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Federal election results in a minority Liberal government

Carol Hughes returned in AMK by a landslide



Running the annual Wiikwemkoong Road Race



And they're off! Sixty-three runners took part in the 47th edition of the Wiky Road Race held Sunday. In photo, bottom left, Sara Mellraith was named the top female finisher and winner of the Wikwemikong Board of Education award, while Neil Phipps was the top male finisher and winner of the The Expositor trophy. **SEE STORY ON PAGE 7.**

photo by Michael Erskine

by Warren Schlote with files from Michael Erskine
MANITOULIN—Incumbent New Democrat Carol Hughes has secured a definitive Algoma-Manitoulin-Kapuskasing (AMK) victory during the 43rd Canadian federal election this past Monday, October 19, easily beating her closest opponent by thousands of votes.

"I'm certainly happy the campaign is finally over. It takes a lot of energy to be able to go across this vast riding. I'm just really elated that the people of Algoma-Manitoulin-Kapuskasing have put their trust in me and their confidence in me again to continue to represent them," said an excited Ms. Hughes before heading into a victory party Monday night.

According to unofficial Elections Canada results for the AMK riding at press time, Ms. Hughes and the NDP secured 16,740 votes, equaling 41.6 percent of the total votes in the riding.

She said she was focused on transportation, affordability and healthcare in AMK as she prepares to return to work on Parliament Hill.

"Hopefully with a (Liberal) minority, we will be able to get more things done. That is one reason why the NDP also supports electoral reform. When you have a

The vote in Algoma-Manitoulin-Kapuskasing

| Candidate and party | Vote |
|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Max Chapman, Green Party | 2,145 |
| Dave DeLisle, PPC | 883 |
| Carol Hughes, NDP | 16,740 |
| Dave Williamson, Conservative Party | 10,557 |
| Heather Wilson, Liberal Party | 9,760 |

(Unofficial results)

majority you tend to kind of run the show and put your agenda forward," she said. "Now they have to work with the other parties."

Ms. Hughes congratulated all of the candidates for their efforts in this challenging campaign.

"I know campaigning is difficult—especially when it's their first time into it—in such a large riding, so I tip my hat for them putting their names in and I wish them all the best in whatever is to come," she said.

Second place went to Conserva-

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Chi-Cheemaun ends sailing season on high note

by Warren Schlote
OWEN SOUND—The 2019 Chi-Cheemaun sailing season has concluded and the ridership figures show an uptick compared to declines from last year.

"We were up a little bit. Of course, we'd like to see more (pas-

sengers) but we had a disastrous spring with the weather; it was cold and wet. We didn't bring additional traffic until August," said Owen Sound Transportation Company (OSTC) president Susan Schrempf.

The vehicle count was 80,874 in

2019, up 2.19 percent from the 2018 total of 79,144. This recovered to the levels experienced in 2017 of 80,786.

Passengers increased by 1.06 percent from 2018, for a total this year of 202,020 over last year's 199,896. This figure did not reach 2017 levels of 206,718.

Ms. Schrempf told The Expositor that August and September were particularly strong months but October, while okay, was not quite as strong as in previous years.

The transportation company has estimates in place of how many vehicles it can transport per sailing, but Ms. Schrempf said the figures are starting to be somewhat outdated.

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Victim of Father George Epoch, SJ shares story of ordeal for first time

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following story contains information about sexual abuse that took place in Wiikwemkoong during the mid-to-late 20th century. This information may be disturbing to those who have suffered from sexual abuse. Support is available 24/7 through the First Nations and Inuit Hope for Wellness Help Line at 1-855-242-3310 or the Manitoulin Family Resources crisis line at 1-800-465-6788.

by Warren Schlote
NORTHWESTERN ONTARIO—The survivor stories of Father George Epoch's victims reveal an interesting pattern: knowledge of the wrongdoings that some members of the faith community held, and the subsequent actions taken to try to hide the extent of the abuse.

The Manitoulin Expositor reached out to an alleged victim of Father Epoch. The individual (who is not of Indigenous heritage, unlike so many of the priest's victims) has never formally lodged any complaints about

what they experienced and has never gotten involved in any lawsuits—nor do they have any desire to do so. This is the first time they have ever shared their story in any public manner.

The Expositor has granted

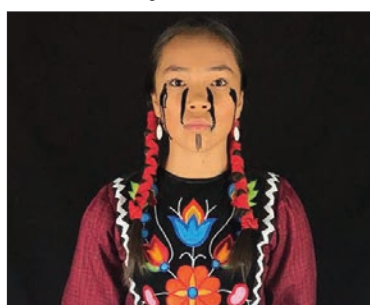
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Autumn Peltier honoured by BBC

Named to list of 100 influential women worldwide

LONDON, UK—Island water advocate Autumn Peltier has recently been named as one of the BBC's top 100 inspiring and influential women for 2019, earning the title of the only person in this year's selection who is listed as Canadian.

BBC's '100 Women' project began in 2013 and has celebrated some of the world's brightest female role models and trailbreakers. It began after a 2012 gang rape incident in South Delhi, India, when BBC con-



Autumn Peltier

photo courtesy of Ireva Photography

troller Liliane Landor and editor Fiona Crack decided that women's issues needed more attention.

The following year, they launched the series as a way to combat the under-representation of women in the media. Its coverage lasted for one month and featured interviews and profiles of the featured women.

This year's list emerged on October 16, 2019. Alongside Autumn are people with auspicious claims to

days of the campaign, and a lack of the collapse of Jagmeet Singh's NDP predicted in the early days of the campaign.

In a strange departure from tradition, Conservative leader Andrew Scheer began his concession speech before Mr. Singh had finished his, but in fairness, Mr. Singh was taking a singularly long time to complete his remarks. Prime Minister Trudeau then cut in over Mr. Scheer's remarks. Perhaps a harbinger of things to come in this minority government.

Prime Minister Trudeau began his remarks by noting that Canadians had rejected the politics of division and cuts in favour of a progressive agenda that focusses on making life more affordable, tackling climate change and "getting guns off our streets."

Mr. Scheer had barely gotten through his thanks to his team and the electors of his riding before the CBC cut in to Mr. Trudeau's speech. In remarks later picked up, Mr. Scheer noted that his party had garnered a larger share of the popular vote than

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New billboard opens dialogue on human trafficking

by Warren Schlote

NAIRN CENTRE—Drivers on westbound Highway 17 heading from Sudbury toward the Manitoulin turn-off will notice a new billboard between Nairn Centre and McKerrrow that describes a Canadian law with a frank statement: "Buying sex is a crime."

It's a part of a campaign by Manitoulin Northshore Victim Services (MNVS) and the Manitoulin and Area Coalition Against Human Trafficking (MACEHT) to reduce human trafficking in this catchment area and offer support to trafficking victims.

"We want to let people know that there's zero tolerance for buying sex. Our coalition collectively agrees, if there's no demand then we won't have the supply," said Natasha Falle, Anti-Human-Trafficking Project co-ordinator at MNVS.

Ms. Falle proposed the 15-month project to MNVS. Through its partnership with MACEHT, the project supports training for agencies on human trafficking and how it happens, how to identify victims of human trafficking and how to respond to those while being trauma-informed in providing services.

This includes quick-reference cards to help police officers notice the signs of a human trafficking victim. There is also a prevention component of speaking to students, especially those in the high-risk age group of 13 to 16 years old.

The federal-level Protection of Communities and

Exploited Persons Act, 2014, entrenched the crime of purchasing sexual services in the Criminal Code. Manitoulin-area partner organizations in this effort include Noojmowin Teg Health Centre, Wikwemikong Health Centre, M'Chigeeng Ontario Works, Manitoulin Family Resources, United Chiefs and Councils of Mnissojwaning, Canadian

Mental Health Association, Courage for Freedom and the three police forces serving the Island.

A billboard of this nature raises questions as to the degree of the problem in the Manitoulin region. Statistics Canada noted that human trafficking is difficult to measure given its hidden nature. However, the rates of police-reported human trafficking have steadily increased from 2010 to 2016 (the date of the report) with a sharp increase between 2013 and 2015 especially.

Canadian police forces officially reported 340 cases of human trafficking in 2016. Two-thirds of the offences from 2009 to 2016 were reported in Ontario.

"These highways are part of a circuit in prostitution. Highway 17 is a part of that because it's so close to Sudbury. If a trafficker is moving cross-country, they might make a pit stop on Manitoulin," said Ms. Falle. "There's very vulnerable people in the communities on Manitoulin Island and the North Shore. Traffickers know that, too. If they know that we're not tolerating people buying sex, the hope is that it will be less likely."

Young women make up the bulk of the victims of human trafficking. Collectively, people of all genders younger than 25 years old make up 72 percent of victims. Women comprised 70 of the percentage points in that figure.

Ms. Falle added that 55 percent of the girls who are trafficked are Indigenous. Only five percent of females in Canada identify as Indigenous according to 2016 Statistics

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Stakeholders met on September 24 to unveil the new billboard that stands on Highway 17 near Nairn Centre to inform passers-by that paying for sex is a crime and punishable by law. Its aim is to eliminate the demand and thereby cut off the supply.

Robinson Huron and Robinson Superior annuities case enters second phase

by Michael Erskine

SUDBURY—The curious case of the Ontario Crown's missing annuity increases, often referred to as "treaty money" has entered its second phase, with the province having lost two rounds on the first phase following a ruling in Sudbury by Superior Court Justice Patricia Hennessey turning down Ontario's attempt to reopen the court's decision in favour of the Robinson Huron and Robinson Superior Treaty plaintiffs.

The case centres around the failure of the province to increase annuities paid to individual members of the Robinson Huron and Superior First Nations in return for property given over to the Crown. Those annuities have

remained stuck at \$4 per person since they were last increased in 1874. The cash-strapped Crown at the time of the signing of the treaties (long before Confederation took place) that are at the heart of the issue was not in position to pony up the cash necessary to pay out the value of the land. So the Anishinaabe leadership at the time settled for an annuity to be paid for each member. That annuity was to be increased as revenues from the surrendered territories increased, so long as the province would not suffer a loss after expenses.

Last December, Justice Hennessey ruled in favour of the plaintiffs, judging that the intent was for those annuities to

increase regularly. The province attempted to have that judgment reviewed, citing new evidence (a mid-1800s entry in a Jesuit journal from the Fort William Mission). This summer, Justice Hennessey ruled that the new

evidence being submitted by the province did not meet the necessary thresholds to reopen phase one.

"To re-open the trial for a marginally significant piece of evidence would be a great injustice to

the plaintiffs and an unwarranted demand on judicial reserves," Justice Hennessey wrote in her judgement. "When considered in the context of this entire case and the body of evidence which was

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Sandfield soldier's Memorial Cross will be brought home

by Alicia McCutcheon

ST. GEORGE—Another war medal belonging to one of Manitoulin's sons has been repatriated, thanks to the help of Dave Thomson, who has helped Island families be reunited with their war dead's commendations on more than one occasion.

Mr. Thomson called The Expositor last week to share the news that he had discovered yet another war medal from Manitoulin for sale on eBay. The Memorial Cross belonged to Walter Raymond Aelick, who was born in Sandfield on April 8, 1907, son of Ira and Agnes Aelick.

Little is known about Walter Raymond Aelick. He enlisted on November 10, 1942 in Toronto and died not even a year later, on March 16, 1943 at age 35. Mr. Aelick was married and had one son who passed away in 1999.

According to Manitoulin Genealogical Society President Norma Hughson, it is unlikely that he saw active service overseas. Ms. Hughson did come across a notation in her research that showed that Mr. Aelick died from an illness related to an inoculation he received upon entering the armed forces.

On Monday morning, Mr. Thomson called Ms. Hughson to

share the news that he was the successful bidder for Mr. Aelick's medal, which he won for \$293 Canadian. It's now up to others to raise the \$293 and see the war medal shipped back to Central Manitoulin.



Private Walter Raymond Aelick's Memorial Cross medal has been bought at auction.

"People can send me an e-transfer or I take cold, hard cash," Ms. Hughson chuckled.

Pat Costigan, a member of the Central Manitoulin Historical Society, has circulated the information among her members, hoping to help raise some of the funds. Mr. Aelick's medal will likely be displayed at the Pioneer Museum in Mindemoya, she said.

Tracking war medals and reuniting them with either family or community is a real labour of love for Mr. Thomson, who this newspaper has written about in previous articles including two medals brought back to South Baymouth, both of which are now featured in the Little Schoolhouse and Museum.

He has bid on over 1,000 medals and brought them to their rightful owners; over 300 of which were Memorial Crosses, his favourite medal to find. "They're the most important medal we chase."

He is also responsible for the addition of 12 veterans Canada-wide to their local cenotaphs who were overlooked for one reason or another. Mr. Aelick is an example of this. His name does not appear on the Manitoulin District Cenotaph nor the Tottenham Cenotaph. Mr. Aelick was living in that community, near Alliston in southern Ontario, at the time of his attestation and is where he is buried. Mr. Thomson said he would be approaching the local Legion branch by week's end to note this omission.

To donate to Mr. Aelick's Memorial Cross fund, send Ms. Hughson an e-transfer to nlhughson@manitoulin.net or call her at 705-368-3416.



From left is Joanna Pheasant, Sherry Peltier, Shelley Trudeau, Barbara Peltier, McDougall Energy's Manitoulin operations manager Ryan Stewart, McDougall Energy's Manitoulin territory sales manager Martin Connell and Joe Ominika.

McDougall Energy, Esso Community Program donate to Wiky Food Bank

WIKWEMKOONG—McDougall Energy and Imperial's Esso Community Program announced a \$10,000 donation to the Wikwemikong Food Bank last week. The announcement took place at the Wikwemikong Prevention Services Centre with a ceremonial cheque presentation.

The Food Bank is part of the Prevention Services program and helps families in the community by providing supplementary food assistance in times of need.

The funds donated will support the local Christmas food hamper and gift card initiative in Wikwemkoong and the Manitoulin Family Resources and Food Bank program in Mindemoya, with some funds kept in reserve to support the organization into 2020.

"We are so grateful for McDougall Energy supporting our community in this way," said Barbara Peltier, Prevention Services manager for the Wikwemkoong Unceded Territory. "It will make a big difference to families here who need a little extra help over the holidays."

The Wikwemikong Food Bank supports over 500 families each year during the holiday season.

Martin Connell, territory manager for McDougall Energy on Manitoulin Island commented, "We spend so much time in the community that it's great to be able to lend a hand – especially for the coming holiday season."

Mr. Connell noted that the last Island donation through McDougall Energy and Imperial's Esso Community Program was to the Manitoulin Health Centre's telemetry campaign. The company likes to spread its donations throughout its catchment area, he added.

Representatives from McDougall Energy, the Wikwemikong Food Bank and the Wikwemkoong Unceded Territory were on hand for the cheque presentation.



Fresh foods and biker dudes

The first-ever Redrum Motorcycle Club World Run, held on Manitoulin Island, raised a total of \$7,317 for the Good Food Box program as part of the Manitoulin Community Fresh Food Initiative (MCFI). Redrum Spirit Island chapter president Robbie Shawana, centre, presented the cheque to MCFI project manager Kristin Bickell, holding cheque left, and Indigenous foods co-ordinator Courtney Kurek, holding cheque right. The program runs out of the Little Current United Church and helps families access affordable, nutritious foods year-round.

photo by Alicia McCutcheon

New Atrium youth program launched in Kaboni's St. Anthony Daniel Parish

by Michael Erskine

KABONI—The greying of the pews is an ongoing phenomenon in the mainstream traditional churches in the Western world as younger parishioners drift away under the pressures of the modern world and a drift toward growing secularism. A group of devout Catholic Anishinaabekwe in Kaboni decided to tackle those challenges by tending to the roots faith in pre-school children and constructing an Atrium in the church at St. Anthony Daniel Parish. An Atrium is a hands-on religious teaching environment aimed at children ages three to six, under the auspices of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd Association of Canada—the first to be established on a First Nation community in Ontario.

Rosella Kinoshameg discovered the concept of the Atrium through a visit to a church in Guelph. “We went to Guelph where we have an exchange parish, like a sister church, and met Therese (Wright) who took us on a tour of the Atrium there,” said Ms. Kinoshameg. “I said ‘this is what we need at home.’”

Ms. Wright told her that there was a course available to learn more about the Atrium concept and Ms. Kinoshameg threw herself into the process with gusto, travelling to Guelph to take the course. “Once a month, five times,” said Ms. Kinoshameg. Then came 10 hours of observation, seeing first hand how the Atrium operates in practice.

The practical observation is important, noted Ms. Wright. “When you take the course you are in a classroom setting,” she explained. “When I finished the course in Toronto, I had never actually been in an Atrium, so I spent the next year working in an Atrium so I could see how it operated with the children day-to-day.”

Dale Shain of Little Current and her family were involved in the project as well.

“Rosella and I are both trained catechists for Level 1 of the Good Shepherd program,” she said. “I graduated in 2017 and Rosella last May. We are delivering the program together and we collaborated in pulling together the Atrium



Maria Rogers, Father Tony Baranowski, Rosella Kinoshameg, Therese Wright of Guelph, Phylliss Kinoshameg and Victoria Varey of Guelph pose in front of one of a diorama of the Good Shepherd and his flock (with label in Anishinaabemowin).

photos by Michael Erskine

itself.”

Ms. Shain works on the printed materials and constructed the material with the assistance of “daughter Theresa for artwork, Maggie for carpentry and friends,” she said, “Julia Short donated wood and cut 3D materials. Judy Martin showed me how to do book binding.”

“I learned about the existence of the Atrium program from the CBC show Tapestry during their show about children’s spirituality,” she said. “I did my Google homework and found a year-long course in Guelph. I wasn’t seeking certification or planning to work in an Atrium (North Bay was the only one in our diocese in 2017—now there’s one in Sault Ste. Marie and soon there will be another in Lively). I took the course as a grandmother wanting to know how to honour the natural spirituality of her granddaughters and help give it some form. I took on more than I planned for by attending this rigorous course over five weekends in Guelph. Lots and lots of homework.”

“I think it is fantastic,” said Father Tony Baranowski, who was officiating at the launch of the Kaboni Atrium with a blessing of the stations. “Hopefully it will bring in a number of children

and, with good instructors, I think it will grow as the time goes by.”

“An important aspect about the Kaboni Atrium is that all our prayers and parables are translated into Ojibwe with the assistance of several fluent speakers in Wiikwemkoong,” noted Ms. Shain. “This is of huge significance to the Canadian association and internationally. We’re providing an Anishabek theme to our work. There is a Korean Atrium in Toronto that also incorporated their cultural images.”

The Catechesis of the Good Shepherd is a religious education movement that began almost 70 years ago and has since grown to more than 37 countries. Founded by Hebrew scholar Sofia Cavalletti and Gianna Gobbi (a former assistant to Montessori School founder Maria Montessori) the teaching concept is based on a sound foundation of how children develop and their capacities at different ages.

The Atrium itself began, literally, in the atrium (an open space at the entrance) of a church in Rome—hence the adoption of the name for the program. The space itself is modelled after the Montessori learning environment, with a heavy emphasis on hands-on materials. These include small dioramas, models

of various objects and figures, maps of ancient Israel, timelines of history and other material aids for studying scripture and liturgy.

Most of the Atria are designed for children aged three to six, but there are also second and third phases aimed at six- to nine-year-olds and nine- to 12-year-olds. The difference between the Atrium method of religious instruction and a more traditional approach is four-fold.

First, the theology of the child is aimed at growing with the child and developing a child’s grasp of language along with the child at their pace, rather assuming they are ready to be instructed about God.

Second, the role of the adult is to be more of a spiritual director, rather than a teacher as such. The adult is encouraged to listen to the children and to matching the child’s questions with resources

years. Those themes are the incarnation, the Kingdom of God, the paschal mystery, baptism and the Eucharist.

Finally, the Atrium focusses on essentials, as Ms. Cavalletti saw that children quickly become restless when inundated with peripheral material, so the method seeks to use the fewest words possible, eschews busy-work and only introduces those themes that meet the essential requirements of the children.

While the Atria were developed under the auspices of the Roman Catholic church, they have proven to also be an effective bridge between Christian denominations and helping to lessen the gulf between liberal and conservative Christians. Participants in formation courses have included Orthodox, Anglican and Lutheran adherents as well as Catholics. The Kaboni Atrium could be



Rosella Kinoshameg, Therese Wright and Father Tony Baranowski check out the many hands-on displays that make up the learning environment of the Atrium.

from the faith tradition, thus becoming a co-learner as opposed to instructor.

Third, the Montessori-style of teaching recognizes that children learn more from the environment around them than through lectures and lessons. Five core themes are introduced at age three and developed each year up to age 12, rather than being introduced separately in different

thought of as being an Anishinaabe Catholic initiative—and Ms. Kinoshameg is hoping to see the concept spread to other parishes in Anishinaabe territories.

More can be learned about the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd and the Atrium concept at www.cgsac.ca.

CMPS students celebrate third year of salmon micro-hatchery program



This is the third year of Central Manitoulin Public School’s partnership with the Gore Bay Fish and Game Club’s (GBFGC) salmon micro-hatchery program. This is the first time that students got to see the process right from the beginning. The GBFGC volunteers captured four females and six males to insure genetic diversity. After the eggs were fertilized then “water-hardened,” they were placed into one of 192 individual compartments in a Scotty Box. The eggs are now in the school under cold oxygenated water for the 50 days or so until they hatch. The Chinook salmon are raised until the spring when the students will bring them to a stream so they can swim out to Lake Huron to gain up to 30 pounds in four years to come back up the stream and start the cycle all over again.

photos by Andre Leblanc





Law & Order

Manitoulin OPP investigate mischief to laundromat

The Manitoulin detachment of the Ontario Provincial Police is currently investigating a mischief that occurred at a laundromat on Meredith Street in Gore Bay on October 9.

The suspect(s) entered the laundromat and caused damage while trying to break into a coin machine.

Any person with information regarding the person(s) responsible for this mischief should please contact the Ontario Provincial Police at 1-888-310-1122 or their nearest police authority.

Should you wish to remain anonymous, you may call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS) or submit information online at sudburycrimestoppers.com where you may be eligible to receive a cash reward of up to \$2,000.

Cybercriminals use lack of awareness to exploit

The Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) believes that greater awareness can help prevent citizens and businesses from becoming victims of cybercrime.

Everyone is a target for malicious online activity, including youth, businesses and government offices. Cybercriminals extort money and personal data from unsuspecting victims by taking advantage of low cyber security awareness. Individuals and businesses can take steps to protect their data by managing risks, reducing threats and minimizing harm.

To better protect yourself online: Beware of unsolicited emails demanding personal information or immediate payment; use strong passwords that include capital and lower case letters, numbers and special symbols and change them regularly; use multi-factor authentication for your social media accounts; back up critical files to an external drive; and keep your security systems updated.

Children and youth are exposed to the digital world early, adding additional risk to their safety and well-being. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to discuss online behaviours and provide tips to their children on how to stay safe online. Resources and information on topics such as cyberbullying and child exploitation can be found at cybertip.ca.

If you or someone you know suspects they have been targeted by digital or online cybercrime, contact your local police service or local OPP detachment, the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre or Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS) or p3tips.com.

Risk of overdose on the rise in Sudbury District

There are multiple reports of a potent substance circulating in Greater Sudbury. This has led to an increase in suspected opioid overdoses.

Street drugs may be cut or mixed with substances such as fentanyl. Fentanyl can come in a variety of colours and consistency and even a very small amount can cause an overdose. Use of these substances may lead to the increased risk of an overdose. Multiple doses of naloxone may be needed to reverse an overdose.

Avoid using drugs when

you are alone. If this is not possible, ask a friend to check in on you.

When using drugs with a friend, do not use at the same time.

When switching substances or if you have not used in a while, start with a lower dose.

Carry a naloxone kit and use multiple doses of naloxone as needed.

Call 911 if you suspect an overdose.

Avoid mixing drugs, including prescribed, over the counter and illegal drugs.

Avoid drinking alcohol while using other drugs.

For a free naloxone kit, ask your local pharmacist.

Ontario hits pause on homelessness count

by Michael Erskine

ESPANOLA—The Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board (DSB) conducted a survey on homelessness across the region in 2018, fulfilling one of the requirements of the Housing Services Act 2011, but in a letter from Janet Hope, assistant deputy minister with the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, thanking the DSB for working with them to conduct the province-wide survey and noting it was an “important first step,” the ministry announced that due to “gaps and limitations in the enumeration approach and resulting data collected,” the ministry had recognized “that there are opportunities to improve the enumeration approach.”

For those reasons, the letter continues, “the ministry will pause the requirement for service managers to conduct local homelessness enumeration to give us time to review in more detail future enumeration requirements and ensure the data collected will be used to improve programs and outcomes for those experiencing

homelessness.”

The letter went on to note that the province remains committed to “improving outcomes for Ontario’s most vulnerable people” and pointed to the province providing more than \$1 billion in 2019-2020 to “help sustain, repair and grow community housing in Ontario and help end homelessness.” Further, the letter pointed to the 2019 budget as having “reconfirmed the province’s focus on mental health and addiction issues.”

The normal enumeration process was originally to take place every two years, with the next homeless count to take place in 2020.

DSB CAO Fern Dominelli noted that the halt was discussed at the Northern Ontario Service Delivers Association (NOSDA). “It was addressed at NOSDA, it (the pause) sort of defeats the purpose if we are not going to do it regularly.”

“A lot of municipalities didn’t even know they had homeless,” said DSB chair Les Gamble. “Turns out they do.”

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Miranda MacKay, right, receives a special recognition from MP Carol Hughes during a Manitoulin Sea Cadet Corps annual review.

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Former Sea Cadet receives special post-secondary scholarship

by Alicia McCutcheon

MANITOULIN—Miranda MacKay of Kagawong, a former petty officer first class with the Manitoulin Sea Cadet Corps, received word recently that she had been chosen by the Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Education Foundation to receive a post-secondary scholarship. Ms. MacKay is currently in her first year of nursing at Nipissing University in North Bay.

While she hasn't been told for what amount the scholarship will be, it will be in the range of \$1,000 to \$5,000.

Another scholarship on offer through cadets is the Irving Shipbuilding Scholarship for those cadets entering marine-related programs from welding to naval architecture.

"This is just one advantage of being a Sea Cadet," the Corp's Commanding Officer (CO), Sylvain Boucher tells The Expositor. "It's so much more than just drills. It may be based on military tradition, but there are so many opportunities, like travel."

CO Boucher notes that Island cadets have recently travelled as far as Nova Scotia, British Columbia and across the province for training and summer camps.

"We had one cadet last summer who acted as camp staff, so he was paid to do what he loves to do," he adds.

And the famous Island corps marksmanship team has become a force to be reckoned with in the area circuit. And, in a first, an all-female team will be heading to Ottawa next month for a regional competition in orienteering.

As an added bonus, the cadets program is free to join, and the uniforms are paid for, too.

"People think that when they join the cadets they are part of the military—that's not true, it's a misconception," the CO continues. "We're not there to push that, although some cadets do go on to have a life in the military."

Ms. MacKay began her cadet journey at age 13.

"There were a couple of boys in my class who talked about it a lot," she tells The Expositor. She and her family saw them in action at the Manitoulin Trade Fair and she thought 'Let's give it a try,' she recalls. "I liked it right away."

By the time Ms. MacKay 'aged out' of the corps she had the ranking of Chief Petty Officer First Class and Coxswain, or head cadet.

When she's not busy with schoolwork, Ms. MacKay is helping as a naval instructor with the North Bay Cadet Corps.

Ms. MacKay says the best thing about being a cadet "is the experience as a whole. I really enjoyed the leadership opportunities. I didn't do the trips that many of the cadets do but instead focussed on the corps at home."

As she got older, Ms. MacKay said she began to turn her attention to the young cadets and ensuring that they were having a great time, just as older cadets had done for her when she was a new member.

"Sea Cadets on Manitoulin, specifically, is a really tight-knit group—a friendly place to be and grow up," Ms. MacKay adds. "The deployments, training are just a bonus. The friends you can make last a lifetime."

The Sea Cadets meet each Monday night from 6 to 9 pm at Manitoulin Secondary School and anyone can join, and at any time, but must be at least 12 years of age. A health card and birth certificate are required to sign up.

There are currently 22 cadets registered but more are welcome.

"The more cadets we have the more interesting things we can do," CO Boucher says.

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Twelve-year-old Lucia Salmaso crosses the finish line at the Wiky Road Race, coming in an impressive fifth place overall.

photo by Michael Erskine

Wiikwemkoong 10K race numbers way up

by Michael Erskine

WIKWEMKOONG—The 47th running of the Wiikwemkoong 10K Road Race this year enjoyed near perfect running weather that brought out 63 runners—nearly double last year's count held in some pretty dismal weather.

The top male runner and the winner of The Expositor trophy this year was Neil Phipps with a time of 38:01, followed in second by Aurel Fox with a time of 38:25 and then third place went to top female runner Sara Mellraith with a time of 41:02. Brent Walker came in fourth with a time of 41:23 with 12-year-old running sensation Lucia Salmaso rounding out the top five with a time of 42:12.

The top male high school runner was Julian Wemigwans, with a time of 45:25, and top female high school runner was Sierra Pangowish with a time of 45:40—both not that far off the top.

The top female 50+ was Laurie Beaudin 53:16 and top male 50+ runner was Brent Walker with a time of 41:23.

New categories for this year included the first child and second child nine and under to cross the finish line, those were Brayden Wabano (1:05:03) and Lily Beaudry (1:07:40) respectively; and first and second child 10 to 13 to cross the finish line, won this year by the amazing Lucia Salmaso (42:12) and Peyton Ominika (1:12:54). Lucia came in fifth overall.

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Fourth annual M'Chigeeng Water Walk set out from Otter Lake

by Michael Erskine

M'CHIGEENG—A gentle mist rises from the dark waters of Otter Lake in M'Chigeeng as a group of water walkers gathers on the shore, performing ceremonies and singing songs as part of an annual water walk—the fourth year in a row the walk has taken place.

Kim Debassige is currently teaching at Queen's University while studying for her master's degree, but felt it was important to keep up the tradition she has followed for the past four years both as a water walker and as a rain dancer.

"I didn't know I was going to be pulled into that," she admitted of her role as a rain dancer, but it

is a responsibility and commitment that she cannot walk away from.

The group conducted a sunrise ceremony at the lake and listened to stories. "Everyone shared their stories about the water and the land," she said. "We brought our ancestors into that ceremony and thanked the grandmothers for prayers for our daughters and young missing and murdered. We heal ourselves in those moments and helps us walk in a good way."

Ms. Debassige's mother had earlier talked about the importance of not being judgmental during that healing as people try to find their own way out of their own suffering.

During the ceremonies, the women and men attending created two medicine bundles, one for each gender, that included small rocks, the grandmothers, as well as small portions of traditional foods including fish, corn and strawberries.

As part of the ceremonies, each attendee was smudged in turn and shared water and strawberries as they offered their semma (tobacco) to the fire.

The event was very emotional for many of those in attendance as they spoke of the pain and tragedy of young lives lost too soon, and how none of those who were left behind felt that they were better for the loss but continue to suffer the pain and confusion of those

deaths.

Most of those in attendance have lost a loved one far too soon and spoke plainly and eloquently of their feelings as they passed an eagle feather from speaker to speaker.

With bundles prepared and water gathered in a copper decanter and led by an eagle staff, the water walkers set out for the shores of West Bay on the North Channel where light refreshments were available.

"Hopefully, some of us here this morning can find some comfort and healing through the sharing of our stories and prayers," said Ms. Debassige.



With eagle staff in hand and to the beat of the hand drum, community members set out on M'Chigeeng's fourth annual water walk.

photo by Michael Erskine

Friends of Misery Bay meet with Climate Risk Institute

by Warren Schlote

MINDEMOYA—The Manitoulin Island-Wide Climate Change Risk Assessment is well underway and representatives from its two lead organizations met with a contingent of Friends of Misery Bay (FOMB) members in Mindemoya last month to discuss the impacts of climate change they have witnessed in their environment.

"Ultimately, it's an educational piece for a lot of people. It raises awareness on the topic of climate change and it's important to conclude with solutions and things that have been done that can be adapted (for Manitoulin Island) to inspire action from people and improve climate resilience," said Al Douglas, president of the Climate Risk Institute.

The Expositor first reported on the collaboration between the Ontario Centre for Climate Impacts and Adaptation Resources and Manitoulin Streams Improvement Association in November of 2017. This past summer, that centre transitioned into the Climate Risk Institute.

Mr. Douglas owns Hide Away Lodge in Kagawong and has been visiting the Island seasonally since his youth. He approached Manitoulin Streams to see if they would be willing to take part and assist in gathering and organizing data pertaining to the on-the-ground impacts of climate change on the Island. "For a couple of years we've been collecting data and information to piece together what we know about a) how the climate is changing and b) how it's impacting people, property and ecosystems with the ultimate goal of getting a risk assessment to come up with solutions—things we can do to manage the risks associated with climate change," said Mr. Douglas.

The Island-Wide Climate Change Risk Assessment is an ongoing process and its estimated completion date is still unsettled, though Mr. Douglas said most of the data collection has concluded.

At the presentation, he shared information on climate change projections for the Gore Bay area—the only place on Manitoulin Island that still has an active Environment Cana-

da weather monitoring station and also has records dating back to March of 1881. This enabled the researchers to establish a baseline climate trend and compare changes and establish predictions.

"It was a presentation about climate change in general, so there was information on changes in temperature and precipitation, information on impacts—so, impacts to ecosystems, impacts to municipal infrastructure, impacts to a variety of different areas—and then a section on responses to climate change; things we can do, mostly related to adapting to climate change," said Mr. Douglas.

He added that his organization keeps up-to-date on new developments in climate science and the meeting was also an opportunity to give the attendees the most recent information that pertains to the changing conditions on Earth.

"From discussions I had at the door, they seemed to appreciate the content. They appreciated the new and recent information and they appreciated the fact that we were focusing on solutions and presented them in a way that it wasn't super scientific; it was relatively easy to understand,"

said Mr. Douglas.

One of the attendees was Island climate advocate Jan McQuay, who said she participated in the meeting a great deal.

"This kind of conversation needs to take place over and over and over again until we start developing real solutions," she said, noting that Billings' and Central Manitoulin's climate change co-ordinator is scheduled to host public information sessions this fall to further the discussion.

"We were mostly talking about mitigation and what we're looking at if we don't mitigate," said Ms. McQuay.

Manitoulin Streams' Liam Campbell has been working to gather a great deal of climate data on the Island as part of that organization's contribution to the project. He presented at the meeting about what impacts may arise on the municipal level and the trends his data has revealed.

Manitoulin Streams project co-ordinator Seija Deschenes also discussed her organization's tree planting program and its ability to help capture and store carbon.

Ms. McQuay said she was

inspired to see so many people in attendance who were committed to taking action to protect the environment and fight the effects of human-caused climate change. However, she acknowledged much work lies ahead if humanity is to make significant progress in the fight against climate change.

The event was invite-only for the FOMB, something Mr. Douglas said was done because of FOMB's partnership with Climate Risk Institute.

"We were looking for a conversation about how people have seen or experienced climate change particularly in the ecosystems in the area of Misery Bay," he said. "People who attended the session had shared comments that it might be a good idea to open future meetings to the public and I think that's a good idea as well."

Ms. McQuay noted that climate predictions are leaning toward increasing drought in summers with greater precipitation in the shoulder season, something that will tax many industries and individuals, especially Manitoulin's agriculture sector.



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by Mackenzie Cortes

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Jared Cortes is one MSS athlete who is constantly working to improve his athletic skills. Jared is a Grade 10 student who enjoys ice rentals with the boys, snowboarding and rock climbing when he isn't at sports practices, or busy doing homework.

Jared was very active when he was younger. While he attended Little Current Public School, he competed in cross country, track and field, soccer, volleyball, baseball, and basketball. When he got to Grade nine, he continued playing sports including badminton, volleyball as setter, and track and field. He was able to make it to NOSSA for track and field for triple jump and the 800m. Jared and his volleyball team also played very well at NSSSA. This year, he is playing volleyball as setter again, and he is on the boys' Mustangs hockey team. Jared also avidly participates in crossfit. Outside of school, he used to train with Manitoulin School of Martial Arts where he started when he was only 5 years old. He has achieved his brown belt, and he even won a grand champion at one of the tournaments he competed at. Jared also started hockey at the young age of 4 with the Little Current Flyers, and he played with the Manitoulin Panthers in atom, peewee and bantam every second year. In the summer, he enjoys playing ultimate at Low Island.

Jared enjoys playing sports because they're an easy way to get together with friends and make new memories. His favorite sports are hockey and volleyball because he can set people up to make good plays. When he plays volleyball, he believes the setter is the control tower for the team and sets the mood and rhythm of the game. In school, his favourite subject is gym because it's practice time for certain sports. One of the people who inspires Jared to do well in sports is his grandpa. Everyone always talks about what an amazing athlete he was, and Jared aspires to be like him. After Jared graduates high school, he would like to become a teacher.

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...Victim of Father Epoch shares story of ordeal for first time

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 them anonymity due to the sensitivity of the topic and the dynamics of the alleged victim's small community. As such, they will be referred to with gender-neutral pronouns throughout this story.

The individual grew up in a small town that fell within the region of the Fort William (Thunder Bay) Diocese. Their former parish priest died in 1958 and was replaced by Jesuit Father Epoch. His arrival was, similar to many other places, seen as a Godsend.

"More than anything else, I am angry," they told The Expositor. "We were just so damn naïve."

The alleged victim described how Father Epoch recruited altar boys and increased their numbers, picking his 'favourites' through the process. Those 'favourites' were invited to have sleepovers with him when the rectory's housekeeper was away, which was when they were allegedly abused.

One evening, this individual went to the rectory which was when they said the abuse took place. They said that the abuse went no further than Father Epoch placing his hand down the front of the alleged victim's pants while they sat on the priest's lap. They were around age 11 or 12 at the time.

This individual did not experience any further sexual contact with Father Epoch after that incident. They said they were unsure whether any of the other victims in their town experienced abuse that went beyond touching; as in many communities at the time, the church held a powerful position and discussions of any possible



The alleged victim who shared their story for the first time with The Expositor said they have kept this photograph of Father Epoch throughout their life.

misconduct were often quashed.

"I know of an instance with another priest, there was a woman waiting for her husband to come off the railroad and she saw a 14- or 15-year-old girl leave the rectory," said the alleged victim. "Someone has got to realize, even then, that 11- and 12-year-old children... it's not normal to sleep at the priest's house. But they could do no wrong (back then)."

The individual said they didn't face any consequences for not being overly welcoming to the priest's advances. "He wasn't a mean man. There were no repercussions with respect to not being receptive. He didn't have a mean streak," they said.

Father Epoch was replaced in 1960 by another priest who delivered foreboding and intense sermons when he spoke with the individual's Grade 8 class every Friday. This was a sharp contrast from Father Epoch's kind outward approach and the children were not overly appreciative of the shift.

"(The new priest) was being teased about not being as nice as Father Epoch which led to his subsequent blow-up when he made his statement about us one day knowing about Father Epoch. It did not dawn on us at the time. But the statement is one of those things that will come to mind with certain stimuli," said the alleged victim.

After Father Epoch left the town, one of the fill-in priests invited the alleged victim to go swimming with him at a nearby beach.

"I thought nothing of it at the time but later—years later—I realized that I was being interviewed by this man. He was assessing the damage done by Epoch. I am not sure whether it was damage to me or the diocese. My thoughts are not that the concern was with me," they said.

This was an indication to the alleged victim that the administration of the religious order knew what was happening and simply moved offending priests around, rather than dealing with the problem fully.

"I'm sure he went back and told the bishop and reported his findings," they said. "Whatever happened

in Nova Scotia or Spanish (after these alleged abuses), that just blows me away."

The bitterness over what the individual described as a dismissive administrative mindset still lingers today.

"I'm angry that this pedophile wasn't stopped before he abused all of those children after he left (my town) in 1960. My anger is directed mostly at Bishop E.Q. Jennings," the individual told The Expositor. "The bishop, his underlings and consultants knew about Epoch's predilection and did next to nothing about it. Epoch's only punishment was to be banned from the Fort William Diocese. In other words, he was allowed to continue his abasement of children in other places."

The individual's devout mother permitted her son (this individual's brother) to go by train and visit Father Epoch at the Spanish Residential School. However, they said that the rest of the story belongs to their brother, who has since passed, and declined to speak further on the matter.

The alleged victim is no longer a practicing Catholic and said they do not believe in God, adding that they would be surprised if the ministers of a church that allowed such things to happen would expect to ever make it to heaven themselves.

"Even a sick mind cannot justify those actions or think that there will be divine forgiveness," they said.

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The Expositor will be following the new developments in this case as more information becomes available as well as sharing stories and past records that bring context to the crimes of Father George Epoch, Brother Norman Hinton and Brother O'Meare from their time in Wiik-wemkoong.

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"We've got a target set that includes extensive use of the MacGregor ramps, which is the interior retractable ramps. Each year, we're less able to use them because of the size of the vehicles coming to us," she said.

As a result, OSTC will be recalculating its definition of a "full load" this year because the increased presence of larger vehicles means fewer autos can fit in the same space.

To boost rider numbers, Ms. Schrempf said the company would have to continue to encourage people to take the lesser-used sailings, such as the departures at 7 am from Tobermory and 10 pm from South Baymouth.

Service reliability was on the cusp of perfect this year, sitting at 99.988 percent. A single round trip was cancelled on the afternoon of Sunday, October 13—it was as if an occult hand had swept up the winds and churned the waters such that they were too rough for a sailing.

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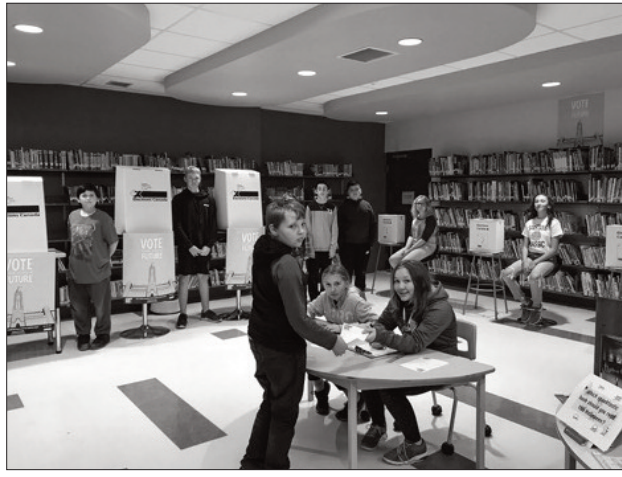
CMPS students vote NDP in mock election

by Ava Assinewai, Annie Balfe and Naomi Hill
MINDEMOYA—The Grade 8s at Central Manitoulin Public School organized and hosted a Student Vote that saw three classes cast ballots on Wednesday, October 15 for the federal election and vote in an NDP government. Although their votes will not count towards the formal election, their voices, and those of nearly two million students across Canada, will be heard, loud and clear, by the Federal Government.

"If the next federal election is held in four years, some of our Grade 8s will be voting," Grade 8 teacher Ms. Alberti pointed out. "We are in an era that needs long term-plans to find solutions to big problems. It is important for our youth, upon whose shoulders these problems will fall, to be given the chance to voice which direction they would like our country to take."

Leading up to the vote, the Grade 8 students learned how Canadian politics are organized and researched, studied the federal parties and their platforms, their leaders and local representatives.

For the vote, the Grade 8s polled the whole school for the



Last Wednesday, CMPS students held a federal election vote and chose NDP incumbent Carol Hughes to continue her role as MP.

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...Wiiky's Autumn Peltier honoured by the BBC

...continued from page 1 fame from an anti-mafia politician to human rights activists, scientists, athletes and a winner of the Nobel Peace Prize.

Autumn began water advocacy at the age of eight. Her late great aunt Josephine Mandamin was a water walker who served as

her mentor and a source of inspiration.

In June of 2019, Autumn was sworn in as the chief water commissioner for the Anishinabek Nation. The 15-year-old has since spoken at the United Nations and travelled far and wide to advocate for the protection of clean water.

Autumn's name appears on this year's 100 Women list alongside other young women who have dedicated themselves to environmental activism. These include Jamie Margolin, a 17-year-old climate change activist from Seattle who started Zero Hour, a climate change movement, as well as 16-

year-old Swedish activist Greta Thunberg who has made headlines recently for her climate advocacy around the world.

The Expositor reached out several times to Autumn's family for comment, but did not receive a response by press time Monday.

So many ways to get your spook on this Hallowe'en

by Alicia McCutcheon
MANITOULIN—There are plenty of spooktacular events Island-wide between now and Hallowe'en that you can really sink your fangs, er, teeth into.

The Centennial Museum of Sheguiandah's Haunted Museum is back this Friday, October 25 and Saturday, October 26 from 7 to 9 pm. The cost is \$5 per person.

"I was busy making intestines yesterday," laughed Centennial Museum curator Lisa Hallaert.

New this year is a haunted trail addition to the usual terrifying Bishop Barn and Morrow Homestead outbuildings.

The event is rain or shine and is open to all ages. Children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult.

During the day on Saturday, also at the museum,

there will be a kids' Hallowe'en party from noon to 2 pm that features a costume parade at 1 pm as well as games, activities and treats.

Also on Saturday, the Island Animal Hospital in Mindemoya is hosting a Hallowe'en pet costume party from 1 to 3 pm that features prizes for both pets and their owners as well as a great display for picture taking with your furry friend.

On Friday and Saturday, Manitoulin Secondary School is the latest to offer a murder mystery dinner theatre with 'Café Murder' including a delicious lasagna dinner starting at 6:30 pm. The cost is \$25 per person and tickets are available be emailing Yana Bauer at bauery@rscloud.ca or by phoning 705-348-2340. Pro-

ceeds from the event go to this year's MSS musical theatre offering of 'Bye Bye Birdie.'

On Friday night, the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 177 in Little Current is hosting a kids' Hallowe'en dance in the hall from 6 to 8 pm for children ages 4 to 13. Admission is \$5 and juice and chips will be sold. Wear your best costume! Kids are also encouraged to pick up a Hallowe'en-themed colouring sheet from 3 Cows and a Cone, the Little Current Guardian or downstairs at the Legion for a colouring contest. There are four divisions: four and under; 5 to 7, 8 to 11 and 12 to 13. Entries can be dropped off at the dance.

The Anchor Inn is hosting its annual Hallowe'en bash Saturday Night with \$100 in cash prizes for best costumes.

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Two notable changes came to the Chi-Cheemaun this year. To start, the province shifted its ownership of OSTC from the Ministry of Energy, Northern Development and Mines to the Ministry of Transportation (MTO) on April 1.

Before the switch, MTO oversaw all provincially-funded ferry services in the province except for the two seasonal ferry services in Ontario—the Chi-Cheemaun and the Niska I, the latter of which is also operated by OSTC and shuttles between Moosonee and Moose Factory Island. OSTC is also contracted to operate the MTO-owned ferry vessels that service Pelee Island.

"By transferring accountability of OSTC to MTO, oversight of all provincial ferry services is now under one ministry enabling the government to provide a consistent level of safety and service for all Ontarians and making the best and most efficient use of government resources," stated MTO

spokesperson Bob Nichols in an email to The Expositor.

The move was purely administrative and had no impact on the operations of OSTC or the service levels, according to both the MTO and OSTC.

The other switch was a revamped dining menu on board the ferry, the options of which had not previous-

ly been changed since the 1970s, according to Ms. Schrempf.

"The food was perfectly fine and we got lots of compliments on it. But for a lot of regular users, it would have been different than before," she said.

The Chi-Cheemaun will resume its service in May 2020.

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...human trafficking billboard sparks discussions

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Canada census data, making the rate of their victimization in human trafficking 11 times greater than their proportionate population.

Ms. Falle said she expected the number of victims coming forward to report their circumstances would increase. She helped co-ordinate a similar project in Fort Frances, a place where few thought they had a trafficking problem until the project began and people began to disclose their victimization.

"Once we started educating them on the topic, they started realizing where they may have missed opportunities to help women and girls, though it happens to boys and men, too," she said, adding that she had previously done some in-school speaking engagements for MNVS as a human trafficking survivor and had heard some disclosures.

"Once you've experienced this level of trauma, it really stays with you for life and affects every area of your life," said Ms. Falle. "Eighty-five percent of trafficking victims return to prostitution or trafficking (after they leave that life), or even return to the same trafficker as before."

A significant reason why this is such a difficult cycle to break is because of the ways victims are conditioned and brainwashed by traffickers. If they are taken into the circuit at a young age, victims tend to lack a lot of the emotional intelligence that is required to thrive in the 'outside' world.

"You might be really confident in that life but when you're taken out of it, you may feel like you don't have communication skills. You don't know who you are when you leave," said Ms. Falle. "(Traffickers) make you believe they give you life; you eat, breathe and sleep for the traffickers. They say your 'family' in the sex trade are the only ones who don't judge you and so when you're out of that environment you're constantly looking for judgment."

She added that business and per-

sonal relationships vary widely in different circumstances, with some victims having personal relationships with their traffickers, some having children with them, some splitting revenues 50/50 and others giving all the money to their traffickers.

"Some traffickers may, in some twisted way, take care of their people. Others do what we call gorilla (also called guerilla) pimping, which is like 'you belong to me, you're my property,'" said Ms. Falle.

A trafficker's set of victims is referred to as a "stable." Ms. Falle said the ones that a trafficker controls



Individuals who purchase sex are liable under the Protection of Communities and Exploited Persons Act and can be charged under the legislation.

most closely are called "mains" or "bottoms," and often become just like the abuser and will start to recruit victims for the trafficker or hold onto funds on their behalf, possibly even taking the fall on any criminal charges to protect the trafficker.

Ms. Falle stressed that while notions of human trafficking and coerced sex work may conjure mental images of physical restraints, most trafficking victims appear free and can physically leave the environment at their will. However, they are deeply mentally conditioned into staying with an abuser.

"We don't leave because of invisible captivity and psychological abuse. We're led to believe our only worth is to be bought and sold," said Ms. Falle, who said that the general population is beginning to get a better perception of the meaning of the phrase 'human trafficking.'

That has also sparked a shift away from a long history of when society would blame sex trafficking victims as criminals and deviants, a mindset that is still somewhat common in the public but is not representative of modern laws. This has created more opportunities for "an out" than ever before, according to Ms. Falle.

"If you suspect somebody is a victim, you have to respond on an individual basis," said Ms. Falle, who cautioned against putting oneself in a dangerous situation through a 'rescue mentality' and instead being there to provide unconditional, non-judgmental support.

"It's about bringing back sensitivity when they've been so desensitized. (Victims) get so used to the violence that they don't really notice it any more. Let them know you're afraid and worried for them," said Ms. Falle, who said that if someone suspects they know a victim, it is much better to be direct and ask rather than trying to indirectly approach the subject to avoid offending them.

Manitoulin Northshore Victim Services provides supports to victims of human trafficking.

"We have people who have experienced what they have, who will approach it in a non-judgmental way and work at their pace. We understand getting out might not happen overnight and we will meet them where they're at," said Ms. Falle.

The organization also provides urgent services if needed.

"We can get a victim to safety in 20 minutes if they call Victim Services," said Ms. Falle.

MNVS can be reached by calling 1-866-392-7733 or visiting its website at MNVictimServices.ca.

...Robinson treaties' annuities case enters second phase

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put before the court in the Stage One trial, this entry does not meet the threshold two-pronged test. It does not alter, contradict or shed new light on what was already before the court. It would not probably have changed the result. Its exclusion would not be a prejudice to Ontario nor a miscarriage of justice. It could have been discovered with reasonable diligence. It would not be in the 'interests of justice' to admit this evidence."

Justice Hennessey went on to note that "this entry does not purport to have any impact on the Huron Anishinaabeg who were not present in Fort William during Mackenzie's visit in the Superior Territory. This fresh evidence could not stand for or support any understanding on their part."

The province is still in a position to challenge the original decision.

Phase two is now going forward to determine a number of factors, including whether the Crown is immune to the courts on these kinds of court challenges (maintaining that the treaties are nothing more than simple contracts) and limitations on the amounts of liability or compensation. The Crown maintains that the doctrine of laches (ie. that the claimants waited too long to take legal action); limitations or how far back annuity improvements should

go; and who is responsible for increasing the annuities—Ontario or Canada—are key issues.

"As far as we are concerned, the Crown is the Crown (whether provincial or federal)," said Wiikwemkoong Ogimaa Duke Peltier, who spent a couple



Wiikwemkoong Ogimaa Duke Peltier said he was disappointed that Ontario is appealing the court ruling.

of days sitting through the arguments being presented by each side. "We are disappointed that the province is appealing the decision."

The federal government has chosen not to challenge the court's earlier decision. Ogimaa Peltier noted that there is disappointment that the whole matter is being decided in the courts, noting that they would much prefer a negotiated settlement. "It is unfortunate that the court has to be the one to be relied upon to decide on this," he said.

Ogimaa Peltier also notes that, as far as he is aware, Ontario is the only province attempting to claim immunity from what is essentially a treaty.

The court hearings on phase two are slated to continue over the next couple of weeks into early November. A date has not yet been set for phase three deliberations, but is expected to take place some time in April, where the amount of compensation will be set.

The original court challenge seeking the increase in annuities was filed by Mike Restoule, a Nipissing First Nation member, on behalf of the 21 First Nations in the Robinson-

Huron Treaty. The original annuity was \$1.70 per person when the treaty was signed in 1850, but increased over the following 24 years to 1874, when the increases stopped.

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...Hughes returned by a landslide

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tive Dave Williamson who swayed 10,557 or 26.3 percent of voting electors. Mr. Williamson could not be reached for comment by press time.

In third was Liberal Heather Wilson with 9,760 or 24.3 percent of the votes cast in AMK.

"Well, obviously we are a little disappointed, but the voters are always right," said Ms. Wilson. "We tried really hard and ran a good campaign. This was the second time and we thought we could get better results, but Carol (Hughes) works really hard and the people of Algoma-Manitoulin-Kapuskasing think she is doing a good job."

Green Party of Canada hopeful Max Chapman, new to the political scene, earned a respectable 2,145 or 5.3 percent of the AMK

votes. He said he was pleased to have netted more than double the votes the Green Party received in 2015 (927).

"I think we really pulled ahead when we stuck to what positions we had that differed us from the other parties instead of constantly talking about where others had failed," he said.

The idea of a minority government was positive for Mr. Chapman who said it would hold the dominant party to account and enable other parties to continue pushing for a proportional representation system.

"In four years I'll be back and bilingual and ready to go across the riding right at the beginning," he said.

In fifth was People's Party of Canada candidate Dave DeLisle with 2.2 percent or 883 votes.

"I think I could have done better with a little more

support," said Mr. DeLisle. "We're a new party and word hasn't really been getting out there, plus the regular media has been pushing us off and avoiding us."

"She ran a good campaign, but she's well known," Mr. DeLisle said of Ms. Hughes' victory. "But she won and I give her credit. We'll see if she can do some of the things she said she was going to do."

Sixty-six percent or 41,535 of eligible electors voted in the 2015 election, which had the highest voter turnout in years. This year's outcome of 40,209 voters or 61.46 percent marked a significant reduction, though this matched the national trend. Final national turnout numbers were roughly 64 percent as of press time early Tuesday, with nearly 98 percent of polls reporting.

...Justin Trudeau wins second chance

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the victorious Liberals.

Mr. Singh said that his party would focus on people and a "constructive role in Parliament."

If there is a big winner in the national election results it would have to be the NDP—which, although the party lost some ground, particularly in Quebec, has found itself in possession of the balance of power. The Bloc Quebecois also has plenty of cause for celebration in the election results, coming back into relevance after nearly being given up for dead following the last election in 2015.

The clear losers in the 2019 election were the Conservatives under Andrew Scheer, for whom the long knives were already rumoured to be whispering out of back-room sheathes even before the ballots were being cast; and Maxime Bernier, whose People's Party of Canada failed to win a single seat, including his own (which he

won as a Conservative with a plurality of more than 20,000 votes in the last election).

To form a majority any party had to secure 170 seats. As of press time Monday night, the standings were 156 seats for the Liberals with 33 percent of the vote, 122 seats for the Conservatives with 34.5 percent of the vote, Bloc Quebecois with 32 seats and 7.8 percent of the vote, the NDP with 24 seats and 15.9 percent of the vote, the Green Party with three seats and 6.4 percent of the vote and one independent.

Jody Wilson-Raybould, whose very public spat with the prime minister and his office over SNC Lavalin heralded the decline in Prime Minister Trudeau's personal popularity, managed to secure her Vancouver Granville seat by reasonable margin, while her friend Jane Philpott came in third behind the Liberals' Helena Jaczek and the Conservatives' Theodore Antony but besting the NDP's Hal Berman by a 3-1 margin.

...CMPS students vote NDP in mock election

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most popular election issues, then researched the attitudes and commitments made by five of the main political parties to the environment, childcare and healthcare. With that information, they made small speeches on the announcements to inform the whole school. Then, they turned the announcements into debates to have in front of the other classes who were voting.

One of the other participating classes in the student vote was Ellen Ferguson's Grade 4/5 class. "The student vote is important because our students will vote shortly. They will need to be informed about how the government works and about the different views held by our political parties. This will help them start making decisions about what they think needs to happen in our country, as well as making sure their voice is heard through the (student) voting process," Ms. Ferguson added.

"It was great to see students learning about the issues and discussing them with one another, I feel very optimistic for our future knowing that it will be in their capable hands," enthused Central Manitoulin's principal David Wiwchar.

The Grade 8s were very positive about their experience.

rience. "I liked the program. I think it prepared us for our future. We didn't know anything about the election before," said Ava Assinawai.

"This made me understand elections and voting more," Aiden Case added.

"I thought this was cool. I feel a lot better prepared to vote in the future," Nevaeh Harper shared.

One student, who wished to remain anonymous said, "In school, I find we don't learn enough about the real world and the future ahead

of us. I feel like I was taught something, like now I am actually better prepared, and not just with equations."

The CMPS students voted for the Carol Hughes and the NDP with 22 votes, The Green Party and Max Chapman with 16 votes, Heather Wilson and the Liberal Party with seven votes, Dave Williamson and the Conservative Party with three votes and Dave DeLisle of the Canada People's Party with one vote. The Rhinoceros Party did not receive any votes.

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Debajehmujig's Six Foot Festival offers building blocks for art

by Warren Schlote
 MANITOWANING—An impressive contingent of artists displayed the best of their abilities and a desire to think outside the box (while also thinking inside the box) at this year's Six Foot Festival, held recently at Debajehmujig Creation Centre in Manitowaning.

"This festival is a continued effort to reach out to local artists and community members about the idea of creating art in a six by six cube. It doesn't have to be high-end, it's free and open," said Debajehmujig Storytellers artistic director Bruce Naokwegijig. "The six by six area to create in, that's the challenge for artists to work in. It's all self-initiated, so they bring their own take on what the theme is."

The first installation in the main lobby of the centre was made by visual-artist-in-residence Ray Fox. It depicts a dress that is made of leaves and connected to a form he found in the costume shop upstairs.

"I got inspiration from my natural surroundings, with the fall and the changing colours," he said, adding that the piece represents entering a barren environment and leaving the richly coloured leaves in tow.

"The form is walking into an environment without leaves and bringing them with it," he said.

Further along the hallway is an eagle created by



Veronica Johnny created 'Buffalo Medicine,' a place to pause and foster one's own healing journey.



Michael Oshkabewisens was the first performer to sign up for the open mic on opening night.

photos by Warren Schlote

Sheila Trudeau.

"I saw it in a tree at a festival in Sudbury last fall," she said.

Ms. Trudeau made use of willow, leaves and grape vines to assemble the piece, saying she wanted to use only natural materials for the project.

"I could always add more, like every artist, but I'm happy with the way it is now," she said.

Inside the theatre space, Veronica Johnny created a meditation space with her cube. She described her inspiration from her mentor Duke Redbird, a friend of Norval Morisseau.

"The art I share with people is basically art with the intention of healing. We can become our own healers," she said.

She included a small bench at which to sit, as well as bowls containing tobacco and sage to make offerings. The main feature



Debajehmujig visual-artist-in-residence Ray Fox created his untitled piece using a form from the costume shop and assorted fall leaves.

at the back of the cube was called 'Buffalo Medicine,' a depiction of an array of rocks and fossils. The name comes from the centre fossil's resemblance to a buffalo head, according to Ms. Johnny.

She described her cre-

ative process of making an offering before gathering stones for her art, and later passing the stones on to others so they can use them for their own healing.

Also in the theatre space was 'Dreamcatching' by Tabitha Peltier. She said

she was aiming to create a sort of home that could offer shelter from a world of bad dreams.

"I want people to feel what it's like to be surrounded by dreamcatchers. My thought was to keep it open so people can come inside," said Ms. Peltier. "I hope they feel a freedom when they sit in it; a sense of control."

Finally, at the rear of the building, Mr. Naokwegijig's cuboid creation 'Ode to Rick' brought together elements from the first-ever Six Foot Festival and new elements. The centre features the old "accumulator" that is coloured to look like a massive grape, and the surrounding cube, perched on one of its points and on an elevated stand, is covered in grape vines.

The vines came from an area grape grower named Rick who has supported these events in the past.

The rest of the weekend included workshops on drawing, brain tanning, the Planked fun-draiser, eco-

art, a video premiere, food sovereignty, growing from seeds and traditional medicines. There were also several open mic events and community feasts that brought all together for, in most cases, no cost of admission.

"This year's theme was 'From the Sky to the Earth,' last year's was 'From the Earth to the Sky,'" said Sam Brennan, Debajehmujig community arts animator and Six Foot Festival activity co-ordinator. "That seems really similar, but so much changes from switching those two words."

While last year focused heavily on the cosmos above, this year focused more on the earthly realm and the many things under the sun.

Ms. Brennan thanked the many volunteers who help out at Debajehmujig throughout the year and especially at this festival, and encouraged anyone interested in donating their time to contact the centre for more information.

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M'Chigeeng Health Services acknowledges Breast Cancer Awareness Month

by Julie Assiniwe and Mary Buie

M'CHIGEENG—A 'lunch and learn' was held for M'Chigeeng Health Centre staff and community members last week and hosted by Julie Assiniwe (interim community health nurse) where everyone was encouraged to wear pink.

Participants varied from expectant mothers to young and older women, men and children. Health information pertaining to risk factors, signs and symptoms, mammography, myth versus facts, lifestyle choices, risk reduction and other resources were offered. To make a tough topic fun and enjoyable all were invited to paint pumpkins pink while Kagawong's Mary Buie shared her personal breast cancer story.

Did you know that every day 70 Canadians will hear the words "you have breast cancer?" One in eight women will develop breast cancer in their lifetime. It is the most common cancer

among Canadian women and the second leading cause of death from cancer in Canadian women. It can also occur in men. In 2019, 26,900 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer—this represents 25 percent of all new cancer cases in women in 2019. Five thousand women will die of breast cancer representing 13 percent of all cancer deaths in women in 2019. To put it starkly, one in 33 women will die of it. And of the 230 men to be diagnosed with breast cancer, 55 will die of it.

Breast cancer can be detected by breast exam, mammogram, ultrasound and MRI. From 50 years of age the standard in Ontario is a mammogram every two years or sooner if risk factors are present. One risk factor is dense breast tissue.

"I had dense breasts identified on mammogram in 2011 in my 60s so therefore was scheduled for mammogram in September 2012,"



The women who attended a M'Chigeeng Health Centre lunch and learn on breast cancer awareness pose for a photo during the event.

Ms. Buie explained to the group. "I found my breast cancer in August 2012 and it was large, five centimetres, and under my nipple so very hard to detect. Breasts with more than 50 percent glands and fibrous tissue are called dense. It is harder for doctors to spot because both cancer and dense breast tissue appear white

on mammogram. So mammograms are only 50 percent accurate in women with the densest breasts as a camouflage effect is created."

"If you have dense breasts you should have a breast ultrasound as well," Ms. Buie continued. "Now that it is known that can-

cers can be missed by just having a mammogram, some provinces have standard ultrasound practices as well. Breast screening for all women in Alberta includes mammogram and ultrasound. I am giving you information about dense breasts because until I read that on my mammogram

report I did not know the significance of it. All mammogram reporting should state if there is dense breast tissue present."

Dense breasts are common in women ages 40-74 and of those women, 43 percent have dense breasts—they become less dense and more fatty with age.

Fifty-six percent of women in their 40s have dense breasts; 37 percent in their 50s and 27 percent in their 60s. Because there has been little awareness of risk factors for breast cancer with this situation, a Dense Breasts Canada group has been formed. Go to DenseBreastsCanada.ca to access information.

"So, women, it is up to us to advocate for ourselves so that all tests necessary are available to us to detect breast cancers as early as possible," Ms. Buie added. "Please share this information as knowledge keeps us healthy."



Honouring a star

Nevada Cyr-Anwhatin, left, was honoured recently by Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services at its annual general meeting with a youth achievement award. The 17-year-old Espanola High School student is an athlete and youth leader in Whitefish River First Nation. To Nevada's right is care worker Dawna Chartrand and executive director Denise Morrow.

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Central Manitoulin PS hosts fall celebration and parade

by Betty Bardswich
MINDEMOYA—The students at Central Manitoulin Public School (CMPS) were very disappointed when they could not participate in the school's fall fair parade this year due to

Ann-Marie Scott teaches music and dance and she first led the teachers in line dancing. And what better band for boot scootin' dancing than The Islanders, those venerable gentlemen who have entertained

Also part of the event was a barbecue with sausages and hot dogs from the Burt Farm and stone soup using vegetables such as corn, carrots and potatoes that the children and teachers brought in. Stone

several versions of this tale, but the meaning is the same. By sharing the ingredients, the soup will be very good. This was to celebrate World Food Day (WFD) and was an eating healthy initiative to reduce climate change by eating local.

hunger across the world. It is marked every year on October 16th to recognize the founding of the Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO) of the United Nations in 1945. The event this year is a call for action across sectors to make healthy and sustainable diets affordable and accessi-

ble to everyone. It also calls on everyone to start thinking about what they eat. One hundred and fifty countries participate.

This CMPS event was outstanding and teachers Ellen Ferguson and Cori Davey and the students are to be commended for their hard work and enthusiasm.



Central Manitoulin Public School (CMPS) held their parade on October 11 as the fall fair one was rained out. Pictured are Micah Wilton of Mindemoya, Charlie Orford of Spring Bay, Providence Bay Fair Queen Bella Ferguson-Vanhome of Tehkummah, Prov Fair Ambassador Avery Sheppard of Mindemoya, Fair King Parker Johnston of Providence Bay and Josiah Wilton of Mindemoya.

rain. For over 100 years, the fair has delighted residents, teachers and students and to not have a parade was very disappointing.

The students were excited, however, when they learned that there would be a parade after all, complete with dancing and a fall feast afterwards. And what a parade it was!

There were students on decorated bikes, horses for the first time in a long while and students carrying banners. The parade was led, as always by a police officer and a volunteer firefighter. Community Services Officer (CSO) Constable Marie Ford started things off with Perry Kellar manning the large fire engine, right behind the OPP cruiser.

The parade left the school, turned on to King Street and then to Forest Street that led the students and teachers back to the CMPS gazebo area for square dancing. Teacher



Music and dance teacher Ann-Marie Scott had every CMPS student versed in the do-si-does and two-steps of square dancing.

photos by Betty Bardswich

Islanders all over the Manitoulin for many years.

Then it was time to get everyone square dancing. The music reminded one of the famous YouTube square dance video Hillbilly Hare with Bugs Bunny singing "Trout, trout, pretty little trout," and it got the kids doing do-si-does and the two-step.

soup is based on a European folk tale. The earliest version was recorded in 1720 in France and other versions were found in England and the United States. The soup is made by a poor person starting with a stone in the pot and then all manner of vegetables and beef are added by others. It is all about sharing. There are

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...Assiginack's Pumpkin Festival and Haunted Ride draws out happy crowds

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program performances can be tailored to just about any audience, but with one thing in common. For a comedian his shows are remarkable in their "clean adult" content, with none of the offensive language or material that seems to be a staple with adult comedian performances these days. Instead, Mr. Crocker relied on clever and innovative interactions with his audience that brought them onto the stage even if they remained in their seats.

Several vendors were on hand to ply their wares to the crowds with merchandise ranging from wood-working to knitting to Girl Guide cookies and magic wands.

Outside on the tennis courts various games were



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A scary terror of the night was chasing the hay wagons through the streets.

set up for the younger set, including giant Jenga, Lego blocks, various kinds of tosses and chalk drawing, while just outside a hay bale lined pumpkin bowling alley was ready for action.

Finally came the piece de resistance, with the various

ingenious home-built catapults and trebuchets lined up and ready for action. This year the top contender, Dave Eade of Little Current, had to turn down the power setting on his launcher by half. "We did a test shot and it went pretty far," he said. With Highway 6 crossing the far end of the

range, organizers decided to err on the side of safety. It was clear that Mr. Eade's entry could easily surpass the limits of the range if left at full power.

"We may have to move this event to another location next year," said organizer Jackie White, admitting that the engineering

photos by Michael Erskine

skills of the pumpkin tossing competitors were surpassing her committee's original expectations. "We have to consider safety first and foremost," she said.

Safety was certainly in plenty of evidence during the launches, with the spectators kept well back and behind/to the side of the firing line.

In the end it took only one shot from Mr. Eade's launcher to secure the \$500 top prize. The winner would be determined by the average three shots—Mr. Eade's highly engineered contraption only needed a single launch to more than triple his nearest competitor's range. Still, there was camaraderie in abundance among the competitors, with each lending a hand or tools to the others as needed.



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Red ink shadow looms over District Services Board budget deliberations

by Michael Erskine
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expected to come in \$220,003 under budget and children's services is anticipated to be right on the money—while interest revenue on on-reserve accounts is forecast to be \$88,743 into the black.
 According to DSB CAO

Fern Dominelli, the budget line culprits can be traced to paramedic services which are projected to be \$630,883 over budget. The line items for the unorganized townships, TUOMO, that are administered by the DSB are also anticipat-

ed to be in a deficit position. The DSB began its budget deliberations at a budget meeting that was slated for October 9.

"So will that \$600,000 deficit be added to our bill?" asked Killarney representative Jim Rook.

"We do have a reserve of \$500,000," noted Mr. Dominelli. "So we have just over half a million dollars we can use to draw down on that."

Mr. Dominelli explained that any addition to the municipal bill would have

to take place in the 2019 budget, not for 2020.

On the bright side, changes to the way the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) calculates the DSB contribution means a significant reduction will be in the works. "They have taken the last three years of what we paid in premium and NEAR (new experimental experience rating, a program where organizations can earn refunds or surcharges based on their individual accident perform-

ance)," said Mr. Dominelli. "That will mean something in the range of \$100,000 a year in premiums instead of \$700,000."

Mr. Dominelli noted that a recent announcement by the province that they were freezing WSIB rates for non-profits did not include municipalities, although technically the DSB is a non-profit, leaving some confusion as to whether there will be an impact on the DSB budget.

Centennial Manor Auxiliary News

by Wilberta Leeson

Another summer has come to an end with the auxiliary being busy over the summer months with completing the renovation of the palliative care room and organizing the annual Canada Day yard and bake sale. The palliative care room was officially reopened on June 4. We would like to thank everyone who donated items and money or contributed their time to make this room as beautiful as it is.

Again this year, we had our annual Canada Day yard and bake sale. Over the past several years, this fundraising activity has grown to become a huge success for the auxiliary. We would like to thank everyone for their baking and yard sale donations and those who came out to support us by purchasing our wares on Canada Day.

This fall we were very busy decorating the inside and outside of the Manor for the Harvest Glory Days competition and Thanksgiving. We would like to thank everyone who donated items like flowers, pumpkins, hay bales and corn stalks for


our display outside.

Our next task over the next couple of months will be getting ready for Christmas by decorating the inside of the Manor for the holiday Christmas parties. Please feel free to drop into the Manor anytime and see our decorating skills. In addition, we will be purchasing Christmas gifts for all the residents and assisting with their Christmas party.

We would also like to thank the families who acknowledge the auxiliary as a charity at the time of their loved ones passing and those who donate to our memorial fund in memory of their loved one. We would not be able to accomplish half of what we do without your ongoing support.

Our next meeting will be held on October 28 at the Manor. At this meeting we will be discussing other fundraising opportunities for the upcoming year. We are always looking for new ideas and new members who would like to volunteer their time by joining our auxiliary.





KENJGEWIN TEG

KENJGEWIN TEG IS RECRUITING
PROGRAM ASSISTANTS – TWO (2) POSITIONS AVAILABLE
TERM: ONE YEAR CONTRACT (OCTOBER 2019 TO SEPTEMBER 2020)

Kenjgewin Teg is dedicated to life-long learning by providing an Anishinaabewin community based-approach to education, training and business support services and opportunities. Kenjgewin Teg continuously strives to nurture confident, resilient learners who are culturally grounded in personal identity and who are active participants engaged in their own learning with high aspirations in becoming a good citizen of Mother Earth ... living a good life.

We are currently recruiting for two (2) individuals who are prepared to be consistent and have a genuine dedication to all students and community members and who have a goal to be a part of a team that utilizes innovative approaches to make things happen for our students, community and Nation. The individuals will join our team as energetic, committed, creative, and respectful employees from October 2019 to September 2020 for the following positions:

Program Assistant (2):
Salary: \$20.00 per hour

Position Objective: The Program Assistant will work under the supervision of the Director of Operations and be primarily responsible to provide operational and administrative assistance to the Department Managers and Program Staff. The Program Assistant will perform a variety of administrative, coordination and logistical services in support of the organizational operations, assist with information management, as well as planning and coordination of team activities (meetings, workshops, training opportunities, etc) as assigned. The Program Assistant will work as a team player to liaise with the various Program teams by providing support to coordinate activities, meet deadlines to ensure program delivery, and will be required to perform clerical duties as needed. The Program Assistant will be flexible to work occasional evening or weekend shifts as needed.

Qualifications:

- Applicants must be under the age of 30 to be eligible, out of school, or unemployed/underemployed
- Must be First Nation, Metis or Inuit
- Ability to work with minimal supervision and within a team environment
- Good communication and customer service skills to effectively collaborate with co-workers and the general public
- Strong attention to detail
- Working knowledge and familiarity of working in a Windows and Microsoft environment (Word, Excel, Power Point, Outlook)
- Administrative experience is an asset to determine priorities and organize diverse activities
- Strong working knowledge of general office procedures, and records management practices
- Experience in planning events would be considered an asset
- Possession of a valid driver's license and access to a vehicle is considered an asset

To learn more about this employment opportunity, please contact the Director of Operations at 705-377-4342.

Deadline: Friday November 1, 2019 at 12 noon


Interested individuals can send a complete application package that consists of:
 Cover letter, a detailed resume, three (3) current (within one year) letters of reference, and written permission to contact references. Please note that the successful candidate will be required to provide a current Vulnerable Sector Check.

Applications can be received marked confidential either through mail or fax only to:
 Kenjgewin Teg
 "Program Assistant"
 c/o Director of Operations
 374 Hwy. 551, P.O. Box 328, M'Chigeeng First Nation, ON POP 1G0
 Tel: 705-377-4342 Fax: 705-377-4379

Please note: Kenjgewin Teg has taken steps to ensure that the organization is inclusive and partnership with the school community. This includes the shared practice of First Nation tradition of smudging.

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KENJGEWIN TEG

KENJGEWIN TEG IS RECRUITING
DEAN OF PATHWAYS
TERM POSITION: 2019 – MARCH 31, 2021
2ND POSTING

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

The Dean of Pathways will act as an academic leader by providing program delivery supervision, coordination, administration and financial budgeting, while monitoring and reporting on key achievement and program deliverables including data management for the Pathway Programs. This position will participate as part of a team to strengthen local partnerships with organizations and communities dedicated to personal and community wellness, as an innovative strategy for Indigenous/Anishinabek youth and adult members in identifying a pathway approach to facilitate and help increase their employability and labour market readiness to attain employment or higher learning/vocational training.

Dean of Pathways:
Salary Range: EX2 Division Manager/Salary Grade Band M - Qualified Level M (\$78,733 – 87,480 – 96,229)

The Dean of Pathways will have three focus areas of responsibility:
Oversee Academic Programming
 The coordinating, facilitating and quality control of academic pathway programs is one of the responsibilities of a Dean. This may include strategic planning, budgeting and allocation of funds, implementation strategies and observing and evaluating knowledge keepers/elders/staff/instructors/professors in the classroom. The Dean will work closely with instructors and staff to ensure all academic goals are being met and the curriculum is appropriate.

Develop Policies and Procedures
 The Dean will also be tasked with developing and overseeing policies and procedures for the department, institute, and school they oversee. The Dean will help draft these on their own, and/or may oversee committees whose role is to work on policy drafting. The Dean will also be responsible for ensuring all accreditation criteria is being met for the Institute's programs and seeking accreditation for new programs when required.

Participate in Admissions
 The Dean will be acutely involved in the admissions process and related issues and will form a large part of this job. The Dean will work with instructors /teachers and staff to create admission criteria for each pathway program the school offers. They will oversee and assist students who are going through the admissions process by answering questions, reviewing documentation and financial information and approving students on the best suited program for their needs based on their learning levels and achievement to date.

Qualifications:

- Undergraduate degree in education
- A member in good standing with the Ontario College of Teachers
- Minimum 5 years of substantial experience in a management role
- Must possess Principal's Qualification (Part I & Part II)
- Proven skills, training and experience in educational leadership with a thorough understanding of operating a private secondary school in Ontario for Ministry inspection
- Possess strong leadership with excellent interpersonal skills and communication and the ability to build and develop effective relationships with all levels of staff, students and parents
- Ability to facilitate and deliver presentations is essential
- Excellent organizational and administrative skills, report writing skills to write and format moderately complex correspondence, including memos, letters, proposals, reports, meeting minutes and ability to maintain filing systems and databases
- Excellent computer skills in a Microsoft Office environment; (Outlook, Word, Excel, Power Point), monitor and produce statistical reports including student management data systems utilizing ONSIS, Trevlac and Orbund as required and necessary
- Strong knowledge of general office procedures involving procurement, travel arrangements, budget management and reports
- Strong time management skills with ability to multi-task and meet multiple and/or unexpected deadlines and prioritize tasks with minimal supervision in a demanding work environment
- Must have Valid Driver's license with reliable vehicle
- Appreciation and knowledge of the Anishinabek culture, principles, values, language, history and customs and supportive of Anishinabek practices, language revitalization and protocols

Deadline: Thursday October 31, 2019 at 12 noon

To learn more about this employment opportunity, please contact the Director of Operations at 705-377-4342.

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

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There is just over one week until Halloween! This is such a ghostly time of year! A Halloween joke for you:

What did the ghost say when the skeleton lied to him? I can see right through you.

On October 17, a group of students from MSS hopped on a bus to Stratford for a SHSM and music trip! On this three-day trip, students participated in different workshops such as stage combat and saw the plays 'Billy Elliot,' 'Little Shop of Horrors,' 'The Crucible,' 'The Neverending Story' and then travelled to Toronto to see the musical 'The Band's Visit.' The students arrived back at MSS late Sunday night.

Tryouts for the boys' hockey team are well underway. Participants include Carter Abotossaway, Lukas Abotossaway, Trent Bell, Liam Bridgeman, Maverick Bushey, Jared Cortes, Shannan Debassige, Owen Duncanson, Gabe Hare, Noah Hare, Cord Hughson, Riley Lockyer, Ben Marshall,

Carter Moggy, Nyron Panamick, Boston Thibault, Pierre Debassige,

Andrew Hughson, Aaron Leeson and Jacob Wilson.

The first MSS boys' exhibition hockey game of the season took place on Thursday, October 17 at 4 pm against Espanola High School. The boys' next game is an away game that will take place tomorrow, Thursday, October 24, against Notre-Dame. The final roster will be determined before the start of the regular season.

Representatives from the University of Guelph and Cambrian College were at MSS on October 17. A representative from Nipissing University was at the school the following day, October 18.

On Friday, October 18, there was a meeting in room F2 for anyone interested in participating on either the boys or girls curling teams this coming season.

Picture retakes will take

M.S.S. Kids in the Halls



Rachael Orford

place on Monday, October 28 at MSS. Students that did not have the opportunity to get their pictures taken for their student card or would like them retaken will have the chance to do so.

On Friday, October 25 and on Saturday, October 26, the musical theater class is hosting a dinner fundraiser. The dinner is called 'Café Murder: Mystery Dinner Theatre' where participants question suspects and try to solve the mystery. All funds raised support the Manitoulin Secondary School Musical Theatre program's 2020 production. Dinner begins at 6:30 pm each evening at MSS. The meal includes lasagna with sides, drinks, and dessert, as well as laughter, mayhem, and murder. Cost is \$25 per person. Admission by reservation only. If you would like to attend please email Yana Bauer at

bauery@rscloud.ca or call 705-348-2340 or contact her on Facebook.

'Bye Bye Birdie' will be the 2020 MSS musical. Open auditions for any interested elementary school students will be held on Saturday, November 2 from 11 am to 12 noon at MSS. Auditions for secondary school students will be held the week of November 4.

Share/Go Green is holding a battery drive from October 22 to 25 at MSS. SHARE/Go Green is inviting community members to drop off their old household non-reusable batteries for this event. The battery drive is a part of the Zinc Saves Lives fundraiser. The

value of the zinc in the batteries that are recycled will be donated to the Me to We Foundation for sustainable projects in the developing world. Last year, over 1,200 batteries were collected and 7,200 lives were saved.

Joke of the week: What is

black, white, orange and waddles? A penguin carrying a pumpkin.

Upcoming events include sports games, university/college representatives at MSS and much more!

Until next time, "Dream and Believe. Learn and Achieve!"

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HELP WANTED

COOK

Please deliver in person or email resume to:
staff3cows@hotmail.com
Attention: Manager



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KENJGEWIN TEG

KENJGEWIN TEG IS RECRUITING EDUCATION NAVIGATOR THREE YEAR TERM: 2019-2022 2ND POSTING

Kenjgewin Teg is an Anishnaabe controlled and directed education organization that strives to provide a comprehensive, qualitative, cultural and holistic approach to First Nations based education, training and services. Our vision is to give students the ability to see the gift they were given, in order to be able to succeed in this world! Our management and program services teams in the various fields are 110% dedicated to student success outcomes.

We are currently recruiting a committed, creative, and respectful program delivery service provider who is interested in joining our team as an Education Navigator to provide outreach to students and families by working cooperatively with school and community to co-create supportive pathways for learners. This key position will require developing internal and external relationships with multiple stakeholders to provide students with the necessary supports to fit the academic and social needs of individual learners.

Education Navigator (1)
Salary: Specialist SP2 Program/Service Delivery Specialist – Salary Grade Band Level G
Qualified Level Range - \$52,076 - \$57,862 - \$63,649)

Position Objective: The Education Navigator will be responsible to provide a range of confidential support services that enhance student access to contribute to the success and quality of learning experiences. The Education Navigator will provide outreach to students and their families, with focus on students in Grades 7 through 12, and will play a key role in the transition to the secondary program. This position will promote and encourage access to education, develop supportive individualized plans and be a resource for students and their families, while effectively advocating to remove barriers related to access of educational, mental health and/or cultural resources.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor of Education degree or equivalent combination of relevant educational background and work experience is preferred
- A minimum Diploma in Social Services field in good standing with the Ontario College of Social Work and Social Service Workers, with a minimum of two (2) years experience will be considered
- Possess knowledge of First Nation Education and the Ontario Provincial education system
- Proven experience working with First Nation communities in an educational setting
- Ability to develop and sustain healthy relationship with individuals and groups
- In-depth knowledge of internal and external community services/programs to assist students and their families, as appropriate, to assist in navigating the education, health and social service systems
- Proven experience to develop school success strategies and intervention models that support student success and learning at the elementary and secondary levels
- Proven counselling skills and experience with ability to advocate to problem solve student barriers
- Strong communication skills both written and verbal to effectively work with students, families, staff and internal and external resources
- Effective conflict resolution skills to assist students and/or families
- Must have a valid Driver's license and access to a vehicle and willing to travel
- Appreciation and knowledge of the Anishnabek culture, principles, values, language, history and customs and supportive of Anishnabek Practices, language revitalization and protocols

To learn more about this employment opportunity or to request a detailed job description please contact the Director of Operations at 705-377-4342.

Deadline: Thursday October 31, 2019 at 12 noon

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

Cover letter, a detailed resume, three (3) current (within one year) letters of reference, two of which must be professional on organizational letterhead and authored by direct supervisor, and written permission to contact references. Please note that the successful candidate will be required to provide a current Vulnerable Sector Check (within 30 days).

Applications can be received marked confidential and addressed by mail or fax to:

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

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KENJGEWIN TEG

KENJGEWIN TEG IS RECRUITING DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION THREE YEAR TERM: 2019 – MARCH 31, 2022 2ND POSTING

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The Director of Education will be responsible for consistent achievement of the education vision, mission and goals and objectives of the educational system as set out by the governing body and community. The Director of Education will provide leadership and supervision in the areas of programming, student supports, administration and financial budgeting. This position will work with all the education sectors to ensure students are inspired and continue to strive to reach their full potential. This position will lead the implementation and development of programs and services specific to education for the M'Chigeeng First Nation.

Director of Education:

Salary Range: EX2 Division Manager/Salary Grade Band M - Qualified Level M (\$78,733 – 87,480 – 96,229)

The Director of Education will have responsibilities in the following key areas:

- System leadership and Administration
- External and internal partnerships
- Student Achievement and Well-being
- Fiscal responsibility
- Personnel management
- Communication and community relations

Qualifications:

- Undergraduate degree in education or equivalent educational background with work related experience
- Member in good standing with the Ontario College of Teachers
- Preferred I/S qualifications
- Special Education qualifications would be an asset
- Must possess Ontario Principal Qualifications – Part I and II
- Must have a minimum of three years management experience in an Indigenous setting
- Program management and budgetary experience
- A comprehensive understanding of Indigenous issues and Indigenous education

Job Knowledge and Skill:

- Must have an appreciation of the Anishnabek culture, principles, values, language, history and customs; and be supportive in implementation of Anishnabek practices, language revitalization/immersion and protocols;
- Strong knowledge of general office procedures involving procurement, travel arrangements, budget management, and reports;
- Strong time management skills, multi-tasking skills, and the ability to prioritize tasks with minimal supervision;
- Ability to write and format moderately complex correspondence, including memos, letters, proposals and reports;
- Ability to problem solve and mitigate conflict in an efficient and responsible way
- Intermediate – Advanced knowledge of Microsoft Office (Outlook, Word, Excel, Power Point).

Deadline: Thursday, October 31, 2019 at 12 noon

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c/o Director of Operations
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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

PRINCIPAL
 TERM FULL-TIME
 (Ending June 26, 2020)

Position Summary

Reports directly to the Director of Education. As the educational leader will ensure school-based programs and curricula are implemented to maximize student learning experiences. Responsible for the supervision of school employees, overall operations of the school and duties as a teacher. Maintains a safe and effective learning environment. Monitors acceptable accounting procedures for fiscal recordkeeping. Maintains a climate of respect and fairness for staff and students. Tasks may vary and may include but not be limited to items in job description.

Qualifications & Requirements

- Minimum, Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education Degree, with 5-years teaching experience
- Valid Ontario Teacher’s Certificate (OTC); Principal Qualifications & Certification (Part I & Part II)
- Preferred, Master of Education or Master of Arts Degree, with 5-years teaching experience
- Previous Supervisory experience, Principal Qualifications & Certification (Part I & Part II)
- Knowledge & experience with the culture and customs of the Anishinabek. Understanding and fluency in Anishinabemowin is a strong asset.

It is mandatory for the successful candidate to submit a current 30-Day VSS; offer of employment will be subject to the receipt of successful VSS record.

Interested applicants must submit COVER LETTER, RESUME, THREE (3) CURRENT WRITTEN REFERENCES from direct supervisor/manager & EDUCATION CERTIFICATION by FRIDAY OCTOBER 25, 2019 4:00P.M. to:

“PRINCIPAL”
 Human Resources, M’Chigeeng First Nation
 P.O. Box 333 M’CHIGEENG, ON POP 1G0
 Fax (705) 377-4980

LATE OR INCOMPLETE applications will not be considered.
 Miigwech your interest is appreciated, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.
 Preference will be given Anishinabek people. www.mchigeeng.ca
 For complete Job Description, please contact HR
 705-377-5362 Ext. 227 or rochelled@mchigeeng.ca



GWEKWAADZIWIN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
Land Based Treatment Counselor

Position Description:

The Land Based Treatment Counselor is a unique position that combines the skills of an outdoor experiential learning leader with that of a treatment counselor. Staff in this position will be living and working in outdoor settings with participants and will have a weekly rotational schedule. Staff in this position will be responsible for delivering a holistic treatment program with a significant focus on Anishinabek culture and the land.

Responsibilities and Duties:

- Reporting to the Seven Grandfathers – Team Leader
- Responsible for taking direction from the Team Leader and Clinical Director and implementing it within the program.
- Continue to develop and implement model of care
- To deliver a Treatment focused Outdoor Experiential learning program; ensure group safety, teach basic wilderness skills, solidify course logistics, and maintain focus on the Anishinabek Culture and the therapeutic elements of the program.
- Assist in development of client centered holistic treatment plans
- Assist with transition of participants to the live in or community aftercare programs
- Assist in implementation of research projects
- Other related duties to support the needs of the organization across all three phases of the program

Qualifications:

- Minimum requirement is a diploma in a human service field or in outdoor leadership
- Mental health and addictions training
- Preference given to an individual of Anishinaabe ancestry with Knowledge and understanding of Anishinabek history, clan systems, protocols, etiquette, culture, traditions, and ceremonies
- Proven experience with management, program development, research, and outcome measurement
- Experience working in Mental Health and Addictions field
- Experience working with at-risk youth and young adults in a wilderness setting
- WFR or Adv WFA with experience managing backcountry medical issues
- Demonstrated superior interpersonal and communication skills (both written and verbal)
- Ability to prioritize multiple responsibilities and projects
- Able to participate in outdoor and athletic programming
- Mature individual who is able to work independently with preference given to individuals living a traditional lifestyle and being on a life-long journey in traditional knowledge

Requirements:

- Possesses a valid Ontario class ‘G’ driver’s license in good standing with access to a reliable vehicle, able to obtain an ‘F’ class Driver’s license with a preference given to those who already hold a class ‘F’ driver’s license
- Ability to work outside normal business hours as required
- Must have a relevant Diploma – with a preference for a designation with a regulatory college

Salary: \$ Commensurate with qualifications

Closing Date: November 13, 2019 @ noon

To Apply: Please submit a letter of application and resume with three written employment references, one from current/most recent employer and current Criminal Reference Check, Drivers Abstract, Copy of relevant Diplomas/Degrees. Incomplete or late packages will not be accepted. Please forward in a sealed envelope marked:

Gwekwaadziwin – Land Based Treatment Counselor
 C/O Sam Gilchrist
 Executive Director
 Gwekwaadziwin Miikan
 2027 Highway 540, Little Current, ON, POP1S0

Complete Applications must be emailed to samg@gwek.ca
 Please reference email: Land Based Treatment Counselor – Application

We thank all applicants for their interest, however, only those applicants under consideration will be contacted for an interview.



SHEGUIANDAH FIRST NATION
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- EDUCATION COORDINATOR
- WELLNESS PROMOTER
- FAMILY PROMOTION AND SUPPORT WORKER
- EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATOR
- ECE ASSISTANT
- RECEPTIONIST

For complete job posting please call 705-368-2781.
 Please submit applications via mail, fax or in person to:

Lucy Ann Trudeau, Band Manager
Sheguiandah First Nation
 142 Ogemah Miikan
 Sheguiandah, Ontario POP 1W0

Or by FAX to: 705-368-3697
DEADLINE TO APPLY; OCTOBER 25TH, 2019 12:00 P.M.
 Late Submissions will not be considered.



KINA Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
FULL TIME – PERMANENT

Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services (KGCS) is a designated Child Welfare Service delivering Child Protection Services within seven member First Nations in the Districts of Sudbury and Manitoulin. KGCS honours and supports our families’ and community’s inherent authority to care for their children based on unity, traditions, values, beliefs and customs

All qualified candidates are invited to apply by submitting an application consisting of: a resume detailing your education, work experience, cultural participation and volunteerism for the position of:

LEGAL ASSISTANT - SUDBURY
Salary Range: \$55,200 - \$68,839

Position Overview

The Legal Assistant is responsible to coordinate the provision of legal services as directed by Agency Legal Counsel. The Legal Assistant will support the coordination of agency legal services by preparing relevant legal documentation and correspondence. The successful candidate will conduct legal research, assisting with trial preparation along with service and filing of court documents.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Education & Experience

- Law Clerk, Legal Assistant or Paralegal Diploma;
- Minimum two years’ work experience in a legal capacity;
- Ability to speak the Anishinaabe language a definite asset.

Knowledge & Skills

- Knowledge of the Child and Family Services Act, the Children’s Law Reform Act, the Family Law Rules, other relevant legislation, regulations, Ministry standards, and agency policies and procedures;
- A thorough understanding of the agency’s values, service philosophy and objectives;
- Knowledge, respect and practice of the Anishinaabe culture; understanding of cultural competencies;
- Demonstrated understanding of and commitment to, the integration of principles of: equity, justice, non-discrimination and accessibility into practice, service delivery and team relationships;
- 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 “Vulnerable Sector Screen and Criminal Record Search”; and, sign an “Oath of Confidentiality”;
- Must have firm understanding of the functioning and dynamics of Anishinaabe families and child care principles;
- Ability to speak Anishinabemowin is a definite asset; or be willing to learn;
- Must be willing to participate in cultural activities, events and Circles for the acquisition of cultural competence.

Work Environment

The traditional practices of the Anishinabek will expose staff to wood smoke and the burning of sacred medicines, also known as smudging; this includes the burning of tobacco, sweet grass, sage and/or cedar.

DEADLINE: OCTOBER 28, 2019 AT 2:00 PM

Please submit your application marked “Confidential – Legal Assistant”.

Include in your application a cover letter, resume, and (3) three reference letters - two (2) of which must be employment related from recent employers. Please also detail in your application: education, employment experience, cultural participation and volunteerism.

Applicants are encouraged to visit our website at www.kgcs.org/employment to review the full job description. Please also refer to our website for instructions on submitting your Application.

Applications are accepted by the deadline date via regular mail, in person or email at:

Human Resources
 Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services
 Main Office - 98 Pottawatomi Avenue,
 Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0
 Email: hr@kgcs.org

Note: Please mark Legal Assistant in the address line of your email and submit attachments as per website Instructions.

KGCS is based on a highly specialized approach to the delivery of child welfare in our area. Preference will be given to Anishinaabe candidates (please self-identify). Miigwech for your application, however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. As a condition of employment, the successful candidates will be required to submit the following: satisfactory Criminal Reference Check, Vulnerable Sector Check and Driver’s Abstract.

USGS finds 'nothing shocking' during its Lake Huron survey

by Warren Schlotte
LITTLE CURRENT—The United States Geological Survey (USGS) fisheries research vessel Sturgeon has just completed its counter-clockwise circumnavigation of Lake Huron and the months-long process of analyzing the data is now underway.



The United States Geological Survey's vessel Sturgeon tied up in the Port of Little Current during its annual visit to Georgian Bay and the North Channel.

"We've found nothing that's too shocking this year," USGS supervisory fish biologist Timothy P. O'Brien told The Expositor when the vessel tied up in Little Current in early October.

"Since 2004, we've seen ups and downs with no real trend. If I had to identify one, over the last 10-15 years we've seen slightly increasing biomass (the total number of organisms in a given area) lake-wide, but that's very slight," said Mr. O'Brien. "There's a lot of year-over-year variation and that's normal."

The annual survey saw the crew travel around Lake Huron and sample fish populations through sonar

scans at prescribed collection points as well as mid-water trawling. The vessel has nets to capture fish as well as ultrafine mesh nets for plankton.

The populations this crew targeted were mainly prey fish, as a way of determining what abundance predator fish have available as food.

After gathering and analyzing the data, research teams will calculate the estimated number of fish in any given area in the lake using a metric called the index of abundance. This metric estimates either

kilograms or pounds of fish per hectare of water and results will not be available for some months yet.

Mr. O'Brien added that reports on fish sightings from water users can be useful to help add context to their data, such as the reported increase in alewife near South Baymouth this year—an important prey fish for salmon populations.

The crew of the Sturgeon does nighttime sampling work and the vessel is based out of Sheboygan, Michigan, near Mackinac Island.

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POSITION - ANISHNAABEMOWIN GAMIG COORDINATOR

The Steering Committee of Anishnaabemowin Gamig and the Elders are seeking a Coordinator who likes to work with Elders and supports the preservation of Anishnaabemowin.

This position will work under the direction of the Steering Committee and the Elders to carry out present projects and to create new projects.

This position will be responsible for carrying out directions from the Steering Committee including daily administration, planning, reporting and some supervision as may be required.

Responsibilities:

- Schedules, prepares for, and attends monthly meetings of the Steering Committee and Elders and sub groups.
- Prepares reports for funders and applies for funding new projects under the direction of the Steering Committee.
- Communicates with the Steering Committee and Elders and the community.
- Lives the Seven Grandfather Teachings.

Job Qualifications

- Priority will be given to persons fluent in Anishnaabemowin.
- Demonstrated ability to communicate positively in all interactions.
- Ability to use computers.
- Knowledge and experience in working with government agencies.
- Demonstrates common sense, good judgment and tact.
- Must have a valid drivers license and access to a vehicle.
- Post secondary or equivalent experience.

DURATION: Six month contract, with possibility of continuation, pending funding.
SALARY: Negotiable based on qualifications.

Application Deadline: November 1, 2019
 Mail application to: Eileen Simon, Chairperson
 Anishnaabemowin Gamig
 146 Spring Bay Road, P. O. Box 372
 M'Chigeeng, Ontario POP 1G0

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY NOOJMOWIN TEG HEALTH CENTRE PRIMARY CARE MANAGER (1 FTE)

Nookmowin Teg Health Centre is seeking a full-time Primary Care Manager. The Manager will direct and supervise medical services and allied health team members, ensuring that the team works in consultation and collaboration with area First Nations, and other relevant health and social service organizations and providers. The incumbent will be responsible for all primary care specific projects and quality improvement initiatives. The successful candidate will demonstrate an alignment with Nookmowin Teg's mission, vision and guiding principles.

Nookmowin Teg Health Centre is committed to ongoing outreach, working in a circle of care approach, providing services in a culturally safe and relevant manner, working within a team based and supported environment, and to delivering services within the seven First Nation health clinics, off-reserve and in the Espanola area. The manager will report to the Executive Director.

The successful applicant will receive a competitive and attractive employment package. For more information on the organization and services provided, please check out: www.nookmowin-teg.ca.

NTHC is an inclusive employer. Accommodation is available in accordance with the Ontario Human Rights Code and the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005.

Given the traditional practices of the Anishinabek, from time to time, exposure to wood smoke and the burning of sacred medicines, including tobacco, sweet grass, sage or cedar, may occur within the work setting.

Duties:

- Manage all medical, allied health and support staff and services;
- Oversee and ensure the effectiveness and optimization of services including referral processes; appropriate charting, appropriate consultation and follow up, scheduling, program safety and delivery, etc;
- Ensure effective and comprehensive use of the organization's electronic medical record system;
- Ensure all team members maintain a high level of professional knowledge and skills through participation in necessary professional education and training, including a priority on cultural safety;
- Ensure compliance of health professionals with regulatory standards;
- Participate as a leader in organizational and partnered quality improvement initiatives;
- Manage general program responsibilities including budgets, funding report submissions, etc;
- Ensure that Anishnaabemowin and cultural safety practices of the organization be carried;

Qualifications:

- Minimum of a degree specific to a Registered Nurse and/or relevant Allied Health discipline;
- Current registration and in good standing with appropriate regulatory body;
- Five year's work experience in a management capacity and specific to community based primary health care - First Nation or indigenous setting preferred;
- Demonstrated knowledge and skills in budget management, staff supervision, privacy, incident investigations, occupational health and safety, funding reports, resource allocation, etc;
- Demonstrated experience in successful project management – ie. new initiatives, research, etc;
- Demonstrated ability to work within a team environment, internally and externally
- Experience in blending western and traditional health practices, preferred;
- Knowledge of Anishnaabemowin and the Anishinabek culture, traditions and local communities, an asset;
- Excellent interpersonal, and written communication skills within an electronic environment, mandatory;
- Ability to travel, reliable vehicle, a valid class G Driver's License and clear driver's abstract;
- Clear vulnerable sector criminal record check, required.

Submission Pre-requisites:

Please submit a covering letter, resume, three (3) work-related letters of reference, copy of registration, a current criminal records check, a copy of valid driver's license and driver's abstract. Please mark correspondence as "Confidential". Submissions will be accepted by mail, facsimile, or email. Please do not send via Facebook.

Application Deadline: October 30, 2019 at noon

Attn: Human Resources
 Nookmowin Teg Health Centre
 Postal Bag 2002, Hwy. 540
 Little Current, ON POP 1K0

T: (705) 368-2182 ext. 235
 F: (705) 368-2229
 E: info@nookmowin-teg.ca
 W: www.nookmowin-teg.ca

We thank all applicants for their interest; however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



Employment Opportunity Knowledge Translator

The NAANDWECHIGE-GAMIG Wikwemikong Health Centre is seeking a qualified and motivated individual for the position of Knowledge Translator.

Summary

Under the direction of the Health Services Director and Dr. Nancy Young, the Knowledge Translator will be responsible for assisting the community researcher with research and research coordination relating to Aboriginal Child Health Well-Being Measure and Tobacco projects.

Responsibilities

1. Planning meetings including preparing agendas, booking rooms, arranging catering services, inviting and confirming participants, preparing travel expense forms, printing agendas and documenting meeting proceedings (e.g., taking photographs and meeting minutes, distributing documents to participants).
 2. Building and sustaining relationships with Anishinaabe community members, partners, and organizations
 3. Supporting the recruitment of participants for health-related studies including the creation of posters and materials and participating in community outreach and presentations.
 4. Preparing for and assisting with key informant interviews and focus groups (e.g., scheduling, printing interview guides, organizing completed interview notes, etc.).
 5. Supporting the collection of community level data (e.g., community demographics, health status, available health services and programs for older adults).
 6. Assisting with data analysis and the sharing of results through reports, presentations and other activities
- Ensure secure storage of research data and supporting documentation.

Qualifications

- Successful completion of post-secondary diploma in a health related discipline.
- Minimum 2 years' experience working with Indigenous people or in research.
- Experience with outreach activities with communities, organizations, and partners.
- Experience with knowledge translation and exchange with Indigenous communities.
- Knowledge of Anishinaabe culture, value and beliefs.
- Fluency in Anishnaabemowin would be an asset.
- Valid Ontario Driver's License and access to reliable vehicle required.
- Ability to work both independently and as part of a collaborative team.
- Ability to travel.

For a complete job description, please contact Melissa Roy. **All applicants MUST submit a letter of application, current resume, copies of credentials and 2 work related contact references.** Marked **CONFIDENTIAL** to:

Knowledge Translator
 Attention: Melissa Roy, Executive Assistant
 NAANDWECHIGE-GAMIG Wikwemikong Health Centre
 Box 101, 16 A Complex Drive
 Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0
 Telephone: 705.859.3164
 Fax: 705.859.3300
 Email: mroy@wikyhealth.ca

Deadline: October 28, 2019 4:00pm

Copies of the following will be requested from the SUCCESSFUL candidate: CPIC/VSS, Driver's Abstract, Accreditations, and Driver's License. DO NOT INCLUDE IN PACKAGE.

We thank all applicants; only those selected for an interview will be contacted. Incomplete submission will not be accepted. No return of submissions.

ALL INTERESTED AND QUALIFIED CANDIDATES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.

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Death Notices

GARRY JAMES DEARING



Garry James Dearing of Espanola passed away at the Espanola Regional Hospital on October 11, 2019 at the age of 78. Dear son of the late James and Harriet "Lizzy" (nee Brown) Dearing. Loving father of James Sean Dearing of Evansville, Kellie Lachance (Doug) of Chelmsford, Molly Malo (Jody) of Dowling, Erin Dearing of Espanola and Jamie Dearing of Espanola. Cherished grandfather of Sarah, Adam, Jordan, Owen, Jack, Evan and Eric. Dear brother of Bud (Marg) Dearing of Kagawong and the late Danny Dearing. Also, sadly missed by many friends and relatives. Cremation with a Memorial Service was at the Bourcier Funeral Home on Thursday, October 17, 2019 from 9 am until the time of service at 11 am. Interment of ashes at a later date. If so desired, donations to the Pet Save would be appreciated. Arrangements by Bourcier Funeral Home Ltd, Espanola.

SAMARAH TRINITY STEPHANIE NAOMI BEBONANG-PAIBOMSAI "BABY DOLL, SAMMY"

October 25, 2001 - October 15, 2019

In Loving Memory of Samarah Trinity Stephanie Naomi Bebonang-Paibomsai "Baby Doll, Sammy", October 25, 2001 to October 15, 2019. Loved, cherished and survived by parents Maxine Paibomsai and Stephen Bebonang. Brothers Stefan (Ariana), Steven Jr. and Saranden. Best friend Dave. Besties Whitney White, Trinity Cada and Ashley Corbiere. Grandmothers Veronica Bebonang and Vera Paibomsai. Aunties Alicia, Victoria, Susan, Laurie, Shelly, Jennifer, Miranda and Amanda. Uncles Tim, Richie, Chris, Theo, Corey and Robert. She will be greatly missed by many, many little and big cousins. Samarah loved to draw (almost anything), music, movies and especially chilling with her friends and spending time with her family. Also, being outdoors, walking around, cleaning (except her bedroom!) and whenever she could she would bake up a storm! Sam always had something positive to say about everyone, and she always wanted the best for her family and friends. That's how she was; if she could help in anyway, she did! We love you Sam, Sammie, BabyDoll. Family gathered privately for 1 to 2 hours, then open to all loved ones at Saswaahns Centre in M'Chigeeng on Saturday, October 19, 2019. Funeral Service took place on Monday, October 21, 2019 at 11am. Cremation to follow. Baamaa Pii. Please share your thoughts, memories and photos at www.islandfuneralhome.ca.

ROBERT (BOB) GEORGE PHELPS



Robert (Bob) George, of Spring Bay and formerly of Woodstock and London, passed away peacefully with family by his side on Monday October 21, 2019, in his 68th year. Best friend and soul mate to Karen (Whitwell) Phelps. Proud Dad of Randy (Sarah), Brian (Taunya), Kevin (Crystal White) and Darren (Jenn) Phelps and dear "Papa" to Owen, Christopher and Brianna, Justice (Austin Ball), Rylie and Brayden, Kole, Kayden and Parker, and Lillian and soon to be new sibling (October 2019) and great "Papa" to Georgia. Bob will be missed by his father George, his brother Ron and sisters Anne Reeves and Carole (Pat) McKeag, sister in law Deb Ronson (Jerry DeCaluwe), brother in law Scott (Louise) Whitwell and many nieces and nephews. Predeceased by his mother Hellen (Smith) Phelps (2019), grandson Logan (2018) and parents in law George (1989) and Janet Whitwell (2008). His passion for following Formula 1 racing was second only to spending time with his family. At the request of the family there will be no service. Cremation has taken place. Memorial donations may be made to the Mindemoya Hospital Auxiliary or the Manitoulin Health Centre-Palliative Care as expressions of sympathy and may be made through www.simpsonfuneralhome.ca.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC (OR) RESIDENTS

Byers Recycling will no longer accept tires for drop off at our location at 1793 Monument Rd Commencing Sept 30, 2019. Disposal will now be at your municipal landfill.



The Municipality of Central Manitoulin

Notice of Public Information Meeting Mindemoya Community Centre October 28th at 7:00pm

Regarding a proposed Multi Use Recreation Centre

There will be a public meeting for the purpose for input and discussion regarding the need for a new multi purpose recreation facility for the Municipality of Central Manitoulin.

Discussion will include standard of existing facilities, location of proposed new facility and the amenities to be encompassed within the new facility.

Questions prior to the meeting may be directed to Brad Christanson at the Municipal office.

Brad Christanson, P.Eng
Municipal Coordinator
Municipality of Central Manitoulin



MCGAULEY-LEESON-- Tara Lynn McGauley-Leeson November 23, 1984 to October 25, 2008
The moment that you left me, my heart split in two. One side filled with memories, the other died with you. I often lay awake at night when the world is fast asleep, And take a walk down memory lane with tears upon my cheek. Remembering you is easy; I do it every day, But missing you is a heartache that never goes away. I hold you tightly within my heart and there you will remain, You see life has gone on without you but will never be the same. Love and miss you always, Mom, Dad, Derrick, Kelsey and Cameron.

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There came a gentle call.
You closed your eyes and went to sleep;
You quietly left us all.
May God keep you in his care
Until we meet again.
Forever in our hearts,
Ever remembered and sadly missed,
Dad, Brothers and family.

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thank you

On behalf of The Royal Canadian Legion Little Current we wish to thank the community for the support of the poppy campaign 2018. The community donated \$6895.20. The funds are used to assist veterans of WW2, Afghanistan, Korean and Peace Keeping around the world who need medical support. Donations are also made to Centennial Manor and Wikwemikong Nursing Home and other organizations that make our community better. Please support our poppy campaign to help our veterans and our serving members of our services. Thank you. Anyone wishing to purchase a wreath for Remembrance Day please call 705-368-3621 or the Legion, 705-368-2661. Sue Morin, Poppy Chairman
22-23p

Special thanks to Dr. O'Connor and the kind and caring staff at the Mindemoya Hospital for all the wonderful care Mom received when she broke her hip. To all who sent cards, letters and made donations in Mom's memory, we thank you. Also, many thanks to Reverend Martin Carriss for visits and prayers and the Fairview United Church Women for the wonderful lunch at the Hall. We really appreciated the warmth and caring of all who joined us. Last but not least, many thanks to Gloria and the caring staff at Island Funeral Home. You really make a bad day so much easier. The Williamson family

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WIKWEMIKONG BOARD OF EDUCATION TENDERS FOR SNOW CLEARING/REMOVAL

The Wikwemikong Board of Education invites tenders for Snow Clearing/Removal at the following School locations from November 18, 2019 to April 17, 2020. The following places are located on the:

WIKWEMIKONG UNCEDED INDIAN RESERVE.

Wikwemikong Hub Centre
27 Amikook Street

Wikwemikong Junior School
2235 Wikwemikong Way

Wikwemikong Pontiac School
2343 Wikwemikong Way

Wikwemikong High School
34 Henry Street

SCOPE OF WORK

- 1. Parking Lots/Driveways** will be cleared of snow when accumulations reach 4 inches as per the guidelines for winter maintenance.
- 2. Parking Lots/Driveways** will be cleared by 6:00 am, and must remain clear from 6:00 am to 11:00 pm, 5 days per week.
- 3. Clearing of Fire Lanes** on Weekends/Holidays.
- 4. Clearing of sidewalks/walkways** are included in this tender.
- 5. On-Call Basis** when there is a freezing rain hazard to remove any standing slush from the driveways, parking lots.
- 6. Hub Centre, Wikwemikong Junior/Pontiac Schools:** Removal of snowbanks will be required when it interferes with the children's safety, visibility of roads, signage, and to prevent fence damage; this will be done when snowbanks reach a height of 2 feet.
- 7. Wikwemikong High School:** Removal of snowbanks from parking lot will be required when it interferes with the visibility of roads/signage and prevent fence damage; this will be done when the banks reach a height of 6 feet.

Bidders must do an onsite inspection with Maintenance Supervisor before placing bid. Bidders must provide evidence of **Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance**. Independent contractors can submit for individual/all locations.

Lowest or any tender will not be necessarily accepted.

Deadline: November 1, 2019 at 2:00 P.M. Eastern Standard Time.

Forward Tenders to:
Wikwemikong Board of Education
Attn: Sonya Morningstar
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'Songs of Manitoulin' project on track for completion

Producer seeks Islander input for vocals, cover art

by Warren Schlote
 PROVIDENCE BAY—Island musician, entrepreneur and screenplay writer Merdick McFarlane is well underway on his project to encapsulate the essence of the Island through an album of songs that are either about Manitoulin or give it a mention in their lyrics, and he has now filled many of the album slots as well as chosen a benefactor charity for the project.

"I was at the Providence Bay Fair and I went in and purchased one of (Mindemoya Hospital Auxiliary)'s tickets for a draw. The lady knew who I was and we started talking about the album I was putting together, and that I was interested in finding an organization or charity to work with," said Mr. McFarlane.

The proposal went to the auxiliary's board and the rest was history.

"(The auxiliary is) looking to see if they can get some presales for the album so we know how many we need to stamp out," he said.

So far, six songs are lined up for the CD. Mr. McFarlane said he has hopes that some more will trickle in before the recordings are finalized.

"We're looking for a few more males and one female singer to do a song," said Mr. McFarlane. He is working with an Island studio to record the vocal tracks and will be producing the music for a number of tracks with colleagues in Bristol, Tennessee.

The songs are mainly original tunes by Island singer/songwriters such as Lori Hall Gordon, Dale Gilchrist, John Gilchrist, Jim Beech and Mr. McFarlane himself. He said the interest in musicians to have their work featured on the album has been overwhelming.

"I've got an abundance of songs, in fact, too many," he said. "I thought we might only get two or three songs from Manitoulin. If it keeps going



Jim Beech is just one of the songwriters to be featured on 'Songs of Manitoulin.'

this way, I may be doing a second album in the spring."

There is another upcoming opportunity for Islanders to take part in the production of this album. Mr. McFarlane said he will soon be launching an album cover contest which will feature an online voting component for the public's input.

"I'm looking for a scene that would instantly be recognized as Manitoulin, whether the swing bridge, the Chi-Cheemaun; I'm also hoping some people that own the photographs could send in a few pictures of dance halls in Spring Bay and that area from the late '60s, early '70s," he said.

This will go to form the subtitle of the album. Although its title as 'Songs

of Manitoulin' is set, there will be a secondary title that relates to what is depicted in the winning cover art.

"Whoever sends in that winning photo, I'll take them out to a dinner of their choice," Mr. McFarlane said with a laugh. He said he would be willing to accept photos for two weeks after the publication of this story.

This project has set forward a number of other future ideas for Mr. McFarlane. He told The Expositor of a man who survived concentration camps and wrote a number of songs in the '60s about Manitoulin Island. If he can secure the rights to the music, he said he would love to do a future album with a swing band to cover those tunes.

If all continues going to

schedule, the album should be ready for release by the 2019 Christmas season, later this year. Mr. McFarlane asked anyone who wanted to enter cover art to reach out to him on Facebook or to send an email at merd39229@hotmail.com.



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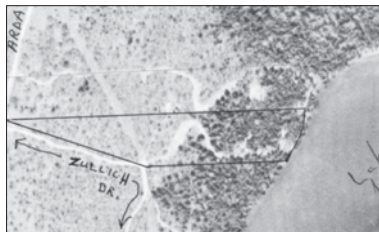
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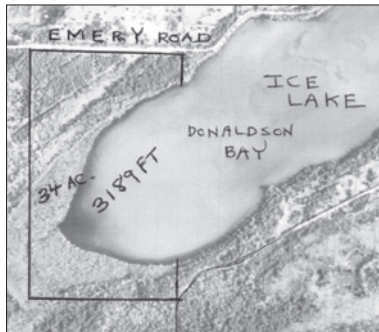
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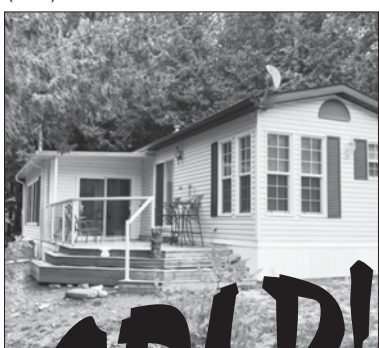
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ICE LAKE 14.33 ACRES just south of The Narrows w/easterly exposure. Large lot w/184 ft. frontage accessed via Ice Lake Drive w/hydro available. Secondary easy access to rear of parcel. \$47,000 (1076)

LAKE MINDEMOYA WATERFRONT of 150 ft. w/easterly exposure. Hardwood covered 1.2 ac. w/hydro, telephone & year round access via Monument Road at back of lot. \$99,000 (1190)

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COCKBURN ISLAND WATERFRONT lots fronting Tolsma & Big Bays in Tismaville. Six parcels side by side building 135 ft. & 3.36 ac. w/access from Water Street. Tree covered acreage w/direct access to sand beach. \$35,000 for package (1385)

LAKE KAGAWONG 4.1 ac. of mostly hardwoods w/291 ft. westerly facing frontage. Remote, off the grid forest w/seasonal access via Mud Creek Road w/elevated sunset view the full length of the lake. Four terraces to water. \$89,000 (1408)

LAKE HURON 115 ACRES south east of Michael's bay w/1980 ft. waterfrontage accessed by boat, ATV or canoe & hiking. Excellent lot away from it all. \$97,500 (1437)

GORE BAY 3.21 ACRES of variable terrain for an estate home, market garden operation or lot development. Mostly open good land w/town water & sewer available. Doc Strain Dr. frontage 87.19 ft. & Park St. frontage 45.26 ft. \$42,000 (1453)

PROVIDENCE BAY multiple building lot w/132 ft. on Eliza Jane Street & 198 ft. deep on Campbell Street only 530 ft. from famous sand beach on Lake Huron. Recently surveyed 0.6 ac. re-zoned to permit 2 residences or 2 semi-detached or 2 duplexes. Great opportunity for development of rental units. \$89,000 (1414)

GORE BAY RURAL 3 acres w/hydro, municipal water, sewer & year round access via Smith & Fraser Streets w/panoramic view in all directions. Mostly cleared arable land, on west side of Town, for mini farm, market garden & other rural uses. Two separate lots to accommodate two residences for the larger family. \$43,500 plus tax (1420)

LAKE HURON lot 150 ft. w/access via Little Lake Huron Road & Cedar Trail. Off grid 3.6 ac. of forest w/flat limestone waterfrontage. Zoned Shoreline Residential. Great getaway. \$45,000 (1418)

LARGE WATER VIEW lot located on west bluff overlooking Town of Gore Bay. Year round access & full municipal services in area of newer homes. Country living within Town limits. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241, \$27,000 (1451)

LAKE MANITOU COTTAGE on level lot w/60 ft. Rockville Road waterfrontage, sandy beach, good dock & sand bottom swimming. Bungalow 754 sq. ft. w/deck across water side has 2 bedrooms, 4 pc. bath, open kitchen dining living area w/propane stove fireplace. Recent upgrades of windows, doors, siding, shingles, fascia, soffits. Most contents including newer washer, refrigerator, stove. \$154,000 (1431)



NORTH CHANNEL SUNSETS from 225.13 ft. of protected shoreline w/small sandy beach. Privacy on 2.66 ac. w/gate, driveway, underground power line & water line installed to prepared building site. Year round access via McQuarrie Road in area of homes & cottages. \$99,500 plus HST (1481)



SILVER WATER HOME on surveyed lot 120 by 330 ft. fronting on Hwy540. Closed in sunroom porch plus 1.5 storey 990 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, bath, large kitchen dining & living room. MBR on first floor. Some contents. \$59,000 (1077)



DUTCHMEN TRAILER 39 ft. w/2 pullouts on Lake Kagawong waterfront Lot #9 at Norm's T&T Park off Lakeshore Road. Park Model w/2 bedrooms, full bath & great room plus separate bunkie as part of the covered deck. Private setting w/shoreline deck & shed. Lease \$2,000 plus tax includes hydro & is fully paid to May 2020. \$18,000 (1450)

GORE BAY OVERNIGHT APARTMENT HOTEL WiFi

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BURPEE 25 ACRES of forest 1.4 km east of Misery Bay Park Road. w/good access over ATV & walking trail. Great escape. \$17,900 (1461)

A SMALL PIECE OF MANITOULIN ISLAND just east of Loon & Lily Lakes consisting of a forest lot 0.25 ac. w/access from Hwy540 & a short distance over unopened road allowance. \$8,900 (1464)

UNIQUE LIMESTONE LOT on Lake Huron's Western Manitoulin south shore w/southerly exposure from 150 ft. & 5.3 ac. Remote, off the grid getaway w/fantastic views & amazing sunsets. Flat rock shoreline & open areas w/evergreens, various wild flowers & other plant life. Close to Misery Bay Provincial Park hiking trails w/rare plants, wildlife & alvar ecosystems. \$45,000 (1465)

LAKE KAGAWONG waterfront w/easterly exposure overlooking the water & east shore. Seasonal access via ARDA Road & Zullich Drive w/driveway already installed down first slope to a spacious, flat building area requiring very little preparation work. Even power line traverses property for inexpensive hookup. New cottages on both sides. A very rare find on the second largest lake on Manitoulin. \$109,500 (1468)

CHECKERBOARD 5.5 ACRES, fully surveyed w/8x12 shed for shelter w/steel roof & siding. Wooded lot w/road access within 1400 ft. followed by a good ATV & walking trail. Road can be extended. Good hideaway. \$13,900 (1469)

ICE LAKE 13.21 ACRES w/192 ft. of shoreline w/road kept open year round. Long rectangular acreage & easterly exposure to the water. \$39,000 (1475)

COOKS BAY WATERFRONT w/980.46 ft. of frontage & 5.87 ac. of tree covered terraced land. Direct access to the dock and boat ramp. Excellent seasonal access. No other services. \$109,000 (1479)

PRIVATE ICE LAKE LOT of 34 ac. & 3189.9 ft. of water frontage w/several building sites. Access from year round Emery Road w/hydro traversing the lot for low cost connection. Forested w/hardwoods & cedar. Easy to walk over existing trails & beside remnants of an old stone fence. Great multi-use offering. \$97,000 (1480)

NORTH CHANNEL SUNSETS from 225.13 ft. of protected shoreline w/small sandy beach. Privacy on 2.66 ac. w/gate, driveway, underground power line & water line installed to prepared building site. Year round access via McQuarrie Road in area of homes & cottages. \$99,500 plus HST (1481)

LAKE KAGAWONG building lot w/255 ft. frontage & 4.67 ac. Located northwest end of one of Manitoulin's popular lakes. Tree covered w/driveway installed to the water's edge, building site developed, 2 storage sheds, outdoor kitchen, dock & boat launch. Good swimming area & beautiful easterly views across the water. Call/text Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$135,000 (1472)



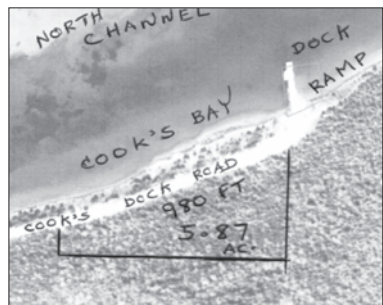
DAWSON TOWNSHIP bush camp on pretty one acre w/direct access from Hwy540. Well built & finished portable schoolroom all wired, ready to be connected to hydro already on site. Extras include a buffer from the road & a couple of rustic cabins. \$49,000 (1463)



BLACKSMITH CENTRE on corner of Main & Meredith Streets w/4320 sq. ft. over 2 floors. Concrete building 36x60 ft. on fully serviced 39x127.6 ft. lot zoned core commercial. First floor garage plus business space & second level 4 & 1 bedroom apartments. \$119,000 plus HST (1432)



AFFORDABLE COTTAGE, on Ice Lake, near Gore Bay in private setting of beautiful old growth maples, 200 ft. frontage, 2.67 ac. w/hydro & year round access by the residents. Bungalow w/bedroom, living room, kitchen & 3 pc. bath plus spacious deck, Scandinavian bunkie, large privy & shed. Gently sloping landscaped lot to waters edge. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241 \$125,000 (1460)



COOKS BAY WATERFRONT w/980.46 ft. of frontage & 5.87 ac. of tree covered terraced land. Direct access to the dock and boat ramp. Excellent seasonal access. No other services. \$109,000 (1479)



LITTLE LAKE HURON COTTAGE within walking access to big water. Furnished 1.5 storey 1245 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, open kitchen dining living w/cathedral ceiling, stone fireplace & insert. Insulated, double pane windows, metal roof, propane appliances, water heater & septic. \$89,500 (1473)



COZY COTTAGE, large deck, great water view, long dock, sand bottom swimming on South Bay accessed via Lakeshore Road. Well maintained 528 sq. ft. w/2 bedrooms, 4 pc. bath, kitchen dining area & living room w/pellet stove. Lot has been groomed w/gardens, trails & walkways along the beach & in the woods. Extras of 2 sleep cabins, storage shed & rainy day outdoor shelter. A beautiful setting. \$249,000 (1474)



IRON BRIDGE HANDY MAN SPECIAL!! - Beautiful 2 acre corner lot in Iron Bridge with the river in the backyard! This 2 + 2 bedroom home on a gorgeous lot is in need of cosmetic repairs. This affordable home on the river is located in a very nice area has a full basement with a walkout. The lot also comes with 2 storage sheds of which one has a Bunkie-loft above it. This property is being Sold As Is and in As Is condition. Listed at \$63,900. MLS#2081937



3 BDRM, 2 BATH HOME IN VALLEY EAST!! - Immaculate 1200 sq. ft. home with spectacular location in Valley East on Paul Avenue & a very short distance from amenities. This 3 bdrm home has a finished basement & 2 full baths for a total living space of 2400 sq. ft. A covered breezeway separates the house from the garage & provides access to the beautiful fenced-in back yard making it pet friendly. This quality built home shows pride of ownership with many upgrades including roof (45 yr shingles plus membrane), hot water on demand, high efficiency natural gas furnace, flooring & central air conditioning!!! MLS#2078915



4 BDRM BEAUTIFULLY UPGRADED CENTURY OLD HOME IN THE QUAINT LITTLE TOWN OF MASSEY!! - This two storey 1800 sq. ft. Victorian Style home is located a short walk from the amenities of Massey and a short walk to the Spanish River. The nicely restored home features 2 baths, large bedrooms, large custom made baseboards & trim, upgraded with newer oil furnace, new wiring, new roofing, new windows & doors, & much more. Great hunting & fishing await you just minutes away in any direction. This fantastic house of character can be yours for just \$189,000. MLS#2075904



LACLOCHE MOUNTAIN RESORT ON CHARLTON LAKE IN WHITEFISH FALLS!! - Settled in the Majestic Mountain Range of white quartz of Willisville where they filmed the series Rainbow Country, these spectacular mountains and waterways were made famous in paintings by the group of seven. This resort known as Bearskin Lodge and Outfitters comes turn-key with 9 rustic two and three bedroom log cabins as well as an owner's residence and another cabin they allow friends and workers to stay. The housekeeping cottages each have their own hydro panels and each have their own bathrooms and appliances that are relatively new with upgraded wiring. Charlton Lake is really one of many lakes accessible in the area and is renowned for its great walleye and bass fishing. Asking \$975,000. MLS#2077603



LOON LAKE - Lovely cottage nestled in woods, built in 2010. 2 large bedrooms, inside bathroom with running water & compost toilet. Wood stove, solar panels for lighting & DVD watching. Cell phone service. Fully furnished. Lots of wildlife & fishing and very few people to share lake with. Less than an hour's drive from ferry & 2 minute boat ride to cottage. Must sell due to illness. \$145,000. MLS#2081786



SOUTH BAY MOUTH - For Sale Huron Motor Lodge - turnkey operation. Family owned business since 1932. Located directly across from Chi Cheemaun ferry dock. 21 rooms, large in-ground pool, coffee shop, plus specialty gift shop. Also included in sale is a home for new owner's residence. All buildings are well maintained, great financial statements. Best location on Manitoulin Island for accommodation, gift and coffee shop. Asking \$1,400,000. Call Sales Person Al Frank @ 705-859-3297. MLS#2075494



AFFORDABLE 3 BDRM, 1 BATH HONORA BAY COTTAGE - with a second, 11 x 28 ft kitchen cabin within minutes from Little Current. Enjoy spectacular sunsets from the 32 x 6 ft 2nd floor covered deck in this family friendly area. Cottage comes with appliances and some furnishings that include the beds, chest, fisher, stove, & refrigerator. Buy now & enjoy the summer fishing for bass, rainbow trout & salmon. Cottage is being sold as is, & work is needed on the first level. Call Now! Only \$168,000. MLS#2077122



YEAR ROUND VICEROY WATERFRONT HOME ON LAKE MANITOU - Built in 1994, this \$200K home features an open concept main floor with numerous windows allowing for an abundance of natural light, and a wonderful view of the lake. Home has a large deck along two sides, as well as access from the Master Bedroom. In addition, the home has a partially finished basement that provides the extra space needed when family and friends visit, an insulated 24 x 28 detached garage, a concrete dock, and a boat launch at the waterfront. Lake Manitou offers great fishing all year round. Call Now! Asking \$349,000. MLS#2075885

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WATERFRONT HOME WITH APPROX 24 ACRES ON MANITOWANING BAY
Beautiful, well maintained 2396 sqft of living space features an open concept kitchen, dining and living room with a cozy wood-stove. Basement is finished and includes a walkout to a wonderfully manicured site with installed sprinkler system so the "grass is always green". Private beach area on approx. 390 ft of lakefront for your fun and fishing pleasure! Many appealing upgrades including a huge deck for watching the sunrise over the water, security system, 6000 sqft of interlocking driveway stone to the 1500 sqft - 4 door garage...plenty of space to store the toys, tools and much more. Please call for more details and a personal showing. Possibility of Seller financing (VTB)...Reduced to \$385,000. MLS#2071302



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 located on Ice Lake Drive which has a private road that keeps the road nicely maintained & is paved in winter. Ice Lake has good bass & pike fishing & this lot is located only about 10 mins from the amenities of Gore Bay. MLS#2051612

SOUTH BAY WATERFRONT LOT - located in the Slush. East facing with beautiful view and sunrise, this is a great location for a summer getaway or a permanent home. It is located on a private road but very close to a year round road with hydro at the edge of the lot. The property is fully treed with a mixture of deciduous and evergreens. MLS#2075664

HARDWOOD ACREAGE - Very well treed 100 acre property with open concession road access, attractive hardwood forest that includes some mixed forest areas with White Pine, mainly level but includes some escarpment outcroppings at one corner plus excellent access along two sides of the property. Very attractive location off New England Side Road in Assinack Township. Only \$89,000. MLS#2067459



LAKE MANITOU WATERFRONT ACREAGE - Demand the best of the best in waterfront enjoyment & appeal. Mixed forest includes mature hardwood, pine & cedar. Great access, close to amenities in Mindemoya, close to the ferry access at South Baymouth & ideal for privacy & quality construction with over 33 acres & 627 ft shoreline on Lake Manitou. MLS#2075630

READY TO BUILD LOT IN SUNSITE ESTATES ON MANITOU LIN ISLAND - Lot has a new 60 ft driveway & the \$5200 water levy has been paid in full. Lot backs onto a park area & is only steps to the water. View the beauty of this lot now. Asking \$23,900. MLS#2068906

HUNTING ACREAGE IN SPRING BAY AREA - 100 acres. Prime land in Central Manitoulin with seasonal road access off extended Evergreen Drive in Campbell Township, and about 25 minutes from Gore Bay. Listed at \$79,000. Call now and be ready for fall. MLS#2062725

INCREDIBLE VISTA - One of a kind building lot on municipal water overlooking Strawberry Channel. 426.51 ft frontage with south east exposure on a year round road. 8 km from Little Current. Call for details. MLS#2077530

SUNSITE ESTATES - Build your dream home or cottage. Building lot in sought after prime residential and recreational community on Manitoulin Island. Lot has a 75 foot driveway, the water levy has not been paid in full, and telephone and hydro service is available. Lot is only steps to the water on beautiful Lake Huron. Great location. Call Now! MLS#2067191

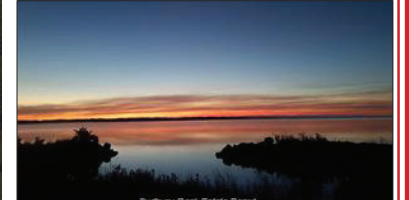
BIRD LOVER'S PARADISE - 3.93 acre view lot with municipal water available. Uniquely different lot, well treed with mature hardwood setting & exceptional lake view. Stream running through lot. Very private property with lots of possibilities, close to Little Current. Priced to sell at \$69,000. MLS#2051821

STRAWBERRY CHANNEL WATERFRONT ACREAGE - Exceptional building site features gradually sloping acreage with mature mixed forest and some white pine plus oversized lot with 163 ft on the shoreline & over 5 acres for privacy. Call for details or an appointment to view! Great price at only \$99,900! MLS#2079045

BUILDING LOT - Level building lot in Little Current. Great location on quiet street. 35.66 x 150. Asking \$13,000. MLS#2079126



INTERESTED IN SUSTAINABLE LIVING? - This beautiful garden home is Eco-friendly for a smaller footprint, including Double stack wall construction, 17" thick walls, solar power, composting toilets, passive cooling, & in-floor radiant heat. Located just mins from Gore Bay & Kagawong, this property has everything you need. As soon as you arrive you are welcomed by the serene garden, filled with perennials, raspberries, blackberries, & even a little creek at the rear of the property. The main house has two kitchens (one commercial), a large master suite with walk-in closet & en-suite, an office & plenty of room for entertaining inside & out. Need room for visiting family & friends? There is an adorable guest cottage with garden views. Surround yourself with sounds of nature! Truly one of a kind - must be seen to be appreciated!! Only asking \$289,000, call today! MLS#2077394



HIDDEN GEM ON MANITOU LIN ISLAND - This Lakeshore Log Home has almost 2 acres of total privacy, & 620 ft of frontage on Lake Huron!! Spend Romantic evenings curled up in front of the huge stone fireplace. Sand beach perfect for swimming. You also have your own harbour for your boat or plane! There is a 1200 sq ft Guest house with 2 bedrooms, full kitchen, bathroom & large screened in porch. There is also a 1300 sq ft workshop, and a large carport for storing lots of toys. Stunning panoramic views, including view of Scotch Mtn. The possibilities are endless with this unique property. Don't wait...Your Island retreat is calling you!! MLS#2074240



SOUTH BAY WATERFRONT LOT - located in the Slush. East facing with beautiful view and sunrise, this is a great location for a summer getaway or a permanent home. It is located on a private road but very close to a year round road with hydro at the edge of the lot. The property is fully treed with a mixture of deciduous and evergreens. MLS#2075664



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 2 bdrm Main Cottage, two separate guest cottages, sauna building, workshop, extensive decking, walkways and dockage on protected bay. Short boat ride to landing in Whitefish Falls, over the top fishing opportunities and outstanding views of the bay and LaCloche Mountains add substantially to this very attractive offering! Great Buy at only \$299,000. MLS#2071345



LAKE MANITOU - Exceptional west facing waterfront lot with 438 feet of scoured limestone shoreline, private boat launch, 2 bedrooms cottage with small boathouse/garage. Very reasonably priced at \$259,000. MLS#2074198



LAKE MANITOU WATERFRONT COTTAGE OR HOME - Located on Maple Lane close to the Town of Mindemoya and featuring mature hardwood forest on one of the finest lots in the area. Spacious 2 bedroom dwelling with relatively low maintenance, detached garage, sauna and small harbor area make this a perfect spot on the lake. Exceptional landscaping and mainly level lot for enjoying fine Manitoulin summer days. Please call for complete details. MLS#2081811



PERFECTION IN WATERFRONT LIVING - Spacious waterfront home with fantastic lake & mountain views, mainly level site offering close proximity to shopping & amenities & an excellent location for swimming & fishing the North Channel. Numerous additional features include lovely open concept layout, tile & hardwood flooring, large custom kitchen overlooking the lake for entertaining, stamped concrete patio's, attached double garage, in-floor hot water heating & air-heat insert in huge stone fireplace. One of a kind dream home on a stunning lakefront lot. Perfection in details & finish!!! Please call for complete details. MLS#2075701



STUNNING KAGAWONG LOG HOME - comes complete with appliances and furnishings, ready to move in. A 3 bdrm, 1 bath home with open concept kitchen, dining & living room. Home features hardwood & ceramic floors, a free standing metal wood stove & electrical baseboard heaters for heating, & has a full unfinished basement. The beautiful landscaped, 150x452 ft waterfront lot, with mature cedar trees at the lake make for a Park like setting that looks out at Lake Huron & the North Channel. This log home must be seen. Call now. MLS#2074375



CHEERFUL COZY COTTAGE - This is a beautiful 3 bdrm, 1 bath home with open concept kitchen, dining & living room. Home features hardwood & ceramic floors, a free standing metal wood stove & electrical baseboard heaters for heating, & has a full unfinished basement. The beautiful landscaped, 150x452 ft waterfront lot, with mature cedar trees at the lake make for a Park like setting that looks out at Lake Huron & the North Channel. This log home must be seen. Call now. MLS#2074375



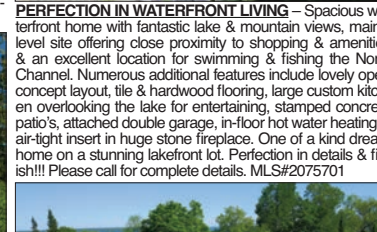
WATERFRONT DREAM HOME - This is one of Manitoulin's finest homes. 12 room, 4650 sq ft, 6 baths, 4 fireplaces, 9 ft ceilings. Double attached garage, central air & vacuum and Spacious Trex sun-decks. Pristine river & ravine run through property into lake near dwelling. Detached garage built in 2003. 3 bays with 8 ft doors plus 1 drive-through with 10 ft doors. Only 4 km from Manitoulin East Airport. Call for Details. MLS#2075507



LIFE ON THE LAKE COULD BE YOURS!! - Custom all brick home, on Ice Lake, nestled amongst mature trees sits a home bursting with Character and Charm. Offering 3 + 1 bedrooms, and 2 full baths, this home has all the room you'll need! Vaulted ceilings & plenty of windows bathe the home in natural light & picturesque nature views. Brand NEW kitchen features plenty of cabinets, stainless steel appliances & opens to the dining area, with peninsula for casual breakfasts. Living room & family room boast unparalleled lake views. Make it your forever home or perfect little summer getaway! Call for a viewing today before it's gone!! MLS#2080469



WHITE'S POINT! - Waterfront building lot in desirable prime residential waterfront community within minutes of Little Current & all of its amenities. Driveway access started at roadway - telephone & hydro service available. White's Point Road is on a year round road, & on the school bus route. Lake Huron's Strawberry Channel, & the North Channel boast great fishing, boating & sailing. Wonderful location to build your dream home! Call Now! MLS#2074129



HIGH VISIBILITY COMMERCIAL LOCATION - 7500 sq ft building on a 3 acre site. Only 3 miles South of Little Current with 531 feet on Hwy 6. Surprisingly low price for quality constructed building. Only \$189,000. MLS#2072719



'AAA' PRIME COMMERCIAL LOCATION - Located central Little Current with frontage on Manitoulin Islands busiest highway. Commercial corner location features one of the finest retail opportunities on the Island. Well maintained and upgraded building with 2,240 square feet includes large retail space plus residential rental unit. Zoning allows for up to 3 apartments and building has separate meters for each. Many decades of historical use catering to locals as well as our vibrant tourist industry. Great price at only \$269,000! MLS#2078996



EXCEPTIONAL WATERFRONT ACREAGE - Truly spectacular acreage with rolling farm lands fronting on Pike Lake & rugged back lands that include White Rock at White Rock corner. Choice location offers outstanding South, West & East views over the water, 717 ft of shoreline, close proximity to shopping & schools in Little Current, great access & a superb location for year-round living or simply as an exceptional cottage location. Property improved with 1,650 sq ft foundation to build on, hydro & septic system at building site, drilled well & well established Grape Vineyard! Attractively priced at \$259,000! MLS#2075655



NORTH CHANNEL RECREATIONAL RETREAT - Large, heavily treed waterfront acreage situated on a very protected bay on the North Channel of Lake Huron. Extremely appealing location immediately north of the famous Benjamin Islands. Sheltered boat access from McBean Harbour, good location for dockage and ideal for cottage construction. 20 acres with 1,300 feet frontage! Asking \$127,900. MLS#2068777

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NICE WATERFRONT LOT - Very attractive waterfront lot in a quiet secluded area of West Bay. 250 ft. frontage, seasonal road access, hydro available, nicely sloped and treed to a accessible beach area with 180 degree views over West Bay, Cup N Saucer bluffs, and distant mountains. An excellent spot to build your dream cottage! \$74,900. MLS#2078899



CAMP ON 100 ACRES! 20'x60' camp, wired for a generator. Most contents & chattels remain. Outdoor wood-fired sauna. There is a network of trails and tree stands with sight lines. To the west it borders with the Misery Bay Park reducing local area hunting pressure. Drilled well (not plumbed to camp). Nearby access to south shore fishing! \$135,000. MLS#2074476



12.7 ACRES OF SECLUSION Quiet, secluded & peaceful all come to mind when viewing this home. Minutes away from downtown Little Current and various marinas. The home has 4 bedrooms, 3 baths and has a beautiful sun room for that early morning coffee. The finished basement offers a cozy layout with a wood stove & large storage areas. The 40 x 60 garage is divided into smaller sections to keep your belongings organized. Large doors at the front and back of the building provide easy access. \$380,000. MLS# 2079008



CAMP ON 100 ACRES - Great hunting property fronting on 2 separate small inland lakes. Burnett Lake has perch and solid bottom in front of the cabin. Sunset views. Pothole Lake is more of a duck pond. Whitetail traffic lane between the 2 lakes. Wood fired sauna. Remote location. \$99,000. MLS#2075640



ISLAND COTTAGE - Beautiful Bay of Islands with a view like no other! 1200 sq ft, 2 bedroom cottage with all the amenities. Fully furnished and equipped, includes 3 boats plus a canoe. 16 x 20' and 8 x 11' storage sheds- Large dock, great decks, laundry building. Spectacular westerly views of islands and sunsets. Renowned fishing area (bass, walleye, pike, muskie). Short boat ride from marinas to your island paradise! \$319,000. MLS#2079021



BASS LAKE - Beautiful setting on Manitoulin Island this 106 acres of mixed bush & tillable land with frontage on Bass Lake currently being used as pasture for cattle. The 3 bedroom 2 bathroom home is in excellent condition & shows pride of ownership with 2 wood stoves & forced air oil heat. Water from dug well on the property with gravity feed to the home. \$399,000. MLS# 2077610



LAKE MANITOU ACREAGES - 3 separate parcels with year round access off Johnston Road. Approx 10 acres each of nice level property with mixed forest, and gentle rolling landscape in the back, new access road to be installed to service interior lots. Very accessible shoreline with sand bottom for the most part. Great privacy, and room to roam. Hydro service available off Johnston Road. Fantastic views and fishing - a perfect place to build your home on the lake or your 4 season getaway! From \$249,000 to \$349,000. MLS#2079273



McGREGOR BAY - Charming cottage on a private island offers a boathouse, dock, workshop, bunkie & main cottage. Main cottage with 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, eating area, living room with large windows, & large stone fireplace. Outside you have a deck to enjoy those beautiful mornings & the evenings to watch the sunset. Also includes a bunkie with 2 sleeping areas & a half bath & outdoor shower. Workshop, boathouse, boats/motors & furnishings! \$389,000. MLS# 2062746



GORE BAY - 3 bedroom mobile home that has been insulated underneath and insulated. It is on a lot with a 14' x 24' detached garage. (Includes fenced vacant lot to the north.) A porch has been added and there is propane powered generator. \$100,000. MLS#2081775

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STUNNING VIEW

4 bedroom home with views of Mindemoya Lake & Treasure Island. Situated in a quiet neighborhood walking distance to golf course, lake, boat launch & short drive to town. Large entrance way that leads to an open concept kitchen/dining area. Main floor has large master bedroom with walk in closet & en suite bath. Lower level (walk-out) offers an office/bedroom plus two additional bedrooms & bath. Spacious back yard overlooking the lake & 2 car attached garage. \$390,000. MLS#2080461



LAKE KAGAWONG - This well maintained 2 storey home overlooking Lake Kagawong. Main level offers open concept living with a large kitchen & dining area, ideal for entertaining family & friends. 2 spacious bedrooms & conveniently located laundry room on the main floor. The upper level provides 2 additional sizable bedrooms & end-to-end storage. Walkout basement has potential for an in-law suite, hobby space, a business & more. \$414,000. MLS#2077424



PRIME HIGHWAY EXPOSURE - Approx 10-12 acres of commercial land at one of the busiest intersections on Hwy 17 between Sudbury & Sault Ste Marie - Hwy 17 and Hwy 6 junction. Excellent exposure, just minutes outside town of Espanola (population 5,000+). Frontage on Hwy 6 as well as 17 (excellent traffic exposure), 2 existing access lanes off Hwy 6. In an area with existing fuel/fast food stops. Ideal spot for many uses with Commercial Zoning. \$399,000. MLS#2081722



10 ACRES ON LAKE MANITOU - Exceptional waterfront acreage with 345' lake frontage, 10 acres, municipal seasonal road access (frontage on East Road). Fully treed, great privacy to build your dream cottage. Hydro available. Nicely treed lot with limestone base and outcroppings. Don't delay on this great opportunity to own a piece of paradise on Manitoulin's premier lake! Great price \$149,888. MLS#2077336



GREAT BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY! This turn key Restaurant sits along the Blue Jay Creek and is ready for a new family. All restaurant furniture & fixtures included, seating for 80. 16 Acres of land. Successfully operated for 27+ years! \$329,900. MLS#2064232



WELCOME HOME TO PARADISE! Enjoy breath taking views of Bay of Islands from this maintained private island cottage with all amenities & equipment included. The main cabin boasts 2 bedrooms, a full bath with claw foot tub, kitchen, dining room, living room with propane stove & an enclosed porch to enjoy your view. Small workshop, storage shed & laundry/wash house. Well maintained pathways make accessibility a breeze. Enjoy the best of everything watching the sunset view of the LaCloche Mountains and the moon rise over the Bay. \$385,000. MLS#2080359



TEHKUMMAH - Quaint home in Tehkummah close to the ferry and amenities. 3 bedroom home with detached garage and large lot. The home is well cared for and in good condition. The detached garage offers excellent storage and room for one vehicle. \$175,000. MLS#2081783



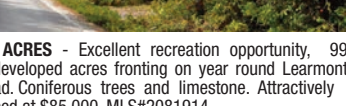
99 ACRES - Excellent recreation opportunity, 99 undeveloped acres fronting on year round Learmont Road. Coniferous trees and limestone. Attractively priced at \$85,000. MLS#2081914



ATTRACTIVE BUILDING LOT - Excellent lot in Sunsite Estates. Partially cleared with driveway. Subdivision offers municipal water and High speed internet. Access to the water through 4 parkways. Sunsite Estates is 20 min from the bridge or 30 min from the ferry. Capital Water levy and water service charge applies. Seller motivated! Only \$99000 MLS#2080474



LAKE MANITOU - Beautiful custom built home with 52.25 acres of land on Lake Manitou. On the main level you have 1 master bedroom with en-suite, & 1 half bathroom, large open concept kitchen, dining & living room, perfect for entertaining. Lower level has a large family room with walk out, 2 bedrooms & 1 full bath. Large deck with glass railings overlooking the lake. Double detached garage (loft & bath). Bush lot & beautiful waterfront. \$489,999. MLS#2064053



WATERFRONT - A beautiful wooded parcel with a view of the water on Lake Kagawong. This is a relatively level with a mix of natural areas and bush. Potential building site offers a view over Pattersons Bay. Great shoreline depth to dock larger boats. 24km to full amenities in Gore Bay & Mindemoya. \$199,000. MLS#2074370



STUNNING POINT ON MANITOU - One of kind waterfront property on Lake Manitou. A 2.5 acre level lot on a point (670 ft. of frontage), offering east to south-west views. On the south side is a sand beach and on the east side is a natural boat ramp beside a nice limestone shoreline. There is hydro service in place. The trailer is not in good condition, but the 3 bdrm cabin (approx. 900 sq.ft.) can provide short and long term benefit. A place to stay while you develop this amazing property! \$415,000. MLS#2078917



GORE BAY Wonderful family home with 2+1 bedrooms & 3 full baths. Fireplaces on both levels. Upgrades include all windows (except 4), new laminate flooring (entrance-way, living room, dining room - 2016), insulated garage doors, roof (2017). Functioning ceiling radiant heating system. \$259,000. MLS#2072795



WHITE'S POINT WATERFRONT! - Beautiful manicured waterfront property located on popular White's Point just minutes from Little Current. Very well maintained 4 bedroom, 2 bath home, with attached double garage, large and bright living areas and bedrooms, walk-out to patio decks and manicured lot with western view for fantastic sunsets! Basement level has potential for 5th bedroom, offers plenty of storage and also walk-out access to the property. 218' lake frontage and well over an acre. Fantastic place to raise your family or just retire and enjoy the peaceful tranquility of waterfront living! \$425,000. MLS#2076114



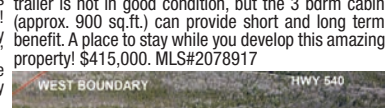
WATERFRONT ACREAGE - 160 acres of recreational property on the west end of Manitoulin Island. It has frontage on Hwy 540 and on Falls Lake. There is an older trail from Hwy 540 to close to the east of Falls Lake. List price \$125,000. MLS#2066925



LITTLE CURRENT BUNGALOW - Welcome to 18 Dupont Street! Well maintained 3 bedroom bungalow in the West side of town. Bright open kitchen with newer cupboards and counter tops. Large family room with energy efficient pellet stove. This house also has a large 2 car attached garage with loft for storage. Large fenced in back yard, deck access off the main level laundry room. Plenty of storage and clean dry basement. Priced to sell and quick possession. \$199,900. MLS#2082038



ICE LAKE LOT - North-east facing waterfront lot on Ice Lake, that offers spectacular sunrises. 200' of frontage on a 1.3 acre lot. Building site in a very nice maple hardwood setting. Hydro service available. List price \$55,000. MLS 2073939



MANITOWANING BAY - Estate size private Building Lot close to Manitowaning. Land Slopes down to the water and offers excellent shoreline. The land is covered with Mixed bush with cleared land above. \$109,000. MLS#2075514



MUDGE BAY LOT - Excellent waterfront lot in a quiet location with gorgeous views over the Bay! Approx 100 feet of lakefront, great swimming, very gentle sloping lot, with hydro service available at the lot line. A nice peaceful spot to build your cottage or home! \$89,000. MLS#2075896



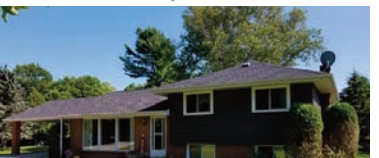
WATERFRONT PRIVACY - Excellent waterfront lot on the west side of West Bay with seasonal road access. 293' Feet of frontage gives you plenty of space to build. Nice beach area suitable for swimming and dock. Great views to the east over the bay and distant mountains. Hydro available at lot. Located in a quiet smaller development. Peace and tranquility for only \$89,000. MLS#2080440



MCGREGOR BAY COTTAGE - Welcome to Wardrope Island one of the closer islands to the main land. This property is nicely situated with a beautiful view of McGregor Bay and surrounding islands. World class boating and amazing fishing is all around you. The two bedroom cottage is in excellent condition and only in need of a few finishing touches! Priced right at only \$150,000. MLS#2077180



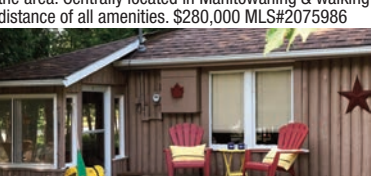
GORE BAY WATERFRONT - Waterfront building lot approximately 2.5 km from the Gore Bay marina. This 1.5 acre property has 175 ft. of frontage and offers a north-east view of the bay. Privacy on building site possible with treed setting. \$62,500. MLS#2074063



GORE BAY HOME - A wonderful 3 bedroom 2 bathroom side split located on peaceful dead end street. The lot is nicely treed with a car port and detached garage. The house has had extensive renovations over the past year, with too many upgrades to list. Must be seen to appreciate! \$279,000 MLS 2078884



INCOME PROPERTY - Turn Key Triplex. Well-designed recently renovated property with one 3 bedroom unit on the main floor, 2 bedroom & 1 bedroom unit on the second floor. All units are individually serviced with hydro. An excellent investment, with low vacancy in the area. Centrally located in Manitowaning & walking distance of all amenities. \$280,000 MLS#2075986



SOUTH BAYMOUTH - This storybook cabin welcomes you to peace and relaxation without giving up the comforts of home. Located close to the marina and waterfront. 2 bedrooms and a bonus sleeping area in the weather proof sun porch. 3 piece bath, efficient kitchen, living/dining room and deck looking out to the waterfront. Though in town, this hidden gem feels as private and relaxing as any isolated retreat. \$129,000 MLS#2078756



GORE BAY HARBOUR FRONT - Executive Tudor style home located on the Bay. This 2980 sq ft home offers 3 bedrooms 3 bathrooms 3 fireplaces with sunken dining room, Sweeping staircase from the foyer gives a beautiful architectural design to the home. No expense was spared with cedar shake roof with brick and stucco surrounding the home. The large 3 car garage allows access to the basement that is designed as a wood working shop with built in dust collection. Professional landscaping has given this home privacy and great curb appeal. This is the ideal home or retreat for the avid boater as the marina is within view. \$499,000. MLS#2075512



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