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Hangin' around

Randi Melenhorst (left), Slater Koekkoek, and Taylor Houghton were just hangin' out when the Press stopped by Nationview Public School during the Grade 8 class's time on the Inside Outside Edge rope apparatus on Thurs., Jan. 24.

Check out more photos and read about the learning program on page 2.

Press Photo — Duncan

SNC plans hydro power dam

CHESTERVILLE — With a successful power project in place at its dam in Casselman, South Nation Conservation has turned its attention to the largest water retention structure in its 4,000 square-kilometre watershed — the Chesterville Dam.

There have been several requests by companies to develop a hydro generating station at the Chesterville Dam, so SNC has decided to call for expressions of interest.

"It doesn't take any convincing from our end," water resources engineering specialist Sandra Mancini said. "Many hydro developers understand the untapped potential of these dams."

Qualified parties are invited to submit a letter of intent to SNC outlining their proposal. Submissions will be evaluated

and more details will be requested from top candidates.

"With increasingly efficient and portable technology, smaller dams such as the ones in our watershed are being given a second look as sources of electricity for the grid," said Mancini. "Projects that were once not seen as viable have become much more so."

The Chesterville Dam project is not expected to be completed this summer.

"It takes time," said Mancini, noting that the winning company will have to go through a lengthy process of securing permits from the ministry of natural resources.

She said that the project will mean profit for SNC, as the owner of the dam. A likely scenario would see SNC receiv-

ing a percentage of the hydro generation profits each year, but Mancini noted those details will be finalized when an agreement is signed with the project builders.

There's a hydro generating station at the Casselman dam operated by a private corporation. "It's been there for years, and it has been successful," said Mancini, noting that company has expressed interest in pursuing a project at Chesterville.

There's also an agreement between SNC and a different corporation to build a compact new hydro station in Crysler, which Mancini noted should be finished this summer. SNC's Russell dam would also likely qualify for a project.

The deadline for expressions of interest is Feb. 29 at 4 pm.

Snowarama set for this weekend

MORRISBURG — Snowarama — a fundraiser that not only encourages community spirit, but raises money for Easter Seals kids — will take place this Saturday (Feb. 2) in Morrisburg.

Jean MacDougall, of Girls on Snow — the female members of the Nation Valley Snowmobile Association — is helping to organize the event.

"It's so important to help the families," she said about the fundraising, noting that money raised will go to local Easter Seals families.

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Cody Morgan (top, left) planned his next move as he climbed while Zach Rumohr (right) was determined not to fall off the bouldering wall on Thurs., Jan. 24. Travis Faith (above) made sure his rope was secure and Nick Maheux (bottom, left) looked toward his destination as he conquered the rock wall.

Press Photos — Duncan

Rock climbing gives students the edge

by Meghan Duncan
Press staff

SOUTH MOUNTAIN — Students of all ages at Nationview Public School learned the ins and outs of rock climbing last week when Inside Outside Edge set up a climbing apparatus in the school's gym.

"It teaches them self-reliance and teamwork," said instructor Rene Gonzalez. "It also develops their problem-solving skills — they have to plan

how to go up a route."

But rock climbing is also just a fun physical activity, Gonzalez pointed out.

"Long-term it develops your core strength and balance," he said.

When the *Press* stopped by on Thurs., Jan. 24, the Grade 8 students were all trying out various rock climbing walls, ropes courses, and other adventure elements.

"The kids love it," Gonzalez continued. "They always get more out of it than they think they will."

Instructor Immanuel Bigras agreed.

"The kids who say 'I can't do it' are the ones who, by the end of the week, rocket themselves right up the wall," he said.

The instructors also pointed out that the opportunity is great to build students' self-confidence, especially for those who are introverted.

"A lot of them excel at it," Gonzalez said. "It's just them and the wall. They have to figure it out, and it gives them so much confidence when they do."

Special Olympics festival coming to Metcalfe in February

by Meghan Duncan
Press staff

METCALFE — Athletes from across Eastern Ontario will gather in Metcalfe for the first ever Special Olympics Ottawa District Winter Games Festival.

The event, scheduled to take place on Sat., Feb. 16 at the Metcalfe Fairgrounds, is the first of its kind in the Ottawa area, and maybe even in the province, according to organizers.

"It's just a way to let everybody out in our area know about the Special Olympics," said Jean Traynor, community fundraising co-ordinator with Special Olympics Ottawa District.

Traynor's daughter, 21-year-old Amberly, has been a Special Olympian for eight years, competing with the basketball, snowshoeing, and

track and field teams. Traynor has been a coach with the Special Olympics for the last six years, and has worked for the organization for three.

Traynor lives outside of Vernon, and approached Osgoode Ward councillor Doug Thompson in July with the idea of hosting a winter festival like this.

"I thought it was a great idea," said Thompson, who is helping facilitate the day.

The Metcalfe Agricultural Society donated use of the fairgrounds, and the Metcalfe and District Lions offered their "den" at cost. Thompson has also approached Osgoode Township High School to round up some youth volunteers to help run the events.

"This is a good learning experience for young people," Thompson said.

The festival will include demonstrations, competitions,

and fun activities. Athletes from across Region 7 — Pembroke to Cornwall to the Quebec border — will take part. The day will kick off at 9 am, when athletes and their friends and family will arrive, before an official opening ceremony at 10 am.

Figure skater Kyle Mayhew will show off his skills, then the ice will be open for others to test out their skating abilities. Members of the National Special Olympic snowshoeing team will be

on hand for a demonstration and a little friendly competition, as will the national cross country skiers.

There will be a snowball fight, and City of Ottawa public works employees will make a snow hill large enough for tobogganing and other activities.

The afternoon will feature more activities, including snowshoe soccer, triathlon racing, and a dogsled demonstration.

"I think it will be a lot of

fun," Thompson said.

Traynor said that Metcalfe is a great location for the festival, noting that all events will be close together, and there are bleachers already in place for spectators. She said she hopes to make the festival an annual event.

"I think the athletes will really enjoy it," Thompson said. "It's a special day for them, and I'm excited to do something to help out."

Thompson is using some of his office budget to help

fund the ice time and food for the event's luncheon.

The gym at OTHS (across the road from the fairgrounds) has been booked as a back up plan in case of inclement weather.

The event takes place just 10 days before the opening ceremonies of the Special Olympics National Winter Games in Quebec City, set to start on Feb. 26. "So this is the last time they'll all be together before heading out," Traynor pointed out.

Continued from the front...

Breakfast

Funds will be put toward large purchases, such as wheelchairs or renovations to their home, for disabled youth. "These children have many needs over and above what a healthy child needs," MacDougall said.

If there's enough snow, the women will ride their sleds for about 80 kilometres — a ride they've been collecting pledges for over the last few months.

The event is in support of the Dundas District Council of Easter Seals. Festivities kick off with a pancake breakfast at the Riverside Heights Recreation Hall — \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for children 12 and under, and the pancakes will be

served from 8 to 11 am.

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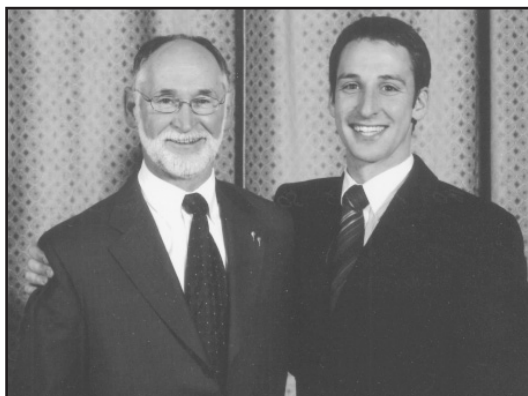
MacDougall noted that pledge forms are still available (call her at 613-543-3480 for more information) and anyone is allowed to take part in the ride.

The breakfast will take place at the recreation hall no matter what the weather's like.

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Rural dwellers gather concerns at prequel to second summit

by Amanda Smith-Millar

METCALFE — The sequel to the 2005 Rural Summit — Rural Summit II: Building on Success — is fast approaching, and city staff want country residents to help them define what the discussion topics should be. That's why the Rural Affairs office has launched a series of consultation meetings, including the recent Thurs., Jan. 22 discussion night at the Metcalfe Community Centre. A small but energetic crowd of rural residents and city staff gathered and brainstormed potential topics for the next summit, slated for April 5.

"This is to build on the success of the first Rural Summit," said Osgoode Ward councillor Doug Thompson, referring to the last two-day summit, which saw about 400 rural residents take part.

"Over the next three months, like the first summit, city staff will be working side-by-side with rural citizens to first identify the issues and then come up with workable options for making things better in rural Ottawa," said rural affairs officer Derrick Moodie. "It is a unique opportunity for residents to get involved and influence decision making about issues and policies that matter most to rural residents."

At the Jan. 22 meeting, staff and residents broke off into smaller working groups.

At one table, Metcalfe resident Laurie MacPherson expressed concern about speeding near children's recreation areas in her town, "It's so congested; we're going to have an accident one of these days," said MacPherson.

Meanwhile, Coreen Atkins-Sheldrick said she was tired of seemingly constant threats to close the Vernon library.

"That library is very, very essential for our community," she said, adding that for some residents, the library is the only place they can access high-speed Internet. "The kids use it; a lot of seniors use it. Don't close our library."

After the working groups met for about an hour, city staff members then spoke on behalf of their group and presented their concerns and suggestions to the entire room. The wide-ranging list of issues included libraries, traffic and speeding, roads, well and septic concerns, municipal office hours, development charges, police services, and the operation of community centres.

Some even questioned whether rural Ottawa needed another summit.

"I don't think we've reached the tail end of Rural

Summit number one," said Joe Banks, president of the Osgoode Village Community Association. He added that organizing another summit might not be the best use of public funds, and he guessed such an event could cost about \$300,000. Banks said that people active in the rural community have a full slate of activities on their plate, adding, "now you're asking us to give up more time."

Moodie disagreed, saying April 2008 will be a perfect time to have another summit. He said some councillors would have time to fix the problems identified during Rural Summit II — the next municipal election is slated for 2010, giving councillors about two more years during their terms to resolve issues.

"This is the logical time to do it," said Moodie of the next summit. "The cost of \$300,000, \$400,000 is not what it's going to be, at all. Certainly, we're trying to be as fiscally responsible as we can."

Moodie agreed with Banks, however, on the point that "sometimes communities are consulted to death."

According to Moodie, the consultation meetings "will feed into the second stage of the process where we will be asking residents

to volunteer their time to participate in working groups to really dig into these issues and formulate different practical solutions. These options will then be presented at the Rural Summit II on April 5, where participants will have the opportunity to provide further comments and discuss which opportunity is best."

As of press time, one other consultation meeting had taken place at the Kinsmen Client Service Centre on Jan. 29. Upcoming events include the Richmond Legion meeting on Jan. 30 and the Navan Arena meeting, taking place on Jan. 31. For more information about Rural Summit II, visit www.ottawa.ca/residents/rural_connections.



Kim Bates (right) and Coreen Atkins-Sheldrick of Vernon took part in the preliminary Rural Summit II meeting held in Metcalfe on Tues., Jan. 22.
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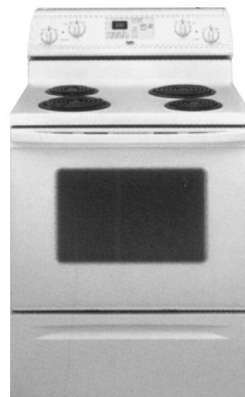
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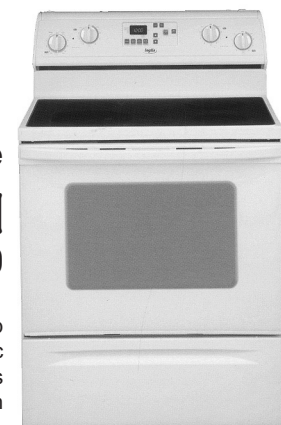


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Love literacy

To celebrate Family Literacy Day, Kathleen Hallam (centre) presented a storytelling and interactive reading session at the South Mountain Library on Sat., Jan. 26. The program was sponsored by the Friends of the Library. She also took the opportunity to present Elizabeth Earl (right) with a cheque for \$300, on behalf of the Nationview Public School Council. The money was raised at a family movie night at the school, and will be put toward the South Mountain Library Resource Centre building fund. Also

pictured is Cheryl Servais, the new SD&G County Library reference technician for Dundas County. Coming up at the South Mountain Library is a Valentine's Storytime for children three to five years old on Wed., Feb. 6, at 10:30 am. As well, a workshop on genealogy research for adults will be presented on Tues., Feb. 26, at 6:30 pm.

Public consultation meetings on transportation to take place

RUSSELL — A meeting regarding public transportation will take place in Russell tomorrow (Thurs., Jan. 31) at the arena beginning at 7:30 pm.

The North Glengarry-Prescott-Russell Transportation Board (NGPRTB) has scheduled several consultation meetings regarding its proposed enhanced bus services.

The president of the board, Conrad Lamadeleine, said the bus service will improve, including new runs from the

villages of St-Albert and St-Isidore with a stop in North Glengarry, an increase in the number of bus runs, as well as a three-month trial run of "early bird" services from Russell, Embrun, and Limoges. As the transit plan moves forward, existing bus routes will be reconsidered.

New "park and ride" lots will be offered in some locations in co-operation with municipalities.

The public is invited to voice their opinion about the proposed additions and

changes to schedules and bus services during the public meetings.

Meetings have already occurred in Limoges and St-Albert.

The meeting scheduled to take place in Embrun has been changed to Tues., Feb. 5 at the Gaston Patenaud Room of the township office at 7:30 pm. A meeting will take place in Crysler, though details have yet to be worked out.

Meetings will take place in Alexandria (Feb. 7) and Maxville (Feb. 12), as well.

POLICE BLOTTER

Impaired driving

WINCHESTER — SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a two-vehicle collision at the intersection of County Roads 43 and 31 in North Dundas Township on Jan. 24 at approximately 7:30 pm. Investigation revealed that a 20-year-old male was operating a black 2003 GMC pick-up that struck a 2003 Buick that was south bound on County Road 31. The driver of the pick-up was found to be under the influence of alcohol. He was arrested and faces charges of impaired driving. He is scheduled to appear in Morrisburg court on March 4. The driver and passenger of the second vehicle were treated for minor injuries and released. Const. D. Budzinski is investigating.

Hungry hooligans

IROQUOIS — SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a break and enter on Davis Street in Iroquois on Jan. 26 at approximately 6:30 am. Investigation revealed that sometime overnight unknown suspect(s) gained entry in the restaurant and removed a number of food items. Const. H. Blokland is investigating.

As well, officers responded to a report of a break and enter on Haddo Road in South Dundas Township on Jan. 27 at 8:30 pm. Investigation revealed that sometime between 3 and 8 pm unknown suspect(s) entered a private residence and removed food items and jewellery. Const. L. Dionne is investigating.

Fatal collision

MORRISBURG — Following an ongoing investigation in connection with a

fatal motor vehicle collision that occurred on Highway 401 in South Dundas Township, SD&G OPP have released the name of the deceased male driver.

Mario Fournier, 44, of Laval, Que. was driving a 2006 Freight Liner (SLH Transport) on Jan. 24 at 12:30 am when it collided with a tractor trailer that had just been involved in a rear end collision with a third tractor trailer that had slowed down due to poor visibility. Fournier was killed in the accident.

The poor visibility was caused due to the burning of debris in a bush area north of Highway 401.

A fourth tractor trailer (2004 Kenwood) driven by Marc Boisvert, 51, of Saint-Bruno, Que. entered the poor visibility area and was then struck by a fifth tractor trailer. Boisvert sustained serious injuries and is in stable but serious condition at the Ottawa Civic Hospital.

Speed and alcohol have been ruled out as contributing factors in the cause of the collision. Const. J. Moores, assisted by OPP Technical Traffic Collision Investigators, continues the investigation.

Trailers taken

SOUTH MOUNTAIN — SD&G OPP officers responded to a report of a theft in South Mountain on Jan. 19 at approximately 11:30 am. Investigation revealed that sometime between Jan. 8 and 14 unknown suspect(s) attended a private residence and removed various tools, two trailers, and a camper.

The stolen property is described as: a 1984 tri-axle boat trailer, a blue home made 1985 trailer, and a green and white 1969 camper. Const. A. Gagnon is investigating.



United for United Way

Local Scotiabank branches recently combined to present the United Way of SD&G with a cheque for \$20,000. Pictured are: Cornwall branch manager Earl McBean (left), Maxville branch manager Cindy Sommers, South Mountain branch manager Sharon Ruth, Alexandria branch manager Sue VanLoenen, United Way of SD&G executive director Karen Turchetto, Chesterville branch manager Vicki Lefebvre, Avonmore branch manager Karen Campbell, and Morrisburg financial advisor Peggy Kaddie.

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Metcalfe welcomes new Lions

METCALFE — The Metcalfe and District Lions Club recently welcomed four new members — Glen and Kim Bates, Anne Velthuis, and Ted Cook. As well, Al Whitson has transferred from the Gloucester Lions.

The Lions' Turkey Bingo on Dec. 12 had a full house. The club also handed out 15 Christmas baskets to area residents in need. A special thanks goes out to "the 6th Line Road gang." This group of kind-hearted people donate to the Lions Christmas Basket Fund every year. This year their donation was in memory of Margaret Brown, chief organizer of the 6th Line Road gang, and long time supporter of the Lions Club.

The Metcalfe and District Lions Club was cooking up pancakes on Sun., Jan. 27, at the Vernon Recreation Centre as part of the Ice Storm 10th anniversary celebrations. Lion Helen Porteous said the club was happy to help with the event, just as it helped 10 years ago both in the shelters and by going door-to-door to check on community members.



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Mom and daughter back on track

Surgeries a success, but local women battle for health coverage

by Bonnie James
Press staff

CANNAMORE — A local mother and daughter are completing their recoveries after both travelling to Germany for back surgery in November. Marion Byers and Cheryl Irven were disappointed when the provincial health care system denied their claims for coverage and have vowed to appeal a decision they said “just doesn’t make sense.”

Byers and Irven had artificial disc replacement surgery at the Stenum Hospital on Nov. 17. Byers had two discs replaced in her neck and one in her back. Irven had two discs in her lower back replaced. The discs were replaced with titanium ones that are expected to last about 30 years.

“I was just existing — I don’t call it living,” said Irven about her condition before the surgery. “I was full of narcotics. I couldn’t go on. I got so depressed.”

Irven left work in 1995 due to her back pain and pain related to fibromyalgia and had spent the time since having every type of scan and pursuing every avenue for relief. She had two previous surgeries.

“They (the health care system) have spent a lot of money on me — trying to get to the bottom of the pain,” she said. “I didn’t know where to go. I had exhausted every avenue.”

Her mother was also suffering from degenerative disc disease.

“I was getting headaches,” said Byers, noting that she had been waking up with a headache every morning for about 10 years. “And I had no range of motion in my neck.”

Byers had given up driving in the city and had to seriously limit her physical activity. She was also spending up to \$8,000 per year on pain management.



Marion Byers (right) and her daughter Cheryl Irven of Cannamore both had artificial disc replacement surgery on their backs at the Stenum Hospital in Germany on Nov. 17.

While their recoveries are nearly complete and the results dramatic, they are battling to have the province cover the cost of the surgeries.
Press Photo — James

Both women have Dr. Simon Trahan of Russell as a family physician, who they said was very supportive of their decision to go to Germany.

The duo found out about the Stenum Hospital when Byers was visiting family out west last spring. Through a family connection, she heard about a woman who had been to Germany for the surgery and as a result went from being in a wheelchair to being able to walk. Byers immediately thought of her daughter.

Irven contacted the hospital and forwarded all her scans and x-rays. Within days she was informed that she was a good candidate for surgery.

Initially Byers was not planning to have surgery, but was going to accompany Irven as her caregiver.

“I talked her into it,” said Irven, noting that she sent her mother’s health information off to the German hospital.

“Thank goodness,” replied Byers, who reported that she was thrilled to wake up in the hospital one day after the surgery without a headache.

Both ladies were very pleased with their stay at the Stenum.

“We were treated top notch,” said Byers, adding that there were a number of other international patients at the renowned hospital.

“You’re sedated and you’re

frozen,” said Irven about the surgery, explaining that general anesthesia was not used.

Byers and Irven are both celebrating their new, more active lifestyles. Irven said she still has a dull ache in one leg, but is no longer taking morphine — a drug she had been on for four years.

“It’s a big financial burden, but it was worth it,” said Byers, noting her total costs were about \$60,000 for neck and back surgery.

“My total bill was less than \$40,000,” said Irven, explaining that included her flight to Germany and accommodation while there.

Both women are set to appeal

the ministry of health’s decision not to fund their surgeries.

“It’s ridiculous,” said Irven, adding that the specific surgery they had done is not available anywhere in North America.

“Why make someone suffer if we can send them over there?” asked Byers.

Irven explained that she had all her information in to the Ontario Ministry of Health well before departing for Germany and was told she would hear back before she left, but her claim was not processed until she returned.

She also noted that one of the last options presented to her by a Canadian doctor was to send her to Montreal to have a pump implanted into her back that would regularly release pain medication. While it wouldn’t have addressed the underlying back problems, it would have assisted with pain management. The cost to the province for that procedure would have been about \$40,000 — more than the amount she is hoping to recoup from the province for the German surgery that repaired her back.

“I’m out of the (health-care) system,” said Irven, noting that the health-care resources she had been using previously can now be directed to someone else who is suffering.

The pair are vocal in their support for the Stenum Hospital and in encouraging others with degenerative disc disease to consider all their options as well as examine their insurance coverage — and to press the provincial government to fund this type of international surgery.

“When you’re pain free, you appreciate life to a whole different degree,” said Byers. “We feel our recovery would be complete if we could get our reimbursement.”

Teams still needed for trivia night

WINCHESTER — There are still four teams needed to make Branch 108 of the Royal Canadian Legion in Winchester’s trivia night on Fri., Feb. 1 a sell-out.

Teams can be made up of two or more people; a \$10 entrance fee per person covers the game, prizes, as well as chili and a bun.

“Anybody can attend,” said organizer Kelly Streng. “They don’t have to be a Legion member.”

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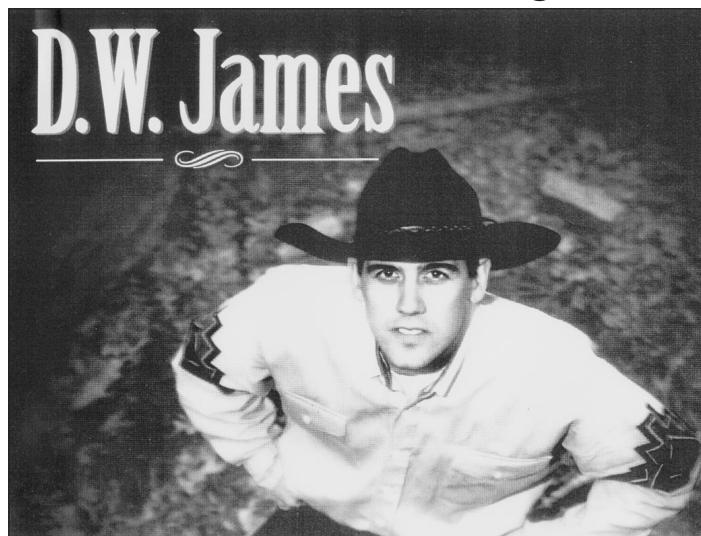
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Pushing paper

Our lives sometimes feel like an endless stream of paperwork — a neverending dance of filling out forms and answering basic questions. What's your name? Where do you live? What is your birthdate?

Nearly everything we do requires a permit, schedule, or form. It begins when we are born and our parents have to register our birth, get us a birth certificate, and file for a social insurance number. These days parents will also register for the federal Child Tax Benefit and Universal Child Care Benefit and perhaps an RESP.

And we've neglected to mention the provincial health card. A baby needs one of those, too. And we hate those green photo health cards that expire. Count yourself lucky if you've still got one of the good, old red and white kind that never need renewal. Here's asking the provincial government to let those of us with the new cards go back to one of the everlasting variety.

Things only get worse from there, especially once you get a bit older with driver's licenses, passports, applications to schools, job applications, car loans, bank accounts, credit cards, and taxes. We're constantly filling in our birthdate, mother's maiden name, and other details.

It's too much. The cumulative effect makes one want to attempt living on a deserted island or in a remote mountain cave.

And it's really unnecessary. If the government can send a letter, form, bill, — or better yet a cheque — to your house by mail, why do they need to ask you to fill out your address on every single thing? They have your address. Just like they have your social insurance number, birth date, and other information. While some vital information is likely to change, such as marital status or address, other elements are pretty much carved in stone (If someone out there knows how to go about changing a birthdate, some of us would gladly lose a few years.).

Imagine if all levels of government ran at peak efficiency — if all relevant departments were actually sharing information. Not only would we save countless billions of dollars, we'd also save ourselves the aggravation of so much data entry. Until then, I guess we can expect to be buried in paperwork — which by the way, doesn't end until long after you're buried in the ground.

B.J.

Family literacy

The 10th annual national Family Literacy Day took place on Sun., Jan. 27. Chances are, even if you didn't realize what day it was, you and your family engaged in some type of reading — whether it was a book, a newspaper, a recipe, or an e-mail message. Family Literacy Day was created by the ABC Canada Literacy Foundation to promote the importance of reading and learning together as a family.

The importance of reading cannot be overlooked. It's part of everything we do, from reading a map, to looking up a phone number, to grocery shopping. Give your kids a head start by reading to them every day. Developing strong reading skills will not only help them through school and life, but it will open the doors to an infinite number of entertaining worlds and a lifetime of knowledge through books.

Make sure your kids see you reading regularly, as well — both out of necessity and for pleasure. It's a small action, that can have big results.

B.J.

Eleanor Byers (left) and Sue Boyd created this replica of a snowmobile for North Dundas District High School's annual winter carnival snow sculpture display in 1968.



Remember when... 1928

H. Keyes managed the Winchester Town Hockey League Royals, who lost 3-1 to Alex MacDonald's Speed Boys in the first game of the season.

1938

SD&G Counties Council held the longest meeting in history — it lasted nine days. Council appointed Morrisburg's reeve as the new counties' solicitor, replacing Chesterville's W.B. Lawson. But the decision that took up the majority of discussion time was the approval of a \$35,000 investment into the St. Lawrence Tuberculosis Sanatorium.

1948

The Chesterville and District Red Cross Society donated \$1,000 to the Winchester District Memorial Hospital building fund, as well as \$500 to the hospital's medical fund to supply cod liver oil capsules to local schools.

1958

Winchester council voted in favour of hiring a qualified mechanic to test and inspect all three village pumpers at least once a week. Frank Gannon accepted the position, which had an annual salary of \$150.



1978

A \$240,000 renovation project at Winchester District Memorial Hospital was officially underway following a ribbon cutting ceremony at the site, performed by X-ray department head John Gray, technician Stan Marriner, and hospital board chairman Ed Hanson. Administrator Bert Stel said the renovation would help the facility run much more efficiently.

1988

Democracy ruled when Winchester Township Council voted against a zoning amendment to permit a mini-mall near Winchester by a slim three to two margin. The decision followed a six-month debate including two public meetings and two rescinded motions favouring the proposed mini-mall. A Nepean developer wished to build a gas bar, donut shop, and convenience store on a parcel of land west of Winchester.

Meanwhile Winchester's Town Council approved a 62-lot subdivision upon completion of the village's sewage project, promising developers that construction could begin in one year's time. The neighbourhood, which would have 40 multiple-dwelling units, was to be constructed in the south-east corner of the village on land adjoining May Street. The developer had been waiting 14 years to build on the land.

1998

The price tag on what was called "the storm of the century" was amounting to about \$400,000 for the Township of North Dundas. Some of the cost was attributed to volunteers from Western Ontario who ran up a tab at Winchester's Kay Tab's bar. One of several unsigned bills given to council listed alcoholic beverages charged as 26 double rye-and-cokes, 40 beers, seven tequila shots, and 12 double Crown Royals. "I don't mind feeding the volunteers, but we shouldn't be filling them with drinks," remarked councillor Gail Parker.

But Mayor Clause Cousineau put the issue into perspective. "The amount of the bills is less than half-a-per cent of the total emergency bill," he pointed out. The issue was left unresolved until the township clerk could investigate it further.

Vanderlaan wins Nationview school spelling bee

SOUTH MOUNTAIN — Jed Vanderlaan outlasted 11 other students to win the second-annual Nationview Spelling Bee.; and now the Grade 7 student will attempt to qualify for the CanWest CanSpell regional competition to be held in Ottawa next month.

Vanderlaan was the only competitor to spell a word correctly in the fourth round of the oral competition. His final word was “unique.” A three-way tie for second-place meant the bee lasted four more rounds after Vanderlaan had already won. Hannah Greenough spelled “autobiography” correctly to finish second in the open division, edging out Jadon Constable.

Grade 5 student Brad Stitt finished first in the junior competition (Grades 4 to 6). He topped 12 other spellers in the competition. Marissa Perkins, a Grade 4 student, was second. Perkins and Stitt moved on to compete in the open competition, where Perkins finished fourth.

Patrick Norris won the primary bee for students in Grades 1 to 3. He beat out 13 other spellers. Alayna Baelde finished second and Karlee Ouellette was third.



Best at bee

Patrick Norris (left), Marissa Perkins, Alayna Baelde, Hannah Greenough, Jed Vanderlaan, and Brad Stitt all fared well in the recent Nationview Public School Spelling Bee. Vanderlaan emerged as the overall winner and will now attempt to qualify for the CanWest CanSpell regional competition to be held in Ottawa next month.

Our flawed system is exposed

It would be easy, predictable and cliché to go down the Earl McRae path and write a column that would be drenched in shock value. Kevin Davis has been called a monster, a beast, and just about anything else that the Microsoft Word thesaurus can spit out for the word “evil.”

But the one thing that has not been touched upon under the microscope of the media in the aftermath of the horrific details of the Jennifer Teague murder has been Canada’s flawed judicial system.

We live within the parameters of a judicial system that is just as sickening as the crimes that kick it into action. Wait a minute. The crimes actually kick it into inaction.

Davis will be punished to the full extent of the law for murdering Jennifer Teague on the night of Sept. 8, 2005. He planned it. He waited on an unlit path near both of their Barrhaven homes in a spot where he knew she would be vulnerable. He seized her at knife point. He brought her home, held her captive, sexually assaulted her, and then killed her.

It was, by definition, first degree murder. Whether you believe his words of remorse or not, Davis knows this, he confessed to the murder and gave a detailed account of what he did, and did something rare and almost unheard of in a Canadian courtroom: he pleaded guilty to first degree murder.

The secondary tragedy in this case, trial, and hearing is that Davis actually had to fight the Canadian legal system in order to be punished to the extent that he feels he deserves.

While the public got a chance to see the inner-serpent that consumed Davis when he did the unthinkable and stole such a precious life from a girl and her family and the community, he has said some poignant things. His eyes and his body language may not show remorse when he talks of his sorrow, but he has made some comments that should make us think twice about how our legal system is in decay.

Davis said it was “disgusting” that Chris Myers was given a deal and pleaded guilty to second degree murder in the Ardeth Wood trial. Myers was as cold and calculating in killing Wood as Davis was in his murder of Teague. He was charged with first degree murder after being arrested in North Bay for sexual assault. An alert detective, Det. Const. Noel Coulas, noticed the resemblance between Myers and a police sketch on the wall. Myers was charged with first degree murder but accepted a deal to plead guilty to second degree murder, sparing the court and the family a trial.

Second degree murder is defined as unpremeditated murder. He is eligible for parole in 10 years, which is really eight since he has served two years already.

Davis could have easily landed the same kind of deal, but said he refused to further hurt the Teague family by playing the system to his advantage.

From the Other Side by Jeffrey Morris



B.C. pig farmer Robert Pickton, meanwhile, adds a more bothersome element. He was found guilty of six counts of second degree murder by a jury. He faces another 20 murder charges.

Nepean-Carleton MP Pierre Poilievre lives in Barrhaven and was disturbed by the Teague murder. As a politician, he is even more disturbed that the system is weighted so heavily on the side of criminals.

“I’m glad to see Kevin Davis got 25 years, and it’s appalling that Ardeth Wood’s killer only got 10 years,” he said. “It was clearly a premeditative act of murder. I’m glad to see the murderer of Jennifer Teague will spend 25 years behind bars.”

Poilievre had said repeatedly before the trial that the number one thing on his legislative agenda was to push the Conservatives’ Bill C-2, the Tackling Violent Crime Act.

In a nutshell, the act would:

- Establish longer minimum prison sentences for individuals who use firearms to commit crimes;
- Raise the age of sexual consent from 14 to 16 years, targeting those who prey sexually upon children;
- Allow for stricter conditions, and for more effective sentencing and management of dangerous and high-risk offenders, in order to enhance public safety and better protect Canadians;
- Strengthen the laws against impaired drivers; and
- Shift the onus to the person accused of serious gun crimes to explain why they should not be denied bail.

“Our system needs a major overhaul,” Poilievre added. “Our judicial system is stacked in favour of the criminal against the victim.”

Whether you are a fan of Poilievre’s or you politically loathe him, you can’t disagree with what he is saying. Victims and their families are being hung out to dry by our system, and Myers and Pickton are exhibits 1A and 1A-plus.

Hopefully, common sense will prevail and the Liberal Senate and Tory Government won’t turn this issue into yet another political ping pong ball.

Jennifer Teague, Ardeth Wood, the women found on Robert Pickton’s farm, and so many others were violated and murdered. Their deaths were senseless.

But so is the system that prosecutes the perpetrators.

To read more on the Tackling Violent Crime Act, go to www.tacklingcrime.ca.

Until this bill is finally passed, well, sleep tight.

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

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Food Freedom Day

The Editor:

Here is a little test for you.

Food Freedom Day means:

a) a day we do not have to spend any time in the kitchen

b) a day we choose not to eat

c) the day we have made enough money to pay our total grocery bill for this year

If you answered A or B, these choices are optional and available to us every day. Answer C is the correct answer. (Sorry, no prize.)

Canadians, on average, will have earned enough income to cover food costs for the entire year on Feb. 3.

The Ontario Federation of Agriculture (OFA) reports that it has taken the average family just 34 days from Jan. 1 of this year to acquire the income needed to cover annual food expenses (on a per capita basis).

Food Freedom Day has moved up a week from previous years due to an increase in disposable income, yet food prices have not risen to the same degree.

In 2003, Canadian consumers spent on average just 10.5 per cent of their personal disposable income on food. Five years earlier, in 1998, that figure was 12.4 per cent.

“The Farmer’s Share: Update 2006” reveals that the average cost of food has increased 13 per cent, while the increase in price farmers receive is two per cent. That means the prices paid by consumers increased six times more than the prices farmers received.

Pay for the farmers’ share of wheat going into a loaf of bread remained constant at 11 cents from 1981 to 2004.

A 450-gram box of crackers in 1981 cost consumers \$1.26 — six per cent of that, or eight cents, went to the farmer. In 2005 that same box of crackers cost \$2.01, but farmers received only four per cent, or or seven cents.

Food Freedom Day is designed to raise awareness of the contributions made by Canadian farmers, and also as a reminder to Ontarians of the value, safety, and quality of Ontario and Canadian-grown food.

Buying properly labelled Canadian products can preserve this advantage.

The Farmers’ Share: Compare the Share can be accessed at: www.stpeterscollege.ca/crse/pdf/compare_the_share.pdf or www.ofa.on.ca.

Corry Martens
Iroquois

School board begins 10th anniversary celebration next month

BROCKVILLE — It’s the 10th anniversary of the Upper Canada District School Board (UCDSB) and the board is hosting a 10-month birthday party that will include everything from a board-wide book-reading challenge to an anniversary gala.

The board is hosting the celebration to mark the successful amalgamation of the Prescott-Russell, Leeds-Grenville, Lanark, and Stormont-Dundas-Glengarry predecessor boards into the school family it has today.

“We’re trying to celebrate where we are, where we’ve been, and where we want to be in future,” said 10th anniversary celebration co-chair Anne Presley. “Ten years ago when we amalgamated, we were four different school boards with not a lot in common. But we’ve managed to meld into one board that has become a leader in education in Ontario.”

“The board has progressed so much in the past 10 years that it’s really important that we recognize all of those staff and partners who have helped us in that evolution,” added board chair Greg Pietersma.

The celebration will kick off next week with the board’s 10th Anniversary Upper Canada Literacy Challenge. The board is encouraging every student at every school to read 10 books between now and the final wrap-up party scheduled for Oct. 10. Principals will be asked to set school-wide targets based on the numbers of students and staff at their locations. When a school’s overall target is reached, principals will be encouraged to host celebrations of the milestone at their school. Members of the community are also encouraged to participate and help the board mark its birthday.

All books read can be registered on an online database to be prepared by the UCDSB information technology department. The database will be active starting Feb. 4. Participants will be asked to register their name, school or work site, book, and author. Prizes will be awarded at certain times during the campaign — such as to the person who registers the 100th book read.

“As a school board, we’re all about literacy so we thought a book-reading contest would be an ideal way to bring our staff, parents, and students together,” explained Presley.

Other events being organized for the anniversary include:

Dime Drive in February: A 10-day dime drive at schools. Funds will be donated to the new UCDSB foundation to help needy children get involved with organized

sports and other activities.

QDPE-Nutrition Month Activities in March: Master trainers under the board’s Quality Daily Physical Education (QDPE) program will introduce 10 new physical activities to students and teachers.

Earth Day Community Cleanup in April: Schools will be encouraged to conduct community cleanups. A website will be set up where schools can post information on what they have accomplished.

As well, schools will be encouraged to take part in submitting material for a time capsule. The board will hold a fundraising gala next October to raise money for the UCDSB foundation. To end the celebration, the board will invite principals, community partners, and special guests to an anniversary birthday party on Oct.10 at 10 am.

Local company making green energy affordable

BRINSTON — With constantly rising energy costs, everyone is looking for ways to save money on their utility bill. Green energy systems like solar hot water, solar thermal, and solar and wind generation systems always spring to mind for consumers looking to save, but up-front costs and long pay back times often deter consumers from taking the final step to “go green.”

But now, thanks to a new partnership between Ault Energy, a Brinston-based green energy solutions company, and Citizens Bank of Canada, financing the installation of these systems just got a lot easier, and much more affordable.

Through the bank’s Enviro-Financing program, customers will get competitive rates that will allow them to invest affordably in green energy solutions, such as solar hot water, solar thermal, and grid-tied photovoltaic and wind generation systems for their homes.

“Now more than ever, making your home more energy self-efficient is a wise investment,” said Bill Ault, president of Ault Energy. “We’re pleased to partner with Citizens Bank of Canada to provide our customers with a financing program that helps make investing in energy self-efficiency easy and affordable. Consumers don’t expect to pay in

full for their other major purchases in life like a vehicle or home addition, but traditionally in the green energy business we’ve expected them to just write a cheque for the full cost of what a comparable major purchase. Now thanks to this program we can give consumers the chance to make a purchase that long term makes a great deal of sense.”

Citizen’s Bank has a history of supporting environmentally conscious consumer purchasing.

“At Citizens Bank, corporate social responsibility guides everything we do,” said Madleine Rab, vice-president of business development. “We created Enviro-Fi-

ancing specifically for people who share our commitment to environmental and social issues.”

The bank has a number of other financial products, like a Clean Air Auto Loan and a Green Mortgage to help consumers make a positive impact on the environment.

“Combining our financing option with current government energy efficiency incentive programs means, as an example, we can install a solar hot water heating system that could save a household or business up to 60 per cent on their hot water bills for possibly less than \$80 a month, and with up to 25 per cent of average energy costs coming directly from hot water

it means substantial long term savings at a cost within reach for most consumers,” said Ault.

Citizens Bank, along with its parent company, Vancity Group (the largest credit union in Canada), has committed to being carbon neutral by 2010.

Ault Energy offers solar hot water, solar thermal as well as grid-tied solar and wind generation systems. The company serves end user residential and commercial customers from a local sales office in Brinston. For more information on the full product line or on the Enviro-Financing program visit www.aultenergy.com.



Life partners Pauline Doupe (above) and Brenda Belair (below) of Brinston both became grandmas within a week of each other earlier this month. Doupe welcomed grandson Ethan Reid Gordon Edgecomb and Belair welcomed Addison Rose Beatrice Wright.



Double whammy grannies

BRINSTON — Pauline Doupe and Brenda Belair of Brinston are partners in life and now partners in grandparenting, having each had a grandchild born within a six-day period.

Belair’s granddaughter, Addison Rose Beatrice Wright, was born by caesarean at Queensway Carleton Hospital on Jan. 8, weighing five pounds, five ounces. Because of her low birth-weight and premature arrival she remained in the hospital for two weeks. Doupe’s grandson, Ethan Reid Gordon Edgecomb, was born at Winchester District Memorial Hospital on Jan. 14, weighing eight pounds, four ounces, also by caesarean. Ethan developed a fever and he was transferred to CHEO where he was given a clean bill of health. Both babies arrived home on Fri., Jan. 18.

The grandmas have been very busy taking care of their first grandchild Hayden Wright, while trying to be at two hospitals.

“It has been an overwhelming event but a very successful outcome,” said Doupe. “All are doing well, and we are overjoyed with our two new babies.”

Proud parents of the newborns are Nichole and David Wright of Spencerville and Mindy and David Edgecomb of Winchester.

Hydro One Networks is seeking OEB approval to harmonize its customers’ rates

Starting in 2000, a number of people across the province became Hydro One Networks customers when we acquired their local utility. While the customers we acquired have seen changes to their delivery rates in recent years, many acquired customers continue to pay rates lower than other Hydro One customers receiving the same type of service.

Hydro One believes that all customers deserve fair, reasonable and affordable rates. In order for rates to be fair, they must be applied consistently across our customer base and reflect the true cost of delivering electricity to homes and businesses. For this reason, Hydro One is seeking to have all its customers pay the same rates for the same services. In some communities this could mean an increase to delivery rates. Under the proposed rate structure, all customers in the same rate class would be charged the same delivery rates, regardless of where they live.

The Ontario Energy Board (OEB) regulates the rates charged by all electric utilities in Ontario, including Hydro One, and must approve any changes to our delivery rates. On December 18, 2007, Hydro One applied to the OEB to harmonize or consolidate the rates in your community with other communities across Ontario served by Hydro One (OEB file number EB-2007-0681).

Based on our application, the delivery rate increase would be phased in over four years. This would limit the increase to less than 10 per cent on the total bill in any one year for an average Hydro One customer. (The average Hydro One residential customer uses 1,000 kWh per month and the average general service energy-billed customer uses 2,000 kWh per month). The table below shows the proposed delivery rate increase for your community for 2008 and over four years for an average customer’s electricity use.

“Community Name” from Hydro One’s Electricity Bill	Residential customers using 1,000 kWh per month		General Service energy-billed customers using 2,000 kWh per month	
	Average 2008 Increase on Total Bill	Average Increase on Total Bill at the end of 4 years	Average 2008 Increase on Total Bill	Average Increase on Total Bill at the end of 4 years
North Dundas	9.2%	18.1%	8.7%	32.3%

How do I know if this might affect me?


You can confirm if you have community-specific rates by checking on page two of your Hydro One bill. If your bill states either “Your service type is Residential – North Dundas” or “Your service type is General – North Dundas” you will be affected.

If approved by the OEB, the proposed rate increase will affect the Delivery line on your bill. For more information on our rate application, please go to www.HydroOneNetworks.com/2008RateApplication or call 1-866-543-8031. Our office hours are Monday to Friday, from 7:30 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Do I have a say?


Yes, you can participate in the OEB process. The OEB will undertake a public process, which includes a public hearing before rates are approved. Interested parties can intervene, observe or provide written comment. Public participation helps ensure the OEB makes an informed decision on our rates.

Information on how to participate may be obtained by visiting the OEB’s website at www.oeb.gov.on.ca or by calling the OEB’s Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727.




NATIONVIEW PUBLIC SCHOOL

3045 County Rd. 1, South Mountain
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UPPER CANADA
DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD




KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION EVENING


Tuesday, February 5, 6:30-8:00 pm

Nationview will be hosting a Kindergarten registration evening on February 5 from 6:30-8:00 pm at the school. We invite you to drop by and learn more about our highly renowned Kindergarten program, our character education and literacy initiatives, numeracy, French, technology, arts and quality daily physical education programs. Meet the teacher and take a tour of the school.

Happy Face Daycare, located at Nationview, offers a before and after school program for school-aged students, as well as full day care for preschool and Kindergarten children. We look forward to welcoming you to Nationview Public, so that together we can ensure your child’s first steps on their education journey are positive, engaging and rewarding. You may contact the school at 613-989-2600 for additional information, or visit our website at <http://nationviewps.ucdsb.on.ca/>.




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And the nominees are...

Who do you think will take home the gold at the 2008 Oscars?

WINCHESTER — The nominees for the 80th annual Academy Awards were announced on Tues., Jan. 22, and the winners will be presented with their statuettes live on Sun., Feb. 24. We want to know who you'd like to see win!

Fill out this survey by Fri., Feb. 22. Drop off your completed list at either Winchester Video (520 St.

Lawrence St.) or the *Press* office (545 St. Lawrence St.).

We'll print the results of what Winchester and area voters thought of this year's nominees next to the Academy's choices in the Wed., Feb. 27 edition of the *Press*.

Haven't seen all of this year's nominated films? Fill

out the survey with your predictions regardless.

Think another actor or film should have been nominated? Tell us why in 50 words or less and your opinions could be included when we run the results! Feel free to e-mail your survey answers and opinions to news@winchesterpress.on.ca, as well.

Actor in a Leading Role

- ☐ George Clooney — *Michael Clayton*
- ☐ Daniel Day-Lewis — *There Will Be Blood*
- ☐ Johnny Depp — *Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street*
- ☐ Tommy Lee Jones — *In the Valley of Elah*
- ☐ Viggo Mortensen — *Eastern Promises*

Actress in a Leading Role

- ☐ Cate Blanchett — *Elizabeth: The Golden Age*
- ☐ Julie Christie — *Away From Her*
- ☐ Marion Cotillard — *La Vie en Rose*
- ☐ Laura Linney — *The Savages*
- ☐ Ellen Page — *Juno*

Actor in a Supporting Role

- ☐ Casey Affleck — *The Assassination of Jesse James by the Coward Robert Ford*
- ☐ Javier Bardem — *No Country for Old Men*
- ☐ Hal Holbrook — *Into the Wild*
- ☐ Philip Seymour Hoffman — *Charlie Wilson's War*
- ☐ Tom Wilkinson — *Michael Clayton*



Actress in a Supporting Role

- ☐ Cate Blanchett — *I'm Not There*
- ☐ Ruby Dee — *American Gangster*
- ☐ Saoirse Ronan — *Atonement*
- ☐ Amy Ryan — *Gone Baby Gone*
- ☐ Tilda Swinton — *Michael Clayton*

Directing

- ☐ *The Diving Bell and the Butterfly* — Julian Schnabel
- ☐ *Juno* — Jason Reitman
- ☐ *Michael Clayton* — Tony Gilroy
- ☐ *No Country for Old Men* — Joel and Ethan Coen
- ☐ *There Will Be Blood* — Paul Thomas Anderson

Best Picture

- ☐ *Atonement*
- ☐ *Juno*
- ☐ *Michael Clayton*
- ☐ *No Country for Old Men*
- ☐ *There Will Be Blood*

Register Now!

Our Kindergarten teachers are dedicated to creating a friendly and safe learning environment which provides opportunities for all children to achieve and succeed. In partnership with the home and community, we strive to develop self-confidence, creativity and a love of learning. We believe in the pursuit of learning while building a strong sense of caring and respect for all.



Junior and Senior Kindergarten

French language instruction is offered in all Kindergarten classes. In addition, an Early Immersion Program is offered in several locations.

Daycare and Before/After School Programs are available at many school sites.

Visit our Web site at www.ucdsb.on.ca for details.

Registration for Junior and Senior Kindergarten takes place directly in all Upper Canada District School Board elementary schools.

- Junior Kindergarten students must be 4 years of age by December 31, 2008.
- Senior Kindergarten students must be 5 years of age by December 31, 2008.

Contact your local school for specific registration dates and information, or call 1-800-267-7131.

Chesterville Public School (Gr. JK-6)
38 College St., Chesterville
613-448-2224
Principal: Roxanne Shuter

Elma Public School (Gr. JK-6)
3880 County Rd. 7
RR2, Chesterville
613-448-3334
Principal: Peter MacGregor

Inkerman Public School (Gr. JK-6)
11451 Cameron Rd., Inkerman
613-989-5739
Principal: Laurie McEltheran

Iroquois Public School
66 Lakeview Dr. N., Iroquois
613-652-4580
Principal: Toby Sebalj

Kinsmen/Vincent Massey School
1520 Cumberland St., Cornwall
613-932-7170
Principal: Anne Presley

Maple Ridge Senior Public School
(Gr. 7-8)
12820 Highway 43, Chesterville
613-448-2817
Principal: Joe Hartly

Morewood Public School (Gr. JK-6)
23 Moffat St., Morewood
613-448-2622
Principal: Sandy McInnes

Morrisburg Public School (Gr. JK-6)
16 Second St., Morrisburg
613-543-3166
Principal: Jack Shouldice

Nationview Public School
3045 County Rd. 1, South Mountain
613-989-2600
Principal: Stephen Elliott

North Stormont Public School
57 Cockburn St., Berwick
613-984-2061
Co-Principals: Garry Atchison, Dave Munro

Winchester Public School (Gr. JK-6)
547 Louise St. S., Winchester
613-774-2607
Principal: Dawn Bouchard

Physical activity can boost self-worth in children

WINCHESTER — Self-esteem, which is a person's perception of their self-worth, develops gradually over time as one matures and interacts with others. Self-esteem is most strongly developed at a young age. Personality, parenting techniques, positive and negative verbal comments, role modelling, respect, and involvement in activities influence the evolution of one's self-esteem.

Self-esteem is also closely linked to body image — the perception, feelings and thoughts we have of our bodies. Most people will compare their bodies to the "ideal body shape" which is generally established by media and society. This can cause negative and distorted images of our bodies.

There is good evidence to suggest that sport, active living, and physical activity can have a positive effect on self-esteem and body image. Studies comparing exercisers and non-exercisers showed that male and female exercisers have a better image of themselves than non-exercisers. Simple fitness or aerobic activities also have a profound impact on children's self-esteem.

Because parents are the number one influence in their child's life, the following guidelines will ensure that your child has the best start on their road to good self esteem:

- Ensure that your child get approximately 90 minutes of moderate physical activity every day.
- Involve children in co-operative, fun, and skill developing activities.
- Promote healthy behaviours in all aspects of their lives (healthy eating and lifestyle habits) and use positive reinforcements when interacting with your children.

For more information, please contact the Eastern Ontario Health Unit at 613-774-2739.

— Submitted by the Task Force on Childhood Obesity

Euchre winners at Winchester

WINCHESTER — Marvin Reid and Lorna Holmes were the cream card winners at the Winchester Seniors' euchre held on Jan. 10. Bea Eadie and Arlene Reid took the green card honours.

Earl Hanes and Betty Holmes took home door prizes, while Betty Wheeler and Lillian Moore were the other draw winners.

A nice lunch was enjoyed by everyone.

Kindergarten Registration Begins February 4, 2008

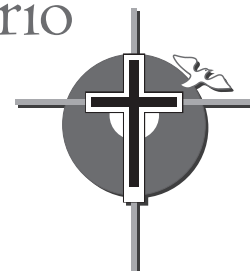


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Tea Biscuit offers inviting spot to meet friends



Crystal Kirkpatrick has just launched a new café in Metcalfe called Tea Biscuit. The official opening will take place on Feb. 2. Photo — Smith-Millar

METCALFE — Metcalfe resident Crystal Kirkpatrick was looking for a change. She wanted a full-time job, something a little bit different that would be beneficial both to herself and to the community.

She finally decided to start her own business. After enrolling in Y-Enterprise, an entrepreneurial program with the YMCA, she sent out an online survey to friends and acquaintances living in the immediate area. She wanted to know what people wanted in Metcalfe. The answer came back that everybody seemed interested in a place where people could chat with their friends and perhaps order snacks or small meals. Kirkpatrick later landed on the idea of a tea shop with a modern atmosphere, including providing free wireless Internet and satellite radio.

Kirkpatrick says the Y-Enterprise Program in Ottawa gave her a great start. The self-employment initiative guides participants through the process of starting their own business. Offering workshops and seminars, established business experts walked Kirkpatrick through her business plan step-by-step, improving both her strategy and her confidence.

"That kind of support was really crucial," said Kirkpatrick.

Kirkpatrick opened her business, Tea Biscuit Café and Studio in December, but its official launch will take place on Sat., Feb. 2. Located at 8169 Victoria St. in Metcalfe, Tea Biscuit serves fine loose-leaf teas, homemade soups, comfort foods, baking, and of course tea biscuits, while providing free wireless Internet

access and a space for local artists to display their creations. Kirkpatrick said she hopes her café will become the new town hot spot.

"I like to bring people together."

"I really love to start things," said Kirkpatrick. "I like to change things and I like to bring people together."

Kirkpatrick has been a volunteer in the Metcalfe community since moving from the Maritimes in 1999. She has been heavily involved with the Metcalfe Co-operative Nursery School, co-founding the Live and Learn Resource Centre and serving on the board of Rural Family Connections Inc. She was also a vendor and executive member of the Metcalfe Farmers' Market. Kirkpatrick also had a few stints working in non-profit management and fundraising with Live and Learn, the Osgoode Youth Association, and Leadership Ottawa. She and her husband Wade, and daughters Keira, 9, and Treia, 7, live just around the corner from the café.

In October, she bought the building that once housed the Cranberry Café on Victoria Street.

"I needed a hook to differentiate this place from [everything] that had been here before," she noted. "It was underutilized before because they weren't really doing anything with the upper rooms."

She has reserved one room as a "community art room" of sorts, known as the studio. She also wanted to give the community a space to hold

meetings, workshops, and special events, and she's planning to bring in artists to sell their wares and teach. Breathing life into the other half of the upstairs will be Nancy Dixon's new business, N. Dixon Books.

The downstairs area is meant to be cozy and inviting. Sirius Satellite Radio plays quietly in the background. Complete with a fireplace, the café itself is brightly painted — green and purple — Kirkpatrick's favourite colours.

She commissioned local potter Collette Beardall to make the tea bowls (which are also purple).

Cooking and baking are among Kirkpatrick's hidden talents. Aside from about 25 kinds of tea, Kirkpatrick is selling all-day desserts, and, of course, the tea biscuit that her new café is named after. (Kirkpatrick is proud to mention that the biscuit is award-winning; it placed first a few years ago in a baking competition at the Metcalfe fair).

She aims to keep the menu lively and changing. Besides desserts, she plans to sell brunch, pocket foods (like samosas), fondue, and grazing plates.

Kirkpatrick mentioned that friends and loved ones were indispensable during the construction period while setting up her business. Pals Christine Lee and Chris Blaney were bricks, while her husband handled the renovations.

Kirkpatrick is also looking for more artists to run workshops, display their creations in the café, or sell items on consignment. For more information, contact Tea Biscuit at 613-821-1227 or visit www.teabiscuit.ca.

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Food bank friends collect \$4,725 for Dundas

WINCHESTER — This year more than \$4,700 was generated through the Food Bank Friends program in support of the Dundas County Food Bank, nearly doubling last year's enterprise.

Christmas ornaments sold at both the Winchester and Morrisburg Home Hardware locations for \$2 each, with \$1.50 from each sale going to the food bank.

"This program is successful because of community support," said Winchester Home Hardware owner Ken Boje. "The public buying ornaments is what makes this work."

A total of 2,762 ornaments were sold.

The money was used to issue cheques on the food bank accounts with various food providers where purchases are made — including Andy's Foodland and Mike Dean's Super Food store in Winchester, Mike's Valu-Mart in Morrisburg.

The money was split about 60-40 per cent between Winchester and Morrisburg food providers respectively. The North Dundas and

South Dundas locations share food back and forth as needed to take advantage of specials and bulk buys.

"We're pleased with the end result, dollar-wise," said Boje.

Some additional funds were raised through other activities and channelled through the Food Bank Friends campaign, including photos with Santa at Winchester Home Hardware.

This was the first year Morrisburg Home Hardware participated. Ornaments were also sold by volunteers at various locations, for example Winchester District Memorial Hospital, and Chesterville Scotiabank, which matched funds generated in a separate donation.

Last year about \$2,700 was raised.

Both Boje and Ian McGillis, owner of Morrisburg Home Hardware, said they will continue the program next year.

"We had a very good response," said McGillis. "People were coming into the store looking for the ornaments."



Home Hardware's Food Bank Friends campaign raised a total of \$4,725 for the Dundas County Food Bank throughout the Christmas season. The second annual event more than doubled the amount raised in the program's first year. Pictured are: Ian McGillis of Morrisburg Home Hardware (left), food bank treasurer Dave King, food bank administrator Donna Quesnel, outgoing treasurer Gary Cracknell, and Ken Boje of Winchester Home Hardware.
Photo — Rebecca Comfort



Deal!

Scotiabank Chesterville matched funds raised during the Friday night festivities of this year's Chesterville Icebreaker Winter Carnival, which included the second annual Deal or No Deal contest. Including Scotiabank's \$1,326.25 matching donation, the evening raised \$2,652.50 — doubling last year's proceeds. Financial advisor Michael Beaumont, who played the role of the banker during the Deal or No Deal games, and manager of customer service Kathy McMahon handed over the matching funds to Icebreaker committee co-chair Chrisy Thompson on Fri., Jan. 25.

Press Photo — Duncan

Brownell office moving

CORNWALL — Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry MPP Jim Brownell is moving his constituency office to a new location at 20 Montreal Rd., as of Feb. 4. An open house is scheduled for Wed., Feb. 6 from 4:30 to 6 pm to allow constituents, community leaders, and the media to tour the new facility.

"After much consideration, and comments from staff and constituents who visited my office, I have decided to relocate my Cornwall constituency office," said Brownell. "This new location will allow for greater privacy for constituents when they discuss their issues with myself and my staff, both on a one-on-one basis and in groups."

Besides having ample off-

street parking, the new site is also handicap accessible.

Effective Feb. 4, the address will be: Jim Brownell, MPP, Stormont-Dundas-South Glengarry, 20 Montreal Rd., Cornwall, Ont., K6H 1B1. The telephone number (613-933-6513) and fax number (613-933-6449) will remain unchanged.

The current office at 404 Montreal Rd. will be closed for business on Jan. 31 and Feb. 1. The new office at 20 Montreal Rd. will open at 8:30 am on Mon., Feb. 4.

The constituency office hours of operation remain unchanged: 8:30 am to noon and 1 to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday. The locations of the satellite offices in Morrisburg and Winchester and their hours remain unchanged.

Seniors host euchre party

WILLIAMSBURG — The Williamsburg Senior Citizens held a euchre tournament on Wed., Jan. 16 at the J.W. MacIntosh Seniors' Support Centre. Everett Froats, Annie Parsons, and Bertha Christie were the white card winners. Graham Pemberton, Betty Wheeler, and Dianna Moffat were the winners of the yellow cards.

The door prizes were won by Howard Kennedy and Annie Parsons. Muriel Miller, Lorraine Tupper, Keith Scott, Tina DeWitt, Ray Casselman, and Sheila Crowder also took home draw prizes.

At the euchre on Jan. 2, Muriel Gow, Sheila Crowder, and Sheila Scarbo were the white card winners. Dianna Moffat, Graham Pemberton, and Gladys Kyle took the yellow card honours.

Ruth Casselman won a door prize and two other draw prizes. Sheila Crowder walked away with a door prize and another draw prize, while Doug Gow won the other draw.

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TUESDAY, FEB. 12: Shopping trip leaving at 9:00 am from Winchester
TUESDAY, FEB. 12: Widow & Widower's Support Group at 10:30 am
THURSDAY, FEB. 14: Hot Dog Night at 4:00 pm – Spaghetti Dinner
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THURSDAY FEB. 28: Hot Dog Night at 4:00 pm – Roast Beef Dinner

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION AND HEARING FOR AN ELECTRICITY DISTRIBUTION RATE CHANGE

HYDRO ONE NETWORKS INC.

Hydro One Networks Inc. has filed its completed application with the Ontario Energy Board, received on December 18, 2007, under section 78 of the Ontario Energy Board Act, 1998, S.O. 1998, c. 15 (Schedule B), seeking approval for changes to the rates that Hydro One Networks Inc. charges for electricity distribution, to be effective May 1, 2008. The Board has assigned the application file number EB-2007-0681. The Board's decision on this application may have an effect on all of Hydro One Networks Inc.'s distribution customers.

Any change to Hydro One Networks Inc.'s distribution rates will cause Hydro One Networks Inc.'s delivery charges to change. Delivery charges are one of four regular items on residential and general service customers' electricity bills and vary depending on the amount of electricity consumed.

Hydro One Networks Inc. is seeking approval of \$1,067,000,000 as the 2008 revenue it requires to provide electricity distribution. Hydro One Networks Inc. indicates that if the application is approved as filed, an average customer would experience an increase of less than 1% on the total electricity bill.

Hydro One Networks is also seeking to simplify its rate structure by harmonizing (consolidating) the rates for its 88 acquired utilities and its existing legacy rates, over a four year period. This will result in 12 common rate classes for all customers at the end of four years.

Hydro One Networks indicates that, if the application is approved as filed, the 2008 total bill impact will range from a decrease of 11.0% to an increase of 9.8% for residential customers consuming 1000 kWh per month. For general service energy-billed customers consuming 2000 kWh per month the total bill impact may range from a decrease of 21.5% to an increase of 8.9%. Hydro One Networks has forecast that the harmonization plan will have slightly lower annual impacts from 2009 to 2011.

At the end of the four year harmonization period, the majority of Hydro One Networks' customers will see a total bill increase of less than 5%. However, some customers with community-specific rates may experience bill impacts greater than this. Hydro One Networks' customers can confirm if this applies to them by checking their "service type", which appears on page 2 of their Hydro One Networks bill beside the words "Your electricity charges". If the "service type" shown on your bill includes your specific community's name, you can obtain further information on your bill impacts by going to www.HydroOneNetworks.com/2008RateApplication or calling Hydro One Networks Inc. at 1-866-543-8031.

How to see Hydro One Networks Inc.'s Application

Copies of the application are available for inspection at the Board's office in Toronto and on its website, www.oeb.gov.on.ca, and at Hydro One Networks Inc.'s website www.HydroOneNetworks.com and at the following Hydro One Networks Inc. offices:

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Thunder Bay Field Business Centre, 255 Burwood Road, Thunder Bay

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You may participate in this proceeding in one of three ways:

1. Send a Letter with your Comments to the Board

Your letter with comments will be provided to the Board members deciding the application, and will be part of the public record for the application. If you wish to make an oral presentation to the Board, your letter should include this request. Your letter must be received by the Board no later than **30 days** from the publication or service date of this notice. The Board accepts letters of comment by either post or e-mail at the addresses below.

2. Become an Observer

Observers do not actively participate in the proceeding but monitor the progress of the proceeding by receiving documents issued by the Board. You may request observer status in order to receive documents issued by the Board in this proceeding. If you become an observer, you need to contact the applicant and others to receive documents that they file in this proceeding and they may charge you for this. Most documents filed in this application will also be available on the Board's website. Your request for observer status must be made in writing and be received by the Board no later than **10 days** from the publication or service date of this notice. The Board accepts observer request letters by either post or e-mail at the addresses below; however, two paper copies are also required. You must also provide a copy of your letter to the applicant.

3. Become an Intervenor

You may ask to become an intervenor if you wish to actively participate in the proceeding. Intervenors are eligible to receive evidence and other material

submitted by participants in the hearing. Likewise, intervenors will be expected to send copies of any material they file to all parties to the hearing.

Your request for intervenor status must be made by letter of intervention and be received by the Board no later than **10 days** from the publication or service date of this notice. Your letter of intervention must include a description of how you are, or may be, affected by the outcome of this proceeding; and if you represent a group, a description of the group and its membership. The Board may order costs in this proceeding. You must indicate in your letter of intervention whether you expect to seek costs from the applicant and the grounds for your eligibility for costs. You must provide a copy of your letter of intervention to the applicant.

The Board may choose to proceed with this application by way of written or oral hearing. In addition, the Board may give consideration to hearing this application in phases. The Board will not hold a written hearing if a party satisfies the Board that there is good reason for holding an oral hearing. Your letter of intervention should indicate your preference for a written or oral hearing, and the reason for that preference.

If you already have a user ID, please submit your intervention request through the Board's web portal at www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca. Additionally, two paper copies are required. If you do not have a user ID, please visit the Board's website under e-filings and fill out a user ID password request. For instructions on how to submit and naming conventions please refer to the RESS Document Guidelines found at www.oeb.gov.on.ca, e-Filing Services. The Board also accepts interventions by e-mail, at the address below, and again, two additional paper copies are required. Those who do not have internet access are required to submit their intervention request on a CD or diskette in PDF format, along with two paper copies.

How to Contact Us

In responding to this Notice, please include Board file number EB-2007-0681 in the subject line of your e-mail or at the top of your letter. It is also important that you provide your name, postal address and telephone number and, if available, an e-mail address and fax number. All communications should be directed to the attention of the Board Secretary at the address below, and be received no later than 4:45 p.m. on the required date.

Need More Information?

Further information on how to participate may be obtained by visiting the Board's website at www.oeb.gov.on.ca or by calling our Consumer Relations Centre at 1-877-632-2727.

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AVIS DE REQUÊTE ET D'AUDIENCE
DE MODIFICATION DU TARIF DE DISTRIBUTION D'ÉLECTRICITÉ
D'HYDRO ONE NETWORKS INC.



Hydro One Networks Inc. a déposé une requête dûment remplie auprès de la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario le 18 décembre 2007 aux termes de l'article 78 de la *Loi de 1998 sur la Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario*, L.O., c. 15, Annexe B, en vue d'obtenir l'approbation des tarifs qu'Hydro One Networks Inc. exige pour la distribution de l'électricité à compter du 1^{er} mai 2008. La Commission a assigné à la requête le numéro EB-2007-0681. La décision de la Commission concernant cette requête peut avoir un effet sur tous les consommateurs de services de distribution d'Hydro One Networks Inc.

Toute modification des tarifs de distribution d'Hydro One Networks Inc. entraînera une modification des frais de livraison. Les frais de livraison sont l'un des quatre articles qui figurent systématiquement sur les factures d'électricité des consommateurs résidentiels et des services généraux et qui varient en fonction de la quantité d'électricité consommée.

Hydro One Networks Inc. demande l'approbation de besoins en revenus de 1 067 000 000 \$ pour la distribution de l'électricité en 2008. Hydro One Networks Inc. indique que si la requête est approuvée telle que déposée, le consommateur moyen constatera une augmentation inférieure à 1 % sur sa facture d'électricité totale.

Hydro One Networks demande également l'autorisation de simplifier sa structure tarifaire en harmonisant (par consolidation) sur une période de quatre ans les tarifs des 88 services publics qu'elle a acquis et de ses tarifs actuels existants. À la fin de ces quatre années, 12 classes tarifaires communes existeront pour tous les consommateurs.

Hydro One Networks indique que si la requête est approuvée telle que déposée, les consommateurs résidentiels qui utilisent 1 000 kWh par mois constateront un effet allant d'une diminution de 11,0 % à une augmentation de 9,8 % sur leur facture totale de 2008. Pour les consommateurs du service général qui utilisent 2 000 kWh par mois, l'effet sur leur facture d'énergie pourra aller d'une diminution de 21,5 % à une augmentation de 8,9 %. Hydro One Networks a prévu que le plan d'harmonisation aura des effets annuels légèrement plus faibles de 2009 à 2011.

À la fin de la période d'harmonisation de quatre ans, la majorité des consommateurs d'Hydro One Networks verront une augmentation totale de moins de 5 % sur leur facture. Cependant, certains consommateurs bénéficiant de tarifs propres à une communauté donnée pourront constater des effets plus importants. Les consommateurs d'Hydro One Networks pourront confirmer s'ils sont dans cette situation en vérifiant leur « *service type* », lequel est indiqué à la page 2 de leur facture, à côté des mots « *Your electricity charges* ». Si le « *service type* » indiqué sur votre facture comporte également le nom précis de votre communauté, vous pouvez obtenir de plus amples renseignements concernant les effets sur votre facture en consultant le site www.HydroOneNetworks.com/2008RateApplication ou en appelant Hydro One Networks Inc. au 1 866 543-8031.

Comment consulter la requête de Hydro One Networks Inc.
Des exemplaires de la requête sont disponibles pour consultation au bureau de la Commission à Toronto et dans son site Web (www.oeb.gov.on.ca) ainsi que dans le site Web d'Hydro One Networks Inc. (www.HydroOneNetworks.com) et aux bureaux suivants d'Hydro One Networks Inc. :

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2. Comment obtenir le statut d'observateur
Les observateurs ne participent pas activement à une instance, mais ils en suivent le déroulement en recevant les documents produits par la Commission. Vous pouvez demander le statut d'observateur afin de recevoir les documents publiés par la Commission durant cette instance. Si vous devenez observateur, vous devez communiquer avec le requérant et d'autres intervenants afin de recevoir les documents qu'ils déposent dans le cadre de cette instance. Des frais peuvent être exigés pour ce service. La plupart des documents déposés dans le cadre de cette requête seront également disponibles dans le site Web de la Commission. Votre demande de statut d'observateur doit être présentée par écrit et parvenir à la Commission au plus tard **10 jours** après la signification ou la publication du présent avis. La Commission accepte les demandes de statut d'observateur par courrier courant ou par courriel, aux adresses ci-dessous; dans ce cas, deux exemplaires sur papier sont exigés. Vous devez également fournir un exemplaire de votre lettre au requérant.

3. Comment obtenir le statut d'intervenant
Vous pouvez devenir un intervenant si vous désirez participer activement à l'instance. Les intervenants sont admissibles à recevoir des preuves et d'autres documents présentés aux participants à l'audience. Les intervenants sont tenus de faire parvenir des exemplaires de tous les documents qu'ils déposent à toutes les parties à l'audience.

Vous devez présenter votre requête de statut d'intervenant dans une lettre d'intervention, laquelle doit parvenir à la Commission au plus tard **10 jours** après la signification ou la

publication du présent avis. Votre lettre d'intervention doit décrire la manière dont vous êtes ou pourriez être touché par l'issue de cette instance et doit préciser si vous représentez un groupe et, le cas échéant, décrire ce groupe et ses membres. La Commission peut attribuer des dépens dans cette instance. Vous devez indiquer dans votre lettre d'intervention si vous entendez solliciter des dépens auprès du requérant ainsi que les motifs établissant votre admissibilité aux dépens. Vous devez également remettre un exemplaire de votre lettre d'intervention au requérant.

La Commission peut choisir de tenir une audience écrite ou orale pour traiter cette requête. De plus, la Commission peut envisager de procéder à l'audience de cette requête par phases. La Commission ne procédera pas par voie d'audience écrite si une partie présente à la Commission des raisons justifiant de tenir une audience orale. Votre lettre d'intervention doit indiquer si vous préférez une audience écrite ou une audience orale et préciser les raisons sur lesquelles votre préférence est fondée.

Si vous avez déjà un identificateur d'utilisateur, veuillez présenter votre demande d'intervention dans le portail Web de la CEO : www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca. De plus, deux copies papier sont requises. Si vous n'avez pas d'identificateur d'utilisateur, veuillez consulter la section Services de dépôt automatique dans le site Web de la CEO, et remplissez une demande de mot de passe. Pour des renseignements sur la manière de déposer des documents et la règle d'affectation des noms, veuillez consulter les directives RESS dans la section e-Filing Services (en anglais seulement) www.oeb.gov.on.ca. La Commission accepte les interventions par courriel, à l'adresse ci-dessous; dans ce cas, deux exemplaires sur papier sont exigés. Ceux qui n'ont pas d'accès à l'Internet doivent présenter leur demande d'intervention en format PDF sur un CD ou une disquette, ainsi que deux exemplaires sur papier.

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Vous voulez en savoir plus?
Vous pouvez obtenir davantage de renseignements sur la manière de participer en visitant le site Web de la Commission (www.oeb.gov.on.ca) ou en appelant notre Centre des relations avec les consommateurs au 1 877 632-2727.

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Par la poste : Commission de l'énergie de l'Ontario C.P. 2319 2300, rue Yonge, 27 ^e étage Toronto (Ontario) M4P 1E4 À l'attention de la secrétaire de la Commission	Hydro One Networks Inc. 8 ^e étage, Tour Sud 483, rue Bay Toronto (Ontario) M5G 2P5 À l'attention de : M. Glen MacDonald Conseiller principal, Réglementation
Dépôts : www.errr.oeb.gov.on.ca Courriel : Boardsec@oeb.gov.on.ca	Courriel : glen.e.macdonald@HydroOne.com
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COMMISSION DE L'ÉNERGIE DE L'ONTARIO

Original signé par

Kirsten Walli
Secrétaire de la Commission



Greely Carnival Idols

The winners of the carnival's Greely Idol contest were Michelle Linthorn (left) and Mikaela Bennett (right). The runners up (in the middle) were Sophia Pantuso, Kyla Bray, and Stephanie Larochelle.



Python petting popular pastime

Little Ray's Reptiles attracted a great deal of attention with an African rock python measuring 15 feet and weighing 150 pounds at the Greely Winter Carnival over the weekend.

Keep existing parking laws

OTTAWA — The budget proposal to increase parking rates and to extend the hours of paid parking will be reviewed by the Transportation Committee. The committee will hold a special meeting on Wed., Feb. 6. At the meeting, I will be requesting that we revert to the existing hours where there is no charge after 7 pm, and no charge on Sunday.

Rural Summit II

There was a great turnout last Tues., Jan. 22 at the public consultation meeting on Rural Summit II held at the Metcalfe Community Centre. Thanks for your interest in our community. Please plan to attend Rural Summit II on Sat., April 5.

Coyote Issue in Greely

Our office continues to receive reports of coyote sightings in and around Greely. Over the past two weeks, two more pets have been taken by coyotes. Please remember to keep pets under supervision as much as possible. Recent reports indicate most sightings in the Sunset Lakes, South Village, Woodstream, Rideau Forest, and Orchardview subdivisions. Our trappers are continuing to trap these wild animals.

Special Olympics

Jean Traynor and I are working together to bring the first ever Special Olympic Winter Games Festival to Metcalfe on Sat., Feb. 16. The main events

In and around Osgoode Ward

by councillor Doug Thompson



will be cross-country skiing, snowshoeing, triathlon racing, and skating. We are planning a dog sled demonstration race, as well. Anyone interested in volunteering can call Traynor at 613-821-1493 or our office at 613-580-2490.

Ice Storm Celebrations

Special thanks to Kim Bates, Sharon Baird, Helen Porteous, and all their volunteers for making this event so successful. This year also marks the 25th anniversary of the Vernon Recreation Hall being built. It was great to see all events very well attended. Vernon residents once again have shown how a small community can do great things.

Carnival success

The Greely Winter Carnival was an outstanding success. Starting on Wednesday with the seniors luncheon and ending with the Greely Idol Competition on Sunday, all events reported huge crowds. The carnival has once again shown what volunteers can do for a community. Carnival chair Bill Ney and Wayne Murphy co-ordinated many volunteers to make the carnival an attraction for hundreds and hundreds of local residents.

Church pancake supper

The Metcalfe Anglican church will be holding its annual pancake supper on Tues., Feb. 5 from 5 to 7 pm at the Church Hall in Metcalfe. Come out, bring \$5, and you will be assured of a great dining experience.

Osgoode ladies softball

Early registration takes place on, or before Feb. 2 at the Osgoode Legion from 7 to 9 pm (\$70). Late registration will be at Osgoode Foodland on March 29 from 10 am to noon (\$90). League is Wednesday nights starting in May. Sign up as a team or individually. For information, call Jaime Hodges at 613-826-6614 or e-mail Sue Gilchrist at osgoodeladies-softball@hotmail.com.

Community policing

There have been several thefts from vehicles in the Metcalfe area over the last few weekends. All vehicles that were entered were unlocked. Money, CDs, and ownerships were stolen. Please lock your vehicles if you leave them outside overnight. Const. Jennifer Finniss can be reached by calling 613-236-1222, extension 3787 or by e-mailing finnisj@ottawapolice.ca.

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Dough for dogs

On behalf of the Baden-Powell scouting groups in Williamsburg, Gerry Robinson presented a \$700 cheque (raised during a bike-a-thon in 2007) to Judy Charette and Carl Robinson (absent from photo) of the Morrisburg and District Lions Club on Mon., Jan. 21. The Lions added an additional amount to assist the Canadian Guide Dogs for the Blind organization in Manotick. Charette and Robinson are currently fostering a puppy until he is old enough to begin his formal training in Manotick (at about 14 months) and they spoke to the group about the goals of Canadian Guide Dogs for the Blind and the significant role a trained guide dog plays in the life of a visually impaired person. The puppy also was on hand to meet the scouts and thank them for their generous donation.

Playhouse plans exciting 25th anniversary season

MORRISBURG — Upper Canada Playhouse intends to follow up on this season's success with an extra special lineup in 2008 to celebrate its 25th anniversary. One surprise will be the addition of a spring show in advance of the summer comedy series.

To honour the 50th anniversary of the St. Lawrence Seaway, the Playhouse will present *A Seaway Story* by Janet Irwin and James Fagan Tait April 10 to 27. A hit at the Playhouse 15 years ago, it chronicles the building of the Seaway, the flooding of the Lost Villages, and the impassioned debate among the local residents whose lives were affected by the project. Public and school performances are scheduled.

Leading off the summer portion of the new season from June 12 to July 6 is *Wally's Café* by Sam Bobrick and Ron Clarke, an hilarious play about a couple's attempt to run a poorly-located diner in the California desert. The audience visits the dinner in 1940, 1958, and finally in 1981 to watch the comedy unfold.

Up next, from July 10 to Aug. 3, is popular playwright Norm Foster's most produced play, *The Affections of May*. Although artistic director Donnie Bowes will not appear in it this time around, he does admit that people often identify him as "that guy in the bunny suit" from a role he played in the show 20 years ago. It's the story of a recently single lady being courted by two local guys. It inevitably leads to a costume party, which is perhaps one of Foster's funniest scenes.

The knee-slapping action of Ray Cooney's *Out of Order* will hit the stage next from Aug. 7 to 31, and promises to deliver more of the hilarious chaos audiences have come to expect from the author of such past hits as last season's *It Runs in the Family*. This time the story centres around a government MP who books a hotel room for a romantic

encounter and gets his just desserts when a suspicious hotel manager, a furious husband, an unconscious nurse, and a dead body all conspire to turn his night into a nightmare.

To finish up the summer season, the Playhouse will treat audiences to *Having Hope* at Home from Sept. 11 to Oct. 5. It's a side-splitting and heart-warming story by David S. Craig about three generations of a family getting together for Thanksgiving dinner only to end up at each other's throats when the hostess's baby arrives prematurely. She's planned a home birth with a midwife but her pediatrician father doesn't want it to happen that way. Pretty soon everyone is adding their two cents.

Probably the most exciting event in the 2008 season is the news that the Playhouse will present a world premiere to honour its quarter-century of operation. Norm Foster, Canada's most popular playwright, is writing a new Christmas show and has chosen the Playhouse for its first production.

"It's really exciting for us to be the very first theatre to produce this new show...for our audience to be the first audience ever to see it," said Bowes. "It's about a small northern town's efforts to produce a Christmas pageant and, knowing Norm Foster as our audience does, I think we're about to have the time of our lives with this one."

Foster's holiday family show will run Nov. 20 to Dec. 14 to officially close the season.

Newsletters outlining the Playhouse's 2008 season have been mailed to patrons and the box office reports that phones are ringing off the hook with advance bookings. As always, patrons are advised to order early to get the dates and seats they wish. Anyone who has not received a newsletter and would like one can call the box office at 613-543-3713.

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Eco Farm Day in Cornwall next month



New fairboard

The Chesterville Agricultural Society held its annual general meeting on Sat., Jan. 26 to start planning for the 2008 season. The society established the new category of "associate director" for people who wish to contribute some time but are unable to commit to the duties of a regular director. Part of the meeting was dedicated to the installation of a new board of directors, which includes secretary Marilyn Johnson (front,

left), Janice Smith, past president Sharon Speagle, Laurie Gasser, Bill Smirle (back, left), president Bill Smith, second vice-president Daniel Gasser, Mark Smith, Phil Gasser, and Gord Johnson. Phil Gasser stepped down from his position as a director to become an associate director. Absent from photo are Carol Buma, Robin Morris, vice-president Lorne Neville, Des Desarmia, and Steve Speagle.

Photo — Barbour

CORNWALL — The Canadian Organic Growers Ottawa chapter will host its annual Eco Farm Day on Feb. 22 and 23 at Cornwall's Ramada Inn.

"Eco Farm Day is tailored to the interests of organic farmers and market gardeners, as well as conventional farmers who are considering the organic option," said conference chair Tom Manley. "With 12 workshops, a keynote speaker, a trade show with a variety of exhibitors, and a fully organic lunch, it is always a very rewarding day. Over 200 people come back every year for the social event, the networking, the positive atmosphere, and the great food!"

The event will begin with an evening gala on Feb. 22 — cocktails at 6 pm and dinner at 7 pm. The folk music of Ember Swift will entertain guests.

Saturday's conference will feature farmer and author Joel Salatin as a keynote

speaker. He will discuss soil as the foundation of agriculture and how our respect for soil life ultimately determines how we respect each other.

The day's workshops include everything from a presentation by Rare Breeds Canada, to a lesson on soil biology, to a cooking demonstration, to a session on composting on the organic vegetable farm.

Also on Saturday, participants can enjoy an organic lunch and visit the trade show, which will feature over 30 exhibitors, showcasing associations, farm inputs, farm implements, markets, lifestyle choices, and farm produce.

Funding for this event was provided in part by Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada through the Agricultural Adaptation Council's CanAdvance Program.

For more information or to register for the events, visit www.cog.ca/ottawa.

Ottawa Valley seed growers provide funds for organic dairy, 4-H field crops

KEMPTVILLE — The Ottawa Valley Seed Growers Association has granted \$500 to the Alfred Campus of the University of Guelph to help it stage an organic dairy conference April 7 and 8. In agreeing to provide the funds, OVSGA directors meeting in Kemptville Jan. 21 felt that supporting alternative agriculture is a worthwhile cause.

Alfred Campus is in the process of developing the first research centre for organic dairying in Canada. Featuring speakers from Canada, the U.S., and Europe, the conference will deliver the latest research on the specialty, including cow nutrition.

Using the proceeds from its annual Ottawa Valley Farm Show coming up March 11 to 13 at Lansdowne Park, the association backs many Eastern Ontario agricultural and rural causes.

At the same meeting, directors also voted to provide \$250 upon request to 4-H chapters in 11 Eastern Ontario counties as an incentive for field crop clubs. The money will be on top of \$200 already given to each chapter every year for general purposes.

The decision followed comments from director Bruce Hudson that such clubs, due to limited finances and shortage of volunteer leaders, have become few and far between. Field crops, Hudson noted, are the Seed Growers' main focus and 4-H clubs are a source both of future seed specialists and of new members of the organization.

The meeting also heard thank-you notes from several organizations for financial help previously provided, including one from Kathy Hardy on behalf of the Kemptville College Foun-

dation for \$5,000 toward the purchase of a fibre analyzer.

Farm Show space sold out

Farm Show general manager Tom Van Dusen reported the 2008 edition is sold out with more than 320 confirmed exhibitors, while secretary-treasurer Mary Joynt announced that shares in the failed Cornwall ethanol plant held in an escrow account have been returned (about two-thirds of the Seed Growers' total \$200,000 investment).

Finally, the board received an update from director Garnet Ralph on the Ontario Agricultural Hall of Fame nomination of Gordon Hill, which it supported with a \$700 grant; and directors voted to provide a similar allocation to sponsor one of its own, John Posthumus, in the 2009 round of Hall of Fame nominations.



Pioneer present

Pioneer Hi-Bred Ltd. recently donated \$2,000 to the Winchester District Memorial Hospital Foundation through a Community Investment grant to improve rural healthcare. Pioneer Hi-Bred account manager Paul Hermans (left) and local sales representative Dennis Fife handed over the cheque to foundation chair Terry Triskle on Fri., Jan. 25, while the construction crew worked on the hospital expansion project.

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Icy celebration

As part of an Ice Storm Celebration Weekend the community of Vernon officially opened its outdoor skating rink at the Recreation Centre on Sun., Jan. 27. For the ceremony, Bobbie (left) and Jack Mercier held the sponsors sign, while Matthew (left) and Michael Bates held the ribbon. Behind them were Sharon Baird (left), Helen Porteous, and Kim Bates of the Vernon Recreation Association, Ottawa councillor for Stittsville-Kanata West Shad Qadri, Mayor Larry O'Brien, and Osgoode Ward councillor Doug Thompson.



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Moe Robinson was one of 24 players who took part in a crokinole tournament at the Osgoode Township Historical Society Museum, as part of the Ice Storm Celebration, on Sat., Jan. 26.



Ottawa Mayor Larry O'Brien stopped to watch some serious euchre enthusiasts at the Vernon Recreation Centre during the Ice Storm Celebration Weekend on Sun., Jan. 27. Playing at this table were Phyllis Miller (left), Stuart Dagleish, Molly Miller, and Derwyn Miller.

Minutes after the opening ceremony, Kristian Lahaie (left), Jack Mercier, Michael Bates, and Carter Montone took to the ice to practise their shots on net with the help of volunteer firefighter Jonathan Heins.



Sharon Arthur took some time to look over memorabilia from Ice Storm '98 on Sun., Jan. 27. The display was part of Vernon's Ice Storm Celebration Weekend.



Pat Trudell lined up a shot in the crokinole tournament on Sunday.

Just before the big dinner on Sat., Jan. 26 at the Vernon Recreation Centre, Osgoode Ward councillor Doug Thompson paused for a photo with Ice Storm Celebration Weekend organizers Helen Porteous (left) and Kim Bates. "One thing I am so proud to recall is that there were no fatalities locally during the ice storm and I believe this was due in large part to the service of the volunteers," said Thompson. Ice Storm Celebration Weekend was also used to mark the 25th anniversary of the Vernon Rec Centre.

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Hawks Home Game

Winchester Jr. "B" Hawks
vs.
Akwasasne Wolves

Friday, Feb. 1
8:15 pm
Winchester Arena

Bantam "B" Demons strike late for 4-3 victory

The winner!

Matt Jarvis (No. 11) joins his captain Peter Klein-Swormink in celebrating the game-winning goal against the Smiths Falls Bears on Jan. 23. North Dundas led the UCMHL encounter 3-0 after two periods but had to break a 3-3 tie to earn their 13th win. Press Photo — Van Bridger



WINCHESTER — They came within 72 seconds of having to settle for a 3-3 tie with the visiting Smiths Falls Bears. But the North Dundas Bantam "B" Demons managed to collect two points thanks to captain Peter Klein-Swormink's late powerplay goal.

North Dundas was holding a 3-0 lead after two periods of the home game (Jan. 23) but were victimized in the third period by Smiths Falls who rallied and tied the score 3-3 with 5:08 on the clock.

Klein-Swormink jammed at the partially covered puck and was able to push it into the Bear's cage and stop the clock with 1:12 left in the game. The late tally gave the Demons a one goal (4-3) lead which they were able to protect.

The mid-week victory improved the Demons' Upper Canada Minor Hockey League record to 13-5-3. North Dundas will play its fi-

nal regular season home game tonight (Wed., Jan. 30) at 7 pm. The Brockville Bantam Braves will provide the opposition.

North Dundas led Smiths Falls 1-0 after a period on a goal by Klein-Swormink, who scored after taking a feed from Josh Freake and Brandon Cousineau at the 9:06 mark.

Cousineau pumped in a pair of pucks in period two and opened up a 3-0 lead for his squad. Klein-Swormink and Patrick Lauriault set up his first marker at 10:58 while Matt Jarvis assisted on his second 2:05 before the end of the frame.

Smiths Falls got back into the battle thanks to third-period goals by Justin Healy (10:56), Nick Pilon (7:03) and Austin Fontyn (5:08) to set the stage for Klein-Swormink's game breaker. Jarvis and Dylan Fawcett were also in on the play.

Hawks lose 5-0 to Alexandria Glens

WINCHESTER — Alexandria goaltender Quann Dominic faced 46 shots and blocked them all as the Glens glided to a 5-0 victory over the home town Winchester Jr. "B" Hawks.

Morewood's James Kirkwood bagged what would prove to be the winning goal in Sunday (Jan. 27) night's victory at 18:11 of the first period. He then helped set up Hugo Pouliotte who made it 2-0 at 17:58 of the second session.

Kirkwood also picked up a pair of helpers in the final frame assisting Nicholas Lortie on a power play 59 seconds into the final frame and Scott Cameron who made it a 5-0 final with 10:40 left in the game. The only Alexandria scoring play the Morewood defenceman wasn't involved in was a Jamie Jean Louis goal that made it 4-0 at 9:27 of the final frame.

The 5-0 verdict improved the first-place Glens' St. Lawrence Division record to 28-10-0-1 (57 points) and lowered Winchester's second-place mark to 23-12-2-1 (49 points). Alexandria has three and the Hawks four games left to play in the regular season.

"It wasn't a 5-0 game," remarked Winchester head coach Todd Marcellus. "I told the boys after the game that they had nothing to be ashamed of."

The Hawks outshot the Glens 46-31 over 60 minutes and by a 25-9 margin in the second stanza.

"We took it to them. We outshot them and outchanced them but couldn't outscore them," offered the coach.

The Glens have taken a 4-3 lead in their eight-game series with the Hawks. Alexandria has outscored Winchester 37-33 in those seven

games. They will meet for the last time in the regular season in Alexandria on Fri., Feb. 8.

Lots of shots — no goals

"I think our boys know they can play at Alexandria's level," said Marcellus. "But we have to do what they do — bury the chances when we get them."

"It was a good weekend for us. The effort and discipline was there," added the coach. "We have to build on it and finish the season strong."

Hawks 7 - Lions 3

Rookie Jesse Barbier potted a pair of goals and led the Hawks to a 7-3 win over the Lions in Morrisburg on Friday (Jan. 25) night.

It was 1-1 after 20 minutes. The same score was posted after two periods.

Winchester broke it wide open in the final frame getting goals from Chris Wardlaw (5), Ryan Workman (11), Barbier (11), Nick Enright (21), Adam Schofield (11) and Oliver Smith (4).

Enright (3), Workman (2), Manoli Vasilas (2), Schofield, Nick Douvris, Ryan Morden, Doug McLean and Scott Bradley all drew assists. Michael Hitesman picked up his 14th win. Winchester outshot Morrisburg 40-15 and went one for six on the PP.

Travis "Toast" Armstrong, Ben Collins, Chris Giczewski and Cory Huybrechts remain on the IL. Brodie Boulanger and Steve Leduc returned to action on Sunday.

This week

Friday (Feb. 1) night the Hawks will play host to the Akwasasne Wolves at 8:15 pm. Saturday (Feb. 2) they travel to Williamstown to take on the Char-Lan Rebels.

St. Pierre's WCC rink captures historic Royal Caledonian Trophy

WINCHESTER — Skip Robert St. Pierre and his team of Lester McInnis, Keith Baker, Ken Alcock and Joe Spruit lost their first game in the Royal Caledonian Curling Club's (R.C.C.C.) Canadian Branch Royal Victoria Jubilee 2008 Men's Championships, but finished with a winning record and captured the historic Royal Caledonia Trophy.

The Winchester rink was one of 16 teams taking part in the Branch Men's Championships at the North Grenville Curling Club in Kemptville (Jan. 18 to 20).

The event is the oldest competition of its kind in Canada and originated at the Montreal Curling Club in 1899. Teams from Eastern Ontario and Quebec annually compete for the prestigious Royal Jubilee Trophy (introduced in 1898).

In 1956 the Royal Caledonian Trophy competition was

amalgamated with the Royal Victoria Jubilee and two consolation flights were introduced. The Jubilee Trophy remained as the competition's reward for posting an undefeated record. The Caledonian Trophy (introduced in 1928-29 and renamed the Royal Caledonian Trophy in 1938-39) was then designated as top prize in the "B" event while the St. Lawrence Trophy (introduced as the Lady Gilmour Trophy in 1939-40 and renamed in 1957) was presented to the "C" event winner.

While examining the Royal Caledonia Trophy last week with his teammates McInnis noted the Winchester Curling Club has a "C" event win to its credit, but this year's triumph in the "B" bracket is definitely the highlight in R.C.C.C. branch play.

Trail to title

Pierre Lesage of Ste-Anne-

de-Bellevue defeated St. Pierre in the opening round on Fri., Jan. 18 but that would be the only loss for the Winchester contingent, which reeled off wins against Scott Moore of Brockville, Lennoxville's Brad Lassenba, Perry Anderson of Lacelle and Jim Redston of Pointe Claire in the "B" final on Jan. 20.

The "A" showdown pitted two rinks from the host North Grenville Curling Club against each other and Jeremy MacDonald won the final challenge over Dave Brown.

Warren Reddick of Richmond defeated Prescott's Dan Cook in the "C" final.

Participants in the Branch champions qualified by taking part in Centre playdowns held in Richmond (Centres 21-23-24), Arnprior (Centre 25), Brownsburg (Centre 26) and Brockville (Centre 27) in December.



The Winchester Curling Club — represented by Ken Alcock (left), Keith Baker, Joe Spruit, Robert St. Pierre and Lester McInnis — won four of five games at the Canadian Branch R.C.C.C. Jubilee 2008 in Kemptville (Jan. 18 to 20) and claimed the 80-year-old Royal Caledonian Trophy. Press Photo — Van Bridger



Thanks for the support

The North Dundas Pee Wee “B” Demons displayed a banner with the names of 30 sponsors on it just before they departed on Jan. 23 to take part in the International Silver Stick championship tournament in Port Huron, Michigan (Jan. 25 to 27). The hockey club also showed off new jerseys (left) purchased with a \$2,000 donation from Hydro One. The Demons finished the round robin portion of the tournament with a 0-1-2 record — 0-0 tie with the Niagara Purple Eagles, a 3-3 tie with the Ayr Flames and a 6-2 loss to the Strathroy Jr. Rockets. Strathroy captured the Silver Stick title with a 3-2 win over the Penatang Flames.

Press Photo — Van Bridger

Thurler, Downey fuel first-place Rockets’ attack in 9-4 victory

WINCHESTER — Rob Thurler and Brian Downey combined for six goals and a total of 14 points in the Inkerman Rockets’ 9-4 victory over the Chesterville Combines.

Downey cracked in four goals and inflated his total to 18 in the tail end of last Tuesday’s (Jan. 22) Winchester Town Hockey League twin bill. Thurler hit the 20-goal plateau in the 9-4 win netting a pair of pucks. He also collected six assists while Downey drew a pair of helper points.

The victory improved the first-place Rockets’ record to 9-3-2 and dropped the Combines’ mark to 1-11-2.

Inkerman held a 4-3 lead at the half but broke it wide open pegging five goals in the first 11 minutes of the second session.

Aron Sherrer (1-1-2), Justin Morozuk (1-1-2), Jeff Lewis (1-0-1), Robyn Sadler (0-2-2), Jeff Pashak (0-2-2) and Thomas Toonders (0-1-1) also figured in the Rocket scoring. Chad Kennedy posted the win.

Bill Henderson (1-1-2), Steve Swan (1-1-2), Jamie McIntosh (1-0-1), Chris McFarlane (1-0-1), Tory Baldwin (0-2-2) and Troy McNaughton (0-1-1) picked up points for the Combines.

Runners 5 - Flyers 1

Aaron Kelly cracked in three goals and led the number-three ranked Chesterville River Runners (7-7-0) back to the 500 level in a 5-1 win over the second-place Winchester Flyers (8-4-2) in the opening game of the double dip.

Jon Thornton lost his shutout when Flyer Chris “Edgar” Hart beat him on a play set up by Justin Heuff at 29:33 of the second half.

First-half goals by Kelly and Al Christophersen opened up a 2-0 lead for the Runners. Kelly snapped in markers at 26:14 and 5:50 to make it 4-1. Trevor Gilmer completed the scoring denting twine with 3:46 left on the clock.

Travis Rowe engineered three scoring plays. Gilmer drew one assist.



Junior champs

The Ottawa Hydro Flaming Mongooses captured the junior division champion at the 2008 Hallville 4-on-4 outdoor hockey tournament on Sun., Jan. 27. The Mongooses earned \$178 and the Hallville Cup. The junior champs are: Ryan Romans (front), Brandon DeJong (first row, left), Adrian Lee, Derek Simms, Matt Jarvis (second row, left), Dylan Fawcett, Dustin Tinkler, Brent Simms, captain Brett Coburn, Pete Klein-Swormink. Team Hydro, led by Chris Williams, took the senior title and \$260 on Saturday (Jan. 26). Organizer Karla Havekes reported 10 senior teams and six junior teams took part in the tournament, which raised about \$900 for the Hallville Recreation Centre.

Photo — Barbour

Sports Scoreboard

Eastern Ontario Junior “B” Hockey League

RIDEAU - ST. LAWRENCE CONFERENCE

RECENT RESULTS:

Jan. 25: Winchester 7 - Morrisburg 3
Athens 9 - Westport 2
Alexandria 10 - Akwesasne 4
Jan. 26: South Grenville 6 - Brockville 5
Char-Lan 11 - Morrisburg 7
Athens 7 - Gananoque 4
Jan. 27: Alexandria 5 - Winchester 0
Gananoque 4 - South Grenville 3
Char-Lan 3 - Akwesasne 1
Westport 9 - Brockville 6

STANDINGS

	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Athens	27	8	3	180	125	58
Westport	22	15	1	171	152	46
Gananoque	18	17	3	152	156	40
S. Grenville	17	20	1	139	171	35
Brockville	14	19	4	160	182	34

St. Lawrence	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Alexandria	28	10	0	228	126	57
Winchester	23	12	2	175	118	49
Char-Lan	13	18	4	146	186	32
Morrisburg	14	21	1	174	233	31
Akwesasne	5	29	3	105	181	14

*Teams losing in OT receive one point

TOP SCORERS

Rideau Division	G	A	PTS
Nick Held, West.	54	31	85
Steve McGlade, Athens	32	37	69
Thomas Franzon, West.	23	43	66
Adam Ruffolo, Gan.	31	33	64
Tom Dickson, Gan.	32	31	63
Aaron Lynn, West.	16	44	60

St. Lawrence Division

	G	A	PTS
Chad Galipeau, Morris.	36	54	90
Kyle LeGrace, Morris.	36	48	84
Rejean Leduc, Alex.	42	42	84
Sam Raymond, Alex.	22	48	70
Ben Collins, Win.	26	45	65
Alex Leclair, Alex.	24	35	59
Tyler Lafortune, Morris.	21	33	54
Vince Quesnel, C-L	19	30	49
Addison Pelkey, C-L	19	27	46
Julien Moffat, C-L	21	25	46
Scott Cameron, Alex.	18	25	43

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Metro Division

RECENT RESULTS:

Jan. 18: Ottawa West 9 - Metcalfe Jets 4
Jan. 20: Renfrew 6 - Metcalfe Jets 2
Jan. 25: Clarence Creek 7 - Metcalfe Jets 5

STANDINGS:	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Gatineau	26	8	1	225	117	55
Ottawa	26	9	2	199	129	55
Clarence	26	9	0	188	130	55
Ottawa West	18	15	2	140	128	40
Metcalfe Jets	3	30	3	114	235	10

*Teams losing in OT receive one point

Metcalfe Jets Home Games

Final regular season home game

Fri., Feb. 1

vs Ottawa West

8:15 pm

Winchester Town Hockey League

RECENT RESULTS:

Jan. 22: Runners 5 - Flyers 1
Rockets 9 - Combines 4

STANDINGS	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Inkerman Rockets	9	3	2	92	58	20
Winchester Flyers	8	4	2	70	65	18
River Runners	7	7	0	65	60	14
Chesterville Combines	1	11	2	50	91	4

TOP SCORERS

	G	A	PTS
Brian Downey, IR	18	28	46
Rob Thurler, IR	20	21	41
Al Christophersen, RR	18	13	31
Derek Vingerhoeds, RR	10	19	29
Justin Morozuk, IR	10	15	25
Mike Thompson, WF	12	12	24
Stef Gravelle, CC	14	8	22
Tory Baldwin, CC	8	14	22
Scott Baldwin, IR	12	9	21
Nik Paas, WF	11	10	21
Darrel Moore, WF	12	7	19

Winchester & District Ladies Hockey League

RECENT RESULTS:

Jan. 27: Cooper Physio 5 - WS Trucking 1
CountryGirl 4 - Double Beauty 0

Andy's 1 - Annabel's Blues 0

STANDINGS	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Cooper Physio	10	2	4	27	9	24
Annabel's Jewellery	8	2	6	27	12	22
Double Beauty	8	5	3	35	20	19
CountryGirls	4	8	4	24	34	12
Andy's Reds	5	10	1	18	29	9
WS Trucking	3	11	2	17	41	8

TOP SCORERS:

	G	A	PTS
Edith Dagenais, AB	10	5	15
Sonia Clement, CP	10	4	14
Amy Fraser, CG	11	2	13
Sandra Clouthier, AF	8	5	13
Jen Manley, CP	5	7	12
Annette Downey, DB	3	8	11
Pam Heuff, DB	8	2	10
Courtney Barkley, AJ	4	6	10
Kelly Zeran, CG	4	6	10
Nancy Pothier, DB	5	4	9
Amy Darling, DB	4	5	9
Gail Smith-Rutley, CP	4	4	8
Laura McDonnell, WST	3	5	8
Natalie Caron, DB	3	5	8
Karen McMillan, CP	4	3	7

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St. Lawrence Division

Winchester Jr. “B” Hawks Home Games

Fri., Feb. 1

vs Akwesasne Wolves
8:15 pm

Sat., Feb. 9

vs Morrisburg Lions
7:30 pm

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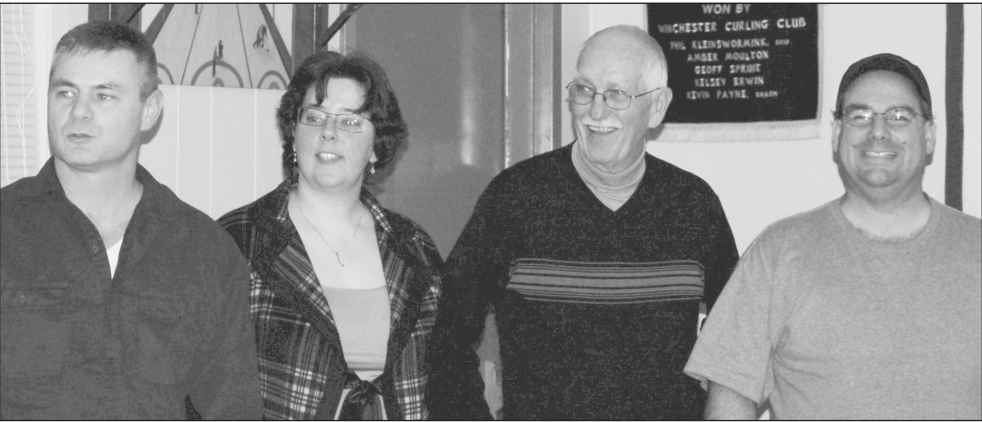
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Dairy 'spiel champs

Skip Gary Price guided his team into first place in the points race during the 42nd annual Parmalat Dairy Bonspiel at the Winchester Curling Club on Saturday (Jan. 26). The Price rink was one of 14 competing in the competition. The 2008 winners are: lead Rhonda St. Pierre (left), third Dave Montone skip Gary Price and second Brad Mayhew.

Photo — Susan Sloane



Big win

Skip Ken Alcock (left) and his team of third Stacey Weagant, second Don McIntosh and lead John Sloane lost their first game in the 42nd annual Parmalat Dairy Bonspiel, but bounced back in game two on Saturday (Jan. 26) and captured the one-game high prize. This year's field was made up of 14 teams.

Photo — Susan Sloane

Girls hockey

South Dundas Midget House Lions on a roll, win six of eight

MORRISBURG — Backed by Lorie Casselman's solid goaltending and sparked by Laurena Matthies' offensive production the South Dundas Midget House Lions have won six of their last eight games.

Overall the girls have put together a record of 11 wins, five losses and two ties.

South Dundas launched its eight-game slate doubling the Cornwall Reds 4-2 on Dec. 9. Matthies potted two goals and Kassie Whitteker snapped in the other two. Matthies finished the eight-game run with seven goals.

The next day (Dec. 10) the Lions blanked the Glen-garry Glens 3-0. Emma Han-son, Hailey Roberts and Matthies provided the goals and Casselman the shut out.

Casselman registered her second consecutive zero on Dec. 15 backing the Lions in a 2-0 win over Cornwall Gold. Reagan Hall cashed in both markers.

Jaime Boulerville, Cassidy Tupper and Whitteker were the goal scorers in a 3-1 win over Cornwall White on Dec. 23.

Cornwall Black snapped the Lions' win string handing them a 3-2 set back on Jan. 6. Courtney Thompson and Matthies supplied the South Dundas goals.

The Lions bounced right back whitewashing Cornwall White 2-0 on Jan. 14. Roberts and Tupper did the

scoring and Casselman post-ed the zero.

Matthies was the lone goal scorer in a 6-1 loss to Cornwall Black on Jan. 21.

Matthies potted a pair of pucks on Saturday (Jan. 26) and led the Lions to a 5-1 romp over the Cornwall

Reds. Hanson, Boulerville and Alyson Erwin snapped in the single shots.

South Dundas competed in tournament in Kingston (Jan. 11 to 13) and left town with a 2-1 loss and two ties (0-0 and 1-1) on their record.



Winchester Skating Club was well represented at the recent "Mini Edges" competition held at the Memorial Centre in Brockville. Pictured are Elizabeth Porteous (back, left), Sean-David Arel, Meaghan-Lina Arel, Emma Brooks (front, left), Alyssa Cooper, Erin Wheeler, Joelle Menard, Isabella St-Marseille, Jennifer Butland, and Shaelee St-Marseille.

Triple gold for Emma Brooks

Winchester skaters strike gold at Brockville meet

BROCKVILLE — Winchester Skating Club struck gold 10 times at the "Mini Edges" invitational competition held Sat., Jan. 19 in Brockville. Emma Brooks led the way with three gold medals and one bronze. In total WSC members earned 18 medals, which included 10 gold, three silver, and five bronze. The event, hosted jointly by Athens and Brockville skating clubs, drew CanSkate and Introductory level skaters from several clubs from across Eastern Ontario.

WSC medallists

Meaghan-Lina Arel: Team Elements Stage 4 and 5 Flight 1 - gold.

Sean-David Arel: Intro Men A Freeski - bronze.

Jennifer Butland: Stage 5 Elements

Flight 2 - silver; Team Elements Stage 4 and 5 Flight 1 - gold.

Erin Wheeler: Stage 5 Elements Flight 1 - bronze; Team Elements Stage 4 and 5 Flight 1 - gold.

Joelle Menard: Stage 6 Freeski - gold; Stage 6 Elements Program - silver.

Elizabeth Porteous: Stage 6 Freeski - gold;

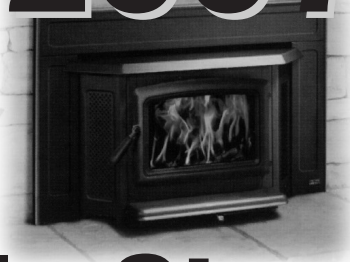
Isabella St-Marseille: Stage 5 Elements Flight 1 - gold; Team Elements Stage 4 and 5 Flight 1 - gold.

Emma Brooks: Intro B Ladies Elements Program - gold; Intro B Spins - gold; Intro B Jumps Flight 1 - gold; Intro Ladies B Freeski Flight 1 - bronze.

Alyssa Cooper: Intro B Spins - bronze; Intro B Jumps Flight 1 - silver; Intro Ladies B Freeski Flight 1 - bronze.


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Little skaters on big ice

The North Dundas Level 1 and Level 2 Initiation Demons played each other in an exhibition game at the Ottawa Civic Centre on Sat., Jan. 26. Brayden Roe and Nathan Whalley were the opposing goaltenders. The Demons, coaches, parents and families then watched an Ottawa Jr. "A" 67's game. The Demons are coached by Aron Sherrer, Tom Mellea, Andy Cotnam, Al Christophersen, Kent Young, Ken Byrne, Tod King, Derek Roe and Brent VandenBosch. The little Demons are

(not in order): Cam Sherrer, Ethan Guy, Curtis Bell, Mason Carr, Eric Coburn, RaeLee File, Matthew Gransden, Grace Greer, Ryan King, Shye VandenBosch, Chase Holmes, Toby Byrne, Dawson Burgess, Kaitlyn Minish, Ellen Reaney, Nolan Brown, Seth Christophersen, Cameron Cotnam, Joey Hannaford, Caitlin Jampen, Beth Kimmitt, Kayla MacGregor, Dylan Martin, Brayden Roe, Nathan Saari, Samuel Sylvestre, Nathan Whalley, Kye Williams and Kobey Young.

Wings take point from Pee Wee "B" Demons

WINCHESTER — For the first time in 19 Upper Canada Minor Hockey League games the North Dundas Pee Wee "B" Demons weren't able to secure two points. The Perth Lanark Legion Wings came into Winchester Monday (Jan. 28) night and battled the undefeated Demons to a 5-5 draw and became the first team to earn a point against North Dundas (18-0-1).

North Dundas returned to league action Monday after playing three games in the 2007-08 International Silver Stick Tournament in Port Huron, MI. Tom Kirkwood's squad put together a 0-1-2 record and didn't qualify for the semi-finals. Their loss was against the Strathroy Rockets, the team that went on to capture the Silver Stick title.

Mark McRae pumped in three goals in the 5-5 tie with Perth and bumped his totals up to 58 goals, 21 assists and 79 points. Shawn Simms picked up a goal and two helper points. Mitchell Kirkwood snapped in the single tally. Patrick Gibson (3), Nevin Guy (2), Dawson Fawcett and "AP" Brody Collins collected assists. Jason Buma guarded the North Dundas nets.

Sports Explorers program underway

WINCHESTER — The Winchester Junior "B" Hawks entertain the Akwesasne Wolves this Friday night. Game time is 8:15 pm.

Hey kids, don't forget about the township's Sports Explorers program at two school locations: Morewood Public School from 6:30 to 8 pm on Thursdays and Nationview Public School from 7 to 8:30 pm on Fridays. These are drop-in programs for ages seven to 12. The cost is \$1 per person, per evening. These programs do not run every week so call Meaghan at 613-774-2105, for dates.

Last weekend my son's PeeWee Rep "B" team participated in the North American Silver Stick hockey championships in Port Huron, MI. Once again the competition was strong. The boys came out a little nervous in the first game against Strathroy, the eventual winners, and ended the tournament with 2 ties and a loss. The kids represented our hockey association very proudly. It was a great experience for the players to be there and one they won't forget.

Have a great week!



Remarks by Mark Guy, director of recreation

Tait hat trick powers Lions to 4-2 victory

MORRISBURG — Captain Ali Tait netted three goals, including the winner, as the South Dundas Midget "B" Lions skated to a 4-2 Ontario Women's Hockey Association victory over the visitors from the Outaouais.

Tait opened Sunday's (Jan. 27) contest netting a pass from Jill Kirkwood with 5:01 left in the first frame. Kirkwood then provided another pass and Britany Elliott buried it with five seconds left on the clock to make it a 2-0 game.

Tait opened up a 3-0 lead finishing a play started by Lindsay Gilmer at the seven-minute mark of period two.

The Outaouais responded with a pair of goals in the third period, but Tait was able to fire in a feed from Christine Stewart and Gilmer 2:01 before the final buzzer to finish her hat trick and make the final count 4-2.

Kristie Wade was the winning goalie.

Meet the Hawks

Michael Hitesman No. 35, Goalie

Rookie goaltender Michael Hitesman has seen plenty of action in his first season with the Winchester Jr. "B" Hawks. The Orleans resident played both ends of this weekend's slate facing the Morrisburg Lions (7-3 win) and Alexandria Glens (5-0 loss). Hitesman, 18, has appeared in 23 games, clocked 1311 minutes, faced 612 shots, allowed 69 goals, compiled a GAA of 3.16, booked a save percentage of .892 and posted a record of 14-7-1. He stands third among St. Lawrence Division goaltenders and fourth in the Rideau - St. Lawrence Conference rankings.



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Hornets rally to defeat Gatineau

GATINEAU — Six different shooters hit the target as the Metcalfe Hornets rallied from a 2-0 deficit and registered a 6-2 victory over the host Gatineau Gee Gees.

The victory, posted in Gatineau on Jan. 22, improved Metcalfe's National Capital Region Ringette Junior "A" record to 2-2-0.

The Gee Gees held a 2-0 lead until Kayleigh Green took the ring from Sara Myers and whipped it into the back of the Gatineau net with 12:40 left in the second half. Erin MacDonald was next to find twine and tied it up 2-2 after accepting a feed from Megan Vriend 40 seconds later.

Emilie Brenning produced the game-winning goal with just 3:54 left on the clock burying a pass provided MacDonald. Metcalfe keep applying pressure and Myers scored unassisted to widen the gap to 4-2. Emily Bennett (unassisted) blasted a rising shot into the top of the Gatineau cage and opened up a 5-2 lead. Lauren Brown added the sixth and final marker finishing a play started by MacDonald with eight seconds showing on the clock to make it a 6-2 final.

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Andy's Reds hand Blues second loss

WINCHESTER — Julie Drouin broke up a scoreless tie with a late goal and goalie Roxanne Backes posted the shutout as fifth-place Andy's Foodland Reds upset the number-two ranked Annable's Jewellery Blues 1-0.

Drouin netted the winning shot after taking a pass provided by Sandra Cloutier and Susan Marsden with 9:08 left in Sunday (Jan. 27) morning's Winchester District Ladies Hockey League 10 am contest.

Backes and her defence did the rest as the Reds improved to 5-10-2 and the Blues dropped to 8-2-6.

Another upset occurred when the third-place Double Beauty Stylists (8-5-3) were whitewashed 4-0 by the fourth-place CountryGirls (4-8-4) in the 9 am match.

Goalie Jessica Whitteker was flawless working the CountryGirls net and Jacqueline Beausoleil snapped in the winning goal after taking a feed from Kelly Zeran and Aline Smith at 12:04 of the first half. Smith then made it 2-0 scoring from Amy Fraser 6:52 before the half.

Unassisted goals by Zeran at 10:45 and Fraser at 5:51 inflated the final total to 4-0.

Four for Clement

Sonia Clement provided the pass for Jen Manley's goal at 11:56 of the first half of the 8 am game and then pounded in the next four tallies leading the top-ranked Cooper Physio Pinks (10-2-4) to a 5-1 victory over the sixth-place WS Trucking Shifters (3-11-2).

Clement's offensive output lifted her into second place in the scoring race with 10 goals, four assists and 14 points. Edith Dagenais of the Blues holds down first with 10 goals, five helpers and 15 points.

Clement (4-1-5), Manley (1-1-2), Kim Schell (0-2-2), Edith Rivet (0-2-20), Marilyn Wade (0-2-2), and Gale Smith-Rutley (0-1-1) picked up points for the winners.

Tara Verney ruined Kristi Wade's bid for a shutout scoring from Laura McDonnell with 7:57 left in the game.

Winchester curlers heading to OCA provincial championships

WINCHESTER — Five curlers from the Winchester Curling Club are heading for the Ontario Curling Associations' 2008 Provincial Bantam championships.

Skip Crystal Lillico, and her team of third Emily Au, second Darby Ace and lead Rebecca Wichers-Schreur will compete in the bantam girls event as the 2008 Zone 1 "A" champs and the Regional "B" side representative in Richmond Hill next month (Feb. 6 to 9).

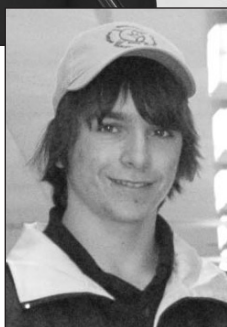
Kurtis Byrd has also qualified for the provincial championships, not with his home club (WCC), but as skip of the Zone 2 and Regional Bantam Boys championship rink out of the Rideau Curling Club in Ottawa.

Lillico defeated Alex Polak of Ottawa RCMP CC in the Zone 1 showdown in Winchester on Jan. 12 to qualify for the Regionals at the Huntley CC (Jan. 19 - 20). The Winchester foursome defeated Cataraqui's Laura Brown in the opening game at the Regionals but were knocked into the "B" event by Manotick's Jamie Sinclair who went on to take the "A" title in a win over City View's Lynn Kreviazuk.

Lillico squared off against Manotick's Cassandra Raganold in her first "B" event match, posted a win and moved into the consolation semi-final where she defeated Huntley's Lauren Horton. That victory qualified the Winchester team for the "B" final where they met and eliminated Kreviazuk to earn a trip to the OCA Provincial championships.

Provincial history

Four years ago in 2004 the WCC sent two rinks to the Provincials in Ajax. Shane Latimer skipped Phil Klein-Swormink (third), Andrew Dings (second) and Geoff Spruit (lead) to the OCA Bantam Boys Provincial title that year. It was the first Provincial title for the Winchester club.



Heading to provincials

Skip Crystal Lillico (above, left), third Emily Au, second Darby Ace, and lead Rebecca Wichers-Schreur are the 2007-08 OCA Regional "B" event winners and will compete in the Provincial Championships in Richmond Hill (Feb. 6 to 9). Kurtis Byrd (inset) also qualified for the provincial championships as skip of the Zone 2 and Regional Bantam Boys championship rink out of the Rideau Curling Club in Ottawa.

On the girls side of the Ontario championship playdown, Winchester finished fourth. Celeste Butler-Rohland skipped that rink. Liz DeSerres was the third, Nicole Butler-Rohland the second and Kelsey Erwin the lead.

Both teams then took part in the 2004 Ontario Winter Games. Latimer went on to win the Winter Games title.

This year is also an Ontario Winter Games year and the top four girls and top three boys teams in the 2008 OCA Provincials qualify for the games.

Bantam boys

Winchester was also represented at the OCA Bantam Regionals by Jonathan Thompson and his team of Zac Baker (third), Bradley Holmes (second) and Luke Whitteker (lead). Thompson, the Zone 1 "B" side winner, lost his first two starts against Cataraqui's Dave Staples

and Nahtan Barr of Perth and was eliminated.

Byrd and his Rideau CC foursome went undefeated and earned the Regional "A" event title knocking off Trevor Irwin of Carleton Heights, Quinte's Brent Montgomery and City View's Chris Lewis in the "A" final.

Byrd and fellow Winchester teammate Geoff Spruit curled in last year's Provincial competition and finished fifth of eight teams.

Byrd soaring

This season Byrd, a 15-year-old Grade 10 student at North Dundas District High School, was recruited by the Rideau Curling Club to skip their bantam boys team, which he guided to the Regional title and onto the 2008 Ontario championships. He is also a member of the NDDHS boys curling team which is ranked first in the run for the SD&G championship.

He and the NDDHS squad have also qualified to take part in the 2008 Gore Mutual School Boy provincial championships.

Special funding

Steve Au of Ottawa, a level two coach, recommended Byrd for the Quest For Gold Ontario Athlete Assistance Program which provides support to the province's amateur high performance athletes. Byrd, who has been curling since he was five years old, was accepted for the program and is now a carded athlete. Au coached Byrd and the Winchester bantam boys squad in 2006-07.

The Quest for Gold program objectives are: to help athletes continue their pursuit of athletic excellence at the highest level of national and international competition; to encourage athletes to stay in Ontario to live and learn; to compensate athletes for earnings lost while training dur-

ing their summer school break; to enable athletes to successfully pursue excellence in sport while fulfilling their educational goals; to increase athletes' access to high performance coaching; and to enhance training and competitive opportunities available to athletes.

The Quest for Gold Program is funded from the net revenues generated by the Quest for Gold Lottery created by the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation.

Byrd's mother Robin explained they submitted the application for funding right at the deadline in November. She said the application included information about curling participation and success within the OCA and school curling over the past two years. She also noted that volunteer work in the community, at curling events and/or in curling clubs was also taken into consideration.

There were four half cards given out in Ontario to bantam-aged curlers (two female and two male).

"We are proud of Kurtis for the work and dedication he has put into curling over the years. Like any sport, there is a time commitment and early mornings," said Robin. "He truly loves the sport and on the ice every chance he gets."

OCA Zone 1 Junior Coordinator Linda Laverie, one of Byrd's mentors at the WCC, said he is deserving of the support.

"Kurtis is a great kid and a wonderful curler," she said. "He helps me out every Monday night, gets the ice ready and helps the other junior curlers and then he stays and practises."

Robin added that the family is very thankful to the volunteer coaches — Janet Levere, James Cave, Linda Laverie, Alison Levere, Steve Au and Art Miskew — as well as the WCC members and friends who have supported Kurtis over the years.

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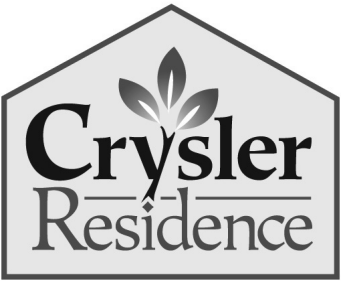
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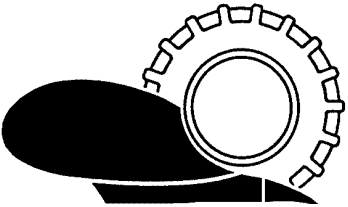
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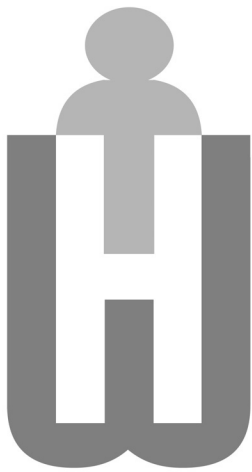
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Micheline Turnau, community mission specialist with the Heart and Stroke Foundation, demonstrated one of the 15 new automated external defibrillators that will be distributed across Stormont, Dundas, and Glengarry. North Dundas will receive three of the machines and four will go to South Dundas.

Photos — Barbour

More buildings in North Dundas to get automated defibrillators

by Matthew Barbour

Probabilities for recovery from a heart attack will soon be improving for North Dundas residents. It was announced Sat., Jan. 27 that three new automated external defibrillators (AEDs) will be coming to key locations in the township.

Gord Bryan, president of the Cornwall Chapter of the Heart and Stroke Foundation, gave advance notice of the announcement Saturday morning as the foundation's Dundas chapter kicked off Heart Month at the Hartford Retirement Centre in Morrisburg. The official announcement came later in the day from Jeremy Gowsell, constituency assistant to MPP Jim Brownell, at a foundation meeting in Cornwall.

"Stormont, Dundas, and Glengarry Emergency Medical Services (EMS) will co-ordinate the distribution of 15 new AEDs — three of them will be installed in North Dundas, at the Morewood Community Centre, the South Mountain Agricultural Hall, and at the Nelson LaPrade Centre in Chesterville," Bryan told the *Press*. Another four will be placed in public buildings across South Dundas.

He noted that AEDs are already installed at the municipal office in Winchester, as well as at the Winchester and Chesterville arenas, "But many people don't know they are there and signage needs to be improved — there could be nothing worse than to have someone collapse and not know there's a machine in the building."

"The new AEDs will be placed in various buildings over the next few months and in addition to distribution of the devices, EMS will also provide training to people at the new locations," he added.

However, the AEDs being distributed can be used by



CTV Ottawa news anchor Max Keeping was the guest of honour as the Dundas Chapter of the Heart and Stroke Foundation kicked off Heart Month at the Hartford Retirement Residence in Morrisburg on Sat., Jan. 26. He is shown here with Chapter president Geraldine Fitzsimmons (left), Hartford general manager Lynn Hill and Micheline Turnau, community mission specialist with the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

untrained responders as well. Once a unit's pads are placed on the victim's chest, the AED automatically performs a diagnosis to determine if a shock is needed. An electronic voice prompts the responder through each step of the process and a safety feature prevents a shock from being administered if one is not required. The machine also provides instructions for the user to perform CPR.

Bryan said funding for the AEDs has been provided by the Ontario Ministry of Health Promotion.

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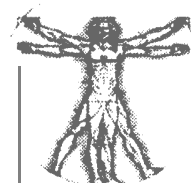
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Joined at the heart

A twin in North Bay raises funds for her sister who has a heart defect

Christmas, 1997, was a special time for Jennifer Graff. She had just given birth to twin girls, Alexis and Valerie. But by New Year's day, something seemed wrong with Valerie. Her skin had a blue tinge to it. She also seemed sickly and wasn't gaining weight. "She kept on falling asleep during feedings," her mother said. "I had to tap her feet to wake her up."

An echocardiogram revealed that she had a heart defect. Doctors prescribed digoxin to help her heart beat more regularly and monitored her closely. Six months later, while Jennifer was bathing the twins, Valerie turned completely blue. She had gone into heart failure with an erratic heartbeat. From North Bay, her parents drove six hours through a snowstorm to the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario in Ottawa where Valerie was put under observation overnight. Doctors recommended waiting to see if the holes in Valerie's heart would close by themselves, and by the time she turned four, they had.

The family also learned that Valerie's heart defect is caused by a rare genetic disorder. Unknown to her, Jennifer had Ehlers Danlos Syndrome, Classical Type 1 for 28 years. It's likely her daughters will pass it on to their children, too. Today, Valerie is living a more normal life. She loves to swim and play basketball. However, she is restricted in other physical activities such as gymnastics and running. Much to Valerie's disappointment, she can't go on fair rides, either. Her teachers are aware of her condition and supervise her activities at school. But Valerie doesn't like to be held back. One day, posing as her sister Alexis (they're fraternal twins who look a lot alike), she ran in a school 100-metre race – and won! When teachers found out it was Valerie, they were mortified. "But she was triumphant," her mother admitted.



Alexis and Valerie Graff with Rocco Rossi, CEO of the Heart and Stroke Foundation of Ontario

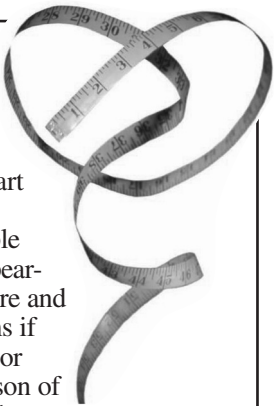
Valerie's heart condition is not totally cured, however. One hole has reopened slightly. When her heart stops growing at the age of 13, she will undergo an operation in which surgeons are going to fix the hole completely with a Teflon patch. "This operation didn't exist when Valerie was born. In less than 10 years, the research has advanced a lot," Jennifer noted. Even the ultrasounds of Valerie's heart have gone from black and white to 3-D colour. "I can see the red blood coursing through her heart and see the hole, which is about one-and-a-half inches wide."

The girls are highly motivated to make a difference when it comes to supporting the Heart and Stroke Foundation. They always participate in Jump Rope for Heart at their school. Last spring, Alexis rollerbladed to raise funds for the Foundation while Valerie stood by with a sandwich board that read: "Support my sister so that kids with heart defects like me can lead a normal life." They managed to raise a total of \$358. Now Valerie's dream is to go to Canada's Wonderland and ride the scariest, most thrilling ride – "The Drop Zone" – and participate in gymnastics. Jennifer is hoping and praying that soon Valerie will be able to do the normal things most children enjoy, too.

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In a heartbeat

Since he was born a blue baby three decades ago, Mark Stewart from Guelph must rely on new research to keep his heart working properly

Mark Stewart was born a blue baby. He had a serious heart defect in which two of the major arteries were reversed, causing him to look blue because of his oxygen-poor blood. At the age of four, doctors performed a life-saving operation developed by Dr. William Mustard, a Heart and Stroke Foundation researcher, and Stewart survived. But his heart problems didn't end there. Over the years, in order to control his racing heart, which has been known to beat as high as 225 times a minute, Stewart's doctors have implanted four different pacemakers.

Growing up, Stewart felt normal but he was chronically short of breath. He was a bit slower physically than his older brothers. When Stewart turned 25, he experienced tachycardia, a rapid beating of his heart,

which can be life threatening. "My heart was racing like crazy and wouldn't slow down," he explained. Doctors performed cardioversion, a brief procedure in which an electrical shock is delivered to the heart to convert his abnormal heart rhythm to normal. "When I woke up, I felt as if a horse had kicked me in the chest," he said. To keep his heart steadily beating, the doctors also implanted a pacemaker in his chest. Since then, he has had his pacemakers upgraded three more times. "Pacemakers have improved over the course of my lifetime and I'm glad of it," he said.

In the meantime, he is also considering a new procedure called banding. "Because the right side of my heart is doing what the left side should be, my heart basically works backwards. In time, my heart will enlarge

and eventually give out and I will probably need a transplant," he explained. The banding procedure constricts the left side of the heart so it works harder. "I'm watching the research on this and have heard that it has worked with younger patients."

Today, the 39-year-old is married with two children. About eight years ago, he lost 60 pounds and now tries to eat as healthfully as possible and he rides his bicycle regularly. He also tries to keep things balanced – work, life, family. "My prognosis is that they'll need to keep implanting pacemakers as long as they can and then hopefully research will make the best heart available to me when pacemaker technology no longer offers a solution," he said. "I am trusting in technology and in research to keep me alive."



Mark Stewart

Saved by helping hands

A 64-year-old from Stratford survives cardiac arrest thanks to two firemen who performed CPR and defibrillation

If two firefighters hadn't forgotten a scarf on a plane, Jack Carnie might not be alive today.

Carnie, 64, was flying into Toronto when he started to feel ill and short of breath. The flight attendant helped him use the oxygen mask on the plane, which helped him breathe easier and feel better. But as he was entering Lester B. Pearson Airport, his heart stopped beating. He was in cardiac arrest. "Just after I got off the plane, I went down," he said.

Luckily, Carnie's friend and business associate, Dave Mayberry, called out for help to two firefighters, who had already gotten off the plane but were returning to retrieve a scarf they'd left behind. One of them performed CPR and the other one located an Automated External Defibrillator (AED), he said.

Within seconds, Carnie had regained consciousness and was in an ambulance heading for the nearest hospital. "It was a miracle that these firefighters were there and got the defibrillator," he said. "I'm really lucky."

Surgeons inserted an implantable cardioverter defibrillator (ICD), which can be described as a sophisticated pacemaker, into his chest. The ICD constantly monitors his heart and regulates irregular heart rhythms by sending electrical signals when required to restore a normal rate.

Despite Carnie's busy life running his own business, he said he has slowed down, diligently takes his blood pressure and cholesterol-lowering medications, and listens to his body.



Jack and Mary Carnie

"I don't shovel snow and I don't do anything that's heavy because that causes me some strain," he said. "I walk an hour almost every day, but when I'm tired, I know it. Then, I just go and lie down."

Carnie said he hopes everyone will learn CPR and how to use an AED. Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) – a skill that involves chest compressions and rescue breaths – has the power to restore blood flow in those experiencing cardiac arrest, keeping the patient alive until an ambulance arrives on the scene. An AED is a machine that can monitor heart rhythms. It can tell if the heart has stopped beating effectively. If required, the machine can then deliver an electric shock to the heart. Most of the time, this shock will restart the heart.

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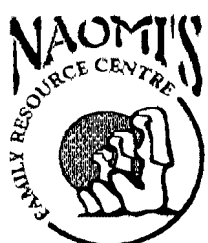
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– Della Casselman 46

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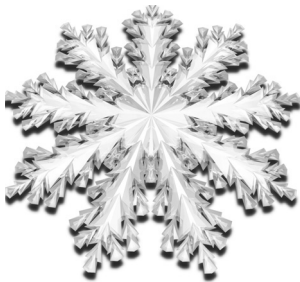
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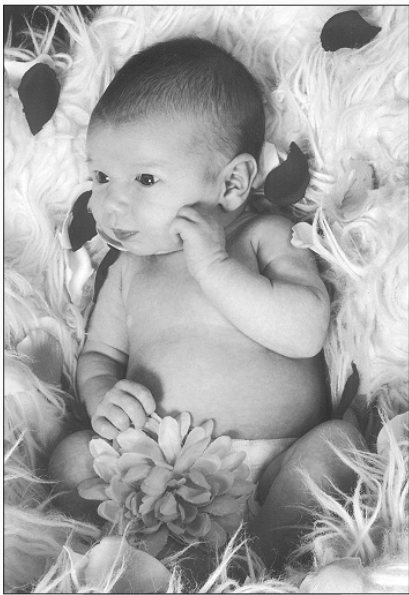
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The Winchester Legion Branch #108 is presenting a team trivia night in the basement hall at 482 Main St. E. on Fri., Feb. 1. Cost is \$10 a person, which will include a light supper of chili and a bun. Teams can be made up of 2 or more players. Teams must book in advance by contacting Kelly at bkstreng@hotmail.com or 613-774-2042. Doors open at 7 pm, trivia begins at 8 pm. Trivia rules are available at the Legion.

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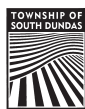
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OBITUARIES

Nelda Belanger

Nelda Belanger, a former resident of the Winchester area passed away at her home in Kingston on Thurs., Jan. 17, 2008, surrounded by her long-time companion John and her family. She was 54.

Nelda was born at the Winchester District Memorial Hospital on May 8, 1953 to her parents Eugene and Rose Belanger (nee Lalonde).

She attended S.S. # 20 school near Winchester, and then North Dundas District High School. As a teenager she babysat for her neighbours, and she also worked at the coffee shop/bus stop in Winchester. As a Grade 12 co-op student she worked at the Ontario Hydro office in Winchester, and they were so impressed with her work ethic that they hired her immediately after she graduated in 1970.

She immediately started saving money and she bought her first car, a used 1968 yellow Epic, while living at home with her parents. She later rented an apartment in Ottawa and commuted to work in Winchester every day. As a result of her work ethic, Nelda quickly advanced to higher positions within Ontario Hydro. Her promotions meant that she had to move frequently, and she subsequently lived in Ottawa, Guelph, Perth, Kingston, Belleville, and London.

While living in London she took night courses and earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in the faculty of social sciences from the University of Western Ontario on June 2, 1990. She was then promoted to human resources training co-ordinator at the western regional office of Ontario Hydro in London where she lived for 17 years.

In 2000 she decided to transfer back to Kingston so she could be closer to her family, and she bought her dream home on the shore of the St. Lawrence River. A few months later she was transferred to the Peterborough office which meant that she had to commute from Kingston to Peterborough every day.

In May of 2005 she decided to retire after a 34 year career with Ontario Hydro and Hydro One. She held many different positions throughout her career, and she was very dedicated to her work and her fellow employees. She was a friend to all.

Her enjoyment of retirement was short lived as she was diagnosed with non-Hodgkin's lymphoma in June of 2006. She truly believed that she could beat the cancer by taking numerous chemotherapy treatments, and she never gave up her fight until the very end. She had many dreams for her retirement but unfortunately she never got the chance to do any of them.

She loved to travel, and in 1974 she bought a new Pontiac Ventura car, and she and some girlfriends travelled to the west coast for a holiday. She then decided flying was an easier way to travel, and she toured many different cities and countries throughout her life. She still maintained her love of cars though and she always drove a sports car.

She was always fond of her animals, especially cats. She always had a cat in her home for companionship, and she treated them with lots of love and attention.

She was a very active member of the Roman Catholic Church in all of the areas she lived in. She always participated in various church activities, and was willing to lend a helping hand whenever it was needed.

Nelda was very devoted to her numerous personal and professional friends from school and throughout her career at Ontario Hydro. When she was in their area she always made a point of stopping in for a visit. She loved to socialize, and therefore she enjoyed dining, boating, attending plays, and spending quality time with her friends.

She was the youngest girl in the Belanger family, and as such she was very special to her older brothers and sisters. She was a special friend and companion of John Skinner of London for 21 years whom she met at her office when he was working as a repairman with Bell Canada. They continued their friendship even after she moved back to Kingston, and he supported her and was there for her throughout her illness.

Nelda was a very special and proud aunt to all the little children that came along through her family and friends. To her they were all her babies. She also had a special place in her heart for John's daughters Lana (Junior) and Lisa and John's granddaughter Ayla of London.

She is survived by her long-time companion John Skinner of London, her siblings Edna Eldridge of Williamsburg, Rita Belanger of Spencerville, Sandra Bloom (George) of Winchester, Gerald (Carline) of Brockville, Leonard (Bonnie) of Spencerville, and Donald (Domenica) of Brockville, and her sister-in-law Norma Belanger of Brockville. She was predeceased by her parents Rose and Eugene Belanger, her brother Bernard, and her brother-in-law Jack Eldridge. She was a loving aunt of 19 nieces and nephews, several great-nieces and nephews, a great-great-niece and a great-great nephew, and a granddaughter.

Family and friends called at the Marsden and McLaughlin Funeral Home in Williamsburg on Sun., Jan. 20 and Mon. Jan 21. The funeral mass was celebrated at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church in Chesterville on Jan. 21 with Father John Gillis and Father Tim Shea officiating. Cremation followed. A reception in Nelda's honour was held at the Chesterville Legion following the service. The pallbearers were Nelda's nephews Brian Belanger, Michael Lapierre, Darell Bloom, Kevin Belanger, Bruce Belanger, and D.J. Belanger.

Spring interment of cremated remains will be at St. Mary's Cemetery in Chesterville.

In memoriam donations to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Research Fund of Canada or the Winchester District Memorial Hospital would be appreciated by the family.



Brent Cameron Riley

Brent Cameron Riley passed away at Winchester District Memorial Hospital on Jan. 17, 2008. He was 52.

He was the beloved husband of Lois (Strader). He was the loving father of Nathan, and Sueanne. He was the son of Frances and stepdad Ron Harding. He was the brother of Nancy (Brian) Gourde. He was the son-in-law to Nelda Strader, brother-in-law to Gary and Doreen, Bev and Debbie, Brian Strader and Lorna, and Martin Reichert. He was the uncle to Caitlin and Kristen.

He was an avid animal lover, and his horses were his pride and joy. He worked at Innovapost in Kana before his illness where he made many wonderful friends.

The funeral service was held at Daniels Funeral Chapels in Winchester on Jan. 21, followed by interment at Maple Ridge Cemetery in Chesterville. The pallbearers were Nathan Riley, Gary Strader, Bev Strader, Martin Reichert, Tony Buiting, and Jim Taylor.

Donations to the Winchester District Memorial Hospital or the Canadian Cancer Society would be appreciated.

Rest in Peace Brent.



Helen Donna (Hum) Melvin

Helen Donna (Hum) Melvin, who was born Sept. 20, 1931 in Winnipeg, left us peacefully on Dec. 30, 2007 at 1:37 pm in the loving hands of her devoted friend and caregiver Concita Galban, and nephews Craig and Scott Jacks.

Helen had muscular atrophy at birth that was progressive to the age of 11, and left her quadriplegic. Soon after she learned to write then paint with her mouth. She was predeceased by parents Carl and Wynonna Melvin, and siblings David, Joan, and Marion. She is survived by brother-in-law Quentin Jacks, and nephews Terry, Ron, Brad, Craig, and Scott Jacks.

Helen, a great artist, mastered the medium of floral watercolour. She overcame her physical disabilities with internal fortitude, positive attitude, accomplishment, and faith. She encouraged others with disabilities, and was the president of an indoor sports club. She will be greatly missed by her relatives in the U.S.A. and in eastern Canada. Helen was also a writer very much involved with her family and relatives, and wrote much about her inner feelings as well as family history. She taught her nephews the love of reading, music, art, and positive thinking. In her latter years she sponsored, then adopted, a family of six Filipinos who took superb care of her, and soon became her own family. Helen remains the example and inspiration to all that knew her.

A celebration of her life will take place on Fri., Feb. 1, 2008, at 1:30 pm at the Canadian Memorial Church, 16th and Burrard Street in Vancouver.

At Helen's request, donations can be made to the church.

Annie P. Merkley

Annie P. Merkley of Chesterville passed away peacefully at Dundas Manor in Winchester on Wed., Jan. 23, 2008. She was 77.

She was the beloved wife of Harold Merkley. She was the devoted mother of Steven (Colleen), and cherished grandmother of Matthew and Marissa. She was dearly loved by her four sisters. She was predeceased by one brother and three sisters.

Family and friends paid their respects at Daniels Funeral Chapels in Winchester on Jan. 24 and 25. The funeral service was held in the chapel of the funeral home on Fri., Jan. 25 with Rev. Wendy Wright-MacKenzie officiating, followed by interment at Maple Ridge Cemetery in Chesterville. The pallbearers were Jack Lannin, Arie Oosterman, Joe Cass, Tom Parker, Lee Hutt, and Mike McMahon.

Donations to Dundas Manor would be appreciated by the family.



DEATH NOTICES

Robert Seaton Usher

CAPTAIN C.D. (Retired)

Oct. 7, 1930 – Jan. 25, 2008

Robert Seaton Usher "Bob" died after a brief stay in the Winchester District Memorial Hospital in the morning on Fri., Jan., 25, 2008.

He was the beloved father of Dean Usher (Lorraine Dignard) of Metcalfe, and Shelley Usher of Ottawa. He was the grandfather of Seaton and Nelson Usher of Metcalfe. He was survived by his brother John Usher (Betty) of Vancouver, his sister Beth of Colborne, and nieces and nephews across Canada. He was predeceased by his parents Nelson and Blanche Usher (nee Kerr), by his son Robert McKenzie Usher, his brother Richard and his sister Alice. He is also survived by Bonnie Foster of Oxford Mills, his life partner and her children, Kris, Karen, and Emily Abel of Toronto. He will be missed by his life long friends Doug Clark (Barbara) of Kingston, and also by the many good friends he has made in the Kemptville area.

He was well known in this area for his love of reading, bookstores, poetry, dogs, horses, agriculture, and people. He is beloved by us all.

Bob joined the Canadian Armed Forces in 1951 to 1953 where he served in Korea, retired in 1979, and was called back to serve another term of duty until 1984. During his military tenure, he achieved the rank of Artillery Captain. Bob was a farmer, a poet, an author, a teller of stories, and the best of mentors.

Visitation will be held at Grant Brown Funeral Home Rolston Chapel in Kemptville on Fri., Feb. 1 from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 pm, and Sat. Feb. 2 from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 pm.

In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make a memorial donation to the Children's Hospital of Eastern Ontario Foundation (CHEO).

For condolences and online guest book please visit www.grantbrownfuneralhome.com.

Wilma Mackie

Oct. 9, 1924 - Jan. 3, 2008

Wilhelmina "Wilma" Mackie (nee Kilpatrick) completed a very worthwhile and successful life on Jan. 3, 2008.

She was predeceased by her beloved husband Doug in 1977, and will be proudly remembered by her children; Wilf Mackie, Christine Windover, Art (Donna) Mackie, and Doug (Stacy) Mackie, along with 11 grandchildren, and friends too numerous to count.

A memorial service will be held on Fri., Feb. 1 at 11 am at St. Matthias Anglican Church, 541 St. Lawrence St. in Winchester, followed by a reception at Winchester United Church, 519 St. Lawrence St.

In lieu of flowers, a donation to the charity of your choice would be appreciated.

She served her family, her friends, her community, her country, and God.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our relatives, neighbours, and friends for their acts of sympathy in the loss of a dear husband and father Brent Riley. The floral tributes, memorial donations, cards and food sent to our home was greatly appreciated. Special thanks to Daniels Funeral Chapel, Dr. Racine and nursing staff at Winchester District Memorial Hospital and to Rev. Brown, the pallbearers and the ladies at the Wesleyan Church. These acts of kindness we will always remember.

— Lois, Nathan and Sueanne Riley

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Scotiabank Chesterville branch manager Vicki Lefebvre (left) and customer service representative Tracey Van Bruinessen presented a cheque for \$3,566 to Winchester District Memorial Hospital Foundation board member P.J. Robertson of Morrisburg and foundation managing director Dawn Cooper on Mon., Jan. 28. The money represents matching funds for all the WDMH Wish Tree contributions that were made at Scotiabank branches in Chesterville, South Mountain, Morrisburg, and Russell over the holiday season. "We're hoping to increase that amount next year," said Lefebvre about the matching funds, noting that the program will be better publicized in 2008. The Wish Tree campaign raised more than \$52,000 in total in 2007.

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