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Arson ruled out in midday barn blaze

MOREWOOD — The Ontario Fire Marshal's office, in conjunction with the SD&G OPP, has completed its on-site investigation into a barn fire that occurred at 1397 Carruthers Rd. near Morewood on Fri., April 20. They have ruled out arson as a cause of the blaze.

SD&G OPP officers responded to the report of a structure fire at about 1 pm. Fire departments from Morewood, Winchester, Chesterville, and Mountain attended the scene.

The fire resulted in the complete loss of the structure, but there were no injuries or loss of livestock. The barn did have electricity and was used to store a tractor, tools, and hay.

Local fire departments have been busy, with about 20 unexplained barn fires since last spring. The most recent one occurred at the property of Russell and Doreen Marcellus on County Road 3 overnight on April 15. In that case, the Ontario Fire Marshal's office ruled the cause to be "undetermined."

WDMH to offer CT scanner services

WINCHESTER — Winchester District Memorial Hospital has received approval from the ministry of health and long-term care to offer CT scanner services in the new hospital facility.

Hospital board chair Bruce Rowsell reported that the ministry responded to a well-developed business case for CT that was a significant outcome from the hospital's strategic plan from June 2006.

"The plan addressed the very real access issues for the rural communities served by this hospital," said Rowsell.

Computed tomography (CT) uses special x-ray equipment to obtain image data from different angles around the body, and then uses computer processing of the information to show a cross-section of body tissues and organs. CT imaging is particularly useful because it can show several types of tissue with greater clarity.

"CT is an essential element to support our role in cancer and many conditions associated with our aging population, as well as in enhancing our role in teaching," said chief of staff Dr. Brian Devin, noting that the board and medical staff believe it would be inappropriate to construct a state-of-the-art facility without this diagnostic service.

"Patient care will witness a measurable improvement because the sickest and frailest patients will be diagnosed promptly with an improved chance for local and earlier treatment or transfer," said Dr. Alfredo Formoso, chief of diagnostic imaging at WDMH and a member of the diagnostic imaging department at the Ottawa Hospital.

WDMH CEO Trudy Reid, LHIN CEO Dr. Robert Cushman, and Ottawa Hospital CEO Dr. Jack Kitts all agree that this announcement represents the integration and improved regional access that the health system is moving toward.

"Appropriate care close to home with a streamlined connection to more intensive services when needed is what we are all about," said Reid.

• see HOSPITAL on next page

SD&G Community Futures gets federal funding boost

CORNWALL — Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry MP Guy Lauzon announced a federal contribution of $923,750 to the SD&G Community Futures Development Corporation (CFDC) in support of its ongoing operations over three years. The announcement was made on April 20 on behalf of Tony Clement, minister of health and minister for FedNor.

"Canada's new government is taking concrete steps to set the right conditions to ensure that our economy grows stronger, and our markets remain competitive," said Lauzon. "Our partnership with this CFDC helps create jobs and build the local economy."

Budget 2007, announced by the federal government in March, introduces a number of key initiatives in support of the small business sector, including: reducing the federal paper burden on small business; reducing the tax compliance burden on small business; and introducing tax reductions that will lower Canada's tax rate on new business investment.

The SD&G CFDC provides services to support local economic development and small business growth, including: access to capital, business services, community-based projects, and strategic community planning and socio-economic development.

"This long-term funding gives us the ability to continue to serve the citizens and businesses of this region," said SD&G CFDC chair Charles Sangster. "We are grateful for the faith that the Government of Canada has shown in our work."

The SD&G CFDC is one of 61 Community Futures Development Corporations in rural and Northern Ontario funded by FedNor's Community Futures Program.

In the past several months, the SD&G CFDC has provided $10,590 to North Dundas Township for planning the 100 Club park revitalization and $10,000 toward a new play structure at the Chesterville Community Park. It also provides funding to local businesses to help them grow.

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Morewood Public School's GOT THE BEAT



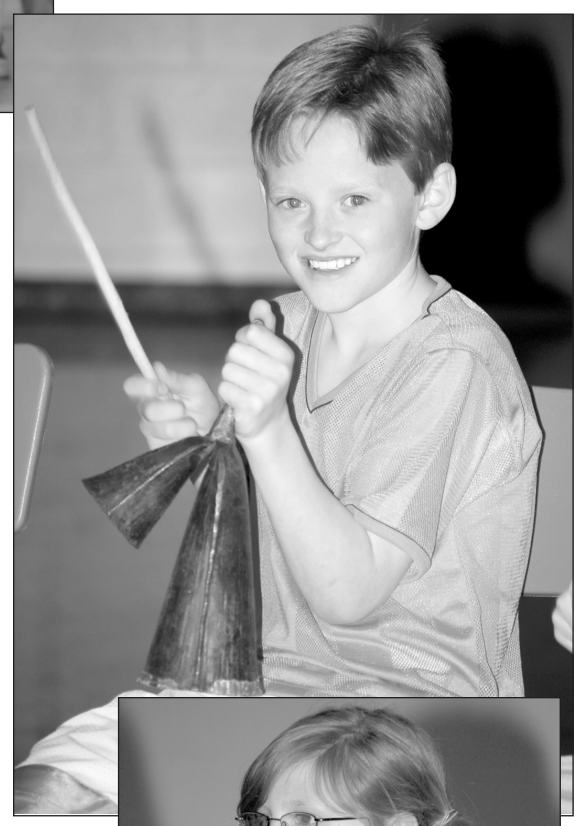
MOREWOOD — Larry Graves, one of the members of the Rithm Prject, an African drumming group, lead workshops with students at Morewood Public School on Mon., April 23.

"It's all about getting the kids to learn about culture and exposing them to new kinds of music and artistic sensibilities," Graves said. "To get them to open up to other ideas ... and different ways of doing things."

Graves said that the workshops not only expose the students to percussion and rhythm techniques, but also let them accept and appeciate different cultures.

Graves returned with his band to put on a concert for the students the following day (Tues., April 24).









***Above**: Graves leads a class through a rhythm round.*

***At Left:** Grade 5 student Spencer Carruthers tests his percussion skills.*

***At right:** Grade 4 student Braeden Visser rocks out on the cow bell.*

***Below right:** Grade 5 student Nikita Vezina gets in the groove.*

***Below:** Grade 6 students Cam Hunt (left), Seth Luimes, and Colin Giberson, jam on the drums.*

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Hospital

The CT proposal is a new component of the redevelopment project which is expected to be approved for tender very shortly.

"We're just waiting for the phone call," Reid told the *Press* last week.

CT is now a standard health care technology that needed to be included in a comprehensive future plan for the hospital. The new diagnostic imaging plans have already been modified to accommodate this much needed modality and will not in any way delay the tender decision.

"The support of this community is paying dividends," said Terry MacLellan, chair of the WDMH Foundation. "We have accomplished what we set out to do. We had a vision, we added to it as we moved along, and the hospital is now reaping the benefit of a very generous community that appreciates the excellent care it receives at WDMH."

WDMH is preparing to purchase a state-of-the-art CT scanner that will be acquired using donated funds, which will be solicited by the foundation. The scanner will be located in the new diagnostic imaging department and will be operating in time for the opening of the new facility.

Correction

The Winchester Lions Club will celebrate its 40th anniversary in 2008, not its 50th as reported in the story "New park pavilion for Lions' 50th" in the April 18 edition of the Press. *The Lions have committed $40,000 for the pavilion to mark their 40th. Lions are now selling tickets on a 60-40 draw to raise money for the project. The winner will take home 40 per cent of the cash. See any Lions Club member to purchase tickets.*

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Harmony in Morrisburg

Arts-based youth program 'pays it forward'

WILLIAMSBURG — Morrisburg will be home to the SD&G branch of the youth program Harmony, thanks to the donation of space in a municipally owned building from South Dundas Council.

"So far so good," said Judy L'Heureux, who will be running the Morrisburg program. "We've got the location, rent-free, and that's a big step."

The founder of Harmony, Joanne Klauke-LaBelle, was at the South Dundas council meeting on Tues., April 17 to educate members about the program and the plan to introduce a branch in Morrisburg.

"Our mandate is to promote self-esteem for youth through the arts," Klauke-LaBelle explained.

Harmony, she explained, teaches youth how to vent in a constructive way. It gives them access to a safe place where they can express themselves creatively, and have access to instruments they want to try. It also has a zero-tolerance policy for bullying and teasing. But there's a catch. For every hour of time spent in the program, that youth has to give one hour back to the community by volunteering in some capacity.

"They have to pay it forward," Klauke-LaBelle said. "I believe that the sustainability of a community starts with the youth."

She said that the community service aspect of the program plays a major role in self-esteem development, as well.

"They realize how vital they are to the community — they realize they have changed someone's life," she said.

She noted that programs are offered free.

"Because the kids that really need this program don't have the money," she said.

She also explained that future theatre productions or musical performances put on by Harmony participants are also free to the public.

"That's paying it forward, also," she explained. "They're giving their talent back to the community."

Klauke-LaBelle explained to the council members why she initially began the program. As a music teacher in her home, she was approached by one of her students following a lesson wanting to talk.

"I turned him away," she said. "I was too busy. But I didn't know that he had a gun."

The student committed suicide, which changed Klauke-LaBelle's life forever.

"At that point I examined my life and the troubled youth that I knew," she explained. "I decided never to be busy again."

The first Harmony program was established in Sarnia, and there are currently other locations in Brights Grove, Corunna, Petrolia, and even in Texas.

While the branch in Sarnia is currently open 8 am to 9 pm daily, Klauke-Labelle said that the Morrisburg branch will likely be open two or three days a week at the beginning, until more volunteers step forward.

"It's going to take time to recruit the volunteers," she said. "It's not going to take time to recruit the kids."

The Morrisburg branch of the program will be run by Judy L'Heureux, under the Harmony board of governors.

"The biggest problem we have is finding a facility," Klauke-Labelle said, noting that she was looking to council for their support through a seed grant of $5,000 to cover renting a room.

"We need to make this place the kids' place," she said, noting that pay it forward contracts and artwork should be hung proudly on the wall — and not have to be taken down and put back up because other groups are using the same facility.

"It's very interesting to say the least," Mayor Charles Barkley told Klauke-LaBelle. "It will be taken into consideration for sure."

Later on in the meeting, council members discussed the program further.

"I currently work with kids who could use this service," noted councillor Del Jones.

"I'd like to understand a little more about it," said Deputy-Mayor Robert Gillard. "If we could give her a building (a room) in lieu (of the seed grant), would that suffice?"

Other councillors agreed there was no use in spending money if the township could offer a facility.

The issue was deferred to be discussed further during budget deliberations.



Loquacious learners

Winchester Public School students packed the gymnasium on Wed., April 11 to hear the top Grade 4, 5, and 6 public speakers deliver speeches in the annual public speaking competition. Pictured are: Grade 4 student Paul Boyd (back, left), Grade 5 student Brittany Cooper, Grade 6 students Joslin VonKaitz (first place) and Sarah Churchill (second place); Grade 4 student Anna Stubbings (front, left), Grade 5 students Marina Crober and Rebecca Doucette, Grade 4 student Aaron Roberts, Grade 6 student Amanda Prusila (third place), and Grade 4 student Mason Durant. VonKaitz will represent her school — for the second year in a row — at the Dundas County regional public speaking competition at Iroquois Public School on Tues., April 24 at 7 pm, with her speech about inner beauty.

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Anniversary artifact



The Osgoode Township Historical Society and Museum unveiled a new exhibit — 90 years of Remembrance — on Fri., April 20. The Vimy exhibit at the museum features artifacts from the First World War, including letters from local soldiers. Nepean-Carleton MP Pierre Poilievre donated a piece of chalk from the tunnels dug by Canadians beneath Vimy Ridge, which he brought back from the 90th anniversary celebrations at the Canadian National Vimy Memorial on April 9. "It was a spectacular occasion of patriotism and remembrance," Poilievre said of the celebrations. Above, historical society president Ron Isaac (left) accepts the artifact from Poilievre. *Press Photo — Duncan*

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Amazing artists

Jason Cougler (left), 10, of Morrisburg was the first place winner in the *Winchester Press* Easter Colouring Contest. He received $25. Rachel Pascoe, 9, of Winchester placed second, receiving $15, and Jacob Zandbelt, 5, of Crysler placed third, receiving $10. Thanks to all participants.

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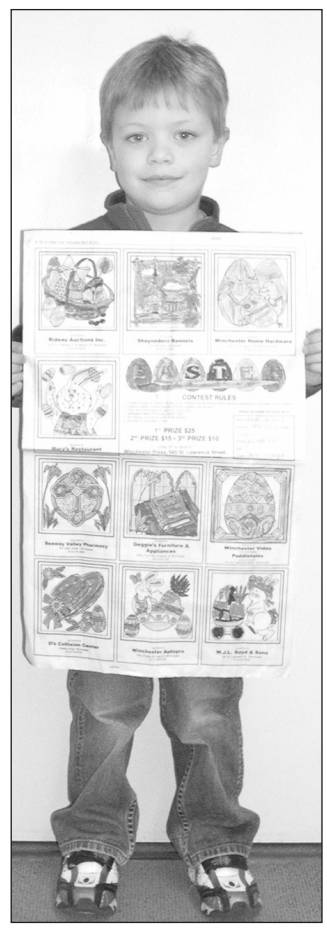

SD&G Community Futures helps Natunola launch national sales

WINCHESTER — Natunola Health is expanding its markets through a $5,000 support grant from the SD&G Community Futures Development Corporation's Eastern Ontario Development Fund (EODP) business planning program.

"With the funding received from SD&G CFDC we were able to undertake initiatives we otherwise would not have," said Dr. Nam Fong Han, CEO of Natunola Health. "We were able to explore and develop a new market."

Reaching further for the health-conscious consumer

With the funding, Natunola ran an advertisement in the national Canadian health magazine Alive and for the first time exhibited at the Canadian Health Food Association Trade Show in Vancouver.

"These initiatives will allow us to reach out to a particular kind of consumer — a health-conscious consumer, and the results have already been very promising," Han said. The activities of the project have resulted in a possible signing of a western Canada distributor.

Natunola, located on St. Lawrence Street in Winchester, is a growing manufacturer of food and natural cosmetic and skin care ingredients, including shelled flax products that offer health and nutrition benefits.

"Our shelled flax products, Flax 70, and flax meal, offer consumers an excellent source of natural Omega-3, protein, and plant lignans," explained Han. Omega-3 has been linked to many health benefits ranging from lowered cholesterol, reduced risk of stroke and heart disease, and even mood disorder correction.

"Our flax products, if used daily can even improve the look and feel of hair and skin," Han noted.

Natunola Health, in partnership with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada, has developed a unique patented shelling technology that allows the removal of the indigestible hard brown shell from the inner yellow kernel so that the human body can better absorb the natural Omega-3. This process also offers the unique benefit of a stable product that requires no grinding, no refrigeration or special storage, making the flax products convenient to add to daily meals or baking.

Nutrition House is now a new major chain selling its products nationally in over 75 stores. Locally, Natunola's products are available at The Village Bin, Andy's Foodland, Mike Dean's SuperFood Store, Your Independent Grocers, Farm Boy, Kardish Foods, and many other grocery and health food stores.

The EODP is a $10-million Government of Canada initiative promoting socio-economic development in rural Eastern Ontario, encouraging a competitive and diversified regional economy, and contributes to the successful development of business and job opportunities and sustainable, self-reliant communities.

Police Blotter

Computer snatched

WINCHESTER — SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of break and enter on Boyne Road on April 20 at approximately 9 am. Investigation revealed that unknown suspect(s) stole some cash and a computer from the location sometime overnight. Const. K. Franklin is investigating.

Boat bandits

WINCHESTER — SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a theft on Alexander Street in Winchester on April 21 at approximately 2:15 pm. Investigation revealed that unknown suspect(s) removed a Muculla chain saw, a table saw, and a Green Duck 15-foot canoe from the property sometime over the previous seven days.

Goods grabbed

WINCHESTER — SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a theft on Main Street in Winchester on April 23 at approximately 6:05 am. Investigation revealed that unknown suspect(s) smashed a motor vehicle window some time the previous evening and removed the following items: Sony Explode amplifier; 40 CDs; and cash. Const. P. Como is investigating.

Persistent domestic

MORRISBURG — OPP officers responded to a report of a domestic situation at a residence on Fifth Street in Morrisburg on April 21 at approximately 3 pm. A verbal altercation between a 44-year-old male and his spouse resulted in the female allegedly being assaulted and threatened. The accused also caused damage inside the home. Following his arrest, he was processed and released with conditions, one being not to communicate with the victim.

At 10 pm, officers were again called to the noted residence, as the accused was present and causing more damage to the inside of the home. He was arrested and held in custody, pending a court appearance in Cornwall, facing charges of: assault; two counts of mischief to property; uttering threats; and three counts of failure to comply with an undertaking. Const. Dawn Ferguson is investigating.

Break and enter

SOUTH MOUNTAIN -– Officers responded to a report of a break-in on Maple Street on April 17 at approximately 3 pm. Investigation revealed that sometime over the last week, unknown suspects entered the residence and vandalized the interior. Const. J. Moores is investigating.

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Everyone is a potential donor, regardless of age. To date, the oldest organ donor was over 90 years old and the oldest tissue donor was 102. The organs and tissue that can be donated are the heart, liver, kidneys, pancreas, lungs, small bowel, stomach, corneas, heart valves, bone, and skin.

Currently, family members are asked for final consent and can override your decision if and when the time comes for organ donation, so it's important that you talk with them about your decision.

It's also possible to be a living donor for a loved one, friend, or even a stranger. With living donation, a kidney or portion of the liver, lung, or small bowel is removed from the donor and transplanted into the patient in need of a new organ.

The Citizens Panel on Increasing Organ Donations, which was created by Ontario's minister of health and long-term care last November, released its report on April 19. The report included 26 recommendations, including having Ontarians state their organ donation preferences on government forms, such as a driver's license or health card renewal. It also recommends that living donors be provided with job security and be reimbursed with expenses such as travel and accommodation. If these and other recommendations are put into place, the profile of organ donation should rise in the province and hopefully the number of donors increase. But for now, there is a shortage.

Take time this week to think about organ and tissue donation. You can find more information at www.giftoflife.on.ca. Sign a donor card, which you can download at the website. And most importantly, discuss your decision with your family so that they are aware of your wishes.

B.J.



Spring has sprung and it's time for ice cream. Six-year-old Madison Lennox paused in front of Winchester Video on Sat., April 21 to polish off her cone. *Photo — Barbour*

Remember when...

1927

A public notice suggested that Winchester residents purchase their stamps at the post office where they pick up their mail. It warned that if residents purchased stamps anywhere else, they were not helping to pay the post master's salary — whose only income was revenue generated from stamp sales.

1937

Mrs. Andrew Timmins celebrated her 101st birthday among family and friends, and received a special congratulations from village council.

1947

A bolt of lightning struck Robert Allison's Maple Ridge Farm twice, killing one bull, and two cows. The lightning was thought to have struck a barn window, then travelled along a steel pipe. A second bolt struck the house, blowing the mouth piece off a telephone and smashing an outside light over the entrance to the home.

1957

Members of the Winchester 100 Club toured the Ault Foods Ltd. Factory, and learned that the plant produced enough butter each year to last the entire population of the village for the following 65 years, providing all 1,300 residents used butter. In 1956, 1.3 million pounds of butter were produced.

1967

The cost to obtain access to the village sewer system was to increase by as much as 50 per cent, the estimated cost that the municipality was losing on each installation. Construction in the village was ongoing, and township officials said the municipality was losing more money than it was worth to connect residents to the system.

Peter Barton, a NDDHS student, won the Centennial Essay Contest, which was sponsored by the *Winchester Press* in conjunction with the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association. His essay, entitled "My responsibility as a Canadian is to be a proud Canadian," would be submitted to the provincial competition.



The Winchester Public School floor hockey team rose to the top capturing the Dundas County and United Counties of SD&G championships in 1977. The unstoppable team was made up of: Tim Alton (left), Mark Guy, Jeff VanNoy, Bourk Boyd, captain Keith Moore, Mark Smith, Terry Carkner, Dave Nelson, Andy Pelkey, Dean Hansma, and Larry Faulkner. Missing from photo were: John Archer and coach Gerry McBain.

1977

Williamsburg Reeve Johnny Whitteker announced that he would run in the provincial election under the Liberal banner after his 23-year political career at the municipal level.

1987

A $150,000 boost from the ministry of transportation would be spent on the second phase of a five-year plan to upgrade village roads. Construction would take place on a 0.4-kilometre stretch of Main Street East to the village limits, which was estimated to cost $342,000, because it would include curbs and require the relocation of telephone cables and gas lines, and the replacement of sewers, which added $68,000 to the price tag.

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Ask a stupid question...

From the Other Side
by Jeffrey Morris



I sat there in the room with a mental lasso trying to harness my imagination from drifting off into ADD land as I listened to the speaker at the conference I was at last month.

He was just like the rest of them; a graduate of the Guy Smiley School of Game Show Hosts with a major in Cliché-ology.

"There's no such thing as a stupid question," he said in his best Toastmasters fakely sincere voice, projected from his diaphragm. I rolled my eyes. The first million and six times I had heard that, I bought into it.

But today, I could stand it no more.

'Oh yeah?' I thought to myself. 'I can come up with some stupid questions.'

Suddenly, the mental lasso broke free. I'll show him. I can come up with a zillion questions that really are stupid. I wanted to write them all down to show him but I couldn't keep up as my mind freight trained along.

My favourite stupid question is how come in crayons they had Forest Green and Kelly Green but never DeForrest Kelly Green?

I thought of more.

Do you think the chicks will dig my comb over?

Is it hot enough for you?

'Cold enough for you?

Can you believe Steve Irwin actually got killed while filming something?

How come everyone asks Ginger or Mary Anne. Doesn't anyone think Mrs. Howell is hot?

Do you think drugs were involved in Anna Nicole's death?

What's the body of water that flows through the Fraser River Canyon?

Was Ed Belfour drinking when the cops in Miami had to use a taser on him?

Before One-Eyed Frank McGee lost an eye playing hockey, did people call him Two-Eyed Frank McGee?

Are we there yet?

I see you just had some poutine. How do you feel?

How come Sponge Bob's voice isn't all bubbly like every other underwater TV character? And wouldn't the food all float away when they make Crabby Patties?

Who picks out Don Cherry's suits?

Are you going to eat that?

Who farted?

Why don't people admit it when they fart in a seminar? Yeah, I'm looking at you Mr. 20-something right out of Loyalist College geeky guy. When did Ernie Douglas-chic become a cool look? Did I miss something?

Is there a culture in the middle east somewhere where a powerful fart smell is a sign of superiority and manly strength? If there is, I used to work with this guy named Brian in Texas, and he would be Lord God King Devine Grand Poo-bah there. Do you think they would build statues of him?

How much do you think my head weighs?

Why don't they have macrowave ovens that instantly freeze things?

Why does Fred Flintstone always order ribs at the end of the show when heknows his car will tip over?

Are you awake?

Am I bugging you?

Is the sasquatch sighting on You Tube real?

I really like this house, but what are the neighbours like?

I see you've got your keys. Going somewhere?

Should I go see a doctor for that?

How do I get a doctor?

How about now, are we there yet now?

Will it hurt?

In that Nickelback song, what the hell is on Joey's head?

Where can I buy the Bible translated into Klingon?

Why do they call Rice-A-Roni the San Francisco treat? Do they eat it in San Francisco? I've been there and I've never seen anyone eating it.

Would you like to see me dance?

Who's the guy that figured out to make the light bulb in your fridge shut off when you close the door?

Dontcha wish your girlfriend was hot like me?

Dontcha?

Dontcha?

Why don't they show the hockey playoffs on Imax?

Can you get hit by thunder? I heard Chuck Norris did. So did Terry Kilrea. Three times.

How can I become the guy that picks the names for streets when they build new neighbourhoods? Is there a course for that? Probably at Algonquin, eh?

At that point, I realized I had entertained myself for about five minutes while Mr. Charlie-Brown's-teacher's-voice droned on about stuff that probably would have made me a better writer had I had either an attention span or the ability to move the needle on my give-a-crap metre past two-and-a-half.

And by the way, if you do happen to run into Nickelback, ask them for me. What the hell is on Joey's head?

Jeff Morris is the publisher of the Manotick Messenger, *a sister paper to the* Winchester Press.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

LHIN commentary

The Editor:

I would like to clarify some comments that appeared in last week's issue of the *Press* regarding discussions that took place at the town hall meeting on April 10.

This meeting was set up to give local residents a chance to ask questions and voice their concerns about the future of health care in our community. The newly developed LHINs assumed full responsibility on April 1 and, as yet, we have no clear indication of what they have in mind for our hospital.

I was quoted as saying, "I think that it is selective information that they are giving out" and "I don't think that they have a clue what's going to happen." These comments were made regarding the LHIN and not the capital development project as the reporter suggests.

I was also quoted as saying, "I think that people in our community are quite happy with the services that our hospital offers." The remainder of that statement was not printed. It was, "But, if any of those services are cut by the LHIN, you'll hear from this community and this hall will be packed!"

I think that there is no question that the CEO and management staff at WDMH have come up with a strategic plan that addresses the needs of the community, but, at the end of the day it will be the Champlain LHIN board that will determine our fate. To them, Winchester is just another small hospital in their jurisdiction that lies somewhere between Deep River and the Quebec border.

Myrna Doornwaard
vice-president, CUPE Local 3000

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Cash for Caylen

The Bank of Montreal and its customers in Winchester, Morrisburg, and Finch raised $1,500 for the Laberge family to help offset costs incurred by Caylen's continuing recovery after a lawn tractor accident in May 2006. Bank customers chipped in just over $1,000 through collection jars and the bank topped it up to $1,500. The money was part of the $61,500 recently presented to the Laberge family at the Lions Club district convention. The bank handed over its contribution to the Lions on Fri., April 20 at the branch in Morrisburg. Pictured are: Morrisburg Lions president Carl Robinson (front, left) and Connie Kirkwood of the Winchester branch, Dave Tierney of the Finch branch (back, left), Chesterville Lion John Edgerton, Katherine Scarlett of the Morrisburg branch, and area manager Peter Asquini.

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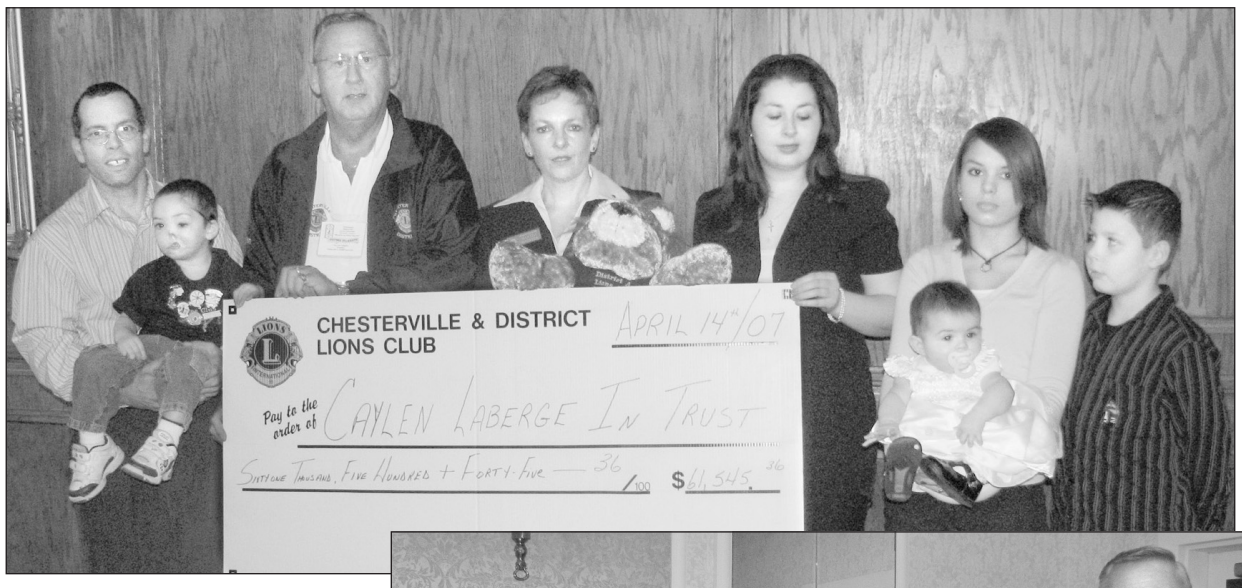
Lions provide a helping hand to Laberge family

BROCKVILLE — A cheque for $61,545.36 was presented to the Laberge family of Chesterville at a district Lions Club convention held April 13 to 15 in Brockville. The money was raised by clubs in district A-4, as well as a few from outside the district.

The Chesterville club has made Caylen Laberge, who was seriously injured in a lawn tractor accident in May 2006 and continues to recover, their zone project. The Laberge family were the club's guests of honour at the convention.

"(The cheque) was presented in the opening ceremonies to the Laberge family, which brought tears to everyone in the audience," said Chesterville and District Lions Club treasurer Martha Wheeler, who is one of the Lions who has been spearheading the fundraising.

Laberge, who turned two in October, came through his ordeal without brain damage. He has received a glass eye, but it will need to be replaced as he grows. He has been attending physiotherapy regularly to strengthen his arm, as he lost his elbow in the accident. As well, he will have surgery performed on his mouth this spring in Toronto. He has been utilizing a feeding tube in his stomach to help him eat. Additional cosmetic surgeries will follow, some of wich will not be covered by Ontario public health insurance.

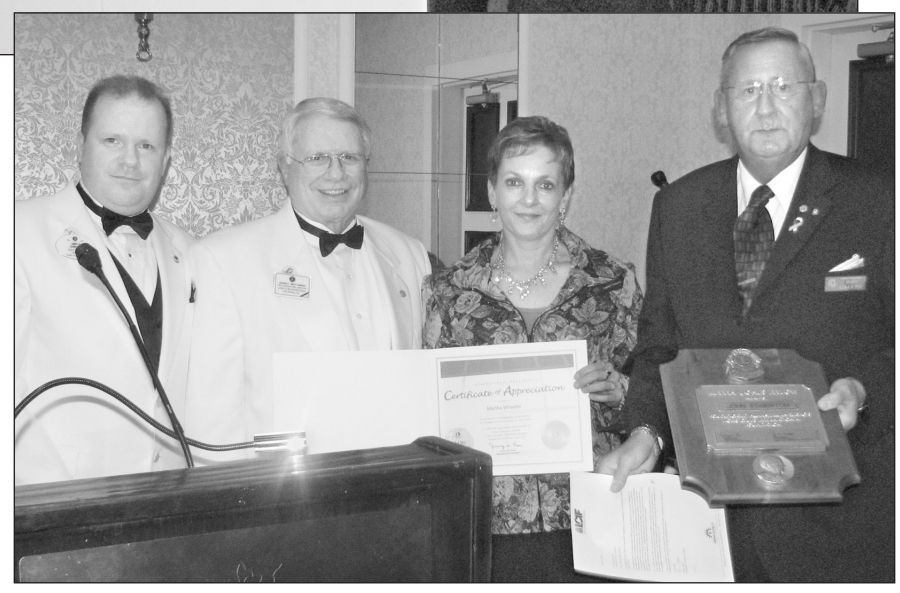


Healthy help

Chestervile and District Lions Club members John Edgerton and Martha Wheeler presented the Laberge family with a cheque for $61,545.36 at the District A-4 convention in Brockville on Fri., April 13. The money was raised by Lions Clubs both inside and outside the district and will be used to offset the costs incurred by the family as two-year-old Caylen undergoes surgery while he continues to recover from a lawn tractor accident in May 2006.

Two members of the Chesterville club were recognized for their achievements on this as well as other projects. Wheeler received a certificate of appreciation and Lion John Edgerton received the Melvin Jones Fellowship — the Lions Club International's highest honor, which represents humanitarian qualities such as generosity, compassion, and concern for the less fortunate.

"We have had tremendous amount of support with Lions Clubs of all of Ontario and Quebec, as well as the public and we are overwhelmed," said Wheeler about the Laberge fundraising efforts.



District governor James Johnston (left) and past international director George L. Barrus made some special presentations to members of the Chesterville and District Lions Club at a convention in Brockville from April 13 to 15. Lion Martha Wheeler received a certificate of appreciation, of which only two are passed out in each district each year, and Lion John Edgerton received the Melvin Jones award, which is the highest honour with Lions International.

Women's choir rings in spring

METCALFE — The Village Voices Women's Choir offers a musical treat on Fri., May 4 at 7:30 pm at St. Andrews United Church (2677 8th Line Rd.) in Metcalfe.

The choir is comprised of 21 women from Russell, Embrun, Metcalfe, Edwards, Vernon, Morewood, and Ottawa. Karen Spicer of Ottawa directs and Tina Van-Vlaanderen of Embrun accompanies on piano.

The program will include selections in several languages, with a variety of musical styles and broad range of titles, appealing to all ages and interests. Included in the program are the numbers Ave Verum Corpus, En Roulant, Oh Shenandoah, Can You Feel the Love Tonight, and a medley of Beatle's songs — just to name a few. Other highlights of the evening will include the talents of guest soloists Krista el-Koury and Anthony Goodman, solos by choir members, and flute accompaniment by Cathy Graham. Following the concert, refreshments will be served with an opportunity to meet with choir members.

Admission is $10 for adults, with no charge for children under 12. For tickets, contact Jennifer at 613-445-9966, Cathy at 613-821-0233, Sue at 613-774-7053, Marg at 613-828-8911, or any choir member.

The choir encourages and supports youth pursuing musical endeavours. From the proceeds of the spring and Christmas concerts, two bursaries are awarded to post-secondary music students in the Ottawa area to continue their studies. For further information, check the choir's website at www.freewebs.com/villagevoices.

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Poster winners

There were 112 participants aged eight to 14 in this year's Knights of Columbus St. Daniel's Council drug and alcohol abuse awareness poster contest. Nationview winners pictured on Thurs., April 19 are: 12 to 14-year-old alcohol abuse category winner Sarena Van Dodewaard (back, left), Knights of Columbus program chair Alan Burgess, 12 to 14-year-old drug abuse category winner David Baird; eight to 11-year-old drug abuse category winner Alyssa Ceelan (front, left), and eight to 11-year-old alcohol abuse category winner Nadine Van Dodewaard. The Grade 8 winners both moved on to the district level where they won first place and then moved on to the regional level. Burgess presented Inkerman Public School Grade 6 student Sarah Holmes, inset, winner in the drug abuse category, with her prize on Fri., April 20. Missing from photo: Grade 6 student Geena Rose, who won the alcohol abuse category at Inkerman. The winners in each category received $25. *Press Photos — Duncan, James*

Auction raises over $30,000

METCALFE — Every two years, Community Christian School in Metcalfe holds a GST Auction where goods, services, and talents are auctioned off to the community at large. While previous auctions have always been considered a success, this year's total was over the top, and quite unexpected.

"We're all a little shocked," said John Vedder, chair of the school's board of trustees. "The beautiful weather kept some people away and we actually had fewer bidders this year, but the ones that came out were serious buyers."

The school generally makes about $24,000 at this fundraiser, so this year's total of over $30,000 is definitely a record breaker. The independent school does not receive any government funding, and is reliant on fundraising to help keep tuition costs down.

Some items that generated a lot of interest included two signed Senators hockey sticks, one from Dean McAmmond and the other from Chris Phillips. One went for $700 and the other for $550. Other big ticket items were a lawn tractor, a garden shed (installed), and patio furniture.

The four items that generated the most excitement, however, turned out to be bird baths that were hand painted by the children at the school. Hub Stapper of Russell donated the bird baths to CCS and the school's Grade 3 and 4 teacher, Shellie Power of Embrun, oversaw the painting and decorating.

"Each bird bath was unique and the kids were so proud of them, but we never imagined that parents and grandparents would get in a bidding battle over them," said Power.

The four baths brought in nearly $1,500.

Although many hands made the day a success, Community Christian School would like to thank Erin James of James Family Auctioneering for her voice for the day and doing an amazing job; John and Sue Hendrix of Oink Oink Acres for donating and roasting a pig so that everyone could enjoy delicious pork on a bun for lunch; and all the Dutch ladies who made 200 almond cakes to sell at the canteen — your cakes brought in nearly $1,000.

The school community also wants to thank everyone on this year's GST committee who went above and beyond to make this the most successful auction ever.

"We are constantly amazed at how supportive the community is when it comes to helping raise money for this little school," said Dave Wyngaarden, committee chairman. "We are just so blessed."

Fashion the focus at NDDHS



NDDHS Notes
by Jennifer Honders

MAPLE RIDGE — Tomorrow (Thurs., April 26) is the day. The fashion show is ready to happen, a week later than originally intended, but it has given our models more time to perfect their runway strut. The "Bright Lights, Big City" show will be taking place in the school gym. Country Boy - Country Girl fashions will be featured, with outfits to please all ages. Thanks are already going out to the teacher models and everyone else involved. A full review will follow next week.

Attention all Grade 12 students: prom organizing and planning is well underway. Fundraising, as always, is a big incentive to lower the cost of tickets — we all know how much many of the girls will be spending on their hair and shoes, not to mention the dress. Any students interested in helping with fundraising, or those who have ideas, are encouraged to talk to prom committee organizers Kira McClenaghan and Kaitlyn Lecours.

Of interest to non-graduating students is the return of leadership camp. Most students have all heard the stories about the two last years, and it's about to happen again. Teachers are asked to nominate students in their classes who display any type of ability to lead their peers, whether it be through co-curricular activities like OSAID or Peer Helpers, or through everyday classroom occurrences like skits or group projects. There are different types of leadership possibilities. Look for the location and time in the next few weeks.

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OPEN SATURDAYS

Council donates use of arena

WILLIAMSBURG — At the regular meeting of South Dundas council on Tues., April 17, councillors agreed to donate the use of the Morrisburg arena on June 23 for an inter-denominational christian youth event.

"Churches in our area have been somewhat concerned for a while about youth," said Rev. Duncan Perry of the Morrisburg Pentecostal Tabernacle, explaining that the youth event would include a speaker, a band performance, and a worship service, and take place between 6 and 10 pm.

Perry said that all churches represented at the last South Dundas Ministerial Association offered support to the idea.

"This is our first one, but we hope it will evolve into something more," Perry said. "Everyone is invited."

He noted that the event will either cost a nominal admission fee which would be donated to the Dundas County Food Bank, or participants could bring a non-perishable donation.

Council notes from South Dundas

"I don't see anything wrong with giving it to them for the night to see how it goes; nothing ventured, nothing gained," said Deputy-Mayor Robert Gillard, noting that it's a not-for-profit event.

Councillor Steven Byvelds agreed. "It's a good initiative," he said, pointing out that he fears that there may be a security issue that should be looked into. "Not everybody there is going to be (an) angel."

All council members were in favour of donating the space for the event to take place.

"This is an opportunity," said Mayor Charles Barkley, noting that the township is always looking for ways to make more use of facilities. "That's what these buildings are there for."

Back taxes

Township treasurer Lorna Seibert reported that 85 per cent of taxes were collected for 2007 as of March 31. This number is much higher than 2006 — when only 14.94 per cent had been collected, and 2005 — when just under 20 per cent has been collected. There is $572,290 outstanding from 2005, and $858,689 outstanding from 2006, while $1,037,191 still has to be collected this year. Interest owing to date is $221,975. Seibert noted that previous years' balances will drop upon receipt of a few large sums with which the finance department is currently dealing.

Lions' pavilion

Council authorized the Morrisburg Lions Club to move ahead with the plan to construct a waterfront pavilion in Morrisburg. The club submitted two plans for where to construct the 20-foot by 40-foot structure — north of the waterfront walking and cycling path, or south of the path.

While the distance between the shelter and the shoreline raised a few safety concerns, council decided to let the club ultimately decide the pavilion's placement, with the guidance of township recreation and planning staff.

The shelter will be large enough for 12 tables or about 50 people.

"We want to walk away from this and say, 'Hey, we're proud of this,'" said Lion Glen Cunningham, reiterating that the club plans to construct the pavilion in the late 19th century style of the Aultsville train station, and use that theme in future waterfront developments, including an eventual permanent canteen and washroom facility.

"Next to the river's not my choice," said Barkley of the pavilion's placement. "Close to the water — it's a safety issue. But I think it (the initiative) is well worthwhile. I support it."

Manager of recreation and facilities Don Lewis noted that while a tree will have to be removed, a barbecue relocated, and the pathway re-routed should the pavilion be built south, there would be more problems north of the path.

"The problem I have with the north side is that it's close to the cenotaph and three barbecues," Lewis remarked, noting that he feels the 10-foot buffer between the structure and the shoreline is adequate.

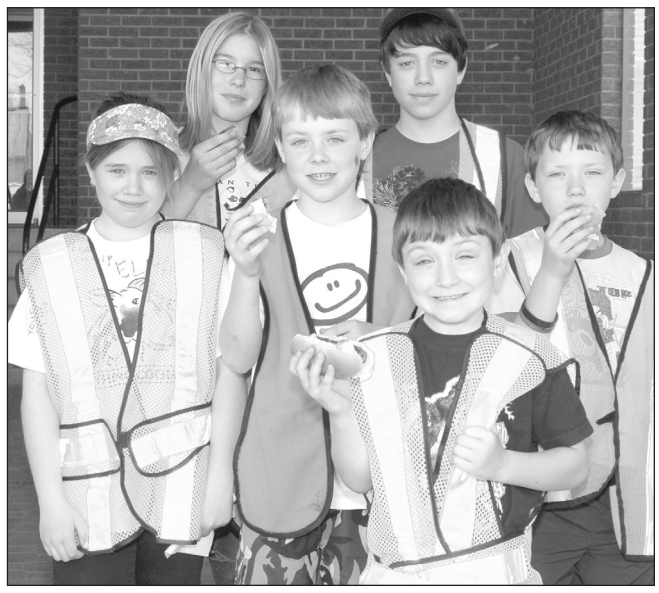
Councillor Del Jones noted he preferred the south side so that no pathway users would be walking or cycling between the pavilion users and the water.

A River Lost

Jones presented council with a copy of *A River Lost*, the documentary of the Seaway project that his son David created. Funds raised through the sale of the DVD will go toward the Galop Canal Revitalization project, the Lost Villages Society, as well as the Lions Club waterfront development initiatives, Jones said.

There are 1,000 copies of the documentary available, currently at Morrisburg Home Hardware and Morrisburg Scotiabank, and perhaps at the Upper Canada Village store and other places in the future. The Carleton University student filmmaker is also attempting to organize some large-screen showings of the project.

The film is strategically 52 minutes long, in hopes that a television station will broadcast it.



Everybody do their share

This group of youngsters were being called the Grantley Road Crew on Sat., April 21. They took part in a municipally sponsored roadside clean up in the Williamsburg area. After the task was completed, Philip McLean (front) and fellow workers Sam Dignard (left), Autumn Merkley, Nicholas McLean, Tyler Dignard, and Joseph McLean enjoyed hot dogs and donuts — compliments of South Dundas Township.



South Dundas Councillors Steven Byvelds (left) and Jim Graham served up hot dogs for Williamsburg residents who took part in the township's roadside clean up day on Sat., April 21. Graham reported long lines at the township's landfill sites that morning, as people brought in unwanted household items.

Photos — Barbour

NDP to hold nominations

CORNWALL — The federal New Democratic Party riding association of SD&SG is holding a nomination meeting on Thurs., May 3 to elect a candidate for the upcoming federal election.

"The election date has not been set, and along with the federal NDP caucus, we would like to see the current minority government working on solutions to problems facing Canadians," said an association press release. "However, should an election be called, we intend to be ready."

Darlene Jalbert of Martintown is seeking the nomination to represent the party and win the seat for the NDP. Jalbert is a committed social activist and labour leader.

Jalbert can be reached at 613-528-1510.

NDP MP for Sackville-Eastern Shore Peter Stoffer, who is a long-time friend of Jalbert, will deliver the keynote address at the meeting, which will take place at the RCAF Wing 424 Association at 240 Water St. West in Cornwall on Thurs., May 3 at 7 pm.

J'aime Lire back at Early Years

WINCHESTER — J'aime Lire ... at the heart of reading — a French reading program for children up to six — is ongoing at the Ontario Early Years Centre on St. Lawrence Street in Winchester.

The program is in French but is also geared toward English-speaking families and participating families receive one free children's book per session. It is sponsored by the Ontario Trillium Foundation and the Centre d'apprentissage et de formation Plus in Cornwall.

Upcoming sessions will take place on May 3 and 17, and June 14 and 28. All sessions run from 10 to 11 am. For more information, call the Early Years Centre at 613-774-5488.

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Elliot reflects on years of volunteering

by Meghan Duncan
Press staff

WINCHESTER — "You always felt as though you were helping," said Bea Elliot about her volunteer efforts with the Winchester District Memorial Hospital.

Elliot, 88, is the last surviving member of the original Winchester District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. She spoke with local media on Wed., April 18 — during National Volunteer Week — about the changes she has seen in volunteering over the last 60 years.

Elliot took on the role of secretary for the auxiliary in 1948, after a little convincing from then president Delia Robinson — Elliot's Alexander Street neighbour.

"She coaxed me to be her secretary," Elliot explained. "I was scared, but she was a good talker."

Auxiliary meetings were held upstairs in what is now the Old Town Hall.

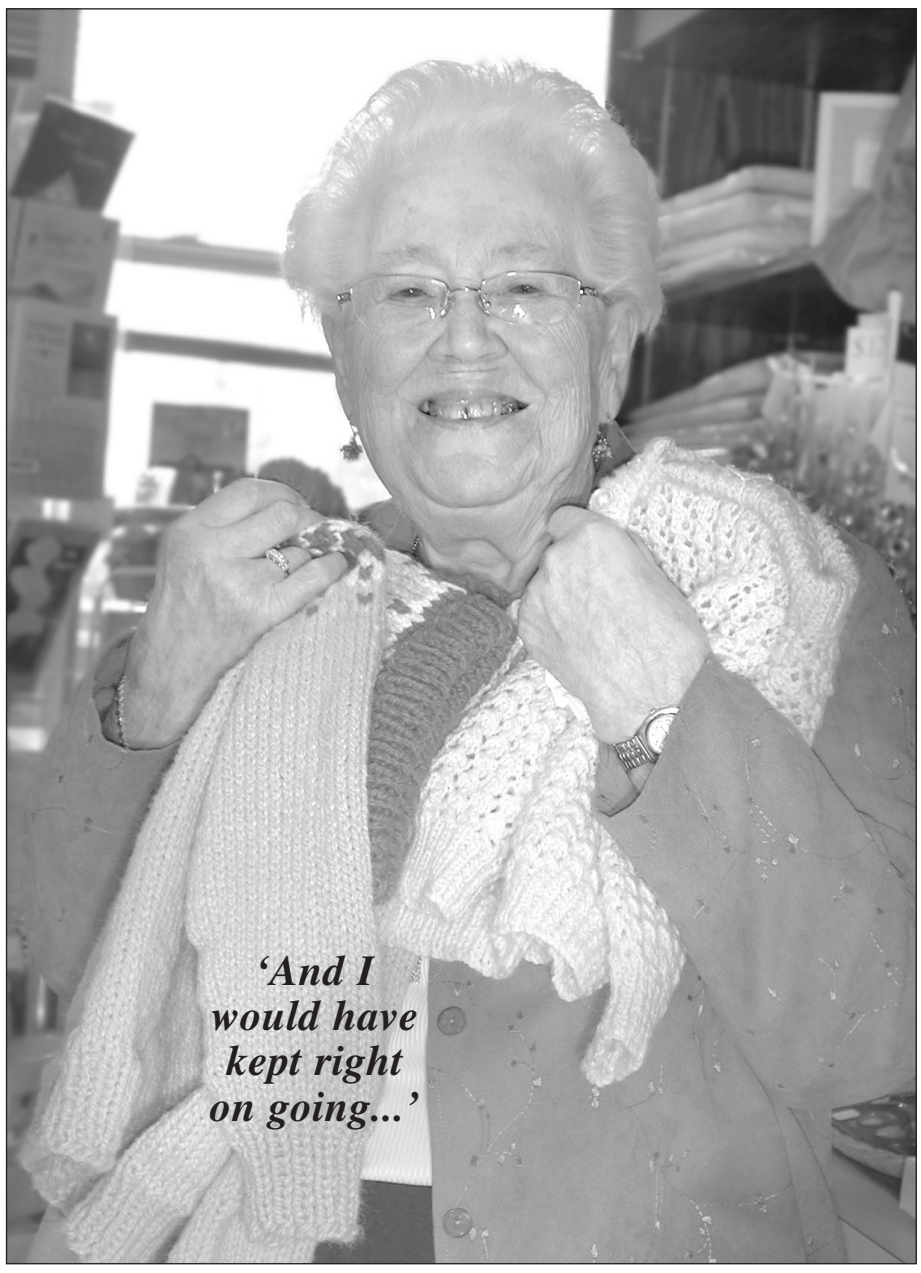
"We started right away canvassing for members," Elliot said, noting that it didn't take long to recruit over 1,000 auxilians. "Almost every woman in town became a member." And since then, Elliot hasn't looked back.

The purpose of the hospital auxiliary was, and still is today, to raise funds for equipment and other necessities in the hospital. When the organization first formed, what members couldn't purchase, they made — curtains, bed linens, and even food to serve to patients.

"I hand-wrote thank-you cards to all those who donated," Elliot reminisced, noting that she would have preferred to use a typewriter. "I think postage was maybe three cents in those days."

Garden party fundraisers were perhaps a highlight on the auxiliary calendar. Tea was served, raffles drawn, and prizes handed out. Everyone, of course, would use the occasion to wear their finest hat. Elliot recalled one windy June day when a garden party event had to be moved indoors — to the old rink behind the former Ault Foods factory.

"The party went on," she said, noting it took a lot of help from auxiliary members' husbands to truck the tables and goods up town.



Knots of love

Bea Elliot snuggles with some of the hand-knit sweaters made by volunteers at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital gift shop. Elliot is the last surviving member of the original hospital auxiliary, which was formed in 1948, the same year the hospital was constructed.

Press Photo — Duncan

And while garden parties are a thing of the past, Elliot said she has enjoyed seeing the changes over the years.

"You can't stay in the old system and the old ways for everything," Elliot said. "Let the young people bring out their new ideas."

Michelle Blouin, vice-president of corporate affairs at the hospital, is currently in charge of the 150 to 200 volunteers on the hospital's roster.

Volunteers are needed for the weekly Sunshine Circle entertainment for complex continuing care and rehabilitation patients, and are also needed to assist in the physiotherapy and radiology departments.

"We rely on them heavily," Blouin said of volunteers. "We need to support our volunteers. They are an important key to this hospital."

But volunteer numbers aren't what they used to be. Elliot said that she's not sure how the hospital can attract more volunteers — that was once simply a way of life.

"These days, the younger people have kind of a hard time," Elliot said. "With both parents working, they come home and want to catch up on the house work. They're busy."

Elliot was busy, too. She was married to George Elliot, who as well as being president of the hospital board, also served on Winchester Village council. She and her husband ran a general store on the south west corner of Main and St. Lawrence Streets. But she noted that it was the support of her husband and family in the area that helped her devote a lot of hours to the hospital.

"My husband knew how to run a vacuum cleaner and how to wash dishes," she said. "He was good to me."

This year will mark Elliot's 59th anniversary as a hospital volunteer, and though she has slowed down since her husband's death, she still carries with her a passion for volunteerism.

"I would have kept right on going," she noted.

Her favourite part of volunteering?

"Just getting together and meeting people from the whole entire area," she said, explaining that she worked in the hospital gift shop every Sunday, where people would stop in and catch her up on all the local gossip. She noted that the interaction is what she misses most.

"You always felt as though you were helping," she said.

Blouin is currently creating a database of volunteers, so that the right person for the job can be found easily.

"Our volunteers have great and unique talents," Blouin said. "We need to tap into that."

She noted that while the number of volunteers is less than it once was, she takes heart in the fact that high school students seem to enjoy doing community service hours at the hospital.

Though they may come in the first day not wanting to be there, their attitude quickly changes, Blouin explained.

"Within a couple of days they see how important they are and that they're making a difference," she said. "They leave happy."

Elliot agrees.

"They'll never regret the hours they gave to volunteer work," she said.

The auxiliary gave back about $50,000 to the hospital in 2006, and currently has 43 members. Fundraising events take place throughout the year.

"Personally, I don't have to have anybody do anything special for me," Elliot said about volunteer appreciation. She is still involved in the annual auxiliary bazaar and recently crocheted an afghan to be auctioned at the annual hospital fundraising gala on June 9.

The hospital will hold it's annual volunteer appreciation tea tomorrow (April 26) when service awards will be presented.

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Mayor O'Brien's new approach to improve services

OTTAWA — Mayor Larry O'Brien is keeping another of his election promises by beginning the process of changing the way the city does business. Following an all day meeting on Mon., April 23, which included city councillors and senior staff, we are embarking on a new vision for our city. I am very hopeful that we can improve residents' service satisfaction with building permits, road improvements, and by generally enhancing the way we do business with taxpayers.

Clean up the capital

Congratulations to community police officer Jennifer Finniss, who organized over 1,000 Osgoode Ward residents to begin cleaning up garbage along our streets and roadways. This past Friday and Saturday saw throngs of students cleaning up sections of our villages.

As we drive around there are many places that still have huge amounts of garbage in the ditches and along fence lines. Many groups have signed up with the City to be involved in the program. But you don't need to be an enlisted partner in our clean up. Please take a look in your area and clean up if there is a mess of garbage.

Lois and Eldon Brownlee

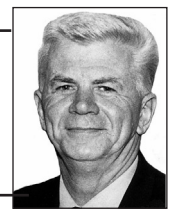
Family and friends gathered at the Royal Ottawa Golf Club to help this wonderful couple celebrate their birthdays. Both Lois and Eldon have been dedicated and well respected members of our community. We wish them both all the best.

Ladies Night in Greely

Last Friday night, ladies from Osgoode Ward and from all over Eastern Ontario attended the "Hunks with Hammers Event" at the Greely Community Centre. Patti-Anne Scrivens, along with over 40 volunteers, organized one of the most interesting and exciting fundraisers for cancer that this community has seen.

Thanks to the Scrivens, all the volunteers, and sponsors. This is another example of our tremendous community spirit.

In and around
Osgoode Ward
by councillor Doug Thompson



Osgoode Home and Trade Show

Over 70 local businesses promoted their wares last Friday and Saturday at the annual show at the Osgoode Community Centre. Organized by the Osgoode Lions Club and co-ordinated by Lion Dwayne Acres, the Home and Trade Show has become one of our community's greatest assets.

Community auctions

Last Saturday (April 21), students and parents of the Metcalfe Community Christian School held their fundraising auction at the Metcalfe Fire Hall. Special thanks to Rural Sector Deputy Fire Chief Paul Hutt for donating the use of the Metcalfe Fire Hall. As well last Saturday, the Greely Community Centre was filled with remarkable items for the annual fundraising auction for the new Our Lady of the Visitation church hall. Special thanks to the young James Family, Erin, Stewart, and Steve for auctioneering at both locations.

Metcalfe Anglican church supper

Once again the great people of the Holy Trinity Anglican Church are hosting a great church supper on Sun., May 4 with servings at 4:30 pm and 6 pm. Call Marjorie Stanley at 613-233-1556 for tickets.

Spaghetti dinner and silent auction

St. Mary's Catholic School will host its first annual spaghetti dinner and silent auction on Sun., April 29 at the Greely Community Centre, with sittings at 4 and 6 pm. Tickets are $10 for adults and $5 for children six to 10. Kids under six are free. The event is in support of a new playground at St. Mary's. For tickets, call Sara Guay at 613-821-7453.

Scott Woods and his Orchestra

Scott Woods and his Orchestra will be performing at Osgoode Baptist and Vernon United Church on Sun., April 29 at 2:30 and 7:30 pm. Tickets ($15) can be purchased in advance by calling 613-774-0522, 613-821-2584, or 613-821-2033.

Shroomfest

The second annual Men's Night Shroomfest will be held on May 3 at the Metcalfe fairgrounds. The committee includes Al Graham, Doug Hicks, Chris Reaney, Cory Reaney, Tom Dalgleish, Doug Anderson, Earl Maahs, Brian Johnston, and Mike Campbell. Tickets are now available from any committee member and from the Metcalfe Variety store. To book a table of eight please call A.J.'s Catering at 613-821-1445.

The Magical Land of Ozgoode

See Metcalfe Public School's take on the land of Oz. The public performance will take place on Thurs., May 3 at 7 pm in the Metcalfe Public School gymnasium. Tickets are $4 each, available through MPS students or by calling 613-821-2261, extension 122. School performances will take place on Thurs., May 3 at 12:15 pm and Fri., May 4 at 9:30 am.

Osgoode Trade and Home Show





Far left: *Gavin Lalande takes his gran, Carol Pinnell, for an imaginary spin on this hot red number from Marty's Small Engine and Motorcycle Repair in Kemptville at the Osgoode Trade and Home Show held on Sat., April 21 at the Osgoode Community Centre.*
Inset: *Billie Jo Bogden of Devine Design in Kenmore showed off her custom flower creations.*
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New shop highlights new dealer's open house

HALLVILLE — The local farm landscape has a new equipment dealer. B&G Loughlin Tractors has just opened a new service and repair shop at its County Road 1 location at Hallville. The business held an open house on Fri., April 20.

"We just got it done," said Brett Loughlin, who co-owns the business with his father Gerald, about the new 32 by 50-foot shop and parts room.

Loughlin was excited to talk about the sales and service the company is now offering.

"We've got a good service manager — he's been in the business for 25 years," said Loughlin about service manager Richard Wubs. "He's excellent."

B&G Loughlin Tractors carries the Montana and Landini lines, as well as a range of implements.

"They're a new company and a good tractor," said Loughlin about Montana, which offers compact and utility models in both two and four-wheel drive.

The Landini line is popular in this area and Loughlin said B&G was pleased to add it to their equipment lineup.

"Landini is a good name," he said, noting that the hard-working line ranges from about 25 to 200 horsepower. "They fit all needs and for the horsepower, they're the best priced tractor on the market."

Landini territory manager Joe Lobb agreed.

"It's a lot of bang for the buck, but it's not all about price," he said. "The reliability is good, too."

Lobb said he was impressed with what he had seen at B&G.

"I think the Loughlins are going to do a great job moving forward," he said, noting the mixture of youth and experience on the staff. "And they couldn't come up with a better location if they tried."

Loughlin has a low key approach. He noted that the family has a long history of farming and moving into tractor sales and service seemed to be natural.

"They'd rather deal with a farmer," he said about the clients coming in. "We're just trying to establish a good customer base and meet the needs of local farmers."



B&G Loughlin Tractors held an open house on Fri., April 20 to showcase its new service and repair shop. The business carries the Landini and Montana tractor lines. Pictured in front of this Landini Legend are sales representative Brad Moore (back), office administrator Shirley Faulkner (left), office manager Marion Nelson, technician Peter VanVeen, service manager Richard Wubs, and owners Brett and Gerald Loughlin. *Press Photo — James*



Green team

Green Tech Ag and Turf technician Steve Cooper recently completed advanced level service technician training in the John Deere University program. Green Tech investing general manager Doug Tibben (left) congratulated Cooper, an employee of Green Tech for nine years, with his diploma at the Winchester dealership on Wed., April 18.

Press Photo — Duncan

Township heritage committee looking for interested citizens

WINCHESTER — Those interested in being involved in the North Dundas Municipal Heritage Committee, which is in the process of being established, are asked to step up now.

"We are trying to attract some volunteers," said committee organizer Carol Goddard.

North Dundas passed a bylaw last August that authorized the creation of a township-wide heritage committee. It also authorized Goddard to organize the committee and approach others with regard to becoming involved.

"Thus far there have been a few meetings of interested citizens and on Thursday evening (April 26) at the NDDHS library at 7 pm there will be another one," said Goddard, noting that the proposed mandate of the Municipal Heritage Committee will be discussed.

Goddard and Winchester's Sharron Dorey had appealed to council last June for assistance in preserving the township's heritage — in particular artifacts related to Winchester's history. They pointed out that while Chesterville has a historical society, attempts to start one in Winchester have been unsuccessful.

"When the Government of Ontario revamped the *Ontario Heritage Act*, one of the things that it did was institute the ability for municipalities, if they so desired, to set up a municipal heritage committee," explained Goddard. "It is my understanding that this would replace the LACAC (Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committees). It would concern not only architecture, but also artifacts of historical nature."

While the previous council was in favour of creating the committee and accommodating it by looking to see if the municipality has any storage space available for items of historical significance, council members noted that the committee and its heritage preservation activities need to be driven by the interest of citizens.

Goddard is working to stir up that interest and is hopeful this week's meeting will bring out some new faces.

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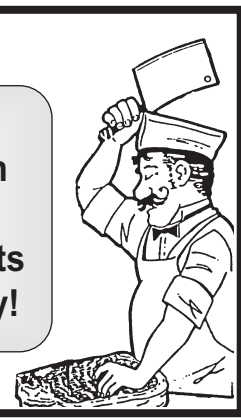

Time to check alfalfa stands for winterkill

by Gilles Quesnel, OMAFRA field crop IPM specialist

KEMPTVILLE — Now is a good time to start checking alfalfa fields for winter damage. By the last week of April, the base of healthy alfalfa plants will have firm buds and numerous new green shoots with two to five inches (five to 13 centimetres) of growth.

Damaged plants, on the other hand, will have delayed or absence of green-up, lopsided crowns, and uneven shoot growth. If alfalfa exhibits above-ground symptoms of winter injury, check further by digging up several plants and cutting the root open lengthwise. Healthy roots have a white or creamy colour inside, are firm, and resist peeling when scratched with your thumb nail. Dying alfalfa plants will have a discoloured crown and root with a spongy texture and a rotting smell.

For optimal yield potential, alfalfa established last year should have eight to 12 plants per square foot. For new alfalfa fields with a few bare spots, one option is to no-till or disk and reseed an alfalfa-grass mixture, possibly with a cereal, into the bare locations. Older alfalfa stands that have been thinned-out can be reseeded with a drill as soon as the ground firms up using either red clover (four to six pounds per acre), white clover (two to four pounds per acre), orchardgrass (four to six pounds per acre), or perennial ryegrass (five to six pounds per acre) depending on the anticipated future life of the stand. If reseeded early, red clover, orchardgrass, and perennial ryegrass will all produce vigorous seedlings and be able to compete with established alfalfa. Perennial ryegrass is much less likely to survive the following winter.

Older alfalfa stands with less than four plants of alfalfa per square foot should either be rotated to a new crop or overseeded with a forage other than alfalfa. If perennial weeds are not abundant in an older alfalfa stand, the stand can be overseeded with the species mentioned above.

Visual estimates of the ground cover of desirable forage plants can also be used to assess forage stands. This is done when there is about six inches of growth. Stands with more than 80 per cent ground cover will produce excellent yields. Stands with 60 to 80 per cent ground cover should produce fairly normal yields.

If alfalfa winterkill results in a predominately grassy field, treat the field as a grass stand. When 50 per cent or more of the area in the field is predominantly grass, the stand should receive nitrogen (N) fertilizer to increase yield. Fertilizing thin grass stands with nitrogen normally produces higher forage yields than any attempt to interseed legumes into the stand. It is critical to initiate a grass fertilization program early in the spring season. Applying 60 to 90 pounds per acre of actual N fertilizer at green-up will stimulate grass development in the spring and maximize grass production during the entire season. When ground moisture is adequate, apply an additional 30 to 40 pounds per acre of actual N fertilizer after each cutting, except after the final harvest.



Super sausages

Weagant Farm Supplies served up hundreds of sausages at its annual customer appreciation day on Wed., April 18. Joy Sage was one of those hard at work feeding the masses at the County Road 43 location. A customer appreciation day was held at the Brockville store on Sat., April 14.





Weagants even served royalty in the form of princess Kaylin Vanden-Broek, 3, of Winchester. Vanden-Broek, above, was sporting her cowboy boots and a Holstein-print outfit for the occasion. Don Beaton, eastern sales rep for Mohawk Equipment, shown with a round bale spinner, at left, was one of the factory reps on hand to talk to visitors at Weagants' customer appreciation day. "Weagants know how to put on an open house," he said appreciatively, noting that opportunities such as this are excellent for smaller companies like Mohawk. Mohawk offers a range of implements, including bale spears, mixers, and Paynes Forks — a line of forks and attachments that clamp onto a tractor bucket.

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Weagant rep trains abroad

OLDENZAAL, HOLLAND — Twenty-five Trioliet dealers from across North America, Mexico, and Oceania attended Trioliet's dealer training meeting at corporate headquarters in Oldenzaal, Holland last week. Chuck Preston of Weagant Farm Supplies in Winchester was among them.

Dealers had the chance to see the factory, learn about new products that Trioliet has in development, as well as gain more knowledge on existing products.

Highlights of the meeting were a visit to a Trioliet biogas installation where a farmer raises crops to generate the annual electricity needed for a 1,000-home village, and a visit to see Trioliet's prototype robotic feeding system. The TrioMatic feeds 200 cows a complete TMR eight times each day with a total weekly labour requirement of less than eight hours.

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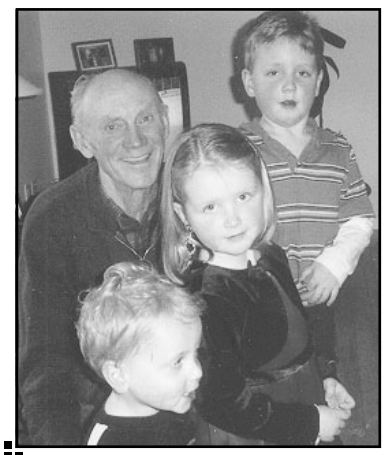

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Kubota's Canadian president stops in at Topline



Topline Trailers and Equipment near Winchester welcomed Kubota Canada president Eiji (Ed) Yamasaki for a visit on Thurs., April 19. Pictured are: mechanic Denis Madore (left), vice-president Bob Weagant, general manager Scott Weagant, Yamasaki, Kubota regional sales manager Rob Allison, parts and service manager Bill Schuurmans, new sales representative Brentley Summers, and receptionist Cathy Merkley. Missing were: mechanics Jason Sharp and Steve Simzer.

Press Photo — James

WINCHESTER — President of Kubota Canada Eiji (Ed) Yamasaki paid a visit to Topline Trailers and Equipment, a long-time Kubota dealer near Winchester, on Thurs., April 19.

"Kubota is committed to bringing new products to the market every year," said Yamasaki. "The only way to do this correctly is by learning what our customers and dealers need and want."

Topline general manager Scott Weagant was on hand to welcome Yamasaki, provide a tour of Topline, and discuss the sales and market trends in the area.

The purpose of Yamasaki's visit was to learn more about the farm and turf care equipment needs of customers in this area. This information will be sent to Kubota Japan's research and development department to assist in the development of new products for the Canadian market.

"It's that sort of mentality that has built Kubota and allows it to bring new products to the market all the time," said regional Kubota sales manager Rob Allison. "It's indicative of how Kubota has always done business. It helps set us apart."

Yamasaki has been president of Kubota Canada since October 2006. Prior to coming to Canada, Yamasaki was manager of Kubota's engine division in Osaka, Japan. He has also been posted with Kubota in France and as a result is tri-lingual. He attended the University of California at Berkeley, where he received his masters degree in law.

In addition to welcoming Yamasaki, Topline also used the occasion to welcome a new sales representative. Brentley Summers of Winchester Springs has been hired to promote the Kubota products and trailer lines of Topline Trailer and Equipment Sales. Summers recently completed the business sales and marketing course at Loyalist College in Belleville, Ont.

Kubota Canada Ltd. is a wholly owned subsidiary of the Kubota Corporation, headquartered in Osaka, and is celebrating its 32nd year in Canada. Kubota is a leading distributor of compact diesel tractors and construction equipment and has three regional distribution centres in Delta, B.C., Drummondville, Que., and head office in Markham, Ont. There are over 150 Kubota dealerships across the country.

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HARMONY — "We're looking for a spokeshorse," said Joanne Ladouceur-Cummings, president of EquineEssentials Canada. The company has created a photo contest as a way to find that special horse whose image will adorn new product labels currently in development.

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SNC celebrates 60th year with photo contest

BERWICK — Smile! South Nation Conservation has opened the shutter on a photo contest, one of the many ways it's celebrating its 60th anniversary throughout 2007.

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Tom Forward talked farm safety and first aid with students at the Farm Safety Association station.



At right: *Julia Mullin and Chris McMillan from St. Mary's-St. Cecilia Catholic School in Morrisburg were among those amazed by jars containing a "worm farm" demonstration that highlighted the healthy soil and crop growing discussion led by Ron Toonders and his compatriots at the Dundas Soil and Crop Association station. "They work for me," said Toonders of the worms.*



At right: *David Hutt revealed the wonders of bee keeping to students.*



Nicole Sandoval from Nationview Public School reached out to give this calf a pat after hearing Leslie Johnson talk about dairy farming.



The Dundas Agricultural Education Committee hosted its annual fair at Matilda Hall in Dixon's Corners on Wed., April 18. Grade 4 students from 12 local schools heard presentations on different aspects of farming, including beef production, bee keeping, eggs, farm safety, dairy farming, pork production, and crop production.

Above: *Students from Iroquois Public School swarmed around this calf after hearing Leslie Johnson talk about dairy farming.*

At left: *Hunter Barnett, a Grade 4 student from Winchester Public School, took time to check out these chickens after hearing a presentation by Dundas County's own egg dude, Tony Wouters (in background).*

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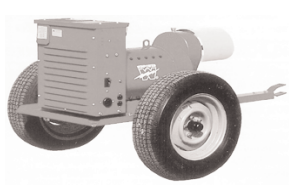

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Rugged rugby

North Dundas District High School hosted the CCVS Raiders in their 2007 SD&G league home opener on Monday (April 23). The girls ripped the Raiders 29-0 in their first match of the season. Jessica Matthies (above) grimaced as she was tackled during the first half. Sam Faith (right) scored two tries and two converts for the victorious Devils. *Press Photos — Van Bridger*

Byers, Mellean share Coaches Award

WINCHESTER — When it came to selecting this year's winner of the North Dundas Minor Hockey Association's 2006-07 Coaches Award the executive felt they had two prime candidates — so they named Kevin Byers and Tom Mellean co-winners.

NDMHA head coach Jerrold Boulanger told the crowd gathered at the annual appreciation night at the Winchester Curling Club Friday night (April 20) that he consulted with president Dwyane Fawcett and the executive several times and it was unanimous that Byers and Mellean should be the first co-winners of the award.

"Both coaches were very deserving," noted Boulanger. "Both teams had outstanding seasons and both were Upper Canada (East - West) champions."

Mellean guided the North Dundas Novice "B" House Red Demons to an exciting Upper Canada Minor Hockey League East-West victory over Brian Downey's White Demons. The Red Demons finished the season as the first-place team (19-0-1) in the East and then went on to clinch the East Division and the UCMHL East - West title. The White Demons wound up as the West Division play-off champs.

Mellean noted the only team to defeat his Reds were Downey's Whites.

"We had a great bunch this year — both kids and parents," he said.

The coach urged everyone to, "stay cool and enjoy it, after all it is just a game."

Byers coached the Pee Wee "B" Demons to a first place finish (18-2-4) in the East Division and then guided his squad to first the East Division and then the UCMHL East - West championships.

"I have to thank a great coaching staff, who all got along and know a lot about hockey. Without them it wouldn't have been possible," he said. "I also had great kids — they had a lot of heart."

Coach Tim Moher represented North Dundas' third UCMHL East - West championship squad, the Bantam House "B" Demons.

"We had a great staff and a decent finish during the season - third (14-5-5) in the East Division," he explained.

Moher, last year's NDMHA's coach of the year, then took his team through the East Division playoffs and on to the UCMHL title defeating Athens in the final set.

The Demons were 39-8-6 overall and won two of five tournaments.

Darren Kelly's Atom "B" Demons finished first with a 20-2-0 record and claimed the East Division playoff title.

"We had a good year and lots of highlights," said Kelly. "Thanks for the opportunity to coach."

Stephane Drouin coached the Pee Wee "C" House Demons to a regular season first-place record of 20-2-0 and eventually to the East Division title.

SPORTSMANSHIP

The NDMHA also distinguished itself earning four team sportsmanship awards.

Tina Fawcett, the only female coach on the association's roster, accepted the Novice "C" Demons UCMHL Sportsmanship plaque. The Demons drew just one minor penalty in 24 regular season games.

Atom "C" Demon coach Peter van Kessel picked up his second consecutive sportsmanship trophy.

Mike Lebrun and the Atom House "B" Demons also collected the least penalty minutes in their division.

The fourth Sportsmanship Award winning team was the Pee Wee House "C" Demons coached by Stephane Drouin.

Best bench bosses

Kevin Byers (left) and Tom Mellean (right) were named as co-winners of the 2006-07 North Dundas Minor Hockey Associations' Coach of the Year Award. The winners accepted the honour from the association's head coach Jerrold Boulanger at the organization's appreciation night, held at the Winchester Curling Club on Fri., April 20.

Press Photo — Van Bridger



Devils rip up Raiders

NDDHS sweeps home opener

MAPLE RIDGE — Sam Faith and Jason Lombardo were prominent on the offensive side of the ball as the North Dundas District High School Devils swept a pair of SD&G rugby matches from the visiting CCVS Raiders.

Faith romped over the goal line and touched down a pair of tries leading the girls squad to a convincing 29-0 victory over the Lady Raiders Monday's (April 23) home opener at NDDHS. Faith also kicked a pair of converts in her squad's first game of the 2007 season.

Later in the afternoon, the Senior Devils edged the powerhouse Raiders 5-0 when Lombardo retrieved his own up-and-under kick at the CCVS goal line and scored the try. The scoring took place in the final 10 minutes of the match.

This season the SD&G rugby scene features the Tagwi Warriors, North Dundas Devils, St. Joe's Panthers and Char-Lan Crusaders with teams in the junior boys, senior boys and girls divisions.

Holy Trinity has fielded junior and senior boys squads while CCVS has registered their senior boys and girls teams.

Coach Scott Reaney was pleased with Monday's results noting the senior boys really tightened down on the Raiders in the second half of their match.

"We had a lot of younger boys on the varsity squad last year, so their experience is starting to show this year," noted the coach.

"Both the boys and girls starters are made up of about one-third rookies," he added.

GIRLS GAME

Christina Lillico ran in the first North Dundas try just before the half to put the Devils up 5-0.

The opening series of play in the second session produced a long run and five points for Faith. She followed that run up with another scamper along the west touchline to give her team a 15-0 lead. Faith then added a two-point convert and opened up a 17-0 gap.

Jill Kirkwood picked off a CCVS pass at midfield and ran in the Devils' fourth try which was followed by a Faith convert.

Clara de Paiva gathered in a short pass, deked a couple of Raider defenders and scored five more points to drive the final total to 29-0.

"They didn't start very well, but the girls sure finished strong," commented coach Andrew Whitton.

Reaney added, "I was very pleased with their composure, and particularly with the way the new girls came to life and just wore the other team out."

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Winchester Curling Club presents awards

WINCHESTER — It is officially over. The 2006-07 curling season wrapped up with the presentation of awards and announcement of draw winners following the annual closing banquet.

Winchester Curling Club president Aubrey Callan presented the club's Spirit of Curling trophy to Robert St. Pierre at the closing night on April 14. St. Pierre, a very active member of the club also skipped four winning teams during this year's schedule.

The club also named Geoff Spruit as the 2006-07 Top Junior Curler and Jordan Mark the Top Novice Curler.

Winchester's senior curlers have also reported their four draw winners. Denzil Crowder skipped Don McMillan, Rocky Benoit and Pam McLean to the first draw title. Ross Casselman and his team of Adele Bucholtz, Mike St. Marseille and Gary Merkley were the second draw winners. George Bloom guided Ken Hillis, Charlie Holmes and Gary Merkley into top spot in the third draw. The final draw went to Norm Tinkler, Rolf Kuhn, Mike St. Marseilles and Henry Hagedorn.

MIXED DRAW WINNERS

FIRST DRAW — Wednesday night: Ennlea Farms Trophy - 1st - James Cave, Glen Cleland, Leeaan Chamberlain, Dorothy Found; 2nd - Mandy Peddle, George Ennis, Marie Steele, Joyce Ouellette.

Friday Night: Wagner Trophy - 1st - Doug Blaine, Janet Levere, Marc LeBlanc, Shannon LeBlanc; 2nd - Don VanHoof, Glen Cleland, Lorna Driscoll, Christena Yelle.

SECOND DRAW — Wednesday night: Royal Bank Trophy - 1st - Robert St. Pierre, Ken Alcock, Leeann Chamberlain, Trish Boje; 2nd - Henry Doornwaard, Stacey Weagant, Lorna Driscoll, Cyndi Alcock.

Friday night: Commuters Trophy - 1st - Doug Blaine, Janet LaPierre, Louis Gaal, James MacLean; 2nd - Don VanHoof, Dan Ouellette, Debbie Blaine, Shannon LeBlanc.

THIRD DRAW — Wednesday night: J.A. Beattie Trophy - 1st - Bill Lillico, Ken Alcock, Lorna Driscoll, Sandy Latimer; 2nd - Henry Doornwaard, Glen Cleland, Dan Found, Trish Boje.

Friday night: Century 21 Trophy - 1st - Al LaPierre, Dan Ouellette, Debbie Blaine, Cyndie Alcock; 2nd - David Levere, Ken Alcock, Judy Somerville, Ann Cook.

BRIAN'S FIXED LEAGUE

Winner: Robert St. Pierre, Keith Baker, Lester McInnis, Joe Spruit; Runner-up - Dave Lillico, Phil Klein-Swormink, Doug Blaine, Debbie Blaine.

MEN'S DRAW

FIRST DRAW — Donnie Baker Memorial Trophy - 1st (56 points) - Robert St. Pierre, Dan Found, Jason Found, Wade Hetherington; 2nd (50 points) - Joe Spruit, Bill Doornwaard, Glen Cleland, Mike St. Marseille.

SECOND DRAW — Pat Lid Trophy - 1st (79 points) - Joe Spruit, Shane Latimer, John Sloane, Dan Reis; 2nd (53.5 points) - Bill Doornwaard, Aubrey Callan, Norm Tinkler, Tim Mark.

THIRD DRAW — Alex Davidson Memorial Trophy - 1st - Robert St. Pierre, Chris Guy, Dan Reis, Christian Mark; 2nd - Bill Doornwaard, Shane Latimer, Dan Ouellette, Mike St. Marseille.



Pat Lid winners

Skip Joe Spruit (left) and his team of Dan Reis (lead), Shane Latimer (third) and John Sloane (second) accepted the Pat Lid Trophy for collecting 79 points and winning the second draw in Men's League play during the 2006-07 Winchester Curling Club season.

Two for three

***Below:** Skip Robert St. Pierre (centre) accepted the Alex Davidson Memorial trophy for finishing first in the Winchester Curling Club's Men's League third draw. Lead Christian Mark (left), second Dan Reis (right) and third Chris Guy (missing) rounded out the roster.*



The Winchester Curling Club's Friday night mixed league title went to Doug Blaine's team. Keith Wagner (left) presented the Wagner Family Trophy to skip Blaine and third Janet Levere.



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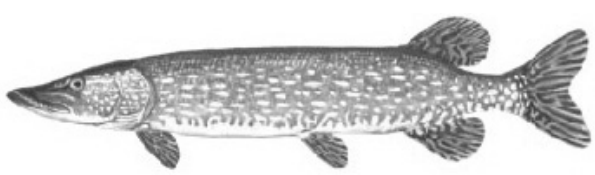

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Bobby Little, Wellington Dukes finished for season

WINCHESTER — Bobby Little is back in class at North Dundas District High School after completing his first Ontario Provincial Junior Hockey League season with the Wellington Dukes.

The 17-year-old Winchester resident skated with the Dukes this season after breaking onto the junior hockey scene with the Winchester Junior "B" Hawks in 2005-06. He was originally selected first in the CJHL draft but wound up in Wellington where he played in 39 of the Junior "A" Dukes' 49 regular season games.

The Dukes finished with a record of 38 wins, four losses, five ties, two overtime losses and 82 points — which tied them for first place in the East Division with Bowmanville and third overall in the OPJHL standings with the North Division's Aurora Tigers (44-4-1-0) who collected 89 points.

Wellington also garnered a third-place rating in the Canadian Tier II rankings behind Camrose Albert and Aurora.

During their playoff run the Dukes whitewashed Trenton (4-0) in round one, Port Hope (4-1) in round two, Kingston (4-1) in round three, and St. Mikes (4-1) in round four before eventually losing four games to one in the OPJHL championship series to the Aurora Tigers.



Photo courtesy the Picton Gazette

BOBBY LITTLE

The six-foot, five-inch defenceman appeared in just seven of the Dukes' 24 post season games due to a broken thumb suffered in a victorious decision over Trenton enforcer Adam McCallister in round three. He did return in the final set against Aurora.

HEADING EAST

Little, who saw some time on both of Wellington PP and PK units, was scouted during the season by both OHL and QMJHL organizations and signed on with the Moncton Wildcats in early December (2006).

Originally he was expected to join the Wildcats after Christmas, but will not head to Moncton until training camp in August.

"The season was a big eye-opener," said Little. "I learned a lot and met some nice people."

He will skate with Ottawa 67's trainer Chris Byrne twice a week beginning in May to prepare for his debut with the Wildcats.

Behm, Enright make quarter-final round in SD&G tournament

CORNWALL — Samantha Behm and Kate Enright played their way into the quarter-final round of the 2007 SD&G high school badminton championship tournament before they were eliminated.

The top two finishers in each of the SD&G events qualified to take part in the EOSSAA competition, which was held at Holy Trinity and L'Heritage yesterday (April 24).

North Dundas District High School coaches Cindy Steele and Aaron Banford reported the Devils faced some very tough competition at the SD&G championships on April 18, but still managed to turn in some great performances.

The coaches noted Behm and Enright were defeated in a very close match in the ladies doubles quarter-final round.

DEVILS RACQUET

The NDDHS Devils sent 14 athletes to the 2007 SD&G badminton tournament including: ladies doubles - Sam Behm and Kate Enright — Rebecca Bowie and Kira McClenaghan; mens doubles - Phil Klein-Swormink and Ryan Lynch — Ryan Williams and Scott Smith; mens singles - Gijs Cornelissen and Adam Schofield; mixed doubles - Kelsey Hilborn and James Lee — Christine Stewart and Nic Lewis.

Eastwood cracks in winner, Novice "B" House Jets take championship

OTTAWA — What a time to score your first goal of the season. Metcalfe's Terry Eastwood recorded his only marker of the campaign in overtime, and his timely shot enabled the Novice House "B" No. One Jets to hoist the 2006-07 Gloucester Hockey Association championship banner.

Jack McVeigh counted the Jets' other goal in regulation time OF the championship game played on April 14 At the Earl Armstrong Arena.

Metcalfe qualified for the title match against Cumberland No. Five after posting a 3-2 decision against the Cumberland No. Three Barons in a semi-final meeting at the Barrett Arena on April 10. Noah Johnston pegged a pair of goals in that contest while Marc Brosseau cracked in the winning shot.

The Jets finished the regular season tied for 11th place in a field of 21 teams. The teams were then divided into two divisions with the top 11 teams going in the "A" section and the rest into the "B" bracket. Metcalfe, because of their total number of wins, went into the "B" division.

Metcalfe caught fire in the round robin, outscored their opposition 25-2 and skated to three consecutive wins. Backed by goaltender Graham Archibald and his defensive crew, the No. One Jets knocked off Metcalfe's No. Three Jets 6-2, the Orleans No. Three Blues 10-0 and the Leitrim No. Two Blackhawks 9-0.

Cumberland No. Five and Russell's No. One Warriors also finished up with 3-0-0 records. Cumberland No. Three and Cumberland No. Six wound up with identical 2-1-0 records after round-robin play.



Banner celebration

The Metcalfe Novice House "B" Jets, 2006-07 Gloucester Hockey Association champions, are: front (left) - Anthony Carriere, Jack McVeigh, Deanna Bowman, Owen McVeigh, Terry Eastwood, Graham Archibald; middle (left) - Marc Brosseau, Daniel Diks, Michael Urban, Bailey Brant, Willie Mortley, Noah Johnston, Payton Melvin, Cedric Falardeau, Ben Headricks; back (left) - coaches - Sean McVeigh, Brian Johnston, John Eastwood and Sandi Patey.

Continued from front sports...

Rugby

North Dundas will put its junior boys squad on the field Friday (April 27) for its first league game against the Warriors at Tagwi.

EXHIBITION PLAY

North Dundas hosted Russell's St. Thomas Aquinas Ravens for three exhibition matches on April 19.

The Junior Devils defeated the Junior Ravens 22-5 with Erik Carriere scoring a pair of tries. Mark Hunt and Sean Bufton each added a single while Reid Greenough booted a convert.

Megan Mollema and Clara de Paiva counted tries as the North Dundas girls defeated the Ravens 12-0. The Devils' convert was booted by de Pavia.

The Senior Ravens scored a 7-0 win over the Senior Devils in a game which ended with 10 minutes left in the second half.

"It was just a controlled scrimmage," noted Reaney. "Our guys played most of the game inside the Russell 22 yard line, but couldn't finish."

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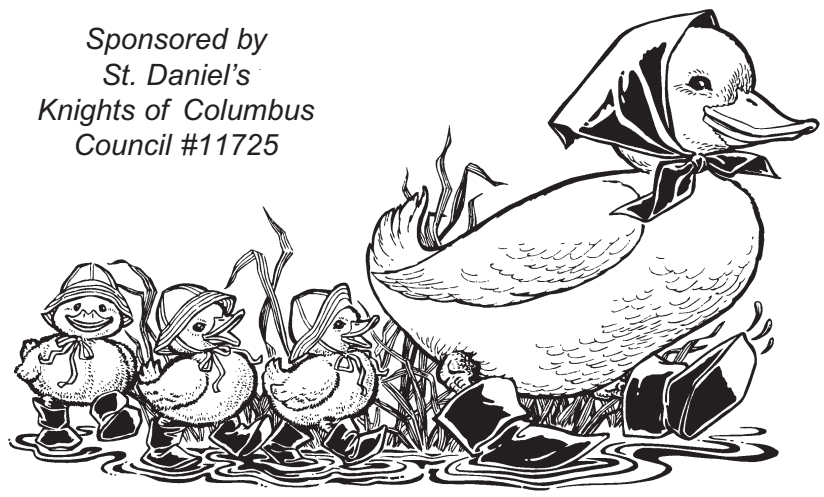

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Local stacker third best on world stage

CHESTERVILLE — It was trip of a lifetime for four Grade 5 students from St. Mary's Separate School.

Evan Corbett-White, Mia Conway, Julia Wouters and Nicholas McLean, known as the Great Canadian Stackers, represented Canada at the 2007 World Sports Stacking Association Championships in Denver Colorado.

The event, staged at the Denver Coliseum from April 14 to 15, attracted 1,100 competitors from eight countries.

Deanna Corbett-White, who coaches the team along with Donna Conway, reported the kids were in awe for most of the four-day junket (April 12 to 16) in Colorado.

"We were pretty much in the arena for two days but did have time to do some sight seeing," said Corbett-White. "We saw Mile High Stadium, where the Denver Broncos play and Coors Field where the Rockies play ball and drove out into the mountains. The kids were excited."

The youngsters were also thrilled to meet fellow stacking competitors from Japan and Germany and be interviewed for a special to aired on ESPN in August.

"They were pretty much in a daze for all four days," said Corbett-White.

The Great Canadian Stackers were the only Canadians entered in the competition and assumed the status of Team Canada. In the international portion of the tournament Team Canada (aged 10 and 11 years — youngest in the event) had to face 16 and 18 year-olds who had been stacking for as long a six years.

"We went head-to-head with Germany in our first stack-off and lost two games to one," explained Corbett-White. "Germany eventually won the championship. We then played Australia and lost 2-1 and were knocked out."

In regular tournament events, the Chesterville-based squad finished third overall in its own age bracket. Two teams from Texas took the top two spots.

The Great Canadian Stackers were first after the preliminary round clocking a time of 19.63, which put them into the finals on day two (Sunday). In that second round their time rose to 20.30. After three attempts they settled into third place.

"They all stacked really well all weekend," said the coach. "I would like to take them back next year when they wouldn't be as overwhelmed by everything."

The team's next big competition is in October in Buffalo, NY at the state championships.

Corbett-White said in the mean time she hopes to incorporate sport stacking in the local recreation camps an start an after-school camp in the area and then host a tournament in the fall.

The Great Canadian Stackers thanked the Chesterville Fire Department, Ye Old Bargain Shoppe, Chesterville St. Mary's parent council for their financial support.



Third in the world

The Great Canadian Stackers — Mia Conway, Julia Wouters, Nicholas McLean and Evan Corbett-White — pose in front of the 2007 World Sports Stacking Association banner with Bob Fox, owner and founder of Speed Stacks Inc. The local team finished third in the world tournament in Denver Colorado (April 14 and 15). *Photo — Corbett-White*

Kemptville 73's move up to CJHL

KEMPTVILLE — The Eastern Ontario Junior "B" Hockey League has lost one of its cornerstone franchises.

The Kemptville 73's, who have two EOJBHL championships (1997 and 1999) and six conference titles (1982, 1984, 1997, 1999, 2000 and 2001) to their credit has risen one tier and joined the Central Junior "A" Hockey League.

The CJHL's board of directors voted unanimously last week to adding the 73's and expanding to 11 teams.

The new franchise will continue to make the North Grenville Municipal Centre in Kemptville its home.

Pentagon Management, based in Kanata, and its president Paul Brenton will operate the new club.

CJHL commissioner Kevin Abrams said the league is excited about the expansion and feels Kemptville is an excellent location and will provide a short trip for rival teams in Smiths Falls, Brockville, Kanata, Nepean, Ottawa and Orleans.

The commissioner also reported there is solid support for the club within Kemptville.



On their way

Dianne Lapier (left), Christina Enright, Jan Cross, and Linda Johnson — members of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Heelers Weekend to End Breast Cancer team — accept a cheque for $1,000 from Williamsburg OddFellows noble grand Judy Simser and vice-grand Lyle Hess on Mon., April 24. The team has raised over $18,000 toward its goal of over $28,000, and will host a fundraising garage sale, plant sale, and bake sale at Henderson Hall in Winchester on Sat., April 28 between 8 am and 12 pm.

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SD&G Flames snag consolation silver in Regina

REGINA, SASK. — Tracey MacGregor was named her team's Most Valuable Player and selected as a first-team all-star on defence as she and the SD&G Flames made their first appearance at the Canadian Juvenile Broomball Championships.

The Flames travelled to Regina, Sask. for the national tournament (March 21 to 24) and completed the six-game round robin with a record of two wins and four losses.

Leigh Ann Dearing then backed the Flames in a 2-0 victory over Team Manitoba in a "B" division match.

That victory qualified the locals for a berth in the consolation final against Team Quebec — a match they lost by a slim 1-0 count. The loss meant the Flames were awarded with the consolation silver.

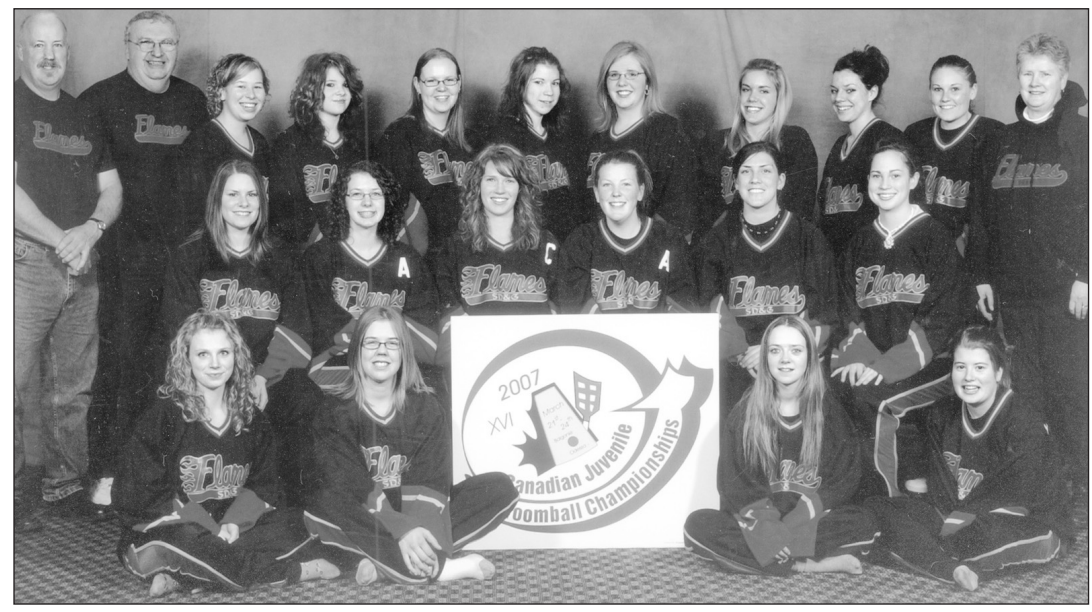
Becky Hoogeveen netted her team a 1-0 lead in the semi-final game against Manitoba. Colleen O'Rielly drew an assist. MacGregor iced the win making it 2-0 with help provided by Jessica Winters.

The SD&G entry outshot Quebec 15-14 in the "B" final but had to absorb a 1-0 defeat when the opposition cracked in the game's only goal with four minutes left on the clock.

ROUND ROBIN

The defending national champion Eastern Thunder blanked the Flames 2-0 in the opening game. It didn't get any easier in game two as Flames had to face the silver-medal winning Seaway Valley Devils. The Devils prevailed by a 3-1 count. Winters pegged the Flames' goal after taking a pass from Shelley MacLaughlin in the first half. Team Quebec then handed the Flames a 2-1 loss in game three. Laura MacKinnon counted her team's only goal. Jessica Zeizig created the opportunity.

The Flames finished day two compiling a winning record of two wins and a loss. Dearing posted the shutout in a 2-0 decision over the Odessa Flames. Zeizig (unassisted) and Kaitlin Kelly (assisted by McLaughlin and O'Reilly) were the goal scorers. Dearing registered a second goose-egg backing the Flames in a 3-0 win over Manitoba. Laura Melenhorst pegged a pair of goals and Winters whipped in the single. Zeizig, O'Reilly and MacGregor drew the assists. Unfortunately for the girls from SD&G, the Dedben (Saskatchewan) Roadrunners snapped their win string on the strength of a 3-1 victory. Hoogeveen, assisted by Melenhorst, fired in her team's only goal.



First-time competitors

The Flames are: front (left) - Mackenzie Baker, Becky Hoogeveen, Stephanie Hillis, Laura MacKinnon; second row (left) - Jessica Winters, Tracy MacGregor, Laura Melenhorst, Shauna Lynch, Colleen O'Reilly, Alanna Montague; back (left) - Pat Lynch - coach, Brian McLaughlin - coach, Leigh Ann Dearing, Amanda Meldrum, Shelley McLaughlin, Kaitlin Kelly, Stephanie Servage, Jessica Zeizig, Shaelynn McCadden, Jill Vanderveen, Ruth Brown - coach.

Umpire clinic in South Mountain Saturday

SOUTH MOUNTAIN — Last chance — Philip Labossiere, assistant umpire-in-chief with the Upper Canada Little League, reminds those interested in umpiring either softball or baseball that the league will hold its annual spring umpire clinic this Saturday (April 28)

Registration will be held between 8:15 and 9 am at the Agricultural Hall in South Mountain. Sat., April 28.

Senior umpire instructor Albert Smith will lead the clinic, which will run from 9 am until 3 pm. Labossiere will then conduct a session on UCLL rules from 3 until 4 pm.

"The level one course is open to all individuals from 12 to 99 years of age who intend on umpiring either baseball or softball this season," said Labossiere.

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Minto Hockey League

Outlaws unable to defend adult hockey league title

OTTAWA — The Osgoode Outlaws were unable to defend their back-to-back Minto Adult Hockey League Division 1 championships.

The Irregulators posted a 4-1 victory over the two-time defending champs on April 18 to secure the 2006-07 title.

The Outlaws claimed the Division 1 silverware in their first two seasons and finished this year in first place but wound up with a playoff record of 3-2-0 — second to the new champs who went undefeated (4-0-0).

Bruce Buckland (2-4-6), Kevin Collins (2-3-5) and Marty Johnson (3-1-4) played in all five post season games and finished as the Outlaws' top scorers.

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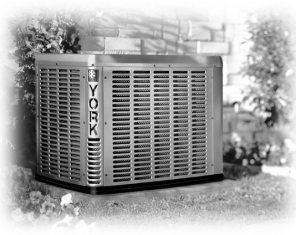

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Best finish ever for Ice Dogs, fourth in Canada

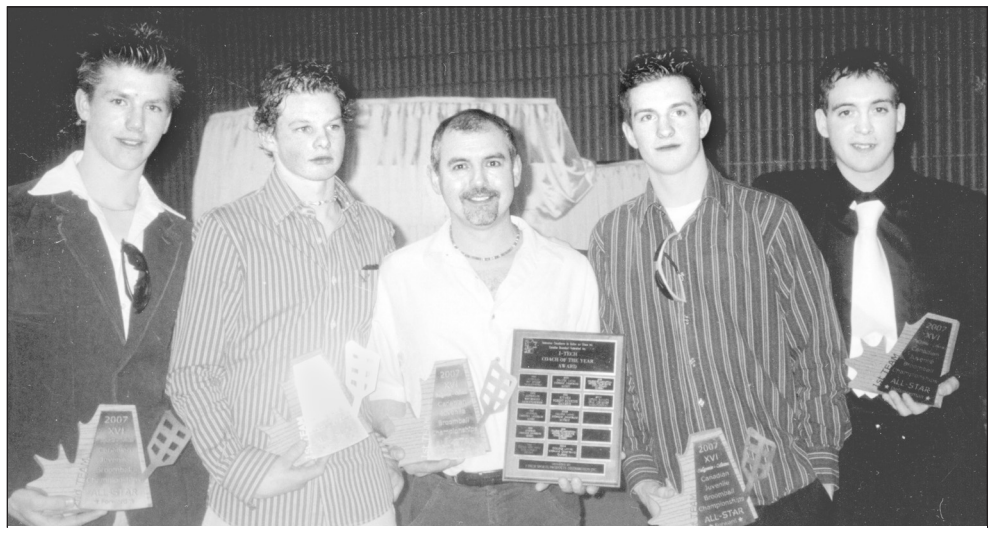
REGINA, SASK. — They just missed the medals, but the Eastern Ontario Ice Dogs fashioned their best ever ranking at the Canadian Juvenile Broomball Championships.

The Odessa (Saskatchewan) Bandits blanked the Ice Dogs 3-0 in the bronze medal match on April 24 at the 2007 national competition in Regina. The loss meant the Ice Dogs ended up ranked fourth in a field of 10 teams, their best result after a couple of back-to-back, fifth-place finishes. With nine rookies on the squad, Ice Dogs are looking to move up to the podium in next year's event.

Several members of the Dogs received individual recognition including Alderic Lafleche who was named the Ice Dogs Most Valuable Player at the event. Selected to the first all-start team were forwards Steve Fairlie and Alderic Lafleche and defenceman Bryan Hillis. Laurie "Half Pint" Lafleche was named the first-team coach.

It was also announced that captain Hillis and assistant captain Lafleche have been chosen to share the Top Junior Male Broomball Player honours for Eastern Ontario. They will receive their award in Orangeville on Saturday (April 28).

The Dogs were knocked into the bronze medal match by the Sphinx L'Assomption who edged the Eastern Ontario reps 4-3 in OT. The Sphinx, defending champions, qualified for the gold-medal match netting the deciding goal with 47 left in the extra period. Lafleche, Landon James and Bryan Hillis supplied the goals while Fairlie (2) and Landon James earned assists.



Top Dogs

The Eastern Ontario ice Dogs finished the 2007 Canadian Juvenile Broomball Championships ranked number four in the country. Five members of the team were selected as all stars including: Justin Marion (left) - second team forward; Alderic Lafleche - first team forward; Laurier Menard - first team coach; Steven Fairlie - first team forward and captain Bryan Hillis - first team defence. *Cheryl Irven photo*

TOURNEY TALES

Paul Norman netted the winning goal as the Ice Dogs nipped the Estevan Raiders 3-2 in their opening game. Kory Shaver and Hillis picked up assists. Hillis and Lafleche counted the other markers. Assists went to Justin Marion, Justin McMahon and Fairlie. Rookie Matt Alexander was the winning goaltender. Marion was named game MVP.

Alexander and Will Allen-Marsolais shared the shutout in game two as the Dogs chewed up the Alberta Loaf of Bread 6-0. Fairlie paced the offence firing in three goals. Wyatt Irven, Shaver and Marion snapped in the singles. Assists went to Marion (2), Lafleche (2), Fairlie, Marc Melenhorst, Joey Lauzon and Jordan Hayes. Lafleche was named game MVP.

Quebec's College Stanislas provided the opposition in game three and fell 2-1 to the Dogs. Marion and McMahon (winning goal) recorded the Ontario goals. Lafleche, Melenhorst and Shaver set up the goals. McMahon was the Dogs' MVP.

A 6-0 romp over the Bruno Jr. Axemen locked up first place in their pool for the Dogs who outgunned their opponents by a 17-3 margin in four games. Alexander and Allen-Marsolais shared another shutout while Marion (2), Landon James, Simon James, Fairlie and Lafleche snapped in the goals. Norman (2), Fairlie (2), Lafleche (2), Marion, Simon James and Landon James provided the passes. Lafleche received his second game MVP award.

Devils nail three first place finishes in Dome Meet Series

OTTAWA — Madison Koekkoek, Kristen Milne and Laurena Matthies all picked up red ribbons while competing with the North Dundas District High School Devils track team in the fourth Dome High School Indoor Track Meet of the 2007 spring season.

Koekkoek won the midget girls 300-metre hurdles in a time of 54.75 and was followed to the finish line by teammates Tasha Vanderveen, who came in second (55.48), Jenna Wouters, who was fourth in 57.46 and Shelby Allison, who crossed the line in fifth place in 58.78. Tania Diaz wound up eighth and Kaylee Steele 10th in the meet held on April 19.

Koekkoek also placed 10th in a field of 18 the 800m in 2:52.95.

The midget squad put together more top placing as Milne claimed her number-one ranking in the midget girls triple jump hitting a distance of 9.57m. Diaz claimed third (8.83m) Wouters fourth (8.78m) and Steele 10th place in the same event. Milne also knocked down a third in the long jump recording a measurement of 4.28m. Vanderveen placed fourth with a four-meter leap.

Alyson Erwin was second best in the midget shot put with measure of 7.65 meters.

Junior Devil Laurena Matthies earned the Devils' other first-place ribbon winning the shot put with a toss of 8.98m. The next best throw was 7.74m.

The next big competition for the Devils will be the annual TISS Invitational (May 4 and 5) in Brockville.

DEVILS DETAILS

Midget Devils: Dylan DeJong - eighth - 300-metre hurdles - 0.50 and 22nd - 200m 28.32: girls 800-metre sprint medley relay - fourth; boys 800-metre sprint medley relay - eighth.

Junior Devils: Justin Comeau - third - boys long jump - 5.14m; Natalie Gibson - fourth - 3,000m - 13:46.27; Kaitlin Hay - 18th - 200m - 31.57; Tom Henbest - 19th - 3,000m - 11:40.56; Stephen Moore - ninth - 300-metre hurdles - 50.19 and 20th - 200m - 27.35; Nolan Lachapelle - 10th - 300-metre hurdles - 52.36 and 24th 200m - 28.55.

Senior Devils: Jenna Simms - fifth - 3,000m - 13:09.79; Laura Porteous - sixth - 3,000m - 13:11.26; Kelsey Hilborn - sixth - 300-metre hurdles - 55.55 and eighth - triple jump - 8.77m; Lauren Casselman - 13th - long jump - 3.95m; Lindsay Feeley - 13th - 200m - 30.04; Jason Catellier - 23rd - 200m - 25.43; Johnny Jackson - 33rd - 200m - 27.40; girls 800-metre sprint medley relay - sixth - 2:17.88; boys 800-metre sprint medley relay - 12th - 2:02.52.

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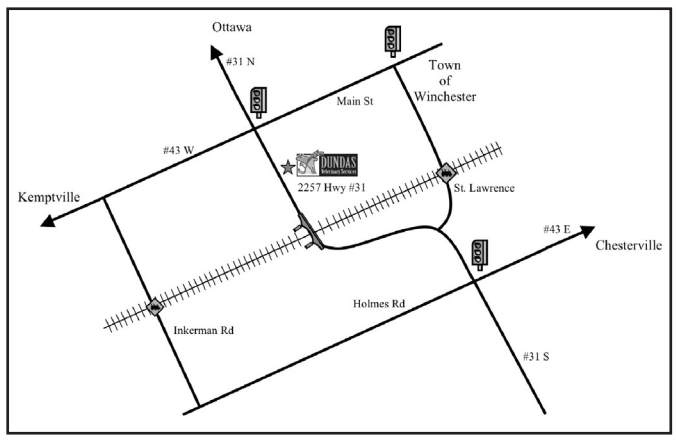

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5-6c

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6-7

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3-6

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5-6

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5-6c

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6-7c

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IT'S A BOY!



PATTERSON – Joe and Lori Patterson are proud to announce the arrival of their son, Tanner Joseph, born March 2, 2007, weighing 7 lb. Proud grandparents are Kent and Betty McDermid and Bev and Janice Patterson and Theresa and Hunter McCaig.

80th Birthday Party



Come join us in celebrating
Arnold Holmes'
80th Birthday
at the Winchester Curling Club on
Sat., April 28,
1-4 pm.
Best wishes only PLEASE.

Announcement



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Remember Regina is just a phone call away!

~ BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT ~
Gabrielle Danika Cotnam

Big brothers Drew and Cameron would like to announce the birth of their little baby sister, Gabrielle Danika, born April 5, 2007 at 9:44 pm, weighing 6 lb., 15 oz. Proud grandparents are Bill and Donna Hamilton and Kaireen Cotnam. Andy and Leslie wish to express an extra special thank you to Dr. Adamson and Dr. Darbyshire and the nurses from maternity at WDMH.



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Size: 8½ x 11 inches

Colour: Black marker on white paper

Eligibility: All residents of North Dundas

Prize: Cash award

Deadline: Friday, May 11
Submit to: Mark Guy, Township of North Dundas, 636 St. Lawrence Street, Winchester

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Thank you again to Nathan Armstrong, Brad Hanes, Danny Roy, Adam Schofield, Mike Sharkey, Sean Sommerville and Christine Stewart.



Fundraising Dance

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8 pm - 1 am, Winchester Lions Hall

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or Melina Myers 613-774-6962

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FOR SALE – Service age purebred Holstein bull, born Jan. 4, 2005, sired by La Presentation Windows. Phone Holmesdale Farm, 613-774-2879 or 613-774-2169.

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In Memoriam

SUTTON – In memory of our Dad and Mom: Gordon, May 10, 1985; Jean, April 23, 2006, Nana and Poppa.
Mom and Dad
What we would give if we could say,
We'll be going to our Mom and Dad's today.
To sit and talk with them a while,
To hear their voices and see their smiles.
The hardest thing in life to bear,
Is to want your Mom and Dad, and they're not there.
– Love Marion, Gord, Dawn, Tricia and families

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SUTTON – In loving memory of a very special and dear aunt, as well, she was my other special mother too, also was a very dear great-aunt, and a great-great-aunt, she was our Aunt Jean, who left us all so unexpectedly on April 23, 2006.
Time passes on,
One year passes us by,
Since death its gloomy shadow cast
Upon your home, when all was bright
And took from us your shining light.
We miss that light and ever will,
Your vacant place there's none to fill
Down here, we mourn, but not in vain,
For up in heaven, we'll all meet again.
Yes, for sure Uncle Gordie and Aunt Jean are playing cards, now, as Uncle Gordie passed away May 10, 1985.
We miss you and love you so.
– Forever remembered by your niece, Barbara, and by great-nephews, great-nieces Michael, Debbie, Beth and Jamie, Tina, Whitnie, Adrianna, Hunter Van Breugel

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In Memoriam

SUTTON – In memory of the dearest mother and grandmother, aunt and friend, H. Jean, who passed away April 23, 2006.
Our lives go on without you,
But nothing is the same,
We have to hide our heartaches,
When someone speaks your name.
Sad are the hearts that love you,
Silent the tears that fall,
Living our lives without you,
Is the hardest part of all.
You did so many things for us,
Your heart was kind and true,
And when we needed someone,
We could always count on you!
The special years will not return,
When we were all together,
But with the love within our hearts,
You will walk with us forever.
– Loved and missed, Dave, Diana, Brandon, and Kathleen McKendry, and David Sutton

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KERR – In loving memory of our dear dad, Robert James, who passed away April 22, 2006.
God took him home, it was His will,
But in our hearts we love him still;
His memory is as dear today
As in the hour he passed away.
We often sit and think of him
When we are all alone,
For memory is the only friend
That grief can call its own.
– Forever in our hearts,
– Sandy, Susan and Syndi

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In Memoriam

RAISTRICK – In loving memory of our mom, Pat, who passed away April 20, 2000.
She walks with us down quiet paths,
And speaks in wind and rain,
For the magic power of memory,
Gives her back to us again.
– Always remembered, Elzeon, Judi, Darlene, Susan and families

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GUY – In memory of our cherished grandson Mitchell, who passed away April 30, 2005.
Forever in our hearts.
– Grandpa and Grandma Guy

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Birth Notice

EDWARDSON – Roman Daniel
Born at the Queensway Carleton on Saturday., April 7, 2007 weighing 7 lb, 10 oz. First child for excited parents Craig and Gunta. First grandchild for Vija Millers and sixth for George and Clara Edwardson. Also welcomed by his Aunt Olita and Uncle Dave Hogan. Proud great-grandparents are Irwin and Amy Holmes.

6c

Coming Events

SIMPLE INDULGENCES
An Up-Country Boutique Galleria opens May 2 in Williamsburg.

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Coming Events

SPRING MEETING
Winchester Curling Club
Mon., April 30, 7:30 pm, club lounge. All members please attend. It's our club.

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EUCHRE
Play euchre at Mountain Hall on Mon, April 30 and Mon., May 7, at 1 pm. Proceeds for K.D.H. and W.D.M.H. Sponsored by Mountain Sr. Citizens.

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NEW VENDORS WANTED
Metcalfe Farmers' Market looking for local artisans, meat, food and vegetable producers, furniture/woodworkers, crafters, jewellers, bakers, florist, etc. Email: p.rochon@rogers.com or call 613-821-1391 evenings for further details.

4-8c

BRIDAL SHOWER
In honour of Kate Servage, bride to be of Derek Kerr, Sun., May 6 at 1:30 pm at the home of Donna and David Byers in Cannamore, house #14049 Conc. 10/11. Everyone welcome.

6-7

Township of South Dundas

WANTED
Vendors for Carman House Farmers' Market
In Iroquois on Carman Road South beside the Carman House Museum (South of the campground)
Bring your Bedding Plants, Home Baking, Jams, Crafts, etc.
Contact: Ray Mason at
613-652-2556
for more information.

Township of South Dundas

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4-6

JAZZ IN SACRED PLACES
With Brian Browne and Peter Woods, Sat., April 28, 7:30 pm, at Knox United Church, 1440 Yorks Corners Road (at Parkway Road), Edwards. Tickets: $15 includes hors d'oeuvres and dessert. Call Jan 613-821-1366 for tickets. Proceeds to The ArtsCan Circle.
5-6

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Entertainment For Kids
Sat., April 28, 8 am-noon, Henderson Hall, Church Street, Winchester. Funds raised will go towards "Weekend To End Breast Cancer".
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WINCHESTER SPRINGS EUCHRE
Sat., April 28, 8 pm at Winchester Springs Rec. Hall. Everyone welcome. Lots of fun. Coffee served. For more information call 613-774-3408.
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ANNUAL MOTHER'S DAY BREAKFAST
Sponsored by the Anglican Parish of North Dundas, Sun., May 13, 9 am-12 noon, Agricultural Hall, South Mountain. Adults $5, children under 6, $2.50. Family $16.
6-7c

YESTER-YEAR FASHION SHOW
Sun., May 6, 1:30 pm at Morewood United Church. Admission: $5. Refreshments and door prizes. Step back in time with vintage fashion. Wedding dresses, evening dresses, casual outfits and accessories. A little of everything.
6-7c

VILLAGE VOICES WOMEN'S CHOIR
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6c

EASTER MESSIAH
Chesterville and District Historical Society is holding a fundraiser on Sat., April 28, 7 pm at Trinity United Church in Chesterville. Chorus Novus from Cornwall will perform the Easter Messiah with guest soloists and instrumentalists. Tickets $15 each. Contact Ab Carr at 613-448-2132, or Bob Gilroy at 613-448-2130.
6c

CANADIAN CLUB OF MORRISBURG AND DISTRICT
Final dinner meeting Wed., May 16 at 7 pm., Morrisburg Legion. Speaker: Winston Johnston of Charlottetown (formerly of Winchester) on "Farmers Helping Farmers", International farm aid in Kenya. Contact Clara Edwardson, 613-774-2407 or Doug Grenkie, 613-543-2922 for tickets or more information.
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6-8c

FUNDRAISER DANCE FOR LILA GIBEAULT
Heritage Restaurant, Fri., April 27 featuring the band "Rogue", from 9 pm-2 am. Silent auction, 9 am-11 pm. Phone 613-448-1737.
6

2nd ANNUAL DINNER AND SHOW
Maple Ridge Senior Public School
Thurs., May 3. Dinner 6 pm (tickets $15; under 10, $5). Entertainment 7:30 pm (show only $3). Tickets sell out fast, call 613-448-2817. Proceeds for student transportation to educational camp at Queens.
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5-6

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6

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YARD AND BAKE SALE
Vernon Presbyterian Church, Bank Street, Vernon. Fri., May 4, 1-6 pm and Sat., May 5, 9 am-2 pm. Tables available.
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Thanks to all his doctors, the ambulance attendants, the nurses and his home care ladies, especially Doreen Markell.

To David Lapier of Marsden and McLaughlin for helping us with the arrangements and doing all the extras he does so well.

Our wonderful friends and neighbours, who kept our driveway cleared, brought food, for their calls and visits. To everyone who sent cards, flowers and made donations. Thanks.

To the staff and employees of Iroquois Enterprises for keeping Larry's spirits up and for all their support since his passing.

A special thanks to Carol Fowler, Judy and Toby Summerfield, Betty Montpellier. Our family, Travis, Josh, Dan, Mark and Julie for being there every time they were needed.

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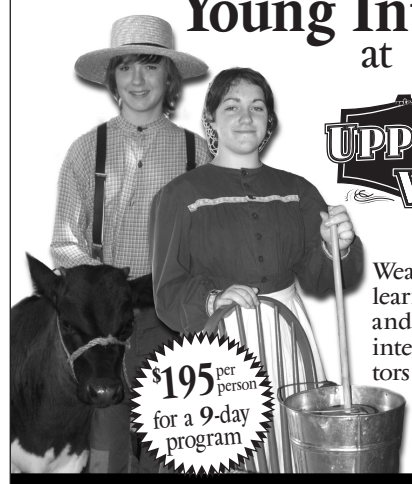

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MONDAY, MAY 7: Bus Trip to the Tulip Festival leaving Nor-Dun at 11:00 am. Call to reserve your seat.
TUESDAY, MAY 8: Shopping Trip leaving at 9:00 am from Nor-Dun Centre.
TUESDAY, MAY 8: Widow & Widower's Support Group at 10:30 am.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 9: Footcare – Call 613-774-6109 for an appointment.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 9: Fifth Avenue Jewellery on display at Nor-Dun starting at 11:00 am.
WEDNESDAY, MAY 9: Mother's Day - Entertainment by John Foster.
THURSDAY, MAY 10: Soup & Hot Dog at 4:00 pm.
FRIDAY, MAY 11: Hearing Aid Clinic, starting at 1:00 pm – Call 1-800-267-9697 or 613-233-4374 for an appointment.
TUESDAY, MAY 15: Crokinole at 1:00 pm *–Please note date change!*
MONDAY, MAY 21: CLOSED for Victoria Day Holiday.
TUESDAY, MAY 22: Bridge.
THURSDAY, MAY 24: Soup & Hot Dog at 4:00 pm.
TUESDAY, MAY 29: Shopping Trip leaving at 9:00 am from Chesterville.
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THURSDAY, MAY 10: Turkey- Mother's Day– Entertainment by "John Foster"
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OBITUARIES

Gladys Marie Smith

Gladys Marie Smith died at home on April 6, 2007. She fought her illness as she lived, with great courage, dignity, and unrelenting determination.



Born in Wiliamsburg on January 21, 1919, she was the daughter of George B. and Jennie (Montgomery) Wingard. She attended the Morrisburg Collegiate Institute and, as a young woman, she helped her parents run a boarding house for patients visiting the famous Dr. Locke. She married Graham Smith in 1942, and together they operated the family dairy farm until their retirement to the village in 1980.

In addition to the hard work required of a farmer's wife, she volunteered countless hours in the community. She was a lifetime member of the Women's Institute and the United Church, and served in many capacities of church life including the choir, United Church Women, and as a steward and honourary elder. She was active on the fair board, and the Women's Hospital Auxiliary. In addition, she loved pursuing her many creative talents, playing cards, word games, entertaining, socializing, and just "being on the go." Trademarks of her culinary skills included fruit cake, pie, and strawberry jam.

Above all, she was the treasured mother of Barbara, Robert, and Brenda. She was a devoted grandmother to Geoffrey, Laura (Peter) Maher, and Jason (Cheri-Lee), and great-grandmother to Allison Marie Maher and Cordelia Smith. She will also be sadly missed by her in-laws Ruth (late John) Widdows of Brockville, and Doug and Rita Smith of Peterborough, as well as several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by Graham in November 2005, and her brothers Bruce in 1938, and Ross (late Ruby) in 1996.

A comforting service was conducted by Rev. Mary Lou Shortill at the Chesterville Funeral Home on Easter Monday, closing with mom's theme song "If I Can Help Somebody". Interment was at Maple Ridge Cemetery in Chesterville, followed by a reception hosted by the United Church Women. The pallbearers were Jim Moore, Peter Maher, and Keyes, Carl, Robert, and Geoffrey Smith.

Throughout her life, she was the embodiment of kindness, and her gentle spirit, devotion, and abiding love will always be cherished.

Carl Moore Levers

(Retired truck driver for Ault Foods and farmer)

Carl Moore Levers of Iroquois, formerly of Winchester, passed away at Winchester and District Memorial Hospital after a brave struggle on Thurs., April 19, 2007. He was 79.

He was the dearly beloved husband of 57 years to Elaine Levers (nee Riehl). He was the loving father of Dan (Michelle) of Winchester, David (Joy) of Huntingdon, Que., and the late Ted Levers. He is survived by one brother Gerald Levers of Brockville. He was predeceased by two brothers Hubert, and Lyle. He will be sadly missed by grandchildren Erin (Gord) Finlay of South Mountain, and Todd Levers of Winchester, and by great-grandchildren Samuel Carl, Olivia Grace, and Andrew Gordon Finlay. He is also survived by nieces, nephews, and his many friends at Tim Hortons in Morrisburg.

At Carl's request there will be no visitation at the funeral home. A private family service will take place at the South Gower Cemetery on April 25.

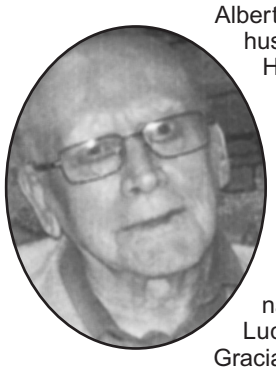
Donations to Winchester District Memorial Hospital or the Canadian Cancer Society would be gratefully acknowledged by the family.

The funeral arrangements were entrusted to the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home in Iroquois.

Arthur Ranger

Arthur Ranger of Crysler passed away peacefully surrounded by his family on April 9, 2007. He was 89.

He was the son of the late Ovila Ranger and of the late Albertine Sicotee. He was the beloved husband of the late Thérèse Racine. He will be grieved by his children Lucien (Lynne Bazinet) of Moose Creek, Céline Vanderveen (Jeff) of Morewood, and Louise Ranger (Gérald St-Amour) of Val des Monts, Que., and by his eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. He will be missed by his sisters and brothers Fernand, René, Auréline, Aline Ranger, Lucille Léger, Edna Tremblay, and Gracia Marie Ranger, as well as by his two sisters-in-law Alice Leblanc, and Berthe Laniel. He was predeceased by a brother Alban.



The funeral service was held on April 13 at Notre-Dame du Saint Rosaire Church in Crysler. Following the religious service, the family received condolences at the Crysler Community Hall.

In lieu of flowers, donations to the Ottawa Regional Cancer Centre Foundation or to the University of Ottawa Heart Institute would be greatly appreciated.

The funeral arrangements were entrusted to the Lafleur Funeral Home and Chapel in Casselman.

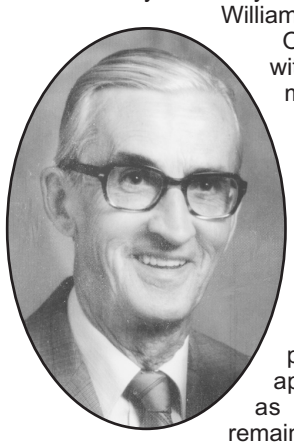
John W. MacIntosh

John Wilson MacIntosh, a resident of the Williamsburg area for the past 52 years, passed away at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital on April 17, 2007. He was 82.

John was born in Riceville on April 29, 1924 to his parents Dr. Hampden and Annie MacIntosh (nee Wilson). He attended public school in Riceville along with his sister Jean, and then received his secondary school education at Vankleek Hill Collegiate.

On April 27, 1942 he enlisted in a division of the Canadian Armoured Corps. He served approximately three and half years, then entered McGill University on Oct. 5, 1945 in the school of civil engineering. After graduating from McGill, he worked for four years for both the army and on his own before accepting a job as an engineer's assistant with the ministry of transportation. Later, as he gained experience, he was promoted to project engineer, and he worked on projects throughout Eastern Ontario.

On Aug. 21, 1948 he married Olive Clemens at Riceville, and together they raised three children: Bruce, Marilyn, and Kevin. Initially the family lived in Riceville, and then moved to Williamsburg in 1955.



On June 1, 1956 he began working with the St. Lawrence Parks Commission as assistant to the commission engineer. He was hired specifically to build the Long Sault Parkway. On July 4, 1958 John was placed in charge of all construction projects for the St. Lawrence Parks Commission which included 10 picnic areas and 21 campgrounds between the Quebec border and Adolphustown. Finally in 1972 he was appointed manager of parks as well as commission engineer and he remained in this capacity until his retirement on Dec. 31, 1983 at the age of 59.

He was actively involved in the community as a member of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch #538 for over 50 years, a member of the Plantaganet Lodge #186 for over 50 years, a member of Murray Chapter of Rose Croix, Ottawa Lodge of Perfection-32nd Degree, and the Shriners Karnac Temple of SD&G. In addition to his involvement in these organizations, John was a faithful member of the Williamsburg United Church, and he found time to be a volunteer driver taking local residents on over 250 medical and shopping trips. He also served as a member of the board of directors of the Williamsburg Non-Profit Housing Corporation for 16 years. His contributions to this organization were recognized on June 29, 2006 when the Park Lane Senior Support Centre was re-named the J.W. MacIntosh Senior Support Centre in recognition of the outstanding contribution that John made to this organization as a board member.

He will be fondly remembered by his family and friends for his love of dogs, his modesty, his love of new cars, his kind and generous disposition, and his attention to detail. John gave his best effort to every task he performed and he expected the same from others. He was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather, and he will be sadly missed by all those who were fortunate to have known him. He was a true gentleman.

John is survived by his wife of 59 years Olive Clemens, his children Bruce (Betty) of Williamsburg, Marilyn (Jim) Adams of RR# 1 Iroquois, Kevin (Catrina) of Ottawa, and his grandchildren Kylie, Katherine, and Dan Adams, and Kaitlan, Taylor, and Bailey MacIntosh. He was predeceased by his parents Dr. Hampden and Annie MacIntosh (nee Wilson), and his sister Jean Wilson. He is also survived by nieces and nephews.

Friends called at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home in Williamsburg on April 19. A Masonic memorial service was held on April 19. The funeral service was held at Williamsburg United Church on April 20 with Rev. Isabel Black officiating followed by cremation. Interment of cremated remains will be at New Union Cemetery in Williamsburg.

The pallbearers were John's grandchildren Kylie Adams, Katherine Adams, Dan Adams, Kaitlan MacIntosh, Taylor MacIntosh, and Bailey MacIntosh. The honourary pallbearers were Don Morrell, Johnny Whitteker, Doug Casselman, Bill Smith, Gerry Mullins, Trevor Tolley, and David Lapier.

Donations to Winchester District Memorial Hospital would be appreciated by the family.

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Dinner and a show

The Maple Ridge Senior Public School band is practicing hard for the school's second annual dinner and entertainment show on Thurs., May 3. The lasagna dinner will be served by students attending an educational camp at Queen's University in mid-May. Afterwards, the band, dancers, and choir will provide an evening of entertainment. Proceeds will support transportation costs for the 33 students attending the camp. Tickets for the dinner are $15 for adults and $5 for children under 10. For those wishing to attend the concert only, a donation of $3 is requested. Call the school at 613-448-2817 to order your tickets.

Ladies enjoy musical meeting

by Kathy Spruit

WINCHESTER — The St. Paul's Ladies Aid met on Mon., April 9. Doris Baker opened the meeting by reading of "The Legend of the Sand Dollar," followed by the singing of "The Lord of the Dance."

Devotions were led by Claire McPhee on Psalm 136, emphasizing that in times of darkness we should remember that "God's love endures forever." McPhee had invited Diane Walford, a member of Parkwood Presbyterian Church, to teach the ladies to sing "King of Kings" as a round.

Sharon Stewart reported that the group could decide in June how many members wish to attend a dinner at Winchelsea Farms in September and decide on a theme. Setting up the "trash and treasures" table will wait until September.

Volunteers were recruited to prepare food to be served at the presbytery meeting lunch on Tues., April 17. The meeting was closed with the reading of the poem "Where do we find Jesus?"



Country contest

Country Boy-Country Girl wrapped up its big promotional contest on Sat., April 21 by announcing the winners of more than $3,600 worth of prizes. Pictured are: co-owner Lynn Durant (left), Jean Runions — who won a camcorder, Anne Harriman, Kathleen Goodwin — who won a flatscreen TV, Debbie Linton, who won a laptop computer, Laura Goodwin, and co-owner Keith Durant. Also among the top 10 winners were: Faye Coons, Cindy Johnston, Denise Stirzaker, Marni Don, and Leslie Geurts.

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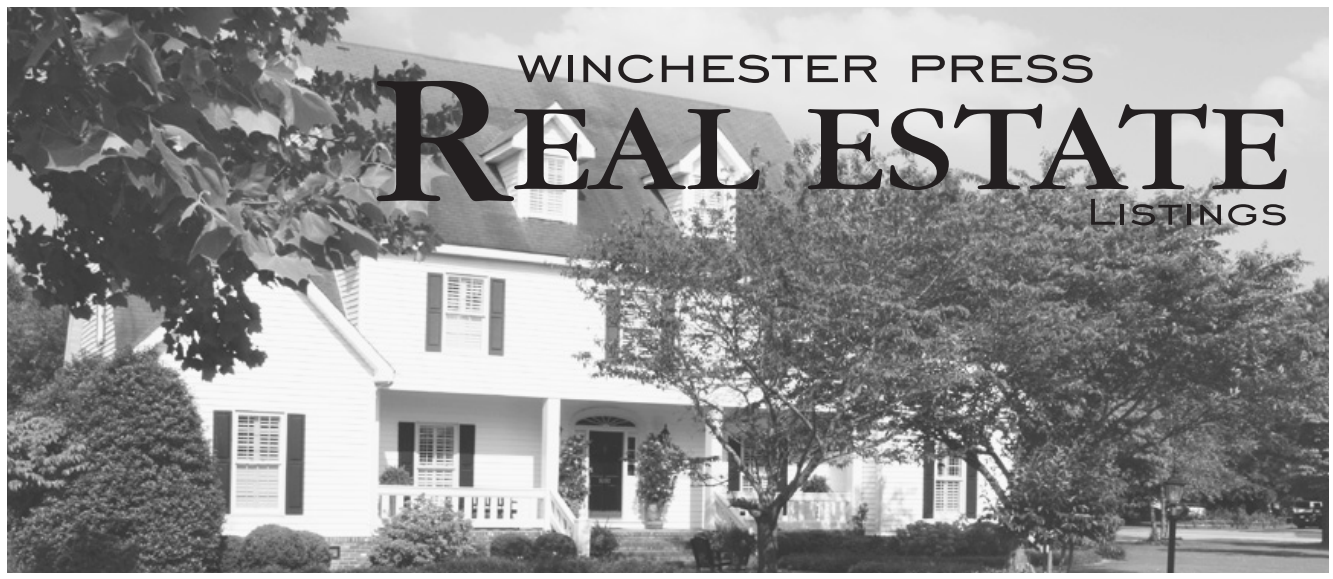

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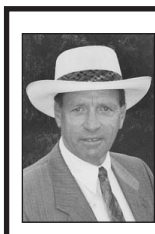

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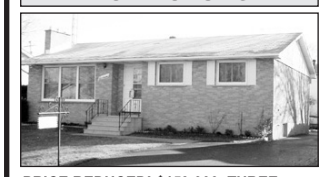

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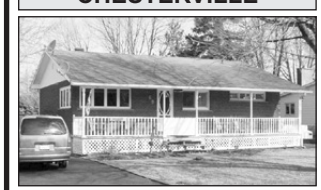

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Auxiliary hears of dietician's outreach

by Marj Phillips

WINCHESTER — Members of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary met for their regular monthly meeting on April 12. There were 17 members present, as well as CEO Trudy Reid, foundation spokesperson Dawn Cooper, and hospital dietician Deidre Cooke, who was the guest speaker. The session got underway with members reciting the auxiliary prayer and having the minutes read and accepted.

Cooke informed members of a program aimed at helping people with diabetes. She and a diabetic nurse educator have been visiting senior gatherings within the catchment area of WDMH. Statistically speaking, one out of every three seniors has this disease, sometimes unbeknownst to the person. Early detection is very important. It is also critical to be on the correct medication and pay particular attention to foot care.

Cooke stressed that going to the seniors' lunches and various senior centres has generated a very positive response. There are programs set up within the hospital, as well. Interested seniors and family members can obtain further information by phoning the hospital.

The unit reports were read with Chesterville and Morrisburg presenting some knitted goods. A total of 85 hours were recorded.

The committee reports were given. Hilda Vandekemp's volunteers gave 424 hours, two new volunteers have joined her team, and 4,070 pennies were collected for Oma. Edith Baker of the purchasing committee cited three new pieces of equipment to be purchased: a bear hugger (a warmer for the ER), a large wheel chair (physiotherapy), and an EKG machine for the emergency room. The lottery reports were presented, including a $1,000 cheque from their earnings. The gift shop recorded 202 hours and transferred $10,000 to the main auxiliary. The new hours, 10 am to 4 pm and 6 to 8 pm are in operation. The treasurer's report and the in memoriam reports were presented.

The annual dessert and card party was held on April 23 from 1:30 to 3:30 pm at the J.W. MacIntosh Seniors' Centre in Williamsburg. Dorothy Houze was in charge of this event.

The garage sale at Winchester Home Hardware has been rescheduled for May 26.

The spring conference for HAAO Region 9 will be held at Algonquin College, Building D, on Wed., April 18. Registration is from 8:30 to 9:30 am.

Next month will see the regular meeting at 1 pm followed by the annual general meeting at 1:30 pm. It is here that the annual reports are presented and the year is put in perspective. Anyone wishing to attend is welcome. The meeting will take place in the lower conference room in the hospital. Come and find out what your auxiliary is all about.

Volunteers will help Rideau Hill spruce up for camping season

OSGOODE — Spring is here and Rideau Hill Camp is preparing for its 59th season. The camp, located between Osgoode and Kemptville (3560 County Rd. 19), offers children and youth enrichment through residential camping in a fun, safe, Christian environment.

A mix of competent new and returning staff have been selected, led once again by director Katie White.

The camp will hold its annual opening and clean-up on Sat., May 5 from 9 am to 3 pm. New this year will be an open house on the same day. Families and groups are invited to come out, tour the grounds, meet with some of the staff, and become acquainted with the extensive facilities offered. These facilities are available for rent by groups, schools, or individuals, for day or overnight stays in May, June, September, and October.

Everyone is welcome to visit on open house day. Bring lawn implements and gloves if you'd like to help with the clean-up. Lunch will be available to all willing to help. Why not make it a group or family day?

For more information please visit www.rideauhillcamp.com or phone 613-826-2046 and leave a message.



Rock 'n' Roll

The South Mountain Agricultural Hall was humming with the sound of '50s rock 'n' roll as the Mountain and District Lions Club presented its semi-annual fundraising dinner. Entertainment was provided by Freddy Vette and the Flames, consisting of (from left) Ken Globe, Gary Buffett, Wayne Mills, Kevin Crotty, Freddy Vette, Betty Vette, Marianne Heroux, and Laura Vandermeer. The group played to an almost sold-out audience. Lion Bob Weagant said some of the money raised will go toward the Lions' $10,000 commitment to help the South Mountain library. The club is hosting a clean-up day on Sat., April 28. They are meeting at Rick's Gas Bar at 9 am and will cover County Road 1 to County Road 43. For more information call Dave Howard at 613-989-1514. *Photo — Barbour*



50-year fellows

Williamsburg OddFellows noble grand Judy Simser (left) decorates Jim McMillan with his 50-year jewel while Ron McIntosh receives his 50-year jewel from vice-grand Lyle Hess. The presentations were made at the Mon., April 23 meeting of the Williamsburg OddFellows Lodge 349. Press Photo — Duncan



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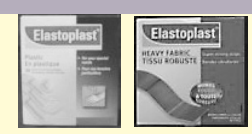

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