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MPS on my mind

Former Metcalfe Public School vice-principal Guido Ronci showed his love for the educational institute on the back of his head on Fri., Feb. 3. That day, Ronci, who now holds the same position at Knoxdale Public School in Nepean, had the letters "MPS" shaved into the back of his head. It was part of the local school's pledge to raise more than \$500 for Make-A-Wish Eastern Ontario, which it succeeded in doing. Having done so, Ronci held up his end of the bargain, allowing the initials to be etched into his hair. Doing the barber job was MPS' principal, Jennifer Nutt. The Feb. 3 event was held in conjunction with the Go Bald for Wishes celebration at the Metcalfe Lions Den on Sat., Feb. 4. For complete coverage of that event, see page 27.

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— Uhrig



Linking Hands hopes to build transit network

by Matthew Uhrig
Press staff

WINCHESTER — A local charitable group is looking to become the link in the chain of the region's growing transportation needs.

Linking Hands, a project of the House of Lazarus, has devised an action plan that would see Dundas County organizations, such as the Nor-Dun Seniors' Support Centre and the Eastern Ontario Health Unit (EOHU), join forces to improve access to transportation.

"The system could be a mix of private and public stocks that would include seats from accessible vehicles, buses, cars, and vans," said Nanda Wubs, chair of the recently formed Dundas Accessible Transportation Group and co-owner of Winchester-based Wubs Transit.

"[It would] be seamless to the end user as all co-ordination and seat prices would be negotiated and agreed upon collectively through the transportation group and providers," she explained.

Wubs, whose business has been providing a Monday-to-Friday shuttle service, which begins in Chesterville and makes stops in Winchester, Ver-

non, Metcalfe, and Greely, before drop-offs at various transit stations in Ottawa, has recently been working to add a South Dundas route to the company's commuter network.

However, following the Dundas County Community Forum, held in November 2011 at Williamsburg's

Christian Reformed Church, transportation became a common barrier for all aspects of rural sustainability.

Through a transportation working group at the community forum, the possibility of creating a 10-year vision was discussed, which would see the arranging of a central dispatch co-op, with

pooled transit resources.

In order to get local transportation providers on board, a survey is being developed by the accessible transit group to see if there is a desire to either offload commuter seats in the planned co-op, or to sell available seats to the transit group.

"This reduces the cost for the provider as well as the co-operative system as no one is taking on the full cost of transportation, and we are maximizing the use of seats per vehicle per route," Wubs said.

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Plan would
co-ordinate
various
accessible
transportation
providers

Chesterville's carnival will break out winter fun

CHESTERVILLE — The village's annual winter celebration is scheduled to get underway on Fri., Feb. 10.

This year's Chesterville Ice-Breaker Winter Carnival kicks off at 5 pm with both a turkey supper at the Royal Canadian Legion Chesterville Branch 434, as well as the beginning of the 2012 Carnival Queen and Princesses competition.

Meanwhile, next door at the village arena, the weekend-long three-on-three hockey tournament is expected to get underway.

At 8 pm, the North Dundas Jr. "C" Rockets are scheduled to take on the visiting Rockland Nationals.

Sat., Feb. 11 gets underway at 8 am with a family breakfast and the crowning of both the Carnival Queen and Princess. Both events will take place at the legion.

Other activities include the legion's euchre tournament, and the second annual chili and apple pie cook-off. Entries will be judged by Township of North Dundas council members.

On Sun., Feb. 12, the Winchester Hospital Healers will play host to a community breakfast at the legion,

Host of family activities indoors and out

while the day is scheduled to continue with public skating at the arena, as well as a dance party featuring Dora, Diego, Elmo, and more.

For a complete list of the weekend events, see pages 20 and 21.

Neighbouring celebrations

Meanwhile, the Osgoode Winter

Carnival is continuing this week.

Tomorrow night (Thurs., Feb. 9), the Royal Canadian Legion Osgoode Branch 589 is hosting a bingo event.

The annual winter celebration is expected to continue on Sat., Feb. 11 and Sun., Feb. 12 with a softball tournament, spaghetti supper, and free public skating at the Stuart Holmes Arena.

This year's Chrysler Winter Carnival has been scheduled for Wed., Feb. 15 to Sun., Feb. 19, and in-

cludes a community breakfast, kids crafts, and more.

Also on Feb. 19, the Vernon Winter Carnival has been scheduled, and the day's activities include a pancake breakfast, euchre tournament, laser shoot, and much more.

Closing out this season's events schedule is the Marionville Winter Carnival, scheduled for Fri., Feb. 24 to Sun., Feb. 26.

Keep watching the *Winchester Press* as more details about these winter celebrations become available.

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POLICE BLOTTER

Domestic incident

WINCHESTER — On Wed., Feb. 1 around 12:30 pm, Stormont, Dundas, and Glengarry (SD&G) OPP officers responded to a report of a domestic incident on Church Street.

The investigation revealed that a female and her 40-year-old common-law husband were involved in a verbal altercation that resulted in the male threatening the female, police reported.

He was arrested and faces a charge of uttering threats to cause death or bodily harm. The court date: Tues., Feb. 28 in Cornwall.

Possession charge

MORRISBURG — Two men stand accused of drug possession after SD&G OPP pulled over a driver for speeding along Highway 401.

Of the five male occupants, passengers John Sabe, 29, and Jonathan Camara, 29, of Toronto were arrested on Sun., Feb. 5 around 1:45 pm for allegedly possessing 20 grams of marijuana. The 30-year-old driver (Craig McIntosh of Toronto) was charged for speeding.

Sabe and Camara are scheduled to face their charges of possession of schedule II cannabis marijuana in Morrisburg court on Tues., April 3.

Threats, mischief

CHESTERVILLE — On Sun., Feb. 5 around 12:30 pm, SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a threats-and-mischief incident on Gray Road in North Dundas Township.

The investigation revealed that the 16-year-old male had caused damage to the residence and threatened the victim, police said.

He was arrested and faces charges of: mischief under \$5,000 and uttering threats to damage property.

He is scheduled to appear on Tues., March 6 in Morrisburg court.

Vehicle missing

MORRISBURG — On Thurs., Feb. 2 around 1:30 pm, SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a stolen vehicle on County Road 2, South Dundas Township.

The investigation revealed that sometime overnight, unknown suspect(s) attended a parking lot and removed a white 2006 Chevy pickup.

The investigation is ongoing.

Details published in the police blotter are provided by the OPP. The Winchester Press typically publishes information about alleged crimes occurring in and around Dundas County, as well as other information of interest to our readership. All suspects are considered innocent in the eyes of the law unless proven otherwise in court.

Transportation

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While a survey is being mapped out in order to determine available seats, Wubs and the transportation group have been working to collect data on all possible stakeholders, providers, and end users, as well as indentifying and studying other rural transportation routes currently operating successfully. Locally, the North Grenville Accessible Transit is operating out of Kemptville, while a similar system operates in the Pontiac region of Western Quebec. “It is possible to do this in Dundas,” Wubs said.



No injuries in train crash

The Stormont, Dundas, and Glengarry OPP rerouted traffic after a Tues., Feb. 7 train and vehicle collision occurred at the Boundary Road crossing west of Mountain. Nobody was injured during the incident, officials reported. Boundary Road was blocked off as the investigation continued yesterday.

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LHIN looks to improve access to family physicians

New hire to become primary care lead for Champlain network of hospitals

WINCHESTER — The lack of family doctors in Eastern Ontario has led the Champlain Local Health Integration Network (LHIN) toward corrective action.

The first step in the process is the hiring of Dr. Jacques Lemelin, who becomes the first-ever primary care lead for the local LHIN.

Lemelin, a family physician in Ottawa and a professor in the Department of Family Medicine at the University of Ottawa, will be working with the Champlain LHIN to ensure primary-care services are better integrated with the work of other health sectors.

The areas of focus include:

- Establishing a primary care physician leadership table to strengthen collaboration and communication among Champlain LHIN physician leaders and primary-care providers throughout the region. Primary-care models include Community Health Centres, Family Health Teams, other types of family-physician groups, and Nurse Practitioner-led Clinics.
- Ensuring physicians and primary-care providers are members of various planning committees of the LHIN.
- Working with primary-care physicians and other clinicians on specific eHealth projects to improve referral and consultation systems.
- Engaging with the Champlain Health Professional Advisory Committee on priorities of the LHIN.

“High-performing health systems have strongly integrated primary-care services.”

— Chantale LeClerc, LHIN’s interim CEO

“High-performing health systems have strongly integrated primary-care services, and the Champlain LHIN welcomes Dr. Lemelin to this important role,” Chantale LeClerc, the LHIN’s interim CEO, said in a press release. “We are confident that his work will result in more co-ordinated and accessible health services for people of all ages across our geography.”

The introduction of a primary care lead in each of the province’s 14 LHINs is endorsed by both the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care and the Ontario Medical Association, and is in line with the government’s action plan commitment to bring planning for the full patient journey under the LHINs.

Through collaborative work, local primary-care providers can strengthen these partnerships and focus on implementing system initiatives identified locally by the LHIN through extensive community consultation to address local health-care challenges.

Many, not North Dundas, get increased provincial funding

WILLIAMSBURG — The Township of South Dundas will once again be on the receiving end of provincial funding in 2012.

Figures recently released by the Ontario Municipal Partnership Fund (OMPF), show that the southern municipality will receive \$1,046,000 this year, an increase of \$22,400 from 2011.

It is a sharp change from 2010, when the township saw its provincial share slashed by \$173,000.

Meanwhile, the Township of North Dundas was on the losing end of the funding system, with an allotment of \$958,700. That’s down from \$962,400 in 2011.

It is now up to the townships’ respective councils to determine what will be done with the funds.

OMPF assists municipalities with social program costs, includes equalization costs, addresses challenges, faced by northern and rural communities, and responds to policing expenses in rural communities.

An increased number of municipal governments will be receiving assistance this year. According to the province’s website, 416 municipalities will be receiving their share from \$1.8 billion this year. The total is up from 372 and \$577 million last year.

Other local municipalities receiving provincial input include: the Township of South Stormont (\$999,200), the Township of North Stormont (\$1,230,600), the Township of North Grenville (\$1,768,100), and the Township of Russell (\$665,000).

Royal Canadian Legion bursary applications now being accepted

WINCHESTER — Applications for the Royal Canadian Legion Provincial Bursary Program are currently being accepted.

If you are a student who is currently attending college, university, or any other post-secondary institution, you may qualify for a bursary of up to \$500 per each academic year.

Applications must be received by the Royal Canadian Legion Ontario Provincial Command before Fri., March 30.

Eligible applicants include: Canadian and Commonwealth war veterans, and their children and grandchildren; ordinary and life members of the Royal Canadian Legion, and their children and grandchildren; associate members of the Royal Canadian Legion, and their children; ladies’ auxiliary members, and their children and grandchildren.

Application forms may be picked up at high school guidance departments or at branches of the Royal Canadian Legion.

For further information, contact a local branch. Or, phone Douglas Brunton, Zone G-3 bursary chairman, at 613-258-5111, or email d.c.brunton@sympatico.ca.



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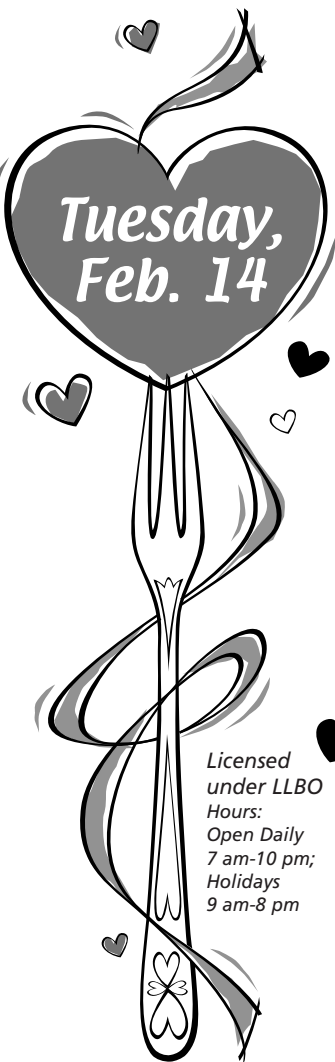
Good news for winter tourism?

MORRISBURG — Craig Nicholson, “the intrepid snowmobiler,” is writing about snowmobiling in Eastern Ontario and stopped for a one-night stay at the McIntosh Country Inn and Conference Centre on Mon., Feb. 6.

An avid snowmobiler, he logs up to 15,000 kilometres each winter and has snowmobiled in most regions of Canada. Nicholson is the national tour editor for *Snow Goer Canada Magazine*.

“We believe this is a good news story for our area of Ontario to promote tourism, to help the many Ma and Pa businesses of Ontario,” said John Boals, District One manager of the Ontario Federation of Snowmobile Clubs.

Boals noted that snowmobiling in the region is expected to be profiled in one of Nicholson’s upcoming articles.



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Dundas Manor moving forward after recent change of ownership

by Matthew Uhrig
Press staff

WINCHESTER — The campus of Winchester District Memorial Hospital is continuing its growth.

Late last month, Dundas Manor's operation came under the official control of Rural Healthcare Innovations (RHI), a non-profit corporation supported by the local hospital.

This change will soon be complemented by the to-be-constructed Centre of Excellence for Rural Health and Education. (According to WDMH CEO Cholly Boland, the facility is expected to be completed by November.)

The hospital's business case to the province regarding the new centre was the provision that it will not be taxpayer funded. As well, whatever money is borrowed will be paid back through the rent collected by the four agencies — the Ontario Early Years Centre, Jobzone d'emploi, the Champlain Community Care Access Centre, and the Eastern Ontario Health Unit — located in the building.

The expected price tag of the office building project is \$1 million.

For now, Karl Samuelson, who was hired in August 2011 as WDMH's vice-president of seniors' services, will be taking on the manor's administrator position.

"I am honoured to join the Dundas Manor team," he said in a press release. "To work with the excellent, dedicated

staff that puts forth extra effort to help care for the residents... Together, we will build on the family-focused legacy of the Alguire family."

It was Jack Alguire who opened Dundas Manor some 30 years ago, and until recently, his children kept the family tradition going.

"Our goal was to ensure that the chosen purchaser would continue to deliver the same high quality of care to our residents," said Ross. "We are confident that we have achieved this goal."

At present, RHI's board of directors

has taken over operations of Dundas Manor, while a purchased management agreement between the corporation and WDMH has been finalized.

Meanwhile, the new board is working in co-operation with the Champlain Local Health Integration Network, the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care, as well as the local hospital to re-develop the existing nursing home beds throughout the next several years.

Hospital staff has said the manor's current operating space may be expanded in the future.



This artistic rendering shows the planned expansion for the land surrounding Winchester District Memorial Hospital. To the left is the to-be-constructed Centre of Excellence for Rural Health and Education, while on the right side, an expanded Dundas Manor site is shown.

Shelter from the storm...

Naomi's Family Resource Centre celebrates 25 years

by Amanda Smith-Millar
Press staff

WINCHESTER — Its legal name is Naomi's Family Resource Centre, but in Winchester and the surrounding area, the St. Lawrence Street shelter is known simply as "Naomi's House."

The facility has been a long-standing refuge for vulnerable women and kids in the area. In 2012, Naomi's is celebrating its 25th anniversary.

Today, the shelter is larger (having undergone two additions) and more services are offered. However, Naomi's, chiefly, continues to provide a safe space for abused and threatened women and youth to turn in their darkest hours.

"Overall, the core programs and services are still there," said Verna Léger, who has served as Naomi's executive director since 1998.

Besides the shelter itself, Naomi's also runs support groups, a 24-hour crisis line, and more.

In addition, Naomi's increases public awareness about violence toward women and children.

"We frequently get calls from the community, asking what resources are available," Léger said.

Christmas Room, Open Heart Campaign update

Each Christmas, Naomi's solicits gift donations from the community and runs a Christmas Room program. Typically, women who have accessed the shelter's services within the last year are able to pick out Christmas presents for their kids. (A separate room allows children to select presents for their mothers.)

In Christmas 2011, a donations drive called the Open Heart Campaign collected an estimated 700 donations. The campaign accounted for

about half of all contributions provided to Naomi's in 2011, Léger noted.

Butch Oldford and Elaine Taranu of Royal LePage coordinated gift collection drives in partnership with various local organizations and several volunteers. The community could leave gifts at drop-off points (including Leitrim Home Hardware, the Live & Learn Resource Centre and the Main Bar & Grill in Metcalfe, the Royal Bank of Canada in Winchester, TD Canada Trust in Chesterville, Winchester BMR, and Scotiabank in South Mountain).

Other organizations, such as churches, collected gifts for Naomi's independently of the Open Heart Campaign.

"We were able to assist about 51 women and 57 children," said Léger. She noted that, in addition, the level of community generosity was so strong that gifts were provided to other regional organizations that help people in need, such as the Dundas County Food Bank, Ye Olde Bargain Shoppe in Chester-

ville, Victim Services of Stormont, Dundas, Glengarry & Akwesasne, and the York Centre (which has supervised access centres in Cornwall and Hawkesbury where families experiencing difficulties can meet safely, without children witnessing conflicts between parties).

"There was tremendous contribution," said Léger of the Christmas Room effort.

Women's Day effort

Every year, Naomi's Family Resource Centre hosts a guest speaker and luncheon in honour of International Women's Day.

While details are still being worked out, at this point, it appears the Thurs., March 8 event will involve another lunchtime celebration this year.

Worm hotels coming to local institutions and county schools

MOUNTAIN — The All Things Food Stormont, Dundas, and Glengarry (SD&G) Community Food Network is hoping community members want to give worms a place to stay.

With that in mind, the local organization is giving away grants to build habitats for the insects.

Known as a worm hotel, the stackable, wooden bin is not only home for worms, but also makes composting easy and convenient for anyone to do. It can be used both inside and outside to divert organic waste from the landfill and create nutrient-rich compost for gardens or houseplants.

The project is part of All

Things Food's overall efforts to promote sustainable food systems in SD&G. The network received a grant from TD Friends of the Environment Foundation to fund the project, and will begin disbursing funds this month.

Schools and community institutions such as hospitals, food banks, and daycares who would like to participate in the worm hotel project are asked to contact Dana Kittle, All Things Food co-ordinator, by email at dana@allthingsfoodbouffe360.ca or by phone at 613-875-3262.

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WINCHESTER PRESS EDITORIAL

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Break out the sewing machines and revive 'home ec'

When older generations accuse youth of being useless these days, it's not fair.

Not entirely, anyway.

Thanks to their high comfort levels with technology, young people have all sorts of wonderful skills on hand.

Often, they can fix the family computer.

Or hook up a cable TV.

Or explain the function of a cell phone's seemingly frivolous bells and whistles.

However, tech savvyness aside, there's no denying that today's young people, as a demographic, are collectively deficient when it comes to home improvement skills, sewing, and cooking.

It's not totally their fault, though.

Decades ago, when home economics courses were deemed to be politically incorrect – and subsequently disappeared from high-school curriculums – schools stopped teaching many essential skills to male and female students alike. (How progressive!) The responsibility fell to Mom (or Dad) to teach their kids how to sew on buttons and hem pants; to cook a nutritious dinner and cleverly incorporate the leftovers into the next day's lunch; to shop intelligently on a budget; to wash windows and get the laundry done and vacuum and fold clothes neatly and clean the bathroom – without spending all day doing these chores, too. At the risk of romanticizing the effectiveness of home economics classes (as many people will tell you, some courses were nearly useless), it bears mentioning that the

subject itself had merit.

Similarly, today, woodworking and auto tech class remain optional courses – if schools offer the programs at all. North Dundas District High School offers excellent tech programs. However, they are not mandatory. In addition, many students who need to take math and science credits to pursue specific university or college programs find it difficult (or impossible) to find a spot in their high-school schedules for woodworking.

An educated young person's income advantage will disappear if he outsources too many tasks.

What's the consequence of not teaching home economics and trades in school? Obviously, you'll produce several generations of students who graduate without the skills to take full control of their own food, clothing, and shelter. Once university, college, or full-time careers kick in, life gets busy. These folks (mostly young women) will unhappily buy piles of clothes and get frustrated – confused about why the one-size-fits-all cut fails to flatter – rather than tailoring their own garments.

Both genders will be prone to ordering pizza, rather than cooking at home. They'll call a plumber

to fix a toilet when the chain has simply come loose.

They'll buy a succession of cheap furniture pieces and replace them every few years as they get damaged, rather than finding sturdy-but-scratched dressers and dinner tables at the local thrift store and lovingly restoring them.

In other words, money will be dripping out their pockets like water from a leaky tap. Youth may be flocking to universities and colleges nowadays, but a generation's income advantage can quickly disappear if everyday tasks are constantly outsourced.

Of course, these young people can look up the information they need on the Internet. But there's a big difference between Googling a recipe and learning how to cook from scratch. That's why today's youth would rather order chicken wings than make their own at home, despite the expense. Many of these basic skills are intimidating to acquire.

In fact, young people probably feel like skittish seniors learning to use computers for the first time.

According to the Bank of Canada's January 2012 report, household spending is getting out of control and is projected to grow steadily into 2013. It's time for the Ontario curriculum to include at least one full-year mandatory credit in home economics and home maintenance. With electricity, oil, and food costs skyrocketing, families of the future must have as much control as possible over their budgets to maintain their financial independence and steer clear of avoidable debt.

Remember when...

1922

There were many good dancers in the royal family, and Edward VIII was probably the best, the *Winchester Press* proclaimed.

1932

Mark Twain once wrote: "A very good library could be started by leaving out Jane Austen." However, the *Press* shared its opinion this week, noting that while the snide remark was clever and quotable, it was not good advice.

1942

The funeral for Dr. Mahlon Locke, Williamsburg's world-famous foot doctor, was attended by hundreds of mourners this week. Among the many notes of sympathy was one from Prime Minister William Lyon Mackenzie King, a one-time patient of Locke's.

1952

A proclamation on the front page of this week's *Press* had Winchester

Reeve Walter Moffat declaring Feb. 15 as a national day of mourning following the death of King George VI.

1962

The Winchester 100 Club's winter carnival committee was anticipating a record number of entries in the upcoming Carnival Queen contest, with as many as 25 young ladies competing. Costumes were to be part of the show, and girls could design their own outfits – but had to keep in mind that part of the contest involved some skating.

1972

Winchester's new post office outlet was scheduled to open on Church Street this week. The facility's postmaster was to be Steve Corry.

1982

John Adams was selected this week as Joel Steele's replacement as president of the Winchester Chamber of Commerce. Steele was stepping down from the post after 18 months on the job.



Morrisburg Lions goaltender Jeff Hopkins turned away Winchester Hawks forwards Chris Williams (centre) and Dominic Menard during a game in the 1992 Eastern Ontario Junior Hockey League season.

1992

More than 1,400 angry farmers and agri-businessmen from across Eastern Ontario gathered in Kemptville to protest the proposed new general agreement on tariffs and trade. Local dairy producers predicted that if Prime Minister Brian Mulroney didn't safeguard supply management, the end result would be a situation in Canada similar to that in Russia, where grocery stores typically had empty shelves.

2002

Township of North Dundas council members seemed to be pleased this week when a perceived roads issue had been rectified. Councillor Keith Fawcett, who had previously been critical of the lack of snow clearing on county roads, changed his tune. "They [plows] are getting out quicker," he said, adding that both County Road 31 and 43 were cleaned better, while other roads had also received extra attention.

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The wrong place at the wrong time with the wrong people



From the Other Side

by Jeff Morris

Every now and then, you have one of those moments. It's a snapshot that sticks with you in time. It's a frozen image.

It was just one of those moments that happened. You don't realize, when it happens, that it is one that will stick with you and etch itself into your memory bank.

But it did. It was the end of January 2000. I can't remember which day. I was standing in front of the Hilton in downtown Atlanta with a friend who worked at a company called Playoff, which has now evolved into Panini USA.

We ran into each other in the lobby and were both trying to get to the NFL Experience, a FanFest held for two weeks before the Super Bowl.

There was an ice storm, and Atlanta was at a standstill. They don't have salt trucks and plows and dirt and the army of workers to go out and deal with weather and conditions that are routine to us.

Busen weren't running. Taxis were few and far between. Then, with music blaring, a white stretch hummer limo came bouncing and booming by. A few minutes later, it came by again. The doorman shook his head. "There he goes again," he said.

"I wonder who that is," I said. "Ray Lewis," the doorman said. "He's been on the town with his posse in that limo all week."

Hours after Kurt Warner led the Rams to the Super Bowl, Ray Lewis, the young line-backer of the Baltimore Ravens, was charged with murder. He and his friends ended up, in their limo, in the section of Atlanta known as Buckhead. They were out clubbing, and a brawl erupted in the parking lot. Two men were left dead, stabbed to death.

Ray Lewis, the best defensive player in the NFL, was in an Atlanta jail.

That was the news we all awoke to on Monday morning.

All I could think of was the bouncing limo and the words every coach tells every player. Nothing good ever happens after 1 am.

Lewis' big problems began when he lied to the police when he was first questioned. He said he didn't know his two buddies, Reginald Oakley and Joseph Sweeting, who had been with him in the bouncing limo.

Their limo driver, Duane Fassett, had told police that he saw Lewis throw a punch and that he struck the guy from the mid-chest up. Fassett also said that he heard Oakley and Sweeting talking and one said, "I stabbed mine." Fassett also said that Lewis ordered the other cab drivers to keep quiet.

The incident brought the two sides of Ray Lewis' life to the forefront. Many people rushed to defend his character. No one in football could believe the charges. Ray

Lewis was kind hearted and intelligent, and hard working. He used the money he made to make the life of his mother better.

He talked to kids about the dangers of involvement in drugs. Players Inc., the marketing arm of the NFLPA, considered him a model citizen to represent NFL players.

But there was also a dark side of Ray Lewis' past.

His mother, Buffy Jenkins, was just 15 when he was born. He grew up in a single family home after his father abandoned the family when Ray was a child. He was born Ray Jenkins, then his father, Ray Jackson, changed his son's name to Jackson.

When he entered Lakeland (Florida) High School, he changed his last name to Lewis, the name of the man his mother was dating at the time. In high school, he left home to live with his grandparents and became a football star and the state wrestling champion. But while that was happening, two of his closest friends were murdered in separate incidents.

He became one of the University of Miami's best players in school history, but ran into trouble when he was twice accused of striking women. He was never charged.

He also had to endure the personal loss of one of his closest friends on the Miami team, as Marlin Barnes and his girlfriend were bludgeoned to death.

Lewis was so distraught he could not attend the funeral service, and instead paced around the outside of the church during the service.

Eventually, Ray Lewis' case went to court. Charges against Lewis were dropped in exchange for testimony against his friends. The limo driver backed off on

his story, claiming he never actually saw Lewis throw a punch. Lewis was charged with obstructing justice, and was given a one-year probation sentence. Oakley and Sweeting were later acquitted.

"All I'm guilty of is being in the wrong place at the wrong time with the wrong people," Lewis would say. "But I feel like what I'm most guilty of is being successful."

That quote always stuck with me. I saw Ray Lewis, in his bouncing limo with his buddies and with Duane Fassett driving, before they would arrive at the wrong place at the wrong time.

The following year, in Tampa, I didn't see Ray Lewis and his limo bouncing around town. He was getting ready to play in the Super Bowl.

Ray Lewis, less than a year after sitting in an Atlanta jail charged with murder, was the NFL Defensive Player of the Year and led his Baltimore Ravens to a convincing 34-7 win over the New York Giants in the Super Bowl.

And that day, all he was guilty of was being in the right place at the right time.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Lions bid farewell to bingo, \$400,000 later

The Editor:

As of January 2012, the Metcalfe & District Lions will no longer be at Binghamland South, as the members are getting tired and a little older. So we would like to thank all the people who came in and played bingo. We've been working it for 14 years and made more than \$400,000. The money from the bingo has been handed out to local groups in our area, as this money must stay in the Ottawa area.

The Metcalfe & District Lions Club members would also like to thank all the donors from the Annual Farmers' Night Auction in November. A total of 110 people attended the event and there were more than 70 items to auction this year, which brought in more than \$11,000. Over \$1,700 went straight to the Osgoode Care Centre, thanks to Mike Campbell of Metcalfe Variety, who matched the total of the \$50 pledges

from others there that night. The roast-beef dinner was served by the St. Catherine of Siena Roman Catholic Parish in Metcalfe. Thanks to Paul Moore, the new owner of AJ's Catering, for the supplies and cooking of the beef for the dinner. It is always a fun event and we always have to cut off the amount of people attending due to the size of the hall.

The need is out there more than ever this year for help, and we are always happy to lend a hand. We give to the Osgoode Care Centre, Winchester District Memorial Hospital (WDMH), the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario, the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Canada, the Crohn's & Colitis Foundation of Canada, cancer care and awareness charities, and causes benefiting youth and seniors, to name just a few examples.

I'd like to thank the 11 local Lions Clubs (Russell, Metcalfe, Osgoode, Winchester, Mountain, Morrisburg,

Iroquois-Matilda, Finch, Greely, Chesterville, and the North Dundas Leos) and the Vernon Women's Institute for pledging to the WDMH Lions Ophthalmology Clinic. It has been three years, and still two more years of paperwork, but it is all worth the time. The Lions Club International Foundation (LCIF) grant brought us to a total of just over the \$200,000 mark, pledged to the Lions' Ophthalmology Clinic, with their donation of over \$74,000. The clinic was placed in WDMH more than 13 years ago by 12 local Lions Clubs and LCIF, and with the new equipment and doctors we are now putting through more than 40 patients a day.

So please keep giving and coming to our events so we can keep helping the youth, seniors, local groups, and people in need in our area.

Helen Porteous
Metcalfe & District Lions Club
Metcalfe

Want to know where your tax dollars go?

OTTAWA — Many constituents have asked me, "Where does the government spend all the taxes it receives?" Now, that is a great question. I am sure many of you have asked yourself the same question.

Since we are fast approaching tax time, I thought the following information explaining where your tax dollars go might ease the pain of doing your taxes, just a bit.

This is a breakdown of how your tax dollar is spent:

- Public Safety - three cents
 - Canada Revenue Agency - three cents
 - Crown Corporations - four cents
 - Canada Social Transfer - four cents
 - Children's Benefits - five cents
 - Other major transfers to other levels of government - six cents
 - Employment Insurance - seven cents
 - Defence - eight cents
 - Canada Health Transfers - 10 cents
 - Public Debt Charges - 11 cents
 - Other Operations - 12 cents
 - Other Transfer Payments - 14 cents
 - Support to Elderly - 13 cents
- Now that you know where the money is spent, you should also know where it comes from.
- During 2010-2011, the federal government received \$237.1 billion in revenues.
- These revenues came from:
- Personal income tax - \$113.5 billion, or almost 48 cents of every dollar raised in revenues.
 - Corporate income tax - \$30 billion, close to 13 cents of every dollar.
 - Goods and Services Tax - \$28.4 billion, or 12 cents of every dollar.
 - A number of other taxes —



From Parliament Hill

by MP Guy Lauzon

such as non-resident withholding taxes, customs import duties, energy taxes and excise taxes, and duties on alcohol and tobacco — made up \$19.7 billion, or more than eight cents of each dollar in revenues.

• Employment Insurance premiums contributed \$17.5 billion, or almost seven cents of every

dollar in revenues.

- Other revenues such as earnings by Crown Corporations and revenues from sales and services provided the remaining \$28.1 billion or 12 cents of every tax dollar.

The statistics I listed can be found at the following website: www.fin.gc.ca/taxdollar/index-eng.asp.

As you can see, running a country involves a lot of expenses. Our challenge in crafting the upcoming budget will be to maintain revenues while finding ways to reduce the expenses. I am confident that, under the direction of Prime Minister Stephen Harper and Finance Minister Jim Flaherty, we are up to the challenge.

• *Stormont, Dundas, and South Glengarry MP Guy Lauzon submits regular weekly columns to the Winchester Press. His provincial counterpart for the riding, Jim McDonnell, submits monthly columns.*

Gaga for garlic

The Editor:

As an avid cook who begins many of my entree recipes with garlic and onion, I have often been frustrated that the garlic sold in most grocery stores is from China. I prefer to buy local produce and found much of the garlic shipped from China dry and old.

My compliments to Andy's Foodland in Winchester for carrying Heirloom Canadian Garlic grown in Canada by the good folks at August's Harvest in Gadshill, Ont. The difference in freshness and quality is obvious, and I enjoy the fact that we are supporting an Ontario producer. Thanks!

Janice Atkey Videto
Winchester

Make water branding theme

The Editor:

As 4C (Concerned Citizens Community Committee) chair, I am announcing that, having read all the submitted letters-to-the-editor that appeared in the *Winchester Press* and *Chesterville Record*, it is obvious that the \$35,000 would have been better spent as prize money in a contest directed at the general public. Presently, it seems that we can't get past Upper Canada Region for a branding.

Upper Canada Region will always be the historical moniker; that is to say, when the tri-counties were triangularly framed by the Rideau River, the Ottawa River and the St. Lawrence River. These rivers reflected a beautifully basic brand meaning: the Rideau (the Rideau Canal), the Ottawa River (industrial logging), and the St. Lawrence River (the Seaway connecting the Great Lakes and ocean).

We must create a brand icon for the future. The highway sign welcom-

ing a visitor to the tri-counties should instantly express the tri-county vision of our community.

The 4C is preparing a blog to open discussion with the general public to basically vote on submitted examples of a branded theme, to include the actual icon that describes clearly a grassroots imagination of our community.

Framed by the three mighty rivers, opening discussion has focused on a vision of the tri-counties' multi capillary-like smaller river system as being connected in the flow to the sea. Since vision requires imagination, let's imagine a potential icon brand to be, for example:

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"Water Joins Us
And We Are
The Custodians"
The Tri-Counties

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Celebrating Hockey Day in Vernon

METCALFE — On Sat., Feb. 11, from 1 to 3 pm, Hockey Day in Vernon will be taking place at the village's community centre. Guests are invited to drop by for a skate on the outdoor rink, and to enjoy free baked beans and a cup of hot chocolate.

The inaugural event in Vernon coincides with this year's national celebration of the game, which will also see CBC's Hockey Night in Canada broadcast festivities from Charlottetown, P.E.I.

2012 Vernon Winter Carnival

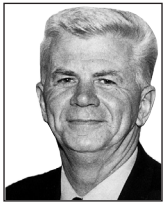
This year's Vernon Winter Carnival is slated to be held one day only on Sun., Feb. 19. The day's activities include a pancake breakfast, eucharist tournament, laser shoot, and much more.

The day before, Sat., Feb. 18, the Osgoode Township Historical Society Museum is expected to host its annual crokinole tournament where games will get underway at 10 am.

To register, call 613-821-4062.

Computer fraud warning

Residents are warned of an individual calling homes indicating he/she has detected a serious problem with the homeowner's computer. The caller wants access to the homeowner's computer in order to "fix" the problem. These are fraudulent attempts to get into your computer system.



In and around Osgoode Ward

by Councillor Doug Thompson

Updated website

Accessing city information and services is now easier for Ottawa residents and businesses, as the first phase of ServiceOttawa went live on www.ottawa.ca.

Transactions such as: searching, booking, and paying for last-minute ice time; reporting graffiti; requesting recycling bins; and obtaining PINs and barcodes for recreation program registration are now available through the new online gateway.

The enhanced website also offers

virtual tours of rental spaces in city facilities, allows residents to check the status of their service request, and makes the city's website easier to use from a mobile device with streamlined navigation.

ServiceOttawa is entering the second year of its mandate to implement new technologies and procedures to ensure residents receive high-quality, timely services that save the city money.

Shroomfest 2012 announced

The seventh annual Shroomfest event is set to go Thurs., May 3 at the Metcalfe Fairgrounds. This year's celebration is in the planning stages, and more information will be made available in the coming weeks.

This year's committee members include Al Graham, Doug Hicks, Brian Johnston, Cory Reaney, Chris Reaney, Daryn Hicks, Kevin Cavan, Brenden Cavan, and Doug Anderson.

Pancake supper

A Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper has been scheduled for Tues., Feb. 21 from 5 to 7 pm at Holy Trinity Anglican Church in Metcalfe. The cost of the meal is \$6 per person.

Water

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It would be interesting to discuss the culture and economy of the tri-counties under the light of water custody, and such a branding would put us in harmony with the actual branding of the New Canada. Whatever Canada is going to be about, water will be a biggie. Let's get involved. Show your care. Five or six elected officials in each county contracting for a \$35,000 logo jingle is not sufficient. A publicized campaign with public input is the route to go.

Upcoming open house

On Sun., Feb. 12, there will be an open house at the McCloskey Hotel, 22 Victoria St., Chesterville. You are invited to say hello and offer your opinion on this big subject. If you want, you may offer to volunteer.

On Sat., April 21, there will be a fundraiser to sell 4C memberships to finance a movie project at the hotel. This project will be to produce a digital documentary to submit to the tri-county government. This movie will detail the vision of our community derived from the public's imagination exercise. The movie will underline the individual potential of each county with its own specialties, in harmony with a united tri-county theme,

that also gives each separate county freedom to toot its own horn. It is going to be quite interesting to see our local talented artists and citizens submitting illustrations of tractors, corn, Seaway tankers, and canoes, including our Aboriginal neighbours' symbols, plus anything else that can be imagined that would tell the story. The tri-county theme such as the responsibility that comes with custody of water being public policy will organize the imagination exercise into a vision statement.

The winning icon design and movie vision developed will be submitted to the tri-county level, hopefully having been endorsed by each of the three counties individually.

In conclusion, during this coming weekend on the waterfront in Chesterville, please pop in to the McCloskey Hotel open house, on Sun., Feb. 12, to register your input.

In future, this letter-to-the-editor format will be adapted to a blog site to facilitate the public's comments.

Thank you in advance for your interest and/or participation.

P.J. Breaks
4C Chair
Chesterville

Babysitter, fire-training course available Feb. 18

WINCHESTER — The Township of North Dundas will be offering a babysitter and fire safety training course at the Chesterville Community Hall on Sat., Feb. 18 from 9 am to 4:30 pm.

This program will teach the skills necessary to care for infants, to pre-school-aged children, with an emphasis on safety and dealing with emergency situations.

An additional training course will also be included and cover the subjects of fire extinguisher training, safety, and prevention. The fee for this course is \$65, which includes a manual and certificate.

Please note that parents or guardians are responsible for picking up their children at 3:30 pm, and taking them over to the Chesterville Fire Hall for the last hour.

Register for this course, at www.northdundas.com, in person at the township office, or by phone at 613-774-2105. Pre-registration is a must.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Meaghan Meerburg, community development programmer, at 613-774-2105 extension 236. Only a few spots remain, so register now.

Meanwhile, township residents are reminded that they can keep on top of all of North Dundas recreation and culture events by visiting the department's Facebook page.



Remarks

from the dept. of Recreation and Culture

NDDHS Notes

by Taylor Ace



Charity projects galore this month

MAPLE RIDGE — It's the start of a new semester and everybody has begun new classes despite the lengthy break due to exam time. Exams were very spread out thanks to different cases of bad weather conditions.

The last exams were written last Thurs., Feb. 2, immediately followed by the students-versus-teachers hockey game.

Shoot-out victory

The event, run by Brandon Cousineau and Ryan Byers, was a great success as the students defeated the teachers in a shootout.

Special thanks go out to the Chesterville Arena (Township of North Dundas), and arena staff member Todd Elliott, student council members, referee Brandon

Buma, Cheryl Williams, the teachers who provided a strong opposition for the students, the boys' hockey team, and the fans for coming out and supporting the event.

Hoops for Heart

Staying in the giving mood, North Dundas hosted the returning event, Hoops for Heart, which raises money for the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

As many of us know, February is heart month. During the event, Grade 7 and Grade 8 students made teams and played various games of basketball after raising money to sponsor their respective teams. Margaret Prince, Josh Freake, and Challice Crawford organized the event as their leadership projects.



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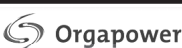
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Top Canadian soybean companies join forces

INKERMAN — Four of the country's top soybean companies have joined forces under one name in order to capitalize on market gains.

Inkerman's Hendrick Seeds, along with its sister business, Hendrick AgriFoods, has merged with both PRO Seeds Marketing and Agworks.

The new company will be known as Sevita International, and brings together the development of premium soybean genetics, seed varieties and export brands to deliver benefits of a fully integrated value chain to farmers and end users. (The domestic seed-marketing portion will remain known as PRO Seeds.)

"We've built our business by understanding the needs of our growers and our export customers," said David Hendrick, Hendrick Seed founder and president of Sevita International. "In 2005, we established a non-GMO breeding program to enable us to deliver the quality genetics our export customers are looking for along with the yield and performance that our growers demand. With the merger, we can now deliver benefits from the breeding



David and Carolyn Hendrick (both positioned in the centre), owners of Hendrick Seed, and its sister business Hendrick AgriFoods, have recently merged the two local companies with PRO Seeds Marketing and Agworks. The new company will be known as Sevita International. The Hendricks are pictured here during the June 2011 official opening of their companies Inkerman location, inside the village's former public school facility. Press Photo — Smith-Millar

program directly to our growers and to our end-use customers."

In September of 2011, Hendrick Seeds entered into a strategic partnership with Agworks and Rosebank Seed Farms, resulting in a new ownership structure that integrates Hendrick Seed genetics with PRO Seeds distribution to create a full

suite of premium soybean products for Canadian farmers.

"We're committed to creating more value for Canadian farmers by providing new market opportunities, and the best soybean varieties to serve those opportunities," said Bob Hart, vice-president of Sevita International. "This merger

strengthens our ability to develop and deliver premium soybean genetics along with the quality, convenience, and dependability they've come to expect from the PRO Seeds brand. It also allows us to mitigate environmental risks by contracting over a wider range of maturities in growing areas stretching from

Windsor to Prince Edward Island."

Sevita International will focus on being market driven in the development of superior non-GMO food-grade soybeans to strengthen their leadership position in identifying and serving growing export market opportunities for Canadian soybean producers.

Stormont County possible destination for 2015 IPM

FINCH — A pitch to bring the 2015 International Plowing Match (IPM) to Stormont County has received praise from the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas, and Glen- gary (SD&G).

Finch-area farmer Jeff Wald- droff is leading the charge to bring the decades-old agricul- tural event to the region.

Having received not only support, but an in-principle loan of \$100,000 from the counties, a pitch will soon be made to the Ontario Plow- men's Association (OPA), the governing body of all IPM events.

Waldroff, who is the direc- tor of the Stormont chapter of the OPA, has told local media he is confident the bid will be successful.

If approved, it will mark the first time since 1958 that the event will be held in Storm- mont County.

The 2012 IPM event will be held in Roseville, Ont., near Kitchener, in September.

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Two Reeves School

Winchester's Reeves School Trustees will be for a two-year term this year. It will mark the first in the history of the village council elections. The by-law calling for the year term and Biennial elections, No. 837, was passed Monday night's counciling after several months' deliberation and because members deemed it "ad and expedient." The term of office has been and had points accord depending on municipal equality. In the case of more practical than the term which has been since the village was inated 70 years ago. It be necessary to vote change to a two-year

W. H. S. BAND AT PLOWING MATCH

Helen Presented To The Prime Minister

Winchester High School's smart 22-piece band had the distinction of playing for both the Opening Parade and in escorting Prime Minister John Diefenbaker to the International Plowing Match on Tuesday. In the above picture Band Majorette Helen Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Allen of Winchester, is honoured in being presented to Prime Minister Diefenbaker, while Stormont MP Grant Campbell looks on. The opening day crowd, accord- ing to Plowing Match officials, was "good lot of people" and came up to expectations. The beat plowing in the country plus hundreds of fine exhibits may be seen in the man-made city which is expected to accommodate 100,000 people before the Match winds up on Friday. All students from Winchester High School were transported to the Plowing Match through the courtesy of the District High School Board. Other school students from the district were also present.—Photo courtesy of The Chesterville Record.

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When Stormont County last hosted an International Plowing Match event in 1958, the Winchester Public School Band was chosen to play during the event's opening parade. Pic- tured here is Winchester resident and band majorette Helen Allen greeting then Prime Minister John Diefenbaker. In the background is former Stormont MP Grant Campbell.

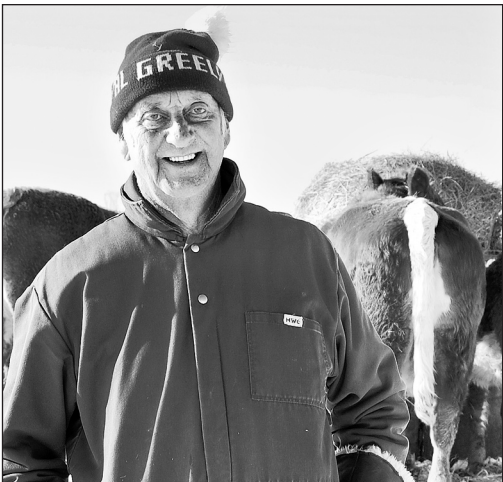


Back where they left off
Construction of Rideau Auctions' new warehouse has begun in earnest, as the local business picks up the pieces following a devastating fire in June 2011. The soon-to-be-completed structure (above) is located on the south side of the auction house's headquarters, and will replace the 16,000-square-foot building destroyed in the blaze (at left), which also razed more than \$500,000 worth of inventory.

Press Photos — Uhrig

Farmer Bruce Straby said his phone has been "ringing off the hook" following recent media coverage of his cottontail herd of beef cattle.

Press Photo — Smith-Millar



Cottontail line won't be culled: farmer

HALLVILLE — It appears Bruce Straby's cottontail cows won't be head- ing to the slaughterhouse after all.

The Greely resident — whose farm is located on French Settlement Road — said he has received about 10 offers to purchase his 23-head herd of un- usual, fluffy-tailed critters.

The now-jubilant amateur farmer said his phone has been "ringing off the hook" following a Wed., Jan. 25 news article in the *Winchester Press* and sub- sequent coverage from other media out- lets.

Straby has spent almost two decades dabbling in experimental genetic engi- neering. In 1993, one of his animals was born with a puffy, white tail, which Straby dismissed as a bizarre mutation.

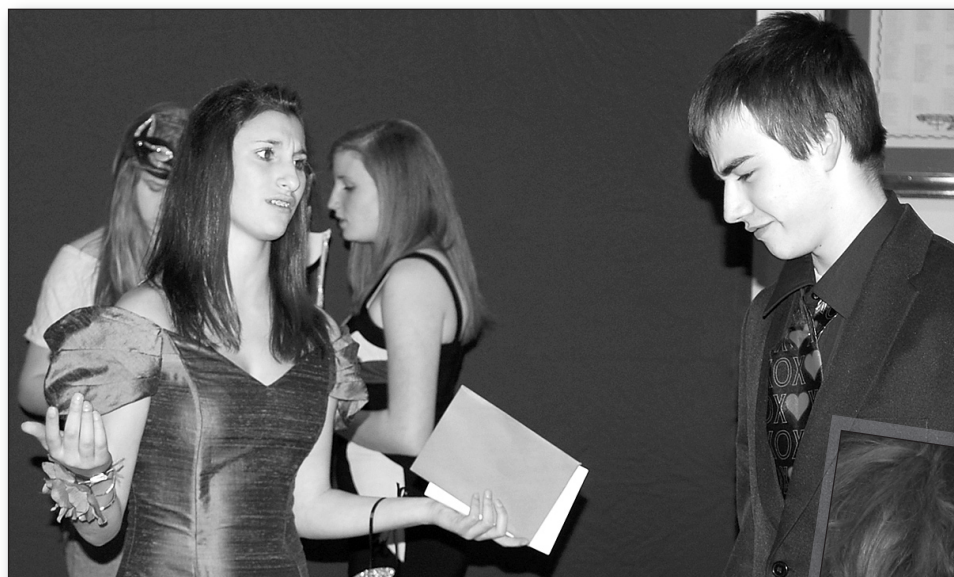
Through selective breeding, it ap- pears Straby has been able to make the appendage a stable genetic trait in his Red Angus beef cows. However, with retirement on the horizon, and his farm- land in the process of being sold, Straby was unsure if he could physically con- tinue to farm. Ideally, he aimed to find a family (preferably with kids in 4-H)

who would promise to continue devel- oping the cottontail line.

During a telephone call last week to the *Press*, a relieved-sounding Straby agreed that due to the recent public in- terest, the animals are unlikely to be culled like normal beef cows.

However, the herd hasn't been sold yet. "I'm still in command; it's still my baby," Straby said.

He noted that Agriculture and Agri- Food Canada has also contacted him and expressed an interest in studying the cottontails to learn more about the line.



This ain't kid stuff

Just Kiddin' Theatre's upcoming show, *When Cupid Comes Out to Play*, is set to take the stage of the Metcalfe Old Town Hall this weekend — from Fri., Feb. 10 to Sun., Feb. 12.

Valentine mayhem in Metcalfe

METCALFE — Cupid is a very naughty cherub — at least he's up to no good in Just Kiddin' Theatre's upcoming production, *When Cupid Comes Out to Play*, being performed Fri., Feb. 10 to Sun., Feb. 12 at the Metcalfe Old Town Hall.

"This play is just a lot of laughs," said Andrie Nel, who wrote the script and is now directing it. "Young love, misunderstanding, and mistaken identity. That's it, in a nutshell."

From a production standpoint, Nel said, it hasn't all been a fun romp, though.

"Our actors are being challenged in many new ways with this show, which is always our underlying goal at JKT," she noted.

According to Nel, the show demands that the actors have a great sense of timing, as is the case with any farce:

"There are many moving parts, so to speak, and our cast has had to learn to move in and out of focus at rapid pace."

Nel explained that this is the teen group, so they are enjoying material that has more mature content.

"We are dealing with love," she said. "You can't have love without a kiss! Or two. Our young actors may understandably be uncomfortable with this, but they are learning to push through, separating themselves from the characters they portray."

There will be four performances, Friday to Sunday. Tickets are \$10 and may be purchased online at www.justkiddintheatre.com.

About the troupe

Just Kiddin' Theatre is a not-for-profit volunteer organization that delivers dra-

matic arts programming to students in Ottawa's rural south. The program is based on the belief that enrichment in the arts is not only a fun

and enjoyable experience, but presents the opportunity to develop skills that will positively impact students for the rest of their lives.



Pictured in rehearsal are (clockwise from top left): Kira Miller (left) and Tia Tresa; Destiny Pirnat and Logan Toll (playing the classic creepy playboy); Renata Dory; and Toll with Sydney Miller.

Press Photos — Smith-Millar

Samantha Cormier spells success at annual Nationview Spelling Bee

SOUTH MOUNTAIN — Samantha Cormier outlasted 18 other students to win the sixth annual Nationview Spelling Bee.

The Grade 6 student will now attempt to qualify for the Post-media Canspell regional competition to be held in Ottawa in March.

Cormier and second-place finisher Brittany Carkner went head-to-head for nine rounds on Thurs., Jan. 26 before Cormier spelled "cornea" correctly in the 27th round of the oral competition. Carkner, a Grade 5 student, was eliminated when she mixed up some letters on her 27th word, "literati."

Maddy Hubbard finished third. She lasted 18 rounds before misspelling "romaine."

Last year's winner, Karlee Ouellette, fin-

ished fourth. Her final word, "chromosome," came in the 15th round.

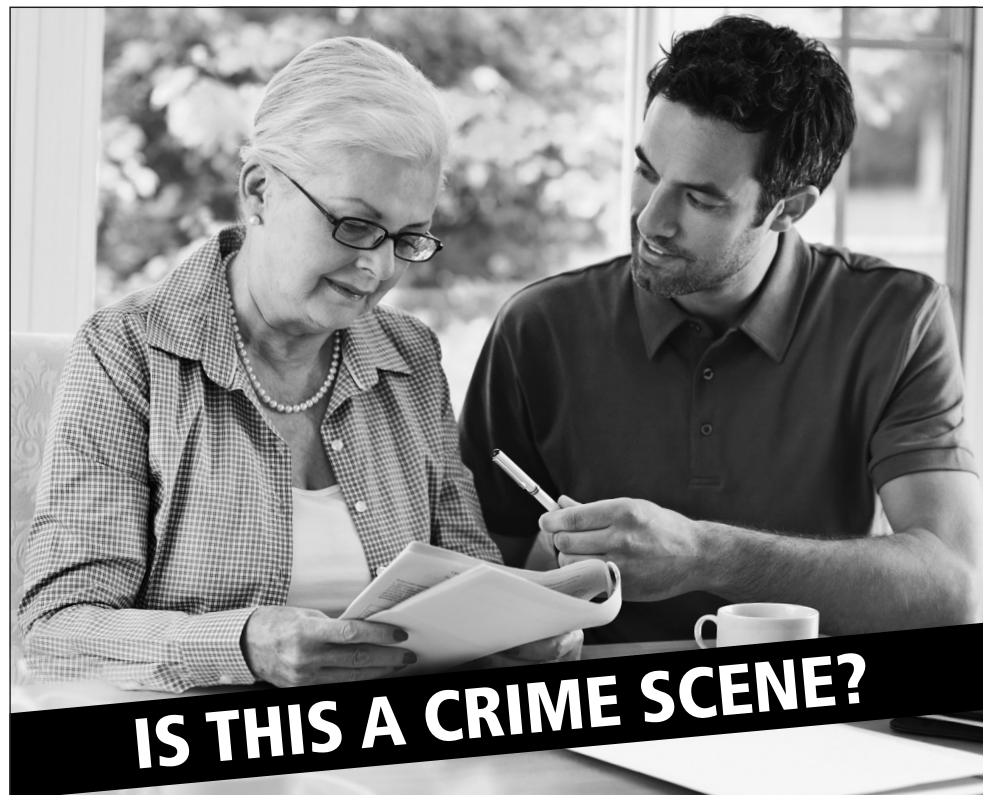
Due to the outstanding effort of the four girls and most of the other competitors, the bee took far longer than past years. In fact, a 40-minute break was necessary before the final four entered the 13th round.

Earlier in the day, Olivia Kelly won the Primary Bee for students in Kindergarten to Grade 3. Kelly, a Grade 2 student, finished tops in a field of 16 spellers by spelling "beaming" correctly in the 12th round. Heather Droogh, also in Grade 2, finished second. She missed her 12th word of the competition.

Olivia Findlay won a spell-off to finish third. She knocked out Grace Ouellette and McKenzie Reid-Stevens to take home third.



Samantha Cormier won the sixth-annual Nationview Spelling Bee and is headed to the regional competition to be held in Ottawa in March.



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Kemptville
W.B. George Centre
Thurs., Feb. 16
Starts at 9:30 am

- 9:30 Registration opens - Visit trade show exhibits
10:20 Options for improved longevity in our dairy cows
- Blair Murray, Kemptville, Ontario
10:45 Practical management of hoof health and lameness prevention
- Vic Daniel, Vic's Custom Clips, St. Mary's, Ontario - Co-ordinator of Ontario Hoof Health Project
11:30 Perception versus reality: What Canadians think of dairy farms
- Crystal Mackay, Executive Director, Farm & Food Care Ontario
12:10 Lunch - Visit exhibits
1:30 What's in the future for the dairy industry?
- Jim Wert, Stanlee Farms Inc., Avonmore, Ontario
- Tom Kane, President, Ontario Dairy Council
- Wally Smith, Chair, Dairy Farmers of Canada
3:15 Adjourn

Admission is \$20.00 at the door. Lunch is included.

Dairy Days are a non-profit information program sponsored by area dairy producer committees, OMAFRA and agri-business.

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• Cake and coffee break
• John Gulland will be sharing his expert advice on "Optimizing your Firewood Burning Techniques"
• Hot lunch and exhibit hall viewing

• Invasive Plant Species Panel, made-up of **Rachel Gagnon** from the Invasives Plant Council and **Krispen Wood** from Agriculture Canada's Arboretum in Ottawa, highlighting "What's Threatening our Woodlots and Forests", and, "Taking Action: Do's & Don'ts" when wrestling with invasive plants.
• **25th anniversary Wildlife Feature** with a colourful slideshow and talk by **Ken Elliott** from the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources introducing a new publication entitled "A land manager's guide to conserving habitat for forest birds in southern Ontario".

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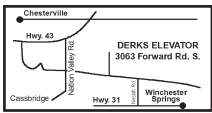


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10:00-10:50 am	Weed Management Strategies in Corn	Making Hay	Crop Disease Challenges	Insect Resistance Management in Corn	Cashing in Long-term Research
11:00-11:50 am	Amazing Soybean Yields	Insect Alert	Precision Ag Technologies	Glyphosate Resistant Weeds	Planter Set-up
12:00-12:50 pm	Soil Testing	Smart Phone	Precision Ag Technologies	Weed Management Strategies in Corn	Planter Set-up
1:00-1:50 pm	Market Outlook	Making Hay	Capturing Nitrogen from Organic Sources	Cashing in Long-term Research	Smart Phone
2:00-2:25 pm	Starting Trends in Corn Production	Insect Alert	Winter Wheat	Cash In on Canola	Weed Lab 101
2:25-2:50 pm			Spring Wheat	1 t/acre with Edible Beans	Venting Large Bins
3:00-3:25 pm	Soil Testing	Improve Your Bottom Line	Hemp	Managing Mycotoxin in Corn	Weed Lab 101
3:25-3:50 pm			Farm Safety	Real Value of Crop Residue	Venting Large Bins
4:00-4:25 pm	Fertilizer Hot Buttons	Crop Disease Challenges	Farm Safety	Cash In on Canola	Weed Lab 101
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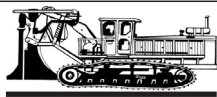
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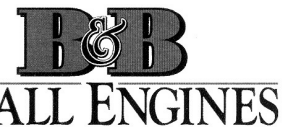


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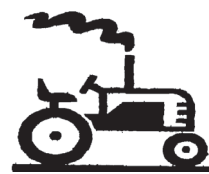
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Pictured, clockwise, from above, are: Osgoode and District Lions Club member Jim Devenny; Josh Rekmans (holding Faith Rekmans), with Jess Langman; and Daria Berkers.

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Glens best Hawks 4-3 in shootout, three games left

WINCHESTER – What was supposed to be a nothing game turned out to be a post-season type of battle.

The Winchester Jr. "B" Hawks (33-4-1-1) had locked down first place in the St. Lawrence Division standings prior to Friday (Feb. 3) night's tilt with the third-place Alexandria Glens (25-15-0-1). A win over the Hawks wouldn't improve the Glens ranking or change the fact they will face the second-place Casselman Vikings (29-8-0-2) in the semi-final round.

But it is always a hard-skating, close-checking contest when the Glens and Hawks face off and Friday's contest, which was deadlocked 3-3 after regulation time, didn't disappoint the fans.

Alexandria got shootout tallies from Shane Kitchen and the 4-3 winner from Zach Car. Nevin Guy was the only Hawks shooter to put a puck behind Glens' tender Antoine Marchand who faced 53 Winchester shots during regulation and seven more during a scoreless OT period.

With their 4-3 SO victory, the Glens are the only team to defeat Winchester twice this season. They nipped the Hawks 3-2 in first meeting, but lost the next four (6-4, 4-0, 5-2 and 7-4).

"I didn't think we were sharp, said Hawks head coach Tom Kirkwood. "We weren't hungry. It seemed to me that the game meant more to the Glens than it did to us."

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Super sniper

Winchester all-star defenceman Aaron Dickenson broke in from the left point and sniped a PPG over Antoine Marchand's shoulder after taking a feed from Nevin Guy and Jordan Moran with 2:58 left in the first period of Friday's (Feb. 3) St. Lawrence Division tilt with the Alexandria Glens.

Dickenson connected on a similar play with 1:45 left in regulation time to tie the score 3-3, but missed in the shootout. The Glens took the game 4-3 on Zach Car's SO marker.

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Aaron Dickenson double award winner, named St. Lawrence Division all-star

WINCHESTER – Defenceman Aaron Dickenson has repeated as a St. Lawrence Division award winning all star.

The Winchester Jr. "B" Hawks veteran was named the St. Lawrence Division 2011-2012 Most Valuable Player and Best Offensive Defenceman at the division's meeting in Morrisburg on Mon., Jan. 30. He was also named to the division's first all-star team.

Dickenson, who hails from Collingwood, was also the winner of the Most Offensive Defenceman Trophy and a first-team all star in 2010-2011.

Mountain's Nevin Guy, 16, also received recognition as the 2011-2012 Rookie of the Year, a berth on both the second team and rookie all-star squads.

Winchester's two award-winning defenders stand one-two as the division's top scoring blue liners. Dickenson leads everyone in assists with 56 and 69 (15-56-71) points. Guy has cracked in 15 goals, drawn 36 assists for 51 points. Overall, Dickenson is fourth in the St. Lawrence's top 10, while Guy stands 11th.

The Hawks' scoring leader Brock Burge (30-42-72) joins Dickenson and goaltender Alex Monk-Cray on the number-one stars squad, while Dylan Chessell (26-27-53) is a forward on the second team.

Burge, Chessell and Dickenson were members of the



All Stars

The Winchester Jr. "B" Hawks had five players named as 2011-2012 St. Lawrence Division All Stars. Brock Burge (left), Aaron Dickenson, Alex Monk-Cray, Nevin Guy and Dylan Chessell (inset) are the stars. Dickenson was also named as the St. Lawrence Division's MVP and Most Offensive Defenceman, while Guy was selected as the Rookie of the Year.

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Hawks' 2010-2011 Rideau - St. Lawrence Conference championship team.

This year's Best Defensive Defenceman Award went to Rene Lamoureux of the Casselman Vikings.

Shane Kitchen of the Alexandria Glens is the St. Lawrence Division's recipient of the Sportsmanship and Ability award.

This year's scoring champion and the team with the least goals against will be declared at the end of the regular season.

St. Lawrence stars

First team: Forwards – Brock Burge – Winchester Hawks, Curtis Chennette – Casselman Vikings, J.F. Dubois – Alexandria Glens; Defence – Aaron Dickenson – Winchester Hawks, Rene Lamoureux – Casselman Vikings; Goaltender – Alex Monk-Cray – Winchester Hawks.

Second team: Forwards – Dylan Chessell – Winchester Hawks, Shane Kitchen – Alexandria Glens, Adam Wensink – Casselman

Vikings; Defence – Nevin Guy – Winchester Hawks, Jesse Fontaine – Char-Lan Rebels; Goaltender – Mikael Dion – Morrisburg Lions.

Rookie team: Forwards – Lawson MacDonald – Char-Lan Rebels, Phillippe Paquette – Alexandria Glens, Matthew Morin – Akwesasne Wolves; Defence – Nevin Guy – Winchester Hawks, Parker Krol – Char-Lan Rebels; Goaltender – James Edwardson – Alexandria Glens.

Winchester curlers claim individual awards, zone title

WINCHESTER – Members of the Winchester Curling Club (WCC) distinguished themselves winning an individual award and a Zone 1 title.

Jordan Mark, third on Lauren Horton's Almonte Curling Club team, along with her teammates Jessica Armstrong of Greely, Ottawa's Leigh Gustafson and Horton all received 2011-2012 Ontario Junior Curling Tour Women's All Star Awards. The award goes to the best players for each position (skip, vice, second and lead) based on performance during the tour season, as well as for characteristics such as sportsmanship.

Team Horton is in Galt this week (Wed., Feb. 8 to Sun., Feb. 12) for the Ontario Bantam Women Provincial Championships.



Jordan Mark

Zone 1 winner

Skip Bill Hogaboam and his WCC rink of Greg and Leann Chamberlain and lead Rhonda Mark defeated Cornwall's Neil McLean twice on Saturday (Feb. 3) in Winchester to claim the Canada Gold Whiskey Senior Mixed Zone 1 title.

Former WCC member Shane Latimer, now curling out of Ottawa, knocked off Metcalfe's Bill Woods the same day in Winchester to earn the Zone 1 John Shea Insurance Mixed championship.

The Regionals will be curled at Kingston's Cataraqui Curling Club in March.

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Thurler scores three

Pennant-winning Suds edge Flyers

WINCHESTER — Rob Thurler's three-goal performance against the McLean Flyers gave him 28 on the season and the lead in the Winchester Town Hockey League tally total.

Last week's (Tues., Jan. 31) 8-7 win over the second-place Flyers (7-7-3) upped the pennant-winning Suds' record to 14-2-1. The third-place Chesterville Maulers (6-8-3) closed to within two points of the Flyers by way of a 7-4 decision over the fourth-place Green Berets (3-13-1) in the other half of the Tuesday night twin bill.

With his three goals against the Flyers, Thurler now has 28 markers, one more than the Maulers' Dean Byvelds (27) and three more than Suds teammate Steve Decaire (25). Al Christophersen and Robyn Sadler (GWG) each picked up four (2-2-4) points for the Suds, while Darrel Moore (1-2-3) provided three points. Steve

Decaire (2) and Troy McNaughton earned assists.

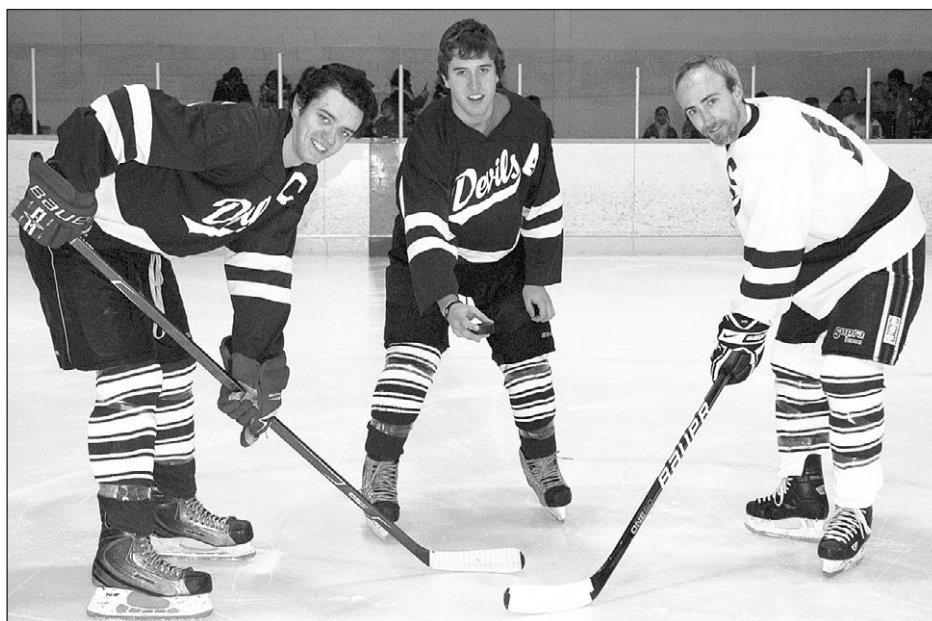
The Flyers were leading 4-3 at the half, but came up one shot short. Trevor Gilmer (2), Will McLean, Adam Schofield, Travis Leach, Adam Guy and Dan Pelkey counted the Flyer goals. Schofield (3), McLean (2), Leach (2), Guy (2) and John Servage provided the passes.

Maulers 7 – Berets 4

Dean Byvelds ripped in three goals including the GWG and set up a pair for Travis Froats in the Maulers 7-4 win over the Berets.

Scott Reaney and Dana Schofield sniped the singles. Mitch Scott (2), Matt Baker (2), Byvelds (2) and Froats drew assists.

Jon Nadobny, Nik Paas, Kyle Dearing and Chris Piquette were the Beret marksmen. Paas (2), Piquette and Barret Brundige set up the scoring plays.



Game on

Ryan Byers (left) and Brandon Cousineau organized an exhibition hockey game between the North Dundas District High School (NDDHS) teachers and their Grade 12 class. Held at the Chesterville Arena last week (Thurs., Feb. 2), the leadership class project also raised funds for various school programs. Stephen Henderson (right) was captain of the Teachers squad.

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Scoring chance

Teacher Scott Reaney (left) used a teammate as a screen as he lined up a shot on Devils goaltender Will Fawcett during last week's (Thurs., Feb. 2) exhibition game at the Chesterville Arena. Grade 12 leadership students Brandon Cousineau and Ryan Byers organized the game. Penalty shot goals by

Stephen Henderson and Kent Young gave the teachers a 6-5 third-period lead. Cousineau tied it 6-6 with 1:42 on the clock. Shootout goals by Stewart McKelvie and Cousineau gave the Devils an 8-7 win. Henderson pegged a SO goal for the Teachers.

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Hawks

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Two at home

Kirkwood and his staff will get a good look at their semi-final opponent as they host the fourth-place Char-Lan Rebels (14-21-0-3) twice this week — tonight (Wed., Feb. 8 at 8:30 pm) and again on Friday (Feb. 10 at 8:15 pm). The Hawks will complete the regular season with a trip of Cornwall Island on Saturday (Feb. 11) to take on the last place Akwesasne Wolves (9-28-1-2) at 3 pm.

Readying for Rebels

The Hawks have defeated the Rebels in their first four meetings and have outscored their post-season opponents 28-11 in the process.

"Char-Lan is a fast young team that works hard," said the coach. "On paper we are certainly the favorites, but you never know."

"It will be one game at a time, one shift at a time. You have to win the battles to win the war," he said.

Winchester GM Craig "JB" Smith agreed saying you can never take any team too lightly. He also reported that the Hawks will host the Rebels in game one of the best of seven semi-final on Fri., Feb. 17.

Glens 4 – Hawks 3 SO

Leo McLean put the Glens up 1-0 on an unassisted play at 15:03 of period one, but the Hawks responded with a pair and carried a 2-1 lead into the sandwich session.

Brock Burge tied it with his 31st goal with 5:29 on the clock. Captain Graham Loyst and defender Matt DiMillo set him up. St. Lawrence Division MVP Aaron Dickenson cashed in a PPG after taking a feed from Rookie of the Year Nevin Guy and Jordan Moran with 2:58 left in the period.

Alexandria took a 3-2 lead on second-period tallies by J.F. Dubois at 7:57 and Yannick Boudrias at 0:49.

Winchester fired 19 shots at Marchand in the final 20 minutes, but weren't able to strike the string in the back of his cage until Dickenson rang up another PPG 1:45 before the final buzzer. Guy and Mike Evelyn drew assists on the play.

A five-minute OT period failed to break up the 3-3 tie.

The Hawks sent Brodie Boulanger, Burge, Guy, Dickenson and Evelyn out in the shootout. Only Guy was able to find the twine. Alex Monk-Cray (25-4-0-1) took the loss.

The Hawks played without Brent Simms and Dylan Chessell.

Minor Midget Demons clip Perth Wings 5-3

WINCHESTER — Patrick Gibson's hat trick was the difference as the North Dundas Minor Midget "B" Demons clipped the Perth/Lanark Blue Wings 5-3.

North Dundas led last week's (Thurs., Feb. 2) Upper Canada Minor Hockey League game 3-2 after a period and 4-

2 after two sessions. The victory improved the second-place Demons' East Division record to 13-7-1. The Cornwall Colts (22-1-0) hold down first place with 44 points.

Ryan Gruich used a feed from Dayton Kelly to give the Demons a 1-0 lead at 14:28 of the first period.

Dakota Boulanger made it 2-0 finishing a play started by Brett Bartholomew and Devon Byers at the 6:55 mark. Perth sliced its deficit to 2-1 at 3:03, but Gibson was quick to respond and put the Demons up 3-1 scoring from Travis Marshall and Kelly with 2:08 on the clock. The

Wings were able to close the gap to 3-2 beating Matthew Ledrew 1:34 before the period was over.

Marshall and Josh Beach established Gibson's second marker at 11:05 of period two. His third came 9:49 before the final buzzer and was set up for him by Kelly and Gruich.

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Feb. 1: Athens 9 - Brockville 1							Feb. 2: Ottawa West 4 - Metcalfe 2						
Feb. 2: Casselman 7 - Morrisburg 1							Feb. 3: Perth 7 - Stittsville 4						
Feb. 3: Alexandria 4 - Winchester 3 SO							Gatineau 6 - Ottawa 5 OT						
Westport 5 - Brockville 1							Renfrew 6 - Almonte 4						
Feb. 4: Westport 4 - South Grenville 3 OT							Arnprior 8 - Shawville 7						
Casselman 5 - Char-Lan 4 SO							Clarence 7 - Metcalfe 3						
Morrisburg 1 - Alexandria 0							Feb. 4: Almonte 7 - Stittsville 4						
Athens 9 - Gananoque 2							Feb. 5: Perth 4 - Almonte 4						
Feb. 5: Athens 10 - Brockville 2							Clarence 6 - Gatineau 5						
							Arnprior - Stittsville						
							Renfrew 11 - Shawville 3						
STANDINGS							STANDINGS						
Rideau	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS	Metro	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Westport	34	9	1	230	149	69	Gatineau	24	7	6	185	123	55
Athens	28	11	0	268	143	61	Ottawa West	25	10	4	185	135	54
Gananoque	25	17	0	196	178	52	Clarence	23	13	1	202	165	48
South Grenville	15	26	0	145	216	33	Metcalfe	16	18	5	148	159	38
Brockville	1	41	0	106	327	3	Ottawa	10	23	2	131	177	25
St. Lawrence	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS	Valley	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Winchester	33	4	1	226	105	68	Arnprior	28	6	3	193	118	59
Casselman	29	8	0	215	116	60	Perth	20	14	3	186	168	45
Alexandria	25	15	0	194	151	51	Almonte	14	18	5	173	194	35
Char-Lan	14	21	0	136	206	31	Renfrew	15	21	3	143	174	33
Morrisburg	12	26	0	146	202	25	Stittsville	12	21	3	128	164	27
Akwasasne	9	28	1	122	214	21	Shawville	8	28	0	152	226	19
*Teams losing in OT receive one point							*Teams losing in OT receive one point						

TOP SCORERS				TOP SCORERS			
St. Lawrence Division				Rideau Division			
G	A	PTS		G	A	PTS	
J.F. Dubois, Alex.	37	45	82	P. Cameron, Athens	19	63	82
C. Chennette, Cass.	35	44	79	S. Parker, Athens	42	37	79
B. Burge, Win.	31	42	73	M. Ming, West.	29	37	66
A. Dickenson, Win.	15	56	71	T. Murray, Gan.	24	33	57
A. Wensink, Cass.	30	29	59	N. Terpak, West.	28	28	56
S. Kitchen, Alex.	24	35	59	W. Cota, Gan.	28	27	55
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Papineauville 11 - Gatineau 1						
Feb. 4: St. Isidore 6 - Papineauville 3						
Rockland 6 - Cumberland 4						
Feb. 5: North Dundas 5 - Vankleek Hill 2						
La Peche 1 - Gatineau 0						
Cumberland 4 - Papineauville 3						
St. Isidore 8 - Rockland 2						
STANDINGS						
W	L	OTL	GF	GA	PTS	
Embrun	22	5	1	151	88	45
Cumberland	19	8	1	117	94	39
La Peche	16	12	1	138	115	33
St. Isidore	15	9	3	113	96	33
Rockland	15	13	0	117	110	30
Gatineau	13	15	1	106	124	27
Vankleek Hill	11	15	3	111	133	25
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STANDINGS						
W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS	
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Cooper Pinks	7	7	1	20	31	15
Country Girls	3	11	1	14	39	7
KC's Maintenance	2	11	2	18	38	6
TOP SCORERS						
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A. Rylaarsdam, WST	9	6	15			
Ashley Gilmer, WST	3	12	15			
Sandra Cloutier, Pinks	10	3	13			
Lana Begg, Blues	9	4	13			
Heather McDiarmid, Reds	3	10	13			
Kelly Zeran, Reds	7	5	12			
Trisha Leduc, Blues	5	7	12			
Amber Theiner, Blues	5	6	11			

North Dundas Senior Devils tag Tagwi with 47-41 exhibition loss

MAPLE RIDGE – Dylan Young poured in 14 points leading the North Dundas District High School Senior Devils to a 47-41 exhibition victory over the Tagwi Warriors.

Last week's (Thurs., Feb. 2) game was a tune up for the Devils, whose previous SD&G league action was a loss to the St. Joe's Panthers on Thurs., Jan. 19. Tomorrow (Thurs., Feb. 9), they will host the CCVS Raiders at 2:30 pm.

The Devils looked a little rusty in the first half of the game against Tagwi but held a slim 8-7 lead after the opening quarter. The Warriors were up by two (18-16) at the half but Chris Neal threw down a deuce in the opening seconds of the third quarter to tie it 18-18. Young then dialed in from long distance for three to get the Devils ahead 21-18.

Evan Corbett-White, Josh Freake and Bruce Bufton hit field goals to push the Devils into a 27-22 lead with 2:20 left in the quarter. Corbett-White, Robbie Kerr (on a steal and a lay up) and Freake strained another six points through the onion bag giving



Defence
Travis Barkley protected the ball and looked to make an outlet pass during last week's (Thurs., Feb. 2) exhibition basketball game at North Dundas District High School. Spurred by Dylan Young's 14-point effort, the Senior Devils posted a 47-41 victory. North Dundas resumes SD&G league play tomorrow (Thurs., Feb. 9) hosting the CCVS Raiders.

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North Dundas a 33-25 advantage after three quarters. Kerr, Wes Schmidtke, Young and Bufton produced high 14 points, including a pair of treys. Schmidtke and Corbett-White each drained six. Kerr (5), Bufton (4), Neil (4), Freake (2) and Victor Delage (2) supplied the rest of the offence.

Blackburn Minor Hockey Tournament

Pee Wee House 'C' Demons defeat Casselman 4-3 in overtime for title

BLACKBURN – Justin Shay scored an overtime goal that extended the North Dundas Pee Wee House "C" Demons undefeated (league and tournament) season. Shay's marker came in the "A" final game against Casselman in the 2012 Blackburn Minor Hockey Tournament.

Cordelle Steele netted a goal with 43 seconds left in regulation time in the game on Sun., Jan. 29 forcing an extra period. Shay's tally then lifted the Demons to a 4-3 victory. Eric Armstrong and Cristiano Vogrig snapped in first-period goals for the Demons.

North Dundas reached the title match by scratching out a 3-2 victory over North Bay Gateway. The Demons led 2-

1 after two periods on goals by Vogrig and Chris Cotton. Adam Geertsma's goal, set up by Travis McInnis, early in the final frame proved to be the winner.

Three wins
North Dundas opened the tournament on Fri., Jan. 27 by blanking the Blackburn Stingers 8-0. Mason McLeod registered the shutout.

McLeod turned in another shutout in game two as the Demons whitewashed North Bay Gateway Advertiser 1-0. An 8-1 romp over the Kanata Scorpions on Sat., Jan. 28 completed a perfect round robin.

Shay and Eric Armstrong each potted a pair of goals for the winners.

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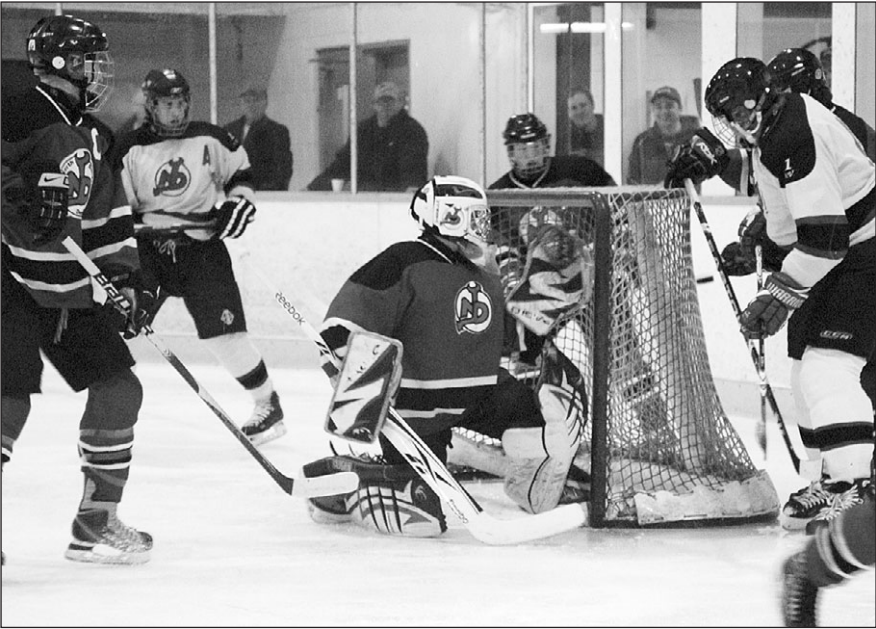
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North Dundas Midget House "B1" Demons goaltender Cam Hunt squeezed the puck a split second before it squirted in behind the goalpost during last week's (Wed., Feb. 1) Upper Canada Minor Hockey League game in Chesterville. From his location behind Hunt's net, the "B2" Demons shooter was sure he had seen the puck cross the goal line. The "B1" Demons rallied from a 4-2 deficit to tie the game 4-4 and steal a point.



Ryan Embury, North Dundas Midget House "B2" Demons goaltender, and his mates were under plenty of third-period pressure during last week's (Wed., Feb. 1) Upper Canada Minor Hockey League game in Chesterville. Shawn Buma (right) and the "B1" Demons erased a 4-2 deficit with a pair of late goals to register a 4-4 tie.

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Coyotes nip Midget 'B' Lions 3-1

RUSSELL – Backed by the solid goaltending of Lindsay Chambers, who also guards the nets for the North Dundas District High School Blue Devils, the home town Russell Coyotes defeated the Dundas County Midget "B" Lions 3-1.

Last week's (Wed., Feb. 1) Ottawa District Women's Hockey Association game in Russell moved the fourth-place Lions' record in the 10-team division to 8-5-4. Tonight (Wed., Feb. 8), Dundas completes its regular season with a trip to Brockville to take on the Angels.

Period one of the Coyotes game was scoreless, but the host team got on the board in period two when Mikaela Wichers scored from Claudine Rivard at the 8:46 mark.

Amanda Carkner turned a pass from Sarah Rozon into a 2-0 Russell lead at 1:23 of period three. Rivard then opened up a 3-0 gap finishing a play started by Valerie Seguin at 2:56.

Dundas County finally broke up Chambers' shutout when Michaela Morrow buried a relay sent to her by Geena Rose.

Morrow leads the Lions in scoring with 16 (9-7-16) points. Lesley-Ann Tupper has 14 (6-8-14) points and Leah Wells 11 (3-8-11) points.

Goaltender Megan Van-Allen sports a GAA of 1.71 and has three shutouts to her credit.

Midget 'B2' claw past Panthers, tie North Dundas rivals

CHESTERVILLE — A two-goal lead wasn't enough for the North Dundas Midget House "B2" Demons.

Nursing a 4-2 advantage with just over two minutes left in the game, the "B2" Demons could not hold off the host "B1" Demons and had to settle for a 4-4 tie in an Upper Canada Minor Hockey League game played last week (Wed., Feb. 1) in Chesterville.

Five days later, on Sun., Feb. 5, the "B2" squad welcomed Kemptville to Winchester, and sent their County Road 43 rivals home on the

wrong end of a 7-3 score.

Devils 7 - Panthers 3

Ryan Embury worked the nets for North Dundas, and allowed just three goals over three periods of play.

It was Ryan Carr who found the back of the Kemptville net, taking a pass from Aaron Burns at 14:31 of the first frame to put the home side on top 1-0. Kirk Gibson also collected an assist on the play.

At 3:12 of the same session, Gibson put the Devils ahead by two goals, finishing a passing play orchestrated

by Austin Carruthers and Devin Simzer.

North Dundas continued its scoring rampage in the second period, going ahead 3-0 at 13:17 of the sandwich session. It was Simzer, after taking a feed from Evan Durant, who found the back of the Panthers cage.

The Devils' second half scoring continued with markers by both Colton Stitt and Carruthers, while Durant picked up the lone assist.

Kemptville clawed back with one marker in the second, scored by Matt Hobbs

at 3:38, and two more in third — Quinn Millson at 15:44 and Travis Gilchrist at 10:25. Assists went to Evan Frank, Justin McLaughlin (2), Charles Thompson, Millson, and Gilchrist.

However, two more North Dundas markers in the third period sealed the Devils victory.

Durant completed his four-point game with two goals in the final frame, giving his squad the 7-3 victory. Lane Kirkwood and Daniel McSheffrey earned assists on Durant's second goal.

"B2" Devils 4 - "B1" Devils 4

Gibson cracked in two goals, while Dylan Sosnowsky and Burns added single markers en route to the "B2" Devils 4-4 tie with their "B1" counterparts. Assists went to Durant, Carr, and Burns.

Scoring for the "B1" Devils was Andrew Sobering, Josh Hodgson, Craig Christopherson, and Alex Porteous, while Zach Sloan (3), Josh Horner, Porteous (2), and Sobering collected the assists.

Metcalfe Jets shot down by Knights and Beavers

METCALFE – The Metcalfe Jr. "B" Jets weren't able to use home ice to their advantage when they played host to the Clarence Beavers.

Paced by Pascal Brisson's two-goal effort, the third-place Beavers (23-13-1-1) skated to a 7-3 Metro Division victory over the fourth-place Jets (16-18-5-1) and opened up a 10-point lead on their closest opposition in Metcalfe last Friday (Feb. 3).

The day before (Thurs., Feb. 2), Metcalfe was in Ottawa where they suffered a 4-2 setback at the hands of the second-place Golden Knights (25-10-4-0).

The Jets will wrap up the 2011-2012 Eastern Ontario Junior Hockey League regular season with games at home on Friday (Feb. 10) against the same Beavers and in Perth against the Valley Division's Blue Wings on Sunday (Feb. 12).

Derek Shutron turned a pass from Joshua Gervais and Matt Miller into a 1-1 tie with 12:25 left in period one. Unfortunately for the Jets, the Beavers ripped in four second-period shots and held a 5-2 lead with 20 minutes left in the game.

Miller counted a PPG set up by Brett

Nooyen and Derek Shutron to cut Metcalfe's deficit to 5-3 with 14:03 left in the game, but that was as close as the Jets would get to tying it up.

Derek Shutron (from Gervais and Dawson Fisher) registered Metcalfe's other goal at 5:43 of period two.

Brisson (2), Brennan Tousignant, Tyler Fradette, Ryan McLean, Sebastien Dion and Brett Shutron put pucks into Brett Ayers' net. The Beavers outshot Metcalfe 32-25.

Knights 4 – Jets 2

Metcalfe 'tender Ryan McLaughlin stopped 45 of the 49 shots the Ottawa West Golden Knights fired at him, but his offence were only able to support him with two tallies.

Gervais netted a SHG goal engineered by Nooyen and Fisher with 6:39 left in the first period and Shawn Ennis scored after taking a relay from Gervais at 18:13 of the final frame.

Mitch Bird was flying for the Knights scoring three of his team's four goals. Ryan Sterling was the other marksman.

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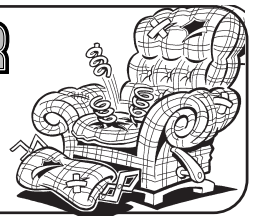
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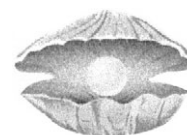
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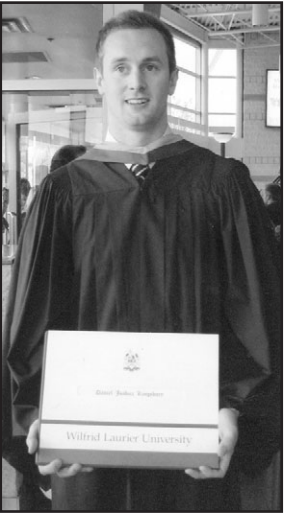
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TAKE NOTICE that the Council of The Corporation of the Township of North Dundas passed By-law No.5-2012 on the 24th day of January 2012 under the Development Charges Act.

AND TAKE NOTICE that any person or organization may appeal the by-law to the Ontario Municipal Board under Section 14 of the Act by filing with the Clerk of the Township of North Dundas not later than the 4th day of March 2012 a notice of appeal setting out the objection to the by-law and the reasons in support of the objection. As the last day of appeal falls on a Sunday, appeals may be filed on the following business day (Monday, March 4, 2012).

The purpose of the by-law is to eliminate the discount on Fire Services.

The complete by-law is available for inspection at the municipal office during regular business hours.

Dated in Winchester, this 8th day of February, 2012.

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Top-40 tracks and the sound of dribbling basketballs filled the gym of North Dundas District High School during the annual Hoops for Heart on Tues., Feb. 7. Pictured at play are: Cyrill Jaquetmet (above, left), Amber Dodds, and Brett Lannin; Travis Roderick (above right); and at right Cody Blake.

Press Photos — Smith-Millar

Of hoops & hip-hop



OBITUARY

Kaleigh Annabelle Carruthers

Kaleigh Annabelle Carruthers passed peacefully in the arms of her loving parents on Fri., Feb. 3, 2012.

Kaleigh was born on Jan. 26, 2011 with severe congenital heart disease. Kaleigh spent some time at the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario in Ottawa before being transferred to Sick Kids in Toronto. After a year of fight and determination, Kaleigh took her final breaths at Roger's House in Ottawa.

Kaleigh is the daughter of Trevor and Cheryl (nee Moriarty) Carruthers of Finch. She will be missed greatly by her parents, grandparents, great-grand-parents, aunts, and uncles.

We, Trevor and Cheryl, would like to send a special thank you for all the support from our small community and families during this difficult situation. Also, we would like to thank the nurses, doctors, and staff at both CHEO and Sick Kids.

A private family service was held with Rev. Wendy Wright-MacKenzie at the Morewood RA on Mon., Feb. 6.

A donation will be made on behalf of the community by us, Kaleigh's parents, to both hospital foundations.

Kaleigh was a beautiful baby girl who touched so many lives in such a brief time. We will always miss and love her.



DEATH NOTICE

Annie Bell Barkley

Annie Bell Barkley (nee Hess) of Inkerman passed away peacefully at the Dundas Manor on Sun., Feb. 5, 2012, in her 87th year.

She was the beloved wife of Lyle Barkley. She was the loving Mom of Harold (Veena) and Edna Cheney (Doug), and the cherished Grandma of Doug, Rob, Lynne, Lisa (Mike Langlois), and Jamie (Myrna). She was the dear sister of Lila Crowder (Jim), Lyle Hess (Sandi), Glendon Hess, and the late Hubert and Darcy. She was the aunt of many nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Barkley will rest at the Byers Funeral Home, 2990 Church Street in South Mountain (613-989-3836), from 7 to 9 pm today, Wed, Feb. 8. A funeral service will be held in the chapel of the funeral home on Thurs., Feb. 9 at 11 am. Interment at Knights Cemetery will be held in the spring.

By family request, donations may be made to the Dundas Manor Activity Fund.

Online condolences may be made at www.byersfuneralhomeinc.com



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CRYSLER - Come and view the river from the rear deck, relax and enjoy the peace and tranquility on this almost 200' lot with mature trees and fabulous gardens. Updates since '07 include eavestrough, paved driveway, some windows, interlock, flooring and a 2011 gas furnace, A/C and fireplace. MLS 817085 **\$179,900**



MORRISBURG - Come check out this 2+2 bedroom single-owner semi-detached. Custom kitchen with new tiles and custom pull-out cupboards, hardwood in living room, large lower level rec room with gas fireplace and a huge master bedroom with a great-sized walk-in closet. Turn-key! MLS 818039 **\$185,000**



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Hairless heroes

Locks lost, \$6,200 gained in Metcalfe fundraiser

METCALFE — Here's the bald truth of the matter: A total of seven children and two adults sacrificed their hair during the fourth annual Go Bald for Wishes in Osgoode Ward.

The monetary total pledged to date is about \$6,200. But, cash is still trickling in, said organizer Kim Sheldrick.

"We are still accepting donations towards our event," she noted.

All proceeds will support Make-A-Wish Eastern Ontario.

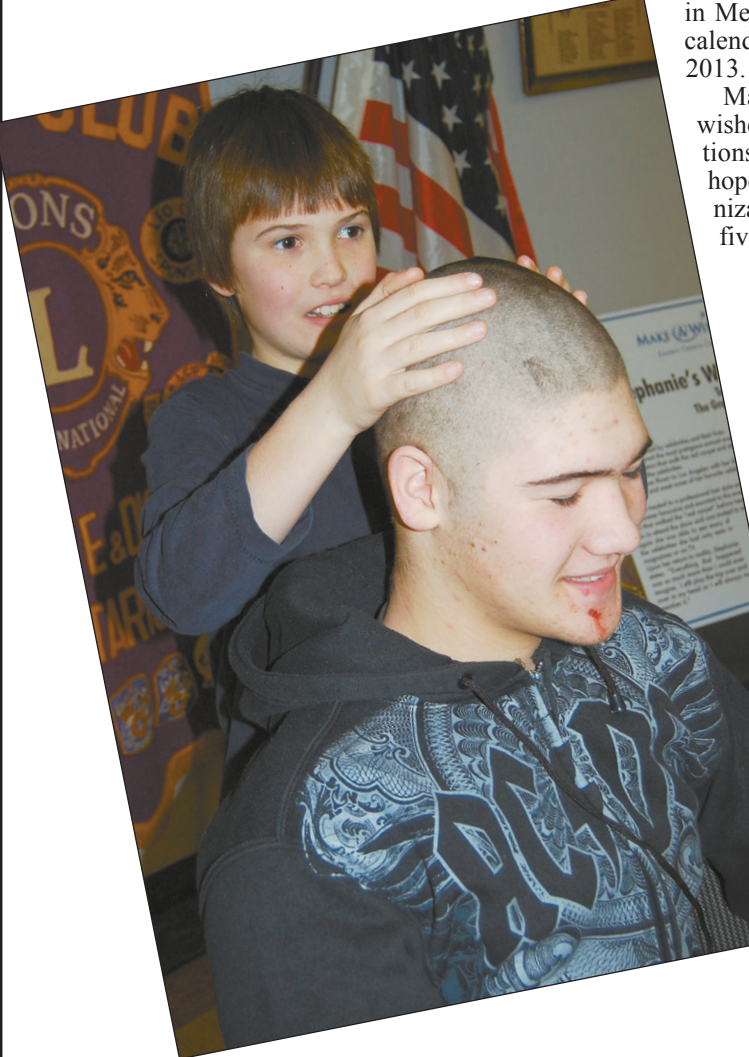
Coffee, cookies, and other treats were available to console participants during the Sat., Feb. 4 hair-sacrificing session at the Metcalfe Lions Den.

Sheldrick thanked the sponsors and donors who made the event successful.

In addition, Sheldrick tipped her hat to two "celebrity stylist" politicians: City of Ottawa Councillor Doug Thompson and Nepean-Carleton MPP Lisa MacLeod.

Next year's Go Bald for Wishes will be the fifth event in Metcalfe. Prospective participants should mark their calendars (and start growing their hair) for Sat., Feb. 2, 2013.

Make-A-Wish Eastern Ontario aims to grant the wishes of children with life-threatening medical conditions, thereby enriching the human experience with hope, strength, and joy. Similar Make-A-Wish organizations can be found in more than 35 countries on five continents.



Make-A-Wish Eastern Ontario hosted its Go Bald for Wishes fundraiser on Sat., Feb. 4. Pictured are: David Skuce (far left), admiring the freshly revealed scalp of his brother, Jonathan; organizer Kim Sheldrick (above), shaving the head of her son, Matthew Bates; and his brother, Michael (centre), modeling the event toques and t-shirts.

Press Photos — Smith-Millar

Cyclist hosting Feb. 18 dance party fundraiser

CHESTERVILLE — Chester-ville resident Andrea Bols is inviting the community to a dance party fundraiser on Sat., Feb. 18 in support of her upcoming cycling trip to promote environmentalism.

Bols is fundraising in support of a Fredericton-to-Halifax bike tour, running Tues., May 1 to Thurs., June 21. The trip will be organized through the Otesha Project, a Canadian youth-led organization dedicated to spreading awareness and creating social change.

"Basically, we're a traveling theatre troupe on bicycles, and we do plays for schools and community groups on the environment and sustainability," said Bols.

She noted that the group will be cycling from place to place, living as a group, cooking together, sleeping in tents, and working as a team.

Time to party!

The Feb. 18 dance party is scheduled to start with a lesson at 7 pm. Chesterville residents Krista and Dylan Roberts are supplying the venue: their home, more commonly known as the former Anglican Church of Chesterville.

Dance instructor Dennis



Andrea Bols

Taylor will be teaching some basic skills, specifically for bachata — a partner dance that originated in the Dominican Republic. Some line dances and Scottish country dances will also be taught.

"Can't dance? No problem! Come early, and we will have some dance enthusiasts show you how it's done," said Bols of the 7 pm lesson.

The evening will continue with a dance party, as well as a pie auction at 9 pm and line dancing at 9:30 pm, after which the party will continue.

The cost is \$10 at the door, although additional donations inside will be accepted. Refreshments will be provided.

"All of the money goes to Otesha and funding my cycling adventure," Bols said.



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WINCHESTER — Stormont, Dundas, and South Glengarry (SD&SG) MP Guy Lauzon will be hosting a passport clinic Sat., Feb. 18 at North Dundas District High School.

The event is scheduled to run from 10 am to 12:30 pm.

"Having passport clinics on a Saturday morning is more convenient for people in the area," the local MP said in a press release. "People are often working during the week, and can't make it to Ottawa or Cornwall to drop their applications off. Now they will have the chance to come out on Saturday morning and get it done in one stop."

Applicants' photos will be

taken, and a complete review of all required documents will be performed. Items will be mailed to Passport Canada the following week, and should be returned to the applicant three to four weeks later.

Any SD&SG resident is welcome to attend, while Township of North Dundas residents should receive further information in the mail. As well, in order to streamline the process, applicants are encouraged to visit www.passport.gc.ca and fill out the necessary forms before attending the clinic.

For more information, contact Lauzon's Cornwall constituency office at 1-888-805-2513.

Delta Waterfowl banquet

SNC sponsors event for young hunters

FINCH — A conservation group dedicated to mentoring young hunters in safety and waterfowl habitat enhancement will present its fourth annual fundraising dinner and auction at the Finch Community Centre on Sat., March 3.

Co-sponsored by South Nation Conservation (SNC), tickets are now available for the Delta Waterfowl banquet, with items such as shotguns, rifles, and decoys up for grabs in raffles, as well as live and silent auctions.

Beginning with a social time at 5 pm followed by dinner at 6:30 pm, tickets are \$35 for youth, \$45 for adults, and \$65 a couple, with seating limited to about 150 people. In addition to a beef brisket dinner with all the trimmings, each ticket purchaser gets a one-year membership in Delta Waterfowl and six issues of its magazine.

Participants are asked to bring a non-perishable item for the food bank, which will be rewarded with a raffle ticket for a print donated by SNC.

Delta Waterfowl is a North America-wide organization dedicated to informed, controlled hunting and to conserving wetlands for breeding. It aims to provide "knowledge, future leaders, solutions and passion for waterfowl to scientists, resource managers, waterfowlers, conservationists, and the public."

The local chapter now has 30 members spread across SNC's 4,000-square-kilometre watershed, and new members are always welcome.

"One of the great things about a local chapter is that it can direct 25 per cent of event proceeds," said Ryan Robson, SNC staff members and banquet organizer. "Eligible programs include mentored youth hunts, youth waterfowling training seminars, and local nesting projects."

The South Nation Delta chapter pays for youth aged 12 to 15 years of age to get their apprentice hunting licenses after they have been put through a multi-faceted training course.

SNC general manager Dennis O'Grady said the partnership with Delta Waterfowl has proved to be rewarding for both parties.

"Essentially, both organizations are dedicated to the same cause: environmental protection and habitat enhancement," O'Grady said. "Hunting is going to happen, so it's best to ensure hunters become responsible and environmentally aware at a young age."

For tickets or more information, contact Robson at 1-877-984-2948 extension 224.



UCV benefits from BMO's \$25,000

MORRISBURG — The Eastern Ontario District of the Bank of Montreal (BMO) has continued with its financial sponsorship of Upper Canada Village (UCV).

Most recently, the Canadian banking firm delivered a cheque for \$25,000 to the local tourist attraction.

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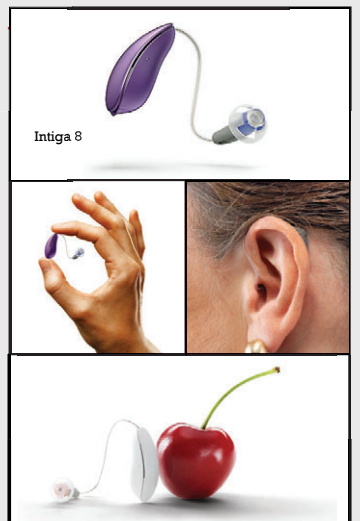
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