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Wards are out, voting at large is in

WILLIAMSBURG – With regards to the ward system, nothing changed between July 16 and August 23. By a 3-2 vote, the ward system is gone from South Dundas.

At the July 16, meeting a motion was tabled by councillor Bill Ewing, seconded by councillor Johnny Whitteker and supported by mayor Lyle Van Allen, instructing that a bylaw be prepared to dissolve the ward system.

The bylaw was tabled at the August 23, meeting, and again, with the same supporters, and barring any appeal, the wards system was dissolved.

Councillor Sandra Bailey was the only member of council to comment on the matter before the vote and said, "I wish I could believe that doing away with the wards would change attitudes, but I don't believe it would."

"I am disappointed to see this happen," said Bailey, adding that the ward system has served South Dundas well.

Since public notice of the bylaw was given, councillor Ewing asked acting CAO and clerk Brenda Brunt if the township had received any comments on the matter.

Brunt said that no comments were received at the office.

Mayor Van Allen added that he had received two emails, both of which wanted a referendum on the issue.

Van Allen and Ewing have long-advocated getting rid of the ward system in South Dundas.

Public input at a meeting concerning the ward system held in April of this year, showed those in attendance were 2-1 in favour of dissolving the wards.

In 2002, when the issue was first put to the public, then mayor Johnny Whitteker, spoke about the advantages and disadvantages of the ward system and agreed to keep the wards for one more term, and he stayed true to his word.

Now that council has voted to dissolve the ward system in South Dundas, electors in 2006 will cast a ballot for one mayor, one deputy mayor and three councillors.

The mayor and deputy mayor will also represent South Dundas at the United Counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry council table.

Morrisburg fire truck damaged



Comfort Photo

MORRISBURG – The Morrisburg Fire Department was more involved in an accident call than they expected last Wednesday when their support vehicle was rear-ended.

Called to the scene of an accident involving a tractor trailer in the westbound lane of the 401, the Morrisburg Fire Department responded with three vehicles.

Approaching the scene from the eastbound lanes, the emergency vehicles were set up along the left hand side of the eastbound driving lanes, explained one of the firefighters at the call.

The rescue van, pumper truck and support vehicle, which is used to carry equipment, were stopped with the emergency lights flashing.

The support vehicle was the last vehicle in the row, and while members of the fire department were working at the scene of the initial accident, the support vehicle was hit from behind by a car.

Damage estimates to the fire truck were not available at press time.

No injuries resulted from this collision.

Morrisburg Support Vehicle Rear-Ended

Responding to an accident along the 401 Highway, the afternoon of August 24, near Morrisburg, the Morrisburg Fire Department's support vehicle was rear-ended by a car. Luckily, there were no injuries.

CAO prospects

And then there were three ...

WILLIAMSBURG – The field has been narrowed, and this week the township will be interviewing CAO prospects.

Of the 21 applications for the CAO position, which has been temporarily filled by South Dundas clerk Brenda Brunt since May, three are slated for an interview this week.

The field was narrowed by a selection committee of Brunt, council members Lyle Van Allen, Bill Ewing and Sandra Bailey, and a Howard Allen Group consultant.

All members of council will participate in the interview and final selection process.

Deadline day

WILLIAMSBURG – In late July, South Dundas township officials received notice that the only internet service provider (ISP) making use of the township system, was calling it quits.

Prophet Technologies gave notice that they would cease ISP operations as of August 31, and today is the day.

The notice left the township scrambling to find someone willing to provide internet service.

W3 Connex, which is the company already responsible for the maintenance of the township system, slated to complete the BRAND expansion of the high speed network, and eventually purchase the existing system, hurriedly stepped up to the plate.

At a meeting with users held August 16, Jean Gauthier of W3 Connex said, "We will provide you with an internet feed by August 31."

The township offices are among the 30 customers who are in need of an ISP to provide service on the existing network, and South Dundas' acting CAO and clerk Brenda Brunt expects the township will continue to have internet service.

"We are working furiously with W3 Connex to make it happen," she said last Friday.

Brunt says that W3 is in the process of running lines and installing equipment.

Gauthier also confirmed last Friday, August 26, that W3 Connex is still on track to provide internet service in South Dundas.

He expected that W3 Connex would have their first ISP customer, likely the township, online with them Tuesday, August 30.

Iroquois Golf Clubhouse

Attempting an alternative

WILLIAMSBURG – A disagreement over the future site of a new clubhouse for the Iroquois Golf Course erupted at the August 23, council meeting.

Having only authorized Iroquois Golf Club Board to proceed with blueprints and quotations for the new golf clubhouse, at an August 9, meeting, council has yet to authorize any location of the building.

The golf club board has listed a site near Church Avenue, and south of the existing soccer fields as their number one selection.

"I have no problem with their site," said councillor Charles Barkley.

However, councillor Bill Ewing had another idea.

He said that the township will eventually end up putting water and sewer service to the Iroquois beach, and said it would be more feasible to put the clubhouse out by the water, near the beach.

"The best fit is for it at the water," said Ewing. "The location is one of the biggest selling points, and more people would use it if it was out there."

"The service will go out there anyway, why not do it to the benefit of everybody," added Ewing, explaining that Iroquois Recreation is set to make a request to council concerning services.

"That (location) would be my pick too," said mayor Lyle Van Allen.

He suggested that they wait until they hear the report from Iroquois Recreation before they decide on a site for the golf clubhouse.

Barkley, knowing that time is a factor, as the new clubhouse needs to be up and running for the next golfing season, argued against waiting to make a site selection.

Van Allen repeated that he would like to hear the recreation report before making a decision.

When Barkley learned that the recreation committee is on the agenda for the next meeting he said, "I'm all for it (waiting) if we make a decision that night."

Councillor Johnny Whitteker agreed with hearing the recreation report before making a decision because he had the impression that the golf club would like to have a building located near the river, but found it was too costly an alternative.

"It's just dollars and cents. We have to listen to the people," he said.

Ewing asked that township staff prepare a cost estimate to put services out to the beach, so they will have that information to make their decision on September 6.

The golf club board has asked the township to look after providing a driveway, parking lot and services to their new clubhouse building.

Public works manager Hugh Garlough estimated the cost of doing so near $100,000 for the site near Church Avenue.

Ewing suggested that because the beach area already has a large parking lot, should the clubhouse be located near it, less money would have to be spent on parking, and more money could be spent on servicing the recreation and golf club buildings.

Look who's turning 1!

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Sept. 1/05

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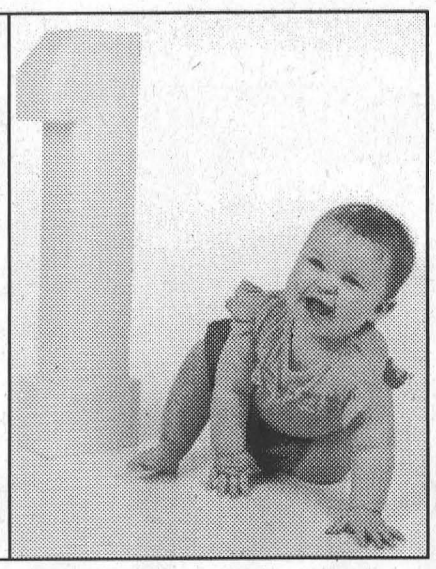

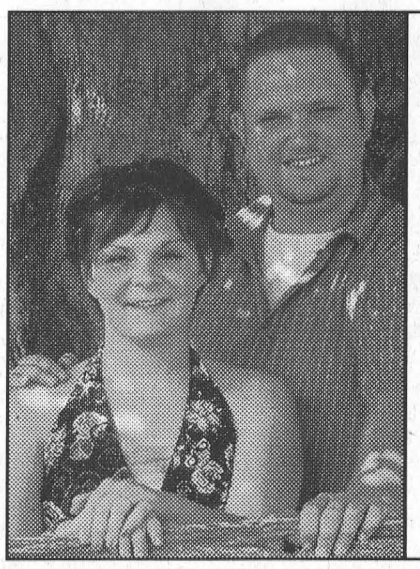

Walsh-Moore

Muriel and Dale Whitteker and Bob Walsh of Williamsburg are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter **Stefanie Walsh,** to **Richard Moore,** son of Linda and Richard Moore of Kemptville. A June wedding is planned.



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Curves Helping Kids Get Ready to go Back to School

Seeing how excited her kids were about going back to school shopping, Morrisburg Curves manager Kim Baldwin started to think about the kids who don't get anything new to go back to school. So, she called Marilyn Byers of the Morrisburg branch of the Dundas County Food Bank, to see if there was a need for donations of school supplies. Byers agreed that there is a big need. Curves staff and members have been collecting donations of school supplies, which will be distributed to children in need through the local food bank. "We normally just deal in food, but this is just another way of reaching out to our families," says Byers who is pleased with the initiative. Now thanks to the Curves community, going back to school will be special this year for some children who have never had a brand new backpack or the pencil crayons that most kids take for granted. Pictured above, back left to right are Marilyn Byers of the local food bank, and members of the Curves community, Judy Veinotte, Pat Tierney, and front left to right, Amberzine Barkley, Brenda Manning, Shannon Tremblay and Nancy Skakum.

Hope for more water funding looks bleak

WILLIAMSBURG – Nearly two weeks ago, South Dundas Mayor Lyle Van Allen, acting CAO and South Dundas clerk Brenda Brunt, and Thompson Rosemount Group representative Jamie Witherspoon met with the Minister of the Environment Leona Dombrowsky concerning additional funding for the South Dundas water treatment plant, and left uneasy.

"I came away not feeling too good," Van Allen told council at the August 23, council meeting. "Basically they said we gave you money, and that's all you're going to get."

Despite that response, Van Allen is still holding out a little hope, because he had heard that South Stormont had a more productive meeting with Dombrowsky. "I don't think they can give to South Stormont without giving to us," he said. "We're both in the same predicament."

That predicament for South Dundas is a funding split that is not 1/3-1/3-1/3 between the federal, provincial and municipal governments as originally expected.

Of the $17.2 million project, the provincial and federal governments have kicked in a total of $7.9 million, leaving the remaining $9.3 million in the lap of the municipality.

According to Eamon, the only thing keeping the province from funding the project is a set of arbitrary rules created after the fact.

Those rules limit funding on what the province considers enhanced projects, and is now considering South Dundas' regional plant an enhanced project.

Application for funding for the water treatment plant was made in 2001, prior to detailed project engineering. Between the application process and construction, market conditions changed significantly.

In response to Van Allen's report about the meeting with Dombrowsky, councillor Sandra Bailey said, "It's very difficult to say we're hard done by. I think there were mistakes made."

Van Allen blamed most of the funding difficulties on the change in market conditions.

Bailey said that they should have known the market conditions were going to change, and build that in to the original estimate. "It's only common sense."

"I don't look at this as the fault of Rick Eamon," said councillor Charles Barkley. "The government dictated to us, but didn't send the money with it."

"We paid our one-third, and then they went and did all this," said councillor Johnny Whitteker.

"Forget the past, and let's move ahead," said councillor Bill Ewing. "It's not too late to keep after them for more money."

"I don't feel good about getting any money, but we won't stop there. We'll keep talking to them. If you stop talking to them, they'll forget about you," said Brunt.

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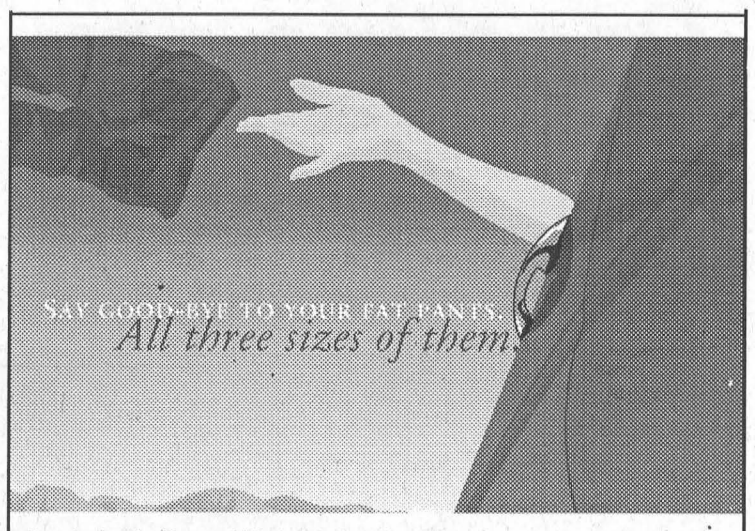

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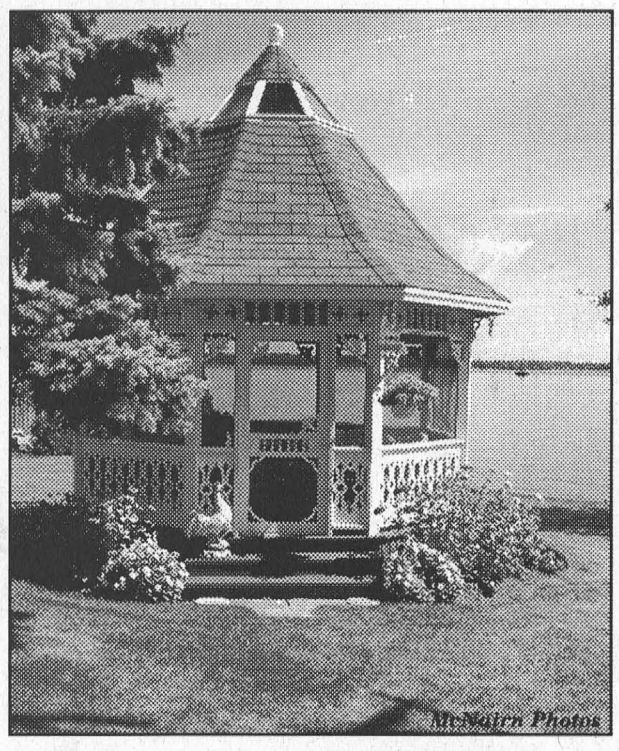

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A Gardener's Delight

The gardens of Glen and Iris Cunningham in Mariatown are stunning with their featured waterfalls and ponds, and commanding view of the St. Lawrence. The Cunningham home is one of six featured on the tour.

will open their doors September 11

SOUTH DUNDAS – Under the direction of Ree Graham, the Morrisburg Unit of the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Auxiliary has lined up a wonderful variety of homes for their "Homes on the St. Lawrence" house tour on Sunday, September 11.

Proceeds from the event go to the Auxiliary which uses its money in support of the hospital. Graham's objective is to raise $5,000.

Graham says she is delighted with the homes on the tour, which is the third one she has coordinated, and expects the public will be as equally impressed. She is particularly grateful to the homeowners who are willing to open their homes for a worthy cause.

"It's a service to the community. It's a great fundraiser," she says, adding that when she approaches a homeowner they often question her as to, "Why would anyone want to see my home?"

"It's like looking at decorating magazines," she says. "I had my house on the first tour. It was fun."

For the "Homes on the St. Lawrence" tour, Graham has a variety of houses, from the very old, to middle-aged to brand spanking new.

The new homes include those of Dr. Gerry and Lois Rosenquist and Gord and Robin Lane. Of the Lane home, located just west of Mariatown on the St. Lawrence, Graham says, "I went to see it, and it was incredible."

The Rosenquist Home, "The Blue House" is located just east of Iroquois and offers up a spectacular view of Doran Bay and the river.

Tour participants will be impressed with the restored Russell Manor at 26 First Street in Morrisburg. The home, built in 1872, was originally two homes, (side by side duplexes) and is now owned by Michael Burton and Ron Currier.

"They've done an incredible job in the front yard and inside they've done some very innovative things with the furniture and the house," says Graham.

From Morrisburg, the tour continues to the home of Glen and Iris Cunningham in Mariatown whose often photographed back flower gardens lead you down the walkways to the St. Lawrence.

Following the visit to the Lane home, the next two stops heading west are the Doug and Pat Grenkie home, and "Manderley" owned by Norman and Sara Lawson.

The Grenkie home with its white-pillared front entry sits elegantly back from Highway 2 overlooking the St. Lawrence, and the Lawson home "Manderley" is located on Grisdale Blvd., Iroquois.

"It (Manderley) was a farmhouse," says Graham. "It has a granny suite on one side and has a huge water front with nice grounds."

Tour tickets are $15 and are being sold in advance at Pier 31 in Morrisburg and Mustard's Variety Store in Iroquois. Graham expects the majority of the available tickets will be sold in advance leaving a very limited number available the day of the tour.

She advises those interested in the tour to pick up their tickets now to avoid disappointment later. Children under 13 years are not permitted to participate in the tour and smoking, pets, and cameras are not allowed inside the homes.

The tour will run from 1-4 p.m. and before during or after participants are invited to stop in for tea at the Allan Hall, in Lakeshore Drive United Church in Morrisburg. Admission for the tea is $5.

Mayor more positive about sewage

WILLIAMSBURG – Following a tough meeting with the Minister of the Environment concerning more money for the South Dundas water treatment plant, township representatives had what they believe was a more productive meeting concerning funding for the upcoming sewage treatment project.

South Dundas mayor Lyle Van Allen and acting CAO and clerk Brenda Brunt and Jamie Witherspoon of the Thompson Rosemount Group met with the Minister of Public Infrastructure, David Caplan, in Toronto two weeks ago, and Van Allen told council at the August 23 meeting, "I felt it was more positive (than the other meeting)."

"There are no cheques in the mail just yet, but I think he was sympathetic to us, and encouraged us to reapply for intake two," said Van Allen.

South Dundas applied, earlier this year, for two-thirds funding of a necessary $30 million sewer project, through the Canada-Ontario Municipal Rural Infrastructure Fund (COMRIF).

Their application for intake one of the program was turned down.

That $30 million was for new sewage treatment plants in Morrisburg and Iroquois and $6 million worth of sewer rebuilding.

Rick Eamon of Thompson Rosemont Group recommended at the July 16, meeting that when the township applies for COMRIF intake two funding that they this time apply for funding to build a new sewage system in Morrisburg and upgrade the Iroquois primary plant.

Eamon's latest estimate sits at $14.4 million.

The deadline for COMRIF funding applications is September 30.

South Dundas is facing provincial orders to upgrade sewage treatment facilities, and expected that those orders would mean that the project here would get high funding priority. That did not happen in the first round of funding.

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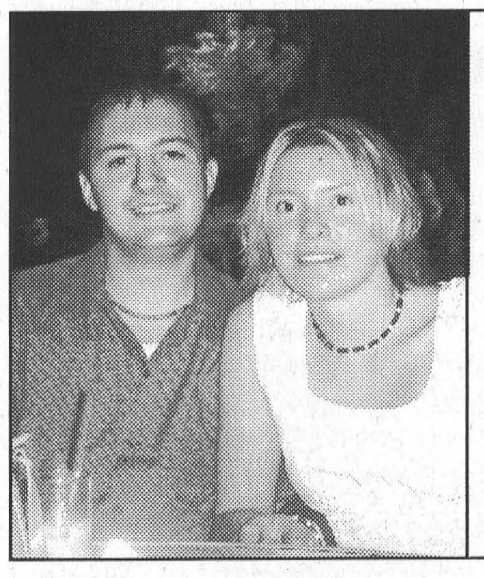

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Looking for a spot for the new Iroquois clubhouse

Well, here we go again. The Iroquois Golf Clubhouse, a new one in a new location, is once again the topic for discussion on the street, on the golf course and around the council table. This time, however, the clubhouse location and its construction, isn't a possibility down the road, but something that must be started soon so that it can be ready to go when the golf season starts up next spring.

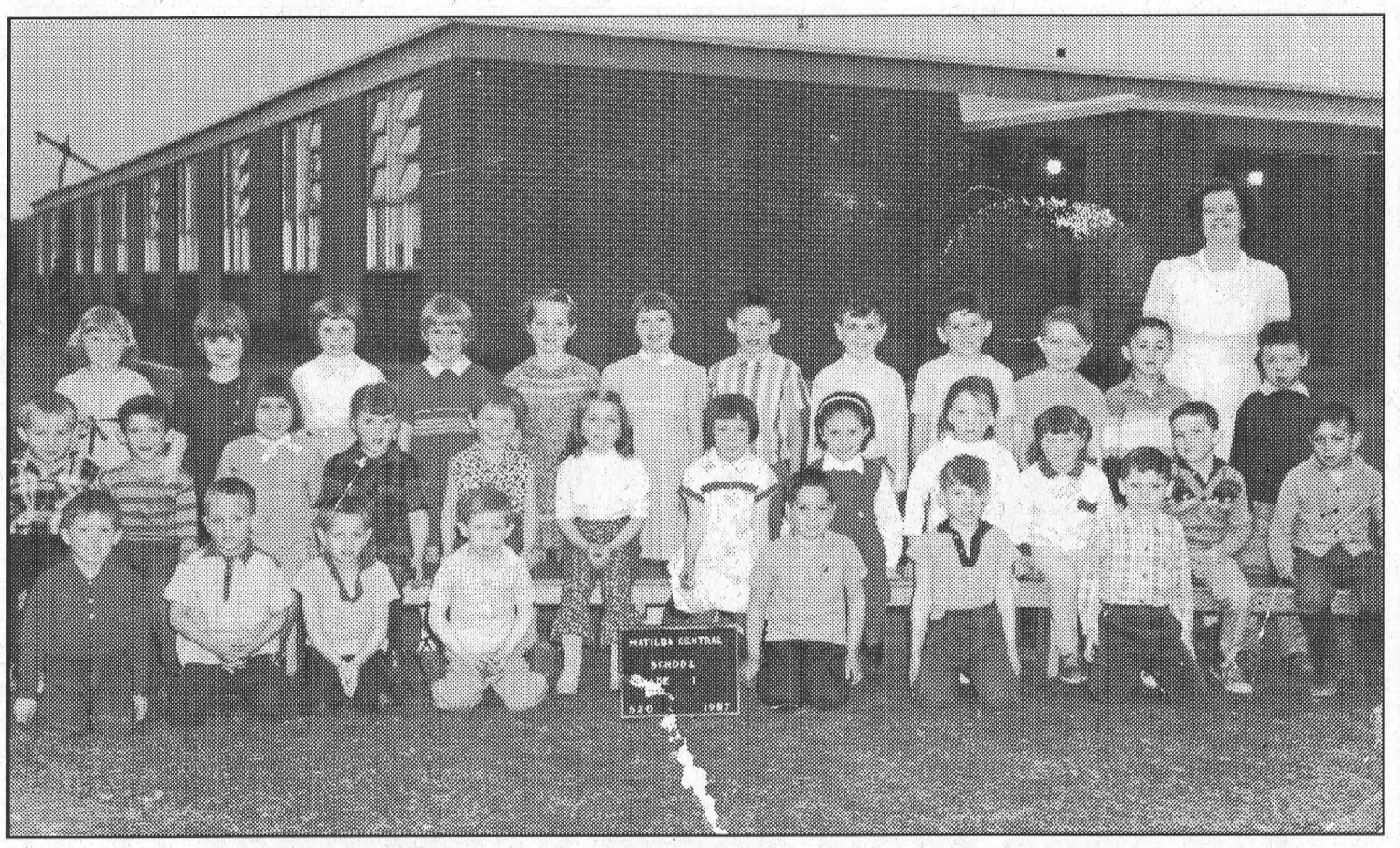
The club has long favoured a location just south of the Iroquois soccer fields. It is hoping to attract diners from the nearby shopping area, and it is their belief it is among the cheaper alternatives for the placement of a driveway, parking lot and services (sewer, water and electrical) to the new building.

Now the suggestion is being made that maybe it could be located farther south as a request is expected to arrive before council from Iroquois Recreation concerning services to the Beach Area. According to councillor Bill Ewing, "the best fit is for it at the water. The location is one of the biggest selling points, and more people would use it if it was out there."

If in fact, the costs for this alternative are feasible we would have to second Bill Ewing's suggestion. A nice new clubhouse, on the water would be a wonderful spot, not just for golf events, but weddings, banquets etc. and all of this would help the golf club improve its financial situation.

An additional consideration, however, is how this location fits in the scheme of the golf course layout. It isn't possible to just drop a golf clubhouse anywhere on a golf course. Generally, many have a start and finish at the clubhouse for each of their nine holes although some do have front nines ending way out on the course with snack bar and washroom halfway houses available there.

It'll be interesting to see how the latest plays out.



1967 Matilda Central School (Dixon's Corners) Grade 1

Front row left to right; Joel Bellinger, Glen Keeler, Wally Keeler, Carl Keeler, Carl Lewis, Allan O'Neil and Martin Hamilton. Middle row left to right, Perry Smail, unknown, Brenda O'Neil, Freida Keeler, Lori Smail, Gilda Casselman, Tilda Lewis, unknown, Marie Thompson, Goldie Markell, Kenny Markell and Scott Keeler. Back row left to right, Kathy Froats, Lisa Hodgson, Robin Whitteker, unknown, Sharon Shaver, Gloria Shaver, Kevin Laprade, Brian Lewis, Jim Mills, Ronnie Keeler, Acil Markell, and unknown. Teacher, Mrs. Gibson.

Seen 'n Heard

Around the Township

We are heading into the final long weekend of the summer, and THE weekend that heralds the return of the youngsters to school. A reminder to everyone heading out to work on Tuesday morning that once again the kids will be on the streets heading to and from school, so drive carefully.

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The Morrisburg Fire Department had a successfully drive for Muscular Dystrophy in the Morrisburg Shopping Plaza Friday night and will be passing on an impressive $1,665.50 thanks to the generosity of everyone who plunked some cash in their boot. In addition to the cash, someone added a key to the collection, probably when they pulled change from their pockets. It appears to be a key for Samsonite luggage or a briefcase and it can be claimed by calling Terry at The Leader office at 543-2987.

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The arrival of Labour Day weekend is also the kick off for many local organizations and groups who take a break from their regular activites over the summer. The Seaway singers are preparing to start their rehearsals on Wednesdays from 7:30-9:30 at the Christian Reformed Church in Williamsburg beginning Wednesday, September 7. The choir will be preparing for their Christmas concert, and they welcome additional singers for each of their sections. Further information can be obtained from choir president Sydney Smith (543-2353), past president Robin Lane (535-3412) or choir director Robert Jones (Chesterville 448-1647).

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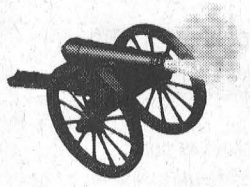
There are times when it seems that all that white stuff (known as snow) doesn't seem to be such a bad thing. Watching the hurricane coverage, makes us appreciate the fact that much of our bad weather comes as snowstorms. Oh sure, they are inconvenient for driving, but we can at least stay safe and warm in our homes and not fear that everything will be blown or washed away. Here's hoping the rains expected to come our way, can be handled this time around. We have been told pumps here in Morrisburg are ready to go.



The Leader Blast from the Past

Compiled from The Leader's files

1995

The August 30 issue reported that Gord McGregor had sold his business, Gregor's to Jim and Linda Logie. He had owned the restaurant for 7.5 years. Originally, the restaurant was called Kelly's Food Bar and was started by Cliff Kelly in the early 1970's.

The Morrisburg Men's Valley League team picked up their fourth tournament championship in the tournament played in Iroquois. Team members were Tony Cummins, Randy Casselman, Russell Cameron, Sean Duvall, Brandon Boivin, Marc St. Pierre, Roy Gummeson, Ron Lapier, Mike Laurin, Vic Harward, John Cottrill, Steve Casselman, Brian McNairn, Doug Brewster, Allan Castleman, Sam Laurin, Don Mabo, Jim Sage and Jeff Cassell. The Morrisburg team also won five of the six individual trophies.

1985

Pictured on the front page of the August 28 issue were Doris Erratt, Annie Steward and Evelyn Wells who were this year's winners of the Morrisburg and District Horticultural Society's annual summer flower show.

Jack McMartin took over as principal at Morrisburg Public School from Al Bain, who after eight years at MPS had been transferred to Newington Public School. McMartin and longtime secretary Barb Phifer were busy preparing for the new school year.

The Cedar Glen men's Valley League team won the annual tournament played in Iroquois. It was their third win in four years. Leading the entire men's field was junior golfer Martin Noakes who fired a one-under-par 71.

Eunice Munroe defended her club championship title at Cedar Glen.

1975

The August 29 issue reported that Morrisburg Council was proposing to move the Hydro Office to the Community Centre. The possibility that Morrisburg's hydro office and other facilities might be housed in the lower level of the new addition to the Community Centre (arena) was discussed at a public meeting. A decision was to be made at a later date.

A prominent member of Morrisburg's business community, for several years, Saul Rosenfield passed away at Cornwall General Hospital. He was 71 years old. Mr. Rosenfield, with his wife, had operated Family Outfitters, a ladies and men's store, in the Morrisburg Mall before his recent retirement.

There was an impressive 311 exhibits at the annual Summer Flower Show hosted by the Morrisburg and District Horticultural Society at the Morrisburg Civic Centre. The Morrisburg Chamber of Commerce Trophy for highest points in the show, was present by Chamber president Bill Robson to Mrs. J. Vanhoof. Runner up was Mrs. G. Wells.

The 13th annual Williamsburg Molson Fastball Tournament started early Saturday morning with eight top senior teams competing in the double elimination event. Twenty-five hours of play and 15 games later, the Williamsburg-Brinston Pioneers were being presented the first place trophy. Big Doug Casselman took the best pitching award. He pitched 24 innings, gave up 12 hits, three walks and struck out 25.

1965

The August 27, 1965 issue paid a final tribute to Ernest Farlinger a member of one of the community's most distinguished pioneer families. Mr. Farlinger, 95 passed away at a a nursing home in Iroquois on August 20. A son of Capt. Alexander Farlinger the descendant of United Empire Loyalists, he was born at Belmont, the Farlinger estate at Morrisburg which was destroyed in the creation of Lake St. Lawrence in the 1950's. His father was a widely known river boat captain before the turn of the century, and the family played a leading part in the life of the community when it was at its peak of activity in about 1900. Ernest Farlinger purchased Earnscliffe, the family farm about three miles west of Morrisburg, at the time of his marriage to Alice McLean of Finch in 1900. The farm was now operated by his son Allan Farlinger, a member of the St. Lawrence Parks Commission.

The Morrisburg Mets trounced the Glengarrians 10-3 in their playoff series. Scoring for the Mets were Jim Notman, Mick Mabo, and Bryan Dawley with two goals each, and Parker Skilton, Bob Barclay and Gino Cameron added singles.

1955

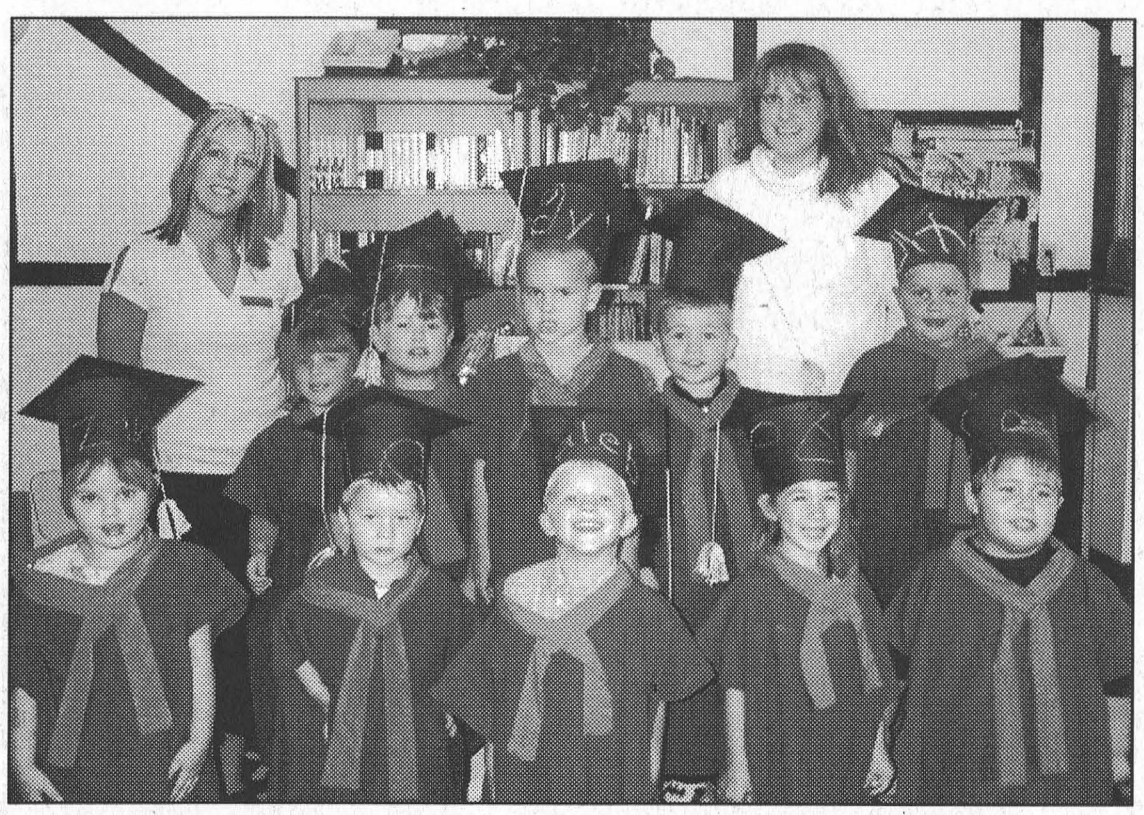
The September 2 issue reported the school year would begin on September 6 with the following teachers at Morrisburg High School: E.H. Greig, principal and science; D.C. Burtch, French; Alice Cameron, Household Science; E. Cameron, English and History; N.A. Howald, Social Studies and Boys P.T.; E. Keane, Latin; E. McCarthy, Math and Girls P.T.; J.E. Traynor, Commercial work.

Notification was printed that the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario had expropriated all portions of Lot 18, Concession 1 in Matilda Township, having an area of 1,874 acres. The said land was to be used for construction, maintenance and operation of works to develop and utilize the power resources of the International Rapids Section of the St. Lawrence River.

John A.D. Alguire of Aultsville was appointed a representative of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada and would work out of the Company's Cornwall office. He would continue to reside in Aultsville.

1945

The August 31 issue reported that Sgt. Dalton W. Coons, of Williamsburg was awarded the United States Silver Star for gallantry in action near Wawa Dam on Luzon Island. Sgt. Coons, without regard for his own safety, moved 30 years through heavy sniper fire and succeeded in removing his (injured) commanding officer to a place of safety. His company went on to wins its objective.



Not Yet the First Day of School but Already Graduated

The children pictured above are the happy graduates of a school readiness program offered at the Ontario Early Years Centre in Morrisburg. The children completed a six week program, complete with an evaluation, to prepare them to enter the world of junior kindergarten this September. The early years centre runs a program every summer to help kids prepare to start school. Graduates, front left to right, are Elizabeth Bouchard, Jacob Wrinn, Caleb Douma, Reegan Deriks and Joshua Graham. Back left to right are Lisa Arsenault, Madison Tremblay, Avery Kirkland, Brody Bernard, Colton Budz, Fiona Carr and Max Garlough.

September is a time of new beginnings

Perspectives



Rev. Janet Evans

I don't know about you, but I am not sure where the summer has gone! It seems as if I was taking grade eight graduation photos yesterday and my daughter is beginning grade nine in a new school today! Parents have gone through a lot of money purchasing school supplies and new clothes ... and our homes will soon again be quiet between the hours of 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

September is a time of new beginnings. June, July and August have hopefully brought us some rest, relaxation and holidays - at least a change from the usual routine! And it is so nice to have a little break from so much busyness.

In Matthew 1:28-30, Jesus tells his disciples and His followers today, to take his yoke, all who are weary and burdened and He will give us rest for our souls. It is certainly a fact that many of us feel stressed, tired and even overwhelmed sometimes by the wears and cares of life. There does not seem to be enough hours in the day for all we have to do. Family relationships and friendships occasionally hit rough spots. We even feel at some moments as if we have lost part of our faith - yet although we turn away from God, God will never turn away from us.

Our Creator indeed offers us His rest, His hope, His light and His peace that passes all understanding. Even in the most dismal circumstances, God walks with us, we are never alone.

It is wonderful to be assured that our Lord never deserts us. We are the beloved sons and daughters of the living Christ and we are called to spread the good news of the gospel of Jesus with our neighbours near and far.

As the autumn season approaches, may we commit ourselves to placing Christ at the centre of our days. May we remember the promise of Jesus that He can provide rest and renewal for our bodies, minds and souls. Jesus - our friend, Saviour, teacher and example will set before us the paths in which we are to walk and He will encourage us this day and forevermore. Let us praise the name of the Lord - may we sing out with joy that Christ is alive within our hearts and our world.

Rev. Janet Evans
Iroquois United Church

After four years, council decides they won't pay

WILLIAMSBURG – A four-year-old drainage issue, will no longer bog down South Dundas council.

Pressed for a decision concerning an outlet ditch located on Doran Bay property, council passed a resolution at the August 23, meeting, instructing manager of planning and enforcement Donald Lewis to do no more.

The ditch is a drainage outlet for the Bayview Subdivision and Saver Road, and was installed on the property in 1990, through an agreement with the previous landowner.

The current property owners have been working with Lewis to find a way to change the outlet, so that they can make better use of their property.

The original suggestion was to do a ditch fill in, and split the under $10,000 cost between the township and the landowners, explained Lewis, later.

With no positive response to that option, the landowners and Lewis, in his township capacity, made plans to relocate the ditch to the perimeter of the property.

Lewis estimated that the relocation option would be a $20,000 alternative.

It was suggested that the landowners and the township split the cost.

"The landowners want a decision one way or the other," said Lewis at the meeting.

"The ditch was there when he bought the property. If he wants to move it he can pay for it 100 percent," said councillor Bill Ewing.

"It's on private property, and he knew it was there," said councillor Charles Barkley.

He added that as far as he is concerned, it is a case of buyer beware. "Nothing was done illegal."

"We shouldn't have even spent time and taxpayers' money surveying it," said Barkley.

Lewis later clarified that the CAO of the time directed him to do so.

"He knew it was there. I'm not inclined to pay for half of it," said councillor Sandra Bailey.

Councillor Johnny Whitteker offered "no comment" on the matter.

"If we don't do anything with this ditch, what happens if the water from the subdivision is blocked?" asked mayor Lyle Van Allen.

"That becomes a legal issue," responded Lewis.

Councillor Ewing moved the motion instructing Lewis to take no further action to relocate the subdivision outlet drain. Charles Barkley seconded, and the motion was carried.

Bill Shearing and team commended for a "good job"

WILLIAMSBURG – A commendation from the Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services, Monte Kwinter, and the Emergency Management Commissioner, Julian Fantino, was hand delivered to South Dundas council, August 23, by Emergency Management Ontario officer Phillipe Geoffrion.

Thanks to the work of Emergency Management Coordinator Bill Shearing, South Dundas had an emergency management program well underway when legislation was passed in 2004 requiring all municipalities to implement such programs.

South Dundas met all provincial requirements for the emergency management act earlier this year.

A letter presented to the township reads, "Your council and staff are to be commended for their commitment to making your community a safer place to live and work. The establishment of an essential emergency management program was achieved through the dedicated work of your Community Emergency Management Coordinator and Emergency Management Program Committee."

"The implementation of sound community emergency management programs, which are integrated with those of other levels of government, is a key element of our shared responsibility to the residents of Ontario. Such a partnership will lead to our mutual goal, which is creation of safer and more disaster-resilient communities."

After Geoffrion read the letter, mayor Lyle Van Allen said, "I would like to commend Bill Shearing for his work. I don't think we could have achieved this without his service."

Letters to the Editor

Washing off the whitewash

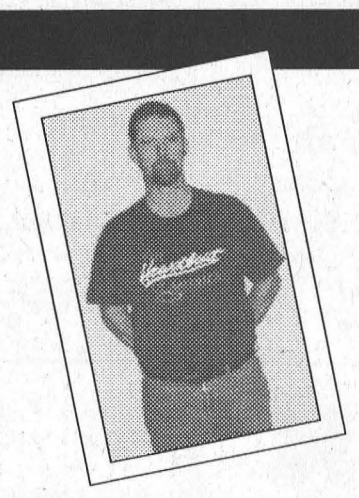
To the Editor,

"High-energy comedy offers nonstop laughs" is whitewashing a story line about someone who has been committing bigamy for 18 years in "Caught in the Net" by Ray Cooney.

Let's be realistic. For someone to be living in infidelity is no laughing matter. So many people have their trust shattered in such a case. To deceive myself about the pain and harm of infidelity is not something I would promote with, "The show is a must see" and "The action and the laughs are nonstop"!

Are Canadians choosing to promote infidelity? What kind of message are we giving to the people who come to visit Eastern Ontario? Canadians sing, "God keep our land" do they not? Do children hear about hilarious bigamy antics from the generation before them at the Playhouse in Morrisburg? Will the next generation learn anything about fidelity? Who is teaching them about fidelity? Does anyone care about fidelity anymore?

Wash the white wash off,
Elsie Bouwman
Iroquois, Ontario



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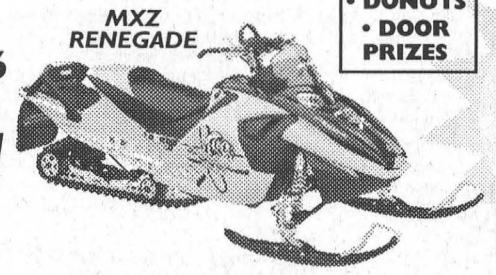

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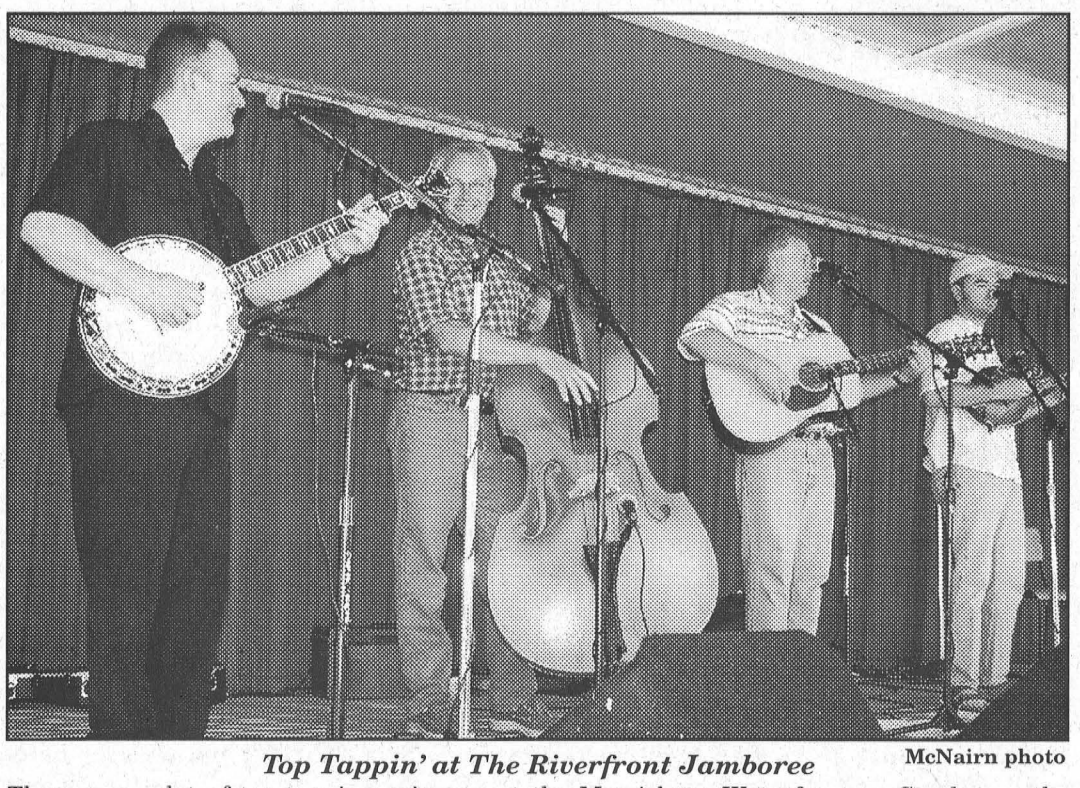

Top Tappin' at The Riverfront Jamboree McNairn photo

There was a lot of toe tapping going on at the Morrisburg Waterfront on Sunday as the Morrisburg and District Lions Club hosted a Riverfront Jamboree with music by Northwind and Shotgun. The local Lions Club has hosted a series of summer music events in the park for the enjoyment of all and Sunday was no exception, with some lively tunes and a brisk breeze blowing in over the St. Lawrence making the event a great place to be. Above, the local Bluegrass band, Northwind, entertains the folks seated in the photo below.



Ontario government taking action with vaccine baits

TORONTO–The Ontario government is continuing to protect public health and ensure greater community safety by air–dropping baits to vaccinate foxes and raccoons against rabies, sad Natural Resources Minister David Ramsay.

"By taking aggressive action against this disease, Ontario has shown the world that it's possible to successfully control the spread of rabies in the wild," said Ramsey.

"We are proud to be recognized as a world leader in rabies research and prevention. Ontario's rabies programs have been adopted by several states and provinces."

The Ministry of Natural Resources is air–dropping about 300,000 rabies vaccine baits in rural eastern Ontario this week to help prevent the spread of raccoon rabies.

In mid-September, the ministry will airdrop about 465,000 rabies vaccine baits in rural southwestern Ontario to control fox rabies.

The bait drops are supported by other rabies control programs, including trapping, vaccinating and releasing raccoons, and distributing baits by hand in selected urban area.

The vaccine baits are small, khaki-green cubes made of fat and wax. A toll free information telephone number (1-888-574-6656 and the words "DO NOT EAT" appear of each bait.

People should not touch the baits. If the vaccine inside the bait is touched, a doctor should be contacted as a precaution.

In Ontario, there have only been four confirmed cases of raccoon-strain rabies in the past two years, and levels of fox-strain rabies have dropped by more than 95 percent since the bait drops began in 1989.

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DuPont Provincial Nature Reserve

Opportunity to Review Preliminary Management Plan and Attend Open House
Public Notice:
Category B Project Evaluation/ Crown Land Use Amendment

The **Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR), Ontario Parks** invites you to attend open houses for review of the preliminary park management plan that has been prepared for the proposed DuPont Provincial Park. This Nature Reserve Class park will be 616 ha in size, and is located in the municipal Township of South Dundas, immediately east of the town of Morrisburg. The lands were originally acquired by the Nature Conservancy of Canada (NCC) from DuPont Canada Inc. through a combination of donation and purchase agreements between 1997 and 1999. Title to this property was transferred from NCC to the Crown (MNR, Ontario Parks) under a land holding agreement executed in 2001.

In 2001, Ontario Parks initiated a planning process to regulate the DuPont property as a Provincial Park under the *Provincial Parks Act* and to prepare a park management plan to guide management of the park for a 20-year period. At the start of the process, interested parties were invited to participate and to review and comment on the approved terms of reference. As part of the second stage, a background information document was prepared. The preliminary management plan is the third of four stages in the management planning process, and will be followed by the release of the approved park management plan. Notice of this stage of the planning process will be posted on September 13, 2005 on the Environmental Registry of the Environmental Bill of Rights at the following Internet address: http://www.ene.gov.on.ca/envision/env_reg/ebr/english/.

Open houses will be held **Saturday, September 10 from 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.** and **Tuesday, September 13 from 4:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.** at the McIntosh Inn in Morrisburg. Individuals who are unable to attend an open house are welcome to send written comments on the document – or any aspect of management planning for the proposed park – to the contact person listed below. The document is available from the Ontario Parks website at: http://www.ontarioparks.com/english/dupo_planning.html.

The proposal to create a new park is also being evaluated as a Category B project under the Class Environmental Assessment for Provincial Parks and Conservation Reserves. A Notice of Completion will be sent to those who submit comments or request further notice when the project evaluation is finished. The public is invited to comment on this evaluation.

An amendment to the Cornwall District Land Use Guidelines (1983) is required to recognize the DuPont property as a recommended provincial park. This minor amendment to Crown land use direction can be viewed on the Crown Land Use Policy Atlas website at: http://crownlanduseatlas.mnr.gov.on.ca/LUAmend.html. Public comments are invited on this land use amendment proposal.

A 45-day comment period for the preliminary management plan, environmental assessment and land use amendment begins **Tuesday, September 13, 2005.** Please ensure that your comments reach us by **Friday, October 28, 2005** and please cite the news media where you saw this notice. For more information or to submit comments, request further information, or have your name added to the mailing list, please contact:

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Comments and personal information regarding the DuPont Provincial Park management planning process are collected under the authority of the *Provincial Parks Act* and the *Environmental Assessment Act* to assist MNR in making decisions and to determine further public consultation needs relating to the park's management plan. Comments not constituting personal information, as defined by the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, will be shared among MNR and others, as appropriate, and may be included in documentation available for public review. Personal information will remain confidential unless prior consent to disclose is obtained. However, this information may be used by MNR to seek public input on similar projects.

Ontario

Obituaries

Coral Geurkink



After a lengthy battle with kidney disease, which she fought with courage and determination, Coral Geurkink, a lifelong resident of the Iroquois area passed away Sunday, August 14 at the Ottawa General Hospital. She was 57 years old.

The daughter of the late Frank and Dorothy (Herring) Marcell, Coral is survived by her husband John Geurkink whom she married on July 31, 1982, at the Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church.

She was born on July 20, 1948, in Iroquois.

Coral was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 370 in Iroquois, Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church, the Matilda Friendship Circle and the Red Hat Society. She volunteered with the Matilda Helping Hands, C.N.I.B. and the Canadian Cancer Society.

During her lifetime, Coral worked at a number of locations including: Automatic Electric, R.C.A. and Computer Assembly.

She enjoyed quiet days at home–reading, gardening, sewing and visiting with her neighbours, and she enjoyed the time spent at the cottage in Sylvia Lake, New York.

A devoted wife, mother, and grandmother who treasured the time spent with her family, especially her grandchildren, Coral's willingness to help anyone in need and her constant smile and positive attitude were an inspiration to all.

She will be lovingly remembered by her husband John and by her children Michelle St. Pierre (Shawn Markell) of Iroquois and Christa St. Pierre (Trevor Riopelle) of Iroquois.

She will be sadly missed by her brothers and sisters Sandra Thompson (Garry Lalonde) of Kingston, April Beckstead of Iroquois, Judy Byers (Ron Martin) of Winchester, Denise (Peter) Mueller of Brockville and Dale (Chris) Marcell of Kitchener, and by her stepbrother Gary "Pepper" (Sue) Robertson of Ajax.

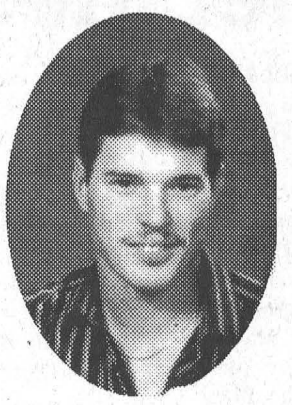
She will be fondly remembered by her grandchildren Davin, Tristen, Riley and Trenton and by many nieces and nephews.

Friends called at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home, in Iroquois on Wednesday, August 17 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. John Noordhof at the Williamsburg Christian Reformed Church on Thursday, August 18 and the inurnment of cremated remains was at the Spruce Haven Cemetery in Brinston.

Pallbearers were Ron Geurkink, Mike Geurkink, Gerald Westervelt, John Westervelt, Martin Westervelt and Gary Jones. Honorary pallbearers included Larry St. Pierre, Bob Hartle, Denzil Prunner, Neil McLaren and Blair MacLeod.

Donations to the Kidney Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

Kevin Thompson



Kevin Thompson passed away suddenly at his home in Hainsville on August 22, 2005. He was 42.

Born in Winchester on April 26, 1963, Kevin was the son of the late Glenn "Tippy" Thompson and Patsy Thompson (nee Strader) (John Scarbo) also of Hainsville.

Kevin was born and raised in Finch. When he was 11 years old, his family moved to the Iroquois area, where he has resided for the past 31 years.

Kevin worked at several locations during his lifetime including, Kemptville Co-op, Manderly Sod Farm, Superior Propane, Lacombe Waste and most recently South Ridge Sod Farm.

He enjoyed playing and watching hockey, and he loved animals. In his early years he trained horses for Paul Barkley.

Kevin is survived by his wife Christel Bellinger who he married in Brinston on September 19, 1987.

He was the dear father of Sarah and Matthew both, at home, and brother to Glenn "Eddy" (Jocelyn) of Cornwall and Chris (Donna) of Iroquois.

He is survived by his mother Patsy, by his maternal grandmother, Lulu Strader of Brampton and by many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews.

A private funeral service was held at the Marsden McLaughin Funeral Home in Williamsburg, on Friday, August 26 with Reverend Yvonne Willis officiating.

Interment of cremated remains was at the Finch Community Cemetery.

Donations to the Ottawa Regional Cancer Society would be appreciated by the family.

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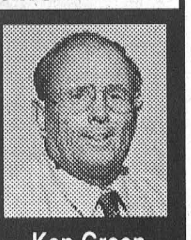

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Local OPP Report

Pharmacy alarmed

MORRISBURG–The alarm at the Seaway Valley Pharmacy sounded when culprits attempted to enter the building by prying the back door at around 7 p.m. last Wednesday. OPP officers responded to the alarm call, and the culprits did not gain entry to the building. Constable Dean Canham is the investigating officer.

All players show support

Good feedback for Galop Canal plan

MORRISBURG – MP Guy Lauzon, MPP Jim Brownell, and Mayor Lyle Van Allen, were among those who attended a breakfast meeting hosted by the Galop Canal Project, August 25, at the McIntosh Inn.

The purpose of the meeting was to bring various stakeholders together in order to get feedback on the Development Plan for the Iroquois Galop Canal area.

In June of this year, the plan was approved in principle by the township council, and the project then delivered copies of the plan to Ontario Power Generation, the St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation, and the United Counties of SD&G, for their comment and review.

As these organizations are land owners in the area surrounding the canal, the Galop Canal Project and the township need to work together closely with them.

Frédéric Dufault, the Asset Management Officer for Seaway Management, traveled to South Dundas from Montreal in order to address the meeting on behalf of his organization.

The St. Lawrence Seaway Management Corporation, according to M. Dufault, is very open to helping in the revitalization of the area.

Linda Halliday, Public Affairs Officer for Ontario Power Generation, is very supportive of the project, and said that an official response to the plan would be available shortly.

Cam Martel, president of the South Dundas Chamber of Commerce, reiterated his organization's support for the project, saying the Chamber is 100% behind the revitalization of the canal area.

Geraldine Fitzsimmons, the Coordinator of the Galop Canal Project, was overwhelmed by the support from the attendees, and is looking forward to working together with all those who share the common goal of revitalizing the Iroquois waterfront, preserving the unique history of the area, and enhancing the quality of life of the citizens of South Dundas.

Local OPP Report

Cavalier theft

ELMA–A car was stolen from a private driveway along County Road 7, last Thursday between 1 and 3 a.m.

Police responded to the reported theft at about 3:30 a.m. The vehicle is described as a 1998 Chev Cavalier, four door, black, bearing Ontario plates #AVXZ 777.

Constable Dawn Ferguson is the investigating officer.

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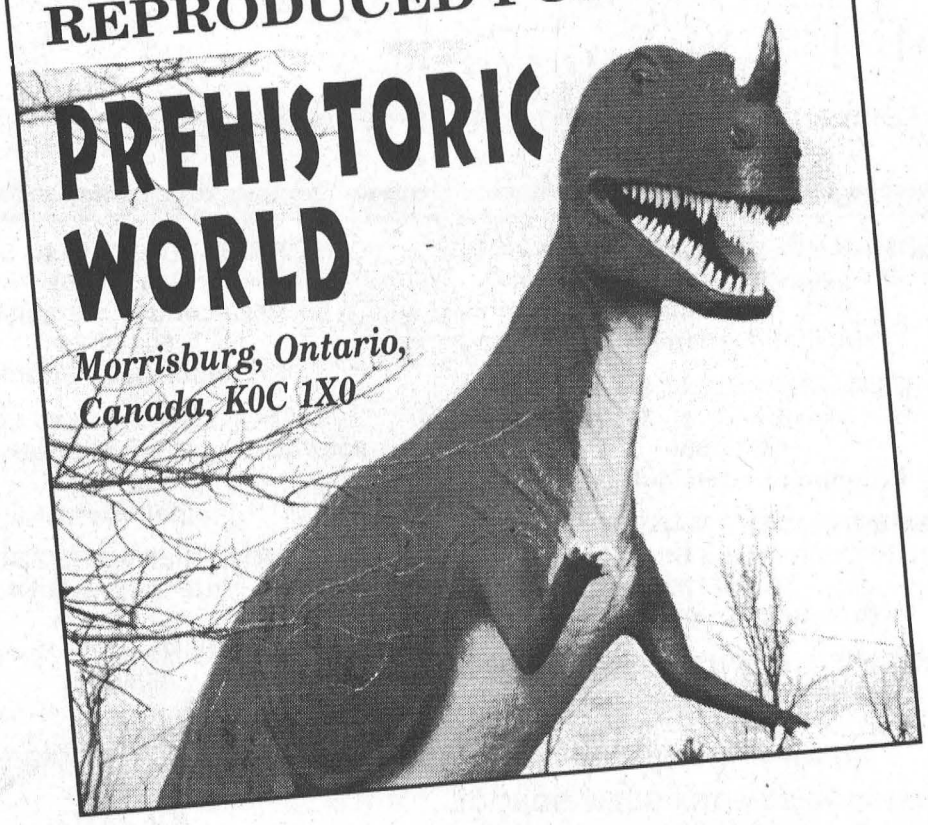

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Summer Heights on top again

WILLIAMSBURG–The Summer Heights Junior Valley League team made it win number two for their club here Wednesday afternoon when their six person team combined for a 528 stroke total to win the annual junior competition. The win follows on the heels of Summer Heights women's team who won their event in Iroquois last weekend.

Second place in the Junior Valley League went to the hosting Cedar Glen team with 544 strokes and Iroquois, (defending 2004 champs) finished third with 562 strokes. Morrisburg was next with 598 and Sandy Row had 608.

The Junior Valley League is played in two age categories, with three players in each of the younger juvenile and the junior divisions. The six scores are combined for the team total. In addition, each of the five member clubs sends one spare, and one girl whose scores do not count for the team.

Summer Heights was strong in the juvenile division with a 279 stroke total. Grant Barr led his team and collected the low gross overall in the juvenile division with an 80, and he was backed by Kelley O'Neill with a 98 and Devin Coughlin with a 100. Contributing solid efforts for the Summer Heights team in the junior division were Matt O'Neill and Chad Denault both with 84s and Dillon Barr with an 82.

The Cedar Glen team was led by Kurtis Barkley who produced the low gross of the day in the junior category with a solid 74. Alex Campbell shot an 83 and Grant MacMillan an 87. In the juvenile division Dylan Fawcett shot a 93, Jessica Whitteker a 96 and Michael Melenhorst a 111. Whitteker's 96 gave her a 61 for the low net in the juvenile division.

Adam Patrick led the Iroquois team in the junior division with a 75 which was also good for a 67 low net overall in the category. Nick McCaslin added an 86 and Ryan Swank a 94. In the juvenile category Luke Stewart shot a 91, Kyle Saunders a 106 and Eric Heldens a 110.

An 88 was the top score for the Morrisburg team and it was shot by Chris Tindal. Jay Keller carded a 97 and Matt Hummell a 112. In the juvenile category Adam Tindal shot a 97 and Kyle Gallinger and Brandon St. Louis both had 102s.

For Sandy Row, Jake McRoberts shot a 95, Ethan VanKoppen a 96 and Matt Bird a 103. In the Juvenile category Derek Simms shot 95, Kerry Cooper a 101 and Travis Cooper a 118.

Carrie Thurler had the low score for the girls with a 99.



The Junior Valley League Summer Height's Championship team included, front l-r, Adrianne Markell, Matt O'Neill, Chad Denault and Kelly O'Neill. Back, l-r are Devin Doughlin, Kyle Maloney, Dillon Barr and Grant Barr. *McNairn Photos*



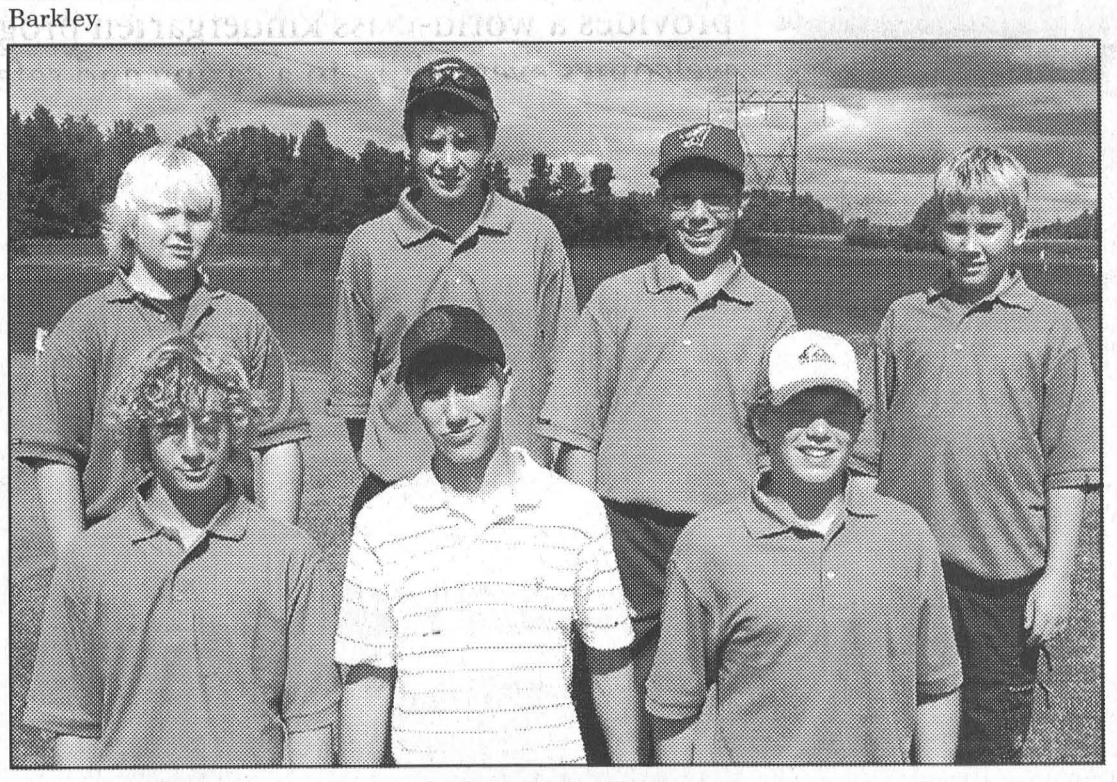
The Morrisburg team included, front l-r, Matt Hummell, Adam Tindal, Chris Tindal and Stephenie Cochrane. Back, l-r, are Kyle Gallinger, Brandon St. Louis, Jay Keller and Simon Thomas.



The Cedar Glen team included, front l-r, Carrie Thurler, Grant MacMillan and Alex Campbell. Back l-r are Jessica Whitteker, Vinnie Petralia, Dylan Fawcett, Michael Melenhorst and Kurtis Barkley.



The Sandy Row team included, front l-r, Matt Havakes, Ethan VanKoppen and Travis Cooper. Back l-r, Derek Simms, Matt Byrd, Kerry Cooper and Jake McRoberts.



The Iroquois team included, front l-r, Nick McCaslin, Jesse Lapier and Ryan Swank. Back l-r, are Kyle Saunders, Adam Patrick, Luke Stewart and Eric Heldens.

Valley League sweep for Summer Heights

MORRISBURG–The Summer Heights men's Valley League team captured the men's Valley League championship D. MacLennan trophy at the annual tournament hosted Sunday by the Morrisburg Golf Club.

Summer Heights posted a 14 team member total score of 1,212 strokes to edge out Cedar Glen at 1,218. Iroquois was third at 1,265 and Sandy Row, fourth at 1,281.

The Morrisburg team, with a team total of 1,202 strokes, was not eligible for the team win due to an individual disqualification in an incident involving procedure in an out-of-bounds situation.

Kirk Barkley of Cedar Glen had the low gross of the 85 player field with an impressive one-over-par 71. Playing in the Club Captain position he picked up the Club Captain trophy for low net with a 62.

Low gross of the day among the team members and the Millard Trophy was won by Lew Stanley of Summer Heights with a 74.

Stanley and Barkley were two of 10 players to break the 80 barrier on the Morrisburg course which was in excellent condition. Wind affected much of the day's play.

Also breaking the 80 mark for the day was Kevin Duvall of Morrisburg. His 75 gave him a 67 for the low net in A flight.

A 76 was the low round in junior play and that was shot by Kurtis Barkley of Cedar Glen who picked up the Highlands Junior Trophy.

John Bongers and Mike McAllister from Cedar Glen both carded 76s and Brian McNairn and Lance Lepage of Morrisburg shot 77 and 78 respectively. Steve Harps of Summer Heights shot a 78 and Craig Villeneve of Cedar Glen broke the 80 barrier with a 79.

The low gross in B flight and the Sports Unlimited trophy went to Sandy Row's Dave Fagan with an 82, and Roland Vallee of Summer Heights won the low gross in C flight with an 86.

The Morrisburg Club swept the net wins.

In the senior spot, Charlie Moore shot an 83 to win the T. Parker Net senior trophy with a 72, and he was joined by Duvall who had low net in A flight. In B flight, Lee Beaupre shot an 83 to win the Cedar Glen Net trophy with a 70 net, and in C flight, Terry Laurin shot an 88 to win the Highlands net trophy, also with a 70.

Maurice Kolff of Iroquois won the President's net trophy shooting an 84 for his 73 net.



Summer Heights Sweeps Local Golf Play McNairn photo

It's been 21 years since the Summer Heights Men's Valley League team claimed the tournament championship, but they did so in Morrisburg Sunday to make it three in a row for the Summer Heights club. The club now holds the championship in the ladies, junior and men's Valley League categories. Pictured above members of the Summer Heights men's team, are, front l-r, Greg Plumadore, Roland Vallee, Steve Harps, Brent Lawson, Dan Julien and Matt O'Neill. Back, l-r, Bob Johnson, Joe Derochie, Frank Miller, Ray Macdonald, Mike Livermore, Bob Deschamps, Gene Villeneuve and Lew Stanley. Absent: Don Lamorie, Bob Longtin and Marcel Bastien.

Team scores: Summer Heights A flight–Lew Stanley 74, Steve Harps 78, Dan Julien 80, Bob Johnson 83. B flight–Bob Deschamps 83, Mike Livermore 87, Don Lamorie 88, Greg Plumadore 88. C flight–Roland Vallee 86, Bob Longtin 92, Frank Miller 98, Marcel Bastien 102. Senior Brent Lawson 89 and Junior Matt O'Neill 84.

Iroquois: A flight–Keith Claxton 82, Matt Anderson 83, Robin McIntosh 86, Matt Radley 92. B flight–Jordie MacDonald 85, Brooke Leightizer 86, Rob Delegarde 89, Don Poland 90. C flight–Kent McDermid 88, Don Pollock 98, Rick MacKenzie 102, Don Martelle 108. Senior Harry McCallam 89, Junior Adam Patrick 87.

Cedar Glen: A flight–John Bongers 76, Mike McAllister 76, Craig Villeneuve 79, Dave Bird 83. B flight–Gary Lafave 84, Lloyd Guy 86, Bruce Whitteker 89, Jeff Whitteker 91. C flight–Kevin Whitteker 96, Bill VanRyswyk 96, Dale Whitteker

Iroquois Golf Club

CHEO Fundraiser This Weekend

This Saturday, the Iroquois Golf Club will be hosting its 7th annual CHEO Classic Golf Tournament presented by RTK Jewellers. This year's tournament promises to be the most enjoyable yet. Over the past six years the tournament has raised more than $65,000 for the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario, with more than $17,000 raised last year alone.

The day consists of 18 holes of golf, a golf prize, silent auction, delicious turkey dinner, draw prizes and three hours of entertainment by Dave Kalil "Ottawa's Piano Man". The format is a four person scramble and is open to both men and women. The entry fee is $55 per person and includes everything listed above and also a donation to CHEO.

Club manager Steve Martineau has been working diligently over the past two months to make sure that this event is the highlight of the year. "The CHEO Classic is consistently the most enjoyable day of the year. With upwards of 200 people getting together for such a great cause makes all of the work worthwhile" says Mr. Martineau. "To raise such a large amount of money in a small community is very rewarding".

In the past, the tournament was limited to 152 golfers, but this year the field is being expanded to 164 golfers, therefore there is still room for three foursomes. As well, for only $25 non-golfers are invited to purchase tickets to attend the silent auction, turkey supper and live entertainment. The silent auction will begin at 3:30 p.m. and the entire evening will wrap up by 8 p.m.

The $25 ticket price includes a $10 donation to CHEO. For more information or to register for the event as a golfer or non-golfer please call Steve or Rick at 652-4367. The event will proceed rain or shine, as a tent has been rented for the day to protect everyone from the elements.



Williamsburg's Winning Ways

The Williamsburg Senior Girls Softball team ended a successful season with a championship. The girls had a season long record of 21 wins and three losses, and went on to claim the "A" championship by winning against Mountain and Iroquois Team Two. Picture front left to right are Emma Vaughn, Kassie Whitteker, Jenna Shay and Alex Lascelle. Middle, left to right are Shawna Brassard and Jenny Vaughn. Back left to right are Kelly VanHoof, Stacey Johnston, Jordan Schaillee, Katie Hendriks, Caroline Breitler and Jackie VanHoff. Coaches were Laurie VanHoof and Rick Vaughn.



McNairn Photo

Luke Whitteker hits the track

IROQUOIS–Luke Whitteker is busy preparing for the final lap of his first year of competitive kart racing, and as he heads down the home stretch he has one goal in mind, winning the points championship at both Brockville and Cornwall Speedways.

Luke, who is 11 years old and heading into grade 7 at Iroquois Public School, races in the Rookie 2 age category and is a first-year member of both the Cornwall and Brockville Karting Clubs.

"This is my first year," says Luke, and what a year it has been as the young racer has won five races, finished second four times and added a pair of third place trophies to his trophy case.

He says he first became interested in kart racing on a visit to his aunt's home in Montreal when they went to a couple of cart tracks. In addition, he claims his "need for speed" comes from his dad Kevin who always interested in the sport of racing in one form or another, and in particular snowmobile racing. Mom, Elaine, is also an avid race fan.

Luke received his 5 hp Briggs & Stratton powered kart for Christmas and began his racing this past spring. He says he clearly remembers his first race on May 24.

"I really didn't know what I was doing. But, my Dad met some people there, and they helped him to set up the kart. He and his friend taught me how to race better and get around the track."

In that first race Luke finished third out of six karts. "I was really nervous," says Luke with his mother adding, "We all were."

Race nights are Tuesdays in Cornwall and Wednesdays in Brockville. "You go hot laps which are for practice, then the heats for your position in the feature which is the final," explains Luke. "We have to wear a helmet, safety gloves and non-baggy coat and pants."

As he races towards the end of his first season which winds up this week, Luke says his goal is to win the points championships. He goes into the finals at both tracks in second place close behind the leaders. His strategy while running, is "I like to challenge myself and go places nobody else goes. I like to go high to the top of the track."

While he is a big fan of Dale Earnhardt Jr., Luke now has a few fans of his own. "I've brought some friends to the races," he says, with mom adding, "I'd say we are your number one fans."

In addition to his parents Luke thanks Parcoll in Morrisburg, Krown in Iroquois, Jim's Performance Plus and "my grandpa, Ron," all have whom have provided some financial sponsorship. "I am always looking for sponsors."

Although he does a lot of the work required on his kart Luke also counts on Dad. "You only run 10 races on the engine and then you rebuild it," says Kevin who like Luke, "loves racing. We were big dirt track fans and my mom used to race snowmobiles. She was one of the best racers around."

Last Wednesday (August 24) Luke finished with a first in Brockville to win the Lightning Kart Supply trophy. Last night (Tuesday) he was racing for the points championship in Cornwall and tonight he is in Brockville for the final races of the season.



Oh So Sweet, The Victory Lap

In the photo top, Luke Whitteker sits in his kart with his display of trophies earned this summer and above, he is photographed as he makes a victory lap. It has been a good season for the young driver who is chasing two track points championships.

Seven down and two to go

MORRISBURG – It's now seven down and two to go for the Hill Brothers in the Dunlop National Tire Road Racing Association Series and after races at Putnam Park Meridian in Indiana last weekend the duo remains in contention for the series points championship.

The local team had mixed results in Indiana last weekend and while only Trevor picked up a first place finish (Saturday), their results along with those of their competitors did little to affect the overall standings.

"I won on Saturday, but the whole weekend started really bad," says Trevor, explaining that when it was time to set out on the 16 hour drive on Wednesday night they were still waiting on their motors which were being rebuilt.

For his practice everything worked good although he wasn't as fast as he would have liked to have been.

In Saturday's race, Trevor was running second from the start. "The guy (Adam Romito) ahead of me blew his motor, so I won the race. It was a surprise to him and it was a surprise to me."

In Sunday's race, Trevor put himself in a hole where he got blocked in and as a result he was unable to catch Romito who was again the leader.

As a result the two, battling it out for the overall series win, both picked up a first and second place finish which meant, "nobody gained any ground. We are still very close."



Hills Kart Team in Virginia this Weekend

Travis Hill drives his new F1-K kart during races in Indiana over the past weekend.

Trevor, who drives for All-Kart out of Boston, says he looks forward to the final two races of the series which will be run on his two favourite tracks, the first in New Hampshire and the second in Atlanta Georgia.

The weekend in Indiana had mixed results for Travis who, following a recent trip to Toronto, switched kart manufacturers and is now driving an F1-K Kart.

"I was working at getting comfortable with the kart," says Travis noting he was quick all weekend. He picked up a fourth place on Saturday, and a sixth on Sunday, which didn't hurt his standing as the series leader dropped out.

His weekend battle, however, wasn't with the points leader but with Beth Chryst with whom he has developed a friendly rivalry. He passed her to move into third place, "but she caught my coattails. She's very fast on the straights." In the last split second of the race Chryst pulled ahead to claim the third place finish.

Saturday night Travis made changes to his Kart which would allow him more speed on the turns, but make him slower on the straights.

Sunday, "I was drafting with fourth place, when my motor started to slow." An overheating problem forced him to back off and finish sixth.

Travis also looks forward to the final races, in New Hampshire in October and Atlanta in early November.

While the brothers look forward to these final races, their attention this week has been on preparing for The Stock Car Spectacular Weekend in Virginia this weekend which is expected to attract 12-15,000 spectators.

The Hills team is participating through an invite and are thankful to a favourite uncle whose sponsorship has made the trip possible.

"We are hoping to do really well," says Travis who is going in as a favourite. The All-Star race weekend is expected to be aired on television later this fall.

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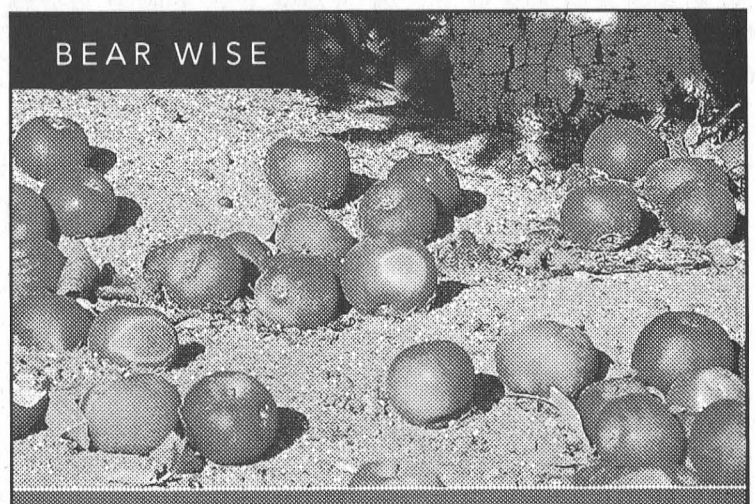

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This Week at MGC

MORRISBURG –As we approach Labour Day Weekend we look ahead at the next few week's of golf and the end of another golf season.

Many of our golfers were off and away on holidays over the past few weeks, but many are back and as a result we hosted some big ladies' and men's nights last week. The ladies teed off a field of close to 50 players while the men had about 90 out for their evening which was sponsored by Cruickshank Construction and "The Teachers".

Stepping into the winner's circle for the low gross in A flight was Nick Timmers with a 36 while Larry Cooper and Jim Annable were the low in B flight with 38s. Cooper stepped forward for the low gross win and Annable got the nod for low net. In C flight, it was Orval Delage with the win with a 43. Net winners were Jo Barclay Probst in A flight and Ray Boucher in C. Larry Gallinger and Mike Laurin were closest to the pin winners.

Ladies action on Wednesday was sponsored by BIBA and play was as two or three-person scrambles. Winning the two person scramble were Carol Dawley and Linda Barclay who teamed for a 39, and the low net win went to Patty Boucher and Chris Ozinga. In the three-person scramble, the winners were Judy Laurin, Lori Anne Davies and Shannon Casselman with a 34. Low net was won by the team of Carolyn Weegar, Lorie Pitt and Maggie Corden.

Tonight's ladies night (Wednesday, August 31) is sponsored by VandenBosch Elevator and will feature a gift exchange. The final ladies night of the 2005 season is set for Wednesday, September 7 and will be sponsored by Boucher Precast. The ladies finale is schedule for Saturday, September 10 and the evening meal will be a roast turkey dinner. Advance registrations (with prepayment) are now underway at the snack bar for the Saturday final.

Coming up this Thursday, September 1, the men's night is sponsored by Pinkus Tire. The men have play scheduled for September 8 and their evening wrap-up on Thursday, September 15. The final men's day tournament will run on Saturday, September 17 and preregistrations are required.

Friday night wing nights, featuring our very popular fish and chips will continue until Friday, September 16 and of course we continue to serve up those great breakfasts daily.

The course is wide-open for regular play over the upcoming long weekend so, until next time...Good Golfing.



Markell's Win Family Tournament

Team Markell and Team Lewis were both undefeated going into the finals at the Riverside Family Tournament over the weekend, but it was the Markell's who came out on the winning end of an exciting championship game. Picture above is the winning team who includes (back left to right) Johnathon Moore, Lloyd Jollotta, Randy Markell, Ronnie Morrow, Eric Sypes and Kenny Markell. Front left to right are Marsha Shaver, Brittany Markell, Kevin Markell, Tyler Markell, Christine Hartle, Danny Markell and Chantal Markell. Absent from photo is Shawn Markell.

Markells top family tournament

RIVERSIDE HEIGHTS – Two undefeated teams headed into the finals at the annual family slo-pitch tournament, and it was Team Markell, which remained that way to claim the title.

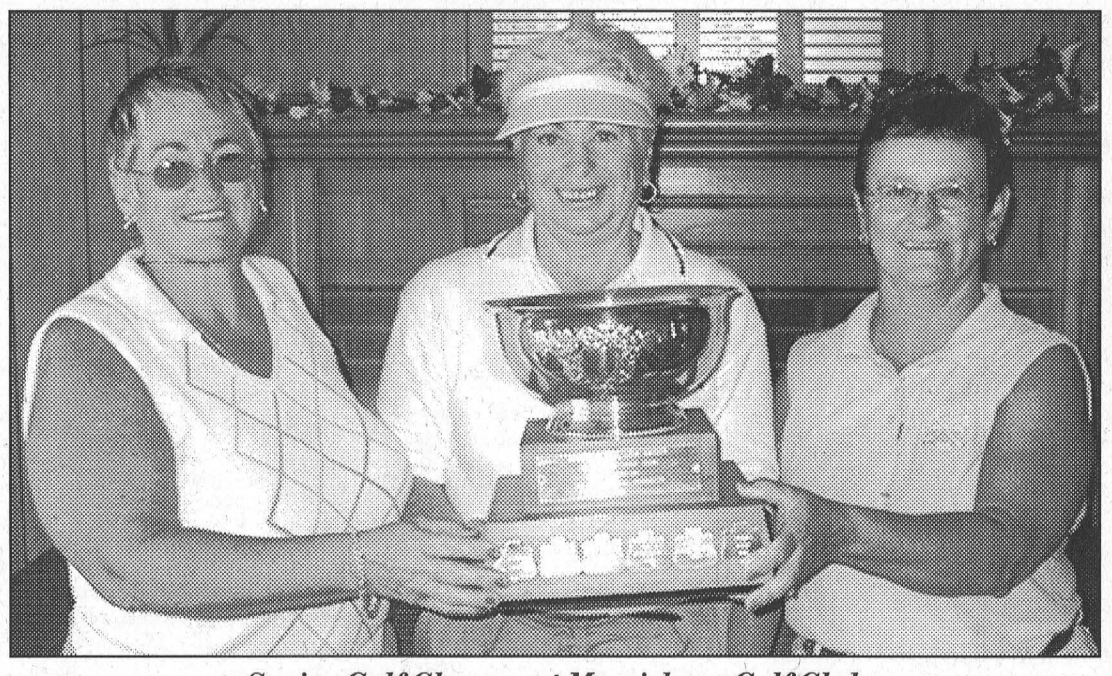
The final score of the exciting championship match up between Team Markell and Team Lewis was 6-4.

Team Markell went ahead in the fifth inning and held on to their lead over the last to innings for the win.

On the road to the final Team Markell won their games 21-3 over Hunters and 20-4 over the Mabels.

Team Lewis beat the Hodgsons and the O'Neil/Whites to get to the final.

Kevin Markell was proud of his team's strong performance and said that he would like to see some of the old family teams, like the VanMoorsel's participate in next year's event.



Senior Golf Champs at Morrisburg Golf Club

The Morrisburg Golf Club senior ladies (Monday morning group) played their club championship on Monday, August 29 with the following results: Shirley Wells–Nine hole net champ with a 54 gross for a 36 net; Dot MacDonald–Nine hole gross champion with a 49; Denise Lebrun–18 hole net champion with a 98 gross for a 68 net; Monique Patenaude–18 hole gross champion with an 87. Pictured above, left to right are Denise Lebrun, Barb Allard (who organizes the Monday League) and Patenaude.

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Junior Tournament Winners

Adam Patrick (right) of the Iroquois Golf Club claimed the championship of the Morrisburg Golf Club's junior tournament played at the course last Tuesday. For the win, Patrick shot a 76. Joining him in the winner's circle was Morrisburg golfer, Adam Tindal who posted a 101 for the low net of the tournament with a 68. Tindal was presented the George and Helen Wallace Trophy and Patrick received the Casselman Insurance Trophy.

Valley League

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101, Jeff Barry 103. Senior J.P. St. Pierre 82, Junior Kurtis Barkley 76.

Sandy Row: A flight–Mark Vanasse 82, Tony Eyre 83, Greg Vandellan 86, Paul Casselman 87. B flight–Dave Fagan 82, Joey Barkley 93, John Hitsman 94, Toby Schneidmiller 94. C flight–Larry Berry 90, Rod Stitt 95, Chris Miles 97, Greg Workman 114. Senior Bill Hogoboam 85, Junior Ethan Vankoppen 99.

Morrisburg: Kevin Duvall 75, Brian McNairn 77, Lance Lepage 78, Randy Casselman 80. B flight–Lee Beaupre 83, Sean Boulerice 85, Sam Laurin 89, Allan Black 93. C flight–Terry Laurin 88, Josh Laurin 92, Andy Allard 93, Jack Newsom 95. Senior Charlie Moore 83, Junior Chris Tindal 90.

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BINGO
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Sat., Sept. 3, 7 a.m. start, #4696 McIntosh Road, off County Rd. 18, south of Dundela. 35p

YARD SALE
At Caravan Park, CV 11756 Lot 46. Follow signs (turn right on Oak) Sat., Sept. 3, 7 a.m.–4 p.m. 35p

SHUFFLEBOARD
Resuming Tuesday, Sept. 6 and continuing every Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 7 p.m.–9 p.m., Matilda Hall. Everyone welcome. Info, Dwight, 652-4363. 35c

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Sat., Sept. 10, dance, This Old Heart and The Country Comrades, 8–12, light lunch; $6 admission; Sat., Sept. 17, Autumn Fest dance, This Old Heart and The Country Comrades, 8–12, light lunch, $6 admission; Sat., Sept. 24, dance, The Marlboreens (Ron and Faye Donnelly), 8–12, light lunch, $6 admission. 35p

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–Thanks from our hearts, The Hartford residents 35c

HOLMES–Words cannot express my heartfelt thanks to all who helped during Ross' illness. Thanks to: Bayshore nurses, Paramed Support workers, and Reina DeJong of Hospice for all their help; Eva Guerin, Eva Garlough, Cheryl and Jim Levere and Lillian Roberts who helped when I needed them; my neighbors at Riverview apts. and friends for food, donations and cards, it was deeply appreciated; Danny McLaughlin for help and support after Ross' passing; the pallbearers; honorary pallbearers; Sandra Barkley for her lovely singing and playing; Rev. Janet Evans and Rev. Carnegie for their visits, comforting words and service. Ross was a great man, I will surely miss him. He would have been so happy to have had such a wonderful service. May God bless you all.
–Phyllis Holmes 35p

WERT–Thank you to the Morrisburg Fire and Rescue, ambulance service, neighbours and Dr. Burke from Winchester Hospital and nurses in E.R. They averted what could have been a tragedy. Special thanks to my wife and daughter.
–Bill Wert 35p

LOOSE, Joseph Nixon– We wish to express our gratitude for the many acts of kindness we received at the time of Joe's passing. To Dr. Domanko and the W.D.M.H. 2nd floor nursing staff for their care; Kim for her help and phone calls in our absence; David and Monica for their excellent care and guidance before and after the funeral; Rev. Darren May for the wonderful service and words of comfort; the seven special pallbearers; Sandra Barkley for music; our special granddaughter, Kait, for her solo; the Legion ladies for the lovely luncheon; cards, donations, calls and food brought to our home and to the Hartford management and staff for the wonderful care of Joe for the past 5 years. Blessings to all.
–Neil and Maureen Williams and families 35p

THURLER–We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to our family, friends and neighbors for your support and kindness following our accident. Thank you for your visits, phone calls and food. A sincere thank you to the ambulance attendants and police for arriving at the scene so quickly. Thanks to the Winchester Hospital and CHEO for the great care we received. Your kindness will always be remembered.
–Nick and Lynn Thurler and family 35p

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Blue Thunder Wins Roller Hockey League Championship

The Dundas Men's Roller Hockey League wrapped up last Thursday night with an exciting championship game between the top two teams, Blue Thunder and White Lightning. Thunder prevailed, winning this year's championship. Pictured above is the winning team. Front and centre is goaltender Richard Gauthier. Kneeling left to right are Brian Shaver, Justin Elliott, Billy Henderson and Gary McInnis. Standing, left to right are Robert Thurler, Aaron Sherrer, Marcus Tanner and Trevor Morozuk.

Men's Roller Hockey

One final Thunder clap

MORRISBURG – The playoff of the Dundas Men's Roller Hockey League, ended much the same as regular season play, but what was extraordinary was the effort that was needed for the first and third place teams to capture the A and B championships respectively.

Blue Thunder and White Lightning faced off for the A championship last Thursday night, and the first-place team, Blue Thunder ended up with the 6-5 win.

Blue Thunder held a 4-1 lead early in the third period, but with about eight minutes remaining in the game, the Lightning stuck three times within four minutes, and had it all tied at four.

With 2.5 minutes remaining in the game, the Lightning took the lead, 5-4. Twenty seconds later, Blue thundered back to tie the game at five all, and then with just over a minute remaining in the game, Gary McInnis scored the game winner for Blue Thunder.

Blue Thunder's six goals came from four different players including Rob Thurler, Justin Elliott (2), Gary McInnis (2), and Trevor Morozuk.

White Lightning's five goals were scored by Kelly Beckstead (2) and Travis Rowe (3).

In the B final, it took overtime for Black Attack, who finished third in regular season play, to claim the title over Orange Crush.

Orange Crush held a 2-1 lead at the end of the first period, and a 3-2 lead at the end of the second period, but Black Attack tied the game 3-3 early in the final frame.

However, Orange Crush bounced back, with only 1:40 remaining in the game to take a 4-3 lead.

Black again mounted an attack and with only 18 seconds left in the game tied it, and sent it into overtime.

Stephane Daviault, scored to give Black Attack the win in the B final.

Scoring for the Black Attack were Steve Mattice, Daviault (2), and Francis Degenais (2).

Orange Crush goals were scored by Jon Chambers (2), Steve Beehler and Ryan Thompson.

The A division winning team was presented a trophy from the Chesterville Women's Ball Hockey League, which did not run this year.

Organizer, Jamie McIntosh, was grateful for the donation of the trophy but said that should the Women's League get up an running again, he would be happy to give it back to them.

IROQUOIS LEGION NEWSLETTER

Royal Canadian Legion

Branch #370

IROQUOIS – It's hard to believe that this is the last weekend of August, next weekend is Labour Day. Where has the glorious summer gone?

Cribbage league will be resuming on Saturday, September 10 at 1:00 p.m. sharp in the lounge. Remember, if you enjoy playing cribbage why not come out, you do not have to be a legion member to play, just show up.

Thirteen tables of euchre were on the go on Tuesday, August 22. Claiming the first prize was Frank Welsh, with Vera Wallace picking up second prize. Marguerite Campbell snagged the door prize and Dorene Mullin had low score for the evening. A couple of skunks could be found loitering around the Branch, and Marie Barkley and Myrtle Johnson each captured one.

There were three tables of duplicate bridge. High winners were Laura Burgess and Pat McCourt.

The Pot of Gold winner was Judy Byers who was not signed in, although she had been seen in the Branch. It only takes a minute to drop your loony in the pot and sign your name.

The Friday luncheon is shepherds pie with gravy and apple pudding for dessert. Wilma Playfair is the winner of this weeks free meal.

Registration for mixed league darts will be Friday, September 9 and 16. The cost is $5 and all are welcome, and again your don't have to be a legion member to join.

The 12th Annual Mixed Golf Tournament (Scramble) to kick off Legion Week will be held Saturday, September 17 at Iroquois Golf Club. The cost is $40 per person which includes 18 holes of golf, dinner, prizes and a dance. The shotgun start is at 11:00 a.m.

There will be a wine and cheese evening, Friday, September 23, featuring Ted Barris at 7:00 p.m. He is a well known author having written a number of books including: Days of Victory: Canadians Remember 1939-1945; Juno: Canadians at D-Day June 6, 1944; Deadlock in Korea: Canadian at War 1950-1953; and Behind the Glory" The Plan That Won The Allied Air War. Admission is free and all are welcome.

The Christmas Craft Show and Sale will be held November 5. Please keep this date in mind and for all you crafters, you should be receiving your newsletter pertaining to this popular event sometime this week.

Until next week, take care, Dar.



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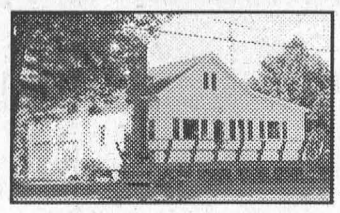
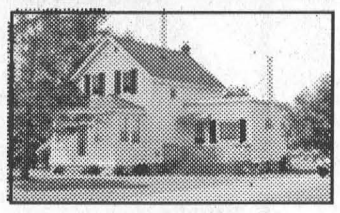


5703 Duncan St., Mariatown – Three bedroom home just remodelled, decorated with new kitchen, new flooring, large raised wooden deck and double attached garage. Riverview, watch the ships pass by on the beautiful St. Lawrence. $169,900.



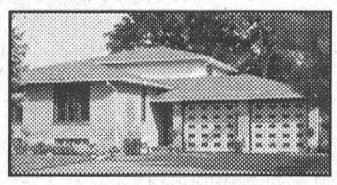
Riverside Drive – Well maintained two bedroom residence on a large landscaped lot. Convenient location along County Rd. #2, just east of Morrisburg. Spacious and well decorated. $115,000.



10 Carman Court, Iroquois – Semi-detached in move-in condition, three bedrooms, two baths, main bath with large soaker tub, eat-in kitchen, living room and lower level workshop and family room. $109,900.



16 Coyle Drive, Morrisburg – Three bedroom bungalow on a large landscaped lot a short distance from the river and Morrisburg. Hardwood floors, attached double car garage and two baths. Lots of development potential in basement. $189,000.



49 First St., Morrisburg – Spacious well maintained three bedroom home in excellent location. Large living room, formal dining room, family room and kitchen with oak cupboards. This home is perfect for the growing family. Sales Representative - John Morrow. $244,900.



4601 County Rd. #31 – Three bedroom brick bungalow on a large landscaped country lot. Two baths, hardwood floors, central air and partially finished basement. Sales Representative - John Morrow. **New Price** - $149,900.

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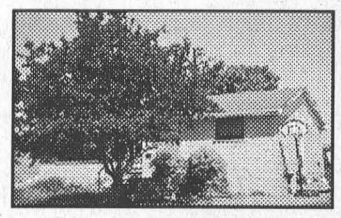

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NEW LISTING - MORRISBURG – Three bedroom bungalow with open concept kitchen dining area with upgraded windows, living room. Full basement with family room and 4th bedroom with new carpet, laundry, utility room, cedar lined closet. 2 baths. 2 car garage fully insulated. Asking $165,000.



NEW LISTING - BRINSTON – Unique three bedroom home and former furniture store. Eat-in kitchen, living room, dining room, sunroom. Many original hardwood floors, ceilings, and woodwork. Attached store 18' x 48' plus upstairs storage. Barn 30' x 40' & workshop. Asking $117,500.



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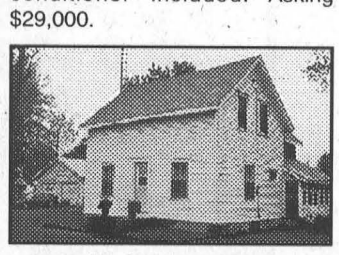

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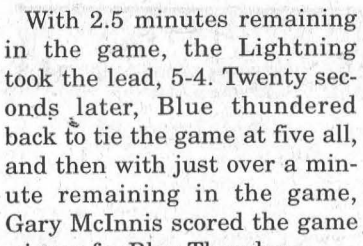

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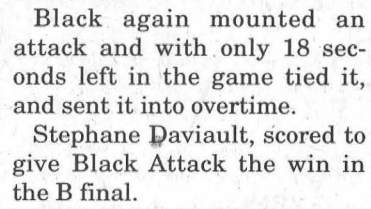

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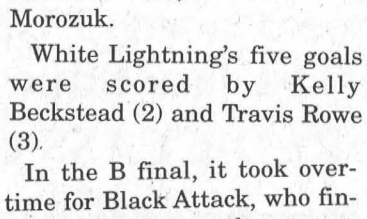

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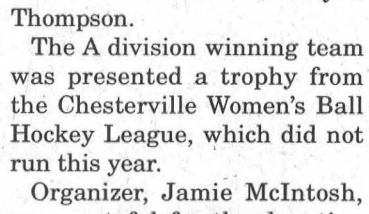

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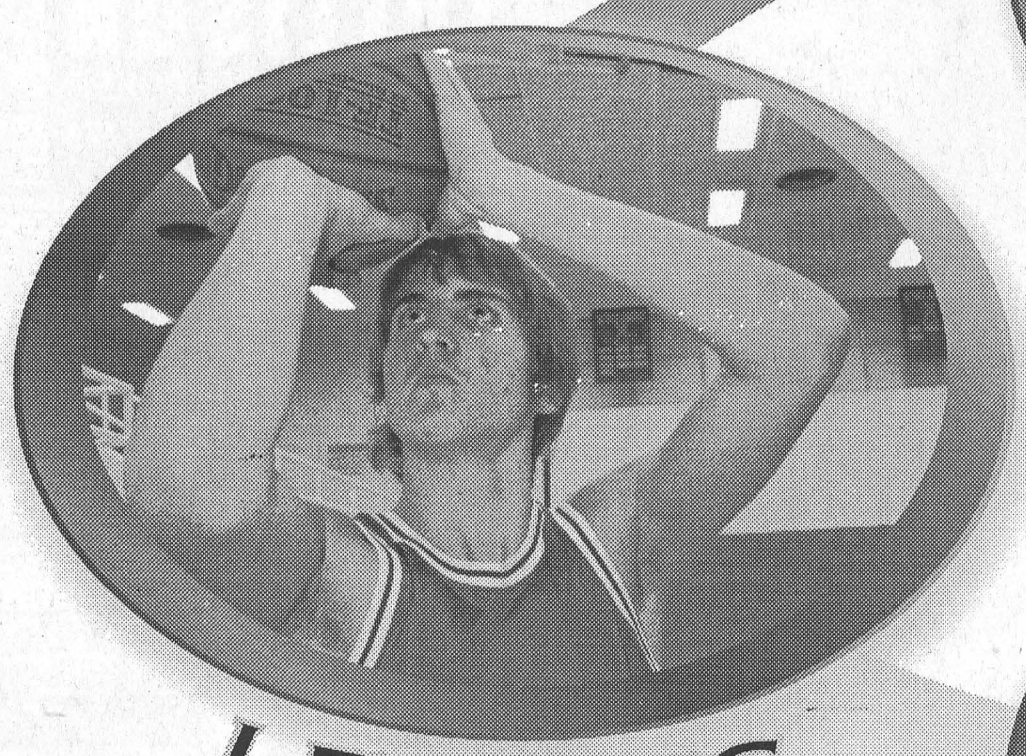

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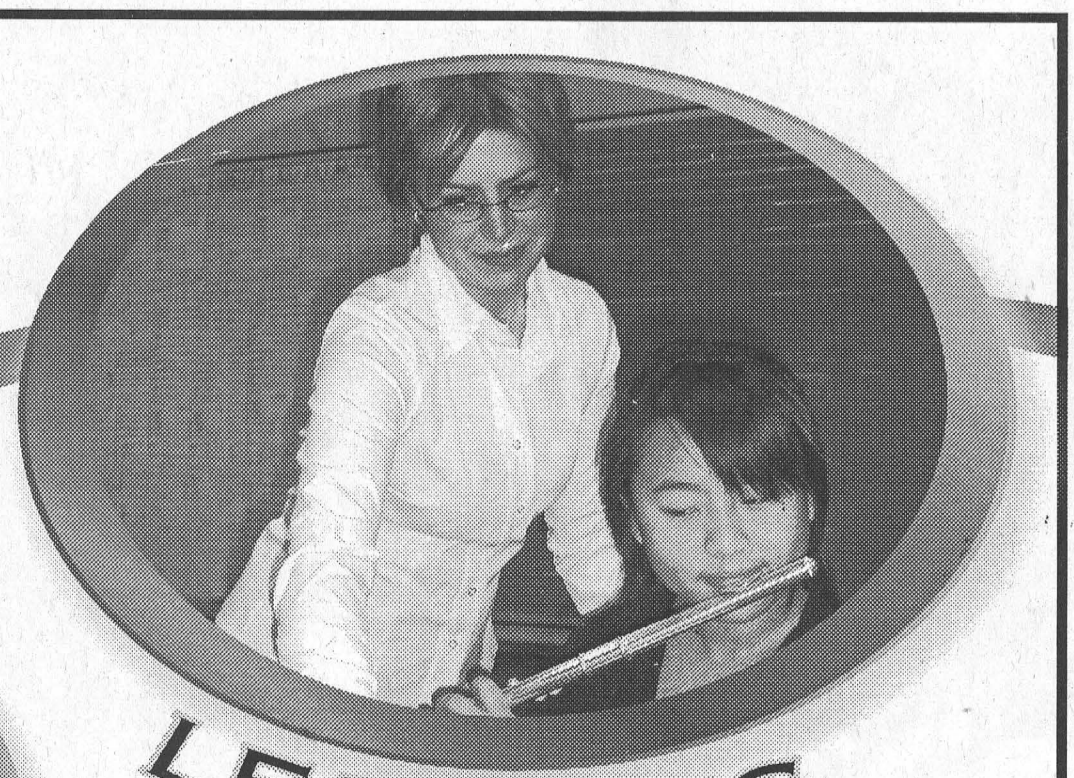

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