lakefront lot in a gated subdivision. Features include a cathedral ceiling w/floor to ceilings windows, propane stone fireplace, wonderful open layout for entertaining, hickory & ceramic tile flooring, oak hardwood stairs & railings, hickory kitchen cabinets, washrooms w/in-floor heating, huge decks w/tempered glass that wrap around 3 sides of the home, 8 inch walls, basement walkout, underground hydro & drive-thru garage. Top floor consists of french doors that open to the master bdrm, & ensuite w/jet tub whirlpool. In addition the top floor has a loft nook that overlooks the entire floor below. Property includes a Chalet style, open concept 2 bdrm guest cottage w/loft. This beautiful manicured lot consists of a protected boat harbour, & a rustic bridge to a small private island. Truly exceptional 4 season cottage or home! A Must See. MLS#1044382



MILLS ROAD ACREAGE - 200 acre site with mature forest and heavy tree cover. Good road access, excellent location and a great spot to get away from it all. Great price at only \$135,000. Please call for full details. MLS#1044923

MICHAEL'S BAY WATERFRONT LOT - Very scenic setting with spectacular south view over Michael's Bay, sand and limestone shoreline, mature tree cover and one of Manitoulin's premier south shore locations. Hydro & Telephone services to lot line, oversized waterfront site with 1.7 acres for privacy. Ideal spot to build your dream home or cottage. Great Price @ \$59,900! MLS#1043327

BAY ESTATES BACK LOT - One of the finest lots we have seen available in years. Includes driveway and partial lake view, nicely sloping upwards from road front, heavy tree cover and municipal lake access within walking distance. Great price at only \$14,777. MLS#1043620

SPECTACULAR MINDEMUYA WATERFRONT PROPERTY - Spectacular 2.45A Mindemoya Lake property with 465 ft water frontage, on year round road & hydro on site. Nicely well treed hardwood lot with natural limestone formations. Great private waterfront building site, cleared, with elevated lake front view for cottage or home. This will make the perfect hideaway for those looking for peace & quiet. Asking \$179,000. MLS#1038987

BEAUTIFUL AND UNTAMED - 2.2 acre waterfront lot on South Bay! At this price, you can't miss out on the opportunity to own a piece of paradise! Reduced to \$38,000. MLS#1037660

BEAUTIFUL UNTAMED 1 ACRE (APPROX.) WATERFRONT LOT IN PICTURESQUE MELDRUM BAY - Buy separately to build your dream home or cottage, or purchase in conjunction with MLS #1044341 for added privacy! Asking \$50,000. MLS#1044388

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

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#1044261

WATERFRONT PROPERTY - on Meldrum Bay for your island retreat. One of the best salmon fishing spots on the island. Reduced to \$39,900. MLS#1038949



HIDDEN GEM ON NORTH CHANNEL OF LAKE HURON - Spacious raised bungalow with top quality finish throughout. Features include slate, hardwood & tile flooring, top quality field stone fireplace, fantastic open layout for entertaining, guest studio, guest cottage, metal roofing, huge decks, manicured lot & over the top exceptional views. Ideal location with 232 ft shoreline surrounded by local nature conservancy lands offering un-paralleled privacy only minutes from Little Current. Nicely protected cove from South & West winds. Truly exceptional four season cottage or home! Please call for complete details! MLS#1042094



3 BDRM HOME IN THE CHARMING TOWN OF EVANSVILLE! - This perfect retirement home is only 15 mins from the amenities of the town of Gore Bay which has a live theater, medical centre & plenty of shopping. The house features an unfinished basement, a very large double size garage with storage loft, a covered front deck & a fancy steel roof. Great fishing in Lake Huron or Lake Wolsey is less than 2 mins from your door. Asking \$169,000. MLS#1042403



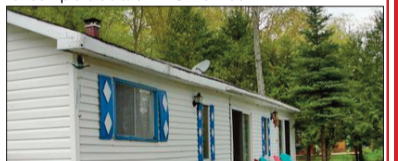
BAY OF ISLANDS ISLAND RETREAT - Exceptional location with outstanding views to the north, south and west, acreage site for privacy, excellent dockage, decks, etc. 2 bdrm main camp with stone fireplace & west facing sun room to enjoy the views. Also includes work shop, laundry, guest cottage & a perfect setting to get away from it all. Impeccably Maintained & great appeal from one of the better sites available in the Bay! Asking \$315,000. MLS#1043012



MOVE IN READY COUNTRY HOME!! - 3+1 bdrm with 2 full baths on 1 acre landscaped lot. Fully finished basement with attached 2 car insulated garage. High efficiency propane furnace, central air conditioning with screened in porch, large deck & 2 large sheds. Ready to move in. Asking \$229,000. MLS#1035248



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 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



ELEVATED SUNRISE VIEW OVER BEAUTIFUL LAKE MINDEMUYA!! - Large 2 1/2 acre lot with almost 150 ft of shoreline, a dock & a (grandfathered-in) boathouse. A quick flight of stairs brings you from the dock & fantastic deep water shoreline to the top of the flat bluff where you find a 3 bdrm cottage with an eye catching view! The golf course, hospital, restaurants, shopping are only 15 mins away and this pristine lake is legendary for its great walleye, bass, perch & whitefish. Only \$200,000!!! MLS#1043385



FAMILY ESTATE IN BAY OF ISLANDS - Situated in a pristine natural environment on a fantastic 2.85 acre site surrounded by mature White Pine forest offering excellent appeal. Features include a very private setting backing on to crown lands, exceptional 3 bdrm Main Cottage, two separate guest cottages, sauna building, workshop, extensive decking, walkways & excellent dockage on protected bay. Short boat ride to landing in Whitefish Falls, over the top fishing opportunities & outstanding views of the bay & LaCloche Mountains add substantially to this very attractive offering! Great Bay at only \$299,000. MLS#1041910



STUNNING COTTAGE OVERLOOKING BEAUTIFUL MANITOWANING BAY - Very private waterfront lot, with its own harbour for safe docking! Easily winterized, this home would be perfect for a family starting out, or retirees! The Bunkie is more of a mini home, with its own bathroom and its own kitchenette area. Call now to view! Asking \$249,000. MLS#1042576



OFF THE GRID COTTAGE IN SOUTH BAY MOUTH - A great way to have an inexpensive vacation. Very close to the Ferry Dock, very close to the marina with access to South Bay and Lake Huron. Cottage comes complete with solar system, furniture, dishes and appliances. There are 2 composting toilets, one in the main bathroom and one in a storage room, the cottage has one bedroom and there are 2 bunkies each with a bed, shed, hot water and a shower. The grounds are nicely manicured with shrubs, rose bushes and flowers. Also included are 2 generators and a utility trailer. This is a turnkey vacation spot and no hydro bills. Reduced to \$99,000. MLS#1043935



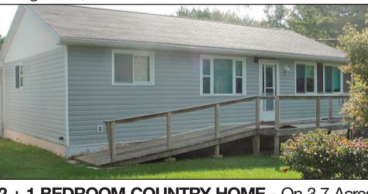
DREAM HOME - Highest quality of finish & ultimate in privacy. 4,850 sq ft with 12 rooms plus double attached garage, 4 fireplaces, 6 baths, Trex sundecks, stone sided detached garage with 4 bays. Mature hardwood forest surrounds trout river & ravine that dissects this 162 acre property. Features 3,040 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



BAY OF ISLANDS PRIVATE ISLAND RETREAT - Exceptional location and appeal with this very well equipped and maintained cottage location. Spacious main cottage with very low maintenance for added summer enjoyment, large work shop with excellent potential for separate guest cottage use, laundry building, several storage buildings and excellent dockage. Located within minutes of mainland dockage and including all of Island TP 2260, a smooth white bedrock setting with mature White Pine forest offering absolute perfection in boat access locations on the North Channel. One of the finest offerings available! MLS#1044331



QUALITY LAKEFRONT LIVING - Very attractive waterfront home located within walking distance to shopping & a solid 3 wood drive from the Golf Course. Nestled at the end of a private laneway the location offers very good privacy & direct access to the North Channel for swimming, fishing, sailing, kayaking or simply enjoying the view. Many upgrades include substantial addition, hardwood flooring, large room sizes, en-suite off the master, walk out basement, trex decking, lovely gazebo, all appliances, 3 car insulated & heated garage & over an acre of land. Great New Price for Waterfront Living! \$299,000! MLS#1042594



2 + 1 BEDROOM COUNTRY HOME - On 3.7 Acres Of Land In The Quaint Town Of Silver Water. This well insulated home has new windows, some not yet installed, a completely insulated unfinished basement with a large wood stove and a walkout to one of two driveways which adorn this property. Also on this nicely landscaped lot is a 31 by 24 ft garage that comes with 2 doors, a cement pad & hydro. Much of the property is forested & the public beach & boat launch on beautiful Silver Lake (well known for its bass & walleye fishing) is a short 1 minute drive down the road. Asking \$139,000. MLS#1050231



2 BDRM COTTAGE ON LAKE MANITOU!! - Nice renovated cottage with open concept close to Mindemoya which has amenities such as shopping, hospital & golf course. The cottage comes with a storage shed & a double size garage with a workshop. The cottage comes turn-key with all furnishings, window coverings, dishes, riding lawnmower & a dock on wheels. Lake Manitou is the largest lake on an island in the world and is famous for its lake & speckle trout as well as walleye, bass & perch. Asking \$209,000. MLS#1044109



NESTLED IN THE HARDWOOD TREES - in the beautiful 'Big Lake' area, this perfect starter home is just waiting for you to make it your own! Relax on the expansive decks, or putter in the 2 acres of surrounding property. A yard fence as well as a perimeter fence is extra protection for children and pets. Just minutes away from Mindemoya, this centrally located home has original hardwood, and a solid bedrock foundation. Top of the line water filtration system, some new appliances. Call to view today! Asking \$179,000. MLS#1044701



STRAWBERRY CHANNEL COTTAGE! - Just minutes from Little Current this 3 bedroom cottage has a ton of character enhanced by the knotty pine interior finish. Open concept interior plus large exterior decking combine for a true vacation getaway. Nicely landscaped, three season access and good amenities make this a very desirable getaway location. At a great, great price! \$149,900. MLS#1044223



SPACIOUS 3 BDRM HOME ON AN EASY TO MAINTAIN LOT - Steps away from post office, bank, grocery store & pharmacy, this is the perfect home for retirement. Relax in the sunporch in the mornings, enjoy summer evenings on the deck. Call to view this great listing! Asking \$115,000. MLS#1037885



LAKE MANITOU BEAR ISLAND - Large private island on Lake Manitou with excellent views in all directions, spacious main cottage with two bedrooms, separate bunk house, large work shop, storage, protected dockage, fully equipped and furnished buildings with hydro service. Very attractive setting with mature forest, good elevation, approx. 1 km of attractive shoreline and a resident Bald Eagle. Attractively priced at \$299,000. MLS#1045629



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SPECTACULAR CENTURY HOME- Great location close to all downtown amenities. Over 3,000 sq. ft. of living area, 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, enclosed & heated sun room, carport, & a finished 3rd floor multi-purpose room. Many recent upgrades and improvements including exterior siding, insulation, windows and roof shingles, heating & hot water systems, automatic generator for power outages and much more. \$260,000 MLS#1042192



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 \$129,500. MLS#1042924



SAND BEACH RETREAT - One of the nicest sand beaches on Manitoulin Island. This property offers 800' of water frontage on Elizabeth Bay, which leads to Lake Huron's North Channel. For years it operated as Pine Haven cottages. The main lodge was built in the 1930's. In addition there are 3 mobile trailers, 6 - 2 bedroom cottages, 3 - 3 bedroom cottages, 4 - 1 bedroom cottages. \$375,000 MLS#1043489



LOG HOME! This 1600 sq. ft. year round home is built with 8x12 white pine logs sourced from local saw mills. The property has 300 ft of peaceful waterfront on 2 acres of land. The 3 large bedrooms and 2 bath are well situated among this open concept design. Master bedroom has his and hers closets with master en-suite. \$399,900. MLS#1044019



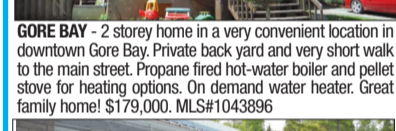
GORE BAY - 2 storey home in a very convenient location in downtown Gore Bay. Private back yard and very short walk to the main street. Propane fired hot-water boiler and pellet stove for heating options. On demand water heater. Great family home! \$179,000. MLS#1043896



SECLUSION! - Beautiful waterfront home with over 500' of frontage on Meldrum Bay. This home offers one level living, large master bedroom with ensuite bath and cedar lined walk-in closet, and a large deck providing sweeping water vistas. Various beneficial outbuildings include: double garage, workshop, bunkie, and cabin (complete with a kitchenette and 3-piece bathroom). Adjoining lot also available for additional space! \$390,000. MLS#1043996



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! \$260,000. MLS#1032719



LAKE MANITOU! - Wonderful 4 season cedar cottage on Manitoulin's premier Lake Manitou. The property is level and fronts on a small sand bottom bay offering westerly views. There is over 430' of frontage providing lots of privacy. Significant investment on shoreline to protect against erosion. Cottage life at its best! \$375,000. MLS#1044628



TEHKUMMAAH - 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



GREAT WATERFRONT SITE - Flat lot offering 2 sided view of Manitowaning Bay. The cottage on the property is in poor condition and would need extensive repair. Picnic Point Lane. List price \$99,000. MLS#1045457



KAGAWONG - Quaint 3 bedroom bungalow located in Kagawong. Detached garage with separate workshop ideal for woodworking. Some TLC required. Large carport. Very reasonably priced at \$134,000. MLS# 2050061



MINDEMOYA - New home in Mindemoya. Walking distance to all amenities & public school. 3 bedrooms & 2 full baths on main level. The master bedroom has an ensuite bathroom. Walkout to a covered deck from the kitchen. The lower level is unfinished with unlimited potential. Basement ceilings are over 8' & roughed-in plumbing for a bathroom. \$249,999 incl. HST MLS#1044217



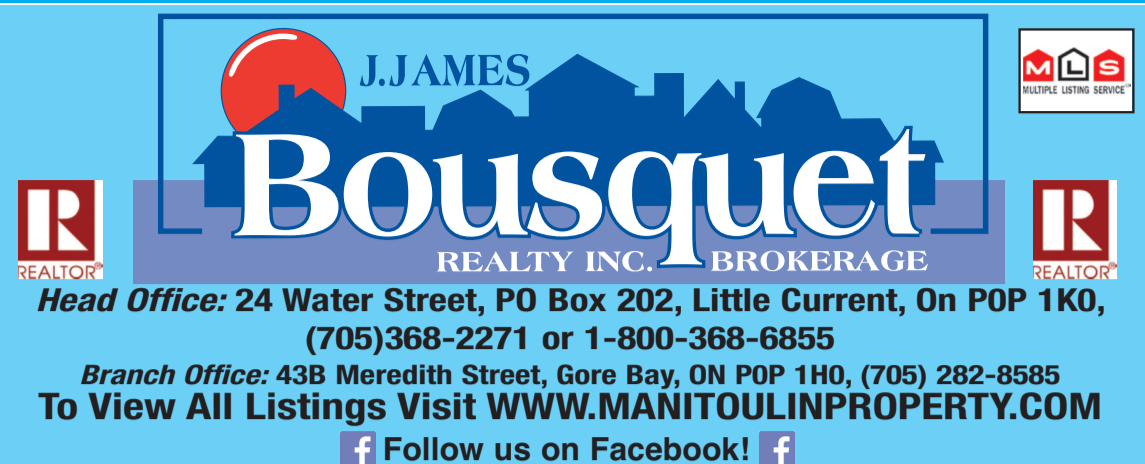
GORE BAY ON THE HARBOUR - Executive Tudor style 2 storey home located in Gore Bay. This 2980 sq ft home offers 3 bedrooms 3 bathrooms 3 fireplaces & a sunken dining room. Sweeping staircase from the foyer gives a beautiful architectural design. Cedar shake roof and brick and stucco surround the home. The large 3 car garage allows access to the basement that is designed as a wood working shop. Professional landscaping has given this home privacy & 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



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.



WONDERFUL WATERVIEW HOME Over 3000 sq.ft. of finished living space, (1920 sq.ft. on the main level), 5 bedrooms and 3 full bathrooms. Large open space facing the 40' partially covered deck (composite) that overlooks the bay. Quite close to the marina in Gore Bay. Main level in-floor heat and hot water provided by a Navien combination boiler. Interior walls have soundproofing. \$325,000. MLS#1043606



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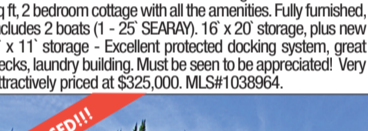
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3 bedroom A-frame cottage/home minutes from Little Current on Strawberry Channel. 344 ft of frontage & just over 6 acres in property. Main floor kitchen/dining/sitting with full bathroom & walkout to a deck with fantastic views. Second floor is a large loft bedroom. Lower level has living room & bedroom & bathroom.
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BAY OF ISLANDS BEAUTY! - Island cottage with a view! 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. MLS#1038964.



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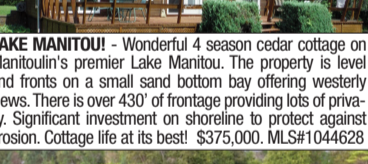


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MCGREGOR BAY LOTS - Choice of 4 large building sites on a protected channel - the perfect place to build your dream cottage in McGregor Bay. Located on Jumbo Island, 1.85 to 3 acres in size. Hydro available in the area. Please call for details. \$105,000ea. MLS# 1042242 to 1042245



MCGREGOR BAY YEAR ROUND! Road access property sits on a flat lot overlooking scenic McGregor point, just a short boat ride to Baie Fine, Fraser Bay & Killarney. The cottage offers 3 bedrooms, 1 bath & is meticulously maintained. This property also has a boat house with marine rail system allowing you quick access to some of the best fishing on Lake Huron. Leased land. \$179,000 MLS#1044788.

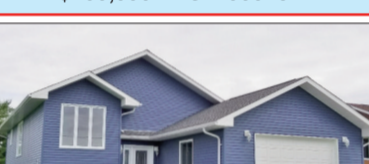


SOUTH BAY COTTAGE - Quiet get away on South Bay. Spectacular fishing just in front of this cottage. This property offers 2 bedrooms and 1 bathroom with all the modern amenities. The large loft has plenty of room for children or guests. The boat house is a rare find and could be restored to its former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

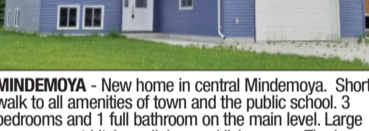


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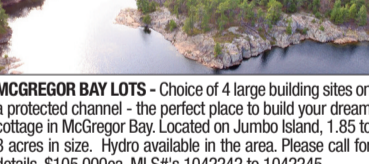
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LAKE MANITOU LAND - Rare opportunity to acquire some of the finest lakefront property on Manitoulin's premier lake! Choice of 3 large estate size lots - 1) Approx 13.5 acres with 701' lakefront 2) Approx 9.1 acres with 576' lakefront 3) Approx 10.2 acres with 534' frontage. Priced from \$299,000 to \$399,000. MLS#1031252



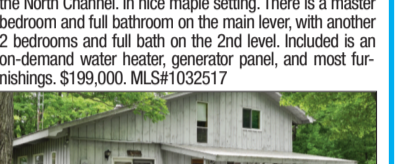
GORE BAY 3 bedroom bungalow on a quiet street. The basement has additional finished living space with more potential. Kitchen has upgraded cupboards (some finishing required). Combination wood/oil forced air heat. Great starter home. \$129,000 MLS#1044444



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. \$199,000. MLS#1032517



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. \$294,900. MLS#1042101.



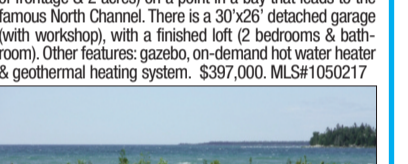
FANTASTIC WATERVIEWS! Beautiful, private home (924' of frontage & 2 acres) on a point in a bay that leads to the famous North Channel. There is a 30'x26' detached garage (with workshop), with a finished loft (2 bedrooms & bathroom). Other features: gazebo, on-demand hot water heater & geothermal heating system. \$397,000. MLS#1050217



LAKE HURON/SOUTH SHORE - 2 original lots being sold as one parcel providing a private frontage of 308' on Manitoulin's south shore. The lots are level and include a small bay with year round road access and hydro available. All for \$79,500. MLS#1044666



GORE BAY 2-storey commercial building located in the heart of Gore Bay. Gore Bay is the judicial capital of Manitoulin Island - the largest fresh water island in the world. There are currently 7 rental units as well as undeveloped space formerly used as firetruck parking bays. The units include commercial and residential. \$175,000. MLS#1043371



PERFECT RETIREMENT PROPERTY - Easy to maintain, this 1 bedroom 1 bath bungalow is in a central location close to schools, downtown, hospital & shopping. Built in 2011/12 on a nicely landscaped lot with paved drive & detached garage, this property is an ideal retirement home. \$149,500 MLS#1045383



MELDRUM BAY WATERFRONT - Large east facing lot with 250' of water frontage on beautiful Meldrum Bay. It is a very tranquil setting on the west end of Manitoulin Island. Development work has already been done on the lot. Ready for a trailer or new construction. It includes an insulated cedar bunkie & a sauna. \$124,000. MLS#1043531



100 ACRE RETREAT - Recreational bush cottage, or possible 4-season home, on 100 acres. There is a network of many trails, & tree stands for white-tail deer hunting. It has a drilled well, septic system, & underground hydro & telephone service. \$149,900. MLS#1045381



29 ACRE PRIVATE ISLAND - Sheltered in a harbour south of the larger Clapperton Island (all crown land), located in the very popular sailing destination Lake Hurons North Channel. At one time the Harbour Island Resort operated on the northeast corner of the island. This resort has a storied past with celebrities reported to have visited there. Little of the existing infrastructure is likely usable. \$250,000. MLS#1045229



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