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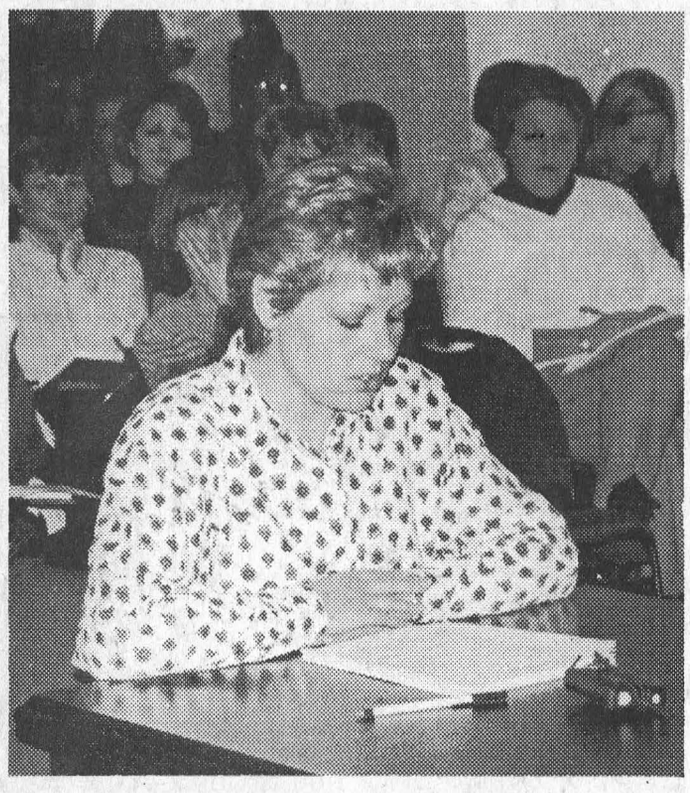

Case for Kindergarten

St. Mary's School Council chair Joy Harbers presents the case for full time senior kindergarten to the Catholic District School Board of Eastern Ontario. Hers was among 12 presentations arguing against cuts to the program. Held at the Kemptville Board office last Tuesday, the meeting would be followed by a meeting last night organizing a lobby group to Toronto.

Kindergarten cuts to stay

Group goes to Toronto "hat in hand"

by Catherine Thompson
Leader staff

KEMPTVILLE—School council representatives backed by over 70 parents pleaded in vain with the Catholic District Board of Eastern Ontario not to cut senior kindergarten at a meeting here last Tuesday.

Parent representatives made eloquent pleas not to cut early childhood education and to examine other areas for financial savings. Joy Harbers, chair of the School Council at St. Mary's School in Morrisburg said cutting senior kindergarten may impact on numbers in senior kindergarten and affect enrollment in both St. Mary's and the sister school, St. Cecilia's in Iroquois.

"One of our many fears at St. Mary School is the possibility of our school closing if we cannot maintain a significant enrollment. This not only affects our school, but also our sister school in Iroquois, as our children continue their education at grade 5 through to grade 8 at St. Cecilia."

Harbers said the interests of the children are well served in the two existing schools. "Twinning of these schools, combining the enrollment into one location or at worst closing them, are consequences of lower enrollment we are extremely concerned about."

Harbers noted the full time Senior Kindergarten program showed parents in the community and in the region the Catholic Board "believed in the importance and benefits of early childhood education."

In turn, this testament to commitment "enticed parents to enroll because it allowed Catholic families joining our school to benefit from a quality education integrating our Catholic faith.."

Some representatives said there could be adverse effects on continuity in the French immersion program, and noted the possibility of losing students to schools in the French Catholic Board or Public Board where full time kindergarten is offered.

Some noted the cuts would harm the children's chance of improving Grade 3 provincial test scores. Others noted the value of early childhood education on a child's development and his or her later success in school.

However, the delegations were disappointed by the Board's decision not to rescind its earlier motion. Cornwall trustee Ron Eamer's motion to rescind, supported by Stormont Dundas trustee Denis Sabourin and Charles Adams was tied at three votes and defeated.

While agreeing with parents on the value of early childhood education, chair Nancy Kirby said the Board had to reduce a $2 million deficit. "If the ministry doesn't fund the program we can't afford it," she said.

But Eamer pointed to expenditures of $2 to $3 million for the new board office in Kemptville "when we already had two good buildings" and several millions spent on a new school there for secondary students.

The Board's communications committee was to hold a meeting Tuesday to set up a political action committee and several school council chairs planned to attend. The committee would decide which groups and how many representatives among parents, principals and trustees would be invited to join.

A combined force may be going to Toronto to lobby the Ministry of Education for additional funds for kindergarten. "If the Board is with us on this, that will make it more powerful," said Harbers.

On January 18th, trustees passed motions aimed at eliminating the deficit by September 2000. One was to cut full time senior kindergarten to full days on alternate days, as junior kindergarten is currently offered.

They also agreed to open negotiations with the Teachers Union OECTA to discuss the reduction in preparation time, especially at the elementary level. The pupil teacher ratio across the Board should be kept at 25:1 at the elementary level, and 22: 1 at the secondary level.

Another motion was to look at transportation policies with a view to setting staggered school hours, eliminating late buses and sharing routes.

South Stormont Chamber a reality

by Catherine Thompson
Leader staff

INGLESIDE—The South Stormont Chamber of Commerce has moved from the concept stage to a reality.

An organizational meeting was held here last month, with a turnout of 12 to 15 interested businesses. Spokesperson Deenah Kelly said a second meeting will be held when, "we'll do an overview of what the Chamber will do for members. We'll let people know why they should joining, tell them the benefits, discuss fee schedules, and talk about a membership drive."

Also on the agenda are nominations for the executive committee, so that an executive will be in place by April.

The newly formed South Stormont Chamber of Commerce will be working with the Township on an upcoming home and trade show set for the last weekend in April at the Long Sault Arena.

"This is a good outlet for local businesses to get exposure," said Kelly. "Then depending on how it goes, we'll look at taking it on next year." The Township is currently hosting the trade show with the help of the Millennium Committee, spearheaded by Carson Elliott.

"We're excited by the amount of support from the South Dundas Chamber of Commerce," said Kelly. "We're encouraged by the success of neighbouring chambers of commerce and look forward to sharing resources and drawing on their experiences to ensure the success of this exciting new development. I anticipate valuable partnerships with municipal government and other community leaders to be established with the creation of the South Dundas Chamber."

Those interested in this exciting initiative are encouraged and most welcome to attend the next meeting on February 15, Lancer Community Center, Ingleside at 7 p.m.

Positions slashed

Organizational change at parks

by Catherine Thompson
Leader staff

MORRISBURG—In preparation for the upcoming season, the St. Lawrence Parks Commission has announced organizational changes to take effect as of February 8.

During this organizational change which takes place across the Commission, 38 positions are being declared surplus and 24 new positions are being created. Staff declared surplus will have the opportunity to bid on the new positions. The net change will the loss of 14 positions.

General manager Mike Paradis said the changes include a reorganization of corporate services structure and revisions to staffing at the parks, Upper Canada Village and Fort Henry. Organizational changes will result in expenditure reductions of up to $500,000.

"There will be reductions in the corporate services unit, finance, planning, and administration, product development, marketing and human resources. There will also be changes at Upper Canada Village, the Parks and Recreation program, and one staff change at Fort Henry affecting a student position. Students are part of the organizational adjustments," said Paradis.

"The corporate service unit will combine to one unit for all. Financing, marketing, human resources will become one corporate services unit," said Paradis.

Paradis said there will be new positions available within the corporate services unit, in the customer services office, administration, financial services component, human resources and marketing. New seasonal positions will also be available to bid on.

"Our intent is to ensure the corporate services and administration overhead of the St. Lawrence Parks Commission is run as efficiently and as economically as possible. This is to ensure any available resources we have will have will go to provide quality front end programming and operations in all divisions."

The Parks news release also states the reorganization is to "ensure delivery of programming within the parks and attractions is affordable and less vulnerable to unforeseen shortfalls in on-site revenues."

"The main thrust of the organizational change is to provide front line service and quality programming for the customer," he added. "And we have asked the provincial government for money to do that. We feel optimistic, being part of the Ministry of Tourism and the St. Lawrence Parks Commission is a good part of it."

Paradis explained some positions affected were full time classified positions in the public service. Some of the new positions will be part time classified. While the type of work is similar in many cases, the amount of time worked will vary, with a variance of approximately 10 to 20 per cent less time worked. If they take new positions, affected staff will retain benefits and seniority according to their union agreement.

The Commission has developed a human resources strategy to reduce the impact on employees declared surplus. The strategy includes opportunities for early retirement, opportunities to compete for alternate positions, and a benefits package for those deciding to leave.

"Everything is done according to the collective agreement and all has to be done in accordance with the regulations of the Public Service Act, "said Paradis.

Paradis said some seasonal staff may elect to leave, or may be eligible for severance, depending on the length of employment and

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Double Fatality on County Rd. 31

WINCHESTER—Two area women are dead following a head-on collision on County Road 31 north of Winchester, Sunday.

Suzie Cote, age 34, the driver of a Chev station wagon, was pronounced dead at the scene, and Lorna Barkley, the driver of a GM van, died later in hospital.

Lynzee Cote, age three, a passenger in the station wagon driven by her mother, and John Barkley, age 57, a passenger in the van were treated at Ottawa hospitals for minor injuries.

Paramedic crews from Winchester, Finch and Embrun arrived shortly after 4:30 p.m. at the scene. It took approximately one hour to free Barkley from the van and airlift her to the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

O.P.P. reported that the Cote vehicle was northbound on County Road 31 and was passing another vehicle, which had been slowing in the north bound lane, when the head-on collision with the Barkley vehicle occurred.

"Scenes like this one are very difficult on paramedics. It's very upsetting to have to witness these terrible situations. Our thoughts are with the survivors and their families," said Paul Morneau, a paramedic and Public Information Officer for Rural/Metro Ambulance.



A $$$ Donation

Bruce Wells, left, representing the Brewers Recreation Association, presents a cheque for $150 to Bill Sheldrick for the Morrisburg Scouting groups. The proceeds are from the association's Nevada ticket sales, located at Guy and Gayle Hart's Break Away Diner in Morrisburg. "This is really nice," said Sheldrick as he accepted the cheque. "Anything is good when you are raising money for kids." Sheldrick says the Scouts can put the money towards two big trips they have planned, the first to the American jamboree in Pennsylvania this October, and the next to Prince Edward Island for the Canadian Jamboree in 2001. The Brewers Association originated in Ingleside, and along with a hockey club it involves many activities and fund raising events. McNairn photo

Tech could be funded by $1 million surplus

by Catherine Thompson
Leader staff

BROCKVILLE—The Upper Canada School Board Program and Education Cmmittee has tabled a recommendation on the Design Technology Program until its next meeting March 1 at 7 p.m.

The Board's staff recommended resources currently used to support elementary design and technology and family studies program be redirected in support of required programs.

The trustees voted five in favor and one opposed to table the Board's staff recommendation to redirect resources currently used for these programs to required programs.

Trustees tabled the motion in order to hear from a school principal where the program has been eliminated, and the new science technology curriculum is being taught. Trustee June Timmons also requested a breakdown of costs of the program where it is being offered in schools on an individual basis.

The Board heard three presentations from school councils asking to reconsider the recommendation including Isobel Tuttle, the chair of the Iroquois Public School Council, and representatives of Central Public in Cornwall and Chimo Elementary School in Smiths Falls.

Eleanor Newman, Superintendent of Education explained curriculum policy set by the provincial government for all Ontario elementary schools is intended to be the same province-wide.

"There is no curriculum for Family Studies and no expectations referring to things formerly called Home Economics or Shop," said Newman.

Grade seven and eight students are required to meet 276 required expectations organized into five strands in each grade. Only one grade seven strand has a design technology component and it can be met in a regular classroom setting.

She also noted all but a few boards have implemented the new Ontario Science and Technology curriculum and do so within the regular classroom, and boards with design tech centers are abandoning shop tools for computer technology.

The technology course will still be available in the schools, starting at the Grade Nine level, to give all students a level playing field in technology. Later it is offered in Grade 10, 11 and 12 in the school to work initiative.

Costs of Design Tech across the Board include salaries of 3.93 teachers at $240,000, bus transportation fro students at $22,500, staff travel $3,500, facilities maintenance at $80,000 and the cost of materials and supplies from school budgets. The Iroquois program is estimated at approximately $30,000, to provide for the salary of a half time teacher.

178 petition responses

Tuttle presented a petition with 172 responses in favour of retaining the program, and only six opposed. Names included families of Iroquois Public students and the feeder school Morrisburg Public. In addition to Design, Tech and Family Studies, the Grades 7 and 8 also study music at Seaway High School.

"There's no bussing involved. If the Design Tech program is taken away, there will be nothing to replace it, just the watered down version of Design and Tech for our kids to enjoy," said Tuttle.

Tuttle suggested that if the program is taken, other major programs could be taken away, such as radio communications at Seaway High School, removing some of the community's uniqueness.

Trustee Joe Gunn agreed with this view. "There are good things in the community. We're not all alike we're different, there are differences in regions." He also suggested some of a $1 million surplus could be directed towards funding the program.

Other trustees like Timmons said they valued the importance of the program but questioned the funding of a program which was not required.

"At Central Public School, I found it cool, absolutely essential," student Trustee Katie Fugler enthused, citing the Board's mission statement on "fostering lifelong learning for all through creative and challenging learning experiences."

Since the committee meeting, Board chair Art Buckland has stated the administration will look within its $252 million budget to see if money can be found to continue the program, which is not funded by the province.

The Design Tech issue was discussed at a meeting of the Dundas Association of School Councils last week. Maple Ridge and Nationview offer the Design Technology Program in their own specially equipped classrooms, but both schools have discontinued Family Studies.

Iroquois Public School Council is encouraging Nationview and Maple Ridge to send home similar letters asking for support of the program. They are considering other measures to get their point across such as bringing a representative who benefitted from the program to the Board's next Program and Committee meeting.

The Dundas Association of School Councils will be meeting again on February 17, at Nationview Public School to discuss the matter further and decide on a course of action. Other schools in Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry which have the program will be invited to the meeting.

NOTICE

Due to a death in the immediate family, the **Sweetheart Dance** at Dixons Corners, benefiting CHEO and hosted by **Steven Barkley,** has been cancelled. If you purchased tickets and want your money back, please return to your place of purchase and your money will be refunded. ***Please claim your refund before Feb. 19, 2000***. Any money not refunded will be forwarded to CHEO in memory of Lorna Jean Barkley.

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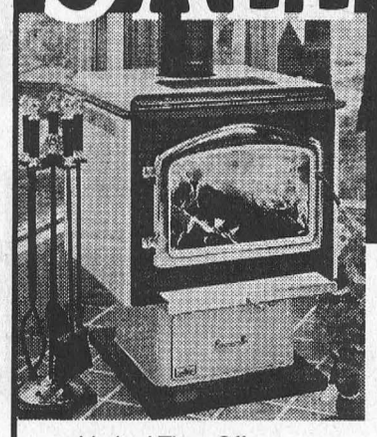

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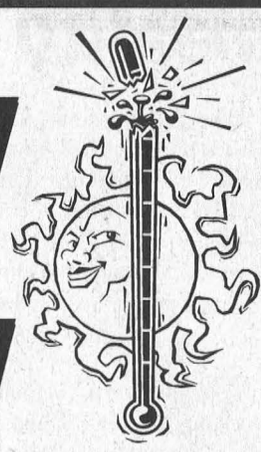

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Hostage incident a test for emergency response team

ELMA—They had all the explosive elements. An estranged husband, who had recently lost his job, and his wife who was having an affair.

That was the situation here last Tuesday during a mock hostage situation staged by the OPP to enable members of this area's Emergency Response Team (ERT) to participate in realistic training.

In total the OPP had 25 uniforms involved in the training session, and five volunteer actors. There were also three members of the Tactics and Rescue Unit (TRU) out of Belleville assisting.

The command centre was set up at the home of Bert Loucks, and the hostage scenario was carried out in a vacant building on his property.

The day's enactment was set up by Morrisburg OPP Constable John Hatch, who is an ERT member.

"Basically I have a script we are following," said Const. Hatch. "But the officers in the field are reacting to things as they happen."

Hatch explained the incident began with a 911 call from a female in distress. "She told 911 her estranged husband was in the house, breaking things and he had a knife," says Hatch. "The phone went dead during the call."

"We sent two officers in a cruiser, who, upon pulling into the driveway, heard gunshots. They got out quickly and ERT was called in."

A background check provided information that the husband had been arrested two weeks earlier after assaulting the wife.

The husband had recently lost his job, and had spent the evening drinking at a local bar. When the bar closed he had gone to a friend's home for more drinking, and at about 5:30 a.m. he had decided to visit his wife.

"When he pulled into the driveway there was another vehicle there," says Hatch. "So he learned of his wife's affair."

It is believed he stabbed the boyfriend while the wife was making the 911 call.

"ERT arrives on the scene knowing the situation," explained Hatch.

"Once there the first thing we do is containment," he said. "We make sure no one is able to leave the area, and no one is able to enter. Once this is done the negotiators try to make contact."

"We have 7 - 9 people on the ground around the house. Some are there to observe, and some are there to make the arrest or make contact with the suspect if he comes out."

"The whole idea is to talk him out."

At the command centre there are five negotiators and two scribes who write everything down, both for information and for legal reasons. An incident commander calls the shots.

They are housed in a recently acquired 33.5 foot trailer specially adapted to the OPP's needs.

Morrisburg OPP Constable Jules Morier, an ERT member, manned the radio contact with the field officers.

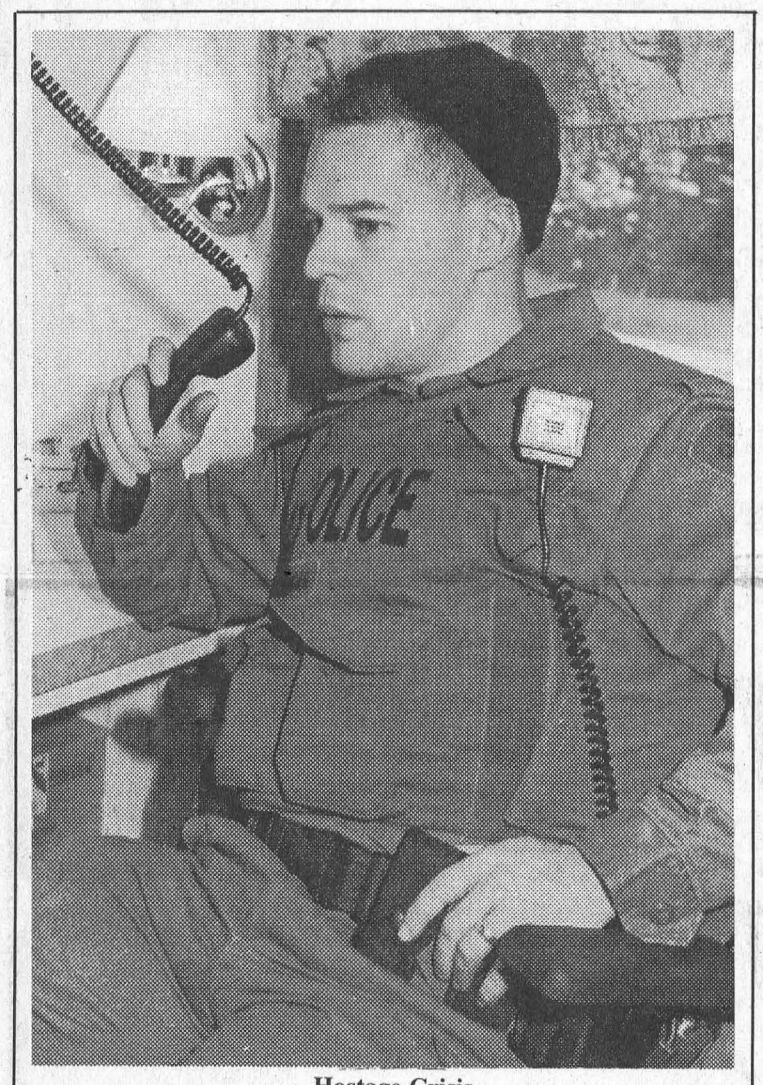
Monday's mock incident ended peacefully with the surrender and the arrest of the suspect.

That was followed by a debriefing where, "we'll determine who did what, what worked and what didn't," said Hatch. "We'll look at the whole scenario."

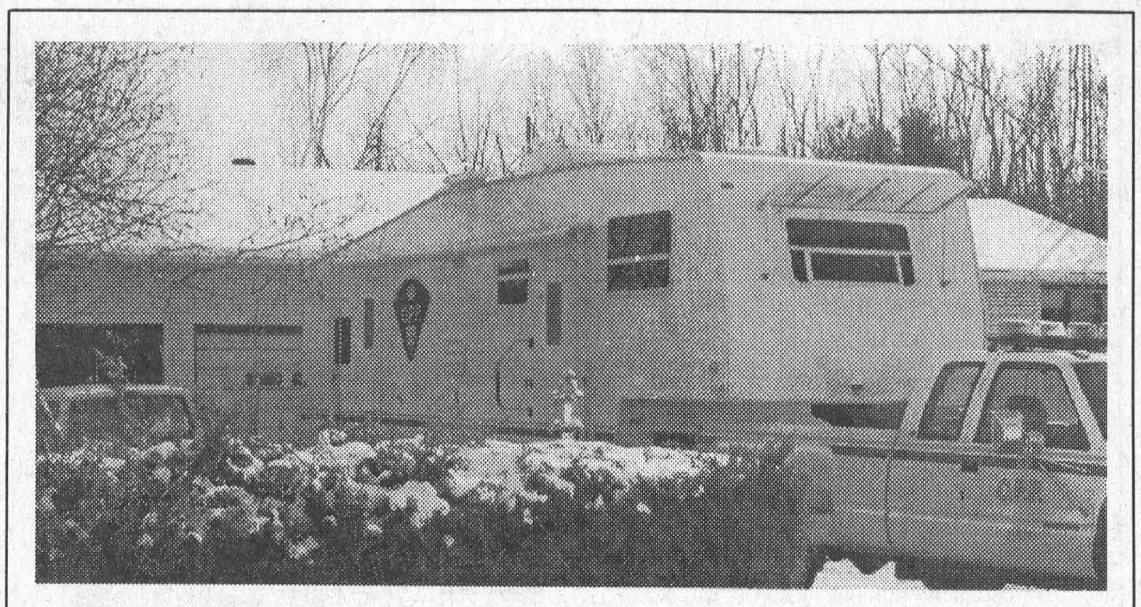
Hatch says he's been a member of ERT for three years. "I have yet to be involved in a winter incident," he said. "Most occur in the summer. It would be usual for us to have one or two a year in our area."

There are three ERT teams to cover the eastern region of Ontario, one here, one in Perth and one in Belleville.

Each consists of 16 OPP volunteer officers who meet specific criteria and are spread out in different area detachments. They receive specific training to prepare them for search and rescue operations, crowd management, VIP security and the containment of situations such as Tuesday's hostage situation.



Hostage Crisis
Morrisburg OPP Constable, Jules Morier, is in radio contact with members of the Emergency Response Team, who are in the field during Monday's mock hostage situation at Elma. McNairn photo



The OPP mobile command centre features everything the Emergency Response team needs to carry out its duties while in the field.

OPP mobile unit a valuable investment

ELMA—Last Tuesday's mock hostage situation here allowed the OPP's area Emergency Response Team (ERT) to try out its Mobile Response Unit.

The recently acquired 33.5 foot trailer, specially adapted to the OPP's needs, cost $120,000, not including the cost of the truck to haul it.

It is divided into three areas. In the front is an area for ERT team members who are in radio contact with officers in the field. The negotiators are housed in the back, and the Commander is in the centre where he can receive information from either group.

The OPP now have five of these trailers in use in the province, explained Communications Sergeant Jack Picknell, one of two officers in this area trained to operate the unit.

"It is equipped with two 50 pound propane tanks for heat, and there are two spare tanks in the truck," he said. "It runs on electricity, and requires 3 kilowatts when everything is in use. We have a permanently mounted 10 kilowatt generator."

Hookups can be made to phone lines if possible, but if not they can be run off satellite.

"We have a 40 foot antennae that can be set up if needed," he said. "If we were in a dead zone we have another portable antennae that can be set up away from the unit."

The trailer has washroom and kitchen facilities, which "is good especially if we were in a remote area like Algonquin Park," he said. "This way the officers don't have to leave the area. There is no down time. Everything we need is situated right here."

No matter where the command centre is parked, in Perth or Ottawa, the furthest call would require a maximum of three hours for complete setup.

"I was an hour getting here this morning," said Picknell. "Once on site it takes five minutes to set up so they can start work, and within 45 minutes I can have it fully set up."

The command centre will be used, not just at crime scenes, but at search and rescue sights, and for various community events such as the Highland Games. "Basically we can use it anywhere that we have a concentration of officers," said Picknell.

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From coast to coast, North to South, Canada experienced extreme weather in almost every corner of the country over the last 100 years. Weather touched the lives of everyone who lived during the past century in some way, influencing what we wore each day, where we traveled or even how we earned a living.

To commemorate Canada's most significant weather events of the 20th century, Environment Canada is asking Canadians to vote for their top choices from a chronological list on the Internet. David Phillips, with Environment Canada says over 1800 people have already voted and polls are officially open to February 11, but votes may be accepted on computer up to and including February 13. Those without access may vote at their local library or school with CAP access.

Selecting Canada's top weather events in the 20th century is a difficult job. Some factors that you should consider in voting for the top three meteorological moments include: the devastating impact upon life, property and the economy; stories to be remembered and lessons learned, in other words the historical significance; awesome strength or intensity of the phenomenon; and the uniqueness of the event.

The weather brought tragedy for some. . the loss of a home or a loved one. For others, it was cause for celebration, contributing to a more bountiful harvest or a prolonged fishing season. And as the country progressed, new technologies were introduced which brought more accurate weather predictions, better tracking systems and faster communications. Countless lives, homes and businesses were saved nationwide thanks to the many advances in the area of weather technology.

For some, perhaps those in Eastern Canada who lived through January 4 to 9, the "Ice Storm of the Century"would be dubbed the most significant event. This was one of the most destructive and disruptive storms in Canadian history causing hardship for four million people and costing $3 billion. Losses included millions of trees, 130 transmission towers and 120,000 power and telephone lines, and power outages lasted from several hours to four weeks.

For others who lived through the 1930's, it would be the Dustbowl Era between 1933 and 1937, when the Prairies experienced only 60 per cent of its normal rainfall. Thousands of livestock were lost to starvation and suffocation, crops withered and 250,000 people across the region abandoned their land to seek better lives elsewhere.

Other may name the world's worst iceberg accident on April 14, 1912, when the "unsinkable Titanic" collided with an iceberg 700 km southeast of Newfoundland, causing the death of 1,500 people. Still others may name Montreal's worst snowstorm on March 4, 1971, which dumped 47 cm of snow on the city with winds of 110 km per hour producing second-storey drifts, and killing 17 people.

Just visit Environment Canada's Green Lane Web Site, http://www.ec.gc.ca/envhome.html for the chronological list of notable weather events and cast your vote for the ones you feel had the bigget impact on our country and its citizens. The results will be released late February.



1979 Winchester League Broomball Playoff Champs

Back row (l-r): Hugh Garlough; Brent McIntosh; Ralph Duvall; Tom Dawley; Jack Barkley. Front row (l-r): Don Mabo; Russell Garlough; Ronnie Whitteker; Lyn Whitteker; Kevin Duvall.

The Leader's Blast from the Past

Compiled from The Leader's files by Bonnie McNairn



1990

Headlines on the front page of the February 7, issue read 'Morrisburg Public is No. 1 on list of board priorities'. It was planned to convert an existing general purpose room to three classrooms, and to construct a new library and resource centre, a new general purpose room and two additional classrooms. Thus a total of five classrooms would replace four existing portables. The estimated expansion cost was $728,624. Morrisburg Public was 20 per cent undersized for the number of students.

The four local municipalities had agreed to apply for a joint in-depth recreation study grant. A survey of recreational uses, facilities, and needs showed it would be beneficial for the four communities to work together.

Pictured on the front sports page was Sam Moss, who on behalf of the Chubbs Oldtimer Hockey Club, presented the Joe Billings Memorial trophy to Rowena Rams' goaltender Mark Goupil following the annual tournament played at the Morrisburg Arena.

The junior rink of Ian Wilson, Jason Ball, Nikil Chande and Eddie Morrell qualified for the Canadian Branch Junior Curling Championship later in February.

The newly formed arena committee consisting of Lauren Locke, Cheryl Hess, Keith Robinson, Dave Harwood and Peter McCooeye was planning an East VS West hockey game to raise money for a much needed new Zamboni. The dividing line for players on the two teams was Ottawa Street.

Dr. Gerry Rosenquist, Pat Hare, Mahlon Locke and Anita Cooper won the Morrisburg Curling Club's Groundhog Bonspiel.

1980

Pictured on the front page of the February 6 issue was the home of Orval Duval of Mariatown, which was totally destroyed by fire. The cause of the blaze was unknown, and no injuries were reported.

Claira Karelse was named Queen of Seaway District High School Winter Carnival following a presentation to judges and the school body. Claira had been crowned Queen of the Matilda Township Winter Carnival just two weeks earlier.

For a two page feature on the attempted St. Lawrence River leap by Ken Powers, The Leader won the award for the Best Photo Layout, in the Ontario Weekly Newspaper Association annual competition.

Fred W. Lloyd, clerk-treasurer for the Village of Iroquois for 19 years was retiring due to declining health

A feature story gave the history of the Christian Reformed Church at Williamsburg. Worship services began in Williamsburg in 1951. In April 1952, a petition to organize was sent to Hamilton, to which this area belonged. On June 8 1952, Home Missionary Rev. H. Smit ordained the first office bearers, which marked the official beginning of the Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church. In October 1953, the congregation approved the proposal for a church building, and many hours of free and loving labor resulted in its completion at a cost of $17,700. In July 1955 Mr. C. Tuininga was called to be the first minister. When he arrived there were 49 families and when he left in 1959 there were 68.

1970

Headlines in the February 6, issue read 'Young boy killed in area hunting accident'. David Tyo, 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Tyo, was accidentally shot and killed by a hunting companion in the bush near his home at Glen Becker.

A rink of Morrisburg students was awarded the coveted Davis Trophy for their win at the junior curling bonspiel in Utica, N.Y. Brent Eamon skipped the winning team, which included Sherry Cordon, Jeff MacDonald and Ann Bright.

The Morrisburg Combines were preparing to travel to Lake Placid in early February to compete in the Second Annual John F. Kennedy Memorial Tournament.

Morrisburg resident Brigadier S.M. Davis, Commandant of the National Defence College at Kingston, was promoted to the rank of Major-General. He had recently built a home in Mariatown. He was born in England, and joined the Royal Navy in 1940.

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Seen 'n heard Around The Town

Our bird feeders haven't had a lot of activity this winter, but it's been better these last few weeks thanks to the snow cover. While we have four regular Blue Jays, and a male and female Cardinal coming around daily, the most remarkable turnout comes from the Mourning Doves. Last week we counted 52 doves in the backyard, all at the same time.

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February is special! It's Valentine's Day and Heart and Stroke month. The Morrisburg Library is having a program for children ages 5 and up to celebrate Valentine's Day. Children will learn about "healthy hearts" from a friend from the Heart and Stroke Foundation on Saturday, February 12 at 10:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome. For more details call the Library at 543-3384.

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We have to count on event organizers or the public to let us know of photo opportunities so we'll mention we're a little disappointed that we weren't contacted to be at the arena Friday night. We understand a rare photo opportunity presented itself.

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Speaking of the arena the Morrisburg Junior B Lions are heading down the home stretch, and must win three of their next four games to guarantee fourth place and a playoff spot. They have been providing some really entertaining hockey of late so why not head on down to the arena this Sunday afternoon. The Akwesasne Wolves will be in town for a 2:15 game. Action between the Wolves and the Lions has been exciting and close all season, so you should be in for a good game. It would also be a good reason to change the old Sunday, "lay on the couch potato event".

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Also coming up this Sunday is the annual Snow Drags for CHEO put on by the Riverside Snowmobile Club at the Upper Canada air strip east of Morrisburg. Registration is from 8:30 - 10:30 a.m. and the drags take place at noon. You don't have to own a snowmobile to head on down to the airstrip and watch the action. For more information see the ads elsewhere in this issue of The Leader.

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Okay, all you guys out there, Monday is Valentine's Day. I found it interesting, and at the same time scary, when I read Rev. Duncan Perry's Column this week and he mentioned that Valentine's Day is believed to be the day birds start mating. I too looked it up in the dictionary and sure enough, the mating ritual was confirmed. I find that just a bit scary considering the number of mourning doves I have roosting in the back yard as I mentioned earlier in this column. On a more serious note, don't forget your loved one this Valentine's Day, and since it's the first of the new millennium, shouldn't it be something large ...and shiny ...and expensive ...and sparkling ...and glittering ...and not fattening ...and

The Leader's

Blast from the Past

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1960

It was reported in the February 5, 1960 issue the new Post Office at Morrisburg was officially opened to the public. The staff had remained unchanged, but there was plenty of room at the rear of the office for a much larger group if it became necessary.

The Morrisburg Juveniles had finished first in their division with an undefeated schedule. During the six game schedule, Bill Duvall registered two shutouts. Some of the players included Rowdy Gillard, Wayne Disheau, Ron Casselman, Brian VanAllen, Gary Strader, Don Duval and Ted Smith.

Morrisburg Council was in the process of renaming Main Street to Lakeshore Drive, to coincide with plans of the Department of Highways for the western part of old No. 2 Highway.

1950

The February 10, 1950 issue reported the Morrisburg Fish and Game Protective Association had gone on record as favoring an amendment to the Ontario Statutes to allow hunting on Sunday. The local association took the position that in as much as fishing, golf, tennis and other sports were allowed on the Sabbath, the province was unjustly discriminating against the hunters.

The 25th anniversary of the affiliation and founding of Waterloo College was celebrated in a special Convocation at which Rev. C. Hugh Whitteker of Bridgewater, N.S. was presented the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity. A native of Williamsburg, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitteker and was ordained in 1926.

1940

Pictured on the front page of the February 6 issue was Dr. Mahlon W. Locke who was preparing to celebrate his 60th birthday on February 14.

John H. Meikle was elected chairman of the local Board of Education. At the meeting Harry Ulman, was re-engaged s Collegiate caretaker at $60 a month, and Will Hummell as Public School caretaker at $36 a month.

1930

The February 7, issue reported Dr. C.J. Hamilton had addressed the Counties Council regarding the tubercular patients of the area. Dr. Hamilton asked Council to consider the erection of a building to accommodate such patients, in order to combat the spread of the dreadful disease.

Larry Black was inviting the public to purchase a share of their meat from him, in the old stand of W.C. Coir, which he had recently purchased.

The Williamsburg Hockey Club and Morrisburg Juniors had met twice this year, each club picking up a win. Owing to the inability of the Morrisburg team to raise funds to pay the Williamsburg expense ($3.50) the rubber match had not been played.

Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor

On behalf of the Victorian Order of Nurses (VON) Eastern Counties Branch, I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to Seaway Valley Pharmacy for allowing us to host a blood pressure clinic at their store during VON week on January 26.

Their cooperation in this project is a wonderful example of business and charitable agencies working together for the benefit of a community.

Sincerely
PEGGY LAVIGNE, RN, BScN
Program Development

Dear Editor—On behalf of the Heart and Sroke Foundation of Ontario, and in particular, the Dundas Chapter, I would like to thank you most sincerely again this year, for kindly providing the Heart and Stroke insert and other related articles in the Morrisburg Leader.

This insert promotes Heart Month and helps us immeasurably to publicize the work done by the Foundation in attempting to defeat Canada's # one killer. We very much apprectiate the additional workload this generates for your newspaper and we, therefore, thank not only you but also thank Catherine Thompson for her fine reporting and great assistance.

Once again, many thanks for your participation.

Yours truly,
Steve Thompson
Heart and Stroke Foundation

Commission cuts

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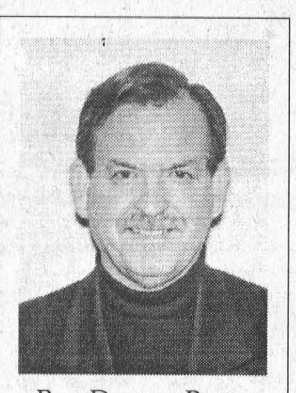
notice period.

"This is not an easy time for staff and not something we wish to go through," said Paradis adding the commission is prepared "to do whatever we can to help make the transition easier."

All staff was advised of reductions in the divisions and new positions Tuesday. The Commission has contracted St. Lawrence College, Brockville and Cornwall campuses, to provide counselling and job search services at both Brockville and Cornwall campuses.

Love Never Fails

From A Biblical Perspective



Rev. Duncan Perry

Well here we are into February already and since this is the last column before the 14th I thought I'd write about love. Valentine's Day, the dictionary tells us, is a day when sentimental letters or greeting cards are sent to someone of the opposite sex. I've participated in this annual ritual since I was a youngster in grade school. Back then, if I remember correctly, there were many valentines to be given. Nowadays and for the past thirty plus years I've given far less than that. I found the person I wanted to be my Valentine in 1965. On Valentine's Day 1966 I asked her to be my wife, she agreed and now I only have one Valentine to buy, of course that one cost more than the many of years ago.

Down through the years I've wondered why Valentine's Day and why February 14th as the day set aside to celebrate it. I finally came across what may be a possible answer. I've learnt that February 14th is believed to be the day that birds start mating. Leave it up to man to take something special to something else and use it for his benefit. Hey guys do you think a woman started this, just kidding ladies. On a more serious note it is believed that Valentine's day is celebrated on February 14th because that was the day St. Valentine, Bishop of Terni in Umbria was martyred in the year 273.

I enjoy days that are set aside as special. These days give us an opportunity to stop and evaluate different aspects of our lives. Valentine's Day gives me an opportunity to reflect on the commitment I made to the woman I love. Thirty three years ago I asked her to be a most important part of my life and occasionally I need to check and see if I am as loving to her as I wanted her to believe I was back then. She has been faithful to me through some tough times. She has stood with me through thick and thin. She has loved when I wasn't always lovable. I honor her for her commitment.

Valentine's Day is a good day to remember your love and commitment to the one you love. Maybe your relationship with your spouse has become to much taken for granted. Why not do a quick evaluation. When was the last time you told your special person that you loved them and really said it in a way that they knew you meant it? When was the last time you bought your spouse flowers or candy (men like these things to ladies)? When was the last time you set aside a special evening for a nice quiet diner with no interruptions of phones or television or children, just the two of you?

I want to finish with one final thought. Love is something very special! What we often hear people call love is really not love at all! The Bible tells us what love is. In 1 Corinthians 13 we read "love is patient, love is kind, it does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud, it is not rude, it is not self seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil, but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always preserves. Love never fails". Maybe someone who is reading this needs to evaluate your relationship with your spouse in light of this. Let me encourage you to do so. It's never to late to begin again. Tell that special someone you love them and show them in a tangible way that you mean it. Remember, God Loves you!

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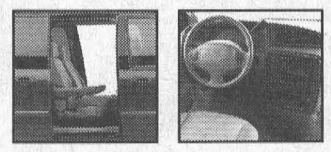
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Obituaries

Rick Boisclair passes in hospital

A lifetime resident of the Iroquois area, Rick Boisclair, of R.R.# 2 Brinston, died at the Winchester Hospital on Sunday, January 30, after a lengthy illness. He was 68 years of age.

Born January 6, 1932, at Iroquois, he was the son of the late Joseph Boisclair and the former Francis Davy.

Rick worked for many years as a farm labourer before going to work at the Red and White grocery store in Iroquois. Most people will remember Rick for his teasing nature. Whether a person needed a grocery carry-out or just a pick-me-up, Rick was there.

He was not only a gift to his family, but to everyone he met. It is hard to find words to adequately describe who he was and what he meant to his family. Within the family and beyond, the description that probably described him best was "Rick was just Rick" and that was enough. He was a member of the United Church.

He will be sadly missed by his brother Bob (Wendy) of Athens, his sisters Etta Levere of Ventnor, and Norma (Mallory) Shaver of R.R.#2 Brinston, and by nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews, and Aunt Peg of Kentucky. He was predeceased by his companion Pauline Millward.

Friends called at the Marsden McLaughlin Funeral Home, Iroquois on Tuesday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. The funeral took place at the Funeral Home on Wednesday, February 2, at 11 a.m. with Rev. Doug Carnegie officiating. A spring interment will be held at the Iroquois point Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Dale Shaver, Garry Shaver, Lyle Levere, Ronnie Hodgson, John Tuttle, Acil Markell Jr. and the Honorary Pallbearer was Lorne Strader.

Donations to the Diabetes Association would be appreciated by the family.

Lauretta Smith

A resident of the Long Sault Villa for the past seven years, and formerly of Morris Glen Court, Morrisburg, Lauretta Smith passed away at the Woodland Villa Nursing Home, Long Sault on Tuesday, February 1, 2000, after a two year illness. The former employee of Caldwell Linen Mill was 76 years of age.

Born November 31, 1923, at Dunvegan, she was the daughter of the late Thomas Sauve, and the former Adeline Lascelle.

Lauretta was born and raised in the Vankleek Hill area. She moved to the Morrisburg area with her family in 1965. Her first husband was Joseph Dufresne, who predeceased her and she then married Gordon Smith, who also predeceased her.

Lauretta will be sadly missed by her two sons Brian (Edna) Dufresne of R.R.#2 Ingleside, and Peter (Cathy) of R.R.#4 Prescott, her daughters Bev (Howard) Beckstead of Ottawa, and Linda Dufresne (Gordon) MacDonald of Chesterville, by her grandchildren Kevin, Christine, Tammy, Gloria, Amber, Jeremiah, Amanda, Jason, Joey, Holli, and Joshua, and by great-grandchildren Joel, Trinity, Cameron, Nikita and Tyler.

She was predeceased by a brother Peter Sauve, by grandchildren, Lauretta and Wendy Beckstead, and great-grandchildren Lacey Vezina, and Jacob Markell.

Friends called at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home, Williamsburg, on Thursday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. and Friday from 9-11 a.m. The funeral took place at the Funeral Home on Friday, February 4, at 11 a.m. with Father Robert Assaly officiating. A spring interment will be held at Greenwood Cemetery, Vankleek Hill.

Pallbearers were Joey Dufresne, Jason Lemay, Jeremiah Lemay, Joshua Dufresne, Kevin Beckstead, and Terry Vezina. Honorary pallbearers were Carl Sauve, Denzil Dillabough, Tony Heldens, and Allan McCaskill.

Donations to the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family.

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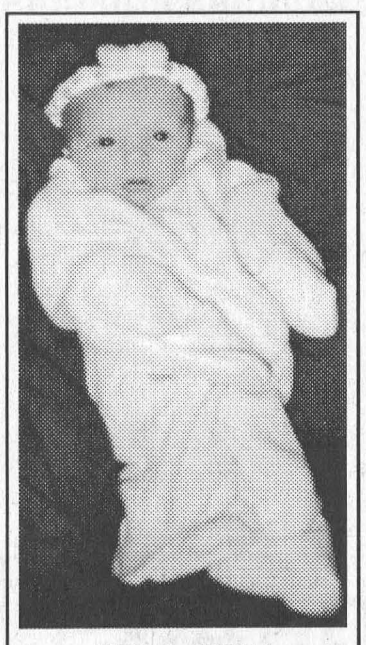

IT'S A GIRL!

MASON–*Wayne and Amy (nee Lynch) are thrilled to announce the arrival of their first baby, Madison Jane, 8 lbs. 1 oz., on January 15, 2000, at Dr. Everett Chalmers Hospital, Fredericton, N.B. Proud grandparents are Wayne & Debbie Lynch and Ray & Ellie Mason, and thrilled great-grandmother, Joyce Barclay of Morrisburg.*

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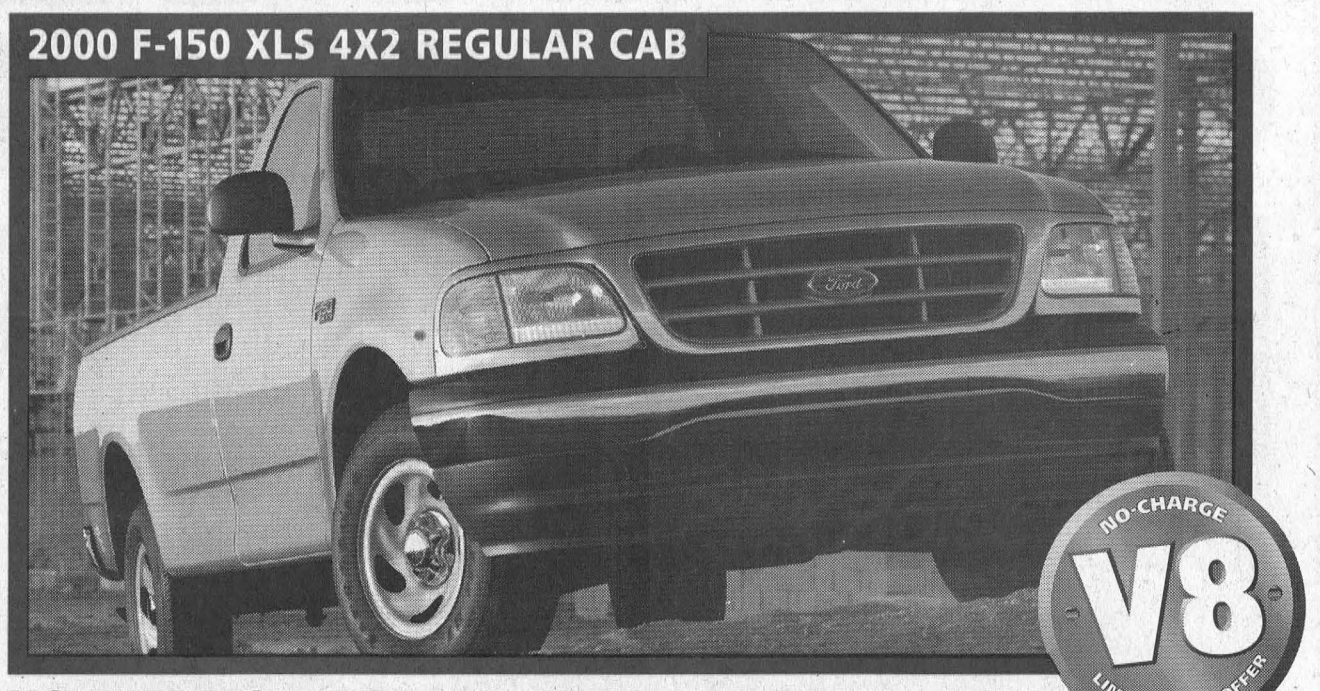

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Big tented circus comes to Ingleside

INGLESIDE—The St. Lawrence Stepping Stones 2000 Millennium Committee announced Tuesday that the Starr Bros. Circus will be coming to the Parks area immediately in front of the Ingleside Shopping Center in May.

The Starr Bros. Circus is a brand new concept in circus entertainment combined with the traditional three ring tented titans of yesteryear. The Giant Circus Tent which houses three rings will be erected Circus morning for two scheduled shows in the afternoon and evening.

The Starr Bros. Circus originates from their home in Venice, Florida and travels more than 35,000 miles each year visiting over 250 towns throughout Canada and the U.S. The circus is in fact the oldest form of entertainment in recorded history. The North American tented circus has traditionally been a favorite of both young and old for many generations. Before the advent of television, circuses provided a unique form of education and entertainment that made its visit to town a holiday.

Today with modern electronics dominating our lives, the public seldom experiences the traditional tented circus that brings an international cast of live circus superstars, that features fearless aerial and acrobatic performers, under the Big Top tent to audiences. This combined with the natural evolution of circuses will present a really futuristic show in South Stormont in May. It will be the performance to remember into the 21st century.

Starr Bros. Circus will allow you the opportunity to look back and relive a glorious page of the nations rich and colourful history along with a sneak preview into the new millennium of circus performances. As Starr Bros. puts it—"Every Child Deserves the Funb and Thrill of a Big Top CIrcus."

The St. Lawrence Stepping Stones 2000 Committee wants your child to share in this fun and thrill so "Come One, Come All" to this very special Millennium presentation.

Help workers quit

CORNWALL—Some local employees are not only trying to quit, their employers are actually cheering them on. Others are even rewarding them with cash and prizes. It's all part of a local workplace initiative to help smokers kick the habit.

Organized by the Eastern Ontario Health Unit, (EOHU), the effort is part of the Quit and Win 2000 Contest, which encourages smokers to stay smoke-free for at least one month. Successful participants and their supportive buddies are eligible for a range of prizes, including a Caribbean cruise.

"We spend most of our waking hours at work, so anything that helps someone remain smoke-free while at work, is a real boost. These employers are proving their commitment to healthy workplaces," says Tammy Simpson of EOHU.

Some employers, she says, have opted for a smoke-free day in support of the Quit and Win contest participants, and others are upping the contest prize, with incentives of their own, such as gift certificates and company jackets.

Studies show employees aren't the only ones who stand to win by becoming non-smokers. Smoke-free workplaces generally have to spend less on insurance, furniture replacement and maintenance, redecorating and absenteeism for ailments related to smoking.

Police File

THEFT OF SNOWMOBILE

• On February 2, police began an investigation into a theft which had occurred during the early evening in the Village of Winchester. Between 6:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m., a 1989 Polaris 500 snowmobile was taken off the front porch of a Main Street residence in the village. The vehicle was later recovered by police on the evening of February 3, where it was found parked in a cement culvert in the east end of town. Const. K. Heaphy is investigating this incident.

THEFT OF TRUCK

• On February 4, police received a report of a theft of a motor vehicle in North Dundas Township. Between January 30 and February 4, an entry was made into a storage shed at a property along County Road 31, where a 1986 GMC S15 pick up truck, white in colour, with a white cap, was stolen. This vehicle has not yet been recovered. Const. K. Brant is investigating.

TRAFFIC UPDATE

• Over the past week police investigated 11 motor vehicle collisions in Dundas County. Other investigations resulted in the issuing of two 12 hour driver's licence suspensions.

ALARMS

• In the past week police in Dundas County responded to 5 false alarms and 2 false 9-1-1 calls.

CRIME STOPPERS

• This week crime stoppers is asking for your help in solving a theft of a garden tractor from a North Dundas residence on Limerick Road. On Tuesday, January 25 between the hours of 8:45 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. person(s) entered a garage on Limerick Road and removed a 1996 Toro Wheel Horse Garden Tractor serial number NBR 2606111407 Red in colour with a 42 inch deck. Value $5,500 DLRS.

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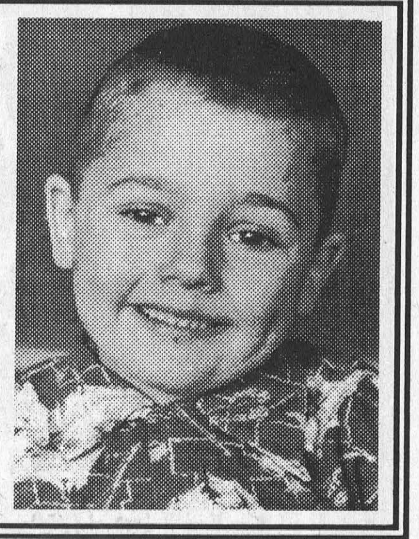

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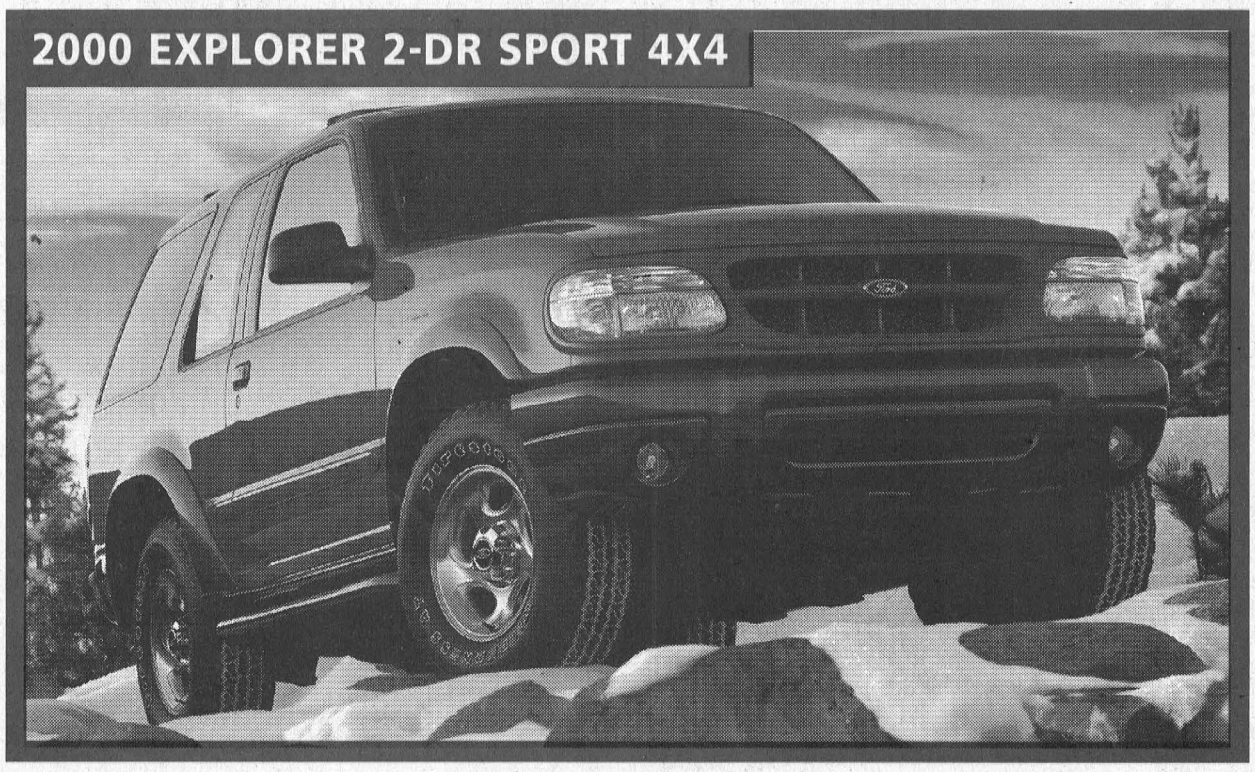

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Food Check-Out Day Feb. 7

by Gordon Garlough
OFA representative

WILLIAMSBURG—Canadian farmers should feel proud; Canadian consumers, including farmers have another reason to be thankful.

February 7 was the day when the average Canadian family will have earned enough income to pay their family food bill for the year! Food Check-Out Day comes to Canada sooner than anywhere else in the world. That's because Canadians spend the lowest percentage of their income on food of any country in the world.

Just compare the figures! Canadians spend 9.8 per cent of income on food (USA—10.9; UK,11.5; France 15.2; and Japan 17.8).

If you belong to a farming family you need to know this date and what it means. And don't hesitate to tell your non-farm acquaintances how good they have it!

Canadians have the most wholesome and nutritious food supply in the world and they pay the lowest price.

It is important to remember and be proudd. It is also important when the topic of aid to struggling Canadian farm families comes up (current situation is especially serious in Saskatchewan and Manitoba).

Consumers can well afford a few extra dollars (in their tax paid) to help those farmers weather their current hardship. The "no more money" answer of VanClief, Martin and Chretien are but lame excuses in light of what farmers have done and are doing for Canada.

Drainage Review

January 27 saw the Galt-Barrett roadshow visit Chesterville to "hear" citizen ideas on the topic of "intensive livestock production". The resulting report will go to Minister Hardeman in late March. That report will, in theory, be the basis of the rules that the government will impose on livestock producers in Ontario later this year in regard to herd size, manure storage and manure use.

Already the government has announced that it is also going to "review" the Drainage Act, the Tile Drainage Act and the Tile Drainage Installations Act. They will be looking for inputs from farmers and municipalities, just as they have done with the "intensive farms" issue.

About 30 years ago I remember a prominent case in our county where shoddy construction of a drain resulted in the collapse of a portion of that drain and a huge repair cost. The farm owner was unable to take the contractor and engineer to legal proceedings and get some financial reimbursement. Without the Drainage Act, it would be almost impossible to get financial redress in the case where the job is not up to acceptable standards.

The three drainage related Acts are all essential to protect both farmer and municipality in matters relating drainage and tile drainage installations.

If the government is true to the pattern that it has established since 1996 they will be looking to make "improvements" that will dump responsiblities on contractors, municipalities and farmers. If that were to happen, only the Treasurer of Ontario and the legal profession would benefit.

When and if Ernie Hardeman announces a drainage "consultation" try to keep up to date on what changes the government seems to be leaning towards!

Loss of OMAFRA offices

OFA president Wilkinson and four members of the OFA executive met with Minister Ernie Hardeman on January 24. Hardeman refused to budge on the government's "shut it all down" attitude. Hardeman did agree to meet with farmers to "discuss gaps in service" caused by the OMAFRA closures.

The situation is like a crop farmer who looked at his production income for crop year. The bottom line was only a few dollars of earned income per acre. How could he improve for the coming year?

After making some calculations, he could see that cutting fertilizer use in half and using the lowest cost herbicides on the market would, in theory, produce a $40 per acre per year saving. The result was a loss in productivity and in crop quality; income figures moved into the red zone! The concept that rural Ontario will simply keep producing, producing, producing. . without guidance and sound policy inputs is short sighted, maybe even blind.

The back room bureaucrats in the Premier's office will not feel the losses associated with this OMAFRa close-out. In fact, they will be paid handsome bonus (performance pay) for "saving" the government money. Agri-rural Ontario will both feel the effects and pay the eventual price. It is just one more example of downloading to our local communities.

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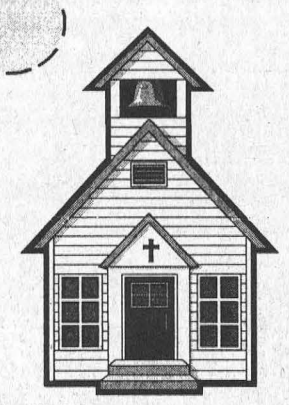

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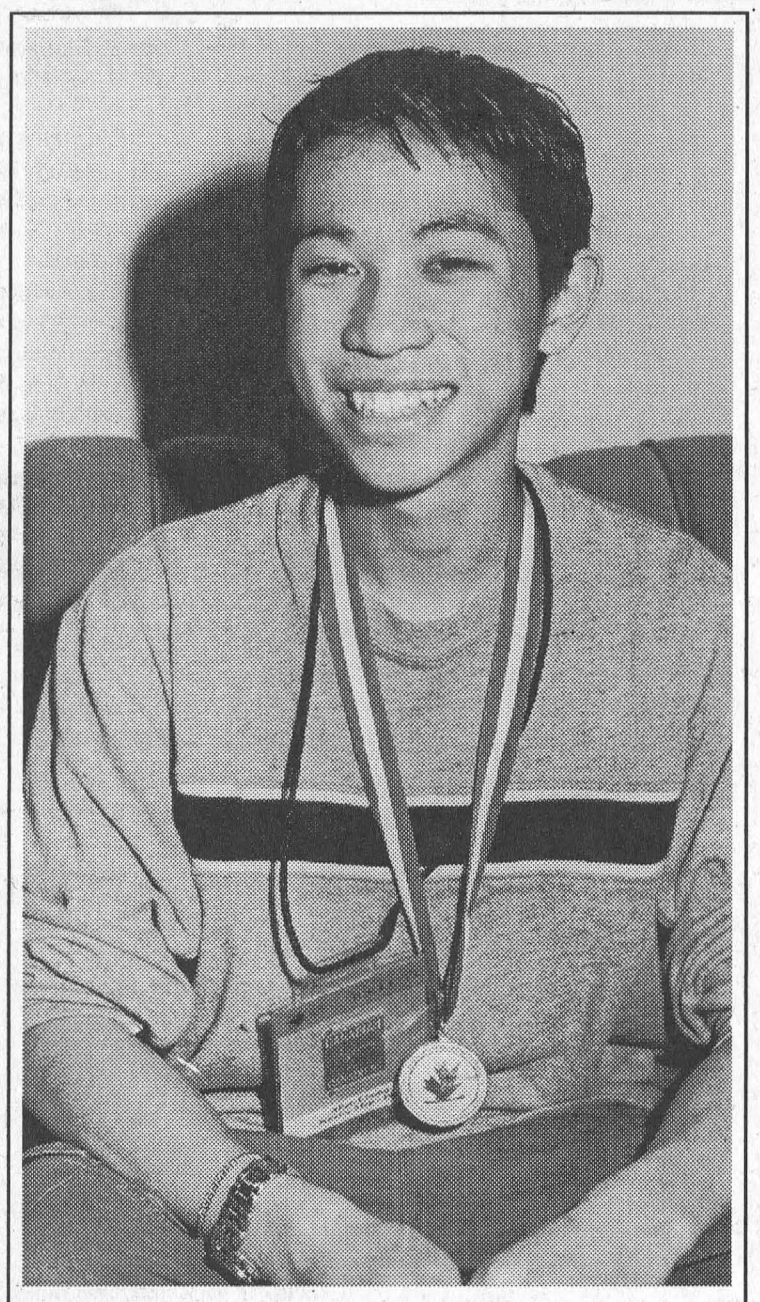


Happy with Results

Morrisburg Figure Skater, Allen Chung, says he is satisfied with his fourth place finish at the National Figure Skating Championships in Calgary. Allen is wearing the medal he won at the Regional Competition, as well as his ice level pass for the Canadians.

McNairn photo

It was a great experience says skater Allen Chung

MORRISBURG—Local figure skater, Allen Chung says he went to the Canadian Figure Skating Championship in Calgary hoping to place in the top eight.

"I thought maybe the top five, if I was really lucky, and the top three would have been absolutely great. But I didn't really expect any of that," he added.

But expect it or not, Allen flew home last Monday with a novice men's fourth place finish tucked firmly in his pocket.

He was eighth after his short skate, and a tie for fourth place in the long skate, moved him to fourth overall.

"It was really great," says Allen of the whole experience. "I met lots of people, and had a great time."

The skaters were housed at the Mariott Hotel and were bussed to and from the Saddledome and the Father David Bauer Arena.

"Elvis (Stojko) was in my hotel," says Allen. "I saw him in the lobby and on the bus."

Allen also met senior pairs champs Jamie Salé and David Pelletier.

Nerves upset stomach

He admits to being a bit nervous, which he says probably accounts for an upset stomach the day before the short program. Having never skated in front of as big a crowd, he says, "I tried to block it out during my program. Once I was done, I looked around and took it all in. It was great."

"Before I skated I was watching some of my competitors practising, and I thought I can't do this. I thought these people are too good." But after he got to know the other skaters, they admitted to the same thoughts.

Allen says he was disappointed with the marks for his short program. "I normally get higher, so with those marks I thought I would be in 10th or 12th place," he explained. "But the marks placed me eighth so that wasn't bad."

Added last minute triples

During the short program, he was one of five or six skaters to land a clean triple-double combination. "But I missed my axel. I went up wide on it, so I got crazy in the air, and although I came down on one foot I couldn't save it."

"In my long program, I started out really good. In the first minute I have three big triples, and one is my combination, triple toe, double toe."

"After the triple I almost went down and I heard this loud moan from the crowd, but I hung on and was able to come back up. Then I heard a huge roar."

"That's my biggest and best memory of all ... the response from the crowd during that combination."

He says he missed a few jumps in the middle of his long, but then got it back in the end.

Allen, who is coached by Gordon Forbes, didn't change his program prior to Calgary. "We just refined it a bit, and made it smoother. We didn't change anything until the day before the long program when we put in a triple lutz and triple loop."

Decided to go for it

The plan was to wait and see where he stood after the short program, to determine what he would do in the long. "We decided if I was in the middle or at the bottom I would add triples."

"We decided to go for them. I had landed them occassionally at home, but not very often. Most of the time I under-rotated them."

"In practice I nailed the lutz a couple of times, and I was doing loops consistently," he explained.

After the competition, Allen had free time plus seminars on music interpretation, edges, nutrition, fitness, pyschology and the history of skating.

On the weekend, he attended the competitions, relaxed and hung out with fellow competitors.

Arriving back in Morrisburg last Monday night, he dove headlong into his exams which were already underway. Due to exams, he did not skate last week, but his plans are to get right back at it.

"I'll be working on my triple, triple combination," he says. "I think it could be easy but I've never tried it."

Although he is still eligible to remain at the novice level, he can move to junior.

"You may skate up to the level you have passed, and there are also age restrictions," explained Allen. "I could pass my junior and senior test, but stay novice as long as I am under the age."

He also explained some changes are being considered for next year. Currently novice, junior and senior all skate at the Canadians, and below that skaters compete at Tomorrow's Champions.

"They are thinking of making the Canadians for junior and senior skaters only, so if I stay novice and make it far enough I would skate in Tomorrow's Champions next year."

"We'll decide what I am doing in the very near future," he says. "If I decide to go to junior, I have to add the required elements."

Allen says he would definitely like to be there again next year. "It's like I can't get enough."

Thanks for community support

Allen's flight and accommodations were paid for by the Section, but he covered everything else including his coach's expenses.

"I was helped out by a lot of people, and I really appreciate it," he said of assistance from the Morrisburg Figure Skating Club, Morrisburg Legion, the Lion's Club, and some individuals in the community.

"It was really a great time," he said. "I had so much fun."

His only regret? "I wanted to buy a Stetson, but I didn't get around to it."

South dominates, takes two volleyball crowns

IROQUOIS—The southern teams of Dundas County dominated volleyball action last week, Iroquois Public claiming the girls championship, and St. Cecilia's the boy's.

The senior boys' tournament was played at North Dundas last Thursday.

St. Cecilia's had only one minor set back in preliminary round action, when they lost the opener to Maple Ridge 15 - 12. But that sparked them to a a pair of comeback wins, 15 - 6 each, to claim the set.

They downed Iroquois 15 - 7 twice for that set, and Timothy Christian 15 - 6 and 15 - 1.

Nationview also went undefeated, downing Nationview B (15 - 5, 15 - 2), Iroquois (17 - 15, 15 - 13) and St. Cecilia's B (15 - 7 and 15 - 13).

The final between St. Cecilia's and Nationview was dominated by the champs who won two straight 15 - 10.

Members of the team were Matt Van Moorsel, Robert Bongers, Kevin Groniger, Mark Byvelds, Ben Baker, Corey Cassell, Joseph Zambon and John Bongers. They were coached by Wally Baker.

Meanwhile at Seaway District High School, the Iroquois girls C team went undefeated in seven games as they worked their way to their tournament championship.

They had wins over Timothy Christian, Nationview As, Nationview Bs, Maple Ridge As, Maple Ridge Bs, Iroquois As, and Iroquois Bs.

In the final they met up with the Nationview As and claimed the Dundas County Senior Girls' Volleyball tournament championship with a 25 - 20 win.

Members of the team were Adrian Leroy, Kayla Irven, Kate Edwards, Stacey Henry, Michelle McMillan, Linsey Whaley, Ashley Murphy, Kate McElheran, Britanny Thompson and Tara Kirker. They were coached by Jennifer Perry.

House Lions split

CHESTERVILLE—The Morrisburg Peewee House Lions won and lost in Chesterville action last week.

Thursday they were in town for an 8 - 6 loss to the North Dundas Twos, and Sunday they made a return trip to hand the North Dundas Ones a 7 - 2 loss.

They led the Ones 2 - 1 after the first period, and exploded with three unanswered second period tallies. They outscored North Dundas 2 - 1 in the final for the 7 - 2 win.

In a well-balanced team effort Matt Schwerdtfeger led the scoring with two goals, and singles came from Tyler Galindo, Cody Cassell, Matt VanMoorsel, Thomas Toonders and Anthony Lemaire.

Mitch Julien picked up two assists, and Kevin McIntosh and Aaron Bogle had singles.

Answering for North Dundas were Bryan Hillis and Carl Tuck.

Thursday three goals were traded in the first period, and the Lions went ahead of the North Dundas Twos, 6 - 5 in the second.

They were held from the scoreboard in the third by Chris Laprade as the Twos struck for three unanswered tallies to win the game 8 - 6.

Kevin McIntosh had two Lions' goals, and Anthony Lemaire, Matt VanMoorsel, Matt Schwerdtfeger, and Mitchel Julien had singles.



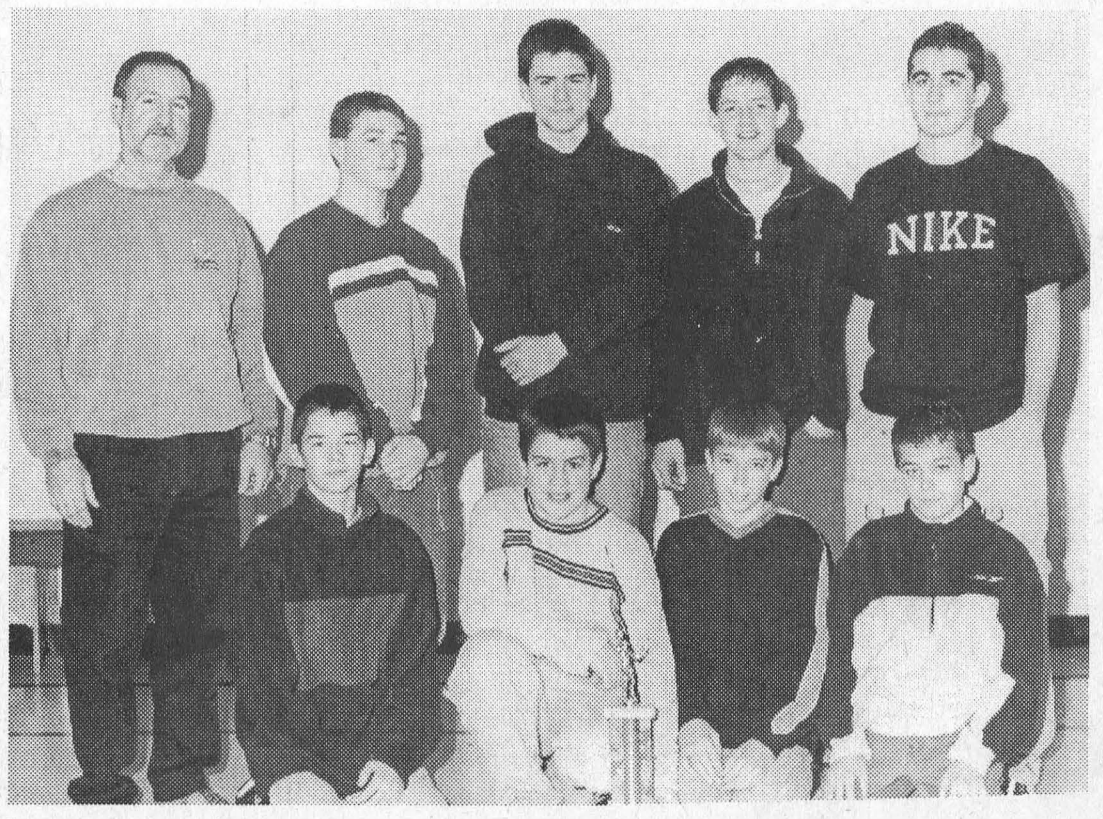
Mixed Winners

Winners of a mixed volleyball tournament at St. Bernard's Separate School in Finch were the St. Cecilia's team of, front l - r, Jessie Blais, Rebecca Lacombe, Anita Rossignol and Rhean Jansen. Back, l - r, Kevin Groniger, Mark Byvelds, Ben Baker, Corey Cassell, Joseph Zambon and John Bongers.



Volleyball Titles Go South

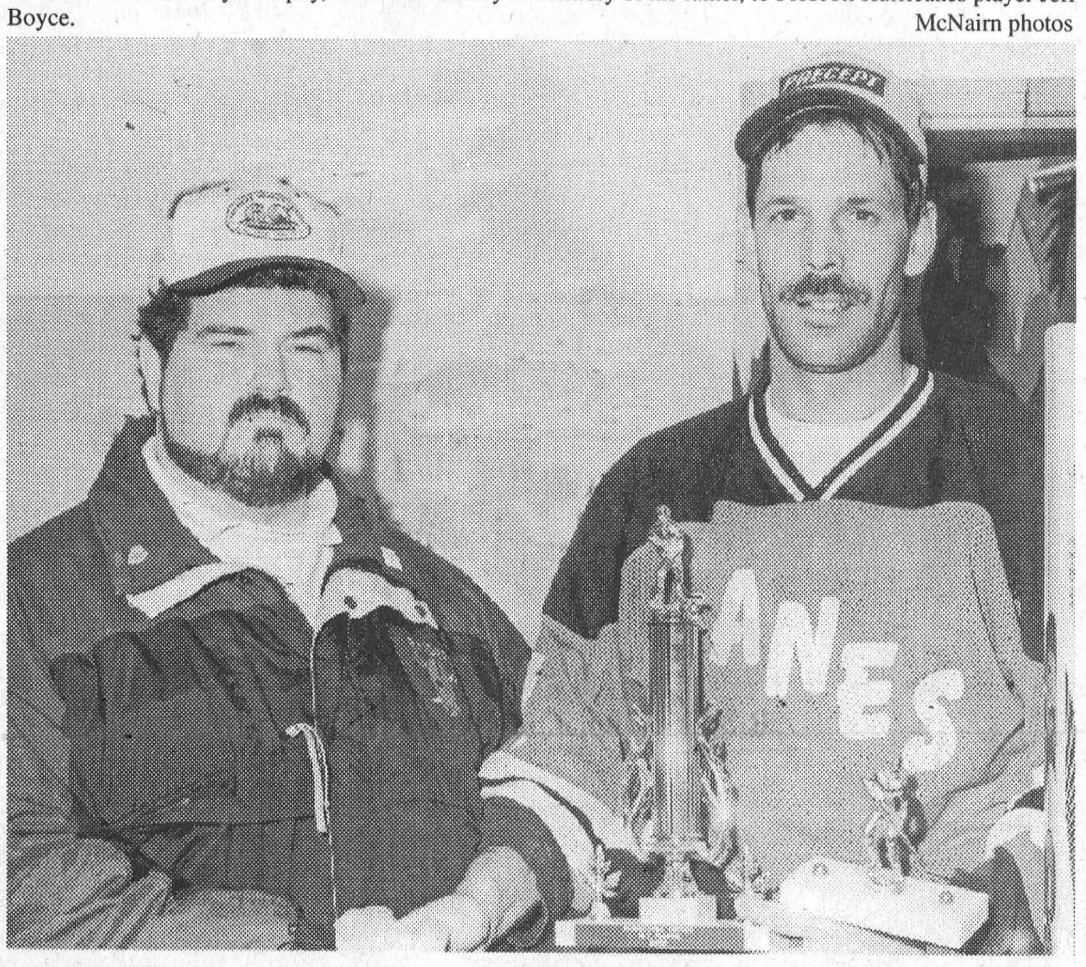
The southern schools of Dundas County dominated annual Volleyball action last week. At Iroquois it was the Iroquois C team claiming the girls championship, while at Maple Ridge the St. Cecilia's squad worked their way to the senior boys' tournament silverware. Pictured above are the Iroquois girls, front l - r, Adrian Leroy, Kayla Irven, Kate Edwards, Stacey Henry and Michelle McMillan. Back, l - r, coach Jennifer Perry, Linsey Whaley, Ashley Murphy, Kate McElheran, Britanny Thompson and Tara Kirker. Below is the St. Cecilia's squad of, front l - r, Kevin Groniger, Robert Bongers, Matt VanMoorsel, John Bongers. Back, l - r, coach Wally Baker, Mark Byvelds, Ben Baker, Corey Cassell, and Joseph Zambon. McNairn photos





The Best of the Bunch

Once again the annual Morrisburg Chubbs Hockey tournament was a big success on the weekend with a total of 18 teams participating. Above, right, is Hodgson Construction goaltender Frank Waytowich, receiving the Joe Billings Memorial trophy from Chubbs team member Alan Black. Below, Cam MacLennan, left, presents the Most Valuable Player trophy, awarded annually in memory of his father, to Prescott Hurricanes player Jeff Boyce. McNairn photos



Plenty of action at Chubbs Tourney

MORRISBURG—Goaltender Frank Waytowich and Jeff Boyce were named top players at the annual Chubbs Hockey tournament played at the arena here on the weekend.

Waytowich who played for Hodgson Construction was presented the Joe Billings Memorial trophy by Alan Black, and Boyce received the Cam MacLennan Memorial trophy as tournament MVP.

The tournament included four divisions, all named after a Labatt brand of beer, and 18 teams.

Playing in the Budweiser division were the Mad Dogs, Bills 77s, Tcc Loansharks, Jamie Mac and Hodgsons. After preliminary round action Bills 77s and Hodgson advanced to the final, the latter claiming the championship with 6 - 3 win.

Scoring for Hodgson were Ken Gosleig and Tom Hodgson with two each, and Allan McNairn and Leo Lafortune.

Answering for Bills 77 were Kevin Prentiss with two, and Jim Whelan.

In the Kokanee division it was O.C. Rebels claiming the championship with a 4 - 0 win over the Boulders. Other teams in the Kokanee division included Russell, Beavers and the Chesterville Wolves.

Kent Pilon was in net for the Rebels' shutout, and John Hatch provided two goals, with singles going to Raymond Sherrer and Roch Benoit.

The Prescott Hurricanes and Osgoode Outlaws met head on in the Blue division championship final.

The Hurricanes exploded offensively to claim a 7 - 1 win. Jeff Boyce and Ed Dumont had two goals each, and singles were scored by Lols Morrison, Jeff Hare, and Steve McLean.

Brian Downey provided the lone Osgoode tally.

The Law and the Flamingos rounded out the four-team Blue division.

In the women's Blue Light Division, the final between Stewarts Classics and Black Ice was decided in a shootout. Tied 3 - 3 after regulation time, each team went through six shooters, before Ashley Dillabough found the spot to give Stewarts the 4 - 3 win.

Scoring in regulation time for Black Ice were Maggie Stewart, with two, and Donna MacGregor. Answering for the champs were Krista Casselman with two, including the third goal that tied the game with just one second showing on the clock, and Karla Mashall.

Also playing in the women's division were Annables Jewellery and RJC.

Members of the winning teams were given hockey bags, and MVPs in each of the finals received hockey sticks.

The tournament was affiliated with the Canadian Adult Recreational Hockey Association which is a division of the Labatt Blue Hockey Challenge.

The top teams in each division qualified for participation in a tournament in Toronto later this year.

"The tournament went well," says organizer Cam MacLennan. "Everybody seemed to have a good time. We had a lot of compliments, and the winners were happy with their prizes."

Curling Chatter

by Steve Thompson

Our Little Rocks curlers have been active, taking in a Brockville bonspiel on Saturday. With a number of curlers down south on winter vacations, there were some new names in the competition. Jeremy Stewart, Adam Davidson, David Blatch and Jesse Laprade split their games, while Colin Tupper, Megan Tindal, Natalie McDonnell and Chris Tupper lost two close ones. Next Sunday one team will represent us in a competition in Prescott.

Another senior men's Friendly Bonspiel was held last week with out seniors hosting Prescott. After three 10 end games, the results were a draw, and after a little liquid refreshments the 40 odd athletes settled down to lunch and storytelling before heading home. Many of these curlers are off to bonspiels later this week. It's a busy life, this retirement!

It's good to see Bryan Cochrane, from Russell, who carried Morrisburg's colors to the Men's Provincial Finals last year, back in the hunt for a Brier entry. He's in via the Challenge Round, and we'll be rooting for him as he takes on the other nine teams in his way.

Kathy Johnston is doing well after angioplasty to get her back into fighting trim. Our best wishes to our former past president, and current member of the CCA Board of Directors. We hope she'll be well enough to take her scheduled trips to premiere curling sites on our behalf. Glad things went well, Kathy! Drop in and admire our shot making while you're getting your strength back.

The search for furniture at the club goes on. First it was those upholstered chairs, and now we're proud owners of six gently used round bar tables. Now if anyone has a line on three large round ones suitable for the after game social hour, please let President Sydney Schnurr know.

Remember to sign up for the funspiel this Saturday and/or the Mixed Bonspiel March 11, both being held at the club. Details are posted in the lounge.

The executive meets next Tuesday, February 15 at 6 p.m. No word on the agenda yet, but we seem to be having a good year. See you on the ice!

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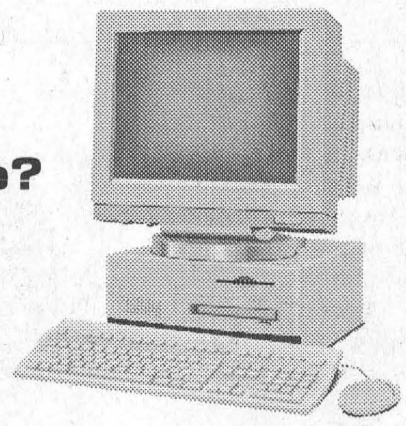

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Learning Together

In home stretch

Lions command own fate

KEMPTVILLE—Three consecutive shootout goals here Sunday night forced the division leading Kemptville 73s to settle for a one point tie, and gave the Morrisburg Lions an all-important win.

The Lions lost last Thursday night on home ice to the Alexandria Glens, which allowed the Glens to creep to within three points of their fourth place standing.

Had the Lions lost Sunday, while the Glens were in Winchester picking up a 7 - 4 win over the Hawks, the gap would have been narrowed to just one point.

However the results leave the Lions in fourth place, three up on the Glens. They trail Akwesasne by five.

With four games remaining on the regular schedule for the Lions and the Glens, the magic Lions' number is three.

Three out of four needed

"It was a major win against Kemptville," says Lions coach Barry DeGray. "It put our destiny in our own hands. We have four games left, and we have to win three of them."

Three wins will give the Lions 47 points. Even if the Glens win all four of their remaining games, eight points would give them only 46.

"We certainly didn't do ourselves a favor when we lost to Alexandria last Thursday," says DeGray. "Not many people counted on us to beat Kemptville."

Thriller in Kemptville

The Kemptville win was a thriller, the 73s holding a 3 - 1 lead after the first period. The Lions came roaring back in the second, taking charge on a pair of unanswered powerplay goals for a 4 - 3 lead as they headed into the final.

Frankie Allen, with an unassisted powerplay goal at 12:43, upped their advantage to 5 - 3.

"It should not have gotten to the shootout," says DeGray. "They had a line get hot, and score two goals in one shift."

That came about with less than five minutes left in the game, when Greg Haggett started it off at 15:16, and 22 seconds later Nic Guida connected to tie it 5 - 5 forcing overtime, and the eventual shootout.

In the shootout Cory McAllister kicked it off for the Lions and Greg Haggett shot for Kemptville. Both were unsuccessful.

Next up was Wayne Garlough for the Lions, who was unsuccessful, and Craig Stanley who gave the 73s the lead.

There's a reason for holding the top two positions in the division scoring race, and that was proven with goals from Daniel Beland and Charles Froment. Their opponents both missed, giving Steph Champagne, the Lions' final shooter, the opportunity to put it away.

That he did, allowing the Lions to pick up those all-important two points to remain three up on Alexandria.

Scoring for the Lions in the first period were Carson Runions and Paul Dedekker. Champagne and Jeromy Alguire connected in the second, while the Lions were on the powerplay, and Allen completed the Lions regulation time scoring in the third.

Juggling lines for more depth

The Kemptville game saw the Lions' coaching staff try some new lines. "We tried to make the lines a little more balanced," says DeGray. "As a result the scoring was spread around more."

Lions' goaltender, Matheiu Blanchard faced 44 shots, and his opponent Tim Craig had 27.

The Lions were assessed 10 minor penalties and a 10 minute misconduct, and the 73s sat out 12 minors, a five minute cross checking major and two game misconducts.

Last Thursday night on home ice, the Lions were first on the scoreboard late in the opening frame when Chris Proulx struck at 17:55. Before the frame had ended Michel Quesnel struck, while the Glens were on the powerplay, to even it.

The Lions were outscored in the second period 3 - 2. Goals were traded to start it off, and the Lions went ahead 3 - 2 at 10:01.

The lead didn't last. The Glens, enjoying a two man advantage, tied it at 12:09, and at 18:04 they moved ahead 4 - 3.

They increased their lead to 5 - 3 at 6:20 of the third, and hung on for the win, the Lions getting to within one with a Daniel Beland tally at 11:34.

Carson Runions and Charles Froment counted the Lions second period goals.

Mathieu Blanchard, who had underwent a root canal that day, felt shaky and pulled himself after the fourth Glens' goal. Kyle Donnan finished the game. Trevor Cunning saw action for Alexandria.

The Glens drew nine minor penalties, a five minute major for cross checking, two game misconducts and a 10 minute misconduct.

The Lions were assessed six minors and a five minute high sticking major.

Six powerplay goals were scored, three by each team.

The Lions have now set their sights on playoff action.

"If the guys buckle down and play hockey the way they should, we'll be there," says DeGray. "Right now it's playoff hockey for us. Now is the time for the boys to follow the system we have in place."

"They are hungry and they want to win."

Coming up this week the Lions travel to Winchester Friday night, February 11 for an 8:15 game, and Sunday they are at home to the Akwesasne Wolves for a 2:15 p.m. start.

SCOREBOARD

St. Lawrence Division

	GP	W	L	T	Pts
Kemptville	40	30	7	3	64
Char-Lan	41	25	11	5	57
Akwesasne	41	19	17	5	46
Morrisburg	41	18	21	2	41
Alexandria	41	17	22	2	38
Winchester	40	8	31	1	18

Rideau Division

	GP	W	L	T	Pts
Westport	40	26	10	4	58
Gananoque	39	23	15	1	47
Brockville	40	18	19	3	42
South Grenville	40	11	27	2	26
Athens	39	2	35	2	10

Teams losing in overtime or shootout receive one point

Results

Tuesday, Feb. 1–
Akwesasne 4 at Char-Lan 1
Wednesday, Feb. 2—
Gananoque 4 at Brockville 1
Thursday, Feb. 3
Kemptville 6 at Akwesasne 5
Alexandria 5 at Morrisburg 4
Friday, Feb. 4—
Athens 2 at Arnprior 5
Char-Lan 5 at Winchester 0
Brockville 5 at Westport 4 OT
Saturday, Feb. 5—
All Star Games
St. Lawrence Propects 9 - Rideau 2
St. Lawrence Vets 5 - Rideau 9
Sunday, Feb. 6—
Sth. Grenville 2 at Athens 1
Westport 8 at Gananoque 6
Winchester 4 at Alexandria 7
Morrisburg 6 at Kemptville 5 SO

St. Lawrence Scoring Leaders

as of Sat. Feb. 5	G	A	Pts
Charles Froment, Mo.	37	47	84
Daniel Beland, Mo.	32	43	75
Craig Stanley, Kv.	31	26	57
Scott Champagne, C.L.	26	31	57
Sylvain Routhier, Ak.	22	32	54
Scott Thompson, Ak.	17	36	53
Troy Patterson, Kv.	23	29	52
Jason Valcour, Kv.	21	28	49
Justin Joy, Ak.	24	22	46
Ghislain Valade Alex.	22	24	46



Lion's Den

Wayne Garlough is 19 years old and a centreman with the Morrisburg Lions. Wayne, who is in his third season with the Lions, wears the number 7 sweater and shoots right. He is 5'11" and weighs 180 pounds.

Wayne comes from RR2 Williamsburg, and is a product of the Morrisburg Minor Hockey Association. He started his minor hockey in the Morrisburg program, and then played for the Rideau St. Lawrence Kings while atom and bantam age.

Unfortunately Wayne missed a couple of months of action this year, after he was sidelined with a shoulder injury at the start of the season.

He attends Seaway District High School, where he is taking his OACs. He hopes to attend Durham College next year where he would like to study Sports Administration.

Last year Wayne had a tryout with the Pembroke Lumber Kings, and this year he is affiliated with the Smiths Falls Bears. Although he hasn't been called up for action with the Bears, he could be at any time.

When he is not playing hockey or studying, Wayne says he is outdoors snowmobiling. He plays ball in the summer, and golfs out of Cedar Glen in Williamsburg. He has been golfing for quite some time, and has an 18 handicap.

"I am enjoying the team very much this year," he says. "Everybody gets along and it's been fun."

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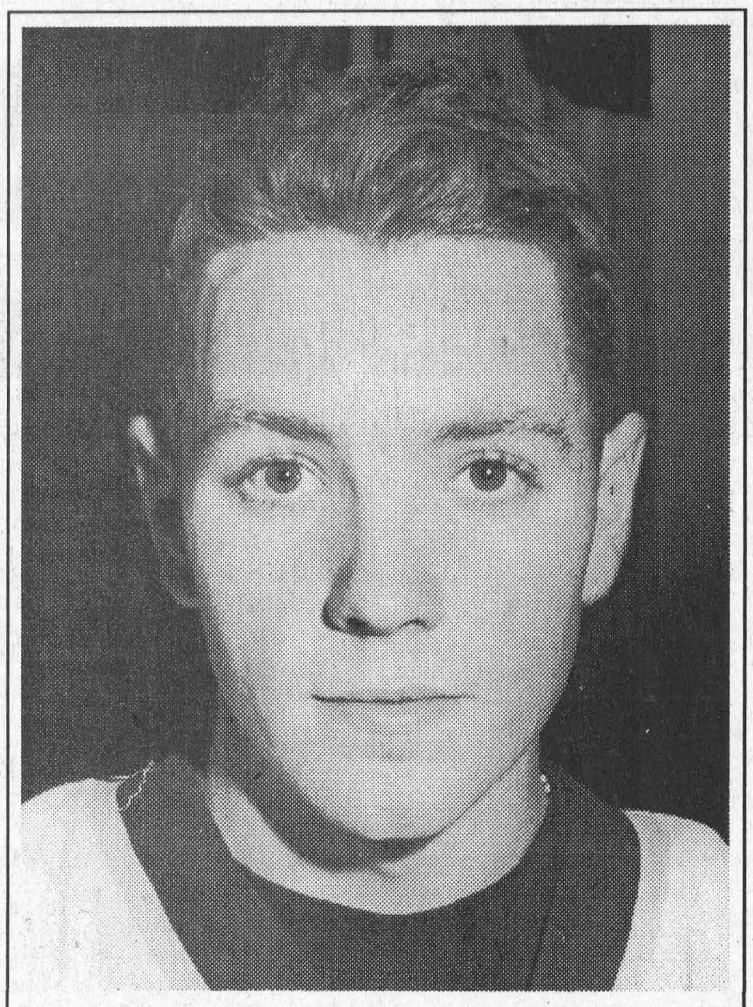
Atom B Lions lose close one

MORRISBURG—A visiting Char-Lan team struck twice in the second period here Sunday night to hand the hosting Atom B Lions a 2 - 1 loss.

The Lions led 1 - 0 after the first period on a D.J.Cutler goal assisted by Sheldon Beckstead and Connor O'Brien.

Late in the second period Andrew Cattanach tied the game, and 34 seconds later Jordan Sanchez connected for what turned out to be the winner. Both goals were unassisted.

Adam Schnurr was in net for the Lions and Andre Gaucher saw action for Char-Lan.



Lion's Den

Goaltender Kyle Donnan is 19 years old, and is in his first year at Algonquin College where he is studying architecture. "I've been interested in architecture for quite awhile," he says. "Actually though I don't know where the interest comes from."

Kyle is 5'10" and weighs 155 pounds. His home is in Milton, Ontario where he played his minor hockey at the AA level all the way through midget. Although Milton is a small city of 35 to 40,000 he is just five minutes away from Mississauga. He says he likes the city of Ottawa. "If you could take the weather away it would be even better," he says. "I'm not much into this winter stuff." He says he has skated on the canal a couple of times, and during Winterlude he took his five old month puppy for a walk to see the ice sculptures.

He says school is going well. "It's great actually. I love the program. It's awesome."

As well as hockey, Kyle says he likes most other sports. He plays golf, and has a 12 handicap. "I'm not ready to take on Tiger (Woods), but I do okay."

"Playing for the Lions is great," he says. "The guys are great, the coaches are good, and I'm looking forward to the playoffs."

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH DUNDAS

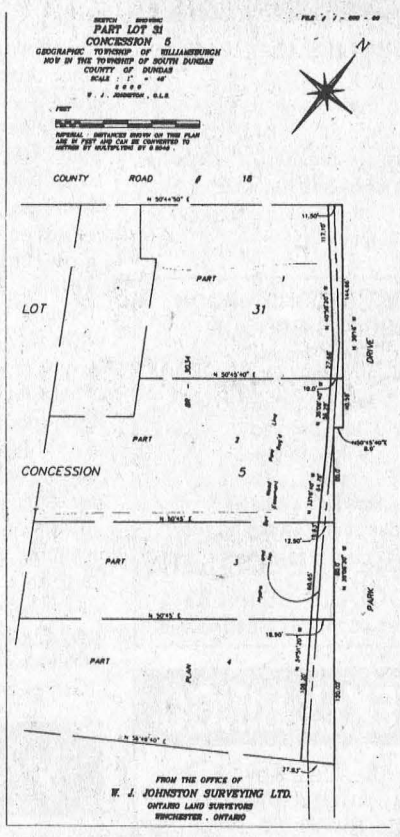
EXPROPRIATIONS ACT R.S.O. 1990, CHAPTER E.26

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO EXPROPRIATE LAND

IN THE MATTER OF an application by The Corporation of the Township of South Dundas for approval to expropriate certain lands and premises in the Geographic Township of Williamsburg, now Township of South Dundas, County of Dundas designated as Part of Lot 31, Concession 5, for the purposes of maintaining a municipal road or highway, including drainage ditches and municipal services.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Application has been made for Approval to expropriate the lands and premises described as follows:

Part of Lot 31, Concession 5, Geographic Township of Williamsburg, now Township of South Dundas, County of Dundas, as per sketch attached.



Any Owner of lands in respect of which notice is given who desires an inquiry into whether the taking of such land is fair, sound and reasonably necessary in the achievement of the objectives of the expropriating authority shall so notify the approving authority in writing,

(a) in the case of a registered Owner, served personally or by registered mail within thirty (30) days after the registered Owner is served with the notice, or, when he is served by publication, within thirty (30) days after the first application of the notice;

(b) in the case of an Owner who is not a registered Owner, within thirty (30) days after the first publication of the notice.

The Approving Authority is:

The Council of the Corporation of the Township of South Dundas
P.O. Box 160
Williamsburg, Ontario
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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH DUNDAS

Per: (original signed by W. E. Horner)
W. E. Horner, Clerk

THE EXPROPRIATIONS ACT provides that,

1.(a) where an inquiry is requested, it shall be conducted by an inquiry officer appointed by the Attorney General;

(b) the inquiry officer:

(i) shall give every party to the inquiry an opportunity to present evidence and argument and to examine and cross-examine witnesses, either personally or by his counsel or agent, and

(ii) may recommend to the approving authority that a party to the inquiry be paid a fixed amount for his costs of the inquiry not to exceed $200.00 and the approving authority may, in its discretion, order with expropriating authority to pay such costs forthwith.

2. "Owner" and "Registered Owner" are defined in the Act as follows:

"Owner" includes a mortgagee, tenant, execution creditor, a person entitled to a limited estate or interest in land, a committee of the estate of a mentally incompetent person or of a person incapable of managing his affairs, and a guardian, executor, administrator or trustee in whom land is vested;

"Registered Owner" means an owner of land whose interest in the land is defined and whose name is specified in an instrument in the proper land Registry, Land Titles or Sheriff's Office, and includes a person shown as a tenant of land on the last revised assessment roll.

3. The expropriating authority, each Owner who notifies the approving authority that he desires a hearing in respect of the lands intended to be expropriated and any Owner added as a party by the inquiry officer are parties to the inquiry.

This Notice first published on the 26th day of January, 2000.

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Friday night, 7:30 p.m. at Morrisburg Civic Centre sponsored by Morrisburg Jr. B Lions. 15 games at $30. 3 special games, $50. each. Special 50/50 games. Bonanza pays 60 per cent. Winner take all. Jackpot $300.00, Consolation $100. Jackpot starts at 50 numbers. Jackpot will be given away if 60 or more people participate; 70 people $400. 80 people $500. Everyone welcome. If not over 30 people - Bingo Cancelled.

COMING EVENTS

SUNDAY BRUNCH
At Country Kitchen Restaurant, Hwy. 31 & 43, Winchester, $7.50, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. 46tfc

DARTS FOR HEARTS
Registration: 11–12 noon, Feb. 12, Legion Br. 370, Iroquois. Play starts at 1 p.m. All proceeds to Heart & Stroke Foundation. For more info, please call 652-4516 (Legion) after 2 p.m. 4-6c

MORRISBURG GOLF CLUB SENIOR'S POTLUCK SUPPER AND MONTE CARLO NIGHT
For members and guests, Thurs., Feb. 10, 6 p.m. 5-6p

HERBAL PREPARATION
At Winchester Hospital Conference Room, Feb. 17, 7 to 8:30 p.m. Speaker: Catherine Van Vliet, Hospital Pharmacist. 6c

SURF & TURF DINNER
Feb. 19, 7 p.m., I.O.O.F. Hall, Williamsburg. Tickets $25 each. Call Dave McIntosh 543-3118, Dave Lapier 535-2264 or John Dalrymple 535-2987. 6-7p

SNOW DRAGS FOR CHEO
Sponsored by Riverside Snowmobile Club Inc., Sun., Feb. 13, Upper Canada Air Strip, 3 km. east of Morrisburg. "All Studded Classes including Modified/Improved and Kid's Class". Reg. 8:30–10:30 a.m. sharp. Drags at 12 noon. Breakfast served at the Clubhouse, 7 a.m.–12 noon. For further info contact Jim 613-652-2245, Tom 613-936-0822 or Barb 613-543-3114. 5-6c

CARD OF THANKS

McNAIRN–Special thanks to the members of the Morrisburg Oldsticks Lacrosse team for the great get-well gift. It is really appreciated. See you at the arena.
–Brian McNairn 6p

LONGFIELD–Annie Longfield of Williamsburg would like to thank friends, neighbors and family for the many good wishes and visits, cards and gifts on her 100th birthday. Thank you all. You are wonderful! 6p

BECKSTEAD–I would like to take this opportunity to thank the ambulance drivers, Wayne and his partner. Also a very special thank you to Dr. DeBonne in emergency for her quick and expertise care and the nurses. I would also like to thank Drs. Crabtree, Marston and Dr. Schnurr and the nurses on the second floor while I was a patient in the Winchester Hospital. Thanks also for the calls, visits and flowers.
–Thanks again, Lurinda Beckstead 6p

MALLETTE–We would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone who supported us in our time of need; to friends and neighbors for cards, phone calls and donations to the Education Bursary Fund in Evan's memory; to Dr. Houze for his support; to Evan's friends who will always be in our hearts and have helped us take one day at a time. Morrisburg is a small town with a very big heart.
–George and Susan Mallette 6p

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–Sandra and Joe Barnhart and family 6c

STRADER–In loving memory of a dear father, John Hartley, February 10, 1997.
Gone but not forgotten.
–Scott, Mary and Grace 6p

FERGUSON–In loving memory of a dear husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather, Ross, who passed away six years ago February 11, 1994.
He was taken away from us this day;
But in our hearts he will always stay.
His memory is as dear today,
As in the hour he passed away.
We often sit and think and speak of him,
Our memories of him are always in our hearts.
–Sadly missed and remembered by wife Bernadette and loving family 6p

DEATHS

CONN, Bessie (nee Carkner) peacefully on Saturday, February 5, 2000, in her 92nd year. Wife of the late James Benson Conn. Dear mother of Robert of Ottawa. Dear grandmother of Lloyd and Leslie. Dear sister of Gertrude Taylor of Amherst, Nova Scotia. Funeral arrangements entrusted to McEvoy-Shields Funeral Home, 235 Kent Street, Ottawa. 6c

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Saunders leads Novices

MORRISBURG—The Morrisburg Novice C Lion Reps wasted no time going to work on a visiting South Grenville squad here last Saturday.

The Lions struck three times in the first period to carry a 3 - 1 lead into the second. They added their final tally in the third for the 4 - 1 win.

Justin Saunders led the Lions' attack with two goals and one assist, and Brad Munroe and Nick Thomas had singles. Also picking up assists were Conner Hodgson, David Toonders and Nick McCaslin.

Chris Sherman counted the loan South Grenville goal against Lion's goaltender Steven Baird.

Peewee Kings lose three

SPENCERVILLE—It was a tough weekend on the road for the Rideau St. Lawrence Minor Peewee Kings, as they posted three straight league play losses.

The Kings played well against the Kingston Frontenacs, but came up short on the scoreboard losing 4 - 3. Scoring for the Kings were Pat Doyle with two, and Ben Collins with one. Brett Perkins had two helpers.

The Cumberland Barons scored all three goals in the first period as they defeated the Kings 3 - 1.

Lyle Whiteford provided the lone Kings' tally with the assist going to Steve McGlade.

In Pakenham, against the Ottawa Valley Titans, the Kings played well but faced hot goaltending from the opposition and lost 2 - 0.

Country Lane Darts

MORRISBURG— **Three Musketeers - 3 wins.** Outs: Wilma Montroy 2, Linda Birch.
Straight Forward - 5 wins, 1 tie. Outs: Lisa Lewis 4, Brenda Sypes. H.S. Angie Reid 120-100.
Butt Kickers - 3 wins, 1 tie. Outs: Carol-Ann Donnelly 2, Sandra Julien. H.S. Donnelly 100, Melba Chater 100.
Weenies - 2 wins. Outs: Joy Markell, Shelley Torrance. HS Torrance 110, Markell 100.
Just for Fun - 4 wins. Outs: Tammy Chater 2, Ann Lewis 2.
Sex Pots - 1 win. Outs: Dorothy Simpson.
Lucky Gals - 4 wins. Outs: Lynne Moreau 2, Wendy Casselman 2. H.S. Caroline Geertsma 133.
No-Outs - 5 wins. Outs: Doreen Montroy 3, Megan Whitteker, Elaine Baker.
Bulls Eyes: Doreen Montroy, Amanda Sypes, Shelley Torrance, Wilma Montroy.

Standings

Three Musketeers	141	Just For Fun	105
Straight Forward	118	Lucky Gals	100
Butt Kickers	114	Sex Pots	98
Weenies	106	No Outs	78

Legion Darts

MORRISBURG—**3 Quarts & A Squirt 5 - 2 over Roadrunners.** Squirt Outs: Scott Keeler 2, Susan Baker, Sandra Julien, Bobby Jack Hart. H.S. Hart 123, Keeler 120. Runners' Outs: Lyle Beckstead, Gerry Chater. H.S. Beckstead 100.
Click 4 - 3 over Outsiders. Click Outs: Randy Whitford 3, Jeff Donnelly. H.S. Whitford 134, Melba Chater 125, Donna Marratt 101. Outsiders' Outs: Randy Markell 2, McMillan. H.S. Markell 100-T.
Spoilers 4 - 3 over Double Trouble. Spoilers' Outs: Denis Keeler 2, Elvis Tyo 2. H.S. Tyo 102, Chad Perkins 100. Trouble Outs: Cecile Tyo 2, Larry Elderbroom.
Terrors 5 - 1 over 2 Guys, 2 Gals. 1 tie. Terrors' Outs: Kevin Richmire 2, Sharon Lewis 2, Wendy Casselman. H.S. Linda Birch 140-121-100. Gals' Outs: Carol-Ann Donnelly. H.S. Bernie Montroy 125-100.
DTCP Shooters 4 - 3 over Early Birds. Shooters' Outs: Peter Montroy 2, Doris Cairns, Carol Birch. H.S. Montroy 134-100. Birds' Outs: Ken Baker 2, Merle Burke. H.S. Nick Shields 101.
Mike's Mob 4 - 3 over Hot Darts. Mob Outs: Mike Osborne 2, Frank Beaulne, Vera Burke. H.S. Osborne 140-125. Darts Outs: Brenda Sypes 2, Damian Whitteker. H.S. George Baker 108, Brenda Sypes T.
Wolfpack 5 - 2 over Always Late. Pack Outs: Angie Reid 5. H.S. Denzil Tousant 125. Late Outs: Diane Tyo 2. H.S. Darren Tyo 140-116.
MC & Triple B 6 - 1 over No Shows. MC Outs: Dennis Baker 4, Dale Baker 2. H.S. Dorothy McBain 107-100. Shows' Outs: Margaret Baker.
Small Fries 4 - 3 over 40 Plus. Fries' Outs: Eric Sypes 2, Roger Trudeau, Megan Whitteker. H.S. Whitteker 100. Plus Outs: Wilma Montroy 2, Terry Baker. H.S. Jeff O'Neil 3X100.
Bulls Eyes: Donna Marratt, Doris Cairns, Vera Burke, Cecil Keeler.

Standings

Road Runners	171	Always Late	129
3 Quarts & A Squirt	164	2 Guys 2 Gals	126
The Click	155	No Shows	119
Spoilers	151	Double Trouble	119
Terrors	151	Small Fries	119
DTCP Shooters	143	Early Birds	113
Mike's Mob	136	40 Plus	113
Hot Darts	133	Mc & Triple B	111
Outsiders	133	Wolfpack	108

Riverside Darts

Lost 69ers - 9 wins. Outs: Ivan Shearer 4, Gerry Chater 4, Caroline Geertsma. H.S. Shearer 140-124-2X100, Chater 120-3X100.
Hunter and Friends - 8 wins. Outs: Wayne Hunter 7, Jean DeJong. H.S. Hunter 123-7X100, Jean DeJong 101.
Dart Bandits - 7 wins. Outs: Phillip Jamieson 5, Shelly Torrance, Tammy Chater. H.S. Jamieson 141-4X100, Chater 119-102, Jamieson 100.
The Bullets - 4 wins. Outs: Floyd Elliott, Gayle Hart, Peter Montroy, Barbara Marriner. H.S. Montroy 123-2X100, Hart 121-115, Elliott 100.
Gallibles - 7 wins. Outs: Lawrence Hunter 3, Gerry Sypes and Ann Lewis 2. H.S. Hunter 140-100.
Wannabes - 6 wins. Outs: Al Loynachan 3, Brenda Sypes 2, Guy Hart. H.S. Loynachan 140, Sypes 121-109-2X100.
Double Trouble - 5 wins. Outs: Darren Tyo 3, Ruth Markell 2.
Odd Balls - 9 wins. Outs: Edna Barkley 5, Darwin Markell 2, Elvis Tyo, Bonnie Page. H.S. Tyo 136, Markell 105-100.
Shooters - 7 wins. Outs: Cecil Tyo 4, Liz Hunter, Grace Langabeer, George Baker. H.S. Baker 120-2X100, Tyo 100.
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Strokers Ace - 4 wins. Outs: Johnny Hitsman 4. H.S. Eric Sypes 132-118.
The Lefties - 6 wins. Outs: Maureen Loynachan 4, Brent McCooeye, Roger Markell. H.S. Maureen Loynachan 132-101-100, Brent McCooeye 100.
Lucky 13 - 4 wins. Outs: Alex Hart 3, Elizabeth Markell 1. H.S. Hart 140-125-100.
Millennium Crusaders - 5 wins. Outs: Tracy Shearer 2, Keith Johnston, Vicki Marriner, Lisa Lewis. H.S. Shearer 130-124.

Standings

Lost 69ers	132	Odd Balls	105
Hunter & Friends	124	Shooters	104
Dart Bandits	123	Dartmasters	100
Gallibles	122	Strokers Ace	97
Bullets	119	Lefties	97
Wannabes	119	Lucky 13	96
Double Trouble	118	Millennium Crusaders	88

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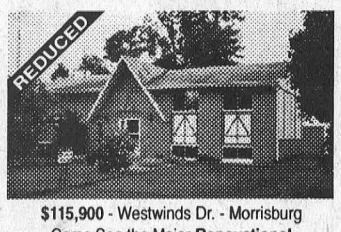



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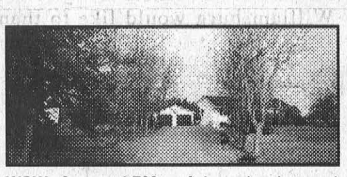
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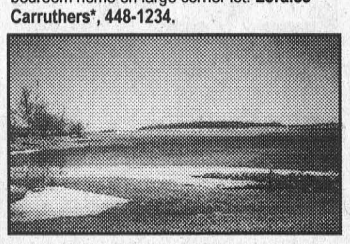
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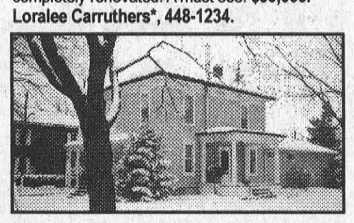
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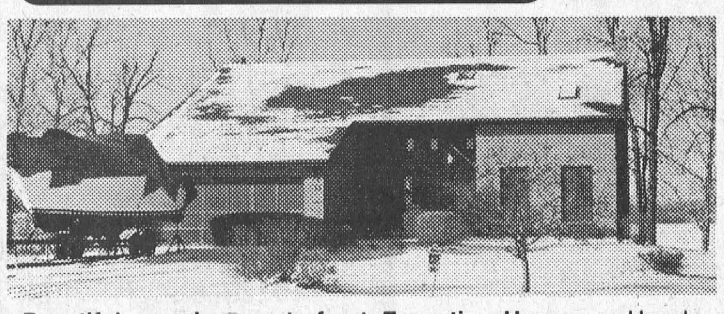

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