



# Happy Thanksgiving!

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**THE COLOURS OF AUTUMN**—Manitoulin Centennial Manor resident Ed Heis takes a cruise past the Manor's Harvest Glory Days display near the front entrance on Robinson Street in Little Current. For a list of Harvest Glory Days addresses, please see Page 6, and on Pages 4A-5A there's a full-colour pictorial tour of our decorated communities.

## Highway 540 reconstruction will include paved shoulders suitable for safer cycling

**by Robin Burrige**  
MANITOULIN—The portion of Highway 540 currently under construction from Little Current to Honora Bay will come complete with paved shoulders, news that has pleased Manitoulin's cycling community to no end.

"The section of Highway 540 that is currently under construction from Little Current westerly 17.6 km will have paved shoulders," confirmed Carole Paiement

with the Ministry of Transportation (MTO).

"We were surprisingly thrilled to see that the portion of Highway 540 under construction will be a widened roadway for the safety of those on the road," said Manitoulin Island Cycling Advocates (MICA) President Maja Mielonen. "We are highly optimistic that when resurfacing is done on Highway 6 from 10 Mile Point to Little Current it will also feature paved

shoulders, as will the remaining portion of Highway 540."

"It is so exciting that all of MICA's hard work since 2010 is paying off for Manitoulin Island cycle tourism and the safety of our local cyclists and cycling commuters of which we see more and more," she added.

According to the MTO Northern Highways Program the following rehabilitation roadwork is scheduled for 2018: Highway 6, ...continued on page 12

## Mindemoya Old School building gets reprieve and consideration for potential new usages

*Central council sets committee to create Old School business plan*

**by Michael Erskine**  
CENTRAL MANITOULIN—The Central Manitoulin municipal council chambers were filled to overflowing with placard carrying supporters of the Mindemoya Old School as council was set to debate a motion to issue a request for proposals for demolition of the building. Two delegations to council and a series of letters submitted as correspondence to council put forth impassioned pleas for council to put greater effort into saving the building by striking a committee formed of councillors, members of the public and specialized experts. In the end, the public pressure and arguments put forth by supporters of the Mindemoya Old School won the day—at least for now.

The first delegation was presented by Island businessman and farmer Keith Harfield, who essentially said simply that the Mindemoya Old School was an historic building for which a large number of Island residents have a great deal of attachments and was well worth preserving.

"I was caught a little off-guard," admitted Mr. Harfield following

the meeting on the brevity of his presentation. "I was expecting to follow the presentation by Ted Williamson and I didn't want to step on his presentation." Mr. Harfield noted that the Williamson presentation was a collaborative work by many members of the community. "Two ladies really put a lot into effort into this, Laureen Martel and Pat Costigan, and Bert Cooper was

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## Unlawful Haweater visit returns arsonist to jail for four months

**by Michael Erskine**  
GORE BAY—The man who held the Little Current community in terror by committing a series of arsons in 2014 couldn't resist returning to the Island over Haweater Weekend of this year, despite a year-long prohibition on returning to Little Current, and now he is serving more time behind bars following a September 26 court date in Gore Bay.

Clinton Gordon Haggart, 34, ...continued on page 12



After considerable debate and lobbying by Island cycling enthusiasts like the Manitoulin Island Cycling Advocates (MICA) the Ontario Ministry of Transportation agreed to add metre-wide paved shoulders the reconstructed Highway 540 between Little Current and Honora Bay. This photo of the highway, taken in Honora, contrasts the new, wider Highway 540 where it meets the narrower, as yet unconstructed, road.

## Catch the Ace big winner captures \$30,000

*New game just 10 weeks so prize increases more quickly*

**by Robin Burrige**

LITTLE CURRENT—After 20 weeks, the Little Current Lions Club progressive draw Catch the Ace came to a close with Tisa Polojko of Espanola being named the winner of the \$30,000 cash prize.

"I was very surprised," Ms. Polojko told The Expositor. "I



Tisa Polojko's winning Catch the Ace ticket with the ace that earned her \$30,000.

never win anything."

Ms. Polojko said she was watching the livestream of the draw on Facebook, but never expected to have her name drawn.

"I was doing stuff around the house and had it (the livestream) on and my husband Craig told me to turn it

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## Early Deadline

The Expositor Office will be closed next Monday for Thanksgiving. The deadline for classified ads, social correspondence, letters to the editor and display advertising will be 4 pm this Thursday, October 5.

The staff at the Expositor would like to wish our readers and their families a happy and enjoyable Thanksgiving.



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**Lions Club donates to Little Current Public School**

The Little Current Lions Club donated six new picnic tables (made by Dig and Doug) to the Little Current Public School (LCPS) utilizing funds raised through the progressive draw Catch the Ace. From left is LCPS Principal Christy Case, Vice Principal Heather Pennie, Coyote Student Council members Darwin Wood, Brie Rose and Alexis Bedard, Little Current Lions Club President Bruce Burnett, Catch the Ace committee members Rick Thurston, Lion Mike Dubreuil, Lion Lori Draper and Linda Bowerman.

photo by Robin Burrige

**Interactive archaeological exhibit installed at the Centennial Museum of Sheguiandah**

by Robin Burrige

SHEGUIANDAH—The Centennial Museum of Sheguiandah has installed a new exhibit at the museum on the Sheguiandah archaeological site.

“We have large information panels about the history of the area, the first dig, the reinvestigation of the excavation site,” explained Museum Curator Lisa Hallaert. “We also have displays that showcase some of the artifacts from the dig site, including some new items that have never been on display before.”

There are also interactive elements for children including a dig station.

“Kids are normally told not to touch anything at museums, so this is neat,” said Ms. Hallaert. “We have an uncover and discover station with buried ‘artifacts’ that kids can use tools to dig up and learn about. We also have an iPad with an interactive game created just for this exhibit. It is Archaeology Discovery Trivia and features a cartoon character of Dr. Pat Julig, a professor in the Anthropology Department at Laurentian University who resides in Sheguiandah and who has worked on the archeological site and helped with content for the exhibit.”

“The exhibit was officially completed today and is now open to the public,” Ms. Hallaert said

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The new exhibit includes artifacts from the dig site, an interactive iPad game, large information panels and a kids’ dig station.

photos by Robin Burrige



The Archaeology Discovery Trivia iPad game features a cartoon character of Dr. Pat Julig who has worked on the archeological site and helped with the content for the exhibit.

**Providence Bay United Church decommissioned and closed**

*Providence Bay and Kagawong amalgamate with Mindemoya United Church*

by Robin Burrige

MINDEMOYA—With the closure of the Providence Bay United Church and St. Paul’s United Church on the Hill in Kagawong, the two former congregations have amalgamated with the Mindemoya United Church to form the Trinity United Church.

The Providence Bay United Church had been seeing a decrease in attendance for regular services and a decline in membership, which led to the church being decommissioned and closed last month.

“The (church) building was decommissioned, closed and is now for sale,” said Marian Sloss, chair of the church council. “There was nothing else we could do, we did everything we could to keep it open, but it didn’t make sense for it to continue to be open.”

The church, which was built in 1921 and became a United Church in 1925, is now for sale.

St. Paul’s United Church on the Hill in Kagawong has also been closed and is for sale.

The newly amalgamated church asked for names to be submitted for the new charge and with over 30 submissions, Trinity United Church was chosen.

A celebration of the amalgamation and new name will be held on Sunday, October 15 at 4 pm at the Trinity United Church in Mindemoya.



The Providence Bay United Church, pictured here, has now closed its doors and the congregation has joined the Mindemoya United Church, along with St. Paul’s United Church (which has also closed) under the new name ‘Trinity United Church.’

**Rainbow Board EQAO results good overall but Island mixed**

by Michael Erskine

TORONTO—The annual overall EQAO report card on student achievement in the Rainbow School Board was overall pretty positive, while Island school results were mixed.

Charles C. McLean Public School saw Grade 3 reading results rise by two percent to 83 percent of students meeting the standard and writing results drop by three percent to 75 percent meeting the standard, a statistically unremarkable variance, but mathematics scores dropped by a more puzzling nine percent to 67 percent.

Central Manitoulin Public School Grade 3 results saw a rise of 12 percent in the reading category to 72 percent and drops of one and four percent in writing (82 percent) and math (67 percent) respectively.

Little Current Public School results for Grade 3 were down across all three categories. In reading the results were down four percent (75 percent), writing results were down six percent (76 percent) and math results were also down four percent (60 percent), but the Grade 6 results were up across the board, in reading by six percent (82 percent), in writing by 14 percent (78 percent) and in math by four percent (37 percent).

In the case of the Grade 6 EQAO results, Charles C. McLean Public School saw a dramatic rise of 12 percent to 81 percent in reading, seven percent in writing to 89 percent and a whopping 11 percent rise in math to 47 percent.

Central Manitoulin Public School saw a drop of nine percent to 74 percent in the number of students meeting the goal standard in reading, a four percent rise to 89 percent in writing and a disturbing drop of 14 percent in math to 51 percent.

A standard caution on these results for very small schools such as those on Manitoulin is that the reduced student numbers mean the overall results can be skewed dramatically by a small number of low student scores.

Across the complete range of Rainbow District School Board schools, year over year EQAO results increased or remained the same in a number of areas, according to a release from the board. The release notes that significant gains were made in Grade 3 reading and writing, while scores were maintained in Grade 3 math and Grade 6 reading, writing and math.

A total of 66 percent of Grade 3 students achieved at or above the provincial average in reading (up by six percentage points) and 68 percent of students achieved at or above the provincial average in writing (up by six percentage points). While provincial math results in Grade 3 declined by one percentage point, results for Rainbow District School Board remained the same at 54 percent.

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**Annual Debajehmujig 6 Foot Festival gears up for 8th season**

by Michael Erskine

MANITOWANING—The popular Debajehmujig Storytellers’ 6 Foot Festival is coming up fast and this year looks to be shaping up to be the best ever yet.

“We have had a lot people calling us up this year,” said 6 Foot festival Artistic Director Ashley Manitowabi. “We are really excited about the festival this year where we will be exploring the theme of the Four Kingdoms, mineral, plant, animal and human.”

Mr. Manitowabi noted that the Debajehmujig students were working diligently on their projects for exhibition at the festival.

The 6 Foot Festival kicks off on Thursday, October 5 with a screening of the documentary ‘Seed: The Untold Story,’ part of the Taggart Sigel trilogy of food documentaries, at 6 pm in the Larry E. Lewis Studio in Manitowaning. There will be a discussion following the film.

“Few things on Earth are as miraculous and vital as seeds—worshipped and treasured since the dawn of humankind,” notes the promo note. “This documentary follows passionate seed keepers who are protecting a 12,000-year-old food legacy. In the last century, 94 seed varieties

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**Last chance to see the Pearson exhibit**

by Michael Erskine

KAGAWONG—It has been a crazy busy season at the Old Mill Heritage Centre and curator Rick Nelson could not be any happier. “We had a great season,” he said, noting that numbers are up considerably from last year and the season still has a couple of weeks to go.

“We close Thanksgiving Monday,” said Mr. Nelson, “so the end date on the Pearson Exhibit is October 8—that’s the last day you can see this amazing collection of mementos of one of Canada’s most important contributions to world peace.”

Lester Bowles Pearson was the MP for Algoma East from 1948 to 1968 and Canada’s 14th prime minister (1965-68), but he is also Canada’s only Nobel Peace Prize recipient, credited with pulling the world back from the brink of nuclear war during the Suez Crisis and the father of UN peacekeeping.

“The conservators will be showing up on October 11 to pack everything up, then Manitoulin Transport will be picking the material up and taking it back to Ottawa, where it will disappear into the vaults of the National Archives for who knows how long,” said Mr. Nelson.

The curator noted that the material, being associated with a political figure, is problematic for a lot of the national museums. “We can get away with it because he was our Member of Parliament, but of one of the national museums put on a display there would be someone calling them up and demanding that they do one on Stephen Harper, and then if they did that someone would want one on Jean Chretien,” he laughed. What about Jack Layton? “He never got to be prime minister, but probably. So it will have to be a university or some other organization to be able to display this stuff again, the museums really have handcuffs on for this kind of thing.”

The season was quite a whirlwind for the Old Mill Heritage Centre staff and the Billings Museum committee, noted Mr. Nelson. “There was the Pearson Exhibit, of course, but there was also a speaking series attached to that where we had TVO’s Steve Paikin talking

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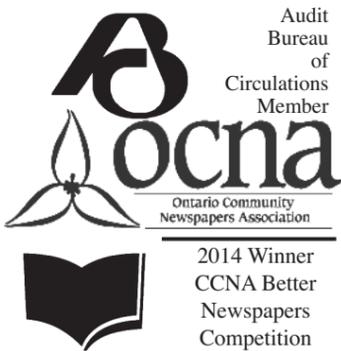
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**editorial**

**New NDP leader heralds a new paradigm**

A shining young face now stands at the helm of the federal NDP and the election of Jagmeet Singh promises to herald in a whole new era in Canadian politics, not simply because that new face happens to be that of someone sporting a Sikh turban, but having a leader who is not a white, Christian male reflects the fact of the multicultural reality of our nation in the 21st Century.

Moreover, the NDP has opted for an individual who is hip, fashionable and who, by all accounts, resonates well with today's youth. That will play a very interesting dichotomy with the Sunny Ways of the Liberal leader, but Mr. Singh, for all of his fashionista cred, also carries with him a reputation as a progressive leader.

He is articulate and thinks fast on his feet. In a short period of time, and without the benefit of holding a seat in Parliament, Mr. Singh has demonstrated that he is capable of meeting the cut and thrust of national politics and done so in the full glare of the public spotlight.

It remains to be seen whether he will be able to overcome the historic media invisibility of an opposition leader between warts, a hurdle with an even higher bar, given that he leads the third party.

But the media seems to cotton to Mr. Singh, and that as the current prime minister has shown repeatedly during his sojourn in that very position, can go a long way towards escaping the shadows of opposition anonymity.

Mr. Singh seems to be on the side of the angels when it comes to most of the pressing issues of the day, which is, of course, familiar NDP ground. Not generally ever being expected to be in a position to fulfill commitments can provide a certain freedom of movement when it comes to issues. But the late Jack Layton slipped the traces when it came to the perception of the NDP as the perennial brides-

maid of federal politics, as did his successor Tom Mulcair for one brief and shining moment in the summer of our Tory discontent.

But the new NDP leader has managed to bring a sense of the new, more centrist NDP stand on matters economic with more credibility than his predecessor was able to manage in the last electoral joust.

The NDP's answer to Justin Trudeau's storied "nice hair" and sunny ways may have his hair own hair hidden beneath a turban, but he is every bit as hip and social media savvy as Justin Trudeau, and it is clear that the favoured avenue of attack for this new iteration of the federal NDP is to challenge the Liberal leader and his government on the tried, if not true, basis of substance. Time will tell, but the days of a free ride for the Liberal leader certainly seem to be on the wane.

That will certainly be the hope of the Conservative Party of Canada, as they will doubtless be counting on the new NDP leader to wrest some of Mr. Trudeau's left-leaning supporters away from the new big red tent, dividing the opposition they will face on the field of electoral battle come 2018.

In this Thanksgiving season the elevation of Jagmeet Singh to the leadership of the NDP gives us another reason to be thankful for the country that we live in. We have stepped far beyond political correctness. His election goes far beyond the usual tokenism that seems to beset Canadian political discourse on inclusion to present something of real and demonstrable substance.

It will be some time before the new leader will take to the hustings to secure a seat for himself in the halls of power; most likely he will seek to wrest the federal seat that eluded him in 2011 come 2018. In the meantime, federal politics seems about to become a whole lot more interesting and entertaining

**letters**

**Conservative president challenges Mike Mantha on silence**

*Exhorts Algoma-Manitoulin MPP to defend the honour of Northern Ontario*

**To the Expositor:**

'No man's land' was how Wynne-Liberal MPP Lou Rinaldi was heard heckling about Northern Ontario to one of its MPPs in the Legislature on Thursday, September 21. His comments were directed to MPP Vic Fedeli, the Ontario PC Party MPP for Nipissing, in Northern Ontario. When questioned about his statement, Rinaldi suggested the matter "be taken outside" the Legislature, where what is said is not protected as it is inside Queen's Park.

There has been a longstanding notion that the Wynne Liberals are out of touch with Northern Ontario. She continues to fail the North. Her approval ratings continue to be the lowest of any Ontario Premier. Her party is struggling to stay afloat. The Ontario Liberal Party continues to make headlines, especially as it relates to criminal trials that are ongoing—one of which her party is involved with as it relates to Energy Minister Glen Thibeault's nomination and the Sudbury by-election fiasco. Further, Wynne continues to only seldom visit the North; a far cry from the over 30 visits Patrick Brown has made since leading the Ontario PCs.

Without question, Kathleen Wynne and the Ontario Liberal Party continue to back themselves into a corner!

Notwithstanding the Ontario Liberal Party downfalls, the constituents of the Algoma-Manitoulin riding are left wondering why their local NDP MPP, Michael Mantha, has not voiced his concerns about MPP Rinaldi's comments? After all, were these comments not directed

to Northern Ontario? Ross Romano, Ontario PC Party MPP for Sault Ste. Marie, was quick to defend his constituents in Sault Ste. Marie? Nipissing MPP Vic Fedeli, also with the Ontario PC Party, immediately demanded an apology from the Liberal government (which they refused) for the inappropriate comments.

Why has NDP MPP Michael Mantha been silent about this issue? Do the constituents in the riding of Algoma-Manitoulin not deserve to be represented by their elected MPP, or at the very least, hear from him? This is an important issue affecting all of Northern Ontario. NDP MPP Michael Mantha has a responsibility to stand and support all of his constituents, regardless of political stripe. Algoma-Manitoulin is an important riding in Northern Ontario and NDP MPP Michael Mantha has clearly failed in the simplest of tasks—to fairly represent and defend the constituents who elected him to Queen's Park.

The Ontario PC Party Algoma-Manitoulin Riding Association Executive is asking NDP MPP Michael Mantha to speak publicly on this issue, no differently then Ontario PC Party MPPs from Northern Ontario have done.

They clearly realized the importance of supporting their ridings and we believe it's time for our NDP MPP Michael Mantha to follow suit!

Sincerely,

**Robert Sinclair**  
 President and Spokesperson  
 Algoma-Manitoulin Ontario PC Party Association

**Another Conservative riding president weighs in on alleged slight**

*Conservatives in no mood to accept Liberal MPP's explanation of 'no-man's land' remark*

**To the Expositor:**

Recently in the Ontario Legislation, one of the Liberal MPPs, Lou Rinaldi, was heard heckling PC MPP Norm Miller, and yelled the North is, "no man's land." Once asked about his "slur" on the North Rinaldi stated he was referring to MPP Vic Fedeli, who was not speaking at the time. This just goes to show people in the Sault and area north of Barrie, the Liberal Party of Ontario does not care about us.

It doesn't stop there. Mr. Rinaldi goes on to call out the PC member to "take it outside," to resolve this problem. Are we in high school or are we adults and should be accountable for this kind of behaviour? The most shameful part for me is not that one member of the Liberal Party would say such ridiculous things, but that the entire party has not made him apologize for the insult. Where is the integrity of the Party?

What this says to me is that the entire Liberal Party of Ontario feels

the same way, period.

If this Liberal member, Mr. Rinaldi, is not made to apologize to the people of Northern Ontario, and is not made to apologize to those MPPs that represent our area, I hope everyone remembers that come next election. With an election waiting for us in the spring at the latest, the Liberals should be more concerned with their image than to go around insulting ridings, and standing behind members that insult them.

I am very proud of Ross Romano for standing up for us, and for those other PC MPPs that also took a stand, to call this behaviour just what it is, insulting.

**Lyle Bailey, President**  
 Conservative Party of Canada Electoral District Association  
 Sault Ste. Marie

**Insanity of light system at Little Current Swing Bridge noted**

*A simple suggestion could make it work*

**To the Expositor:**

This summer I, like other Island residents, waited in line for the swing bridge. I love the swing bridge and how it makes our Island unique. Waiting in line and blocking the streets of Little Current I realized a flaw in the bridge traffic system. Leaving Little Current people wait in 'lane 1' and clog up the street. Most don't obey the traffic sign that says to move into the other lanes. Why? Each time I went into 'lane 2', traffic all the way up to Three Cows and a Cone got to go on ahead of me. After waiting a minute after 'lane 1' cleared I was the only car left in 'lane 2' that hadn't driven through our red light. I waited to see if our light even turned green – that's how long it took. It finally did when I

was about to give up on it. So why do people not line up in the lane like the traffic laws require? It's simple. People are rewarded for not obeying the rules, and punished for obeying them. Few people will for the sake of doing the right thing be so inconvenienced. If people can cross sooner by not lining up properly many people will. My suggestion is make 'lane 3' into 'lane 1' by switching the order of the lights so that people will be rewarded for going into the right lane and hopefully this will minimize the clogging of the street in Little Current.

**Steven Vandelden**  
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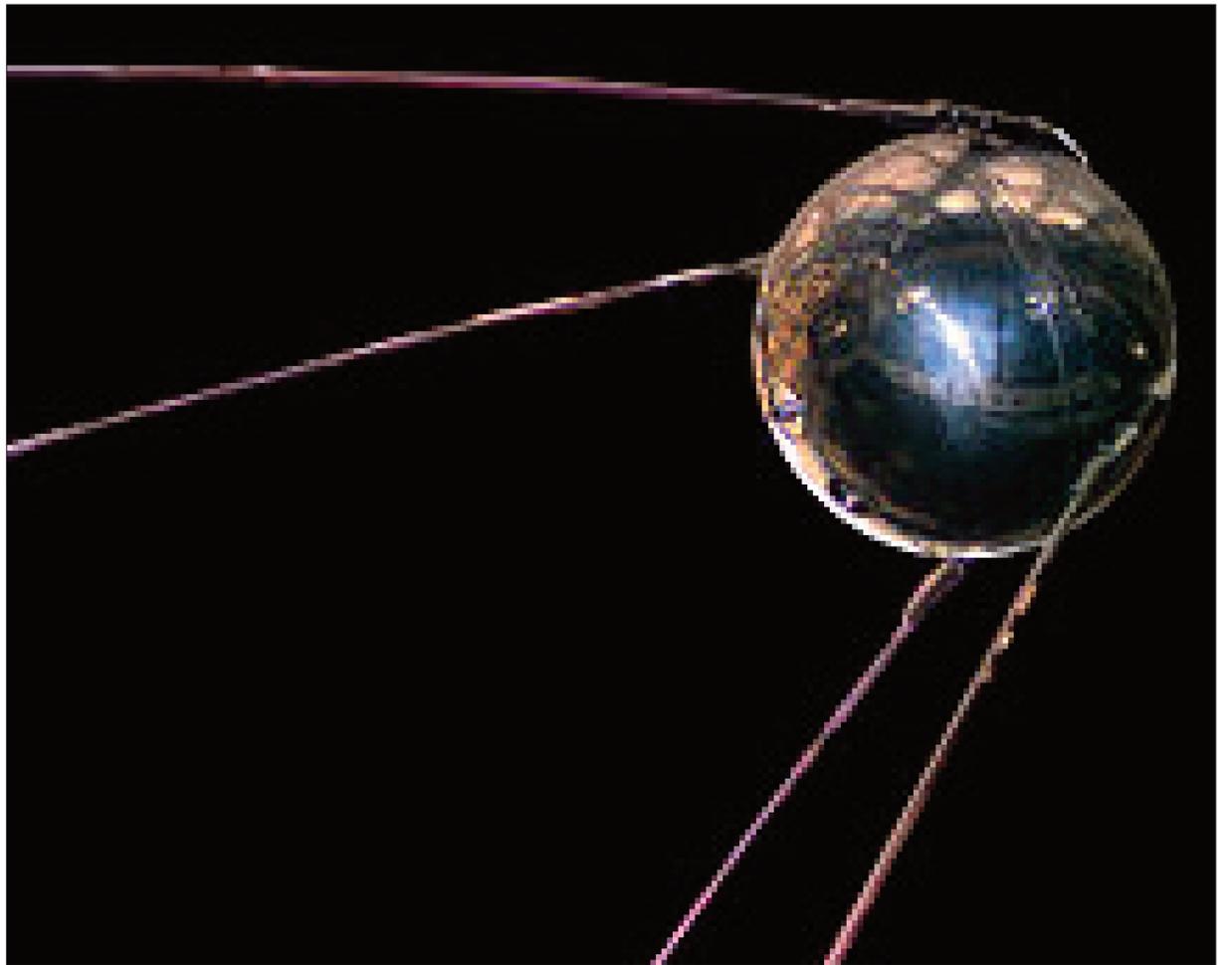
# On Cassini, Voyager and the Rest

by Jon Organ

And so now the Cassini spacecraft has ended its mission and I have been very pleased over the years to see it succeeding so thoroughly. A follower and proponent of the exploration of space from birth, I feel that this year in particular is worth reflection.

Having been born in the same year as the launch of the Voyager 1 and 2 spacecraft 40 years ago, I grew up with their journey through the solar system in the 1980s. I recall anticipating Voyager 2's arrivals at Uranus and Neptune in 1986 and 1989 and watching as new astronomy books thereafter included pictures of these planets and their moons where previous books could only rely on artists' conceptions and poor telescopic images. Now these probes are far beyond Pluto and are setting out into interstellar space; though they are still functional it is likely that their radioisotope generators will wind down to inoperability before 2030. Then the spacecraft that truly opened up the outer solar system and gave us the perspective of our world as a pale blue dot in the Cosmos will be silent, though they each carry perhaps one of the most enlightened and hopeful artifacts we have ever produced - the golden records crammed with music, sounds, greetings and pictures from Earth. Their importance lies not as much in the slight possibility that they will be found by an alien intelligence, or even our own descendants in a distant future, but that we were hopeful enough about our future to do it and that something meaningful of Humanity has escaped not just the confines of Earth but the empire of the Sun. Billions of years from now when things here are utterly different than they are today, those two records will likely be much the same as they were when launched. In fact, not only are the two Voyager spacecraft headed beyond the solar system, but the earlier Pioneer 10 and 11 spacecraft (each with a modest plaque illustrating something of the creators of the probes and where they came from) and the New Horizons probe (which recently flew past Pluto) join them. But for myself, feeling a sort of kinship, I seem to accompany the Voyager probes in our mutual explorations of the Cosmos.

I recall reading about the Cassini spacecraft, then under construction, in the early 1990s and in 1994, at a chance meeting with a science journalist, asking if it was still in development, always afraid of a cancellation. When the spacecraft was launched in 1997 I was in my first year of university and I remember bringing it up at a birthday shindig to which I had been invited, as it coincided with the individual's very birthday. Such news met with a lukewarm reception, but then at that early date the probe could just as easily have fallen into the ocean on launch or failed en route. When, after its long journey, Cassini arrived at Saturn in 2004 I was a high school teacher and I kept my students informed of the discoveries being made, especially when the Huygens lander which had hitched a ride to Saturn on Cassini's underbelly parachuted to the surface of the moon Titan. Titan, a moon bigger than our own with an atmosphere thicker than Earth's, a surface filled with primordial organic chemicals, covered in lakes of methane and dunes made up of grains of ice. A world where, were we to land there, our habitats would not need to be pressurized, merely heated above the ambient temperature of -180 °C as we explored an environment perhaps similar in many



The Russian satellite Sputnik launched the space age when it lifted off on October 4, 1957.

ways to the early pre-biotic Earth. So now 20 years after its launch, after a successful survey of Saturn's domain, running low on fuel, Cassini has been dispatched into the clouds of Saturn and incinerated as its cousin, the spacecraft Galileo, had been at Jupiter and for the same reason - to prevent the possible contamination of nearby moons with bacteria from Earth.

With the long term survival and prosperity of Humanity in continued and heightened peril, it is always tempting for some to suggest that such endeavors as the Voyager and Cassini missions are not worth the cost. Although these spacecraft have validated the techniques of interplanetary travel, returned a wealth of scientific information, captured the imaginations of millions, given us a new perspective on our place in the universe and quantitatively allowed us to compare these other worlds to our own, thus improving the understanding of our own home, let us put this aside for the moment. The cost of these missions is a pittance compared to our expenditures on military matters which directly threaten our survival and to the amount of money hoarded by the wealthiest members of our society.

However, those who would write off space exploration as superfluous hardly then claim that nuclear warfare or extreme wealth inequality are necessary. Perhaps these are seen as the unfortunate features of a world order that cannot be imagined any other way, whereas not exploring space is as easy as not funding it. Nevertheless, I am ultimately optimistic about our future.

What also makes 2017 such an auspicious year in terms of space anniversaries is that come this October 4th it will have been 60 years since the first satellite (Sputnik I) was launched and one could say that the Space Age began. At that time my parents, who were then only married 2 years, went outside like many to see whether they could spot a glint of light off of what was our first toe into the waters beyond Earth as it went beeping overhead.

*EDITOR'S NOTE: Jon Organ is a teacher and an Island expatriate currently residing in Ottawa. Mr. Organ boasts a B.Sc. teaching degree, and a BA in Classics and is currently pursuing his master's degree in the classics. With the 50th anniversary of the launch of Sputnik today (October 4) Mr. Organ's submission is timely and fitting.*

*more letters*

## Changes to Municipal Act called undemocratic and Torontocentric

*One size fits all edicts will come back to bite them in the end*

**To the Expositor:**

I note in the minutes of a recent council meeting of a Manitoulin municipality's almost gleeful acceptance of yet another undemocratic "Torontocentric" move by the Government of Ontario to jump on command to the whims of the Association of Ontario Municipalities (AMO). But they did themselves no favours, it will come back to bite them! I've had various discussions with Ted McMeekin, former Municipal Affairs Minister (and now trouble-shooter at large for Premier Wynne), on improvements to municipal law in the past, and we have both heaved deep sighs at the end of them!

So, what is the change? In the Municipal Elections Act, they slipped in a change to the Nominations and Eligibility requirements that all candidates must "submit the signa-

tures of 25 voters supporting the nomination. The individuals providing the signatures will each have to sign a declaration stating that they were eligible to vote in the municipality on the day that they signed the endorsement."

Why am I so peeved by this? Because incumbents, with their name recognition, should have no problem asking 25 voters, especially ones they have personally helped through council, to sign to satisfy this. For the rest of us, especially those who think major change of faces and effectiveness on councils is in order, will have to, in effect, run two election campaigns, and well before the campaign officially starts, publicize what they stand for and what changes they would like to be part of enacting.

Why I condemn this as being "Torontocentric" (and I have had this argument at the party level with the current

deputy premier long ago on this) for the size of municipalities we typically have on this Island, 25 voters would be at least 20 percent of the votes the last councillor on the list who just "makes the cut" needs! Queen's Park lawmakers should scale these arbitrary decisions to the size of the municipality—not issue a one size fits all edict.

The reason it will bite them? All candidates, but especially non-incumbent ones, can now in effect run a mini-campaign, with the inadvertent blessing of Queen's Park, prior to the official campaign season, to improve their visibility. Thank you Premier Wynne and former Minister McMeekin!

**Paul Darlston  
Kagawong**

## Elder services fall short of the mark in Wiikwemkoong

*Lack of experience in caregiving is a hidden form of elder abuse*

**To the Expositor:**

Living in the community of Wiikwemkoong is a living hellhole. Especially when you do not have a car and living on a fixed income, not having too much support from family even though we have this service from Amik-ook for elders like me. It's being run by long-term care services and the service is very inadequate. When somebody really needs a ride there is no service at times because the driver is on a day off,

or they do not have a designated driver. When this happens, even sometimes there is not service for a week without notice. When asking why you might you might just get a very ignorant answer, or sometimes I will ask an elder how they feel about it, they say it's lousy also saying well they do not care about us, they only care about the money. It's saddening when I hear that from an elder how they are expressing their feelings, feeling hurt and not saying anything

about it. They are holding it in, which is not healthy. Wiikwemkoong has five satellite communities to serve, Amik-ook services only have one car for this, and I know they need at least two or three cars for this service in order to have good quality service for the elders. Furthermore, I believe there is only one person who has experience as a caregiver with Amik-ook service. Anybody who wants to work, or to volunteer with Amik-ook services, it should be mandatory

for them to take a training course as a caregiver.

**Ron Osawabine  
Wiikwemkoong**

**Four charged in Wiikwemkoong drug search and seizure**

The Wikwemikong Tribal Police Service in partnership with the United Chiefs and Council of Manitoulin Police Service have charged four people with drug-related offences.

On Tuesday, September 26 a search warrant was executed on a residence in the community of Wiikwemkoong. Three men and one woman were arrested at the scene.

As a result of the investigation, police have charged: a 43-year-old female of Wiikwemkoong with possession of a Schedule I substance for the purpose of trafficking, possession of proceeds of property obtained by crime; and unauthorized possession of a weapon; a 20-year-old male of Toronto with possession of a Schedule I substance for the purpose of trafficking, possession of proceeds of property obtained by crime, and unauthorized possession of a weapon; a 26-year-old male of Toronto with possession of a Schedule I substance for the purpose of trafficking, possession of proceeds of property obtained by crime, unauthorized possession of a weapon, and carrying a concealed weapon; and a 20-year-old male with possession of a Schedule I substance for the purpose of trafficking, possession of proceeds of property obtained by crime, and unauthorized possession of a weapon.

**Ward's Store broken into**

Vigilant neighbours are being credited with assisting in the quick resolution of a late August break-in at Ward's Store in Tehkummah. A group of young people were observed breaking into the store through the front door on August 27 around 7:30 pm. A short time later OPP officers pulled over a vehicle fitting the description and stolen liquor recovered. Four individuals were found inside the vehicle, a female youth and three adult males. All four were charged with break, enter and theft and damage to property. The OPP Scenes of Crime Unit attended the site of the incident.

**Little Current Beer Store broken into**

Police were called to the Little Current Beer Store on Friday, September 29 where an individual was observed fleeing from the business. No suspect was apprehended, but the OPP Scenes of Crime Unit attended the site of the incident.

**Hunting safety is a priority**

Staff Sergeant Kevin Webb, Detachment Commander of the Manitoulin Ontario Provincial Police (OPP), wants to ensure that everyone has a safe and enjoyable hunting season.

Hunting enthusiasts shall understand and follow the rules when hunting: wear solid hunter orange clothing including an orange head cover; assure someone knows of your location, route, and date of return; carry a map and compass with your GPS. Don't depend on electronic navigation devices only; hunt only where you are permitted; check the weather and assure you have appropriate clothing and gear for the expected or unexpected changes in conditions; learn how to safely build a fire, and carry the required supplies; keep hydrated and pack nutritious food; never drink alcohol and hunt; and carry a survival kit including a first aid kit with you.

Firearms and ammunition: Firearms shall be handled with care and attention at all times; never shoot unless you are sure of your target and what lies beyond is safe; it is illegal to carry a loaded firearm in or on a vehicle; and a reminder that it is illegal to shoot from a vehicle.

Hunting and home safety with children: Children are playful and active while adolescents are curious and impulsive. These healthy traits mixed with firearms can cause life threatening injuries or death. If guns are kept in the home, there are added risks. Therefore, the law outlining the storage of firearms and ammunition shall be adhered to.

Be specifically aware of your inventory when departing for your sporting adventure and upon your return. Assure all firearms and unused ammunition has been accounted for and safely returned to their secure storage locations.

When handling or cleaning a gun, never leave it unattended, even for a moment; it should be in your view at all times.

If you don't own a gun, check with parents at other places where your children play to assure safety precautions are followed.

The consequences of unsafe storage of firearms/ammunition and unsupervised children can be tragic.

"We want this season to be a safe experience, hunter and firearm safety is everyone's responsibility," said Manitoulin OPP Detachment Commander Kevin Webb.

Report any illegal or unsafe hunting activity; call the MNRF TIPS line at 1-877-847-7667, the OPP at 1-888-310-1122 or to remain anonymous, you may call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS) or submit information online at [www.tipsubmit.com](http://www.tipsubmit.com) where you may be eligible to receive a cash reward of up to \$2,000.



# Law & Order

**OPP launches fall seatbelt campaign**

The Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) will be conducting its Fall Seatbelt Campaign from September 27 until October 6.

Seatbelt law enforcement and education is one of the OPP's traffic safety priorities; the OPP conducts provincial seatbelt campaigns every year to raise awareness of seatbelt use and their effectiveness in saving lives in the event of a collision.

The OPP will be out on patrol and conducting seat belt spot checks during the campaign.

"Buckling up is your responsibility," says Sudbury OPP Detachment Commander, Staff Sergeant Dan Esposito. "It only takes a few seconds and when it's worn properly your seat belt greatly increases your chances of surviving a motor vehicle collision."

A driver can be charged and face a fine totalling \$240 and two demerit points for seatbelt infractions. Demerit points remain on a driving record for two years from the date of the offence.

Last year (2016), 45 people died in collisions on OPP-patrolled roads in which the deceased was not wearing a seat belt.

**Next Gen criminals victimize people and systems**

The Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) views Cyber Security Awareness Month as an opportunity to take a multi-

pronged approach to address the many threats posed by cyber criminals.

The impact of fraud and victimization through technology as a target and technology used as a tool now totals in the billions of dollars annually in Canada. The destruction is only expected to expand through the 'Internet of Things'—devices connected via the Internet that collect and exchange information with one another and with us.

During October, police services and subject matter experts from across the country want to safeguard all Canadians from becoming victims of online and digital crimes. The OPP 2017 Cyber Security Awareness Month public, media and social media campaign will focus on four broader themes, including: identity theft; two-factor authentication and digital citizenship (Online Child Safety); online shopping and safe trade zones; and the OPP Cyber Crime Investigations Team.

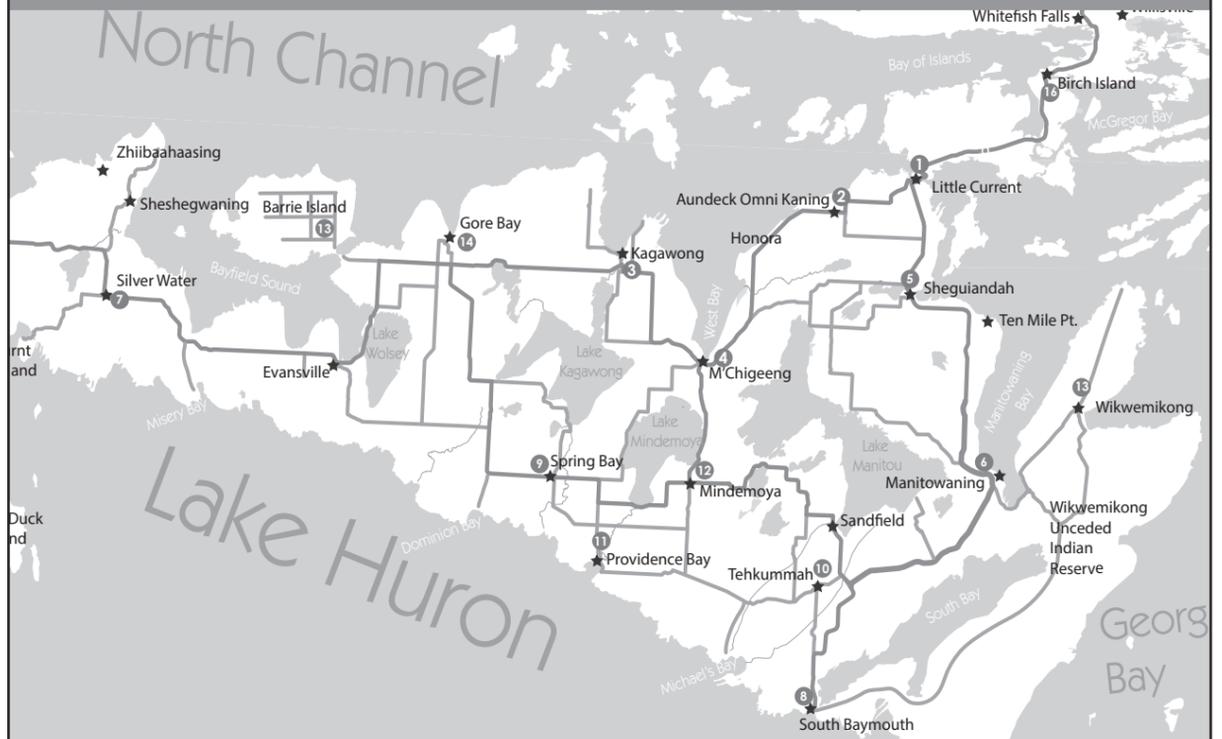
The OPP is spreading the word among its own 9,200 employees to de-mystify threats, enhance education and awareness, and to ensure OPP information systems remain secure. The OPP is encouraging its members to share online safety tips and best practices with their children, family members and friends.

For helpful tips and links, follow the OPP on Twitter (@OPP\_News), Facebook and Instagram and using the hashtags #CyberSecurity, #CyberAware and #OPP-Tips.

If you or someone you know suspects they've been a victim of digital or online crime, contact your local police service, the Canadian Anti-Fraud Centre, report it to the OPP online at [www.opp.ca/index.php?id=132](http://www.opp.ca/index.php?id=132) or through Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS) at [www.tipsubmit.com/start.htm](http://www.tipsubmit.com/start.htm)

# HARVEST GLORY DAYS

## Fall driving tour map of decorated communities



**1 Little Current**

Valu-Mart  
Downtown Little Current  
Manitoulin Centennial Manor  
5 Campbell St East  
7 Campbell St East  
Tourist Information Booth  
3 Cows and a Cone  
26 Blake West  
United Church

**2 Aundeck Omni Kaning FN**

1300 Hwy 540  
1340 Hwy 540

**3 Kagawong**

15 Old Mill Road and around the Kagawong Village

**4 M'Chigeeng**

Band Office - 53 Hwy 551

**5 Sheguiandah**

117 Townline Road  
Fish Viewing station on Bass Creek  
115 Townline Road  
All down Townline Road  
Chris Jones  
Throughout village of Sheguiandah  
10655 Hwy 6

164 Townline Rd  
9 Dunlop St.  
Government Docks in Sheguiandah (gazebo and sign)  
Centennial Museum  
Street corners, signposts throughout the community

**6 Manitowaning**

895 Slash Rd  
194 Macdonald Rd  
15491 Hwy 6  
59 Queen St  
56 Napier St  
78 Queen St  
20 Queen St  
160 Queen St  
95 Arthur St  
2300 Bidwell Rd  
Corner Meredith/Arthur  
Queen St. /Hwy 6  
150 Queen St  
107 Napier St  
42 Walcot St  
55 Walcot St  
89 Walcot St

92 Walcot St  
58 Vankoughnet St  
110 South Bay Dr  
7 Vankoughnet St  
97 Wellington St  
59 Vankoughnet St  
82 Queen St  
178 Albert St  
66 Queen St  
23 Spragge St  
Queen's Park, Corner  
Queen And Arthur St  
115 Arthur St  
Info Booth, Hwy 6  
1124 Sucker Lake Road  
125 Arthur St. 895 Slash Road

**7 Silver Water**

All Community

**8 South Baymouth**

38 Second Street

**9 Spring Bay**

950 Perivale Road East  
1100 Perivale Road East  
9366 Hwy 542  
1420 Perivale Road East  
9738 Hwy 542  
38 Perivale Rd. East

**10 Tehkummah**

513 Government Road  
456 Hwy 542A  
3360 Government Road  
12 Mutchmor Street  
5394 Hwy 551  
98 Cedar Cres.  
Village Square and whole town  
51 Monroe Street  
5163 Mutchmor Street (Hwy 551)  
5148 Hwy 551

**11 Providence Bay**

513 Government Road  
456 Hwy 542A

**Plus!**  
More Harvest Glory Days decorations this year on most sideroads and in every community. (in addition to the formal registrations)

**13 Wikwemikong**

1637 Wikwemikong Way  
15 Edward Street, Unit 1  
Wicky Mini Mall  
13187 HWY 540

**14 Gordon/ Barrie Island**

13187 HWY 540

**15 Gore Bay**

Throughout the town

**16 Birch Island**

7070 HWY 6

**LETTER TO THE EDITOR?**

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# Manitoulin Sporting Life

## Ice Chips to Canoe Quips

by Larry and André Leblanc



## Ice Chips and Canoe Quips

### Island Three – Pitch Championships

The annual Manitoulin three-pitch tournament is testament that Manitoulin still has a lot of great ball players and put on a show at C. C. McLean in Gore Bay for the Junior event and in Mindemoya for the Intermediate showdown.

Wasse Abin took home the Grade 7-8, co-ed trophy in a very close battle for points as they just edged the home-field, CMPS squad by a single run. Congratulations to **Coach Deana Debassige** and her players: **Kenneth Kagige, Lattrell Peltier, Malakai Misoyianis-Jacko, Julian Wemigwans, Jordan Cheechoo, Jeremiah Misoyianis-Jacko, Latoya Beaudry, Chanelle Kimewon, Macy Jones-Naponse, Kieralyne Kitchikake, Maria Shawanda and Autumn Peltier.**

Assignack for the first in a long time had both an A and B team and it paid off with them taking home the B trophy. Unfortunately, their roster was not released in time for press time.

The Junior teams were just as exciting with the Mindemoya Eagles taking the title as they were undefeated on the day. Hats off to **Coaches Chris and Christa King** and their charges: **Jordan Graham, Aiden Case, Chase Becks, Brayden Phelps, Lexis Young, Zach Cooper, Liam Lariviere, Naomi Hill, Noah Thorpe, Ava Assinewai and Annie Balfe.**

**Coach Joanne Peltier** and her players: **Caleb Lockeyer, Ryland Pridle, Rhyis Arthurs, Keannu Bisschops, Matthew Wilkins, Peter Kanasawe, Dale Belanger, Zee Toulouse, Kyra Carpenter, Kalli Jones, Alesha Beam, Taylor Goodfellow and Kara Peltier.**

### Indian Horse, a powerful story, features local talent

My Mom and Dad were at the gala opening of Indian Horse at Cinefest in Sudbury a couple of weeks ago and were very impressed by the harrowing tale it told. The movie follows the perspective of Saul Indian Horse who was played by local lad **Sladen Peltier** as the young Saul. Playing the older Saul is actor **Ajuawak Kapashesit**, but his on-ice body double was none other than former Wiikwemkoong resident **Bo Peltier**. In talking with the Calgary Herald, Kapashesit admits “I am an actor who has an incredible hockey double. Anytime I look good on the ice, it’s really Bo Peltier.”

Hockey plays an essential role in this story of a young native boy sent into the residential school system in 1960s Ontario. The movie is based on the novel by **Richard Wagamese** and came just in time for Orange Shirt Day that recognizes the past and present effects of that system. It was recently named the top fan pick at the Calgary International Film Festival.

### Cross Country Season is upon us

The next three weeks there will be a cross country meet available to Island schools. The first is today (October 4) in Birch Island for the Bobcats Invitational. Next Thursday will be the Wiky Invitational, to be held at Thunderbird Park in Wiikwemkoong and finally the Island Championships will be hosted at C. C. McLean on the following Thursday the 19th.

### Archery anyone?

There will be an archery class for beginners starting today (October 4) and every Wednesday this October (11, 18 and 25) at Thunderbird Park in Wiikwemkoong from 5 to 6 pm. Your instructor will be the very accomplished **Sheila Madahbee**. Spots are limited and are open to those 19 years of age or older. To secure your registration please contact Mary Mishibinjima by calling her at 705-859-3164, extension 316.

### Manitoulin Golf Tour over

Congratulations to all the Island players who took part in the Island Youth Golf Tour over the last three weeks. The Tour featured three days of golf for a super price at all three of Manitoulin’s links. The event, sponsored by BMO started out at the Rainbow Ridge on the 16th, Brookwood Brae was the second stop in Mindemoya on the 23rd and finally this past Saturday the Tour ended in Gore Bay and the Country Club.

Having a great time on the tour were up and coming golfers from Mindemoya, **Noah Thorpe, Rylan Carrick and Liam Lariviere**. Keep up the good work guys.

### Youth/Adult Karate Classes

**Steven Fox-Radulovich** is a traditional Okinawa Gojuryu Karatedo-licenced trainer (Renshi), 6-dan. He has over 35 years in karate, lived and trained in Okinawa, Japan. He says that he will always be a student but if offering to impart some of his knowledge and training. He says that, “I teach the old ways, as a traditional martial art, not a sport. I will teach you how to defend yourself, but more importantly how to be a martial artist.” The class is to be Wednesday, at the Kagawong Park Centre. Please message Steven on Facebook for more details.

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### Wiikwemkoong runs for a cure

Staff and students at the Wiikwemkoong High School raised \$410 for the Terry Fox Foundation through their participation in the National School Run Day. Holding the big cheque are Principal Jason Thibeault, Bernadette Pangowish, Samantha Cooper and Ferris Eshkawkogan.

photo by Michael Erskine

# Snowmobile trail permits on sale now

MANITOULIN—Some people are sad to say goodbye to summer, but snowmobilers in Ontario are revving up for the 2018 snowmobiling season. The Sudbury Trail Plan, including Manitoulin trails, is working hard to ensure trails are prepped for when the snow comes. There’s lots of trail work that needs doing and new volunteers are always welcome. So it must also be permit buying time and here’s what riders need to know.

After four years at the same fee, all 2018 Seasonal Snowmobile Trail Permits (including Classic) have increased by only \$10 according to news received on September 29. This follows the approval of a spring recommendation from the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs to the Ontario Ministry of Transportation (MTO), which authorizes permit fees. Faced with rising operational expenses to deliver snowmobile trails and in support its of clubs and volunteers, the OFSC made a strong and urgent business case for the new fees, which barely cover the annual rate of inflation since 2013. The OFSC business plan also spoke to new fees being necessary to

help cover the higher cost of continuing to purchase new groomers to improve trail quality and consistency. Since the 2015-16 season, the OFSC has invested \$8.5 million to buy 35 new grooming units as part of its recently approved More On The Snow initiative.

Snowmobilers can take advantage of 30 percent savings on their 2018 Ontario Seasonal Snowmobile Permit. For the low fee of \$190 they can enjoy a winter full of adventure on any of the available 30,000 km of trails connecting communities throughout the province. This early rate is only available for a limited time. The fees go up at midnight EST on November 1, 2017.

Once again, all permit sales will be online only. “Providing consumers with enhanced security, flexibility and convenience are just a few of the benefits of buying your permit online” says Remi Sauve, president of the OFSC. “Thank you for your support of organized snowmobiling in the province and we look forward to seeing you out on the trails this winter.”

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# Scott Wheeler making great strides in recovery

by Michael Erskine

BRANTFORD—When Scott Wheeler awoke in the hospital after a three week induced coma following an accident where he tumbled 30-feet down a cliff while visiting the Mississagi Lighthouse Park property at Manitoulin's westernmost tip, about 15 km beyond the village of Meldrum Bay, he could remember every terrifying moment of that experience—but the plucky grandson of Wade and Barbara Kearns, operators of Green Acres Tent and Trailer Park and Restaurant, soon began his climb toward recovery.

"I'm doing great," said Mr. Wheeler. "I am in physiotherapy twice daily now and four days ago was the first time I climbed stairs. There has been a lot of changes."

That might not sound like such a fantastic thing, but when you consider that after his tumble Mr. Wheeler was very fortunate to not have died or found himself paralyzed for life following his accident it is a miracle indeed. The weeks of enforced stillness, where he was bedridden in a medically-induced coma, has robbed him of much of his muscle mass and even the simplest of motions had to be relearned.



Scott Wheeler is making remarkable headway in his recovery from a near-catastrophic accident falling from a cliff at the Mississagi Lighthouse property near Meldrum Bay. Mr. Wheeler is pictured here with his parents Sandra and Greg Wheeler as he recovers.

"I lost 60 to 70 pounds," he said. "I think most of that was substantially muscle."

That lost mass has an eerie side effect on his physiology. "I can actually feel my muscles working," he laughed. "I am walking a lot better on my own now. When I was in Sudbury, they had a wheelchair behind me the whole time in case I collapsed."

Things have progressed so well now, however, that Mr. Wheeler is confident he will be going home in a couple of weeks.

"It's a lot better since I was transferred here," he said. "This is a lot closer to home and I get a lot of visitors stopping in to see me."

Mr. Wheeler said that he was immensely grateful for the outpouring of support he has received both from friends and family down south and his Island friends and extended family from his grandparents' Sheguiandah resort and restaurant. "There are a lot of people at my grandparents' place who have known me pretty much all of my life," he said. "They are great people."

# Canada's first woman in space visits Manitoulin Island schools

by Giselle Aiabens

WIKWEMKOONG—In the last stop on her multi-community speaking tour of Northern Ontario, Dr. Roberta Bondar, in partnership with Science North, visited Wasse Abin Wikwemikong High School last week to deliver a presentation promoting the Ontario 150 Bondar Challenge. The 'Challenge' is a nature-based photo challenge geared toward connecting people to nature. Dr. Bondar delivered her three-part presentation to a full house.

As one would expect from Canada's first woman in space, Dr. Bondar began her presentation with a discussion regarding her own experience in space, including a short video clip of the space shuttle Discovery launch. She talked about space exploration in general as well as ongoing exploration of the planet Mars, a topic that clearly fascinated the student audience. In the second part of her presentation, Dr. Bondar delivered an overview of the Ontario 150 Bondar Challenge, stressing that it is very important to her that everyone "understands the importance of our natural environment (and) what it means to us going forward in Canada." She pointed to



The Wikwemikong First Robotics Team 5672 meets with Dr. Bondar who took time after her presentation to meet with them personally to hear about their robotics challenges.

photo by Giselle Aiabens

the fact that we all have cameras on our phones and have a love for taking photos, which, coupled with the importance of connecting to nature, makes for a natural and easy to accomplish challenge. In the final part of her talk, she invited members of the audience to join her on stage to ask questions. Questions ranged from those regarding simple life necessities, such as how to eat in space to those regarding the more complex requirements of how to become an astronaut.

The crowd of enthusiastic students and community members were not disappointed as Dr. Bondar took time to meet with them after the presentation, signing autographs and posing for photos. One group that was especially excited to meet Dr. Bondar was the Wikwemikong First Robotics Team 5672 and Chris Mara, the team's coach. Dr. Bondar met with the team and team member Mary Pangowish expressed that meeting Dr. Bondar was a big highlight for her and that she was especially excited by how impressed Dr. Bondar was with the accomplishments of the robotics team.

"She was really impressed with us," Ms. Pangowish explained, further commenting that she thought that perhaps Dr.



Dr. Roberta Bondar delivers a presentation promoting the Ontario 150 Bondar Challenge to students and community members at Wikwemikong High School.

Bondar didn't expect "that good of a robotics team from such a small school with only about 200 kids." Ms. Pangowish characterized meeting Dr. Bondar as further inspiration to be on the Robotics team.

The Ontario 150 Bondar Challenge is open to all

individuals and is an opportunity to express, through photography, what you appreciate about your community's natural environment, which you would like

to still exist in 150 years from now. More details about the challenge can be found on the Roberta Bondar Foundation's website.



## Paunchy pike

On September 17 Karen Peever caught this massive northern pike while in Birch Island with Stillwater Fishing. The fish weighed in at 28 lbs, 46" long, 21.5" girth. Ms. Peever was in the area visiting her property in Tehkummah. "The salmon fishing was not too good river fishing so I went boat fishing instead and caught this large northern pike," she told The Expositor.

## Happy 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday!

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

**Congratulations!**

The family of **Audrey (Toots) McDermid** would like to invite everyone to celebrate her **90th Birthday** with a **Come & Go Tea**

**Saturday, October 14**  
**1:00 - 3:00 pm**  
**Providence Bay Curling Club**

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## THERE IS NO WORD FOR WILDERNESS

a play by  
Lisa Hamalainen

**There is No Word for Wilderness** is a land-based story walk brought to life with mask, puppetry and music. Created by new generation artists, the play reflects one woman's journey of getting lost to get found as nature reveals itself to her. Co-Producers: Lisa Hamalainen and Jamie Oshkabewisens

**October 6, 2017 Kagawong River Trail 6:00 pm**  
**October 7, 2017 Bebamikawe Memorial Trail 6:00 pm**

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Painting by Jamie Oshkabewisens

# ...Rainbow Board EQAO results good overall but Island mixed

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A total of 77 percent of Grade 6 students achieved at or above the provincial average in reading, 74 percent in writing and 42 percent in math. While provincial writing results declined by one percentage point, Grade 6 results for Rainbow District School Board remained the same. Provincial results in Grade 6 reading and math were also stable.

In both Primary and Junior EQAO assessments, Rainbow District School Board recorded marked increases in results for students identified with a learning disability. Most significant were the Grade 3 reading and writing results, up by six percentage points and nine percentage points respectively.

The Grade 9 results for Manitoulin Secondary School saw a two percent rise in applied mathematics scores to a still dismal 10 percent and a three percent decline in academic mathematics course scores to a reasonable solid 69 percent.

EQAO results in Grade 9 mathematics remained the same in applied (33 percent) and declined slightly in academic (77 percent). Academic math results remained stable provincially, but declined slightly at the applied level. In Grade 9 applied math, Rainbow District School Board recorded marked increases in results for students identified with a learning disability, up by nine percentage points from last year.

The largest number of students ever were successful on the Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT), which is a requirement for graduation. A total of 77 per-

cent of students passed the test, up five percentage points from last year.

"In a number of areas, Rainbow District School Board's year over year growth was higher than the provincial trend where most results either declined or remained the same," said Director of Education Norm Blaseg. "We are particularly pleased with the gains made in Grade 3 reading and writing, the foundation for all learning. We will continue to use EQAO trend data over time to identify areas for continuous improvement."

EQAO results provide a measure of how well students understand the expectations outlined in the Ontario Curriculum. Student assessment is most effective when data is interpreted in context, examined over time to determine trends in performance, and used to inform professional dialogue and school improvement planning.

Director Blaseg thanked educators for their ongoing efforts and congratulated students on their achievement. "Assessment results are used to enhance student learning," he said. "The data helps us determine areas of focus in literacy and numeracy for school and board improvement planning by answering two important questions: How are we doing and what can we do next to improve student learning? As always, we will build on our efforts."

Primary and Junior reading, writing and mathematics tests were written in late May and early June 2017. A total of 868 students participated in the Primary assessment and 830 students participated in the Junior assessment. Very few students were exempt from the assessments.

The Grade 9 math assessments were completed in Janu-

ary 2017 (Semester 1) and June 2017 (Semester 2). A total of 853 students participated in the Grade 9 math assessments.

The Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT) was written on October 20, 2016 (online trial) and March 30, 2017. A total of 954 students wrote the OSSLT.

The Ministry of Education has set Level 3 as the provincial standard. Students in Level 4 have demonstrated a very high to outstanding level of achievement (80 percent to 100 percent). Achievement is above the provincial standard. Students in Level 3 have demonstrated a high level of achievement (70 percent to 79 percent).

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# ...Debajehmujig 6 Foot Festival gears up for 8th season

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have disappeared. A cadre of 10 agricultural companies, including Syngenta, Bayer, and Monsanto, controls over two-thirds of the global seed market, reaping unprecedented profits. Farmers and others battle to defend the future of our food."

"We will be having a community feast and a Debaj Caberet on Friday evening, starting at 6 pm, which will feature a collaborative creation by our students and seasoned performers exploring the 4 Kingdoms," said Mr. Manitowabi. "On Saturday, there will be a lunch with land-based workshop presentations going on between noon

and 4 pm. The workshops will be presented by artists and community members. At 6 pm, there will be a community jam and potluck, so bring your instruments and your favourite dish."

Throughout the festival, Dance Machine will see artist Lee Su-Feh in an interactive exploration of a kinetic sculpture that can be transformed into multiple configurations by the actions and movements of the bodies within it. Created out of 64 pieces of bamboo suspended from a central copper disk, batteryopera.com notes the sculpture "can be moved independently by artists and audience mem-

bers to create an immersive experience."

An art exhibit will be featured in the K.B. Reynolds Gallery as well as installations by Debajehmujig artists based on the teachings of the 4 Kingdoms.

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# ...Last chance to see the Pearson exhibit at the Billings Heritage Centre

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about his new book on former Ontario Premier Bill Davis, as well as a panel discussion with Billings Mayor Austin Hunt facilitated by current Algoma Manitoulin MPP Mike Mantha and a presentation by columnist Andrew Cohen who gave a fantastic synopsis of the life and times of Canada's most famous person. "We capped that with the History Day in Kagawong, where we heard from Lester B.'s granddaughter Patricia Pearson and other family members," recalled Mr. Nelson.

"That was really the icing on the cake, because one of the family members was so taken with Manitoulin Island and what they saw here when they came for a couple of days that they have already booked a cottage to come back and visit for a longer



Billings Mayor Austin Hunt stands in the office portion of the Pearson exhibit at the Billings Heritage Centre.

## Expositor file photo

visit next year. They were delighted by the project."

As to next year's display, Mr. Nelson said they have just about got that figured out. "We are thinking a blacksmith display," he

said. "We have loads of blacksmith stuff in storage that doesn't get out much, so 2018 will really be the first opportunity."

Fall hours for the museum are 11 am to 4 pm

Wednesday through Sunday. The GoFundMe account is still active raising money to help fund the exhibit and the museum is still fundraising to cover their expenses. "We hope that there could be a last-minute surge of donors," said Mr. Nelson. "They can link the account by going to our website [billings-wp.ca/oldmillheritage](http://billings-wp.ca/oldmillheritage)."

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# ...new exhibit installed at Centennial Museum

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last Friday. "We are really excited for the public to come and see it and for kids to enjoy the new interactive elements. It's a great addition to the museum." The new exhibit was made possible thanks to funding from the Northern Ontario Heritage Fund and Canadian Heritage's Canada Cultural Spaces Fund.

SA-WAT-SKI Concept Reality was the firm that created and installed the exhibit.

The museum is open Tuesdays to Sundays from 10 am to 4 pm. The facility will close for the season at the end of October.



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# Council decides to enforce Carter Bay building restrictions

by Michael Erskine

CENTRAL MANITOULIN—Carter Bay property owner Bill Cranston presented a short delegation to Central Manitoulin council at its Thursday, September 28 meeting, but in the end council decided to pass a motion to inform those property owners who are not in compliance with the municipal bylaw on development on the steps they must take to be in compliance (essentially removing the offending structure).

The text of the motion reads: "That council direct staff to issue notices to, and otherwise communicate with, all property owners in the Carter Bay Development area, who are not in compliance with the current zoning bylaw, notifying them of the necessary measures they need to undertake to be in compliance with same."

Mr. Cranston noted that there are a number of people who pay taxes on the property but that they are prevented from any development. "It is land that is owned, but they can't do anything with it. As it stands with the town's bylaws, you can't even leave a trailer on your property."

Mayor Richard Stephens asked Mr. Cranston how long he had owned his Carter Bay lot, to which Mr. Cranston replied "seven or eight years."

"This issue was to go before the (Manitoulin) Planning Board (MPB)," noted Councillor Derek Stephens. "I was wondering what may have been the discussion? I do know that the dynamics of Carter Bay have changed. I question whether people have a hope of applying for a zoning change, to take it out of planned development designation."

Mayor Stephens, who is the municipality's representative on the MPB, said that the matter did not come up for discussion at the last MPB meeting. "There wasn't any specific discussion," he said, noting that there had been a recent public meeting where the council had heard from a number of the property owners, including one who had ended the checker-boarded nature of the lots in the development.

The current owner purchased the many lots that made

up the Carter Bay Development, properties that had been held under two different companies to "checkerboard" the adjacent lots so they would remain separate, rather than being amalgamated into a single property.

Councillor Stephens asked if someone could apply for a rezoning, to which Clerk Ruth Frawley replied that "anyone can apply for a rezoning," but she added that all of the other ministries that have an interest in the issue would weigh in.

Mayor Stephens said that he had "gone back to the September 21 motion" where staff was "directed to consult with the relevant authorities on Carter Bay so we can be better informed and some of your questions can be answered."

Councillor Alex Baran cited "our 89-page municipal bylaw that includes everything you could ever want to know about zoning" that outlines the site specific policy area in question, noting that an amendment to the Manitoulin Official Plan was required. That application can be undertaken either by the property owner or the municipality.

Councillor Baran noted that an application to the MPB would trigger consultation with all of the relevant ministries, thus saving a lot of research effort on the part of municipal staff.

"Nobody on staff has the expertise," agreed Ms. Frawley.

After some debate on the procedural implications of passing a motion to enforce compliance (and what impact that would have on the previous motion to rescind the compliance letter sent to Mr. Cranston), it was determined that the new motion would supersede that motion. "The later motion would prevail," said Ms. Frawley.

In the end Councillor Stephens' argument that the municipality must protect the integrity of its bylaws won out. "You have to enforce a bylaw," he said. "It is clear what you can expect if you build a building without a permit," he said. "A building was built without a permit."

Mayor Stephens interjected "was it not within the 100

square-foot limit (where a permit is not required)?"

"No it was not," supplied Councillor Stephens.

"It was my understanding that it was," responded Mayor Stephens.

In the end the motion ordering compliance was passed, but with the caveat expressed that, due to the lateness of the season, there would be some leeway in the timeframe for compliance.

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## ...Old School building gets reprieve and consideration

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another one who contributed a lot, Pat really instigated getting Ted to deliver the presentation."

Mr. Williamson started his presentation by thanking mayor and council for allowing him "to speak on behalf of some members of Central Manitoulin Historical Society, and others present, and also those not present who have expressed their concern of the topic of the demolition of the Mindemoya Continuation School." Mr. Williamson stressed that he was "not here speaking for or representing any other organization or business that I am affiliated with."

Mr. Williamson went on to note that the stone and brick building "holds testament to the quality and pride of the masons and tradesmen of the day. Towns are made up of different buildings and structures, both old and new, and serve to differentiate who we are. Who we are has a lot to do with who we were."

Mr. Williamson explored briefly the various possibilities for repurposing the Mindemoya Old School, including housing, assisted living, office space, cottage industries, recreational space for all ages year round, up to and including use as a satellite school for Cambrian College or Laurentian University. "There are endless possibilities if you explore deep enough and have the vision and determination to get it done," he said.

The dollar amounts being thrown out by councillors in the debate was cited as a concern by Mr. Williamson. "There is a concern that dollar amounts are being thrown out and off the cuff as high as \$1.5 million," he said. "Other than the report done in 2014, I have not seen any factual dollar amount values. Throwing out non-factual numbers tends to have very negative effects to the public sentiment."

Mr. Williamson went on to say that while council has a financial responsibility to the community, it also has a social responsibility.

"Before council makes their final decision to destroy a building of historical significance with a potential, if done properly, of being an income generator even to the point of at least covering the overhead cost and future capital costs, it is felt that a committee needs to be struck immediately to explore all possible avenues to save the building."

Mr. Williamson suggested that such a committee should be comprised of



Placard bearing Mindemoya Old School supporters gather in the Central Manitoulin council chambers prior to a debate on demolition of the historic building.

photo by Michael Erskine

the economic development officer, a council representative, contracted services who are knowledgeable and experienced in repurposing old buildings, contracted services with expertise in fundraising, representatives of the historical society and professional persons or members of the general public.

"This committee must be dedicated to this purpose and tasked to come up with a sound and viable business plan to save and repurpose the building," he further suggested. "It is felt that council has not put such an official and dedicated committee together in the past and this needs to be done."

The committee would also "need to be accountable, with monthly progress reports to council" and "be accountable to present to council, by the end of the third quarter of 2018, a sound and viable business plan."

The group Mr. Williamson was speaking on behalf of asked for a moratorium on the demolition of the Mindemoya Old School building until the end of 2018.

"What's the rush?" he asked. "Is one more year going to make a difference?" Mr. Williamson pointed out that the carrying costs of the Mindemoya Old School building were nominal. "It has been discussed that there are enough concerned people that would donate and fundraise to contribute in whole or in part to offset this cost," he said. "That's how serious this

matter is being taken."

Mr. Williamson then brought up the question of what plans were in place for the footprint of the building following its demolition. "Would it become a green space or an expansion of the recreational area for uses such as badminton or pickleball?"

He questioned whether the building could or would be put up for public tender. "There are visionary people out there that may find uses for it," he said. "We also hope that the council does not have a hidden agenda for the property, but will be honest and open about any plans."

Letters read out at the council meeting by Mayor Richard Stephens also questioned the council's efforts to date to save the building. "Once it is gone, it is gone forever," noted Mary Lohead in her handwritten missive. "The council cannot save the privately owned buildings of significance, so this is your opportunity to save at least one," wrote Ria Bax. "We need a committee that can tap into the expertise of people who know about repurposing buildings of historical significance," wrote Jan McQuay. "I don't think it's right to tear down an existing building like the Old School," wrote Edith Armstrong. "Especially when there are seniors who are having trouble finding housing anywhere on Manitoulin."

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# Northeast Town Council Notes

## Boat storage

Chris Blodgett of North Channel Cruise Lines made a deputation to council requesting permission to dry-dock his cruise ship, Le Grand Heron, on a plot of land inside the Spider Bay Marina basin over the winter.

"Leaving the boat afloat over the winter has at times been a tedious undertaking," explained Mr. Blodgett. "Removing the boat from the water would make managing the vessel much easier over this time period. The vessel also requires an out of water inspection next year by Transport Canada."

Mr. Blodgett noted that the location at Spider Bay is ideal for storing the boat as it is made to slide out of the water on its own bottom opposed to being lifted out by a crane.

"Because of the size of the vessel, this method of hauling the boat is the only method available to use at this time," he added. "There is no suitable marina in the area that could haul out the boat."

Councillor Michael Erskine asked if Mr. Blodgett would be willing to pay fair market value for storage to which Mr. Blodgett responded that he would.

Councillor Skippen was concerned with liability issues if the town allowed the boat to be stored on municipal property. Mr. Blodgett explained that the vessel was fully insured and that the town would be in no way responsible.

"I see where you're coming from, but if we open the door to one person, how can we not for others?" asked Councillor Bill Koehler.

Mr. Blodgett said that his was the only tour boat of this kind in the area and that it was a unique situation.

Mayor Al MacNevin informed Mr. Blodgett that council wouldn't be making a decision on the deputation until its next meeting in October, as per council's policy regarding deputations.

## Funding

Council carried a motion authorizing the mayor and

CAO (Dave Williamson) to enter into an agreement with the government to accept \$26,800 in funding to be used for a sustainability plan for the recreation centre. The funding would cover 75 percent of the study with the remaining money coming out of the 2017 and 2018 economic development lines of the budget.

The study will allow the municipality to apply for future funding for renewable energy and other updates to the facility.

## District Services Board review

Council discussed the District Services Board (DSB) and filled out a questionnaire for a government review.

In terms of accountability and transparency, council discussed how the quarterly reports were good at communicating the actions of the board, but noted that for accountability that the Northeast Town needed to be better represented on the board.

This was also brought up under board composition, with council stating that they felt they were not equally represented on the Manitoulin-Sudbury DSB.

Council also recommended that the terms of those appointed to the board from area councils should be consistent with municipal elections.

## Ashley Drain

Council reviewed the tenders for the Phase 2 of the Ashley Drain. Calvin Pearson bid \$93,647, Mike Varey bid \$59,843 and Ferguson Aggregate bid \$49,500.

Council awarded the tender to the lowest bidder, Ferguson Aggregate.

## Blake Street East

Ashleigh Ferguson wrote a letter to council, petitioning for the installation of four speed bumps on Blake Street East, beside the child drop off area of the Little Current Hub and Little Current Public School.

"Blake Street East is a busy roadway and vehicles drive very quickly making it a dangerous area to drop off children attending the daycare and school," Ms.

Ferguson stated in her letter. "There is no parking lot, so it's a serious hazard to drop young children off next to a busy street."

Mr. Williamson said he discussed the request with the manager of public works who explained that speed bumps come with a number of road issues.

"The real issues here is the speed and parking," said Mr. Williamson.

Council directed staff to contact the OPP about the speed and advise the Rainbow District School Board on the parking issue.

## Airport report

Councillor Marcel Gauthier presented council with the Manitoulin East Municipal Airport report.

He said that for July the airport had 158 aircrafts land and 495 passengers. "August boasted similar numbers," said Councillor Gauthier. "It was a good summer for the airport."

He also noted that the Young Eagles Day at the airport went well and that \$415 was donated through a silver collection.

"We might have a slight surplus this year, but we won't know just yet," he added. "The manager has started work on the 2018 budget."

## Fire department

Northeast Town Fire Department Chief Duane Deschamps delivered his report to council for September.

Fire Chief Deschamps reported that there were four calls for service since the last report including: a report of smoke at a home on Hayward Street on August 28; a lift assist on Russell Street in Sheguiandah on August 30; an alarm call at the Manitoulin Centennial Manor on August 31; and a child stuck in a baby swing at Low Island Park on September 10.

He noted that there were 32 calls for service to date.

## Community services and public works

Reid Taylor informed council that the ice was in at the recreation centre and in use. This month at the

recreation centre he said that there is a Shoot to Score hockey school, a Northern Ontario Hockey Association referee clinic, Skate Canada Manitoulin will start again, as will Manitoulin Panthers and the ballet program.

"Spider Bay Marina is seeing some business on weekends at the service docks," said Mr. Taylor. "Spider Bay Marina and the Port of Little Current will close on October 8. The downtown docks have little transient traffic and a few seasonal boats remaining."

Mr. Taylor also said that the ball fields and soccer field at Low Island Park are finished for the season and that the washrooms will be closed shortly and winterized. As well, the swimming docks will be removed.

There will be cruise ships coming to port on October 8, 9 and 17.

Public works manager Gary May reported that regular maintenance is being done on the roads as required. He said that construction on Cockburn Street is underway and that the Miller Line Painters will be finishing the lines in town and lines on Town Line Road.

Operations at the landfill are going well, added Mr. May, and a fence will be installed around the perimeter of restricted plastics.

## Building controls

Council reviewed the September 19 building controls report. It stated that there have been a total of 48 permits issued this year. The total value of construction to date is \$4,364,355, with a total building permit revenue of \$53,436.40.

## Little Current Public Library holds amnesty period

The Little Current Public Library is holding an amnesty period from Tuesday, October 3 to Saturday, October 14.

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## Luxury yacht visits Manitoulin

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## Expositor Correction

A reference in the September 30, Page 1 story 'Mindemoya Old School supports rally to save last historic building,' states that a plaque on the building that honours the

memory of former reeve Farquhar Anglin was placed there by the Canada Council. In fact, it was placed by Carnarvon Council. The Expositor regrets the error.

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# ...Catch the Ace big winner Tisa Polojko captures \$30,000

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off because 'you never win anyways,' said Ms. Polojko. "But I left it on and as it got down to the final cards and they drew my name I was really excited. Then I caught the ace and we were just so excited."

Ms. Polojko works at the Manitoulin Health Centre in Little Current as a lab technologist and had been buying tickets weekly from Little Current Lion Beth Draper, who also works at the hospital, since Catch the Ace first started in Little

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## ...Old School building gets reprieve

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Mayor Stephens moved the agenda item dealing with the issuing of requests for proposals for the demolition of the Mindemoya Old School building up so that it could be dealt with expeditiously on behalf of the many people crowding into the council chambers.

The motion to issue the demolition RFPs was moved by Councillor Alex Baran and seconded by Councillor Derek Stephens and put on the floor.

Councillor Baran opened the debate by saying that while he was not usually swayed by delegations or the number of people attending a debate he was very impressed by Mr. Williamson's presentation. He went on to point out, however, that council has been struggling with the issue of the Mindemoya Old School "for several years," and that a more recent report that had been received by council did delve into solid numbers and the result "did not look good." A recent appraisal gave an estimate in the range of a half million dollars. In not maintaining or dealing with maintenance issues over the years, he suggested that council "may have created a bit of our own Norisle." The result is a temptation to "pull it out into the lake and sink it."

Councillor Baran nonetheless said that given the passion and depth of support for saving the building he would be willing to support creating a committee to explore the matter in greater depth. "This is the first time that we have a committee that could save this building."

Councillor Patricia MacDonald said that while what Councillor Baran had said

"is supportable," she did not want to see the matter drag onto the next council. "I just don't want to see it put off to 2018," she said, pointing out that the municipal elections will be taking place in the later half of 2018.

Councillor Ted Taylor said that he was pleased to see the support for the building and he would like to see the formation of the committee, but also that the cost of demolition be included in the 2018 budget deliberations. "The money could then be used to demolish the building or could be used to renovate it," should a viable plan be found.

Councillor Linda Farquhar noted that her position was well-known and that she supported saving the historic edifice. "I would like to see a moratorium held until the end of 2018," she said.

Councillor Dale Scott cautioned that he had come to council during an atmosphere of reaction to escalating taxes. He pointed out that the cost of renovations to the building could result in a 17 point increase in the mill rate. "Taxes were going up 10 percent every year," he said. "Over the last two years we have seen a 25 percent drop in the mill rate. You have to realize that taxes will go back to where they were four almost four years ago."

But then he added the caveat that "if it (the cost of saving the Mindemoya Old School) is not on the backs of the taxpayers, I am all for it."

Councillor Derek Stephens also expressed a concern that the situation will only result in delaying the inevitable. "I don't like to leave anything I have set out to do undone," he said. "All we ever seem to do is to

put off making the hard decisions. I don't want to foist this decision onto the next council."

In a recorded vote, Councillors Stephens and MacDonald voted in favour of issuing the demolition RFP, while Mayor Stephens and Councillors Farquhar, Scott and Taylor voted against. Councillor Baran abstained, which in a recorded vote counts as a negative. The motion was defeated.

The matter of forming a new subcommittee was then debated, with the result that, instead of the task being sent to the property committee where the demolition motion was recommended, the matter was sent to the finance and administration committee. The motion was moved by Councillor Baran and seconded by Councillor Farquhar.

Councillor Stephens interjected following the vote that he would like to see the committee struck as soon as possible. "I never leave anything undone," he said. "I don't want to leave this."

Discussion over the makeup of the committee was discussed, with a number of six to eight suggested. "It should be an uneven number," cautioned Clerk Ruth Frawley.

Supporters of the Mindemoya Old School declared themselves to be delighted with the result.

"We will leave no stone unturned," announced Ms. McQuay. She noted that she had been talking to a lot of people in the community in recent weeks. "Everyone was very taken aback," she said. "Up until the motion came to council, we thought that it was going to be used for assisted living."



Catch the Ace winner Tisa Polojko of Espanola, front row, second from the left, and her daughter Piper Polojko, far left, accept her winning cheque for \$30,000 from the Little Current Lions Club. Back row, from left, is Lion Bruce Burnett, Catch the Ace committee member Rick Thurston, Lion Mike Dubreuil, front row, Lion Lori Draper and Linda Bowerman.

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## ...Unlawful Haweater visit returns arsonist to jail

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was sentenced to four months in jail with a two-year probation that includes the requirement that he stay out of the District of Manitoulin during that time.

Mr. Haggart has a long and storied interaction with the criminal justice system. Along with the arson charges that spanned three months in 2014 and this latest charge stemming

from his return to the Island, Mr. Haggart was charged in April of 2017 with an assault on a female during a break and enter at a Sudbury residence. He was also charged with stealing 12 packages of cigarettes from his female victim (theft under \$5,000). In that case he was indicted on four charges, but was found guilty of the assault and not keeping the peace and good behaviour (aka violat-

ing his parole), with the break enter and theft under \$5,000 charges being withdrawn.

Prior to his 2014 string of arsons in Little Current, Mr. Haggart was convicted in 2005 of raping a woman on a remote shore of Lake Wahnapietae where he received a sentence of 23 months in jail on top of the year he had already spent in custody.

## ...Hwy 540 reconstruction will include paved shoulders

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from the South Baymouth Ferry northerly of Highway 542, resurfacing of 24 km; and Highway 6, Little Current southerly resurfacing/culvert rehabilitation, 20 km. The resurfacing of 27 km of Highway 540, west of Highway 551, easterly of Kagawong is scheduled for 2019-2021.

Ms. Paiement explained that the MTO is currently leading the process of assessing and revising the draft cycling network based on comments received through the Environmental Registry, including comments regarding Highway 540 from Little

Current to Gore Bay.

"MTO has been encouraged by the enthusiastic feedback received throughout the engagement process," said Ms. Paiement. "Almost 250 submissions were received when the draft network was posted on the registry in spring 2017."

The final province-wide cycling network is scheduled to be published in late 2017. Ms. Paiement said that once published, an implementation plan will be put into place.

**Happy  
Thanksgiving!  
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# Manitou 4-H Club goes to the fair

by Grace Pennie and Andrew Cooper  
**MANITOWANING**—Everybody loves the fair! The Manitou 4-H had a great time participating in the Manitowaning Fall Fair last month.

The 4-H members put a float in the Manitowaning Fall Fair parade. Each member brought things like a drill, a mini tractor and firewood with marshmallows to the float to decorate it.

After the parade everyone jumped off the float to see their calves that had arrived at the fair. The 4H members were responsible for washing, brushing, and leading them around. Soon it was time for judging the calves. The judge wanted the calves led around the show ring, and then they were lined up, getting placed first, second and third. Afterwards, calves were left in their pens and the club enjoyed the rest of the fair.

Prior to the fair, the members were shown how to wash, brush and lead the calves in preparation. During the grooming of the animals, Brooke Gibeau commented, "Be careful around the calf's legs so she doesn't kick you." There were four parent volunteers assisting with this showmanship



Manitou 4-H Club members lead their calves in the judging pen at the Manitowaning Fall Fair.



The Manitou 4-H Club with their float at the Manitowaning Fall Fair.

training. We appreciate the help from the parents.

The awards evening is coming this week when members will have their

final get-together. Already, Jack said, "I want to train the sister of my calf for next year."

Plans are being made for

next year's calf club. Our showmanship will only get better if we follow the 4H motto "Learn to do by doing."

## ...Catch the Ace big winner captures \$30,000

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 Current.

"I'm not sure what I'm going to do with the money yet," said Ms. Polojko. "We recently did some renovations so I'm going to pay that off. I'm just sitting on it right now, but maybe a trip this winter. I've also been looking at buying a snowmobile the last couple winters, so maybe I will now."

It was a suspenseful evening with Tyler Dunn's name being drawn first, earning him the \$2,395 cash prize. Unfortunately the first envelope contained the Jack of Spades. As the envelopes narrowed on the search for the Ace of Spades, Ms. Polojko's name was the 29th to be drawn and the next envelope in line, number 45, was the lucky one and contained the sought after card, earning her the grand prize.

"I wanted to take the opportunity to thank everyone who has been buying tickets," said Lion Mike Dubreuil at last Wednesday's draw. "We appreciate your support. Whether you win or not tonight, we are all win-

ners because all the money raised through the draw goes back into the community."

The next Catch the Ace game has started, with tickets on sale now across the Island and the draw scheduled for Wednesday, October 11.

New this round, 20,000 tickets will be on sale in a 10-week period. This means that 2,000 tickets will be printed for each draw. Any unsold tickets from previous draws may be carried over to subsequent draws but the sales shall not exceed the weekly limit plus carry over count.

Also new this draw, the ticket purchaser is responsible for checking their ticket(s) at the time of purchase to ensure information is legible and their envelope number selected is available.

In the case when an envelope number selected

is not available, or no envelope number is chosen or is legible, the lowest available envelope number remaining on the board will be selected and opened on behalf of the ticket holder.

Draws will continue to be held on Wednesday evening at 8 pm at the Little Current Royal Canadian Legion Branch #177.

Limited tickets will be available for purchase immediately following the draw at the Legion.

Ticket sales will begin each Thursday at the following locations while quantities last: The Manitoulin Expositor Office in Little Current, Luc's Restaurant on Highway 6 in Little Current, Hair and Nails 2000 on Water Street in Little Current, The Manitoulin Recorder Office at 37 Meredith Street in Gore Bay, the Rock and Rail Gift Shop in Mindemoya, The Mani-

towaning Guardian Pharmacy, and individual Little Current Lion ticket sellers.

For the full list of rules, please see the posted rules and regulations sheet at any of the locations that tickets are sold.

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# Schools across Manitoulin participate in Orange Shirt Day

by Michael Erskine  
 MANITOULIN—Staff and students in Rainbow Schools were decked out in orange on Thursday, September 28 in a show of support for residential school survivors.

“Orange Shirt Day recognizes the effects and intergenerational impacts of the residential school system on First Nation, Métis and Inuit children in Canada,” notes a release from the Rainbow District School Board (RDSB).

“This important gesture will bring us together in the spirit of reconciliation,” said RDSB Director of Education Norm Blaseg. “It provides an opportunity for staff to open up or continue the conversation about residential schools with students.”

Participation in Orange Shirt Day “demonstrates



Staff and students wearing orange in observance of Orange Shirt Day at Assiginack Public School in Manitowaning gather on the school's back patio for a group photograph. Orange Shirt Day recognizes the effects and intergenerational impacts of the residential school system on First Nation, Métis and Inuit children in Canada.

our collective commitment to building our ongoing understanding,” he adds. “We invite everyone to wear orange and show students that every child matters.”

Many of the students, teachers and staff at Island schools were decked out in

photo by Michael Erskine  
 full force orange as part of the recognition. “We have had great participation from our students and staff,” said Assiginack Public School Principal Maria Bouwmeester as she marshalled her charges for a group photograph. Wiik-

wemkoong High School was observing Orange Shirt Day on Friday, September 29, but RDSB schools were observing Orange Shirt Day as September 29 was a professional activity day.

“All of our students were wearing orange shirt buttons that say ‘Every Child Matters,’” said Wiikwemkoong High School guidance counsellor

Jillian Peltier. “So even if they are not all wearing orange, they are still acknowledging the day in that way.”

Orange Shirt Day began in Williams Lake, British Columbia as an initiative of the St. Joseph Mission residential school commemoration project. Phyllis Webstad, a young girl from the Dog Creek First Nation,

attended the Mission in 1973, where her clothes were removed, including the brand new orange shirt of which she was so proud.

Phyllis’ story inspired the St. Joseph Mission to declare September 30 Orange Shirt Day, as this was the time of year in which children were taken from their homes to attend residential schools.



Wiikwemkoong students and staff gather in the school gymnasium for a group photo in recognition of Orange Shirt Day. Everyone is also wearing orange shirt buttons that read “Every Child Matters,” so even if they are not all wearing orange, they are still acknowledging Orange Shirt Day.

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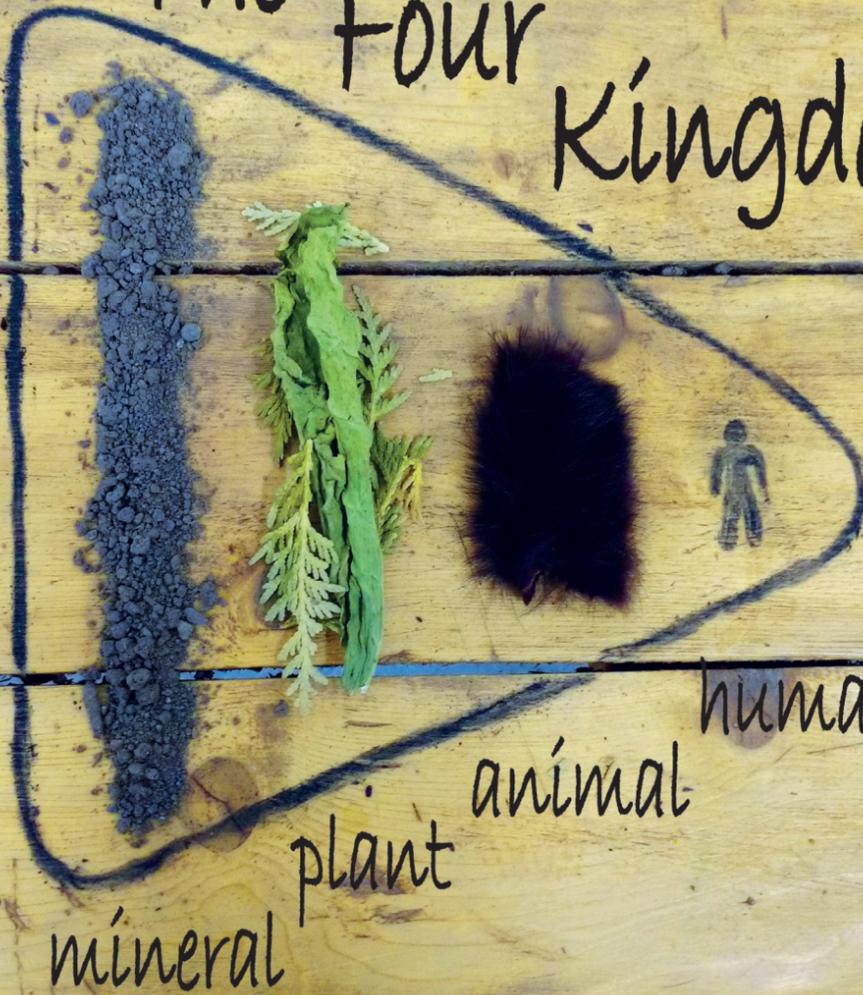
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# Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute celebrates 8th Annual Fall Harvest

*Wazhi Modzawin Miinwaa Niisiwin - Living and Breathing Sustainable Ways of Being*

M'CHIGEENG—Kenjgewin Teg held its 8th Annual Fall Harvest on Thursday, September 21 at the M'Chigeeng powwow grounds. Mother Nature was forecasted to rain, however the sun shone throughout the day with a remarkable turn out this year with a total of 54 educational harvesting, arts, recreation and teaching stations that occupied the entire grounds for this year's event. Herds of vehicles, school buses to coach buses were easily visible entering the event.



Artist Ann Beam of Neon Raven Gallery was a popular stop for budding young artists.



Darlene Bebonang helps students with their traditional beadwork. Ms. Bebonang has long been a bastion keeping the traditions alive.

photos by Michael Erskine



Instructor Brian Bisson cooking up some delicious beans.

visitors moving about the grounds was the level of engagement that could be seen, with students asking questions and listening with rapt attention.

"This Annual Fall Harvest would not be a success with the commitment from our community partners M'Chigeeng First Nation, UCCMM Anishnaabe Police, Noojmowin Teg Health Centre, The Great

record high attendance with just over 1,500 students within the district, parents, teachers, networks, visitors to Manitoulin Island, community members Island wide participating in the miracu-

lously growing annual event. Students travelled from as far away as Sudbury and even North Bay to attend.

The most striking thing to a casual observer witnessing the large numbers of students, teachers and

Spirit Circle Trail, Contact North, M'Chigeeng Capital Projects/Public Works, M'Chigeeng Health Centre, Anishnabemowin Gamig, UCCMM Tribal Council, Lakeview School - ARP, Great Spirit Circle Trail, Raising the Spirit, Kina Gbezhgomi Child & Family

Services, Manitoulin Trapping Council, Manitoulin Streams, 4elements Living Arts, Water First and Ojibwe Cultural Foundation," said organizer Kenjgewin Teg executive assistant Tanya Armstrong. "It just keeps growing and growing every year."

The Annual Fall Harvest is an educational event that encourages lifelong learning, noted Ms. Armstrong, adding that the theme this year was "Wazhi Modzawin Miinwaa Niisiwin—Living and Breathing Sustainable Ways of Being" to promote

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incorporating healthy and sustainable practices.

The event involved the commitment of First Nation organizations and affiliates of the United Chiefs and Councils of Mnidoo Mnising (UCCMM), staff, students, community partners, community members and local organizations/businesses offering a range of ongoing demonstrations, workshops, stations, teachings and booths. All promoting and utilizing local foods, harvesting practices, Indigenous Ojibwe games and teachings such as various sampling stations, medicine teas, traditional female/male drum and dance demonstrations, educational health and sustainable ways of living along with harvesting farm and wild game.

Kenjgewin Teg welcomed back a lot of annual demonstrators with the excitement of new booths who excitedly mentioned they would love to be a part of this engaging "happening" year after year. This year there were six new booths well represented such as the sport archery teaching skills by M'Chigeeng Ogimaa (chief) Linda Debassige, an



These young builders stepped right into building their own shelter when they saw older students working at the 4elements booth.

The fall harvest started seven years from a tradition borrowed from Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute's sister institute, Seven Generations Educational Institute in Fort Frances, noted Ms. Armstrong. "The intent of fall harvest is to promote sustainable and healthy practices as it relates to growing and harvesting local whole foods back to the vitality it had with families 50 years ago. The promotion of gardens and using the local plants and medicines is integral to living healthy and balanced lives for all people and continuing to learn our history, traditions and practices of the Anishinabek people. It is a time to return to our ways and share the bountiful fruits of mother earth with students so they can learn and experience land based learning in the great outdoors. There is always plenty of food to sample, friends to meet and laughs to be had with one another. Based on the feedback from students, teachers and the Manitoulin community it was a memorable experience. Chi miigwech to the Kenjgewin Teg Fall Harvest committee who consisted of Steven, Tonya, Caroline, Carri- anne, Veronica and Diana."



There's nothing quite like a nice fluffy bunny to pet.

photos by Michael Erskine

extension of our community partners incorporating their various departments, hands-on filleting with over 800 pounds of freshly caught fish with Jimmy Panamick and his resourceful team, Wild at Heart and their initiative of wild animal rescue and rehabilitation and so many more to mention with hands-down to applauding each one with well representation of their knowledge and sharing with a smile.



The UCCM Police Services fish fry is always a really big hit with diners of all ages.

A total of 26 schools attended (nearly doubled from last year) from the Sudbury, North Shore and Manitoulin Island District with a total of over 1,511 students.

Other visitors came from all over Ontario, including the Sudbury District, Cape Croker, Nawash First Nation, Guelph, London, Ottawa and St. Thomas.

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# Tehkummah council meets with contractors in bridge dispute

by Michael Erskine

TEHKUMMAH—Members of the Tehkummah municipal council met behind closed doors with representatives of Belanger Construction on Thursday, September 21 in an effort to come to a resolution in the dispute over a bill for bridgework that the town alleged was unsatisfactory and had not met their expectations.

The meeting was held in the hopes of finding a resolution to the matter and council members travelled to the bridge site to inspect and go over the issues that were



This Expositor file photo shows the Government Road Bridge under construction in 2014.

cause for their concerns.

While the meeting did not immediately resolve the issues and concerns, progress is reported to have been made, but coming out of closed session council indicated that more investigation of the matter would be required.

Council passed a motion to appoint deputy mayor Councillor Paul Bowerman as the council's representative in any examination of discovery to take place in the matter, with Councillor Ron Hierons to act as alternate.

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**yard sale**

**Moving out yard sale.** Saturday, October 7, 9 am to ? Also some free stuff to choose from. 41 Nixon St., Mindemoya. 20c

**Garage and estate sale** from southern Ontario, at 28 Limberlost Lane, Mindemoya. Friday, October 6, 2 pm to 6 pm and Saturday, 9 am. Antiques, collectables, unique items, pots, pans, trunk, tables. Come see. Indoors. 20c

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**Farmers' Market Café** will take place every Friday from 9 am to 12 noon at Red Roof Pavilion on the Gore Bay waterfront. Join us for a sweet treat and a beverage until October 7. See you there. All Saints Anglican Church. 52-20p

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**Knitting for Charity;** everyone is welcome to a come-and-go morning of knitting comfort blankets for chemo patients. Yarn and needles, a simple pattern, snacks and coffee all provided. Bring 6 mm needles if you have them. Thursday, October 19 from 9 am to 1 pm at St. Francis Anglican Church, Mindemoya. More information 705-210-0409. 20-22p

**Bible Study:** There will be a Bible study at the Tehkummah Library every Wednesday at 2:00 p.m. starting October 11 and running for eight weeks. This is hosted by the United Church. All are welcome. 20-21p

**Anishnaabe World:** The "Truth and Reconciliation" report made several recommendations, but how can local churches and communities and local First Nations people come to greater understanding? All are invited to come together to dialogue. We may use the book "Anishnaabe World" as one of the resources. We shall start Tuesday, October 17, at 2:00 p.m. at Knox United Church, Manitowaning. 20-21p

**coming events**

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Friday, October 13  
6:00 - 8:00 pm**

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**Job Summary:**  
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The Geriatric Social Worker will work within the Registered Social Worker scope and must be current with their regulatory body. The successful candidate will become part of a larger multi-disciplinary and collaborative health care team comprised of health professionals from Noojmowin Teg Health Centre, area First Nations, Manitoulin Island District First Nation long-term care programs, and other area primary health organizations (ie. Family Health Teams, hospital, CCAC, etc). The organization commits to providing an inclusive, supportive environment for all professionals and staff and offers a competitive wage and benefit package. Check us out on our web-site: [www.noojmowin-teg.ca](http://www.noojmowin-teg.ca).

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**Requirements of the Position:**

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- Currently registered and a member in good standing with the Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers;
- Minimum of two (2) years' experience working in a geriatric or long-term care setting with the elderly, including advocating for clients' needs specific to the aging population.
- Demonstrated knowledge and experience working in an inter-disciplinary and collaborative environment with both internal and external providers.
- Demonstrated ability to work independently and within a team environment involving multiple First Nation Long Term Care departments.
- Ability to work within an e-charting environment.
- Current CPR Level C and First Aid.
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- Clear Driver's Abstract and willing to travel extensively.
- Demonstrated understanding and sensitivity to the Anishinabek culture, a priority.
- Ability to travel and have own reliable vehicle.
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**Pre-requisites:**  
Please submit the following no later than October 2, 2017:

- Cover Letter, letter of application and resume
- Three current work related references with contact information
- Current Vulnerable Sector Criminal Reference Check (dated no later than three months)
- Proof of Registration/Designation

**Send "Confidential" to:** Attn: Pam Williamson, Executive Director  
Noojmowin Teg Health Centre  
Hwy 540, 48 Hillside Rd., Bag 2002,  
Little Current, ON POP 1K0  
Ph.: 705-368-2182 ext. 204; Fax.: 705-368-2229  
Email: [p.williamson@noojmowin-teg.ca](mailto:p.williamson@noojmowin-teg.ca)  
Check out our web-site: [www.noojmowin-teg.ca](http://www.noojmowin-teg.ca)

*We thank all for their interest and applications; only those under consideration will be contacted.*

**help wanted**   **help wanted**   **help wanted**



**Sheguiandah First Nation  
Permanent Full-time Job Posting  
Healthy Lifestyles Coordinator**

**JOB PURPOSE:**  
The Healthy Lifestyles Coordinator will be responsible for providing relevant and confidential addictions counselling, education and support for Sheguiandah First Nation members. All efforts and activities will encompass healthy lifestyles and choices; Prevention, Education, Intervention and After-care will be the focus.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Certificate or Diploma in a related field (Native Community Counselling Care and Development, Human Services, Criminal Justice, Social Services, Child and Youth Worker or Education). Previous work experience in a First Nation setting is considered an asset;
- Certified Indigenous Wellness and Addictions Worker;
- Indigenous Addictions Specialist I and II
- Present as a POSITIVE role model and holds excellent professional values and ethics (confidentiality, respect and sensitivity);
- Must hold a valid Ontario driver's license and be insurable under Sheguiandah First Nation policies;

**OTHER REQUIREMENTS:**

- Mediation, negotiation and conflict resolution skills;
- Available to work flexible hours with ability to work extended hours or weekends as necessary;
- Willingness and ability to travel throughout Ontario;
- Successful candidate must provide Vulnerable Sector Check/CPIC.

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

Lucy Ann Trudeau, Interim Band Manager  
Sheguiandah First Nation  
142 Ogema Miikan  
Site 1, RR #1, Comp. 101  
Sheguiandah, Ontario POP 1W0  
Or by FAX to: 705-368-3697

**DEADLINE TO APPLY: October 18th, 2017 @ 12:00 P.M.**  
Late Submissions will not be considered.  
For a complete job description, please request at (705) 368-2781.



**EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - 2nd Posting  
United Chiefs and Councils of Mnidoo Mnising  
Program Worker  
Indigenous Re-integration and Supportive Services**

Position Status: Full-time permanent   Reports to: Justice Manager, UCCMM Tribal Council

**Project Objective**  
The Indigenous Re-integration Supportive Services Program worker will provide support to the Youth Probation Officer with respect to Indigenous youth aged 12-17 at the time of the offence, who have been found guilty and are currently on probation, conditional supervision or community supervision. Through this program, services will be provided to youth from the six UCCMM member First Nations, Wikwemikong and the off-reserve First Nation population in the District of Manitoulin.

**Responsibilities:**

- Meet regularly with the Youth Probation Officer (Manitoulin Youth Justice Services) and the Justice Manager (UCCMM Tribal Council) and other stakeholders to discuss individual clients, cases, community supervision plans, evaluation of progress and develop treatment plans for youth
- Work closely with home communities of youth clients in developing re-integration plans, case management conferences, and ensure all potential community supports are secured before discharge
- Liaise with community service providers (i.e. Elders, Social Service and Health Service providers, cultural programs, youth programs, UCCMM Justice Program) to identify resources for youth to assist him/her while on Probation
- Develop community profiles which highlight existing supports and resources, gaps and plans to develop programs and services for youth
- Maintain client files, database, and quarterly financial, activity and statistical reports
- Follow all monitoring directives as laid out in the service contract
- Maintain strict confidentiality of client identity and information at all times
- Develop an evaluation tool to solicit feedback from Youth Justice Services, and resources utilized within the seven First Nation communities and justice stakeholders (UCCM Anishinabe Police, Wikwemikong Tribal Police, Manitoulin OPP, Courts, and service agencies, etc.)
- Provide the following supports to youth, as referred by the Youth Probation Officer: Mentorship, Anger Management, Community Service Hours, School Support, Re-integration Support
- Participate in the Youth Service Providers' Network
- Attend and participate in activities and programming related to the UCCMM Justice Program
- Other related duties

**Requirements:**

- A minimum College Diploma in Child & Youth Worker, Social Services Worker, or Addictions Programs
- A minimum of one year experience working with First Nation youth and families in social services or justice
- Experience working with a Community Justice Program in Ontario
- Willingness to support Anishinabe red road teachings, promotion of positive role models and healthy lifestyles
- Knowledge of First Nation programming and services
- Excellent communication skills – written and verbal
- Available to work evenings and weekends as required
- Must possess a valid driver's license, have access to a vehicle and be able to travel.
- Demonstrated knowledge of Anishinabek, language, customs, traditions, ceremonies, treaties and history.

Annual Salary: \$42,000.00  
**Closing Date: October 6, 2017 - Noon**

**To Apply:** Mail or deliver a complete package which **MUST** include a:

1. Cover letter (outlining how you meet the above requirements)
2. Resume
3. Three signed work-related reference letters (dated within the past six months)
4. Current vulnerable Sector Check (dated within the last 30 days)

Incomplete, emailed, or late packages will not be accepted.  
Mark **"Confidential"** to: United Chiefs and Councils of Mnidoo Mnising  
Attention: Hazel Recollet, CEO  
PO Box 275  
M'Chigeeng, ON POP 1G0  
Contact info: Phone (705) 377-5307 ext. 201



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If you are interested in this opportunity, please send your resume to:

Lucie Parenteau, Area Director  
Email: lparenteau@bayshore.ca  
Fax: 705-523-5427  
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### Community Living Manitoulin

Community Living Manitoulin has immediate openings for permanent part-time staff to work in our homes. Personal Support Workers and or Developmental Service Worker diploma are the preferred minimum qualification for these positions.

These unionized part-time positions are scheduled at a minimum of 30 hours bi-weekly.

Interested candidates should send a cover letter and resume to the attention of Ms. Megan Wickett, Operations Manager by regular mail to:

**Community Living Manitoulin**

PO Box 152

Mindemoya Ontario, POP 1S0

or by email to mwickett@clmanitoulin.com or by fax to 705-377-7175

For more information regarding Community Living Manitoulin please visit our web site at [www.clmanitoulin.com](http://www.clmanitoulin.com), and for further details regarding the part-time position and wage grid click on the employment opportunities tab.

**Part-time handyman** to help with yard work. Flexible hours. 705-282-8156. 20c

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

### Experienced Caregiver Required - Private Care

We are seeking a dedicated, compassionate, patient and experienced Caregiver to support a senior resident, at the Manitoulin Lodge in Gore Bay, weekdays from 3 pm to approximately 9:30 pm.

The focus is on companionship and providing personal care, including assistance with "Activities of Daily Living" ensuring optimal physical, social and emotional well being.

While a PSW Certificate is preferred in this role, applicants with experience and an aptitude for elder care will be considered. Competitive Compensation will be based on experience. Group Insurance Benefits are included.

Interested applicants please forward your resume to [tolmstead@teroshr.ca](mailto:tolmstead@teroshr.ca) to apply.

We thank all interested applicants, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



### Sheguiandah First Nation Job Posting - Contract for March 31, 2019 Family Well-Being Coordinator

#### JOB PURPOSE

The Family Well-being Program's primary goal is to reduce the number of Indigenous children and youth in the child welfare and youth justice systems by reducing the need to bring children into care; and to reduce the occurrence of violence in families thereby improving the overall health and well-being of the community.

#### KEY JOB FUNCTIONS

- Deliver the Family Well-Being program through holistic approaches through client-driven services and culture-based programming, assist in developing family wellness plans, deliver workshops or sharing circles, and outreach that educates in preventive choices leading to healthy lifestyles, provide referrals and advocacy, community networking and other relevant services with the highest level of quality and care
- Coordinate and collaborate for additional health and wellness services with external organizations on behalf of the client as needed

#### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS:

- Post-Secondary education in a Social Sciences related field and/or minimum 2 years' experience in providing social support services to clients in a First Nation setting.
- Proficiency with computer programs (Outlook, Excel, Word and PowerPoint)
- Successful candidate will provide Vulnerable Sector Check/CPIC
- Current CPR/First Aid Certification
- Available to work flexible hours with ability to work extended hours or weekends as necessary
- Willingness and ability to travel throughout Ontario

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

**Lucy Ann Trudeau, Interim Band Manager**  
Sheguiandah First Nation  
142 Ogemah Miikan  
Site 1, RR #1, Comp. 101  
Sheguiandah, Ontario POP 1W0  
Or by FAX to : 705-368-3697

**DEADLINE TO APPLY: OCTOBER 18 @ 12:00 P.M.**

Late submissions will not be accepted.

For a complete job description, please request at (705) 368-2781.



### Employment Opportunity School Health Support Services Case Manager

The NAANDWECHIGE-GAMIG Wikwemikong Health Centre – School Health Support Services is seeking a highly qualified and motivated individual for the position of School Health Support Services Case Manager.

#### Summary

The School Health Support Services Case Manager, will oversee and coordinate the provision of School Health Support Services in the participating communities.

#### Responsibilities (for a complete job description please contact Melissa Roy)

- Assess, prioritize, plan, direct, monitor, schedule and authorize service delivery to school aged learners.
- Assess learners' needs and identify potential risks, determine eligibility for appropriate services and possible referral along care pathways.
- Manage available resources with the unique needs of the community, client and care giver circle.
- Collaborate with the Coordinator and manage the relationship with associated research partners.
- Ensure the integration of services with existing programs and services both on and off reserve.
- Strive to advance knowledge, skills, and abilities and consistently share these with others.
- Contribute to planning, developing, implementing, coordinating, and evaluating the delivery of support services to children and youth.
- Document daily activities and submit detailed reports.
- Develop and maintain computer databases.
- Conduct seminars, and discussion groups.
- Work with the Coordinator to assess needs, set goals, and formulate plans of action for program improvement, and follow-up and provide feedback on progress.
- Collaborate with teachers, parents and school administration to address individual student issues or areas of concern.
- Comply with school policies, procedures, and best practices.
- Monitor progress of student recommendations, including recommendations for the subsequent year(s) of the project.
- Establish an efficient referral path that will support students when required.
- Respond to parent, teacher, and/or student inquiries.

#### Qualifications

- Degree level education in nursing, occupational therapy, social work or another health related discipline will be considered with appropriate experience.
- Registered and in good standing with a regulatory body (preferably College of Nurses of Ontario, College of Occupational Therapists of Ontario, or Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers).
- 2 years' direct clinical experience in pediatrics is preferred.
- Experience in case management is preferred.
- Policy and Procedure development experience is an asset.
- Highly developed understanding of industry regulations, standards, best practices, and respective college professional guidelines.

Salary is in accordance with WUIR Salary Grid. **All applicants MUST submit a letter of application, current resume, and copies of credentials and contact information of two immediate supervisors, marked CONFIDENTIAL to:**

#### School Health Support Services Case Manager

Attention: Melissa Roy

NAANDWECHIGE-GAMIG Wikwemikong Health Centre

P.O. Box 101, 16A - Complex Drive

Wikwemikong, Ontario POP 2J0

Telephone: 705.859.3164

Fax: 705.859.3300

Email: [mroy@wikyhealth.ca](mailto:mroy@wikyhealth.ca)

**Deadline: October 6, 2017 @ 2:00 pm**

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 submissions will not be accepted. No return of submissions.

ALL INTERESTED AND QUALIFIED CANDIDATES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.



### Employment Opportunities

Canadore College is currently seeking candidates for the following positions:

#### #59/17 Part-time Professor, Construction Estimator Certificate - Continuing Education

Kenjegin Teg Educational Institute - M'Chigeeng, Ontario

#### #64/17 Sessional Professor - Indigenous Preparatory Studies - Culture and Heritage

Wiikwemikoong Unceded Territory, Ontario

#### #64/17 Sessional Professor - College Communications I

Wiikwemikoong Unceded Territory, Ontario

For more information on these postings please visit the Canadore College website at [www.canadorecollege.ca](http://www.canadorecollege.ca) under Careers at Canadore or call Human Resources at (705) 474-7600, Ext. 5332.

**Please submit cover letters and resumes to Human Resources prior to 2:00 p.m., on the closing date and quote the Competition Number:**

E-mail: [careers@canadorecollege.ca](mailto:careers@canadorecollege.ca)

Fax: 705-474-8005

Mail: Human Resources,  
P.O. Box 5001,  
North Bay, Ontario  
P1B 8K9

# Community Living Manitoulin boasts a successful year

by **Betty Bardswich**

**MANITOULIN**—An Annual General Meeting (AGM) was held September 25 for Community Living Manitoulin (CLM), with new President Ron Kenney welcoming board members, representatives of the organization and guests.

Mr. Kenney began his remarks by saying that while a number of board members have stepped down in the past year, current members “have all stepped up in a big way to fill the gap.” He especially singled out former board member KT (Kelly) Timmermans who raised thousands of dollars for the organization by organizing multiple events. “Unfortunately,” he said, “KT has decided to resign from the board. As anyone who knows her completely understands, she always has at least a few different things on the go, so her decision is definitely understandable. And although we may have lost a few members, we have also gained some who bring wide ranging backgrounds to our board.”

These new members include Sharon Stephens, Pamela Lambert and Terry Willemsvandyk and Mr. Kenney described their background.

“Sharon Stephens joined the board a year ago and, as a retired teacher, has many connections throughout the community. Pamela Lambert joined the board in the spring of 2017. Pam has a background in bookkeeping and hospitality. Pam spent the last part of her career managing remote service lodges in the Alberta oil sands. She aided in the development of many polices including HR, budget and training programs.”

Mr. Kenney also introduced Ms. Willemsvandyk, who has just been approved for the CLM Board. “Terry has moved to the Island from London and spent her career working as an early childhood resource teacher,” he noted. “She has had a strong focus on advocacy for and supporting special needs initiatives. Sharon and Pam have already proven to be great additions to the board and I am confident that Terry will be no different,” he added.

Mr. Kenney went on to explain that he will be working closely with this board, firstly to undertake the completion of a five-year strategic plan. This finalized plan, according to Mr. Kenney, will cover all aspects of the board’s role within the agency and will take in the budgetary process, property management and some operational aspects. “The end goal is simple,” he said. “Make sure that the individuals CLM supports get the best care possible. I know this is the goal that everyone shares and it starts with the front line staff. Day in and day out, our staff is working as hard as they can in order for our individuals supported to have the life they deserve.”

Mr. Kenney then went on to recognize two staff members in particular for working on their educa-

tion in their spare time and have recently graduated. Michelle Dickinson has received her developmental service worker diploma from Loyalist College. She has worked at CLM 17 years and is a temporary full-time counsellor two in Field House.

Wanda Clayton has earned a diploma in the developmental service worker apprentice certificate, also from Loyalist College. She is currently working as a part-time counsellor two in the Supported Independent Living Program and has been with CLM since 2009.

Mr. Kenney concluded his remarks by saying, “Although everyone within CLM has different responsibilities and plays different parts, in the end, we are all on the same team including the board, management, front line staff, casual support workers and volunteers. Our goal is the same: To provide a high quality of life to the individuals supported while in a positive work environment.”

CLM Executive Director Tammie Molenaar also spoke at the meeting and began her remarks by noting the accomplishments of CLM the past year.

“Our agency has been on budget and we have started a new program, the Family Home,” the ED said. “This program is similar to a foster family and we will be expanding it. Our annual compliance audit by the ministry was excellent with only one area that did not meet compliance. Of course, that means we need to work hard to maintain these successes.”

Ms. Molenaar then asked each person, regardless of their CLM role, to ask themselves why they are part of this agency.

“Whatever reason you had when you first joined the CLM family, I hope that you have found some joy in the helping of others. I hope that you have seen the growth of people supported. Co-workers, volunteers and board members. Every day you are given the opportunity to support

yourself and others to be a better citizen, a better community member and a happier person. Regardless of what role you have at CLM, I remind all of us that our mission states that CLM advocates for, promotes and facilitates the full participation, inclusion and citizenship of people who have an intellectual disability.”

Ms. Molenaar spoke with The Expositor after the meeting about the new

Family Home program and the excitement in her voice was unmistakable. This new undertaking is familiar to Ms. Molenaar as she has seen that the program was very successful in the Timmins area. Similar to fostering, this endeavour hooks up CLM individuals with a family who are paid a per diem.

“We try to match families to clients,” she explained. “If someone loves the out-

doors, a person who also loves being out is matched. Or perhaps the family are homebodies, then the same matching is done. There are lots of successful programs all over Ontario.”

Two families in particular stand out as the client went to Cuba with their family while another went to Nashville.

“The family did all the arranging, including getting passports.” Ms. Mole-

naar said.

The Family Home program ensures that an individual will be in a safe and caring environment and will continue to grow and be a part of the community.

Community Living Manitoulin supports 58 distinct individuals.

For general inquiries or for more information about the Family Home program, call 705-377-6699.

## help wanted

In partnership with the Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board, the Canadian Mental Health Association- Sudbury Manitoulin is hiring:

**Transitional Community Support Worker, Manitoulin Island - Full-Time – 35 hrs/week**  
Includes weekday, weekend, and evenings,  
Contract up to 12 months (with possibility of extension).

Deadline for accepting applications is:  
**Friday, October 13, 2017 at noon.**

Please visit our website at  
<https://sm.cmha.ca/get-involved/careers/>  
for all application details.

## help wanted

## notice

**There was a young Prof** from Cornell, Who married a young Island Belle. After forty-nine years, Their friends offered cheers, Because it's all gone rather well. Happy Anniversary, Marlene and Bill Jewell, from your friends!

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## notice



### Request for Committee Member Volunteers

The Mindemoya Arena Advisory Steering Committee is seeking new members. The Committee addresses activities and development at the Mindemoya Arena making requests for changes or improvement to the Council of the Municipality of Central Manitoulin.

Interested parties who wish to be considered, please contact  
Rossanne Nevills by **November 20, 2017** at:  
Municipality of Central Manitoulin  
6020 Hwy 542, PO Box 187  
Mindemoya, ON POP 1S0

## **MORDEN LEESON MONUMENTS**

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**705-859-3915**  
[redlogshack@hotmail.com](mailto:redlogshack@hotmail.com)

## notice

## HELP WANTED



**A J Bus Lines is looking for bus drivers in the following areas:**  
**Gore Bay**  
**Spring Bay**  
**Mindemoya**  
**Little Current**

If interested, please submit a resume to:  
36 Walcott Street, Little Current  
or call for more info 705-368-0262  
Tom Shamas - 1-800-461-4622

## help wanted



### MANITOULIN FUELS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Manitoulin fuels located in Little Current, Ontario is currently accepting applications for a full-time petroleum fuel tank truck driver.

#### Candidate Qualifications:

- Class DZ License
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- Be able to meet the physical demands of the job
- Strong communication and interpersonal skills

Manitoulin fuels primary business is a wholesaler of bulk petroleum products with a market area of the Manitoulin and North Shore. We offer a competitive wage and a benefit package. TDG, WHIMIS, and specific job training provided.

If you wish to apply, please send or drop off a resume to:

**Manitoulin Fuels**  
PO Box 667  
93 Vankoughnet St. East  
Little Current, ON  
POP 1K0

or email: [sales@manitoulinfuels.com](mailto:sales@manitoulinfuels.com)

### LAW OFFICE CLOSING

#### Blaine Armstrong, LLB

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

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

### Estates of Evelyn Willoughby and Robert Brian Willoughby

All claims against the Estates of Evelyn Willoughby and Robert Brian Willoughby late of the Town of South Baymouth, in the province of Ontario must be filed with the undersigned personal representative on or before October 31st, 2017, after which date the estates will be distributed having only to the claims of which the Administrator then shall have notice.

Dated at South Baymouth, this 20th day of September 2017

Lori Leeson,  
Estate Trustee of the Estates of  
Evelyn Elaine Willoughby  
Robert Brian Willoughby  
By her solicitor,  
Janelle Proulx  
2156 Highway 551  
P.O. Box 387  
Mindemoya, ON  
POP 1Z0

# Allen's Automotive expands to open new Little Current location

by Robin Burrige  
LITTLE CURRENT—Allen's Automotive of Manitowaning and Little Current is expanding to open a new location in Little Current on Highway 6.

"The current Little Current store (NAPA Auto Parts Allen's Automotive Group) on Water Street East is too small," said Reuben Allen who owns Allen's Automotive with his wife Sharon. "It was too small when I bought it and we have doubled in sales so we needed to build a new, bigger location."



The future site of Little Current's Allen's Automotive on Highway 6 near the recreation centre.

photo by Robin Burrige

Allen's Automotive is a family business, dating back to Mr. Allen's grandfa-

ther who started Hembuff Motors in downtown Manitowaning in 1949. The

Allens took over the business in 1997 (now located on Highway 6 in Manitowan-

ing) and opened the Little Current location 10 years ago. Allen's Automotive

supplies auto parts to both businesses and individuals across Manitoulin.

"The new Little Current Allen's Automotive will be 6,500 square feet," explained Mr. Allen. "Of that, one third will be showroom, one third bulk storage and one third auto parts storage."

The new store will mean an additional two to three jobs for the local economy.

The couple originally bought the property on Highway 6 in Little Current 11 years ago and was planning to build there, but decided on the Water Street location instead.

"The project is coming along," said Mr. Allen. "They are just getting ready to pour the footings. We are hoping to have the building complete by March or April of next year."

## ✚ in memoriam

**Wigle--In Memory Of George Wigle**  
August 12, 1933 - September 30, 2013

We sat beside your bedside,  
Our hearts were crushed and sore.  
We did our duty to the end  
Till we could do no more.  
In tears we watched you  
sinking.  
We watched you fade away,  
And though our hearts were  
breaking,  
We knew you could not stay.  
You left behind some aching  
hearts  
That loved you most sincere.  
We never shall and never  
will  
Forget you, Father dear.  
We miss you more and  
more, Dad, with each pass-  
ing day.  
Love, Debbie and John  
(Butch)

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

We do not need a special  
day  
To bring you to our mind.  
A day we do not think of you  
is very hard to find.  
They say time heals all sor-  
row  
And helps us to forget.  
But time so far has only  
shown  
How much we miss you yet.  
If love could build a stairway,  
And heartaches make a  
lane.  
We would walk up to heaven  
And bring you home again.  
Forever loved and missed,  
Betty Jean and Sally

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## Assiginack Public Library Feature

by Debbie Robinson

Today's world sees us all bombard- ed by news, texts, apps, visual stimuli and input from every direction. The problem is that we must react rapidly, make choices more quickly and arrive at decisions much faster. In 'The Organized Mind' by Daniel J. Levitin, the author offers actual and realistic advice and solutions for those who are being overwhelmed by the dizzying acceleration of everyday living. This is an informative work that will go a long way to giving people the tools and techniques they will need to be able stay on top of a world that navigates and runs at mach speed.

Adam Gopnik's memoir, 'Paris To the Moon' is an entertaining tale of his family's move from a busy urban

American city to the historic opu- lence of beautiful Paris, France. As an author, Gopnik followed the foot- steps of other literary greats, from Hemingway and Stein to Baldwin and Wilde and many more. This book is his journal of discovery and his learning a new lifestyle in a fabled city along with raising a small child there—both of these tasks are daunt- ing and challenging propositions. This is a fascinating look at fitting into a venerated city and the strug- gles of parenthood intertwined—an interesting combination.

'The Misadventures of Hector MacLeod' by author Hugh Cowan is a story set in the days of the early pio- neers along the Ontario north shore. In particular, it chronicles the life and

times of a young Canadian Lieu- tenant (the American Revolution is just about ended and MacLeod is fighting against the Americans with the British), Hector MacLeod. When MacLeod unexpectedly arrives home, he finds that his wife has died under mysterious circumstances. The story is set in the Georgian Bay and La Cloche districts and paints a very vivid picture of the area and the peo- ple of that time. It is good read.

Bonus: the author Hugh Cowan has connection to the townships of Assi- gnack and Tehkummah, having lived here in his childhood.

Author Sandra Brown has written 63 New York Times bestsellers. Her book, 'Mean Streak' combines sus-

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## ✚ in memoriam

**Doug Lanktree**  
October 5, 2008

We miss you so in many  
ways,  
Quietly remembered every  
day.  
No longer in our life to share,  
Within our hearts you're  
always there.  
Love, Shirley, Rob, Sheley,  
Andrew, Ryan, Scott, and  
Robyn

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## Death Notices

### HELEN GRACE NOONAN



Helen Grace Noonan of Espanola passed away at the Espanola Regional Hospital on Wednesday, September 27, 2017 at the age of 74 years. Beloved wife of the late Gerry Noonan. Dear daughter of the late Bill & Mary (nee Buchanan) Gillis. Loving mother of Preston Noonan of Espanola & Cathie Noonan (partner Charles) of

Sudbury. Will be sadly missed by grandchildren, William, Megan, Matthew, Paige & Albert & great-grandson, Zephyr. Very dear sister of Margaret Ann Buchanan of Sudbury, Bonnie Guindon (husband Gilles) of Seagrave & the late Frank Gillis & Nelson Gillis. Helen was a long time member (43 years) of the Espanola Royal Purple and served with the Eastern Star for over 30 years. She was also a member of the United Church Women and the Espanola Horticultural Society. She was former first female Exalted Ruler of the Elks of Canada out of Lively. Helen was active with many sports such as curling, golf, and baseball. She served countless families with luncheons over the years. A Memorial Service will be held at the United Church of Espanola on Thursday, October 5 at 11 a.m. with Reverend Cory Vermeer-Cuthbert officiating. Interment of ashes in the Espanola Cemetery followed by a reception and luncheon at the Espanola Elks. If so desired, Memorial tributes may be made to the United Church of Espanola. Arrangements by Bourcier Funeral Home Ltd., Espanola.

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

### KATHARINE THIBAUT



Katharine Thibault passed away suddenly on Thursday, September 28, 2017 in her 67th year. Beloved wife of Randy for over 48 years. Cherished mother of Jason (Kelly), Richard (Cheryl), Kara Jill (Brad) Hawke and Mitchell (partner Tim). Dear grandmother of Boston, Bryce, Abigail, Hailey, Kyllan, Kieran and

Keaton. Katharine will be sadly missed by her brothers Frank (Peggy) Little, Dave (Betty) Little, sisters Margo Little, Linda (Jamie) Campbell, Connie Little, brothers-in-law William (Noreen), Blake (Marge), Jim (Sheila), Kenny, Shelley (Jeananne), Cam, John Ramsey and sisters -in-law Leila Thibault, Madeline MacDonald and Sally (Ray) Brammer. Predeceased by her parents Garnet and Lorna (Corbiere) Little, brother Greg Little, brother-in-law Al MacDonald and sister-in-law Mary Jane Ramsey. Visitation was held at the Simpson Funeral Home on Tuesday October 3, 2017 from 2 to 4 pm and 7 to 9 pm. the funeral service will be held on Wednesday, October 4 at 11 am. Memorial donations may be made to the Royal Canadian Legion # 514 Poppy Fund as expressions of sympathy and may be made through www.simpsonfuneralhome.ca

### DONNA MARIE BOND



Donna Marie Bond, a resident of Whitefish Falls. Died peacefully at Manitoulin Health Centre, on Wednesday, September 27, 2017 at the age of 78. Predeceased by parents Eva (nee Spry) and Russell Witty.

Predeceased by her beloved husband Clayton Bond on February 16, 2014.

Proud mother of four sons; Mike (Lynn), Larry (Nicole), Dennis and John (Lisa), cherished grandma of Devin, Kristina, Laura, Kevin, Taryn, Kayli, Jonathan and great-grandma of Emma, Brayden, Jordyn, Taylor, Haileigh, Blake, Marly, Zoey and Mason. Dear sister of Madeline Ewing & husband Dalton (both predeceased), Reva Kitler & husband Lloyd (both predeceased), Linda Bradley (predeceased) husband Gary. Will always be remembered by many nieces, nephews and friends. There will be no services at this time. Burial will be in Coldsprings Cemetery (tentative October 28, 2 pm). Donations to MHC Auxiliary. would be greatly appreciated. Island Funeral Home can only accept cheques for all charitable donations.

### REUBEN JAMES PHILLIPS



A resident of Sandfield, died peacefully at Mindemoya Hospital on Tuesday, September 26, 2017 at the age of 82. Son of Leonard Phillips and Frances (nee Howard) (both predeceased). Beloved husband of Jeneen (nee Hunter). Cherished father of Debbie Presot (Maurizio) and Laurie Morrow (Greg). Very proud grandfather of

Marco, Nico and Brek. Dear brother of Elva McGauley (Keith) predeceased by siblings and fondly remembered by their spouses; John (Kathleen), Andy (Shirley predeceased) (Donna), Tom (Janice), Margaret Case (Bill), Bill (Joan), Russ (Linda). Will always be remembered by many nieces, nephews and cherished friends. Reuben loved his grandkids, flower gardening and square dancing. Family and friends gathered at Island Funeral Home on Saturday, September 30, 2017. Visitation was from 10 am with Funeral Service at 11:30am, Burial at Hilly Grove Cemetery. Donations to Tehummah United Church, Tehkummah Triangle Seniors' Club or to Mindemoya Hospital Auxiliary would be greatly appreciated. Island Funeral Home can only accept cheques for all charitable donations.

### LOTTIE MARY ESHKAWKOGAN

July 13th, 1929-October 1st, 2017



Lottie Mary Eshkawkogan a resident of Wikwemikong. Died peacefully at Manitoulin Health Centre, on Sunday, at the age of 88. Daughter of Pauline (nee Peltier) and Louis Manitowabi.

Predeceased by beloved husband Allan "Echo" Wasegijig. Loving mother of Mark (Joanna), Jim (Rita), Bruce (Lindy), David (Eleanor), Kevin (Donna) and Amy (Hughie). Proud grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother of many. Dear sister of Andy, Jessie (predeceased), Blanche (predeceased), Gordon and Roland (predeceased). Will always be remembered by many nieces, nephews and friends. Family and friends gathered at St. Ignatius Church, Buzwah on Tuesday from 1 pm. Funeral Services will be at Holy Cross Mission Wikwemikong, on Thursday, October 5th, 2017 at 11am. Burial at Wikwemikongsing (Kaboni) Cemetery.

# News from the Mindemoya Library Book Mice

by Claire Cline

**Claire's Top 5 Picks**  
 'Proof of Life' by J.A. Jance  
 'The Family Lawyer' by James Patterson  
 'Warman's Antiques and Collectibles 2017'  
 'I Know a Secret' by Tess Gerritsen  
 'Y is for Yesterday' by Sue Grafton  
 'Proof of Life' by J.A. Jance - Before he retired, J.P. Beaumont had looked forward to having his days to himself and spending quality time with his busy wife, Mel, Bellinham's chief of police, and his two grown children. But too much free time isn't working for Beau. When his longtime nemesis, a retired Seattle crime reporter, dies in what's officially deemed to be an accidental fire, Beau is astonished to be dragged into the investigation at the request of none other than the deceased victim himself. An exciting read.

'The Family Lawyer' by James Patterson - Matthew is living a parent's worst nightmare: his young daughter is accused of bullying another girl into suicide. But this loving father is also a skilled criminal defence attorney and something here doesn't add up. A good read.  
 'Warman's Antiques and Collectibles 2017' - This is a very good book if you are trying to find information about some of those lovely antiques you have had for years. You will enjoy the insight, information and stunning images of some of those long-held favourites and emerging genres as well as the whimsical and delightful that make the collecting hobby so intriguing.  
 'I Know a Secret' by Tess Gerritsen (A Rizzoli and Isles book) - Two separate homicides at different locations with unrelated victims have more in common

than just being investigated by Boston PD detective Jane Rizzoli and medical examiner Maura Isles. In both cases, the bodies bear startling wounds yet the actual cause of death is unknown. A really good read.  
 'Y is for Yesterday' by Sue Grafton - Saved the best for last this time. I am really going to miss this series as she is almost at the end of the alphabet—one more to go after this one. Kinsey Millhone is a private investigator and the very model of an independent woman. This series started with 'A is for Alibi' and every book I have enjoyed, and would highly recommend this mystery, especially if you don't like a bunch of descriptive gore and forensic results. However, this is one of the darkest and most disturbing case that Kinsey has come across. She is drawn into a family drama and is now being haunted

by someone from her past, a vicious with a grudge against Kinsey. Highly recommended by me!  
 Mahjong is still ongoing. Wednesday mornings at 10 am and beginners are welcome. This is the American version of an ancient Chinese game and people are really enjoying playing the game and the camaraderie. Try it you will like it!  
 Our library board needs some new members, please see notice in The Expositor, and if you are interested just send a short letter to Ruth Frawley, CAO/Clerk P.O. Box 187 Mindemoya or fax 705-377-5585 or send an email to centralm@amtelecom.net. The meetings are on the first Thursday of every month (except July and August) at 4:30 pm and meetings are on the average a half hour long. Learn more about the operation of your library and meet some interesting people.  
 Enjoy these lovely warm days of the Indian Summer and see you at your library!



## farm facts and furrows

by OMAFRA Ag Rep Brian Bell

**Ontario Farms 150**  
 To honour Ontario's incredible story and help recognize key agricultural contributors, our government is offering complementary commemorative signs to Ontario farming families, farming communities and farm properties that have been continuously connected to agricultural production for more than 150 years. Applicants can apply for a sign by October 31, 2017, designed for being displayed outdoors, by visiting [www.omafra.gov.on.ca/english/rural/ontario150.htm](http://www.omafra.gov.on.ca/english/rural/ontario150.htm). Eligible registrants can also request a sign by mail. Please ensure to include a short description of your agriculture history along with your mailing address when doing so. Requests via mail can be sent to: Ontario Farms 150, c/o Agricultural Information Contact Centre, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural

Affairs, 1 Stone Road West, Guelph, Ont. N1G 4Y2.  
**OSCIA Soil Champion Nominations**  
 OSCIA is heading into its fifth year with the Soil Champion Award and we are hoping for another good response from the membership to maintain the great profile this award deserves. The deadline for submitting nominations for the 2018 Soil Champion has been extended to November 1, 2017. That should be sufficient time for you to consider someone in your area. To be eligible for the Soil Champion Award, an individual must be a resident of Ontario and/or have contributed to soil management in a way that improves soil health, and supports sustainable crop production and is environmentally friendly. Practices that may be considered include: Minimal use of tillage – primary tillage is

not eligible; Protect and enhance organic matter, soil biota and soil aggregation; Efficient and careful use of nutrients; Effective surface water management; Windbreaks and land retirement; the advancement of science and advocacy for soil care. Do you know a farmer, researcher or extension professional that would be a strong candidate? We urge you to consider making a nomination. An individual may nominate him/herself or be nominated by a third party. If you are nominating someone else, please ensure he/she is informed of your intention and is a willing participant. Details and the nomination form can be found on the OSCIA website [www.ontariosoilcrop.org](http://www.ontariosoilcrop.org) under 'Soil Champion Award.'

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 <b>\$298,000</b> Home with a view!- Seven bedroom home, 10 foot ceilings, Spectacular view, water access, wood and electric heat. MLS# X3885236	 <b>\$349,000</b> Lake Manitou Waterfront- 4 bedroom, 2 bathrooms, private, mature trees, boat dock & lift. MLS# X3879087
 <b>\$329,000</b> Waterfront Cottage- One of a kind waterfront cottage on Lake Manitou. 3 bedrooms, 2 full bathrooms, open concept, main floor laundry. Ready to move in. MLS# X3831881	 <b>\$349,900</b> Lake Mindemoya Home - 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom, walk out lower level, stone fireplace, open concept, double garage, boat dock. MLS# X3776119



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#### NEW LISTINGS!

 Looking to own property on the largest fresh water Island in the world? Don't miss out on this 3+1 bedroom cottage overlooking South Bay. Open concept kitchen/living area provides the perfect place to watch the sun rise and set over the North Channel and LaCloche Mountains. MLS#1045286 \$179,500	 2 million dollar view from this 2+1 bungalow with attached 3 car garage. This open concept kitchen/dining/living area provides the perfect place to watch the sun rise and set over the North Channel and LaCloche Mountains. MLS# 1045541 \$369,900	 Live in the heart of Mindemoya in this 3 bedroom bungalow with attached garage. Perfect for the first time home buyer or the retiree looking to downsize. MLS# 1044877 \$139,000	 Century Home located on 7 acres of waterfront property in Sheguiandah. This 3 bedroom home has been almost completely maintained in its original form with hardwood floors, doors and railings. MLS# 1044937 \$389,000
 <b>JUST REDUCED!</b> Sheguiandah - This 4 bedroom 2-storey home is located across from the Sheguiandah Old Mill. Includes 3 bay garage on a corner lot. MLS# 1044000 \$124,900	 Magnificent log home overlooking Lake Kagawong is a nature lover's dream. Hardwood bush surrounds this log home and double log garage and is highlighted by 200 feet of waterfront! MLS# 1043143 \$499,900	 Amazing view of the North Channel and LaCloche Mountains this 3 bedroom home is located on 3 acres in the community of Kagawong. Priced to sell at \$214,000. MLS# 1044555	 Located on Perivale Road in Spring Bay, this is a must see! Overlooking Lake Kagawong with a beautifully manicured lot. MLS# 1040955 \$319,000
 This 2 bedroom cottage is tucked away on just over an acre of hardwood bush and over 200 feet of your own private beach in Elizabeth Bay on North Channel. Detached garage and sauna building highlight this property. MLS# 1044935 \$389,900	 Located on a corner lot in Manitowaning, this home has a bright spacious kitchen, large living room with fireplace and 3 bedrooms. The yard is completely landscaped with perennials, apple trees, and a large 1.5 garage. MLS# 1044771 \$189,000	 Spring Bay Area farm for sale. 148 acres includes pasture, workable land for crops and some bush. Property features a creek and pond at west end. Laneway already installed Stable barn with hay loft to ideal building location and several out buildings for year round home. MLS# 1045542. Listed at \$289,000	 Just over an acre well treed lot available 15 minutes past Little Current on Hwy 540. Lot has two partially built structures. MLS# 1050256 \$19,900

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 pense and drama as a young woman strives to save herself from a devious husband and a mysterious captor who may actually be a rescuer. This is a novel about love, duplicity and the decisions we make to stay alive.  
 Young Adult Pick: 'Night World' by J. Smith.  
 DVD Pick: 'War of the Worlds' starring Tom Cruise, Dakota Fanning and Tim Robbins—a family fights for survival as an Alien Force attacks the Earth—great special effects!  
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**INCOME PROPERTY IN LITTLE CURRENT!!** - Located at 23 Vankoughnet Street East, this property is within walking distance of all the amenities in Little Current including hospital, shopping and swim beach. The single floor building consists of a 705 sq. ft. commercial store front attached to it is a 610 sq. ft. 1 bedroom apartment and a 960 sq. ft. 3 bedroom apartment. This property has tons of potential!!! Listed at only \$199,000. MLS#1044554



**2 + 1 BDRM RETIREMENT OR SUMMER HOME WHICH BACKS ON TO THE GOLF COURSE!!** - Located in Treasure Trails Subdivision close to public beach & boat launch, this quality built home comes with beautiful lawn & garden and old Manitoulin split rail fencing along the golf course fairway right in the back yard! The house features parquet & ceramic tile flooring upstairs with a full basement with rec room, bedroom and storage rooms. Priced to Sell at \$199,000. MLS#1044496



**GREEN BAY LODGE ON BEAUTIFUL LAKE MANITOU WITH FANTASTIC FISHING!!** - This large 13 acre property comes with a very nice 4 bedroom personal residence plus 5 rental units. 3 units are under the main residence and there is a separate building with a large studio and rental unit under it. The waterfront has a gorgeous protected harbour. The entire operation comes turn-key! This spectacular property would make a great family retreat or allows you to live for free at this wonderful resort. The rental units are currently rented by the night with a 3 night minimum stay. There is plenty of room for expansion if so desired. The amenities of Mindemoya or Little Current are only 15 minutes away. This is a great buy at \$600,000. MLS#1044479



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



**BUNGALOW EXTRAORDINAIRE!!** - This 3 Bedroom, 3 Bathroom home (a large ensuite in master bedroom) has a very unique circular kitchen, sunken living room, a fantastic screened-in breakfast patio and attached 2 car garage all on one level. This 2075 sq. ft. home located on a beautiful landscaped corner lot, has a new roof, vinyl siding and is a short golf cart ride to the golf course. The amenities of Mindemoya are only 5 minutes away and the public beach and boat launch is in walking distance. Asking just \$199,000!! MLS#1043034



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



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

## 3 BDRM LAKE KAGAWONG TURNKEY COTTAGE!!

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



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

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



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



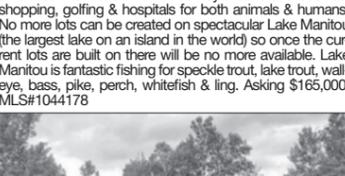
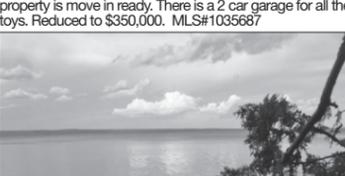
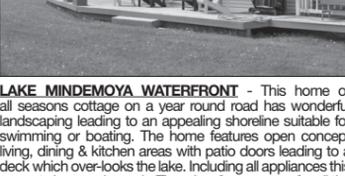
**ELEVATED SUNRISE VIEW OVER BEAUTIFUL LAKE MINDEMOYA!!** - Large 2 1/2 acre lot with almost 150 ft of shoreline, a dock & a (grandfathered-in) boat house. A quick flight of stairs brings you from the dock & fantastic deep water shoreline to the top of the bluff where you find a 3 bdrm cottage with an eye catching view! The golf course, hospital, restaurants, shopping are only 15 mins away. Only \$200,000!!! MLS#1043385

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

**LAKE HURON WATERFRONT PROPERTY!!** - This 1.66 acre building lot with 146 ft of water frontage is located in Central Manitoulin on the south shore of the island. The lot is accessed by a public year round municipal maintained road with hydro & telephone available at the lot line. There is a partially cleared building site & a driveway to the site. Asking \$68,000. MLS#1033566

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

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



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

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

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



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



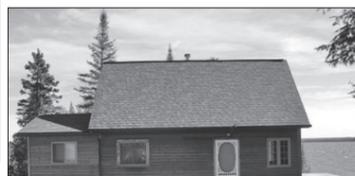
**AFFORDABLE COTTAGE ON LAKE MANITOU!!** - Located along the Rockville Road close to Mindemoya this 3 bdrm cottage comes with nice hardwood flooring, a large deck, dock, steel roof & large storage shed. The landscaped lot is flat & supports several very large mature trees & the east facing view over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



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



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



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



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



**KING OF THE CASTLE!!** - A 36 ft Dutchman Trailer that sleeps 6 in excellent condition. Located at Hutchinson's Cabins & Trailer Park in the town of Sandfield on Lake Manitou. The trailer features an electric fridge & microwave, propane furnace & a hot water on demand system that runs on both electric & gas power. A 40 X 8 ft covered deck with special blinds are attached to the trailer sitting on a large private lot over-looking the rest of the park and Lake Manitou which is famous for its lake & speckle trout, walleye, bass & perch fishing. Rent paid up until July 2018. Just \$25,000. MLS#1050276

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



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

**KAGAWONG** - 3 bdrm/2 bath newly renovated home on full 1 acre lot close to Kagawong. This home has been renovated inside & out. The property located along Hwy 540 is zoned residential & commercial so that you could run a business from it. Listed at only \$139,000. MLS#1036016



**VISTA WITH A WOW!!** - This one acre property is located on a site that has one of Ontario's prettiest cliff views. This nicely manicured acre of property comes with a magnificent 4 bdrm executive-style manufactured log home accented with a centerpiece stone fireplace, granite counter tops with matching table, in-floor heating, highest of quality built-in appliances, great flooring & a 5 piece ensuite with a Jacuzzi & a large steam bath/shower. The double garage comes with an attached ATV garage & an exercise room with a bathroom & sauna & the floors in this building are also heated. A steal of a deal at \$799,000! MLS#1038089

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



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



**Five bedrooms, five baths,** massive 3,000 sq. ft. finished living space. Superb family neighbourhood. Call Jordan 705-805-9059, asking \$199,900 MLS#1044360, 430 Barber St., Espanola. 20-21p

**Beautiful large groomed** waterfront lot on Ketchankookon Trail along Lake Mindemoya for sale! This 0.8 acre property, now being sold privately, was originally listed at \$100,000, but is now reduced to \$70,000 firm. The lot is within walking distance to Brookwood Brae Golf Course and to the municipal boat launch and sand beach swimming area. Mindemoya offers a fine shopping area and an excellent hospital just five minutes away. At this great price the offer is not negotiable. For more information or to view the property, call us at 705-377-4013. You won't be disappointed! 20-22c

**Hunt Camp,** 500 square feet with composting toilet on 100 acres in Assiginack Township. 4 outbuildings, \$133,000; phone 705-690-9045. 18ftn

**Lake Mindemoya** Waterfront for sale with 50 feet of water frontage, almost 1 acre lot. Shallow sandy beach frontage, currently has an older trailer and sauna house with 200 amp service. Leased land \$12,000. 705-368-6240. 18ftn



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**FEATURE!**

**Great North Channel Cottage**

Enjoy the sunsets from this Honora Bay setting. Launch your boat at your very own ramp and set out to enjoy the North Channel. The shoreline features a break wall, boat shed with living quarters above & a lakeside deck for entertaining or simply unwinding while the sun sets across the bay. The cottage has enough room for your family with 3 bedrooms and 2 full baths. This listing has been well cared for over the years and boasts too many upgrades to mention. Call for details. MLS#1050244. \$234,900

**HUNT CAMP ON 100 ACRES**  
Good access. Mature hardwoods. Tree stands in place and excellent access via Tower Road. Call for details. Asking \$163,900.



**STARTER HOME IN LITTLE CURRENT**

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

**COUNTRY HOME IN LITTLE CURRENT**

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

**RARE LAKE MANITOU OFFERING**

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

**VACANT LOTS AND ACREAGES**

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

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**GORE BAY FOUR BEDROOM HOME**

Character two storey older home, estate sized lot 80 x 200 feet, oil heat, paved drive, basement area, 4 piece and 2 piece washroom, only five minute walk to public school, asking \$129,000 MLS#1040220  
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**BRIDAL VEIL ESSO, KAGAWONG \$549,000**

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

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**LAKE MINDEMOYA, ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES**

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

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**BRICK BUNGALOW \$190,000**

Centrally located in Little Current. This home has a large kitchen/dining area which flows nicely into the living room. Three bedrooms and two baths will be perfect for your family, or simply as a retirement dwelling. The attached garage and large storage shed are perfect for all of your tools and toys. MLS#1039628

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**GORE BAY COMMERCIAL \$149,000**

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

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**250 ACRE FARM \$385,000**

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

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**BARRIE ISLAND WATERFRONT \$49,000**

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

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**LOTS**

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

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

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

**GORE BAY WATERFRONT** Large level waterfront lot on lighthouse road, Gore Bay harbour, easterly facing, municipal water, paved road, area of newer homes and cottages, 150 feet frontage by one acre in size, surveyed lot, only 5 minute drive to Gore Bay shopping. (1321) MLS#1012977 \$69,500

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

**VACANT BUILDING LOT** with town services on quiet street in town of Little Current. Adjacent lot also for sale. Contact listing brokerage MLS#1039011 asking \$20,000

**VACANT BUILDING LOT** with town services on quiet street in town of Little Current. Adjacent lot also for sale. Contact listing brokerage MLS#1030913 Asking \$22,500

**ALMOST 1 FULL ACRE**, level building lot in Little Current with frontage on Hwy 540. MLS#1039010 Asking \$44,900

**CHECKERBOARD LANE ALLAN TWP** - 5.45 acres, vacant land, mixed bush, deer habitat, good access to parcel, only 10 minutes to Gore Bay shopping, asking \$13,000 MLS#1041827



**MAJESTIC LOG COTTAGE SAND BEACH**

On south shore Lake Huron, level prime sand beach area, approx. 2000 square foot log cottage, two garages, large estate sized lot of 2 acres, septic system and drilled well, wood and propane heat, three bedrooms, two washrooms, large decks, year round paved road access. This offering worth viewing. \$272,000 MLS#1043842

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**190 ACRES NORTH CHANNEL \$169,000**

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

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**LITTLE CURRENT BUNGALOW \$102,900**

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

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**LAKE HURON COTTAGE \$155,000**

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

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**TOBACCO LAKE HOME \$127,000**

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

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**100 ACRES CAMPBELL TWP \$89,000**

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

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



**COUNTRY LOG** near Gore Bay is panabode style red cedar home w/2816 sq. ft. living space over 2 levels w/all the space for large family or gatherings. Open concept w/vaulted ceiling & hardwood flooring includes great room, 3 bedrooms & bath. Lower walk out, level w/3 bedrooms, family room, bath, storage & direct access to 22x32 ft. garage workshop. Excellent water supply, one acre & all appliances. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$225,000 (1324)



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



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



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



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



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

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



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

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



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



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

**BUILDING LOTS** ..... TOLSMVILLE on Cockburn Island fronting on F Street \$4900; GORE BAY Doc Strain Dr. w/Town water, sewer, year round access, hydro & phone \$20000; GORE BAY Doc Strain Dr. & Park St. 3.21a w/ Town water, sewer, year round access, hydro & phone \$50000; GORE BAY Thorburn St. w/Town water, sewer, year round access, hydro, phone & water view \$39900; GORE BAY West Bluff Fraser St. w/Town water, sewer, hydro, phone & water view \$49000; GORE BAY on west side of Town being 2 lots ea. w/309.65 ft. on Armstrong Road \$21900 & 27900; GORE BAY MILLION DOLLAR VIEW on east bluff escarpment on 2.52 ac. & 209.8 ft. w/driveway to the edge, hydro, etc. \$154000; KAGAWONG'S MAPLE RIDGE on Maple Drive w/municipal water, year round access, hydro, phone & partial water view \$19900.



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



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

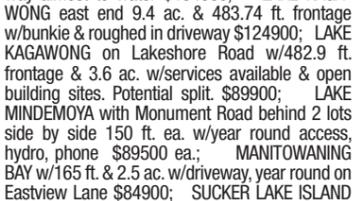
**WATERFRONT LOTS** ..... MELDRUM BAY 503 ft. & 2.9 ac. w/year round access, hydro & phone \$99900; MELDRUM BAY 7.7 ac. & 150 ft. on Highway 540 w/deeded right of way access to private section of beach about 140 ft. across road \$49500; MELDRUM BAY east of the Village w/360 ft. private waterfrontage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



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



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



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



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



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



**LAKE WOLSEY HOME** w/full finished basement on flat lot w/200 ft. frontage. Raised bungalow w/1792 sq. ft. living space of 2 bedrooms, 4 pc. bath & laundry, open kitchen dining living & spacious family recreational room on lower level. Decking totalling 538 sq. ft. w/256 covered overlooking water. All wood interior on both floors w/oil & wood heat, treated well water, steel roof. Detached 16x24 w/2 more bedrooms & workshop. Appliances included. \$239,000 (1307)



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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



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

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**PERFECTION IN RETIREMENT LIVING!** - Quality living with modern three bedroom 7 years new predominantly maintenance free bungalow set up completely on one level. Many extra features including a stunning layout, attached garage, quality finish inside and out, outstanding landscaping, municipal water and direct park access from back yard to waterfront. Save the hassles and cost (HST) of new home construction! At price at only \$349,900! MLS#1044299



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

**LAKEFRONT LIVING CENTRAL MANITOULIN LOCATION**

Spacious 4 bdrm waterfront home fronting on a beautifully landscaped lot on Big Lake. Very attractive setting on a gradually sloping, manicured lot surrounded by mature maple forest. Features modern construction, master suite with en-suite & walk in closet, built in appliances, huge decks, large room sizes, low maintenance, double att'd garage & a huge det'd garage! Close proximity to town amenities including shopping, school & hospital. Only \$389,000! MLS#1042620







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

**WATERFRONT LOT ON SOUTH BAY CLOSE TO FERRY!** - Large property with 153.15 ft of frontage, driveway, 30 x 30 ft year round access, hydro & telephone lines west for wonderful sunsets. Asking \$73,000. MLS#1039230

**LAKE MANITOU WATERFRONT LOTS** - Offering the Best of the Best with 1.93 acre building lot featuring exceptional views over the water with the Cup and Saucer in the background, attractive hardwood setting and possibly the best attributes available for a lakefront lot on Manitoulin Island. Value added driveway, cleared and level building site, underground hydro and full septic system included in price! Seller financing available and attractively priced at \$189,000! MLS#1044514

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

**BAY OF ISLANDS WATERFRONT ACREAGE** - Three acre parcels situated very central to the Bay of Islands and comprising most of Island TP 2708. Each parcel includes hydro and complete septic systems in place, exceptional south and westerly views in a mature Pine Forest setting, safe dockage locations and an appeal level over the top! Ideal for family compound uses with ability to obtain three principal dwelling building permits. Please call for complete details! MLS#1044305

**LAKE MANITOU WATERFRONT SUBDIVISION** - 19 Lot plan of subdivision comprising 41.95 acres and 2,855 feet of shoreline offered as a package deal at substantial discount! Considerable infrastructure in place, most of the planning process complete, several lots available to sell immediately and an extremely good location with possibly the best attributes available in any development to take place on Manitoulin in decades. Please call for complete details. MLS#1044521

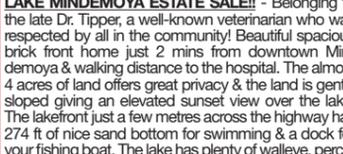
**STRAWBERRY CHANNEL WATERFRONT ACREAGE** - Exceptional building site features gradually sloping acreage with mature mixed forest and some white pine plus oversized lot with 163 feet on the shoreline and over 5 acres for privacy. Call for details or an appointment to view! Great price at only \$99,900! MLS#1045063

**OUTSTANDING LAKE VIEW LOT** - Located within 5 minute drive of Little Current, offering mature hardwood forest on 4.94 acres of land plus available municipal water supply. Hydro, year round road, driveway installed and ready for new home. One of the best views available for sale on Manitoulin Island. Priced to sell at \$77,000. MLS#1044261

**100 ACRES CLOSE TO AIRPORT** - has gravel and stone quarry licence. Excellent hunting property! Currently used for cattle pasture. Subject to severance approval. Asking \$100,000. MLS#1042597. Call Sales Person Al Franks @ 705-859-3297



**SOUTH BAY WATERFRONT COTTAGE** - Spacious waterfront cottage with over 1,400 sq ft of liveable area & a lovely location with expansive views to the east & south. Mainly level site with over an acre of land for privacy. Flat limestone & whitewashed cobblestone shoreline adds to appeal. Some finishing required. Great setup for handyman looking to save on up-front costs. Only \$149,900! MLS#1044374



**THE NOBLE FARM** - 224 Scotch Line, Bidwell, Assinack Twp., founded 1883, 100 newly fenced acres, mixed bush, deer wintering grounds, several fenced paddocks, drilled well, dug well, water cistern, high speed internet access, apple & pear trees. Main house is 1,600 sq ft, 4 bdrms, 2 baths, wood & electric heat. Granny flat is 1,000 sq ft, 1 bdrm, 1 bath with large loft, propane & electric heat. 30 x 73 ft cedar log barn with water & hydro. 30 x 96 ft steel building with solar, ready engineered trusses. Asking \$360,000. Please call Sales Person Al Frank at 705-859-3297. MLS#1045308



**LITTLE CURRENT** - 2 bedroom family home with spacious layout, large bathroom / laundry room with claw foot tub, detached garage, large shed, low maintenance and level site across from Public School. Centrally located within easy walking distance to downtown and the hospital. Asking \$119,000. MLS#1043237



**LAKE MANITOU COTTAGE** - A truly charming old cottage on Lake Manitou with wooden interior, hardwood floors & a stone fireplace. There is over 1000 sq. ft., including 3 good sized bdrms (all with closets), a large living room/dining room, a galley kitchen, a 3 piece bath & comes with most furniture & appliances. There is a verandah at the front overlooking the lake with beautiful sunsets. There are 2 storage sheds & a large double detached garage. All of this is located on an extra-large lot of almost 3 acres & almost 500 ft of shoreline. Very quiet & peaceful. Asking \$279,000. MLS#1043256



**EXCEPTIONAL** - 3+1 bdrm, spacious family home on a private double lot. Hardwood floors, tons of storage space, beautiful grand foyer. Separated double garage is heated on one side - ideal for a workshop! Help pay your mortgage with income from the bright 1 bdrm basement apartment. Equipped with a quick hook up for generator - great for those scheduled power outages! Reduced to \$249,000. MLS#1037568



**WATERFRONT DREAM HOME** - This is one of Manitoulin's finest homes, 12 room, 4850 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. Great New Lower Price! Call for Details. MLS#1039266



**COUNTRY LIVING AT ITS BEST ON 193 ACRES** - Excellent/plentiful water, year round road, privacy, abundant wildlife. Beautiful home plus 1200 sq ft shed with concrete floor & bunkhouse. Rolling land with approx. 70 acres workable, mixed bush with lots of Cedar, some wetlands. Gravel pit for personal use. Close to town, fishing & golfing. Attractively priced at \$459,000. Please call Sales Person Al Frank at 705-859-3297. MLS#1043817



**A UNIQUE LAKE MINDEMOYA HOME IN A BARN** - The Barn House is a large 30 ft x 40 ft, 9 ft ceiling, modern contemporary barn that is currently being used as a recreational cottage. The Barn House is a 3 or 4 bdrm plus home/cottage that sleeps 12, is south facing with 160 ft of shoreline on a wonderfully landscaped lot that includes apple trees. The Barn House is built on the west side of the lot leaving plenty of room to build your future dream home, or use the existing space to develop a unique & creative home, or a B & B. The property is located on a year round municipal road at the north end of Mindemoya Lake, is only a few minutes from the amenities of the town of Mindemoya & the lake is good fishing for walleye, perch, bass & whitefish. Listed at \$354,000. MLS#1045047



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



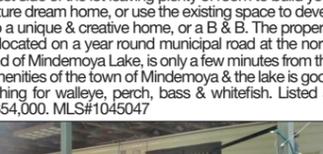
**MINK ISLANDS** - Private 1.78 island on the North Channel of Lake Huron! Located close to marinas in Little Current, this exceptional offering features modern 2 bedroom cottage with spacious room sizes, open living dining & kitchen areas, appealing knotty pine interior finish, low maintenance and huge deck to enjoy the panoramic views. Buildings are very well set up and completely off the grid, exceptional protected dockage area, detached sauna building and outstanding sunrise and sunset views. Please call for full particulars. Only \$199,900! MLS#1050101



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



**TRIPLEX** - Close to public school in Little Current. Live here and let the tenants pay your mortgage. Three spacious 2 bdrm apartments, good rental income. Priced to sell at \$209,000. MLS#1045333



**JUST LISTED** - 1990 Bon Air Trailer, A Ten By Twelve Sleep Camp & Shed in Stanley Park On Beautiful Lake Mindemoya. This nicely landscaped lot with plenty of decking & two 45 gallon holding tanks. This gorgeous sand beach is an extremely short walk & the park has many amenities as well as activities for kids. The hospital, restaurants, grocery shopping, golfing & much more is close by. The lake is well known for its great fishing for walleye, perch, bass, pike & whitefish. The yearly rent is \$1750.00 & includes hydro. The park is open from May 1st to October 1st. The trailer comes turn-key & includes all contents except personal items. Asking \$16,900.00! MLS#1045227



**BEST OF THE WEST MEANS THIS BRIGHT AND AIRY 4 SEASONS HOME OR COTTAGE!** - Always a delightful breeze around this solidly built 3 bedroom home located on a year round public roadway overlooking the spectacular North Channel. Most contents included means that you can start your Manitoulin life just by walking in the door. This gently used home boasts almost new appliances, new windows in 2015, drilled well and new pressure tank. Also available adjoining 1 acre lot. Asking \$199,000. MLS#1044341



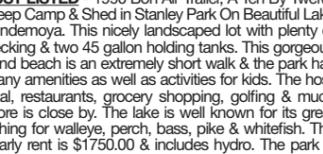
**SITTIN' ON THE DOCK ON THE BAY!!** - This really cool house of character is located at the mouth of the Mindemoya River in the historic town of Providence Bay. This bay is famous for its sand beach as well as the rainbow trout that run up the river in the spring & the salmon that do the same in the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



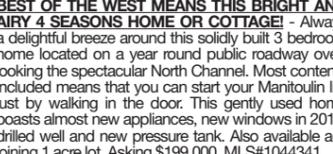
**LUXURY WATERFRONT LIVING CLOSE TO AMENITIES** - Stunning south facing waterfront location with panoramic views, exceptional landscaping & a picture perfect setting. Fantastic home with spacious room sizes, very appealing open layout, completely remodeled inside & outside to a luxurious finish with obvious attention to detail. Extras include att'd garage, built in appliances, gas fireplace, huge patio doors with walk out to large deck overlooking Bass Lake in the Village of Sheguiandah. Very attractively priced at \$399,999. MLS#1044373



**LITTLE CURRENT** - Large 3 bdrm, 8 yr old home (1800 sq ft) with den, 2 baths & all major appliances included. Separate dining area, beautiful lot, close to all amenities. Immediate possession. Priced to sell at \$219,000. MLS#1045332



**BEAUTIFUL LAKEFRONT WATERFRONT LOT** - Located on the shore of Lake Mindemoya, this property offers a beautiful view of the lake and surrounding area. The lot is large and well-maintained, with a driveway and a shed. It is a great opportunity for anyone looking for a waterfront property. Asking \$16,900.00! MLS#1045227



**RUSTIC & CHARMING** - this cottage has too many unique features to list! Nothing says 'cottage on Manitoulin' like the exposed beams & stone fireplace & walks in this beautiful cottage. With 2 bdrms plus small bunkie, there is plenty of space. Search for fossils on the famous rock beach of Manitowaning Bay! Most furniture included makes this cottage move in ready- pack a bag & you'll be ready! Asking \$174,900. MLS#1039041

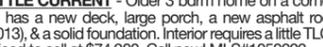


**COZY 2 BDRM HOME** - on a beautiful mature lot in the heart of Manitowaning. Enjoy evenings barbecuing on the back deck with family & friends. Steps away from the sand beach! Everything you need in this great little community! Why pay rent when you could own? Call today to view this charming home. Asking \$80,000. MLS#1042525



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**LITTLE CURRENT** - Older 3 bdrm home on a corner lot has a new deck, large porch, a new asphalt roof (2013), & a solid foundation. Interior requires a little TLC. Priced to sell at \$74,900. Call now! MLS#1050222



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



**MANITOULIN WATERFRONT COTTAGE** With a great west facing beach! It offers 3 bedrooms, nice cedar exterior, hydro service, and is located on a 4 season road. The buildings have been well maintained and the property nicely developed. Most contents of cottage included. Affordable at \$129,500. MLS#1042924



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



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



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



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



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



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



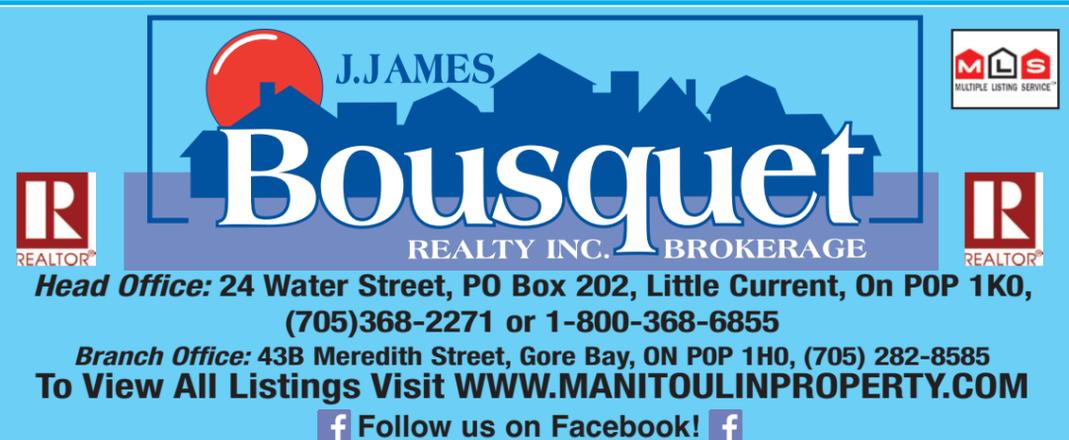
**MINDEMOYA** - New home in Mindemoya. Walking distance to all amenities & public school. 3 bedrooms & 2 full baths on main level. The master bedroom has an ensuite bathroom. Walkout to a covered deck from the kitchen. The lower level is unfinished with unlimited potential. Basement ceilings are over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



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



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



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**SUNSITE ESTATES!**

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



**BAY OF ISLANDS BEAUTY!** - Island cottage with a view! 1200 sq. ft. 2 bedroom cottage with all the amenities. Fully furnished, includes 2 boats (1 - 25' SEARAY), 16 x 20' storage, plus new 8' x 11' storage - Excellent protected docking system, great decks, laundry building. Must be seen to be appreciated! Very attractively priced at \$325,000. MLS#1038964.



**STRAWBERRY CHANNEL** - 3 bedroom A-frame cottage/home minutes from Little Current on Strawberry Channel. 344 ft of frontage & just over 6 acres in property. Main floor kitchen/dining/sitting with full bathroom & walk-out to a deck with fantastic views. Second floor is a large loft bedroom. Lower level has living room & bedroom & bathroom. \$265,000 MLS#1050137



**LAKE MANITOU HOME!** - 4 Season East facing waterfront Home on Lake Manitou close to Mindemoya. Open concept kitchen/dining/living room and full bathroom on the main floor. Second level has 2 bedrooms with lake view and full bath. Partially finished walkout basement. Large deck and sun room that overlooks Lake Manitou. Single car garage with an attached workshop and extra room for storage or as a sleep bunkie. Well landscaped with 119ft of shoreline and access to launch a boat. Also included is the Aluminium dock. \$349,999. MLS#1042593



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



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



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



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



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



**MINDEMOYA** - New home in central Mindemoya. Short walk to all amenities of town and the public school. 3 bedrooms and 1 full bathroom on the main level. Large open concept kitchen, dining, and living room. The lower level is unfinished with unlimited potential. Basement ceilings are over 8' and roughed-in plumbing for a bathroom. Be the first to own this quality new home. Tarion New Home Warranty! \$244,900 incl HST. MLS#1044218



**SPECTACULAR WATERFRONT HOME!** In a highly sought after community just minutes from Little Current. Spacious 1 level home with full walkout lower level, huge master suite with ensuite bath & walk-in closet. Quality finishes throughout, hardwood, ceramic tile. The open concept kitchen & living areas are surrounded by plenty of windows. Must see! \$559,000 MLS#1044816



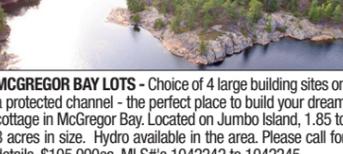
**SPECIAL MANITOULIN West-end home and property.** The house has had extensive exterior upgrades (2016). Windows, doors, and Manitoulin cedar. Also new insulation added to the house, and new electrical service to the house and outbuilding. The outbuilding consists of an insulated garage (900 sq. ft.), and a 2 bedroom apartment (900 sq. ft.) with its own septic system. \$199,000. MLS#1043551



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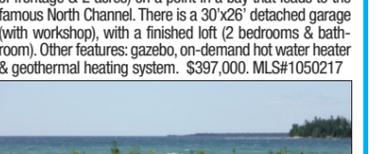
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# Billings Connections Trail sculptures unveiled at Elemental Festival

by Sharon Jackson

KAGAWONG—There was a lot to celebrate during the third annual Elemental Festival held in Kagawong this past weekend: the 15th anniversary of 4elements Living Arts, six of the seven permanent sculptures are in place and fall is in the air. The theme was 'Truth and Reconciliation: to begin the healing.'

Friday evening's inclement weather had organizers shifting gears: the planned sunset dinner cruise had to be cancelled. Festivalgoers ate their meal indoors while enjoying a musical performance by Moe Clarke. As community arts educator, Ms. Clark facilitates writing, spoken word performance and looping pedal workshops in high schools, communities and for aboriginal youth. Her approach to group facilitation aims to build bridges



'The Globe' created by Hooman Mehdizadehjafari, originally from Iran, is a series of intricate pieces made from laser cut steel transformed into a work of art like no other. It can be seen at the picnic area just past the small craft harbour on Old Mill Road.

photos by Sharon Jackson

through emphatic listening and sharing.

Saturday was a day of workshops: hoop project with Katie Fenerty, drum circle led by Veronica Johnny, and a Kagawong fibre art group led by Charlene Chambers.

Ms. Fenerty had one of her paintings on display and completed it throughout the day. It was the door prize at the end of the evening's performance by Nick Sherman.

Ms. Johnny led an enthusiastic group in drumming circle workshop. She encouraged everyone to

depict the notion that "not all is smooth and shiny, that it is dark at times. Aluminum makes sense for the Great Lakes, trees are natural—will rust and go away with time." There are three trees depicting the past, present and future.

Next on the tour was Quinn Smallboy's four brightly coloured rings entitled 'Drum Circle' which is beside the Giant Game Board. They are 26' tall and made from welded steel drums. Mr. Smallboy, who is originally from Moose Factory, wanted his sculpture to be in a place where children could play among and between the rings. The four colours, blue, green, white and black, represent water, land, people within the land and change: the past and a shared future. This is Mr. Smallboy's first public sculpture.

'The Globe,' a laser cut steel sphere, sits at the picnic area near the entrance to the east side of the Kagawong River Trail. Designed by Hooman Mehdizadehjafari, who is originally from Iran, he shared that this piece was a time consuming but also made with a lot of love. This is his second public sculpture in Canada, the first being in White Rock, BC.

Michael Belmore's trio of boulders was unveiled last year and has become as much a part of the River and the hiking trail as the stone benches and fairy doors. Titled 'Replenish,' a series of three boulders honours the cycle of life, the laying of eggs, the death of the spawning parent and the renewal of the young that continue the circle. The salmon, an introduced species, is also code for settlement and displacement.

KWEST, also known as Matt McNaught's corten steel piece, is located on the Kagawong River Trail near the entrance off Henry Drive (near the tennis court). The four pieces are each a different size and shape and represent the four directions: north, south, east and west. Entitled 'Intersection,' this work reflects upon Manitoulin's historical past, inclusion and renewal, the earth's directions and the environment's energies. It suggests an ideal balance between humanity and nature, co-existing peacefully.

Tucked in the forest just before you get to the painted blue bridge is where industry and nature

intertwine. Robert Krum's highly polished bronze white tail deer. It took three days to dig down six feet which was the required depth to secure the animals, the tallest standing seven feet tall. The buck has a Ford F150 bumper in its design; the doe a positive/negative image and the fawn which is lying down to the left of the doe has an emerald ash borer design on its side. Beauty of nature and the impact of man and industry come together.

Ted Fullerton's 'Ascend/Descend' was the first sculpture erected earlier this summer. Located at the Park Centre, it featured three cast resin figures on steel lifts. The reason the figures are up in the air is that they depict the mystical earth—a place in between, a place of enlightenment. Each figure

weighs about 150 pounds and is made of polyester resin. The direction of the faces represent walking into the woods, the water and up the road, dancing along the horizon.

Throughout the day festivalgoers could purchase 4e swag, visit the cafe for a bowl of soup, salad or pizza.

Saturday evening's musical performers included Melody McKivier who played the violin and Nick Sherman a singer/songwriter from Sioux Lookout.

Sunday's program included a writing workshop led by Kate Thompson, a mask performance workshop and a second guided tour of the sculptures. The weekend wrapped up with a film screening and artist talk led by Paul Chaput.



'Ascend/Transcend' by Toronto artist Ted Fullerton was the first of a series of permanent sculptures to pop up in Ontario's Prettiest Village in late July. Three cold cast, resin figures on steel lifts stand up to 18 feet.



KWEST aka Matt McKnight's 'Intersection' can be seen along the Kagawong River Trail near the entrance off Henry Drive. This work reflects upon Manitoulin's historical past, inclusion and renewal; the earth's directions and the environment's energies. It suggests an ideal balance between humanity and nature co-existing peacefully. It is made from corten steel and epoxy paint.

slow down, that "there is time" and to do one thing at a time; to "enter the circle with an open heart, good intentions and acceptance." A smudging ceremony was followed by several songs, among them the 'strong woman song' and the 'men's healing song.'

A shuttle bus took two loads of people out to Sandy Beach where the unveiling of Billings Connections Trail and Artist Walk began. Manitoulin's own Kathryn Corbiere's 'Great Lakes Trees,' which is two jackpines and one Great Lakes tree, stands 13 feet tall. Ms. Corbiere noted that there were countless hours put into the sculpture and so much rebar beneath the surface. Her intent is



Nick Sherman from Thunder Bay entertained an enthusiastic and appreciative audience Saturday night. His personal experiences while growing up in Sioux Lookout were put to music and lyric. 'My Favourite Colour' was a crowd favourite



Veronica Johnny leads a drumming circle on Saturday morning. Seventeen people participated. A few had drummed before and brought their own, the majority were new to drumming. A smudge ceremony took place prior to the demonstration.



Kathryn Corbiere's 'Water Trees' was the first sculpture on the guided tour held Saturday afternoon. This sculpture connects the earth to the water through three graphic, modern Jack Pine trees. Each tree differs slightly in style and metal finish, creating a multi-dimensional piece which can be appreciated from any viewpoint. It is located at Sandy Beach at the end of Maple Drive. From left to right is Sarah Seabrook, Kathryn Corbiere and Sophie Edwards.



Another view of Ted's trio. Learning from the past, imagining a shared future; to ascend and transcend our relationship from the past to a new future in reconciling humanist ideals: our relationship to earth, air and water and body, mind and spirit.

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Manitoulin Mustangs were inspired by this week's events and opportunities.

On September 27, 13 MSS students and their chaperones travelled to Toronto for WE Day: April Torkopoulos, Isaac Gosse, Marshall Maciuc, Rhea Greco, Grace Duncanson, Megan Misner, Alicia Williamson, Denver Leeson, Mason Golder, Victo-



ria MacDonald, Jacob Maxwell, Josh Noble, myself, Mr. Zegil and Ms. Bauer. The group shared a bus with Lo-Ellen Park Secondary School and Lasalle Secondary School from

Sudbury. When they got to Toronto, the group checked into their hotel, and split up to have a fun afternoon. Half of the group went to a Mayan-themed Escape Room, while the other half went with many of the Sudbury group to shop at the Yorkdale mall. After an evening of socializing and swimming at the hotel, the group went to bed, ready to wake up extra early to head down to the Air Canada Centre (ACC). At 6 am on September 28, the MSS Mustangs left the hotel and got onto the subway for the ride downtown. Upon arriving at the ACC, the group was met by their Schools Coordinator, Sudhershi Kularatnam, who led us to the WE Fanzone where the group would meet, interact with, take pictures with, and get autographs from many of the inspirational performers, and speakers who came to WE Day. Some of the performers and speakers included Kelly Clarkson, Vanessa Hudgens, Hedley, Lilly Singh, Shawn Hook, Ban Ki-Moon, Andre DeGrasse, Penny Oleksiak, George Takei, Mia Farrow, Craig Kielburger, Marc Kielburger, Spencer West, and Rick Hansen. Following the Red Carpet, the group was escorted to their seats to enjoy the morning half of WE Day.

The morning was full of inspiration, talent and learning the WE Day dance, and at the end of the morning the group was escorted to We Run Fast Like DeGrasse. This was a VIP event that MSS was chosen to partake in, as they got to watch Andre DeGrasse, three time Olympic medalist, race against Penny Oleksiak, Jacob Tremblay and four chosen youth from the 20,000 present at WE Day. Andre Degrassie won, but Penny made it a close one.

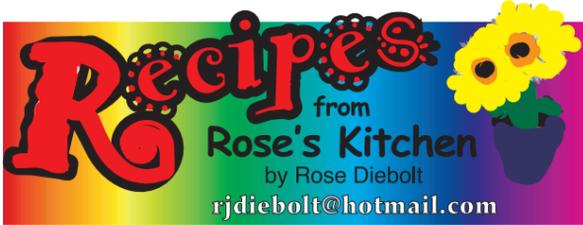
Grace Duncanson was one of two students chosen to receive a medal from Andre DeGrasse himself. "It was a really spur of the moment thing. It was really exciting to get to meet Andre DeGrasse because my family was cheering him on when we watched the olympics at home. It was just so thrilling to have someone who's making Canada so proud so close to you and be able to tell them how proud they

make our country." After the "We Run Fast Like DeGrasse" event, the group was escorted back inside to enjoy the rest of the day, just making it in time to see Hedley perform. At the end of the conference, the Manitoulin group headed back to the subway to go meet up with the Sudbury schools, and the bus. On the way back to Sudbury, the Mustangs discussed what they would like to take away from WE Day, including new fundraising ideas and campaigns they would like to be involved in. WE Day is meant to be an inspirational day to motivate and reward young world-changers for helping to make a difference in the world. Each student has committed to taking local and global action to make the world a better place.

April Torkopoulos, a Grade 11 student, said, "The trip was so powerful and inspiring, I already can't wait to go again next year. My favourite part was when Craig Kielburger said into the microphone 'Anyone who is going to go home after this and be a changemaker and help locally and globally, please put the flashlight on your phone' and the entire arena just lit up, it was so moving. All the youth in there were changemakers and it was so motivating."

Alicia Williamson, a Grade 12 student, said, "Overall I had an amazing time, the trip was a great learning experience. My favourite part was definitely participating in the WE Day event and listening to all the presenters. Being on the Red Carpet was super neat, being that close to celebrities was pretty exciting. All the celebrities were very kind and didn't hesitate to take time to meet us. It's great when people use their influence for good causes. My favourite speaker was Lilly Singh, she spoke a lot about empowering young women. All the presenters did really well and were very inspirational. Hear-

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As I was told, some dinner traditions should not be touched. You can change, add, offer imaginative apps, sides and sweets but leave the turkey alone. OK, I received the message loud and clear, so look out for all the "new" extras. On a note, they are my favourite foods to eat!

**Cauliflower with Brown Butter, Pears and Sage**

This dish has the advantage of cooking on the stovetop, freeing up oven space for other dishes. The recipe also calls for fresh sage which is great because my sage plant grew like crazy this year. Use your favourite nuts or pumpkin seeds.

- 6 Tbsp butter
- 1 medium head cauliflower, cut into small florets
- 1/2 cup toasted, walnuts
- 10 fresh sage leaves, thinly sliced crosswise
- Salt and pepper
- 2 large ripe Bosc pears, cored and thinly sliced
- 2 Tbsp chopped fresh parsley

In a skillet over medium heat, melt the butter until light brown and bubbly. Add the cauliflower, walnuts, and sage. Cook for 2 minutes, stirring occasionally. Season with salt and pepper and continue cooking, stirring occasionally until the cauliflower is browned and crisp tender, 6 to 7 minutes more. Remove the pan from the heat and add the pears and parsley. Gently toss to combine and warm the pears.

Serve hot or at room temperature.

**Roasted Brussels Sprouts with Mushrooms and Cream**

Steamed or boiled sprouts are long gone from my recipe file. They are a vegetable that need extra "enhancements" for guests to eat. Right up my ally!

- 1 1 2 lb Brussels sprouts, trimmed and halved lengthwise (5 cups)
- 5 Tbsp sunflower seed oil
- Salt
- 3 Tbsp butter
- 1 lb Shittake or Cremini mushrooms halved or cut into wedges
- 1 small onion, thinly sliced
- 3 cloves garlic, minced
- 1/4 cup dry white wine
- 1 cup heavy cream

1. Preheat the oven to 375°F

2. Put the Brussels sprouts on a rimmed baking sheet, and drizzle with 3 tbsp of the oil, toss to coat. Spread the sprouts in an even layer and sprinkle

with salt. Roast until tender and browned, about 25 minutes. Remove from the oven and set aside.

3. Heat a skillet over medium heat. Add the 1 Tbsp oil and 2 Tbsp butter. When the butter has melted, add the mushrooms and cook, stirring occasionally until the mushrooms are golden-brown and the liquid has evaporated, 5 to 8 minutes. Set aside.

4. Heat the skillet over medium high heat. Add the 1 tbsp oil and 1 tbsp butter. When the butter has melted, add the onion and garlic and cook until tender. Add the wine and cook until reduced by half, about 1 minute. Return the mushrooms to the pan and add the Brussels sprouts and cream. Cook stirring occasionally, until the cream thickens and coats the vegetables nicely, about 3 to 4 minutes.

Season with salt and pepper.

**Fluffy Mashed Potatoes**

Adding a bit of extra to just plain mashed potatoes.

- 4 lb medium potatoes, peeled and cut into 1 inch pieces
- 1 cup heavy cream
- 1/2 cup butter
- 2 large eggs
- Salt and pepper to taste

1. Cook the potatoes in water until tender.

2. Heat the cream and butter together until the butter is melted. Set aside and keep warm.

3. Drain the potatoes, mash them with a potato masher until almost smooth. Add the eggs and beat them in with a wooden spoon. Add the cream mixture and continue to mix until smooth. Add salt and pepper to taste.

4. Transfer to a serving bowl and garnish with fresh chives or parsley.

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## Tehkummah Talk and Times

Pauline just phoned and asked 'what are you doing?' So I told her, I was wiping cream of broccoli soup off my legs. No, it's not a new beauty treatment for old folks, but already it's been one of those days, and it's only 8:30 am. It started an hour ago; anymore, trees hide my morning skyline, but I could see a red ball. I wanted to see more, so after I found my keys I went out into the morning, and what a lovely one it is. As I drove, the emotion of the beauty got me. KT said on the radio that someone was out taking pictures and maybe it's time I got my camera (I bought it over a year ago) operational! Do you ever notice how off track I get? Anyway, I hope you all got to see the morning sunrise; little strips of fog were coloured pink and gold over the land. The sun an orb, golden red clouds in front, illuminated halos from the sun. A huge cloud left a dark V into the sky while rays and prisms soared up to the blue. I just drove to Scott's lane, but it's hard to absorb all the beauty. But, I digress, back to the soup story. First I decided I needed a coffee, dropped the kettle. I just mumbled a bit. When coffee was ready it needed cream, right, so somehow when I got that out, I must have hit the handle of the mug; therefore the soup splashed and now, after telling you this story, I have to go and clean the rest of it off the floor. Did you notice how long this story was? A whole page and a half of ink, and this day started so well, and my lunch is gone! It's no wonder people feel sorry for me! Right!

Yesterday I was so proud of myself. I got one of my bedroom windows cleaned. I'm not sure how long in the past that happened before, lots of dirt, lots of spiders, my favourite things? I did make the aforementioned soup too, and after winning at cards against Mum, it was kind of a day of accomplishments! Oh yeah, picked more seeds to throw roadside!

Pauline, Susan and I stopped in at Mum's to find her neighbour, Dorothy Cronk, winning the cribbage games tonight. We had just come from the complex at West Bay, where we called in to offer our sympathies to Crystal and Carol McCauley. Carol had just received word that her brother had passed away. It never rains that it pours, as the saying goes. Sympathy again.

Too it is with sadness we offer condolence to Jeneen and family in the loss of Reuben. We will all miss him and his friendly gentle humour. So much a part of our church and community life here in Tehkummah. "The willing hands and heart couple."

Joan stopped in for a short visit. Thursday evening is Bid Euchre night at 7:30 pm. (The first Thursday monthly.)

I came darned close to getting "skunked" on my home from Sandfield euchre, and darn close to getting "deered" going over. Both at Watson Camp Road! 5.75 tables tonight: ladies' high, Sheila, 77; lone hands, Rose, 5; low, Florence, 40; men's high, Stan A, 86 and 6; lone hands/low, John, 53;

draw, Sheila; lunch, Rose, Annette, Reg and Linda.

Tehkummah cribbage, 8 tables: high hands, Patrysha and Mary, 24; first, Bert and Joy, 958; second, Donna and Vi, 936; third, Ruth and Bill McG, 919; low, Lorrie and Margaret, 875; door, Glenda, Florence and Ruth McG. Great lunch, thank you all.

I'm seeing an awful lot of heaven in the clouds lately everywhere I look. Tonight over Lake Manitou in its pink and purple show, earlier today over South Bay and clouds of how many shades of grey, so picturesque, one could get lost in them!

Say, I don't know who keeps up that lovely little park beside the Manitoulin River. It is so welcoming looking (Sandfield).

Well, here it is Thursday evening already. My day started writing more cards and notes, then to South Baymouth to see Sherry and Rita off on the ferry as they head into the land of earthquakes and hurricanes. Hopefully not to encounter the same! They're going as far as Kathy's, and she's joining them in their adventure. Hopefully this time Sherry left her hunting supplies (i.e. 22 shell) behind!

I just stopped for a visit with Mum and Riley (who waits for me; he watches my van at the Hall.) Short visit, I'm tired, got my two weeks of K.P. in; Joan Beard helped tonight. There were four tables: winners ladies' high, Sheila, 94 and 5; lone hands, low, Laurene, 41; men's high, Dave Nelder, 81; Raymond, 2 lone hands; low, Dorothy, 57; Raymond won the door prize.

Earlier in the day I won one crib game to Mum's two!

Got a lovely card and note today, thanks Elaine (Renton) Viola.

Cal also came to South Baymouth to see the big ships; I was looking for the girls' cars parked beside me. Sherry said I didn't recognize it without Slash Road dust on it, kind of true.

Went Friday to euchre afternoon in Manitowaning, about 10 tables, gave Sissy a taxi ride to and from White's Garage. My partner today is Nancy. Not even 9 pm and I'm writing from my bed! A long scenic route drive very relaxing (just saw gravel roads, half moon and stars, oh, yeah, roadside weeds, no wildlife outside of small birds flipping up from said weeds! We had our supper at Carol's and Earl's. Saturday, earlier in the day, Mum was winner today at cards (2 of 3) played two before the luncheon at the hall and one after? A huge crowd of family and friends met at the Tehkummah Hall after Reuben's funeral. It was good to see some of our family, Keith, Elva and Wendy, since it seem like we don't get together like we used to. Great to have a visit/chat.

Erwin Thompson, he keeps up with me in my column. Joan and I sat on committees with him a few years back. A lot of fun, nice to see faces, despite the sad times. A good lunch served up by Triangle Club members for the family. Keeping you all in our prayers.

Another week shot, another month down,

Christmas around the corner? Just less than a month till our annual Christmas tea, bake sale, etc., and many draws.

Martin in the pulpit today, worldwide communion. Linda supplied the bread and wine? I just about didn't make it to church. I was into songs; I get carried away, sometimes.

We shared table space at Carol's and Earl's after: Borden, Joan, Elaine Bosje, Pauline, Wayne, Martin, Lynda and I.

Then I had three games of cards with Mum after I had picked a mess of perennials, sweet pea seeds, and visited kind of, with folks driving by, on Lakeshore Road, it was lovely and warm in the sun even though the breeze was blowing off the water. Picked a few tomatoes when I got home. Need to get garden stuff out.

Hummingbirds still around.

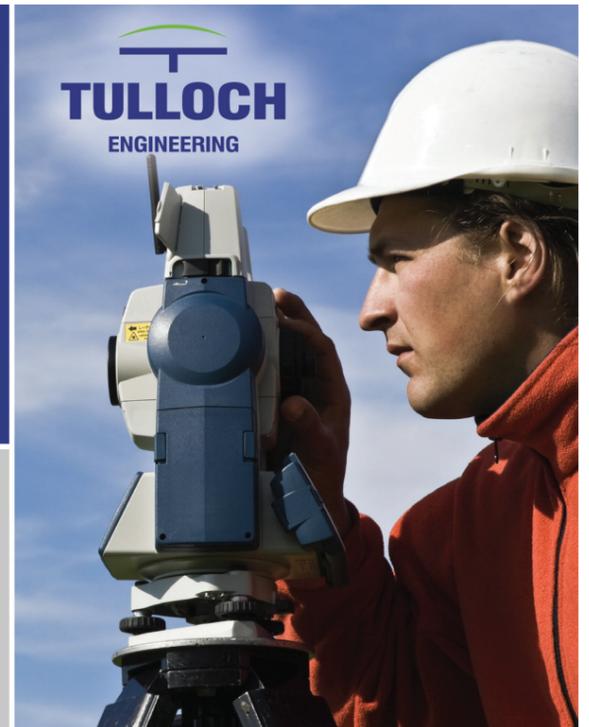
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# Providence Bay News and Notes

We would like to thank all the volunteers for their work and donations for building such spectacular displays around the community as part of the Manitoulin Expositor's Harvest Glory Days Contest. There are public displays at the Providence Bay Village Square and at the Providence Bay sign at the arena as well along lots of hydro poles throughout the village. Many homes are also nicely decorated showing our community spirit for this fun annual contest. We hope that everyone has remembered to register their home, business, church or organization with the Manitoulin Expositor. Make sure that your decorating skills count for Providence Bay. Even though someone's thievery of some of our community decorations was disheartening; let's show them that our community is better than that and rally together to show our community pride. As Martin Luther King said, "Darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that." Let's show our love for Providence Bay.

On September 20, the Grade 8 class from M'Chigeeng's Lakeview School joined with Manitoulin Streams at the Mindemoya River to help with tree planting along the river banks. They battled through the rain and worked hard to plant the native trees and shrubs that will provide berries for wildlife. They also stopped along the mouth of the river to see the salmon staging as they are ready to spawn. Chi-miigwetch for the help.

Morgen Moggy (nee McDermid) turned 27 on her last birthday. She decided to make a positive change in her life and cut off fifteen inches of her hair and donated it to the cancer society. She says it feels amazing to be able to give back and she hopes that she inspires others to do so as well.

Cheryl Sheppard visited our nation's capital for some continuing education. While there, she attended the Canadian Tire Centre to watch the Ottawa Senators trounce the Montreal Canadiens 5-1 in some pre-season NHL game

action.

Belated happy birthday wishes go out to Naida Prescott who celebrated on September 23 and Crystal Lentir (nee McFarlane) who celebrated on September 25.

The results for the September 26 Monthly Euchre Tournament are as follows: First place went to Linda and Danielle with 75 points; second place was Cal and Lilly with 74 points; third place was a tie between Bill and Betty Jean and Blaine and Pat with 73 points each. The low score of the night went to George and Gayle. Next month's euchre tournament will be held a week early due to Halloween falling on the last Tuesday of the month. The tournament will be held October 24.

Terry Bryan is visiting from Saskatchewan for the first time in eighteen years. His family is sure happy to have him home. Crystal and Ben Lentir took this opportunity to host an early potluck Thanksgiving dinner on September 30 for the Bryan side of their family. They had a total of 32 guests and even had their cousin David visiting from California. They enjoyed a delicious dinner, karaoke and campfire.

Visitors from England, Tim McFarlane, Maciek Zielinski, Yvonne and Marcus Franceschin, and Lorraine and Stephen Lewis continue to enjoy themselves in our part of the world.

The annual Cattleman's Dinner was held again on September 30 at the Providence Bay Community Centre and was very well attended.

The Providence Bay Park has closed down for another season. We hate to see all of our seasonal residents go, but we look forward to their return next year.

Don't forget about the monthly breakfast at the Curling Club held the first Thursday of each month. This month's date is October 5.

The Providence Bay Community Centre Board is seeking new members and or volunteers for the upcoming Annual Fowl Supper. The committee will be holding regular meetings on Wednesday,

October 4 and again on Wednesday, November 1. Both meetings will take place at 7:30 pm in the Providence Bay Hall and all are welcome to attend. If you require further information, please contact Sarah at the municipal office at 705-377-5726.

If you have something that you would like to contribute to the Providence Bay News and Notes, please let us know. We know the amazing people and things that happen in our community but let's allow everyone to know. If there is an upcoming birthday, anniversary, fundraiser or celebration, please let us know. You can email Cheryl at prov\_chick@hotmail.com or call her at 705-862-1613. Submissions must be received by each Sunday at 3:00 pm for submission in the following Wednesday publication of the paper. We look forward to hearing from you.

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**For more information, please contact:** Shanna Hare  
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~ Joyce Arcand, Confederacy of Treaty 6



## ...Kids in the Hall

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ing from Prince Harry was also an exceptional experience."

Clearly there is a lot of motivation for the Mustangs happening at WE Day, but closer to home, many Grade 12 students from MSS attended the University Walkabout in Espanola on October 2. This was an opportunity for students going to University next year to meet representatives from each of Ontario's 21 universities and learn more about each school as they begin making decisions about their post-secondary education. The Manitoulin Mustangs Boys' Volleyball team is hosting the first volleyball tournament of the season on October 4 and the team is motivated to make it to OFSAA again. The Manitoulin Secondary School production of The Sound of Music will be having auditions from October 16-18. There will also be open auditions on October 21 for elementary students. Techies, musicians, make-up, hair, costume designers, and actors can all be involved. This is a great opportunity for those who aspire to theatre.

There were many inspirational and life changing events that Mustangs got to participate in. "Til next time, stay golden, Mustangs"

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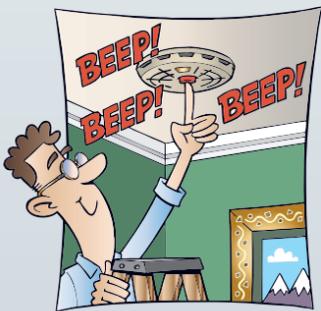
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