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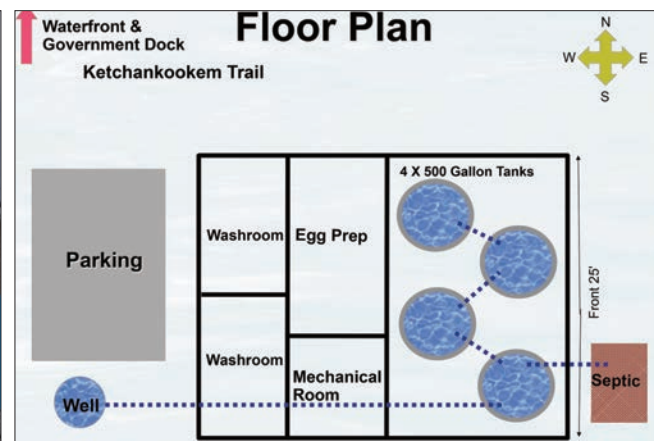
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United Fish, Game Clubs propose Mindemoya Lake hatchery



VISION FOR THE FUTURE—Before and after images of the new Mindemoya Hatchery and Learning Centre proposed by the United Fish and Game Clubs of Manitoulin presented at a January 28 public information meeting held in the Central Manitoulin council chambers in Mindemoya give a visual sense of how the building across from the Government Docks in Mindemoya would change, while a floor plan gives a sense of how the facility would be laid out inside. These images, courtesy of the presentors of the plan, were part of a PowerPoint presentation by game club volunteers that laid out in detail how the project would impact the community and the science outlining the pressing need for the hatchery presented by a Lake Mindemoya pickerel population under seige by invasive species and the effects of global warming.

Focus will be on walleye, if successful, Chinook salmon, rainbow trout may follow



RAPT AUDIENCE—Central Manitoulin councillors and members of the United Fish and Game Clubs of Manitoulin were united in support of the proposed hatchery at the Mindemoya Lake pavilion site.

photo by Michael Erskine

Arson suspect's prelim trial date set

by Robin Burridge

GORE BAY—A preliminary hearing has been scheduled for Monday, June 15 to Thursday, June 18 for the criminal court case against Clinton Gordon Haggart of Little Current, aged 31, who has been charged with seven counts of arson in five suspicious fires that occurred in Little Current last summer.

The charges against Mr. Haggart are: intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to personal property owned by Clinton Haggart, 25 Wilson Street East, Northeast Town, Ontario Aboriginal Housing Services, under Section 434.1 of the Criminal Code on June 13, 2014, and intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to a dwelling house, property of Ontario Aboriginal Services, 25 Wilson Street East (the home of the Haggart family); intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to a dwelling

owned by Ontario Aboriginal Housing Services, 35 Blake Street West (the home of Mr. Haggart's mother-in-law, Margaret Bowerman); intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to a garage, property of Lorne Alston, on July 23 at 15 Blake Street West; intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to a shed, property of Jamie Still, on August 5, 26 Blake Street West; intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to a dwelling/recreation centre, property of Michael Maciuk, on August 17, 21 Campbell Street West (the Island Training Centre); and intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire to a storage facility, property of Floyd James Renton, on August 17, 23 Campbell Street West (the former Little Current curling rink).

Mr. Haggart will remain in custody in Sudbury until his June preliminary hearing.

by Michael Erskine

MINDEMOYA—Lake Mindemoya was once legendary for its productive pickerel (walleye) sports fishery, but recent inventory studies are painting a dismal portrait for the lake's bronze flanked fisherman's treasures unless proactive action is soon undertaken.

The United Fish and Game Clubs of Manitoulin (UFGCM), a non-profit group of dedicated volunteers are proposing the creation of a lakeside fish hatchery in the underutilized gazebo at the Government Docks whose first mission would be to raise pickerel fingerlings to a size that could survive the recent environmental challenges that their research has indicated lie behind the local population's precipitous decline.

UFGCM members Al Holroyd and Paul Whelan delivered an indepth presentation on the proposed fish hatchery before a public meeting in the Central Manitoulin council chambers in Mindemoya. The UFGCM are hoping to garner broad public support, as well as the support of council, before they approach the Ministry of Natural Resources with the project.

"Without the support of the MNR (Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry) we are dead in the water," said UFGCM President Jim Sloss following the meeting. A sentiment repeated liberally throughout the group's presentation at the public meeting.

Mr. Sloss explained that the MNRF's blessing would be required to access the pickerel eggs that would be raised in the proposed hatchery.

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Crystal Shawanda's new blues album nominated for Juno prize

by Robin Burridge

HAMILTON—Wikwemikong's Crystal Shawanda has been nominated for Aboriginal Album of the Year, sponsored by Aboriginal Peoples Television Network, at this year's JUNO Awards on Sunday, March 15 in Hamilton for her new blues album 'The Whole World's Got The Blues.'

"OMG!!!!!! I just found out I was nominated for a JUNO!" Ms. Shawanda posted on her Facebook page on January 27. "So honoured to be in such awesome company with @diggingroots

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Crystal Shawanda graces the cover of her album, 'The Whole World's Got The Blues.'



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Erma McAllister celebrating her 90th birthday seven years ago with friends and family.

Erma McAllister, Spring Bay RR author, passes away at 97

by Alicia McCutcheon

SPRING BAY RR—The voice of Spring Bay Rural Route was silenced over the weekend with the passing of long-time Expositor columnist Erma McAllister, age 97, who had penned the social column for this newspaper for 40 years.

“It was about 40 years ago that I remember receiving a call from Erma McAllister who introduced herself and said the rural area, especially the Grimesthorpe area where she lived, was not being covered in the rural Spring Bay news at that time and she offered to fill in this gap in a column that would be called from then on ‘Spring Bay Rural Route,’” recalled Expositor publisher Rick McCutcheon. “Erma was reliable and always had her news in on time, and if something didn’t make it in the paper on time, it was always our fault.”

“I was glad to count her as a friend and was always pleased to see her,” Mr. McCutcheon continued. “It was certainly an honour that she deserved when she was named Central Manitoulin Senior of the Year a few years ago.”

“We will miss her very much in the paper, as the community will miss her,” he added. “Her commentary on the ordinary things her neighbours did (who visited whom, who was well, who was not, upcoming community events and reports on curling) are certainly a link with the past and the days when The Expositor would be filled with several

pages of rural correspondents’ writings.”

“She really enjoyed it,” daughter Rosemarie Eagleson said of her mother’s column, “I think because everyone told her how much they enjoyed reading it.”

Ms. Eagleson said her mother contemplated giving up the column on a couple of occasions, but her fans urged her to keep going, and so she did. Ms. Eagleson noted how important it was to have everything right in her column, and if anything was translated incorrectly by an Expositor typesetter, it was duly noted in the following week’s news.

Over the past year, after numerous late columns due to tardy mail service and with failing eyesight, Erma began to call in her news on Monday, dictating it over the phone and spelling out each and every name.

The Campbell Horticulture Society, seniors’ club, church and Spring Bay Rural Route were the most important activities in the nonagenarian’s life in later years, Ms. Eagleson said.

Erma thoroughly enjoyed writing and, at age 90, wrote a book on the local history of Campbell Township, the area her ancestors pioneered.

“She enjoyed doing it (writing social news) and that’s what kept her sharp,” Erma’s son David McAllister told this newspaper. “She was a remarkable lady.”

Gore Bay man diagnosed with cancer receives positive news

Little family thanks Island community for support

by Robin Burrridge

GORE BAY—Lucas Little and his family are not only grateful to the Island community for their support since Mr. Little was diagnosed with cancer last year, but are also happy to learn that Mr. Little’s treatments have been successful and his tumor has begun to shrink.

“Things are going really well,” Mr. Little told The Expositor on Monday. “My treatments are still ongoing, but I am responding to them well. I just received some positive results on my last CT scan that the tumor is shrinking. I have three more scheduled (chemotherapy) treatments, putting me at the end of March, and then my condition will be reevaluated.”

“I’m feeling really good also,” continued Mr. Little. “I don’t look like I’m sick anymore and my family is happy I’m getting bet-

ter. Everyone (in the family) has been busy with hockey. It’s been a good year so far.”

Last year Mr. Little was diagnosed with non-Hodgkins lymphoma (NHL), a type of cancer that starts in the lymphocytes (a type of cell of the lymphatic system). He had been getting sick, losing weight and was tired when he finally went to the doctor and was subsequently diagnosed.

Mr. Little and his wife Amanda have four children including 13-year-old Jayden, 10-year-old Caylee, eight-year-old Rylan and seven-year-old Landen.

Several fundraisers have been held for the family since Mr. Little was diagnosed last fall including a Manitoulin Panther alumni game and the Frosty Cup Sportsmen Tournament in Gore Bay.

“On behalf of our family, we would like to thank the many

people, businesses and supporters in our community and communities across the Island,” shared Mr. Little. “We are sincerely grateful for the generosity we have received. The support and well wishes help get us through the day-to-day challenges that our family faces. We have been fortunate to be the beneficiaries of the Manitoulin Panthers alumni game last fall and the Frosty Cup Sportsmen Tournament held this past December. A big thanks to the Gore Bay Rotary Club, tournament organizers, teams and volunteers of the tournament; these events helped our family greatly and we know it was a lot of hard work for all those involved. We would like to thank everyone for all they have done for our family.”

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Franklin Paibomsai

“I recognize that our beautiful community is a family with amazing abilities,” said incumbent Franklin Paibomsai. “Our community is very dynamic with a significant portion of our families living away from home. We have a young and growing population that is interested in making a contribution.”

Mr. Paibomsai went on to note that “We have our elders that are anxious to share their stories and history. Our community has a vibrant history that is not fully appreciated by our neighbours. As families we have celebrated many successes in our community with infrastructure, and many community events, like our school graduations, King’s Day feasts, powwows or Remembrance Day celebrations.”

But he pointed out that “We have also had to face the daunting social challenges that have tested our deepest values; issues like suicide and family breakdown. Like all strong communities, our choice has been ‘hope over despair,’ and in so doing we have strengthened our family ties. We are all part of our extraordinary community and we all need to be helping each other out for the betterment of all our families.”

Mr. Paibomsai noted that a key part of building that better future “lies in planning and, in our case, we have invested heavily in planning. We have a 20-year capital plan, education plan, health plan, comprehensive plan, economic development plan and a socio-economic plan.” That planning has been done in conjunction with the Whitefish River community, he said. “We now need to implement these wonderful plans for the betterment of all our families.”

Mr. Paibomsai made the commitment that “if re-elected, I pledge to continue working to invest in our community and keep moving forward.”

“We will collectively work towards lobbying governments



Franklin Paibomsai

to improve socio-economic conditions for our citizens,” he said. Pointing to the community’s need for daycare space, renovations to the library, church and outdoor rink. He noted that he recently had occasion to stop in to the new Sudbury Public Library facility at that city’s south end and found it to be a bustling and vibrant hub. “There were a lot of people there, elders and youth, and they were reading books, accessing the Internet and engaging in community activities,” he said.

Mr. Paibomsai’s shortlist of goals, should his community see fit to return him to office, as “finalizing our land claim files from 1850, including Highway 6, as well is the unsold surrendered lands from 1865; empowering our citizens through education, training and employment; implementation of our child welfare model through Kina Gbezhgomi; investing in our spiritual and community wellness; and the implementation of our community Matrimonial Real Property Law.”

Chief Shining Turtle cited a quotation from author Jean Vanier’s ‘Community And Growth.’ “Many people are good at talking about what they are doing, but in fact do little. Others do a lot but don’t talk about it; they are the ones who make a community live.”

Municipal association accepts UCCMM offer to discuss land claim details

by Michael Erskine

MINDEMOYA—The Manitoulin Municipal Association (MMA) has voted to accept an offer made by the United Chiefs and Councils of Mnidoo Mniissing (UCCMM) to brief Island municipalities on the details of land claim negotiations between the UCCMM and the province.

“We received a response from the province today regarding the proposed meeting,” said MMA Chair Ken Noland. “They have indicated that they have no concerns.” In fact, the province encouraged the MMA to meet with the UCCMM to discuss items of mutual concern, he said.

Assignack Reeve Paul Moffat inquired if a motion was required to invite the UCCMM to discuss that organization’s land claim issues.

“We were going to deal with it in January,” noted Northeast Town Mayor Al MacNevin, who suggested that meeting together as a group was far better than having several individual meetings. Mayor MacNevin noted that the recent court decision on land claims that took place in British Columbia “is a bit confusing. I

would like to know what the UCCMM think that decision on the duty to consult entails.”

Mayor MacNevin went on to say that the Association of Municipalities of Ontario (AMO) had recently sent a discussion paper outlining their interpretation. “But I think there may be different concepts of what forms that consultation entails,” he added.

The mayor explained that he believed the duty to consult may take different forms and processes depending on the level of importance the considered action might be. “There may be a different level if it is a proposed sidewalk than if the proposed development is a subdivision on the waterfront or where mineral rights might be in play,” he suggested. “They may not be quite as onerous as I had originally thought when I first heard about it at a workshop. If it is what I heard in the workshop, I think I would be comfortable with it. I look forward to hearing what they think.”

The motion to invite the UCCMM to the next meeting of the MMA was passed without opposition.

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editorial

Limits on liberties should contain sunset provision

In 1985, Air India ‘Flight 182’ bound for India out of Vancouver International exploded over the North Atlantic close to Cork, Ireland. All aboard, 329 passengers and crew, perished through an act of terrorism committed by individuals in Canada who were known to police authorities but whose activities had not been stopped. (The terrorists’ mission had been to focus international attention on the demands by Sikh extremists that the Indian state of Punjab should be a Sikh homeland with its own national identity.)

More recently, in late October, two young men, acting independently but both certainly influenced by the terrorist methods of the radical Al-Qaeda organization and its counterpart ISIS (whose goal it is to create an Islamic state across borders in the Middle East) murdered two military servicemen during the same week: the first in Quebec, the second in Ottawa where the young man stood guard duty at the National War Memorial. This second incident had the added drama of the gunman successfully storming and entering the nearby parliament buildings, doubtless planning more mayhem, before he was brought down and fatally shot by security personnel, notably Sergeant at Arms Kevin Vickers.

These two misguided individuals were also known to police and security services but neither was deemed a terrorist. One of them, Michael Zehaf-Bibeau, the Ottawa gunman, had attempted to travel to Syria and his application for a Canadian passport had been delayed because he had a long criminal record and national security investigators were conducting a background check.

The perpetrators of the Air India bombing, Canada’s largest terrorist act, 30 years ago slipped between the cracks even as they planned the deed and a lack of communication, even mistrust, among Canada’s various security services has long been held accountable for this oversight whose consequences were devastating to so many families.

In the most recent cases, the two killers were not deemed to be radicalized to the extent that they presented a threat to public safety. Michael Zehaf-Bilbeau was thought to be mentally ill.

The Harper government’s proposed new bill, announced last week to beef up the Anti-Terrorism Act, will likely change all that. The fact that the Ottawa murderer had been applying for a passport to travel to Syria, coupled with his unstable mental health history, is an example of a situation where the Canadian Security and Intelligence Service (CSIS) could now pick him up and question him, without an arrest having to be made, and on no particular grounds other than the circumstances just described.

In the bill under consideration, CSIS agents would be able to intervene when they believe a Canadian could be moving toward radical ideologies. Agents could meet with the individual in question to advise him/her they know what his/her plans are and to advise him/her of the consequences of taking further action.

The bill will also lower the threshold for obtaining warrants to gather evidence and for police agencies to obtain recognizance orders or terrorism peace bonds for people they hold in suspicion.

It may well be that, had such measures been in place 30 years ago, the terrorist agents who eventually brought down Flight 182 could have been interrogated and would, at the very least, have then known that they were under surveillance.

Similarly, Michael Zehaf-Bilbeau’s double-threat of seeking leave to visit Syria and his unstable mental health history, when taken together, could be grounds for a warning from CSIS together with a process of interrogation.

At any rate, it is certainly events like these, particularly the murder of the soldiers last fall, that have encouraged the government to tell Canadians of its intention to come down hard on any threat of terror; even ones made in jest, according to Prime Minister Harper who, when questioned about the proposed legislation, noted that his government doesn’t plan on making exceptions.

Apart from everything else, this is certainly an issue tailor-made for this election year where the governing Conservatives can present themselves as the guardians against the jihadist threat to Canadians and dare any opposition party to disagree with them, at the risk of being branded soft on terrorism.

It’s an adroit political move and it does draw attention away from

the fact that the national budget may not be able to be balanced this year, as promised, because of the decline in revenue at every level from petroleum products whose value is being diminished by internecine Middle Eastern tensions over which Canada has no control.

But domestic political issues aside, when we add the proposed measures that would enable CSIS and other security services to act more swiftly and with less due process, some would-be domestic jihadists may be encouraged to take a second look at what they are thinking, let alone planning.

In our editorial commentary in this space the week following the tragic murders last fall, the paper suggested that this was not the time to panic, that we need not be afraid of militant Muslims around every corner.

We still believe this is very much the case: the two unbalanced individuals who did those terrible deeds in late October were each of them sole actors. They were influenced by actions on the world stage, certainly, but other than that they were not part of any organized jihadist cell in Canada.

Parts of the revamping of the 2001 Anti-Terrorism Bill will likely be useful but not if they are used in a “reds under the bed” way (to reference a Cold War cliché when precisely this sort of paranoia was encouraged in both the USSR and in the West).

In October of 1970, following the Fédération de Libération de Québec (FLQ) terrorists’ kidnapping of Pierre Laporte, Quebec’s Minister of Labour and of British diplomat James Cross, the Trudeau Liberal majority government in Ottawa quickly passed the War Measures Act, supported by the opposition Progressive Conservatives but vigorously opposed by the third-party NDP.

To some extent, some of the proposed measures of Mr. Harper’s reinforced Anti-Terrorism Act echo the impositions of the War Measures Act 45 years ago. Mr. Trudeau wanted to ramp up fear and loathing of the Quebec terrorists (who, a week after the War Measures Act came in to force, did indeed murder one of their captives, Pierre Laporte) across the country and this was a useful way of accomplishing this end.

Mr. Trudeau, like Mr. Harper today, wanted Canadians to understand that the government he headed would take any and all measures against terrorism. In fact, Mr. Trudeau’s famous “just watch me!” quote in response to a reporter’s question about the extent to which his government would go in eliminating the terrorist threat lives on as one of his defining moments.

Perhaps Mr. Harper seeks a similar legacy. But not then, as not now, do we as Canadians need to be encouraged to always fear our neighbours.

Certain aspects of the Anti-Terrorist Bill’s upgrades will be useful to CSIS and the Mounties in dealing with real threats before the fact. As noted, there may not have been an Air India Flight 182 tragedy had the authorities acted on what they suspected all those years ago.

But major security changes, that have the potential of impacting people who are not guilty of anything at all, must be subject to independent review at regular intervals.

Certainly, Canadians’ civil liberties must take a back seat to issues of true national security from time to time. In the case of the War Measures Act, that suspended historic rights such as the presumption of innocence and also legalized long-term arrest without charges having to be laid, its most rigorous terms were only used by authorities for the few weeks following the FLQ crisis. It was, however, disturbingly not recalled by parliament until many years after the crisis had passed, arrests had been made and the primary perpetrators removed to Cuba following their trials.

Will there be an international jihadist threat for some time to come?

Unfortunately, the assumption must be made that there will be. But this treat will not last forever and so neither should the proposed new provisions of the Anti-Terrorist Act that draw away from the liberties Canadians take for granted.

The new provisions, and the Act as well, must be subject to periodic review and this must be written into the revised Act.

letter

Blastomycosis has been an issue for many years

Writer recalls father’s diagnosis in 1931

To the Expositor:
The headline ‘Blastomycosis’ in your paper on January 21 caught my attention because my father, A.J. Wagg of Mindemoya, was diagnosed with the illness in December 1931.

He was not feeling well so he went to the Lockwood Clinic in Toronto. He sent word back to my mother that he had been diagnosed as having tuberculosis and would have to be in bed for weeks or months, whatever the treatment was at that time. He said he would not be home for a few more days because he had an appointment with a dentist; he wanted him to look at his mouth.

At this appointment, looking at his mouth, the dentist said he was suspicious my dad had blastomycosis, not T.B. A test confirmed that he was correct. This young dentist received notoriety for his diagnosis.

My dad was sent to Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota for treatment. My granddaughter, a pharmacist, on hearing this account asked

what treatment he received to make him better? Being a kid at that time, I do not remember the treatment. But one thing I could tell her that I remember was that he wrote to us that his dessert for Christmas dinner was ice cream in the shape of Santa Claus. Very fitting!

The theory was that my dad had this illness because of his habit of walking in a field and plucking a stalk of grass and chewing the sweet end.

He died Christmas day 1960, so he lived many years after his illness. I do have a bit of information regarding his treatment and have given it to Dr. Stadnyk in Mindemoya that it might help with this serious illness.

Sincerely,

Madeline Becks
Mindemoya

Following Hope’s Path, Part XVI

Living life to the fullest after the battle

EDITOR’S NOTE—This is the sixteenth story in an ongoing series that followed Kagawong’s Mary Buie and her brave battle with breast cancer and now her life after cancer. The series chronicled Ms. Buie’s journey as she navigated through doctors’ appointments, surgery, chemotherapy and recovery as well as exploring the various groups and resources that exist on Manitoulin for women fighting the disease. In 2013, Ms. Buie learned that she was officially cancer free and began to regain her health and energy after recovering from a modified radical mastectomy and undergoing chemotherapy treatment. She now is back to living life

to the fullest and sharing her cancer journey with other Island women battling the disease. No stranger to uphill battles, Ms. Buie, an English-trained nurse, pushed emphatically for Ontario to recognize midwifery as a medical discipline and then returned to university to re-qualify as a midwife before founding Manitoulin Midwifery.
by Robin Burrridge
KAGAWONG—The Expositor checked in on Mary Buie earlier this week to see how the woman, who has become a beacon of hope for so many after sharing her battle with breast cancer, was doing now back to her busy life after cancer.

“I am fantastic,” shared Ms. Buie. “I am fit, I am well, I am healthy and I am loving life. I am really enjoying spending time with family and grandchildren.”
In addition to being back to work at the M’Chigeeng Health Centre and a community health nurse, Ms. Buie is enjoying singing, Zumba and tai chi.
“I still need to lie down and rest every once and a while, but I’m feeling great,” she said. “I am very excited because I have planned at trip to England this April to catch up with friends and family.”
Among the friends she will be visiting are her nursing and fellow

midwives she trained with who she hasn’t seen in 30 years.
“We will be celebrating a reunion and my belated 70th birthday (November 2014), said Ms. Buie. “I will also be seeing school friends that I have known since I was five-years-old. April is a beautiful time to go—it will be spring and all the flowers will be coming up. I am really looking forward to it.”
Ms. Buie has also been helping with the Manitoulin Circle of Hope cancer support group for women.
“We have been holding regular groups and they have been going

well,” she said. “There has really been a revival of the group and a lot of new people are coming out. We hold a meeting one month in Mindemoya and the next month in Kagawong. Our next meeting is this Sunday, February 22 from 1 to 3 pm at the Anglican church in Kagawong.”
“My cancer journey fades into the background, but I am always living with cancer,” concluded Ms. Buie. “I enjoy sharing my experience and helping others.”
For more information about the Circle of Hope or upcoming meetings see The Expositor classified or call Ms. Buie at 705-282-2587.

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Michael’s Bay guardians set record straight on property’s status

“We just have to get the (federal) Crown to honour Ontario’s laws”

To the Expositor:
A Michael’s Bay town site and cemeteries report.
On October 22, 2014, Doug Tracy received this email from Public Works SPMD (Seized Property Management Directive): “Mr. Tracy: We understand and appreciate your interest for the alleged aboriginal burial sites on the restrained property located in Manitoulin. Please be informed that

the property is still under a Restraint and Management Order. No offer to purchase has been approved by the SPMD pursuant to the terms of the Restraint and management Order dated 27 September 2005 by the Superior Court of Justice in London, Ontario. I hope this clarifies the issue. Best regards, Danielle Pilon, Federal Public Works Case Officer in charge of Michael’s Bay properties.”

The cemeteries are protected by the Ontario Cemeteries Act, (FBCS) we just have to have the Crown honour Ontario laws.
Friends of the Ghost Town of Michael’s Bay,
Doug Tracy, 705-368-0847
Bill Wilson, 705-282-0409
Fred Hunter, 705-859-3761

Harper has one strategy and that is oil

No one in Canada should have to eat at the dump

To the Expositor:
Harper has one strategy and that is oil. He is bigoted towards the Natives. One of his ministers doesn’t have a problem with people eating from the dump. No one in Canada should have to eat at the dump. Harper is leaving the Natives with insufficient funds to live on and the program they’ve instituted to make it cheaper to purchase food is

being used by the grocery chains themselves and not passing on the savings.
We are the people who reported Native human remains when building our square log home in Providence Bay. Eric Corbiere (may he rest in peace) was on the site when the remains were found. The visit by Chief Joe Hare, his wife and son at our home was both humorous and pro-

found. I shed tears. Harper’s one strategy has sent this country into economic ruin. It is time to elect someone who cares about the Natives and this country.
Ross A. Downham
Providence Bay

A response to Croplife Canada’s open letter from a member of the vocal minority

“A Big Mac without pollinators would be no more than the bun and lettuce”

To the Expositor:
Re. letter to the editor, January 7, 2015, from Mr. Petelle of CropLife Canada. I want to respond to his letter, on behalf of “the vocal minority,” as Mr. Petelle puts it. In response to the worldwide decline in pollinator health (both honey bees and native pollinators) Purdue University has concluded a two-year study on the effects of insecti-

cide seed treatment on honeybees and other pollinators (“Multiple Routes of Pesticide Exposure for Honey Bees Living Near Agricultural Fields” which anyone can Google, and the complete report found online—there’s the science, Mr. Pettelle). Insecticides have been found present at low levels in soil, up to two years after treated seed was planted, as well as on nearby dandelion

flowers and in corn pollen which the bees gather. Thus, the insecticide finds its way into honey and beeswax. Studies will continue on the sublethal effects of neonicotinoids, since bees that do not die from the insecticide may suffer other effects, such as loss of homing ability or reduced resistance to disease or mites. Final note: at least a third of our food depends upon pollination.

A Big Mac, without pollinators doing their job, would be no more than the bun and the lettuce.
Jane Harding
Reston, Virginia
and a longtime seasonal visitor to Manitoulin (60+ years) and member of the Lake Manitou Area Association

Wind turbine working group challenges Minister of Energy

Make a sober reevaluation of the damage caused by current energy policy

EDITOR’S NOTE: The following is an open letter to Minister of Energy Bob Chiarelli from the Multi-municipal Wind Turbine Working Group
Minister Chiarelli:
Ontario electricity ratepayers continue to watch with alarmed disbelief as their hydro bills skyrocket.
The media repeatedly show examples of adverse impacts to our manufacturing industry, commercial enterprise, agricultural viability, and of families forced to choose between paying utility bills and buying groceries. As an organization representing a dozen municipalities, we are very disturbed at the rapidly increasing cost of electricity.
Much of this increase must be attributed to the introduction of renewables—particularly wind energy. A policy to rapidly install wind turbines as a major part of the Ontario electrical scene was rushed through without adequate analysis or examination, justified by an ideology rather than a comprehensive business case. The government over-generously contracted to pay renewable energy producers significantly higher rates than the market price. Our electricity has now become the most expensive in North America, seriously threatening our prosperity. Ontario’s Auditor General has pointed out that we pay twice for wind energy. Its intermittency and unpredictability prevent it from being a dependable base load source of power. Since it is

mainly produced at times and seasons of low demand and is frequently unavailable during peak consumption it is a mismatch for Ontario’s energy needs. The variability of wind makes it necessary to maintain an alternate source of generation available for when wind drops, especially during the increasing morning demand. When the oversupply of wind energy is not needed at night, other baseload generators such as hydro and nuclear have to be curtailed, but maintained available to return to service when wind generation falls. The requirement to build and supply gas generators which can be run up when wind output falls has already added significantly to consumer bills. These costs will increase as more already contracted wind turbines become operational.
How wasteful is wind energy?
When variable wind is added to other steady base load generators, it can result in unutilized base load generation on many nights. The system operators must either curtail generation, or sell excess generation at prices below the cost of production, or both. Should Ontario electricity consumers be subsidizing New York and Michigan?
Because the ideology-based policy gives preference to wind, the wind power is only partly curtailed. What is happening far too often now is that cheaper, non-CO2 producing nuclear and hydraulic base load generators are being cur-

tailed: nuclear units are dumping steam and hydraulic generating stations spilling water. Curtailment costs are substantial and they are increasing each year.
Now IESO has issued a RFP to add another 300 MW of wind power. Why was no action taken when the Auditor General’s 2011 report specifically warned of all these mismanagement issues? Ontario needs an economically viable energy policy, not one based on unrealistic ideology.
We are calling on the Government of Ontario and the IESO to make a sober re-evaluation of the damage current energy policy is doing to our economy. We believe spiralling electricity costs urgently need to be halted. We are requesting full objective third-party cost-benefit analysis before there is any further procurement of wind or solar capacity. We stress that it is incumbent on the IESO and the Government of Ontario to ensure that electricity procurement contracts are awarded to the lowest cost provider capable of aligning real time generation with the requirements of the Ontario grid. We would appreciate your expedient response to this letter.
Yours truly,
Mark Davis, deputy mayor,
Municipality of Arran-Elderslie
Chair, Multi-municipal Wind Turbine Working Group

Candidate for chief sets record straight on electoral record

Natural resource management is part and parcel of the treaty relationship

To the Expositor:
Re: WRFN Votes/Julian Nowgabow
First, I must say thanks for the interview (January 28, page 6). But there was an obvious misunderstanding as I have never served on WRFN’s Band Council; I am, however, also nominated for this position in our upcoming election.
I would also like to note an omission in

regards to my comments on ‘Natural Resource Management,’ namely the topic of ‘Treaties’ and our ‘Treaty Relationship.’ Treaties are bilateral commitments with reciprocal rights and responsibilities—natural resource management is part and parcel of the ‘Treaty Relationship’ we have with the ‘British Crown’ and their agents, the Canadian Government.

Further to the aforesaid, I would say the need for our inclusion in ‘Natural Resource Management’ stems from our ongoing reciprocal relationship with the earth, and predates any treaty. Currently, the province assumes the responsibility of natural resource management on our behalf, but this is the residual effect of the anachronistic paternal mindset of a colonial govern-

ment that has imposed their will upon the Anishinaabek. This is our homeland...the transfer of ‘Police Services’ and ‘Child and Family Services’ will eventually include ‘Natural Resource Management’...this is the future.
Miigwech,
Julian Nowgabow
Whitefish River First Nation

United Fish and Games Club chair says cormorant population could be on the rise again

MNRF states population is stable, but hasn't done survey since 2009

by Robin Burrridge

MANITOULIN—The Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry (MNR) has stated that the cormorant population has declined on Lake Huron and stabilized, however United Fish and Games Club of Manitoulin (UFGCM) chair Jim Sloss believes the bird with a voracious appetite may be back on the rise.

"A cormorant survey on Lake Huron indicated the cormorant population declined by almost 40 percent following the population peak around the year 2000," responded MNR Sr. Media Relations Officer Jolanta Kowalski to inquiries from The Expositor. "The population remained stable at lower numbers from 2004 to 2009 when the most recent survey was completed."

Mr. Sloss said that the population did stabilize for a period of time, but that it appears to be on the rise again.

"We are seeing a resurgence in Western Manitoulin," said Mr. Sloss. "We are concerned the population is on the increase right as the fisheries are coming back. There has definitely been an increase in numbers around Lake

Kagawong and along the North Shore."

"I would have thought that they (the MNR) would introduce a control program here, but it's probably not going to happen," he added.

Mr. Sloss said that when he and other Islanders started the UFGCM in 1998, a major focus was calling on the government to control the cormorant population on Manitoulin. The campaign Public Enemy Number One sought to inform Islanders of the increasing cormorant population and the problems it posed to the Island's fishery and subsequent sportfishing tourism.

"No one wanted to then, or now, eradicate the species, but we wanted to see a reduction in the numbers and we need to again," explained Mr. Sloss. "The species declined by itself, as often happens after a large peak, but if nothing is done the numbers will rebound, as they have already started to do and we won't have any way to control it."

Mr. Sloss said the UFGCM is working on a number of hatchery programs across the Island, hoping that stock-

ing the Island lakes will continue to improve the fisheries.

The MNR said it isn't concerned about the cormorant's impacts on fish and other species at this point and has no control programs planned for Manitoulin.

"While cormorants do consume fish and may damage vegetation where they nest in large numbers, that doesn't necessarily mean there are negative impacts that would warrant management action," said Ms. Kowalski. "Research on potential cormorant impacts has shown a range of results, and Ontario would require information on specific impacts to consider action under current policy. Much recent research shows cormorants in different areas of the Great Lakes are now consuming primarily the exotic round goby as this invasive fish has expanded throughout much of the Great Lakes."

"Ontario continues to manage cormorants at Prequ'ile Provincial Park to protect habitat values using non-lethal methods. MNR is not considering any other management programs at this time."

Manitoulin Centennial Manor board passes 2015 budget, municipalities to see a two percent increase

by Robin Burrridge

LITTLE CURRENT—The Manitoulin Centennial Manor board passed its 2015 budget at its meeting last week which included a two percent increase to municipal contributions totaling \$304,796.

The final approved budget had several changes introduced, many specifically to lower the bottom line.

Extendicare Regional Director Keith Clement explained to the board that although the 2014 final audited statement had not

yet been completed, the board was likely looking at a \$63,000 surplus, however the surplus was lower than they had anticipated due to going over-budget on agency staffing and overspending on food by \$35,000.

Mr. Clement assured the board that Extendicare and Manor staff had developed a plan of action to ensure that this did not happen again in 2015 through a change in the Manor's nursing schedule and internal controls regarding food.

"I'm concerned that last year the municipalities contributed more (a three percent increase) and it looks like it got eaten up," said board member Pat MacDonald. "It just bothers me—we gave more and we are further behind."

Manor administrator Michelle Bond explained that the board was still looking at a surplus for 2014, it was just \$10,000 more than they anticipated due to agency staffing costs and going over-budget in food.

Mr. Clement walked the board through the changes to the 2015 budget since the last board meeting starting

with the municipal contribution.

"One area you will notice is the request from the board to lower the municipal contributions from a three percent increase to two percent," said Mr. Clement.

Mr. Clement said that the new budget also reflected an increase to the RPN line item, explaining that this was part of an approach to change nursing schedules and would save the Manor money in the long run, not having to bring in agency staff as frequently.

He also said that they reduced the food budget by

\$5,000, feeling that the new proposed changes would bring the line item in on budget.

A large line item on the previous budget had been the purchase of two bath tubs for the facility. Mr. Clement said that they had been lucky in securing one of the tubs for \$2,000, used in excellent condition, and only budgeted \$10,000 for the second tub in the hopes of utilizing the remaining \$20,000 of the \$30,000 cost from the gala funds (Extendicare holds fundraising golf tournaments and events that their service providers, such as Shop-

per's Drug Mart and Medical Pharmacies Group, participate in and donate funds to then donate to all of Extendicare's homes including the Manor, at an annual gala to be used to enhance resident care).

"The bottom line of the new budget is a \$86,950 surplus, opposed to the initial budgeted \$99,000 surplus," Mr. Clement concluded.

A motion to approve the proposed 2015 Manitoulin Centennial Manor budget was moved by board member Paul Moffat and seconded by Pentti Palonen. The motion was carried by the board.



Law & Order

M'Chigeeng altercation results in charges

On January 31, in the early morning hours, individuals were attending a social gathering at a private residence when an argument broke out. The argument led to a physical altercation between three female individuals at the residence. The alleged victim was taken by ambulance for non-life threatening injuries to the Manitoulin Health Centre and was later released. Following investigation the UCCM Police have charged a 28-year-old female of Wikwemikong Unceded Indian Reserve with uttering threats (cause death or bodily harm), assault with a weapon and fail to comply with probation order. She was remanded into custody until Tuesday, February 3 where she appeared in Wikwemikong Bail Court.

A 25-year-old female of Wikwemikong Unceded Indian Reserve was also charged with assault and is scheduled to appear in Ontario Court in Gore Bay on February 26.

Impaired driver arrested in M'Chigeeng

During the early morning hours of January 31, UCCM Police were assisting Manitoulin OPP in the search for a vehicle suspected in a traffic complaint when a vehicle was discovered in the ditch just off the roadway on Highway 551. UCCM Police arrested the driver, a 30-year-old M'Chigeeng man, who faces an impaired driving charge of driving with over 80 mgs of alcohol and is scheduled to appear in Ontario Court in Gore Bay Court on February 26.

Police are asking the public to report incidents of impaired driving by calling UCCM Police at 1-888-377-7135 or 911.



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Manitoulin Minor Hockey Spotlight!

In the MMHA Spotlight this week are the super energetic bunch of pre-grade two-ers from Mindemoya. The team is relentless in the search of the super-magnetic puck and that is a good sign for the team as they move up through the divisions! The cutest Mindemoya Thunder squad is officially ranked in fifth position as of press time but is charging up the seven-team division. The team is known to practice without complaint in the coldest of sub-zero temperatures.

Although the team plays together as a unit but there are all kinds of individuals adding to their synergism and here are just a few. For a team that doesn't even have a goaltender you have to love the passion that **Scarlet Mohr** throws into the position. **Lucas Brown** constantly chases the puck. **Jack Bridgeman** is on the puck and **Mya Balfe** has tremendous speed and is super noticeable as she sports the only pink helmet on the team. Congratulations to the rest of the characters who are having a great season: **Thomas Redmond, Jonah Balfe, Kaci Lariviere, Kohan Campbell, Chase Taylor and Max King**. Team's staff includes **Steve Redmond, Chris King, Darren Brown, Erin Lariviere and Jon Balfe**. Keep up the fun times and hard work, team.

Mustang Minutes

The boys' volleyball team has a couple of key matches this week. The first, after press-time, saw the Black and Gold at home to challenge Lively yesterday at an unusual 3:30 game time! Lively will be desperate for a win as they are currently without a point since the regular season standings have seeded them into division one. Manitoulin, after the now much talked about home game when they beat Lockerby 6-2, is now in the enviable third spot. They could, however, (have) jump(ed) ahead of Confederation with a win over the Lively Hawks.

The deciding game before playoffs will be today (Wednesday) against the current Division leading St. Charles Cardinals. Either way, the Mustangs are poised for a powerful playoff run as they have picked up their defensive games to match their already recognized offensive selves. Go team go!!

The girls' squad is also busy this week as they try to move up their Division B standings. Their super young team has been seeing improvements as the season has progressed and is looking tough for the next few years. The team played Confederation yesterday on the road but can use some positive local voices when Sacre-Coeur laces up in the M'Chigeeng 'Thunder-dome' tomorrow, Thursday, February 5th for a 5 pm tilt.

The Manitoulin Mustang senior and junior girls' volleyball teams competed in the annual Nickel Classic Volleyball Tournament in several schools in Sudbury over this past weekend. The two squads as reported a couple of weeks ago are working on the basics of their games and are seeing some amazing skills improvements even if it is not currently translating into wins. Although each squad demonstrated much mojo they didn't win any matches. The coaches however, are feeling positive with what they are seeing in each game and are taking more points away from teams that they would not have earlier in the season.

Congratulations to the junior squad, featuring: **Brooke Addison, Maggie Eadie, Bethany Wesno, Lyric Peltier, Hailey Leblanc, Delaney Madore Savanna Webb, Lauren Rohn, Brianna Callaghan, Jackie Cooper, Jessica Marshall, Kayla Greenman, Nekoma Naokwegijig** and Coach **Mike Wesno**.

The senior team includes: **Mikayla Farquhar, Mackenzie Gallo, Robin Lentir, Camille Poitras, Maddie Corbiere, Carly Newlands, Alexa Gordon, Mikaila Kennedy, Honor Esquimaux, Ali Cosby, Nea Saunders, Kristina Renwick, Caleja Rivers-Peltier and Grace Dewar** and Coach **Erin Rose**.

Both teams were on the road this morning (Wednesday) to Blind River where they will play their final pre-season matches to see who qualifies for the upcoming North Shore Championship, NSSSAA showdown. Good luck teams!

Mustang girls are fifth in their division

Outcomes this week determine playoff future

by Robin Burrridge

MANITOULIN—The Manitoulin Mustang girls' hockey team is currently ranked fifth in the Sudbury District Secondary Schools' Athletic Association (SDSSAA) girls' hockey B division. The team will face off against Confederation and Sacre-Coeur this week, fighting for a place in next week's division playoffs.

"The team is getting geared up for our last week of games before the playoffs," Coach Mike Meeker told The Expositor on Monday. "We have to finish in the top six of our division in order to make it to playoffs, but we are fifth right now so things look good. This is what we have been working towards all year."

"The thing about this team is that they are really gutsy," continued Mr. Meeker. "All the girls are grinders in the positive sense. There are no super stars. The whole team plays hard, plays their best. Other teams in the league have two or three exceptional players, but our whole team plays hard."

Mr. Meeker said this year was all about "rebuilding" for the Mustang girls.

"Our team is made up mostly of Grade 9 girls, the youngest team in the league," said Mr. Meeker. "It has been a great year for me as a coach. They all have great commitment and have improved enormously. I know that going forward, they are going to be a real

force because they are just going to keep getting better and better and growing as a team. It has been a pretty fun year and I'm really happy about how much the girls have stuck together as a team."

"We are really working on scoring goals right now," he added. "We out shot, out played a lot of the teams this year, but often we can't score. We are also working on our defensive play in our end. This is an area a lot of teams are always working on, but the girls have been really coming along on this."

On Tuesday, February 3, the Mustangs were to face off against Confederation, the number one ranked team in the B division as of Monday, at the Ray Plourde Arena. Come out and cheer on the Mustangs at their last home game this Thursday, February 5 against Sacre-Coeur (third in the division) at the M'Chigeeng Arena at 5 pm.

"I think the girls are heading into these games on a high," said Mr. Meeker. "They are getting better and they know it. It doesn't matter who we play this week, the girls know it's about focussing on their own game and giving it their all."

Whatever happens this week, Mr. Meeker said this has been a phenomenal season for the Mustang girls' hockey team and one of the best years for him as a coach.

MSS an 'affiliate member' of Athletic Association

by Alicia McCutcheon

MANITOULIN—Following last week's front page article on sanctions applied by the Sudbury District Secondary School Athletic Association (SDSSAA) to the Manitoulin Secondary School (MSS) Mustangs following the recent ruling on the January 16 game versus the Lockerby Vikings, some questions have been raised as to Manitoulin's role, if any, on the SDSSAA board.

The Expositor again spoke with Bruce Bourget, SDSSAA board chair, asking for clarification on the association and its membership. Mr. Bourget explained that SDSSAA is comprised of several school boards, including the Rainbow District School Board, of which MSS is a part. The executive is made up of staff, volunteers or coaches of member schools of SDSSAA and these positions change on a rotating basis.

When there are issues that necessitate a Board of Reference call (such as the January 16 game in Little Current when Lockerby Composite School registered a complaint), members are drawn from all of the member school boards to create a balance, Mr. Bourget explained. Schools involved in the incident or issue do not have representation on the Board of

Reference.

"This group (SDSSAA) operates independently, similar to the North Shore Secondary Schools' Athletics Association (NSSSAA), which MSS belongs to," he explained. "All of these associations are part of a bigger group, Northern Ontario Secondary School Athletics (NOSSA), which is then a part of the Ontario Federation of School Athletic Associations (OFSAA). We all work under OFSAA guidelines."

If a regional sports association does not have a sport, as NSSSAA does not offer boys' or girls' hockey, schools in the region can apply to become an affiliate member of SDSSAA, Mr. Bourget added.

A number of years ago, MSS presented a pitch to SDSSAA, requesting that the Mustangs play against the Sudbury teams, and they were granted permission.

On the SDSSAA website, MSS does not appear on the membership list because it is an affiliate school for hockey, as is Espanola High School.

Affiliate members only have voting rights at pre and post-season meetings and only for the particular sport that drew them into the larger pool of schools.

Sherry Forest rink takes the trophy

The winners of the Joanne Lanktree Memorial Trophy at the Mindemoya Women's Bonspiel last weekend was the Sherry Forest rink which included Sherry Forest (Ms. Lanktree's daughter), Heather Hall, Nancy Head and Jill Patterson. This was the Sherry Forest rink's second year in a row winning. The winner of the second event, in memory of Anne Smith, was the Susan Whynott rink.

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Sportsman A

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Sportsman B

The Espanola Eskimos were named the 2015 Winterfest Sportsman B champions on Sunday beating AOK. They are, back row, from left, Joel Villeneuve, Thomas Fallat, Ryan Piche, Keith Kennedy, Darren Nicholson, Scott Smith, Drew MacMillan, Justin Nicholson, front row, Tyler Rydall, Riley Polden, Bryan Mailloux and Josh Weist.

photos by
Alicia McCutcheon

Women

Defending Winterfest champs the Lady Snipers beat out the Manitoulin Sharpshooters to take the title once again. They are, back row, from left, Danielle Shawana, Shelly Trudeau, Ruby Trudeau-Simon, Winona Omnika, Samantha Corbiere, Melania Abotossaway, Mary Mishibinijima, Manager Sherry Peltier, front, Amber Lewis, Kendra Madahbee, Jessica Assinewai, Erin Morrison, Seneca Manitowabi, Ali Young and goalie Treena Debassige. Missing from picture is assistant manager KC Madahbee.



Oldtimers

Winterfest Oldtimers champions, the Wiky T-Birds, beat out the Anishinabek Nation Braves in the final. They are, back row, from left, Mike Assinewai, Mike Abitong, Steven Odjig, Mike Fisher, Stephen Peltier, Gerrard Peltier, Urban Peltier, Markus Trudeau Sr, Mike Jon Peltier, Mark Eshkawkogan, front row, Morris Abitong, Bruce Recollet, Albert Cooper, Louie Pheasant and Gordie Odjig.



Amorous grouse

During last week's snow this male ruffed grouse was trolling for love outside a Bay Estates bird feeder, where three females had parked themselves for a snack. Notice his fluffed up look as he tries to vie for their affection.

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Player Profile

By Kieran Cooper

Public Relations, M.S.S. Athletic Association



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A Winning Team!

This week's player profile is a well known grade 12 Little Current athlete, Mikaila Kennedy. Mikaila has participated in numerous sports along the years in and out of school. Starting at LCPS she participated in numerous sports including volleyball, soccer, cross country, track and field and basketball. She continued most of these sports at the high school level

Mikaila's main sport at M.S.S. are cross country and track and field. Mikaila has qualified for NOSSA every year in cross country and OFSSA for track and field in grade nine for the 4x100. She also competes in high jump qualifying for NOSSA and placing in top positions every year. This year for the first time Mikaila was also part of the senior girls' volleyball team. Later this year Mikaila plans to do track and field again doing both running and jumping events.

Outside of school Mikaila takes part in her favourite sport, figuring skating. It's her favourite sport just mainly because of how fun it is to do, never a dull moment on the ice. She has been doing figure skating for 15 years now so pretty much her whole life. Across these 15 years Mikaila has racked up quite a few awards and wins. Her favourite thing about all sports is just the team aspect of them all; even in the individual sports you still have a team backing you up. In school Mikaila's favourite subject is gym and her favourite thing about school is just being with friends and learning new things. After school Mikaila wants to go to college and become an early childhood educator. Well good luck in all your future academic and athletic pursuits, Mikaila!

Killarney Mountain Lodge sale closed

by Michael Erskine
KILLARNEY—The end of an era, anticipated since news first broke last spring that Killarney Mountain Lodge was on the market, has finally arrived with news of the closing of the sale.

Originally built in the late 1950s as a wilderness corporate resort by a large American corporation, the Freuhof Trailer Company of Detroit (nearby Ruth Roy Lake is named for the original owners Ruth and Roy Feuhof), Killarney Mountain Lodge boasts a fascinating history that until recently was overseen by Northern Ontario tourism icons, Maury and Annabelle East. Mr. East has been a familiar figure in tourism marketing circles for decades, having been involved in both Rainbow Country Travel Association and its precursors.

The Easts bought the Lodge in 1962 and opened the facility to the public later that spring, when the road into Killarney was opened. For over half a century the couple have operated the lodge, playing host to both high profile American and Canadian guests who came to its idyllic setting for “fishing trips and fun times” throughout the 1950s up to the present day.

“It has certainly played a major role in our community,” said Killarney Mayor Ginny Rook. “They are definitely one of our biggest employers in town. I think most of the people in the village have worked for them at one time or another.” As many as 50 people work at the resort through the summer.

The Easts have been major fixtures in the community, noted Mayor Rook, who said she had not yet met the new owners. “They certainly will be missed,” said Ms. Rook of the Easts, but she said she is looking forward to meeting the new owners. “I am interested in what their plans for the lodge are.”

Mayor Rook agreed that while the sale of the lodge denotes a sad end of an era, the sale itself speaks volumes as a vote of confidence in the Killarney region. This region has been an incredible magnet for tourists for a very long time and with the nearby



Killarney Mountain Lodge owners Maury and Annabelle East pictured aboard the 'Killarney Queen' in a 1962 Ontario Tourism photograph.

provincial park located nearby, that role will likely continue into the future.

Located in the village of Killarney just a few yards from the main street, stores, shops and docks, Killarney Mountain Lodge is highly accessible by water (only 45 minutes from Little Current by boat), air (by private plane at the nearby Killarney Airport) or by road following Highway 637 for 67 kilometers off Highway 69, south of Sudbury.

Killarney Mountain Lodge is famed for its friendly and welcoming staff, the majority of whom are year-round residents of Killarney and have been working at the lodge for many years.

A post on the lodge's Facebook page confirmed the news of the sale, however. “Dear Friends,” begins the missive. “Annabelle and I have finally reached the end of the long road we embarked on in 1962 to establish a unique resort on the north shore of Georgian Bay. We have sold Killarney Mountain Lodge to a new owner who intends to continue the style and traditions that have marked the lodge these many years. We would like to express our sincere thanks to the thousands of people from far and near who have patronized the lodge and contributed to its success.

From Annabelle and me



An aerial photo of the busy lodge in the summer. photo courtesy of the Killarney Mountain Lodge website

this is a fond farewell,” signed Maury East.

Although the Easts are still living in the community and plan to for some time yet, hoping to settle on the shores of Georgian Bay, The Expositor was unable to contact the couple by press time Monday.

“We thought the time had come,” said Mr. East of the decision to sell in an interview with CBC radio, however. Mr. East is turning 91.

Mr. East, a Second World War veteran (captain and bomber pilot), noted that he was operating a resort in Muskoka when his partner at the time asked him, “How would you like to operate a resort in Killarney?” Mr. East said he had no idea where Killarney was at that time, but he found himself

flying to the resort where he and his wife “fell in love with the place.”

Mr. East noted that the new owners have committed to maintaining the “same rustic style and tradition” and “homey atmosphere” the Easts had established.

Although first established in the 1950s, according to Mr. East the real heyday of the lodge has actually taken place in the last 15 to 20 years as the lodge became better known.

Mr. East noted that the establishment of Killarney Provincial Park in 1964, which he says remains “the crown jewel of provincial parks,” played a big role in “putting the lodge on the map.”

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The board, staff, management, clients and volunteers of Community Living Manitoulin (CLM) welcomed new executive director Tammie Molenaar who accepted the post on December 1. Pictured, from left, are Bonnie Closs, program manager, Wendy Friesen, co-coordinator of care and manager of supports, Tammie Molenaar, executive director, Leanne Hayward McGill, finance administrator, Monique Dubray, administrative assistant and Megan Wickett, operations manager.

photo by Betty Bardswich

Community Living Manitoulin welcomes new executive director

by Betty Bardswich
MINDEMOYA—Community Living Manitoulin (CLM) is a not-for-profit agency that offers residential, vocational and community services to 60 adults with developmental disabilities. The organization operates four group homes and offers programs ranging from supported independent living and employment as well as life skills. CLM also operates a consignment store called Everything Under the Sun which is situated in Mindemoya and offers new and used clothing, accessories, books, kitchenwares and other items for sale.

A new executive director was hired for the agency on December 1 to replace Wayne Janzen, who had served in the interim. Tammie Molenaar, formerly of Timmins, took on the position and, according to CLM board chairperson Melissa Peters, she is a 'perfect fit.'

"Tammie has had extensive experience with Community Living," Ms. Peters told The Expositor. "And recommendations given to us from people who had worked with her over the years spoke volumes as well. She has shown, along with her frontline staff and management, that she has what it takes to move forward in a positive direction. She has already established a positive relationship with the ministry who provides our core funding and she works well with the board, management and staff overall. The relationships she has already started building with our individuals with her open door policy, with the concerned parents, guardians and volunteers involved with them, and with the community in general really is a benefit to everyone."

Ms. Molenaar, nee Tammie Davis, was born in Little Current and lived for 16 years in Gore Bay. Her father co-owned The Recorder along with Jack McQuarrie and Ms. Mole-

naar grew up around the print shop and loved meeting the photographers and journalists.

"We had to leave the Island and move to Barrie," Ms. Molenaar explained. "My sister Christy had to have several brain surgeries and we had to be closer to Sick Kids Hospital. Christy gave a lot back to me and she is part of the reason I got into this field as she had disabilities. I also knew Rene Nobel who was a teacher in Gore Bay for children with developmental disabilities and she was our neighbour. She inspired in me that everyone needs to care and help people. I took her words to heart. The Nobles, the whole family, are such good people. Rene also got my mother to foster two kids with disabilities. The CLM group home in Mindemoya, called Rene's Place, is named after her."

Ms. Molenaar attended college in Barrie and obtained a child and youth worker diploma as well as a business certificate and volunteered for the Special Olympics. She and her husband Tim then moved to Timmins where she graduated from Northern College with a diploma as a developmental services worker and later obtained a business for non-profits and municipalities certificate. Ms. Molenaar felt that it was important that she study business and said, "we have to show that we are spending taxpayers money in a responsible way."

Ms. Molenaar and her husband always thought that they would retire on Manitoulin but, as she explained, "this was too good of an opportunity to turn down. I wanted to live on the Island. I love the Island and I love what I do. I think that I am now home. This is home."

In talking about her role as the executive director of CLM, Ms. Molenaar said, "we will be working towards accreditation. We have really dedicated staff. The

Ministry of Community and Social Services knows that. They agree with me on that. We want to be known as a good employer that provides excellent service to the people we support. Our employees are very, very important. This agency has so much potential. We have great staff and the staff forms the basis of any agency. For me, this is a dream job in a dream location."

Ms. Molenaar's husband works at the Cochrane Timiskaming Resource Centre and will join his wife in Mindemoya in a few months. They have two daughters, Erika, who has bachelor's degrees in fine art, education and English, is an artist and is on the teacher supply list for Manitoulin, and Fiona, who is enrolled in nursing at Nipissing College.



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Central Manitoulin council sets 2015 budget

by Michael Erskine
MINDEMOYA—Council set its budget for 2015 with just over a one percent increase in projected operating expenses from 2014's budget of \$6,188,113.64 to \$6,252,021.89. That slight increase, thanks to just over a 10 percent rise in assessment values, will result in a 16.9 percent decrease in the mill rate for residential properties in the coming year.

The final approval of the budget was moved by Councillor Ted Taylor and seconded by Councillor Alex Baran.

"If I am reading the numbers right, this is the lowest mill rate in more than 10 years," said Councillor Baran, adding the cautionary note that "there are needs (for services) in the community and this will be watched closely to ensure it does not undermine the welfare of our community. We want to run a happy ship, not only a tight ship."

"I want to echo what Alex said," said Councillor Patricia MacDonald. "I still have reservations about our infrastructure." Councillor MacDonald said that she was reassured by the confi-

dence of the municipality's staff that maintenance of that infrastructure could be met with the revenue projected in the budget.

"I think council is on the right path," said Councillor Derek Stephens. "A lot of work has to go into our infrastructure. We did take a million out of capital projects, that is work that needs to be done, but I hope we can continue to keep the mill rate down. We have to take a hard look at our infrastructure if we want to keep it this low. This council is committed to keeping it low; I just hope there are no major breakdowns."

Councillor Linda Farquhar noted that many of the council members had run in the recent election on platforms that they would look at keeping taxes down.

"We undertook quite a few projects over the last four years," noted Councillor Taylor. "How many bridges do we still have to do? Three? I think in a couple of years this is something we will have to take a look at, but I am glad we were able to do this this year."

"I thank Ruth (Frawley, CAO) and her staff who have looked at this budget not one time, but two or three times through until we were where we wanted to be," said Mayor Richard Stephens, who noted that the \$30 million increase in assessment values in the municipality over the past three years provided an opportunity to readjust the mill rate.

Mayor Stephens noted that the council had requested the town staff reduce the budget requirements. "We asked 'can we cut it back' and they successfully came out at \$3.9 million. Mayor Stephens applauded that the budget still provides three quarter of a million dollars in capital improvements that would not "short change infrastructure too drastically."

The mayor noted that some projects had to be scaled back or cancelled to meet the goal but he expressed a debt of gratitude to the previous council for the implementation of an asset management plan. He suggested that it would be prudent to survey the town's assets to deter-

mine a work plan for "what we can afford and what we need."

CAO Frawley noted that a quarter of the capital budget is directly aimed at servicing loan payments, to which Mayor Stephens added that a substantial portion of the remainder is contingent on securing government grants.

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Manitoulin municipalities receive good news concerning DSB apportionments

by Tom Sasvari

ESPANOLA—For Manitoulin Island municipalities there is some good news regarding their individual financial apportionment for the Manitoulin-Sudbury District Services Board (DSB) operating costs in 2015.

Fern Dominelli, CAO of the DSB, noted that while three municipalities within the DSB area will see their apportionment increase this year (derived through the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation), none of the Manitoulin municipalities will see an increase; in fact all the Manitoulin municipalities will see a decrease in apportionment for 2015.

"The bottom line is that some municipalities went up and some went down, but it is all based on their (municipal) share of weighted assessment," explained Mr. Dominelli. "It's based on weighted assessment and their (municipal) share of the weighted assessment for 2015 (compared to 2014)."

The DSB budget for 2015 has increased by \$95,000, but the increase or decrease in municipal apportionment shares is based on weighted assessment, power dams and property in lieu. "The apportionments are

based on weighted assessment figures, which are determined each year," said Mr. Dominelli. "They change on a yearly basis."

After taking in all the 2015 weighted assessment figures, and the total weighted assessment for the DSB and municipal shares, the following shows what Manitoulin municipalities paid in 2014 apportionment and secondly, their apportionments for 2015: Assiginack, \$361,242.53 and \$348,235 in 2015; Gordon and Barrie Island, \$264,321.49 and \$255,228; Cockburn Island, \$22,129.02 and \$20,019 for 2015; Billings, \$349,416.04 and \$339,064 in 2015; Central Manitoulin, \$754,547.98 and \$739,615 in 2015; Burpee/Mills, \$143,628.30 and \$134,979; Tehkummah, \$146,680.79 and \$138,638 in 2015; NEMI, \$1,118,979.12 and \$1,091,360 in 2015; and Gore Bay, \$157,070.05 and \$145,995 in 2015. The apportionment for Killarney has decreased as is the case with Baldwin, Chapleau, French River, Sables-Spanish, and St. Charles while Markstay/Warren and Nairn and Hyman, and Espanola is increasing. In Espanola's case the increase is from \$1,093,222.92 to \$1,366,851.

UN declaration on indigenous rights the focus of Kenjgewin Teg Educational Institute teach-in

by Alicia McCutcheon
M'CHIGEENG—Ken-

gjewin Teg Educational Institute (KTEI) is hosting its seventh installment in its popular teach-in series, this time with a focus on the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.

The United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples sets out the individual and collective rights of indigenous peoples, as well as their rights to culture, identity, language, employment, health, education and other issues, KTEI explains. "It also emphasizes the rights of indigenous peoples to maintain and strengthen their own institutions, cultures and traditions and to pursue their development in keep-

ing with their own needs and aspirations."

The event, to be held on Tuesday, February 10 from 10 am to 3 pm, will feature guest speakers Joan Riggs of Ryerson University, who will speak on how to keep balance and ensure personal wellness to become resilient, Gloria Oshkabe-wisens-McGregor, one of KTEI's Anishinabek traditional knowledge holders and Josh Eshkawkogan, KTEI's elder-in-residence.

"Our teach-in event is open to the public and we encourage First Nation and non-First Nation community members to come out," encouraged Beverly Roy Carter, director of business and training at KTEI.

The teach-in will be largely activity-based, Ms.

Roy Carter explained, noting that there will be group work with some "pretty serious discussions on how (the declaration) is actually being implemented around the globe." She warned that these discussions may lead to an emotional response from some participants, so elders will be available at the closing session so that no one will leave with a heavy heart.

"We want everyone to feel empowered and to act," she added.

"The teach-in is free and is open to everyone and anyone to come," Ms. Roy Carter said, asking participants to bring their 'feast bag' (eating utensils) for the light lunch that will be served.

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Whitefish River embraces Internet voting for MRP law referendum

by Michael Erskine
BIRCH ISLAND—The Whitefish River First Nation (WRFN) has prided itself in being on the leading edge of technology, bringing fibre optic capability to its community centre and building state-of-the-art educational and water treatment facilities in recent years. Now the band is embracing the concept of Internet voting in an effort to boost referendum participation rates above the 25 percent threshold for ratification of its new Matrimonial Real Property Law (MRP).

MRP refers to tangible and immovable property. If it is mobile, the MRP does not apply.

The need for a home-grown MRP became evident due to a "legislative gap" that prevented First Nations, the federal government or the provincial courts from dealing with property issues when a marriage or common law relationship breaks down. The urgency behind WRFN putting in place their own MRP law is due to a federal law that came into force in December that allowed only one year for the band to pass its own laws, before federal "provisional rules" regulations would be imposed.

"The legislative gap was of the federal government's making, not ours," noted Franklin Paibomsai (as Chief Shining Turtle, Mr. Paibomsai is the 12-year incumbent who is currently seeking re-election). "We told them we were unhappy with the lack of notice or turn around time to bring in our own law, but the government was not responsive to our concerns."

Adding to the difficulty facing First Nations contemplating their own MRP law was the lack of any federal funding being made available to assist in developing the regulations, which are complex in that they must take into account the Charter of Rights and Freedoms.

"Luckily we were able to secure third party funding through the First Nations Market Based Housing to develop our law," said Mr. Paibomsai.

The WRFN MRP is intended to "shield WRFN from the federal law" which came into force on December 16, 2014.

Mr. Paibomsai said that the heart of the MRP is based, first and foremost, on the needs of any children of a union and is designed to protect those children, regardless as to whether the parent of the children are Native or non-

Native. "It is all about the children," he said.

What followed was a whirlwind series of consultations and meetings over the past seven months in order to establish a made in WRFN set of MRP laws.

"Our MRP law is based on a number of focussed community consultation sessions and efforts over the past seven months," said Mr. Paibomsai. On May 7, 2014, the band council began the process of drafting the MRP law and by June 25, they held an elders and community members meeting to review those efforts and to discuss the new law. Between August 12 and 22 a community survey was conducted and on August 26 a second community meeting was held, followed by a third on September 30 and a fourth on October 29.

A series of final meetings will take place with an elders luncheon and learning session to be held noon on February 12 at the Seven Fires Youth and Elders Centre; a youth information session at 4 pm. Off-reserve meetings took place at the N'Swokamok Friendship Centre in Sudbury on January 27 and in Toronto at the Native Canadian Centre on Spadina on January 28.

The process will culminate with an electronic poll that will take place between 8 am Monday, March 2 and 8 pm Thursday, March 5 and through a March 6 paper ballot from 9 am to 4 pm at the WRFN administration office at 17A Rainbow Ridge Road. Voters may only vote once and duplicate votes will be discarded.

The Scyt1 corporation will conduct the electronic vote. The company described itself on its website as "the worldwide leader in secure electronic voting, election management and election modernization solutions."

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"We did a lot of research to select the company," noted Mr. Paibomsai. "We are confident that they will provide the best solution for our needs."

Those needs include reaching out to the WRFN diaspora, as in order to reach the ratification threshold, voter participation by band members must reach 25 percent of those eligible. Meeting that threshold has proven challenging for a number of Manitoulin First Nations seeking to bring in their own laws regarding their internal governance.

"We have a significant part of our membership who live off-reserve," noted Mr. Paibomsai. Like most rural communities, many of the band's membership have had to move to larger urban centres in order to pursue economic opportunities, but they still have a strong interest in what is happening in their home communities, particularly as many dream of returning to the community someday. "We are making every effort to reach out to those members." Those efforts included mailing a hard copy of the draft MRP to all band members for whom the band has an address.

The MRP itself begins with a preamble that sets in place the prerogative for self-sufficient government, the best interests of the child as paramount and encourages domestic contracts and mediation as first resorts. The preamble then sets out the legal name of the document 'The Whitefish River First Nation Matrimonial Real Property Law' before setting out legal definitions of the wording used throughout the document.

The law only comes into play if at least one spouse is a citizen and operates "in conjunction with laws that deal with other matrimonial matters."

Among the highlights are that spouses can agree that an inherited or gifted family home is to be divided, that a non-citizen of the band cannot receive more than a 'life-estate' and how domestic contracts can be set aside; guarantees that on the death of a spouse the surviving spouse and children can remain in the family home for at least 180 days; restricts the ability of either spouse to sell or transfer the matrimonial property; that both spouses have an equal right to occupy the home during the relationship; sets out the conditions of an exclusive occupation order for the primary caregiver and the relationship with emergency protection orders noting that it applies to all homes on the WRFN, not just family homes and provides for protection of vic-

tims by removing violent persons from the home.

The complete MRP draft can be picked up at the Whitefish River First Nation administration office.

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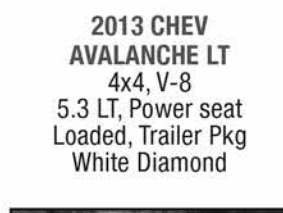
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Photo by Nicole Taylor

...propose Mindemoya Lake hatchery

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Judging from the response at the packed council chamber meeting, from both the general public and council members in attendance, the project has broad bedrock support heading into the February 24 meeting with MNRF.

Although there were concerns expressed about traffic, noise and the use of the popular docks and beach, where summer swimming lessons are held, the answers provided by the proponents appeared to lay those concerns firmly to rest. "There will be very little traffic at the site," noted Mr. Holroyd. Aside from a few days when the hatchery is primed with eggs and the odd check-in by a volunteer, the building will have little more impact on the nearby residents than is now the case.

The facility will contain four 500-gallon tanks (with a possibility of five) and will be a self-contained operation requiring very little make-up water and producing little if any noise from its generator.

Many of those in attendance at the meeting supplied anecdotal references to their fishing experiences in the past, but as exemplified by Central Manitoulin Councillor Derek Stephens' comments, "I used to fish on Lake Mindemoya, but we don't bother anymore. We go to other lakes, when you go out you like to catch fish." Other attendees reinforced the suggestion that the lake's pickerel fishery has fallen on hard times.

Not all of the fishing on

Lake Mindemoya is dismal, noted the presenters; the perch and rainbow trout take is strong, if not stronger, than ever. In fact, the figures from fish surveys show the perch populations as being stronger than ever, with yellow perch and rainbow smelt numbers burgeoning through the years between 2001 and 2013, even as pickerel numbers plummet. The latest figures show the smallest cohort has all but disappeared from the lake and the loss of those smaller fry will reverberate up through the coming years.

The culprits in the decline of the pickerel population fingered by the UFGCM are the invasive species that have been introduced to the lake, and to some extent, the impact of global warming.

"Zebra mussels compete for the same food source as the pickerel fry," noted Mr. Holroyd. Explaining that the zebra mussels are very efficient filters that take out the tiny plankton that the fry depend upon to grow through their smallest stage after hatching.

Cormorant predation is an issue, but that is one the hatchery proponents have a plan to deal with. "Instead of planting 10,000 fingerlings, we maybe plant 12,000," said Mr. Whelan, who noted that bird numbers seem to have plateaued in recent years.

One attendee raised the issue of netting on the lake, but the presenters were adamant that the decline in population was not attributable to netting. "Nobody nets on Lake Mindemoya these days," said Mr. Holroyd. He noted that

educational programs by Lakeview School Principal Neil Debassge, an avid conservationist and sports-fisherman himself, are building a solid understanding of the importance of respecting the needs of future generations and the value of conservation in preserving traditional food sources.

In any event, the slide presentation provided clear evidence of where the issue actually lies. The earliest cohorts of pickerel in the lake are all but nonexistent now, while the larger-sized generations of the fish are still quite healthy.

The hatchery design will utilize a recycling system, with minimal discharge to the environment, using well water and a series of filtration and ultraviolet treatment to keep its four 500-gallon tanks at an optimal environment for the growing fingerlings. From there, the small fry may be kept in nursery nets or moved to a rearing pond until they are of a large enough size to leapfrog the endangered portion of their food supply.

The hoped-for date the hatchery would start producing fingerlings for planting in Lake Mindemoya would be 2016. In 2015, the proponents hope to secure a long-term egg supply from the MNRF, establish the design and costs, initiate a fundraising campaign (with a ballpark estimate of \$30,000 as a goal), and a finally retrofit of the building for hatchery components to begin production in 2016.

"Council is sympathetic to your project," said May-

or Richard Stephens following the presentation.

In a question from Gloria Haner, Mayor Stephens confirmed that the municipality would maintain ownership of the building and surrounding property, to which Ms. Haner responded, "It looks like it would be a good project."

A question about the issue of a fish virus currently of concern in the North Channel being introduced into the lake was fielded with a note that the eggs would be secured from Lake Mindemoya itself (or another inland lake free of the virus).

If the hatchery proves successful in the pickerel department, the goal would be to look at perhaps utilizing the other seasons to bolster other fish populations such as salmon and rainbow trout, which would be raised at different times than the pickerel.

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...blues album nominated for Juno prize

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@tanyaTagaq @Leelaygilday and @TomsonHighway! Congrats to all the nominees in all categories, see you all in Hamilton!!!!"

'The Whole World's Got The Blues' is Ms. Shawanda's fourth album. Her last album, 'Just Like You,' won the Aboriginal Album of the Year at the 2013 JUNO Awards. She was also nominated for both the Best New Artist and Country Recording of the Year at the 2009 JUNO Awards.

In 2008, Ms. Shawanda took the Canadian Aboriginal Music Awards and Aboriginal People Choice Awards by storm taking home the Best New Artist of the Year at the Aboriginal People Choice Awards, as well as the Best Country Album of the Year for 'Dawn of a New Day' and Best Single of the

Year for 'You Can Let Go.' At the Canadian Aboriginal Music Awards she also won the Best Artist of the Year, Best Album of the Year for 'Dawn of a New Day,' Best Country Album of the Year, Best Music Video of the Year for 'You Can Let Go,' and Best Single of the Year for 'You Can Let Go.'

Also nominated for the 2015 Aboriginal Album of the Year award are Digging Roots for their album 'For The Light,' Leela Giday for 'Heart of the People,' Tanya Tagaq for 'Animism' and Tomson Highway for 'The (Post) Mistress.'

As part of JUNO Awards week, Crystal Shawanda will be performing with her fellow nominees live at The Bay City Music Hall in Hamilton on March 12.

Be sure to tune into the 2015 JUNO Awards on Sunday, March 15 at 7 pm on CTV.



Healthy herd

As this photo of a healthy looking Bay Estates deer shows, the lack of snowfall so far this winter means an easier time on the Island's whitetail population—a far cry from last year.

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Circle of Hope Alzheimer Learning Series comes to Manitoulin

by Michael Erskine

LITTLE CURRENT—Facing the unknown can be terrifying, especially when it comes to the impact dementia can have on peoples' lives. To help empower people with knowledge about this debilitating disease, the Alzheimer Society brought the Circle of Hope Alzheimer Learning Series to the Little Current recreation centre upper hall for a daylong series of workshops and seminars that dealt with what the disease entails, what can be done to offset its onset and the programs that the Alzheimer Society offers.

The day began with Alzheimer's Disease 101 presented by Mariette Kozicki. "Alzheimer's disease is not an illness we can ignore," she said. "It has an overwhelming impact on the people who develop it and the families who care for them."

The statistics are startling. "By the year 2020, 225,000 people will be diagnosed with some form of dementia," she said. "That is a 40 percent increase over 181,000 in 2011."

The impact on society is immense. "In 2011, caregivers put in 87.1 million hours," explained Ms. Kozicki. "In the year 2020 this number is expected to grow to over 144 million, that is a 65 percent increase."

The stress level for families dealing with the fallout from the disease results in a 23 percent increase from that of caregivers of those without dementia and the stress on the health system is also dramatic. "People with dementia receive 75 percent more informal care and 45 percent more formal care than homecare recipients without dementia."

Currently, there are 747,000 Canadians living with Alzheimer's disease or a related dementia and that number will skyrocket to 1.4 million by the year 2020. That is a doubling in less than 20 years, explained Ms. Kozicki. And it is not simply a disease of the elderly either. "More than 71,000 Canadians living with dementia are under the age of 65," she said.

Women tend to bear the brunt of the disease with a double barrel hit. "Women represent 72 percent of Canadians living with Alzheimer's and women account for 70 percent of family caregivers," said Ms. Kozicki. "A woman's chance of developing Alzheimer's is now greater than her chance of developing breast cancer."

Ms. Kozicki explained that Alzheimer's disease is a set of symptoms that include loss of memory, understanding and judgment.

Dementia itself is not a disease, however, it is a set of symptoms that accompanies a disease. There are a number of diseases that express dementia symptoms and they include Alzheimer's, Pick's Disease, Lewy Body Disease, Vascular Dementia and Creutzfeldt-Jakob (the human version of Mad Cow).

Some types of dementia can be reversed, such as those stemming from



Alzheimer Society staff and presenters at the Circle of Hope Learning Series held in Little Current included Information Technician Micah Lacasse, Public Relations/Community Developer Jessica Bertuzzi-Gallo, Family Counsellor Louise Jacko, Mariette Kozicki, public education, Alison Sloss, health promotion, and Amekie Rainville, behaviour support.

depression, medications, nutritional disorders and metabolic disorders to name a few, but Alzheimer's is not reversible, noted Ms. Kozicki. "It is progressive, damage increases over time; it is degenerative, brain cells degenerate or break down and it is irreversible, the damage cannot be repaired and at present, there is no known cure."

The Circle of Hope Learning Series' initial goal is to publicize the 10 warning signs of Alzheimer's disease and to differentiate those from the normal forgetfulness.

With normal forgetfulness, a person recognizes people and places, even if they cannot recall their names, remember the day and time, might forget details of a recent experience but not the experience itself and forget items, but will often remember later.

With Alzheimer's, however, the 10 warning signs are: memory loss that affects day-to-day function; difficulty performing tasks, problems with language; disorientation of time and place; poor or decreased judgment; problems with abstract thinking; misplacing things; changes in mood and behaviour; changes in personality; and a loss of initiative.

When it comes to getting a diagnosis, Ms. Kozicki said that it is important to recognize that there is no single test and the process may be quite lengthy and involve your medical history, a mental status exam, laboratory tests, neuropsychological evaluations and a physical exam.

There are methods available to decrease the risk and/or delay the onset of Alzheimer's disease. Those include the management of relevant medical disorders, healthy eating, exercising, having a socially interactive lifestyle, intellectual activity, having close caregiving relationships and protecting your head.

"Early diagnosis can make a big difference in the lives of people affected by dementia," said Ms. Kozicki. "It opens the door to treatment and help and gives them time to plan ahead. People with dementia can live long, productive lives and their caregivers don't have to go it alone."

There are many ways the Alzheimer Society can help."

The workshops continued with a session on 'Adapting to Brain Changes' which centred on shifting the focus of dealing with the disease. "Ultimately, we can't expect the person with dementia to change," said Jessica Bertuzzi-Gallo, community developer with the Alzheimer Society. "We must change. We need to accept the individual as he is in this moment."

By recognizing we cannot "make the person better" by focussing on correcting the behaviours or errors it is shown, in fact, that those efforts may actually make matters worse by causing unnecessary anxiety for the sufferer.

Understanding the person with dementia often provides clues as to how to deal with the concerns presented by their actions. With agitation, for example, a list of 'do' items include giving the person something to hold, distract them with music they like, talk about a happy moment in their lives, discover if their environment is too noisy or bright and/or whether they are tired. A list of 'don't' items to deal with agitation would include asking the sufferer to stop, telling them to "calm down" or raising your voice.

The Circle of Hope series continued with a presentation on behavioural supports, building a Circle of Hope and the programs and services provided by the Alzheimer Society.

Those programs include Minds in Motion, a two hour community based social program that runs for eight weeks and which incorporates physical activity and mental stimulation and is designed for people with early to mid-stage signs of Alzheimer's disease or other dementias and their care partners. The Music Heals Program, which uses iPod technology to provide an individual with personalized music intervention (an amazing YouTube video demonstrates the impact of this program that can be found online by searching for "Alive Inside Film of Music and Memory Project

photo by Michael Erskine

- Henry's Story"). The music heals program is a six week program designed to "stimulate memory, provide engagement and support self expression and identity."

Two programs the society hopes to start up soon include The Art Therapy program, which provides art therapy sessions conducted by a trained professional and utilizes various activities to increase stimulation and The Learning Series, which is planned for spring 2015 and will consist of a four-week series for caregivers that

will cover detailed education on 'What is Dementia,' 'Adapting to Brain Changes,' 'Planning Ahead' and 'Building a Circle of Hope'.

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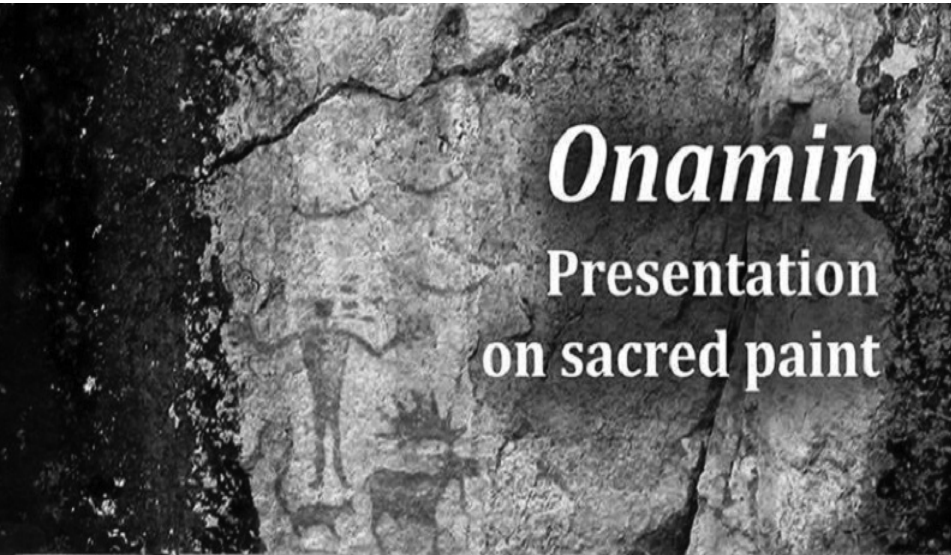
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Winterfest 2015 takes the chill out of winter's depths

by Michael Erskine
LITTLE CURRENT—Lions Winterfest Weekend 2015 has come and gone again, leaving in its wake fond memories of what a great time can be had chasing away the end of January winter blues.

The undisputed heart of Winterfest is the annual hockey tournament and this year provided a smorgasbord of entertainment for Island fans of that most Canadian of winter pastimes.

The tournament launched with the singing

day to take part.” Inside at the Little Current Complex, volunteers kept the canteens upstairs and down humming, supplying hot dogs and hot chocolate and “Yes, we have cookies,” laughed Marilyn Harasym, one of the many volunteers who supplemented the Little Current Lions Club ranks to keep things flowing.

Children demonstrated their artistic skills by filling out their entries for the colouring contest with a rainbow of colours and crayon ingenuity. Winners



The colouring contest was a hit with the younger crowd during Lions Winterfest 2015.

of O' Canada by Miss Manitoulin Katie Harper before she joined the “youngest Lion” Chloe Bowerman in dropping the ceremonial first puck to start things off.

Before and after her official duties, Ms. Harper was operating a small booth raising funds for the Northern Ontario chapter of Families of Children with Cancer. Although the children in her own family have not been touched by this devastating disease, Ms. Harper noted that she had recently lost her grandmother to cancer.

Meanwhile, back at the hockey tournament, this year's Lady Snipers secured the top of the women's division when they defeated the Manitoulin Sharpshooters. The Oldtimer's division was not to be outdone and the Wiky T-Birds beat out the Anishinabek Nation Braves this year, with plenty of fans making their way to Little Current for the Sunday finale. “It's going to be quite a game,” assured Gordie Odjig before he headed out onto the ice and by all accounts the action did not fail to live up to its billing. In the Sportsman B division the Espanola Eskimos ventured across the bridge to beat out AOK in their final, while the Super Chiefs topped the Beer League Heroes in overtime to secure the Sportsman A division.

There was plenty to do between periods and for the younger set as well. A pancake breakfast on Saturday and Sunday morning served up the best of the flat cake delicacies with sides of sausage and bacon to start the day off with a solid fuel of comfort food before setting out on the day's diversions.

Northeast Town events coordinator Heidi Ferguson kept toasty warm despite the winter's chill running from game to game at Low Island with paint and snow construction tools. “It was a great time,” she quipped. “The kids had a ball, and so did I. There were about 22 kids who came out on the Sun-



Miss Manitoulin Katie Harper and the Littlest Lion Chloe Bowerman drop the ceremonial puck to launch Winterfest 2015.

man, Jennifer Hutchinson, Landen Harasym, Hailee Harasym and Sophie Sabzali.

The evenings were kept dancing as Karaoke Konnie brought her music collection in “old school” with a massive CD collection on Friday night. Her approach to music storage might seem quaint in this age of MP3s, but the DJ kept the beat thumping with favourites both retro and new, running the gamut from country to beatbox, filling the dance floor with folks eager to shake off any hint of the wintertime blues.

photo by Michael Erskine

For those with an eye to more sedate pursuits, the Manitoulin Hospital Auxiliary stood ready and willing to supply books, jigsaw puzzles and yarn over the weekend in the hospital cafeteria. “We have something for everyone,” said volunteer Liala Kiviahio.

Lions Winterfest 2015 has now joined the annals of Island history, but the fond memories will remain to warm the rest of the winter's weeks, which according to that most scientific of meteorologists, Wiarton Willie, is destined to be short.

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Little Current Public School Grade 1 students visit Manor as part of community exploration

by Michael Erskine
LITTLE CURRENT—Students from Casey Boisvert’s Grade 1 and 2 class and Pam Rohn’s senior Kindergarten and Grade 1 class ventured to Manitoulin Centennial Manor in Little Current as part of their ongoing study of communities, services and jobs.
“Many parents of the children were able to come along with us on the trip,” said Ms. Rohn. “The activities director took the children on a tour of the facility and then we gathered in the dining room.”

As part of the day, the students met three personal support workers who demonstrated some equipment they use to help take care of the people living in the Manor.

“We also met Angela Harper who played the guitar and got a great sing-a-long going with all the children and residents joining in,” said Ms. Rohn. “Finally, we met the chef who described his job and love of cooking for the children.”

As an added bonus to the day’s



Island author Patricia McFarlane reads from the Robert Munsch classic ‘Smelly Socks’ to Little Current Public School students visiting Manitoulin Centennial Manor.

activities, the Manor’s executive chef Chris Lethbridge made the children a big batch of chocolate chip cookies that proved to be a big hit, especially when washed down with a steaming mug of hot chocolate.

“One resident (Island author Patricia McFarlane) read the 36

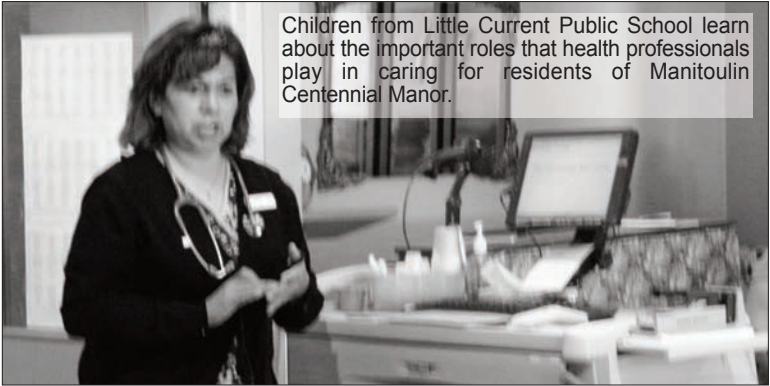
children a very funny story, ‘Smelly Socks’ by Robert Munsch,” continued Ms. Rohn. “We wrapped up the day by playing outside on the hill, which is a favourite winter pastime for many children of Little Current. It was an amazing day for all.”

photo by Michael Erskine



Guitarist Angela Harper leads Little Current Public School students in a spirited sing-a-long during their visit to Manitoulin Centennial Manor.

photos by Pam Rohn



Children from Little Current Public School learn about the important roles that health professionals play in caring for residents of Manitoulin Centennial Manor.

Manitoulin Centennial Manor board welcomes new members, but chair steps back until reappointment confirmed

by Robin Burridge
LITTLE CURRENT—The Manitoulin Centennial Manor board was pleased to welcome two new members to the board last week; Wendy Gauthier, a long time Manor volunteer who will be replacing Ed Bond as one of two provincial representatives on the board, and Dawn Orr (who has served on the board previously), a Northeast Town councillor who will be replacing Northeast Town Mayor Al MacNevin as the municipality’s representative on the board. Ms. Gauthier and Ms. Orr join Kathy Davidson, Pentti Palonen, Paul Moffat and Pat MacDonald on the Manor board.

Through correspondence, the board learned at its last meeting that Manor board chair Mary Jo Eckert Tracy’s (the second provincial representative) position on the board had expired in May 2014 and that she had not been, nor had any other individual, been reappointed/appointed to the board.

“One of our representative seats has been filled by Wendy however, as of now, our other seat is vacant as we have not received Mary Jo’s reappointment,” explained Manor administrator Michelle Bond. “The government has not reached a decision yet, but the board can send a letter to the minister (of Health and Long-Term Care (MHLTC)) expressing their support for Mary Jo’s reappointment to the board.”

Ms. Eckert Tracy left the meeting as the board discussed sending a letter of support for her reappointment to the minister.

Mr. Palonen put a motion on the table to send a letter of support for Ms. Tracy, which was seconded by Mr. Moffat.

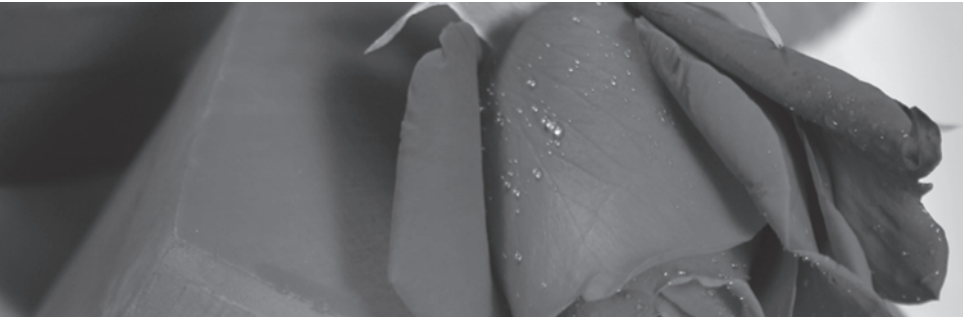
The motion was carried, but the board decided that since Ms. Tracy wasn’t technically on the board (and hadn’t been since May 2014), she would have to step down as chair for the remainder of the meeting and that vice chair Kathy Davidson would take over chairing the meeting.

The board also decided that Ms. Tracy would be able to remain at the meeting as a member of the public, but would not be allowed to vote or be privy to an in camera session.

Ms. Eckert Tracy suggested that the board make a motion allowing “current members of the board” to remain on the board. She explained that this had been done in the past on the board when there had been gaps in ministry reappointments.

The board disagreed, saying that it would be safer to have the vice chair conduct the rest of the meeting and to contact the MHLTC before the February meeting of the board for clarification on how to proceed.

The Expositor spoke with David Jensen, media relations coordinator with the MHLTC regarding the situation and the MHLTC policy’s in these matters, but had not received a response as of press time Monday.



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Mustangs are finally into second semester; all new classes and even some new teachers! Ms. Clark is coming back, and MSS welcomes Miss Boisvert, Mr. Robinson, and Mrs. Hutchinson to our school.

I know that you have probably run low on school supplies and are rushing to prepare for second semester. Try shopping at the MSS store! You can get papers, pencils, notebooks and even binders! Try shopping local—very local.

The high school sports teams are pumped and ready to give it their all. We have seasons coming to a close and we are glad to say that we know our athletes tried their best

Tehkummah Talk and Times

I guess it was because I was in a weakened state today that Mom skunked me twice. I did win a couple of games (barely).

Susan stopped in at the clinic and found out why she had been having headaches.

Good storm in the States and the East Coast.

The depression that some of us deal with ongoing is recognized and being researched.

Tonight I'm doing more sneezing than coughing, and I missed bingo, wow!

Never saw a soul on Tuesday, if they had seen me they would have found another P.J. day! Susan called in in the evening and visited for a while. I had to cough a lot before I could go to sleep. I had a bath this morning and feel better for it I think, but I am weak! Enjoying a cup of hot chocolate while I write, dozed off but the phone woke me. Cousin Joan (Arnold) from Florida called.

I'm glad there is so much focus on our depression; the interviews by Bell's "Let's Talk" and Clara's "Big Ride" open up a lifeline for many. Been there done that me. I don't know if one ever defeats it, or if you just learn to deal with it. I think the more you do for others, the less time you have to think about you and me.

I talked to Bert (Bosje) this week, he says Elaine is an excellent nurse; he's getting things under control.

Another sunny day, has anyone been counting? Darned chilly though. Well it's Friday and I'm still coughing, but it's a relief that the cough mechanism has disconnected from my bladder thank goodness! I would have made a good hound in deer season, almost a whooping type cough. I did the self-cure: Buckley's, hot lemon and honey, sea salt gargle and Watkins rub. I got thinking about dad's old wool sock wrapped around my neck with an underlay of Vick's rub. Mom never used a mustard plaster on us, but I went to school with kids whose moms did, and saw the burn results too. That was before running for antibiotics got to be fashionable, and running to the emergency room too. My bark (ha-ha) is worse than my bite, of course that was also when doctors called at your home, if necessary, and way back (in the dark ages) most families like ours didn't have a car in the yard. What does this going back in time tell you?

Susan did offer to take me up to the emergency room though. As I told a friend of mine, I could have been laying here staring at the ceiling, my mouth hanging open. No one wants to expose themselves to the bug, I sure hope no else gets this! Mom is better but still coughing a bit.

After feeding the birds I went to the store where Susan Ward said I should use a mustard plaster. I said I'd just written a bit in my column about such things. She said her mom used Vicks and black pepper, and then when I was talking to Cal on the phone after, he also mentioned a mustard plaster and his grandma used bear grease!

This morning talking to Lyle Dewar on the phone he recommended lemon and honey and mustard plaster and Buckley's. He claimed you got well really quickly as you never wanted a second application of either (or spoonful). Then when Helen O. called this morning, she said lemon and honey

M.S.S. Kids in the Halls



Cassie Kuntsi

and had fun. On Wednesday, February 3 our girls' volleyball teams are travelling to Elliot Lake for a tournament. We wish you the best of luck, girls and know that you will represent us well! On Tuesday, February 2 our boys' basketball teams are going to away games in Blind River. We hope you do well guys and give it your all. The hockey teams are also coming to the end of their

successful seasons.

To all those Grade 12s who are bursting with excitement yes, your graduation is only five months away! But do you really want your high school memories to dissipate? Grad pictures are coming up quickly, and anyone planning to get their picture taken should sign up as soon as possible.

Speeches for the Royal Canadian Legion public speaking contest will be presented soon and all drafts have been submitted to Ms. Bauer or Mrs. Marshall. We have three seniors and one junior competing, and it

seems like everyone is excited to present their topics. There will be a competition in the school and classes will be invited to attend.

Sign-up for the Stratford trip is starting soon! The trip is open to Grades 11 and 12. The shows you would be going to see are Hamlet, The Sound of Music and Carousel. That is a great selection of plays, and I for one think that the trip is going to be fantastic. Sign up is going to be outside of E9.

Remember, Oklahoma opens at MSS on February 12 and runs until February 14. This would make a wonderful Valentine's Day outing.

So now lets all get into our second semester routines, and enjoy the rest of our school year. 'Til next time, stay golden, Mustangs!

and she had benefitted from her mother's mustard plasters, and used them on her kids too. (Now this mustard thing, how can so many folks be thinking along the same line? They say there are "NO COINCIDENCES", spooky.) Lyle said his mom applied mustard first, then brown paper over it (they greased the paper) and some methods applied the grease and paper against the skin. The burn wasn't as bad, you didn't lose as much hide.

Lyle called to tell me of Erma McAllister passing away, nice lady. He said 'didn't I notice no column last week?' Well my mail is still in the box. Yesterday about supper-time I was outside for the first time since Monday when I faxed my column up to the paper.

I hear a special birthday party to celebrate Eugene (Pyette's) eighty-fifth was held at the beautiful new home of Blair and Marion in Manitowaning on Saturday. Sherry, Dave and Marion (Case) travelled up to Little Current to help Melanie for her (can I say it?) fortieth birthday Saturday evening. It was a nice gathering and family get-together.

Mom went to Susan and Simon's on Saturday evening where Paula and her family (from Sudbury) were there to help celebrate Susan's grandson's 17th birthday; "Happy birthday great-nephew".

I had a call from Sherry Sunday evening. This Saturday is the Triangle Club's roast beef dinner and dance; tickets are available. Don't forget our Sr. U.C.W. Valentine Tea is February 14th starting at 2pm.

Meals on wheels- my darling sister Susan came through the door with a piping hot supper for me: chicken cordon bleu, perogies with bacon, onions and sour cream, garden carrots and cake with strawberries for dessert; a frosty night delivery. Thank you Susan for the soup, Mom for clam chowder and Thursday night meals on wheels. I'm so grateful this week.

I'm stretched out in my chair, I've just had a toasted tomato sandwich for my breakfast and it's nine-thirty-ish. A wake up call from the help line sent me hungry (?) to Mom's and wondering why I'm taking time to put earrings in? I called sis Susan and got a busy signal, obviously I pushed a wrong number; it's lucky I didn't panic. I walked around figuring it's quicker than shoveling snow off my vehicle and made it as our wonderful first response team came barreling in, despite misdirection of address. It's so reassuring when they are on the scene. There were five that I saw, probably more outside. Thanks so much. Mom was pale, had taken a dizzy and weak spell, Susan Ward was close behind me and soon a couple of young ladies on the ambulance, so efficient and capable. I called Susan again and got her this time, she went to Mindemoya, and afterward Pauline went up too. Susan had an appointment in Espanola so Pauline drove me home. Joyce phoned looking for Mom (I forgot the note), Sherry phoned and Tara was in.

I'm going to close my eyes so I won't see my "shadow" today.

Mom called, she is back home again and our days are interesting.

Providence Bay News and Notes

Our prayers go out to the McAllister family in the passing of Erma. She was a very kind lady and will be missed. We had quite a few conversations and I always told her she was an inspiration to all of us.

On February 5 there will

be a pancake breakfast at the Providence Bay Curling Club from 7:30 to 9:30 am.

All are welcome.

Please keep an eye on our seniors and veterans at this time of year. Please check on them invite them

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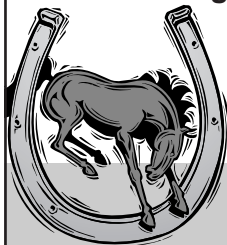
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Questions or concerns about diabetes? We can help. Please contact the MHC Diabetes Training and Care Centre. Individual and group appointments available with a registered nurse or dietitian certified in diabetes education. Clinics in Little Current, Mindemoya, Silver Water, Gore Bay and Manitowaning. Please call 705-368-2300 ext. 2415 for more information. Self-referrals accepted.

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for sale

Used Kenmore washer and dryer in good condition, \$175 obo. Call 705-368-1173.

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One Blodgett Sho-E commercial electric convection oven, \$1,750. Contact Mike at 705-368-1357.

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White outdoor two stage snow thrower, 22" 5 HP, as is. Call 705-368-2627.

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wanted

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

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#348 Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps: Sea Cadets meet each Monday from 6:30 pm to 9 pm, 2nd floor NEMI arena, ages 12 to 18. For information call 705-368-2031.

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rentals

**OFFICE SPACE
FOR RENT**

Prime downtown Little Current location. 530sq.ft. - washroom, fully air conditioned, attractively decorated and fantastic harbour view. This second floor location is offered for immediate occupancy.
Call Jim at 705-368-2271



Sandfield--Small two-bedroom home, 750 sq. ft. main floor, unfinished basement, \$625 per month plus hydro, references required. No smoking. Available immediately. 519-352-2828.

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LITTLE CURRENT—Large two-bedroom apartment, ground level entrance, large rear yard, appliances included. Available immediately! Call Steve at 705-368-2381.

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Tehkummah house for rent. Nice cozy two bedroom home, oil heat, kitchen appliances, washer and clothes dryer included in rent. No pets and no smoking, asking \$800/month plus utilities. First and last months' rent required. Call Laura Frank, 705-859-3297.

37-38c

There are two one-bedroom apartments for rent in a 55-plus seniors' building in Little Current. Dishwasher, fridge, stove, microwave, heat and hydro, all included. \$850 and \$900. Call Bryan at 705-348-1167.

38-40c

One 1.5 bedroom apartment for rent in Little Current. Dishwasher, fridge, stove, microwave, all included. \$800 plus hydro. Call Bryan at 705-348-1167.

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M'CHIGEENG—Two-bedroom house for rent, \$650 per month plus utilities, no smoking. Available February. Please leave message, 705-493-5498.

38-39c

Commercial space for rent on main street in Mindemoya, 800 sq. ft., has own washroom, all utilities included. Available April 1. For more info, call or email Annette Pearson, 705-377-4770 or 705-377-5466, nettip@amt-elecom.net.

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rentals

Newly renovated two-bedroom apartment, 34 Draper Street, Little Current, full-sized family room, kitchen, close to all amenities. Asking \$825/month plus utilities. Call Mike at 416-906-4138.

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rental wanted

Wanted pasture land to rent for approximately 10 horses for summer months. Contact Ken Albrecht at 519-698-0143.

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New hospital employees looking for rentals in Little Current: houses, apartments or rooms. Please contact Connie Laidley at 705-368-2300, Ext 2504 or email: claidley@mhc.on.ca.

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coming events

Valentine Buffet Dinner, Saturday, February 14, Little Current Legion. Two sittings: 5 pm and 6:30 pm. Advance tickets only. Price: \$15 per person (tax included). For tickets call 705-368-2465 or may be purchased at the Legion. Buffet: Chicken, ham, baked potato, salads and dessert. Deadline for tickets is February 11. Valentine Dance, 9 pm to 1 am. Price: \$5 per person. Music by D.J. Light lunch included. Come and celebrate this special day and support Legion Branch 177.

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Valentine Dinner, roast pork with all the trimmings, February 13 at 5:30 pm, Sheguiandah Seniors Hall, \$15 per person. Tickets for this supper can be purchased from Myrna at 705-368-3638 or Dale at 705-368-2855. Only 100 tickets to be sold.

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coming events

Sweetheart Dinner and Dance, licensed, sponsored by the Tehkummah Senior's Club. February 7. Roast beef dinner at 6 pm, dance at 8 pm. Dinner tickets \$16, dinner and dance \$25, dance \$10, band Robbie Shawana, cash bar, 50/50 at dance. Limited tickets available, for tickets call Linda at 705-859-3579, Mary 705-859-2562 or Marg 705-859-3738.

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Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, Tuesday, February 17 at All Saints Anglican Church, Gore Bay, 5 pm to 7 pm. Adults, \$8; under 6, \$4. Pancakes, sausages, whipped cream, strawberries, maple syrup. Auspices of Anglican Church Women.

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Shrove Tuesday Supper, February 17 from 4:30-7pm, Sheguiandah Seniors' Hall. Serving pancakes, waffles, bacon, sausages, fruit salad, tea and coffee, \$10 a person.

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The Creation Station at N.E.M.I. Public Library, Fridays from 10 am to 1 pm, come join us for painting; please bring your own supplies.

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Only a few days left to send your Valentine's poem to The Expositor Office for a chance to win dinner for two at the Manitoulin Island restaurant of your choice. The theme should echo the emotions associated with the spirit of the Valentine's Day tradition. Please submit your entries by 5 pm this Friday, February 6. You can bring them to either the Expositor Office in Little Current or the Recorder in Gore Bay. You can email them to editor@manitoulin.ca or you can fax your entry to 705-368-3822. We will publish as many entries as possible next week, February 11, in the paper before Valentine's Day.

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Passport photos are taken Tuesday to Friday at the Expositor Office. \$20.50 including tax. **Must make an appointment.** 705-368-2744.

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

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

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

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Myalgic Encephalomyelitis Chronic Fatigue Syndrome. To receive adult or youth/parent information on Myalgic Encephalomyelitis, more commonly known as Chronic Fatigue Syndrome, or to volunteer with our Association, please contact: The Myalgic Encephalomyelitis Association of Ontario. Tel: 416-222-8820 or 1-877-632-6682 (outside GTA) or write to: Ste. 402, 170 Donway West, Toronto, ON M3C 2G3. Please visit our web site at: www.meao.ca.

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Parkinson's Disease Support Group. For those affected by the disease and their caregivers, meetings will be the third Thursday of every month (no meetings in July and August) starting January 21, 2010, 1:30 - 3:30 pm, VON office, Mindemoya, 6062 Hwy 542. Call Marilyn at 705-368-0756, Ext 238 if there are any questions. All welcome.

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

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Invitation

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Time: **7:00pm – 11:00pm**
Live Music □ Light lunch □ Legion running cash bar

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KAGAWONG WINTERFEST

February 20 & 21



FRIDAY EVENING:

7:00 pm to 10:00 pm - Wine & Cheese Reception with "Folk Roots Collective" in
concert at 7:45 pm (Advance Tickets \$20.00 per person or \$25.00 per person at the
Door) **** Limited Seating **** Call 705-282-8044 or 705-282-6252 for details

SATURDAY:

8:00 am to 11:00 am - Pancake Breakfast
10:00 am to 1:00 pm * Outdoors *
Bon Fire - Snow Mountain – Maple Taffey – Hot Chocolate – Hot Dogs
Marshmallows - Billings Fire Department – Vintage Snowmobile Display
10:00 am to 2:00 pm – Auberge Inn – Snowshoe Rentals
11:30 am to 1:00 pm * Indoors *
Billings Fire Department - OPP - Manitoulin Snowdusters – Kat's Pet Supplies
"Winter on Manitoulin Island" Photo Display & Poetry Submissions
11:00 to 12:00 - "North Wind Adventure"
Snow Kite Q & A (sign up for demo)
11:30 am to 1:00 pm - Canteen (chili, roll,
dessert, beverage, soup) Beaver Tails
Chili Cook Off (\$50.00 to People's Choice) and
"Snowflake Cafe"
1:00 pm - Chili Cook Off winner announced -
Euchre Tournament
"North Wind Adventure" Snow Kite Demo
(Mudge Bay)
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm - Kids Activities at the Out-
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Are you an enthusiastic individual looking for a chal-
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trict Health Centre, along with our community partners
from Spanish to Echo Bay including Manitoulin and St.
Joseph Islands are looking for you. We are seeking a
'Recruiter Intern' who will be responsible for recruit-
ing and retaining physicians, nurses and allied profes-
sionals. To find out more about this exciting position go
to: www.brdhc.on.ca

The Blind River District Health centre is also looking
for:

- 1 Temporary Part Time (6 Month Contract)Ward Clerk
– Weekend/Vacation Relief (Thessalon Hospital)
- Registered Nurse (Mathews Memorial Hospital)
- Registered Practical Nurse (Blind River)
- Registered Nurse (Blind River)
- Casual Diagnostic Imaging (Mathews Memorial Hos-
pital)

To find out more about these
positions go to: www.brdhc.on.ca



Email your advertisement!

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SUMMER STUDENT HELP WANTED

**The Town of Northeastern Manitoulin
and the Islands**
has openings for several students in
different departments within the
Municipality.
These opportunities range from
Marine Services to the Municipal Offices.

**We encourage students to apply by
Friday, February 27th, 2015.**

Apply to Pam Cress at the Town office
pcress@townofnemi.on.ca
FAX 705 368-2245



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OJIBWE CULTURAL FOUNDATION EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

POSITION: CULTURAL TOURISM COORDINATOR

DESCRIPTION
The Cultural Tourism Coordinator will enhance the OCF's competitiveness and position in the regional tourism market by developing new cultural tourism content and providing overall direction to the OCF cultural tourism initiative.

QUALIFICATIONS
Post secondary diploma/ degree in hospitality and tourism management or business and work experience in cultural tourism sector

DUTIES

- Overall management, development, implementation and marketing of OCF Cultural Tourism activities.
- Identify and liaise with prospective private and public funders and prepare grants/proposals.
- Project related reporting with funding agencies and to the OCF Board of Directors.
- Responsible for the development and marketing of the OCF's facilities and heritage assets to the general public and interest groups across the province and the region.
- Acts as a liaison and/or resource to First Nations and other communities.
- Undertake collaborative engagement with prospective partners, service users and clients in the tourism sector
- Develop, implement and revise OCF marketing strategy.
- Develop and implement evaluation protocol for OCF cultural tourism initiative
- Prepare evaluation analysis.

SKILLS/KNOWLEDGE

- Knowledge of Anishinaabemowin and Anishinaabe culture and history an asset
- Knowledge of museum and art gallery operations
- Knowledge of cultural tourism sector and regional tourism market.
- Marketing knowledge and skills
- Knowledge of public and private funding agencies
- Strong computer and social media skills
- Research and development of proposals and strong proposal writing skills
- Strong organizational skills and ability to function proactively in multi-task work environment
- Must have vehicle and be a licensed driver

Salary based on qualifications and experience
12 month contract
Closing date February 12, 2015

Contact: Sophie Corbiere
Financial Officer
Ojibwe Cultural Foundation
P.O. Box 287
M'Chigeeng Ontario
Phone : (705) 377-4902
e-mail: sophie@ojibweculture.ca



MUNICIPALITY OF CENTRAL MANITOULIN JOB OPPORTUNITIES SUMMER STUDENTS

The Municipality of Central Manitoulin has the following positions available for the summer of 2015:

- (1) Labourer (8 week term)
- (1) Labourer (15 week term. University or College level student required.)
- (1) Summer Fun Program Leader – Providence Bay (8 week term. University or College level student preferred.)
- (1) Summer Fun Program Assistant – Providence Bay (8 week term)
- (3) Information Booth/Museum Attendant (9 week term)
- (1) Swimming Instructor (7 week term)
- (1) Assistant Swimming Instructor (7 week term)
- (3) Interpretive Centre Hosts (10 week term. University or College level student required.)

Eligible students must be planning to return to school full time in the fall, be eligible to work in Canada as well as be at least 15 years of age upon commencement of employment.

Further details are available at the Municipal Office.
Deadline for receiving applications is 4:30 p.m. on Friday, February 21st, 2014.

Please direct all inquiries and applications to:

Rosalind Seabrook
Municipality of Central Manitoulin
P.O. Box 187
Mindemoya, ON P0P 1S0
Phone: 705-377-5726
Fax: 705-377-5585
Email: centralaa@amtelecom.net

Only those persons invited for an interview will be contacted.

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**Requires the services of a
CEMETERY SPECIALIST AND GROUNDSKEEPER**

The Township of Assiginack requires the services of a worker, to work on a contract basis to perform the tasks assigned to the Cemetery Specialist. These duties include but are not limited to grounds maintenance, internment services (familiarity with equipment and hand tools) and care and respect for the final resting place of our community.

Access to own equipment would be an asset.

**This is a seasonal contract position.
It will involve periods of long hours and constant attention.**

A detailed job description is available from the undersigned.
Written applications will be received until **4:00 pm, Friday, February 25th.**

Alton Hobbs, CAO
Township of Assiginack
Box 238, Manitowaning, ON P0P 1N0
705 859 3196 • clerktreasurer@eastlink.ca
'Only those selected for an interview will receive further notice'



SOCIAL WORKER (Espanola/Manitoulin Island)

Rainbow District School Board with schools in Sudbury, Espanola and Manitoulin Island requires a Social Worker to work under the Supervision of the Chief Psychologist supporting our schools in Espanola and on Manitoulin Island. The Social Worker will provide social work services including, working with school staff to identify and to help in removing obstacles that interfere with a student's ability to learn and to meet with academic success. The Social Worker will be performing clinical assessments and counselling of individual students experiencing social/emotional/behavioural difficulties including supporting and intervention with their families, as appropriate; consultation and collaboration with school personnel and community agencies to provide for the wellbeing of students. The Social Worker will strive to enhance the academic success and social-emotional wellbeing of each student.

The successful candidates must have a Masters in Social Work, be registered with the College of Social Workers of Ontario and have extensive experience working in the area of youth mental health. Several years of experience conducting social work assessments and formulating and implementing treatment plans that include therapeutic services CBT, Brief Solution Focused therapy and family therapy as required. Candidates should have knowledge of relevant legislation and excellent communication and report writing skills. Ability to work collaboratively within a multidisciplinary team is required.

Interested applicants should reply by **noon Tuesday February 17, 2015** and submit a covering letter, résumé, proof of Masters of Social Work, proof of registration with the College of Social Work and the names of three professional references to:

**Senior Administrator Human Resources
Rainbow District School Board
69 Young Street, Sudbury, ON, P3E 3G5
Email: HR@rainbowschools.ca**

Rainbow District School Board thanks all applicants for their interest in the public school system. Only the applicants who are selected for an interview will be contacted prior to March 16, 2015. The candidates selected for the position will have to provide a criminal record check.

In accordance with the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, personal information will be used for employee recruitment purposes. Questions should be directed to the above.

The Rainbow District School Board is an equal opportunity employer.

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Board Chair

Norm Blaseg
Director of Education

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Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services Employment Opportunity

Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services currently delivers Prevention Services (Child and Family Services and Community Support) and Foster Care services in collaboration with our member First Nations. Currently KGCFs is in a transitional phase towards designation as a Children's Aid Society to deliver Child Welfare services with our member First Nations within the Districts of Sudbury and Manitoulin.

KGCFs makes every effort to ensure all services provided are respectful of the communities that are serviced; respectful of the culture, language, beliefs, customs and practices of the Ojibway-Odawa-Pottawatomi peoples.

We are currently recruiting a professional and progressive individual to join our team in the following capacity:

- Specialized Services Coordinator (1 Full Time, Two Year Contract)**

Under the direction of the Manager of Resources, the Specialized Services Coordinator will administer and coordinate volunteer and parent support programs. He or she will also maintain the human resources for the volunteer and parent support resources and will ensure compliance with KGCFs policies.

For additional information or to obtain a detailed job description, please visit our website at www.kgcfs.org/employment.

We invite applicants to submit a cover letter, resume, and three letters of reference (one from most recent/current employer) marked confidential to:

By Mail:
Kina Gbezhgomi Child and Family Services
Attention: Human Resources, Specialized Services Coordinator
98 Pottawatomi Avenue, Wikwemikong, Ontario P0P 2J0
By Fax: 705-859-2195
By Email: hr@kgcfs.org
Closing Date: Friday, February 13, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.

All applications are appreciated; however, only those candidates selected for an interview will be contacted. The successful applicant will be required to submit a criminal reference check including a vulnerable sector screening and a driver's abstract.

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M'CHIGEENG FIRST NATION CUSTOM ELECTION CODE 2005

CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER 2015

INVITATION TO TENDER

The M'Chigeeng First Nation is requesting tenders from qualified persons to serve as an Electoral Officer for the CUSTOM ELECTION to be held on M'Chigeeng First Nation.

The M'Chigeeng First Nation has a membership of 2,525 registered members. The majority of membership is off-reserve. Two-Year Term of Office.

PURPOSE: To administer the registration of voters, the nominations process and conduct the taking and counting of a vote under the M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code and Election Code Regulations.

To exercise the powers, and perform the duties set out in the M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code and Election Code Regulations and such duties as are assigned by the Council.

SUMMARY: The successful candidate will ensure the duties and responsibilities as set out within the M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code and Election Code Regulations are carried out.

The successful candidate must not nominate or second a candidate, or stand as a candidate, in the election. The successful candidate may not be a member of the Election Appeal Committee.

REQUIREMENT: An Electoral Officer, must prior to appointment, provide to the Council with an undertaking to discharge their duties and responsibilities of the position in a fair and neutral manner. The Electoral Officer must possess a high degree of professionalism, integrity and confidentiality.

SCOPE OF WORK:
Responsibilities:
The Contractor shall perform all services required of an electoral officer pursuant to the Custom Election Code to conduct the Election including, but not limited to, the following:

1. Adherence to the M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code;
2. Determine the positions to be elected;
3. Conduct the Election in accordance with the Code;
4. Strict adhere to the Election timeline as per the MFN Custom Election Code;
5. Report the results of the Election to the members of the First Nation immediately after the filing of the return of poll;
6. The final report on the overall election must be provided to the First Nation upon completion of the Election.

In addition to the Duties of Electoral Officer as outline in Part 4 Section 24 of the M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code, the Electoral Officer will be responsible to provide:

- An election report and results to Chief and Council, First Nation, Band Membership
- A Training session to the Election/Appeal Committee as required

➤ **Tender Submission** must include the following information and documents:

- Details of work to be performed with a cost breakdown and description of resources to complete thereof;
- Previous election experience performed;
- Three (3) written reference letters from other First Nations, which is subject to reference checks

To request a copy of the **M'Chigeeng First Nation Custom Election Code 2005**, Timeline, and/or to ask questions, please contact Brenda Ense, Chief Administrative Officer at (705) 377-5362, ext. 202 or via email chiefadminofficer@mchigeeng.ca.

Sealed Tenders will be accepted by the undersigned up until FEBRUARY 23, 2015 at 4:00 p.m.

**Attn: Chief & Council
c/o Chief Administrative Officer
M'Chigeeng First Nation
P.O. Box 333
M'CHIGEENG, Ontario
P0P 1G0**

www.mchigeeng.ca

Posted: January 30, 2015

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Town of Northeastern Manitoulin and the Islands PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given under Section 251 of the Municipal Act S.O. 2001 **that a Special Council meeting is scheduled for Thursday, February 5th for public input on the draft Budget.**

The public is invited to review the draft 2015 municipal budget. Copies of this document will be available at the Municipal Office (14 Water Street) as of Friday, January 30, 2015. Individuals wishing to make a presentation to Council will have an opportunity on the evening of Thursday, February 5th at 7:00 p.m. at the NEMI Recreation Centre in the main hall.

Individuals wishing to make a presentation will be limited to 5 minutes.

Pam Cress, Clerk
Phone: 705-368-3500 ext. 228

Barbara's Family Hair Care is closing its doors after 26 years at the Tehkummah location.

I would like to thank all my clientele for their continued support of my home-based business. I will be using the next couple of months to help transition people, including giving them their file information to carry forward.

For anyone who has gift certificates, please contact me for a cash rebate.

I hope you will support me with my decision, I will miss you all.

**Thank you again,
Barbara McMurray**

The Little Current Curling Club has ice rental and/or their licensed clubhouse available to host your next party, gathering or meeting. For further details or to book your date, please call Dawn at 705-968-1454 or 705-368-1454.

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 **thank you**

The family of George Boyd wishes to thank everyone for their care and support during George's illness and passing. We extend our sincere gratitude to Dr. McRae and staff, Dr. Pearce and the Cancer Centre, the staff at Daffodil Terrace Lodge, Bayshore Home Health both on the Island and in Sudbury, the Sudbury Hospital and the staff at the Mindemoya Hospital. We are very grateful to the EMS for bringing George home to Manitoulin to Mindemoya Hospital where he received excellent palliative care. We wish to thank Stewart Simpson and staff at Culgin's Funeral Home for their expertise and caring assistance. We would like to express deep appreciation for the floral arrangements, memorial donations, cards, emails, phone calls, food brought to the house, fruit baskets and comforting words. Your kindness, support and messages of sympathy have been a great comfort in our bereavement. We especially thank Rev. Maxine McVey, Sally Orford, Peter Gordon, Nancy Pantton, Aus Hunt, Ron Young, Manitoulin-North Shore Navy Vets, Gore Bay Legion and the Kagawong UCW and ACW. Lastly our heartfelt thanks to our wonderful neighbours Martin, Betty, Muriel and Jack. Sincerely Lillian, Tom, Peggy Clayton and the children.

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 **in memoriam**

WRIGHT—In memory of a dear sister and aunt, Marilyn Wright, February 9, 2014. I'm Free Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free; I took His hand when I heard Him call; I turned my back and left it all. If my parting has left a void; Then fill it with remembered joy. My life's been full, I savored much; Good friends, good times, A loved one's touch. A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss; Ah yes, these things, I took, will miss. Perhaps my time seemed all too brief; Don't lengthen it now with undue grief. Lift up your hearts and share with me; God wanted me now, He set me free. Love Garry and Judy Middaugh, Steve and Barb Middaugh, and families.

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farm facts and furrows

by OMAFRA Ag Rep Brian Bell



Salt and mineral for pregnant cows

March and April are spring calving months for many beef herds. Cows are usually feeding on hay with no supplement. While average quality hay is often adequate in meeting the nutritional needs of cows in early pregnancy stages it is often deficient for later stages and after calving. Supplementing the hay with grain is often advised but rarely happens because of cost, availability and difficulty feeding. This makes feeding salt and mineral particularly important. A 1:1 calcium-phosphorous mineral is a good choice for mixed legume/grass hay diet for pregnant cows. Magnesium and selenium are critical also. Select a mineral with about 4 percent magnesium. Most Ontario soils are deficient in selenium. Selenium deficiency can lead to white muscle disease in

young calves. Salt deficiency can result in reduced appetite, growth and milk production. Some mineral mixes have salt added while others don't. Salt increases the palatability and resulting consumption of minerals. Here are some guidelines for feeding salt and mineral. A trace mineral block usually doesn't provide all the minerals required such as calcium and phosphorus. Mix a 1:1 calcium/phosphorus mineral with cobalt iodized blue salt at 1 part mineral to 1 part salt. Salt increases palatability. Salt blocks can be provided with loose mineral as an alternative method of feeding salt. Mineral should be available at all times. Put out what the cow will clean up in a day or two to avoid it becoming caked or soiled.

Feeding pregnant ewes
 The profitability of a sheep enterprise

depends on the number of lambs sold and the number raised to market is a reflection of the complete management of the flock throughout the year. One of the critical points in this management cycle is lambing and proper feeding of ewes can have a positive impact. The ewe is required to deliver strong healthy lambs and to have sufficient milk to raise those lambs. Her ability to do this is a reflection of the gestation management. Throughout much of the gestation period a diet of good hay should suffice. In the last six weeks, grain can be fed in addition to hay to allow for the growing lambs, the development of the udder, and the fat reserves of the ewe for lactation. The amount of supplementary feed depends on the size and body condition of the ewes and the quality of forage being fed. At lambing the body score should be between 3 and

3.5. Care must be taken not to feed too much grain early in gestation, gradually increasing the amount allows for lamb development. A leveling out or fall in late pregnancy grain intake can result in pregnancy toxemia and death of the lamb(s) in utero. Conversely, too little grain will give an undersized, weak lamb with a poor chance of survival. Also, the ewe will have insufficient udder development for a good lactation. Not less than four weeks before the due date of the first ewe, all the ewes should receive a booster vaccination against the clostridia group of diseases, (all first lamb ewes should have completed the primary vaccination course before breeding) and an injection of Vitamin E/selenium. If they are not to be sheared, they should at least be crutched to remove excess wool from the udder area.

Death Notices

MARK CRONK



In loving memory of Mark Cronk, who passed away on January 28, 2015 with family and loved ones by his side. Son of the late John and Laurinda Cronk. Beloved partner to Beatrice Lee. Dearly loved by his children, Steven (Lina), John (Shelley), Lauri Wardell (Rory), Corrie Taylor (Paul), Katie Barnes (Jay),

Tammy Farmer (Peter), and their mother Florence. Beloved grandfather of 16 grandchildren, Brian (Lisa), Tommy (Emma), Mitchell Stringer (Kaitlyn), Chrystal Jones, Lisa Therriault, Mark, Layla, Kiana, Cole Wardell, Amanda Burns (Scott), Kendra Taylor, Kaedan Cronk, Emery Farmer, Braedan, Ashton, Kolton Barnes. Great-grandfather to Nathan Paquette, Cohen Therriault, Evan Jones, Carter Mulally, Hannah Stringer and baby girl Cronk (February 11, 2015). Dearly missed by his siblings, Laura Mulville (Ron Thornton, predeceased), Gladys Beland (Clifford), Peggy Thibault (Earl Dahl), Ross, Charles (Chris Racey), MaryEllen Thompson (Ron). Predeceased by brothers Thomas, Del and Billy. Lovingly remembered by his many nieces and nephews, the Day/D'Aoust family, (Betty D'Aoust predeceased) and her children. Cherished and loved by the Clark family. Visitation will take place at the Culgin Funeral Home in Gore Bay on February 7, 2015 at 11 am, followed by the funeral service at 1 pm. In lieu of flowers, donations to Canadian Transplant Association (www.organ-donations-works.org) or to the Manitoulin Health Centre's "Sweet Slumber" fundraising campaign. Online condolences may be left at www.culgin-funeralhome.ca.

BERNADETTE MARY RECOLLETE

Bernadette Mary Recollet, a resident of Wikemikong, died peacefully at the Manitoulin Health Centre, on Saturday, January 31, 2015 at the age of 66. Born to Margaret Wahsquonaikzhik Corbiere and John Wahsquonaikzhik at Birch Island on February 14, 1948. Beloved wife of Stanley Recollet (predeceased). Loved mother of Luke (Tara), Robyn, Beverly, Jason, Denise, Kim, Roger(predeceased) and Joseph(predeceased). Proud grandmother of Kayleigh, Kristen, Natasha, Luke Jr., Jennifer, Andrew, Jaiden, Micheal, Stephanie, Allan, Adrian, Colton, McKayla, McKenzie, Emma, Hope, Alexis, Megan and Cassandra. Cherished great-grandmother of Isabella, Aubryanna, Annabella, Natalie, Seth, Kylie, Sophia, Nevaeh-Lee and Shadyn . Loving sister of Theresa (Tully), Christine (Cecil), Josette, Jean, Earnest (Annette), Francis (Beverly) and Christopher. Predeceased by sisters Rita, Annette, Bertha, Celina, Patricia, Ida, as well as brothers Adam and Gabriel. Will always be remembered by many nieces, nephews and friends. Bernadette loved spending time with her grandchildren, planting and taking care of her rosebushes and her pets. She also loved to play bingo, scratch tickets and casino games. Known for her crafts and handcrafted star blankets, she was also a special babysitter to Nicholas McGregor. Family and friends gathered at 52 Bayview Heights, Wikwemikong on Monday, February 2, 2015 beginning at 5 pm. Funeral Services will be at Holy Cross Mission on Wednesday, February 4, 2015 at 3 pm with Father Henk van Meijel officiating. Burial will be at Wikwemikong Upper Cemetery. Record your thoughts, memories and photos at www.islandfuneralhome.ca.

ERMA ARABELLA MCALLISTER



In Honour of Erma Arabella McAllister who died peacefully at the Mindemoya Hospital on Saturday, January 31, 2015 at the age of 97. Predeceased by husband Peter. Beloved mother of Rosemarie (Allen Eagleson) and David (Connie) of Grimesthorpe. Proud grandmother of Teresa (David Duffort), Leigh Anne (Louis Gelinass),

Brenton (Michelle), Tracey (Royce Young), Tammey McAllister (Brent Assinewai), and cherished great-grandmother of Graham, Caroline, Carson, Lakeisha (Stephane), Kalina, Katilyn, Kelsey, Christina, Lexis, Ava and Easton. Predeceased by all her siblings, Doris (William McColeman), Thomas McMillan (Ethel), Christina (John Johnston), Harold McMillan (Ilene). Remembered by daughter-in-law Heather Tremblay. Family and friends will gather at St. Francis of Assisi Anglican Church, Mindemoya, Ontario. Visitation was from 2 to 4 pm and 7 pm to 9 pm on Tuesday, February 3, 2015. Funeral Service will be at 11 am on Wednesday, February 4, 2015. Burial in the spring at Mindemoya Cemetery.

*A Fallen Limb
 A limb has fallen from the family tree.
 I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me.
 Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.
 The good life I lived while I was strong.
 Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.
 Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.
 My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.
 Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.
 Continue traditions, no matter how small.
 Go on with your life, don't worry about falls
 I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.
 Until the day comes we're together again."*

MARION "JEANNE" BENNING



On January 29, 2015, Jeanne slipped away peacefully with loving partner Karl Campbell by her side after a courageous battle with illness. Predeceased by her parents Marguerite and Ernest Matthews, Ronald Marshall (1979) and John Benning (1995). Loving mother to Catherine (Denis), Carolyn (George), Rhonda (Shane), Donna (Doug), Michael (Kathleen), Ward, Wade, Wanita-Jo, and Wendy. Dear sister to Bob Jones (Ruth), Jack Matthews (predeceased), Dorothy (Bernie), Marlene and Joy. Memories of time spent with Grandma and Aunt Jeanne will be forever cherished by her many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and friends. For family and friends who knew her, there will be Celebrations of Life in Honora and Dunnville, Ontario in the spring. Jeanne's favorite past times were spending time with family and friends, reading, baking, bowling, bingo, fishing, travelling and listening to music. Donations to the Salvation Army or a charity of your choice would be appreciated in Jeanne's memory. Record your thoughts, memories and photos at www.islandfuneralhome.ca.

MILLICENT "MILLIE" DESMOULIN NOVEMBER 30, 1956 - JANUARY 28, 2015

In loving memory of Millicent "Millie" Desmoulin who passed away peacefully on Wednesday, January 28, 2015 at the Manitoulin Health Centre. Millie leaves behind her special and long time friend John "Johne" Beaudry, loving daughter Melissa (husband Brian), mother Charlotte, sister Jane, grandchildren Faith, Breanne, Hope, Alex, Meredith, and her niece Gabrielle. Special mother to Karen Francis. Beloved mother to the late Natasha Desmoulin and special daughter to the late Adelaine Desmoulin. Cherished sister to Jeanette Eshkawkogan (husband Ivan), Archie Desmoulin, daughter-in-law to Charlotte Beaudry and sister-in-law to Doreen Trudeau, Bernadette, Marjorie, Roseanne, Stanley, Sarah and Stewart Beaudry. Special friend to Eleanor Abel, Cindy Ominika, Marjorie Trudeau, and Elsie Jamieson. Also survived by her Francis, Peltier, Trudeau, and Manitowabi families. Sadly missed by many nieces, nephews, godchildren, and friends. She will be greatly missed by her ministry family and her quilting friends at Amikook. She will also be missed by her pets "Mkoos", "Nongos", and "Kwejim". Millie was well known in her community and other First Nation communities for her palliative care. She enjoyed playing bingo, scratch tickets, Keno, and going to the casino. She loved making crafts and sharing her knowledge of teaching crafts to community organizations. She was the founder of Sunday School at Holy Cross. She strongly continued to be active with prayer groups at Holy Cross. Speaking and saying prayers in the Anishinaabemowin language was a great asset to her and in her community. This is the day, that the Lord has made, I will rejoice and be glad in it. Visitation was from 2 pm Friday, January 30, 3015 at the St. Ignatius Church, Buzwah. Funeral Service was conducted at Holy Cross Mission at 11 am on Monday, February 2, 2015. Burial followed at the Wikwemikong Cemetery. Fr. Henk van Meijel officiated.

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



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AFFORDABLE COUNTRY LIVING - On the outskirts of Providence Bay! This very rustic haven is located on Government Rd only 20 mins from the ferry & only 15 mins from Mindemoya & amenities. The cottage comes furnished with bunk beds which sleep 6 to 8 people. The sleeping quarters are separate from the kitchen & dining/living room open concept. A newer double size detached garage with a solid concrete pad & a drilled well adorn the property. Asking \$129,000. MLS#1028551



COUNTRY LIVING IN THE HEART OF MANITOULIN ISLAND!! - Located on a year round well maintained road 7 km from the town of Spring Bay. Only 20 mins to the town of Mindemoya, Gore Bay or Providence Bay where you can find shopping, golf courses & beaches. This 3 + 1 bdrm home on a large 1 acre private lot has many upgrades including new septic, water treatment system, hot water tank, water pump & pressure tank. Priced to sell at only \$119,000. MLS#1028207



CENTRAL MANITOULIN LOG HOME WITH 670 FT OF SAND BEACH!! - Magnificent log home with garages & outbuildings & 3 magnificent log cottages. Spectacular south facing view over Lake Huron. This spectacular 7.8 acre property comes with tennis & bocci courts & a hard-topped laneway. The main log house has a wonderful kitchen, heated ceramic tile flooring, 2 fireplaces & a solarium sunroom. All this is located in the waterfront subdivision of Dominion Bay amongst other quality built homes & the privacy of this lot is absolutely fabulous. The amenities of the town of Mindemoya are only 20 min. away. Call for full details. MLS#1027298



AMAZING PROPERTY & AMAZING HOME !! - Beautiful sand beach luxury home, nicely secluded on the south shore of Manitoulin. South facing over Lake Huron, 5 bdrms, 4 baths, 2 kitchens, large double garage only 20 mins from Mindemoya. They don't come any nicer than this one. Please call for more information. MLS#1027254



ENDLESS SEA OF BEAUTY !! - Fantastic southern view over Lake Huron located on the sandy beach shoreline of Dominion Bay. This beautiful two story home features an upstairs living room for a great panoramic view & a master bdrm with en-suite. The main floor has 2 additional bdrms & full bath with magnificent ceramic tile flooring. There is also a single detached fully finished garage. The landscaping is all natural with absolutely no grass to cut. Asking \$350,000. MLS#1027151



BEAUTIFUL HOME ON 67 ACRES IN THE TOWN OF MINDEMOYA!! - Located within walking distance of Mindemoya's amenities, this beautifully landscaped home has 3 bdrms on the main floor & a self-contained separate entrance granny flat in the basement. The property is great deer & duck hunting with hundreds of feet of shoreline on Mud Lake. The house is on drilled well & septic so no town water bills to deal with. Asking \$259,000. MLS#1026338

LARGE TWO BEDROOM BUNGALOW IN MANITOWANING!!

This 1440 Sq. ft. home comes with a full mostly finished basement, 2 propane fireplaces, a 24 X 24 attached garage plus 14 X 12 workshop and is located on a quiet dead end street. It is walking distance to downtown and public sand beach. This property is being sold 'as is' and in 'as is' condition and needs just a bit of TLC. Asking \$209,900. MLS#1028808

VACANT SOUTH BAY BUILDING LOT - Walking distance to ferry & shopping and marina. Access off of municipal road. Building lot beside is also for sale. List price \$19,900. MLS#1028286
VACANT BUILDING LOT IN SOUTH BAY-MOUTH!! - Access off of a municipal road a short walk to the marina, shopping and the ferry. Cleared building site with driveway only \$19,900. Vacant building lot adjacent to it also available. MLS#1028285
MINDEMOYA - Beautiful, manicured building lot with perfect, panoramic view over Lake Mindemoya. Good sand bottom for swimming with government boat launch 50 yards down the road, & golf course only a good three wood shot away. Natural spring on property offering great landscaping potential. Asking \$95,000. MLS#1026199
INEXPENSIVE BUILDING LOT IN MANITOWANING! - This great little building lot is only a short walk to the downtown stores and beautiful sand beach and public boat docks. Hydro, telephone, water and sewer available at the lot line. The capital upgrade charge for the water and sewer is only \$2662 and is paid by a small monthly charge added on to the water bill over a 20 year time frame. Asking \$7,500. MLS#1023392

3 PLUS ONE BDRM GORE BAY BUNGALOW !!

Beautiful well maintained high-end home located in prestigious area of Gore Bay, a short walk to downtown. This property is located on a quiet dead end street & the school is also a short walk. The house comes fully furnished with in floor heating & walk out basement, large double sized attached garage & workshop & a brand new sauna. The lot is beautifully manicured with a stream running through back of the lot. Asking \$235,000. MLS#1027176



2 + 1 BDRM WATERFRONT HOME IN A PRIVATE SETTING!! - The kid-safe swimming area has a nice sand bottom. The beautiful modular home has a fully finished walkout basement & a really nice L shaped deck & comes with a large 26 X 40 insulated garage/workshop. Both the house & garage have in-floor radiant heating system from an external wood heating stove stored inside a large steel sea container which is also used for wood storage. Reduced to \$390,000. MLS#1025451

NEWER 2 + 1 BDRM HOME WITH BEAUTIFUL BALD ROCK SHORELINE

Located along Lake Huron Drive's Lonely Bay, this year round home has plenty of character with a raised kitchen & living room, a sunken master bedroom with en-suite & a walkout to the lake, as well as a sunken screened in sunroom with a pan abode view over the endless water of Lake Huron. Only 15 mins from the amenities of Mindemoya or the renowned sand beach of Providence Bay. Reduced to \$249,000. MLS#1022862



ON GOLDEN POND!! - Enjoy beautiful sunsets on this west facing building lot. Located on Lake Huron's Lonely Bay this nice lot is close to the cul-de-sac of a dead end street that is a year round road & has hydro available at the lot line. The lot is over 1 acre in size & has a roughed in laneway with approximately 150ft of sandy cobble-stone shoreline. Good fishing for salmon & trout and close to amenities such as hospital & grocery shopping. Asking \$75,000. MLS#1027019
LARGE WATERFRONT DREAM LOT ON SOUTH BAY CLOSE TO FERRY!! - This magnificent waterfront lot comes with a nice sand bottom for swimming, a driveway, hydro on to the lot, a septic & a drilled well. Some landscaping has been done including a deeply dug pond with a small waterfall & a windmill to aerate this spectacular pond. This amazing dream lot can be yours for only \$125,000. MLS#1026056
LAKE MINDEMOYA BUILDING LOT!! - Great building lot off Monkhouse Road with elevated panoramic view over beautiful Lake Mindemoya. Nice sand bottom for swimming & great fishing for walleye, small mouth bass, jumbo perch & whitefish. Located only 5 mins from the amenities of the town of Mindemoya including hospital, golf course & the island's largest grocery store. Reduced to \$89,900. MLS#1025778

ARARE OFFERING - A large 4 acre building lot on Windfall Lake. West facing, private boat access. Good walleye fishing. \$75,000. MLS#1013599
GREAT WATERFRONT BUILDING LOT!! - This building lot has a cleared building site with a septic tank & field bed & drive way installed. Hydro available at road. Asking \$109,000. MLS#106278
200 ACRES WITH YEAR ROUND ROAD ACCESS!! - This prime deer hunting property is located close to Silver Water & has over 2400 ft of frontage along Hwy 540. There is a driveway installed that runs to a building site where you will find a 16 X 16 ft shed with a concrete floor, hydro ready, a drilled well & also a partial footing dug. Silver Creek runs through the east side of the property & into Lake Huron. Some very well built enclosed tree stands & deer blinds & a 16 ft travel trailer are included. Asking \$200,000. MLS#1022479
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



COUNTRY LIVING!! - Very cute 1 bedroom home located on Highway 542, 6 km west of Spring Bay. This building has been upgraded with septic system, drilled well, new kitchen & bathroom. This building located on a unique corner lot with access off White Church Road has had many uses over the years and left to your imagination for its next use. Reduced to \$119,000. MLS#1025330



BEAUTIFUL ELEVATED VIEW OVER LAKE HURON'S SOUTH BAY!! - This nicely maintained one plus one 920 square foot bedroom home shows pride of ownership. This very private retreat has a fully finished walkout basement with insulated concrete floor under the flooring. The large viewing deck on the lake side of the house provides plenty of room for outdoor furniture and makes for a great outdoor kitchen. The 125 foot waterfront home comes with a wrap-around driveway, 10 X 10 shed and a useful 16 X 24 detached garage which has hydro and a concrete floor; only \$270,000. MLS#1024802



HIGH QUALITY 3 BDRM HOME WITH VIEW OVER LAKE MINDEMOYA!! - hardwood floors, vaulted ceilings, magnificent kitchen, 3 bathrooms 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, amazing concrete driveway & 2 large decks of which one is a covered verandah. Also included is a 10 X 12 storage shed & a heated completely finished & insulated double garage. Asking \$370,000. MLS#1024690



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LOG HOME WITH PANORAMIC VIEW!! - This beautifully landscaped property nestled into the west bluff has a majestic view over Gore Bay. Watch the yachts & sailboats enter the harbour from this cozy 940 sq ft log home. The property is nicely landscaped & comes with a great little sleep bunkie for your guests. The almost 1 acre property is on a year round road & has plenty of privacy & features 304 ft of road allowance lake frontage. Asking \$179,000. MLS#1022581



SOUTH SHORE BEAUTY !! - This 1700 sq.ft. year round 2 bdrm/2 bthrm home comes beautifully landscaped with cemented stone walkways & a natural rock basketball court. A wonderful sand beach is just a 1 min walk down the shoreline & the 150 ft of waterfront on this property is magnificent smooth bald rock limestone. There are 2 nice decks on the front of the house facing the lake as well as one on the guest cottage which also comes with running water. Asking \$279,000. MLS#1021511



LAKE HURON - Year round 3 bdrm, 3 bath home or cottage. Spectacular south facing over Lake Huron with private setting. The shoreline is bald limestone. Asking \$339,000. MLS#107954



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Three bedroom rustic treasure, paved road, municipal water, location of quality homes and cottages, marina just a short walk away, stone fireplace, electric and propane features, newer shingles, verandah and decking, lots of upgrades, potential for year round use, asking \$219,000 (1456) (MLS#1028613)

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ICE LAKE WATERFRONT COTTAGE \$179,000

Over 940 feet of lakeshore, minutes from Gore Bay. 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath Cottage. Level lot with landscaped lawn and excellent shoreline. Asking \$179,000. File #1439.

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Located minutes from Gore Bay, this waterfront resort boasts many amenities including: An indoor heated pool, 10 quality cabins, 4 motel units, an owner/operators residence, docks, boats, a beach and much more. Call for details. Asking \$849,000 (MLS#1024364)

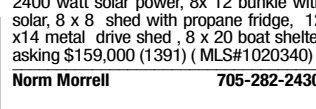
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100 ACRES PLUS COTTAGE \$159,000

located in Burpee Twp, highway frontage, newer bungalow approx 28 x 42 feet, steel roof, 6 inch walls, shed, good deer location, this building could be a year round home/Mindemoya Homecoming Supplement, property located a few miles west of Evansville, 28 x 42 cottage with 2400 watt solar power, 8x 12 bunkie with solar, 8 x 8 shed with propane fridge, 12 x14 metal drive shed, 8 x 20 boat shelter asking \$159,000 (1391) (MLS#1020340)

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300 ACRES CAMPBELL TOWNSHIP \$195,000

includes attractive cottage, good quality deer area, recreational / hunting uses, good access on unopened road allowance, hydro line near cottage, wood heat, three bedrooms, located on Pine Tree Trail off Hwy. 542. (1424) (MLS#1024932)

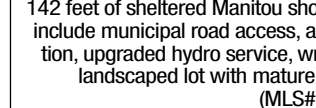
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BRIDAL VEIL ESSO, KAGAWONG \$549,000

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 equip/Norm Morrell 705-282-2430ment, courier service, commercial and residential tenant income, frontage on Kagawong river, ATM, LCBO outlet, a quality commercial offering, asking \$549,000 (1399) (MLS#1021556)

Peter Flanagan 705-282-3135



LAKE MANITOU FOUR SEASON COTTAGE \$249,000

142 feet of sheltered Manitou shoreline. 3 Bedrooms, 1 Bath. Features include municipal road access, a bunkie, new foundation and insulation, upgraded hydro service, wrap-around decking and a beautiful landscaped lot with mature maple and cedar trees. (1442) (MLS#1023934)

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WATERFRONT LOTS on Elizabeth Bay (1) \$129,500; Little Lake Huron (2) \$22,900, \$44,500; Barrie Island (2) \$47,500, \$47,500; Shrigley Bay (2) \$44,000, \$49,000; Campbell Bay (1) \$55,000; Ice Lake on Ice Lake Drive (1) \$64,000; Lake Mindemoya on Lakeshore Road (1) \$70,000; Lake Mindemoya with Monument Road behind the lots (2) \$89,500, \$89,500; South Bay on Lakeshore Road (1) \$85,000

COMMERCIAL building downtown Gore Bay on corner lot \$59,500; income building in downtown Gore Bay w/solid return \$249,000; Kagawong 3000 sq. ft. on corner Hwy540 \$129,000; Providence Bay 10000 sq. ft. near beach \$199,900 or make an offer; commercial opportunity near Dryden's Corner w/2500 sq. ft. of business & living space plus 8300 sq. ft. storage \$119,000.

COTTAGES on Lake Huron west of Dominion Bay w/1575 ft. & 41ac. \$275,000; in Campbell Township on Hwy542 to be moved 648 sq. ft. w/deck \$29,000

ACREAGES in Burpee (1) 10a \$14,900, Mills (1) 100a \$57,000; Mills on Ocean Point Road (2) 50a \$52,000, 50a \$46,000; Allan on Scotland Road (1) 100a w/large camp \$130,000; Carnarvon 1 km south of Government Road (1) 135a \$74,000

BUILDING LOTS Gore Bay (6) Doc Strain \$20,000, 3.21a \$58,000, 5a \$39,000, landscaped with garage \$49,000, West Bluff with water view \$49,000; Kagawong's Maple Ridge (2) \$19,900, \$24,900

ECO-FRIENDLY HOME w/2 kitchens, one commercial, guest cabin, 2 baths, spacious bedroom, den & great room w/artist accents. Greenhouse, workshop, garden shed & fertile vegetable & flower gardens, sugar maples, raspberry, blackberry, elderberry. Passive 17 inch stackwall, 2/3 solar, composting toilet, in floor radiant, passive cooling, triple glazing & more. \$389,000 (1099)

SILVER WATER HOME w/ renovated interior on surveyed lot 120 by 330 ft. fronting on Hwy540. Closed in sunroom porch plus 1.5 storey 990 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, bath, large kitchen dining & living room. Two bedrooms on second floor. Most contents. \$97,000 (1077)



KEMP LAKE HOME east of Silver Lake w/317 ft. frontage & 2.7 ac. Chalet 1020 sq. ft. on full finished walkout adding 672 sq. ft. of living space w/2 bedrooms, great room w/cathedral ceiling & large family room. Lots of cedar accents, good drilled well, electric & wood heat, spacious deck on two sides & landscaped lot, rail fenced on two side. \$164,000 (1185)



ALMOST WATERFRONT CENTURY HOME well worth seeing w/frontage on Thorburn & Water Streets w/direct access to Gore Bay harbour & marina. Two storey 2146 sq. ft. w/sun room, kitchen, dining & living rooms, large laundry mudroom, 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths & spacious halls on both floors. Completely refinished interior from the studs plus hardwood floors down & pine up including wiring & plumbing. Surveyed lot, water paid, F/A oil heat, propane fireplace. \$219,000 (1151)



SEVENTH LINE GORDON HOME on 2.1 ac. of fenced agricultural land. Two bungalow additions on a 1.75 storey of 1550 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, full bath, kitchen, dinette, living room & laundry room. Mostly full basement, oil heat, shed & deck facing south. \$79,500 (1197)



LITTLE LAKE HURON COTTAGE w/walking access to big water. Fully equipped 1.5 storey 1245 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, open kitchen dining living w/cathedral ceiling, stone fireplace w/insert, decks. Insulated & double pane windows, metal roof, wood fired sauna, propane appliances & water heater, septic, wired w/10000 generator included. \$99,000 (937)

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ICE LAKE STONE HOME w/65 ac. of fields, forests & wetlands plus 700 ft. water frontage. Beautiful 2 storey 2028 sq. ft. w/2+1 bedrooms, family room, 2.5 baths, kitchen, dining & living room w/massive stone fireplace & some stone interior on full basement. Covered porches on 3 sides. Cabin 16x20 ft. w/own living & bath plus shed. Remote creek frontage & marshland boardwalk. \$427,000 (1070)



MILLS COUNTRY HOME/COTTAGE on 74.5 ac. of forest w/5 ac. hardwood & frontage on Union Road. Round dwelling plus regular bungalow on 2 levels giving 1131 sq. ft. living space w/1 bath, loft bedroom, living dining & kitchen. Closed in shell to be completed. Bunkie, sheds, large workshop, stables & corral. \$115,000 (1097)



WATERFRONT COTTAGE HOME w/great water view yet surrounded by trees & grassy slopes. Mansard roof 2 level style 1316 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, open kitchen dining living w/electric & wood heat, municipal water, 150 ft. on Main Street & Mudge Bay w/firm sand bottom. \$212,000 (1155)



SOUTHERN LOOK HOME in downtown Gore Bay on 62x175 ft. lot close to amenities. Two storey 1727 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, family size kitchen, separate dining & living rooms. Private outdoor living on 2 walkout decks, 2 screened balconies, landscaped yard, paved drive w/high cedar fencing. Newer insulated vinyl siding, upgraded windows, propane fired hot water heat, 2 pellet stoves, tankless hot water & garage. Call Ron Lane 705 282 7241. \$199,900 (1158)



GORE BAY GRAND HOME 2720 sq. ft. plus 410 more of covered wrap around porch w/many recent interior upgrades including a new kitchen. Two storey on large lot w/double detached garage 26x34 plus insulated loft workshop. New windows, well insulated 6 inch walls, newer vinyl siding & shingles on this house w/spacious rooms including 4 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, kitchen, sunroom dinette, dining & living rooms, family room & laundry mud room. Heated by FA oil furnace or pellet stove. Worth a look! \$234,000 (1135)



BIDWELL ROAD HOME on 11.9 ac. w/over 1800 ft. road frontage just west of Springer Brook Road. Two storey 1424 sq. ft. w/one bedroom, bath, living room, kitchen & dining area on first floor plus fully open second floor with bath. Lots of open green space outside w/some sheds. \$124,900 (1081)



LIVE OFF GRID in 24 x 32 ft. bungalow w/year round access, drilled well, septic system, large shed garage. All wired for generator or invert for solar energy. Mostly wooded lot 60 x 725 ft. \$49,000 (1181)



ELIZABETH BAY SAND beach cottage home w/186 ft. landscaped frontage. Beautiful bungalow 1248 sq. ft. w/BC red cedar exterior, new shingles, 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, sunroom, open kitchen dining living, all completely equipped w/quality furnishings, appliances & 3 kayaks. Pine & cedar accents, deck, patio, electric heat & drilled well. Must see to appreciate the sand, wild flowers, herbs, berries & trees. \$334,000 (1193)



MELDRUM BAY HOME on wooded 1.5 ac. w/200 ft. on pristine North Channel. Chalet built 2008 designed to bring natural surroundings inside. Solid construction including plywood sheathing & well insulated for year round comfort including the full basement. IKEA kitchen cabinets & birch butcher block countertops, ceramic & laminate flooring, solid pine panel doors & trim. Spacious 1000 sq. ft. of 2 bedrooms w/master being full second floor, 1.5 baths, decks & balconies, 6 appliances. Beautiful setting & spectacular view. \$239,000 (1096)



LAKE MANITOU HOME w/100 ft. frontage accessed via Dryden's Lane from Gibraltar Road. Raised bungalow about 1236 sq. ft. on full walkout finished basement w/2+1 bedrooms, 4 pc. bath, great room, sunroom, family room & recreational area. Extras of 4 appliances, 2 decks, dry boat house, double garage insulated & finished, permanent dock.. \$274,000 (1098)



GORE STREET HOME on level lot 71x176 ft. plus double garage w/full second floor storage loft. Bungalow & 1.5 storey 1477 sq. ft. w/2 bedrooms & bath upstairs plus bedroom & full bath on ground level. Eat in kitchen, laundry area, large pine finished entrance, separate dining & living rooms. Good back yard & all Gore Bay services. \$109,000 (1056)



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



FOREST COTTAGE in Burpee just west of Misery Bay Park Road w/1122 ft. frontage on Hwy540 & about 4.5 ac. Triangular shaped lot 313 ft. deep backing onto a beautiful wildlife marsh w/observation blind. Cottage 513 sq. ft. w/hydro, screened porch, 2 open decks, wood fired sauna, several sheds & double privy. All contents. \$54,000 (1138)



GORE BAY FAMILY HOME w/large private level back yard & forest backdrop. New Street 2 storey 1720 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms (2 quite big), 4 pc bath, very spacious double living room & equally spacious dining kitchen area. Covered porch on morning sun side \$169,000 (1109)



SELLER WILL FINANCE at 3% a Thorburn St. home in Gore Bay w/payments under \$500 per month. Recently refurbished 2 storey of 1708 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, large kitchen, separate dining living rooms & family room. Electric heat plus oil furnace installed just needing a tank. Bright spacious dwelling w/2 appliances & backyard view of bay & marina. \$139,900 (1192)



LIGHTHOUSE ROAD WATERFRONT HOME w/great North Channel view. Gore Bay bungalow 1800 sq. ft. built 2001 w/3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, laundry, living room, large eat in kitchen w/extended sunroom. Private & beautiful setting w/attached garage, limestone patio, stone front wall and full open basement built w/concrete filled foam blocks for more warm & cozy space. \$399,000 (1115)



SANDFIELD HOME in Village on landscaped lot 100 x 200 ft. w/detached single garage. Bungalow 557 sq. ft. plus attached partly finished shed & side mudroom entrance w/2 bedrooms, full bath, eat in kitchen, living room. Extras of refrigerator, stove & patio. \$45,000 (1103)



CAMPBELL BAY BRICK HOME on surveyed point about 2 ac. w/914 ft. water frontage. Two storey 2000 sq. ft. w/3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, living room, spacious kitchen dining room, family & sun rooms. Second floor balcony overlooking living room w/cathedral ceiling. Detached double garage w/woodworking shop addition & full 2 bedroom apartment above & separate pole shed. Hot tub in its own gazebo, gardens, large deck, dock, geothermal heat, privacy & more. \$429,000 (1072)



KAGAWONG COTTAGE HOME in Maple Ridge w/150 ft. on Mudge Bay w/firm sand bottom swimming. Bungalow, on large storage basement, 1028 sq. ft. w/2 bedrooms, bath & open kitchen dining living overlooking water. Walkout to private 2 tier deck. Treed lot, circular drive, large shed, aluminum dock, municipal water, electric & wood heat, all contents are some extras. \$219,000 (1159)



COUNTRY HOME in Gordon w/109.9 ft. fronting on Hwy540 & 426.9 ft. deep. Two storey 1388 sq. ft. w/5 bedrooms, 4 pc bath, laundry, eat in kitchen, living room & office on a full basement. Extras include attached shed, double detached garage, steel roofs, new water filtration & septic systems. \$105,000 (1095)



STRAW BALE COTTAGE on Lake Huron w/325 ft. frontage & 7.67 ac. open & wooded alvars. Raised bungalow on 10 block high basement 1302 sq. ft. w/steel roof & walls coated w/lime plaster inside & out, in-floor heating tubing & manifold installed. Shell completely open w/quality windows, walls 14 in. thick, some solar, composting toilet & wood cook stove. The view is serene. \$118,000 (1083)



DOWNTOWN GORE BAY home on corner of Dawson & Water Streets near marina, tennis courts & commercial core. Waterview 1.75 storey 1517 sq. ft. on full partly finished basement plus covered porch of 333 sq. ft. in prime location. In the process of being finished as two apartments w/one on second floor & other on main & basement levels. Both currently rented. \$165,000 (1187)



GORE BAY HOME on waterview downtown lot 124x87 ft. at corner of Main & Water Streets. Spacious 1.5 storey 1119 sq. ft. on main floor plus full double loft w/3 bedrooms, 2 baths, all municipal services, wood & electric heat. Detached double garage with finished interior walls & power. \$80,000 (1195)



SMALL COUNTRY HOME on open surveyed lot 135 x 313 ft. in quiet area at corner of Silver Bay & Johnston Roads. Bungalow 574 sq. ft. on full partly finished walkout basement Currently 735 sq. ft. living space of one bedroom, bath, eat in kitchen & living room. Extras of garage, sheds, lake water, septic, deck & wood heat. Direct access to Lake Manitou at end of road. \$84,000 (1177)



BRICK HOME on Gore Street w/2 backyards separated by a creek. Bungalow 1248 sq. ft. plus full finished basement with 1+2 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, spacious kitchen, dining & living rooms, big laundry mudroom, large family area & workshop. Lot 70 x 414 ft. w/24 x 30 brick garage w/private rear deck & concrete deck on street side. Wood stove & 3 appliances included. \$198,000 (1146)



GORE BAY HOME overlooking harbour, town & channel from a quiet setting. Two storey 2880 sq. ft. built 2007 w/many recent beautiful upgrades on full walkout basement. Family home well set up for B&B w/3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, open great room, family room, lower & upper decks w/westerly exposure for sunsets & great water views, plus attached garage. Main level has MBR w/ensuite. Eight quality appliances including induction cooktop plus Generac generator & central air. Really is a must see! \$349,000 (1133)



COUNTRY HOME OR COTTAGE on 10 ac. w/440 ft. fronting Hwy540 just west of Silver Water. Enclosed trailer w/add ons for 608 sq. ft. living space plus screened room & second finished bedroom in detached single garage. Year round, drilled well, septic system, hydro, phone & all contents. \$64,000 (1175)



BE THE STEWARD OF YOUR OWN ISLAND
- Very private, well appointed, 2 bdrm, 1 bath cottage on 2.1 acres located at the northeastern tip of Beaver Island, Georgian Bay of Lake Huron. Spectacular setting with balance of this 100+ acre island being Crown lands. Gorgeous sunsets viewed over Strawberry Island. Great base for cruising the North Channel & Georgian Bay! Equipped with generator, wood burning stove, fireplace, hot & cold running water. Boat-house provides additional storage. Boat ready with floating dock & easily accessible to the amenities in Little Current. Asking only \$249,900. MLS#1029050



LOVELY BAY ESTATES YEAR ROUND COTTAGE OR HOME - A very well kept 3 bdrm cottage with a 250 sq ft screened in summer porch ideal for those afternoon naps! Open concept living room with wood stove, dining room & kitchen & full bath all upon a full concrete block foundation. Year round water & access. 200 amp service plus a single car garage. 80ft dock included with boat lift. Some furnishings & appliances. Asking \$239,000. MLS#1028982



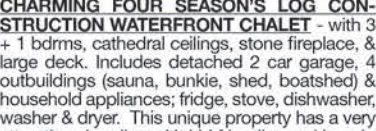
LUXURY LIVING IN A PICTURE PERFECT SETTING - Stunning south facing waterfront location with panoramic views & exceptional landscaping. Spacious 3 bdrm home features very appealing open layout remodeled inside & out to a luxurious finish with obvious attention to detail. Extra's include att'd garage, built in appliances, gas fireplace, huge patio doors with walk out to large deck & full un-finished basement with ground level walkout. Reduced to \$428,500. MLS#1028847



LITTLE CURRENT - A 2 bdrm home close to downtown in need of some TLC. Large open concept living room & kitchen, some upgraded windows, doors & a propane fireplace. An average size town lot with a single detached garage. Asking \$99,000. MLS#1028733



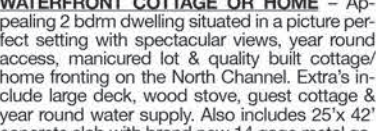
CHARMING FOUR SEASON'S LOG CONSTRUCTION WATERFRONT CHALET - with 3 + 1 bdrms, cathedral ceilings, stone fireplace, & large deck. Includes detached 2 car garage, 4 outbuildings (sauna, bunkie, shed, boatshed) & household appliances; fridge, stove, dishwasher, washer & dryer. This unique property has a very attractive shoreline with kid friendly sand beach. Exceptional landscaping with stone walkways & large sundeck with incredible westerly views over the North Channel, with million dollar sunsets, surrounded by a cedar forest. Full basement, finished to 1st floor quality as a bedroom, recreation room with woodstove, laundry room & storage. Only 11 mins from Little Current. Call for details! #4500



MINDEMIOYA TIMBER FRAME HOME - Original timber frame construction with 2 x 6" addition offers rustic appeal in a year round setting that fits perfectly with area. Extremely well landscaped site in an attractive neighbourhood fronting on Lake Mindemioya Public Beach area and next to local golf course. Extras include guest cottage, sauna building, covered deck, air tight wood stove and lots of storage. Attractively priced at only \$154,900. MLS#1028665



WATERFRONT COTTAGE OR HOME - Appealing 2 bdrm dwelling situated in a picture perfect setting with spectacular views, year round access, manicured lot & quality built cottage/home fronting on the North Channel. Extra's include large deck, wood stove, guest cottage & year round water supply. Also includes 25' x 42' concrete slab with brand new 14 gage metal garage ready to be installed. Reduced to \$235,000. MLS#1028653



WATERFRONT! - Very nice 2 bedroom cottage on the year round Bay Estates Road. Nicely finished interior with woodstove. Block foundation with crawl space. Water treatment system, 200 amp service in main cottage & 100 amp service in bunkie. Nice decks & good swimming. Enjoy some of the best fishing & boating that Manitoulin has to offer. Asking \$197,000. MLS#1027027



NOT YOUR AVERAGE 2 BDRM KAGAWONG HOME!! - Large private waterfront lot with a 2 bdrm home, detached 2 bay garage, 2 bdrm bunkie, sauna building with change room & indoor plumbing, a 10 X 10 shed & a large carport. This rustic bungalow with its beautiful hardwood floors, open concept kitchen/ dining room/ living room surrounded with a beautiful deck on 3 sides. Located on a cul-de-sac at the end of Poplar Dr. in the pretty town of Kagawong. The beach is a short walk. The town of Kagawong has a marina with dockage for your boat. Reduced to \$199,000. MLS#1024965



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. Call for Details. MLS#1026212



NEWBYS BAY LAKE MANITOU - Approx 300 ft of sand & gravel shoreline ideal for small kids, very secluded, last property on road. Partially landscaped with rest in cedar & hardwood. Main cottage approx. 700 sq ft plus small guest cottage & storage sheds. Very reasonably priced at \$189,000. Please call Sales Person Al Frank, 705-859-3297. MLS#1025051

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PRIVATE 1.92 ACRE ISLAND
close to landing in McGreggor Bay. Cedar log cottage with East facing sundeck. Breezeway to sleeping quarters with separate guest cottage. Most contents included, also includes 16 ft boat & motor (new roof in 2013). Don't delay, call today. Priced to sell at \$299,000. MLS#1028588






HARDWOOD ACREAGE WITH MODERN COTTAGE/HUNT CAMP - Very well treed 100 acre property with municipal road access as well as hydro service to well built, fully equipped 2 bdrm cottage. Very good trail system & six stands in place for deer hunting. Great location fronting on Tower Road in Bidwell Twp. Call for details. MLS#1028545

VACANT WATERFRONT LOT - on popular Bayshore Drive. Fully treed lot year round lot with 150' of shoreline. Telephone and hydro available at road side. Asking \$79,000. MLS#1028671

BIDWELL ROAD - Vacant 17 acres suitable for hunting/recreation. This property is located on a year round road about 15 minutes from Little Current. Driveway approval has been obtained. Asking \$26,500. MLS#1028826

NORTH CHANNEL WATERFRONT ACREAGE - Only a short drive from Little Current this mainly level 15.52 acre site has it all. Year round access, hydro & telephone available, north west facing shoreline for sunsets & an attractive gravel & sandy shoreline for swimming. Great spot for a year round home or summer cottage! A great deal at \$79,900. MLS#1028407

A RARE OFFERING - A large 4 acre building lot on Windfall Lake. West facing, private boat access. Good wall-eye fishing. \$75,000. MLS#1013599

SHEGUIANDAH HOBBY FARM - 4 Acres on Municipal water, 1 barn 32x60 with horse stalls. 1 implement shed 32x60. Cleared area suitable for gardening. Priced to sell at \$99,900. MLS#1026312

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

WATERFRONT PROPERTY - on Meldrum Bay for your island retreat. One of the best salmon fishing spots on the island. Asking \$49,900. MLS#1026593

OUTSTANDING MINDEMIOYA WATERFRONT PROPERTY - Beautiful 1.21A Mindemioya Lake front lot with 150 ft frontage. Well treed hardwood water front lot, on year round road, with natural limestone formations. Wonderful setting for your dream cottage or home. Asking \$119,000. MLS#1026391



TEN ACRES & HOME IN CLOVER VALLEY - a 3 bdrm with 1 & 1/2 baths located on 10 acres of private & pastoral land. Included in this panabode style home are all appliances & approx. 15 face cords of wood. Enjoy this property with its spectacular pastoral views & low utility costs! Asking \$159,000. MLS#1028143



GREAT LOCATION & SPACIOUS LAYOUT - Sheguiandah raised ranch features very attractive layout, part finished basement, modern construction and a superb location with 26.88 acres of privacy. Extra's include great view, all appliances, pacific energy woodstove, 70 foot deck, hardwood forest and tillable lands. Minutes from public beach area and boat launch! Very attractively priced at \$275,000. MLS#1026975



SPRING BAY HOME - 3 bdrm, Full Basement home with Rec Rm and Detached Garage. Recent upgrades include: New Windows, New kitchen cupboards, Renovated bathroom & new shingles. Located in a quiet area with no neighbours behind. Close to Park and local store/gas station. Asking \$123,900. MLS#1023751



GREAT RENTAL INCOME - Three bedroom family home situated in central Little Current with spacious layout, low maintenance and level site across from Public School. \$489 per month mortgage payments with 20% down to qualified purchasers. Rented at \$900 plus utilities! Only \$129,000. MLS#1028070



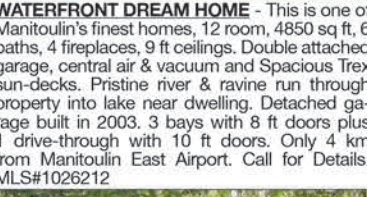
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BEAUTIFUL SAND BEACH, LOG COTTAGE, NO YARD MAINTENANCE, YEAR ROUND ACCESS!! - Located 15 mins from the golf course, the grocery store & the hospital. This rustic 2 bdrm log cottage comes with a 200 amp hydro service, a drilled well & a cute little Bunkie for your guests. The property has natural landscaping with no grass to cut. The property is situated right in the middle of Square Bay which is one of the islands finest sand beaches! Asking \$250,000. MLS#1021778



GORGEOUS WATERFRONT HOME ON LAKE KAGAWONG!! - Located close to Ontario's prettiest Town of Kagawong, this beautifully landscaped waterfront 3 bdrm open concept home with a loft comes fully furnished with a double detached garage, dock & boat lift & is priced to sell at \$339,000. MLS#1027292



SPECTACULAR LOCATION IN MCGREGOR BAY - South Shore 5.72 acre Private Island with fantastic 4 bdrm cottage featuring knotty pine interior finish, cathedral ceilings, 2 full baths, sauna, covered verandah & spacious room sizes located steps from covered boat house & excellent dockage on the shoreline. Enjoy sunsets from large dining area with 20+ foot bar top for extra company. Original cottage section circa 1880's log construction. Also features original furnishings, stone fireplace, air tight wood stove & one of the finest McGregor Bay locations available. Please call for complete details! MLS#1028500



LITTLE CURRENT - Spacious 4 bdrm home with 2 baths. Full basement mostly finished. Ideal location in Little Current close to down town core. Asking \$159,000. MLS#1025879



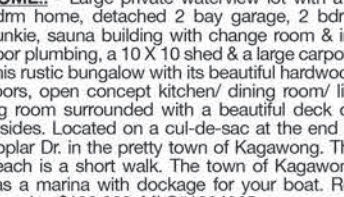
WINTERIZED COTTAGE - located in the country on the west shore of South Bay, a quiet & private area. It has electric heat, an air tight wood stove & drilled well with abundance of water. This 920 sq ft cottage has 2 bdrms, plus a small room ideal for a child. It also has a kitchen, bathroom, utility room & an area outside for garden. Lake shore frontage is 352 ft. & a depth of 198 ft. covering 1.59A. Only 15 min from the ferry. Asking \$149,900. MLS#1025338



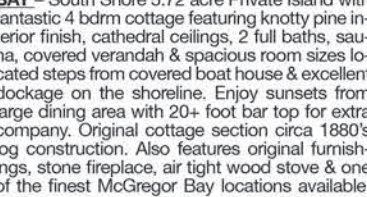
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PRIME CORE COMMERCIAL LOCATION - Large commercial retail building with spacious second level 2 bdrm owners accommodations or rental apartment. Excellent locational factors with high visibility corner lot overlooking the North Channel from downtown Little Current. Great opportunity to start your new business! Asking \$198,500. MLS#1028626



PRIME COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITY - Little Current Core Commercial offering with 1,898 square feet on one level, all in excellent condition. Wheel chair accessible, low maintenance exterior, high traffic location in area of mixed office and retail uses. Includes modern interior finish, central air, high efficient propane heating, extensive municipal parking and street grade walk in access. Please call for full particulars. MLS#1028860



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A VIEW OF THE BAY Gorgeous all brick 'Executive' home with unobstructed views over Manitowaning Bay. Perfect quiet location at the end of the street and almost a full acre, with all the town services and amenities - a very rare find. This home has been very well maintained and is in move in condition - features 3 large bedrooms with full bath on upper level, large kitchen and dining areas overlooking the Bay and formal living room, plus family room with propane fireplace on lower level and finished rec room with propane fireplace and large laundry room in the walk-out basement. Attached garage, plus recently built large detached garage for the toys! Heat pump, central air, hardwood and ceramic plus many more features. Decks overlooking the Bay. Only steps from marina and beach. A superb private location with gorgeous views awaits the discriminating buyer! MLS#1024142



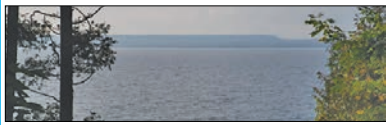
WATERFRONT RETREAT! Only minutes from Little Current on Strawberry Channel, 4.62 acres with 315' water frontage, 1500 sq. ft. dwelling built in 2002 with 3 bedrooms, master with ensuite on main floor, 2 bedrooms and 2nd bath on second level. Full walk-out basement. Covered verandah with breathtaking view of islands and mountains. Appliances included. Don't miss this offering! \$309,000. MLS#1024773



WELCOME TO MANITOULIN ISLAND - Located just 25min from the ferry. Situated on Manitowaning Bay with easy water access through adjacent parkway. This home is nestled in an old-growth cedar forest providing privacy and shade. A nature lovers sanctuary with abundant flora and fauna. Beautifully landscaped with stone patios and walkways. A gardener's delight with established perennial gardens, vegetable garden, and green house. This newly renovated 2 bedroom home is 980 sq.ft., is on one level with no stairs. The Open concept design is a joy for entertaining, and offers a new Pacific Energy Alderlea T5 wood stove to heat the entire home. The property has two out buildings, a garden shed and a finished bunk house. Plenty of parking. Major furnishings are included to make this move-in ready for a year-round home or cottage. \$182,500 MLS#1027724



GORGEOUS NEARLY NEW HOME Custom built home nicely situated in Sunsite Estates. This 5 bedroom, 2 and a half bathroom home has everything you would expect from an executive dwelling. It features Geo Thermal heating and cooling, main floor laundry, beautiful open concept kitchen, living room and dining room with large windows that allow you to enjoy the natural surroundings. No expense was spared when constructing this home. Come see for yourself the attention to details. MLS#1027789



LAKE MANITOU LOT - Nice water front lot on south side of Manitou. Nicely sloped, tree cover, good road access - a great spot to build your dream home or cottage on Manitoulin's premier lake! Hydro available close by. Located on Oak Cliff Dr. \$125,000. MLS#1028378



WATERFRONT HOME - Wonderful waterfront home or seasonal cottage on a nice level east facing lot with views of the North Channel and the LaCloche Mountains. A well maintained home with many recent upgrades including a brand new bathroom. Also 6 new ConvectAir wall mounted heaters. Free standing wood stove. 10'x12' screened-in porch. 22'x26' garage with back addition used as a wine cellar. Priced at \$299,000 MLS#1019307



MUDGE BAY HOME - This well maintained bungalow offers one level living in a private waterfront setting on a year round road. The majority of the over 2 acre lot is a Maple Bush complete with a sugar shack. In addition there are perennial gardens and a 24' x 28' detached garage with a semi-finished loft. There is a nice beach which is suitable for swimming or launching watercraft. Great view of the popular North Channel and Mudge Bay. \$275,000. MLS#1024740



MUDGE BAY/NORTH CHANNEL - Prime Sand & Water Access - First Time Offered. Spacious seasonal home - 1000 sqft. with 2 bedrooms, modern kitchen, wood burning unit, all electric heat, detached bunkie with washroom, garage and large deck offering a breathtaking view over the North Channel - LaCloche Mountains - Oh Yes! Fully Furnished and municipal water service. \$269,000. MLS#1012905



LITTLE CURRENT Beautiful 2 bedroom Bungalow with loft only a few minutes walk to downtown. Open concept kitchen dining room allows for excellent socializing. The property is well landscaped with established vegetable garden. Large Double Garage with workshop. No shortage of storage in this home. \$124,900. MLS#1026299



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WATERFRONT PRIVACY

This offering includes a 4 bedroom home on Manitowaning Bay, in a private setting, and with year round access. This 2 storey home has a large main level deck on 2 sides and also a lakeside deck on the second level. Finished space in basement as well. Various outbuildings. Shoreline suitable for many recreational uses. This property could also be great as a seasonal cottage. \$299,900. MLS#1028937



MANITOWANING Solid 3 bedroom bungalow in a preferred quiet neighbourhood just a short walk from all the amenities of town. 3 spacious bedrooms, bright kitchen, dining and living areas, hardwood, full basement with large rec room area, additional bathroom and ample storage. A great home for the growing family or ideal for retirees! List price \$199,900. MLS#1023592



GREAT STARTER HOME - 1246 sq. ft. 1 3/4 storey dwelling with detached double garage. Features 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths main floor laundry room and large country kitchen. New carpeting in living rm, FA oil heat (new oil tank in 2013). Lot runs from street to street between Meredith and Hardbargain - possible severance potential. Please contact listing broker for details. List price \$95,000. MLS#1026751



CENTURY HOME - In Little Current within walking distance to downtown and all other amenities. Adjoining lot included in the purchase price. This house has 4 large bedrooms and 2 bathrooms. Large double parlour on the main floor is ideal for entertaining and perfect for the home theater system. Spacious kitchen with adjoining dining room, main floor laundry. New windows, shingles, basement insulation with waterproof "drytrek", sump and dehumidifier all in 2011. \$242,000. MLS#1027239



LAKE MINDEMOYA - A unique opportunity offering water access to Lake Mindemoya. 3 separate buildings lots with access to Lake Mindemoya across Monument Road and over a 4th lot. This 4th lot is included but not suitable as a building lot. It would be a good location for a dock. \$105,000. MLS#1024394



FARM/RECREATIONAL - Almost 500 acres of prime pasture/hunting lands. Excellent access direct from Hwy 6 and also from the north boundary off Fields Road, a few minutes north of Manitowaning. Mainly flat terrain with mix of open pasture areas and forested areas. Natural spring water, creek running through property for cattle watering. Older farm dwelling suitable for hunt camp. A great recreational property with potential for a little pasture income, or start your own hobby farm. \$400,000 MLS#1028656



EXCEPTIONAL PROPERTY - New beautiful country retreat with approx 2000' of waterfront at the west end of Manitoulin Island. The 3,100 sq. ft. quality built home and 3 bay detached garage blend in well with the 10 acre parcel of land. It has its own bay with a boat launch and suitable for a float plane. Also a trout and salmon stream. Master bedroom and ensuite on the main level. Open concept main level with large windows and doors. Must be seen to be appreciated! MLS#1028943.



LITTLE CURRENT Just like new! Solid 1200 sq.ft. raised bungalow with wide open kitchen, dining and living area on upper main level, great for family and entertaining - plus a full bath with jet tub. Lower level has 2 large bedrooms (with potential for third or more!), second full bath, utility and plenty of storage. FA Oil heat plus wood pellet stove - very efficient and easy to heat. Walkouts to 2 patio decks to enjoy both the morning and afternoon sun! Good central location, very close to school and recreation arena. List price \$215,000. MLS#1027758



CLOVER VALLEY FARM Versatile working farm in prime agricultural area! About 70 workable acres, 25 acres mixed bush. Good portion of fields are tile drained. Large solid barn with hydro and water has had electrical service upgrade. 11 box stalls/pens (2 for birthing) w/wood floors and rubber mats. Good well. Hydro to all buildings, water also to Bunkie. Large garage/driveway and chicken coop complete this farm. Comforting in-floor radiant heat and woodstove for backup in hydro outages. Sit on your covered porch and enjoy the serenity of country life. \$299,900. MLS#1027480



EXECUTIVE RANCH Exceptional quality and design! Gorgeous 2891 sq. ft. custom ranch home in the country, surrounded by 17 acres of prairie and woods! An ideal escape from the city. Solid stone exterior, huge open concept living, kitchen (walk-in pantry) and dining areas. Large master bedroom - walkouts to back yard patio and pool area. 2 full baths with custom shower units, one with sauna. Interior finished in top quality tile, hardwood flooring and custom trim. Third bedroom ideal for home office (current use). The oversized attached heated double garage (over 1100 sq. ft.) is ideal for tinkering with the toys year round, and has a built in bar! The detached heated garage is set up for the serious hobbyist, 768 sq. ft., built in car hoist, compressor and 10' doors with 12' ceilings and forced air heating. 14'x30' in ground fiberglass pool has full southern exposure - ideal for summer lounging. Pool house includes a separate woodworking shop and a shower. Space for the helicopter and just minutes from the airport. Truly one of a kind for quality and amenities! MLS#1028145.



CENTRAL LOCATION Charming Little Current bungalow within walking distance to shopping/school/churches/hospital/downtown. This tastefully decorated 3 bedroom bungalow has many upgrades including roof, insulation, windows, hardwood generator, propane pedestal stove and more. All on one level and completely maintenance free!! The large garage has a workshop addition with plenty of storage space. List price \$154,900 MLS#1027053



KAGAWONG - A home near the popular hamlet of Kagawong that would also be suitable as a cottage with 2, possibly 3 bedrooms. Located on 1.5 acre lot with sugar maple trees. 2nd level upgraded with the lower level in progress. Nice quiet location. Priced at \$99,950 MLS#1018936



SPECTACULAR LAKE VIEW HOME Country living at its best! Spacious all brick home with 2000+ sq. ft. on main level, and similar sized full finished walk-out basement. 3 bedrooms, 3 full baths plus a 2 pcs bath in garage. 200 amp electrical service with generator back-up for power outages. Engineered wood flooring, wood burning stove, spacious rooms, hobby/craft/game room, attached 20'x30' garage are just some of the features. All set on over 19 acres to play on (with large storage shed/workshop too!) with a gorgeous view over Bass Lake - plus just a minutes drive to the public boat launch. This home shows pride of ownership! Please contact listing office for your appointment to view. MLS#1028962



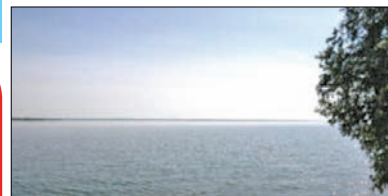
LAKE MANITOU - Approx. 97 acres with approx. 2000' west facing shoreline, fantastic view from bluff over Lake Manitou. Great road access, hydro available. Forested areas, ideal for recreation, cottage, or home (subject to final MPB approval). Huge sand deposit and natural springs on the property. Please call for full details on this rare offering! List price \$309,000. MLS#1026415



LITTLE CURRENT - Nice 2+1 bedroom raised bungalow with many recent upgrades in last 5 years. Roof shingles, main level exterior doors and windows, exterior of home, air exchanger, and Roth oil tank. Newer kitchen appliances included. Great value at \$167,900. MLS#1028852



STRAWBERRY CHANNEL Spectacular 3 season cottage just South of Little Current. This property has 334 feet of frontage and a depth of 809 feet. The cottage is situated so that one can enjoy the East views of the LaCloche Mountains. Main floor has living, dining, kitchen, master bedroom and bathroom. There is also a deck facing the water to enjoy the views. Second floor is a large loft bedroom. Lower level has the family rec room, bedroom and bath. A great summer retreat with many features! Please call for details and a viewing. \$258,000 MLS#1026232



SPECTACULAR LAKE MANITOU waterfront, 357' frontage on 9.95 acres (former farm, old buildings-not useable). Mature hardwoods, rolling lands with many prime building sites to choose from. Great view towards Cup & Saucer hills. \$325,000.00 MLS#1019678



LAKE MANITOU Excellent waterfront home with southern view and 150' frontage. Raised bungalow with walk-out fully finished basement and huge sun decks. 6 bedrooms, 3 on main floor, 2.5 baths, main bath with jacuzzi tub. Main level laundry, vaulted ceiling in living room. Great potential for B&B, shared private road access, detached heated garage/workshop. Many great features, please call for full details and a viewing. Priced to sell! \$379,000. MLS#1024792



MANITOWANING HOME - This stunning 3 bed, 2 bath home with detached garage is sitting on perfectly manicured double lot with beautiful mature trees. The home has 3 bedrooms upstairs with the possibility of 2 more in the basement. The living room in the basement is warm and cozy with the addition of a propane fire place. The double 24x28 garage is sure to please any hobbyist. Come tour this spectacular home. Book your showing today. \$239,900. MLS#1024635



MCGREGOR BAY COTTAGE - Spectacular flat lot on McGregor Bay. Year round road access to this cottage getaway. Offering a breathtaking view of the LaCloche Mountains. The 3 bedroom cottage has all the room needed for friends and family to come visit. Book a viewing of this cottage, pictures don't do it justice. \$199,000. MLS#1026589



COTTAGE RETREAT - Tucked away on the back side of Bay Estates is this very private cottage surrounded by mature trees. The property is across the street from the water access and offers storage for your boat when you're all done playing on the water. The 2 bedroom cottage is nicely updated and is a great place to relax after a long day of fishing. Priced at \$79,900 MLS#1025042



SPRING BAY 5 bedroom home in the hamlet of Spring Bay with large detached garage. Over 1500 sq.ft. on the main level. Recent upgrades include new kitchen. Private back yard. List price \$159,000. MLS#1026815



SOUTH END PRIVACY Country living in town! 3 bedroom, 1.5 storey dwelling with basement. FA. Oil heating, air conditioning, municipal water and new septic in 2013. Spacious lot with gardens and mature tree cover for privacy. Paved drive and attached double carport. Please call for full details and a viewing! \$229,000. MLS#1027054



COMMERCIAL - Successful business opportunity located in the downtown core of Gore Bay. Currently a licensed franchise for The Source and it also retails sporting goods. On the 2nd floor is a 2 bedroom apartment. Excellent location and many recent upgrades to the building. List price \$135,000. MLS#1024601



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